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1896; in Bound Brook, N. J., 1896-1900, and thereafter in Trenton, N. J., until his death, which occurred April 4, 1906, in the New Jersey Hospital, near Trenton, in the 80th year of his age. He was buried in the Ewing Church cemetery, near Trenton. He was a commissioner to the General Assembly at St. Louis in 1874. From 1858 to 1860 he was recording secretary of the Trenton Y. M. C. A., and was secretary of the Middlesex County Bible Society from 1866 to 1867.

He was married May 9, 1850, in East Amwell, N. J., to Ellen Stout, who with one son survives him.

EDWARD BLANCHARD HODGE, D.D.,

Son of Hugh Lenox and Margaret Elizabeth (Aspinwall) Hodge, was born Feb. 5, 1841, in Philadelphia, Pa. He made a public confession of his faith in the Second Presbyterian Church, Philadelphia, at the age of fifteen. His preparatory studies were pursued in the academy of the University of Pennsylvania under Samuel Wylie Crawford, and he graduated from the University of Pennsylvania in 1859. He spent the next year attending Prof. Joseph Leidy's course of lectures on anatomy in the University of Pennsylvania and Prof. Rogers' course in chemistry in the same institution, and also studied German and music. Entering the Seminary at Princeton in the fall of 1860, he took the full three years' course there, graduating in 1863. He remained for a further year of post-graduate study. He was licensed by the Presbytery of Philadelphia Central, April 6, 1863, and ordained by the Presbytery of Burlington (now Monmouth), April 28, 1864, and at the same time installed pastor of the Presbyterian church of Burlington, N. J. This was his only pastorate, from which he was released Nov. 24, 1893, after a service of nearly thirty years. He left this church only because of his election as Corresponding Secretary of the Board of Education, in the duties of which office he engaged at once and continued until his death, which occurred June 15, 1906, in the Presbyterian Hospital, Philadelphia, after a surgical operation, in the 66th year of his age.

He was buried in the West Laurel Hill Cemetery, Philadelphia. He received the degree of D.D. from Princeton College in 1892. Dr. Hodge was a trustee of Princeton Seminary from 1889 until his death and for a number of years was the chairman of its library committee. He was a director of Princeton Seminary from 1899 until his death. He was also a trustee of the General Assembly. From March, 1904, until his death he was president of the Presbyterian Publishing Company, having the editorial management of *The Presbyterian* during that time, for which he wrote many editorial articles. He also published articles in the *Presbyterian and Reformed Review* and the *Princeton Theological Review*. Among his published writings were: "A Brief Conversation with Parents about the Baptism of their Children"; "A Brief Conversation about Coming to the Lord's Table", 1881; "A Discourse in Memory of Mrs. Cortlandt Van Rensselaer", 1883; "A Discourse Commemorating the 100th Anniversary of the Constitution of the Presbyterian Church in the United States of America", 1888; "Five Sermons on the Five Points", 1890; "Instructions Preparatory to Baptism and the Lord's Supper", 1891. He was a commissioner to the General Assembly at Brooklyn in 1876, at New York in 1889, and at Philadelphia in 1901. As Secretary of the Board of Education, he attended the General Assembly yearly.

Dr. Hodge was married May 7, 1868, in Burlington, N. J., to Alice Cogswell Van Rensselaer, who died April 13, 1878. One son and two daughters survive him.

JAMES PATTISON VIELE,

Son of John I. and Caroline (Pattison) Viele, was born March 25, 1835, at Saratoga Springs, N. Y. He made a public confession of his faith in the Methodist Church at the age of sixteen, and united with the Presbyterian church of Saratoga Springs in 1861. His preparatory studies were pursued in the Fort Edward Collegiate Institute, N. Y., under Joseph E. King, D.D., and he graduated from Union College in 1861.