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Commenced at Cape Palmas, 1834; removed to Gaboon, 1842

MISSIONARIES


Mrs. White (Helen Maria Wells) Newburgh, N. Y.; born Cambridge, Washington Co., N. Y. Nov. 24, 1813; mar. Oct. 12, 1836; died Cape Palmas, Jan. 27, 1837.


Mrs. Preston (Jane Sophia Woodruff) born Westfield, Chautauqua Co., N. Y.;
April 27, 1828; prof. rel. at nine years of age, 1837; studied Marietta Female Sem.; mar. Marietta, May 29, 1848; emb. for Africa, June 14, 1848; returned to U. S. May 12, 1864; returned to U. S. Oct. 24, 1866; 1878 at Marietta, Ohio. Ditto 1886. Died at Marietta, Oct. 4, 1890.


5.


Mrs. Pierce (Susan Savory) born Bangor, Me. (Portland - her husband says - Nov. 5, 1824.) mar. about Nov. 25, 1853; died at Gaboon, Feb. 24, 1855.


Mrs. Herrick (Julia Bushnell) Grenville, O.; born there Feb. 16, 1827; mar. Nov. 1, 1853; emb. Nov. 30, 1853; returned to U. S. 1856. 1878, living in Oregon; m. Horetoio V. Johnson.


Monis Lawrence Saint John, M.D. Marietta, O.; born Aurelius, Washington Co.,  
O. July 15, 1831; prof. rel. Nov. 12, 1854; studied at Lane Theol. Sem.; emb.  
New York, Sept. 27, 1859; arr. at Gaboon, Jan. 27, 1860; returned to U. S. 1861;  
released July 9, 1861. Died 1862 or '63.

Mrs. Saint John (Sarah Ann Gutwood) born near Willsburg, Brooke Co., West  
Virginia, July 14, 1836; prof. rel. May 1858; mar. Aurelius, Ohio, June 7,  
1858; emb. New York Sept. 27, 1859; arr. Gaboon, Jan. 27, 1860; returned to  
U. S. 1861; released 1861.

Walter Halsey Clark, born Milton, Ulster Co., N. Y., July 2, 1832; prof. rel.  
Williamstown, Mass. June 1852; grad. Williams Coll. 1854; Union Sem., N. Y.  
Gaboon, Jan. 27, 1860; then unmarried; mar. Jan. 1, 1861, Maria M. Jackson,  
and was released May 7, 1861 to labor in the Presbyterian Mission on Corisco  
Ditto 1884. 1891 in Parkville, Mo.

MISSIONARY PHYSICIAN.

Henry A. Ford, M.D. Hudson, N. Y. emb. Boston,  
June 20, 1850; arr. Gaboon, Oct. 7, 1850; vis. U. S. 1855-1856; died at  
Gaboon, Feb. 2, 1858.

Mrs. Ford (Olivia Smith) Oswego, N. Y.; born Lafayette, N. Y. Jan. 1830; emb.  
Unmarried, New York, Nov. 30, 1853; arr. Gaboon, Feb. 16, 1854; marr.  
1855; returned to U. S. 1855.

ASSISTANT MISSIONARIES

Benjamin Van Rensselaer James, a colored man, and printer; born Elisabethtown,  
N. Y. April 21, 1814; prof. rel. Granville, N. Y. 1833; emb. Baltimore Oct. 31,  
1836; arr. Fair Hope, Cape Palmas, Dec. 25, 1836; removed to Gaboon, 1844; vis.  
U. S. May 1845; released 1846; and joined the colony at Biberia. He died at  
Mongoria, Biberia, Jan. 3, 1859.
Mrs. James (Margaret Elisabeth Strobel) born Savannah, Ga. Jan. 10, 1804; prof. rel. June 1, 1829; mar. Fair Hope, Nov. 28, 1838. Died at Monrovia, about 1870 or '71.


Helen W. Green
emb. New York, April 11, 1863; arr. Gaboon, Aug. 22, 1863; returned to U. S. May 12, 1864. Mar. a Mr. Merwin. 1876, living in Plainfield, N. J.

Mrs. Louise Rentlinger, teacher at Gaboon, 1869-70.
1877 at Corisco, under Pres. Bd. Ditto 1887. This mission was transferred to the Presbyterian Board in 1870
WEST CENTRAL AFRICA MISSION.

This Mission was commenced at Bailundu in 1880.

MISSIONARIES.


Mrs. Sanders (Mary Jane Mawhir) born Belfast, Ireland, April 4, 1855; prof. rel. Oct. 1870; studied at Oberlin; emb. March 9, 1882; arr. Benguela, June 7; mar. at Bailundu Sept. 12, 1882; Oct. 1885 at Bailundu. Died at Kamandongo, Bihe, Aug. 8, 1891. (See Nov. Herald 1891, p. 442)


MISSIONARY PHYSICIANS


ASSISTANT MISSIONARIES

Samuel Taylor Miller, was the first colored man sent to this mission; born Burkeville, Nottoway Co., Va., Feb. 22, 1855; prof. rel. Burkeville; educated at Hampton, Va.; emb. with Messrs Bagster and Sanders from N. Y. Aug. 7, 1880; returned with Messrs Fay and Stover, arriving N. Y. Dec. 14, 1884; released March 10, 1885. (Benj. V. James was sent to Cape Palmas 1836 - a colored man.)


Daniel Lindley, son of Rev. Jacob Lindley of Athens, Ohio; Waterford, O.; born Washington Co., Pa., Aug. 24, 1801; prof. rel. Athens, O., 1821; grad. Ohio Univ. 1824; Union Theol. Sem., Va. 1831; ord. Nov. 7, 1834; emb. with Champion, Grout and others, Boston, Dec. 3, 1834; arr. Cape Town, Feb. 5, 1835; travelled by land thence one thousand miles in wagons drawn each by twelve yoke of oxen; arr. Griqua Town, May 16, 1835; and there commenced their missionary work; remained there five months; arr. Mosika, in Nseleleka's country, June 16, 1836; the mission here broken up by a war between him and the Dutch Boers, Jan. 17, 1837; the mission re-established among the maritime Zulus, near Port Natal, July 27, 1837; the mission again broken up in Feb. 1838. Mr. Lindley and others leave Natal May 11, 1839; and arr. at Delagoa Bay, May 20; thence to Port Elisabeth; returned to Port Natal, June 12, 1839; from that time till 1847, Mr. Lindley labored chiefly among the Dutch colonists, or Boers, receiving from them his support, but retaining his connection with the Board; established in 1847 at Inanda among the Zulus; arr. at Boston on a visit to U. S. Sept. 15, 1859; re-emb. at Boston with wife and six children Oct. 28, 1862. Returned to U. S. 1873; sailed from Africa Apr. 26, 1873. Jan. 1878 living in New York City. Died Sept. 3, 1880. (See obituary in Herald, Nov. 1880, p. 458)


Daniel Lindley, son of Rev. Jacob Lindley of Athens, Ohio; Waterford, O.; born . rel. Athens, O., 1821; grad. Ohio ord. Nov. 7, 1834; emb. with Champion, arr. Cape Town, Feb. 5, 1835; travelled ons drawn each by twelve yoke of oxen; e commenced their missionary work; re- in Moselekatsi's country, June 16, r between him and the Dutch Boers, i among the maritime Zulus, near Port broken up in Feb. 1838. Mr. Lindley arr. at Delagoa Bay, May 20; thence 1, June 12, 1839; from that time till the Dutch colonists, or Boers, receiv- his connection with the Board; estab- ; arr. at Boston on a visit to U. S. ife and six children Oct. 23, 1862. ca Apr. 26, 1873. Jan. 1878 living in e obituary in Herald, Nov. 1880, p. 458)


Henry Isaac Venable, born Shelby Co., Ky. June 20, 1811; grad. Clinton Coll., Ky. 1830; Union Theol. Sem. 1834; ord. Danville, Ky. Oct. 9, 1834; emb. with Mr. Lindley and others Boston, Dec. 3, 1834; arr. Cape Town, Feb. 5, 1835; arr. Griqua Town, May 16, 1835; arr. Mosika June 16, 1836; compelled to abandon that station Jan. 17, 1837; proceeded across the country 1300 miles to Dela-
Daniel Lindley, son of Rev. Jacob Lindley of Athens, Ohio; Waterford, O.; born Washington Co., Pa., Aug. 24, 1801; prof. rel. Athens, O., 1821; grad. Ohio Univ. 1824; Union Theol. Sem., Va. 1831; ord. Nov. 7, 1834; emb. with Champion, Grout and others, Boston, Dec. 3, 1834; arr. Cape Town, Feb. 5, 1835; travelled by land thence one thousand miles in wagons drawn each by twelve yoke of oxen; arr. Griqua Town, May 16, 1835; and there commenced their missionary work; remained there five months; arr. Mosika, in Moselekatsi's country, June 16, 1836; the mission here broken up by a war between him and the Dutch Boers, Jan. 17, 1837; the mission re-established among the maritime Zulus, near Port Natal, July 27, 1837; the mission again broken up in Feb. 1838. Mr. Lindley and others leave Natal May 11, 1838; and arr. at Delagoa Bay, May 20; thence to Port Elisabeth; returned to Port Natal, June 12, 1839; from that time till 1847, Mr. Lindley labored chiefly among the Dutch colonists, or Boers, receiving from them his support, but retaining his connection with the Board; established in 1847 at Inanda among the Zulus; arr. at Boston on a visit to U. S. Sept. 15, 1859; re-emb. at Boston with wife and six children Oct. 28, 1862. Returned to U. S. 1873; sailed from Africa Apr. 26, 1875. Jan. 1878 living in New York City. Died Sept. 3, 1880. (See obituary in Herald, Nov. 1880, p. 458)


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Elisabeth, March 30, 1838; soon after went to Cape Town; returned to U. S.


Alexander Erwin Wilson, M.D. See Western Africa, page 5.

Mrs. Wilson (Mary Jane Smithey) born Richmond, Va. Nov. 30, 1813; emb. Boston, Dec. 3, 1834; accompanied her husband and the other missionaries in the toilsome journey across the country; arr. Mosika, June 16, 1836; died at Mosika, Sept. 18, 1836.


Newton Adams, M.D., born East Bloomfield, Ontario Co., N. Y. Aug. 4, 1804; prof. rel. March 1832; emb. with Lindley and others, Boston, Dec. 3, 1834; arr. Cape Town, Feb. 5, 1835; visited Dingaan Jan. 17, 1836; arr. Port Natal, May 21, 1836; commenced a station there; mission broken up Feb. 1838; returned to Natal, June 12, 1839; ord. Cape Town, Dec. 10, 1844; died at Umlazi, S. Africa, Dec. 16, 1851. (See Miss'y Herald Apr. 1852 p. 120)

Mrs. Adams (Sarah Carpenter VanTine) Cleveland, Ohio; born Pittsfield, N. Y., 1800 April 2, 1802; prof. rel. Auburn, N. Y. Feb. 1821; mar. Nov. 2, 1834; emb. Boston, Dec. 3, 1834; returned from ill health to U. S. 1855. She died at Cleveland, Ohio, Nov. 1, 1870. (See obituary notice in Herald for Jan. 1871 p. 28)


Jacob Ludwig Döhne, a native of Germany; left that country in 1836, as a missionary to South Africa, under the direction of the Berlin Miss. Soc.; after their mission in Caffraria was broken up by war in 1846, was for some time acting pastor of a Reformed Dutch Church, Petermaritzburg, S. Africa; appointed a missionary of the A.B.C.F. M. Dec. 10, 1850; released from its service Aug. 20, 1861. Died in Natal, So. Africa, June 1, 1879. (See Herald Oct. 1879)

Mrs. Döhne (Caroline ) probably a native of Germany.

Addenda to Vinton Book

Volume I

Jacob Ludwig DÖHNE born on 9 November 1811
at Ziegenberg, Hesse, Germany

died on 2 June 1879
at Fort Fine, Natal, South Africa

married 1. Bertha GÖHLER
        died on 3 Feb 1840
        at Stuttgarten, Cape Colony

2. Auguste KEMBLY
        died on 23 Sept 1846
        at Bethanie, Orange Free State

3. Caroline ElizabethWilhelmine
    WATERMEYER
    born 2 Nov 1817
    died 13 March 1888
    at Loddork, Natal Colony

1832 joined the Berlin Missionary Society
1836 sent to Southern Africa; soon located in Transkei
1838/9 married Bertha Göhler, who came from Germany
1844 occupied in the translation of the Bible into Xhosa.
1846-47 Second Boer War
1846 missionaries of Berlin Missionary Society flee from
    Transkei to Orange Free State, southern Africa.
    Döhne then moved to Natal, where he stayed on
    Pietempantlburg.
Jacob Ludwig DÖHNE continued

1847 appointed by British Government Minister to the Boers
in Pieternattyburg

1847 resigned from Berlin Missionary Society
1849 accepted into service of the American Board of
Commissioners for Foreign Missions (A. B. C. F. M.)
and began a mission station at Table Mountain
near Pieternattyburg

1858 published a Zulu-English Dictionary in Cape Town,
Cape Colony.

1861 returned to employ of Berlin Missionary Society
with the intention of working full-time on the trans-
lation of the Bible into Zulu

settled between Christenbure (New Germany)
and Durban, Natal, new missionaries coming
in Natal learned Zulu from him. The translation
of the Bible did not progress well.

1871 resigned from Berlin Missionary Society, partly
because of differences with the missionaries

1871 moved to Utrecht, Natal and then to

Buggarsberg, Glencoe, Natal.

1879 during the Zulu War he was forced to flee to

Fort Nieu, Natal

1879 died at Fort Nieu, buried on the farm "Kirkland,"
Dundee district, Natal.
Jacob Ludwig DÖHNE continued

Issue: 12 children

Benjamin b 23 Feb 1848
Bertha Amelia Christina 15 Nov 1849
Joseph Ludwig 29 July 1845
Caroline Wilhelmina Anna 3 June 1848
Lucy Johanna 23 Dec 1849
John George 27 May 1851
Gottfried Andreas 23 Feb 1853
Emelia Sophia 10 Aug 1855
Frederick Watermeier 28 July 1857
Louis Jakob 22 Feb 1859
Augusta Henrietta Maria twins b 23 March 1860
Beatrice Charlotte Louanna


Mrs. Lloyd (Catharine C. Parker) daughter of Willard Parker, M.D.; born Oct. 1834; prof. rel. Jan. 1856; mar. May 8, 1862; mar. a
Addenda to Newton Book

Volume I

Miss Charles H. Lloyd, born 3, born on 28 June 1841.
Katherine Cordine PARKER,
Daughter of Dr. Willard Parker.

She married 2ndly Newton Adams Lindley on 26 January 1876
near Inanda Mission Station, Natal.
She died on 4 July 1879 in New York, USA.

Newton Adams LINDLEY was born on 26 July 1841
in Pietemontzberg, Natal, southern Africa.
He was the son of Revd Daniel Lindley and
Mary (Allen) Lindley (ABC WM missionaries in Natal).
He qualified M.D. in 1869 after serving a preceptor
ship with Dr. Willard Parker of New York.
He worked in Inanda, Natal then in Newcastle, Natal
(c. 1870-1872), New York city, Florida (Jacksonville).
He died on 28 September 1876 in Staten Island, N.Y.

Ref: 1) Marriage certificate of Newton Adams Lindley and
Katherine Cordine Lloyd.
2) E.W. Smith "The Life and Times of Daniel Lindley
autumn, 1878, of yellow fever. Died in New York, July 23, 1879. (See Herald, Oct. 1879)

ASSISTANT MISSIONARIES


Gertrude R. Hence from Binghamton, N. Y.; born Brookdale, Susquehanna


Martha J. Lindley, dau. of Rev. Daniel Lindley;

Vis. U. S. 1876.

No evidence of appointment.


Fannie M. Morris, born Trenton, N. J., June 15, 1851. Prof. rel. 1866.

Sailed Boston, May 19, 1877. Ar. Jan. 1878 at Inanda; returned to U. S. arr. Quebec, June 8, 1881; released April 18, 1882. 1886 at Boston.


Mrs. Goodenough (Caroline Louise Leonard) born Bridgewater, Mass. Dec. 31, 1856; prof. rel. Oberlin, Ohio, 1874; educated Bridgewater High School and


William Cullen Wilcox (Transferred from East Cent. Africa Sept. 20, 1892)

This mission was commenced at Inhembane, July 1884.

MISSIONARIES


Pausimg before the ethnographic cases on the third floor of the King Building, the passer-by may examine the material culture of the Tonga and Zulu peoples of Southern Africa. For the past two years, a display of the crafts of traditional Africa has caught the eyes of the Oberlin community. In setting up the current displays of artifacts used for food production and preparation, portage and warfare, anthropology students have made excellent use of a valuable collection procured by the Rev. Erwin Hart Richards (Oberlin class of 1877) during his latter 19th and early 20th century missionary endeavors. These artifacts now play an important and continuing role in the anthropology program at the College. The materials derive from the Rev. Mr. Richards’ work among the Zulu of Natal, South Africa, and the Tonga of Mozambique. The department of Sociology-Anthropology now cares for this important array of Africana, and Oberlin Alumni will be interested in the donor of this collection and its cultural significance.

Although we have no evidence concerning Mr. Richards’ estimate of the long-term value of the items he collected, he obviously recognized their possible educational merit when he sent them to his alma mater. His early and continuing association with the College and town may explain how he came to contribute these artifacts to Oberlin.

Born in 1850 in Orwell, Ohio, Mr. Richards was the son of Samuel Newton Richards and Mary Jane Hart Richards. Several generations previously, the Richards and Harts had emigrated from Britain to Connecticut, and branches of each family finally settled in the Western Reserve. By the time he was six, young Richards had lost both of his parents to what his daughter identified as “galloping consumption.” Relatives took him in, but ultimately foster parents reared him on their farm near Cortland, Ohio. Childless themselves, his foster parents looked to the time when Erwin would assume responsibility for the farm.

But his anticipated farming life was given up at the urging of his maternal aunt, Anna Hart. She had graduated from Oberlin in 1868, and she encouraged her nephew to take up Oberlin’s life of learning and labor. As labor was necessary to pay his tuition and living expenses, his aunt assured Erwin that he might secure employment to support his studies. The new student arrived at the College in 1872 and he worked as a caretaker at the First Church, where he conveniently found living quarters. He entered school as a senior in the old preparatory department, then advanced to freshman status in 1873. Following a predictable curriculum, the young man graduated in 1877 and subsequently embarked on further study. In 1880, he received the A.M. from Oberlin, then the Bachelor of Sacred Theology from Andover Theological Seminary.

Following his education, he began his long career as a missionary in Africa. From 1880 to 1884, Mr. Richards and his wife, Mittie Bebout Richards who had been his classmate at Oberlin, held a post in Zululand in Natal. The Foreign Mission Board of the Congregational Church assigned them to this region, and during that period, Mr. Richards made excursions to Rhodesia to find additional mission stations. In 1884 he was reassigned to the vicinity of Inhambane. This town on the East African Coast is in the Portuguese territory of Mozambique, a colonial possession since the earliest voyages of discovery, but now a newly-independent nation. After some five years in Mozambique, the Richards and their young daughter returned to America for a leave in 1890. The young couple entrusted their daughter to the care of her maternal grandparents in Norwalk and returned to Mozambique in the same year. Mrs. Richards died of fever during this next period of service and Mr. Richards returned home to undertake a lecture tour for the Mission Board during 1895-97. At the end of this period, he married Carrie Duncanson and they set out for East Africa. Their only child was born in Durban, South Africa, three years later. In 1902, the Richards departed for a trip home, but death claimed Carrie Richards en route, and she was buried at sea. Not wishing to leave his second daughter in America and hoping to return to Mozambique, Mr. Richards again contemplated marriage. His close friend and ministerial colleague, R. G. McClelland, arranged a union, offering his own daughter, Mary Jane McClelland, some 30 years younger than her prospective husband. The new family set out for Inhambane for Mr. Richards’ final stint of missionary work, which concluded in 1908 with their return to Ohio. Eventually the family settled in Oberlin, making their home at 270 East College. For a number of years thereafter, Mr. Richards actively lectured around the country for the Mission Board of the Methodist Church, which he had joined some years later.
Before Erwin Richards died at his Oberlin home early in 1928, only months after celebrating with friends the 50th anniversary of the class of 1877.

During his years in Africa, Mr. Richards periodically sent back to the College various anthropological and zoological specimens. Among the latter were skulls of predators such as lion and leopard, as well as those of ruminants such as kudu, eland and hartebeest, replete with horns. These striking remains gradually accumulated in the museum, and today might surprise an unwary visitor to the storage rooms adjoining King 306. Anthropological items in these early accessions include traditional weaponry and hunting paraphernalia such as bows and arrows, spears, knives, clubs and shields. Mr. Richards in the 1860's also forwarded cooking implements and musical instruments such as gourd rattles and xylophones, or timbila, composed of ten hardwood keys set atop gourd resonators. Also among the materials the College received were African pillows—those famous small, gracefully-crafted wooden head supports. Some African peoples use them to protect elaborate coiffures from contact with the ground. Many of these first acquisitions are from the Zulu but they constitute only a fraction of the total inventory.

The greater proportion of this anthropological legacy derives from Tongaland in the vicinity of the missionary's central work. Mr. Richards' intermittent shipments to the College established the collection, which was completed in 1932 by his widow, Mary Jane, who donated most of what constitutes the present Richards collection. Older Oberlinians may remember when the collection was stored and displayed in the Second Church, which stood on the site of the present Conservatory of Music. Yet, for many years, this important resource lay hidden and unused until its rediscovery in the late 1960's by Oberlin anthropologists. In the last two years, through donations from Mr. Richards' grandchildren and departmental funds, Oberlin anthropologists can utilize the Richards Collection in their study of African material culture.

Placing particular articles in displays, as pictured on the accompanying pages, the anthropologist represents fundamental aspects of Tonga and Zulu life. Such museum exhibits aim at establishing the cultural context, which can present as precisely as possible the nature and function of the articles displayed. Anthropology students working on the Richards collection have thus created exhibits which explain physical aspects of workmanship and technology used in producing the pieces, as they also examine the social dimension of specialization and division of labor associated with their production. Such information cannot emerge simply by inspection of the artifacts themselves. To appreciate the cultural relevance of the material, the anthropologist requires ethnographic information about the people who produced the article.

Although we know nothing about the circumstances under which Mr. Richards acquired the present collection, which could help in its interpretation, a useful and extensive ethnographic literature on the Zulu supports this endeavor. However, a similar volume of anthropological materials on the Mozambique Tonga does not exist. Inference about the Inhambane objects may be advanced by examining available accounts of other southern Bantu peoples akin to the Tonga. Most notably, Henri Junod's The Life of a South African Tribe (1927), despite some obvious biases and limitations, stands as...
landmark of ethnographic reporting and has proven of great value to a later generation of African-oriented anthropologists.

This two-volume study by Junod, a Swiss missionary, focuses on the Tonga (or Thonga in Junod's now outmoded usage), a Bantu people of extensive distribution in Mozambique, Natal and the Transvaal. The Tonga are more numerous and more dispersed than the Tonga of the relatively restricted region of the Inhambane coastal area. Although Junod distinguishes the Tonga and Tsonga primarily on linguistic grounds, the two groups are contiguous and share a common pool of technological and material expertise characteristic of the southern Bantu generally. From Junod's photographs, sketches and descriptions of Tsonga material culture, together with other sources, we attempt to interpret the significance of our own Tonga artifacts.

Further, we can place the Richards Collection in a broader context for comparative purpose since the Tsonga/Tonga peoples form one among four large subdivisions of the southern Bantu. A second group is the Nguni, including the Zulu, Swazi and Ndebele. The Sotho, including the Tswana, constitute a third group. The smallest in number of the four groupings is the Venda. Designating these peoples as Bantu relies essentially on a linguistic classification. All four groups speak mutually unintelligible languages which are nonetheless related structurally. Even more important for discovering historical relations between them is the lexical connection, for the languages share a high proportion of words deriving from the same roots. In studying the collection, we find these connections helpful since we are interested in the larger setting, pursuing as we do the fundamental anthropological goal of comparison.

Despite important cultural and social features differentiating these southern Bantu peoples, they all share patterns of traditional subsistence and technology. The Tsonga/Tonga, like other southern Bantu, lived on a mixed economy of stock-keeping and horticulture. They raised varieties of grain, mostly sorghum and maize, and kept cattle and goats. This mixed economy was maintained through a repertoire of material culture, using carved wood, pottery, leather and iron.

An important dimension of Tonga and Zulu life is shown in the weaponry of the Richards collection, with its shields, spears, clubs, bows and arrows, knives, and battle axes. Some of these pieces, such as axes, were also important for wood-working or other domestic tasks far removed from warfare. Numerous spears, on the other hand, suggest martial activity. In southern Africa, the spears are known as assagais (the name derives from a type of dogwood tree which often provides the wood); the weapons display carefully worked double-edged iron blades hafted to wooden shafts by means of thin iron wire, sinew or bark fiber. Warriors hurled the longer spears, with comparatively shorter blades at enemies; they wielded the shorter spears, with blades relatively longer than those found on the throwing spears, in direct hand-to-hand combat.

Although the difference between these two types of spears may seem slight, the initial development and deployment of the shorter stabbing spear had profound consequences for the history of southern Africa. The technology underlying this history can be appreciated in the collection. Shaka, the famous early 19th century Zulu chief, introduced the shorter spear as he reorganized his military regiments, known as impis. Shaka created a full-time warrior force bivouacked throughout his domain. Once opponents released their conventional throwing spears, which were never particularly effective, Shaka's contingents could advance against their disarmed foes at close range with their longer-bladed spears in hand. Shaka's revolution in military tactics resulted in much bloodier conflict, and enabled him to consolidate the Zulu nation.

For whatever reasons, perhaps population pressures, warfare under Shaka had altered as it became an instrument for gaining land and extending political hegemony. Fundamental changes in the motives for war as well as in military organization had stimulated the "wars of wandering," or Mfecane, as they are known in Zulu. These wars are so designated because they triggered extensive population movements which fundamentally altered the political picture of southern Africa in the nineteenth century. Some Nguni survivors of the Zulu Mfecane adopted Zulu military tactics and organization, conquering peoples in Rhodesia, Malawi and Mozambique. Others copied Zulu techniques in an effort to withstand their expansion, and varieties of spear types of the sort represented in the Richards collection played no small role in these pivotal events.

In addition to these significant military pieces, one finds implements vital in Tonga food preparation in the current displays. As a people relying primarily on grain cultigens for their diet, the Tonga developed a material culture for preparing and serving the maize, millet and sorghum which form the grain staples of sub-Saharan Africa. Contemporary people at a rural market in Africa may purchase metal cups, plates and cooking pots, or even steel knives from Manchester. All of these might even be arrayed next to a case of Coca-Cola or nationally bottled European-style beer. The Richards collection reminds us of an earlier time when Western market items did not yet fully complement, much less supplant, indigenous crafts. The people Mr. Richards encountered clearly relied on their own highly functional traditional expertise. Men engaged in the manufacture of palm leaf baskets for winnowing and portage, wooden mortars and pestles for making meal, spoons, cups and bowls. Women used these implements and cooked the foods they prepared in clay pottery of their own manufacture. Without the use of a potter's wheel or coiling techniques, Tonga women produced pottery of fine shape and symmetry.

Tonga primarily directed food preparation toward the evening meal, consisting of a kind of porridge produced from prepared grains. The Tonga cook first husked, then winnowed and pounded the grain. She cooked the resulting ground meal in a clay pot, constantly stirring with a sort of four-bladed mixing stick. Sometimes she might steam the grain meal by sealing the normal crockery with ox dung. Tonga cuisine might be supplemented with beans and peas and en...
New proposal for Westervelt

by Steven McQuillen '75

I am proposing a new plan for the use of Westervelt Hall in downtown Oberlin. Apartments for students and faculty would be created in a completely-renovated interior. The exterior would be restored to its former beauty. The lawn in front of the building would be landscaped into a small park for the downtown area and the historic steeple would be rebuilt. The cost of this project would be financed from the rents generated by the apartments. This proposal has been presented to the College administration for its consideration and this article is part of an effort to present the proposal to the Oberlin community in an attempt to gain support for the project.

Westervelt was built more than 100 years ago at a cost of only $37,000 and it served as the Union School and later as the high school for the town of Oberlin. In the 1920's it was purchased by E. C. Westervelt for use as a private trades school. Mr. Westervelt soon gave up his school and donated the building to Oberlin College which was then in need of classroom space because it had just torn down all the buildings in Tappan Square in order to qualify for funds from the estate of Charles Martin Hall.

The College spent $30,000 to renovate the interior and otherwise improve the building. After the first part of the King Building was opened in 1941, Westervelt Hall was abandoned and it has not been used since except for occasional storage. The building is of no real use to the College in its present state and the Board of Trustees has directed that the building be disposed of in a way that would benefit the town of Oberlin. Since the early 1960's there has been much discussion as to how the building, or its site, could best serve the community and the College.

When I came to Oberlin in the fall of 1971, the decision had just been made to preserve both Peters Hall and Warner Center (then called Warner Gym) by shifting the location of the then-proposed Seeley G. Mudd Learning Center. Then, with a strong spirit of preservation, the Space Utilization Committee was formed and I became a member. Richard P. Dober, a well-known and respected planner, was hired by the committee to study academic buildings and make proposals concerning the best utilization of the present facilities.

Dober suggested that Westervelt could become the town’s library. This was quickly proved unfeasible because neither the funds for renovation nor for operation of a separate facility were within the means of the Oberlin Public Library.

In an effort to resolve the issue of Westervelt Hall at no cost to the College, the trustees authorized President Fuller in 1973 to offer to give the building to the City of Oberlin with the understanding that the city would use it for public or a combination of public-private purposes. The College administration also was authorized to negotiate a contract with the city which would provide a “significant return to the College” if the city should elect to sell the building.

The hope was, among people interested in saving the building, that Westervelt Hall would be renovated for use as a city hall. The city had preliminary plans drawn up and they compared very favorably to the cost of building a new city hall. However, there was no consensus on whether the issue of providing a new city hall was of prime importance and the funds necessary to do a complete renovation were not available.

Since 1973 the city has backed away from the issue of building any type of city hall and it now is spending funds allocated for this purpose on a new fire station. It is unrealistic, therefore, to hope that Westervelt will become Oberlin’s city hall in the foreseeable future. Meantime, though City Council passed an emergency ordinance in April 1973 accepting Westervelt from the College, the deed still is held by the College because neither the city nor the College has been able to get together to discuss what a “significant return” would be if the city were to sell the property.

My feeling is that it would be a mistake to give the building to the town under any circumstances which permit the building to be torn down. I hope that my proposal will encourage the College to withdraw its 1973 offer.

Last year, Westervelt Hall was listed in the National Register of Historic Buildings, and, through the efforts of Assoc. Economics Prof. David Segal and former Administrative Vice President Bayley Mason, it was awarded a federal matching grant of $7,500 for restoration work. This money, although not a large amount, would
George Albert Wilder. Transferred to this mission May 16, 1893 (see page 23)

Vis. U. S. arr. N. Y. June 18, 1901: re-emb. Boston, April 7, 1903; vis. U.S.
home July 22, 1919: sailed Sept. 30, 1920; arr. Dec. 1920; left field Oct. 15,
1924; arr. home Jan. 6, 1925. Retired after 44 years of service, Dec. 8, 1925.
Died Dec. 28, 1935 at Glen Ridge, N. J.

Mrs. Wilder (Alice Coit Scamman) Transferred from the Zulu mission May 16,
1893. (See page 23) Vis. U. S. arr. N. Y. June 18, 1901: re-emb. Boston,
April 7, 1903; vis. U. S. arr. N. Y. Sept. 4, 1909. Sailed etc. as above.
EASTERN ASIA
CANTON MISSION

The attention of the Board was called to China by the urgent representations of Rev. Robert Morrison, many years missionary of the London Missionary Society at Canton, and of D. W. C. Olyphant, Esq. an eminent Christian merchant in that place. Great difficulties were known to exist in the way of missions to that empire; but a beginning was at length made by sending Rev. Elijah C. Bridgman as a missionary to Canton. He sailed from New York in the ship Roman, Oct. 14, 1829. In the same ship went Rev. David Abeel, under a commission from the American Seaman's Friend Society, as a missionary to sea-men at Canton and vicinity who might speak the English language, but with a conditional appointment from the Board to take effect at the end of one year. These missionaries went out unmarried, and arrived at Canton, Feb. 19, 1830.

The death of Mr. Bonney, July 1864, and of Dr. Ball, March 1866, and the departure of their widows and of Mr. and Mrs. Vrooman, left the Board without a missionary there, and the Canton mission was discontinued in October 1866.

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Elijah Coleman Bridgman was the founder of this mission, and was a member of it till 1854, when he was transferred to Shanghai. For further notices of him, see North China Mission. Dr. Bridgman with wife went to Shanghai, June 23, '47, to rep. Canton, in Com. of Delegates for translation of New Testament. Remained until Feb. 3, 1852, when he and wife ret. to U.S. Ret. to Shanghai, May 3, '53. Died, Nov. 2, 1861.

David Abeel was appointed missionary to the Chinese in Oct. 1830. After spending some years in missionary labors elsewhere, he arr. at Canton, Feb. 20, 1839; removed to Amoy, 1842. See Amoy Mission. Died, Sept. 4, 1846.
Edwin Stevens, born New Canaan, Ct. Aug. 1801; grad. Yale Coll. 1828; tutor there 1831; studied Theol. at New Haven till 1831; went out under the direction of the American Seaman's Friend Society, as chaplain to seamen at Canton, at which port he arrived in Nov. 1832; spent three years at Canton in that capacity. Agreeably to an understanding to the effect before he went out, he was appointed a missionary of the A.B.C.F.M. July 7, 1835, and made several exploring missionary voyages among the Chinese. While prosecuting one of these voyages, he was attacked with fever at Singapore, and died there, Jan. 5, 1837. He was unmarried.

Peter Parker, M.D. b. at Framingham, Mass, June 18, 1804; grad. Yale Coll. 1831; at Theol. Sem. New Haven 1834; studied at New Haven Medical School and received the degree of M.D. in 1834; ord. Philadelphia, May 16, 1834; emb. New York, unmarried, June 3, 1834; ar. Canton, Oct. 26, 1834; went to Singapore to acquire the Fuhkien dialect, returned to Canton Sept. 1835, opened a Dispensary in Canton and had 300 patients in Nov. 1835; embarked Canton (Macao) July 3, 1837, in ship Morrison, owned by Talbot, Olyphant & Co. in company with Mr. King, a partner in said house; Mrs. King and Mr. Samuel Wells Williams of the mission, with seven Japanese sailors on board, for Japan, to ascertain what openings there might be for commercial intercourse, and eventually for missionary labor among the people of that empire. The ship arrived in the Bay of Yedo, July 31, and in the Bay of Kagosima, Aug. 10; but was fired upon in both instances, and no communication permitted with the shore. The ship returned to Canton, Aug. 29. This was probably the first attempt to introduce Christianity into Japan, since the expulsion of the Jesuits two centuries before.

Dr. Parker ar. New York, Dec. 10, 1840; re-emb. with a wife, Boston, June 13, 1842; ar. Macao, Oct. 4, at Canton, Nov. 5, 1842. The Hospital under his care received more than 1600 patients in one year, making 16,000
Dr. Parker was released from his connection with the Board in 1847, having accepted the appointment of Secretary of Legation to the U.S. Embassy to China. He continued his labors in the Hospital as before. He was afterwards U. S. Commissioner to China. He returned to U.S. in 1857. 1858-1878 resident of Washington, D.C. Died Jan. 10, 1888 at Washington.

Mrs. Parker (Harriet Colby, dau. of John Ordway and Rebecca Guild (Sewell) Webster) born Gardner, Me. May 16, 1818; mar. Mar. 29, 1841; emb. Boston, June 13, 1842; ar. Canton, Nov. 5. She was the first foreign lady who became a permanent resident in Canton. Released, 1847. 1878 in Washington, D.C.

Ira Tracy was a missionary at Canton from his arrival at that place, Oct. 26, 1833, till his departure for Singapore, May 1834. For a further notice of him see Mission to Singapore. Died, Bloomington, Wis., Nov. 10, 1875.

Mrs. Ball, M.D. Charleston, S.C., b. West Boylston, Mass.; June 3, 1796; prof. rel. Hadley, Mass., 1815; spent two years at Yale Coll., then engaged in teaching in South Carolina, and grad. Union Coll. 1826; pursued Theological studies at New Haven and Andover; licensed to preach 1828; ord. Shutesbury, 1831. After this, taught an academy in Charleston, S.C., pursued the study of medicine with reference to foreign missionary work, and received the degree of M.D. from the Medical Institution at Charleston. Relinquishing flattering financial prospects in S. Carolina, he came North to engage in the service of the A.B.C.F.M., but was detained a whole year by the commercial crisis of 1837. (Appt 1836) He sailed with four other missionaries and their wives from New York May 25, 1838; ar. Singapore, Sept. 17, 1838. In June 1841, he went to Macao, for the benefit of Mrs. Ball's health; remained there till April 1843, when he removed to Hongkong. In 1845, he removed to Canton. He sailed for U.S. February 1854; re-emb. June 11, 1856; ar. Macao Canton, March 23, 1857. He died at Canton March 27, 1866, ae. 70, after a service of nearly 28 years. See Obituary in Herald, Vol. 62, pp 259-262.
Mrs. Ball (Lucy H. Mills) b. New Haven, Ct., Dec. 16, 1807; mar. 1827; emb. May 25, 1838; died, after a long illness at Hongkong, June 6, 1844.

Mrs. Ball (Isabella Robertson) born in Scotland in 1816; mar. at Canton, Feb. 26, 1846. After the death of Dr. Ball, she returned to her native land. 1878 residing in Hongkong, with her son. Died Sept. 25, 1909.

James Granger Bridgman, born Amherst, Mass. Dec. 1820; grad. Amherst Coll. 1842; went to China, and ar. at Hongkong Feb. 19, 1844; appointed a missionary of the Board, Nov' 25, 1845; ord. Canton, May 31, 1846. In consequence of severe study and impaired health, a feeling of despondency came over him; and during temporary aberration of mind, he inflicted on himself a wound, Dec. 1, 1850, which resulted in his death, Dec. 6, 1850. He was not married; his age was 30. He was much esteemed and beloved. Mr. B. edited Chinese Repository from May 1847 to Sept. 1848.

Samuel William Bonney, son of Rev. William Bonney, born New Canaan, Ct., March 8, 1815; prof. rel. Allen St. Church, New York City, Jan. 1838; studied a few months in New York University 1840; Lane Sem. 0, 1841-1844; went as a teacher to China, and ar. Hongkong, March 10, 1845; was at Canton, 1846; appointed an assistant missionary of the Board Oct. 6, 1846; assistant missionary and licensed preacher till 1856; mingled much with the people; in 1847, had visted every house in 24 streets, numbering about 700 houses and shops. Visited his native land 1854; ord. 1856; re-emb. with wife, New York, Aug. 4, 1856; ar. Hongkong, Dec. 1, 1856; resided nearly two years at Macao, on account of the war; returned to Canton near the close of 1858; died of bilious fever, at Canton, July 27, 1864. (See Obituary Herald, Vol.60 p. 374.)

In April 1863, went to Peking under Woman's Union Miss. Soc. Removed to Shanghai, Aug. '70. Returned to U. S. Sept. 1371. Published, 1375, a "Legacy of Historical Gleanings", 2 vol. 1873, in Albany, N. Y. Ditto 1383.

William Allen Macy was a missionary at Canton from his appointment, 1349, till his removal to Shanghai, in 1858. For further notice see North China Mission. Died, Shanghai, April 9, 1859.


Mrs. Vrooman (Elizbeth C. Pitkin, dau. of Rev. Caleb Pitkin) Hudson, Ohio; born Akron, Summit Co., O., June 14, 1826; prof. rel. 1848; mar. Oct. 24, 1851, see above; emb. New York Dec. 4, 1851; died June 17, 1854.


Mrs. Brewster (Mary Gray Byrne) b. Windham, Ct. May 10, 1828; prof. rel. Nov. 1851; mar. April 13, 1852; emb. Boston, July 31, 1852. After the death of Mr. Brewster, she mar. Rev. Charles Finney, Preston, of the Presbyterian Board, Dec. 19, 1854. 1877, still at Canton. Mr. Preston died July, 1877; Mrs. P. ret. to U.S., Oct. '77. May 1878, she is in San Francisco, has charge of the Woman's Home, for Chinese women and girls.

MISSIONARY PHYSICIAN


ASSISTANT MISSIONARIES

Samuel Wells Williams L.L.D. born Utica, N.Y., Sept. 21, 1812; learned the printer's trade; emb. New York, June 15, 1833; arrived Canton, Oct. 26, 1833; was the missionary printer at Canton, but was otherwise active and useful in the mission; was one of the party on board of ship Morrison, in her remarkable voyage to Japan, July and Aug. 1837; visited the U.S. 1845. While in this country he wrote and published, in two large volumes, 12 mo. a work on China, entitled "The Middle Kingdom" &c, containing a large amount of information touching that empire. He re-emb. with wife, New York, June 1, 1848; ar.
Canton, Sept. 15, 1848. He continued in the same relation to the mission, till 1857, when he resigned his position, in consequence of having accepted the post of Secretary in the legation of the United States. The Honorary Degree of Doctor of Laws was conferred on him by Williams College in 1854.


April, 1873, residing in New Haven, Conn. (Graduated Remereleea Inst. Troy, N.Y.)

Died February 16, 1874.

Mrs. Williams (Sarah Symonds Walworth) Plattsburgh, N.Y., born there Nov. 6, 1815; mar. Nov. 25, 1844; emb. New York, June 1, 1848; ar. Canton, Sept. 15, 1848; released 1857. April 1878, residing in New Haven, Conn. Mrs. W. d. Jan. 26, 1881

Canton Mission relinquished in October, 1866.
AMOY MISSION

This was an outgrowth from the Canton Mission, and was begun by Mr. David Abeel of that mission in Feb. 1842. It was conducted wholly by members of the Reformed Dutch Church, and on the separation of that church from the American Board of Foreign Missions, this mission was transferred to the Missionary Board of that Church. The separation was agreed to in September 1857, and the final transfer effected March 23, 1858.

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David Abeel, born New Brunswick, N.J., June 12, 1804; grad. Seminary of the Reformed Dutch Church, New Brunswick, 1826; embarked with Mr. Elijah C. Bridgman, New York, Oct. 14, 1829; went out with a commission from the American Seaman's Friend Society, as a missionary to seamen at Canton and vicinity; continued in that employ till Dec. 27, 1830; (arr. at Canton Feb. 19, 1830; appointed a missionary of the A.B.C.F.M. Oct. 1830;) sailed from Canton, Dec. 28, 1830 for Java, to ascertain the condition of the Dutch Churches on that Island; (arr. at Angier in Java, Jan. 17, 1831; arr. Batavia, Jan. 21; arr. Singapore, June 15, 1831; arr. Bangkok, in Siam, July 1, 1831; returned to Singapore, Nov. 1832; left Siam Autumn of 1833 in impaired health, and arr. New York Sept. 6, 1834; after a visit to England, France and Holland; returned New York in ship Morrison for Canton, Oct. 17, 1838; arr. Canton, April 26, 1839; continued there Feb. 1842; when he commenced a new station along the island half a mile from Amoy; where, and at Amoy, he "found abundant opportunities for preaching"; left China from enfeebled health, Jan. 10, 1845; arr. New York April 3, 1845; died Albany, Sept. 3, 1846. He published, 1834, a "Journals of a Residence in China and the Neighboring Islands."

See next page
Rt. Hon. Doty, born at Bernville, N.Y., Sept. 20, 1809; prof. rel. Nov. 1827; grad. Rutgers Coll. New Brunswick, N.J., 1833; seminary of Ref. Dutch Church New Brunswick, 1835; ord. Bernville, May 16, 1836; emb. with Messrs. Ennis, Nevins, and Youngblood, New York, June 8, 1836; ar. Batavia, Sept. 15, 1836; visited and explored Borneo, Oct. and Nov. 1838; ar. Sambas on the island of Borneo, June 17, 1839, and commenced a mission there; removed to Pontianak, on the same island, Aug. 1841; joined Mr. Abeel at Amoy, June 22, 1844; vis. U.S. March 7, 1846; re-emb. Boston, April 15, 1847; ar. Amoy, Aug. 18, 1847; Amoy taken by the insurgents, May 29, 1853; retaken by the imperialists, Nov. 11, 1855; Mr. Doty's connection with the A.B.C.F.M. dissolved at his request, March 23, 1858. Died at sea, near New York, 1865.


William John Pohlman, born Albany, N.Y., Feb. 17, 1812; graduated Rutgers Coll. New Brunswick, 1834; sem. at N. Brunswick 1837; ord. Emb. with Mr. Thomson, New York, May 25, 1838; ar. Singapore, Sept. 17, 1838; with Mr. Doty visited and explored Borneo, Oct. and Nov. 1838; returned with him to Singapore, Dec. 3, 1838; resided a year in Batavia, in compliance with an ordinance of the Dutch government; joined Mr. Doty at Sambas, in Borneo, 1839; removed to Pontianak, Aug. 5, 1841; left that place with Mr. Doty, April 8, 1844; and with him ar. at Amoy, June 22, 1844; drowned on the passage from Hong-Kong to Amoy, Jan. 5, 1849. "The first instance in which a missionary of the Board has perished by the dangers of the sea." Annual Report for 1849.
Mrs. Pohlman (Theodosia R. Scudder) New York City; b. Freehold, N.J.,
Jan. 26, 1811; mar. ; died Amoy, Sept. 30, 1845.

John Van Nest Talmage, D.D. born Somerville, Somerset Co., N.J., Aug. 18,
1819; prof. rel. June 1837; grad. Rutgers Coll. New Brunswick, 1842; Sem-
inary of Ref. Dutch Church, New Brunswick, 1845; ordained Williston, N.J.,
Aug. 1846; emb. Boston, April 15, 1847; then unmarried; ar. Amoy, Aug. 18, 1847;
released with the other Amoy missionaries, March 23, 1858. 1878, at Amoy.
Died in Bound Brook, N.J., Aug. 19, 1892.

Mrs. Talmage (Abby F. ) Elizabethtown, New Jersey; b.
Arrived Amoy July 16, 1850;
1850; emb. New York, March 19, 1850./Died there, Feb. 10, 1862.

John Sansome Joralmon Newark, N.J.; born New York City, Oct. 30, 1828;
at Newark, N.J.; emb. New York, Oct. 25, 1855; ar. Shanghai, Feb. 25, 1856;
Ret.: U.S. June 1858;
at Amoy ; released March 23, 1858;/ 1871 at Fairview, Ill. 1878
still there.

Mrs. Joralmon (Martha Bogart Condit) Newark, N.J.; b. Chatham, N.J., July 6,
1833; mar. Oct. 23, 1855; emb. Oct. 25, 1855. 1878, at Fairview, Ill., and
1883.
The "Opium War" of 1840-1, being over, and a treaty of peace having been concluded between China and Great Britain, on the 20th of August, 1842, by which five of the principal ports of the empire, Canton, Amoy, Fuh-Chau, Ningpo, and Shanghai, were opened to commerce and Christian effort, the Missionary Societies of England and America were not slow in availing themselves of their opportunity.

Messrs. Johnson and Peet, who had been laboring among the Chinese in Siam, left that kingdom August 12, 1846, with the view of entering one of the inviting fields, thus opened in China. They arrived in Canton, Nov. 2, in that year, Mr. Johnson left Canton, Nov. 23; and after some delays, he immediately made preparations for a mission there. He reached Fuh-Chau, Jan. 2, 1847. Mr. Peet joined him, Sept. 6, 1847.

MISSIONARIES


Mrs. Johnson (Caroline M. Selmar) born in Stockholm, Sweden, Dec. 8, 1808; mar. Ningpo, China, Sept. 17, 1849. (Only the third wife of Mr. Johnson was a member of the Fuh-Chow Mission.)


Mrs. Peet (Rebecca Clemens Sherrill) born Orwell, Vt. Dec. 3, 1810; mar. April 14, 1839; emb. July 6, 1839; died Fuh-Chau July 17, 1856.


Mrs. Doolittle (Lucy Emeline Mills) Buffalo, N.Y.; born Guilford, Chenango Co., N.Y. March 13, 1827; prof. rel. 1841; accompanied her brother, Rev. Charles R. Mills, missionary of the Presbyterian Board, to Shanghai, China, where they arrived in Feb. 1857; mar. at Shanghai, Jan. 1859; returned to U. States July 18, 1864; died at Rutland, Jefferson Co., N.Y. Aug. 12, 1865.


Died Fuh-Chau Jan. 30, 1905. (See April 1905 Herald, p. 166)


MISSIONARY PHYSICIAN


Mrs. Osgood (Helen Woolley Cristy) born Charlestown, Mass. April 9, 1846; converted in a revival in New York City, 1858; prof. rel. Broome Street Church.
New York 1859. studied at Normal School, New Britain, Ct.; a teacher in this country: mar. at Greenwich, Conn. Oct. 28, 1869; sailed as above. Greenwich, Ct., has been residence of her parents since 1860, as New York was during ten years previous. Jan. 1878, still at FooChow (Nantai). Returned to U. S. arr. May 8, 1881: released 1881: 1888 Bridgeport, Ct. Died April 1911, New Haven, Conn. (See Herald 1911, p. 285)

ASSISTANT MISSIONARIES


(Foochow Mission)


FOOCHOW MISSION

ASSISTANT MISSIONARIES


Shanghai, the most northerly of the Five Ports opened to European and American commerce by the treaty of 1842, and situated near the mouth of the great river Yangtse-kiang, is a large and populous city, and in the midst of a great population. Mr. Bridgman went there in June 1847, to be employed with missionaries from other societies. English and American, in a revision of the Chinese version of the scriptures. He was thus employed at Shanghai nearly all the time until his death in 1861, except the interval occupied by his visit to this country in 1852. Tientsin, eighty miles south-east from Peking, was first occupied by Mr. Blodget in Sept. 1860.

MISSIONARIES

Elijah Coleman Bridgman, D.D., born in Belchertown, Mass. April 22, 1801. prof. rel. April 1814; grad. Amherst College 1826; Andover Sem. 1829; ord. Belchertown, Oct. 6, 1829; sailed from New York for Canton, with Rev. David Abeel, Oct. 14, 1829. He had been expecting to go as a missionary to Greece, a country then occupying largely the public attention. But the Board, wishing to send a missionary to Canton, in fulfilment of the urgent requests of Rev. Robert Morrison, who had many years been a missionary of the London Society there, and in compliance with the earnest desires of three christian merchants in that place, urged during several preceding years (from 1827) and a free passage being offered in the ship Roman, Cap. Levender, belonging to these merchants: Mr. Everts, then corresponding secretary of the A.B.C.F.M. who was at Andover, Sept. 23, 1829: attending the Anniversary of the Theological Seminary, proposed to Mr. Bridgman, of the graduating class of that day, to go as a missionary to Canton, and gave him three days to consider the question. Within twenty-four hours Mr. Bridgman decided to go: end, it is believed, never regretted the decision. The decision was the result of earnest, fervent prayer to God. Three weeks after, he embarked for China.
He arrived in Canton, February 19, 1830; and was heartily welcomed by Dr. Morrison. (Dr. Morrison died Aug. 1, 1834 in the 27th year of his missionary life.) He immediately commenced the study of that most difficult language, with a veteran native teacher; preaching on the sabbath, after Mr. Steele's departure, to seamen and others speaking the English language. He operated, as far as circumstances allowed, through the press and the distribution of books. But obstacles presented themselves on all sides. In March 1839, the difficulties which led to the "opium war" commenced. The hospital was closed, and missionary operations in Canton ceased. A powerful British armament took possession of the port and river in June 1840, and soon after demolished all the defences and took possession of the city without the loss of a man. During two years preceding April 2, 1841, Mr. Bridgman was at Macao, near Canton. A Chinese Christomathy, 730 pages, prepared by him was printed at Canton by Mr. Williams in 1842. He baptized and admitted to the church a Chinese convert for the first time, May 3, 1847. He arrived at Shanghai, June 23, 1847. At that place he remained most of his subsequent life, engaged with other missionaries, English and American, in a revision of the Chinese scriptures. In 1852, he with his wife visited the U. States; re-emb. New York Oct. 11, 1852; ar. Canton, April 2, 1853. He was formally transferred from the Canton to the Shanghai Mission Sept. 2, 1854; and died at Shanghai after 32 years faithful service, Nov. 2, 1861.


Died May 23, 1903, Bridgeport Ct. (See July 1903 Herald, page 293)

Mrs. Blodget (Sarah Franklin Ripley) Greenfield, Mass.; born March 12, 1825 (?


William Allen Macy, born New York City, Jan. 29, 1825; grad. Yale Coll. 1844; went to China in 1845; conditionally appointed 1849; licensed preacher at Canton; returned to U. S. 1849; re-appointed Nov. 22, 1853; ord. New Haven, Jan. 1854; emb. New York, Nov. 8, 1854; ar. Canton, April 9, 1855; transferred to Shanghai mission, Jan. 1858; died of smallpox at Shanghai April 9, 1859. Unmarried.

Coll. 1859: Lane Sem. 1861; ord. Waynesville, June 17, 1861; emb. Boston, July 1, 1862; ar. Shanghai Dec. 23, 1862; ar. Tientsin, March 13, 1863; vis. 1872; returned to Tientsin, Nov. 13, 1873. At Tientsin, 1873-1878.


Mrs. Goodrich (Justina E. Wheeler) (See Mission to Japan) Mar. May 30, 1878; and died Sept. 4, 1878.


he had spent more than a year at Kanagawa, Japan, and twenty months at Canton, China, teaching and studying the Japanese and Chinese languages; at Kalgan 1869. Returned to U. S. Sept. 1875. At home Jan. 1876. 1888 at 19 Kendall Street, Worcester, Mass. Died April 24, 1916 in Worcester.

Chester Holcombe, son of Rev. Chester Holcombe, Atlanta, Georgia; born Winfield, Herkimer Co., N. Y. Oct. 16, 1842; consecrated to the missionary work by his mother before his birth; prof. rel. Webster, Monroe Co., N. Y. Feb. 1855; grad. Union Coll. 1861; was engaged in teaching and missionary work for the American Sunday School Union in Georgia; studied Theology under private teachers; ord. Lyons, N. Y. Dec. 1. 1868; emb. New York Feb. 9, 1869 for China, by way of Panama and San Francisco; ar. Shanghai April 10; ar. Peking April 27, 1869. Appointed Sec'y and Interpreter to U. S. Legation to succeed Dr. S. Wells Williams. Released May 1, 1877. Jan. 1878, still in Peking. A corporate member of Bd. from 1888 to death. Died at Lyons, N. Y. April 1912.


Mrs. Whiting (Lucy Eliza Jackson) born Norwalk, Huron Co., Ohio, Jan. 2, 1843; converted, summer of 1865; prof. rel. Norwalk, O. Sept. 3, 1865; studied Norwalk
High School and Oberlin Conservatory; final decision to go to the heathen made July 3, 1867; married, Norwalk July 28, 1869; sailed as above. Released as above 1871. 1877, still in Peking.


Daniel Charles McCoy, born in Clayton, Adams Co., Ill. May 30, 1836; converted in a revival at Clayton, winter of 1853; prof. rel. Clayton 1853; studied at Clayton Academy and at Yellow Springs Academy, Kossuth, Iowa; one year in Knox College, Galesburg, Ill.; three years in Auburn Theol. Sem. ending May 6, 1869; like the preceding, received $250 annually during the seminary course from William E. Dodge of New York; assisted himself by teaching; was an agent of the Am. Bible Society two years; licensed by Schuyler Presbytery Sept. 1, 1869, and ordained same day, at Clayton; sailed with other missionaries (see above) from San Francisco Oct. 4, 1869; ar. at Peking, China, Nov. 29, 1869; released 1871, to be connected with Presbyterian Board.

Mrs. McCoy (America H. Pollock) dau. of Samuel Pollock, now of Burlington, Iowa; born at Hart Mills, Ripley Co., Ind., Dec. 2, 1842; prof. rel. Feb. 1861; studied Yellow Springs Academy, Kossuth, Iowa; a teacher; married Burlington, Iowa July 14, 1869; sailed as above. 1877, Mr. and Mrs. M. still in Peking. Released as above.


Jan. 12, 1882 (See Miss. Herald May 1882)


Mrs. Smith (Emma Dickinson) born near Janesville, Wis. Oct. 23, 1849; prof. rel. 1864; educated at Beloit High School and Fox Lake Sem., grad. there 1869 (and Oberlin College one winter) mar. Sept. 7, 1872; ar. Tientsin Aug. 17, 1872.


MISSIONARY PHYSICIAN

Arthur Otis Treat, M.D., son of Rev. Selah Burr Treat, Home Secretary of the A.B.C.F.M.; born Newark, N. J., Feb. 28, 1840; prof. rel. Essex St. Ch., Boston, January 2, 1859; grad. Williams Coll. 1863; received his medical education in
Boston and New York; emb. New York, Sept. 21, 1867; reached Peking Dec. 6, 1867.

He first indulged the Christian hope during a revival in Boston 1858. He studied six years in the Boston Latin School, four years in Williams Coll. two years in the Harvard Medical college in Boston, and two years in the Bellevue Medical Coll. New York, graduating there Feb. 1866. Near the close of the late war, he was an acting assistant surgeon four months in the army.

His father, Rev. S. B. Treat, grad. Yale Coll. 1824; mar. Dec. 25, 1827; practiced law several years; resided in what is now South Windsor, Ct. from 1836 to 1830; in Penn Yan, Yates Co., N. Y. from 1831 to 1833, and there first united with the church of Christ; was a member of the Andover Sem. 1833-35; ordained pastor, Newark, N. J. March 23, 1836; removed to New York, and was editor of Biblical Repository 1840-42; came to Boston March 1843, and was editor of the Missionary Herald; in Sept. 1843 was elected Recording Secretary of the A.B.C.F.M. and since Sept. 1847 has been one of its secretaries for correspondence, still residing in Boston. Died March 28, 1877.

Dr. Treat, at first stationed at Peking, was at Tientsin 1869; with Mr. Goodrich and Mr. Pierson commenced a new station at Yu Cho in the interior Nov. 10, 1870. Remained at Yu cho nearly two years. At Pao-ting-fu with Mr. Pierson from summer of 1872 to the end of 1873. Impaired health occasioned his return to U. S. the following spring. He reached Boston May 30, 1874. Released by Prudential Committee Oct. 16, 1877. April 1878, residing in Boston. Died June 20, 1880 at Luzerne, N. Y.

ASSISTANT MISSIONARIES


Chinese Rice Hunt, Bath, N. Y.; born Arlington, Vt. Jan. 30, 1816; prof. rel. 26th June 1831; learned the printer's trade. emb. Boston July 30, 1839; ar. as March 19, 1840. He took charge of the large printing establishment of the A.B.C.F.M. at that place, and conducted it with great ability and success twenty-seven years. For the amount of work done in that establishment, see Madras Mission. On the relinquishment of the Madras Mission, 1866, Mr. and Mrs. Hunt being the only missionaries of the Board then and there remaining, they came to the U. States June 26, 1867. Being transferred to the North China Mission, they embarked at New York March 21, 1868, for said mission, by way of Aspinwall and San Francisco; ar. Shanghai May 19 and reached Peking June 13, 1868; was there 1872. Jan. 1878, still at Peking. Died Peking May 30, 1878, typhus fever.

Mr. Hunt also visited the U. S. in 1854; re-emb. June 2, 1855, and reached Madras, July 27, 1855.


Died Peking, March 29, 1877. (Obit in Miss. Herald. vol. 73, p. 210)
Gilbert Tompkins Holcombe, brother of Chester Holcombe, missionary of the Board; born Winfield, Herkimer Co., N. Y. May 12, 1845; prof. rel. Newark, N. J. April 1, 1864; studied Union Coll. a year and a half; and half a year at Chicago Theol. Sem.; emb. New York with his brother Feb. 9, 1869; purposing to intinerate in China, and sell Bibles and Tracts; ar. Peking April 27. Returned to U. S. 1870. 1878, acting pastor Elkhart, Ind. 1883 Glenwood, Iowa.

Mary Anica Thompson, born Mullenville, Saratoga Co., N. Y. Jan. 12, 1845; studied at Grove Hill Seminary, New Haven, Ct., where in the autumn of 1860 she was hopefully converted; prof. rel. at Rosendale, Wisconsin, the residence of her parents, Nov. 3, 1861; sailed with Messrs Whiting, Sheffield and McCoy and their wives for China from San Francisco Oct. 4, 1869. Returned to U. S. in ill health, 1872.


Sailed from San Francisco Oct. 1, 1872. Reached Tung-cho Nov. 22. Has
stayed there, to present time, (Jan. 1878). Vis. U. S. arr; July 3, 1883; re-
emb. San Francisco Sept. 2, 1884. Dec. 1885 at Tung-cho. Vis. the U. S. in
1893; re-emb. San Francisco Aug. 7, 1894. Vis. U. S. arr. San Francisco June 9,
1903. Died Charlestown, N. H. Sept. 9, 1904. (See Oct. 1904 Herald)

S. Dwight Porter, M.D., son of Rev. Jeremiah Porter, born Green Bay, Wis.,
Aug. 19, 1845. Prof. rel. March 1857; grad. Beloit Coll. 1867; grad. Andover
1870; grad. Chicago Medical Coll. 1872; ord. May 29, 1872. Sailed San Francisco
U. S. Nov. 23, 1878; re-emb. San Francisco Sept. 13, 1879; arr. Shanghai Oct. 16.
Francisco April 5, 1890; Vis. U. S. arr. N. Y. June 13, 1901. Died Oct. 23,
1916. (See Miss'y Herald 1916, p. 542)

Porter (Elizabeth Colton Chapin) born Milwaukee, Wis., Nov. 27, 1848; prof.
rel. June 28, 1868; studied Beloit High School, Rockford Fem. Sem., Miss
Porter's Sch., Farmington, Ct.; mar. April 2, 1879; emb. San Francisco Sept. 13,
cisco May 23, 1888; re-emb. San Francisco April 5, 1890. Vis. U. S. arr. San

Myron Winslow Hunt (son of P. R. Hunt); born Madras, India Dec. 5, 1846. Prof.
Falls City, Neb. 1881, Aug. 10, leaving 3 children, Myron, Jesse and dau.
Mary, who are now, Mar. 1901, Mary and Jesse with the mother in Cleveland, O.
Son is in Melia, Montana.

Usry Hunt (Laura A. White) born Sinclairville, N. Y. Mar. 10, 1849; prof. rel.
March 1866. Educated, Norwalk (O.) High School. Teacher! Mar. May 28, 1873,


A course of time married a Mr. Rensselle R. Herrick. He has since died and
she is now, 1901, living 726 East Prospect St., Cleveland, O.

1870; grad. at Andover 1873, having been at New Haven Sem. part of the
course. Ord. May 8, 1873. Sailed from New York Jan. 28, 1874, and reached
Francisco May 28, 1889; re-emb. N. Y. Mar. 11, 1891; arr. Tientsin May 8, 1891;
vis. U. S. arr. N. Y. Oct. 9, 1900; one of the party which escaped from China
through Mongolia and Russia. Re-emb. Seattle Aug. 26, 1902; returned to U. S.
(Victor Herald 1919, p. 142)

Mrs. Sprague (Viuette I. Brown) born Newark, Wayne Co., N. Y. 1846; prof'l rel.
Northville, N. Y. 1873; grad. Mt. Holyoke Sem. 1871; arr. Tientsin Sept. 23,
30, 1910. Died

Mrs. Sprague (Margaret S. Henderson) born Dec. 4, 1844, Edinburgh; prof'l rel.
Jan. 5, 1891. (See Mar. Herald 1891)

Mrs. Hudson Roberts, born Hartford, Ct. 1851; prof'l rel. Aug. 3, 1863; grad.
Sept. 11, 1887; re-emb. San Francisco Mar. 20, 1889; arr. Tientsin April 29,
1889; vis. the U. S. arr. Vancouver July 1, 1896; re-emb. Vancouver Mar. 28,
1897; arr. Kalgan May 30, 1898; vis. U. S. arr. N. Y. Oct. 9, 1900; one of
the party which escaped from China through Mongolia and Russia at time of Jozer uprising; re-emb. Vancouver May 7, 1901; returned to U. S. arr. San Francisco June 21, 1906; released Aug. 14, 1906.


Mrs. Beach (Lucy Lucretia Ward) born Chicago, Ill. Oct. 16, 1855; prof. rel. April 1873; studied Ferry Hall Sem., Lake Forest, Ill. and Lake Forest Univ.; mar. June 29; as above. Died September 1, 1945 Winter Park, Florida.

ASSISTANT MISSIONARIES


Flora Josepha Hale, born Fredonia, Licking Co., O., March 28, 1851; prof. rel. 1868; grad. at Adrian Coll. 1871; emb. San Francisco Mar. 29, 1883; arr.
Pac-ting-fu. Ret. 1889. Released Feb. 10, 1891. 1900, 8 Wareham St.,
Medford, Mass.

rel. about 1871, Rutland, Vt.; grad. Yale Coll. 1881, Yale Theol. Sem. 1884;
ord. New Haven, Ct. May 20, 1885; emb. Oct. 3, 1885; ar. Peking Nov. 17, 1885;
vis. U. S. arr. San Francisco July 31, 1890; re-emb. Vancouver Oct. 15, 1892;
Member of intermission com. engaged in revision of the mandarin bible.)

Returned to Peiping early in 1913; sailed Dec. 16, 1912. In China 1938. See card.

Mrs. Aiken (Maud Lockwood) born

mar. New York Oct. 6, 1892; emb. Vancouver Oct. 15, 1892; arr. Tientsin

ed at Tientsin Oct. 28, 1899. (See Jan. 1900 Herald, p. 5)

Mrs. Aiken (Rose E. Merrill) born Hartford, Ct. Oct. 26, 1882; united with
5, 1902; emb. San Francisco Oct. 15, 1902. Arrived home Apr. 30, 1911 etc.

April 22, 1888; re-emb. San Francisco Aug. 13, 1889; vis. U. S. arr. San Francisco
May 20, 1899; re-emb. San Francisco March 7, 1901. In 1890 re-transferred
to Shanse.

July 1887; re-emb. San Francisco Aug. 13, 1889; vis. U. S. arr. San Francisco
July 20, 1899; re-emb. Vancouver July 28, 1902; In 1890 re-transferred to Shanse.
MISSIONARY PHYSICIANS


SHANSI MISSION

This mission was commenced in 1881.

MISSIONARIES


MISSIONARY PHYSICIANS

HONG-KONG MISSION

This mission was commenced in 1883 with special reference to the religious needs of that class of the Chinese who have resided for a time in the U. S. and have returned to China.

MISSIONARIES


Mrs. Hager (Lizzie W. Blackman) born mar. Chicago, June 20, 1894; emb. San Francisco Aug. 28, 1894; arr. Hong Kong Sept. 24, 1894; died at Canton, March 7, 1895.

Mrs. Hager (Marie vonRansch) born Mottlingen, Wurtemberg, Germany; Mar. 6, 1863; united with German Evangelical Church 1877; for three years had charge of the Basel Mission Kindergarten school at Hong Kong; mar. at Hong Kong Dec. 31, 1896; vis. U. S. arr. San Francisco May 27, 1904; re-emb. N. Y. July 4, 1905, returning via Switzerland. Released Mar. 1912. Living with her three children in Claremont, California in 1917. Died in Claremont, Calif. on Nov. 22, 1918.
MISSION TO SIAM

This mission may be said to have grown out from the Mission to Canton. Mr. Abeel (page 211) having spent a year in the service of the Seamen's Friend Society there, was appointed a missionary of the American Board, and in that capacity arrived at Bangkok, the capital of Siam, July 1, 1831, and commenced the American mission there. He was compelled by ill health to leave that place in 1833, but was succeeded by Messrs Robinson and Johnson, July 1834.

The Mission was discontinued in October, 1848.

Missionaries.

David Abeel—with some interruption from ill health, which compelled him to retire for a season to Singapore—distributed Chinese books and tracts, and performed other missionary service at Bangkok, till obliged by prostrate health finally to leave that place in the autumn of 1833. See p. 211. Unmarried. Died, Albany, N.Y., Sept. 4, 1846.


Stephen Johnson was a fellow-student of Mr. Robinson at Auburn, and accompanies him to Siam; labored in the Chinese department of the mission; removed to Fuh-Chau June 1847. (See Fuh-Chau Mission) The two former wives were members of this mission. 1878, Gouverneur, N. Y. Died Gouverneur Jan. 14, 1886. (See Herald, Mar. 1886, p. 113)

Dan. B. Bradley, M.D., Penn-yan—N. Y.; born Marcellus, N. Y. July 18, 1804; emb. Boston, July 2, 1834; ar. Amherst, in British Burmah, Dec. 6, 1834; arr. Singapore, Jan. 12, 1835; ar. Bangkok July 18, 1835; went out as a physician; opened a dispensary Aug. 5, 1835; commenced tract distribution Sept. 15, 1838; ord. at Bangkok Nov. 5, 1838; successfully vaccinated more than a thousand natives, and was otherwise useful as a physician; at length, he embraced some new religious views; returned to U. S. 1847; released Dec. 14, 1847. He is still, 1869, a missionary in Siam, under the Am. Miss. Associa. Died at Bangkok June 23, 1873. See article in August 1924 Missionary Herald.

Mrs. Bradley (Emilie Royce) born Clinton, N. Y. July 12, 1811; mar. ; died at Bangkok Aug. 2, 1845.


Mrs. Robbins (Martha R. Pierce) born Enfield, Ct. May 18, 1813; mar. May 1836. Returned to U. S. March 1840; released April 14, 1840. Died Aug. 1841. (Converted at age of 14.)

month after his arrival. (See Miss'ly Herald Nov. 1840, p. 464)

Mrs. Benham (Maria H. Nutting) born Groton, Mass. Jan. 17, 1814; mar. returned to U. S. May 1842; released Oct. 21, 1845. 1853, said to have been married to Dr. Knapp. Mrs. Knapp died at Clear Lake, Minn. Jan. 18, 1884.

Jesse Caswell, born Middletown, Vt. April 17, 1809; grad. Middlebury Coll. 1832; appt. Feb. 28, 1837; Lane Sem. 1837; City Missionary, Cincinnati 1837-1839; emb. Boston July 6, 1839; arr. Singapore; Oct. 23, 1839; reached Bangkok Jan. 1, 1840; labored with great zeal and earnestness and not without some encouraging tokens of success; at length was recalled for some aberration in Christian doctrine, at the same time with Dr. Bradley, and released Dec. 14, 1847. Died Sept. 25, 1848. (Ord. Shoreham, Vt. Jan. 22, 1839.)


Mrs. Hemenway (Lucia Hunt) born Shoreham, Vt. Nov. 21, 1810.

Lyman bert Peet and wife embarked at Boston, July 6, 1839, in the same vessel (ship Arno) with Messrs. Benham, Caswell, French and Hemenway, at Boston, July 6, 1839; ar. Singapore Oct. 23, 1839; ar. Bangkok May 28, 1840; and labored in Siam till Aug. 12, 1846; when with Mr. Johnson, they left for Fuh-chau. (See Fuh-Chau mission.)

MISSIONARY PHYSICIAN

Stephen Tracy, M.D., brother of Rev. Joseph Tracy, of Ebinezer C. Tracy, editor of Boston Recorder, of Rev. Miron Tracy, Strongsville, Ohio, and of Rev. Ira Tracy, missionary of the Board (See mission to Singapore and to Canton); born Hartford, Vt. Feb. 25, 1810; prof. rel. Sept. 1826; studied at Dart. Coll. but did not graduate; emb. Boston July 1, 1836; ar. Singapore Dec. 17, 1836; reached Bangkok April 24, 1838; from ill health returned to U. S. March 28, 1840; released April 28, 1840. Lived at Andover, Mass. many years. Died there Jan. 13, 1875.


ASSISTANT MISSIONARY

Mary E. Pierce, born Butternuts, N. Y. Oct. 22, 1815; emb. with Mr. Benham and other missionaries Boston, July 6, 1839; ar. Bangkok Jan. 1, 1840; a teacher; died at Bangkok Sept. 22, 1844.

The Mission to Siam was discontinued by vote of the Prudential Committee Oct. 10, 1848, agreeably to the recommendation of the Board at the previous Annual Meeting.
MISSION TO SINGAPORE

Singapore is an island near the extremity of the Malayan Peninsula, about two degrees north of the equator. It was occupied as a missionary station by the London Missionary Society, as early as 1826, and probably some years before. Being the centre of an extensive commerce, and subject to the British government, it afforded favorable opportunities for the operations of a Christian press, and the wide dissemination of religious truth. An extensive printing establishment at this place had been under the direction of the society just mentioned, though not owned by them. That society declining to purchase it, the establishment was sold to the American Board in January 1834; Messrs Johnson and Robinson, then in Singapore on their way to Siam, acting as agents in the purchase. (See missions to Fuh-chau and Siam.) Mr. Tracy soon after removed from Canton, and took charge of the establishment at Singapore.

This mission was discontinued in 1843.

MISSIONARIES

Ira Tracy, born in Hartford, Vermont, Jan. 15, 1806; prof. rel. 1820; grad. Dart. Coll. 1829; Andover Sem. 1832; was ordained at White River Village, Hartford, Sept. 28, 1832; his brother, Rev. Joseph Tracy, preaching the sermon; sailed from New York for China, June 15, 1833; arr. in Canton Oct. 26, 1833; arr. Singapore, July 24, 1834; went to Southern Hindostan for the health of himself and wife, Nov. 1839; returned to U. S. and arr. Philadelphia Aug. 7, 1841; released Aug. 25, 1846. Died Bloomington, Wis. Nov. 10, 1875.

Mrs. Tracy (Adeline White, sister of Sarah G. White, wife of Asa B. Smith (see Sandwich Islands); born Brookfield, Mass. Sept. 25, 1809; emb. Boston, July 2, 1834, with Dr. Bradley (see Mission to Siam); married at Singapore Jan. 15, 1835; returned U. S. Aug. 1841; released Aug. 25, 1846. Died Streetsboro, Ohio April 1851.

rel. Montreal, C.E. Aug. 1827; grad. Yale Coll. 1826; studied one year, or more, at Andover Sem. and a further time at New Haven; ordained pastor, Norwich, Ct. April 4, 1832; emb. Boston, July 20, 1835; arr. Singapore Feb. 6, 1836; sailed thence in the brig Himmaleh, owned by Olyphant & Co., christian merchants of Canton, and at their expense, on a tour of missionary exploration; Jan. 30, 1837; visited the islands of Celebes, Ternate, Mindanao, and Borneo; and returned to Singapore June 22, in the same year. For the benefit of his health, he visited Canton in 1838, and returned to Singapore in March 1839. Unmarried. Released Oct. 20, 1840. He was afterwards a teacher in the Singapore Institution for three years. 1857, in Durham, Conn. 1877 in Middlefield, Conn, where he died July 22, 1884.


Mrs. Travelli (Susan Irwin) born Alleghanytown, Pa. Aug. 22, 1815; prof. rel. 1832; mar. March 31, 1836; embarked with husband as above; in greatly impaired health sailed from Singapore October 1840; arr. New York Feb. 1841. Died before 1862.
(The printing establishment purchased at Singapore for the Board in 1834, comprised two presses, a font of Roman type, two fonts of Malay, one of Arabic, two of Javanese, one of Siamese, and one of Bugis; also apparatus for casting types in all these languages and for book-binding.)

Dyer Ball, M.D. was a member of this mission from May 1838 when he embarked at New York in ship Albion, bound for Batavia, till June 1841, when he went to Macao in China for the benefit of Mrs. Ball's health. (See Canton mission). Died Canton, March 27, 1866.

Mrs. Ball - See Canton Mission.

1878, residing with her son at Hongkong.

George Warren Wood, and his first wife, were missionaries at Singapore, from May 25, 1838, when they embarked at New York for Batavia, till her death at Singapore March 9, 1839. He left that island in June 1840. See a further notice of him in the Western Turkey Mission.

Mrs. Wood - See Western Turkey Mission.

Died March 9, 1839.

ASSISTANT MISSIONARIES

Alfred North, was the missionary printer at Singapore, from the time of his arrival there, Feb. 6, 1836, till the relinquishment of the mission there in 1843. See a further account of him in Madura Mission. Died March 3, 1869.

MISSION TO JAPAN

In the year 1829, Mr. William Ropes, a Christian merchant of Boston, was residing in Brookline, Mass. Feeling a deep interest in the missionary enterprise, he proposed to a few Christians in sympathy with him that they should assemble at his house and observe the Monthly Concert for Prayer. At their first meeting of this sort, the question arose—To what special object shall we devote our contributions? On the table before them lay a Japanese basket of rare workmanship, brought probably by one of his ships from the Eastern seas. Taking it in his hands, he suggested that the moneys collected at these monthly gatherings should be devoted to the evangelization of Japan. The proposal was accepted and month after month, for many years, prayer was offered and money contributed in that room for this purpose. In these meetings, and in the ladies' sewing-circle connected therewith, more than six hundred dollars were, in the end, raised and put into the treasury of the Board.

At that time, and during two hundred years previous, Japan was inaccessible to the gospel. Christianity was held in supreme detestation; the cross and its sacred emblems were annually trampled under foot; and death to a native was the certain consequence of embracing the Christian religion. Moreover, all commercial intercourse with the western world was resolutely denied, except to the Dutch at the single port of Nagasaki. But God has had purpose of mercy towards these poor isolators. In a very remarkable manner, by solemn treaties, Japan has within a few years been opened to the commerce and to the religion of the Christian world. Clergymen, as well as merchants, may now reside in that remarkable empire; and no danger is now apprehended from prudent efforts to make known there the salvation of the gospel.

At the meeting of the Board, held at Pittsburgh, Oct. 5-8, 1869, it was unanimously resolved to establish a mission to Japan.
MISSIONARY


(See July 1906 Herald, page 316)


Mrs. Dexter (Florence Allene Ashley) born Albion, Noble Co., Ind. June 2, 1848; prof. rel. Baptist Ch., Brooklyn, Cal. May 1865; studied in pub. schools of Ohio and Cal.; mar. Pacheco, Cal. July 2, 1873; released 1875 at; 1896 at Cottonwood, Cal.


Mrs. Leavitt (Mary Augusta Kelley) born Roxbury, Mass. Mar. 24, 1853; prof. rel.


June 16, 1903; re-emb. San Francisco Nov. 18, 1903; vis. U. S. arr. Boston May 20, 1907; re-emb. San Francisco Sept. 25, 1908. Died at Tolsy, 0. May 8, 1911. (See June 1911 Herald)


Mrs. Doane (Clara Hale Strong) born Oct. 4, 1841. Embarked for Micronesia May 20, 1865. Visited U. S. 1863; returning, reached Ponape Sept. 19, 1871; left San Francisco for Japan Sept. 1, 1873; arr. Kobe Sept. 28, 1873; Oct. 1875 went to Kioto, with Mr. and Mrs. Davis. Returned to U. S. June 1877. Released Nov. 1, 1877. (See Micronesia Mission)


U. S. arr. San Francisco April 25, 1891; re-emb. San Francisco Oct. 25, 1892;
Boston Apr. 10, 1902; vis. U. S. arr. Boston July 6, 1910; re-emb. Sept. 18,
1911; arr. field Oct. 4, 1911; arr. home July 16, 1919. Was in Siberia under
Red Cross several months in 1919. Died Nov. 21, 1955, New York City.

Mrs. Allchin (Nellie Maria Stratton) born Boston, Mass. June 28, 1860; prof.
Francisco April 25, 1891; re-emb. San Francisco Oct. 25, 1892; arr. Yokohama
Nov. 17; vis. U. S. arr. San Francisco June 13, 1901; re-emb. San Francisco
New York City Dec. 30, 1921. (Miss. Herald 1922, page 45)

Richard Gaines, born Granby, Hartford Co., Ct., Nov. 15, 1839; prof.
rel. Granby 1857; grad. Yale Coll. 1865; studied Yale Theol. Sem. nearly three
years; in 1883 was granted his degree; ord. Meriden, N. H. July 30, 1884;
taught in Olivet Coll., Hartford, Pub. High Sch., Litchfield, Conn. and Meriden,
U. S. 1889; connection with Board ceased Sept. 3, 1889. See minutes Con's?
vol. 21, p. 286. Died in Staten Isl., (Brighton) June 16, 1924. (Miss'y Herald
1924, page 387)


Ch. uncey Marvin Cady, transferred to this mission from the Shanse Mission Nov. 4,
1884. Dec. 1885 at Kioto; returned to U. S. arr. San Francisco Sept. 12, 1892;
released April 25, 1893. Died Stratford, Ct., Nov. 5, 1925.
Mrs. Cady (Virginia Alzade Clarkson) (infra) mar. ; returned to U. S. arr. San Francisco Sept. 12, 1892; released April 25, 1893.  (See page 94)  Died Nov. 26, 1940 at Stratford, Conn.

MISSIONARY PHYSICIANS


Arthur Herman Adams, M.D., born Florence, Erie Co., Ohio, Nov. 24, 1847; prof. rel. spring of 1866, Sandusky, O.; educated at Sandusky High School, Ohio Wesleyan Univ., Yale Coll., grad. 1867 and Yale Sem., grad. 1872. Grad. M.D. Yale Med. Coll. ; licensed to preach April 5, 1871; sailed from San Francisco Oct. 31, 1874; returned to U. S. Oct. 11, 1878 on account of his wife's health. He died while on the passage from San Francisco to Yokohama Nov. 23, 1879; (See Herald Feb. 1880) 

Mrs. Adams (Sarah Catherine Thomas) born Meath, Bradford Co., Penna. Aug. 14, 1849, dau. of Rev. Thomas Thomas; prof. rel. March 1866; educated at Towanda, Penn.,


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Joseph Neesima, born in Yeddo, Japan, 1844.

Educated at Phillips Academy (Andover), Amherst College and Andover Seminary. Ord. Sept. 24, 1874, in Mount Vernon Church, Boston; sailed San Francisco Oct. 31, 1874; ar. Kobe 1874; summer of 1875, moved to Kioto; Jan. 3, 1876, married to
Yamamoto Yaye (sister of the blind counsellor Yamamoto), who was baptized the previous day, and received into church fellowship. March 1878 at Kioto; vis. U. S. in 1884; re-emb. San Francisco Nov. 19, 1885; arr. Kioto Dec. 17, 1885. Died near Tokyo Jan. 23, 1890. (See April Herald 1890, p. 147)

ASSISTANT MISSIONARIES


Julia Ann Eliza Gulick, dau. of Peter J. Gulick (see Mission to Sandwich Islands) born Honolulu, June 10, 1845; Punahou School and Spring Garden Inst., Phila.; appt'd June 24, 1873; sailed San Francisco June 1874; ar. Kobe 1874; at Kobe 1874 to present time (March 1878); transferred to No. Japan Miss. Oct. 1883; released May 23, 1911. Died in May 1936 at Honolulu.
Frances Amelia Stevens, born Akron, Ohio, Jun 28, 1848, dau. of Rev. Wm. R. Stevens; prof. rel. River Falls, Wis., Mar. 7, 1864; educated at Oberlin.
Died April 29, 1928. (See Herald June 1928, page 256)

Justina E. Wheeler, Durham, Ct., born, ; prof. rel.; uniting with a Baptist Church; education limited. Dressmaker; sailed San Francisco Nov. 1, 1875; ar. Kobe Nov. 25, 1875; 1875 to present time (March 1878) at Osaka; May 30, 1878, mar. Rev. C. Goodrich (See North China Mission) Died Sept. 4, 1878. (See Herald Dec. 1878)


Kobe Oct. 10; Dec. 1885 at Kioto; vis. U. S. arr. N. Y. June 14, 1888; released May 12, 1891. Mr. Frank Swann—died July 1944, Los Angeles, California.


NORTHERN JAPAN MISSION

This mission was commenced Oct. 1883.

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Mrs. Davis (Frances Wadsworth Rounds) Transferred as above. Dec. 1885 at Nagata; vis. U. S. arr. N. Y. Mar. 5, 1887; released Nov. 29, 1887.

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At Honolulu 1912. Died July 23, 1942 in Claremont, California.

Mrs. Scudder (Eliza Canfield Kendall) see Vol. II p. 162; mar. Nagata June 21,

ASSISTANT MISSIONARIES

Catherine Sophia Scudder, dau. of Rev. Henry M. Scudder, formerly of the Madras and Arcot Missions; born Madras, India 1851; prof. rel. 1863; studied Mills Sem., Cal.; emb. Feb. 4, 1884; Dec. 1885 at Nagata; vis. U. S. arr. San Francisco Oct. 1889; died Pasadena, Cal., Feb. 14, 1890. (See Herald, April 1890)

WORK IN PAPAL LANDS

MISSION TO AUSTRIA

In the year 1871, at the Annual Meeting in Salem, Mass., it was decided to be expedient for the Board to commence operations in some of the Nominally Christian Lands. Attention was specially directed to Spain, Mexico and Austria, and in the course of the following year, missions were established in these countries.

The Austrian Empire has in its 19 provinces, about 35,000,000 inhabitants, of different races, German, Slavic, Magyar. Most of the people are Catholics; in Hungary, a majority are Protestants.

Henry Albert Schauffler, born Sept. 4, 1837. (See Western Turkey and European Turkey Missions) Returned to U. S. 1870; appointed by Prudential Committee to commence the new mission in Austria, and sailed from New York May 18, 1872. In October 1872, located in Prague, Bohemia. In 1874, removed to Brunn, Moravia. At Brunn, until present time, March 1878. Returned to U. S. arr. N. Y. April 18, 1881; released Nov. 21, 1882; 1888 Cleveland, O. Died Cleveland, O. February 15, 1905. See Volume II on NEAR EA St.

Mrs. Schauffler (Clara E. Gray) born Oct. 3, 1842. (See Western Turkey and European Turkey Missions) Sailed N. Y. May 18, 1872; at Brunn 1874-1878. Died at Cleveland, Ohio Sept. 4, 1883. (See obit. in Herald Oct. 1883, p.379)

1904; re-emb. N. Y. July 8, 1905; between Oct. 1913 and May 15, 1914 he and his family were in Scotland in the interests of the Bible distribution work in Bohemia; arrived home Sept. 8, 1917. Died in Boston, Mass. on June 7, 1921. (Miss'y Herald 1921, page 240)


Walter Scott Alexander, born Killingly, Conn., Aug. 23, 1835; prof. rel. Worcester, Mass. May 1, 1852; grad. Yale Coll., 1858; grad. Andover Sem. 1861; ord. Pomfret, Conn., Nov. 22, 1861; pastor at Pomfret, Nov. 1861 to Feb. 1866; pastor at Racine, Wis. Feb. 1866 to Aug. 1, 1872; sailed Oct. 23, 1872; proceeded to Italy and early in 1873 was authorized to commence a mission in Florence. Was not connected with Miss. to Austria. (See Mission to Italy)

Mrs. Alexander (Constance Eldredge) born Boston, Mass. Feb. 14, 1833; prof. rel. at age of 18 in Pomfret, Conn.; educated at E. Greenwich, R. I., Pomfret and Boston; mar. Pomfret, May 15, 1866; sailed as above; 1873-1874 in Florence. Returned to U. S. 1874; rel. 1874. (See Mission to Italy)

Edwin Cone Bissell, born Schoharie, N. Y., March 2, 1832; prof. rel. Rockville, Conn., about 1850; "Prepared" at Monson Acad.; grad. Amherst Coll. 1855; grad. Union Sem. 1859; ord. Sept. 21, 1859 at Westhampton, Mass.; pastor Cong. Ch. at Winchester 1873; sailed N. Y. Sept. 6, 1873; ar. Vienna Oct. 15. In 1874 at Innsbruck; in August 1875, removed to Gratz, Styria; March 1878 at Gratz; released July 30, 1878; Prof. in Theol. Sem., Hartford, Ct. 1888; afterward Prof. in the McCormack Sem. Died at Chicago, Ill. April 10, 1894.

Mrs. Bissell (Emily Pomeroy) born Somers, Tolland Co., Conn., Nov. 16, 1837; prof. rel. Somers, Conn., 1857; educated Mt. Holyoke and Brooklyn (N.Y.) Heights Sem.; mar. Sept. 6, 1859 at Somers, Conn.; sailed as above; 1875 to March 1878 at Gratz. Released July 30, 1878; 1888 Hartford, Ct.
MISSION TO ITALY

Walter Scott Alexander, born Killingly, Conn., Aug. 29, 1835. (See Mission to Austria) Sailed N. Y. Oct. 23, 1872, intending to join Mission to Austria; early in 1873, it was decided by The Prud. Com. that it was expedient to commence a mission to Italy and obedient to the wishes of the Com., Mr. A. went to Florence and remained there until autumn of 1874, when ill health obliged him to return to the United States. Released 1874; 1876 to present time (Mar. 1878). a.p. at New Orleans, La.; 1887 Cambridge, Mass. Died at Cambridge, Mass. May 15, 1900.

Mrs. Alexander (See Mission to Austria) Ret. U. S. 1874; released 1874; 1887 Cambridge, Mass.

Luther Halsey Gulick, M.D., born Honolulu, June 10, 1828. (See Mission to Spain) In 1873 Dr. G. was trans. to Mission to Italy and left Barcelona for Florence July 26, 1873. In Autumn of 1874, the Board decided to discontinue this mission, and Dr. G. having visited the Missions of the Board in Turkey and in Austria returned to U. S., reaching N. Y. May 1875. The following Dec. he went to Japan, under A.B.S. Released 1875. See volume on ISLANDS.

Mrs. Gulick (See Mission to Spain) Released 1875.

Mission discontinued 1874.
MISSION TO NORTHERN MEXICO

Monterey, State of New Leon, was the residence for a number of years of Miss Melinda Rankin, who carried on missionary work with a large degree of success. In 1873, the work and property of Miss Rankin at Monterey were trans. to the American Board. The work was at that time carried on by one missionary only, Mr. Beveridge.

John Beveridge, born Shelby, Ohio;
ordained 1869 by Presb’y; procured Miss Melinda Rankin Monterey May 1869. She returned to U. S. 1875; died in Cuthbert, Georgia Feb. 18, 1882.

Edward Pierrepont Herrick of Middle Haddam, Conn.; born Clintonville, N. Y. Feb. 12, 1846; spent two years in Hopkins Gram. Sch., New Haven; grad. Yale Sem. 1871; pastor at Middle Haddam; left New Orleans, Dec. 21, 1873; ar. Monterey, Jan. 15, 1874, having had a long and exhausting stage-ride of about 300 miles from Matamoras; returned to U. S. 1875; released 1875; pastor Sherman, Conn. 1876 to present time (Mar. 1878) Ditto 1887.

Mrs. Herrick, (Pamela Goodrich Wheeler) born New Haven, New Haven Co., Ct. July 10, 1845; prof. rel. in 1855 at New Haven; educated in private schools, New Haven; mar. May 25, 1871 at New Haven; sailed as above; returned U. S. as above; released 1875.

James Kellogg Kilbourn, born Bridgewater, Ct. 1841; prof. rel. 1858; grad. Beloit College 1868; spent one year at Chicago Sem. and grad; Andover Sem. 1872; appointed Dec. 23, 1873; acting pastor at Hartland, Wis., about one year; left for Mexico early in March 1874 and arr. Monterey Mar. 29, 1874; at Monterey 1874-1877; released Sept. 1877; when the mission was trans. to Presbyterian
Board. Vis. U. S. Feb. 1878; returned to Western Mexico Miss.


Carrie M. Strong, of Middle Haddam, Ct.; born Haddam, Ct. 1833; educated in Boston and at State Normal School, New Britain, Conn. Teacher, sixteen or eighteen years, part of this time at Glastonbury, Conn. Sailed from New Orleans Dec. 21, 1873; ar. Monterey Jan. 15, 1874; 1874-1877 at Monterey; released Sept. 1877, by transfer of Mission to Presbyterian Board; vis. U. S. Feb. 1878.

In September 1877 this mission was transferred to the Presbyterian Board.
This mission was re-opened in 1882.


Mrs. Eaton (Gertrude Clifford Pratt) born Meriden, New Haven Co., Ct. April 28, 1853; prof. rel. Montclair, N. J. June 1869; studied Vassar Coll. and Dresden, Ger.; mar. May 13, 1875; joined the mission Nov. 1882; Dec. 1885 at Chihuahua; vis. U. S. in 1891; returned, arr. home Sept. 23, 1910; returned to field July 14, 1911; left field Dec. 1912; resigned Feb. 27, 1912.


Mrs. Case (Myra Gertrude Rice) born Magnolia, Iowa, April 8, 1857; prof. rel. 1873; studied Tabor Coll., Iowa; mar. May 31, 1881; joined the mission Oct. 20, 1884; Dec. 1885 at Chihuahua; after visiting U. S. rejoined mission Nov. 5, 1894. At Pomona California in 1932.
David F. Watkins, born Dec. 26, 1845; Bridgend, Wales.
grad. Pacific Theol. Sem., Oakland, Cal., 1872; ord. Sept. 19, 1872 at
Nortonville, Cal.; sailed San Francisco Oct. 1872; ar. Guadalajara, Nov. 7,
1872; at Guadalajara 1872-1876; vis. U. S. 1876; March 1878 in U. S.;

Mrs. Watkins (Edna M. Parker)

Sailed as above; at Guadalajara 1872-1876; vis. U. S. 1876; March 1878 in
U. S.; 1888 Cal.

John Luther Stephens, born Swansea, Wales, Oct. 19, 1847; prof. rel. Petaluma,
Cal., about 1866; spent 2 1/2 years in a Baptist Coll. in Petaluma,
Cal. Grad. Pacific Theolog. Sem. 1872; had been clerk and teacher. Supplied
at 1st Cong. Ch., South Vallejo, Cal., for a short time; ord. Sept. 13, 1872
at S. Vallejo, Cal.; sailed San Francisco Oct. 1872; ar. Guadalajara Nov. 7,
1872; remained in R. until Dec. 2, 1872, when he went to Amalucan, a town
of 5000 inhab., about 30 miles from Guadalajara. After three months of faith-
ful and successful labor in this place, he was assassinated on the morning of
March 2, 1874. (Obit. Miss. Herald May 1874)

G. F. G. Morgan,

grad. Pacific Theolog. Sem. 1872; ordl Oct. 15, 1872 at Cloverdale, Cal.;
appointed May 5, 1874; sailed S. F., June 7, 1874; ar. Guadalajara June 21,
1874; returned to U. S. 1875; released 1875; 1876-1879 p., Grass Valley, Cal.; 1887 San Francisco, Cal.


James Kellogg Kilbourn, transferred from No. Mexico to this miss. Started for this miss. Jan. 22, 1879; arr. Guadalajara Feb. 21, 1879; returned to U. S.; released April 13, 1880; 1887 Genesee, Wis.

Mrs. Kilbourn (Emma Henderson) Reached Guadalajara Feb. 21, 1879; released April 13, 1880; 1887 Genesee, Wis.


Mary Martyn Bissell, born Spencer Acad., Ind. Ter., Jan. 6, 1848; prof. rel. Antona, Ill. 1867; grad. Wheaton Coll. 1873; ord. Hartford, N. Y. Sept. 5, 1882; joined the mission in Nov. 1882; Dec. 1885 at Tlajamulco; transferred to Northern Mexico Nov. 4, 1890. (See vol. 19, p. 285) Pomona, Calif. 1912. Died June 1, 1920 at Port Angeles, Wash. (Miss. Herald 1920, page 476)


Isabel Maria Haskins, born Lawrence, Kan., Sept. 14, 1855; prof. rel. Victoria, Ill. 1869; studied Rockford Sem. and Knox Coll.; engaged for some time in teaching; joined the mission Nov. 1882; vis. U. S. 1887-8; re-emb. New Orleans April 8, 1889; arr. Guadalajara April 26, 1889.
MISSION TO SPAIN


Mrs. Gulick (Louisa Lewis) born New York City, Nov. 10, 1830. (Mission to Sandwich Islands) Resided in Spain and Italy as above. April 1877 went out to join her husband in Japan. March 1878 still in Japan. Died Japan June 14, 1894.


Thomas Lafon Gulick, born Sand. Is., April 10, 1839; prof. rel. Honolulu about 1864; grad. at Williams Coll. 1865; Union and Andover, grad. at A. 1868; preached for a time in New York City and Chicago; ord. North Manchester, Conn. May 15, 1870; sailed N. Y. May 17, 1873; ar. Santander July 5, 1873; In 1875 removed to Madrid and in Feb. 1876 went to Zaragoza, Province of Aragon, a city of 70,000 inhab. March 1878 at Zaragoza; returned to U. S arr. Jan. 14, 1883; released Oct. 23, 1883; 1887 Makamao, H. I. Died in Africa in Kijebi, British East Africa, June 15, 1904. (See Miss. Herald Nov. 1904, page 457)


Gustave Alexy, born May 21, 1833, at Rozsnyo, Hungary. United with a Lutheran Ch. in Hungary; grad. in languages at Turin and Milan; grad. at Union Sem., N. Y. in 1871; ord. New York City June 10, 1872; sailed N. Y. July 13, 1872; at Barcelona Aug. 21, 1872. Had formerly spent two years in Barcelona. April 1874, returned to U. S. Released 1874. Died in New York City Jan. 29, 1880.
Miss Hannah Blake, an English lady, was employed at Barcelona in 1872 as a teacher.

SOUTHERN ASIA

The first missionaries sent out by the American Board were Adoniram Judson, Gordon Hall, Samuel Newell, Samuel Nott, and Luther Rice. They were sent to India, but their instructions, delivered to them Feb. 7, 1812, left it to their discretion at what particular point to fix their station. They were ordained at Salem, Feb. 6, 1812. Judson and Newell, with their wives, sailed from Salem in the brig Caravan, Feb. 19. Nott, Hall, and Rice, with the wife of Mr. Nott, sailed from Philadelphia in the Harmony, Feb. 18. The party first named arr. at Calcutta, June 17; the other party arr. there Aug. 8, 1812.

None of these missionaries were suffered to remain. The government, then and there existing, ordered them away. Mr. and Mrs. Newell embarked for the Isle of France (Mauritius) and there Mrs. Newell died. Mr. Judson and Mr. Rice became Baptists, and their connection with the A.B.C.F.M. soon after ceased. Messrs Hall and Nott embarked for Bombay, Nov. 20, which place they reached Feb. 11, 1813; which date is regarded as the commencement of the Mahratta Mission.

Adoniram Judson, son of Rev. Adoniram Judson, pastor of the Cong. Ch. in Malden, Mass.; afterwards of Plymouth, Mass.; born Malden, Aug. 9, 1788; (House now standing on Main St., Malden and occupied by Geo. Wilson, heirs, 1894) grad. Brown Univ., Providence 1807; Andover Sem. 1810; signed the application to the Gen. Assoc. of Mass. at Bradford June 27, 1810; ord. Salem Feb. 6, 1812; emb. Salem Feb. 19; ar. Calcutta June 17, 1812; notified the Baptist missionaries at Varambore Aug. 27, that he and Mrs. Judson had changed their sentiments on the subject of baptism; they were immersed Sept. 6. This event led to his withdrawal from the mission. He was released Sept. 15, 1813. (Mr. Judson was taken into the service of the
Baptist Board of Missions; commenced a mission at Rangoon in Burmah, July 1813; during the Burmese war, from May 1824 to Feb. 1826, he suffered great severities from the Burman government, from which he was freed by the advance of the British army on the capital; vis. U. S. and died at sea, April 12, 1850.)


Luther Rice, born Northboro, Mass. March 25, 1783; grad. Williams Coll. 1810; Andover Sem. 1811; ord. Salem, Feb. 6, 1812; sailed from Philadelphia with Messrs Hall and Nott, Feb. 18, 1812; arr. Calcutta, Aug. 8, 1812; embraced Baptist views Oct.; was immersed Nov. 1, 1812; withdrew from the mission Oct. 3, 1812; released Sept. 15, 1813. (Took passage with Mr. Judson and Mrs. Judson for the Isle of France Dec. 1812; left that island March 15, 1813; returned to U. S. Sept. 1813; was for twelve years 1814-1826 agent of the Baptist Gen. Missionary Convention, formed May 18, 1814 by his exertions; had an important agency in the establishment of Columbian Coll., D.C.; was treasurer of said Coll.; and died Edgefield, District, S. C. Oct. 25, 1836, age 55). Never married.
MISSION TO THE MAHRATTAS

Commenced by Messrs Hall and Nott Feb. 11, 1813. Mr. Newell joined them in 1814.

MISSIONARIES

Gordon Hall, born Tolland, Mass, then the West Parish in Granville, April 8, 1784; grad. Williams Coll. 1808; Andover Sem. 1810; (prof. rel. 1806); attended medical lectures in Philadelphia 1811; ord. Salem, Mass. Feb. 6, 1812; sailed from Philadelphia in the ship Harmony Feb. 18, 1812; ar. Calcutta, Aug. 8, 1812; reached Bombay Feb. 11, 1813; conducted with great ability a correspondence with the government there; conducted the affairs of the mission with signal ability and success; died on a preaching tour, at Dhoorlee Dhapoor, about 70 miles from Bombay, of cholera, March 20, 1826.

Mrs. Hall (Margaret Lewis) born in the county of Pembroke, Wales, July 20, 1785; mar. at Bombay Dec. 19, 1816; arr. in U. S. July 30, 1825; died at the house of her son, Rev. Gordon Hall, Northampton, Mass. Jan. 25, 1868.


The nomenclature was changed in 1833 from "Bombay Mission" to "Maharatta Mission".

Samuel Nott, son of Rev. Samuel Nott, D.D. of Franklin, Ct.; born there Sept. 11, 1788; prof. rel. May 1805; grad. Union Coll. 1808; Andover Sem. 1810; ord. Salem, Mass. Feb. 6, 1812; sailed with Messrs Hall and Rice from Philadelphia Feb. 18; ar. Calcutta Aug. 8, 1812; emb. for Bombay Nov. 20, 1812; reached Bombay Feb. 11, 1813. Left the mission from ill health Sept. 7, 1815; arrived in U. S. Aug. 14, 1816; released Sept. 20, 1816. (Afterwards, he was a teacher in New York, 1816-1823; pastor Galway, N. Y. 1823-1829; pastor Wareham, Mass. 1829-1849; teacher Wareham 1849-1866.) Lived in Wareham till 1868 or 1869, then removed to the family of his son in Hartford, Ct. where he died June 1, 1869, age 81.


Mrs. Nichols (Elisabeth Shaw) Beverly, Mass. born mar. Sept. 30, 1817. After the death of Mr. Nichols she married Oct. 19, 1826, Rev. Joseph Knight, church missionary of Nellore, Ceylon; and was released.

Allen Graves, born Rupert, Vt., April 8, 1792; prof. rel. July 1804; grad. Midd. Coll. 1812; Andover Sem. 1815; ord. Park Street Church, Boston, with S. E. Dwight, Levi Parsons and others, Sept. 3, 1817; emb. Charlestown, with Mr. Nichols (above) Oct. 5, 1817; ar. Bombay Feb. 23, 1818; stationed at Mahim, on the northern part of the island of Bombay; after the death of Mr. Hall, 1826, stationed at Bombay; removed to the new station at Ahmednuggur, Dec. 20, 1831; left Bombay to visit U. S. Aug. 7, 1832; ar. Boston Jan. 11, 1833; re-emb. Boston May 21, 1834; ar. Bombay Sept. 10, 1834; stationed for healths sake at Malcolm Peth 1836; engaged in translations; died there Dec. 30, 1843, age 51.

Mrs. Graves (Mary Lee) Rupert, Vt., born Lebanon, N. Y. Nov. 28, 1787; prof. rel. Rupert 1805; mar. Dec. 7, 1816; ar. Bombay Feb. 23, 1818; emb. Bombay for U. S. July 4, 1822; ar. Liverpool, Nov. 1822; ar. New York ; re-emb. Boston Sept. 27, 1823; ar. Bombay June 28, 1824; vis. U. S. again as above, 1833; re-emb. May 21, 1834; after the death of her husband she continued in the mission till her own death at Malcolm Peth, March 23, 1866; age 79. She had been connected with this mission more than 48 years.


Mrs. Allen (Orpah Graves, sister of Rev. Allen Graves, missionary of the Board to the Mahrattas, 1818-1843,) born Rupert, Vt.; emb. with her brother, Boston, May 21, 1834; ar. Bombay Sept. 10, 1834;
teacher before her marriage; mar. Feb. 22, 1838; died Bombay June 5, 1842.

Mrs. Allen (Azubah Caroline Condit, sister of Mrs. Nevins (See Mission to Borneo) born Mount Freedom, N. J. Dec. 4, 1806; emb. New York June 8, 1836; with the company of missionaries then sent out to Java; ar. Batavia, Sept. 15, 1836; removed to Borneo June 17, 1839; removed to Bombay latter part of 1843; mar. to Mr. Allen, Dec. 12, 1843; died Bombay June 11, 1844. (See obituary Herald, vol. 40, pp. 373, 374)


George Washington Boggs, born York Co., South Carolina, June 20, 1790; educ.
Amherst Coll. 1827; Princeton Sem. 1831; ord. Charleston, S.C. March 14, 1832;
emb. Salem, Mass. May 28, 1832; ar. Bombay Sept. 14, 1832; joined Mr. Read at
Ahmednuggur Dec. 23, 1832; returned to U.S. Dec. 29, 1838; released Sept. 15,
1840. Died at Pickens, S.C. Aug. 14, 1871, aged 75.

Mrs. Boggs (Mrs. Isabella W. Adger) Winnsboro, S.C.

Feb. 12, 1834; emb. Boston May 21, 1834; ar. Bombay Sept. 10, 1834; stationed
at Jalna 1837; vis. U.S. and er. Salem, June 9, 1842; re-emb. Boston Jan. 3,
1846; stationed Ahmednuggur 1846; at Bhingar Oct. 1848; vis. U.S. 1853; re-emb.
N.Y. Sept. 6, 1854; ar. Ahmednuggur with the Deputation, Dr. Anderson and
Mr. Thompson, Nov. 17, 1854; stationed at Satara, 1855; revisited U.S. Aug. 28,
1860; re-emb. Boston October 29, 1862; ar. Bombay March 3, 1863; at Satara again
till 1866; then at Bombay; died at Bombay July 23, 1868. (See obituary notice
of this laborious and excellent missionary, Herald, vol. 64, p. 396-8)

Mrs. Munger (Maria L. Andrews) Bristol, Vt.; mar. 1834; emb. Boston May 21,1834;
vis. U.S. June 9, 1842; re-emb. Jan. 3, 1846; died on the passage out, March 12,
1846.

Mrs. Munger (Mary E. Ely) Chicago, Ill.
mar. 1854; emb. New York Sept. 6, 1854; died June 3, 1856.

Mrs. Munger (Mrs. Sarah Spring Cushman Paul, a widow) of Boston; born Wiscasset,
Me. June 8, 1813; prof. rel. 1835; mar. 1862; emb. Boston Oct. 29, 1862; re-
turned to U.S. Sept. 24, 1868. Died at Dorchester, Mass. Feb. 23, 1892, where
she had been for some time in City Missionary Work.

Amos Abbott, born Wilton, N.H. June 2, 1812; prof. rel. ; studied at
Phillips Academy, Andover and one year in Andover Sem.; emb. with Mr. Graves
and Mr. Munger (supra) at Boston May 21, 1834; went out as a superintendent
of schools and tract distributor; ar. Ahmednuggur Oct. 15, 1834; continued
at that station till 1847; returned to U. S. July 29, 1847; released Oct. 26, 1847. He was licensed to preach in Ahmednuggur 1843. After his return to U. S. he was five years, 1852-1857, a City Missionary at Portsmouth, N. H.; ord. Portsmouth June 5, 1857; embarked Boston June 12, 1857; ar. Bombay Sept. 15, 1857; stationed at Rahoore till 1866; then at Satara; returned to U. S. 1869 (about March 1869); released 1870; 1878 at Fairfield, Neb.; 1887 Steele City, Neb.; 1888 Isle of Wight. Died in Isle of Wight April 24, 1889. (See notice in Herald, June 1889, p. 256)


Henry Ballantine, Marion, Ohio; born Schodack, Rensselaer Co., N. Y. March 5, 1813; prof. rel. Lancaster, O. July 1831; grad. Ohio Univ., Athens, O. 1829; Princeton, Union, and Andover Seminaries finishing at Andover 1834; ord. Columbus, Ohio April 6, 1835; emb. Boston, May 16, 1835; ar. Bombay Oct. 11, 1835; stationed Ahmednuggur 1836; vis. U. S. arr. New York May 19, 1850; re-emb. Boston July 10, 1852; ar. Ahmednuggur, Dec. 31, 1852; continued to labor there as before, till 1865; emb. Bombay for the U. States Sept. 4, 1865, by way of Suez and Liverpool; was detained in the Red Sea four weeks; died on the passage and was buried in the ocean, off Cape St. Vincent, Coast of Portugal. Died Nov. 9, 1865, buried Nov. 10. (See obituary sketch, Herald, Vol. 62, pp. 37-41)


Mrs. Burgess (Mary Grant, niece of Mrs. Zilpat (Grant) Banister) born Colebrook, Ct. Aug. 18, 1811; prof. rel. July 1830; studied at Ipswich Fem. Sem.; mar. March 11, 1839; emb. Salem April 1, 1839; died of cholera at Ahmednuggur June 24, 1842. (See obituary notice Herald, vol. 38, pp.481-483)


Robert Wilson Hume, born Stamford, Delaware, Co., N. Y., Nov. 8, 1809; prof. rel. in coll. 1833; grad. Union Coll. 1834; Princeton Sem. 1837; ord. Delhi, N. Y. March 18, 1839; emb. with Messrs Burgess and French at Salem April 1, 1839; ar. Bombay Aug. 10, 1839; labored at that station with great assiduity more than fifteen years, chiefly in connection with the press; edited for ten years, 1844-1854, the Dryanodaya, or Rise of Knowledge, issued sem-monthly in the native language, which had an extensive circulation, the only Christian journal in any native language in Western India. His health failing, he embarked with his family for the U. S. Sept. 20, 1854; but died on the passage Nov. 26, 1854, on the coast of Africa, a little east of the Cape of Good Hope, and was buried in the ocean. (See Herald vol. 51, pp. 175-178).

Mrs. Hume (Hannah Derby Sackett) born West Springfield, Mass. June 8, 1816; prof. rel. Babylon, Long Island, April 1838; mar. West Springfield, March 24, 1839; emb. April 1, 1839; returned to U. S. April 12, 1855; 1878, residing in New Haven; ditto 1888. Died New Haven April 18, 1903. (See June 1903 Herald, p. 247)

Royal Gould Wilder, Malone, N. Y.; born Bridgeport, Vt. Oct. 27, 1816; grad. Midd. Coll. 1840; Andover Sem. 1845; ord. Oct. 22, 1845, Malone; emb. Boston May 28, 1846; ar. Bombay Sept. 20, 1846; ar. at Ahmednuggur Oct. 27, 1846; removed to Kolapoore, Nov. 1852; returned to U. S. in the summer of 1857. The mission at Kolapoore was discontinued by vote of the Prudential Committee Oct. 5, 1858; and Mr. Wilder's name omitted thenceforth from the list of missionaries. (Afterwards, Mr. Wilder returned to India, and has continued, under some other arrangement, to conduct missionary operations at Kolapoore.) 1878, at Princeton, N. J. Died in New York City Oct. 10, 1887.

1910 at Islampur, Bombay Presidency.


Mrs. Wood (Elizabeth Woodhull Penney) Greenport, Long Island; born Southampton, Suffolk Co., Long I., May 7, 1831; prof. rel. Greenport, Nov. 1845; studied


Spencer Rexford Wells, Delavan, Wis.; born Albany, N. Y. Aug. 25, 1838; prof. rel. 1861; grad. Beloit Coll. 1859; Chicago Theol. Sem. 1867; ord. with four other foreign missionaries, Chicago, April 18, 1867; sailed from Boston to Bombay July 10, 1869; arrived at Bombay Nov. 13, 1869. He was in the U. S. service as an enlisted man four years in the War of the Rebellion, and lost his right arm at the siege of Vicksburg, under General Grant; Jan. 1878, still
in India; station Panchgani; came to America 1881; arr. May 8; released Aug. 22, 1882. Died at Eagle Grove, Iowa Oct. 7, 1886.

Mrs. Wells (Mary Leeper) Atlanta, Logan Co., Illinois; born Princeton, Bureau Co., Ill. Aug. 31, 1839; prof. rel. Granville, Ill. 1854; studied at the Normal School, Bloomington, Ill.; mar. April 6, 1869; sailed as above; ar. Bombay Nov. 13, 1869; Jan. 1878 still in India; came to Am. 1881; released Aug. 22, 1882; station Panchgani.

(See May 1905 Herald, page 223)


Charles Ware Park, son of Rev. Calvin Park of West Boxford, Mass.; born Sept. 8, 1845; N. Andover, Mass.; prof. rel. Sept. 1863, Amherst, Mass.; grad. Amh. Coll 1867; passed his theological course, one year at Bangor, and two years at
Andover, grad. Andover 1870; ord. Amherst June 15, 1870; sailed from New York by steamer for Liverpool, on the way to this mission Aug. 3, 1870; Bombay Sept. 16, 1870; Jan. 1878, still in India; station, Bombay; returned to U. S. arr. May 30, 1881; released Oct. 24, 1882; 1886 Birmingham, Ct. Died in Pittsfield, Mass. Nov. 24, 1895, where he was pastor of the Unitarian Church.


Mrs. Hume (Abbie Lyon Burgess) dau. of Rev. Ebenezer Burgess (supra) born in India, Sept. 9, 1849; is a grand niece of Mary Lyon; educated at Mt. Holyoke and taught there nearly four years; mar. July 1874; sailed as above;


Died in Bijapur, India Sept. 7, 1922. (Miss Herald 1922, page 413)


Died May 26, 1946 at Hartford, Conn.


Justin Edwards Abbott, (son of Rev. Amos Abbott of this mission formerly); born Portsmouth, Rockingham Co., N.H. Dec. 25, 1853; prof. rel. Rahuri, India 1865;

Mrs. Bissell (Ellen A. Gower) born Haiku, Maui, Hawaiian Islands, Qt. 27, 1861; prof. rel. March 1877; studied public schools; mar. ; emb. N.Y. May 17, 1884; arr. Ahmednagar Aug. ; returned on account of health in 1885; released May 10, 1886; 1898 Honolulu, San. Is.

Mrs. Abbott (Camilla C.) Arrived field 1902; arrived home 1907; arr. field 1908; left Apr. 1, 1910. Died June 26, 1921 at Miraj, India, while on a visit there with her husband.

ASSISTANT MISSIONARIES

James Garrett, Utica, N. Y.; born July 16, 1797; emb. Boston April 6, 1820; ar. in Ceylon, Aug. 2, 1820, but was by Sir Edward Barnes, Ltut. Gov. not permitted to remain; at Bombay May 9, 1821; went out unmarried and was ten years the printer in the Mahratta mission; married as below; died of Dysentery at Bombay on his birthday, July 16, 1831, age 34. Active and faithful and a severe loss to the mission.
Mrs. Garrett, (Philomela Thurston, widow of Rev. Samuel Newell, one of the first band of missionaries (supra); mar. Mr. Garrett, Bombay, March 26, 1822; left Bombay on her return to U. S. Oct. 29, 1831; ar. at Salem, March 9, 1832. She died Sept. 16, 1849. (See her letter to Rev. Rufus Anderson, dated Aug. 12, 1838.

William Cummings Sampson, New York City; born Kingston, Canada West, July 7, 1806; prof. rel. Utica, N. Y. Jan. 1831; embarked Boston Dec. 22, 1832; ar. Bombay Nov. 22, 1833; died of pulmonary consumption at Alleppey, on the Malabar coast, about 120 miles north of Cape Comorin, on his way to Ceylon, Dec. 22, 1835. He was the printer in the Mahratta mission.


George W. Hubbard, born Hanover, N. H. Dec. 25, 1809; emb. with Messrs Graves, Munger and Abbott at Boston May 21, 1834; ar. Bombay Sept. 10, 1834; was superintendent of native schools; recalled June 20, 1837; returned and ar. U. States Feb. 20, 1839; dismissed from service of the Board March 12, 1839.

Mrs. Hubbard (Emma Burge) born Hollis, N. H. Nov. 5, 1809.

Elijah Ashley Webster, Utica, N. Y.; born New Hartford, Oneida Co.
Feb. 20, 1813; prof. rel. Rochester, N. Y. Dec. 1830; emb. with Mr. Ballentine, Boston, May 16, 1835; ar. Bombay Oct. 11, 1835; was the printer in the Mahratta mission; recalled 1842; dismissed.

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Cynthia Farrar, born Marlborough, N. H. April 20, 1795; prof. rel. Aug. 1815; studied at Union Academy, Plainfield, N. H.; was a teacher before leaving the country; emb. with Messrs. Allen and Stone (supra) at Boston, June 5, 1827; ar. Calcutta Sept. 21, 1827; ar. Bombay Dec. 29, 1827; vis. U. S. Jan. 1837; re-emb. Salem, April 1, 1839; ar. Bombay Aug. 10, 1839; was a teacher in the service of the Board at Bombay and Ahmednuggur thirty-four years; died Ahmednuggur Jan. 25, 1862, age 67.


Boston July 5, 1904; ret. to U. S. July 8, 1912; sailed Aug. 30 1913; arr.
field Oct. 17, 1913; ret. U. S. Nov. 25, 1922. In 1925 Dr. and Mrs.
Ballantine were put on the Honor Roll of Missionaries after 47 years of
active service in India. Died May 3, 1929, Pasadena, Calif. at 80 years.
(See Aug. Herald p. 319)

Mrs. Ballantine (Alice C. Parsons) born Easthampton, Mass. June 22, 1851; prof.
rel. 1856, at Easthampton; educated at Mt. Holyoke Sem. Teacher. Mar. Jan. 6,
1875, at Easthampton, Mass.; sailed as above; ar. Jan. 1878, in
India, station Rahuri. Died 1878, Sept. 9. (See Herald Dec. 1878)

prof. rel. 1875; studied Fitchburg High Sch. and Mass. State Normal Art. Sch.;
taught four years in Cape Colony, So. Africa; mar. Aug. 26, 1885; emb. N. Y.
May 27, 1899; re-emb. Boston, Nov. 1, 1905; arr. home June 14, 1911; sailed
Aug. 30, 1913; arr. home Nov. 25, 1922. Died Nov. 15, 1940, at
Fitchburg, Mass.

Emma Katharine Ogden, M.D., born Pittsburg, Penna., Feb. 21, 1840; prof. rel.
1854; educated at Pittsburg; grad. M.D., 1875, Woman's Med. Coll., Philadelphia;
practiced medicine in Pittsburg, Pa. 1 year; sailed New York Nov. 4, 1876; went
out to join the Madura Mission, but was trans. to the Mahratta Mission and was
stationed at Sholapur. Jan. 1878 at Sholapur; ret. to U. S. 1879.

Katie Fairbank, dau. of Rev. Samuel B. Fairbank of this mission; born Ahmednager,
India, May 8, 1859; prof. rel. March 1871; studied Mt. Holyoke Sem. and Bradford
MISSION IN CEYLON
Commenced 1816.

This mission is established in the district of Jaffna, in the northern extremity of the island of Ceylon. It was begun by Messrs. Richards, Warren, Meigs, and Poor, who together were ordained in the Presbyterian Church in Newburyport, June 21, 1815; the largest house of worship then in this commonwealth being filled with worshippers, whom that interesting occasion had drawn together. The four brethren embarked at that port in the brig Dryad, Oct. 23, 1815, which vessel left them at Colombo, the principal port in Ceylon, March 22, 1816. Mr. Bardwell (see Mahratta Mission) was ordained with them, and was a companion in this voyage, but after their arrival in Ceylon, thought it best to join the mission at Bombay. Messrs. Spaulding, Woodward, Winslow, and Scudder, joined the Ceylon mission in 1819. Fourteen years more elapsed before this mission was again reinforced.

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taught school till May 1811; then entered Andover Sem. and finished his course of study there in 1812; attended medical lectures the winter following as did Mr. Richards, at Philadelphia; ord. ut supra, Newburyport, June 21, 1815; emb. Newburyport, in brig Dryad, Oct. 23, 1815; ar. Colombo, Ceylon, March 22, 1816; at Tillipally, Ct. 15, 1816; compelled by hemorrhage from the lungs to leave the mission, Aug. 13, 1817; removed to Jaffnapatam, and in Oct. 1817 to Colombo, for the benefit of his health; and continued to languish and decline, till his death at Cape Town, South Africa, Aug. 11, 1818, age 32. (See Herald vol. 15, pp. 152-154. Also see "Memoirs of Am. Missionaries"). Never married.

Benjamin Clark Meigs, born Bethlehem, Ct. Aug. 9, 1789; prof. rel. in a revival in Yale Coll. and united with the College church 1809; grad. Yale Coll. 1809; taught school till May 1811; then entered Andover Sem. where he remained 2 1/2 years, ending Sept. 1813; ord. with Richards, Warren, and others Newburyport, June 21, 1815; emb. with them Newburyport Oct. 23, 1815; ar. Colombo, Ceylon, Mar. 22, 1816; reached Jaffna Oct. 2, 1816; after an absence from his native land of nearly 25 years, he emb. at Madras Jan. 16 and ar. Philadelphia with his family, May 9, 1840; sailed again from Boston Oct. 14, 1841, leaving wife and children in the U. States, where they ever after remained. He ar. at Colombo, Ceylon, March 15, 1842, and in Jaffna April 1. Stationed Batticotta, Tillipally, Manopy and other places; left Manopy in Oct. 1857; ret. to U. S. in 1858, and died in New York City May 12, 1862. He labored more than forty years in connection with this mission, of which he was one of the founders; and was for many years the oldest ordained missionary of the Board. (See Herald vol. 59; pp. 205, 206)
Mrs. Meigs (Sarah Maria Peet) born Bethlehem, Ct. March 27, 1787; prof. rel. 1805; mar. Aug. 14, 1815; emb. as above; returned to U. S. May 3, 1840; and never went back to Ceylon.

Daniel Poor, born Danvers, Mass. June 27, 1733; prof. rel. Sept. 8, 1805; commenced study with a view to missionary labors; studied Phillips Acad., Andover; grad. Dartmouth Coll. 1811; Andover Sem. 1814; ord. Newburyport with Richards and others, ut supra, June 21, 1815; sailed with them in the Dryad, Oct. 23, 1815; ar. Colombo, Ceylon, March 22, 1816; at Tillipally, Oct. 15, 1816; Batticotta, July 1, 1823; at Batticotta, he founded a Missionary Seminary for native youth of which he was many years the principal; removed to Madura, March 16, 1836, to strengthen the new mission there, begun by Messrs. Todd and Hoisington, July 1834. He went to Tillipally, and rejoined the Ceylon mission in Oct. 1841; left for England and the U. States Feb. 1848; landed in New York Sept. 1848; preached often in this country, and by his eloquent appeals, did much to arouse a missionary spirit; re-emb. Boston Nov. 6, 1850; ar. Calcutta, March 12, 1851; at Colombo May 1851; returned to the mission May 17, 1851. From that time till his death, he resided at Tillipally. He died there of cholera, Feb. 3, 1855, only 24 hours after the first attack. He was a man of eminent ability and learning; a laborious and faithful missionary. (See Herald, vol. 51, pp. 168,169.) Buried in an enclosure on the campus of Union College, Tillipalal.

Mrs. Poor (Susan Bulfinch) born Boston, on Bulfinch St., Dec. 1, 1789; mar. Danvers, Oct. 9, 1815; emb. at supra; died at Tillipally May 7, 1821. See a very interesting account of her last hours, Herald, vol. 18, pp. 94-96 and 121-127. (Bulfinch Street named for her father.)

Mrs. Poor (Ann Knight, sister of Rev. Joseph Knight of the church Missionary Society, Nellore, Ceylon, and of Rev. Charles Knight, Church Missionary in Sierra Leone, who died there in 1825) born in the county of Gloucester, Eng. Sept. 10, 1790; prof. rel. 1806; left England for Ceylon to assist her brother
in the mission, 1821; mar. Jan. 21, 1823; visited U. S. with her husband, Sept. 1848; re-emb. Nov. 6, 1850; after his death returned to England, 1856.

Miron Winslow was a member of this mission from 1819 till 1836, when he became connected with the Madras Mission.


Died Oct. 28, 1874, at Batticotta.

Henry Woodward, son of Prof. Bezaleel and Mary (Wheelock) Woodward, and grandson of Dr. Eleazar Wheelock, the founder and first President of Dartmouth College; born at Hanover, N. H. Feb. 3, 1797; prof. rel. Hanover, May 1815, one of the fruits of the revival of that spring; grad. Dart. Coll. 1815; Princeton Sem. 1818; (there only 2 years); ord. Salem, with Messrs. Fisk, Spaulding, and others, Nov. 4, 1818; emb. Boston June 3, 1819; ar. Calcutta, Oct. 19; ar. Batticotta in Ceylon Feb. 3, 1820; Tillipally June 30, 1823; moved to Manepy April 3, 1829; Batticotta again March 8, 1833; went to Neilgherry Hills on the continent in pursuit of health, which had been impaired for a year or two; left the Hills, proposing to visit the new station at Madura, but died at Coimbatore, on the way, Aug. 3, 1834.
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John Scudder, M.D. was a member of this mission from 1819 till 1836, when, along with Mr. Winslow, he founded the Madras mission.

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George Henry Apthorp, born Quincy, Mass. May 31, 1798; prof. rel. Yale College, July 1827, converted in a revival there; grad. Yale Coll. 1832; Princeton Sem. 1832; appt. Feb. 13, 1832; ord. Norfolk, Va. June 16, 1832; emb. with Messrs. Hoisington, Todd, Hutchings, and Dr. Ward, Boston, July 1, 1833; Madras, Oct. 12, 1833; at Jaffna Oct. 29, 1833; stationed successively at Panditeripo 1834, Varany 1836; and died at Valverty, Ceylon June 8, 1844.


William Todd (See Madura Mission)

Henry Richard Hoisington, Aurora, Cayuga Co., N. Y.; born Vergennes, Vt. Aug. 23, 1801; grad. Williams Coll. 1828; Auburn Sem. 1831; ord. Pastor Aurora, Aug. 1831; pastor there nearly two years.; appt. Feb. 13, 1833; emb. with Messrs. Apthorp, Hutchings and others, at Boston, July 1, 1833; ar. in Ceylon, Oct. 29, 1833; stayed there till July 1834. Messrs. Hoisington and Todd, in-
roduced by Mr. Spaulding (supra) who had previously examined the territory, commenced the Madura mission, July 31, 1834. Shortly after, Feb. 1835, Mr. Hoisington returned to Batticotta, Ceylon, and succeeded Mr. Poor as principal of the Seminary. He visited the U. S. June 3, 1842; re-emb. Boston May 6, 1844; ar. Madras, Sept. 5, 1844; resumed his former duties at Batticotta; returned to U. S., March 5, 1850; released Jan. 31, 1854. Died May 16, 1858, Saybrook, Conn.

Mrs. Hoisington (Nancy Lyman) Aurora, N. Y.; born Chester, Mass. April 12, 1804; prof. rel. Sept. 1819; mar. Chester, Sept. 21, 1831; emb. July 1, 1833; vis. U. S. 1842; re-emb. May 1844; returned to U. S. March 5, 1850. Died Cleveland, Ohio, March 29, 1878. (See Herald, June 1878) (A son, Rev. Henry R. Hoisington is (1878) a Pr. pastor in Cleveland.)

Samuel Hutchings, born New York City, Sept. 15, 1806; prof. rel. there April 1822; grad. Williams Coll. 1828; Princeton Sem. 1831; ord. Elyria, O. Nov. 8, 1831; appt. Dec. 18, 1832; emb. with Messrs Hoisington and others at Boston, July 1, 1833; ar. in Ceylon, Oct. 28, 1833; at Oodooville 1834; Warany 1835; Chavagachery 1837; Manepy 1840; at Madras two years, 1842-1844; returned U. S. 1844; released 1847; 1877 at Newark, N. J., engaged in teaching; 1888 Orange, N. J. Died in East Orange Sept. 1, 1895.

Mrs. Hutchings (Elizabeth Coit Lathrop, dau. of Charles and Joanna Lathrop, and sister of the first Mrs. Winslow (see Madras Mission), Mrs. Perry (infra), and Mrs. Cherry see Madura Mission), New York City; born New London, Ct. April 16, 1813; prof. rel. Norwich, Ct. 1828; mar. New Haven, Ct. Sept. 18, 1831.

Nathan Ward, M.D., Durham, N. H.; born Plymouth, N. H. Nov. 21, 1804; prof. rel. Brownington, Vt. 1821; studied medicine at Hanover, N. H. and Brunswick, Me.; had degree of M.D. from Bowdoin Coll. 1832; emb. with Apthorp, Hoisington,
and others, at Boston, July 1, 1833; ar. Ceylon Oct. 23, 1833; stationed at Batticotta, and one of the instructors of the Seminary there; returned to U. S. 1847; released 1848; re-appointed Nov. 15, 1859; emb. Boston for Madras Nov. 1, 1860; died very suddenly on the passage, Nov. 25, 1860, and buried in the ocean.


James Read Eckard, born Philadelphia, Pa. Nov. 22, 1805; prof. rel. Sept. 1829; grad. University of Pennsylvania 1823; studied at Princeton Sem. and with Rev. Dr. Skinner, then of Phila.; ord. Philad. July 21, 1833; emb. Salem, Oct. 29, 1833; stationed at Batticotta, March 5, 1834; transferred to Madura Feb. 9, 1835; returned to Ceylon 1837, and located at Panditeripoo; teacher in the Seminary at Batticotta 1839; left the island Sept. 1843; returned to U. S. Nov. 6, 1843; released Nov. 12, 1844; 1858-1873, prof. in Lafayette Coll, Easton, Penn. 1877 in Germantown, Penn.


Mrs. Perry (Harriet Joanna Lathrop, sister of Mrs. Hutching (supra), of the first Mrs. Winslow (see Madras Mission) and of Mrs. Cherry (see Madura Mission), Mendon, Mass.; born Norwich, Ct. Sept. 3, 1816; prof. rel. Norwich 1827, only eleven years old; mar. Aug. 11, 1833. Died at Batticotta, Ceylon of cholera March 13, 1837, three days after her husband.

Samuel Goodrich Whittlesey, son of Rev. Samuel Whittlesey; New York City; born New Preston, Ct. Nov. 3, 1809; prof. rel. Boston May 1827; grad. Yale Coll. 1834; tutor there 1836-1838; New Haven Sem. 1840; ordl New Haven, Ct. Feb. 10, 1841; emb. Boston with Mr. Meigs (supra) and others, Oct. 14, 1841; ar. at Colombo, March 15, 1842; in Jaffna April 1, 1842; stationed at Manepy April 1842; at Chavagacherry Jan. 17, 1843; took charge of the Female Boarding School, Oodooville, early in 1844; died of inflammatory fever, at Dindegul, on the neighboring continent, March 10, 1847.


John Curtis Smith, brother of Rev. Asa B. Smith, missionary to the Indians in Oregon and Sandwich Islands; born Williamstown, Vt. Sept. 24, 1812; prof. rel. Nov. 1831; grad. Middlebury Coll. 1833; Andover Sem. 1841; ord. Sept. 29, 1841; emb. with Messrs Meigs, Whittlesey and Wyman, Boston, Oct. 14, 1841; ar. Colombo March 15, and at Jaffna April 1, 1842; stationed at Manepy May 1842; Varany, March 1844; Panditeripo May 1845; continued there till his visit to U.S.
1857; re-emb. with Dr. Ward, 'supra) and others, Boston, Oct. 30, 1860; ar.
Madras March 11, 1861; reached Jaffna April 21, 1861; stationed at Oodoopitty,
1861; was there 1868; vis. U. S. July 1872; released 1874; 1878, at
Winchester, N. H. Died at Hartford, Conn. March 21, 1884.

Mrs. Smith (Eunice Taft Morse) born Paxton, Mass. April 15, 1815; prof. rel.
Holden April 1831; mar. Oct. 7, 1841; emb. Oct. 14, 1841; died of a decline,
at Batticotta, May 9, 1842.

Mrs. Smith (the widow of Dr. John Steele of the Madura Mission, originally
Mary Snell) born Plainfield, Mass. Sept. 21, 1814; mar. Mr. Smith Oct. 13,
1843. She died of pneumonia at Rocky Hill, Ct. May 14, 1873. (Obit. Miss.
Herald August 1873)

Robert Wyman, Cumberland, Me.; born North Yarmouth, Me. Aug. 31, 1814; prof.
rel. Cumberland, 1830; grad. Bowdoin Coll. 1838; Bangor Sem. 1841; ord.
Bangor Aug. 28, 1841; emb. with Mr. Meigs and others, ut supra, Boston,
Oct. 14, 1841; ar. Colombo March 15, 1842; ar. Jaffna April 1, 1842; stationed
at Batticotta as instructor in the Seminary; emb. at Madras for the U. S. for
the benefit of his health, Dec. 27, 1844. Died on the passage, Jan. 13, 1845,
and was buried in the deep. (See Obituary, Herald, vol. 41, p. 240) (He was
born in that part of North Yarmouth, which is now Cumberland.)

Mrs. Wyman (Martha Emmons Weston, dau. of Rev. Isaac Weston of Cumberland, Me.)
North Edgecomb, Me.; born Portland, Me. Dec. 8, 1813; prof. rel. Cumberland
1830; mar. Sept. 22, 1841; emb. Boston Oct. 14, 1841; returned to U. S. May 4,
1845.

Adin Haywood Fletcher, Quincy, Illinois; born Littleton, Mass. April 3, 1816;
1845; ord. Boxboro, Mass. Oct. 15, 1845; emb. Boston with Mr. Howland (infra)
and others, Nov. 12, 1845; ar. Madras March 28, 1846; ar. Jaffna, June 1, 1846;
stationed at Chavacherry 1846; at Manepy 1847; at Tillipally 1848; returned
to U. S. 1850; released Oct. 29, 1850; Since 1864, pastor at Pontiac, Michigan.


William Waterbury Scudder was a member of the Ceylon Mission from 1846 to 1853, when he was transferred to Arcot. His first wife died while in connection with the mission to Ceylon. 1873, present time (May 1878) p. at Glastonbury, Conn. Died Glastonbury Mar. 4, 1895.

Mrs. Scudder (Catharine Eunice Hastings) (See Arcot Mission) Died March 11, 1849.
Eurotas Parmelee Hastings, born Clinton, N. Y. April 17, 1821; prof. rel. autumn of 1838, after a revival; grad. Hamilton Coll. 1842; Union Sem., N.Y. 1846; ori. Clinton, Oct. 6, 1846; emb. with Mr. Spaulding (supra) Dr. Scudder (see Madras Mission) and others, at Boston, Nov. 18, 1846; went out unmarried; ar. Madras March 17, 1847; at Batticotta from 1847 to 1850, when he removed to Manepy; visited U. States, March 12, 1852; re-emb. with Mrs. Hastings, June 2, 1853; ar. Madras Sept. 17, and Batticotta, Oct. 16, 1853; removed to Chavagacherry 1855; to Manepy 1858; still there 1868; visited U. S. 1869; sailed with wife from Boston for Liverpool, on the way to Ceylon Oct. 31, 1871; ar. Ceylon Jan. 10, 1872; Jan. 1878, still in Ceylon; station Batticotta; vis. U. S. arr. June 17, 1881; re-emb. N. Y. Aug. 10, 1882; arr. Jaffna Oct. 13. Dec. 1885 at Batticotta. Died at Manepy July 31, 1890. (See Nov. Herald 1890, p. 442)


Joseph Thomas Noyes and Mrs. Noyes, were members of the Ceylon Mission from 1849 till 1853, when they were transferred to the Madura Mission (infra).

Cyrus Taggart Mills and Mrs. Mills were members of the Ceylon Mission from 1849 to 1854. More recently they were connected with the mission to the Sandwich Islands, (infra). 1877, in Brooklyn, Cal. Died at Oakland, Cal. April 1884.

Irshall Denforth Sanders, born Williamstown, Mass. July 3, 1823; prof. rel. there 1840; grad. Williams Coll. 1846; Auburn Sem. 1851; ord. Williamstown
July 17, 1851; emb. Boston Oct. 31, 1851; ar. Madras, Feb. 21, 1852; reached Ceylon March 12, 1852; stationed Chavagacherry, 1852; Tillipally 1856; Batticotta 1857; continued there till his visit to U. States; ar. in U. S. July 24, 1865; re-emb. Boston for Ceylon by way of England Oct. 3, 1867; reached Batticotta Dec. 18, 1867; visited U. S. 1869; sailed with second wife from New York for Liverpool by steamer May 10, 1871; arr. Batticotta July 4. Died there of apoplexy Aug. 23, 1871. (Spent several months of labor in U. S. 1870-1 in raising funds for a college in Ceylon.) (See Obituary notice in Miss. Herald for Dec. 1871.)


Mrs. Sanders (Caroline Z. Webb) of Adams, N. Y.; born there Feb. 18, 1840; mar. April 6, 1870; sailed from New York for Liverpool on the way to Ceylon May 10, 1871; returned to U. S. a few weeks after the death of her husband, 1888 at Auburndale, Mass.

Nathan Lynde Lord, M.D., Hudson, O.; born Norwich, Ct. Dec. 8, 1821; prof. rel. Ellsworth, O. Jan. 1843; grad. Western Reserve Coll. Hudson, 1845; studied divinity one year and seven months at the Seminary in that place; after which he was agent and financial secretary of the college. Licensed to preach Mar. 6, 1849; ord. Hudson Oct. 12, 1852; emb. Boston Dec. 13, 1852; ar. Jaffna June 9, 1853; stationed at Oodoopitty; remained there till 1858. Prostrate in health, he went to Madras May 1858; and with his family embarked at that port Sept. 27, 1859, by the overland route to England; and reached New York Dec. 8, 1859; After his return, he attended medical lectures in Cleveland, Ohio, where he received the degree of M.D.; afterwards, in Brooklyn and New York. He re-emb. Boston, July 1, 1863, with a view to join the Madura mission; the voyage was long and


1887 Miles, Iowa.


Mrs. Howland (Mary E. K. Richardson) born N. Y. C. prof. rel. ; educated ; mar. April 29, 1873.

Engaged in City Mission work in New York, eight years. Sailed as above.


Missionary Physician


ASSISTANT MISSIONARIES

Eastman Strong Minor, printer, New Haven, Ct.; born Milford, Ct. July 6, 1809; prof. rel. New Haven, July 1828; acquired the printer's art at New Haven, with Dea. Nathan Whiting, office of the Religious Intelligencer; emb. with Mr. Eckard, (supra) Salem, Oct. 29, 1833; ar. Ceylon, March 5, 1834; station, Manepy till 1850; after that Batticotta; returned to U. S. July 8, 1851; released Feb. 17, 1852; Seventeen years printer to the mission.


Mrs. Minor (Judith M. Taylor) born Madison, N. Y. Nov. 2, 1815; emb. unmarried with Messrs Caswell, Benham, and others, to join the mission to Siam; Boston
July 6, 1839; m. at Singapore Dec. 18, 1839; returned to U. S. July 8, 1851. Returned to India 1873 (See Madura Mission) 1888 Andover, Mass.


Jane Eleanor Lathrop, of Bozrah, Ct. went out unmarried in the same vessel, the Jack Warrior, from Boston, July 30, 1839; and m. Rev. Henry Cherry 1840 of the Madura Mission. Died Jan. 19, 1844.

Mary Ann Capell, of Jersey, O. went out unmarried and was a teacher in the Female Boarding School at Oodooville 1846-1847; m. Rev. Clarendon F. Muzzey of the Madura Mission Feb. 1, 1848.

Thomas Scott Burnell and Mrs. Burnell, were members of the Ceylon Mission from 1849-1855, and then transferred to Madura Mission.


Maggie Webster, Binghamton, N. Y.; born Hamilton, Canada West, Oct. 26, 1846; prof.

Joined Bishop Taylor's mission at Secenderabad, India and died at Singarenni Aug. 16, 1887.


MADURA MISSION
Commenced 1834.

This is an outgrowth from the Ceylon Mission, the people in both vicinities speaking the same language. After a tour of exploration by Mr. Spaulding (Ceylon Mission) in Jan. and Feb. 1834, Messrs. William Todd and Henry R. Hoisington (Ceylon Mission) accompanied by Mr. Spaulding, left Jaffna, July 21, in that year, and reached Madura July 31, and forthwith commenced missionary operations in that place. Mr. Hoisington soon returned to Jaffna, and his place was supplied by Mr. Eckard (Ceylon Mission) who also returned to Ceylon 1837.

MISSIONARIES

William Todd, born Marcellus, N. Y. March 8, 1801; prof. rel. 1817; grad. Hamilton Coll. 1821; Auburn Sem. 1824; ord. Ira, N. Y. 1827; pastor three years in Benton, N. Y. and three years in West Dresden, N. Y.; embarked with Messrs. Apthorp, Hoisington, Hutchings, and Dr. Ward, at Boston, July 1, 1833; ar. Madras Oct. 12, 1833; in Ceylon Oct. 28, 1833; at Panditeripo till July 21, 1834; then removed to Madura; removed to Shevagunga Jan. 1839; left the mission in poor health, Feb. 23, 1839; ar. in his native country with his three children June 19, 1839; released July 16, 1839. Died in Kansas, Aug. 10, 1874.

Mrs. Todd (Lucy Brownell) born Ledyard, Cayuga Co., N. Y. Sept. 20, 1800; prof. rel. Penn-yan, N. Y. Sept. 1825; mar. Dec. 12, 1828; emb. Boston July 1, 1833; died at Davapatam, on the sea-coast, 80 miles from Madura, to which she was carried two days previous, Sept. 11, 1835.

Mrs. Todd (originally Clarissa Emerson) born Chester, N. H. Nov. 13, 1798; went out as the wife of Rev. Edmund Frost (Mahratta Mission); after his death was the wife of Rev. Henry Woodward (Ceylon Mission); when again a widow married Mr. Todd at Batticotta, Dec. 22, 1836; and died at Madura June 1, 1837. See a notice of her, Herald, vol. 33, pp. 487, 488.
Henry R. Holingsworth was one of the founders of this mission; but remained in connection with it only a few months, from July 31, 1834 to Feb. 1835. (Ceylon Mission). Died May 16, 1858.

James Reed Eckard was a member of this mission, 1835 to 1837. In 1837, he returned to Ceylon.


Mrs. Hall (Frances A. Willard) Cayuga, N.Y.
Died at Madura Jan. 2, 1836; (Mar. Aug. 21, 1834.)

John Jay Lawrence, New York City; born Geneseo, N.Y. July 12, 1807; prof. rel. Amsterdam, N.Y. 1826; a teacher in Troy Female Seminary; mar. Troy, April 6, 1835; emb. Boston with Mr. Perry (Ceylon Mission), May 16, 1835; ar. Coloombo Sept. 9.; Jaffna Sept. 24; Madura, Oct. 18, 1835; removed to Dindigul 1838; died of dysentery at Tranquebar on his way to Madras Dec. 20, 1846.


Daniel Poor of the Ceylon Mission, came to Madura in Oct. 1835, with Mr. Lawrence and spent three months there in active missionary labor. He removed with his family to Madura, March 16, 1836; and rejoined the Ceylon Mission in Oct. 1841. Died Feb. 3, 1855.

Mrs. Poor (Ann Knight) See Ceylon Mission.
Robert Orton Dwight, Northampton, Mass.; born Stockbridge Oct. 31, 1802; grad. Andover Sem. 1834; ord. at Northampton Aug. 23, 1835; emb. Philadelphia Nov. 16, 1835; ar. Madras March 22, 1836; at Madura April 22, 1836; at Dindigul near the close of 1836; removed to Madura 1842; died of cholera at Madura Jan. 8, 1844.

Mrs. Dwight (Mary Billings) Conway, Mass., dau. of Dea. Elisha and Mary (Storrs); born Mar. 8, 1808; mar. Sept. 21, 1835; emb. Nov. 16, 1835; after the death of Mr. Dwight, she mar. Rev. Miron-Winslow of the Madras Mission, died at Madras April 20, 1852.


Mrs. Cherry (Henrietta Ebele, grand-daughter of a former English missionary in Jaffna, Ceylon; mar. Madura Nov. 9, 1844.
Edward Cape, Louisville, N. Y.; born New Lisbon, N. Y. May 25, 1806; was a member of the Madura Mission from 1837 to 1840; and then transferred to the Mission at Ceylon. 1861, Gilbertsville, N. Y.; 1877, same address.


Mrs. Muzzy (Mary Ann Capell) Jersey, Licking Co., Ohio; born Newstead, Erie Co., N. Y. March 7, 1820; prof. rel. Jersey, O. 1837; emb. with Messrs Herrick, Webb, and Rendall and their wives, Boston, Nov. 12, 1845; went out unmarried; joined the Ceylon mission and was a teacher at Oodooville, 1846 to 1847; mar. Mr. Muzzy 1873 in Boston, Feb. 1, 1848; returned to U. S. May 31, 1857; released March 1, 1864; 1889.

100 East 57th St., New York City, N. Y. Died New York Dec. 5, 1838.

Mrs. Tracy (Emily Frances Travilli, sister of Rev. Joseph S. Travilli, of the Singapore Mission); born Philadelphia Feb. 20 1811; mar. Nov. 5, 1836; emb. as above; still in the good work. Jan. 1878, still in India; station Tirupuvanam. Died at Tirupuvanam, April 17, 1879. (See Herald July 1879.)


Mrs. Ward (Jane Shaw) born New York City, Dec. 26, 1811; mar. Sept. 21, 1836; emb. Nov. 23, 1836; returned to U. S. 1846; 1887 Geneseo, N. Y.


Mrs. Rendall (Jane Ballard) Quincy, Ill; born Athol, Mass. March 4, 1826; prof. rel. Athol April 1834; at eight years of age; mar. Quincy, Ill. Aug. 19, 1845; emb. Boston Nov. 12, 1845; visited U. S. May 1, 1858; re-emb. New York May 21, 1859; reached Madras Sept. 15, 1859; left Madura for U. S. July 16, 1867; but died at sea between Alexandria and Marseilles Sept. 4, 1867 and found a grave in the Mediterranean.

Mrs. McIlilan (Rebecca Newman Brand) New York City; born Monmouth, N. J. Dec. 10, 1817; prof. rel. Dec. 1834; mar. N. Yor: March 10, 1846;

John Eddy Chandler, born North Woodstock, Ct. June 12, 1817; prof. rel. Dec. 1831; studied three years at Yale but did not graduate; Lane Sem. 1846; ord. Cincinnati Sept. 14, 1846; emb. Boston Nov. 16, 1846; ar. Madras March 17, 1847; stationed at Madura; removed to Sivagunga 1850; to Dindigul 1854; to Battalagundu 1855; visited U. S. April 24, 1861; re-emb. Boston, Jan. 20, 1864; at Tirumungalum 1864; at Madura 1868; vis. U. S. 1874; sailed N. Y. Aug. 24, 1876; Jan. 1878 at Pulney; vis. U. S. arr. Boston, May 12, 1889; re-emb. N. Y. July 16, 1892; arr. Madura Sept. 12, 1892. Died Madura Jan. 10, 1894. (See Herald March 1894, page 95, also April 1894, page 147)


Nathan Lynde Lord, M.D. was connected with this mission about three years, from the end of 1863 to the beginning of 1867, but extreme ill health compelled his return to U.S. (See Ceylon Mission). Died Jan. 24, 1868.


Dindigul July 1630. Died at Dindigul March 13, 1895. (See June 1895 Herald)


heavy flood, Nov. 10, 1862. (See obituary of this zealous and promising young missionary, Herald, vol. 59, pp. 65-67.)


Thornton Bigelow Penfield, step-son of Rev. Henry Cowles of Oberlin, O.; born Alden, Erie Co., N.Y. Oct. 2, 1834; converted at the age of eight years; prof. rel. 1846; studied two years in Union Theol. Sem., New York City and part of one year at Oberlin Sem.; grad. Oberlin Coll. 1856; Oberlin Sem. 1858; a missionary; 7 years in Jamaica, where he was ordained 1859; emb. Boston Nov. 7, 1866; ar. Madura, May 1867. He died at Pasumalie Aug. 19, 1871 of typhus fever. (See obituary notice in Miss. Herald for December 1871)


(Mrs. Penfield's first wife was Sarah C. Ingraham, dau. of Rev. David S.Ingraham.)


Mrs. Hazen (Ida Julia Chapin) Ludlow, Vt.; born Windham, Vt. Feb. 20, 1848; prof. rel. April 7, 1867; mar. July 2, 1867; sailed as above; ret. U.S. 1869;


Mrs. Peck (Helen Maria Nelson) born Monroe, N. H. Jan. 10, 1840; united with Meth. Ch. 1855, in Newbury, Vt.; educated at Newbury Sem. and Monticello Sem., Ill. Taught somewhat. Mar. June 3, 1875, Godfrey, Ill. Sailed as above. Returned as above. Released


MISSIONARY PHYSICIANS

John Steele, M.D. Auburn, N.Y.; born Hebron, N.Y. Aug. 19, 1804; embarked at Boston Nov. 23, 1836; ar. Madura May 10, 1837; died of pulmonary consumption at Madura Oct. 6, 1842.


Mrs. Perkins (Lucy Elizabeth Crosswell) born Adrian, Mich. April 1, 1866; united with Episcopal Church, Pittsburg, Penn.; studied in Penn. College for Women and
Comments by Mrs. Isabel Palmer Wister, daughter of the late Dr. Henry Knox Palmer, in her letter of September 16, 1950 written from 2018 Parker Street, Berkeley, Calif. to Mr. Belcher:

"Dr. Chandler's book mentioned my father often, but to my surprise, with scant attention to the fact that my father was a MEDICAL MISSIONARY and a graduate physician—the first among the Madura Mission, so I have always understood.

"His interest in, and scholarly knowledge of the Bible accounted for his being called a minister many times, and I noticed in your statement, he was so described. This caused him much secret amusement, because his medical profession was instrumental in his being more useful than had he been solely an evangelist, he thought.

"So please record him as an M.D., graduate of RUSH MEDICAL, and founder of what is now the great ALBERT VICTOR MEMORIAL HOSPITAL now in Madura, 'founded' on his little dispensary. I say 'founder' with pride, and have some letters which I am including in my book INDIA JOURNAL I am preparing as a gift to the Board in memory of my parents, with many pictures of that period, when I joined the family..."

ASSISTANT MISSIONARIES

Alfred North, Boonville, Oneida Co., N.Y.; born Exeter, N.H. March 10, 1807; a printer by trade; which trade he learned at Utica, N.Y.; prof. rel. at St. George's Church, New York, 1833; emb. Boston, July 20, 1835; ar. at Singapore Feb. 6, 1836; was missionary printer at Singapore till the relinquishment of that mission in 1843; he then removed to Madura, where he was engaged in teaching and preaching; arrived in Madura Jan. 1, 1844; returned to U.S. 1847; released Aug. 22, 1848. (He died suddenly at Chilton, Wisconsin, March 3, 1869.)


Sarah Wilbur Ashley, born Milan, Erie Co., Ohio June 21, 1839; prof. rel. May 1856; emb. with Mr. Chester and others at Boston Dec. 8, 1858; ar. Madras April 7, 1859; at Madura May 1859; teacher in the Female Boarding School at Madura; released March 15, 1864. Then became the wife of W. Yorke, Esq. of Tirumungalum, principal of the Training Institution of the Christian Vernacular Education Society. She died March 23, 1872. (See obituary notice in Herald, July 1872.)


Lertha Sturtevant Taylor, daughter of Rev. Horace S. Taylor, missionary at Kandapasalie; born at Madura, S. India, March 31, 1846; united with her father's


Mary E. Rendall, daughter of Rev. John Rendall, of this mission; born Madura, So. India, April 18, 1851; prof. rel. Quincy, Ill. 1861; educated at Quincy Acad. and Quincy College, Ill.; emb. Boston in the Winged Hunter for Madras accompanying her father on his return, Jan. 22, 1870; ar. Madras April 28, 1870; married Sept. 1877 to Rev. Hugh Horsley of the Church Missionary Society.


MADRAS MISSION

Commenced by Messrs. Winslow and Scudder of the Ceylon Mission, in the summer of 1836. Relinquished in 1866, after the death of Mr. Winslow, its last clerical member.

MISSIONARIES

Miron Winslow, born at Williston, Vermont, Dec. 11, 1789; prof. rel. Norwich, Ct. Jan. 5, 1811; he was then in business in that place as a merchant. Entered Junior Class, Middlebury Coll., Vt. 1813, and grad. there 1815; grad. Andover Sem. 1818; ord. with Levi Spaulding, Woodward, and Pliny Fisk, at Salem, Nov. 4, 1819; emb. with Spaulding, Woodward, and Scudder, at Boston June 8, 1819; arr. Calcutta Oct. 19, 1819; reached Jaffna, Ceylon, February 18, 1820; took up his residence at Codoovilla July 4, 1820; labored there thirteen years. Mrs. Winslow having died, he left that place in Sept. 1833; ar. in the U.S. March 25, 1834; re-emb. with second wife at Philadelphia Nov. 16, 1835; and reached Madras, March 22, 1836. A new mission with special reference to a printing establishment was commenced at that place last named, by Mr. Winslow, Aug. 18, 1836. This was his station and his home, the remaining twenty-eight years of his life. He again visited U.S. March 4, 1856; and re-emb. with fifth wife, at Boston, in the steamer Europa, for Liverpool, Aug. 12, 1857; sailed from London for Madras Oct. 10, 1857, reaching that place early in 1858. He sailed from Madras accompanied by his wife, Aug. 29, 1864; reached Cape Town, South Africa, Oct. 20 and died there Oct. 22, 1864. He was distinguished as a scholar; his great work being the revision of the Tamil Scriptures, and a Tamil and English Dictionary. He received the degree of Doctor of Divinity from Harvard College in 1858. (See obituary notice in Herald, vol. 61, pp. 65-69.

Mrs. Winslow (Harriet Wadsworth Lathrop, daughter of Charles and Joanna Lathrop, see Mrs. Hutchings (Ceylon Mission); born Norwich, Ct. April 9, 1796; prof. rel. 1808; mar. Jan. 11, 1819; emb. Boston June 8, 1819.
Died at Oodooville Jan. 14, 1833. (See a Memoir of her, by her husband, published 1835)

Mrs. Winslow (Mrs. Carman; her maiden name was Catherine Waterbury, sister of the wife of Dr. John Scudder, below and also sister of Rev. Jard B. Waterbury, now of Brooklyn, N. Y.; born in New York City, Nov. 22, 1798; prof. rel. 1817; mar. April 22, 1835; emb. Philadelphia, Nov. 16, 1835; ar. Madras March 22, 1856; died there of cholera Sept. 23, 1837. (See obituary in Herald, vol. 34, pp. 150-163).

Mrs. Winslow (Anne Spiers) her home was Hastings, England; born Cuddalore, in the Presidency of Madras, May 21, 1812; left England, Aug. 1836; mar. Sept. 13, 1838; died Madras June 20, 1843.

Mrs. Winslow (Mrs. Dwight, maiden name, Mary Billings, widow of Rev. Robert O. Dwight of the Madura Mission.) mar. Mr. Winslow March 12, 1845. In January 1846, she left India for the U. S. for the benefit of her health; re-emb. Boston, Oct. 10, 1848; ar. Madras Feb. 20, 1849; died Madras April 20, 1852. (See obituary in Journal of Missions Aug. 1852)


John Scudder, M.D., New York City; born Freehold, N. J. Sept. 3, 1793; grad. Princeton Coll. 1811; prof. rel. Freehold 1810; studied medicine with Dr. Samuel Forman in New Jersey and Dr. David Hosack in New York; received the degree of M.D. in 1814; practiced medicine in New York; embarked with Messrs. Spaulding, Woodward, and Winslow at Boston, June 3, 1819; ar. Calcutta Oct. 11, 1819; settled at Tillipally Dec. 17, 1819; at Panditeripo July 4, 1820; ordained
Jaffna May 1821; continued at Panditerigo till Jan. 29, 1834, when he removed to Chavagacherry; joined Mr. Winslow at Madras in the new mission there, Sept. 2., 1836; this was his home till the end of his mortal career. He visited U. B. Aug. 1841; travelled and labored in this country extensively and to good effect; re-emb. Boston Nov. 13, 1846; ar. Madras March 17, 1847; died of apoplexy at the Cape of Good Hope, Jan. 13, 1855.

Mrs. Scudder (Harriet Waterbury, sister of the 2nd Mrs. Winslow; born N.Y.City Aug. 14, 1795; prof. rel. N.Y. 1816; mar. N.Y. Jan. 15, 1816; emb. Boston June 8, 1813; died at Madras Nov. 13, 1849. Dr. and Mrs. Scudder labored in connection with the Madura mission after their return from America in 1847, until relieved by the arrival of Dr. Shelton in March 1849.


Ferdinand DeWilton Ward, of the Madura Mission, joined the Madras Mission early in 1843 and continued therein until his return to the U. S. in 1846. 1877 in Genessee, N.Y. Died at Clarens, Switzerland, Aug. 11, 1891. (The proper location of Messrs Hutchings and Ward and their wives is in the Madras Mission, in conformity with a rule announced in the Preliminary Remarks of this record.)


Mrs. Dulles (Harriet Lathrop Winslow, daughter of Rev. Miron Winslow of this mission, by his first wife) home Bloomingdale, N.Y.; born Oodoovilla, Ceylon,
April 13, 1829; mar. Sept. 20, 1848; emb. Oct. 10, 1848; returned 1853;
released Nov. 4, 1853; 1883 Philadelphia, Pa.

Isaac Newton Hurd, Big Flat, Chenango Co., N.Y.; born Scipio, Cayuga Co., N.Y.
June 9, 1821; prof. rel. Aurora, N.Y. April 1846; grad. Auburn Sem. 1848; ord.
Big Flat Jan. 1850; appointed July 8, 1851; emb. Boston March 24, 1852; ar.
Madras July 13, 1852; returned to U.S. Aug. 27, 1858; released June 21, 1859;
1871 Carson City, Nev.; 1877, Mento Park, Cal.; 1888 Fresno, Cal.

Mrs. Hurd (Mary Catharine Bassett) born Hector, Tompkins Co., N.Y. Feb. 28, 1828;
prof. rel. Sept. 1842; mar. Feb. 4, 1852; emb. Boston, March 24, 1852; died of
typhoid fever at Madras Jan. 30, 1854.

Henry Martyn Scudder, son of Dr. John Scudder, was a member of this mission
from his arrival in 1844 till his removal to Arcot in 1851. See Arcot Mission.

ASSISTANT MISSIONARY

Phinehas Rice Hunt and Mrs. Hunt, were members of the Madras Mission, from 1840 to
the abandonment of the mission in 1866. Since March 1863, they have been
in Peking, No. China, of typhus fever; connected with the North China mission. Died May 30, 1873; He was the missionary
printer at Madras twenty-seven years. The amount of printing at that establish-
ment from July 1833 to Dec. 1864 was 446, 617, 020 pages, of which 228, 417, 013
were pages of scripture.
**AROCOT MISSION**

Commenced in 1851, by Henry M. Scudder, after an exploration by him and John W. Dulles in June 1849. It was originally a part of the Madras Mission, but was detached therefrom in 1853. It was carried on wholly by the Scudder family, consisting of five brothers and their wives, and one sister.

The connection between the American Board and the General Synod of the Reformed Dutch Church, established in 1832, having been dissolved by mutual consent in September 1857, the Arcot Mission and the Amoy Mission were forthwith transferred to the Board of Foreign Missions of said church, and the members of these two missions released from their relation to the A.B.C.F.M.

**MISSIONARIES**

Henry Martyn Scudder, M.D. (D.D.) son of Rev. John Scudder, M.D. missionary to Ceylon and Madras missions; born Panditeripo in the district of Jaffna, Ceylon Feb. 5, 1822; came young to U.S.; prof. rel. in the Carmine St. Ch., New York, 1840; grad. Union Coll. 1840; Union Theol. Sem., N.Y. 1843; ord. N.Y. 1843; emb. Boston May 6, 1844; ar. Madras Sept. 5, 1844; removed to Arcot 1851; released Sept. 22, 1857; Jan. 1878, Cong. Pastor, Brooklyn, N.Y. Died in Winchester, Mass. June 4, 1895. (See July 1895 Herald, p. 286) It is believed that the case here recorded is the first instance in which the son of a missionary has been sent forth as a preacher to the heathen. (Herald vol. 41, p. 7)

Mrs. Scudder (Fanny Lewis) born Walpole, Mass. 1813; prof. rel. 1832; mar. April 19, 1844; emb. May 6, 1844; Jan. 1878 residing with Dr. S. in Brooklyn, N.Y. Died at Woburn, Mass. Nov. 30, 1900.

ar. Madras March 17, 1847; ar. Jaffna in Ceylon April 1847; stationed at
Chavagacherry in Ceylon Jan. 1848; at Manepa 1850; visited U.S. 1852; re-emb.
Boston Dec. 13, 1852; ar. Madras May 2, 1853; transferred to the Arcot
Mission, now detached from the Madras mission 1853; visited U. 1857;
released Sept. 22, 1857; Jan. 1878, pastor Cong. Ch., Glastonbury, Conn.
India 1885. Died in Glastonbury, March 4, 1895.

Mrs. Scudder (Catharine Eunice Hastings, daughter of Thomas Hastings, the
distinguished professor of Music) born Utica, N.Y. Aug. 22, 1825; mar. N.Y.
City Sept. 24, 1846; emb. Boston Nov. 18, 1846; died of cholera on board of a
small native vessel, after a visit to friends at Madura, and on the passage
across the strait which separates Ceylon from the main land, March 11, 1849.
(See obituary in Herald vol. 45, pp. 260-262.) She was a member of the Ceylon,
but not of the Arcot mission.

Mrs. Scudder (Elizabeth Oliver Knight) Newark, N.J.; born Boston Sept. 15, 1830;
prof. rel. Brooklyn, N.Y. June 1849; mar. Newark, Sept. 23, 1852; emb. Boston

Joseph Scudder, brother of the preceding; born Panditeripo, Ceylon, Jan. 14, 1826;
came to this country when a child; prof. rel. New York July 1843; grad. Rutgers
Coll., New Brunswick, N.J. 1848; Seminary of Ref. Dutch Ch., N. Brunswick, 1851;
stationed at Arnee in the territory of Arcot; released Sept. 22, 1857; vis. U. 1860;
1875, at Upper Red Hook, N.Y. Died Nov. 1876.

Mrs. Scudder (Sarah Anna Chamberlain) Hudson, Ohio; born Sharon, Ct. June 1, 1830;
prof. rel. July 1843; mar. April 4, 1853; emb. June 2, 1853; released Sept. 22,
1857. She did at Saratoga, N.Y. Feb. 12, 1870.


Jared Waterbury Scudder, M.D., brother of the preceding; born at the health station on the Neilgerry Hills, on the continent of India, Feb. 8, 1830; united with Presbyterian Ch., Hudson, Ohio in 1847; grad. Western Reserve Coll., Hudson, O. 1850; Sem. of Ref. Dutch Church, New Brunswick, N.J. 1855; ord. with his brother Ezekial at New York Sept. 16, 1855; emb. with same brother, Boston, Oct. 13, 1855; ar. Madras March 3, 1856; stationed at Arnee, Arcot mission; released Sept. 22, 1857. 1875, returned to America. May 1878, returned to India.


ASSISTANT MISSIONARY

Louisa Scudder, dau. of Rev. John Scudder, and sister of the preceding missionaries; born at Madras in South eastern India, April 26, 1837; came to this country early; united with a Presbyterian Ch., N. York City July 1853; emb. with her brother Ezekiel and Jared, Boston, Oct. 13, 1855; ar. Madras Mar. 3, 1856; released Sept. 22, 1857. Sept. 1861, married Col. Sweet of English army. 1878, in Stuttgart, Germany.