

1803 William Corliss Bowen

A.B. Union 1803

Student at Brown 1799-1801

A.M. Brown 1811

M.D. University of Edinburgh 1807

Prof. Chemistry, Brown 1811-1813

Physician Providence, R. I.

Author: De Sanguine mittendo 1809

b. Providence, R.I. June 2, 1785

d. " " Apr. 23, 1815

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Was graduated at Union College in 1803. He studied medicine with an uncle, Dr. Pardon Bowen, of Providence, and afterwards went to Europe and studied in the schools of Paris, London and Edinburgh. He turned his attention to chemical pursuits and in 1811 returned to this country. He greatly impaired his property and lost his life in experiments, the results of which were of great benefit to the manufacturing interests of the country.

He was the son of Dr. William Bowen, of Providence, R. I., a descendant of Richard Bowen, one of the earliest settlers of Rehoboth, Mass., in 1643.

His sister, Harriet Bowen, married Commodore Charles Morris.

Descendants of Edward Morris      p. 236  
Jonathan Flynt Morris  
Hartford, Conn.  
1887.

CLASS OF 1803

WILLIAM C. BOWEN

Son of Dr. William Bowen of Providence, R. I.  
William C. Bowen, who died in 1815, was also a  
physician, making the sixth generation devoted to  
the medical profession.

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BOWEN, WILLIAM CORLIS, A.B.; A.M. 1811; M.D. 1813; A.B. Union  
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Brown university, 1811-13. Student Brown university 1799-1801; phy-  
sician Providence, R. I. Author *De sanguine mittendo*, 1809. Born  
Providence, R. I., June 2, 1785; died Providence, April 23, 1815.  
R. I. cyc., Parsons

Bowen

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of  
Adelphic

WILLIAM C. BOWEN, Prof. Chem. Brown's Univ. , 1803, of Providence, R.I., was a member  
of the Adelphic Society. He died in 1815.  
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WILLIAM C. BOWEN.

DIED: In Providence, R. I., June 10, Mrs. Rebecca Bowen, relict of Dr. William C. Bowen, and daughter of the late Christopher Olney, aged 28 years.

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June 24, 1815.

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Married Rebecca Olney, March 25, 1812.  
She was born 1788.  
Have record of one son, to wit; William C.

Genealogy of Thomas Olney p. 55  
James H. Olney  
Providence, R. I.  
1889.

William Collins Bowen - A/B-1803

William Curtis Bowen <sup>H. B.</sup>  
1803