WILLIAM J. BULKLEY.

Missionary at Manlius, Onondaga County and parts adjacent.

Journal of the Proceedings of the Protestant Episcopal Church in General Convention, 1826. p. 93
CLASS OF 1814. WILLIAM J. BULKLEY.

Clergymen of the Protestant Episcopal Church, who officiated previous to the organization of the society (St. Paul's Church, Syracuse, organized May 22, 1826) were Rev. Messrs. Lucius Smith, Wm. B. Thomas, Wilcox, Wm. J. Bulkley, Augustus L. Converse (Union 1819), et al. Onondaga, Clark, v. 2 p. 97

In January, 1804, the Episcopal Church (of Manlius) was at first organized under the Rev. Davenport Phelps, Missionary. Church building erected 1813, since which the following clergy have had charge over it: Rev. Messrs. Clark, Pardee, Bulkley, et al. Onondaga, Clark, v. 2p. 815.
WILLIAM JOSEPHUS BULKLEY.

Son of Jonathan and Lydia Bulkley, of Fairfield, Conn.
Sixth child.
Is said to have married ---------Battelle.
No other information obtained.

The Bulkeley Genealogy p. 327; p. 819.
Donald Lines Jacobus
New Haven, Conn.
1933.

WILLIAM F. BULKLEY; 1814, a resident of Fairfield, Conn., was a member of the
Philomathean Society. (Died: 1832)

Philomathean Catalogue 1850.
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"My services commenced at this station the 19th of October, 1823. Since which, making Manlius my residence, my time has been employed in that and adjacent villages, and including those Sundays on which I exchanged with other clergymen, the return of services will be, four Sundays at Perryville, ten at Jamesville, and the remainder in the village of Manlius Square. Besides the required duties of Sunday, your missionary has given a third service twice at Syracuse, twice at Jamesville, once at Chittenango, and twice at Nelson.

"I visited, on a week day, a few families scattered in the town of Fabius and Tully, held divine service, and baptized four children.

"In the discharge of my official duties during the year, and within the compass of my labors, there have been Baptisms (adults, 2, infants, 12) 14; marriages, 2; Funerals, 2.

"Independently of St. Stephen's, Perryville, where there are about 36 communicants, of those who usually attend at Manlius, although dispersed throughout that and the neighboring towns, the following is the account: Added 7; removed 9; present number, 65. Collected for the Missionary Fund, $3.56; Diocesan fund, $7.50.

"The congregation at Manlius has suffered much of late years by removals; and such as have been, and are, most sensibly felt.


"Since my last report, I have officiated about two-thirds of the time in Manlius, six Sundays at Perryville, six Sundays at Chittenango, three Sundays at Jamesville, and one Sunday at Onondaga. Moreover, after performing the usual labors of Sunday, I have rode to the following places, and given a third service: four times at Jamesville, once at Syracuse, once at Nelson, once at Canistota, once at Chittenango, besides a third service at Manlius. At St. Stephen's, Perryville, Madison County, there is a flourishing congregation, and with additions during the past year, there are now about forty communicants.

"At Manlius five have been added, died four, removed six, present number, 60."
"Whole number of baptisms 15, of which two are adults; Funerals, 2; Marriages, 2.
"It is with pleasure I have to add, that the parish of Manlius has, during the current year, by very liberal exertions, succeeded in the purchase of a suitable organ; for which, considering their embarrassed circumstances, much credit is due."

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"There have been Baptisms (adults) 13, infants, 13. Marriages, 4; Funerals, 5; Communicants (added 27; removed, 11; died, 2) 74. Sunday scholars 45 in all, usual number 25 to 30. Confirmed by the Bishop on the 6th of September, 40.
"Besides the services which have been devoted to the church in the village of Manlius, I have performed divine services and preached 11 Sundays at Jamesville, and one Sunday at Onondaga Hill.
"Manlius and Jamesville have during the past year, manifested a spirit of religious inquiry, and the happy effect of such an inquiry I have seen in the addition to our holy communion."

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In the list of clergy of the Diocese of New-York for 1826, he is listed as without charge. He attended the convention of the Diocese of New-York of 1827 but not as a member.

The Rev. William J. Bulkley has removed to the Island of St. Croix.—Report for 1828.

Journals of the Conventions of the Diocese of New York.