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Truman C. White
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Was the first Surrogate of Erie County (?), being appointed in 1821, and continuing faithfully to discharge the duties of the office for over seven years. He was a lawyer of considerable ability, somewhat celebrated for quaintness of speech and manners as well as for his wit and eccentricities; and at one time possessed fair reputation and influence, but in later years was unfortunate and leaving no family, is not remembered by many of the present day.

FROM History of Buffalo and Erie County, N. Y. Vol. 2, p. 459
H. Perry Smith
D. Mason & Co.
Syracuse 1884
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Son of Jabez Chapin, married Miss Dwight of Longmeadow, Mass.

In 1861, Roswell Chapin was residing at Buffalo.

FROM Chapin Genealogy p. 81
Orange Chapin
Metcalf & Co.
Northampton 1862

ROSWELL CHAPIN, 1816, of Buffalo, was a member of the Adelphic Society.
Adelphic Catalogue 1830.