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CLASS OF 1803

GIDEON STARR

Son of Benajah (and first wife, name unknown) of Schenectady.

Died at Schenectady, N. Y., aged 21, while a member of the Senior Class of Union College.

FROM History of the Starr Family p. 372  
Burgis Pratt Starr  
Case, Lockwood & Brainard Co.  
Hartford, Conn.  
1879.

GIDEON STARR 1803

A student of Union College who died before graduating.

Prof. Pearson's Scrap Book p. 301

GIDEON STARR, non-graduate of 1803, of Conn., was a member of the Adelpheids Society.  
He died in 1801.  
Adelphic Catalogue 1830

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The following oration was delivered by the Author, to a crowded Audience, on the 4th day of July, about three weeks before his death.

Esteem, and the tenderest affection, for a deceased Brother and Fellow Student, have influenced the Society to bring into public view a juvenile Production, which the modesty of the Author would have forbidden.

Schenectady, Union College  
August 11, 1801.

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