CLASS OF 1813

WILLIAM GROVES

Son of Peter & Lydia (Lombard) Groves. Peter Groves was a Revolutionary soldier.

William Groves was born May 18, 1788 at Brimfield, Mass. He married first Phebe Sherwood, of Clinton, N. Y., who died. He married second Lucy Bush (born April 6, 1801 at Pittsfield, Mass.).

He was a lawyer and a teacher. He and another gentleman were members of the first class to graduate from Hamilton College, Clinton, N. Y., 1814. He settled at Clarkson, N. Y. and in 1840 was supervisor of the town. In 1846 he removed to Alexandria, La., where he conducted a boarding school for boys and girls for a number of years. Later he taught school at Clinton, N. Y., for two years and returned to Alexandria, La., where he died, September 5, 1867. She died August 29, 1850.

CHILDREN, by second wife:

1. Helen, born July 16, 1824 at Clarkson, N. Y. She married February 1850 Curtis F. Lewis, who was a prominent merchant at Alexandria, La. She died Dec. 5, 1886 at Alexandria, La.
   (a) Lucy M. Lewis, born Apr. 23, 1852, who married Major Charles A. Vernou, U. S. A. now (1915) retired and living at Ann Arbor, Mich. She died 1893.
   (b) Isabella T. Lewis, born July 2, 1853; married Honorable Waddell and living in (1915) at Alexandria, La.
   (c) Dennett Lewis, born --- (a) Pomroy Lewis------


3. Frances Caroline, born Dec. 2, 1828, at Clarkson, N. Y. She died Dec. 9, 1853 at Alexandria, La., unmarried.

4. Edward, born January 27, 1831 at Clarkson, N. Y. He died April 12, 1878 at New Orleans, La., and buried at Alexandria, La., unmarried.

5. Lucy, died in infancy.


7. Mary Virginia, born March 27, 1845 at Clarkson, N. Y. She married Jan. 3, 1865, Charles M. Everett of Clinton, N. Y. They now reside at Waterville, N. Y. A member of Grace Episcopal Church. She has been very much interested in this genealogy and has contributed generously to its success.
   (a) William Gill, born Feb. 27, 1869
   (b) Edward Royce, born Mar. 16, 1873; Married Frances Sisson.
   (c) John Groves, born Mar. 28, 1875.

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Hamilton College Alumni Register, 1812-1922.