Rev. J. S. Easton died July 25, 1879, aged 72 years. Concordiensis Jan. 1880.

JOHN S. EASTON

was born in Ancrum, Roxburghshire, Scotland, in the year 1806. When he was about ten years old, his family settled in Washington Co., N. Y. He was graduated in 1830, was a member of the P. B. K. society and their valedictorian. He entered the Associate Presbyterian Theological Seminary at Cannonsburgh, Pa., in 1831, married in 1835 and took the united charges of Reedsville and Stone Valley, in Mifflin and Huntingdon counties, Pa., laboring there for twenty years. From 1855 to 1866 he preached at Scroggsfield, Carroll Co., Ohio. In 1866 he resigned and became editor and co-proprietor of the "United Presbyterian" newspaper, of Pittsburgh, Pa., but his health failing, he accepted a call from the U. P. Congregation of Braddock's Fields, where he labored successfully until 1876. His health again failing he resigned and spent the following winter in Floriaa. Returning in the spring to his daughter's home, Alleghany City, Pa., where he had lived since the death of his wife in 1869, he was struck with paralysis which confined him to his bed for twenty-one months, when he calmly passed away, July 25th, 1879. He leaves two sons and three daughters. He received the title of D.D. from the college of New Wilmington, Pa. He was a Republican and strongly anti-slavery. He was a man of lovely character and an able minister.

JOHN EASTON, 1830, of Argyle, N.Y., was a member of the Philomathean Society. Philomathean Catalogue 1830 (Died: 1879)

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