

CLASS OF 1834

JOHN JAY HYDE

Son of John and Lucy Anne (Burrows) Hyde, was born in Stonington, Conn., February 15, 1811, and died in Fort Scott, Kans., in 1875.

He attended the schools of his city and entered the "Academy" in 1827, and graduated in 1831. He graduated A. B. from Union College in 1834, and later received the degree of A. M. from the Institution; was valedictorian of his class and a member of the Phi Beta Kappa Fraternity.

He later studied medicine, but after a brief practice entered the profession of journalism. He was associated with Park Benjamin and William Henry Herbert in publishing the New York World. He was a Republican in politics and held several positions; was U. S. Consul to Porto Rico, during President Lincoln's administration.

He was married, about 1840, to Mrs. Hattie Jones; no children.

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Hyde John Jay, 1834  
Pearson Diaries V.4, pp. 720-21

Hyde, John M. 1834 8/1/1835  
-editor, the "Parthenon" (see Publications under U.C.) "...was..more persecuted..possessed more enemies than any man in his class..sometimes imprudent he might have been, a little vain, and of few associates... his intentions were to use every man becomingly..his ways were those of a polished gentleman..he read and spoke well, read much, but studied none/ Hyde was one of those geniuses who found their improvement upon novels, periodicals, and other light literature of the day which rather amuses than instructs and strengthens the intellect...quick and hasty..."  
Pearson Diaries V.2, pp. 166-7  
-see story of Hyde-Smith reconciliation, V.2, pp. 174-5



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From "Genealogy of the Hyde family", Page 711

John Jay Hyde, son of John and Lucy Ann ( Burrows)

Hyde, was born Feb. 15 1811 at Mystic, Conn. He graduated at Union College in 1834. He was editor of a newspaper at New London for some time, and in 1859, was living at New York. He was not married.



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