

MCLAREN, MALCOLM NEIL--b. Albany, N. Y., July 1, 1799; U. C., 1824; (1); ord.  
A. R. Pby. Saratoga, Sept., '27; p. A. R. ch. Broadalbin, N. Y., '27-33; p.  
Hamptonburgh, '33-43; p. e. Presby. ch. Johnstown, '43-45; 1st ch. Rochester,  
'45-47; p. R. D. ch. Brooklyn, '47-49; p. Newburgh, '50-59; p. Presby. ch. Cale-  
donia, '60-71; infirm; res. Auburn, N. Y.; d. Auburn, N. Y., July 2, 1887; D. D.,  
H. C., '49.

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From: Princeton Theological Seminary Catalogue

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CLASS OF 1824.

MALCOLM MCLAREN.

A call was made out for the Rev. Malcolm McLaren, a minister of the Associate Reformed Presbytery of Saratoga, which he accepted, and was installed, October 1, 1832. (Associate Reformed Church of Neelytown).

*Hist. of Orange Co., Eager*

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MALCOLM N. MC LAREN

U.C. 1824; Brooklyn Central, 1847-9, Newburgh, 1850-9.

Manual of the Reformed Church in America p. 595

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CLASS OF 1824

MALCOLM N. McLAREN

The next pastor of the church (First Presbyterian Church of Hamptonburgh) was the Rev. Malcolm N. McLaren, who was installed at the church in Campbell Hall on October 1, 1833. He resigned his office Aug. 15, 1843.

History of Orange Co. N. Y. p. 657  
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CLASS OF 1824

MALCOLM N. MC LAREN

Rev. Malcolm N. Mc Laren served as pastor from November 2, 1828 to April, 1833 ( of the Associate Reformed Church of Braodalbin). During his pastorate the present brick edifice was erected, being completed in the summer of 1831.

FROM History of Montgomery & Fulton Counties, N.Y p. 240  
F. W. Beers & Co.  
New York 1878

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Rev. Malcom N. Mc<sup>Laren</sup>laren died July 2, 1887 at his home in Auburn N.Y. The deceased was for many years an honored minister of the Presbyterian faith, and was honorably retired in 1871. He was a member of the Phi Beta Kappa society and received the degree of D. D. from Hamilton college.

C. Nov. 1887



1824 MALCOLM N. McLAREN.

A native of Albany, N. Y., graduate of Union and Princeton, and after ministering in several places, came to Rochester in 1845. After two years' pastorate he resigned to assume charge of a Dutch Reformed Church at Brooklyn, which he subsequently left and removed to Newburgh, from whence he came to Caledonia, and here he now ministers to a large and important community. Wherever located Dr. McLaren has always commanded universal respect for superior qualities, in and out of the pulpit; securing attention to the truth by clear and eloquent exhibition of doctrine and duty, heightened in effect by marked courtesy of manner, and a warm heart. p.19

May 15, 1845, Mr. McLaren succeeded Rev. Tryon Edwards, as pastor of the First Church (Presbyterian) Rochester, and ill-health compelled him to resign in two years. p. 15

Churches of Rochester  
Ferdinand DeW. Ward (Union 1831).  
Rochester 1871

McLaren, Malcolm N. U.C. 1824; Brooklyn Central, 1847-9, Newburgh, 1850-9.

Rev. MALCOLM N. McLAREN, A.M., 1824, of Broadalbin, N.Y., was a member of the Adelphic Society. (Died: 1887)  
Adelphic Catalogue 1830

MALCOLM N. McLAREN, '24,

was born at Albany, N. Y., in July, 1798. He studied Theology at Princeton, was pastor in Broadalbin, N. Y., 1827 to 1833; in Hamptonburgh, N. Y., 1833 to 1843; supplied the Presbyterian church at Johnstown, N. Y., for a year; was pastor of the First Presbyterian church, Rochester, N. Y., 1844 to 1848; of the Reformed church, Newburgh, N. Y., 1850 to 1860; of the First Presbyterian church, Caledonia, N. Y., 1860 to 1871, and retired in 1871; residing since then in Auburn, N. Y. He was elected to Phi Beta Kappa; and received the degree of D. D. from Hamilton College. He was a Republican. He died of the infirmities of age, at Auburn, N. Y., July 2d, 1887, leaving a widow, two daughters and one son.

1824 Malcolm N. McLaren

D. D. Hamilton College, 1849  
Hamilton College Alumni Register, 1812-1922.



The following minute, which was prepared by Rev. F. DeW. Ward, D.D., of Geneseo, was adopted by Presbytery, September 20, 1887:

Malcolm N. McLaren, D.D., closed his long life at his home in Auburn, N.Y., July 1st, 1887. At the funeral services the city pastors were represented by Rev. C.C. Hemingway; the Theological Seminary by Prof. R.B. Welch; Rochester Presbytery by Rev. Dr. Parsons, of Mount Morris, and Rev. Dr. Ward, of Geneseo. The three first named conducted the devotional services; the last because of long acquaintance and special intimacy of more than forty years, by request of the family, delivered the address.

His biography, in brief, is this: Born at Albany, N.Y., July 1st, 1799, educated at Union College, (1824) and at Princeton Theological Seminary (1826); married Miss Patty, who, with two daughters and a son followed his remains to their last resting place. He ministered as stated supply or pastor at Broadalbin, Hamptonburgh, Johnstown, Rochester First Church, Newburgh and Caledonia. Gifted and good are terms truthfully applicable to our deceased associate. Gifted with a form tall erect and graceful, specially courteous in manner wherever, seen; endowed with a mind well disciplined by study; having few equals in rhetoric and expressive pulpit delivery. For all these and for goodness of heart, and fidelity as preacher and pastor he will long be remembered in the many places of his abode and labors. His was an active, useful life, a peaceful death, and who can doubt a blessed immortality, in the presence of Him whom he long and faithfully served, and whose name was the last upon his lips. By his own request there was placed upon his coffin a copy of the Bible which was daily read at family worship; and an edition, dating back a half century, of the Westminster Confession of Faith, whose doctrines had so firmly imbedded a place in his intelligent faith, and were defended as occasion required, with a fearlessness worthy of his Scotch ancestry and early Presbyterian training.

Thus lived and labored and fell asleep at the advanced age of eighty-nine years, the next but one of the oldest of our members; leaving a name ever to be mentioned with fraternal esteem; an example worthy of personal imitation. Few of us will reach his age, but be ours the desire and earnest endeavor so to preach from the pulpit, so to counsel from house to house, so to plead with our fellow men, and pray to our God above, that whether called away as many are in mid-life, or with powers exhausted as were those of our venerable father in Christ, we can take up the valedictory utterance of the blessed Jesus: "I have finished ) Lord the work thou gavest me to do."