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From: Kappa Alpha in Union College  
1825-1913

CLASS OF 1827

JOHN FONDA TOWNSEND

Of Albany, born 1809; died 1874;  
Married Catherine Louise Douw;  
M. D. of Philadelphia Medical College; graduate Albany  
Law School; graduate of Union College;  
Son of Charles de Kay Townsend of Albany, born 1778; died  
1847 (married Maria Fonday);  
Son of Absalom Townsend, of Chester, N. Y. (married 1768  
Helen de Kay);  
Son of Henry of Chester, N. Y., (married Elizabeth Titus);  
Son of Henry of Oyster Bay, Long Island, died 1709  
(married Eliphal Wright);  
Son of Henry of Oyster Bay, born 1649; died 1703 (married  
Deborah Underhill);  
Son of Henry, who marries Anne Coles.

American Ancestry ---The City of Albany  
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Thomas P. Hughes  
Joel Munsell's Sons  
Albany 1887.



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Married: In this city, on Thursday evening, by the Rev. Mr. Vermilyea, John F. Townsend., M. D. to Catharine Louisa, daughter of the late John D. P. Douw, esq.

Daily Albany Argus. Sept. 10, 1836.

JOHN F. TOWNSEND, 1827, of Albany, N.Y., was a member of the Philomathean Society.  
Philomathean Catalogue 1830 (Died: 1874)



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