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# HISTORIC DATES

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SOCIETY FOR THEOLOGICAL EDUCATION:

ORGANIZED, 1811.

INCORPORATED, 1812.

INCORPORATION OF THE SEMINARY, FEBRUARY, 1814.

SEMINARY OPENED AT HAMPDEN, OCTOBER, 1816.

REMOVED TO BANGOR, 1819.

FIRST CLASS GRADUATED, AUGUST 2, 1820.

SEMI-CENTENNIAL, JULY 27, 1870.

SEVENTY-FIFTH ANNIVERSARY, MAY 14, 1895.

EMPOWERED TO CONFER DEGREES IN DIVINITY, MARCH 15, 1905.

CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION, OCTOBER 15-18, 1916.

## PREFACE

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This is the third historical catalogue to be published. The two earlier editions were of 1890 and 1901. According to the original plan the second would have been in 1900 and the third in 1910. It was not practicable to carry out the plan. The centennial year almost compels the publication of this edition. Previous to 1890 it had been the custom for a long time to issue once in five years a list of graduates and those who had studied in the Seminary at least one year. The last known address was also published.

Through the researches of Professor Clark in preparation of the history of the Seminary some errors that had long had a place in the catalogues have been corrected. Additional assistance has come from Dea. James H. Crosby of the class of 1865 and Rev. Edgar M. Cousins of the class of 1880. Many other alumni have rendered helpful service by giving information about their fellows whose address was unknown to us.

There yet remain upwards of 70 former students of this Seminary either the date and place of whose death is unknown, or from whom no reply can be gained by writing to their last known address.

If any person notices such omissions and can supply the deficient information, he will confer a favor by sending it to the registrar. Also if any one notices errors he is requested to send corrections to the registrar who will be grateful for them.



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The dates affixed to names of trustees and professors, denote the term of service. A date following the name of a college or other institution signifies the graduation of the student at that place and time; mention of an institution without date signifies that the course was not completed, or that the editors were not able to ascertain the fact. In the record of the alumni it may be assumed that each person is engaged in regular ministerial work, unless otherwise stated. Places of settlement are given, but not usually the church or denomination, except where a change is noted from one denomination to another. As the work of the minister is practically the same whether installed or not, and the information has been by no means uniform or clear, no attempt has been made to preserve a distinction between "pastor" and "acting pastor"—p. and a. p. The abbreviation "res. lic." denotes that the person was a resident licentiate at the time specified. The names of those who have taken a partial course without graduating are appended to the classes with which they studied. No account is made of years uncompleted; the figure attached to each name denotes the number of full years such student was connected with the Seminary. Where the name of a state is not given, the last named state is to be understood.

- Rev. John Sawyer, D. D.**, 1814-58; b. Hebron, Ct., Oct. 9, 1755; revolutionary army, 77-81; Dartmouth Coll., 1785; ord. Orford, N. H., Oct. 2, 1787, p. to 95; Boothbay, Me., 98-1808; Maine missionary for many years; res. Bangor, 1812-18, Garland, from 18; d. Bangor, Oct. 14, 1858; D. D., Dartmouth Coll., 1857.
- Rev. Kiah Bayley**, 1814-25; b. Brookfield, Mass., March 11, 1770; Dartmouth Coll., 1793; studied theol. with Dr. Emmons; ord. Newcastle, Me., Oct. 7, 1797, p. to 1823; Greensboro, Vt., 25-9; Thornton, N. H., 29-32; member Board of Overseers, Bowdoin Coll., 1800-16; Pres. M. M. S. 1815-22; author; res. Hardwick, Vt., from 33; d. Aug. 17, 1857.
- Rev. Eliphalet Gillett, D. D.**, 1814-18; b. Colchester, Ct., Nov. 19, 1768; Dartmouth Coll., 1791; ord. Hallowell, Me., Aug. 12, 1795, p. to 1827; member Board of Overseers, Bowdoin Coll., 1798-1816; Board of Trustees, 16-48; Sec. M. M. S., 1807-48; d. Hallowell, Me., Oct. 19, 1848; D. D., University of Vt., 24.
- Rev. William Jenks, D. D., LL. D.**, 1814-19; b. Newton, Mass., Nov. 25, 1778; Harvard Coll., 1797; ord. Bath, Me., Dec. 26, 1805, p. to 17; member Board of Overseers, Bowdoin Coll., 1806-11; Board of Trustees, 11-22; chaplain U. S. army, 1812; prof. Bowdoin Coll. 12-16; teacher, Boston, Mass., 18-?; p. Boston, 26-44; author; d. Boston, Nov. 13, 1866; D. D. Bowdoin Coll., 25; Harvard, 42.
- Rev. Mighill Blood**, 1814-52; b. Hollis, N. H., Dec. 13, 1777; Dartmouth Coll., 1800; ord. Bucksport, Me., May 12, 1803, p. to 40; res. Bucksport from 40, and there d. Apr. 2, 1852.
- Rev. Asa Lyman**, 1814-16; b. Lebanon, Ct., Feb. 24, 1777; Yale Coll., 1797; p. Hampden, Ct.; Bath, Me., 1806-8; Windham, Me., 1809-10; member Board of Overseers, Bowdoin Coll., 1806-13; teacher in N. Y.; d. Clinton, N. Y. Jan. 20, 1836.
- Rev. David Thurston, D. D.**, 1814-60; b. Georgetown, Mass., Feb. 6, 1779; Dartmouth Coll., 1804; ord. Winthrop, Me., Feb. 18, 1807, p. to 51; Vassalboro, Me., 51-3; Searsport, Me., 55-8; Litchfield, Me., 59-65; member Board of Overseers, Bowdoin Coll., 32-64; pres. A. M. A., 59-65; d. Litchfield, May 7, 1865; D. D. Dartmouth Coll., 53.
- Rev. Harvey Loomis**, 1814-25; b. Torrington, Ct., 1785; Williams Coll., 1809; ord. Bangor, Me., Nov. 27, 1811, p. to 25; d. Jan. 2, 1825.

- Ammi Ruhamah Mitchell, M. D.**, 1814-24; b. North Yarmouth, Me., May 8, 1762; member Board of Overseers, Bowdoin Coll., 1796-1824; d. North Yarmouth, May 14, 1824.
- Samuel Edwards Dutton, Esq.**, 1814-26; b. Hallowell, Me., June 16, 1744; Judge of Probate, Bangor, Me.; d. Feb. 16, 1831.
- Rev. Jonathan Fisher**, 1814-45; b. New Braintree, Mass., Oct. 7, 1768; Harvard Coll., 1792; ord. Bluehill, Me., July 13, 1796, p. to 1837; author; res. Bluehill, from 37; d. Sep. 22, 1847.
- Rev. Daniel Lovejoy**, 1824-33; b. Amherst, N. H., Mar. 31, 1776; ord. June 6, 1829; missionary, Kennebec Co., Me; d. Albion, Me. Aug. 11, 1833.
- Rev. Edward Payson, D. D.**, 1814-19; b. Rindge, N. H., July 25, 1783; Harvard Coll., 1803; ord. Portland, Me., Dec. 16, 1807, p. to 27; member Board of Overseers, Bowdoin Coll., 1820-24; Board of Trustees, 24-7; d. Portland, Me., Oct. 22, 1827; D. D. Bowdoin Coll., 21.
- Rev. Thomas Williams**, 1816-46; b. Weymouth, Mass., Mar. 11, 1787; Brown Univ., 1809; ord. Brewer, Me., Jan. 13, 1813; p. to 22; Foxcroft, Me., 23-35; Poland, Me., 35-46; member Board of Overseers, Bowdoin Coll., 26-46; d. Poland, Nov. 24, 1846.
- Rev. David Meaubec Mitchell**, 1816-25, and 27-38; b. No. Yarmouth, Me., May 9, 1788; Yale Coll., 1811; Andover Theol. Sem., 1814; ord. Waldoboro, Me., June 19, 1816, p. to 42; city missionary, Portland, Me., 45-52; ditto, Roxbury, Mass., 52-61; res. So. Natick, Mass., 61-5; d. Waltham, Mass., Nov. 27, 1869.
- Eliashib Adams**, 1817-55; b. Canterbury, Ct., June 6, 1773; res. Worthington, Mass., Bucksport, and Bangor, Me.; treasurer and agent, Bangor Sem.; d. Aug. 28, 1855.
- Thomas Adams, Esq.**, 1818-25; b. Pembroke, N. H., July 9, 1753; Castine, Me.; Roxbury, Mass.; d. Roxbury, Dec. 31, 1847.
- Rev. John Wallace Ellingwood, D. D.**, 1819-32; b. Beverly, Mass., May 2, 1782; Andover Theol. Sem., 1812; ord. Bath, Me., Nov. 4, 1812, p. to 43; member Board of Overseers, Bowdoin Coll., 1816-60; res. Bath, Me., from 43, and there d. Aug. 19, 1860; honorary A. M., Williams Coll., 16; D. D., Bowdoin, 51.