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THE FAMILY OF

CLAY

OF

NEW CASTLE, DELAWARE,

AND

PHILADELPHIA, PENNSYLVANIA.

by
Cecil Clay



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PREFACE.

ROBERT CLAY, of Chesterfield, Derbyshire, and later of Sheffield, Yorkshire, England, married, first, January 15, 1687-8, at Chesterfield, Hannah Slater, daughter of Jonathan and Hannah (Mower) Slater, of Chesterfield; bapt. March 5, 1661, at Chesterfield, Derbyshire; bur. January 3, 1688-9, same place; and, second, Joanna Rawson, daughter of John Rawson, of Walkley, near Sheffield, Co. York.

By his second marriage he had many children, most of whom died young, and none of whom survived him or left any issue except one son, Joseph Clay, of Bridge House, whose daughter Ellen was the last of his descendants of the name of Clay in England.

By his first marriage he had one child, Robert, baptized at Chesterfield December 9, 1688, who came to Philadelphia and married Ann Curtis, December 10, 1710.

I have been for several years engaged in the preparation of a genealogy of this family of Clay of Philadelphia, Pa., and Newcastle, Del., intended to include—

1. The descendants of Robert Clay and Ann Curtis, bearing the name of Clay by birth or marriage.
2. Portraits of all of the above of whom any likeness is known to exist.
3. The ascendants of the wives of Clays.
4. The descendants of female Clays who married.
5. Biographical and descriptive sketches, letters, family papers, and a variety of miscellaneous data, illustrations, and information.

It will take a good while to finish what I have planned, and I have therefore printed Part I, the genealogy alone, without narrative, description, or biography, for the use of the family, with the hope that it may lead them to take interest in the completion of the work, and to assist in it by furnishing information as to their respective branches, such as names and dates of births, marriages, and deaths; copies of entries in parish records or family Bibles, and of obituary and other notices.

Part II is almost entirely completed, and I shall soon have a photographic negative of every Clay of this family of whom any likeness is known to exist, except one, Mrs. George Clay (36), of whose portrait the present owner would not allow a photograph to be taken.

Part III is well under way, as is also Part IV.

Part V will take much work and considerable time to complete, and for this part I request the assistance mentioned above.

I will be glad to correspond with any member of the family in any of its branches interested in the subject, and to receive corrections, additions, or suggestions.

CECIL CLAY.

WASHINGTON, D. C., *March 8, 1895.*

EXPLANATIONS.

The names of heads of families, to whom reference is subsequently made, are printed in Capitals and preceded by a large figure, thus : **9.** CURTIS CLAY.

The maiden names of wives are in parentheses, thus: Ann (Curtis) Clay.

The figures in parentheses refer to the parents by number, thus : **28.** JOSEPH CLAY (9, 1) means first child of **9.** CURTIS CLAY (3, 1), who in turn is first child of **3.** SLATER CLAY, who is (1, 1) first child of **1.** ROBERT CLAY.

Names preceded by small figures are not mentioned subsequently.

Titles—Rev., Hon., and the like—are omitted purposely, with all descriptive, biographical, and similar matter, as part Part V of the work I hope to complete will cover all that.

CLAY

OF

NEW CASTLE, DELAWARE,

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PHILADELPHIA, PENNSYLVANIA.



FIRST AMERICAN GENERATION.

1. ROBERT CLAY, eldest son—and only child by his first wife, Hannah Slater—of Robert Clay, of Chesterfield, Derbyshire, and Sheffield, Yorkshire, England; bapt. December 9, 1688, at Chesterfield, Derbyshire; d. 1716, lost at sea while in command of the ship *Triumph*, of Liverpool, Eng.; m. December 16, 1710, at Christ Church, Phila., Penna., by Rev. Evan Evans, ANN CURTIS, dau. of Winlock Curtis and Ann (Bowers) Curtis, of Kent Co., Delaware; b. November 15, 1690; bapt. May, 1707, at Christ Ch., Phila., by Rev. John Talbot.

I. Slater.
III. Hannah.

II. Robert.
IV. Thomas.

After Robert Clay's death his widow m. February 19, 1721, at Christ Ch., Phila., Robert Bolton, only son of John and Ann Bolton, of Yorkshire, England.

She died May 5, 1747, at Phila., Pa.; bur. May 7, 1747, at Christ Ch.

SECOND AMERICAN GENERATION.

3. SLATER CLAY (1, 1), eldest child of Robert and Ann (Curtis) Clay, of Phila., Penna.; b. November 2, 1711, at Phila., Pa.; bapt. _____, 1711, at Christ Ch., Phila., Pa.; d. February 20, 1767, at Newcastle, Delaware, and bur. in Emmanuel Ch.-yard.; m. February 2, 1740,
4. ANN CURTIS, dau. of Jehu and Mary (Brinckle) Curtis, of Kent Co., Delaware; b. November 29, 1723; d. Sunday, June 14, 1789, at Newcastle, Delaware, and bur. there, in Emmanuel Ch.-yard.

I. Curtis.	II. Robert.	III. John.
IV. Thomas.	V. Slater.	VI. Jehu.
VII. Jehu.	VIII. Mary.	IX. Ann.
X. Elizabeth.	XI. William.	XII. George.
XIII. Sarah.		

5. ROBERT CLAY (1, II), second child of Robert and Ann (Curtis) Clay; b. 1713, at Phila., Pa.; died the same year, and was bur. at Christ Ch.
6. HANNAH CLAY (1, III), third child of Robert and Ann (Curtis) Clay; b. July 30, 1714, at Phila., Pa.; bapt. August 1, 1714, Christ Ch.; d. August 1, 1714; bur. August 2, 1714, at Christ Ch.
7. THOMAS CLAY (1, IV), fourth child of Robert and Ann (Curtis) Clay; b. September 1, 1715, in his grandfather's house, near Sheffield, Yorkshire, England; bapt. in the same house, when he was two weeks old, by the Rector of the parish; d. in 1744, while on a voyage to South Carolina; m. _____, 174 _____, at Chestertown, Kent Co., Md., by Rev. _____.
8. MARY WILMER, dau. of Simon and Dorcas Wilmer, of Kent Co., Md.; b. _____, 17 _____; bapt. _____, 17 _____, at _____, by Rev. _____.

I. Robert.

II. Thomas.

After Thomas Clay's death his widow m., October 30, 1746, Rev. George William Forester, Rector of Shrewsbury Parish, Kent Co., Md. She died _____, 17 _____.

THIRD AMERICAN GENERATION.

9. CURTIS CLAY (3, 1), eldest son of Slater and Ann (Curtis) Clay; b. Thursday, April 9, 1747, at Newcastle, Delaware; bapt. Wednesday, May 27, 1747, at Emmanuel Ch., same place, by Rev. George Ross; d. Monday, September 11, 1809, at Phila., Pa.; bur. Tuesday, September 12, 1809, at Christ Ch., Phila.; m. Thursday, November 3, 1768, at Christ Ch., Phila., by the Rector, Rev. Jacob Duché,
10. MARGARET WOOD, dau. of Joseph and Mary (Scull) Wood; b. Friday, April 26, 1751, at Phila., Pa.; bapt. Friday, July 23, 1756, at Christ Ch., Phila.; d. Wednesday, May 17, 1809, and buried at Christ Ch.

I. Joseph.

II. Robert.

III. Curtis.

11. ROBERT CLAY (3, II), second child of Slater and Ann (Curtis) Clay; b. Wednesday, October 18, 1749, at Newcastle, Del.; bap. December 25, 1749, at Emmanuel Ch., Newcastle, by Rev. George Ross; never married; d. Sunday, December 27, 1831, and was buried in Emmanuel Ch., Newcastle, Del.
12. JOHN CLAY (3, III), third child of Slater and Ann (Curtis) Clay; b. Tuesday, June 4, 1751, at Newcastle, Del.; bapt. at Emmanuel Ch., Newcastle, Sunday, August 11, 1751, by Rev. George Ross; never married; d. Friday, December 13, 1779, in the Isle of Providence.
13. THOMAS CLAY (3, IV), fourth child of Slater and Ann (Curtis) Clay; b. Tuesday, July 17, 1753, at Newcastle, Del.; bapt. at Emmanuel Ch., same place, Sunday, August 19, 1753, by Rev. George Ross; never married; d. Friday morning, September 6, 1793, at Newcastle, Del.; bur. in Emmanuel Ch.-yard.
14. SLATER CLAY (3, V), fifth child of Slater and Ann (Curtis) Clay; b. Tuesday, October 1, 1754, at Newcastle, Del.; bapt. Sunday, December 29, 1754, at Christ Ch., Wilmington, Del., by Rev. Mr. Acrelius; d. Tuesday,

- September 25, 1821, at Evansburg, Montgomery Co., Pa.; bur. at St. James Ch., Perkiomen, Montgomery Co., Pa.; m. Tuesday, December 3, 1786, at "Gloria Dei" Ch., Phila., Pa., by Rev. Nicholas Collin, HANNAH (HOLSTEIN) HUGHES, widow of Lieut.-Colonel Isaac Hughes. She was b. in Upper Merion Township, Montgomery Co., Pa., December 15, 1748; m. Isaac Hughes, Thursday, October 5, 1769; he d. Friday, April 26, 1782. She d. Wednesday, June 13, 1832, in Montgomery Co., Pa., and was bur. near the S.W. corner of Swedes (Christ) Ch., Upper Merion.

I. Ann. II. George. III. Jehu Curtis. IV. Charles Holstein.

16. JEHU CLAY (3, VI), sixth child of Slater and Ann (Curtis) Clay; b. Thursday, January 8, 1756, at Newcastle, Del.; bapt. at Emmanuel Ch., same place, by Rev. Mr. Brook; d. Thursday, July 28, 1757, and buried in Emmanuel Ch.-yard.
17. JEHU CLAY (3, VII), seventh child of Slater and Ann (Curtis) Clay; b. Monday, August 1, 1757, at Newcastle, Del.; d. Sunday, February 5, 1758, "and at the same time christened by Rev. Mr. Thane, a Presbyterian clergyman."
18. MARY CLAY (3 VIII), eighth child of Slater and Ann (Curtis) Clay; b. Monday, June 26, 1758, at Newcastle, Del.; bapt. Friday, August 4, 1758, by Rev. John Hamilton, of Charlestown, Maryland; d. Monday morning, April 6, 1801, at Rose Hill, Cecil Co., Maryland, and buried there; m., 1st, _____, 17____, at _____, by _____, Alexander Porter, son of Alexander and _____ Porter; b. _____, 17____, at _____, Del.; bapt. _____, 17____, at _____, by _____; d. _____, 1797, at _____; bur. _____; m., 2d, _____, at _____, by _____, Thomas Marsh Forman, son of Ezekiel and _____ (_____) Forman; b. Tuesday, August 15, 1758, at

McWILLIAMS, dau. of Richard and Rebecca (Van Leuvenigh) McWilliams; b. _____, 1749, at _____, Del.; bapt. _____, 17____, at _____, by _____; d. July 8, 1807; bur. Friday, July 10, 1807, in Emmanuel Ch.-yard.

No children.

After William Clay's death his widow m. Tuesday, June 1, 1802, at Emmanuel Ch., Newcastle, Del., by Rev. Robert Clay, WILLIAM THOMPSON.

23. GEORGE CLAY (3, XII), twelfth child of Slater and Ann (Curtis) Clay; b. Monday, December 13, 1762, at Newcastle, Del.; bapt. Sunday, March 11, 1764, at Emmanuel Ch., same place, by Rev. Æneas Ross; d. Monday, February 11, 1805, on board the ship *John Bulkeley*, in the Straits of Sunda; m. _____, 17____, at _____, by _____; d. _____, 17____, at _____.
24. _____, dau. of _____; b. _____, 17____; bapt. _____, 17____, at _____, by _____; d. _____.

I. Caroline.

25. SARAH CLAY (3, XIII), thirteenth child of Slater and Ann (Curtis) Clay; b. Thursday, August 9, 1764, at Newcastle, Del.; bapt. Sunday, August 19, 1764, at Emmanuel Ch., same place, by Rev. Æneas Ross; d. Wednesday morning, July 5, 1826, at Phila., Pa., and bur. next day in St. Paul's Ch.-yard; m., 1st, _____, 17____, at _____, by Rev. _____, Robert Booth, son of John and Mary (Rogers) Booth; b. _____, 17____, at _____, Del.; bapt. _____, 17____, at _____, by Rev. _____; d. _____, 1796, at Newcastle, Del.

I. Ann.

II. Sarah.

III. Mary.

IV. Sophia.

M., 2d., _____, at _____, by Rev. _____, James Caldwell, son of _____ and _____ Caldwell; b. _____, 17____, at _____; bapt. _____, at _____.

by Rev. _____ ; d. _____ , 1801,
at Newcastle, Del. ; bur. there.

I. Elizabeth.

26. ROBERT CLAY (7, 1), first child of Thomas and Mary (Wilmer) Clay; b. January _____ , 1744/5, at Chestertown, Kent Co., Md.; bapt. _____ , 17 _____ , at _____ , by Rev. _____ ; d. May _____ , 1746, at Chestertown, Md.
27. THOMAS CLAY (7, 11), second child of Thomas and Mary (Wilmer) Clay; b. _____ , 17 _____ , at Chestertown, Kent Co., Md.; bapt. _____ , 17 _____ , at _____ , by Rev. _____ ; d. _____ , 174 _____ , at Chestertown, Md.

FOURTH AMERICAN GENERATION.

28. JOSEPH CLAY (9, 1), first child of Curtis and Margaret (Wood) Clay; b. Monday, July 24, 1769, at Phila., Pa.; bapt. Tuesday, July 16, 1771, at Christ Ch., same place, by Rev. Dr. Peters; d. Tuesday, August 27, 1811, at Phila., Pa.; bur. Wednesday, August 28, 1811, in Christ Ch.-yard; m. Tuesday, September 10, 1805, at Christ Ch., Phila., Pa., by Rev. Dr. White, MARY ASHMEAD, dau. of John and Mary (Mifflin) Ashmead; b. Thursday, January 10, 1782, at Phila., Pa.; bapt. Monday, May 17, 1852, at Epiphany Ch., same place, by Rev. James H. Fowles; d. Friday, February 10, 1871, at Phila., Pa.; bur. in Laurel Hill Cemetery, same place.

I. Joseph Ashmead. II. John Randolph. III. Ann Eliza.

30. ROBERT CLAY (9, 11), second child of Curtis and Margaret (Wood) Clay; b. Friday, August 10, 1770, at Phila., Pa.; bapt. Tuesday, July 16, 1771, at Christ Ch., same place, by Rev. Dr. Peters; d. Saturday, July 7, 1804, at Phila., Pa.; bur. Sunday, July 8, 1804, in Christ Ch.-yard;

- m. Thursday, April 6, 1797, at Christ Ch., Phila., Pa., by
 31. Rev. Dr. White, ELIZABETH WILLIAMS, dau. of Edward and
 Ruth () Williams; b. Monday, April 24, 1775, at
 ; bap.

17 , at , by Rev. ;
 d. Sunday, January 4, 1857, at Phila., Pa.; bur. in Christ
 Ch.-yard.

I. Edward Williams.

II. Mary Ann.

III. Curtis.

After Robert Clay's death his widow m.

18 , at , Phila., Pa., Joseph Anthony,
 son of and Anthony; b.
 , at ; bap. at
 , by Rev. ; d. Friday,
 August 5, 1814, at Phila., Pa.

- 32.** CURTIS CLAY (9, m), third child of Curtis and Margaret
 (Wood) Clay; b. Friday, April 17, 1772, at Phila., Pa.;
 bap. Sunday, January 10, 1773, at Christ Ch., same place,
 by Rev. Dr. Peters; d. 18 , at New
 Orleans, La.; bur. ;
 m. Tuesday, September 21, 1802, at Emmanuel Ch., New-
 castle, Del., by Rev. Robert Clay, ELIZABETH LOHRA, dau.
 33. of Peter and Lohra; b. 17 ,
 at ; bap. 17 ,
 at , by Rev. ;
 d. , 18 , at ;
 bur.

I. Margaret.

II. Mary Elizabeth.

III. William.

IV. Anna Booth.

V. Margaret.

VI. Curtis.

VII. Catharine.

VIII. Ellen Lohra.

IX. Emma Wood.

X. Thomas Wynne.

XI. Sarah Booth.

XII. Eliza Lohra.

XIII. John Lohra.

34. ANN CLAY (14, f), first child of Slater and Hannah (Hughes,
 born Holstein) Clay; b. Sunday, March 16, 1788, at Wal-
 nut Grove, Montgomery Co., Pa.; bap. ,
 at , by ;

d. Tuesday, December 5, 1865, at Lockhaven, Clinton Co., Pa., and was buried there; m. Saturday, December 21, 1811, at _____, Montgomery Co., Pa., by Rev. Slater Clay, Samuel Hepburn, son of James and Mary (Hopewell) Hepburn, of Northumberland Co., Pa.; b. Tuesday, November 5, 1782, at Phila., Pa.; bap.

17 _____, at _____ by Rev. _____; d. Monday, October 16, 1865, at Lockhaven, Clinton Co., Pa.; bur. same place.

I. Hannah Maria.

II. James Curtis.

III. Sarah Ann.

IV. Slater Clay.

V. Mary.

VI. Emma.

VII. Louisa Harriet.

VIII. Jane.

35. GEORGE CLAY (14, ii), second child of Slater and Hannah (Hughes, born Holstein) Clay; b. Friday, February 5, 1790, at _____; bap. _____, at _____, by Rev. _____;

d. Sunday, March 6, 1864, at Phila., Pa.; bur. in Gloria Dei Ch.-yard; m. Thursday, December 5, 1822, at _____,

36. _____, by Rev. Jehu Curtis Clay, EMMA DEHAVEN, dau. of Hugh and Sarah (Holstein) DeHaven; b. Tuesday, February 8, 1795, at _____; bap. _____,

at _____, by Rev. Slater Clay; d. Monday, April 22, 1850, at Phila., Pa., and buried in Christ Ch.-yard.

37. JEHU CURTIS CLAY (14, iii), third child of Slater and Hannah (Hughes, born Holstein) Clay; b. Friday, February 3, 1792, in Upper Merion, Montgomery Co., Pa.; bap. Sunday, April 1, 1792, in the same place, by Rev. Joseph Clarkson; d. Tuesday, October 20, 1863, at Phila., Pa.; bur. Saturday, October 24, 1863, in Gloria Dei Ch.-yard; m., 1st, Friday, October 27, 1814, at Phila., Pa., by

38. Rev. Dr. Pilmore, rector of St. Paul's Ch., MARGARET ANNAN, dau. of William and Jeannette (Schuyler) Annan; b. Sunday, April 8, 1798, at Phila., Pa.; bap. Saturday, May 12, 1798, at Phila., Pa., by her grandfather, Rev. Robert Annan; d. Saturday, April 16, 1826, at Perkiomen,

Montgomery Co., Pa.; bur. Wednesday, April 20, 1826,
at Norristown, Pa.

I. William Slater. II. Emily. III. Anne.
IV. Julia Frances. V. William Annan.

39. M., 2d, Tuesday, November 11, 1828, at Norristown, Pa.,
by Rt. Rev. H. N. Onderdonk, D. D., SIMMONS EDEY, dau.
of Richard P. A. and Julian () Edey, of Barbadoes,
W. I.; b. Sunday, July 22, 1804, in Barbadoes, W. I.;
bapt. , 18 , at , by Rev.
; d. Thursday, March 11, 1886,
at Moorestown, N. J.; bur. and removed Tuesday, March
15, 1892, to Gloria Dei Ch.-yard, Phila., Pa.

I. Slater. II. George Bolton Lownes. III. Richard Edey.
IV. Jehu Curtis.

40. CHARLES HOLSTEIN CLAY (14, IV), fourth child of
Slater and Hannah (Hughes, born Holstein) Clay; b. Mon-
day, November 6, 1794, at , Pa.; bapt.
Sunday, May 17, 1795, at , by Rev. Nicholas
Collin, D. D.; d. Saturday, March 28, 1868, at
, Pa.; bur. at St. James Ch., Evansburg, Pa.; m.
Thursday, March 22, 1821, at , by Rev.
41. Slater Clay, MARIA EVANS, dau. of Owen and Ellen (Lane)
Evans, of Evansburg, Pa.; b. Monday, February 2, 1795,
at ; bapt. , at
by Rev. ; d. Friday, April 18, 1862, at
Evansburg, Pa., and bur. at St. James Ch.

I. Harriet Potts. II. Ellen Lane. III. Hannah Maria.
IV. George Henry. V. Mary Evans.

42. CAROLINE CLAY (23, I), only child of George and
Clay; b. , 17 ; bapt. , at
, by Rev. ; d.
, 18 , at ; m.
18 , at , by Rev.
Brogan Hoff, son of and Hoff,
of ; b. , at ;
bapt. , at , by Rev.
; d. , 18 ; bur.

CRAWFURD, dau. of William and Jane (Crawford) Crawford, of Carlsburn, Renfrewshire, Scotland; b. Wednesday, December 19, 1821, at Edinburgh, Scotland; bapt. Friday, January, 11, 1822, at the same place, by Rev. Thomas MacKnight, D. D.

I. Jane Crawford.

II. Randolph.

III. Cecil.

48. ANN ELIZA CLAY (28, III), third child of Joseph and Mary (Ashmead) Clay; b. Thursday, July 26, 1810, at Phila., Pa.; bapt. _____, at Eaglesmere, Pa., by Rev. Mr. Callender, Baptist; d. Sunday, August 25, 1872, at Phila., Pa., and bur. in Roxborough Cemetery; m., 1st, Tuesday, April 12, 1831, at Phila., Pa., by Bishop Kenrick, Antony Laussat, son of Pierre Antoine Tetignac de Laussat and Jane (Van Guillaumes) Benard, widow of General Benard; b. February _____, 1806, at Phila., Pa.; bapt. _____ 18____, at Trinity R. C. Church, same place; d. Monday, October 28, 1833, at Phila., Pa.; bur. in the "old ground" of St. Mary's R. C. Church.

I. Mary Francisca Estella Antoinette.

_____, 2d, Wednesday, March 24, 1841, at Phila., Pa., by Rev. Horatio Gates Jones, baptist, John Richter Jones, son of Rev. Horatio Gates and Esther (Richter) Jones, of Phila., Pa.; b. Sunday, October 2, 1803, at Salem, New Jersey; bapt. _____, at Eaglesmere, Pa., by Rev. Horatio Gates Jones, Baptist; killed in action at Bachelor's Creek, N. Carolina, Saturday, May 23, 1863, while Colonel of the 58th Regt. Pa. Volunteers; bur. Wednesday, June 3, 1863, in Roxborough Cemetery, Phila., Pa.

I. Ella.

II. Annie.

III. Horatio Morgan.

IV. Virginia Clay.

49. EDWARD WILLIAMS CLAY (30, I), first child of Robert and Elizabeth (Williams) Clay; b. Friday, April 19, 1799, at Phila., Pa.; bapt. _____, at _____, by Rev. _____; never married; d. Thursday, December _____

31, 1857, at New York, N. Y.; bur. in Christ Ch.-yard, Phila., Pa.

50. MARY ANN CLAY (30, II), second child of Robert and Elizabeth (Williams) Clay; b. Wednesday, December 11, 1801, at Phila., Pa.; bapt. _____, at _____, by Rev. _____; d. Monday, August 24, 1818, at Phila., Pa.; bur. in Christ Ch.-yard; m. Tuesday, April 30, 1816, at _____, Phila., Pa., by Bishop White, James McLean Bolton, son of Robert and Sarah (McLean) Bolton, of Savannah, Ga.; b. Friday, July 6, 1792, at Savannah, Ga.; bapt. _____, 1792, at Savannah, Ga., by Rev. _____; d. Thursday, February 12, 1824, at Jamaica, L. I., N. Y., and bur. in the Presbyterian Cemetery there.

I. James Robert.

II. Edward Clay.

51. CURTIS CLAY (30, III), third child of Robert and Elizabeth (Williams) Clay; b. at noon Saturday, March 12, 1803, at Phila., Pa.; never married; last heard of in Paris, where he is supposed to have died.

52. MARGARET CLAY (32, I), first child of Curtis and Elizabeth (Lohra) Clay; b. _____, 18____, at _____; bapt. _____, 18____, at _____, by Rev. _____; d. _____, 18____.

53. MARY ELIZABETH CLAY (32, II), second child of Curtis and Elizabeth (Lohra) Clay; b. Sunday, March 10, 1805, at Phila., Pa.; bapt. _____, 18____, at _____, by Rev. _____; d. Saturday, November 14, 1874, at Natchez, Miss.; bur. Monday, November 16, 1874, same place; m. Tuesday, December 20, 1836, at Natchez, Miss., by Rev. D. C. Page, Adolphe Arnaud Lacoste, son of Jean Louis Arnaud Lacoste; b. Friday, August 10, 1810, in New York, N. Y.; bapt. _____, 18____, at _____, by Rev. _____; d. Tuesday, October 22, 1839, at Natchez, Miss.

I. Jean Louis Arnaud.

II. Adolphina Arnaud.

54. WILLIAM CLAY (32, III), third child of Curtis and Elizabeth (Lohra) Clay; b. _____, 18____, at Phila., Pa.; bapt. _____, 18____, at _____, by Rev. _____; d. _____, 18____, at New Orleans, La.; m. _____, 18____, at _____, by Rev. _____.
55. ANNE LEWIS, dau. of Reeve and Rachel Waln (Thomas) Lewis, of Phila., Pa.; b. _____, 18____, at Phila., Pa.; bapt. _____, 18____, at _____, by Rev. _____; d. _____, 18____, at New Orleans, La.
56. ANNA BOOTH CLAY (32, IV), fourth child of Curtis and Elizabeth (Lohra) Clay; b. Wednesday, July 29, 1807, at Phila., Pa.; bapt. Sunday, August 7, 1808, at St. James Ch., near Newcastle, Del., by Rev. Robert Clay; d. _____, November, _____, 1886, at New Orleans, La., and bur. there; m., 1st, _____, 18____, at Phila., Pa., by Rev. _____, Richard Thomas Lewis, son of Reeve and Rachel Waln (Thomas) Lewis; b. _____, 18____, at _____; bapt. _____, 18____, at _____, by _____; d. _____, 18____, at _____; bur. _____.

I. Reeve. II. Curtis Clay. III. Richard Thomas Clay.
IV. Elizabeth Clay.

M., 2d, _____, 18____, at P_____,
Phila., Pa., by Rev. _____, Edward Heysham,
son of _____ and _____, Heysham; b.
_____, 18____, at _____;
bapt. _____, at _____,
by Rev. _____; d. _____,
18____, at _____.

57. MARGARET CLAY (32, V), fifth child of Curtis and Elizabeth (Lohra) Clay; b. _____, 18____, at _____.

Phila., Pa.; bapt. , 18 ,
 at , by ;
 d. 18 , at

58. CURTIS CLAY (32, VI), sixth child of Curtis and Elizabeth (Lohra) Clay; b. , July , 1809; bapt. Thursday, April 11, 1811, at Emmanuel Ch., Newcastle, Del., by Rev. Robert Clay; d. 18 , at ; bur.

59. CATHARINE CLAY (32, VII), seventh child of Curtis and Elizabeth (Lohra) Clay; b. , February , 1811, at Phila., Pa.; bapt. , April , 1811, at Emmanuel Ch., Newcastle, Del., by Rev. Robt. Clay; d. , May , 1866, at New Orleans, La.; bur. same place; m. Tuesday, April 12, 1836, at Trinity Ch., Natchez, Miss., by Rev. D. C. Page, Edward J. Pinkerton, son of and Pinkerton, of Pottsville, Pa.; b. 18 , at ; bapt. 18 , at , by Rev. ; d. , 18 , at

I. Eleanor. II. Elizabeth Clay. III. William Clay.
 IV. Charles Lacoste. V. Elizabeth Clay. VI. Kate Clay.

60. ELLEN LOHRA CLAY (32, VIII), eighth child of Curtis and Elizabeth (Lohra) Clay; b. Sunday, February 21, 1813, at Phila., Pa.; bapt. Monday, August 14, 1815, at Emmanuel Ch., Newcastle, Del., by Rev. Robert Clay; d. Saturday, July 14, 1877, at New Orleans, La.; bur. Thursday, July 19, 1877, at Natchez, Miss.; m. Saturday, October 6, 1838, at Trinity Ch., Natchez, Miss., by Rev. D. C. Page, John Sims, son of and Sims, of Belfast, Ireland; b. 18 ,

at , Ireland; bapt. ,
 at , by
 d.

I. Emma Page. II. Thomas Clay. III. Eliza Feltus.
 IV. V. VI.

61. EMMA WOOD CLAY (32, IX), ninth child of Curtis and Elizabeth (Lohra) Clay; b. Sunday, February. 21, 1813, at Phila., Pa.; bapt. Monday, August 14, 1815, at Emmanuel Ch., Newcastle, Del., by Rev. Robert Clay; d. Thursday, December 1, 1870, at Natchez, Miss.; bur. Saturday, December 3, 1870, same place; m. Thursday, May 12, 1836, at Natchez, Miss., by Rev. D. C. Page, David P. Page, son of and Page, of Wiscasset, Maine; b. 18 ,
 at ; bapt. 18 ,
 at by Rev. ;
 d.
62. THOMAS WYNNE CLAY (32, X), tenth child of Curtis and Elizabeth (Lohra) Clay; b. Wednesday, April 10, 1816, at Phila., Pa.; bapt. Wednesday, January 16, 1822, at Emmanuel Ch., Newcastle, Del., by Rev. Robert Clay; never married; d. Friday, August 6, 1855, at New Orleans, La.; bur. August , 1855, at Natchez, Miss.
63. SARAH BOOTH CLAY (32, XI), eleventh child of Curtis and Elizabeth (Lohra) Clay; b. 18 ,
 at ; bapt. 18 ,
 at ; by Rev. ;
 d.
64. ELIZA (LOHRA) CLAY (32, XII), twelfth child of Curtis and Elizabeth (Lohra) Clay; b. Monday, December 10, 1821, at Phila., Pa.; bapt. Wednesday, January 16, 1822, at

Emmanuel Ch., Newcastle, Del., by Rev. Robert Clay;
 d. 18 , at Phila., Pa.;
 bur. 18 , at ;
 m., 1st, , March 9, 1837, at Trinity Ch., Natchez,
 Miss., by Rev. D. C. Page, Isaac Hazelhurst McMichael,
 son of and McMichael, of ,
 b. 18 , at ,
 bapt. 18 , at ,
 by Rev. ; d. , October 25,
 1854, at Natchez, Miss.; bur.

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| I. Morton Clay. | II. Mary Elizabeth. | III. Adolph Arnaud Lacoste. |
| IV. Alice. | V. Walter. | VI. Eugene Hazelhurst. |
| VII. Francis Chapellier. | VIII. Eliza Lohra. | IX. Charles Lacoste. |
| X. Ellen Clay. | | |

M., 2d, , April 12, 1859, at Natchez, Miss., by
 Rev. , Presbyterian, William Hutcheson,
 son of and Hutcheson,
 of ; b. 18 ,
 at ; bapt. 18 ,
 at , by Rev. ;
 d. 18 ; at

65. JOHN LOHRA CLAY (32, XIII), thirteenth child of Curtis and
 Elizabeth (Lohra) Clay; b. , 1824, at
 ; bapt. , 18 , at ,
 by Rev. ; never married; d. ,
 May 12, 1861, at Natchez, Miss., and was bur. in cemetery
 near there, May 13, 1861, by Rev. G. P. Perry, D. D.
66. WILLIAM SLATER CLAY (37, 1), first child of Jehu Curtis and
 Margaret (Annan) Clay; b. Tuesday, December 26, 1815,
 at ; bapt. Sunday, March 31, 1816, at
 , by Rt. Rev. William White; d. ,
 18 , at sea, the day before his parents landed at New-
 berne, N. C., and was bur. at Newberne.

67. EMILY CLAY (37, II), second child of Jehu Curtis and Margaret (Annan) Clay; b. Saturday, September 6, 1817, at Newberne, N. C.; bapt. Thursday, January 15, 1818, at Edenton, N. C., by Rev. Thomas Avery; d. Friday, March 15, 1895, at Phila., Pa.; funeral services at 3612 Chestnut Street, Phila., Monday, March 18, 1895; bur. at Pottsville, Pa.; m. Tuesday, October 5, 1841, at _____, Phila., Pa., by Rev. Jehu Curtis Clay, William Pollock, son of Thomas and Mary (Wilson) Pollock, of Milton, Pa.; b. Wednesday, October 30, 1816, at Milton, Pa.; bapt. _____, 18____, at Milton, Pa., by Rev. Judson, D. D.

I. Curtis Clay.	II. Mary Wilson.	III. Margaret Annan.
IV. Juliet Campbell.	V. James.	VI. Francis Hughes.
VII. Ann Clay.		

68. ANNE CLAY (37, III), third child of Jehu Curtis and Margaret (Annan) Clay; b. Wednesday, March 3, 1819, at Hagerstown, Md.; bapt. Sunday, July 11, 1819, at _____, Hagerstown, Md., by Rev. Benjamin Allen; m. Friday, March 3, 1846, at Gloria Dei Ch., Phila., Pa., by Rev. Jehu Curtis Clay, Joseph Potts, son of Henry and Isabella (Hitner) Potts, of Pottstown, Pa.; b. Saturday, December 7, 1822, at Glasgow, Pa.; bapt. _____, 18____, at Churchtown, Pa., by Rev. _____ Bull, D. D.; d. Thursday, July 1, 1875, at Pottstown, Pa.; bur. same place, in Edgewood Cemetery.

I. Henry W.	II. Emily Frances.	III. William Smith.
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69. JULIA FRANCES CLAY (37, IV), fourth child of Jehu Curtis and Margaret (Annan) Clay; b. Sunday, December 1, 1820, at Hagerstown, Md.; bapt. Thursday, August 2, 1821, at Hagerstown, Md., by Rev. George H. Woodruff; d. Friday, March 21, 1884, at Downingtown, Pa.; bur. Monday, March 24, 1884, in Downingtown Cemetery; m. Thursday, July 8, 1847, at Gloria Dei Ch., Phila., Pa., by Rev. Jehu Curtis Clay, Dr. John Frick Evans, son of Mark and

Susan () Evans, of East Coventry Township, Chester Co., Pa.; b. , 18 , at , Pa.; bapt. , 18 , at , by Rev. ; d. Wednesday, August 25, 1886.

70. WILLIAM ANNAN CLAY (37, v) fifth child of Jehu Curtis and Margaret (Annan) Clay; b. Saturday, April 15, 1826, at Perkiomen, Montgomery Co., Pa.; bapt. by his father, Rev. Jehu Curtis Clay; d. Sunday, April 16, 1826, at Perkiomen, Montgomery Co., Pa.: bur. Thursday, April 20, 1826, at Norristown, Pa., in the same coffin with his mother.

71. SLATER CLAY (37, 2, 1), first child of Jehu Curtis and Simmons (Edey) Clay; b. Friday, November 6, 1829, at ; bapt. Sunday, February 28, 1830, at , by Rev. ; d. Sunday, February 26, 1837, at ; bur.

72. GEORGE BOLTON LOWNES CLAY (37, 2, II), second child of Jehu Curtis and Simmons (Edey) Clay; b. Wednesday, January 11, 1832, at ; bapt. Friday, March 9, 1832, at , by Rev. ; m. Monday, April 16, 1855, at Germantown, Pa., by Rev.

73. Jehu Curtis Clay, CLARA ISABEL TIERS, dau. of Arundius and Anna () Tiers, of Germantown, Pa.; b. Sunday, February 20, 1837, at Phila., Pa.; bapt. , 18 , at St. John's Ch., Phila., Pa., by Rev. George Boyd, D. D.

I. Clara Isabel Tiers. II. Anna Adele. III. Henry.

74. RICHARD EDEY CLAY (37, 2, III), third child of Jehu Curtis and Simmons (Edey) Clay; b. Tuesday, June 3, 1834, at Phila., Pa.; bapt. Sunday, August 17, 1834, at , Phila., Pa., by Rt. Rev. H. N. Onderdonk, D. D.; m. Thursday, February 5, 1863, at Phila., Pa., by

75. Rev. Jehu Curtis Clay, D. D., LOUISA ANN POLLOCK, dau. of

James and Sarah Ann (Hepburn) Pollock, of Milton, Pa.;
 b. Thursday, August 11, 1842, at Milton, Pa.; bapt.
 , 18 , at Milton, Pa., by Rev.

I. Richard Edey.

76. JEHU CURTIS CLAY (37, 2, IV), fourth child of Jehu Curtis
 and Simmons (Edey) Clay; b. Wednesday, December 18,
 1844, at , Pa.; bapt. Sunday, February 9,
 1845, at , by Rev. ;
 d. Thursday, May 10, 1860, at

77. HARRIET POTTS CLAY (40, 1), first child of Charles Holstein
 and Maria (Evans) Clay; b. Friday, September 13, 1822,
 at , Pa.; bapt. Sunday, November 3, 1822, at
 Evansburg, Montgomery Co., Pa., by Rev. Jehu Curtis
 Clay; d. Friday, December 16, 1892, at Birdsboro, Berks
 Co., Pa.; bur. Tuesday, December 20, 1892, in St. Michael's
 Cemetery; m. Wednesday, October 25, 1848, at Christ Ch.,
 Pottstown, Pa., by Rev. Jehu Curtis Clay, Edmund Leaf,
 son of George and Elizabeth (Leonard) Leaf, of Pottstown,
 Pa.; b. Tuesday, November 3, 1818, at Pottstown, Pa.;
 bapt. , 18 , at by Rev. ;
 d. Wednesday, June 17, 1891, at Birdsboro, Berks Co., Pa.;
 bur. Saturday, June 20, 1891, in St. Michael's Cemetery.

I. Charles Clay. II. Eleanor Lane. III. Edward Bowman.
 IV. George Herbert.

78. ELLEN LANE CLAY (40, II), second child of Charles Holstein
 and Maria (Evans) Clay; b. Thursday, June 2, 1825, at
 Pottstown, Pa.; bapt. Thursday, June 2, 1825, at Potts-
 town, Pa., by Rev. Jehu Curtis Clay; d. Wednesday,
 March 13, 1839, at Evansburg, Pa.; bur. at St. James Ch.

79. HANNAH MARIA CLAY (40, III), third child of Charles Hol-
 stein and Maria (Evans) Clay; b. Friday, July 4, 1828, at
 Pottstown, Pa.; bapt. Monday, July 14, 1828, at Potts-

town, Pa., by Rt. Rev. H. N. Onderdonk, D. D.; d. Friday, January 7, 1859, at Evansburg, Pa.; bur. at St. James Ch.

80. GEORGE HENRY CLAY (40, iv), fourth child of Charles Holstein and Maria (Evans) Clay; b. Sunday, January 30, 1831, at Pottstown, Pa.; bapt. Thursday, June 30, 1831, at Pottstown, Pa., by Rev. John Reynolds; m. Wednesday, February 2, 1853, at Sunbury, Northumberland Co., Pa., by Rev. William White Montgomery, AMELIA HEGINS DONNEL, dau. of Charles and Elizabeth () Donnel, of Sunbury, Pa.; b. , 18 , at , Pa.; bapt. 18 , at , Pa.; by Rev. ; d. Thursday, October 7, 1862, at Sunbury, Pa., and bur. there.

I. Charles Hegins.

II. Elizabeth Donnel.

82. MARY EVANS CLAY (40, v), fifth child of Charles Holstein and Maria (Evans) Clay; b. Wednesday, August 20, 1834, at Pottstown, Pa.; bapt. Monday, May 25, 1835, at Pottstown, Pa., by Rev. ; d. Sunday, March, 28, 1847, at Evansburg, Pa.; bur. at St. James Ch.

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83. FLETCHER CLAY (43, i), first child of Joseph Ashmead and Cornelia (Fletcher) Clay; b. Sunday, December 20, 1835, at Phila., Pa.; bapt. Thursday, March 24, 1842, at Epiphany Ch., Phila., Pa., by Rev. Stephen H. Tyng, D. D.; d. Saturday, December 13, 1862. Killed at the battle of Fredericksburg, Va., while 1st Lieut. Co. A, 145th Pa. Vols. The body was never found and identified and he was buried with the unknown dead. There is a tombstone for him in Laurel Hill Cemetery, Phila., Pa. M. Tuesday, January 4, 1859, at St. Paul's Ch., Erie, Pa., by Rev. James Abercrombie, ANNE CHARLOTTE GLOVER, dau. of Rev. Bennet and
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Susan (Reed) Glover, of Erie, Pa.; b. 18 ,
 at , Pa.; bapt. 18 ,
 at , Pa., by Rev.

I. Alfred Glover.

After Fletcher Clay's death his widow married
 18 , at , Phila., Pa., by
 Rev. , Courtney O'Callaghan, son of
 Cornelius and Elizabeth (Terris) O'Callaghan.

85. ALFRED LAUSSAT CLAY (43, II), second child of Joseph Ashmead and Cornelia (Fletcher) Clay; b. Thursday, August 17, 1837, at Phila., Pa.; bapt. Thursday, March 24, 1842, at Epiphany Ch., Phila., Pa., by Rev. Stephen H. Tyng, D.D.; m. Thursday, November 9, 1865, at St. Peter's Ch., Phila., Pa., by Rt. Rev. William H. Odenheimer, D. D., Bishop of New Jersey, HELEN FRANCES O'CALLAGHAN, dau. of Cornelius and Elizabeth (Terris) O'Callaghan, of Phila., Pa.; b. Tuesday, September 14, 1841, at Phila., Pa.; bapt. Sunday, January 16, 1842, at St. Peter's Ch., Phila., Pa., by Rev. William H. Odenheimer, rector.

I. Alfred Laussat. II. Fletcher Cornelius. III. Helen Frances.

87. LEWIS RANDOLPH CLAY (43, III), third child of Joseph Ashmead and Cornelia (Fletcher) Clay; b. Wednesday, December 4, 1839, at Phila., Pa.; bapt. , 184 ,
 at , by Rev. ;
 d. Wednesday, June 30, 1841, at Phila., Pa., and bur. there.
88. CECIL CLAY (43, IV), fourth child of Joseph Ashmead and Cornelia (Fletcher) Clay; b. Sunday, February 13, 1842, at Phila., Pa.; bapt. Thursday, March 24, 1842, at Epiphany Ch., Phila., Pa., by Rev. Stephen H. Tyng, D. D.; m. Thursday, June 8, 1865, at the Free Ch. of St. John, Phila., Pa., by Rev. Henry P. Schetky, ANNA WOOD KESTER, dau. of John Wood and Eleanor (Boyd) Kester, of Phila.,

Pa.; b. Tuesday, February 4, 1840, at Phila., Pa.; bapt.
184 , at
by Rev. George Boyd, D. D.

I. Cecil Livingston. II. Eleanor. III. Cornelia.
IV. John Cecil.

90. WILLIAM VAUX CLAY (43, v), fifth child of Joseph Ashmead and Cornelia (Fletcher) Clay; b. Thursday, September 12, 1844, at Phila., Pa.; bapt. Sunday, April 19, 1846, at Epiphany Ch., Phila., Pa., by Rev. James H. Fowles; d. Sunday, February 28, 1864, at Phila., Pa.; bur. in Laurel Hill Cemetery.

91. RICHARD WELLS CLAY (43, vi), sixth child of Joseph Ashmead and Cornelia (Fletcher) Clay; b. Thursday, March 18, 1847, at Phila., Pa.; bapt. Sunday, June 27, 1847, at Epiphany Ch., Phila., Pa., by Rev. James H. Fowles; m. Thursday, May 31, 1877, at No. 206 West Logan Square, Phila., Pa., by Rev. E. A. Hoffman, D. D., of St.

92. Mark's Ch., ELEANOR BOYD KESTER, dau. of John Wood and Eleanor (Boyd) Kester; b. Sunday, January 5, 1851, at Phila., Pa.; bapt. 185 ,
at Phila., Pa., by Rev. .

I. Josephine. II. Curtis Livingston. III. Agnes Boyd.
IV. Richard Wells. V. Sellers McKee. VI. Robert Arthur Chesterfield.

93. EDWARD COOK CLAY (43, vii), seventh child of Joseph Ashmead and Cornelia (Fletcher) Clay; b. Easterday, April 20, 1851, at Phila., Pa.; bapt. Sunday, September 21, 1851, at Epiphany Ch., Phila., Pa., by Rev. James H. Fowles; m. Wednesday, May 6, 1885, at St. Mark's Ch., Phila., Pa.,
94. by Rev. Isaac Nicholson, HETTIE FOSTER BIDDLE, dau. of John and Mary (Foster) Biddle, of Phila., Pa.; b. Saturday, May 12, 1855, at Phila., Pa.; bapt. Wednesday, April 24, 1872, at Epiphany Ch., Phila., Pa., by Rev. Richard Newton.

I. Edward Biddle. II. Gladys Mary.

95. HARRY GIBBS CLAY (45, 1, 1), first child of John Randolph and Frances Anne Sophia Catharine (Gibbs) Clay; b. Friday, December 25, 1835, at St. Petersburg, Russia; bapt. Friday, March 4, 1836, at the English Ch., St. Petersburg, Russia, by Rev. Edward Law; m. Thursday, May 12, 1859, at No. 1816 Pine St., Phila., Pa., by Rev. J. P. B.
96. Wilmer, D. D., of St. Mark's Ch., MARGARET YATES BOYD, dau. of Rev. George and Elizabeth (Livingston) Boyd, of Phila., Pa.; b. Monday, December 7, 1835, at Phila., Pa.; bapt. _____, 18____, at _____, by Rev. George Boyd, D. D.

I. George Boyd. II. Mary Frances Randolph. III. Margaret Boyd.
IV. Harry Gibbs. V. Helen Maud.

97. MARY FRANCES CLAY (45, 1, II), second child of John Randolph and Frances Anne Sophia Catharine (Gibbs) Clay; b. Friday, February 3, 1837, at St. Petersburg, Russia; bapt. Sunday, March 5, 1837, at the English Ch., St. Petersburg, Russia, by Rev. Edward Law; d. Wednesday, October 4, 1837, on shipboard before reaching New York on a voyage from England to the United States; bur. Wednesday, November 1, 1837, in St. John's Ch.-yard, New York, N. Y.; record on Trinity Ch. register.

98. ANTONY ALEXANDER CLAY (45, 1, III), third child of John Randolph and Frances Anne Sophia Catharine (Gibbs) Clay; b. Sunday, February 17, 1839, at Vienna, Austria; bapt. Wednesday, May 8, 1839, at the American Legation, Vienna, Austria, by Rev. Edward Phillips, Rector of Grace Ch., Camden, S. Carolina; m. Thursday, July 21, 1864, at Christ Ch., Riverton, New Jersey, by Rev. Henry Palethorpe Hay, SYBELLA SUSAN SECKEL, dau. of John and Sarah A. (Birchall) Seckel, of Riverton, N. J.; b. Saturday, May 23, 1840, at Phila., Pa.; bapt. _____, 184____, at St. John's Ch., Phila., Pa., by Rev. George Boyd, D. D.

I. Estella Antoinette. II. Sybella Gordon.
III. Ethel Randolph. IV. Margaret.

100. JANE CRAWFORD CLAY (45, 2, 1), first child of John Randolph and Jane Tucker MacKnight (Crawfurd) Clay; b. Monday, February 14, 1848, at Lima, Peru; bapt. 18 , at , by Rev. ; d. Thursday, May, 8, 1851, at Lima, Peru, and bur. there.
101. RANDOLPH CLAY (45, 2, II), second child of John Randolph and Jane Tucker MacKnight (Crawfurd) Clay; b. Tuesday, November 19, 1850, at the U. S. Legation, Calle de Mogollon, Lima, Peru; bapt. Saturday, August 23, 1851, on board the U. S. Frigate Raritan, in the harbor of Callao, Peru.
102. CECIL CLAY (46, 2, III), third child of John Randolph and Jane Tucker MacKnight (Crawfurd) Clay; b. Friday, June 11, 1852, at Lima, Peru; bapt. 185 , at Lima, Peru, by the Bishop of Melbourne, Australia; d. Monday, December 28, 1857, at the U. S. Legation, Lima, Peru.
103. CLARA ISABEL TIERS CLAY (72, 1), first child of George Bolton Lownes and Clara Isabel (Tiers) Clay, of Phila., Pa.; b. Monday, August 4, 1856, at Germantown, Phila.; bapt. Sunday, November 2, 1856, at Gloria Dei Ch., Phila., Pa.; by Rev. Jehu Curtis Clay, D. D.
104. ANNA ADELE CLAY (72, II), second child of George Bolton Lownes and Clara Isabel (Tiers) Clay; b. Saturday, September 18, 1858, at Moorestown, N. J.; bapt. Sunday, May 8, 1859, at Holy Trinity Ch., Moorestown, N. J., by Rev. Jehu Curtis Clay, D. D.; m. Wednesday, October 23, 1889, at No. 3237 Sansom St., Phila., Pa., by Rev. William H. Caughey (Presbyterian), William James Edmond, son of Jesse D. and Rebecca (Ramsey) Edmond; b. Friday, August 13, 1858, at Rochester, Pa.; bapt. Sunday, November 14, 1858, at 1st U. P. Ch., Beaver, Pa., by Rev. John McGill.

1. George Earl.

105. HENRY CLAY (72, III), third child of George Bolton Lownes and Clara Isabel (Tiers) Clay; b. Saturday, March 24, 1860, at Moorestown, N. J.; bapt. Sunday, October 21, 1860, at _____, by Rev. Jehu Curtis Clay, D. D.; m. Tuesday, September 17, 1889, at Brooklyn, N. Y., by Rev. Charles E. Miller, CORA BELLE BIRDSELL, dau. of William and Anna Smythe Birdsell, of Manchester, Eng.; b. Wednesday, July 13, 1870, at Brooklyn, N. Y.; bapt. _____, at _____, by Rev. _____.
107. RICHARD EDEY CLAY (74, I), only child of Richard Edey and Louisa Ann (Pollock) Clay; b. Wednesday, June 22, 1870, at Phila., Pa.; bapt. Sunday, October 16, 1870, at Phila., Pa.; by Rev. B. Watson, D. D.
108. CHARLES HEGINS CLAY (80, I), first child of George Henry and Amelia Hegins (Donnel) Clay; b. Tuesday, September 16, 1856, at _____, Pa.; bapt. Sunday, June 21, 1857, at Trinity Ch., Pottsville, Pa., by Rev. Daniel Washburn.
109. ELIZABETH DONNEL CLAY (80, II), second child of George Henry and Amelia Hegins (Donnel) Clay; b. Sunday, January 27, 1861, at _____, Pa.; bapt. Wednesday, October 2, 1861, at Trinity Ch., Pottsville, Pa., by Rev. Daniel Washburn.

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110. ALFRED GLOVER CLAY (83, I), only child of Fletcher and Anne Charlotte (Glover) Clay; b. Monday, October 17, 1859, at Ridgway, Elk Co., Pa.; bapt. Sunday, September 9, 1860, at St. Paul's Ch., Erie, Pa., by Rev. James Abercrombie; m. Wednesday, November 12, 1890, at Elmira, N. Y., by Rev. George H. MacKnight, MARY ALICE
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MACNEIL, dau. of John Howk and Helen Lois (Reed) MacNeal, of Erie, Pa.; b. Monday, March 28, 1864, at Lee, Massachusetts; bapt. Sunday, April 28, 1867, at Trinity Ch., Elmira, N. Y., by Rev. William Paret.

I. Gretchen.

II. Mary.

112. ALFRED LAUSSAT CLAY (85, I), first child of Alfred Laussat and Helen Frances (O'Callaghan) Clay; b. Friday, April 29, 1870, at Phila., Pa.; bapt. Tuesday, November 29, 1870, at St. Peter's Ch., Phila., Pa., by Rt. Rev. William H. Odenheimer, Bishop of New Jersey; d. Monday, January 16, 1871, at Phila., Pa.; bur. Thursday, January 19, 1871, in Laurel Hill Cemetery.
113. FLETCHER CORNELIUS CLAY (85, II), second child of Alfred Laussat and Helen Frances (O'Callaghan) Clay; b. Wednesday, November 15, 1871, at Phila., Pa.; bapt. Thursday, June 13, 1872, at St. Mark's Ch., Phila., Pa., by Rev. John K. Lewis, Chaplain U. S. Navy; d. Wednesday, March 6, 1889, at Phila., Pa.; bur. Saturday, March 9, 1889, in Laurel Hill Cemetery.
114. HELEN FRANCES CLAY (85, III), third child of Alfred Laussat and Helen Frances (O'Callaghan) Clay; b. Wednesday, July 9, 1873, at Atlantic City, N. J.; bapt. Tuesday, June 2, 1874, at St. Mark's Ch., Phila., Pa., by Rev. Robert E. Terry.
115. CECIL LIVINGSTON CLAY (88, I), first child of Cecil and Anna Wood (Kester) Clay; b. Friday, June 8, 1866, at Phila., Pa.; bapt. Thursday, July 12, 1866, at the Free Ch. of St. John, Phila., Pa., by Rev. Charles R. Bonnell; d. Monday, November 19, 1866, at Phila., Pa.; bur. Tuesday, November 20, 1866, in Franklin Cemetery, Frankford Road, Phila., Pa.
116. ELEANOR CLAY (88, II), second child of Cecil and Anna Wood (Kester) Clay; b. Friday, August 9, 1867, in

- Botetourt Co., Virginia; bapt. Thursday, December 19, 1867, at St. Mark's Ch., Phila., Pa., by Rev. Charles R. Bonnell, Rector of St. Thomas Ch., Whitemarsh, Montgomery Co., Pa., where recorded; d. Sunday, March 14, 1886, at Washington, D. C.; bur. in Franklin Cemetery, Frankford Road, Phila., Pa.
117. CORNELIA CLAY (88, III), third child of Cecil and Anna Wood (Kester) Clay; b. Friday, March 19, 1869, at Phila., Pa.; bapt. Tuesday, May 11, 1869, at No. 1734 Pine St., Phila., Pa., by Rev. Phillips Brooks, Rector of Holy Trinity Ch., Phila.
118. JOHN CECIL CLAY (88, IV), fourth child of Cecil and Anna Wood (Kester) Clay; b. Friday April 2, 1875, at Ronceverte, Greenbrier Co., West Virginia; bapt. Thursday, July 27, 1876, at his father's house, Ronceverte, W. Va., by Rev. Robert H. Mason, Rector of the Episcopal Ch. at Union, Monroe Co., W. Va.
119. JOSEPHINE CLAY (91, I), first child of Richard Wells and Eleanor Boyd (Kester) Clay; b. Saturday, May 19, 1878, at Phila., Pa.; bapt. Thursday, November 7, 1878, at No. 313 South 15th Street, Phila., Pa., by Rev. William Neilson McVickar, of the Ch. of the Holy Trinity.
120. CURTIS LIVINGSTON CLAY (91, II), second child of Richard Wells and Eleanor Boyd (Kester) Clay; b. Saturday, June 5, 1880, at Phila., Pa.; bapt. Sunday, December 12, 1880, at St. Clement's Ch., by Rev. B. W. Maturin.
121. AGNES BOYD CLAY (91, III), third child of Richard Wells and Eleanor Boyd (Kester) Clay; b. Saturday, August 27, 1881, at Eaglesmere, Sullivan Co., Pa.; bapt. , November, , 1881, at St. Mark's Ch., Phila., Pa., by Rev. Isaac L. Nicholson, D. D.
122. RICHARD WELLS CLAY (91, IV), fourth child of Richard Wells and Eleanor Boyd (Kester) Clay; b. Tuesday, May

- 13, 1884, at Fox Chase, Phila., Pa., bapt. Sunday, September 14, 1884, at Trinity Ch., Oxford, Pa., by Rev. R. Bowden Sheppard; d. Saturday, December 14, 1885, at Fox Chase, Phila., Pa.; bur. Monday, December 16, 1885, at Trinity Ch., Oxford, Phila.
123. HENRY SELLERS MCKEE CLAY (91, v), fifth child of Richard Wells and Eleanor Boyd (Kester) Clay; b. Wednesday, April 10, 1889, at Fox Chase, Phila., Pa.; bapt. Sunday, May 11, 1890, at Trinity Ch., Oxford, Phila., Pa., by Rev. Henry Macbeth.
124. ROBERT ARTHUR CHESTERFIELD CLAY (91, vi), sixth child of Richard Wells and Eleanor Boyd (Kester) Clay; b. Sunday, October 4, 1891, at Fox Chase, Phila., Pa.; bapt. Sunday, February 14, 1892, at Trinity Ch., Oxford, Phila., Pa., by Rev. Henry A. F. Hoyt.
125. EDWARD BIDDLE CLAY (93, i), first child of Edward Cook and Hettie Foster (Biddle) Clay; b. Friday, June 12, 1886, at Orange, Essex Co., New Jersey; bapt. Saturday, July 10, 1886, at All Saints' Chapel, Orange, N. J., by Rev. William Richmond.
126. GLADYS MARY CLAY (93, ii), second child of Edward Cook and Hettie Foster (Biddle) Clay; b. Tuesday, December 1, 1891, at Orange, Essex Co., N. J.; bapt. Friday, January 22, 1892, at All Saints' Chapel, Orange, Essex Co., N. J., by Rev. William Richmond.
127. GEORGE BOYD CLAY (95, i), first child of Harry Gibbs and Margaret Yates (Boyd) Clay; b. Wednesday, March 7, 1860, at Phila., Pa.; bapt. Sunday, June 10, 1860, at St. Mark's Ch., Phila., Pa., by Rev. J. P. B. Wilmer, D. D.; d. Monday, January 27, 1862, at Phila., Pa.; bur. Tuesday, January 28, 1862.
128. MARY FRANCES RANDOLPH CLAY (95, ii), second child of Harry Gibbs and Margaret Yates (Boyd) Clay; b. Satur-

day, June 28, 1862, at Phila., Pa.; bapt. Sunday, October 12, 1862, at the mission room, afterward the Free Ch. of St. John, Phila., Pa., by Rev. George G. Field.

129. MARGARET BOYD CLAY (95, III), third child of Harry Gibbs and Margaret Yates (Boyd) Clay; b. Tuesday, March 8, 1864, at Phila., Pa.; bapt. Saturday, May 21, 1864, at the Free Ch. of St. John, Phila., Pa., by Rev. Charles R. Bonnell; d. Sunday, December 25, 1864, at Phila., Pa.; bur. on Holy Innocents' Day, Wednesday, December 28, 1864, in Franklin Cemetery, Phila.
130. HARRY GIBBS CLAY (95, IV), fourth child of Harry Gibbs and Margaret Yates (Boyd) Clay; b. Thursday, July 26, 1866, at Phila., Pa.; bapt. Saturday, May 25, 1867, at the Free Ch. of St. John, Phila., Pa., by Rev. George P. Schetky; m. Wednesday, October 26, 1887, at St. Peter's Ch., Albany, N. Y., by Rev. Walton W. Battershall,
131. D. D. RUTH ALICE WARD LARRABEE, dau. of Edward Jay, and Maryetta Willson Larrabee, of Albany, N. Y.; b. Tuesday, March 14, 1865, at Albany, N. Y.; bapt. Wednesday, April 20, 1887, at Albany, N. Y., by Rev. Walton W. Battershall, D. D.

I. Ruth Larrabee.

II. Margaret Livingston.

132. HELEN MAUD CLAY (95, v), fifth child of Harry Gibbs and Margaret Yates (Boyd) Clay; b. Wednesday, March 8, 1871, at Phila., Pa.; bapt. Tuesday, June 6, 1871, at St. Mark's Ch., Phila. Pa., by Rev. Francis D. Canfield, asst. rector.
133. ESTELLA ANTOINETTE CLAY (98, I), first child of Antony Alexander and Sybella Susan (Seckel) Clay; b. Wednesday, May 17, 1865, at Riverton, N. J.; bapt. Thursday, July 27, 1865, at Christ Ch., Riverton, N. J., by Rev. Henry Palethorpe Hay; m. Tuesday, February 23, 1892, at Christ Ch., Riverton, N. J., by Rev. John H. Converse, Edward Priestly, son of Alexander and Emma Potts

(Steever) Priestley, of Phila., Pa.; b. Sunday, October 13, 1861, at Phila., Pa.; bapt. 18 , at , by Rev. ; d. Monday, August 20, 1894, at New York, N. Y.; bur. in Laurel Hill Cemetery, Phila., Pa.

I. Marion Randolph.

134. SYBELLA GORDON CLAY (98, II), second child of Antony Alexander and Sybella Susan (Seckel) Clay; b. Friday, October 11, 1867, at Upland, Elk Co., Pa.; bapt. Sunday, December 29, 1867, at Christ Ch., Riverton, N. J., by Rev. Robert T. Roach; m. Wednesday, February 1, 1893, at Christ Ch., Riverton, N. J., by Rev. John H. Converse, John James Reese, son of John James and Sallie Adams (Gibson) Reese, of Phila., Pa.; b. Wednesday, April 25, 1849, at Phila., Pa.; bapt. Sunday, November 18, 1849, at the Ch. of the Epiphany, by Rev. James H. Fowles.
135. ETHEL RANDOLPH CLAY (98, III), third child of Antony Alexander and Sybella Susan (Seckel) Clay; b. Tuesday, June 9, 1874, at Riverton, N. J.; bapt. Thursday, July 2, 1874, at Christ Ch., Riverton, N. J., by Rev. H. Hastings Weld.
136. MARGARET CLAY (98, IV), fourth child of Antony Alexander and Sybella Susan (Seckel) Clay; b. Easter day, March 28, 1880, at Riverton, N. J.; bapt. Sunday, May 23, 1880, at Christ Ch., Riverton, N. J., by Rev. H. Hastings Weld.

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137. GRETCHEN CLAY (111, I), first child of Alfred Glover and Mary Alice (MacNeil) Clay; b. Wednesday, June 22, 1892, at Phila., Pa.; bapt. Sunday, November 6, 1892, at Ogontz, Pa., by Rev. Samuel Appleton.

138. (MARY) CLAY (111, II), second child of Alfred Glover and Mary Alice (MacNeil) Clay; b. Wednesday, October 17, 1894, at Jenkintown, Phila., Pa.; bapt. (not yet baptized) at _____ by. Rev. _____
139. RUTH LARRABEE CLAY (131, I), first child of Harry Gibbs and Ruth Alice Ward (Larrabee) Clay; b. Monday, August 13, 1888, at Rosemont, Montgomery Co., Pa.; bapt. Sunday, December 8, 1888, at St. Mark's Ch., Phila, Pa., by Rev. Isaac L. Nicholson.
140. MARGARET LIVINGSTON CLAY (131, II), second child of Harry Gibbs and Ruth Alice Ward (Larrabee) Clay; b. Thursday, July 31, 1890, at Rosemont, Montgomery Co., Pa.; bapt. _____, 18____, _____, Phila, Pa., by Rev. _____; d. Sunday, April 19, 1891, at Rosemont, Pa.; bur. Wednesday, April 22, 1891.

AFTERTHOUGHT.

After reading proof of the foregoing pages, I thought it best to add enough biographical information to enable readers to identify some of the members of the family.

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ROBERT CLAY, of Bridge House, was an owner of large interests in lead and coal mines in Derbyshire and Yorkshire; wealthy at the time of his eldest son's marriage; more so at his own death later, when, by his will, he cut off his grandchildren, Slater and Thomas Clay, with "five shillings apiece."

1. ROBERT CLAY, Sea Captain. The voyage on which he was lost was to have been his last, his intention being upon his return from it to take his wife, who had been visiting at his father's and in Liverpool for two years, back to Philadelphia and go into business there.
3. SLATER CLAY, Sea Captain when young; later lived in Newcastle, Delaware. Owned "Swanwick," near there; was vestryman of Emmanuel Church.
7. THOMAS CLAY, Merchant at Chestertown, Kent Co., Maryland, then an important port of entry.
9. CURTIS CLAY, Merchant in Philadelphia. Lived on Chestnut St., near Seventh St.
11. REV. ROBERT CLAY. He and his brother Slater were ordained together Deacon, December 23, 1787; Priest, February 17, 1788; Rector of Emmanuel Church, Newcastle, Delaware, from March 24, 1788, to April 19, 1824; contributed liberally to the church from his private means.
14. REV. SLATER CLAY. Admitted to the bar in Delaware, May 22, 1777; practised until 1779. Upon the organization of the Council of Delaware State, October 29, 1776, was chosen its clerk, and served in the Councils of 1776 and 1777. Studied for the ministry of the Episcopal Church; Deacon, December 23, 1787; ordained Priest, February 17, 1788; Rector,

at the same time, of St. Peter's Church, Great Valley, Chester Co., Pa.; St. David's, Radnor, and also assistant minister of Christ Church, Upper Merion, Montgomery Co.; later gave part of his time to St. Thomas Church, Whitmarsh.

18. ALEXANDER PORTER, first husband of MARY CLAY, Lawyer and wealthy landowner in Delaware; admitted to the bar in Philadelphia in 1765. Lived near Newcastle, Delaware.
- MAJOR THOMAS MARSH FORMAN, second husband of MARY CLAY. In the American army in the Revolution as aide on Lord Stirling's staff; inherited his wife's fortune.
19. JAMES BOOTH, husband of ANN CLAY, Lawyer; appointed, in 1804, Chief Justice of the Court of Common Pleas of the State of Delaware. Their son, James Booth, Jr., was Chief Justice of the State of Delaware.
 20. WILLIAM LEES, husband of ELIZABETH CLAY, a London Merchant. Their daughter, Sarah, married Major—afterwards General—Greenstreet, H. E. I. C. S., and British Army.
 23. GEORGE CLAY, Sea Captain.
 28. JOSEPH CLAY, Member of Congress from Pennsylvania in the 8th, 9th, and 10th Congresses; resigned to accept place of Cashier of the Farmers' and Mechanics' Bank of Philadelphia, of which he was one of the organizers; an intimate friend of John Randolph of Roanoke; member of the Philosophical Society of Philadelphia, and an accomplished mathematician.
 30. ROBERT CLAY, Sea Captain.
 32. CURTIS CLAY, Clerk in bank, &c.; member of First City Troop of Philadelphia; of the State on Schuylkill (Fish-House Club), &c. Moved to New Orleans.
 34. SAMUEL HEPBURN, husband of ANN CLAY; graduate of Princeton, 1803; lawyer of prominence of Milton, Northumberland Co., Pa. Their son, James Curtis Hepburn, was a graduate of Princeton in 1832, and of the Medical Department, University of Pennsylvania, in 1836; Missionary to China, 1841 to 1846, and to Japan, 1859 to November, 1892; LL. D., Lafayette College, Pa.; member of numerous American and foreign societies; author of a Japanese and English dictionary, Japanese grammar, &c., &c.; lives at East Orange, N. J.
 37. REV. JEHU CURTIS CLAY, D. D. Ordained, in 1813, assistant at Gloria Dei Church, Philadelphia; Rector of St. John's, Norristown, Pa.; went to Newberne, North Carolina; thence to Hagerstown, Maryland; then Rector, at once, of Perkiomen, Norristown, and Old Swede's (Christ)

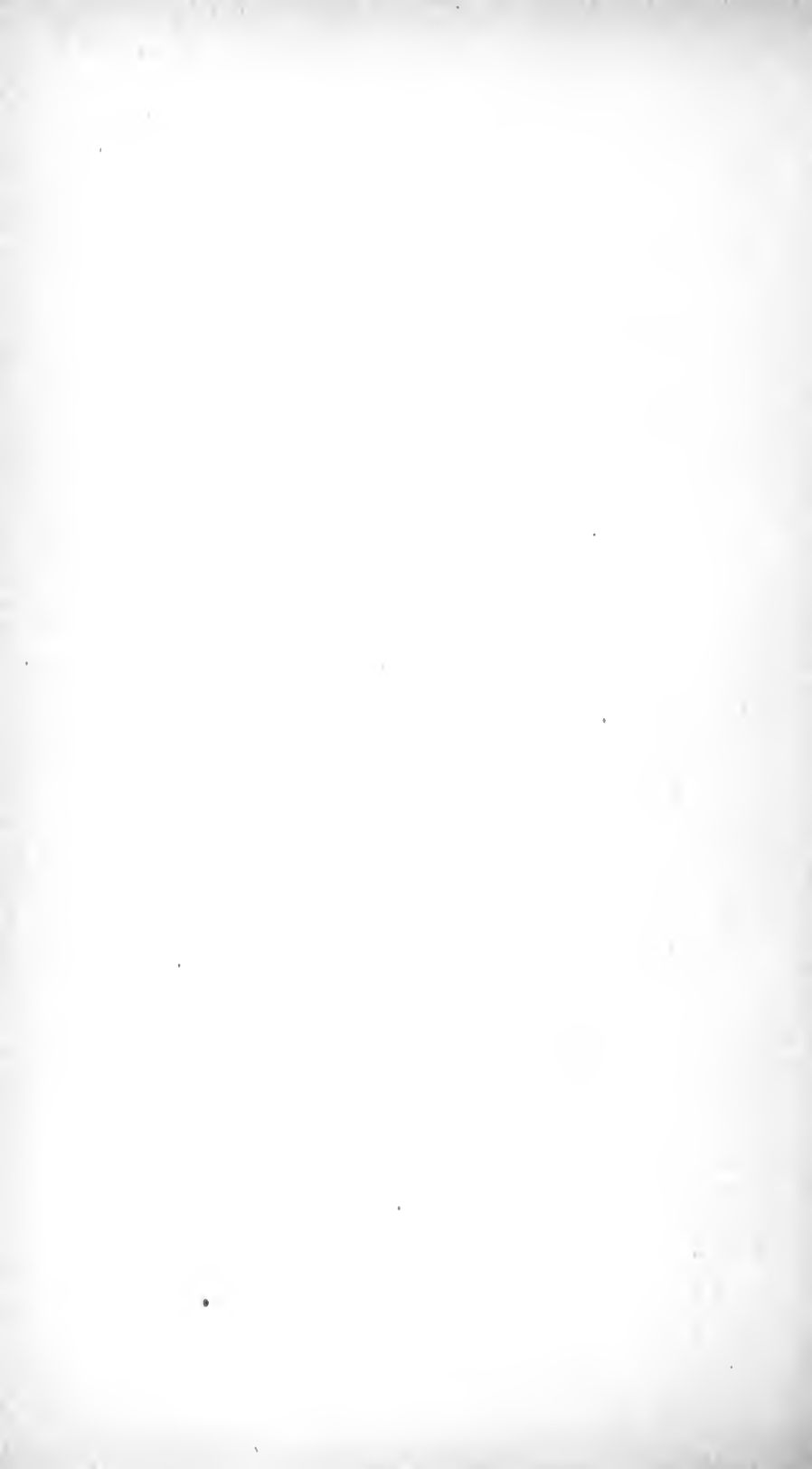
Church, Upper Merion, Pa., until 1831; then Rector of Gloria Dei Church, Philadelphia, until his death in 1863.

40. CHARLES H. CLAY, Country Merchant.
43. JOSEPH ASHMEAD CLAY; graduate of the University of Pennsylvania, 1822; admitted to the bar, September 3, 1827, and in the front rank of Philadelphia lawyers in Orphan's Court practice; member of numerous religious and secular societies; Academy of Natural Sciences, Academy of the Fine Arts, &c.; one of the founders and first president of the Social Art Club; one of the original Legal Club; with his brother, made what was, in its day, one of the most complete collections of minerals in the country; unusually well informed in matters of travel and geography; an accomplished art critic and connoisseur; for years conducted religious services at the Episcopal Hospital, Philadelphia, as lay-reader, by authority of Bishop Alonzo Potter.
45. JOHN RANDOLPH CLAY, Diplomat; named after John Randolph of Roanoke, his father's intimate friend, who was his godfather; after his father's death, lived with Mr. Randolph in Virginia, and was educated there; read law; went to St. Petersburg, Russia, with Minister Randolph, as Secretary of Legation, in 1830; was Secretary of Legation at Vienna, Austria, in 1837; again in St. Petersburg in 1843; Minister to Peru for thirteen years from 1847; left the diplomatic service in 1860; drew up the articles of the first treaty of Commerce between Russia and the United States; had the Amazon River thrown open to commerce; spoke six languages with fluency, and was one of the most accomplished diplomats ever in the service of the United States; a staunch Union man.
48. ANTONY LAUSSAT, first husband of ANN ELIZA CLAY; graduate of the University of Pennsylvania; Lawyer; admitted to the Philadelphia bar, February 1, 1827; man of brilliant ability; author of a work on equity; his appointment as U. S. Attorney for Pennsylvania reached him during his last illness. His father was cousin and brother-in-law of Clement de Laussat, Prefect General of the French West India Colonies and commissioner for France at the cession of Louisiana.

JOHN RICHTER JONES, second husband of ANN ELIZA CLAY, was grandson of Rev. David Jones, Gen. Wayne's "fighting parson;" graduate of the University of Pennsylvania, 1821; Lawyer; Judge of the Court of Common Pleas in Philadelphia, 1836 to 1847; moved to Sullivan Co., Penna., and lived at "Eaglesmere;" September 1, 1861, was authorized to raise a regiment, and was Colonel of the 58th Penna. Volunteers; was a thorough soldier, and, when given opportunity, rendered brilliant service; when killed, was fighting, with less than 100 men of his own regiment, Gen. D. H. Hill with 3 brigades, a regiment of cavalry, and 11 guns; a man of extensive and varied reading and information, and of extraordinary personal courage and endurance.

49. EDWARD WILLIAMS CLAY read law, and admitted to the bar March 12, 1825; preferred art to law, and became noted as a caricaturist.
67. WILLIAM POLLOCK, husband of EMILY CLAY; educated in Milton, Pa.; was in coal and lumber business in Pottsville; Notary Public; when Gen. Lee entered Pennsylvania, served for six weeks as Quartermaster of Col. Campbell's regiment, raised to defend the State.
72. GEORGE BOLTON LOWNES CLAY studied medicine, and has for years lived and practised his profession at Moorestown, N. J.
74. RICHARD EDEY CLAY, Merchant in Philadelphia; was for years of the firm of E. C. Knight & Co.; retired from business some years ago.
80. GEORGE HENRY CLAY, graduated at Burlington College, N. J., in 1850; admitted to the bar and practised law in Sunbury, Pa.
83. FLETCHER CLAY, graduate of the Philadelphia High-School; Civil Engineer; engaged in construction of Sunbury and Erie R.R.; moved to Erie; in August, 1862, was commissioned 1st Lieutenant, Co. A, 145th Penna. Vols., and was killed at the battle of Fredericksburg.
85. ALFRED LAUSSAT CLAY; Philadelphia High-School; was Secretary and Treasurer of the Ridge Ave. Ry. Co.; served in the Commonwealth Artillery, in the 3 months' service, 1861, and, for three years after that, as Hospital Steward, U. S. A.; has since been with the Fidelity Company of Philadelphia.
88. CECIL CLAY, graduate of the University of Pennsylvania, 1859; read law with his father; September, 1861, was appointed 1st Lieut.; January 1, 1862, commissioned Captain 58th Penna. Vols.; Major, September 30, 1864; Lieut.-Colonel, November 19, 1864; Colonel, November 20, 1864; Brevetted Colonel and Brig.-General; medal of honor for distinguished bravery at the storming of Ft. Harrison, Va., Sept 29, 1864; left the army January 24, 1866, and until 1880 was in lumber business in Virginia and West Virginia; in 1883 was appointed Chief Clerk of the Department of Justice at Washington and is still there; Colonel 2d Regiment, District of Columbia National Guard since 1887; Trustee of the Reform School, D. C.
90. WILLIAM VAUX CLAY, served in the volunteers for two short terms; the last in 1863, and died from disease said to have been contracted in the service.
91. RICHARD WELLS CLAY; University of Pennsylvania, class of 1867; left before graduating to enter the commission house of Coffin & Altemus; read law with his father; admitted to the bar June 28, 1873; has for years been President of the Solicitors' Loan and Trust Company, of Philadelphia.

93. EDWARD COOK CLAY; at Ury School, Fox Chase, Philadelphia, four years; University of Pennsylvania, class of '72, until end of sophomore year; entered importing house of Price, Parrish & Co., 1870; Pennsylvania R.R. Co., January, 1874; went to New York in 1881, and was with the Denver & Rio Grande and Mexico National Railroads; since 1890 has been with the Newark Passenger Ry., and its successors; lives at Orange, N. J.
95. HARRY GIBBS CLAY, graduate of the Law Department of the University, class of 1857; read law with his uncle; admitted to the bar, April 10, 1858; lives in Philadelphia, and practises his profession; summer residence, Eaglesmere, Pa.
98. ANTHONY ALEXANDER CLAY; educated at private schools; commissioned 1st Lieutenant 58th Pennsylvania Volunteers, January 1, 1862; served three years and returned to the regiment as Adjutant, September 23, 1865; left the army January 24, 1866; lives at "Upland," Elk Co., Pennsylvania; spends his winters at Riverton, N. J.



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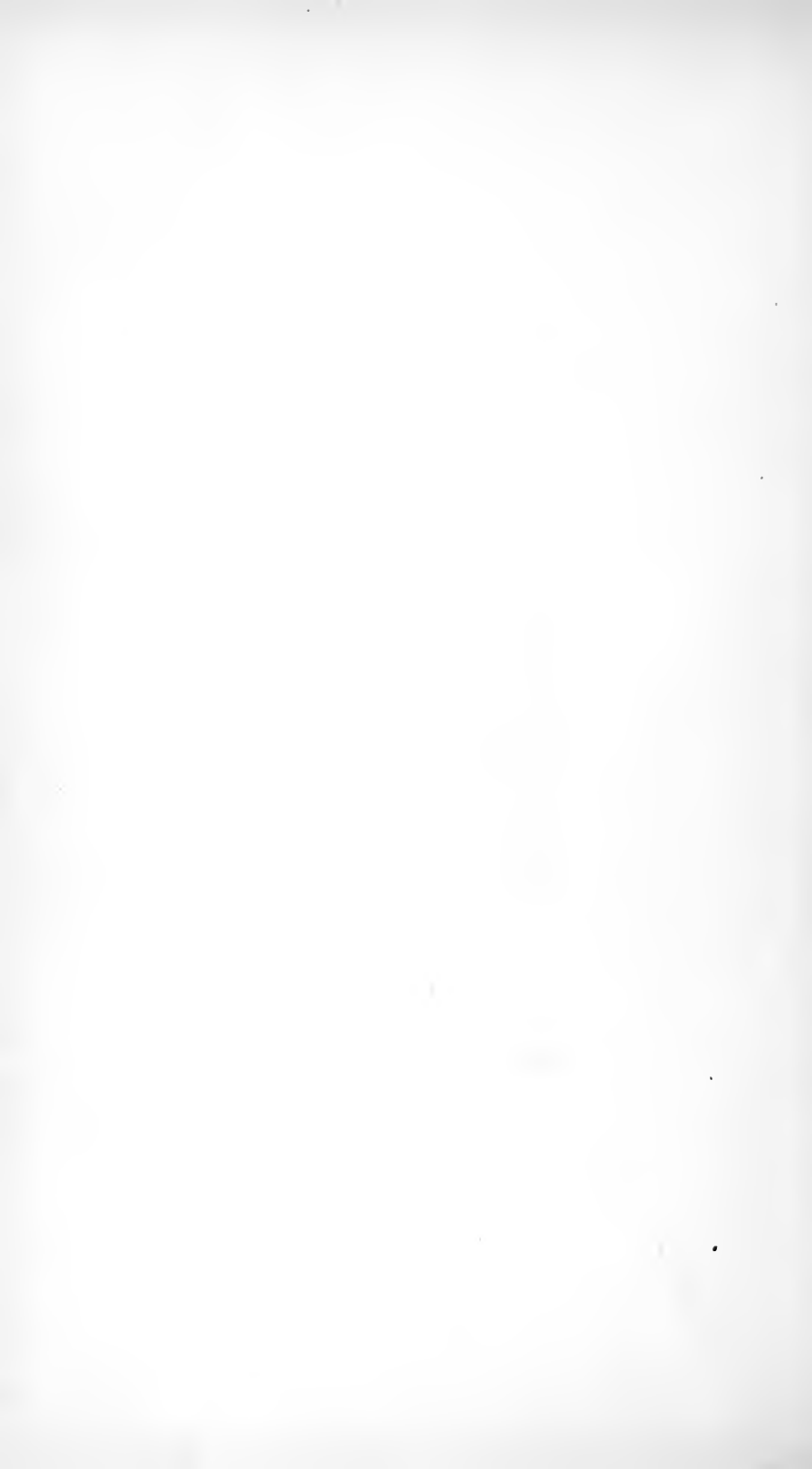
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Dear Sir -

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Yours truly,
Cecil Clay.

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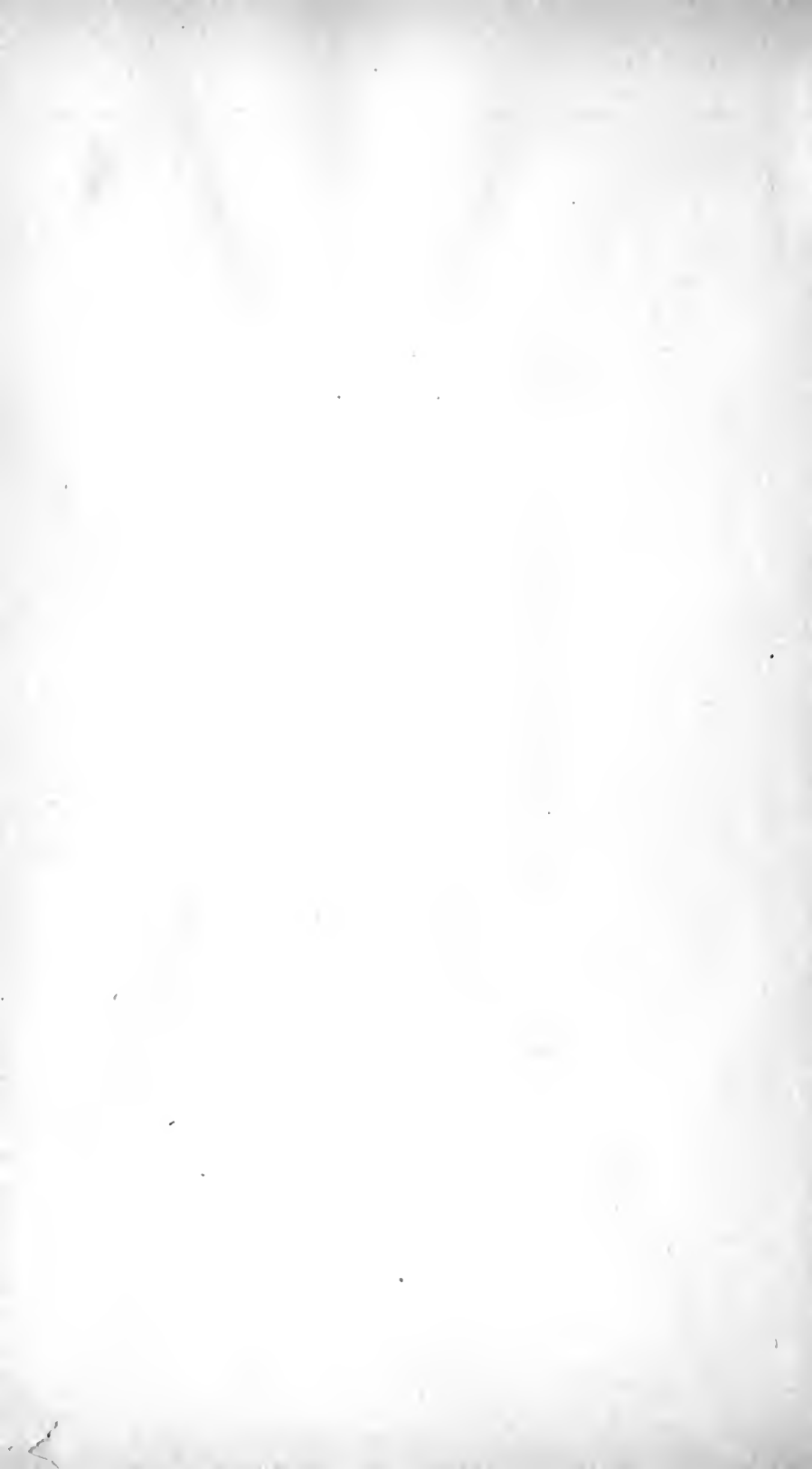
WASHINGTON, Sept. 23.—Gen. Cecil Clay, General Agent of the Department of Justice, died suddenly to-day. He was 65 years old and a native of Philadelphia.

Gen. Cecil Clay was born in Philadelphia Feb. 13, 1842. He received his education in the public schools of Philadelphia and the University of Pennsylvania, graduating in 1859. He enlisted in the Fifty-eighth Pennsylvania Volunteers at the outbreak of the civil war, and was soon made its Captain. For gallant services during the war he was brevetted Brigadier General of United States Volunteers.

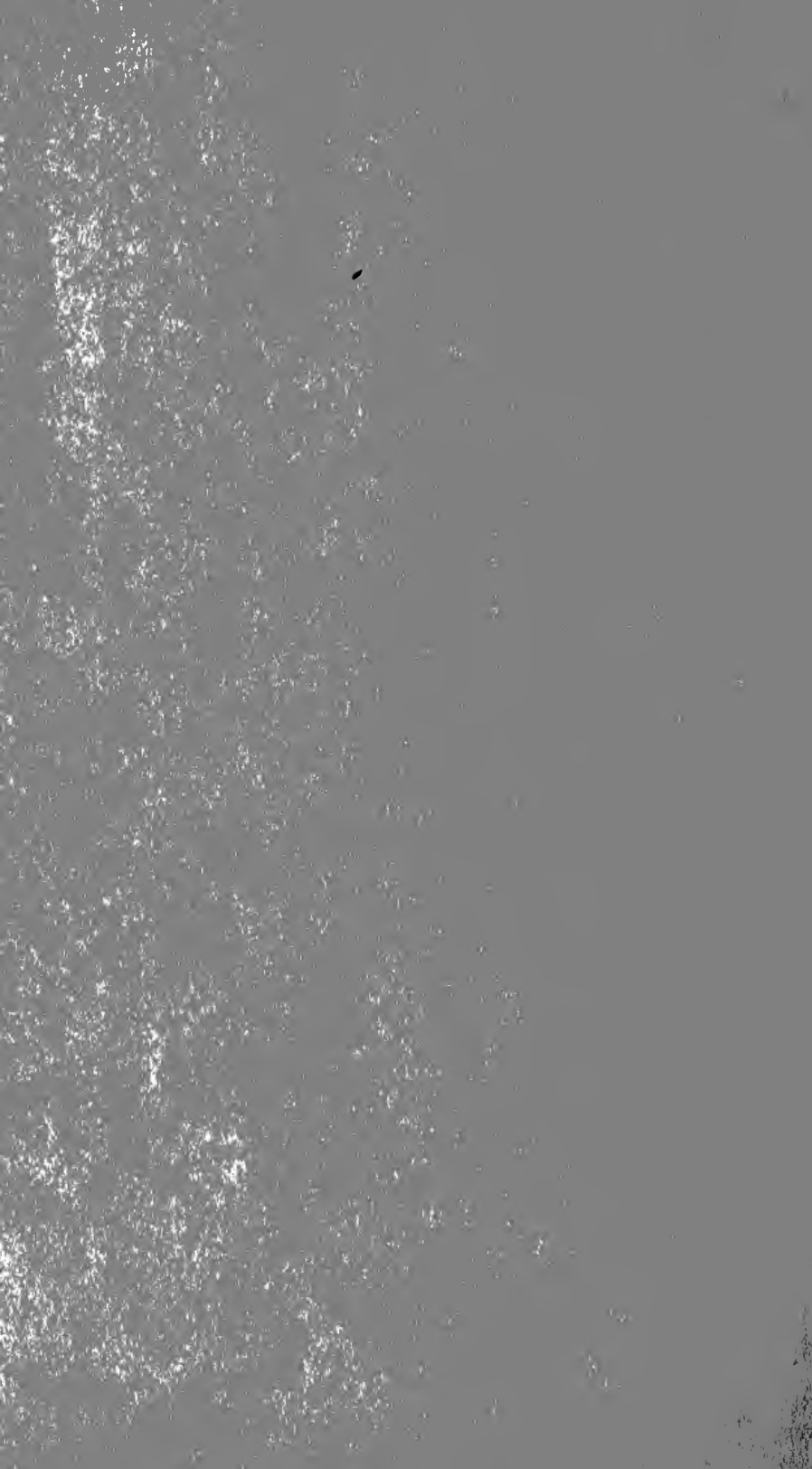
Gen. Clay received a Congressional medal of honor for distinguished services during the storming of Fort Harrison. In this battle he lost his right hand and was severely wounded, but insisted on staying in the front. At the end of the war Gen. Clay became the head of the St. Lawrence Boom and Manufacturing Company.

He was well known as a crack rifle shot on the range and as a hunter of big game. He was a frequent contributor to Forest and Stream. He became General Agent of the United States Department of Justice in 1887.

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