

England is thought to be one of the most valuable single acquisitions ever given to the Society. On June 5, 1889, he married Josephine Spencer, who survives him.

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ANSON DANIEL MORSE.

Anson Daniel Morse, a resident of Amherst, Mass., died in Springfield, Mass., March 13, 1916. He was born in East Cambridge, Vermont, August 13, 1846. He was graduated from Amherst College in 1871, and studied in the University of Heidelberg. He taught for several years at Williston Seminary, Easthampton, from 1872 to 1875, and from 1876 to 1908 he was a member of the faculty of Amherst College, where he taught history and political economy. Since 1908 he has been professor emeritus at Amherst. The degree of LL.D. was conferred upon him by Union College in 1895, and by Amherst in 1908. He was a member of the American Academy of Political and Social Science, the American Historical Association, and was elected a member of this Society in 1903. As a diversion he was interested in the cultivation of roses, and all fruits adapted to central New England. On Sept. 3, 1878 he married Margaret Duncan Ely, who with six children survives him.

He achieved a high reputation in politics and history through numerous articles on these subjects prepared for various publications.

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STEPHEN DENISON PEET.

Stephen Denison Peet was born in Euclid, Ohio, December 2, 1831, and died in Northampton, Mass., May 24, 1914. Knowledge of his death was only recently received by the Society. He was graduated from Beloit in 1851 with the degree of A. B. which was followed in 1890 by the degree of Ph. D. He was in Yale Divinity School, 1851-3, and in 1854 graduated

from Andover Theological Seminary. For over forty years he held pastorates in the west. While accompanying his father on missionary tours he became interested in Indian life and mound builders, which resulted in his life study of archæology. In 1878 he founded the American Antiquarian and Oriental Journal, the first journal of its kind, and was for thirty-two years its editor and publisher. He was corresponding member of the American Oriental Society, the New England Historic Genealogical Society, the American Numismatic Society, the Davenport Academy of Sciences, the Philosophical Society of Great Britain, and the Society of Biblical Archæology. He was elected a member of the American Antiquarian Society in 1882. He was twice married, his first wife being Katherine Mosely, his second, Olive Woolworth Cutler, who with eight children survives him.

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