

305. Joseph Addison Hayden, Haydens Point, Charlevoix Co., Mich. (Moses¹⁴², Samuel⁵⁴, Samuel²³, Samuel⁹, Daniel³, William¹); born in Barkhamsted, Jan. 1, 1809; died in Michigan, Dec. 15, 1872, æ. 63; married Aug. 7, 1838, Mary A. Chadwick of Delta, Mich.; she died Mar. 5, 1874, æ. 54.

CHILDREN.

623 HELEN J.,	b. Delta, Aug. 12, 1840; d. Aug. 5, 1862.
+ 624 EDWIN CARLETON,	b. " Aug. 23, 1842; m. Martha E. Bagges.
625 LOUISE M.,	b. " Nov. 21, 1844.
626 FLORENCE ELIZABETH,	b. " Apr. 13, 1847.
627 HENRY ELIJAH,	b. " June 13, 1850; d. Aug. 23, 1876.
628 SIDNEY DANIEL,	b. " July 2, 1852.
629 ALICE MARY,	b. Dec. 21, 1854.
630 JOHN WESLEY,	b. Mar. 7, 1857.
631 SAMUEL ADDISON,	b. Aug. 9, 1860.
632 CLARA FRANCESKA,	b. June 15, 1864.

Joseph Addison³⁰⁵. When he was six years of age his father removed from Barkhamsted to Bethany, Pa., where he died fourteen years after. Joseph³⁰⁵ "took care of his father's family several years, went to Ohio, then to Michigan, where he seems to have enjoyed the confidence of his fellow citizens. For many years he held responsible offices. He went into the northern part of the southern peninsula, surveying, and was supposed to be murdered."

— *Collin*²³⁷ *M. Hayden (1885)*.

Last year I opened communication with Joseph's³⁰⁵ daughter Alice³²³, and the following extracts are from a glowing tribute to her father, which she wrote me:

"I regret my father had not written his life and adventures in the wilds of Michigan. He was one of the most remarkable men I ever knew, 'the truest Hayden of them all.' He had many friends, for his business called him to many places, and people who saw him once never forgot him. In form he was tall and well proportioned, his walk that of a soldier. People often mistook him for an officer. He lived several years in Eaton Co., Mich., and later, for 16 years, in Gratiot Co. From there he came north and settled on the shores of Pine Lake in Charlevoix Co., which is in the northern part of the southern peninsula.