

the Civil War, he removed to Matamoras, Mexico, where he established a branch of his prosperous business, and where his wife joined him in the spring of 1863. His death occurred there Dec. 13, 1863, and his wife returned to Houston, after the war going North, and finally to England, where she now resides with her only son, an invalid, at Liverpool.

- 736 GEORGE, b. May 27, 1830; m. Lucy Stone; no children; he is a prominent lawyer in Houston, Texas.
- 737 CHARLES, b. Mch. 11, 1832; d. Oct. 24, 1853, in Montgomery.
- 738 CLARA ANN TARLTON, b. Dec. 19, 1834; d. May 22, 1846.
- 739 EDWARD HENRY, b. Nov. 1, 1837; d. Sept., 1855, in Houston.

**336. Catharine Louisa<sup>s</sup> Goldthwaite** (*Thomas<sup>s</sup>, Thomas<sup>s</sup>, John<sup>s</sup>, Samuel<sup>s</sup>, Thomas<sup>s</sup>*), b. Oct. 14, 1800, married, in 1820, Judge NIMROD EARLE BENSON, born in Spartanburg, S. C., May 10, 1794, son of William and Eleanor (Key) Benson. They were married at the house of her brother, John Goldthwaite, in Montgomery, Ala., where Mrs. Benson was then visiting, that city continuing to be their home. Judge Benson was left an orphan at an early age, and was brought up partly by an older brother. He was educated and graduated at the University in Columbia, S. C., and settled in Montgomery in 1819. He was elected judge of the county court there in 1823, and held also for many years the position of receiver in the Land Office. He was prominent in the Order of Masonry, being elected Grand Master in 1825, 1826, 1827, and was for many years also "W. M." He was distinguished for his high sense of honor and for his benevolence. He died of yellow fever in Montgomery Sept. 28, 1854. Mrs. Benson died March 22, 1873, in her 73d year. Children :

- 740 ANNE<sup>s</sup>, b. Jan. 20, 1822; m. 1840, John James Scott, b. in Alabama, 1819, son of Thomas Scott. He died 1861; Mrs. Scott resides in Staunton, Va.; children :
- 1 John Campbell<sup>s</sup>, b. 1841; m. 1865, Elizabeth Englehardt; res. Staunton, Va.
  - 2 Rebecca, b. 1843.
  - 3 William Benson, b. 1845; killed at Resaca May 14, 1864.
  - 4 Katharine Louisa, b. 1847.
- 741 MARY, b. Oct. 24, 1825; m. Dec. 14, 1856, Thomas O. Glascock; res. Montgomery; she died Sept. 24, 1874; no children.