George Putnam Huntington

The Rev. George Putnam Huntington, D.D., instructor in Hebrew and rector of St. Thomas' Episcopal church, died at his home on South Main Street, Monday evening, July 11, after an illness of six weeks with slow fever. Funeral services, the following Wednesday, were conducted by Rev. E. N. Goddard of Windsor, Vt. Interment was made at Hadley, Mass., with his father, the Rt. Rev. Frederick Don Huntington, Episcopal Bishop of the central diocese of New York, whose death took place a few hours before Doctor Huntington's.

In accordance with the views of both Doctor Huntington and his father, the funeral services at Hadley were of simple nature. The services at the summer residence of the Huntingtonos were conducted by Bishop Charles Tyler Olmsted, who succeeded Bishop Huntington as bishop of central New York, and Rev. Dr. William Reed Huntington, rector of Grace Church, New York, a distant relative of the Bishop Huntington family. No eulogy was pronounced, either at the house or at the cemetery. While the procession was passing from the house to cemetery, village bells were tolled in Hadley and adjacent towns. In the cemetery there was a large attendance of clergymen and friends from the central New York diocese, Hadley and surrounding towns. The visiting clergymen and the boys' choir of St. John's Church in Northampton donned their vestments at the house of A. L. Carpenter, near the cemetery, and upon the arrival of the procession took their place at the head of the cortege. The services in the cemetery consisted of the reading of the committal words by Bishop Olmsted, responsive reading of psalms, and singing.

Doctor Huntington was born in Boston July 3, 1844. In 1864 he received the degree of A.B. from Harvard, and three years later the degree of A.M. from the same college. He was conferred the degree of D.D. by Dartmouth College on May 27, 1870. He was editor of the Mass. Monthly Review and over thirty years the President of the Massachusetts Historical Society. The mass was the last public number of the Proceedings of the Mass. Historical Society, July 6, 1898.

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mouth in 1897. Doctor Huntington was some years rector of the St. Paul's Church at Malden, Mass., from which he came to Hanover in 1892 to assume the rectorship of St. Thomas' Church. From 1881 to 1883, he was vice-president of Middlesex Institute, and became a member of the New England Botany Club in 1896. His position as instructor in Dartmouth College dated from 1896.

Doctor Huntington is survived by a wife, five sons, and a daughter.

V. M. C. A. Reception

The annual reception to the Freshman class by the Dartmouth Young Men's Christian Association was held in Bartlett Hall last Saturday evening. As Dartmouth night is not to be observed this year the affair was unusually timely and enjoyable. Nearly four hundred students were present. The earlier part of the evening was spent in social intercourse in the parlors, after which the company adjourned to the auditorium, where representatives of the various activities of the College made brief remarks. Capt. J. W. Knibbs of the football team implored every Freshman who had ever played football to help the 'varsity through one of the most difficult schedules ever planned for a Dartmouth team. He also announced that the Freshman team this year would receive college coaching under Coach Folsom. Capt. J. T. Keady said that the baseball schedule next year would probably contain the best games ever arranged for Dartmouth, and that he was depending a great deal upon the Freshman material for assistance. Captain Patterson of the track team also made an earnest call for candidates. The newspaper interests of the College were described by Eugene R. Musgrove, editor-in-chief of The Dartmouth, and the literary side by H. W. Fleming, business manager of the Dartmouth Magazine. C. F. Ebenezer spoke of the debating union, and G. C. Agry of the musical clubs. Other speakers were President William