

FRANCIS DANA' CHANNING, ESQ. (*Lucy⁶ Ellery, Ann⁵ Remington, Lucy⁴ Bradstreet, Rev. Simon³ Bradstreet, Anne² Dudley, Gov. Thomas¹*), graduated at Harvard College 1794; married Susan Higginson, Nov. 1806, and died Nov. 8, 1810. He had 3 children :

- i. SUSAN CLEVELAND.⁸ ii. LUCY ELLERY.
- iii. REV. WILLIAM HENRY, H. C. 1829; a noted writer and clergyman, b. in Boston, May 25, 1810.

REV. WILLIAM ELLERY' CHANNING, D.D. (*Lucy⁶ Ellery, Ann⁵ Remington, Lucy⁴ Bradstreet, Rev. Simon³ Bradstreet, Anne² Dudley, Gov. Thomas¹*), born April 7, 1780; graduated Harvard College 1798, D.D.; was pastor of the Federal Street Church, in Boston, 1803-1842. He wrote many theological works, and was the founder of Unitarianism, as it is now preached. No American author is better known or more highly prized for his reforming influence upon many subjects. He died Oct. 2, 1842, and was buried at Mt. Auburn. His wife, Ruth Gibbs, whom he married in 1814, had 4 children, viz. :

- i. A DAUGHTER,⁸ d. young. ii. MARY RUTH.
- iii. WILLIAM FRANCIS, M.D., b. in Boston, Feb. 22, 1820; author of works on Electricity, and the inventor of the Telegraph Fire Alarm.
- iv. GEORGE GIBBS, d. young.

WALTER' CHANNING, M.D. (brother of Dr. William E.), was Professor of Obstetrics and Medical Jurisprudence in Harvard College, and the author of several medical works. He practised as a physician in Boston many years. He married Barbara H. Perkins, daughter of Samuel, and they had 4 children, viz. :

- i. BARBARA HIGGINSON,⁸ d. unm.
- ii. WILLIAM ELLERY, b. June 10, 1818; poet; m. a sister of Margaret Fuller.
- iii. MARY ELIZABETH, m. Hon. Thomas W. Higginson.
- iv. LUCY BRADSTREET, d. young.

REV. GEORGE GIBBS' CHANNING (brother of William Ellery Channing, D.D.), married Elizabeth Parsons Sigourney, and they had :

- i. GEORGE EDWARD,⁸ d. young. ii. CHARLES SIGOURNEY.
- iii. ANNA ROLLINS. iv. ELLEN. v. FRANCES SUSAN.

WILLIAM ELLERY⁸ CHANNING, poet, born in Boston, June 10, 1818; married a sister of Margaret Fuller, and they live in Concord, Mass. He has published several volumes of poems and other works. His children are :