

CHARLES L. ATTERBURY DIES

Prominent Railroad and Corporation Lawyer Was 72.

Charles Larned Atterbury, prominent as a corporation lawyer for the last forty years, died yesterday at his home at 131 East Seventieth Street. He was born in Detroit on Dec. 8, 1842, and was the son of John G. and Catherine J. Atterbury. After graduating from Yale in 1864 he studied law in Detroit, and afterward practiced in that city from 1866 to 1874. In the latter year he came to New York and entered the firm of Atterbury & Betts. Before long he became connected with the legal department of the Erie Railway and rose to be general counsel of the company and finally Assistant President.

In 1884 Mr. Atterbury left the Erie to become general counsel of the Chicago & Atlantic Railway Company, the Pullman Palace Car Company, and the National Cordage Company. He later became consulting lawyer for the United Railroads of San Francisco, the United Railways Investment Company, the Sierra & San Francisco Power Company, the Railroads and Development Power Company, the Philadelphia Company, the Pittsburgh Railway, Light and Power Company, and other corporations.

Mr. Atterbury was a member of the Bar Association and had served on its Executive Committee. He was also a member of the Century, University, and City Midway Clubs.

On Jan. 7, 1868, he was married to Miss Katherine M. Dow. Their only son is Grosvenor Atterbury, the architect. Mr. Atterbury's country house was at Shinnecock Hills, L. I., and his office at 30 Broad Street.

Miss Julia Livingston Delafield.

Miss Julia Livingston Delafield, a direct descendant of John Delafield, who came to this city in 1783, and a daughter of the late Major Joseph Delafield, died yesterday at the home of her brother, Maturin Livingston Delafield, at Fields-ton, New York City, in her seventy-ninth year. Miss Delafield was born in the home of her grandfather, Maturin Livingston, at 72 Leonard Street, and devoted her life to acts of charity in connection with the Pike Street School of the Children's Aid Society for the last fifty years. She was a member of the Society of the Colonial Dames of America. Lewis Livingston Delafield, a member of the bar of this city, is another brother.

Frederick Llewellyn Goss.

Frederick Llewellyn Goss, inventor of the printing press which bears his name and Vice President of the Goss Printing Press Company of Chicago, died yesterday at his home in that city. He was born in Newport, Wales, in 1842, and came to the United States when a young man, living first in Milwaukee and then in Chicago. With his brother he organized the Goss Printing Press Company to manufacture presses of the type which he had invented. For a number of years past he had been in charge of the company's Eastern offices at 1 Madison Avenue. He is survived by a widow, formerly Miss Jessie Foster of London, and five children by a previous marriage.

Henry J. G. Melcher Drops Dead.

Henry J. G. Melcher, for the last fifteen years manager of the Rainey Coke and Coal Company, which is owned by the W. S. Rainey estate, of which Paul J. Rainey, the hunter and lecturer, and Roy Rainey, the attorney, are the executors, dropped dead yesterday in the building at 527 Fifth Avenue. Mr. Melcher was born in Cleveland, Ohio, and was fifty-seven years old. He had been connected with the Rainey Coal and Coke Company for thirty years, starting in its employ as a clerk. His home was in Mount Vernon, where he was a member of the German Lutheran Church. Mr. Melcher is survived by his widow, two daughters, and a son.