

118. **Hervey Alanson** (*Noah*⁴⁴), born July 20, 1824; died June 16, 1865; married November 25, 1852, Susan Alden Rood; born March 21, 1835; died February 16, 1864; daughter of Josiah F. and Abigail (Howes) Rood. (*See 120, note.*) Carpenter at Plainfield and Northampton, Mass.

219.* *Martyn Shaw*, born December 14, 1853.

220. *Henry Rood*, born August 17, 1857; died August 20, 1857.

221. *Hattie Harmon*, born August 17, 1857; died December 3, 1859.

222. *Alfred Ernest*, born September 17, 1859; died December 18, 1859.

223. *Edward Evans*, born December 25, 1860; died May 23, 1893, at Vivi, Congo Free State, South Africa. Graduate of Wesleyan University, 1887, and of Drew Theological Seminary, Madison, N. J., 1891. Immediately after his graduation, in June, 1891, under the direction of Bishop Taylor of the M. E. Church, he went to Bath, England, where for a year he studied the trade of printer and typesetter under Isaac Pitman, of phonetic fame; thence he went to Brussels, studying French until May, 1893, in preparation for missionary labors on the Upper Congo as a linguist and printer. He arrived at Vivi, Congo Free State, May 8, 1893, eager for his life work. He contracted the fever peculiar to the country and died two weeks later, on May 23, 1893.

224. *Aurelia Rood*, born April 7, 1863; died July 8, 1865.