

REV. WILLIAM GARDNER TUTTLE

THE LITTLETON GUIDON

SATURDAY, AUG. 7, 1897

THE REV. WILLIAM GARDNER TUTTLE, a well known clergyman of Worcester, died Thursday night, after a lingering illness, aged seventy-eight years. He was born in Littleton, Sept. 25, 1819, and lived in that town until he was ordained to the ministry, receiving his early education in Lawrence academy. He graduated from Phillips Andover in 1842 and from Amherst in 1846. He received his theological training in Andover theological seminary, graduating with the class of 1849. He preached several months after his ordination in his own church in Littleton, and then settled in Harrisville, N. H., where he remained nearly ten years. He then went to Ware, where he remained twenty-six years, leaving there on account of ill health in 1887. He went to Worcester after leaving Ware, and has done more or less supply work since. He leaves a widow and two children, Miss Harriet Wallace Tuttle, during ten years a member of the faculty of Wellesley college, and Edward Gerry Tuttle, a physician and surgeon in New York city.