[Currie, William]

DEATHS.

At Augusta, on the 11th inst., Mr. WILLIAM CURRIE, aged 48 years. He was a native of Ayrshire, Scotland, emigrated to the United States in 1803, and settled in Augusta in 1806 or 7. Mr. Currie was an intelligent man, a benevolent and useful citizen, and distinguished for his uniform mildness and upright conduct. For many years he has been the firm and candid believer and advocate for the salvation of all mankind—a belief which sustained him in the loss of an amiable wife, and cherished daughter, whom he had followed to the tomb. He has left a wife and seven children, amply provided for—but who will deeply feel and deplore his loss. His funeral was attended on the 13th, by a numerous concourse of friends, who testified their respect for his memory by mingling their tears with his afflicted family. A discourse was delivered from Rev. xiv:13. Thus perish around us the wise and the good! May we cherish their memories and imitate their virtues.

S. R. S. [Rev. Stephen Rensselaer Smith]

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