

Born at Greenwich, Hampshire Co., Massachusetts, \_\_\_\_\_, 1816.

Son of David and Abigail (Pepper) Whipple.

Married, Eleanor Mary Sherburn at Portsmouth, New Hampshire, on September 12, 1843.

Children, Charles William (Major, U.S. Army), David and Elizabeth (Mrs. \_\_\_\_\_)

As 2d Lieutenant, U.S. Topographical Engineers, served on U.S.-Mexico Boundary Survey, 1849-53; promoted 1st Lieutenant, April 24, 1851; was engineer in charge of exploration and survey of railroad route across northern Arizona near the 35th Parallel, 1853-56.

Mortally wounded at the battle of Chancellorsville, May 4, and died at Washington, D.C., May 7, 1863, aged 46.

Buried \_\_\_\_\_ Cemetery, \_\_\_\_\_.

Fort Whipple (later called Whipple Barracks), A.T., named for him.

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