

Professor Hough.

George Washington Hough, whose death occurred on the 1st of January, was born at Tribes Hill, Montgomery County, N.Y., on the 24th of October 1836. He entered the Cincinnati Observatory in 1859, from which he removed to the Dudley at Albany, N.Y., of which he became Director in 1863. In 1879 he was appointed Director of the Dearborn Observatory and Professor of Astronomy at the North-Western University, Evanston, on Lake Michigan, near Chicago. For nearly 30 years he held these posts, energetically carrying out the work, both directorial and professorial. His astronomical observations were principally of double stars and of the planet Jupiter. He contributed many papers to the Chicago Astronomical Society, to the Boston "Astronomical Journal," and to the "Monthly Notices" of the Royal Astronomical Society, which elected him an Associate in 1903.
