Henry Augustus Muhlenburg

(21 Jul 1823 - 9 Jan 1854)

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A Representative from Pennsylvania; born in Reading, Pa., July 21, 1823; pursued classical studies; was graduated from Dickinson College, Carlisle, Pa., in 1841; studied law; was admitted to the bar in 1844 and commenced practice in Reading, Pa.; member of the State senate 1849-1852; elected as a Democrat to the 33rd Congress and served from March 4, 1853 until his death in Washington, D.C., January 9, 1854; interment in Charles Evans Cemetery, Reading, Pa.

Son of Henry Augustus Philip Muhlenburg and grandson of Joseph Hiester, both Representatives from Pennsylvania.