ARMSTRONG, Samuel Chapman, 1839-1893. Hawaii born. Attended Oahu Col. Grad. Williams Col., Mass., 1862. Chief Clerk, Dpt. Pub. Instr., Hawaii. In Union army: CUT Capt., 1862; brevet Brigadier-General, 1865. In Freedman's Bureau, supt. 10 counties in Va., 1866-1868. Prin. Hampton Normal and Ag. Institute, devoted to practical education of Negroes and Indians, 1868-1893. His father, a . . . . . . . missionary. At Williams, lived in home of Pres. Mark Hopkins. In him were blended the spirit of that great teacher and the zeal of the missionary in his blood. Education for better life in the work-a-day occupations of farm, trade, and home were his passions. "The discovery which gives to the Founder of Hampton a permanent place among the greatest names in the history of education was the discovery that a judicious training of the hand is at the same time a discipline of the mind and will; that industrial efficiency has moral consequences. This high doctrine of the spiritual significance" of education in and for physical work he taught with such reiterated emphasis and to such good effect that Hampton became in his day famous at home and abroad as the greatest school of its kind in the world, -- its most renowned son, Booker T. Washington. Fuller details in "Education for Life," by Francis G. Peabody, Doubleday, Page and Co., 1919, pp. 390, and 39 illustrations. -- R. W. Stimson.

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