

GELL, Sir William, *jel*, a learned classical antiquary, was educated at Emmanuel College, Cambridge, of which he afterwards became a fellow. He was knighted in 1803, on his return from a mission to the Ionian Islands; in 1820 he was appointed chamberlain to Queen Caroline, and shortly afterwards went to Italy, where he remained during the rest of his life, residing partly at Rome and partly at Naples. He was the author of "Topography of Troy and its Vicinity," illustrated and explained by drawings; "The Geography and Antiquities of Ithaca," "Itinerary of Greece," "Itinerary of the Morea," "Pompeiana, or Observations upon the Topography, Edifices, and Ornaments of Pompeii," "The Topography of Rome," &c. B. 1777; D. Feb. 4, 1836. 1763