

Woodstock, Vt., Canada, and East Bloomfield, N. Y. Children:

- 567. Philancy, b. in Vermont.
- 568. Stephen, d. Mt. Morris, N. Y., unm.
- 569. Parthenia, b. in Vermont.
- 570. Mary, b. in Vermont.
- 571. Sally, b. near Montpelier, Vt., Oct. 8, 1795.
- 572. Isaac, b. near Montpelier, Vt.
- 573. Phineas, b. near Montpelier, Vt., 1800.
- 574. Mercy, b. near Montpelier, Vt., Aug. 8, 1802.
- 575. Lucia.

Recollections of George P. Alvord of Mt. Morris, N. Y., regarding his grandfather:

"Grandfather (Stephen Washington Alvord) owned and occupied a farm in Vermont, about two miles from Montpelier. He indorsed notes for a friend and was obliged to sacrifice his farm to meet the payments. He then emigrated to Canada, but finding the winters too severe, he moved to East Bloomfield, N. Y., where he remained until 1823, when he went to Mt. Morris, N. Y., and contracted for a piece of timber land. He immediately began to erect a log house, which he expected to make his home, but was taken sick and died before its completion."

Cenius H. Engle of Hartford, Mich., son of Sally Alvord, recalls that his mother said that on one occasion during the War of 1812, a number of soldiers left baggage at her father's house on a march to Canada, saying that, if they never returned, he might have the things, that her father spent one winter lumbering in Canada and returned in the spring without one cent, the company having failed, also that she attended school with Joseph Smith when a child, and wondered that a boy of such ordinary ability could become the founder of a powerful religious sect.

U. S. Census for 1790 makes Stephen W. Alvord a resident of Woodstock, Vt., also at Woodstock in 1800. Descendants all agree that some of the children were born near Montpelier.

216. ABIGAIL ALVORD (*Stephen, Joseph, Ebenezer, Alexander*), born Charlestown, N. H., July 26, 1778; married Zacheus Ellis. Res. Woodstock, Vt. (No record of children.)

Zaccheus Ellis kept a store in Woodstock, Vt. According to U. S. Census for 1800 he was head of a family at Woodstock with three male and two female children. He was of Providence, Vt., in 1804.

217. LUCY WRIGHT ALVORD (*Stephen, Joseph, Ebenezer, Alexander*), born Charlestown, N. H., Nov. 6, 1774; died Woodstock, (Eng. Mills), Vt., 1867; married Woodstock, Vt., Feb. 17, 1805, Josiah Gibbs. He was born Dec. 25, 1761; died North Bridge-