

ander), born South Hadley, Mass., July 1, 1817; died Washington, D. C., Feb. 1895; married Springfield, Mass., 1884, Elisha Day Stocking, son of Alexander and Hannah (Day) Stocking. He was born Chatham, Conn., Sept. 5, 1799; died Springfield, Mass., Dec. 9, 1888. Res. Springfield, Mass. No children.

Elisha D. Stocking when six years old moved from Chatham, Conn., to Mass. with his parents. He was a merchant tailor and conducted a prosperous business in Springfield. His first wife was Amelia Stebbins. Mary (Alvord) Stocking spent her last years at the home of her niece in Washington, D. C.

459. HIRAM ALVORD (*Justin, Job, John, Thomas, Alexander*), born South Hadley, Mass., July 6, 1819; died Rockville, Ind., Sept. 23, 1894; married Rockville, Ind., July 16, 1848, Eliza Potts, daughter of Joseph and Mary (Smith) Potts. She was born Paola, Ind., Feb. 2, 1823; died Rockville, Ind., Feb. 8, 1878. Res. Rockville, Ind. Child:

1069. Arthur Randolph, b. Rockville, Ind., Nov. 30, 1850.

Hiram Alvord was a physician. He prepared himself for his profession by attending lectures at Philadelphia, Pa., and Cincinnati, O. About the year 1847 he went West and settled in Rockville, Ind., where he practised his profession. He was a man of remarkably good mind and sound judgment, rarely found to be mistaken in his opinion, whether it was a point in medicine, law, or history.

464. WILLIAM MATHER ALVORD (*John, Nathan, John, Thomas, Alexander*), born Brookfield, Vt., Aug. 18, 1791; died Brookfield, Vt., Jan. 23, 1881; married Brookfield, Vt., June 29, 1815, Talitha Bigelow, daughter of Zelotas and Deborah (Foot) Bigelow. She was born Brookfield, Vt., Apr. 2, 1793; died Brookfield, Vt., May 21, 1877. Children:

1070. William Mather, b. Brookfield, Vt., Aug. 13, 1818.

1071. John Milton, b. Brookfield, Vt., Feb. 15, 1820.

1072. Oramel, b. Brookfield, Vt., June 29, 1824; d. July 9, 1824.

1073. Abigail Smead, b. Brookfield, Vt., Nov. 8, 1829; d. Mar. 17, 1832.

1074. Abbie Annette, b. Brookfield, Vt., Apr. 4, 1833.

William Mather Alvord and his wife celebrated their sixtieth wedding anniversary in 1875. He was a Justice of Peace for many years, a Republican in politics, a farmer by occupation.

465. COTTON WHITE ALVORD (*John, Nathan, John, Thomas, Alexander*), born Brookfield, Vt., Apr. 12, 1797; died Plainfield, Vt., Nov. 11, 1879; married 1st prob. Brookfield, Vt.,