

1704. Cornelius Lansing, b. Syracuse, N. Y., Sept. 21, 1848.
 1705. Fannie, b. Syracuse, N. Y., Apr. 5, 1855; res. Columbiaville, N. Y., 1906, unm.
 1706. William Judson, b. Syracuse, N. Y., Oct. 28, 1858.

Cornelius Lansing Alvord, after receiving his education, went to Syracuse at the age of nineteen, where he began his business career in the Salina bank as discount clerk. He remained in the bank for five years, serving as clerk, teller, cashier and president. He then engaged in the manufacture of salt, and also carried on an extensive lumber business. With these two enterprises he was connected for twenty years. In 1855 he entered the Salt Springs bank as cashier, where he remained for four years. In 1860 Mr. Alvord removed to Stockport, N. Y., where he has continued to reside. While a resident of Syracuse he was elected alderman and supervisor. In 1866 he was appointed warehouse inspector in the New York City custom house, which position he retained for twenty years, retiring in 1886. Since then he has lived as a retired farmer, and is recognized as a man of ability and integrity. At the age of eighty-seven, he is strong and vigorous.

855. LUKE ALVORD (*Dioclesian, Thomas Gould, Asahel, Thomas, Thomas, Alexander*), born Salina, N. Y., Sept. 16, 1812; died Vallejo, Cal., Sept. 2, 1898; married Syracuse, N. Y., Nov. 12, 1834, Henrietta Schuyler Childs, daughter of Dr. Ephraim and Mary (Woodworth) Childs. She was born Stillwater, N. Y., Oct. 22, 1810; died Vallejo, Cal., Apr. 16, 1883. Res. Syracuse, N. Y., Sacramento, Cal., and Vallejo, Cal. Children:

1707. Lewis Cass, b. Salina, N. Y., Sept. 13, 1836.
 1708. Marion, b. Syracuse, N. Y., May 28, 1841; d. Mar. 22, 1844.
 1709. Helen Burnet, b. Syracuse, N. Y., Aug. 30, 1845.

Luke Alvord went to Cal. early in year 1850. He spent many years in the mining region of Central Cal., working at the building of quartz mills and other mining industries. Honesty was his pride, and he reposed perfect faith in his neighbor. "Do unto others as you would have them do unto you" was ever his motto.

He retained to a remarkable degree all his faculties up to the time of his death, adding to this a cheerful disposition and versatile mind and memory. All of this made him a genial companion to youth and old age alike. He lived in Vallejo, Cal., during the last thirty years of his life, and left behind an example of a beautiful life and a serene ending.