

ity, Iowa, Mar. 31, 1868; married Gravity, Iowa, Aug. 6, 1891, Jasper Newton Wisecup, son of George and Annie (Stumbo) Wisecup. He was born near Missouri Valley, Ia., Mar. 16, 1865. Res. near Woodward, Ia., 1903. His occupation, farmer. Children:

- a. Mattie, b. Gravity, Ia.
- b. Fred Elbridge, b. Gravity, Ia., June 4, 1897.

1757. PHINEAS ELBERT ALVORD (*Samuel, Elijah Johnson, Obed, Asahel, Thomas, Thomas, Alexander*), born Mantua, Ohio, Oct. 24, 1868; married Mantua, Ohio, May 19, 1889, Adeline M. Mead, daughter of William and Celestia (Kellogg) Mead. She was born Hartsgrrove, O., Aug. 14, 1869. Res. Cleveland, O., 1904. No children.

Phineas Elbert Alvord is secretary and treasurer of the Simplex Mfg. Co., of Cleveland, O.

1758. IMOGENE MINERVA ALVORD (*Obed Gool, Elijah Johnson, Obed, Asahel, Thomas, Thomas, Alexander*), born Mentor, Ohio, Aug. 1, 1848; married Union City, Mich., Apr. 20, 1870, John Swikert Stahlnecker, son of Jacob and Marrianna (Swikert) Stahlnecker. He was born Clinton, Ohio, Sept. 23, 1846. Res. Cromwell, Iowa, 1908. Child:

- a. Obed Luther, b. Sherwood, Mich., July 20, 1872; d. Cromwell, Ia., May 23, 1897; a young man of intense patriotism who had become a writer of acknowledged ability. He was a Christian from boyhood.

John Swikert Stahlnecker is engaged in farming and stock-raising. He was a soldier in the Civil War, enlisting Sept. 3, 1864 in Battery D, 1st. Mich. Light Artillery. He was honorably discharged Aug. 3, 1865.

1760. JOSEPHINE MATILDA ALVORD (*Obed Gool, Elijah Johnson, Obed, Asahel, Thomas, Thomas, Alexander*), born Mentor, Ohio, June 1, 1852; married Tekonsha, Mich., July 30, 1876, Peter Ferby Rumsey, son of Peter and Temperance (Bond) Rumsey. He was born Sherwood, Mich., July 30, 1854. Res. Curlew, Wash., 1903. His occupation, farmer. Children:

- a. Genie Melissia, b. Cromwell, Ia., Feb. 18, 1883.
- b. Earl Sumner, b. Star, Holt Co., Neb., Dec. 23, 1885; d. Sept. 18, 1886.

1761. MARY ESTELL ALVORD (*Obed Gool, Elijah Johnson, Obed, Asahel, Thomas, Thomas, Alexander*), born Mentor, Ohio, Apr. 17, 1854; married Afton, Union Co., Ia., July 28, 1886, William Snow Wilkinson, son of Nathaniel and Naomi (Snow)