

PIONEER DAYS IN DAKOTA AND KANSAS: A DIFFERENCE

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Beginning on page 10 you will see some information on families who moved after they came to this country. This talk will concern itself principally with those persons who moved from Kansas to South Dakota and from South Dakota to Kansas and I'll attempt to explain what the reasons may have been for the movements of families. This study was initiated by Dr. Harley Stucky who asked me several years ago if I could look through my data base and determine who those persons were who moved from South Dakota to Kansas. My data base isn't set up to do that but I started making a list whenever I found someone who did move. I also included those who moved from Kansas to South Dakota.

This list is confined to those persons who were born in Volhynia and their children. It does not include grandchildren of those born in Russia or great grandchildren. There are probably some persons you may know who moved to South Dakota or from South Dakota to here and who are not listed. That is probably the reason. They are not in my data base so they are not listed. Another reason for the omission of some people from this list is because I have been accumulating the list whenever I happened to run into someone and there are some I just missed.

As you undoubtedly know all 4 congregations had agreed while in Russia to go to the Dakota Territory. The first 3 congregations did so. The Kutusovka-Hopefield congregation decided in New York to go to Kansas instead. 14 families of that congregation went immediately to South Dakota from New York. 3 families came to Kansas, then (within a month) went to South Dakota.

On page 10 is the beginning of the list of persons who moved from Kansas to South Dakota. Included in this list are the 3 families who were members of the Kutusovka congregation in Volhynia who came to this country with that congregation, and came to Kansas, but then moved within 3 to 4 weeks to South Dakota. These were the families of Johann Gering [[Ge3.355](#)] and Maria (Graber) Gering [Gr3.824] with 3 children. You will see that family listed on the bottom of page 10. The other 2 families were those of Jacob Riess [[Rs1.2](#)] and Karolina (Tesmer) Riess [Ts0] with 6 of their children and Karl Riess [[Rs2.25](#)] and Freni (Kaufman) Riess [Ka4.2111] with 3 of their children. Those Riess families you will find listed from the middle of page 11 to the middle of page 12. If we subtract these 18 persons from the total list of those who moved from Kansas to South Dakota we are left with 15 persons who moved there. Nearly all of these 15 persons married someone from South Dakota and moved there to be with their spouse.

There is one individual who merits some comment. She is Freni Schrag [[Sg5.74222](#)] listed on page 12 (towards the bottom of the page). Freni was born in South Dakota, had moved with her parents to Menno, Washington in Adams County in Eastern Washington and was living there when Karl Kauffman [Ka5.24232] came from South Dakota. Karl (who Americanized his name to Charles) had an avid interest in nature, he collected artifacts and had studied taxidermy and stuffed many animals. He was invited to Washington to teach a class in the Menno Mennonite Church in which Freni was a member. They were married. Subsequently Karl (or Charles, if

you prefer) was asked to come to Bethel College with his collection and establish a museum. This he and Freni did. He was curator of the Kauffman Museum for many years until his death. Freni became curator then and remained so until she married Henry Riess [Rs3.27d] who lived in South Dakota. She gave up her job as curator of the museum and moved to South Dakota to be with her husband.

On page 13 begins the list of persons who moved from South Dakota to Kansas. I have listed here 158 of them. Compare that number with the 33 who moved from Kansas to South Dakota. It needs to be asked why so many persons left Dakota. What conditions prevailed there that prompted the exit? And I should mention that Kansas was not the only destination of persons who left Dakota.

There were 14 families and 4 single persons who went to North Dakota in about 1898 and settled near Starkweather, North Dakota. They were 1 Albrecht family, 1 Gering family, 5 Graber families, 1 Holzworth family (who married a Senner), 2 Schrag families, a Senner family, a Waltner family, 1 Winsky family (who married a Graber) and the 4 single persons were 2 Gerings and 2 Senners. That made a total of 49 persons including the children. In 1904 they moved to Alsen in the same county (that is, Cavalier Co.) and established the Swiss Mennonite Church there. [the information was extracted from [ALBo](#) and [SwMe](#)] They could not have left South Dakota because of the severe winters. The north border of Cavalier County is the Canadian border. The wife of one of the Grabers was my great aunt (Elisabeth Gering [Ge4.3121] and 1 of the 2 single Gerings was her sister Karolina Gering [Ge4.3126]; the other single Gering was the father of the 2 sisters (Joseph Gering [Ge3.312], my great grandfather).

49 persons from Dakota: (**ALBRECHT** 1. Peter Albrecht Ac4.2396 ∞ Regina Senner Se3.437); (**GERING** 1. Peter C Gering [Ge4.3561] ∞ Karolina P Schrag Sg4.8525); (**GRABERS** 1. Peter J Graber Gr3.631 ∞ Elizabeth Gering Ge4.3121; 2. Jakob J Graber Gr4.6143 ∞ Anna P Graber Gr4.6311; 3. Joseph P Graber Gr4.6312 ∞ Katharina Schrag Sg4.7555; 4. Karl Graber Gr4.6147 ∞ Karolina Ries 3.278; 5. Christian Graber Gr4.6145 ∞ Freni Graber Gr4.8212), (**HOLZWARTH** Peter Holzwarth Hz0 ∞ Freni Senner Se3.432), (**SENNER** Peter W. Senner Se3.434 ∞ Anna Albrecht Ac4.2394), (**SCHRAGS** 1. Peter R. Schrag Sg4.8224 ∞ Elizabeth Graber Gr4.8132; 2. Ludwig J. Schrag Sg4.822a ∞ Lena Gering Ge4.3562), (**WALTNER** Jonathan Waltner Wa2.4d ∞ Anna Graber Gr3.843), (**WINSKY** August L Winsky ∞ Philipinna Graber Gr4.6315), (**GERINGS** 1. Karolina Gering Ge4.3126, 2. Joseph Gering Ge3.312), (**SENNERS** 1. John Senner Se?, 2. Katherina Schrag Senner Sg3.424)

I found 12 families who moved from South Dakota to Bloomfield, Montana and established the Bethlehem Mennonite Church there in 1911. In that group there was 1 Albrecht family, 3 Graber families, 1 Ortman family, 2 Senner families, a Schrag family, 3 Schwartz families and 1 Zafft (Soft) family. The Soft family and 1 of the Graber families moved to Kansas before moving to Montana. [this information was extracted from [BIBo](#)] There were a total of 56 persons in that group.

56 persons from Dakota: (**ALBRECHT** 1. Jakob Albrecht Ac4.233b ∞ Anna Graber Gr3.858), (**GRABERS** 1. Peter J Graber Gr4.7511 ∞ Elisabeth Senner Se3.435; 2. Jonathan P Graber Gr3.56h ∞ Helena Soft Zf3.241; 3. Joseph J Graber Gr4.6146 ∞ Aganetha Goertz Gz1.7), (**ORTMAN** 1. Fred H Ortman Om3.355 ∞ Regina Senner Se3.429), (**SENNERS** 1. Jakob W Senner Se3.433 ∞ Katharina Schrag Sg4.4661; 2. Peter W Senner Se3.434 ∞ Anna Albrecht Ac4.2394), (**SCHRAG** 1. Ernest Schrag Sg4.8524 ∞ Regina Schrag Sg5.44171), (**SCHWARTZ** 1. Johan J Schwartz Sw4.1125 ∞ Karolina Kirschenmann; 2. Jonathan J Schwartz Sw4.112a ∞ Frances Graber Gr5.51181; 3. Bernhard Schwartz Sw4.1128 ∞ Anna Miller Mr5.21123), (**ZAFFT** 1. Wilhelm Soft Zf2.24 ∞ Maria Schwartz Sw4.1121).

In 1882, 5 Schrag families moved from South Dakota to Oregon and established a country church near Dallas, Oregon. There were 2 Schrag families who came later making a total of 7 Schrag families in Oregon. They were joined by a 2 Gering families, 2 Graber families, 1 Kaufman and a Waltner family. After trying to subsist on fairly poor soil near Dallas, Oregon

for about 9 years they moved to Lane County, Oregon (near Eugene) and after 9 years of attempting to exist on rather poor soil there they moved to Adams County in eastern Washington. There they established the town of Menno and the Menno Mennonite Church and the town of Schrag, Washington which is about 10 miles southwest of Menno. Included in that Oregon group were 61 persons. [this information was extracted from [ScMi](#) and [EmOr](#)]

57 persons from Dakota: (**SCHRAGS** 1. Jacob R Schrag Sg3.746 ∞ Freni R Graber Gr3.825; 2. Daniel J Schrag Sg3.756 ∞ Freni Graber Gr3.773; 3. Jacob Joseph Schrag Sg3.753 ∞ Freni Riess Rs2.29; 4. Johann J Schrag Sg3.742 ∞ Freni Schrag Sg3.446; 5. Joseph Schrag Sg3.425 and Barbara Graber Gr3.564; 6. Christian Schrag Sg3.743 ∞ Katharina Schrag Sg3.447; 7. Andreas Schrag Sg3.757 ∞ Elisabeth Waltner Wa2.4f), (**GERINGS** 1. Peter Gering Ge3.358 ∞ Anna Waltner Wa2.4e, 2. Joseph Gering Ge4.3123 ∞ Freni Riess Rs2.2f), (**GRABERS** 1. Peter J Graber Gr4.7511 ∞ Elisabeth Sehner Se3.435, 2. J. C. Graber Gr3.813 ∞ Maria C Gering Ge4.3122), (**KAUFMAN** Christian C Kaufman Ka4.2112 ∞ Anna Riess Rs2.28), (**WALTNER** Johann J Waltner Wa3.453 ∞ Maria Schrag Sg4.7551).

That makes a total of over 165 persons who left Dakota and settled in North Dakota, Montana and Oregon.

Some of those who left South Dakota left perhaps because of a personal family catastrophe which may have made it difficult to remain.

Prairie fires were a constant threat. Soon after arriving (in the fall of 1874) a prairie fire struck the Karl Preheim [[Pr1.4](#)] family homestead. Karl wasn't home and his mother-in-law Elisabeth Graber [[Se1.2](#)], his wife Katharina [Gr3.532] and daughter Elisabeth [Pr2.42] were severely burned trying to save the family cattle from the prairie fire. [from "Herald of Truth", December 1874, reprinted in [HiCl](#) p. 197] Karl's wife Katharina (Grabers) Preheim [Gr3.532] died shortly after the fire and their daughter Elisabeth Preheim [Pr2.42] died the next year at the age of 18. Karl Preheim [Pr1.4] remarried and he and his second wife moved to Pretty Prairie and later Kingman, Kansas and Karl's mother-in-law survived the burns and was living with them in Pretty Prairie, Kansas. If you turn to page 31, you can see the entry for Karl Preheim [Pr1.4] and his family. He was a charter member of the First Mennonite Church in Pretty Prairie. [[PpHi](#) p. 15] Karl's mother-in-law Elisabeth (Sehner) Graber [Se1.2] is found on page 37. She died in 1894 in Pretty Prairie, Kansas.

Several prairie fires burned through the North Church Cemetery also. Arthur Graber writing in the book *Looking Back 100 Years* says, "One of the biggest prairie fires swept across our cemetery [i.e., the Salem-Zion Cemetery] in the year 1889, burning all the wooden markers. The markers were homemade from a piece of 2 x 12 with name and date engraved. Again in the early nineties several prairie fires swept over the grounds destroying all the new and restored markers." [[SzLb](#) p. 37] Section I of the cemetery on the far east end has only a few stone markers which look like they were erected much later. The first 3 rows of section 2 have about 20 grave markers in the approximately 60 grave sites.

Jacob Gering [Ge2.36], his wife Susanna (Krehbiel) Gering [Kr2.41] with their family of 5 children were living about 5 miles east of Marion, Dakota Territory on the banks of the Vermillion River. On the 23rd of July 1878 a big rain upriver caused a flood to come down the river. Their house was destroyed and the mother and 3 children were drowned. Jacob's 2 remaining living children moved to Pretty Prairie and Jacob accompanied them. He died in Pretty Prairie and both children moved to Monroe, Washington. Jacob Gering [[Ge2.36](#)] is listed on page 15. His children are listed on page 16 and their Swartz spouses on page 37.

Blizzards also were a problem—2 in particular. The great blizzard of 15 October 1880 made a particularly difficult time for everyone as it was so early in the season that many were totally unprepared for winter. But it was the blizzard on 12 January 1888 that remains the most dominant in the memory of South Dakotans. It was a school day and children were in school when the blizzard hit. 5 boys (John Albrecht [Ac5.23354], 13 years old, Peter Graber [Gr3.847], 17 years old, and John [Ka5.21142], Henry [Ka5.21145], and Elias Kaufman [Ka5.21146], who were 17, 11 and 7 years old respectively) decided to go home through the blizzard. They got lost in the near zero visibility and didn't make it. The parents of Peter Graber (i.e., Peter O Graber [Gr2.84] and Susanna Gering [Ge2.86]) moved to Pretty Prairie, Kansas in 1891. See an entry for them on pages 18 and 19. Especially hard hit was the Johann Kaufman [Ka4.2114] and Anna (Schrag) Kaufman [Sg3.745] family as the three Kaufman boys who died were members of that family. The boys' father Johann died within 2 years of the blizzard. The mother of the 3 boys (Anna (Schrag) Kaufman [Sg3.745]) moved with her remaining 4 children to Moundridge. You can see the listing of this family on page 30 (Anna "Freundliche Bas" Schrag [Sg3.745]). Here in Kansas she married her second cousin Jacob "Schmid" Schrag [Sg3.442]. They had one more child Elias W "Eli" Schrag [Sg4.442b] and there were 7 surviving half children from Jacob's first marriage. That made a family of 12 surviving children.

Schrag children: 1. Sg4.4422 Freni Schrag, ∞ Josua P Stucky St4.6285; 2. Sg4.4423 Anna Schrag ∞ Johann {John} J Stucky St4.6249; 3. Sg4.4424 Maria Schrag ∞ Tobias J Stucky St4.6248; 4. Sg4.4425 Katharina Schrag ∞ Peter H Wedel We2.63; 5. Sg4.4427 Karolina {Carolina} Schrag ∞ Johann {John} Peter Kaufman Ka5.21132; 6. Sg4.4428 Regina Schrag ∞ Jacob W Krehbiel Kr3.642. 7. Sg4.442a Johann {John} E Schrag ∞ Maria Zerger Zr5.31321. 8. Elias W Schrag Sg4.442b ∞ Elenora Schmidt.

One other problem for the first 5 years in Dakota was the long distance to go to stores. Yankton was 35 miles south, Sioux Falls was about 35 miles as the crow flies to the north east. The C. M. and St. Paul Railroad was extended through the Childstown area in 1879 which gave employment to many persons and local towns were started along the line which made stores more readily convenient. In Kansas, Halstead was about 13 miles south of Hopefield as the crow flies; McPherson was only about 11 miles north.

In order to get some sort of picture of conditions in the early years and to contrast what it was like in Dakota Territory compared to Kansas, I'll go back to the time of the emigration and give a picture of those conditions.

The first ship docked in New York on 6 May 1874. It had 4 Ortman families who went to McCook Co., Dakota Territory. That is in the next tier of counties north of Turner and Hutchinson Counties. Freeman is in Hutchinson Co. and the North and South Mennonite Churches are in Turner Co.

The second ship with about ½ of the Zahoriz congregation and led by Andreas Schrag docked 12 days later in New York (18 May 1874). Andreas Schrag had been the person in the group who came to America the year before to investigate land in America to determine good places to settle. The train carried the portion of the congregation to Yankton, Dakota Territory where they disembarked. Yankton is on the north side of the Missouri River where the river forms the border between Nebraska and the Dakota Territory. Daniel Unruh had settled in Childstown Township, Turner County, Dakota territory the year before and he and Andreas Schrag had communicated. It was Daniel Unruh who convinced Andreas Schrag to settle there in Turner County instead of the Red River Valley area far to the north east. This first church group left Yankton for Turner County about 35 miles north and established homesteads there. This would have been in the first part of June. That area had very little settlement before this. According to contemporary

accounts there was nothing but a solid sea of waving grass stretching to the horizon. In contrast, Mound and Turkey Creek townships in McPherson County, Kansas had quite a few settlers nearly all from eastern states whom our people called the “English”.

The third ship docked 22 July 1874 with the second ½ of the Zahoriz Congregation. By the time they got to Yankton it was the end of July or the first of August. There wasn't much of the year left to plant gardens and perform the very difficult task of breaking sod, working the ground, and planting winter wheat and winter rye. But first, before they could worry about crops, these families had to provide shelter for themselves. Most lived in sod houses partially dug down into the earth with walls built up of sod bricks. Planks were laid over the top of the walls for a roof and another layer of sod bricks laid on the roof planks.

The next ship (containing 2 congregations and by far the largest group of those who went to the Dakota Territory) arrived in New York 24 August 1874. By the time they got to Yankton it was probably the first week of September. The summer was far advanced. Most decided not to attempt to move north but rather stayed near Yankton. There most of them built sod houses east and northeast of the town. This arrival late in the year created a problem because they missed fall planting entirely. Even those who did venture north and found homesteads in Turner County and built housing did not have time for fall planting. Thus a full year of food was lost.

Picture the typical farm of our ancestors in the 1870s and 1880s. It consisted primarily of subsistence farming. The food for the year was grown. Just a few supplies, e.g., sugar, pepper, coffee, cloth to be made into clothing, etc., was purchased at a store. Nearly everything was grown on the farm. Here is a Kansas State census report from an 1895 Swiss Volhynian family living in this area of McPherson County. This was a Stucky family and consisted of a husband and wife and 6 children. The farm was 240 acres—a modest farm of the time. You can suppose they started with an original 160 acre homestead plus an additional 80 acres (in 21 years the farm had expanded by an 80). The number of acres in wheat reported in this year of 1895 was 85 acres with 100 bushels of wheat still on hand at the time of the census; 10 acres were planted to rye; corn 45; barley 4; oats 30; sorghum 5; millet 3; kaffir corn 4; alfalfa 7; \$20 worth of poultry and eggs were sold in that year; 100 pounds of cheese were made that year; ½ acre was planted to potatoes. They had 8 horses; 6 milk cows, 5 hogs. There were 70 bearing apple trees; 6 pear trees; 6 plum trees; and 24 cherry trees. Of trees too young to bear yet there were 6 apple, 6 pear and 25 peach. Contrast to this (if you will) to a modern farm of today where the husband might say to the wife “I'm going to take a load of wheat to town” and she might respond, “Stop at the grocery store and bring a dozen eggs, a loaf of bread, some frozen vegetables for supper tonight and I could use a sack of flour to make cake for the guests tomorrow night”. How things have changed! Not mentioned in the 1895 census was anything about a garden other than that ½ acre that was planted to potatoes. You can imagine the number of jars of vegetables which were preserved. There was 1 other thing listed that definitely separates the 1880s from today. 20 gallons of wine were reportedly made that year by that family. [\[StBe pp. 9-10\]](#)

Think of this: these families in the Dakota Territory lost one year's production of food. F. C. Ortman writes in the book *Looking Back 100 Years*, “Of these last people and many who came in September many stayed in and near Yankton in rented houses and farms, because the majority were destitute and looked for work wherever there was an opportunity for fifty cents a day or often only for food.” [\[KaPr p. 55\]](#) An article in the “Mennoniten Friedenbote” in the late fall of 1874 states, “In and around Yankton there are in all between 80 and 90 families which must be assisted to keep them from suffering.” [reprinted in HiCl p 197] F. C. Ortman states, “...Land had

to be broken for most of them who could take land or had taken land... . Many did not have enough to pay the fourteen-dollar fee for signing [for a homestead]" [KaPr p 55] Writing in *Looking Back 100 Years*, Rev. A. P. Waltner says of that first year, "When these people settled here, they found a wide expanse of unsettled prairie, but they came too late to break sod for sowing grain that year, so they busied themselves with building sod-houses, making wells, breaking sod for the next year, and getting ready for winter. ...A large number of these families were poor—some very poor." [SzLb p. 13] These 80 or 90 families are not yet living on their land. For those who arrived at the beginning of September they would have harvested the 1873-74 winter grain crop in Volhynia in early summer of 1874 but could not bring it to America. They would have had to sell it and hope the cash realized would be enough to purchase grain and vegetables in America. Quote, "The Commissioner of the Department of Agriculture at Washington, writes to the Governor of Dakota: 'I have ordered to your address, per mail, for distribution to the sufferers [sic]...300 packages of vegetable seeds, each package containing 15 kinds—each family to have not more than one package of 15.'" ["Herald of Truth", reprinted in HiCl p. 230] These packages consisted of oats, sugar beets and turnip seeds among other types of vegetables. ["Herald of Truth", reprinted in HiCl p. 230]

Contrast this with Kansas. The last of the Dakota bound congregations docked in New York on the 24th of August. One week later (on the 31st of August) the City of Richmond docked with the Kutusovka Congregation. The Kutusovka Congregation decided in New York to settle in Kansas rather than the Dakota Territory. There were 14 families who immediately left the congregation and departed for Yankton, Dakota Territory. The Kutusovka Congregation spent 3 days in Castle Garden in New York and probably 6-7 days on the train ride. They switched trains in Cleveland and traveled straight to St. Joseph, Missouri, disembarked and crossed the Missouri River on a ferry, then were bussed (imagine a horse drawn bus) to Atchison where they boarded the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe to Peabody, Kansas. [KaPr p. 37, [StSo p. 131](#)] They probably arrived in Peabody about the 9th or 10th of September. Agents of the Santa Fe then escorted the heads of the families from Peabody to McPherson County where they looked over available land. According to one report the railroad neglected to tell them of government homesteads which were available and instead showed them only Santa Fe owned land (they owned every other section of land in a checker board arrangement with the government owning the in between sections). As mentioned before much of the land was already settled by "English" settlers. The arrangements for purchasing land consisted of a group of usually 4 heads of family (usually related to each other) who got together and decided to settle one section (one quarter apiece). A drawing was held and one person from each group drew a number out of a "hat". That number represented the legal description of that section in the township. [KaPr p. 38]

Some of the emigrants decided to buy land which had already been settled. P. R. Kaufman describes such an arrangement in his book *Our People and their History* where his family (father, mother, sister, brother and he) lived with his aunt and husband (his father's sister Barbara (Kaufman) Voran [Ka3.243] and her husband Andreas Voran [Vn1.4]). Apparently Andreas Voran had quite a bit of money as he purchased an already established farm complete with a two story house, with all the farm machinery, cattle and crops thrown in. [KaPr p. 94] My great grandfather Johann C Stucky [St4.6233] purchased a quarter from the "English" just 1 mile north and a ½ mile east of where Moundridge would be. His wife was Freni Voran [Vn2.52]. Their holdings were not so fancy at that of Andreas Voran [Vn1.4] mentioned before. Their farm house consisted of just a shack but a well had been dug. [StSo 144] Nevertheless those who bought already existing farms purchased a house to live in, perhaps a well, as well as broken sod and fields often ready for working and planting. Most contained the remnants of this years crops. The story of Johann

Stucky [St4.6233] and Freni (Vorán) Stucky [St4.6233] and their experiences in Kansas can be read in Chapter 14 of Solomon Stucky's book *The Heritage of the Swiss Volhynian Mennonites*.

There is another important advantage here in Kansas. The Santa Fe Railroad built an immigrant house to house those who were not purchasing from the "English". Thus no time was lost building shelters for the winter or drilling wells as was happening in the Dakota Territory.

After the places to live were selected in McPherson County the heads of household went back to Peabody to their families. Some purchased wagons and teams of oxen or horses and tools and left immediately west from Peabody for McPherson County. Others boarded the train for Halstead where they purchased necessities and went north to McPherson County. Most of these from Peabody and Halstead met southeast of where Moundridge would be. A Rupp family was living there. [KaPr p. 39] And this is important for it marks another great difference between Kansas and the Dakota Territory.

The heads of the Kansas Volhynian Mennonites had the foresight to rent a quarter section of land which had already been broken and farmed. This was one mile south and either 3 or 4 miles east of Moundridge. Each family who didn't have land ready for quick planting was given 8-10 acres of this land to put into winter crops. A large camp was established while these heads of households prepared the ground, scattered the seed and harrowed it. Another piece of land (perhaps also a quarter section, although I have not been able to confirm this acreage) was rented 3 miles south of Moundridge and used in the same manner for others not included in that first quarter section of land. [KaPr pp. 39, 91] , In these rented farms, there is some indication that this ground was worked communally and the production next summer was divided evenly among the families. In other words it was not divided into 10 acre plots with each family assigned a plot. There is an important point to be made here. All of the Swiss Volhynian families in Kansas planted some winter crops in the fall of 1874. There was very little planted in the Dakota Territory. There probably were very few families in Kansas who did not have money to buy grain seed. Those who didn't have the money for an initial start in farming didn't get to Kansas. 2 families of the Kutusovka Congregation were back in Pennsylvania, several in Ohio, one in Indiana and 3 or 4 in Illinois. My great grandfather Johann Krehbiel [Kr2.32] and his wife Anna (Stucky) Krehbiel [St3.646] were still living in the town of Hopedale, Illinois as late as 1880 (6 years after arriving in America). They are there in the 1880 federal census where my great grandfather's occupation was listed as "laborer". At Moundridge, the congregation in the spring of 1875 also rented 20 acres of broken land and planted them with potatoes and other vegetables. Presumably this additional 20 acres was near the Immigration House and used by the families living there. An immigrant house was not built in Yankton until the year of 1875. In the *Press and Dakotian* of 1875 it is stated, "A building is to be constructed in or near Yankton without delay to give temporary accommodation to the Russian immigrants who may arrive during the present winter, and also for those who may come next season or at any time hereafter". ["Herald of Truth", reprinted in HiCl p. 212] Too late for our people.

1874 in Kansas was a very bleak year. I am talking about 1874 before our ancestors arrived. It was a drought year and the crops were badly stunted. Then in the second week of August (about the 12th) a swarm of locusts—a grasshopper plague descended on the landscape. ["Herald of Truth", reprinted in HiCl pp. 201, 204] There are many references to it in newspaper stories in 1874 and in the years after where it was referred to as the 1874 grasshopper plague. Apparently it was widespread. One account says they swarmed all over the Arkansas River and Cottonwood River valleys. Everything green was devoured. One account states there was not a green stem left

anywhere. Many of the already established “English” were fed up and ready to pull up stakes and head back east. As a result land prices were depressed somewhat here in Kansas when our people arrived.

To review, there are some distinct advantages in Kansas that did not exist in the Dakota Territory. 1) an immigrant house was built so the immigrants did not have to spend time building homes which was necessary in South Dakota; 2) there was an opportunity to plant winter grain crops, a program in which apparently every Swiss Volhynian family in Kansas participated; 3) the Dakota Territory was much more of a frontier; fewer “English” families existed.

In December of 1874 it is written, “Repeated reports have been received of the great want of many of our Russian brethren in the west; but especially from Yankton, Dakota. ...inasmuch as winter is at hand and they have no labor to earn anything wherewith to buy bread, unless something is done for them they must suffer with hunger. The Committee [i.e., a Mennonite Committee from the eastern United States] has therefore made arrangements that the necessary provisions for the Winter shall be supplied. To carry out this plan they bought 1000 sacks of flour in Yankton and a committee was appointed to distribute them to those who are really in need. In and around Yankton there are in all between 80 and 90 families which must be assisted to keep them from suffering.” [from “Herald of Truth”, December 1874, reprinted in HiCl p. 197] From a report of the men who visited there to see about the conditions it is stated, “The greater number live in sod houses which they erected. ...At nearly every place we came to we were surrounded by the brethren, who solicited us to help them. They say the winter will soon set in; they can obtain no labor to earn anything, and have no bread for themselves and their children. They live very plainly and appear to be well contented when they have bread and coffee. Their greatest solicitation is for bread.” [from “Mennoniten Friedenhof”, reprinted in HiCl p. 197]

Now let’s talk about the next year—1875.

The year of 1875 was a good one for Kansas. The Herald of Truth, June 1875 reports that the crops in Kansas promise well so far. The wheat looks fine; corn, oats, barley and other cereals all are in a fine condition. The weather is pleasant and there is plenty of rain. The grasshoppers have made their appearance in some places, but have done no damage worth speaking. The localities where our Russian friends have located are as yet almost entirely free from this plague, and the settlers seem to be encouraged, and in good hopes. [reprinted in HiCl page 238] There is an equally “high hope” report later in Kansas. In the Herald of Truth of August 1875 it is stated, “Wheat harvest in Kansas, Nebraska and Dakota is said to be very good. Also corn and oats, barley and other grains with all kinds of vegetables are promising well.” [reprinted in HiCl page 256] Note that it was reported that there were good crops in Dakota in the summer of 1875 as well as Kansas. The problem is that very little in the way of crops was planted in Dakota.

The next year was different in Dakota. In the Herald of Truth of September 1876 it is stated, “In Southern Dakota, it is said, considerable damage has been done to the wheat and other grains by the grasshoppers. The gardens have been almost totally ruined by these insects. Our Russian brethren there had every prospect of a fine crop, but by this misfortune, many no doubt, will have to live very sparingly another year. So writes Bro. Andreas Schraag from Childstown, near Yankton.” [“Herald of Truth”, September 1876, reprinted in HiCl p. 303] J. D. Graber, remembering that year, says, “The grasshopper plague was also an experience to be remembered, as they came swarming over, high in the sky. Sometimes they were so numerous they dimmed the sun, and

when they settled down to feed, it took only a few hours and the gardens, grain fields, trees and even small twigs were stripped bare.” [SzLb pp. 28-29] In the next February (1877) issue of the Herald of Truth there is an account of “The Brethren, Andreas Schrag and Joseph Graber, from Childstown, Dakota, are on a visit among the Churches [in the east] for assistance for their Church. On account of the destruction of their crops, by the grasshoppers, many families have nothing to subsist on of their own, and unless help is obtained some will have to suffer. They really need help to sustain life.” [“Herald of Truth, February 1877, reprinted in HiCl p. 315] \$972.55 was raised to help them. Rev. A. P. Waltner writes, “In 1876 they found that a number of families were again without any food and seed whatsoever. Again they faced starvation. The cause: Not much sod broken yet, because they lacked ox and horse-power; and the little that was sown in 1875 was most destroyed by grasshoppers and everything was devoured by these hungry pests in 1876.” [SzLb pp. 13-14] F. C. Ortman writing in P. R. Kaufman’s book *Our People and Their History* says of the condition in the Dakotas at this time, “In order to face the ...need..., the deputies Andreas Schrag and Pastor Joseph Graber were sent to the eastern states of Ohio, Indiana, and Pennsylvania in order to get a loan of Money for the most needy. They were successful in getting a sum of \$7,400.00 at six percent interest. ...This sum was divided among the most needy.” [KaPr p. 56]

In 1883 a party of 3 men went to southern Reno County, Kansas to see about a place to settle. It was reported in “The Reformer” in March 1884 that, “The Mennonites in Kansas, Dakota, Minnesota and Galacia, are about to form a settlement in Reno County, where there is still plenty of good land at low prices. A number have already purchased there and others are about to do likewise. ...Some of the Russian Mennonites that settled in Dakota in 1873 to 1878 have determined to leave this territory and settle in Kansas. A Committee of the prominent men in Dakota recently visited colonies of their brethren in the counties of Marion, Harvey, Butler, Reno and McPherson.” [from “Herald of Truth”, reprinted in HiCl p. 414] And from the McPherson Republican, 31 January 1884, “On the 25th last about forty Mennonites arrived at Atchison on their way to Harvey county. They are from Dakota, where they have been living for the past nine years, but have concluded to locate in a warmer climate.” [from “Herald of Truth”, reprinted in HiCl p 416] This group from Dakota selected 10 sections in Albion township in Reno County. The price per acre was \$6.00 an acre for raw land and \$7.50 for fenced land. [PpHi pp. 7, 14] Some also bought pre-existing farms. There were 24 families and 8 single persons (88 persons in all) who were charter members of the church which was founded 10 October 1884 in the home of Andrew Schwartz [Sw2.17] which was 3 miles east of the present town of Pretty Prairie, Kansas. Counting the children, there were 123 persons who moved there that year of 1884 (115 were from the Dakota Territory and 8 were from the Moundridge area). According to the book *A History of the First Mennonite church: Pretty Prairie, Kansas* there were an additional 43 families who moved to that area in the next 3 years, most from Dakota. And the families continued to move to Pretty Prairie. In 1918 my maternal grandparents Andreas Stucky [St5.62336] and his wife Emilia (Gering) Stucky [Ge4.3128] (she was from South Dakota) moved from Moundridge to Pretty Prairie with their 4 children. You can see her entry on page 17.

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Fr3.535 Katharina "Katie" Flickinger {Fliginger}, * 15 July 1867, † 30 Dec. 1883 in Hoff., + soon after midnight 21 Jan. 1957 in her home at Free., SD., ¶ in CeSz., ∞ 25 Nov. 1885 Joseph "Cho" Graber Gr4.5119, * 15 June 1867 at Horo., Rus., † 2 Apr. 1882 in SaZi., + 16 May 1927 of stomach trouble at Free., SD., ¶ 18 May in CeSz. Katharina came to America in 1874 and lived with her parents in IN. for about 3 years before settling in KS. On the trip to KS. her father and brother were drowned. Her mother died c.6 months later and Katharina was raised by relatives and friends. She was a member of SaZi. until 1916 when she transferred membership to BethFr.

Ge3.355 Johann {John} "Hansul" (or) "Jusin" Gering, * 6 Feb. 1847 in Wald., Rus., + 16 Jan. 1924 in the home of his son Karl, ¶ in CeSa., ∞ 7 Oct. 1867 Maria {Mary} Graber Gr3.824, * 14 Feb. 1850 in Wald., Rus., + 30 July 1917 of a stroke in Sacred Heart Hospital, Yank., SD., ¶ in CeSa. Johann spent his youth in Wald., Rus., helping his father with field work and a fruit orchard. He and Maria immigrated to America in 1874 with the Kutu. congregation but went to Yank., SD. where he, his parents and family spent the early years. He was a farmer. They were members of Salem. (SIKu #238 & SIKu #239) (see also Gr3.824) <return>

Children:

Ge4.3551 Freni Gering, * 7 Oct. 1869 in Wald., Rus., † in SaZi., + 5 June 1957 in the home of her daughter Linda Waltner near Free., SD., ¶ in CeSz., ∞ 28 Oct. 1886 Peter Johann "Jno" Graber Gr4.5443 at Free., SD., * 2 Dec. 1864 in Horo., Rus., † 2 Apr. 1882 in SaZi., + 24 Mar. 1944, ¶ in CeSz. Freni accompanied her parents with the Kutu. congregation but went to Turner Co., SD in 1874. Freni and Peter settled 6 miles east of Free., SD. where they lived the rest of their lives. (SIKu #240)

Ge4.3552 Anna Gering, * 22 May 1871 in Wald., Rus., † 18 July 1886 in SaZi., + evening 15 Mar. 1971 in the Free. Hospital, ¶ in CeSa., ∞ 5 June 1890 Jacob C Kaufman Ka4.2473 [formerly Ka4.3473] at Free., SD., * 12 Apr. 1865 in Kutu., Rus., † 1881 by his father in SaZi., + 26 Mar. 1944 from the results of a stroke, ¶ in CeSa. Anna immigrated with her parents to America with the Kutu. congregation and settled on a farm in Turner Co., SD. Anna and Jacob lived on a farm east of Free., SD. in Childstown Twp., Turner Co. where Anna lived the rest of her life. At the time of her death Anna was the last surviving member of the Swiss Russian Mennonite congregations who was born in Rus. (SIKu #241)

Ge4.3553 Maria Gering, * c.1873, + 1874. Maria died after arriving in America perhaps in SD. (SIKu #242)

Ge5.31324 Maria {Mary} M Gering {Goering}, * 12 July 1887 at Mdge., KS., + 9 Sep. 1975, ¶ in CeSa., ∞ 1 Jan. 1907 Emil J Waltner Wa4.4242 in FMCC., * 4 Feb. 1883 in Turner Co., SD., + Jan. 1981, ¶ in CeSa. Maria grew up at Mdge., KS. and married Emil from SD. They lived at Free., SD. where he farmed and taught and were members of Salem.

Ka5.21148 Jonathan Kaufman, * 15 Oct. 1884 in Turner Co., SD., † 18 May 1902 in Eden., + 2 Mar. 1965, ¶ in CeSz., ∞ 22 Oct. 1908 Clara Graber Gr4.8526 in SaZi., * 24 July 1890 in Turner Co., SD., + 9 Dec. 1952, ¶ in CeSz. Jonathan moved from SD. to KS. c.1892 where he spent his youth. He moved back to SD. where he and Clara lived at Free. and where he farmed. They were members of SaZi.

Kr4.2438 Ida F Krehbiel, * 27 Jan. 1890 in McPh. Co., KS., † 27 Mar. 1904 in FMPPr., + 20 Sep. 1973, ¶ in CePp., ∞ (I) 15 Sep. 1912 Peter J Albrecht Ac5.23356 at PPr., KS., * 31 Aug. 1878 in Turner Co., SD., + 18 Feb. 1933, ¶ in CeSz., ∞ (II) 26 Nov. 1946 Johann {John} D Stucky St5.62653 (his II), * 2 Sep. 1883 at Mdge., KS., † 8 Oct. 1899 in Eden., + 5 Feb. 1960, ¶ in CeEd. Ida was born in McPh. Co., KS. and went to SD. after her marriage to Peter where they were members of SaZi. After Peter's death she returned to Mdge. and married Johann and they were members of Eden. They then moved to Hutch., KS. She apparently moved to PPr., KS. after the death of Johann.

Om3.341 Gottlieb K Ortmann [formerly Om3.131], * 19 Oct. 1862 in Adelhof, Prussia, † 6 Apr. 1879 in

SaZi, + 11 July 1927 of heart failure, ¶ at Marion, SD., ∞ (I) 30 Mar. 1880 Elisabeth {Elisabetha} Graber Gr3.851, * 17 Aug. 1856, ✕ 25 Mar. 1871 in Horo., + 10 Feb. 1885, ¶ in CeSz., ∞ (II) 4 Feb. 1886 Louisa C Ortmann Om3.443 [formerly Om3.213], * 7 Oct. 1866 in Adelfhof, Prussia, ✕ 31 Oct. 1880 at Hoff., + 20 Jan. 1933 in the home of her son Peter, ¶ at Marion, SD. Gottlieb grew up in SD. and married Louisa who grew up at Mdge., KS. Gottlieb and Louisa apparently lived in KS. for some time after their marriage but after 1899 they moved to McCook Co., SD. where Gottlieb farmed. (see also Om3.443)

Om3.443 Louisa C Ortmann [formerly Om3.213], * 7 Oct. 1866 in Adelfhof, Prussia, ✕ 31 Oct. 1880 at Hoff., + 20 Jan. 1933 in the home of her son Peter, ¶ at Marion, SD., ∞ 4 Feb. 1886 Gottlieb K Ortmann Om3.341 [formerly Om3.131] (his II), * 19 Oct. 1862 in Adelfhof, Prussia, ✕ 6 Apr. 1879 in SaZi., + 11 July 1927 of heart failure, ¶ in Marion, SD. Louisa grew up at Mdge., KS. and married Gottlieb from SD. Gottlieb and Louisa Ortmann apparently lived in KS. for some time after their marriage but after 1899 they moved to McCook Co., SD. where Gottlieb farmed. (see also Om3.341)

Rs1.2 Jacob {Jakob} Riess {Ries}, * 10 Jan. 1800 in Mdorf., WGa., Aus., + 4 Jan. 1892 of old age at Free., SD., ¶ in CeSz., ∞ (I) 8 Nov. 1825 Maria Stucky St3.622, * 25 Nov. 1809 in Mdorf., WGa., Aus., + 1847, ∞ (II) 1849 Karolina "Carry" Tesmer Ts0, * 1829, + 28 Dec. 1900 at Free., SD., ¶ 30 Dec. in CeSz. Jacob and Karolina arrived in America in 1874 with the Kutu. congregation but settled in SD. living in KS. only a short while. (SIKu #310 & SIKu #311) (see also Ts0) <return>

Children:

Rs2.2c Joseph Riess {Ries}, * 28 Sep. 1855 in Sabara, Rus., ✕ 8 Feb. 1870 in Kutu., + 10:00am 26 Jan. 1943 in the home of his son Benjamin of edema, ¶ in CeSa., ∞ 19 Oct. 1880 Anna Schrag Sg4.7421, * 26 Aug. 1862 in Wald., Rus., ✕ in ZionFr., + early Christmas morning 25 Dec. 1955, ¶ in CeSa. Joseph came to America with his parents with the Kutu. congregation and settled initially at Yank., SD. In the fall of 1874 the family settled at Gayville, SD. In 1876 he filed for a homestead and settled in Childstown Twp., Turner Co., SD. and joined ZionFr. After ZionFr. was destroyed by a storm they worshipped in SaZi. In 1908 Joseph and Anna joined the newly formed Salem. (SIKu #312)

Rs2.2d Magdalena "Helena" (or) "Lena" Riess, * 15 May 1858, ✕ 9 Apr. 1872 in Kutu., ∞ Christian Lutz Lz0. Magdalena immigrated with her parents in the Kutu. congregation in 1874 but settled with them in SD. (SIKu #314)

Rs2.2e Katharina Riess {Ries}, * 14 Jan. 1862, + 5 Oct. 1895, ¶ in CeSz., ∞ 12 Dec. 1882 John Borman Bm0 (his I), son of William and Katharina Borman, * 24 Sep. 1855 at Portage, Wi., + evening 5 Feb. 1928 of a stroke in Free., SD., ¶ in CeSz. Katharina came to America in 1874 with the Kutu. congregatation but settled with her parents in SD. She and John lived at Free., SD. where John was a businessman and farmer. (SIKu #315)

Rs2.2f Freni {Frances} Riess {Ries}, * 30 Dec. 1863 in Neumanufka, Rus., + 13 Oct. 1963, ∞ 23 Oct. 1880 Joseph "Dubof" Gering Ge4.3123, * 4 Mar. 1857 in Zhetomirska, Rus., ✕ 9 Apr. 1872 in Kutu., + 6:30am 8 Nov. 1924 of cancer, ¶ 10 Nov. in CeMe. Freni came to America with her parents in the Kutu. congregation and settled in SD. She and Joseph moved to Dallas, OR. in 1890 where they lived for 10 years. and where he farmed. In 1900 they moved to Lind, WA. and joined MeMC. in 1922. After retirement they moved to Odessa, WA. (SIKu #316)

Rs2.2g Peter Riess {Ries}, * 8 Feb. 1866, + 22 Nov. 1893, ¶ in CeSz., ∞ 6 Oct. 1893 Anna K Schrag Sg4.8523 (her I), * 28 Jan. 1877, + 13 Oct. 1962. Peter immigrated to America with the Kutu. congregation but settled with his parents in SD. He and Anna were married just 7 weeks when he died. (SIKu #313)

Rs2.2i Anna Riess, * 3 Apr. 1872, + after 1874 as she is in the ship lists (HaDa 25, HiCl 173 and SIKu #317).

Rs2.25 Karl Riess {Ries}, * 6 June 1834 in Vol., Rus., + 5 Dec. 1916 in the home of his daughter Anna at Marion, SD., ¶ 7 Dec. in CeSz., ∞ 18 Oct. 1855 Freni Kaufman Ka4.2111 [formerly Ka4.3111], * 23 Jan. 1838 in Horo., Rus., ✕ 23 Mar. 1852 in Horo., + 13 Nov. 1918 in the home of her daughter Anna

Müller at Free., SD., ¶ 15 Nov. in CeSz. It is apparent that Karl and Freni moved from Horo., Rus. to Kutu. about 1861. Only their first child Maria, born 1857, is listed in MiHo. and Anna, the next child, was born 1862 in Kutu., Rus. Karl was a tanner in Rus. He and Freni immigrated to America in 1874 with the Kutu. congregation but settled in Turner Co., SD. where they lived the remainder of their lives. They remained in KS. only briefly. Freni (who gradually lost her sight and was nearly blind at the time of her death) and Karl lived with their daughter Anna Schrag Miller for about the last 6 years of their lives. Karl continued his occupation of tanning and also farmed. They were members of SaZi. (SIKu #149 & SIKu #150) (see also Ka4.2111) <return>

Children:

Rs3.251 Maria Riess, * 28 Apr. 1857 in Edu., Rus., ✕ 9 Apr. 1872 in Kutu., + 4 Aug. 1924 in Delmont, SD., ∞ 25 June 1876 August Kaufman Kf0, * 24 Nov. 1847 in Graudenz, Germany, + 1930 in Delmont, SD. August was a freighter, government surveyor and mason. They lived in Delmont, SD. (SIKu #151)

Rs3.252 Anna Riess {Ries}, * 12 May 1862 in Kutu., Rus., ✕ by Min. Johann Schrag, + morning 27 Mar. 1941 at Free., SD., ¶ in CeSz., ∞ (I) Jan. 1881 Jacob K Schrag Sg3.852 (his II), * 6 Jan. 1846 at Zahoriz/Futtor, Rus., + 31 Oct. 1896 at Sioux City, IA. of tuberculosis, ¶ in CeSz., ∞ (II) 19 Jan. 1897 Johann F Miller Mi0 (his II) in SaZi., son of Johann and Johanna Miller, * 12 Aug. 1848 in Rus., + 31 Mar. 1924 of old age at Free., SD., ¶ 2 Apr. in CeSz. Anna accompanied her parents to America in 1874 where they settled at first in Yank., SD. Anna helped support her family by working out for establishments and private homes in Yank., SD. Johann was a farmer. (SIKu #152)

Rs3.253 Peter G Riess {Ries}, * 12 Sep. 1868 in Kutu., Rus., ✕ 6 Apr. 1884 in SaZi., + 20 Feb. 1938 of heart trouble and edema at Free., SD., ¶ in CeSz., ∞ 24 Oct. 1889 Freni K Schrag Sg4.8522, * 15 Jan. 1873 in Wald., Rus., ✕ 30 Mar. 1888 in SaZi., + 19 Dec. 1927 of pneumonia after surgery in Sisters Hospital at Hot Springs, SD., ¶ in CeSz. Peter immigrated to America in 1874 with his parents who settled at Yank., SD. They lived there for 6 years before moving to east of Free., SD. He and Freni settled on a farm 7 miles east of Freeman. In 1910 they moved to a farm at Parmelee, SD. where he lived until his death. (SIKu #153)

Rs4.2722 Lydia J Riess {Ries}, * 18 Feb. 1893 at Free., SD., ✕ 27 June 1909, + 9 July 1963, ¶ in CeSa., ∞ 23 Mar. 1920 Johann {John} J Stucky St5.644a6 (his I), * 11 Nov. 1896 in McPh. Co., KS., ✕ 6 Oct. 1912 in Eden., + 21 Apr. 1976, ¶ in CeSa. Lydia moved to KS. after their marriage and she and John were members of Eden. They then moved to SD. and joined Salem. in 1944. John was a farmer. After the death of Lydia, Johann married Lydia's sister Esther Rs4.2727. (see also St5.644a6)

Sg5.74222 Freni "Fanny" Schrag, * 11 Apr. 1892, + 19 Mar. 1989, ∞ (I) 24 Sep. 1908 Carl {Charles} J Kaufman {Kauffman} Ka5.24232, * 6 May 1882, + 29 Dec. 1961 of heart failure in his home in North Newton, KS., ∞ (II) 1 Nov. 1966 Heinrich {Henry} J Riess {Ries} Rs3.27d (his II), * 7 Feb. 1889, + 21 Oct. 1975, ¶ in CeSa. Freni was living at Menno, WA. when Carl moved there from SD. She was a student in his class and after their marriage they moved to Free., SD. She accompanied him to North Newton, KS. where the Kauffman Museum was set up with him as curator. After his death she became curator of the museum. After her second marriage she again returned to SD. <return>

Se3.1b8 Christian "Christ" Sehner {Saner}, * 12 Jan. 1902 at Murdock, KS., ✕ 1 Sep. 1918 in BethKi., ∞ 24 Aug. 1924 Elsie Graber Gr5.54437, * 19 Feb. 1904 in Turner Co., SD., + 3 Oct. 2001 in the Free. Nursing Home, Free., SD., ¶ 8 Oct. in CeSz. Christian and Elsie lived at Canistota, SD. and were members of SaZi. He was a farmer and a doctor of veterinary medicine.

St4.6447 Johann {John} C (or) J Stucky, * 22 Jan. 1857 in Horo., Rus., ✕ 1872 in Horo., + 11 Sep. 1917, ¶ in CePp., ∞ (I) 23 Feb. 1882 Katharina Krehbiel Waltner Kr3.252 (her II), * 16 Dec. 1852, ✕ 9 Apr. 1867 in Kutu., + 14 Jan. 1886, ∞ (II) 14 Feb. 1886 Freni Waltner Wa2.8d, * 20 Mar. 1867 in Kutu., Rus., ✕ 30 Dec. 1883 in Hoff., + 11:00pm 2 Jan. 1932 in the home of her daughter Mrs. R. R Krehbiel at McPh., KS., ¶ in CePp. Johann immigrated with the Horo. congregation to America. He was one of the four men who investigated possible living sites in southern KS. and decided on southern Reno Co.

Johann was a minister and a farmer and he and Katharina settled at PPr., KS. At Katharina's death, Johann was left with a 17 year old daughter (Karolina Waltner Wa4.2311) from Katharina's first marriage to Jacob Waltner Wa3.231. He then married Freni from Mdge., KS. and they lived at PPr., then moved to Free., SD., then McPh. Co., KS. for a few years, then lived 8 years in Garfield Co., OK. Then c.1902 they returned to PPr., KS.

St5.64491 Carl P Stucky, * 5 Sep. 1884 in SD., + 10 June 1951, ¶ in CeSz, ∞ 29 Oct. 1908 Martha Riess {Ries} Rs3.27a in SaZi, * 20 Feb. 1883, + 17 Dec. 1975, ¶ in CeSz. At the time of their marriage, Carl was from PPr., KS. and Martha from Free., SD. They lived in SD.

St5.644a6 Johann {John} J Stucky, * 11 Nov. 1896 in McPh. Co., KS., ✕ 6 Oct. 1912 in Eden., + 21 Apr. 1976, ¶ in CeSa., ∞ (I) 23 Mar. 1920 Lydia J Riess {Ries} Rs4.2722, * 18 Feb. 1893 at Free., SD., ✕ 27 June 1909, + 9 July 1963, ¶ in CeSa., ∞ (II) 28 Aug. 1964 Esther Riess {Ries} Kramer Rs4.2727 (her II), * 18 July 1910 in Free., SD., + 5 Apr. 2001 in Tieszen Memorial Home, Marion, SD., ¶ 6 Apr. in CeSa. John grew up in McPh. Co., KS. and was a member of Eden. He moved to SD. where he farmed and where Esther was a bookkeeper. They became members of Salem. in 1944. (see also Rs4.2722)

Vj1.5 Katharina "Katie" Vogt, * 28 June 1891, ✕ 14 June 1908, + 8 Dec. 1979, ∞ (I) 1 Jan. 1913 Gerhard J Graber Gr4.8238, * 14 Dec. 1886 in Christian, KS., ✕ 27 Mar. 1904 in FMPPr., + 19 Jan. 1920 of heart problems after a severe case of influenza, ¶ 21 Jan. in CePp., ∞ (II) 30 Aug. 1933 Julius E "Just" Graber Gr4.7514, * 20 Feb. 1882 at Free., SD., ✕ 15 Sep. 1901 in SaZi., + 28 Oct. 1952 of a stroke, ¶ in CeSz. Katie and Gerhard lived at PPr., KS. Katie moved to Free., SD. after her marriage to Julius.

We2.6a Katharina Wedel, * 10 Sep. 1877 at Christian, KS., ✕ 21 May 1893 in FMCC., + 11 Jan. 1961, ∞ 16 Oct. 1898 Andreas {Andrew} J Waltner Wa3.42d at Christian, KS., * 21 Jan. 1877 at Centerville, SD., ✕ 5 June 1892 in SaZi., + morning 27 July 1944 of a heart ailment. Katharina was born and raised at Mdge., KS. After her marriage she and Andreas lived at Mdge., KS. for 3 years, then moved to Free., SD where they became members of BethFr. He was a real estate agent.

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Ac5.233b2 Carolina Albrecht, * 26 Mar. 1889 in Turner Co., SD., ✕ 11 June 1905, + 11 Nov. 1964, ∞ 26 Oct. 1919 Fredrich {Fred} Grundman, son of Gustav Grundman & Maria, * 1 June 1893 in Koleni Puchawa, Rus., ✕ 25 Apr. 1920, + 28 Mar. 1966. Carolina moved with her parents in 1915 to Bloomfield, MT. where they were members of BetlBl. After her marriage she and Fredrich moved to Mdge., KS where they joined Eden. in 1934. They moved to Valley Center, KS. and they transferred church membership to the Mennonite Church, Wichita, KS. in 1941.

At1.6 Jacob Albrecht {Albright}, * 28 Apr. 1838, ✕ 5 Apr. 1853 in Edu., + 6 Feb. 1894, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 16 Nov. 1858 Maria {Mary} Stucky St4.6421, * 31 Mar. 1838, ✕ 23 Mar. 1852 in Horo., + evening 18 Aug. 1914 in her home at PPr., KS., ¶ in CePp. Jacob and Maria probably moved from Horo., Rus. to Kutu., Rus. in 1861 as their first two children appear in MiHo. and the family record begins in the EdKu. with the third child born in 1863. However, MiHo. does seem to have the more complete list of the children even after 1861. They lived in SD. after immigrating to America in 1874. In 1884 they moved to a farm southwest of PPr., KS. (see also St4.6421)

Children:

At2.69 Peter J Albrecht {Albright}, * 29 Feb. 1876 in SD., ✕ 10 Apr. 1892 in FMPPr., + 24 Apr. 1968, ¶ in CePp., ∞ (I) 24 Oct. 1895 Maria {Mary} Schwartz Sw3.176, * 9 July 1878 in SD., ✕ 10 Apr. 1892 in FMPPr., + 14 Mar. 1913 at PPr., KS., ¶ 16 Mar. in CePp., ∞ (II) 27 Feb. 1916 Ida Anna Krehbiel Kr4.3242, * 6 Aug. 1885 at Mdge., KS., ✕ 8 Oct. 1899 in Eden., + 6 Oct. 1951 in the Grace Hospital, Hutch., KS., ¶ 9 Oct. in CePp. Peter lived at PPr., KS. where he was a merchant. They were members of FMPPr. (see Sw3.176-under Sw2.17)

At2.6a Elisabeth {Elizabeth} "Lizzie" Albrecht {Albright}, * 3 June 1879, ✕ 2 Aug. 1896 in FMPPr.,

+ 3 Jan. 1963, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 16 Aug. 1896 Johann {John} R. Krehbiel Kr4.2431 at PPr., KS., * 19 June 1876 in McPh. Co., KS., ✕ 4 Oct. 1891 in Hoff., + 10 Sep. 1951, ¶ in CePp. Elisabeth moved from SD. to PPr., KS. with her parents. She and Johann lived at PPr., KS. where he farmed. They were members of FMPPr.

At2.63 Freni {Frances} Albrecht {Albright}, * 29 Jan. 1863, + 5 Mar. 1892, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 23 Oct. 1880 Peter A Graber Gr3.569 (his I), * 5 Feb. 1857 in Horo., Rus., ✕ 1873 in Futtur, Rus. by Min. Johann Schrag, + 16 Jan. 1938 of internal cancer, ¶ in CePp. In the spring of 1885 Peter and Freni moved from SD. to PPr., KS. where they spent the rest of their days. They were charter members of FMPPr. He was elected a deacon in 1887 and served in that capacity until 1917. (see also Gr3.569)

At2.64 Johann {John} J "Hanss" Albrecht {Albright}, * 25 Nov. 1864 in Horo., Rus., ✕ 21 Mar. 1880 in SaZi., + 4:30pm 7 Apr. 1945 in St. Francis Hospital, Wichita, KS., ¶ in CePp., ∞ (I) 7 June 1883 Katharina Graber Gr3.57b, * 26 May 1864, + 29 Jan. 1898 at PPr., KS., ¶ in CePp., ∞ (II) 18 June 1899 Karolina {Carolina} "Carrie" Schwartz Sw4.1137 at PPr., KS., * 17 Oct. 1878 in McPh. Co., KS., ✕ 28 Sep. 1894 in FMPPr., + Nov. 1972, ¶ in CePp. Johann immigrated to America in 1874 with his parents and settled at Marion, SD. In 1884 he and Katharina moved to PPr., KS. and were charter members of FMPPr. He spent the rest of his life there. (see also Gr3.57b)

Fr2.b1 Jacob A Flickinger {Flikinger}, * 21 Feb. 1849 in Horo., Rus., ✕ 21 Mar. 1865 in Kutu., Rus. + 19 Aug. 1928 in the home of his daughter Maria at Hutch., KS., ¶ 21 Aug. in CePp., ∞ (I) 12 Sep. 1872 Elisabeth "Lizzie" (or) "Lyssy" Graber Gr3.54a, * 7 Dec. 1855, + 21 May 1886 of a 6 month illness at PPr., KS., ∞ (II) 1 Nov. 1890 Freni {Frances} Sutter Su4.2313 at Free., SD., * 15 Aug. 1865, ✕ 15 July 1883 in SaZi., + 28 Jan. 1907 of childbirth at Murdock, KS., ¶ 30 Jan. in CePp. Jacob and Elisabeth came to America in 1874 with the Kutu. congregation but lived initially in IA. then settled near Marion, SD. In 1884 they moved to PPr., KS. and were founding members of FMPPr. At her death, Elisabeth left Jacob with 3 children ages 1 through 11. Jacob and Freni moved to King. Co., KS. and became members of BethKi. At Freni's death she left Jacob with 7 children ages 2 to 14. (see also Gr3.54a)

Children:

Fr3.b11 Johann {John} H Flickinger, * 20 Mar. 1875 in IA., ✕ 10 Apr. 1892, + 12 Oct. 1927, ¶ 16 Oct. in CePp., ∞ 1 Nov. 1900 Maria {Mary} Vogt Vj1.2, * 2 Nov. 1882 at Marion, SD., ✕ 8 Apr. 1900 in FMPPr., + Apr. 1970, ¶ in CePp. Johann undoubtedly moved with his parents from SD. to PPr., where his parents were charter members of FMPPr. They then moved to CO. for a short time. He and Maria apparently lived for a time at Mdge., KS. as she joined Eden. in 1931. They then moved to PPr., KS. and from there to King., KS. He was a farmer. (see also Vj1.2-under Vj0)

Fr3.b13 Freni Flickinger, * 7 Dec. 1878, + 28 Sep. 1893 of edema at PPr., KS.

Fr2.b3 Elisabeth "Liessy" Flickinger, * 28 Dec. 1852, ✕ 9 Apr. 1867 in Kutu., + 14 Mar. 1946 at Miami, FL., ∞ (I) 12 Sep. 1872 Joseph J Zerger Zr4.3121, * 1 Jan. 1852, ✕ 9 Apr. 1867 in Kutu., + 8 Apr. 1885, ¶ in CePp., ∞ (II) c.1901 Carl Juhnke Ju0 in IL. Elisabeth and Joseph were married in Rus. and immigrated to Free., SD. in 1874. They moved to PPr., KS. where they joined FMPPr. At Joseph's death Elisabeth was left with 7 children ages 1 to 11. She moved her family to IL., where she met and married Carl. They moved to Mdge., KS. The last years of her life Elisabeth lived in Miami, FL. (see also Zr4.3121)

Fr2.b5 Johann Jacob Flickinger, * 1 Jan. 1857 in Horo., Rus., ✕ 9 Apr. 1872 in Kutu., + 23 Feb. 1942 in PPr., KS. of pneumonia, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 28 Oct. 1879 Maria {Mary} Sehner Se2.18 in SaZi., * 27 Mar. 1852, ✕ 20 Mar. 1866 in Horo., + afternoon 23 Nov. 1931 in the home of her daughter northeast of PPr., KS. of pneumonia, ¶ in CePp. In 1861 Johann moved with his parents to Kutu., Rus. In 1874 he immigrated to America with the Kutu. congregation and settled at Marion, SD. He lived there for 10 years. In 1884 Johann and Maria were among the first to settle in PPr., KS. and helped organize FMPPr. He was ordained a minister in 28 June 1885 in FMPPr, became an elder 5 Apr. 1891 and served until 1919. (see also Se2.18)

Children:

Fr3.b51 Anna Flickinger, * 3 Sep. 1880 at Marion, SD., ✕ 28 Sep. 1894 in FMPPr., + 19 Oct. 1961 at Monroe, WA., ¶ in CeMn., ∞ 20 Dec. 1899 Andreas {Andrew} A Stucky St4.629a at PPr., KS., * 21 Sep. 1876 at Mdge., KS., ✕ 4 Oct. 1891 in Hoff., + 2 Feb. 1942 at Monroe., WA., ¶ in CeMn. Anna and Andreas moved to Monroe, WA. and joined FMMo. in 1918 when the church was chartered. They remained there the rest of their lives.

Fr3.b52 Lena J Flickinger, * 17 Mar. 1882 at Marion, SD., ✕ 10 Apr. 1898 in FMPPr., + 27 July 1931 at Larned, KS., ¶ in CePp., ∞ 6 Mar. 1906 Frank F Wall at PPr., KS., son of Frank Wall & Susana, * 29 Mar. 1881 in Wolden Fiirst, Rus., + 15 Sep. 1961 at Seattle, WA. When she was 2 Lena moved with her parents from SD. to PPr., KS. She and Frank lived at Crawford, OK., PPr., KS., and Monroe, WA. where they joined FMMo. in 1918.

Fr3.b53 Karolina "Carry" Flickinger, * 19 Oct. 1883 in Turner Co., SD., ✕ 10 Apr. 1898 in FMPPr., + 28 Oct. 1917 of a heart attack in her home in Monroe, WA., ¶ 4 Nov. in CePp., ∞ 11 Apr. 1907 Heinrich {Henry} J Flickinger {Flickner} Fr3.a71 (his I) in FMPPr., * 16 Nov. 1884, ✕ 8 Oct. 1899 in Eden., + 16 Nov. 1954, ¶ in CeMn. When she was 1 Karolina accompanied her parents in a move from SD. to PPr., KS. When she was married Karolina was a member of FMPPr. and Heinrich of Eden. After Karolina's death Heinrich moved to Monroe, WA. and married Julia Mantei.

Fr2.b6 Freni "Fannie" Flickinger, * 23 Apr. 1859, ✕ 3 Nov. 1873 in Kutu., + 14 Dec. 1941 in the home of her daughter (Mrs. A. J. Schwartz) in Murdock, KS., ¶ in CeKi., ∞ 28 Oct. 1879 Joseph Stucky St4.642b, * 8 Feb. 1858, ✕ 1873 in Wald., + 8 Dec. 1928 in his home at Murdock, KS., ¶ 10 Dec. in CeKi. Freni immigrated with her parents with the Kutu. congregation but settled with them in SD. in 1874. Freni and Joseph moved to PPr., KS. in 1884 and were charter members of FMPPr. In 1901 they moved to a farm near Murdock, KS. and helped organize BethKi. in 1907 where they were charter members. After Joseph's death in 1928 Freni lived with her daughters. (see also st4.642b)

Fr2.b9 Magdalena "Lena" Flickinger, * 2 May 1864 in Kutu., Rus., ✕ 6 Apr. 1879 in SaZi., + 3 Sep. 1929, ¶ in CeKi., ∞ 5 Dec. 1889 Johann "Hans" Sehner Se2.1b (his II), * 15 Apr. 1863 in Horo., Rus., ✕ 21 Mar. 1880 in SaZi., + 22 Apr. 1940 in his son John's home in King., KS., ¶ in CeKi. Magdalena came to America with her parents in the Kutu. congregation but settled in SD. She and Johann moved from SD. to PPr., KS. in c.1889 and lived there for 10 years until 1899 when they moved to Murdock, KS. (see also Se2.1b)

Ge2.36 Jacob Gering, * Sep. 1819 in Edu., Rus., + 30 Oct. 1906 at PPr., KS., ∞ Susanna Krehbiel Kr2.41, * 1827 in Edu., Rus., ✕ 3 Oct. 1845 in Edu., + 23 July 1878 by drowning in the Vermillion River, SD., ¶ in CeSz. Jacob and Susanna lived 5 miles east of Marion, SD. on the banks of the Vermillion River. Susanna and three children drowned in the morning of 23 July 1878 when the river flooded as the result of a deluge of rain the night before. Jacob was saved by floating on a mattress. He moved to PPr., KS. where he was living in 1900 with his daughter Maria Schwartz Ge3.363. He was afflicted with blindness and confined to his house. He died at PPr. <return>

Children:

Ge3.362 Daniel J Gering {Gehring}, * 13 Sep. 1856 in Edu., Rus., + evening 15 Apr. 1940 in his home at Monroe, WA. of a heart ailment, ¶ in CeMn., ∞ (I) 20 Apr. 1879 Katharina "Katie" Schwartz Sw3.133, * 22 June 1850 in Rus., ✕ 12 Apr. 1864 in Horo., + 27 Jan. 1918 in St. Luke's Hospital in Bellingham, WA. from blood poisoning, ¶ in Bay View Cemetery, Bellingham, WA., ∞ (II) 26 Mar. 1922 Mary Voth Ellenberger (her II) in FMCC., * 5 Aug. 1856 in Prussian [?] Poland, + 11 Jan. 1941 in Monroe, WA. Daniel and Katharina Schwartz moved from SD. to PPr., KS. in 1883 and became members of FMPPr. In 1913 they moved to Monroe, WA. for 3 ½ years before moving to Bellingham, WA where Katherina died. Daniel moved back to Monroe, WA. where he remarried. He made violins and made and repaired clocks. (see also Sw3.133)

Ge3.363 Maria Gering {Goering}, * 13 Sep. 1859 in Rus., ✕ 1874 by Min. Jacob Stucky, + early morning 2 May 1940 in Monroe, WA. after a long illness, ¶ in CeMn., ∞ 16 Nov. 1881 Jacob D

"Dandelein" Schwartz Sw3.135, * 17 Sep. 1857 in Rus., ✕ 1874 by Min. Jacob Stucky, + 29 Sep. 1932 in Monroe General Hospital, WA. of peritonitis which resulted from injuries when a load of wood fell on him, ¶ in CeMn. Maria came from Russia to SD. as a young girl. In 1925 they moved from King, KS. to Monroe, WA. and became members of FMMo. (see also Sw3.135)

Ge2.89 Anna Gering {Goehring}, * 3 Dec. 1841, ✕ 22 Apr. 1856 in Edu., + 4 Jan. 1902 at PPr., KS., ¶ 6 Jan. in CePp., ∞ 12 Nov. 1865 Christian P Graber Gr3.563, * 15 May 1844 in Horo., Rus., ✕ 27 Mar. 1860 in Horo., + 16 June 1917 probably of a heart attack as he was "sledding" his corn field, ¶ 18 June in CePp. Christian Graber and Anna Gering moved from the SDa to KS. (see also Gr3.563)

Ge2.8a Peter D (or) O Gering {Goering}, * 3 June 1844 in Edu., Rus., ✕ 27 Mar. 1860 in Horo., + 21 Feb. 1904 at a relative's home at Mdge., KS., ¶ in CePp., ∞ 31 Oct. 1865 Katharina Graber Gr3.547, * 12 Feb. 1848 in Wald., Rus., ✕ 16 Apr. 1861 in Horo., + 15 Apr. 1902 at PPr., KS., ¶ in CePp. Peter was a farmer. Peter and Katharina moved from SD. to KS. in 1884 where they were members of FMPPr. (see also Gr3.547)

Children:

Ge3.8a2 Andreas {Andrew} P Gering {Goering}, * 18 May 1875 in Turner Co., SD., ✕ 8 April 1891 in FMPPr., + 29 July 1926 in a Wichita, KS. hospital, ¶ 1 Aug. in CePp., ∞ 23 Nov. 1897 Anna P Graber Gr4.8235 in FMPPr., * 9 June 1880 at Free., SD., ✕ 24 May 1896 in FMCC., + 19 Aug. 1953, ¶ in CePp. Andreas moved from SD. to PPr., KS. in 1884 with his parents. He and Anna lived at PPr. and were members of FMPPr. where he served many years as a Sunday school teacher. (see also Gr4.8235-under Gr3.823)

Ge3.8a3 Freni {Frances} Gering, * 12 Dec. 1878 at Free., SD., ✕ 28 Sep. 1894 in FMPPr., + 9:30pm 12 Dec. 1937, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 7 Feb. 1899 Johann {John} Michael D Graber Gr4.7351 in FMPPr., * 13 Aug. 1877 at Marion, SD., ✕ 18 Sep. 1894 in FMPPr., + 1961. At the age of 6 Freni moved with her parents from SD. to PPr., KS. She and John moved from PPr. to Cleveland, KS. and were members of FMPPr. John was a farmer. (see also Gr4.7351-under Gr3.579)

Ge3.8a4 Johann {John} P Gering {Goering}, * 14 July 1882 at Free., SD., ✕ 10 Apr. 1898 in FMPPr., + 22 Aug. 1949, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 16 Oct. 1902 Lydia Graber Gr4.8237, * 22 Nov. 1884 at Mdge., KS., ✕ 8 Apr. 1900 in FMPPr., + 15 Aug. 1953, ¶ in CePp. Johann moved to KS. with his parents when he was 2. He was a farmer and he and Lydia lived at PPr., KS. and were members of FMPPr.

Ge2.8e Susanna Gering, * 19 Nov. 1850 in Edu., Rus., ✕ 12 Apr. 1864 in Horo., + 17 May 1913 in her home at PPr., KS., ¶ 19 May in CePp., ∞ 18 June 1875 Peter O Graber Gr2.84 at Marion, SD. (his II), * 11:00pm 12 Mar. 1830 in Mdorf., WGa., Rus., ✕ 16 Dec. 1845 in Horo., + 27 Apr. 1897 at PPr., KS., ¶ in CePp. Susanna was raised by Jacob Krehbiel Kr2.33 and her mother after Jacob's marriage in 1860 to Anna Harms Gering Ha0. It is stated (in KrJs p 5) that Susanna was adopted by Jacob Krehbiel but her name is recorded everywhere as Gering, not Krehbiel. She immigrated with them to America in 1874 and settled at Yank., SD. She and Peter lived in SD. until 1891 when they moved to PPr., KS. where they lived 6 ½ miles east of town. Susanna suffered for many years with rheumatism and was confined to her bed the last 16 years of her life. (see also Gr2.84)

Ge3.316 Maria {Mary} Gering, * 5 Dec. 1841 in Wald., Rus., ✕ in Wald., + 29 July 1917 in her home at PPr., KS., ¶ in CePp., ∞ 13 Apr. 1861 Johann {John} B "Badko" (or) "Hanss" Graber Gr3.561, * 7 Feb. 1840 in Horo., Rus., ✕ 8 Apr. 1856 in Horo., + 3:00pm 16 July 1920 of a stroke and cancer of the prostate gland, ¶ in CePp. Johann and Maria immigrated in 1874 and settled near Marion, SD. where he farmed. They moved from SD. to PPr., KS. in 1884 and were members of FMPPr. (see also Gr3.561)

Ge3.317 Andreas {Andrew} "Andrushka" Gering {Goering}, * 15 Feb. 1844 in Wald., Rus., ✕ c.1860 by Elder Johann Schrag in Rus., + 26 July 1931 in the home of his daughter Freni Graber, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 17 Nov. 1863 Anna Wedel We2.21, * 3 Oct. 1845 in Vol., Rus., ✕ 5 Apr. 1859 in Edu., + 3 Nov. 1912 at PPr., KS., ¶ 5 Nov. in CePp. Andreas and Anna immigrated to America in 1874 and settled in SD. They moved from SD. to PPr., KS. in 1884 and were charter members of FMPPr. Andreas was one of

the first three men who chose a site to live in Albion Twp., Reno Co., Ks. (see also We2.21)

Children:

Ge4.3172 Joseph Andreas Gering, * 28 July 1866 in Wald., Rus., ✕ 2 Apr. 1882 in SaZi., + 21 Jan. 1951 in the Bethel Hospital, Newton, KS., ¶ in CeFc., ∞ 12 June 1887 Susanna "Sussie" Voran Vn2.5b at Christian, KS., * 6 June 1864, ✕ 19 Apr. 1878 in Hoff., + morning 22 Apr. 1938, ¶ in CeFc. Joseph immigrated to America in 1874 and settled with his parents in Turner Co., SD. In 1884 they moved to McPh. Co., KS. He moved to PPr., KS. where he helped establish the community there. After the marriage, Joseph and Susanna settled 5 miles east of Mdge., KS. Joseph Gering transferred church membership from SaZi. to FMCC. in 1890 and Susanna Voran from Hoff. to FMCC. in 1884.

Ge4.3173 Maria {Mary} Gering {Goering}, * 8 Jan. 1869 in Wald., Rus., ✕ 20 July 1884 in SaZi., + 12:40pm 22 Jan. 1952 in the home of her son Eli at PPr., KS., ¶ in CePp., ∞ 30 Aug. 1892 Christian W Albrecht {Albright} Ac5.23361 at Mdge., KS., * 26 July 1870, ✕ 21 Nov. 1886 in Hoff., + 5:45pm 20 May 1934 of diabetes in his home, ¶ in CePp. Maria immigrated with her parents to America and settled in Turner Co., SD. in 1874. She and Christian moved to McPh. Co., KS. in 1884 and transferred church membership to Hoff. In 1892 (after her marriage) they moved to Reno Co., KS. and joined FMPPr. Christian was a farmer and they lived at PPr., KS.

Ge4.3174 Jacob A Gering {Goering}, * 5 May 1871 in Wald., Rus., ✕ 27 Oct. 1889 in Hoff., + 9:30pm 30 Apr. 1950 in Mercy Hospital, Mdge., KS., ¶ in CeEd., ∞ 5 Apr. 1894 Anna Kaufman Ka5.21136, * 8 Aug. 1875, + 1956, ¶ in CeEd. Jacob came to America with his parents and settled in Turner Co., SD. In 1884 they moved to McPh. Co., KS. and then Reno Co., KS. Jacob and Anna lived on the same farm near Mdge., KS. for 53 years except for one year which they spent in CA. They transferred church membership from Hoff. to Eden. where they were charter members.

Ge4.3175 Katharina "Katie" Gering {Goering}, * 13 Dec. 1873 in Wald., Rus., ✕ 27 Oct. 1889 in Hoff., + 4:00am 13 June 1965 in the Bethel Hospital, Newton, KS. of complications from a broken hip, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 13 Feb. 1896 Adolph P Stucky St4.6299 at PPr., KS., * 22 Mar. 1871, ✕ 21 Nov. 1886 in Hoff., + 4:00pm 18 May 1942 at Hutch., KS. of a stroke, ¶ in CePp. Katharina immigrated to America in 1874 with her parents and settled in SD. She and Adolph lived first at Mdge., KS., then moved in 1898 to PPr., KS. They moved to Hutch., KS. probably at the time of his retirement. Katharina moved back to Mdge., KS. in 1944 after the death of Adolph.

Ge4.3176 Johann {John} A Gering {Goering}, * 20 Dec. 1876 at Marion, SD., ✕ 2 Aug. 1896 in FMPPr., + 22 Feb. 1953 at Hutch., KS., ¶ in CePp. Johann remained single. He lived at PPr., KS. and was a member of FMPPr. In 1952 he was living at Hutch., KS.

Ge4.3177 Freni {Frances} Gering, * 14 Oct. 1879 at Free., SD., ✕ 2 Aug. 1896 in FMPPr., + 23 Dec. 1965, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 1 Nov. 1899 Jacob J Graber Gr4.5781 in FMPPr., * 12 May 1877 at Free., SD., ✕ 28 Sep. 1896 in FMPPr., + 11 Jan. 1953, ¶ in CePp. Freni and Jacob lived 5 miles east and 2 ½ miles south of PPr., KS. and were members of FMPPr. He was a farmer. (see also Gr4.5781)

Ge4.3128 Emelia {Emilie} N Gering, * 5 May 1878 at Free., SD., ✕ 23 June 1893 in SaZi., + 19 Sep. 1942 in PPr., KS., ¶ in CePp., ∞ 28 Jan. 1900 Andreas {Andrew} Stucky St5.62336 in FMCC. (his I), * 1 Dec. 1868 in Kutu., Rus., ✕ 27 Apr. 1884 in FMCC., + 5:45 19 Feb. 1955 in his home in PPr., KS., ¶ in CePp. Emelia was born at Free., SD. and was visiting relatives in Mdge., KS. when she met Andreas. She transferred church membership to FMCC. in Feb. 1900. They lived at Mdge. until 1918 when they moved on a farm near PPr., KS. and later joined FMPPr. They moved into PPr. upon his retirement. <return>

Ge4.3593 Amalia {Amelia} Gering, * 9 Feb. 1881 at Free., SD., ✕ 13 Sep. 1896 in SaZi., + 30 Nov. 1973, ¶ in CeFc., ∞ 9 Feb. 1908 Bernhard D Stucky St5.62371, * 28 Jan. 1877 at Christian, KS., ✕ 17 Apr. 1892 in FMCC., + 22 Apr. 1943, ¶ 25 Apr. in CeFc. Amalia and Bernard lived at Hesston, KS. Amelia transferred church membership from SaZi. to FMCC. in 1908.

Ge4.3594 Edward Andrew Gering, * 24 Dec. 1882 at Free., SD., + 12 Aug. 1965 in Anthony, KS., ¶ in Anthony, KS. Cemetery, ∞ 19 Oct. 1919 Anna Katherina Wedel We3.627 in the home of the parents of

the bride at Mdge., KS., * 2 Sep. 1896 at Mdge., KS., ✕ 7 July 1912 in FMCC. Edward was a member of Salem.; Anna of FMCC. The family moved to Anthony, KS. in 1920 where he operated a tire store.

Ge4.3598 Helena "Lena" Gering, * 15 June 1889 at Free., SD., ✕ 19 May 1907, + 30 Mar. 1979, ¶ in CeFc., ∞ 5 Dec. 1909 Edward J Stucky St5.62376, * 9 Apr. 1887 at Mdge., KS., ✕ 5 July 1903 in FMCC., + 12 Dec. 1956. Helena and Edward lived at Douglas, KS.

Ge4.359b Lydia Gering, * 3 Feb. 1895 at Free., SD., ✕ 12 May 1912 in SaZi., + 28 Jan. 1989, ¶ in CeFc., ∞ 9 Feb. 1913 Johann {John} G Stucky St5.62378 at Free., SD., * 12 Oct. 1891 at Mdge., KS., ✕ 26 July 1908 in FMCC., + 18 Mar. 1963. Lydia and Johann lived at Mdge., KS.

Gr2.84 Peter O Graber, * 11:00pm 12 Mar. 1830 in Mdorf., WGa., Rus., ✕ 16 Dec. 1845 in Horo., + 27 Apr. 1897 at PPr., KS., ¶ 28 Apr. in CePp., ∞ (I) 20 Oct. 1855 Freni Gering Ge3.351 in Edu., Rus., * 10 Jan. 1838 in Edu., Rus., + 25 May 1875 at Marion, SD., ¶ in CeSz., ∞ (II) 18 June 1875 Susanna Gering Ge2.8e at Marion, SD., * 19 Nov. 1850 in Edu., Rus., ✕ 12 Apr. 1864 in Horo., + 17 May 1913 in her home at PPr., KS., ¶ 19 May in CePp. Peter and Susanna moved in 1891 from SD. to PPr., KS. where they lived 6 ½ miles east of town. (see also Ge2.8e) <return>

Children:

Gr3.848 Johann {John} P O Graber [formerly Gr3.847], * 20 Feb. 1873 in Gotzufka [Kutusovka?], Rus., ✕ 22 Mar. 1890 in SaZi., + 21 June 1954 at Hutch., KS., ∞ 16 Oct. 1898 Anna Stucky St5.62372 in FMCC., * 7 Sep. 1878 at Christian, KS., + 1957 at Hutch., KS. Johann was 2 when his family came to America and settled in SD. He was 18 years old when he moved with his father and stepmother to PPr., KS. He enjoyed music but lost his church membership when he persisted in playing an instrument in a band. Johann attended Bethel College and was a school teacher at Mdge. Here he met and married Anna. After teaching for some time, Johann and his wife Anna moved back to PPr., KS. where he became a partner in a hardware business. He was elected to the Kansas State Legislature in 1911. After serving one term, they moved to Hutch., KS. where he opened a furniture business.

Gr3.849 Andreas {Andrew} P Graber, * 20 Aug. 1876 in Turner Co., SD., ✕ 10 Apr. 1892 in FMPPr., + 19 June 1956, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 12 Mar. 1899 Julena A "Lena" Waltner Wa3.483, * 18 May 1881 in Turner Co., SD., + Oct. 1977, ¶ in CePp. Andreas and Julena lived in PPr., KS and were members of FMPPr. He was a farmer. (see also Wa3.483)

Gr3.84a Christian C "Christ" Graber, * 19 Jan. 1878 at Free., SD., ✕ 28 Sep. 1894 in FMPPr., + 26 Sep. 1957 of a heart attack at Mdge., KS., ¶ in CeFc., ∞ 26 Jan. 1902 Maria {Mary} M Stucky St5.62373 in the home of the parents of the bride at Mdge., KS., * 11 Sep 1880 at Christian, KS., ✕ 24 May. 1896 in FMCC., + 25 Jan. 1946 in Bethel Hopsital, Newton, KS. of a bad heart, ¶ in CeFc. Christian moved from SD. to PPr., KS. with his parents when he was about 13. He became acquainted with Maria when his brother married her sister and at the time of their marriage Christian was living at PPr., KS. and Maria at Mdge., KS. They moved onto an 80 acre farm near Mdge., KS. given to them by Maria's parents. Here they lived the rest of their lives.

Gr3.84c Benjamin P O "Ben" Graber, * 13 Mar. 1882 at Marion, SD., ✕ 10 Apr. 1889 in FMPPr., + 30 Apr. 1963 at Anthony, KS., ¶ in CePp., ∞ 1 Nov. 1906 Adina Graber Gr4.5639 at PPr., KS., * 14 Jan. 1889 at PPr., KS., ✕ 27 Mar. 1904 in FMPPr., + 25 Jan. 1965, ¶ in CePp. Benjamin moved from SD. to PPr., KS. when he was 9 years old. He and Adina lived 6 miles east and 2 south of PPr., KS., then moved to 5 ½ miles east where he farmed. They were members of FMPPr. After retirement they moved into town. (see also Gr4.5635-under Gr3.563)

Gr3.84e Maria {Marie} Graber, * 2 Sep. 1885 at Marion, SD., ✕ 8 Apr. 1900 in FMPPr., + 21 Mar. 1977 at Mdge., KS., ¶ in CeEd., ∞ 4 Feb. 1936 Daniel J "Dan" Stucky St5.62655 (his II), * 15 Apr. 1887 at Mdge., KS., ✕ 18 May 1902 in Eden., + 27 Oct. 1961 at Mdge., KS., ¶ in CeEd. Maria moved with her family from SD. to PPr., KS. where she was a member of FMPPr. She earned nurse training at Hillsboro, KS. and then at age 51 married Daniel and helped raise his family from his previous marriage to Bertha M Krehbiel Kr4.3245. They lived at Elyria, KS.

Gr3.547 Katharina {Katherina} Graber, * 12 Feb. 1848 in Wald., Rus., ✕ 16 Apr. 1861 in Horo., + 15 Apr. 1902 at PPr., KS., ¶ in CePp., ∞ 31 Oct. 1865 Peter D (or) O Gering {Goering} Ge2.8a, * 3 June 1844 in Edu., Rus., ✕ 27 Mar. 1860 in Horo., + 21 Feb. 1904 at a relative's home at Mdge., KS., ¶ in CePp. Katharina and Peter came to America in 1874 and settled in SD. They moved from SD. to KS. in 1884. He was a farmer. (see also Ge2.8a)

Gr3.54a Elisabeth "Lyssy" (or) "Lizzie" Graber, * 7 Dec. 1855, + 21 May 1886 of a 6 month illness at PPr., KS., ∞ 12 Sep. 1872 Jacob Flickinger Fr2.b1 (his I), * 21 Feb. 1849 in Horo., Rus., ✕ 21 Mar. 1865 in Kutu., + 19 Aug. 1928 in the home of his daughter at Hutch., KS., ¶ in CePp. Elisabeth and Jacob immigrated to America in 1874 and settled near Marion, SD. In 1884 they moved to PPr., KS. where they were founding members of FMPPr. (see also Fr2.b1)

Gr3.561 Johann {John} B "Badko" (or) "Hans" Graber, * 7 Feb. 1840 in Horo., Rus., ✕ 8 Apr. 1856 in Horo., + 3:00pm 16 July 1920 of a stroke and cancer of the prostate gland, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 13 Apr. 1861 Maria {Mary} Gering Ge3.316, * 5 Dec. 1841 in Wald., Rus., ✕ in Wald., + 29 July 1917 in her home at PPr., KS., ¶ in CePp. Johann and Maria immigrated to America in 1874 and settled near Marion, SD. where he farmed. They moved from SD. to PPr., KS. in 1884 where they lived the rest of their lives. They were members of FMPPr. (see also Ge3.316)

Children:

Gr4.5613 Freni B "Fannie" Graber, * 10 Sep. 1866 in Wald., Rus., ✕ 2 Apr. 1882 in SaZi., + 21 July 1925 of diabetes in her home at King., KS., ¶ 23 July in CePp., ∞ 28 May 1885 Peter W Kaufman Ka4.2462 [formerly Ka4.3462], * 19 Nov. 1861 in Horo., Rus., + 12 Mar. 1951 in the King., KS. Hospital, ¶ in CePp. Freni (at 8 years of age) immigrated to America in 1874 and settled with her parents near Marion, SD. The family moved to PPr., KS. in 1884 and joined FMPPr. where she remained a member the rest of her life. After their marriage, Freni and Peter lived near PPr., KS. where they farmed. They moved to King, KS. in Feb. 1921.

Gr4.5614 Peter J "Pat" Graber, * 13 Sep. 1870 in Wald., Rus., ✕ 20 July 1884 in SaZi., + 3:00am 15 Oct. 1942 in the hospital in Anthony, KS., ¶ in CePp., ∞ 25 Feb. 1892 Anna Schwartz Sw3.175 in FMPPr., * 18 Feb. 1876 at Yank., SD., ✕ 8 Apr. 1891 in FMPPr., + 17 July 1933, ¶ in CePp. Peter immigrated with his parents to America in 1874 and they lived north of Yank., SD. He moved with his parents to PPr., KS. in 1884 and he was a founding member of FMPPr. and a merchant in PPr. He and Anna were married and lived the rest of their lives at PPr., KS. (see also Sw3.175)

Gr4.5616 Johann {John} R Graber, * 11 May 1876 at Yank., SD., + 19 Dec. 1952, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 23 Nov. 1897 Elisabeth "Lizzie" Stucky St5.64431 in FMPPr., * 1 Oct. 1877 at Marion, SD., ✕ 10 Apr. 1892 in FMPPr., + 10 May 1952, ¶ in CePp. Johann and Elisabeth lived at PPr., KS. where he farmed. They were members of FMPPr. (see also St5.64431-under St4.6443)

Gr4.5617 Elisabeth B "Lizzie" Graber, * 18 Nov. 1878 at Marion, SD., ✕ 10 Apr. 1892 in FMPPr., + 29 Apr. 1904 in child bed at PPr., KS., ¶ in CePp., ∞ 23 Nov. 1897 Peter J Krehbiel Kr3.334 in FMPPr., * 22 Feb. 1875 in SD., ✕ 8 Apr. 1891 in FMPPr., + 7 Mar. 1958, ¶ in CePp. At the age of 6 (in 1884) Elisabeth moved from SD. to PPr., KS. She and Peter lived at PPr., KS. where he farmed. They were members of FMPPr. (see also Kr3.334-under Kr2.33)

Gr4.5618 Jacob B Graber, * 1 May 1881 at Marion, SD., ✕ 10 Apr. 1898 in FMPPr., + 9 Nov. 1971, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 24 Nov. 1903 Elisabeth B "Lizzie" Gering Ge4.3862, * 26 July 1883 at Wellington, KS., + 30 Mar. 1955, ¶ in CePp. Jacob and Elisabeth lived at PPr., KS. where he farmed. They were members of FMPPr.

Gr4.5619 Katharina "Katie" Graber, * 2 May 1884 at Marion, SD., ✕ 10 Apr. 1898 in FMPPr., + 9 Jan. 1944 at PPr., KS., ¶ in CePp., ∞ 18 May 1905 Joseph H Schrag Sg4.7541 at PPr., KS. (his (II), * 28 Mar. 1870 in Wald., Vol. Rus., ✕ 21 Nov. 1886 in Hoff., + 7:15am 9 Oct. 1953 in the Bethel Home, Newton, KS., ¶ in CePp. Katharina was just a baby when she accompanied her parents in the move from SD. to PPr., KS. She and Joseph lived at PPr., KS.

Gr3.563 Christian P "Christ" Graber, * 15 May 1844 in Horo., Rus., ✕ 27 Mar. 1860 in Horo., + 16 June 1917 probably of a heart attack as he was "sledding" his corn field, ¶ 18 June in CePp., ∞ (I) 12 Nov.

1865 Anna Gering {Goehring} Ge2.89, * 3 Dec. 1841, ✕ 22 Apr. 1856 in Edu., + 4 Jan. 1902 at PPr., KS., ¶ 6 Jan. in CePp., ∞ (II) 30 Oct. 1902 Freni {Verona} "Fannie" Graber Krehbiel Gr3.575 (her II), * 29 Oct. 1848 in Horo., Rus., ✕ 24 Mar. 1863 in Horo., + 10 July 1922 of a stroke, ¶ 12 July in CePp. Christian and Anna immigrated to America in 1874 and settled in SD. They moved to PPr., KS. in c.1884 and became members of FMPPr. (see also Ge2.89)

Children:

Gr4.5632 Anna C "Christaloe" Graber, * 29 Dec. 1867, ✕ 2 Apr. 1882 in SaZi., + 15 May 1895, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 31 Aug. 1886 Joseph P "Petruich" (or) "Ries Joe" Graber Gr4.6227 (his II) at PPr., KS., * 17 May 1861 in Kutu., Rus., ✕ 31 Oct. 1880 in Hoff., + 8:00pm 22 Nov. 1937 in the home of his son Ben in Arkansas City, KS. of a stroke. Anna and Joseph lived at PPr., KS. where he farmed.

Gr4.5633 Freni Graber, * 4 July 1870 at Marion, SD., ✕ 20 July 1884 in SaZi., + 18 Oct. 1904 at PPr., KS., ∞ 26 Apr. 1894 Joseph H Schrag Sg4.7541 at PPr., KS. (his I), * 28 Mar. 1870 in Wald., Vol., Rus., ✕ 21 Nov. 1886 in Hoff., + 7:15am 9 Oct. 1953 in the Bethel Home, Newton, KS., ¶ in CePp. At 3 years of age Freni came to America with her parents at settled in Turner Co., SD. She moved with her parents to PPr., KS. in 1884. She and Joseph lived at PPr., KS.

Gr4.5634 Maria Graber, * 1 Dec. 1872, ✕ 1 Sep. 1889 in FMPPr.[?], + 12:40pm 2 Sep. 1937 of cancer, ¶ in CePp. Maria never married. Maria immigrated with her parents to America in 1874 and settled in SD. She moved to PPr., KS. with them in 1884.

Gr4.5635 Katharina C "Katie" Graber, * 23 Jan. 1876 at Marion, SD., ✕ 8 Apr. 1891 in FMPPr., + 6 Mar. 1948 at PPr., KS., ¶ 9 Mar. in CePp., ∞ 21 Nov. 1903 Jonathan O "Jonas" Graber Gr3.84b, * 22 Oct. 1880 at Marion, SD., ✕ 10 Apr. 1898 in FMPPr., + 19 Feb. 1968 at Newton, KS., ¶ in CePp. Katharina and Jonathan lived at PPr., KS. initially west, then northeast and finally southeast of town. Katharina's eyesight failed late in life. They were members of FMPPr. He was a farmer. (see also Gr3.84b-under Gr2.84)

Gr4.5636 Peter C Graber, * 29 Dec. 1878 at Marion, SD., ✕ 2 Aug. 1896 in FMPPr., + 6 Apr. 1960, ¶ in CePp., ∞ (I) 25 Apr. 1900 Adina C Stucky St5.62835, * 1 Sep. 1881 at Mdge., KS., ✕ 16 June 1895 in Hoff., + 24 Apr. 1920 of cancer, ¶ in CePp., ∞ (II) 13 Mar. 1920 Anna E Krehbiel Graber Kr4.2433, * 15 Feb. 1880, + Feb. 1967. Peter and Adina lived at PPr., KS. where he farmed. They were members of FMPPr.

Gr4.5637 Jacob C H Graber, * 30 May 1882 at Marion, SD., ✕ 10 Apr. 1898 in FMPPr., + 9 June 1948, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 13 May 1902 Otilia "Tillie" Stucky St5.62837 at PPr., KS., * 16 Feb. 1885 at Mdge., KS., + 26 Feb. 1978, ¶ in CePp. Jacob was a member of FMPPr. and Otilia of Hoff. at the time of their marriage. They lived at PPr., KS. and were members of FMPPr. He was a farmer.

Gr4.5638 Johann {John} C Graber, * 10 Dec. 1883 at Marion, SD., ✕ 8 Apr. 1900 in FMPPr., + 10:00am 22 Apr. 1939, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 15 Oct. 1907 Emma C Krehbiel Kr3.33d, * 26 Mar. 1891 at PPr., KS., ✕ 20 Oct. 1906 in FMPPr., + Nov. 1979, ¶ in CePp. Johann moved with his parents from SD. to PPr., KS. at age 3. He and Emma lived at PPr., KS. where he farmed. They were members of FMPPr.

Gr3.569 Peter A Graber, * 5 Feb. 1857 in Horo., Rus., ✕ 1873 by Min. Johann Schrag in Futtur, Rus., + 16 Jan. 1938 in the home of his daughter Anna Ratzlaff of internal cancer, ¶ in CePp., ∞ (I) 23 Oct. 1880 Freni Albrecht At2.63, * 29 Jan. 1863, + 5 Mar. 1892, ¶ in CePp., ∞ (II) 1892 Maria {Mary} Graber Gr3.579 (her II), * 10 Feb. 1859 in Horo., Rus., ✕ 1874 by Elder Peter Kaufman in Rus., + morning 8 June 1934 in her home in PPr., KS., ¶ in CePp. Peter accompanied his parents to America in 1874 and settled at Bluffton, OH. until 1878 when he moved to and homesteaded in SD. In the spring of 1885 Peter and Freni moved to PPr., KS. where they spent the rest of their days. Peter was a charter member of FMPPr., elected deacon 1 Nov. 1887 and served in that capacity until 1917. (see also At2.63 and Gr3.579)

Children of Peter A Graber Gr3.569 and Freni Albrecht At2.63:

Gr4.5691 Karolina "Carrie" Graber, * 25 July 1881 at Marion, SD., ✕ 2 Aug. 1896 in FMPPr., + 16 June 1959, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 9 Sep. 1900 Joseph N "Joe" Waltner Wa3.23b, * 17 Sep. 1877 at Mdge., KS., ✕ 4 Oct. 1891 in Hoff., + 3 July 1962, ¶ in CePp. Karolina accompanied her parents in their

move from SD. to KS. when she was age 3. She and Joseph lived at PPr., KS. where he farmed. They were members of FMPPr. (see also Wa3.23b)

Gr4.5692 Benjamin P "Ben" Graber, * 7 Feb. 1884, + Feb. 1969, ∞ 22 Oct. 1911 Marie Unruh Ur1.2 at PPr., KS., * 10 Mar. 1891 at Mdge., KS., ∞ 20 Oct. 1906 in FMPPr. Benjamin moved at age 1 with his parents to PPr., KS. He and Maria lived at PPr., KS. and transferred membership to the Methodist Church.

For children of Daniel Graber Gr3.735 and Maria Graber Gr3.579 see under Gr3.579:

Gr3.56h Jonathan P "Pet" Graber, * 13 May 1874 in Horo., Rus., ∞ 10 Apr. 1892, + 22 May 1954, ¶ in CeBl., ∞ 13 Nov. 1898 Helena "Lena" Zafft Zf3.241 in Salem., * 13 Dec. 1880 in Bridgewater, SD., ∞ 20 Oct. 1895, + 4 Apr. 1966. Jonathan was a blacksmith. They moved from SD. to PPr., KS where they were living in the town of PPr. in 1900 and where his vocation is given as blacksmith. They moved to Bloomfield, MT. joining Betlbl. in 1914. (see also Zf3.241)

Gr3.56k Helena "Lena" Graber, * 6 Mar. 1882 at Marion, SD., + 22 July 1972, ¶ in CePp., ∞ (I) 27 July 1902 Leonhard "Leon" Stucky St5.62836, * 5 June 1881 at Mdge., KS., ∞ 5 Sep. 1897 in Hoff., + 26 Oct. 1933, ∞ (II) 24 July 1947 Andreas {Andrew} Stucky St5.62336 in the WZion. parsonage, * 1 Dec. 1868 in Kutu., Rus., ∞ 27 Apr. 1884 in FMCC., + 5:45 19 Feb. 1955 in his home in PPr., KS., ¶ in CePp. Helena and Leonard lived at Mdge., KS. where he was a grain buyer. She and Andreas lived at PPr., KS.

Gr3.574 Elisabeth {Elizabeth} Graber, * 15 May 1846 in Horo., Rus., ∞ 16 Apr. 1861 in Horo., + 2:30am 15 Sep. 1929, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 12 Nov. 1865 Andreas Schwartz Sw2.17, * 14 July 1845 in Horo., Rus., ∞ 27 Mar. 1860 in Horo., + 8:30pm 12 Jan. 1940, ¶ in CePp. Elisabeth and Andreas immigrated to America in 1874 and settled near Marion, SD. In 1884 they moved to PPr., KS. where they lived 3 miles east of town and were charter members of FMPPr. Andreas was a farmer as well as a cobbler and bone doctor. On his retirement in 1913 they moved into PPr. (see also Sw2.17)

Gr3.575 Freni {Verona} "Fannie" Graber, * 29 Oct. 1848 in Horo., Rus., ∞ 24 Mar. 1863 in Horo., + 10 July 1922 of a stroke, ¶ 12 July in CePp., ∞ (I) 6 June 1874 Jacob Krehbiel Kr2.33 (his III), * 1828, ∞ 9 Mar. 1847 in Edu., + 15 May 1894 of encephalitis in his home at PPr., KS., ¶ in CePp., ∞ (II) 30 Oct. 1902 Christian P Graber Gr3.563 (his II), * 15 May 1844 in Horo., Rus., ∞ 27 Mar. 1860 in Horo., + 16 June 1917 probably of a heart attack as he was "sledding" his corn field, ¶ 18 June in CePp. Freni and Jacob immigrated to America just a few months after their marriage in 1874 and settled near Free., SD. In 1884 they moved from SD. to PPr., KS. where Jacob died just a short time after the move. Jacob's death was just a month after their 17 year old son Jacob died. Freni lived 3 miles east of town and she and Christian were members of FMPPr. (see also Kr2.33)

Gr3.577 Anna Graber, * 23 Oct. 1853 in Rus., + 25 Feb. 1903 at PPr., KS., ¶ 26 Feb. in CePp., ∞ 20 Feb. 1879 Johann {John} Voth {Vogt} Vj0 (his I), son of Franz Voth and Maria, * 22 July 1857 in Rus., ∞ 1878 by Peter Becker, + 21 Jan. 1932, ¶ in CePp. Anna immigrated to America in 1874 at age 22 with her parents and settled in SD. She and Johann lived at Marion, SD. and moved in 1885 to PPr., KS. and became members of FMPPr. He was a farmer. (see also Vj0)

Gr3.578 Johann {John} J "Jos" or "Hansko" Graber, * 25 Nov. 1855 in Horo., Rus., ∞ Palm Sunday 1872 by Min. Peter Kaufman, + 31 Dec. 1930 of pneumonia, ¶ in CePp., ∞ (I) 28 Dec. 1875 Freni Prieheim Pr2.24, * 21 Sep. 1851, ∞ 20 Mar. 1866 in Horo., + 21 July 1881, ¶ in CeSz., ∞ (II) 21 Feb. 1882 Anna Schwartz Sw3.152, * 5 Dec. 1864 in Horo., Rus., ∞ 6 Apr. 1879 in SaZi., + 11 Aug. 1935 in the home of her son Henry at Castleton, KS., ¶ in CePp. Johann immigrated with his parents to Marion, SD. in 1874. He and Freni lived at Marion after their marriage. In 1885 Johann and Anna moved to PPr., KS. and joined FMPPr. where Johann served as deacon for many years. (see also Sw3.152)

Children:

Gr4.5781 Jacob J Graber, * 12 May 1877 at Free., SD., † 28 Sep. 1896 in FMPPr., + 11 Jan. 1953, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 1 Nov. 1899 Freni {Frances} Gering Ge4.3177 in FMPPr., * 4 Oct. 1879 at Free., SD., † 2 Aug. 1896 in FMPPr., + 23 Dec. 1965, ¶ in CePp. Jacob and Freni lived 5 miles east and 2 ½ miles south of PPr., KS. and were members of FMPPr. where he was a Sunday school teacher and superintendent for many years. He was a farmer. (see also Ge4.3177-under Ge3.317)

Gr4.5782 Peter H Graber, * 25 Apr. 1879 at Free., SD., † 28 Aug. 1895 in FMPPr., + 1 Dec. 1948 at PPr., KS., ∞ 27 Feb. 1908 Emma Flickinger Fr3.b55, * 29 Jan. 1888 at PPr., KS., † 27 Mar. 1904 by her father in FMPPr., + 4:00am 11 Jan. 1940 of cancer at PPr., KS. Peter and Emma lived at PPr., KS. where he farmed. Peter suffered a stroke in his life.

Gr4.5784 Jonathan J "Johnes" Graber, * 14 Feb. 1883, † 8 Apr. 1900 in FMPPr., + 13 Aug. 1900 after a lengthy illness, ¶ in CePp.

Gr3.579 Maria {Mary} Graber, * 10 Feb. 1859 in Horo., Rus., † 1874 by Elder Peter Kaufman in Rus., + morning 8 June 1934 in her home in PPr., KS., ¶ in CePp., ∞ (I) 28 Dec. 1875 Daniel Graber Gr3.735, * 1846, + 30 Nov. 1880, ¶ in CeSz., ∞ (II) 1892 Peter A Graber Gr3.569 (his II), * 5 Feb. 1857 in Horo., Rus., † 1873 in Futtur, Rus. by Min. Johann Schrag, + 16 Jan. 1938 of internal cancer, ¶ in CePp. Maria immigrated to America in 1874 with her parents and settled in SD. where she married Daniel. After his death she went (in c.1884) to PPr., KS. and married Peter. They lived in PPr., KS. where he farmed. (see also Gr3.569)

Children of Maria and Daniel Graber Gr3.735:

Gr4.7351 Johann {John} (Michael) D Graber, * 13 Aug. 1877 at Marion, SD., † 18 Sep. 1894 in FMPPr., + 1961, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 7 Feb. 1899 Freni {Frances} Gering Ge3.8a3 in FMPPr., * 12 Dec. 1878 at Free., SD., † 28 Sep. 1894 in FMPPr., + 9:30pm 12 Dec. 1937, ¶ in CePp. John was about 7 when he accompanied his mother in the move to PPr., KS. He and Freni lived at Cleveland, KS. and were members of FMPPr. He was a farmer. (see also Ge3.8a3-under Ge3.8a)

Gr4.7352 Peter D A Graber, * 11 Jan. 1879 at Marion SD., + 30 Dec. 1918, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 9 Sep. 1900 Anna E Krehbiel Kr4.2433 in FMPPr. (her I), * 15 Feb. 1880 at Mdge., KS., + 26 Feb. 1967, ¶ in CePp. Peter was about 5 when he accompanied his mother in a move from SD. to PPr., KS. He and Anna lived at PPr., KS. and were members of FMPPr. He was a farmer.

Gr4.7353 Caroline "Lena" Graber, * 7 Nov. 1880 at Marion, SD., † 2 Aug. 1896 in FMPPr., + 28 Sep. 1970, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 2 Mar. 1897 Peter J Waltner Wa3.238 at PPr., KS., * 19 Mar. 1870, † 30 Dec. 1883 in Hoff., + midnight 13 Aug. 1953 in his home at PPr., KS., ¶ in CePp. Caroline moved at age c.4 with her parents from SD. to PPr., KS. where she joined FMPPr. She and Peter had no children of their own but raised 4 orphaned children.

Gr3.57b Katharina {Katrina} Graber, * 26 May 1864, + 29 Jan. 1898 at PPr., KS., ¶ in CePp., ∞ 7 June 1883 Johann {John} J "Hanss" Albrecht {Albright} At2.64 (his I), * 25 Nov. 1864 in Horo., Rus., † 21 Mar. 1880 in SaZi., + 4:30pm 7 Apr. 1945 in St. Francis Hospital, Wichita, KS., ¶ in CePp. Katharina and Johann were married in SD. and moved to PPr., KS in 1884 where they were charter members of FMPPr. (see also At2.64)

Gr3.772 Maria {Marie} Graber, * 9 Jan. 1851 in Zabara, Rus., † c.1864, + 9 Jan. 1944, ¶ in CeMe., ∞ 5 Oct. 1869 Christian J A Schrag Sg3.755, * 21 Mar. 1846, † c.1859, + 8:30am 16 Jan. 1927 of pneumonia and a stroke, ¶ in CeMe. Maria and Christian immigrated to America with the Kutu. congregation but settled in SD. After a year they moved to KS. and lived at Burrton. They moved from KS. to OR. in 1895 and then in 1900 to WA. where they were members of MeMC. (see also Sg3.755)

Gr3.775 Peter D "Miller" Graber, * 9 Apr. 1858 in Wald., Rus., † 1873 in Rus., + morning 13 June 1937 in Grace Hospital, Hutch., KS, ¶ in CePp., ∞ (I) 10 Feb. 1885 Maria Krehbiel Kr4.2341, * 26 July 1865, + 23 July 1895, ¶ in CePp., ∞ (II) 26 Sep. 1896 Freni "Fannie" Krehbiel Kr3.336 (her II), * 8 Feb. 1878 in SD., † 10 Apr. 1892 in FMPPr., + 22 May 1925 of cancer in her home at Arlington, KS., ¶ 24 May in CePp. Peter immigrated with his parents to America in 1874 and settled in SD. In c.1884 he

moved to PPr., KS. In 1928 he joined ArMC. and left in 1936 apparently to rejoin FMPPr. After the death of Freni, Peter lived with his children. (see also Kr3.336-under Kr2.33)

Gr3.823 Johann {John} J "Spitzberg" Graber, * 29 May 1848 in Wald., Rus., † 24 Nov. 1865 in Wald., + 4:00pm 20 Oct. 1895 at Mdge., KS., ¶ 22 Oct. in CeFc., ∞ 8 Oct. 1872 Freni Stucky St4.623a, * 13 Aug. 1854, † 5 Apr. 1870 in Kutu., + 9 Sep. 1898, ¶ in CePp. Johann and Freni lived in Wald., Rus. and immigrated to America in 1874 settling in Hutch. Co., SD. In about 1883 they moved to Mdge., KS. and in 1885 joined FMCC. In 1895 Johann was in the process of moving to PPr., KS. and had transferred several loads of their personal goods to PPr. He brought a load of wheat from his farm to Mdge. when he died on the return trip to his home. Freni apparently completed the move to PPr. as she died 3 years later and is buried in CePp. Johann and Jacob Gr3.822 are twins. (see also St4.623a)

Children:

Gr4.8232 Maria {Marie} Graber, * 6 Feb. 1875 in Hutch. Co., SD., † 25 May 1890 in FMCC., + 29 Apr. 1893 at Mdge., KS., ¶ in CeFc.

Gr4.8234 Katharina Graber, * 6 July 1878 in Hutch. Co., SD., † 26 May 1895 in FMCC., + 3 Oct. 1897, ¶ in CePp.

Gr4.8235 Anna P Graber, * 9 June 1880 at Free., SD., † 24 May 1896 in FMCC., + 19 Aug. 1953, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 23 Nov. 1897 Andreas {Andrew} P Gering {Goering} Ge3.8a2 in FMPPr., * 18 May 1875 in Turner Co., SD., † 8 Apr. 1891 in FMPPr., + 29 July 1926 in a Wichita, KS. hospital, ¶ 1 Aug. in CePp. Anna moved with her parents from SD. to Mdge., KS. in 1883. She and Andreas lived at PPr., KS. and were members of FMPPr. He was a farmer. (see also Ge3.8a2-under Ge2.8a)

Gr4.8236 Regina Graber, * 28 Sep. 1882 in Hutch. Co., SD., † 10 Apr. 1898 in FMCC., + May 1952, ∞ 14 Mar. 1902 Felix (Fillip) J Graber Gr4.7714, * 30 Jan. 1880 in McPh. Co., KS., † 18 Apr. 1897 in FMCC., + Aug. 1963. Regina moved with her parents from SD. to KS. in c.1883 and lived at Mdge., KS. She joined FMCC. in 1898. It is not known where she and Felix lived the latter part of their lives although her death is reported in FcBo.

Gr3.841 Joseph C "Hupser" Graber, * 24 Mar. 1857, † spring 1873 by Elder Johann Schrag, + 6:15am 28 Jan. 1941 in a hospital at Hutch, KS. of influenza, ¶ in CePp., ∞ (I) 22 Oct. 1880 Anna Graber Gr4.5611 in Marion, SD., * 28 May 1862, + evening 28 Aug. 1930 at PPr., KS. of a heart attack, ¶ in CePp., ∞ (II) 9 Oct. 1933 Lucy Hensley Sharp (her II) in PPr., KS. In his youth, Joseph worked in a brick factory 5 miles from his home in Wald., Rus. and immigrated with his parents in 1874 to Yank., SD. Joseph and Anna lived near Yank. until 1885 when they moved to PPr., KS. (see also Gr4.5611)

Child:

Gr4.8414 Heinrich {Henry} C Graber, * 3 Aug. 1884, † 8 Apr. 1900 in FMPPr., + 26 Aug. 1934, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 23 Nov. 1903 Karolina {Carolina} "Carrie" Krehbiel Kr3.33b, * 5 Feb. 1887, + 10 Dec. 1970, ¶ in CePp. (see also Kr3.33b-under Kr2.33)

Gr3.842 Jacob K "Kernele" Graber, * 26 Sep. 1860, † 18 May 1878 in SaZi., + 12:45am 8 June 1942 at PPr., KS. of a heart attack, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 11 Oct. 1883 Maria {Mary} Graber Gr4.5612 at Marion, SD., * 22 Apr. 1863 in Wald., Rus., † in SaZi. by Elder Johann Schrag, + 17 Apr. 1941 St. Elizabeth Hospital in Hutch., KS. of diabetes, ¶ in CePp. At the young age of 8, Jacob began work with his brother Joseph Gr3.841 at a brick factory 5 miles from his home in Wald., Rus. Jacob immigrated with his parents to Yank., SD. in 1874. Here he was a hand laborer, livery stable operator, and section hand on the railroad and from the latter work sustained a permanent physical handicap as the result of an accident. In Mar. 1884 Jacob and Maria moved to PPr., KS. (9 miles east of town) and after several years moved to 4 miles east of PPr. They were charter members of FMPPr. (see also Gr4.5612)

Gr3.845 Elisabeth "Lizzie" Graber, * 18 Aug. 1868, † 2 Apr. 1882 in SaZi., + 6 Oct. 1888 at PPr., KS., ∞ 17 Feb. 1885 Johann "Hans" Sehner Se2.1b (his I), * 15 Apr. 1863 in Horo., Rus., † 21 Mar. 1880 in SaZi., + 22 June 1940 in his son John's home in King., KS., ¶ in CeKi. (see also Se2.1b)

Gr4.5111 Johann {John} G "Hans" (or) "Large" Graber, * 11 Feb. 1845 in Horo., Rus., ✕ 27 Mar. 1860 in Horo., + 28 Apr. 1917 in his home probably as a result of a horse's kick, ¶ 1 May in CePp., ∞ 12 Nov. 1865 Maria {Mary} G Sutter Su3.235, * 13 Feb. 1846 in Edu., Rus., ✕ 5 Apr. 1859 in Edu., + noon 19 Feb. 1926 in the home of her son Jacob G Graber at PPr., KS., ¶ in CePp. Johann and Maria immigrated to America in 1874 and settled in SD. In 1887 they moved from SD. to PPr., KS. Johann was ordained minister 1 Nov. 1887 in FMPPr. and served until 1917. (see also Su3.235)

Child:

Gr5.51113 Jacob G Graber, * 17 Sep. 1882 in Turner Co., SD., ✕ 10 Apr. 1898 in FMPPr., + 9 Oct. 1959, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 16 Oct. 1902 Freni {Frances} G Graber Gr4.8521, * 20 Sep. 1881 at Marion, SD., + 28 Mar. 1950, ¶ in CePp. Jacob moved with his parents from SD. to PPr., KS. in 1887. He and Freni lived at PPr., KS. where he farmed. They were members of FMPPr. (see also Gr4.8521)

Gr4.5121 Peter R Graber, * 12 May 1862 in Horo., Rus., ✕ 1872 in Rus., + 5 July 1934 in PPr., KS., ¶ in CeLs., ∞ 7 Dec. 1890 Anna Welty in Mdge., KS., * 12 June 1862, + 23 June 1929, ¶ in CeLs. Peter immigrated to America with his parents in 1874 and settled near Free., SD. After the marriage he and Anna lived at Hillsboro, OR. and moved in 1901 to Ritzville, WA. In 1906 they moved to PPr., KS. where they lived the remainder of their lives. Funeral services were held in the Methodist Church in PPr., KS.

Gr4.5444 Maria Graber, * 13 Aug. 1867 in Wald., Rus., ✕ 2 Apr. 1882 in SaZi., + 2 June 1944 of a stroke, ¶ in CeHf., ∞ 17 Jan. 1884 Jacob C Gering {Gehring} Ge3.881, * 20 Oct. 1860 in Horo., Rus., ✕ 2 Apr. 1876 in Hoff., + 2:30pm 12 Feb. 1927, ¶ 15 Feb. in CeHf. At age 7 Maria came to America in 1874 and settled near Free., SD. with her parents. After her marriage Maria moved to KS. where they had their home 5 ½ miles southwest of Mdge. and had church membership in Hoff. When Eden. was formed they transferred to that church. Maria spent the last 11 years of her life living with her children.

Gr4.5611 Anna Graber, * 28 May 1862 in Wald., Rus., + evening 28 Aug. 1930 of a heart attack at PPr., KS., ¶ in CePp., ∞ 22 Oct. 1880 Joseph C "Hupser" Graber Gr3.841 in Marion, SD. (his I), * 24 Mar. 1857, ✕ spring 1873 by Elder Johann Schrag, + 6:125am 28 Jan. 1941 at PPr., KS., ¶ in CePp. Anna and Joseph lived first at Free., SD. and moved in 1884 to PPr., KS. (see also Gr3.841)

Gr4.5612 Maria {Mary} Graber, * 22 Apr. 1863 in Wald., Rus., ✕ in SaZi. by Elder Johann Schrag, + 17 Apr. 1941 in St. Elizabeth Hospital in Hutch, KS. of diabetes, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 11 Oct. 1883 Jacob K "Kernele" Graber Gr3.842 at Marion, SD., * 26 Sep. 1860, ✕ 18 May 1878 in SaZi., + 12:45am 8 June 1942 at PPr., KS. of a heart attack, ¶ in CePp. Maria immigrated with her parents to Marion, SD. She and Jacob lived at Marion for 1 year and in 1884 they moved to 9 miles east of PPr., KS. and were charter members of FMPPr. After several years they moved to 4 miles east of PPr. (see also Gr3.842)

Gr4.5632 Anna C "Christaloe" Graber, * 29 Dec. 1867, ✕ 2 Apr. 1882 in SaZi., + 15 May 1895, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 31 Aug. 1886 Joseph P "Petruich" (or) "Ries Joe" Graber Gr4.6227 (his II) at PPr., KS., * 17 May 1861 in Kutu., Rus., ✕ 31 Oct. 1880 in Hoff., + 8:00pm 22 Nov. 1937 in the home of his son Ben in Arkansas City, KS. of a stroke. Anna and Joseph lived at PPr., KS. where he farmed.

Gr4.5692 Benjamin P "Ben" Graber, * 7 Feb. 1884, + Feb. 1969, ∞ 22 Oct. 1911 Marie Unruh Ur1.2 at PPr., KS., * 10 Mar. 1891 at Mdge., KS., ✕ 20 Oct. 1906 in FMPPr. Benjamin and Maria lived at PPr., KS. and transferred membership to the Methodist Church.

Gr4.56c1 Anna J Graber, * 1 Apr. 1889 at Marion, SD., ✕ 29 June 1906, + 12 Jan. 1976, ¶ in CeEd., ∞ 24 Feb. 1910 Jacob M Gering {Goering} Ge5.31413, * 19 June 1885 in Harvey Co., KS., ✕ 21 Sep. 1902 in Hoff., + 6 July 1954, ¶ in CeEd. Anna and Jacob lived at Galva, KS. where he farmed. They joined Eden. in 1933.

Gr4.6213 Karolina "Carrie" Graber, * 12 Sep. 1862 in Horo., Rus., ✕ 6 Apr. 1869 in SaZi., + 8 Mar. 1939, ∞ 27 Dec. 1882 Peter "Pete" Sehner {Saner} Se2.1a, * 23 Jan. 1858 in Horo., Rus., ✕ Apr. 1873 by Johann Schrag, + 18 Jan. 1933 in the home of his daughter Bertha in Monroe, WA., ¶ 21 Jan. in CeMn. Karolina and Peter moved from SD. to McPh. Co., KS., then to PPr., KS. In 1911 they moved to Monroe, WA. and joined FMMo. in 1918, the year it was founded. (see also Se2.1a)

Gr4.7815 Regina Graber, * 18 Sep. 1884, ✕ 2 Aug. 1896 in FMPPr., + 17 May 1966, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 29 Oct. 1901 Johann {John} J Krehbiel Kr3.338, * 18 Mar. 1881, + 9 Nov. 1955, ¶ in CePp. Regina's father died 2 days after her birth. Apparently she moved to KS. sometime without her mother or siblings as she was baptized in FMPPr in 1896. She was married there in 1901 while her mother remarried in SD. and remained there. (see also Kr3.338-under Kr2.33)

Gr4.8214 Anna P Graber, * 17 Oct. 1881 at Free., SD., ✕ 13 Sep. 1896 in SaZi., + 30 June 1973, ¶ in CeEd., ∞ 24 Mar. 1901 Christian J Gering Ge3.847 in SaZi., * 16 Mar. 1869 in Kutu., Rus., ✕ 30 Dec. 1883 in Hoff., + 11 Dec. 1954 in the Bethel Hospital, Newton, KS., ¶ in CeEd. Anna was from SD. and moved to Mdge., KS. after her marriage. They were members of Eden. where Christian served as minister from 1895 to 1902 and elder from 1902 to 1937. In 1936 at his retirement they moved into Mdge.

Gr4.8521 Freni {Frances} G Graber, * 20 Sep. 1881 at Marion, SD., + 28 Mar. 1950, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 16 Oct. 1902 Jacob G Graber Gr5.51113, * 17 Sep. 1882 in Turner Co., SD., ✕ 10 Apr. 1898 in FMPPr., + 9 Oct. 1959, ¶ in CePp. Freni and Jacob lived at PPr., KS. and were members of FMPPr. He was a farmer. (see also Gr5.51113-under Gr4.5111)

Gr4.852a Elsie Graber, * 30 Nov. 1900 at Marion, SD., + 5 Nov. 1996, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 10 June 1923 Joseph M "Joe" Graber Gr4.842a, * 6 May 1897 at PPr., KS., + 14 Jan. 1957, ¶ in CePp. Elsie and Joseph lived at PPr., KS. and were members of FMPPr. He was a farmer. At the time of her death Elsie was living at Springfield, MO.

Gr4.8591 Amelia {Amelie} Graber, * 11 Feb. 1894 in Turner Co., SD., ✕ 3 July 1910, + 15 July 1978, ¶ in CeEd., ∞ 9 Oct. 1913 Wesley Carl Juhnke Ju1.6 in SaZi., * 13 Jan. 1891 in McPh. Co., KS., ✕ 23 May 1909 in Hoff., + 30 Dec. 1957, ¶ in CeEd. Amelia and Wesley lived at McPh. Co., KS. and were members of Eden. which they joined in 1926. He was a farmer.

Gr4.8592 Anna Graber, * 11 Apr. 1896 in SD., + 3 Mar. 1987, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 11 Oct. 1915 Jonathan H "Jonas" Schwartz Sw3.17b at Marion, SD., * 16 Jan. 1892 at PPr., KS., + 29 Mar. 1973, ¶ in CePp. At the time of their marriage, Anna was from Marion, SD. and Jonathan from PPr., KS. They lived at PPr., KS. and were members of FMPPr.

Ka3.232 Peter P "Didy Heg" Kaufman [formerly Ka3.332], * 23 Aug. 1823, ✕ 7 Apr. 1840 in Horo., + 23 Dec. 1887 at Mdge., KS., ¶ in CeHf., ∞ (I) 5 Jan. 1843 Maria Stucky St3.643, ✕ 1 Jan. 1843 in Horo., + 1 Nov. 1861, ∞ (II) 2 Feb. 1864 Maria Waltner Wa2.2a, * 14 May 1845, + 5 Jan. 1893, ¶ in CeHf. Peter and Maria Waltner immigrated to America in 1874 and settled near Free., SD. They moved in 1884 from Yank., SD. to Mdge., KS. (see also Wa2.2a)

Children:

Ka4.2328 Karolina {Caroline} Kaufman [formerly Ka4.3328], * 18 Nov. 1868, ✕ Palm Sunday 1884 in SaZi. by Christian Kaufman, + morning 2 Oct. 1942 in her home, ¶ 5 Oct. in CeKi., ∞ 4 Mar. 1886 Christian J Voran Vn3.532, * 4 Mar. 1866 in Kutu., ✕ 30 Dec. 1883 in Hoff., + 20 July 1946 in Kingman, KS. Memorial Hospital of pneumonia, ¶ in CeKi. Karolina immigrated to America with her parents and grew up at Yank., SD. She moved with her parents to Mdge., Kan in 1884. Christian Voran was called to the ministry in Hoff. in 1895. They lived at Mdge., KS. until 1907 when they moved to King., KS. where they lived on a farm 10 miles southeast of King. They were

instrumental in the organization of BethKi. and Min. Voran served the church until he retired c.1925.

Ka4.2329 Magdalena "Helena" Kaufman [formerly Ka4.3329], * 21 Nov. 1870 in Rovno, Rus., † 21 Nov. 1886 in Hoff., + 8 Nov. 1947 in Mercy Hospital in Mdge., KS. of pneumonia, ¶ in CeHf., ∞ 13 Jan. 1889 Jacob H Stucky St4.628d, * 14 May 1870, † 21 Nov. 1886 in Hoff., + 27 June 1955 in McPh., KS., ¶ in CeHf. Magdalena immigrated with her parents to America in 1874 and settled near Free., SD. In 1884 they moved to KS. Jacob was a merchant, then a farmer, then a merchant and a postmaster at Elyria, KS. They lived at Mdge., KS., Macksville, KS., and back to Mdge., KS., then Strawford, Montana, then in 1922 to Monroe, WA. where they transferred church membership from Hoff. to FMMo. In 1927 they moved back to Elyria, KS.

Ka4.232a Jacob P Kaufman [formerly Ka4.332a], * 27 Feb. 1873 in Wald., Rus., † 27 Oct. 1889 in Hoff., + 17 July 1966 in Mercy Hospital, Mdge., KS., ¶ in CeHf., ∞ 5 Sep. 1895 Anna Gering Ge5.31121, * 23 Mar. 1877, † 4 Oct. 1891 in Hoff., + 5 Apr. 1959, ¶ in CeHf. Jacob lived his early years in SD. and went to Mdge., KS. in 1884 and shortly thereafter moved to a farm 6 miles east of McPh., KS. Jacob and Anna retired in 1944 and moved into McPh. KS.

Ka4.232b Amelia {Emilia} Kaufman, * 16 Feb. 1875 at Free., SD., † 27 Oct. 1889 in Hoff., + 10:00am 23 Oct. 1931 of a heart attack, ¶ in CePp., ∞ (I) 8 June 1897 Peter Voran Vn3.537 in Hoff., * 12 Oct. 1874, † 4 Oct. 1891 in Hoff., + 22 Sep. 1905, ∞ (II) 11 Feb. 1909 Joseph K "Joe" Prieheim {Preheim} Pr2.48 (his II) in BethKi., * 28 July 1874, † 8 Apr. 1891 in FMPPr., + 9:30pm 13 June 1954, ¶ in CePp. As a youth Amelia lived in Childstown Twp., Turner Co., SD. and moved to Mdge., KS. with her parents in 1884. After their marriage, Peter and Amelia lived at Mdge., KS. until 1902 when they moved to Belpre, Edwards Co., KS. where he farmed. Amelia was left with 3 sons (ages 8, 3 and 1) when her husband Peter died in 1905. In 1906 she moved to King. Co., KS. where she married for a second time. Emilia and Joseph lived at King, KS. and were members of BethKi. for 3 years after their marriage until 1912 when they moved to PPr., KS. and transferred church membership to FMPPr. (see also Pr2.48-under Pr1.4)

Ka4.232e Anna Kaufman, * 23 Dec. 1883 at Free., SD., † 5 Sep. 1897 in Hoff., + 6 Jan. 1953 at PPr., KS., ¶ in CePp., ∞ 18 Nov. 1904 Andreas {Andrew} H Schrag Sg4.7547 at Mdge., KS., * 22 June 1884 at Mdge., KS., † 8 Apr. 1900 in FMPPr., + 15 Jan. 1941 of cancer at the Halstead Hospital, KS., ¶ in CePp. Anna was 1 year old when her parents moved to KS. She was 4 when her father died and 10 when her mother died. She lived with siblings until her marriage. She and Andreas lived at PPr., KS. where they were members of FMPPr. He was a farmer.

Ka3.234 Jacob P Kaufman [formerly Ka3.334], * 8:00pm 19 Feb. 1830 in Mdorf., WGa., Rus., + 6 Dec. 1880, ∞ 1 May 1849 Magdalena Riess Rs2.24, * 5 Apr. 1832, † 1846, + 1 Oct. 1916 in the home of her son J. J Kaufman at Worth, CA. Jacob is not on the ship lists (SIHo #185-190, HaDa 18 or WaGa #968-973) with his wife and children. Nevertheless, they immigrated to America in 1874 and settled at Free., SD. They then moved to KS. in 1878. In ChBo 19-10-16 it is stated that they moved to PPr., KS. in 1878. That is unlikely as there was no Mennonite settlement at PPr., until 1883. It is more likely that Jacob died at Mdge. His burial site could not be found. (see also Rs2.24)

Children:

Ka4.2345 Peter Kaufman [formerly Ka4.3345], * 15 Dec. 1861, + 28 Mar. 1899, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 15 June 1884 Elisabeth Graber Gr3.776 (her I), * 12 Nov. 1862, † 2 Apr. 1876 in Hoff., + 9:45am 27 Jan. 1948 in King., KS. Memorial Hospital. Peter immigrated to America in 1874 and settled in SD. He moved to KS. in 1884 where he met and married Elisabeth. They lived at PPr., KS.

Ka4.2347 Joseph J Kaufman [formerly Ka4.3347], * 18 Dec. 1869, † 15 July 1883 in SaZi., + 25 Jan. 1954 of a heart attack, ∞ 22 May 1904 Helena "Lena" Voth Vc1.6, * 16 Mar. 1885, † 8 Oct. 1899 in Eden., + 20 May 1989. Joseph moved with his parents from SD. to PPr., KS. in 1878. In 1914 Joseph and Helen moved to Porterville, CA. where he planted and farmed an orange grove. When the Mennonite Church there was abandoned they joined the Evangelical Church.

Ka4.2349 Karolina {Caroline} Kaufman, * 6 Oct., 1869, † 19 Dec. 1886 in FMPPr. Karolina remained single. She lived in Porterville, CA. There is some confusion with the birth date of Karolina. In GrAr 241 her birth is listed as 6 Oct. 1869 (the same as Katharina Ka4.2348 [formerly Ka4.3348]). It is

presumed in this study that Karolina and Katharina Ka4.2348 are twins. It is likely that Jacob P Kaufman and Magdalena Riess (Karolina's parents) moved from Kutu., Rus. to Horo., Rus. in the early 1870s which may make the family register in EdKu incomplete or inaccurate and may explain why Karolina is omitted in EdKu. The family register is in EdKu. but the family immigrated to America with the Horo. Congregation. The ship list gives the age of Karolina as 2 in 1874. If true she is about the same age as her brother Ka4.234a [formerly Ka4.334a] whose birth is recorded in EdKu 74.

Ka4.234b Elisabeth Kaufman [formerly Ka4.334a], * 7 Jan. 1875 in Hutch. Co., SD., † 1 Sep. 1889 in FMPPr., ∞ Heinrich {Henry} J Voth Vc1.1, * 14 Sep. 1878. Elisabeth and Heinrich lived at Castleton, KS.

Ka4.2122 Freni Kaufman [formerly Ka4.3122], * 26 Jan. 1841 in Horo., Rus., † 22 Apr. 1856 in Edu., + 19 Nov. 1925 in the home of her son at PPr., KS., ¶ 21 Nov. in CePp., ∞ 25 Dec. 1859 Daniel Krehbiel Kr2.36 [formerly Kr2.34], * 15 Jan. 1838, † 5 Apr. 1853 in Edu., + 28 Aug. 1902 at PPr., KS., ¶ 30 Aug. in CePp. Freni and Daniel Krehbiel immigrated to America in 1874 and settled near Marion, SD. In 1885 they moved to 7 miles east of PPr, KS. where they spent the rest of their lives. (see also Kr2.36)

Ka4.2321 Maria {Marie} Kaufman [formerly Ka4.3321], * 27 June 1844, † 17 May 1862 in Kutu., + 5 Nov. 1899 at Mdge., KS., ¶ 6 Nov. in CeHf., ∞ before 1874 Jacob D Schrag Sg2.85 (his II), * 8 Oct. 1818, + 27 Nov. 1895 at Free., SD. Maria and Jacob immigrated to America in 1874 and settled in SD. After the death of Jacob, Maria moved to Mdge., KS. where she lived with her sister Katharina Kaufman Sehner Ka4.2327 [formerly Ka4.3327]. After the Sehner's left Mdge., KS., she lived with her sister Barbara Kaufman Strauss Ka4.2322 [formerly Ka4.3322].

Ka4.2322 Barbara Kaufman [formerly Ka4.3322], * 12 July 1846 in Wald., Rus., † in Wald. by Elder Johann Schrag, + 19 June 1930 at Mdge., KS. of paralysis, ¶ in CeHf., ∞ (I) 7 Nov. 1869 Jacob A (or) P Kaufman Ka4.2115 [formerly Ka4.3115], * 19 Jan. 1848, † 24 Mar. 1863 in Horo., + 1876 in SD., ¶ in CeSz., ∞ (II) 14 May 1886 Jacob Strauss Ss2.13 (his II), * 7 Jan. 1838 in Horo., Rus., † 12 Apr. 1853 in Horo., + evening 13 Aug. 1914 in Halstead Hospital, KS. of acute obstruction of the bowels, ¶ in CeHf. Several years after they married in Wald., Rus. Barbara and Jacob Kaufman moved to Horo., Rus. After the emigration to America in 1874 they lived at Free., SD. In 1884 (after her first husband Jacob Kaufman died) Barbara Kaufman and her son moved from SD. to KS. where she lived with her sister Elisabeth Stucky Ka4.2324 [formerly Ka4.3324] until her second marriage. Barbara and Jacob Strauss lived at Mdge., KS.

Child of Barbara and Jacob Kaufman Ka4.2115 [formerly Ka4.3115]:

Ka5.21151 Peter J "Piepser" Kaufman [formerly Ka5.31152], * 27 Feb. 1871, † 21 Nov. 1886 in Hoff., + 20 Mar. 1948 in Newton, KS. of abdominal hemorrhage, ¶ in CeEd., ∞ (I) 25 Apr. 1893 Anna Stucky St5.62832 in Hoff., * 18 Nov. 1875, † 27 Oct. 1889 in Hoff., + 13 July 1894 of consumption, ∞ (II) 23 Aug. 1895 Anna Gering {Goering} Ge3.849 in Hoff., * 12 Jan. 1877, + 27 Apr. 1955, ¶ in CeEd. Peter came to America in 1874 and settled in SD. with his parents. In 1884 he moved with his mother to Mdge., KS. He transferred membership from Hoff. to Eden. after the latter was organized. Peter Kaufman was a farmer until his retirement in 1934 when Peter and wife Anna Gering moved to Mdge., KS.

Ka4.2327 Katharina Kaufman [formerly Ka4.3327], * 29 Aug. 1858, + 6 Apr. 1913, ∞ 28 Dec. 1882 Christian Sehner Se2.4c, * 13 Dec. 1860, † 6 Apr. 1879 in SaZi., + 7 Aug. 1951. Christian and Katharina moved from SD. to KS. He was a school teacher and a drayman. They lived at Mdge., KS. for some years on a farm and then in town. They then moved to MT. where some children married. They moved to MD. for a short time and then to WA. Katharina may have died before the move to WA. as she is not listed in MnBo. as a church member. (see also Se2.4c)

Ka5.21121 Peter C Kaufman [formerly Ka5.31121], * 4 Nov. 1861 in Horo., Rus., † 1876 by Elder Johann Schrag in SD., + morning 27 Sep. 1937 in the Anthony, KS. Hospital of kidney trouble, ¶ in CeKi., ∞ 28 Oct. 1879 Freni "Fannie" Stucky St4.642d, * 28 Aug. 1863 in Horo., Rus., † 1876 by Elder Johann Schrag in SD., + 21 Oct. 1949 at Burrton, KS., ¶ in CeKi. Peter and Freni moved from Free.,

SD. to McPh. Co., KS in 1884 and then moved to PPr., KS. In 1902 they moved to Murdock, KS. and were charter members of BethKi. (see also St4.642d)

Children:

Ka6.211211 Johann {John} J Kaufman, * 22 May 1881 in Turner Co., SD., ✕ 10 Apr. 1898 in FMPPr., + 12 Sep. 1962, ¶ in CeEd., ∞ 19 Aug. 1909 Anna Ratzlaff [Rb1.2] in Eden., * 26 Feb. 1885 in McPh. Co., KS., ✕ 8 Oct. 1899 in Eden., + 1 Dec. 1980, ¶ in CeEd. Johann was 3 years old when his parents moved from SD. to Mdge., KS. and then to PPr., KS. He was a member of BethKi. and Anna of Eden. at the time of their marriage. They lived at Mdge., KS. and were members of Eden.

Ka6.211212 Jacob A Kaufman, * 23 Feb. 1883 in SD., ✕ 10 Apr. 1898 in FMPPr., + 20 Mar. 1970, ¶ in CeKi., ∞ 24 Sep. 1911 Maria {Mary} J Flickinger Fr3.a73 in Eden., * 27 Nov. 1886, + 18 Dec. 1974, ¶ in CeKi. Jacob moved with his parents from SD. to Mdge., KS. in 1884 when he was age 1. They later moved to PPr., KS. and he apparently moved with them to Murdock, KS. in 1902. He and Maria lived at King, KS. toward the end of their lives.

Ka5.21148 Julius J Kaufman (see under Sg3.745)

Ka5.21148 Jonathan Kaufman (see under Sg3.745)

Ka5.21149 Emma Kaufman (see under Sg3.745)

Ka5.2114a Anna Kaufman (see under Sg3.745)

Ka5.21151 (see under Ka4.2322)

Ka5.23431 Anna Kaufman, * 25 Dec. 1882 at Free. SD., ✕ 13 Sep. 1896 in SaZi., ∞ 15 Feb. 1900 Benjamin W "Ben" Gering {Goering} Ge4.3147 at Free., SD., * 27 Aug. 1875 at Halstead, KS., ✕ 4 Oct. 1891 in Hoff., + 1950. Anna grew up in SD. and married Benjamin from Mdge., KS. Anna and Benjamin lived in PPr., KS. and were members of Church of the Nazarene, King., KS. He was a farmer.

Ka5.23432 Joseph J Kaufman, * 13 Sep. 1883, + 1976, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 15 Oct. 1907 Frances Graber Gr4.8423 at PPr., KS., * 7 Apr. 1886, + 29 Jan. 1962, ¶ in CePp. At the time of their marriage Joseph was from SD. and Frances from PPr., KS. They lived at PPr., KS.

Ka5.24232 Carl {Charles} J Kaufman {Kauffman}, * 6 May 1882, + 29 Dec. 1961 of heart failure in his home in North Newton, KS., ∞ 24 Sep. 1908 Freni "Fanny" Schrag Sg5.74222 (her I), * 11 Apr. 1892. As a boy Karl grew interested in taxidermy. He attended Dakota Wesleyan U. and taught school near Free., SD. He moved to Menno, WA. where he taught at a school in MeMC. Here he met Freni and they were married and returned to SD. He began a collection of museum artifacts and then was invited to move his collection to Bethel College, North Newton, KS. where the Kauffman Museum was established in 1941 with Carl as curator. After his death Freni continued as curator of the Museum until her second marriage. (see also Sg5.74222)

Ka5.24237 Maria {Mary} J Kaufman, * 18 Jan. 1892 at Marion, SD., ✕ 25 July 1909, + 12 Sep. 1976, ¶ in CeEd., ∞ 6 Oct. 1911 Heinrich {Henry} J Gering {Goering} Ge4.8436 at Marion, SD., * 31 Jan. 1890 in McPh. Co., KS., ✕ 1 Jan. 1907 in Eden., + 13 Apr. 1988, ¶ in CeEd. At the time of their marriage Maria was from Marion, SD. and Heinrich was from Mdge., KS. They lived at Mdge. and were members of Eden. He was a farmer and carpenter. They joined Bethel College Church in 1948.

Kr2.33 Jacob Krehbiel, * 1828, ✕ 9 Mar. 1847 in Edu., + 15 May 1894 of encephalitis in his home at PPr., KS., ¶ in CePp., ∞ (I) 2 Oct. 1855 Barbara Schwartz Sw2.16, + 31 Dec. 1858, ∞ (II) 1 Feb. 1859 Anna Harms Gering Ha0 (her II), daughter of Peter H and Anna Harms, * 12 Dec. 1817 in Michalin, Kiev, Rus., ∞ (III) 6 June 1874 Freni {Verona} "Fannie" Graber Gr3.575, * 29 Oct. 1848 in Horo., Rus., ✕ 24 Mar. 1863 in Horo., + 10 July 1922 of a stroke, ¶ 12 July in CePp. Jacob and Freni Graber immigrated to America in 1874 settling in SD. They moved from SD. to PPr., KS. in 1884 where they established a

home 3 miles east of town. (see also Gr3.575)

Children:

Kr3.334 Peter J Krehbiel, * 22 Feb. 1875 in SD., ✕ 8 Apr. 1891 in FMPPr., + 7 Mar. 1958, ¶ in CePp., ∞ (I) 23 Nov. 1897 Elisabeth B "Lizzie" Graber Gr4.5617 in FMPPr., * 18 Nov. 1878 at Marion, SD., ✕ 10 Apr. 1892 in FMPPr., + 29 Apr. 1904 in child bed at PPr., KS., ¶ in CePp., ∞ (II) 6 June 1905 Rosa "Rosie" Graber Gr4.7752 in FMPPr., * 21 Jan. 1887 in KS., ✕ 27 Apr. 1902 in FMPPr., + 29 Feb. 1972, ¶ in CePp. Peter moved with his parents from SD. to KS. when he was 9 years old. He and Elisabeth lived at PPr. and were members of FMPPr. He was a farmer. (see also Gr4.5617-under Gr3.561)

Kr3.335 Jacob Krehbiel, * 7 Aug. 1876, ✕ 8 Apr. 1891 in FMPPr., + 14 Apr. 1894 at PPr., KS., ¶ 16 Apr. in CePp. Jacob moved from SD. to KS. when he was 8 and settled with them at PPr., KS.

Kr3.336 Freni "Fannie" Krehbiel, * 8 Feb. 1878 in SD., ✕ 10 Apr. 1892 in FMPPr., + 22 May 1925 of cancer in her home at Arlington, KS., ¶ 24 May in CePp., ∞ 26 Sep. 1896 Peter D "Miller" Graber Gr3.775, * 9 Apr. 1858 in Wald., Rus., ✕ 1873 in Rus., + morning 13 June 1937 in Grace Hospital, Hutch., KS., ¶ in CePp. Freni moved with her parents (when she was 5) to PPr., KS. She and Peter lived at PPr. until 1928 when they moved to Arlington, KS. and joined ArMC. (see also Gr3.775)

Kr3.337 Elisabeth "Lizzie" Krehbiel, * 15 Nov. 1879, ✕ 2 Aug. 1896 in FMPPr., + 1963, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 24 Nov. 1898 Peter B Kopper Kp1.1, * 2 Oct. 1880, ✕ 28 Sep. 1894 in FMPPr., + 30 June 1952, ¶ in CePp. Elizabeth moved from SD. to Kansas when she was age 5. She and Peter lived at PPr., KS. and were members of FMPPr.

Kr3.338 Johann {John} J Krehbiel, * 18 Mar. 1881, ✕ 2 Aug. 1896 in FMPPr., + 9 Nov. 1955, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 29 Oct. 1901 Regina Graber Gr4.7815, * 18 Sep. 1884, ✕ 2 Aug. 1896 in FMPPr., + 17 May 1966, ¶ in CePp. Johann moved to PPr., KS. from SD. with his parents when he was 3 years old. He and Regina lived at PPr. and were members of FMPPr.

Kr3.339 Jonathan O "Jonas" Krehbiel, * 20 Dec. 1882, ✕ 10 Apr. 1898 in FMPPr., + 1 Dec. 1947 at PPr., KS., ¶ in CePp., ∞ 10 Apr. 1902 Maria {Mary} J Schrag Sg4.7545 at PPr., KS., * 3 Mar. 1880 at Mdge., KS., + 3 Mar. 1970, ¶ in CePp. Jonathan and Maria lived 5 miles NE of PPr., KS. where he farmed. They were members of FMPPr. At the time of his retirement in 1936 they purchased a home and lived in PPr.

Kr2.36 Daniel Krehbiel [formerly Kr2.34], * 15 Jan. 1838, ✕ 5 Apr. 1853 in Edu., + 28 Aug. 1902 at PPr., KS., ¶ 30 Aug. in CePp., ∞ 25 Dec. 1859 Freni Kaufman Ka4.2122 [formerly Ka4.3122], * 26 Jan. 1841 in Horo., Rus., ✕ 22 Apr. 1856 in Edu., + 19 Nov. 1925 in the home of her son at PPr., KS., ¶ 21 Nov. in CePp. Daniel and Freni immigrated to America in 1874 and settled near Marion, SD. They moved from SD. to PPr., KS. in 1885 where they lived 7 miles east of town and were united with FMPPr. (see also Ka4.2122)

Children:

Kr3.362 Christian D Krehbiel, * 15 Feb. 1863 in Horo., Rus., ✕ 6 Apr. 1879 in SaZi., + 12:45am 20 June 1940 in his home of heart trouble, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 25 Nov. 1888 Freni C "Fannie" Krehbiel Kr3.328, * 17 July 1868, ✕ 30 Dec. 1883 in Hoff., + 21 July 1958 of a heart attack in Bethel Hospital, Newton, KS., ¶ in CePp. In 1874 Christian immigrated to America in 1874 and settled with his parents at Marion, SD. He went to McPh. Co., KS. in 1883 and was one of the three men who traveled to southern Reno Co., KS to select a living site in Albion Twp. He moved to PPr., KS in 1885 and assisted in organizing FMPPr.

Kr3.363 Johann {John} D Krehbiel [formerly Kr3.342], * 16 Nov. 1864 in Horo., Rus., ✕ 2 Apr. 1882 in SaZi., + 7:30pm 26 Sep. 1930 in his home northeast of PPr., KS. of cancer of the stomach, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 12 Apr. 1894 Karolina Maria "Carrie" Krehbiel Kr4.2432, * 10 Mar. 1878 in KS., ✕ 4 Oct. 1891 in Hoff., + 1972, ¶ in CePp. Johann immigrated with his parents to SD. in 1874 where he spent his youth. He likely moved with his parents to PPr., KS. in 1885. At the time of their marriage he was a member of FMPPr. and Karolina a member of Hoff. They spent the rest of their lives at PPr., KS. where they were members of FMPPr.

Kr3.365 Peter D (or) J Krehbiel [formerly Kr3.345], * 12 May 1869, ✕ 1892 in FMPPr., + afternoon 29 May 1948 of a stroke, ¶ in CeLs., ∞ (I) 3 Jan. 1893 Maria L Siebert in PPr., KS., + 1902, ∞ (II)

5 Sep. 1906 Selma L Schmidt in Halstead, KS., * 1877, + 1961. Peter immigrated to America with his parents and settled in SD. In 1884 they moved to PPr., KS. Later Peter lived at Maize, KS for 13 years where he owned a telephone company. He owned other telephone companies in Scott City, Langdon, Cunningham and Bentley, KS. He was a member of the New Jerusalem Church in PPr., KS.

Kr3.366 Joseph W Krehbiel [formerly Kr3.346], * 9 May 1871, ✕ 1 Sep. 1889 in FMPPr., + 30 Jan. 1903 of tuberculosis at PPr., KS., ¶ 1 Feb. in CePp., ∞ 17 Jan. 1900 Karolina {Caroline} Waltner Wa4.2311, * 11 Oct. 1878, ✕ 4 Oct. 1891 in Hoff., + 26 Apr. 1905 of tuberculosis at PPr., KS., ¶ 27 Apr. in CePp. Joseph came to America in 1874 at age 13 and settled in Turner Co., SD. with his parents. In 1885 he moved to Reno Co., KS. Both he and Karolina had tuberculosis and their deaths left 2 young children to be raised as foster children.

Kr3.367 Jacob A Krehbiel [formerly Kr3.347], * 5 Feb. 1874, ✕ 1 Sep. 1889 in FMPPr., + 6:00am 10 Mar. 1928 in PPr., KS., ¶ in CeLs., ∞ 2 Feb. 1899 Anna M. Siebert, * 10 Mar. 1880, + Dec. 1966, ¶ in CeLs. Jacob settled in SD. as a child and moved with his parents to Reno Co., KS. in 1885 where he spent the rest of his life. Jacob and Anna were members of the Church of the New Jerusalem in PPr., KS.

Kr3.368 Daniel Edward Krehbiel, * 19 May 1876, 10 April 1891 in FMPPr., + Mar. 1964, ¶ in CeLs., ∞ 23 Mar. 1903 Lillian May "Lilly" Rogers, * 1 Jan. 1880, + 1964, ¶ in CeLs. Daniel and Lillian lived at PPr., KS. where he taught school. She was his pupil and after her graduation they married. He was put out of FMPPr. when he married Lillian (a non-Mennonite) and they joined the Church of the New Jerusalem in PPr., KS.

Kr3.369 Anna H Krehbiel, * 17 Aug. 1878, ✕ 10 Apr. 1892 in FMPPr., + 3 Apr. 1899 at PPr., KS., ¶ in CePp.

Kr3.36a Heinrich {Henry} D Krehbiel, * 7 Feb. 1881, ✕ 2 Aug. 1896 in FMPPr., + 12 Dec. 1956, ∞ 29 Oct. 1903 Karolina "Carrie" Schwartz Sw3.179 in FMPPr., * 8 Aug. 1884, ✕ 8 Apr. 1900 in FMPPr., + Dec. 1973. Heinrich and Karolina transferred church membership from FMPPr. to the church of the New Jerusalem in PPr., KS. They later moved to Liberal, KS. where he was in the postal service.

Kr3.333 Anna Krehbiel, * 3 Feb. 1861 in Potsche, Rus., ✕ by Elder Peter Kaufman in Rus., + morning 11 Aug. 1943, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 22 Oct. 1876 Jacob J Stucky St4.6443 in SD., * 13 July 1847, ✕ 24 Mar. 1863 in Horo., + 19 Sep. 1892 at PPr., KS., ¶ in CePp. In 1874 Anna immigrated to America with her father and step mother settling near Marion, SD. After marriage she and Jacob lived at Marion until 1884 when they moved to PPr., KS. settling 1 mile east of town. After the death of Jacob in 1892, Anna raised their 9 children by herself. (see also St4.6443)

Kr4.2438 Ida F Krehbiel, * 27 Jan. 1890 in McPh. Co., KS., ✕ 27 Mar. 1904 in FMPPr., + 20 Sep. 1973, ¶ in CePp., ∞ (I) 15 Sep. 1912 Peter J Albrecht Ac5.23356 at PPr., KS., * 31 Aug. 1878 in Turner Co., SD., + 18 Feb. 1933, ¶ in CeSz., ∞ (II) 26 Nov. 1946 Johann {John} D Stucky St5.62653 (his II), * 2 Sep. 1883 at Mdge., KS., ✕ 8 Oct. 1899 in Eden., + 5 Feb. 1960, ¶ in CeEd. Ida was born in McPh. Co., KS. and went to SD. after her marriage to Peter where they were members of SaZi. After Peter's death she returned to Mdge. and married Johann and they were members of Eden. They then moved to Hutchinson, KS. She apparently moved to PPr., KS. after the death of Johann.

Mr5.21139 Paulina {Pauline} Müller, * 13 June 1895 at Marion, SD., + Oct. 1983, ∞ 16 June 1918 Samuel J "Sam" Gering {Goering} Ge5.31416, * 17 May 1892 in McPh. Co., KS., + 11 May 1962. Paulina and Samuel moved to Newton, KS. where he was a minister.

Om3.341 Gottlieb K Ortmann [formerly Om3.131], * 19 Oct. 1862 in Adelhof, Prussia, ✕ 6 Apr. 1879 in SaZi, + 11 July 1927 of heart failure, ¶ at Marion, SD., ∞ (I) 30 Mar. 1880 Elisabeth {Elisabetha} Graber Gr3.851, * 17 Aug. 1856, ✕ 25 Mar. 1871 in Horo., + 10 Feb. 1885, ¶ in CeSz., ∞ (II) 4 Feb. 1886 Louisa C Ortmann Om3.443 [formerly Om3.213], * 7 Oct. 1866 in Adelhof, Prussia, ✕ 31 Oct. 1880 at Hoff., + 20 Jan. 1933 in the home of her son Peter, ¶ at Marion, SD. Gottlieb grew up in SD.

and (after Elisabeth died) he married Louisa who grew up at Mdge., KS. Gottlieb and Louisa apparently lived in KS. for some time after their marriage but after 1899 they moved to McCook Co., SD. where Gottlieb farmed.

Pr1.4 Karl Prieheim, * 30 Nov. 1828, ✕ 16 Dec. 1845 in Horo., + 7 Aug. 1914, ¶ 8 Aug. in CeKi., ∞ (I) 17 Oct. 1854 Katharina Graber Gr3.532, * 1 Dec. 1837, ✕ 23 Mar. 1852 in Horo., + fall 1874 in a prairie fire, ∞ (II) 12 Apr. 1880 Elisabeth "Lizzy" Schrag Graber Sehner Sg3.423 (her III), * 10 Oct. 1841, ✕ 22 Apr. 1856 in Edu., + 2 Apr. 1925 in the home of her child at King., KS., ¶ 5 Apr. in CeKi. Karl was lame in the same way as his mother. Karl and Katharina immigrated to America in 1874 and lived in SD. where Karl farmed. A prairie fire that same year burned their home killing Katharina and perhaps one child. In c.1885 Karl and Elisabeth moved to PPr., KS. and joined FMPPr. They moved to King., KS. in 1906 and joined BethKi. (see also Sg3.423) <[return](#)>

Children:

Pr2.47 Peter K Prieheim {Preheim}, * 29 Feb. 1868, ✕ 8 June 1884 in SaZi., + 4 June 1937 of a paralytic stroke while fishing at Zenda, KS., ¶ in CePp., ∞ 6 Oct. 1888 Anna Sehner {Saner} Se3.161, * 6 July 1868, ✕ 8 June 1884 in SaZi., + 19 Feb. 1929 of tuberculosis in the home of her daughter Mrs. Clayton Wagner at King., KS., ¶ in CePp. Peter immigrated to America in 1874 and settled at Yank., SD. with his parents. He moved to PPr., KS. in 1884. After their marriage they lived near the Ninnescah river east of town. In 1928 they moved to King., KS. (see also Se3.161-under Sg3.423)

Pr2.48 Joseph K "Joe" Prieheim {Preheim}, * 28 July 1874, ✕ 8 Apr. 1891 in FMPPr., + 9:30pm 13 June 1954, ¶ in CePp., ∞ (I) 11 Feb. 1909 Amelia {Emilia} Kaufman Voran Ka4.232b (her II) in BethKi., * 16 Feb. 1875 at Free., SD., ✕ 27 Oct. 1889 in Hoff., + 10:00am 23 Oct. 1931 of a heart attack, ¶ in CePp., ∞ (II) 22 Oct. 1935 Lillie Orillo Young Pounds Taft (her III), daughter of Dr. Burgess and Sylvia Young, * 4 Mar. 1872 near Stone Fort, IL., + morning 26 May 1943 in her home at PPr. KS., ¶ in CePp. Joseph lived with his parents in SD. until 1884 when they moved to PPr., KS. Joseph and Emilia lived at King., KS. for 3 years after their marriage until 1912 when they moved to PPr., KS. In 1953 Joseph moved into the Bethel Home, Newton, KS. (see also Ka4.232b-under Ka3.232)

Pr2.41 Maria {Mary} Prieheim, * 4 Nov. 1855, ✕ 25 Mar. 1871 in Horo., + 6 June 1937, ¶ in CeKi., ∞ 31 Jan. 1878 Peter J Stucky St4.642a, * 19 Apr. 1856, ✕ 25 Mar. 1871 in Horo., + 3:00pm 5 Nov. 1941 in the home of his daughter (Mrs. John Voth) at Murdock, KS., ¶ in CeKi. Maria and Peter were married in SD and moved to PPr., KS. in 1884 where they were charter members of FMPPr. They moved to a farm near King., KS. about 1911. (see also St4.642a)

Pr3.471 Jacob Peter "Jake" Prieheim {Preheim}, * 7 July 1884 in SD., ✕ 8 Apr. 1900 in FMPPr., + 7 Mar. 1973, ¶ in Reedley, CA. Ce., ∞ 25 May 1915 Lydia Elisabeth Stucky St5.62975 in the house of the bride at Eakly, OK., * 20 Mar. 1894, ✕ 6 Nov. 1911 in SpMC., + July 1987. Jacob went to Eakly, OK. to court and marry Lydia. They farmed near Castleton, KS.; then moved to Spivey, KS. where they were members of BethKi. In 1933 they sold their farm and moved to Reedley, CA. where they purchased a small farm and raised grapes, plums, peaches and alfalfa and where he was a rancher. They transferred church membership to FMRe.

Rs2.22 Elisabeth {Elisabet} Riess {Ries}, * 28 May 1829 in Rus., + 30 June 1908 at Mdge., KS., ¶ in CeHf., ∞ 1843 Jacob Stucky St3.644, * 1824, + 1876, ¶ in CeSz. Elisabeth and Jacob lived in SD. She moved to KS. after his death.

Children of Elisabeth and Jacob Stucky St3.644:

St4.6445 Maria Stucky, * 19 Feb. 1852, ✕ in Rus., + 21 July 1919. Maria's youth was spent in the village of Horo., Rus. She immigrated with her parents to SD. in 1874 and was a member of SaZi. In 1884 she moved with her mother to PPr., KS. and then to Mdge. where she resided the remainder of her life. She was a member of Eden.

St4.644a Christian C Stucky, * 27 July 1864 in Horo., Rus., ✕ 2 Apr. 1882 in SaZi., + 4:00pm 14 Apr. 1935, ¶ in CeEd., ∞ (I) 30 Nov. 1886 Maria Stucky St4.626b, * 13 June 1867, + 14 Mar. 1895, ¶ in CeHf., ∞ (II) 9 June 1895 Katharina Gering Ge5.31112, * 5 Oct. 1875, + 28 Jan. 1966, ¶ in CeEd. Christian came to America with his parents in 1874 and settled near Free., SD. In 1883 he moved with his mother to Mdge., KS. where Christian spent the rest of his life. He transferred church membership from Hoff. to Eden. when that church formed.

St4.644b Freni {Frances} Stucky, * 26 Oct. 1867, + 1 Mar. 1934, ¶ 5 Mar., ∞ 30 Nov. 1886 Cornelius Schröder Sr1.2, * 20 Jan. 1868, ✕ 21 Nov. 1886 in Hoff., + 12 Dec. 1936. Freni immigrated to America in 1874 with her parents and settled in SD. They then moved to KS. After her marriage she and Cornelius moved to OR. in 1888 and in 1904 to Reedley, CA. where they lived the rest of their lives and were members of FMRe.

St4.644c Anna Stucky, * 2 Aug. 1870 in Kutu., Rus., ✕ in Hoff., + 26 Aug. 1960 at Mdge., KS., ¶ in CeEd., ∞ 14 Feb. 1888 Jacob A Krehbiel Kr3.258 in McPh. Co., KS., * 12 Apr. 1869, ✕ 21 Nov. 1886 in Hoff., + 10:15pm 18 Apr. 1940 of a heart attack, ¶ in CeEd. Anna immigrated to SD. with her parents where they lived until her father died in 1876. Her mother moved the family from SD. to Mdge., KS. Anna and Jacob lived at Mdge., then moved to Elyria, KS. later in life and transferred church membership from Hoff. to Eden. She spent the last years of her life after husband's death living with her children.

Rs2.24 Magdalena Riess, * 5 Apr. 1832, ✕ 1846, + 1 Oct. 1916 in the home of her son J. J Kaufman at Worth, CA., ∞ 1 May 1849 Jacob P Kaufman Ka3.234 [formerly Ka3.334], * 8:00pm 19 Feb. 1830 in Mdorf., WGa., Rus., + 6 Dec. 1880. Magdalena and Jacob immigrated to America in 1874 and settled at Free., SD. They moved to KS. in 1878. In ChBo 19-10-16 it is stated that they moved from SD. to PPr., KS. in 1878. This is highly unlikely as the Mennonite settlement in southern Reno Co., KS. was not established until 1883. It is more likely that Jacob died and was buried at Mdge., KS. although his burial site has not been found. After the death of Jacob, she moved (in 1913) to be with her children in Porterville, CA. and was an invalid owing to a fall. Her funeral was held in the German Evangelical Church in Porterville, CA. (see also Ka3.234)

Rs4.2722 Lydia J Riess {Ries}, * 18 Feb. 1893 at Free., SD., ✕ 27 June 1909, + 9 July 1963, ¶ in CeSa., ∞ 23 Mar. 1920 Johann {John} J Stucky St5.644a6 (his I), * 11 Nov. 1896 in McPh. Co., KS., ✕ 6 Oct. 1912 in Eden., + 21 Apr. 1976, ¶ in CeSa. Lydia and John were members of Eden. after their marriage. They then moved to SD. and joined Salem. in 1944. John was a farmer. After the death of Lydia, Johann married Lydia's sister Esther Rs4.2727.

Sg3.423 Elisabeth "Lizzy" Schrag, * 10 Oct. 1841, ✕ 22 Apr. 1856 in Edu., + 2 Apr. 1925 in the home of her child at King., KS., ¶ 5 Apr. in CeKi., ∞ (I) 1861 Johann Graber Gr3.732, * 22 Apr. 1840, ✕ 8 Apr. 1856 in Horo., + 1864, ∞ (II) 18 June[?] 1868 Christian Sehner Se2.16, * 28 Aug. 1846, ✕ 24 Mar. 1863 in Horo., + 1874 in Russia, ∞ (III) 12 Apr. 1880 Karl Prieheim Pr1.4, * 30 Nov. 1828, ✕ 16 Dec. 1845 in Horo., + 7 Aug. 1914, ¶ 8 Aug. in CeKi. Elisabeth came to America as a widow with her children in 1874. She remained in OH. for a year and then settled in SD. Here she married Karl. They moved to PPr., KS. in c.1885 and joined FMPPr. In 1906 they moved again to King. Co., KS. and joined BethKi. (see also Pr1.4)

Children of Elisabeth and Christian Sehner Se2.16:

Se3.161 Anna Sehner {Saner}, * 6 July 1868, ✕ 8 June 1884 in SaZi., + 19 Feb. 1929 of tuberculosis in the home of her daughter Mrs. Clayton Wagner at King., KS., ¶ in CePp., ∞ 6 Oct. 1888 Peter K Prieheim {Preheim} Pr2.47 in SD., * 29 Feb. 1868, ✕ 8 June 1884 in SaZi., + 4 June 1937 of a paralytic stroke while fishing at Zenda, KS., ¶ in CePp. Anna lost her father when she was 4. She accompanied her mother to America in 1874 and lived in OH. for 4 years before moving to SD. The same year she was baptized the family moved to PPr., KS. After their marriage Anna and Peter lived near the river east of PPr., KS. In 1928 they moved to King, KS. (see also Pr2.47)

Se3.162 Katharina Sehner {Senner}, * 22 Sep. 1870, ✕ 8 June 1884 in SaZi., + 26 Nov. 1938, ¶ 28 Nov. in CeKi. Katharina lost her eyesight in childhood. She moved to ND. where she is listed as a

charter member of SMAI. After the death of her mother in 1925 she moved to King, KS. to live with relatives.

Sg3.44a Anna G Schrag, * 27 Dec. 1853 in Garchenheim, Rus., ✕ 20 Mar. 1866 in Horo., + 8:00pm 10 May 1928 in the McPherson, KS. Hospital of influenza, ¶ 13 May in CeEd., ∞ 17 Oct. 1871 Johann G "Hanesel" Schrag Sg3.853, * 31 Oct. 1848 in Edu., Rus., ✕ 1866 probably in Wald., + morning 30 Mar. 1930 in the Halstead Hospital of pneumonia, ¶ in CeEd. In 1874 Anna Schrag settled with her parents in SD. In 1882 Anna and Johann moved to KS. and settled south of Mdge. in Harvey Co. where they became members of FMCC. After moving to McPh. Co., KS. late in life they changed church membership to Eden. (see also Sg3.853)

Sg3.745 Anna "Freundliche Bas" Schrag, * 24 Mar. 1850 in Wald., Rus., + 12:15 2 Apr. 1930 at Mdge., KS., ¶ in CeEd., ∞ (I) Mar. 1866 Johann "Weibarreind" (or) "Hanss" Kaufman Ka4.2114 [formerly Ka4.3114], * 16 July 1845, ✕ 27 Mar. 1860 in Horo., + 1890 in SD., ¶ in CeSz., ∞ (II) 13 June 1892 Jacob "Schmid" Schrag Sg3.442, * 27 May 1836 in Edu., Rus., ✕ 117 July 1849 in Edu., + 11 July 1928, ¶ in CeEd. Anna and Johann immigrated to America in 1874 and settled in Turner Co., near Marion, SD. In Jan. 1888 three of their sons perished in a snow storm returning home from school. Within 2 years her husband died leaving her with 4 children. After Johann's death Anna moved to Mdge., KS. where she married again. She and her second husband Jacob lived on a farm near Mdge., KS. After Jacob's death she lived with her children. <return>

Children of Anna and Johann Kaufman Ka4.2114 (formerly Ka4.3114):

Ka5.21147 Julius J Kaufman, * 15 July 1882 in Turner Co., SD., ✕ 25 Apr. 1897 in Eden., + 2 July 1902, ¶ in CeHf. Julius moved with his mother from SD. to Mdge., KS. in 1892 where he spent his remaining years. He briefly attended Bethel College.

Ka5.21148 Jonathan Kaufman, * 15 Oct. 1884 in Turner Co., SD., ✕ 18 May 1902 in Eden., + 2 Mar. 1965, ¶ in CeSz., ∞ 22 Oct. 1908 Clara Graber Gr4.8526 in SaZi., * 24 July 1890 in Turner Co., SD., + 9 Dec. 1952, ¶ in CeSz. Jonathan moved from SD. to KS. in about 1892 where he spent his youth. He moved back to SD. where he and Clara lived at Free. and where he farmed. They were members of SaZi.

Ka5.21149 Emma K Kaufman, * 31 Dec. 1886 in Turner Co., SD., ✕ 18 May 1902 in Eden., + 18 Apr. 1961, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 1 Dec. 1904 Rudolph J Stucky St5.62854, * 22 Sep. 1881 in McPh. Co., KS., ✕ 5 Sep. 1897 in Hoff., + 20 Sep. 1973, ¶ in CePp. Emma moved from SD. to KS. with her widowed mother when she was about 6 years old. She and Rudolph lived at Mdge., KS. a few years, then moved to PPr., KS. and were members of FMPPr. He was a farmer and farm implement dealer.

Ka5.2114a Anna Kaufman, * 1 Mar. 1888 at Marion, SD., ✕ 6 Nov. 1904 in Eden., + 5 Nov. 1967, ¶ in CeEd., ∞ 19 Feb. 1908 David J Zerger Zr5.31322, * 18 Mar. 1882 at Mdge., KS., ✕ 25 Apr. 1897 in Hoff., + 23 Aug. 1960, ¶ in CeEd. Anna moved from SD. to KS. with her widowed mother when she was c.4 years old. Anna and David lived on a farm 2 miles north and 5 ¼ miles west of Mdge. and were members of Eden. where he served as trustee and deacon. After marriage David and Anna lived close to his parents home.

Sg3.755 Christian J A Schrag, * 21 Mar. 1846, ✕ c.1859, + 8:30am 16 Jan. 1927 of pneumonia and a stroke, ¶ in CeMe., ∞ 5 Oct. 1869 Maria Graber Gr3.772, * 9 Jan. 1851, ✕ c.1864, + 9 Jan. 1944, ¶ in CeMe. Christian and Maria immigrated to America with the Kutu. congregation but settled in SD. After a year they moved to KS. and lived at Burrton. They moved from KS. to OR. in 1895 and in 1900 to WA. where they were members of MeMC. (see also Gr3.772)

Children:

Sg4.7551 Maria Schrag, * 4 July 1870, ✕ 21 Nov. 1886 in Hoff., + 16 May 1922, ¶ in CeMe., ∞ 9 Nov. 1889 Johann {John} J Waltner Wa3.453, * 27 Feb. 1863, ✕ 6 Apr. 1879 in SaZi., + evening 7 Aug. 1947 at Dallas, OR., ¶ in CeMe. Maria immigrated to America with her parents in 1874 and settled in SD. for a year, then moved with them to Burrton, KS. Johann was a farmer. He was

living in Dallas, OR. when he traveled in Oct. 1889 to Burrton to marry Maria. They lived 11 years in OR. In 1900 they moved to Odessa, WA. and joined MeMC. in 1922.

Sg4.7553 Jacob C M Schrag, * 10 Apr. 1875 at Free., SD., † 4 Oct. 1891, + 6 Sep. 1946, ¶ in CeMe., ∞ Lydia ?, * 1884, + 1908, ¶ in CeMe. Jacob moved with his parents a few years after his birth from SD. to Burrton, KS. He apparently accompanied them to OR. and WA. Jacob is buried with Lydia Schrag (presumably his wife) in CeMe; their names are on the same stone.

Sg3.853 Johann {John} G "Hanesel" Schrag, * 31 Oct. 1848 in Edu., Rus., † 1866 probably in Wald., + morning 30 Mar. 1930 in the Halstead, KS. Hospital of pneumonia, ¶ 2 Apr. in CeEd., ∞ 17 Oct. 1871 Anna G Schrag Sg3.44a, * 27 Dec. 1853 in Garchenheim, Rus., † 20 Mar. 1866 in Horo., + 8:00pm 10 May 1928 in the McPh. Hospital of influenza, ¶ 13 May in CeEd. Johann and Anna immigrated in 1874 to America, settled on a farm in SD. and joined SaZi. They moved to Harvey Co., KS. south of Mdge. in 1882 and joined FMCC. in 1883. Late in life after moving to McPh. Co., KS. they became members of Eden. in 1925. (see also Sg3.44a)

Children:

Sg4.8536 Elias "Eli" Schrag, * 16 Feb. 1879 at Free. SD., † 26 Mar. 1894 in FMCC., + 28 Feb. 1946 in Bethel Hospital, Newton, KS. from a heart attack, ¶ 3 Mar. in CeFc., ∞ 24 Nov. 1904 Lydia Wedel We3.621 in FMCC., * 17 Nov. 1880 at Mdge., KS., † 24 May. 1896 in FMCC., + morning 25 Nov. 1924, ¶ in CeFc. When Elias was about 3 his parents moved from SD. to KS. and he lived the rest of his life in southern McPh. Co. and northern Harvey Co. Elias and Lydia lived on a farm 8 miles west of Mdge. He suffered an auto accident 6 weeks before he died and then (3 weeks after the accident) a heart attack.

Sg4.8537 Leonhard {Leon} Schrag, * 4 May 1881, † 13 Mar. 1912 in FMCC., + 17 Aug. 1960, ¶ in CeFc., ∞ 13 Mar. 1912 Eva Lois Steele, * 3 Aug. 1888 at Morill, KS., † 5 June 1927 in FMCC., + 10 Apr. 1978, ¶ in CeFc. Leonhard and Eva lived at Mdge., KS. and were members of FMCC. At the time of her death, Eva was living at Peabody, KS.

Sg3.859 Andreas {Andrew} G Schrag, * 8 May 1866 five miles southwest of Dubno, Rus., † 15 July 1883 in SaZi., + 6:00pm 1 Aug. 1950 in the King. Co. Hospital, ¶ in CeLs., ∞ (I) 4 Mar. 1886 Freni Strauss Ss3.133, * 16 Dec. 1863 in Horo., Rus., † 19 Apr. 1878 in Hoff., + 6:45am 8 Aug. 1949 in her home at Cheney, KS., ¶ in CePp, ∞ (II) Bertha [maiden name unknown], * 7 Apr. 1860, + 15 Apr. 1947. Andreas immigrated with his parents to the Free.-Marion, SD. area in 1874. He moved from Free., SD. to Mdge., KS. where he joined Hoff. and where he married Freni. In 1904 they transferred church membership to FMCC. They farmed southwest of Mdge., KS. In 1920 Andreas and Freni moved to Cheney, KS. in King. Co. and joined FMPPr. In CeLs, there is a grave marked "Bertha Schrag, * 7 Apr. 1860, + 15 Apr. 1947, (2nd wife of Andrew G)". This is the only source found which suggests that Andreas married a second time.

Sg4.7521 Katharina "Kady" Schrag, * 23 Dec. 1865 in Vol., Rus., † 15 July 1883 in SaZi., + 4:00am 16 Feb. 1913 of tuberculosis in her home at PPr., KS., ¶ 18 Feb. in CePp., ∞ 27 Nov. 1883 Peter A Stucky St4.6449 in SaZi., * 26 May 1861 in Horo., Rus., † in SaZi. by Min. Christian Kaufman, + 11:00pm 12 Oct. 1941, ¶ in CePp. Katharina immigrated to America in 1874 and settled with her parents at Childstown, SD. Katharina and Peter established a home near Free., SD. In 1907 they moved to 4 miles west of PPr., KS. (see also St4.6449)

Sg4.7551 Maria Schrag, * 4 July 1870, † 21 Nov. 1886 in Hoff., + 16 May 1922, ¶ in CeMe., ∞ 9 Nov. 1889 Johann {John} J Waltner Wa3.453, * 27 Feb. 1863, † 6 Apr. 1879 in SaZi., + evening 7 Aug. 1947 at Dallas, OR., ¶ in CeMe. Maria immigrated to America with her parents in 1874 and settled in SD. for a year, then moved with them to Burrton, KS. Johann was a farmer. He was living in Dallas, OR. when he traveled in Oct. 1889 to Burrton to marry Maria. They lived 11 years in OR. In 1900 they moved to Odessa, WA. and joined MeMC. in 1922.

Sg4.7553 Jacob C M Schrag, * 10 Apr. 1875 at Free., SD., ✕ 4 Oct. 1891, + 6 Sep. 1946, ¶ in CeMe., ∞ Lydia ?, * 1884, + 1908, ¶ in CeMe. Jacob moved with his parents a few years after his birth from SD. to Burrton, KS. He apparently accompanied them to OR. and WA. Jacob is buried with Lydia Schrag (presumably his wife) in CeMe; their names are on the same stone.

Sg5.74222 Freni "Fanny" Schrag, * 11 Apr. 1892, + 19 Mar. 1989, ∞ (I) 24 Sep. 1908 Carl {Charles} J Kaufman {Kauffman} Ka5.24232, * 6 May 1882, + 29 Dec. 1961 of heart failure in his home in North Newton, KS., ∞ (II) 1 Nov. 1966 Heinrich {Henry} J Riess {Ries} Rs3.27d (his II), * 7 Feb. 1889, + 21 Oct. 1975, ¶ in CeSa. Freni was living at Menno, WA. when Carl moved there from SD. She was a student in his class and after their marriage they moved to Free., SD. She accompanied him to North Newton, KS. where the Kauffman Museum was set up with him as curator. After his death she became curator of the museum. After her second marriage she again returned to SD. (see also Ka5.24232)

Sg5.75112 Marie {Mary} P Schrag, * 14 May 1888 at Free., SD., ✕ by Elder Christian Kaufman, + 14 Sep. 1958, ¶ in CeHf., ∞ 20 June 1918 Leonard Garfield N "Leon" Kaufman Ka4.2763, * 29 Aug. 1887 at Mdge., KS., ✕ 21 Sep. 1902 in Hoff., + 29 Jan. 1962, ¶ in CeHf. Marie and Leonard lived at Newton, KS. where he was a real estate agent.

Sg5.75117 Carolina "Carrie" Schrag, * 12 May 1897 at Free., SD., ✕ 5 Oct. 1913, + 11 Jan. 1979, ¶ in CeEd., ∞ 3 Aug. 1927 Reinhold Gering {Goering} Ge5.31441 in Eden., * 11 Mar. 1899 in McPh. Co., KS., ✕ 25 Nov. 1917 in Hoff., + 5 Mar. 1959, ¶ in CeEd. Carolina was from Free.,SD. at the time of their marriage. She attended Free. College. She and Reinhold lived at McPh., KS. and transferred church membership to FMMc.

Sw2.17 Andreas {Andrew} Schwartz, * 14 July 1845 in Horo., Rus., ✕ 27 Mar. 1860 in Horo., + 8:30pm 12 Jan. 1940, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 12 Nov. 1865 Elisabeth Graber Gr3.574, * 15 May 1846 in Horo., Rus., ✕ 16 Apr. 1861 in Horo., + 2:30am 15 Sep. 1929, ¶ in CePp. Andreas, orphaned at age 2, was raised in Russia by Andreas Voran Vn1.4 and Barbara Kaufman Ka3.241 (a couple who had no children of their own). As a young man he volunteered to walk to Kutu., Rus. and return to Horo. with money hidden on his person and purchase the passports necessary for emigration. Andreas and Elisabeth immigrated to America in 1874 and settled near Marion, SD. In 1884 they moved to PPr., KS. where they lived 3 miles east of town and were charter members of FMPPr. Andreas was a farmer as well as a cobbler, carpenter and bone doctor and an avid hunter and fisherman. On his retirement in 1913 they moved into PPr. (see also Gr3.574)

Children:

Sw3.172 Jacob A Schwartz, * 28 Feb. 1868 in Rus., ✕ 20 July 1884 in SaZi., + 13 Feb. 1948 in his home at PPr., KS. of a heart ailment, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 25 Feb. 1892 Freni "Fanny" Albrecht Ac5.23252 at PPr., KS., * 1 Aug. 1871, ✕ 19 Dec. 1886 in FMPPr., + 2 Oct. 1947, ¶ in CePp. Jacob immigrated to America with his parents in 1874 and settled in SD. In 1884 the family moved to PPr., KS. where Jacob was a farmer and a charter member of FMPPr. which he served as a deacon. Jacob and Freni lived at PPr., KS. for the remainder of their lives.

Sw3.173 Freni Schwartz, * 29 Oct. 1870, ✕ 19 Dec. 1886 in FMPPr., + 18 Aug. 1952, ¶ in CePp. Freni immigrated in 1874 with her parents to Marion, SD. In 1884 she accompanied them in a move to PPr., KS where she spent the rest of her life. Freni suffered severe fever at age 3 which left her partially impaired. It was necessary to care for her during the last years of her life and she never married.

Sw3.174 Peter A Schwartz, * 27 Jan. 1873 in Rus., ✕ 8 Apr. 1891 in FMPPr., + 1 Feb. 1962, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 24 Oct. 1895 Katharina "Katie" Schwartz Sw4.1135, * 10 Apr. 1875 in McPh. Co., KS., + 6 Mar. 1960, ¶ in CePp. Peter probably immigrated in 1874 with his parents to Marion, SD. and accompanied them in their move to PPr., KS. in 1884. After his marriage he became a merchant in PPr.

Sw3.175 Anna Schwartz, * 18 Feb. 1876 at Yank., SD., ✕ 8 Apr. 1891 in FMPPr., + 17 July 1933, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 25 Feb. 1892 Peter J "Pat" Graber Gr4.5614 in FMPPr., * 13 Sep. 1870 in Wald., Rus.,

☞ 20 July 1884 in SaZi., + 3:00am 15 Oct. 1942 in the hospital in Anthony, KS., ¶ in CePp. Anna accompanied her parents in the move from SD. to PPr., KS. when she was 8. She and Peter were married and lived the rest of their lives at PPr., KS. (see also Gr4.5614-under Gr3.561)

Sw3.176 Maria {Mary} A Schwartz, * 9 July 1878 in SD., ☞ 10 Apr. 1892 in FMPPr., + 14 Mar. 1913 at PPr., KS., ¶ 16 Mar. in CePp., ∞ 24 Oct. 1895 Peter J Albrecht {Albright} At2.69 (his I), * 29 Feb. 1876 in SD., ☞ 10 Apr. 1892 in FMPPr., + Apr. 1968, ¶ in CePp. Maria moved with her parents from SD. to PPr., KS. when she was 6. She and Peter lived at PPr., KS. (see also At2.69-under At1.6)

Sw3.178 Benjamin Schwartz, * 6 Oct. 1882 in SD., ☞ 10 Apr. 1898 in FMPPr., + 2 July 1972, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 29 Oct. 1903 Emma Zafft {Soft} Zf3.242 in FMPPr., * 20 Jan. 1883, + 1933, ¶ in CePp. Benjamin was c.2 when his parents moved from SD. to PPr., KS. He and Emma lived at PPr., KS. when married, then moved to Burns, KS. He was a farmer. (see also Zf3.242-under Zf2.24)

Sw3.131 Salamon {Solomon} Schwartz, * 13 June 1844 in Dubno, Rus., ☞ 27 Mar. 1860 in Horo., + 26 July 1909 at PPr., KS., ¶ in CePp., ∞ 12 Nov. 1865 Freni "Fannie" Sehner Se2.15, * 21 Jan. 1844 in Dubno, Rus., ☞ 16 Mar. 1858 in Horo., + 16 Nov. 1908 after gall stone surgery at Eakly, OK., ¶ in CePp. Salamon and Freni immigrated to America in 1874 and apparently settled in OH. for several years. They then moved to SD. in c.1878. They apparently moved to KS., then lived in OK. and were members of SpMC. He probably moved back to KS. c.1920 and became a member of FMPPr. (see also Se2.15)

Children:

Sw4.1311 Maria Schwartz, * 22 July 1867, ☞ 2 Apr. 1882 in SaZi, + 7 July 1885 at PPr., KS., ∞ 14 Apr. 1885 Joseph "Petruch" Graber Gr4.6227 (his I), * 17 May 1861 in Kutu., Rus., ☞ 31 Oct. 1880 in Hoff., + 8:00pm 22 Nov. 1937 in the home of his son Ben in Arkansas City, KS. of a stroke. There are two girls in this family named Maria Schwartz in SwTf and both are shown with husbands: the eldest shown marrying Joseph P Graber and (according to PpTi 2-12-37) she died in 1885; the youngest marrying Gus. Zerger. In SwTr only the youngest is shown with Gust. Zerger as the husband. Apparently after the death of Maria Sw4.1311 which was shortly after her marriage in 1885, her parents (Salamon Schwartz Sw3.131 and Freni Sehner Se2.15) named their next child Mary (Sw4.1319) resulting in two children who grew to maturity named Maria (or Mary).

Sw4.1312 Freni Christina Schwartz, * 13 June 1869, ☞ 20 July 1884 in SaZi, + 1 May 1948, ∞ 17 Aug. 1886 Christian Peter Stucky St4.6297, * 18 Aug. 1864 in Kutu., Rus., ☞ 31 Oct. 1880 in Hoff., + 23 May 1918 in OK., ¶ 24 May in the Bergthal Mennonite Cemetery in OK. Freni immigrated to America with her parents and settled in SD. She accompanied them in their move to PPr., KS. and was living there when she married Christian. They moved to Shelby, Washita Co., OK. in 1897 where he established a Sunday School which was organized as SpMC. and where he became minister. In c.1922, 4 years after his death, she moved to Reedley, CA. where she spent the remainder of her life near her children.

Sw4.1313 Jacob S Schwartz, * 25 May 1873 in Rus., ☞ 1 Sep. 1889 in FMPPr., + Aug., 1949, ∞ 24 Oct. 1893 Freni S Stucky St4.6298, * 6 Aug. 1867 in Russia, ☞ 30 Dec. 1883 in Hoff., + 2 Nov. 1940 at Monroe, WA., ¶ in CeMn. Jacob probably grew up in Eakly, OK. and he and Freni lived in PPr., KS before moving to Monroe, WA. They transferred church membership from FMPPr. to FMMo. Later (in 1938) they transferred church membership from FMMo.

Sw4.1314 Anna S Schwartz, * 28 Aug. 1875 at Cleveland, OH., ☞ 8 Apr. 1891, + 14 June 1952, ∞ 2 Oct. 1896 Jacob C Schwartz Sw4.1136 at PPr., KS., * 20 Jan. 1877 in Turner Co., SD., ☞ Sep. 1890, + 3 June 1947. In her youth Anna lived in Hutch. Co., SD. and probably accompanied her parents in a move to PPr., KS. where she married Jacob.

Sw4.1315 Rebecca Schwartz, * 6 Oct. 1877 in OH., ☞ 10 Apr. 1892 in FMPPr., ∞ Andr. (or) John Schwemmer. In her youth Rebecca lived in Hutch Co., SD. She undoubtedly accompanied her parents in their move to KS. and OK.

Sw4.1316 Katharina {Catherine} "Katie" Schwartz, * 20 Oct. 1879 in Hutch. Co., SD., ☞ 28 Sep. 1894, + 1922, ∞ 15 Mar. 1900 Daniel B Holly Hy1.2 in a private home (his I), * 17 Apr. 1879 in KS., ☞ 12 Mar. 1899, + 1957. Katharina undoubtedly accompanied her parents in their move from

SD. to KS. and OK. She and Daniel lived in Colony, OK. where he operated a grocery store. They were members of SpMC. in Eakly, OK.

Sw4.1317 Johann S Schwartz, * 22 Oct. 1881 in SD., ✕ 10 Apr. 1898 in FMPPr., + Sep. 1963, ∞ 24 Sep. 1903 Anna Stucky St5.62953, * 21 Aug. 1883 in KS., ✕ 5 Sep. 1897 in Hoff. Johann apparently accompanied his parents when they moved to KS. and OK. He and Anna lived at Monroe, WA. and were charter members of FMMo. until and were members until 1945 when they transferred membership to the Monroe Country Mennonite Church.

Sw3.133 Katharina "Katie" Schwartz, * 22 June 1850 in Rus., ✕ 12 Apr. 1864 in Horo., + 27 Jan. 1918 from blood poisoning in St. Luke's Hospital in Bellingham, WA., ¶ in Bay View Cemetery, Bellingham, WA., ∞ 20 Apr. 1879 Daniel J Gering {Gehring} Ge3.362 (his I), * 13 Sep. 1856 in Edu., Rus., + evening 15 Apr. 1940 in his home in Monroe, WA. of a heart ailment, ¶ in CeMn. Katharina came to America in 1874 with her parents and stayed in OH. until 1879 when they went to SD. She and Daniel moved from SD. to PPr., KS. in 1883 and moved in 1913 to Monroe, WA. where they lived for 3 ½ years before moving to Bellingham, WA where she died. She remained a member of FMPPr. While in Bellingham they attended a Methodist Church. (see also Ge3.362)

Sw3.135 Jacob D "Dandelein" Schwartz, * 17 Sep. 1857 in Rus., ✕ 1874 by Min. Jacob Stucky, + 29 Sep. 1932 in Monroe General Hospital, WA. of peritonitis which resulted from injuries when a load of wood fell on him, ¶ in CeMn., ∞ 16 Nov. 1881 Maria Gering {Goering} Ge3.363, * 13 Sep. 1859 in Rus., ✕ 1874 by Min. Jaocb Stucky, + 2 May 1940 in Monroe, WA, ¶ in CeMn. They moved from King, KS. to Sultan, WA. and joined FMMo. in 1925. Jacob was a farmer. (see also Ge3.363)

Sw3.152 Anna Schwartz, * 5 Dec. 1864 in Horo., Rus., ✕ 6 Apr. 1879 in SaZi., + 11 Aug. 1935 in the home of her son Henry at Castleton, KS., ¶ in CePp., ∞ 21 Feb. 1882 Johann J "Jos" (or) "Hansko" Graber Gr3.578 (his II), * 25 Nov. 1855 in Horo., Rus., ✕ Palm Sunday 1872, + 31 Dec. 1930 of pneumonia, ¶ in CePp. Anna immigrated to America in 1874 with her parents and settled in SD. Anna and Johann lived at Marion, SD. until 1885 with they moved to PPr., KS. (see also Gr3.578)

Sw4.1121 Maria Schwartz, * 2 Apr. 1862, ✕ 1878 by Min. Christian Kaufman in SD., + 4:30am 12 Jan. 1942, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 5 Feb. 1880 Willhelm Zafft {Soft} Zf2.24 [formerly Zf2.14] at Marion, SD., * 8 May 1854 in Sornpolna, Poland, ✕ in SD. by Min. Peter Becker, + evening 29 Jan. 1939, ¶ in CePp. Maria immigrated with her parents to Yank., SD. in 1874. Willhelm Zafft homesteaded in McCook Co., SD. in 1876. In 1883 Maria and Willhelm moved to Turner Co., SD. and sometime between 1895 and 1898 to PPr., KS. In August 1913 they moved to Bloomfield, MT. At his retirement in 1928 they moved back to PPr., KS. (see also Zf2.24)

Se1.2 Elisabeth "Lysy" Sehner, * c.Mar. 1811, + 25 Nov. 1894 at PPr., KS., ∞ 18 Oct. 1827 Jacob Graber Gr2.53, * 6 Jan. 1806. Elisabeth and Jacob moved from SD. to KS. in 1884. Elisabeth was severely burned in a prairie fire in SD. in the fall of 1874. This fire claimed the life of Elisabeth's daughter Katharina Graber Gr3.532 and probably also her granddaughter Elisabeth Prieheim Pr2.42 who died in 1875. <[return](#)>

Se2.15 Freni "Fannie" Sehner, * 21 Jan. 1844 in Dubno, Rus., ✕ 16 Mar. 1858 in Horo., + 16 Nov. 1908 after gall stone surgery at Eakly, OK., ¶ in CePp., ∞ 12 Nov. 1865 Salamon {Solomon} Schwartz Sw3.131, * 13 June 1844 in Dubno, Rus., ✕ 27 Mar. 1860 in Horo., + 26 July 1909 at PPr., KS., ¶ in CePp. Freni and Salamon immigrated to America in 1874 and settled in OH. for a few years. Two children born in 1875 and 1877 were born there. They moved to SD. and then moved to PPr., KS. where they were living in 1900. They then moved to OK. and were members of SpMC. (see also Sw3.131)

Se2.18 Maria {Mary} Sehner {Saner}, * 27 Mar. 1852, ✕ 20 Mar. 1866 in Horo., + afternoon 23 Nov. 1931 in the home of her daughter northeast of PPr., KS. of pneumonia, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 28 Oct. 1879

Johann {John} Jacob Flickinger Fr2.b5 in SaZi., * 1 Jan. 1857 in Horo., Rus., ⚭ 9 Apr. 1872 in Kutu., + 23 Feb. 1942 in PPr., KS. of pneumonia, ¶ in CePp. Maria's mother died while Maria was young. After immigrating to America in 1874, Maria lived 3 years in Logan Co., Ohio with her widowed father and worked as a servant. They then moved to Marion, SD. In 1884 Maria and Johann moved to PPr., KS. and helped organize FMPPr. where Johann Jacob served as minister from 1885 to 1891 and elder from 1891 to 1919. (see also Fr2.b5)

Se2.1a Peter "Pete" Sehner {Saner}, * 23 Jan. 1858 in Horo., Rus., ⚭ Apr. 1873 by Johann Schrag, + 18 Jan. 1933 in the home of his daughter Bertha in Monroe, WA., ¶ 21 Jan. in CeMn., ∞ 27 Dec. 1882 Karolina "Carrie" Graber Gr4.6213, * 12 Sep. 1862 in Horo., Rus., ⚭ 6 Apr. 1869 in SaZi., + 8 Mar. 1939. After 1874, Peter spent 3 years with his father in Logan Co., Ohio, then moved to Marion, SD. After his marriage they moved to Mdge., KS., then PPr., KS. In 1911 they moved to Monroe, WA. and in 1918 joined FMMo. the year it was founded. (see also Gr4.6213)

Se2.1b Johann {John} "Hans" Sehner {Saner}, * 15 Apr. 1863 in Horo., Rus., ⚭ 21 Mar. 1880 in SaZi., + 22 June 1940 in his son John's home in King., KS., ¶ in CeKi., ∞ (I) 17 Feb. 1885 Elisabeth "Lizzie" Graber Gr3.845, * 18 Aug. 1868, ⚭ 2 Apr. 1882 in SaZi., + 6 Oct. 1888 at PPr., KS., ∞ (II) 5 Dec. 1889 Magdalena "Lena" Flickinger Fr2.b9, * 2 May 1864 in Kutu., Rus., ⚭ 6 Apr. 1879 in SaZi., + 3 Sep. 1929, ¶ in CeKi. Johann immigrated to America in 1874 with his father and siblings living for a time in OH. until 1879 when they moved to SD. He was one of the four young men who went to southern KS. to look for possible living sites, settling on southern Reno Co., KS. In 1884 they moved to Reno Co., KS. where Johann was a charter member of FMPPr. Johann and Magdalena moved to Murdock, KS. in 1899. (see also Gr3.845)

Child:

Se3.1b1 Barbara Sehner {Saner}, * 6 May 1884 [?] in Marion, SD., ⚭ 8 Apr. 1900 in FMPPr., ∞ Jonas Boese. Barbara and Jonas lived at Pamonda, CA. Barbara's birth date is in question. According to ChBo 15-2-87, Barbara's mother died 31 Jan. 1887 in childbirth and the child survived. Barbara's parents were married in 1885.

Se2.4c Christian Sehner, * 13 Dec. 1860, ⚭ 6 Apr. 1879 in SaZi., + 7 Aug. 1951, ∞ 28 Dec. 1882 Katharina Kaufman Ka4.2327 [formerly Ka4.3327], * 29 Aug. 1858, + 6 Apr. 1913. Christian and Katharina moved from SD. to KS. He was a school teacher and a drayman in Mdge., KS. where they lived for some time. They then moved to MT. where they joined the Jehovah's Witness Church. They moved to MD. for a short time and then to Monroe, WA. where Christian was a charter member of FMMo. Katharina may have died prior to Christian's move to WA. as she is not listed as a church member in MnBo. (see also Ka4.2327)

Se3.161 Anna Sehner {Saner} (see Sg3.423)

Se3.162 Katharina Sehner {Senner} (see Sg3.423)

St3.642 Johann "Hans" Stucky, * 11 Jan. 1818, + 4 Sep. 1887 at PPr., KS., ∞ Anna Flickinger Fr1.9, * 20 Jan. 1819, + c.1869. Johann lived at Free., SD. He had a stroke in about 1875 by which he lost speech and the use of his limbs. A year later he lost sight. He was apparently living with his children at PPr., KS. at the time of his death.

St4.623a Freni {Verena} Stucky, * 13 Aug. 1854, ⚭ 5 Apr. 1870 in Kutu., + 9 Sep. 1898 by lightning at PPr., KS., ¶ in CePp., ∞ 8 Oct. 1872 Johann {John} J "Spitzberg" Graber Gr3.823, * 29 May 1848 in Wald., Rus., ⚭ 24 Nov. 1865 in Wald., + 4:00pm 20 Oct. 1895 at Mdge., KS., ¶ in CeFc. Johann and Freni lived in Wald., Rus. and immigrated to America in 1874 settling in Hutch. Co., SD. In c.1883 they moved to Mdge., KS. and in 1885 joined FMCC. In 1895 they decided to move from Mdge., KS. to PPr., KS. and part of their personal possessions had been moved. Johann died while taking a load of wheat to Mdge. before all their possessions were moved. Freni apparently completed the move to PPr. as she died 3 years later in 1898 and is buried in CePp. (see also Gr3.823)

St4.6421 Maria {Mary} Stucky, * 31 Mar. 1838, ✕ 23 Mar. 1852 in Horo., + evening 18 Aug. 1914 in her home at PPr., KS., ¶ in CePp., ∞ 16 Nov. 1858 Jacob Albrecht {Albright} At1.6, * 28 Apr. 1838, ✕ 5 Apr. 1853 in Edu., + 1894, ¶ in CePp. Jacob and Maria probably moved from Horo., Rus. to Kutu., Rus. in 1861 as their first two children appear in MiHo. and the family record begins in EdKu. with the third child born in 1863. However, MiHo. does seem to have the more complete list of the children even after 1861. They lived in SD. after immigrating to America in 1874. In 1884 they moved to a farm southwest of PPr., KS. (see also At1.6)

St4.6422 Barbara Stucky, * 9 Jan. 1840 near Dubno, Rus., ✕ 20 Mar. 1855 in Horo., + 31 May 1906 at Mdge., KS., ¶ 2 June in CeFc., ∞ (I) 19 June 1860 Jacob Sehner Se2.13, * 14 Nov. 1838, ✕ 12 Apr. 1853 in Horo., + 28 May 1867, ∞ (II) 15 May 1868 Johann "Alter Jass" Gering Ge2.31, (his II), * 1804 in Mdorf., WGa., Aus., + 18 Feb. 1878, ¶ in CeSz., ∞ (III) 5 Feb. 1879 Johann P Wedel We1.6 (his II), * 31 Jan. 1834, ✕ 17 July 1849 in Edu., + 8:30am 10 Feb. 1900, ¶ 13 Feb. in CeFc. After the death of Barbara's first husband (Jacob) at the age of 28, Barbara married the minister Johann Gering. Barbara and Johann immigrated to America in 1874 and settled in SD. After his death she accompanied her son Jacob Ge3.314 in his move in 1879 to Mdge., KS. where she met and married Johann Wedel. They transferred church membership from Hoff. to FMCC. in 1883.

St4.642a Peter J Stucky, * 19 Apr. 1856, ✕ 25 Mar. 1871 in Horo., Rus., + 3:00pm 5 Nov. 1941 in the home of his daughter (Mrs. John Voth) at Murdock, KS., ¶ in CeKi., ∞ 31 Jan. 1878 Maria Prieheim Pr2.41, * 4 Nov. 1855, ✕ 25 Mar. 1871 in Horo., + 6 June 1937, ¶ in CeKi. Peter immigrated with his parents to America and settled at Freeman, SD. After their marriage, Peter and Maria moved to PPr., KS. in 1884 where they were charter members of FMPPr. They moved to a farm near King., KS. about 1911. (see also Pr2.41)

Children:

St5.642a1 Anna Stucky, * 13 Dec. 1878 in SD., ∞ 28 Apr. 1910 Rudolph Mark in BethKi. There is another Anna Stucky who is shown as marrying Rudolph Mark(s)--see St5.64266]

St5.642a2 Katharina "Katie" Stucky, * 26 Feb. 1881 at Marion, SD., ✕ 2 Aug. 1896 in FMPPr., + 29 Aug. 1958, ¶ in Cleveland, KS. Ce., ∞ 7 Dec. 1899 Peter Daniel Schrag Sg4.4456 in Hoff., * 15 Mar 1878 on a farm near Mdge., KS., ✕ 1 Oct. 1893 in Hoff., + 27 Oct. 1932 of infection of the lungs after surgery on a perforated ulcer, ¶ in Cleveland, KS. Ce. Katharina moved with her parents from SD. to PPr., KS. in 1885 and became a member of FMPPr. After their marriage she and Peter lived at Mdge., KS. for about 7 years. They then moved to King. Co., KS. where he farmed and where they were members of BethKi. They moved to PPr., KS. and then in 1914 to Copeland, KS. In 1918 Katharina and Peter moved back to King. Co., KS. where he farmed. They then joined ZionKi.

St5.642a3 Freni "Fanny" Stucky, * 24 May 1883 at Marion, SD., ✕ 10 Apr. 1898 in FMPPr., + 15 July 1949, ¶ in CeKi., ∞ 16 Nov. 1904 Joseph P "Joe" Krehbiel Kr3.33a in FMPPr., * 17 Sep. 1884 in Reno Co., KS., ✕ 8 Apr. 1900 in FMPPr., + 29 Mar. 1969, ¶ in CeKi. Freni moved from SD. to PPr., KS. with her parents in 1884. She and Joseph lived at King., KS. and were members of BethKi. joining in 1907.

St4.642b Joseph Stucky, * 8 Feb. 1858, ✕ 1873 in Wald., + 8 Dec. 1928 in his home at Murdock, KS., ¶ 10 Dec. in CeKi., ∞ 28 Oct. 1879 Freni "Fannie" Flickinger Fr2.b6, * 23 Apr. 1859, ✕ 3 Nov. 1873 in Kutu., + 14 Dec. 1941 in the home of her daughter Mrs. A. J. Schwartz in Murdock, KS., ¶ in CeKi. Joseph, at the age of 14, immigrated with his parents to SD. Joseph and Freni moved to PPr., KS. in 1884 and were charter members of FMPPr. In 1901 they moved into King. Co. near Murdock, KS. and helped found BethKi. in 1907 where they were charter members. (see also Fr2.b6)

St4.642d Freni "Fannie" Stucky, * 28 Aug. 1863 in Horo., Rus., ✕ 1876 by Elder Johann Schrag in SD., + 21 Oct. 1949 at Burrton, KS., ¶ in CeKi., ∞ 28 Oct. 1879 Peter C Kaufman Ka5.21121 [formerly Ka5.31121], * 4 Nov. 1861 in Horo., Rus., ✕ 1876 by Elder Johann Schrag in SD., + morning 27 Sep.

1937 in the Anthony, KS. Hospital of kidney trouble, ¶ in CeKi. Freni immigrated to America with her parents in 1874 and settled at Free., SD. She and Peter moved from Free., SD. to McPh. Co., KS. in 1884 and then moved to PPr., KS. In 1902 they moved to Murdock, KS. and later were charter members of BethKi. (see also Ka5.21121)

St4.6443 Jacob J Stucky, * 13 July 1847, ✕ 24 Mar. 1863 in Horo., + 19 Sep. 1892 at PPr., KS., ¶ in CePp., ∞ 22 Oct. 1876 Anna Krehbiel Kr3.333 in SD., * 3 Feb. 1861 in Potsche, Rus., ✕ by Elder Peter Kaufman in Rus., + morning 11 Aug. 1943, ¶ in CePp. After their marriage Jacob and Anna lived at Marion, SD. until 1884 when they moved to PPr., KS. settling 1 mile east of town. (see also Kr3.333)

Children:

St5.64431 Elisabeth "Lizzie" Stucky, * 1 Oct. 1877 at Marion, SD., ✕ 10 Apr. 1892 in FMPPr., + 10 May 1952, ∞ 23 Nov. 1897 Johann {John} R Graber Gr4.5616 in FMPPr., * 11 May 1876 at Yank., SD., + 19 Dec. 1952, ¶ in CePp. Elisabeth moved from SD. to PPr., KS. with her parents when she was 7. She and Johann lived at PPr., KS. where he farmed. They were members of FMPPr. (see also Gr4.5616-under Gr3.56a)

St5.64432 Anna "Annie" Stucky, * 29 Apr. 1879 at Marion, SD., ✕ 28 Sep. 1894 in FMPPr., + 10 Feb. 1907, ∞ 23 Nov. 1897 Cornelius Froese in FMPPr. (his I), * 23 June 1871 at Buhler, KS., + 20 June 1939. Anna went to PPr., KS from SD. when she was 5. She and Cornelius lived at Buhler, KS. and were members of Buhler Mennonite Church.

St5.64433 Maria {Mary} Stucky, * 15 Mar. 1881 at Marion, SD., ✕ 2 Aug. 1896 in FMPPr., + Sep. 1965, ∞ 20 Mar. 1904 Heinrich J Graber Gr4.6259, * 3 Aug. 1879, + Sep. 1965. At the age of 3 Maria moved from SD. to PPr., KS. with her parents. She and Heinrich lived at PPr., KS. and were members of the Church of the New Jerusalem.

St5.64434 Freni "Fanny" Stucky, * 23 Feb. 1883 at Marion, SD., ✕ 8 Apr. 1900 in FMPPr., + 12 Feb. 1965, ¶ in CeKi., ∞ 3 Aug. 1910 Benjamin B "Ben" Graber Gr4.561c at PPr., KS., * 18 Mar. 1891 at PPr., KS., ✕ 8 Apr. 1900 in FMPPr., + 7 Aug. 1968, ¶ in CeKi. Freni and Benjamin lived at King., KS and were members of BethKi. which they joined in 1941. He was a farmer.

St5.64435 Jonathan A "Jonas" Stucky, * 4 Aug. 1884 at Marion, SD., ✕ 8 Apr. 1900 in FMPPr., + 3 Mar. 1956, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 27 Apr. 1905 Maria {Mary} Gering {Goehring} Ge4.314a in FMPPr., * 29 Mar. 1884 in McPh. Co., KS., + 1962, ¶ in CePp. Jonathan and Maria were members of FMPPr. and lived in PPr., KS. He was a farmer.

St4.6445 Maria Stucky (see Rs2.22)

St4.6447 Johann {John} C (or) J Stucky, * 22 Jan. 1857 in Horo., Rus., ✕ 1872 in Horo., + 11 Sep. 1917, ¶ in CePp., ∞ (I) 23 Feb. 1882 Katharina Krehbiel Waltner Kr3.252 (her II), * 16 Dec. 1852, ✕ 9 Apr. 1867 in Kutu., + 14 Jan. 1886, ∞ (II) 14 Feb. 1886 Freni Waltner Wa2.8d, * 20 Mar. 1867 in Kutu., Rus., ✕ 30 Dec. 1883 in Hoff., + 11:00pm 2 Jan. 1932 in the home of her daughter Mrs. R. R Krehbiel at McPh., KS., ¶ in CePp. Johann immigrated with the Horo. congregation to America. Johann was one of the four men who investigated possible living sites in southern KS. and decided on southern Reno Co., KS. Johann was a minister and a farmer and he and Katharina settled at PPr., KS. At Katharina's death, Johann was left with a 17 year old daughter (Karolina Waltner Wa4.2311) from Katharina's first marriage to Jacob Waltner Wa3.231. He then married Freni from Mdge., KS. and they lived at PPr., then moved to Free., SD., then McPh. Co., KS. for a few years, then 8 years in Garfield Co., OK. Then c.1902 they returned to PPr., KS.

Children:

St5.64473 Simon S Stucky, * 8 Jan. 1887, ✕ 27 Mar. 1904 in FMPPr., + 31 Aug. 1968 at PPr., KS., ¶ in CePp., ∞ 25 Aug. 1908 Anna Graber Gr4.8417 at PPr., KS., * 5 Dec. 1890 at PPr., KS., ✕ 20 Oct. 1906 in FMPPr., + 27 June 1962 at PPr., KS., ¶ in CePp. Simon and Anna lived at PPr., KS. where he farmed. They were members of FMPPr. Simon and his sister Maria were married on the same day.

St5.64474 Maria {Mary} M Stucky, * 26 Jan. 1889 in SD., ✕ 27 Mar. 1904 in FMPPr., + 28 May 1970 at PPr., KS., ¶ in CePp., ∞ 25 Aug. 1908 Emil C Graber Gr4.8415 at PPr., KS., * 7 Nov. 1886

at PPr., KS., ♂ 27 Mar. 1904 in FMPPr., + 26 June 1918 at PPr., KS., ¶ in CePp. Maria and Emil lived at PPr., KS. where he farmed. They were members of FMPPr. Maria and Elisabeth St5.64475 are twins. Maria and her brother Simon were married on the same day.

St5.64475 Elisabeth {Elizabeth} "Lizzie" Stucky, * 26 Jan. 1889 in SD., ♂ 27 Mar. 1904 in FMPPr., + 1966, ¶ in CePp., ∞ Christian J "Chris" Zerger Zr4.312d, * 2 Feb. 1883 in McPh. Co., KS., + 23 July 1941, ¶ in CeMn. Elisabeth and Christian moved from PPr., KS. to Monroe, WA. and joined FMMo. in 1926. At a later date she left FMMo. and moved to Hutch., KS. Elisabeth and Maria St5.64474 are twins.

St4.6449 Peter A Stucky, * 26 May 1861 in Horo., Rus., ♂ in SaZi. by Min. Christian Kaufman, + 11pm 12 Oct. 1941, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 27 Nov. 1883 Katharina "Kady" Schrag Sg4.7521 in SaZi., * 23 Dec. 1865, ♂ 15 July 1883 in SaZi., + 4:00am 16 Feb. 1913 of tuberculosis in her home at PPr., KS., ¶ in CePp. Peter immigrated with his parents and settled near Marion, SD. in 1874. His father died 1 year later and it was necessary for Peter to leave home to work to help support the family. Peter and Katharina established a home near Free., SD. until 1907 when they moved to 4 miles west of PPr., KS. (see also Sg4.7521)

Children:

St5.64492 Joseph P A "Joe" Stucky, * 4 May 1886 at Free., SD., ♂ 3 Aug. 1902 in SaZi., + 30 Jan. 1924, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 16 July 1908 Karolina "Carrie" Graber Gr4.561b in FMPPr., * 25 Jan. 1888, ♂ 27 Mar. 1904 in FMPPr., + 19 Nov. 1968, ¶ in CePp. Joseph spent his youth in SD. until he accompanied his parents to PPr., KS. in 1907. He and Karolina lived in PPr., KS. and were members of FMPPr.

St5.64493 Benjamin P A "Ben" Stucky, * 17 Oct. 1888 in SD., + 18 Mar. 1974, ¶ in CeMn., ∞ 12 May 1910 Amelia {Emilie} M Dahlman, daughter of Paul Dahlman, * 7 Nov. 1891 in Russia, + 24 Sep. 1976, ¶ in CeMn. Benjamin moved with his parents from SD. to PPr., KS. in 1902. He and Amelia were members of FMPPr. at the time of their marriage. They moved from PPr., KS. to Monroe, WA. and transferred church membership from FMPPr. to FMMo.

St5.64494 Jacob D Stucky, * 27 Mar. 1891 at Free., SD., ♂ 14 June 1908 in FMPPr., + 1 Sep. 1975, ¶ in CeMn., ∞ 19 Sep. 1912 Bertha B Sehner {Saner} Se3.1a2, * 4 Feb. 1895 at PPr., KS., ♂ 27 Mar. 1910 in FMPPr., + 5 Sep. 1950 of a heart attack, ¶ 9 Sep. in CeMn. Jacob accompanied his parents from SD. to PPr., KS. in 1907. He and Bertha lived in Monroe, WA. and became members of FMMo. in 1918 which was the date of the church charter. They left FMMo. and became charter members of the Mennonite Church in Colfax, WA. in 1935 but moved back to Monroe in 1945.

St5.64495 Peter P Stucky, * 16 Mar. 1893 in SD., ♂ 27 Mar. 1910 in FMPPr., + 24 Apr. 1959, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 9 Dec. 1915 Ethel M Taylor, daughter of H. E Taylor, * 26 July 1895 in King. Co., KS., + 26 Aug. 1969, ¶ in CePp. Within several years of their marriage, Peter and Ethel moved from PPr., KS. to Jetmore, KS. after which Peter transferred church membership from FMPPr.

St5.64496 Heinrich {Henry} S Stucky, * 2 Sep. 1895 at Marion, SD., ♂ 10 June 1912 in FMPPr., + 2 Nov. 1976, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 15 June 1919 Lena B Schwartz at PPr., KS., daughter of Jacob C Schwartz Sw4.1136 and Anna Schwartz Sw4.1314, * 9 Oct. 1900 in OK., ♂ 5 Mar. 1916 in FMPPr., + 24 Apr. 1973, ¶ in CePp. Heinrich and Lena lived at PPr., KS. where he was a carpenter. They were members of FMPPr.

St5.64497 Adolph E Stucky, * 21 Apr. 1899 in SD., + Aug. 1985, ∞ 21 Dec. 1921 Ida McClure, * 23 Sep. 1900, + Nov. 1985. Adolph and Ida lived in PPr., KS. Adolph later transferred church membership from FMPPr.

St5.64498 Daniel J "Dan" Stucky, * 16 Aug. 1902 in SD., + July 1984, ∞ 10 Oct. 1929 Twilla McClure, daughter of George McClure and Merribe Calver, * 8 Sep. 1903, + 25 June 1996. Daniel and Twilla lived at PPr., KS. and Daniel transferred church membership from FMPPr.

St5.64499 Maria {Mary} K Stucky, * 20 Nov. 1905 in SD., ♂ 15 May 1921 in FMPPr., + 7 Nov. 1995, ¶ in CePp. Maria remained single and stayed in the home of her parents at PPr., KS.

St4.644a Christian C Stucky (see Rs2.22)

St4.644b Freni Stucky (see Rs2.22)

St4.644c Anna Stucky (see Rs2.22)

St5.64271 Peter H Stucky, * 12 Apr. 1878 at Marion, SD., ✕ 2 Aug. 1896 in FMPPr., + 10 Feb. 1958, ∞ 11 Nov. 1902 Maria {Mary} Regina Krehbiel Kr4.2435 in FMPPr., * 5 Mar. 1884 at Mdge., KS., ✕ 8 Apr. 1900 in FMPPr., + 13 May 1943, ¶ 16 May in Belmont, KS. Ce. Peter's mother died when he was 3 and he was raised by another family. Peter and Maria moved from PPr. to Murdock, KS. and were members of ZionKi. He was a farmer.

St5.64272 Anna Marie Stucky, * 24 May 1881 at Marion, SD., ✕ 16 Jan. 1895 in Hoff., + 21 Apr. 1969, ¶ in CeFc., ∞ 21 May 1901 Jacob H Schrag Sg4.7543 in Hoff., * 24 Aug. 1875 at Mdge., KS., ✕ in Hoff., + 25 May 1963, ¶ in CeFc. Anna's mother died shortly after her birth and she was raised by an uncle at Mdge., KS. After their marriage, Anna and Jacob lived at PPr., KS. until 1906 when they moved to Mdge., KS. where he farmed and had a harness and saddlery business. When he retired in 1944 they moved to Wellington, KS. where they joined the Methodist Church. After Jacob's death Anna moved to the PPr., KS. nursing home.

Su3.235 Maria {Mary} G Sutter, * 13 Feb. 1846 in Edu., Rus., ✕ 5 Apr. 1859 in Edu., + noon 19 Feb. 1926 in the home of her son Jacob G Graber at PPr., KS., ¶ in CePp., ∞ 12 Nov. 1865 Johann {John} G "Hans" (or) "Large" Graber Gr4.5111, * 11 Feb. 1845 in Horo., Rus., ✕ 27 Mar. 1860 in Horo., + 28 Apr. 1917 in his home probably as a result of a horse's kick, ¶ 1 May in CePp. Maria and Johann immigrated to America in 1874 and settled in SD. They moved from SD. to Kan in 1887. Johann Graber was ordained minister in FMPPr. in 1887 and served until 1917. (see also Gr4.5111)

Su4.2313 Freni {Frances} Sutter, * 15 Aug. 1865, ✕ 15 July 1883 in SaZi., + 28 Jan. 1907 of childbirth at Murdock, KS., ¶ 30 Jan. in CePp., ∞ 1 Nov. 1890 Jacob A Flickinger Fr2.b1 at Free., SD. (his II), * 21 Feb. 1849 in Horo., Rus., ✕ 21 Mar. 1865 in Kutu., + 19 Aug. 1928 in the home of his daughter at Hutch., KS., ¶ in CePp. Jacob and Freni lived at PPr., KS. and later moved to King. Co., KS. Her 2 day old child who died the same day as Freni was buried with her. (see also Fr2.b1)

Vj0 Johann {John} Vogt, son of Franz Voth and Maria, * 22 July 1857 in Rus., ✕ 1878 by Peter Becker, + 21 Jan. 1932, ¶ in CePp., ∞ (I) 20 Feb. 1879 Anna Graber Gr3.577, * 23 Oct. 1853 in Rus., + 25 Feb. 1903, ¶ in CePp., ∞ (II) 25 Aug. 1903 Elisabeth "Lizzi" Graber Kaufman Gr3.776 (her II), * 12 Nov. 1862, ✕ 2 Apr. 1876 in Hoff., + 9:45am 27 Jan. 1948 in King., KS. Memorial Hospital. Johann immigrated to America in 1875 with his parents and settled at Marion, SD. In 1885 (six years after their marriage) he and Anna moved to PPr., KS. where they were members of FMPPr. He was a farmer. (see also Gr3.577)

Children:

Vj1.1 Johann {John} J Vogt, * 28 Jan. 1880 at Marion, SD., ✕ 2 Aug. 1896 in FMPPr., + 22 Oct. 1963 at Bartlesville, OK., ¶ in CePp., ∞ 1 Nov. 1900 Emelia Albrecht Ac5.23367, * 17 Nov. 1880 in Reno Co., KS., ✕ 28 Sep. 1894 in FMPPr., + 29 Oct. 1952 at Wichita, KS., ¶ in CePp. Johann and Emelia lived at Valley Center, KS. where he farmed. They were members of FMPPr.

Vj1.2 Maria {Mary} Vogt, * 2 Nov. 1882 at Marion, SD., ✕ 8 Apr. 1900 in FMPPr., + Apr. 1970, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 1 Nov. 1900 Johann {John} H Flickinger Fr3.b11, * 20 Mar. 1875, ✕ 10 Apr. 1892, + 12 Oct. 1927, ¶ in CePp. Maria and Johann apparently lived for a time in McPh. Co., KS. as she joined Eden. in 1931. They then moved to King., KS. He was a farmer. (see also Fr3.b11-under Fr2.b1)

Wa2.2a Maria Waltner, * 14 May 1845, + 5 Jan. 1893 at Mdge., KS., ¶ in CeHf., ∞ 2 Feb. 1864 Peter P "Didy Heg" Kaufman Ka3.232 [formerly Ka3.332] (his II), * 23 Aug. 1823, ✕ 7 Apr. 1840 in Horo., + 23 Dec. 1887, ¶ in CeHf. Maria and Peter moved in 1884 from Yank., SD. to Mdge., KS. (see also Ka3.232)

Wa3.483 Julena {Helena} A "Lena" Waltner, * 18 May 1881 in Turner Co., SD., ✕ 13 Sep. 1896 in SaZi., + Oct. 1977, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 12 Mar. 1899 Andreas {Andrew} P Graber Gr3.849, * 20 Aug. 1876 in Turner Co., SD., ✕ 10 Apr. 1892 in FMPPr., + 19 June 1956, ¶ in CePp. Julena and Andreas lived in PPr., KS and were members of FMPPr. He was a farmer. (see also Gr3.849-under Gr2.84)

We2.21 Anna Wedel, * 3 Oct. 1845 in Vol., Rus., ✕ 5 Apr. 1859 in Edu., + 3 Nov. 1912 at PPr., KS., ¶ 5 Nov. in CePp., ∞ 17 Nov. 1863 Andreas "Andrushka" Gering Ge3.317, * 15 Feb. 1844 in Wald., Rus., ✕ c.1860 by Elder Johann Schrag in Rus., + 26 July 1931 in the home of his daughter Mrs. Jacob J Graber, ¶ in CePp. Anna and Andreas immigrated to America in 1874 and settled in SD. In 1884 they moved to PPr., KS. where they were charter members of FMPPr. (see also Ge3.317)

Zf2.24 Willhelm {William} Zafft {Soft} [formerly Zr2.14], * 8 May 1854 in Sornpolna, Prussian Poland, ✕ in SD. by Min. Peter Becker, + evening 29 Jan. 1939, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 5 Feb. 1880 Maria {Mary} Schwartz Sw4.1121 at Marion, SD., * 2 Apr. 1862, ✕ 1878 by Min. Christian Kaufman in SD., + 4:30am 12 Jan. 1942, ¶ in CePp. Willhelm immigrated to America in 1875 and homesteaded in McCook Co., SD. in 1876. In 1883 Willhelm and Maria moved to Turner Co., SD. and sometime between 1895 and 1898 to PPr., KS. In August 1913 they moved to Bloomfield, MT. At his retirement in 1928 they moved back to PPr., KS. (see also Sw4.1121)

Children:

Zf3.242 Emma Zafft {Soft}, * 20 Jan. 1883 in SD., ✕ 19 Mar. 1899 in SaZi., + 5 Aug. 1933, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 29 Oct. 1903 Benjamin A Schwartz Sw3.178, * 6 Oct. 1882, ✕ 10 Apr. 1898 in FMPPr., + July 1972, ¶ in CePp. Emma was born in SD. and moved with her parents to PPr., KS. in 1902. Emma and Benjamin lived in PPr., KS. where he farmed. (see also Sw3.178-under Sw2.17)

Zf3.243 Jacob W Zafft {Soft}, * 26 Jan. 1885 at Marion, SD., ✕ 27 Apr. 1902 in FMPPr., + 9 Aug. 1956, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 4 Jan. 1906 Elisabeth "Lizzie" Graber Gr4.5693 at PPr., KS., * 18 Jan. 1886, ✕ 8 Apr. 1900, + 27 Oct. 1980, ¶ in CePp. Jacob moved from SD. to PPr., KS. with his parents. Jacob and Elisabeth lived in PPr., KS. where he farmed. They were members of FMPPr.

Zf3.245 John W Zafft {Soft}, * 22 Dec. 1889 at Free., SD., ✕ 20 Oct. 1906 in FMPPr., + May 1975, ∞ 13 Sep. 1911 Grace Williams in the Reno Co. Courthouse, Hutch., KS., daughter of Charles Williams, * 5 July 1894 at Dorrance, KS., + June 1979. John and Grace lived in Hutchinson, KS. and joined FMHu. in 1929; in 1930 they transferred church membership to Hadley Methodist.

Zf3.246 Martha Zafft {Soft}, * 19 Mar. 1892, ✕ 14 June 1908 in FMPPr., + Oct. 1985, ∞ Chet Field. Martha and Chet lived at PPr., KS.

Zf3.247 Bernhard W Zafft (Soft), * 17 Nov. 1895 at Free., SD., ✕ 1911 probably in SD., + 13 Sep. 1960, ∞ (I) 18 Nov. 1917 Fannie Miller, daughter of Levi Miller and Mattie Miller, * 28 Dec. 1896 in Mt. Air, IN., ✕ 9 Sep. 1917 in BetlBl., + 4:10pm 23 Feb. 1923 from complications from childbirth, ¶ in CeBl., ∞ (II) Clara Graber Gr5.75117, * 11 July 1905, ✕ 2 Oct. 1921 in BetlBl., + 3 July 1981. At a very early age Bernhard accompanied his parents from SD. to KS. He apparently moved from KS. to Bloomfield, MT. where he met and married Fannie; she had moved there in 1917 from IN. They had 2 children and he had 3 children with Clara. He and Clara apparently moved to Richey, MT. and transferred church membership from BetlBl. to Richey Alliance Church.

Zf3.241 Helena "Lena" Zafft {Soft}, * 13 Dec. 1880 in Bridgewater, SD., ✕ 20 Oct. 1895 in SaZi., + 4 Apr. 1966, ¶ in CeBl., ∞ 13 Nov. 1898 Jonathan P "Pet" Graber Gr3.56h in Salem., * 13 May 1874 in Horo., Rus., ✕ 10 Apr. 1892, + 22 May 1954, ¶ in CeBl. Jonathan was a blacksmith. They moved from SD. to PPr., KS. where they were living in 1900. They they moved to Richy, MT. joining Betlbl. in 1914. (see also Gr3.56h)

Zr4.3121 Joseph J Zerger, * 1 Jan. 1852, ✕ 9 Apr. 1867 in Kutu., + 8 Apr. 1885, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 12 Sep. 1872 Elisabeth "Liessy" Flickinger Fr2.b3 (her I), * 28 Dec. 1852, ✕ 9 Apr. 1867 in Kutu., + 14 Mar. 1946 at Miami, FL. Joseph and Elisabeth immigrated to America with the Kutu. congregation but settled in IL. for several years, then moved to SD. and were living there in 1879. They moved to PPr., KS. in 1884-85 where they were charter members of FMPPr. Joseph left Elisabeth with 7 children ages

1 to 11 at his death. The names of Joseph Zr4.3121 and his son Jacob Zr5.31211 are inverted on SIKu #126-127, i.e., Jacob is listed as the father, age 20, and Joseph is listed as the son, age 1. (see also Fr2.b3)

Children:

Zr5.31211 Jacob Joseph Zerger, * 1 Oct. 1873, ✕ 8 April 1891 in FMPPr., + morning 30 Oct. 1954 in his home, ¶ in CePp., ∞ 31 Dec. 1896 Agnetha "Nettie" B Boese in IL., * 20 Aug. 1878 in Barton Co., KS, + 10 Sep. 1963, ¶ in CePp. Joseph immigrated with the Kutu. congregation and his parents to America settling first in IL. They moved to SD. where they lived until 1885 when the family moved to PPr., KS. Jacob returned to IL. to marry Nettie and they lived there for 5 years. They returned to PPr., KS. and lived on a farm and joined BethKi. In 1929 they moved to Arlington, KS. and joined ArMC. In c.1946 they moved into PPr.

Zr5.31212 Anna Zerger, * 9 Nov. 1875, + 15 Nov. 1970 in CA., ¶ in the Reedley, CA. Ce., ∞ 8 Aug. 1895 Joseph P "Petruch" (or) "Ries Joe" Graber Gr4.6227 in FMPPr. (his III), * 17 May 1861 in Kutu., Rus., ✕ 31 Oct. 1880 in Hoff., + 8:00pm 22 Nov. 1937 of a stroke while visiting the home of his son Ben in Arkansas City, KS., ¶ in CePp. Anna was about age 10 when she accompanied her parents from SD. to KS. She and Joseph lived in IL. In 1902 they moved to KS., first in Mdge. and then PPr.; in 1908 they moved to OK. on a farm. In 1921 after their house burned down they returned to PPr., KS. In 1923 they went with their son to Kenosha, WI. where Anna worked as a custodian at the court house. After 1946 she moved to CA.

Zr5.31213 Freni {Frances} Zerger, * 14 Aug. 1877 in Tazewell Co., IL., ✕ 8 April 1891 in FMPPr., + 2 Mar. 1924 of pneumonia at King., KS., ¶ in CePp., ∞ 28 Nov. 1895 Christian J "Christ" Albrecht Ac5.23251 in FMPPr., * 27 Dec. 1868 in Rus., ✕ 19 Dec. 1886 in FMPPr., + 3:20pm 20 Mar. 1948 of a heart condition, ¶ in CeMn. Freni moved with her parents from IL. to SD., to Harvey Co., then to McPh. Co., then Reno Co., then King. Co., KS. Freni and Christian moved to Weatherford, OK. in 1896 where he farmed. In 1919 they moved back to KS. and joined FMPPr. in 1921.

Zr5.31214 Maria {Mary} Zerger, * 18 Sep. 1879 in SD., ∞ 28 Nov. 1895 Jacob J Albrecht Ac5.23253 in FMPPr., * 27 Mar. 1874, ✕ 1 Sep. 1888. Maria and Jacob moved to Eakly, OK. and were members of SpMC. In 1946 they were living in Weatherford, OK.

Zr5.31215 Edward Zerger, * 1881, + 1958, ¶ in CeKi.

Zr5.31216 Karolina Zerger, * 30 July 1883, + 11 Sep. 1955, ∞ Francis Marion Johnson, * 30 Apr. 1885, + Sep. 1973. Karolina and Marion lived at Mdge., KS.

Zr5.31217 Lena Zerger, * 30 July 1884 in SD., + 5 July 1970 in Naples, FL., ∞ Joseph G "Joe" Holly Hy1.4, * 13 Feb. 1882 in Sedgwick Co., KS., ✕ 12 Mar. 1899 in SpMC., + 6 July 1970 in Naples, FL. Lena and Joseph lived in Weatherford, OK. until they moved to Kenosha, WI. sometime between 1911 and 1920. They then moved to Miami, FL. where Joseph operated a meat market. They spent the remainder of their lives there dying a day apart in a nursing home in Naples, FL. They were members of the Christian Church

ABBREVIATIONS

*	= born
✕	= baptized
+	= died
∞	= married
ArMC	= Arlington Mennonite Church, Arlington, Kansas
Aus	= Austria
BethFr	= Bethany Mennonite Church, Freeman, South Dakota. This church was founded in the town of Freeman in 1898.
BethKi	= Bethany Mennonite Church, Kingman, Kansas. This church was founded in 1907 near Murdock, Kansas east of Kingman, Kansas. The church closed in 1973 when the congregation merged with the Zion Mennonite church, Kingman to form the Kingman Mennonite Church.
BethBl	= Bethlehem Mennonite Church, Bloomfield, Montana
Ce	= Cemetery

CeBl	= Cemetery of Bethlehem Mennonite Church, Bloomfield, Montana
CeCa	= Unnamed Rural Cemetery in Banner Township, Cavalier County, North Dakota
CeEd	= Cemetery of the Eden Mennonite Church, Moundridge, Kansas established in 1925
CeEm	= Cemetery of Emmanuel Evangelical Mennonite Church, Sterling, Kansas
CeFc	= Cemetery of First Mennonite Church of Christian, Moundridge, Kansas
CeHf	= Cemetery of Hoffnungsfeld (Hopefield) Mennonite Church, Moundridge, Kansas
CeKi	= Cemetery of Bethany Mennonite Church, Kingman, Kansas (also used by Zion Mennonite Church, Kingman and Kingman Mennonite Church)
CeLs	= Lone Star Cemetery, Pretty Prairie, Kansas (city cemetery)
CeMe	= Cemetery of Menno Mennonite Church, Ritzville, Washington
CeMi	= Cemetery of Minier, Illinois (city cemetery)
CeMn	= I.O.O.F. Cemetery, Monroe Washington (city cemetery)
CePp	= Cemetery of First Mennonite Church, Pretty Prairie, Kansas
CeSa	= Cemetery of Salem Mennonite (South) Church, Freeman, South Dakota
CeSt	= Cemetery of Sterling, Kansas (city cemetery)
CeSz	= Cemetery of Salem-Zion Mennonite (North) Church, Freeman, South Dakota
Co	= County
Eden	= Eden-Hoffnungsfeld (Eden-Hopefield) Mennonite Church, Moundridge, Kansas. This congregation was formed in 1895 as a result of a split in the Hopefield Congregation. The first church structure was built across the road west of the Hopefield Church. Later a new church was built one and three-quarter miles north of the first building.
Edu	= Eduardsdorf (Volhynia, Russia) or the Mennonite Church in Eduardsdorf, Volhynia, Russia
EMSt	= Emmanuel Evangelical Mennonite Church, Sterling, Kansas.
FMCC	= First Mennonite Church of Christian, Moundridge, Kansas. The church existed in Christian, Kansas before the town of Moundridge was organized. After the town of Moundridge was established in 1887 the congregation was moved one mile north to Moundridge. Presently the church is called the First Mennonite Church of Moundridge. The first Swiss Russian Volhynians baptized in the church were in 1884.
FMHu	= First Mennonite Church, Hutchinson, Kansas
FMMc	= First Mennonite Church, McPherson, Kansas
FMMo	= First Mennonite Church, Monroe, Washington. The church was founded largely by Swiss Volhynian Mennonites in 1918. The congregation is no longer in existence.
FMNe	= First Mennonite Church, Newton, Kansas
FMPPr	= First Mennonite Church, Pretty Prairie, Kansas. This church was established in 1884 by Swiss Volhynian Mennonites near the small town of Bruderthal, Kansas (and initially called the Burderthal Mennonite Church). It is located 4 miles east of Pretty Prairie, Kansas.
FMRe	= First Mennonite Church, Reedley, California. This church was founded in 1909.
Free	= Freeman, Dakota Territory (or South Dakota). The name is also used prior to the founding of the town for that postal area which became Freeman, Dakota Territory (or South Dakota).
Hoff	= Hoffnungsfeld (Hopefield) Mennonite Church, Moundridge, Kansas. This was formed from the Kutusovka Congregation. The church was incorporated under the English title "Hopefield". The church is situated 4 miles west of Moundridge, Kansas.
Horo	= Horodyszcze, (Volhynia, Russia) or the Mennonite Church in Horodyszcze, Volhynia, Russia
Hutch	= Hutchinson, (Kansas) or Hutchinson (County, South Dakota). This name is also used for the area in the Dakota Territory which (after 1889) became Hutchinson County in South Dakota.
King	= Kingman, (Kansas) or Kingman (County, Kansas)
Kutu	= Kutusovka (Volhynia, Russia) or the Mennonite Church in Kutusovka, Volhynia, Russia. The church was located between the two villages of Kutusovka and Neumannovka.
McPh	= McPherson, (Kansas) or McPherson (County, Kansas)

- Mdge = Moundridge, (Kansas). The name is also used prior to 1887 for that postal area which became Moundridge, Kansas.
- Mdorf = Michelsdorf, (West Galicia, Austria, Grand Duchy of Poland, or Russia)
- MeMC = Menno Mennonite Church, Ritzville, Washington. The church was founded by Swiss Volhynian Mennonites adjacent to the town of Menno, Washington. That town no longer exists. The church is about 15 miles west of Ritzville.
- Min. = Minister
- PPr = Pretty Prairie, (Kansas). The name is also used prior to the founding of the town for that postal area which became Pretty Prairie, Kansas.
- Rus = Russia
- Salem = Salem Mennonite Church, Freeman, South Dakota (South Church). The church is 4 miles east and 2 miles south of Freeman, South Dakota. The decision to split from the Salem-Zion (North Church) was in 1907 with the dedication of the church structure 24 May 1908.
- SaZi = Salem-Zion Mennonite Church, Freeman, South Dakota (North Church). The church is 4 miles east of Freeman, South Dakota. This designation is used for the same continuous church (the North Church) regardless of the dates. Earlier it was called the Salem Mennonite Church with another church (Zion Mennonite Church) existing just a few miles away. This early Salem Church was made up largely from the Horodische Congregation in Russia. The decision to merge the two congregations with the name of Salem-Zion Church was made in 1894 (services, however, continued in both churches) with the merger eventually taking place when a storm destroyed the Zion structure in 1902.
- SMAl = Swiss Mennonite Church, Alsen, North Dakota, organized in 1904 when an earlier congregation moved from near Starkweather, North Dakota to Alsen. The congregation at Starkweather was formed in c.1899 largely by Swiss Volhynian Mennonites.
- SpMC = Springfield Mennonite Church, Eakly, Oklahoma. The church was organized in 1899 generally by families from Pretty Prairie, KS. The church lasted c.20 years when the families moved back to Pretty Prairie, Montana or Washington.
- Twp = Township
- Vol = Volhynia, (Russia)
- Wald = Waldheim, (Volhynia, Russia) or the Mennonite Church in Waldheim, Volhynia, Russia
- WGa = West Galicia, (Austria, Grand Duchy of Poland, or Russia)
- Yank = Yankton, (Dakota Territory) or (South Dakota) or Yankton County, (South Dakota)
- ZionFr = Zion Mennonite Church, Freeman, South Dakota. This church was organized shortly after the immigration to South Dakota in 1874. It consisted largely of families from the Waldheim Congregation in Russia. In 1894 the Zion Church united with the Salem (North Church) to form the Salem-Zion Mennonite Church although services continued in both buildings until the Zion Church structure was destroyed by a storm in 1902.
- ZionKi = Zion Mennonite Church, Kingman, Kansas. This church was organized in 1929 when some members split from the Bethany Mennonite Church at Kingman. The churches were reunited in 1937 to form the Kingman Mennonite Church which is situated 1 mile south of Kingman, Kansas.

The standard United States Postal State abbreviations are used. In the case of North and South Dakota, the names are used for the area in the Dakota Territory which (on 2 November 1889) became the respective states of North and South Dakota.

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