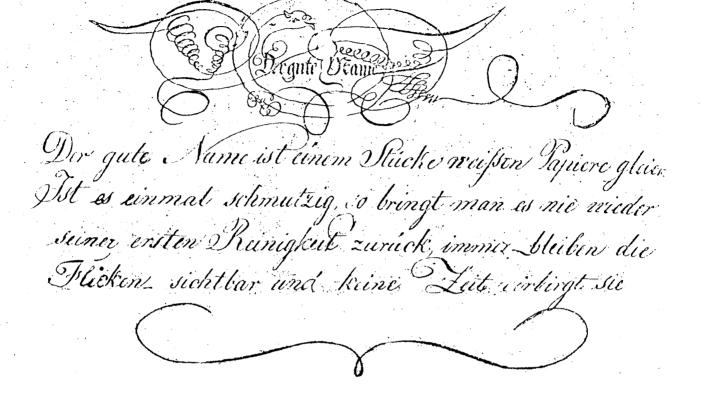


Photo of FRERKING HOME in ESPERKE

by Kathy Frerking

Frerking
Family
History



Translation-

The Good Name

The good name is like a piece of white paper. Once it gets dirty, one cannot bring it back to its original cleanness. The spots always remain visible and no amount of time can hide them.

This was written by Hermann Juergen Kroencke before emigrating to America in 1884 and is in Fern Cullom's possession.

Dear Cousins,

It has been a pleasure to compile this family history, especially since a good start had been already made. My interest in this family was because my husband, Paul, was a descendant.

Information has been gleaned from many sources. Have used family histories in some cases and I am certain some should have been up-dated by me. This could not have been gathered together without your willing co-operation. Thanks to each of you. This is actually just a skeleton to show just how many families are connected. If it is put in a three-ring binder it will be easy to add info from time to time.

My typing is not good and I am sorry for any errors. I have taken short cuts, such as b. for born; m. for married; d. for died; have not repeated MO each time if in this state. The place after the death date is where you will find their tombstone. If Concordia is the place, it means St. Paul's Lutheran Cemetery unless otherwise indicated.

I have kept each family together by using the next Roman numeral for each succeeding generation. The German names have been gradually anglicized. Johann and Juergen became John; Heinrich became Henry; Ludewig became Louis, etc.

It has been most satisfying to learn exactly how many were in this family and why the mother came and not their father. Now we know their father met an untimely death. These young would-be farmers needed land and by 1877 there were already 24 farms with the Frenking name. Some may have been small wood-lots but they also were essential.

We must wonder at their courage, stamina, fortitude and above all, faith in God. They were quick to help form a new group of fellow believers and start reading services. This fledgeling church would in turn start many more in this area. How God His wonders does perform!

Love to one and all,

Loberta Runge

Here is a description of Esperke as written by Ruby Dean Frerking:

Raymond and I visited Esperke in July of 1987. In this village as well as other villages in this area of Germany, the buildings were constructed of red brick all being quite similar to each other. It seemed that the farmers had more buildings than the other people. Esperke is like so many rural areas; namely, they live in groups of 10 to 20 farmers' buildings together in villages and their farmland is out in the country.

A main building for each farmer still had the name of the original owner painted clearly in white letters and also listed the year it was built. This gave a very neat appearance. The farm-yard was paved with the fancy concrete inlaid bricks found in many sidewalks of Germany.

The people in Esperke could speak "Plattdeutch" and were quite eager to help us locate a house with the name "FRER-KING" on it. Over the front door were the words: "B. FRER-KING, sohn of Heinrich." No one was home at the time, but we noticed that there was a hog operation within the same building at the back. We talked to 81 year-old Mrs. Alma Niemeyer, nee Frerking, but she did not know whether any of her father's relatives had come to America or not.

Frerking meets Frerking in Germany

Kathy Frerking of Kansas City recently visited with a Frerking family in West Germany to whom she might be related.

Miss Frerking, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Frerking of Concordia, spent from July 26 to Aug. 7 in Europe, primarily in Germany. In the small town of Esperke near Hanover in northern Germany, she observed the name "Frerking" on a cemetery tombstone She inquired of an English-speaking townsman whether or not Frerkings still lived there. He led her to the nearby farm of Christa

Frerking and her family where she spent the afternoon visiting and looking at a Frerking family tree. She took pictures of the family tree, which dated back to the 1600s, in order to share the genealogy with Frerkings in this area who are interested in the family history.

Miss Frerking visited Pvt. Daniel Frerking, who is stationed in Wurzburg, Germany, and his wife, Pam, both formerly of Concordia, and their children, Jackie and Patrick. Together they toured Paris, and parts of Austria, Italy and Germany, including Esperke.

From: The CONCORDIAN of August, 1989

Now here is another account of a day in Esperke by Kathy Frerking-

I travelled to Germany in late July of 1989 to visit my best friend, Pam Frerking. Her husband, Danny was stationed in Würzburg with the U.S. Army.

We drove to northern Germany on a Saturday, hoping to at least find the small town of Esperke where our Frerking ancestors emigrated from. Knowing we'd never find this little town on our own, we bought a map and eventually made our way into Esperke. The first sight that caught our attention was a very old church with a small graveyard. We stopped to look at names and indeed found some Frerking headstones. Then we drove around the town some more to see houses and look at more graveyards.

I took many pictures of the town to show my father, Eldon. One particular house caught my eye because of the ornate porch. As we continued our drive through town, I saw a man who looked quite educated. So I had Danny stop the car so I could ask if he spoke English. He understood me, so I showed him my drivers license to see if he recognized the name. He looked very surprised and asked, "Your name is Frerking?" I replied, "Yes," and he said "Really?? Follow me!" The man, Wolfgang Heinze, led us to a hog farm operated by Christa Frerking and her son, Jürgen. To my surprise, this was the same house with the ornate porch that I liked so well and shot several pictures of during our drive through town.

Christa called her daughter, Ülricke, who came over with her husband and also called her aunt, Alma Frerking. Christa's husband had died suddenly about two years earlier. We spent several hours talking with the family through Wolfgang who translated for us. We talked about our families, occupations, my hometown Concordia, their farm life, ancestors, etc. Christa and her family were most enjoyable to talk to. They also gave us a light lunch of bread, meat and cheese after we toured the farm. I'm not a coffee drinker, but their strong coffee tasted very good. Christa took a special liking to Pam and Danny's children, Jacklyn and Patrick.

After Wolfgang left, we struggled through the rest of the afternoon trying to communicate between their Plattdeutsch and our English. It truly was fate that we were able to find the town on our one-day excursion, let alone find an actual family of Frerkings. I'll remember that day very clearly forever - the day we met distant relatives who still lived in Germany.

Notes concerning the following pages-

by Loberta

You cannot possibly imagine my excitement when I received the foregoing material plus a picture of the ancestral FREERKING home. It was surely a fitting climax to several years of "off and on" research concerning this family. On the next page is a copy of the family "tree" which Kathy found inside the home. We think the branch containing two boxes with "America" above them is our family. Of course, it is not shown in its entirety here.

Following the "tree" is the ship's manifest listing the largest group of Frerkings to come at one time. Being a copy of a copy it suffers for clarity. Then a map of Germany showing it as it was at the time this family emigrated to America. It shows the usual shipping lanes.

When it was learned that William A. Frerking, son of Scharze, was a half-brother to the rest of his family, a copy of records at Trinity Lutheran Church in St. Louis was requested. The Research Report from our Concordia Historical Institute listing two baptisms was the result. It was and is quite a puzzle! Unless someone has more positive proof, the conclusion is that the first father named "George" was George Heinrich and the second is actually Otto "George" or better known as Scharze.

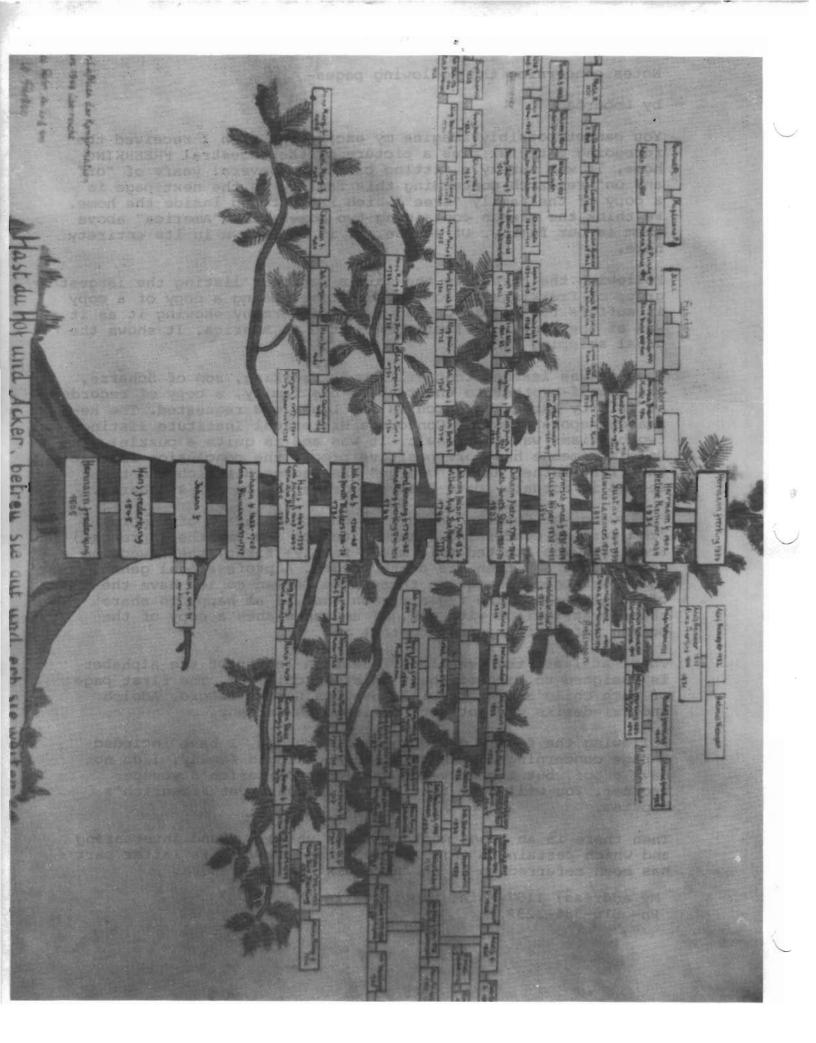
Following the Research Report is the translation of records from Germany concerning Johann Diterich and Dorothee(Sprengel) Freerking who started this whole family; first, their wedding certificate and then his death record. A professional genealogist arranged to acquire these. The German copies have the official seal of the registrar on them. I am happy to share these translations with you. If anyone wishes a copy of the German information, just contact me.

Then, at last, the genealogy itself! A letter of the alphabet is assigned to each of their thirteen children. The first page of each child's history will have its German record. Adolph and Friederike did not get confirmed in Germany.

Following the family of Johann and Dorothee, I have included a page concerning Johann Heinrich Frerking's family. I do not have proof, but I believe he was Johann Diterich's younger brother. You will note that he was a sponsor at Friedrich's baptism.

Then there is an assortment of items which I found interesting and which pertain to this family in some way. This latter part has been referred to as an "appendix" in some spots.

My address: 1107 Main, Higginsville, MO 64037 Ph- 816-584-3232



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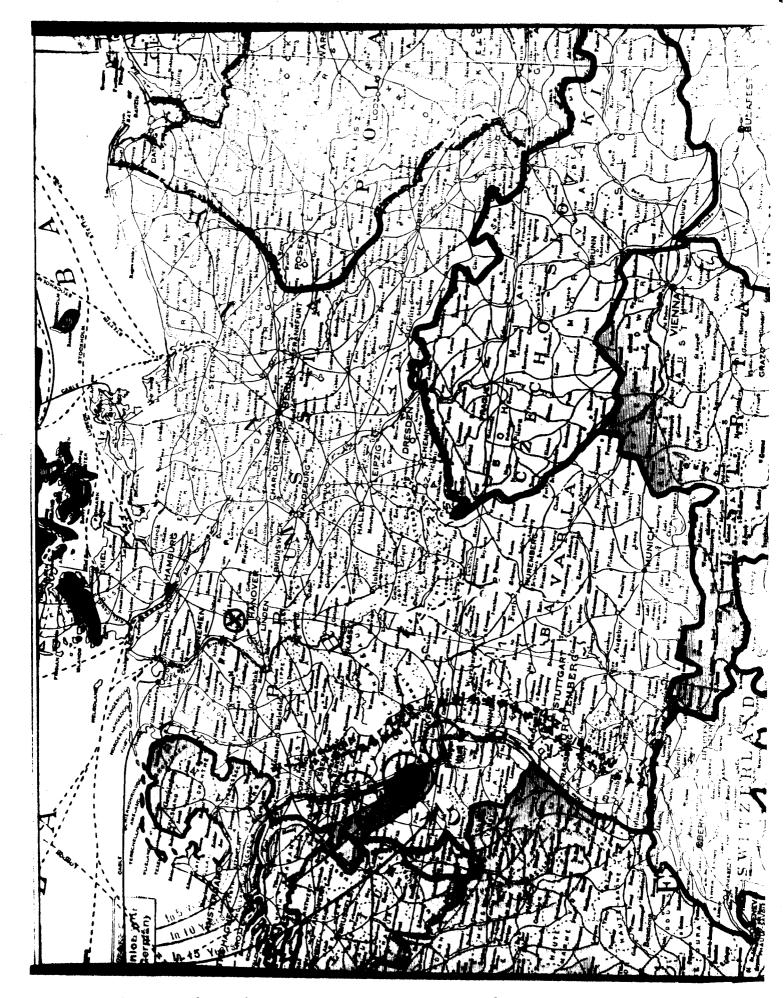
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And truly swear, that the within List, signed by to and now delivered to the Collector of this District, contains the names of all the assengers, taken on board the said frip fact westingtont the Port of free or at any time since, and at all matters therein set forth, are, according to the best of my knowledge and belief, just and true. I do further swear, that force of the said Passengers have died on the Voyage:

Sworn before me, this 24%

These two pages of ship records were located by Mary Clapp, 764 Crane Ave., Foster City, CA who is a great-granddaughter of G.A. Frerking. At left is a blown-up copy of the US postage stamp commemorating an early ship. Could it be the "Gen'l Washington"?

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X denotes location of Esperke. Note how close to the Bremen harbor.

RESEARCH REPORT

CONCORDIA HISTORICAL INSTITUTE DEPARTMENT OF ARCHIVES AND HISTORY THE LUTHERAN CHURCH-MISSOURI SYNOD St. Louis, Missouri

SUBJECT:	William August	Frerking family	

We thoroughly searched the baptismal records of Trinity Lutheran Church, St. Louis for the years 1843-1856 for any mention of the family of William August Frerking. We found the following records:

Georgine Christine Frerking--

born: 19 Nov. 1845 baptized: 18 Jan. 1846

(born on the trip at Cape Girardeau)

father: George Frerking (and his wife) mother: Louise n. Bradner (1st child)

sponsors: Joseph Christian Frerking

Charlotte Duempastal [spelling of last name is difficult

to determine]

Friedrich Wilhelm Frerking--

born: 4 Feb. 1847

baptized: Sunday, 28 Feb. 1847

father: George Frerking, schreiner [carpenter]
mother: _____ Dorothea n. Tschirping (lst wife)

sponsors: Ludwig Frerking, handarbeiter [laborer]

Adolph Frerking, schreiner [carpenter]

Heinrich Tschirping, handarbeiter [laborer]

Unfortunately we found no mention of William August Frerking, but it would appear that Georgine and Friedrich were part of his family. There are several interesting parts to this report: first, it appears that Georgine was born on the original trip up the Mississippi; second, it appears that George Frerking had two wives, although it is puzzling as to why both are listed as his first wife; finally, Friedrich's mother's first name is obscured in the rather poorly microfilmed copy of the records which we received for our holdings, but her middle name Dorothea would explain why William August's mother is called "Dora" on his death certificate as you mentioned.

Verna Lacho asked for records in St. Louis also. Her translation said, "Louise, nee Brodmann" and that George was a "tailor".

RESEARCH PERFORMED BY: Wayne Huebner DATE: 14 April 1989

TRANSLATIONS OF ORIGINAL RECORDS FROM GERMANY:

Certified Copy from the Marriage Register of the Evangelical Lutheran Church Parish of Niederstoecken

Those Married and Proclaimed in 1811. No. 4. Date of Marriage: 29 November (1811).

The beginning cottager in Esperke, Johann Diterich FREERKING, legitimate son of the cottager there Heinrich Ludewig FREERKING and his wife Marie Elisabeth née SPRENGEL (born 19 November (17)86, died 15 July (18)38); and Dorothee Marie SPRENGEL, legitimate daughter of the farmer of the full-sized church-owned farm in Esperke, Johann Heinrich SPRENGEL (born 13 April (17)92, did not die here) were married in the Esperke chapel.

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Niedernstoecken, 3 April 1989
/signed/ JENKE, Pastor
SEAL OF THE NIEDERNSTOECKEN EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

Certified Copy from the Death Register of the Evangelical Lutheran Church Parish of Niederstoecken

Year 1838.

Number and Sex: 14, Male.

Names: FREERKING, J(ohann) Diet(rich), cottager and former master of the farmers (representative of the farmers on the local council), married man, of Esp(erke). Place of Death and Birthplace: Esperke.

Date of Death and Burial: 15 July (1838), 18 July (1838).

Illness: Consumption.

Age: 51 years, 6 months, 5 days.

Marginal Note:

Born 19 November (17)86, married 29 November (18)11.

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The Thirteen Children of Johann & Dorothee

(A)	Johann "Friedrich" Ludewig Freerking 5 Ch: Fritz, Charlotte, John, Christine, Louise	pgs (A)13-(A)43
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(B)	Juergen Heinrich Freerking	pg (B)44
(C)	George "Wilhelm" Freerking	pgs (C)45-(C)59
	7 Ch: Mary, Charlotte, Henry, Martin, Christine, August, Sophia	
(D)	"George" Heinrich Freerking	pgs (D)60-(D)74
	5 Ch: Rosina, Ernst, Gustavus, Dorette, Carl	
(E)	Catharine Maria Friderike Freerking	pg (E)75
(F)	Heinrich "Ludewig" Freerking	pgs (F)76-(F)77
(G)	Otto George "Scharze" Freerking	pgs (G)78-(G)105
	11 Ch: Friedrich?, William, Otto, Emma, Mathilda, Marie, Gus, Charlotte, Auguste, Caroline, Martha	
(H)	Sophia "Charlotte" Freerking Stuenkel	pgs (H)106-(H)118
	11 Ch: Henry, Rosetta, Adolph, Diedrich, Martin, August, Louis, Christine, Maria & Ernst (Twins), Martha	
(I)	Adolph Freerking	pgs (I)119-(I)132
	9 Ch: Mathilda, Edward, Louise, Louis, Charlotte, Henry, Elise, Sophia, Pauline	
(J)	Maria "Christine" Freerking Bruns	pgs (J)133-(J)137
	5 Ch: Sophia, August, Henry, Adolph, John	
(K)	Dietrich "August" Freerking	pgs (K)138-(K)139
	Ch: Louis	
(L)	"Dietrich" Edward Freerking	pgs (L)140-(L)150
	12 Ch: Gus, Christine, Sabine, Henry, Anna, Caroline, Mathilda, Edward, Adolph, Martin, Stillborn, August	
(M)	Doris "Friederike" Freerking Francke	pg (M)151
	11 Ch: August, Pauline, Henry, Susanne, Friedrich, Wilhelm (not complete)	

TRANSLATIONS OF ORIGINAL RECORDS FROM GERMANY:

Certified Copy from the Baptismal Register of the Evangelical Lutheran Church Parish of Niederstoecken

Those Born in 1812.

No. 2.

Names: Johann Friderich Ludewig FREERKING.

Birthplace: Esperke.

Date of Birth and Baptism: 15 January (1812), 18 January (1812).

Parents:

Father: Johann Diderich FREERKING, cottager in Esperke.

Mother: Dorothee Marie SPRENGEL, of Esperke.

Baptismal Sponsors:

1. Johann Diderich SPRENGEL;

2. Juergen Heinrich FREERKING;

3. Joh(ann) Heinrich GOEMANN,

of Esperke.

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Certified Copy from the Confirmation Register of the Evangelical Lutheran Church Parish of Niederstoecken

Those Confirmed on Misericordias Sunday (the second Sunday after Easter), 9 April 1826.

School: Esperke.

No. 6.

Names of Those Confirmed: Joh(ann) Fried(rich) FREERKING.

Birth Day: 15.

Birth Month: January.

Birth Year: 1812.

Age: 14 1/2.

Proficiency in Reading: Good.

Proficiency in Comprehension: Good.

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Niedernstoecken, 3 April 1989

/signed/ JENKE, Pastor

SEAL OF THE NIEDERNSTOECKEN EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

Johann Diterich and Dorothee (Sprengel) Freerking's 1st child-

I Johann "Friedrich" Ludewig Frerking b. Jan. 15, 1812 Esperke d. April 17, 1869 Concordia

m. Caroline Dieckenhorst in Germany

b. 1809 Germany d. 1878 Concordia

Note- According to the original entry book in the County Recorder's office, Friedrich entered land in 1839. This Friedrich was one of the ten men who agreed to build the first Lutheran Church in what was to become Concordia. See "A Rare Document" in the appendix.

5 ch: Fritz, Charlotte, John, Christine, Louise

II Friedrich "Fritz" Frenking b. August 12, 1838 Esperke d. February 29, 1916 Concordia

m. Charlotte "Malinda" Brackmann 1867 Concordia b. 1845 Concordia d. 1941 Concordia 2 ch: Clara and Anna

Note- Fritz was a farmer all his life. He served in the Civil War for three years. See copies of his payroll in the appendix. He narrowly escaped bushwhackers after the war was over.

III Clara Anna Caroline Frerking b. Sept. 1, 1868 Concordia d. Sept. 21, 1966 Concordia

m. Heinrich "Henry" Kammeyer 1886 Concordia b. 1863 Concordia d. 1889 "

2 ch: Arthur and Anna

m. August Lohman 1891 Concordia
b. 1861 Concordia d. 1946 Concordia
3 ch: Henry, Paula, Fritz

IV Arthur Kammeyer b. May 16, 1887 Concordia d. June 7, 1946 "

m. Helena "Lena" Kirchhoff 1917 Concordia b. 1893 Concordia d. 1984 Concordia 6 ch: Esther, Omar, Helen, Elner, Arthur, Jr, Raymond

V Esther Kammeyer b.Dec. 4, 1917 Concordia m. E.J. Green 1940 He d. 1945 Okinawa WWII

Ch: James

m Clem Duensing 1949 C

m. Clem Duensing 1949 Concordia 2 ch: Michael and Karen

VI James Green b.October 5, 1940 Concordia m. Camille Sapp 1964 Columbia & div.

m. Emma Lou Williams of K.C.

VII Pia Green (Camille's) b. 1966

VI Michael Duensing b. April 17, 1950 Concordia m. Linda Driver 1972 Concordia Ch: Amy

VII Amy Duensing b. Feb. 12, 1973 Concordia

VI Karen Duensing b. Sept. 2, 1954 Concordia

V Omar Kammeyer b. Feb. 4, 1919 Concordia

Friedrich's family-Fritz and Malinda's daughter, Clara's family-Arthur and Lena Kammeyer's 3rd child-

V Helen Kammeyer b. Aug. 28, 1920 Concordia (Living in Raymore) d. Oct. 20, 1984 K.C.

m. Louis Hartl 1949

Ch: Linda

VI Linda Hartl b. May 5, 1957 K.C. m. Thomas Ismert 1978 K.C.

VII 4 ch: Jaqueline, Adam, Molly, Kevin (no dates)

V Elner Kammeyer b. May 23, 1922 Concordia (Living in Palm m. Steven Vaughn, Jr. 1944 K.C. Harbor, FL) 5 ch: David, Steven III, Robert, Anne, Cynthia

VI David Vaughn b. 1947 Mattapoisett, MA m. Karen Peele 1978 & div. Ch: Ivan

VII Ivan Vaughn b. 1978

VI Steven Vaughn III b. 1950 Mattapoisett, MA m. Marjorie Adams 1973 St. Petersburg, FL 2 ch: Christopher and Timothy

VII Christopher Vaughn b. 1976 St. Petersburg, FL

VII Timothy Vaughn b. 1979 St. Petersburg, FL

VI Robert Vaughn b. 1952 Mattapoisett, MA

VI Anne Vaughn b. 1954

VI Cynthia Vaughn b. 1958 St. Petersburg, FL m. Ira Jackson Ch:Justin

VII Justin Jackson b. 1985

V Arthur Kammeyer, Jr. b. May 19, 1925 Concordia d. May 20, 1950 "

V Raymond Kammeyer b. Oct. 30, 1926 Concordia m. Imogene Hagedorn 1947 Concordia 3 ch: Terry, Eddie, Judy

VI Terry Kammeyer b. September 16, 1948 Concordia m. Laurel Ratz 1975 Milwaukee, WI 2 ch: Heather and Joel

VII Heather Kammeyer b. 1980 Concordia

VII Joel Kammeyer b. 1982

VI Eddie Kammeyer b. 1952 Concordia m. Linda Fricke 1978 "

VI judy Kammeyer b. 1963 Concordia m. Mark Krause 1983 " VII ch: Megan Krause b. March 10, 1987 Concordia

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Fritz and Malinda's daughter, Clara's family con't-Clara and Heinrich Kammeyer's #2 child, Anna

IV Anna Melinda Dorothea Kammeyer b. December 18, 1888 Concordia d. October 5, 1929 Concordia

m. Edwin M. Runge 1910 Concordia

b. 1883 Concordia d. 1972 Concordia

Ch: Paul

V Paul Fritz Runge b. January 9, 1914 Concordia d. December 30, 1984 Higginsville

m. Loberta Tieman 1939 Gainesville, FL

3 Ch: Ann, Dale, Thomas VI Barbara Ann Runge b. 1939 Lexington

m. David Glaze 1964 Higginsville

VII (Twins) Eric and Paul Glaze b. 1973 Sherman Oaks, CA

VI Dale Elwin Runge b. 1942 Mayo, FL d. 1977 Higginsville

VI Paul Thomas Runge b. 1946 Atlanta, GA

m. Donna Davis Houston 1975 Higginsville

Her ch: Kelly and Kyle

VII Keenan Drew Runge b. 1976 Higginsville

Edwin Runge operated Runge Electric in Concordia for many years. Paul started Ace Radio Control which Tom carries on.

Clara and August Lohman family-IV Henry Lohman b. 1892 Concordia d. 1979 "

m. Ida Kirchhoff 1913 Concordia 3 Ch: Clarence, Virginia, Robert

V Clarence Lohman b. 1917 Concordia

m. Irene Harms Dierking 1946 Concordia Her ch: Norma m. Raymond Schlueter

2 ch: Janice and Gerald

VI Janice Lohman b. 1947 Sweet Springs

m. Dr. Lewis Bybee 1972 Emma

His ch: Shari

VII Brett Bybee b. 1974 Sweet Springs

VI Gerald Lohman b. 1950 Sweet Springs m. Diane Ziegelbein 1975 Concordia

VII Allison Lohman b. 1981

V Virginia Lohman b. 1920 Concordia m. Norbert Oetting 1942 Concordia

VI Dennis Ray Oetting b. 1947

m. Sandra Eisenreich 1969 Camdenton

3 ch: Matthew, Andrew, Gregory

VII Matthew Oetting b. 1973 VII Andrew Oetting b. 1976

VII Gregory Oetting b. 1979

Henry Lohman later m. Gussie Welpman in 1935 Concordia

Note-On Fritz Frerking's death certificate, his birth date is listed as "August 12, 1838" and that he was 78 years old at that time. If his father entered land here in 1839, he came to America when only one year old. The family information was given by Adolf H. Frerking of Concordia.

Fritz and Malinda's daughter, Clara and August Lohman's cont'd-Henry and Ida's #3 child, Robert

V Robert Lohman b. 1924 Concordia

m. Ruth Helt 1944 Concordia d. 1973 Emma (in wreck)

VI ch: Roberta Kay Lohman b. 1944 Concordia

m. Wayne Blue 1965 Raytown

2 ch: Brian and Brett

VII Brian Blue b. 1965 Raytown

VII Brett Blue b. 1967

Robert m. Betty Schaeffer 1973

IV Paula Lohman b. October 23, 1896 Concordia d. June 5, 1978 Concordia

m. Alfred Fuchs 1921 Concordia

2 ch: Ervin and Minerva

V Ervin Fuchs b. 1924 Concordia d. 1953 Opp, AL

m. Hilda Holmes 1944 Selma, AL (she later remarried)

2 ch: Ervin, Jr. and Judith

VI Ervin Fuchs, Jr b. 1945 Opp, AL

VI Judith Ann Fuchs b. 1947 "

V Minerva Fuchs b. June 15, 1930 Concordia m. Kenneth Hinck 1949 Concordia 3 ch: Steven, Neal, James

VI Steven Kenneth Hinck b. 1952 Concordia m. Susan Voss 1973 Bourbon 2 ch: Bethany and Amy

VII Bethany Hinck b. 1979 Concordia

VII Amy Hinck b. 1981 Concordia

VI Neal Alan Hinck b. 1955 Concordia m. Kathy Northern 1978 Alma VII Melissa Hinck b. 1980 Concordia

VI James Andrew Hinck b. 1960 Concordia m. Melissa Cunningham 1983 Concordia VII Andrew Christopher Hinck b. March 19, 1989 Evansville, IN

Paula Lohman Fuchs later m. Otto Peters 1940 Concordia b. 1891 Herrington, KS d. 1976 Concordia

A paragraph from The Centennial History of St. Paul's in Concordia has this to tell us-

"The oldest living member of the church is Mrs. Fritz Frenking, nee Malinde Brackmann. She was born at Concordia on September 13, 1845, baptized by Liever, confirmed and married by Pastor Biltz and has now passed her 95th year still in good health."

and Malinda's daughter, Friedrich's family-Clara and August Lohman's #3

child-

IV Fritz Lohman ٩ d • • November 12, 1899 Concord
• April 9, 1944 Concordia
kepank 1925 Concordia Concordia

Stella Pinkepank Evelyn, Waldo, Florence

< Evelyn Lohman 23 ch: Howard Borgstadt Susan, Sarah ٩ a • Мау October 1947 19, 1 1976 1927 (6 West Concordia Concordia Plains

VI Susan Maria ω∄ Stan Clyne Scott, Stephanie, Aaron Borgstadt 1972 West Plains ٩ 1950 K.C.

VII Scott Andrew Clyne **ب** 1974 K.C.

VII Stephanie Maria Clyne b. 1976 K.C.

VII Aaron Andrew Clyne b. 1976 Wichita, KS

۷I Sarah Lynn Borgstadt **3** ch: Amy, Jimmie Thompson Christopher, Jeffrey ָס 1973 1952 Emporia, West Plains

VII Amy Thompson ٠ م 1976 West Plains

VII Christopher Thompson b. 1978 West Plains

VII Jeffrey Thompson b. 1979 West Plains

V Waldo m. Dorothea Ruth Bruch ch: "Buddy" Lohman b. Lynette, Frederick, John November 1952 18, 1929 Concordia

٧I Lynette Ruth Lohman m. James Lewis ch: Brian, Phillip, 1975 ٩ 1954 St. Eileen CA S Louis

VII Brian Lewis ٠ م 1976

VII Phillip Lewis b. 1976 δ

VII Eileen Lewis ٩ 1980 S

۷I Frederick W. Lohman b. 1955 St. Louis

VI John Lohman b. March 6, 1957 Garden Grove, CA

V Florence Lohman b. 3 James Michael, Evert Mark, October 1, 1933 1953 David 1954 Concordia Concordia

۷I Michael Evert ۵,

Mark Evert ۵ June 18, 1959

۷I David Evert b. Feb. 22, 1961

Stella Pink@pank Lohman later m. Norbert "Nups" Schnackenberg 1955 Concordia

III Anna Dorothea Carolina Frerking တ ဝ 1870 1872 Concordia

2nd child-

Friedrich and Malinda's

OLD PIONEER DEAD

(Copied from CONCORDIAN, of March, 1916 on microfilm)

Fritz Frerking, a wellknown farmer, died Tuesday. Old and young are being moved away by the "Reaper" whose name is death. On Tuesday afternoon, February 29, 1916, at 4:30 o'clock Fritz Frerking, a well and favorably known pioneer, G.A.R. veteran, and farmer died after a brief illness at an age of 78 years, 6 months, and 16 days at the home of his daughter, Mrs. August Lohman of near this city. The funeral took place this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock from the house of mourning and was largely attended. Rev. Brust conducted the service. The remains were placed to rest in St. Paul's Lutheran Cemetery of which he was a lifelong member.

Fritz Frerking was born August 12, 1837, in Esperke, Hanover, Germany and came to America with his parents when he was
3 years old. He was married to Miss Melinda Brackmann. He leaves
his wife, daughter, 5 grandchildren, 1 great, grandchild, 1 brother, John Frerking.

During the Civil War he served as a Federal soldier. He enlisted at Boonville, Missouri July 1, 1861 in Captain Beck's Company of Independent Missouri Home Guard under General Lyons. He took a discharge and re-enlisted in Company E of 7th Missouri commanded by Colonel Phillips, served 3 years, was honorably discharged at end of struggle. He was a kind and loving father, a good friend and neighbor and was held in high esteem by those who knew him. The mourners have our sympathy.

(Copied from CONCORDIA, MISSOURI: A CENTENNIAL HISTORY, by Harry R. Voight, 1960)

In 1862-65 Henry Deke and Herman Kueck, Sr., bought hemp in Concordia and then hauled it to Dresden, Missouri. On one trip home from Dresden, they were attacked by bushwhackers. They surrounded their wagon and demanded their money. Herman Kueck took his pistol and fired several shots at them and then jumped into the brush. In so doing he sprained his ankle but he hid all night in the brush. Henry Deke jumped over into the timber and got lost during the night. Fritz Frerking, who was also with Deke and Kueck, made his escape somehow and notified the Home Guard. The next morning the Home Guard came to fetch them safely home.

- Friedrich & Caroline(Dieckenhorst) Frerking's #2 child-
- II Charlotte Frerking b. February 17, 1843 Concordia d. February 19, 1908 "
 - m. Heinrich Flandermeyer 1859 Concordia

b. 1835 Bielefeld, Germany d. 1901 Concordia

8 ch: Emma, Mary, John, Pauline, Anna, William, Martin, still-

Heinrich "Henry" came to the US in 1843.

In the 1910 HISTORY OF LAFAYETTE COUNTY it says that Henry built a grist mill where Concordia was later located.

- III Emma Flandermeyer b. June 1, 1861 Concordia d. May 5, 1932 "
 - m. Johann "John" Stuermer 1878 Concordia
 - 8 ch: Henry, Louis, Marie, stillborn, Flora, Frederick, Rosa, Magdalena
- IV Henry Adolph Stuermer b. & d. 1879 Concordia
- IV Louis Gustav Stuermer b. 1880 d. 1883 Concordia
- IV Marie Henrietta Stuermer b. 1882 d. 1966
- IV Stillborn 1884 Concordia
- IV Flora Stuermer b. March 12, 1885 d. Sept. 29, 1963 Concordia m. Gus Lohman 1909 Concordia
- IV Frederick Wm Stuermer b. March 31,1888 d. March 17,1938 m. Hulda Schmidt 1911
- IV Rosa Stuermer b. May 24, 1890 d. April 28, 1965 m. William Poese 1911
- IV Magdalena Stuermer b. Aug. 2, 1892 d. Oct. 3, 1980 m. Henry Bertram 1914
- III Mary Charlotte Flandermeyer b. April 17, 1863 Concordia d. June 7, 1882 " (childbirth)

m. William Lohman 1881 Concordia He later married Malinda Clara Dedeke

- III Johann "John" Friedrich Flandermeyer b. May 15, 1865 Concordia d. October 11, 1920 Concordia
 - m. Anna Westerhaus 1892 Concordia

b. 1862 Concordia d. 1947 Concordia

Lived on a farm one and half mile south of Concordia

5 ch: Stillborn, Obed, Arnold, Ena, Gilbert

- IV Stillborn 1893 Concordia
- IV Obed Flandermeyer b. Sept 13, 1898 Concordia d. Mar 17, 1973 Conc m. Dora Borgstadt 1918 Concordia
 - 9 ch: Ethel, Ora, Helen, Gladys, Hazel, Obed, Jr, Wilma, Sharon, Leanna
- V Ethel Flandermeyer b. Nov. 27, 1919 Concordia
 - m. Francis Quinn 1946 K.C.
 - 3 ch: Mary, Teresa, Joan
- VI Mary Karen Quinn b. 1952 K.C., KS
 - m. Terry Campbell 1976 Shawnee, KS
 - 3 Ch: Cary, Kristin, Casie
- VII Cary Joseph Campbell b. 1977
- VII Kristin Jean Campbell b. 1978
- VII Casie Nicole Campbell b. 1980

His #2 child, Charlotte and Henry Flandermeyer's #3 child's fam-John and Anna(Westerhaus) Flandermeyer's 2nd child, Obed's fam-Obed and Dora(Borgstadt) Flandermeyer's 1st child, Ethel's fam-Ethel and Francis Quinn's 2nd child-

VI Teresa Ann Quinn b. 1953 K.C. KS Ch: Sean VII Sean Quinn b. 1983

VI Joan Marie Quinn b. 1959 Shawnee, KS m. Steven Boulware 1979 & div. m. Dan Moritz 1984 Shawnee, KS 2 Ch: Brandon, Janelle

VII Brandon Moritz b. 1983 VII Janelle Moritz b. 1987

Obed and Dora's 2nd childV Ora Kathryn Flandermeyer b. April 17, 1921 Concordia
m. Harold Riesterer 1946 K.C.
4 Ch: Phyllis, Judith, Diana, Janis

VI Phyllis Ann Riesterer b. 1946 Concordia m. Hubert Fenner & div.

VI Judith Kay Riesterer b. Dec. 13, 1949 Concordia m. Kenneth Hemme & div. 2 Ch: Scott, Julia

VII Scott Alan Hemme b. 1968 Concordia VII Julia Kay Hemme b. 1973 "

VI Diana Lynn Riesterer b. May 13, 1954 Concordia m. David Storck & div. VII Ch: Cheryl Lynn Storck b. 1971 Concordia

VI Janis Sue Riesterer b. Oct. 9, 1957 Concordia m. Russell Bredehoeft 1980 Concordia 3 Ch: Leslie, Rhett, Lauren VII Leslie Bredehoeft b. 1983 Concordia VII Rhett Thomas Bredehoeft b. 1986 "

VII Lauren Taylor Bredehoeft b. 1990 "

Obed & Dora's 3rd ChildV Helen Marian Flandermeyer b. August 20, 1923 Concordia m. Warren Erdwins 1944 Warrensburg 2 Ch: Beverly, Sonny
VI Beverly Erdwins b. 1946 Concordia Ch: Todd
VII Todd Christopher Erdwins b. 1966 Pensacola,FL

VI Sonny Boye Erdwins b. 1947 Concordia m. Brenda Etheridge 1968 Pensacola,FL 3 Ch: Tracy, Shannon, Chad VII Tracy Sue Erdwins b. 1971 Pensacola, FL VII Shannon Dora Erdwins b. 1975 " VII Chad Benjamin Erdwins b. 1989 "

His #2 child, Charlotte & Henry Flandermeyer's #3 child's fam-John & Anna Flandermeyer's 2nd child, Obed's family-Obed & Dora Flandermeyer's 4th child-

V Gladys Mae Flandermeyer b. Nov. 30, 1926 Concordia d. Sept. 14, 1977 Oroville, CA

m. Edward Maxwell 1952 Albuquerque, NM
b. 1924 Memphis, TN d. 1979 Oroville, CA

5 Ch: Cheryl, Carolyn, Fred, David, Ronald

VI Cheryl Lynn Maxwell b. 1953 Concordia

m. Vincent Roth 1975 & div. m. Lee Traxler 1984 CA

VI Carolyn Ann Maxwell b. 1955 Albuquerque, NM

m. John Lane 1975 CA & div.

m. Bob Musso 1984 CA

2 Ch: Stephen, Andrea

VII Stephen Christian Lane b. 1975 CA d. 1986 CA

VII Andrea Rose Musso b. 1988 CA

VI Fred Lester Maxwell b. 1960 CA m. Kellie Simon 1979 Oroville, CA

VI David Douglas Maxwell b. 1963 CA m. Alicia Stucky 1988 Oroville, CA

VI Ronald Dale Maxwell b. 1965 CA m. Toni Gerald 1987 Oroville, CA

Ch: Amber

VII Amber Mae Maxwell b. 1988 Oroville, CA

Obed & Dora's 5th child-

V Hazel J. Flandermeyer b. March 8, 1930 Warrensburg m. Charles Payne 1949 Concordia

2 Ch: Charlise, Jon

VI Charlise Ann Payne b. 1950 Lexington d. Mar. 11, 1990 Cremation m. Ron Mann 1974 MI & div.; m. Bob Dougherty Mar. 2, 1990

of Orange, CA

VI Jon Alan Payne b. 1951

m. Debra Friesz 1974 Brunswick

Ch: Joshua

VII Joshua Charles Payne b. 1982 Concordia

Obed & Dora's 6th child-

V Obed Dewey Flandermeyer, Jr. b. Nov. 25, 1932 Concordia d. May 27, 1987 Dallas, TX

m. Winola Pippins 1963 Wheatland

3 Ch; Clint, Craig, Carla

VI Clint Eric Flandermeyer b. 1964 Springfield

VI Craig Alan Flandermeyer b. 1968 Russellville, AR

VI Carla Rae Flandermeyer b. 1970

Note- In 1976 THE CONCORDIAN published a booklet "The Walkenhorst Homestead". It was a compilation of stories written by Teacher William Walkenhorst for the paper during several years. In it was quite an historical picture of the old Walkenhorst country school. It was provided by Dora Flandermeyer.

His #2 child, Charlotte & Henry Flandermeyer's #3 child's family-John & Anna Flandermeyer's 2nd child, Obed's family-Obed & Dora Flandermeyer's 7th child-

V Wilma O. Flandermeyer b. February 3, 1935 Concordia d. July 7, 1989 Sedalia

m. Roy D. Schnakenberg 1955 Concordia

5 Ch: Jeffery, Daryl, Dana, Brian, Andrea

VI Jeffery Alan Schnakenberg b. 1956

m. Marcellus Hickey 1977 Bolivar

2 Ch: Beth, Keith

VII Beth Erin Schnakenberg b. 1980

VII Keith Evan Schnakenberg b. 1984

VI Daryl Dean Schnakenberg b. 1958 m. Barbara Schutte 1979 Sedalia

3 Ch: Michael, Jacob, Benjamin

VII Michael John Schnakenberg b. 1981 Sedalia

VII Jacob Alan Schnakenberg b. 1983

VII Benjamin Adam Schnakenberg b. 1986 "

VI Dana Jo Schnakenberg b. 1960 Columbia Sedalia m. David Yeater

2 Ch: Neil, Kayla

VII Neil Alan Yeater b. 1985 Sedalia

VII Kayla Rene Yeater b. 1989

VI Brian Dale Schnakenberg b. 1962 Sedalia m. Sarah Thornton 1988 Sedalia

VI Andrea Dawn Schnakenberg b. 1972 Sedalia

Obed & Dora's 8th child-

V Sharon Lee Flandermeyer b. Feb. 11, 1938 Concordia

m. Alfred Pointek 1957 Higginsville

6 Ch: Cynthia, Michelle, Michael, Sandra, Gregory, Sheila VI Cynthia Marie Pointek b. 1958 K.C.

m. Steven Ferguson 1976 & div.

m. Tim Freeman 1988

2 Ch: Matthew, Sherrie

VII Matthew Ryan Ferguson b. 1978 K.C.

VII Sherrie Ann Ferguson b. 1981

VI Michelle Pointek b. 1959 K.C.

m. Richard Brashears 1981 K.C.

3 Ch: Michael, Misty, Andrew

VII Michael Brashears b. 1984 K.C.

VII Misty Brashears b. 1986 K.C.

VII Andrew Brashears b. 1987 K.C.

VI Michael Pointek b. & d. 1959 K.C.

VI Sandra Janet Pointek b. 1960 K.C.

VI Gregory Scott Pointek b. 1965 K.C.

m. LeaAnne Trekell 1987

VII Britney Nicole Pointek b. 1989 K.C.

VI Sheila Rae Pointek b. 1968 K.C.

His #2 child, Charlotte & Henry Flandermeyer's family-John & Anna Flandermeyer's 2nd child, Obed's family-Obed & Dora Flandermeyer's 9th child-

V Leanna Kay Flandermeyer b. June 11, 1941 Concordia

John & Anna's 3rd child-

IV Arnel "Arnold" Flandermeyer b. September 28, 1900 Concordia d. July 25, 1970 Stafford, KS

m. Viola Thole Stafford, KS b. 1909 d. 1978 Stafford, KS no ch

IV Ena Flandermeyer b. October 9, 1902 Concordia d. May 28, 1989 Stafford, KS

m. Louis Wendelberg 1923 K.C.

b. 1900 d. 1975 Stafford, KS

4 Ch: Geraldine, Elaine, Darel, Loren

V Geraldine Wendelberg

m. Clarence Hildebrand Stafford, KS
have 3 ch

V Elaine Wendelberg

m.

2 Ch: Michael, Connie

V Darel Wendelberg b. 1940 Stafford, KS

V Loren Wendelberg b. 1942 Stafford, KS m. Bonnie Partin 1967 Stafford, KS 1 ch

IV Gilbert Flandermeyer b. May 21, 1905 Concordia d. September 11, 1959 Stafford, K.C.

m. Rosa Thole 1931 Stafford, KS

2 Ch: Lenore, Vera

V Lenore Flandermeyer b. Dec. 14, 1935 Stafford, KS m. Billy G. Waters 1957 Stafford, KS

3 Ch: Kathleen, Diana, Steven

VI Kathleen A. Waters b. 1960 Hutchinson, KS m. Roger Hysom 1978

VI Diana Lynn Waters b. 1962 Hutchinson, KS m. Steve Twineham 1984

VI Steven G. Waters b. 1966 '

V Vera Jean Flandermeyer b. Dec. 22, 1939 Stafford, KS m. William Goodwin 1960 Stafford, KS

3 Ch: Roger, Bruce, Gregg

VI Roger D. Goodwin b. 1962 Wichita, KS m. Katherine Lewis 1982

VI Bruce L. Goodwin b. 1967 '

VI Gregg C. Goodwin b. 1970 "

- His #2 child, Charlotte, & Henry Flandermeyer's 4th child-
- III Pauline Christine Flandermeyer b. January 25, 1867 Concordia d. October 12, 1948 Sherwood, OR

m. John Ficken 1887 Concordia

- 15 Ch: Ella, Rose, Alwin, Walter, Lorenz, Otto, Emil, Arthur, Edwin, Herbert, Flora, Mildred, Martin, Roland, Ida
- IV Ella Ficken b. July 15, 1887 m. Otto Kraus
- IV Rose Ficken b. Feb. 6, 1889 m. Herman Wagner
- IV Alwin Ficken b. July 22, 1890
- IV Walter Ficken b. May 24, 1892 m. Martha Rupprecht
- IV Lorenz Ficken b. March 3, 1894 m. Anna Gambella
- IV Otto Ficken b. Dec. 29, 1896 m. Olga Muralt
- IV Emil Ficken b. Aug. 27, 1898 m. Meta Wetzel
- IV Arthur Ficken b. May 20, 1900 m. Ruth Wade
- IV Edwin Ficken b. March 12, 1902
- IV Herbert Ficken b. July 5, 1903 m. Martha Haase
- IV Flora Ficken b. May 11, 1905 m. Harry Tyler
- IV Mildred Ficken b. m. Walter Hohman
- IV Martin Ficken b. March 11, 1909
- IV Roland Ficken b. Feb. 28, 1911
- IV Ida Ficken b. Jan. 28, 1913 m. Erwin Siebrass Ch: Pauline
- V Pauline Siebrass m. Vernon Goeschel
- III Anna Christine Marie Flandermeyer b. August 27, 1869 Concordia d. March 26, Concordia m. William Oetting 1912 Concordia They had no ch. He had ch.from his first wife.
- III William Heinrich Johann Flandermeyer b. June 24, 1871 Concordia d. April 1, 1918 Concordia
 - m. Emilie Brackman 1899 Concordia
- 5 Ch: Verena, Lorna, Erwin, Nora, Mildred
- IV Verena Flandermeyer b. June 20, 1900 Concordia
 - d. September 28, 1986 Concordia
 - m. Adolph Kirchhoff 1926 Concordia
 - b. 1899 d. 1970 Concordia
 - 2 Ch: Olen, Jolene
- V Olen Kirchhoff
 - m. Arnola "Lois" Brewer 1954 Concordia
- VI Ch: Debra Lynn Kirchhoff b. Nov. 10, 1955 Mineral Wells, TX
 - m. Bill Dunfee 1977 K.C. & div. & rem. in 1989 Independence
 - 2 Ch: Jennifer, Michelle
- VII Jennifer Rachel Dunfee b. 1981 Independence
- VII Michelle Nichole Dunfee b. 1983

His #2 child, Charlotte Flandermeyer's 6th child, William's fam-William & Emilie(Brackman) Flandermeyer's 1st Child, Verena's fam-Verena & Adolph Kirchhoff's 2nd child-

V Mary "Jolene" Kirchhoff b. 1939 Concordia

m. Albert Wienberg 1957

2 Ch: Stephen, Linda

VI Stephen Wienberg b. 1960 Concordia

m. Deborah Chronister 1980

2 Ch: Shannon, Amber

VII Shannon Wienberg b. 1981

VII Amber Wienberg b. 1989

VI Linda Wienberg b. 1957 Concordia

m. Daniel McBroom 1975

VII Ch: Tennesse McBroom b. 1978

William & Emilie's 2nd child-

IV Lorna Flandermeyer b. 1902 Concordia d. 1912 Concordia

IV Erwin Flandermeyer b. February 6, 1904 Concordia

d. February 14, 1960

m. Frances Steinman 1924 Concordia

2 Ch: Barbara, Winston

V Barbara Flandermeyer b. 1925 Concordia

m. Warner Alewel 1947 Concordia

VI Ch: Penelope Alewel b. 1950 K.C.

m. John Hamilton 1971 K.C.

2 Ch: Chad, Jared

VII Chad Hamilton b. 1971

VII Jared Hamilton b. 1976

V Winston Flandermeyer b. 1929 Concordia

m. Loette Lovercamp 1958 Emma

3 Ch: Rick, Tim, Michelle

VI Rick Flandermeyer b. 1959 Concordia

VI Tim Flandermeyer b. 1961

m. Cindy Underwood 1988 Concordia

VI Michelle Flandermeyer b. 1964 Concordia

m. Steve Knight 1984 Concordia

VII Ch: Kyle Knight b. 1988 Concordia

IV Nora Flandermeyer b. 1907 Concordia d. 1930 Concordia

IV Mildred Flandermeyer b. & d. 1913 Concordia

Charlotte & Henry Flandermeyer's 7th & 8th-

III Martin Diedrich Flandermeyer & Stillborn twin

b. 1876 Concordia

d. 1940 " not m.

Friedrich and Caroline's # 3 child, John's family-

II Johannes "John" Heinrich Ludwig Frerking b. Oct.11, 1844 Concordia d. April 4, 1931 Concordia

m. Elise Marie Louise Kammeyer 1871 Concordia

b. June 13, 1851 Concordia d. July 20, 1907 Concordia

6 Ch: Julius, Eduard, Lena, Henry, Adolph, Thekla This family lived on a farm all their lives.

III Julius Heinrich Friedrich Frerking b. June 4, 1872 Concordia d. February 20, 1926 Alma

m. Caroline Brackman 1897 Concordia (then moved to Alma) b. 1876 Concordia d. 1929 Alma

6 ch: Paula, Leona, Emil, Melvin, Flora, Anna

IV Paula Frerking b. 1898 Alma d. 1941 Alma m. Alvin Dieckhoff

IV Leona C. Frerking b. 1901 Alma d. 1950 Alma m. Otto Dankenbring 1923 Alma 9 ch: Helen, Marvin, Mildred, Clarence, Virgil, Lorna, LaVern, Florence, Harlan

V Helen Dankenbring b. June 21, 1923 Alma m. Alván Arth

2 ch: Gerald and David

VI Gerald Arth b. 1947 Marshall

m. Elizabeth Solomon 1969

2 ch: Lloyd and John

VII Lloyd Arth b. 1971 Marshall

VII Johnny Arth b. 1973

VI David Arth b. 1950 Marshall m. Nora Solliff 1968

3 ch: Stephen, Jason, David

VII Stephen Arth b. 1969 Marshall

VII Jason Arth b. 1972

VII David Arth b. 1973 '

V Marvin Dankenbring b.September 16, 1925 Alma d. February 15, 1980 Concordia

m. Helen Deke 1950 Concordia

2 ch: Deborah and Vickie

VI Deborah Dankenbring b. 1951 Concordia

m. Stephen Burge 1969 & div. 1976

m. Charles Reed

3 ch: Michelle, Mindy, Ginny

VII Michelle Burge b. 1970

VII Mindy Burge b. 1974

VII Ginny Reed b. 1978

VI Vickie Dankenbring b. 1953 Concordia

m. Stanley Palmer 1972

2 ch: Jessie and Daniel

VII Jessie Palmer b. 1981

VII Daniel Palmer b. 1985

Friedrich's familyJohn and Eliese's son, Julius's familyJulius and Caroline's daughter, Leona's family cont'dLeona and Otto Dankenbring's # 3 ch:

V Mildred Dankenbring b. November 14, 1927 Alma m. Billy Gene Eckhoff 1949 2 ch: Ray and Vernon

VI Ray Gene Eckhoff b. 1957

VI Vernon Eckhoff b. 1958

V Clarence Dankenbring b. October 15, 1929 Alma d. January 3, 1983 Waverly

m. Wilma Bristow & div.

m. Lois Selle 1972 Waverly

4 ch: (Wilma's) Ronnie & Donnie, Dale, Mitzi

VI Ronnie Dean Dankenbring (Twin) b. 1952 Waverly m. Vickie Steffens VII ch: Kurt Dankenbring b. 1970

VI Donnie Gene Dankenbring (Twin) b. 1952 Waverly m. Betty Dunn 1970 2 ch: Craig and Jason

VII Craig Dankenbring b. 1973

VII Jason Dankenbring b. 1980

VI Dale Allen Dankenbring b. 1955 Waverly m. Patricia Sassman 1974 3 ch: Crystal, Kelly, Kendra

VII Crystal Dankenbring b. 1976

VII Kelly Dankenbring b. 1979

VII Kendra Dankenbring b. 1985

VI Mitzi Renae Dankenbring b. 1967 Waverly m. Robert Michaels, Jr. 1985 VII ch: Robert Michaels b. 1986

V Virgil Dankenbring b. March 30, 1932 Alma m. Margaret Carver 1952 3 ch: Connie, Patricia, James

VI Connie Dankenbring b. 1955 Concordia m. Paul Tebbenkamp 1976

VI Patricia Dankenbring b. 1959 Concordia m. Mark Schnackenberg 1978 VII ch: Jami Lynn Schnackenberg b. 1978

VI James Richard Dankenbring b. 1961 Concordia m. Sandra Gay Holtsclaw 1982 & div. 1985

Friedrich's family-John and Eliese's son, Julius's family-Julius and Caroline's daughter, Leona's family cont'd-Leona and Otto Dankenbring's # 6 child:

V Lorna Marie Dankenbring b. July 29, 1933 Alma m. Benjamin Newell 1952

4 ch: Benjamin, Gennie, Diana, William

VI Benjamin Newell, Jr b. 1953

VI Gennie Rebecca Newell b. 1957 KS

VI Diana Kay Newell b. 1961 KS

VI William Henry Newell b. 1967 KS

V LaVern Ruth Dankenbring b. September 9, 1934 Alma m. Wilbert Dittmer 1952 2 ch: Karen and Brenda

VI Karen Dittmer b. 1954 Sweet Springs m. Kerry Jordon Spiroff 1981 Ch:

VI Brenda Lee Dittmer b. 1958 Sweet Springs m. Edward Lossman & div. 1983 Ch:

> m. Jimmie Rader 1985 Ch:

V Florence Dankenbring b. August 12, 1937 Alma m. Russell Butler 1955 3 ch: Michael, Steven, Randy

VI Michael Butler b. 1956 KS m. Cindy Bay 1979 VII ch: Jason Butler b. 1981

VI Steven Butler b. 1958

VI Randy Butler b. 1964

V Harlan Gene Dankenbring b. January 2, 1940 Alma m. Ruth Ann Hamrick 1958 & div. 1961 m. Bonnie Higgins 1962 Her ch & Adopted by Harlan: James Lisa Lynn b. 1970 KS (adopted)

IV Melvin Frerking b. 1903 Alma d. 1904 Alma

IV Emil E. Frerking b. 1906 Alma d. 1984 Lexington m. Mildred Best

IV Flora Frerking b. & d. 1911

IV Anna Frerking b. 1912

Friedrich's family-John & Eliese's 2nd son, Eduard's family-III Eduard Johann Heinrich Frerking b. May 2, 1874 Concordia d. Feb. 1958 m. Clara Frerking 1899 Concordia (Hy Otto's dau) b. 1878 Concordia d. 1953 Concordia 10 Ch: Hilda, Clara, Elmer, Edna, Ella, Erna, Herbert, Frances, Esther, Lambert IV Hilda Elisa Maria Frerking b. Dec. 14, 1899 Concordia m. Emil Holsten 1930 Concordia (Blacksmith) b. 1893 Concordia d. 1970 Concordia 2 Ch: John, Lloyd V John Holsten b. & d. V Lloyd Holsten b. 1936 Concordia (Lu. teacher in St. Louis) m. Donna 2 Ch: Kristi, Terri VI Kristi Holsten VI Terri Holsten IV Clara Thekla Frerking b. & d. 1901 Concordia IV Elmer J.O. Frerking b. February 28, 1902 Concordia d. December 7, 1976 m. Laura Hinck 1935 Concordia 2 Ch: Marvin, Carol V Marvin E. Frerking b. 1936 Concordia (Communications engineer) m. Shirley Hanken 3 Ch: David, Michael, Linda VI David Frerking b. 1963 Cedar Rapids, IA VI Michael Frerking b. 1965 VI Linda Frerking b. 1970 V Carol Frerking b. 1939 Concordia (R.N.) m. Edsel "Ed" Tieman 1960 Concordia 3 Ch: Cindy, Sandy, Robert VI Cindy Tieman b. 1962 St. Louis m. Don Tappendorf 1985 Springfield, IL b. 1965 St. Louis VI Sandy Tieman m. Peter John Meyer 1989 Holyoke, MA VI Robert Tieman b. 1970 Jefferson City Elmer J.O. Frerking worked at St. Paul's College as maintenance supervisor for forty years. Also repaired motors & appliances. IV Edna Frieda Frerking b. March 27, 1904 Concordia (at Good Shepherd) m. Walter Jungklaus 1924 Ernestville (farmer) b. 1901 Concordia d. 1961 Concordia 5 Ch: Lester, Alice, Murrel, Dorothy, Lois V Lester Jungklaus b. 1926 Concordia d. 1929 Concordia V Alice Margaret Jungklaus b. 1929 (A Dr.) m. Werner Daum St. Louis 3 Ch: David, Paul, Katherine

Friedrich's familyJohn and Eliese's second son, Eduard's familyEduard and Clara's 4th child, Edna's familyEdna and Walter Jungklaus's 2nd child, Alice's family cont'd-

VI David Werner Daum b. March 14, 1953 Alton, IL m. Karen Shook

VII ch: Jeremy David Daum b. 1987 Texas City, TX

VI Paul Walter Daum b. August 25, 1954 Neodesha, KS 2 m. Brenda Marthiljohnny 2 ch: Lindsay and Brian

VII Lindsay Michelle Daum b. 1985 Dallas, TX

VII Brian Paul Daum b. 1987 Dallas, TX

VI Katherine Elise Daum b. May 16, 1957 Neodesha, KS

V Murrel Edward Jungklaus b. April 8, 1934 Concordia m. Elizabeth Matheny 1954 3 ch: Diane, Mark, Matthew

VI Diane Jungklaus b. 1955 Danville, IL m. Roger Gliedt 1975 Springfield 3 ch: Heidi, Christy, Jordan

VII Heidi Gliedt b. 1980 Monett

VII Christine Elaine Gliedt b. 1982 Monett

VII Jordan Gliedt b. 1984 Monett

VI Mark Jungklaus b. 1957 Oakwood, IL m. Becky Anne Luke 1978 K.C. 3 ch: Andrew, Timothy, Jonathan

VII Andrew Murrell Jungklaus b. 1982 Houston, TX

VII Timothy Luke Jungklaus b. 1983

VII Jonathan Edward Jungklaus b. 1986 '

VI Matthew Jungklaus b. July 17, 1961 Living in Peru, IL

V Dorothy Louise Jungklaus b. 1936 Concordia m. Richard Anderson 1956 Concordia 4 ch: Susan, Catherine, Robert, Judy

VI Susan Lynn Anderson b. 1957 St. Louis m. Jeff Miller 1983 Ellisville

VI Catherine Lynn Anderson b. 1959 St. Louis m. Dr. Charles Pancoast 1982 Jackson Hole, WY Ch: Kimberley, Jennifer

VII Kimberley Nicole Pancoast b. 1984 Little Rock, AR VII Jennifer Lynn Pancoast b. 1987 Sioux Falls, SD

Friedrich's familyJohn and Eliese's second son, Eduard's familyEduard and Clara's 4th child, Edna's familyEdna and Walter Jungklaus's 4th child, Dorothy's family cont'd-

VI Robert Anderson b. 1962 St. Louis m. Dawn Marie Hingst 1986 St. Louis

VI Judith Louise Anderson (living in St. Louis)

V Lois Ann Jungklaus b. 1946 Marshall m. David Crocker 1965 Concordia 2 ch: Julia and David

VI Julia Ann Crovker b. 1967 Jennings m. Cody Schuette Alma

VI David William Karl Crocker b. 1971 Wright City

Lois and family live at Concordia

Dorothy and family live at 429 Kenilworth Lane, Ballwin, MO 63011

Diane Gliedt at 1110 E. Park, Monett, MO 65708

Mark Jungklaus at 9419 Hamon, Houston, TX 77040

Alice Daum at 912 Trail Ridge, De Soto, TX 75115

IV Ella Frerking b. February 26, 1906 Concordia (In Herington, KS) m. Fred Klein of Dreispitz, Russia 2 ch: Donald and Geraldine

V Donald Klein d. in infancy

V Geraldine Klein b. 1936

m. Orval Schlesener of Hope, KS

VI ch; Larry, Steve, Lori

IV Erna Caroline Frerking b. December 4, 1909 Ernestville d. May 18, 1961 Concordia

m. Jesse Kalthoff 1932 Higginsville b. 1904 Alma d. 1956 Concordia

2 ch: Harlan and Alan

V Harlan Kalthoff b. 1935 Albuquerque, NM m. Judith Schiefelbein 1961 Milwaukee, WI 5 ch: Mark, Kristine, John, Anne & Amy

VI Mark Kalthoff b. 1962 Dayton, OH

VI Kristine Kalthoff b. 1964

VI John Kalthoff b. 1967 Kettering, OH

VI Anne & Amy Kalthoff (Twins) b. 1971 Kettering, OH

V Alan Kalthoff b. 1936 Albuquerque, NM d. 1954 Concordia (drowned)

Friedrich's family-John and Eliese's second son, Eduard family-

Eduard and Clara 7th child-

IV Herbert Edward Frerking b. March 12, 1911 Ernestville d. June 1, 1987 Raytown (auto accident)

m. Elma "Jean" Roy 1946 b. 1924 Clarence d. 1986 Raytown 3 ch: Roy, Robert, Pamela

V Roy Edward Frerking b. 1950

m. Mary

3 ch: Melanie, James, Amy

VI Melanie Frerking b. 1979

VI James Frerking b. 1982

VI Amy Elizabeth Frerking b. 1986

V Robert Alan Frerking b. 1951 m. Susan Potter of Independence 2 ch: Neil, Jessica

VI Neil Alan Frerking b. 1981

VI Jessica Lynn Frerking b. 1986

V Pamela Kay Frerking b. 1959 d. 1960

Robert and family live in Salina, KS Roy and family in Marion, IL

IV Frances Frerking b. 1913 Ernestville d. 1915 Concordia

IV Esther Concordia Frerking b. March 6, 1916 Ernestville d. December 26, 1983 Topeka, KS

m. Jacob Greb 1936 Higginsville b. 1911 Kraft, Russia d. 1973 K.C. 2 ch: Cynthia, Karen

V Cynthia Lou Greb b. 1936 K.C.

m. John Barrett 1957 of Topeka, KS VI ch: Karyn Kay Barrett b. 1959 Topeka, KS m. Christopher Waters of Topeka, KS

VII ch: Amy Waters b. 1967 Topeka, KS

V Karen Anne Greb b. 1938 K.C. m. Walter Scheuermann of Colorado Springs, CO 2 ch: William, David

VI William Scheuermann b. 19**5**9 CO

m. Lisa

VI David Scheuermann b. 1964

The CONCORDIAN dated April 7, 1910-

The Laborers and Mechanics Society met Saturday and added five new members, namely, Louis Runge, Emil Frerking, Alwin Bartels and Martin Holsten.

Friedrich's familyJohn and Eliese's second son, Eduard's familyEduard and Clara's 10th child-

IV Lambert Adolph Frerking b. August 10, 1918 Concordia m. Olinda Runge 1941 Concordia 2 ch: Jane and Joel

V Jane Frerking b. 1942 Concordia m. James McCance 1962 K.C. b. 1940 d. 1967 K.C.

m. Stephen Harrell 1970 Raytown & div. 1985

V Joel Frerking b. 1948 Concordia m. Jeanette Adrian 1976 K.C. 2 ch: Brandon and Jared

VI Brandon Adrian Frerking b. 1977 Cincinnati, OH

VI Jared Adrian Frerking b. 1981

John and Eliese (Kammeyer) Frerking's 3rd child-

III Magdalena "Lena" Dorothea Caroline Frerking

b. December 18, 1875 Concordia

d. October 22, 1958

m. Gustave Wolpers 1901 Concordia b. 1877 Concordia d. 1957 Concordia 6 ch: Lillie, Thekla, Lorenz, Olga, Elsia, Herbert

IV Lillie Wolpers b. April 8, 1902 Concordia m. Milton Rehkop 1921 2 ch: Vernon and Marvin

V Vernon Rehkop b. 1923 Concordia m. Marie Schumaker 1946 Concordia 2 ch: Thomas and Barbara

VI Thomas Rehkop b. 1954 Concordia m. Janet Brinkman 2 ch: Andrew and Rebecca

VII Andrew Rehkop b. 1983 IL

VII Rebecca Rehkop b. 1985 IL

VI Barbara Jo Rehkop b. 1960 Concordia

V Marvin Rehkop b. 1931 Concordia m. Carol Alford & div. 2 ch: Michael and Katherine

VI Michael Rehkop b. & d. in infancy

VI Katherine Rehkop b. 1958 FL m. & div. Matthew Carey

Edward and Clara farmed at Ernestville during the 1920's and 30's on a rented farm. Edward had purchased a larger farm before the depression and unfortunately lost it during the depression. Edward retired and lived with Lambert and family at Ernestville for awhile. Then they moved to Concordia.

Friedrich's family-John and Eliese's 3rd child, Lena's family-Magdalena "Lena" and Gus Wolper's Second child-

IV Thekla Wolpers b. February 11, 1904 Concordia m. Rev. Albert Schroeder 1930 Concordia b. 1907 MN d. 1974 3 ch: Jeanette, Leland, Karen

V Jeanette Schroeder b. May 12, 1931 Marshall m. Alfred Pruess 1957

2 ch: Alân dnd Susan

VI Alan Pruess b. 1954 Mead, NE

VI Susan Pruess b. 1957

V Leland Paul Schroeder b. September 14, 1933 Marshall m. Doris Leybold 1954 Waris, NE 3 ch: Pamela, Diane, Jennifer

VI Pamela Schroeder b. 1956 m. Mark Borer 1978

VI Diane Schroeder b. 1959 m. Richard Mendenhall 1963 VII ch: Ally Marie Mendenhall b. 1987

VI Jennifer Schroeder b. 1962 m. Michael McCashland 1985 VII ch: Demi Alyese McCashland b. 1987

V Karen Schroeder b. January 6, 1942 Marshall m. Neil Hopper 1944 VII ch: Laurie Hopper & Danielle Hopper Living in Denver, CO

IV Lorenz Wolpers b. 1905 Concordia d. 1979

IV Olga Wolpers b. December 24, 1908 Concordia d. December 19, 1984 "

m. Herbert Becker 1931

b. 1906 Concordia d. 1963 Concordia 2 ch: Larry and Paul

V Larry Becker b. 1935 Concordia m. Norma Luebke 1962 2 ch: Carla and Kelly

VI Carla Becker b. 1963 Emma m. Kenneth Roupe, Jr 1986 VII ch: Cassidy Leigh Roupe 1988 CA

VI Kelly Annette Becker b. 1966 Emma

V Paul Becker b. 1942 Concordia d. 1973 Concordia

Friedrich's family-John and Eliese's 3rd child, Lena's family-

Magdalena "Lena" and Gus Wolper's fifth child-IV Elsie Wolpers b. January 9, 1913 Concordia

m. Edwin Luehrs 1937

4 ch: Nila, Geneva, Peggy, Sandra

V Nila June Luehrs b. & d. 1940 Blackburn

V Geneva Jane Luehrs b. 1942 Blackburn

m. John Thomas Payne 1968 Higginsville

2 ch: Dawn and Cozette

VI Dawn Michelle Payne b. 1968 Higginsville

VI Cozette Carmen Payne b. 1970

V Peggy Lou Luehrs b. 1944 Blackburn

m. Stanley Frerking 1965 Blackburn (son of Elmer H.)

2 ch: Scott and Diedre

b. 1966 VI Scott Allen Frerking

VI Deidre "Dee Dee" Frerking b. 1969 Japan

V Sandra Kay Luehrs b. 1945 Blackburn

m. Larry Schelp 1968 (his 2nd m. Angela & Shannon from 1st)

3 ch: Shawn, Derek, Nolan

VI Shawn Schelp b. 1971 Concordia

VI Derek Schelp b.

VI Nolan Schelp b.

b. October 23, 1915 Concordia IV Herbert Wolpers

d. September 10, 1979 Blackburn

m. Esther Kiehl 1940

3 ch: Elaine, Lois, Leslie

V Elaine Wolpers b. 1942 Concordia

m. Robert Schroeder 1962

3 ch: Christine, Karen, James

VI Christine Schroeder b. Dec. 3, 1965 K.C. d. Feb. 25, 1988

VI Karen Schroeder

VI James Schroeder b. 1977

V Lois Wolpers b. 1943 Concordia

m. Wayne Loy 1965
3 ch: David, Stephen, Andrew

VI David Loy b. 1970 St. Louis adopted 1970

VI Stephen Loy b. 1974 Springfield

VI Andrew Loy b. 1985 McPherson, KS

John & Eliese (Kammeyer) Frerking's # 4 child-

III Heinrich Johann Frerking b. & d. 1877 Concordia

Friedrich's family-John and Eliese (Kammeyer) Frerking's # 5 child-

III Adolph Heinrich "Preacher" Frerking

b. August 28, 1878 Concordia

d. July 3, 1966 Concordia

m. Clara Emilie Jungklaus 1901 Concordia

4 Ch: Nora, Mike, Melvin, Walter

IV Eleanora Clara "Nora" Frenking b. Jan. 20, 1903

m. Calvin Schumacher 1924

b. 1896 d. 1980

4 ch: Stillborn, Orville, Norma, Wilbert

V Stillborn dau. b. 1926

V Orville Calvin Schumacher b. 1928

m. Geraldine Cummins 1966

2 ch: Eric and Victoria

VI Eric Schumacher b. Feb. 24, 1967

VI Victoria Schumacher b. Aug. 25, 1970

V Norma Lee Schumacher b. 1931

m. Adolf Olson 1963 div. 1966

m. Harvey Flenker 1970 His ch: Ric and David

V Wilbert Wayne Schumacher b. 1934

m. Elaine Fagan 1956

4 ch: Karen, Kathy, Deborah, Mark

VI Karen Sue Schumacher b. 1959

m. Kenneth Nickles 1979 div. 1982

VI Kathy Annette Schumacher b. 1961

m. & div. Brian Stalcup

m. David Hutchison 1982

VII ch: Adam Ryan Hutchison b. 1983

VI Deborah Kay Schumacher b. 1964

VI Mark David Schumacher b. 1967

IV Clarence Adolph "Mike" Frerking b. October 25, 1906 Concordia

m. Amanda Emma Runge 1930 Concordia

5 ch: Ramona, Ronald, Lowell, Rosemary, Terry

V Ramona Frerking b. 1933 Springfield

m. Robert Lee Carmack 1951 Springfield

3 ch: Gregory, Cheryl, Cynthia

VI Gregory Christopher Carmack b. 1955 Oscoda, MI

VI Cheryl Ann Carmack b. 1957 Oscoda, MI

m. & div. Dale Jennings

m. Harvey Jamison 1985

VI Cynthia Louise Carmack b. 1959 Springfield

m. Rondle Douglas 1981 Springfield

VII ch: Lindsey Leigh Douglas b. 1984

Friedrich's familyJohn and Eliese's child, Adolph's familyAdolph and Clara (Jungklaus) Frerking's child, Mike's familyMike and Amanda (Runge) Frerking's 2nd child-

V Ronald Ray Frerking b. 1934 Springfield m. Mary Louise Gelsheimer 1958 Springfield, div. 1967 m. Patricia DeVeaux

VI Mark Ray Frerking b. 1960 Springfield VI Michael Andrew Frerking b. 1965 Springfield

V Lowell Louis Frerking b. 1938 Springfield m. Cleta "Elaine" Brundage 1959 Springfield 2 ch: Melaine, Andrew

VI Melaine Elizabeth Frerking b. 1966 Rolla VI Andrew Christian Frerking b. 1969 Springfield

V Rosemary Ann Frerking b. 1946 Springfield She is teaching in Humansville and has done the basic research on this entire family.

V Terry Michael Frerking b. 1953 Springfield m. Cassandra Nossamon 1974, div. 1978 m. Erin Waggonon 1980 Springfield 3 ch: Shawn, Jason, Ryan

VI Shawn Michael Frerking (Cassandra's) b. 1975 Springfield VI Jason Trevor Frerking b. 1981 Springfield VI Ryan Travis Frerking b. 1985 Springfield

IV Melvin Jungklaus Frerking b. March 23, 1911 m. Myrtle Woodrich 1939 Concordia 6 ch: Sharon, Sylvia, Judith, Stephen, James, Dale

V Sharon Angela Frerking b. 1940 m. Don Bandick 1961 2 ch: Bret, Lanette

VI Bret Donald Bandick b. 1964

VI Lanette Bandick b. 1966

V Sylvia Claire Frenking b. & d. 1942

V Judith Jean Frerking b. & d. 1944

V Stephen Thomas Frerking b. 1945 m. Barbara Lynn Barker 1972

V James Victor Frerking b. 1955

V Dale Frederick Frenking b. 1956 m. Robin Ireland 1977 Friedrich's familyJohn and Eliese's Child, Adolph's familyAdolph and Clara (Jungklaus) Frerking's 4th child-

IV Walter Omar Arthur Frenking b. Feb. 27, 1917 Concordia m. Erna Stuenkel 1940 Concordia 5 ch: Paul, Robert, Roland, Kenneth, Brian

V Paul Edward Frerking b. 1940 Concordia m. Beverly Hemme 1961 & div.

m. Jean Norman 1964

2 ch: Jill, Jana

VI Jill Jeannette Frerking b. 1971 Concordia

VI Jana Christine (foster child) b. 1975 Concordia

V Robert Carl Frenking b. 1941 Concordia m. Carol Ann Flandermeyer 1960 Concordia 3 ch: Steven, Brett, Matthew

VI Steven Scott Frerking b. 1963 m. Christy Ann Holtcamp 1986 Concordia

VI Brett Alan Frerking b. 1965 Concordia

VI Matthew Kent Frerking b. 1968 Concordia

V Roland Wayne Frerking b. 1943 Concordia Living in Independence m. Betty Lou Kanoy 1963 Concordia 2 ch: Anthony, Darren

VI Anthony Roland Frerking b. 1966

VI Darren Craig Frerking b. 1968

V Kenneth Walter Frerking b. 1946 Concordia m. Carol Jean Vogelsmeier 1966 Concordia VI ch:(Twins) Kendra Michelle & Carla Rene Frerking b. August 8, 1968 Emma

V Brian Scott Frenking b. 1961 Concordia

m. & div. Renate Diefendorf

m. Elizabeth Highbarger 1988 Concordia

VI Ch: Hannah Elizabeth Frerking b. 1990 Concordia

Walter and Erna Frerking lived on the ancestral Frerking farm until retiring to Concordia.

Paul is an engineer for Keseman Tool & Die located in Concordia Robert is an engineer manager at Wilcox Electronics in K.C. Roland is a Registered Architect for a firm located in K.C. Kenneth is an industrial engineer for Hallmark in K.C. Brian carries on the farming tradition near Concordia.

Friedrich's family-

John and Eliese (Kammeyer) Frerking's #6 child-

III Thekla Charlotte Marie Frerking b. August 13, 1880 Concordia d. October 9, 1967 "

m. Martin Louis Brackman Oct. 27, 1907 Concordia

4 ch: Edwin, Eliese, Elmer, Lorna

IV Edwin Brackman b. July 30, 1908 Concordia

m. Mildred Stuerke

5 ch: Mary, Jim, Sarah, Russell, Anthony

V Mary Lou Brackman m. Robert Krause

VI Ch: Monica, Angela, Mark Allen, Elizabeth Krause

V Jim Brackman m. Sandy Killon

VI Ch: Tom and Timothy Brackman

V Sarah Brackman m. Dave Moeller 1971

VI ch: Jennifer Moeller (adopted)

V Russell Brackman m. Linda Petty VIch: Christine, Joel, Stephanie Brackman

V Anthony Brackman m. LaRue Bertram

VI ch: Jeff and Patrick Brackman

IV Eliese "Lizzie" Brackman b. Jan. 6, 1910 Concordia m. Alwin Stuenkel 1933 Concordia 5 ch: Norma, Ruth, Alleen, Esther, Karen

V Norma Jane Stuenkel b. 1934 Concordia m. Erwin Bergman 1955 Concordia They are farming near 3 ch: David, Timothy, Sarah Concordia

VI David Bergman b. 1957

VI Timothy Bergman b. 1960

VI Sarah Bergman b. 1970

V Ruth Marie Stuenkel b. 1936 Concordia Living in Utica, MI m. Rev. Dale Thomas 1958 Concordia 4 ch: Cynthia, Cheryl, Christine, Mark

VI Cynthia Thomas b. 1960

m. Dennis Todd 1980

Ch: Brandon, Chelsea

VII Brandon Todd

VII Chelsea Marie Todd b. 1986

VI Christine Annette Thomas b. 1961

VI Cheryl Lynn Thomas b. 1963

VI Mark Thomas b. 1965

Rev. Dale & Ruth living in Oxford, MI as of December of '89.

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Friedrich's family-
John & Eliese (Kammeyer) Frerking's dau-Thekla's family-
Thekla & Martin Brackman's dau-Eliese's family-
Eliese & Alwin Stuenkel's 3rd child-
V Alleen Stuenkel b. 1942 Concordia (Living in Paola, KS)
     m. James Fuchs 1963 Concordia
     3 Ch: Mark, Brian, Gregory
VI Mark Fuchs
               b. 1965
VI Brian Fuchs b. 1969
VI Gregory Fuchs b. 1972
V Esther Stuenkel
                 b. 1939 Concordia
     m. Cecil Heidtbrink 1961 Concordia (of Lincoln, NE)
     4 Ch: Barry, Lori, Kim, Gina
VI Barry Alan Heidtbrink b. 1964 Killeen, TX
VI Lori Jane Heidtbrink b. 1966
VI Kim Michelle Heidtbrink b. 1967
VI Gina Sue Heidtbrink b. 1972
V Karen Stuenkel
                 b. 1946 Concordia
     m. Kenneth Weber 1966
     3 Ch: Robbie, Michael, Daniel
VI Robbie Weber b. 1967 Sweet Springs
VI Michael Weber b. 1969
VI Daniel Weber b. 1973
IV Elmer Brackman
                   b. Sept. 20, 1911 Concordia
                   d. April 18, 1987
     m. Natalie Kalthoff 1939 Concordia
          b. 1915 Alma
                         d. 1981
      7 Ch: Philip, Richard, Lois, Vivian, John, Judith, Evelyn
V Philip Brackman b. 1940 & d. 1941 Concordia
V Richard Brackman b. 1941 Concordia
     m. Constance(Langkraehr)Schlueter 1967 Emma (Her ch: Randall)
VI Joseph Brackman b. 1973 Sweet Springs
V Lois Brackman b. 1943 Concordia (Living in Liberty)
    m. James Gieseke & div.
    2 Ch: Steven, Thomas
VI Steven Gieseke b. 1961 Concordia
     m. Catherine Johnston
VI Thomas Gieseke
                   b. 1964 Concordia
     m. Judith Horton
V Vivian Brackman b. 1945 Concordia
     m. James Droege 1967
     3 Ch: Michael, Martin, Angela
VI Michael Droege b. 1968 Concordia
VI Martin Droege b. 1970 "
VI Angela Droege b. 1972
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V Premature Brackman b. & d. 1946 Concordia

Friedrich's familyJohn and Eliese (Kammeyer) Frerking's familyThekla and Martin Brackman's 3rd child, Elmer's familyElmer and Natalie's 5th child-

V John Brackman b. 1947 Concordia (Living in Raytown) m. Ruth Ann Rewoldt 1973 3 ch: Andrew, Benjamin, Mark

VI Andrew Brackman b. 1978 K.C.

VI Benjamin Brackman b. 1981 K.C.

VI Mark Brackman b. 1985 K.C.

V Judith Brackman b. 1949 Concordia m. Gary Johnson 1976 Concordia 2 ch: Chryslyn, Aaron

VI Chryslynn Renee Johnson b. 1980 Lexington

VI Aaron Scott Johnson b. 1986 Lexington

V Evelyn Brackman b. 1954 Concordia m. Lonnie Siro 1982 " 2 ch: Nicholas, Gregory

VI Nicholas Adam Siro b. & d. 1986 Gladstone

VI Gregory Matthew Siro b. 1987 K.C.

Friedrich and Caroline's 4th child, Christine's family-

II Charlotte "Christine" Frerking b. March 3, 1846 Concordia d. 1890 Palmer, KS

m. Heinrich Dittmer 1867 Concordia

b. Germany d. Cheyenne, WY
This family moved to Palmer in the late 1870's. Esther
Duensing contacted Laveryl Dittmer in Washington, KS for
what history we have.

11 ch: Anna, Sophia, Christine, Fritz, August, Henry, John, Wilhelm, Franz, Clara, Dorothea

III Anna Dittmer b. 1868 d. 1870 Concordia

III Sophia Dittmer m. William Meyer

III Christine Dittmer b. 1870 Conc. m. Dietrich Lehmkuhl

III Fritz Dittmer b. 1873 Conc. m. Magdalena

IIIAugust Dittmer b. 1874 Conc.

III Henry Dittmer b. 1877 Conc. m. Margaret Haeger

III John Dittmer b. 1879 Conc. d. age 33

III Wilhelm Dittmer

III Franz Dittmer

III Clara Dittmer

III Dorothea Dittmer (Did not marry & took care of father)

After Christine's death, Henry Dittmer married again and had another child.

Friedrich and Caroline's last child-

II Louise Dorothea Frerking b. Sept. 7, 1850 Concordia d. Nov. 11, 1881 "

m. Heinrich Deke 1873 Concordia

b. 1839 Germany d. Dec. 4, 1918 Concordia His first wife was Maria Frerking, daughter of John Henry Frerking. His kin to this family has not been established. Their children were: Adolph, William, Dorothy, Bertha, Karl

Louise and Henry Deke's were: Gustav, Henry, Edwin

III Gustav Deke b. 1876 Concordia m. Magdalena Jungklaus

III Henry Deke b. 1879 not m.

III Edwin Deke

m. Amelia Thieman

After Louise died, Heinrich married Sophia Hartman Franke, who had been widowed.

They had one child: Emil Deke

The CONCORDIAN 1988

Flandermeyers cook apple butter at reunion

They came from Texas, Oklahoma, Kansas and various parts of Missouri, 55 in all, to cook apple butter and enjoy a Flandermeyer family reunion at the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Payne west of Concordia Friday and Saturday.

Peeling the apples was done with antique peelers Friday night. Early Saturday morning the cooking began in the copper kettle which has been in the family about 90 years. John and Anna Flandermeyer were the original owners and the seven-piece wooden stirring apparatus John constructed is still being used.

The day's activities included ages-old lawn games for the children as well as computer games. Some took time to gather bittersweet and to fish. Craft and art items were shared and a collection of family recipes was distributed to each household.

Pictures of ancestors coming to America in the 1840's and down were displayed, as well as pictures of recent outings.

Those participating during the two-day event included Dora Flandermeyer of the Lutheran Nursing Home in Concordia; Clint Flandermeyer, Birome, TX; Craig Flandermeyer, Meridian, TX; Diana Storck & Cheryl, Arlington, TX; Mr. & Mrs. Tim Freeman, Matt & Sherri Ferguson & Ryan Freeman, Coweta, OK; Ethel Quinn, Terri Quinn & Sean, Shawnee, KS; Mr. & Mrs. Don Moritz, Brandon & Janell, Overland Park, KS; Mr. & Mrs. Terry Campbell, Cory, Kristin & Casy, Blue Springs; Leanna Flandermayer, Mr. & Mrs. Al Pointek, Sheilah & Sandy Pointek, Shelly Brashears, Michael, Misty & Andrew of Kansas City; Mr. & Mrs. Roy Schnakenberg, Mr. & Mrs. Bryan Schnakenberg, Michael, Jacob & Ben; Mr. & Mrs. Bryan Schnakenberg & Dana Yeater & Neal of Sedalia; Ora Riesterer, Janis Bredehoeft, Leslie & Rhett, Julie & Scott Hemme, Mr. & Mrs. Jon Payne & Joshua and the host and hostess of Concordia. Also Mr. & Mrs. Greg Pointek of Kansas City.

Johann Diterich & Dorothee(Sprengel) Frerking's #2 child-I Juergen (or Johann) Heinrich Frerking b. 10 Feb. 1813 Confirmed in 1827 and apparently stayed on homeplace.

TRANSLATIONS OF ORIGINAL RECORDS FROM GERMANY:

Certified Copy from the Baptismal Register of the Evangelical Lutheran Church Parish of Niederstoecken

Those Born in 1813.

No. 1.

Names: Juergen Heinrich FREERKING.

Birthplace: Esperke.

Date of Birth and Baptism: 10 February (1813), 14 February (1813).

Parents:

Father: Johann Diterich FREERKING, cottager in Esperke.

Mother: Dorothee Marie SPRENGEL, of Esperke.

Baptismal Sponsors:

- 1. Juergen Heinrich ENGEHAUSEN;
- 2. Johann Heinrich FEDDELER;
- 3. Johann Diterich FREERKING,

of Esperke.

Copy certified Niedernstoecken, 3 April 1989 /signed/ JENKE, Pastor SEAL OF THE NIEDERNSTOECKEN EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

Certified Copy from the Confirmation Register of the Evangelical Lutheran Church Parish of Niederstoecken

Those Confirmed on Quasimodogeniti Sunday (the first Sunday after Easter), 22 April 1827.

School: Esperke.

No. 4.

Names of Those Confirmed: Juerg(en) Hein(rich) FREERKING.

Birth Day: 10 February.

Birth Year: 1813.

Proficiency in Reading: Very Good.

Proficiency in Religious Comprehension: Very Good.

Copy certified

Niedernstoecken, 3 April 1989

/signed/ JENKE, Pastor

SEAL OF THE NIEDERNSTOECKEN EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

TEANSLATIONS OF ORIGINAL RECORDS FROM GERMANY:

Certified Copy from the Baptismal Register of the Evangelical Lutheran Church Parish of Niederstoecken

Those Born in 1814.

No. 26.

Names: Georg Wilhelm FREERKING.

Birthplace: Esperke.

Date of Birth and Baptism: 6 October (1814), 9 October (1814).

Father: Johann Diderich FREERKING, cottager and master of the farmers and tax

collector in Esperke.

Mother: Dorothee Marie SPRENGEL, of Esperke.

Baptismal Sponsors:

1. Johann Heinrich ENGEHAUSEN;

Georg FREERKING;

3. Joh(ann) Diderich FEDDELER,

of Esperke.

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Certified Copy from the Confirmation Register of the Evangelical Lutheran Church Parish of Niederstoecken

Time: Quasimodogeniti Sunday (the first Sunday after Easter), 26 April 1829.

School: Esperke.

No. 9.

Names of Those Confirmed: Georg Wilh(elm) FREERKING.

Birth Day: 6 October.

Birth Year: 1814.

Proficiency in Reading: Good.

Proficiency in Religious Comprehension: Good.

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Niedernstoecken, 3 April 1989

/signed/ JENKE, Pastor

SEAL OF THE NIEDERNSTOECKEN EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

Johann Diterich & Louise(Sprengel) Frerking's 3rd child-

- I George Wilhelm Frenking b. October 6, 1814 Esperke d. May 3, 1887 Concordia
 - m. L. Wilhelmine Dierking (Probably in Germany) b. April 25, 1815 Germany d. Feb. 29, 1872 Concordia
 - m. Adelheid Meyer Schnackenberg August 187 Concordia b. 1836 d. September 14, 1873 Concordia
 - m. Sophie Dankenbring November 12, 1873 Concordia

George "Wilhelm" entered land in 1843 according to records in County Recorder's office. However, he was here before 1840 because by the 1850 census, his first daughter was 10 years old and was born in Missouri. It was interesting to note that his farm lay next to Frederik Derking (Friedrich Dierking?) who had already entered land in 1838. William's wife was a Dierking and just possibly Freidrich's sister. This same Friedrich was a sponsor at Scharze's baptism so there is a connection. When you read Adolph's history, you may find another connection.

William & Wilhelmine had 7 ch: Mary, Charlotte, Henry, Martin, Christine, August, Sophia

- II Mary Frerking (listed in census as 10) Confirmed 1853 and no further record found.
- II Charlotte Frerking b. about 1842 (from census)
- III George Wilhelm Brackmann b. 1860 Concordia
- III Heinrich Friedrich Brackmann b. 1862
- III Johann Friedrich Brackmann b. 1864
- III Wilhelmina Sophie Brackmann b. 1866
- III Marie Hulda Brackmann b. 1868 Concordia d. 1873 Concordia
- III August Edward Brackmann b. 1879
- III Rosine Bertine Brackmann (Twin) b. & d. 1872 Concordia
- III Theodor Louis Brackmann(Twin) b. 1872 "
- III Heinrich Gustav Brackmann b. 1874 Concordia
- II Henry Frerking b. about 1843 (from census) no further info after confirmation
- II Martin Johannes Frerking b. February 3, 1846 Concordia d. April 17, 1929 "
 - m. Dorette Frerking 1869 Concordia (dau of George)
 b. 1851 Concordia d. 1927 Concordia
 - 13 Ch: Bertha, Emilie, Otto, Richard, Flora, Julius, John, Dorothea, Alwin, Eduard, Emil, Ida, Walter
- III Bertha Mathilda Frerking b. 1870 Concordia d. 1871 "

William's family-William & Wilhelmine; s 4th child, Martin's family-Martin & Dorette "Dora" Frerking's 2nd child-III Charlotte Rosina "Emilie" Frerking b. Jan. 1, 1872 Concordia d. Nov. 28, 1926 m. Friedrich "Fred" Kessler 1892 Concordia 11 Ch: Leona, Hulda, Reinhold, Herbert, Homer, Selma, Fred, Esther, Alma, Helen, Viola IV Leona Kessler b. 1894 d. 1940 m. Erwin Kronsbein 4 Ch: Roland, Wilbert, William, Grace V Roland Kronsbein b. 1920 Corder m. Elberta Tieman 1943 Corder 4 Ch: Karen, Donna, James, Debra VI Karen Roberta Kronsbein b. 1946 Higginsville m. Robert Rinne 1967 Higginsville 4 Ch: Jeffery, Jeri, Jena, Jennifer VII Jeffery Mitchell Rinne b. 1967 Higginsville VII Jeri Dawn Rinne b. 1970 VII Jena Renee Rinne b. 1973 K.C. VII Jennifer Joelle Rinne b. 1975 K.C. b. 1948 Higginsville VI Donna Sue Kronsbein m. Michael Apprill 1971 3 Ch: Jon, Amy, Adam VII Jon Michael Appill b. 1974 K.C. VII Amy Marie Apprill b. 1977 VII Adam Joseph Apprill b. 1982 Raytown

VI James Roland Kronsbein b. 1951 Higginsville m. Sandra Kay Wahn 1974 " 2 Ch: Sara, Laura VII Sara Dawn Kronsbein b. 1976 Higginsville VII Laura Beth Kronsbein b. 1979 "

VI Debra Gayle Kronsbein b. 1954 "
m. George Vandiver 1974 " (Living in Marshall)
2 Ch: Mason, Gemma
VII Mason Benjamin Vandiver b. 1978 Clinton

VII Gemma Corinne Vandiver b. 1984 "

V Wilbert & William (Twins) Kronsbein b. 1922 Corder d.1922 d.1942

V Grace Kronsbein b. 1929 Corder
m. Willis Rinne 1950 Higginsville
2 Ch: Tim, Lisa
VI Timothy Rinne b. 1956 Higginsville
m. Sharon Hughes
2 Ch: Kyle, Brett

VII Kyle Rinne b. 1979 Higginsville

VII Brett Rinne b. 1984

VI Lisa Rinne b. 1960 Higginsville m. Anthony Schneider 1983 Higginsville VII Ch: Logan Schneider b. 1988 "

Martin & Dora Frerking's 2nd child, Emilie's family-Emilie & Fred Kessler's 2nd child! family-

IV Hulda Kessler b. 1895 d. 1982 Corder m. John Alpers 1920 Corder

5 Ch: Arnold, Evelyn, Dale, Ivan, Alice

V Arnold John Alpers b. 1921 Corder

m. Winifred Gifford 1947

3 Ch: Richard, James, Linda

VI Richard Lynn Alpers b. 1949

m. 1971

VI James Leslie Alpers b. 1950 m. Janifer Ebersold 1972

3 Ch: V Jason, V Joshua, V Jami

VI Linda Ann Alpers b. 1951 m. Jack Stokes 1978

V Evelyn Emilie Alpers b. 1922 Corder m. Jake M. Crick

V Norman "Dale" Alpers b. 1925 Corder

V Ivan Wesley Alpers b. 1928 Corder m. Evelyn Riley 1951

2 Ch: Cynthia, Christine

VI Cynthia Jan Alpers b. 1952 m. Sandford Hipsh 1974

VI Christine Louise Alpers b. 1958 m. Robert Hocking 1978

V Alice Elaine Alpers b. 1932 Corder m. Richard Schowengerdt 1951 Corder

2 Ch: Paul, Kathy

VI Paul Wayne Schowengerdt b. 1951

m. Greta Pierce 1971

3 Ch: Amy, Jason, Scott

VII Amy Schowengerdt b. 1973

VII Jason Schowengerdt b. 1975

VII Scott Alan Schowengerdt b. 1983

VI Kathy Diane Schowengerdt b. 1959

m. Michael Kleppel 1978

2 Ch: Stacie, Dustin

VII Stacie Marie Kleppel b. 1980

VII Dustin Michael Kleppel b. 1988

In May of 1917, agroup of young ladies of Immanuel Lutheran Church in Higginsville met to organize a ladies guild. Hulda Kessler was one of the original eleven charter members. This has been a blessing to the congregation ever since. The ladies of today try to follow their foot-steps.

Martin & Dora Frerking's 2nd child, Emilie's family-Emilie & Fred Kessler's 3rd child-

IV Reinhold Frederick Kessler b. 1897 d. 1985 Corder m. Nora Scholle 1922

5 Ch: Allen, Robert, Kenneth, Catherine, Alma

V Allen Clifford Kessler b. 1923 Corder

m. Ruth Evelyn Steffens 1943

3 Ch: James, Bruce, Barbara

VI James Douglas Kessler b. & d. 1949

VI Bruce Allen Kessler b. 1950

m. Sonja Marie Simonic 1988 Mission, KS

VI Barbara Ellen Kessler b. 1955

V Robert Vernon Kessler b. 1925 Corder

m. Delpha Mae Tieman 1951 Corder

4 Ch: Kirk, Steven, Marshe, Todd

VI Kirk Robert Kessler b. 1952 Corder

m. Jeanne Laufenberg 1982 Fennimore, WI

2 Ch: Emily, William

VII Emily Jean Kessler b. 1985 Memphis, TN

VII William Robert Kessler b. 1988 Greenwood, IN

VI Steven Kent Kessler b. 1954 Corder

m. Julie Ann Jesuit 1981 Quincy, IL

2 Ch: Alex, Joseph

VII Alex John Kessler b. 1985 Quincy, IL

VII Joseph James Kessler b. 1988 '

VI Marsha Lynn Kessler b. 1958 Corder

VI Todd William Kessler b. 1970

V Kenneth Quenton Kessler b. 1931 Corder

m. Martha Lou Damma

2 Ch: Gregory, Lisa

VI Gregory Kenneth Kessler b. 1956

m. Lynn Ehlers

VI Lisa Ann Kessler b. 1960

m. Don Worner 1985

V Catherine Emily Kessler b. 1932 Corder

m. Willard William Dittmer

3 Ch: Mark, Kenton, Ward

VI Mark Dittmer b. 1955 Lexington

m. Marie Wozniak 1976 Higginsville

4 Ch: Joshua, Jonathan, James, Jacob

VII Joshua Mark Dittmer b. 1978 Higginsville

VII Jonathan Desmond Dittmer b. 1981 '

VII James Patrick Dittmer b. 1986 "

VII Jacob Adam Dittmer b. 1989 "

William's FamilyMartin & Dora Frerking's 3rd child, Emilie's familyEmilie & Fred Kessler's 3rd child, Reinhold's familyReinhold & Nora Kessler's 4th child, Catherine's familyCatherine & Willard Dittmer's 2nd child-

VI Kenton Dittmer b. 1957 Lexington m. Annette Meinershagen 1980 Higginsville 2 Ch: Drew, Danya VII Drew Edwin Dittmer b. 1983 Higginsville

VII Danya Nichole Dittmer b. 1985

VI Ward Dittmer b. 1960 Lexington m. Karen Harper 1984 & div. m. Laura Rae Sisco 1988

VI Amy Diane Schumaker b. 1964

V Alma Jean Kessler b. 1933 Corder m. Melvin Eugene Schumaker 1954 Corder 2 Ch: Beth, Amy VI Beth Ann Schumaker b. 1961

IV Herbert George Kessler b. June 30, 1899 Corder d. May 27, 1976 Higginsville

m. Lillie Tieman 1924 Higginsville b. 1899 Alma d. 1984 "

3 Ch: Anna, Marilyn, Lorraine V Anna Ruth Kessler b. 1925 Corder

m. David Wooden 1946 Eexington

7 Ch: David, Steven, Bonnie, Barbara, Mark, Mitchell, Beth VI David Wayne Wooden b. 1947 Higginsville d. 1967 VIETNAM

VI Steven Herbert Wooden b. 1949 Odessa m. Deborah Hurd 1976 Higginsville

3 Ch: Matthew, Rebecca, Katherine

VII Matthew Steven Wooden b. 1978 Warrensburg

VII Rebecca Ann Wooden b. 1980 Lexington

VII Katherine Marie Wooden b. 1982 "

VI Bonnie Ann Wooden b. 1950 Martin City m. Paul Heinze 1972 Higginsville 3 Ch: Karen, Daniel, Nathan

VII Karen Elizabeth Heinze b. 1978 Louisville, KY

VII Daniel Paul Heinze b. 1980 "

VII Nathan Robert Heinze b. 1982 "

Martin and Dorothea Frerking's dau. Emilie's family-Emilie and Fred Kessler's 4th child, Herbert's family-Herbert and Lillie Kessler's dau. Anna Ruth's family cont'd-

Anna Ruth and David Wooden's 4th child-

VI Barbara Gail Wooden b. 1952 K.C. m. James Tye 1972 Higginsville 2 ch: Kimberley, James

VII Kimberley Gail Tye b. 1978 Warrensburg VII James David Tye b. 1980 "

VI Mark Joseph Wooden b. 1959 Lexington

m. Brenda Louise (Peters) Pruetting 1985 K.C.

Her dau. is Natalie b. 1979 Independence

VII David Louis & Daniel Joseph (Twins) b. 6-21-90 H'ville

VI Mitchell Sheldon Wooden b. 1961 Lexington

m. Kathy Redhage 1989 Mayview

VI Beth Elaine Wooden b. 1963 Lexington VII ch: Philip Beau Alexander Wooden b. 1988 K.C.

V Marilyn Rosine Kessler b. 1928 K.C. m. George McCreery 1956 3 ch: Michelle, Georgeann, Kay

VI Michelle Claire McCreery b. 1959 Lexington m. William Duff 1983 Higginsville

VI Georgeann Renee McCreery b. 1961 Lexington m. Brian Herbert Miller 1985 Higginsville

VI Kay Lynn McCreery b. 1962 Lexington

V Lorraine Eloise Kessler b. 1932 Lexington m. Edward Payne 1952 4 ch: Michael, Thomas, Bruce, Alex

VI Michael Eugene Payne b. 1953 Savannah, GA m. Deborah Adams 1977 Kankakee, IL Ch: Adam, Eric

VII Adam Michael Payne b. 1981 Kankakee, IL VII Eric Ross Payne b. 1983 "

VI Thomas Kent Payne b. 1955 Warrensburg

VI Bruce Edward Payne b. 1958 Marceline

VI Alex Kessler Payne b. 1970 Kankakee, IL

IV Homer Julius Kessler b. 1901 d. 1971
m. Laura Rogers
V ch: Karen Rogers b. 1948
m. Charles Hall
VI ch: Leslie Ann Hall

- William's family-Martin and Dorothea Frerking's dau Emilie's family-Emilie and Fred Kessler's 6th child-
- IV Selma Rovilla Kessler b. 1903 d. 1988 Alma m. Martin Victor Tieman 1923 Higginsville 4 ch: Rosaleen, Melba, Shirley, Roger
- V Rosaleen Emily Tieman b. 1927 Alma m. Dale Price Corder 1949 Alma 2 ch: Pamela, Patricia
- VI Pamela Gail Corder b. 1954 Alma m. Larry Stockman 1975 2 ch: Sebastian, Jonathan
- VII Sebastian Corder Stockman b. 1978 Alma VII Jonathan Carlyle Stockman b. 1980 "
- VI Patricia Dale Corder b. 1961 Alma
- V Melba "Marcile" Tieman b. 1929 Alma m. Roland Kellerman 1953 Alma 2 (adopted) ch: Brenda, Billie
- VI Brenda Lee Kellerman b. 1956 Alma m. James Young 1976 Alma VII ch: Becky Jo Young b. 1978 Waverly
- VI Billie Roland Kellerman b. 1961 Alma m. Karen Boehmer 1979 Waverly VII Jessica Jane Kellerman b. 1984 Alma
- V Shirley Ann Tieman b. 1932 Alma m. Leo Schlesselman 1951 Alma 2 ch: Shelley, Steven
- VI Shelley Ann Schlesselman b. 1956 K.C.
- VI Steven Lee Schlesselman b. 1958 K.C.
- V Roger Leland Tieman b. 1935 Alma m. Iola Brunkhorst 1961 Alma 2 ch: David, Kent
- VI David Lee Tieman b. 1962 Alma m. Esther Ann Cowherd 1985 Alma VII Andrew Martin Tieman b. 1988 Alma
- VI Kent Alan Tieman b. 1964 Alma m. Amy Waller 1987 Alma

Martin and Dorothea Frerking's dau. Emilie's family-Emilie and Fred Kessler's 7th child-

IV Fred William Kessler b. 1905 d. 1979 m. Florence Duncan 3 ch: Carol, Duncan, Randall

V Carol Ann Kessler b. 1940 d. 1962

V Duncan Kessler b. 1941

V Randall Kessler b. 1951 m. Martha Ann Cary

IV Esther Elizabeth Kessler b. 1908
 m. Henry Lampe
 5 ch: Clark, Phyllis, Elizabeth, Sandra, Joan

V Clark Henry Lampe b. 1933 d. 1936

V Phyllis Sue Lampe b. 1936 m. Francis Dale Embree VI ch: Gregory Dale Embree b. 1960

VI Elizabeth Ann Lampe b. 1938 m. Thomas Francis Hatfield VII ch: Lisa, Samuel, Carla

VI Sandra Kathleen Lampe b. 1942 m. James Slayton

VI Joan Arlene Lampe b. 1943 m. Larry Olson VIIch: Elizabeth Olson b. 1976

IV Alma Marie Magdalena Kessler b. 1911 d. 1931

IV Helen Elinor Kessler b. 1914
 m. Maurice Harry Rodekohr
 4 ch: Carolyne, Maurice, Sharon, Joyce

V Carolyne Jeanene Rodekohr b. 1937 Lexington m. Guy Gordon Wright VI ch: Marsha, Mark, Peggy, Lee, Melissa

V Maurice Lee Rodekohr b. 1938 m. Shirley Green VI ch: Debbie, Sherie, Craig

V Sharon Kay Rodekohr b. 1940 Lexington

V Joyce Anne Rodekohr b. 1947 m. Charles Dana Emerson

IV Viola Leonora Kessler b. 1914 d. 1978

Martin and Dorothea Frerking's 3rd child-

III George William "Otto" Frerking b. Dec. 30, 1873 Concordia d. October 29, 1909 "

m. Emma Charlotte Fuchs 1899 Concordia

b. 1876 Concordia d. 1949 Concordia

6 ch: Lorenz, Elmer, Melvin, Lorna, Lilly, Arthur

IV Lorenz Frerking b. 1900 Concordia d. 1901 Concordia

IV Elmer H. Frerking b. December 24, 1901 Concordia d. March 29, 1960 "

m. Edna Miller 1927 Blackburn (later m. Arnold Buck)

4 ch: Tyrus, Lelan, Rose Ann, Stanley

V Tyrus L. Frerking b. 1929 Concordia

m. Sue Lemay 1951 Concordia

VI ch: Tyrus "TY Rayburn" Frerking, D.O. b. 1954 Camp Chaffee, AR m. Betsy Brabb, D.O. 1981 K.C. in Wornall House VII ch: Andrew Frerking b. 1984

V Lelan Wayne Frerking b. 1932 Concordia d. 1973 "

m. Evelyn Frerking(of Delmar & Nellie) 1961 Ernestville
3 ch: Mark, Daniel, Stephanie

VI Mark Wayne Frerking b. 1961 Concordia m. & div. Kathy Hemme

VII ch: Monica Nicole Frerking b. 1984

VI Daniel Lee Frerking b. 1962 Concordia m. Pamela Kay Williams 1982 Ernestville Ch: Jacklyn, Patrick

VII Jacklyn Frerking b. 1982 Sweet Springs

VII Patrick Lee Frerking b. 1986 K.C. Daniel & family are stationed in Warzburg, Germany now.

VI Stephanie Leann Frerking b. 1964 Concordia m. Anthony "Tony" Bittiker 1988 Concordia Living in Harrisonville

V Rose Ann Frerking b. 1940 Concordia (Living in Olathe, KS) m. David Myers 1961 Concordia 3 ch: Sondra, Mark, Michael

VI Sondra Lynn Myers b. 1961 K.C. m. Bill Tucker 1983 Leawood, KS

VI Mark Anthony Frerking b. 1962 K.C.

m. & div. Sandy

VII ch: Megan Frerking b. 1984 K.C.

VI Michael Eugene Frerking b. 1966 K.C.

V Stanley Paul Frerking b. 1942 Concordia
His family history is under the Wolpers family in Friedrich's
family-pg (A)36
Note- Elmer H. owned FRERKING HARDWARE after being in partnership in a leather goods store for 30 years.

Martin and Dorothea Frerking's son, Otto's family-Otto and Emma's 3rd child-

IV Melvin Johann "Murphy" Frerking b. September 3, 1903 Concordia

V Jean Frerking b. 1928 Concordia m. Rev. Ralph Weinhold 1950 K.C. 4 ch: Timothy, Christopher, Joel, Lisa

VI Timothy Weinhold b. 1952 K.C.

VI Christopher Weinhold b. 1954 Madison, WI

VI Joel Weinhold b. 1957 Milwaukee, WI

VI Lisa Weinhold b. 1959

V Shirley Frerking b. 1931 Concordia m. Richard Marsh 1951 K.C. 2 ch: Stephen, Cynthia

VI Stephen Marsh b. 1952 K.C.

VI Cynthia Marsh b. 1961 K.C.

Note- Melvin was in the Appliance business in Concordia

IV Lorna Johanna Frerking b. July 24, 1905 Concordia
 m. & div. Ted Weeks

m. Walter Rex Peterson 1936 K.C. & div.

m. Leslie Weeks

3 ch (Walter's): Sandra, James, Carole

V Sandra Peterson b. 1938 K.C. d. about 1970 m. Ronald Wienke 1958 Ft. Worth, TX 2 Ch: Kimberly, Tammy VI Kimberly Wienke b. 1959 Dallas, TX VI Tammy Marie Wienke b. 1962

V James Robert Peterson b. 1943 Oklahoma City, OK m. & div. Barbara George

V Carole Peterson b. 1973

Note-Lorna is now living in El Paso, TX

IV Lillie Emilie Frerking b. May 11, 1907 Concordia d. about 1932 (blood poisoning after an insect bite)

m. Melvin Kessner (no ch)

IV Arthur Ernst Frerking b. 1909 d. 1910 Concordia

In a 1960 article we learn that they had a foster sister, Mrs. Esther Woods of Houston, TX

Martin and Dorothea Frerking's 4th child-

- III Gustav Heinrich Richard Frerking b. & d. 1876 Concordia
- III Christine Betti Flora Frerking b. & d. 1877
- III Karl "Julius" Frerking b. 1878 Concordia d. 1937 Geary, OK m. Bess Lewis & Ch: Gertrude & Anita (Went to OK in 1917)
- III Wilhelm "Bill" Johann Frerking b. Sept. 28, 1881 Concordia d. August 6, 1965 Concordia
 - m. Magdalena Elise Kammeyer 1907 Concordia
 b. Dec. 18, 1885 Concordia d. May 17, 1972 Conc.
 3 ch: Ellen, Irma, Ada
- IV Ellen Magdalena Frerking b. 1909 Concordia d. 1938 m. Irvin Koch 1930 Concordia V ch: Bruce Koch b. 1932
- IV Irma Frerking b. 1911 Concordia d. 1942 Concordia
- IV Ada Frerking b. 1916 Concordia
 m. Orville Niemeyer
 V ch: Linda Niemeyer b. 1946 K.C.
 m. Richard Swanson 1975
 VI ch: David Swanson b. 1977 Nacogdoches, TX
- III Dorothea Leone Frerking b. 1884 Concordia d. 1890 Conc.
- III Martin "Alwin" Frerking b. 1886 Concordia d. 1928 Conc.
- III Friedrich "Eduard" Frerking b. 1888 Concordia d. 1935 Ft. Worth, TX (obit mentioned only his brothers and a sister surviving)
- IIIGustav Emil "Squire" Frerking b. March 6, 1891 Concordia d. December 9, 1964 Concordia m. Martha Catherine Henrietta Mueller in Sylvan Grove, KS m. Clara Bergman 1923 Concordia Ch: (Martha's) Howard
- IV Howard Frerking b. March 14, 1918 Concordia m. Mildred Louise Owen Oct. 24, 1942 San Diego, CA 2 ch: Darwin, Deborah
- V Darwin Ray Frerking b. 1946 m. Judi Parker 1983 VI her ch & adopted, Lara Frerking VI Ch: Sara Frerking 1984
- V Deborah Kay Frerking b. 1955 m. Benny Worley, Jr 1973 VI ch: Jason Worley b. 1976

Note- Emil Frerking owned and operated a furniture & undertaking business in Concordia in partnership with the Voight bros. Emil's first wife was a sister to John Runge's first wife. Howard says that he and his wife attend Our Saviour Lutheran Church in Mesquite, TX.

William's family-Martin and Dorothea Frerking's 12th child-

III "Ida" Emma Frerking b. September 6, 1893 Concordia d. November 29, 1962 " not m.

III Wilhelm Eduard "Walter" Frenking b. Aug 14, 1897 Concordia d. November 25, 1907 "

Wilhelm & Wilhelmina Frerking's 5th child-

II Christina Mathilda Frerking b. 1850 Concordia

d. 1930 Higginsville's Salem

m. Frederick Koch (Cook) 1871 Concordia cem. b. 1846 d. 1896 Salem cem. Higginsville 6 ch: Caroline, Flora, Joseph, Clara, Martha, Bill

III Caroline Wilhelmine Cook b. 1873 Concordia

III Flora Sophia Cook b. 1877 Concordia not m. d. 1963 Salem in Higginsville

III Joseph Fredrich Cook b. 1877 Concordia not m. d. 1961 Salem in Higginsville

III Clara Cook b. 1880 Concordia d. 1920 Salem, Higginsville m. Henry Mollenkamp b. 1876 d. 1932 Salem 2 ch: Max, Ruth

IV Max Mollenkamp b. 1906 Higginsville
 m. Dorothy Stewart
V ch: Thomas, James, Robert

IV Ruth Mollenkamp b. 1908 Higginsville m. Richard Freund 2 ch: Susan, Henry

V Henry Freund b. 1942

V Susan Freund b. 1945

III Martha Louise Cook b. 1882 Concordia d. 1960 Salem, H'vlle m. Arthur Fuhr

IV Helen Louise Fuhr b. 1905 m. Harry Freye

He had 2 ch

III W.A. "Bill" Cook b. 1887 d. 1955 Concordia Bethel m. Lillie Martin

William & Wilhelmine's 6th child-

II August Louis Frerking b. 1852 Concordia d. 1856 "

Their 7th child-

- II Sophie Bettine Eliza Frerking b. March 23, 1855 Concordia d. Sept. 1938 "
 - m. John Kroencke 1873 Concordia
 b. 1841 Islersheim, Germany d. 1908 Concordia
 His first wife was Sophia Brackman. Their children were:
 Mary Holsten (mother of Melvin), Anna Meyer, George &
 Sophia. George & Sophia died at an early age.
 In Young's 1910 Lafayette County History there is a good biographical sketch of John.
 - Sophia Frerking and John's children were: Herman, Ida, William, Arthur, Martha, Alfred, Ella, (Twins) Edwin & Caroline
- III Herman Heinrich Kroencke b. 1874 Concordia d. in infancy
- III Ida Charlotte Kroencke b. 1875 Concordia d. 1922 Concordia m. Al Blanke 1898 Concordia
- IV ch: Minerva Blanke b. 1900 Concordia d. 1979 Concordia
 m. George Duensing, Jr
 2 ch: Jo Ann, Norma

V Jo Ann Duensing

not m.

V Norma Jane Duensing b. d. 1988 St. Louis m. Robert Hohenstein VI ch: Robert, Jr, Paul, David, Mary, Martha

- III Heinrich Friedrich "William" Kroencke b. 1877 Concordia d. 1948 Lexington
- m. Nora Maulldau 1902 St. Louis IV ch: Fern Kroencke b. 1907 Concordia

m. William Cullom III 1940 Lexington
 b. 1901 Lexington d. 1985 Lexington
 Fern was president of Lafayette County Historical Soc.
 when a quilt made by Mrs. Adolph Frerking was donated.
 She made arrangements for a glass case for it.
 Fern's father was part of the Meyer, Kroencke, Holsten
 Storein Concordia until they moved to Lexington in '38.

III Arthur Johann Kroencke b. 1880 Concordia d. 1949 "Bethel Cem.

m. Leona Walkenhorst 1904 Concordia 4 ch: Stillborn, Maurice, Robert, Lois

IV Stillborn 1909

- IV Maurice Kroencke b. 1916 Concordia d. 1956 Concordia, Bethel not m. was WWII vet
- IV Robert Kroencke b. 1919 Concordia d. 1974 Concordia, Bethel
 m. Iris Dotson
- V ch: Linda Kroencke b. 1952 Concordia
- IV Lois Kroencke b. d. 1968 Concordia m. W.F. Meyer, Jr of K.C.
- Note- Arthur owned and operated a jewelry store in Concordia.

William's family-Sophia and John Kroencke's 5th child-

III Martha Kroencke b. 1883 d. 1885 Concordia

III Edward "Alfred" Kroencke b. 1885 Concordia d. 1953 "

m. Sarah Booth of St. Louis
3 ch: Peggy, Marjorie, Edward Jr.

IV Vera Sophia "Peggy" Kroencke b. 1911 Concordia (A teacher & librarian) d. 1987 "

IV Marjorie Kroencke b. 1916 d. 1918 "

IV Edward Alfred "Bud" Kroencke, Jr. m. Alice Nold of Belleville, IL 2 ch: Alfred III, John

V Edward Alfred III Kroencke m. & has 1 dau., living in Madison, WI

V John Kroencke m. & has 1 son, living in CA

Bud and Alice are living in Cape Coral, FL

III Ella Kroencke b. 1887 Concordia d. 1934 Concordia m. Dr. Elza Johnston
He practiced in Concordia. No children.

III Edwin "Hans" Kroencke (Twin) b. 1889 Concordia

Was a WWI Vet

m. Catherine Zombart 1919 Concordia

(She died in childbirth a year later)

III Caroline "Carrie" Kroencke (Twin) b. 1889 Concordia

1932

m. Fred Chambers (He was superintendant of the
Confederate Home in Higginsville. Carrie was
his third wife. They had no children.

By Fern Cullom's permission, we have a page on the care of your good name.

Since Rev. Melvin Holsten was connected to this branch of our family, we wish to give him the credit for starting this FRERKING research. He did this as he was patiently translating the old German records at St. Paul's Lutheran Church. He performed a tremendous service for everyone of us.

William Frenking spent his last of life staying with his daughter, Sophia and family.

TRANSLATIONS OF ORIGINAL RECORDS FROM GERMANY:

Certified Copy from the Baptismal Register of the Evangelical Lutheran Church Parish of Niederstoecken

Those Born in 1816.

No. 24.

Names: Georg Heinrich FREERKING.

Birthplace: Esperke.

Date of Birth and Baptism: 24 September (1816), 29 September (1816).

Parents:

Father: Johann Diderich FREERKING, cottager, master of the farmers, and

consumption tax collector in Esperke.

Mother: Dorothee Marie SPRENGEL, of Esperke.

Baptismal Sponsors:

1. Farmer on the church farm FREERKING;

2. Juergen Heinrich FEDDELER;

Georg GOEMANN,

of Esperke.

Copy certified Niedernstoecken, 3 April 1989 /signed/ JENKE, Pastor SEAL OF THE NIEDERNSTOECKEN EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

Certified Copy from the Confirmation Register of the Evangelical Lutheran Church Parish of Niederstoecken

Time: Quasimodogeniti Sunday (the first Sunday after Easter), 10 April 1831.

School: Esperke.

No. 3.

Names of Those Confirmed: Georg Heinr(ich) FREERKING.

Birth Day: 24 September.

Birth Year: 1816.

Proficiency in Reading: Good.

Proficiency in Religious Comprehension: Very Good.

Copy certified Niedernstoecken, 3 April 1989 /signed/ JENKE, Pastor

SEAL OF THE NIEDERNSTOECKEN EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

Johann Diterich & Dorothee(Sprengel) Frerking's 4th child-

- I George Heinrich Frerking b. September 24, 1816 Esperke d. December 16, 1857 Concordia
 - m. Charlotte "Louise" Worthman or Withman in Germany b. June 8, 1819 Germany d. May 8, 1905 Concordia Following George's death, Louise m. Hain Kolster and had a son, John. It was a puzzle as to why she used the name of FRERKING in 1860 census. The answer is found at end of this chapter.

George's Ch: Rosina, Ernst, Gustav, Dorette, Carl

- II Rosina's name is quite a puzzle yet. In 1860 confirmation class she is listed as-Sophie Frerking, daughter of the late George. In 1850 census, she is-Georgeanna. If she is the girl born on the boat, she is Georgine Christine Sophie Rosina. When her death date was recorded, no birth date was given, only that she was 47 years of age. It was July 6, 1895 Concordia.
 - m. Teacher Gruber 1863 Concordia. Centennial History states that he taught school from 1862 until 1865. No death date for him. They had a child-Dorothea.
 - m. Dietrich Otto Roepe 1866 Concordia
 - 11 Ch: Martha, Karl, Otto, Emilie, Amalia, Edward, Dietrich, Julius, Paul, Amanda, Anna
- III Dorothea Gruber b. 1864 Concordia d. 1881 Concordia
- III Martha Emilie Roepe b. 1867 Concordia m. F.H. Kueck
- III Karl Otto Roepe b. 1869 Concordia
- III Otto Edward Roepe b. 1871 " d. 1952 Concordia m. Flora Bruns 1898 Concordia
- III Emilie Rosine Roepe b. 1873 Concordia
- III Amalia Regina Roepe b. 1875
- III Edward Richard Roepe b. 1878
- III Dietrich Roepe b. 1879
- III Julius Roepe bakd. 1880 "
- III Paul Dietrich Roepe b. 1881 " d. 1883 Alma
- III Amanda Dorothy Roepe b. 1884 Alma
- III Anna Louise Roepe b. 1886 Alma
 - m. William Henry Urban 1917 Higginsville
 - 4 Ch: Leonard, Clifford, Paul, Leona who m. Willoughby

A memory related by Alma Frerking Tiemann-

She recalls that her Uncle "Dick" Roepe had only one arm when she knew him. He used a knife-fork combination for eating. She says that he got along as well as anyone but that she was always totally fascinated to watch him eat when visiting in their home.

More history concerning this family of George's can be found at end of this chapter.

- George & Louise (Worthman) Frerking's 2nd child-
- II Ernst August Frerking b. 1847 Concordia d. 1899 Concordia
- II Gustavus Adolphus "G.A." Frerking b. March 27, 1849 Concordia d. April 3, 1924 Corder
 - m. Eliza "Betti" Schraeder-Roepe 1873 Concordia b. 1855 Concordia d. 1908 Corder
 - 12 Ch: Flora, Edward, Ella, Robert, Arthur, Louise, Lillian, Rose, Walter, Leah, Esther, Alma
- III Marie Louise "Flora" Frerking b. Dec. 7, 1874 Concordia d. Aug. 2, 1919 Corder
 - m. Adolph C. Heins 1897 Corder
 - 9 Ch: Lucille, Ralph, Norbert, Vera, Ramona, Omar, Melvin, Roscoe, Irma
- IV Lucille Heins m. Alfred Deterding

 Verwallace Deterding b. 1929 Ruskin, NE d. 1987 K.C.

 m. Katherine & had 1 son & 3 dau
- TV Rev. Ralph "Buddy" Heins m. Martha, 6 ch Lives in Albany, OR
- IV Rev. Norbert Heins m. Aileen, 5 ch "
- IV Vera "Tootie" Heins m. Schultz, 2 ch
 - m. Slaughter Lives in Duarte, CA
- IV Ramona Heins m. Rudy Lovci, 2 ch in Gainesville, FL
- IV Omar Heins 2m's Lives & works at Sandia AFB, NM
- IV Melvin Heins m. 2 ch is a druggist in Dallas, TX
- IV Roscoe "Snooky" Heins m. 2 ch is a Dr. & lives in Paulsbo, WA
- IV Irma Heins d. age 4 at Corder
- III George Louis "Edward" Frerking b. 1876 d. 1971 Orange, CA m. Anna Smith
- 8 Ch: Thelma, Helen, Margie, Ruth, Mildred, Dorothy, G.A., Betty
- IV Thelma Frerking m. Glenn
- IV Helen Frerking m. King
- IV Margie Frerking m. Weeks in Hollywood, CA
- IV Ruth Frerking m. Davis
- IV Mildred Frerking m. Jordan
- IV Dorothy Frenking m. Weakley
- IV G.A. Jr. Frerking b. CA
- IV Betty Marie m. Warren
 This entire family is in various parts of California
- III Ella Rosina Frerking b. 1878 Corder d. 1951 Santa Ana, CA
 - m. Charles Lieser 1900 Concordia He d. 1909 Corder
 - m. Clifford Chamberlain (had son, Vincent)
 - 2 Ch: Floyd, Raymond
- IV Floyd Lieser is m.
- IV Raymond Lieser (Chiropractor) m. Edith in Rossville, CA

George & Louise(Worthman) Frerking's 3rd child's family-G.A. & Betti's 4th child-

III Carl "Robert" Frenking b. Nov. 12, 1879 d.Feb. 13, 1958 Corder m. Clara Amanda Haas 1902

b. 1880 Lowell, WI d. 1964 Corder

6 Ch: Roland, Horace, Walter, Leslie, Edith, Leland

IV Rev. Roland Franklin Frenking b. July 14, 1903 Alma m. Clara Kienzle 1930 Maplewood 6 Ch: Robert, Mary, Paul, Edith, Roland, Martha

V Robert George Frerking b. 1931 St. Louis m. H. Carzelle Thurmon of Mascot, TN 5 Ch: Katherine, Mary, William, John, James

VI Katherine Ann Frerking b. 1957 Birmingham, AL

VI Mary Elizabeth Frerking b. 1959

VI William Andrew Frerking b. 1961

VI John Robert Frerking b. 1964 Maryville, TN

VI James David Frerking b. 1967 Bloomington, IL

V Mary Louise Frenking b. 1933 m. Rufus Clapp 1954 3 Ch: Donna, Brian, Allen VI Donna Lynn Clapp b. 1959 San Jose, CA VI Brian Russell Clapp b. 1960

VI Allen Gordon Clapp b. 1967 San Mateo, CA

V Paul Richard Frerking b. 1937 Shelbyville m. Barbara Traenkenschuk 1962 2 Ch: Paul, David VI Paul Richard, Jr b. 1965 Tuscaloosa, AL VI David Allen Frerking b. 1968 "

V Edith Joan Frerking b. 1940 Joplin m. Carl Ebeling 1964 VI Ch: Allan Carl Ebeling b. 1968 Clearwater, FL

V Roland Frerking, Jr b. 1944 Knoxville, TN m. Melinda Christine Ritt 1970 Chicago, IL no ch

V Martha Jean Frerking b. 1945 Knoxville, TN m. Dennis Kitzmann VI Ch: Cynthia Christine b. 1971 Hahn AFB, Germany

Rev. Roland Frerking has retired to Columbia, S.C. Mary & Rufus Clapp are living in Foster City, CA

George & Louise(Worthman) Frerking's 3rd child's family-G.A. & Betti's 4th child, Robert's family-Robert & Clara(Haas) Frerking's 2nd child-

b. December 24, 1904 Alma IV Rev. Horace Robert Frenking m. Lucille Tiemann 1928

3 Ch: Claire, Kenneth, Doris

V Claire Adell Frerking b. 1930 Amarillo, TX

1951 Corder m. John Kuddes

4 Ch: John, Karen & Kevin (Twins), Jeffrey

VI John Robert Kuddes b. 1954 Sedalia

Dellinger VI Karen Kuddes (Twin) b. 1956

VI Kevin Kuddes(Twin) b. & d. 1956 Sedalia

VI Jeffrey Kuddes b. 1959 K.C.

b. 1932 Amarillo, TX Rev. Kenneth Lee Frerking m. Lynn Crawford 1956 (had dau-Ethylynne)

VI Ch: Joanna Beth Frerking b. 1966 Columbia

V Doris Elaine Frenking b. 1940 Amarillo, TX m. James Embree 1960

3 Ch: Stephen, Michael, Mark

VI Stephen Embree b. & d. 1962 Lubbock, TX

VI James Michael Embree b. 1963 Wichita Falls, TX

VI Stephen Mark Embree b. 1965 Elgin, IL

Rev. Horace Frerking & wife have retired to Blue Springs

Robert & Clara's 3rd child-

IV Walter Arthur Frenking b. & d. 1906 Alma

Deaths elsewhere / 数

CHARLOTTE, N.C. — The Rev. Leslie Forrest Frerking, 79, Charlotte, formerly of Missouri, died Monday at the home. He was born in Lafayette County, Mo., and lived in Charlotte most of his life. Mr. Frerking was pastor of the Lutheran Church of the Ascension, Charlotte, from its founding in 1931 until he was made pastor emeritus in 1972. He was president of the southeastern district of the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod for eight years. He received an honorary doctorate degree from the Concordia Seminary, St. Louis. He received the first Mind of Christ award from the Lutheran Human Relations Association of America at Valparaiso (Ind.) University and served on the university's board for eight years. He leaves his wife, Katherine Frerking of the home; two sons, the Rev. Robert Drumm Frerking, Mission, and the Rev. John Leslie Frerking, North Palm Beach, Fla.; three daughters, Katherine Anne Engle Warner Robins, Ga., Judith Settlemyre, McConnells, S.C., and Susan Frohm, Reston, Va.; two brothers, the Rev. Roland Frerking, Columbia, S.C., and the Rev. Horace Frerking, Blue Springs; a sister, Edith Dahlem, Charlotte; 16 grandchildren; and three greatgrandchildren. Services will be at 11 a.m. Saturday at the church in Charlotte; private burial. The family suggests contributions to the church in Charlotte or to the Lutheran Mission of the Good Shepherd.

Found in THALBOTE of 1903 Printed in either Concordia or Higginsville.

"Julius Frerking hat das lager von General Merchandise der 'Firma W.H. Dean & Company' kauflich erworben."

I do not know which Julius this would be.

George's family-George & Louise(Worthman) Frerking's 3rd child's family-G.A. & Betti's 4th child, Robert's family-Robert & Clara(Haas) Frerking's 4th child-

IV Rev. Leslie Forrest Frerking b. September 3, 1907 Corder d. November 24, 1986 Charlotte, NC m. Metta Katherine Drumm 1932 5 Ch: Katherine, Robert, John, Judith, Susan

V Katherine Anne Frerking b. 1934 Charlotte, NC
m. Donald Engle 1955 Live in Warner Robbins, GA
3 Ch: Steven, Katherine, Deborah
VI Steven Stewart Engle b. 1957 Charlotte, NC
VI Katherine Elizabeth Engle b. 1959 San Antonio, TX

VI Deborah Ann Engle b. 1960 Laredo, TX

V Rev. Robert Drumm Frenking b. 1935 Charlotte, NC m. Sadie Thea Bauer 1959 b. 1936 in Almada, Argentina, S.A. 5 Ch: Stuart, Annette, Rene, Sara, Thaddeus

VI Stuart Forrest Frenking b. 1961 St. Louis m. Michelle Renee Arnold of Atlanta, GA 1983 VII Ch: Emily Nicolle Frenking b. 1987 K.C.

VI Annette Elizabeth Frerking b. 1962 San Jose, CA m. Jack Lee Snyder 1987 Shawnee Mission, KS

VI Rene Leslie Frerking b. 1963 San Jose, CA m. Bradley Kent Koehn Shawnee Mission, KS 2 Ch: Kelsea, Mikayla VII Kelsea Thea Koehn b. 1987 Shawnee Mission, KS VII Mikayla Rene Koehn b. 1989 " "

VI Sara Thea Frerking (Adopted) b. 1974 Hannibal
VI Thaddeus Drumm Frerking b. 1974 Hannibal

Rev. Robert Frerking is at Lutheran Good Shepherd Mission located at 1742 Jefferson Avenue, Kansas City, MO. Sadie works with him as full-time secretary. There are two completely different groups of people to whom this mission ministers, the Blacks and Hispanics. Since about a year ago, the Blacks have their own place to gather on Gregory Boulevard. This was presented to the Mission by the former all-white congregation. These are in the poorer sections of the city and finances are a constant problem. Seeing how this mission has grown the past few years has truly been heart-warming.

Stuart is an Electronic Engineer with AT&T in Chicago. Annette is a Veterinary.

Rev. Robert Frenking & Family plan to go to First Trinity in Washington, D.C. in 1990.

George's family-George & Louise (Worthman) Frerking's 3rd child's family-G.A. & Betti's 4th child, Robert's family-Robert & Clara(Haas) Frerking's 4th child's family-Rev. Leslie & Katherine Frerking's 3rd child-V John Leslie Frerking b. 1941 Charlotte, NC m. Eileen Louise Knoblock 1965 3 Ch: Karl, Elizabeth, Melissa VI Karl Leslie Frenking b. 1969 Mussel Shoals, AL VI Elizabeth Ann Frerking Frerking b. 1971 W. Palm Beach, FL VI Melissa Frerking Now living at North Palm Beach, FL V Judith Louise Frerking b. 1945 Charlotte, NC m. Lee Settlemyre III 1966 & div. m. Bob Moore 1988 2 Ch: Shawn, Stephanie VI Shawn Renee Settlemyre b. 1960 Ft. Belvoir, VA VI Stephanie Lee Settlemyre b. 1971 Columbia, SC Now living in York, SC V Susan Margaret Frerking m. Monte Emmanuel Frohm 1967 Kimball, NE 3 Ch: David, Jonathan, Jessica VI David Forrest Frohm b. 1969 Mobile, AL

VI Jonathan Mark Frohm b. 1971 Charlotte, NC VI Jessica Frohm Now living in Herndon, VA

Robert & Clara's 5th child-IV Edith Annette Frenking b. 1912 Corder Lives in Charlotte, NC m. Russell Ashford & div. m. Otto Henry Dahlem 1934 Corder V Ch: Carolyn Leigh Dahlem b. 1945 Charlotte, NC m. Tom George Haines 1966 2 Ch: David, Katherine VI David Dahlem Haines b. 1968 Heidelberg, Germany VI Katherine Jennifer Haines b. 1971 Atlanta, GA

Robert's 6th child-IV Leland Leonard Frerking b. 1914 Corder d. 1985 Corder m. Lorine Augusta Werning 1936 Corder 6 Ch: Daniel, Anita, Pete, Dale, Lois, Kathleen V Daniel Lee Frerking b. 1938 Corder m. Karen Bryan 1963 Both are teachers 3 Ch: Patrick, Philip, Nathan VI Patrick Daniel Frerking b. 1965 San Francisco, CA VI Philip Daniel Frerking b. 1966 b. 1968 " VI Nathan Daniel Frerking

Both Daniel and Karen are teachers and are now located in North Palm Beach, FL

George's family-George & Louise(Worthman) Frerking 3rd child's family-G.A. & Betti's son, Robert's family-

Robert & Clara(Haas) Frenking's 6th child's family-Leland & Lorine(Werning) Frenking's 2nd child-

V Anita Ruth Frerking b. 1940 Corder m. Howard Goring 1961 Corder 3 Ch: Christine, Kevin, Russell

VI Christine Marie Goring b. 1963 Richmond

VI Kevin Edward Goring b. 1964 Richmond m. Jaqueline Talleur 1987 Highland, IL

VI Russell Steven Goring b. 1967 Richmond

Howard is Superintendant of the Higginsville Utility Plant. They are also living in Higginsville.

V Dennis Ray "Pete" Frerking b. 1943 Higginsville m. Ruth Bultemeier 1965 & div.

m. Sherry Grace

3 Ch: Sarah, Andrew, Lindsey

VI Sarah Renee Frerking b. 1968 Highland, IL (Ruth's)

VI Andrew Edward Frerking b. 1969 Richmond "

VI Lindsey Lorine Frerking b. 1982 Corder (Sherry's)

Pete and Dale are carrying on the Frerking Elevator, Inc. started by G.A. back in 1885. Both families live in Corder.

V Dale Alvin Frerking b. 1947 Higginsville m. Mary Wade Busch (had son, Billy) 2 Ch: Carla, Timothy

VI Carla Joann Frerking b. 1975 Corder

VI Timothy Robert Frerking b. 1977 "

V Lois Annette Frerking b. 1952 Lexington Teaching in Kewanee, IL

V Kathleen Marie Frerking b. 1956 Lexington m. Thomas Mark Hahn 1978

2 Ch: Nicholas, Kyle

VI Nicholas Hahn b. 1982 Anoka, MN

VI Kyle Hahn b. 1989 Cape Girardeau Both Kathy and Tom are teaching in Cape

G.A. & Betti's 5th child-

III Arthur John Frerking b. 1882 Corder d. 1928 K.C.

He ran a hotel in partnership with Joe Frerking in K.C.

III Louise Frerking b. 1884 Corder d. 1885 Corder

George's family-George & Louise (Worthman) Frerking's 3rd child's family-G.A. & Betti(Roepe) Frerking's #7 child-III Lillian Emilie "Lillie" Frerking b. 1886 Corder d. 1947 Anaheim, CA m. John Rudolph Wollenmann 1905 Corder d. 1948 Anaheim, CA 5 Ch: Carl, John, Helen, G.A., William IV Carl Rudolph Wollenmann b. 1907 Corder m. Bernice Brownfield 2 Ch: Carlyce, Delores V Carlyce Wollenman McGregor m. V Delores Wollenman Starnes 2 ch & 2 adopted m. IV John Wollenmann b. 1912 Corder m. Bernadine Bettendorf 2 Ch: Barbara, John V Barbara Lee Wollenman b. 1935 m. Robert Henggi 3 Ch: Nikky, Jody, John V John James Wollenman b. 1936 Three Rivers, CA IV Helen Charlotte Wollenman b. 1917 Corder d. 1971 Lindsay, CA m. Ross Brownfield 3 Ch: Mike, Dennis, dau IV G.A. Wollenman b. 1922 Lindsay, CA m. Ruth Cowell 3 Ch: Tony, Tommy, Tracy IV William Joe Wollenman b. 1924 Lindsay, CA m. Wanda Wakefield 2 Ch: Gus, Jody, & 2 adopted #8 child of G.A. & Betti Frerking-III Rosa Pauline Frerking b. 1988 Corder Is in nursing home in Marshalltown, IA m. Richard George 2 Ch: Lola, Roberta IV Lola George b. IV Roberta George m. Harold "Happy" Riese 2 Ch: Mary, Rogene b. 1936 State Center, IA V Mary Jane Riese m. Raymond Runge 1957 State Center, IA 4 Ch: David, Timothy, Steven, Mark VI David Runge b. 1958 Marshalltown, IA m. Jody Lehne 1981 2 Ch: Matthew, Michael VII Matthew David Runge b. 1982 Marshalltown, IA VII Michael Paul Runge b. 1983 VI Timothy Runge b. 1960 Marshalltown, IA m. Doris Forbes 1983 VI Steven Runge b. 1964 Marshalltown, IA b. 1966 VI Mark Runge V Rogene Mae Riese Faulkner & div. 2 Ch: Chris, Scott (D)68

George's family-George & Louise(Worthman) Frenking's 3rd child's family-G.A. & Betti(Roepe) Frerking's #9 child-III Walter Herbert Frerking b. 1890 Corder d. 1891 Corder III Leah Elizabeth Lydia Frerking b, January 12, 1892 Corder d. November 4, 1980 " m. Ernest Henry Kuddes 1915 Corder b. 1891 d. 1981 Corder 5 Ch: Jack, Betty, Marcile, two ch d. as infants IV E.H. Kuddes, Jr. "Jack" b, 1917 Corder m. Virginia Rose Loveless 1942 Leavenworth, KS IV Betty Jane Kuddes b. 1923 Corder m. Herbert Stuenkel 1945 Corder 2 Ch: Elizabeth, Mark V Elizabeth Ann Stuenkel b. 1949 San Francisco, CA m. Gary Friedrich 1971 of Chicago VI Ch: Tara Aspen Friedrich b. 1974 Smithton, NY V Mark Herbert Stuenkel b. 1952 San Francisco, CA Living in San m. Ruth Stockman 1972 🦠 Diego, CA 3 Ch: Matthew, Christa, Rebecca VI Matthew Stuenkel b. & d. 1975 Baltimore, MD VI Christa Leah Stuenkel b. 1978 S VI Rebecca Ann Stuenkel b. 1977 IV Marcile Annette Kuddes b. 1928 Corder m. Robert Herman Ehlers 1948 Mora 3 Ch: Michael, Terence, Ernest V Michael Robert Ehlers b. 1949 Corder m. Nikkie Sue Hare 1973(served as mayor of Alma for a time) 4 Ch: William, Michael, Anna, Emily VI William Matthew Ehlers b. 1974 VI Michael Robert Ehlers b. 1977 VI Anna Marie Ehlers b. 1979 VI Emily Rose Ehlers b. 1989 Louisville, KY V Terence Kuddes Ehlers b. 1954 Corder m. Rebecca Lynn Shaver 1983 Liberty VI Ch: Rachel Lynn Ehlers b. 1986 V Ernest Lee Ehlers b. 1965 Corder m. Kimberly Ann Smith 1987 Mountain Grove (Veterinary) Now living near Bolivar Marcile and Bob Ehlers live on a farm north of Corder. Marcile is a nurse at State School near Higginsville.

III Esther Helen Frerking b. 1893 Corder d. 1946 Anaheim, CA
m. Adolph John Schuette K.C.

IV Ch: Marjorie Jean Schuette d. 1946 San Marino, CA
m. Alan Talt (car accident)
4 Ch: Bradley, Steven, Mark, Karen

George & Louise(Worthman) Frenking's 3rd child's family-G.A. & Betti(Roepe) Frenking's 12th child-

III Alma Charlotte Frenking b. July 23, 1900 Corder
Now living at John Knox Village near Higginsville.

m. Rev. Oscar G. Tiemann 1924 Corder b. 1898 Alma d. 1987 Norborne

3 Ch: Jerome, Jean, Phyllis

IV Jerome "Jerry" Noel Tiemann b. August 24, 1926 Parshall, ND d. July 23, 1981 Norborne (Plane accident)

m. Katherine Heil 1951 Norborne

2 Ch: Becky, Susan

V Becky Carol Tiemann b. 1953 Hinsdale, IL

m. Darrell Latham 1976 Kansas City

2 Ch: Matthew, Todd

VI Matthew Latham b. 1980 Shawnee Mission, KS

VI Todd Tiemann Latham b. 1983 Kansas City

V Susan Kaye Tiemann b. 1955 Hinsdale, IL m. William "Bill" Webster 1980 Prairie Village, KS 3 Ch: Jonathan, Mark, David

VI Jonathan Noel Webster b. 1982 Joplin

VI Mark Andrew Webster b. 1984 "

VI David William Webster b. 1990 Jefferson City Bill Webster is our State Attorney General as of 1990

IV Jean Charlotte Tiemann b. 1929 Parshall, ND m. David Fischer 1954 Norborne 2 Ch: Kristen, Charlotte

V Kristen Gail Fischer b. 1956 Dayton, OH

V Charlotte Claire Fischer b. 1961 Midland, MI m. David Watters 1990 Chapel Hill, NC Jean and Dave live and work in Slidell, LA. Kristen is in Williamsburg, VA.

IV Phyllis Ann Tiemann b. 1933 Edgeley, ND m. Charles Chalender II 1957 Norborne

2 Ch: Nicholas, Zachary

VI Nicholas Hayes Corbin b. 1987 Slidell, LA

VI Zachary Charles Corbin b. 1990 "

V Charles Chalender III b. 1961 Springfield m. Mary Kathryn Harris 1986 "

George & Louise (Worthman) Frerking's #4 child-

II Dorette Frerkinh b. March 21, 1851 Concordia d. November 1, 1927 "

m. Martin Frerking 1869 Concordia

This family's history can be found under "Martin" which can be found starting on the first page of WILLIAM's family. (C)46

II Johann Carl "Charles" Frerking b. August 21, 1855 Concordia d. February 16, 1933 Corder

m. Bertha Roepe 1978 Concordia

b. 1858 Concordia d. 1939 Corder

9 Ch: Louise, Joseph, Laura, Olga, Alvin, Edna, Paula, Elizabeth, Homer

III Louise Dorothea Frerking b. 1878 Concordia d. 1879 "

III Heinrich Ernst "Joseph" Frerking b. June 16, 1880 Concordia d. Oct. 13, 1967 Corder

m. Ada Byron Price 1905 Corder
b. 1880 Dover d. 1969 Corder

They ran a General Store for a time and then farmed north of Corder.

2 Ch; Joe, Harold

IV Joe Price Frenking b. 1907 Corder d. 1970 m. Inez Johnson 1929 Marshall

V Ch: Joe Price Frerking Jr. b. 1930 d. 1944 K.C.

IV James "Harold" Frerking b. January 6, 1913 Corder m. Catherine Ann Stockman 1935 Higginsville Harold is retired from West Central Electric. Ann is also interested in history and can give you more details.

2 Ch: James, Jerold

V James Elmer "Jim" Frerking b. 1942 Higginsville

m. Judy Hotmer 1975

2 Ch: Jonathan, Cody

VI Jonathan Michael Frerking b. 1976 Higginsville

VI Cody Alan Frerking b. 1983

V Jerold Lee "Jerry" Frerking b. 1945 Higginsville

m. Cynthia Cash 1968 & div. 1985

m. Judy Anson Stratton 1986 Marshall

2 Ch: Susan, Jeremy

VI Susan Frerking b. 1969 Independence

VI Jeremy Frerking b. 1973

III Rosina "Laura" Frerking b. December 23, 1881 Corder d. May 19, 1944 Sweet Springs

m. John H. Smith

b. 1874 d. 1939 Sweet Springs

2Ch: Eloise, Arlene

IV Eloise Smith b. 1905 d. 1986 Johnson Co Mem. Gardens m. Maurice Smith

no ch

George's family-

George & Louise's #5 child's family-Charles & Bertha(Roepe) Frenking's #3 child's family-Laura & John Smith's 2nd child-

IV Arlene Smith b. 1909 d. 1975 Johnson Co Mem. Gardens m. Clarence Stevens

2 Ch: Robert, William

V Robert Reed Stevens b. 1939 K.C.

m. Ruth Pettis 1960

2 Ch: Gina, Lisa

VI Gina Stevens b. 1962 Shawnee Mission, KS

VI Lisa Stevens b. 1965 "

V William Stevens b. 1943 K.C.

m. Glenda Hobson

2 Ch: Brian, Lara

VI Brian Stevens b. 1966 Springfield

VI Lara Stevens b. 1967

III Emilie "Olga" Frenking b. August 19, 1886 Concordia
Living at Good Shepherd Home in Concordia

m. Lewis John Smith (Bro of John Smith)
Ran a general store and poultry house in Corder.

3 ch: Elston, Hazel, Marcia

IV Elston Kenneth Smith b. 1910 Corder

m. Joan Board

3 Ch: Michael, Diane, Laurel

V Michael Smith b. 1948 NE d. 1958 Royal Oak, MI

V Diane Smith

m. Ward Wheeler Living in Reedsville, WI

VI Ch: Robin Wheeler and Chandy Wheeler

V Laurel Smith b. 1959

m. Roger Lee Orr 1988 Springfield

IV Hazel Leigh Smith b. 1912 Corder d. 1987 Corder

IV Marcia Louine Smith b. 1916 Corder Living in Ft. Lauderdale, FL

m. Kenneth McQuistion

m. Charles "Chuck" Zerbst 1981

V Ch: James Douglas McQuistion b. 1956 GA m. Mary Woods & div. & rem. 1987

III "Alvin" George Frerking b. 1888 Corder d. 1958 K.C. m. Anna Hughes no ch

III "Edna" Pauline Frerking b. 1890 Corder d. 1981 Corder m. William Craig 1924 Port Arthur, TX no ch

III Paula Elizabeth Frerking b. 1893 Corder d. 1896 Corder

III Elizabeth Frerking b. & d. 1896 Corder

III Homer Charles Frerking b. 1899 Corder d.1986 La Cygne, KS m. Shirley Copeland no ch

Half-brother to the family-

John Henry Kolster b. September 15, 1859 Concordia

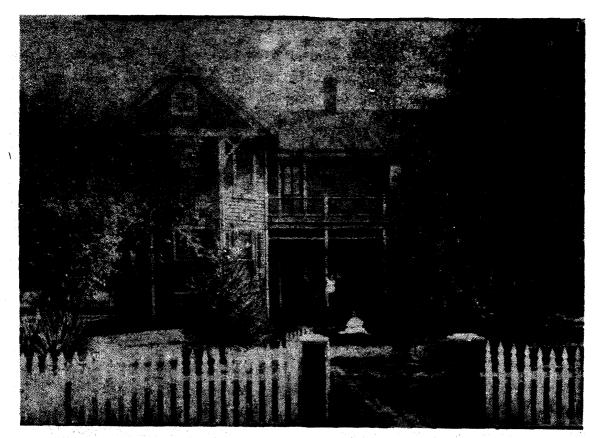
d. June 27, 1947

m. Mary Ehlers 1881 and the ff ch: Flora, Lena, Adolph, Louis, Julius, Fritz, Paul (D)72

Background history-

George Frerking and wife, Louise, were both from the Hanover Province in Germany. They head the list of the family who came on the ship-General Washington- which arrived in New Orleans November 24, 1845. George had learned the shoemaker's trade in Germany. The oldest daughter, Rosina, and family remained in the Concordia area except for a brief stay near Alma. Dietrich Roepe was a farmer. Ernst did not marry and remained on the family farm until he was killed by a steer. His mother, Louise, lived there until then and then went to Corder to stay with G.A. and family. G.A. and Betti lived in Concordia until 1883 when they moved to Alma and then to Corder in 1885. Beside the elevator in Corder, he also started ones in Higginsville and Alma. He shipped the first wheat out of Lafayette County on the C & A Railroad about 1878. He was also interested in real estate and insurance. His daughter, Alma, related that she drove the car many times for him to see potential clients. He never did learn how to drive a car. He started the Lutheran School in Corder and was a charter member of Zion Lutheran Church. He was instrumental in helping the Higginsville Church get started. He was also charter member of banks at Corder as well as Alma. St. Paul's College received much support from him. Dorette or "Dora" and Martin lived on a farm in the Concordia area. Charles and Bertha moved to Corder in 1887 after selling the livery business in Concordia. Charles or C.J. was also a charter member of Zion at Corder. His grandson, Harold, has this story to tell: "Grandpa had a limp. He was born with a short leg and used a cane and had to wear a built-up shoe. During my grade school days, I would help him, as he was custodian at the Corder High School, to clean the building. I would keep my horse in their barn and then I could go in and eat some of Grandma's good coffee cake and coffee. That's where I learned to drink coffee at a very young age." Note from Rev. Tiemann's recollections- " I remember my brother-inlaw, Robert Frerking, telling me how, when he was soliciting funds to establish the first telephone system in the Corder area, the people were fearful that they could not speak German over it. When they learned they could communicate in either High or Low German or any other lingo he had little trouble selling membership to them." LEXINGTON WEEKLY UNION paper of Feb. 7, 1863-

Louise Kolster by her best friend Friedrich Frerking-plaintif against Henry Kolster, A suit commenced for divorce. "He wholly disregarded his duties as husband, abandoned plaintif and absented himself." He had lived with her until March of 1859.



The Frerking family home in Corder is being removed to make way for the expanding business operation there.

Corder remembers long-time citizen 1986

Citizens of Corder as well as the family of long-time Corder resident, Olga Smith, will be helping her celebrate her 100th birthday next week.

In honor of her birthday Tuesday Aug. 19, the city of Corder proclaimed the week of the occasion as Olga Smith Week. This Sunday, Smith's family will be holding an open house



Olga Smith

birthday celebration at the Good Shepherd Rest Home in Concordia where she now resides.

Mary Francis Held, who was instrumental in convincing the city council and Mayor Emmitt Edwards to issue the proclamation, said there are several activities planned including an official presentation of the proclamation to Smith and a display of many of her paintings at the library and businesses around town.

Considered as the "Grandma Moses" of Corder, Smith is a self-taught artest and has been painting for nearly 60 years. Many Corder citizens, including her pastor at the Corder Lutheran Church, John Blankenbuehler and his wife Mary, have oil paintings by her in their homes.

Marcia Smith Zerbst, one of her three children, said the open house is welcome to everybody and will be

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held in the Good Shepherd Home recreation room at 2:00 Sunday. Refreshments will be served by the Dorcas Society of Zion Lutheran Church, and music will be provided by Forest and Marie Biesemeyer. Smith will be presented with card showers from various sororities as well.

Other relatives expected to attend include her other daughter, Hazel Leigh Smith of Praire Village Kansas, and son Elston K. Smith, of Buffulo, Mo., who is a former Corder school superintendent. Many grand-children are making their way to Concordia to be with her also.

Born in Concordia, Smith was baptized at St. Paul's church and was later confirmed on Palm Sunday in 1900 at the Corder Lutheran Church after her family moved there. She rememers attending school in the first church building and recalls the "ouches" which came from the students as they set up their desks onthe back of the pews. Smith graduated from Corder High School and she later married Louis J. Smith on April 17, 1906.

Johann Diterich & Dorothee(Sprengel) Frerking's #5 child-

I Catharine Maria Friderike Frerking b. Oct. 2, 1818
Confirmed 1833 and married 3 April, 1840 all in Esperke.
I was not sent her husband's name, sorry to say.

TRANSLATIONS OF ORIGINAL RECORDS FROM GERMANY:

Certified Copy from the Baptismal Register of the Evangelical Lutheran Church Parish of Niederstoecken

Those Born in 1818.

No. 26.

Names: Catharine Maria Friderike FREERKING (married 3 April (18)40).

Birthplace: Esperke.

Date of Birth and Baptism: 2 October (1818), 11 October (1818).

Parents:

Father: Johann Diderich FREERKING, cottager and master of the farmers in Esperke.

Mother: Dorothee Marie SPRENGEL, of Esperke.

Baptismal Sponsors:

Anna Maria FREERKING;

2. Anna Dorothea SPRENGEL;

Friederike FREERKING,

of Esperke.

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Certified Copy from the Confirmation Register of the Evangelical Lutheran Church Parish of Niederstoecken

Time of Confirmation the 4th of April, Maundy Thursday, 1833.

School: Esperke.

No. 18.

Names of Those Confirmed: Cath(arina) M(aria) Frieder(ike) FREERKING.

Birth Day: 2 October.

Birth Year: 1818.

Proficiency in Reading: Good.

Proficiency in Religious Comprehension: Good.

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Those Born in 1820.

No. 11.

Names: Heinrich Ludewig FREERKING.

Birthplace: Esperke.

Date of Birth and Baptism: 31 July (1820), 13 August (1820).

Parents:

Father: Johann Diderich FREERKING, cottager on a large farm and master of the

farmers in Esperke.

Mother: Dorothea Maria SPRENGEL of Esperke.

Baptismal Sponsors:
1. cottager GOEMANN;

pensioner ENGEHAUSEN;

3. pensioner HENGEL.

of Esperke.

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(Note: HENGEL may be a misreading of SPRENGEL.)

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Time of Confirmation 6 April 1834. (Note: one week after Easter.)

School: Esperke.

No. 7.

Names of Those Confirmed: Heinr(ich) Ludew(iq) FREERKING.

Birth Day: 31 July. Birth Year: 1820.

Proficiency in Reading: Good.

Proficiency in Religious Comprehension: Good.

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Johann Diterich & Dorothee(Sprengel) Frerking's 6th child-

nia gold fields."

Heinrich Ludewig Frerking b. July 31, 1820 Esperke

He was confirmed in Germany and made the trip to America
earlier than 1845 unless we can't decipher his name on the
list of passengers. He was in St. Louis February of 1847
and was a sponsor for George & Dora's child. The next record found was in the 1850 census where he is listed in the
Charlotte & Fritz Stuenkel household. It says," Lewis Frerking, age 31, gold hunter." Then in St. Paul's records it
says, "Ludwig Frerking d. Sept. 8, 1850, on way to Califor-

The following article appeared in the July 17, 1924 CONCORDIAN: A Wagon Train Bound for California by W.F. Walkenhorst:

While perusing the pages of my memory's history of my boyhood days when living on the Walkenhorst Homestead, I came to a picture of something that made a wonderful impression on my mind at that time. The sicture shows a train of ten wagons (prairie schooners) starting on its day's journey from where it camped the night before. In order that it may be better understood why these trains passed through, going westward at that time, and later, I will state that gold had been discovered in California in 1849. Many men from all over the settled country got the "gold fever", and wanted to go to California to dig gold; and the question arose "how to get there." At that time there were no bridges, no railroad trains, no airplanes, no automobiles or trucks, no telephones or telegraphs or radios. There were two routes, one was by water the other over land. The water route was by wooden ships, propelled by sails, passing east of South America, then along the western coast of California, in all a distance of 10,000 miles and surrounded by many dangers. Of course, the Panama Canal was not dreamed of at that time. These ships started from New York or New Orleans, and required three months to make the trip. The distance of the overland route from here was 2000 miles and could be made in comparable safety only during the summer months. It required four months to make the trip with ox train. The advantage of the overland route was the plentiful supply of prairie grass throughout Missouri, Kansas and eastern Colorado to furnish food for the steers that made up the trains. Then there were thousands of buffalo(bison) to furnish meat and buffalo "chips" which were used for fuel. The disadvantages and dangers were many. The Indians were quite numerous and very hostile. The Mormons that began to settle Utah in 1845 were not friendly; then there was a lack of medicine, doctors and hospitals in case of sickness, or snake bites, or accidents. Drouths sometimes were encountered, and once in awhile, in the fall of the year, prairie or forest fires would envelope a train with disastrous results. Storms, tornadoes and floods lent their share to the dangers of the overland route, and so it was that many a young healthy man, who started west with high spirits and with bright hopes of his future, never reached his goal, but was buried by the wayside.

TRANSLATIONS OF ORIGINAL RECORDS FROM GERMNAY:

Certified Copy from the Baptismal Register of the Evangelical Lutheran Church Parish of Niederstoecken

Those Born in 1821.

No. 34.

Names: Otto Georg FREERKING.

Birthplace: Esperke.

Date of Birth and Baptism: 27 November (1821), 9 December (1821).

Parents:

Father: Johann Diderich FREERKING, master of the farmers and cottager in Esperke.

Mother: Dorothee Marie SPRENGEL, of Esperke.

Baptismal Sponsors:

- SCHUENHOFF who lives at the edge of the village;
- 2. Friderich DIERKING;
- 3. Joh(ann) Diterich THIESS,

of Esperke.

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Confirmed on 10 April 1836. (Note: one week after Easter.)

School: Esperke.

No. 6.

Names of Those Confirmed: Otto Georg FREERKING.

Birth Day: 27 November.

Birth Year: 1821.

Proficiency in Reading: Good.

Proficiency in Religious Comprehension: Good.

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- Johann Diterich & Dorothea(Sprengel) Frerking's #7 child-
- I Otto Georg "Scharze" Frerking b. November 27, 1821 Esperke (One of his sponsors was Friedrich Dierking)
 D. April 22, 1892 Concordia
 - m. Dorothea nee Tschirping (from Trinity's records)?
 m. Wilhelmine "Martha" Rosetta Dierks in St. Louis
 b. Jan. 23, 1831 Oldenburg d. Aug. 2, 1888 Concordia

Scharze was a passenger on the ship, General Washington. He served as a private in the Civil War along with his brother, Adolph and his nephew, Fritz. William A.'s death certificate states that his mother's name was "Dora". After reading the info from Trinity's records, Elizabeth Frerking Oetting says she thinks the second child listed is her grandfather's older brother. She recalls being told that this older brother became a tailor and stayed in St. Louis. This family must have stayed in St. Louis until just prior to Mathilda Magdalena's birth.

- 11 Ch: Friedrich, William, Otto, Emma, Mathilda, Marie, Gustav, Charlotte, Augusta, Caroline, Martha
- II Friedrich Wilhelm Frerking b. Feb. 4, 1847 St. Louis ??
- II Wilhelm "William" August Frerking b. July 25, 1848 St. Louis d. April 19, 1922 Higginsville
 - m. Adelheid Goschen or Gosen 1870 Concordia
 b. 1853 Germany d. 1936 Higginsville
 They operated a dairy in Higginsville after coming from
 Concordia. Both were charter members of the Lutheran
 Church when it was organized in 1891. They had held services in their home for some time before.
 - 13 Ch: Emilie, Emma, George, Claus, Gustav, Wilhelm, Anna, Theodore, Paul, John, Leona, Hubert, Ella
- III Emilie Dorette Frerking b. 1871 & d. 1872 Concordia
- III Emma Frerking b. & d. 1872 Concordia
- III Claus Johann Frerking b. 1875 Concordia d. 1942 Higginsville m. Louise Schmidt 1898 Higginsville b. 1877 d. 1906 "
 - 4 Ch: Flora, Otto, Ella, Bertha
- IV Flora Frerking b. 1898 Higginsville(after confirmation no further record)
- IV Otto Frerking b. 1900 & d. 1901 Higginsville
- IV Ella Frerking b. 1904 St. Louis d. 1918 Higginsville
- IV Bertha Frerking b. & d. 1906 Higginsville

Note-Claus and family spent a period of time in St. Louis because an article in a newspaper states that he was employed at Waltke Soap Company in St. Louis in 1925.

Johann Diterich & Dorothee(Sprengel) Frerking's 7th child-Scharze & Dora's 2nd child, William A's family-William A. & Adelheid's #5-

III Johann "Gustav" Frerking b. 1877 Concordia (blacksmith) d. 1950 Whitewater, KS

m. Sophie Stumpenhaus 1901

8 Ch: Harold, Theodore, Ernest, Sophia, Leona, Nora, William, Marian

IV Harold Frerking b. 1902 No St. Louis d. 1974 Potwin, KS m. Mary Higdon

IV Theodore Edward Frerking b. 1904 d. 1959 Newton, KS
 m. Edna Warline 1928

V Ch: Margaret Ann Frerking Living in Manhattan, KS

IV Ernest Frerking b. 1906 d. 1969 m. Clara Arfmann 1929 Higginsville no ch Lived in Newton, KS

IV Sophia Frerking b. 1909 Living in Newton, KS m. John Unruh 1928
2 Ch: Natalie, Betty

V. Natalie Ann Unruh m. Hill

V Betty Jean Unruh m. Friesen

IV Leona Adelheid Frerking b. & d. 1910 Higginsville

IV Carrie Ella "Nora" Frerking b. 1912 Higginsville
 m. Verlin Hall of Newton, KS
 5 Ch: Jim, Don, Olin, Jolene, Janette (no more info)

IV Rev. William August Frerking b. 1913 Higginsville
m. Lavonne Leedem had 2 ch after she died he
m. Mary Pickett
They live in Wichita, KS as of 1989

IV Marian Frerking b. 1920 Living in Herington, KS m. Edwin Albrecht

V Ch: Dennis Kent Albrecht

William A. & Adelheid's #6-III Friedrich Wilhelm Frerking b. 1878 Concordia d. 1887 "

III Anna Meta Frerking b. 1881 Higginsville d. 1887 Concordia

III Theodore Louis Frerking b. 1883 Higginsville (Policeman) d. 1945 St. Louis

m. Minnie Hellweg

One wonders how Theodore escaped the terrible disease that took three little ones in the same month of 1887. They were laid beside two earlier babes already in the Cemetery at Concordia. They had moved to Higginsville by 1880.

III Paul Adolph Frerking b. 1885 Higginsville d. 1887 Concordia

Address for: Sophia Unruh, 102 So. Walnut in Newton, KS 67114 She sent info concerning all living in Newton in 1989.

Johann Diterich & Dorothee(Sprengel) Frerking's 7th child-Scharze & Dora's 2nd child, William A.'s family-William A. & Adelheid's #10 child-

III Johann "John" Paul Frerking b. July 21, 1888 Higginsville
d. March 10, 1950 Webster Groves
John was a streetcar motorman in St. Louis
m. Anna Catherine Howe 1910 Higginsville
3 Ch: Anna, Edna, Margaret

V John Reitz Jr. b. 1939 m. Mary VI Ch: Leon Reitz

IV Edna May Julia Frerking b. March 1, 1913 St. Louis
 m. William Hollingsworth 1935
 3 Ch: Jerilyn, Susan, Donald

V Jerilyn Mae Hollingsworth b. 1941 (Live in St. Charles, MO) m. Frederick Westerhold 1959 4 Ch: Lisa, Lori, Linda, Karen

VI Lisa Susan Westerhold b. 1963 m. Michael Foran 1981 2 Ch: Michael, Stacey VII Michael Foran, Jr

VII Stacey Foran

VI Lori Anne Westerhold b. 1965

VI Linda Margaret westerhold b. 1968

VI Karen Michelle Westerhold b. 1974

v Susan Rae Hollinsworth b. 1944
m. Oris Earl Petri, Jr 1965
2 Ch: Dana, Rebecca

VI Dana Petri

VI Rebecca Petri

V Donald Lee Hollingsworth b. 1947 m. Donna Lee Wessel 1969 2 Ch: Jeffrey, Matthew

VI Jeffrey Hollingsworth

VI Matthew Hollingsworth

Jerilyn or "Jeri"supplied John & Anna's families' histories. Her address is: Mrs. Fred Westerhold III, 45 Green Six Drive, St. Charles, MO 63303

Scharze & Dora Frerking's 2nd child, William A's family-William A & Adelheid's 10th child, John's family-John & Anna's 3rd child-

IV Margaret Caroline Frenking b. Nov. 27, 1914 St. Louis
 m. Thurston Gilbert 1941
 3 Ch: Jean, Jack, Jane

V Jean Lee Gilbert b. 1945

m. & has

VI Ch: Michael Lee b. 1979

V Jack Allen Gilbert b. 1946 m. Marilyn Ann Miles 1961 2 Ch: Denise, Tracy VI Denise Ann Gilbert b. 1971

VI Tracy Ann Gilbert b. 1977

V Jane Carolyn Gilbert b. 1948 m. Roger Lee Clayton & div VI Ch: Laura Jean Clayton b. 1970 m. Ron McNear

William & Adelheid's 11th-

III Leona Auguste Frerking b. 1890 Higginsville d. 1891 Concordia

III Friedrich "Hubert" Frerking b. Nov. 4, 1893 Higginsville d. Oct. 14, 1918 "

Hubert was also a streetcar motorman in St. Louis m. Frieda Hilgenstein

b. 1895 d. 1980 Los Angeles, CA 3 Ch: Elizabeth, William, Fredericke

IV Elizabeth Frenking b. Dec. 20, 1913 St. Louis m. Omar Oetting 1935 Higginsville 4 Ch: Robert, Carole, Gary, Philip

V Robert Dean Oetting b. June 27, 1936 Higginsville d. Jan.3, 1971 " (Drowned in Carver, OR)

m. Peggy Nations 1963
2 Ch: Peter, Regina

VI Peter Oetting b. 1964 K.C.

VI Regina Oetting b. 1967 "

V Carole Jane Oetting b. July 5, 1939 Higginsville

m. Richard Specker 1962 Higginsville

3 Ch: Laurie, Bryan, Sara

VI Laurie Suzanne Specker b. 1962 K.C.

m. John Westerhaven

VII Ch: Megan Westerhaven b. 1986 Clovis, NM

VI Bryan Paul Specker b. 1964 K.C.

VI Sara Beth Specker b. 1971 '

Scharze & Dora Frerking's 2nd child, William A's family-William & Adelheid's 12th child, Hubert's family-Hubert & Frieda Frerking's daughter, Elizabeth's 3rd child-

V Gary Bruce Oetting b. July 21, 1944 Higginsville m. Donna Wahn 1965 Higginsville 2 Ch: Gary, Matthew

VI Gary Daniel Oetting b. 1968 Higginsville

VI Matthew Dean Oetting b. 1971

V Philip George Oetting b. June 26, 1951 Higginsvile

m. Deborah White & div

m. Susan Grace Grandstaff & div

2 Ch: Jonathan, Lana

VI Jonathan David Oetting (Debbie's) b. 1972 Higginsville

VI Lana Christine Oetting (Susan's) b. 1979

Elizabeth's brother-

IV William L. Frenking b. August 16, 1915 St. Louis(wWII Vet) d. May 22, 1983 Cremated

m. Lillian

4 Ch: William, Linda, Michael, Robert

V William Frerking III b. 1939 Sacramento, CA m. & 2 ch

VI Gary Frerking

VI Debbie Frerking

V Linda Frerking Lives in Hawaii

V Michael Hubert Frenking Living in Chino Valley, CA m. & ch

VI Tyson Frerking

V Robert James Frenking Living in Sacramento, CA

IV Fredericke Ella Frerking b. 1917 Higginsville d. 1918 "

Elizabeth Oetting says that this little sister was buried in her father's arms in the same casket. They both had the "flu".

After Hubert's death, his wife, Frieda, married John Haggard. They had the following children: Hallie Mae, Melvina, Helen, John, Charles, Franklin, Marylin.

William & Adelheid's last child-

III Ella Laura Caroline Frerking b. Sept. 1, 1895 Higginsville d. Jan. 1, 1967

m. Foy Kirby 1916 Higginsville (from Slater)
3 Ch: William, Mary, Dora

IV William Victor Kirby b. 1919 Higginsville

IV Mary Kirby b. 1921 Higginsville

IV Dora Kirby b. 1923

Scharze's 3rd and Martha's 1st child-

II Heinrich "Otto" Frerking b. February 16, 1853 St. Louis Co.
d. February 27, 1915 Concordia

m. Margarethe Junge 1877 Concordia (She came to US in 1868) b. Jan. 22, 1860 d. Oct. 25, 1934 Concordia

13 ch: Clara, Henry, Arthur, Malena, Stillborn, Ferdinand, Richard, Alma, Erna, Oscar, Leonhard, Herbert, Lorenz

III Clara Sophia Martha Frerking b. January 28, 1878 Concordia d. February 16, 1953 "

m. Eduard Frerking (Their history is found in John and Eliese(Kammeyer) Frerking's family-pg (A)30

III George "Heinrich" Frerking b. 1879 Concordia d. 1881 "

III Wilhelm "Arthur" Frerking b. 1880 Concordia
Not married d. 1930 "

III Malena Franziska Frerking b. Feb. 22, 1883 Concordia d. Oct. 21, 1948 "

Not married. worked in K.C.

III Stillborn 1885 Concordia

III Ferdinand Gustav Frerking b. January 1, 1886 Concordia d. May 12, 1968 "

m. Amanda Freund 1912 Concordiab. 1889 Concordia d. 1968 Concordia3 ch: Roy, Elva, Raymond

IV Roy Frerking stillborn 1915 Concordia

IV Elva Frerking b. & d. 1919

IV Raymond Frerking b. Jan. 9, 1926 Concordia m. Ruby Dean Bredehoeft 1951 Alma 4 ch: Pamela, Steven, Don, Barry

V Pamela Sue Frerking b. 1956 Concordia

V Steven Ray Frerking b. 1960 "
m. Theresa Holtcamp 1982 "
2 ch: Ben, Hannah

VI Benjamin Christopher Frerking b. 1985

VI Hannah Leigh Frerking b. 1987

V Don Alan Frerking b. 1963 Concordia V Barry Dean Frerking b. 1965 "

It states in Otto's obituary that he came to Concordia with his parents when a child.

A copy of Otto's death certificate was ordered and on it is stated that his birthplace was St. Louis County. Arthur Frenking had answered questions concerning Otto but he did not know the mother's name, only that both mother & father were born in Germany.

Scharze's 3rd and Martha's 1st son, Otto's family-Otto & Margarethe (Junge) Frenking's 7th child-

- III Richard Rudolph Frerking b. February 1, 1888 Concordia d. March 24, 1980 Ernestville
 - m. Anna Alewel 1911 Ernestville b. 1890 d. 1977 Ernestville
 - 5 ch: Verna, Edgar, Harvey, Armin, Lucille Note-Richard farmed in the Mount Olive neighborhood in Johnson County. It was mostly a black settlement south of Ernestville.
- IV Verna Margarethe Frerking b. January 29, 1912 Ernestville m. Paul Lacho 1939 Ernestville b. 1910 d. 1975 Ernestville No children
- IV Edgar Henry Otto Frerking b. December 21, 1914 Ernestville d. July 9, 1980 Emma
 - m. Nora Wolters 1939 Concordia
 b. 1916
 - 4 ch: Carol, Robert, Debra, Randall
- V Carol Sue Frerking b. July 27, 1940 Pleasant Hill m. Rev. Clifford Koenig 1960 4 ch: Craig, Caryn, Cristin, Cory
- VI Craig Frerking b. 1960 Bronx, NY m. Jill Sochosky 2 ch:
- VI Caryn Frerking b. 1961 Bronx, NY m. Brian Barbee
- VI Cristin Frerking b. 1966 Sedalia VI Cory Frerking b. 1970 "
- V Robert Wayne Frenking b. August 7, 1946 Concordia m. Valerie Kirchhoff 1965 Concordia 5 ch: Jeffrey, Anthony, Scott, Brett, Angela
- VI Jeffrey Frerking b. 1967 Concordia m. Pam Link
- VII ch: Danielle Frerking b. 1986 Ernestville
- VI Anthony Frerking b. 1969 Concordia m. Angela Schelp 1988 "
- VI Scott Frerking b. 1970 Ernestville
- VI Brett Frerking b. 1972 "
- VI Angela Frerking b. 1979 "

A memory by Verna Lacho-"My father told me that Grandfather Scharze landed in New Orleans in 1845 and that he had been a tailor in St. Louis. He was also a tailor for the army during the Civil War."

Scharze's 3rd & Martha's 1st son, Otto's family-Otto & Margarethe (Junge) Frerking's 7th child, Richard's fam-Richard & Anna's 2nd child, Edgar & Nora's 3rd child's family-

V Debra Frerking b. October 5, 1953 Concordia

m. Bruce Walton 1971 Emma

d. 1985 Marshall

m. Robert Kueck 1988

2 ch: Tracy, Lee

VI Tracy Walton b. Concordia

VI Lee Walton b. 1974 Kansas

V Randall Lee Frerking b. August 9, 1955 Emma

m. Brenda Ziegelbein

3 ch: Christie, Katie, Callie

VI Christie Frerking b. 1982 Emma

VI Katie Frerking b. 1986

VI Callie Frerking b. 1987

Richard & Anna's 3rd child-

IV Harvey A. Frerking b. 1918 Ernestville d. Dec. 7, 1989 Ernestville m. Velma Vogelsmeier 1941 Sweet Springs

4 ch: Margot, Patricia, Vicky, Jerry

V Margot Frerking or "Marti" b. 1945 K.C.

m. David Winter 1962 Ernestville

3 ch: Darren, Richelle, Andrette

VI Darren Scott Winter b. 1963 Lexington

VI Richelle Winter b. 1969

m. Doug Cook 1987 Alma

VI Andrette Winter b. 1970 Marshall

V Patricia Frerking b. 1942 K.C.

m. Billy Jo Brandt 1960 Ernestville

2 ch: Todd, Tony

VI Todd Brandt b. 1961 K.C.

m. Jana Dierking 1984 Blackburn

VI Tony Brandt b. 1963 Lexington

V Vicky Frerking b. 1946 d. 1967 Concordia (car-train

V Jerry Lee Frerking b. 1944 K.C.

accident)

m. Jackie Rutherford 1962 Concordia

VI 4 ch: Justine, Jeanette, Julie, Jamie

VII Justine Frerking b. 1962 Lexington

VII Jeanette Frerking b. 1965

VII Julie Frenking b. 1967 "

VII Jamie Frenking b. 1972 Warrensburg

Scharze's family-Scharze's 3rd & Martha's 1st son, Otto's family-Otto & Margarethe's 7th child, Richard's " Richard & Anna(Alewel) Frerking's 4th child-

IV Armin Richard Frerking b. Feb. 10, 1921 Ernestville m. Nadine Bruns

4 Ch: Dennis, Anna, Mina, Richard

V Dennis A. Frerking b. 1948 Concordia m. Donna Oliver 1973

4 Ch: Seth, Breck, Jaclena, Joshua

VI Seth Armin Frerking b. 1978 Columbia

VI Breck Ashlee Frerking b. 1980

VI Jaclena Frerking b. 1984

VI Joshua Frerking b. 1986

V Anna Frerking b. 1951 Concordia m. Michael Jordan 1974 VI Ch: Adam Robert Jordan b. 1982

V Mina Dene Frerking b. 1954 m. Donald Phillips 1977 Concordia 2 Ch: Clarista, Nicholas

VI Clarista Ann Phillips b. 1980

VI Nicholas Phillips b. 1982 Independence

V Richard Frerking b. 1955 Concordia m. Linda May 1975 2 Ch: Stephanie, Devin

VI Stephanie Frerking b. 1980 Blue Springs

VI Devin Ross Frerking b. 1984 Lexington

TV Ruth "Lucille" Frerking b. Aug. 4, 1923 Ernestville
 m. Harold Vogelsmeier 1948 Ernestville
 4 Ch: Nancy, Dale, Keith, Alan

V Nancy Marie Vogelsmeier b. 1949 Sweet Springs m. John Winter, Jr 1969 Sweet Springs 2 Ch: Christopher, Kara

VI Christopher Winter b. 1969 Alma

VI Kara Janis Winter b. 1972 "

V Dale Vogelsmeier b. 1951 Sweet Spgs d. 1962 Sweet Spgs(farm V Keith Vogelsmeier stillborn 1954 Sweet Springs accident)

V Alan Paul Vogelsmeier b. 1956 Sweet Springs m. Karel Kunze 1984 Concordia Ch: Lindsey, Shannon

VI Lindsey Nicole Vogelsmeier b. 1988 Concordia

VI Shannon Leigh Vogelsmeier b. 1990 "

Scharze's family-Scharze's 3rd & Martha's 1st son, Otto's family-Otto & Margarethe(Junge(Frenking's 8th child-

III Alma Frerking b. December 18, 1889 Concordia d. November 12, 1982 Blackburn

m. William C. Rehkop 1910 Concordia (from Blackburn)

4 Ch: Eleonore, Harry, Tracy, Mildred

IV Eleonore Rehkop b. November 30, 1911 Blackburn d. September 29, 1988 Three Groves, Alma

m. Walter Ervin Bock 1939

b. 1909 d. 1986 Three Groves, Alma

2 Ch: David, Stillborn

V David William Bock b. 1950 Waverly (Live on farm n. of Alma)

m. Patryca Tebbencamp 1970 & div. 1981

m. Pamela Jane Borchers 1982

4 Ch: Michael, Amy, Valerie, Amanda

VI Michael David Bock b. 1974

VI Amy Christine Bock b. 1977

VI Valerie Nicole Bock b. 1983

VI Amanda Marie b. 1986

IV Harry William Rehkop b. 1913 d. 1985 Marshall

m. Virginia Townsend 1936

4 Ch: Everett, Jean, Harry, Dorothy

V Everett William Rehkop b. 1941

m. Donna Payne 1961

6 Ch: Everett, Tara, Michael, Twins-Robert & Donald, Darin

VI Everett William Rehkop, Jr "Rhett" b. 1963 d. 1981

VI Tara Leigh Rehkop b. 1968 (adopted)

m. Ronald Catlett 1988

VI Michael Rehkop b. 1969 (adopted) d. 1076

VI Robert and Donald (Twins) b. 1977 (adopted)

VI Darin Rehkop b. 1982

V Virginia 'Jean' Rehkop b. 1944

m. Robert Edwards, Jr 1963

7 Ch: Carrie, Robert, Michael, Christopher, Susanne, Donald, Jonathan

VI Carrie Michelle Edwards b. 1964

m. Kevin Emde 1985

VI Robert Edwards III b. 1966

VI Michael Edwards b. & d. 1968

VI Christopher Edwards b. 1969

VI Susanne Edwards b. 1974

VI Donald Edwards h. 1978

VI Jonathan Edwards b. 1982

Scharze's familyScharze's 3rd & Martha's 1st son, Otto's familyOtto & Margarethe(Junge) Frerking's 8th child's familyAlma & Wm Rehkop's and child, Harry's familyHarry & Virginia Rehkop's 3rd child-

V Harry William Rehkop, Jr. b. 1946 (Live on farm between Alma m. Helen Clinkingbeard 1969 and Concordia) 2 Ch: Harry, Crystal

VI Harry William Rehkop, III "Hal" b. 1973

VI Crystal Anne Rehkop b. 1977

V Dorothy Mae Rehkop b. 1951 m. David Bremer 1974 4 Ch: Erika, Marta, Sara, Garrett

VI Erika Leigh Bremer b. 1977

VI Marta Christina Bremer b. 1980

VI Sara Elizabeth Bremer b. 1983

VI Garrett Wilhelm Bremer b. 1986

IV Tracy Rehkop (foster child)
m. Harry Donnell of Sweet Springs
Ch: Bill, Rick

IV Mildred Lucille Rehkop b. & d. 1917

Otto & Margarethe's 9th child-

III Erna Rosine Frerking b. 1892 Concordia d. 1972 Concordia

III Oscar Erwin Frerking b. November 24, 1893 Concordia d. March 23, 1963 "

m. Hulda Reith 1922 Concordia

b. 1895 Concordia d. 1981 Concordia

IV Ch: Omar Frerking b. 1925 Concordia

m. Stella Hemme 1954 Emma

4 Ch: Kenneth, Janet, Darrell, Marsha

V Kenneth O. Frerking b. 1956 Lexington

m. Kathryn Schlesselman 1977 Concordia

2 Ch: Krista, Kelly

VI Krista Dawn Frerking b. 1977 Warrensburg VI Kelly Diane Frerking b. 1984 Sweet Springs

V Janet Sue Frerking b. 1961 Lexington m. Richard Driver 1982

V Darrell Wayne Frerking b. 1962 Lexington m. Lana Kay Jensen 1984

V Marsha Lynn Frerking b. 1967 Lexington m. Rad Tretter Concordia

2 Ch: Brandon, Zachary

VI Brandon Wayne Tretter b. 1986 Sweet Springs

VI Zachary Dane Tretter b. 1987 K.C.

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Scharze's family-
Scharze's 3rd & Martha's 1st child, Otto's family-
Ottô & Margarethe(Junge) Frerking's 11th child-
III Leonhard Alfred Frerking b. September 25, 1895 Concordia
                              d. February 23, 1973 Concordia
       m. Mabel Reith 1924 Concordia
           b. 1898 Concordia d. 1986 Concordia
       4 ch: Helen, Albert, La Rue, Valera
IV Helen Frerking b. January 17, 1925 Concordia
     m. Robert Schumacher
     8 ch: Marcus, Deborah, Carla, Kathy, Steven, Michael,
           David, Sarah
V Marcus Schumacher b. 1946 (Deceased) m. Lois
V Deborah Schumacher b. 1951 Concordia
     m. William Neumeyer
     2 ch: Zachary, Christopher
VI Zachary William Neumeyer b. 1978 Ft. Wayne, IN
VI Christopher Daniel Neumeyer b. 1980 Ft. Wayne, IN
V Carla Schumacher b. 1953 Concordia
     m. Jerry Flakne
     4 ch: Nicole, Elizabeth, Eric, Jessica
VI Nicole Diane Flakne b. 1973 Muscatine, IA
VI Elizabeth Elise Flakne b. 1975
VI Eric Brandon Flakne b. 1976
VI Jessica Lauren Flakne b. 1989
V Kathy Schumacher b. 1956 Concordia
    m. Dennis Dohrman
    4 ch: Adam, Benjamin, Caleb, Hilary
VI Adam Paul Dohrman b. 1975 Sweet Springs
VI Benjamin Wayne Dohrman b. 1977
VI Caleb Louis Dohrman b. 1984
VI Hilary Kate Dohrman b. 1986
V Steven Schumacher b. 1957 Concordia (Rev.)
    m. Cindy
    3 ch: Emily, Joshua, Jacob
VI Emily Christine Schumacher b. 1979 Wausau, WI
Ji Joshua Steven Schumacher b. 1985
VI Jacob William Schumacher b. 1988
V Michael Schumacher b. 1958 Concordia (Rev.)
     m. Carol
VI ch: Luke Michael Schumacher b. 1986 Ft. Dodge, IA
V David Schumacher b. 1961 Concordia (Living in Ft. Dodge)
   m. Lisa
V Sarah Schumacher b. 1967 Concordia d. Feb. 28,1990 Chicago, IL
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m. Bill Miller 1986 Concordia

VI Twins: Alexander & Alan b. 1990

VI ch: Diane Marie Miller b. 1987 Roselle, IL

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Scharze's 3rd & Martha's 1st son, Otto's family-Otto & Margarethe(Junge) Frerking's son, Leonhard's family-Leonhard & Mabel (Reith) Frerking's 2nd child-

IV Albert King b.March 15, 1928 Concordia m. Winifred (Live in Sunrise, FL) 2 ch: Joel, John

V Joel King b. 1948 m. Adrienne Kay

3 ch: Ann, Thomas, Robert

VI Ann Catherine King b. 1977 Tucson, AZ

VI Thomas William King b. 1979

VI Robert James King b. 1985 "

V John King b. 1952 m. Elizabeth

VI ch: Aisha Elizabeth b. 1983 Sunrise, FL

IV LaRue Frerking b. March 17, 1932 Concordia
 m. Edward Longinotti, Jr. (Live in Memphis, TN)
 6 ch: Mary, Edward, Thomas, Anne, Lauri, Lisa

V Mary Beth Longinotti b. 1957

m. Howell

2 ch: James, Allison

VI James Glen Howell b. 1979 Memphis, TN

VI Allison Reith Howell b. 1980 "

V Edward Longinotti, III b. 1958
 m. Lisa
 2 ch: Edward, William

VI Edward Victor Longinotti, TV b. 1982 Nashville, TN

VI William Tucker Longinotti b. 1985

V Thomas Longinotti b. 1959 (Lives in Memphis, TN)

V Anne Longinotti b. 1960

m. Rob Sandlin (Live in Atlanta, GA)

V Lauri Longinotti b. 1962

m. Claudio Feler (Live in Memphis, TN)

V Lisa Longinotti b. 1971 (Also in Memphis)

IV Valera Frerking b. August 21, 1934 Concordia d. March 16, 1989

m. Arthur Zschiegner (Lives in Ft. Wayne, IN 2 ch: Jonathan, Angela

V Jonathan Zschiegner b. 1956 is deceased

V Angela Zschiegner b. 1960

m. Terence Sprague

VI ch: Melody Nicole Sprague b. 198 El Paso, TX

III Herbert Hugo Frerking b. 1898 Concordia d. 1899 Concordia III Lorenz Christ Frerking b. 1900 " d. 1901 "

Scharze's 4th & Martha's 2nd child-

II Emma Sophia Frerking b. July 25, 1854 m. Fritz Tagtmeyer 1878 Concordia 8 Ch: George, Julius, Freda, Adolph, Eddie, Fred, Minnie, Auguste

III George Tagtmeyer b. June, 1881

III Julius Tagtmeyer b. October, 1882 Alma
d. 1968 Higginsville
m. Christine Marie Huercamp 1919 Joplin
no ch

III Freda Tagtmeyer b. October, 1885 m. & had 4 ch

III Adolph Fritz Tagtmeyer b. November 1887 m. & had 3 ch

III Eddie Tagtmeyer b. January, 1890 d. in Goodland, KS not m.

III Fred Tagtmeyer b. October 1894 m. & 1 ch

III Minnie Tagtmeyer b. June 1895 m. Alpers no ch

III Auguste Tagtmeyer stillborn 1884 Concordia

This family moved to DeWitt, Arkansas and that is probably where Emma & Fritz's death records are.

(Thanks to Donna (Schloman) Rehmsmeyer I deleted two families who did not belong here.)

This was found in the 1877 atlas of Lafayette County:

In the commerce and business of this nation, the German element is proving a formidable rival to the native ancestral American. Their increasing industry, cool perseverance, and practice of economy have placed in the fron ranks of capitalists, legislators and traders. In many respects we may take lessons from them beneficially. They are liberty-loving, honest, punctual to their promises, and as workers and managers, have no equals. They have already added largely to our wealth, without encumbering our prosperity in furnishing occupants for poor-houses, jails, and penitentiaries. They have taken possession of and made waste places blossom as the rose, taught us new industries; and to their great credit, very few of their names are to be found in the make-up of delinquent tax lists. The unfounded prejudice heretofore existing towards them, is gradually giving way, as their moral and social qualities become better understood and the time will come when their descendants will proudly point to their origin from the bee-hive of nations.

Note-How true the forgoing paragraph is! Personally, I am at last extremely proud of my German heritage but it took many years to appreciate it. I would never have admitted to friends that I learned no English until I started to school and that was a very gradual process. My guilt complex urges me to keep searching out all of my German roots. My name had an extra (n) for many years but dropped in High School. I have Tiemans, Schaefers, Gieselmans, Kesslers in my blood and proud of it.

Scharze's family-Scharze's 4th & Martha(Dierks) Frerking's 3rd child-

II Mathilda Magdalena Frerking b. January 9, 1858 Concordia d. January 1, 1922 "

m. Wilhelm Wodrich 1878 Concordia

b. 1852 Mecklenburg, Germany d. 1905 Concordia

11 ch: Julius, Edward, Martha, William, George, Albert, Frieda, Carolyn, Hulda, Arthur, Daniel

III Julius Wodrich b. 1880 d. 1960

III Edward Wodrich b. Feb. 16, 1882 d. May 23, 1953 m. Henrietta Borgman 1912 b. 1886 d. 1965

4 ch: Evelyn, Louise, Margaret, Edwin

IV Evelyn Wodrich b. August 23, 1915
 m. James Kennedy 1935
 3 ch: Edward, Howard, Sarah

V Edward James Kennedy b. & d. 1937 V Howard Kennedy b. March 29, 1938 m. Virginia Greisbaum 1968

VI ch: Todd Kennedy b. 1962 (adopted)

V Sarah Kennedy b. January 21, 1941 m. Robert Wolf 1961 3 ch: Thomas, Ronald, John

VI Thomas Robert Wolf b. 1962

VI Ronald Lee Wolf b. 1964

VI John Christopher Wolf b. 1972

TV Louise Wodrich b. June 11, 1920
 m. Beverly Stuessi 1941
V ch: Keith Allen Stuessi b. 1944
 m. Valerie Brink 1967
 2 ch: David, Daniel

VI David Keith Stuessi b. 1970

VI Daniel Ryann Stuessi b. 1974

IV Margaret Wodrich b. March 18, 1924 m. Phillip Fischer 1946 2 ch: Edward, Paul

V Edward Ernest Fischer b. 1947 m. Edith Muller 1973

V Paul Robert Fischer b. 1949 m. Sue Parkins 1973

IV Edwin Wodrich b. November 30, 1931

III Martha Wodrich not married

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Scharze's Family-
Scharze & Martha (Dierks) Frerking's dau., Mathilda's family-
Mathilda & William Wodrich's 4th child-
III William Wodrich b. Nov. 24, 1885
                                      d. Aug. 28, 1971
       m. Magdalena Gieseke 1914
            b. 1891 Concordia d. 1966 Concordia
       3 ch: Elmer, Raymond, Harvey
IV Elmer Wodrich b. 1915
                               d. 1988 Ernestville
     m. Irene Krause 1939 Emma
     2 ch: Roger, Gloria
V Roger Allen Wodrich b. Aug. 18, 1940
    m. Sharon Stuermer 1961
VI ch: Michael Wodrich b. 1963
         m. Gerry Stauch
VII ch: Crystal Wodrich
V Gloria Ann Wodrich b. December 19, 1942
     m. Herbert Jordan Boehmer 1961
     5 ch: Michael, Tom, Donald, Lisa, Maria
VI Michael Wayne Boehmer b. 1962
VI Tommie Boehmer
                   b. 1964
VI Donald Glenn Boehmer b. 1968
VII ch: Nichole Boehmer b. 1987 Concordia
VI Lisa Kay Boehmer b. 1969
VI Maria June Boehmer b. & d. 1972
IV Raymond Wodrich b. April 13, 1919
       m. Evelyn Roepe 1941 Emma
       5 ch: Kenneth, Carol, Terry, Bonnie, Tammy
V Kenneth Wodrich b. February 14, 1943
     m. Linda Westreman 1964
     2 ch: Darrell, Julie
VI Darrell Wodrich
                   b. 1965
VI Julie Ann Wodrich b. 1968
     m. Eric Shroeder 1989 Concordia
V Carol Wodrich b. January 13, 1946
    m. Robert Loges 1964
     4 ch: Cynthia, Kimberly, Melissa, Jennifer
VI Cynthia Loges b. 1965 Sweet Springs
VI Kimberly Loges b. 1968
VI Melissa Loges b. 1970
VI Jennifer Loges b. 1974
V Terry Wodrich b. May 30, 1949
   m. Joyce Frerking 1968
    3 ch: Darren, Shelli, Kristie
VI Darren Glenn Wodrich
                         b. 1968 Concordia
VI Shelli Ann Wodrich
                         b. 1972
VI Kristie Leanne Wodrich b. 1973
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Scharze & Martha (Dierks) Frerking's dau., Mathilda's family-Mathilda & William Wodrich's son, William's family-William & Magdalena (Gieseke) Wodrich's son, Raymond's family-Raymond & Evelyn (Roepe) Wodrich's 4th child-

V Bonnie Wodrich b. September 21, 1952

m. Larry Horman 1948

2 ch: Angela, Craig

VI Angela Lynn Horman b, 1972 Alma

VI Craig Allen Horman b. 1974 "

V Tammy Lynn Wodrich b. July 26, 1962

m. Randy Ratliff 1986

VI ch: Alexander Emry Ratliff b. 1988 Concordia

IV Harvey Wodrich b. October 8, 1920

m. Marvelee Harms 1942

V ch: Joan Wodrich b. March 17, 1944

m. John Heyer 1964

2 ch: Jennine, Justine

VI Jennine Marie Heyer b. 1969

VI Justine Annette Heyer b. 1970

III George Wodrich b. Dec. 20, 1887 d. June 16, 1962

m. Martha Martens 1912

b. 1891 d. 1976 Concordia

5 ch: Orville, Myrtle, Herbert, Allen, Earl

IV Orville Wodrich b. January 24, 1915 (Lives in Escondido, CA)

m. Mildred Meyer 1935

m. Josephine Messick 1963

V ch: (Mildred's) Phillip Wodrich b. Aug. 25, 1941

m. Margaret Blazie 1967

2 ch; Gretch, Heidi

VI Gretchen Wodrich b. 1969

VI Heidi Wodrich b. 1975

IV Myrtle Wodrich b. April 21, 1919 (Lives in Independence) m. Melvin Frerking (History in Friedrich's family under Adolph and Clara's family)

IV Herbert Wodrich b. 1922 d. 1941

IV Allen Wodrich b. May 17, 1924 (Lives in Escondido, CA)

m. Elsie

m. Barbara Stock 1951

5 ch: Rodney, David, Julie, Laura, Gayle

V Rodney Allen Wodrich(Elsie's) b. Dec. 21, 1942

V David Wodrich b. 1951

m. Linda Wimbush 1972

V Julie Ann Wodrich b. 1953

m. Ronald Reece 1974

V Laura Wodrich b. 1962

V Gayle Wodrich b. 1963

IV Earl Wodrich b. & d. 1926

Scharze's family-Scharze & Martha (Dierks) Frerking's dau., Mathilda's family-Mathilda & William Wodrich's 8th child-

III Carolyn Wodrich b. April 15, 1894 d. June 15, 1945 m. Edward Heermann 1921 3 ch: Clarence, Robert, Kenneth

IV Clarence Heermann b. August 1, 1923 m. Florence Falke 1948 4 ch: Valerie, Bonnie, Judy, Marlene

V Valerie Heermann b. Sept. 29, 1949 m. David Hurd 1970

VI ch: David Scott Hurd b. 1975

V Bonnie Heermann b. July 1, 1953 m. John Killion 1974

V Judy Heermann b. Sept. 1, 1955

V Marlene Heermann b. May 22, 1958

IV Robert Heermann b.

IV Kenneth Heermann b. Dec. 20, 1928
 m. Loretta Meyer 1950
 5 ch: Rebecca, Pamela, Patricia, Stephen, Melissa

V Rebecca Ann Heermann b. Dec. 28, 1953

V Pamela Jean Heermann(Twin) b. & d. 1956

V Patricia Jane Heermann (Twin) b. 1956 d. 1957

V Stephen Edward Heermann b. March 20, 1959

V Melissa Kay Heermann b. May 9, 1964

III Hulda Wodrich b. July 15, 1896 Concordia

III Arthur Wodrich b. Aug. 8, 1898 Concordia d. 1973 m. Bertha Heermann 1936 No children

III Daniel Carl Wodrich b. May 18, 1904 Concordia d. July 8, 1989 Sweet Springs

m. Emily Jane Martin 1935

IV ch: Jennifer Lynn Wodrich b. July 20, 1946

m. Jerry Lee Knight 1968

V ch: Elisa Gretchen Knight b. 1973

Scharze & Martha (Dierks) Frerking's dau., Mathilda's family-Mathilda & William Wodrich's 6th child-

III Albert Wodrich b. 1890 Concordia d. 1975 Concordia WWI vet.

III Frieda Wodrich b. July 22, 1892 Concordia d. Dec. 14, 1972 m. Otto Schutte 1920

3 ch: Ralph, Grace, Wallace

IV Ralph Schutte b. October 3, 1922

m. Lola Goebel 1947

V ch: James Schutte b. May 2, 1948

m. Connie DeAtley

m. Kathie Spencer 1971

2 ch: Chris, Joshua

VI Chris Schutte (Connie's) b. 1969

VI Joshua James Schutte b. 1974

IV Grace Schutte b. January 27, 1924

m. Omar Brandt 1947

V ch: Mary Brandt b. Feb. 13, 1948

m. Russell Vogt 1968

4 ch: Tammy, Tracy, Tonja, Tricia VI Tammy Lynn Vogt b. 1969

VI Tracy Kay Vogt b. & d. 1969

VI Tonja Joy Vogt b. 1972

VI Tricia Vogt b. 1974

IV Wallace Schutte b. December 6, 1930

m. Ruth Fields 1957

4 ch: Mark, Sara, Susan, John

V Mark William Schutte b. 1958

V Sara Lynn Schutte b. 1960

V Susan Ruth Schutte b. 1962

V John Charles Schutte b. 1964

Note-A Wodrich family history had been compiled, which we were graciously allowed to use.

Found in The HIGGINSVILLE ADVANCE-

One of four people who bought a car since our last issue was, H.F. Frerking of near Aullville. He bought a five-passenger Overland in April of 1914.

Scharze's 6th & Martha(Dierks) Frerking's 4th child-II Marie Rosine Frerking b. 1860 Concordia d. 1868 Concordia

II Gustav "Gus" Adolph Frerking b. February 9, 1862 Concordia d. November 20, 1933 Ernstville

m. Marie Niermann 1886 Concordia b. 1866 d. 1915 Ernestville

m. Emilie Harms

6 ch: (Marie's) Alexander, Alvin, George, Joseph, Paul, Julius

III George Ernst "Alexander" Frerking b. Oct. 13, 1887 Concordia d. Oct. 7. 1948 Ernestville WWI vet.

m. Ida Oetting 1919
 b. 1897 d. 1926 Ernestville

IV ch: Alleen Frerking b. 1926 Concordia (Reared by Oettings) m. Wilbert Fuchs

2 ch: Ronald, Marsha

V Ronald Wayne Fuchs b. Aug. 4, 1947 Concordia m. Cheryl Lynn Bauman 1987

VI ch: Sarah Marie Fuchs b. 1988 Mt. Prospect, IL

V Marsha Lynn Fuchs b. Aug. 26, 1950 Concordia

m. Steve Tomchaney 1970

3 ch: Jennifer, Michelle, Jill

VI Jennifer Lynn Tomchaney (Twin) b. Sept. 19, 1973 Janesville, WI VI Michelle Christine Tomchaney(Twin) b. н

VI Jill Leanne Tomchaney b. April 18, 1979 Janesville, WI Note- Wilbert was a partner in the Mahnken-Fuchs filling station until recent retirement. Ron is minister of music and Marsha is a dental aide and receptionist.

III Friedrich "Alvin" Frerking b. July 12, 1889 Concordia d. Oct. 20, 1955 Zion Hill

m. Edna Marsh 1917 Ernestville b. 1900 d. 1987

2 ch: Erline, Fern

IV Erline Frerking b. 1919

m. Hubert Rutherford 1938 of Higginsville

3 ch: Carol, Shirley, Keith

V Carol Rutherford b. 1940 Higginsville

m. & div. Forrest Willis, Jr. of Higginsville

VI 3 ch: Cindy b. 1958, Connie b. 1960, Charlotte b. 1962

V Shirley Rutherford b. 1943 Higginsville

m. & div. Barry Garrison of K.C.

VI 2 ch: Susan b. 1963, Deanna b. 1968

V Keith Rutherford b. 1947 d. 1966 Higginsville (auto accident)

Note-Zion Hill Methodist Church is located in Lafayette County west of the Ernestville Lutheran Church. Both are still very active "country" churches.

Continuing on Gus & Marie (Niermann) Frerking's family-Alvin & Edna (Marsh) Frerking's 2nd child-

IV Fern Frerking b. 1924 Concordia

m. Joe Menaugh 1944 b. 1918 d. 1956

m. Norman Luedeman 1957 Lexington

4 ch: Linda, Barbara, Carolyn, Roger

V Linda Menaugh b. 1944 Concordia m. Elbert Bredehoeft 1968 VI 2 ch: Marsha b. 1973 Craig b. 1979 V Barbara Menaugh b. 1952 Concordia m. Gary Flandermeyer 1973 VI 2 ch: Sean b. 1976 Lance b. 1980 V Carolyn Luedeman b. 1958

m. Paul Stewart 1985 Concordia

VI ch: Aaron Glenn Stewart b. 1988 Shawnee Mission, KS

V Roger Luedeman b. 1960 Concordia

m. Dana Harms 1977

3 ch: Nathan, Tia, Tricia

VI Nathan Luedeman b. 1978

VI Tia Luedeman b. 1980

VI Tricia Luedeman b. 1987 Concordia

III Wilhelm Louis "George" Frerking b. 1892 Concordia d. 1917 Ernestville

III Joseph Herman Frerking b. October 8, 1894 Concordia d. April 24, 1960 Zion Hill

m. Minnie Lee Marsh 1923 Warrensburg

6 ch: Ralph, Vernon, Marion, Bonita, Barbara, George IV Ralph Lee Frerking b. 1925 Zion Hill

m. Ethylene Kanoy 1948 Zion Hill

7 ch: Peggy, Gary, Gail, Nancy, Sharon, Penny, Debbie Peggy Ann Frerking b. & d. 1948 Zion Hill

V Gary Frerking b. 1950 Concordia

m. Paulette Martens 1972 Concordia

2 ch: Kathy, Andrea

VI Katherine Nicole Frenking b. 1975 Concordia

VI Andrea Dawn Frerking b. 1977 Concordia

V Gail Frerking b. 1951 Concordia

m. David Brandt 1981 & div.

VI ch: Davina Brandt b. 1983 Concordia

V Nancy Sue Frerking b. 1953 Concordia m. Lester Roepe 1972 Concordia

3 ch: Carmin, Justina, Andrew

VI Carmin Roepe b. 1975 Concordia

VI Justina Roepe b. 1976

VI Andrew Roepe b. 1978

V Sharon Frerking b. 1954 Concordia

m. Jim McMurphy

V Penny Lynn Frerking b. & d. 1958 Zion Hill

Scharze's family-Scharze & Martha (Dierks) Frerking's child, Gus' family-Gus & Marie (Niermann) Frerking's 4th child, Joseph's " Joseph & Minnie(Marsh) Frerking's 1st child, Ralph's " Ralph & Ethylene's 7th child-V Debbie Frerking b. 1960 Concordia m. John Camp 1982 Concordia 3 ch: Jessica, Christopher, Samantha VI Jessica Camp b. 1983 Higginsville VI Christopher Ian Camp b. 1986 Higginsville VI Samantha Camp b. 1989 Higginsville IV Vernon Frerking b. 1928 Zion Hill m. Mary Frances Morgan 1948 V ch: Joyce Ann Frerking b. 1950 m. Terry Wodrich (info under Raymond's in Wodrich fam.) IV Marion Frerking b. 1931 Zion Hill d. Sept. 20, 1989 Zion Hill m. Bonnie Marten 1955 Warrensburg 2 ch: Ross, Tracy (both adopted) V Ross Lane Frerking b. 1967 Odessa m. Dana Ferguson 1989 Odessa V Tracy Ann Frerking b. 1969 " IV Bonita Frenking b. 1936 Zion Hill m. Jim Dierking V ch: Philip Wayne Dierking b. 1959 K.C. IV Barbara Frerking b. d. 1939 Zion Hill IV George Edward Frerking b. d. 1944 " Gus & Marie's 5th child-III Paul Frerking b. 1897 d. 1982 Ernestville m. Bertha Cordes 1920 3 ch: Eldon, Mary, Betty IV Eldon Frerking b. 1921 Concordia m. Verna May Hinck 3 ch: Ron, Douglas, Kathy V Ronnie Frerking b. 1947 Concordia d. 1968 V Douglas Frerking b. 1954 m. Beverly Fangman 1977 VI ch: Kari Frerking b. 1982 & Troy b. 1988 V Kathy Frerking b. 1965 Concordia (Who found the FRERKING home in Esperke!) IV Mary Katherine Frenking b. 1922 Concordia m. Howard Erdman 1946 2 ch: Darold, Cindy V Darold Erdman b. 1947 Booneville m. Janet Schloman 1980 Higginsville 2 ch: Beth, Dana

VI Beth Erdman b. 1981 Alma VI Dana Jo Erdman b. 1984 "

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Scharze's family-
Gus & Marie(Niermann) Frerking's 5th child, Paul's family-
Paul & Bertha (Cordes) Frerking's 2nd child, Mary's family-
Mary & Howard Erdman's 2nd child-
               b. 1952 Lexington
V Cindy Erdman
   m. Marty Elsea 1973
    2 ch: Brendon, Jerred
VI Brendon Elsea b. 1977 Sweet Springs
VI Jerred Elsea b. 1981
Paul & Bertha's 3rd child-
IV Betty Louise Frerking b. 1927 Concordia (Living in K.C.)
Gus & Marie's 6th child-
III Gustav "Gushan" Frerking
                                b. 1904 Concordia
                                d. 1968 Ernestville
    (not married)
    He was housekeeper for father and the two brothers who had
lost their wives.
Scharze & Martha(Dierks) Frerking's 7th child-
II Charlotte "Lottie" Dorothea Frerking b. Aug. 15, 1864 Concordia
                                        d.
     m. Heinrich Meineke 1883 Concordia
          b. 1855 d. 1918 Lexington
          They moved to Lexington where Henry worked in a furn-
           iture store.
      6 ch: Alfred, Catherine, Oscar, Edna, Ella, Edgar
IV Alfred Meineke b. 1885 Concordia
TV Catherine Laura Meineke b. 1888 Concordia m. Dierking
IV Oscar Friedrich Meineke b. 1891
IV Edna Meineke b. 1893 Concordia m. Louis Schelp in 1916
IV Ella Meineke b. 1894
IV Edgar Meineke b. 1900 Lexington
Scharze & Martha's 8th child-
II Rosette "Auguste" Frerking
                                b. December 2, 1866 Concordia
                                d. March 3, 1936 Salem, H'ville
    m. August Starkebaum 1889 Concordia
        b. 1864 Warren Co. d. 1946 Salem, H'ville
    8 ch: Ella, Carolina, Laura, Hulda, Flora, Maria, Daniel,
          Norbert
III Ella Starkebaum b. May30, 1891 d. June 22, 1983 Salem, H'v
     m. Arnold Sprick 1917
      2 ch: Clarence, Harold
                                (Living in Metarie, LA)
IV Clarence Sprick b. 1917
    m. Marion Creger 1947
     3 ch: Stillborn, Clarence, Phillip
             in 1954
V Stillborn
                       VΑ
V Clarence Jr., Sprick b. 1955 Miami, FL
V Phillip Sprick b. 1956 New Orleans, LA
    m. Lynn Estes 1979
IV Harold Sprick b. 1927 (Living in St. Charles)
    m. Henrietta Tompson 1951
V (adopted) Kathy b. 1959
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Scharze's family-
Scharze & Martha (Dierks) Frerking's 'child, Auguste's family-
Auguste & August Starkebaum's 2nd child-
III Carolina Starkebaum b. Dec. 9, 1894 d. June 9, 1966
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III Carolina Starkebaum b. Dec. 9, 1894 d. June 9, 1966 m. Oscar Struchtemeyer 1913 3 ch: Leonard, Elmer, Earl

IV Leonard Struchtemeyer b. 1918 Mayview m. Ruth Fasse 1946 2 ch: Barbara, Leland

V Barbara Jean Struchtemeyer b. 1948

V Leland Struchtemeyer b. 1951 m. Carol Brookshire 1973 2 ch: Ronda, Thomas

VI Ronda Struchtemeyer b. 1978

VI Thomas Lee Struchtemeyer b. 1981

IV Elmer Struchtemeyer b. 1921 Mayview m. Edna Begeman 1942 3 ch: Wayne, Curtis, Glen

V Wayne Struchtemeyer b. 1943 m. Linda Holman 1964 b. 1945 d. 1988 Grandview 2 ch: David, Jeffrey

VI David Struchtemeyer b. 1966 m. Dana Stone 1987 Raymore

VI Jeffrey Struchtemeyer b. 1968

V Curtis Struchtemeyer b. 1948 m. Valerie Perry 1978 VI ch: Jared Struchtemeyer b. 1980

V Glen Struchtemeyer b. 1951 (Living in Conway, AR) m. Debbie Moyer 1973 2 ch: Chris, Tracy

VI Chris Struchtemeyer b. 1976

VI Tracy Struchtemeyer b. 1980

IV Earl Struchtemeyer b. 1926 Mayview m. Grace Tempel 1946 Higginsville 5 ch: Ralph, Keith, Olin, Esther, Kathy

V Ralph Struchtemeyer b. 1949 Mayview m. Marilyn Sundermeyer 1972 2 ch: Brian, Melissa

VI Brian Struchtemeyer b. 1974

VI Melissa Struchtemeyer b. 1978

V Keith Struchtemeyer b. 1951 Mayview
 m. Judy Fauss 1972
 3 ch: Penny, Amy, Brandon
VI Penny Lynn Struchtemeyer b. 1974 Higginsville
VI Amy Denise Struchtemeyer b. 1977 "

VI Brandon Keith Struchtemeyer b. 1982 "
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Scharze & Martha Frerking's Child, Auguste's family-Auguste & August Starkebaum's 2nd child, Carolina's fam-Carolina & Oscar Struchtemeyer's 3rd child, Earl's family-Earl & Grace(Tempel) Struchtemeyer's 3rd child-

V Olin Struchtemeyer b. 1955 Mayview m. Carla Meyer 1977 Higginsville 2 ch: Barrett, Eric

VI Barrett Scott Struchtemeyer b. 1985 Mayview VI Eric Daniel Struchtemeyer b. 1988 "

V Esther Struchtemeyer b. 1958 Mayview m. Ken Long 1984 Gainesville, FL VI Bradley Long b. 1987 Champaign, IL

V Kathy Struchtemeyer b. 1963 Mayview m. Gary Hoeppner 1983 Higginsville VI Kala Lynn Hoeppner b. 1986 Higginsville

III Laura Emma Starkebaum b. Apr 28, 1897 d. 1976 m. Julius Rechterman 1919 2 ch: Julius, Marvin

IV Rev. Julius Rechterman b. 1926 Mayview m. Esther Builder 1953 2 ch: John (adopted), James (adopted) & Joseph

IV Marvin Rechterman b. 1934 Mayview m. Betty Stevens 1963 2 ch: Karen, Nancy

V Karen Rechterman b. 1966 V Mancy Rechterman b. 1970

III Hulda Mathilda Starkebaum b. May 2, 1889 Mayview d. May 17, 1978 Mayview m. Walter Lefman 1921 2 stillborn children in 1925 & 1926 Mayview

III Flora Louise Starkebaum b. August 18, 1901 Mayview d. February 19, 1988 Salem, H'ville

m. August Rinne 1924

3 ch: Mildred, Delome, Catherine

IV Mildred Rinne b. 1925 d. 1927 Salem, H'v

IV Delome Rinne b. 1929

m. Robert Steffens & div.

m. Warner Schelp 1977.

V ch: Gregory Steffens b. 1965

IV Catherine Rinne b. 1937

m. John Truesdale 1958 Higginsville V ch: Jeron Truesdale b. 1972 Warrensburg

- Scharze & Martha Frerking's Daughter, Auguste's family-Auguste & August Starkebaum's 6th child, Maria's family-
- III Maria Margaretha Starkebaum b. January 30, 1904 Mayview

d. October 4, 1984 Salem, H'ville

- m. William Schemmer 1928
- 2 ch: Kenneth, Norman
- IV Kenneth Schemmer b. 1931
 - m. Grace Riekhof 1955 Higginsville
 - 2 ch: Diane, Kevin
- V Diane Schemmer b. 1961 Higginsville m. Charles Dudley 1980
- V Kevin Schemmer b. 1963 Higginsville m. Beth Mager 1984 Higginsville 2 ch: Kyle, Wesley
- VI Kyle Kevin Schemmer b. 1987 Higginsville
- VI Wesley Alan Schemmer b. 1988
- IV Norman Schemmer b. 1937
 - m. Mary Louise Marcks 1963 Higginsville
 - 3 ch: Marla, Krista, Kimberly
- V Marla Schemmer b. 1968 Independence
- V Krista Schemmer b. 1972
- V Kimberly Schemmer b. 1979
- III Daniel August Starkebaum b. February 16, 1906 Mayview m. Ruth Freese 1928
 3 ch: Dorothy, Martha, Jeanette
- IV Dorothy Starkebaum b. 1937
 - m. Marvin Whitsett 1957
 - 4 ch:Cynthia, Leann, Michael, Kimberly
- V Cynthia d. at birth
- V Leann Whitsett (adopted) b. 1962
- V Michael Whitsett (adopted) b. 1971
- V Kimberly Whitsett b. 1976
- IV Martha Lynn Starkebaum b. 1940 m. Larry Hutchison 1960 2 ch: Cheryl, Angela
- V Cheryl Hutchison b. 1962
- V Angela Hutchison b. 1967
- IV Jeanette Starkebaum b. 1950
- Note-Salem United Church of Christ maintains its own cemetery and is located about one mile east of Higginsville. The large City Cemetery is located on the southeast edge of Higginsville.

Scharze & Martha Frerking's daughter, Auguste's family-Auguste & August Starkebaum's 8th child, Norbert's family-

III Norbert Benjamin Starkebaum b. September 6, 1908 Mayview

IV Wendell Starkebaum b. 1945 Higginsville m. Sandra Lohman 1970 Higginsville 2 ch: Andrew, Cynthia

V Andrew Jonathan Starkebaum b. 1971 Higginsville V Cynthia Elizabeth Starkebaum b. 1975 "

IV Maxine Starkebaum b. 1950 Higginsville m. Max Schloman 1976 Higginsville 2 ch: Hope, Eric

V Hope Rene Schloman b. 1979 Higginsville

V Eric Michael Schloman b. 1982

There is a Starkebaum Family history which was used here.

Scharze & Martha's 9th childIII Marie "Caroline" Frenking b. February 22, 1870
d. June 9, 1922 Stringtown(near Jeff City)
m. Edwin Seidel
no children

III Helene Louise "Martha" Frerking b. November 17, 1872

m. William Borgman 1895 Slater
3 ch: Walter, Orville, Edna

IV Walter & Orville Borgman (Twins) d. at an early age IV Edna Borgman m. W. Khan

Elizabeth (Frerking) Oetting recalls that this family had a grocery store in Sedalia. It was very close to the RR tracks.

Some of the members of the Gustav Frerking family settled in Newton, Kansas. Newton is known for the Hennonite immigration in the 1870's who brought the Turkey Red Wheat to Kansas. It flourished beautifully in that climate.

Memories-A descendant in wm & Adelheid's family recalls that when the school children sang, they had to open their mouth wide enough to put three fingers in or they would get bopped with song book. Another said that she was told that Grandpa wm carried a songbook in his coat-tail & if children talked in church they would get "tapped".

TRANSLATIONS OF ORIGINAL RECORDS FROM GERMNAY:

Certified Copy from the Baptismal Register of the Evangelical Lutheran Church Parish of Niederstoecken

Those Born in 1823.

No. 32.

Names: Sophie Charlotte FREERKING.

Birthplace: Esperke.

Date of Birth and Baptism: 1 September (1823), 14 September (1823).

Parents:

Father: Johann Diedrich FREERKING, cottager on a small farm and master of the

farmers in Esperke.

Mother: Dor(othee) Marie SPRENGEL, of Esperke.

Baptismal Sponsors:

1. the wife of SCHUENHOFF who lives at the edge of the village;

cottager FREERKING's wife;

3. Cathar(ina) Dorothee FEDELER,

of Esperke.

Copy certified Niedernstoecken, 3 April 1989 /signed/ JENKE, Pastor SEAL OF THE NIEDERNSTOECKEN EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

Certified Copy from the Confirmation Register of the Evangelical Lutheran Church Parish of Niederstoecken

Confirmed in 1838.

School: Esperke.

No. 10.

Names of Those Confirmed: Soph(ie) Charlotte FREERKING.

Birth Day: 1 September.

Birth Year: 1823.

Proficiency in Reading: Very Good.

Proficiency in Religious Comprehension: Very Good.

Copy certified Niedernstoecken, 3 April 1989

/signed/ JENKE, Pastor

SEAL OF THE NIEDERNSTOECKEN EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

Charlotte's family-

- Johann Diterich & Dorothee (Sprengel) Frerking's 8th child-
- I Sophie "Charlotte" Frerking b. September 1, 1823 Esperke d. February 16, 1899 Concordia
 - m. Heinrich Konrad Friedrich "Fritz" Stuenkel 1846 "b. April 26, 1818 Metel d. April 19, 1874 Concordia

Metel is in the parish of Basse, near Neustadt and Ruebenberge, Province of Hanover, Germany. The name of "Stuenkel" was found to be spelled, Steinkle or Stinkle or omitting the "e" following "u". When anglicizing, an "e" after a letter with an umlaut gave nearly the same pronunciation. Everyone probably knows that in German, the "u" in Stuenkel had an umlaut.

Charlotte was another member of this family who arrived in New Orleans on the "General Washington".

- 11 Ch: Henry, Rosetta, Adolph, Diedrich, Martin, August, Louis, Christine, Maria & Ernst(Twins), Martha
- II Friedrich Heinrich Stuenkel b. 1947 Concordia (Charlotte's obituary says he was a teacher in Detroit, MI)
- II Rosetta Stuenkel b. 1848 Concordia d. 1868 Concordia
- II Carl "Adolph" Stuenkel b. August 13, 1850 Concordia d. 1879 Concordia("accidental fall from wagon") m. Elizabeth "Betty" Ashe Blicknade 5 Ch: William, Conrad, Charlotte, Martha, Frieda
- III William Heinrich Stuenkel b. 1870 Concordia d. 1871 Concordia
- III Conrad Friedrich Stuenkel p. 1873 "
- III Charlotte Theresa Stuenkel b. 1875
- III Martha Louise Stuenkel b. 1877
- III Frieda Marie Emma Stuenkel b. 1880 "("of the late Adolph") Following Adolph Stuenkel's death, Betty m. Hy Thies in 1881
- II Diedrich Stuenkel b. 1852 Concordia d. 1868 Concordia
- II Martin Stuenkel b. 1854 Concordia d. 1868 NE
- II August Stuenkel b. 1856 " not m.
- II Louis Conrad Stuenkel b. March 19, 1858 Concordia d. April 20, 1939 Palmer, KS
 - m. Emma Marie Scheele 1880 Concordia b. 1859 Concordia d. 1940 Clay Center, KS Emma was a step-daughter of Heinrich F. Stuenkel.
 - 3 Ch: Fred, Theresa, Henry Continued on next page-

Charlotte's family-

Charlotte & Fritz Stuenkel's 7th child, Louis' family-

Louis & Emma(Scheele) Stuenkel's 1st child-

4 Ch: Melvin, Irene, Lavern & Lavera (Twins)

IV Melvin Stunkel b. 1915

m. Sadie Bell 1937

3 Ch: Darlene, Shirley, Harold

V Darlene Stunkel b. 1941

m. Merlin Frerking

2 Ch: Kevin, Randy no further info

V Shirley Stunkel b. 1943

m. Jere Wiechman 1962

3 Ch: Kim, Misty, Emmie Jo

V Harold Stunkel b. 1945

m. Geraldine Long 1954

4 Ch: James, Jennifer, Chad, Cassie

IV Irene Emma Stunkel b. 1917

m. Delbert Hendrickson 1940

3 Ch: Gene, Judy, Rodney

V Gene Hendrickson b. 1948 m. Nancy Kuns 1966

VI Ch: Brian, Carrie

V Judy Hendrickson b. 1953 m. George Payne 1971

VI Ch: George Payne, Jr

V Rodney Hendrickson b. 1957 d. 1982

IV Lavern Louis Stunkel(Twin) b. 1919 d. 1971 Palmer, KS

VI Ch: Norma Jane Roberts b. 1948 m. Felix Hernandez, Jr 1970

Louis & Emma's 2nd child-

III Theresa Stunkel b. 1894 Concordia d. 1961 Scribner, RE m. August Wegner no ch

III Menry Diedrich Stunkel b. October 10, 1886 Alma

d. August 16, 1972 Palmer, KS

m. Louise Katherine Rabe 1907

3 Ch: Lulu, Theodore, Lawrence

IV Lulu Marie Emma Stunkel b. 1911 m. Otto Wilgers 1930

3 Ch: Leonard, Maxine, Miriam

V Leonard Wilgers m. Alvena Trump no ch

V Maxine Wilgers b. 1938

m. Harry Hildreth Have 4 ch

V Miriam Wilgers b. 1945

m. Donald Cowman Have 1 ch

IV Theodore Christof Stunkel D. & d. 1914

IV Lawrence Fred Stunkel b. 1916

m. Amanda Meier Have 2 ch

Charlotte's family-

Charlotte & Fritz Stuenkel's 8th child-

- II Marie Dorothea "Christine" Stuenkel b. December 26, 1860 Concordia d. April 7, 1938 Linn, KS
 - m. Dietrich Louis "August" Stuenkel 1878 Concordia
 b. Nov. 29, 1859 Concordia d. Dec. 5, 1930 Linn, KS
 August was the son of Heinrich F. Stuenkel and Louise nee
 Scharnhorst. Heinrich's relationship to Conrad, Fritz,
 Louis and Maria has never been established. At the end of
 this chapter, there is a copy of research done for Maria
 Stuenkel Bruns, who was Paul Runge's grandmother.
 - 10 Ch: Henry, Fred, Edmond, Julius, Harry, Christine, Emilie, Stillborn, August, Leona
- III Henry Stuenkel b. April 13, 1879 d, May 2, 1949 m. Martha Margaretha Kollé 1910
 - 6 Ch: Walter, Elmer, Wilbert, Clarence, Leslie, August Mrs. Clarence or Erna Stunkel shared this entire family's history with us. Am using an abbreviated version here since only Emilie & Ernest Hinck were in this area.
- ITI Friedrich Stuenkel b. Sep. 1, 1881 d. Dec. 5, 1939 m. Hulda Lindhorst 1909 2 Ch: Robert, Lucille (Adopted)
- III Edmond Stuenkel b. May 21, 1884 Sterling, NE m. Bertha Gabbert 1911 Linn, KS 5 Ch: Mildred, Bertha, Elva, Edmund, Lloyd
- III Julius Stuenkel b. Sep. 27, 1886 Sterling, NE d. 1967 m. Alwine Timme 1907 4 Ch: Ellen, Delores, Erwin, Stillborn
- III Harry Stuenkel b. Feb. 27, 1890 Sterling,NE d. 1935
 m. Pauline Blanken 1916
 7 Ch: Marvin, Cecelia, Sylvia, Ruth, Lavera, Lulu, Velma
- III Christine Stuenkel b. April 10, 1892 Palmer, KS
 m. William Henry Meyer 1915
 3 Ch: Viola, Laverne, Esther
- III Emilie Mathilda Stuenkel b. September 13, 1895 Palmer, KS d. November 26, 1977

m. Ernest Hinck 1923

2 Ch: Hobart, Elsie

IV Hobart Hinck b. June 29, 1924 d. 1982 Concordia m. Velma Brunkhorst 1953

3 Ch: Shirley, Linda, John

V Shirley Ann Hinck b. 1954 d. 1962 Concordia

V Linda Marie Hinck b. 1956 Concordia

m. Larry Ray Marsh 1978 " d. 1985 Concordia

m. Larry Meineke 1987 Concordia

2 Ch: Aaron, Bradley

VI Aaron Marsh b. 1985 Concordia

VI Bradley Wayne Meineke b. 1988 Concordia

V John Allen Hinck b. 1962 Concordia m. Heidi Christine Swartzel 1988

IV Elsie Hinck b. November 30, 1929 m. Martin Lippe 1955 2 Ch: Mark, David

V Mark Gregory Lippe b. 1958

V David Keith Lippe b. 1963

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Charlotte's Family-

Charlotte & Fritz Stuenkel's 8th Child, Christine's family-Christine and August Stuenkel's 8th child-

- III Stillborn in 1898
- III August Stuenkel b. 1899 d. 1935 not m.
- III Leona Stuenkel b. April 13, 1906
 - m. Walter Brueggeman 1926
 - 2 Ch: Norma, Nola

Leona was living in 1983 and told Erna Stunkel that her parents were not related and that her mother did not spell her name with the extra "e". In marriage records at the county courthouse they were both spelled the same way. In some portion of Stuenkel history, it says that Henry L. Stunkel omitted the "e" lawfully in 1900. That is probably when many anglicized their names. This same Henry and his wife, Anna Niermann, are both buried in Denver, CO and are a mystery as to where they fit.

Charlotte & Fritz Stuenkel's 9th child-

- II Maria Martha Stuenkel (Twin) b. October 18, 1863 Concordia d. 1912
 - m. Herman Lenz 1886 Concordia
 - 2 Ch: Walter, Herman no info

Mother Charlotte died in the Lenz home in Concordia. Then this family moved to Idaho.

- II Ernst Heinrich Stuenkel(Twin) b. October 18, 1863 Concordia d. February 17, 1934 "
 - m. Lina "Christine" Bruns 1886 Concordia
 - b. Dec. 26, 1864 Concordia d. Oct. 20, 1929 Concordia
 - 10 Ch: Fritz, Anna, Martha, Ellanore, Henry, Ernest, Adolph, Louis, William, Frieda
- III Fritz Stuenkel b. Dec. 26, 1887 Concordia d. Sep. 20, 1950 Concordia
 - m. Emilie Kessner
 - b. April 14, 1888 Concordia d. Nov. 6, 1963 Concordia
 - 2 Ch: Earl, Ervin
- IV Earl E. Stuenkel b. April 21, 1910
 - m. Eva (2nd wife)
 - 6 Ch: Anna & Earl(Ist wife), Judy, Fred, Nancy, Angela
- V Anna Louise Stuenkel b. 1932 Norfolk, VA
 - m. William McRae & 2 ch: Jane, Carey
- VI Jane McRae b. 1954 Chesapeake, VA m. Brad Hicks
- VI Carey McRae b. 1959 Virginia Beach, VA
- V Earl Edward Stuenkel b. 1935 Los Angeles, CA
- V Judy Stuenkel b. 1941 Omaha, NE
 - m. Ken Hecht & 4 Ch: Ken, Sherry, Wendy, Julie
- VI Ken Hecht, Jr b. 1958 Omaha, NE
- VI Sherry Hecht b. 1960 Pacific Jct, IA m. Steve Giblisco
- VI Wendy Hecht b. 1961 San Francisco, CA
- VI Julie Hecht b. 1967 m. Randy Buttner (Live in Grand Island, NE)

Charlotte's family-Charlotte & Fritz Stuenkel's 10th child, Ernst's family-Ernst & Christine (Bruns) Stuenkel's 1st child, Fritz's family-Fritz & Emilie(Kessner) Stuenkel's 1st child, Earl's family-Earl Stuenkel's 4th child-

V Fred Stuenkel b. 1947 Port Charlotte, FL m. Kathy & 2 ch: Michelle, Sandra VI Michelle Stuenkel b. 1968 Port Charlotte, FL

b. 1972 VI Sandra Stuenkel

VI Rachel Brown

V Nancy Stuenkel b. 1952 Sarasota,FL m. Richard Brown & 2 Ch: Christine, Rachel VI Christine Brown b. 1980 Sarasota, FL b. 1986

V Angela Dianne Stuenkel b. 1956 Tampa, FL m. Kent Fields

IV Ervin Fred Stuenkel b. July 26, 1912 Concordia m. Lela Reese 1952 Los Angeles, CA b. 1903 AK d. 1983 no ch

Ernst & Christine(Bruns) Stuenkel's 2nd child-

III Anna C. Stuenkel b. February 27, 1890 Concordia d. January 11, 1981

m. Adolph L. Oetting 1913 Concordia b. 1890 Concordia d. 1963 Concordia

6 Ch: Erich, Lorna, Arnold, Olga, Melvin, Norman

IV Erich Oetting b. November 9, 1914 Concordia m. Norma Peters 1940 Alma

4 Ch: Lois, Dorothy, Janice, Donald

V Lois Lynette Oetting b. 1942 Concordia

m. William Burton 1961 Concordia

3 Ch: William, Sheryl, Thomas

VI William Erich Burton b. 1962

m. Kris Woodward & 2 ch: William, Adam

VII William Ryan Burton b. 1986

VII Adam Richard Burton b. 1989

VI Sheryl Lynette Burton b. 1964

VI Thomas Michael Burton b. 1967

V Dorothy Ann Oetting b. 1944 Concordia m. Phillip Kindle 1964 Concordia 3 Ch: Christina, Tricia, Rebecca VI Christina Marie Kindle b. 1967

VI Tricia Ann Kindle b. 1972

VI Rebecca Lynn Kindle b. 1975

V Janice Kay Oetting b. 1947 Concordia m. Kenneth Renno 1967 Concordia 4 Ch: Kent, Craig, Shelly, Ben

VI Kent Michael Renno b. 1969

VI Craig Allen Renno b. 1970

VI Shelly Dawn Renno b. 1974

VI Benjamin John Renno b. 1981

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Charlotte's family-Charlotte & Fritz Stuenkel's 10th child's family-

Ernst & Christine(Bruns) Stuenkel's 2nd child, Anna's family-Anna & Adolph Oetting's 1st child, Erich's family-

Erich & Norma(Peters) Oetting's 4th child-

V Donald Lynn Oetting b. 1951 Concordia m. Donna Kay Stuut 1977 & 2 ch: Derrick, Dara

VI Derrick Erich Oetting b. 1982 Concordia

VI Dara Kaylynn Oetting b. 1984 "
(Donald & Donna are carrying on the farming operation)

Anna & Adolph's 2nd child-

IV Lorna Oetting b. March 31, 1916 Concordia

m. Fritz Nierman 1937 Concordia

3 Ch: Fred, Kenneth Karen

V Fred Rolland Nierman b. 1937 d. 1938 Concordia

V Kenneth Nierman b. 1939 Concordia

m. Suzanne Klingenberg 1958 & 2 ch: Karen, Anthony

VI Karen Sue Nierman b. 1958 Concordia

m. Rarl Borgstadt 1978 Concordia

3 Ch: Kate, Kyle, Karl

VII Kate Anna Borgstadt b. 1983 Concordia

VII Kyle James Borgstadt b. 1986

VII Karl Lynn Borgstadt b. 1988

VI Anthony Nierman b. 1961 Concordia

V Karen Ann Nierman b. 1937 " d. 1938 Concordia

Anna & Adolph's 3rd child-

IV Arnold F. Oetting b. 1917 Concordia d. 1945 WWII BATAAN

IV Olga Oetting b. May 31, 1920 Concordia

m. Herlen Kronsbein 1945 Concordia

3 Ch: Dianne, Linda, James

V Dianne Kay Kronsbein b. 1946 Lee's Summit

m. Jerry Rutherford 1971 & 2ch: Brian, Rebecca

VI Brian Charles Rutherford b. 1981

VI Rebecca Sue Rutherford b. 1984

V Linda Kay Kronsbein b. 1948 Lee's Summit

m. Robert Lowe 1973 & ch: Jennifer

VI Jennifer Dianne Lowe b. 1980

V James Leslie Kronsbein b. 1953 Lee's Summit

m. Debra McMurray 1981

2 Ch: Sara, Rebecca

VI Sara Rene Kronsbein b. 1981

VI Rebecca Elizabeth Kronsbein b. 1983

Charlotte's family-Charlotte & Fritz Stuenkel's 10th child, Ernst's family-Ernst & Christine(Bruns) Stuenkel's 2nd child, Anna's family-Anna & Adolph Oetting's 5th child-

IV Melvin Adolph Oetting b. February 18, 1924 Concordia
 m. Mary Louise Hartwig 1948 Concordia
 3 Ch: Paul, Karen, John

V Paul Melvin Oetting b. 1949 Higginsville m. Linda Kay Long 1973 2 Ch: Christopher, Shelly

VI Christopher Paul Oetting b. 1975

VI Shelly Dawn Oetting b. 1979

V Karen Sue Oetting b. 1955 Higginsville m. Mark Heard 1981 " & ch: Emilie VI Emilie Rose Heard b. 1988 K.C.

V John Douglas Oetting b. 1958 Higginsville m. Nina Stevens 1989 "

Anna & Adolph's 6th childIV Norman Emil Oetting b. August 26, 1930 Concordia
m. Catherine Wehrs 1950 Concordia
2 ch: Sandra, Steven

V Sandra Lynn Oetting b. 1953 Independence m. Thomas Haines 1977 & 2 ch: Brian, Rene VI Brian Thomas Haines b. 1979

VI Rene Linsay Haines b. 1981

V Steven Bruce Oetting b. 1956 Independence m. Jennie Hacket 1977 & 2 ch: Brock, Rachel VI Brock Allen Oetting b. 1986 (adopted) VI Rachel Lynn Oetting b. 1989 "

Ernst & Christine(Bruns) Stuenkel's 3rd child-III Martha Stuenkel b. 1891 Concordia d. 1964 Concordia

III Ellanore "Ella" Stuenkel b. July 9, 1892 Concordia d. October 11, 1919 "

m. Julius Schuette 1915 Concordia
2 Ch: Elmer, Leland

IV Elmer Schuette

IV Leland Schuette b. 1919 d. 1986 m. Margaret Hagle 1960 no ch

III Henry Stuenkel b. February 23, 1894 Concordia d. August 17, 1973 m. Irene Allison d. 1977

3 Ch: Lois, Clifford, Betty Jean (all b. in Storm Lake, IA) no info

Charlotte's family-Charlotte & Fritz Stuenkel's 10th child, Ernst's family-Ernst & Christine(Bruns) Stuenkel's 6th child-III Ernest Stuenkel, Jr. b. November 17, 1895 Concordia d. December 8, 1976 m. Hulda Wolters 1923 Concordia b. 1901 Concordia d. 1983 Concordia3 Ch: Willard, Raymond, Arleen IV Willard Stuenkel b. September 24, 1924 Concordia d. January 27, 1980 m. Helen Beerman 1947 Concordia & ch: Joy V Wanda Joy Stuenkel b. 1949 " m. Jim Seitz & 2 ch: Michael, Rebecca VI Michael Seitz b. 1981 Lexington (adopted) VI Rebecca Seitz b. 1985 IV Raymond Ernest "Dick" Stuenkel b. Jan. 25, 1927 Concordia m. Gladys Sylvester 1950 Emma 3 Ch: Paul, Debra, Rebecca V Paul Raymond Stuenkel b. 1952 Concordia m. Teresa Wilcox 1974 Minneapolis, AN & 2 ch: Chris, Sarah VI Christopher Paul Stuenkel b. 1984 Houston, TX VI Sarah Elizabeth Stuenkel b. 1986 (Paul is a teacher & they have just moved to Knoxville, TK) V Debra June Stuenkel b. 1953 Concordia m. Daniel Prange 1981 St. Louis & 2 ch: Philip, Ben VI Philip Daniel Prange b. 1985 St. Louis VI Benjamin Raymond Prange b. 1987

V Rebecca Jean Stuenkel b. 1958 Concordia m. Daniel Keith Hoag 1980 Concordia 3 Ch: Lauren & Stacy(Twins), Michael VI Lauren Michelle & Stacy Micole Moag(Twins) b. 1987 Augusta, GA VI Michael Andrew Hoaq b. 1989 Augusta, GA

IV Arleen Stuenkel b. May 1, 1930 Concordia m. Marvin Dittmer 1949 Concordia 3 Ch: Paulette, James, Curtis V Paulette Dittmer b. 1950 Concordia m. David Peterson & 2 ch: Newton, Weston

VI Newton Glenn Peterson b. 1978

VI Weston Dean Peterson b. 1980

V James Robert Dittmer b. 1953 Concordia m. Monica Houston 1951 & 2 ch: Kelly, Jeffrey

VI Kelly Theresia Dittmer b. 1984

VI Jeffrey James Dittmer b. 1988

V Curtis Ray Dittmer b. 1962 Concordia m. Patricia Ann Marron 1961 & 2 ch: Curtis, Bobby VI Curtis Lee Dittmer b. 1985

VI Bobby Ray Dittmer b. 1987

Charlotte's family-Charlotte & Fritz Stuenkel's 10th child, Ernst's family-Ernst & Christine(Bruns) Stuenkel's 7th child-

III Adolph F. Stuenkel b. February 22, 1897 Concordia WWI, Vet. d. February 3, 1988 "

m. Alice Wienberg 1923b. 1897 d. 1987 Concordia

4 Ch: 2 infants, Vanity, Warner

IV Vanity Alice Stuenkel b. Sept. 28, 1924 Blackburn

m. Dale Ely 1949 & div (Living in K.C.) 3 Ch: Rita, Ronald, Renna

V Rita Ann Ely b. 1950

m. Thomas Knollman & div

3 Ch: Sean, Shannon, Christian

VI Sean Michael Knollman b. 1969

VI Shannon Michael Knollman b. 1975

VI Christian Thomas Knollman b. 1978

V Ronald Dale Ely b. 1951

m. Katherine Ann David 1973

3 Ch: Ian, Donovan, Travis

VI Ian Vincent Ely b. 1981

VI Donovan Tyler Ely b. 1983

VI Travis Anthony Ely b. 1986

V Renna Kay Ely b. 1952

IV Warner Adolph Stuenkel b. October 6, 1927 Blackburn m. Dorothy Elaine Mull 1947 & div (Now in Centralia) 2 Ch: Phillis, Robert

V Phillis Elaine Stuenkel b. 1953 m. Terry Wegend 3 Ch: Adrian, Preston, Pierce

VI Adrian Elaine Wegend | b. 1981

VI Preston Reed Wegend b. 1982

VI Pierce Mitchell Wegend b. 1984

V Robert Warner Stuenkel b. 1955 m. Jeanette Schulte 1978 & 3 ch:

VI Brandon Robert Stuenkel b. 1981

VI Ryan Anthony Stuenkel b. 1983

VI Abby Michael Stuenkel b. 1986

- III Louis Stuenkel b. 1899 Concordia d. 1939 Concordia m. Helen Rutherford no ch (struck by a log)
- III William "Bill" Stuenkel b. 1901 Concordia d. 1987 Concordia m. Marie Rosebrock 1936 Topeka, KS no ch
- III Frieda Stuenkel b. 1908 Concordia d. 1981 Ashton, ID m. Adolph Bolland no ch

Charlotte's family-

Charlotte & Fritz Stuenkel's 11th child-

II Martha Stuenkel b. 1867 Concordia d. 1891 Concordia

m. Andreas "Andrew" Fuchs 1088 Concordia
Andrew married Elise Frenking, daughter of Adolph
after Martha's untimely death. That history is on
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2 Ch: Adolph, Martha

III Adolph Fuchs b. August 7, 1889 Alma d.

m. Marie Hinck 1915 Concordia

5 Ch: Waldo, Omar, Wilbert, Elner, La Fern

IV Waldo Fuchs b. November 26, 1916 Concordia

m. Georgia Laxson 1943 & 2 ch: Donna, Patricia

V Donna Lee Fuchs b. 1945 Sedalia

m. Edward Hayworth 1963

VI Ch: Tracy Lee Hayworth b. 1966

V Patricia Ann Fuchs b. 1948 Sedalia

IV Omar Fuchs b. June 12, 1919 Concordia m. Iva Pierson 1941 K.C. & 3 ch: Robert, Ken, Louise

V Robert Adolph Fuchs b. 1941 Mexico, MO

m. Karol Kuecker & 2 ch: Susan, Sharon

VI Susan Michelle Fuchs b. 1966

VI Sharon Fuchs m. Marc Graham of Excelsior Springs

V Kenneth Wayne Fuchs b. 1944 K.C.

V Louise Marie Fuchs b. 1957 "

IV Wilbert Fuchs b. March 27, 1923 Concordia

m. Alleen Frerking 1947 Okawville, IL

2 Ch: Ronald, Marsha

Information can be found under Alleen's history.

She is a daughter of Alexander and Ida in Scharze's pg #(G)98

IV Elner Fuchs b. Jan. 5, 1927 Concordia d. Oct. 19, 1987 Sedalia

m. Nelson Barton 1948 Ft. Smith, AR

m. Charles Ratje 1972 Sedalia

2 ch: Daniel, Grace

V Daniel Joseph Barton b. 1952 Lexington (Now at Ft. Bragg, NC)

V Grace Louise Barton b. 1955 K.C.

m. Cahill of St. Charles

IV La Fern Fuchs b. January 16, 1932 Concordia d. 1984 Plato m. Russell Kimrey 1954 Concordia (K.C. fire-fighter)

5 Ch: Brenda, Meresa, Andy, Joel, Peggy

V Brenda Kimrey b. & d. 1955 Concordia

V Teresa Ann Kimrey b. 1958 K.C. d. 1986 Plato

V Andy Jay Kimrey b. 1965

V Joel Kimrey

V Peggy Kimrey

m. Campbell

Charlotte's family-Charlotte & Fritz Stuenkel's 11th child's family-Eartha & Andrew Fuchs' 2nd child-

III Martha Fuchs b. December 30, 1890 Alma d. November 21, 1951 Concordia

m. Herman Klingenberg 1916 Concordia

b. 1922 Concordia d. 1982 "
4 Ch: Elma & Evelyn (Twins), Harold, Leland

IV Elma Klingenberg (Twin) b. July 17, 1918 Concordia

m. Edgar Heidorn 1941 d. 1945 WwII

m. Herbert Bokelman 1948 (works at creamery)

2 Ch: Lois, Gary

V Lois Heidorn b. 1943 K.C. (a teacher)

V Gary Bokelman b. 1949 Higginsville

IV Evelyn Klingenberg (Twin) b. July 17, 1918 Concordia m. Omar Meyer 1940

V Ch: Roger Meyer b. 1943 Marshall

m. Karen Ivy 1963

VI Ch: Susan Meyer b. 1966

IV Harold Klingenberg b. Jan. 25, 1922 Concordia d. July 14, 1982 " WWII Vet.

m. Bonnie Steinman 1950 K.C.

2 Ch: Randy, Carla

V Randy Klingenberg b. 1958 Lexington (In Leeton as of '82)

V Carla Christine Klingenberg b. 1965

m. David Bergman

V Ch: Hathan Bergman b. 1987 Concordia

IV Leland Klingenberg b. December 7, 1930 Concordia d. February 12, 1983 Independence

m. Geraldine Chaney 1952 Concordia

m. Frieda

3 Ch: Ricky, Ronald, Toni

V Ricky Klingenberg b. 1954 Lexington

V Ronald Klingenberg b. 1956 Ashton, ID

V Toni Klingenberg

In the 1850 Census there is a "Mary Frerking" listed in Charlotte and Fritz's household. Figuring her age from the census tells us that was born in 1789. She was with the Frerking family on the ship-General Washington. She surely could have been Johann Diterich's young sister. She was probably ready to help wherever there was a new baby. Every family should have an "Aunt Mary".

Evangelical Lutheran Parish of St. Osdag St.-Osdag-Strasse 23 D-3057 Neustadt 2 Federal Republic of Germany Telephone (05072) 334 13 April 1983

Thode Translations Ernest THODE RR 7, Box 306, Kern Road Marietta, OH 45750-9437

Re: BRUNS-STÜNKEL/STUENKEL Family Research

Reference: Letter of 6 April 1983

Please inquire about the BRUNS family at the Lutheran parish of D-3057 Neustadt 2 Niedernstöcken/Niedernstoecken, of which Esperke is a branch with a chapel.

Please inquire about the STÜNKEL/STUENKEL family of Metel at the Lutheran parish of D-3057 Neustadt 1 Basse, of which Metel is a branch with a chapel.

I can only verify Number 6, Catharina Dorothea GERBERDING, born 26 July 1815 in Evensen.

Church Book of Mandelsloh, 1815, page 157, No. 33. GERBERDING, Catharina Marie Dorothea, daughter of the cottager Friedrich GE(R)BERDING and Catharina née BRUNS of Evensen. There is nothing here about their (the parents') birth and marriage.

SEAL OF ST. OSDAG PARISH OF MANDELSLOH.

With friendly greetings,

/signed/ A. BOLING(?), Pastor

At the last moment decided to include this from former research in case someone wishes to pursue further information concerning either Bruns or Stuenkel history. Thode Translations found our Frenking family in Esperke.

My dictionary gives the following meaning of "cottager"
1. a person who lives in a cottage. 2.(British), a farm laborer.

Certified Copy from the Baptismal Register of the Evangelical Lutheran Church Parish of Niederstoecken

Those Born in 1825.

No. 3.

Names: Adolph FREERKING.

Birthplace: Esperke.

Date of Birth and Baptism: 14 January (1825); 30 January (1825).

Parents:

Father: Joh(ann) Diet(rich) FREERKING, cottager on a small farm in Esperke.

Mother: Doroth(ee) Mar(ie) SPRENGEL, of Esperke.

Baptismal Sponsors:

Joh(ann) Diet(rich) SPRENGEL of Esperke.

2. Georg Heinr(ich) DUENSING.

3. Conrad DIERKING.

Copy certified
Niedernstoecken, 3 April 1989
/signed/ JENKE, Pastor
SEAL OF THE NIEDERNSTOECKEN EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

Note- Adolph was probably confirmed in St. Louis.

Here are several paragraphs taken from "Shaking Your Family Tree" by Myra Vanderpool Gormley-

Occupational names are common among our German ancestors. Perhaps the German respect for work accounts for this, and 700 to 800 years ago, vast numbers of our German progenitors took surnames from their jobs.

Three suffixes that usually indicate a German name to be occupational are: -er, -hauer and -macher. The -er suffix, meaning "one who" is found in names such as Fisher(one who fishes); -hauer(hewer or cutter) as in Baumhauer(a tree chopper) and -macher as in Korbmacher(basket maker).

Other occupational names are: Zimmermann(carpenter), Ziegler(maker or user of brick and tile), Schneider(tailor), Spengler(tinsmith or tinker), Wagner(wagonmaker), Weber(weaver), Bauer(farmer), Gerber(worker with leather), Jager(hunter), Metzger(butcher), Muller(miller), Schreiner(cabinetmaker), Kramer(shopkeeper or peddler), Schultz(overseer or sheriff), Becker(baker), Bergmann(miner), Fuhrmann/Furman' (carter/carrier), Graver/Graber(gravedigger), Heffner/Hafner (potter), Hirt(herdsman), Keefer/Kufer(barrelmaker or cooper) Pfeiffer/Piper(piper or fifeplayer), Pfleger/Pfluger(plowmarker), Schiffmann/Shipman(sailor), Schlosser(locksmith), Schnurmacher(lacemaker), Steinhauer(stonecutter), Vogler(fowler or bird-catcher), Wexler/Wechsler(banker or money-lender) Wert/Wirt/Wurth(inn-keeper), Forner/Pfortner(gate or door-keeper), Rademacher/Rademaker(wheelmaker).

You will find many surnames prefixed by von, zu or am. These do not necessarily indicate noble origin. It is true that many of the nobility, especially in southern Germany, were known by their chief estate or castle.

- Johann Diterich & Dorothee(Sprengel) Frerking's #9 child-
- I Adolph Frerking b. Jan. 14, 1825 Esperke, Hanover, Germany d. April 12, 1912 Concordia
 - m. Maria Baumeister 1848 St. Louis
 - b. Jan. 4, 1827 Westphalia, Germany
 - d. Dec. 9, 1908 Concordia
 - 9 Ch: Mathilde, Edward, Louise, Louis, Charlotte, Heinrich, Elise, Sophie, Pauline
- II Mathilde Louise Frerking b. 1849 St. Louis d. " (probably)
- II August "Edward" Frerking b. 1851 St. Louis d. Dec. 22, 1863 Concordia
- II Sophie Louise Frerking b. (Baptized) 1853 St. Louis d. 1854 St. Louis
- II Friedrich Ludwig "Louis" Frerking b. July 10, 1855 Concordia d. November 29, 1945 "
 - m. Anna Marie Riesterer 1885 Concordia b. Oct. 18, 1861 d. April 28, 1893 Concordia
 - 4 Ch: Adolph, Richard, Louis, Wilhelm
- III Adolph Clemens Frerking b. August 26, 1885 Concordia d. November 25, 1965 " (Bethel)
 - m. Emilie Dreyer 1912 Concordia
 - b. 1890 d. 1969 " (Bethel)

Ch: Oren

- IV Oren Ernest Frerking b. July 23, 1914 Concordia m. Frances Urban 1944 Sedalia Ch: Ruth
- V Ruth Ann Frerking b. 1948 Nashville, AR m. Robert Lyman 1973 & div. no ch

As of 1989 Ruth Ann was living in Birmingham, AL and Oren & Frances in Florence, AL

- III Richard Heinrich "Dick" Frerking b. Dec. 25, 1887 Concordia d. June 14, 1971 Concordia (Bethel)
 - m. Mayme Dittmer 1912 Concordia
 - b. 1889 d. 1949 Concordia (Bethel)
 - 4 Ch: Delmar, Herbert, Raymond, Anna
- IV Delmar Frerking b. 1913 Concordia

d. 1984 " (Bethel)

- m. Nellie Lorine Howe 1938 Carrollton
- 6 Ch: Shirley, Evelyn, Mayme, Richard, Paul, Loretta

Note-

A copy of the history of a quilt made by Maria, Wife of Adolph Frenking, is at the end of this chapter.

In an early newspaper, we learn that Adolph had his farm sale in 1905.

Adolph & Maria(Baumeister) Frerking's son, Louis' family-Louis & Anna(Riesterer) Frerking's 2nd son, Richard's family-Richard & Mayme(Dittmer) 39 oldest son, Delmar's family-Delmar & Nellie(Howe) Frerking's family-

b. 1939 La Monte V Shirley Ann Frerking m. Willie Herron 1961

3 Ch: Carla, Donna, Lou

VI Carla Nadine Herron b. 1962 Warrensburg

m. Melvin Pound 1984 La Monte

2 Ch: Adam, Jessica

VII Adam Pound b. 1985

VII Jessica Pound b. 1988

VI Donna Rae Herron 1966 Jefferson City b.

VI Lou Ann Herron b. 1967 Warrensburg m. Seth Hamme 1985 La Monte

2 Ch: Joshua, Sarah

b. 1987 Knob Noster VII Joshua Dean Hamme

VII Sarah Elizabeth Hamme b. 1988 Knob Noster

Shirley & Willie are factory workers in McMinnville, TN

V Evelyn Nadine Frerking b. 1941 La Monte

m. Lelan Wayne Frerking 1961 Ernestville

Their history under Lelan's on page (C)54 2 m. Billy Joe McKnight 1976 Concordia (Has 4 ch)

Evelyn & Joe operate a TRUE VALUE Store in Concordia

V Mayme Lorine Frerking b. 1943 Green Ridge m. Lawrence Combs 1963 Valley City

5 Ch: Nellie, Julie, David, Robin, Brock

VI Nellie Denise Combs b. 1964 Warrensburg

VI Julie Sue Combs b. 1967 Warrensburg

m. Charles Ferguson 1986 & div. 1989

VII Ch: Christopher Ferguson b. 1988

VI David Combs b. 1970 Sweet Springs

VI Robin Combs b. 1973 Warrensburg

VI Brock Combs b. 1977 K.C.

d. 1965 Concordia(Bethel) V Richard Lewis Frerking b. 1945

V Paul Otis Frerking b. 1949 Higginsville

m. Julie Ann Fitzgerald 1970 Mayview

3 Ch: Tina, Teresa, Michael

VI Tina Marie Frerking b. 1973 Warrensburg VI Teresa Kay Frerking b. 1977 "

VI Michael Paul Frerking b. 1985 Sedalia

b. 1958 Warrensburg V Loretta Sue Frerking

m. Mitchell Swoboda 1975 Dunksburg

m. Alfred Salazar, Jr, 1983 Warrensburg

3 Ch: Mitchell, Angela, Andrew

VI Mitchell Swoboda b. 1975 Whiteman AFB

VI Angela Nicole Swoboda b. 1978 Warrensburg

VI Andrew Robert Salazar b. 1986 Vandenberg AFB

- Louis & Anna(Riesterer) Frerking's 2nd son, Richard's family-Richard & Mayme(Dittmer) 2nd son's family-
- IV Herbert John Frerking b. June 15, 1916 Concordia m. Mary Catherine Rehmer 1938 Sedalia b. 1922 Smithton 4 Ch: Fern, Anna, Herbert, Jr., William
- V Fern Louise Frerking b. 1941 Knob Noster m. Ernest Nixon Sistrunk 1958 MS
 - 4 Ch: Katherine, Nikey, Melba, Ernest
- VI Katherine Louise Sistrunk b. 1960 Sedalia
- VI Nikey Ann Sistrunk b. 1961 VI Melba Kay Sistrunk b. 1964 MS
- VI Ernest Nixon Jr. b. 1966
 - Div. 1970 & m. Johnny Giandelone 1983 Now living in Morgan City, LA
- V Anna Margaret Frenking b. 1943 Knob Noster m. John Dedrick 1959 Div. 1964 2 m. Dale Brant 1969 (d. 1985) 3 Ch: Deborah, Connie, Kenneth
- VI Deborah Kay Dedrick b. 1960 Knob Noster
- VI Connie Sue Dedrick b. 1961
- VI Kenneth Dale Brant b. 1971
- V Herbert John Frerking, Jr. b. 1946 Knob Noster m. Paulina Steinkuehler 1965 Div. & re m. 3 Ch: Paula, Duane, Denine
- VI Paula A. Frerking b. 1965
- VI Duane Allen Frerking b. 1970
- VI Denine Frerking (2nd wife's b. 1980 Sedalia
- V William Ernest Frerking b. 1952 Knob Noster m. Deborah Curry 1970 2 m. Terry Martin 1981 Div.
- 3 Ch: Stephanie, Preston, Ashley
- VI Stephanie Frerking b. 1972
- VI Preston John Frerking b. 1976
- VI Ashley Dawn Frerking b. 1983 (2nd wife) Living in Blue Springs
- Herbert & Mary Frerking's address: R3 Main St. La Monte, MO 65337
- IV Raymond Richard Frerking **b.** 1917 d. 1918 Bethel, Concordia
- IV Anna Marie Frerking b. April 29, 1921 Concordia m. Otis Renfrow 1940 Sedalia no ch
- Otis & Anna Renfrow's address: R2 Bx 135, Knob Noster, MO 65336
- Bethel Cemetery is located about one mile south of Concordia just beyond what used to be Alewel's Meat Processing Plant.

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Adolph's family-
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Louis & Anna(Riesterer) Frerking's 3rd child-

III Louis Georg Wilhelm Frerking b. Nov. 25, 1890 Concordia d. Sept. 2, 1951 K.C.

m. Ida White no ch.

III Wilhelm Andreas Frerking b. April 14, 1893 Concordia d. April 12, 1961 (Bethel)

m. Marie Karl

b. 1894 d. April 13, 1926 Concordia(Bethel)

2 Ch: Obed, Elmer

IV Obed A. Frerking b.

Lives in Lee's Summit

m. Martha
V Ch: William "Billy Jo" Frerking

IV Elmer Frerking Lives in Raytown

m. Marylin

V Ch: Steve Frerking Lives in Independence m. Linda Loveland & adopted her 3 ch

Louis Frerking's 2nd m. and family-

m. Emilie Kessler Jan. 24, 1897 Corder

b. Feb. 28, 1866 d. July 6, 1940 6 Ch: Paul, David, George, Frank, Sarah, Lydia III Paul W. Frerking b. Oct. 10, 1897 Concordia

d. Sept. 24, 1982 Ernestville

III David Frederick Frerking b. Jan. 1, 1899 Corder m. Louise Ella Oelrich 1922 Concordia b. June 4, 1901

4 Ch: Luellen, Kathryn, David, James

IV Luellen Marie Frerking b. 1923 Corder

m. Lucky McGinness & div.

m. Ralph Turner 1953 K.C. & div.

m. Ray Rutherford & div.

6 Ch: Michael, Connie, Charlotte, Patricia, Tina, Ralph

V Michael Eugene McGinness b. & d. 1946 Corder

V Connie Lou McGinness b. & d. 1948 Corder

V Charlotte Marie Turner b. 1954 K.C.

m. Don Ginnings 1972 K.C.

2 Ch: James, Donovan

VI James Don Ginnings b. 1974 K.C.

VI Donovan Scott Ginnings b. 1977 K.C.

V Patricia Jean Turner b. 1956

m. David Gentry 1974 & div. 1980

m. John Patrick Lyon 1984

3 Ch: Tanya, Sarah, Jessica

VI Tanya LeAnne Gentry b. 1975

VI Sarah Elizabeth Lyon b. 1986 K.C.

VI Jessica Noel Lyon b. 1988 K.C.

V Tina Louise Turner b. 1957

m. David KraxnerII & div.

m. Donald Lee Stewart 1989

2 Ch: David, Dustin

VI David Joe Kraxner III b. 1977 Independence

VI Dustin Henry Kraxner b. 1984

Living in Edgerton

V Ralph Henry Turner b. 1963 K.C.

m. Teresa Marie Moore 1984 K.C.

VI Ch: Amanda Marie Turner b. 1984 No.K.C.

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Louis & Emilie(Kessler) Frerking's 2nd, child, David's family-David & Louise (Oelrich) Frerking's 2nd child, Kathryn's family-

IV Kathryn Louise Frerking b. 1926 Corder

m. Stanley Dickey

d. 1978 K.C. b. 1910

3 Ch: Sharon, Pamela, David

V Sharon Louise Dickey b.1946 K.C.

m. Charles Payne & div.

m. Dennis Kirpatrick

VI Ch: Tommy Payne

V Pamela Lynn Dickey b. 1949

m. Roger Spickelmeier

3 Ch: Michael, Candy, Eric

VI Michael Spickelmeier b. 1973 K.C.

VI Candy Spickelmeier

VI Eric Spickelmeier

V David Charles Dickey b. 1951

m. Debbie

VI Ch: Jeff Dickey

IV David Frederick Frerking, Jr. b. 1929 Corder

m. Florine Fiora Jefferson City

3 Ch: Cynthia, Gayle, Cathy

V Cynthia Ann Frerking b. 1954 Lexington V Gayle Lynn Frerking b. 1958 Lexington d. 1955

V Cathy Sue Frerking b. 1959

IV James "Jim" William Frerking b. 1943 Corder

m. Carolyn Cooper Maycock of Waverly

Her ch: Carrie b. 1972 (Adopted by Jim)

Charity Harms (Adopted)

V Paul Frerking b. 1975 Corder

V Heather Lynn Frerking b. & d. 1977 Corder

Louis & Emilie's 3rd child-

III George G. Frerking b. Oct. 8, 1900 Concordia

d. June 10, 1934

m. Elsie Krone 1924 Jackson County

b. 1902 Concordia d. 1983 Concordia

2 Ch: Willard, George

IV Willard Louis Frerking b. 1926

m. Pearl Norris 1948 Wyandotte County

Living in K.C., KS

IV George Robert Frerking b. 1928

m. Iola Mae Kappelman 1953 Augusta, KS

b. 1928

2 Ch: Bruce, Rhonda

V Bruce Robert Frerking b. 1960

m. Barbara Mortley 1983 Johnson County, KS

VI Ch: Kelsey Frerking

V Rhonda Mae Frerking b. 1962

m. Joseph Chiarelli 1982 Jackson County, KS

VI Ch: Nathan Chiarelli b. 1985

Louis & Emilie(Kessler) Frerking's 3rd child, Frank's history-III Frank R. Frerking b. Jan. 9, 1903 Concordia d. June 11, 1926 (Drowned)

III Sarah Marie Frerking b. Dec. 9, 1909 Ernestville d. April 5, 1987 K.C.

m. Gottlob Beilharz 1935 Living in K.C., KS

2 Ch: Louis, John

IV Louis Robert Beilharz b. 1937 Living in Laguna Niguel, CA

IV John Frederick Beilharz b. 1939

Owns family apple-butter kettle.

Living in Moberly

m. Carol Ann Meyer 2 Ch: Cathy, Joan

V Cathy Lynn Beilharz b. 1964

V Joan Beilharz b.

Lives in Perryville

Lives in Washington

III Lydia Frerking b. 1907 Concordia Living in K.C. m. Fred Schneider

d. Dec. 23, 1980 Bur. Leavenworth, KS b. 1900

Address:

Lydia Schneider; 700 E. 8th St. Apt. 1101, K.C., MO 64106

Lydia has the following to share with us-She remembers her father telling about Edward's death in 1963. "As I recall, Edward fell off the horse, head first when the horse stopped too suddenly. My father was then only eight years old and he brought Edward and horse back home." In another record, it says that he was bringing home a Christmas tree.

Also from Lydia-I have in my living room a walnut chest, handmade, dove-tailed, with no nails, by my Grandfather Adolph. He made three such chests which in those days were called, "quilt boxes". He had made one for each of his daughters, Charlotte, Elise and Pauline. We do not know what happened to Numbers 1 and three but number 2 was kept by Elise and handed down to her daughter, Clara Fuchs. When Clara moved to the Good Shepherd Nursing Home she had a sale. I was not there for that sale. The chest was bought by an antique dealer. When brother, Paul's sale was held I was told of this chest and I hunted up the dealer. He agreed to sell it to me. It has a note-"Made by Adolph Frerking 1882". It was made of walnut of trees felled on our Frerking Farm, which is now known as the Frerking Centennial Farm. The boards are not joined-all cut from a big tree. It is surely Lovely!

This branch of Frerking have an annual apple-butter cook-off as does the Dora Flandermeyer family. They still use the big old black-on-the-outside copper kettle that the grandparents used. There is no apple-butter that tastes quite like the kind cooked outdoors all day long. The apples are cored and peeled the day before and the pot started before dawn the next morning. I suppose everyone has wonderful memories of "helping" as a child and also being a "taster" on butchering days.

Adolph & Maria(Baumeister) Frerking's # 5 child, Charlotte's fam-

II Louise "Charlotte" Frenking b. Sept. 8, 1857 Concordia d. Feb. 3, 1923 "

m. Adolph Bergmann 1879 Concordia

b. 1855 Concordia d. 1910 Concordia

Started Bergmann Dry Goods Store in Concordia. Theodore and Ernest carried on with it.

7 Ch: Infant, Hulda, Theodore, Ernest, Clara, Lydia, Esther III Marie Emilie "Hulda" Bergmann b. May 2, 1880 Concordia

d. Aug. 20, 1960 Cole Camp

m. Henry C. Harms 1902 Concordia b. 1878 d. 1923 Cole Camp

2 Ch: Lorna, Elsie

IV Lorna Harms b. April 17, 1907 Cole Camp d. Sept. 13, 1986 Concordia

IV Elsie Harms b. July 20, 1911 Cole Camp (Living in Boonville) m. Rev. Gilbert Wenger 1939 Concordia

b. July 30, 1906 d. 1985 Bur. Concordia

5 Ch: Kathleen, Geraldine, Timothy, Daniel, Mark V Kathleen Wenger b. June 14, 1940 Enshih, Hupeh, China

V Kathleen Wenger b. June 14, 1940 Enshih, Hupeh, China m. Gale Lenz 1961 Booneville

VI Michelle Lenz m. Thiel

VI Stephanie Lenz m. Lohse

VI Randy Lenz

V Geraldine Wenger b. Feb. 8, 1942 Enshih, Hupeh, China m. Rev. Mark Wegener of Minneapolis, MN in 1966

VI Miriam Wegener

VI Joel Wegener

VI Nathan Wegener

V Rev. Timothy Wenger b. Feb. 1, 1944 Enshih, Hupeh, China m. Kathleen Kuecker 1969

VI Eric Wenger

VI Christopher Wenger

VI Elisa Wenger

VI Angela Wenger

V Rov. Daniel Wenger b. May 29, 1948 Enshih, Hupeh, China m. Gale Zaler 1985

V Rev. Mark Wenger b. Sept. 7, 1951 Boonville m. Patricia Miller 1972

VI Joy Wenger

VI Karl Wenger

VI Derek Wenger

VI Bryce Wenger

Elsie Wenger shared the following with usBoth of us were missionaries in China and were forced to leave
when the Communists took over. We located in the interior about
1000 miles from Shanghai. We had no electricity or running water
but the scenery was beautiful, mountains all around us. There
were no roads, had to walk or ride in mountain chairs carried
by coolies. We did have a hospital but no other medical facilities within 100 miles. It was during the Japanese war against
China, so we experienced many bombings and took care of victims.
On TV they show modern cities but never the real China we knew.
After being forced out, we were in parishes in Kansas & Boonville.

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Continue with Charlotte(Frerking) Bergmann's # 3 child-

III Theodore Bergmann b. November 21, 1881 Concordia d. November 1, 1952

m. Clara Brandenburg 1915 Concordia

b. 1891 Westcliffe, CO d. 1985 Concordia

4 Ch: Ruth, Julia, Robert, Carl

b. Nov. 16, 1916 Concordia IV Ruth Bergmann

m. Rev. Luther Heilman 1942 Concordia

4 Ch: James, Stephen, Carol, Susan

V James Heilman b. 1943 K.C., KS m. Judy

V Stephen Heilman b. 1947 Albuquerque, NM

V Carol Heilman b. 1950 Albuquerque, NM

m. David Hartenberger

3 Ch: Eric, Jessica, Joel

VI Eric Hartenberger b. 1978 Atlanta, GA VI Jessica Hartenberger b. 1982 Portland, OR

VI Joel Hartenberger b. 1988 Albuquerque, NM

The Heilmans live in Albuquerque as of 1989

IV Julia Bergmann b. Dec. 3, 1919 Concordia m. Harold Schmich 1946 Concordia

3 Ch: Kathryn, Stephanie, Susan

V Kathryn Schmich b. 1947 St. Louis

m. Michael Gelner 1974 St. Louis

3 Ch: Elizabeth, Andreas, Timothy

VI Elizabeth Gelner b. 1980 Washington D.C. VI Andreas Gelner b. 1983 Vienna, Austria

VI Timothy Gelner b. 1988 Washington D.C. Now living in Sofia, Bulgaria

V Stephanie Schmich b. 1949 St. Louis

m. David Eshelman 1977

3 Ch: Bethany, Caroline, Allison

VI Bethany Eshelman b. 1978 St. Louis

VI Caroline Eshelman b. 1981

VI Allison Eshelman b. 1984

V Susan Schmich b. 1950 St. Louis

m. William McClure 1974 Sedalia

4 Ch: Sarah, Matthew, Stevens, Hannah

VI Sarah McClure b. 1975 Harrison, AR

VI Matthew McClure (Twin) b. 1977 Russellville, AR

VI Stevens McClure (Twin) b.

VI Hannah McClure b. 1988 Sedalia

Julia shared the following with us-Both of us are now retired. Harold was an elevator(up-and-down) mechanic and I was a nurse. Kathy is the traveler because she married a Foreign Service officer. Stephanie is at home with their three girls. Her husband is in the wholesale business of "Athletic Lettering", part of which is making the numbers and names on uniforms for professional teams. Sue and Bill are farmers out of Sedalia with his father and mother trying to make a living on the family acreage. We have visited Kathy in Vienna and traveled to a number of places in Germany and studied records. Schmich's address is: 601 Forder Rd., St. Louis, MO 63129

Charlotte(Frerking) Bergmann's #3 child, Theodore's family-Theodore & Clara Bergmann's #3 child-

IV Robert Bergmann b. Aug. 7, 1921 Concordia m. Ruth Carter 1945 Ft. Worth, TX 3 Ch: Paul, Martha, Theodore

V Paul Bergmann b. 1949 Washington, D.C.

m. Carol

2 Ch: Luke, Rita

VI Luke Bergmann b. 1980 Clarksburg, MD

VI Rita Bergmann b. 1984

V Martha Bergmann b. 1952 Washington, D.C.

V Theodore Bergmann b. 1961 This family now in Silver Springs, MD

IV Carl Bergmann b. March 27, 1932 Concordia m. Elizabeth Moran 1960 Pittsburgh, PA 2 Ch: Beverly, William

V Beverly Moran b. 1961 Milwaukee, WI

V William Moran b. 1962

III Ernest Bergmann no ch m.

III Clara Bergmann b. 1889 Concordia d. 1976 Concordia m. Emil G. Frerking, son of Martin 1921 no ch

III Lydia Bergmann

III Esther Bergmann

Adolph's 6th child-

II Priedrich Heinrich Frenking b. Nov. 16, 1859 Concordia d. Feb. 3, 1925 "Heinrich Friedrich"

m. Marie Kappelmann 1889 Concordia

4 Ch: Amalia, Ida, Edna, Florence

III Amalia "Molly" Marie Frerking b. Dec. 20, 1889 Concordia d. 1954

> m. John Klingenberg of Higginsville 1920 b. 1892 d. 1967 Concordia no ch but reared Helen Ruth & Kenneth Klinkerman

III Ida Charlotte Eliese Frerking b. Dec. 13, 1893 Concordia d. May 15, 1980

> m. John Runge 1937 Concordia His ch: Concordia "Cordy" m. Ostermann & 5 ch

III Edna Hulda Frerking b. Oct. 2, 1898 Concordia d. Oct. 25, 1976

> m. William "Bill" Klingenberg 1928 2 Ch: LaVerne, William, Jr

IV LaVerne Klingenberg m. Cole of Garnett, KS

IV William Klingenberg, JR b. 1934 Concordia d. 1988

Adolph & Maria Frerking's 6th child, Henry's family-Henry & Marie(Kappelmann) Frerking's 4th child-

III Florence Frerking b. Sept. 7, 1905 Concordia m. Edwin Pape 1929 Concordia 3 Ch: Donald, Roger, Mary

IV Donald Pape is in Ft. Wayne, IN

IV Roger Pape is in Liverpool, NY

IV Mary Beth Pape is in Monroe, MI

Adolph's 7th child-

II Marie Elizabeth "Eliese" Frerking b. Mar. 30, 1862 Concordia d. Sept. 27, 1904 "

m. Andreas "Andrew" Fuchs 1892 Concordia (His 2nd wife) His 1st wife was Martha, Charlotte & Fritz Stuenkel's last child.

5 Ch: Clara, Alfred, Edna, Frieda, Stillborn

III Clara Marie Fuchs b. 1894 Alma d. 1988 Concordia She worked in Bergmann's Store for many years.

III Alfred Adolph Fuchs b. 1897 Alma d. 1937 Concordia m. Paula Lohman 1921 Concordia Their history is in Friedrich's line, pg # (A)17

III Edna Fuchs b. 1899 Alma d. 1955 Concordia

III Frieda Pauline Fuchs b. 1902 Alma

III Stillborn 1904 Alma

Adolph's #8-

II Christine Sophie Frerking b. 1864 Concordia d. 1871 Concordia

II Pauline Dorothea Frerking b. Nov. 13, 1868 Concordia d. June 22, 1933 "

m. Julius Biltz 1894 Concordia b. 1860 Concordia d. 1919 Concordia

5 Ch: Paula, Bertha, Lucia, Julia, Francis

III Paula M. Biltz b. 1895

m. Carl Seebach of Goodline, KS

6 Ch: Ruth, Lydia, Arthur, Norma, Grace, Carl, Jr

IV Ruth Seebach Living in Fond Du Lac, WI

m. Ristow

V Ch: Marc Ristow Living in Baltimore, MD

m. Karon

IV Lydia Marie Seebach Living in Cockeysville, MD

m. Waters

V Ch: Nancy Waters

Note- Lydia gave the historical quilt made by her great, grandmother, Maria, to our local county historical society.

IV Arthur Seebach Living in White Bear Lake, MN m. Donna

V Ch: John, Daniel, Christie

Adolph & Maria Frerking's 9th child's family-Pauline & Julius Biltz's dau, Paula's family-Paula & Carl Seebach's 4th child-

IV Norma Seebach Living in Minneapolis, MN

IV Grace Seebach " Eden Prairie, MN

m. Howard Peterson

V Ch: Karin, Marne, Andrea

IV Carl Seebach, Jr Living in Mankato, MN m.

V Ch: Karla, Stephanie, Tanya, Brett, Carrie, Nathan

III Bertha Biltz b. 1897 Living in Hopkins, MN

III Lucia Biltz b. 1900 "Bloomington, MN

III Julia Biltz b. 1905 " Winona, MN m. Robert McCormick 2 Ch: Marjorie, Judith

IV Marjorie McCormick Living in Beloit, WI m. Fresley no ch

IV Judith McCormick Living in FRANCE m. John Harmsworth

V Ch: Jennifer, Julie, Joanna

III Francis Julius Biltz b. 1909 Living in Welch. MN m. Mavis Tennis 3 Ch: John, Paul, Elsine

IV John Fredric Biltz b. 1936 d. 1973 m. Hannalore Odorff 3 Ch: Kristene, Rebecca, Fredric

V Kristene J. Biltz m. Carson Living in IL V Rebecca E. Biltz " CA V Fredric James Biltz In U.S. Army

IV Paul Richard Biltz b. 1939 Living in Welch, MN
IV Elsine Carolyn Biltz m. Poylic "

Addresses:

Paula Seebach 440 W. 5th, Red Wing, MN 55066

Bertha Biltz Apt. 1015 97th Ave. S., Hopkins, MN 55343

Lucia Biltz Apt. B-333 8102 Highwood Dr., Bloomington, MN 55438

Julia McCormick 516 Baker St., Winona, MN 55987

Francis Biltz 6110 Mt. Carmel Rd., Welch, MN 55089

Adolph Frerking family holds reunion here

Five generations of the Adolph Frerking family held a reunion recently on the Frerking Centennial Farm, the family farm since 1865, located two and one-half miles southwest of Concordia.

Attending were the fourth through the eighth generations of the descendants of Adolph and Marie Baumeister Frerking. The fourth generation was represented by David, Sarah Frerking Beilharz, and Lydia Frerking Schneider.

Approximately 60 persons were there from the fifth, sixth, and seventh generations, and the eight generation was represented by Jacklyn Frerking, two-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Frerking and granddaughter of Mrs. Evelyn Frerking McKnight, Concordia.

The oldest member present was David Frerking, 85, and the youngest was his great-grandchild, Dustin Kraxner, two months, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Kraxner, Independence.

Attending the reunion were William H. Klingenberg, Mrs. Nellie Frerking, Mr. and Mrs. Joe McKnight, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Frerking and Jacklyn, and Mr. and Mrs. Mark W. Frerking, Concordia; Paul D. Frerking, Tina and Teresa, Sweet Springs; Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Pound, Green Acres; Mr. and Mrs. Otis Renfrow, Knob Noster;

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bergman, Silver Spring, Maryland; Mr. and Mrs. Oren Frerking, Florence, Alabama; Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Frerking, Stanley, Kansas; Mr. and Mrs. Willard Frerking, Kansas City, Kansas; Mr. and Mrs. G. Beilharz, Shawnee Mission, Kansas;

Mr. and Mrs. John Beilharz, Moberly; Mr. and Mrs. Dave Frerking and Gayle Frerking, Lexington; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Chiarelli, Grandview; Mr. and Mrs. Obed Frerking, Lee's Summit; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Frerking, Raytown; Mr. and Mrs. Don Ginnings, James and Donavon, Sugar Creek;

Mr. and Mrs. David Kraxner, Joe and Dustin and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Frerking, Samuel Kevin, and Lisa, Independence; Mr. and Mrs. Dave Frerking and Mrs. Luellen Rutherford, Corder; Mr. and Mrs. Bill McClure, Steven, Matthew, and Sarah, Sedalia;

Harold and Julia Schmich, St. Louis; Mrs. Lydia Schneider, William J. Frerking, Mrs. Kathryn Dickey, and Mrs. Ruth Huffs, Kansas City; and Mr. and Mrs. George Frerking, Grandview.

Information on the Frerking family was submitted by Mrs. Schneider:

Adolph Frerking, 1825-1912, migrated from Esperke, Hanover, Germany, in 1837 at the age of 12 and was accompanied by an uncle, known only as "Uncle Dierking" to his descendants. Being so young, he stayed first with relatives in St. Louis where he attended school, apprenticed as a carpenter, and advanced to master builder. He married Marie Baumeister in 1848, practiced carpentry in St. Louis until

1855 when he and his wife moved to Lafayette County to join other members of his family who had migrated to the region.

They lived on a farm near Cook's Store and Adolph engaged in farming and practiced carpentry. According to his obituary from a 1912 Concordian, he built some of the finest houses in Concordia, some of which were still standing at the time of his death in 1912. About 1864 he abandoned carpentry to turn entirely to farming and in 1865 he bought what is now the Frerking Centennial Farm (which everybody still calls "the Paul Frerking farm) from a Mr. Uphaus (grandfather or father of the late Mike Uphaus).

The farm remained in Adolph's possession until the time of his death in 1912 at which time it passed to his oldest son, the late Louis Frerking and his wife, Emilie Kessler Frerking. After the death of Louis in 1945, the farm became the property of the late Paul W. Frerking. Paul died in 1982 and the farm was purchased by his two sisters, Sarah F. Beilharz and Lydia F. Schneider, and six nephews, Obed, Elmer, Willard, and George Frerking and Louis and John Beilharz, who incorporated it into the Frerking Centennial Farm.

Adolph was one of eight brothers and three sisters who with their mother migrated from Esperke, Hanover, Germany, during the years 1837 to 1845. One older brother, Friederich, was one of the early organizers of St. Paul's Lutheran congregation in Concordia. Another brother, Louis, joined adventurers in the Gold Rush and was never heard of afterward. He presumably died in California in 1850. The other brothers, Wilhelm, G. E. or "Scharze," Georg F., Diedrich, and August, all settled in the Concordia area and founded large families. The three sisters were Christina, Wilhelmina, who maried a Bruns; Marie, who

married the Rev. A. G. G. Franke, the first ordained minister of St. Paul's Church; and Charlotte, who became Mrs. F. Stuenkel.

The mother of the 11 children, Dorothea Sprengel Frerking (also referred to as "Widow Frerking" in some records) came to the United States in 1845. She was one of the 14 Frerkings listed in the passenger list of the ship, General George Washington, that docked at New Orleans on November 24, 1845. She died in 1868 and is buried in the oldest section of St. Paul's Cemetery.

Adolph and Marie Frerking had two sons and three daughters to grow to full maturity. The sons were Louis and Henry Fr. The daughters were Charlotte, who married Adolph Bergman; Elise, who married Andrew Fuchs; and Paulina, who married Julius Biltz.

Ten grandchildren of Adolph and Marie Frerking are alive today and represent the fourth generation of this family in the United States. They are Mrs. Edwin (Florence

Frerking) Pape of Concordia, daughter of Henry H and Mary Kappelman Frerking; Clara Fuchs, Concordia, daughter of Andrew and Ellse Frerking Fuchs; David Frerking, Corder, Sarah Frerking Beilharz, Shawnee Mission, Kansas, and Lydia Frerking Schneider, Kansas City, children of Louis and Emilie Kessler Frerking; and one son and four daughters of Julius and Paulina Frerking Biltz, all living in Minnesota.

After a lot of research, I think that "Uncle Dierking" was Friedrich Dierking. In the 1860 census, Adolph's farm lay only two farms away from his. Friedrich was also from Esperke according to our records from Germany.

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HISTORY OF QUILT

This quilt was made by Mrs. Adolf Frerking of Concordia, Missouri, before the Civil War.

The Frerking family lived on a farm, near the village, after coming from Germany.

During the Civil War, there was so much plundering and also killing, due to the raiders who were quite prominent along the dividing line Hetween the North and the South.

In order to protect some valuables, people packed them in card board boxes which were not rainproof, and buried them. The rain spoiled many things which accounts for the brown spots on this quilt.

This quilt was passed on to Mrs. A. Frerking's daughter, Paulina. Paulina was married to Julius F. Biltz, son of Pastor F.J.Biltz, and the quilt was then passed on to her daughter, Paula Biltz Seebach. Paula, in turn, passed it on to her daughter, Lydia Marie Seebach Waters of Baltimore, Md.

The design of this quilt is said to be a modification of "Oak Leaf".

I, Lydia Marie Seebach Waters, of Baltimore, Maryland, hereby donate the historical "Oak Leaf" quilt, made by my great-grandmother, Mrs. Adolf Frerking of Concordia, Missouri, passed to me through my grandmother, Paulina F. Biltz, and through my mother, Paula B. Seebach, to:

> Lafayette County Historical Society Lexington, Missouri

for the museum.

Signed: Lydin & Waters

Date: July 22, 1977

Sworn to before me this 22

of July 1977.

Mrs. Lydia S. Waters

6617 D English Oaks Road

Baltimore, Md. 21234

TRANSLATIONS OF ORIGINAL RECORDS FROM GERMANY:

Certified Copy from the Baptismal Register of the Evangelical Lutheran Church Parish of Niederstoecken

Those Born in 1826.

No. 20.

Names: Maria Christine FREERKING.

Birthplace: Esperke.

Date of Birth and Baptism: 9 October (1826), 22 October (1826).

Parents:

Father: Joh(ann) Diet(rich) FREERKING, cottager on a small farm in Esperke.

Mother: Doroth(ee) Mar(ie) SPRENGEL, of the same place.

Baptismal Sponsors:

Cath(arina) Mar(ia) HOPPENSTEDT;

2. Henriette DUENSING;

3. Ana Mar(ia) SPRENGEL,

all of Esperke.

Copy certified Niedernstoecken, 3 April 1989 /signed/ JENKE, Pastor SEAL OF THE NIEDERNSTOECKEN EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

Certified Copy from the Confirmation Register of the Evangelical Lutheran Church Parish of Niederstoecken

Time of Confirmation Palm Sunday the 4th of April 1841.

School: Esperke.

No. 17.

Names of Those Confirmed: Mar(ia) Christine FREERKING.

Birth Day: 9 October.

Birth Year: 1826.

Proficiency in Reading: Good.

Proficiency in Religious Comprehension: Very Good.

Copy certified

Niedernstoecken, 3 April 1989

/signed/ JENKE, Pastor

SEAL OF THE NIEDERNSTOECKEN EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

- Johann Diterich & Dorothee(Sprengel) Frerking's 10th child-
- I Maria "Christine" Frerking b. February 27, 1830 Esperke d. March 6, 1857 Concordia
 - m. Heinrich Johann "John Henry" Bruns 1849 " by
 Christine's brother-in-law, Pastor Franke.
 His father, John Henry, Sr. gave the original one acre of land for the first church of St. Paul's at Concordia.
 - 5 Ch: Sophie, August, Henry, Adolph, John
- II Marie "Sophie" Bruns b. June 25, 1850 Concordia d. August 13, 1928 "
 - m. Louis Stuenkel 1871 Concordia
 b. 1844 Concordia d. 1934 Concordia
 5 Ch: Theodore, John, Pauline, Marie, Edward
- III Theodore Stuenkel b. 1872 Concordia d. 1881 Concordia (died of burns after falling into boiling molasses)
- III John Wm Adolph Stuenkel b. 1873 d. 1874 Concordia
- III Pauline Stuenkel
 - m. Henry Schumacher
 7 Ch (1 still living in 1960)
- III Marie Dorothea Stuenkel b. 1876 Concordia d. 1951 Concordia m. Jacob Pape 1897 Concordia
 In her obituary, it lists: Rev. Arthur Pape of Lone Wolf, OK, Edwin and Louis of Concordia & Mrs. Edwin Dieckhoff of Freistatt.
- III Edward John Stuenkel b. September 7, 1878 Concordia d. March 6, 1962 "
- IV Norbert Stuenkel d. Concordia at 8 yrs of age
- IV Alwin Stuenkel b. 1906 Concordia d. 1960 Concordia m. Eliese Brackman 1933 Concordia Complete history recorded under "Friedrich's" family-page # (A)40
- IV Otto Stuenkel b. July 5, 1909 Concordia
 m. Erna Hinck 1933 Concordia
 3 Ch: Vernon, Marilyn, Marvin
- V Vernon Stuenkel b. 1934 Concordia m. Linda Limback 1960 Alma 2 Ch: Deborah, Ronald
- VI Deborah June Stuenkel b. 1961 Sweet Springs
- VI Ronald Wayne Stuenkel b. 1963 " "
 m. Cynthia Jo Peters 1986 Alma
 VII Benjamin Conrad Stuenkel b. 1988 Concordia
- V Marilyn Stuenkel b. 1939 Concordia m. Leo Oelschlager 1965 Concordia VI Ch: Mark Oelschlager b. 1968 Concordia

Christine's daughter, Sophie & Louis Stuenkel's family-Edward & Martha Stuenkel's son, Otto's family-Otto & Erna Stuenkel's 3rd child-

V Marvin Stuenkel b. 1946 Concordia m. Sandra Czezchin McGee 1974 3 Ch: David, Jeffrey, Kim

VI David McGee-Stuenkel b. 1969 Napoleon

VI Jeffrey Scott Stuenkel b. 1975

VI Kimberly Dawn Stuenkel b. 1978 "

IV Rev. Dr. Walter Stuenkel b. March 2, 1912 Concordia
m. Helen Reith 1937 Concordia
7 Ch: Robert, Dorothy, Richard, Roger, Miriam, Grace, Rhoda

V Rev. Robert Stuenkel b. 1938 Shawneetown(Live in Boulder, CO) m. Julie Holm 1964 Evanston, IL 2 Ch: Kristen, Stephen

VI Kristen Noelle Stuenkel b. 1966

VI Stephen Christian Stuenkel b. 1968

V Dorothy Stuenkel b. 1940 Shawneetown (Live in St. Paul, MN) m. Rev.Dr. Paul Marschke 1965 2 Ch: Jonathan, Kara

VI Jonathan Marschke b. 1968

VI Kara Joy Marschke b. 1971

V Rev. Roger Rudolph Stuenkel b. 1944 Freistatt (Live in Madison, SD) m. Ruth Ann Skodacek 1969 of Youngstown, OH 3 Ch: Amy, Katherine, Mary

VI Amy Elizabeth Stuenkel b. 1971 (adopted)

VI Katherine Helena Stuenkel b. 1973

VI Mary Joy Stuenkel b. 1980

V Miriam Stuenkel b. 1947 Freistatt (Live in Lawrence, KS) m. Rev. Mark Hoelter 1971 of St. Louis 4 Ch: Peter, Christopher, Micah, Lucas

VI Peter Lorenz Hoelter b. 1972

VI Christopher Hoelter b. 1974

VI Micah Andrew Hoelter b. 1978

VI Lucas Richard Hoelter b. 1982

V Grace Stuenkel b. 1949 St. Joseph, MI (Live in Warrenville, IL) m. Jonathan Bruss 1970 of Bismarck, ND VI Ch: Abigail Ruth Bruss b. 1981

V Rhoda Stuenkel b. 1952 St. Joseph, MI m. Paul Hayes 1979 of Shelby Co., IN Both teaching in Sandoval, IL

Christine (Frerking') & Heinrich Bruns #2 child-

II August E. Bruns b. 1852 Concordia m. Louise Kueck 1875 Concordia Ch: Flora, Eleanora, Rosa, Ida, Laura, Louise, Henry

III Flora Bruns m. Otto Roepe

IV Elsa Wukasch m. E.W. Schreiner Live in K.C.

IV Eleanor Wukasch m. E.P. McKeown Live in Kailua, HI

III Rosa Bruns m. Rev. Jesse of St. Louis

III Ida Bruns b. about 1888

III Laura Bruns b. " 1890

III Louise 3runs b. " 1893

III Henry Bruns, dec.

A.E. Bruns was a postmaster and a city clerk beside owning and operating a saddlery in Concordia. There is a biographical sketch concerning him in the 1910 HISTORY OF LAFAYETTE COUNTY by Young.

Christine's 3rd child-II Henry William Bruns b. 1853 & d. Dec. 25, 1862 Concordia

II Adolph Bruns b. 1855 d. 1902 Concordia m. Emma Franke Obituary says-Henry & Ella(Mrs. Ed Heyer) of Stafford, KS, William, Adolph, Joseph, Flora, Fred and 4 deceased

II John Bruns b. 1857 d. 1859 Concordia

Heinrich "Henry" Bruns (or John Henry) attended Synodical Convention in St. Louis as a delegate in October of 1860.

After Christine's death, Henry married Anna Dettmer in 1858. The following children were born to them-

John Herman Bruns m. Marie Walker and went to Palmer, KS Ch: August, Carl, John, Otto, Lydia, Ernest, Wilhelmina or "Billy", Marie, Henry

Henry F. Bruns d. at one yr

Anna Bruns m. John Martens

Ch: Pauline Meyer, Emilie Kuecker, Henry, Katherine Runge, Martha Woodrich, John, Laura Poese

Line Christine Bruns m. Ernest Stuenkel History in CHARLOTTE & Fritz Stuenkel's family

Shortly after Line Christine's birth, Henry Bruns was killed in the bushwhacker's raid in October of 1864. Then Anna (Dettmer) Bruns was left with three children of her own plus three of Christine's to rear. She married Gerhard Fick in 1865. What fortitude it took to survive those turbulent years!

Christine's daughter, Sophie & Louis Stuenkel's family-Edward & Martha Stuenkel's daughter's family-

b. January 18, 1917 Concordia IV Erna Stuenkel m. Walter Frerking 1940 Concordia This family history is recorded in "Friedrich's" pq (A) 39

IV Rev. Omar Theodore Stuenkel b. July 20, 1920 Concordia

m. Elaine Schulz 1945

b. 1925 Faribault, MN d. 1977

m. Pearl Schulz Rueber (had 2 ch: Lynn & Roger) 4 Ch: David, Omar, Jr., kita, Edward

V Rev. David Carl Stuenkel b. 1946 Dayton, WA (Now in Walla Walla, m. Judy Miesner 1969 of Louisville, KY 3 Ch: Sara, Adam, Emily

VI Sara Stuenkel b. 1973

VI Adam Stuenkel b. 1975

VI Emily Stuenkel b. 1978

V Omar Theodore Stuenkel, Jr. "Ted" b. 1947 Dayton, WA m. Joy Cumberland 1970 of Wichita, KS VI Ch: Tracey Stuenkel b. 1976 Concord, CA (Still here in '82)

V Rita Marie Stuenkel b. 1951 Portland, OR (Now in Enterprise, OR) m. Rev. Dennis Schmidt 1974

3 Ch: Benjamin, Rebecca, Jonathan

VI Benjamin Schmidt b. 1978

VI Rebecca Schmidt b. 1980

VI Jonathan Lee Schmidt b. 1982

V Edward Louis Stuenkel b. 1954 Portland, OR As of '82 doing graduate work at Univ. in Honolulu, HI

IV Herbert Edmond Stuenkel b. February 18, 1923 Concordia m. Betty Jane Kuddes 1945 Corder

Their history can be found in "George's" family pg(D)69 Note- Thanks to Herb and Betty a complete history has been compiled for Edward & Martha(Holsten) Stuenkel family. Much of the foregoing info was taken from that history. This is the same Edward who wrote the description of the land in the Concordia area that was used at the back of this "book".

Certified Copy from the Baptismal Register of the Evangelical Lutheran Church Parish of Niederstoecken

Those Born in 1828.

No. 26.

Names: Dieterich August FREERKING.

Birthplace: Esperke.

Date of Birth and Baptism: 10 September (1828), 28 September (1828).

Parents:

Father: Joh(ann) Dieterich FREERKING, cottager on a small farm in Esperke.

Mother: Mar(ie) Doroth(ee) SPRENGEL.

Baptismal Sponsors:

Joh(ann) Heinr(ich) FREERKING;

Ludew(ig) FREERKING;

3. Fried(rich) HENGEL,

all of Esperke.

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SEAL OF THE NIEDERNSTOECKEN EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

(Note: HENGEL may be a misreading of SPRENGEL.)

Certified Copy from the Confirmation Register of the Evangelical Lutheran Church Parish of Niederstoecken

Names of the Confirmands in 1842.

School: Esperke.

No. 6.

Names of Those Confirmed: August Dieterich FREERKING.

Birth Day: 10 September.

Birth Year: 1828.

Proficiency in Reading: Good.

Proficiency in Religious Comprehension: Good.

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August's family-

Johann Diterich & Dorothee(Sprengel) Frerking's 11th child-I Dietrich "August" Frerking b. Sept. 10, 1828 Esperke

No record as to his wife's name

Ch: Louis Wilhelm Diedrich Frenking b. March 6, 1855 Concordia Baptized June 22, 1856 Concordia Sponsors: G.H. Frenking, Fritz Frenking, Diedrich Frenking It was over a year this family waited for baptism. It was the year before G.H. died.

Apparently August and his family moved to another area. Perhaps one day we will locate descendants of his.

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In 1983 The KANSAS CITY TIMES had an article by James Fisher which was of great interest. He quoted Adolph E. Schroeder, professor of German at MU and it is as follows: Lutherans and Catholics emerged paramount in what was a fragmented Germany late in the 17th century and found persecuting pious groups like the Mennonites great sport when they weren't imprisoning or torturing them, the dominant faiths like to sew minority sect believers into sacks and throw them into the nearest river. Thus 66-day boat trips and the chance of being lost in the Atlantic held little terror for emigrating Germans.

Still, things didn't start in Missouri until 140 years later. There had been sporadic settlement in the state-German was the second language in Cape Girardeau in 1799. But it took the arrival of Gottfried Duden to get things off the ground.

With typical German practicality Mr. Duden bought a farm in Warren County in the mid-1820's and lived on it for three years. With Mr. Duden, an attorney, was Ludwig Evermann, whom Mr. Schroeder says can only be described as an agricultural economist. Mr. Evermann oversaw the farm work, the planting of crops, putting in the orchards and construction of fences, and he took care of the harvests. He found out what crops grew best, tallied profit and loss, then reported all to Mr. Duden.

Mr. Duden apparently spent most of his time observing, reading and visiting folks. But underneath he was passionate about the overpopulation of Germany, which was still in ferment because of poverty, autocratic rule by the princes(although throwing people in rivers apparently had stopped) and heavy taxation. Mr. Duden wanted Missouri to become a North American Germanic state. He wrote down what Mr. Evermann reported and in 1829 published a book called "Bericht Uber eine Reise nach den Westlichen Staaten Nord-Amerikas (Report on a Journey to the Western States of North America)."

In retrospect, says Mr. Schroeder, probably no single book ever written had the effect on Missouri, or the nation, that Mr. Duden's book had. It sold like hot cakes. Edition after edition was published in Germnay and Switzerland. The book was passed from hand to hand, was devoured by anyone who could read and was responsible, scholars contend, for the massive surge in immigration to Missouri.

Note-There is a copy of Duden's book at the Lohoefener House Museum in Concordia.

TRANSLATIONS OF ORIGINAL RECORDS FROM GERMANY:

Certified Copy from the Baptismal Register of the Evangelical Lutheran Church Parish of Niederstoecken

Those Born in 1830.

No. 6.

Names: Dieterich Eduard FREERKING.

Birthplace: Esperke.

Date of Birth and Baptism: 3 February (1830), 14 February (1830).

Parents:

Father: Joh(ann) Diet(rich) FREERKING, cottager on a large farm and master of the

farmers in Esperke.

Mother: Doroth(ee) Mar(ie) SPRENGEL of here.

This is the 12th child of 1 marriage, of which there are 9 boys.

Baptismal Sponsors:

1. Juerg(en) HEINEMAN of Amedorf.

2. Wilh(elm) DETMERING of Vesbeck.

3. Fried(rich) VOIGT of Stoecken.

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Niedernstoecken, 3 April 1989
/signed/ JENKE, Pastor
SEAL OF THE NIEDERNSTOECKEN EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

Certified Copy from the Confirmation Register of the Evangelical Lutheran Church Parish of Niederstoecken

Time of Confirmation Quasimodogeniti Sunday, 14 April 1844.

School: Esperke.

No. 8.

Names of Those Confirmed: Dieterich FREERKING.

Birth Day: 3 February.

Birth Year: 1830.

Proficiency in Reading: Good.

Proficiency in Religious Comprehension: Good.

Copy certified

Niedernstoecken, 3 April 1989

/signed/ JENKE, Pastor

SEAL OF THE NIEDERNSTOECKEN EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

Dietrich's family-

- Johann Diterich & Dorothee(Sprengel) Frerking's 12th child-
- I Dietrich Eduard Frerking b. February 3, 1830 Esperke d. August 5, 1891 Concordia
 - m. Caroline Marie Dedeke oct. 23, 1857 Concordia b. Nov. 5, 1840 d. Jan. 12, 1881 "

Dietrich was one of Frerkings on the ship, "General Washington" in 1845. He was not in this county when the 1850 census was taken. We can safely assume that he was on a trip to Santa Fe for Russell, Majors & Waddell. In Alexander Major's obit in 1900, it states that D.E. Frerking was one of several drivers from the Concordia area. In the appendix is an article by Tom Ladwig about these drivers.

- 12 Ch: Gus, Christine, Sabine, Henry, Anna, Caroline, Mathilda, Edward, Adolph, Martin, Stillborn, August
- II Gustav Frerking b. 1858 Was baptized by his father and no more info.
- II Christine Frerking b. October 24, 1859 Concordia d. June 12, 1927 Linn, KS
 - m. John Schuette 1881 Concordia
- 4 Ch: Theodore, Edward, John, Martin
 III Henry "Theodore" Schuette b. 1881 Concordia to Clifton, KS
- III Edward John Schuette b. 1883 Concordia to Linn, KS
- III John Schuette, Jr b. 1885 " "
- III Martin Ernst Schuette b. 1887 " to Clay Center, KS
- II Marie "Sabine" Frerking b. June 23, 1861 Concordia d. January 11, 1919 Alma
 - m. Ernest Brackmann(Brockman) 1887 Concordia
 b. June 7, 1861 d. July 14, 1941 Alma
 6 Ch: Arthur, Caroline, Henry, Edwin, Otto, Ernest
- III Arthur Diedrich Brockman b. 1889 Alma d. 1943 WWI Vet. m. Laura Schroeder 1919 no ch
- III Caroline Mathilda Brockman b. July 10, 1891 Alma d. 1980 Corder
 - m. Martin Hill
 5 Ch: Viola, Edna, Erma, Elmer, Edgar
- IV Viola Hill b. 1911 Corder d. 1912 Corder
- IV Edna Hill b. 1912 " d. 1918 " (flu)
- IV Erma Marie Hill b. September 17, 1915 Corder m. Richard Oelklaus 1936 Corder Worked in coal mines and then on the RR 3 Ch: Mary, Martin, Ruth
- V Mary Jeanette Oelklaus b. Dec. 1, 1939 Corder m. James Vorwark 1958 Higginsville 3 Ch: Beth, Amy, Andrea
- VI Bethany Vorwark b. 1959 K.C.
- VI Amy Jo Vorwark b. 1969 "
- VI Andrea Lynn Vorwark b. 1971 K.C.

Dietrich's family-

Dietrich & Caroline(Dedeke) Frerking's 3rd child, Sabine's fam-Sabine & Ernest Brockman's 2nd child, Caroline's family-Caroline & Martin Hill's 3rd child, Erma's family-Erma & Richard Oelklaus' 2nd child-

V Martin Edward Oelklaus b. Nov. 10, 1947 Odessa m. Cindy Faye Klein 1978 Battle Creek, NE 2 Ch: Marcy, Kyle

VI Marcy Renee Oelklaus b. 1981 Independence

VI Kyle Edward Oelklaus b. 1985

V Ruth Ann Oelklaus b. Sep. 23, 1949 Marshall m. Ralph Gadt 1977 Higginsville VI Ch: Nicole Lynn Gadt b. 1979 Lexington

IV Elmer Martin Hill b. Aug. 11, 1917 Corder m. Mildred Brase 1942 (Living in Pittsburg, KS) 4 Ch: Connie, Dennis, Dianna, Duane

V Connie Sue Hill b. 1942 d. 1943

V Dennis "Pepper" Martin Hill b. 1944 m. Janice Grechus 1969

4 Ch: Anthony, Tracy, Andrew, Aaron

VI Anthony Martin Hill b. 1971

VI Tracy Michelle Hill b. 1973

VI Andrew Michael Hill b. 1976

VI Aaron Matthew Hill b. 1979

V Dianna Lynn Hill b. 1947 m. Gerald Green 1966 3 Ch: Carol, Gerald, Brian

VI Carol Lynn Green b. 1967

m. David Hanson 1988 VII Ch: Christina Lynn Hanson b. 1988

VI Gerald Wayne Green b. 1969

VI Brian Benjamin Green b. 1971

V Duane Wendell Hill b. 1954 m. Sheila Mae Pettus 1976 3 Ch: Jason, Brady, Lindsay VI Jason Benjamin Hill b. 1977

VI Brady Lee Hill b. 1981

VI Lindsay Kathrine Hill b. 1985

According to Erma Oelklaus, Grandfather Dietrich, was an excellent carpenter. Her family cherishes a lovely old walnut cradle made by him for his own children and then handed down.

Address:

Elmer Hill 508 West 8th St., Pittsburg, KS 66762 Tel # 316-232-3626

Dietrich's family-

Dietrich & Caroline(Dedeke) Frenking's 3rd child, Sabine's fam-Sabine & Ernest Brockman's 2nd child, Caroline's family-Caroline & Martin Hill's 5th child-

IV Edgar W. Hill b. January 22, 1922 Corder

(Living in Hollister) m. Gertrude Lohman 1947 7 Ch: Wanda, Kathryn, Lois, Beverly, David, Anita, John

b. 1948 Corder V Wanda Hill

m. Richard Poese 1971 Higginsville & div

m. John Olson 1988

2 Ch: Teresa, Christopher

VI Teresa Jo Poese b. 1976

VI Christopher Sean Poese b. 1979

V Kathryn Hill b. 1949 Corder

m. Paul Farmer 1971 Higginsville

2 Ch: Nicholas, Jocelyn

VI Nicholas Alexander Farmer b. 1978

VI Jocelyn Marie Farmer b. 1983

V Lois Hill b. 1954 Corder

m. Paul Leckband 1975 Higginsville

2 Ch: Nathan, Sarah

VI Nathan James Leckband b. 1982

VI Sarah Marie Leckband b. 1985

V Beverly Hill b. 1951 Corder d. 1962 Corder (farm accident)

V David Hill b. 1958 Corder

m. Carmen Blandel

2 Ch: Ashlie, Kyle

VI Ashlie Erin Hill b. 1984

VI Kyle David Hill b. 1988

V Anita Hill b. 1959 Corder m. Jerry Wolfe 1986

V John Hill b. 1968 Corder

m. Lori Paul 1989 Seward, NE Both are teachers

III Martin "Henry" Brockman b. 1894 Alma d. 1918 CA WWI

III Otto "Edwin" Alexander Brockman b. 1898 Alma d. 1989 K.C.

m. Mabel Kessler (Living in Good Shepherd, Concordia)

4 Ch: Ralph, Ruth, Harlan, Mary

IV Ralph Brockman b. 1922

m. Donna Mae Baker

2 Ch: Ronald, Kathy

V Ronald Brockman b. 1945

V Kathy Sue Brockman b. 1948

Address:

Edgar Hill HCR3, Box 264, Hollister, MO

Tel # 417-335-4180

Dietrich & Caroline Frerking's 3rd child, Sabine's family-Sabine & Ernest Brockman's 4th child, Edwin's family-Edwin & Mabel's 2nd child-

IV Ruth Brockman b. 1925 m. Rev. Graeme Rosenau 3 Ch: Paul, Cheryl, Mark

V Paul Rosenau b. 1959

V Cheryl Rosenau b. 1961

V Mark Rosenau b. 1965

IV Harlan Brockman b. 1930 m. Leota Peters VCh: Kimberly Brockman b. 1964

IV Mary Jane Brockman b. 1934 m. Robert Paulson 2 Ch: David, Diana

V David Paulson b. 1960

V Diana Paulson b. 1964

Sabine's 5th child-

III Otto Ernst Brockman b. 1899 (Living at Sweet Springs Care m. Pearl Peacock 1930 Higginsville Center) b. 1900 Corder d. 1987 Alma

2 Ch: Otto, Betty

IV Otto L. Brockman b. Oct. 31, 1932 Alma Lives and works in Kansas City

IV Betty Lou Brockman b. Oct. 20, 1940 Alma m. Charles Murdock (Both work in Hearing Aid Bus.) 2 Ch: Charlene, Todd

V Charlene Murdock b. 1962 Springfield (Computer programmer)
m. Scott Whitlock

V Todd Murdock b. 1964 Springfield (Computer programmer m. Julie Wood 1989 " living in St. Louis)

Sabine's 6th child-

III Ernest F. Brockman b. 1902 Alma d. 1964 Alma m. Leona Dankenbring 1926 Alma

b. 1905 Emma d. 1985 Alma

IV 1 ch: Jean D. Brockman b. Nov. 24, 1931 Alma (Manager for Sears)
m. Esther Jane Russell 1951 Alma (Living in Springfield)
5 Ch: Douglas, Rebecca, Brian, Lisa, Kurt

V Douglas Brockman, M.D. b. 1952 Lexington

m. Mary Kreig St. Louis

4 Ch: John, Laura, Elizabeth, Eric

VI John Brockman b. 1978 Oklahoma City, OK

VI Laura Brockman b. 1981 Springfield

VI Elizabeth Brockman b. 1984 "

VI Eric Russell Brockman b. 1989 Springfield

Address:

J.D. Brockman 2117 S. Bruce Ct., Springfield, MO 65804

Dietrich & Caroline Frenking's 3rd child, Sabine's family-Sabine & Ernest Brockman's 6th child, Ernest's Family-Ernest & Leona Brockman's son, Jean's 2nd child-

V Rebecca Ann Brockman R.N. b. 1953 Lexington m. David Keehn 1976 Springfield 3 Ch: Jonathan, Alexa, Michael

VI Jonathan David Keehn b. 1979 Springfield

VI Alexa Carolina Keehn b. 1982

VI Michael Brockman Keehn b. 1989 "

V Brian Keith Brockman b. 1958 Chanute, KS m. Esther Anderson 1980 Nevada, MO 4 Ch: Kurt, Kathryn, Melissa & Megan(Twins)

VI Kurt Douglas Brockman b. 1983 Springfield

VI Kathryn Brockman b. 1985

VI Melissa Brockman b. 1986 " Twin VI Megan Brockman b. 1986 " Twin

V Lisa Kay Brockman b. 1961 Dallas, TX m. Duane Highley 1983 Springfield 2 Ch: Jason, Joseph

V Jason Highley b. 1985 Springfield

V Joseph Highley b. 1988

V Kurt Brockman b. 1966 Bartlesville, OK (Living in Evansville, IN) m. Michelle Peoples 1989

J.D. and Esther were living in Dallas at the time of President Kennedy's assassination. They saw him two minutes before.

II Heinrich D. Friedrich Frerking b. Nov. 7, 1863 Concordia d. June 18, 1938 Linn, KS

m. Clara Boeschen 1897 Concordia, they moved to Palmer, KS in 1902 and then later to Linn.

5 Ch: Della, Edwin, Henry, Clara, Lena III Caroline Rudella "Della" Frerking b. 1899 Concordia

III Edwin Dietrich Frerking b.1900 Concordia

III Henry Adolph Frerking b. 1902 "

III Clara Frerking

III Caroline "Lena" Frerking

In 1986 Della, Clara, Lena were living in Wichita. One of the men in Dodge City, KS.

II Anna Louise Frerking b. 1866 Concordia

II Caroline Minna Frerking b. 1868 " d. 1874 Concordia

II Mathilda Dorothee Frerking b. 1981 " d. 1874 "

Address:

Betty Murdock 4220 Whitehall, Springfield, MO 65809

- Dietrich & Caroline Frenking's 8th child-
- II Eduard Otto Frerking b. October 27, 1873 Concordia d. February 21, 1952 Ernestville
 - m. Sophia Scharnhorst 1896 Concordia b. 1874 Concordia d. 1942 Ernestville

When Phyllis Limback was gathering history, her Aunt Caroline Hartman said that all the children in this family were born in the Jacksonville neighborhood. This was on the old road from Concordia to Aullville and made up mostly of blacks. They had a church and pastor's name was Jackson, hence the name. The Frerking children went to St. Paul's country school just up the road. It was south of Davis Creek and open three months per year. This Frerking family moved to a farm southwest of Concordia and north of Ernestville about 1913 according to Aunt Caroline.

- 12 Ch: Irvin, Ralph, Twins, Ernest, Gilmore, Edward, Caroline, Clarence, Roy, William, Anna
- III Irvin Louis Dietrich Frerking b. March 17, 1897 Concordia d. March 8, 1983 Alma
 - m. Velma Elizabeth Fischer 1945 Alma
- IV 1 ch: John Edward Frerking b. 1949 " (Living in H'ville) m. Valerie Lee Kilgore 1975 2 Ch: Chris, Matt
- V Christopher Dietrich Frenking b. 1977 Blue Springs
- V Matthew Eugene Frerking b. 1980 Blue Springs John is County Probate Judge & Valerie teaches.
- III Ralph Eduard Frerking b. 1898 Concordia d. 1941 Sweet Sprgs (killed in an electrical accident)
 - m. Clara Haase 1925 & she later m. Parrott
- IV 1 ch: Maxine Jeanette Frerking b. 1926 Higginsville m. Charles Alvey Worley, M.D. 1946 K, C. (Live in Laurie) 3 Ch: Charles, Virginia, Nancy
- V Charles Robert Worley b. 1952 (In Chevrolet Agency in Sweet m. Karen Sue Flandermeyer 1976 Springs)
- V Virginia Ann Worley b. 1958 Sweet Springs Poeblman (Living in Waterloo, IA)
- V Nancy Jane Worley b. 1960 Sweet Springs m. Thompson & 1 son (Living in Bethany, MO)
- III Stillborn twins 1899 (Phyllis says she could not find stones on St. Paul's cemetery so presumes they were buried in the Jacksonville plot)
- III Ernest John "Jack" Frerking b. Nov. 25, 1900 Concordia d. Sept. 22, 1968 Ernestville
- m. Edna Duensing 1929 Buckner IV 1 ch: Gloria Louise Frerking b. & d. 1934 Ernestville
- III Gilmore J. Frerking b. 1902 Concordia d. 1903 Concordia

Dietrich's family-Dietrich & Caroline Frerking's 8th child, Eduard's family-Eduard & Sophia(Scharnhorst) Frerking's 7th child-III Edward Henry "Eddie" Frerking b. Dec. 21, 1903 Concordia d. April 28, 1990 Alma m. Ellanore "Nora" Lohman 1930 3 Ch: Elda, Velva, Nadine IV Elda Mae Frerking b. 1932 Concordia (She & Ron own and operate m. Ronald Ray Rist 1952 Alma the Alma Locker Plant) 2 Ch: James, Teri V James Alan Rist b. 1956 Alma m. Lola Southard 1982 " of Warrensburg 2 Ch: Megan, Evan VI Megan Marie Rist b. 1984 Macon VI Evan James Rist b. 1987 V Teri Rae Rist b. 1958 Alma m. Stanley Huhman 1978 Alma of Tuscumbia 3 Ch: Erin, Bethany, Andrew VI Erin Marie Huhman b. 1982 Waterloo, IA VI Bethany Rae Huhman 'b. 1984 VI Andrew Douglas Huhman b. 1985 " IV Velva Ann Frerking b. 1934 Concordia (Living in Odessa) m. Marion Turner 1958 Alma (Machinist at Bendix) 2 Ch: Marla, Brian V Marla Ann Turner b. 1961 m. Perry Mullins 1979 V Brian Paul Turner b. 1963 Independence IV Nadine Janet Frerking b. 1936 Corder (Farming near Alma) m. Harold Dean Kempfe 1957 Alma III Caroline "Carrie" Dorothea Frerking b. June 4, 1906 Concordia m. Edwin Hartman 1938 Ernestville (Carpenter) b. 1907 Sweet Sprgs d. 1969 Sweet Sprgs
IV 1 ch: Dolores Louise Hartman b. 1939 Sweet Springs m. Roy Hemme 1957 Sweet Springs (Farmer) 3 Ch: David, Dana, Susan V Roy "David" Hemme b. 1958 Sweet Sprgs m. Janet Lou Higgins 1981 Houstonia 2 Ch: Jon, Nathan VI Jon Matthew Hemme b. 1984 Sweet Sprgs VI Nathan Paul Hemme b. 1986 V Dana Ann Hemme b. 1959 Sweet Sprgs m. Herbert "Pete" Melies 1980 Sweet Sprgs 2 Ch: Sarah, Emily VI Sarah Ann Melies b. 1982 Blackburn VI Emily Kae Melies b. 1985 Sweet Sprgs V Susan Rae Hemme b. 1961 Sweet Sprgs m. Nelson Guier 1980 Sweet Sprgs 3 Ch: Caroline, Brent, Ellen VI Caroline Ann Guier b. 1981 Sweet Sprgs VI Brent Charles Guier b. 1983 "

VI Ellen Louise Guier b. 1988

Dietrich & Caroline Frerking's 8th child, Eduard's family-Eduard & Sophia(Scharnhorst) Frerking's 9th child-

III Clarence Claus Frerking b. March 13, 1908 Concordia (An egg & dairy farmer & sold ins.)

m. Dorothy Lee Petering 1935 Concordia Baptist Ch 2 Ch: Jerry, Wanda

IV Jerold "Jerry" Lee Frerking b. 1938 K.C.

m. Billie Phillips 1956 & div

m. Ramona Jones 1977 & div

m. Ludene Phillippi 1985

3 Ch: Cathy, Stillborn, Scott

V Cathy Lee Frerking b. 1956

V Stillborn 1961

V Scott Allen Frerking b. 1962 m. Kim Settles 1985 & div

IV Wanda Joy Frerking b. 1942 K.C.

m. Don Showalter 1963 & div

m. William Bell, Jr 1979 (has son, James David)

III Roy Scharnhorst Frerking b. April 21, 1910 Concordia d. November 16, 1968 "

m. Alverna Heidorn 1940 Emma (Living in Concordia)

2 Ch: Barbara, Phyllis

IV Barbara Ann Frerking b. 1941 K.C.

m. Roger Bushman 1960 Concordia

3 Ch: Jeffrey, Gregory, Christine

V Jeffrey Alan Bushman b. 1961 Independence

m. Melondy Hahn 1984 Concordia

Ch: (Twins) Brooke & Blair

VI Brooke Ann Bushman b. March 27, 1989 Concordia

VI Blair Elizabeth Bushman b.

V Gregory Scott Bushman b. 1963 Independence m. Risa Michelle Heerman 1990 Emma

V Christine Annette Bushman b. 1965 Independence m. Wess Murray

IV Phyllis Kay Frerking b. 1965 Independence (Living on farm m. Loren Limback 1968 Concordia near Flora neighborhood)

V Ch: Jared Daniel Limback b. 1976 (adopted)

Phyllis gathered together the history of Eduard & Sophia's fam.

III William Adolph b. June 21, 1912 Concordia WWII Vet d. April 9, 1985 "
(Was a farmer & carpenter)

At the end of this chapter, there will be included a copy of the items sold at Dietrich's sale in 1891. It is intereting to compare the number of pieces of machinery to the Conrad Bruns' sale bill of 1863 which is included in the appendix.

Dietrich & Caroline Frerking's 8th child, Eduard's family-Eduard & Sophia(Scharnhorst) Frerking's 12th child-

III Anna Marie Frerking b. April 22, 1914 Concordia d. March 11, 1983 "

m. Clarence Franke 1939

2 Ch: Ione, Donna

IV Ione Marie Franke b. 1940

m. Alquin Fischer 1959 Independence

2 Ch: Julie, Lori

V Julie Marie Fischer b. 1963 Blue Springs m. John Michael Smith 1983

V Lori Lynne Fischer b. 1965 Blue Springs m. Kirk Smith & div

VI Ch: Aaron Drew Smith b. 1986

IV Donna Sue Franke b. 1944

m. Oliver Bergschneider 1963 Independence

2 Ch: Robin, Christopher

V Robin Sue Bergschneider b. 1970 Independence

V Christopher Allen Bergschneider b. 1975 "

Dietrich & Caroline's 9th child-

II Adolf Julius Frerking b. April 11, 1876 Concordia

II Martin Ernst Frerking b. & d. 1878

II Stillborn 1879 Concordia

II August Dietrich Frerking b. Dec. 29, 1880 "

The following is copied from The HISTORY of TELEPHONY in MO"There has been a director with the last name of FRERKING since
the company was organized in 1904 and this holds true through
1988. The Alma Telephone Company changed to the dial system in
1971 with Irvin and his wife, Velma who was a switchboard operator for many years, watching the final glow of the last lamp."
Irvin had been maintenance chief for 25 years. The first FRERKING
on the board was, Julius.

A memory- Edward "Eddie" Frerking remembers his ancestors telling this story," Grandfather Dietrich was employed as a wheelwright for Major Waddel at Lone Jack. There was a raid at this business and he and another friend jumped on their horses and headed for home. His friend was shot but Grandfather came home safely. Ordinarily his horse would never jump over any objects but this time he did not heitate to jump a tree in his path." This very likely was during the "bushwhacker" days after the Civil War was over.

1 Ward Robe, Bed Stead, Leuter Table, Looking Glass, 1 Stown, 1 K. Safe, 1 K. Safe I Center Table 1 Buhrown, Sofa Chairs, Sausage machine; Clock, Kit. Pable, 1 Table, Dishis Pail of True ware, Stoor, Washings chine Kit Sufe I Laurage Frieger - Bed Stead 4 Complete Beads, I Small skalle I Trunk I tisk nett 7 B Syrup 3 Tim Cane for Bbl Sour Krout Stov unge, Meatfan I tod Irainseeder, Sach Tweel, 3 old Carpel 1 France Stones Tot of Carptner Tools, Forke Spades eadge Knifes, I Swaffinge, I Scale Thie Frion Maggios Post auger B. Bel herfs, From Pot, Lot of Sawaddunber Wheel Bar, I Desseasow 3, Cultivatore, 3 Harrows 1 Fram Doll; 3 Plows, v mythe, 1 S. Clow Prou 1 Hay Roke, 1 Mower, 1 Stalk Cutter, 1 Self B I Turing Plow , Cider Press, I Slaid / That in ComPlan I check Rower , Sping magon 's Farm 3 Let Harrinis / cutting Box, 1300 Hunderd Bushel Wheat Lot of old Com 2 Hay Frames I Gray ma 3 Huffere, Bull, 2 Roan Horses Grapes a

The sale was held in 1891

TRANSLATION OF ORIGINAL RECORD IN GERMANY:

Certified Copy from the Baptismal Register of the Evangelical Lutheran Church Parish of Niederstoecken

Those Born in 1833.

No. 11.

Names: Doris Friedericke FREERKING, the 13th living child.

Birthplace: Esperke.

Date of Birth and Baptism: 7 May (1833), 22 May (1833).

Parents:

Father: Joh(ann) Diet(rich) FREERKING, cottager and master of the farmers in

Esperke.

Mother: Doroth(ee) Mar(ie) SPRENGEL of the same place.

Baptismal Sponsors:

Doroth(ee) Mar(ie) ENGEHAUSEN;

2. Christine FREERKING;

3. Wilhelmine DIERKING,

of Esperke.

Copy certified Niedernstoecken, 3 April 1989 /signed/ JENKE, Pastor SEAL OF THE NIEDERNSTOECKEN EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

Johann Diterich & Dorothee's 13th child-

I Doris "Friederike" Frerking b. 7 May, 1833 Esperke d. Addison, IL

m. Rev. Adolph G.G. Francke May 17, 1850 Concordia b. 1821 d. 1879 Addison, IL

According to a Research Report from Concordia Institute requested by Esther(Kammeyer) Duensing, we learn that Rev. Francke was pastor in Concordia twice: January 1847 until April 1851 and again from July 1853 until 1856. Friederike was confirmed by her future husband in 1847. This report indicated that they had 11 children. We have records of the following 6 from Concordia church:

August Herman Francke b. Dec. 4, 1852
Pauline Mathilda Francke b. March 14, 1854
Henry Wm Martin Francke b. July 8, 1855
Susanne Marie Francke b. March 15, 1856
Friedrich Konrad Francke b. ? d. June 17, 1857
Friedrich Wilhelm Francke b. Oct. 30, 1857
d. August 1859

This is the conclusion of family of Johann & Dorothee Frerking.

Johann Heinrich: Frerking

In the ship's record which Rosemary Frerking located, we find: On the GEORGE SCHILLER which arrived in New Orleans Jan. 9, 1841 were the following:

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42 from Esperke
                                                Landman (occupation)
Johann Hr.
              Frerking
                         M
Cath. Dorothea
                            39
                         F
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Fried. Wilh.
                         М
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                             6
Joh. Hr.
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This would have made Johann's birth year about 1798 or 9 so he possibly could have been our Johann's young brother.

Here is this same family in the 1860 census-

John H.	Frerking	63	M	Farmer	from Germany
Dorena		60	\mathbf{F}	•	••
Henry	11	26	M	. 11	**
Mary	н	18	F		Missouri
William	16	14	M		41
Christin	a "	12	F	•	41

By this time Friedrich was on his own. He d. 1872 Concordia

John Henry Frerking b. July 20, 1834 Germany and d. Oct. 16, 1912 Concordia. His obituary states "Essbruegge" as his birthplace but I believe it to be an error since the ship record says "Esperke". He m. Annette Blanke (n) in 1862 & had a son, Henry Herman; 3 dau.'s, Martha(Mrs. Geo. Kuecker); Christine & Anna & an adopted dau., Mrs. Milton Bartels of Kansas City. Had a bro. William of Alma. Henry Herman m. Magdalene Oetting in 1908 Concordia. He became the first snare drummer in Mr. Wilk's band & was an enterprising farmer & poultry fancier.

Mary Charlotte Frenking m. Henry Deke in 1862 & she d. 1872. Henry then m. Louise, daughter of Friedrich Frenking.

William L. Frerking m. Anna Jungklaus in 1875 Concordia.

No ch. of their own & adopted Fred A. (Winkler) Frerking who had a harness shop in Alma. He m. Christine Kiehl & had 2 ch: Herbert & Esther.

Christina Sophia Frerking m. Herman Kueck 1865 Concordia & had ch.

Found in The CONCORDIAN of 1919-Judge Vogt had Narrow Escape.

Mr. Hail of the Southwest Motor Co. Of Kansas City and Judge Vogt of Concordia were riding a Reo truck with the former driving Friday, May 2, and when they came to a railroad crossing just east of Knob Noster the crossing bell was ringing. Mr. Hail clamped down on the brakes, bringing the truck to a rather sudden stop. WILLIAM FRERKING was driving a Maxwell car in the rear of the truck, killing the truck's engine and placing it squarely on the track. They saw the train come. Judge Vogt left the truck while Mr. Hail stepped on the celebrated Remy starter and the truck jumped forward and out of danger, the train passing between truck and Maxwell. There was no hood, radiator or fan left on the new Maxwell, it is reported.

(Have not determined which William this was.)

A Priceless Memory

The following description of this area in about 1840 was given by Edward Stuenkel when he was 82 years old in 1960. He was a grandson of Christine who married John Henry Bruns. " My Grandparents Stuenkel stayed for a time in St. Louis and then decided to go to live in a farming country and homestead land. So they came to this part of Missouri, called Concordia but at that time no railroads yet, no stores, no churches, no country roads, everybody was going the shortest way across the prairies, everything was open except the fields that they plowed. They made rail-fences around, no stock laws and everybody's stock grazed on the prairie. The stock had to be branded with their name to know they belong. It must have been hard work breaking the prairie with those big plows with wooden mulboards and two yoke of oxen to drive with just a whip, no lines, guess all had to learn, both the men and the oxen. Well, they came to this settlement, all were Germans and claimed a good tract of land. They had to pay \$1.00 per acre to the U.S. Government, then build a log house and other buildings as needed and break the prairies and live on it ten years, after that they called it their own and got a deed from the government. The first house was all logs with a fireplace built of large sand rocks. The first house had many additions and gradually the original logs were replaced." This farm is now part of St. Paul's High School grounds.

Taken from The WALKENHORST HOMESTEAD by W. F. Walkenhorst-

Now I will give you a list of the implements that were in use at that time, namely: a wagon with hoops and cover, an ox yoke, a chain, two plows (one 12 and one 8 inch), a homemade wooden harrow, an ax, a wooden maul and several iron wedges, a crosscut saw, a broad ax, a spade, afork and a wooden garden rake, and a frow to split clapboards(for the roof), a wheat cradle, mowing scythe and drawing knife.

On each farm could be found the following: a longhorned ox team, a few longhorned spotted cows, a half score of four-pound fleece sheep, 20 hazel splitting hogs, a dozen high stepping geese, two scores of mixed chickens (what we called Dominick), two big husky dogs, a half dozen children, and a mother and father with a lot of stick-to-it-ive-ness and a heap of faith in God, which was necessary to build a pioneer home.

A RARE DOCUMENT

(This article is reprinted from a bulletin of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Concordia, MO. It was written at the time of their centennial.)

Brother Edward Stuenkel brought us the following document which was found in the papers of his Grandfather Conrad Stuenkel. It is an agreement by ten Lutheran heads of families to build the first church. It was made on July 18, 1842. The church was to be 20 feet long and 18 feet wide. They agreed to work "with Hand and Team" and obligate themselves to pay 75¢ per day for every day missed "when asked to work", if not prevented by illness. This was the first church built by the settlers. The first immigrant had come in 1837 and they had up to this time met in houses. It was a "block" church built of logs and was located on the cemetery plot where the other church buildings stood later, until the present church was erected on Main Street. Henry Bruns pledged himself to give an acre of land and bequeath it, for all time, to the congregation.

This document was signed by Christian Liever, Heinrich Rabe, Conrad Stuenkel, Heinrich Franke, H. Hartmann, H. Brackmann, Ludwig Evert, F. Frerking, Friedrich Fiene, Heinrich Bruns.

Note-Christian Liever is the German schoolteacher who held "reading services" in the various homes at first. The first ordained pastor was Rev. Adolph Francke who came January, 1847. Conrad Stuenkel's wife was Mary Gerbering; H. Hartmann was a son-in-law of Heinrich Bruns. H. or Heinrich Brackmann's wife was Anna Maria Gomann(who had arrived in 1841). F. or Friedrich Frerking's wife was Caroline Dieckenhorst(who arrived in 1839). This Heinrich Bruns' wife's name was Dorothea. We think her given name was "Scharnhorst" because in the will in which this acre of land was given, a niece-Louisa Scharnhorst, was remembered. This John Henry Bruns had a son, John Henry who married Christine Frerking.

Heinrich Bruns, Sr. drew up his will in August of 1842 and died in December the same year. In this will is the full description of the acre of land given for the first church of logs. Besides this bequest, he lists his wife, Dorothea; daughter, Dorothea; sons, John Henry, Frederick, William and Coonrad or Conrad in English. He had a bequest to his son-in-law, Heinrich Hartmann and niece, Louisa. This will was witnessed by Heinrich Hartmann, Conrad Stunkel and Heinrich Christian Liever.

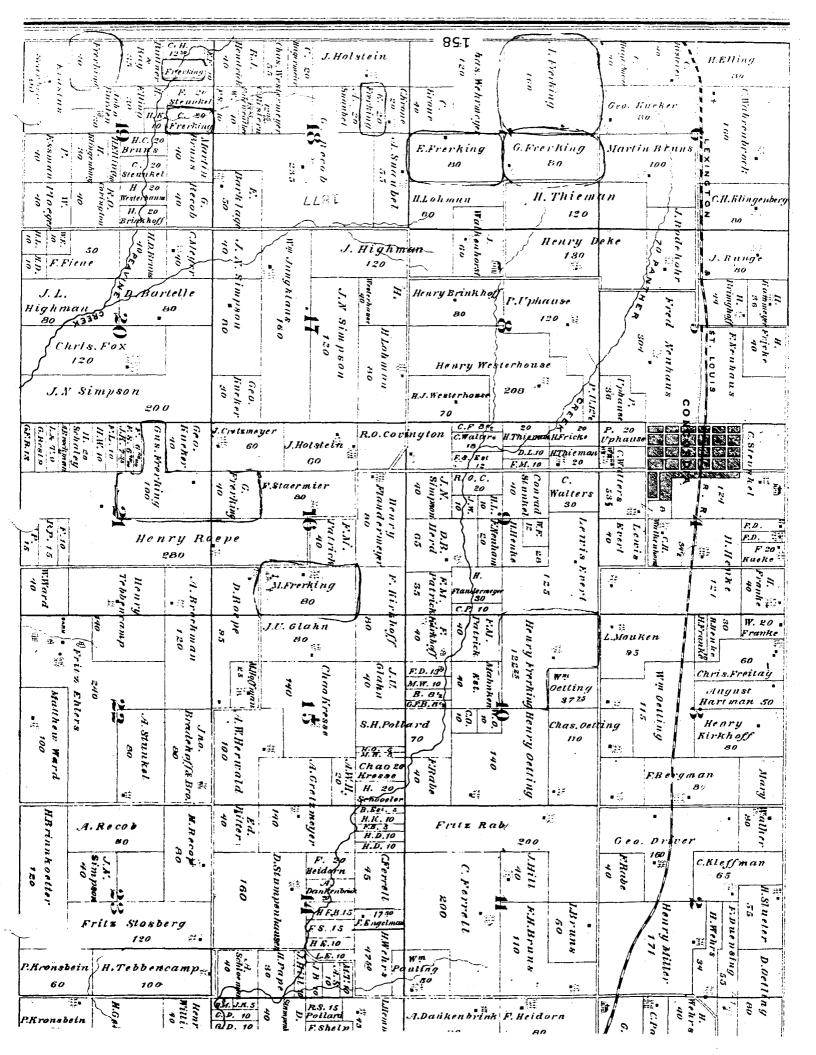
Another note-We have a copy of the original German document, if anyone would like a copy.

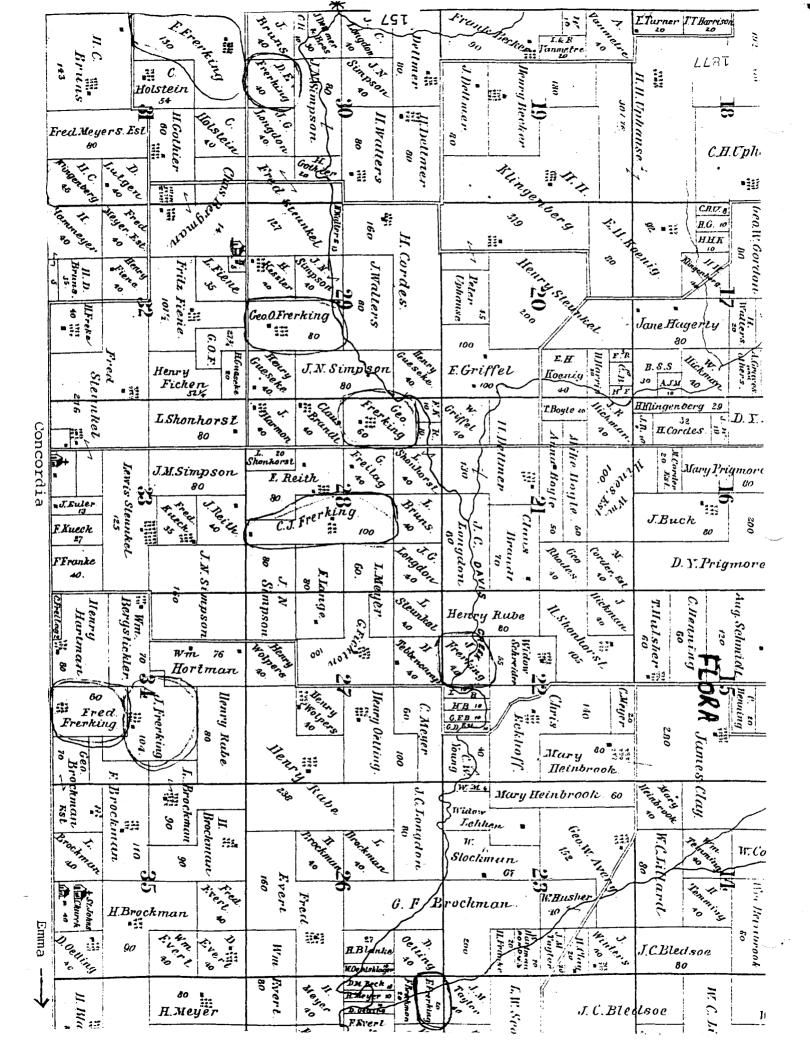
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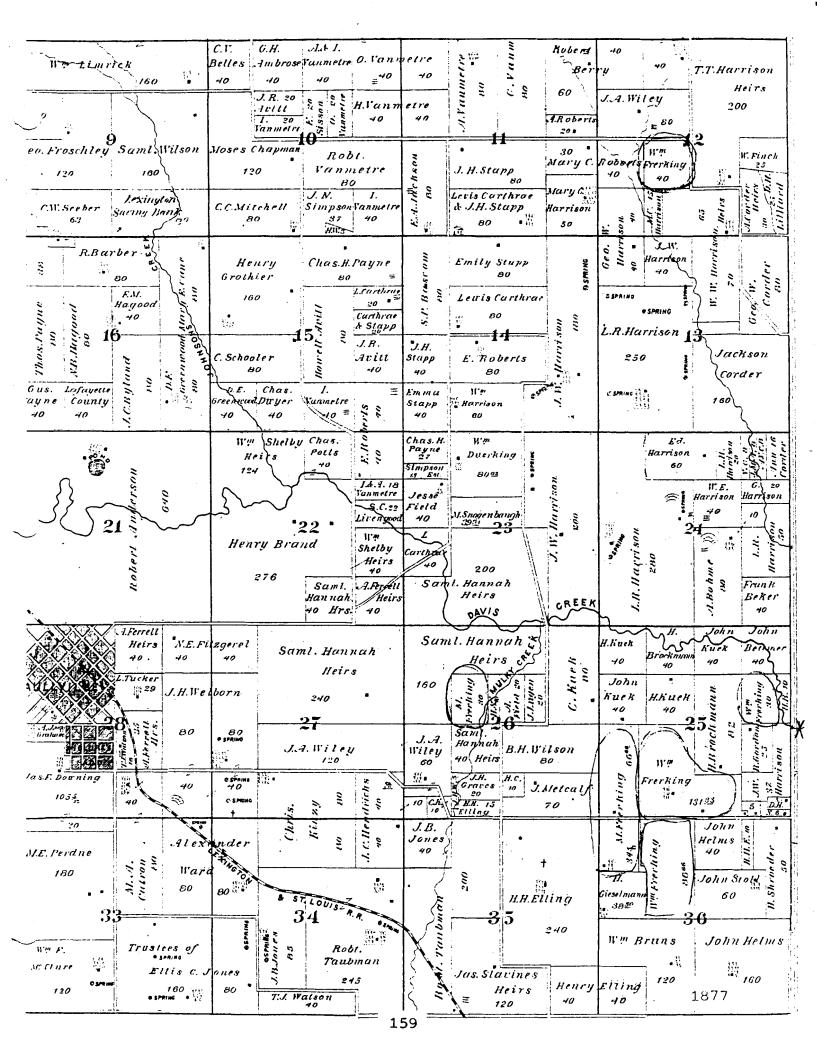
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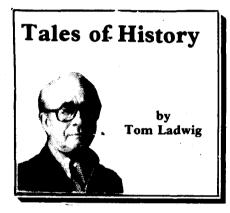




No swearing — no matter how stubborn the ox

The "Bullwhacker" drove 12 stubborn oxen the thousand-odd miles from Missouri to Santa Fe through a wilderness stocked with ornery Indians—all for \$25 a month.

The miracle of it all is that he wasn't allowed even one little



cussword or one little drink, no matter how stubborn his oxen. He had to sign the following contract before he was hired:

"While I am in the employ of Majors, Russell and Waddell, I agree not to use profane language, not to get drunk, not to gamble, not to treat animals cruelly, not to do anything else that is incompatible with the conduct of gentleman, and I agree, if I violate any of the above conditions, to accept my discharge without collecting any pay for my service."

The firm contracted with the United States government to carry supplies across the prairies and used 4,000 wagons, 50,000 oxen and 1,000 mules — an investment of \$2.5 million.

The bullwhacker had to yoke, herd, drive the oxen 13 to 15 miles and unyoke them each day. They pulled a wagon loaded with three tons of freight.

Thirty wagons made up a "train."

Each morning the bullwhacker's job was to "yoke up" — this meant plunging into the 300-400 bellowing, kicking steers to find a "high," or "off" steer to complete his first pair. He had to do this five more times before he was ready to hit the trail.

And remember, no profanity.

The real trick in keeping the wagon train moving was to get the right oxen paired together. This was the "Wagon Master's" job. If the bullwhacker chose only tame, easily-handled oxen, he would end up with a team of "deadheads" — lazy steers who dawdled.

The bullwhacker tried to get a feisty, lively steer to pair with each deadhead. In this way they tended to keep each other honest and make good speed.

Bullwhackers got some relief at night. After a few nights on the trail, one oxen emerged as the leader of the huge herd. The others followed it whereever it went and all the herder had to do was keep track of this fellow.

Not all traders kept as tight a rein as did Majors, Russell and Waddell. Walter Williams, founder of the MU journalism school, talked with Judge John D. Turley of Arrow Rock when the latter was 85. The Saline County Turleys worked the trail trade from 1825 until the Civil War.

The Judge told Williams: "We fought Indians across the entire continent and carried on a profitable trade in merchandise with the Mexicans. We bought whiskey from Missouri distilleries at 16 to 40 cents a gallon and sold it in Taos for \$3 a gallon.

"It was terrible stuff, too. We diluted it with water, making two gallons out of one, but even then it was terrible."

It's a wonder the West was ever won.