

**DESCENDANCY**  
**of**  
**JOHANN ZELLMER (b c1790) and SUSANNA [ZELLMER]**

Johann's parents are not known to us  
Susanna's parents and birthdate are not known to us

*Note 1: material in smaller type is written by BFE (Barbara Ann Fisher), wife of KFE (Karl Frederick Edler Jr), while larger type material is from our family history datafile maintained by KFE.*

*Note 2: names of direct ancestors of KFE are underlined.*

*Note 3: as we've mentioned in other Sections, spelling used to be quite variable. Surnames were often spelled phonetically, as determined by the person doing the writing. We've even found names spelled three different ways within one document. We've attempted to show approximate pronunciation of some of the names, for the convenience of contemporary American readers not familiar with German. For example, Emilie is pronounced "Amelia" rather than "Emily". In many cases, spellings were later changed so the names would continue to be pronounced as they were originally.*

*Note 4: we've tried to show each person's birthplace as it was at the time. Political boundaries changed many times, so a birthplace could have been part of various countries at various times. Most of the ones in this section later became part of Germany, and some are now in Poland. This can be confusing for a researcher, when he or she finds "geboren im Deutschland" on a tombstone or is told that someone "came from Germany".*

*Note 5: some place names are in German -- Preussen (Prussia), Pommern (Pomerania), Bayern (Bavaria).*

*Note 6: we use the term "Township" or "Twp" for Wisconsin "towns", in order to avoid confusion on the part of readers unfamiliar with Wisconsin political subdivisions.*

**I. Johann<sup>1</sup> Zellmer**, probably born about 1790 Posen, Preussen, married Susanna [Zellmer]; probably two or more children.

JOHANN'S SURNAME -- earlier, we had thought the family name was originally "Sellmer", which would be pronounced in German as "Zellmer" is pronounced in English.

We had assumed Johann and Susanna's son Christof and his family changed the spelling when they arrived in America so their name would be pronounced correctly here.

Recently, however, we've been examining some church records from Posen. They show many Zellmers but, so far, no Sellmers. We now think the change made later by the family was in pronunciation rather than spelling, because "Zellmer" in German would be pronounced as "Tsellmer" would be in English.

WHERE DID THEY LIVE? -- We have so far been unable to find anything about Johann and Susanna except for their names. We believe they lived in Posen, Preussen, which later became part of Germany and which is now in Poland, but we don't know exactly where in Posen.

OUR VISIT TO POLAND -- in May 2000 we traveled for several days in western Poland, hoping to gain a little feeling about the places our Zellmer, Zastrow, Hiller, and Keil families lived. Unfortunately, we didn't have all our research material with us, especially our maps, but it mightn't have helped very much anyway, because our time was so short and we didn't know the language.

We can say, however, that the country is very beautiful and strongly resembles central Wisconsin, where our folks eventually settled. The people we met were lovely, our expenses were very low compared to Germany, and we wished we could stay longer and/or go again.

There were warnings to be careful, and each small hotel had a locked car park. We followed all the precautions, such as not leaving the car alone, and had no problems at all. We highly recommend a visit!

Our story about this trip, with some pictures, is on the web at <[www.edlers.net](http://www.edlers.net)>

*Please note, we have two "candidates" for sons of Johann and Susanna. We earlier thought both Johann Gottfried (born 1812) and Christof (born 1818) might be their sons, but have so far not been able to prove what their relationship, if any, may be. Our earlier belief was based on their proximity in Posen (within 25 miles) and in Wisconsin (within two miles). On the other hand, the families did not appear to serve often as sponsors for each other's children in christenings and confirmations at St Peter's Lutheran Church in Winchester WI, which they both attended. And, they are buried in cemeteries in different locations in the area, and we don't know what factors would be involved in selecting one cemetery over another.*

*Another concern is the 15-year period between the emigrations of the two men -- Johann Gottfried about 1853 and Christof not until 1868. We're not sure the six-year difference in their ages explains this sufficiently.*

*We continue, however, to believe they are related, probably as cousins if not brothers, and hope someday to resolve this puzzle.*

**A. Johann Gottfried<sup>2</sup> Zellmer,<sup>1</sup>** usually known as Gottfried, was the older of our two "candidates" for sons of Johann and Susanna Zellmer. He was born 19 Mar 1812 Romanshof, Kreis Czarnikau, Posen, Preussen.

He married Johanne Caroline "Anna" **Dietrich** 13 Sep 1842 Evangelische Kirche Czarnikau, in the presence of Christian Friedrich Dietrich,<sup>11</sup> who may have been her father.

Gottfried and Anna and the two oldest of their six children immigrated to Wisconsin about 1853. He became a farmer in Winchester Township, Winnebago Co WI.

He died 13 Sep 1878 Winnebago Co, age 66, buried St Peter's Lutheran Church Cemetery #2, on County Road MM, Winnebago Co. Born 5 Nov 1827 Romanshof, she died 29 Jul 1893 Winnebago Co, age 65, buried beside her husband.

1. Johann Ludwig<sup>3</sup> **Zellmer**, born 15 Feb 1847 Romanshof, married Ulrike Wilhelmine Maria **Mellenthin** -- see page 8-5.
2. Frederick<sup>3</sup> **Zellmer**, born 7 Sep 1849 Romanshof, married Emma Frederike **Knoke** -- see page 8-7.
3. Matilda<sup>3</sup> **Zellmer** was born about 1861 in WI.
4. Henry<sup>3</sup> **Zellmer** was born about 1864 in WI.
5. Caroline Luise<sup>3</sup> **Zellmer** was born 27 Jun 1865 in WI.<sup>11</sup>
6. Albertine<sup>3</sup> **Zellmer** was born about 1867 in WI.

**B. Christof<sup>2</sup> Zellmer,** the younger of our two "candidates" for sons of Johann and Susanna Zellmer, was born 7 Nov 1818 "Klawittersdorf", near Deutsch Krone, Posen, Preussen.

He married Auguste Drews about 1850 -- see page 8-3.

**CHRISTOF ZELLMER (b 1818) and AUGUSTE DREWS (b 1833)  
and their descendants**  
from page 8-2

Christof's parents may have been Johann and Susanna Zellmer  
Auguste's parents were Friedrich Drews and Dorothea Dittman

**B. Christof<sup>2</sup> Zellmer**, the younger of our two "candidates" for sons of Johann and Susanna Zellmer, was born 7 Nov 1818 "Klawittersdorf", near Deutsch Krone<sup>1,2</sup>, Posen, Preussen, which later became part of Germany and is now in Poland.

He married **Auguste Drews** 1850 at "Głowaczewo gm.pow Wałcz-Lub" in Preussen;<sup>2</sup> eight children, all but the youngest born Posen. We believe the location of their marriage was near Deutsch Krone, which is now Wałcz, Koszalin, Poland. Her parents were **Friedrich Drews** and **Dorothea Dittmann**.<sup>2</sup>

Christof and Auguste immigrated to America on the ship *Cymbria* from Hamburg, arriving New York 30 Jun 1868. The passenger list shows Christian (age 50), Auguste (wife, 35), Mathilde (17), Albert(15), Bertha (12), Emilie (7), Wilhelm (6), Friedrich (5), and Gustav (.09, infant),<sup>3</sup> accompanied by "Dora" Drews (58). In Wisconsin, Christof was a farmer and waterman.<sup>1</sup>

Born 25 Sep 1833, Auguste died 23 Oct 1872, age 39, and was buried in a plot in the corner of Christof's farm. On her stone is "Auguste Drews, frau von C Sellmer, gest 23 Oct 1872, alter 39 jahr 28 tagen."<sup>5</sup> Christof donated the land and it became known as Lakeview Cemetery, later St Peter's Church Cemetery #3.

ST PETER'S CEMETERY #1 is located at the intersection of St Rt 110 and Co Rt MM, possibly where an earlier church building had been. We didn't find any stones for our family there.

ST PETER'S CEMETERY #2 is located at the present church, on County Rt MM, and some Zellmer family members are buried there.

ST PETER'S LUTHERAN CHURCH CEMETERY #3 was originally known as Lakeview Cemetery, and is also sometimes referred to as Boom Bay Cemetery.

Secondly, Christof married Caroline Wilhelmina "Minnie" **Zastrow [Klug]** 10 Feb 1877; no children. She was the widow of Ferdinand Gottlieb Helmuth Klug. Her parents were Martin Wilhelm Zastrow and Caroline A **Feike**. Later the same year, two of Christof's children married two of Minnie's children.

-- See pages 8-8 and 8-9 for some information about the ZASTROW and KLUG families --

When Christof grew older, his son Albert took over the farm and continued farming and fishing. In the 1880 census, Albert is shown as head of the household. August, Christof's youngest child, was the only other child of Christof's at home at that time.

Minnie's mother Caroline, age 80, was living with them. We don't know when she died. She is buried Lakeview Cemetery, but only a little of her stone is readable: "Caroline, gattin von M Zastrow."

Although Auguste's mother Dorothea was living with them in 1870, she is not shown in the 1880 census. Born 27 Sep 1805, Dorothea died 26 Oct 1883, age 78, and was buried Lakeview Cemetery. On her stone is "ruht in frieden, Dorothea, gattin von F. Drewes, geboren Dittman, gest 26 Oct 1883, alter 78 jahr 3 ta."<sup>5</sup>

Later, four of Albert's infants were also buried Lakeview Cemetery.

Born 29 Sep 1827 Preussen, Minnie died 18 Jun 1894 Winchester, Winnebago Co WI, age 66. She was buried Lakeview Cemetery, where Christof had a monument made, a square column with an ornamental urn on top, intended for his second wife and himself.<sup>5</sup> On one side is "Hier ruht in frieden, Wilhelmina, gattin von Ch. Zellmer, geborne Zastrow, geb 29 Sep 1827, gest 18 Juni 1894." On the other side is Christof's name and birthdate, but not his deathdate because he was not buried there.

About 1900, at some time between the births of his two youngest children, Albert moved his family to a farm he owned, near the town of Bear Creek in Waupaca Co, and Christof lived with them. Christof died 17 Aug 1909, age 90, and was buried Graceland Cemetery, Clintonville, Waupaca Co WI.<sup>4</sup>

AUGUSTE'S NAME -- "Drews" is pronounced in German as "Draves" is pronounced in English. As we have said in other sections of this document, early spellings are variable, and this is especially true when different languages are involved. For example, Drews, Dreves, Drewes, Droefs and Trewes.

CHRISTOF'S FARM was in Wolf River Township, on Boom Bay, Lake Poygan, Winnebago Co. He made his living selling produce and fish in nearby cities, principally Oshkosh. He built all the buildings on his farm, and all were beautifully kept. The house was L-shaped, painted white, and the barns were red. The approach was from county road KK (later MM), along a long driveway and over the Rat River on a plank bridge with stone buttresses.

Much later, in 1973, one of our cousins visited the site of Christof's farm and reported, sadly, that all had changed. Bridge, woods, and fields were gone, and the house was remodeled as part of a resort. The people who owned the place had found a metal box filled with drawings Christof had made for his construction of the farm buildings. They framed the drawings and hung them and wouldn't sell them.<sup>4</sup>

We have visited the area of the farm, and the cemetery, twice and agree that it is beautiful. Although it's hard for us to visualize everything as it was when Christof was alive, we still feel somewhat at home there.

1. Mathilde J H<sup>3</sup> **Zellmer**, born 23 Jun 1851, married Johann **Knoke** -- see page 8-11.
2. Albert A<sup>3</sup> Zellmer, born 28 Jan 1854, married Emilie Gustie Klug -- see page 8-12.
3. Bertha M<sup>3</sup> **Zellmer**, born 18 Apr 1856, married August Friedrich Wilhelm "William" **Krause** 16 Nov 1877; three children. His parents were Carl Krause and Charlotte **Hinz**. Born 1850, William died 1886, age 36. Bertha died 1898, age 42.
  - a. August<sup>4</sup> **Krause** was born 1878.
  - b. Carl<sup>4</sup> **Krause** was born 1881.
  - c. Tillie<sup>4</sup> **Krause** was born 1886. Her name may have been Mathilde.
4. Anna Emelia<sup>3</sup> **Zellmer**, born 17 Nov 1857, married Carl Gottlieb Helmuth **Klug** -- see page 8-14.
5. Carl Wilhelm<sup>3</sup> "William" **Zellmer**, born 6 Jan 1860, married Emelie Johanna **Bublitz** and married Mary **Knoke** -- see page 8-15.
6. Friedrich Ferdinand<sup>3</sup> "Fred" **Zellmer**, born 22 Jan 1862, married Emilie **Hoeft** -- see page 8-16.
7. Gustav<sup>3</sup> **Zellmer** was probably born about Aug 1867 (age .09 on 30 Jun 1868 ship's passenger list). He must have died while still an infant, as we have no further record of him.
8. August<sup>3</sup> **Zellmer** was born 21 Dec 1869 Wolf River Twp, Winnebago Co WI, and was baptized 6 Feb 1870 St Peter's Church, Winchester WI. He married Emma [**Noon**], a widow, Mar 1902 Orient, Faulk Co SD; no children known to us.
 

He died Orient 12 Jan 1936, age 66. Born 27 May 1869, she died 11 Dec 1948, age 79.

One of our cousins told us that August and his brothers William and Fred went to Orient SD as young men, and worked there for a while. Evidently, August and William liked it so well that they made their homes there.

**JOHANN LUDWIG ZELLMER (b 1847)**  
**and**  
**ULRIKE WILHELMINE MARIA MELLENTHIN (b 1851)**  
**and their descendants**  
from page 8-2

Ludwig's parents were Johann Gottfried Zellmer and Johanne "Anna" Caroline Dietrich  
 Ulrike's parents were Wilhelm Friedrich Möllenthin and Marie Emelie Gorges

1. Johann Ludwig<sup>3</sup> **Zellmer**, usually known as Ludwig, was born 15 Feb 1847 Romanshof, Kreis Czarnikau, Posen, Preussen.<sup>17</sup> He was a farmer in Winchester Township, Winnebago Co WI. For \$1600 he purchased land from William and Amalie **Wendtland** (the West half of the Southwest Quarter, Section 18, 20, 15: 80 acres more or less).

Ludwig married Ulrike Wilhelmine Maria **Mellenthin**,<sup>10</sup> ten children. Her parents were Wilhelm Friedrich Möllenthin and Marie Emelie **Gorges**.

Ludwig died of stomach cancer 22 Apr 1907 Winnebago Co, age 60, and was buried St Peter's Lutheran Church Cemetery #2, on County Road MM, Winnebago Co.<sup>11</sup>

Born 27 Feb 1851 Frienwalde, Kreis Stargard, Pommern, Preussen,<sup>10,12</sup> Ulrike died 1935 Larson, Winnebago Co, age about 84, and was buried beside her husband.<sup>10,12</sup>

ULRIKE'S FAMILY -- Her father, Wilhelm Friedrich Möllethin, was born 14 Feb 1823 Kreis Czarnikau, and died 22 Jun 1873 Readfield, Waupaca Co WI, age 50. Her mother, Marie Emelie Gorges, was born 15 Sep 1820 Pommern, and died 1 May 1910 Readfield, age 89. They were buried St John's Cemetery, Readfield.

We have some more information on the family of Ludwig and Ulrike, and on Ulrike's parents and siblings, but we are not including it here at this time because, as we explained earlier, we are uncertain of the connection, if any, between Ludwig's father Gottfried Zellmer and KFE's great-great-grandfather Christof Zellmer.

It would be marvelous, we think, if we can find proof of a connection, because we have a friend who is a descendent of the Mellenthins. She married the brother of a good longtime friend of ours, and we and two of our children know one of their daughters very well (they would love to be cousins!).

We've known about Ludwig since 1999, but never suspected any connection until just a short time ago.

- a. Emma Caroline Emilie<sup>4</sup> **Zellmer**, born 9 Sep 1874, died young.<sup>10,11</sup>
- b. Agnes Maria Emilie<sup>4</sup> **Zellmer** was born 20 Jan 1876.<sup>11</sup>
- c. Martha<sup>4</sup> **Zellmer** was born about 1878. She died 1967, age about 89.<sup>10</sup>
- d. Maria Mathilda<sup>4</sup> **Zellmer** was born Sep 1878.<sup>11</sup>
- e. Anna Louise Henrietta<sup>4</sup> **Zellmer** was born 25 Sep 1881 and christened 27 Nov 1881.<sup>11</sup>

**f.** Heinrich Friedrich<sup>4</sup> **Zellmer** was born 30 Mar 1885<sup>11</sup> Winchester Twp, Winnebago Co WI, and christened 12 Apr 1885 St Peter's Lutheran Church.<sup>11</sup> He married Lydia **Reinert** St Peter's,<sup>11</sup> three children. Her parents were Friedrich Reinert and Mollie **Neumann**.

Heinrich Friedrich died 1956, age about 70. Born 1885, Lydia died 1950, age about 65. They were buried St Peter's Cemetery #2.<sup>10</sup>

**i.** Lewis<sup>5</sup> **Zellmer**, born 27 Dec 1914<sup>12</sup> Winchester Twp, Winnebago Co, married; one son and one daughter. He died 13 Aug 1992 Oshkosh WI, buried Bell Cemetery, Winneconne, Winnebago Co WI.

**ii.** Gertrude<sup>5</sup> **Zellmer** married Norman **McCormack**; children not known to us. In 1992 she was living Hortonville, Outagamie Co WI.

**iii.** Alfred H<sup>5</sup> **Zellmer**, born 1916,<sup>10</sup> married; at least one child. Alfred died 1998 in WI, age about 82, and was buried St Peter's #2.

On 23 Jun 2001 we were privileged to meet his widow, when we attended a service at St Peter's Church. She introduced us to her son and daughter-in-law. We were so delighted to meet her, whom we feel must surely be a cousin!

She was born about 1923. Her parents were Adolph Homan, born about 1871, and Louise [Homan], born about 1888, who also had son John, born about 1920.

**g.** Alma M<sup>4</sup> **Zellmer**, born 26 Nov 1886, married Lewis **Kregel** 14 Jun 1911 St Peter's Lutheran Church;<sup>11</sup> children not known to us. His parents were Carl Kregel and Otilie **Hannemann**.

Lewis was a cheesemaker in Winchester Township. Born 1882, he died 1936, age about 54. Alma died 1964, age about 78. They were buried St Peter's Lutheran Church Cemetery #2.<sup>10</sup>

**h.** Alvina Emma Auguste<sup>4</sup> **Zellmer** was born 18 Feb 1891 and christened 4 Mar 1891 St Peter's.<sup>10,11</sup> She died young.

**i.** Wilhelm August Ludwig<sup>4</sup> **Zellmer** was born 31 May 1894 and christened 8 Jul 1894 St Peter's.<sup>10,11</sup> He died young.

**j.** Maria Clara Pauline<sup>4</sup> **Zellmer** was born 25 May 1896 and christened 14 Jun 1896 St Peter's.<sup>10,11</sup> She married Leo F **Niemuth** 7 Nov 1923 St Peter's Lutheran Church;<sup>11</sup> children not known to us. His parents were Carl Niemuth and Anna **Elandt**.

Maria Clara Pauline died 1960, age about 64. Born 1898, Leo died 1970, age about 72. They were buried St Peter's Cemetery #2.<sup>10</sup>

**FREDERICK ZELLMER (b 1849) and EMMA FREDERIKE KNOKE (b c1855)  
and their descendants**  
from page 8-2

Frederick's parents were Johann Gottfried Zellmer and Johanne Caroline Dietrich  
Frederike's parents were Johannes Knoke and Anne Zuback

*Note: much of the information on this page is from a RootsWeb WorldConnect listing. We haven't verified all of it, but are including it here in hopes it will be useful as a starting point for a future researcher.*

2. Frederick<sup>3</sup> **Zellmer** was born 7 Sep 1849 Romanshof, Kreis Czarnikau, Posen, Preussen.<sup>15</sup> He married Emma Frederike **Knoke**; at least three children. She was usually known as Frederike. Her parents were Johannes Knoke and Anne **Zuback**.

Born about 1855 Preussen, Frederike died 13 May 1897 Oshkosh, Winnebago Co WI, age about 42. Frederick died 13 Feb 1920 Oshkosh, age 70, buried Riverside Cemetery, Oshkosh.

Frederike's brother Johann married Frederick's cousin Mathilde Zellmer, page 8-11.

a. Helene<sup>4</sup> "Lena" **Zellmer**, born Feb 1877 Oshkosh, Winnebago Co WI, married Carl **Zastrow**; at least five children.<sup>15</sup> Carl was born Jul 1874 Preussen. Lena died Oshkosh.

- i. Arthur<sup>5</sup> **Zastrow**.
- ii. Raymond<sup>5</sup> **Zastrow**.
- iii. Herbert<sup>5</sup> **Zastrow**.
- iv. Harold<sup>5</sup> **Zastrow**.
- v. Leo<sup>5</sup> **Zastrow**.

b. Emma<sup>4</sup> **Zellmer**, born Mar 1880 in WI,<sup>15</sup> married (--?--) **Wiedeman**; seven children.<sup>5</sup>

- i. Charles<sup>5</sup> **Wiedeman**.
- ii. Vernon<sup>5</sup> **Wiedeman**.
- iii. Earl<sup>5</sup> **Wiedeman**.
- iv. Clifford<sup>5</sup> **Wiedeman**.
- v. Lillian<sup>5</sup> **Wiedeman**.
- vi. Gaul<sup>5</sup> **Wiedeman**.
- vii. Irvin<sup>5</sup> **Wiedeman**.

c. Lillian Ida Emalie<sup>4</sup> **Zellmer**, born 7 May 1882 Oshkosh,<sup>15</sup> married Charles Richard **Hitchcock Sr** 27 Aug 1903, Lutheran Church, Oshkosh;<sup>15</sup> nine children.

Born 9 Feb 1877 Farmington, Franklin Co ME, he died 25 Jul 1960 Oshkosh, age 83. She died 7 Feb 1970 Oshkosh, age 87.<sup>15</sup> They were buried Riverside Cemetery, Oshkosh.

- i. Warren Godfrey<sup>5</sup> **Hitchcock**, born 15 Aug 1905, married Alvina **Schinkel**; children not known to us. He died 8 Apr 1992, age 86.
- ii. Luetta Evelyn<sup>5</sup> **Hitchcock**, born 10 May 1907 Kaukana, Outagamie Co WI, married Harold Elbert **Anderson**; children not known to us. She died 22 Jan 1985 Oshkosh, age 78.
- iii. Doris Lillian<sup>5</sup> **Hitchcock**, born 25 Sep 1909 Oshkosh, married Louis August **Stege**; children not known to us. She died Jun 1989 Fond du Lac WI, age 79.
- iv. Charles Richard<sup>5</sup> **Hitchcock Jr**, born 22 Feb 1911, married Ruth H **Rasmussen** 9 Oct 1948; children not known to us. He died 27 May 1983 Oshkosh, age 72.

- v. Claude<sup>5</sup> **Hitchcock** married Dorothy Elizabeth **Helton**; children not known to us.
- vi. Robert Leo<sup>5</sup> **Hitchcock**, born 11 Jul 1916 Oshkosh, married Louise Hazel **Pischke** and married Ruth Lorraine **Rumann**; children not known to us. He died 30 Mar 1975 Lake Delton WI, age 59.
- vii. Bonnie Vivian<sup>5</sup> **Hitchcock** married Eugene Miron **Rayner**; children not known to us.
- viii. Vivian Dixie<sup>5</sup> **Hitchcock** married Herbert Bernard "Hub" **Anger** and married Robert Crawford **McGrath**; children not known to us.
- ix. Lynn Glenn<sup>5</sup> **Hitchcock**, born 18 Apr 1921 Oshkosh, married Pearl Adeline **Lujack** 3 Nov 1946; children not known to us. He died 12 Aug 1953 Oshkosh, age 32.

-- Some information about the ZASTROW family --  
referenced on pages 8-3, 8-12, and 8-14

*Note: the Zastrow information below, showing Neustetten, Preussen (now Szczecinek, Poland), as birthplace, was derived from LDS IGI records. We believe this is our family, but so far have not been able to verify it.*

**I. Johann Michael<sup>1</sup> **Zastrow** married Dorothea Maria Meyer; at least five children born Neustetten, Pommern, Preussen.**

**A. Johann Gottlieb**<sup>2</sup> **Zastrow** was christened 8 Feb 1789.

**B. Carl Friedrich**<sup>2</sup> **Zastrow** was christened 5 Feb 1792.

**C. Christian Wilhelm**<sup>2</sup> **Zastrow** was christened 19 Mar 1797.

**D. Martin Wilhelm**<sup>2</sup> **Zastrow**, christened 11 Oct 1801, married Caroline A Feike; at least one child. We think she immigrated to Wisconsin about 1868, but we don't know whether Martin came also, or whether he had died before then. In 1880 she was living in the household of her daughter Minnie. Born about 1800, Caroline died after 1880, age at least 80, buried Lakeview Cemetery, page 8-3.

**1. Caroline Wilhelmina "Minnie"**<sup>3</sup> **Zastrow**, born 29 Sep 1827 Preussen, married Ferdinand Gottlieb Helmuth Klug

-- see page 8-9.

**E. Sophia Henrietta**<sup>2</sup> **Zastrow** was christened 13 Nov 1803.



-- Some information about the KLUG family --  
referenced on pages 8-3, 8-8, 8-12, and 8-14

1. Ferdinand Gottlieb Helmuth Klug, usually known as Ferdinand and sometimes as Helmut, married Caroline Wilhelmina "Minnie"<sup>3</sup> Zastrow; six children born "Gross Kudde", Pommern, Preussen.

The family immigrated to Wisconsin, arriving New York 4 Apr 1872 on the *Cymbria*.

Minnie was born 29 Sep 1827 Preussen. Her parents were Martin Wilhelm Zastrow and Caroline A **Feike**, page 8-8.

Ferdinand died 21 Jul 1875 near Readfield, Waupaca Co WI, buried Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church Cemetery, Readfield.

We were pleased in June 2003, after much searching, to find Ferdinand's grave. It is in row 8, Section II, not far from the church building, which is on County Trunk Road W, in Section 23, Caledonia Twp, Waupaca Co WI.

His stone was broken in two and flat on the ground, but otherwise in good condition. There was a 'handshake' bas-relief on the upper part, then "Ferdinand G Klug" and the date he died. It was great to hear from the caretaker that funds had been recently received, from a marvelous neighbor, to repair and reset all the stones that needed attention. And, in 2006, we received a picture of the repaired stone!

Secondly, Minnie married Christof Zellmer 10 Feb 1877; no children. Later that year, two of her children married two of Christof's children.

She died 18 Jun 1894 Winchester, Winnebago Co WI, age 66,<sup>1</sup> and was buried Lakeview Cemetery, Wolf River Twp, Winnebago Co WI.

-- Children of Ferdinand Gottlieb Helmuth Klug and Caroline Wilhelmina Zastrow --

a. Pauline Mathilde<sup>4</sup> "Matilda" **Klug** was born 18 Jun 1850 and christened 14 Jul 1850. She married John **Pultz**<sup>2</sup> (later spelled **Puls**); at least two children. In the 1880 census, he was a farmer and they were living Caledonia Twp, Waupaca Co WI.

i. Willie<sup>5</sup> **Puls** was born about 1870.

ii. Ida<sup>5</sup> **Puls** was born about 1871.

b. Henrietta Hulda<sup>4</sup> **Klug**, born 3 Jan 1852, christened 18 Jan 1852, died 7 Feb 1853, age 13 months.

c. Wilhelm Ferdinand Reinhardt<sup>4</sup> "Reinhart" **Klug** was born 17 Jan 1853 and christened 30 Jan 1853. He married Elizabeth "Lizzie" [Klug] about 1875;<sup>2</sup> six children. She was born about 1853 Austria.

In the 1880 census they were in Caledonia Twp, Waupaca Co WI. On our 2003 trip, we found an 1889 plat book atlas which shows "R Klug" with 80 acres in the north part of the southwest quarter of Section 3, and 20 acres in the south part of Section 9. We drove by the 80 acres, which we believe was the original farm of Reinhart's father Ferdinand.

In the 1900 census Reinhart and Lizzie were in Maple Creek Twp, Outagamie Co, with Ida, Albert, Minnie, Leonard and Mary (we don't know what happened to Rosa). Reinhart was a farmer.

In 1910 they were on Bruce Street, New London city. He was a laborer in a factory, and daughter Minnie was a nurse in a private family. In 1920 and 1930 Reinhart and Lizzie were still in New London.

- i. Ida<sup>5</sup> **Klug** was born about Dec 1875.
  - ii. Albert<sup>5</sup> **Klug**, born about Jan 1878, married Paulina [Klug]; at least two children: Lydia (about 1903), and Elmer (about 1907, married Margaret [Klug]).  
In the 1910, 1920 and 1930 censuses, Albert was a farmer in Maple Creek Twp, Outagamie Co WI; we think he had taken over his father's farm.
  - iii. Rosa<sup>5</sup> **Klug** was born about 1880.
  - iv. Minnie<sup>5</sup> **Klug** was born about Oct 1885.
  - v. Leonard<sup>5</sup> **Klug** was born about Feb 1888.
  - vi. Mary<sup>5</sup> **Klug** was born about May 1890.
- d. Carl Gottlieb Helmuth<sup>4</sup> "Charles" **Klug**, born 27 Apr 1854, married Anna Emelia **Zellmer** -- [see page 8-14](#).
- e. Albert B<sup>4</sup> **Klug**, born 2 Sep 1856, married Bertha W **Otto**,<sup>2</sup> four children. In 1930 their sons Harry and Eugene, and daughter-in-law Onita, were living with them on 17th Street in Oshkosh.  
Albert died 18 Jul 1945, age 88, buried in section C, row 1, Peace Lutheran Cemetery, Algona, Winnebago Co WI, near their son Harry. Born 3 Nov 1866, Bertha died 24 Jan 1947, age 80, the same day as their son Herman. She was buried beside Albert.
- i. Harry G<sup>5</sup> **Klug**, a barber, was born 28 May 1887. He died 14 Oct 1938, age 51, buried Peace Lutheran Cemetery, Algona.
  - ii. Lillie F<sup>5</sup> **Klug**, born about 1890, married Alpheus **Morton** (sp?) about 1918; son David was a salesman for Segal Co, in 1930 worth more than the others on the same page of the census.
  - iii. Herman W<sup>5</sup> **Klug** was born 31 Dec 1892. He died 24 Jan 1947, age 54, the same day as his mother, buried near his parents and brother.
  - iv. Eugene<sup>5</sup> **Klug** was born about 1904 (age 26 in 1930 census). He married Onita [Klug] about 1925.
- f. Emilie Gustie<sup>4</sup> **Klug**, born 24 Jun 1861, married Albert A Zellmer -- [see page 8-12](#).

**MATHILDE J H ZELLMER (b 1851) and JOHANN KNOKE (b 1842)  
and their descendants**

from page 8-4

Mathilde's parents were Christof Zellmer and Auguste Drews

Johann's parents were Johannes Knoke and Anne Zuback

*Note: information on this page is from several sources, including the 1930 census, records of St Peter's Lutheran Church, Winchester, Winnebago Co WI,<sup>11</sup> and data submitted to RootsWeb WorldConnect.<sup>17</sup>*

**1. Mathilde J H<sup>3</sup> Zellmer**, born 23 Jun 1851 Posen, Preussen, married Johann "John" **Knoke** 18 Oct 1870 Winchester, Winnebago Co WI; four children. His parents were Johannes Knoke and Anne **Zuback**.

Born 21 Apr 1842, John died 3 Jul 1911, age 69. Mathilde died 3 Jan 1929, age 77. They were buried St John's Cemetery, Caroline, Shawano Co WI.

John's father, Johannes Knoke, was born 11 Nov 1820. He died 7 Feb 1891, age 70.

John's sister, Frederike, married Mathilde's cousin, Frederick Zellmer, page 8-7.

**a. Friedrich August<sup>4</sup> Knoke** was born 29 Jul 1871 Wolf River Twp, and christened 27 Aug 1871 St Peter's Lutheran Church. He married Hulda [Knoke] 20 Oct 1894; at least two children.

He died about 1943 Tigerton, Shawano Co WI, age about 72.

**i. Herman W<sup>5</sup> Knoke** was born about 1896.

**ii. Arthur C<sup>5</sup> Knoke** was born about 1902.

**b. Helene Emilie Bertha<sup>4</sup> Knoke**, born 1 Oct 1874, married Wilhelm August **Voigt** 1 Nov 1894 Tigerton, Shawano Co WI; five children. He was born about 1868. His parents were Christian Ferdinand Voight and Henriette Caroline [Voight].

Helene Emilie Bertha died 12 Mar 1966, age 91, Green Bay, Brown Co WI.

**i. John<sup>5</sup> Voight** was born 13 Jul 1895. He died 27 Jan 1959, age 63.

**ii. Andrew<sup>5</sup> Voight** was born 1897.

**iii. Hugo<sup>5</sup> Voight**, born 11 Jun 1901 Grant Twp, Shawano Co WI, married Auguste Hattie **Kreklow**; one child. Born 12 Jan 1905, she died 16 Nov 1939, age 34.

Secondly, Hugo married Selma **Liskow**; two children. She died 1952. He died 3 Feb 1980 Clintonville WI, age 78.

**iv. Eleanor<sup>5</sup> Voight**, born 20 Jan 1904 Caroline, Shawano Co WI, married John **Luchterhand** 21 Nov 1923; two children. He died 10 Dec 1979. She died 1983, age about 79.

**v. Florence<sup>5</sup> Voight** married Clarence **Frank**; children not known to us.

**c. Mathilda<sup>4</sup> Knoke**, born about 1881, married Herman **Lenz** about 1901; children not known to us. She died about 1953, age about 72.

**d. Edward W<sup>4</sup> Knoke**, born about 1890, married Anna T [Knoke]; at least two children.

**i. Dorothy M<sup>5</sup> Knoke** was born about 1920.

**ii. Elinor M<sup>5</sup> Knoke** was born about 1922.

**ALBERT A ZELLMER (b 1854) and EMILIE GUSTIE KLUG (b 1861) and their descendants**  
from pages 8-4 and 8-10

Albert's parents were Christof Zellmer and Auguste Drews

Emilie's parents were Ferdinand Gottlieb Helmuth Klug and Caroline Wilhelmina Zastrow

2. Albert A<sup>3</sup> Zellmer, born 28 Jan 1854 "Westfraiser", Posen, Preussen, married Emilie Gustie Klug 23 Feb 1877; twelve children, all but the youngest born Wolf River Twp, Winnebago Co WI. Her parents were Ferdinand Gottlieb Helmuth Klug and Caroline Wilhelmina Zastrow. Emilie (pronounced "Amelia") was born 24 Jun 1861 "Gross Kudde", Pommern, Preussen.<sup>1,2</sup>

Albert was a successful farmer and businessman.<sup>1</sup> He worked the farm of his father Christof first, and then bought a 300 acre farm of his own near Clintonville, Waupaca Co WI, about 1900. He became quite prosperous, had two houses in Clintonville, and made many gifts of money and houses to his children. He held mortgages on many houses and businesses in the area.

In 1930 Albert and Emilie were living on South Madison Street, Clintonville.

He died 22 Oct 1940, age 86.<sup>2</sup> She died 23 Oct 1951 Skokie, Cook Co IL<sup>2</sup> (or Clintonville WI<sup>1</sup>), age 90, from a heart attack. They were buried Graceland Cemetery, Clintonville.<sup>1,4</sup>

Albert's was the first funeral in the new Christus Lutheran Church, built on Main Street in Clintonville and finished 1940. When his father died in 1909, he bought a ten grave lot in Graceland Cemetery for \$9. In 1999 they were said to be worth \$300 per grave. The cemetery is located on Rte 45 south of Clintonville.

As of 1999, Christof, Albert, and Bernhardt Zellmer, and Emilie Klug Zellmer, Myra Piehl Zellmer, and Merville Trader, were buried there. Two of our cousins expected to be buried there, with two graves left over.<sup>1</sup>

-- See pages 8-8 and 8-9 for some information about the KLUG and ZASTROW families --

a. Bernhardt Albert Wilhelm<sup>4</sup> "Ben" **Zellmer**, born 11 Oct 1878, married Mildred **Tellock** and married Wilhelmina **Baumann [Lomker]** -- see page 8-17.

b. Matilde Caroline Albertine<sup>4</sup> "Tillie" **Zellmer**, born 23 Jan 1881, married Carl **Schultz** -- see page 8-20.

c. Wilhelmina A<sup>4</sup> "Minnie" Zellmer, born 29 Feb 1884, married Carl Richard "Charles" Keil 24 Oct 1905 Winneconne, Winnebago Co WI; two children: Pearl Elizabeth Keil (mother of KFE) and Mildred Lucile Keil.

Charles' parents were Johann Carl Gottlieb Keil and Johanna Christiane Hiller, Section 9a.

With the marriage of **Wilhelmina A Zellmer** and **Carl Richard Keil**  
 our **ZELLMER** lineage joins our **KEIL** lineage  
 see [{Section 9b}](#)

d. Amanda Auguste Dorothea<sup>4</sup> Zellmer was born 29 May 1886.<sup>2</sup> She died 6 Oct 1886, age 4 months, and was buried Lakeview Cemetery, Wolf River.

e. Paul Edward Christof<sup>4</sup> **Zellmer** was born Dec 1887.<sup>2</sup> He died 8 Feb 1888, age about 2 months, and was buried Lakeview Cemetery, Wolf River.

**f.** Carl Friedrich Julius<sup>4</sup> "Carl Fred" **Zellmer**, born 7 Jun 1889,<sup>4</sup> married Sophia E **Knapp** -- [see page 8-21](#).

**g.** Alvena Bertha Christiane<sup>4</sup> "Alvena" **Zellmer**, born 14 Dec 1890,<sup>2</sup> married Henry J **Dorband** 21 Nov 1925 Evanston, Cook Co IL; no children known to us. He was a fire chief in Chicago many years.

Born 10 Jun 1898 Chicago, he died 27 Jan 1965, age 66. She died 22 Apr 1981, age 90, of strokes.

Alvena and her sister Viola worked as domestics in Chicago before their marriages. In her later years, Alvena lived in Arkansas with Viola.

Henry was a brother of Elmer Dorband, who married Alvena's niece Alice Schultz, page 8-20.

Henry and Alvena *may have* adopted two sisters (one named Yvonne) and their mother.

**h.** Wilhelm Carl Rudolph<sup>4</sup> "Willie" **Zellmer**, was born 21 Jan 1892. He died 27 May 1894, age 2 years 4 months 5 days, and was buried Lakeview Cemetery, Wolf River.<sup>5</sup>

**i.** Alfred Theodor Heinrich<sup>4</sup> **Zellmer**, born 1 Apr 1893, married Clara V **Long** and married Consuelo **Gremminger** -- [see page 8-23](#).

**j.** Wilhelm Carl Paul<sup>4</sup> **Zellmer** was born 9 Oct 1894.<sup>2</sup> He died 16 Feb 1895, age 4 months 7 days, and was buried Lakeview Cemetery, Wolf River.<sup>5</sup>

**k.** Walther Hermann Gottlieb<sup>4</sup> "Walter" **Zellmer**, born 21 Aug 1898,<sup>2</sup> married Hattie **Gehrke** 1927 Wausau, Marathon Co WI, at least one child.

Her parents were Ferdinand Gehrke and Bertha **Beilke**, who came to the US from Germany about 1888-1889. Ferdinand and Bertha had five children older than Hattie, and two younger.<sup>8</sup>

Walter died 26 Sep 1970, age 72, of a sudden heart attack, and was buried Memorial Park Cemetery, Chicago, Cook Co IL.

Hattie lived for some time in Arkansas with her sister Viola Elfriede Zellmer. Born about 1896 (age 13 in 1910), Hattie died Nov 1989, age about 93, from complications of Parkinson's Disease.<sup>2</sup>

**i.** a son,<sup>5</sup> born 1940 Chicago, married; two children.

**l.** Viola Elfriede<sup>4</sup> "Vi" **Zellmer** was born 14 Dec 1900 Bear Creek, Clintonville, Waupaca Co WI. She left home early to work in Chicago as a domestic along with her sister Alvena. Vi was married and divorced twice before 1942.

She married Thorston **Peterson** 7 Nov 1942 Chicago; no children. The Petersons moved to Arkansas in 1973, where her sister Alvena and sister-in-law Hattie lived with them.

Thorston was born 23 Feb 1901 Sweden, and always wanted to go there again. He died 10 Apr 1975, age 74, and Vi took his ashes to Sweden.

She died of a heart attack 31 Dec 1980, age 80, and was buried beside her brother Walter in Memorial Park Cemetery, Chicago IL.<sup>1</sup> An auction of her estate property was held at Perryville AR 31 Jan 1981.

KFE and his sister Elizabeth Edler Wald recall that their mother, Pearl Keil Edler, was especially fond of her aunts Vi and Alvena. Pearl grew up in Elgin IL, and probably saw them frequently.

One of Vi's early marriages was to Ted **Walgreen**, who was described as having been a prohibition gangster (unbeknownst to her when she married him). When he became afraid he would be found out, he urged her to leave him for her own safety.<sup>2</sup>

**ANNA EMELIA ZELLMER (b 1857) and CARL GOTTLIEB HELMUTH KLUG (b 1854)  
and their descendants  
from pages 8-4 and 8-9**

Emelia's parents were Christof Zellmer and Auguste Drews

Carl's parents were Ferdinand Gottlieb Helmuth Klug and Caroline Wilhelmina Zastrow

4. Anna Emelia<sup>3</sup> **Zellmer**, usually called Emilia (pronounced "Amelia"), was born 17 Nov 1857 Posen, Preussen.<sup>1</sup> She married Carl Gottlieb Helmuth "Charles" **Klug** 20 Nov 1877 St Peter's Lutheran church, Winchester, Winnebago Co WI;<sup>2</sup> eleven children. His parents were Ferdinand Gottlieb Helmuth Klug and Caroline Wilhelmina **Zastrow**.

Charles was born 27 Apr 1854 "Gross Kudde", Pommern, Pruessen.<sup>1</sup> He died 1 Oct 1941 Tigerton, Shawano Co WI, age 87.<sup>1</sup> Emelia died 4 Nov 1942 Klamath Falls, Klamath Co OR, age 84.<sup>2</sup> They were buried Union Cemetery, Tigerton.

-- See pages 8-8 and 8-9 for some information about the KLUG and ZASTROW families --

- a. Carl<sup>4</sup> **Klug** was born and died about 1878.
- b. Emma Mathilde Caroline<sup>4</sup> **Klug** was born 15 Oct 1879, and baptized 30 Nov 1879. She died 24 Oct 1979 Reseda, Los Angeles Co CA, age 100.
- c. Wilhelmina Emelia<sup>4</sup> **Klug** was born 15 May 1881. She died 22 Sep 1971, age 90.
- d. Clara<sup>4</sup> **Klug** was born about 1883. She died about 1951, age about 68.
- e. Marie Wilhelmina Albertine<sup>4</sup> **Klug** was born 30 Apr 1885. She died 23 Jun 1968, age 83.
- f. Fred<sup>4</sup> **Klug** was born about 1888. He died about 1955, age about 67.
- g. William<sup>4</sup> **Klug** was born about 1889. He died about 1976, age about 87.
- h. Bernard<sup>4</sup> **Klug** was born about 1890. He died about 1959, age about 68.
- i. Albert<sup>4</sup> **Klug** was born about 1893. He died about 1954, age about 61.
- j. Lydia<sup>4</sup> **Klug** was born about 1895. She died about 1928, age about 33.
- k. Arthur<sup>4</sup> **Klug** was born about 1898. He died about 1949, age about 51.

**CARL WILHELM ZELLMER (b 1860) and EMELIE JOHANNA BUBLITZ and their descendants**  
from page 8-4

William's parents were Christof Zellmer and Auguste Drews

Emelie's birthdate and parents are not known to us

6. Carl Wilhelm<sup>3</sup> "William" **Zellmer**, born 6 Jan 1860 Posen, Preussen, married Emelie Johanna **Bublitz** 24 Apr 1883; five children. They moved to Orient, Faulk Co SD about 1889-1891. Emelie (pronounced "Amelia") died July 1901, age probably about 36, buried Orient.

Secondly, William married Mary **Knoke** 29 Jun 1911 Tigerton, Shawano Co WI; no children known to us. He died 4 Apr 1922 Orient, age 62, and was buried St Michael's Cemetery there.<sup>1</sup>

Mary's second husband was Julius **Piehl**. Born 29 May 1870 Oshkosh WI, she died 5 Mar 1951 Embarrass, Wautaka Co WI, age 80, and was buried St Martin's Lutheran Church Cemetery, Belle Plaine WI.

North of West Bend, going south toward Chicago, we stopped at Bublitz's Restaurant. We enjoyed eating there, and like to believe it was owned originally by Emelie's family.

a. Emma Emelie<sup>4</sup> **Zellmer**, born 9 Jan 1884 Tigerton, Shawano Co WI, married Fred **Kittlemann** 28 Jan 1903; four children. She died April 1933, age 49. Born 17 Oct 1880 Cuttbus, Germany, he died 6 May 1966, Seneca, Faulk Co SD, age 85.

i. Minnie<sup>5</sup> **Kittlemann**, born 5 Jan 1904, married William **Hoefert** about 1924. Both contracted spinal meningitis and died a week or so after their marriage, one living a few days longer than the other. They were buried in a sealed casket because of the contagion.

ii. Carl H<sup>5</sup> **Kittlemann**, born 11 Sep 1905, married Ruth E **Wilson** 22 Apr 1934.

iii. Ernest<sup>5</sup> **Kittlemann**, born 29 Mar 1909, married Evelyn Anita **Dysert**. He died Dec 1954.

iv. Clara Helen<sup>5</sup> **Kittlemann**, born 9 Jan 1912 Seneca, Faulk Co SD, married Arthur Gottlieb **Hermann** 16 Mar 1933 Lebanon, Potter Co SD. She died 30 Mar 1978, age 66, buried Roseberg Memorial Gardens, Roseburg, Douglas Co OR. Born 29 Dec 1910, he died 8 Mar 1991, age 80.

b. Herman B<sup>4</sup> **Zellmer**, born 24 Jul 1886 Tigerton, married Wally **Hirt** 16 Dec 1914 Tigerton; one child. Born 12 Nov 1891, she died about 1957, age about 66. He died 24 Aug 1979, age 93. They were buried Graceland Cemetery, Clintonville, Waupaca Co WI.<sup>1,4</sup>

i. a daughter,<sup>5</sup> born about 1918, married 1948; two children. She and her husband celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary in 1998.<sup>7</sup>

We very much enjoyed meeting them when we visited June 2003. She does both tole and oil painting, as well as genealogy. They spend part of each year in Florida, and were very pleased about their first great-grandchild, born only a few days before.

Her husband is a cousin of Imanuel Thies, second husband of one of his wife's cousins, pg 8-25.

a) a daughter,<sup>6</sup> married 1975; two children.

b) a daughter,<sup>6</sup> married 1975; four children.

c. Ernest E<sup>4</sup> **Zellmer**, born 20 Aug 1889 Tigerton, was a pastor. He married Magdeline **Ebert**; five children. Born about 1889, she died of cancer about 1945, age about 56. Secondly, he married Lydia **Matler**. Born 26 Sep 1890, she died 14 Sep 1963, age 72. He died Nov 1975 Kansas City MO, age 86.

d. Ella Lucy<sup>4</sup> **Zellmer**, born 17 Nov 1891 Seneca, Faulk Co SD, was a teacher. Never married, she died about 1919 Minneapolis MI from complications after a tonsillectomy, age about 28, buried Ramsburg Cemetery, near Orient, Faulk Co SD.

e. John<sup>4</sup> **Zellmer** was born about 1895 Seneca. He died about 1900, age about 5.

**FRIEDRICH FERDINAND ZELLMER (b 1862) and EMILIE BERTHA LOUISE HOEFT (b 1866)  
and their descendants**

from page 8-4

Friedrich's parents were Christof Zellmer and Auguste Drews  
Emilie's parents were Christian Friedrich Hoeft and (--?--) Hagen

**6.** Friedrich Ferdinand<sup>3</sup> "Fred" **Zellmer**, born 22 Jan 1862 Posen, Preussen, married Emilie Bertha Louise **Hoeft** 21 Aug 1888;<sup>1</sup> six children. Her parents were Christian Friedrich Hoeft and (--?--) **Hagen**.

The census of 1920 shows the family on Main Street, Tigerton, Shawano Co WI.

Born 18 Jan 1866, Emilie (pronounced "Amelia") died 17 Feb 1934, age 68. Fred died 28 Mar 1934, age 72. They were buried Union Cemetery, Tigerton.

THE HOEFT FAMILY is said to be of Scandinavian origin, and to have settled in Pommern during the time when Sweden was in control of that area.

**a.** Clara<sup>4</sup> **Zellmer**, born 1889 Tigerton, Shawano Co WI, married William **Spieth** 1916; children not known to us. She died 1952,<sup>1</sup> age about 63.

**b.** George F<sup>4</sup> **Zellmer**, a teacher, was born 29 Jun 1893 Tigerton, Shawano Co WI. He married Beulah **Whitehouse** 1 Jun 1921; two children.

He died 23 Jan 1979, age 85, and was buried Woodland Cemetery, Shawano Co.<sup>1</sup>

**c.** Martin J<sup>4</sup> **Zellmer**, a teacher, was born Nov 1895. He never married. He died 1952, age about 57, killed by a hitchhiking sailor to whom he had given a ride, in Washington or Oregon.<sup>2</sup>

**d.** Luther<sup>4</sup> **Zellmer**, born 1900, married Erma **Nighthard** 1925; children not known to us. He died 1971, age about 71.

**e.** Fred<sup>4</sup> **Zellmer** was born 1903. He died 1926, age about 23.

**f)** Laurence<sup>4</sup> "Pat" **Zellmer**, born 1906, married Mildred **Dressang** 1925; children not known to us. He died 1971, age about 65.



**BERNHARDT ALBERT WILHELM ZELLMER (b 1878) and MILDRED TELLOCK (b 1891)  
and their descendants**

and

**BERNHARDT ALBERT WILHELM ZELLMER  
and MARGARET WILHELMINA BAUMANN [LOMKER] (b 1884)**

**and their descendants**

from page 8-12

Bernhardt's parents were Albert A Zellmer and Emilie Gustie Klug

Mildred's parents are not known to us

Wilhelmina's parents were Friedrich Baumann and Marie Barbara Meckler

**a.** Bernhardt Albert<sup>4</sup> "Ben" **Zellmer**, a farmer and carpenter, was born 11 Oct 1878 Wolf River, Winnebago Co WI.<sup>2</sup> He married Mildred "Lillie" **Tellock** 1911 Embarrass WI; one child. They were divorced, and she later married (--?--) **Roessler**; daughter Harriett. Born 1891, Lillie died 1972, age about 81,<sup>2</sup> and was buried Graceland Cemetery, Clintonville, Waupaca Co WI.

Secondly, Ben married Margaret Wilhelmina "Minnie" **Baumann [Lomker]** 8 Dec 1915; two children. She was born 12 Nov 1884 Bürk, Bayern. (Burk is now spelled without an umlaut.) Minnie's parents were Friedrich Baumann and Marie Barbara Meckler.

Ben died 31 Aug 1921, age 42, from pneumonia after surgery for appendicitis, and was buried Graceland Cemetery, Clintonville.<sup>1</sup> Minnie died 23 May 1959, age 77, and was buried St Martin's Cemetery, Clintonville.

There were eight children in this combined family -- Minnie's four daughters and one son from her first marriage, Ben's daughter from his first marriage, and the two daughters they had together.

-- See pages 8-18 and 8-19 for some information about the BAUMANN and LOMKER families --

**i.** Beatrice Angeline<sup>5</sup> **Zellmer**, born 23 Feb 1913 Bear Creek WI, married Ervin **Strehlow** 26 Apr 1941; at least one child. He was born 5 May 1909.

**a)** a daughter,<sup>6</sup> born 1946, married 1964; one child. They later divorced.

**i)** a son,<sup>7</sup> born 1964.

**ii.** Irma Alvena<sup>5</sup> **Zellmer**, born 22 Sep 1916 Embarrass, Waupaca Co WI, married Jack **Hillmann** 28 Oct 1941 Milwaukee WI; three children. Born 22 Sep 1905, Jack died 14 Feb 1994 of cancer, age 88.<sup>2</sup>

**a)** a son,<sup>6</sup> born 1942 Green Bay WI, married 1965; at least one child.

**i)** a daughter,<sup>7</sup> born 1966.

**b)** a son,<sup>6</sup> born 1945 Appleton WI, married 1970 Long Island NY; at least two children.

**i)** a daughter,<sup>7</sup> born 1973 Novato CA.

**ii)** a daughter,<sup>7</sup> born 1977 Northridge CA.

**c)** a son,<sup>6</sup> born 1955 Milwaukee WI, married; no children known to us. They were divorced.

**iii.** Emma Viola<sup>5</sup> **Zellmer**, born 1918 Embarrass, Waupaca Co WI, married Wilmar John Andrew "Jack" **List** and married John **Wolf**

-- see page 8-22.

-- Some information about the BAUMANN family --  
referenced on page 8-17

**I.** Georg Michael **Baumann**, born 27 May 1811, married Maria Barbara **Weigl** about 1834; at least one child. He died about 1870, age about 59. Born 10 Apr 1897, she died 17 Oct 1980, age 83.

**A.** Friedrich **Baumann**, born 13 Oct 1842 Oberschönbronn, Bayern, married Marie Barbara **Meckler**; five children, probably born Bayern.

Her parents were Georg Michael Meckler (10 Dec 1819 -- 27 Mar 1860) and Eva Margaret **Pruegel** (born 11 Sep 1820). Friedrich died 26 Jan 1903 Bürk, Bayern, age 60.

Born 22 Apr 1846 Bürk, Marie Barbara died 6 Mar 1931 Embarrass, Waupaca Co WI, age 84.<sup>2</sup>

We think Marie Barbara and the children immigrated to Wisconsin after Friedrich's death.

**1.** Maria **Baumann** was born 27 Oct 1870; daughter Lena.

**2.** Martin **Baumann**, born about 1872, married Anne **Barkow**; children not known to us. He died about 1957, age about 85.

**3.** Johann Leonhardt Friedrich **Baumann**, born 29 Nov 1876, married Babette C Margarethe **Volnhals** 17 Apr 1903; at least seven children. He died 28 Oct 1940 Shawano, Shawano Co WI, age almost 64.

Some of the Baumann information has been provided to us by a great-granddaughter of Johann and Babette, and we much appreciate her help.<sup>16</sup>

**a.** Fred John **Baumann**.

**b.** Laura Babette Lina **Baumann**.

**c.** Hilda Clara **Baumann**.

**d.** Arthur Carl Gotthold **Baumann**.

**e.** Edna Louise Alma **Baumann**.

**f.** Harry Carl Edwin **Baumann**.

**g.** Ruth Barbara **Baumann**.

**4.** Margaret Wilhelmina "Minnie" **Baumann**, born 12 Nov 1884, married Carl **Lomker**, page 8-19, and married Bernhardt Albert Wilhem **Zellmer**

– see page 8-17.

**5.** Babetta **Baumann** was born 30 Apr 1886. She died 25 Jul 1938, age 52.

-- Some information about the LOMKER family --  
referenced on pages 8-17 and 8-18

**I.** Carl **Lomker** married Margaret Wilhelmina "Minnie" **Baumann** 6 Oct 1904; six children. She was born 12 Nov 1884. Her parents were Friedrich Baumann and Marie Barbara Meckler, page 8-18.

Carl died suddenly about 1914, in the kitchen of their farm outside Clintonville, Waupaca Co WI. Secondly, Minnie married Bernhardt Albert Wilhem Zellmer -- see page 8-17.

Carl had congestive heart failure, and his legs were very swollen. They were cut open to relieve pressure, and he bled to death despite great efforts to stop the bleeding.<sup>2</sup>

**A.** Marie Babetha "Mike" **Lomker** was born 8 Oct 1905 Guide Rock, Webster Co NE. She married Harry Edwin **Malley**; children not known to us. She died 15 Feb 1998 Shawano, Shawano Co WI, age 92.

**B.** Louise Marie **Lomker**, born 21 Jan 1907 Guide Rock, married Theodore **Lichtenberg**; three children. They lived Clintonville, Waupaca Co WI, near the Trader family, page 8-25. She died 20 Jan 1997 Clintonville, age 90.

**C.** Agnes Anna **Lomker**, born 22 Oct 1908 Lawrence, Nuckolls Co NE, married Edward **Tomashek** 7 Nov 1927; four children. She died 21 Jan 1983, age 74.

**D.** Henry Carl **Lomker**, born 18 Apr 1909, married Lucille **Prey**; two children. He died Oct 1948 Shawano, Shawano Co WI, age 39. Secondly, she married (--?--) **Hoffman**.

**E.** Clara Babetha **Lomker** was born 5 Aug 1910 (Babetha is pronounced "Babetta"). She married Arnold **O'Brien**; one child. She died 18 May 1963, age 52. Secondly, he married Lucille **Urban** 19 Sep 1964.

**F.** Frederick **Lomker** was born 12 Jun 1911. He died 18 Jun 1911, age 6 days.

**MATILDE CAROLINE ALBERTINE ZELLMER (b 1881)**  
**and**  
**CARL FRIEDRICH OTTO SCHULTZ (b 1872)**  
**and their descendants**

from page 8-12

Matilde's parents were Albert A Zellmer and Emilie Gustie Klug

Carl's parents were Johann Schultz and Wilhelmina Krüger

**b.** Matilde Caroline Albertine<sup>4</sup> "Tillie" **Zellmer**, born 23 Jan 1881 Wolf River Twp (Larson post office), Winnebago Co WI,<sup>2</sup> married Carl Friedrich Otto **Schultz** 19 Jun 1902; three children born Readfield, Waupaca Co WI. His parents were Johann Schultz and Wilhelmina **Krüger**.

Tillie died 24 Jul 1914, age 33, in a farm accident. Born 8 Feb 1872, Carl died 23 Mar 1931, age 59.<sup>1</sup>

Tillie was in the loft of the barn, helping with the haying. She died when she slid down the hay onto an upright pitchfork. It went through her body and pierced her heart.<sup>9</sup>

**i.** Elmer<sup>5</sup> **Schultz**, born 8 Sep 1903, married Myra **McDough** 29 May 1929; at least two children. A farmer, he died 1956 of a heart attack, age about 53. She was born 1903.

We note that their son was born fifteen years after their marriage. Perhaps there were other children earlier, who did not live. We also note that Myra was 41 and 42 years old when their son and daughter were born.

**a)** a son,<sup>6</sup> born 1944.

**b)** a daughter,<sup>6</sup> born 1945.

**ii.** Howard<sup>5</sup> **Schultz**, born 26 Dec 1905, married Irene **Buelow** 7 Mar 1932; at least two children. He farmed his parents' farm in Readfield. He died 16 Nov 1979 Readfield, age 73, of a heart attack, buried Graceland Cemetery, Clintonville, Waupaca Co WI.

**a)** a daughter,<sup>6</sup> born 1942, married 1961; at least two children.

**i)** a son,<sup>7</sup> born 1962.

**ii)** a daughter,<sup>7</sup> born 1966.

**b)** a daughter,<sup>6</sup> born 1948, married 1967; one child. They were divorced.

**i)** a daughter,<sup>7</sup> born 1965.

**iii.** Alice<sup>5</sup> **Schultz**, born 14 May 1912, married Elmer **Dorband** 28 Dec 1932; at least two children. Born 1904, Elmer died 1976,<sup>1</sup> age about 72.

Alice and her aunt Alvena Zellmer, page 8-13, married two brothers, Elmer and Henry Dorband.

**a)** a daughter,<sup>6</sup> born 1941.

**b)** a son,<sup>6</sup> born 1944.

**CARL FRIEDRICH JULIUS ZELLMER (b 1889) and SOPHIA E KNAPP (b 1892)  
and their descendants**

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Carl Friedrich's parents were Albert A Zellmer and Emilie Gustie Klug  
Sophia's parents were Herman Wilhelm Knapp and Anna Wieseler

**f.** Carl Friedrich Julius<sup>4</sup> "Carl Fred" **Zellmer**, born 7 Jun 1889 Wolf River, Winnebago Co WI,<sup>4</sup> married Sophia E **Knapp** 29 May 1913 Deer Creek Township, Outagamie Co WI; six children born Bear Creek, Clintonville, Waupaca Co WI. Her parents were Herman Wilhelm Knapp and Anna **Wieseler**.

Carl Fred was a farmer and, when he married, his father Albert deeded him 80 acres of his own 300 acre farm, built a house and barn, gave him ten cows, two horses, pigs and chickens -- all for \$9,000. Since the two farms were contiguous, they shared machinery and worked together.

A few years later Carl Fred purchased 40 more acres of lowland to go with the high lands he had to make a "neverfail" farm: the lowlands grew well in dry years and the uplands produced in wet years. The farm was sold in 1946. He moved to his father's house in Clintonville, Waupaca Co WI, which he liked because of the railroad a block away -- he loved to watch the trains.

Born 20 Jul 1892 Deer Creek, Sophia died of a cerebral hemorrhage 20 Feb 1957, age 64.<sup>2</sup> Carl Fred died of a stroke 15 Dec 1967, age 78.<sup>1</sup> They were buried Graceland Cemetery, Clintonville.<sup>4</sup>

Sadly, in 1973 their daughter reported that their farm, which was always beautifully kept, had "gone to the dogs." And, the trains in Clintonville are all gone now, and the area is built up.

THE KNAPP FAMILY -- Both of Sophia's parents were buried Graceland Cemetery.

Her father, Herman Wilhelm Knapp, was born 24 Jan 1864. He died 21 May 1941, age 77, when he was working alone, helping to dig a basement, and it caved in on him. Herman was one of seven children of Johann G Knapp (13 Apr 1833-9 Mar 1894) and Henrietta **Mielahn** (9 Dec 1833-Sep 1895).

Sophia's mother, Anna Wieseler, was born 20 Aug 1869, and died of two strokes 14 Jan 1931, age 62. Anna's father was Theodore Wieseler (25 Dec 1830-19 Feb 1900), a farmer in Deer Creek Township, who was born in Luxembourg. He was buried Maine Township, but after 50 years the church was taken down and the cemetery, with only 10 graves remaining, was made into a parking lot. He was reburied in New London WI.<sup>1</sup>

**i.** Clarence Carlton,<sup>5</sup> **Zellmer** born 1914, married Myra **Piehl** 21 Oct 1939 Milwaukee, Milwaukee Co WI; one child. He died 2 Feb 2012 in King, Waupaca Co WI, age 97. Born 1914, Myra died 1994, age about 80. They were buried Graceland Cemetery, Clintonville.

He worked in the Four Wheel Drive Corp plant in Clintonville, where four wheel drive vehicles were invented and were manufactured for many years. The plant is still in operation, now "FWD/Seagraves" and primarily producing fire engines. He volunteers at the FWD museum, where one can see, for example, the first four wheel drive automobile and the first snowmobile.

We enjoyed meeting him on our May 1999 trip to Wisconsin, when he came to the dinner his sister prepared for us. At 85, he looked twenty years younger and said he felt great. He keeps very busy with his beekeeping and honey distribution business. In 1998 he produced 4,000 pounds of honey. We were fortunate enough to receive a jar, and it's delicious!

In 2001 we again visited Wisconsin, and were pleased to see him again. In a December 2002 telephone call, his sister reported that he was well and still busy with his bees. And on our 2003 visit, he was 89 years old and continuing to care for two bee yards. He gave us some suggestions to pass along to one of our sons, who was exploring the possibilities of some beekeeping.

Our cousin "retired" from his beekeeping in 2005.

- a) a daughter,<sup>6</sup> born 1948, married 1967 Milwaukee, Milwaukee Co WI; at least one child.
  - i) a son,<sup>7</sup> born 1968 Clintonville, married; at least one child.
    - (a) a daughter,<sup>8</sup> born 3 Nov 1995.
  
- ii. Helen Elfriede<sup>5</sup> **Zellmer**, born 1916, married Merville Ervin **Trader** and married Imanuel Richard **Thies** -- [see page 8-25](#).
  
- iii. Mabel<sup>5</sup> **Zellmer** was stillborn 1917. (Her mother was kicked by a cow.)
  
- iv. Pearl Emelie<sup>5</sup> **Zellmer**, born 8 Nov 1919, married Aloysuis **Zehren** 23 Jun 1938 Christus Lutheran Church, Clintonville; four children born Bear Creek. Born 1907, Aloysuis died 1959, age about 52.  
Secondly, Pearl married Mike **Jepson** 21 Aug 1971 St Mary's Catholic Church, Clintonville; no children. She became ill with diabetic, heart, and Parkinson's diseases. She died 15 Sep 1983, age 63, buried Graceland Cemetery, Clintonville. Born 1908, Mike died 1985, age about 77.<sup>1</sup>
  - a) a daughter,<sup>6</sup> born 1939.
  - b) a son,<sup>6</sup> born 1941.
  - c) a son,<sup>6</sup> born 1944.
  - d) John James<sup>6</sup> **Zehren** was born 24 Aug 1956. He died 26 Aug 1956 Clintonville, age 2 days.
  
- v. Melvin<sup>5</sup> **Zellmer**, twin of Marvin, was stillborn 1926.
  
- vi. Marvin<sup>5</sup> **Zellmer**, twin of Melvin, was stillborn 1926.

**ALFRED THEODOR HEINRICH ZELLMER (b 1893) and CLARA V LONG (b 1896)  
and their descendants  
from page 8-13**

Alfred's parents were Albert A Zellmer and Emilie Gustie Klug  
Clara's parents are not known to us

**i.** Alfred Theodor Heinrich<sup>4</sup> "Fred" **Zellmer**, born 1 Apr 1893 Wolf River Twp, Winnebago Co WI,<sup>2,6</sup> was a farmer on his father Albert's farm, Bear Creek Township, Waupaca Co WI.

He married Clara V **Long** 5 Nov 1919 St Rose Catholic Church, Clintonville, Waupaca Co WI; eight children born Bear Creek. Born 8 Nov 1896, she died 17 Sep 1965 in Canada, age 68. She was buried St Rose Catholic Church Cemetery, where one infant (name and date not known to us) was buried earlier.

Secondly, Fred married Consuelo **Gremminger** 6 Jan 1968 St Rose Catholic Church. He died of a heart attack 18 April 1981, age 88,<sup>1</sup> buried beside Clara.<sup>6</sup>

Born 7 May 1904, Consuelo died 16 Feb 1988 Clintonville, age 83.

**a)** a daughter,<sup>5</sup> born 1922 (age 8 in 1930 census), married; ten children.<sup>1</sup>

**b)** Betty<sup>5</sup> **Zellmer**, born 1923 (age 7 in 1930 census), married Albert C **Torberg** 12 Jun 1946;<sup>1</sup> nine children, including one they adopted. Born 12 Jun 1915, Albert died 6 Jan 1989, age 73.

In 1999, Betty was living Clintonville.<sup>1</sup> She died 2001, age about 78.

**c)** William<sup>5</sup> **Zellmer**, born 9 Jul 1926, married 1957; five children. They lived Lansing MI. He died of cancer 24 Sep 1982, age 56.

**d)** a son,<sup>5</sup> born 1927, married; eleven children. They were divorced.<sup>1</sup>

**e)** John<sup>5</sup> "Jack" **Zellmer**, born 19 Apr 1930 Bear Creek, married; eight children. He died about 1996,<sup>1</sup> age about 66.

**f)** Joyce<sup>5</sup> **Zellmer** married; six children. She died of cancer 9 Feb 1980,<sup>1</sup> age probably about 50.

**g)** a daughter,<sup>5</sup> married; no children. In 1999 she and her husband were living Green Bay WI.

**h)** Carol J<sup>5</sup> **Zellmer**, born 1943 Bear Creek, married; five children. They lived Milwaukee WI. She died 16 Dec 1975, age 32, buried St Rose Catholic Church, Clintonville.<sup>1,6</sup>

**EMMA VIOLA ZELLMER (b 1918) and WILMAR JOHN ANDREW LIST (b 1917)  
and their descendants**

from page 8-17

Her parents were Bernhardt Albert Wilhelm Zellmer and Margaret Wilhelmina Bauman [Lomker]

His parents were George Walter List and Rosa Behrs

**iii.** Emma Viola<sup>5</sup> **Zellmer** was born 1918 Embarrass, Waupaca Co WI. She married Wilmar John Andrew "Jack" **List** 1941 Embarrass; three children. His parents were George Walter List, a pastor, who officiated at his son's marriage, and Rosa **Behrs**. Born 1 Feb 1917 Mt Pleasant MI, Jack died 15 Jan 1988, Shawano WI, age almost 71.<sup>2</sup> Secondly, Emma married John **Wolf** 26 Feb 1989. He died of cancer Sep 2002. She died 4 Mar 2008, age about 90.

JACK'S PARENTS -- George Walter List, born about 1885 Frankenmuth MI, and Rosa Behrs, born abt 1889 Milwaukee WI, had nine children. She died about 1963, age about 74. He died about 1967, age about 82.

JOHN WOLF, his first wife Carol, her son from her first marriage, and their four children were longtime neighbors of Emma and Jack List. Carol died April 1988.

Emma's daughter said all the family were very happy with her mother's marriage to John.<sup>2</sup> We were pleased to meet them in 2001, and to be with her again in 2003.

**a)** a daughter,<sup>6</sup> born 1944 Joplin MO, married 1967; two children. They were divorced 1982.

Corresponding by e-mail for several years, she has generously shared much information on the Zellmer, Klug and Zastrow lines. We met her on our May 1999 trip to Wisconsin. She entertained us graciously in her home in Mequon, and we enjoyed our time with her very much.

She told us about her family, and that her husband, born 1940, left home unexpectedly 1980.

(After the divorce, he married again. He and his wife moved to Saudi Arabia and in 1999 were living West Memphis AR.<sup>2</sup>) Our cousin said he did contribute to their daughters' education.

We especially admire how, on her own after the divorce, she brought up her children while continuing her own education, achieving her doctorate and enjoying a successful career. In 2002 she became Dean of the Graduate School, Concordia University, Mequon WI, and in 2006 Assistant Vice President, Academics.

In 2001 we were privileged to see some church records concerning our family, at Zion Lutheran Church, Readfield WI. Our cousin had arranged with the pastor for us to see them, and we met her at the church. This was exciting for us, since we had wished for a long time that we could do this! And it was such a pleasure to be with her again, even if for only an afternoon.

We visited her again in 2003, and feel so fortunate to know her.

**i)** a daughter,<sup>7</sup> born 1971, married 1999; two sons born 2003 and 2005. She and her husband are attorneys, and in 2002 were living London, England. In 2006 he was a Vice President at Sara Lee Corporation.

**ii)** a daughter,<sup>7</sup> born 1973. In Dec 2002 she was at the University of Kentucky in Lexington, completing work on her doctorate.<sup>2</sup> Her major field of research was diabetes and obesity. In 2006 she was working with Hollister Medical Inc, designing testing protocols.

**b)** a son,<sup>6</sup> born 1948, married 1971; no children. They were divorced. He is a cartographer, and in May 1999 was building a house in Littleton CO.<sup>2</sup>

**c)** a daughter,<sup>6</sup> born 1961, married; two children. She is an artist.

**i)** a daughter,<sup>7</sup> born 1990.

**ii)** a daughter,<sup>7</sup> born 1994.



**HELEN ELFRIEDE ZELLMER (b 1916) and MERVILLE ERVIN TRADER (b 1912)  
and their descendants**

from page 8-20

Helen's parents were Carl Friedrich Julius Zellmer and Sophia E Knapp

Merville's parents were Earl J Trader and Hazel Buck

ii. Helen Elfriede<sup>5</sup> **Zellmer** was born 1916 Bear Creek, Clintonville, Waupaca Co WI. She married Merville Ervin **Trader** 15 Sep 1934 Christus Lutheran Church, Clintonville; four children born New London, Outagamie Co WI. His parents were Earl J Trader and Hazel **Buck**.

Helen managed a children's shoe store for many years, and later a sporting goods store near Clintonville.<sup>1</sup> Born 29 Sep 1912 Waupaca WI, Merville died of leukemia 25 Sep 1979, age 67.

Secondly, Helen married Imanuel Richard **Thies** 13 Nov 1980 Christus Lutheran Church, Clintonville. Born 30 Nov 1901, he died 1995, age about 94.<sup>1</sup> She died 24 Nov 2008, age about 92.

Helen has provided most of our Zellmer information in notes and letters to us from 1986 to the present. We visited her and Imanuel in May 1989 and spent an afternoon at their home in Lake Shawano (pronounced "Shaw-no"). We found them to be delightful people, and enjoyed seeing their dismountable dock and hearing their stories. One of their hobbies was feeding wild birds.

She told us she became interested in genealogy when a granddaughter asked for information for a school paper. Realizing she had little, she and Merville set out in the dead of winter with a snow shovel to clear away snow from tombstones in the cemetery. She keeps her information in notebooks, and has written a great deal of it out in longhand for us.

In May 1999, we visited Helen again, in her retirement apartment in Clintonville. She was still active with various interests, including gardening. She even had a freezer, and said she couldn't do without it. We wanted to take her to dinner, but she cooked a wonderful dinner for us and her brother. It was just great to be together!

Fortunately, we visited her and her brother again in 2001 and 2003. We enjoyed so much being with them, and hope we can go again.

MERVILLE'S FAMILY -- His mother, Hazel Buck, was born about 1889 in WI. Her father, a farmer, was Wyman L Buck, who was born about 1853 New York state.

In 1930, Hazel and her husband Earl were living with Wyman on his farm in Little Wolf Twp, Waupaca Co WI. Four of their children were living there also: Merville (born 1912), Inez (born 1915), Erma M (born about 1917), and Melvin (born 1925). Hazel's brother Leon (born about 1895) was living there also.

IMANUEL'S FAMILY-- His parents were Carl "Charley" **Wolff** and Emma **Trieglaff**, who had sons Irwin and Imanuel. Emma's parents were Carl Friedrich Julius Trieglaff (1829-1904) and Wilhelmina Ferdinand **Malueg** (born 1839), who also had son Heinrich Friedrich Robert Trieglaff. Heinrich (born 1870) married Ida Alvina Marie **Powell**, and their grandson married the daughter of Herman B Zellmer and Wally Hirt, page 8-15.

Charley and Emma divorced, and she married Richard **Thies**, who adopted Irwin and Imanuel. Emma and Richard had four children: Elmer, Lora Hertha (married **Jacob**), Deanna (married **Balota**), and Edna (married **Dingeldien**). Born about 1876, Emma died 21 Dec 1918, age about 42. Born 11 Feb 1878, Richard died 19 Nov 1960, age 82, and was buried Graceland Cemetery.

Irwin was born 16 Dec 1900. In 1930 he was a salesman in a meat market, and was living Clintonville with his wife Viola **Heckendorf** and their daughter, age 4. Their second daughter was born 1933, not long before Irwin died 2 Jan 1934, age 33.

Immanuel told us that, when he was a young man, he drove a wagon delivering ice. He said it required considerable skill to handle the big team of two pairs of horses. He married Elsie A **Seidlitz** 7 Nov 1923, and in 1930 they were living Clintonville. They had a daughter in 1924 and a son in 1937. Born 18 Jul 1904, Elsie died Dec 1978, age 74.

a) a daughter,<sup>6</sup> born 1935, married 1954 Clintonville, Waupaca Co WI;<sup>1</sup> six children born Clintonville.

i) a daughter,<sup>7</sup> born 1955, married 1978 St Martin Lutheran Church, Clintonville; two children born 1979 and 1980 Green Bay, Brown Co WI.

- ii) a daughter,<sup>7</sup> born 1956,<sup>1</sup> married 1977 St Martin Lutheran Church; seven children born 1978-1991 New London, Outagamie Co WI.
  - iii) a son,<sup>7</sup> born 1959, married 1979 St Stephen Lutheran Church, Madison, Dane Co WI; two children born 1990 and 1993 Ponte Vedra Beach FL.
  - iv) a son,<sup>7</sup> born 1960, married 1978 St Martin Lutheran Church, Clintonville; two children born 1978 and 1979 Clintonville.
  - v) a daughter,<sup>7</sup> born 1963, married 1982 St Martin Lutheran Church; three children born 1986 and 1989 Neenah, Winnebago Co WI.
  - vi) a son,<sup>7</sup> born 1975. In 1999 he was working in Iowa.<sup>1</sup>
- b) Marian Marie<sup>6</sup> Trader**, born 13 Apr 1938, married Richard Anthony **Magolski** 13 Sep 1954 St Anthony Catholic Church, Tigerton, Shawano Co WI;<sup>1</sup> five children. His parents were Clarence Magolski and Jessie **Jarvis**.  
Born 3 Jun 1935 Bear Creek Township, Outagamie Co, Richard died 31 Mar 1986, age 50. Marian died 13 Jun 1991, age 53. They were buried St Mary's Cemetery, Marian WI.<sup>1</sup>
- i) Richard Anthony<sup>7</sup> **Magolski** Jr was born 11 October 1955 Offutt AFB, Omaha, Douglas Co NE. He died of a congenital heart condition 19 Jul 1956, age 9 months 8 days.
  - ii) a son,<sup>7</sup> born 1957, married Betty **Paiser** 1976 Stony Ridge Lutheran Church, Shawano Co WI; one daughter born 1979 Fontana, Walworth Co WI. They both worked at Kikkoman Soy Sauce plant in Walworth, and lived Fontana nearby. Born 21 May 1957, Betty died 9 Jul 1996 in a train accident, age 39. She was buried Walworth.<sup>1</sup> He married his second wife 2001; she had four children from her first marriage.
  - iii) A daughter,<sup>7</sup> born 1960 Selfridge AFB, Detroit, Wayne Co MI, had a brief early marriage and was divorced. Secondly, she married 1986 Milwaukee, Milwaukee Co WI; two children born 1987 and 1991 Milwaukee. In 1999 she was managing a deli shop and her husband was working in an auto parts factory.
  - iv) a daughter,<sup>7</sup> born 1964, married 1984 Christ Congregational Church, Clintonville, Waupaca Co WI; two children born 1987 and 1990.
  - v) a daughter,<sup>7</sup> born 1965, married 1984 Marion Methodist Church, Marion, Waupaca Co WI;<sup>1</sup> three children born 1987-1991.
- c) a daughter,<sup>6</sup> born 1941, married 1959 First English Lutheran Church, Jackson, Jackson Co MI; three children: a daughter (born 1963 Jacksonville, Onslow Co NC), a daughter (Debra Lynn, born and died 14 Jun 1967 Cadillac, Wexford Co MI), and a son (born 1970 Cadillac). Our cousin and her husband teach in Cadillac MI.<sup>1</sup>
- d) a son,<sup>6</sup> born 1948, married 1990; one daughter born 1995 in WI.<sup>1</sup> He was in the US Marines. He and his family live DePere WI.<sup>1</sup>

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**-- Selected Endnotes, Section 8 --**

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Wiedeman	Beatrice (1913- ) 17	Martin J. (1895-1952) 16
Charles 7	Ben (1878-1921) 17	Mathilda (1881-1914) 20
Clifford 7	Bernhardt A. (1878-1921) 17	Mathilde J H (1851-1929) 11
Earl 7	Bertha M. (1856-1898) 4	Matilda (c1861- ) 2
Gaul 7	Betty (1923-2001) 23	Minnie (1884-1966) 12
Irvin 7	Carl Fred (1889-1967) 21	Pearl Emelie (1919-1983) 22
Lillian 7	Carl Friedrich Julius (1889-1967) 21	Tillie (1881-1914) 20
Vernon 7	Carol J. (1943-1975) 23	Viola (1900-1980) 13
Wieseler	Caroline Luise (1865- ) 2	Walter Herman Gottlieb (1898-1970) 13
Anna (1869-1931) 21	Charles (1860-1922) 15	Wilhelm (1860-1922) 15
Theodore (1830-1900) 21	Christof (1818-1909) 3, 9	Wilhelmina A. (1884-1966) 12
Wilson	Clara (1889-1952) 16	William (1926- ) 23
Ruth E 15	Clarence Carlton (1914-2012) 21	Zuback
Wolf	Ella (1891-1919) 15	Anne 7, 11
John ( -2002) 24	Emma (1880- ) 7	
Wolff	Emma (1884-1933) 15	
Carl "Charley" 25	Emma Viola 24	
Zastrow		
Carl (1874- ) 7		
Arthur 7		
Carl Friedrich (1792- ) 8		
Caroline Wilhelmina 3, 8, 9,		