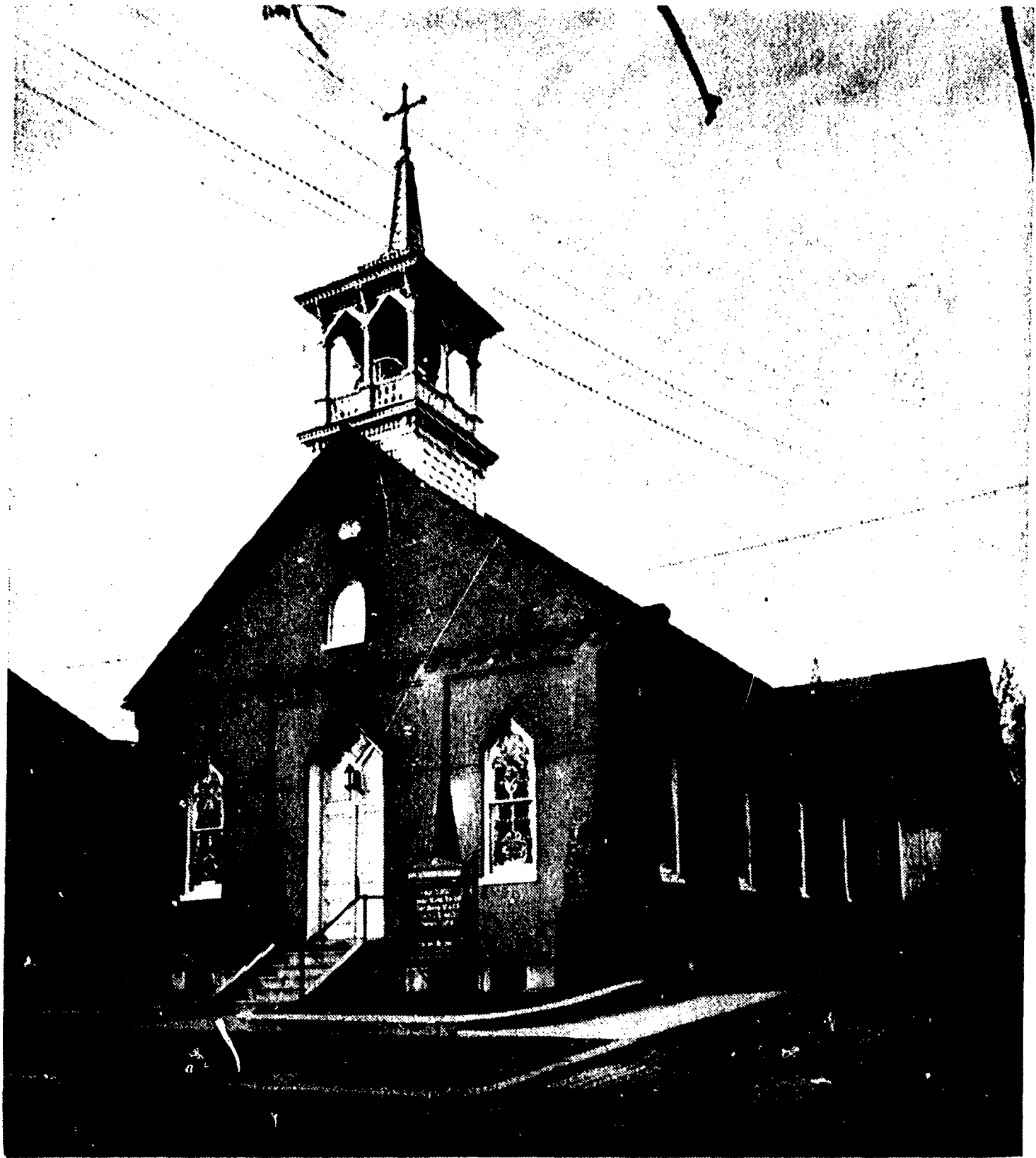


ZION German-English Evangelical Lutheran Church

MARIETTA,

PENNSYLVANIA

ZION GERMAN-ENGLISH EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH



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THE
CENTENNIAL
1855—1955



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ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION
May 8-12 1955

HISTORY
of the
LUTHERAN CHURCH
in
MARIETTA, PENNSYLVANIA



WE HUMBL Y AND RESPECTFULL Y

DEDICATE

THIS BOOK TO THE MEMORY OF

MISS BARBARA ELIZABETH EATER



BARBARA ELIZABETH EATER

Barbara Elizabeth Eater was born in Marietta, Pennsylvania November 22, 1882. Her father and mother were Casper and Susan Holtzapple Eater. Elizabeth was baptized March 11, 1883 in the Zion's Lutheran Church by the Rev. George P. Mueller and at the proper age she was confirmed.

At an early age Elizabeth joined the choir and remained a faithful member for over a quarter century. However her "soprano voice" was not dormant after retiring from the choir. We all were delighted to sit near her and hear her continue to sing the hymns that she knew and loved so well.

She gave much thought and time to the work of purchasing the first organ for our church. She served on the soliciting committee and sacrificed much time for this work. She taught a Sunday School class and later joined the Lydia Bible Class.

For years Elizabeth was Treasurer of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Church. While serving in this capacity she sold candy at the Wyeth Inc. All profits were given to the Ladies' Aid for the remodeling of the Church. She was also a member of the Missionary Society.

In January 1953 Elizabeth completed her 50th year with the Wyeth Pharmaceuticals, Inc., Marietta, Pennsylvania. At her first employment at the laboratories at the age of twenty years, it bore the name of Dr. H. M. Alexander and Co., later it became the Gilliland Laboratories. The sole output of the laboratories was the production of smallpox vaccine, later added diphtheria anti-toxin and tetanus anti-toxin. She witnessed with ease and pride the great stride from smallpox vaccine to penicillin and sulfa, because she was a part of it. Her knowledge of the most recent drugs was part of her work as well as one of her hobbies. She made a study of drugs and their purposes as well as their manufacture.

For a long time she was supervisor of the packing, filling, and inspection departments, and, at the time of her death she was giving all her time to the supervising of the inspection department.

She was honored January 3, 1953 for serving fifty years and was presented with an engraved wrist watch by Harry S. Howard, Philadelphia, president of the firm; and a scroll by Dr. B. Scott Fritz, managing director of the Marietta laboratories. Her advice to her fellow workers was "Don't watch the clock if you want to enjoy your work."

A jovial, pleasant lady, whom it was a pleasure to know, Elizabeth had many warm, personal as well as business friends.

Elizabeth lived at 518 West Market Street, Marietta, for 61 years, with her parents until their deaths. Her father died in his 90th year, and her mother in her 85th year. She had two brothers, George and John, and a sister Annie. Her brother John died in 1881 at the age of ten. Annie in 1913 at the age of 41. Her brother George is the only member of her immediate family living.

Elizabeth departed this life, at the home of her brother George, on Sept. 21, 1954, aged seventy-one. On January 2, 1955 a gold plated altar cross was presented to the Zion's Lutheran Church in her memory by the employees of the Wyeth Inc.

It's thru Elizabeth's faithfulness and sincerity in her motto "If you want to be really happy don't forget God," that our church has been given a legacy which has paid the remaining debt of the "rest rooms," also paid all expenses incurred by the publication of this 100th Anniversary Book and New Common Service Books for the Church. Her energetic and faithful services in the church and community are gratefully appreciated.

In an unusually, inconspicuous manner she served the church and now she rests from her labors, "Blessed are they who die in the Lord."

Mrs. J. E. Herchelroth

MARIETTA EMPLOYEES PRESENT ALTAR CROSS HONORING MISS EATER

"On September 21, 1954, Miss Barbara Elizabeth Eater died in Marietta, Pa. Miss Eater was employed at the Wyeth Marietta Laboratories for over fifty years. She had been in our Packaging Department for many years as Supervisor. Prior to becoming ill earlier in the year, she rarely had missed a day at work. Her early training had established her as a leader with a keen sense of responsibility and high standards. She enjoyed the respect and friendship of her associates. While firm in directing her work, Miss Eater was also sympathetic and understanding. Miss Eater was of the type who have helped make this country great and will continue to do so. On her fiftieth anniversary date last January, Barbara Eater Day was proclaimed at the Marietta plant and Mr. Howard, president of Wyeth, personally presented Miss Eater with a gold wrist watch and a scroll of commendation. The employees at Marietta have again chosen to honor Miss Eater by purchasing and presenting an Altar Cross as a memorial at Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church, Marietta, where Miss Eater was a life-long member."

Shield-Wyeth

Feb., 1955



HISTORICAL COMMITTEE

F.R.—Arthur T. Zuch; Curtis A. Uhlig; Maurice A. Sweitzer

B.R.—Verley L. Fulmer; Winfield Eater; Casper Eater

The committee expresses gratitude to each and all whose invaluable services helped to bring this history and celebration into being.



CHURCH COUNCIL

F.R.—Arthur T. Zuch, Vice-Chairman; Richard Haas, Secretary; Ralph D. Stark, Treasurer; Robert Richardson, Financial Secretary; Curtis A. Uhlig; and William Fuhrman.

B.R.—Winfield Eater; Robert Sipling; Lester S. Zuch; Wilbur H. Fuhrman; Clarence Nagle; and Elmer P. Walters.

SERVICES COMMEMORATING THE 100th ANNIVERSARY

Sunday Morning Worship: May 8th 10:45 O'clock

Sermon—The Rev. Dwight F. Putman, D.D.,
President of the Central Pennsylvania Synod.

Sunday Evening Service: May 8th 8:00 O'clock

Sermon—The Rev. Warren C. Heinly, D.D.
President of the Lancaster Conference.

**Monday Evening Service May. 9th. Community Program
8:00 O'clock**

Historical Address: The Rev. E. E. Grosh

Greetings: — { Methodist Church — Rev. Franke, Pastor
Presbyterian Church — Rev. Van Dine, Pastor
Episcopal Church — Rev. Long, Rector
Reformed — Rev. Guy P. Bready, D.D.

**Tuesday Evening May 10th — Home-Coming Program
8:00 O'clock**

Messages — Former Pastors { The Rev. W. F. Rex, Ft. Loudon, Penna.
The Rev. Charles F. Holland, Norfolk, Va.
The Rev. E. L. Wessinger, Lancaster, Penna.
The Rev. A. E. Greenwalt, Pittston, Penna.

**Wednesday Evening May 11 — Youth Program
8:00 O'clock**

Sermon—Rev. J. H. Musselman, D.D., Lancaster, Pa.

Thursday Evening May 12th 8:00 O'clock — Birthday Party

The five day celebration will be brought to an appropriate climax. The members of the church will assemble on the parsonage lawn for the Birthday Party. There will be a large cake with a hundred candles. The address of the evening will be delivered by Mr. F. F. Bailey, Manheim, Pennsylvania.



VERLEY L. FULMER

Graduate of Pine Ridge Academy, Chapin, S. C. A. B. From Lenoir College, Hickory, N. C. B. D. From Southern Theological Seminary, Columbia, S. C. M. A. From Franklin and Marshall College, Lancaster, Penna. Ordained by the South Carolina Synod, Columbia, S.C. Served parishes in the Carolinas, Virginia and Pennsylvania. Pastor of Zion Marietta since September 1, 1952.



INTERIOR

PREFACE

Although the year of 1855 is given as the date of the formal organization of Zion Congregation, yet we know from authentic records that Lutheranism in Marietta had its beginning much earlier. German and English pastors from nearby towns provided those of Lutheran faith with the means of Grace and served in a pastoral oversight in some way for many years. It is evident that many went afoot to Maytown and Columbia for worship. They were loyal and devoted to the church.

The story of Zion Congregation is given in the parish register. It begins in the year when the Lutherans banded themselves together into a congregation. We are favored in having practically a complete church record from July 1855, and since 1860 a full record of all communions and communicants are preserved, also minutes of council and congregational meetings, confirmations, transfers, marriages, funerals and the like are recorded — most of the ministerial acts being written by each pastor in his own handwriting. Hence we have the sum total of all activities and the names of those who worshipped and served the Lord.

As we turn the pages, we recall with grateful appreciation the Pioneers and Builders who formed the congregation and built a church to the glory of God in this Borough. Their names written in the church books still vibrate upon the passing years. These families belong to the crowd of Germans who came to Pennsylvania. And these families played quite an im-

portant part in the work and history of the Lutheran Church. For this reason several genealogical sketches are given in this anniversary Bulletin.

Our Church is a Holy Sanctuary. We hold it in reverence because here were scenes of the devotions of our kinsmen and fellow-members for seventy-six years. Holy memories cluster around this building. We pay tribute to those who built it and to those who maintained it as a house of worship through the years. This edifice served as both a house of worship and a Sunday School building for thirty years.

Within our Church dwells the spirit of by-gone days. As we enter its doors we are reminded of the presence of God and all the happy folks who have gone in and out. There lingers upon our souls the memories of greetings and partings; of the Font and the babies dedicated to God; of the Altar and the youth pledging allegiance to Christ their Saviour; of happy brides speaking their Vows before the Altar; of the messages from the pulpit, relating the things of daily life to the things of God. Here worshipped fathers and mothers, sons and daughters, rich and poor. The brightness of heaven and the radiance of the eternal Gospel have lingered on all these events and their love received in the measure of their capacity, the sanction and guidance of the ever present Lord. Hence the congregation grew and waxed strong.

V. L. F.

HISTORICAL SKETCHES

(Compiled by Rev. V. L. Fulmer)

EARLY SETTLERS

The pioneers were mostly Scotch-Irish and some Germans from the Palatinate and a few English. The following are some of the early settlers in East Donegal Township which embraces Marietta: Robert Wilkins, James Anderson, David Cook, George Stewart, George and Michael Ebert, John Henry Bahn, Henry Libhart, Shaws Baugh, Adam Bawn, Peter Allen, John Allison, John Lowrey, and others.

VILLAGES

WATERFORD:—The western half of the present town (Marietta). This was on the three hundred acres of land taken up in 1719 by Robert Wilkins, an Indian-Trader. In 1727 this land was sold to James Anderson who established a ferry on the River and called it Waterford.

COOKTOWN:—The central and southeastern part of Marietta. George Stewart, in 1719 took up several hundred acres of land on the eastern side of Robert Wilkins. In 1748 this land was sold to David Cook and later was known as Cooktown. The early families of this village were those of Shaws Baugh and Adam Bawn and David Cook.

STONEY-RUN:—The northwestern part of Marietta. In 1727 George and Michael Ebert and John Henry Bahn settled on the Hill above Waterford which was called Stoney-Run. In 1736 Henry Libhart settled in this Village which was about 1½ miles southeast of Maytown.

TOWNS

NEW HAVEN:—This town was laid out by David Cook, a grandson of the pioneer. In 1803 the land lying along the stream that runs between James Anderson's land and that of David Cook, was laid out into one hundred lots forming a triangle and extending to the river. A few years later David Cook laid out forty-eight building lots adjoining his first town plan on the east side which he called "New Haven Continued". Among those listed as buying lots were: Shaws Baugh, Henry Conn, John Longenecker, Adam Bahn, Barlin English, Martin Crider, John Coble, Lewis Leader, Jacob Bitner, Henry Sharer, John Smith, Henry Witmer, John White and others.

WATERFORD:—In 1804 James Anderson laid out a tract of land at Anderson's Ferry for a new town to be called Waterford. Lots were sold at sixty dollars. Some of the citizens in 1807 were: Jacob Bitner, Jacob Grosh, John Long, John Lever, David Mumma, Frederick Nagle, James Mehaffey, Philip Rank, John Sheaffer, William Smith. This town grew rapidly and in later years was consolidated with New Haven.

IRISHTOWN:—In 1813 James Mehaffey and his associates purchased one hundred and sixty-one acres of land adjoining the Anderson farm on the west side. This entire tract was laid out into building lots. The town plan was distinct and separate from Waterford. It was not included in the corporate limits of Marietta, however it is regarded as a part of the Borough. A few years later Benjamin Long purchased thirty acres from the Anderson farm and laid it out into lots and called it B. Long's Addition.

MORAVIANTOWN:—A part of George Stewart's land was sold in 1814 to Jacob Grosh who laid it out into building lots and called it Moraviantown which was nicknamed Bungletown. This is now the eastern section of Marietta.

MARIETTA

As the population increased, towns sprung up along the River, trade assumed large proportions and business flourished. This led to the establishment of the borough of Marietta. Misters Anderson and Cook who had taken up the entire river front in their town plans applied for a charter (1812) and agreed to name the town Marietta — so named in honor of their wives — Mary and Henrietta. New Haven and Waterford were incorporated in the town of Marietta.

Marietta is located on the north bank of the Susquehanna River about fifteen miles northwest of Lancaster, four miles north of Columbia, and some twenty-five miles southeast of Harrisburg.



CHURCHES

Before the organization of any congregation, the people of Marietta were given services by various pastors — different denominations — these pastors came from Lancaster, Columbia and Maytown. Services of Worship were held in private homes. This arrangement for the spiritual needs of the people continued for a decade or more.

ZION CHURCH:—In July 1817 a petition was circulated to secure funds for a church. The purpose was to build a church for all protestant denominations. The subscriptions totalled \$1,477.40. In September a meeting was held and the rules for their government were adopted; Viz.;—"That no denomination should be excluded, but each shall have an equal right to said church." Trustees were chosen — representing the various denominations. Permission was secured from the town to build the church on the west corner of the Public Cemetery. This land for the cemetery was given to the town by David Cook when New Haven was first laid out. Here the Union Church was erected. The cornerstone was laid August 23, 1818 and the church was not finished until five years later. The dedication was held June 15, 1823. Prior to this several groups held services in the old Bell Schoolhouse.

PRESBYTERIAN:—The Presbyterians built a church in 1821 on Gay Street. Prior to this they worshipped in the old Bell Schoolhouse where they conducted a Sunday School for several years.

EPISCOPAL:—Occasional services were held in old Zion Union Church by the Rev. Dr. Clarkson of Lancaster (1834-1845) and by the Rev. Alonzo Potter, Bishop, (1846-1848). In 1849 the congregation in Marietta was admitted into Union with the Diocese of Pennsylvania.

METHODIST:—The Methodist group was organized about 1820. The leader was Benjamin Garman. Services were held in private homes until 1825. For a few years they occupied a small brick building on Market Street. In 1829 they bought a lot on Walnut Street. Here they erected a small frame meeting house. Here they worshipped regularly until 1850 when a new brick meeting house was built on Second Street. This church was remodeled in 1874. Then the lot on Walnut Street was sold to the Lutheran congregation, German Group, April 3, 1874.

LUTHERAN-REFORMED:—In 1852 the Lutherans and German Reformed members organized a Union Congregation. The Rev. Doer, a Reformed minister became pastor and conducted services in Zion Church every two weeks. This arrangement did not prove satisfactory and the following year the congregation disbanded. During the next year or so the community was overrun with men of questionable character, who claimed to be preachers from Germany. After conducting a service or so they were excommunicated.

LUTHERAN:—In the course of years difficulties developed in old Zion Church. Efforts were made to organize a Reformed congregation in 1878, the purpose was to include the Lutherans, but this did not prove successful. In the controversy that arose some assumed the authority to rule out other denominations. The Lutheran People were compelled to seek other quarters. This was evidently anticipated for some time. The Lutherans had already laid the foundation for a church on the lot purchased from the Methodist Congregation. In the summer of 1878 the church was built. Building operation began in August, and the church finished in December. Dedicated December 15, 1878.

LUTHERANS

According to authentic records there were two Lutheran groups in Marietta. The English and the German. A reference is made to this in our church records. "Zions German Lutheran Congregation was organized in 1855 by Rev. Mertz and regular services hold Ernst of Maytown held services for the English Morning in Old Zion Church. There was at the same time an English Lutheran Congregation but the two had no connection."

ENGLISH:—As early as 1814 the Rev. William Gott-hold Ernest of Maytown held services for the English Lutherans in Marietta. Our Church record gives this account of Lutherans in Marietta: "Lutheranism in this quaint old town, dates back to the early part of the 19th century. At the synodical meeting at Easton in the year of 1814 appears the name of Ernst among the candidates reported from Marietta and again the name appears in the 1815 meeting of Synod with Hippe as the lay-delegate."

We can find no record as to when the congregation was organized. Services were perhaps held in private homes at first and then later in the old Bell school. We know that pastors from Maytown held services occasionally in Marietta. The following items are taken from the Minutes of Synod. In June 1814 candidate Ernst of Marietta and delegate Ludwig Lieder attended Synod. Rev. Ernst was Licensed at this meeting. May 1815, Rev. Ernst and delegate Jacob Hipple attended the meeting of synod. Rev. Ernst was ordained at this convention.

Rev. Frederick Ruthauff (1827-1833) served Marietta along with Maytown and others. He came to Maytown in 1827 and served for six years. In 1833 he moved to Gettysburg and when the Lutheran Synod of East Pennsylvania was organized in 1842, Rev. Ruthauff became the first president (page 48 History of St. John's, Maytown). In 1850 it was reported to Synod that Brother Christ (Jacob B. Christ) of Maytown was conducting services for the Lutherans in Marietta. In 1853 it was reported to synod that "The church in Marietta having been considerably improved and beautified was consecrated anew to the service of God."



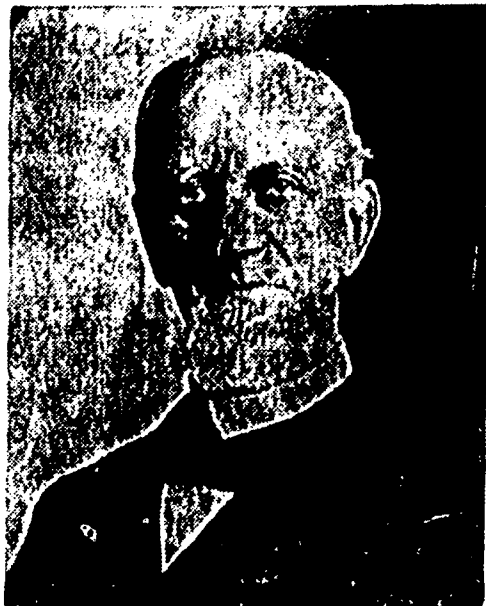
REV. JOHN H. MENGES

Pastor Menges was born in York County, December 7, 1823 and died at Dickson, Tennessee, August 4, 1898. He served the Lutheran people in Marietta in connection with the Parish he served in Columbia.

REV. JOHN H. MENGES

"The Rev. J. H. Menges, pastor of the 2nd Street Lutheran Church of Columbia supplied the Lutherans of Marietta with the word and sacraments from sometime in 1850 to 1853. After the removal of Rev. Menges to York, the field was overrun with men of questionable character, who claimed to be Lutheran Preachers from Germany but their stay was of short duration."

(Zion's Church Record Book)



REV. B. F. APPLE

Rev. B. F. Apple (1862-1864) of Maytown served the congregation in Marietta. In 1864 he resigned as pastor of "The English Lutheran Congregation of Marietta." Efforts were then made to unite the English and German Congregations. This could not be accomplished. The English continued with supply. In 1872 efforts were again made to unite the Lutherans. This created some disturbance and led to a disruption. In 1878 some of the English withdrew and joined the German Lutheran Congregation. We assume that the English Congregation was disbanded. There is no record of services or activity after 1878. We note that at this time services were conducted in both German and English language.

President of Synod Reports: "Brother B. F. Apple informed me on the 21st of August that he had accepted a call from the congregations of Maytown, Marietta, and Bainbridge and had entered upon the field of labor, and desired regular installation. For this reason I appointed the Rev. Brethren F. W. Conrad, W. G. Laitzle, and J. A. Darmstaetter a committee of installation." The act was solemnized on the 12th Sunday of Trinity. (September 12, 1862).

History of St. John's Maytown, Page 70:—Quote "Two months after the Maytown charge was made vacant by the resignation of Rev. Laitzle, the Rev. B. F. Apple assumed the responsibility of the charge on August 8, 1862 and his period of service covers two years. During his ministry the parish consisted of Maytown, Marietta and Bainbridge. Marietta did not formerly belong to this parish, but as Rev. Darmstaetter from Columbia was German Pastor, the English portion of the congregation of the Lutheran Church of Marietta united with Maytown parish and had Rev. Apple preach for them. After Rev. Darmstaetter's resignation, a pastor was secured who could preach in both German and English language and the two congregations of Marietta Church united and withdrew from the Maytown parish and remained in the Ministerium of Pennsylvania."



REV. J. J. STRINE

GERMAN:—The Rev. J. J. Strine became pastor of Salem German Lutheran Church of Columbia in 1815 and served the congregation for over forty years. During this time he also served the congregations nearby. The records show that in 1822 he held services regularly in Marietta. No organized German Lutheran Congregation then existed.

MINUTES OF SYNOD—June 1852:

President reports:

"In Marietta there are between sixty and eighty Lutherans whose attachment to their church, however in consequence of their having so long been destitute of a pastor, had been much weakened. Brother Christ preaches there in a church that is open to all denominations and the attendance upon his services is regularly increasing. He is satisfied that a fine congregation can be gathered in Marietta."

MINUTES OF SYNOD—President reports:

"The Rev. Merz of Chambersburg requested me on Feb. 26, 1855 to inform him of any suitable vacant congregation." "Mt. Joy and Rohrerstown were suggested."

HISTORY OF LANCASTER CO.:

"In the early part of the summer of 1855 Rev. George M. Mertz, a Lutheran minister, came to Marietta and making himself known, was asked by the Lutherans to remain with them and become their pastor. A congregation was organized and officers elected."

CHURCH RECORD:

"Zion German Lutheran Congregation was organized in 1855 by Rev. Mertz and regular services held in the German language every other Sunday in Old Zion Church. Jacob Heisey; Peter Olphen; Henry Schmidt; and Christopher Kolb were the first officers."

MINUTES OF SYNOD: President Report:

"Rev. G. M. Mertz reported to me July 11, 1855 that he had received and accepted a call from the German Congregation at Marietta, Lancaster Co."

REV. GEORGE M. MERTZ

We could not find any record of Rev. Mertz, his family and his ministry. All we know was gleaned from the minutes of Synod and the church year book. He served Zion Lutheran Church in Lancaster from 1835 to 1838. He served a parish in Chambersburg, Franklin County, Penna. He came to Marietta in the spring of 1855 and organized the German Lutheran Church. He served the congregation for four years. The record of his ministerial acts show an active ministry. In the Church year book of 1860 he is listed as being in Lancaster, Fairfield County, Ohio.

There are no official written documents relating to the congregation prior to 1855, as far as we know. The record of ministerial acts of Rev. Mertz begins with July 1855: The first entry is the Baptism of two infants on Sunday, July 1st, 1855. Then on the Third Sunday, July 15 he had another Baptism. From these records we find that he held services every two weeks, and in most instances he had one or more baptisms. The first Communion Service was held on Sunday, August 5th, 1855 and there were thirty-five who communed.

From the facts given above, it appears that Rev. Mertz came to Marietta in May or June and held service for the German people. And that on the third or fourth Sunday — June 17 or 24, 1855 — he organized the German Lutheran Congregation.

Rev. G. M. Mertz served Zion German Lutheran Congregation until the Fall of 1858, when due to ill health he resigned and retired. The last Baptisms were the two infants Jacob and Louise Mack on Sept. 19th. During his ministry he baptised one hundred and one, confirmed eleven, held ten communion services and conducted seventeen funerals.

The Rev. Joseph Schmalzl, pastor of Salem's German Congregation, Columbia, was elected to supply. His ministry in Marietta was brief, from October 1858 to the last of August 1859. Soon after he was chosen pastor a new constitution was adopted (Nov. 7, 1858). This document was signed by fifty-six members and the pastor.



REV. J. A. DARMSTAETTER

In the Fall of 1859 the Rev. John Adam Darmstaetter was called to the parish of Salem German Lutheran Church, Columbia. He was also elected pastor of the Marietta Congregation. He served with much success, preaching in both German and English language. The congregation under his ministry of about nineteen years prospered. With great self denial and sacrifice Rev. Darmstaetter earnestly labored to make the congregation self-sustaining. He would conduct his service in Columbia on Sunday morning, then walk to Marietta for an afternoon service, from here he walked down to Concordia — Ironville — for the third service, then walking back to Columbia late Sunday evening. He resigned the congregation in Marietta on March 24, 1878, retaining the congregations at Columbia and Chestnut Hill. He preached his last Sermon in Marietta on June 2, 1878.

Zion Marietta having assumed the status of a parish, called a young minister from the seminary, the Rev. George Philip Mueller. He accepted and was installed July 14, 1878. One of the conditions in the call was that he preach in German and English and also perform his ministerial acts in either, as might be requested. Hence one of the first acts of Pastor Mueller was to reorganize the congregation into a "German-English" Church and adopt a new constitution. This was consummated August 19, 1878. The congregation was then incorporated Jan. 23, 1882.

Rev. Mueller was a graduate of Luther Concordia College at Fort Wayne, Indiana and of the Seminary in Philadelphia. He married Miss Anna Stump a daughter of Michael Stump, Marietta. In the fall of 1891 he moved to Philadelphia and took charge of the Orphan Home in Germantown.

ZION'S GERMAN-ENGLISH EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

This German-English congregation was formed in 1878. They were without a church building of their own. They worshipped in the Zion's Union Church. Having bought a lot on Walnut Street from the Methodists in 1874, and having already laid the foundation for a church edifice, a congregational meeting was held on August 26, 1878. It was unanimously decided to resume building operations. This work was commenced immediately and advanced rapidly. September 15, the corner stone was laid. The church was completed and the dedication services were held on the third Sunday in Advent, December 15, 1878.

The first pastor was Rev. George Philip Muller who served with marked success. In November 1891 he resigned to accept the office of Superintendent of the Orphan Home in Germantown.

Rev. Laury:—

After a vacancy of six months Rev. Preston Laury became pastor and was installed July 3, 1892. He served the congregation for seven years. He relinquished his work in Marietta November 1, 1899.

Rev. Kuder:—

The next pastor was Rev. C. F. Kuder who took charge Jan. 1, 1900, and served until August 1903. He served as a missionary in India.

Rev. Rex:—

Rev. W. F. Rex came to Marietta and assumed charge in June 1904. During his pastorate the church was remodeled at a cost of \$1800.00; The Sunday School chapel was built and a steam heating plant installed. Pastor Rex accepted another parish and moved Jan. 16, 1910.

Rev. Klick:—

The Rev. Ira W. Klick succeeded Pastor Rex and served from May 1, 1910 to April 1, 1914.

Rev. Huntsinger:—

During the vacancy in the summer of 1914, the congregation was supplied by students and neighbor-pastors. The Rev. Walter Jesse Huntsinger assumed charge November 1, 1914. He was a faithful and devoted pastor serving until September 1921 when he accepted a call and moved to Millersville.

Rev. Jefferis:—

Rev. Charles W. Jefferis was installed as pastor of Zion Congregation in the fall of 1921. During his

term the parsonage was renovated at a cost of nine hundred dollars; a new Pipe Organ was purchased at a cost of four thousand dollars, and dedicated August 23, 1923. A new heating plant was installed in Oct. 1923, costing five hundred and fifty-six dollars. Pastor Jefferis closed his work in Marietta September 1, 1925.

Rev. Poffenbarger:—

On December 31, 1925 the Rev. R. St. Clair Poffenbarger became pastor. The Church auditorium was renovated, the chancel re-arranged and new furniture purchased, the choir loft enclosed, costing two thousand three hundred and forty-one dollars. The Church was rededicated Nov. 7, 1926. Pastor Poffenbarger served until Nov. 1, 1927.

Rev. Holland:—

The next Pastor called was a seminary student, Rev. Charles F. Holland who took charge in June 1928 and served until October 1931.

Rev. Wessinger:—

The Rev. Elmore L. Wessinger, a retired pastor living in Lancaster was called to supply. He entered upon his work Oct. 1931 and served in a very acceptable manner. During his pastorate a debt of \$1,500 was paid, the Sunday School rooms painted, a new furnace installed in the parsonage and several other repairs and improvements made. Serving as a supply and living in Lancaster, his Ministerial labor throughout was very pleasant and attended with gratifying success. In October 1947 he retired.

Rev. Greenwalt:—

December 1947 the congregation issued a call to Rev. Arthur E. Greenwalt, Sr., a student of the Philadelphia Seminary. Pastor Greenwalt entered upon his work February 11, 1948, and served about four years. On November 28, 1951 he moved to Pittston, Pennsylvania, following a call to St. Peter's Lutheran Church.

Rev. Fulmer:—

Zion Congregation secured supply pastors for the next nine months through the office of the President of Synod. On September 1, 1952, Rev. Verley L. Fulmer of Virginia entered upon the work as pastor and is serving at the present time.

THE CHARTER

Application for the Incorporation of Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church in Marietta was made January 23rd, 1882. The following signed the petition:

George Philip Mueller, Pastor

Ferdinand Zuch	Adam Koehler
Samuel L. Daily	Jacob Menge
John Haus	John Maister
John Eppel	Bernard Westenhoefer
George Miller	Michael Stump

The Charter was approved on March 31, 1882. Recorded in the Office for recording of Deeds and Charters in and for Lancaster County Pennsylvania. Record Book of Charters Number 1; page 207 & c. Witness my Hand and Seal of office this 22nd Day of April, A.D. 1882

Signed: John P. Good, Recorder.

CONSTITUTION

The first constitution of the "German Evangelical Lutheran Zion Congregation" Marietta was adopted November 7, 1858: The following members signed the Constitution:

Joseph Schmalzl, Pastor	Carl Schaub	Wilhelm Westenhofer	Jacob Regiener
Jacob Heise, Council	Ludwig Steinmuller	Jacob Menge	Wilhelm Tisch
Ferdinand Zuch, Council	Zachrias Baker	Christian Grund	Karl Burkhandt
Frederick Houck, Council	Wilhelm Wiesaman	Jacob Hessenthaler	Deonis Ziegelmayer
John Stockmut	Christopher Schoen	Adam Koch	Margarethe Herald
Christopher Kolb	Jacob Bernhard	William Koch	Johann Oder
Johann Bahlinger	George Eiker	Ferdinand Haukel	Gottfried Weber
Michael Wahlfahnen	Wilhelm Kopp	Casper Keller	Christian Stutz
Heinrich Smith	Johann Meister	Johannes Althofer	John Stots
Wilhelm Theisinger	Christian Kahnle	Rigina Wenger	Frau Barstirn Muller
Aaron Preeker	Joseph Laib	Wallaze Dinnabe	Heinrich Wolpern
Ludwig Bernhard	Balsader Reh	Peter Weber	George Leizh
Balthaser Junker	Hall Adam Von Hasell	Louisa Herald	Anna Barbara Lehman
George Raum	Wilhelm Meier	Ellisabeth Becker	Maria Hauk
Emanuel Engmicht	Taka Eiker	Hauvener Staub	Adam Kahler
Friedrek Bink	Bernhard Neu	Ferdinand Abbiss	Philliene Kathrina Haas
		Peter Brandt	George Roland

SUNDAY SCHOOL

The first Sunday School in Marietta, Pa. was a Union School organized in 1819. It was called the Marietta Sunday School Association. Meetings were held each Sunday in the Bell School House. The first superintendent was James Parks. The Presbyterians were the sponsors of this school.

In 1859 a Sunday school was organized by the German Lutheran Congregation. Christian Kolb was its first superintendent followed by Ferdinand Zuch. In 1866 Michael Stump was elected as superintendent and served until 1905; a period of thirty-nine years. His service was not only long, but very faithful. Those who followed as superintendents were: John Koehler, John P. Mueller, Milton McElroy, Charles Hefflefinger, Reeder L. Eshelman, Harry Zuch, Lester Zuch, and Curtis Uhlig. Several times it was necessary for the pastors to serve as superintendents in the absence of a regular superintendent.

The records show that there were many more faithful and devoted servants of the Sunday School who served as assistant Superintendents, Secretaries, Treasurers, Librarians, Teachers, and similar offices. Their names are too numerous to mention but they have attributed much to the work of the school. Most of the pastors wives took very active parts in the work of the school, especially the primary department.

From its inception the school grew normally. At its peak around the year 1890, attendances were over one hundred and fifty each Sunday. It should be noted that the same type of problems which are present today, were present in a somewhat different form in times gone by.

The ministers, officers and teachers were always alert to these problems and made concerted efforts to correct them. The most perpetual problem was to get the parents to come to Sunday school along with their children. By doing this the parents brought family Christianity into their homes.

The Sunday school is to a child's spiritual life as a parent is to its earthly life. "Train up a child in the way he should go: and when he is old, he will not depart from it." Christianity is the only existing thing in this world that has done so much to make men free. The work of all those who have served in the past, have attributed to the world as it is today.

The Sunday school held anniversary celebrations in June 1887 and July 1903. In 1887 a building fund was started toward the building of a Sunday School Chapel. In December 1906 it was decided to build this chapel. A building committee consisted of J. P. Mueller, George Shields, B. Derr, William Beates and Rev. W. F. Rex. The chapel was built during the summer of 1907. There was an indebtedness of twenty-one hundred dollars which was borrowed from William Beates. In the spring of 1909, nineteen hundred and fifty dollars from the Barbara Hauer estate was paid on the debt. Regular payments were made on the balance of this debt and in March 1914 this debt was paid in full. The most recent addition of modern rest rooms to the rear of the chapel were constructed at a cost of about fifteen hundred dollars. This debt has already been liquidated.

Down through the century the Sunday school has always aided the church financially. Although the school has regular expenses of its own, it gave freely in helping to pay the expenses of the church. Bills such as repairs to the pipe organ, renovations of the Sunday school, purchase of a new heating boiler, painting of the interior of the church, repairs to the parsonage and regular payment of coal bills were part of the assistance the school rendered to the church.

Music has always been part of our Lutheran service. At one time a melodian was used. Around 1905 an organ was secured to replace the melodian. For a period of time around 1922 the school had an orchestra to furnish the music. Presently the primary department uses a piano while the adult department uses the pipe organ in the church.

Many years ago the school adopted a Constitution and By-laws to govern and direct the work of the school. A Sunday School Teachers and Officers Association was formed to plan and conduct its business so that the school might progress through its planning. The records show that regular monthly meetings have been conducted very faithfully since the association was formed.

As a lasting tribute to the first hundred years of Zion's Lutheran Congregation, the Sunday School Association has dedicated a bronze plaque to the church upon which has been inscribed the names of all the English pastors to serve this congregation. It is the desire of the Sunday School Association that this plaque shall always be displayed in a conspicuous place where generations to follow may see this memorial.

Curtis A. Uhlig, Supt.



SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFICERS AND TEACHERS

F.R.—Juetta Barclay; Loy Whitekettle; Leroy Lindemuth; Curtis Uhlig; Mrs. Harold Shireman; Mrs. Paul Welen; Mrs. Charles Scholl.

B.R.—Lester Zuch; Marian Nell; Mrs. Verley Fulmer; Mrs. Rebecca Kaegel; Janet Rettew; Rebecca Zuch; Mrs. Wilbur Haas, Sr.; Mrs. Leroy Lindemuth; James Fulmer.



ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES

F.R. L-R.—William Walters; Claude Nissley; James Zuch; David Shireman; David Hess; Charles Wise; Robert Witmer; Harold Fuhrman.

2nd R. L-R.—Curtis Uhlig; Leroy Lindemuth; Loy Whitekettle; Richard Reynolds; Paula Welen; Jane Sweltzer; Juetta Barclay; Mrs. Harold Shireman.

3rd R. L-R.—William Westenhoefer, Jr.; Maurice Sweltzer; Robert Shireman; Sammy Zuch; Ray Fuhrman; John H. Demmy, Jr.; Mrs. Robert Sipling; Nancy Fuhrman; Emily Nissley; Mrs. Paul Welen.

4th R. L-R.—Lester Zuch; Harold Shireman; Mrs. William Westenhoefer, Jr.; Mrs. Wilbur Haas, Sr.



INTERMEDIATE S. S. CLASSES

1st R. L-R.—David Barclay; Keith McKain; James Baker; Larry Gilbert; Jay Linard; Bonnie Witmer; Joan Baker; Jeannette Haas.
 2nd R. L-R.—Sharon Baker; Linda Shireman; Lila Nissley; Joanne Linard; Loretta Scholl; Joanne Zuch; Karen Baker.
 3rd Row—Mrs. Charles Scholl; James Fulmer; Mrs. Leroy Lindemuth.



JUNIOR AND PRIMARY CLASSES

1st Row L-R.—Cindy Reifsnnyder; Bobby Baker; Robin Witmer; Donald Ney; Delores Wise; Nancy Sipling; Ty-Ann McKain; Constance Simmons; Rose Wise; Brenda Gillham; Brenda Wallich; Gail Louise Houck; Curtis Boyer; Christine Zuch.
 2nd Row L-R.—Susan Cunningham; Jack Linard; Bobbie Billett; Johnny Fuhrman; Susie Zuch; Michael Simmons; Donnie McKain; Carol Shireman; Barbara Shireman; Mary Jo Barclay; Marlyn Baker; Judy Rice; John Boyer; Eugene [Gene] Herchelroth; Dorothy Smith.
 3rd Row L-R.—Sallie Zuch, Jimmie Wise; Stephen Zuch.
 4th Row L-R.—Rebecca Zuch; Luetta Barclay; Marian Nell; Mrs. V. L. Fulmer; Janet Rettew; Mrs. Rebecca Kaegel; Mrs. J. B. Herchelroth.

PROPERTY

The first property of the Lutherans in Marietta was bought April 3rd 1874 from the Methodist Congregation. The Lot number 194 on the Corner of Walnut Street and Mulberry Alley, fifty feet by one hundred and sixty feet. The deed for this property is recorded in the County Office, Lancaster, Book L Vol. 10, Page 533. The deed was made to Adam Naylor and three months later the edifice was finished and Lutheran Church and their successors in office. The price paid was one hundred dollars. The Methodists had purchased this lot from Samuel Houston and Wife Esther July 2, 1829. Here they built a small frame Meeting-house, their church cemetery was back of the church adjoining Poplar Alley. They continued to occupy this house of worship until the building of their new brick Meeting-house in 1850.

In 1874 the lot on Walnut Street was sold to the Lutheran Congregation. Two years later—in 1876—the Lutherans decided to build a church and the foundation was laid. But due to adverse circumstances the building operations were discontinued. Then on August 26, 1878 the congregation decided to resume their work and the project advanced rapidly, "all did their best and much of the labor was done by members without

pay." On September 15th the corner stone was laid and three months later the edifice was finished and dedicated on December 15, 1878. The Structure is built of brick, Gothic Style, thirty-three feet by sixty feet excluding buttresses; walls sixteen feet high. In 1883 the congregation added a tower and the women's Society presented the Bell in Memory of the Four hundredth anniversary of the birth of Dr. Martin Luther, born Nov. 10th, 1483. The Bell weighs 5801 lbs. without Mountings, which were a present of the Young Folk's Society and same was dedicated July 15, the fifth anniversary of Pastor Mueller's installation.

In 1888 at the tenth anniversary the church was renovated, frescoed and rededicated. In 1904 the church was remodelled at a cost of eighteen hundred dollars. In 1907 the Sunday School Chapel was built and a steam heating plant installed. From 1914 to 1918 funds were collected to pay off a debt of one thousand dollars with interest. Then a new stone (wall) fence was built in front of the parsonage, curbing and gutter in front of the Church, cement work back of the Sunday school building and other improvements and repairs were made.



THE PARSONAGE

March 31, 1890 Zion congregation bought from Samuel Patterson two lots of ground with a large three story frame dwelling house, laid off by Benjamin Long, numbers 195 and 126 fronting on Walnut street one hundred feet and extending back to Alley one hundred and sixty feet. Amount paid for this property was sixteen hundred dollars. The deed for this property is recorded in Lancaster Court-house in Book M. Vol. 13, page 275. The congregation authorized the purchase of this property. See Minute book page 47. In January 1892 the parsonage was renovated and repaired, costing one thousand nine hundred and seventy-four dollars and fifteen cents (\$1974.15).

In September 1898 repairs were made on the parsonage and the porch built. At the same time David Geib installed book racks on the pews in the Church. In 1904 the Parsonage and Church was painted, on the outside. May 1910 the Parsonage was wired by William Sultzback, costing \$81.52. May 1911 the front room and dining room and hall of the parsonage were painted. Jan. 7, 1914 money given for the painting of the Parsonage: B. F. Heistand \$25.00; and John Orth Sr. \$25.00.

The Sunday School Chapel: In December 1906 a committee was appointed to proceed with the building of a Sunday School Chapel: Committee: J. P. Mueller, George Shields, B. Derr, William Beates and Rev. W. F. Rex. The Chapel was built the next year—1907. There was some indebtedness. Jan. 10, 1909 money was borrowed from William Beates to settle up outstanding accounts on the Chapel. Twenty-one hundred dollars was borrowed at five per cent interest. A note for this amount was given to Mr. Beates on the above date. On April 1, 1909, the trustees were authorized to give Orth and Beates executors of the Beates Estate a new note for eleven hundred and fifty dollars with interest at five per cent and the nine hundred and fifty dollars from the Barbara Hauer Estate be paid on the original note of \$2100.00. This note of eleven and fifty dollars with interest was paid in full on March 1914. Each year the interest and some on the principal was paid regularly until full amount paid.

Rest Rooms were built at the rear of the S. S. Chapel in the Spring of 1954. The cost was about fourteen hundred dollars, financed by voluntary contributions and a gift from John Orth Sr., Miss Elizabeth Eater, George Eater and others.



THE FIRST ZION CHURCH

This house of worship has not been greatly changed since its erection. A gallery has been added, a bell-tower built and some changes made on the interior. It has a seating capacity of about four hundred. In

1854 the German Reformed and Lutheran Congregations were allowed by the Trustees to place an Organ in the Church.

ZION'S CHURCH YARD

Newspaper clipping: Quote: "Before we had a burial ground—we had a funeral—we had no church and consequently no church-yard or God's Acre. For the ground assigned in "New Haven" by David Cook was not yet fenced in—so when Thomas Walton's son, age 14 years, died we had no burial ground. The body was taken to some distant place."

Thomas Walton lived on Front street where he had a store. This funeral led to the enclosing of a part of what is now Zion Church Yard.

The second funeral followed soon after. It was a baby—family of Daniel Longsdorf who lived on Front street. This was the first interment in Zion's cemetery. This was in the year of 1807.

This burial ground in which Zion Church was built (1818-1823) soon was filled. It was found necessary in 1857 to restrict making interments there. An addition to it was made by the Borough, but burials there were soon discontinued.

The Methodist Church had a burial ground back of their meeting-house on Walnut Street. When the Lutheran Congregation acquired this property permission was given by families concerned to have the bodies removed to another cemetery. The same was true of the Presbyterian church on Gay Street, bodies buried there were removed to the nearby city cemetery.

In November 1803 when David laid out the town plan of New Haven, he gave the land to the town for burial purposes. This was reserved for the citizens of the Borough. When the people of the community decided to build a Union Church, they obtained permission of the town to build on this Lot. The Church called "Zion" was erected and financed by the people, to be used as a place of worship for all protestant denominations. This church now belongs to the Town whose responsibility it is to keep same in good repair and to clean the cemetery as needed.

LEGACIES

In 1908 Barbara Hauer gave to Zion Lutheran Church the total sum of twenty-two hundred dollars. Two hundred dollars to be invested and the income used to keep up Cemetery Lot, One thousand dollars to be invested and the income used to buy bread for the Poor. One thousand dollars to be invested as the church may deem expedient. Also Miss Hauer gave the choir twenty-five dollars to be used as they wished.

Bequest: Reported to the council at a regular meeting held on December 7th, 1908—Minutes Page 15, J. P. Mueller Trustee, reported the receipt of the following bequests from Barbara Hauer Estate: "To Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church of Marietta for the use of the said congregation the sum of one thousand dollars less the five per cent inheritance tax paid to the state of Penna., net amount received nine hundred and fifty dollars and To Zion Evangelical Lutheran Congregation of Marietta the sum of one thousand dollars less the five per cent inheritance tax paid to the state of Penna—net amount received nine hundred and fifty dollars as a bread fund to be invested in the name of the congregation, the income—interest or profit thereof to be used for the relief of worthy and deserving poor of Marietta, as the congregation or their officers may see fit and proper." Minutes of the Council. "It was agreed to accept the bequests, as stated from Barbara Hauer estate and the Trustees were ordered to deposit the sum of nineteen hundred dollars in the Exchange Bank of Marietta, in the name of the Trustees for the use of this congregation, on certificate of deposit with interest at 3½% until a better paying investment can be secured."

William Beates Custodian of the Poor fund: Made a report on Jan. 10, 1909: (See Minutes)

Interest Received	\$200.00
Interest on Water Bond	\$ 4.00
Cash on Hand	\$ 5.35
	\$209.35

Expenditures	\$ 5.22
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Balance	\$204.13
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Maggie Maulick: Granddaughter of Frederick Maulick, Daughter of Ernest Maulick and wife Maggie Shillow. When Miss Maggie Maulick's mother died she made her home with her two aunts: Matilda and Maggie Maulick. Miss Maggie left five hundred dollar to Zion Church for an Organ. He aunt, Matilda (Mrs. Joseph Killian) raised additional funds (\$600.00) making the Organ fund eleven hundred dollars or more. This money was used to buy an old second hand organ in Reading. The same was moved to Marietta. Efforts were made to secure some one to rebuild the Organ but seemed no one could be secured.

This organ was stored until 1923, when it was sold. Only a small sum was realized from the sale which was put into a fund for a new Organ.

In 1922 Barr Spangler gave to Zion Church \$2000.00 to be used as the congregation wished. The church received after inheritance tax was deducted \$1800.00. This money was used to purchase a New Pipe Organ.

In 1948 Mrs. Anna G. Buohl of Maytown willed to Zion Church, Marietta the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250.00).

In 1951 Katherine Myers bequeathed to Zion Church funds which amounted to \$3634.72 and also her property on Front Street. This property—House and Lot—was sold for \$2042.00. Making a total of \$5676.72. The funds were used as follows: 1—Repair the church Roof \$1458.53; 2—Sico Company for Oil Burner \$2500; 3—Repairs on Sunday School Rooms \$37.00; 4—Renovation of the Pipe Organ (Mudler Hunter Co.) \$2100.00. Making a total of \$3845.53. There were incidentals like Taxes et cetera which were connected with the settlement of the estate. There is a Balance in the Myers' estate of \$1393.13.

Bonds: We have in the safe-deposit box at the bank:

U.S. Bond Series G. issued July 1943.....	\$1000.00
Two (100) bonds Series G. Issued Oct. 1943	\$ 200.00
Two (100) bonds Series G. Issued Nov. 1948	\$ 200.00
Total	\$1400.00

Special Funds: Balance in the Myers' Estate		\$1393.13
Inner Missions—Interest—Poor Fund....		83.97
Savings Account (Hauer Estate) Principal & Interest		\$ 243.34

Total	\$1720.44
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Total assets mentioned above \$3120.44. You will notice that a part of the Hauer estate (\$950.00) was invested as authorized by the testator and the interest of same to be used to buy bread for the poor. The interest from this fund is noted above. During the years of depression and at other times, the interest fund was so used. The Cemetery Lot fund (Hauer Estate) is on savings account and the interest has been added to it. (See above). The balance of the Hauer estate (\$950.00) was used to pay off the debt on the Sunday School Chapel.

Miss Barbara Elizabeth Eater remembered the church. Her gifts are mentioned elsewhere in this bulletin.—(Rest Room Fund: Publication of this History and funds for new Common Service Books for the Church).

PASTORS

ENGLISH LUTHERAN

William Gotthold Ernst
1812 — 1815

Frederick Ruthrauff
1827 — 1833

J. H. Menjes
1848 — 1850

Jacob B. Christ
1850 — 1854

B. F. Apple
1862 — 1854

GERMAN LUTHERAN

Jacob J. Strine
1815 — 1850

George M. Mertz
1855 — 1858

Joseph Schmalzl
1858 — 1859

John A. Darmstaetter
1859 — 1878

GERMAN - ENGLISH

George P. Mueller
1878 - 1891

Preston A. Laury
1892 — 1899

Calvin F. Kuder
1900 — 1903

W. F. Rex
1904 — 1910

Ira W. Klick
1910 — 1914

ENGLISH

Walter J. Huntsinger (1914 - 1921); Charles W. Jefferis (1921 - 1925); R. St. Clair Poffenbarger (1925-1927); Charles F. Holland (1928 - 1931); Elmore L. Wessinger (1931 - 1947); Arthur E. Greenwalt (1948-1951); Verley L. Fulmer (1952 -).

SONS OF THE CONGREGATION ENTERING CHRISTIAN SERVICE

Rev. Joseph Stump, D.D.

Rev. J. Elvin Zuch, A.B.

Rev. John A. Campbell, A.B., M.A.

Rev. Robert T. Zuch, A.B., B.D.

PROMINENT LAYMEN OF THE CONGREGATION

Among the lay members of the church whose example of love and devotion to Christ and his church are recorded; we mention several.

Michael Stump

John P. Mueller

Christian Kolb

John Eater

William Baetes

Wilhelm Zuch

Adam Koehler

John Haas

Ferdinand Zuch

George Raum

John Meister

Michael Westenhoefer



Rev. George Philip Mueller

George Philip Mueller was born on March 30, 1852 in Wallerstactten, Germany. He came to this country with his father in 1854 where they settled in Lancaster, Pennsylvania.

George Philip Mueller was educated at Concordia College and Mount Airy Lutheran Seminary. He served as pastor in Marietta and then went to the Germantown Orphans' Home and Old People's Home of The Lutheran Church where he served until his death. He died at Reading of a heart attack on June 29, 1900.

Paul A. Mueller

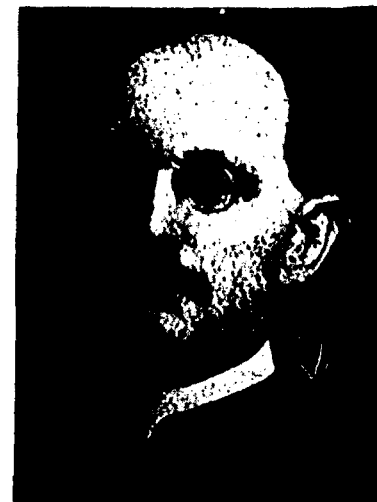


Rev. Preston A. Laury, D.D.

Dr. Laury was of Scotch descent, born at Hellers-town, Penna. He attended Bethlehem Academy (graduated from Muhlenberg College and from Mt. Airy Seminary. In 1897 he received his degree of M.S.T. from Chicago Seminary and his M.A. degree from the University of Pennsylvania in 1910. In 1915 Muhlenberg college conferred upon him the Doctor of

Divinity. He took graduate work in Philosophy and Archaeology at the University of Leipzig. Immediately following his ordination he began his ministry in Zion Marietta — taking charge in July 1892; he served in a very acceptable manner and commendable progress was made. After seven year's of labor he resigned in Nov. 1899. He was president and dean of Waterloo Theological Seminary; Organizer and President of Waterloo College, Ontario, Canada. He was the Author of several histories and Oriental Religious Subjects.

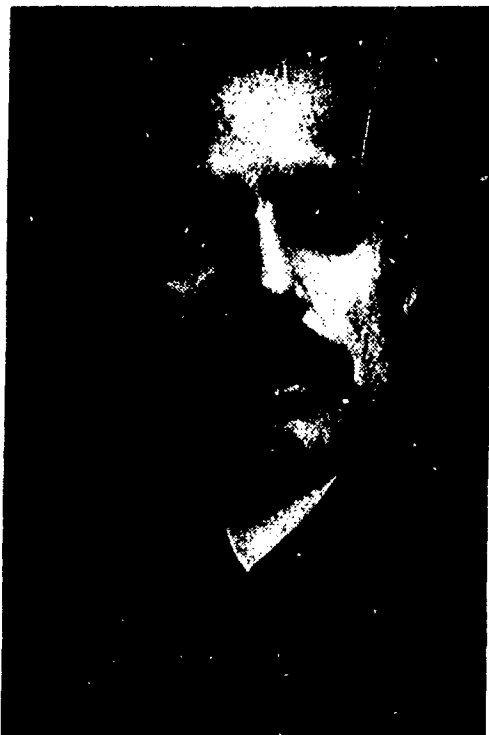
Dr. Laury married Miss Carrie Weber and they have five children. He died in Bethlehem, June 8, 1942—the day following the observance of the fiftieth anniversary of his entrance into the ministry. Burial was in the cemetery near his old home.



The Rev. Calvin F. Kuder, D.D.

Rev. Kuder was one of the three sons of William and Catherine (Keck) Kuder who entered the Lutheran ministry. His brothers, who like himself served the church faithfully, were the Rev. Hiram J. Kuder and the Rev. John H. Kuder.

Dr. Kuder was born April 10, 1864 at Laurys, Lehigh Co., Penna. He graduated from Roanoke College, Salem, Virginia, and the Mt. Airy Seminary in Philadelphia. Upon the completion of his courses in Theology he was called (1891) to become a missionary to India. When on furlough between 1898 and 1908 he served parishes at Marietta and Elizabethtown. Returning to the foreign field in 1908, he became head of the Boys' High School, manager of the Braum Printery and Principal of the school at Lutherberg. Probably his greatest contribution to the Cause in India was his translation of the Church into the language of the People. His third and last period of labor in India began in 1914. Soon thereafter he returned to America because of National political entanglements. The Curtis Publishing Co. of Philadelphia gave him employment until his retirement in 1931. He died on Sept. 8, 1935. His widow, Mattie E. Kuder, six sons and one daughter survive him.



Dr. W. F. Rex

To Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church, Marietta, Pa.
By Dr. F. B. Rex, one time pastor of the Church.

The years that I spent in Marietta, Pa., as the pastor of the Lutheran Church are very vivid in my memory. They were happy years. They were fruitful years; fruitful as to the development of the Church, and fruitful as to the experience of my ministerial life. I was young then, having been out of the Seminary but a very short time. My mistakes and my shortcomings were many. But by the patience and helpfulness of the members of the church and the goodness of God much was accomplished. New members were added and the church property was greatly improved and enlarged. We had comparatively little to go on, but by the grace of God, the good will and the devotedness of the people much was done. There are in my mind now the names of some of the more active members of the group, and I should like to name a few, but lest I forget some, I will name none. Their names are recorded in the Book of Life. That is sufficient.

The well adapted Sunday School annex, the windows in the church auditorium and other improvements still stand as a memorial of the love and faith of the workers of those days. These improvements have served the congregation well through the years.

As I reflect now on the experiences of those years, and I often have, they proved to be preparatory for a larger work, both for myself and for Mrs. Rex, to which we were called. In mid Winter we left Marietta for Racine, Wisconsin. There by the help of God we did a monumental work. The Church of the Atonement, Racine, where I was pastor for a number of years, now has a baptized membership of 2,600; with two pastors serving the people.

From there I went to Freeport, Ill., where, by the

help of God, we transformed both the physical equipment of the church as well as the character of the congregation. Two services are now necessary every Sunday morning in order to accommodate the worshippers. During my pastorate there we built a large and modern educational building, connecting it with the church and the parsonage so that the three building are under one roof. After serving the Freeport Church for almost seventeen years I was called as pastor to the First Church, Fairfield, Iowa, where we served until it became necessary, on account of Mrs. Rex's health, to retire. All through my rich ministerial life God used us wonderfully.

Zion Marietta still stands, as she has stood, on the banks of the old Susquehanna now for one hundred years as a light house guiding weary pilgrims homeward; like a mighty bulwark against all manner of sin. May she continue to stand and serve for ages yet to come is the hope and prayer of your one time pastor—

W. F. Rex



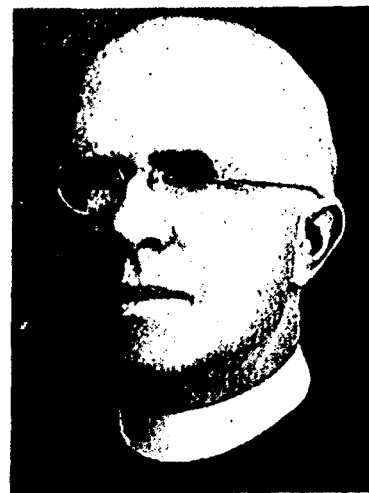
Rev. Ira W. Klick

A native of Lebanon County, he was the son of the late Jonathan and Susan Werner Klick and received his elementary education in Lebanon County and then enrolled in the old Keystone State Normal School, Kutztown. He graduated from Muhlenberg College in 1897 and then enrolled in Mount Airy Theological Seminary where he was graduated in 1900. He was ordained by the Ministerium of Pennsylvania and served the St. Stephen's congregation in Allentown for ten years. He accepted a call to Zion and came to Marietta in May 1910. He was a capable and progressive pastor; laboring assiduously and he led the congregation in the local and general work of the church. From Marietta he was called to the Strausstown parish which he served until June 1927.

Rev. Klick was one of the founders of the Good Shepherd Home and served as first Secretary and Treasurer of its board.

Pastor Klick married Miss Hattie S. Coover of Myerstown. They have two children: Rev. Richard C. Klick of Allentown and Dr. Clifford Klick (Physicist) of Washington, D. C.

Rev. Klick died on Jan. 12, 1955 at his home in Kutztown, aged 86 years. His widow and two sons, nine grandchildren, a brother and a sister survive.



Charles William Jefferis



Rev. Walter Jesse Huntsinger

Pastor Huntsinger was born and reared in Du-shore, Penna.; attended the public school of his home community; graduated at Muhlenberg College and Mt. Airy Seminary; ordained by the Ministerium of Pennsylvania. Among the parishes he served was Zion Marietta. He entered upon this work in 1914; served faithfully until 1921. He was a man of genial disposition, affable in manner, an earnest preacher and hard worker. During his term of service in Marietta many improvements were made. A parish paper was published, Indebtedness paid off, funds raised for a Pipe Organ and the membership was increased. He was popular with all the members as well as the people of the community and his ministry was one to all the people. He accepted a call from St. Paul's Congregation in Millersville. He closed his ministry here in Sept. 1921.

Pastor Huntsinger married Miss Anna Roeder of Allentown. They have two children: Miriam Culler and Prof. D. W. Huntsinger.

Pastor Jefferis was born in West Chester, September 12, 1864, son of Jacob and Adaline Breckenridge Jefferis. He is a graduate of Muhlenberg College in 1886, Philadelphia Seminary and was ordained by the Ministerium of Pennsylvania. After serving several parishes he was called to Marietta in 1921. He found in the church a vexatious situation, the congregation had, a few years before, purchased an old organ, and had spent a considerable sum on it and still were not able to have the Instrument re-conditioned and re-built. They were in a dilemma. Pastor Jefferis by his own innate strength of intellect studied and understood the problem. With patience and tact he led the way for a New Organ. Personally soliciting funds, and using what money the congregation had for this project, they were successful in obtaining the new organ. It was an important movement and one which led to the happiest result. Pastor Jefferis was a musician and knew what was best for the congregation. The Old Pipe Organ was sold and the funds applied to the new. Other improvements were made under Pastor Jefferis' leadership and guidance. He was foremost in every enterprise calculated to extend and foster the best interest of the church. After four years of intense and successful labor he resigned and accepted another parish.

Rev. Jefferis died May 26, 1940 at North Wales Penna. where he had moved when he retired. He leaves a widow — Katherine Weikel Jefferis, and a daughter. Interment was in St. Peters' Church Cemetery at North Wales.



Rev. R. S. Poffenbarger

Rev. Poffenbarger came to Marietta in December 1925. His ability as a preacher was most excellent. He possessed a strong and powerful voice. He was a man of fine culture and accomplished in music. He was friendly, affable in manner and an indefatigable worker. In connection with his pastoral duties he taught school and during the summer he did much gardening. During his term Zion congregation enjoyed a high degree of prosperity. In November 1927 he accepted a call to the New Market Parish in Virginia.



Chaplain Charles F. Holland

I was pastor of Zion's Evangelical Lutheran Church, Marietta, Pa., June 1928 - October 1931.

During these years a Luther League was organized and became very active in the life of the church.

The Sunday School had a successful baseball team.

The first interdenominational Daily Vacation Bible school was organized and conducted with marked success, and for the first time an interdenominational Sunday school picnic was held at Hershey Park. It necessitated closing all the industries of town the day of the picnic.

The depression having put many people out of work, the church took an active part in feeding the poor of the town.

Statistical records will be found in the church register.

We hope your anniversary will be a marked success, and ask God's blessing on you as pastor, and all the members of your congregation.

Sincerely,
Charles F. Holland, Chaplain, USNR.



Rev. Elmore L. Wessinger

Rev. Elmore L. Wessinger, a native of Chapin, South Carolina, was graduated at Newberry College, Newberry, S. C., and the Lutheran Theological Seminary in Philadelphia, and was ordained by the Lutheran Ministerium of Pennsylvania.

His first parish was St. John's, Shiremanstown, Pa., where he served seven years. His second parish was Emmanuel-Mt. Zion, New Market, Va., where he served five years. His third parish was Advent, Lancaster, Pa., where he served twenty years.

Having resigned Advent, he was asked in the fall of 1931 by the President of the Ministerium, Dr. E. P. Pfatteicher, to supply Zion, Marietta, for an indefinite period.

He preached his first sermon in Zion, Marietta, on the last Sunday in October 1931. At the regular meeting of the Church Council on the first Sunday in November, 1931, he was elected Supply Pastor for an indefinite period. That period lasted for sixteen years, till November 1, 1947.

During this time the work of the congregation greatly prospered, the Sunday school grew, the attendance at the services of the church increased, many new members were added to the church, and repairs and improvements made to the church property.

A debt of around \$1500. was paid off, the Sunday school rooms on the inside were painted and new windows put in. Later a new floor was put in the belfry, the brick on the outside of the church painted and the broken glass in the windows renewed. The parsonage was repaired and painted. Rev. Wessinger never lived in the parsonage, but continued to live in Lancaster and usually came to Marietta one day a week to make pastoral visits. The parsonage was rented the greater part of the time.

At the meeting of the Church Council in September, 1947, Rev. Wessinger presented his resignation to take effect November 1, 1947, at the end of his sixteen years of service to the congregation.



Rev. Arthur E. Greenwalt, Sr.

Pastor Greenwalt is a native of Shenandoah, Penna. He was educated at Muhlenberg College and Mt. Airy Theological Seminary. Ordained by the Ministerium of Pennsylvania.

Zion Marietta was his first Parish. He took charge in 1948 and was installed February 29th.

Young and full of energy; deeply interested and devoted to his work; he labored earnestly and led the congregation to greater activity. Many improvements were made such as, installing new lights. The Parsonage remodeled, a new roof put on the Church and Sunday School Chapel, Pipe Organ repaired and a new "Stop" added; and Oil furnaces installed in both the church and parsonage. New items of equipment: Church Bulletin Board, Lectern Bible, Altar Service Books, Gowns for the Junior Choir, a projector and screen, and a Christian Flag. Beside these: the apportionment was paid in full for several years, also LWA 100% and "Chey" Quota — "Over the top".

The fervent zeal which characterized his ministry revived the Congregation.

He resigned to accept a call to St. Peter's Church, Pittston, Penna., and moved the latter part of November 1951.

SONS ENTERING CHRISTIAN SERVICE



The Rev. Joseph Stump, D.D., LL.D., L.H.D.,
(Son of Michael Stump and wife Leah Hoover)

Dr. Stump was born in Marietta, Pa., October 6, 1866, and baptized in Zion Lutheran Church, November 4, 1866; Catechized and confirmed on Palm Sunday, April 6, 1879. He obtained his education in the public schools of Marietta; graduated from Capitol University, Columbus, Ohio, and from Mt. Airy Theological Seminary, Philadelphia, Pa. He was ordained by the Ministerium of Pennsylvania in 1887.

Dr. Stump married Miss Alice Amanda Cooper, daughter of Joseph and Anna Lydia Cooper of Ephrata, Penna. They were married at the bride's home on June 18, 1891 by the Rev. George Phillips Mueller. To this union were born seven children: Marian (Mrs. Chester Bowman); George; Anna; Joseph; Rose (Mrs. Chas. E. Fritz); William, and Theodore.

He served pastorates in Great Bend and Ephrata, Penna. and Phillipsburg, N.J.

In 1915 he was called to the chair of systematic Theology in the Chicago Lutheran Seminary, Maywood, Ill. In 1920, when the Northwestern Lutheran Seminary was founded, he was called as its President and served in that capacity until his death in May, 1935.

Beside preaching and teaching Dr. Stump wrote several books on education and Theological subjects. Among the best known are his "Explanation of Luther's Small Catechism," which is widely used to-day; "The Christian Faith" and "The Christian Life" both of which are used as Text books. He also wrote "Bible Story" and "Bible Teachings" which were used generally in the graded Sunday School and are still in demand. He wrote a "Biography of Philip Melancthon", the "Life of Lena Luther" and translated "Stark's Prayer Book."

Dr. Stump completed 48 years in the Gospel Ministry and through his writings he is still making plain the way. He was given honorary degrees by Capitol University, Muhlenberg College and Carthage College.

Mrs. Stump died in May, 1943. Four children are still living: Mrs. Chester Bowman, Maderna, California; Rev. Joseph Stump, India; Mrs. Charles E. Fritz, Atlanta, Ga.; and Theodore Stump, Livingston, Montana.

Rev. Chas. E. Fritz, D.D.

Atlanta, Ga., Oct. 1954.

President of the Georgia-Alabama Synod



John A. Campbell, A.B., M.A.

John was born and reared in Marietta. He attended the public schools, graduated from Franklin & Marshall College and the University of Wisconsin.

He entered the teaching profession and was a most excellent instructor.

Turning his attention to the subject of religion, he prepared himself for the ministry. After finishing his courses in Theology at (Franklin & Marshall) Seminary, he was ordained and served a parish in Altoona. Some years afterwards he retired from the ministry and again engaged in teaching. He was especially successful in the field of education. Upon retiring, he moved back to his old home in Marietta.

He married Estha McDowell and they have two daughters: Margaret and Jean.

In early life he attended the Lutheran church with his mother, and according to custom he was catechized and confirmed in Zion Lutheran Church. He and his wife are at present most active members.



Rev. John Elvin Zuch

Rev. Zuch was born in Marietta, son of George F. and Annie E. Zuch. He was baptized in Zion Lutheran Church by the Rev. Preston A. Laury and confirmed in 1913 by Rev. Ira W. Klick. He served three years in U.S. Army during the first world war, attended school at Milton University, Baltimore, Md. After completing his courses in college he was ordained to the Ministry. He has served several parishes in Penna. and at present is pastor of the First Primitive Methodist Church, Philadelphia. In 1920 he married Miss Ella Irene Nicholls, of Philadelphia and they have six children: four girls and two sons. The oldest son is now pastor at New Bedford, Mass.

PROMINENT LAYMEN



Michael Stump

Michael Stump was a well-known and prominent citizen of Marietta—a worthy representative of a highly esteemed family—a man of superior attainments and great force of character—a consecrated and humble leader in Zion Lutheran Church. His life was closely allied with the church. For a long period he efficiently served as superintendent of the Sunday School and as secretary of the Council. He was devout and all who knew him respected him for the faith he so earnestly upheld. He passed away on September 15, 1922—aged 87 years, 8 months and 22 days—leaving behind him the record of an exemplary life as a Lutheran Layman and Christian Gentleman.



William C. Beates

William C., a noble and worthy representative of the Beates family, was one of the principal supporters of Zion Congregation. He was a loyal and staunch member. He performed his duty with pleasure and efficiency; as a member and officer he was always faithful and never absent from worship unless providentially hindered. He was liberal and gave much money to the church, and also for the General Causes of the Church—giving large contributions to various Institutions and Mission Boards. He always saw to it that Zion would do her part.

Mr. Beates was an upright, pious and honorable man who led a life of great usefulness in both the church and community. A true friend to all mankind, hence he was highly honored and respected by every one of his life-long and faithful service.

"Mark the perfect men and behold the upright, for the end of that man in peace." A foremost leader in Zion Congregation and a remarkable man. He is gone but still lives in the hearts and minds of all who knew him.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis A. Uhlig

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis A. Uhlig are natives of Shamokin, Penna. They came to Marietta in June 1949 and united with Zion Lutheran Church. They took an active part and manifested a deep interest in the congregation. In January 1950 Mr. Uhlig was elected Superintendent of the Sunday School. He is an amiable, diligent, and efficient leader—discharging his duties with skill and ability. He gives generously of his time and means to the school. Under his guidance the Sunday School has increased in proficiency and in attendance.

Mrs. Uhlig is the former Miss Faith A. Malinowski. She is a trained Nurse and practiced her profession before marriage. Her grandfather came from Poland and her grandmother from Lithuania (East Poland).

Mr. and Mrs. Uhlig have three children: two sons, Dale and Jeffrey, and a daughter, Hope Cheryl.





The Reverend Robert T. Zuch, his wife, Muriel and daughters Daphne and Rachael.

Rev. Robert T. Zuch

Born July 21, 1921 and reared in Marietta, Pa. Graduated from Marietta High School in 1939. Attended Lowell Institute in Lynn, Mass. while participating in a General Electric training program. Served 3 years in U.S. Army, including service in England, where he met his wife, Muriel G. Brunt. Upon return and discharge from the army, he attended and graduated from Franklin & Marshall College in 1950 with Bachelor of Arts degree.

Received Bachelor of Divinity degree from Mt. Airy Seminary and was ordained to the ministry in 1953.

He received a call from the Board of Foreign Missions of the U.L.C.A. for service in Japan.

Attended Yale Institute of Far Eastern languages for one year.

The Rev. and Mrs. Zuch were commissioned as missionaries in Christ Lutheran Church, Lancaster, Pa., June 1954 and sailed in June 1954 with their two daughters for missionary service in Japan.

H. A. Z.

John P. Mueller

Mr. Mueller was a faithful attendant and active supporter of Zion Church. He was trustee for a long time, also served as superintendent of the Sunday School for many years and a member of the Choir. He filled all positions with proficiency, performing his duties impartially to all. His gentle and cordial greeting, sympathetic sentiments, encouraging words and helpful acts of kindness have left deep impression upon all.

John P. Mueller was quite active in civic affairs, having served as president of the school board, and the water company, as well as participated in other forms of town affairs.

C. H. M.



John Orth, Sr.

A prominent and influential citizen of Marietta. He started his career in the meat business and then turned his talents into many other fields. Organizer of Marietta Silk Mill; Postmaster for two terms; President of the First National Bank and the Home Building and Loan Association; Member and president of the School Board; Alderman; Treasurer of the Fire Company; and Councilman in Zion Lutheran Church. He died on January 3, 1955 at the age of 86 years.

CHURCH OFFICERS

July 1855: Jacob Heisey; Peter Olphen; Christopher Kolb; Henry Schmidt.

January 1869, Friedrick Bink; and Solomon Haffner, Trustees.

Karl Rost; Daniel Ziegelmeier; Adam Koehler; Frederick Krauss, Deacons.

Christ Kolb; William Zuch; Michael Stump; Gottlieb Meier, Elders.

January 1880: Michael Stump and Christopher Kolb, Trustees.

Ludwig Baker; Johann Haas; Otto Zuch; Frederick Schoenberger, Deacons.

Wilhelm Zuch; Jacob Menges; Johann Maister; Adam Koehler, Elders.

January 1890: Peter Olphen and George Miller, Trustees.

Samuel Raum; Philip Straub; George Zuch, Frank Straub, Deacons.

William Westenhoefer; John Meister; George Sanders; Adam Mueller, Elders.

January 1900: William Zuch, Sr., and William Baetes, Trustees.

William Zuch, Jr.; Michael Westenhoefer; William Crist; Michael Stump, Deacons.

Samuel Britigan; George Zuch; Adam Koehler; George Miller, Elders.

January 1910: Adam Miller and John P. Mueller, Trustees.

B. Derr; Paul Arnold; George F. Zuch; William Crist, Elders.

Milton McElroy; John Straub; Fred. W. Zuch; Philip Straub, Deacons.

January 1920: George F. Zuch and John P. Mueller, Trustees.

Harry M. Brill; Michael Westenhoefer; Walter Fryberger; Charles Swarmer, Elders.

Charles Heffelfinger; Harry Zuch; William Westenhoefer; Samuel Brill, Deacons.

January 1930: Frederick Zuch and R. B. Neis, Trustees. Elmer Walters; John Boyer; Clarence Schlag; Ray Hecht, Deacons.

Clarence Nagle; Charles Kraus; Harry Brill; L. C. Reisner, Elders.

January 1940: John Orth, Jr., and Harry Brill, Trustees.

Harry Zuch; Elvin Smith; Joseph Koehler; Winfield Eater, Elders.

Maurice Sweitzer; Lloyd H. Fuhrman; Harry Weaver; David Mumper, Deacons.

January 1950: Franklin Dagle and Elmer Walters and George F. Eater, Trustees.

Charles A. Scholl; Loy A. Whitekettle; Hiram Mowrer; Maurice A. Sweitzer, Deacons.

Robert Uhlig; Lester Zuch; Paul Weien, Elders.

Maurice A. Sweitzer, Secretary.

EXCERPTS

The first of February, 1880 a request came from Immanuel's Lutheran Church in New York City for the services of Pastor Mueller. On the 24th the congregation decided to retain their pastor. A letter was written to Immanuel's stating that due to the fact that Pastor Mueller had just built his church and there was a large debt, they needed his guidance and leadership. He had succeeded in building up the congregation after much dissension between the German and English, they felt they could not let him go.

October, 1880 the council decided to make an every-member-canvass and secure subscriptions for funds to meet their church obligations.

January, 1882 the council decided to charge non-contributing members the sum of five dollars for use of the church for Funerals.

January, 1883 a committee was appointed to obtain estimates on the cost of building a tower on the church. Two plans with costs were submitted. One for a tower built on the corner of the church, the other for the tower on top of the church. The latter was selected. It was decided that if every member contributed one dollar per month the church would have no financial difficulties. On July 23, the congregation voted thanks to Pastor Mueller who donated the lumber for the belfry; to John Eppel, Peter Olphen, Jack Menge for hauling same and to John Prosher for painting. A schedule for bell-ringing was then set up by the pastor. In November the congregation authorized the council to have the church insured, and each member was requested to give forty cents for this purpose.

January 1, 1885 the congregation voted thanks to Annie Bink, Katie Miller, and Maude Weaver for playing the organ. George Miller's daughter volunteered to play for the German services. Mr. Sanders was elected janitor at a salary of \$12.00 for the year. June, 1885 the envelope system was adopted and twelve envelopes were given the members for regular monthly contributions to the church.

In 1904 the church memorial windows were put in and the congregation voted thanks to the Doners on August 21st.

February, 1909 the weekly envelope system was adopted and the office of financial secretary was created. March 1, 1909 Paul A. Arnold was chosen to serve as financial secretary. He held this position for many years.

October, 1921 the parsonage was remodeled, repapered and painted. The arrangement of the kitchen, bath-room and other rooms were improved, costing about \$900.00. The greater part of this cost was paid by the Ladies Aid Society.

In January, 1954 rest-rooms back of the Sunday School Chapel were built, cost about fourteen hundred dollars.

December 12, 1954 the Employees of Wyeth Laboratory presented our church with a large Cross in Loving Memory of Miss Elizabeth Eater. At the same time Mr. George Eater presented Vases and Candlesticks in Memory of his Parents: Mr. and Mrs. Casper Eater,

A new Pulpit Bible given in Loving Memory of Mr. & Mrs. S. W. Zuch by Joseph F. Zuch.

A New Lecturn Bible given in Loving Memory of Mr. and Mrs. Casper Eater and in Loving Memory of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Thuma by Miss Elizabeth Eater and Mrs. Martin Good.

The Christian Flag a gift to the church from Miss Elizabeth Heilman. The Altar Service Book, a gift from Lester and Arthur Zuch.

The Church Bulletin Board in front of the Church a gift in Loving Memory of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Fuhrman by their Children.

New Lighting System

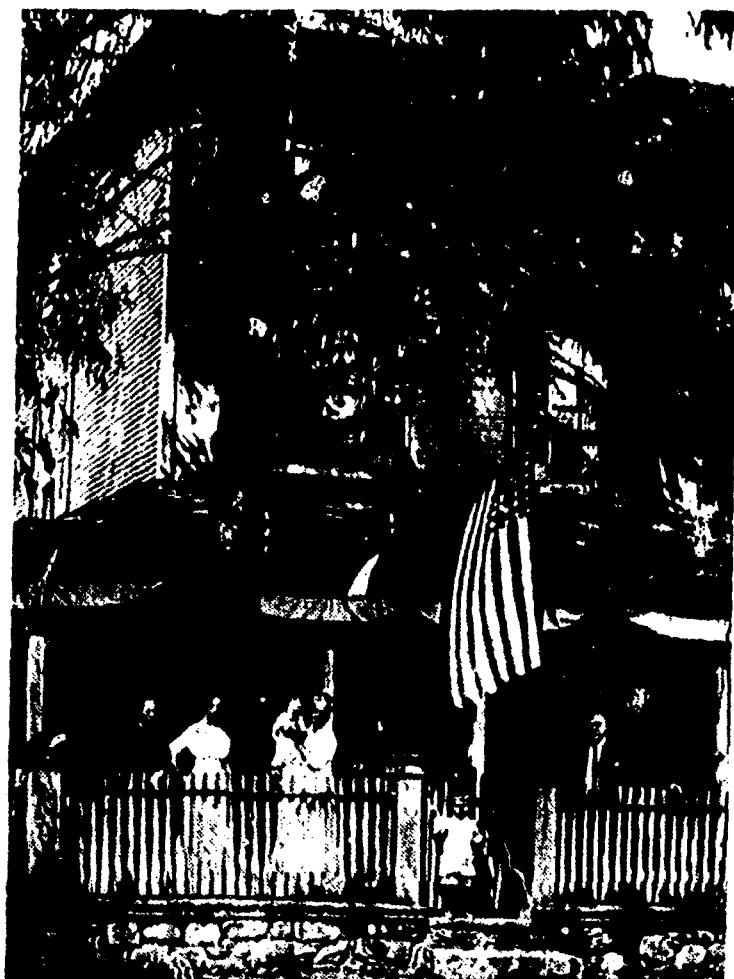
The New Lighting System consists of thirteen lights complete: 6 lantern-shape, bronze frame lights in the Nave; 3 Underhead lights; 2 Balcony lights; 1 Outside lantern; 1 Sanctuary light. The Congregation and the several Organizations and Societies of the Church make this project a worthy success.

Church Redecorating

The Walls of the Church are done in a two shade green, with Bordering decorations; the Sanctuary is done in a blotched color-effect; the Organ pipes regilt; the Woodwork and Furniture repainted. The Ladies Aid Society of the Church is to be commended on its excellent support of this fine undertaking. The members of this group are: Mrs. Joseph Kochler, President; Mrs. Harry Shields; V-Pres.; Mrs. Harry Zuch, Sec.; Miss Elizabeth Eater, Treas.; Miss Minnie Zuch; Mrs. Sarah Wagner, Mrs. Earl Ney, Miss Helen Maulick, Mrs. Carrie Evans, Mrs. Ida O. Funk, Mrs. John Boyer, Mrs. Paul Arnold, Mrs. George Eater, Mrs. Anna Nell, Mrs. Martin Good, Mrs. Christina MacFarland, Mrs. Mervin Wise, Mrs. Jean Richardson, Mrs. Joseph Herchelroth, Mrs. James Campbell.



Harvest Home



Parsonage 1912

FIRST BAPTISMS

Date	Name	Birth	Parents
July 1, 1855.....	Wilhelm Schmidt	Feb. 26, 1855.....	Joseph & Elizabeth Schmidt
July 1, 1855.....	Margaretha Schoen	Oct. 13, 1854.....	Christopher & Margaretha Schoen
July 15, 1855.....	Petrus Raum	Dec. 5, 1854.....	George & Dorothea Raum
July 19, 1855.....	Syrus Sulzback	Sept. 19, 1854.....	Johann & Sarah Sulzbach
July 23, 1855.....	Anna Christina Neu.....	May 22, 1855.....	Bernhard & Jacobina Neu
Aug. 12, 1855.....	Barbara Kunstmann	July 2, 1855.....	Peter & Susan Kunstmann
Aug. 12, 1855.....	Louise Kuhnle	June 30, 1855.....	Christian & Barbara Kuhnle
Aug. 26, 1855.....	Heinrich Dinkel	Mar. 22, 1852.....	Rudolph & Katharina Dinkle
Aug. 26, 1855.....	Geo. Washington Dinkel	Aug. 4, 1852.....	Rudolph & Katharina Dinkle
Aug. 26, 1855.....	Elizabeth Pauline Olphen	May 3, 1855.....	Peter & Henriette Olphen
Sept. 2, 1855.....	Maria Justine Tisch	May 9, 1855.....	Wilhelm & Catharin Tisch
Sept. 22, 1855.....	Louise Bernhardt	Aug. 5, 1855.....	Geo. & Magdalena Bernhardt
Sept. 22, 1855.....	Anna Elizabeth Grund	June 19, 1855.....	Johann & Maria Grund
Sept. 22, 1855.....	Henry Schmarmer	Jan. 12, 1855.....	Carl & Anna Schmarmer
Sept. 23, 1855.....	Auguste Lousise Zuch	Aug. 27, 1855.....	Ferdinand & Anna T. Zuch
Nov. 9, 1855.....	Anna Maria Rost	Oct. 25, 1854.....	August & Magdalena Rost
Nov. 11, 1855.....	Christiane Louise Koch	Sept. 30, 1855.....	Geo. P. & Elizabeth Koch
Nov. 11, 1855.....	Elizabeth Margareth Hartig	Aug. 27, 1855.....	Johann & Maria Hartig
Nov. 20, 1855.....	Johann Geo. Leicht	Nov. 26, 1855.....	Johann & Anna M. Leicht
Nov. 25, 1855.....	Maria Margaretha Ehrlicher	Oct. 19, 1855.....	Peter & Barbara Ehrlicher
Nov. 25, 1855.....	Johann Adam Kratzert	Oct. 4, 1855.....	Geo. P. & Eva C. Kratzert
Dec. 2, 1855.....	Margaretha Maas	Nov. 29, 1851.....	Nicholas & Anna Maas
Dec. 2, 1855.....	Ludwig Wilhelm Stoltz	Feb. 18, 1854.....	Johann & Maria B. Stoltz
Jan. 20, 1856.....	Maria Ann Fleckenstein	Jan. 20, 1856.....	Frederick & Anna Fleckenstein
Jan. 27, 1856.....	Anna Barbara Kottler	Oct. 13, 1855.....	Johann & Barbara Kottler
Feb. 18, 1856.....	Melanckthon Weilly	Feb. 7, 1856.....	Robert & Maria Weilly
Feb. 24, 1856.....	Heinrick Wolyern	Dec. 12, 1855.....	Heinrick & Christina Wolyer
Feb. 26, 1856.....	Franz Joseph Schmahl	Feb. 21, 1856.....	Ludwig & Rosina S. Schmahl
Mar. 30, 1856.....	Wilhelm Krause	Mar. 16, 1856.....	Christian & Elizabeth Krause
Mar. 31, 1856.....	Henrietta Dorothea Ehrke	Mar. 31, 1856.....	Heinrick & Carolyne Ehrke
April 27, 1856.....	Geo. Washington Haas	Feb. 21, 1856.....	Frederick & Maria Haas
May 4, 1856.....	George Haas	Nov. 15, 1855.....	Johann & Elizabeth Haas
May 4, 1856.....	Geo. Frederick Stein	Feb. 5, 1856.....	Geo. & Elizabeth Stein
May 9, 1856.....	Anna Maria Woerner	April 24, 1856.....	Andreas & Christina Woerner
May 10, 1856.....	Andreas Schutle	April 3, 1856.....	John & Anna Schutle
June 1, 1856.....	Frederick Hapler	May 6, 1856.....	Joseph & Maria Hapler
June 8, 1856.....	Elizabeth Frey	May 12, 1856.....	Peter & Elenore Frey
June 17, 1856.....	Elias Mayer	Feb. 2, 1856.....	Andreas & Maria Mayer
June 22, 1856.....	Elizabeth Rebecca Klein	Mar. 15, 1855.....	Jacob & Elizabeth Klein
July 6, 1856.....	Johann Frederick Weber	Nov. 27, 1855.....	Gottfrel & Louise Weber
July 6, 1856.....	Elizabeth Weber	May 7, 1853.....	Gottfriel & Louise Weber
July 6, 1856.....	Louise Helena Pftzinger	Sept. 2, 1855.....	Franz & Louise Pftzinger
Aug. 10, 1856.....	Andreas Zimmermann	Aug. 8, 1856.....	John & Catherina Zimmermann
Sept. 7, 1856.....	Johann Wilhelm Stolz	June 23, 1856.....	Christian & Magdalena Stolz
Sept. 14, 1856.....	Elizabeth Grop	Aug. 24, 1856.....	Adam & Eve M. Grop
Sept. 7, 1856.....	Christina Bernhardt	May 8, 1856.....	Ludwig & Juliana Bernhardt
Sept. 21, 1856.....	Johann Rohland	Aug. 26, 1856.....	Geo. & Katherina Rohland
Sept. 21, 1856.....	Julian Minnig	April 5, 1851.....	Wilhelm & Anna Minnig
Oct. 12, 1856.....	Geo. Ignatius Zollinger	Aug. 21, 1856.....	Jacob & Catherine Zollinger
Oct. 27, 1856.....	Johann Leicht	Aug. 23, 1856.....	John G. & Anna M. Leicht
Jan. 8, 1857.....	Heinrick Eppel	Aug. 27, 1856.....	Matthias & Elizabeth Epple
Jan. 11, 1857.....	Johann Frederick Menge	Nov. 22, 1856.....	John & Kunigunde Menge
Mar. 16, 1857.....	Louise Mayer	Feb. 12, 1857.....	Andreas & Maria Myer
April 5, 1857.....	Wilhelm Albert Tisch	Mar. 10, 1857.....	Wilhelm & Catherine Tisch
April 5, 1857.....	Magdalena Kuhnle	Feb. 23, 1857.....	Christian & Barbara Kuhnle
April 5, 1857.....	Emma Christiana Krause	Mar. 4, 1857.....	Christian & Elizabeth Krause
May 3, 1857.....	Christian Klinghofer	Feb. 19, 1857.....	Ludwig & Maria Schmahl
May 10, 1857.....	Carolyne Charlotte Schmahl	Aug. 29, 1856.....	Ludwig & Barbara Klinghofer
May 10, 1857.....	Wilhelm Henrich Zink	Jan. 20, 1857.....	Antho & Anna Zink
May 31, 1857.....	Johannes Hepperle	Feb. 2, 1857.....	Geo. & Barbara Hepperle
May 31, 1857.....	Caroline Barbara Hienelsen	Feb. 5, 1857.....	Christian & Catherine Hienelsen

THE FIRST CONFIRMATIONS

March 21, 1856

Anna Potzler, Wilhelmine Neu, Caroline Schuckmann, Elizabeth Hauk.

April 25, 1857:

Caroline Rusteberg.

August 1858:

George Stotz, Ferdinand Stotz, Mathilde Straub, Margaritha Dorthia Stotz, Christina Kohler, Sophia Koch, Margaretha Muller (wife of Sebastian Muller born July 8, 1830.)

November 6, 1859:

Anna Barbara Lehman, Philippine Katherine Haas, Maria Hauk.

December 2, 1860:

George Raum, Adam Koch, Johann Kolb, Ludwig Bernhard, Wilhelm Ruhland, Elizabeth Eppel, Helena Peter, Dorothea Ruhland, Anna Katherine Becker, Katherine Neu, Christina Kuhnle.

January 24, 1864:

Johann Becker, Charlotte Rusteberg, Margaretha Eppel, Barbara Raum, Margaretha Raum, Jacob Berhard.

March 13, 1864:

Maria Bauer, Caroline Stump, Louise Becker, Elizabeth Haas, George Ruhland, Adolph Haas, Johann Haas, Andreas Stotz.

March 12, 1865:

Christian Stotz, Jacob Theisinger, Bernard Westenhofer, Lore Haas, Caroline Schmidt, Anna Margaret Lorch, Louise Weber, Catherine Weber, Otto Zuch.

December 16, 1866:

Louise Schmidt, August Hahn, Margaretha Kolb, Christine Eppel, Catherine Raum, Maria Haas, Emilie Kelterborn, Caroline Muller, Anna Bauer, Maria Appl Hafle.

May 17, 1868:

Heinrick Helmann, Wilhelm Stotz, Wilhelm Schmidt, George Hercher, Frederick Weber.

April 10, 1870:

George Eder, Heinrick Eppel, Ludwig Bolander, John Bink, Alias Eppel, John Haas, Peter Raum, John Mich. Raitlinger, John Ruhland, George Rost, Catherine Rost, Margaretha Schoen, Margaret Ehrlichker, Louise Elizabeth Weber, Anna Kind, Catharina Schoenberger, Catharina Koch.

March 31, 1872:

Heinrick Franklin Zuch, William Frederick Maulick, Eli Schlotthauer, Frederick Bolander, Johann Eder, John Bollack, George Haas, Franz Theisinger, Geo. Washington Haas, Heinrick Stotz, Frederick Eder, Heinrick Schlotthauer, Wilhelm Raum, Christian Stoltz, Jacob Brill, Elizabeth Ruhland, Helene Otto, Emilie Haas, Maria Anna Welsmann, Maria Schmidt, Elizabeth Keller, Margaretha Weber, Dosine Barbara Baklinger, Catharina Ehrlicher.

THE FIRST COMMUNICANTS

August 5, 1855:

Jacob and Fredericke Breibbing, Heinrick and Anna Maria Fleckenstein, Adam and Katherine Grede, Justus and Eva Grede, Jacob and Caroline Heyse, George and Margaretha Kepling, Christopher and Katherine Kolb, Johann and Elizabeth Otto, Fred. and Charlotte Hauk, Conrad and Margaretha Potaler, Balthaser and Maria Reh, Ferdinand and Dorothea Zuch.

Total 35

December 25, 1855

Christopher and Katherine Kolb, Bernhard and Jacobine Neu, Johann and Elizabeth Otto, Fred and Charlotte Hauk, Balthaser and Maria Reh, Christopher and Christine Schenk, Wilhelm and Elizabeth Theisinger, Christopher and Margaretha Schoen, John and Rosine Westenhofer, Christian and Magdaline Stotz, Ferdinand and Dorothea Zuch, Michael and Anna Barbara Waldfahrer, Ludwig Bernhard, Sr., Wilhelm Popp, Caroline Helse, Witloe Kolb, Gottfried Hauk, Maria Dles, Sontaz Roedling, Adam Stump, Wilhelm Zuch, Pauline Zuch.

Total 34

1856 Easter:

Jacob and Caroline Helse, Johann and Elizabeth Otto, Frederick and Charlotte Hauk, Conrad and Margaretha Potzler, Balthaser and Maria Reh, Ferdinand and Dorothea Zuch, Michael and Anna Barbara Waldfahrer, Heinrick and Christine Wolper, Wilhelm and Katherine Tisch, George Herger, Catherine Kolb, Witter Kolb, Anna Maus, Hen-

rietta Olphen, Levina Stump, John Leipe, Wilhelm and Pauline Zuch, Margaretha Raum, Jacob Zollinger, Lusannah Kunstmann, Wilhelmine Schmidt, Anna Potzler, Wilhelmine Neu, Caroline Schuckmann, Elizabeth Houck.

Total 39

1856 Pentecost:

John Adam and Eva Grap, Adam and Catherine Grede, Christopher and Catherine Kolb, Balthaser and Maria Reh, William and Elizabeth Thesinger, John and Rosine Westenhofer, Frederick Bink, Peter Klingmann, Conrad Becker, Frank Hammel, Elizabeth Naegele, Margaretha Herold Musser, Magdaline Louise Harold, Catherine Young, Caroline Steckle, Carl Behserer.

Total 23

December 25, 1857:

Ludwig and Jacobine Bernhard, John and Eva Grap, Adam and Catherine Grede, Christopher and Catherine Kolb, Fred and Charlotte Hauk, William and Elizabeth Theisinger, Caroline Erke, Caroline Helse, Witte Kolb, Adam Stump, Henrietta Rotte, Balthaser Reh, and wife Maria.

April 26, 1857:

Ludwig and Elizabeth Schmohl, John and Catherine Alldorfer, Valentin and Maria Nebe, Ferdinand and Magdaline Hinkel, Adam and Eva Koehler, Balthaser and Elizabeth Junker, Dorothea Zuch, Margaretha Herold, Carl Woerner, Christian Steiger, August Lartz, Jacob Bernhard, Witme Kolb, Caroline Rusteberg.

MARRIAGES

By Rev. George M. Mertz:

- 1—July 14, 1855: Adam Stump and Frau Krezen Hindman (nee Knoll).
- 2—August 7, 1855: Christian Kaiser and Catherine Kaufmann.
- 3—Jan. 27, 1856: Albert Spangler and Margaretha Hogen.
- 4—March 26, 1856: Wilhelm Frederick Mayer and Frau Maria Maeson (nee Jones).
- 5—May 11, 1856: Johann Jacob Meyer and Catherine Barbara Eisele.
- 6—June 22, 1856: Johann Schue and Susan Baltz.
- 7—July 3, 1856: Wilhelm Popp and Caroline Haffner.
- 8—Sept. 7, 1856: Balthaser Junker and Elizabeth Geler.
- 9—December 9, 1856: Johann George Aickele and Elizabeth Billoel.
- 10—April 14, 1857: Eli Cummings and Louise Elizabeth Carlan.
- 11—April 21, 1857: Johann Haag and Martha M. Updegroff.
- 12—Jan. 5, 1858: August Lartz and Elisabeth Bertsch.
- 13—Jan. 25, 1858: Johann Braun and Maria Hart.
- 14—Feb. 2, 1858: Johann Stickler and Maria Weitner.
- 15—April 6, 1858: Heinrich Keller and Miss Blattenberger.
- 16—April 17, 1858: John Pyke and Jane Smith.
- 17—May 16, 1858: Jacob Lynn and Catherine Evens.

By Rev. Joseph Schmalzl:

- 1—Oct. 26, 1858: Joseph Heinrich Zacharias Baker and Johanna Meisselbach.
- 2—June 5, 1859: Bernhard Neu and Catherine Buttler.
- 3—June 10, 1859: Henry Wolben and Catherine Schuh.

By Rev. J. A. Darmstaetter

- 1—Dec. 8, 1859: Mattias Schulz and Barbara Lehmann.

- 2—Dec. 25, 1859: John Christian Klump and Elizabeth Becker.
- 3—Jan. 2, 1860: Jacob Leicht and Katherine Weismann.
- 4—March 18, 1860: Solomon Hafner and Fanny Frane.
- 5—Aug. 9, 1860: Friedrich Schlickendanza and Elisabeth Nebe.
- 6—Aug. 10, 1860: Friedrich Stolz and Catherine Wirth.
- 7—Dec. 4, 1860: Jacon Bernhard and Margaretha Becker.
- 8—Dec. 1860: Edward Miller and Elisabeth Rupp.
- 9—May 19, 1861: Johann Weismann and Catherine Bernhard.
- 10—Nov. 4, 1861: Valentin Schnell and Regina Wenger.
- 11—Jan. 30, 1862: Andreas Weismann and Wilhelmine Schmidt.
- 12—Feb. 19, 1863: Balthaser Haefitz and Maria Appli.
- 13—May 11, 1863: George Adam Von Hauser and Catherine Ruhland.
- 14—May 20, 1863: Jacob Gentholtz and Catherine M. Siegel.
- 15—July 15, 1863: Jacob Weiser and Sarah Grap.
- 16—Jan. 14, 1864: William Zuch and Margaretha Raum.
- 17—Jan. 18, 1864: Jacob Ruf and Christine Gentholtz.
- 18—Dec. 4, 1864: Heinrich Ettinger and Barbara Geron.
- 19—Dec. 22, 1864: Michael Straub and Philippine Haas.
- 20—Nov. 24, 1864: Frederick Bink and Christine Eppel.
- 21—Aug. 27, 1865: Johann Meyer and Elisabeth Eppel.
- 22—Dec. 19, 1865: Heinrich Melchior and Margaretha Stotz.
- 23—Feb. 6, 1866: Johann Elcker and Helene Peters.
- 24—May 22, 1866: Gottfried Weber and Maria Baklinger.
- 25—June 2, 1866: Heinrich Neun and Lusanna Dimeler.
- 26—Feb. 19, 1867: Wilhelm Westenhofer and Caroline Stump.
- 27—March 28, 1867: Peter Orth and Elisabeth Otto.
- 28—April 18, 1867: Balthaser Appley and Ellen Kunoth.
- 29—May 4, 1867: Jacob Rost and Caroline Weiner.
- 30—May 5, 1867: Adam Muller and Anne Maria Meyer.
- 31—July 28, 1867: Peter Buchler and Sara Hottschall.

FUNERALS

By Rev. Joseph Schmalzl:

- Johann Benedict Meister—August 30, 1857—September 12, 1858.
 Friedrich Knauth—June 21, 1857—October 4, 1858.
 Friedrich Lartz—April 7, 1858—October 4, 1858.
 Jacobine Neu—October, 1822—December 8, 1858.
 Charlotte Elisa Stockum—October 12, 1856—December 30, 1858.
 Maria Justine Tisch—May 9, 1855—January 20, 1859.
 James Ziegelmeier—June 26, 1856—March 5, 1859.
 Christine Wolben—May 17, 1856—March 11, 1859.

By Rev. J. A. Darmstaetter:

- Adam Leichl—June 29, 1822—August 31, 1859.
 Catherina Ruhland—January 19, 1853—September, 1859.
 Machael Waldfahrer—October 25, 1809—January 18, 1860.
 Jacob Hygins—1832—February 9, 1860.
 Francisca Henrietta Hauck—March 3, 1850—February 13, 1860.
 Andreas Eppel—November 14, 1859—March 18, 1860.
 Adam Bertsch—September 4, 1855—April 12, 1860.
 Ludwig Fredrick Johann Baker—February 28, 1860—April 29, 1860.
 Catherine Wolbert, nee Berlein—June 11, 1820—April 29, 1860.
 George Schlickendanz—November 28, 1857—July 20, 1860.
 Maria Emilie Ehricker—August 22, 1859—August 19, 1860.

By Rev. George M. Mertz:

- Frederick Stotz—December 7, 1854—June 27, 1855.

- Maria Melony—January, 1836—July 17, 1855.
 Fredrick Grede—October 18, 1853—August 14, 1855.
 Dr. Samuel Lauchs—December 24, 1792—August 25, 1855.
 Catherine Dix—1777—September 1, 1855.
 Catherine Elisabeth Evens—1796—January 11, 1856.
 Adam Killangle—December 31—January 28, 1856.
 E. Bartholomew—June 20, 1854—February 4, 1856.
 Anna Maria Woerner—April 24, 1856—May 11, 1856.
 Christine Woerner, nee Leicht—September 16, 1829—May 23, 1856.
 Wilhelm Krause—March 16, 1856—July 6, 1856.
 Franz Joseph Schmahl—February 21, 1856—July 26, 1856.
 Andre Schutte—April 3, 1856—August 12, 1856.
 Caroline Grund—December 17, 1856—February 12, 1857.
 Wilhelm Theisinger—March 23, 1857.
 Magdalena Rost—1849—April 11, 1857.
 Caroline Sophia—July 1, 1853—April 28, 1857.
 Jacob Leickl—May 1, 1854—April 28, 1857.
 Johann Fridrick Menge—November 22, 1886—April 30, 1857.
 Louis Ehrhard Ladenbarger—January 8, 1856—June 20, 1857.
 Rosina Ochlsklaeger—February 21, 1821—July 4, 1857.
 Mary Ann Spangler—July 25, 1856—August 10, 1857.
 Paulus Niedmeger—1822—September 28, 1857.
 Magdalena Kuhnle—February 23, 1857—October 6, 1857.
 Jak Andrew Spangler—July 25, 1856—March 28, 1858.
 Johanette Haas—June 19, 1857—May 14, 1858.
 Ernst Gottlieb Maulick—March 2, 1857—April 6, 1858.

THE LADIES AID SOCIETY

This organization dates back to 1875. It was called the "German Lutheran Women's Club." Margaretha Woodring was the president. Monthly meetings were held in the home of the members. On January 16, 1878 the treasurer's report showed a balance of \$95.00. Mr. Koch for the Men's Club contributed five dollars, making a total of \$100.00. This was added to the Building Fund. Officers elected for the next year were: Mrs. Klein, President; Mrs. Woodring, Secretary, Mrs. Koch, Treasurer; Mrs. Schohn and Mrs. Rahm, Trustees.

On December 16, 1878 the Club held its first meeting in their new Church and all subsequent meetings were held in the church. Their dues during the year amounted to \$45.27 which was paid on the church debt. The next year the sum of \$48.37 was raised to decorate the interior of the church. The officers elected in 1880 were: Mrs. Leha Stump, President; Wilhelmina Leib, Secretary; Marta Westenhoefer, Treasurer, and Frau M. Koch, Trustee. At this meeting the Pastor suggested that the women do the cleaning of the Church. The same was adopted and a committee was appointed each month to do the work. The first assigned to do this job were: Mata and Karolina Westenhoefer. Their dues that year were \$33.95 which were paid on the debt for the church furniture.

For the next few years all the funds of the Club were given to the pastor for the church debt. There were no sales or assessments, funds were raised by voluntary contributions. And their collections were from twenty-five to thirty dollars a year. In 1883 the club decided to secure a church bell. By regular and special offerings they raised the sum of \$130.37. The bell cost \$129.50, leaving a small balance.

In January 1884, Pastor Mueller was elected president of the Club and he served until he moved away. The society continued their activities and the next objective was the decoration—painting—of the interior of the Church. For several years they worked on this project. In 1888 they had the sum of \$146.66. The contract was let and C. Day Ruby of Harrisburg did the work. The total cost was \$175.00. The youth club which was sponsored by the women, contributed \$28.34, and the full amount incurred was paid.

It appears from the records that about 1880, the name of the club was changed to "Frauen Verein" and this name is on the Church memorial window given by the society. They had a large membership and were active, always having an objective and working for years for its accomplishment. When Mrs. Bernhard Westenhoefer became president she called them "The Willing Workers"—a true characteristic of the women. Some years later this society was named: "The Ladies' Aid." This has been the most active auxiliary in the history of the church. Many improvements, and additions were sponsored wholly by the Women. Among the later officers were: Mrs. Joseph Koehler, President, and Miss Elizabeth Eater, Treasurer. The last project was the repair and refinishing of the interior of the Church in 1949.



WOMEN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY



Mrs. Carrie S. Evans

Mrs. Evans was born and reared in Newport, Penna. She is the daughter of Charles Zimmerman and wife Catherine Trostle Zimmerman. She married William S. Evans of Middletown in 1890 and has five living children. Evan M. Evans of Mississippi, John Evans of Middletown, Penna., Mrs. Ida Funk, Miss Mary Evans and Mrs. Dorothy Frey of Marietta.

Mrs. Evans came to Marietta as manager for the Telephone Company and held that position for sixteen years. She transferred her membership to Zion Lutheran Church. She has been most active and still attends as health permits. She is a charter member of the Women's Missionary Society and was honored with a Life Membership Certificate in 1953. For many years she held membership in The Ladies' Aid Society and helped sponsor programs and projects in interest of the Church

Mrs. Frey

WOMEN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY



(F.R.) Mrs. Ida Funk; Mrs. Charles Scholl; Mrs. John Campbell; Mrs. John Boyer; Mrs. Harry Fuhrman.

(B.R.) Mrs. Verley F. Fulmer; Mrs. Harry Zuch; Mrs. Wilbur Haas, Sr.; Mrs. Rebecca Kaegel.

The Women's Missionary Society was organized May 6, 1917 by the Pastor: Rev. W. J. Huntsinger. There were six Charter members. Officers elected were; President, Mrs. Harry A. Zuch; Vice-President, Mrs. John Goodling; Secretary, Mrs. Charles Gallagher; Treasurer, Mrs. Luther Roath.

On May 25, Mrs. L. K. Sanford of the Lancaster Conference addressed our group and explained fully the Missionary Work. Being inspired to carry on in Missionary projects, this society has done effective work. Sponsored many worthy programs such as public Thank-offering services, week-of-prayer observance preceding Lent, participated in World-day-of prayer services, arranged special programs and secured returned missionaries to address our congregation, sent delegates to the conference and synodical conventions, and have paid in full all beneficent obligations.

In addition to the above our missionary women assisted in local enterprises such as contributing about one hundred dollars for the purchase of the pipe organ, planting shrubbery around the church, this being done in honor of the mothers of the congregation; and helping with the renovation of the parsonage.

In 1924 A Light Brigade was organized and placed under the fostering care of the Missionary Society. Special attention was given to the work of the children, many devotional, and study programs were conducted and the children given religious training.

In 1951 all women's auxiliaries were consolidated, organized into one group known as the "Women of the Church." This did not prove successful and in a short time the old societies were re-organized.

The Women's Missionary Society, tho not large, has many worthy accomplishments and has done a remarkable job. Ten from the society have been made Life Members. Monthly programs from the Magazine studied and rendered, mission-study-classes conducted and missionary information disseminated. With unwavering faith and determination these few women have carried on the work. Whatever blessings have come through Women's Missionary Society have been made possible by the whole-hearted and sincere efforts of these faithful women. We ask God's help and blessing in all we do.

The present officers are: Mrs. John Campbell, President; Miss Helen Maulick, Vice-President; Mrs. John C. Boyer, Secretary; Mrs. Charles Scholl, Treasurer, and Mrs. Abram Deppeller, Magazine Secretary.

LYDIA BIBLE CLASS



LYDIA BIBLE CLASS

F.R.—Mrs. Charles Scholl; Mrs. Harry Fuhrman; Mrs. Verley L. Fulmer; Mrs. Rebecca Kaegel; Mrs. Elva Martin.

B.R.—Mrs. Harry Zuch; Mrs. William Westenhoefer, Jr.; Mrs. Mervin Wise; Mrs. Wilber Haas, Sr.

This Auxilliary grew out of the Adult Sunday School class of men and women. In 1930 it was organized as the Women's Bible Class and Mrs. George Hippey was elected president. A few years later Mrs. W. J. Huntsinger was chosen President and Teacher. Upon her suggestion they called this "The Lydia Bible Class." Regular devotional sessions were held each Sunday morning in connection with the Sunday School. Monthly business meetings have been held. The class has made substantial contributions to local causes and shared in financial responsi-

bilities. Programs were sponsored such as receptions for new members and the like. The objective for many years has been to raise sufficient funds for a Kitchen. At present they have in this fund the sum of thirty-one hundred dollars. The class has been a great help to the Church and has a record of splendid activity. The present officers are: Mrs. V. L. Fulmer, President; Mrs. Harry Zuch, Vice President; Mrs. Harry Fuhrman, Secretary; Mrs. Rebecca Kaegel, Treasurer, and Mrs. Mervin Wise, Flower Secretary.

THE PASTOR'S AID SOCIETY

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F.R.—Mrs. Charles Scholl; Mrs. Richard Haas; Mrs. Leroy Lindemuth; Mrs. Harold L. Shireman; Mrs. Robert Sipling.

B.R.—Mrs. Verley L. Fulmer; Mrs. Harry Zuch; Mrs. Mervin Wise; Mrs. Rebecca Kaegel; Mrs. Ida Funk.



This Auxilliary was organized February 8, 1849: The following were elected officers: President, Rebecca Kaegel; Vice-President, Geraldine Deppeller; Secretary, Carolyn Campbell; Treasurer, Delores Deppeller; Flower Secretary, Mrs. Ida Funk. Regular meetings were held each month. The purpose of this society is to assist the pastor and care for the vesting of the Altar, caring for the Linens—arranging the flowers and seeing that

the Chancel is wholly ready for whatever the nature of the service requires. These objectives have been faithfully and carefully carried out. The Society has sponsored a number of musical programs and projects of like nature. The present officers are: Mrs. Leroy Lindemuth, President; Mrs. Harold L. Shireman, Vice-President; Mrs. Robert Sipling, Secretary and Treasurer, Mrs. Charles A. Scholl, Flower Secretary.

CHOIR



F.R.—Jane Sweitzer; Mrs. Leroy Lindemuth; Mrs. Mervin Linard; Mrs. Mervin Wise; Mrs. Leroy Simmons; Nancy Fuhrman; Paula Wein.

B.R.—Arthur Zuch; James Fulmer; Harold Shireman; Edward Smith; Leroy Lindemuth.

German people are noted for their music. They are great Lovers of Music. They take a great delight in congregational singing.

"When the preacher read his hymn or Song
Then you would hear a musical Throng."

"When the preacher gave out the hymn to sing
Then the old Church-house would fairly Ring."

The first musical instrument was a small Melodeon.

Later the church had several reed-organs, these were used until the pipe organ was secured. The church had several in the congregation who could play these instruments and their services were voluntary. Membership in the choir was outstanding, some serving for a long period of time. The choir has been a great assistance in the service of worship. At present the choir is doing excellent work under the guidance and counsel of Mrs. Wise and Mrs. Lindemuth.



Miss Lois May Fuhrman

The Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur H. Fuhrman. Baptized and confirmed in Zion Lutheran Church. A member of the Sunday School from Childhood. Sang in the Junior Choir for many years. Now a member of the Senior Choir. A conscientious worker and expects to enter some field of Christian Service.

OTHER AUXILIARIES

Men's Club: Early in the history of our church we find references to the Men's organization. The Men of the church felt a responsibility in the great enterprises of their church. They did not confine their activities to finances but often conducted the service of worship in absence of the pastor and during times of vacancy. There were struggles and difficulties due to the language question—involving a transition.

In later years a brotherhood was organized. Monthly devotional and study periods were conducted. With the synodical brotherhood they joined hands and hearts in the united efforts of the men in Evangelism.

Young People: A young people's society was formed under the sponsorship of the women's club. They were greatly pleased and benefited by the counsel and

guidance of the Women. Their activities were correlative and good results followed.

In the course of time the Luther League came into being. And there were manifestations of interest and activity. Consecrated Leaders worked with the young people. The spiritual and educational emphasis was primary in their services. For some years the Luther League was a flourishing Society.

Children's Group: Our records show the organization of a "Light Brigade"—Children's Society. The Women's Missionary Society was charged with this responsibility. The children showed a gratifying interest and the parents rendered every assistance. Programs and services were provided for the children. Then the spirit of unification also effected this Auxiliary, and the "LIGHT BRIGADE" became the "CHILDREN OF THE CHURCH"—children's society.

WHO IS WHO — AS WE ENTER THE SECOND CENTURY

OFFICERS FOR 1955

V. L. Fulmer, Pastor and Chairman
Arthur T. Zuch, Vice Chairman
Richard E. Haas, Secretary
Ralph D. Stark, Treasurer
Robert C. Richardson, Financial Secretary

Mrs. Mervin Wise, Organist
William Walters, Sexton
Ralph D. Stark, Monitor
Pastor's Aid Society, Registrar of visitors.

Councillmen 1953-1956

Winfield Eater
William Fuhrman
Clarence Nagle
Robert Richardson

Councillmen 1954-1957

Elmer P. Walters
Wilbur Fuhrman
Ralph D. Stark
Curtis A. Uhlig

Councillmen 1955-1958

Richard Haas
Robert Sipling
Arthur T. Zuch
Lester S. Zuch

CHURCH REPRESENTATIVES

Trustees acting for the Council and Congregation:
Wilbur H. Fuhrman, Winfield Eater, Curtis A. Uhlig,
Robert Sipling.

Delegates to Synod and Conference: Lester S. Zuch,
J. Franklin Dagle.

Board of Old Folks Home: Mrs. Paul Weien, Wilbur H. Fuhrman.

Gettysburg Seminary Auxiliary: Mrs. Abram Dep-
peller.

STANDING COMMITTEES FOR 1955

Property

Wilbur H. Fuhrman
Hiram Mowrer
Maurice A. Sweltzer

Education

Curtis A. Uhlig
Mrs. Paul Weien
Mrs. Harold Shireman

Finance

Clarence Nagle
John Orth, Jr.
Winfield Eater
Charles Schroll
Ralph D. Stark

Worship and Music

Arthur T. Zuch
Mrs. Mervin Wise
Mrs. Leroy Lindemuth
William Fuhrman
Mrs. Ida Funk

Stewardship

Lester S. Zuch
Leroy Lindemuth
Loy Whitekettle
Elmer P. Walters
Mrs. Rebecca Kaegel

Christian Service

Richard E. Haas
Harold Shireman
Lloyd H. Fuhrman
Mrs. Charles Scholl
J. Franklin Dagle

ZION'S SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFICERS AND TEACHERS

Superintendent: Curtis A. Uhlig
Asst. Superintendent: Mrs. Paul Weien
Secretary: Loy Whitekettle, Sr.
Secretary: Mrs. Harold L. Shireman

Treasurer: Russell E. Cunningham
Pianist: Mrs. Leroy Lindemuth
Financial Secretary: Leroy Lindemuth
Organist: Miss Rebecca Zuch

CRADLE ROLL DEPARTMENT

Superintendent: Mrs. Wilbur Haas, Sr.

BEGINNERS & PRIMARY DEPARTMENTS

Superintendent: Mrs. Verley L. Fulmer

Teachers:—

Mrs. J. B. Herchelroth
Mrs. Rebecca Kaegel
Miss Janet Rettew
Mrs. Robert Richardson

Asst. Teachers:—

Miss Nancy Fletcher
Miss Juetta Barclay
Miss Miriam Nell

INTERMEDIATE DEPARTMENT AND BIBLE CLASSES

Teachers:—

Mrs. Leroy Lindemuth
Mrs. Harold Shireman
Mrs. Charles Schroll

James Fulmer

Russell Cunningham
Mrs. Paul Weien
Lester Zuch

Members who are pursuing courses of study in College: (1955)

Harold L. Seltz (Medicine)
Raymond E. Good (Optometry)
Donald M. Sweitzer (Engineering)

James V. Fulmer (Education)
Donald K. Deppeller (Industrial Arts)
Elise C. Weien (Technical Science)



THE BEGINNING OF THE SECOND CENTURY

F I R S T

Baptisms: Jan. 2, 1955

Bill Gene Estep (born Aug. 27, 1954—son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Estep).

Hope Cheryl Uhlig (born Oct. 17, 1954—Dau. of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Uhlig).

Robert Fuhrman Hinkle (born Nov. 26., 1954) son of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. J. Hinkle).

Communion:

The total number receiving the communion on Jan. 2, 1955 including private communion: 138. Names are recorded in the new parish register.

Confirmations: April 3, 1955

David Hess; Claude T. Nissley; John David Shireman; and James Zuch.

Transfers: January, 1955

David Boyd—from Bainbridge, Penna. Harry Houck, Jr. from Chestnut Hill, Penna.

Marriage: January 29, 1955

Frank Kenneth Seaman, Jr., Marietta, Penna.
Colleen Mae Ibaugh, Marietta, Penna.

The First Born

Miriam Louise Stark, Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph D. Stark, February 18, 1955.

Deaths:

Minister: Rev. Ira W. Klick (Kutztown, Penna.)
Jan. 12, 1955—aged 86 years.

Layman: Mr. John Orth, Sr., (Marietta, Penna.)
Jan. 3, 1955—aged 86 years.



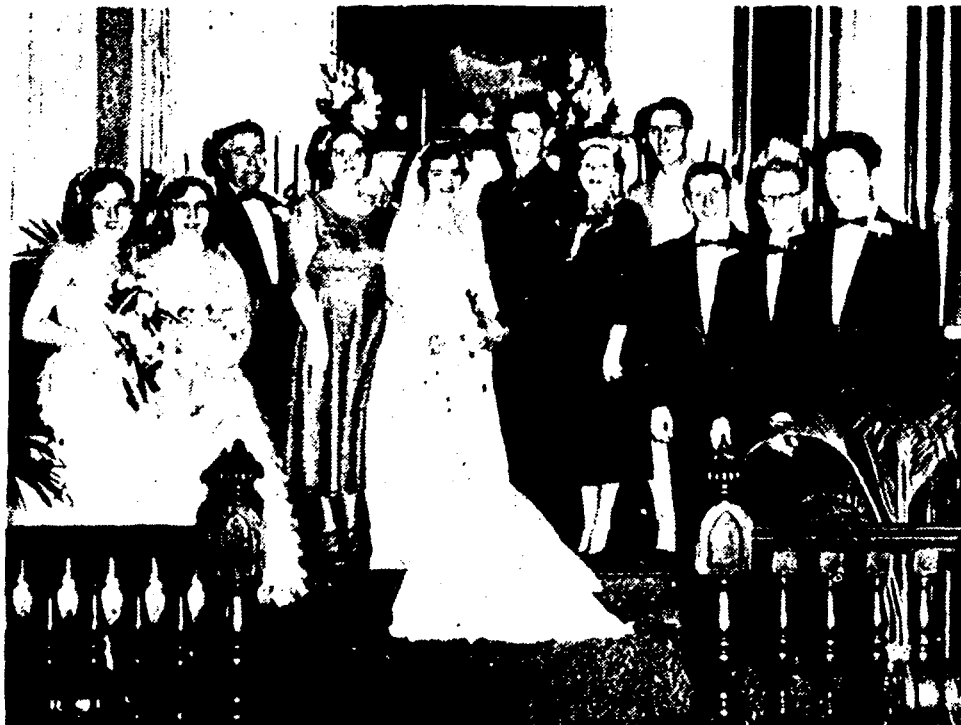
**FIRST BAPTISM 1955
JANUARY 2nd.**

L-R—Curtis Uhlig; Mrs. Curtis Uhlig; Mrs. R. E. Uhlig, (Baby) Hope Cheryl Uhlig, Little Susan Uhlig, Dau. of Mr. & Mrs. R. E. Uhlig, Pastor Fulmer, Mrs. C. H. J. Hinkle and Baby Robert F. Hinkle; Baby Billie Gene Estep, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Estep.



FIRST RECEIVED IN THE CHURCH 1955

F.R.—Catechumens: James Zuch; David Hess; David Shireman & Claude Nissley.
Back R. Pastor Fulmer—Received by Transfer: David Boyd and Harry Houck, Jr.



THE FIRST CHURCH WEDDING

Miss Colleen Mae Ibaugh and Mr. Frank Kenneth Seaman, Jr.
January 29, 1955

Left to Right. Mrs. Carl E. Hacker; Mrs. Richard E. Haas; Mr. J. H. Ibaugh; Mrs. J. H. Ibaugh; The BRIDE Mrs. F. K. Seaman. Bride-Groom; Mr. F. K. Seaman, Jr., Mrs. Frank K. Seaman, Sr.; Mr. Frank K. Seaman, Sr.; Charles E. Seaman; Charles F. Baker; Bernard Shimke.



MIRIAM LOUISE STARK

The First-Born of the congregation
February 18, 1955
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph D. Stark, Parents



GERMAN SETTLERS

Zion church was founded by a small number of German families which came to this country the first part of the nineteenth century. (1800-1850). Services were conducted periodically for these Germans by pastors from Maytown, Columbia and Lancaster. The membership was first comprised of German Settlers. The Organization of Zion congregation was the result of the efforts of Rev. Mentz, and was incorporated as a German congregation. In 1878 it became a bilingual church and about twenty years later the German services were discontinued. In the latter part of the century several more families came from Germany and settled in Marietta. This increased the membership of Zion and the congregation grew strong. The German settlers were the most important elements of our Church, some of whose descendants are now among the faithful members. It is indeed interesting

to see how these family names continue through all the records of the church for a century. The most prominent are the Zuchs; Koehlers; Westenhoefer; Eaters; and others. Some who were quite active and rendered faithful service in the beginning have dropped by the wayside, moved or passed away, of these there were the Meisters, Olphens, Stotzs, Stumps, Muellers, and others. We thought it of special interest to give several family sketches in connection with Zion's history. This will preserve genealogical data for posterity. We are grateful for valuable assistance given by members of the families. However, much of the information was obtained from our Church records. To all who lent their interest and help, I beg to make my acknowledgments.

Signed. Verley L. Fulmer.

CHURCH FAMILIES

William Beates lived in Philadelphia, and was perhaps the first of this family to come to America. He was a prominent business man, buying and selling tobacco, and a man of some wealth. Of his family we know of only a son, William Beates, Jr.

William Beates, Jr., was reared in Philadelphia. In early life he made cigars and continued his studies. He completed his course in Theology and was ordained a

Lutheran Minister in 1810. His parish was at Elizabeth where he served for about twenty years. In 1835 he accepted a call to Zion Lutheran Church, Lancaster. He served that congregation for twenty-five years. He was a forceful preacher, kind-hearted and a friend to all.

Rev. William Beates was born in 1796 and died in 1889. He married Anna M. Herst.

APPLI

From Switzerland		
Balthaser Appli	Anna Maria (1868)	
Ellen Kunoeth	John Adam (1873)	
from Bremann, Germany	Catherine (1880)	
Heinrich Appli	Sarah Ellen (1867)	
Elizabeth Martin		
Frederick Appli	Maria Appli	
Elizabeth	Balthaser Hafti	Elizabeth

BEATES

- 1—Anna Beates (Christ Geiger).
- 2—William Beates—A Farmer in Lancaster Co.
- 3—Henry Beates—A Druggist in Philadelphia.
- 4—Samuel Beates (Record given below).
- 5—Charles Beates.
- 6—Caroline Beates (George Sprecher).
- 7—Elizabeth Beates (Rev. John Alder of Philadelphia).
- 8—Harmon Beates—a farmer.
- 9—Frederick A. Beates (1830) a prosperous farmer.
- 10—Susannah Beates (John Prumball).
- 11—Catherine Beates (Lived in Philadelphia).

4—Samuel Beates was born in 1822 and died in 1889. He married Elizabeth Brenner. They had one son—William Christopher Beates (Sept. 9, 1847).

William C. Beates married Barbara Anna Myers (July 30, 1844) and they had two children. 1—Harry (Mar. 4, 1872). 2—Sarah (John Orth, Sr.).

Rev. William Beates Anna M. Herst	1822-1889	1847	1872	
	Samuel Beates Elizabeth Brenner	William C. Beates Barbara A. Myers 1844	Harry S. Beates 1—Frances Miller 2—Ellen Bishop	Bertha Alvin H.
	Anna: William; Henry; Charles; Caroline; Elizabeth; Harmon; Fred; Susannah; Catherine		Sarah Beates John Orth	Mande Mary John, Jr.

BERNHARDT

Ludwig Bernhardt	Ludwig (Dec. 1846)
Julianna Kalberger	Christina (May 1856)
George Bernhardt	Magdaline Schmalzkaf
Louise (Aug. 1855)	

BINK

Friedrick Bink	Christine (Oct. 1867)
Christine Eppel	Catherine (July 1871)
	Anna C. (1865-1953)

CAMPBELL

John Campbell
Came from Ireland
and settled in Safe
Harbor.

John Campbell
Wife:—
Elizabeth McKain

Mar. 1843
John M. Campbell
Margaret Weaver
Jan. 1859

Edward Campbell
Nane Rutherford
John A. Campbell
Estha McDowell

James F. Campbell
Miriam Eater
Margaret
Jean

Carolyn Campbell
Ralph D. Stark

DARMSTAETTER

George Darmstaetter of Germany was born Jan. 24, 1791 and died Jan. 20, 1840, aged 49. Married Mary E. Loeffler: Who was born Feb. 20, 1799. She died in America, Mar. 13, 1863. They had these children: 1—Anna M.; Mary C.; Eva M. who died, Magdaline, Elizabeth (John B. Diger) Geo. H. and Rev. J. Adam, Lutheran Pastor of Columbia.

George H. Darmstaetter with his mother and family

came to America Sept. 14, 1848 and settled in Lancaster. Geo. H. was born in Hesse-Darmstadt, Oct. 4, 1827, married 1st Julia Drepperd, Mar. 21, 1850. Had 3 children Geo. H.; Mary Elizabeth; Anna C. Mrs. Julia died Apr. 19, 1856. Married 2nd Feb. 1, 1864, Barbara C. Beck, had ten children: Magdaline; John Adam; Katie; Louie; Emma; Dorothy; Marie; John Geo.; Anna Mary; Martin Luther.

1882-1856	Anna Mary	Geo. H.	Magddaline
Oct. 4, 1827	1st wife	Mary E.	John Adam
	Julia Dreppard	Anna C.	Katie
1791-1840-(49 yrs.)	Geo. H. Darmstaetter		Louie
George Darmstaetter	2nd Barbara C. Beck		Emma
Mary E. Loeffler	Mary C.		Dorothy
1799-1863—(64 Yrs.)	Eva M.—Died		Marie
	Magdaline		John Geo.
	Rev. J. Adam Darmstaetter (Columbia)		Anna Mary
	Pastor of Zion Marietta, 1859-1878		Martin Luther
	Elizabeth Darmstaetter		
	John B. Diger		

(The additional data furnished by M. L. Darmstaetter).

George Darmstaetter was born in Lichtenberg Hesse-Darmstaetter. He moved to Darmstadt after he was married, had a family, and became Burgomeister of the town.

George H. Darmstaetter (M.L. Darmstaetter's father) who was the oldest of the boys, with his brother J. Adam and his sisters (excepting Eva M. who died in Germany) came to America and arrived in this country in September 14, 1848 and in the City of Lancaster on October 4, 1848, his 21st birthday.

Rev. J. Adam Darmstaetter married Mary Leitenberger in Lancaster and had no children. He was pastor in Marietta, Chestnut Hill, and St. Paul's, Columbia, Pa., where he died in 1898, still active in the ministry.

M. L. Darmstaetter of Lancaster, Pennsylvania is a nephew of Rev. J. Adam Darmstaetter.

Paul A. Mueller

EATER FAMILY



John Eater and Wife Barbara

John Eater was born and reared in Bavaria, Germany, he and his family came to this country in 1850, arrived in N. Y. and then came to Marietta, Penna. John Eater married Barbara Schmidt. Their oldest child was born when on their way over to America. Children 1—Casper; 2—George; 3—John; 4—Frederick; 5—Christine; 6—Elizabeth; 7—Anna; 8—Wilhelm; 9—Peter.

<p>John Eater Barbara Schmidt Jan. 17-1824-Oct. 15, 1886</p>	(1)	Casper Eater Susan	Isabelle Eater Jas. W. Gallagher	
	(2)	1853-1917 George Eater Susanna Niefer 1st wife	Elizabeth Eater Died	
			John Eater Jennie Gallagher	Arthur Ellen
			George Eater Fred Eater	(Died) (Died)
			Wm. Thos. Eater Maude Zink	Herman
			Casper M. Eater	(Died)
		1853-1917 George Eater Ellen B. Trimble 1858-1910 2nd wife	Emily M. Eater Edward Zink	
			Susan Eater John Murphy	
			Elva M. Eater	(Died)
	(3)	1856-1945 John Eater 1st: Jane Aurelia Gallagher 2nd: Anna Ellen McBride John Eater They lived on Essex St.	No Children	One Dau. Margaret:
	(4)	1858-1914 Frederick Eater	(N. Married)	
	(5)	Christine Eater John M. McFarland	Elizabeth, Maude, Thomas, Mike, Owen	
	(6)	1861-1893 Elizabeth Eater Wilhelm Henry Zink	John, George, Edison	
	(7)	Anna Eater (Died)		
	(8)	Wilhelm Eater Clara Myers Zinn	George William	
	(9)	Peter Eater Mary M. Humes	Charles, Hazel	

EATER FAMILY (Continued)



CASPER EATER AND WIFE



SUSANNA HOLTZAPPLE

(1)

1850-1939
Casper Eater
Susanna Holtzapple
1850-1935

(See Preceding
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George Eater
John Eater
Fred Eater
Christine Eater

1872-1913
Anna M. Eater
Jacob M. Thuma

1871-1881
John H. Eater

Barbara Elizabeth Eater
1882-1954

1878
Geo. F. Eater
Caroline Hester

Susan M. Thuma
David M. McMullen

B. Elizabeth Thuma
Martin Good

Raymond Good
Norma J. Shank

Joanne Good
Carl E. Hacker

Barbara
Jean

Catherine Malony
Haimes Finkbiner

George Maloney
Ella Mae Zink

Maxine

Marian

Carolyn Campbell
Ralph D. Stark

Frances Eater
David Boyd

Gene

Rebecca E. Eater
Benj. Maloney

Casper H. Eater
Elenora Barnhardt

Annie C. Eater
Melvin Nell

Mariam L. Eater
Jas. Campbell

Geo. Brandt Eater

Jean L. Eater
Robt. Richardson

John Eater
Viola Nell
Alice Frady

Susannah Eater
Joseph Herchelroth

Winifred Eater

Cathy
Mary A.

Rebecca E.

EPPEL

Elizabeth (Feb. 1845)

Margaret

Christine (Sept. 1852)

Aug. 1856
Heinrich Eppel
Emma E. Bastian

Isabella (1884)
Henry (1885)

Carl Eppel (1861)

Caroline Eppel (1866)

Margaretha (1861)
Andreas (1859)

John Matthias Eppel
Elizabeth Miller

Martin Eppel
Christina

FRYBERGER

Walter Fryberger, Sr.
Came to this Country
when young, and
lived with his Uncle:
Fred Heverling.

1836-1901
Walter Fryberger
Mae Emily Paules
1842-1919
Dau. of Frank Paules

Frederick Heverline
Born Dec. 7, 1784
Died Jan. 10, 1867
Age 82-1-3.
Mary wife of
Frederick Heverline.
Dau. of
John Oyler
Born in
Hanover, York Co., Pa.
Nov. 7, 1793
Died June 10, 1858
Age 64-7-3

Mary Fryberger
Oliver Frey

Anna Fryberger
Oliver Frey

1862, July 1st
Byron Fryberger
Jennie Sherbane

Walter Fryberger, Jr.
Elizabeth Ulm

Elsie Fryberger
John Stoner

Catherine Fryberger
U. Grant Hipple

Bella Fryberger
Never Married

Canova Fryberger
Jennie McConnell

Emily

1894, August
Lloyd Byron Fryberger (Died)
Marion May Fryberger (Died)
Walter Fryberger
Dorothy Zeller

Harold Fryberger
Elizabeth Siple

Claude Fryberger
Josephine Greenawalt

Ray Fryberger
Marguerite Albright

Fred G. Fryberger
Margaret Allen

Walter and Harold were twins

Claude and Ray were twins

Harold Fryberger
Margaret Brenner

Jo Ann
Sharon

Marion Fryberger
Died
Robert
William

Jane
Joyce

Margaret

Walter Fryberger, Jr. was born in 1873 and died in 1942. His wife Elizabeth Ulm was born in 1874 and died in 1941.

FUHRMAN



APTILE FUHRMAN AND WIFE LYDIA UTZ

<p>Jacob Fuhrman—Wife— First lived in York Co. Then Moved to Marietta, Aptile Fuhrman Lydia Utz They lived on E. Market St.</p> <p>Oliver Fuhrman Lived in Ohio Only two Brothers who Came to this Country.</p>	Eva Fuhrman Never Married	Martha Fuhrman Lee Dussinger	Alice Fuhrman Bruce Kenneth Marvin
	Jacob Fuhrman Vinnie Knapp		
	Clinton Fuhrman Minnie Beamenderfer	Levi Fuhrman Esther Andrews	Robert Ruth Levi Jr. Donald
	Lancaster Co. Perce Fuhrman 1—Edna Lawson 2—Minnie Beamenderfer	Harry Fuhrman Cora Swarmer	Helen Fuhrman Edward Jones
	Lived in Lan. Co. Milton Fuhrman Lillian Kelley	Katherine Fuhrman Died Young	Jean Fuhrman Samuel Pelen
	Lived in Lan. Co. Howard Fuhrman Florence Brown		Ray K. Fuhrman Evelyn Emenheiser
	Chester Fuhrman Annie D. Hershey	Washington Fuhrman Dorothy Sipling	Jean Fuhrman Clyde Hinkle Nancy Fuhrman Harold Fuhrman Earl Fuhrman
	Anna Mary Fuhrman George Kopp		
	Cora Fuhrman Hughey Abbott	Sarah Fuhrman John Hoffman Lloyd Fuhrman Ellen Myers	Barbara Ann
	Amanda Fuhrman 1—Michael Riggian 2—Edward Bryley	Wilbur Fuhrman Mary Brooks	Lois Mae
	Paul Fuhrman 1—Mamie McCulley 2—		

Jacob Fuhrman and wife . . . Came over in the year of . . . They settled in the lower part of Lancaster County. They immigrated from Heidelberg, Germany. Had only two children Aptile and Oliver.

HAAS

John Haas Elizabeth Goettmann	Emile Haas Margaret Haas	Elizabeth (1849) Maria (1852)
	Frederick Haas Maria T. Wolfersberger 1823-1901	John (1854) George W. (1856) Emilie Phillippine Haas (1858) James McFarland
	1853 Leon Haas Matilda Lark	Fred John Elizabeth Henry L.
	1860 Elizabeth Haas John Nissley	George Edward Henry Raymond
John Haas Elizabeth Hoover	Philoline M. Haas Michael Straub	
	George Haas Not Married	Harry W. Haas Martha Swartz
	Adolph Haas Not Married	Wilbur Haas Edna Hecht
	Laura Haas Benjamin Shields	Charles Haas Mary Hemperty
John Haas Elizabeth Hoover	Frederick Haas Elizabeth Schickley	Harry Haas, Sr. Carrie Nevin
		Carl Haas Helen Sentz
		Helen Haas Robert Billett
		Arl Lee Carldean Robert
John Haas Elizabeth Hoover	1870-1911 George Haas Emma Geib	
	Wm. Henry Haas Mary Jane Davis	Mary E. John
	John Andreas Haas Matilda Lioda Marley	Harry William Earl
	Katherine M. Haas Henry W. Myers	Margaret Anna, and Andrew J.
John Haas Elizabeth Hoover	Joseph L. Haas Anna Roberts	Lloyd; Elizabeth; Mac; Parris and William
		Marion; Edith; Andrew W.

HENKEL

Ferdinand Henkel Magdaline Herold	Maria Caroline Henkel (Mar. 18, 1858) Johann Robert Henkel (Sept. 10, 1859) Anna Margaret Henkel (Sept. 4, 1863) Emma Elizabeth Henkel (Jan. 14, 1868)
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KAEGEL

Adam Kaegel	Henry Kaegel Susan Marley	Ella E. Kaegel Elwood Kaegel Harry Kaegel	Rebecca Kaegel Oliver Kaegel Ray Kaegel	Ella Mae Kaegel Mervin D. Wise	Charles James
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KOEHLER FAMILY



Front Row. Left to right:—Sarah (Arnold); Annie (Zuch); Adam (Father) Maggie (Mother); Clara.
Back Row, L-R.—George; Carrie (Shields); Joseph W.; Harry; Reuben; John; and Ellis (Hipple).

Family came
from Baden
Germany: 1850
Arrived in N. Y.
where they lived
about ten years.
Then came to
Marietta.

1809-1892
Geo. Adam Koehler
Catherine Barber

Both are buried
in Marietta

Barbara Koehler
George Rohrbaugh

1840-1918
Geo. Adam Koehler, Jr.
Margaret Spreckle
1845-1927

1845-1939
Christine Koehler
Leonard Shields
1840-1879

Barnard Koehler
Lived in N. Y.

Annie Koehler (1856)
George Zuch

Geo. A. Koehler 3rd (1867)
Mollie Hill

Ella B. Koehler (1869)
Benton Hipple

Henry M. Koehler (1871)

John A. Koehler (1874)
Annie Arnold

Sarah M. Koehler (1876)
Paul Arnold

Harold
Catherine
Raymond

Joseph W. Koehler (1878)
Blanche Bontz

M. Caroline Koehler (1880)
Harry Shields

Morell Shields | Sylvia
Ruth Ludwig | Linda

Reuben P. Koehler (1882)
Ethel Smyser

Clara R. Koehler (1887-1916)
Not Married

KOLB

Margarthea Kolb (Fred. Stotz)
Charlotte E. Kolb (June 9, 1857)

Catherine Kolb (Oct. 22, 1859)
1st Henry Kelley
2nd Henry Nagle

John C. Kolb (Mar. 12, 1862)

Wilhelm Kolb (Dec. 27, 1865)
Carry Mac Roberts (1870)

Johann Kolb (June 27, 1866)
Ella D. Hershey (1871)

Christopher Kolb
Catherina Neuner

Christopher Kolb
Margie Westenhoefer

Annie Kolb
Samuel Miller

Married in 1872
Christopher Kolb
Marie Riege

KRAUS

Frederick Ernest Kraus
Wife Dortha

Jacob Kraus Frederick Kraus George Kraus	(1894) Charles M. Kraus Pauline Hull	Jane E. Kraus Leroy Simmons	Michael Leroy Constance Jane
Charles M. Kraus, Sr. Margaret Shields	Sept. 11, 1888 Clara Kraus Fred Zuch	Charles M. Kraus Mary Ann Swartz	Pamela Ann Chas. M., 3rd.
Lee Kraus	Maranda Kraus (Sept. 13, 1890) John Straub	Margaret Catherine Ann Zuch	
John Kraus			
Ernest Kraus	Ethel Kraus (1892) John Goodling		
Robert Kraus			
Harmon Kraus			
Nettie Kraus 1—Woodward Ashton 2—Reuben Donley			
Margaret Kraus James Smoke			
Annie Kraus Mr. Schroder			
Frederick Kraus Maria	Gottlieb (July 13, 1871) Carl (Dec. 18, 1867)		
Christian Kraus Elizabeth Besserer	Wilhelm (Mar. 1, 1856) Emma Christina (Mar. 4, 1857)		

MAULICH

Jacob Frederick Maulich
Margaretha Lauber
Born in Bavan Prussia
Mar. 18, 1831-Nov. 27, 1894.

Wilhelm F. Maulich (Apr. 11, 1857)	
Elizabeth Maulich (Aug. 12, 1859)	
Carl Maulich (1861-1864)	
Douglas Maulich (1863-1864)	
Mathilda Maulich (Feb. 16, 1870)	
Joseph Killian	
Ernest G. Maulich 1st Anna Shillow 2nd Emma Baston	Margaretha Died Ernest C. Maulich Helen E. Maulich
Emma Baston Maulich Married 2nd Henry Eppel	Two children Harry & Isabelle
Anna M. Maulich (Oct. 7, 1871)	

MEISTER

Born and reared in Germany
1822—Died Oct. 28, 1906
John Meister
Elizabeth Albert
They lived first in N. Y.
then came to Marietta.

Aug. 7, 1863 Elizabeth Meister Charles A. Swarmer	See the List Swarmer Family
Nov. 3, 1865 John Meister Caroline Herbener	Katherine A. Meister Wm. F. Breckline
1852-1858 Benedict Meister	John C. Meister Keturah Hortig
Aug. 15, 1859 Volentine Meister Rosa	Caroline M. Meister 1st—Frank Bostick 2nd—Samuel Douglas

MENGE

John Jacob Menge Kunigunde Kissling	John F. Menge (1856) Andreas Menge (1860)	
	Daniel Menge (1862) Jane E. Engrich	Aaron (1885) Elizabeth J. (1887)
	Johann C. Menge (1864) Wilhelm Menge (1869)	
	George Menge (1871) Ella McCain	Anna Bella (1896)
	Jacob F. Menge Mary Bogaski	Jacob F. (1896) Earl W. (1898)
	Maria Menge Heinrich Herbener	1863 Caroline Herbener John Meister, Jr. 1864

MUELLER

John C. Mueller, a native of Hesse Darmstadt Germany, was born in 1824. He married Margaret Ulrich who was born in 1830. They had two children when they came to this country in 1854. Settled in Lancaster, Penna. He was a tailor by trade. Died in 1896, age 72 years. His wife died the same year, age 60 years.

1824-1896 (72 yrs.) John C. Mueller Margaret Ulrich 1830-1896 (66 Yrs.)	Elizabeth Mueller Philip Lindemann	
	Christopher Mueller (Died)	
	Christine Mueller (Died)	
	Mary Mueller (Died)	
	John Henry Mueller (Died)	Wilhelmina M. (1880) Mary E. (1882) Geo. Joseph (1884) Henry R. (1887) Hilda Leah (1889) Paul A. Ruth
	Rev. Geo. Philip Mueller Anna Katherine Stump	Anna M. (1896) Rosa E. (1899) John R. (1901) Charles (1903)
	John P. Mueller Anna C. Hess	
	John was born Sept. 12, 1866. He came to Marietta in 1891. On Apr. 12, 1894 he married Anna C. Hess, a Dau. of John Hess. They had four children.	

NISSLEY

Came over from Germany about 1828. Settled at Klinesville (Near Marietta, Penna.) Adam Nissley Hannah Swartz		Samuel Nissley William Nissley Luther Nissley		
		George Nissley Rebecca Myers		John; Mary, Anna; Rachel, Evelyn
		Nov. 6, 1860 John Nissley, Jr. Elizabeth Haas		Harry; William George; Raymond, John F.; Edward
		Alice Nissley (Dec. 5, 1869)		Esther
	1831-1899 John Nissley, Sr. Mary Marshall	Margaret Nissley Philip Straub		Frank George
	George Nissley	Annie F. Nissley Michael Westenhofer		Mary; Clara, Margaret; Alice, Samuel; Emily
	Mary Nissley	Emma C. Nissley Frank Koller		Claude; Sarah, Ruth; Alice Joseph Catherine
	Christine Nissley	Mary Elizabeth Nissley (1881)		Catherine; Mary, Earle Gardner, Franklin; Ethel, Elwood; Blanche, Kenneth.
	Henry Nissley Mary Boyd	Harry Nissley Mary Quinn		Claude J. Nissley Anna Zug
	Margaret Nissley John Carigon	Charles Nissley Blanche Pierce		James Nissley Theodore Nissley Sarah Jones Marian Nissley Esther Nissley
	Samuel Nissley Josephine Young	Claude J. Nissley Maggie M. Kugle		Emily Claude Leila Stephen

OLPHEN

Anna Von Olphen and Peter Olphen were Brother and Sister			May 3, 1855 Elizabeth P. Olphen
Nov. 26, 1817 Ferdinand A. Zuch Anna Von Olphen June 4, 1819	Otto Zuch Mary Frick	From E. Friesland Prussia;—Born Sept. 22, 1822-	Albert Olphen (Mar. 9, 1857) Elsina Olphen (May 23, 1861) Amelia Olphen (July 17, 1863) Anna Olphen Katie Olphen Feb. 13, 1872 Bertus Olphen Henry Olphen Jane
	Anna Zuch Fred Stotz	June 3, 1897 Peter Olphen 1st Henrietta-Giepler 2nd Maria M. Schoen	
	Emmy Zuch John Rakugler	Maria Born Mar. 12, 1833 and died Nov. 10, 1904 She married 1st Christopher Schoen.	Pearl Olphen 1890-1894
	Frank Zuch		

ORTH

Born in Bienau Baden Germany. 1838-1910. Came to this Country in 1856. Peter Orth Mrs. Elizabeth Otto 1828-1910 Born in Hesse Darmstadt.			John Orth (1868) Sarah Beates Frederick Orth (1871) Nettie R. Laucks	Ruth John W. Maude Jas. Peter Mary John
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OTTO

John Otto (died in the war) Elizabeth Dossek 1828-1910 Born in Hesse Darmstadt	Helena Otto (1857) Jacob Singer	
	Peter Otto (1859) Alice A. Enterline	Catherine E. (1833) John O. (1887)
	Christian Otto Elizabeth Otto	

RAUM

George R. Raum Anna Dorothea Leibe (1822-1886)	Mar. 5, 1844 George Raum	Geo. Henry (Dec. 1866) John (May 10, 1869) Carl (Dec. 21, 1870)
	1846 Barbara Raum Fred Yost	Margaret (Mar. 22, 1872) Maria Barbara (June 1, 1874) Samuel W. (Nov. 4, 1875)
	Margaretha Raum Wilhelm Zuch	See the Zuch Family
	Aug. 25, 1852 Catherine Raum Christian Wagner	Carrie Elizabeth Mar. 2, 1873
	1854 Peter Raum Leah Brown 1858	Erwin H. (Feb. 7, 1879) Sarah C. (Feb. 16, 1881)
	Wilhelm Raum (Mar. 18, 1856) Sarah A. Reinhold	
	May 28, 1859 Anna Maria Raum Isaac Hughes	Ada Hughes Fannie Hughes Joe Hughes William Hughes
	Johanne Raum (1861-1862)	
	July 20, 1863 Sam. Ferdinand Raum Susannah Baker	Joseph H. (1885) Henry E. (1887) Ellwood C. (1889)

REYNOLDS

Heinrich Reynolds
Christina Schneider

Susannah
Aug. 17, 1821
Adam Reynolds
Henrietta Stumpf
Came over from Germany

Martha Reynolds
Bernard Westenhoefer
See Family of
Westenhoefer

Elizabeth Reynolds
Samuel Reynolds
Pharies Reynolds (1879)
Anna Sload
Annie Reynolds (1875)
Edward Longenecker

Harry Reynolds (1883)
Clara Harner

Richard
Josephene
Kathryn

SCHICKENDANZ

John Schickendanz
Catherine

Feb. 1838
Frederick Schickendanz
Elizabeth Nebe
March 1841
John Conrad Schickendanz
Mary Ann Elizabeth Walleben

George Philip (Mar. 1861)
Elizabeth (May 1862)
Elizabeth (Apr. 1861)
Maria Pauline (May 1863)
George Adam (Oct. 1865)
Emma Margaret (Jan. 1868)
John Fred (Dec. 1870)

SCHMIDT

Peter Schmidt
Friederiche

Henry Schmidt
Wife
Joseph Schmidt
Elizabeth Lehmann

Ludwig Schmidt
Wilhelmina Strube

Conrad Schmidt
Anastasia

Wilhelmina Schmidt
Andreas Wiesmann

Caroline 1850)
Wilhelm (1855)
Elizabeth (1860)
Peter (1862)
Franz J. (1866)
John F. (1869)
Henry P. (1874)

Maria M. (1857)
Louis (1852)

Maria R. Schmidt (1861)
Michael Kissling

Elizabeth Schmidt (1862)
Bresha Schmidt (1863)
Anna Schmidt (1865)
Conrad Schmidt (1867)
Andreas Schmidt (1856)

Cunigander E. (1863)
Anna Maria (1866)

SCHOEN

Christopher Schoen
Margaretha Schoen

Margaretha (1854); J. George (1865)
Michael (1857); Marie E. (1868)
Wilhelm (1859); Charles F. (1869)
Johannes (1861)
Caroline (1863)

After the death of Christopher, Margaretha
married (1882) Peter Olphen.

SHIELDS

Hamilton Shields
Susan Albright

Sept. 1840
Leonard Shields
Christena Koehler

Mary Shields
Charles Gallagher

Aug. 26, 1853
John Shields
Annie Weaver

Harry M. Shields
Caroline Koehler

George Shields
Emma Rutherford

Margaret M. Shields (1870)
Charles M. Kraus

Clara Bella Shields (1867)
Catherine Shields

Ralph
Renie
Ella
John

Morrell Shields | Linda
Ruth Ludwig | Sylvia

Chas. M., Jr.
Clara
Maranda
Ethel

STOTZ

Christian Stotz Magdaline Meck 1833-1870	John Stotz Maria Barbara Frank 1815-1890	George Stotz (1842)	Frank Stotz (1843) Anna A. Zuch	Maggie Anna John Luther (1890)
		Margaretha Stotz (1846) Heinrich Melchier	Andreas Stotz (1849) Katie Reider	Hettie
		Fred (1854) John W. (1856) Christian (1858) Adam (1860) William J. Sophia M. (1863) Heinrich (1865) Maria E. (1868) Jacob (1870)	Christian Stotz (1851) Wilhelm L. Stotz (1854) Ella Bentamann	
		Henry Stotz (1857)	Frederick Stotz Tillie Gress (1853)	Ellen M. (1873) Henry S.
		Carl A. Stotz (1861)		

STRAUB

Family Came from Hesse Darmstedt	(1866) Philip Straub Margaret Nissley	(1901-1942) Esther A. Straub Elvin Smith	Edward Smith Doris Kilber	Patricia Ann
	1862-1938 Franz Wilhelm Straub Anna Mary Kelley 1867-1868 George Straub	George Frank W. John P.	Ruth E. Smith Richard Albright	
	1869 Elizabeth M. Straub John E. Rineer			
	1874-1877 Michael Straub			
1832-1911 Michael Straub	1876-1888 Maria C. Straub			
Philippine K. Haas 1843-1891	1878 Annia C. Straub David S. Snyder			
	1882 Michael Straubi. Went West			

STUMP FAMILY



Levina; Conrad; Michael; Caroline.

STUMP (Continued)

Adam Stump was born in 1806, Baden, Germany. He married Barbara Culp (Born in 1809). They came to this country in 1852, settled in Marietta. There were four children: Michael Stump a son was born in Germany and came over with his parents. He worked on the farm,

later was clerk in a general merchandise store in Marietta. In 1891 became part-owner in the hardware business. In 1861 he married Leah Hoover a daughter of Joseph and Elizabeth (Conrad) Hoover.

Mar. 18, 1806-Oct. 3, 1889
John Adam Stump
1st Anna Barbara Culp
May 16, 1809-Sept. 12, 1854
2nd. Mrs. Krezen Hindmann
Nee—Knoll

Jacob Conrad Stump (Ohio)

1847-1916
Caroline Stump
William Westenhofer

Lovenia Stump
Adam Swartzculp
Lived in Baltimore

1835-1922
Michael Stump
Leah Hoover

Anna Stump
Rev. Geo. P. Mueller
Rev. Joseph Stump
Alice A. Cooper

SULZBACK

John Sulzback | Syrus (Sept. 1854)
Sarah Hermann | Mary Ann (May 1857)

SWARMER FAMILY



Front Row, L. to R.—Children: Elva (Mrs. George Martin); Cora (Mrs. Harry Fuhrman); Edith.

2nd Row: Rosa Kraft (Mrs. Charles Swarmer); Charles Swarmer (Father); Elizabeth Swarmer (Mother); Baby Earl J. Swarmer; Cora Beaty (Mrs. Valentine Swarmer); Baby Elizabeth; Mary Hartig (Mrs. George Swarmer); Baby Helen; Pearl (Mrs. William Shuman).

Back Row: Charles Swarmer; Mary (Mrs. Chas. Hefflefinger); Raymond; Valentine and George Swarmer.

SWARMER FAMILY (Continued)

<p>Came over about 1850. Settled in Marietta from Northern part of Germany Swope Germany Chas. Christian Swarmer Anna Mumma</p>	Edward Swarmer Alice Moller		John Chas. Swarmer—N. Married	
	B—Sept. 15, 1857 D—June 6, 1942 Chas. August Swarmer Elizabeth Meister B—Aug. 7, 1863 D—Mar. 24, 1930		Valentine Swarmer Cora Trump	Elizabeth
			Charles C. Swarmer 1—Rosa A. Craft 2—Minnie P. Wittlake	
			Geo. W. Swarmer Mary Hartig	Helen Theona
	William Swarmer Hannah Shirk	Elsie William James Anna Mary Walter George Edgar	Raymond R. Swarmer Grace Lyons	
			Mary Swarmer Chas. Heffelfinger	Ruth Earl Richard
	Amos Swarmer Ida	Martha Charley Emma	Pearl Swarmer William Shuman	George Edith Mae
			Edith Swarmer John Bullock	
			Elva Swarmer George Martin	Mary; George John; Doris
			Cora Swarmer Harry Fuhrman	Helen Jean
	Emma Swarmer Joe Crowley	Elsie	Earl Swarmer Ida Berkline	Elwood John C.

THEISINGER

<p>Wilhelm and wife Elizabeth Theisinger Came over from Germany Dec. 1819-1901 Wilhelm Theisinger Elizabeth Nov. 1816-1901 Charter Members of Zion German Congregation</p>	<p>Apr. 1851 Jacob Theisinger Margaret Becker</p>	<p>Wilhelm (Oct. 1873) Elizabeth (Dec. 1874) Emma Louise (Mar. 1877) Charles Harry (June 1881)</p>
	<p>1858 (July) Franz Theisinger Mrs. Emma A. (Demme) Brockhouser</p>	

WALLER

Mrs. Clara Waller was a prominent member of Zion Lutheran Church. A widow of the late Frederick Waller, she died on Monday, January 15, 1951. In early life she occupied the responsible position of coach and critic of German in Wilson College, Bryn Mawr and Linden Hall, Lititz. She was a finished German Scholar. Her German Paper on "Upon true Manhood Depends the Destiny of our Nation," was prepared and read by her at the Chicago World's Fair, and won for her the grand Go'd Medal. In Marietta she taught German and also did translation work. In the year of 1893 she was a Commissioner for Lancaster County to the Chicago World's Fair. From 1898 to 1902 she represented the Biological Laboratories, now owned by Wyeth Inc., demonstrating and selling Vaccine Virus to Boards of Health in New England, Canada, and Great Britain. An exhibition of Virus was presented by her through the Hygiene

Department of Boston at Paris Exposition.

Mrs. Waller was a daughter of the late Martin Schmidt and wife Amelia Muller. Bloom Center, Ohio. A descendant of the Royal House of Hopsburg and of the Blucher Family of Austertitz. It was through Mrs. Waller that the facts regarding the genealogy of this family were secured.

The mother of Mrs. Waller came to America in 1853 to attend school at Linden Hall, at Lititz, Pa.—the oldest ladies seminary in the United States. In 1856 she was married to Martin Schmidt, in Lititz. In 1867 they went to Ohio, where they made their home.

Mrs. Schmidt had in her possession the family credentials written in German and bearing the German seals, showing her birth and descent. These papers she brought with her when she came to America to be educated.

Castle Baumster Hoff in
Zweibruchen, Reim Bavarie,
Germany.

Daniel Muller
Wife

Oct. 23, 1842
Amelia Muller
Martin Schmidt

Karl Theodore Muller
He was an accomplished Musician.
He was sent from Leipzig University to the
United States.

May 23, 1857-Jan. 15, 1951
Clara Schmidt
Frederick Waller

H. O. Schmidt
Dau.—Mrs. John Buchenroth
Dau.—Mrs. Eli Hollinger (Ohio)

WALTERS

Joseph Walters Barbara Mencher	Schlesia, Germany Albert Walters Laura Lemmel Saxony, Germany	John Walters Martha K. Walters Albert Walters Freda Hauser Annie Walters Elmer P. Walters Elizabeth Blodget Sophia C. Walters Henry E. Walters Carl (Billy) Walters Edward W. Walters Frank Walters Florence Walters Elizabeth Walters	David Walters Ida Mae Sprout Nathan Walters Margaret Campbell Nancy Walters James Reider Henry Walters Patricia Whittiaker Sylvester Walters Gladys Houser Ruth Walters Frank Westenhoefer Ralph Walters Ruth Bottomly	Donna Lee Linwood David Susanna Margaret Cheryl
	Wilhelm Walters			
	Bertha Walters Chris Shaub	Annie Minnie Omie		
	Joseph Walters Anna Augusta	Agnes L. Walters (Born in Germany) Laura B. Walters (Born in Germany) Florence A. Walters (Born in Germany) Sophia Walters Hettie Walters Carl Walters		

THE WESTENHOEFER FAMILY

John Westenhoefer and family came to this country from Baden, Germany in 1854. He had a wife and two sons. His first wife died in Germany. She was the mother of William. He married again and had another

son, Barnard, who was born in 1851. Soon after coming to America his wife died and he married in 1855 Rosene who died in 1873.

(July 15, 1805-August 8, 1863)
John Westenhoefer
1st Wife died in Germany
2nd Wife died in this Country
3rd Wife, Rosena

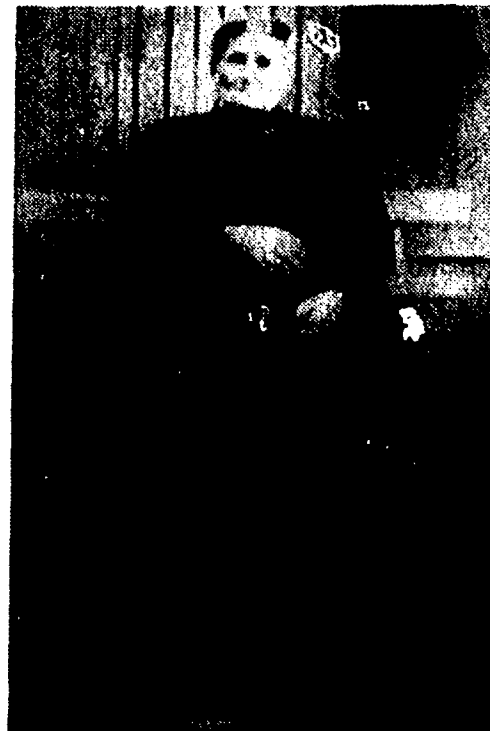
(1836-1890) William Westenhoefer (Born in Baden, Germany)	Half-Brothers
1851-1927 Barnard Westenhoefer (Born in Baden, Germany)	

John Westenhoefer died in 1883. His Will is recorded in Book E. Vol. 2: Page 558.

"Willed to my son William the sum of \$50.00. To my other son and ONLY OTHER CHILD: Barnard, the remainder of my estate."



William Westenhoefer



Mrs. Wm. Westenhoefer

WESTENHOEFER FAMILY (Continued)

1836-1890
William Westenhofer
Caroline Stump
(1847-1916)

John Westenhofer
Delilah Keener

1872-1920
Michael Westenhofer
Annie Nissley
(1878-1954)

Annie Westenhofer

William Westenhofer
Anna M. Newcomer

Margie Westenhofer
Christopher Kolb

John
George

Frank N. Westenhofer
Ruth Walters

George Westenhofer
Doris Kinsmann

William Westenhofer
Ada Greenwalt

Cora Westenhofer
John Detz

Russell Westenhofer
Anna Pennwell

Margaret Westenhofer
Harold Hinkle

Frank W.
Marie

Geo. Michael
Kathy Ellen

Wm. Westenhofer
Margaret Wise
Ada Westenhofer
Leroy Lindemuth

Carol
James R.



BARNARD AND WIFE

1831-1927
Barnard J. Westenhofer
Martha Reynolds
1855-1942

1874-1952
Elizabeth Westenhofer
Walter S. Wisman
1873-1938

1876-1903
Harry J. Westenhofer (not married)

1878-1926
Frances Westenhofer
Harry Strickler

George Westenhofer
Matilda Albright

1881-1898
Minnie Westenhofer

1883-1906
Adam Westenhofer
Alberta Little

Joseph Westenhofer
Ida Dugan

1888-1891
Samuel N. Westenhofer

Martha Westenhofer
John C. Boyer

1901
Rea S. Wisman
Susan Reisinger

Charlotte Ruth Wisman

Lillian Strickler
Harry Weaver

Harry Strickler, Jr.

Paul Strickler

Oliver Strickler

George, Jr.
Paul

Joseph, Jr.
Walter
Ethel
William
Jean

Helen Amanda Boyer
Walter M. Brown

John R. Boyer
Mary Ellen Rose

Elizabeth J. Wisman
Russell E. Cunningham

Mary Louise Wisman
John L. Parker, Jr.

Harry, Jr.
Paul

Arlene
Linda
Robert

Linda

WIESMANN

John Wiesmann Wife	1840 Andreas Wiesmann Wilhelmine Schmidt	Anna Maria (July 3, 1866) Cunigunde r Elizabeth (Feb. 1863)
	John Wiesmann Catherine Barnhard	Johann (Jan. 9, 1862) Carl (Jan. 15, 1864)
	Katherine Wiesmann Jacob Leicht	Henry (Sept. 16, 1866)
	Wilhelm Wiesmann Maria E. Wagner	Maria Anna (Jan. 3, 1858) Catherine E. (Aug. 6, 1859) Christina (June 22, 1861)



WORLEY

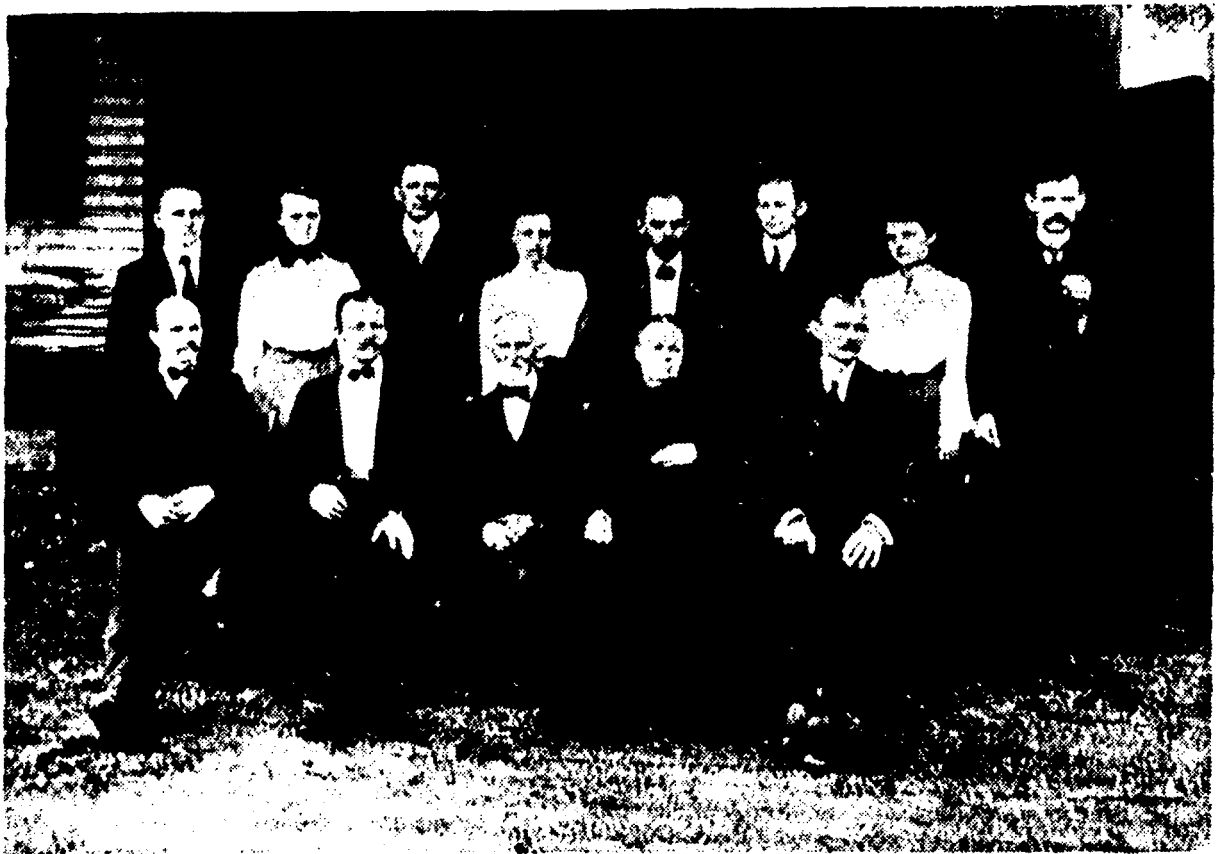
William Frederick Worley Anna Caroline Kraft	William Worley, Jr. Catherine Markley	Caroline May (Jan. 1891)
	Carolina Louisa (July 1871)	
	Mary Ellen (July 1876)	
	Henry Luther (Aug. 1879)	
	Anna Mary (July 1883)	



ZINK

Anthon Zink Anna Margaret Hubsch Franz Zink Margaret	(Jan. 20, 1857) Wilhelm Heinrich Zink Elizabeth Eater	George John Henry (1889) William Edison (1892)
	Volentine (Sept. 15, 1861)	

ZUCH FAMILY



Front Row:—left to right: Willam; George; Samuel W. (Father); Margaret (Mother); Edward.

Back Row:—L-R:—Joseph; Martha (France); Albert; Minnie; John; Samuel, Jr.; Sarah (Wagner); August F.

Lived and died in Bayaria, Germany
Born 1782—Died Apr. 4, 1853
Aged 71 years. Never came over.
JOHN SAMUEL ZUCH
1—Wife: Elizabeth

2—Wife Louise Neuman
Died, Sept. 1831

The first to come over was
Ferdinand Zuch, about a year
later Samuel William Zuch came,
he was a shoe-maker by trade.
Then some years later a sister,
Wilhelmina Zuch came over.

Arthur T. Zuch
Emily Blottenberger

Lester S. Zuch
Helen Landis

Harry A. Zuch
Lucy Thompson

James
Sally
Susan

Rebecca
Samuel
Jo Ann
Christine

Frank T. Zuch
Mabel Evans

Robert T. Zuch
Muriel Brunt

Charles T. Zuch
Rita Lista

Nov. 26, 1817
Ferdinand A. Zuch
Anna Von Olphen
June 4, 1819

Wilhelmina P. Zuch
Benedict Scheffman

Came over in
1850—Born
1828-1907
Sim. Wm. Zuch
Margaret Raum
1848-1909

Stephen
Cheryl.

Daphne
Rachael

Ronald
Kenneth

Otto Zuch (1850)
Mary Frick

Anna Zuch
Fred Stotz

Emma Zuch
John Rakugler

Frank Zuch

Geo. F. Zuch
Anna Koehler

1865-1942
Fred. Wm. Zuch
Mary C. Lauchs
1865-1933

Edward Zuch
Grace Haggerty

Augustus F. Zuch
Ina Haines

John O. Zuch (California)

Sam. Morris Zuch (1873-1952)

Joseph F. Zuch
Mary Heckel

Wilhelmina M. Zuch

Albert B. Zuch
Mary Fowler

Sarah A. Zuch
Jesse Wagner

Martha E. Zuch
Fred France

Fred; Harry—3
Carl; George
Effie; Elvin
Paul; Arthur—1
Lester—2

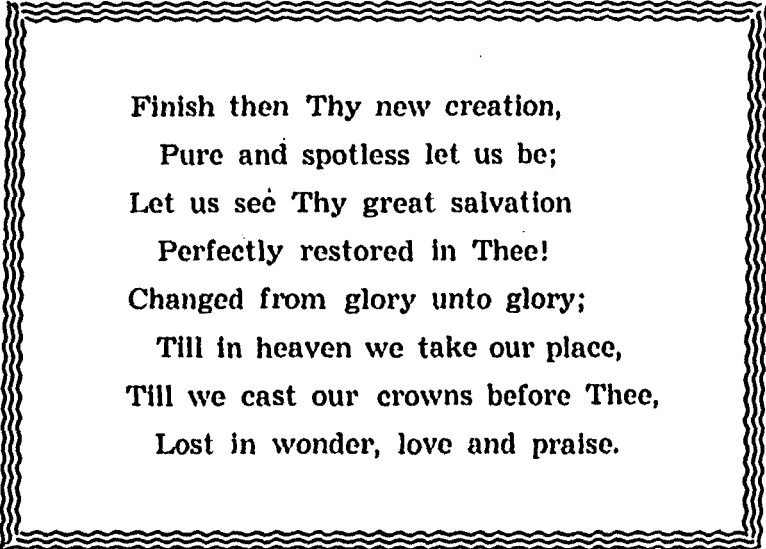
Margaret; Dora
Frances; Martha
Ellen; William
Howard
Harold

Nellie; Cleo
Donald; George
Willis; Albert
Margaret

Herman; Richard
Regina; Mariam
Robert

Virginia

J. Chas. Wagner



Finish then Thy new creation,
Pure and spotless let us be;
Let us see Thy great salvation
Perfectly restored in Thee!
Changed from glory unto glory;
Till in heaven we take our place,
Till we cast our crowns before Thee,
Lost in wonder, love and praise.

To YOU who in 2055 will celebrate the second centenary:

“GREETINGS”

Lord with Thy Church abide. Amen

V. L. F.

