

GENEALOGICAL DATA FROM THE MORAVIAN CHURCH OLEY TOWNSHIP, BERKS COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

CATHARINE BORSTLER, nee PETER, was born in Germany near Soelingen on April 4, 1706, and was baptized by the pastor of that place immediately after her birth. She was raised in the Reformed religion. Her father was Engle PETER and her mother was Catharine nee HARTKOPF. In the year 1720 she emigrated with her parents and subsequently married, as stated above. Their children were:

(B) Anna Maria, born in Pa., February 12, 1730, baptized in Bethlehem by Peter Bohler as an adult. Married to FREY.

William was a carpenter by trade

William purchased 200 acres from James Steele in 1729

There is wonderful story about William.

"Local stories claim George Washington stabled his horses in William Frey's barn when his troops were camping in the area.

3) Henry born 1698 in ROXBOROUGH (OR GERMANTOWN), PHILADELPHIA CO., PENNSYLVANIA, and died after 1769 in LOUDOUN CO, VIRGINIA. He married CHRISTINA (BACHE) FRY, daughter of HANS GEORGE BACHE. Mr. Heckler states" Henry and wife, Christiana, lived in the north corner of Towamencin Twp. He built a woolen mill on a small stream, which was disposed of and the mill taken down in the early part of this century (1800s) The remains of the dam and race are still(1896) visible. After selling he bought a farm, June 10,1761, in Lower Safford Twp. This he sold September 10, 1769 ad no further trace is found.

Children of HENRY FRY and CHRISTINA FRY are:

1) Mary Elizabeth (Fry) Vextroem, b. April 09, 1768, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; d. September 05, 1858, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

2) Hans Martin, b. 1722; d. 1806, Pennsylvania. (THIS NOT THE SON OF HENRY AND CHRISTINA) COL. Arthur Frey of Leesburg, VA was responsible for this mistake. I am sorry for posting this with out checking out first. Per cousin.

6) Abraham Fry born abt 1700 in Roxborough, Philadelphia Co., Pennsylvania

1) William Abrahams FRY, b. 1756; d. 1821.

7) Benjamin Frey b 1696-1753 or b. 1700, Roxborough or Germantown, Montgomery Co., Pennsylvania; d. March 1753, "FRYE FORT", FREDERICK CO., VIRGINIA. Married Christena? Abt 1721 in Pennsylvania

1) Abraham Frye b. 1722, Perkiomen, Philadelphia Co., Penn.; d. February 01, 1807, Fallowfield Twshp. Washington Co., Penn. Married Agnes Ann Young

2) Benjamin Frye b. 1731, Perkiomen, Philadelphia Co., Penn; d. 1813.married Catharine____

3) Henry Frye b. 1724, Perkiomen, Philadelphia Co., Penn.; d. 1812.married Fanny Littler

4) Jacob Frye b. 1726, Perkiomen, Philadelphia Co., Penn, Philadelphia Co., Penn.; d. 1808, Frederick Co or Shenandoah Co.,Virginia Married Molly____

5) Joseph Frye b. 1727, Perkiomen, Montgomery CO., PENN.; d. 1814.married Ann Funk

6) Samuel Frye b. 1727, Perkiomen, Montgomery CO., PENN; d. 1814.married Christina Speers

7) Cristen Frye b. 1733, Perkiomen, Montgomery CO., PENN. Married Joseph Powell

8) William Frye b. 1735, Perkiomen, Montgomery CO., PENN; d. 1796. Married Rachel Spears

10) Elizabeth Frye b. 1737, Perkiomen, Montgomery CO., PENN

8) John Frey was born 1703 in Roxborough, Philadelphia Co. Pennsylvania, and died October 23, 1766 in Franconia Twshp., Montgomery Co. Pennsylvania. He married Mary (KIESLER) FRY. There is record evidence that John lived in Franconia Tp. Montg. Co. in 1734 and died there Oct. 23,1766; was buried in the Mennonite Cemetery.

1) Daniel Frey ?-1796

2) Hanna Frey married Isaac Wells

3) Cathrine Frey

4) Henry Frey 1724-1821 married Mary Hendrick

5) William Frey Abt 1724-1816 married Elizabeth Kerr

6) Samuel Frey 1727-1813 married Dianna Wells

7) Jacob Frey 1734- death date unknown, married Jemima Wells

8) Jonathan Frey 1739-?

9) Enoch Frey Abt 1742-1810 married (1) Nancy Ann Leinbach; (2) Saloma Holtzapple

9) George Frey was born 1705 in Roxborough, Philadelphia Co. Pennsylvania, and is thought to have died 1750 in Virginia, married Elizabeth. There is nothing is known of him. Last know date for him was 1732 in Pa.

1) Sarah Fry

I think this is the Sarah who told a Frey Legend. to read this click [here](#). Then click on Frey Legend to read it

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2) Mary Fry married ___Chrispiosak(?)

3) Susannah Fry

4) John Fry

5) George Fry

6) Rebecca Frey Aft1714-1758

10) Amelia Elizabeth Frey was born 1719 in Roxborough, Philadelphia Co., Pennsylvania, and died June 05, 1781 in Graceham, Frederick Co., Maryland. She married FREDERICK LEINBACH June 10, 1737 in Oley, Berks Co., Pennsylvania. Notes for FREDERICK LEINBACH: FREDERICK AND HIS WIFE ARE BURIED AT GRACEHAM MORAVIAN CHURCH CEMETARY, MARYLAND. Fredrick Leinbach/Linebaugh parents were Johannes Leinbach and Elizabeth Kliess.

Amelia was baptized by Count Zinzendof (then a bishop), at Germantown, Philadelphia Co., Pennsylvania on Mary 6,1842- nearly five years after her marriage-thereby becoming related to the Moravian Church.

The records of Oley referred to names Elizabeth as having married to Frederick Leinbach, but Abraham H Cassel, the Antiquarian, of Harleyville, Montg. Co., Pa. Has a legal document of that period, signed by the parties, which show that Amelia married Mr. Leinbach and Elizabeth married Johannes Miller.

1) John Leinbach 1738-1746

2) Henry Christian Leinbach 1739-1792 married Anna Rosina Paus

3) Jacob Leinbach 1740-1826 married Susanna Nein For more on the Linebaugh/Leinbach family go to their page and Nuen page too.

4) Benjamin Leinbach 1741-1823 married Margaret Nuss

5) Elizabeth Leinbach 1743-?

6)Nancy Ann Leinbach 1745-Abt 1792 married Enoch Frey

7) Johanna Leinbach 1746-? married Jacob Protzman

8) ___ Leinbach 1747-1747

9) Joseph Leinbach 1748-Abt 1819 married Magdalena___

10) Maria Leinbach 1750-? married ___Stover

11) Magdalena Leinbach 1751-? married ___Weller

12) John Leinbach 1753-?

13) Rosina Leinbach 1755-? married ___Weller

14) Catherine Leinbach 1757-?

15) Fredrick Leinbach 1760-?

16) Daniel Leinbach 1760-?

17) Samuel Leinbach 1762-?

11) Elizabeth Frey((Barbara) was born 1719 in Roxborough, Philadelphia Co. , Pennsylvania, and died 1781 in Frederick Twshp., Montgomery Co., Pennsylvania. She married DR. JOHANNES MILLER prior to Aug 18, 1735

1) Christen Muller/Miller

2) Catherine Muller/Miller 1733-? married Henry Happel

3) Salome (Sarah) Muller/Miller 1735-? married Daniel Knauss

4) Elizabeth Muller/Miller 1737-? married Jacob Echel

5) John Muller/Miller 1738-?

6) Anna Muller/Miller 1740-? married John Marberger

7) Joseph Muller/Miller 1741-?

8) Henry Muller/Miller 1743-?

9) Anna Marie Muller/Miller 1744-?

10)___Muller/Miller Abt 1745-?

11) Jacob Muller/Miller 1749-1751

12) Magdalena Muller/Miller 1747-?

13) John Phillip Muller/Miller 1751-?

2) Benjamin Frye b. 1731, Perkiomen, Philadelphia Co., Penn; d. 1813.married Catharine___ No He married REGINA Anna CHRISTEN MERKLE MARKLEY 1725 in Frederick Co. VA. She was born March 20, 1698/99 in Bondeld, Germany, and died Abt. 1760 in Ceder Creek "Frye Fort", Frederick Co. VA. BENJAMIN FREY and REGINAA CHRISTENA MERKLE Burial: near Frye Fort on Cedar Creek, Va. Reginia and William Frey wife Veronica Markeley are sister.

Children of BENJAMIN FREY and REGINA MARKLEY are:

1. ABRAHAM (SR.)5 FREY, b. 1722, Perkiomen, PA (Philadelphia Co.); d. February 26, 1807, Fallowfield Twp. PA (Washington Co.). 2. HENRY FRY, b. August 1724, Perkiomen, PA (Philadelphia Co.); d. April 13, 1812.

3. JACOB FRY, b. 1726, Perkiomen, PA (Philadelphia Co.); d. February 25, 1808, Frederick Co. VA.

4. JOSEPH FRY, b. Abt. 1727, Philadelphia Co. PA; d. August 1781, Frederick Co. VA.

5. SAMUEL (SR.) FRYE, b. 1729, Frederick Co. VA; d. August 15, 1814, Washington Co, PA.

6 BENJAMIN (JR.) FREY, b. 1731, Philadelphia Co. PA; d. June 20, 1812; m. CATHERINE SPEERS.

7. CHRISTEN ANNE FREY, b. 1733, Montgomery Co. PA; d. 1781; m. JOSEPH POWELL, 1752, Frederick Co. VA.

8. WILLIAM FREY, b. 1735, Philadelphia Co. PA; d. 1796; m. RACHEL SPEERS.

9. ELIZABETH FREY, b. 1737, Montgomery Co. PA.

10. REBECCA FREY.

Notes for BENJAMIN FREY: On 500 acres of land along Cedar Creek in Shenandoah Co. SW of Winchester, Frederick Co. Va he built the Frye (Frey) Fort. Proof that Benjamin was a son of Heinrich is roundabout. The diaries or Moravian missionaries mention 'Benjamin Frey, brother of William Frey of Falkner Swamp, Pa.'" There is also a receipt signed by William Frey stating he had gotten his share of his father's, Heinrich Frey, estate from his brother, Jacob. This William did live at Falkner Swamp in Pa. If William was a son of Heinrich and brother to Benjamin, Then Benjamin is also a son of Heinrich. Removed to Virginia 1736-1739. They were likely Moravian. June 1744, Benjamin Frey, Sr. bought 500 acres on Cedar Creek in Frederick County, Va. Benjamin was already a resident of Frederick Co. when he made this purchase, probably on the North Shenandoah River. part of the 140,000 acre tract of Jost Hite, a former neighbor, in Pennsylvania. The two story stonehouse built on Cedar Creek was known as Fry's Fort. When Shenandoah County Va. was formed in 1772. Part of Frye land was in that county. Cedar C[r]eek is the boundry between Shenandoah/Frederick Counties and the land lay on both sides of Cedar Creek. Frye's Fort is on the Shenandoah side. 23 Jul 1747, Moravian missionaries Leonhard Schnell and Vitus Handrup visited with Benjamin Frey, William Frey's brother, at Cedar Creek. 9 Dec. 1749 Schnell and John Brandmueller visited with Benjamin Frey, "Brandmueller had fallen in the Cedar Creek and had become Wet, he had an opportunity at Frey's to dry himself. Will dated Aug 27, 1753 and proved Nov. 6, 1753. Wife Cristen to live with son Joseph. Executors: sons, Abraham and Henry. Names sons, Jacob, Samuel, Benjamin, William. Daughters: Cristen, Elizabeth. Samuel inherited the 168 acre tract on the North Shanandoah River. Abraham, Henry, Jacob and Joseph had previously been given tracts of land.
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