# **Descendants of Johann Georg Wetter**

#### **Generation 1**

1. JOHANN GEORG¹ WETTER was born on September 17, 1829 in Wunderthausen. He died on January 03, 1898 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. He had a relationship with (1) Catherine Elisabeth Homrighausen. She was born on November 12, 1826 in Wunderthausen. She died on January 09, 1881 in Wunderthausen. He married (2) Sophia Müller, daughter of Johann Karl Müller and Marie Catherine Hering, on December 21, 1852 in Sherrill, Dubuque, Iowa. She was born on September 27, 1833 in Gersweiler, Saarbrücken, Saarland, Germany. She died on February 22, 1915 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa.

Notes for Johann Georg Wetter:

Known as George, or John George. Born at Petersgrund near Wunderthausen, first came to the U. S. with his parents briefly in 1833 before returning to Wunderthausen. In 1845, the family came back to the U.S. We used to think they debarked in New Orleans but we now have record of them traveling on the ship Minna which landed in New York on October 4, 1845. According to Emma Wetter Hobbs, they settled near Sherrill, Iowa around 1847 (long known as Sherills Mound). This is where George and Sophia met and most of the large Wetter family remained. George had 80 acres of timberland at Sherrill.

George and his family moved to a farm in Sections 29 and 32 of the Liberty Township of Clinton County in 1861. As far as I know, no other Wetter family members came to the Wheatland area. In November 1875 the land was sold to David and John Shoemaker, nephews of the second wife of L. Henry Riedesel (viz. Elisabeth Schumacher). George, Sophia and their children moved on to Glidden, Iowa in 1876 and spent the rest of their days there.

His daughter by Catherine Homrighausen back in Wunderthausen lived to be an adult, and came to America as well. What, if any, contact there was between them or knowledge within the Wheatland diaspora there was, we just don't know.

Notes for Sophia Müller:

Christened Catherina Sophia.

Johann Georg Wetter and Sophia Müller had the following children:

- i. GEORGE<sup>2</sup> WETTER was born on March 02, 1854 in Sherrill, Dubuque, Iowa. He died on February 19, 1931 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa (Westlawn/Merle Hay Cemetery, Glidden). He married Alicia Ann Fox, daughter of Joseph Fox and Catherine ??, on October 24, 1882 in Carroll, Iowa. She was born on October 23, 1859 in Maquoketa, Jackson County, Iowa. She died on September 30, 1942 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa (Westlawn/Merle Hay Cemetery, Glidden).
- 3. ii. LOUISA WETTER was born on November 06, 1855 in Sherrill, Dubuque, Iowa. She died on July 04, 1939 in Guthrie, Logan, Oklahoma. She married John William Sherer, son of Jacob Georg Scherer and Margarathe Timpe, on March 10, 1874 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He was born on October 16, 1849 in Crestline, Crawford, Ohio. He died on September 07, 1938 in Guthrie, Logan, Oklahoma.
- 4. iii. SOPHIA KATHERINE WETTER was born on November 14, 1857 in Sherrill, Dubuque, Iowa. She died on November 11, 1938 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa (Merle Hay (West Lawn) Cemetery, Glidden). She married Louis A. Riedesel, son of Johann Ludwig Riedesel and Catherine Schneider, on February 16, 1879 in Carroll County, Iowa. He was born on August 23, 1850 in Galion, Crawford, Ohio. He died on May 14, 1922 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa (Merle Hay (West Lawn) Cemetery, Glidden).
- 5. iv. FLORENTINE WETTER was born on June 29, 1859 in Sherrill, Dubuque, Iowa. She died on January 17, 1932 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa (West Lawn/Merle Hay Cemetery, Glidden). She married George Sherer, son of Jacob Georg Scherer and Margarathe Timpe, on August 15, 1876 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He was born on February 18, 1852 in Crestline, Crawford, Ohio. He died on December 07, 1922 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa (West Lawn/Merle Hay Cemetery, Glidden).
- 6. v. Henry Wetter was born on January 29, 1861 in Sherrill, Dubuque, Iowa. He died on October 01, 1945 in Otter Tail County, Minnesota (Lanesboro Cemetery,

Carroll County Iowa). He married Anna Sophia Riedesel, daughter of Johann Ludwig Riedesel and Catherine Schneider, on April 10, 1884 in Carroll County, Iowa. She was born on June 27, 1864 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She died on June 20, 1929 in Sebeka, Wadena, Minnesota (Lanesboro Cemetery, Carroll County Iowa).

vi. CAROLINA WETTER was born on November 13, 1862 in Sherrill, Dubuque, Iowa. She died on October 08, 1882 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. She married Johann Georg Mörchen, son of Johannes Mörchen and Catherine Elisabeth Bernhardt, on July 19, 1882 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. He was born on December 10, 1853 in Wunderthausen. He died before 1920 in Probably Colorado.

Notes for Johann Georg Mörchen:

He was known as George Merchen. Born in the house known as Am Gefälle in Wunderthausen. Came to America on the ship "Johann Schmidt" out of Bremen, landing in New Orleans on June 1, 1857 with his family. Caroline (Wetter) died shortly after they were married. After marrying Alice, they moved on to Denver, Colorado where he was a carpenter.

- 7. vii. Gustav Adolphus Wetter was born on March 21, 1865 in Sherrill, Dubuque, Iowa. He died on September 27, 1908 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa (West Lawn/Merle Hay Cemetery, Glidden). He married Agatha Emma Shutes on March 03, 1890 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. She was born on December 10, 1870 in Carroll County, Iowa. She died on March 09, 1917 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa (West Lawn/Merle Hay Cemetery, Glidden).
  - viii. EMMA WETTER was born on May 31, 1867 in Sherrill, Dubuque, Iowa. She died on January 01, 1963 in Grant, Gage, Nebraska. She married Erastus Leroy Hobbs, son of James William Hobbs and Matilda B. Smith, on February 17, 1887 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. He was born on November 22, 1862 in Albany, Randolph, Indiana. He died on August 20, 1944 in Ogallala, Keith, Nebraska, USA.

Notes for Emma Wetter:

"Aunt Emma" had no children but her1947 book "Wetter-Miller-Schneider - Riedesel Families" was a great gift to the descendants of the almost countless members of those pioneering German families. She grew up at Wheatland and Glidden. After marrying E.L. (Roy) Hobbs, the rest of her life was spent in western Nebraska and Colorado.

- 8. ix. PAULINA WETTER was born on August 08, 1869 in Sherrill, Dubuque, Iowa. She died on March 23, 1927 in Cedar Rapids, Linn County, Iowa, United States of America (West Lawn/Merle Hay Cemetery, Glidden). She married William Ruben Perkins on February 28, 1892 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. He was born on April 27, 1870 in Des Moines, Polk, Iowa. He died on April 23, 1937 in Cedar Rapids, Linn, Iowa.
- X. ADA ADALINE WETTER was born on December 11, 1879 in Sherrill, Dubuque, Iowa. She died on January 26, 1971 in Hitchcock, Beadle, South Dakota. She married (1) GEORGE MEREDITH in 1898 in Carroll, Iowa (Divorced). He was born on February 10, 1874 in Illinois. He died on March 26, 1934 in Fountain Creek Township, Iroquois County, Illinois, United States of America. She married (2) JOSEPH WRIGHT RODMAN on October 11, 1899. He was born on September 20, 1857 in Wayne County, Iowa. He died on October 22, 1940 in Hitchcock, Beadle, South Dakota (Altoona Cemetery, Hitchcock SD).

Notes for Catherine Elisabeth Homrighausen:

Born in Schäfers house. She gave birth a few months after the child's father had left for America. The paternity was not in question.

Johann Georg Wetter and Catherine Elisabeth Homrighausen had the following child:

10. xi. Anna Elisabeth Homrighausen was born on January 17, 1846 in Wunderthausen. She died on October 24, 1919 in Jackson County, Missouri. She married Johannes Knoche, son of Johann Franz Knoche and Elisabeth Gertraud Strackbein, on January 17, 1866 in Missouri. He was born on September 07, 1828

in Wunderthausen. He died on October 29, 1915 in Jackson County, Missouri.

#### **Generation 2**

- 2. **GEORGE**<sup>2</sup> **WETTER** (Johann Georg<sup>1</sup>) was born on March 02, 1854 in Sherrill, Dubuque, Iowa. He died on February 19, 1931 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa (Westlawn/Merle Hay Cemetery, Glidden). He married Alicia Ann Fox, daughter of Joseph Fox and Catherine ??, on October 24, 1882 in Carroll, Iowa. She was born on October 23, 1859 in Maquoketa, Jackson County, Iowa. She died on September 30, 1942 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa (Westlawn/Merle Hay Cemetery, Glidden). George Wetter and Alicia Ann Fox had the following child:
  - i. ERNEST ALMONT<sup>3</sup> WETTER was born on September 06, 1883 in Carroll, Iowa. He died on March 29, 1958 in Los Angeles. He married CORA EMMA HARBAUGH. She was born on November 20, 1881 in Mendota, LaSalle County, Illinois. She died on October 28, 1974 in Burbank, Los Angeles County, California.
- 3. **LOUISA**<sup>2</sup> **WETTER** (Johann Georg<sup>1</sup>) was born on November 06, 1855 in Sherrill, Dubuque, Iowa. She died on July 04, 1939 in Guthrie, Logan, Oklahoma. She married John William Sherer, son of Jacob Georg Scherer and Margarathe Timpe, on March 10, 1874 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He was born on October 16, 1849 in Crestline, Crawford, Ohio. He died on September 07, 1938 in Guthrie, Logan, Oklahoma.

John William Sherer and Louisa Wetter had the following children:

- i. ALICE<sup>3</sup> SHERER was born in August 1876 in Iowa.
- ii. CHARLES GUSTAVE SHERER was born in September 1878 in Iowa. He died in 1973.
- iii. LE ROY EUGENE SHERER was born in February 1881 in Iowa.
- iv. Bertha Sherer was born in July 1883 in Iowa. She died in 1965.
- v. OLIVIA SHERER was born in October 1885 in Iowa. She died on February 27, 1979 in Oklahoma, United States of America.
- 4. **SOPHIA KATHERINE**<sup>2</sup> **WETTER** (Johann Georg<sup>1</sup>) was born on November 14, 1857 in Sherrill, Dubuque, Iowa. She died on November 11, 1938 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa (Merle Hay (West Lawn) Cemetery, Glidden). She married Louis A. Riedesel, son of Johann Ludwig Riedesel and Catherine Schneider, on February 16, 1879 in Carroll County, Iowa. He was born on August 23, 1850 in Galion, Crawford, Ohio. He died on May 14, 1922 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa (Merle Hay (West Lawn) Cemetery, Glidden).

# Notes for Sophia Katherine Wetter:

Like her husband, Sophia located to the Wheatland area as a child. Family stories tell that she lived part of her childhood with her aunt and uncle Fiock. The latter had no children and it would not have been uncommon to "borrow" a young relative to help with the work of keeping house and farming. However, Sophia was enumerated in her parents' household in the 1870 Census. Her parents (and the aged Fiocks) moved to Glidden too.

# Notes for Louis A. Riedesel:

Christened Ludwig but known to us as Louis A. I am 99% certain that the "A." was only an initial that he took on to distinguish himself from other Louis/Ludwig Riedesels. There is no chance his *echt-Deutsch* parents gave him the middle name of "Arnold" or "Arthur" as a few other researchers have guessed.

Born in Crawford County, Ohio, but moved with his family to Wheatland in 1855. At the time of his marriage in 1879, he is said to have accumulated \$200 and a team of mules, so was ready to begin farming on his own. His parents and in-laws moved to the Glidden area where he farmed. He eventually bought 140 acres north of town, and worked it until 1909 when son Ralph took over. Louis, Sophia and the younger children moved into town in October 1909 (to a house his brother, John C., had owned).

If Louis spoke much English, it was only after the children learned it in school. He died of a stroke. The few stories that have come down to us suggest he was a strict, no-nonsense person. Yet several of the children had a streak of good humor, so I believe he had another side as well.

Louis A. Riedesel and Sophia Katherine Wetter had the following children:

- i. ARNOLD A.<sup>3</sup> RIEDESEL was born on January 06, 1880 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. He died on June 14, 1951 in Windom, Cottonwood, Minnesota (Windom). He married Lydia Fausch, daughter of Johann Christian Fausch and Mary Sherer, in Slater, Ia. She was born on August 25, 1883 in Des Moines, Polk, Iowa. She died on August 15, 1968 in Cass, Minnesota.
- ii. LILLIAN ROSELLE RIEDESEL was born on April 16, 1882 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. She died on December 22, 1961 in Benkelman, Dundy, Nebraska. She married Frederick John Tresidder, son of Edward John Tresidder and Louisa Johns, on November 28, 1906 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. He was born on March 18, 1879 in Menherion, Cornwall, England. He died on March 11, 1974 in Benkelman, Dundy, Nebraska.
- iii. LAURA MABEL RIEDESEL was born on September 10, 1883 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. She died on May 05, 1952 in Lake City, Calhoun, Iowa. She married Leslie Grey Walters, son of Langford Green Walters and Alice May Ogden, on December 08, 1909 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. He was born on October 17, 1886 in De Kalb, De Kalb, Illinois. He died on September 13, 1947 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa.
- iv. RALPH EUGENE RIEDESEL was born on November 12, 1886 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. He died on May 18, 1973 in Brookings, Brookings, South Dakota (Merle Hay (West Lawn) Cemetery, Glidden). He married Edyth Julia Mace, daughter of Layfayette Mace and Mary Ann Ardelia Beach, on November 14, 1909 in Sioux Rapids, Buena Vista, Iowa. She was born on May 26, 1888 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. She died on November 05, 1934 in Carroll County, Iowa (Merle Hay (West Lawn) Cemetery, Glidden).
  - v. Walter Riedesel was born on September 10, 1889 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. He died on February 17, 1904 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa (Merle Hay Cemetery, Glidden).

Notes for Walter Riedesel: Died of pneumonia before his fifteenth birthday. Remembered by his mother as "my scholar."

- 15. vi. CLARA BEATRICE RIEDESEL was born on January 17, 1893 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. She died on May 04, 1974 in Placerville, El Dorado, California. She married Harvey Allen Hood, son of Thomas Jerome Hood and Nellie Gerena Anderson, on July 16, 1918 in Pocahontas, Pocahontas, Iowa. He was born on November 07, 1893 in Sioux City, Woodbury, Iowa. He died on January 28, 1988 in Paramount, Los Angeles, California.
- vii. ARTHUR LOUIS RIEDESEL was born on April 24, 1896 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. He died on May 18, 1980 in Omaha, Douglas, Nebraska (Ogallala Cemetery). He married Catherine Marie Lawrence, daughter of Frank Budd Lawrence and Cora Isolania Reynolds, on June 10, 1920 in Carroll, Carroll, Iowa. She was born on July 01, 1897 in Anita, Cass, Iowa. She died on August 28, 1992 in Omaha, Douglas, Nebraska (Ogallala Cemetery).
- 5. **FLORENTINE**<sup>2</sup> **WETTER** (Johann Georg<sup>1</sup>) was born on June 29, 1859 in Sherrill, Dubuque, Iowa. She died on January 17, 1932 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa (West Lawn/Merle Hay Cemetery, Glidden). She married George Sherer, son of Jacob Georg Scherer and Margarathe Timpe, on August 15, 1876 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He was born on February 18, 1852 in Crestline, Crawford, Ohio. He died on December 07, 1922 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa (West Lawn/Merle Hay Cemetery, Glidden).

Notes for Florentine Wetter:

Known as Flora.

Notes for George Sherer:

Came to Clinton County, Iowa, in 1868 with his parents. He and his family moved to Carroll County in 1879. Died from pneumonia following an automobile accident.

George Sherer and Florentine Wetter had the following children:

- i. CLARA LUELLA<sup>3</sup> SHERER was born on December 10, 1878 in Wheatland, Clinton, lowa. She died on August 06, 1973. She married ?? EVARTS.
- 17. ii. Nelle Viola Sherer was born on May 17, 1882 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. She died on March 08, 1951 in Ames, Story, Iowa. She married Reuben Charles Henry Riedesel, son of Franz Riedesel and Ella Louise Wirth, on August 27, 1913 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. He was born on March 09, 1883 in Jasper, Carroll, Iowa. He died on May 24, 1967 in Fairmont, Martin, Minnesota (Merle Hay (West Lawn) Cemetery, Glidden).
  - iii. Jessie Sophia Sherer was born on October 03, 1884 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. She died on March 04, 1962 in Fremont, Dodge, Nebraska. She married Earl Hendricks. He died in 1963.
  - iv. ALBERT SHERER was born on July 01, 1886 in Carroll County, Iowa. He died on July 01, 1886 in Carroll County, Iowa.
  - V. DELBERT GEORGE SHERER was born on December 04, 1886 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. He died on May 16, 1973 in Carroll County, Iowa. He married (1) MARGARET PRILL on March 23, 1910 in Harrison, Adair, Iowa. She was born on August 06, 1885 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. She died on December 16, 1958. He married (2) ANNA FREDERICKA WEGNER in October 1961. She was born on March 09, 1894 in Carroll, Carroll, Iowa. She died on October 06, 1964 in Carroll, Carroll, Iowa.
- 6. HENRY<sup>2</sup> WETTER (Johann Georg<sup>1</sup>) was born on January 29, 1861 in Sherrill, Dubuque, Iowa. He died on October 01, 1945 in Otter Tail County, Minnesota (Lanesboro Cemetery, Carroll County Iowa). He married Anna Sophia Riedesel, daughter of Johann Ludwig Riedesel and Catherine Schneider, on April 10, 1884 in Carroll County, Iowa. She was born on June 27, 1864 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. She died on June 20, 1929 in Sebeka, Wadena, Minnesota (Lanesboro Cemetery, Carroll County Iowa).

#### Notes for Henry Wetter:

Originally bought and farmed his father's land but sold it and moved to Sebeka, Minnesota. Henry Wetter and Anna Sophia Riedesel had the following children:

- ALBERT RALPH<sup>3</sup> WETTER was born on May 12, 1885 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. He died on February 14, 1953 in Lanesboro, Carroll, Iowa (Lanesboro Cemetery, Carroll County Iowa). He married Frances Elizabeth Sheffield on June 22, 1915 in Lanesboro, Carroll, Iowa. She was born on August 17, 1890 in Lanesboro, Carroll, Iowa. She died on January 08, 1970 in Carroll, Carroll, Iowa.
- ii. Otto Wetter was born on December 11, 1887 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. He died on March 09, 1967 in Minneapolis, Hennepin, Minnesota. He married Hazel Coomes on November 09, 1911 in Carroll, Carroll, Iowa. She was born on October 30, 1892 in Gray, Audubon, Iowa. She died on August 11, 1987 in Lamberton, Redwood, Minnesota.
- 20. iii. LAWRENCE HUGO WETTER was born on June 14, 1890 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. He died on September 05, 1944 in Sebeka, Wadena, Minnesota. He married Cleo Marie Coomes on November 26, 1912 in Guthrie Center, Guthrie, Iowa. She was born on November 09, 1884 in Gray, Audubon, Iowa. She died on December 09, 1983 in Vancouver, Clark, Washington.
- 21. iv. Beulah Mae Wetter was born on February 21, 1893 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. She died on October 27, 1964 in Springfield, Greene, Missouri. She married Charles Leonard Peterson on January 11, 1916 in Carroll, Carroll, Iowa. He was born on June 07, 1885 in Sherburn, Martin, Minnesota. He died on January 15, 1973 in Bolivar, Polk, Missouri.
- V. ESTHER LEONA WETTER was born on October 19, 1894 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. She died on April 11, 1982 in Lake City, Calhoun, Iowa. She married Monroe William Streeter on January 20, 1915 in Carroll, Carroll, Iowa. He was born on March 22, 1895 in Lake City, Calhoun, Iowa. He died on October 02, 1969 in Clarinda, Page, Iowa.

- vi. Ruby Ida Wetter was born on September 10, 1897 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. She died on February 22, 1987 in Isanti County, Minnesota. She married Dewey William Killmer on April 09, 1919 in Pine City, Pine, Minnesota, USA. He was born on July 28, 1897. He died on April 23, 1966 in Braham, Isanti, Minnesota.
- 24. vii. ROBERT HERALD WETTER was born on July 23, 1900 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. He died on September 17, 1972 in Morgan Hill, Santa Clara, California. He married Thelma Louise Yerkey on November 27, 1928 in Windom, Cottonwood, Minnesota. She was born on June 04, 1908 in Versailles, Allegheny, Pennsylvania. She died on October 27, 1991 in Bakersfield, Kern, California.
- viii. HILDA MARY WETTER was born on February 19, 1902 in Lanesboro, Carroll, Iowa. She died on April 24, 1992 in Lanesboro, Carroll, Iowa. She married (1) HARRY BURL OLMSTEAD on August 24, 1946 in Luverne, Rock, Minnesota. He was born on May 05, 1900 in Guthrie Center, Guthrie, Iowa. He died on October 19, 1969 in Lanesboro, Carroll, Iowa. She married (2) WARREN ALVIN KIRBY on March 18, 1926 in Fort Dodge, Webster, Iowa. He was born on May 29, 1908 in Helton, Ashe, North Carolina. He died on May 21, 1944 in Iowa. She married (3) SAMUEL CLIFTON ZIMBECK on January 08, 1974. He was born on April 01, 1891 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. He died on August 20, 1983 in Lanesboro, Carroll, Iowa.
- 7. **Gustav Adolphus**<sup>2</sup> **Wetter** (Johann Georg<sup>1</sup>) was born on March 21, 1865 in Sherrill, Dubuque, lowa. He died on September 27, 1908 in Glidden, Carroll, lowa (West Lawn/Merle Hay Cemetery, Glidden). He married Agatha Emma Shutes on March 03, 1890 in Glidden, Carroll, lowa. She was born on December 10, 1870 in Carroll County, lowa. She died on March 09, 1917 in Glidden, Carroll, lowa (West Lawn/Merle Hay Cemetery, Glidden).

Gustav Adolphus Wetter and Agatha Emma Shutes had the following children:

- i. HOWARD ADOLPHUS<sup>3</sup> WETTER was born on December 18, 1890 in Glidden, Carroll, lowa. He married Naona Lucile Vaux on June 07, 1912 in Iowa Falls, Hardin, Iowa. She was born on January 08, 1893 in Iowa Falls, Hardin, Iowa. She died on June 08, 1962.
- ii. ALFRED CARLSON WETTER was born on August 18, 1894 in Iowa.
- iii. Bessie Juanita Wetter was born on May 21, 1897 in Jasper, Carroll, Iowa.
- iv. DOROTHY MAY WETTER was born on August 11, 1900 in Jasper, Carroll, Iowa.
- 8. PAULINA<sup>2</sup> WETTER (Johann Georg<sup>1</sup>) was born on August 08, 1869 in Sherrill, Dubuque, Iowa. She died on March 23, 1927 in Cedar Rapids, Linn County, Iowa, United States of America (West Lawn/Merle Hay Cemetery, Glidden). She married William Ruben Perkins on February 28, 1892 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. He was born on April 27, 1870 in Des Moines, Polk, Iowa. He died on April 23, 1937 in Cedar Rapids, Linn, Iowa.

William Ruben Perkins and Paulina Wetter had the following children:

- i. WARD WILLIAM<sup>3</sup> PERKINS was born on May 04, 1894 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa.
- ii. LUREL LEONA PERKINS was born on March 26, 1897 in Iowa. She died on August 07, 1979.
- iii. Doris Faye Perkins was born on October 10, 1905 in Iowa.
- 9. ADA ADALINE<sup>2</sup> WETTER (Johann Georg<sup>1</sup>) was born on December 11, 1879 in Sherrill, Dubuque, lowa. She died on January 26, 1971 in Hitchcock, Beadle, South Dakota. She married (1) GEORGE MEREDITH in 1898 in Carroll, Iowa (Divorced). He was born on February 10, 1874 in Illinois. He died on March 26, 1934 in Fountain Creek Township, Iroquois County, Illinois, United States of America. She married (2) JOSEPH WRIGHT RODMAN on October 11, 1899. He was born on September 20, 1857 in Wayne County, Iowa. He died on October 22, 1940 in Hitchcock, Beadle, South Dakota (Altoona Cemetery, Hitchcock SD).

George Meredith and Ada Adaline Wetter had the following child:

i. ETHEL<sup>3</sup> MEREDITH was born on September 13, 1898 in Jasper, Carroll, Iowa. She died on February 21, 1991 in Huron, Beadle, South Dakota.

Joseph Wright Rodman and Ada Adaline Wetter had the following children:

- i. MYRTLE<sup>3</sup> RODMAN was born in June 1885 in Iowa.
- ii. Emma Rodman was born in March 1887 in Iowa.
- iii. JOSEPH A RODMAN was born about 1889 in Iowa.
- iv. George A Rodman was born about 1893 in Iowa.
- v. Charles D Rodman was born about 1895 in Iowa.
- vi. ERNEST A. RODMAN was born on August 22, 1900 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. He died on September 30, 1979 in New York, United States of America.
- vii. BERTHA A. RODMAN was born on March 04, 1903 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. She died in June 1995.
- VAY E. RODMAN was born on March 09, 1907 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. He died on March 06, 1966 in Redfield, Spink County, South Dakota, United States of America.
- ix. MARGARET LUCILLE RODMAN was born on October 11, 1913 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. She died on March 10, 2001 in Logan County, North Dakota, United States of America.
- 10. ANNA ELISABETH<sup>2</sup> HOMRIGHAUSEN (Johann Georg<sup>1</sup> Wetter) was born on January 17, 1846 in Wunderthausen. She died on October 24, 1919 in Jackson County, Missouri. She married Johannes Knoche, son of Johann Franz Knoche and Elisabeth Gertraud Strackbein, on January 17, 1866 in Missouri. He was born on September 07, 1828 in Wunderthausen. He died on October 29, 1915 in Jackson County, Missouri.

Notes for Anna Elisabeth Homrighausen:

Born in Schäfers Haus in Wunderthausen. Came to New York on the "Atlantic" out of Bremen on May 28, 1866. According to the 1910 Census she had borne 10 children of whom 7 were alive. Known as Anna or Annie.

Notes for Johannes Knoche:

Born in the house 'Auf der Leye' (later Kellers) in Wunderthausen. Came to America on the ship 'Carl' landing in New Orleans out of Bremen on October 13, 1858. Lived near the town of New Santa Fe in Jackson County, Missouri. Owned 200 acres by 1881.

"John KNOCHE, farmer and stock raiser, section 28, post-office New Santa Fe, was born in Prussia, September 7, 1828, and was there reared and educated. In the fall of 1858, he came to America, landing in New Orleans, and from there came to Jackson County, and is now the owner of 200 acres of improved land, with a fine residence. He was married in this county January 17, 1866, to Annie E. HOMRECHHOUSE. They have six children: Emily, John F., John R., Annie, Albert, and Nellie."

Johannes Knoche and Anna Elisabeth Homrighausen had the following children:

- i. AMELIA LOUISE<sup>3</sup> KNOCHE was born on June 01, 1871 in Martin City, Jackson County, Missouri. She died on August 21, 1953 in Kansas City, Jackson County, Missouri. She married James Cicero McKaughan on August 21, 1898 in Jackson, Missouri. He was born on August 04, 1874 in Elkin, Surry County, North Carolina. He died on December 10, 1954 in Kansas City, Jackson County, Missouri.
- 27. ii. JOHN FRANK KNOCHE was born about 1873 in Missouri. He died on June 02, 1935 in San Diego, California, USA. He married GRACE GREEN. She was born on October 02, 1871 in New York. She died on July 19, 1962 in Los Angeles.
  - iii. JOHN AUGUST KNOCHE was born on November 12, 1874 in Missouri, USA. He died in 1927 in Missouri, USA. He married Mayme Snarp on November 03, 1912. She was born about 1879 in Kansas.
- iv. Anna Elizabeth Knoche was born in November 1875 in Missouri, USA. She died in January 1956. She married Bennett Rector on February 14, 1906 in Jackson, Kansas City, Missouri, USA. He was born on August 17, 1870 in Grayson County, Virginia. He died on April 05, 1925 in Martin City, Jackson County, Missouri.

- V. Albert Phillip Knoche was born on December 21, 1877 in Martin City, Missouri. He died on March 30, 1960 in Martin City, Missouri. He married (1) Susie N. Barger on October 07, 1900 in Missouri. She was born on September 19, 1882 in Missouri. She died in June 1971 in Kansas City, Jackson, Missouri. He married (2) Ella Dorothy Mills on October 16, 1940 in Jackson, Independence, Missouri, USA. She was born on July 26, 1893 in Grand Summit, Kansas. She died about 1965.
- 30. vi. Nellie F Knoche was born on October 15, 1879 in Missouri. She died in June 1964. She married Fred McDonald Hughes on March 07, 1900 in Jackson, Missouri. He was born on May 28, 1875 in Illinois. He died on February 24, 1924 in Kansas City, Jackson County, Missouri.
- 31. vii. MINNIE KNOCHE was born on April 22, 1883 in Missouri, USA. She died on November 23, 1918. She married Arthur James Reinsch on April 22, 1902 in Jackson, Missouri. He was born on September 30, 1875 in Johnson County, Kansas, United States of America. He died on July 15, 1967 in Kansas City, Jackson County, Missouri, United States of America.

#### **Generation 3**

11. **ARNOLD A.**<sup>3</sup> **RIEDESEL** (Sophia Katherine<sup>2</sup> Wetter, Johann Georg<sup>1</sup> Wetter) was born on January 06, 1880 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. He died on June 14, 1951 in Windom, Cottonwood, Minnesota (Windom). He married Lydia Fausch, daughter of Johann Christian Fausch and Mary Sherer, in Slater, Ia. She was born on August 25, 1883 in Des Moines, Polk, Iowa. She died on August 15, 1968 in Cass, Minnesota.

#### Notes for Arnold A. Riedesel:

Arnold was a farmer but also engaged in a seed and nursery business. In 1910 he had his own farm in Carroll County, lowa but had settled in near Windom, Minnesota (Cottonwood County) by 1920. They may have lived around Veblen, South Dakota and Ames, lowa if briefly. Emma Wetter Hobbs says that he helped introduce hybird seed corn in southern Minnesota. At six feet, two inches he was by far the tallest member of the family. Arnold completed eight years of school. He reportedly learned English only upon attending school.

Arnold A. Riedesel and Lydia Fausch had the following children:

i. Russell Irving⁴ Riedesel was born on October 17, 1904 in Veblen, Marshall, South Dakota. He died on May 05, 1969 in Billings, Yellowstone, Montana (Mountview Cemetery). He married Inza Nelleen Africa, daughter of Howard Africa and Bessie Belle Ellsworth, on June 01, 1925 in Mason City, Cerro Gordo, Iowa. She was born on July 22, 1905 in Crystal Lake, Hancock, Iowa. She died on February 18, 1993 in Billings, Yellowstone, Montana (Mountview Cemetery).

Notes for Russell Irving Riedesel:

Graduate of the University of Minnesota in civil engineering. Owned a construction firm in Billings after working for the Northern Pacific Railroad.

ii. MARGARET SOPHIA RIEDESEL was born on March 15, 1909 in Windom, Cottonwood, Minnesota. She died on July 26, 2004 in Pleasant Hill, Cumberland, Tennessee. She married Kenneth Stewart Campbell, son of Roscoe M Campbell and Ann McLean, on April 12, 1936 in Muscatine, Muscatine, Iowa. He was born on June 14, 1909 in Center Twp, Sioux County IA. He died on September 06, 1993 in Pleasant Hill, Cumberland, Tennessee.

Notes for Margaret Sophia Riedesel:

Pleasant Hill, TN. Graduate of the School of Business at the University of Minnesota.

Notes for Kenneth Stewart Campbell: Appraiser with the Federal Land Bank.

iii. WILLARD A. RIEDESEL was born on March 22, 1918 in Jackson, Minnesota. He died on February 05, 2001 in Mentone, DeKalb, Alabama. He married (1) MARY

VIRGINIA LANGDON on May 24, 1941 in Birmingham, Jefferson, Alabama. She was born on February 27, 1918 in East Saint Louis, St Clair, Illinois. She died on September 08, 1984 in Fort Payne, DeKalb, Alabama. He married (2) Bobbie Keef on December 01, 1984 in Gatlinburg, Sevier, Tennessee. She was born on April 29, 1938 in Fort Payne, DeKalb, Alabama.

Notes for Willard A. Riedesel:

Graduate of Parks Air College, St. Louis. Served in World War II. Operated airport in Park Rapids for many years.

Notes for Bobbie Keef:

Registered Nurse, employed by County Health Department. Two children by a previous marriage.

12. **LILIAN ROSELLE**<sup>3</sup> **RIEDESEL** (Sophia Katherine<sup>2</sup> Wetter, Johann Georg<sup>1</sup> Wetter) was born on April 16, 1882 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. She died on December 22, 1961 in Benkelman, Dundy, Nebraska. She married Frederick John Tresidder, son of Edward John Tresidder and Louisa Johns, on November 28, 1906 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. He was born on March 18, 1879 in Menherion, Cornwall, England. He died on March 11, 1974 in Benkelman, Dundy, Nebraska.

Notes for Lillian Roselle Riedesel:

Attended Buena Vista College and became a teacher near Veblen, South Dakota, where she met Rev. Frederick Tressider.

Notes for Frederick John Tresidder:

Native of Cornwall, England, and educated in philosophy and religion. Came to Yankton, South Dakota, in 1902 and ordained in 1908 by the Yankton Association of Congregational Churches. Served churches in South Dakota, Kansas, and Nebraska.

Frederick John Tresidder and Lillian Roselle Riedesel had the following children:

- ROLLAN MCCLELLAN<sup>4</sup> TRESIDDER was born on December 17, 1908 in Wakonda, Clay, South Dakota. He died on October 06, 1913 in Wakonda, Clay, South Dakota.
- ii. WILFRED THOMAS TRESIDDER was born on May 15, 1912 in Wakonda, Clay, South Dakota. He died on July 27, 1961 in Denver, Colorado. He married Helen Pearl Kelley, daughter of Hugh H Kelly and Pearl E McKinney, in June 1946. She was born on December 08, 1915 in Bosworth, Carroll, Missouri. She died on April 02, 1994 in Warrensburg, Johnson, Missouri.

Notes for Wilfred Thomas Tresidder:

Educated at Parks College (Mo.) and Kearney State College (Nebr.) Served in World War II. Following the war, he began working in the field of newspaper advertising in Warrensburg, Missouri. They later moved to Winfield, Kansas, where he continued with his career until his death in 1961. No children.

Notes for Helen Pearl Kelley:

Was a teacher; graduate of the University of Wichita (now part of the Kansas State system).

DWIGHT MENHERION TRESIDDER was born on January 29, 1914 in Wakonda, Clay, South Dakota. He died on December 31, 1999 in Friendswood, Galveston, Texas. He married Doris Poellot, daughter of Fred Ernest Poellot and Blanche Scott, on August 04, 1940 in Coleridge, Cedar, Nebraska, USA. She was born on June 16, 1918 in Sioux City, Woodbury, Iowa. She died on November 22, 2010 in Friendswood, Galveston, Texas.

Notes for Dwight Menherion Tresidder:

Graduate of Doane College (Nebr.). Graduate work at the University of California-Berkeley and the University of Wisconsin-Maidson. Ordained by the United Church of Christ and served churches in Nebraska, Wisconsin and Texas for 40 years.

Notes for Doris Poellot:

Graduate of the University of Nebraska (Lincoln). Taught school in Nebraska and Wisconsin.

iv. Dale Weston Tresidder was born on February 10, 1916 in Wakonda, Clay, South Dakota. He died on September 03, 1998 in Lincoln, Lancaster, Nebraska. He married Ardyce Ardell Burchell, daughter of Clyde V Burchell and Mabel M Monroe, on August 11, 1940 in Oakland, Alameda, California. She was born on April 29, 1918 in Minden, Kearney, Nebraska. She died on September 28, 2003 in Lincoln. Lancaster, Nebraska.

Notes for Dale Weston Tresidder:

Graduate of Doane College (Crete, NE). Taught school in Polk, Nebraska 1940-1942. Became civilian personnel officer at an army base in La Junta, Colorado, before being drafted in 1945 into the navy. Following the war, was hired by the Veterans Administration and worked in Denver until 1950. Then worked in Washington, DC, until his retirement in 1986. He and Ardyce sang in church choirs for most of their adult lives. No children.

v. GWENETH LOUISE TRESIDDER was born on January 20, 1920 in Crofton, Knox, Nebraska. She died on March 01, 2011 in Lincoln, Lancaster, Nebraska. She married Marvin Dale Bauer on March 28, 1942 in Coleridge, Cedar, Nebraska, USA. He was born on April 16, 1919 in Benkelman, Dundy, Nebraska. He died on April 27, 2006 in Benkelman, Dundy, Nebraska.

Notes for Gweneth Louise Tresidder:

Benkelman, NE. Graduated from high school in Coleridge, NE, and attended Doane College. Long-time organist in the Methodist Church.

Notes for Marvin Dale Bauer:

Farmer and agent for New York Life Insurance. Graduate of Benkelman High School and Doane College. Naval aviator during World War II.

vi. Thelma Lucille Tresidder was born on April 21, 1924 in Centralia, Nemaha, Kansas. She died on October 25, 2012 in Milford, Seward, Nebraska. She married (1) Robert Havekost, son of Herman Havekost and Rosa A Witte, on December 27, 1983 in Milford, Seward, Nebraska. He was born on December 23, 1924 in Coleridge, Cedar, Nebraska, USA. He died on November 15, 1996 in Milford, Seward, Nebraska. She married (2) Martin Hunter, son of Edward B Hunter and Emma Nordstrom, on August 15, 1948 in Hemingford, Box Butte, Nebraska. He was born on February 10, 1921 in Bureau, Illinois. He died on August 10, 1969 in East Brunswick, Middlesex, New Jersey.

Notes for Thelma Lucille Tresidder:

Attended Doane College and later graduated with a B.A. in education (music major) from what is now the College of New Jersey in Trenton, 1972.

Notes for Martin Hunter:

Graduate of Calver-Stockton College in Canton, MO, 1942. Worked as an executive with the Boy Scouts of America.

13. **Laura Mabel** <sup>3</sup> **Riedesel** (Sophia Katherine <sup>2</sup> Wetter, Johann Georg <sup>1</sup> Wetter) was born on September 10, 1883 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. She died on May 05, 1952 in Lake City, Calhoun, Iowa. She married Leslie Grey Walters, son of Langford Green Walters and Alice May Ogden, on December 08, 1909 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. He was born on October 17, 1886 in De Kalb, De Kalb, Illinois. He died on September 13, 1947 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa.

Notes for Laura Mabel Riedesel:

After her divorce from Leslie Walters in 1940, she moved to the home of her widowed brother, Ralph.

Leslie Grey Walters and Laura Mabel Riedesel had the following child:

 ALICE BELLE<sup>4</sup> WALTERS was born on December 27, 1911 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. She died on November 22, 1989 in Eustis, Lake, Florida. She married Curtis Conrad Brandau on June 27, 1934 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. He was born on May 12, 1910 in Dysart, Tama, Iowa. He died on April 20, 1980 in Eustis, Lake, Florida.

Notes for Alice Belle Walters: Completed a BA at Cornell College, 1932.

Notes for Curtis Conrad Brandau:

Teacher, coach, and business owner. Held Bachelors degree from Cornell College (1932), Masters degree from Columbia (1938), and a PhD from the University of Colorado (1966). Taught in Sterling, Illinois, schools 1938-1975 and had an interest in a clothing store. Served as a Navy Lieutenant in Pacific theatre 1942-1945.

14. RALPH EUGENE<sup>3</sup> RIEDESEL (Sophia Katherine<sup>2</sup> Wetter, Johann Georg<sup>1</sup> Wetter) was born on November 12, 1886 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. He died on May 18, 1973 in Brookings, Brookings, South Dakota (Merle Hay (West Lawn) Cemetery, Glidden). He married Edyth Julia Mace, daughter of Layfayette Mace and Mary Ann Ardelia Beach, on November 14, 1909 in Sioux Rapids, Buena Vista, Iowa. She was born on May 26, 1888 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. She died on November 05, 1934 in Carroll County, Iowa (Merle Hay (West Lawn) Cemetery, Glidden).

# Notes for Ralph Eugene Riedesel:

Ralph and Edith took over farming the homestead about the time of their marriage and when his parents retired into Glidden. He did not apparently have full title of the farm, though, until some time in the 1930s, probably when mother Sofia died. After the death of his wife, Ralph's mother moved back to the farm to help with the home and family. Sister Laura Walters moved in to share the work after her divorce in 1940.

Ralph was known for his ability to make to things in his shop.

Ralph Eugene Riedesel and Edyth Julia Mace had the following children:

i. AVIS MARY⁴ RIEDESEL was born on February 03, 1912 in Carroll County, Iowa. She died on July 09, 1975 in Gladewater, Gregg, Texas (Merle Hay (West Lawn) Cemetery, Glidden). She married Robert Gilbert Eaton, son of Horace Gilbert Eaton and Sarah Jane Bell, on June 06, 1931 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. He was born on August 07, 1909 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. He died on June 13, 2000 in Santa Cruz, Santa Cruz, California (Merle Hay (West Lawn) Cemetery, Glidden).

Notes for Robert Gilbert Eaton:

Capitola, CA. Farmed near Glidden and then near Aurora, SD. Eventually moved with family to Texas.

ii. LOYD ALAN RIEDESEL was born on November 20, 1914 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. He died on November 03, 2009 in Brookings, Brookings, South Dakota (Greenwood Cemetery/Brookings). He married (1) BERTHA ELIZABETH CONNER, daughter of Oliver Conner and Sydney Louella Ramsey, on August 26, 1939 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. She was born on September 08, 1914 in Sioux City, Woodbury, Iowa. She died on April 01, 1947 in Carroll, Carroll, Iowa (Merle Hay (West Lawn) Cemetery, Glidden). He married (2) BEVERLY ANN SWERING, daughter of Calvin Miles Swering and Glenna Isabell Johnson, on July 01, 1951 in Brookings, Brookings, South Dakota. She was born on February 20, 1926 in Brookings, Brookings, South Dakota. She died on December 04, 2011 in Brookings, Brookings, South Dakota (Greenwood Cemetery/Brookings).

Notes for Loyd Alan Riedesel:

Attended Iowa State College (now Iowa State University). Farmed near Glidden and then moved to the Brookings area in 1956.

Notes for Bertha Elizabeth Conner:

Studied music at Morningside College.

iii. ELIZABETH ANNE RIEDESEL was born on September 14, 1918 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. She died on November 28, 1933 in Carroll, Carroll, Iowa (Merle Hay (West Lawn) Cemetery, Glidden).

Notes for Elizabeth Anne Riedesel: Elizabeth died of injuries sustained in an automobile accident on November 17, 1933

15. **CLARA BEATRICE**<sup>3</sup> **RIEDESEL** (Sophia Katherine<sup>2</sup> Wetter, Johann Georg<sup>1</sup> Wetter) was born on January 17, 1893 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. She died on May 04, 1974 in Placerville, El Dorado, California. She married Harvey Allen Hood, son of Thomas Jerome Hood and Nellie Gerena Anderson, on July 16, 1918 in Pocahontas, Pocahontas, Iowa. He was born on November 07, 1893 in Sioux City, Woodbury, Iowa. He died on January 28, 1988 in Paramount, Los Angeles, California.

Notes for Clara Beatrice Riedesel:

Known as Beatrice. Completed high school in Glidden and attended Buena Vista College. Taught school for two years. After her husband went overseas with the AEF in August of 1918, she went to Logan, Utah, and taught in the New Jersey Academy, a home mission school for girls.

Notes for Harvey Allen Hood:

Received Bachelors Degree at Buena Vista College and Masters from Princeton. Ordained as a Presbyterian minister, taught in a seminary in Utah, and served in churches throughout the west. Served in World War I.

Harvey Allen Hood and Clara Beatrice Riedesel had the following children:

i. MARIAN BEATRICE⁴ HOOD was born on March 10, 1920 in Princeton, Mercer, New Jersey. She died on August 20, 2005 in Quartz Hill, Los Angeles, California. She married Lawrence Marvin Juday, son of Clarence C Juday and Bertha Reynolds, on May 07, 1938 in Las Vegas, Clark, Nevada. He was born on September 23, 1918 in Lake Hughes, Los Angeles, California. He died on August 10, 2007 in Lancaster, Los Angeles County, California, United States of America.

Notes for Marian Beatrice Hood: Lake Hughes, CA.

Notes for Lawrence Marvin Juday: Retired physician.

ii. CAROL MARGARET HOOD was born on May 15, 1921 in Princeton, Mercer, New Jersey. She died on December 17, 1993 in Phoenix, Maricopa, Arizona. She married William Oliver Jennings Jr., son of William Oliver Jennings and Jeannett Ison, on August 25, 1946 in Phoenix, Maricopa, Arizona. He was born on December 23, 1920 in Thatcher, Graham, Arizona. He died on January 03, 2013 in Phoenix, Maricopa, Arizona.

Notes for Carol Margaret Hood: Graduate of University of Arizona.

iii. DOROTHY JEANETTE HOOD was born on November 19, 1922 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. She died on September 09, 2012 in Belmont, San Mateo, California. She married James Marshall Williamson Jr. on March 28, 1942 in Phoenix, Maricopa, Arizona. He was born on April 17, 1921 in Oliver Springs, Anderson, Tennessee. He died on October 31, 2004 in Burlingame, San Mateo, California.

Notes for James Marshall Williamson Jr.:

Trained in speech therapy; AB Arizona State University, MA Redlands University, and doctoral work at the University of Southern California.including doctoral work. Worked in public schools but became an executive with the California Teachers Association. Served in World War II.

iv. Thomas Arthur Hood was born on December 06, 1924 in La Jolla, San Diego, California. He died on April 11, 2009 in West Lafayette, Tippecanoe, Indiana. He married Marion Louise Snee, daughter of James Marion Snee and Mariette Louise Egger, on November 29, 1952 in White Plains, Westchester, New York. She was born on August 04, 1926 in New York. She died on November 05, 2010 in West Lafayette, Tippecanoe, Indiana.

Notes for Thomas Arthur Hood: Lafayette Journal-Courier, April 15 2009

Thomas Arthur Hood, 84, of West Lafayette, died Saturday, April 11, 2009, at his residence. He was born in San Diego on Dec. 6, 1924, to Beatrice Riedesel Hood and Rev. Dr. Harvey A. Hood. He grew up in Palmdale, Calif., and Phoenix.

He attended MIT until he joined and trained with the Army, but just before he was to be sent to Japan, the war ended. After earning his master's degree at MIT, he joined the George A. Fuller Co. in New York City. During the next several years he was involved in the construction of Manhattanville College in Purchase, N.Y., The Nurses Residence in New York City, The Seagram Building in New York City, and the Rare Books Library at Yale University.

On Nov. 29, 1952, he married Marion Snee, and she survives.

In 1963, he became executive vice president of the Vermont Marble Co. in Proctor, Vt. He had leadership roles in churches, school boards, and membership in other organizations. From 1980 until 1991, he was a professor at Purdue University in the Department of Building Construction and Contracting. He was an elder in Central Presbyterian Church, a lay reader, sang in the choir, and participated in Emergency Aid.

From 1984 until 1994, he and his wife traveled for the International Executive Service Corps in developing countries from Turkey to Zambia. They also traveled by Airstream Trailer with the WALLY BYAM club to Alaska, and independently across the U.S., often with family and to family reunions. He also was active in the Short Story Group at the Purdue Women's Club and at WALLA, where he taught many courses.

Surviving with his wife are their children, Karen Marie Tillberg, Philip Edward Hood and Gwenyth Elise Hood; and a sister, Dorothy Williamson.

Also surviving are grandchildren, Heather Tillberg-Webb, Douglas Tillberg, Daniel Tillberg, Byron Thomas Hood and Adam Steven Hood.

Memorial service 10:30 a.m. Thursday at Central Presbyterian Church in Lafayette. Hippensteel Funeral Service entrusted with care.

v. Lois Geraldine Hood was born on July 31, 1926 in San Diego, California, USA. She died on October 02, 2005 in Reno, Washoe, Nevada. She married (1) Charles L. Morton on June 03, 1984. He was born on July 06, 1906 in Bunker Hill, Russell, Kansas. He died on December 02, 1992 in Marysville, Yuba, California. She married (2) Robert Laverne Harrison on November 06, 1944 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California. He was born on June 11, 1922 in Lockport, Niagara, New York. He died on March 05, 1983 in Sheridan, Placer, California. She married (3) Stuart Kee Wood on November 25, 1994 in Seattle, King, Washington. He was born on March 08, 1925 in Dallas, Texas. He died on December 13, 2004 in Seattle, King, Washington.

Notes for Lois Geraldine Hood:

Attended Pepperdine College 1944-1945, graduated from Chico College in 1964 and was a primary school teacher for 21 years.

Notes for Robert Laverne Harrison:

Served in US Air Force in World War II, later graduated from Bowling Green University with a major in education. Taught junior high for many years and also worked in real estate and other businesses.

16. **ARTHUR LOUIS**<sup>3</sup> **RIEDESEL** (Sophia Katherine<sup>2</sup> Wetter, Johann Georg<sup>1</sup> Wetter) was born on April 24, 1896 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. He died on May 18, 1980 in Omaha, Douglas, Nebraska (Ogallala Cemetery). He married Catherine Marie Lawrence, daughter of Frank Budd Lawrence and Cora Isolania Reynolds, on June 10, 1920 in Carroll, Carroll, Iowa. She was born on July 01, 1897 in Anita, Cass, Iowa. She died on August 28, 1992 in Omaha, Douglas, Nebraska (Ogallala Cemetery).

#### Notes for Arthur Louis Riedesel:

Graduated from Buena Vista College in 1920, though his studies were interrupted by service in World War I for which he volunteered. Served in the 318th Engineers but also played clarinet in the regimental band. He saw combat in the closing offensive of the war. Upon graduating from college and getting married, he and Marie moved immediately to Keith County, Nebraska, to enter the farm implement business with his uncle, E.L. (Roy) Hobbs. Hobbs was married to Emma Wetter. In 1934 they moved from Brule to Ogallala where Hobbs & Riedesel had a store. In 1940 he became a partner in Commercial Service of Ogallala in which he was active until his retirement in the 1970s. Active in the American Red Cross and the Congregational and Methodist Churches where they lived. Served on school board. Member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars and the American Legion. Enjoyed woodworking. Retired to Omaha where both died.

#### Notes for Catherine Marie Lawrence:

Grew up in Carroll, Iowa, and graduated from high school there. Educated at Simpson College in Indianoloa, Iowa, and the University of Florida in Gainesville. Active in the Methodist Church and women's associations in Ogallala for many years. Known as Marie.

Arthur Louis Riedesel and Catherine Marie Lawrence had the following children:

i. ARTHUR J.<sup>4</sup> RIEDESEL was born on October 06, 1921 in Brule, Keith, Nebraska, USA. He died on February 23, 2010 in Lincoln, Lancaster, Nebraska (Ogallala Cemetery). He married Ruth Creamer, daughter of John Martin Creamer and Mabel Ruth Van Every, on September 03, 1946 in Ogallala, Keith, Nebraska, USA. She was born on March 11, 1921 in Lincoln, Lancaster, Nebraska. She died on February 12, 2012 in Lincoln, Lancaster, Nebraska (Ogallala Cemetery).

#### Notes for Arthur J. Riedesel:

Arthur J. Riedesel was born in the small town of Brule, Nebraska where his father was in the farm implement business. In 1934 the family moved down the road to the larger town of Ogallala. Arthur graduated from high school there though worked and did further study for a year before enrolling in Nebraska Wesleyan University in Lincoln. After two years, he transferred to the School of Journalism at the University of Missouri in Columbia. He was a member of Phi Kappa Psi fraternity there and continued to sing with the Men's Glee Club as he had at Wesleyan.

Drafted into the army in 1942, he rose to the rank of Technical Sergeant, serving in the 115th Station Hospital. The unit was based in England though did further duty in occupied Germany. Arthur eventually wrote a history of the unit that was published in 1992.

Returning to civilian life, he completed his Bachelor of Journalism degree and a Masters degree in English history at Missouri. He and Ruth were married in 1946. In 1947 the young couple moved to Loup City, Nebraska, where he was a partner in the Sherman County Times newspaper and their two sons were born. In 1954 they moved to York, Nebraska where Arthur published the York Republican newspaper. Their daughter was born in York. The newspaper closed in the summer of 1955. Early that fall, they settled in Ashland, Nebraska, where he took over the Ashland Gazette which he published until 1986, the longest tenure of any

editor in the paper's history. Arthur was active in the Nebraska Press Association, served as its President in 1979-1980, and wrote a history of that organization in 1973. He was a volunteer organist in the Methodist churches to which they belonged and a member of the Masonic Lodge.

The couple moved to a retirement facility in Lincoln in 2007. He died in a hospice facility in Lincoln after a short illness.

#### Notes for Ruth Creamer:

Graduated from Ogallala (NE) High School in 1939 and Nebraska Wesleyan University (1943) with teacher certification in English, Speech, Social Studies and History. Taught in Geneva (NE) public schools and then worked for Carbide and Carbon Chemicals Corporation, first in New York and then in Oak Ridge, TN. Active in the United Methodist Church.

 LAWRENCE EUGENE RIEDESEL was born on April 30, 1925 in Carroll, Carroll, Iowa. He died on December 25, 1934 in Ogallala, Keith, Nebraska, USA (Ogallala Cemetery).

Notes for Lawrence Eugene Riedesel:

Though the family was living Brule, Nebraska, his mother returned for his birth to Carroll County, Iowa, where she had relatives. Eugene, as he was known, died of diphtheria complications. The rest of the family was quarantined so could not even attend the funeral officiated by his uncle Rev. Fred Tresidder.

17. **Nelle Viola**<sup>3</sup> **Sherer** (Florentine<sup>2</sup> Wetter, Johann Georg<sup>1</sup> Wetter) was born on May 17, 1882 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. She died on March 08, 1951 in Ames, Story, Iowa. She married Reuben Charles Henry Riedesel, son of Franz Riedesel and Ella Louise Wirth, on August 27, 1913 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. He was born on March 09, 1883 in Jasper, Carroll, Iowa. He died on May 24, 1967 in Fairmont, Martin, Minnesota (Merle Hay (West Lawn) Cemetery, Glidden).

Notes for Reuben Charles Henry Riedesel:

Graduated from high school at Charter Oak, Iowa. Graduate of Iowa State and taught instrument making and engineering.

Reuben Charles Henry Riedesel and Nelle Viola Sherer had the following children:

- i. RAYMOND<sup>4</sup> RIEDESEL was born on December 26, 1914 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. He died on December 26, 1914 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa (West Lawn (Merle Hay) Cemetery, Glidden).
- ii. LEROY RIEDESEL was born on December 26, 1914 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. He died on December 26, 1914 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa (West Lawn (Merle Hay) Cemetery, Glidden).
- iii. MILDRED IONE RIEDESEL was born on April 13, 1916 in Ames, Story, Iowa. She died on July 29, 2004 in Grand Forks, North Dakota.

Notes for Mildred Ione Riedesel:

Graduate of Iowa State University. Taught Home Economics at the University of North Dakota.

iv. BILL RIEDESEL was born on December 29, 1918 in Ames, Story, Iowa. He died on September 25, 2001 in Fairmont, Martin, Minnesota (Pine Ridge Cemetery, Emily, Minnesota). He married Virginia Nelson Coats on December 27, 1956. She was born on September 25, 1925 in Topeka, Shawnee, Kansas.

Notes for Bill Riedesel:

Earned a degree in mechanical engineering from Iowa State in 1941. Worked for Fairmont Railway Motors in Fairmont, Minnesota.

v. Doris Jean Riedesel was born on December 07, 1920 in Ames, Story, Iowa. She died on June 27, 2017 in Lee, New Hampshire. She married Grady Joe Taylor on October 22, 1942 in Ames, Story, Iowa. He was born on January 07, 1921 in Primghar, Iowa. He died on December 15, 1995.

18. ALBERT RALPH<sup>3</sup> WETTER (Henry<sup>2</sup>, Johann Georg<sup>1</sup>) was born on May 12, 1885 in Glidden, Carroll, lowa. He died on February 14, 1953 in Lanesboro, Carroll, lowa (Lanesboro Cemetery, Carroll County Iowa). He married Frances Elizabeth Sheffield on June 22, 1915 in Lanesboro, Carroll, Iowa. She was born on August 17, 1890 in Lanesboro, Carroll, Iowa. She died on January 08, 1970 in Carroll, Carroll, Iowa.

Albert Ralph Wetter and Frances Elizabeth Sheffield had the following children:

- i. Donald Merlin⁴ Wetter was born on April 29, 1917 in Lanesboro, Carroll, Iowa. He died on June 16, 1995 in Des Moines, Polk, Iowa. He married Elsie Margaret Van Ahn Smith on March 18, 1935 in Lanesboro, Carroll, Iowa. She was born on October 04, 1917 in Auburn, Sac, Iowa. She died on November 20, 2007 in Fort Dodge, Webster.
- ii. RICHARD LLEWELLYN WETTER was born on May 24, 1919 in Carroll, Carroll, Iowa. He died on May 24, 1988 in Chico, Butte County, California, United States of America. He married Elizabeth Fern Pickinpaugh on September 08, 1941 in Rockport, Atchison County, Missouri. She was born on August 16, 1921 in Kirkwood, Nebraska. She died on January 26, 1999 in Chico, Butte, California.
- iii. VERNON FRANCIS WETTER was born on August 14, 1924 in Lanesboro, Carroll, lowa. He died on October 02, 1990 in Petersburg, Menard, Illinois. He married GENEVA RUTH SCOTT. She was born on April 29, 1925 in Louisville, Kentucky. She died on January 18, 2003 in Petersburg, Menard, Illinois.
- iv. Doris Marjorie Wetter was born on March 28, 1926 in Lanesboro, Carroll, Iowa. She died on February 13, 2000 in Rochester, Olmsted, Minnesota. She married Paul W. Schmidt on December 27, 1941 in Kirksville, Adair, Missouri. He was born on April 03, 1918 in Farnhamville, Calhoun, Iowa. He died on February 10, 1999 in Bethany, Harrison, Missouri.
- 19. OTTO<sup>3</sup> WETTER (Henry<sup>2</sup>, Johann Georg<sup>1</sup>) was born on December 11, 1887 in Glidden, Carroll, lowa. He died on March 09, 1967 in Minneapolis, Hennepin, Minnesota. He married Hazel Coomes on November 09, 1911 in Carroll, Carroll, Iowa. She was born on October 30, 1892 in Gray, Audubon, Iowa. She died on August 11, 1987 in Lamberton, Redwood, Minnesota. Otto Wetter and Hazel Coomes had the following children:
  - MAURICE ROY<sup>4</sup> WETTER was born on November 01, 1912 in Lanesboro, Carroll, lowa. He died on April 28, 1954 in Murray, Minnesota. He married Edna Lillian Holden on January 21, 1934 in Redwood, Minnesota. She was born on May 08, 1913 in Redwood, Minnesota. She died on March 14, 1998 in Slayton, Murray, Minnesota.
  - ii. DUANE EDWARD WETTER was born on July 10, 1914 in Lanesboro, Carroll, Iowa. He died on March 14, 1981 in Tracy, Lyon, Minnesota. He married ESTHER LILA ELSE. She was born on July 10, 1919 in Belle Fourche, Butte, South Dakota. She died on October 08, 1954 in Redwood, Minnesota.
  - iii. MERLE EVERLY WETTER was born on February 15, 1916 in Lanesboro, Carroll, Iowa. He died on January 18, 1929 in Brown, Minnesota.
  - iv. MILO MEREDITH WETTER was born on March 14, 1918 in Waterbury, Redwood, Minnesota, USA. He died on January 03, 2013 in Lamberton, Redwood, Minnesota. He married Arlene Elnora Coulter on September 14, 1940. She was born on September 14, 1922 in Redwood, Minnesota. She died on November 12, 2003 in Lamberton, Redwood, Minnesota.
  - v. ZONA ELIZABETH WETTER was born on March 06, 1920 in Waterbury, Redwood, Minnesota, USA. She died on March 24, 2010 in Fairmont, Martin, Minnesota. She married Merle Arthur Krinke on April 08, 1944. He was born on December 13, 1918 in Brown, Minnesota. He died on November 20, 1984 in Fairmont, Martin, Minnesota.
  - vi. Donna Bernice Wetter was born on April 17, 1922 in Waterbury, Redwood, Minnesota, USA. She died on January 13, 2013 in Houston, Harris, Texas. She married Roy Merle Goolsbay. He was born on January 26, 1911 in Tulsa, Oklahoma. He died on May 18, 2000 in Houston, Harris, Texas.

vii. BRUCE ARLEN WETTER was born on December 31, 1930 in New Ulm, Brown, Minnesota. He died on July 09, 2017 in Lamberton, Redwood, Minnesota. He married Arlene Johanna Arends on October 17, 1953 in Redwood, Minnesota. She was born on January 15, 1932.

Notes for Bruce Arlen Wetter:

Bruce A. Wetter was born in New Ulm, MN on December 31, 1930, the son of Otto and Hazel (Coomes) Wetter. He grew up on the family farm north of Lamberton. He attended grade school in Wanda and graduated from Lamberton High School in 1948. Upon graduation, he enlisted in the U.S. Navy and served until 1952. Bruce returned to Lamberton after his discharge, and lived in the community his entire life. On October 17, 1953, he married Arlene Arends. They had two children and were married for 63 years. For the last nearly 50 years they lived in the house that he designed and built for the family, spending evenings and weekends doing nearly all of the work himself. Bruce worked as a lineman for Interstate Power Company from 1952 until retiring in 1987. After his retirement he worked for Kluegel Funeral Home and then Sturm Funeral Home for many years, an occupation he very much enjoyed. Bruce was instrumental in the development of the Lamberton Community Center, overseeing its construction on a daily basis. He started nearly every day of his retirement enjoying a cup of coffee with his wife and reading the Wall Street Journal. Bruce was a talented and intelligent man with a wide variety of interests which he nurtured through the years. He was a gifted and accomplished woodworker, creating beautiful furniture and intricate turned bowls and vases. A love of nature and watching things grow were another passion. He had beautiful flower and vegetable gardens and enjoyed learning and experimenting with new and different varieties. Numerous species of trees that he cultivated filled his yard and "the park" across the street. The birds and squirrels that inhabited the trees were a source of enjoyment and he fed them regularly. Together Bruce and Arlene traveled to numerous flea markets, antique shops and auctions collecting pottery, crystal and antique tools. In his later years, Bruce found an interest in cooking and especially enjoyed experimenting with new recipes. Grilling and soups were his specialties.

Bruce is survived by his wife, Arlene; son, David (Michelle) of Mendon, NY; daughter Julie (Randy) Heller of Phoenix, AZ; grandchildren, Stacy (Travis) Downs, Molly (Ryan) Volenec, Joseph Heller and Jenna Heller; greatgrandchildren, Maxwell and Vivian Volenec and Caroline Downs; and brother, Myrland. He was preceded in death by his parents; brothers, Maurice, Merle, Duane, and Milo; and sisters, Zona Krinke and Donna Goolsbay.

- viii. MYRLAND KEITH WETTER was born on June 10, 1934 in Lamberton, Redwood, Minnesota. He married (1) ELAINE ??. He married (2) MARLENE ANDERSON on August 19, 1972 in Minnehaha, South Dakota.
- 20. LAWRENCE HUGO<sup>3</sup> WETTER (Henry<sup>2</sup>, Johann Georg<sup>1</sup>) was born on June 14, 1890 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. He died on September 05, 1944 in Sebeka, Wadena, Minnesota. He married Cleo Marie Coomes on November 26, 1912 in Guthrie Center, Guthrie, Iowa. She was born on November 09, 1884 in Gray, Audubon, Iowa. She died on December 09, 1983 in Vancouver, Clark, Washington.

Lawrence Hugo Wetter and Cleo Marie Coomes had the following children:

i. ARLO HENRY<sup>4</sup> WETTER was born on January 30, 1915 in Sherburn, Martin, Minnesota. He died on October 09, 1997 in Kelso, Cowlitz, Washington. He married Alice Mary Day on April 18, 1943 in England.

Notes for Arlo Henry Wetter: He was a bomber pilot in World War II and was eventually captured and held as a Prisoner of War.

ii. ADELINE ANNA WETTER was born on October 02, 1917 in Elm Creek, Martin, Minnesota. He died on January 18, 2008 in Sioux Falls, Minnehaha, South Dakota. He married Lewis Fred Birkholz on October 02, 1936 in Wadena,

- Minnesota. She was born on April 05, 1908 in Stratford, Marathon, Wisconsin. She died on June 11, 1986 in Brookings, Brookings, South Dakota.
- iii. BETTY CAROLINE WETTER was born on November 05, 1921 in Spirit Lake, Dickinson, Iowa. She married Leroy Alonzo Wells on September 06, 1939 in Hubbard, Minnesota. He was born on November 01, 1920 in Lisbon, North Dakota. He died on October 10, 2012 in Lisbon, North Dakota.
- iv. BOYD ELDON WETTER was born on July 19, 1925 in Lamberton, Redwood, Minnesota. He married June Louise Wolden in 1950 in Mason, Washington. She was born on July 09, 1926 in Tacoma, Pierce, Washington. She died on January 09, 1983 in Vancouver, Clark, Washington.
- v. ERMA RUTH MARIE WETTER was born on May 10, 1928 in Sebeka, Wadena, Minnesota. She died on November 26, 2015 in Winnemucca, Humboldt, Nevada.
- vi. Douglas Sherwin Wetter was born on September 18, 1932 in Sebeka, Wadena, Minnesota. He died on July 05, 2008 in Bend, Deschutes, Oregon. He married Retha Mae McTeer on March 16, 1956 in King, Washington. She was born on November 02, 1935 in Ozark, Christian, Missouri. She died on April 26, 2011 in Hillsboro, Washington, Oregon.
- vii. Daniel Albert Wetter was born on November 10, 1936 in Sebeka, Wadena, Minnesota. He died on August 16, 2016 in Castle Rock, Cowlitz, Washington.
- viii. DAVID OTTO WETTER was born on November 10, 1936 in Sebeka, Wadena, Minnesota. He married Diane A Truax on September 17, 1966 in Whatcom, Washington. She was born on March 18, 1936 in Bellingham, Whatcom, Washington. She died on September 22, 2004 in Bellingham, Whatcom, Washington.
- 21. **Beulah Mae**<sup>3</sup> **Wetter** (Henry<sup>2</sup>, Johann Georg<sup>1</sup>) was born on February 21, 1893 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. She died on October 27, 1964 in Springfield, Greene, Missouri. She married Charles Leonard Peterson on January 11, 1916 in Carroll, Carroll, Iowa. He was born on June 07, 1885 in Sherburn, Martin, Minnesota. He died on January 15, 1973 in Bolivar, Polk, Missouri. Charles Leonard Peterson and Beulah Mae Wetter had the following children:
  - i. ARVID ZYGMONT<sup>4</sup> PETERSON was born on December 22, 1918 in Jay, Martin, Minnesota. He died on February 18, 1998 in Colorado Springs, El Paso, Colorado. He married (1) HELEN CHRISTY on March 21, 1945. He married (2) ANNES MARTIN on June 16, 1957 in Bolivar, Polk, Missouri.
  - ii. HARLEY QUENTIN PETERSON was born on December 17, 1920 in Walnut Grove, Redwood, Minnesota. He died on November 10, 1948 in Jefferson Barracks, St. Louis County, Missouri.
  - iii. ERVA ANNA PETERSON was born on October 22, 1927 in Lamberton, Redwood, Minnesota. She died on December 21, 1997 in Independence, Jackson, Missouri. She married Vernon Andrews on February 23, 1946 in Bolivar, Polk, Missouri.
- 22. **ESTHER LEONA**<sup>3</sup> **WETTER** (Henry<sup>2</sup>, Johann Georg<sup>1</sup>) was born on October 19, 1894 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. She died on April 11, 1982 in Lake City, Calhoun, Iowa. She married Monroe William Streeter on January 20, 1915 in Carroll, Carroll, Iowa. He was born on March 22, 1895 in Lake City, Calhoun, Iowa. He died on October 02, 1969 in Clarinda, Page, Iowa.

Monroe William Streeter and Esther Leona Wetter had the following children:

- i. MILDRED LAVERNE<sup>4</sup> STREETER was born on February 13, 1916 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. She died on November 25, 1997 in Waco, Mclennan, Texas. She married Robert Leroy Hutchinson on March 08, 1936 in Lake City, Calhoun, Iowa. He was born on June 24, 1916 in Lytton Sac, Iowa. He died on October 13, 1991 in Lake City, Calhoun, Iowa.
- ii. RUSSELL MONROE STREETER was born on February 19, 1918 in Lanesboro, Carroll, lowa. He died on October 11, 2003 in Lake City, Calhoun, Iowa. He married Naomi May Remsburg on February 19, 1939 in Lanesboro, Carroll, Iowa. She was born on March 01, 1920 in Lanesboro, Carroll, Iowa. She died on October 31, 2014 in Lake City, Calhoun, Iowa.

- iii. WILMA GRACE STREETER was born on January 26, 1920 in Lanesboro, Carroll, Iowa. She died on December 06, 2007 in Catharpin, Prince William, Virginia. She married Charles Umholtz on July 03, 1942 in District of Columbia. He was born on September 10, 1920 in Wiconisco, Dauphin, Pennsylvania. He died on July 24, 2005 in Winchester, Frederick, Virginia.
- iv. HILDA GENIECE STREETER was born on January 06, 1929 in Lanesboro, Carroll, lowa. She died on October 25, 2016 in Iowa City, Cedar, Iowa. She married Paul John Reed on August 14, 1944 in Council Bluffs, Pottawattamie, Iowa. He was born on August 19, 1927 in Muscatine, Muscatine, Iowa.
- v. Dennis Lynn Streeter was born on November 03, 1937 in Lanesboro, Carroll, Iowa.
- 23. **Ruby Ida**<sup>3</sup> **Wetter** (Henry<sup>2</sup>, Johann Georg<sup>1</sup>) was born on September 10, 1897 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. She died on February 22, 1987 in Isanti County, Minnesota. She married Dewey William Killmer on April 09, 1919 in Pine City, Pine, Minnesota, USA. He was born on July 28, 1897. He died on April 23, 1966 in Braham, Isanti, Minnesota.

Dewey William Killmer and Ruby Ida Wetter had the following children:

- i. VELYMA DOROTHY⁴ KILLMER was born on July 14, 1920 in Redwood, Minnesota. She died on June 10, 2020. She married Lawrence K Hanson on September 28, 1939 in Hennepin, Minnesota. He was born on May 08, 1919. He died on April 06, 2017.
- LUREE JANE KILLMER was born on November 25, 1921 in Spirit Lake, Dickinson, lowa. She died on November 12, 2012 in Minnesota. She married DANIEL ROBERT HANSON. He was born on December 20, 1917 in Northfield, Dakota, Minnesota. He died on October 23, 1987 in Hennepin, Minnesota.
- iii. Lois Mae Killmer was born on August 01, 1923 in Waucoma, Fayette, Iowa. She died on September 05, 1990 in Hennepin, Minnesota. She married (1) Elbert Vincent Everett. He was born on June 21, 1923 in Lincoln City, Wisconsin. He died on January 10, 1945. She married (2) Albion Luther Chader. He was born on July 21, 1909 in Lake Preston, Kingsbury, South Dakota. He died on September 20, 1994 in Pine City, Pine, Minnesota, USA.

Notes for Elbert Vincent Everett: Died in World War II; held rank of Staff Sergeant.

24. **ROBERT HERALD<sup>3</sup> WETTER** (Henry<sup>2</sup>, Johann Georg<sup>1</sup>) was born on July 23, 1900 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. He died on September 17, 1972 in Morgan Hill, Santa Clara, California. He married Thelma Louise Yerkey on November 27, 1928 in Windom, Cottonwood, Minnesota. She was born on June 04, 1908 in Versailles, Allegheny, Pennsylvania. She died on October 27, 1991 in Bakersfield, Kern, California.

Robert Herald Wetter and Thelma Louise Yerkey had the following children:

- ROBERT HERALD<sup>4</sup> WETTER was born on November 26, 1929 in Iowa.
- ii. Allen Gene Wetter was born on September 03, 1931 in Des Moines, Polk, Iowa.

Notes for Allen Gene Wetter:

He may have been married to Beverly Edwards but divorced in 1969 in California.

25. HILDA MARY³ WETTER (Henry², Johann Georg¹) was born on February 19, 1902 in Lanesboro, Carroll, Iowa. She died on April 24, 1992 in Lanesboro, Carroll, Iowa. She married (1) HARRY BURL OLMSTEAD on August 24, 1946 in Luverne, Rock, Minnesota. He was born on May 05, 1900 in Guthrie Center, Guthrie, Iowa. He died on October 19, 1969 in Lanesboro, Carroll, Iowa. She married (2) WARREN ALVIN KIRBY on March 18, 1926 in Fort Dodge, Webster, Iowa. He was born on May 29, 1908 in Helton, Ashe, North Carolina. He died on May 21, 1944 in Iowa. She married (3) SAMUEL CLIFTON ZIMBECK on January 08, 1974. He was born on April 01, 1891 in Glidden, Carroll, Iowa. He died on August 20, 1983 in Lanesboro, Carroll, Iowa.

Warren Alvin Kirby and Hilda Mary Wetter had the following children:

i. KAREN LOU⁴ KIRBY was born on June 15, 1937.

- ii. Kenneth Lynn Kirby was born on February 03, 1941 in Lake City, Calhoun, Iowa. He died on July 22, 1963 in Jasper, Carroll, Iowa.
- 26. **AMELIA LOUISE**<sup>3</sup> **KNOCHE** (Anna Elisabeth<sup>2</sup> Homrighausen, Johann Georg<sup>1</sup> Wetter) was born on June 01, 1871 in Martin City, Jackson County, Missouri. She died on August 21, 1953 in Kansas City, Jackson County, Missouri. She married James Cicero McKaughan on August 21, 1898 in Jackson, Missouri. He was born on August 04, 1874 in Elkin, Surry County, North Carolina. He died on December 10, 1954 in Kansas City, Jackson County, Missouri.

James Cicero McKaughan and Amelia Louise Knoche had the following children:

- i. CHESTER JOHN<sup>4</sup> MCKAUGHAN was born on September 13, 1900 in Missouri. He died on May 19, 1969 in Kansas City, Jackson County, Missouri, United States of America. He married Harriett M Webber on November 13, 1930 in Clay, Missouri, USA. She was born about 1903.
- CURTIS WESLEY MCKAUGHAN was born on June 29, 1903 in Missouri. He died in December 1984. He married Florence I Simpson on August 12, 1932 in Harrisonville, Cass, Missouri, USA. She was born on April 23, 1911. She died on October 02, 2006.
- iii. EMMET WAYNE MCKAUGHAN was born on July 04, 1905 in Jackson, Missouri. He died on August 20, 1974 in Dallas, Dallas, Texas, USA. He married Dolores Ball on May 20, 1933 in Woods, Oklahoma, USA. She was born on August 12, 1908. She died in July 1977.
- 27. **JOHN FRANK**<sup>3</sup> **KNOCHE** (Anna Elisabeth<sup>2</sup> Homrighausen, Johann Georg<sup>1</sup> Wetter) was born about 1873 in Missouri. He died on June 02, 1935 in San Diego, California, USA. He married **GRACE GREEN**. She was born on October 02, 1871 in New York. She died on July 19, 1962 in Los Angeles.

John Frank Knoche and Grace Green had the following children:

- i. KATHERINE OJIN⁴ KNOCHE was born on August 02, 1905 in San Diego, California. She died on September 16, 1996 in Orange. She married Iverson Lewis Harris on June 24, 1972 in San Diego City, California, USA. He was born on August 30, 1890 in Macon Bibb, Georgia. He died on February 13, 1979 in San Diego.
- ii. Grace Frances Knoche was born on February 15, 1909 in California. She died on February 18, 2006.
- 28. Anna Elizabeth³ Knoche (Anna Elisabeth² Homrighausen, Johann Georg¹ Wetter) was born in November 1875 in Missouri, USA. She died in January 1956. She married Bennett Rector on February 14, 1906 in Jackson, Kansas City, Missouri, USA. He was born on August 17, 1870 in Grayson County, Virginia. He died on April 05, 1925 in Martin City, Jackson County, Missouri. Bennett Rector and Anna Elizabeth Knoche had the following child:
  - i. LESTER BENNETT<sup>4</sup> RECTOR was born on January 07, 1914 in Missouri. He died on December 19, 2005 in Kansas City, Jackson County, Missouri. He married JENNY KATHRYN PEDIGO. She was born on June 11, 1915 in Kansas, United States of America. She died on July 31, 1992.
- 29. ALBERT PHILLIP<sup>3</sup> KNOCHE (Anna Elisabeth<sup>2</sup> Homrighausen, Johann Georg<sup>1</sup> Wetter) was born on December 21, 1877 in Martin City, Missouri. He died on March 30, 1960 in Martin City, Missouri. He married (1) Susie N. Barger on October 07, 1900 in Missouri. She was born on September 19, 1882 in Missouri. She died in June 1971 in Kansas City, Jackson, Missouri. He married (2) Ella Dorothy Mills on October 16, 1940 in Jackson, Independence, Missouri, USA. She was born on July 26, 1893 in Grand Summit, Kansas. She died about 1965.

Albert Phillip Knoche and Susie N. Barger had the following children:

- ELMER G.<sup>4</sup> KNOCHE was born on January 29, 1902 in Missouri. He died on October 19, 1998 in Missouri. He married Helen E. Bartlett on January 09, 1929 in Jackson, Missouri. She was born on January 05, 1911 in Missouri. She died on September 13, 2013 in Kansas City, Jackson County, Missouri, United States of America.
- ii. MILDRED KNOCHE was born on August 18, 1911 in Missouri. She died on May 25, 2012 in New Bern, Craven County, North Carolina, She married CHARLES THOMAS

DENHAM. He was born on April 13, 1904. He died on August 05, 1994 in Havelock, Craven, North Carolina.

30. **Nellie F**<sup>3</sup> **Knoche** (Anna Elisabeth<sup>2</sup> Homrighausen, Johann Georg<sup>1</sup> Wetter) was born on October 15, 1879 in Missouri. She died in June 1964. She married Fred McDonald Hughes on March 07, 1900 in Jackson, Missouri. He was born on May 28, 1875 in Illinois. He died on February 24, 1924 in Kansas City, Jackson County, Missouri.

Fred McDonald Hughes and Nellie F Knoche had the following children:

- i. ERWIN J<sup>4</sup> HUGHES was born about 1902 in Missouri. He died on January 12, 1968. He married Jennie Blanche Mellor on June 03, 1924 in Baldwin, Kansas, USA. She was born on November 02, 1901. She died on January 28, 1972.
- FRED J HUGHES was born on December 07, 1905 in Missouri. He died on March 30, 1988. He married MARY INEZ SMITH. She was born on March 16, 1910. She died on April 03, 1997.
- iii. PEARL K HUGHES was born in 1909 in Kansas. She died in 1944 in Kansas, United States of America. She married FRANK C EFINGER. He was born on August 15, 1905 in Gardner, Johnson County, Kansas. He died on December 23, 1974 in Emporia, Lyon County, Kansas, United States of America.
- iv. GLEN EDWIN HUGHES was born on December 29, 1913 in Martin City, Jackson County, Missouri. He died on December 21, 1989 in Utah, United States of America. He married Afton Irene Hayes on November 19, 1945 in Los Angeles. She was born on August 04, 1919 in Bountiful, Davis County, Utah. She died on October 07, 1974 in Bountiful, Davis County, Utah.
- 31. MINNIE<sup>3</sup> KNOCHE (Anna Elisabeth<sup>2</sup> Homrighausen, Johann Georg<sup>1</sup> Wetter) was born on April 22, 1883 in Missouri, USA. She died on November 23, 1918. She married Arthur James Reinsch on April 22, 1902 in Jackson, Missouri. He was born on September 30, 1875 in Johnson County, Kansas, United States of America. He died on July 15, 1967 in Kansas City, Jackson County, Missouri, United States of America.

Arthur James Reinsch and Minnie Knoche had the following children:

- HERMAN F<sup>4</sup> REINSCH was born on July 27, 1904 in Kansas. He died on November 26, 1975. He married Letha Violet Matney on May 18, 1934 in Jackson, Missouri. She was born on January 31, 1907. She died on August 20, 1998.
- ii. BEULAH REINSCH was born on November 22, 1906 in Johnson County, Kansas, United States of America. She died on February 25, 1949 in Kansas City, Jackson County, Missouri, United States of America. She married Achiel Van Quaethem on January 02, 1930 in Missouri. He was born on January 13, 1905 in Kansas City, Jackson County, Missouri, United States of America. He died on July 15, 1968 in Kansas City, Jackson County, Missouri, United States of America.
- iii. HOMER GARLAND REINSCH was born on December 18, 1908 in Johnson, Kansas, USA. He died on October 23, 1982 in Houston, Harris, Texas, USA.