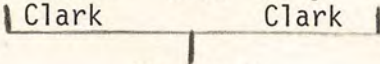



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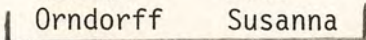
Daniel wife Mary
Clark Clark




John Margaret
Orndorff Clark




Herman wife
Orndorff Susanna



Although lacking exact date, this is satisfactory proof of marriage of John Orndorff and Margaret Clark, and parentage of their son Herman Orndorff

Anderson wife of the within named James Anderson appearing
in open court acknowledged the within written Deed of Convey-
-ance to be her act and deed & an entry whereof is made upon
the Records of the said Court agreeably to an act of Assembly entitled
"An act to facilitate the barring of entails" In Testimony
whereof I have hereunto set my Hand and affixed the
 Seal of the said Court at Harrisburgh the Day and Year
aforesaid Joshua Eldet Prot.
Ca. Recorded the 25 day of April Anno Dom: 1803 —

Daniel Clark & Wife
to
John Orndorff

 This Indenture made
the twenty fifth day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand
seven hundred & sixty seven Between Daniel Clark of Myrtle
berg Township in the County of Lancaster and
Mary the wife of the one Part
Pursuance upon and

and John Orndorff of Lebanon Township in the County and Province
aforesaid Doctor of the other part, Witnesseth that the said Daniel
Clark for and in consideration of the Sum of _____ Pounds
lawful Money of Pennsylv.^a unto him or them in hand well
and truly paid by the said John Orndorff at and before the Exe-
-cution hereof, the Receipt and Payment whereof is hereby ac-
-knowledgeed Have and each of them Hath and by these
Presents, ^{they the said Daniel Clark and, Mary his wife} Do and each of them Both grant bargain sell alien
remise release enfeoff and confirm unto the said John Orndorff
and such of his Heirs (as shall be L-^y— byatt— upon the Body
of Margareth his Wife Daughter of the said Daniel Clark)
for ever. A certain Tract or Piece of fifty acres of Land and
allowance including about two acres of meadow Ground clear-
-ed and a Spring called Chesnut Spring situate in the Township
of Heidelberg aforesaid [It being Part of a larger Tract of
about Three hundred acres which by virtue of a Proprietary
warrant bearing date the _____ Day of _____ Anno 1^o

allowance including about two acres of meadow Ground cleared and a Spring called Chesnut Spring situate in the Township of Heidelberg aforesaid [It being part of a larger Tract of about Three hundred acres which by virtue of a Proprietary Warrant bearing date the Day of Anno 1^o

was surveyed unto the said Daniel Clark] Together with the Improvements Ways Woods Waters Water-courses Rights Liberties Priviledges Hereditaments and Appurtenances whatsoever thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining and the Reversions & Remainders thereof. To have and to hold the said Tract Piece or Parcel of fifty acres of Land and allowance Hereditaments and Premises hereby granted and released with the appurtenances unto the said John Oundoff and his Heirs lawfully begotten upon the Body of the said Margareth and to and for his and their only Use Benefit and behoof for ever. Under an d

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and to hold the said Tract Piece or Parcel of fifty acres of
Land and allowance Hereditaments and Premises hereby
granted and released with the appurtenances unto the
said John Omdorff and his Heirs lawfully begotten upon
the Body of the said Margareth and to and for his and
their only use Benefit and behoof for ever. Under and
Subject to the Purchase Money Intrest and Quit Rent due
and to become due for ~~the~~ hereby granted Premises to the
Chief Lord or Lords of the fee thereof. And the said Daniel
Clark doth covenant and agree for himself and his Heirs
to and with the said John Omdorff and his Heirs by these
Presents that he the said Daniel Clark and his Heirs
the said Tract or Piece of fifty acres of Land & allowance
(Measurements)

and Mary his wife and acknowledged the above written Indenture to be their act and deed and desired as such it may be recorded
Witness my Hand & Seal the 25th day of June 1767

J. P. De Meas

Ex^o Recorded the 11th day of May Anno Domini 1803—

J. P. De Meas Recorder

Hermanus Gindorf
his wife

to
John Newman

This Indenture

made the tenth day of May one thousand eight hundred and three
Between Hermanus Gindorf of Mountjoy Township in the County
of Lancaster and Commonwealth of Pennsylvania yeoman and
Susanna his wife of the one part and John Newman of Elizabeth
Township in the County and Commonwealth aforesaid yeoman
of the other part. Whereas by virtue of a Proprietary Warrant
bearing date the _____ Day of _____ in the year of our Lord
there was Survey

Wife in and by their certain Indenture of conveyance bearing
date the twenty fifth day of June in the year of our Lord one thou-
sand seven hundred and sixty seven did give grant bargain
sell alien remise release enfeoff and confirm unto John Cundorf,
and such of his Heirs as shall be lawfully begotten on the Body
of Margaret his Wife (Daughter of the said Daniel Clark) forever
a certain Tract or Piece of Land containing fifty Acres and allow-
-ance including about two Acres of a Meadow Ground cleared
and a Spring of Water called Chesnut Spring situate in Hy-
-dleburgh Township aforesaid (it being a part of the above
mentioned Tract of Land) together with the appurtenances
To have & to hold the said Piece of Land containing
fifty Acres aforesaid unto the said John Cundorf; and his Heirs
lawfully to be begotten upon the Body of the said Margaret
and to his and their only proper use Benefit and behoof,
for ever, as in and by the said Indenture may more fully
be seen

fifty Acres aforesaid unto the said John Orndorff and his Heir,
lawfully to be begotten upon the Body of the said Margaret
and to his and their only proper use Benefit and Prolong,
for ever, as in and by the said Indenture may more at
large appear reference thereunto being had. • And
Whereas the said John Orndorff and Margaret his wife
have since died intestate leaving the said Germanus
Orndorff their Heir at Law to whom the said Estate tail
descended and in him become vested (the said John Orndorff
and Margaret his wife in their Life times having
never docted barred or destroyed the same) NOW
This Indenture Witnesseth that the said
Germanus Orndorff and Susanna his wife for and in
consideration of the sum of eighty pounds lawful money of
Pennsylvania to them in paid by the said John Newman
at and before the ensealed & delivery hereof, the Receipt ~~was~~

Orndorff that Hurst saw to whom the said Estate tail
descended and in him become vested (the said John Orndorff and Margaret his Wife in their Life times having
never docketed barred or destroyed the same) NOW
THIS Indenture Witnesseth that the said
Germanus Orndorff and Susanna his Wife for and in
consideration of the sum of eighty pounds lawful money of
Pennsylvania to them in paid by the said John Hurman
at and before the ensealed & delivery hereof the Receipt ~~was~~
whereof is hereby acknowledged Have granted bargained
sold aliened enfeoffed released and confirmed and do by these
Presents grant bargain ~~sell~~ alien enfeoff remise release
and confirm (and do by these presents declare that the said
Estate tail and all remainders and reversions dependant
thereon shall be and the same are hereby barred docketed
cut off and for ever destroyed and such is their intention

and the express meaning of these presents that the said Estate
tail and all remainders and reversions dependant thereon be
forever barred so as to vest in the said John Newman his
Heirs and assigns an Estate in fee simple unto the said
John Newman his Heirs and assigns, all that the aforesaid
Tract of Land Beginning at marked black oak a corner of
Land late of Michael Shenck deceased and from thence extend-
ing by the same South fifty eight degrees West sixty perches
to a black oak thence by Christian Grall's Land South twenty
three degrees East fifty two perches to a Spanish oak and from
thence South _____ degrees East _____ perches
to a Spanish oak thence by Christian Keyers Land North
seventy degrees East forty perches to a Chesnut North eighty
five degrees East eleven perches to a hickory North forty nine
perches to _____ thence North ten

thence South

degrees east

perches

to a Spanish oak thence to Christian Rivers Land. North
seventy degrees east forty perches to a Chestnut North eighty
five degrees east eleven perches to a hickory North forty nine
degrees east thirty eight perches to a stone thence North ten
degrees east thirty two perches to a chestnut and North sixty
one degrees West seventy seven perches to a stone. and from
thence by the said Michael Churchs Land South West twen-
ty perches to the Slice of Paganony containing fifty acres
and the usual allowance be the same more or less So
have and to hold the above described Tract of Land Here
-ditaments and Appurtenances hereby granted to the said
John Newman his Heirs and Assigns To the only proper
use Benefit and Behoof of the said John Newman his
Heirs and Assigns forever. And the said Heirs


and the usual Incumbrances
have and to hold the above described Tract of Land Here
-ditaments and Appurtenances hereby granted to the said
John Newman his Heirs and Assigns To the only proper
Use Benefit and behoof of the said John Newman his
Heirs and Assigns forever. And the said Hermanus
Vindorff and Susanna his wife for themselves severally
and respectively and for their several and respective Heirs
Executors and Administrators do hereby covenant promise
grant and agree to and with the said John Newman his
Heirs and Assigns by these Presents that they the said
Hermanus Vindorff and Susanna his wife and their Heirs
the above mentioned and described Tract of Land and

Premises hereby granted with the Appurtenances shall and
will forever warrant and Defend. In Witness whereof the
Parties to these presents have hereunto set their Hands & Seals
the Day and Year first above written. Herman Orndorff
Susanna Orndorff Sealed and Delivered in the presence
of us, The word presents and the words be forever barred inter-
lined before signing, Patton Ross, William B. Ross

Received on the day of the date of the within Indenture of,
& from the within named John Newman the consideration
Money within mentioned in full Herman Orndorff
Test Patton Ross, William B. Ross. Lancaster County Pa.
personally appeared before me the Subscriber one of the Justi-
ces of the Peace in and for the County aforesaid, the above
named Herman Orndorff Susanna his Wife and ac-
knowledged the above Instrument of writing to be their
Act & Deed and desired the same might be recorded accord-

Set & Deed and desired the same might be recorded accord-
-ing to Law. She the said Susanna being of full age and
by me examined separate and apart from her said Hus-
-band, freely consented thereto without any compulsion, fear
or Threats of her said Husband. In Testimony whereof
I have hereunto set my Hand & Seal the Day & year first
within written.

W. Stubbleby

Entered on the Records of the Court of Common Pleas
 of Lancaster County the tenth day of May one
thousand eight hundred & three according to
the acts of general Assembly in such case made & provided.
Given under my Hand & the Seal of the said Court
at Lancaster the tenth day of May A. Dom. 1803—

John Eberman for W. Barton Prothonary
Recorded the 11th Day of May A. Dom. 1803—
J
P.

Rec'd 29 March 1981
Larry G. Neuweg
9646 Crebs Ave.
Northridge, Calif. 91324

BIBLE RECORD

This information is taken from a bible now in the hands of Charles Arthur of Rushville, Nebraska. The bible was supposed to have been in the possession of John Baptist Arthur Sr. and was passed on to John B. Arthur Jr. who passed it onto his eldest son who then passed it onto his oldest son, Charles, who now has possession. The handwriting is supposed to be that of John Baptist Sr. according to Mary Ann Van Kerrebrook of Gordon, Nebraska who sent me the bible record.

Marriages

John Baptist Arthur born on the 27 th of June was married to Christine Orndorff on the 21st of January 1827.

Births

1. Daniel Ignatius 30th of March in the year 1828
2. Aloysious 25th of January 1830
3. Mary Elizabeth 18th of July 1831
4. Samuel and James twins were born on the 9th of Sept 1833
5. Harriet 27th of January year of our Lord 1835
6. Mary Magdeline 23 of July 1836
7. Christina 2nd of February 1838
8. John Baptist 16th of April 1839
9. Benedict 21st of Sept 1840
10. Henry 10th of March 1842
11. Caroline 15th of Sept 1844
12. Simon 17th of July 1847

Deaths

Of the children of John Baptist Arthur and Christine his wife died.

1. Samuel on the 11th of February 1835
2. Benedict 21st of February 1841
3. Caroline 5th of January 1845
4. Simon 26th of August 1848

Mrs. Christine Arthur, wife of John Arthur Sr. died February 29th 1880. Fifteen minutes after five o'clock in the afternoon, West Point, Iowa.

* John Baptist Arthur Sr. 28th of Dec 1883 ^{**} West Point, Iowa

* Mary Arthur daughter of John Baptist and Christina Arthur died June 9th 1888 West Point, Iowa.

*These last two entries were made by John Baptist Arthur Jr.

**This should be 1882

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John Brindorf
dec. dt.

Petition to Mortgage

Feb 6th 1852

Petition read and
leave granted by the
Court as prayed for.

error

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W. L. Mc
atty

To the Hon: the Orphans Court of Lancaster County
The petition of Philip Oldweiler Guardian
of Maimas, John & George Washington minor chil-
dren of John Orndorff, late of Conroy Top, dec'd.
Respectfully represents

That John Kob, adm^r of
said dec'd, settled his administration account on
the estate / personal / of said dec'd, on the 27th day of
February 1851, whereby it appears that there is
a balance due him from said Estate of \$114.91^{1/2}
with interest from the day of settlement.

Your petitioner further shows, that there
is no personal estate to pay said balance, but
that deceased, did seized of the following Real
Estate, viz: a house & lot of ground, situated
in the village of Falmouth, adjoining prop-
erty of John Bryan, David Boyet & others.

Your petitioner prays the Hon: Court, to per-
mit him to mortgage said Real Estate, for the
sum of \$136.00 sufficient to pay said balance
and certain incidental expenses remaining unpaid
& now accruing.

And he will soot pray

Phillip Oldweiler J^r

Lancaster County

Phillip Oldweiler being duly
affirmed according to law doth depose & say that
the facts set forth in the foregoing ~~and~~ petition are
correct & true.

affm'd & sub: by 3rd
July A.D. 1852

J. C. Camp
clerk

Phillip Oldweiler J^r