

Identity Graph of Mathias Orendorff

<u>Date:</u>	<u>Event:</u>	<u>Event:</u>	<u>Residence:</u>	<u>Source:</u>
1800		Census	Lancaster Co. Pa. Elizabeth Twp.	= 1800 census
1802		Tax List	Mt. Joy Twp. Adams Co. Pa.	020,690
1804		Tax List	Mt. Joy Twp. Adams Co. Pa.	
1805		Tax List	Mt. Joy Twp. Adams Co. Pa.	
to 1810		Census	Adams Co. Pa. Mt. Joy Twp.	128 1810 census
1813		Tax List	Mt. Joy Twp.	020,690 F
1791		Baptism-sponsor		Goshenhoppen church recors Mrs. Shirley Buirck
8 Ap 1822		Deed Mathias O. & w. of Mt. Pleasant Twp on turnpike Rd. from Balt and Jacob Weirach to Gettysburg of Swatara Twp. Leb.	Germany Twp. Adams Co. Pa.	Adams Co. Deeds 1821-32 p. 51
8 Ap 1822		Deed: Mathias O. & w. to Jacob Wiereck land bought in 1817	Mt. Pleasant Twp.	Adams Co. deeds p. 62
1814- 1822		Mathias on tax list	Germany Twp. Adams Co. Pa.	020,683
1821 1822		Mathias sold 10 ac. Elizabeth Rider tax list	Germany Twp.	020,683
1822		Mathias sells land to Nuick, Jacob W. tax list	Germany Twp. Adams Co.	020,683
1823		tax list - gone	Germany Twp. Adams Co.	020,683
27 Fb 1796		Sponsors for bapt Child of John and Magd. O. Mathias & Christena O.	Lebanon, Pa.	St. Mary's Church records
13 My 1794		Sponsor for dau. Christian & Eve O. Mathias & Christina O.	Pa. Bally, Berks Co.	Goshenhoppen Register Old St. Pauls
1830		CENSUS Mathias age 60-70	Adams Co., Pa. Menallen Twp.	1830 Census Adams Co., Pa.
27 Feb 1796		Baptism of Maria d. of John & Magd. O. Mathias & Chrs. sponsors	Lebanon, Pa.	Church Records-St. Mary's, Lebanon, Pa. p. 3
23 Ja 1797		Baptism Cristina d. of Mathias & Cristina Arendorf Sp. Henrieta Theresia Arendorf	Lebanon, Pa.	Church Records St. Mary's, Lebanon, Pa.p. 16
		Bapt Maria Ludovica d. Mathias & Christ.	York Co.	Conewago Chapel

Decatur Ill September 21, 1983

Camilla Berger
19702 Crestknoll Dr
Yorba Linda, Ca 92686

Catharine Schorn of Tulsa Oklahoma, a distant cousin of mine sent me your letter to her asking about the Arndts and Oylers.

I went through all the notes I have from different people like you, that I keep hoping someday it will help me put something together.

Catharine's great-great grandfather was a brother of my great-great grandfather.

Mary "Molly" arndt a daughter of Jacob Arndt was my great-great great grandmother. She died in Franklin Co Va about 1833.

By the way I have looked at the different spelling of our Oylers and have found none spelled Uhler, or Oler, or Ohler. But that don't mean that they might have spelled it that way.

In Germany it is spelled "Euler", but my ancestor spelled in Iller, Iler Eyler, but our branch of the family changed it to "Oyler"

I hope what I have given you may be of some help, and as I have said I will keep your letter and in the future if I get any thing of value to you I will try and write you.

Regards


W. Monroe Oyler

315 Cambridge Dr, Decatur Ill 62526

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Commonwealth.

Assault & Battery
Tinge's Bill.

Simon Miller &
Abraham Miller

July 22^d 1812 Defendants plead not guilty
Jury De hoc Atty: Genl someliter.

And now a Jury of the County being
elected, called, sworn and affirmed to come vizt. William Hoag,
William McLaughly, David Byers, John B. Smith, David
Edir, Barnabas McShury, John Hill, Lindsey, Sturgeon,
Henry Pelly, Samuel Pobaugh, Charles Wilson and Isaac
Faugher, Twelve good and lawful men of the County of et.
dams. who on their respective Oaths and affirmations
Do say that the Defendants are Guilty.

Court orders that Simon Miller pay a fine of One H^d.
to the Commonwealth and be confined in the Jail of Deam.
County for the Term of one calendar month, that Abraham
Miller pay a fine of Three Dollars to the Commonwealth
and that they pay costs of prosecution and stand com-
mitted until this sentence be complied with.

- Witnesses
- Mathias Grindoff.
 - Thomas Sammin.
 - Dominic Kelly.
 - Leonard Riffle.
 - Abm Duffindall.
 - And^r Riffle.
 - Adam waagener.
 - Henry Hoover.
 - Fanny Miller.
 - Mon^r H. Hoover.
 - Golly Hoover.
 - Ludwick Ritter.
 - Francis Gillistrie.
 - Philip Gilbert.
 - Fred. Eichelbry.
 - Jacob Rider.
 - James Plunket.

Done

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June 6th - 1812.

In Dr Eilar's book on the Oyler family, he mentions that in Hanover, York Co Pa, that William Oler, and Peter Oler had taken out grants about 1737 for land

Jacob Arendt died November 13, 1802 age 72 years, his wife Catharina Arandt died December 15, 1813 age 84 years, both of these items from Dr Eilar's book.

According to his book, the Arandt family lived in Franklin, Menallan townships which became part of Adams co Pa later.

Dr Eilar says he visited the cemetery in Arendtsville Pa in 1936 and found the tombstones on Jacob and Catharina Arendt shown above.

He says their children were: Peter, John, Catharon who married Christian Stout, Molly Mary who married Valentine Oyler Jr (my ancestors), Barbara married Jacob Oyler, Juliana married John Bumgaugh, Susanna married John Rummel.

Jacob Arendt's will from Franklin Twp, Adams Co Pa written 27 Oct 1801 was witnessed by Henry Hoke, Adam Swope, and A Russell.

Here is list of German immigrants who landed at Philadelphia

Conrat Iller	1729(my ancestor)
Johan Georg Eyler	1737
Adam Eyler	1748
John Jacob Eyler	1741
Johannes Euler	1749
Phillip Euler	1752
Jacob Euler	1774
Conrad Euler	1802
J.C. Eykers	1804

I am enclosing our first 2 generation of Oylers into this country if this will help in any way.

I have a letter rfrom Gregory K Oyler of 1921 Kalorama Rd N W Apt 202 Washington DC 20009 who sent me his ancestors and they begin as follows:

John Georg Oyler from Germany landed in Philadelphia 1737 his children were: Johas Oyler, Conrd Oyler, Phillip Oyler and John Oyler

The 1850 census for Frederick Co Md that I read some time ago shows Peter Iler aged 69 born in Maryland a farmer with wife Susan another Peter Iler age 45 a distiller with wife Mary A age 35 .

There was a william Iler aged 27 laborer with wife Mayy age 20 both born in Maryland.

FAMILY GROUP No. Two Husband's Full Name **Valentine Eyler, Oyler**

This Information Obtained From: York Co WBHP 90 York Co Hist Soc Oyler Report (1) Private Research by Jacob Lischery in York Co Hist Soc Oyler Report

Husband's Full Name	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Adm. Info. on W
Birth	C 1722	Near Hesse	Germany		
Chr'ml	C 1745(1) and About 1776(2)				
Mar.	21 April 1790	Menallen Twp	York Co Pa		
Death					
Burial					

Places of Residence _____
 Occupation _____ Church Affiliation _____ Military Rec. _____
 (Other wives, if any, No. (1) of _____
 Make separate entries for each.)
 His Father Conrad Oyler Mother's Maiden Name Margaret

Mrs. Leslis N. Schor
 4624 E. 54th Apt 224
 Tulsa Okla 74135

Wife's Full Maiden Name

Wife's Date	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Adm. Info. on W
Birth	(1) Appolina Born C 1745, died C 1758				
Chr'ml	(2) Susanna Married C 1776, died after				1808
Death					
Burial					

Compiler _____
 Address _____
 City, State _____
 Date _____

Places of Residence _____
 Occupation if other than Housewife _____ Church Affiliation _____
 (Other husbands, if any, No. (1) of _____
 Make separate entries for each.)
 Her Father _____ Mother's Maiden Name _____

Children's Names to Full (Arrange in order of birth)

Sex	Children's Names to Full (Arrange in order of birth)	Children's Date	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Adm. Info. on W
1	John Johanas Full Name of Spouse* Susana Wirdt	Birth	5 Jun 1746	Manheim Twp,	Lancaster Co	Pa	
		Mar.	19 Dec 1771				
		Death	C 1804				
		Burial					
2	Madlina Full Name of Spouse* John Htsler	Birth	3 Oct 1747	Manheim Twp,	Lancaster Co	Pa	
		Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
3	Frederick Full Name of Spouse* Salomi Hines	Birth	C 1749	Manheim Twp,	Lancaster Co	Pa	
		Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
4	Margritha Full Name of Spouse* Barbara Arndt	Birth	21 Feb 1752	Manheim Twp,	York Co	Pa	
		Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
5	Jacob Full Name of Spouse* Barbara Arndt	Birth	7 Jan 1756	Manheim Twp,	York Co	Pa	
		Mar.					
		Death	26 July 1807				
		Burial					
6	Valentine Full Name of Spouse* Mary Molly Arndt	Birth	C 1754	Manheim Twp,	York Co	Pa	
		Mar.	C 1781			Pa	
		Death	8 Nov 1825	Franklin Co	Va		
		Burial					
7	Elias Daniel Full Name of Spouse* Christine Hauck	Birth	15 Jan 1758	Manheim Twp,	York Co	Pa	
		Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
8	Catherina Full Name of Spouse* Peter Arndt	Birth	C 1764				
		Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
9	Mary Full Name of Spouse* Peter Fackler	Birth	C 1762				
		Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
10	Peter Full Name of Spouse* Peter Fackler	Birth	C 1764				
		Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					

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admitted a citizen of the united

C. Heitz

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heretofore been subject & that
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^{+Petition}
25th January 1830. Upon the John Dobbins an applicant for the benefit of the Insolvent Laws of this State. the Court appoint the 1st Monday of April next for hearing &c. notice to be given agreeably to rules of Court. 26th April 1830 Petitioner appears and proved that notice had been given agreeably to the Order of Court. took the oath and assigned his property to George Thomas in trust for the use of his Creditors. Whereupon he was discharged according to the Laws of this Commonwealth

23rd February 1830. Upon the Petition Mathias Arnoldoff an applicant for the benefit of the Insolvent Law of this State the Court appoint the 1st Monday of April next for hearing &c. notice to be given agreeably to rules of Court. 26th April 1830. Petitioner appears and proved that notice had been given agreeably to the Order of Court. took the oath and assigned his property to Benjamin Fink in trust of the use of his Creditors. Whereupon he was discharge according to the Laws of this Commonwealth

25th January 1830. Upon the Petition Daniel Gutz an applicat

Said Sarah being of full age & was by me examined, so & read & apart from her husband & out of his hearing & having the contents of the foregoing Indenture made known to her she did declare & say that she had freely & of her own free accord become bound to the same & as her act & Deed had sealed & Delivered the foregoing Indenture without Coercion or Compulsion of her husband. My testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand & Seal the twenty ninth day of September A. D. Eighteen hundred & nineteen 1819

Attest Copied from original & compared with the original
 My hand this 29th day of Dec. 1819
 James Duncan Recorder

Abraham King wife
 To

To all People

Mathias Orndorff
 shall or may come Abraham King & Dorothy my wife the said Dorothy being one of the heirs & Representatives of Frederick Little late of Germany township County of Adams, Pennsylvania send greeting Whereas the said Abraham King is justly indebted to Mathias Orndorff his being security or Endorser for me in the Bank of Gettysburg for the sum of five hundred & twenty five dollars sixty two & a half cents or thereabouts which sum had to be discharged by a Receipt therefor will more fully appear. And whereas there is a money becoming due to me and my wife Dorothy out of the real estate of the aforesaid Frederick Little deceased at his widow's death some part of which we have agreed to make ^{over} ~~transfer~~ Moses Guatt by an Instrument of writing, so much thereof as will pay & discharge about two hundred dollars & interest thereon until the said Widows Death, as by the said Instrument of writing, will more fully appear. & Now know ye that the said Abraham King & Dorothy in and for the consideration sum of the said aforesaid paid for us in the Bank aforesaid & for the further sum of one dollar to me the said Abraham King in hand paid before the executing hereof by the said Mathias Orndorff the said Abraham King & Dorothy my wife have granted bargained sold assigned over & confirmed & by these presents do grant bargain sell assign over & confirm unto the said Mathias Orndorff his heirs Executors Administrators or assigns all & singular our right title interest claim demand & suit to the money which will or would become due to us out of the estate of the said Frederick Little deceased at his widows death after the said Moses Guatt receives his sum agreeable to the Instrument of writing in his hand until the said Mathias Orndorff shall

receive the same as if we had received it from the hands of our
 father Abraham King nor Dorsetty my wife nor any of us nor our heirs
 nor any other person or persons or nation or right shall or may
 at any time or times hereafter challenge claim or demand any of the
 above said, alford and with the said Thomas Crantock with default
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 to man for recovery thereof as an or either of us might or could do were we
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 discharge the same further to do all acts or acts matters or things necessary
 to be done with the said alford alford holding firm to our holding
 to confirm recovery whatsoever our said alford alford or may lawfully
 do in this premises by force of law presents of the said Thomas Crantock with intent
 of the said Abraham King nor Dorsetty my wife have heretofore or our hands
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 Dr. McMillan
 Henry McMillan
 Adam Crantock
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 of writing as if for their and their heirs and assigns the same may be recorded and for
 any being of full age & being by me examined & sworn that they are the
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 did declare & say that she had freely & of her own accord become party
 to the within instrument of writing as her own and of good her own

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Agreement of the
Children & Legates
relative to the Will
& Estate of Samuel
Cundorff Deceased

Article of Agreement made and concluded upon this
twenty seventh day of March A.D. one thousand eight
hundred and fifty six, by between and among the
Children and their next legates and Guardians of
the minor Children their & Legates of Samuel Cundorff
late of Monroeville Township in the County of Adams
and State of Pennsylvania deceased. Who died having made a last
will and Testament which has been received to probate by the Register of Adams
County aforesaid, said parties being Joseph Cundorff, Jeremiah Cundorff
sons and Louisa Cundorff a daughter, of adult age, John Jacob & Anne
Hannah Mary Cundorff & minor Children (having Peter Cundorff, who have
Peter Cundorff for their Guardian, and Caroline Elizabeth, and Samuel Cundorff
the remaining Children, minors, who have for their Guardian, John Eckhardt,
Wilkesville. That the widow Nancy Cundorff having refused to take under the will and
claiming to, have her thirds at common law, the said Estate having been sold
to Jeremiah Cundorff by said Testator, in his life time, in and by Articles of Agree-
ment, and he claiming, the same under said Articles, and refusing to take said
Estate, under the provisions
of said will, now in order to bring about an arrangement between and among
the said Children heirs & legates by which to provide against certain defects
in the will of said Testator, and to obviate any difficulties that might arise out of
the construction of said will, the intentions of the said Testator, not having been
clearly and fully stated, by the scribe who wrote the said will, and the Testator
having desired that the said Jeremiah should take an equal share with the other Chil-
dren in the division of the said Estate, and in order that the wishes of the said Testator in
this and other respects should be carried out, as near as may be, it is therefore agreed
by and between and among the said parties above named, that after the debts of the
said Testator, and the expenses of Administration & Settlement shall have been fully
paid and the widow's rights at law been provided for, the whole balance and
residue of the estate, as it shall accrue and fall due, from time to time
shall be equally divided to and among all of the Children of the said Tes-
tator in life, at the time of his decease, so that equal and impartial distri-
bution of the said estate, embracing the purchase money of the said real Es-
tate purchased by Jeremiah of Testator in his life time, after deducting as aforesaid,
shall be made to the said Children, share and share alike, this Agreement to be
on the Executors in the Administration and Settlement of the Estate of the Tes-
tator, and payment, out, in accordance with it to be made, and treated as one
for and with like effect as if the same were done and made in accor-
dance with said will. This Agreement to be held as a final construction
of said will, and for the performance of all and singular the provisions
and Conditions in this Agreement contained. All the said parties above
named, do Covenant, bind and oblige jointly and severally our
heirs, Executors, Administrators, and every of them finally by their presents,
in testimony whereof We the said parties have hereunto set our hands
and affixed our seals the day and year first above mentioned.

signed sealed & delivered in the presence of Joseph Cundorff
James S. Thompson
Jeremiah Cundorff
Louisa M. Cundorff

Adams County

As it Remembers that on the twenty-seventh day of March A.D. 1856 before me a Justice of the Peace in and for said County of Adams personally appeared the within named Christian Cundoff, Joseph Cundoff, Sonina Cundoff Peter Cundoff, Guardian of John Jacob Cundoff and Hannah Mary Cundoff and John Eckersode Guardian of Caroline G. and Samuel Cundoff and acknowledged the foregoing agreement to be their act and deed to the intent that as such the same might be recorded according to law

Peter Cundoff Seal
Guardian for John Cundoff Seal
Jacob H. Hannah Kingdon Seal
John Eckersode Guardian for Caroline Cundoff and Samuel Cundoff Seal

A true copy taken from and compared with the original by O. P. Lasser Seal
Witness my hand this 25th day of March A.D. 1856 J. William C. Walter Recorder of Adams County

General Release
The heirs of Jacob Bunder
Samuel
Michael Bunder

Know all men by these presents that whereas Jacob Bunder late of Warwick Township in the County of Adams and State of Pennsylvania deceased in his lifetime being legally seized and possessed in his own name as of fee in and to certain real estate situate in the Township of Warwick aforesaid and being so thereof legally seized and possessed died intestate leaving issue to wit Michael Bunder, Jeremiah Bunder, Albert Bunder, Harriet intermarried with Levi Jacob, Maria Bunder, David Bunder, & Minnie who for his Guardian has Levi Jacob, Theodore and Rebecca also minors who for their Guardians have Jeremiah Bunder and whereas on Petition of Michael Bunder one of the said heirs to the Orphans Court of Adams County held on the 15th day of August appointed to partition or appraise the said real estate which said petition granted and valuation made to wit for the tract designated as 1st at and for the sum of Fifty three hundred dollars and the said Michael Bunder in open Court was allowed to accept said tract 1st at the valuation aforesaid and the said Court did order and decree that he retained in his hands the sum of Fifty dollars & fifty cents as expenses of said proceedings and that the said Michael Bunder shall pay or cause to be paid unto Harriet intermarried with Levi Jacob, Maria Bunder, Jeremiah Bunder, Albert Bunder, David Bunder, Theodore Bunder and Rebecca Bunder each the sum of five hundred and fifty four dollars & twelve cents and at the death of the widow each the further sum of one hundred and twenty seven dollars and six cents which said sums when paid shall be in full for their respective shares out of the mill property designated as tract 1st at Now know you that the above named Harriet intermarried with Levi Jacob Maria Bunder Jeremiah Bunder as well for myself as guardian for Theodore & Rebecca Bunder minor children of said dec'd and Levi Jacob Guardian of David Bunder one of the minor children of said dec'd deceased have this day had and received full payment and satisfaction of and from the said Michael Bunder for the said sums of money aforesaid and do hereby remise, release and for ever discharge the said Michael Bunder his heirs, executors and Administrators of and from all sums or demands which he or any of us might have claim or challenge

one of the Subscribing witnesses and on his oath doth say that he saw the within
named Alexander Campbell & James Weaver sign & deliver the
within article of Agreement on their act & deed & requested that
deponent to be a witness thereto and also he saw the other Subscribing
witness Daniel to hold forth his name as witness and at the same
time and place said not
Loren & Subscribed by
me the 27th of May 1822

Mathias Orndorff

Geert Brinkerhoff

A true copy taken from the original in the presence of
May 27th 1822. The above deed having been duly recorded in volume B, Page 109, and
and certified during the term of Great Hinrich, my predecessor in office and left unsigned, is truly signed by me
Mathias Orndorff. Witness my hand at Gettysburg this 27th day of May 1822.

Mathias Orndorff, Sheriff of the County of Adams and State of
Pennsylvania for a natural consideration did on the 22nd day of March 1809
with Abraham King and his wife, Mathias Orndorff of said County be and
and receive a certain part of the money to be come due to the said
Abraham King, in right of himself, doth out of the real estate of Andrew
Little, deceased, at his widow's estate from John Young and John Schuylburg
or of and from any other person or persons in whose hands the said money was at
the death of the said widow Little, and Mathias the said Mathias
Orndorff, is indebted to Peter Orndorff of the County of Frederick and
State of Maryland in the sum of one hundred and forty seven dollars for so
much money borrowed by the said Mathias Orndorff from the said Peter
Orndorff. Now know ye that the said Mathias Orndorff, for the
considerations above mentioned, and for divers other good causes, has
therewith moving, have made, ordained, authorized, constituted and
appointed and by these presents do, irrevocably make, ordain, authorize
constitute and appoint the said Peter Orndorff, my true and lawful
attorney in my name, and to his executors, administrators, assigns and
receivers of his part, the said John Young and John Schuylburg
or of and from any other person or persons in whose hands the money before
mentioned may be at the death of the said widow Little, the sum of
one hundred and forty seven dollars with interest from this date and to
take all lawful ways and means for the recovery of the same, as myself might or
could do were I personally present, and upon Receipt of the same or
any part thereof receipts or sufficient discharges for the same to be
given and executed, and to do all lawful and lawful things necessary to be
done for the recovery of the same, hereby ratifying and confirming all
whatsoever my said attorney, his lawful assigns and about the premises
by virtue of these presents - In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my
hand and seal the third day of June 1822

Signed Sealed & delivered in our presence
the 27th day of May 1822

Mathias Orndorff

Geert Brinkerhoff

Madam Justice

Be it remembered that on the third day of June A. D. one thousand eight hundred and twenty two before me one of the Justices of the Peace in and for said county, personally came Matthias Cudorff, who acknowledged the within instrument of writing to be his act and deed for the purposes therein contained and desiring it to be recorded as such, Given under my hand and seal this day and year above written

Attest copy taken from the Original, which I have compared with the Original, and certified during the term of my office and it is hereby signed by me as required by law. Witness my hand this 21st day of October A. D. 1844.

Samuel Daugherty vs. Mrs. Sidwell made the twenty fourth

day of November one thousand eight hundred and twenty one (By and between) Samuel Daugherty of Frederick county and State of Maryland of the one part and Mrs. Sidwell of the other part - Witness that the said Samuel Daugherty for and in consideration of the sum of Four thousand eight hundred and forty dollars current money of the State of Maryland to him in hand paid with and received to his paid to the satisfaction of his said Samuel Daugherty the receipt, where he the said Samuel Daugherty doth hereby acknowledge and himself obligate for hath given, granted, bargained and sold and by these presents doth give, grant, bargain and sell unto the said Mrs. Sidwell his wife and assigns a certain tract of land situate in the County of Frederick and State of Maryland of said District and Precinct Townships Beginning at a stone and running thence North sixty four Degrees west one hundred fifty one and three tenths perches to a black oak tree the next North being one and three quarters degrees East one hundred and thirty two and three tenths perches to a Spruce North four Degrees west thirty five and six tenths perches to a Hickory then east one hundred and thirty three perches to a red Oak thence South twenty five and a half degrees East one hundred and twenty two perches to a gum, thence South thirty nine degrees west one hundred and ninety perches to the West ginning containing two hundred forty acres and an allowance of six per cent for road with the appurtenances - To have and to hold the said described tract or parcel of land with the appurtenances and every part and parcel thereof unto the said Mrs. Sidwell his heirs and assigns and to and for his and their only use and benefit forever and to and for no other use or purpose whatsoever. I warrant her of all molestations and reservations as to mines, royalties, quit rents or otherwise - Excepting and Reserving only the fifth part of all Tolls, Tithes and Levies or in the use of the Commonwealth to be delivered at the next next day of all charges - hereby ratifying and confirming unto the said Mrs. Sidwell his heirs and assigns forever the aforesaid and described tract of land and premises with the appurtenances free and clear except as aforesaid. In witness whereof the said Samuel Daugherty hath hereunto set his hand and

Letters Testamentary were this day Granted in due form of Law unto Christian Neekler Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Peter Neekler Deceased, (William Hamilton one of the Executors named in the will having Renounced & declined Acting) An inventory to be exhibited into the Register's Office at Gettysburg for the County of Adams within Thirty days from the date hereof And a just and true account of his Administration within one year from the date hereof, or when thereunto legally required
Witness my hand this 15th day of March A.D. 1852

David Plunk Register


N 2969

Last Will & Testament

Mary Orndorff

I Mary Orndorff of the Township of Butler and County of Adams & State of Pennsylvania do make and publish this my last Will & Testament hereby revoking and making void all former wills by me at any time heretofore made and first direct that my body be decently interred in the burying ground of the Gettysburg Catholic Church according to rites and Ceremonies of the said Church. And that my funeral be conducted in manner corresponding with my estate and situation in life and as to such worldly estate as it hath pleased God to intrust me with I dispose of same as follows, first I direct that all my debts and funeral expenses be paid as soon after my decease as possible out of the first moneys that shall come into the hands of my Executor I direct that the Map fee be paid as soon as conveniently can be. I further will & bequeath to the Pomocoga Chappell the sum of ten Dollars I likewise will and bequeath to the Gettysburg Chappell ^{an dollar} I will & bequeath to Samuel Warner ten Dollars I will & bequeath to Hannah Oler my Aunt the sum of five Dollars. I will and bequeath to the Preacher Cotton the sum of Twenty Dollars I will & bequeath to my sister Lucy one beauro, I will and bequeath the residue of all my estate after paying for my tomb stones, to Andrew M. Elvaine my sister son. And I do hereby make and ordain my esteemed sister son Andrew M. Elvaine Executor of this my last will and testament in witness whereof I Mary Orndorff the testator have to this my will written one one sheet of paper set my hand & Seal this 27th day of March A.D. 1852

Witness
John Eickholt
Christian Ziegler
J. Hanes

Mary ^{her} Orndorff 

Adams County Pa.

the 3rd day of April A.D. 1852 Before me David Plunk Register for the probate of wills and granting Letters of Administration in and for said County personally appeared John Eickholt Christopher Ziegler and John Hanes the subscribing witnesses to the above will and being duly sworn and affirmed according to law did depose and say that they were personally present and heard the therein named Mary Orndorff pronounce John Hanes Executor of the said will and sign the name of the said Mary Orndorff

The last will and testament of William McNeely
and Testament of William McNeely
No 2971
I will my house and lot situate in North Baltimore
street, Baltimore, with full power to execute a title
for the same to the purchaser - and direct the proceeds of the sale of the
same to be applied as follows, to wit: one half to the Treasurer of the Board
of Foreign Missions of the Methodist Church, the other half to the American
Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions - both of said Agents to be
paid over as soon as the funds are paid into the hands of my executor
I direct my property not being down hand cash, when first offered, I direct
the date to be postponed for one year and then date for the best price it will
bring - the rents for the said year, after deducting taxes and necessary
repairs, I request to be applied to the payment of the existing debt of the
said Church of Baltimore - I request to my half share of the property, during
the term of ten years, from the date of my decease, to be applied during
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The declarator writes the said instrument of writing, as in and for her last will and
testament the first being made to be as above the date when said instrument to
the said Board, sign in the name of the said William McNeely, into the said last will
and Testament in the presence of the said witnesses make in their hands and
the said William McNeely, then and there, in full, in presence and before the
going instrument of writing as and for her last will and Testament, the
in the presence of the said witnesses (and at the time of so doing the said
perfect and entire mind, memory, and understanding to the best of their
knowledge, observation, feeling, and that they set her hand at the same time in
her presence and in the presence of each other signed as follows to the said
said last will and Testament
Given and signed and subscribed
Witness before me the 5th day of April, 1852
John Adams
John Adams
John Adams
I have copy taken from and compared with the original
Witness my hand the 5th day of April, 1852
James Clark Register

To the Honorable Robert J. Fisher, President, and
his Associates, Judges of the Court of Common Pleas,
now composing an Orphans Court in and for the County
of Adams.

The Petition of Joseph Orndoff, a minor son
of Joseph Orndoff, late of Butler Township in said
County, deceased, by Luiza Orndoff, an aunt and
next friend.

Respectfully sheweth:

That said Joseph
Orndoff is a minor son of said deceased, under the
age of fourteen years, and hath no guardian appointed
to take care of his person and estate. Your Petitioner
therefore prays your honors to appoint some fit person
as guardian for the purposes aforesaid.

And she will pray, &c.

Louisa ^{her} Orndoff
mark

Peter Orndoff

Petition of Joseph
Crandorff, a minor son
of Joseph Crandorff, dec.
by Louisa Crandorff, an
Aunt & next friend, for
the Appointment of
Guardian

great ->
aunt }

Filed May 26th 1857
and Rule granted to
show cause why the
Appointment should
not be made return-
able to the August term
next
By the Court

I appear to the above
Rule for Mary A. Crandorff
Mother of the Petitioner
Name of Child
Dorrell
May 27th 1857

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J. M. Crandorff

To the Honorable the Judges of the Orphans Court
of Adams County.

The petition of W^m Ross White
Guardian of the estate of Isaac M Orenduff
a minor child of Joseph Orenduff and
respectfully sheweth that his said ward is now
of the age of ten years and eight months
and resides with his mother in Quincy in the
County of Franklin. That the amount of the
estate of his said ward is about \$500 -
being money invested for his use -
that the mother of his said ward is not of ability
to maintain and educate his said ward
in a proper manner, and upon petition
therefore respectfully prays the Court to
direct that the interest of said fund, or such
other sum as to the Court may seem proper
may be annually applied to the education
of his said ward

And he will pray
W^m Ross White

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, THAT

We, William Prop White, and Andrew White

Are held and firmly bound unto the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in the sum of

Two Thousand dollars

lawful money of Pennsylvania, to which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves jointly and severally, ours, and each of our Heirs, Executors, and Administrators, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the

30th day of *May* One Thousand Eight Hundred and *fifty seven.*

WHEREAS, the said *William Prop White* ^{was the 26th inst} appointed Guardian of the person and estate of *Isaac E. Omdorff*

minor child *under* the age of 14 years, child of *Joseph Omdorff* ~~deceased~~ late of *Butler* township, Adams county, Pa.,




THE CONDITION OF THE ABOVE OBLIGATION IS SUCH, THAT

if the above bounden *William Prop White* Guardian of *Isaac E. Omdorff*

minor child of *Joseph Omdorff* late of *Butler* township, Adams County shall, at least once in

every three years, and at any other time when required by the Orphans' Court, for the County of Adams, render a just and true account of the management of the property and estate of the said minor under *his* care, and shall also deliver up the said property, agreeably to the order and decree of the said Court, or the directions of Law, and shall, in all respects, faithfully perform the duties of Guardian of the said minor then the above obligation shall be void: otherwise it shall remain in full force and virtue.

SIGNED, SEALED AND DELIVERED, }
IN THE PRESENCE OF

William Prop White 
Andrew White 
M. Danvers 

William County, Va.
 At an Regular Court held at Gettysburg
 in and for the said County on the 30th day
 of May A.D. 1860, before the Honorable
 Robert J. Fisher, President, and James
 Walker and Isaac G. Freeman, Esquires,
 Justices of the Peace, duly sworn, it
 appeared that the estate of John White Ad-
 ministrator of the estate of Joseph Bonaparte, dec'd.
 since now they are by removal of all parties in
 interest the being agreed to, do hereby agree, and
 in with authority to assign the said agreement and
 also such a settlement of terms of estate as to him
 they deem just and legal, and make distribution of
 the balance to and among several legal and illegal
 heirs, in the of the time and place of the meeting of
 the said estate to be given by publication in the
 respective states in the newspapers published in the
 County of Adams, and that said estate make a
 term of their proceedings herein to the next spring
 Court after next sitting.

James County of J. B. McCreary
 Henry G. Fry, Clerk

Any writ of Habeas Corpus or in the
 case for same in such manner
 the same shall be made according
 to the writ of Habeas Corpus
 as herein provided
 Done at Washington
 the 10th day of May 1860
 Henry G. Fry, Clerk
 Dr. Gachauer vs. J. B. McCreary

Order to Auditor to re-
adjust &c, and make dis-
tribution of the balance re-
maining in the hands of
Wm Ross White Administra-
tor of the Estate of Joseph
Crandall deceased, to and
among the parties legally
entitled thereto

Filed August 20. 1860
Same day Conferred N. Si
by the Court

D. Mills

Blank for Appts.
Recording

\$2.62¹/₂
1.00
3.62¹/₂

copied & recorded

To the Honorable the Judges of the Orphan
Court of Adams County.

The undersigned was
appointed Auditor to re-adjust the account
of Mrs. Pop White administratrix of Joseph
Cunning, dec'd, with power to allow such
additional items of credit as to him should
seem just and legal, and make distribu-
tion of the balance to and among creditors
legally entitled thereto: and after giving
due notice according to the order of Court
he heard the parties interested by their
counsel and respectfully makes report
as follows: viz;

The Intestate in this case left but
a small amount of property all of which
was taken and returned by his widow under
under the exemption law, except some out-
-standing claims amounting to \$118.88 which
were received by the Administrator -

The administrator filed his account December
18 1857. Charging himself with the above named
debt and taking credit for expenses of
administration and settlement amounting
to \$46.48 including an allowance for him-
-self of \$15.00 and counsel fees \$10 - and
showing a balance in hands of \$72.40.

To this account exceptions were filed
at the instance of creditors of the estate, one
of which exceptions was that accountants had
not charged himself with \$70 - and interest
thereon due by Joseph Riddlemore to the
intestate and collectable. In consequence
of this exception the account was suspended

and the administrator comes into a suit against Joseph Riddlemerer for the money referred to in the exception - this suit was taken by appeal into the Court of Common Pleas, No 26 April Term 1858, and resulted in a verdict for the defendant.

The defendant issued a Fi Fa for costs against the plaintiff to No 12 Jan. T. 1860 which of course was returned unsatisfied. The amount of costs in and upon this execution is \$37.03¹/₂ including \$9.51 which were incurred by the plaintiff in the prosecution of the suit before the justice and in Court. This bill of costs was presented before the Auditor by William McCleung and distributors claimed on it.

Mr. McCleung's Annual for Creditors presented a bill of costs being for witness fees and service of subpoena on the part of plaintiff in the above mentioned suit by the administrator vs Riddlemerer No 26 April T 1858 amounting to \$20.44 which is claimed in full as being expenses necessarily incurred in the settlement of the estate. The administrator, by his counsel, also claims, in consequence of additional litigation and trouble, an additional allowance of \$15.00, and for additional Counsel fees to David Mills Esq \$15.00, to be returned in full out of the estate.

The following claims were also presented
 as entitled to preference under the act of
 assembly, viz; Dr J. Culp Coffey \$110.00
 Falmesack bros shind 3.47
 George Godori have 2.50
 Doct. J. K. Smith med. attend 41.50

The amount of the claims thus presented
 greatly exceeds the balance of the estate and it
 is therefore necessary to consider the order of
 preference among them if any.

The claims last mentioned being for
 funeral expenses and medicines and attend-
 -ance are, ⁱⁿ the first ~~in~~ order of statutory
 preferences but as all creditors necessarily
 claim and obtain payment through the
 Administrators, their rights must be consid-
 -ered subject to the necessary and reasonable
 expenses of Administration and Settlement
 and the word assets in the Statute must be
 understood to apply only to what may
 remain of the estate after these are satisfied.

The payments for which credit is taken in
 the account appear to be for expenses neces-
 sarily incurred in the Administration and
 the same may be said of the additional
 allowance and Annual fees now asked
 and the witness and officers fees incident
 to the prosecution of the Suit as Receiver.
 This Debt was doubtless presented in good
 Faith by the administrators, 520 Officers

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 auditing fees were demandable in
 advance, and if not actually paid, may
 it is presumed, be recovered from Lewis
 personally by them, as we do not under-
 stand the rule which exempts an admin-
 istrators from personal liability for the
 costs of the defendant, in a suit unsuc-
 cessfully prosecuted by Lewis, to extend to
 the fees of his own witnesses and officers
 employed by him.

The costs of defendant in the suit with Dath
 Riddleman are not entitled to come
 in as expenses of Administration nor
 are they entitled to any preference, but
 are regarded as ordinary claims and
 must be postponed.

The additional allowance asked does not
 appear too much and was not objected to
 and it is allowed so far as the funds in
 hands will serve to pay it

The balance in hands of Administration
 as per account filed is 72.40

Deduct Auditing expenses, 15

Auditors \$10 - notices \$1.00 } 14 60
 and Clerks fees 3.67 1/2 } 18 27 1/2

Credit Administration with
 additional annual fee of Mills \$15.00

additional allowance 15.00

bills of outstrip fees 20 44

Docket and Justice Costs
 in suit }

9.51 1/2 } 59 95 1/2
 Balance due administration \$ 2.17 1/2

In the matter of the appointment of an
Auditor to readjust and distribute the
administration account & balance of
estate of Joseph Orenduff decd

Aug 10 1860

Mr. M. Chew Esq for Joseph Riddleman
claims bill of Costs as per Fi Fa No
12 Jan 7 1860 \$37.03 $\frac{1}{2}$ being
Costs of defendant in Suit brought by the
administrators of Joseph Orenduff decd
vs Joseph Riddleman & No 26 April
1858 in which a verdict was rendered
for defendant
Annul claimer to recover these Costs as
part of expenses of settlement of estate, and
therefore a preferred claim

D. M. Conway Esq
presents a bill of Costs in Suit No 26
April 7. 1858 including Subpoena &
service and witness fees and mileage
at the trial in Court Conway to \$20.49
also claim of Dr J. C. for Coffin 14.00
Geo. Cadon - grave 1847 2.50
J. N. Smith medicine 41.50
in last illness - -

Dair Mills Exp for Administrators Claims
additional allowance for trouble and
time in carrying on Law suit
\$15 - and Counsel for Dair Mills
Exp in suit with Reddlemans \$15.00
These items claimed as having pro-
perty of all other claims being part
of expenses of settlement of estate.
also 9.31 being part of costs in bills pre-
sented for defendant which were incurred by J. W.
Folmer & Bros. Bills of goods for funeral
of deceased \$3.47

GETTYSBURG, PA.

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DECENDANTS OF JOHN MARTIN² KITZMILLER, of ADAMS (YORK) COUNTY, Pa.

Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, was organized in 1729; York County was taken from it in 1749, and Adams County taken from York in 1800. In Adams County, Conewago Township was originally included in Heidelberg and Manheim Townships of York County. The town of Hanover is almost on the line dividing the two counties.

3. JOHN JACOB³ KITZMILLER (MARTIN², JOHN)

Born 28 February 1731, baptismal sponsor was John Jacob Kitzmiller, probably of the Lebanon County family, an uncle(?). (Rev. J.C. Stoeber record). Died 1808, Germany Twp., Adams County. Married about 1760 to ANNA ELIZABETH SELL, daughter of Peter Sell. She was living in 1804.

Jacob is named in the Digges testimony as being the oldest son of Martin, over 19 years old in 1752. In 1776 he was a saw-miller in Germany Twp., and a miller there in 1794. He was an overseer of the township in 1768; was on the tax list there in 1762, 1783 and 1799, with large holdings.

He was a 1st Lieut. of the 8th Company, 8th Batt., York County Militia in 1778. He was listed as the head of a family in the 1790 census, his family including one male over 16, one under, and three females. He was administrator of the estate of his brother John in 1804.

His own will, dated 29 October 1804, probated 21 October 1808, mentions his wife and seven children, including one son Martin and two married daughters. His sons-in-law were the executors. Records exist for his son John Jacob and the names of three daughters are known, but nothing has been found about the other two children. Judging from the census records they were probably daughters, the three older daughters probably having been married by 1790. His will states: "I have kept no account of what I gave my daughters when they married -- I have never given them much." He left a large estate.

Children:

1. Magdalena, born 27 January 1770, possibly married ~~John Jacob~~ *Gabriel De Vault 1767-1857*
8. ii. John Martin, born 1 November 1774
9. iii. John Jacob, born 29 July 1777
 - iv. (daughter) married Henry Kohlstock
 - v. (daughter) married George Mouse
 - vi. (?daughter)
 - vii. (?daughter)

4. JOHN LEONARD³ KITZMILLER (MARTIN², JOHN)

Born about 1733, as Digges case testimony says he was 19 in February 1752.

A will of 1773 refers to a Leonard Kitzmiller as having married HANNAH YOUNG, daughter of Dewalt Young.

No further records of him have been found

DECENDANTS of JOHN MARTIN³ KITZMILLER, of ADAMS (YORK) COUNTY, Pa.

5. JOHN³ KITZMILLER (MARTIN², JOHN)

Born 15 October 1734 (Stoever's record), or 24 September 1736, from gravestone in cemetery of Christ Reformed Church, Union Twp., Adams County. Died 20 August 1804, aged 67 yrs 10 mo 27 days, G S. Married about 1760 to MARY _____, who was named as his wife in a deed. His baptismal sponsors were John Jacob Kitzmiller, Sr., and wife.

In 1760 his father sold him 194 acres in Manheim and Germany Twps. which the father had bought in 1751. John was then a blacksmith. He bought 180 acres in the above townships in 1770, and he and his wife granted water rights on it to his brother George in 1773. He was taxed in Manheim Twp. in 1762; in Manheim and Hanover in 1783; in Conewago in 1801; he was an overseer in Manheim Twp. in 1773 and supervisor in 1778.

John was listed in the militia records of York County at various times 1780-85, mainly as paying fines for non-performance of duty.

The 1790 census lists him as head of a family of three boys under 16 and two females, which matches fairly well with the ancestry of his son Jacob as given in a "History of Stark County, Ohio", by W.H. Perrin, 1881. This says that Jacob was born about 1773 in Adams County, Pa.— had a sister and brothers Martin and John, and that they were the children of Martin who had emigrated from Germany to Pennsylvania when that country was new. If this account had listed Jacob as being the grandson of Martin the record would be clear, and such a mistake could happen in a biography written 35 years after Jacob's death. If the Jacob who moved to Ohio was the son of John #5, the latter's children were:

10. i. John, born 26 May 1765
11. ii. Jacob, born about 1773
12. iii. Martin, who may have been the man of this name who married Mary Dewalt (De Vault)
- iv. (daughter)

6. JOHN GEORGE³ KITZMILLER (MARTIN², JOHN)

Born 30 October 1738; died 10 March 1824, both records from gravestone. Married about 1768 to ANNA CHRISTINA _____, who was born 1747, died 3 March 1831.

He was a constable in Manheim Twp. in 1768; assistant assessor in 1780; collector in 1785. He was taxed in that township in 1762 and 1783. In 1801 he had the largest tax assessment in Conewago Twp., his property including grist mill, saw mill, slaves, etc. In 1765 he bought a lot in Germany Twp., agreeing to put up a building; the same year he bought from his father 164 acres in Manheim and Germany Twps. which the father had bought in 1759. He was then described as a cordwainer.

In 1786 he gave bond against possible claim by the heirs of Dudley Digges over ownership of land in "Digges' Choice". He apparently took over his father's property, buying out the shares of his brother and sister, guaranteeing to his father half the crops and half the toll of the grist mill. In 1777 he was fined for failure to meet and drill with the militia; in 1776 he hired Henry Baumgardner as his substitute, and in 1781 hired Peter Frein for the same purpose.

In the 1790 census he was listed as of Manheim Twp., having two minor boys, five females, four other free whites and one slave in his household. His will of 22 May 1815 was probated 27 March 1824; his son Michael was executor. It names his wife, two sons, five daughters and a son-in-law Jacob Dewalt (DeVault). His estate was large, and appears in the records till 1833.

DECENDANTS of JOHN MARTIN³KITZMILLER, of ADAMS (YORK) COUNTY, Pa.

(children of John George³ Kitzmiller)

- i. Anna Maria, born 5 September 1769, died 28 March 1852. Married Jacob Heagey, who was born 7 January 1768 in Warwick Twp., Lancaster County, and died 17 September 1804. At her wedding - "by her brother Michael Kitzmiller, she was given the choice of a bay horse or a negro for a wedding gift; she accepted the latter".
13. ii. John George, born 26 January 1775, Emanuel Reformed Church, Hanover. Not named in father's will in 1815.
- iii. Christina, born 14 September 1771, died 3 April 1864. Married in 1799 Abraham Krise.
14. iv. Martin. Born say about 1780. Named on a bond in 1795 as a son of George Kitzmiller. Named in his father's will in 1815.
15. v. John Michael, born about 1783.
- vi. Rachel, died 1829, married 10 January 1808 to Jacob Theobald (De Vault). He was a son of Henry and Catherine Dewalt; a brother of the Elizabeth Dewalt who married John Kitzmiller (#10), and of the Mary Dewalt who married Martin Kitzmiller (#12). Jacob and Rachel had nine children, among whom was a daughter Elizabeth Christina who married a Martin Kitzmiller.
- vii. Susannah
- viii. Margaret

7. JULIAN³ KITZMILLER (MARTIN², JOHN)

Born 22 March 1747, record at Christ Reformed Church. He was the only one of Martin's children whose birth was recorded at the home church; which church had not been organized at the time of his birth. This record gives his father's birthplace as Waldorf, and his mother's maiden name, which information has not been found elsewhere.

8. JOHN MARTIN⁴ KITZMILLER (JACOB³, MARTIN², JOHN)

Born 1 November 1774. Married ELIZABETH HEAGEY, a sister of the Jacob Heagey who married Anna Maria Kitzmiller, daughter of John George # 6. A 1799 tax list shows Martin then living in Berwick Twp.

Children:

- i. Lydia, b. 18 October 1798, Emanuel Ref. Ch., Hanover
- ii. Catherine, b. 10 January 1807, St. Matthews Lutheran Church, Hanover.
16. iii. Michael H., b. 20 April 1812, d. 14 February 1882, G.S. married Elizabeth Heagey, daughter Jacob and Anna Maria, (see above). She was b. 17 March 1812, d. 12 March 1890.

Children:

Anna Maria	b. 1829, d. 1830 G.S.
Catherine	b. 1834
Claressa	b. 1840
	m. 1864 Enos Overdeer
Sarah Margaret	b. 1844
Anna Maria	b. 1849

9. JOHN JACOB⁴ KITZMILLER (JACOB³, MARTIN², JOHN)

Born 29 July 1777. Died December 1837 at Gettysburg. Married HANNAH. The 1801 tax list shows him as single. His will of 20 November 1837, probated 28 December 1837 is very brief; refers merely to his wife, Hannah, and "my children". He lived in Gettysburg in period 1817-1829.

DECENDANTS OF JOHN MARTIN³ KITZMILLER, of ADAMS (YORK) COUNTY, Pa. 14
(children of John Jacob⁴ Kitzmiller)

1. Margaret Ann, born 9 December 1836, Christ Lutheran, Union Twp. (no record found of any others)

10. JOHN⁴ KITZMILLER, JR. (JOHN³, MARTIN², JOHN)

Born 26 May 1765, died 20 August 1845, G.S. at Christ Reformed Church, Union Twp. Married ANNA ELIZABETH DEWALT (DeVAULT), daughter of Henry and Catherine Dewalt of Manheim Twp. She was born 26 September 1767, died 1851 at Frederick, Md. (from "A De Vault Genealogy", Gillmore.) Her G.S. is in error.

John Kitzmiller, Jr. of Heidelberg Twp. was a private in the 4th Company, 7th Batt., York County Militia in 1783-85. John Kitzmiller was assessed on a house and lot in Heidelberg Twp., Adams County, in 1783.

Children:

- i. Samuel, born 10 May 1790, Christ Reformed Church.
- ii. Mary, born 24 March 1792, married ca 1810 Michael Kitzmiller # 15.

11. JACOB⁴ KITZMILLER (JOHN³, MARTIN², JOHN)

Born about 1773. Died 1846, Canton, Ohio. Married SARAH KRUGG.

In 1807 Jacob and Sarah sold land on what is now the main street of Lancaster, Pa., the deed listing them as of Conewago Twp., Adams County. In 1814 they moved to Stark County, Ohio, where he was a blacksmith. They raised ten children, of whom William, the seventh, more can be found in Perrin's "History of Stark County, Ohio."

12. MARTIN⁴ KITZMILLER (JOHN³, MARTIN², JOHN)

Probably born about 1783. Married MARY DEWALT (De VAULT), daughter of Henry and Catherine Dewalt. They later moved to Washington County, Tennessee, where he is said to have died at the age of 90.

Children:

David, John, Henry, Elizabeth, Mary, Martin, Jacob, Joseph, of whom all except the latter two married and raised families.

15. JOHN MICHAEL⁴ KITZMILLER (GEORGE³, MARTIN², JOHN)

Born about 1783, died 1848 or January 1849. Married about 1810 to MARY ANN KITZMILLER, the daughter of John # 10. Her gravestone in the cemetery of Christ Reformed Church names her as the wife of J. Michael, and gives her birth date as 24 March 1792, and death as 5 February 1858.

He bought land in 1830 in Union and Conewago Twps. His will, dated 8 February 1847, probated 30 January 1849, as of Conewago Twp., mentions but does not name his wife, and names four children as below, all of whom show in the records of Christ Reformed Church as being children of Michael and Mary Ann.

Children:

18. i. Eli George, born 6 April 1815, sponsors George and Christina Kitzmiller.
- ii. Honoria Elizabeth, born 15 December 1816.
19. iii. Zebulon John, born 13 January 1819, died 20 August 1884
- iv. Louisa Maria Christina, born 3 April 1833. Married 1858 Hamilton U. Forrest.

NOTE. In the same church cemetery there is a gravestone for JOHN MICHAEL KITZMILLER, born 18 November 1782, died 11 January 1849. This agrees with dates for Michael #15, except that the latter stone names Michael's wife as ELIZABETH, born 7 October 1767, died 29 January 1855. If the dates were correctly copied from the gravestones Michael must have divorced Mary Ann after 1833 and remarried. both wives surviving him.

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May Sessions 1806

No. 7 Commonwealth vs. Bastardy }
Eve Orendorf } Ignoramus
Clerk's return } County to pay Costs -

No. 8 Commonwealth vs. Aft. L. Batty }
John Heagy } Ignoramus
Clerk's return } Prosecuted Philip Staub,
to pay Costs -

No. 9 Commonwealth vs. Elias Ashmus }
Aft. L. Batty } True Bill

Aug. 18th 1806

And now a Jury of the County being duly called sworn and affirmed do Com. Vizt. James Young, Joseph Storm, James Galloway, George Hickenluber, James M. Knight, Michael Miller, Nicholas Bear, James Way, Jacob Wentz, John Stoner, Henry Mertzell and James Carriock twelve good and lawful men of the County of Adams, who on their respective oaths and affirmations do say the Defendant is not guilty and that Prosecuting Eve Riffle pay the Costs of prosecution -

- Witnesses
- Eve Riffell
- Peter Banhart
- Edward Riffle
- Anders Riffle
- Jacob Galt
- Jacob Bear
- Jacob Little
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