

KUHN ANCESTORS

Spelling Variations: Coon(s),
Koon(s), Kuehn(e), Kuhns, etc.

Although Swiss-German in origin, the majority of the family in this country have come to be identified with that group of early Americans known as the "Pa. Dutch". The early English settlers coined this term and although they really meant to say "Deutsch", meaning "German", the word soon became corrupted into "Dutch". They applied this name to those German, Swiss and even French Huguenots who arrived here in the 1700s and settled first in that small area roughly defined as south-central and eastern Pennsylvania.

In 1709 Queen Anne of England financed six shiploads of Germans from the Palatinate (or Pfalz) area of S. Germany. They sailed from Amsterdam harbor in Holland and landed at London where they lived in wretched conditions. Some she sent to certain Irish counties but most sailed for N.Y.'s Mohawk Valley to colonize and to work her tar pits. However, they soon found conditions to be as bad, if not worse, than those they had left behind. By 1711 many had returned to Germany (a large number had migrated down into the Tulpehocken Valley area of Pa.) taking with them tales of the privations they had encountered. This brought the exodus to a halt but by 1727 Palatine Germans again decided to seek their fortunes in America. They arrived in huge numbers until about the time of the Revolution.

As can be seen from the 1790 census, not only were they in Pa. & N.Y. but by this time many of them, or their descendants, were in the New England states, the Carolinas, Md., etc. By the early 1800s the big push into Ohio and the Midwest began.

Although Kuntz is a completely different family, some Kuntz data has been included since early spellings were so unreliable. This is illustrated in the tax lists taken from "Pa. Archives" where a man will be listed as Kuntz one year and Coons, etc. the next. Also in this section you will observe a Huhn one year who is a Kuhn the next and a Khun who appears as Kuhn another year.

NOTE: The reader's first reaction in viewing this booklet might be to question the ability of the compiler to correctly transcribe. However, what may seem to be an error is simply the way the material appears in the volumes searched--no corrections have been made even where errors are obvious. For example, there are numerous references to an Adam S(imon) Kuhn but no change is made here when he is shown as Adom in "Annals of the Swiss & German Pioneers of Pa.". But do rest assured that the entire contents have been carefully checked for accuracy.

"What's In A Name?" - Kuhn, Kuhne, Kuehn, Koon, Goon means "Bold One".

"Swiss Emigrants in the 18th Century to the Am. Colonies" - "From the Parish Dielstorff the Following Family has gone away to Carolina, 3-31-1744": Heinrich Kuhn & w. Regula Zobelj & ch. Felix, Heinrich & Peter;; In 1739 "Caspar Kuhn, from Rieden, b. 10-10-1713, his w., Anna Magdalen Mejer, from Rumlang, b. 1-21-1714, Anna, their dau., b. 4-29-1739" were along the families who "left for Carolina & Pa."; "Specification of those Persons who Emigrated from Kussnacht for Carolina, Anno 1743... Hanss Kuhn, of Graffstahl, aged 52, his w., Barbara Dentzler, aged 53."

"Early 18th Century Palatine Emigration" (These are the emigrants Queen Anne sent to NY) - Sailing with the 2nd party 5-23-1709 were Koenraet Koen & w. and Mattheus Koen, w. & 1 ch. With the 4th party 6-21-1709 were Herman Kun, w. & 3 ch. With the 5th party 7-15-1709 were Dinges Koen, Philippus Kun, w. & 6 ch. and Koenraet Kuntz, w. & 3 ch.. Among those who returned to Holland 1709 were Mattheus Kun, w. & 1 ch.. Gov. Hunter issued rations for these emigrants & in 1710 Conrad Kuhn & son Valentin had 2-1 (2 adults & 1 child. Anyone under 10 was considered a child) on these subsistence lists. In 1712 they had 2-0; Johann Jacob Kuhn had 3-0 both yrs.; Samuel Kuhn had 6-1 in 1710 & 4-2 in 1712; Valentin (son of Conrad) Kuhn had 1-0 in 1710 & 2-1 in 1712; Mathias Kuntz 5-1 in 1710, 3-2 in 1712; Matheus Kuntz 3-0 in

1710; Jacob Kuntz 1st 2-0 both yrs.; Jacob Kuntz 2nd 2-0 1710; Johannes Kuntz 1-1 in 1710, 4-1 in 1712;; In 1717 Ulrich Simmendinger returned to Germany & published a brief account of those Palatine families still living in N.Y. In Hunters-town were Jacob Cuntz, w. Susanna & 1 ch. In Schmidsdorf were Johannes Cuntz, w. Maria Catharine & 4 ch., Conrad Kuhn, w. Anna Margaretha & 2 ch., Valentin Kuhn, w. Anna Catharine & 3 ch. In Queensbury were Matthaues Cuntz, w. Anna Margaretha & 5 ch. In Haysbury were Jacob Kuhn, w. & ch. In Annsbury were Samuel Kun, w. Elisabeth & 5 ch.

"Book of Names" (Relating to the early Palatines & the first settlers in the Mohawk Valley. Differences will be noted between this & the preceding item.) - "Palatine Heads of Families from Gov. Hunter's Ration Lists 1710-14"--Residing West Camps, Ulster Co.: Johannes Kuntz. East Camps, Columbia Co.: Johann Jacob Kuhn, Samuel Kuhn, Conrad & Valentin Kuhn, Valentine Kuhn. Presumed to have been of E. Camps: Jacob Kuntz 1st, Jacob Kuntz 2nd, Mathias Kuntz, Matheus Kuntz;; Johanna Elisabeth Margretha, b. 11-1, d/o Veltin & Anna Catharina Kuhn was bap. 11-18-1711 by Rev. J. Kocherthal, West Camp Luth. Ch.;; On the 2nd list of Palatines to England 5-27-1709 were Matthew Kuehn, Hs. (Husbandman) & V. (Vinedresser), age 34, son 2; Conrad Kuehn, Hs., 40, sons 14-11-8-2; Nicol Kuntze, wheelwright, 33, sons 8-7-4, dau. 4. On the 3rd list 6-2-1709 were Peter Kuhn, Hs. & V., 24; Philip Kuntz, carpenter, 22; Henry Kuhn, Hs. & V., 53, son 8, dau. 10. On the 4th list 6-11-1709 were Conrad Kuhns, Hs. & V., 44, son 24, dau. 20; Herman Kuehn, Hs. & V., 55, son 26, daus. 28-18; Peter Kuhn, linen & cloth weaver, 24. (Note: Marital status is not given here but a booklet, "List of Germans From the Palatinate Who Came to England in 1709", gives all the foregoing info but shows as single the 2 Peters & Philip.) Volunteers for the Canadian Expedition 1711 were Jacob Kuhn & Mattheus Kuntz from Queensbury & Samuel, Conrad & Valtin Kuhn from Annsberg;; 9-22-1710 Hans Jerick Coons, orphan, was bound to Saml. Mulford of E. Hampton;; John Coon was in Tryon Co. Militia, 1st Regt. (no date).

"Pa. German Pioneers" (These volumes are the most complete collection of immigration lists for the "Pa. Dutch". The law required that 3 lists be made of the passengers, however, only infrequently were the 3 actually made. When the lists differ, the spelling variation(s) are placed in parentheses. Unless otherwise shown, all ships embarked from the port of Rotterdam in Holland.) - Jacob Kuhn (Kuhn) arrived on the "James Goodwill", 9-11-1728; Abraham Koon (Koen) age 50, Frederick Koon (Friederich, Friderich Kuhn) 22, Eve Koon 59, Catharina Koon 24, Hans Jerick Koon 15, Anna Crete Koon 11, "Samuel", 8-17-1733; Joannis Kohn (Johannes Kuhn) 30, "Friendship", 9-20-1738; Peter Kin (Kuhn) 18, Jacob Kin (Johann Jacob Kuhn) 21 & Joannis Cane (Johannes Kuhn) 22, "Marlborough", 9-23-1741; Johanaus Kh(oen) (Johannes Kooehn), "Francis & Elizabeth", 9-21-1742; Hannes Koor (Hans Kuhn) 36, "Francis & Elizabeth", 8-30-1743; Johannes Kuhn, "Phoenix", 10-20-1744; Hans Kuhn, "Ann", 9-28-1749; Johannes Kuhn, "Dragon", 10-17-1749; Georg Marthin Kuhn, "Brothers", 8-24-1750; Johannes Koon (Kuhn), "Sally", 10-17-1750, from London; Andreas Kuhn, "Shirley", 9-5-1751; Jacob Kuhn, "Neptune", 10-4-1752; Christoff Kuhn, "Phoenix", 11-2-1752; J. Thomas Kuhn, "Queen of Denmark", 11-3-1752, Hamburg; Daniel Kuhn, "Phoenix", 11-22-1752 (Note: The dates for "Phoenix", 20 days apart, are as shown in the book!); Michael (Michel) Kuhn & Michael (Michel) Kuhn Jr., "Beulah", 10-10-1753; Johann Georg Kuhn, "Edinburg", 9-14-1753; Johan Qua (Johannes Kuoehn), "Richard & Mary", 9-17-1753; Johannes Kuntz (Johanes Kuhn) 20, "Halifax", 9-28-1753; Johann Nickel Kuhn, "Chance", 11-10-1756, London; Petter Kuhn, Gerg Kuhn & Johan Philip Kuhn, "Sarah", 9-20-1764; Frantz Kuhn, "Richmond", 10-20-1764; Johann Heinrich Kuhn, "Juno", 1-13-1767; Christian Kuhn, "Catharine", 9-21-1773, London; Anthony Kuhn, "Lydia", 10-29-1785, Am. (Amsterdam); Lud. C. Kuhn, "Mary", 10-4-1790, Am.; Danil Kuhn, "Columbia", undated, Am.; Christian Keane (the index shows, "read prob. Kuhn" with an umlaut over the u), "Charlotte", 9-5-1803, Hamburg; H. Kuhn 26, carpenter, 5'6" & w. 20, with 1 trunk, "Newton", 8-11-1804, Hamburg; Mr. Kuhn of Degersheim (under Swiss govt.), "Liberty", 10-18-1805, Am.; J. Jacob Cuhn, "Three Sisters", 1-5-1808, Tonningen, Denmark (now Tønning,

Schleswig, Germany). Generally, only the names of adult male (over 16) passengers were listed, so many of these men were actually accompanied by wives and children.

"New World Immigrants" - "Johann Theis Kuhn, von Burbach(?)" on a list of Palatine Emigrants to Am. from the principality of Nassau-Dillenburg, 1709;; From the Allentown, Pa. newspaper 6-17-1825 under "Where Are These People?" was "Nicolaus Kuhn, from Wabern, went to America with the Hessians." From the collections of the State Archives of Coblenz: Margretha Kuhn, d/o Nicklaus Kuhn, citizen of Appenhofen, & his w. Elisabetha Nickler, m. Friedrich Wuerthsbacher (or Wirthsbacher) & went with him to Am. in 1764; Georg Kuhn, s/o Valentin Kuhn of Ottersheim, "is said to reside in the New Land, according to a letter written 4-26-1747 from 'Carlsdaun' (Charleston) in SC."

"A New Land Beckoned" (German immigration to TX 1844-7. They landed mainly at Galveston & made their way inland to specially formed counties awaiting them.) - Adolph Kuehn, m., from Freistadt, Silesia, 1846; Carl Kuehn from Rehe, Nassau on the "George Delius", 3 persons & 1 baby, to New Braunfels, 1845; Christian Kuehn, Rennerod, "Strabo", w. Maria & ch. Johann, Philipp, Margaretha, Catherine, Christian, to Bexar Co., 1845; Emil Kuehn, single, Freistadt, Silesia, "Neptune", 1846; Ludwig Kuehn, sin., age 22, Schmalkalden, Kurhessen, "Garonne", 1845; Theodor Wilhelm Kuehn, sin., 29, "Ferdinand", 1844; J. Kuehne to New Braunfels, 1845 (no other info); Gottlob Kuhn, Freistadt, Silesia, "Neptune", 1846; Marianne Kuhn to New Braunfels, 1845.

"New Homes in a New Land" (German immigration to TX 1847-61.) - Johann Koehn from Cumblosen, Prussia, "Franklin", 1852 to Austin Co.; Daniel Kuehn age 30, Kiel Gotha, "Antoinette", 1848; Juliane Kuehn from Gr. Groele (Grossgolle) to Washington (on-the-Brazos), "Weser", 1860; V. Kuehn, Ruckersdorf, "Minna", 1854; W. Kuehn, Posen to Galveston, "Juno", 1860; Friedrich Kuehne, Wensickendorf, Prussia, w. & 2 ch., "Republic", 1851, Payette Co.; Heinrich Kuehne, Bottmersdorf, "Weser", 1854; Jacob & Chris-

tine Kuehne, Gail(s)dorf, "J.W. Buddecke", 1853; Amalie Kuhn age 43, Burg, "Neptune", 1850; Frederick Kuhn 28, Thunningen (Thuringia?), "Franziska", 1847.

"Naturalizations of Foreign Protestants in the American Colonies" - The following were performed at the Philadelphia County Courthouse: Michael Kuntz of Phila. Co., 4-1743; Hans Jacob Kuntz, Lancaster Co., 9-1743; John Christopher Cun, Phila. Co., 3-28-1747; Michael Kuhns 4-10-1760; Jacob Kuntz, Albany Twp., Berks Co., 4-4-1762; Francis Kuntz, Lancaster Twp., Lanc. Co., 9-12-1762; John Kuhn, Phila. city, Phila. Co., 4-3-1763; Jacob Kuns, Springfield Twp., Phila. Co., 4-3-1763; Frederick Kuhn, York Twp., York Co., 4-1-1764; Jacob Kuntz, Germany Twp., York Co., 4-10-1765; Michael Kuntz, Tulpehocken Twp., Berks Co., 9-15-1765; Nicholas Kuntz, Oley Twp., Berks Co., 9-27-1765; Nichs. Kuntz, Tulpehocken Twp., Berks Co., 8-4-1765; Bernard Kuhns, Lehi (Lehigh) Twp., North. (Northampton) Co., 10-6-1765; Hartman Kuntz, Linn Twp., North. Co., 10-14-1765; Dewald Kuntz, Macungie Twp., North. Co., 10-17-1765; Fred. Kuhn, Forks Twp., North. Co., 1765; Henry Kuntz, Springfield Twp., Phila. Co., 1765; Christr. Kuhn, Bristol Twp., Phila. Co., 1765.

"Colonial MD Naturalizations" - Peter Kuntz, German, 9-14-1763, Wm. Kuntz, German, 9-29-1764 & Henry Kuntz, 9-11-1765. Communion for all was administered at St. Anne's Parish, Annapolis; John Koon, German, 4-15-1772 (place of communion not given).

"Lancaster Co., Pa. Tax Lists" - John Coon in Strasburg Twp. 1751 paid 6 shillings tax.

TAX LISTS from "Pa. Archives" (Abbreviations used here: Fr., listed under Freeman; In., Inmate was a m., non-landowner; inh., inhabitants; sin., single) Each location has been checked for each tax year & the family appeared in the following: BEDFORD CO: Dublin Twp-1773-Nicholas Coons, In.; 1774/75-Nicholas Coontz; 1779-Nicholas Coonts; Colerain Twp-1773-Laurance Coons; 1774-Lawrance Coontz; 1775-Lawrance Coons; 1779-Laurence Coons; Lawrence Coontz, sin.; 1783-Lawrence Coontz; Lawrence

- Coontz, sin.; 1784-Lawrence Coonce; Lawrence Coonce, sin.; Ayr Twp-1783/84-Frederick Coon, sin.; Shirley Twp-1783-Nicholas Coontz; 1784-Nicholas Coonce; Brothers Vly. Twp-1783-John Coontz.
- BERKS CO: Reading-1767-John Kuhn, sin.; 1768-Dr. Adam Kuhn; 1784-Kuhn's estate; 1785-John Kuhn; John Kuhn, sin.; Heidelberg Twp-1767-Melchior Kuhn; 1768-same; Tulpehocken Twp-1767-Hanes Kuhn; 1768-Hans Kuhn; Albany Twp-1767-Jacob Kuns; 1768-Jacob Kuhn; E. District Twp-1779-Fred'k Kuns; Hereford Twp-1768-Jacob Kun, sin.; 1779-Jacob Kuhn; John Kuhn; 1780-John Kuhn, blacksmith; Jacob Kuhn; Geo. Koons, joiner; 1781-Jno. Kuhn; Jacob Kuhn; 1784-same; 1785-same plus Mich'l Kuhn; Richmond Twp-1768-Michael Kunz; 1779-Mich'l Kuhn; 1781-same; Ruscomb Manor Twp-1779-Mich'l Kuhn; 1780/81-same; 1784/85 he is listed as a non-resident; Colebrookdale Twp-1780-Mich'l Kuhn; 1781-same; 1784-same, 5 inh.; 1785-Mich'l Kuhn; Greenwich Twp-1780-John Kuhn; 1781-same; Brunswick Twp-1784-Nich'l Kuhn; Earl Twp-1784-Mich'l Coon; Mich'l Kuhn; 1785-Mich'l Kuhn; Pine Grove Twp-1781-Melchor Kuny; 1784-Melchor Kuhn. BUCKS CO: Springfield Twp-1779-Henry Koon; 1781-Henry Cune; 1782-same; 1783-Henry Cunn; 1785-Henry Cune; 1786-Henry Cune, sin.; Henry Cunney; 1787-Henry Cuhn; Henry Kuhn, sin.; Richland Twp-1779-Thomas Cann; 1781-Thomas Koon; 1782-Thomas Koon; 1783-Tho's Kon; 1784-Thomas Koon, 3 inh.; 1785-Thomas Koon; 1786-Thomas Koon; Nicholas Koons; 1787-Tho's Conn. CHESTER CO: Charlestown-1774-Christopher Coon; 1780-John Coon, In. FAYETTE CO: Springhill Twp-1785-John Coon; John Coon; 1786-John Coon, Sr.; John Coon, sin.; German Twp-1785-Phillip Coon. LANCASTER CO: Lanc. Borough-1771-Adam Simon Kuhn; John Kuns; Widow Kuhns; Michael Kuhn; Michal Kuhn & John Kuhn, Fr.; 1772-Adam Simon Kuhn; Mich'l Kuntz; Mich'll Kountz, Fr.; 1773-John Kuntz; Widow Kuntz; Dr. Adam Simon Kuhn, Esq.; 1779-John Kuntz; Michael Kuntz; Dr. Adam Kuhn; Dr. Fred'k Kuhn; Jacob Kuhn, Fr.; 1782-John Kuntz; Adam Simon Kuhn; Dr. Fred'k Kuhn; Michael Kuntz; Manor Twp-1771/72-Peter Kuntz; 1773-Peter Kountz; 1779-Peter Kuhns; 1782-Peter Kuntz; Conestoga Twp-1779-Martin Kuhn; Cornelius Kuhn; 1782-Fred'k Kuhn, Fr.; Manheim Twp-1782-Nicholas Kuhn, Fr. NORTHAMPTON CO: Salisbury Twp-1785-John Koons; Macungie Twp-1772-

Lenard Koon; Dewald Kuntz; 1785-Jacob Koons; Dewalt Koons; G. Friedrich Koons; Lenerd Koon; Phillip Koons, sin.; 1786-Dewald Koons; G. Frederick Koons; P. Jacob Koons; Leonhard Koon; Phillip Koons; 1788-P. Jacob Koons; Phillip Koons; G. Frederick Koons; Leonerd Koon; Lynn Twp-1772-Michael Koons; 1785-Jacob Koons; Mich'l Koons; John Koons; Jacob Koons, Jr.; 1786-Jacob Kuntz; Michael Kuntz; John Kuns; Jacob Kuns, Jr.; 1788-Michael Kuntz; Jacob Kuntz; Lehigh Twp-1772-Frederick Kuntz; 1785-Peter Koons; Frederick Koons; Geo. Koons; Jacob Koons; 1786-same but all are now Kuntz; 1788-same but all Kuns; Forks Twp-1772-Frederick Koon; Isaac Koon, sin.; Frederick Koon; Jacob Kuhn, sin.; 1786-Frederick Koon; Stephen Koon; Jacob & Isaac Koon, sin.; 1788-Frederick, Isaac, John, Stephen & Jacob Kuhn; Northampton town-1785-Michael Koons; 1786-Michael Kuns; 1788-same; Whitehall Twp-1785-Henry Koon; 1786-Henry Kuhn; 1788-same; Bethlehem Twp-1785-David Koons; Allen Twp-1785-Daniel Coons; Daniel Koons; 1786-Daniel Koons; Upper Milford Twp-1788-Leonerd Kuhn.

NORTHUMBERLAND CO: Buffalo Twp-1778-Nicholas Coon; 1781-John Coone; 1782-John Coons; 1783-John Koonts; Muncy Twp-1781-Michael Coone; Peter Coone; 1782-Michael Coon; 1783-John Coons; 1785-John Coon; 1786-John Coons; Augusta Twp-1783-Dewalt Countz; 1785-Dewalt Kuhn; 1786-Dewald Kuntz; 1787-same; Potter Twp-1785- ---Koon; 1786- ---Koons, non-resident; Penn's Twp-1785-Jacob Kuhn; 1786-same; 1787-Jacob Coon. PHILA. CO: Lower Dublin Twp-1769-Christopher Koone; Frederick Twp-1769-Frederick Koons; 1774-Frederick Kuntz; 1779-Michael Kuhns; 1783-Nicholas Koons' est.; Bristol Twp-1769-Christopher Coone; 1780-Christ'r Coon; 1782-John Coon; 1783-John Kuhn; Whitmarsh Twp-1769-John Koone; 1774-Jacob Coone; 1779-Jacob Kuhn; 1780-Jacob Coone; 1781-Jacob Kuhn; 1782-Jacob Coone; 1783-Jacob Kuhn; Springfield Twp-1769-Jacob & Henry Koons; 1779-Susannah & Henry Kuhns; 1780-Susanna & Henry Coons; 1781-Susannah Coons, widow; Henry Coons; 1782-same; 1783-Susannah & Henry Kuhn; Germantown Twp-1769-Geo. Huhn; Michael Kuhn; 1774-Geo. & Michael Kuhn; Northern Liberties (east part)-1769-Robt. Kuhn; Lodwick Koone; (west part)-1769-Michael Coone; 1779-Christopher Kuhn; 1781-John Coon; Widow Kuhn; 1782-Widow Kuhn; Marlborough Twp-1779-Nicho-

las Kuhns;1780-Nicholas & Philip Coons;1782-Nicholas Kuhns;1783-Nicholas, Philip & Peter Koons;Southwark-1779-Daniel Kuhn;Cheltenham Twp-1782-Christ'r Koon;1783-Christopher Kuhn;Moreland Twp-1782-Jacob Coon. PHILA.city,North Ward-1769-Dr.Adam & John Koone;1774-Dr.Adam Kuhn;Ludwick Khun;1779-Peter & Ludwick Kuhn;1780/81-Jacob & Peter Kuhn;Adam S.Kuhn's est.;1782-Jacob & Peter Kuhn;Mulberry Ward-1769-John Koone;Wm.Coone;Michael Kuntz;1774-Christian Khun;Wm.Coune;Michael Cune;Mulberry Ward(east part)-1779-John Kuhn's est.;1781-Widow Kuhn's est.;(west part)-1779-Widow Kuhn;1780-Gartrud Kuhn,widow;1781-Widow Kuhn;Martin Kuhn;1782-Widow Kuhn's est.;Martin Kuhn;Dock Ward(south part)-1779/80-Wm.Kuhn;1783-Ludwick Kuhn; (north part)-1781/83-Wm.Kuhn;Middle Ward-1779-Dr.Kuhn;1780-Dr.Adam Kuhn;1781-Dr.Jno.Kuhn;1782/83-Dr.John Kuhn;Upper Delaware Ward-1779-Jacob Kuhn;1780-Ludwick Kuhn;High St.Ward-1780-Jacob Kuhn;Chestnut Ward-1781/82-Ludwick Kuhn;South Ward-1782/83-Dr.Adam Kuhn. WASHINGTON CO:Somerset Twp-1781-Frederick Coons. WESTMORELAND CO:Hempfield Twp-1783-Philip Koontz;1786-Philip & Jn'o Counce;Springhill Twp-1783-Anth'y,Coonrad & Joseph Coon;Rostraver Twp-1786-Michael Coons. YORK CO:York town-1779/80-Samuel Kuntz;1781-Samuel Koons;1782-Samuel Kuns;1783-Samuel Kuntz;Bott's town-1779-Peter Kuhn;Codorus Twp-1779-Henry Kuhn;Berwick ** Twp-1779-Geo.& Widow Kuhn;York Twp-1779-Wm. & Francis Kuntz;1780-Wm.Koons;Francis Kuntz;1781/82-Francis Kuntz;1783-Francis Koons;Chanceford Twp-1779-John Coon;Michael Cown;Adam Cown;Jacob & Andrew Cown;Adam Coon,sin.;1780-John,Jacob,Andrew,Adam & Michael Coon;Christian Coon,sin.;1781-same plus Ludwig Coon,& this yr.Christian is not listed as sin.;1782-same except Christian is missing & Ludwig is sin.;1783-Andrew Coon 7 inh.;Jacob Coon 6;Adam Coon 7;Michael Coon 5;John Coon 11;Christian Coon 3;Newberry Twp-1780-Andrew Coon;1783-Andrew Koons 5 inh.;Heidelberg Twp-1781-Abraham Kuntz,sin.;1782-Abraham Coons;Geo.Kuhn;1783-Abraham Coons 2 inh.;Geo.Kuhn 4;Mt.Pleasant Twp-1782-John Koon;1783-John Kuhn 9 inh.;Cumberland Twp-1782-Philip Kuhn;1783-Philip Koon 8 inh.;Menallen Twp-1783-Phillip Coon;Strabane Twp-1783-Geo.Kuns 7 inh. ** to be

added to Berwick Twp: 1780-Geo.Koon;Widow Coons;
1781-Geo.& Catharine Kuhn;1782-Catharine Kuhn;
1783-Catharina Koon 1 inh.;Henry Koon.

CENSUS RECORDS: The best way to begin research on your direct line is by searching census records. The first federal census was taken 1790 & every 10 yrs. thereafter. Census records are available to the public, on microfilm, for census yrs. 1790-1900. Most large libraries have a collection of these films & viewing machines. I have searched all states polled for 1790 & found the family in the following places. Unless otherwise shown, locations given after a county are names of towns: CONN.: HARTFORD CO: Glastenbury-James Kuney had 1-1-4 (1 m. 16 & over, 1 m. under 16, 4 f.) in his household; NEW LONDON CO: Lebues Coon 1-1-1; WINDHAM CO: Voluntown-Joseph Coon 1-1-2. KY: Heads of households in WOODFORD CO: John Coon; Jacob Coons; JEFFERSON CO: Nicholas Coons. MAINE: LINCOLN CO: Nobleborough-Geo. Koon Jr. 1-5-3. MD: BALTIMORE CO: Jacob Coons 1-1-1; FREDERICK CO: Abraham Koons 1-1-2; Christian Coon 2-3-3; Philip Coon 3-0-4; Christian Koon 2-3-3; Jacob Coons 1-0-4; Henry Koons 1-0-3; Henry Coon 1-2-1; Thomas Coons 1-1-3; Jacob Koons 2-0-3; Nicholas Coons 1-2-7; Geo. Coons 1-3-5; Geo. Coons 1-1-5; Henry Coons 3-4-5; Henry Coon 1-0-2; Jacob Coon 1-2-2. MASS.: ESSEX CO: Newburyport-Jacob Kuhn 1-3-5; HAMPSHIRE CO: Greenfield-Reuben Kuney 2-2-4; Wilbraham-Zenas Coon 2-0-2. N.Y.: ALBANY CO: Easton-Mathew Coon 1-3-4; Benj. Coon 1-2-3; John Coon 2-0-2; Elisha Coon 1-3-5; Abel Coon 1-2-2; Hoosick-Jonathan Coon 1-1-2; Joseph Coon 3-2-3; Pittstown-Jacob Coons 1-1-3; Rensselaerville-Adam Coons 3-2-4; John Coons 2-2-4; Rensselaerwick-Herman Coon 2-2-3; Maurins Coons 1-3-5; Mathias Coons 4-1-3; Philip Coons 1-2-6; Abraham Coon 1-0-1; Jacob Coons 1-2-3; Wm. Coons 3-1-1; Saratoga-Joseph Coon 1-3-3; Mary Coon 1-0-2; Jeremiah Coon 2-5-5; Schenectady-Amos Coon 2-1-3; Jacob Coon 1-0-2; Timothy Coon 2-4-2; Stephentown-Wm. Coon 3-0-5; Prentiss Coon 1-2-2; Hezekiah Coon 4-2-2; Hezekiah Coon Jr. 1-2-1; John Coon 1-2-6; James Coon 1-2-2; Nathan Coon 2-4-3; Jonathan Coon 4-2-4; Nathan Coon Jr. 3-2-5; John Coon 1-0-0; Watervliet-Conrad Coon 2-2-4; COLUMBIA CO: Claverack-Jacob Coon 1-4-2; John Coon 1-3-2;

Clermont-Wm.S.Coön 1-1-4;Wm.H.Coön 1-5-2;Henry H.
Coön 1-2-2;Simon Coön 2-0-1;Felts Coön 1-0-2;Hen-
ry Coön 3-3-2;John Coön 1-1-4;Herman Coön 2-0-3;
Geo.Coön 1-2-5;Livingston-Samuel Koons 1-3-3;Ja-
cob J.Coons 2-5-2;Adam Coön 1-1-2;Marcus Coön 1-
2-4;Philip H.Coons 1-1-4;Jeremiah Coons 1-0-4;
Harman Coön 1-0-1;Geo.Coons 2-2-3;John Coons 3-
2-3;Simon Coön 4-1-5;David Coön 1-1-1;Samuel Co-
ons 3-5-3;Jacob J.Coön 1-1-2;Nicholas Coons 1-0-
1;Adam Coons 2-0-1;Andrew Coons 2-2-2;Philip Co-
ons 1-2-3;DUTCHESS CO:Amenia-John Coön 2-0-3;
Beekman-Matthew Coön 1-4-6;Caleb Coön 1-2-2;
Clinton-Asa Coön 1-2-3;Jesse Coön 1-2-4;Fishkill-
Jeremiah Coön 2-1-6;Pawling-Peter Coön 2-1-2;Ja-
cob Coön 1-0-1;Samuel Coön 1-1-1;Roeliff Coön 1-
1-4;Hendrick Coön 2-3-6;John Coön 1-3-4;Coonratt
Coön 1-0-1;Joseph Coön 1-5-4;Poughkeepsie-John
Coön 1-1-1;Rhinebeck-John Coön 0-0-0 & 4 others;
Washington-Abraham Coön 1-0-4;MONTGOMERY CO:Gaugh-
nawaga-Wm.Coone 1-2-3;N.Y.COUNTY, NYC, East Ward-
Godfrey Coön 1-0-1;Out Ward-Joseph Coön 1-1-3;
QUEENS CO:Oyster Bay-Augustus Coön 1-0-5;ULSTER
CO:Mamakating-Joseph Cune 1-2-1;Marbletown-Jost
Coön 3-2-4;WASHINGTON CO:Kingsbury-Abraham Coön
1-2-5;Salem-Daniel Coön 1-2-5;Timothy Coön 1-1-
5. N.C.:HALIFAX DISTRICT, HALIFAX CO:Wm.Coön 1-
0-0;MORGAN DIST., LINCOLN CO:John Coön 1-2-3;MOR-
GAN DIST., RUTHERFORD CO:Nicholas Coön 1-3-1;SAL-
ISBURY DIST., ROWAN CO:Jacob Coone 2-1-3;John Ko-
on 1-3-4;Geo.Koons 1-1-1;Anthony Koone 1-2-6.
PA:BEDFORD CO:-John Coön 4-1-3;Fredrick Coön
3-1-4;Adam Coons 2-2-2;Hendrey Coons 1-0-1;Hen-
drey Coons 2-2-4;John Coons 2-3-3;BERKS CO:Al-
bany Twp-Jacob Kuhns 2-0-0;John Kuhns 2-1-3;Hen-
ry Kuhns 1-3-1;Bethel Twp-Geo.Kuhns 1-1-0;Jacob
Kuhns 1-4-1;Brunswick & Manheim Twps-Lawrence
Kuhns 1-1-1;Colebrookdale Twp-Fredk.Kuhn 1-0-1;
Hereford Twp-Michl.Kuhns 1-1-1;Pinegrove Twp-
Phil Kuhns 4-3-1;Tulpehocken Twp-Michl.Kuhns 1-
0-2;BUCKS CO:Philip Coone 1-1-3;Henry Koon 1-0-
1;CUMBERLAND CO.(E.part)-Isaac Koons 2-1-2;Geo.
Koons 1-1-5;FAYETTE CO:Springhill Twp-John Coön
1-1-2;Washington Twp-Peter Coön 2-1-5;FRANKLIN
CO:Peter Coön 3-3-4;Peter Coön 1-0-2;LANCASTER
CO:Cocalico Twp-Geo.Kuntz 1-1-2;Geo.Kuntz 1-0-2;
John Kuntz 1-0-2;Daniel Kuntz 1-1-3;John Kuntz
1-0-5;Conestogo Twp-Martin Kuhn 1-0-1;Earl Twp-

Conrad Kuntz 1-1-2; Elizabeth Twp-Henry Kuntz 1-2-4; Lanc. Borough-Michael Kuntz 1-4-4; Frederick Kuhn 2-0-2; John Kuhn 1-0-4; Geo. Kuntz 1-1-2; Manor Twp-Peter Kuntz 2-3-3; Martick Twp-Frederick Kuhn 1-1-3; Cornelius Kuhn 1-3-6; May (town)-Christian Kuntz 1-1-2; Sadsbury Twp-Conrad Coon 1-2-4; MIF-FLIN CO: Andrew Coone 1-1-2; Margaret Coon 0-1-3; MONTGOMERY CO: Springfield Twp-Henry Kuntz 1-0-1; Susannah Kuntz 1-0-2; remainder of co: Fredk. Kuntz 2-3-5; Jacob Koon 1-0-4; Henry Koon 1-0-4; Michl. Koons 2-0-2 & 2 others; NORTHAMPTON CO: Chestnut Hill Twp-Lewis Kunts 1-1-7; Forks Twp-Isaac Coon 3-1-2; John Coon 1-0-1; Lehigh Twp-Peter Coons 1-2-3; Geo. Coons 1-2-3; Barnard Coons 1-1-1; Lynn Twp-Michel Coons 1-1-3; Macunge Twp-Leonard Koon 1-1-2; Philip Jacob Koens 2-0-2; Dawalt Koens 1-0-0; Salisbury Twp-Michel Coons 2-1-4; NORTHUMBERLAND CO: Jacob Coone 1-3-3; PHILA. CO: Bristol Twp-Christopher Kuhn 2-1-5; John Kuhn 1-5-5; Southwark-Michl. Kuhn 1-1-1; Phila. city (N. dist.)-Martin Kuhn 1-0-3; (middle dist.)-Jacob Kuhn (Barber; S) 0-0-0; Peter Kuhn 1-4-6; (S. dist.)-Daniel Kuhn 3-4-7; WASHINGTON CO: Michael Coone 2-6-7; YORK CO: Chanceford Twp-Andrew Coons 1-5-4; Newberry Twp-Michall Coon 1-0-2; Windsor Twp-John Coons 1-2-3; York Borough-Thos. Coons 1-2-1; Saml. Coons 1-0-3; Catty Coons 0-1-3; Geo. Coon 1-0-1; York Twp-Adam Coons 1-2-2; Huntington, Manallen, Manheim & Tyrone Twps-Catharine Koon 0-2-3; Berwick, Cumberland, Franklin, Germany, Hamiltonban, Heidelberg, Mt. Pleasant, Mt. Joy & Straban Twps-Joseph Coon 1-1-3; Jacob Coons 1-0-0; Henry Coon 2-0-5, 1 other. S.C.: CAMDEN DIST., FAIRFIELD CO: -Geo. Coon 1-2-1; Conrad Koon 1-2-4; RICHLAND CO: -Lewis Coon 1-2-2; Adam Coon 1-1-2; Gasper Coon 1-0-2; CHARLESTON DIST., DORCHESTER CO., ST. GEORGES PARISH-John Coon 2-1-0; 96 DIST., NEWBERRY CO: -Geo. Coone 2-4-4; Uriah Coone 1-0-2; Benidick Coone 1-0-1; SPARTANBURGH CO: -Henry Coon 1-2-2; ORANGEBURGH DIST. (N. part)-John Coon 1-3-3; Benjamin Coon 1-1-2; Elizabeth Coon 3-1-1. VA: (Note: The 1790 Va. federal census was destroyed by the British during the War of 1812. It has been fairly well reconstructed from earlier state & local tax & census data.) From "Va. Tax Payers 1782-87"-BERKLEY CO: Joseph & Michael Coon; Henry, Jacob & Philip Coons; CULPEPER CO: Frederick,

Joseph Sr., Joseph & John Coones; Henry, Jacob, Auston & Robert Coons. From "1st Census of the US 1790--Va."--In 1782 HAMPSHIRE CO: Joseph Coons was head of a household of 4; Peter Coones 5; John Koon 15; David Coon 4 & in 1784: Peter Coones 5; Lovey Coones 3. In 1785 HARRISON CO: Joseph Coon 1; Conrod Coon 6.

"1800 Census of Dela." - MILLCREEK HUNDRED: Thomas Coon had 1 m. under 10, 1 m. 16-25, 1 f. under 10, 1 f. 10-15, 1 f. 26-44.

"1800 Census of Ky." - FAYETTE CO: Frederick, Henry & Wm. Coons; FRANKLIN CO: John Koons; HARRISON CO: two John Coon; HENRY CO: John & Joseph Koons; John Coons; JEFFERSON CO: Adam, John, Martin & Nicholas Coons; MONTGOMERY CO: Jacob & John Coons; PENDLETON CO: Jacob Coons.

"1800 Federal Census R.I." - All Coon - WASHINGTON CO: Hopkinton-Abraham (Elder), Ass (Elder), Caleb, David, Elias, Isaac, Jesse, Joshua (& dau.), Samuel, Samuel H., Thomas, Wm. & Wm.; S. Kingston-Lodowick.

"Vt. Census--1800" (Each digit represents an age group with the ones to the left of the hyphen males & those to the right females. Age groups are: Under 10, 10-15, 16-25, 26-44, 45 & over) - CRITTENDEN CO: Charlotte-Jacob Coon 21010-21010; Milton-Peleg Coon 01001-10001; Thomas Coon 10010-10010; Westford-Benjamin Coon 11101-11001; Benjamin Coon Jr. 00100-00100; Benjamin Coon 3rd. 10010; 00100; Eber Coon 10200-00000; Joseph Coon 10100-01100; WINDHAM CO: Brattleboro-Isaac Cune 21001-01101; John Cune 21011-00200; Wm. Cune Jr. 31110-31210.

"Pa. German Folklore Society" - Taken from the section, "Emigrants from Wuerttemberg, The Adolf Gerber Lists"--Frantz Kuhn of Aich, cooper, w. Maria Elisabetha (Horlacher), 2 boys & a girl of 4, 2½ & ½ yrs. Ludwigsburg Protocol, 5-2-1764, to "Pa.". According to Berger, "The certificate of good conduct describes man & w. as especially God-fearing, pious, obedient, upright... & on 10-20 (1764), despite his meagre means, he landed in

Phila.". Francis Koons was in York Twp., York Co., Pa., 1783. Francis Coon had 69a, Bedford Co., Pa., survey 3-18-1790. Johannes Kuhn of Sch-laitdorf, w. Anna Barbara (Adam) & ch.: (1) Anna Barbara b. 10-10-1742; (2) Johann Jacob b. 10-22-1744; (3) Euphrosina b. 10-16-1746; (4) Anna Catharina b. 9-28-1749. None of the ch. appear in the Burial Register. In the Marriage Register: Johannes Kuhn, farmer, & Anna Barbara, d/o Hans Jacob Adam, the village watchman, went to Pa. 1753 with her old father & "three" children. Johannes Kuhn, with Hans Jacob Adam, "Richard & Mary", 9-17-1753. From Sower's newspaper 8-11-1760, quoted in Hocker, 90: "Johannes Kuhn & Barbara Kuhnin ("in" denotes female), N.Y., opposite the High School, seek information about their dau., Anna Maria, whom they have not seen for 13 years."

"Emigrants to Pa." - From an account of servants bound & assigned we find that during the period 12-1772/4-1773 several servants to Ludwig Kuhn of Phila. were assigned by him to others.

"Annals of the Swiss & German Pioneers of Pa." - John Kuntz patented 166a in Conestoga Manor, Lancaster Co. (no date, but was evidently early 1740s);; Adam S. Kuhn began his term as Chief Burgess of Lanc. Borough 1750-1. He also served 1752-4 & 1755-6;; In 1762 Adam Simon Kuhn signed a petition in Lancaster Borough.

"Portrait & Biographical Record of Lancaster Co., Pa." (pub. 1894) - 1881 Ida E., d/o Henry Kuhns, m. Jacob Spoo;; Jacob Kuhns, of German descent, native of Lanc., was a distiller & later a brick manufacturer. He d. when about 72. His dau., Annie E., m. Saml. D. Frain (b. 2-18-1857);; Geo. Kuhns, of German descent, native of Lanc., was a brick mfg. His dau. Mary (b. 1797) m. Geo. Gundaker (b. 1795).

"Lancaster Co., Pa.--A History" - Adam Simon Kuhn owned land in Manheim Twp. 1753;; Frederick Kuhn was an early settler in Martic, later Providence Twp. (no date, but was after 1730);; 10-25-1775 Frederick Kuhn was operating the Manheim glass works;; 1892 L.P. Kuhn was treasurer of General Cameron Council, Mt. Joy;; Lancaster was a borough

1742-1818. During that time Adam Simon Kuhn was a chief burgess & Frederick Kuhn was asst. burgess;; Augustus J. Kuhn sold soda waters in Lanc. city in 1818--plain 3¢, with syrup 6¢;; In Lanc. borough, "The stone tavern was probably built about 1760 by Simon Kuhn";; 1-14-1775 Adam Simon Kuhn was appointed a deputy by the Committee of Observation & Inspection to represent the county at Phila.;; Christ'n Coon was among the Lanc. Co. men of a German regt. raised in Pa. It took part in the battles of Trenton, Princeton, Brandywine, etc. & continued in service until 1-1-1781;; During the Rev., P. Zanzinger advised the Comm. of Safety that he & his partner, Mr. Kuhn, had shipped 7 casks of saltpeter to Phila.;; Adam S. Kuhn listed among elders & trustees 1761 of the Lutheran Ch. at Trinity;; 1769 Rev. Daniel Kuhn was pastor of Warwick Ch., later called Emanuel Luth. Ch., Warwick Twp.;; 1761 Adam Simon Kuhn was a justice of the courts of Lanc. Co. & 1791 Frederick Kuhn was associate judge;; Frederick Kuhn, surgeon, 3rd Battalion Lanc. Co. Militia 4-15-1783.

"Will Books & Intestate Records of Lancaster Co., Pa." - WILLS: Abraham Kuhn, 1833, Book Q, vol. 1, pg. 377; Maria Kuhn, 1798, I, 1, 268; Geo. Kuhns, 1842, T, 1, 143. INTESTATE: Adam Kuhn, Esq., 1780; Frederick Kuhn, 1816; Frederick Kuhn, 1835, G, 1, 266; Dr. John Kuhn, 1811.

"History of Luzerne Co., Pa." (pub. 1892) - Members of the lower house of the legislature sent from the district were D. S. Koon 1865-6 & B. D. Koons 1872-3;; Wm. Koons elected sheriff 1847;; Joseph D. Coons granted license to practice law 9-14-1874;; Wm. Koons was county commissioner 1837-9;; "The first lock on the canal was laid at Harrisburg in 1827, & 3 yrs. later the canal was completed to Nanticoke dam, & Hon. John Koons, of Shickshinny, built the boat 'Wyoming', towed it to Nanticoke, & (eventually) landed its cargo in Phila.";; In 1892 Geo. W. Koons was an officer of Laurel Lodge F. & A. M. of White Haven;; 1858 Joseph D. Coons was an officer of the Wyoming Historical & Geological Society;; 1851 Hon. John Coons was vice-pres. of a Luzerne Co. agricultural soc.;; 1852 Wm. Koons purchased a charcoal furnace at Shickshinny & 1857 built

another on Hunlock's creek;;In Freeland borough, Poster Twp., the first store was opened 1875 then H.C.Koons started his place of business. The 1st officers were elected 10-10-1876 & Henry Koons was president council. In 1890 H.C.Koons was cashier & a director of Citizens Bank of Freeland;; "John Koons had a clothmill at an early date & was also engaged in the mercantile business (Huntington Twp), besides carrying on a large farm. He was a soldier in the War of 1812. He is now living at New Columbus.";;B.D.Koons & F.A.B.Koons were stockholders in the Union Turnpike Road co., chartered 1876;;Huntington Mills on Huntington creek is the site of the paper-mills of F.A.B. Koons & Redmond Koons (firm name Koons Bros.) built 1872;;1892 Wm.Coon was council president of the borough of Miner's Mills;;Samuel Coons was supervisor of Plymouth Twp. 1845, 1863-4;;Wm. Koons & B.D.Koons were residents of Shickshinny borough 1850. The borough was organized 1861 & B. D.Koons was a council member;;A brickyard was est. 1891 in White Haven by Geo.W.Koons. (Sketches from this source will be given later.)

"History of Montgomery Co., Pa." - James Koons Sr. was on the original board of directors 1869 of Ursinus College, Collegeville, then known as Freeland.

"History of Susquehanna Co., Pa." - "A Baptist ch. was formed in the western part, 6-1834, & consisted of 10 members... Benjamin & Harriet Coon.";; Jesse Coon came to Silver Lake Twp. about 1816;; W.Coon & w. were members of the Presbyterian ch., Silver Lake, 1847;; Nelson D. Coon & S.S. Coon of Gibson on a list of soldiers of the Union Army 1861-5.

"Tombstones of Union Co., Pa." - Buffalo Cross-roads Cem.: Ida Kuhn 2-3-1799/2-14-1856;; St. John's Evang. Luth. Ch. Cem. (One of the Twin Chs. or White Deer Chs.): Jacob Kuhns 8-14-1804/12-5-1883, w. Lydia 4-1-1808/11-15-1872.

"Probate & Orphans Court Records of Snyder Co., Pa." (From Union Co. records of which Snyder was formerly a part): Jacob Kuhn, surety, 9-6-1830 will

- * of Geo. Yeisley, Center Twp.; Letters of Administration granted Wm. Kuhn 10-30-1841 for estate of deceased Jacob Kuhn, Center Twp.; Letters of Adm. granted Samuel Kuhns 11-23-1853 for est. of dec. Christian Kuhns, Center Twp.; Orphans Court Records, 12-1853 Term--Christian Kuhns, Center Twp. left w. Catherine & ch.: Samuel, John, Daniel, Geo., Catherine, Eve, Mary, all over 21.

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- "Berks Co., Pa. Wills & Administration Records" - L.A. (Letters of Administration) requested 1829 for deceased Jacob Kuehn, recorded in Book 10, pg. 359, Matthias S. Richards, Administrator; L.A. 1754 for Christopher Kuhn, 1, 18, Margaret Kuhn, et al, Adm.; L.A. 1813 for Frederick Kuhn, 7, 241, Frederick Kuhn, Adm.; The will of Jacob Kuhn Jr. recorded 1793 in Bk. B, pg. 327 & 3, 212, Jacob Kuhn, et al, Executors; L.A. 1794 for John Kuhn, 4, 378, F. Strohecker, Adm.; Will of John Kuhn, 1819 in C, 167 & 5, 359, John & Jacob Kuehn, Exec.; L.A. 1805 for Michael Kuhn, 6, 195, J. Becker, Adm.; Will of Geo. Kuhns, 1834 in 7, 196, J. Smith & J. Melcher, Exec.; L.A. 1850 for John Kuhns, 18, 214, John Koohns & Chas. Berkey, Adm.

"Four Pa. German Studies" - 2-7-1756 Maria Margaret, d/o John Kun, was bap. Christ Reformed Church, Indian Creek, Franconia Twp., Montgomery Co.

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- "Encyclopedia of Pa.: Biography" - Daniel Koons (d. 3-1913, aged 87), builder & cabinet-maker, moved from Kuntzford (later changed to Treichlers) to Walnutport, both Northampton Co. He m. Sarah, d/o Jacob & Elizabeth Shipe & had, among others, Tilghman Benjamin (b. 5-29-1852 at Treichlers) vice-pres. of Central Railroad Co. of NJ, who m. 5-30-1876 Cornelia Eliz. Benjamin. Another son, Milton Alfred (b. 1853), auditor of coal traffic for same railroad, m. Laura Yundt.

Egle's "Notes & Queries" (In the 1890s Pa. State Historian, Dr. Wm. Egle, edited a genealogy column in Harrisburg's newspaper pertaining mainly to central & eastern Pa. The following is excerpted from that material which has been published in numerous volumes.) - Daniel Kuhn of Lancaster

graduated, class of 1768, from U. of Pa.;; Peter Koon on roll of 3rd co., 8th Batt. Cumberland County Militia, 10-1777;; Listed among school teachers of Paxtang Valley between 1825-39 is Cornelius Kuhn;; Bur. Old Paxtang Ch. graveyard are Jacob Kuhn d. 3-19-1866, aged 78, w. Susanna d. 3-27-1866, aged 77;; Sometime bet. 1820-30 "Jacob Kuhn, a well-known & highly respectable citizen of Swatara twp. & afterwards of Harrisburg" was a landlord of a tavern 3 mi. E. of Hbg.;; 1783-8 John Kuhns was in Capt. McKee's co., Pa. militia;; Adam Moore m. Mary Kuhn 10-16-1794, Lancaster;; Priscilla Koons (1827-82), w/o Thomas, buried Shells' Luth. & Reformed Ch., E. Hanover Twp.;; Adam Simon Kuhn, Esq. d. at Lanc. (Lancaster) 1-23-1800, aged 66;; Buried Moravian Cem., Nazareth is John David Kunz (b. 6-29-1724 Zauchenthal, Moravia, d. 12-9-1797). Info elsewhere on Moravian Ch. members shows David Kunz, farmer, from Moravia (b. 1724, d. 1797) & Matthew Kunz who arrived at NY 6-1748, for Bethlehem, Pa.;; Samuel Coon (a merchant of NY) was executor of the 1830 will of Mr. Lewis of Sullivan Co., Pa.;; 15a (acres) purchased from Adam Kuhn held by a patent to H. Mosher dated 11-17-1737, city of Lanc.;; Samuel Kuhn was living in Hbg. 7-1894;; From "Rev. & War of 1812 Pensioners in Lanc. Co.": (1) Geo. Kuhns a pvt. in Capt. Wurtz's militia co. & in "Flying Camp", under Capt. Graeff, & was on detail that brought Hessians from L.I. to Lanc., m. Susan Hubbard 1781 at Lanc., d. there 1-16-1835; (2) Francis Koontz, leg amputated 7-1778 at genl. hospital at French Creek & awarded a mo. pension;; 7-25-1781 Peter Kuhne was a "servant" of Lt. Brandes (a Hessian prisoner), Lanc.;; Peter Kuhn, age 33, clerk, b. Phila., enlisted 7-29-1813, sent to hospital;; Michael Koons of Muncy Twp., Northumberland Co., signed a petition 8-16-1777;; Married St. James' Ch., Lanc.: John Simonie & Eva Kuhn 3-31-1760; John Kuhn & Susanna Hammerly 7-21-1761; Adam Moore & Mary Kuhn 10-16-1794; Andrew Selreit & Mary Coun 4-4-1796;; Isaac Koons (9-1792/11-19-1874) bur. Big Spring Presby. graveyard, Newville;; Records of Emanuel's Ch. at the Loop (formerly known as "Early's Ch."), Centre Co.: Catharine Kuehn, sponsor at a bap. 10-1810. She was a communicant there 1805; David & Catharine Kuhns sp. at a bap. 9-1830; Agnes,

- * d/o John & Susanna Kuhn, b. 4-8, bap. 8-26-1830; Geo. & Susanna Kuehn sp. 1-7-1814;; Buried Old Egypt Ch., Egypt, Lehigh Co.: Salome (Kuhns) Deichman, w/o John, 1794-1845; A son (b. & d. 1862) & a dau. (b. & d. 1864) of Edwin & Anna Kuhns;; Peter Kuhn on a "List of Pa. German settlers in So. Livingston co., NY" (no dates, but permanent settlements were not made until about 1794 & this section pertains to the earliest settlers). Peter Kuhn contributed to the erection of the Luth. congregation at Dansville, NY which was organized prior to 1826;; Peter Kuns b. 11-9, bap. 12-24-1797, Evang. Luth. Ch., Campbellstown, Lebanon, Co.;; Records of "Hill Church", Berks Co.: John Jacob Kuntz (b. 2-19-1692), s/o John Geo., m. 1719 Anna Margaretha (9-22-1695/1738), d/o John Jacob & Greta Pfaltzgraff. They
- * came to America 1738 & 1742 he m. 2nd Susanna Erhart (b. 1711). His ch. were: (1) Jacob; (2) Gerhart; (3) Christina; (4) Maria Catharine b. 1730, m. 1748 as
- * his 2nd w., John Michael Klein, b. 1715, who came to Am. 1740; (5) Anna Barbara; (5) John Geo. (Note: These last 2 are not shown as twins--either an error in numbering or they actually were twins.); 1839-47 Jacob Kuhn was collector at the Cumberland Co. end of the Hbg. bridge;; Bur. Jordan Luth. Ch., Lehigh Co.: Henry Kuhns, s/o Jonathan & Judith, 1826-51; Lowina Kuhns, d/o Dewald & Lydia, 1834-49; Emenda Eliza Kuhns, d/o Samuel & Rebecca, b. & d. 1847; Lidia (Schmitz) Kuhns, w/o Dewald, 8-8-1789/4-7-1844, had 15 ch.; Dewald Kuhns 9-30-1777/10-16-1857; Lidia Kuhns, d/o Dewald & Lydia, 1815-50; Amanda Eliz. Kuhns, d/o David & Maria, 1842-5; Sarah Eliz. Kuhns, d/o Reuben & Sarah, 1840-1; Eva Kuhns, w/o Philip, 3-15-1788/5-9-1854;; Bur. Ref. Ch., Bedford: David
- * Koons, s/o Henry & Catharine, 1834-5; Odilla Koons, w/o Henry, d. 3-16-1844, aged 72; Henry Koons, d. 2-1-1855, aged 90;; Records of "Mertz" Ch., Rockland Twp., Berks Co.: John Nicholas Kuhn, s/o deceased Ludwig, m. Cath. Reuter, d/o Mattheus, 12-28-1756; Bap. there was Eva Maria, b. 10-31-1762, d/o Nicholas & Anna Catharine Kuhn and Anna Barb., b. 5-25-1766, d/o John Mich. & Cath. Kuhn;; Rev. War enlistments: "James Kuney, inlisted during the war (in the room of Robt. Gillfilling), about 29 yrs. of age, about 5'8", b. in Ireland, black hair, dark complexion, a laborer, 3-23-1782; bounty paid by Gillfilling.";;

From the BAPTISM records of the famous Rev. John Casper Stoever, pastor of the Hill Ch. near Lebanon: Eva Kuhn was a sponsor 10-1736; Adam Simon Kuhn, sp. 10-29-1736; John Philipp Kuntz & w., sp. 5-21-1740; Adam Simon Kuhn & w., sp. 7-19-1748 of John Adam Stoever; John Adam, s/o John Geo. Kuntz of Hanover, b. 12-1, bap. 12-4-1734; John, s/o John Cuntz of Opequon, b. 3-26, bap. 4-29-1739, Caspar Stoever, sp. Rev. Stoever's MARRIAGE rec.: John Jacob Kuhn & Lucia Roht, New Goschenhoppen, 3-25-1734; Johannes Kuntz & Anna Elizabetha Catherine Stoever, Earl town, 6-25-1738; Michael Kally & Mary Kuhny, Bethel, 2-26-1753; John Heinrich Hertle & Catarina Kuehn, Lebanon & Bethel, 11-22-1757; Geo. Kuntz & Elisabetha Rauch, Hanover & Bethel, 10-20-1766; Henry Cuntz on 1756 tax list, east end of Hanover. He is shown as "fled" (from the Indians). Henry Counts there 1759 & Geo. Countz there 1769. * (from pg. 19) Peter Kuns was the son of Peter.

"Abstracts From The (Phila.) Pa. Gazette" - 1-29-1754 "Hans Kuhn, High Dutch servant, age c. 28, runaway from Richard Philips of Amwell."

"Pa. Genealogies" - James Beatty Crangle m. Dorta Emilie Kuhn (no dates, but his mother was b. 1804); Juliet Abby Leeper (b. 1839) m. David Kuhn of Norwalk, O.; Castle Byers (b. about 1782) m. Mary (Polly) Koons. (his parents lived & d., Franklin Co.)

"The Pa. Genealogical Magazine" - From funeral record, Salem Luth. Ch., Ellerton, O., Susannah Kuhns, w/o Jacob, b. 12-12-1805 in Lebanon Co., Pa., d. 9-24-1870; "German Emigrants from Palatinate Parishes ... Georg Kuhn, s/o Valentin Kuhn, who was in Charleston ('Carlsdaun') S.C. by 4-26-1747"; Johann Georg Winz (bap. 2-4-1725 in Billigheim, Germany) m. 1-14-1748 Catharina (bap. 1-22-1728, Billigheim), d/o Balzer (Balthasar) Kuhn of Appenhofen, & Rosina Nickler. Johann Georg Winz landed 1764 in Phila.; From the minutes of the Supreme Executive Council (Harrisburg) -- "3-7-1781: Petition granted of John, Frederick, Peter & Jacob Kuhn for a pass for their brother Dr. Adam Kuhn to return & reside in this State." (A footnote gives this additional info.) "Early in 10-1780, on his arrival from St. Croix by way of N.Y. under a pass from Sir Geo.

Bridgers Rodney, Dr. Kuhn had been examined by the Council & as 'a very suspicious character, whose going at large is dangerous to the Commonwealth,' was committed to the new prison. 3 days later he was ordered to depart the state with his w. & family, & to give 100,000 pounds security not to return during the war."

"History of Pa." (pub. 1877) - New Oxford, Adams Co. was laid out by Henry Kuhn 1792;; Daniel Koons, Centre Co. was a Rev. soldier;; Swatara Collegiate Inst., Lebanon Co., "is now owned & conducted by Rev. E. J. Koons";; Hebron Twp., Potter Co. was erected 1832, election to be held at Asa Coon's house.

"Pa. in the War of the Revolution" - On an alphabetical list of soldiers: Matthias Coons, Joce Coon, John Coon, Christian Coon, Christopher Coon, Francis Koons, Andrew Koon residing Mifflin Co. in 1818, David Koon res. Dauphin Co. 1821, Matthias Koon, Jacob Koon res. Montgomery Co. 1810, Michael Koon, Francis Koons, Wm. Kuhn, Lawrence Kuntz res. Mifflin Co. 1825, Dewalt Kuns. 1-29-1776 Dr. Fredrick Kuhn of Lancaster Borough was appointed "to receive, for the publick Use, the Salt-Petre which shall be made in this County"; Frederick Kuhn, Surgeon, 3rd Batt., Lancaster Co., 4-15-1783; Philip Kuhn in Capt. Prowell's company, Phila. Militia, 9-13-1777, absent with leave; John Kuhn, 3rd co., 7th Batt., Phila. Co. Mil., 1778-80; Lt. Christian Coon, 3rd co., 7th Batt., Phila. Co. Mil., 1780; Martin Kuhn, 8-10-1780, on command, Capt. Gilbert's co., 3rd Regt., Phila. city;; Taking the Oath of Allegiance to the state of Pa. were John Kuhn 5-30-1778 in Lebanon Twp. & Frantz Kuhn 1777 or 78 in Cocalico Twp., both Lanc. Co.;; On a return of non-associators for Marlborough Twp., Phila. Co. 1779 were Nicholas & Philip Coons:: John Kuhn, Capt. Ludwig's co., 6th Batt. Berks Co. Mil., 1780;; Geo. Kuntz a member of York Committee of Observation 12-16-1774;; Lt. Dewalt Kuntz, Chestnut Hill company, N.C. (Northampton County) Associators, 5-22-1775; Isaac Kuhn, Capt. Arndt's co., 1st Batt., N.C. Assoc., 7-9-1776. He is on a list of those killed, wounded & missing after the battle of Ft. Washington, 11-16-1776; John Koon on a list of Forks Twp. co., N.C. Mil., ordered to march 7-30-1778; Peter Tubalt Cons on muster roll

6-15-1780, N.C. Volunteers, taken prisoner 9-11; Lenard Koon, Upper Milford Twp., in 7th co., N.C. Mil., 1781; Donald Kuns, Capt. Serfoos' co., N.C. Mil., 9-22-1781; Nicholas Koons, Ensign, 8th co., 2nd Batt., Bedford Co. Mil. (Note: In the preceding, as in all military data, soldiers are Pvts., unless otherwise shown.)

"Pa. Archives" Rev. War Lists - The following covers payments made to the individuals for service chiefly on the Frontiers as Rangers, bet. 1778-83. Company designations or yr. for specified service are not shown: Francis Kunns, Washington Co.; Nicholas Coons & Nicholas Coons, Ensign, both Berks Co.; John & Jacob Coons, Northumberland Co.; John Coons, Theob'd Kuhn, Christopher Cons, Geo. Kuntz, Mich'l Kuntz, John Kuhns, Joseph Kuhns, all Northampton Co.; Isaac Koons, Westmoreland Co.; Jn'o Counts in Capt. Horrell's co., 1st Batt. Cumberland Co. Mil., 1778; Wm. Kuhn, Capt. Hicks' co., 10th Pa. Regt., 1780; Peter Koon, 3rd co., 8th Batt. Cumberland Co. Mil. (prob. 1782); Dennis Coon, served in Lawrence 22nd Inf., was residing Fayette Co., Pa. when his pension was granted 1-8-1816; Mich'l Kuhn, a pensioner who served on the Pa. Line, was res. Northumberland Co. 5-6-1819; John Kuntz, a pensioner who served in Pa. Mil., was res. Union Co. 2-4-1833, aged 80.

"Soldiers of the American Rev. Buried in Ohio" - Frederick Koon, Highland Co., bur. family graveyard 4 mi. west of Hillsboro. John Kuhn, Stark Co., (1757/7-3-1845). In Capt. G. Hubley's co., & Capt. B. Hubley's co. German Regt. Continental Tr. Enlisted 8-7-1776 to serve during the war, name appears last on a payroll of co. covering period Aug./Dec. 1780. This organization disbanded 10-3-1780. Bur. Uniontown, Stark Co. Native of Pa. & a weaver by trade, removed from Center Co., Pa. to Green Twp., Ohio in 1832.

"Md. Rev. Records" - Christian Coon (b. 1751) served on Continental Line, received a pension; The marriages of John Kuhn to Matilda White (no date), Pa. and of John Geo. Kuhn to Catherine Smith, circa 1800, Md., were proved through Md. pension applications; The Rev. service of Joseph Coon of Conn.

was established through pension application.

- "Brunswick Deserter--Immigrants of the Am.Rev." (German mercenaries who fought for Britain, mainly in Canada & no.N.Y.) - Christoph Kuehne b. Bevern, "Prisoner of war, whereabouts unknown"; Caspar Kuehne b. Darmstadt, "Deserted in Va.1779"; Peter Kuene b. Gevensleben, "Probably given disability discharge"; Heinrich Kunst b. Suepplingen, "Prisoner of war at Boston"; Georg Kuny b. Ansbach, "Deserted in Canada 1783".
- "Roster of Ark.Society DAR" - Geo.Kuntz(1762-1842), Pa., m. Leah Corbin & had: John, Matilda, Frederick m. Jane Johnson, Ellen m. Abram Wilson, Rachel m. Joshua Jones, Jacob m. Sarah Schwartz, Nancy m. Absalom Wood, Hulbert m. Christina Phillips;; Joseph Rogers(1741-1834), Va., m. 3rd Susan Coons.
- "Rev.War Pensioners Living in Ky.1840" - Benjamin Coons was in Oldham Co. then, aged 66.
- "Rev.War Pension Applications" (S or W means applied for by Survivor or Widow, R is Rejected, BLW is Bounty Land Warrant) All Coon - Adam, S.C., Mary, W9800; Anthony, Va., S9213; Christian, Md., S34712; Conrad, NY, S43383; Conrad, S.C., S3177; Daniel, Conn., S12568; Ebenezer, ---, Amy, R2287, d. in Pa. 1831; Israel, Va. (Lee's Legion), BLW issued 9-1790 to him; Jacob, NY, BLW 8-1790 to an assignee; James, Conn., BLW 10-1792 to ---; James, served in Cont. (Continental Line)(Warner's Regt.), BLW 3-1790 to Deborah Beach(late Coon); James, RI, Cont., Sarah Crandall, former widow, R2439; Jeremiah, NJ, S862; Joseph, Conn., RI, S12583; John, Conn., BLW 2-1790 to S. Goss; Levi, NJ, Margaret, R2289; Matthew, NY, S22688; Michael, Va., R2290; Peter, NY, Cert.No.18538; Peter, NY, Lydia, R2266(also as Koon or Koons). All Coons - Abraham, NY, S15051; Adam, NY, S44229; Frederick, Va., S35844; Jacob, NY, R2291; John A., NY, R2292; Wm., NC, R2294. John Gune(or McEwen), Conn., S11056. All Koon - Christian, Cont., Pa., S547; Jacob, NY, S16911; Philip, Va., R6053. Philip Koonce, NC, S4485; Lawrence Koons, Pa., Mary, R6054; Peter Koons, NY, R6055; Geo. Kuhns, Pa., Susan, W4473 & BLW; Michael Kuhns(or Kuhn), Pa., Julian or Julia Ann, W3564. All Kuntz - Christian, in Von Heer's

Dragoons (Pa.), BLW 8-1789; Daniel (or Kuhns), Pa., R6062; Henry, Pa., BLW 5-1791 to J.M. Taylor; John, Pa., S2713.

"Ky. Pension Roll of 1835" - Lt. Benjamin Coons, Oldham Co., Ky., served with Tenn. mil. His annual allowance of \$153 commenced 5-31-1830; Frederick Coons, Fayette Co., Ky., served Va. line. His annual allowance of \$96 commenced 5-29-1818.

"Pa. Archives" War of 1812 - J. Faunce, substitute for John Coon; John Kuhn, 8th co., Pa. mil., Phila. Co.; John Coon (deserted) in Capt. Gordon's co., 5th Regt., Lanc. Co., 8-1814; John Kuhn, 9th Regt., 1st Brig., Adams Co., 3-9-1814; Jacob Kuhns, 3rd co., 66th Regt., 8-10-1814; John Coon, Capt. Gordon's co., 2nd Brig., 7th Div., 3-18-1814; Capt. Hartman Kuhn, 1st Regt., commanded a co. of light inf., 8-1814/1-1815; W. Kuhn was a Capt., State Fencibles 12-1814 according to a paper he signed in Phila.; David Koon, 89th Regt., 1st Brig., 11th Div., 6-12-1812; John Coon (deserted) in Capt. Giesey's co. (no dates, but service commenced 11-8-1814); From muster rolls of 1st Brig., 13th Div. (Westmoreland Co.): Cpl. Jacob Kuhn & Pvt. Jacob Kuhn, age 27, 2nd Regt., 5-12-1812; Philip Kuhns, 31, 19th Regt., 5-12-1812; Cpl. Peter Kuhns, 3rd co., 2nd Cav. attached to 2nd Regt., 7-24-1812.

"Ohio Soldiers in War of 1812" (If known, county will be given) - John Coons in Capt. Lists' co. from Franklin Co., 1813; Ensign David Coon & Geo. Coon, Capt. Gibson's co., 1813-4; Barnabus Coon, Capt. Barrett's co., probably Champaign Co., 1812-3; Geo. Koon, Capt. Richardson's co., 1813; Wm. R. Coons, Capt. Jones' co., prob. Highland Co., 1812-3; Peter Koons, Capt. Lybrand's co., prob. Franklin Co., 1813; Levi Coon, Capt. Hatfield's co., 1813; Jacob Coon, Capt. Morgan's co., from Ross & Scioto Cos., 1813-4; Samuel Coon, Capt. Menary's co., Ross Co., 1812; Geo. Coon, Capt. Radcliff's co., 1813; Jacob Kuhn, Capt. Gilchrist's co., 1812; Geo. Coon, Capt. Freeman's co., 1813; David Coon, Capt. Reed's co., 1812-3; Ensign David Coon, Capt. Miller's co., 1814; Jacob Coon, Capt. Shelby's co., 1813; Jacob Coon, Capt. Shepherd's co., prob. Ross Co., 1814; Jacob Coon, Capt. Musselman's co., prob. Ross Co., 1813; Hugh Kune, Capt. Mc

Clelland's co., prob. Greene Co., 1812-3; Jacob, John & Geo. Coon, Capt. Watson's co., 1812; Henry & Adam Coon, Capt. Dunlap's co., prob. Ross Co., 1813.

"Pa. at Gettysburg" (Civil War) - Daniel L. & Geo. E. Kuhns, Batt. G, 1st Art., 43rd Regt., 1st Lt. Arch F. Coon, co. E, 4th Cav., 64th Regt.; Isaac H. Koon, K, 18th Cav., 163rd Regt. Following are all company & infantry designations: Sgt. Philip U. Kuhns, A, 1st Lt. Wm. A. Kuhns, K & H. Byers Kuhns, K, all 11th; Magnus Kuhn, A, 27th; Jesse M. Kuhn, D, 30th; Sgt. H. H. Kuhn, A, 39th; Cpl. Samuel H. Coon, E & John L. Kuhn, I, 40th; John J. Coon, C, 49th; Sgt. Wm. H. Kuhns, K, 53rd; David Koon, H, 56th; Wm. Coon, D, 61st; Thos. M. Kuhn, D, 62nd; Herman Kuhn, G, 72nd; *John G. Kuhn, G, 75th; Capt. Amos K. Kuhn, D, 93rd; Francis Kuhn, C & Tobias Kuhn, I, 98th; Samuel Kuhns, C, 102nd; Qr. Master H. M. Coon & John Coon, G, 105th; Cpl. Giles M. Coons, D & John Koons, F, 106th; Sgt. Abram P. Koons & Fred P. Koons, H, 119th; Huston Coon, B, 141st; Cpl. John A. Kuhn, D, *Frank A. Kuhn, D & Joseph Kuhn, I, 145th; Geo. Koon, G & Wallace Coon, I, 148th; Jacob Koon, H, 149th.

* killed or mortally wounded

"Biographical Encyclopedia of Schuylkill Co., Pa." (pub. 1893) - CIVIL WAR records: Joseph & Jacob Koons in co. D, 48th Pa. Volunteers 1861 (under "Casualties", a Joseph Kuhns of D, 48th is listed as missing in battle of 2nd Bull Run or Chantilly). Also in 48th was Jacob Kuhns, co. F (J. Kuhns of F, 48th on wounded list 5-31/6-4-1864); Wm. Kuehn & Wm. Kuehn Jr., E, 55th, 1861; In 69th, 1861 were David Kuhns, co. C, Wm. H. Kuhns, E (d. of disease, no date), & Henry P. Koons, co. H (a Henry Z. Koons of H, 69th listed as killed in battle of Stone Mtn. or Antietam. On a 3rd list he is shown as Henry T. Koons); Joel Koons, H, 162nd, 17th Cav. (listed as killed, summer of 1860); Joseph Koons, H, 17th Pa. Cav. on a list "of Schuylkill co. men in various regiments. Killed, or d. of wounds or disease." (no date). Wm. O. Kuehn of Minersville, a s/o Wm. & Johanna (Schlein), was b. 9-27-1842 in Claustahl, Kingdom of Hanover, Germany. His father was b. 1819 & came to US 11-22-1854, residing NYC 4 1/2 mos. after which he came to Minersville. 8-19-1861 he enlisted in co. E, 55th. He d. at home while on furlough 2-29-1864. Wm. O.

enlisted with his father in same regt. & was mustered out 4-29-1865 as a Cpl. At the battle of Drury's Bluff he was wounded in the right leg below the knee, which necessitated its amputation. He m. Alice Jones, d/o David & Mary, a native of Wales but a citizen of Pa. since 1842. They had: Mary Alice; Wm. J.; Geo. W.; Winfield Scott; Frederick C.; David E. & Henrietta, twins; Harry Albert; Estella.

"Soldiers of Blair Co., Pa." All are Pa. Inf., unless otherwise shown - CIVIL WAR: David A. Coons (1843-1921) co G, 12th Pa. Cav.; Chas. David Koons (1827-1910) K, 131st; Henry C. Koon (?), K, 110th; Geo. Kuhn (1827-82) F, 49th; Geo. W. Kuhn (1839-1925) D, 3rd & Sgt. in M, 9th Pa. Cav.; John Thomas Kuhns (1832-1918) H, 149th; Wm. C. Kuhn (1839-1922) H, 136th.

"Commissioned Officers & Pmts. of NJ Volunteers" (pub. 1863) CIVIL WAR: John C. Coon, age 32 (a 2nd Lt. 9-10) was commissioned 1st Lt. 12-26-1862 of D, 31st Regt.; Theodore Kuhn 32, D, 2nd, enrolled 4-26-1861; Chas. Coon, B, 1st, 5-21-1861, deserted 6-20; Nathan Coon 32, H, 8th, 9-5-1861; Samuel W. Coon, B, 11th, enr. 7-21-1862, deserted; Samuel Coun 24, H, 21st, 8-30-1862, appointed Chaplain 10-1; Peter Coon, D, 27th, 9-1-1862; Joshua Koon, H, 4th, 12-6-1861, discharged 5-4-1862; Wm. Kuhn 45, A, 9th, 9-13-1861, disc. 11-17-1862; Andrew Kuhn 18, H, 21st, 8-14-1862.

"Soldiers of O. in the War of the Rebellion" (Note: SCD & a date means he was discharged on Surgeon's certificate of disability on that date; k is killed; dd is died of disease; dw is died of wounds; w is wounded) CIVIL WAR: Andrew Kuhns age 35, co. F, 1st Regt., SCD 2-1863; Benjamin F. Coon 18, D, 3rd; Henry C. Koons 20, recruit, A, 4th, k at battle of the Wilderness, Va. 5-6-1864; Cpl. Frank M. Koons 21, K, 4th (to 4th Batt. 6-1864); Henry Coon 35, A, 6th; Christopher H. Kuhn 22, K, 6th, SCD 8-1863; Seth J. Coon 24, H, 7th; 2nd Lt. David S. Koons 26 & Elisha Coon 45, SCD 12-1862, both C, 8th; Geo. Kuhne 34, G, 9th, k battle Chickamauga, Ga. 9-1863; 2nd Lt. Adolf Kuehn 30, resigned 9-1861 & Isadore Kuhn 23, H, 9th; John Kuehn 24, SCD 8-1861 & Adam Kuehn 29, K, 9th; Martin Kuhn 20 & Jacob Kuhn 37, F, 10th; John Kuhn 38, I, 10th, w Perryville, Ky. 10-1862; Sgt. Harrison Coon 35, E, 13th; Wm. H. Coon 20, K, 13th; Cpl. John Koon

21, H, 14th, veteran; John W. Koons 20, G, 15th, d on battlefield, Chicka., Ga. 9-20-1863; Brice Coons 36 & Noah H. Coons 40, A, 18th, both drafted; James C. Coon 21, H, 18th; Albert Koons 19, H (from E where he is shown as Kountz) 19th, SCD 6-1863; James Coon, F, 20th, absent, sick; Jacob A. Coons 19, James O. Coons 18, dd 12-1864 Savannah, Ga. & Lyman J. Koons 21, k Chicka., Ga. 9-20-1863, all A, 21st; Thornton Coon 18, D, 21st, dd 8-1863 Nashville, Tn.; Geo. Coons 18, D, 22nd, dd 4-1862 Cinc., O.; James D. Coone 22, C, 27th, SCD 7-1862; Chas. Kuehn 27, A, 28th, SCD 11-1862; Cpl. Lorin M. Coon 19, vet. & Chauncey H. Coon 23, reduced from cpl., A, 29th; Henry Koons 28 & Geo. W. Koons 18, D, 30th; Joseph Koons 17 & Ephraim Koons 28, D, 31st; David R. Kuhns 19, G, 31st; Peter Kuhn 22, D (then to I), 34th, vet.; Wm. Coon 24, E, 36th, k Chicka., Ga. 9-1863; Samuel Coon 27, G, 36th, dd 12-1861 Summerville, WV; Chas. Coon 21, K, 36th, drafted; Jacob Kuhn 19, E, 37th, vet.; Israel A. Coons, Surgeon, 34, resigned 8-1863, 38th. Also in 38th was Joseph B. Coons 26, promoted to Sgt. Maj. 5-1862, to 2nd Lt. 3-1863 of C, to 1st Lt. 4-1864 of I; Geo. Coon 22, B, 39th, vet.; 2nd Lt. Mathias Kuhn 22, E, 39th (from Sgt. of G), vet.; Cpl. Geo. W. Coon 20, K, 40th, dw 11-1863; Clark Coon, G, 41st, SCD 12-1862; 2nd Lt. Henry Coon, K, 41st (from Cpl. of G), resigned 4-1862; Mathew Coone 18, E (to G 10-1864 as Matthew Coon) 42nd, to E, 96th 11-1864 (as Coon); Wm. H. Coon 44, B, 43rd; David L. Koons 21, H, 43rd, SCD 1-1862; Felix Coon 19, A, 45th, to 51st 6-1865; Alpheus D. Coon 25, H, 45th; Col. Wm. H. Coon 20, K, 45th; Cpl. Barnabas (Barnabas) Coon 44, A, 46th, dd at home 9-1862; Cpl. Geo. Kuhn 18, C, 46th, vet.; Alexander Coon 25, E, 46th, w 4-1862 Shiloh, Tn., SCD 1-1863; Robert Coons 24, G (from E), 46th; Sylvester W. Coon 19, C, 47th, substitute; Martin V. Coons 22, E, 47th; John Coon 21, missing in battle 5-1864 & no further record found, Jesse D. Coon 27, w 9-1863 Chicka., Ga. & Samuel B. Coon 20, reduced from Sgt., w 11-1863 Mission Ridge, Tn., all C, 49th; Sylvester Coon 18, D, 49th, dd 5-1864; Cpl. Jacob D. Coon 18, G, 49th, vet.; Aaron Coon 24, H, 49th, 2-1863 dw received near Murfreesboro, Tn.; transf. from F, 99th to C, 50th were Adam Kuhn 25, SCD 6-1865 & Frederick Kuhn 33; Amos E. Coon 24, E, 50th, from K, 99th; Hiram H. Koon 19, I, 50th, d 9-1862; Henry Kuhn 20, SCD 1-1863 & John W. Kuhn 22 (to Miss. Marine Brig.), A,

51st; Oscar W. Coons 24, E (from I) 54th, captured 7-1864 Atlanta, Ga.; Charles Coons 34, I, 54th; Henry Kuhn 30, I, 56th, drafted; David Coon 31, C, 57th, POW, d 9-1864 Rebel Prison, Andersonville, Ga.; Shederick Coon 35, D, 57th; Robert F. Koons 19, F, 57th, dd 3-1862; Jacob Coon 33, H, 57th; Wm. Kuhn 23, C, 58th; Wm. J. Coon 18, K, 58th; James F. (also as James T.) Kuhns 18, D, 60th, k 8-1864; Joseph Coons 18, A, 61st; Thomas Coon 22, G, 61st; Isaac W. Koon 38, I, 61st, SCD 3-1863; Wm. Koon 29, A, 63rd; Jacob R. Coon 28, B, 63rd, SCD 3-1863; Wm. Koons 18, C, 66th, SCD 9-1862; Luke Coon 21, H, 67th, sub.; John Coon 21, B, 68th, d 10-1862; Harmon Coon 18, G, 68th; Nicholas Kuhn 40, H, 69th, vet.; Orlena Koon 18, C, 70th, sub.; Lewis G. Kuhn 23, Jacob Kuhn 18, reduced from Cpl., w 6-1864 & Thomas Kuhn 21, D, 70th; John Coon 18, G, 72nd; Squire M. Coon 21, Wm. R. Coon 21, Daniel F. Coon 18 & Geo. J. Coon 44, H, 74th; Cpl. Anson Koons 18, F, 76th, vet.; Sampson Coon 36, k 4-1862, Michael Coon 25, dd 9-1864 & Peter Coon 20, dd 7-1862, D, 77th; Anthony Coon 26, w April, disc. 8-1862 & Weedon Koon 40, captured 4-1864 (to E 1865), vet., G, 77th; Sylvester Koon 18, E, 78th, SCD 11-1862; Eli Coon 25, drafted & Peter Coon 20, vet., K, 78th; Wesley Coon 21, A, 81st; Geo. W. Coons 21, H, 82nd, w Aug., disc. 10-1862; John Kuhn 20, H, 85th; Geo. W. Coon 18, C, 86th; Lafayette Coon 30, H, 88th; Hiram A. Koons 26, I, 88th; John Kuhns 32, rejected by Surgeon, Camp Dennison, O., 1862; Andrew Coons 18, H, 90th; Geo. L. Coon 34, F, 91st; Solomon Kuhns 31, E, 92nd; Wm. O. Coons 21, A, 93rd, w ---; Cpl. Michael Kuhn 36, C, 93rd; Eli C. Coon 24, A, 95th; Wm. Coon 21, B, 99th, d 1-1863; Reuben D. Coon 35, C, 99th, to K, US Engr. Corps; Elisha T. Coon 32, promoted to Hospital Steward & Stephen B. Coon 25, d 12-1862, B, 100th; Wm. H. Coon 20 & Joseph H. Koons 21, d 2-1863, C, 100th; Almon P. Coon 33, F, 100th; Jacob Koon 20, E, 102nd, d 12-1862; Benj. F. Koons, Musician, 24, A, 104th; Cpl. Wm. Coons 20, E, 104th; Cpl. Albert Coon 27, H, 104th; Geo. W. Koons 43, unassigned recruit, 104th; Sgt. John G. Kuhn 19, D, 106th; Chas. Kuhn 20, H, 108th; John Koons 20, G, 110th, d 3-1863; Wm. Kuhn 20, H, 113th; Jacob Koons 18, I, 115th; John Koon 25, K, 116th, cap. June & exchanged 7-1863, to D, 62nd 1865; Cpl. Geo. Coon 32, Isaac Coon 33, w 11-1864, SCD 6-1865, Isaiah Coon 27, SCD 6-1865, Tobias Coon 20 & Tobias M. Coon 41, A, 118th; Cpl. Geo. W. Coon 20, K, 118th, to C, 183rd; Philip

Kuhn, Prin. Musician, 26, cap. 5-1864; Peter Khune 22, B, 121st; Cpl. Benj. F. Koons 18, H, 123rd; Washington Koons 21, B, 124th; Perry Coon 18, K, 125th, d 5-1864; John P. Kuhn 22, E, 126th, w & cap. 11-1863, discharged 5-1865; Loyal Koons 30, F, 131st; Elijah Kuhns 26, H, 131st; Henry Coon 30, I, 131st; Thomas Coon 34, E, 135th; Elmer J. Coon 17, K, 135th; Franz Kuhn 28, H, 137th.

"Calif. Pioneer Register" - Wm. Coon member of 1st Donner relief, 1846; Sgt. Wm. Coon, co. D, Mormon Batt., 1847.

"History of Ashland Co., O." (pub. 1880) - Polk, in Jackson Twp., was laid out 5-1849 by John Kuhn; In the mid-1850s Rev. Jacob Coon was with Savannah Presby. congregation & the Presby. ch. of Hayesville; 1865 Rev. J. Kuhn took charge of St. Edward's Cath. Ch., attending from Mansfield, O., & continued until 1867; John Kuhn was a voter 1825 in Jackson Twp.; Pvt. Jerome Coon in Batt. D, 1st Regt. O. Light Art., 1861; Enoch Coon (b. 9-11-1849 Mifflin Twp.) m. 10-17-1871 Sarah Eby (b. 9-21-1849) & had: Wm. Curtis (b. 10-9-1872); Byron O. (b. 7-15-1874); Allen G. Thurman (1876-80); Amos L. (b. 7-3-1879).

"Marriage Records of Highland Co., O." - Wm. Coons m. Polly Bundy 1-13-1847; C. Isaac Coons m. Jane Taylor 9-15-1825; Elijah Coons m. Mahala Caley 9-1-1840; Lindley Coons m. Rosannah Jane McConaughy 1-10-1846; Wm. Bunton m. Polly Coons 2-28-1813; John Epperson m. Nancy Coons 7-15-1824; Solomon McVey m. Rachel Coons 8-15-1816; David Ockerman m. Rosannah Coon 3-17-1843; Isaac Taylor m. Abigail Coons 2-9-1826; Geo. West m. Isabella Coons 2-15-1821.

"Ohio Records & Pioneer Families" - Wm. Coon (b. 1819 Green Co., Pa., s/o Wm. & Margaret nee Stackhouse) m. 1842 Wash. Co., O., Letitia (b. 1817 Pittsburgh, Pa., d/o Caleb & Letitia Thornly). They had: Evelyn, Walter, Caleb, Augusta, Wm. J.; Wm. Craig m. 1848 Wash. Co., O., Hannah Coon (b. 1828 Monroe Co., O., d/o Conrod, b. 1801, & w. Nancy); Marriage Records (Belmont Co.)--Mathew Johnston m. Catherine Coon 7-7-1805; Tobias Koon m. Catherine Croy 12-29-1803; Geo. Koon m. Lena Moore 7-26-1804 & (Shelby Co.)--Hiram Coon m. Nancy Levally 11-7-1828; David Coon m. Mary

Bush 5-30-1829;;John Koons a taxpayer 1806 in Fairfield Co.,Hocking Twp.;;Daniel Kuhns,grantee,1837,Monroe Co.,US Patent Deeds;;Jacob Kuhn of Wash.Co.,Pa.was an applicant,Steubenville Land Office 1801.

"Records of Augusta Co.,Va." (In the late 1700s the court at Augusta held jurisdiction over the entire Shenandoah Valley area of Md.& Va.,parts of the Carolinas,WV & Pa.) - Sometime after 9-1752 Hannah,widow of John Cordery,m.Geo.Coon & moved into the remote parts of NC. "Hannah Coon's bond dated 10-15-1772,says Hannah Coon,of Province of Va.& Co.of Buttontolph.";;Anthony Coon deposes,1806"His father,Joseph Coon,& John Mahon made a settlement there(Harrison Co.).He formerly knew T.Kelly,who belonged to Capt.Scott's Co., when they laid at Ft.Pitt.He & deponent were mess mates nearly 3 yrs.";;Marriage Bonds,Augusta Co.:7-23-1791 Geo.Kuhn,witness to a wedding; 12-2-1793 Peter Kuhns & Elizabeth Jones,d/o Enos. Peter Coons,surety;Wm.& David Koons,Teste at a * marriage;;1788-90 Peter Kuhn,merchant,shown as being owed money. * this was 8-23-1796

"Early Records of Hampshire Co.,Va." (now WV) - 3-10-1784 John Koon leased 162 acres on Patterson Creek to Wm.Vause;;9-19-1796 David Coone witness to a land lease.

"Sims Index to Land Grants in WV" - BOONE CO:Lorenzo D.Coon granted the following:33a Pond Fork 1849,348a adj.B.Green 1861,80a Pond Fork 1861, 47a adj.E.Jarrell 1861;GREENBRIER CO:Jacob Kughn 200a Clear Creek 1790;Jacob Kuhn the following: 3 entries totalling 964a 1790,1149a adj.P.Murphy 1790,155a Spring Creek 1790,80a adj.A.Donnally 1791,6 entries totalling 796a waters Greenbrier bet.1791-5,100a adj.G.Stewart 1795;HARDY CO:Geo. Koon(Koone)84a Lost River 1829,198a Vincey's Run 1830;HARRISON CO:Anthony Coon 400a Coon's Run 1794;Conrod Coon 400a Stonecoal Run 1786;Isaac Coon 150a Whetstone Camp Run 1836;Joseph Coon 400a Buffalo Lick 1787;Philip Koon 300a Booth's Cr.1793;BATH CO.,VA(used in formation of WV cos.)Jacob Kuhn 30,000a waters Greenbrier 1798.

"Records of the Moravians in NC" - Casper Kuhn of Abbotts Creek delivered seed wheat to the Bethabara Congregation in Wachovia 9-4-1763.

"Marriage Bonds of Tryon & Lincoln Cos., NC" - Adam Coon & Nancey Horten 3-5-1789; Geo. Coon (Koons) & Elizabeth Seagle 3-21-1832; Jacob Coon (Koon) & Mary Ann Lenhardt 2-15-1835; Julius A. Heavner (Havner) & Mary Ann Coon 3-16-1857, performed by Geo. Coon, JP; Henry Hevner (Havner) & Betsy Coon 12-11-1827; Jacob Lagle & Susannah Coons 10-11-1835; John Seagle & Barbary Coon 12-1-1825; David Whisnant & Maryan Koon 2-14-1821; R.H. Willis & Sarah Coon 3-22-1866.

"KY Cemetery Records" - MONTGOMERY CO: Thompson Cem: Geo. W. Coons 4-3-1849/9-10-1872; Coons Cem., on Spencer pike, on hill back of Egbert Coons home: John Coons 5-3-1773/7-8-1862; Amanda, w/o Hayden Wyatt & d/o John & Elizabeth Coons, 1-1824/10-1856; Benjamin Coons 9-3-1821/9-2-1852; Phebe Ann, w/o J.B. Pleak & d/o W. & M. Coons, 9-1824/10-1860; Elijah Coons 11-19-1798/2-29-1884; John Coons 5-4-1778/2-28-1864; James Wm. Coons 1870-89.

"Bible Records & Marriage Bonds" (Tenn. records) - Knox Co. marriage register: Geo. Koons m. Sallie Ezell 2-25-1837; Dickson Co. records: Geo. Coon m. Nancy Wallace 12-24-1842.

"Tombstone Inscriptions & Manuscripts" (Tenn. records) - Bur. Mt. Calvary Cem: Jacob Kuhn d. 6-6-1873; Ferdinand E. Kuhn Sr. d. 6-9-1874 aged 51;; John C. Coon, living in Robertson Co. 6-1-1804, applied for Rev. service pension. He was 85.

"History of Ionia & Montcalm Cos., Mich." (pub. 1881) - In the 21st Regt. from Ionia Co., Philetus Kuhn, co. D, is shown mustered out 6-8-1865 & in the 21st Regt. from Montcalm Co., Philetus Kuhn, co. D, is shown as discharged for disability 8-22-1863 (!). All IONIA locations: Samuel Coon in 1st Engineers & Mechanics, co. K, d. of disease at Chattanooga, Tenn. 4-20-1864;; Peter Coon elected sheriff 1848;; P. Coon was an original corporator of Ionia Co-op. & Mutual Benefit Assn., chartered

1875;;Peter Coon on Executive Comm.1857-9 of the Agricultural Soc.;;Joel Coon was Exhorter 1881 of the Meth.Episcopal Ch.,Ionia city;;D.L.Coon was clerk of Ionia Twp.1857;;John V.Coon,a voter 1854 in Campbell.In 1855 J.V.Coon was justice of the peace there;;Peter Coon of Genesee Co.,NY left there 2-23-1837 with a 28 lb.pack on his back & "footed it merrily to the mouth of the Maple" River,Lyons.,arriving there 3-13-1837.Lyons village was incorporated 1859 & Peter Coon was appointed inspector of the election.It was re-incorporated 1867 & Peter Coon was trustee.He was president 1868-9 & 1873 was again a trustee.
MONTCALM CO:D.L.Coon was alderman 1872 in Greenville;;1877 Chas.E.Coon was a member of Star Lodge,Knights of Honor,Greenville & Chas M.Coon was steward of Greenville Reform Club 1877;;1851 Nathaniel Coons was a resident taxpayer in Eureka. In 1850 he was voted assessor of Eureka Twp. He was again a voter 1859 there;;W.S.Coon was a landowner in Crystal Twp.(no date,but prob.mid 1850s);;Donly L.Coon was elected trustee 1873,Howard City;;Philetus Kuhn was an original purchaser of land in Sidney Twp.(no date,but the first regular settler was there 1854);;In 1873 L.D.Kuhn was a justice,Sidney Twp. & in 1875 Leonard D.Kuhn was one. Mathew Coons was living in Oakland County,Mich.in 1837.

"History of Frederick Co.,Md." - Geo.Kuhn in 3rd company,organized & equipped for service 1775;;Henry Kuhn unsuccessful candidate 1794 for House of Delegates & a candidate 1799 for General Assembly. 10-1807 he was elected to the Ass. & 1808 appointed Judge of the Orphans' Court.He was 1 of 3 delegates in 1808 charged by the local paper with voting to levy a gun tax upon their constituents & to exempt themselves from its payment;;Capt.L.H.Kuhn in 1st Regt.,Potomac Home Brigade,1861;;Capt.L.M.Kuhn,co.D,13th Md.Regt., 1865;;1817 Henry Kuhn,mgr.of branch office in Frederick town of the Bank of Westminster(now Farmers' & Mechanics' Natl.);;CIVIL OFFICERS-- House of Delegates:Henry Kuhn 1805-7,John Koons 1858,John A.Koons 1874-6;Judge of Orphans' Ct.: Henry Kuhn 1804-13,1819-31;Levy Ct.& Commission-

ers: Henry Kuhn 1803, Zebulon Kuhn 1825-8, Geo. Kuhn 1841;; John Utz (b. 1801 Pa., d. 1870 Fred. Co.) m. 2nd Mary Kuhn;; Henrietta Belleson (no dates, but a grandnephew was b. 1830) m. Frederick Koons.
(Sketch from this source will be given later.)

"Settlement of the German Coast of La." - Data from the 1724 census, New Orleans: "Simon Kuhn, of Weissenburg, Ansbach, Bavaria. His w., dau., son-in-law, Daniel Hopf, 20 yrs. of age of Cassen, diocese of Spire. Orphan boy, 12 yrs. old. Cow, calf, 3 pigs. One yr. on the land. Had to change his engagements twice, having been forced to give up his cabin on account of water. Good worker. An elder dau. of Simon Kuhn, Anna Kuhn, was the widow of Johann Adam Zweig (Labranche), who had d. in Biloxi. She had a dau. of the age of 12 yrs. The orphan boy, 12 yrs. old, was, no doubt a relative, & very likely that Jean Labranche who, in 1737, m. Susanna Marchand & became the progenitor of all the Labranche families in La." Elsewhere there is this additional info on above Anna's dau. "1729: Dau. Anna Margarethe Zweig m. Pierre Bridel, a soldier, & a native of Bretagne. According to the marriage entry the bride was b. in Bollweiler, Alsace." Simon Kuhn appears on "a census of inhabitants & their lands which is not dated. Several reasons invite the belief that this census was taken after 1732". This covered the area beginning 2 mi. above New Orleans, going up to the German villages.

"NY Calendar of Wills" - 11-11-1782: "Aaron Hamanond, bond of administrator of estate of, to-wit Hezedish Coon." 2-16-1769: "Philipp Koons, of Livingston Manor, Albany Co. Wife Barbara, sons Nicholas, Philipp, Johan Jurry, Matthys, Adam & Johannis, daus. Catherine, Margriet, heirs of da. Claritje Treever, da. of dec'd. son Firdenand vizt: Elizabeth. Real & personal estate. Executors the w. & sons Johan Jurry & Philipp Koons." Will probated 6-21-1769.

"Nebr. & Midwest Genealogical Record" - Matilda S. White (b. 10-20-1806. Her father John, soldier in Rev.) m. John Kuhn who was living in Schuyler Co., Ill. in 1855. They had: Isaac, Phillip, Eleanor, Nan-

cy, Margaret, Matilda, John, David;; Lancaster Co., Nebr. marriage records: Alonzo E. Coon, age 30, m. Catherine Hines 24, 7-20-1868; Alonzo E. Coon of York Co., age 32, b. Vt., s/o Jared & Charlotte (Cornish), m. 11-25-1869 Nellie Kinney of Lanc. Co., 35, b. Me., d/o John & Nellie (Smith); Douglas Co. marriage licenses: Oliver P. Hurford 36 & Louisa C. Coon 20, 2-4-1867;; On the 1854 Nebr. census, Ft. Calhoun was Nathaniel Coon, b. NY, brickmaker, 1 male age 21 up. He was killed 4-1856 in dispute over a claim;; On the 1869 Nebr. census, Stanton Co. was Robt. Kuehn, 1 m. 30-40;; Tounsand Coon, Copley, Man Co., Ohio, aged 24, teacher, married, d. of consumption 6-28-1848.

"Oregon Donation Land Claims" - James M. Coon, Linn Co. (b. 1813 Jefferson Co., Ky.) SC (settled his claim) 2-1-1850, m. 2-21-1847 Nancy ---, Mercer Co., Ill.; Jacob L. Coon, Linn Co. (b. 1819 Jeff. Co., Ky.) arrived Ore. Fall of 1845, SC 11-27-1850, m. 11-27-1851 Sarah ---, Linn Co. Affidavit: J. M. Coon; Washington L. Coon, Linn Co. (b. 1825 Jeff. Co., Ky.) SC 9-20-1851. Aff: Jacob S. Coon; Thomas L. Coon, Marion Co. (b. 1821 NY) SC 9-15-1853, m. Polly Lavinia Price 1-1-1845, Rock Co., Wisc. He d. on claim 1-10-1854; Aff. by Thos. L. & Samuel Coon on a claim settled 10-1852, Marion Co.

"Early Germans of NJ" - Johanes & Magdalena Kuhn, godparents to a ch. b. 5-30-1767, Hartwick, Sussex Co.; Conrad Kun (Kuehn) m. Catherine Titman (no dates, but her father was b. 1751 & she was 4th ch. They lived Blairstown).

"Abridged Compendium of American Genealogy" (These 7 volumes, pub. in the 1930s, contain various lineages submitted by prominent individuals. At times their data conflicts in generally minor details.) - Chas. Kuhn of Phila. m. Louisa Catherine, d/o Chas. Francis (1807-86) & Abigail Brown (Brooks) Adams. Her ancestors included John Adams, 2nd Pres. of the US, & John Quincy Adams, 6th Pres.; Joseph Hale Rogers (his great grandfather Giles was a nephew of Thos., Mayflower Pilgrim) m. 3rd Susan Coons (1781-1856) & their son Bernard Fowler (1816-45) m. Mary Ann (1814-98), d/o Martin Coons

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- (1788-1857);;Geo.Martin Gillet(his material grand-
 * father, Henry G.Jacobsen of Denmark, was Danish consul at Baltimore)m.11-3-1891 Mary Frances,d/o Chas.H.Koons of Baltimore,Md.;;Samuel Coon of Craryville,Columbia Co.,NY m.Betsy --- & their son Peter S.(b.1771)m.Katherine,d/o Abram Decker. Their son Dr.Henry Perrin(1822-84),mayor of San Francisco,m.Ruth(1823-76),d/o Obed Worth Folger (s/o Capt.Nathan of Nantucket,Mass.).Their dau. Mary Louise(1851-1921)m.1871 Wm.Fletcher McNutt;; Geo.Michael(Kuntz)Koons(d.1759)from Palatinate, Germany to Phila.1727 & settled in Faulkner's Swamp,Montgomery Co.,Pa.,m.1732 Eve Engelhart(d.1772). Their son Frederick(1744-1823)m.Mary Kendall (1750-1825).Their son John(1770-1830)began to
 * write name Koons,m.Elizabeth Boyer(d.1851).Their son Frederick(1796-1871)m.Mary Hawk(1794-1868). Their son Frederick Augustus(1825-1918)m.1859 Catharine(1840-1924)d/o Dr.Gustav Schwarz from Germany;;Geo.Horatio Derby(1823-61),capt.Topographical Engrs.,US Army,m.Mary Angeline Coons;;Daniel DeWitt Warner(1809-88),merchant,realtor of NY,m. Charlotte Gordon Coon(1831-90,d/o John);;Joseph (Countz)Coons(b.ante 1700)came to Va.4-1714 & m. Kathrena --- & had Joseph,b.Va. Joseph's son Henry was b.Va.,began to write name Coons,in Am. Rev. He m.Mary Ann Allen(their dau.Susan m.as his 3rd w.,Joseph Hale Rogers)& their son Martin (1788-1857)m.Mary White.Their dau.Mary Ann(1814-98)m.Bernard Fowler Rogers;;Johann Wilhelm Lockman(b.1756),founder of Windsor Twp.,Berks Co., Pa.,m.Maria Kuhn,d/o Adam Kuhn(or Keehin);;Capt. Geo.Horatio Derby(1823-61)m.Mary Angeline Coons
 * (1827-1906,d/o David from Va.to Lexington,Ky., later to St.Louis,Mo. He served in War 1812 & m. Mary Eleanor,d/o Redding Blunt Herring.He was descended from Jacob Coontz of Culpepper,Va.who came to Am.1712);;Mathias(Kuntz,Koons)Koon from Germany 1709.His son Nicholas(b.1700)m.Agnes Catharine Buck & their son Nicholas(b.1742 Beekman,NY)m. Philetta ---.Their son Jacob(b.1773)m.Sara Sackett & their son Alanson(b.1799)m.Marilla Wells. Their son Martin B.m.Josephine Vander Mark(b.1851);; Samuel(Kuhn)Coons(1684?-post 1724),a Palatine, arrived at NY 1710 with large body of Protestants, mostly Lutherans,& probably settled at Elizaville,

Clermont, Columbia Co., NY on farm still in family, served in militia 1711, m. prob. in Europe Elizabeth ---. Their son Henry (ca. 1708-post 1773) m. ante 1734 Anna Gertrude (Van Valkenburg) Falkenburg. Their son Simon (1737-39/post 1800), Am. Rev., his house hdqrs. for soldiers, also militia 1760, m. 1758 Elizabeth Minkler. Their son Jacob S. (1759-post 1850), Am. Rev. pensioner, m. 1787 Maria Syfert. Their son Jacob (1790-1863) m. 1813 Elizabeth Rifenburg, d/o Henry with Am. Rev. pension record. Their son Lewis (1813-89) m. 1st Jane Allen (1812-51. Her ancestors Stephen Hopkins & Thos. Rogers were Mayflower Pilgrims);; Robert Collins (1772-1854, from Va. to Mo.) m. 1795 Susannah Coons (1774-1854, d/o Jacob);; George Delo (1773-1848 of Clarion Co., Pa.) m. 1798 Eva Catherine Kuhns (1776-1820, d/o Bart.);; Joel Benj. Crandall of NY m. 1851 Eliza Ann Coon (1832-91, d/o Avery. The name was originally Maccoone);; Joseph Hale Rogers (1742-1834) to Ky. 1782, m. 3rd 1814 Susan Coons (1781-1856, d/o Hy. who m. Mary Allen). Their son Bernard Fowler (1816-45) m. Mary Ann Coons (1814-98, d/o Martin who m. Mary White, or Whitesides);; John (Maccoone) Coon from Scot., a founder of Cambridge, Mass. ca. 1651, at Westerly, RI 1669, took oath of allegiance 1669, juryman 1681, m. 2nd 1665 Sarah Wood (d/o Rich. & Sarah). Their son John (1666-1733) of Hopkinton, RI granted 100 acres 1692 & 1709, freeman 1723, m. Ann ---. Their son Wm. wrote name Coon. His son Samuel, pvt. Am. Rev., m. 1765 Esther Saunders (b. 1747, d/o Step.). Their son Charles (1770-1844) m. 1803 Elizabeth (Betsy) Morse (1780-1858, d/o Tim.). Their son Charles (1803-44) of Hastings, NY m. 1828 Ruth Bass. Their son Eliezer Bass (1828-91) of Hastings, m. 1850 Helen E. Billings & had Willis Adalbert (1853-1929);; Abraham Gish (1744-89, prob. of Pa.) m. Susanna Kuhns (d/o Jacob);; Thos. Coon (1700-61) m. Catherine --- & their son Benj. (d. 1807) m. Elizabeth ---. Their dau. Mary (ca. 1756-1840) m. Archibald Coddington (ca. 1757-1822, prob. NJ, Am. Rev.);; Jos. Coon m. Jemima Ross & their dau. Jemima (1744-1822) m. David Crandall (1740-1819, prob. of RI). Their son Elias (1765-1848) of Westford, Vt. m. 1796 Mary (Polly) Coon (1774-1858, d/o Elias who m. Phebe Nye);; Elizabeth (Betsy) Morse (1780-1856) m. 1803 Charles Coon (1770-1844) (Note: Other than the

difference in her death date, & name spelling, remaining info is as given earlier);; Ann Mary Coon (b.1828, d/o Jeremiah) m.1847 Samuel Rogers Mott (1826-living 1907, of NY. His ancestor Zebulon in Am. Rev.);; James Coon (1827-99) of Cornwall-on-the-Hudson & Newburgh, NY m. B. Sarah Tormay (1820-1903 from England).

"Colonial Families of the USA" - Anne Storm, d/o Thomas of NY, in Am. Rev., m. 1st Peter Kuhn (no dates, but her parents were m. 1771 & she was their 5th ch.);; Samuel Lyon Blaine (1809-83) m. 3-11-1840 Anna (b. 3-19-1819 Lexington, Ky., d. 5-8-1899 Youngstown, O.) d/o Geo. & Nancy (Cape) Coons who early settled in Fayette Co., near Lexington.

"Natl. Genealogical Society Quarterly" - NY wills in Historical Documents Collection, Queens College: Hanness Coon 1773, Ferdinand Cune 1760, Jemima Koons 1767; John Coons (26, Wisc.) m. Rose Kernan (21, Wisc.) 1-2-1859 in Yuba Co., Ca.;; Robt. A. Coon m. A. Martin 6-8-1856, Sonoma Co., Ca.; "David Coon, a coffin, 10-14-1831, \$13.00." It was made in Middlesex Co., NJ but record does not show if it was purchased by, or for, him.

"American Ancestry" - Geo. Kuntz of Lancaster, Pa. (b. 11-26-1762, d. there 1-16-1835. Either he or his father in Rev. war) m. a dau. of Casper Hubbert who came to Pa. 1751 from Warburg, Germany. They had (perhaps not in order of birth): John m. a Hendel; Geo.; Wm. m. a Pickel; Sophia m. Henry Gast; Elizabeth m. Henry Flick; Polly m. Geo. Gundaker; Peggy m. Andrew Gump; & Jacob (b. Lanc. 8-30-1793, d. 8-24-1862 Dayton, O.) who had a large distillery business in Lanc. & later a brick yard. He m. 4-5-1818 Maria, d/o Henry Booss, & had: (1) Mary b. 7-9-1819, m. Geo. Ball; (2) Henry b. 12-12-1820; (3) Wm. A. H. b. 1-23-1823 Lanc., d. 6-1885 Brooklyn, NY, of whom more later; (4) Benj. b. 1-26-1825; (5) Manuel b. 5-31-1827; (6) Susan b. 4-4-1829, m. a Spindler; (7) Katrina b. 9-20-1830, m. a Pascoe; (8) Anna Louisa b. 11-29-1832, m. a Fraim; (9) Margaret b. 1-31-1835, m. Ed. Zahn; (10) Amanda b. 8-10-1837; (11) Edward b. 11-3-1839; (12) Maria b. 8-11-1844, m. Henry Underwood. Wm. (#3 above), a blacksmith, afterwards an inventor of

ability, m. 1-1-1847 Rebecca Brown (her gr. grand-father came from Ireland about 1740), d/o John & Catherine. Wm. & Rebecca had (perhaps not in order of birth): Geo. Washington; Walter Brown; Katie Angeline; Henry Clarence; & L. Oscar Kuhns of Middletown, Ct. (b. 2-21-1856 Columbia, Pa.), grad. Wesleyan U. 1885, studied in Berlin, Italy, Geneva. 4-6-1892 he m. Lillie B. Conn, d/o Reuben R. of Mass. (Note: Following locations all in COLUMBIA CO., NY. Cl. is Clermont, Ge. is Germantown) Henry H. Coon of Cl. (1785-1869, s/o Henry b. about 1755, d. about 1825 who m. --- Baringer) m. Jane, d/o Jacob Stall & had: (1) Henry H. of Greenport, m. Betsy Van Etten; (2) Adam of Cl., m. Rebecca Hans; (3) Daniel of Cl., m. Sarah Ann Elsworth; (4) Abraham of Cl., m. Emma Minkler; (5) Allen of Cl., m. Martha Dick; Samuel Coon of W. Hillsdale (d. about 1793 at Nobletown, in Rev. war) m. --- Scutt & had: (1) Henry S. (1769-1850) of Gallatin, m. Ellen Cane & had Samuel Henry of Hillsdale; (2) Peter Samuel (1771-1851) of Taghkanick, m. Catharine Decker & had Levi of Hillsdale, b. 1816. He m. Mary House & had Henry L. of Hillsdale; Wm. Coon of Cl. had Henry of Ge. who m. Maria Minkler & had Henry of Ge. (1805-84). He m. Julia Sheffer & had Philip A., Christopher & Henry of Ge.; Herman Coons of Cl., m. Augusta Sagendorf & had John (1749-1825) of Cl. who m. Elsie Ham. They had Henry T. (1792-1863) of Cl. who m. Elizabeth Peelov (of Bavarian noble descent) & had Edw. & Hiram of Cl., & Erastus of Ge. The name was originally Koen.

"History of Luzerne Co., Pa." (contd.) James Churchill Coon was b. 1842, Saratoga, NY & both parents had d. by the time he was 8. In 1852 he was learning the printer's trade in Mich. & over the yrs. founded several newspapers. In 1872 he founded the Sunday Free Press of Scranton but left in 1877. In 1878 he founded the Newsdealer which he sold 1887. Wm. Coon (originally Kuhn, d. 1872 aged 62) m. Sarah Boyer, both natives of Pa. & of German origin. Their fathers, Geo. Coon & David Boyer, were Rev. soldiers, the latter a drummer boy under Washington at the age of 15. Wm. & Sarah had Geo. & Wm., our subject. Wm. was b. 4-26-1835 in Freeburgh, Union (now Snyder) Co., Pa. Among other occupations, he worked on a farm, at the tinner's trade, on the

canal, etc. 9-1861 he enlisted at Washington in co. L, 23rd Pa. Vol. & 3-1862 was transferred to D, 61st. He re-enlisted 1864. He went with Grant to Petersburg where he was wounded in the left knee, but as soon as he was able was with the regiment with crutch & cane. He was mustered out 6-1865. He m. Maria, d/o Harry, Smith 10-1-1865 & had Stella A. (Mrs. M. D. Moot). Wm. Koons of German origin, was b. 1800, d. 12-14-1885, s/o Daniel & Susanna nee Brown. He served 1 term as commissioner of Luzerne Co. & 1 term as sheriff. He was an iron founder & had furnaces at Shickshinny & Hunlock Creek. He m. Sarah, d/o Daniel Fuller of Scotch origin, & had: (1) Rachel m. John Smith; (2) Bernard D.; (3) Wm. B.; (4) Isaac M.; (5) DeWitt Clinton, lumberman, b. Huntington Twp. 3-21-1835. In 1859 he m. Henrietta S., d/o Daniel & Charlotte (Tubbs) Culver & had: (A) John S.; (B) Cordelia H. m. Thomas R. Search; (C) Susan Maud m. Henry G. Long; (6) James S., owner & operator of a large flouring-mill & planing-mill, was b. 4-1-1837. He m. 1-1-1859 Jerusha C., d/o Wm. P. Robinson & had: (A) Bertha m. Wm. Eveland; (B) Lizzie m. C. P. Horned; (C) Ernest B. m. Nette Kingsbury; (D) Sue L.; (E) Ruth R.; (7) Tarble M.; (8) John M.; (9) Geo. W. John Koons (d. 2-8-1878, aged 83) of German origin, came to Luzerne from Monroe Co. 1819. He was a merchant, surveyor & at one time assoc. judge. He m. Anna Fellows, of English origin, & had 7 ch. A son, F. A. B., was b. 4-7-1831 at New Columbus. In 1867 F. A. B. & 2 bros. built the Huntington Valley Paper Mills. 6-30-1855 he m. Helen R., d/o Theopolis & Elizabeth Larned, of English origin. 11-8-1861 he enlisted in co. C, 56th Pa. Vol., participating in 2nd battle of Bull Run, etc. He was taken prisoner 8-28-1862 & held in Libby Prison 6 wks. He was discharged 1-1863 as a capt. He is a grandson of Daniel, a native of Northampton Co., a tanner by trade, who came to Luzerne in 1819. John Koons (d. 1856) m. Maria Snyder (d. 1880), both natives of Northampton Co. Their son, Henry C., was b. 12-17-1843 in Carbon Co. & came to Freeland, Luzerne Co. 1875. He had the first general store in Freeland. 1871 he m. Rhoda Giffon & had Anna, Laura, Freddie & Thalia W. Henry C. is a stockholder in Freeland Water Co. & vice-pres. of Citizens' Bank of Freeland. John Koons, a native of France, settled in Schuylkill Co. in the early

part of the 19th century. His son John m. Elizabeth Smith & their son John S. was b. 4-1-1851 in Schuylkill Co. & when 18 began work there in the mines. He came to Shickshinny 1887. In 1870 he m. Solmy, d/o Jacob Houtz, & had 13 children.

"Biographical History of York Co., Pa." - Jacob L. Kuehn (b. in York 3-28-1836) was the s/o John L. (b. 1801 in Germany) & Catherine nee Laumaster (b. 1808 in Germany). "In 1816 the Kuehn family came to America & settled in York Co., Pa. His maternal grandfather, however, was a soldier in the Revolutionary war." Jacob L. began carpentering when 15 & continued that for some years. 1856 he was appointed supt. of the York Gas Co. & 1882 was appointed supt. of the York Water Co. 1857 he m. Anna C., d/o Francis S. Vogel & had A. Lizzie & Hattie A. 10-8-1856 Fannie Kuhns, d/o Jacob of W. Hempfield Twp., m. Samuel M. Myers who enlisted in company A, 203rd Pa. Volunteers 1864.

"History of Frederick Co., Md." (contd.) - Henry Koons came to the US from the Netherlands 1730 & after a short stay in NJ went to Frederick Co. He became acquainted with Major John Ross Key, father of Francis Scott Key who, desiring the services of Henry Koons, an expert blacksmith, made it easy for him to secure a tract of land near Bruceville. Henry had 5 sons (only 4 are given): (I) John was the grandfather of Rev. Wm. A. Koontz, of the Baltimore Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church. John settled near Sugar Loaf Mountain, & when he put his name into English used "Koontz", while the other branches used "Koons"; (II) Abraham lived near Keysville; (III) Henry lived near Bruceville; (IV) George (d. 1817), also an expert blacksmith, served in that capacity during the Rev. 1780 he secured title to the farm near Middleburg, Frederick Co. (now Carroll Co.). He m. Susannah Shroyer (1760-1848) & had: (1) Jacob b. 1781; (2) Henry b. 1783; (3) Margaret b. 1786 m. a Hyder; (4) Mary b. 1789 m. an Ogborn; (5) Catherine b. 1792 m. a Stimmell; (6) Peter b. 1795, of whom more later; (7) George b. 1797; (8) Joseph b. 1800; (9) Susie b. 1804 m. a Dern. Peter, #6 above, (d. 1876)

m. Mary Ann (1803-66), d/o John Jacob Ott, & had:
 (A) John Alfred, 1826-90, of whom more later; (B) Mary Ann, d. when 5; (C) Savilla, 1828-61; (D) George W., 1831-93; (E) Daniel L., 1835-68; (F) Thomas, 1838-88; (G) Alice Louisa b. 1841 m. Jacob H. Cost; (H) James Hamilton b. 1843. John Alfred, A above, (3-13-1826/12-28-1890), member of the House of Representatives, m. 5-15-1856 Georgianna Celistia (3-13-1835/12-6-1888), d/o John W. Miller (his sister, Catharine, m. Isaac Koons). John A. & Georgianna C. had: Jennie (1857-82); Clara (1858-92); Peter Donaldson (5-16-1860); Edward John (1862-1900); William Geo. (b. 11-3-1863); Robt. Livingstone (b. 8-24-1865); James Alfred (b. 9-15-1867); Joseph Maryland (b. 6-1-1869); Harry Eichelberger (b. 12-3-1872); Oscar Sherman (b. 4-20-1875); Mary (Note: although this date is not in numerical sequence with the others, it is given as 1871, she d. at birth); Jacob Claude (1881-2).

"History of SE Mo." - "In 1843 Daniel Sanford & M.E. Koons were indicted for the murder of Samuel Chapman. The former was tried first & acquitted, & the indictment against the latter was then quashed. Sanford, Koons & Chapman were physicians practicing at Bloomfield, & considerable jealousy & enmity existed among them... To avoid imprisonment, Koons & Sanford escaped to Texas, but returned at the next term of court..." "In 10-1874, George Koons was taken from the jail (in Dunklin Co.), & hung for the murder of Bart. Reynolds. Koons was a worthless character, & had killed Reynolds while the latter was laying in a drunken stupor in front of Shelton's store in Kennett."

"Biographical Directory of the American Congress" Joseph Henry Kuhns, Representative from Pa., b. 9-1800 near Greensburg, Pa. He graduated 1820 from Washington (later Washington & Jefferson) College & was admitted to the bar 1823. Elected as a Whig to 32nd Congress (3-4-1851/3-3-1853) & was unsuccessful for reelection to 33rd Congress. 11-16-1883 he died in Greensburg.

"Index to 1850 Census of Calif." - BUTTE CO:

James Coons age 30, b. Ky.; CALAVERAS CO: Albert Coons 21, NY; N. R. Coons, male, 24, Me.; EL DORADO CO: Benj. R. Coon 23, NY; Conrad Coon 25, Germany; Elisha J. Coon 44, NY; Geo. Coon 44, Mi.; Michael Coon 50, Pa.; Thos. Coon 29, NY; Albert Coons 30, Va.; David Coons 39, Oh.; Harley Cunes 31, Ky.; MARIPOSA CO: P. W. Coon, male, 28, Va.; SACRAMENTO CO: Eliza M. Coon 17, Ill.; Elizabeth Coon 7 mo., Ca.; Harris Coone 27, Poland; Jno. Coone 25, Pa.; Geo. W. Coons 32, Ky.; John Khune 28, Germ.; Francis K. Koon 28, Pa.; TRINITY CO: Amos Coone 43, Me.; TUOLUMNE CO: Myron Coon 25, NY; A. Coons, male, 19, Mo.; YUBA CO: Jas. S. Coon 21, Va.; G. W. Coone, male, 25, Mo.; Wm. Coons 35, Va.

All the information I have on the family is contained in this booklet. However, in the issues shown below of "The Genealogical Helper" I found the following which may be of help:

Sept. 1980: Mrs. Clyde V. Oliver, 1615 S. Spruce, Wichita, KS 67211 seeking descendants Paul & Therza (Coll) Coon b. in Essex Co., NY. Lived Dane Co., WI 1850 & 60 Census. Will exchange.

Jan. 1981: Karen Mauer, 808 Chestnut St., Pekin, IL wants info on Koons (Coon, Kuhn) family, TN.

May 1981: Mrs. Ruth M. Brown, 7 Pheasant Ave., Sudbury, MA 01776 wishes to correspond with descendants of Thos. Manning Sedwick (Sedgwick) who m. Barbara Ann Coons in Pa. 1789-98.

Robt. Shearer, 1280 Spring Dr., Brookfield, WI 53005 seeks father of Jacob Kuhn b. 1778 in Pa., to TN 1800 with widowed mother Mary Katherine Hendrix? He m. 1806 Elizabeth Hendrix, Carter Co., TN.

Betty Richmond, 118 Highway 101 West, Port Angeles, WA 98362 would like to correspond with anyone researching Kuhn.

Doug Corbin, 2224 W. Phelps, Springfield, MO 65802 seeking info on Henry & Jenny Coons who lived in IN after 1825.

Please include SASE with any correspondence to the above.

(Note: To indicate the end of one piece of material and beginning of another, either several spaces were left between the items or two semi-colons (;;) were used.)

The pictured crests were taken from Rietstap's "Illustrations to the Armorial General". Beneath each (with one exception) is the geographical area in which it was issued to the family. These are in French and are translated as follows:

Aut. - Austria

Bale - Basel, a Swiss canton

Bav. Tirol, Hongrie - Bav. is Bavaria, a German state; Tirol (or Tyrol) is a province of Austria;

Hongrie is Hungary

Berne - a canton in Switzerland

Holl. - Holland

Kempton - a city in S. Germany

Liege - a province of Belgium

Nuremberg - a German city

Overssel - Overysse, a province in NE Netherlands

Prusse - Prussia, a former state in N. Germany

St. Gall - a canton in Switzerland

Silesie - Silesia, once part of Prussia but now part of Poland

Suisse - Switzerland

Wetsburg - as far as I can determine, this is Wettersteingebirge, a group of the Bavarian

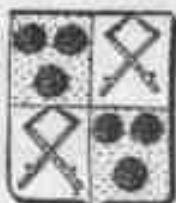
Alps, on the border of Bavaria and Tirol

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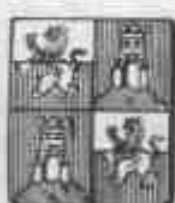
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