

*Ricket Family*

GENEALOGY PAGE

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**Jacob Ricket** Born January 1, 1796 German Flatts, Herkimer, NY  
 Died August 5, 1864 DePeyster, St. Lawrence, NY (68 yrs)  
 Buried East Road Cemetery, DePeyster, NY

**Married** Catherine Staring  
 Born April 15, 1797 German Flatts, Herkimer, NY  
 Died June 27, 1840 DePeyster, St Lawrence, NY ( 43 yrs)  
 Buried East Road Cemetery, DePeyster, NY

**Records:** Church records - missing (Baptism)  
 Marriage record - missing 1816-1818 prob. German Flatts, NY  
 Census 1820-1830 LeRay, Jefferson County, NY  
 1840-1860 DePeyster, St Lawrence, NY

**CHILDREN ( 5)**

1. **Margaret Ricket** Born: Oct 29 1818 German Flatts, NY (Bp. German Flatts, NY)  
 Died: Apr 4 1880 Oswegatchie, NY  
 Married: Adam Petrie (About 1838)
2. **Eliza Ricket** Born: January 8, 1821 (Bp German Flatts, NY)  
 Died: (Buried: Morristown, St Lawrence, NY)  
 Married: Sylvester Wright (About 1837)
3. **Alexander Ricket** Born: January 1, 1823 Pamela, Jefferson, NY  
 Died: May 27 1893 Sterlingville, NY (Buried: Philadelphia, NY) Age 70
4. **Moses L Ricket** Born: August 13, 1825 LeRay, NY  
 Died: March 29, 1900 DePeyster, NY (Buried: Purmort Cemetery)  
 Married: Eunice Washburn January 14, 1851 DePeyster, NY
5. **Jerome Ricket** Born: 1834 LeRay, Jefferson, NY  
 Died: May 1890 Grand Forks, North Dakota  
 Married: Adelia House March 24 1858 DePeyster, NY

The Ricket/Rickett/Rickert (var. spellings) and the Staring/Starin/Stahring lines go back to the 1709 Palatine Families. With much help from materials of Hank Jones, Church records, Histories, and local historical family collections, the earlier families have been fairly well established. In the business of genealogical research and evidence - one has to determine as close as can - some of the early information. After all is said, the above children are probably in someone's family tree - and I would like to know if they have something to share with me.

I am willing to share my information and would like to get more to add to what I all ready have collected. Especially # 1, 2, 4, 5. Anyone wanting to contact me: Alexander \* Ricket is my line and I do have excellent information regarding him. You may contact me:  
 Eila Clark Schiffer, 9666 Elpis Road, Camden, NY 13316  
 e-mail [cnygene@dreamscape.com](mailto:cnygene@dreamscape.com)

If you would like to submit a Genealogy page for Newsletters - please type them - a half page would be fine, also. Any German family you have has probably married into other nationalities and this is fine for your connection and quest for information. Generally we have attempted to have a background of German but know that many other families do come into the "family tree". You may just send your SURNAMES and your e-mail or regular address.



## FOLLOWING ANNOUNCEMENTS

COOPERATION ONLY

THE FOLLOWING BOOKS WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR SALE AT THE MAY 4<sup>TH</sup> MEETING.  
 JANE BELLINGER WILL BE THERE WITH THE FOLLOWING BOOKS  
 IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN ANY OF THESE GENEALOGIES, THIS IS YOUR CHANCE TO PURCHASE  
 THEM AT THE MEETING or you can purchase them from address below.

## GENEALOGIES OF THE MOHAWK VALLEY

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| 1. BELLINGERS AND ALLIED FAMILIES BY LYLE FREDERICK BELLINGER              | \$25.00     |
| 2. CASLERS AND ALLIED FAMILIES BY LAURA DWYER-D.CASLER, F.CASLER. R.CASLER | \$50.00     |
| 3. KASTS AND ALLIED FAMILIES BY M.CONRAD AND I. HOUSE (Hard & soft cover)  | \$25- 30.00 |
| 4. PETRIE AND ALLIED FAMILIES BY HAZEL PATRICK                             | \$25.00     |
| 5. RASBACHS AND ALLIED FAMILIES BY HAZEL PATRICK (hard & soft cover)       | \$30-35.00  |

THEY CAN BE PURCHASED FROM THE HERKIMER COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY  
 400 NORTH MAIN ST., HERKIMER, NY 13350. TELEPHONE: (315) 866-6413  
 e-mail: [herkimerhistory@yahoo.com](mailto:herkimerhistory@yahoo.com) Web Site: [www.rootsweb.com/~nyhchs](http://www.rootsweb.com/~nyhchs)

## LITTLE FALLS - ST JOHNSVILLE

## IMPORTANT NOTICE ROUTE 5 (POSSIBLE BRIDGE DETOUR)

MARCH- APRIL 2002

The bridge between these two cities is under repair. It may be finished prior to May 4<sup>th</sup>. If not you will need to detour at said points.

NY THUWAY EXIT 29A (LITTLE FALLS) and to Route 5 - turn East for Beardslee Castle.

Route 5 from Little Falls is open to Beardslee Castle.

If you are coming from Albany - you will need to take Route 5S or NYThruway , to get to Route 5 and Beardslee Castle.

## RUTH DIEFENDORF of Seahurst, Washington

NY Chapter extends its heartfelt sympathy to Randall Diefendorf, in loss of his wife, Ruth . They have been very dedicated members. She passed away March 23<sup>rd</sup>. They traveled from Seattle, Washington many times to attend our meetings. Randall has the early FOX PALATINES and assisted Don Fox in the Fox Genealogy.

## CITY OF LITTLE FALLS, NEW YORK

The historic Erie Canal and Mohawk River were very important for this area. The 1825 Erie Canal, known as Clinton's Ditch, was important in changing the history, as the early settlers engaged in river trade and commerce. In the early days everything using the canal had to be carried around the falls, which went through a narrow gorge with a drop of 40 feet. A lock was later constructed and called Lock 17. Until fairly recently, this lock was the highest lock in the world. Village of Little Falls was incorporated 1811. It was known as Rockton - Rock City.

For research purposes, the Little Falls Historical Society Museum features memorabilia, documents, maps, and other reference materials. Its display of World War 1 and Viet Nam military uniforms, is unique.

The Society Building was built in 1833 and originally a Bank building. It is on the National Register of Historical Sites.

THE LITTLE FALLS HISTORICAL SOCIETY MUSEUM  
 319 S ANN STREET, LITTLE FALLS, NY  
 TELEPHONE: (315)  
 823-0643 823-2873 823- 3381



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