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(D) Dufford (S) Swackhamer (B) Dufford and Swackhamer (F) Friend These symbols will not be used where the connection is obvious or if there is uncertainty of connection. - Ed.

ANNUAL REUNION

DATE Saturday, July 25, 1970 - 12 noon

PLACE Zion Lutheran Church, Long Valley, N.J.

PURPOSE To enjoy a happy carefree-day of togetherness

TIMELY TIP Eating is part of the fun so pack a good picnic lunch

MESSAGE FROM OUR PRESIDENT

MOTHER NATURE ONCE AGAIN HAS CLOAKED OUR PART OF THE WORLD WITH NEW LIFE AND HER SPRING FINERY, BUT THE EARTH'S INHABITANTS, INFANTS IN RELATION TO TIME, STILL CONTINUES TO BE LABORING WITH GROWING UP PROBLEMS DAY BY DAY.

MOTHER NATURE WILL STILL PRESENT US WITH JULY, DESPITE WHAT MAN INTENDS.

SEE YOU THEN.

STANLEY C. DUFFORD, PRESIDENT

LIKE BARGAINS?

If you think a biannual subscription to the "Swackhamer-Dufford Bulletin" is worth a dollar, please send yours to:

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WELCOME TO NEW MEMBERS

Mrs. Robert Griffith (D) 127 Bartley Road, Long Valley, N.J. 07853 (Mrs. Griffith is the former Eleanor Hopler)

Mr. & Mrs. Thomas Swackhamer, 2350 Route 10 (Apt. B-38), Morris Plains, N.J. 07950 (Thomas is the son of the Elmer Swackhamers of Morris Plains)

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

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Mr. & Mrs. Chas. B. Green (D) c/o Sigmond Anderson, 621 Valley Road, Watchung, N.J.
07060

BULLETINS RETURNED

Mr. Stanley Dufford, 4004 Ave. F, Austin Texas - forwarded to 4309 South First St., Austin, Texas and returned

Miss Carroll G. Swackhamer, 662 Findley Street, Seattle, Wash.

Mrs. John S. Dufford, P.O. Box 75, Flanders, N.J.

A number of readers expressed interest in family Loyalists who served in The New Jersey Volunteers 1777-1783 (Summer and Winter 1968 Bulletins). Many of the questions directed to your editor are answered in an article written by Paul H. Smith entitled, "New Jersey Loyalists and the British 'Provincial' Corps in the War of Independence" pgs. 69-78 of "New Jersey History" Summer 1969, a quarterly, published by The New Jersey Historical Society, 230 Broadway, Newark, N.J. 07104 (Single issued \$2.50).

DUSTING UNCOVERS KNOWLEDGE

Spring housecleaning brought attention to a copy of The New American Encyclopedia published by Books, Inc., New York - Revised edition of May 1944. Not really looking for a chance to put off the chore but welcoming the excuse, your editor turned to the word GENEALOGY. It was described: "record of authentic or supposed ancestory. Old Testament writings prove ancients valued 'family trees'. Greeks and Romans enjoyed tracing heredity to gods, heroes. In the Middle Ages it was 'fashionable' to claim Trojan ancestry. Whole genealogies were 'created' in feudal time when property-in heritance depended upon them.

VOCABULARY QUIZ

Do you know what a POKAL is? On a recent tour of "The New Jersey Historical Society, your editor added a "new" word to her vocabulary. The word is German and means a glass covered goblet. In days past these were used for collecting rose petals.

A CREST OF YOUR OWN

A newspaper clipping was sent your editor by Mrs. Harold W. Adams (F) of North Lauderdale, Fla. The article reveals that Design Associates, Inc. of Minneapolis, Minn. is specially designing coat-of-arms for individual customers. The design is created on the basis of a questionnaire one fills out, including information on occupation, educational background, marital status and number of children and pets.

These crest are for "today" people and a conversation piece.

PASTORATE VACATED

The Rev. Charles L. Ziegler, Jr., pastor of Zion Lutheran Church at Long Valley, New Jersey for the past six years, left September 1st to become pastor of Our Savior Lutheran Church, Pompton Plains, New Jersey.

During his pastorate at Long Valley, the 220 year old church constructed a 42' x 88' educational wing with seven classrooms.

WINS PROFESSION'S HIGHEST HONOR

James A. Swackhamer, of Whitehouse Station, N.J., a founding member of the architectual firm of Scrimenti, Swackhamer & Perantoni, has been elected to the College of Fellows of the American Institute of Architects. After a special ceremony at the AIA Annual Conference this June in Boston, he will be listed professionally with the initials FAIA after his name. Of the national society's 23,300 members, 957 have been elevated to Fellowship.

A native of Middletown, N.J., James received his baccalaureate and master's degrees in architecture at Virginia Polytechnic Institute.

Mr. and Mrs. Swackhamer are the parents of three children: Michael, a student at Grinnell College in Iowa; Meredith at Central College in Iowa, who has been doing field study in Mexico, and Deborah, a student at Hunterdon Central High School.

James is the son of Mrs. Ruth Swackhamer of Stanton, N.J. and the late Egbert W. Swackhamer, Sr. The lineage going back is: John Franklyn Swackhamer, son of John Swackhamer, son of Cornelius TenEyck Swackhamer, son of Conrad Swackhamer, Jr., son of Conrad Swackhamer, Sr., son of Samuel.

PROUD WEARER OF THE LANGUEDOC CROSS

On April 4, 1970, Mrs. Robert Oberg Hart (Annette Dufford Wert) was elected into membership of "The Huguenot Society of New Jersey, Inc.". Annette is 8th in descent from Philip DuFord, the Huguenot. Annette was sponsored by Mrs. C. Robert Brown (D) and Miss Eleanor Romaine (S). Dr. C. Sharp Trimmer, Chaplain of the Society, enjoyed introducing his "cousin" and her husband to the members grathered that day at The Nassau Inn in Princeton, N.J.

The Languedoc Cross, mentioned in the caption of this article, is the insignia of The Hugenot Societies.

EARN DOCTORATES

George H. Williams (S) expected to complete his dissertation for his Ph.D. in Computer Science at Yale Graduate School of Engineering in June. George H. is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Ralph Williams of Utica, New York.

Mrs. Evan Mawdsley III (S) has been living in London where her husband was working for his Ph.D. at the University of London. Evan expected to finish his work in June. The couple planned to return to the United States shortly thereafter. Mrs. Mawdsley is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Ralph Williams of Utica, New York.

A SALUTE TO THOSE WHO SERVE

Major and Mrs. Richard Wilson now reside at 916A Locust Street, Fort Devens, Mass. Mrs. Wilson is the former Bonnie Hargreaves (D). The Wilsons have three daughters and report all are fine and growing rapidly.

BUSINESS ITINERARY

This spring, Mr. William G. Wert (D) of Scotia, New York made a business trip which included Australia and Japan. Mr. Wert is a Marine Salesman for the General Electric Company. His father is our Vice President.

TWENTY-ONE ON THE TWENTY FIRST

This can only happen once in a lifetime. Donald Harriman, son of the Cyrus D. Harrimans, of Westport, Conn. celebrated his twenty-first birthday on May 21st.

OURS BY ADOPTION

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony P. Keefer of North Olmstead, Ohio announce the adoption of a two month old baby boy named Patrick Anthony. He joins four year old Bridget. Mrs. Keefer is the former Gail Logan (B).

TRAVELERS

. Mr. Wesley Moren of Scotch Plains, N.J. left on April 25th for a cruise of the Caribbean.

Evan Harriman and four friends spent their spring vacation on a camping trip. Taking turns driving the five young men traveled day and night and from April 17 to April 25 visited such places as the Salt Flats (outside Salt Lake City), Grand Canyon, Berkeley, San Francisco, and Los Angeles. Evan is the son of the Cyrus Harrimans of Westport, Conn.

Eliza Harriman enjoyed the month of March in St. Petersburg, Fla. Her sister, Marjorie Logan, stayed at a hotel close by. This afforded frequent visiting for the two who live a distance apart during the year. Eliza said that she encountered no travel problem and enjoyed her first night flight, particularly the view of the lights along the shore as they passed over New Jersey.

NOSTALGIA

Mr. George Swackhamer of Haddon Heights, N.J. wrote that he remembered visiting "Aunt Bessie's" home in Whitehouse and enjoyed reading the article about her in the Winter 1969 issue of the Bulletin.

Dr. C. Sharp Trimmer of Montclair, N.J. and Dr. Roy Dufford Ribble of LaJolla, Calif. have been exchanging letters recalling events in the "neolithic period of their lives". Your editor feels this came about from articles carried in the Bulletin.

PENNSYLVANIA REUNION

The descendants of Daniel and Rebecca Schoonover Swackhamer will hold their annual reunion at The Standing Stone, Penn. United Methodist Church on Sunday, August 9th at 1 P.M. It is a covered dish affair. YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED TO ATTEND.

Since connection with the New Jersey Association was made, these Swackhamers have been most generous in their financial support for which, a BIG THANK YOU is sent.

GOLDEN WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. Francis L. May of 66 Franklin Avenue, Tunkhannock, Penna. 18657 will celebrate a half century of togetherness on August 18, 1970. Mrs. May is a descendant of Daniel and Rebecca Schoonover Swackhamer. Congratulations to you both from all of us.

WELCOME NEWCOMERS

Tammy Ann Hargreaves was born November 22, 1969 to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hargreaves (D). Jack is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Hargreaves of 24 Elmwood Terrace, West Caldwell, N.J.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Williams of New Haven, Conn. announced the birth of Christopher Ralph on January 17, 1970 at Yale=New Haven Medical Center. Christopher is the great-great-grandson of Sarah Swackhamer Williams.

OCTOBER WEDDING PLANNED

Mr. and Mrs. David Swackhamer of Annandale, N.J. announced the engagement of their daughter, Karen Louise to Edward Larry Hager, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hager of Phillipsburg, N.J. An October 11th wedding is planned.

Miss Swackhamer is a graduate of North Hunterdon Regional High School and the Garden State Academy of Beauty Culture, Bound Brook, N.J. She is employed by Anthony's Beauty Salon, Bridgewater.

Her fiance is a graduate of Phillipsburg High School and is self-employed.

IN MEMORIAN

CRYSTELL We were saddened to learn of the deaths of both Mr. and Mrs. James T. Crystell of Long Valley, N.J.

Mrs. Sarah Dufford Crystell died on December 23, 1969 at the age of 79.

Mr. James T. Crystell died February 9, 1970 at the age of 78.

They leave a son, James and a daughter, Miss Eleanor, both at home.

Mr. Crystell was born May 1, 1891, in Belleville. He was the son of the late George and Agnes Cumming Crystell. In 1912, Mr. Crystell moved from his native Belleville to the Califon area and was engaged in farming. He was also a station agent for the New Jersey Central Railroad, Middle Valley.

Mrs. Crystell is survived by a brother, Andrew Dufford of Long Valley, and three sisters, Mrs. Myron Gano of Pattenburg, Mrs. George Nobman of Roselle and Mrs. Homer Lyman of Point Pleasant.

The couple rest in Middle Valley Cemetery, Beacon Hill Road.

WALTER WALKER (D) died on December 17, 1969 at the age of 59 at Perth Amboy, N.J. Hospital. He was the brother of Mrs. Harold Gunther of Sparta, N.J.

MARGARET VAN KUREN PROOF (S) of Wyalusing, Penna. passed away in March, 1970. She leaves husband, J. Rolland Proof, a son, James and a daughter, Marilou.

MRS. R. S. DAVIS (D) of Chicago, Ill. died recently. She was the sister of Mrs. E. J. Blank of St. Petersburg, Fla.

GEORGE FREDERICK CASKEY, 62 of 150 Norwood Avenue, North Plainfield, N.J. died February 5, 1970.

He had been a chemist with Reliance Universal, Inc. in Somerset for twenty ye Born in South Plainfield, he was graduated from Brooklyn Polytechnical Institute. He was a member of the First Presbyterian Church.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Helen Emmons Caskey (S) and his son, George T. at home. Interment was in Hillside Cemetery.

He is mourned by "Aunt Bessie" Swackhamer Emmons, as well, for she has made her home with the Caskeys for a number of years.

MRS. MILDRED KICE WILSON (F) of 220 Littleton Road, Parsippany, N.J., wife of Stephen D. Wilson, died December 31, 1969.

Mrs. Wilson was born in Middle Valley and had lived in Boonton for 15 years before moving to Parsippany five years ago. She retired in 1949 after 30 years as a school teacher in New York. She was a member of Hope Chapter 78 O.E.S. Boonton, the Daughters of the American Revolution and The Huguenot Society of New Jersey, Inc.

Mrs. Wilson was neither a Swackhamer nor a Dufford. Her mother's sister married William Swackhamer and there were Trimmers who married Duffords. Mildred looked forward to the Swackhamer-Dufford reunion each year and enjoyed seeing her many friends.

MR. FRANK TINKLEPAUGH (S) of Meshoppen, Penna. Bulletin addressed was returned marked "deceased".

MR. ALBERT ROTTGER, 316 S. Cimarron St., Hennessey, Okla. died September 20, 1969 of cancer. He is survived by his wife, Nellie (S), a son at home and two daughters who live in the area..

MR. RONALD SAMUEL CLARK, 111 Mayfair Circle, Sanford, Fla. died of emphysema after a long illness. He is survived by his widow, Betty; a daughter, Verna May Bolton; four grandchildren and two great grandchildren. Roland's sister, Bessie Clark Watters, is a resident of Morristown, N.J. He was the son of Lewis Clark and Hattie Swackhamer (she died Jan. 22, 1955). His two brothers predeceased him. They were: Dr. Raymond Clark who died in 1947 and Elwood, who died January 3, 1955.

CORRECTION OF AN ERROR IN REPORTING the death of Delia Moren (Winter 1969 Bulletin) Your editor stated that her mother was Hattie V. Swackhamer. For the record, this must be corrected. She was the daughter of Elizabeth Wise, first wife of George Stephan Dufford.

GENEALOGY

WHO WAS ELISABETH (c. 1722-1794), THE WIFE OF CONRAD SCHWACHAMMER?

About August 10, 1794, Elisabeth, the wife of Conrad Schwachhammer (c.1720-1813), died. A note entered in the Church Book of the Zion Lutheran Church, New Germantown, New Jersey, at the time of her funeral, gives the most extensive account known about this woman, who is the ancestress of a great number of those belonging to the Swackhamer Genealogical Society. The funeral notation, given here in full, affords several clues as to the identity of Elisabeth. The record was written in the Church Book by Wilhelm Graaf, minister of the Zion Church from 1775 to 1809. Written in German, however in English script, it was translated into English by Donald A. Sinclair on February 8, 1964:

Aug. 12, 1794. On this date was buried at the Valley Church Elisabeth, wife of Cunrd Schwachhamer, (the line over the "m" designates a double "mm") Sen . she being of the Reformed faith. She died in her 73rd year after she had spent twenty years in a sickly state (condition) and had longed for rest. I (Wilhelm Graaf) preached in the church from Tes. (Thessalonians): 57,2. (Here follows an abbreviated German word, "Eingdg", which is not understood) Sirach: 40, 1&2.

From this valuable entry we learn that Elisabeth was in her 73rd year, which means she was seventy-two years old at the time of her death. This would place her date of birth at about 1722. Likewise, we also learn that she was of the "Reformed faith", that is, a member of the Dutch Reformed Church. Living in close proximity with the German Lutherans of the Hunterdon County area, (where the Swackhamers resided), were many Dutchmen of the Reformed faith. It was, therefore, not too unusual that Conrad, a Lutheran, would have married Elisabeth, of the Reformed faith.

A prominant custom among both those of Dutch and German extraction was the naming of their children. The eldest son was named for his paternal grandfather, while the second boy was invariably named for his maternal grandfather. For the daughters, the reverse was usually the case, the oldest girl being named for her mother mother, while the second daughter was named for her father's mother. The known children of Conrad and Elisabeth Schwachhammer, and the estimated year of birth for each child is as follows:

- 1. Samuel Schwachhammer, born about 1743
- 2. Fritz Schwachhammer, born about 1745
- 3. Henry Schwachhammer, born about 1747
- 4. Catharine Schwachhammer, born about 1749
- 5. Elisabeth Schwachhammer, born about 1751) twins
- 6. Anna Rosina Schwachhammer, born about 1751)
- 7. Conrad Schwachhammer, born November 30, 1753

Of these children, it is certain as for whom three were named: Samuel, for his Grandfather Schwachhammer, the Patriarch of our family; Elisabeth, named for her mother; and Conrad, named for his father. Considering the Dutch-German custom of child naming, the names of Elisabeth's parents would be, according to the names of her children, Fritz and Catharine.

Assuming that Elisabeth was a daughter of parents of Dutch extraction residing in the area in which Conrad was raised, she no doubt would have been baptized in one of the several Dutch Reformed Churches of the locale. In the year 1722, there were three churches of the Reformed denomination in the Somerset-Hunterdon County, New Jersey, area. A check of all those named Elisabeth (Elizabeth) baptized in the 1721-1723 period in these churches with parents possibly named Fritz and Catharine, revealed one likely to be the Swackhamer ancestress:

Church over the North Branch (Readington, Hunterdon County, New Jersey) -

| DATE OF BAPTISM PARENTS | | CHILD | GODPARENTS | |
|-------------------------|----------------------------|-----------|---|--|
| Dec. 16, 1722 | Frans Waldron Cathelina | Elizabeth | Henderick Van Neste, Avice, his wife | |

The date of baptism usually occurred shortly after the baby's birth, and the year of 1722 for Elizabeth Waldron's birth nicely corresponds with Elisabeth, Conrad Swachhammer's wife's approximately date of birth. Likewise, Frans, which is a derivation of Francis, could easily have been misconstrued by the German speaking Lutherans to be Fritz, the name of Elizabeth's second son. Catharine, the name of Elisabeth Schwachhammer's first daughter, corresponds perfectly with the name of Frans Waldron's wife, who was Catharine Van Nest.

Thus was Elisabeth, who married Conrad Schwachhammer, a daughter of Frans and Catharine (Van Nest) Waldron? A search of the will of Frans Waldron "of the County of Summerset in the Eastern Division of the Province of New Jersey", made on June 13, 1764, is of no help, as he names "all my Children Named Nelthe Neiche Samuel Jerome Johanis & William". Yet his child Elisabeth, the eldest, surely must have lived as subsequent daughters would have been named for their deceased

elder sister, also a prominant custom of the day. It is possible that had Elisabeth Schwachhammer been his daughter, Frans would have given her her inheritance at the time of her marriage to Conrad. The possibility exists, too, that Frans Waldron may not have approved of Elisabeth's marriage to Conrad and thus disinherited her.

There is no doubt that some obscure record still remains hidden away which would confirm Elisabeth Waldron as being the wife of Conrad Schwachhammer. However, for the moment, the correspondence of the names of Elisabeth and Conrad's children to Frans and Catharine Waldron, and the close approximation to the birth year of our Elisabeth with Elizabeth Waldron will have to suffice.

GENEALOGY

Miss D. Frances Paine of Bartlesville, Oklahoma sent data she copies from court records in Perry and Muskingum Counties, Ohio. Her research has been extensive. Other issued will reveal more of her findings. These folks have not been connected in line of descent. If anyone can help in establishing the identity, kindly advise your editor.

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RECORDS - NEW LEXINGTON COURT HOUSE, PERRY COUNTY, OHIO

| Father | Mother | Date | Township | City/Town |
|--|---|--|---|---|
| Samue1 | Delilah Kinder | | | Millertown |
| Samuel | Delilah Kender | | | |
| Samue1 | | | | |
| Wesley | Alice Yarger | | | |
| Wesley | Alice M. Yarger | | | |
| James Cecil Swackhammer Isaac Wesley-Ella Wolf | | | 11100 1500 | |
| I.W. | Ella Wolf | 3/8/03 | | |
| I.W. | Ella Wolf | 1/11/05 | 4.700 | |
| David | Elizabeth | 27 X 22 | - III | |
| | Friedlenghaus | 8/9/98 | Monroe | |
| David | Elizabeth | | | |
| | Friedlenghaus | 3/30/03 | Monroe | Corning |
| David | Elizabeth | 73.73.73.73.75.75.75.75.75.75.75.75.75.75.75.75.75. | | 8 |
| | Friedlenghaus | 1/30/07 | Monroe | Corning |
| George | Amanda Bash | 1/16/95 | Harrison | 3 |
| George | Elfie Robbina | . 1991 | Monroe | Corning |
| George | | 41 P.S | Bearfield | |
| | Samuel Samuel Samuel Wesley Wesley Isaac Wes! I.W. I.W. David David David George George | Samuel Delilah Kinder Samuel Delilah Kender Samuel Delilah Kinder Wesley Alice Yarger Wesley Alice M.Yarger Isaac Wesley-Ella Wolf I.W. Ella Wolf I.W. Ella Wolf David Elizabeth Friedlenghaus David Elizabeth Friedlenghaus David Elizabeth Friedlenghaus George Amanda Bash George Elfie Robbina | Samuel Delilah Kinder 12/27/73 Samuel Delilah Kender 4/13/81 Samuel Delilah Kinder 8/25/84 Wesley Alice Yarger 10/24/94 Wesley Alice M.Yarger 2/22/97 Isaac Wesley-Ella Wolf 2/12/01 I.W. Ella Wolf 3/8/03 I.W. Ella Wolf 1/11/05 David Elizabeth Friedlenghaus 8/9/98 David Elizabeth Friedlenghaus 3/30/03 David Elizabeth Friedlenghaus 1/30/07 George Amanda Bash 1/16/95 George Elfie Robbina 2/5/03 | Samuel Delilah Kinder 12/27/73 Monroe Samuel Delilah Kender 4/13/81 Monroe Samuel Delilah Kinder 8/25/84 Monroe Wesley Alice Yarger 10/24/94 Clayton Wesley Alice M.Yarger 2/22/97 Clayton Isaac Wesley-Ella Wolf 2/12/01 Clayton I.W. Ella Wolf 3/8/03 Clayton I.W. Ella Wolf 1/11/05 Clayton David Elizabeth Friedlenghaus 8/9/98 Monroe David Elizabeth Friedlenghaus 3/30/03 Monroe David Elizabeth Friedlenghaus 1/30/07 Monroe George Amanda Bash 1/16/95 Harrison George Elfie Robbina 2/5/03 Monroe |

MARRIAGE RECORDS 1835-1865 COURT HOUSE, ZANESVILLE, MUSKINGUM COUNTY, OHIO Elizabeth Swackhammer to John Bash Nov. 15, 1840 by J. B. Cusac, J.P.

OHIO RECORDS - Continued from Summer 1970 Issue

Miss D. Frances Paine of Bartlesville, Oklahoma sent data she had copied from court house records in Perry and Muskingum Counties, Ohio. If anyone can connect the persons named in these records, kindly advise your editor.

MARRIAGE RECORD #283 PERRY COUNTY, OHIO 1840-1858 Page 66 8-5-14 #521 George Thrush to Rebecca Swackhamer Dec. 29, 1842.

I do certify that I did on the 5th day of Jan. A.D. 1843 solommonize the marriage of George Thrus and Rebecca Swackhammer. Given under my hand and seal this 6th day of Jan. 1843. Signed, R. W. Henderson, J.P.

MARRIAGE RECORD #1 1818-1840 PERRY COUNTY, OHIO William Swackhammer

MARRIAGE RECORD #5 Samuel Swackhammer

May 9, 1868 Marriage license granted to above by W. E. Huston, Probate Judge.

signed Samuel S. X Swackhammer, By James Porter, J.P. mark

(license returned 5-10-68-married by Geo. Thomson, J.P.)
Note - this does not mention the name of wife - Index shows she was Delilah Kinder

ISSAAC W. SWACKHAMMER, age 30, residence, New Lexington, Perry Co., Ohio born Hackling Co., Ohio, Dec. 6, 18-69 teacher

Father - George

Mother - Eliz. Archer - married 1 time

ELLA WOLFE, age 21, New Lexington, born Perry Co. Aug. 1 1878

Father - James

Mother - Clara Garlinger

expected that R ev. Deltrich will solomonize. Sept. 9, 1899 by M. W. Wolfe, Probate Judge

MARRIAGE RECORDS, COURT HOUSE, NEW LEXINGTON, PERRY CO., OHIO Frank Carlce (Carla) married Eliza A. Swackhamer 2 May, 1892 (Delilah Swackhammer bought marriage license)

Laura E. Swackhammer married Michael Rotola 28 April, 1893, J.P.

William Sheperd married Catharine Jane Swackhammer 31 Oct. 1852, J.P.

LINEAGE SUBMITTED

Mrs Robert O. Griffith (Eleanor O. Hopler) of Long Valley, N.J. submitted her lineage in the form of a chart. The conclusion that she descends from Jacob Dufford and Maria Wise is based on her research of the records of the Long Valley Lutheran Church, family knowledge and <u>Early Germans of New Jersey</u> by T. F. Chambers. Dates were omitted on the chart.

-Eleanor O. Hopler (Mrs. Robert Griffith) is the daughter of George A. Hopler and Eva V. Seals. George A. Hopler was the son of Jacob Isaac Hopler and Amanda Kaar. Amanda Kaar was the daughter of William Kaar and Martha Sliker. William Kaar was the son of Joseph Kaar and Elizabeth Dufford. Elizabeth Dufford was the daughter of Jacob Dufford and Maria Wise.

-Following the chart we find that Eva V. Seals was the daughter of George M. Seals and Mehetible Bilby. Mehetible Bilby was the daughter of John Bilby and Delilah Sliker.

This is interesting because Delilah Sliker was the daughter of John Sliker and Mehetible Swayze. John and Mehetible Sliker were parents of: Martha; Delilah (above) Sarah Sliker who married Jacob Swackhamer.