

317. vii Daniel Heffner.

102. Isaac Heffner born 02-Mar-1801, married Mary Hommas, born 16-Sep-1801, died 11-Oct-1880, buried Mertz's Church, Dryville, Pa. Isaac buried Mertz's Church, Dryville, Pa.

Children:

+ 318. i Helena Heffner born 18-Apr-1824.

319. ii Kittie M. Heffner.

+ 320. iii Polly (Maria) Heffner.

103. Jacob Heffner born 28-Dec-1802, married Catherine Yoder.

Children:

321. i Jacob Y. Heffner born 29-Jan-1828, died 1840, buried Mertz's Church, Dryville, Pa.

Jacob's gravemarker is in the Mertz Church cemetery (1993).

104. Henry H. Heffner born 26-Nov-1803, married (1) Maria Sarah Yoder, born 25-Nov-1800, died 05-Nov-1856, buried Mertz's Church, Dryville, Pa., married (2) Emma (Thama) Hilbert, born 10-Jul-1844, died 21-Mar-1926, buried Mertz's Church, Dryville, Pa. Henry died 21-Jun-1883, buried Mertz's Church, Dryville, Pa. Last Will and Testament of Henry Heffner of Richmond Township in the name of God, Amen. I, Henry Heffner of the Township of Richmond, County of Berks and State of Pennsylvania Yeoman being of sound memory and understanding do make and publish my last Will and Testament hereby revoking and making void all former Wills by me at any time heretofore made, and all my worldly estate, and all the property, real estate, or mixed of which I shall die seized and possessed or to which I shall be entitled at the time of my decease. I devise and dispose of the same and bequeath the same in the following manner: Item. I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Emma Heffner all my household furniture and all my personal estate of whatsoever kind and quality the same maybe in County of Berks or elsewhere (except one horse, two years old and my two new farm wagons) to her only proper and behoof forever provided she shall remain single. Should she marry again then the said property shall be sold by my said Executor herein after named and then I give and bequeathe and give unto her the sum of five hundred dollars which sum shall be in lieu of her third or dower at common law. I further direct that my two sons David Heffner and John Heffner shall keep and maintain my said wife during her natural life and provide her with good lodging, grain and all things necessary for her maintenance and support but only if she remains single. I give and bequeath to my son Benjamin the following described real estate viz. all that certain tract or piece of land situated in Richmond Township, Berks County, Penna. abounded by lands of Jane Hottenstein, Reuben Heist, Frank Breidgam, Charles Heffner Esq. and others containing thirty acres more or less, also the mud dam and bank below the core bed on the West side of the private road containing six acres more or less with the appurtenances to have and to hold the said messuage and tract of land above described to him his heirs assigns forever, provided never-the-less that a right is reserved to the water on said premises to have and enjoy the same as even also that the one-half of the money derived from the ore on said premises to go to my Executor hereinafter named and the other to my son Benjamin Heffner. I give and bequeath to my son John Heffner my horse which is now two years old and one of my new farm wagons, also the following described real estate viz. All that certain tract or piece of land with the appurtenances situate in Richmond Township, Berks County, Pa., bounded by the land of Jane Hottenstein and other land of said Henry Heffner to the private road which road shall be the line on

the West side of premises, containing fifty-five acres more or less, also the fields on the North side of my other farm in Richmond Township, Berks County, Pa., bounded by the lands of Daniel Schaeffer, Landa Grim, Nicholas Kieffer, and other land of said Henry Heffner containing thirty acres more or less also my piece of woodland situated in Richmond Township, Berks County, Pa., bounded by the land of Reuben Heffner and Levi Thompson, containing twelve acres more or less with the appurtenances to have and to hold the same messuages and tracts of land above described to him, his heirs and assigns forever, he or they paying out the sum of three thousand dollars without interest in the following payments viz. five hundred yearly and every year to my Executor, proper deeds and possessions to be given him as soon as he attains the age of twenty one years. Item. I give and bequeath to my son David Heffner one of my new farm wagons and also the following described real estate viz. All that certain messuage tenement and tract of land situate in Richmond Township, Berks County, Pa., bounded by lands of Charles Heffner Esq., Leanda Trexler and other land of said Henry Heffner contains eighty acres more or less, also one field bordering the East Penna. Railroad and on the land already devised to John Heffner the fence is to be the line between them and also all my woodland situate Ruscombmanor Township, Berks County, Pa., bounded by the land of Jane Hottenstein, Nathan Kutz and others containing more or less with the appurtenances to have and to hold the said messuages and tracts of land above described to him his heirs and assigns forever, he or they to pay the sum of three thousand dollars without interest in the following payments, viz. Five hundred dollars yearly and every year to my Executor, proper deeds and possessions to be given him as soon as said John Heffner shall have attained the age of twenty-one years. Item. I give and bequeath to my two sons David Heffner and John Heffner, my pasture land, situate in Rockland Township, Berks County, Pa., bounded by the land of Nathan Bieber, Daniel Readinger and others containing twelve acres more or less to have and to hold same with appurtenances unto them and their heirs and assigns forever deed and possession to be given as above stated, I do further order that my real estate situate partly in Richmond and partly in Richmond Township bounded by land of Jane Hottenstein, David, James Schlegel, containing twenty-four acres more or less shall remain in the hands of my Executor until the youngest child has attained the age of 21 years, then it shall be sold by my Executor for the best price that can be gotten for the same, and I hereby authorize and empower my Executor or the survivor of him, to sign seal execute and acknowledge all such Deed or Deeds of conveyance as maybe requisite and necessary for the granting and assuing the above demised premises unto my said sons and also the purchaser of the last named premise in fee simple. Item. I give to my son Daniel the sum of four dollars to be paid to him as soon as convenient can be after my decease. Item. It is my will and I do further order and direct that my Executor hereinafter named shall pay unto my children who have no land namely, Tama Heffner, Salome Heffner, and Kate Heffner (full shares) Henry Heffner, Martin Heffner, Sarah Angstadt, Elizabeth Hoch such sums as are required to make the last named seven of my children even deducting the amounts of the four last named already paid to them, and charged to them in my family book, said payments to be made always as soon as the Executor sees fit. Item. Should any of my children herein named not be satisfied with this my last Will and Testament then I order and direct that such child or children shall have the sum of One Dollar to him or them paid by my Executor and his or their shares above devised to be paid to my other children equally. Lastly, I nominate, constitute and appoint my friend Benjamin Rhoad to be the Executor of this my last Will and Testament. In witness whereof I, Henry Heffner, the testator have to this my will set my hand and seal this twenty-fourth day of March A.D. 1883.

Signed, sealed, published and declared by the above named Henry Heffner

Witnesses: R.H. Angstadt and Benjamin Rhoad.

Children by Maria Sarah Yoder:

322. i Sarah Y. Heffner born 30-Jun-1823, married 03-Nov-1845, Daniel Angstadt, born 23-Mar-1815, died 19-Apr-1895, buried Mertz's Church, Dryville, Pa. Sarah died 03-Jul-1898, buried Mertz's Church, Dryville, Pa. Daniel: This marriage resulted in three sons and two daughters, notes indicate that all died early in life. No other records exist.

+ 323. ii Benjamin Y. Heffner born 20-Aug-1824.

+ 324. iii Martin Y. Heffner born 4-Oct-1825.

325. iv Elizabeth Heffner born 02-Apr-1827, married 4-Jan-1846, in Maxatawny Twp. by Rev. Isaac Roeller, Jared Hoch, born 06-Aug-1825, died 27-Jan-1900, buried Friedens Church, Oley, Pa. Elizabeth died 30-Oct-1886, buried Friedens Church, Oley, Pa. Jared and Elizabeth had no children. Their marriage date is from The Reading Adler.

+ 326. v Henry H. Heffner born 26-Aug-1833.

Children by Emma (Thama) Hilbert:

+ 327. vi Daniel L. Heffner born 15-Feb-1859.

+ 328. vii David H. Heffner born 11-Feb-1861.

329. viii Hannah K. Heffner born 08-Jan-1862, died 02-Aug-1864, buried Mertz's Church, Dryville, Pa.

+ 330. ix Thama Heffner born 27-Oct-1863.

+ 331. x Salome Heffner born 15-Nov-1866.

+ 332. xi John H. Heffner born 17-Oct-1867.

+ 333. xii Katy Heffner born 17-Oct-1867.

107. Carl C. Heffner born 04-Oct-1813, married 11-Mar-1838, Hannah Rothermel, born 24-Feb-1816, died Feb, 1880, buried Mertz's Church, Dryville, Pa. Carl died 04-May-1879, buried Mertz's Church, Dryville, Pa. notes in Dr. Bruce's file note different birthdates for: Carl (Charles) about 1830 child Daniel R., 1852 child Louise, 1853

Children:

+ 334. i Jacob R. Heffner born 12-Dec-1839.

+ 335. ii Charles R. Heffner born 14-May-1843.

+ 336. iii Isaac R. Heffner born 26-Oct-1846.

+ 337. iv Hannah R. Heffner born 25-Mar-1848.

+ 338. v Daniel R. Heffner born 9-Mar-1852.

339. vi William R. Heffner born 25-Nov-1855, died 17-May-1923. William was a Carpenter. Wayne Heffner notes in his book the 'He took so much interest in his work and his mind became unbalanced'.

+ 340. vii Mahlon R. Heffner born 16-Sep-1856.

341. viii Elizabeth R. Heffner born 18-Nov-1859, died Jul, 1866.

+ 342. ix Louisa R. Heffner born 16-Apr-1863.

343. x Clara H. Heffner born 28-Oct-1866, buried 09-Sep-1875.

115. Jacob Heffner born 18-Oct-1808, Pine Grove Twp., Berks County, Pa., married Susanna Fertig. Jacob died 19-Dec-1858, Schuylkill County, buried St. John's Union Ch., Friedensburg, Pa.

Children:

344. i Johannes Heffner born 15-Sep-1830, Schuylkill County, Pa., baptized 10-Nov-1830, St. John's Church, Friedensburg, Pa. Johannes' baptism was sponsored by Johannes and Katharina Hertzog.

345. ii Susanna Heffner born 24-Nov-1831, Schuylkill County, Pa., baptized 5-Aug-1832, St. John's Church, Friedensburg, Pa. Susanna's baptism was sponsored by Georg and wife Susanna Neuschwender Bretzius.

346. iii Heinrich Heffner born 25-Dec-1833, Schuylkill County, Pa., baptized 6-Nov-1836, St. John's Union Ch., Friedensburg, Pa. Heinrich's baptism was sponsored by Jacob Leininger and Barbara Meierly.

347. iv Elisabeth Heffner born 10-Oct-1837, Schuylkill County, Pa., baptized 1855, St. John's Union Ch., Friedensburg, Pa. Elisabeth was baptised by Rev. Meier and was sponsored by Sara Dieter, an unmarried woman. The baptism date is uncertain.

348. v Catharina Anna Heffner born 10-Aug-1839, Schuylkill County, Pa., baptized 20-Feb-1839, St. John's Church, Friedensburg, Pa. Catharina's baptism was sponsored by Elizabeth Meierly.

349. vi Sarah Anna Heffner born 2-Aug-1841, Schuylkill County, Pa., baptized 31-Oct-1841, St. John's Union Ch., Friedensburg, Pa., died 1-May-1856, Schuylkill County, Pa., buried St. John's Union Ch., Friedensburg, Pa. Sarah Anna's baptism was sponsored by her mother.

350. vii Carl Franklin Heffner born 15-Oct-1856, Schuylkill County, Pa., baptized 4-Apr-1857, St. John's Church, Friedensburg, Pa. Carl's baptism was sponsored by his mother.

117. John W. Heffner born 06-May-1813, Friedensburg, Pa., baptized 18-Dec-1813, St. John's Lutheran and Reformed Church, married (1) Mary Catherina Schwartz, born 06-May-1810, (daughter of Wendel Schwartz and Eva Barbara Zerbe) died 26-Aug-1871, Wayne Twp., Schuylkill Co., Pa., married (2) Catherine Anne Fenstermacher Schaeffer, born 02-Dec-1845, died 02-Apr-1924, Wayne Twp., Schuylkill Co., Pa., buried St. John's Luth. Cem. Friedensburg, Pa. John died 22-Dec-1887, Friedensburg, Pa., buried St. John's Lutheran and Reformed Church. St. John's Lutheran and Reformed Cemetery is located in Friedensburg, Pa. An excerpt from "Schuylkill County History 1811-1881) notes that John was the first superintendent of The United Sunday School that was held in school house #5. Following is the obituary of John Heffner as it appeared in The Pottsville Daily Republican on Friday December 23, 1887: "We regret to announce the death of one of the oldest and most respected citizen of Wayne township. We refer to John W. Heffner, Sr., whose pilgrimage on earth ceased yesterday (Thursday) forenoon, after an illness of two years. He was born in Wayne township in May, 1813, and was therefore in his seventy-fifth year when he died. He held numerous offices of honor and trust. About thirty years ago he was elected Director of the Poor of Schuylkill county which office he satisfactorily held for three years. He was a Justice of the Peace of Wayne township for a continuous period of thirty-five years. In politics, he was a Republican. George Heffner, the newly elected Poor Director being his oldest son. "Mr. Heffner was married twice, his first wife having died about 15 years ago. A wife and eleven children survive him to mourn their loss. He was the father of fourteen children and leaves fifty-two grand children and twenty-seven great-grandchildren. One son and one daughter reside respectively in Nebraska and Indiana, who have been notified by telegraph, and are expected to attend the funeral next Tuesday forenoon. Interment at St. John's cemetery, Friedensburg. The hosts of friends and relatives throughout the county are respectfully invited to attend the last sad rites. Peace to his ashes."

Following is John's Last Will and Testament:

I, John W. Heffner of the township of Wayne, county of Schuylkill and state of Penn-sylvania do make and publish this my last Will and Testament hereby revoking and making void all former wills by me at any time heretofore made. First, I direct that a fair appraisement be made of all my real and personal property and moneys and I do hereby vest in my Executor hereinafter mentioned full power and authority to dispose of my real estate in fee simple for a term of one or two years or otherwise in as full and large a manner in every respect as I could myself do if living. Second: I give and bequeath unto my wife Annie, Four thousand dollars which is to be paid to her one year after my death and to live on this farm with the stock and have the income of it and has a right to sell everything she raises, in that year, but then she shall have _____ third in all the real estate. Third, and the remainder of my estate as soon as it can be done and made into money shall be divided among my children share and share alike, George Heffner, Joseph Heffner, John W. Heffner, Jr., Lewis Heffner, William Heffner, Jacob Heffner, Samuel O. Heffner, Franklin R. Heffner, Susanna Heffner now married to William Fasset, Catherine Heffner now married to Henry Bertheiser, Judith Heffner now married to Daniel Krammes and Mary Heffner and Sarah Heffner now married to Henry Reed. Lastly and I appoint my son Samuel O. Heffner Executor of this my last Will and Testament but he shall ___ right to charge more than three _____ to settle the estate. (Clause) In case my widow Annie does not agree to the will new made the three children Samuel O. Heffner, Franklin R. Heffner and Mary Heffner shall have but one hundred dollars each. Given under my hand and seal this 23rd day of September A.D. 1886

signed John W. Heffner (seal)

Emanuel W. Heffner of Wayne Township and Samuel G. DeTurk of Washington Town-ship being the attested Witness of the last will and testament on one sheet. I John W. Heffner the within named testator do hereby make and publish this codicil to be added to my last will and testament bearing date the 23rd day of September A.D. 1886, in manner following, I do hereby revoke and recall the appointment of my son Samuel O. Heffner as Executor of my said last will and testament and do hereby constitute and appoint my wife Anna and my son Samuel O. Heffner Executors of my said last will and testament. In witness whereof I the said John W. Heffner have to this codicil be annexed to my last will and testament setting my hand and seal this twenty-second day of Nov-ember A.D. One thousand eight hundred and eighty six.

John W. Heffner, (seal)

Signed sealed, published and delivered by the said John W. Heffner as and for a codicil to his last will and testament in the presence of us who in his presence and in the presence of each other have at this request subscribed our names as witnesses thereto...

Franklin T. Reed (seal) Wayne Twp., Sch. Co.

Samuel G. DeTurk (seal) Washington Twp., Sch. Co.

Ex. and confirmed Oct. 12th, 1998

State of Pennsylvania County of Schuylkill SS Before me, George W. Johnson, Register for the probate of Wills and granting letters of Administration, in and for Schuylkill County, personally appeared Franklin T. Reed, Samuel G. DeTurk and Emanuel Heffner, subscribing witnesses to the above and foregoing instrument of writing _____ing to be the last will and testament and codicil thereto annexed of John W. Heffner late of the township of Wayne, in said county, deceased, who being by me duly sworn according to law, did depose and say, that they were present, and did see the testator John W. Heffner now deceased, sign, seal and heard him publish, pronounce and declare, the above and foregoing instrument as his last will and testament and codicil, and at the time of the doing thereof, the said John W. Heffner was of sound mind, memory and understanding to the best of their knowledge and belief.

Franklin T. Reed

Samuel G. DeTurk

Emanuel Heffner

Sworn and subscribed before me this 31st day of December, 1887.

Geo. W. Johnson, Register of Wills

Estate of John W. Heffner, deceased State of Pennsylvania Schuylkill County SS

You do swear that as Executor of John W. Heffner, deceased, you will well and truly administer the goods and chattels, rights and credits of the decedent according to law, and diligently and faithfully regard and will and truly comply with the provisions of the law relating to collateral inheritances.

Anna Heffner (seal)

Sworn and subscribed before me this 31st day of Dec., 1887.

Geo. W. Johnson, Register

Samuel O. Heffner, being a minor, letters were withheld from him.

Filed Dec 31st 1887

Mary: Baptism sponsored by Adam and Maria Zerbe.

Children by Mary Catherina Schwartz:

- + 351. i George W. Heffner born 16-Sep-1831.
- + 352. ii Susanna Heffner born 10-Sep-1833.
- + 353. iii Joseph Heffner born 13-Sep-1835.
- + 354. iv John Washington Hefner, Jr. born 31-Aug-1837.
- + 355. v Lewis Heffner born 24-Aug-1839.
- 356. vi Margaret Heffner. Margaret died in infancy.
- + 357. vii Catherina Heffner born 12-Mar-1844.
- + 358. viii Sarah Willemina Heffner born 8-Feb-1846.
- + 359. ix Judith Heffner born 02-Dec-1847.
- + 360. x William Winfield Heffner born 28-Mar-1850.
- 361. xi Jacob Heffner born 18-Sep-1852, Schuylkill County, Pa., baptized 1-May-1853, St. John's Union Ch., Friedensburg, Pa., died 6-Jul-1902. Jacob contracted Scarlet Fever at age 9. It caused some brain damage. He died at the Schuylkill County Alms House, Orwigsburg, Pa. He was baptised by Rev. Meier and was sponsored by Jacob and Elisabeth Schafer.

Children by Catherine Anne Fenstermacher Schaeffer:

- 362. xii Rebecca Schaeffer born ca 1864. John adopted Rebecca when he married Catherine Ann.
- + 363. xiii Samuel Oscar Heffner born 31-Dec-1869.
- 364. xiv Franklin Daniel Heffner born 13-Jul-1874, Wayne Twp., Schuylkill Co., Pa., died 28-Aug-1928, Wayne Twp., Schuylkill Co., Pa., buried St. John's Luth. Cem. Friedensburg, Pa. Franklin contracted Polio and never married.
- + 365. xv Mary Jane Heffner born 10-Jun-1876.

122. Susanne Heffner born Allen Co., Ohio, married Henry May. Susanne died 28-Mar-1851, (approx date?). Susanne died when Henry, Jr. was 6 weeks old.

Children:

- + 366. i Henry May, Jr. born 14-Feb-1851.

123. David Hefner born 22-Jun-1804, Ross Co., Ohio (see remarks), married Frances Fredrick, born 11-Nov-1811, Pennsylvania, died 20-Sep-1897, Allen Co., Ohio. David died 5-Feb-1892, Allen Co., Ohio, buried Bethlehem Cemetery, Jackson Twp., Ohio. David used the spelling 'Hefner'. There is conflicting evidence as to David's birthplace. Elzie Hefner, in his 1942 history notes that David was a child when his family moved from Pennsylvania to Allen County, Ohio. Frances: Frances migrated from Pennsylvania to Allen County, Ohio wagon in 1840. They first located in Auglaize Township then moved to Perry Township. Miles Hefner (reporting to Elzie Hefner) notes that he has a picture of David. daughter of Daniel Fredrick and Chriostiana Strausser.

Children:

- 367. i Susanna Hefner born Pennsylvania, married 7-Apr-1845, in Allen Co., Ohio, John Gillespie. Susan and Amos came to Ohio from Pennsylvania with parents.
- + 368. ii Amos Hefner born __-Nov-1827.
- + 369. iii Albert Hefner born 1839.
- 370. iv Mary Hefner born May-1831(1835), Ohio, married _____ Howard. Mary died 21-Aug-1896, Allen Co., Ohio.
- 371. v Sarah Hefner born 24-May-1837, Ohio, married Levi Brentlinger, born 12-Jul-1845,

Ohio, died 8-Dec-1927, Allen Co., Ohio, buried Bethlehem Cem., Allen Co., Ohio. Sarah died 27-Dec-1909, Allen Co., Ohio, buried Bethlehem Cem., Allen Co., Ohio.

372. vi William Hefner born 1831, Ohio, married 1852, in Allen Co., Ohio, Amanda Shade, born Ohio. William died 1905, Allen Co., Ohio. Elzie has William birth as May 9, 1861

373. vii Isaac Hefner born 20-Nov-1841, Ohio, married 30-Jul-1865, in Allen Co., Ohio, Nancy O. Blair, born 9-Jun-1837, Ohio, died 23-Oct-1906, Allen Co., Ohio, buried Bethlehem Cem., Allen Co., Ohio. Isaac died 12-Sep-1889, Allen Co., Ohio, buried Bethlehem Cem., Allen Co., Ohio. Isaac served in the Civil War, 118th Ohio Vols., Company A. 1862-1865 .

Yesterday, Mr Heffner arose feeling as well as usual. He was bright and jovial as usual and ate a hearty breakfast. He soon after lit his pipe and went out. This was the last time he was seen alive. During breakfast, he and his wife had talked about the Fair and concluded to attend during the day, but when Mrs. Heffner had finished her household work and had prepared herself to go, her husband did not appear. Henry Howard, the hired man upon the farm looked for him but not being able to find him, it was concluded he had gone on to the Fair with some of the men of the neighborhood. Accepting this as the proper theory, Mrs. Heffner went to the Fair accompanied by their adopted daughter. Howard drove the team. When the Fair Ground was reached, Mrs. Heffner saw her brother-in-law Albert, and asked whether he had seen anything of Ike, and told him the circumstances above narrated. It was finally decided that Howard should go back to Lima and search for Isaac, and if he didn't find him, return soon to the Fair Ground. He came to Lima but indulged so freely in his bowls that he forgot his errand and did not return to the Fair Ground until nearly night. He then brought no tidings of Heffner. Taking Mrs. Heffner and the little girl home he secured the help of Mr. Allen Joseph and began a search of the farm and neighborhood for the missing farmer. The search was continued till midnight when someone opened the door of the water closet and there found the remains of Mr. Heffner. He had evidently gone there immediately after breakfast, had an acute attack of heart trouble and fell over dead. Nancy: daughter of Brice Blair and Rebecca Perdue.

374. viii Jane Hefner died 1885. Elzie Hefner (1942) notes tht Jane died early in her life. 1885: keeping house with William Gore in Auglaize Twp., Allen Co., Ohio.

375. ix Rebecca Hefner born Ohio, married 14-Oct-1866, in Allen Co., Ohio, David A. Warline.

124. Anna Heffner born Allen Co., Ohio, married 23-Jul-1837, in Ross Co., Ohio, David Moyer. Anna's name is recorded as Heifner in Ross Co., Ohio records.

Children:

- 376. i Dan Moyer.
- 377. ii Susan Moyer.
- 378. iii Kate Moyer.
- 379. iv Jane Moyer.
- 380. v Gabe Moyer.
- 381. vi Jacob Moyer.
- 382. vii Clara Moyer.

125. Catherine Heffner born 18-Dec-1806, Berks Co., Pa., married 30-Aug-1827, in Ross Co., Ohio, Amos Bousher, born 26-Oct-1803, Berks Co., Pa., died 24-Oct-1878, Colerain Twp., Ross Co., Ohio, buried Bellview, Adelphi, Ross Co., Ohio. Catherine died 21-Sep-1876, Colerain Twp., Ross Co., Ohio, buried Bellview Cem., Adelphi, Ross Co., Ohio. Catherine's marriage is recorded in Ross

County, Ohio as Catherine Hefner to Amos Bousher (note one 'f').

Children:

+ 383. i Madison Bowsher born 28-Dec-1827.

384. ii Francis Bowsher born 15-Dec-1830, Ross Co., Ohio, married 1859, in Ohio, Elizabeth Strauss.

385. iii Thomas E. Bowsher born 7-Nov-1835, Ross Co., Ohio, married Susan Karshner. Thomas died 1863.

386. iv Rufus Bowsher.

387. v Susan Bowsher born 27-Sep-1838, Ross Co., Ohio, married Charles N. Binkley. Susan died ___-Apr-1849, Ross Co., Ohio.

388. vi Jacob L. Bowsher born 7-Dec-1840, Ross Co., Ohio, married 10-Oct-1866, in Ohio, Salena Crites, born 15-Apr-1844, Salt Creek, Pickaway Co., Ohio, died 2-Mar-1913, Colerain Twp., Ross Co., Ohio, buried Green Summit Cem., Ross Co., Ohio. Jacob died ___-Jan-1939. Salena: Daughter of John S. Crites and Esther Reickelderfer.

389. vii Albert Galatin Bowsher born 1-Oct-1844, Ross Co., Ohio, married 24-Nov-1867, in Ohio, Lean Markle. Albert died 24-Nov-1914.

390. viii Mary Jane Bowsher born 21-May-1846, Ross Co., Ohio, married 1-Dec-1868, in Ohio, Albert Bodkin. Mary died before 1873.

126. Isaac Hefner, Jr. born 12-Feb-1809, Pine Grove Twp., Berks Co., Pa., baptized 30-Apr-1809, St. John's Union Ch., Friedensburg, Pa., married Mary Margaret May, born 05__1807-10, Ross Co., Ohio. Isaac died 30-May-1884, Jackson Twp., Allen Co., Ohio. Isaac's baptism was sponsored by his grandfather Johan Hefner. He came to Allen County, Ohio in 1840. Records show that he was the largest land owner in Allen County at his death in 1884, owning 1500 acres. Isaac built the first brick house in Jackson Township on Township Road just north of Marion Road. He was a good farmer and specialized in raising cattle. Nancy Hefner Sovern, a granddaughter of Isaac, Jr. And Mary Margarette, says she can remember her grandmother Mary talking of carrying a gun while Isaac, Jr. cut trees from a road. Mary was the daughter of John May and Mary Strouse.

Children:

+ 391. i Jacob Hefner born 29-Apr-1832.

+ 392. ii Harrison Hefner born 25-Dec-1834.

+ 393. iii Amos Hefner born 6-Jul-1836.

394. iv Clarissa Hefner born 4-Mar-1844, Ohio, married 1863, in Allen Co., Ohio, Jacob Mowery, born 1843, Ohio, died 1912, Allen Co., Ohio, buried Bethlehem Cem., Allen Co., Ohio. Clarissa died 18-Jun-1925, Allen Co., Ohio, buried Bethlehem Cem., Allen Co., Ohio. Cemetery inscription/marriage index both read Clarissa.

+ 395. v David Hefner born 4-Jan-1847.

+ 396. vi John Hefner born 12-Jul-1849.

+ 397. vii Albert Hefner born 6-Jan-1851.

128. Gabriel Heffner born 24-Oct-1822, Greenville, Ross Co., Ohio, married Rachel Strausser, born 09-Nov-1827, Ohio, died 29-May-1911, Allen Co., Ohio, buried Bethelhem Cem., Allen Co., Ohio. Gabriel died 22-Oct-1901, Allen Co., Ohio, buried Bethelhem Cem., Allen Co., Ohio. Elzie writes (1942): Gabriel was a prominent farmer, well respected and was Township Trustee for several years in Allen County, Ohio. He also served as trustee of the Allen County Infirmary for years. Gabriel was

considered the largest and best sheep-raiser in Allen County from 1880 - 1900. Tombstone reads 'Heffner' (Bob Peppermuller) Rachel: daughter of Daniel Strausser.

Children:

398. i Taylor E. (Zedekiah) Hefner born 4-Feb-1849, Ohio, married Becca Binkley. Taylor died 2-Oct-1907, Auglaize Co., Ohio. Becca: Elzie Hefner notes first name as 'Becca'. Could this be 'Becky' or Rebecca?

399. ii Margarette (Maggie) Hefner born 10-Oct-1851, Allen Co., Ohio, married David Stevick. Margarette died 20-Feb-1875, Allen Co., Ohio. David: Bob Peppermuller data shows Phelan Stevis (Sevick) as husband.

+ 400. iii Harrison (Harry) Hefner born 11-Sep-1854.

401. iv Clara Hefner born 22-Aug-1854, Westminster, Ohio, married Harrison Timons, born 1855, died 1931, Allen Co., Ohio, buried Bethlehem Cem., Allen Co., Ohio. Clara died after 1910, buried Bethlehem Cem., Allen Co., Ohio. R. Peppermuller data shows birth date of July, 1859.

+ 402. v Frank A. Hefner born 1-Nov-1870.

403. vi Ada Hefner born 1865, Ohio, married George Tabler, born 1862.

404. vii Anna Hefner born 24-Jun-1867, Westminster, Ohio, married Abraham Musser. Anna died 22-Jun-1910, Auglaize Co., Ohio. Anna is a twin to Annie.

+ 405. viii Anise Hefner born 24-Jun-1867.

+ 406. ix George Beaman Hefner born 8-Aug-1892.

133. Maria Heffner born 1818, married 6-Oct-1845, Charles Miller, born 14-Feb-1806, died 12-May-1905. Maria died 31-May-1857.

Children:

407. i John H. Miller born 1-Apr-1845.

408. ii _____ married Eldridge Zimmerman.

137. Daniel Heffner born 14-Dec-1829, Maxatawny Twp., Pa., married 13-Feb-1853, in Immanuel Luth. Church, Pottstown, PA, by Rev. George F. Mills, German Cong., Esther (Hettie) Reigner, born 1-Sep-1830, New Hanover, Montgomery Co., Pa., died 21-Jan-1896. Daniel died 13-Nov-1900, buried Lehigh Church Cemetery. Daniel served with Company H, 175th Regiment, Sergeantn, Voluntary Infantry from 16 Oct., 1862 until 5 Aug., 1863. Honroably discharged because of injuries sustained in a fall in a mine; broken left foot, and right kneecap. Daniel's obituary notes that he was a justice of the peace and that he was a member of the School Board and Camp # 97, P.O.S. of A. of Alburts. Esther: Cause of death was Consumption which was of 15 months duration.

Children:

+ 409. i Howard Heffner born 1853.

+ 410. ii Oliver Charles Heffner born 27-Mar-1855.

+ 411. iii Eugene Jacob Heffner born 22-Jun-1857.

412. iv Ellen Rose Heffner born ____-May-1860, New Hanover Twp., married Ira K. Altenderfer. Ellen died 26-Mar-1891, Manayunk (?).

413. v Mary Jane Heffner born 25-Dec-1862, died 24-Dec-1883, buried Lehigh Church Cem., Alburts, Pa.

+ 414. vi William Franklin Heffner born 31-Jul-1865.

415. vii Elsworth Heffner born 7-Sep-1867, Topton, Pa., died 13-Feb-1875, buried Lehigh Church Cemetery.

416. viii Curtis Heffner born 24-Jun-1871, Hensingersville, Lehigh Co., Pa., died 25-Nov-1909, Topton, Pa.

417. ix Clinton Heffner born 6-Jul-1874, Longswamp Twp., Berks County, Pa., died 6-Apr-1875, buried Lehigh Church Cemetery.