Notes on Wilhelmine Schneider

Generation 1

1. **WILHELMINE**¹ **SCHNEIDER** was born on October 17, 1838 in Wunderthausen. She died on May 22, 1929 in Davenport, Scott, Iowa. She married Johannes Keller, son of Johann Heinrich Keller and Anna Karoline Luise Womelsdorf, on May 19, 1871 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa. He was born on September 25, 1831 in Diedenshausen. He died on May 17, 1907 in Wheatland, Clinton, Iowa.

Notes for Wilhelmine Schneider:

Born in Altehäusers Haus in Wunderthausen. The family arrived in New York on the ship Amazone out of Bremen on May 31, 1848. Apparently remained single until marrying John Keller. She bore four children but we only know Lydia by name.

Notes for Johannes Keller:

Known as John. Born in Schneiders Haus in Diedenshausen. His three daughters by Catherina Homrighausen died within a few months of each other in the spring of 1870 of typhus ("Nervenfieber"). His first wife had already died in 1868 but the surviving family continued to live in Schneiders Haus with relatives. He came to America on the ship Weser, landing in New York on December 2, 1870 and made his to the Wheatland community. His second wife, Wilhelmine Schneider had come to America some years before.

Once in America, John worked as a blacksmith in Wheatland. He died there after collapsing at his shop.

Johannes Keller and Wilhelmine Schneider had the following children:

i. LYDIA JOHANNA² KELLER was born on November 15, 1881 in Lowden, Cedar, Iowa. She died on July 12, 1943 in Davenport, Scott, Iowa. She married Edward John Carroll, son of James Carroll and Margaret Galligan, on July 27, 1904. He was born on June 19, 1874 in Princeton, Scott, Iowa. He died on December 22, 1945 in Davenport, Scott, Iowa.

Notes for Lydia Johanna Keller: School teacher before her marriage.

- ii. INFANT KELLER.
- iii. INFANT KELLER.
- iv. Infant Keller.