

1. **Melchoir<sup>1</sup> DROLLINGER**, son of (Father Unknown) and of (Mother Unknown), born 1572 in Dietlingen, Baden, Germany; died 10 March 1663 in Dietlingen, Baden, Germany; buried 1663 in Dietlingen, Baden, Germany. He was married (1) about 1604, in Ellmendingen?, Germany to **Anna Margarethe --?--**; and was married (2) about 1612, in Dietlingen?, Germany to **Margaretha HERT?**; and was married (3) about 1615, in Germany to **Barbara KOELER**.

Ref's: DARSTS of VA by Jackson DARST Luthern Parish Reg, Dietlingen, Ger Mrs Ruba Orr, #58 Craig Mobile Park Craig, CO 81625- Nov 1975 Mrs Orr (dec'd) She provided me with all the data on the DROLLINGER fam's that she in turn had obtained from the LDS Lib at Salt Lake City. The rec's had been submitted by Francis E. DROLLINGER of Calgary, Alberta, Canada. Taken from the Luthern Parish Rec's of Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden. All but Melchoir's rec's were from there & his were from the Luthern Parish Reg., Dietlingen Groll, 1958. The DROLLINGER/TROLINGER fam's are still a bit on the rare side in this country (USA) & many I still have not identified. We are still unsure just how many of the DROLLINGERS came to this country. The available ship passenger lists shows only 3 by this spelling- Adam DROLLINGER & Eberhard DROLLINGER (1738); and Hance Michel DROLINGER (1743). Nothing seems to be known about Eberhard. Adam appears to have been the 1st of our line to come to this country, & others came later. Published rec's appear to start with Adam & his desc's, with little mention of his ancestors. Desc's of Eberhard are to be found in the 1790 cen of PA. A Phillip DROLINGER in Bedford Co; & a Peter DROLLINGER in Herford Twp, Berks Co.; & a Peter TROLINGER in Montg Co. [DURST AND DARST FAMILIES OF AMERICA by Sanford Charles Gladden, 1969, p734] Ellmendingen and Dietenhausen are two small villages about a mile apart in the State of Baden on the W side of the Rhine. Dietlingen is also in Baden near Ellmendingen.

Nothing is known of Melchoir's 2nd wife-appears to have been taken from parish reg. Not sure if I have right ch for her.

Nothing is known of Melchoir's 3rd wife-from parish rec's? Not sure if I have right ch for her.

Children of Melchoir<sup>1</sup> and Anna Margarethe (--?--) DROLLINGER were as follows:

2. i. **Anna<sup>2</sup> DROLLINGER**, born 1605 in Dietlingen, Germany; died 24 March 1620 in Dietlingen, Germany. Parish rec's
3. ii. **Barbara DROLLINGER**, born 1607 in Dietlingen, Baden, Germany. She was married about 1623,





in Dietlingen?, Baden, Germany to Auton NITTLE. From parish reg?

- 4.   iii. Anna Margarethe DROLLINGER, born 15 October 1609 in Dietlingen, Baden, Germany. She was married 17 July 1634, in Dietlingen, Baden, Germany to Georg REISTHER. From parish reg
  - 5.   iv. Johann DROLLINGER, born 6 January 1613 in Dietlingen, Baden, Germany; died 13 April 1635 in Dietlingen, Baden, Germany. From parish reg-He's twin to Rosinna
  - 6.   v. Rosinna DROLLINGER, born 6 January 1613 in Dietlingen, Baden, Germany. From parish reg
  - + 7.   vi. Wendelin DROLLINGER, born 1616.
  - 8.   vii. Vitus DROLLINGER, born 24 December 1618 in Dietlingen, Baden, Germany; died 13 March 1621 in Dietlingen, Baden, Germany. From parish reg-He's twin to Elizabeth
  - 9.   viii. Elizabeth DROLLINGER, born 24 December 1618 in Dietlingen, Baden, Germany. From parish reg-She's twin to Vitus
7.   Wendelin<sup>2</sup> DROLLINGER, (Melchoir<sup>1</sup>), born 1616 in Ellmendingen, Baden, Germany; died 1698 in Ellmendingen, Baden, Germany; buried 9 April 1698 in Baden, Ellmendingen. He was married (1) about 1653, in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany to **Margaretha --?--**; and was married (2) 26 January 1664, in Ellmendingen?, Germany to **Agnes GOLLER**; and was married (3) 28 February 1665, in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany to **Margaretha BECHTOLD**.

DURSTS OF VIRGINIA by H. Jackson Darst, 1972, P368- He updated info in Gladden's book- "Wendel, appears to have come from the Tyrol in Austria (from which, according to tradition, the name is derived-- "TYROLLINGER") to Dietenhausen, where he was a justice in the court of law." [This statement was apparently made before Wendelin's father was known] Mrs Donald (CECIL) Trolinger, whose husband is a USAF Major in Germany (1972) investigated the records of the parish church at Ellemdingen, of which Dietenhausen is now a part. She discovered the dates here, which correspond with the age of Adam given upon his arrival in Phila. Mrs Trolinger had the aid of a German genealogist in searching these rec's.

Luth Par Rec, Ellmendingen





Children of Wendelin<sup>2</sup> and Margaretha (---?---) DROLLINGER  
were as follows:

- + 10. i. Margaretha<sup>3</sup> DROLLINGER, born 1642.
- + 11. ii. Andreas DROLLINGER, born 19 December 1643.
- + 12. iii. Margaretha DROLLINGER, born 7 September 1646.
- 13. iv. Barbara DROLLINGER, born 25 April 1649 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany; died in Germany; buried 1677 in Ellmendingen, Baden, Germany. She was married 3 March 1674, in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany to Hans LIENHARD. Luth Par Reg, Ellmendingen
- 14. v. Christoph DROLLINGER, born 23 September 1651 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany; died 1742 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany; buried 15 January 1742 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. He was married 23 July 1680, in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany to Maria Margaretha VOLRATH. From Luth Par Reg, Ellmendingen There were 6 known ch-data available
- + 15. vi. Michael DROLLINGER, born 26 March 1654.
- 16. vii. Hans Martin DROLLINGER, born 8 November 1656 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany; died 16 February 1718 in Muellheim, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. He was married 31 May 1686, in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany to Catherine Sybilla MUELLER. Luth Par Reg, Ellmendingen
- 17. viii. Hans Jacob DROLLINGER, born 19 September 1660 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany; died after 19 September 1660 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany; buried in Germany. Luth Par Reg, Ellmendingen

Children of Wendelin<sup>2</sup> and Margaretha (BECHTOLD)  
DROLLINGER were as follows:

- 18. i. Daniel<sup>3</sup> DROLLINGER, born about 1665 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany, christened 11 December 1665 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. Luth Par Reg., Ellmendingen



19. ii. Katharina DROLLINGER, born about 1667 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany, christened 22 October 1667 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. Luth Par Reg, Ellmendingen
20. iii. Christian DROLLINGER, born about 1669 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany, christened 17 January 1669 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany; died 14 September 1744 in Germany. He was married 23 November 1690, in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany to Katherina DEEG. Luth Par Reg, Ellmendingen
21. iv. Anna Maria DROLLINGER, born about 1670 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany, christened 9 October 1670 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany; died 12 May 1753 in Germany. She was married 17 November 1696, in prob Ellmendingen, Germany to Hans Michael FUESS. Luth Par Reg, Ellmendingen
- + 22. v. Hans Jacob DROLLINGER, born September 1672.
23. vi. Anna Margarete DROLLINGER, born about 1684 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany, christened 5 January 1684 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany; died 4 February 1742 in Germany. She was married 5 December 1713, in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany to Hans Jacob MAYER. Luth Par Reg, Ellmendingen
10. **Margaretha<sup>3</sup> DROLLINGER**, (Wendelin<sup>2</sup>, Melchoir<sup>1</sup>), born 1642 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany; died 21 March 1644 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. Luth Per Reg, Ellmendingen
11. **Andreas<sup>3</sup> DROLLINGER**, (Wendelin<sup>2</sup>, Melchoir<sup>1</sup>), born 19 December 1643 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. Luth Per Reg, Ellmendingen
12. **Margaretha<sup>3</sup> DROLLINGER**, (Wendelin<sup>2</sup>, Melchoir<sup>1</sup>), born 7 September 1646 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. She was married 11 February 1677, in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany to **Michael HUTTENLOCH**. Luth Per Reg, Ellmendingen



Luth Per Reg, Ellmendingen

15. Michael<sup>3</sup> DROLLINGER, (Wendelin<sup>2</sup>, Melchoir<sup>1</sup>), born 26 March 1654 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany; died 26 April 1734 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. He was married 9 October 1674, in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany to Maria FUNCK, daughter of Anastasius FUNCK and of Maria --?--.

Luth Per Reg, Ellmendingen

Mrs Ruba Orr & Mrs Pat Trolinger, 1975 Luth Per Reg, Ellmendingen

Children of Michael<sup>3</sup> and Maria (FUNCK) DROLLINGER were as follows:

- + 24. i. Hans Michael<sup>4</sup> DROLLINGER.
25. ii. Christoph DROLLINGER, christened 3 March 1676 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Ger; died 6 December 1733 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Ger. He was married 22 November 1702, in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Ger to Anna Maria FUESS.
- + 26. iii. Hans Michael DROLLINGER.
27. iv. Anna Maria DROLLINGER, christened 10 February 1679 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Ger; died 8 December 1761 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Ger. She was married 11 January 1707, in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Ger to Hans Philipp FUESS.
28. v. Hans Wendel DROLLINGER, christened 7 January 1681 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Ger; died about 19 May 1685 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Ger.
29. vi. Maria Margaretha DROLLINGER, christened 30 August 1682 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Ger.
30. vii. Maria Catharina DROLLINGER, christened 5 January 1684 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Ger; died 5 January 1684 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Ger.
31. viii. Hans Wendel DROLLINGER, christened 19 May 1685 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Ger.
32. ix. Hans Martin DROLLINGER, christened 9 July



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1686 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Ger;  
died 26 December 1686 in Ellmendingen,  
Karlsruhe, Baden, Ger.

- 33. x. Maria Magdalena DROLLINGER, christened 21  
November 1687 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe,  
Baden, Ger.
- 34. xi. Hans Friederich DROLLINGER, christened 2  
March 1689 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden,  
Ger.
- 35. xii. Anna Margaretha DROLLINGER, christened 4 July  
1690 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Ger;  
died 25 December 1692 in Ellmendingen,  
Karlsruhe, Baden, Ger.
- 36. xiii. Anna Catherina DROLLINGER, christened 28 July  
1694 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Ger;  
died 5 August 1694 in Ellmendingen,  
Karlsruhe, Baden, Ger.
- 37. xiv. Anna Barbara DROLLINGER, christened 1695 in  
Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Ger; died 15  
April 1697 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden,  
Ger.
- 38. xv. Michael DROLLINGER, christened 18 April 1697  
in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Ger.

22. **Hans Jacob<sup>3</sup> DROLLINGER**, (Wendelin<sup>2</sup>, Melchoir<sup>1</sup>),  
born September 1672 in Ellmendingen, Baden, Germany; died 1  
April 1753 in Germany. He was married 2 November 1695, in  
Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany to **Anna Maria  
MUFF**, daughter of Melchior MUFF.

There appears to have been 2 Hans-Both have been given  
the same birthdate and are both shown as sons of  
Wendelin-One by his 1st wife & this one by the 3rd wife  
Fam Gro Sh for Gordon DROLLINGER of Pittsburgh, PA, Feb  
1994 The LDS Fam Gro Sh, submitted by Francis E  
Drollinger, shows Anna as the wife of Hans Jacob, son of  
Wendelin & 1st wife. The FGS for Wendelin, shows this Hans  
having died at birth

Children of Hans Jacob<sup>3</sup> and Anna Maria (MUFF) DROLLINGER  
were as follows:

- 39. i. Anna Maria<sup>4</sup> DROLLINGER, christened 16 March  
1712 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Ger;  
died 13 May 1760. Anna m 12 Feb 1732 to Hans  
Michael FUESS [LDS fam gro sh for Hans Jacob

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- + 40. ii. Friedrich Jakob DROLLINGER, born 30 August 1696.
- 41. iii. Maria DROLLINGER, born 1698 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany, christened 2 May 1698 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany; died 14 April 1758 in Germany. She was married 30 November 1723, in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany to Johann BECK. From Luth Par Reg, Ellmendingen
- 42. iv. Hans Michael DROLLINGER, born 17 May 1703 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany; died 18 May 1703 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. From Luth Par Reg, Ellmendingen
- 43. v. Wilhelm DROLLINGER, born 1708 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany, christened 20 December 1708 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany. From Luth Par Reg, Ellmendingen
- 24. Hans Michael<sup>4</sup> DROLLINGER, (Michael<sup>3</sup>, Wendelin<sup>2</sup>, Melchoir<sup>1</sup>), christened 11 January 1675 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Ger; died 12 January 1675 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Ger.
- 26. Hans Michael<sup>4</sup> DROLLINGER, (Michael<sup>3</sup>, Wendelin<sup>2</sup>, Melchoir<sup>1</sup>), christened 4 August 1677 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Ger; died after 22 March 1722 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Ger. He was married 23 November 1700, in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Ger to Eve KLEMMER.

Her parents were Marcus and Barbara (ALTERGOTT) KLEMMER—  
part of this line is traced—

Children of Hans Michael<sup>4</sup> and Eve (KLEMMER) DROLLINGER  
were as follows:

- + 44. i. Hans Michael<sup>5</sup> DROLLINGER, born 19 July 1704.
- 45. ii. Philipp Jacob DROLLINGER, born 21 June 1705 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Ger.
- 46. iii. Eva DROLLINGER, born 6 March 1706 in



- Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Ger; died 7 March 1706 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Ger.
47. iv. Hans Jacob DROLLINGER, born 7 February 1707 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Ger; died 19 February 1707 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Ger.
- + 48. v. Adam DROLLINGER, born 4 April 1708.
49. vi. Salome DROLLINGER, born 23 October 1710 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Ger. Salome marr Hans Wendel SCHERFIDER 15 Feb 1735 [no other info]
50. vii. Marcus DROLLINGER, born 3 December 1712 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Ger; died 13 July 1713 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Ger.
51. viii. Maria Barbara DROLLINGER, born 5 March 1714 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Ger; died 6 December 1719 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Ger.
52. ix. Christina DROLLINGER, born 25 December 1715 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Ger.
53. x. Johann Gallus DROLLINGER, born 14 October 1718 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Ger; died 3 February 1733 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Ger.
54. xi. Gabriel DROLLINGER, born 1722 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Ger, christened 25 March 1722 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Ger. Gabriel m 23 Apr 1743 to Margaretha LOTTOLTZ He and his desc's settled in Salem Co NJ [Letter, 1 Nov 1986, Alan Trullinger of Carrington ND]
40. **Friedrich Jakob<sup>4</sup> DROLLINGER**, (Hans Jacob<sup>2</sup>, Wendelin<sup>2</sup>, Melchoir<sup>1</sup>), born 30 August 1696 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany; died 5 March 1779 in Germany. He was married 14 November 1715, in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany to **Maria Margarete SEUBERLICH**.  
 From Par Reg, Ellmendingen  
 From Gordon Drollinger, Feb 1994



Children of Friedrich Jakob<sup>4</sup> and Maria Margarete  
(SEUBERLICH) DROLLINGER were as follows:

55. i. Johann Jacob<sup>5</sup> DROLLINGER, born 17 September 1721 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Germany; died 6 May 1794. He was married 22 April 1748, in Germany to Julianna STEIB. From Gordon Drollinger, Feb 1994
44. Hans Michael<sup>5</sup> DROLLINGER, (Hans Michael<sup>4</sup>, Michael<sup>3</sup>, Wendelin<sup>2</sup>, Melchoir<sup>1</sup>), born 19 July 1704 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Ger; died 9 October 1704 in Ellmendingen, Karlsruhe, Baden, Ger.
48. Adam<sup>5</sup> DROLLINGER, (Hans Michael<sup>4</sup>, Michael<sup>3</sup>, Wendelin<sup>2</sup>, Melchoir<sup>1</sup>), born 4 April 1708 in Ellmendingen, dietenhausen, Ger; died 1776 in Haw River, Orange Co, NC. He was married 9 January 1731, in Dietenhausen, Ger to **Margareta Valencia BECK.**

Not much is known about Adam. He made his way to Rotterdam where he and Eberhard DROLLINGER, probably a cousin, embarked on the ship FRIENDSHIP, commanded by Capt Henry BEECH, and sailed by way of the English Channel port of Dover to Philadelphia. They arrived in Sept 1738, and took the oath of allegiance to the British Crown on Sept 20th of that year. Leaving Eberhard in PA, Adam went with other Germans across Maryland and Virginia to Orange (now Alamance) Co NC, where he settled in 1745 on the western bank of Haw River where the railroad now crosses the river. He "entered quite a large body of land" there, selecting the location on account of the waterfalls and abundance of fish. There he was instrumental in establishing a union Lutheran and Reformed Church on the "pike leading from Salisbury to Hillsboroh at Haw River" He changed the spelling of his name to TROLLINGER, although it still was pronounced "DROLLINGER" [DARSTS OF VA] L.D.S. Branch Library, Oakland, CA Feb 1978 PENNSYLVANIA GERMAN PIONEERS, Vol I 1727-1775- page 226 "Friendship", Henry Beech, Commander 1738 Adam DROLLINGER - age 30 Eberhard DROLLINGER - age 32 page 344 Foreigners imported in the ship "Rosanna" from Wittenberg, Turlock & Switzerland, Sept 1743 Hance Michel DROLINER [sic] page 229-30 At the Courthouse of Philadelphia, Sept 20, 1738 The Palatine whose names are under written, imported in the ships "Nancy" and the "Friendship", William Wallace and Henry Beach, Commanders, from Rotterdam, but last from Dover in England, did this day take and subscribe the Oaths to the Government, Viz. Eberhard DROLLINGER Adam DROLLING(ER)

Nothing appears to be known of Margareta- But then, I don't know if anyone has really tried doing any research



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Children of Adam<sup>5</sup> and Margareta Valencia (BECK)  
DROLLINGER were as follows:

- + 56. i. Henry Jacob<sup>6</sup> TROLLINGER, born 3 August 1731.
- 57. ii. Eva Catherina DROLLINGER, born 9 January 1733 in Dietenhausen, Ger.
- 58. iii. Rosine DROLLINGER, born 28 May 1735 in Dietenhausen, Ger.
- 59. iv. Adam DROLLINGER, born 9 August 1736 in Dietenhausen, Ger.
- 60. v. Chrisitine DROLLINGER, born 11 September 1737 in Dietenhausen, Ger.

56. Henry Jacob<sup>6</sup> TROLLINGER, (Adam<sup>5</sup>, Hans Michael<sup>4</sup>, Michael<sup>3</sup>, Wendelin<sup>2</sup>, Melchoir<sup>1</sup>), born 3 August 1731 in Dietenhausen, Ger; died 1798 in Dublin, Montgomery Co, VA; buried 1798 in (now) Dublin Cem, Dublin, VA. He was married (1) before 1762, in Orange Co, NC to **Barbara** --?--; and was married (2) about 1780, in VA to Mrs --?--.

The records of the parish church of Ellmendingen, of which Dietenhausen, is now a part, show his birth date, according to Ltr. from Mrs Donald C Trolinger 1972 (Pat). & name as Jacob Heinrich DROLLINGER. He came with his father to America in 1738 & left NC in 1776 & settled near the present town of Dublin, now Pulaski (then Montg) Co VA. Trollinger's original log cabin was located about 30-40 feet from a spring, & about 3 or 4 hundred feet south of old US Route 11, the road between Radford & Dublin, just east of the latter town & opposite the Dublin Cemetery....Throughout the RW Henry was engaged in manufacturing gunpowder for the Continental Army at a valuable salt petre cave located on his property which is now (1970) located behind the Dublin Cem. Henry was married several times. One of his wives, married bef he left NC, was named Barbara----. In his old age Henry was incapacitated and unable to attend to his business affairs....We show him with 8 children. Son John (m Eliz BURRIS), names his half sister, Elizabeth (b c 1787 m John LINKUS) in his will.

Children of Henry Jacob<sup>6</sup> and Barbara (---?) TROLLINGER were as follows:



- 61. i. Margaret<sup>7</sup> TROLINGER. She was married in NC? to John SERVER.
- 62. ii. Mary TROLINGER. She was married (1) in NC? to Adam WALL; and was married (2) in NC? to John HUFFMAN.
- 63. iii. Barbara TROLINGER. She was married 23 November 1896, in VA to William Jr MCCOY.
- 64. iv. Henry TROLINGER, born 10 March 1762 in Orange Co, NC; died 28 February 1844 in Orange Co, NC.
- 65. v. Dau TROLINGER, born about 1764 in Orange Co?, NC. She was married about 1791, in NC to Mr BEASON.
- + 66. vi. John TROLLINGER, born 1771.
- 67. vii. Phoebe TROLINGER, born 1786 in Orange Co, NC. She was married 8 September 1807, in VA to Philip MARTIN.

Children of Henry Jacob<sup>6</sup> and Mrs (---?---) TROLLINGER were as follows:

- 68. i. Elizabeth<sup>7</sup> TROLINGER.
66. **John<sup>7</sup> TROLLINGER**, (Henry Jacob<sup>6</sup>, Adam<sup>5</sup>, Hans Michael<sup>4</sup>, Michael<sup>3</sup>, Wendelin<sup>2</sup>, Melchoir<sup>1</sup>), born 1771 in Haw River, Orange Co, NC; died 11 October 1840 in Near Dublin, Montgomery Co, VA; buried 1840 in Trollinger Cem, Near Dublin, VA. He was married 30 December 1792, in Montgomery Co, VA to **Elizabeth BURRIS**.

John's will was probated 5 Nov 1840 in Mont Co, Will Bk I pl. Bur Trollinger (now Dublin) Cem. He was in the manufacturing business (learned from his father) and sale of saltpetre and gunpowder; was a Presbyterian; served as a private in the War of 1812 in Capt William Currin's Company of Infantry, Seventy-fifth Regiment of Virginia Militia from Montgomery Co. [Rec's in the National Archives, Wash DC] John and Elizabeth settled at the old TROLLINGER place on the property of his father Henry Jacob, near Dublin, and eventually added to this and accumulated approximately 2000a between the present towns of Dublin and Newbern. John built the "old mansion" on this farm, only a few feet from his father's original dwelling. He died 1840 and was buried in the (now) Dublin Cem on a hill opposite the old mansion. [THE DARSTS OF VA pp368-375]



Elizabeth was the dau of William BURRIS. At the time of her marriage she, with the help of her servants, was operating a ferry near the mouth of Stroubles Creek in Montgomery Co. Elizabeth survived her husband for many years, living in the old Trollinger mansion with her son John Jr. Her grch and gr-grch always spoke of her with reverence and awe, as the epitome of the Scotch-Irish pioneer woman. In her last years she was partially blind and required a walking stick to get around, but retained her intellectual powers until the end. She died at the old Trollinger mansion 1869, after an illness of about two weeks, and was buried beside her husband. [THE DARSTS OF VA pp369,70]

Children of John<sup>7</sup> and Elizabeth (BURRIS) TROLLINGER were as follows:

69. i. Sarah<sup>8</sup> TROLLINGER, born 1 March 1794 in Near Dublin, Montgomery Co, VA; died 25 March 1887 in Near Dublin, Montgomery Co, VA; buried March 1887 in Trollinger Cem, Near Dublin, VA. She was married 10 February 1810, in Montgomery Co, VA to Steven TRINKLE. Sarah is named in fathers will as Sally TRINKLE. They are on the 1830 cen for Montg Co VA- Steven TRINKLE 40-50; wife 30-40; 3 sons 5-10; 1 son 10-15; 3 dau under 5; 1 dau 10-15; 1 dau 15-20
70. ii. Mary TROLLINGER, born 1796 in Near Dublin, Montgomery Co, VA; died 1906 in TX. She was married (1) 5 February 1814, in Montgomery Co, VA to Jacob HEAVENER; and was married (2) 1 September 1818, in Montgomery Co, VA to Martin ELLIOT. Probably born, along with her siblings, at the old Trollinger place near Dublin. Polly died at the age of 110, in Texas. Her Obit was pasted in Maj James DARST Bible. Said to have moved to Texas in the 1850's [THE DARSTS OF VA p370-71]
71. iii. Elizabeth TROLLINGER, born 15 August 1799 in Near Dublin, Montgomery Co, VA; died 29 July 1886 in Newbern, Pulaski Co, VA. She was married 1 September 1818, in Montgomery Co, VA to Michael JORDAN. Elizabeth was known as the beloved and remarkable "Aunt Betsy Jordan" of whom so much has been told and written. As a widow she lived at Newbern with her daughter, Harriet WYSOR, whose husband was killed just after the Battle of



Cloyd's Mountain in 1864. Hugh Legare WYSOR, "never could speak of Grandma Betsy with emotion....she could be and was 'all things to all men'; skilled in so many hand crafts, a doctor, nurse and anything that was necessary in her community.... [DARSTS OF VA p371]

- + 72. iv. Henry T TROLLINGER, born 26 October 1800.
- 73. v. Phoebe Katherine TROLLINGER, born 1 April 1804 in Near Dublin, Montgomery Co, VA; died 15 January 1889 in Dublin, Montgomery Co, VA; buried January 1889 in "Sinking Spring Farm", Dublin, VA. She was married 27 March 1825, in Montgomery Co, VA to Jacob SHUFFLEBARGER. Phoebe & her husband were buried in the family cem at "Sinking Spring" farm-it was later moved to Dublin Cem when the government took over the estate. They lived at the old Shufflebarger estate, (Sinking Spring) near Dublin which was renowned for its abundance of boxwood. This farm was purchased by the government and incorporated into the "bad loading" plant erected near Dublin at the beginning of WWII. [DARSTS OF VA p371-72]
- 74. vi. Eliza TROLLINGER, born after 1807 in Near Dublin, Montgomery Co, VA; died in prob Giles Co, VA. She was married 25 May 1835, in Montgomery Co, VA to John DURMAN.
- 75. vii. John Jr TROLLINGER, born 7 June 1807 in Near Dublin, Montgomery Co, VA; died 1 May 1883 in Near Dublin, Montgomery Co, VA; buried May 1883 in Trollinger Cem, Dublin, VA. He was married (1) 20 September 1830, in Montgomery Co, VA to Charlotte HOGGE; and was married (2) 3 October 1839, in Pulaski Co, VA to Mary Grayson WYGAL. John was buried beside his second wife in the Trollinger Cem, his first wife having been interred in the Howe Graveyard at "Sunnyside" Back Creek, Pulaski Co. [DARSTS OF VA p372-73- gives more of his history] Obit of John in Maj "Darst Bible says he was married twice. These dates are from William Hoge Bible, owned by Miss Margaret Trolinger of Christiansburg and communicated to the writer in a Ltr. dated 25 Aug 1943.



72. **Henry T<sup>e</sup> TROLINGER**, (John<sup>7</sup>, Henry Jacob<sup>e</sup>, Adam<sup>5</sup>, Hans Michael<sup>4</sup>, Michael<sup>3</sup>, Wendelin<sup>2</sup>, Melchoir<sup>1</sup>), born 26 October 1800 in Montgomery Co, VA; died 29 November 1838 in Henry Co, MO. He was married 8 June 1826, in Pulaski Co, VA to **Attilla White CECIL**, daughter of Phillip CECIL and of Mary 'Polly' WYGAL.

They moved to Missouri in 1829 and settled in Henry Co in 1832 Henry Co MO Wills & Administrations 1835-1865, compiled by Jacqueline Williams, 1968 Fire in the Probate office has no records prior to 1854 in Henry Co (1st record of Henry Co Court Sept Term 1835 to May Term 1839) Henry died intestate; Adm, Attelia TROLINGER Appt 4 Feb 1839 Securities-J. SURFACE, A LEGG pp120 of County Court Rec. Trolinger Family Bible owned by compiler History of Henry Co 1919, State Historical Society MO pp821-823 Newspaper clipping 1885 MO.

Children of Henry T<sup>e</sup> and Attilla White (CECIL) TROLINGER were as follows:

- + 76. i. William Henry<sup>9</sup> TROLINGER, born 11 August 1827.
- 77. ii. Mary Elizabeth TROLINGER, born 18 June 1829 in Pulaski Co, VA; died 14 July 1857 in St Clair Co, MO. She was married 16 September 1847, in Henry Co, MO to Mathew ARBUCKLE. Estate papers
- 78. iii. Amanda Virginia TROLINGER, born 2 March 1831 in Pulaski Co, VA; died 21 December 1856. She was married 1851, to Isaac HARTMAN.
- 79. iv. John Phillip TROLINGER, born 7 February 1835 in Henry Co, MO; died 25 January 1885 in Benton Co, MO. He was married 22 December 1859, in St Clair Co, MO to Martha NICHOLS.

76. **William Henry<sup>9</sup> TROLINGER**, (Henry T<sup>e</sup>, John<sup>7</sup>, Henry Jacob<sup>e</sup>, Adam<sup>5</sup>, Hans Michael<sup>4</sup>, Michael<sup>3</sup>, Wendelin<sup>2</sup>, Melchoir<sup>1</sup>), born 11 August 1827 in Pulaski Co, VA; died 29 October 1895 in Whitesboro, Grayson Co, TX. He was married 22 January 1850, in Henry Co, MO to **Mary Jane THOMPSON**.

THE TROLINGER FAMILY-Submitted to the Grayson Co TX Book Committee May 1978, for the Grayson Co history book. My great great grandfather, Dr William Henry Trolinger was born Aug 11, 1827 in Pulaski Co VA, the oldest of 4 children. With their parents, Henry and Attilla (Cecil) Trolinger, they moved to Henry Co MO in 1832, where William received his medical training. He married there Jan 22,



1850, Mary Jane Thompson, widow of James Montgomery. Will and Mary had 6 children, Henry Judson, (my great grandfather), Eliza, Cora Campbell, Lilla Buchanan, Fannie and Harry. Only Henry, Cora and Lilla lived to maturity and all graduated from Baylor University in Waco, TX where their father was a Trustee. The Civil War drove Dr and Mrs Trolinger from MO to find a place of safety in Whitesboro which was already a log cabin village, when, in 1861 they arrived with their family and slaves. Dr Trolinger assisted with the first survey of the original townsite in 1869 and helped those who started the little town, sometimes called Whites Colony. The first frame home was built by Dr Huff, on N. Union Street. The Trolinger home was the second frame home to be built in Whitesboro after the Civil War in 1865. All the lumber was hauled in ox-wagons from Jefferson, TX. This being over 300 miles, it took well over a year to complete and was considered the one true Greek (colonial) house in the area, where it stood the weather of time until torn down in the early 1960's. Although first and foremost a Dr, William was elected to the Texas House of Representatives in 1873 and later to the Senate, at which time he had much to do with bringing the railroads to Whitesboro. After retiring, he devoted his time to the building up of his town. Schools, churches, railroads, banks, all struggled to existance aided by his personal contribution and wise counsel. Dr and Mrs Trolinger were members of the 1st Baptist Church where he served on the Board of Deacons, and she, as a Sunday school teacher. Dr Trolinger after a long illness, died at his home Oct 28, 1895. Along and honorable life ended and the community lost the support and influence of its life long friend. Mrs Trolinger was born in Montegrow Springs, MO. Oct 18, 1826 and died Nov 17, 1921. She, her husband and 5 children are buried in the Whitesboro Cemetery. She was a realist, and had an educated mind and much of this material was gathered from articles she had written. My great grandfather, Dr Henry J Trolinger was born in Henry Co, MO Oct 31, 1850 and died at his home in San Antonio Feb 27, 1913 and is buried at Calvert, Milam Co, TX. He was 11 years old when his parents settled in Whitesboro where he spent his youth. He graduated from Baylor, then graduated from St Louis, MO Medical School in 1875. He returned to Whitesboro before settling in San Antonio. He married his 2nd wife, Belle Savage (died 1891). They had 3 children- Estille, Bessie, and Jack, my grandfather. Grandfather Jack was born in Whitesboro, May 16, 1885, died in Mission, TX Dec 23, 1960; he was a banker. He married Florence Mildred Thompson, Sept 1905 in San Antonio. She was born in Moreland, KY, Oct 3 1885 and died in Edinburg, TX Mar 1963. They had 5 children, 4 still living- Henry, John Shelby (my father), William,



Arthur and Nancy. Dad was born in San Antonio, Sept 3, 1912. My mother, Dot Blair, was born Dec 28, 1918 in Belton, Bell Co, TX. They were married in San Antonio, April 1, 1961 in California. I John Jr, was born in Austin, TX Nov 8, 1939. My education was obtained in schools all over the world, as Dad was in the Army. I married Judith Ann Presser (born Jan 24, 1942 in OK), at Portuguse Bend, California., Sept 21, 1962. Our 2 sons were born in Harbor City, LA Co, California- John David in 1863 and James Michael in 1965.

Another rec shows Mary's place of birth as Boonsville, Howard Co MO. Mary was 1st married to James MONTGOMERY & had one son, Robert The Trolinger Bible was started by Mary. There is a Trollinger park and a Trollinger street named for them in Whitesboro. Census records Will of Mary- Application to probate will- 3 Sept 1922 Courthouse in the City of Sherman-Filed 30 Aug 1922 #4649 Obtained copy Sept 1979 County Clerk, Sherman TX 75090 Mary left her entire estate to her granddaughter Mary CLARK as she had outlived all of her children. Inventory & Appraisalment of the Estate-1923

Children of William Henry<sup>9</sup> and Mary Jane (THOMPSON) TROLINGER were as follows:

+ 80. i. Henry Judson<sup>10</sup> TROLINGER, born 31 October 1850.

80. Henry Judson<sup>10</sup> TROLINGER, (William Henry<sup>9</sup>, Henry T<sup>8</sup>, John<sup>7</sup>, Henry Jacob<sup>6</sup>, Adam<sup>5</sup>, Hans Michael<sup>4</sup>, Michael<sup>3</sup>, Wendelin<sup>2</sup>, Melchoir<sup>1</sup>), born 31 October 1850 in Henry Co, MO; died 27 February 1913 in Calvert, TX. He was married (1) 1878, to Miss MILLER; and was married (2) 9 December 1879, in Grayson Co?, TX to Belle SAVAGE, daughter of Samuel B SAVAGE and of Elizabeth Jane MADDOX.

Children of Henry Judson<sup>10</sup> and Belle (SAVAGE) TROLINGER were as follows:

+ 81. i. Jack<sup>11</sup> TROLINGER, born 16 May 1885.

81. Jack<sup>11</sup> TROLINGER, (Henry Judson<sup>10</sup>, William Henry<sup>9</sup>, Henry T<sup>8</sup>, John<sup>7</sup>, Henry Jacob<sup>6</sup>, Adam<sup>5</sup>, Hans Michael<sup>4</sup>, Michael<sup>3</sup>, Wendelin<sup>2</sup>, Melchoir<sup>1</sup>), born 16 May 1885 in Whitesboro, Grayson Co, TX; died 23 December 1960 in Mission, Hidalgo Co, TX; buried 26 December 1960 in Calvert, Hidalgo Co, TX. He was married 4 September 1905, in San Antonio, Bexar Co, TX to Florence Mildred THOMPSON, daughter of Robert Hart THOMPSON and of Nancy Warren CARPENTER.



It was Florence son, John (Sr) that triggered my interest in genealogy. In the summer of 1969 we (well, me) made our first trip to the hill country- David & Michael turned 6 & 4 that summer-For the 3 of us it was love at first sight.

I think my Dad was part gypsy-he loved moving around. They didn't move far, sometimes just around the corner or across the street-Anyway, all of my childhood homes have given way to progress (if you can call it that). With our nearly 30 years of moving heither and yon with the navy, Ingram Texas became our 'security blanket'- a place to return to when needed.

That summer of '69 Johnny (Sr) showed me the Trolinger family Bible- [When we knew we were headed for the Philippines we turned it over to Jud and Maud for safe keeping-Maud still has it] He couldn't remember who some of the people were. Along with the Bible was his mother's DAR application papers-Later I came across ONE HUNDRED YEARS IN BANDERA TEXAS-1854 To 1954- This was a large oversize newsprint type magazine of articles taken from the early issues of the Bandera newspaper. Included were several articles and photo's of the CARPENTERS, SHELBYs and THOMPSONs. These are the items I had to work with in trying to find Florence's THOMPSON line.

I have tried off and on over the years to trace them based on the data I had-I kept hitting the ole brick wall-I could not find them in the places they were said to have been.

In 1989 I was finally able to make a trip to Kentucky. I spent 2 weeks there, copying and studying the research papers of Cass Knight Shelby-I ended up copying several hundred pages, which to this day, are in constant use. In the process of doing Kentucky research for someone else [11 Nov 1994] I was going thru Cass's papers again and came across a letter that I had read at the time I copied it, but hadn't compared it to what I had. (tsk)- It was a letter Nannie Thompson (Florence's mother) had written to Cass back in 1892.

Cass typed and abstracted all of his correspondence & the original letters were not among his papers. Nannie's letter was dated (ironicly, 11 Nov) 1892, San Antonio, Texas, to CKS, in Grand Rapids, Michigan. Her address was 409 Sixth St.-

"Hart Thompson was born in Lexington, KY, July 18, 1850, and died in Lincoln County Nov 27, 1885. We were married in Lincoln Co March 27, 1873. I (Nannie Carpenter Thompson) was born in Lincoln Co, Dec 11, 1852. Our children are..." She goes on to give names and dates as they are shown on my chart. There was also one from William Morrison Carpenter, 901 River Ave, SA TX, on Sept 18, 1892-He's



gives information on him and his family.

Florence had written in her son Johnny's diary that her father was Andrew Hart Thompson and he was born in KY in 1852. On her DAR application she gives her father as being Robert Hart Thompson, born KY 8 July 1852. Based on this, I hadn't bothered looking at the 1850 census records because he wasn't born yet.

I was puzzled over the 2 different first names- It was said he was always called 'Hart'- and no one knew who his parents were. Compounding the problem, Florence gives 1875 as the date of her parents marriage. This along with the newspaper article, which has a photo of Hart Thompson, Sr, said that Mr & Mrs Carpenter came to Texas in 1866 and were accompanied by their son-in-law, Hart Thompson, and his family.

This, of course, added to puzzle, as their marriage date was given as 1875. This time I went back to Nannie's letter and really read it this time and decided to try tracking them based on her data-which turned out to be more accurate- Once I did this it took all of an hour of searching the records to find the family! Which is given on the various charts.

Children of Jack<sup>11</sup> and Florence Mildred (THOMPSON) TROLINGER were as follows:

- 82. i. daughter<sup>12</sup> TROLINGER, born 15 December 1906 in San Antonio, Bexar Co, TX; died 15 December 1906 in San Antonio, Bexar Co, TX. The family was living at 335 Madison ST in San Antonio-the baby was unnamed. How sad to loose a baby, but especially at Christmas time and your first child.
  - + 83. ii. Henry Judson 'Jud' TROLINGER, born 7 October 1909.
  - + 84. iii. John Shelby Sr TROLINGER, born 3 September 1912.
  - + 85. iv. William Carpenter TROLINGER, born 3 December 1916.
  - + 86. v. Arthur Jones TROLINGER, born 22 September 1925.
  - + 87. vi. Nancy Hart TROLINGER, born 13 August 1927.
83. Henry Judson 'Jud'<sup>12</sup> TROLINGER, (Jack<sup>11</sup>, Henry Judson<sup>10</sup>, William Henry<sup>9</sup>, Henry T<sup>8</sup>, John<sup>7</sup>, Henry Jacob<sup>6</sup>, Adam<sup>5</sup>, Hans Michael<sup>4</sup>, Michael<sup>3</sup>,



Wendelin<sup>2</sup>, Melchoir<sup>1</sup>), born 7 October 1909 in San Antonio, Bexar Co, TX; died 20 March 1983 in Wesleco, TX. He was married 3 September 1932, in Edinburg, TX to **Maudella TULLIS**.

Children of Henry Judson 'Jud'<sup>12</sup> and Maudella (TULLIS) TROLINGER were as follows:

- 88. i. Diane Tullis<sup>13</sup> TROLINGER, born 22 September 1933 in Edinburg.
  - 89. ii. Mary Jeanne TROLINGER, born 2 February 1947 in Mercedes. She was married 26 October 1974, in Mercedes, TX to Thomas James HOOVER.
84. **John Shelby Sr<sup>12</sup> TROLINGER**, (Jack<sup>11</sup>, Henry Judson<sup>10</sup>, William Henry<sup>9</sup>, Henry T<sup>8</sup>, John<sup>7</sup>, Henry Jacob<sup>6</sup>, Adam<sup>5</sup>, Hans Michael<sup>4</sup>, Michael<sup>3</sup>, Wendelin<sup>2</sup>, Melchoir<sup>1</sup>), born 3 September 1912 in San Antonio, Bexar Co, TX; died 12 April 1978 in San Antonio, Bexar Co, TX; buried 13 April 1978 in San Antonio, Bexar Co, TX. He was married 1 April 1938, in Austin, Travis Co, TX to **Dot BLAIR**.

Children of John Shelby Sr<sup>12</sup> and Dot (BLAIR) TROLINGER were as follows:

- + 90. i. John Shelby Jr<sup>13</sup> TROLINGER, born 8 November 1939.
  - 91. ii. Jan TROLINGER, born 3 September 1947 in Killeen, Bell Co, TX; died 14 October 1947 in Killeen, Bell Co, TX. Jan was born in the FT Hood Army hospital and died of pneumonia-caused by the ether fumes used for the mothers- The nursery was too close to the labor rooms. At least that was what her mother felt happened.
85. **William Carpenter<sup>12</sup> TROLINGER**, (Jack<sup>11</sup>, Henry Judson<sup>10</sup>, William Henry<sup>9</sup>, Henry T<sup>8</sup>, John<sup>7</sup>, Henry Jacob<sup>6</sup>, Adam<sup>5</sup>, Hans Michael<sup>4</sup>, Michael<sup>3</sup>, Wendelin<sup>2</sup>, Melchoir<sup>1</sup>), born 3 December 1916 in San Antonio, Bexar Co, TX; died 17 April 1986 in Near Ingram, Kerr Co, TX; buried 23 April 1986 in Nichols Cem, Ingram, TX. He was married (1) 3 September 1938, to **Erma Lee NEUMAN**; and was married (2) 10 February 1968, in Corpus Christi, TX to **Rae Ellen SMITH**, daughter of Thomas Andrew 'Tom' SMITH and of Bertha Elizabeth HUFFMAN.



Rae Ellen and Gary-if you get this far in reading this-  
Rae E-You're not the only one in the family to have  
married a TROLINGER!!

I have no idea at this point if there is a possible  
connection-but it sure surprised the heck out of me! There  
was a Mary TROLINGER born in the late 1700's or early  
1800's whose second husband was a John HUFFMAN.

Mary's father, Henry Jacob TROLINGER was Bill's direct  
ancestor!

Another note of interest- Cherryville is only a short  
distance from Kings Mountain, NC?SC where Gov Isaac SHELBY  
fought his greatest battle during the Revolutionary War.  
Isaac was later to become the first Gov of Kentucky and was  
Bill's direct ancestor.

I first met Bill, Rae Ellen and Gary in the summer of  
1969. They had been married the year before and it hadn't  
been too long since Bill adopted Gary. I have explained all  
this elsewhere, that is was Bill & Rae Ellen that helped  
start me on this fascinating and additive hobby.

Children of William Carpenter<sup>12</sup> and Erma Lee (NEUMAN)  
TROLINGER were as follows:

- 92. i. Terrence William<sup>13</sup> TROLINGER, born 19  
August 1942 in San Antonio, Bexar Co, TX.
- 93. ii. Nancy Camille TROLINGER, born 10 July 1946 in  
San Antonio, Bexar Co, TX; died November  
1982. She was married about 1978, to Larry  
MOSELY.

86. **Arthur Jones<sup>12</sup> TROLINGER**, (Jack<sup>11</sup>, Henry Judson<sup>10</sup>,  
William Henry<sup>9</sup>, Henry T<sup>8</sup>, John<sup>7</sup>, Henry Jacob<sup>6</sup>,  
Adam<sup>5</sup>, Hans Michael<sup>4</sup>, Michael<sup>3</sup>, Wendelin<sup>2</sup>,  
Melchoir<sup>1</sup>), born 22 September 1925 in Mercedes, TX. He  
was married 28 December 1942, in Edinburg, TX to **Julie  
Jacquelyn WANIER**.

They have 2 boys and 2 girls (and now grandchildren)  
They lived in Tampico Mexico for many years.

Children of Arthur Jones<sup>12</sup> and Julie Jacquelyn (WANIER)  
TROLINGER were as follows:

- 94. i. Carol<sup>13</sup> TROLINGER.
- 95. ii. Julie Ann TROLINGER, born 8 May 1948 in San  
Antonio, Bexar Co, TX.
- 96. iii. Michael Arthur TROLINGER, born 8 January 1952  
in McAllen, TX.



97. iv. David TROLINGER, born about 1954 in TX.
87. Nancy Hart<sup>12</sup> TROLINGER, (Jack<sup>11</sup>, Henry Judson<sup>10</sup>, William Henry<sup>9</sup>, Henry T<sup>8</sup>, John<sup>7</sup>, Henry Jacob<sup>6</sup>, Adam<sup>5</sup>, Hans Michael<sup>4</sup>, Michael<sup>3</sup>, Wendelin<sup>2</sup>, Melchoir<sup>1</sup>), born 13 August 1927 in Mercedes, TX. She was married 28 December 1945, in Edinburg, TX to **Joseph A RICE**.

Children of Joseph A and Nancy Hart<sup>12</sup> (TROLINGER) RICE were as follows:

- + 98. i. Florence<sup>13</sup> RICE.
99. ii. Mary Lynn Trolinger RICE, born 24 November 1947.
100. iii. Suzanne Hart RICE, born 29 August 1950 in Dallas, TX. She was married Tom NAPIER.
90. John Shelby Jr<sup>13</sup> TROLINGER, (John Shelby Sr<sup>12</sup>, Jack<sup>11</sup>, Henry Judson<sup>10</sup>, William Henry<sup>9</sup>, Henry T<sup>8</sup>, John<sup>7</sup>, Henry Jacob<sup>6</sup>, Adam<sup>5</sup>, Hans Michael<sup>4</sup>, Michael<sup>3</sup>, Wendelin<sup>2</sup>, Melchoir<sup>1</sup>), born 8 November 1939 in Austin, Travis Co, TX. He was married 21 September 1962, in Portuguse Bend, Los Angeles Co, CA to **Judith Ann PRESSER**.

Children of John Shelby Jr<sup>13</sup> and Judith Ann (PRESSER) TROLINGER were as follows:

- + 101. i. John David<sup>14</sup> TROLINGER, born 26 July 1963.
102. ii. James Michael TROLINGER, born 10 June 1965 in Harbor City, LA Co, CA. 1994-Mike is still chasing the bad guys, although for awhile there, he was pushing papers at a desk job-He managed to tear the ligaments in his right foot-playing softball. Leg was in a cast for a month. They appear to have treated quick enough to avoid surgery. With exercise, his leg is regaining its strength.  
Mike brought a new girl home for Thanksgiving, the first since his breakup with DeeDee-will wait and see.
98. Florence<sup>13</sup> RICE, (Nancy Hart<sup>12</sup>, Jack<sup>11</sup>, Henry Judson<sup>10</sup>, William Henry<sup>9</sup>, Henry T<sup>8</sup>, John<sup>7</sup>, Henry



Jacob<sup>6</sup>, Adam<sup>5</sup>, Hans Michael<sup>4</sup>, Michael<sup>3</sup>,  
Wendelin<sup>2</sup>, Melchoir<sup>1</sup>). She was married Mr SNYDER.

Children of Mr and Florence<sup>12</sup> (RICE) SNYDER were as follows:

103. i. Max<sup>14</sup> SNYDER.

104. ii. Utah SNYDER.

101. John David<sup>14</sup> TROLINGER, (John Shelby Jr<sup>13</sup>, John Shelby Sr<sup>12</sup>, Jack<sup>11</sup>, Henry Judson<sup>10</sup>, William Henry<sup>9</sup>, Henry T<sup>8</sup>, John<sup>7</sup>, Henry Jacob<sup>6</sup>, Adam<sup>5</sup>, Hans Michael<sup>4</sup>, Michael<sup>3</sup>, Wendelin<sup>2</sup>, Melchoir<sup>1</sup>), born 26 July 1963 in Harbor City, LA Co, CA. He was married 27 March 1987, in Virginia Beach, VA to Carolyn Elizabeth LATHAM.

1994-David has moved up the corporate ladder in the computer world and they have moved to Lovettesville, VA. Geoffery keeps them on their toes.

Children of John David<sup>14</sup> and Carolyn Elizabeth (LATHAM) TROLINGER were as follows:

105. i. Geoffrey Lee<sup>15</sup> TROLINGER, born 28 September 1990 in Chesapeake, VA. Geoffrey is allergic to yellow veggies-especially carrots-which appears in practically all of the commerical babyfoods- Causes a rash on face.

1994-He's 4 years old now-talks like an adult and knows more about computers than I do. He does a good job of keeping everyone exhausted!



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TROLINGER, James Michael.....	1965..	CA.....	21.....	
TROLINGER, Jan.....	1947..	TX.....	19.....	
TROLINGER, John David.....	1963..		21.....	22
TROLINGER, John Phillip.....	1835..	MO.....	14.....	
TROLINGER, John Shelby Jr.....	1939..		19.....	21
TROLINGER, John Shelby Sr.....	1912..	TX.....	18.....	19
TROLINGER, Julie Ann.....	1948..	TX.....	20.....	
TROLINGER, Margaret.....			11.....	
TROLINGER, Mary.....			11.....	
TROLINGER, Mary Elizabeth.....	1829..	VA.....	14.....	
TROLINGER, Mary Jeanne.....	1947..		19.....	
TROLINGER, Michael Arthur.....	1952..	TX.....	20.....	
TROLINGER, Nancy Camille.....	1946..	TX.....	20.....	
TROLINGER, Nancy Hart.....	1927..	TX.....	18.....	21
TROLINGER, Phoebe.....	1786..	NC.....	11.....	
TROLINGER, Terrence William.....	1942..	TX.....	20.....	
TROLINGER, William Carpenter.....	1916..	TX.....	18.....	19
TROLINGER, William Henry.....	1827..	VA.....	14.....	14



Name of Descendant	Birth Date	Loc.	Page as Child	Page as Adult
TROLINGER, daughter	1906	TX	18	
TROLLINGER, Eliza	?1807	VA	13	
TROLLINGER, Elizabeth	1799	VA	12	
TROLLINGER, Henry Jacob	1731	GER	10	10
TROLLINGER, John	1771	NC	11	11
TROLLINGER, John Jr	1807	VA	13	
TROLLINGER, Mary	1796	VA	12	
TROLLINGER, Phoebe Katherine	1804	VA	13	
TROLLINGER, Sarah	1794	VA	12	



Your Name:  
James E. Bell  
 Date Born June 12, 1927  
 Where Born Black, Mo.  
 Date Married Apr. 30, 1960  
 Where Married St. Louis, Mo.

Name of Your Husband (or Wife):  
Oral E. Goggin  
 Date Born Apr. 9, 1926  
 Where Born Goodland, Mo.

Your Father's Name:  
2 Andrew George Bell  
 Date Born JAN 12, 1879  
 Where Born Black, Mo.  
 Date Married March 25, 1923  
 Date Died Nov 4, 1956  
 Where Died Black, Mo.

Your Mother's Name:  
3 Juanita T. Arisman  
 Date Born Oct 19, 1903  
 Where Born Boss, Mo.  
 Date Died: —  
 Where Died: —

Name of Your Father's Father:  
1 James Henry Bell  
 Date Born Feb. 26, 1840  
 Where Born Edge Hill, Mo.  
 Date Married: March 8, 1864  
 Date Died: Sept 27, 1917  
 Where Died: Ellington, Mo.

Name of Your Father's Mother:  
4 Elizabeth Goggin  
 Date Born Sept 1, 1844  
 Where Born Edge Hill, Mo.  
 Date Died: April 1, 1913  
 Where Died Chandler, Ok.

Name of Your Mother's Father:  
6 John Arisman  
 Date Born Sept 6, 1872  
 Where Born: Iron Co. Mo.  
 Date Married: Dec 6, 1893  
 Date Died: Apr 5, 1944  
 Where Died St. Louis, Mo.

Name of Your Mother's Mother:  
7 Minerva Dennison  
 Date Born Nov 22, 1876  
 Where Born: Black, Mo.  
 Date Died: March 9, 1904  
 Where Died Boss, Mo.

Name of Your Great Grandfather:  
8 Thomas Newton Bell  
 Date Born 1807?  
 Where Born: Green Co. Tenn.  
 Date Married: 1833 Mo.  
 Date Died: Dec. 18, 1887

Name of Your Great Grandmother:  
9 Mahala Cain  
 Date Born: Wash. Co. Mo.  
 Where Born Wash. Co. Mo.  
 Date Died: Mar. 30, 1893

Name of Your Great Grandfather:  
10 William J. Goggin  
 Date Born: May 1824  
 Where Born: Cumberland Co. Ky.  
 Date Married: 1843  
 Date Died: Jan 1903

Name of Your Great Grandmother:  
11 Margaret Caroline Ho.  
 Date Born: Oct. 14, 1821  
 Where Born Edge Hill Mo.  
 Date Died: June 3, 1878

Name of Your Great Grandfather:  
12 Noah Arisman  
 Date Born: June 30, 1851  
 Where Born: Renoake Co. Va.  
 Date Married: Mar. 28, 1870  
 Date Died: Aug 27, 1924

Name of Your Great Grandmother:  
13 Martha Matilda W.  
 Date Born: 1852?  
 Where Born: Smith Co. Tenn.  
 Date Died: Nov. 14, 1888

Name of Your Great Grandfather:  
14 John Burch Dennison  
 Date Born: Feb. 8, 1840  
 Where Born: Barron Co. Ky.  
 Date Married: 1865  
 Date Died: July 11, 1917

Name of Your Great Grandmother:  
15 Lucinda Trullinger  
 Date Born: Aug. 10, 1844  
 Where Born: Bedford Co. Ten.  
 Date Died: Feb. 24, 1923

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Name of Mr: E. G. Goggin  
 Born: Dec. 25, 1894  
 Where: Wilkes Co. N.C.  
 Married: Feb. 24, 1816

Name of Mr: E. G. G.  
 Born: After 1755  
 Where Born: Seaboard  
 Married: May 25, 1789  
 Died: About 1810

Name of Mr: E. G. G.  
 Born: 1830  
 Where: Penn.?  
 Died: 1897?

Name of Mr: E. G. G.  
 Born: after 1690  
 Married: 1799  
 Died: 1799

Name of Mr: E. G. G.  
 Born: 1799  
 Where: 1799  
 Died: 1799

Dear Friend or Relative:

Are you interested in gathering the history of our family? My earliest three generations are given above. Do you know the parents of any of the above ancestors; also any additional information concerning them? Your help is needed for information on your branch of the family. It may be that your family connects with mine. Please write the information that concerns our family on the reverse side of this sheet and return as soon as is convenient. If you know other persons who may be able to assist in this search, having their names and addresses would be appreciated. (Write them at the side). If you are interested in the history or records of these families, I would be glad to share with you what I already have. Thank you for your help and co-operation.

Sincerely,

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Found this in the "Love Letters" quarterly



From Gordon Drollinger  
1994

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# Er war mehr als ein schmeichelnder Hofpoet

## Vor 250 Jahren starb der baden-durlachische Geheimarchivar Carl Friedrich Drollinger

Am 1. Juni 1742 starb in Basel der baden-durlachische Geheimarchivar Carl Friedrich Drollinger im Alter von 54 Jahren. 50 Ratsherren und zahlreiche Bürger der Stadt geleiteten den markgräflichen Beamten und angesehenen Dichter zu Grabe, obwohl er keiner der ihren sondern fern der Schweiz in Durlach geboren war, wo bis heute nicht einmal ein Straßennamen den Poeten erinnert, dessen Werke der junge Goethe oft und gern zur Lektüre der väterlichen Bibliothek entnahm.

Drollingers Geburtsdatum, der 26. Dezember 1688, fiel zusammen mit dem Ausbruch des Pfälzischen Erbfolgekriegs, der im August 1689 zur Zerstörung der alten badischen Residenz unter dem Turmberg führte. Der markgräfliche Hof ging ins Exil nach Basel, wo er seit langer Zeit ein Quartier besaß. Der Rat Johann Martin Drollinger, seine Frau und das erst neun Monate alte Söhnchen flüchteten nach Verlust von Haus und Habe ins Oberland. Dort erhielt Vater Drollinger noch im bösen Jahr 1689 die Stelle des Burgvogts in Badenweiler und konnte seinen heranwachsenden Sohn so gründlich unterrichten lassen, daß Carl Friedrich schon 1703 die Universität in Basel bezog und 710 als Doktor beider Rechte promovierte.

Markgraf Karl Wilhelm, der neue Landesherr, berief den begabten jungen Mann in seine Umgebung, und die Begegnung mit der vitalen und geistsprühenden Fürstin mußte Drollinger einen tiefen Eindruck gemacht haben, denn er besaß seinen militärischen Ruhm: "Wie hat nicht Deinen Preis des Neides Mund erhoben/ Mein Held bewährte sich schon durch die ersten Proben/ Allein, was red' ich viel? Die Worte sind verloren/ Wer kennt nicht Deinen Mut? Er ist Dir angeboren..."

Dennoch wäre es völlig falsch, Drollinger als einen schmeichelnden Hofdichter abzutun. Er ruhnte ebenso das Friedensprogramm seines Herrn, als dieser seine neue Residenz in den stillen Hardtwald verlegt hatte: wo er "In seinem Carolsruh ein Eden sich erbaut/ Und da, wenn ihm die Last des schweren Zepters drückt/ An dem beblühten Schinuck sich Liebet und erquicket."

Als diese Verse des Gedichtes "An eine Hyazinthe" entstanden, war Drollinger schon wieder als neubestallter Hofrat mit Archiv, Bibliothek, Kunst- und Münzkabinett in den markgräflichen Hof zu Basel übergesiedelt, um nun mit den gebildeten Bürgern der Stadt. Er gewann Drollinger die Anerkennung und Freundschaft der Schweizer Gelehrten und Dichter Albrecht von Haller, Johann Jakob Breitinger und Johann Jakob Bodmer. Nachdem er zudem einen freundschaftlichen Brief-

wechsel mit dem Hamburger Lyriker Barthold Heinrich Brockes aufgenommen hatte, wandte sich der "helvetische Opitz", wie man den Badener nannte, von der gekünstelten sentimentalen Dichtung des Rokoko ab und wettete gegen die steife Metrik des französischen Versmaßes im zwölfhebigen Alexandriner: "Ihr Muses helft! Der Verse Tyrannei/ Ist allzu schwer, o, macht uns endlich frei..."

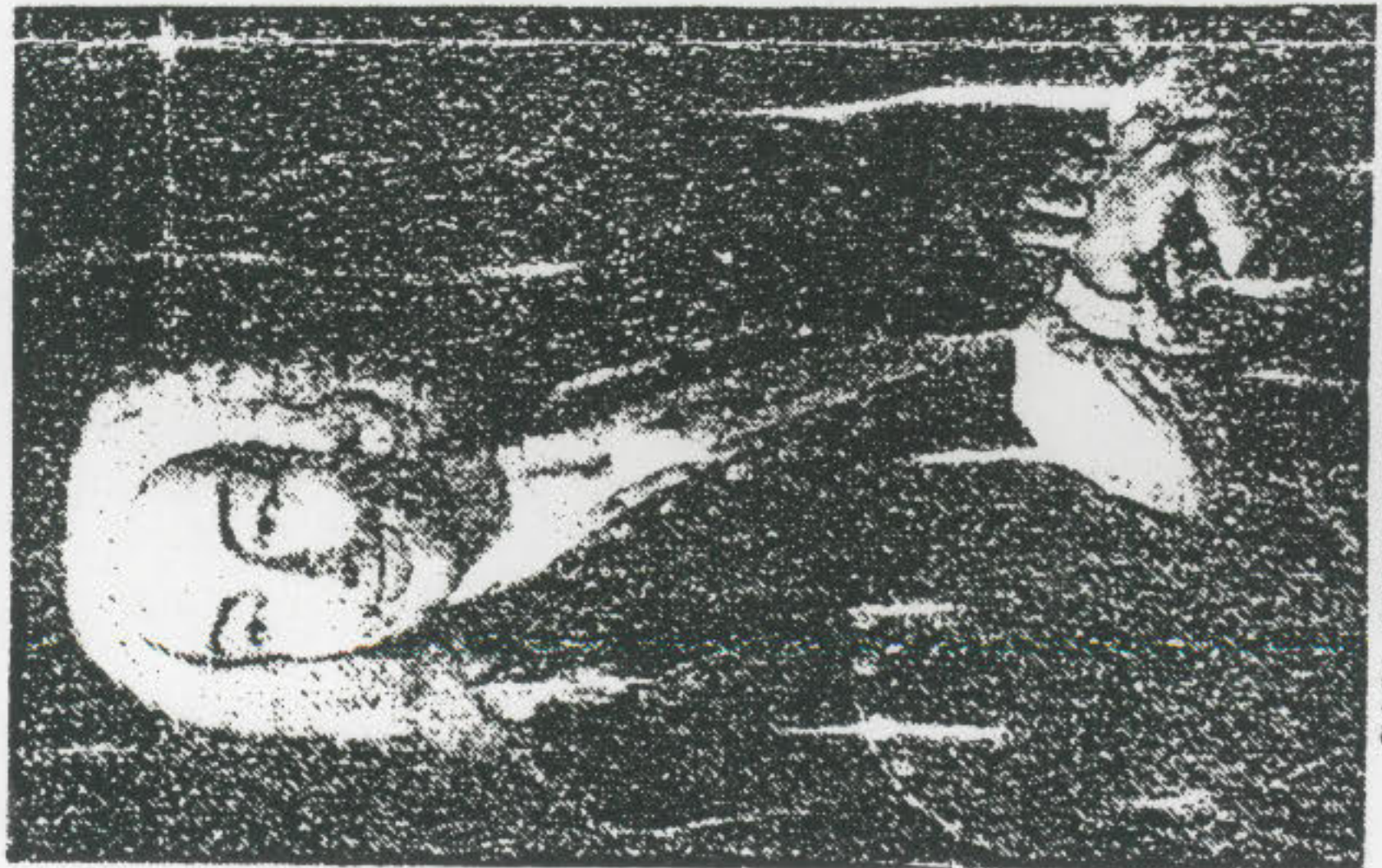
Lange vor Klopstock übernahm er der englischen Dichtung den Blankvers und schilderte, Blumenfreund wie sein Markgraf, eine Gärtnerin, die "... beladen mit der süßen Last/nach ihrer Hütte wiederkehrt/Da schüttelt sie mit lautem Lust/Den Raub, den wunderschönen Raub/ Der himmelblauen Blümchen Schatz/ Der werten Mutter in den Schoß."

Um 1730 schuf Drollinger eine an die großen Psalmen-Paraphrasen gemahnende Ode "Das Lob der Gottheit" und errang damit die Anerkennung des Literaturrichters Gottsched, der den Badener in seine Deutsche Gesellschaft zu Leipzig aufnahm. Es gereichte ihm weder zu Ruhm noch zur Bekanntheit, denn der bescheidene Drollinger verachtete unermüdliche Verseschmiede und spottete über sie: "Ist's möglich, daß ihr eure Leyer/bei einer jeden Kirchweih trillt/Ist's möglich, daß von solchem Feuer/auch nur die kleinste Ader schwillt...?"

Zeitlebens ließ er keine Veröffentlichung seiner Arbeiten zu. Sie erschienen, herausgegeben von dem Basler Professor der Poesie und Beredsamkeit und Mitglied in der Leipziger Deutschen Gesellschaft, J. J. Spreng, erst ein Jahr nach Drollingers Tod.

Die Gedichtsammlung erschien 1972 als Faksimile-Druck, und der Band enthält auch die wundervollen Verse, die "der größte Dichter Badens am Anfang des 18. Jahrhunderts" seinem Heimatland gewidmet hat: "O möcht ich für und für mit innigem Ergetzen Die Schätze der Natur gepaart mit andern Schätzen In Badens Grenzen sehen; sein Glück nie gestört, Sein Land an Segen reich; und was sein Boden nährt Verbessert durch den Fleiß, mit klugem Rat genützt Und durch Gesetz und Recht Gerecht und beschützt..."

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CARL FRIEDRICH DROLLINGER