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She married September 27, 1763 JOHANNES LOESCHER, about 8 months after her younger sister had married Geret Loescher, whom we think was a brother to Johannes. Geret was born at The Camp and was a son of Conrad. Apparently two brothers came to the Mohawk Valley and both married Dillenbachs. The Lasher Genealogy does not mention the Mohawk Valley Lashers at all, the historian apparently being oblivious to the fact that the Lashers in the two valleys were of one family as the Stone Arabia records testify.

Johannes and Anna Maria were sponsors for Maria Keyser in 1792 (Caughnawaga Records), daughter of Peter Keyser and Margretha Tillebach. She was sponsor for Christian Lederer in 1758; for Anna Margretha Salzman in 1755; and for Maria Casselman in 1759. Their children (Loescher, Lasher) :

- 81 Conrad, July 20, 1764. Conrad Leescher and wife.
- 82 Joannes, November 30, 1766. Johannes Dillebach, Elizabeth Sutz.
- 83 George, October 24, 1768. George Waggoner, Barbara Dillebach.
- 84 Magdalena, November 22, 1770. Henrich Salzman, Jr., Magdalena Dillebach.
- 85 Maria, January 1, 1773. Henrich Dillebach, Maria Schulz.
- 86 Elizabet, May 3, 1775. Martin Nestel, Elizabet.

17 ELIZABETHA DILLENBACH was born on April 4, 1740 in Stone Arabia. John Christian was sponsor at her baptism, also Catharine Elizabeth Wagner. She married April 10, 1764, MARTIN NESTEL, JR., the beginning of a long list of intermarriages of Dillenbachs and Nestles. They were sponsors for Martin Nostel of Gottlieb Nostel and Barbara Elizabeth in 1782 (German Flatts). The family Bible in which Martin kept a record came to hand through Fay Sitterly of Johnstown who received it from Daniel Nestle. The Bible was printed in 1730, in Tubingen, Germany, by Johann Cotta. Their children were (Nestle) :

- 87 Henrich, October 27, 1764. Henrich Dillebach, Maria Sutz. (See 59).
- 88 Martinus, November 3, 1766. Martinus Dillebach, Jr., Mar. Lena Dillebach.
- 89 Barbara, April 17, 1768. Andreas Dillenbach and wife.
- 90 Catharina, July 27, 1770.
- 91 Johann, February 19, 1772. Johannes Lescher and wife.
- 92 Anna Margreta, March 9, 1774.
- 93 George, April 2, 1777.
- 94 Elizabeth, March 30, 1780. Henrich Saltzman and Elizabeth.
- 95 Susannah, February 25, 1784. Marte Nestel, Susannah Ries.

18 HEINRICH DILLENBACH, JR., was born on March 29, 1741 in Stone Arabia. Sponsors at his baptism were Martin Tillenbach and Anna Devison. On a tombstone found in the old Geisenberg Church Cemetery in Hallsville, which stone we believe to be this Henry's, we read that he died on May 17, 1821, aged 78 years, 2 mos. and 11 days. If this is true he was born on March 6, 1743. We believe the Church Record to be correct. Old people sometimes forget their age. This tombstone is now in Trinity Lutheran Church at Stone Arabia. It is the oldest stone we have in the whole family. We know but little of the descendants of this Henry. He married CATHERINE BARBARA

Dillenbach, Jr., were engaged. While wounded he was found by an Oneida Indian to whom he had shown a kindness and this Indian removed him to his own wigwam and later helped him to return home. It is said of him that he was never able to speak English.

Their children (Koch, Cook) :

- 121 Elizabeth, September 30, 1773-March 31, 1860. Married Francis Fox.
- 122 John I., July 10, 1778. Johannes Dillenbach, Maria Eva.
- 123 Henry I., January 15, 1781.
- 124 Anna (Nancy), October 18, 1783-December 24, 1865. Married Caleb Beakley.
- 125 Magdalena, March 26, 1786. Married a Van Wie.
- 126 Benjamin, March 3, 1789.
- 127 Caspar I., November 15, 1791-April 8, 1857. Married Clarissa Vosburgh.
- 128 Maria, August 8, 1794-May 4, 1860. Married Henry Loucks.
- 129 Caspar, died in infancy.
- 130 Margaret, died in infancy.

22 BARBARA ELIZABETH DILLENBACH was born on June 22, 1752 in Stone Arabia. She was married on October 29, 1771 by Pastor England to GOTTLIEB NESTEL.

Gottlieb died on January 23, 1812, aged 68. He was born in 1744, probably in Germany, probably arriving in America in company with his brother Martin. He was married 41 years and was the father of 10 children, 4 sons and 6 daughters. We have the birthdays of six of them. One daughter passed on before his death. He suffered a stroke and for 12 years was crippled hand and foot. Four weeks before his death he had a second stroke which led to gangrene and his death. He was buried in the Lutheran Church Yard in Stone Arabia by Pastor Domier on June 26, 1812. Their children (Nestle) :

- 131 Maria, May 26, 1772. Andreas Tillenbach and wife.
- 132 Margaretha, November 6, 1773. John Lescher and wife.
- 133 Johann, March 9, 1778. John Koch and wife.
- 134 Elizabeth, March 27, 1780. Henrich Tillebach, Elizabeth Teigert.
- 135 Caroline, March 27, 1780. Henrich Tillebach, Elizabeth Teigert.
- 136 Martin, April 8, 1782. Martin Nestel, Elizabeth Koch.
- 137 Barbara Elizabeth, June 7, 1791. Martin Nestel, Elizabeth Koch.
- 138 Peter, (see 111).
- 139 Henry.
- 140 Ustena.

He made his will in Palatine in 1812. He mentions his wife, but not by name and makes bequests to his sons, John, Henry (unmarried), Martinus and Peter; and to his daughter Mary, wife of John Cnouts, his daughter Margert, wife of John Righter, Elizabeth, wife of Peter Righter, and Ustena and Barbel. We are unable to trace many of these descendants.

23 JOHANNES DILLENBACH was born in Stone Arabia about 1738. All we know of him is that he settled on Lot. 11, 3rd. concession at Osnabruck with his brother Martin. There was a J. Delabough who settled on Lot 7, 2nd concession, Cornwall (See Pringle: Lunenburg

Before the birth of Maria Margaret the parents had moved to Currytown.

In a will made in 1838, George mentions an Elias, a Josiah, a Jacob, a George I. E., all his sons; and Maria Keller, Peggy Van Slyke, Caty Lasher, Eliza Lasher, his daughters.

84 MAGDALENA LASHER was born in Stone Arabia November 22, 1770. She married ANDREW DILLENBACK (108), her own cousin. See him for descendants.

87 HENRICH NESTLE was born somewhere in Stone Arabia October 27, 1764. He married ELIZABETH DILLENBACH, daughter of Baltus Dillenbach and Maria Metzger. They were first cousins. His wife was probably named after his mother. They had (Nestle):

415 Elisabet, October 29, 1792. Martinus Dillebach, Elisabet Koch.

416 Johann Baltas, February 24, 1769. Balthas Dillebach, Elisabet.

88 MARTINUS NESTLE was born somewhere in Stone Arabia on November 3, 1766. He married an ELISABET LASHER. They had (Nestle):

417 Maria, March 19, 1798, (married Daniel Dillenback). Johannes Loescher, Maria.

418 Christophel, February 10, 1800. Christophel Shulz, Margaret.

419 Caterina, May 6, 1802. Jerg Loescher, Caterina.

420 Christian, August 4, 1804. Christian Nestel, Anna.

421 Elisabet, June 7, 1806. Johannes Loescher, Delia.

422 Magdalena, October 1, 1808. Andreas Dillenbach, Magdalena.

423 Margareta, June 6, 1811. John Koch, Magdalena.

424 Johannes, April 16, 1813.

425 Daniel, July 27, 1815. George Shultz, Elizabeth.

92 ANNA MARGARETHA NESTLE was born in Stone Arabia March 9, 1774. She married STOFFEL SUTS of Stone Arabia, August 18, 1797 and her family's record is found in the Family Bible of her father which came down to the present through her brother Christophel and his son Daniel. Their children (Suits):

425a Anna, February 17, 1798.

425b Marteinus, November 12, 1799.

425c Elizabeth, January, 1803.

425d Merea (Maria), January 25, 1805.

425e Josseia (Josiah), April 26, 1807.

425f Hairum (Hiram), 1811.

425g (Illegible, looks like Stephen).

97 MARGARET DILLENBACH married JAMES WELDON. They had (Weldon):

425h James, Jr., November 14, 1796.

98 HENRY DILLENBACH was born in all probability in the Geisenberg section of old Canajoharie District, south of the Mohawk. The time of his birth must have been about 1770. He died in 1824, since his will was probated in that year. We believe he was the son of Henrich, who was a brother to Captain Andrew and Captain John. Mary,

Sheriff Wetmore of Fulton County, in 1824 levied on property of Andrew J., as he was then called, to secure \$160.48, and sold 20 1-2 acres of his land in Palatine lying somewhat distant from his residence.

In 1800, Johannes Lasher and wife Maria of Palatine deeded to Andrew 4 acres south of his dwelling on the Indian Road. Andrew and his wife are buried in the Family Plot on the homestead. They had:

- 456 Philippina, November 2, 1797. Johannes Loescher, Delia.
- 457 Margaret, December 5, 1800, (see 376). Conrad Dillebach, Margaret.
- 458 James Loescher, October 20, 1802. Jacob Niher, Maria.
- 459 Johannes, May 17, 1804. Martinus Dillebach, Anna.
- 460 Levi, July 6, 1806. Rudolph Koch, Caterina.
- 461 Josiah, January 8, 1810. Andrew S. Gray, wife Elizabeth.
- 462 Nancy, December 6, 1816.

109 JOHN DILLENBACH was born in Stone Arabia March 3, 1776. He was called John J. later in life. He died in 1839 but we do not know where he was buried. He married MARIA ELIZABETH SEEBER, from the south side of the Mohawk near Canajoharie and quite likely lived in the neighborhood of Marshville where we find his descendants later. She was born December 3, 1776, the daughter of Wilhelm and Anna Elizabeth (Schnerr) Seeber.

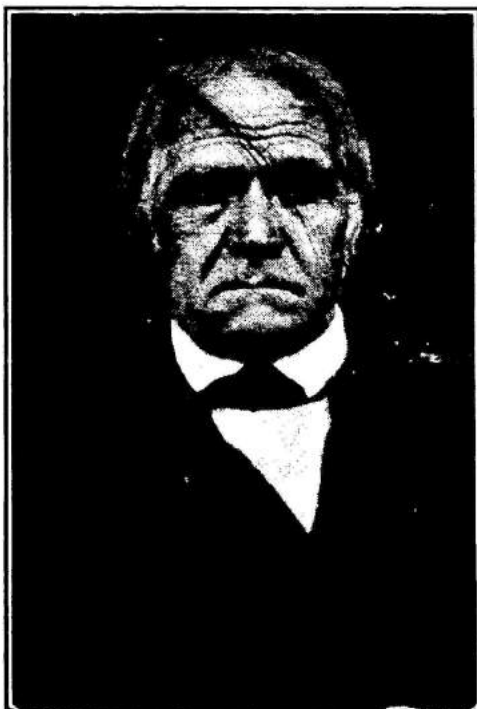
In 1798, when his father resigned his Captaincy in the Militia, John was made ensign in his father's old Company. In 1805, he was promoted to a Lieutenantcy in Col. Andrew Gray's Regiment. In 1806, he changed his place of residence (to the South Side, we think) and his place in the Company was filled by another.

Mrs. Dunn, a descendant says there were 12 children. We know of the following:

- 463 Maria Seeber, June 20, 1798. Martinus Seeber, wife Maria.
- 464 Daniel, September 8, 1799. Henry Koch, Margaret Dillebach.
- 465 Johannes, March 22, 1802-1869. Johannes Dillebach, Anna Eva.
- 466 Elizabeth, May 21, 1804. David Leit, Elisabet.
- 467 George Henry, (unmarried).
- 468 William Henry, March 29, 1827.
- 469 Peter.
- 470 Sally, (married William Lovering).
- 471 Betsy, (unmarried).
- 472 Henrich, August 14, 1811.
- 473 Catharine.

111 MARGARET DILLENBACH was born in Stone Arabia January 2, 1780. She was the oldest living daughter of Capt. John. She married PETER NESTLE (See 138), her own cousin, son of her Aunt Barbara Dillenburg and Gottlieb Nestle. They lived apparently in a number of places. At one time, south of the River in the Geisenberg section where the baptisms and births of some of the children are recorded. They lived for a while, how long, we do not know, but in all probability toward the latter end of their lives, in a little house south of the old Family Homestead, for a few are now living who remember their dwelling there. Their children (Nestle):

- 474 Benjamin, March 15, 1802. Martinus Dillenbach, Justina Nestel.
 475 Margaret, March 25, 1804. Gottlieb Nestle, Barbara.
 476 William, May 30, 1806. Johannes Dillenbach, Anna Eva.
 477 Maria (Mary), July 1, 1808.
 478 Conrad, February 26, 1810. Conrad Dillenbach, Margretha.
 479 Lidia, February 5, 1811.
 480 Barbara, March 16, 1813, (married Silas Walrath). John Nestle,
 Barbara Nestle.
 481 Sally (Sarah), September 17, 1815. Henrich I. Dillenbach, Sara.
 482 Peter Anderson, April 4, 1818. Andreas Dillenbach, wife Mag-
 dalena.
 483 Lucretia, (married Henry Coppernoll).



Martinus I. (114) and Elizabeth (Everson) Dillenbach

114 MARTINUS DILLENBACH was born in Stone Arabia January 19, 1786. He died June 9, 1859. He was a Lieutenant and then Captain in the American Army in the War of 1812. He had been in the militia before the War. His body lies in the Fort Plain cemetery. He lived about a mile east of the Upper Stone Arabia Corners on the old Indian Road. He married ELIZABETH EVERSON, daughter of Adam and Dorothy (Doxtader) Everson of Johnstown. She was born May 24, 1785 and died September 18, 1859. They were married in 1804 and were farmers of excellent repute and industry.

He was Supervisor of the Town of Palatine 1838-40; and 1844-45. He was known as Martinus I. in later years. Their children:

- 484 Elizabeth, August 14, 1805. Henrich Nestle, Elisabet.
 485 Magdalena, April 18, 1808.

- 538b Timothy.
- 538c Nicholas.
- 538d Benjamin H.

126 BENJAMIN COOK was a soldier in War of 1812. He was born in Montgomery county, 1789, and died February 10, 1876, in Michigan. He married NANCY NARE. They had (Cook):

- 538e Henry B.
- 538f John B., September 21, 1821-January 1, 1857.
- 538g Zacharias, March 26, 1824.
- 538h Catharine, October 27, 1827.
- 538i Edward, September 20, 1836-May 20, 1915.

133 JOHANN NESTEL was born in Stone Arabia March 9, 1780. He never married apparently. The Lutheran Church book relates that November 13, 1813, he left the house with a knife intending to kill a sheep. On the way to the barn he fell and the knife punctured his side to the depth of 4 inches. He wasted away during the winter and on the 2nd of the following May he died from the effects of the wound. He was buried from the Lutheran Church at 12 o'clock noon, May 4, 1814. He was laid away immediately beside Rev. Grosz, a deceased pastor of the Church. The tombstone of the pastor is still standing.

134 ELIZABETH NESTEL was born in Stone Arabia March 27, 1780. She died March 8, 1867. She married GEORGE SHULTS of Stone Arabia. George died January 9, 1875 in New Bremen, N. Y., aged 96 years, 3 months, 17 days. From them sprang 13 children and a long line of descendants. All their children were born in Stone Arabia. Their children (Shults):

- 544 Samuel, January 17, 1800.
- 545 Elizabeth, December 3, 1802, (see 304.)
- 546 Margaret, February 27, 1804, (died in infancy.)
- 547 Jacob, April 9, 1806, (unmarried.)
- 548 Benjamin, April 9, 1806-1856. (No issue.)
- 549 Catharine, May 7, 1808.
- 550 James, July 9, 1810.
- 551 Mary, September 20, 1812.
- 552 Nathan, April 17, 1815.
- 553 David, July 14, 1817.
- 554 Nancy, November 20, 1819.
- 555 Theophilus, March 15, 1822.
- 556 Levi, June 20, 1824.

136 MARTIN NESTEL was born in Stone Arabia April 8, 1782. He married CATERINA, family name unknown. Their children (Nestel):

- 557 Maria, June 6, 1804.
- 558 Georg, June 24, 1812. Georg Schimel, Barbara Nestel.
- 559 Daniel, June 18, 1816.

149 DAVID DILLABOUGH was born in Morrisburg, Canada, March 17, 1782. We think he is the father of:

- 559a Ezra Alzon, October 23, 1842 who was born in Iroquois, Canada.

- 1053 James, July 30, 1827, (unmarried.)
- 1054 Martin, September 1, 1829, (unmarried.)
- 1056 Josiah, January 4, 1832, (died in youth.)
- 1057 Daniel, September 19, 1834, (unmarried.)
- 1058 Levi, May 6, 1836, (unmarried.)
- 1059 Reuben, May 25, 1839.

These unmarried brothers with their sister Maria lived on the Nestle Homestead until they passed away one by one. Daniel outlived them all and the old home was willed by him to Daniel Sitterly, son of Fayette and Laura Sitterly, who, through Fayette, is found in this genealogy.

420 CHRISTIAN NESTEL was born in Stone Arabia August 4, 1804 and died May 22, 1872. He married MAGDALENA NEAHR who was born January 14, 1805 and died February 3, 1895. Their children (Nestle):

- 1060 Stephen, May 19, 1834.
- 1061 David, August 1, 1848.
- 1062 Kate, March 8, 1837, (see 1019.)
- 1063 Mary Elizabeth, August 26, 1845-June 18, 1873, (married John Russ; no children.)
- 1063a Henry Augustus, April 17, 1841.

424 JOHANNES (JOHN) NESTLE was born in Stone Arabia April 16, 1813. He married CATHARINE DILLENBACK, (see 383), his third cousin, and great granddaughter of Capt. Andrew Dillenback. They lived very close to the Nestle Homestead later known as the farm of "Brick Dan" Nestle, because of its being the only brick house for many miles around. She died January 9, 1901. He died July 16, 1878. Their children (Nestle):

- 1064 Sarah, June 28, 1836.
- 1065 Magdalene, March 18, 1838.
- 1066 Anna Margaret, May 28, 1840-June 29, 1885, (unmarried.)
- 1067 Andrew, February 9, 1843-January 10, 1876, (unmarried.)
- 1068 Eliza, June 19, 1846, (married John Dillenbeck, see 1021.)
- 1069 Aaron, August 31, 1848-June 20, 1874, (unmarried.)
- 1070 Daniel D., April 20, 1851-December 20, 1931, (unmarried.)
- 1071 Jerry, December 26, 1854-November 18, 1880, (unmarried.)

425 DANIEL NESTLE was born in Stone Arabia July 27, 1815. He married CAROLINE GASNER. He is buried in Trinity Church Yard at the head of Wall Street in New York City. He had chosen New York City as his home and was in business there. Their child (Nestle):

- 1072 John, (lived in Bay City, Mich.)

4251 HENRICH DILLENBACK was born on April 16, 1809. He married a COTY and they had:

- 1072a Mary Elizabeth, March 20, 1832.

425m MAGDALENA DILLENBACH was born in Minden, N. Y. in 1813, according to her tombstone, but according to the Church record on November 24, 1811. She died on January 10, 1883. She married JOSIAH CRANE who was a boatman upon the Erie Canal. They evidently lived at different places on the Canal system for one of their