

Register of Mennonites in Rovno Region, Volhynia, 1819-1820

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Register of Mennonite foreign colonists who settled in Rovno (Rivnenska) Region, Volhynia, on grounds owned by the town of Wegtzin in the estate of the landowner Waclav Borejko (Watzav Warike), with the record of: the religious background of the Mennonites; the number of people, both male and female, if they have signed a contract with the landowner; the amount they pay for the rent to the landowner and the amount of taxes they pay to the government fund. The file was compiled around 1819-1820.

Family	First and Last Names of Mennonites Colonists	Ages		Comments	Grandma #
		M	F		
1	Heinrich Dirks	33		These Mennonites left the Kingdom of Prussia in 1810. They settled in Rovno (Rivnenska) Region on grounds owned by the town of Wegtzin in the estate of the landowner Waclav Borejko (Watzav Warike) in 1811, upon conditions they have arranged with the landowner to whom they pay taxes (rent).	
	his wife Maria		47		
	son David	7			
	daughters Maria		16		
	Anna		9		
	Eva		1		
2	Andreas Buller	53			
	his wife Katherina		30		
	daughter Helena		2		
3	Jacob Richert	37			
	his wife Maria		33		
	Their children:				
	sons Jacob	10			
	David	5			
	daughters Katherina		12		
	Maria		1		
nephew Jacob Nachtigal	16				
4	David Nachtigal	22			265688
	his wife Anna		20		265689
	son Jacob	1			32566
5	Jacob Tzlivk [Zielke]	37			
	his wife Maria		46		
	sons Johan	11			
	Friedrich	2			
	daughters Maria		10		

	Katherina		8	
	Helena		1	
6	David Foth	47		
	his wife Maria		38	
7	Martin Bier [Beyer]	47		
	his daughter Pitrunega		20	
8	Heinrich Schperling [Sperling]	31		
	his wife Anna		25	
	daughter Helena		5	
9	Christian Teske	27		
	his brothers Samuel	23		
	Michael	21		
	their mother Anna		50	
10	Philip Bier [Beyer]	15		
	his mother Sara		35	
	daughter Helena		14	
11	Karl Baltzer	38		These Mennonites left the Kingdom of Prussia 1816 and in the same year they settled under the conditions of the same agreement as the colonists listed above.
	his wife Maria		28	
	son Karl	1		
	daughter Helena		2	
12	Johan Nickel	56		These Mennonites left the Kingdom of Prussia in 1799 and lived in Ostrog estate (district) and in 1817 they settled in the town Wegtzin under the same conditions as the colonists listed above.
	his wife Susanna		24	
	sons Andrew (age?)	20		
	Abraham	3		
	daughters Susanna		4	
	Helena		1	
13	Erdman Nickel	26		These Mennonites live in the places mentioned above (Rovno [Rivnenska] Region, town Wegtzin).
	his wife Eva		43	
	sons Samuel	12		
	Peter	10		
	Johan	3		
14	Karl Wedel	38		
	his wife Helena		38	
	their sons Karl	5		
	Dominik	1		
	Heinrich	17		
	daughter Elisabeth		3	
	Karl's brothers:			
	Heinrich	17		
	Peter	15		
	Dominik	24		

	his wife Magdalina		18		
	Jacob	22			
	his wife Anna		22		
	daughter Helena		1		
	their mother Maria		50		
15	David Koehn	51		These Mennonites left the Kingdom of Prussia in the year 1807 and in the same year settled in the town of Wegtzin, under the same conditions as the colonists listed above.	
	his wife Maria		32		
	daughters Anna		6		
	Elisabeth		5		
	Maria		3		
	Helena		2		
16	Peter Schmidt	32			58537
	his wife Eva		33		32748
	daughters Anna		8		103360
	Elisabeth		6		103361
	Maria		5		35227
					43102
17	Jacob Pankratz	27			43102
	his wife Anna		33		43133
	son Heinrich	5			43135
	daughters Anna		4		314106
	Helena		3		314107
18	Benjamin Buller	31			
	his wife Helena		25		
	sons David	2			
	Dominik	4			
	nephew David	15			
	Totals	44	46		

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