

FESTINA CHURCH MEMBERS 1857

(Below is from Membership List)

Schons, Frederick, wife: Margaritha, children: Catherina 10, Peter, Nicholas, Catherina, Elizabeth.

Frederick Schones (1820-1879) b. Hetzerath Bernkastel-Wittlich, Rhineland-Palatinate, Ger.
bur. Festina, Iowa.

1st wife:

Helena Weiland (1817-1845) b. Herforst, Bernkastel-Wittlich, Rhineland-Palatinate, Ger.
mar. 1842?

2nd wife:

Margaritha Billen (1822-1906) b. Herforst, Ger. bur. Festina.
mar. 1846 at Herforst, Ger.

The Schones family immigrated in 1852.

Children:

Catherina (1845-1922) b. Herforst, Ger. bur. Festina. mar. Eberhard Gerlemann.

Peter (1848-1928) b. Herforst. bur. Canute, Washita, Oklahoma. mar. Sophie Bartholome.

Nicholas (1850-1920) b. Herforst. bur. Canute, Washita, Oklahoma.

Catherine C. (1852-) b. Wisconsin.

Elizabeth (1856-) b. Festina.

Mary (1858-1931) b. Festina. bur. Calmar, Iowa. mar. Christ Rilling.

Phillip (1863-1952) b. Festina. bur. Canute, Washita, Oklahoma. mar. Rosa Bachel.

Peter Schones (Frederick's father) (1795-1860) b. Hetzerath, Ger. bur. Festina?

Peter lived with Frederick's brother, Henry, near Festina.

Another family that lived in Wisconsin before arriving in the Festina area.

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