

## Schnuck

John G. Schnuck , son of Johann Heinrich and Maria Elizabeth Schnuck, was born in Germany in 1830 and immigrated to America in the early fifties and settled in Missouri on a farm near Gooch's Mills. John G. Schnuck married Catherine Meyer, daughter of Henry and Anna (Bahlman) Meyer. She was born in 1842 in Cooper Co., Mo., and died in 1925. Catherine was born in 1842, died 1925.

John G. Schnuck owned and improved a farm of 225 acres East of Gooch's Mill. He died 8-2-1880 and was buried in Pleasant Grove cemetery.

Children of John G. and Catherine (Meyer) Schnuck were:

1. Mary Adaline, m. 6-16-1881 to Samuel Oerly. b. 1858, son of Ulrich and Margaret (Gatchet) Oerly. They had the following children: Henry W.; Herman H.; Frank J.; Florence M.; and Dora E.
2. Elizabeth, m. in 1880, Henry A. Renken, b. 6-26-1853, son of Eilert G. and Sophia Dorothy (Addix) Renken. They had the following children: Ida; Tillie; Florence; William H.; Leonora; and Clara.
3. Catherine, m. (?) Smith.
4. Henry E., b. 11-25-1866; m. 11-25-1897 to Ida Vieth, daughter of Benjamin and Elizabeth (Selck) Vieth. They had the following children: Lorine; Arthur; Lloyd; and Wilbur.
5. Annie, m. Ed Twillman
6. John H., b. 4-11-1874, d. 1946. m. (1) 11-23-1899 to Mary Magdalene Oswald. m. (2) 9-28-1911 to Josephine Christine Rossen.

John H. Schnuck was educated in the public schools of Cooper County, attending school at Gooch's Mill in Liberty district. For about three years, he was in a drug business at Gooch's Mill. He abandoned this and engaged in farming on the home place for a few years, then moved to his present farm, which comprises 188 acres, of valuable land. In addition to the home place, Mr. Schnuck owns a farm of 90 acres located one mile east of the home place. The Schnuck homestead is located one mile south east of the city limits of Boonville. John H. served in the Missouri House of Representatives, 51st and 52nd. General Assembly from Cooper County; 1921 thru 1924.

In 1899, John H. Schnuck was united in marriage with Margaret Oswald, b. 3-7-1875; d. 4-26-1909; a daughter of Herman and Christina Oswald. The following children were born:

1. Katherine, b. 11-11-1900, Cooper Co., Mo.; d. 2-15-1983, Muncie, Ind., buried Walnut Grove Cemetery, Boonville, Mo.; m. (1) Oscar Deuel, b. 1-18-1890, son of Linus W. and Nancy Jane (Davis) Deuel; d. 8-19-1963. Had one daughter Irene Katherine, b. 8-28-1920; d. 10-1985. m. (2) (?) Lohmar. Had issue of a dau. Billie, and a son John.
2. Beatrice, b. 6-14-1902, Cooper Co., Mo.; d. 5-6-1980, Cooper Co., Mo. No children.
3. John Oswald, b. 7-8-1904, Cooper Co., Mo.; d. 12-3-1957, Cooper Co., Mo. Never married.
4. Norbert, b. 1-15-1906, Cooper Co., Mo.; drowned, swimming in Missouri River.

5. Virgil Anthony, b. 9-26-1907, Cooper Co., Mo.; d. 10-7-1991. m. (1) Nellie Evans. (2) Ruth (Renison) Robinson. No children.

On 9-28-1911, John H. Schnuck was united in marriage with Josephine Christine Rossen, dau. of Mr. & Mrs. S. C. Rossen. They had issue of one child, Joseph, b. 1912; d. 9-1918.