

*Commemorating the 285th Anniversary of the Family's Arrival
in America*

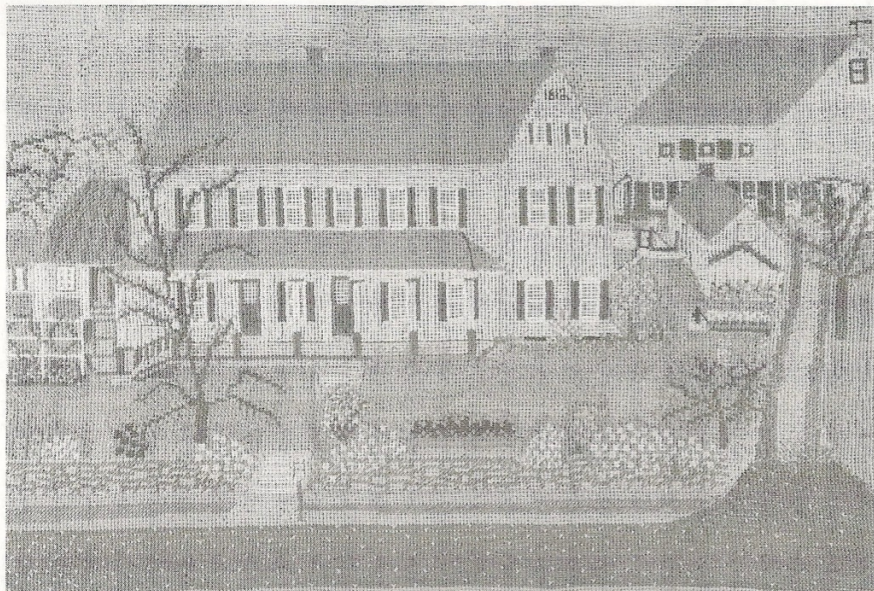
SIXTY-FIFTH ANNUAL REUNION

Kolb-Kulp-Culp Family

GOSCHENHOPPEN PARK

EAST GREENVILLE, PA

Sunday, June 14, 1992



GREEN HILL FARM, Bean Homestead, Skippack Township, Pa.

Needlework by Sara Kulp Bean (1896-1975), Creamery, Pa.

Done in 1936; 15 x 21 inches, one of 23 works extant.

Sara was an 8th generation descendant of immigrant, Martin Kolb.

1:00 to 2:30 Lunch

2:00 to 2:30 Music

Ralph Kulp of Fredericksburg, MD, accompanied by Ted Moyer of Line Lexington, PA, playing in the Country/Western style.

2:30 Invocation Isaac Clarence Kulp

Greetings by the President

Reunion Day Song

Report of the History Committee Joel Alderfer

Awarding of Prizes

Report of the Nominating Committee Rev. Jesse K. Hoffman
Shirley K. Miller, Ross Oberholtzer

Election of Officers

Report of the Secretary Ruth K. Oberholtzer

Report of the Treasurer Vernon Hunsberger

Offering

Music Interlude

Remembrance of our Religious Heritage

Devotions in German Isaac Clarence Kulp

Tribute to Deceased Members Isaac Clarence Kulp

Minute of Silence

Reunion Day Hymn: *Faith of Our Fathers*

PENNSYLVANIA GERMAN NEEDLEWORK Sandra Highouse

"America" (one stanza)

Prayer and Benediction Isaac Clarence Kulp

*We gratefully thank, once again, Robert Wenger for providing
sound amplification for this program.*

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

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John B. Kulp, Jr. (Deceased, May 1992)

Ross E. Oberholtzer

*History Committee



Our Speaker

SANDRA HIGHHOUSE

Sandra Highhouse of Harleysville, Pa., has been a student of Pennsylvania German textiles and needlework for the past twenty-four years. She has participated as a craftsperson at the Goschenhoppen Folk Festival since 1969 and is currently responsible for its 18th and 19th century fancy needlework exhibits and demonstrations. In past years, she has taught needlework classes during Institute at the Landis Valley Farm Museum at Lancaster and at its spring and fall craft courses, as well as conducting monthly needlework sessions for the Goschenhoppen Historians in prepara-

tion for the annual folk festival. One of her major interests is researching and replicating these early examples of the Pennsylvania German material culture. Miss Highhouse has served as Secretary and on the Board of Directors of the Goschenhoppen Historians, as well as Editor of its monthly newsletter.

Faith of Our Fathers and Mothers

(Dedicated to the Memory of the
Early Fore-Parents.)

Tune — "Faith of Our Fathers"

1.
Faith of Our Fathers, Living Still
In spite of dungeon, fire and sword;
O how our hearts beat high with joy,
Whenever we hear that glorious word
Faith of Our Fathers, Conquering Faith,
We will be true to Thee till death.

2.
Faith of our Mothers, Living Still,
In deeds of love and service free;
We gladly pledge our strength our all,
And humbly own our debt to Thee,
Faith of Our Mothers, Living Faith,
We will be true to Thee till death.

5.
Faith of Our Fathers-Mothers, Still,
In words and truths that never die;
Thy sons and daughters ever dear,
Shall claim the Faith that brings God nigh,
Firm in Our Fathers-Mothers, Faith,
Will keep us true to Thee till death.

Re-arranged by W. K. Schlotterer, 1936.

Reunion Day Song

Tune — "Is This The Crowning Day?"

1.
Happy-reunion day,
Glad day! Glad day!
God's own redeeming love;
Sheds radiant light from above
In welcome to all today.

— Chorus —
Glad day! Glad day!
This is reunion day;
Our ancestors came to this free land,
For truth and right
they deigned to stand;
Glad day! Glad day!
This is reunion day.

4.
Sacred-reunion day,
Glad day! Glad day!
May the "Kulp" family live.
Honor and praise e'er to give
To "Him" who reigns on for aye.

— Chorus —
Arranged by W. K. Schlotterer, 1938.

America

My country 'tis of thee,
Sweet land of liberty,
Of thee I sing;

Land where my fathers died
Land of the Pilgrim's pride,
From every mountain side,
Let freedom ring.

In Memoriam

| <i>Name and Address</i> | <i>Died</i> | <i>Age</i> |
|---|----------------|------------|
| Paul Wilson Culp, Sr., Huntingdon, Pa. | Aug. 24, 1958 | 56 yrs. |
| Thelma L. Culp Waggoner, Huntingdon, PA. | Feb. 1, 1972 | 48 yrs. |
| Harold C. Allebach, Worcester, Pa. | June 10, 1972 | |
| Paul Wilson Culp, Jr., Huntingdon, Pa. | Jan. 10, 1983 | 60 yrs. |
| Mary Brenneman Culp, Huntingdon, Pa. | Aug. 18, 1984 | 79 yrs. |
| Walter F. Kulp, Orange Park, Fl. | Jan. 23, 1987 | |
| Rose H. Kulp, Fredericksburg, Va. | July 26, 1987 | 84 yrs. |
| Merwin S. Kulp, Media, Pa. | 1989 | 84 yrs. |
| Emma Kolb Wisler, Quakertown, Pa. | July 19, 1989 | 84 yrs. |
| Donald Alderfer Kulp, Atlanta, Ga. | Aug. 25, 1990 | |
| Helen Moyer, Silverdale, Pa. | Sept. 18, 1990 | |
| Mr. & Mrs. Howard L. Hestand, Sellersville, Pa. | 1991 | |
| Mrs. Arthur W. Brown, Medford, Or. | 1991 | |
| Anna Saylor Kulp, Allentown, Pa. | Jan. 13, 1991 | 99 yrs. |
| Mary Krasnopera Kulp, Northampton, Pa. | April 30, 1991 | 74 yrs. |
| Harry A. Kulp, Jr., Glen Burnie, Md. | May 10, 1991 | 67 yrs. |
| Dorothy E. Culp, Gettysburg, Pa. | May 19, 1991 | 69 yrs. |
| William C. Ziegler, Telford, Pa. | Aug. 23, 1991 | 81 yrs. |
| Agnes High, Telford, Pa. | Oct. 22, 1991 | |
| Abram C. Hunsicker, Sellersville, Pa. | Dec. 7, 1991 | 86 yrs. |
| Pearl Schlosser, Hatfield, Pa. | Jan. 1, 1992 | 81 yrs. |
| Caroline Willard Kulp, Abington, Pa. | Jan. 29, 1992 | 82 yrs. |
| Albert Litka, Souderton, Pa. | Feb. 24, 1992 | 77 yrs. |
| William E. Shade, Telford, Pa. | April 6, 1992 | 90 yrs. |
| H. Leroy Kulp, Perkiomenville, Pa. | April 7, 1992 | 61 yrs. |
| Wilmer M. Kulp, Kulpville, Pa. | May 3, 1992 | 95 yrs. |
| John B. Kulp, Chalfont, Pa. | May, 1992 | |

ABRAM C. HUNSICKER (1905-1991)

"Abe" was well known to anyone who attended the Kolb/Kulp Family Reunion. In fact, many people attended just to get genealogical help from him.

He was born in Norristown, a son of John H. and Lena (Cassel) Hunsicker. He died Dec. 7, 1991 at Rockhill Mennonite Community, where he lived, with his wife Amanda. He retired in 1972 from Frederick Brothers Planing Mill, Pottstown. He had also been employed many years at Bush Brothers Planing Mill in Royersford. He was a member of Jerusalem Evangelical Lutheran Church in Schwenksville, where he was a director of the Sunday School.

Mr. Hunsicker was a well-known genealogist. He was also a member of the Pennsylvania German Society, the Mennonite Historians of Eastern Pennsylvania, the Historical Society of Montgomery County, the Bucks County Historical Society and the Goshenhoppen Historical Society.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by one son, the Rev. John H. Hunsicker of Houston, Texas and two granddaughters. He left a great deal of genealogical materials, books and papers, which his wife has given to the Mennonite Historical Society, Yoder Road, Harleysville.

He was a member of the Kolb/Kulp Family Association Program Committee from 1953 to 1991 and a member of the Historical Committee from 1969 to 1991. He was President of the Association in 1975 and 1976 and Vice President from 1970 to 1974.