

Chapter 13: The Lueck Family Tree

Maternal Lineage of Mary Bloedow Kuehl

Tracing history through Mary's Mother Auguste Tugenreich Lueck

Much of the book to this point has been about the paternal ancestors of Grandma Mary Bloedow Kuehl, that is, relatives of her father Ferdinand. Now we'll turn to Grandma Mary's maternal ancestors, that is, relatives of her mother Auguste. Auguste's maiden name was Lueck. We're grateful to Otto F Bloedow for his painstaking research digging through historical records to gather this information.

THE LUECKS - FAMILY OF AUGUSTE LUECK BLOEDOW WHO WAS MOTHER OF MARY BLOEDOW KUEHL

The mother of Mary Bloedow Kuehl was Augusta, born into the family Lueck.

Auguste's parents were Wilhelmina Schlabritz(ke) and Gottlieb Lueck. It is not known where Gottlieb or Wilhelmina were born, where they lived, or where they died. Likely it was in the village of Klein Silber or the immediate areas of Kreis Arnswalde (Province of Brandenburg) or Kreis Saatzig (Province of Pomerania).

Wilhelmina Schlabritz(ke) and Gottlieb were the maternal grandparents of Mary Bloedow Kuehl. The Luecks had three children – Herman, Auguste, and Wilhelmina. Auguste was the mother of our grandmother Mary. Then sometime between 1846 and 1856 Wilhelmina Schlabritz(ke) died. And this is all we know about Mary Bloedow Kuehl's maternal grandmother Wilhelmina.

Gottlieb remarried, this time to another Wilhelmina - Wilhelmina Lutlow. As far as we know, their first child was Amelia, a half sister to Augusta. Apparently there were more children from this second marriage. From Amelia's obituary we learn that Amelia had four brothers, not named. But if she had more siblings, (half-siblings to Augusta) we simply don't know. Regarding Gottlieb,

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Schlabritz or Schlabritzke?

The name of Auguste's mother in some documents is spelled "Schlabritz. In other documents a "ke" is added at the end - Schlabritzke. **In this book we will be using the name Schlabritz(ke)** - a compromise between the two.

Various spellings of names adds confusion to genealogy research



You'd think you can count on a person's name being permanent. Well, in genealogy research you learn that "It isn't necessarily so." Here are examples of name variations in the Lueck family.

FATHER OF AUGUSTE - IS IT GOTLIEB OR CARL?

At one time a member of Auguste's step-family who lives in the St James, MN area mentioned to Otto F Bloedow that Augusta's father was known in their family as Carl ... to which she added "Carl with a 'C'". In Germany the spelling would have been with a "K", as in Karl. It's possible that if Auguste's father was using the name Karl, he would have Americanized it to Carl.

Interestingly enough, Auguste named not just one of her sons Carl, but two. They being **Carl** "William" Frederick Wilhelm Bloedow, and **Carl** "Charlie" Gustav Bloedow. And both men's names are spelled with a "C".

As this book goes to print, there are no known documents nor gravestone for a Carl, Gottlieb Carl, nor Carl Gottlieb Lueck. However, what is recorded as "father" on obituaries and death records of Auguste, her brother Herman, and step sister Amelia is the name "Gottlieb". We suggest future genealogists might do well to research him under both the name of Gottlieb and Carl.

In this book we will be using the name "Gottlieb Lueck" as this is the name given by the families for the obituaries and death records for Auguste, Herman and Amelia.

HOW IS LUECK SPELLED IN AMERICA?

The German alphabet includes vowels with an umlaut. The umlaut, two dots aligned horizontally above a vowel, slightly alters the sound of the vowel. The umlaut is not used in America. Rather, the correct substitution is to follow the vowel with the letter "e". K^ühl (with umlaut u) becomes Kuehl. Bl^ödow (with umlaut o) becomes Bloedow. L^ück (with umlaut u) becomes Lueck.

In the obituaries or death certificates of Auguste and her siblings, we find various spellings for the name Lueck.

Herman J.J's last name is **Luck**. His father is said to be Gottlieb **Luck**.

Auguste Christine Tugendreich is **Lueck** Bloedow. Her father's name is spelled as Gottlieb **Lue**.

The newspaper obituary for Wilhelmina Nickel (no maiden name given) writes her father's name as **Luck**.

And Amelia's given name is Johanna Emilie Albertine **Lue** Grabow. Her father's name appears as Gottlieb **Lueck**.

According to Vernon Bloedow, Gotlieb is buried in a cemetery near St James, Blue Earth County, MN.

Although the mother of Auguste, Herman, and Wilhelmina is not the same mother as Amelia's, each is born as a Lueck.

Sometime between 1846 and 1856 Gotlieb remarried and fathered at least Amelia. Family narrative indicates that Auguste's mother had died by the time her father came to America.


It was with the second wife Wilhelmina that Gotlieb would have come to America. Their daughter Amelia, 26, arrived in America in 1879, as did Wilhelmina Lueck (sister of Auguste) with her family. It's likely, though not confirmed, that Wilhelmina and Amelia (Auguste's sister and half sister) traveled together, arriving in America on the same ship, same date. Augusta's brother Herman (as a single man) stepped foot on American soil in April, 1869.

We can only imagine the cheers and tears of joy when upon her arrival in Springfield Auguste was reunited with her sister Wilhelmina, brother Herman, her half-sister Amelia, and likely even her father Gotlieb. What a welcoming that must have been.

The Lueck Family
Maternal lineage of Mary Bloedow Kuehl
through Mary's mother Auguste Lueck Bloedow
 (from obituaries and death records gathered by Otto F Bloedow)



Auguste

Great Grandparents of Mary Bloedow Kuehl	We have no information on this generation	
<p><u>Generation 1</u></p> <p>Father and mother of Auguste/Augusta (who was Mary's mother)</p> <p>Grandparents of Mary Bloedow Kuehl</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Gotlieb Karl Lueck (Father of Augusta)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Married his first wife</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Wilhelmina Schlabritz/Schlabritz(ke) Lueck</p>	<p>Born: Likely born near Klein Silber. Died: Minnesota; buried in a cemetery near St James, MN, Blue Earth Co. (says Vernon Bloedow)</p> <p>Born: Likely born near Klein Silber. Died: Likely in Klein Silber area sometime between 1846 and 1856 (no other data is known)</p>
<p><u>Generation 2</u></p> <p>Mary Bloedow Kuehl's mother Auguste and Auguste's siblings.</p> <p>Auguste died sometime between 1846-1856. This is all that is known.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Auguste Christine Tugendreich Lueck Bloedow (Daughter of of Gotlieb and Wilhelmina Schlabritz(ke) Lueck)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Married On October 6, 1865, assumed in Klein Silber</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Ferdinand Bloedow</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Siblings of Auguste</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Herman J.J. Lueck (Brother of Augusta; Uncle of Mary Bloedow Kuehl)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Wilhelminna Lueck Nickel (Sister of Augusta Aunt of Mary Bloedow Kuehl)</p>
<p><u>Generation 3</u></p> <p>Mary Bloedow Kuehl and her siblings</p> <p>Marie is our grandmother Mary Bloedow Kuehl</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Marie (Mary) Bloedow Kuehl (daughter of Ferdinand and Auguste)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Married On February 15, 1894 Willow Lake Township</p> <p style="text-align: center;">William Kuehl</p> 	<p style="text-align: center;">(Siblings of Mary Bloedow)</p> <p>Carl (William) Frederick Wilhelm Wilhelmine (Minnie) Henrietta Augusta (Gustie) Herman William Ferdinand F. One child born, died in Germany August Friedrich Karl Carl (Charlie) Gustav Frank Conrad (infant) Albert Franz (infant) Emma (infant) Emil Gottlieb</p>

<p>Generation 4 Children of Mary and William Kuehl</p>	<p>Albert Kuehl</p> <p>Charles (Charley) Ferdinand Kuehl</p> <p>Augusta (Gustie) M. Kuehl Sandmann</p> <p>Theodore (Ted) E. Kuehl</p> <p>William (Bill) A. Kuehl</p>	<p>b. October 17, 1894 at home in Willow Lake Township, Wanda, MN d. February 14, 1895, age 3 months, 28 days</p> <p>b. January 18, 1896 at home in Willow Lake Township, Wanda, MN d. August 19, 1981, age 85</p> <p>b. August 18, 1899 at home in Willow Lake Township, Wanda, MN d. August 21, 1981, age 82</p> <p>b. February 17, 1903 at home in Willow Lake Township, Wanda d. May 7, 1983 in Lamberton, MN, age 80</p> <p>b. June 14, 1905 at home in Willow Lake Township, Wanda d. June 22, 1975 in Walnut Grove, MN, age 70</p>
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The story resumes with Gotlieb's second marriage.

<p>Generation 1 Second wife was step-mother to Mary Bloedow Kuehl</p>	<p>GOTLIEB LUECK</p> <p>Married his second wife</p> <p>WILHELMINA LUTLOW</p>	<p>Born: likely born near Klein Silber in Prussia, Germany Died: Minnesota</p>
<p>Generation 2 Children of Gotlieb Lueck's second marriage These are Mary's half-siblings</p>	<p>Johanna Emilie Albertine Luke Grabow (Amelia) (Half sister of Auguste - who is half-aunt to Mary Bloedow Kuehl)</p> <p>Four sons (names unknown) Half brothers of Auguste - who is mother of Mary Bloedow Kuehl</p>	<p>Amelia's obituary mentions four brothers, but they are not named. If there were more half-uncles to Mary Bloedow Kuehl, we simply don't know.</p>



Gotlieb Marries Wilhelmina Twice

After Auguste's mother died, her father Gotlieb married again. The first wife was Wilhelmina Schlabritz/ke, the second wife Wilhelmina Lutlow. Both were Wilhelmina.

Wilhelmina #2 would never know if when her husband endearingly whispered "Wilhelmina" into her ear he was having a memory lapse and thinking of his first wife.

Children of Gotlieb Lueck and his first wife - Wilhelmina Schlabritz(ke)

Who are parents of Auguste, mother of Mary

Family Tree (person on this page is bold)
Gotlieb Lueck (1st wife: Wilhelmina Schlarbritzke Children: HERMAN , Auguste, Wilhelmina
Gotlieb Lueck (2nd wife: Wilhelmina Lutlow Children: Johanna (Amelia), and 4 sons

**HERMAN - first child of first wife
Brother of Auguste, Mary's mother
Uncle to Mary Bloedow Kuehl**

Herman J. J. Luck, Sr. [Lueck]

Born/date & Location	June 20, 1840, Klein Silber
Father	Gotlieb Luck [Lueck]
Mother	Wilhelmina ? Schlaber....ske (can't read). Appears close enough to "Schlabritzke" that is on Wilhelmina's death cert.
Death/date & Location	January 13, 1914, home, Jeffers, Cottonwood Co., MN
Death certificate #	1914-MN-002903
Spouse	Caroline Louise Keller who died May 3, 1937
Married	Dec. 7, 1869, WI
Children	Six children: Mrs. C. Essig; E. J. Luck; H. J. Luck; Mrs. P. A. Prodoehl; Mrs. H. E. Harmon She died 6 yrs after her father; Miss Hertha Luck (married after death of her father)
Siblings	4 brothers/3 sisters mentioned in obit. but no names given. Auguste, Wilhelmina & Amelia would have been living in 1914
Church	Germantown Evangelical, Cottonwood County, MN
Buried at and date	Red Rock Cemetery, Germantown Twp., Cottonwood County, MN
Immigrated to US	April 1869
First went to	WI
Relocated to	Germantown, Cottonwood Co., MN in 1874-March 1, 1909
Residence at time of death	Jeffers, Cottonwood Co., MN
Age at death	73 yrs 6 mos 24 days
Cause of death	"Probably cancer of the stomach"
Military Service in Prussia	Served in Prussian army 1864-1868--obit says "German Prussian War"

In transcribing Herman's obituary, Otto F. Bloedow noted the following.

Brother-in-laws likely Serving Together in War

Our Great-Grandmother Augusta's brother Herman, from Klein Silber, served in the Prussian military in 1864 – 1868. Augusta's husband Ferdinand also served in that war. Ferdinand and Herman are brothers-in-law from the same small town ... it's likely they may have been in the same unit, serving in the Prussian military together.

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 Children: **HERMAN**, Auguste, Wilhelmina
 Gotlieb Lueck (2nd wife: Wilhelmina Lutlow
 Children: Johanna (Amelia), and 4 sons

**Spouse of Herman J.J. Luck Sr.
 Aunt (by marriage) to Mary Bloedow Kuehl**

Wife of Herman: Caroline Louise (Keller) Luck

Born/date & Location	May 7, 1850, Lobsens, Germany
Father	Ferdinand Keller
Mother	Anna Marie Hentenberg
Death certificate #	1937-MN-002936
Death/date & Location	May 3, 1937 at home of her daughter Mrs. T. A. Wartman, Jeffers, Cottonwood Co., MN
Spouse	Herman J. J. Luck [Lueck]
Married	Conflicting date for marriage: Her obit. Dec. 8, 1871 & in her husband's, Dec. 7, 1869-WI
Children	Eight in her obituary (five survive): Mrs. C. Essig (Amelia), Jeffers; E. J. Luck, Jeffers; Mrs. P. A. Prodoehl (Lena), Renville, MN; Mrs. T. A. Wartman (Hertha), Jeffers; Otto died at age 6, Annie Blank in 1911 & Mrs. H. E. Harmon (Erna) in 1920-she was living when her father died
Siblings	E. G. Keller of Rochester; Emilie Block of Fullerton, CA
Church	Red Rock Evangelical
Buried at and date	Red Rock Cemetery, May 5, 1937
Immigrated to US	1868
First went to	WI
Relocated to	Germantown, Cottonwood Co., MN in 1875 in her obit, 1874-Mar. 1, 1909 in her husband's obit. Both have same month/day but not year
Residence at time of death	
Age at death	86 years 11 months 26 days
Cause of death	"Old age" "Slight paralysis & fracture of hip 3 mos"
Misc.	Joined the Evangelical Church at Fox Lake, WI
	Farmed a half section of land
	19 grandchildren
	16 great-grandchildren
	Pall bearers named are 5 great-grandsons: Glenard & Alvin Essig, Willard Blank, Kermit & Wilford Nickel and grandson, Herman Luck

Children of Gotlieb Lueck and his first wife Wilhelmina Schlabritz(ke)

Family Tree (person on this page is bold)
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Gotlieb Lueck (2nd wife: Wilhelmina Lutlow Children: Johanna (Amelia), and 4 sons)

**AUGUSTE - second child of first wife
Sister of Herman and Wilhelmina
Mother to Mary Bloedow Kuehl**

Auguste Christine Tugendreich (Lueck) Bloedow

	Note: Tugend means "virtue" & reich, when used as an adjective, means "rich" so the meaning is rich in virtue
Born/date & Location	May 18, 1844, Klein Silber, Kreis Arnswald, Prussia
Father	Gotlieb Lueck (on death cert. "Gotlieb Luke")
Mother	Probably Wilhelmina Schlabritzke as that is same as Herman's mother. Herman born in 1840, Auguste born in 1844 and Wilhelmina born in 1846 all have the same mothers name. It appears that Amelia's mother was Wilhelmina Lutlow. This leads credence to oral narrative that Gotlieb had 2 wives
Death certificate #	1933-MN-012294
Death/date & Location	Oct. 21, 1933, at home of daughter, Augusta (Gustie) Lauer in Lamberton, Redwood Co., MN
Spouse	Ferdinand Bloedow who died February 19, 1900
Married	Oct. 6, 1865 in Germany
Children	13 - 9 sons & 4 daughters (1 died in Prussia & 4 died in MN). 8 living at time of death
Siblings	No mention of siblings in her obit. Unknown-3 substantiated at this time-12/11/13
Church	Zion Lutheran, Lamberton, MN
Buried at and date	St. Matthews Cemetery, Waterbury Twp., Redwood Co., MN
Immigrated to US	July 28 1880
First went to	Springfield, Brown Co., MN
Relocated to	Willow Lake Twp., Redwood Co., MN. Move from Springfield to Willow Lake was spring 1885
Residence at time of death	Home of daughter, Augusta (Gustie) Lauer in Lamberton, Redwood Co., MN
Age at death	89 years, 5 months, 3 days
Cause of death	"Passive congestion of the lungs. No one saw accident. She was shopping and fell. When brought home her leg was found broken. D. Gleysteen, M.D."
Misc.	20 grandchildren & 11 great-grandchildren--conflict between Lamberton paper and Christ Lutheran paper that says, "24 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren."
Misc.	Death certificate has her name as "Mrs. Ferdnand Bladow" both spelled incorrectly. This is important if trying to locate her death in public records.

Great Grandmother Auguste's Middle Name of Tugenreich could be a Family Name

An observation by Otto F Bloedow: Mary Bloedow Kuehl's niece Elenora Bloedow had a middle name of Tugenreich – same as our Great- Grandmother Auguste. [She was christened as Auguste Christine Tugendreich Lueck] This leads one to believe - but-not-proven – that Tugenreich was a family name from one side or the other given to Great-Grandmother Auguste Bloedow Lueck.

Children of Gotlieb Lueck and his first wife Wilhelmina Schlabritz(ke)
 (Husband of their daughter Auguste)

Family Tree (person on this page is bold)
 Gotlieb Lueck (1st wife: Wilhelmina Schlarbritzke
 Children: Herman, **AUGUSTE**, Wilhelmina
 Gotlieb Lueck (2nd wife: Wilhelmina Lutlow
 Children: Johanna (Amelia), and 4 sons

Spouse of Auguste
Father to Mary Bloedow Kuehl

Ferdinand Bloedow

Born/date & Location	January 23, 1838 at Klein Silber, Kreis Arnswald
Father	Unknown
Mother	Unknown
Death certificate #	Unknown
Death/date & Location	February 19, 1900 on his homestead, Willow Lake, Twp. Redwood Co., MN
Spouse	Auguste Christine Tugenreich Lueck
Married	Oct. 6, 1865 in Prussia (assumed Klein Silber)
Children	13 with nine living (one died in Prussia & three in MN)
Siblings	None mentioned
Church	St. Matthews Lutheran Church, Waterbury, Twp.
Buried at and date	St. Matthews Lutheran Cemetery, Waterbury Twp. February 21, 1900
Immigrated to US	Wednesday July 28 1880
First went to	Springfield, Brown Co., MN
Relocated to	Willow Lake Twp. Five years later
Residence at time of death	His farmstead, Willow Lake, Twp.
Age at death	62 years
Cause of death	Heart failure
Misc.	He served in the Prussian military twice. Refer to photo of him in uniform

Children of Gotlieb Lueck and his first wife - Wilhelmina Schlabritz(ke)

Who are parents of Auguste, mother of Mary

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**WILHELMINA - third child of first wife
 Sister of Auguste - Mary's mother
 Aunt to Mary Bloedow Kuehl**

Wilhelmina [Lueck] Nickel

Born/date & Location	February 3, 1846
Father	[Gotlieb] death certificate only says "Luck"
Mother	Minnie Schlabritzke
Death certificate #	1927-MN-002806
Death/date & Location	Jan. 29, 1927, at old homestead, home of her son W. A. Nickel, Germantown Twp., Cottonwood Co., MN
Spouse	Wilhelm Nickel (death says "William")
Married	November 11, 1866 in Germany
Children	Nine children (six living): August Nickel; William A. Nickel; Fred Nickel; Mrs. G. A. Pankonin of Germantown; Mrs. Henry Karrow of Amboy; Mrs. L. H. Block of Santa Ana, CA
Siblings	NO MENTION OF SIBLINGS IN OBITUARY
Church	Red Rock Evangelical Church
Buried at and date	Assumed cemetery by church. Death certificate says, "Germantown" Feb. 1, 1927
Immigrated to US	1879 with her husband
First went to	Germantown Twp., Cottonwood Co., MN
Relocated to	Moved to Lamberton upon retirement in 1906
Residence at time of death	Her old homestead, home of her son W. A. Nickel, Germantown Twp., Cottonwood Co., MN
Age at death	80 years 11 months 25 days
Cause of death	Pulmonary hemorrhage
Misc.	Leaves 37 grandchildren & 25 great-grandchildren
Misc.	Index to death certificate has her name as "Wilhelina Nickel" first name spelled incorrectly. This is important if trying to locate her death in public records. It is spelled correctly as "Wilhelmina" on the certificate

Wilhelm and Wilhelmina

Augusta's sister **Wilhelmina** Bloedow married **Wilhelm** Nickel. The similarity in the names is an interesting coincidence.

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**Spouse of Wilhelmina
 Uncle (by marriage) to Mary Bloedow Kuehl**

Wilhelm Nickels

Born/date & Location	
Father	
Mother	
Death certificate #	
Death/date & Location	
Spouse	Wilhelmina Lueck
Married	November 11, 1866 in Germany
Children	Nine (six living)
Siblings	
Church	
Buried at and date	
Immigrated to US	
First went to	
Relocated to	
Residence at time of death	
Age at death	
Cause of death	
Misc.	

Step-family of Auguste Bloedow

Children of Gottlieb Lueck and his second wife Wilhelmina Lutlow

(These are half aunts and uncles of Mary Kuehl Bloedow)

Family Tree (person on this page is bold)

Gottlieb Lueck (1st wife: Wilhelmina Schlarbritzke)

Children: Herman, Auguste, Wilhelmina

Gottlieb Lueck (2nd wife: Wilhelmina Lutlow)

Children: **JOHANNA** (Amelia), and 4 sons

Amelia - first child of second wife

Half-sister of Auguste - Mary's mother

Half-aunt to Mary Bloedow Kuehl

Amelia Grabow [Lueck] born as Johanna Emilie Albertine Luke [Lueck]

Born/date & Location	June 3, 1853 at Brandenburg, Germany
Father	Gottlieb Lucke (as spelled on death certificate). It should be Lueck
Mother	Willamena (as spelled on death certificate). Assumed to mean Wilhelmina Lutlow
Death certificate #	1939-MN-013001
Death/date & Location	Dec. 16, 1939 Waterbury Township, Redwood Co.
Spouse	John Grabow/died July 11, 1930
Married	June 1, 1880 at Red Rock, near Lamberton, MN
Children	Eight children (five living): Ida (Mrs. F. W. Grabow of Brook Park, MN. At time of her father's death she lived in Bowbells, ND; John Grabow, Jr. of Springfield. At time of his father's death he lived in Springfield; Edward of Lamberton. At time of his father's death Edward lived in Springfield; Emil Grabow of Kasota. At time of his father's death Emil lived in Springfield; Minnie (Mrs. Herman Schiller) of Lamberton. At time of her father's death she lived in Lamberton; Herman, Henry and Albertine preceded their father in death
Siblings	Only mentions leaving 4 brothers-not named. Wilhelmina was dead. Auguste was still alive--this poses a question. Appears that she did not have the same mother as Auguste. Did she not consider her a sister? Or some conflict?
Church	Zion Lutheran, Lamberton, MN
Buried at and date	Springfield City Cemetery, Brown Co.
Immigrated to US	1879, the same year as her sister Wilhelmina and family
First went to	Lamberton, MN
Relocated to	North Star Twp., Brown Co. (Springfield) when married
Residence at time of death	
Age at death	86 years 5 months 13 days
Cause of death	"Chronic Nephritis with high blood pressure"
Misc.	Leaves 18 grandchildren & 6 great-grandchildren

Johanna Emilie Albertine, known as Amelia

Johanna Emile Albertine went by her middle name Emilie, spelled Amelia. As if solving the mysteries of family lineage isn't already a challenge, this is enough to lead an historian down a few blind alleys.

Children of Gotlieb Lueck and his second wife Wilhelmina Lutlow

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Gotlieb Lueck (2nd wife: Wilhelmina Lutlow Children: JOHANNA (AMELIA) , and 4 sons)

**Spouse of Amelia
Uncle (by marriage) to Mary Bloedow Kuehl**

John August Grabow, Sr. - Husband of Emelie (AKA Amelia) Luke

Born/date & Location	August 4, 1850 at Petzawo West Prussia
Father	Jacob Grabow
Mother	Unknown
Death certificate #	1930-MN-001634
Death/date & Location	July 11, 1930 at home in North Star Twp, Brown Co., MN
Spouse	Emelie AKA Amelia, Luke. Born as Johanna Emilie Albertine (Lueck)
Married	Tuesday June 1 1880
Children	Eight
Siblings	No mention of siblings
Church	Community Church
Buried at and date	City cemetery, Springfield, MN (d. July 14, 1930)
Immigrated to US	1875
First went to	First to a farm near Morgan, MN
Relocated to	Purchased a homestead near Springfield
Residence at time of death	North Star Township, Brown Co., MN
Age at death	79 years, 11 months, 7 days
Cause of death	"Myocarditis" with contributory cause being "Senility, 1 years" Also had pneumonia a few weeks before death
Military service	Served in German army during "French troubles of 1870 and was cited for meritorious service and released from further military activities."
Misc.	14 grandchildren

**Who were
Amelia's
brothers?**



**Gotlieb and Wilhelmina Lutlow,
his second wife,
had more children - 4 sons -
but no records have been found.
It is noted in Amelia's obituary
that she had four brothers.**

Otto F has contacted a member of this family.
Perhaps more will be known in the future.

Mary Bloedow Kuehl
Circa 1917

