

Lizzie Zeisset and George Weller Farms



Timeline

- 1864: George Nariget Weller is born in Onolzheim, Germany
- 1870: Lizzie is born in Kreuzfeld to Jakob Zeisset and Margaretha Mueller
- 1878: George is confirmed in Onolzheim; eventually worked for Jakob Zeisset
- 1881: Margaretha Mueller dies in Kreuzfeld
- 1884: Lizzie goes with Jake to live with Uncle Isaak Zeisset family in Eichenau
Lizzie is confirmed at Lendsiedel, the church serving Eichenau
Jakob Zeisset dies in Schwäbisch Hall in October
George Weller works for Isaak Zeisset at Eichenau (?)
- 1888: Lizzie moves to Darstadt with the Isaak Zeisset family
George Weller moves to Darstadt with the Isaak Zeisset family
- 1891: Lizzie arrives in New York City in April on the SS Lahn
George Weller arrives in New York City in July on the SS Trave
Lizzie and George are married in October
Probably lived 1 mile east and 1 mile north of Riley, Kansas
Bertha is born in December**
- 1893: Lucy is born in January and dies in March; Henry Zeisset arrives from Germany in April
- 1894: George is born
- 1896: Louise is born
- 1899: Minnie is born
- 1901: Lillian is born
- 1906: Carl is born
- 1910-1915: Moved to farm two miles south of Leonardville, renting from Christian Hoch**
- 1915: Bertha marries Oliver Nelson in Riley
- 1920: Lizzie and George have moved to farm 1 mile east of Leonardville**
- 1920: Louise marries Alva Morris in April
- 1925: Lillian marries Gus Carlson in Manhattan
- 1926: Minnie marries John Uhlenhop
- 1927: George marries Marie Nelson
- After 1930: Lizzie and George move to farm 1 mile north of Riley on Rt 24**
- 1938: Lizzie dies of stomach cancer at Leonardville**
- 1939: Carl marries Una Coutermarsh at the Coutermarsh home near Bala
- 1940: George lives with son, George**
- 1948: Moves to Wamego Nursing Home
- 1957: George moves to Manhattan Nursing Home; dies in Manhattan, Kansas**

Kansas Agricultural Census
Weller

	1895	1905	1915	1925
acres	160	160	240	320
cultivated	100			
Corn, acres	60	80	80	115
Oats, acres	36	15	20	48
Millet, acres	4	3	1	6
Potatoes, acres	1	1	1/4	1/2
Kafir corn, acres		2		4
Wheat, acres			39	31
Prairie hay	55			
sorghum			2	6
Sudan grass				2
Bushels of wheat on hand				210
Bushels of corn on hand		300	300	200
Tons of hay cut	2		14	
Pounds of butter churned			75	
Dollars of dairy product sold			35	45
Dollars of poultry/eggs sold	30	50	100	250
Horses	4	4	9	11
Milk cows	4	2	8	5
Other cattle	6	12	8	36
swine	13			5
dogs	1	2	2	2
sheep				
hens				200