Maria Catharina Weynand

2nd Great Grandmother

Summary

Maria Catherine Weynand was born in 1833 in Prussia, now Belgium, in the village of Elsenborn in Liege. When she was 18, her family emigrated to the US, and after 18 months, moved to Sauk County, Wisconsin. She married Frank Roth in 1855, had one child William in 1858, and moved to Dane County near Burke in 1859. In 1861, she had Carrie Elizabeth, and in 1869, the family moved to Hannibal. In 1871, Mary had Frank J. who died when he was 23. Mary had 5 or 6 children in total. Mary died in 1904 when she was 71 years old.

Spellings

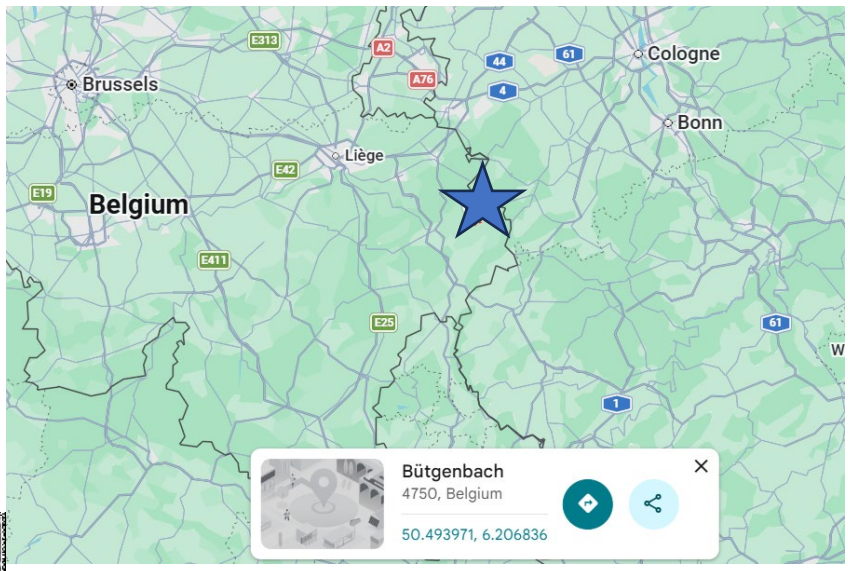
Mary Katherine, Catharine, Catharina
Wynand
Weinan on death certificate of Carrie is incorrect spelling
Weinand – very common
In German there are 2 dots over the y in Weynand.

Links

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Detailed Bio

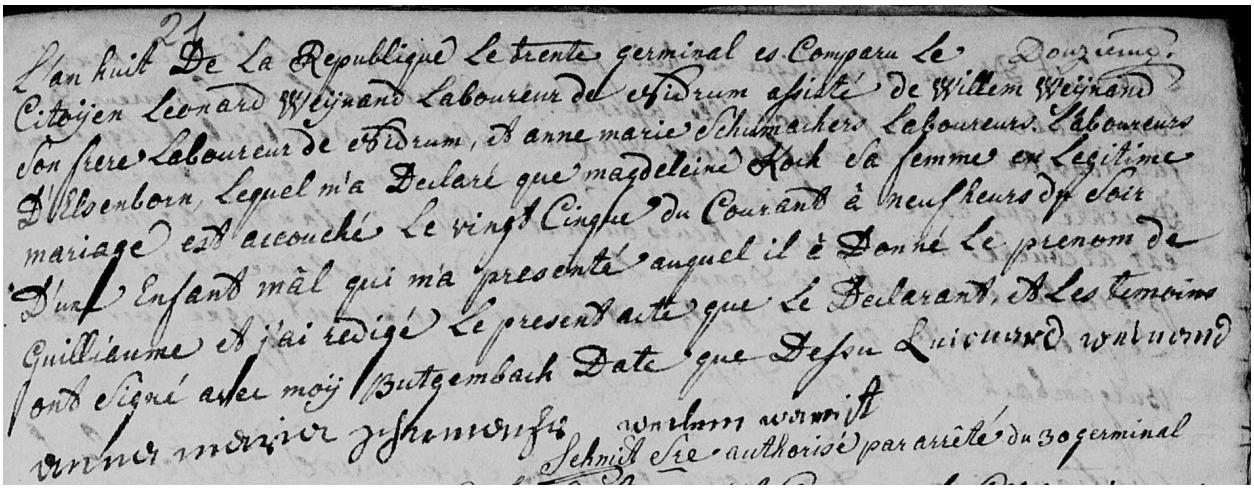
Maria Catharina Weynand was born in Elsenborn which was Prussia until 1871. The area is situated on the border of current-day Belgium and Germany and is in Liege, Belgium. Her birthdate is uncertain. Her gravestone says January 23, 1833. Her obituary states February 7, 1833. A Sauk County source says February 9, 1834.





Her parents (pictured) were from Nidrum, a few kilometers away. Father was Johannes Wilhelm (Guillaume) Weynand, born in 1800, died 1882 of old age, and who went by William. Mother was Katherina Lauter (1797-1884) and she went by Kate.

This document shows William's birth record in French.



Rough Translation: In the eighth year of the Republic, on the thirtieth day of Germinal, appeared Citizen Leonard Weynand, a farmer of Nidrum, [and] Wilhelm Weynand, his brother, a farmer, of Nidrum, and Anne Marie Schumacher, farmer of Elsenborn. [The declarant] informed me that Magdeleine Kock, his lawful wife, gave birth on the twenty-fifth of the current month at nine o'clock in the evening to a male child, whom he presented to me and to whom he gave the first name Guillaume (Guillaume in French, Wilhelm in German, William in English).

These French Revolutionary calendar dates translate to 1800 April 15 for a birthdate.

Her parents married November 21, 1825 and below is their marriage certificate. This marriage certificate is a civil one; it does not specify religion. If the date is correct, Katharina had two children out of wedlock: Nicolaus and Stephan.

N°. 18 Heiraths-Urkunde.

Gemeinde Buttgenbach Kreis Malmedy Regierungs-Bezirk Aachen.

Im Jahr tausend acht hundert fünf und zwanzig, den siebenzehnten november erschienen vor mir Hubert Schumacher adjunct Bürgermeister von Buttgenbach als Beamten des Personenstandes, der Wilhelm Weijrard zu Bosnau kanton Schleiden zwanzigste Germinal jahr acht der Republique Francoise einundzwanzig Jahre alt, geboren zu Hellenthal Regierungs-Departement Roer, Standes Bauer wohnhaft zu Hellenthal Regierungs-Departement Roer, Sohn des am siebzehnten May 1808 zu Bosnau kanton Schleiden Leonard Weijrard, und der am siebzehnten juni 1819 zu Bosnau kanton Schleiden verstorbenen Koch wohnhaft zu Hellenthal Regierungs-Departement Roer, Und die Jungfrau Catharina Lauter zu Bosnau kanton Schleiden am neunten juni 1797: zwei und zwanzig Jahre alt, geboren zu Elsenborn Regierungs-Departement Roer, Standes Tagelöhnerin, wohnhaft zu Elsenborn Regierungs-Departement Roer, Tochter des Nicolas Lauter zu Bosnau kanton Schleiden verstorbenen und der Regina Gennigens wohnhaft zu Elsenborn Regierungs-Departement Roer.

Dieselben haben mich aufgefordert die zwischen ihnen verabredete Heirath gesetzlich abzuschließen; und in Erwägung, daß die vorgeschriebenen öffentlichen Ankündigungen dieser Heirath wirklich vor der Hauptthüre des Gemeindehauses zu Buttgenbach Statt gehabt haben, nämlich die erste am sonntag den neunten november, und die andere am sonntag den sechzehnten novembr monats, daß ferner die Urkunden dieser Ankündigungen gebührend öffentlich angeschlagen gewesen, und endlich daß mir kein Widerspruch gegen diese Verheirathung eingereicht worden ist; habe ich, um besagter Aufforderung zu willfahren, und nachdem ich die zu gegenwärtiger Handlung beigebrachten und gegenwärtiger Urkunde angefügten Beläge, namentlich: die Geburts-Urkunden der eheschließenden Personen und verschiedene Papiere und Zeugnisse so wie das Stambuch Papiere und Urkunden und das Zeugniß seiner Ehre im Civile verbunden, und Hand registrirt sie Synd genommen Zeugenschaft, und seiner zwey Zeugen Urkunden genommen Hand

so wie auch das sechste Kapitel des vom Ehestande handelnden Titels des bürgerlichen Gesetzbuches laut vorgelesen hatte, hierauf den vorbenannten Bräutigam und die vorbenannte Braut befragt: ob sie einander heiligen wollten?

Da nun Jeder von Beiden insbesondere diese Frage bejahend beantwortet hat: so erkläre ich im Namen des Gesetzes, daß Wilhelm Weijrard und Catharina Lauter hierdurch mit einander gesetzlich verheirathet sind.

Worüber ich gegenwärtige Urkunde errichtet habe in Gegenwart des Nicolas Schumacher neunundzwanzig Jahre alt, Standes Bauer, zu Buttgenbach wohnhaft, welcher ein Zeuge der neuen Ehegatten, des Joseph Böhmer siebenundsechzig Jahre alt, Standes Feldmann zu Elsenborn wohnhaft, welcher ein Zeuge der neuen Ehegatten, des Nicolas Schmit, neunzig Jahre alt, Standes Bauer zu Buttgenbach wohnhaft, welcher ein Zeuge der neuen Ehegatten und des Hubert Schumacher neunzig und neunzig Jahre alt, Standes Bürgermeister, zu Buttgenbach wohnhaft, welcher ein Zeuge der neuen Ehegatten zu seyn erklärten; und haben die Zeugen, so wie die Ehegatten, diese Urkunde, nachdem dieselbe ihnen vorgelesen worden, mit mir unterschrieben.

Und genommen sind Namen der Zeugen, und sie Zeugen zu Namen nicht Unterschrieben zu Namen

h. Schumacher

nicolas schmit

Joseph Böhmer

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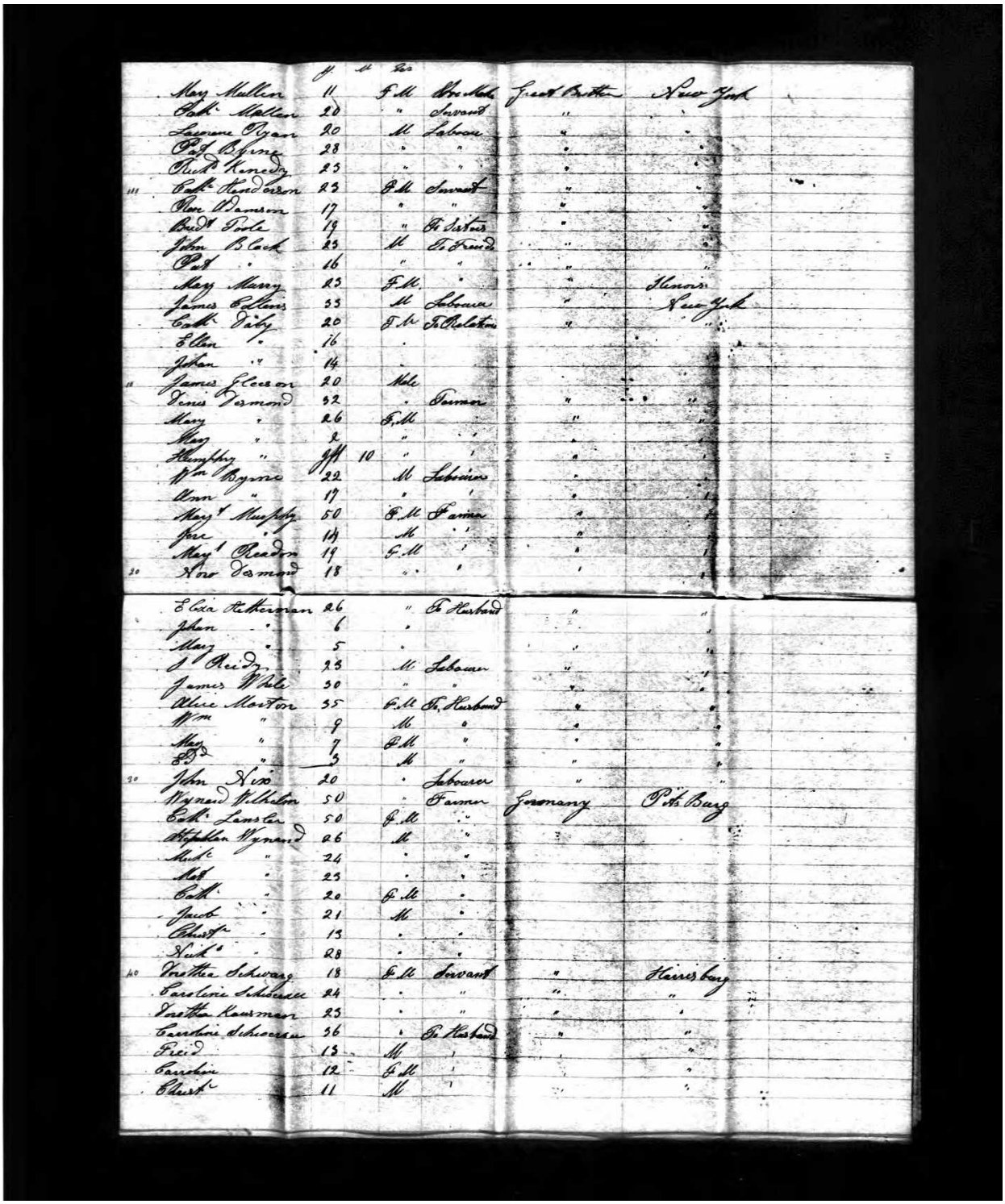
Hubert Schumacher

Wilhelm Weijrard

The couple had seven children:

- Nicolaus (1824-)
- Stephan (1825-1880)
- Michael (1828-1906)
- Anna Margaretha (1829-unk)
- Jacob (1831-1893)
- Maria Catharina (our subject)
- Christian (1839-1904)

On June 22, 1852, the family emigrated to the US, arriving in Pittsburgh on a ship named A Z departing Liverpool and. Listed include Wynand Wilhelm, 50, Cath Lensler, 50, Stephan, 26, Mich[ael], 24, Ma?, 23, Cath, 20, Jacob, 21, Christ[ian], 13, Nic[olaus], 28. Mat is listed as a male, and we do not know who he is. It could be Anna Marghareta, but she also could have married and stayed behind in Prussia.



	Mary Mullen	11	F	Ch. Mch	Great Britain	New York	
	Bridt Mullen	20	"	Servant	"	"	
	Laurence Ryan	20	M	Labourer	"	"	
	Pat J. Byrne	28	"	"	"	"	
	Richd Kennedy	23	"	"	"	"	
111	Robt Henderson	23	M	Servant	"	"	
	Wm Dawson	17	"	"	"	"	
	Bridt Poole	19	"	To Sisters	"	"	
	John Black	23	M	To Friend	"	"	
	Pat	16	"	"	"	"	
	Mary Mary	23	F	M.	"	Illinois	
	James Collins	33	M	Labourer	"	New York	
	Catk Daly	20	F	To Relation	"	"	
	Ellen "	16	"	"	"	"	
	John "	14	"	"	"	"	
11	James Gleeson	20	Male	"	"	"	
	Denis Dermond	32	"	Farmer	"	"	
	Mary "	26	F	M.	"	"	
	Mary "	2	"	"	"	"	
	Humphry "	4	10	"	"	"	
	Wm Byrne	22	M	Labourer	"	"	
	Ann "	17	"	"	"	"	
	Mary Murphy	50	F	M.	Farmer	"	
	Jane "	14	M	"	"	"	
	Mary Reardon	19	F	M	"	"	
30	Nor Dermond	18	"	"	"	"	
	Eliza Fetherman	26	"	To Husband	"	"	
	John "	6	"	"			
	Mary "	5	"	"			
	J Reid	23	M	Labourer	"	"	
	James White	30	"	"	"	"	
	Alice Morton	35	F	To Husband	"	"	
	Wm "	9	M	"	"	"	
	Mary "	7	F	M	"	"	
	Ed "	3	M	"	"	"	
30	John Nix	20	"	Labourer	"	"	
	Wynard Wilhelm	50	"	Farmer	Germany	Pa. Berg	
	Catk Lansler	50	F	M.	"		
	Hophelia Wynard	26	M	"	"		
	Mich "	24	"	"			
	Mat "	23	"	"			
	Cath "	20	F	M.			
	Jacob "	21	M	"			
	Christ "	13	"	"			
	Dick "	28	"	"			
40	Dorethea Schwarz	18	F	Servant	"	Harrisburg	
	Caroline Schroeder	24	"	"	"	"	
	Dortha Kaufmann	23	"	"	"	"	
	Caroline Schroeder	36	"	To Husband	"	"	
	Fred	13	M	"	"	"	
	Caroline	12	F	M.	"	"	
	Christ	11	M	"	"	"	

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Obituary says the Weynand family settled in Rochester, NY for 18 months to 2 years. By 1853-1854, they moved to Sauk County, where the parents remained until their deaths. The earliest deed date I can find for the Weynands in Sauk County is 6-28-1855.

On September 3, 1855, Frank Gervas Roth married Mary Catherine Weynand in Sauk County, Wisconsin, when they were both 22 years old. (I was unable to find marriage certificate; this is per the obituary.) They settled in the Township of Honey Creek, near the towns of Denzer and Leland, where Frank got his land patent in 1854.

Frank and Mary had their first (known) son on 27 February 1858, William Jacob Roth (Sr.) in Sauk City, Sauk County, Wisconsin.

In 1859, the small family moved to the town of Burke in Madison, Dane County, Wisconsin and stayed until 1869. They likely moved from Sauk County because it was very rural. They were also a religious minority – Catholic, surrounded by a Methodist majority. Plus, brother Mathew was there in Burke.

Carrie Elizabeth was born January 6, 1861 in Dane County.

In1865, Frank bought more land. And in 1869, he sold his land in Dane County for $2,600. He may have been weary of farming, or there may not have been enough children to support a farm.

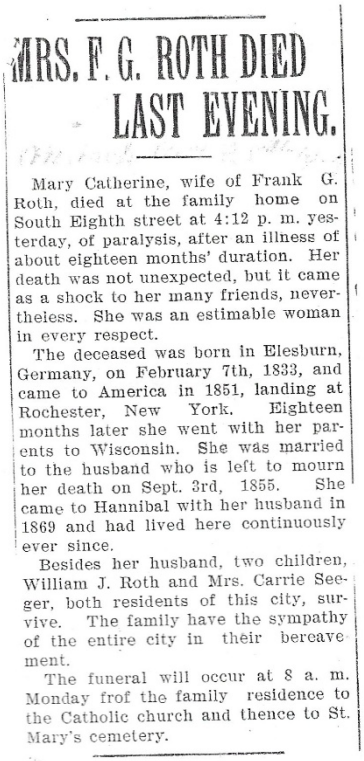
In 1869, the family moved to Hannibal, MO at 221 Bird Street. Frank was now in the grocery business, and his stores were listed under F. G. Roth. He started his first store in Hannibal at Fourth and Palmyra and "almost from the first was very successful" (The Mirror of Hannibal).



On 2 February 1871, Mary and Frank had a son Frank J. He died on 2 April 1894 and we just don't know much about him at all. He is buried at St. Mary's. (photo right)

Mary may have had 2 more children, but there are no records of this.

Mary died March 25, 1904 and was buried in St. Mary's Catholic Cemetery in Hannibal, MO. Here is her obituary who said she had many friends and was an estimable woman.



MRS. F. G. ROTH DIED LAST EVENING.

Mary Catherine, wife of Frank G. Roth, died at the family home on South Eighth street at 4:12 p. m. yesterday, of paralysis, after an illness of about eighteen months' duration. Her death was not unexpected, but it came as a shock to her many friends, nevertheless. She was an estimable woman in every respect.

The deceased was born in Elesburn, Germany, on February 7th, 1833, and came to America in 1851, landing at Rochester, New York. Eighteen months later she went with her parents to Wisconsin. She was married to the husband who is left to mourn her death on Sept. 3rd, 1855. She came to Hannibal with her husband in 1869 and had lived here continuously ever since.

Besides her husband, two children, William J. Roth and Mrs. Carrie Seeger, both residents of this city, survive. The family have the sympathy of the entire city in their bereavement.

The funeral will occur at 8 a. m. Monday frof the family residence to the Catholic church and thence to St. Mary's cemetery.



A little more about Mary Catherine's brothers and sisters.

Stephan Weynand married Maria Anna Roth, b. 1821 in Baden-Wurttenburg. So far, I know of no connection to Frank. Frank had a sister Anna Maria Roth b. 1825 who married Joseph Hager and stayed in Germany. Maria Anna Roth Weynand died in 1865 and was buried in Saint Aloysius Cemetery, Sauk City, Wisconsin.

Stephan married again to Sibella Hubertine Stahl in 1860, which was before Maria Anna's death, so not sure what happened there. Hubertine went on to marry two more times. Stephan was listed as a farmer and later grocer in the 1870 census. Stephan was buried in the St. Aloysius cemetery in Sauk City. Maria Anna and Stephan share a grave marker.

Michael Weynand married Anna Kremer from Holland, in 1859 and they had 5 girls and 3 boys. They stayed in Sauk City. He worked as a farmer and at the flour mill of Lowell and Merrihew (Lodde's/Konig's). He got his own farm in 1861 in Honey Creek and remained a farmer.

Anna Margaretha Weynand married August (Agustas) Friedrich Carl Schweitzberger in 1853 in Rochester, NY and they continued to Sauk City with the family. Her first child was born in NY, the next 3 in Sauk City. Then they moved to Iowa and had the rest of their family.

Jacob Weynand married Dorothea Fader and he was a farmer.

Christian Weynand enlisted in the 45th Wisconsin regiment to fight in the Civil War. He married Elizabeth Walser in 1867 and moved to Muscatine, Iowa in 1872 where he stayed. He was a member of the Grand Army of the Republic which was a fraternal organization for Civil War soldiers. They had six children. He worked as a wagon maker.

Today there are a number of Weynands still in Sauk City and the surrounding area.