Barbara Wagner



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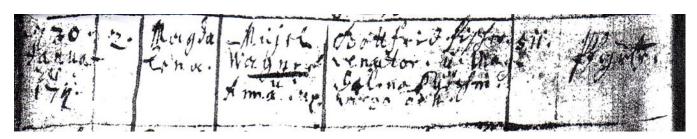
Born: 30 Jan 1711 in Pfalzgrafenweiler, Freudenstadt, Baden-Wuerttemberg, Germany

Married: 2 Feb 1734 John Jacob Heyer, Sr

Died: in St Bartholomews Parish, Colleton, South Carolina, USA

Parents: Michel Wagner & Anna Schaiblin

Copy of original birth record from Pfalzgrafenweiler parish records



German transcription:

Taufregister 1711:

Annus, mensis, dies d. 30. Januarii 1711

Numerus anni 2.

Infans Magdalena

Parentes Michel Wagner u. Anna ux.

Compatr. Gottfried Fischer, venator, u. Magdalena

Kürchin, virgo de hic

Numerus uniposs. 511 Patria Pfgrwlr.

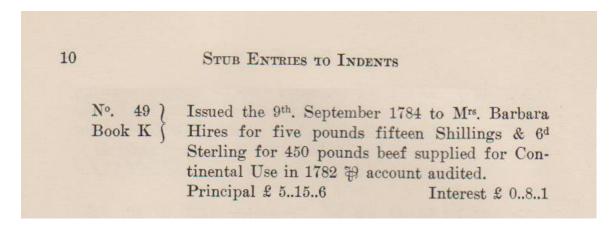
English transcription:

Magdelena was born on 30 Jan. 1711 in Pfalzgrafenweiler, a daughter of Michel Wagner and his wife Anna.

Above information obtained from Friedrich R Wollmershauser, German Genealogist and a contributor to the book, "Hiers Genealogy"

Barbara Wagner Heyer is recognized by the Daughters of the American Revolution as a Patriot of the American Revolutionary War. Patriots are considered anyone who served as a soldier during the war and/or provided needed supplies to the cause of freedom.

The record below shows that Barbara Wagner Heyer provided 450 lbs of beef for use by the Continental Army and was paid 5 pounds, fifteen shillings, and 6 sterling. It is of interest to note that John Jacob Heyer, Sr., her husband, had died by this time. Barbara made a decision to help support the cause of freedom, placing her and her family at risk from reprisals by British authorities and sympathizers.



Above information from the book, "Stub Entries to Indents issued payment of claims against South Carolina growing out of the Revolution.," book K pg 10 by Wylma Anne Wates, 1956



WILL OF BARBARE HIER *

In the name of God Amen. I Barbare Hier of Charleston District in the State of South Carolina, widow being weak in body but of perfect mind and memory thanks be given unto God calling unto mind the mortality of my body do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament. In manner following I recommend my soul into the hands of Almighty God that gave it and my body I recommend to the earth to be buried in a decent manner at the discretion of my Executors and as touching such Worldly Estate wherewith it has pleased God to bless me in this life I give devise and dispose of the same in the following manner and form. First I give and bequeath to my son Jacob Hier one cow and calf to be taken out of my stock of cattle marked with my mark one ear a slit and the other ear a staple fork and branded with BH. Secondly I give and bequeath to my son John Hier all the rest of my stock of cattle hogs and horses household goods and plantation tools cart and Hand Mill stones and all the rest of my property. Likewise I constitute make and ordain John Fender and Simon Rentz the sole Executors of this my last Will and Testament and I do hereby utterly disallow and revoke all former Will and Testament, Legacies and Executors, Ratifying and confirming this and no other to be my last Will and Testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this the twenty fifth day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety one, and I am for to have my living of my stock and of my son John Hier during of my life if not in my power for to work and disabled to earn it.

her Barbara X Hier mark

Signed, sealed and Published and declared by the said Barbare Hier as her last Will and Testament in the presence of us.

John Chassereau his John X Fender mark

his Simon X Rentz mark

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Information from the book, "The Hiers Genealogy" Compiled by the Hiers Research Committee and published by, R L Bryan Co, Columbia, SC, PUB. 1974, Pg 36