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1769, July —, I, Hendrick Staats with my wife Rachel Viele was married by Domine Cock.

1775, Nov. 5, was born my son on a Sunday morning, named Cornelius & christened by Rev. Mr. Doll, preacher of the Gospel at Kingston. Sponsors Cornelius Viele & Elizabeth Low.

1755, June 19, my mother Elizabeth Viele entered into Heaven on Sunday at 11 in the morning. She is buried in the Saugerties churchyard.

1779, July 5, my daughter was born 10 o'clock at night. Named Elizabeth. Christened by D<sup>o</sup> Kock.

1800, July 9, is born my son named Silvester. Christened by Domine Quitman [pastor of the Lutheran church of Rhinebeck].

1803, May 11, my son was born, named Jacob. Baptized by Domine Van Vlierden [pastor of the Katsbaan church].

1805, August 11, is born my daughter Margrietie.

1800, January 30, I was married to Nanny, [An-naatje] daughter of John Wolfen.

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170. 21 Apr. Grietje, ch. of Pieter Sachs. An-genita Tromboor. Sp. Henrich Spaan. Mareitje Marte[n].

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171. 21 Apr. Christina, ch. of Wessel Van Dyk. Rachel Sissim. Sp. Henrich Van Dyk. Catharina Van Dyk.

172. 21 Apr. Lisabeth, ch. of Jury Hommel, Margrietje Fierer. Sp. Johannes Frolich. Lisabeth Fierer.

173. 21 Apr. William, ch. of Richard Deffenpoort. Johanna Leg. Sp. Theunis Osterhout. Catharina Leg.

174. 21 Apr. Sara, ch. of Johannes Evertse Wynkoop. Catharina Schut. Sp. Christian Diederich and wife Margriet Schut.

175. 21 Apr. Catharina, ch. of Marte Post. Maria Schoonmaker. Sp. Wilhelmus Ploeg. Catherina Ploeg.

176. 21 Apr. Lena, ch. of Jacob Tenbroek. Christina Van Aalen. Sp. Willem Van Aalstein. Catharina Tenbroek.

177. 9 June. Catharingen, ch. of Henrich Frolich. Elisabeth Catharin [Schneider]. Sp. Andreas Tromber. Catharina Rau.

178. 9 June. Rutsert, ch. of Wilhelm Borhans. Catharina Borhans. Sp. Rutschert Devenport. Johanna Devenport.

179. 9 June. Jacob, ch. of Johannes Valck. Maria Valck. Sp. Jacob Eiler "with his wife."

180. 9 June. Gerhard, ch. of Marte Gerse van Berge. Maria van Berge. Sp. Wilhelmus van Berge. Catharina van Berge.

181. 29 June. Anneke, ch. of Andries van Leeuwen. Anneke Osterhout. Sp. Philip Barrowe. Marget Schoonmaker.

182. 6 Sep. Maria, ch. of Petrus Schut. Gert-



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raut Osterhout. Sp. Wilhelm von Alen. Temperens van Loveritz.

183. 6 Sep. Maritgen, ch. of Samuel von Deffenbort. Catharina Deffenbort. Sp. Rutschert Deffenbort. Johanna Deffenbort.

184. 23 Sep. Catharina, ch. of Wilhelmus van Bergen. Catharina van Bergen. Sp. Gerret van Bergen. Debora van Bergen.

185. 23 Sep. Helena, ch. of Johannes Burhans. Sara Osterhout. Sp. Philippus Viele and wife Helena Burhans.

186. 26 Dec. Jacobus, ch. of Abraham Persen. Catharina Schoonmaker. Sp. Jacobus Persen and wife, Catharina Meinertse.

187. 26 Dec. Willem, ch. of Jan de Wit. Arriaantje Osterhout. Sp. Theunis Osterhout and wife, Catharina Leg.

188. 26 Dec. Henry, ch. of Hiskia Schoonmaker. Johanna Wulfin. Sp. Henrich Schoonmaker and wife Hanna Witteker.

1748

189. 17 Jan. Rachel, ch. of Zacharias Bakker. Catharina Hommel. Sp. Frederich Rau and wife, Catharina Schneider.

190. 11 Apr. Debora, ch. of Wilhelm van Bergen. Annaatje van Bergen. Sp. Gerret van Bergen. Debora van Bergen.

191. 11 April. Andries, ch. of Frederich Eigenaar. Christina Tromboor. Sp. Pieter Eigenaar. Catharina Maurer.

192. 11 Apr. Catharina, ch. of Christian Bekker.

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Anna Emmerich. Sp. Hans Jurg Elig and wife, Catharina Emmerich.

193. 11 Apr. Mareitje, ch. of Johannes Diederich. Elisabeth Overbach. Sp. Johan Jurg Overbach. Mareitje Overbach.

194. 11 Apr. Margriet, ch. of Jurg Willem Diederich. Catharina Jonk. Sp. Frederich Diederich and wife, Eva Graat.

195. 8 May. Abraham, ch. of Henricus Osterhout. Annaatje de Wit. Sp. Abraham Burhans. Anneke Osterhout.

196. 8 May. Jacobus, ch. of Johannes Persen. Alida van Frank. Sp. Jacob Persen. Jannetje Persen.

197. 4 Sep. Elisabeth, ch. of Jurg Willem Richtmejer. Anneke Hommel. Sp. Hermanus Hommel. Grietie Hommel.

198. 4 Sep. David, ch. of Wessel van Dyk. Rachel van Dyk. Sp. David van Dyk. Christina van Dyk.

199. 4 Sep. Christina, ch. of Peter Jong. Lisabeth Jong. Sp. Jurg Muschier. Christina Muschier.

200. 5 Sep. Henricus, ch. of Johannes Burhans. Jannetje Nieuwkerk. Sp. Johannes van Alen. Jacomyntje Nieuwkerk.

201. 5 Sep. Mareitje, ch. of Paulus Schmid. Christina Troomboor. Sp. Johannes Tromboor and wife, Christina Fieret.

202. 5 Sep. Catharina, ch. of Lucas de Wit. Catharina Rosa. Sp. Samuel Wels and wife, Mareitje Osterhout.

203. 26 Dec. Annaatje, ch. of Willem Leg.



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Helena Ploeg. Sp. John Leg, Jun. and wife, Belete Cool.

204. 26 Dec. Benjamin, ch. of Christian Overbach. Sara Dubois. Sp. Benjamin Du Bois and wife, Catharyntje Suiland.

205. 26 Dec. Jacob, ch. of Johannes Tromboor. Christina Fierer. Sp. Andries Tromboor. Catharina Schram.

206. 26 Dec. Rosina, ch. of Jacob Brink. Mareitje Elig. Sp. Johannes Fierer and wife, Margrietje Elig.

207. 26 Dec. Isaac, ch. of Johannes Dekker. Catharina Overbach. Sp. Isaac Post and wife, Johanna Dekker.

208. 27 Dec. Annaatje, ch. of Wilhelmus Van Bergen. Catharina Van Bergen. Sp. Gerret Van Bergen and wife, Annaatje Mejer. Annaatje Van Bergen.

1749

209. 28 Mar. Jannetje, ch. of Marte Post. Maria Schoonmaker. Sp. Pieter Wenne and wife, Arriantje Van Etten.

210. 28 Mar. Annaatje, ch. of Hiskia Dubois, Jr. Rachel Nieuwkerk. Sp. Matheus H. Dubois. Tanneke Dubois.

211. 28 Mar. Maria, ch. of Henrich Frölich. Elisa Catharina Schneider. Sp. Nicolaas Brits and wife, Maria Rau.

212. 28 Mar. Jacob, ch. of Jan Dewit. Arriantje Osterhout. Sp. Jacob Brink and wife, Mareitje Elig.

213. 26 June. Martinus, ch. of Johannes Hom-

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mel. Antje Schneider. Sp. Martinus Schneider and wife, Antje Bekker.

214. 26 June. Benjamin, ch. of Albertus Dubois. Cornelia Halenbeck. Sp. Benjamin Dubois and wife. Catharyntje Seiland.

215. 25 Sep. Hiskia, ch. of Hiskia Schoonmaker. Johanna Wulfin. Sp. Hiskia Dubois. Jannetje Schoonmaker.

216. 25 Sep. Thomas, ch. of Philip Wepster. Sara Dreiber. Sp. Egbert Schoonmaker. Sara Schoonmaker.

217. 25 Sep. Isaac, ch. of Andries Van Leeuwen. Anneke Osterhout. Sp. Jacobus Persen and wife. Catharina Meinerts.

218. 25 Sep. Johannes, ch. of Wilhelmus Osterhout. Mareitje Dekker. Sp. Johannes Dekker. Goedi Dekker.

219. 220. 25 Sep. Johannes and Annaatje (twins), ch. of Jurg Hommel. Margriet Fierer. Sp. Johannes Hommel and wife, Antje Schneider. Hermanus Hommel and wife, Grietje Schneider.

221. 26 Sep. Abraham, ch. of Abraham Persen. Catharina Schoonmaker. Sp. Nicolaas Mejer and wife, Elje Schoonmaker.

222. 26 Dec. Abraham, ch. of Abraham Post. Mareitje Schut. Sp. Johannes Schut and wife, Arriantje Hogenboom.

223. 26 Dec. Hermanus, ch. of Pieter Hommel. Grietje Schneider. Sp. Hermanus Hommel and wife, Grietje Schneider.

224. 26 Dec. Mareitje, ch. of Willem Burhans.



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Catharina Deffenpoort. Sp. Samuel Deffenpoort.  
Maria Deffenpoort.

225. 26 Dec. Johannes, ch. of Jurg Willem Regtmejer. Antje Hommel. Sp. Johannes Hommel and wife, Antje Schneider.

226. 26 Dec. Christian, ch. of Hieronymus Falkenburg. Mareitje Mejer. Sp. Christian Mejer and wife, Anna Geertrouwt Theunges.

227. 26 Dec. Annaatje, ch. of Jan Persen. Debora Van Bergen. Sp. Gerret Van Bergen and wife, Anna Meyer. Annaatje Van Bergen.

1750

228. 16 Apr. Abraham, ch. of Laurents Swart. Theodosia Wittaker. Sp. Paulus Peele and wife, Catharina Ploeg.

229. 16 Apr. Jacob, ch. of Jan Brink. Grietje Wulfin. Sp. Jacob Brink and wife, Mareitje Elig.

230. 16 Apr. Lea, ch. of Zacharias Bekker. Catharina Hommel. Sp. Zacharias Schneider. Catharina Schneider.

231. 16 Apr. Catharina, ch. of Richard Deffenpoort. Johanna Leg. Sp. Godfried Wulfin. Mareitje Osterhout.

232. 16 Apr. Henricus, ch. of Henricus Osterhout. Annaatje Dewit. Sp. Henrich Schut. Tjaadje Dewit.

233. 16 Apr. Elisabeth, ch. of Jurian Jonk. Mareitje Emmerich. Sp. Pieter Jonk and wife, Elisabeth Moschier.

234. 25 June. Stephanus, ch. of Christian Fierer.

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Christina Schneider. Sp. Johannes Tromboor and wife, Christina Fierer.

235. 25 June. Margriet, ch. of Matheis Merkel. Margriet Keel. Sp. Arend Wenne. Annaatje Wenne.

236. 25 June. Petrus, ch. of Willem Mejer. Sara Nieuwkerk. Sp. Johannes Burhans and wife, Jannetje Nieuwkerk.

237. 8 Oct. Maria Elisabeth, ch. of Johannes Leuchs. Elisabeth Stroop. Sp. Wilhelmus Emmerich and wife, Margriet Leuchs.

238. 8 Oct. Maria, ch. of Henrich Stroop. Mareitje Spikkerman. Sp. Broer Dekker and wife, Mareitje Wormer.

239. 8 Oct. Elisabeth, ch. of Johannes Falk. Maria Spikkerman. Sp. Pieter Jonk and wife, Elisabeth Moschier.

240. 241. 8 Oct. Abraham and Jacob (twins). ch. of Martinus Schneider. Anna Demuth Bekker. Sp. Christian Mejer, Jr., and wife, Maria Schneider. Johan Jurg Hommel and wife, Margriet Fierer.

242. 8 Oct. Jacobus, ch. of Jacobus Van Etten. Jacomyntje Nieuwkerk. Sp. Arie Van Etten and wife, Christina Dewit.

243. 8 Oct. Christynje, ch. of Marte Gerretse Van Bergen. Margrietje Van Dyk. Sp. David Vandyk and wife, Christina Ploeg.

244. 26 Dec. William, ch. of William Leg. Helena Ploeg. Sp. Petrus Peele and wife, Elisabeth Ploeg.

245. 26 Dec. Petrus, ch. of Johannes Hommel. Antje Schneider. Sp. Petrus Hommel and wife, Grietje Schneider.



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246. 26 Dec. Elisabeth, ch. of Henrich Graat. Catharina Diederich. Sp. Henricus Diederich. Mareitje Brando.

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247. 3 Feb. Henricus, ch. of Johannes Burhans. Sara Osterhout. Sp. Henricus Osterhout and wife, Annaatje Dewit.

248. 3 Feb. Elisabeth, ch. of Paulus Schmidt. Christina Tromboor. Sp. Jan Overbach and wife, Elisabeth.

249. 3 Feb. Margretha, ch. of Laurens Scherp. Geesje Schermerhoren. Sp. Andreas Scherp and wife.

250. 3 Feb. Anna, ch. of Wilhelmus Van Orden. Sara Dubois. Sp. Ignatius Van Noorden. Catharina Dubois.

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251. 21 Apr. Zacharias, ch. of Jurg Willem Diederich. Catharina E. Jong. Sp. Willem Diederich. Sara Diederich.

252. 21 Apr. Catharina, ch. of Pieter Wenne. Arriantje Van Etten. Sp. Gysbert Van Etten. Catharina Van Etten.

253. 1 July. Johannes, ch. of Pieter Bakker. Anna Vegen. Sp. Johannes Maures and wife, Susanna Eigenaar.

254. 1 July. Coenrad, ch. of Jurg Willem Regt Meiyer. Antje Hommel. Sp. Jacob Schumaker and wife, Elisabeth Regt Meiyer.

255. 1 July. Martinus, ch. of Pieter Hommel. Grietje Schneider. Sp. Martinus Schneider and wife, Antje Bakker.

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256. 4 Oct. Willem, ch. of Johannes Fierer. Margriet Elig. Sp. Willem Elig and wife, Grietje Spaan.

257. 5 Oct. Maria, ch. of Jurg Hommel. Margriet Fierer. Sp. David Fierer. Grietje Vrölich.

258. 5 Oct. Sara, ch. of Henrik Meinertse. Trentje Van Warmer. Sp. Jacob Vroman and wife. Sara Meinertse.

259. 5 Oct. Godfried, ch. of Willem Wulfin. Mareitje Swart. Sp. Godfried Wulfin and wife, Sara Dubois.

260. 5 Oct. Andries, ch. of Jacob Brink. Mareitje Elig. Sp. Andries Elig and wife, Sophia.

261. 31 Oct. Theisje, ch. of Cornelius Schermehoren. Annaatje Dekker. Sp. Jan Dekker. Hilletje Dekker.

262. 31 Oct. Maria, ch. of Johannis Dekker. Catharina Overbach. Sp. Broer Dekker and wife, Maria Wormers.

263. 31 Oct. Benjamin, ch. of Henrich Frolich, Elisabeth Schneider. Sp. Jurg Hommel and wife. Margriet Fierer.

264. 31 Oct. Jenneke, ch. of Wilhelmus Osterhout. Maria Dekker. Sp. Hiskia Schoonmaker. Annaatje Osterhout.

265. 31 Oct. Willem Van Orden, ch. of Jan Baptist Dumon. Margriet Van Orden. Sp. David Dumon. Elisabeth Van Orden.

266. 26 Dec. Christian, ch. of Henrich Fierer. Geertje Mejer. Sp. Christian Mejer and wife, Anna Geertry Thonges.



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267. 26 Dec. Willem, ch. of Tobyas Wynkoop.  
Lea Leg. Sp. Theunis Osterhout and wife, Catharina Leg.

268. 26 Dec. Tobyas, ch. of Willem Mejer. Sara Nieuwkerk. Sp. Christian Mejer, Jr. and wife, Maria Schneider.

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*HALF A CENTURY AFTER*

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A half a century's loss and gains,  
With winter's snow and summer rains,  
Since southern hills and streams and plains  
Ran red with blood from Ulster's veins.

As we review how memories swarm  
Of days when hearts beat high and warm;  
When every breeze bore fresh alarms,  
And patriot heroes sprang to arms.

Then burst the storm where Sumter stood;  
Bull Run ran red with brothers' blood,  
Till Gettysburg the tide withstood  
And Wilderness' es gloomy wood.

Her sons Antietam's bridges held;  
And Pickett's furious charge repelled;  
The scroll of fame forever will  
Tell of the blood at Chancellorsville.

They live, those patriot youth, to-day.  
Though most from earth have passed away.  
And Northern wind and Southern breeze  
Unite to bear their memories.