

Hans
Pre 1945

Alt Raudten
And
Family
Photos
With Captions

by Helga von Schweinitz

Introduction

Hans-Ludwig von Schweinitz put several different albums together with photos of his family and the estate in Silesia, Alt Raudten. In January 1945, the family had to flee (to avoid the Red Russian Army) and many family heirlooms were left behind. The family was never able to return to the estate. These photos were the few that they did take with them on the flight, or from Hans-Ludwig intense search of albums from other family members that had left the estate at an earlier date.

The album starts with photos of the estate and surrounding area. The family photos are grouped with Hans-Ludwig as the main focal point. Many of these photos appeared in multiple albums, some with captions, some without captions. Here all available captions have been added under each picture.

Throughout this album, there are references to other compendiums that provide more detailed information on the subject.

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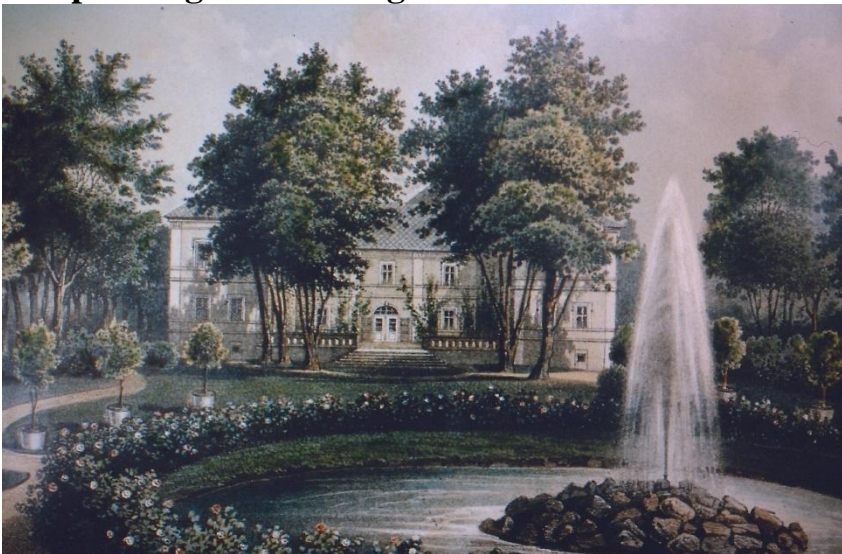
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Estate Alt Raudten

The history and maps of Alt Raudten are included in other compendiums.

The Estate has been in the von Schweinitz family since 1776.

Old paintings or drawings of the Schloss



Favorite of Hans-Ludwig a painting of Back of Schloss viewed from Fountain.

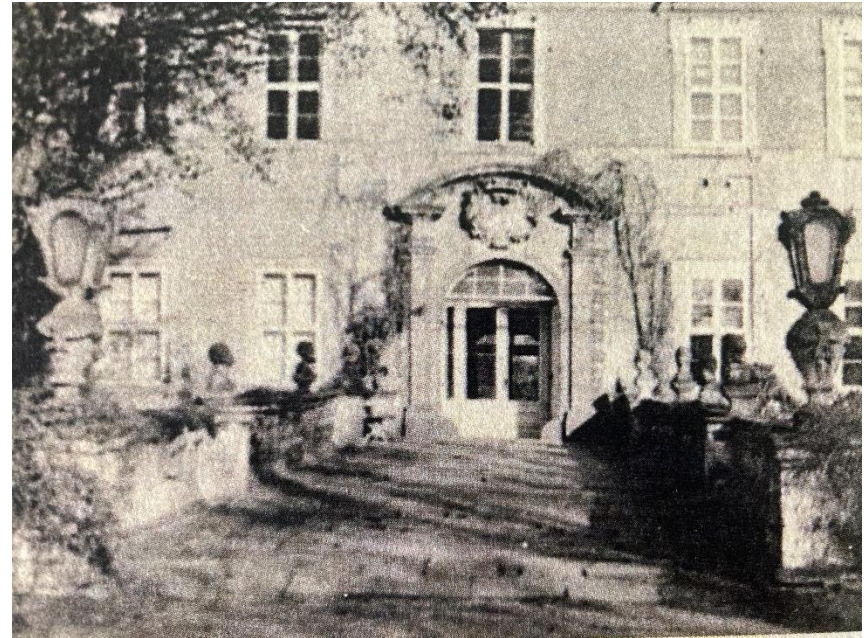


A print from the painting of Schloss viewed from Fountain

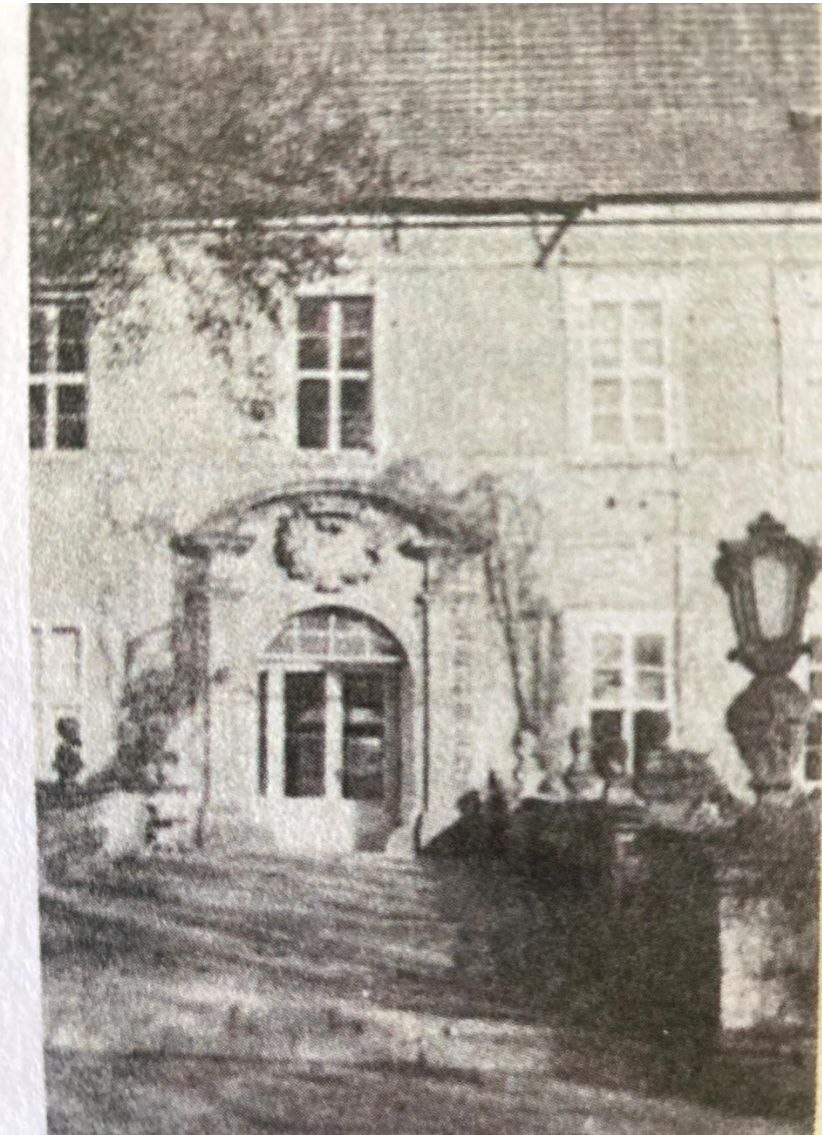


Line drawing of Alt Raudten.

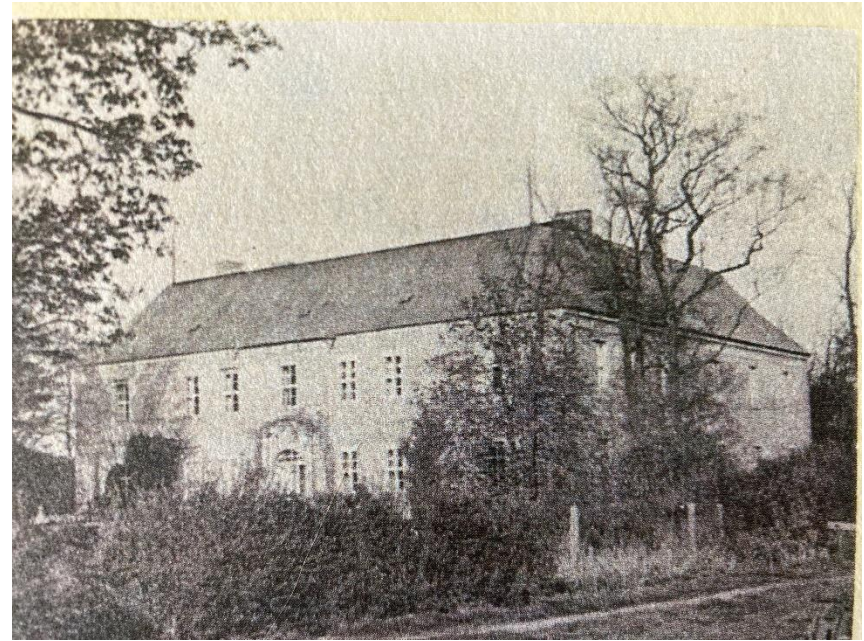
Views of the Front of the Schloss



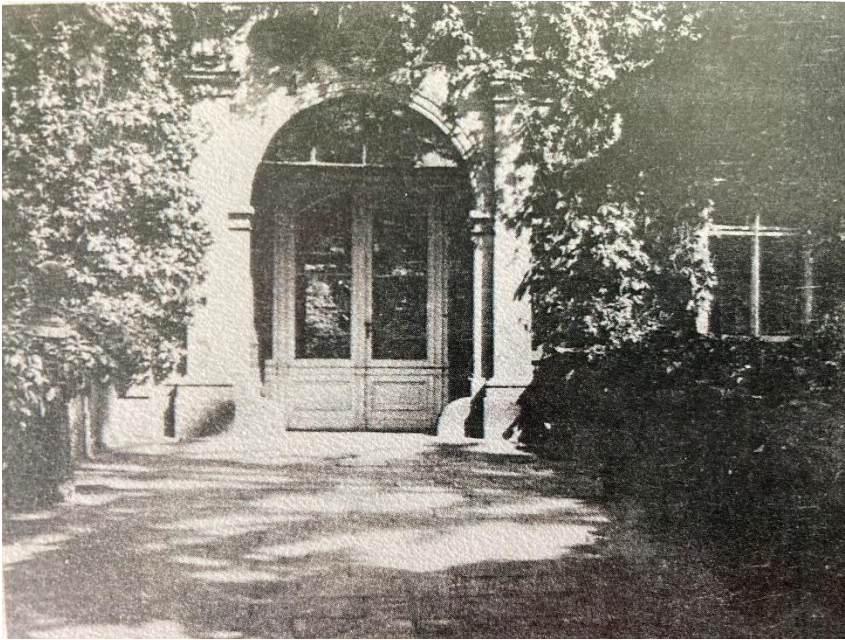
Front entrance of Schloss with the old “zugbrücke” drawbridge now converted to permanent bridge.



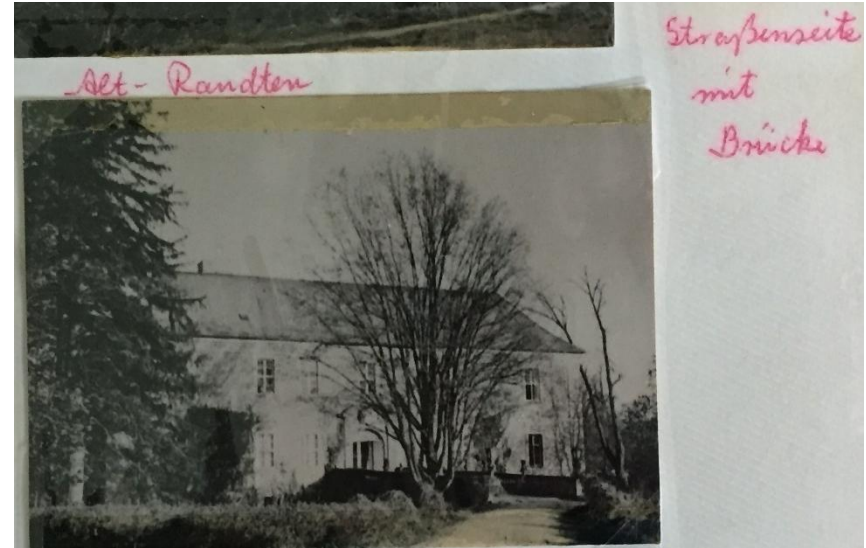
Front entrance of Schloss with family coat of arms



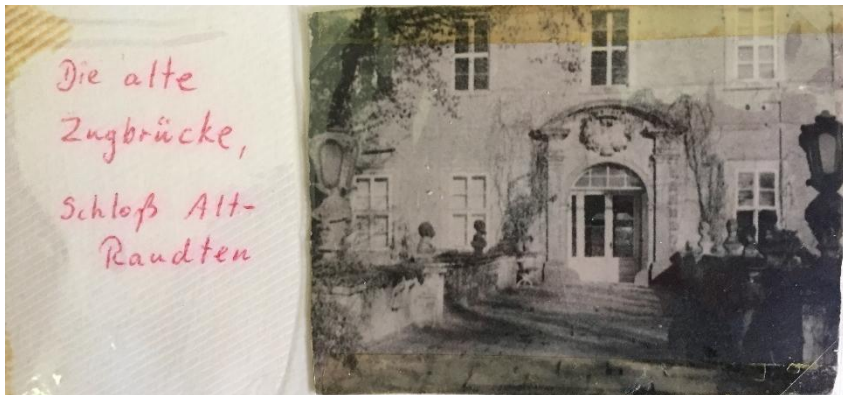
View of front of Schloss from the village



Front entrance of Schloss



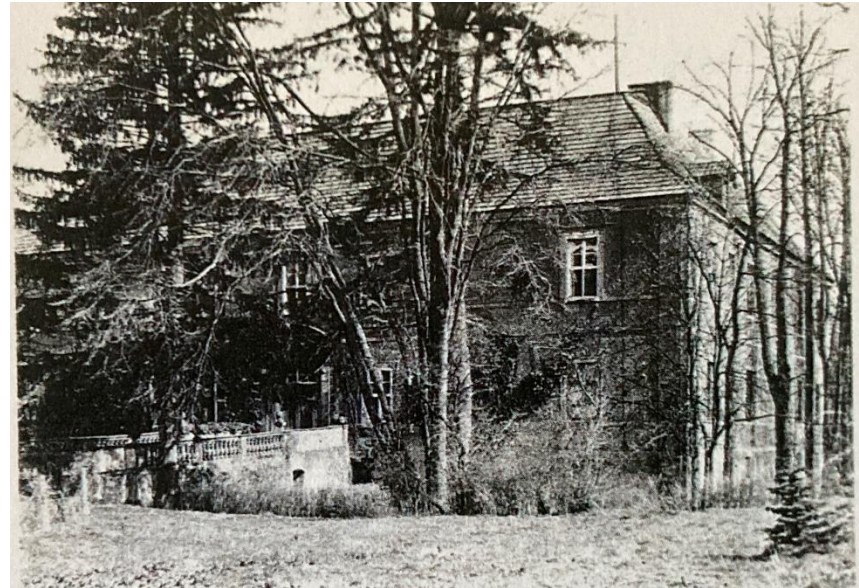
Schloss Alt Raudten view from Streetside with Bridge



View of Front Entrance over Die Alte Zugbrücke – the old drawbridge. Now a permanent bridge.



View of Entrance of Schloss with Boy [Hans-Ludwig?] on bridge



View of Front of Schloss with side view of bridge



Decorative Light fixture on bridge

Views of the Back of the Schloss



View of backside of Schloss in summer



View of backside of Schloss in winter



View of backside of Schloss



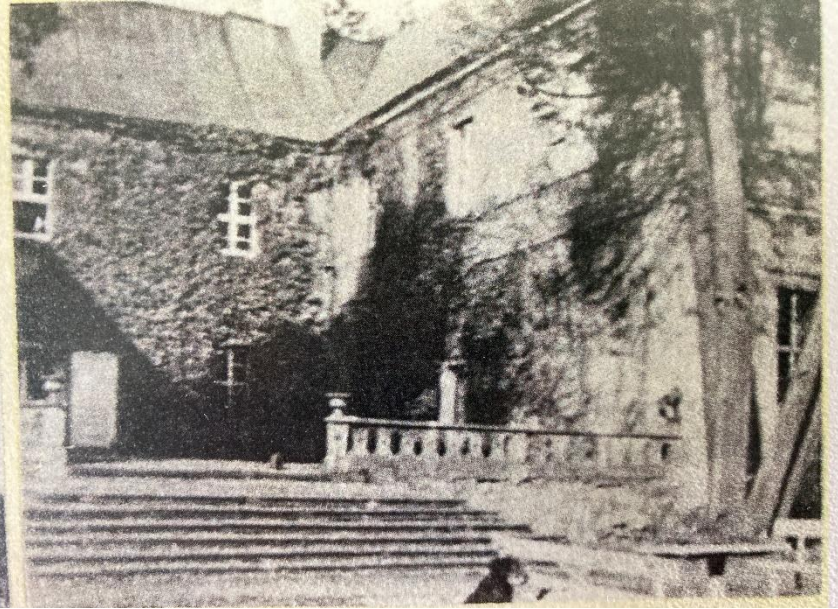
View of Schloss Alt Raudten from the Park side towards Terrace in back.



View of backside of Schloss

Views of the Terrace on Backside

The terrace (or Terrasse) that was in the back of Schloss between the two wings, looked out on the 56 acre park.



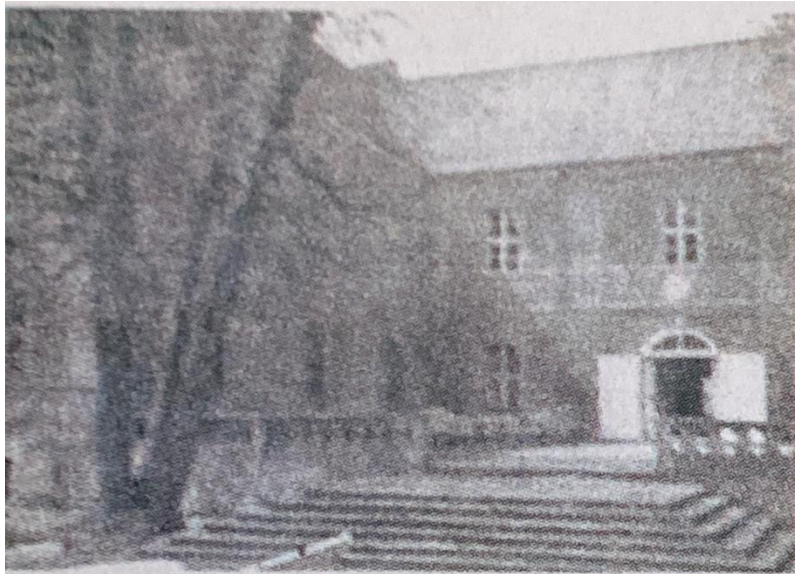
View onto Terrace



Side view of terrace



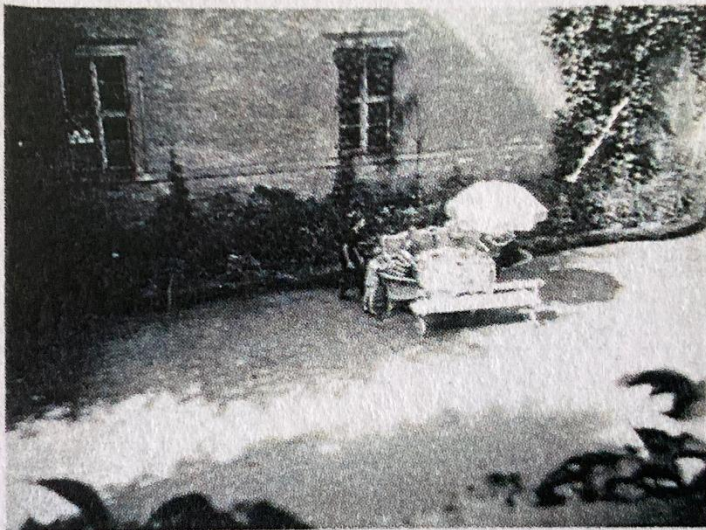
View onto Terrace



View onto terrace - vague

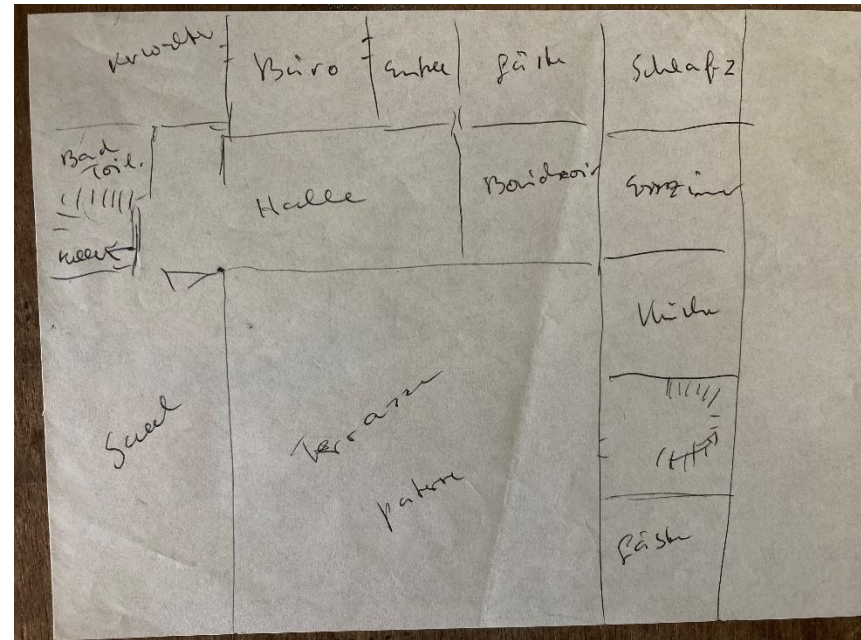


Bush on side of terrace

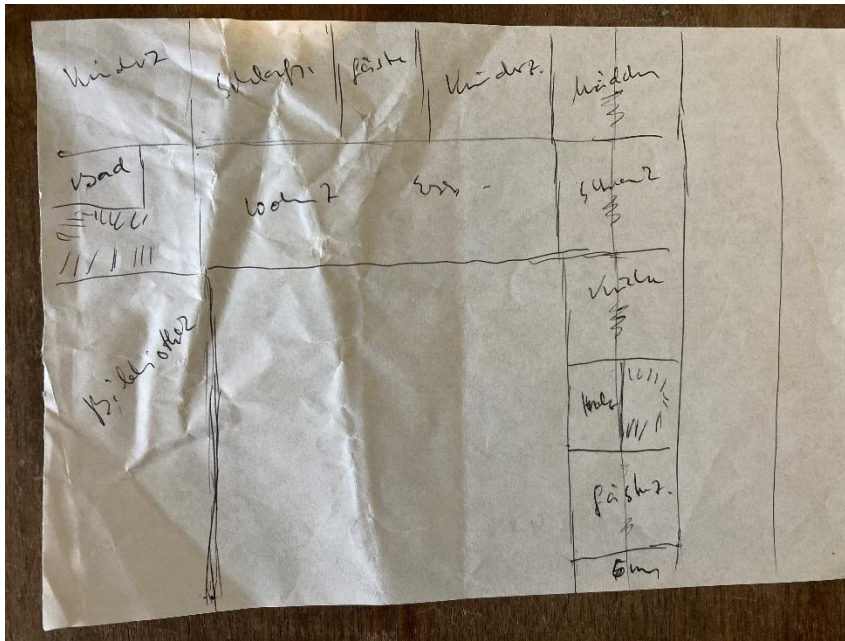


View down to Terrace to one of the tables with umbrella

Schloss floorplan per Hans-Ludwig



Ground floor Entrée (Entrance hall), Büro (office), Esszimmer (Family dining room), Schlafzimmer (Bedroom), Gästezimmer (Guest Bedroom), Saal (Great Saloon), Halle (Big Hall), Keller (Basement), Bad and Toilette (Full Bathroom), Terrasse (Terrace), Treppe (Stairs), Boudoir (Oma's room), Küche (Kitchen), Kerwarter (AnteRoom)

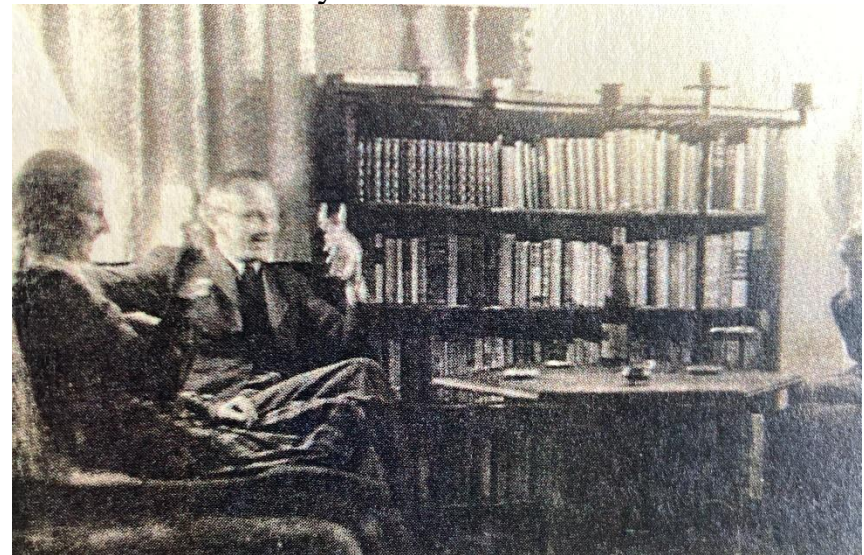


Upper Floor Kinderzimmer (Childrens Bedroom), Schlafzimmer (Bedroom), Gästezimmer (Guest Bedroom), Bibliothek (Library), Wohnzimmer (Livingroom), Bad & Toilette (Full Bathroom), Mädchen (Nanny/Governess Bedroom), Esszimmer (Family Dining room)

Rooms in Schloss



Bibliothek – Library



Bibliothek with Vati and Ulla



Halle on ground floor



Eingang Entrée on ground floor



Esszimmer



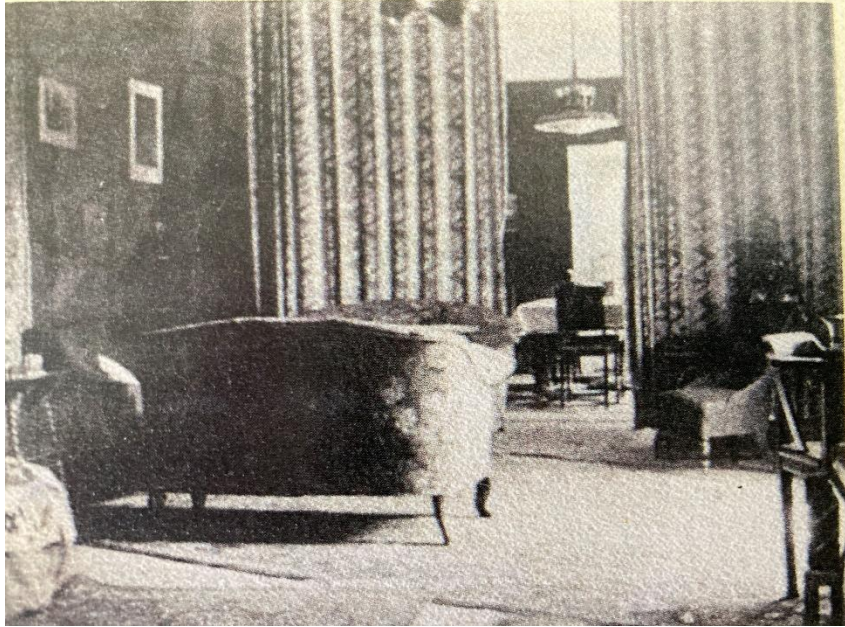
Esszimmer



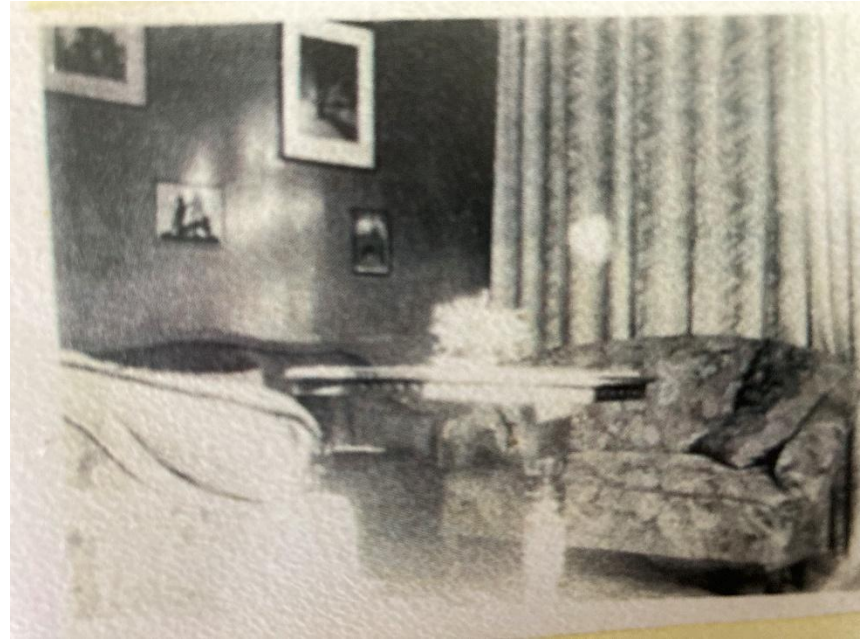
Ofen im Herrenzimmer
Wood burning Oven in Herrenzimmer



Oma Gabi's Wohnzimmer



Wohnzimmer



Wohnzimmer

Park

The Schloss was surrounded by a 56 acre park.

The terrace on the back looked down upon a fountain.



Fountain in pond with pump house on left

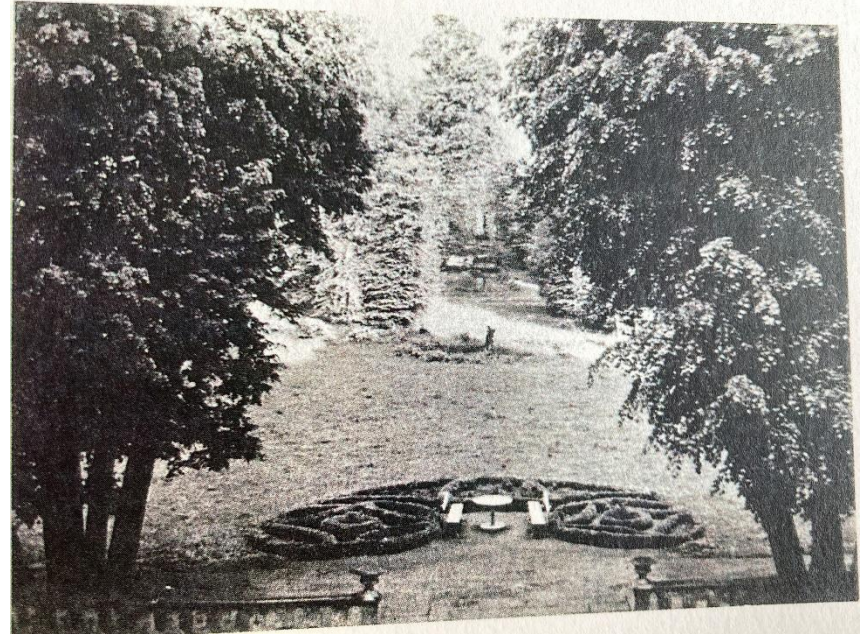


View of park from Terrace, park designed by Le Nôtre.

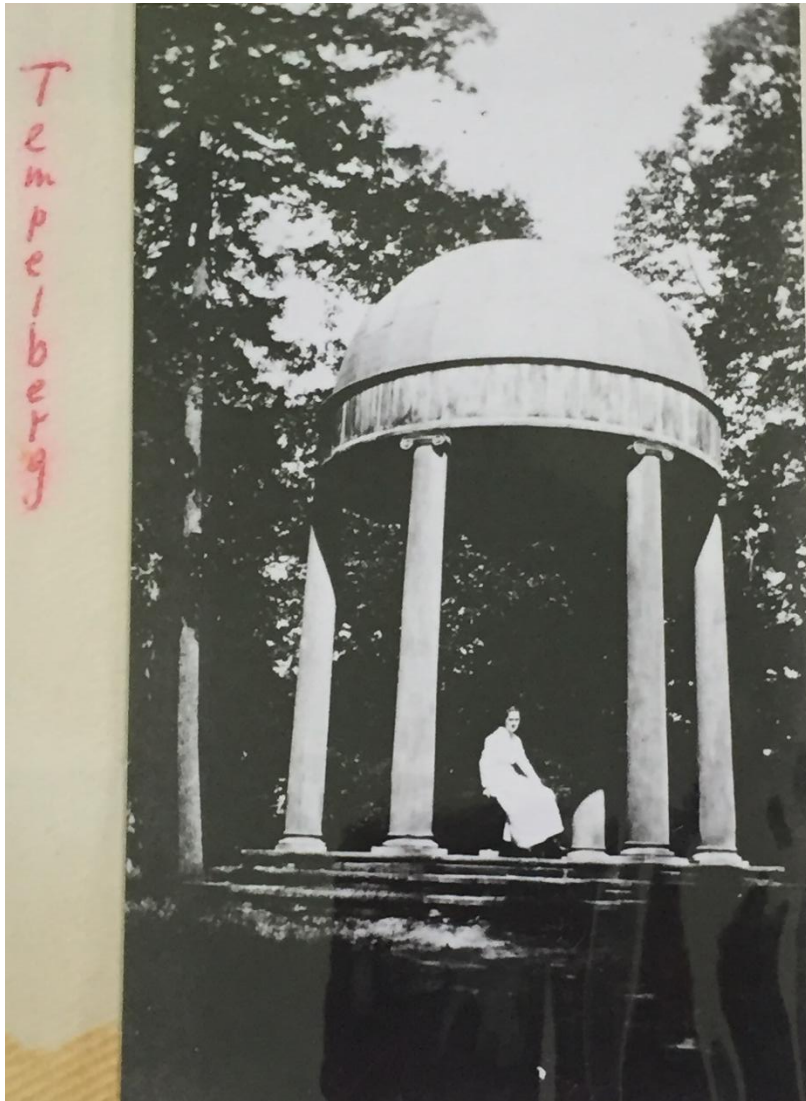


Fountain in pond. Possibly an elaborate statue of Diane

Throughout the park were other structures



Terrace view over park



Tempelberg – Temple Mound [follicle] with Mutti posing.
Later her grave would be nearby.



Terrace view over park during winter with three deer.
Winter 1939



Terrace view over park during winter with two deer.
Winter 1939



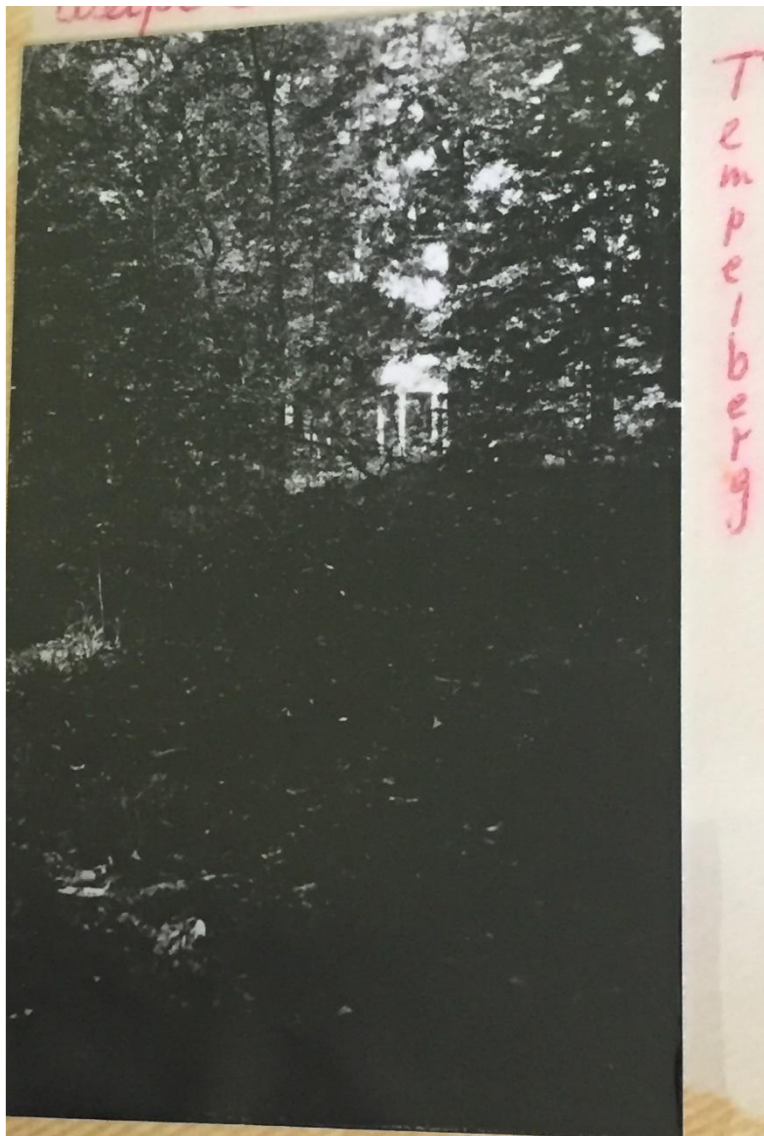
Winter view of park with snow on foot bridge 1939.
Monument in middle is urn from Great Grandfather of
Hans-Ludwig, also called Hans-Ludwig.



Weiße Brücke – the white bridge over canal in the park



Ducks on the pond and canal in the park



Path to Tempelberg in background. In park



Großmuttereiche in park. Grandmother oak because of its age.



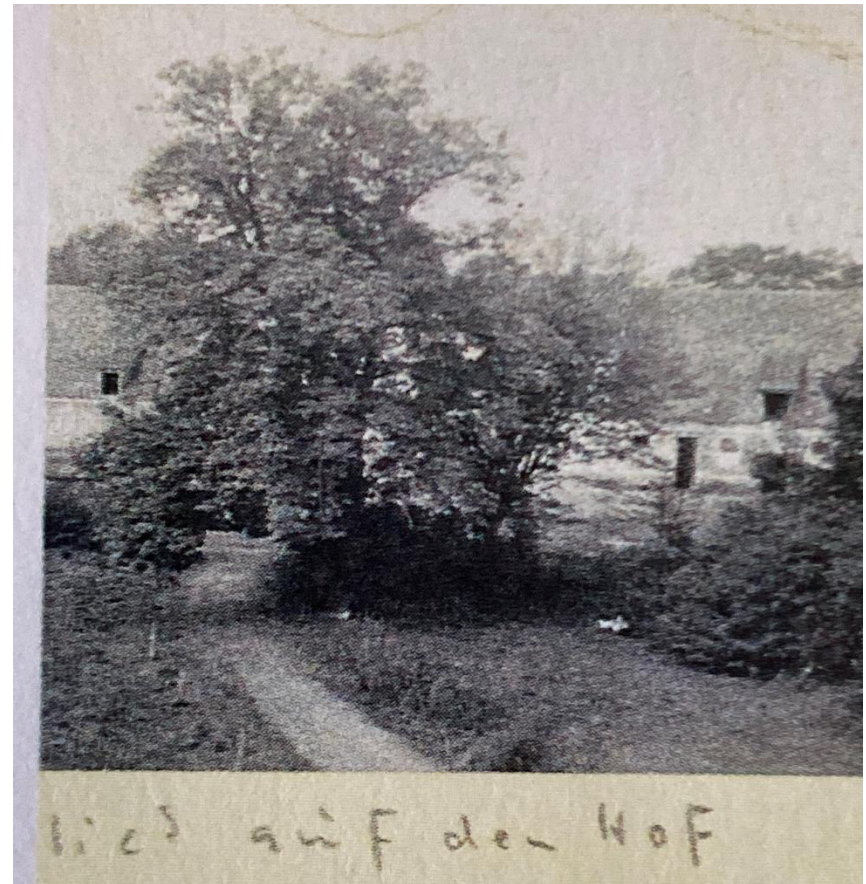
Arkaden – Alley way. View over Pond and Canal towards White Bridge in Park



View from Terrace to pond and alley way



Winter view of park with snow on foot bridge and urn from Great Grandfather Hans-Ludwig 1939



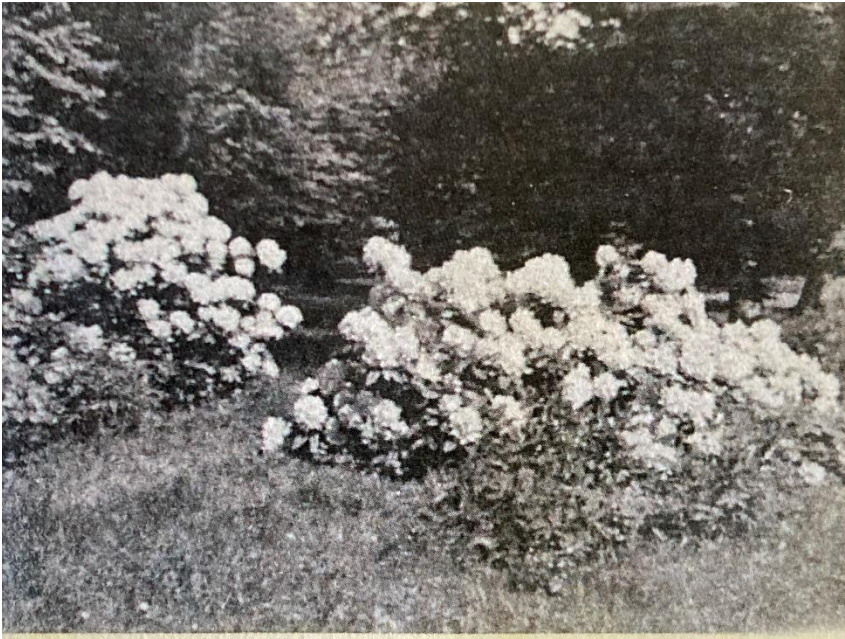
View from Schloss towards the village



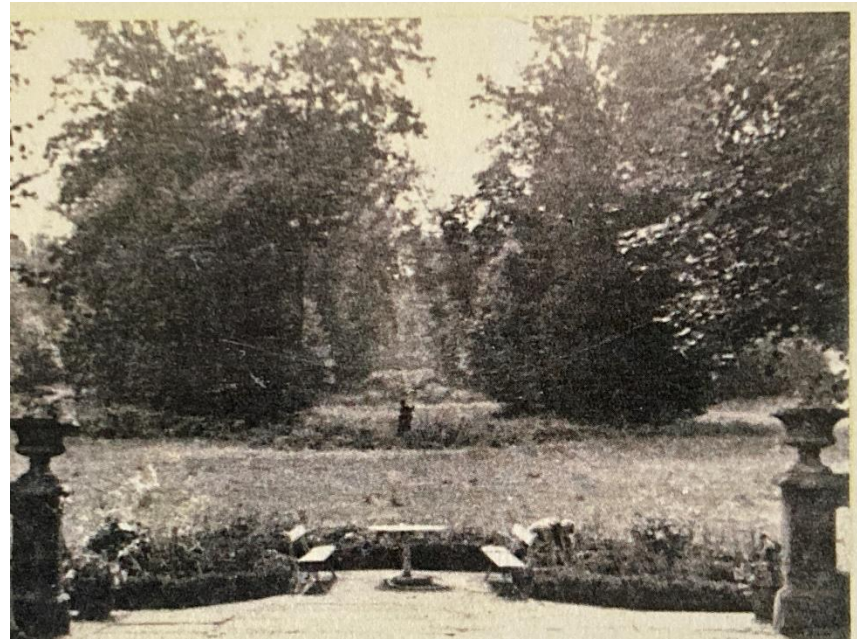
View of trail in park during winter – possibly winter 1939



View of small trees in park and main entrance gate.



Flowering bushes in park



View from bottom of terrace onto fountain and alley in summer



View from bottom of terrace onto fountain and alley in winter

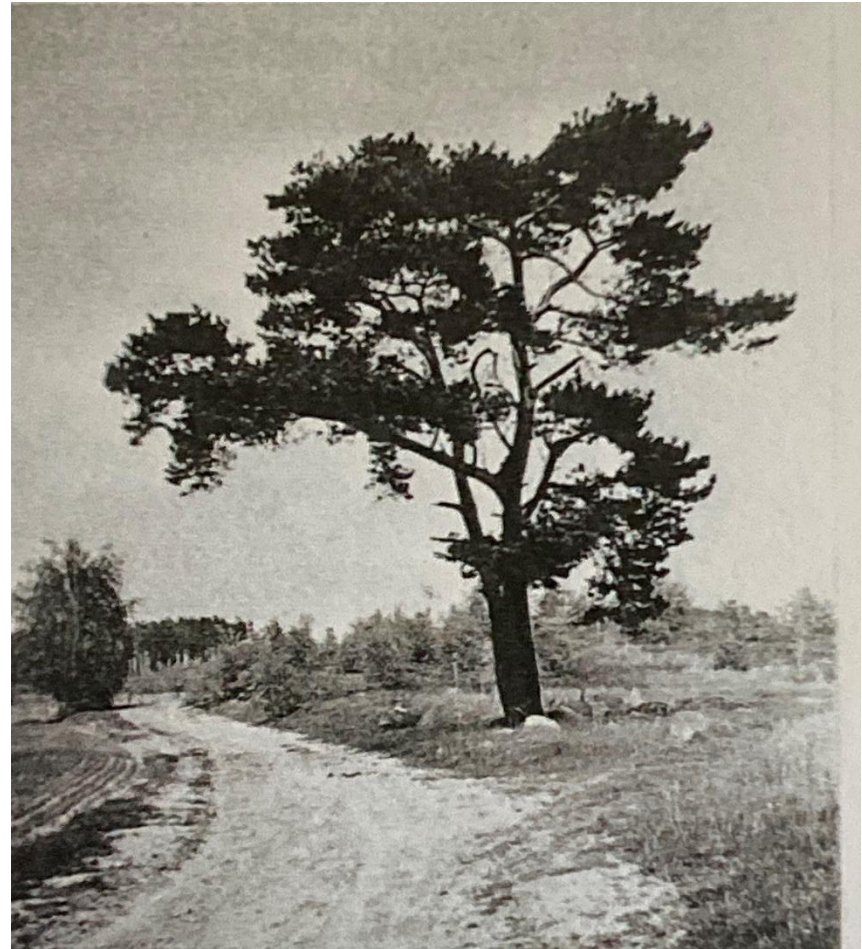


View from side of terrace into side trails in park

Including a tree that marked an important location



Blick auf die Bromberge . View to the blackberry hill



Blick auf die Bromberge . View to the blackberry hill



Blick auf die Bromberge . View to the blackberry hill

Farming and farm buildings

The estate was over 1000 acres and the park was only 56 acres. The rest was the village, hunting forests, and farm land.



Tak wyglądały zabudowania gospodarcze przypałacowego folwarku Schweinitzów przed wojną, a tak

Some farm building next to the Schloss



... w latach siedemdziesiątych XX wieku. Do dnia dzisiejszego nie zachował się żaden z obiektów widocznych na tych fotografiach.

Farm building for pig breeding and fattening.

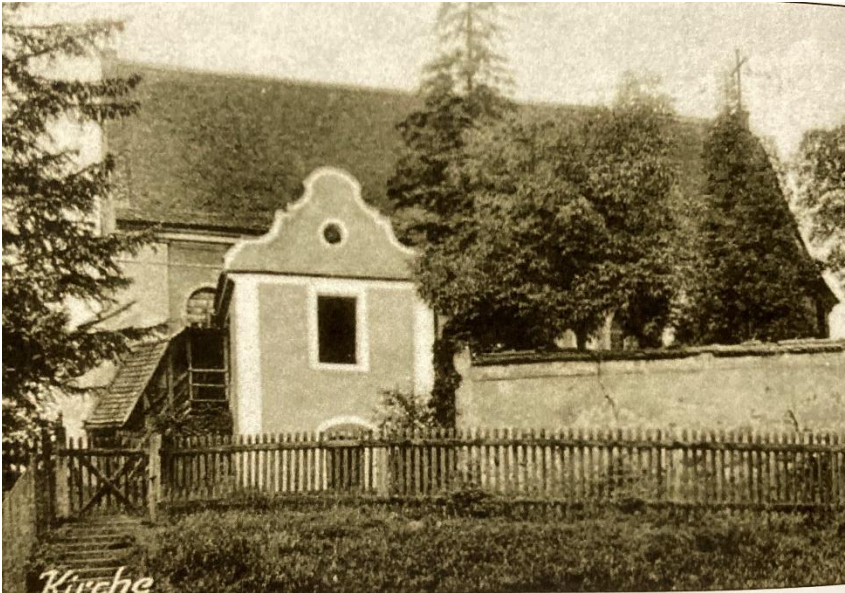


Farm Horses plowing field

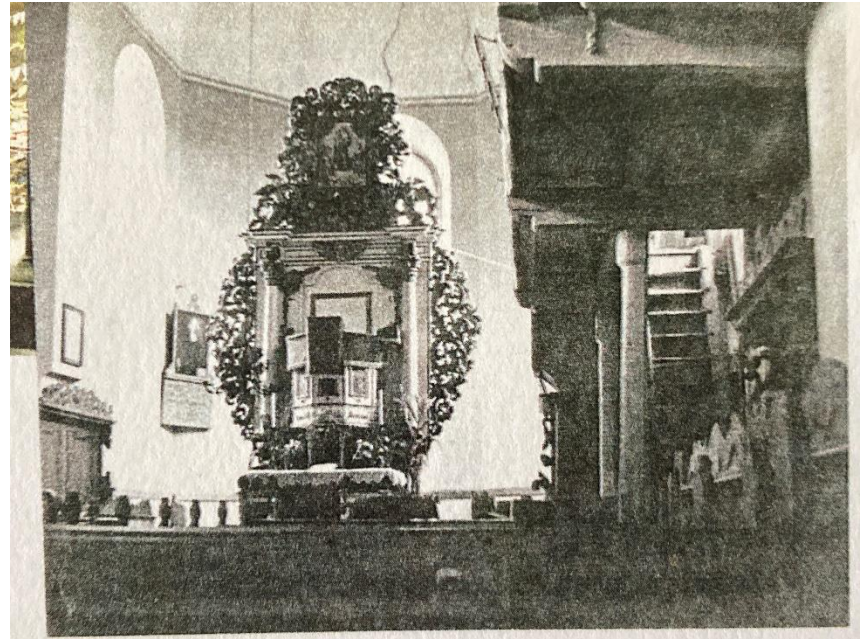


Farm Field workers harvesting potatoes

Church in village



Church in village where family worshiped.



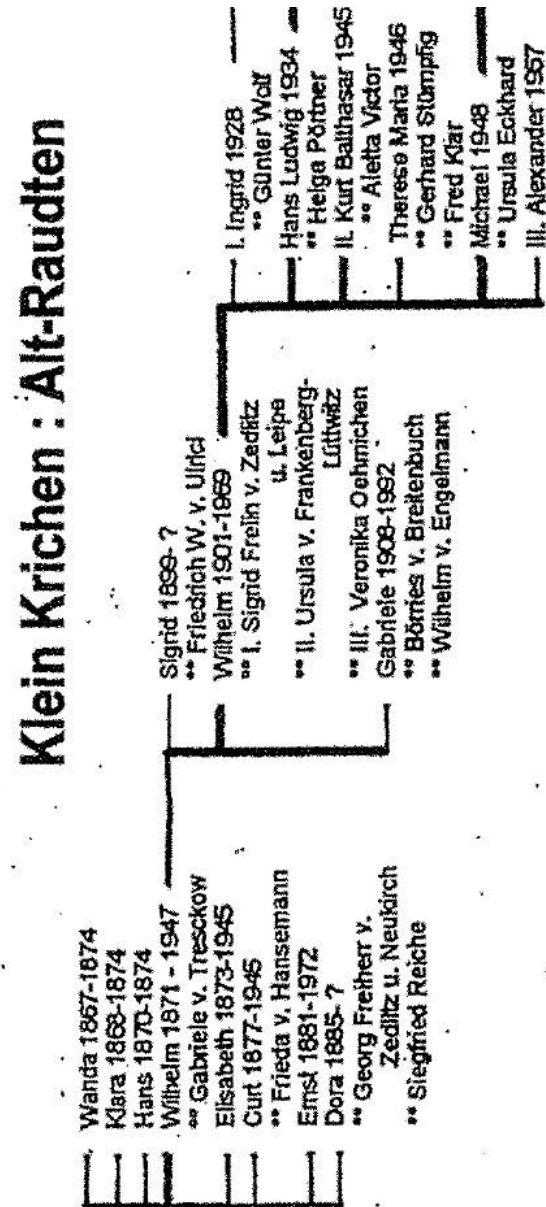
Interior of Church with Alter about 1940-1945.

Family Photos

Since Hans-Ludwig is the main subject, he is included the first set of photos. After that are photos of other family members and weddings and other large gatherings.

Vati's Family Tree

The Family at Alt Raudten belongs to the Klein Krichen-Alt Raudten branch of the Schweinitz family tree. The complete tree is part of its own compendium



Names of Family Members in Photos

From the Vati's von Schweinitz family tree

Hans-Ludwig: Hans Ludwig von Schweinitz Born 1934
Died 2019

Vati Hans (sometimes Hans-Wilhelm): Hans Wilhelm
Herman Egon Losso von Schweinitz Born 1901
Died 1969[Father]

Mutti: Sigrid (Sigrid, Muckchen) Ingebor Freiin von
Zedlitz und von Leipe Born 1902 died
1942[Mother]

Ini: Ingrid von Schweinitz Born 1928 Died xx [older
sister of Hans-Ludwig]

Oma Gabi: Gabriele Laura Theresa von Tresckow Born
1875 died 1962 [Mother of Vati. Grandmother to
Hans-Ludwig]

Opa Wilhelm: Hans Hermann Heinrich Wilhelm von
Schweinitz Born 1871 Died 1947 [Father of Vati.
Grandfather to Hans-Ludwig]

Onkel Breitenbuch: Börries von Breitenbuch [First
husband of Tante Gabi]

Onkel Curt: Curt (Kurt) von Schweinitz born 1877 died
1945 [younger brother Opa Hans-Wilhelm]

Onkel Engelmann: Wilhelm von Engelmann born xx
died xx [Second husband of Tante Gabi]

Onkel Ernst: Ernst von Schweinitz born 1881 died 1972,
married Tante Lotte [younger brother of Opa
Hans-Wilhelm]

Onkel Hans-Georg: Hans-Georg Freiherr von Zedlitz
und von Neukirch born xx died xx [first husband
of Tante Dora]

Onkel Siegfried: Siegfried Reiche born xx died xx
[second husband of Tante Dora]

Tante Biene: Gabriele von Breitenbuch/von Engelmann
nee von Schweinitz Born 1908 Died 1992,
married Onkel Engelmann [younger sister of
Vati]

Tante Ditta: Sigrid Militta von Ulrici nee von
Schweinitz Born 1899 died xx, married Onkel
Ulrici [older sister of Vati]

Tante Dora: Dora von Zedlitz von Neukirch, Reiche,
nee von Schweinitz born 1885 died xx [younger
sister of Opa Hans-Wilhelm]

Tante Elisabeth: Elisabeth von Schweinitz Born 1873
Died 1945 [younger sister of Opa Hans Wilhelm]

Tante Frieda: Frieda von Schweinitz nee von
Hansemann born xx died xx [wife of Curt]

Tante Lotte: Wife of Onkel Ernst.

Ulla: Ursula von Frankenberg-Lüttwitz. Born xx Died
xx [Former Governess of Hans-Ludwig then step-
mother when she married Vati Hans, Hans-
Ludwig's Vati.]

Cousin Anne: Anne von Tresckow [niece of Oma Gabi]

Cousin Pfiffer: Pfiffer von Schweinitz, from German
South African colony.

Mutti's family tree

Opa von Zedlitz

Oma von Zedlitz geb Böttcher

Onkel Ulrici (sometimes Uli): Friedrich (or Friedhelm)

Wilhelm von Ulrici Born xx fallen 9 September

1944 [son of Onkel Ulrici/Gerd]

Onkel Ulrici (sometimes Gerd): Friedrich Wilhelm von

Ulrici Born xx died [husband of Vati's older sister

Sigrid]

Others

Armin Gutscher

Biche

Biene

Bimlem

Dorothee Unruh

E deSchweinitz

Englischen

Esch

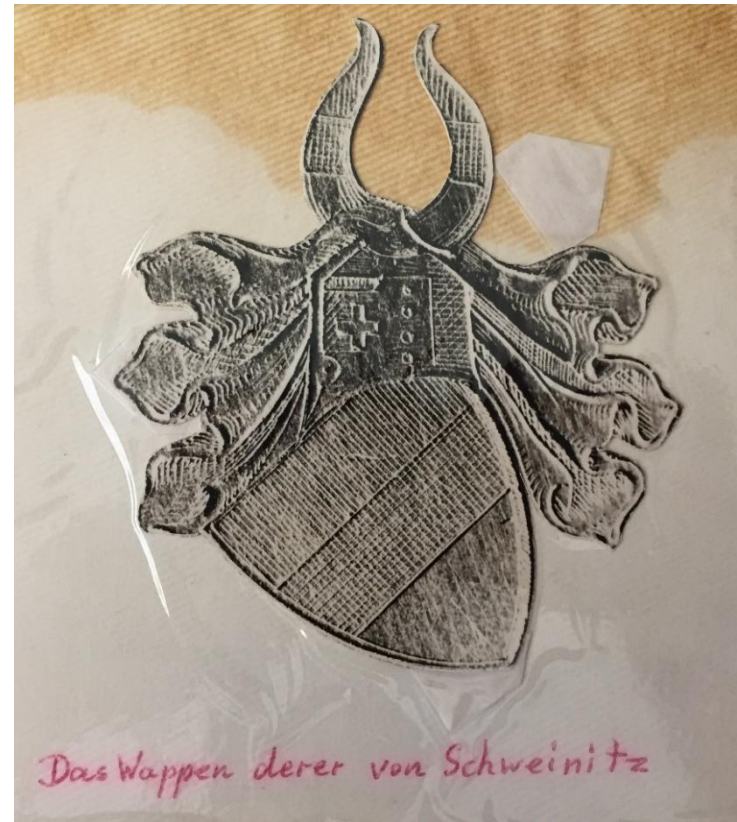
Esther

Freidhalen

Hildegard von Braichitichn

Family Crest

The history and more information about the crest and coat of arms is included in its own compendium.



Das Wappen derer von Schweinitz
The coat of arms of family von Schweinitz



The coat of arms of family von Schweinitz in color

Hans-Ludwig from Birth October 1934 to January 1945

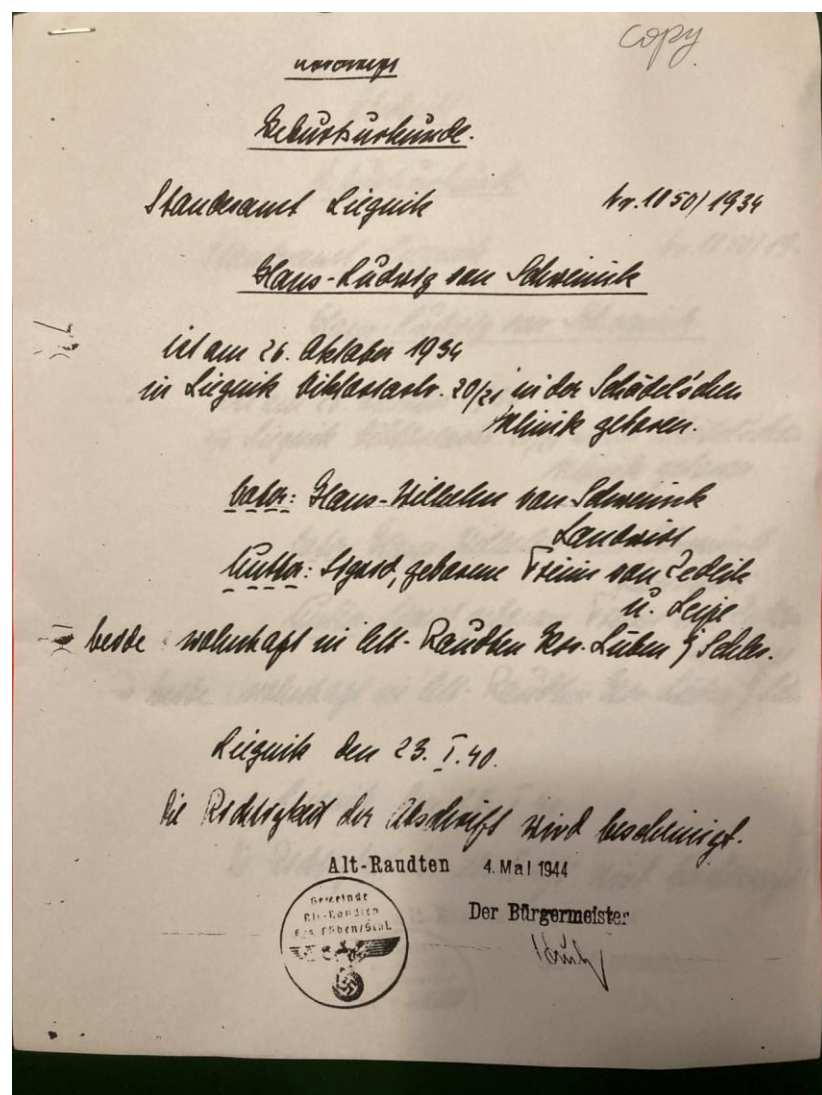
Hans-Ludwig's Birth and Baptism

Hans' Birth Certificate 26 October 1934

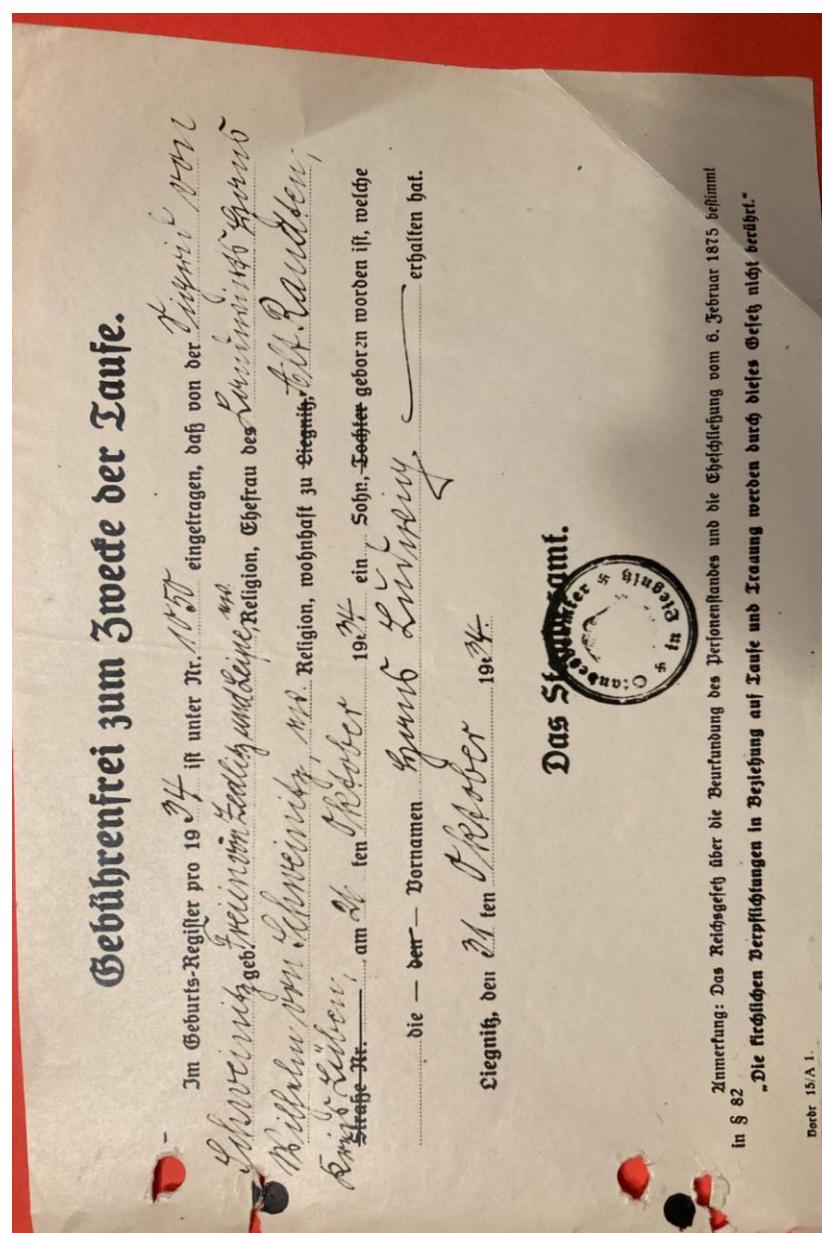
Since it was a certificate written in the family bible, on 4 May 1944 it was officially verified by the Alt Raudten town Mayor.

Has the Eagle official stamp of the Third Reich

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Hans was baptized on 31 October 1934



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Hans-Ludwig

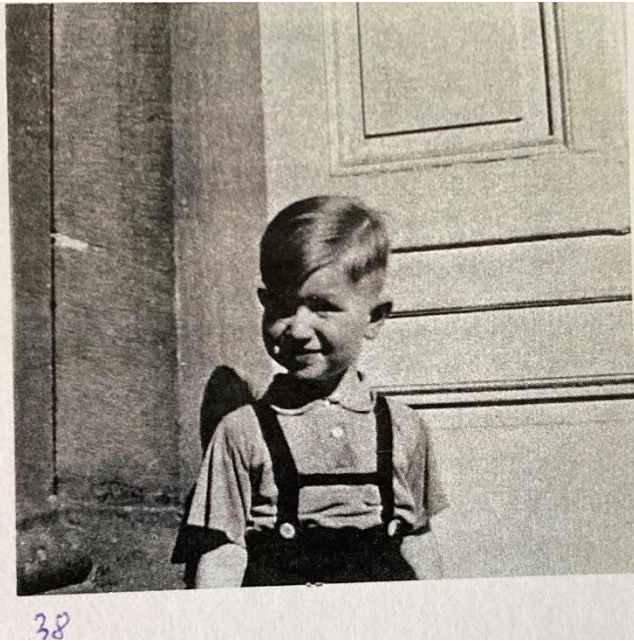


Hans

Hans-Ludwig [Hanelü] with his cat Raindi 1938



Cat on estate in Schloss, possibly Hans-Ludwig's cat Raindi



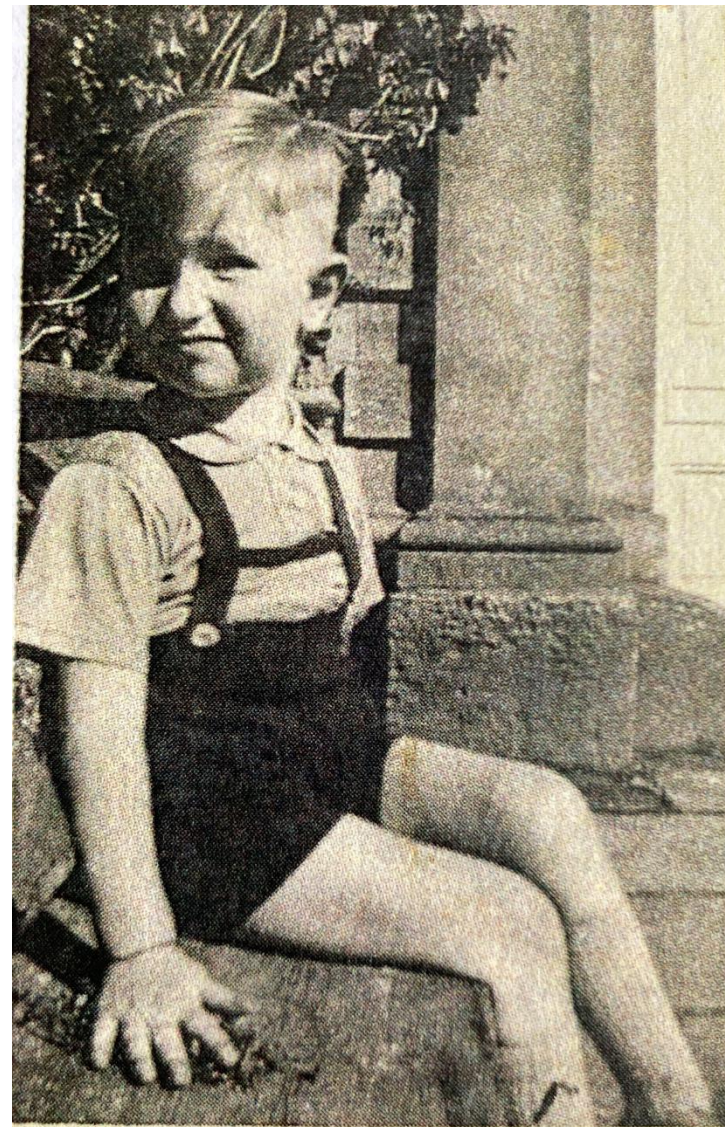
Hans-Ludwig in Lederhosen 1938



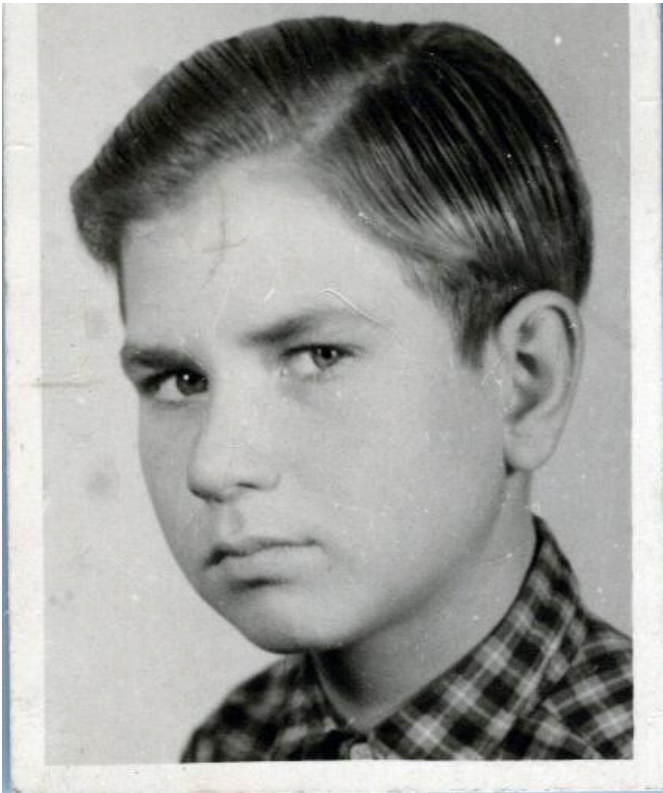
Hans-Ludwig playing in snow possibly 1936



Hans-Ludwig in sandbox



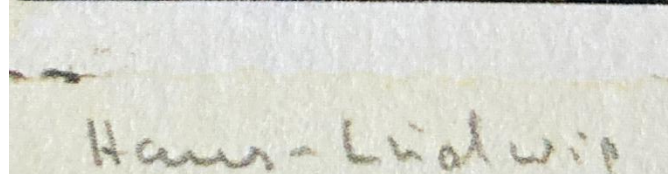
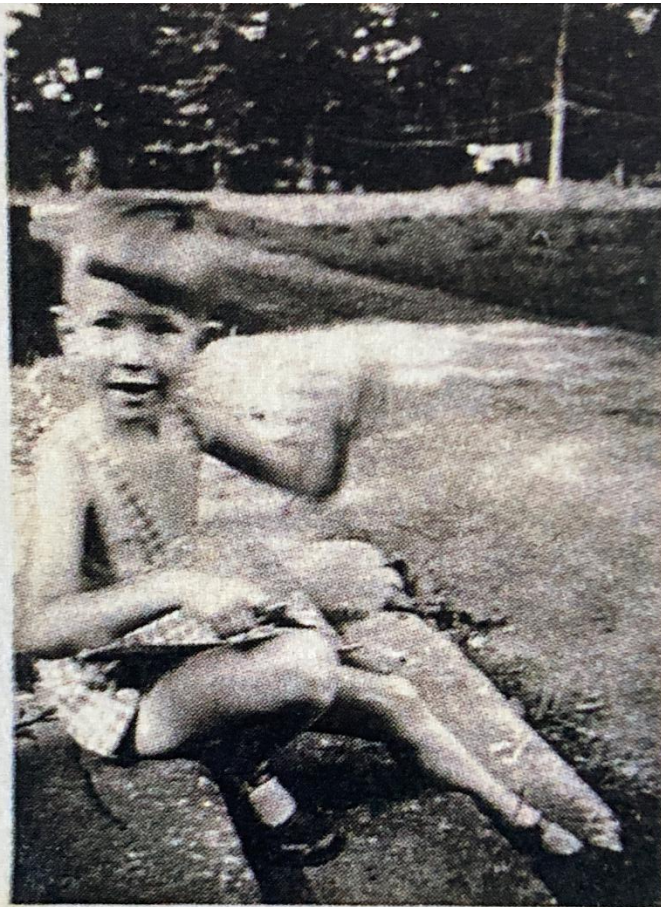
Hans-Ludwig in lederhosen 1938



Hans-Ludwig portrait, about 8-10yrs old



Hans-Ludwig on first day of school, with backpack and School cone 1941



Hans-Ludwig in sandbox



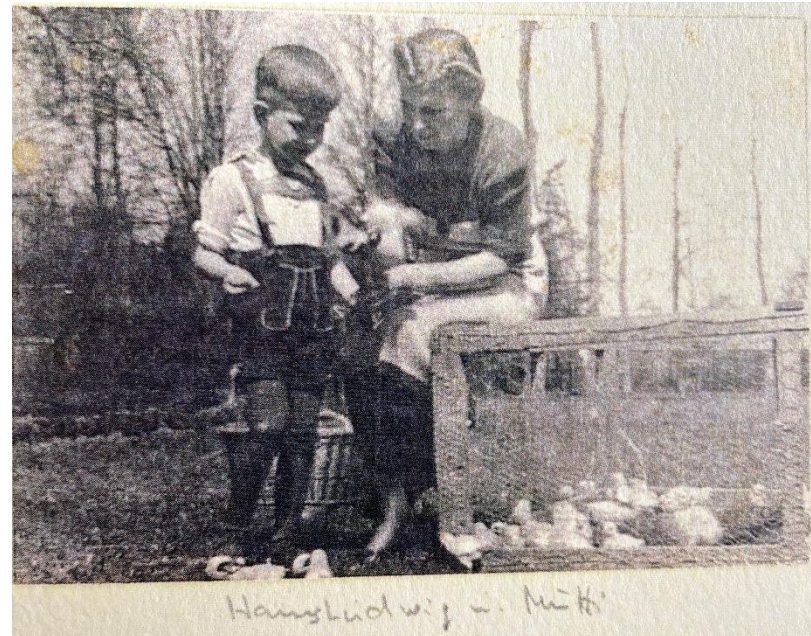
Hans-Ludwig holding a tray of something.



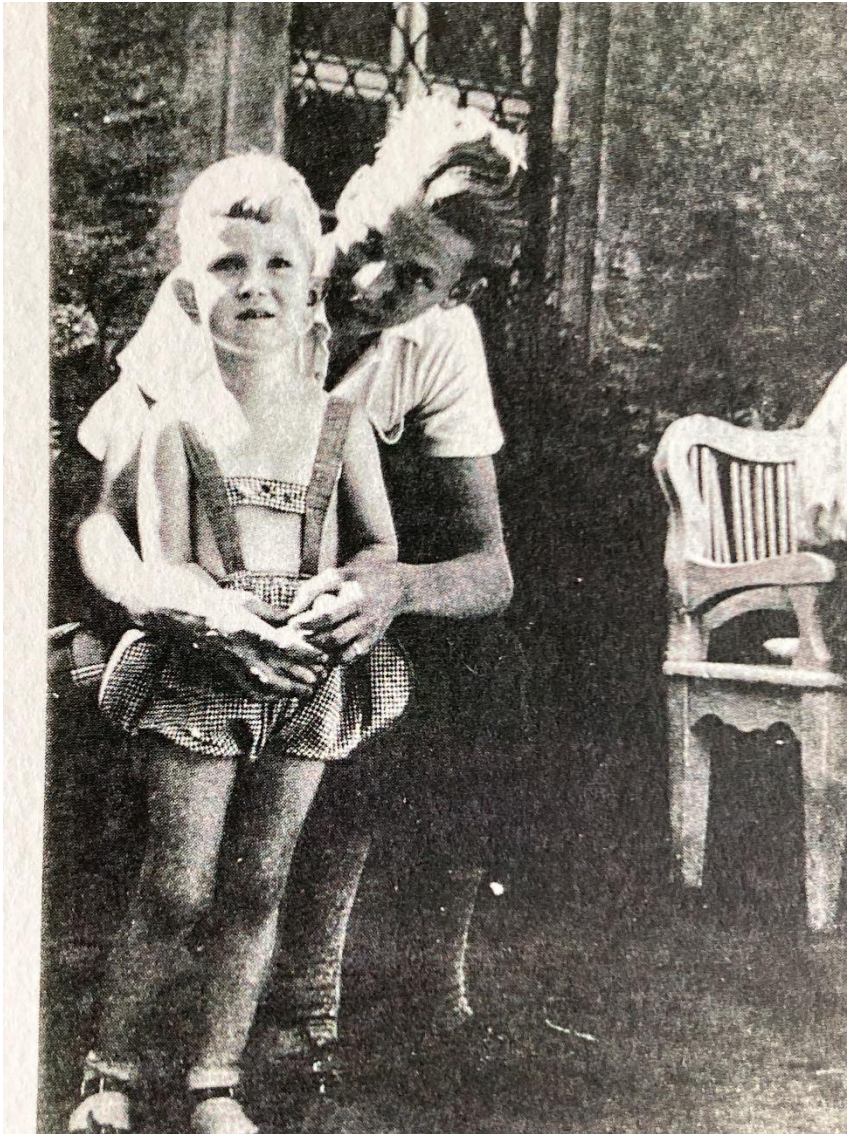
Hans-Ludwig first day of school with backpack, Schultüte (school cone) and books.

Hans-Ludwig with Mutti

Hans-Ludwig called his mother “Mutti”



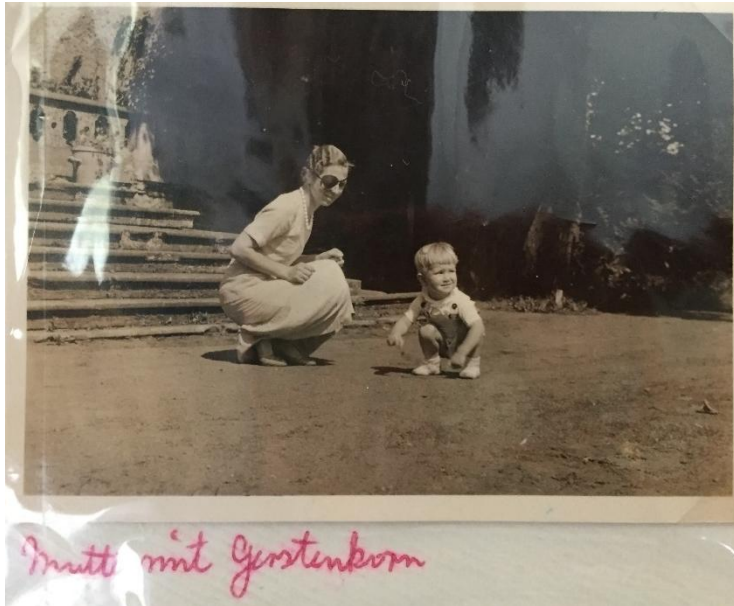
Mutti and Hans-Ludwig with Chicken pen.



Mutti hugging Hans-Ludwig, in Lederhosen.



Mutti with Hans-Ludwig on her lap. Hans-Ludwig in Silesian outfit.



Mutti mit Gerstenkorn. Mutti with barley corn (Hans-Ludwig)



Hans-Ludwig [boy in middle] with Mutti and car and other family members on a trip. 1938

Hans-Ludwig with Mutti and others



Hans-Ludwig with Mutti [on right] with car and other family members on a trip. 1938



Hans-Ludwgi, Mutti, Elisabeth Branchistsch, Oma Gabi

Hans-Ludwig with Vati



Vati, Hans

Hans-Ludwig and Vati swinging around.

Hans-Ludwig with Vati and others



Hans, Vati, Ini, Anne

Hans-Ludwig with Vati, Ini and Anne sitting on Terrace wall.

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Hans-Ludwig in wagon, Ini in pigtails and dark apron, Anne in front of Ini, Opa Wilhelm on right back, Vati on right. 1942

Hans-Ludwig with Mutti and Vati



Vati, Mutti, Hans

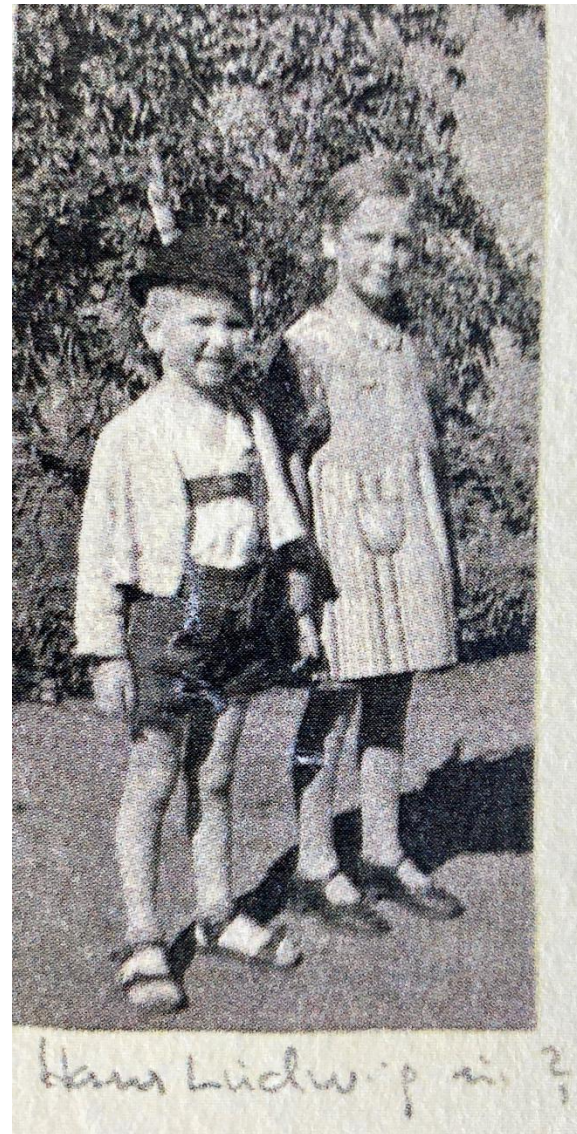
Hans-Ludwig with Vati and Mutti sitting under umbrella

Hans-Ludwig with Mutti and Vati and Others

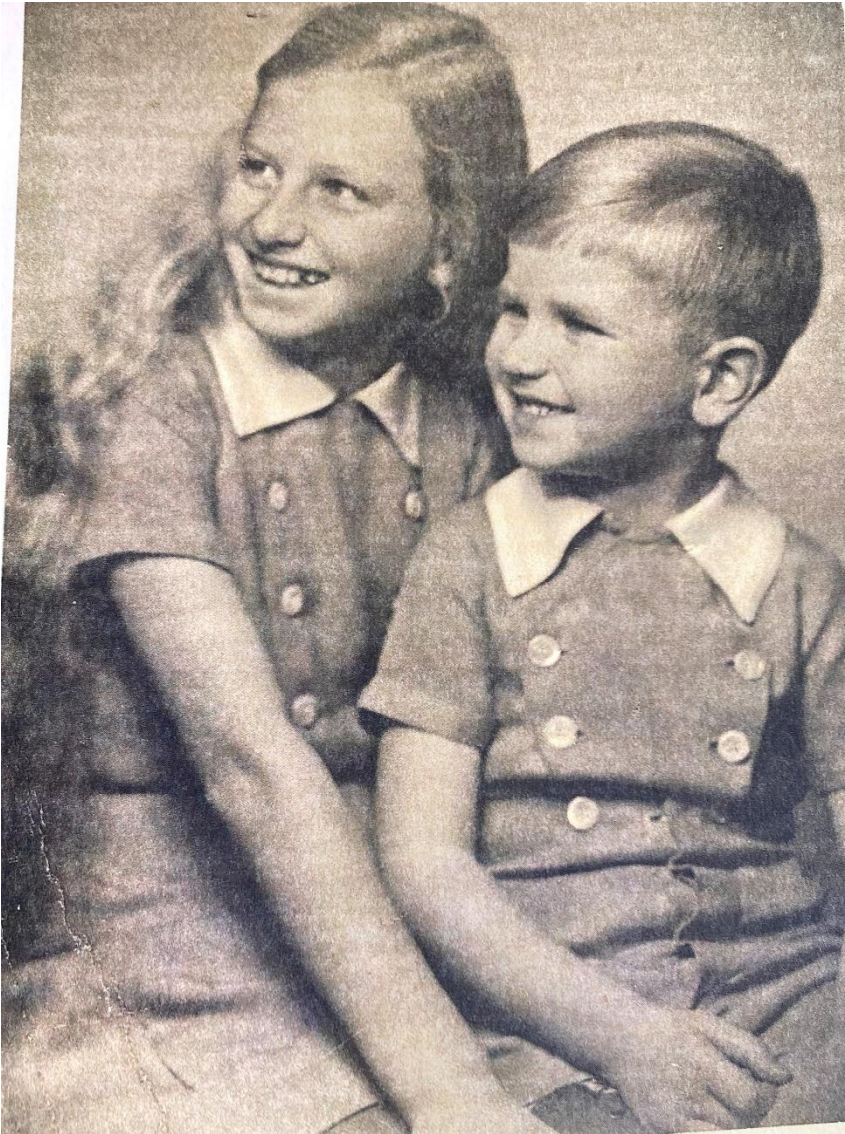


Mutti, Tante Biene, Tante Leni Lütwitz, Onkel Ernstle, Opa, Vati, xx, Anne, Ini, Die Esch, and Hans-Ludwig.

Hans-Ludwig with Ini



Hans-Ludwig [lederhosen and cap] and Ini



Ini and Hans-Ludwig 1938/39



Hans-Ludwig with Ini in park



Hans, Ini

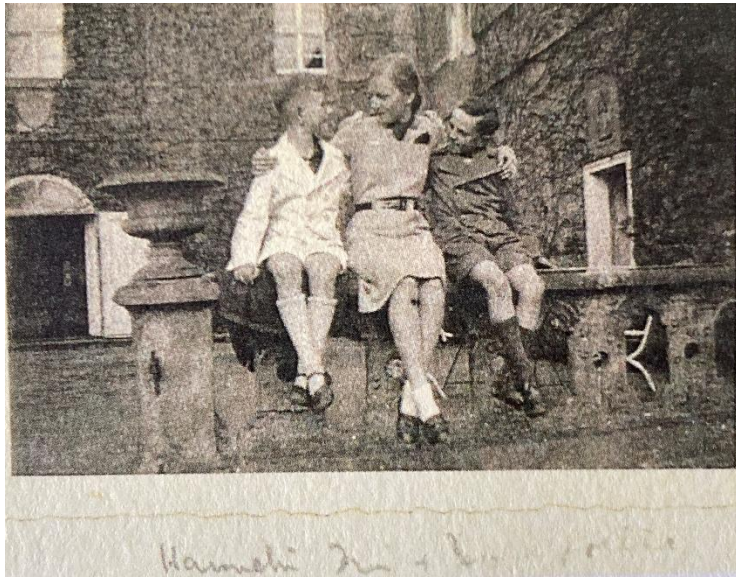
Hans-Ludwig with Ini in park

Hans-Ludwig with Ini and Others



Hans-Ludwig & Ini

Hans-Ludwig and xx sitting on wall of terrace



Hanelu (Hans-Ludwig), Ini, and xx sitting on wall of terrace.

Hans-Ludwig with Opa



Hans, Opa

Hans-Ludwig (Lederhosen) with Opa Wilhelm (in Gentleman country outfit)

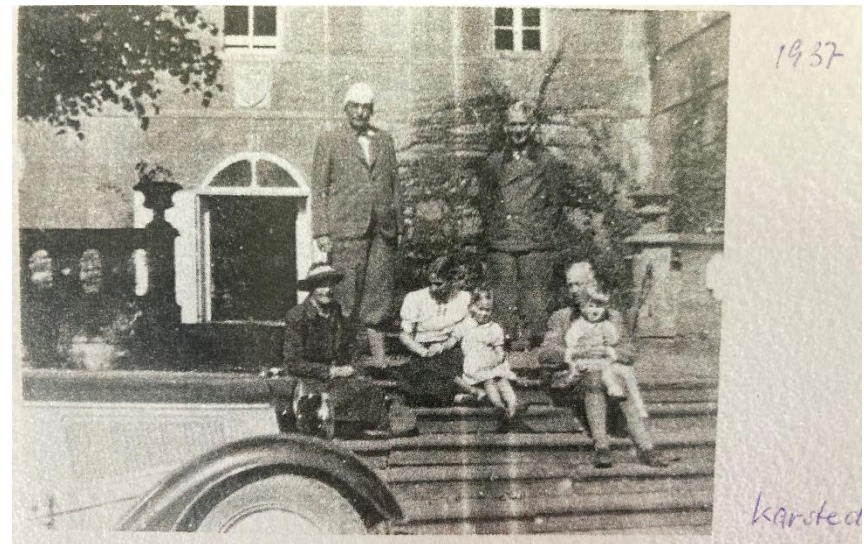


Hans-Ludwig (Lederhosen) with Opa Wilhelm

Hans-Ludwig with Opa and Others



Hans-Ludwig, Tante Ditta, xx, Opa, Anne, xx, Onkel Ernst



Hans-Ludwig and Opa with Karstedt and family. 1937

Hans-Ludwig with Others



Hans-Ludwig in wagon with Anne. Ini standing in middle with dark apron.

Hans pre 1945 photos Alt Raudten and Family



Xx, Gerd von Ulrici, Tante Ditta von Ulrici, Hans-Ludwig



Hans-Ludwig in wagon, Ini in pigtails and dark apron, Anne behind Hans-Ludwig, Oma Gabi on right. 1942

Family members with most influence

There were several family members and relations that were residences of the Schloss Alt Raudten. And some family members would stay for a short time. And of course friends would come to visit. There were several people that had a great influence on Hans-Ludwig. The are:

Vati Hans

Mutti Sigrid

Sister Ini

Oma Gabi

Opa Wilhelm

Onkel Ernst

Onkel Ulrici/Gerd

StepMother Ulla

Playfriend Pfiffer

Cousin Anne von Tresckow

Vati Hans-Wilhelm



Alt-Raudten

Vati in Alt Raudten 1943/1944

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Vati in Wiesbaden 1956 -1960



Vati portrait

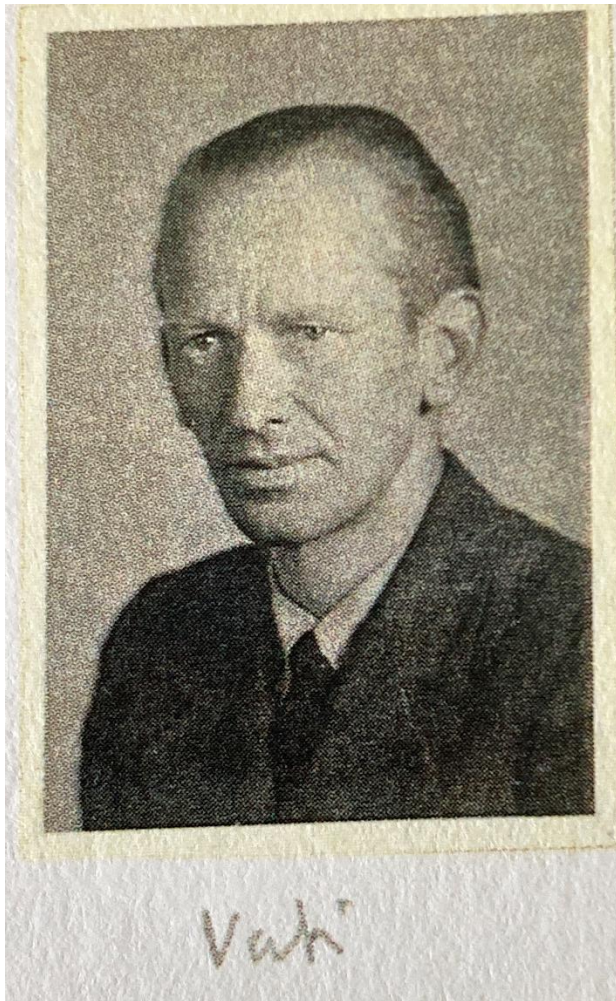
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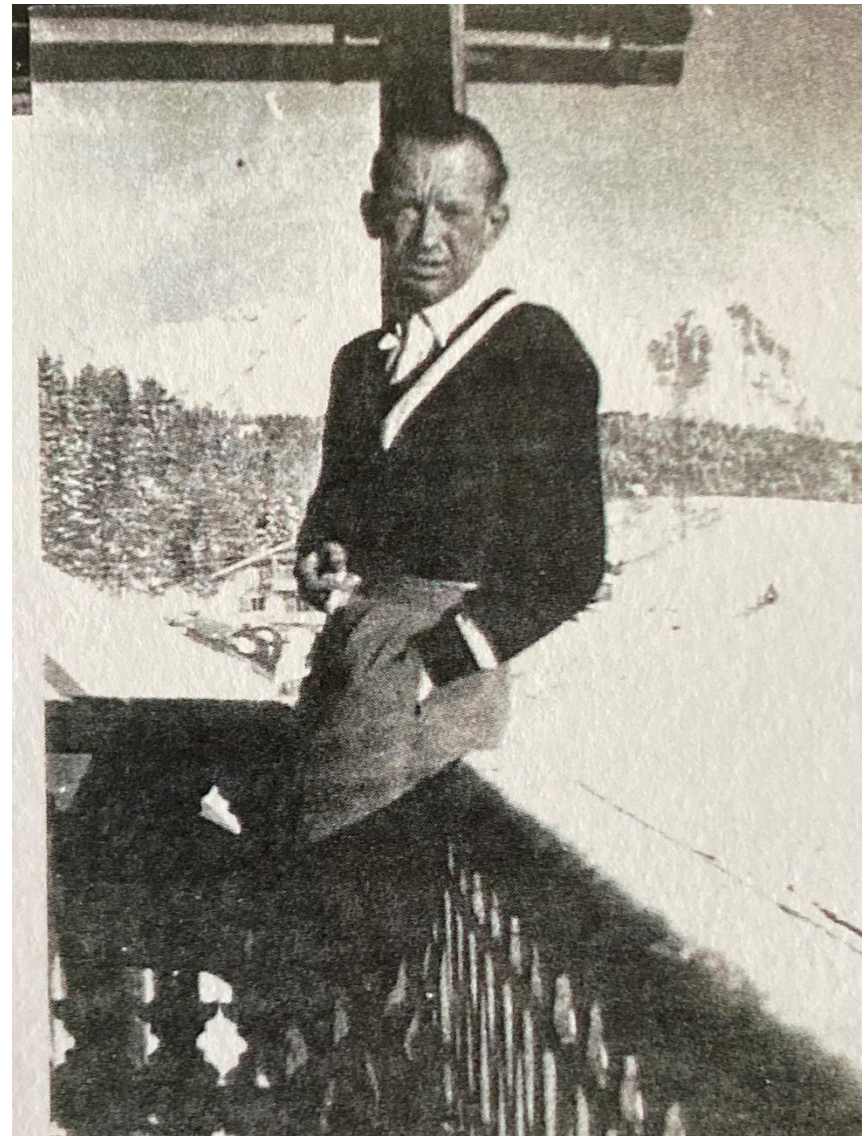
Vati taking photo on mountain top Pilzberg Dolomiten
1939-1940



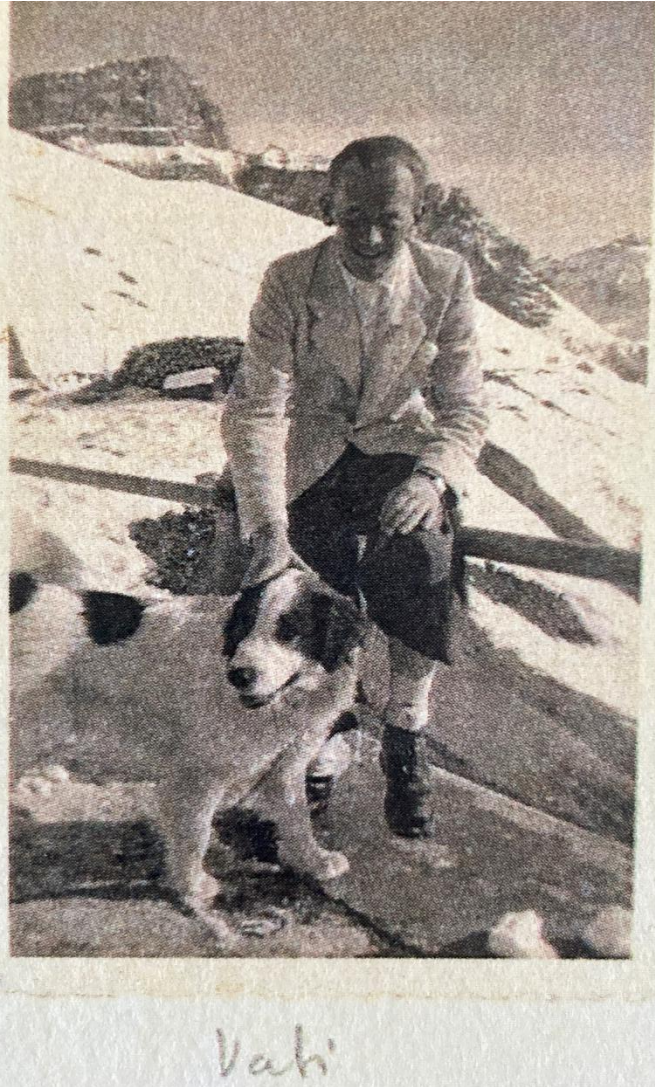
Vati in Alt Raudten portrait



Vati Portrait



Vati in Pilsberg Dolomiten 1939/1940 leaning against porch railing.



Vati on mountain top with St Barnard dog. Pilzberg Dolomiten 1939/1940

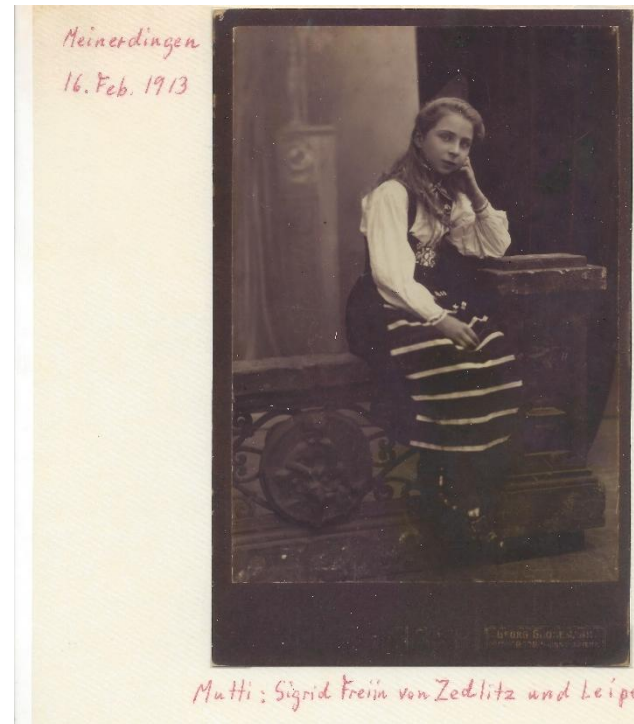


Vati in his Gentleman Country outfit 1939-1940



Vati sitting at picknick table bench

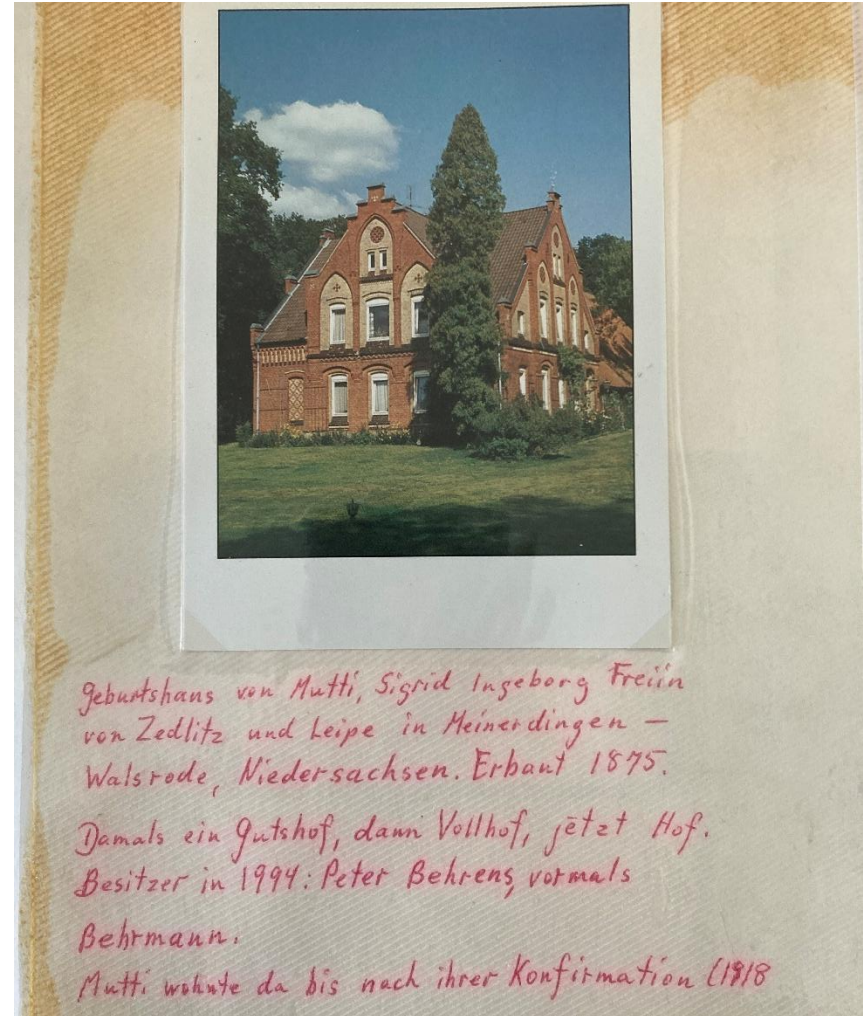
Mutti Sigrid before marriage 1927



Mutti: Sigrid Freiin von Zedlitz und Leipe in
Meinerdingen 16 February 1913.



Mutti in 1913. Born 1902 so age 11. Married Vati in 1927



Geburtshaus von Mutti, Sigrid Ingeborg Freiin von Zedlitz und Leipe in Meinerdingen-Walsrode, Niedersachsen, Erbaut 1875.

Damals ein Gutshof, dann Vollhof, jetzt Hof. Besitzer in 1994: Peter Behrens, formals Behrmann.

Mutti wohnte da bis nach ihrer Konfirmation 1918.



Geburtshaus von Mutti



Schloß Könitz in Thüringen wo Mutti ab xx wohnte



Könitz postcard



Die Zedlitz Villa in Totschen, Schlesien.



Kirche in Meinerdingen, in der Mutti getauft und konfirmiert wurde. Church where Mutte was baptised and had her confirmation.

Mutti after marriage



*Sigrd Freiin von Zedlitz und Leipe –
von Schweinitz, auch: Muckchen
auch: Mutti*

Mutti portrait 1938. Sigrd Freiin von Zedlitz und Leipe
– von Schweinitz. Auch: Muckchen. Auch: Mutti.



Mutti in Schloss vegetable garden 1942

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Mutti
Mutti with puppy or hedgehog



Mutti siting on stone wall

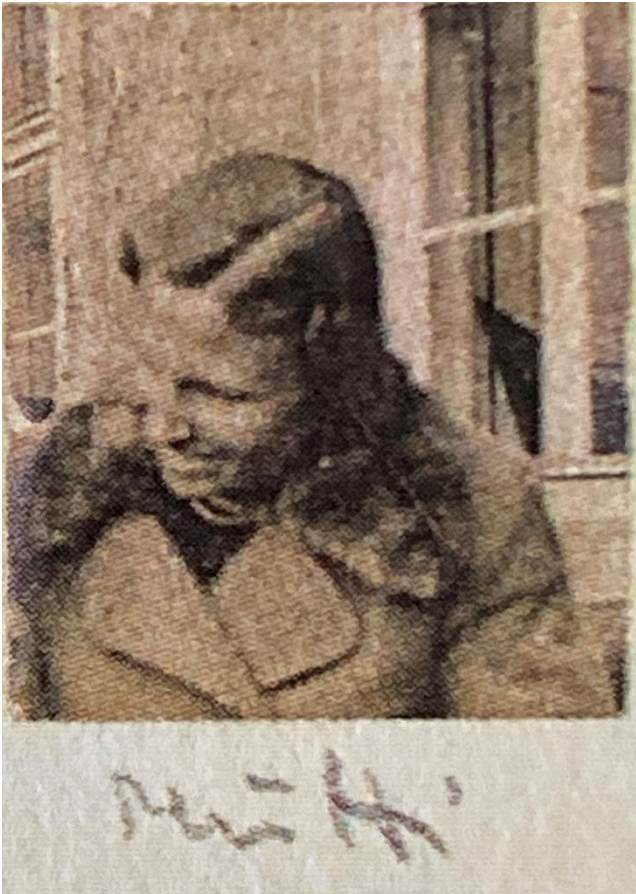


Mutti portrait with arms crossed

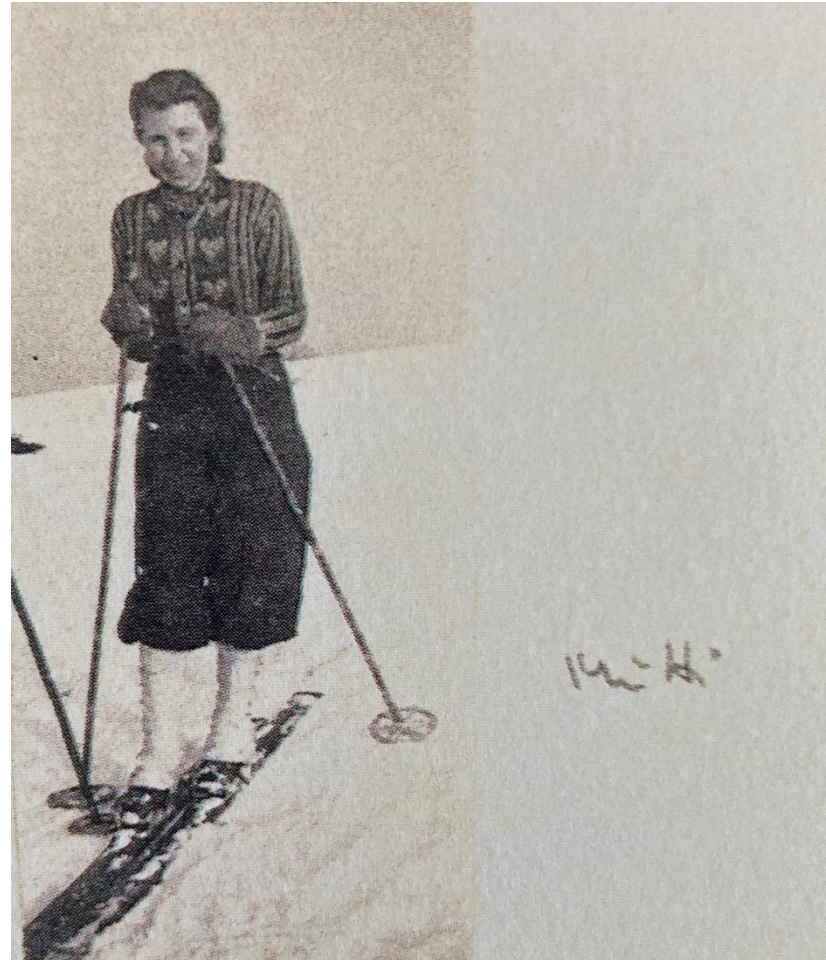


Mutti auf Usedom

Mutti on Usedom beach 1937/38



Mutti looking down 1939-1941



Mutti on skis Pilzberg Dolomiten 1939/1940

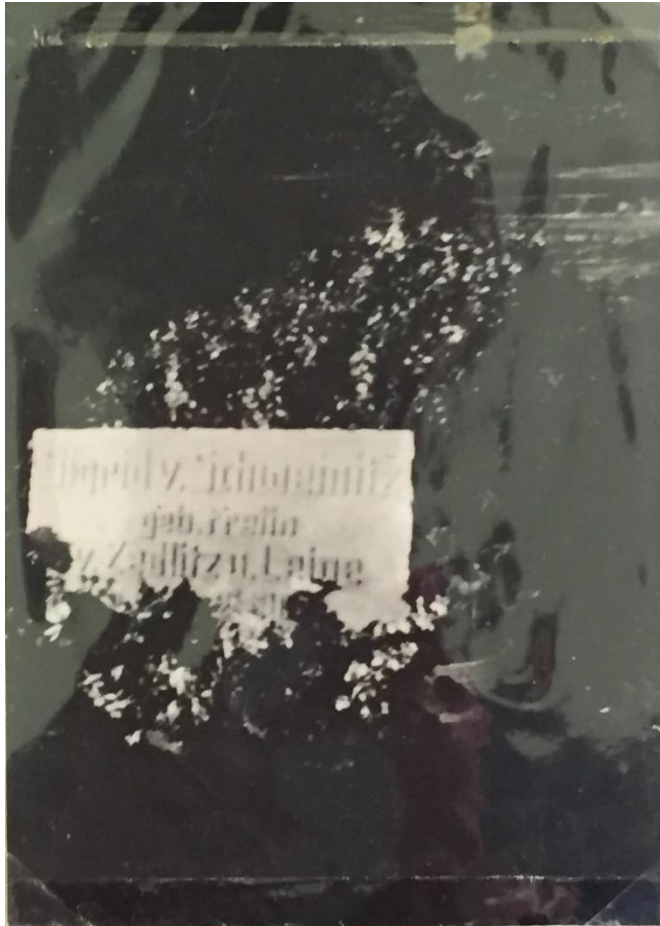


Mutti portrait cheeky look 1938



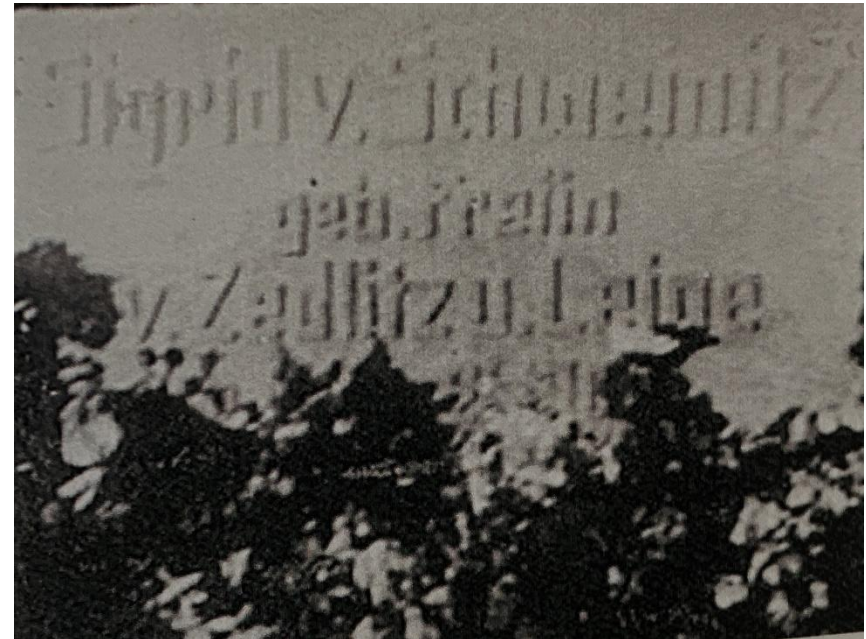
Mutti portrait – serious look over shoulder 1938

Mutti's Grave 1942



12 Feb. 1902 - 2 Sept. 1942
Muttis Grab auf dem Tempelberg

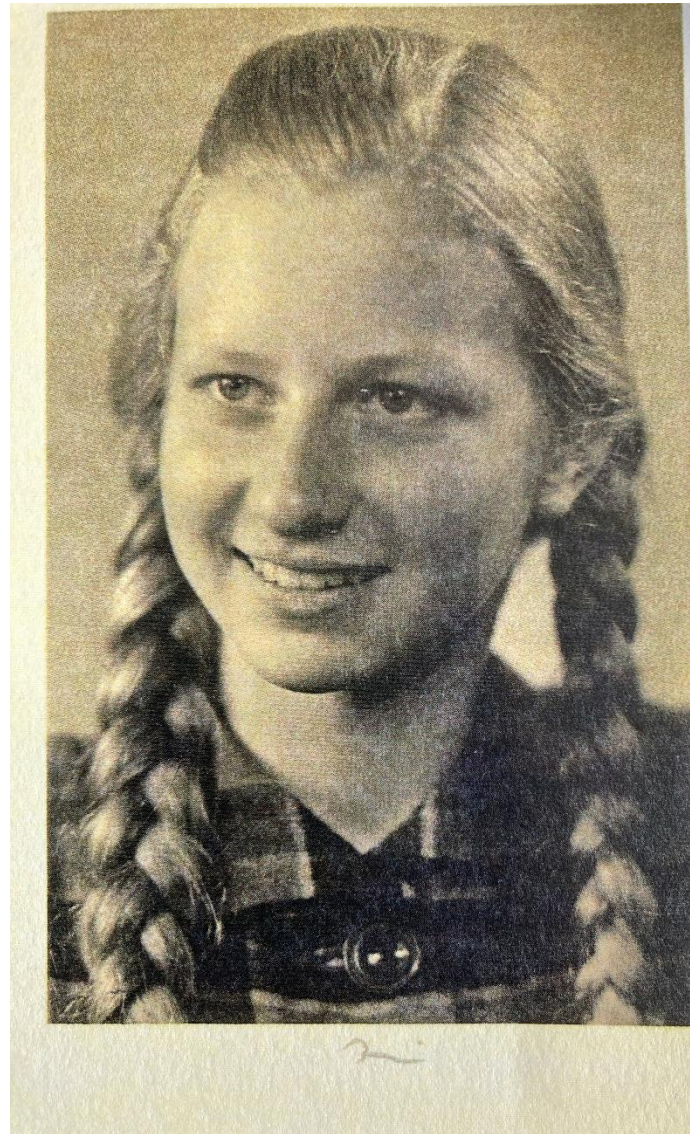
12 February 1902 – 2 September 1942. Mutti's Grave
on the Temple Mound



Sister Ini



Ini as angle at Christmas



Ini portrait in pigtails 1939-1941



Ini in Moltketal 1934



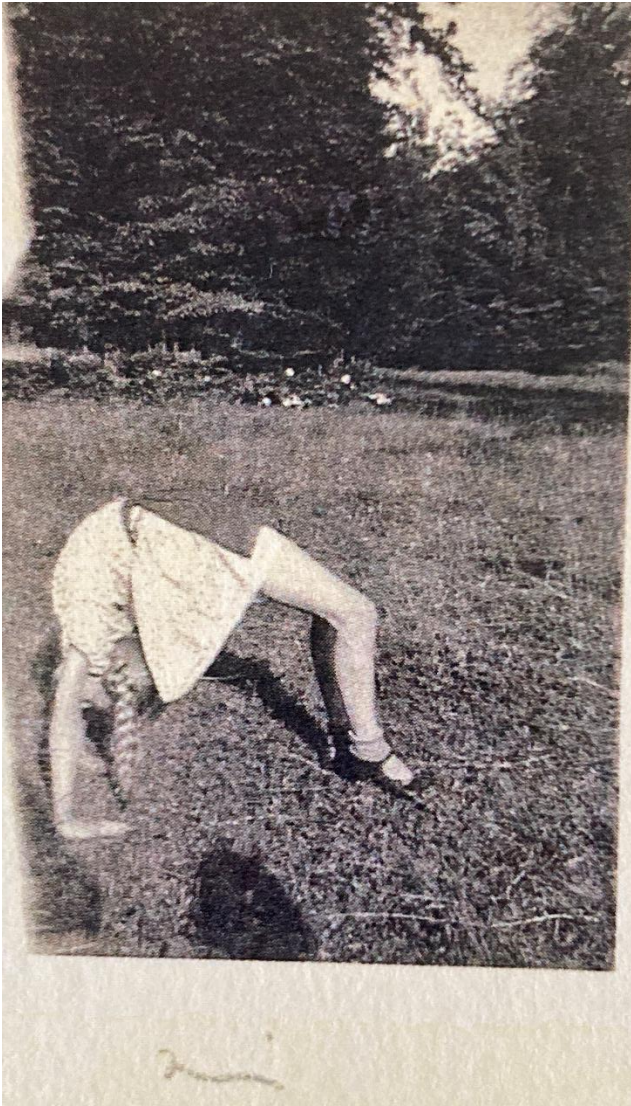
Ini sitting on terrace steps



Ini in hiking outfit and with walking stick



Ini sitting in windowsill 1939-1941



Ini doing backbend



Ini sitting on terrace wall



Ini with lamb 1943/1944

Oma Gabi



Oma Gabi standing on Schloss front bridge 1939-1941

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Oma Gabriele von Schweinitz, geb von Tresckow
(Gabi)



Oma Gabi with hands on hips 1939-1941



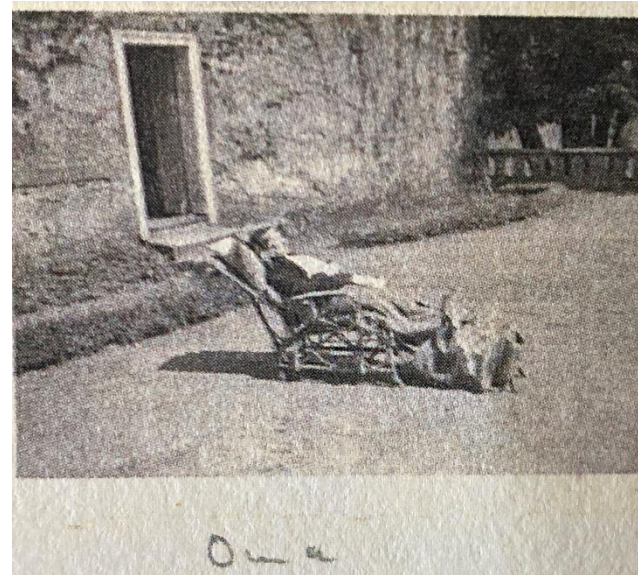
Oma Gabi portrait, looking down



Oma Gabi in lawn chair



Oma Gabi sitting on wall



Oma Gabi sitting in lawn settee on Terrace



Oma Gabi portrait with necklace

Opa Wilhelm



Opa Wilhelm: Hans Hermann Heinrich Wilhelm vS

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*Hans Wilhelm von Schweinitz,
Kadett in Wahlstadt*

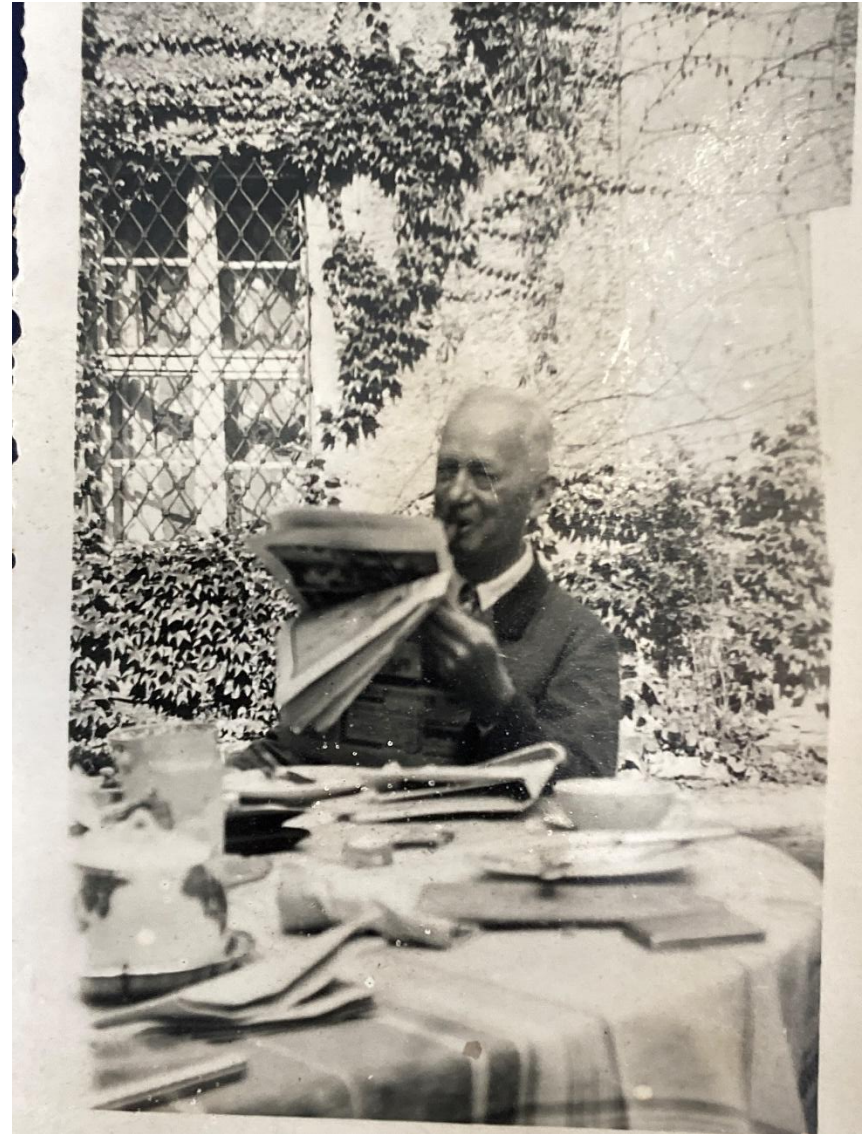
Opa Wilhelm: Hans Wilhelm von Schweinitz Kadett in Wahlstadt. Cadet in Wahlstadt.



Opa Wilhelm: Hans Wilhelm von Schweinitz Kadett in Wahlstadt. Cadet in Wahlstadt.



Opa Wilhelm portrait



Opa Wilhelm at table on terrace reading newspaper

Opa Wilhelm and Oma Gabi

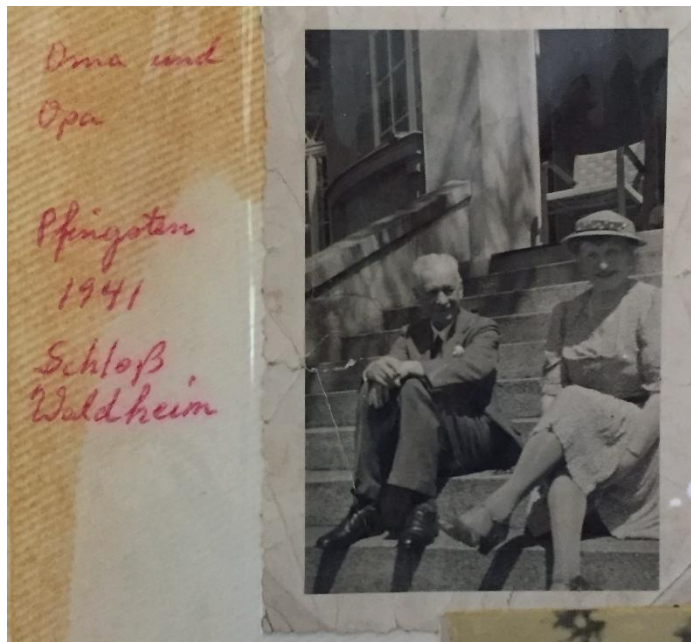


Oma Gabi and Opa Wilhelm von Schweinitz on a picnic



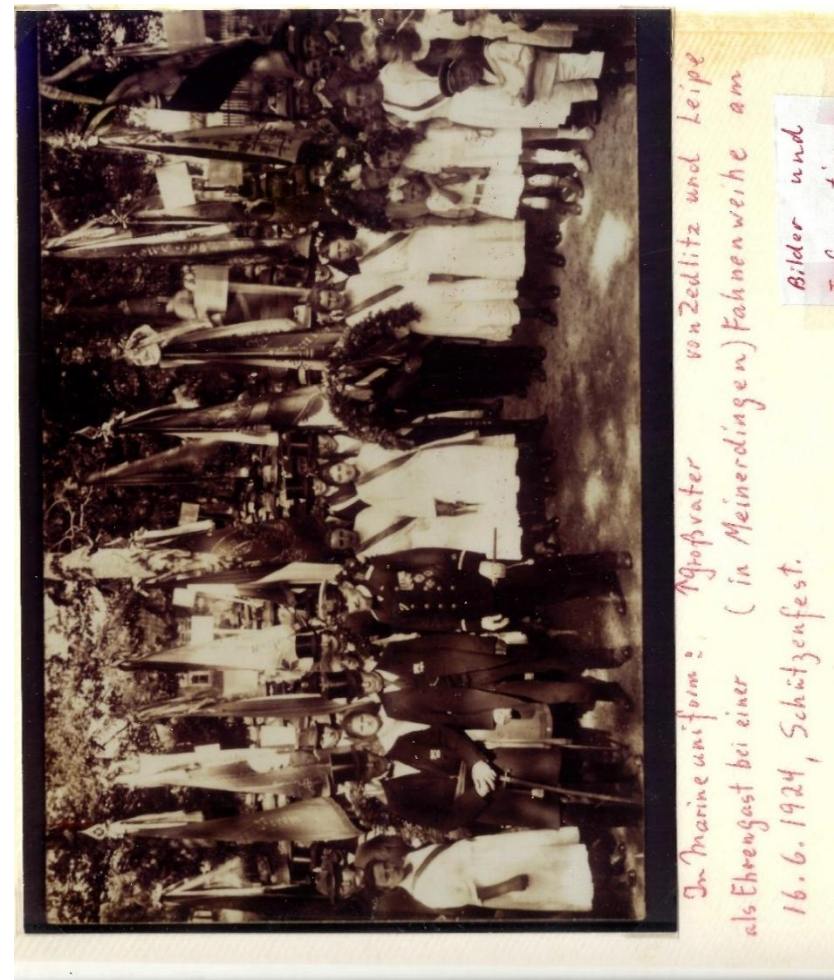
Oma Gabi [with box camera] and Opa Wilhelm in hunting attire. 1939-1941

Oma and Opa from Mutti's



Oma and Opa from Mutti's side [her parents] Pfingsten 1941 Schloss Waldheim.

Großvater from Mutti's

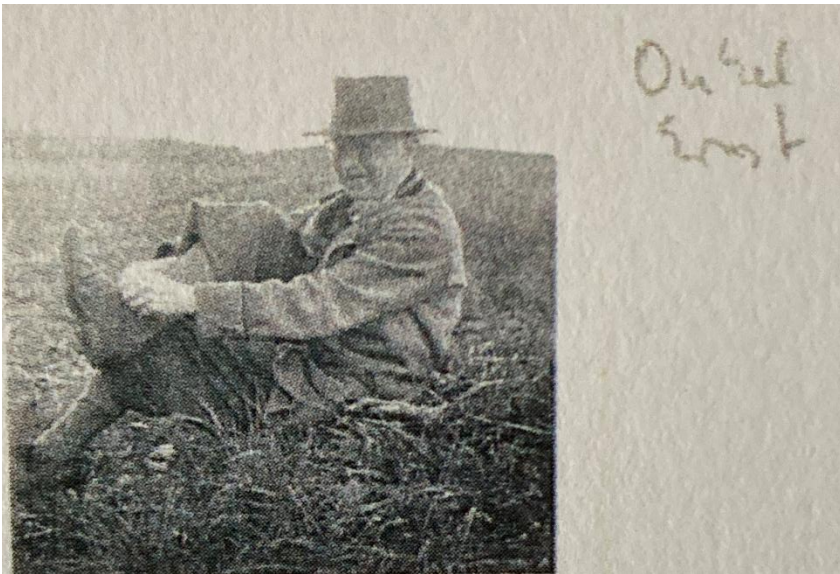


1924 June 16 Schützenfest.

Im Marine Uniform: [see arrow] Großvater [Mutti's Grandfather] xx von Zedlitz und Leipe als Ehrengast bei einer (in Meinerdingen) Fahnenweihe am 16.6.1924 Schützenfest.

In the Marine uniform: [see arrow] Grandfather xx von Zedlitz and Leipe as guest of honor at a flag consecration (in Meinerdingen) on June 16, 1924 shooting festival.

Onkel Ernst



Onkel Ernst in Gentleman Country outfit, sitting in field 1943/1944

Onkel Ernst and Tante Lotte



Onkel Ernst and Tante Lotte in 1960

Onkel Ulrici (or Uli)

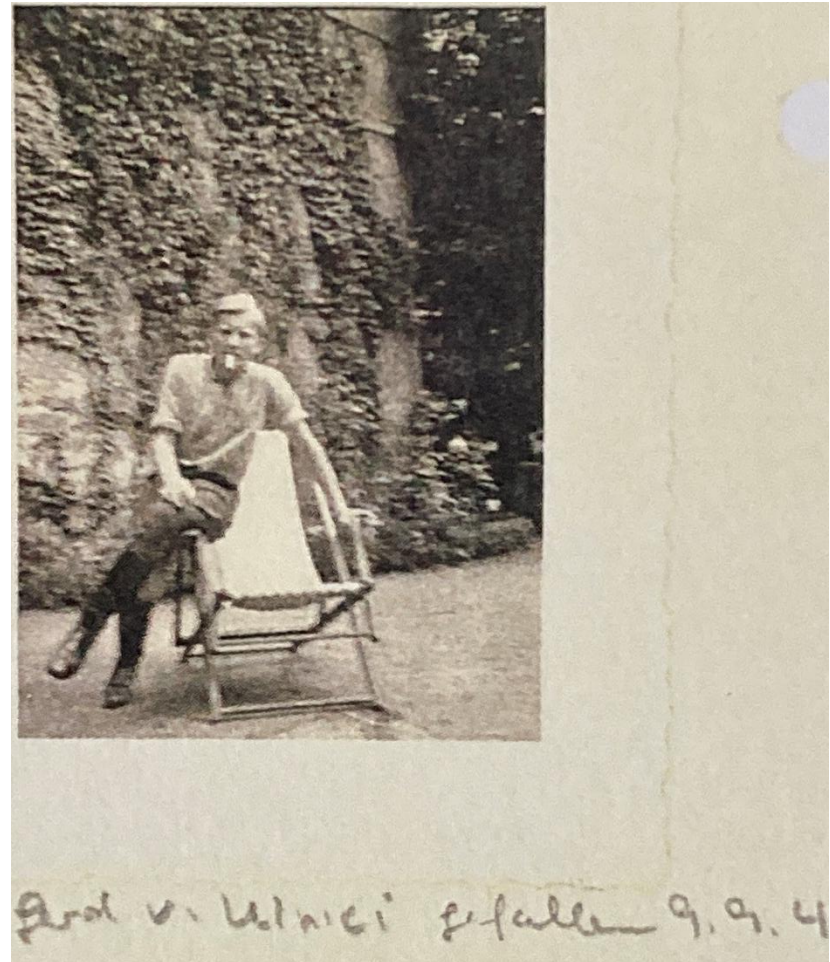
Friedrich Wilhelm von Ulrici

Also call Friedhelm for combination of Friedrich Wilhelm.

He was in the Germany Army and fell on 9 September 1942 or 1944. Oberst is a Colonel.



Oberst Friedrich Wilhelm von Ulrici. Colonel



Gerd von Ulrici fallen 9 September 1944



Friedhelm von Ulrici in Uniform



Friedhelm fell 9 September 1944 in Uniform

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Friedhelm and Hans-Ludwig in uniform.

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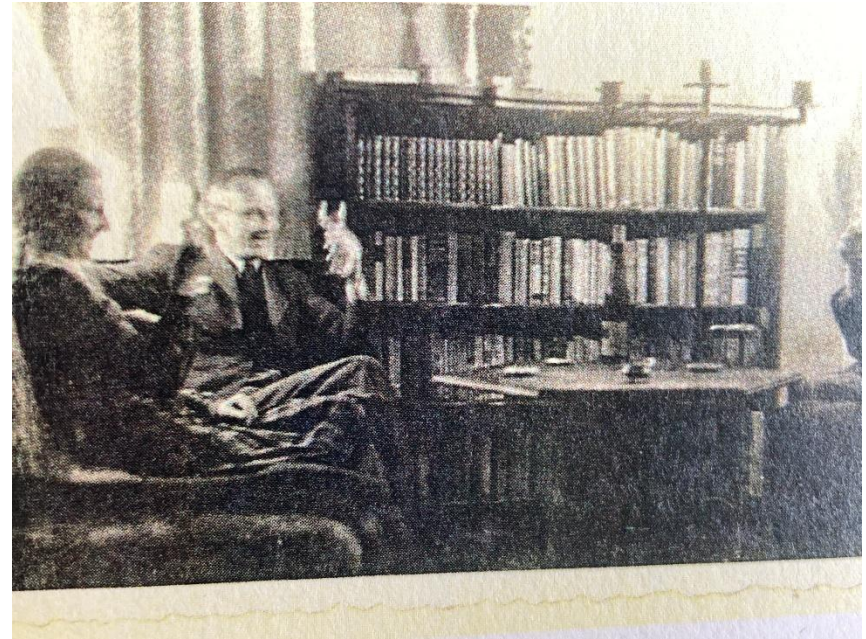
StepMother Ulla



Ulla Stepmother in field



Ulla in the window



Vati and Ulla in library

Playfriend Pfiffer



Ini, Pfiffer from South Africa, and Hans-Ludwig laying down.

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Cousin Anne



Anne von Tresckow, Cousin



Tante Biene with Anne



Anne with Hans-Ludwig

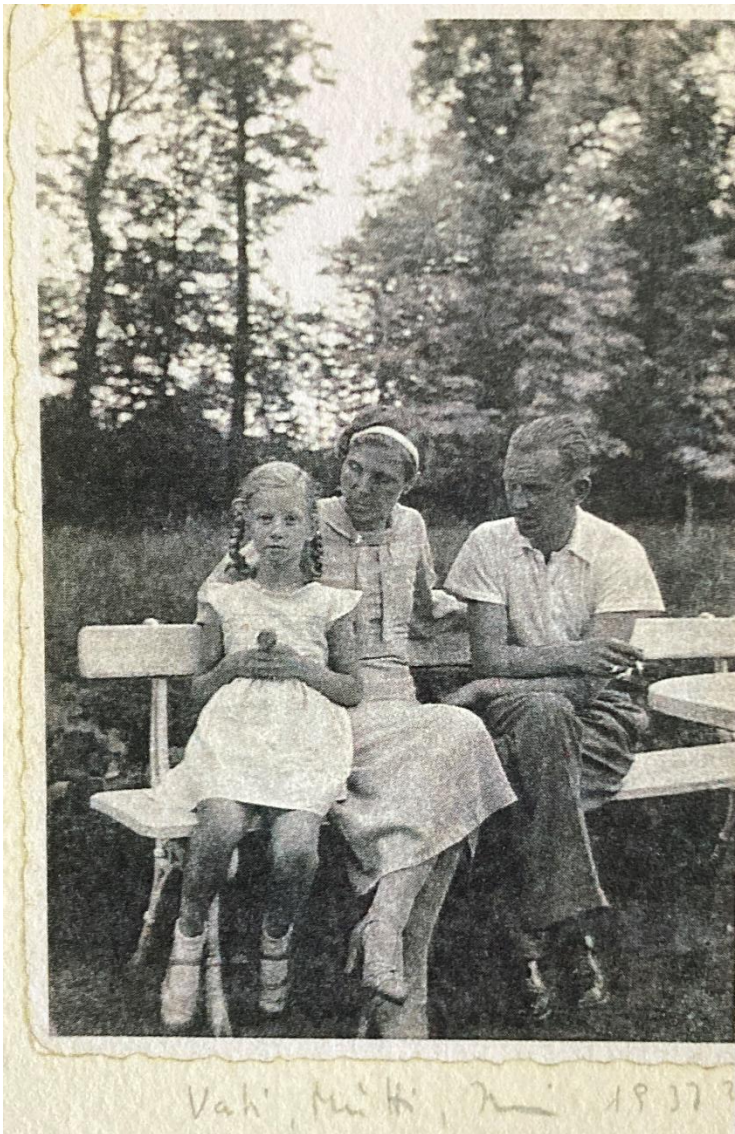


Anne with Ini

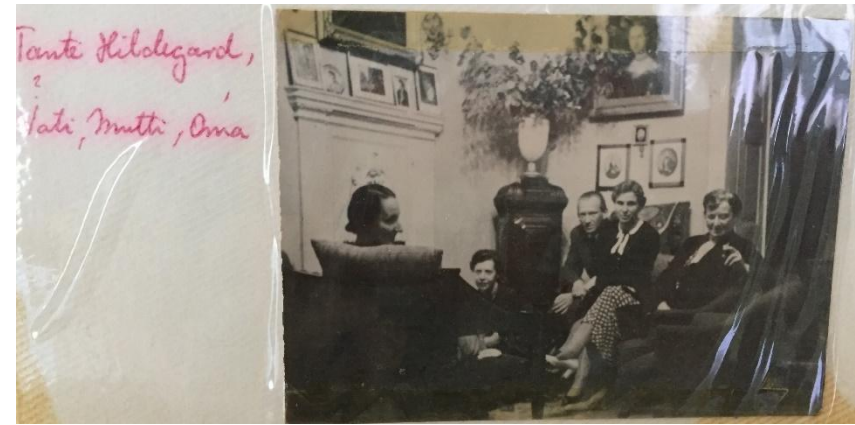
Photos with multiple influential family members

The following are group in order of influence importance to Hans-Ludwig. If Vati is in the photo, then they are under his name. If Vati is not present, but Mutti is present, then they are under her name. Etc.

Vati with groups



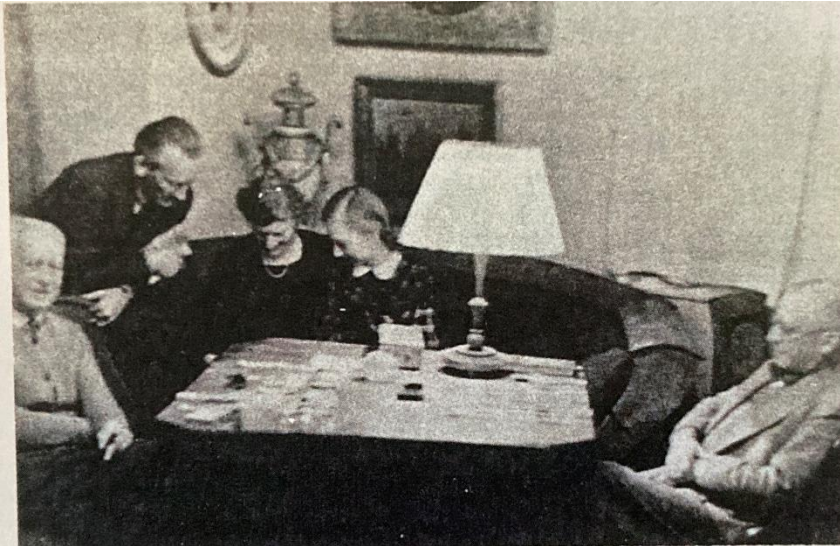
Ini, Mutti, Vati on bench 1937



Vati, Mutti, Oma Gabi, Tante Hildegard sitting in Herrenzimmer near oven



Opa Wilhelm, Vati, Oma Gabi, Ini, Onkel Ernst in Esszimmer having discussion.



Opa Wilhelm, Vati, Oma Gabi, Ini, Onkel Ernst in Esszimmer having discussion



Tante Ditta *Vati*
Vati and Tante Ditta as children. Ditta is Vati's oldest sister.



Vati with ?? maybe Hans-Ludwig about 1935



Vati und Ini

Vati with Ini, 1928



Pilzberg Dolomiten - Ini, Vati

Pilzberg Dolomiten – Ini and Vati 1939/1940

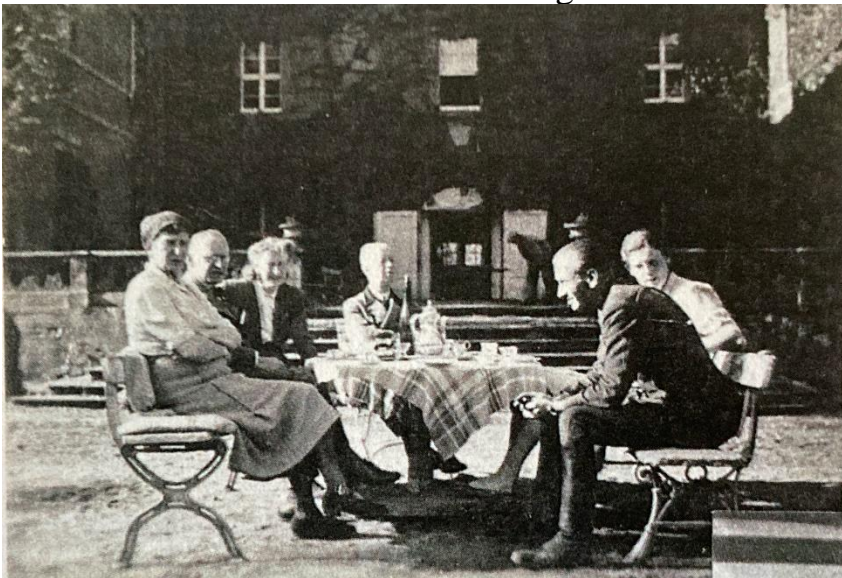


Vati Ini
Vati and Ini 1943/1944

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Vati with Karian Lübke and Ini sitting on fence.



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Oma Gabi, Onkel Ernst, Opa Wilhelm, Tante Ditta, Mutti, Vati at table on terrace



Oma Gabi, xx, Mutti, Hildegard von Brainchitichn, Opa Wilhelm, Vati at railroad station.



Weihnachten 1932, 1 Feiertag, Früh morgens.
Christmas 1932, first day, early morning.
Ini, Mutti, Vati

Mutti in groups

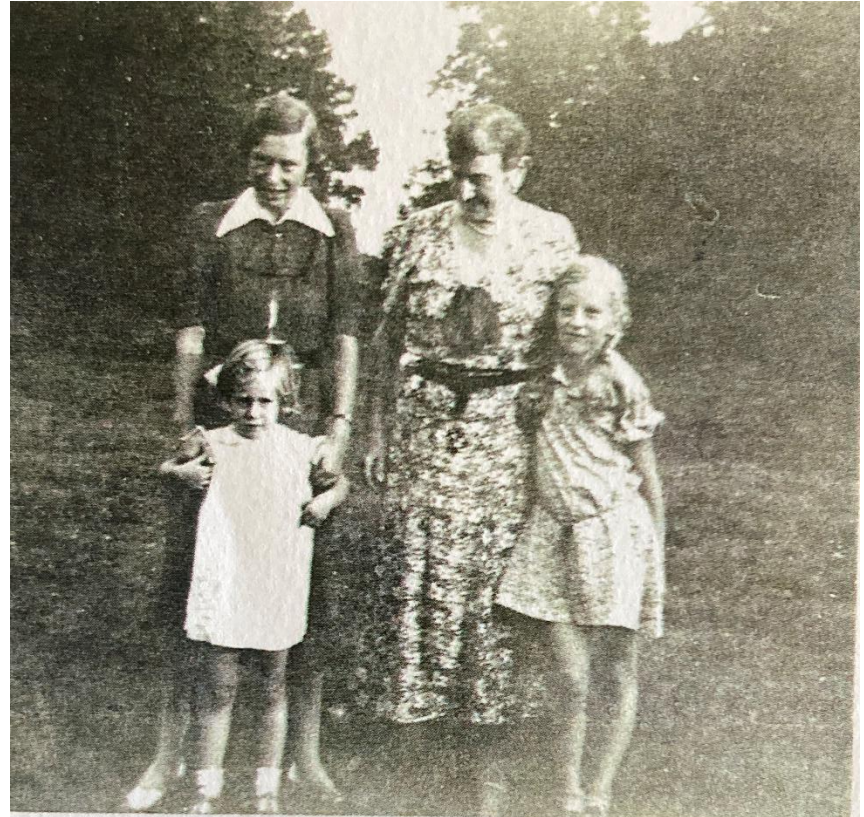
Oma Gabi, Onkel Ernst, Opa Wilhelm, Tante Ditta,
Mutti, Vati at table on terrace



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Mutti with Ini 1928



Mutti with Anne, Tante xx, Ini



Mutti with Ini and Marjareine, on tree stump



Mutti with Karian Lübke and Ini walking in field



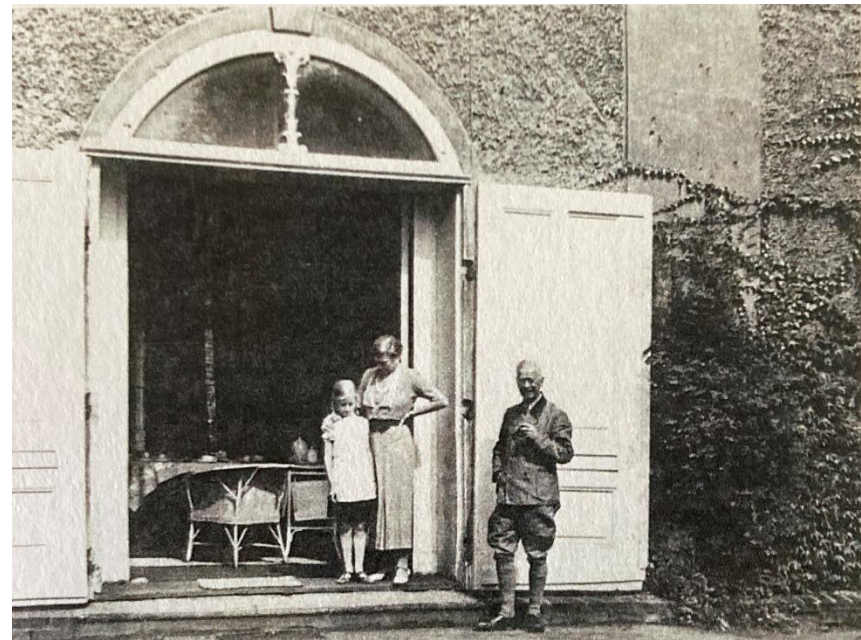
Mutti, Ini with Karian Lübke in pumpkin field



Mutti with xx on Pilzberg Dolomiten 1939/1940



Karlstedt, Tante Ditta, Mutti, Opa Wilhelm, Friedhelm von Ulrici, Ini at table on terrace



Ini, Tante xx, Opa in doorway of terrace door

Ini in groups



Ini and her friends 1940



Ini and her friends in play "Schwest" in 1941/43



Onkel Engelschen and Ini



Ini and xx 1937



Ini and friends in swimsuits

Opa Wilhelm in groups



Oma, Onkel Ernst, Tante Ditta, Opa, Onkel Ulli, Tante Erchin at table on Terrace 1943/1944



Family members on terrace.



*Friedhelm Opa Tante Ditta
von Ulrici (Onkel Uli)*

Opa Wilhelm with Onkel Uli (Friedhelm von Ulrici) and Tante Ditta.

Photos of other family members



Tante Ditta



Eurils de Schweinitz



Tante Esch and Hausdame (housekeeper)



Hildegard



Tante Lotta and Onkel Kurtl Engelmann

Photos of unknown family members

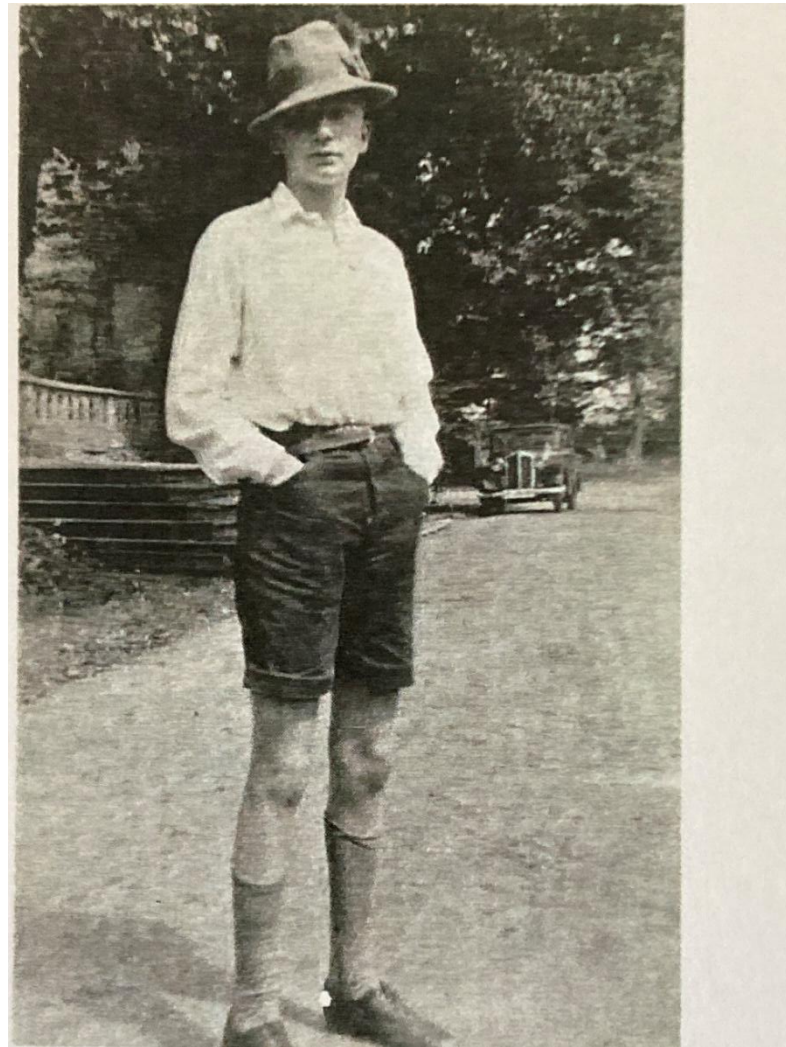
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Onkel xx in military uniform



Onkel xx with white cap and egg in mouth



Onkel xx in shorts and alpine hat



Onkel xx wearing leather jacket and leather pilot cap



Onkel xx possibly Onkel Ernst



Onkel xx

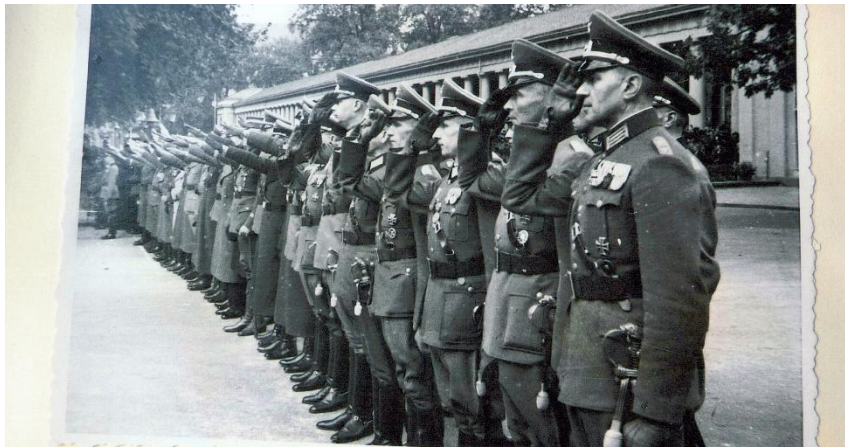
Photos of other family members in groups with others



At bottom of terrace steps, three adult females and two children.



Onkel xx is somewhere in the line of uniforms



Onkel xx is somewhere in the line of uniforms



1937 Three adult Tantes with girl in white headscarf and doll.



Family in car. With Onkel in white cap



Family members eating on terrace



Two young Onkels at table on terrace



Tante and young girl



Two Tantes

Family Gatherings

Often the many family members would gather for, baptism, hunting parties, and weddings

Baptism Gathering



In 1943

Taufe = Baptism of H v Engemann. Anne, Tante Biene, Onkel Engelschen, Oma, Onkel Ernst, Onkel Kurt, Opa, and others.

Hunting Parties



Hunting at Alt Raudten 1937. Displaying trophy captures



Hunting at Alt Raudten 1937



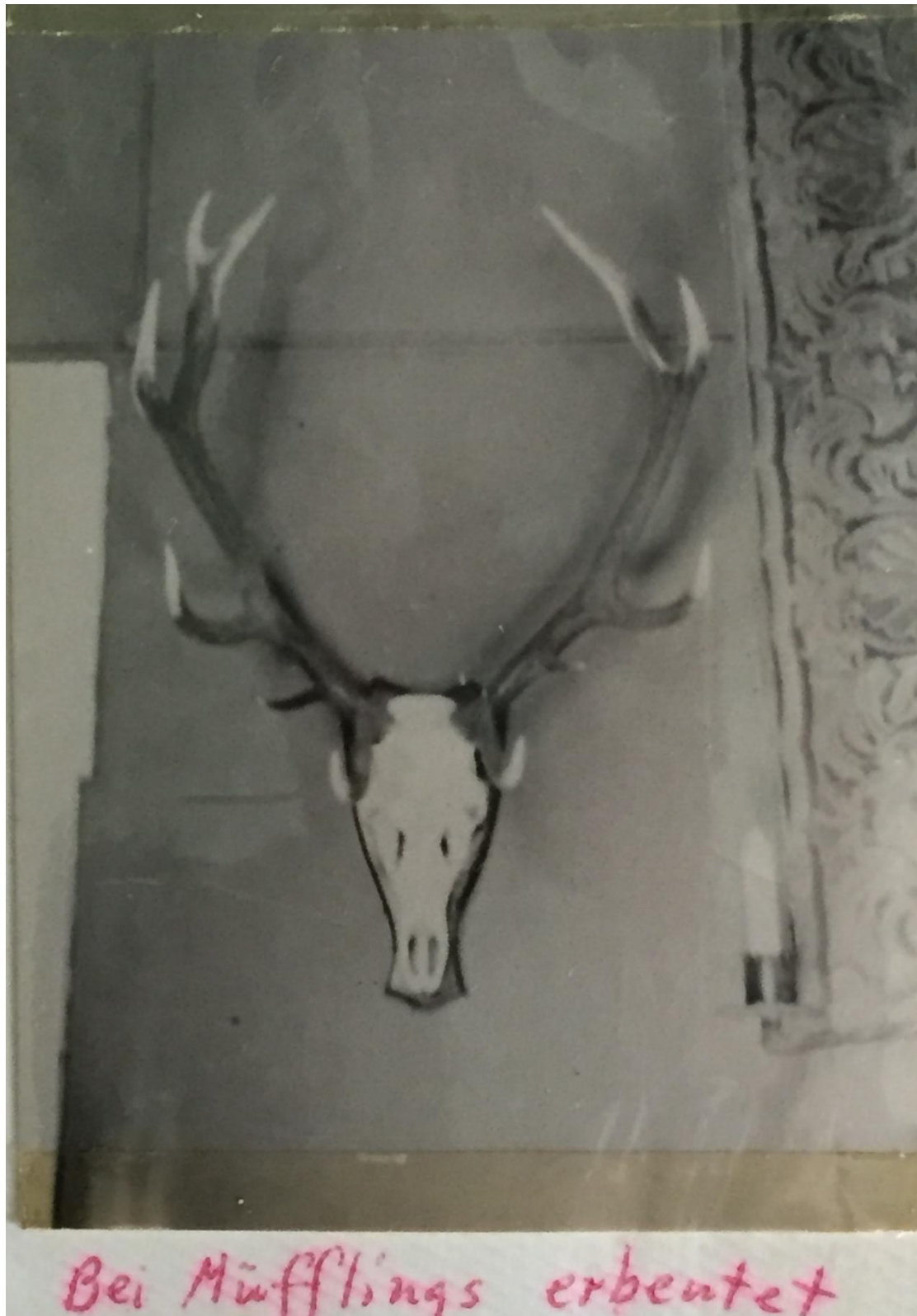
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Hunting at Alt Raudten 1937



Bei Müfflings erbeutet (captured).

Weddings

All the photos are included because the captions are different on each

Vati and Mutti 1927



Alt Raudten

7/7/27 KÖNIG

Vati and Mutti married on 7 July 1927 in Könick. Print

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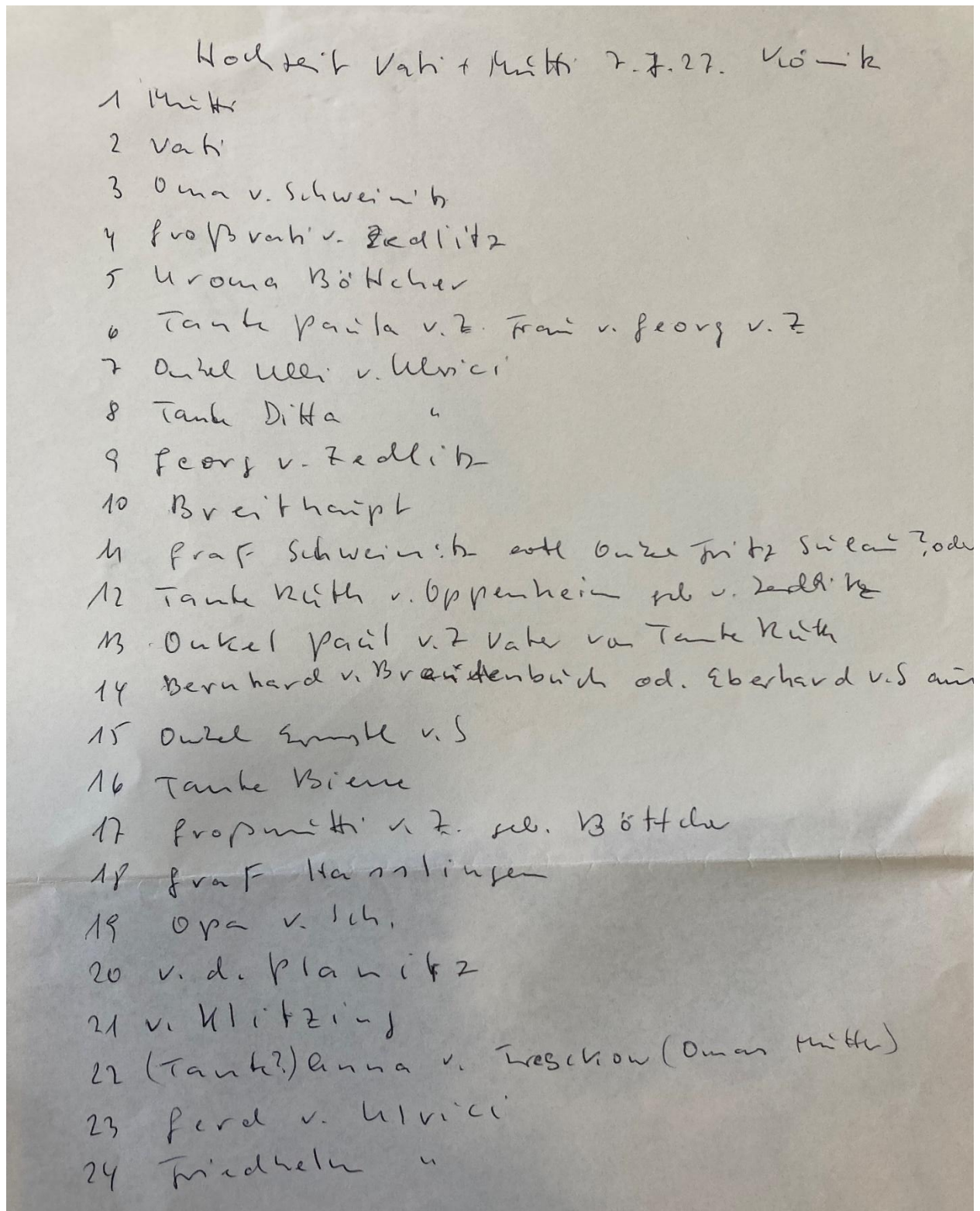


Vati and Mutti married on 7 July 1927 in Könick. Photo enhanced

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Vati and Mutti married on 7 July 1927 in Könick. Print with attendees numbered



Vati and Mutti married on 7 July 1927: List of attendees matching their number

1: Mutti

2: Vati

- 3: Oma [grandmother] Gabi von Schweinitz
- 4: Großvati [great grandfather] von Zedlitz
- 5: Uroma [great great grandmother] Böttcher
- 6: Tante Paula von Zedlitz, Frau von Georg von Zedlitz
- 7: Onkel Ulli von Ulrici
- 8: Tante Ditta von Ulrici [geb von Schweinitz]
- 9: Georg von Zedlitz
- 10: Frau Breithaupt
- 11: Frau von Schweinitz, Onkel Fritz Silan ? oder Sohn
- 12: Tante Rüth von Oppenheim geb von Zedlitz
- 13: Onkel Paül von Zedlitz, Vater von Tante Rüth
- 14: Bernhard von Breitenbüch order Eberhard von Schweinitz aus Sutan
- 15: Onkel Ernste von Schweinitz
- 16: Tante Biene [Gabriele von Breitenbuch geb von Schweinitz]
- 17: Großmutter [great grandmother] von Zedlitz geb Böttcher
- 18: Großvati [great grandfather] Hasslingen
- 19: von de Planitz
- 20: Opa [grandfather] [Hans Hermann Wilhelm] von Schweinitz
- 21: von Klitzing
- 22: Tante? Anna von Tresckow (Oma Gabi von Schweinitz Mutter)
- 23: Gerd von Ulrici
- 24: Friedhelm [Friedrich Wilhelm] von Ulrici

Tante Beine [Gabriel] to Börries von Breitenbach

This is Tante Beine's first marriage.



Photo of wedding party at Tante Beine to Börries wedding. Official photo

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Photo of wedding party at Tante Beine to Börries wedding. Not the official because not everybody is paying attention, see #22 and 24 in center back and



Photo of wedding party at Tante Beine to Börries wedding: Attendees numbered

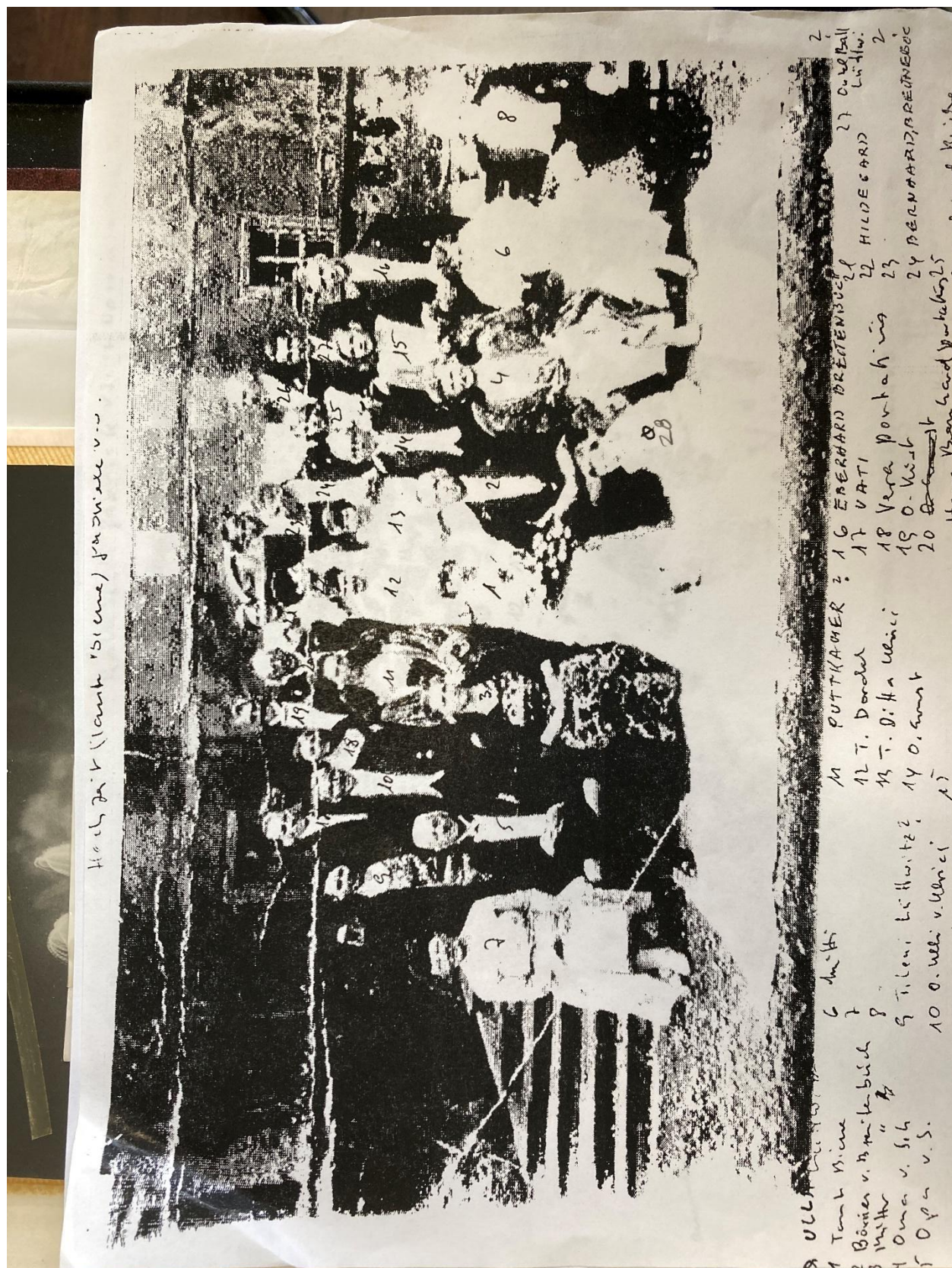


Photo of wedding party at Tante Beine to Börries wedding: Attendees numbered

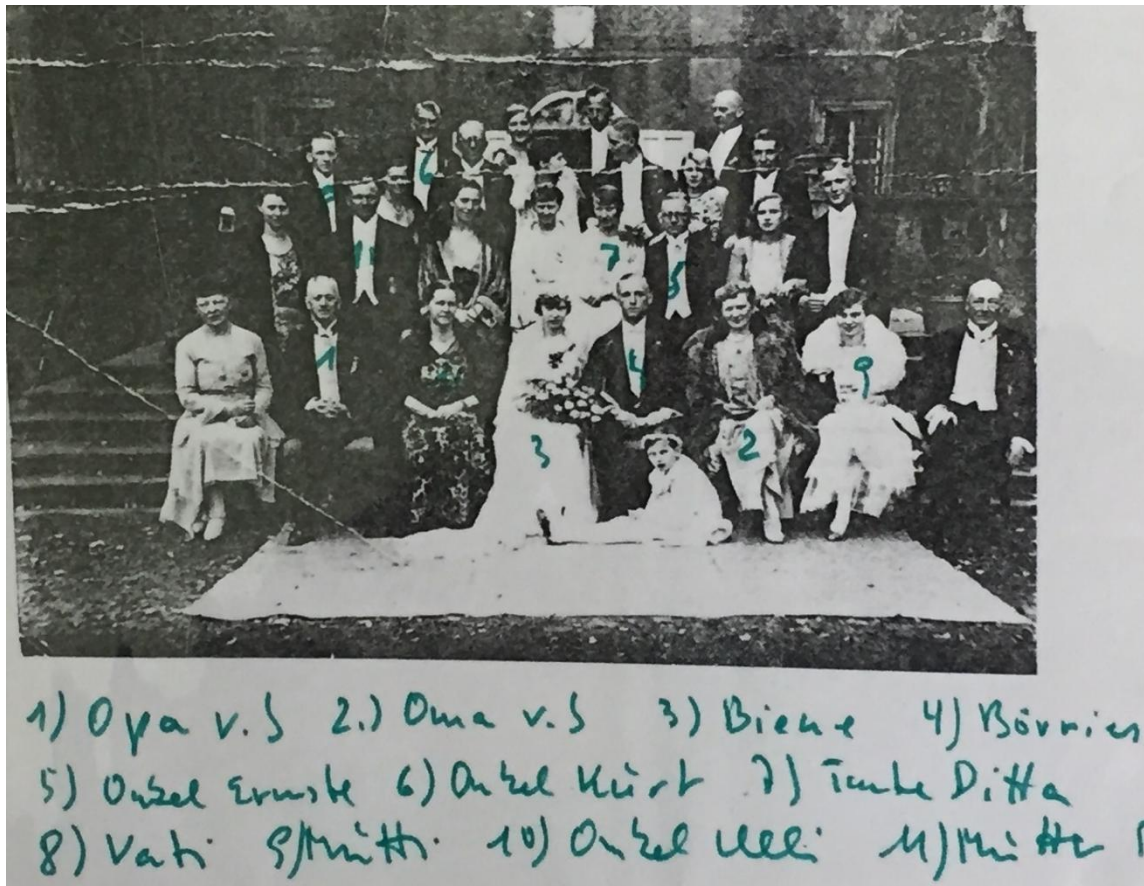
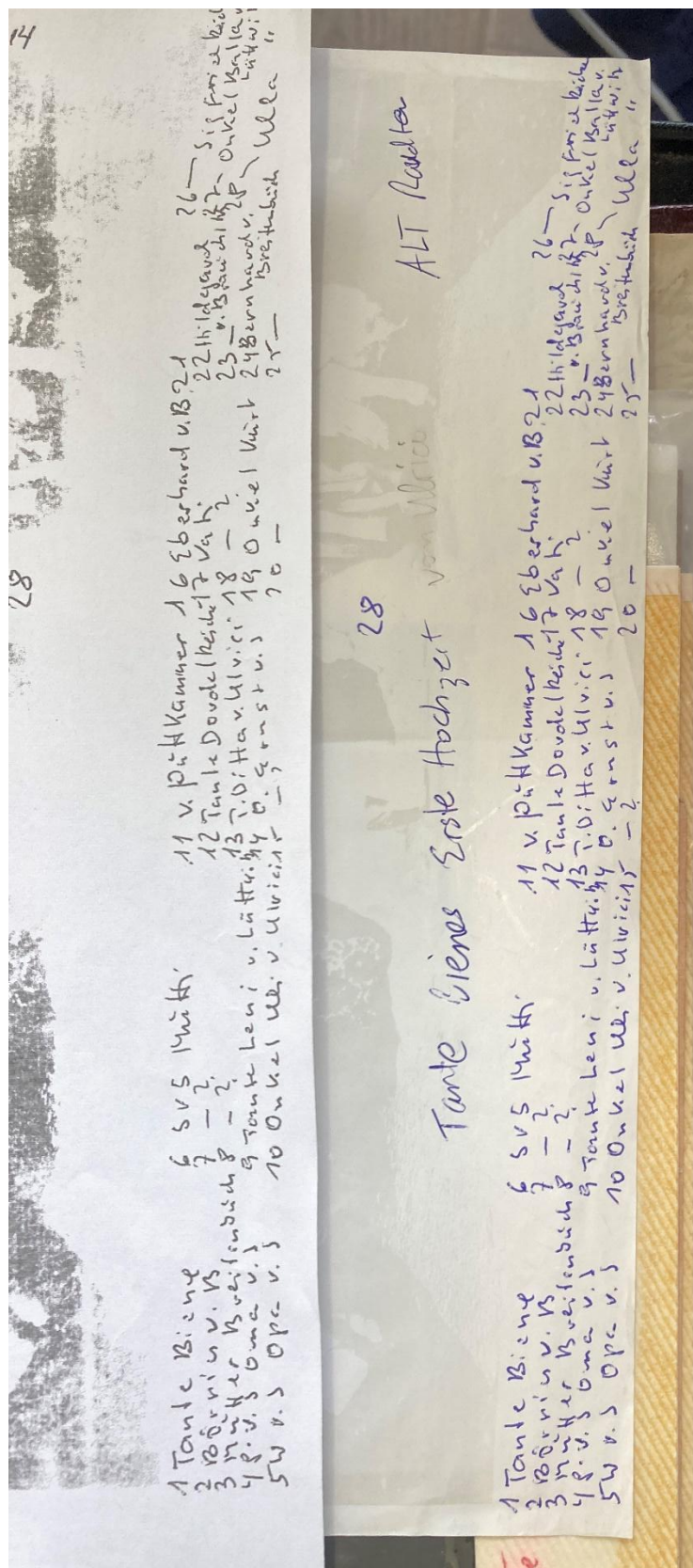


Photo of wedding party at Tante Beine to Börries wedding: Attendees numbered.

1: Opa Wilhelm vS, 2: Oma Gabi vS, 3: Biene, 4: Börries, 5: Onkel Ernst, 6: Onkel Kurt, 7: Tante Ditta, 8: Vati Hans-Wilhelm, 9: Mutti Sigrid, 10: Onkel Ulli, 11: Mutter Breitenbuch



Combination of Attendee lists

- 1: Tante Biene [Bride Gabriele von Schweinitz]
- 2: Börris von Breitenbüch [Groom]
- 3: Mutter von Breitenbüch
- 4: Oma von Schweinitz [Gabriele von Tresckow von Schweinitz]
- 5: Opa von Schweinitz [Hans Hermann Wilhelm]
- 6: Mutti [Sigrid von Schweinitz]
- 7:
- 8:
- 9: Tante Leni von Lüttwitz
- 10: Onkel Ulli von Ulrici
- 11: von Puttkammer
- 12: Tante Dordel
- 13: Tante Ditta von Ulrici [geb von Schweinitz]
- 14: Onkel Ernst [von Schweinitz]
- 15:
- 16: Eberhard Breitenbüch
- 17: Vati [Hans Wilhelm von Schweinitz]
- 18: Vera Portatins
- 19: Onkel Kurtl [von Schweinitz]
- 20: Hans Bernhard Portatins
- 21:
- 22: Hildegard von Braüchitz
- 23:
- 24: Bernard Breitenbüch
- 25:
- 26: Sigfried Reiche
- 27: Onkel Ballar Lüttwitz
- 28: Ulla Lüttwitz

Tante Ditta to Friedrich von Ulrici

Ditta is Vati's older sister Sigrid von Schweinitz

Friedrich is also called and Onkel Gerd or Onkel Ulli father of Onkel Uli [Friedrich Wilhelm]

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Hochzeit Sigrid [Tante Ditta] von Schweinitz to Onkel Ulli [Friedrich von Ulrici].
Date not provided



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Hochzeit Sigrid v. Schweinitz
mit v. Ulrici

Hochzeit Sigrid [Tante Ditta] von Schweinitz to Onkel Ulli [Friedrich von Ulrici].
Photo with attendees numbered

- Hochzeit Sigrid v. S + Fritz v. Ulrici (Onkel Ulli)
- | | |
|---|---|
| 1 ? | 29 Riedewald |
| 2 Vater v. Job v. Pontakius | 30 Tina v. Persdorf (Onkel's best friend) |
| 3 Annemarie, Schwester v. Job | 31 Oma v. S |
| 4 Onkel Job v. Pontakius? | 32 ? |
| 5 ? | 33 verlesen, nicht mehr |
| 6 ? | 34 ? |
| 7 ? | 35 U v. prop. mitte Pontakius geb. Trübs |
| 8 ? | 36 ? |
| 9 ? | 37 ? |
| 10 v. Püttammer | 38 O. Gmühl v. S |
| 11 Mutter v. Ulrici | 39 ? |
| 12 Opa v. Schweinitz | 40 Vater v. Ulrici |
| 13 ? | 41 ? |
| 14 Tante Ditta | 42 ? |
| 15 ? | 43 ? |
| 16 Onkel Ulli | |
| 17 Onkel Job v. Pontakius? | |
| 18 ? | |
| 19 Onkel Ullrich v. S. | |
| 20 ? | |
| 21 Tochter Riedewald (pastor in alt-lz) | |
| 22 ? | |
| 23 Vater | |
| 24 ? | |
| 25 ? | |
| 26 Ti. Biene | |
| 27 Errika Riedewald | |
| 28 ? | |

Hochzeit Sigrid [Tante Ditta] von Schweinitz to Onkel Ulli [Friedrich von Ulrici]. Partial list of attendees


Unter links finden Sie einen, der gut, preiswert und bleifrei setzt und druckt!

Firma			Gesprächsnotiz
Gesprächspartner	Hochzeit		Kurzauftrag
Straße	T. Ditta		ANGENOMMEN
Ort			durch
Telefon			am
			Uhrzeit

☐ persönlich
 ☐ telefonisch
 ☐ per Fax
 ☐ Rückruf erbeten

Betrifft:

1 Onkel Nicko	14 T. Ditta	28
2 Vater von Job (Vater)	15	29 Riedewald
3 Annemarie	16 O. Ulli	30 Tina Radtke
4 Onkel Job (Vater)	17 Onkel Job (Vater)	31 Oma Schwin
5	18	32
6	19 Onkel Kerk	33
7	20	34
8	21 Riedewald	35 Frau Frankow
9	22 Riedewald	36
10 Püßmann	23 Vah	37
11 Mutter Ullrich	24	38 O. Ernst
12 Opa Schwin	25	39 T. Wanda
13	26 T. Riem	40 Vater Ullrich
	27 Eric Riedewald	41 O. Michael
		42 2. Vater Ullrich
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Hochzeit Sigrid [Tante Ditta] von Schweinitz to Onkel Ulli [Friedrich von Ullrich]. Another Partial list of attendees

Combination of both lists of attendees

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- 1: Onkel Nicko
- 2: Vater von Job von Portatins
- 3: Annemarie Schwester von Job
- 4: Onkel Job von Portatins
- 5:
- 6:
- 7:
- 8:
- 9:
- 10: von Putthammer
- 11: Mutter von Ulrici
- 12: Opa von Schweinitz
- 13:
- 14: Tante Ditta [bride] [Sigrid von Schweinitz]
- 15
- 16: Onkel Ulli [Groom] [Friedrich von Ulrici, son of Friedhelm von Ulrici]
- 17: Onkel Job Portatins
- 18:
- 19: Onkel Kurtl von Schweinitz
- 20:
- 21: Tochte Riedewald (pastor in Alt Raudten)
- 22:
- 23: Vati [Hans Wilhelm von Schweinitz]
- 24:
- 25:
- 26: Tante Biene [Gabriele von Schweinitz]
- 27: Erika Riedewald
- 28:
- 29: Riedewald
- 30: Tina von Gersdorf (Omas bester Freundin)
- 31: Oma von Schweinitz [Gabriele von Tresckow von Schweinitz]
- 32:
- 33:
- 34:
- 35: Urgroßmutter von Portatins geb Treskow
- 36:
- 37:
- 38: Onkel Ernst von Schweinitz
- 39: Tante Wander lüt..
- 40: Vater von Ulrici

41: Onkel Nichol

42:

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Family Heritage Items

Because the family had to flee in January 1945, many items were left behind. Over the year [after the Iron Curtain wall fell in 1989] Hans-Ludwig could return to Alt Raudten and found some items in the ruins. Other items came from other family members over the years.



Stones, from Alt Raudten and piece of wood



Puzzle, From Hans-Ludwig Vati. star on lid. Came from Alt Raudten



Puzzle, Hans-Ludwig Vati. "Pastime Puzzle" "Leicuerbreib"? Came from Alt Raudten

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Plate, "25 zur Silberhochzeit". People that moved into Hans-Ludwig's Mutti's parent's house in "Poland" found this. (Mother's side) parents were evicted during war and house was confiscated. They knew someone from the old family will one day come back. So they kept it. Gave it to Hans and Helga when they did come in 1991.



Antlers, Deer, small 4point, from F. v. U. 2-16-1938 Schonerben Taubenrai. From Hans-Ludwig family



Antlers, Deer, smallest 4point, F. v. U. Alt Raudten Teirkurtest 8-VIII-193. From Hans-Ludwig family



Silverware, Silver, incomplete set with von Schweinitz coat of arms. In red tin box. Comes from Alt Raudten, were on refugee flight.

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Coat of Arms on silverware.



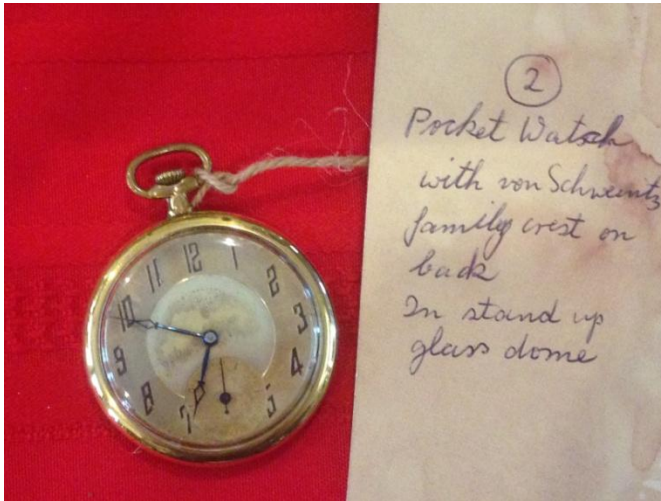
Watch, on chain, pocket/waist watch, Tresckow family crest, from Hans-Ludwig Oma. "W" on back, will no longer open



Silverware, silver, Knife with plastic spoon and plastic fork for salad. Originally all silver. Set from Hans-Ludwig. Comes from Alt Raudten, was on refugee flight.



Watch, on chain, pocket/waist watch, Tresckow family crest on Backside



Watch, pocket/waist. With von Schweinitz crest on back. From Hans-Ludwig Opa Wilhelm.



Puzzle, Barrel, wooden. From Hans-Ludwig Vati. Came from Alt Raudten



Pitcher, porcelain, blue flower pattern, from Hans-Ludwig family, marked 8972. Somehow made it from Alt Raudten, through the refugee flight, and survived



Cigar tool. Marked "Kaisermanover 1906". From Hans-Ludwig Opa Wilhelm "Emperor Maneuver"



Flask, tin, family. From Hans-Ludwig Opa



Tile, with blue diamonds. Marked on back "??CIM" Found during one of Hans's trips back near Alt Raudten.



Stone, Rock in pink ribbon. Found during one of Hans's trips back near Alt Raudten



Chestnuts qty 5 from tree in Alt Raudten. Found during one of Hans's trips back near Alt Raudten



Lock from pig sty in Alt Raudten. Found during one of Hans's trips back near Alt Raudten



Horse Shoe, from an empty stable at the house of Hans' maternal grandparents (v.Z) in Klein Totschen



Handle from Schloss Alt Raudten. Found during one of Hans's trips back near Alt Raudten



Porcelain, broken (Villeroy and Bosch) found in park behind Schloss Alt Raudten. Found during one of Hans's trips back near Alt Raudten



Porcelain in bag. Found during one of Hans's trips back near Alt Raudten



Plaque, Wurftauben (shooting clay pigeons) plaque, grandfather v. Zedlitz in Leipe 1922. Found during one of Hans's trips back near Alt Raudten

Compendiums with additional information

Hans Albums 1934-1977 and misc album

Hans Autobiography

Hans Biography by Tina 1934-1958

Hans Documents 1934-2015

Hans Alt Raudten [history from pre 1934 to 2015]

Alt Raudten Thesis written by Malgorzata Danczak

Family Coat of Arms and Crest

Family Ring

Family Tree [with family history]

Book of Heritage items

References

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The End

Hans pre 1945 photos Alt Raudten and Family