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Bartsch:
Two unconnected Bartsch families emigrated from Prussia to Russia: that of Absolon Bartsch (dates unknown; GM#748764) and Johann Bartsch (1757-1821; GM#12624). We need a descendent of Johann Bartsch (1757-1821; GM#12624) in the project.

Boese:
The rare Mennonite surname Boese (or Base) stems from two men Gottlieb (ca 1788 – 1832; GM#10921) and Martin (b bef 1780: GM#280519). We have Y-DNA results for a male descendent of Gottlieb, however we do not have a male descendent of Martin in the project.

Boschmann:
Descendants of Albrecht (GM#49577) have been tested. We need a descendant of David (GM#748532; 1740 – 1814) to be tested. Descendants of his grandchildren Heinrich (GM#33092; 1804-1832) and David (GM#345223; 1806-???) are in the US.

Braun:
1) Two closely related Braun men who are descended from Diedrich Braun (GM#196157) through his son Johann have distinctive mutations at 459b, 464a, 464d, 570 and CDYa&b. A descendent of son Bernhard needs to be tested. At the very least a distant relative of the pair needs to be tested.

2) A descendent of Dirk Braun (GM#197948) does not match the other Braun men. A male relative needs to be tested.

3) Three Braun men who are descended from Isaac Braun (b. 18 Feb 1876; GM#9852) have distinctive mutations at 389. He is a great grandson of Jacob Issac Braun (1770 – 1831; GM#47827). A descendent of Jacob Issac Braun who is NOT descended from Isaac Braun needs to be tested.

Buller:
We have two Buller men in the project who are the grandson and great grandson of Heinrich Buller (1853-1933; GM#32757). We need Buller men who are not descended from Heinrich in the project.
Cornelson:
We have DNA results for two Cornelson men who is descended from Johann Cornelson (b. ca 1744; GM#5520) and their results do not match the man who is descended from Cornelius Cornelson (1721-1776; GM#811848). This is likely because Joh. C. was a Flemish Mennonite and Corn. C. was an unrelated Frisian Mennonite. In order to figure this out we need more Cornelson men to be tested.

Fehr:
We only have descendants of Benjamin Fehr (1733-1822; GM#196504 ) who immigrated to the Chortitza colony with children and grandchildren. We need male Fehr/DeFehr descendents the other known Prussian immigrants to Russia, brothers Johann and Cornelius Fehr/Defehr. They were sons of Cornelius Fehr (1749-1823; GM#60913). These descendants live in North America.

Funk:
Descendants of Hans Funk (ca 1749-1795; GM#219693) through his great grandson Peter (1831-1908; GM#180391) do not match the other Funk men. We need a descendant of Hans Funk (ca 1749-1795; GM#219693) who is not descended from Peter (1831-1908; GM#180391).

Groening:
Two Groening men who have Johann Groening (1807-1866; #109113) as a common paternal ancestor are a Y-DNA match. However, a male descendant of his probable uncle Peter Groening (1770 – 1827; GM#27786) does not match. We need to have another male-line Groening descendent of Peter Groening (1770 – 1827; GM#27786) do a Y-DNA test.

Harms:
People with the surname Harms who can trace their ancestry back to Mennonites in Russia are descended from the 5 families listed below:
1) Johann Harms (1737 – 1803) GM#199079
2) Johann Harms (1781 – ?????) GM#107755
3) Johann Harms (1730 – 1796) GM#286733
4) Gerhard Harms (1720 – Abt 1776) GM#49701
5) Johann Harms (b. 1801) GM#87969
We have Y-DNA results for descendants of 3) and 4). We need male Harms descendants from the other families.

Hiebert/Huebert:
Several Hiebert/Huebert families emigrated from Prussia to Russia. For those we can trace down to the present day, we very much need a Hiebert/Huebert man who is directly descended from David Hiebert (1774-1852; GM#266749) to do a Y-DNA test in order to complete this study.
Hildebrandt:
We have 2 closely related descendants of Heinrich Hildebrandt (b ca 1700; GM#537406) in the project. Unfortunately we have incomplete Y-DNA results for them.

Hooge:
Three Hooge families immigrated from Prussia to Russia:
1) Johann Daniel Hooge (b. 1770; GM#198106 & 45040
2) Jacob Hooge’s sons Heinrich (b. 1788; GM#61533) and Peter (b. 1790; GM#60940)
3) Heinrich Christoph Hooge (b. 1788; GM#61654)
We have Y-DNA results for descendants from families 2) and 3) and need a male Hooge descendant of 1).

Kauenhofen:
There are two lines of Mennonite Kauenhofens. One is descended from an Abraham Kauenhofen through his only known son Berhard (1659-1727; GM#203976). His descendants are found throughout North and South America. The other line is that of Abraham Jansen Kauenhofen. This family stayed in Prussia. Some emigrated to the Netherlands in the 1700s. Some ended up in Germany after the 2nd world war. We need a male direct line member of this family from each of these two lines.

Kehler:
All Mennonite Kehlers appear to be descended from Michael Kehler (b. 1779; GM#197008). We have two male Kehlers in the DNA project. One is descended from Michael’s son Jacob (1812 – 1897; GM#219594) and the other is descended from son Gerhard (1825 - 1902; GM#165169). The Y-DNA results of these two do NOT match and we need another male Kehler to do a Y-DNA test.

Neufeld:
Two descendants of Salomon Neufeld (1701-1775; GM#265863) have DYS393=14 and two have DTS393=13. In order to help sort this out we need male Neufeld descendants of Salomon Neufeld who are NOT descended from Jacob Neufeld (1820-89; #237869) OR Jacob D. Neufeld (1911-89; GM#629845).

Peters:
There are 3 descendants of Gerhard Peters (1772-1848; GM#18759) who have a unique mutation at DYS391. However, they are all descended from George Peters (1902-1996; GM#18725). We need a male Peters descendant of Gerhard Peters who is not descended from George Peters in order to determine when this mutation occurred and if it is genealogically useful.
Reimer:
A descendant of Johann Peter Reimer (1815-1895; GM#180814) and a descendant of Johann Peter Reimer (1854-1941; GM#494609) have DYS447=25. We need a male Reimer descendant of brother Jacob Peter Reimer (1811-1873; GM#186855) to do a Y-DNA test. His descendants are living in Manitoba and other parts of Canada.

Stoesz:
The Mennonite Stoesz family appears to be descended from two Stoesz men: Jacob (1726-1753; GM#984821) and Cornelius (1731-1811; GM#69121). Several descendants of Cornelius immigrated to Russia and their descendants, in turn, immigrated to North America. The descendants of Jacob remained in Prussia until the end of the 2nd World War. We have one descendant of Cornelius in the DNA project but still need a descendant of Jacob. One great great grandson ended up in Uruguay and others may be in Germany.

Sawatsky:
All of the Sawatskys of Mennonite background appear to be descended from one of the following:
Johann Johann (1742 – 1818; GM#8410). He moved to Russia in 1789. We have two male Sawatsky descendants in the project.
Johann (1739 – 1804; GM#158803). He moved to Russia in 1804. We have a male Sawatsky descendant in the project.
Peter Peter (1754 – 1827; GM#46508). He moved to Russia in 1804. He has descendants in Russia, Germany, Paraguay, the US and Canada. We need a male Sawatsky descendant of this family in the project.
Thomas (1760 – 1843; GM#156770). His sons Peter (1760 – 1843) and Cornelius (1781 – 1840) moved to Russia in 1804. Son Peter later moved to the Bergthal colony. We have two male Sawatsky descendants in the project.
Franz (1746 – 1782; not in GM). His descendants remained in West Prussia. We need a male Sawatsky descendant of this family in the project.
Johann Daniel (b. 1761, d. 1804-6; GM#197179). He moved to Russia in 1804. He had only one son Jacob who survived to adulthood. He may have descendants in Russia or Germany. Jacob’s son Jacob (1826-1908; GM#25083) immigrated to the US in 1879 where his descendants now live. We need a male Sawatsky descendant of this family in the project.
Toews:
The Y-DNA results of four descendants of Isaac Toews (1754-1803; GM#132700) do not match the other Toews men. Isaac Toews was likely a son of Martin Toews (1724-1775; GM#132706). However, a descendant of Johann Toews (1743-1811; GM##225388), who may be another son of Martin Toews, does match the other Toews men. In order to sort this out we need Y-DNA results for descendants of Martin Toews (1746-1808; GM# 803360) and/or Franz Toews (1758-1913; GM#225390). It is claimed that these two men were also sons of Martin Toews.

Vogt:
Nearly all Mennonite Vogts are descended from Paul Vogt (1724 - 1809 GM#267674), Johann Jacob Vogt (1755-1812; GM#197987), or Gerhard Vogt (b. ca 1740: GM#419872). We have results for descendants of the first two, and they match each other. We still need a male descendent of Gerhard Vogt. Some of his descendants live in Saskatchewan.