

# Typhus Deaths in Neu-Osterwick, Chortitza Mennonite Settlement, South Russia: Winter 1919-1920

## Transcribed from the Mennonite Heritage Centre Volume 5383 File “NeuOsterwick”

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The collection of the former Mennonite Genealogy Inc. (see [here](#) for information on MGI and its founder Abram Vogt) contains a file on the Chortitza village of Neu-Osterwick. This file includes a list titled “An Tyfus gestorben im Winter 1919-1920”. The individual file numbers are not numbered in the volumes containing the MGI collection. The following is a transcription of that list.

For more on the typhus epidemic see the [GAMEO](#) article or the description of David G. Rempel’s personal experiences (David G. Rempel & Cornelia Rempel Carlson, *A Mennonite Family in Tsarist Russia and the Soviet Union*, Chapter 27). The list contains a total of 130 persons. A table in the GAMEO article on Typhus indicates that during the same period 94 out of 894 (10.5%, or about one in nine) died.

Note that the column “number” is just an identification number found in the original, which I have kept. Note that there are some non-typhus related deaths in this list.

Number	Surname	Name	Comments in Original List
1	Friesen	Jacob	
2	Loewen	Peter	
3	Rempel	Maria H.	Fräulein
4	Neudorf	Johann F.	alt
5	Kozasenko	Simson T.	Russ.
6	Odarko		Fräulein
7	Fahrer	Gerhard	Schweizer
8	Rempel	Diedrich	Frau
9	Dyck	Frank F.	
10	Janzen	Johann F.	
11	Neudorf	Johann J.	
12	Neudorf	Johann	Frau
13	Krahn	Diedrich Johann	Kapellmeister
14	Wiens	Heinrich	alter
15	Dyck	Jacob Abram	
16	Rempel	Heinrich	alter
17	Rempel	Diedrich	
18	Siemens	Johann Abram	
19	Siemens	Abraham	alt

Number	Surname	Name	Comments in Original List
20	Winter	Anna	geborene Lehmann
21	Petkau		Frau, aus Einlage
22	Wienjarskij	Wukror	erschlagen mit einer Bombe
23	Kasper?	Kasper?	Ladenbesitzer Kusma Wetochn sein Knecht
24	Berg	Johann	Frau
25	Winter	Johann Cornelius	
26	Peters	Johann	Frau
27	Neudorf	Wilhelm D.	
28	Neudorf	Elisabeth	Frau
29	Klassen	Isaak	alte, Frau
30	Teichroeb	Abraham	Frau
31	Nickel	Kornelius	
32	Teichroeb	Peter Peter	
33	Krahn	Diedrich	Frau, geb. Penner, im Brunnen ertrunken
34	Martens	Julius	
35	Sawatzky	Peter	
36	Derksen	David	Frau
37	Enns	Johann	
38	Rempel	Diedrich	
39	Peters	Peter	
40	Winter	Heinrich J.	Kind
41	Berg	Jacob	alter
42	Dyck	Johann K.	Frau
43	Awraus	Heinrich Nic.	
44	Vogt	Heinrich	Frau
45	Neudorf	Diedrich	
46	Petkau	Franz	Frau
47	Dyck	Jacob Joh.	
48	Elias	Jacob	
49	Funk	Jacob Jacob	
50	Krievetsky		Frau
51	Froese	Peter	Frau, geb. Rempel
52	Letkemann	Margaretha	Fräulein
53	Dyck	Peter	Frau
54	Friesen	Peter	Frau
55	Sawatzky	Cornelius	Frau
56	Fast	Jacob	Frau, Susanna
57	Janzen	Julius	alter
58	Neudorf	Jacob	
59	Siemens	Abraham	

Number	Surname	Name	Comments in Original List
60	Teichroeb	Jacob	Frau
61	Paskevky		Russ.
62	Neufeld	Diedrich Abraham	
63	Neufeld	Abraham	
64	Neufeld	Diedrich	
65	Derksen	Aganetha D.	Fräulein
66	Klassen	Maria F.	Fräulein
67	Dyck	Peter Abraham	
68	Teichroeb	Abraham	alter
69	Klassen	Jacob	Frau
70	Krueger	Maria	Fräulein
71	Suckau	Johann	
72	Kasdorf	Isaak	Fräulein, Susanna
73	Federau	Johann	Frau
74	Winter	Karl	Grobschmied
75	Neudorf	Diedrich	Frau
76	Bergen	Cornelius Jacob	
77	Letkemann	Abram	Frau
78	Schoenfeld	Johann	
79	Peters	Elisabeth	Fräulein, von den Geschwist. Quaker Peters
80	Elias	Jacob	Frau
81	Zacharias	Jacob	Frau
82	Harms	Gerhard	Frau
83	Wetochin		Frau, Russ.
84	Braun	Johann	Ferber
85	Klassen	Jacob	Frau
86	Giesbrecht	Gerhard	Frau
87	Rempel	Bernhard	
88	Fehr	Isaak	alter Tischler
89	Sawatzky	Gerhard	
90	Klein	Johann	Frau
91	Kapeschnick		Frau
92	Schwentner		Frau
93	Friesen	Peter	alter
94	Suckau	Johann	Frau
95	Klassen	Wilhelm	
96	Janzen	Peter	Frau
97	Thiessen	Johann	
98	Penner	David	alter

Number	Surname	Name	Comments in Original List
99	Rempel	Wilhelm	
100	Friesen	Peter	Lammer
101	Staunner	Friedrich	
102	Vogt	Johann	
103	Fehr	David	alter
104	Rempel	Maria Abraham	Fräulein
105	Petkau	David	alte, Frau
106	Harder	Jacob	Frau
107	Rempel	Johann	
108	Nesterenko	Johann	Frau
109	Pogorwonow		
110	Elias	Gerhard	
111	Peters	Nikolaus	
112	Penner	Jacob D.	
113	Vogt	Isaak	
114	Klassen	Isaak	
115	Kravetsky	Johann	
116	Redekop	Jacob	
117	Pleschakov	Konon	
118	Dyck	Abram	Witwe
119	Neufeld	David	Witwe
120	Klassen	David	Witwe
121	Klassen	Abraham	Windmueller
122	Buhler		Frau
123	Kasdorf	Jacob	
124	Krause	Andreas	
125	Bringa	Johann	Russ.
126	Koehn	Johann	Zentralschule Lehrer
127	Funk	Jacob	
128	Dyck	Jacob	
129	Wiebe	Gerhard	Frau
130	Enns	Abram	Frau

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