FAMILY SHEET JOSEPH SCHWEIZER OF SCHOPFLOCH + STUTTGART

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JOSEPH SCHWEIZER

barrel trader in Stuttgart
born 31 Dec 1839 Schopfloch, died 16 Oct 1927 Stuttgart
parents = Abraham Schweitzer + wife Klara nee Kohn

married 22 Oct 1873 in Schopfloch

JETTE FEUCHTWANGER

born 5 Nov 1848 Schwabach, died 22 Jun 1940 Stuttgart parents = Salomon Feuchtwanger + wife Esther nee Simonsfeld

CHILDREN (all born in Schopfloch):

(01) **ABRAHAM**

(A) 03 Feb 1875 - 1942 (died in Maly Trostinec) Rabbi in Weikersheim + Horb (retired in Stuttgart) married before 1909

Zerline Bamberger from Wuerzburg 02 Dec 1880 - 17 Jul 1913 (died in Horb) parents = Nathan Bamberger + wife Hanna nee Perlstein

couple had a son (born in Weikersheim) =

Aron Schweizer 25 Feb 1909 - ca 1943 he died in Auschwitz

(02) **MAX**

28 Jun 1877 - 1942 (died in Izbica) barrel trader in Stuttgart since 1914

married

Ida Ettlinger from Karlsruhe

20 Jun 1887 - 1942 (died in Izbica)

parents = ?

(03) **ALBERT**

(born Aron)

31 Oct 1885 - March 1943 (died in Majdanek)

jeweller in Nuernberg

first deported to Drancy (France) then Majdanek Nuernberg Memorial Book mentions him + foto

(A) Dr Abraham Schweizer was trained and ordained as a Rabbi and first served for the Weikersheim Rabbinate 1900 - 1913 until its end. Next he became District Rabbi in Horb (south of Stuttgart). In 1936 he retired and settled in Stuttgart (directory has no entry on him). He had married Zerline Bamberger, daughter-in-law of famous "Wuerzburger Raw" Seligmann Baer Bamberger. She was interred at Jewish Cemetery Hoechberg (grave 9 L 1).

In 1938 **Dr Abraham Schweizer** was taken to Dachau Concentration Camp for a short period. In 1941 he was moved to Oberdorf (near Noerdlingen) and on 20 Aug 1942 to Theresienstadt. He ended up in Maly Trostinec, where he died.

In 1909 Dr Abraham Schweizer wrote an article about the Jews of the former Imperial Town of Ravensburg for "Der Israelit", and in 1924 he wrote an

article on the Jews of Weikersheim in "Gemeindzeitung für die Israelitischen Gemeinden in Wuerttemberg" (year 1, nr 2 - 15 May 1924 - pages 19-21).