

2	Kath Fast	Oct 18, 1785	Feb 9, 1837
2	Gerh Fast	Nov 7, 1789	
2	Jakob Fast	Nov 28, 1792	
2	Dirk Fast	Oct 23, 1795	
1	Daniel Fast	Dec 14, 1753	Sep 3, 1829
2m	Maria Dick	Jan 5, 1812	
2	Johan Fast	May 3, 1813	
2	Daniel Fast	Jan 30, 1815	
2	Maria Fast	Mar 10, 1818	

Section Two. Peter Fast.

2 Peter Fast (1780-1852) came to the Molotschna in 1804 with his parents who settled in the village of Tiegenhagen in 1805. The next year Peter Fast married a widow Herman Dyck, nee Helena von Baergen.¹⁹ Unruh has listed only one Herman Dyck emigrating to the Molotschna in 1803 who was from Neumuensterberg, Prussia.²⁰ The parents of Helena von Baergen were Jakob von Baergen (1758-1833) and Margaretha Wall (1778-1799) who settled on Wirtschaft 18 in Schoenau.²¹ This family had also originated in Neuteicherwald in Prussia and was moderately well-to-do.²²

It appears that Helena and her first husband Herman Dyck were married in 1803 since their only son Jakob was born on April 13, 1804. After their arrival in the Molotschna they made their home on Wirtschaft No. 6 in the village of Schoenau together with her parents. Other Kleine Gemeinde associated families in Schoenau included Jakob Braun (Family 2),²³ Johan Friesen (Family 5),²⁴ Peter Dyck (Family 8),²⁵ Jakob Peters (Family 10),²⁶ and Peter Wiebe (Family 21).²⁷

After the death of Herman Dyck in 1805, Helena married Peter Fast and the couple continued the farm operation on her Wirtschaft where they are listed as follows in the 1808 Revisions-Liste: "Peter Fast, 27 Muensterburg, Amt Tiegenhof, Landwirth, wife Helena, 29, Son Jakob 4 and Peter 2. Property, 1 wagon, 1 plow, 7 horse, 11 cattle, 6 sheep, 15 loads of hay." *Unruh 8-7?*

The father, Peter Fast, died 1852, November 18 at the age of 72 years, 1 month, 22 days. The mother died 1846, November 5, at the age of 67 years, 7 months, 9 days. They had 38 grandchildren. Since the information is available, the family listing of step-son Jakob Dyck has also been included here.

Gen	Name	Birth	Marriage	Death
2	Peter Fast	Sep 27, 1780	Jan 3, 1806	Nov 18, 1852
m	Hel von Baergen	Mar 17, 1779		Nov 5, 1846
3	Jakob Dyck	Apr 13, 1804		1882
3	Peter Fast	Mar 27, 1807		Oct 2, 1849
3	Bernhard Fast	Mar 19, 1809		Jan 1, 1878
3	Katharina Fast	Sep 14, 1811		1862
3	Johan Fast	Sep 5, 1813		May 22, 1892
3	Helena Fast	Mar 1, 1816		1866
3	Elizabeth Fast	July 13, 1819		Dec 15, 1883

3 Step-son Jakob Dick (1804-1882) married the widow Johan Isaac in 1827. In 1827 he married for the second time to Margaretha Warkentin. Jakob Dick died 1882. When M.B. Fast visited Russia in 1908 he reported that he visited his cousin uncle Gerhard Dick and reminisced how friendly aunt Dick had always been when he had come to Alexanderkron for a visit in his youth. "Ohm Gert had become a wealthy man owning 2 1/2 Vollwirtschaft, one or two Kleinwirtschaft and 300 desjation of land in Siberia."²⁸ In July 1873 Peter Fast (1831-1916) mentions that Peter Dicks of Alexanderkron came for a visit and that her father and his father were half brothers.²⁹

Gen	Name	Birth	Marriage	Death
3	Jakob Dick	Apr 13, 1804		1882
m	widow Isaac		Feb 20, 1827	Jan 21, 1846
4	Helena Dick	Jan 22, 1828		
4	Eliz Dick	Jan 22, 1828		
4	Jakob Dick	May 21, 1836		
3	Jakob Dick	Apr 13, 1804		1882
2m	M Warkentin	Apr 21, 1846	Apr 21, 1846	
4	Peter Dick	Feb 14, 1847		Jul 25, 1847
4	Johan Dick	Feb 13, 1848		
4	Peter Dick	Apr 5, 1849		