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SCHULTEY, TOBIAS HERMAN

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Tobias H. Schultey was born in the year 1848 in Hanover, Germany.

Tobias at the age of twenty years had to join the army during the war between Germany and France. He fought in eleven battles, was one of the first men to cross the firing line and only a few comrades came out victorious with him after each battle.

In the year of 1875 Tobias married Mary Catherine Honocken also a native of Germany.

To this union nine children were born the oldest Mary was born in Germany and came across with her parents, she was the wife of Nick Niehaus living in Richmond at the time of her death. The others are Catherine, Lucy, Anna, Helen, Bernard, Joe who died during the World War. Margaret and Suzie.

In the year 1879 Tobias, came to the United States and located at Richmond. They purchased a farm near Farming and after a number of prosperous years they sold the farm and moved to St. Martin. In 1917 Tobias retired and moved to the village of Richmond.

His son Joe served in the World War in 1917 to 1918 against Germany. He was killed in action August 7, 1918. On February 23, 1918 Mary Katherine (Honocken) Schultey died.

Tobias was eighty-three years old he died in 1931 and is buried in the St. Peter and Paul cemetery at Richmond, Minnesota.

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