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Letter written by Clare Swarts March 5, 1983 to Mr Schwalm states; &quot;a family story says his wife was from Germantown and that her maiden name was Schwartz.&quot;

Connie Oberholser feels at this point of research that, since she could find no information in that region, wonders if it was a suggestion by researchers to the family. Over the years many researchers state, that it has been assumed all were captured in Trenton and took wives in Germantown. Connie had a genealogist with many volumes on Bucks, Philadelphia and Chester county as well as his use of the internet try to locate any Mary Mariah Swarts or a marriage to a William Swarts of this time and age. He found none.

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Perhaps the death of Mariah was late in 1826.

Lycoming Gazette January 3, 1827

&quot;To Ralph Price and Sarah, his wife, late Sarah Swarts, take notice that the Inquest will be held at the dwelling house of William Swarts, deceased, in the Township of Mifflin, Count of Lycoming, on teh 25th day of January, next, at 10 o&#39;clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of making aprtition of the real estate of the said deceased, to and among his children and represenatitives, if the same can be done without prejudice to or spoiling of the whole, otherwise to value and appraise the same according to the law, at which time you are required to attend if you thnk proper&quot; Dec. 25, 1826 James Winter, Sheriff

This Will was not finalized for 28 yrs (1851 as oldest son Jacob of William Swarts Sr land and homestead totally breaks up) . It must have been decided that those family members presently living on the farm be left there and nothing be done