

R Timeline 1828 - 1935

- 1828 **Charles Alexander Raeuber** was born in Marienwerder, Prussia, about this time. The family left Marienwerder and moved to Switzerland.
- 1846 Heinrich and **Dorothea Maria Magdalena Matz** (nee Meherke / Merrkenheim) arrived in Adelaide on 22nd January on the *George Washington* from Bremen.
- 1849 **Charles Alexander Raeuber** arrived in Adelaide (or Melbourne) on the *Steinwarder* (or *Goddefroy*) from Hamburg.
- 1850 **Ida (nee Ida Amanda Gansberg) and Charles Oelrich** arrived in Melbourne (possibly with Emma Christiana Gansberg, Ida's younger sister).
- 1852 **Charles Alexander Raeuber** was naturalised on 29th January 1852 in Melbourne. He married **Emma Christiana Gansberg**.
- 1851 Elizabeth Ellen Lydia Matz was born on 29th July 1851 to Heinrich and **Dorothea Maria Magdalena Matz**
- 1852 Carl Emil Amander was born to Charles & Emma in Richmond Vic on 8th October 1852; he died at three weeks of age.
- 1856 **Ida Louisa Caroline** was born on 6th February 1856 to Charles and Emma in Dunolly, Victoria. Charles and Dorothea Maria Matz (nee Meherke / Merrkenheim) met here. Between 1857 and 1864 Charles left Emma and Ida and accompanied Maria and her daughter, Elizabeth (about 5 years old) to unknown parts. **Clara Schubach** was born on 2nd November 1856.
- 1865+ Charles had mining leases & hotels at Alexandra, Gobur, Spring Creek and Jamieson in Victoria. He was with **Dorothea Maria Magdalene Matz** (Mehrke / Merrkenheim) (aka Maria Raeuber) and her daughter, Elizabeth Ellen Lydia (father - Heinrich Matz). A marriage certificate for Charles and Dorothea Maria has not been found.
- 1870 Elizabeth Ellen Lydia (**Lilly**) married Philip Young from Woods Point Vic. Their marriage certificate shows Lilly's maiden as Lilly Ellen Lydia Raeuber. Charles Raeuber was named as Lilly's father. Charles gave his consent for the marriage. Lilly & Philip had 11 children from this marriage.
- 1871 **Ida Louisa Caroline Raeuber** married Charles Albert Berry in Melbourne. Emma Christiana Gansberg gave her consent. Ida was 15 years old. The witnesses were Emma Raeuber & Ida Oelrich (her sister).



- 1872 **Ida Louisa Caroline Raeuber** and Charles Albert Berry had a son, Albert Berry, in Melbourne
- 1878 **Charles Raeuber** was licensee of *Turn Back Jimmy Hotel* near Jerilderie and also the *Travellers Rest* aka *Albion Hotel* in Jerilderie. He was a foundation member of the Masonic Lodge formed in 1882.
- 1883 **Emma Christiana Raeuber** married Simon Heinrich Andreas Mueller on 3rd December. Ida Oelrich and M. Herlitz were witnesses.
- 1885 **Charles Rauber** left the Jerilderie district about this time. It seemed he dropped the 'e' from his name. **Dorothea Maria Magdalene Matz** went to live with her daughter, Lilly, in Sydney.
- 1886 Albert, the son of **Ida Louisa Caroline** (daughter of Charles & Emma) and Charles Albert Berry, died aged 14 at Richmond Vic on 26th November 1886.
- 1889 **Charles Alexander Rauber** married Anna **Clara Schubach** (Kaleski/Kalesky). Ida Berry (nee Raeuber), daughter of Charles and Emma, was with her father for some time until he married Clara (aka Anna Clara). Ida and Clara were both 32, born in the same year - 1856. There was no indication at this time that Ida (or Miss Raeuber as she was known) had been married or had a child.
- 1890 **Charles Alexander Rauber** managed the *Criterion Hotel* in Yarrowonga Victoria, and the *Sarah Sands Hotel* in Brunswick, Melbourne. Charles & Anna's sons, Charles Frederick (1890-1966) and Albert Henry (1893-1965) were born in Brunswick.
- 1893 **Dorothea Magdalene Matz / Raeuber** (nee Meherke / Merrkenheim) died in Redfern, Sydney NSW.
- 1895 **Charles Alexander Rauber** moved to Benalla with Clara (aka Anna Clara). Three other children were born in Benalla Vic: Malvina Benigna (1895-1983); Edgar Eugene (1896-1896); Henry Alexander (1897-1987).
- 1901 **Charles Alexander Rauber** died in Benalla in 1901 aged about 73 (his death certificate says 69).
- 1935 **Anna Clara Rauber** (nee Schubach/Kaleski/Kalesky) died in Benalla in 1935 aged 78.