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PAPERS OF JOSEPH NEEF

JN.1.1 [1799, March 9]

Certified extract from register of births of commune of Soultz, [Alsace], recording birth of Francis Joseph Nicholas Neef on 6 December 1770. 1 p.

JN.1.2 [1799, March 11]

Certified extract from mortuary record of parish of Feldkirch, canton of Soultz, recording death of Joseph Neff [sic], carpenter, on 6 August 1754. 1 p.

Register, in Latin, with certification in French, dated 21 ventose, an 7 [11 March 1799]

JN.1.2a

Transcript and translation of the preceding document, by N. Teitelbaum, 1935.

JN.1.2 ½ [1801, Feb. 24]

ARMY OF THE RHINE, 5th division, 2nd brigade. Certificate that Francis Joseph Nicholas Neef had served honorably. Dated 5 ventose, an 9 [24 Feb. 1801]

MS. Translation, 2 pp., of an original document, presumably once part of the collection, but not located.

JN.1.3 [ca. 1803-04]

[Joseph] NEEF, Paris. To [Heinrich] PESTALOZZI, [Yverdon, Switzerland]. 1p. In German.

JN.1.3a

Transcript and translation of the preceding letter, by N. Teitelbaum, 1935

JN.1.4, 1802, July 30

[Joseph] NEEF. To Luise [his fiancée]
4 pp. In German.

JN.1.4a

Transcript and translation of the preceding manuscript, by N. Teitelbaum, 1935

JN.1.4 ½ [ca. 1803]

Joseph NEEF. Poem, "Meiner Luise zum Neujahrsgeschenk."

Typewritten transcript and translation. Presumably the original MS. was once in the collection, but it has not been located.

JN.1.5, 1806, March 19

W[illia]m MACLURE, Paris. Agreement with [Joseph] NEEF, Paris. 2 pp.

First page, in Maclure's hand and signed by him, contains his

agreement to pay Neef's expenses in going to the United States and establishing a Pestalozzian school in Philadelphia. Second page contains receipt signed by Neef, same date, for 3,200 livres tournois in full payment for expenses.

JN.1.6, 1806, March 20

J. Cox BARNET, Commercial Agent of the United States. Certificate recommending Joseph NEEF to protection of American officers and citizens in traveling to America. Paris. 2 pp.

JN.1.6 ½ [1810?, March 18]

W[illia]m MACLURE, [Lapland]. To [Joseph] NEEF, Philadelphia. 2 pp.

The internal evidence bearing upon the probable date of the letter includes the following statements: "I am amongst the Laplanders ... not far from the polar circle where the cold ... [is] vibrating between 16 & 26 [degrees Celsius] now the 18th March"; and "I dont approve of ... the message to Congress of the 3d Janu[ar]y last the present state of Europe is such that no exertion of ours can change one tittle of their commercial regulations which has becorae a principall [sic] weapon in the prosecution of the War... all our preparations either military or naval [sic] must be a dead loss of the money and an unprofitable increase of executive power." The message referred to would seem to be Madison's of 3 Jan. 1310.

JN.1.7, 1812, Feb 10

W[illiam] MACLURE, Rome. To Joseph NEEF, Falls of the Schulkill [sic], Pennsylvania. 3pp.

JN.1.8, 1814, Sept. 1

ACADEMY OF NATURAL SCIENCES, Philadelphia.

Notice of education of Joseph Neef as a corresponding member, 4 June 1812. 1p.

On printed form, signed by Reuben Haines, corresponding secretary.

JN.1.9, 1815, Feb. 4

W[illia]m MACLURE, Paris. To [Joseph] NEEF, Philadelphia. 4pp. With postscript by J. Cox Barnet, Paris, 21 March 1815.

JN.1.10, 1815, Aug. 4

W[illia]m MACLURE, Paris. To [Joseph] NEEF, [Philadelphia ?]. 3pp.

JN.1.11, [1816?], May 23

W[illia]m MACLURE, Phila[delphi]a. To [Joseph] NEEF, Louisville, Kentucky. 1p.

JN.1.12, 1816, Nov. 7

W[illia]m MACLURE, Phila[delphi]a. To [Joseph] NEEF, Louisville. 3pp.

JN.1.13, 1817, Feb. 1

W[illia]m MACLURE, Philadel[phi]a. To [Joseph] NEEF Louisville. 3pp.

JN.1.14, 1825, May 9

E.B. GARDETTE, New Orleans. To Victor NEEF, Floydsburg, Oldham County, Kentucky. 4pp.

JN.1.15, 1825, Oct. 28

W[illia]m MACLURE, Philadelphia. To Joseph NEEF, Floydsburg. 2pp.

JN.1.15a

Typewritten transcript of above.

JN.1.16, 1826, Feb. 20

W[illia]m MACLURE, New Harmony. To Joseph NEEF, Louisville. 1p.

Typewritten transcript of foregoing letter.

JN.1.17, 1826, March 9

W[illia]m MACLURE, New Harmony. To Joseph NEEF, Louisville. 1p.

Right margin torn away, damaging the text.

JN.1.17a

Typewritten transcript of foregoing letter.

JN.1.18, 1827, July 12

Benj[amin] TAPPAN, Steubenville, Ohio. To Joseph NEEF, Cincinnati. 1p.

On Tappan see *Dictionary of American Biography*, XVIII, 300-01.

JN.1.19, 1849, Aug. 13

Francis Joseph Nicholas NEEF. Last Will and Testament (MS. Copy). 3pp.

Endorsed: "Copy of Will / Francis J N Neef."