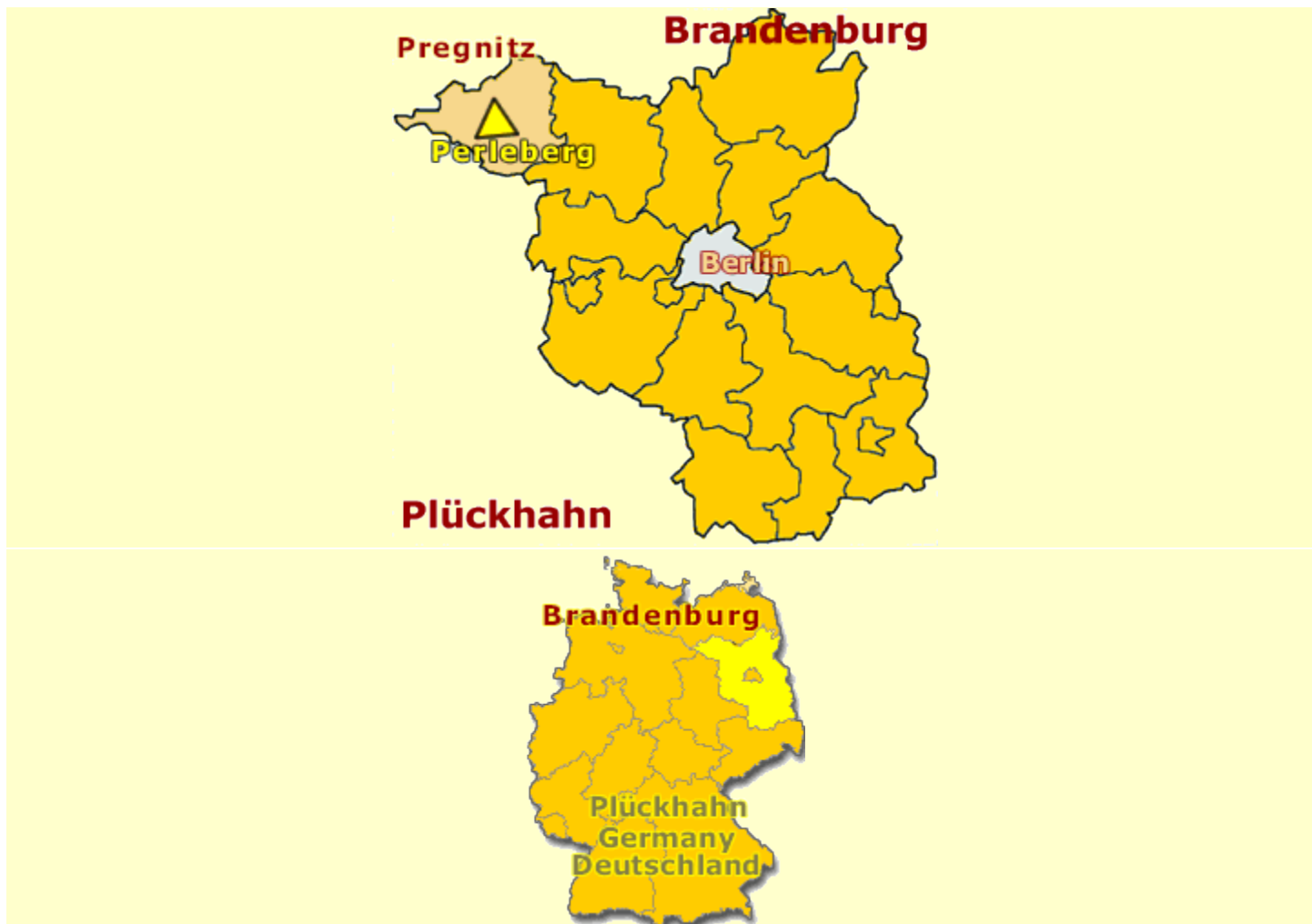


# Perleberg Branch of the Plückhahn Family Tree

## Perleberg Branch



This family changed its spelling from Plückhan to Plüghan. They originated in and around the town of Perleberg in the district of Prenzitz. There could be a connection here with the Prenzitz branch. Prenzitz is a district in the north east region of the state of Brandenburg.

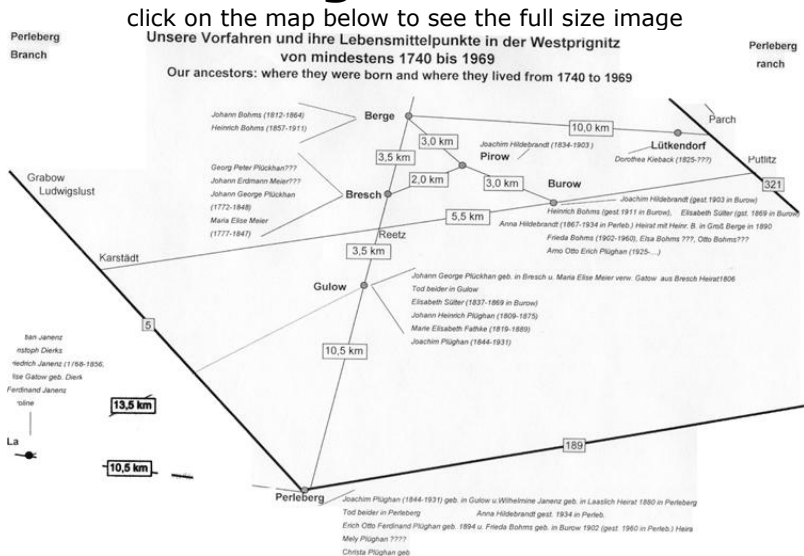


PERLEBERG, a town of Germany, in the Prussian province of Brandenburg, on the Stepenitz, 6 m. N.E. from Wittenberge by the railway to Neustrelitz. Pop. (1905), 9502. It contains a fine Gothic Evangelical church, a Roman Catholic church, a synagogue and several schools, and has a town-hall, dating from the 15th century, and a Roland column. Its chief manufactures are machinery, soap, blacking and clogs.

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# Map of the Perleberg Plueckhahn Family Area



## Dr. Arno Plüghan of the Perleberg Branch Passes Away

Dr. Arno Plüghan was born in the village of Burow/ Westprignitz/ Brandenburg on April 8, 1925. He spent his childhood in Perleberg. After school and an apprenticeship he was forced to go into the German army and as an 18 year -old was sent into World War II. He was sent to Russia in January 1944 and only just managed to escape slightly wounded. After the war he started studying agricultural science in Greifswald and at the Humboldt- University in Berlin. In Berlin he worked for the Academy of Agricultural Sciences and made his doctor.

In 1947 he married Ursula Pankonin. They have two children, Wolfgang and Gabriele. In 1958 the whole family fled from East Berlin (the Russian occupied part) to West Germany because the eastern secret services wanted Arno to spy out his colleges and business partners. Under very difficult conditions the family had to again from nothing in Norderstedt near Hamburg. They built a house, the children started studying. In 1977 Arno suffered a severe stroke, had to stop work. Ever since his wife took care of him. Despite his severe illness he took part in all family festivities and saw his children marry and his grand-children grow up. Arno died in a hospital in Henstedt-Ulzburg near Norderstedt on March 28, 2004 at the age of 78.

Our condolences go out to his family and friends.