

This photo shows steerage passengers on another boat around the same timeframe as Aloys' and Monika's voyage. This is to show the conditions the family likely traveled in.





This is a sketch of the steamship Hermann, which was in service from 1865-1896. It is of the same design and from the same time period as the Hannover I. The image is from "Seven Centuries of Sea Travel" by B. W. Bathe. According to Lynne A. Farr, PhD, fellow genealogist and ship expert from Omaha, Nebraska, they were transition ships between sail and steam, built in the early days of steamships. with what was basically a clipper ship style hull. The bow was cut back in the clipper style according to a description from a book by Arnold Kludas (a noted German ship expert).