Louis and Hedwig Schwarz, née Schwarz Deported to Theresienstadt in 1942.

Hedwig Schwarz was born in Rexingen on March 23rd 1887. Her parents were Ernestine Fröhlich and Seligmann Schwarz. In 1908 she married Louis Schwarz, a cattle-dealer from Rexingen, born on February 29th 1880. He was the son of Rosa Zürndorfer and Ferdinand Schwarz. Hedwig and Louis had a daughter

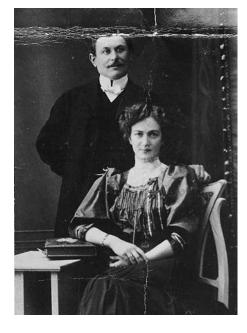


Foto der Eheleute Louis und Hedwig Schwarz aus der Hochzeitszeitung von 1908.

Hilde, born in 1909. She married Julius Lemberger who ran a cattle-dealing business together with his father-in-law in Gutermannstrasse in Horb. When Julius died prematurely, Hedwig and Louis moved back to Rexingen in 1937 with their daughter Hilde and grandson Siegfried. Hilde Lemberger and her six-year-old son were deported to Riga in1941.

When and where Louis Schwarz died after his deportation to

Theresienstadt is not known. Hedwig Schwarz fell from the lorry during transport. She fractured her thigh bone in the fall. After the prisoners in Theresienstadt were set free by the Red Cross, Hedwig, now seriously ill, was brought to Stuttgart. There she remained up to her death in Marienhospital on November 6th 1952. She is buried in the cemetery in Rexingen beside the memorial stone for Rexingen Jews who were murdered.

Of all those deported from Rexingen to Theresienstadt in August 1942 she was the only survivor.



Hedwig Schwarz in Marienhospital, Stuttgart after 1945.