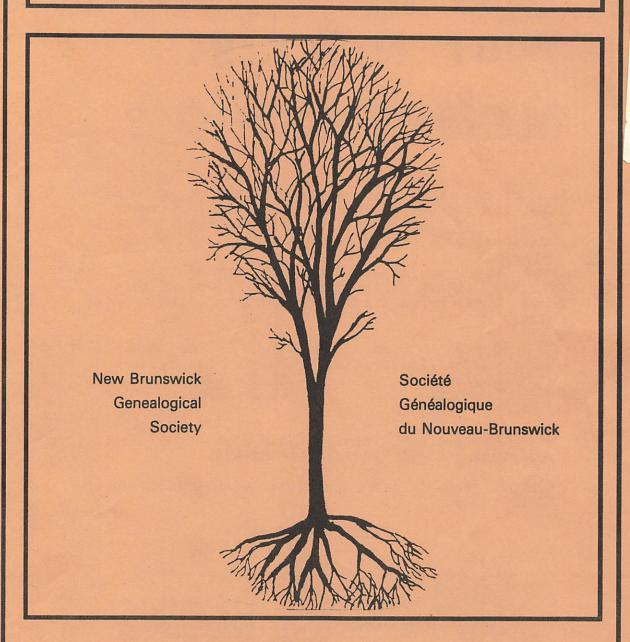
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#### Was Bringham Young A Descendant of New Brunswick U.E.L. Loyalist ?

By Daniel Johnson [From The Daily Telegraph, St. John, Thursday, April 6, 1911 page 6]

This Question Dealt With in Interesting Paper by D.R. Jack Before Loyalist Society - An Article Which Appeared in Toronto Mail - A Story of Hardships.

At the regular meeting of the Loyalist Society, Tuesday evening, D.R. Jack read the following interesting paper:

Recently the writer discovered among the literary remains of a former resident of Fredericton, a portion of an old scrapbook, the contents of which consisted principally of domestic receipts of various sorts, but containing at the same time a curious newspaper 'story' published at St. John thirtyfive years ago. The copy under review is printed in ordinary news type, and has neither the name of the publication from which it was clipped, nor the name of the writer, two very important features in judging of the credibility of an alleged genealogical article. This article is republished from the 'Toronto Mail' and is so credited, and is dated 'St. John' (N.B.) Jan. 10, 1876. The title is as follows: Brigham Young's Birth and Early Years in New Brunswick.

The article in question opens with the statement that its writer had been informed that the great Brigham Young had been born in Queens County, New Brunswick, and that he having determined to trace this rumor to its source, spent two weeks in driving over a snowy country, in the course of which he covered a distance of over 150 miles. Several old persons who were then surviving had been interviewed; some of them neighbors of the father of the alleged Brigham Young; chief among them being Captain John Maclean, the son of Archibald Maclean, U.E. Loyalist, the oldest justice of the peace in Queens county, and who was stated to have been the maternal uncle of Brigham Young.

From the style of the article, from certain other internal evidences, as well as from the following facts, we would appear to be justified in the conclusion that the writer of this sensational article was none other than the late Dr. E. Stone Wiggins, whose name needs no

introduction to the reading public of Canada.

About the year 1876, the 'Watchman' was first issued, being published at St. John (N.B.). This paper only lasted a few months, and it contained little of permanent value, if we except a series of articles entitled 'History of Queens County, New Brunswick. Prize Essay for The Watchman by E. Stone Wiggins, L.L.D. After devoting a short amount of space to an historical introduction, this series of articles consisted of brief genealogical sketches of many Queens county families, most of them of Loyalist origin, arranged and printed in alphabetical order. The collection of facts set forth in this series of papers took place prior to November, 1876 and the article with which this paper chiefly deals was dated Jan. 10, 1876. It is not all improbable that Dr. Wiggins while making an active search in Queens county for data for his prize essay, gathering the material for the article under review.

It is no secret that the biographical sketches of Dr. Wiggins are not entirely reliable by reason of carelessness in the verification of statements put forward, and the possibly too ready acceptance of unconfirmed family tradition for historical facts. His writings also show defects due to careless proof reading, which make it necessary to use with caution any historical data which he has left to us. The Brigham Young story displays precisely the faults complained of, as will be disclosed later. It nevertheless, contains not a little historical data which the writer has been able to verify, in part by means of the church records kept by Rev. Richard Clark and other rectors of Gagetown, by the aid of records of provincial grants and from other undisputed sources. That Peter Young was a Loyalist who settled near the Grand Lake, that he had several children, most of them born after the arrival of the family in this province, that early in the nineteenth century the name ceases to appear in the church records of Gagetown, that he was connected with the Maclean, Ferris and Sypher families, there is no doubt.

The following is the first portion of the

historical narrative contained in the article from the 'Toronto Mail'.

Young's Cove. an arm of the Grand Lake, Queens county, New Brunswick, received its name from Peter Young, a blacksmith, a Dutchman and U.E. Loyalist, who in the year 1876 (1786? D.R. Jack) settled on the farm later owned and occupied by Mr. Isaac Snodgrass. Mr. Young was six feet three inches in height, of a powerful frame, sharp features and greatly disfigured by small pox. He had but one child, Abraham, who though not so tall as his father. was a person of great bodily strength, goodlooking, with rosy cheeks and smooth skin. To give an idea of his strong arm, it may be mentioned that his father, unable to provide him with a hav fork of sufficient strength, made one with his own hand, the tines of which were steel an inch in diameter, the handle being of iron. The fork passed into the possession of Benjamin Ellsworth, and in turn became the property of Mr. Robert Snodgrass who purchased Mr. Ellsworth's farm.

Abraham Young married Miss Catherine Maclean, daughter of Archibald Maclean, a U.E. Lovalist who settled on Cumberland Bay, also an arm of the Grand Lake, in the year 1785. Miss Catherine who was the only child of that family born before the advent of the Loyalists, was sister to Captain John Maclean, who was the father-in-law of John Ferris, M.P., then sitting member for Queens (1876) and was, as aforesaid, the maternal uncle of Brigham Young. The character of Catharine appears to have greatly reflected the coarseness of the times in which she lived. Indeed, it was said of her by her own family that she was never known to shed a tear, a disposition which, however extraordinary in a woman, seemed happily fitted for the society of one of the most unsympathetic and brutal of husbands, who was as great a stranger to the higher sensations of human nature as he was to the alphabet of his own language. Having learned, though imperfectly, his father's trade, Mr. Abraham Young settled on the farm later owned by Gilbert Wiggins, J.P., whose grandfather purchased it from Mr. Young when he left New Brunswick. This farm is one of the most picturesque in the country; its high rocky front and lofty crowning landscape being the most attractive object that meets the eye on leaving the St. John and entering that fine sheet of water, the Grand Lake.

It was here that his son Brigham, the notorious, Brigham Young was born, March 24. 1801, the very night on which his grandfather, Archibald Maclean, died. Brigham, with his father and two brothers was baptized at the residence of Ludovic Syphers, in the parish of Canning, by Rev. Richard Clark, rector of Gagetown, on March 3, 1806. Here also were born his brothers Peter, Martin, George, Archibald and Henry. His sister Rhoda also born here, died in infancy. His four sisters who were born after the family left the country, settled in different parts of the United States. Peter became a cripple and died at the age of three years; Archibald died on the journey up the St. John; Henry was drowned in the Allaghany river in (New) York state in 1864 and Martin and George are in the United States (1876) having frequently corresponded with their uncle, John Maclean.

The father, Abraham Young, moved to Canada in August, 1808. He took his journey via the St. John, going up that river in a bark cance, in which frail craft he carried his moveables and four flaxen haired children. His little wife - for she was a small woman accompanied him with three horses, she riding one and leading another, while Bringham, her son, sat upon a third. It was when about ten miles below Fredericton and Captain Maclean met his brother-in-law, and seeing the four little white heads in the cance, he called to Mr. Young to stop, as he wished to speak to the children, but he gruffly exclaimed, applying more muscle to his pole., 'I have a great ways to go, and no money to spend.' and pursued his journey against the stream. A few rods further down he met his sister. Mrs. Young, she having dismounted to arrange her baggage. Riding up at this moment, she requested him to aid her in remounting, which he did, but before he could say adjeu, she and little Bringham galloped off and were soon unceremoniously out of sight. But the third day after Mr. Young met with an accident that served greatly to darken, not only his present hopes, but his future history; for struggling up a rapid, his canoe was overturned, and everything that it contained thrown into the water. The brave man seized his four children, and with the greatest difficulty succeeded in bearing them, though greatly exhausted, to the bank. One of them, Archibald, took cold and died. He had on board a churn filled with axes, manufactured and ground by himself, which he intended for sale on his arrival in Canada, where these implements were worth two pounds each. This churn also contained all his money to the amount of thirty pounds, which was in silver, for there was no paper money in those days, and this with the axes went to the bottom and neither was ever recovered.

In the meantime the canoe had passed swiftly down with the tide, and it was not until he had torn nearly all the clothes from his back. plunging through the brambles on the river's bank, the Mr. Young succeeded in overtaking and securing it. But in spite of opposing difficulties, being now stripped of everything, even bread for his children, his powerful arms swept his little household onward, and in a few weeks he reached his destination. Here by dint of perseverance and by the assistance of Bringham and Henry, both of whom were remarkable for their industry, he hewed out for himself a home in the wilderness, having received a land grant from the Canadian government."

We now reach a portion of the narrative which must be received with even greater caution than that which preceded it, and which is as follows.

\* His season of prosperity, however, was brief, for having used a powerful remedy to remove an innocent disease with which he had been annoyed, he took cold and lost the use of his legs, so that he was unable ever afterwards to support his family. After residing in Canada a number of years he resolved to dispose of his farm, and here we witness the early cropping out of that selfishness and want of affection which characterizes Brigham Young as the most remarkable man that ever saw Christendom. The farm was disposed of to a certain acquaintance, an Irishman, who lived a few miles distant, for three hundred and twenty-five pounds, and on a certain day Brigham was sent to bear the deed and receive the money, but instead of taking the price of the farm to his father, which was all that he possessed in the world, he put the money into his pocket and fled to the United States. Mr. Young and his family believed their son to have been robbed and murdered. Accordingly they had the purchaser brought before the grand jury, but he being twice acquitted they became so disgusted with British justice that they removed to the United States, where they died in innocency of the cool perfidy of their son. In the meantime Brigham employed his cash in storing his mind with useful instruction, and at length joined Joe Smith in the establishment of that religion which has for its object the social and moral captivity of women.

In the foregoing statement, it will be observed that the specific statement is made that Brinham or Brigham Young was born upon the farm of Abraham Young, his grandfather being Peter Young, Loyalist on 'March the 24th, 1801, the very night on which his grandfather, Archibald Maclean, died and further that Brimham with his father and two brothers was baptized at the residence of Ludovic Syphers, in the parish of Canning, by Rev. Richard Clark, rector of Gagetown on the 3rd of March, 1806'. This paragraph is entirely erroneous. The writer has before him at the present time, a complete transcript of the records of the parish of Gagetown, from the commencement for the period of nearly fifty years and upon examining said record no such name as that of Brimham or Bringham Young is to be found at any date. We further find that on the date named Mr. Clark was at Hampstead where he performed a marriage ceremony, but that on the 8th of March 1806, he was at the Grand Lake, where he baptized 29 persons, including 'Archabald, son of Abram and Catherine Young. As thereare one or more very glaring typographical errors, such as the year 1876 for 1786, in the reprint of the 'Toronto Mail's article, it is possible that the date 3rd March, 1806, should read 8th March, 1806, but the name of the child of Abraham and Catherine Young is distinctly stated to the "Archabald" and not Brimham or Bringham. This would not be conclusive evidence that this child who was christened 'Archabald' might not have been known under a different name at a later date. Against this, however, we have the statement of the writer of the account quoted from, that after the incident of the overturning of the canoe, previously alluded to, one of the four little children who were thus thrown into the water, "Archibald took cold and died.

Much of the minor incident that has been interwoven which such facts as have been verified might be accepted as highly probably family tradition, but care and discrimination must be exercised in accepting even such family traditions.

Another serious inaccuracy is the statement that Archibald Maclean, father of Catherine (Maclean) Young was a U.E. Loyalist. No such name is to be found in the government record of grantees of Queens county, nor does the name appear in any reliable annals of Queens county that have thus far been discovered, but the name of Alexander Maclean is to be found in the essay on Queens County by Dr. Wiggins by Dr. Wiggins previously alluded to, and he is therein stated to have been the father of Catherine who married Abraham Young.

An Archibald Maclean is mentioned by Sabine (Vol. 2 p.70) as having been a captain in the New York Volunteers, and as having died at Nashwaak in 1830, aged seventy-six, but he could not have been the individual connected by marriage with the Young family.

For the present, the only conclusion that we are justified in making is in the words of the favorite Scotch verdict 'Not proven' and we must trust to some later discovery of more conclusive evidence to either confirm or entirely annul this interesting story.

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Note: A letter published in the New England Historical & Genealogical Register Vol. XIV, 1860, p. 151 reads (in part)

G.S.L. City, Nov. 2, 1859

Mr. Elias Nason, Medford, Massachusetts

Sir: - In reply to your note of Sept. 21, I have to inform you that I was born in Whitingham, Windham County, Vermont, June 1, 1801. I have, living, four brothers, John, Phineas H., and Joseph older than myself, and Lorenzo D. younger and a sister named Nancy, all of whom live in this city. My father's name was John. He

was born in Hopkinton, Middlesex County, Massachusetts ...

Very respectfully, your obt. servant,

Brigham Young \*

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### The 26th(N.B.) Battalion's Return to Canada By Harry M. Heckbert

Following their active participation in many battles including Mont Sorrel, Hill 70, Somme, Ypres, Fleurs-Courcellette, Passchendaele, Vimy, Amiens, Arras, Cambrai and many others, the Battalion participated in the triumphal march through Bonn in Germany before they started to wend their way back home through Belgium, then France and England before they sailed for Canada from Southampton in May 1919 aboard the S.S. Olympic.

They arrived in Halifax on 27th May and then came home to Saint John by train on the following day. Again, thousands turned out to cheer their return to the City where it all began. Their beloved 26th Battalion was home - at least the survivors of the originals and the many brave reinforcement members.

Sad to relate, they had left behind 886 Officers and Other Ranks who had been killed or had died of wounds or sickness. More than two thousand others of the originals and reinforcements had been wounded or evacuated because of sickness.

As ranks became depleted, reinforcements would arrive from Canada. In fact, about 6,000 men served in the Battalion from its inception until it arrived home in 1919. It follows then that there were many many more soldiers who served with distinction in the "Fighting 26th" than those listed on these nominal rolls.

They served with great distinction - nine times Officers were awarded the Distinguished Service Order (DSO) - there were 43 Military Cross (MC) awards to Officers.

The NCOs and men were certainly not found wanting when it came to bravery. 27 Distinguished Conduct Medals (DCM) and no fewer than 210 Military Medal (MM) awards went to the Other Ranks. 35 others of all rank received foreign awards or were Mentioned In Despatches.

The following list of those coming home in May 1919 includes only 113 of the 1,193 who left Saint John in June 1915.

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Regt. No.	Rank	Name	Place of Residence
	Lieut	Armstrong, E. Charles	Welsford, N. B.
		Benn, Frederick William Brown, Walter Richard Buchanan, Melvin	Nordin, N. B. Royal Hotel, St. John, N. B. St. John, N. B.
	A/Capt Lieut	Calkin, James Ryan Carling, Wilfred Henry Clarke, Walter Richie Cesseboom, Kenneth	London, Ontario. Fredericton, N. B.
	Lieut Lieut	Davidson, William H Devor, James Bernard	Newcastle, N. B. 25 Victoria St., St. John, N. B.
	Lieut	Frenette, Albert	Grand Anse, N. B.
	Lieut	Gatenby, William	Pembroke, Ont.
	Lieut Capt	Hamilton, William H Hines, Arthur	Woodstock, N. B. Noel, N. S.
	Capt	Lawson, Walter Cyril	St. Stephen, N. B.
	Lieut Capt Lieut Capt Lieut Major	Mitchell, Archibald	Debec, N. B. Douglastown, N. B. 25 Germain St., St. John, N. B.
	Capt	Paquin, Julien Pickard, Charles W Pringle, James	14 Dauphine St., Quebec. Sackville, N. B. 217 St. John St., Fredericton, N. B.
	H/Capt	Rising, Percy Millen	St. John, N. B.
	Lieut	Shand, Albert E. L Shannon, John S Sharpe, Herman Edgar	Campbellton, N. B.
		Tannahill, James A Thompson, Charles C	
		White, Charles Eugene White, James Edmund	
	Lieut	Young, Frank Bennett	Lancaster Heights, St. John, N. B.
709631 712818 69525	Sgt Sgt Sgt	Adams, James Irenus Doucette, Wilfred John Long, Russell Geoff	Loggieville, N. B. Waterford, P. E. I. Richibuctou, N. B.
		Bain, John Alexander Bitten, Edward Albert	
743001 69162	Pte Pte	Cherry, Cecil Grenville Clark, Wilmot Hazen Cooke, Jesse Thomas	St. John, N. B. Moncton, N. B.
62299	Pte	Duguay, Majorique	Caraquet, N. B.

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	16769	Pte	Foster, Leonard Arthur	Halifax, N. S.
	3255863 742475	Pte	Grass, William Stanley Griffin, Ralph	Lincoln, N. B. Grand Manan, N. B.
	69418 90176	Pte	Harvey, Fred Hunt, John William	Fredericton, N. B. Fredericton, N. B.
			Jones, William Hiram	•
	69632	Pte	Moore, Kenneth White McCracken, Chester G McLean, John	Calais, Maine, U.S.A.
	69843	Pte	Ring, William John	St. John, N. B.
		Pte Pte	Sanderson, Maynard Sharland, Norman	Greenwich, P. E. I. Prairie Grove, Mann.
	69976	Pte	Taylor, Thomas Edwin	St. John, N. B.
	202094	Pte	Noble, George H	St. John, N. B.
	793786	L/Cpl	McLoon, Walter Chubb	Chatham, N. B.
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,	70214 69430 69423	Sgt Sgt Sgt	Hagerman, Cornelius R Hall, Thomas Harnod, Edward John Hipwell, Thomas F Holmes, Theodore A	New Carlisle, N. B. 61 Water St., St. John, N. B. Vancouver, B. C.
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69044	Pte	Bond, Joseph Leonard	89 Duke St., St. John, N. B.
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742991	Pte	Bradley, Arthur Harold	N. Devon, N. B.
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536413	Pte	Foster, Arthur James	St. John, N. B.
709374	Pte	Fowler, Isaac William	Youngs Cove Rd., N. B.
120919	Pte	Fordham, Victor	St. John. N. B.
69279	Pte	Fowler, Whitney E	Amherst N S
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742611	Pte		St. John, N. B.
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712352	Cpl	Gallant, Daniel Edmund	Charlottetown P.E.I.
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#### MAINE GENEALOGY -- A BIBLIOGRAPHICAL GUIDE

When John E. Frost Ph. D. of Eliot, Me., retired in 1982 from the librarianship of New York University, he soon revised, for the Maine Historical Society his popular monograph "Maine Genealogy—A Bibliographical Guide" (2nd. ed. 1985).

About that time he undertook the massive project of abstracting and indexing all personal names appearing in the records of the York County (Me.) Probate Court for the full colonial period. Having now completed his task, Dr. Frost has recently given copies of this outstanding work in microform to several libraries, including those of the Maine Historical Society, the New Hampshire Historical Society and the New England Historic Genealogical Society as well as to the Maine State Library, Augusta, Me., and the Family History Library, Salt Lake City.

Ten fiche are sufficient to present all probate records of the years 1687 to 1800 for this, a county that once included all of Maine. It is likely that this new resource may prove to be of primary importance to all who, in the future, may be researching the histories of northern New England families.

(Supplied by Amanda Bond, Maine Genealogical Society)

#### KILLORAN CLAN REUNION

The first world-wide Killoran Clan Reunion will be held in County Sligo, Ireland, from June 8 to June 11, 1990.

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#### POLICY, PRICE CHANGE FOR VITAL STATISTICS CERTIFICATES

Good news came from the New Brunswick Department of Health and Community Services with the announcement of a change in policy and pricing in respect to birth, marriage and death certificates issued by the Vital Statistics Branch of the Department. A news release from the Minister, Hon.J. Raymond Frenette, said, in part:

"The government has repealed the \$25 fee charged by Vital Statistics for genealogical research and has set a standard fee of \$15 for new, long form birth, death or marriage certificates," the minster said. "The certificates will be of particular interest to people who are trying to trace their families' histories."

Mr. Frenette said the statements will contain more information than current birth, marriage and death certificate. "The information will help link people in a family during various generations and is most valuable to both amateur and professional genealogists," he said.

For example, a genealogical statement of particulars about a birth would give the birth dates of the parents, their occupations, and the name of the attending physician at the birth. A marriage statement would give the names of the parents of the bride and groom, their dates and places of brith, plus the occupations, the birth-places and birthdates of the couple, and the name of the person who married them.

A genealogical statement of particulars about a death may provide information about parents and occupation of the deceased, the name of the funeral director and the place of interment. In all instances, the information is only available if it is on the original record.

A committee of the N.B. Genealogical Society has been working with officials of the Vital Statistics Branch for some time, attempting to work out the new system.

New forms have been drawn up which should greatly assist genealogists and others in obtaining information from the Vital Stats Branch.

Birth Certificates—
The new birth certificate form will provide the registered name, place and date of birth and sex of the person being registered, as well as the names, residence, occupation, date and place of birth of each parent. The maiden name of the mother will also be provided along with the name and address of the attending physician or nurse. The registration date and number will also be included.

Marriage Certificates—
These will show the date and place of the marriage, along with the officiant at the ceremony, and the religious denominations of the couple, if applicable. Besides the names and ages of the bride and groom, the certificate

will provide their residence, occupations, date and place of birth. Also included will be the names of the parents of the bride and groom and the place of birth of each parent.

Death Certificate—
In the case of a death certificate, the name, age, place and date of death will be shown as well as the deceased's occupation and the spouse's name. Also included will be the names and birthplaces of both parents of the deceased, the name and address of the attending physician or coroner, the place of deposition and the name and address of the funeral director. The name, address and relationship of the person providing the information will be included.

All certificates will be issued over the name of the Registrar-General, Vital Statistics Branch, N.B. Department of Health and Community Services.

Application FormA new "Application for Genealogical Research" form has been introduced for obtaining birth, marriage and death information from the records available in the Vital Statistics Branch.

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(Some months ago, the Vital Statistics Committee of the New Brunswick Genealogical Society presented a brief to the Minister of Health and Community Services. This brief stated the Society's position on the various matters at issue and came about as the result of a number of meetings between the committee and officials of the Vital Statistics Branch. A copy of the brief is reproduced on the next four pages of this issue of GENERATIONS).

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# Brief Presented to The Minister of Health and Community Services The Honorable Ray Frenette on matters concerning Vital Statistics

- 1. The New Brunswick Genealogical Society (N.B.G.S.) was established in 1978 with the following objectives:
  - (a) To promote the study of genealogy and genealogical research in the Province of New Brunswick
  - (b) To encourage the establishment of Branches which will further the objectives of the Society.
  - (c) To encourage accuracy and thoroughness in research
  - (d) To encourage and instruct members in the ethical principles, scientific methods and effective techniques of genealogical research through publications and workshops
  - (e) To assemble a library of genealogical guides, handbooks, reference sources, family and local histories and other books and materials which may assist the members, all of which will be available to the members.
  - (f) To establish friendly relations with other genealogical societies for exchange of ideas and information and the promotion of common interest
- The New Brunswick Genealogical Society is presently composed of branches in Fredericton, Moncton, Saint John, Brand Manan, Hartland, Dalhousie, Boiestown and Saint Andrews. The membership currently stands at about 800.
- The Executive of the New Brunswick Genealogical Society is composed of two representatives from each of the branches in New Brunswick.
- 4. The Vital Statistics Committee, N.B.G.S. is composed of:

Mrs. Dawn Kinnie, Moncton Daniel F. Johnson, Saint John Gerald D'Brien, Fredericton

#### 5. CONCERNS

Commencing in 1979, our members became acutely aware of three major concerns relating to the Vital Statistics Records in the Province of New Brunswick.

- (a) A dual fee structure for obtaining copies of registrations of Birth, Death and Marriage
- (b) The degree of inaccessibility of Vital Statistics Records held by the Vital Statistics Office
- (c) The adverse impact which the two preceding items have on tourists visiting New Brunswick for genealogical purposes.

#### A. DUAL FEE STRUCTURE

During the period of the previous administration, the Vital Statistics Division implemented a policy of charging \$ 7 to \$ 10 for issuing a copy of registration of Birth, Death or Marriage for legal or other purposes. However, a fee of \$ 25 is charged for the same service (whether or not the certificate is issued) if the purpose of its use is for genealogical or historical research.

In the view of membership of the New Brunswick Genealogical Society, the dual fee structure, which practice is unique in the Province of New Brunswick:

- (a) Contravenes the basic policy of universal fee structure ie. cost recovery should be borne equally by all users
- (b) Discriminates against users in that the charge levied is not based upon the service provided. Rather, the fee is applied on a subjective basis. ie. Genealogical research is 'less important' than legal documentation, therefore, the fee is higher. Providing a service to Genealogists and other researchers is described as a 'secondary objective' of the Department. An objective fee structure would apply to the service in providing the records rather than impose judgmental evaluation of their use after the service has been provided.

#### 7. INACCESSIBILITY OF VITAL RECORDS

- (a) The preoccupation of the Vital Statistics Division with respect to confidentiality has rendered the entire record collection virtually inaccessible. Sensitive information is the exception rather than the rule with respect to most of the Vital Statistics records. This reasoning resulted in the implementation of a high fee which is beyond the financial resources of the majority of users.
- (b) We are informed by officials of the Vital Statistics Office that the Vital Records are poorly indexed and require considerable expenditure to sort and index properly. This was the case ten years ago, but no attempt has been made to amend this situation. We sense a lack of resolve among department officials to take any action. Researche's would relieve considerable staff time by scanning the indexes themselves, but this is not permitted. The result is that staff time must be applied and under the discriminatory practice of cost recovery, the higher fee is charged.

#### 8. IMPACT ON TOURISM

Many provinces in Canada including Alberta, Saskatchewan, and Nova Scotia have recognized the significant impact of visiting genealogists on the tourist industry. New Brunswick has benefited from the tens of thousands of researchers who come to the Province each year to visit the Provincial Archives, local churches, commeteries and family reunions. Over the past two centuries, many have left the province to seek their fortune in the Canadian West, the United States and Australia. Their descendants are coming to visit their ancestral home. They are seeking information unique to New Brunswick. It is important that all Provincial Government Departments work together to capture the full potential of this market.

In other Canadian Provinces and American states, records are accessible for a nominal fee. Visitors naturally seek information from Vital Records by correspondence before travelling a trip to New Brunswick. The response they receive does effect their decision to come. Regretfully, the difficulties encountered by those corresponding with Vital Statistics has discouraged many.

Other provinces in Canada have taken the lead with regard to their Vital Records. The public has access to Newfoundland records from their earliest records to the present date. P.E.I. has qualified accessability to the middle of the century. In the neighboring New England States, such as Massachusetts, vital records are fully and freely open to the public.

#### VITAL RECORDS AS A SOURCE OF REVENUE

Vital Records have a monetary value. A nominal fee, over time, will recover costs incurred in indexing and cataloguing. If indexes are made available to researchers in a 'self serve' environment, considerable staff time would be saved.

#### RELEASE OF VITAL RECORDS

The Provincial Archives of New Brunswick provides an expertise in the management and conservation of documents. Marriage records could be released for public access at that institution. As these records contain no information of a sensitive nature, they could be released in their entirety to that institution.

#### 9. CONCLUSION

The New Brunswick Genealogical Society therefore respectfully recommends the Minister of Health and Community Services favorably consider:

- (a) Adopting a single fee schedule for obtaining
  - i. certificates
  - ii. copies of originals
  - iii. transcriptions omitting sensitive data
- (b) Work in unison with the Department of Historical and Cultural Services and the New Brunswick Genealogical Society in cataloguing and indexing Vital Records
- (c) Enable Vital Records up to the current date to be fully and freely accessible to the public,
- (d) Recognize the tourist potential of Family History and Genealogical research in New Brunswick



#### INDEX TO THE 1871 CENSUS FOR ST. JOHN COUNTY, NEW BRUNSWICK, CANADA

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Available from:

Saint John Branch, N.B.G.S. P.O. Box 2423 (MPO) Saint John, N.B. Canada E2L 3V9

The St. John County Census Records from 1851 to 1891 have presented difficulties for researchers, given the changes in names of wards and parishes over that time period. Further Ward division numbers appearing in local Atlases do not correspond with census divisions for certain years which add to the confusion. To assist the researcher, the introduction to the 1871 Census For St. John County, New Brunswick, Canada the changes in ward names are identified 1871 to 1891. In addition, a general finding aid by street name is provided. For example, if the City directory for 1891 indicates your ancestor was living on Elgin Street, Saint John. Then your ancestor should appear in Lorne Parish, St. John County for that year. Since Lorne Ward was not erected until after 1881, you would check Portland Parish prior to that date.

The 1871 Census is a project of the Saint John Branch, N.B.G.S. Regretfully, Portland Divisions 3, 4, and 5 (including Indiantown) are missing for 1871 as well as one division for Kings Ward. The remainder of the Census, however, is intact. The Index includes about 37,000 to 40,000 names. Each family unit has been left intact and families have been sorted by the name of the head of the household. A code precedes each family indicating name of ward or parish, division of ward or parish, and page number family may be found on microfilm.

#### VITAL STATISTICS FROM NEW BRUNSWICK NEWSPAPERS 1784 to 1872

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#### DOAKTOWN ANGLICAN CEMETERY

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Cornelius Beek 1890-1977, his wife Minnie Storey 1900-1980

Millett A. Beek 1901-1982, his wife Mary Hilda Comeau 1910-

Arthur Trevellion so of James and Rilla Canney 1959-1972

CAREY, Albert W. 1919-1970, his wife Doris M. 1921-

Albert W. Carey PTE Carl. York Reg. 7 June 1970 age 50

CARR, Shana Elisa born Mar. 5, 1970 died May 19, 1970

John S. Doak GUNNER RCA 20 Aug. 1985 age 72 DOAK, Myrtle A. 1920-, John S. 1913-1985

Lana Darlene Johan (no dates)

Kate Lejnieks 1888-1971

LYONS. Albert W. 1919-1988, Norma T. 1924-1984

1887 William H. Lyons 1972, his wife 1890 Frances E. Doak 1966

Walter I. Morehouse 1916- , his wife Winnifred L. McAleer 1916-

In memory of our dad Bernard J. Munn Aug 29, 1895-July 17, 1986 erected by Precilla (Munn) Donnelly, Jasper and Bernard Munn Margaret J. Munn 1913-1958

Janet G(loria) MacDonald 1947-1973 dtr of Turnie & Rita Beek Patrick McAleer 1888-1969 his wife Francis J. 1894-1975

O'DONNELL, 1901 Chester R. 1988, his wife 1904 Hilda M. - their son 1946 Herbert W. -

Ernest T. O'Donnell 1911-1984, married July 3, 1935 Mabel E. Storey 1908 -

Gerald E. O'Donnell 1920-, his wife Nora Mae Storey 1920-1974 O'DONNELL, 1917 Winston Spencer 1987, his wife 1916 Edith Pauline 1979

Winston O'Donnell GUNNER RC 30 SEP 1987 age 69

1884 Archibald L. Porter 1954, his wife 1889 Ada C. Price 1970 Baby Porter Nov. 29, 1914

1914 Gerald A. Porter 1986, his wife 1918 Anita P. Doak 1976

1881 Alexander S.Pratt 1971 his wife 1883 Hannah Theresia Arbeau 1971 their son 1915 Walter Allen 1981

PRICE, Andrew Floyd E. 1957-1974 son of Floyd and Thelma

Paula H. Price Sep. 15, 1963-Jan. 24, 1986

ROBICHAUD, Gerard Lee Aug. 8, 1967 stillborn

Cheryl Lee Jan. 6, 1961-June 26, 1962 dau. of Eileen and Hayward Storey

Christopher E. Storey 1967-1967 (marker)

Donald Earle Storey 1929- his wife Gertrude Leona Mersereau 1929-1976

STOREY, Earle S. 1903-1954, Charlotte M(argaret) (Carr) 1908-1986

frederick H. Storey 1904-1970, his wife Constance C. Melton 1904-1970

PTE GORDON STOREY 1890-1960 26th Battalion, CEF James Otis Storey 1907-1958, his wife Honner Mae Beek 1912-1982

Kevin & Christopher children of Eldon & Phyllis Storey Kevin Dana Storey 1970-1971 (marker)

Lester Storey 1895- , his wife Addie Commeau 1904-1955, their son Arthur E. Storey 1933-1953, Killed in Action in Korea Marcella Storey 1946-1987

1907 Weldon R. Storey 1971, his wife 1911 Eva D. Gaston Weldon R. Storey PTE Cdn. Forestry Corps 5 Nov. 1971 age 64 1918 William J. Storey 1982 his brother 1926 George S. Storey 1983 placed by sister Christina

George W. Sturgeon June 10, 1896-Oct. 6, 1988, his wife H. Frances O'Donnell Mar. 2, 1910-

Alexander S. Ward 1908-1978, his wife Lulu D. O'Donnell 1916-1899 Robert M. Weaver 1979 his wife 1905 Hilda O'Donnell - William P. Weaver 1922-1968, his wife Ora M. Storey 1926-

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#### CONTRIBUTED BY JOHN WOOD

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Family Same:	Given Banes:	Bern:	Died:	lge	Ce		ype	Note Suce lescription
STRUBICK	LUCT	11	11	0	7	ı	1	(Hother of / see Irena and
STERBICK	PECESE	11	11	•	1	1	1	Derlin Stennick.) Daughter of / see Thomas Stennick.
STREETICK	EGENTA	04/03/1036	04/15/1913		7	1	1	Tife of / see Thomas O. Stemnich. (Her mame Gillespie.)
STERRICK	SARAH JANK	11	11	•	1	1	1	
STERBICK	THOMAS	11	10/21/1072	**	1	1	1	Fis wife Haznah died 02/15/1044, aged 42. Their children Phoebe, Frances and Daniel. (Ezznah's name Wood.)
STREEFICE STREEFICE	THOMAS L. THOMAS O.	01/01/1063	01/01/1912 10/31/1099	74	7	1	1	His wife Annie I. 1866-1941. His wife Rozanna 84/03/1836, 84/15/1913. Their children David and Ann. (Rozanna's
STRUBICE	VIVA 6.	01/01/1921	11	•	1	1	1	name Gillespie.) Vife of / see Colby L. Stemmick.
STEVART	WEIR	01/01/1876	01/01/1966	0	4	1	1	Wife of / see Daniel Suchanan Stewart. (Her name Reid.)
STEVART	ARTEUR G.	01/01/1098	01/01/1974	•	4	1	1	His wife Cecile R. (Stewart) 1897-1955.
STEVART	BENJAMIN	01/01/1025	01/01/1914	•	4	i		Bis wife Elisabeth 1823-1914.  Hosart 1858-1920. Verma C.  1917-1917. Frances (photo usclear. Possible transcription errors.)
STEWART	SEUCE N.	01/01/1900	01/01/1911	•	4	l	1	His vice Lavinia Bot Bodds 1903-1951.
STRVART .	CECILE R.	01/01/1857	01/01/1955	•	4	1	.1	Vife of / see Arthur G. Stewart. (Naiden name also Stewart.)
STEVART	CHARLES	01/01/1028	01/01/1903	•	4	1	1	His vife Sarah Banford 1835-1983.
STEVART	DANIEL BUCHANAN		01/01/1973	0	4	1	1	His wife Annie McKenzie (Reid) 1876-1966.
STETART	ELITASETE	01/01/1025	01/01/1914	•	4	1	1	Tife of / see Benjamin Stewart.

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Strant Strant	PRANCES PREDERICK 2.	/ / 01/01/1865	/ / 01/01/1964	•		1	1 1	See Benjamin Stewart. His wife Laura J. Porter
STEVART	JAR	11	01/01/1913	0		1	1	188-1964.
STEVART	JOHN	<i>; ;</i>	01/01/1914	Ď		i	i	Vife of / see John Stewart. His wife Jame Hurray died 1913. Bis son William
STEVART	JOHN A.	01/01/1867	01/01/1954	•	4	1	1	1872-1946. (New stone.) His wife Katherine P. (Reid) 1868-1963.
STEVART	KATEERINE P.	01/01/1868	01/01/1963	0	4	1	1	Wife of / see John A. Stewart. (Mer mame Reid.)
STEVART	LAURA J.	01/01/1000	01/01/1964	•	1	1	1	Vife of / see Frederick R. Stewart.
STEVART	PRAIRIY DOL	01/01/1903	01/01/1951	•	4	1	1	Vife of / see Bruce M. Stewart.
STEVART	HOLARY	01/01/1858	01/01/1920		4	ı	1	See Benjamin Stewart.
STEVART	SARAH .	01/01/1835	01/01/1903		4	1	1	Wife of / see Charles Stewart.
STEVART	VERBA C.	01/01/1917	01/01/1917	ı	1	1	1	See Benjamin Stewart.
2224753	AITTITH	01/01/1872	01/01/1946	Û	4	1	1	Son of / see John Stewart.
STICKERY	DETSET	11	00/03/1060	95	6	l	1	Vife of Jeremiah Berpee.
tulsi	HANNAN CLIVE	11	/ /	84	16	2	2	Wife of Samuel Smith 1761-1822. Her dates 1774,5 - ca. 1859.
TATLOR	ecemor	11	12/22/1024	60	6	1	1	Wife of / see James Pryan Taylor.
TATLOR	JAMES PRYAM	11	11/26/1841	86	6	1	1	Formerly of B.Y. His wife Bleaner Underhill formerly of West Chester, B.Y. who died 12/22/1824, aged 60. Fitz Gerald (the stone maker's mark).
TECHAS	CHRISTIANNA CAROLINE	01/01/1050	1 1	•	20	2	6 1	See Christianna Caroline Smith.
TECHAS .	SANUEL	11	11	•	20	2	6	His wife Christianna Caroline Smith (b. mid 1880's).
PILL	Merriar	01/01/1037	12/24/1922	•	16	3	6 1	See Angeline Mickson.
TILL	PART	05/11/1008	05/11/1888	0	32	2	6	Child of / see James Alfred Till.
TILL	BESSIE	01/01/1078	10/30/1079	1	32	2	6	Died aged ly, 7m. Daw. of / see James Alfred Till.
TILL	ELIZA ANN	01/01/1827	08/01/1872	•	28	2	6 1	See Eliza Arn Boone.
TILL	ELITA LOUISA	11/03/1052	06/05/1927		20	2	6 1	See Bliza Louisa Smith.
TILL	BLIZABETH D.	01/01/1887		•	47		1	Wife of / see Arthur Carr.
TILL	BRINA BELEW	86/18/1871	05/16/1961	0	20		6 1	See Bana Helen Biegel.
TILL	FRANK	01/01/1881	05/07/1884		32		6	Died aged 3y, 7m. Som of / see James Alfred Till.
TILL	GBORGE E.	01/01/1050	01/01/1927		16		1	His wife Mehitable J. (Carr), 1851-1936.
TILL	NATURA CHARLOTTE JAMES	91/01/1028	<b>06/12/1911</b> / /	0	30 7		6 1	Wife of / see Alexander Carr. (Husband of / see Ruth (Boone) Till.)

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TILL	Jahrs	01/01/1818	11	•	28	2	6	His wife Eliza Ann Boone.
TILL	JAMES ALPRED		07/28/1928	Ŏ		ž	Š	See also Sophrenia Elizabeth Smith; and Bessie, Frank, and Baby Till.
TILL	LILLIS MAY	03/11/1072	11/18/1950	•	17	2		Wife of / see Lorenzo Ethol Wood. Her marriage #2 to Amidia Chartier.
TILL	HARY HATILDA	01/01/1020	11	•	29	2	6	Wife of / see Peter V. Laskey.
TILL	MATILDA JAME	04/24/1857	12/09/1920	0	20	2	6	Wife of / see Oliver A. Cramey.
TILL	mbritable J.		01/01/1936		16	1	1	See Hehitable J. Carr.
TILL	RESECCA AND		01/01/1881	8		3	•	1 See Rebecca Arn Foss.
TILL	RUTS	11	11/05/1877	19	•	1	1	Wife of James Till. (Her mame Booke.)
TILL	SANUEL	01/01/1033	03/00/1910	•	7	2	6	His first wife Rebecca Ama Foss said to be buried here too. His grave is marked, hers is not. See Amgeline Hickson.
TILL	SMM .	11	01/01/1812	•	1	1	1	Vife of Andrew (Solland) Smith.
TILL	imm mi	01/01/1014	01/01/1001		7	3	6	1 See Sarah Ann Carr.
TILL	SOPERCUIA ELITABETE	10/04/1845	01/07/1089	•	32	2	6	1 See Sophronia Elizabeth Smith.
TILL	TECHAS EMERY	11/02/1050	10/03/1913	•	20	2	6	His wife Bliza Louisa Smith.
TILL	AITTITH	01/01/1014	1 1		7	3	6	Bis wife Sarah Ann Carr.
TILL	AILLIM WRY	86/10/1059	06/25/1925		20	2	6	His vife Enna Helen Biegel.
TILLEY	JAKES	01/01/1773	01/01/1850	0	6	1	1	
TRACT	ABIGAIL	//	03/13/1013	•	12	2	2	Tife of / see Andrew Smith.
TRACT .	JEREMI AN	01/01/1744	01/01/1812	•	1	1	1	Pioneer. Pirst one buried in this cemetery. His wife Sarah Leighton 1744-1834. (New stone.)
TRACT	JOHATHAH	11	1 1	•	1	-	1	(Eashand of / see Eachel Tracy.)
TRACT	RACIEL	//	10/02/1849	59	1	-	1	Wife of Jonathan Tracy.
TRACT	SARAT	01/01/1744	01/01/1834	0	1		1	Wife of / see Jeremiah Tracy.
TRACT	STLVIA E.	01/01/1908	01/01/1903		10		1	Wife of / see Abner McGovern Mersereau.
TAGGE	BLEAKOR	/ /	12/22/1024	60		_	1	Vife of / see James Pryan Taylor.
Vassou Tebb	JAMES ADDIE P.	/ / A1 /A1 /10A2	11/02/1060	12			1	olfo of white worth
9288	BLAKE E.	01/01/1892 01/01/1885	01/01/1955 01/01/1965		10		1	Wife of Blake B. Webb 1885-1965. (Widow of Abmer Hersereau. Her mame Phillips.) Eusband of / see Addie P.
4519	BLI SABBYE	11	/ /		13			Webb. He is here also. Brackets omitted intentionally.
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Till	J. VILBUR	11	1 1	•	10	1	1		(Musband of / see Machel McQuestion.)
VRSS	RACHEL	01/01/1052	01/01/1920	•		1	1		See Rachel McQuestion.
	SUSAN	1 1	01/01/1815	9	45	4	1		Vife of / see Richard Kersereau.
Vighthan	MARY	01/01/1714	09/12/1782	•	23	2	5	ı	merseredu. Wife of Sammel Boome. Source 6 gives slightly different dates.
<b>VOC</b> 9	A.E. SMITE	01/01/1876	01/01/1955	•	3	1	1	1	(His name Andrew Holland Smith Wood. Always known as Smith Wood.)
FOOD	ADIGAIL	01/01/1837	11		3	3	6		Vife of / see George Vood.
ROOD	ADA	01/01/1071	02/20/1001	8	7	2	2		Child of / see Thomas Wood.
WOOD _	ADAN V.	01/01/1099	01/01/1920	•	•	1	1		Son of Franklin and Clara.
TOGD	ALICE H.	01/01/1913	/ /	0	3	1	1	1	Wife of / see Lawrence B. Wood. (Haiden mame also Wood.)
<b>TOCO</b>	amelia	11	12/07/1075	14	13	1	1	1	See Amelia Mersereau.
100)	M.	11	09/04/1047	•	1	1	1	1	Wife of / see Baniel Wood.
<b>1</b> 009	AFFETTE BLIZABETE	01/01/1936	01/01/1944	•	10	1	1		(Her mame Horgan.) Baughter of / see Clarence C. Hood.
WOOD	YEIN	11	11		-	1	1		Son of / see Thomas S. Wood.
WOOD	BLAKE ARTEUR	01/01/1938	01/01/1949	•		1	1		Son of / see Clarence C. Wood.
TOGD	BLANCH ALVA	01/01/1093	01/01/1978	•	16	1	1		Wife of / see Percy G. Cochrame.
1000	CARRIE	01/01/1869	01/01/1947	ı	3	2	2	1	See Carrie Bason.
<b>T</b> 003	CHARLES	//	07/07/1896	63	_	1	1		
<b>1000</b>	CHARLES	01/01/1061	01/01/1959	•	12	1	1	•	Nis wife Lucy G. (Adams) 1866 - 1929. See Also Jennie Hay Gregg.
ROOD	CRARLES P.	01/01/1867	01/01/1955	•	3	1	1	1	(Undertaker's marker.) Rusband of / see Carrie Hason.
B000	CLARA J.	01/01/1873	01/01/1904	•	3	1	1		See Clara J. Harper.
<b>8000</b>	CLARIFICE C.	01/01/1905	11	•	10	1	1	   	His wife M. (Margaret)  Plizabeth (Merseream) Vood  1911 Daughter Annette  Plizabeth 1936-1944. Son  Blake Arthur 1938-1949.
<b>W</b> 000	PAULEL	/ /	04/21/1847	83	7	1	1	1	His wife Ann (Morgan) died 19/04/1847 aged ??
<b>200</b> 0	DANIEL	01/01/1017	01/01/1907	•	18	1	2	(	(illegible). (Bis wife) Jame Wood (819-(10/27/)1914.
FOCD	DAUIEL	11	03/15/1093	•	12	2	ŧ	l	b. ca. 1822. Husband of Bliza (Wood?).
W00D	DAVID A.	01/01/1864	01/01/1954	•	3	1	1	(	Vodertaker's marker. See  Codertaker's marker. See  Colvenia E. Wood.)
¥00D	DAVID J.	11	11		3	1	1		Son of / see Thomas S. Wood.
TOOD	DONALD A.	11	11	•	3	1	1		ion of / see Thomas S. Wood.
<b>8000</b>	DOROTHY	01/01/1828	01/01/1924	•	2	1	1		life of / see Samuel Bunker.

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rood rood	DOROTHY	01/01/1855 / /	01/01/1881	0.		2	2		Paughter of / see Thomas Wood. See Dorothy Stennick. Daughter of Conrad "Stannick".
Wood Wood	BARL C. BDITH O.	//	//	8	3	1	1		Son of / see Thomas S. Wood. (Daughter of /) see William Wood (1871-1888).
WOOD WOOD	elija Elijareth	01/01/1824 / /	01/01/1916 05/14/1876	0 78	12	2	. <b>8</b> 1	1	(Vife of / see Daniel Tood.) See Blizabeth Horrow.
WOOD	ELIZABETH	01/01/1859	01/01/1934	7		ž	2	•	Daughter of / see Thomas Wood.
WOOD	ELSIE E.	01/01/1006	01/01/1918	Ö		i	i		(Grandlaughter of /) see John 7. Bunker.
WOOD	BYREL	11	01/01/1881	•	1	1	1		Daughter of / see John E. Wood. Died aged 6 months.
POOD	etest k.	01/01/1882	01/01/1970	•	39	1	1		
<b>2000</b>	BAT	/ /	11	5	3	1	1		Daughter of / see Fennetta B. (Smith) Yood.
WOOD	BVA B.	01/01/1900	11		47	. 1	1		Vife of / see Frederick B. Carr.
<b>9005</b>	PRIBRYA E.	11	02/11/1897	54	, 3	1			Vife of Gain Wood. Her daughter Bva aged 5. Gain Wood died 04/17/1907, aged 69. (Fennetta's name Smith.)
A00D	PRANCES SOPHIA PRANKLIN T.	01/01/1067	/ / 01/01/1943	0	1	1	1		See Frances Sophia Smith.  Rusband of Clara J. Harper. (Separate stone from hers. See also Adam V. Wood.)
<b>2000</b>	GAIN	11	04/17/1907	69	3	1	1		Eastern of / see Fernetta E. (Smith) Wood.
W00D	<b>GEORGE</b>	01/01/1034	11		3	3	6		His wife Abigail Smith.
W000	GRETRUDE ANN	01/01/1879	01/01/1971	Ò	7	_	1		Wife of William J. Wood. (Her name Cogswell.)
<b>T00</b> D	GLADYS E.	01/01/1912	11	•	1	_	1		Vife of / see Raymond V. Smith.
#00D	GRACE B.	01/01/1895		•	3	_	1		Vife of / see Ernest V. McLaughlin.
800D 800D	GUILPORD HANNAN		04/06/1801 01/01/1909		7	? 1	2 1		Son of / see Thomas Wood. (Wife of /) see William Wood.
WOOD	IAFIA	41/41/1443	<b>02/15/1844</b>		1	_	1	1	(Her name Smith.) See Hannah Stennick.
#00D	HELEN I.		01/01/1948	12	3	-	1	٠	(Wife of /) see Thomas S.
FOOD	JAMES ANDREW	/ /	/ /	•	2		1		Yood. (Eusband of / see Haggie
									Banker.)
WOOD	JME	01/01/1019		•	18		2		Wife of / see Daniel Wood.
WOOD	JAER	/ /	09/07/1889		3		2		Wife of Topher Bedford Mason.
¥00D	JERUIE MAY	//	03/26/1972	•					See Jennie Hay Gregg.
<b>ROOD</b>	Jerusha H.	01/01/1864	01/01/1890	0	7	1	1		Wife of / see John R. Wood. (Mer mame Mersereau.)
FOOD	JOHN	12/25/1788	01/01/1060	•	7	3	2		Died Sept., 1868. There is no marker, but Allen Boone thinks John may have been buried here.

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<b>8000</b>	JOHN R.	01/01/1057	01/01/1927	•	1	1	1		His wife Jerusha H. Mersereau 1864-1898. Daughter Ethel 1881, aged 6 months. Son Percy H. 1885-1934. (John R. was the son of / see Thomas
<b>¥00</b> 0	LAVRENCE B.	01/01/1900	01/01/1902	•	3	1	1		and Frances (Smith) Wood.) Wis wife Alice M. 1913- (Mer maiden name also Wood.)
<b>2000</b>	LESTER N.	01/01/1936	01/01/1957		3	1	1		(Undertaker's marker.)
TOOD	LILLIE MAY	03/11/1872	11/10/1950	Ŏ	17	_	•	1	See Lillie May Till.
FOOD	COSENSO BAROL	· ·	01/30/1929	•	17			•	Son of William and Eannah (Smith) Wood. See also Lillie Bay Till.
<b>1009</b>	LUCI 6.	01/01/1866	01/01/1929		12		1		Vife of / see Charles Wood.
<b>T009</b>	M. ELISABETH	01/01/1911	11	0	10		1		Wife of / see Clarence C. Wood.
9009	NAGGIE .	01/01/1870	01/01/1007		2	_	1	1	See Haggie Bunker.
9009	MARGARET	//	11/06/1079	16	-	1	1	1	See Hargaret Hersereau.
<b>1009</b>	HARGARIT HELVEUIA B.	01/01/1069 01/01/1866	01/01/1001 01/01/1952	•	3	1	2		Paughter of / see Thomas Wood. (Broken undertaker's marker. The "Hel" of Helvenia, and the "18" of 1866 are missing. Also mis-spelled. Should read "Helveina". (Her mane Hason,
<b>T009</b>	EBTTIE S.	01/01/1868	01/01/1943	•	3	1	1		vife of David A. Wood.) Vife of / see V. Harrison Wood. (Her name Bunker.)
WOOD	PERCY I.	01/01/1005	01/01/1934	•	7	1	1		Sen of / see John R. Food.
1000	ROBERT A.	11	11	•		1	ī		Son of / see Thomas S. Tood.
<b>T000</b>	ROFERIA	01/01/1067	11	•	15	2	2		Wife of George H. Cogswell. Died ca. 1915.
<b>1000</b>	ROTIE L. ROT	01/01/1902 / /	01/01/1950 / /	•	7 21	1 2	1 2		See Charlie B. Hersereau.  Adopted son of Thomas S. and
W009 .	SADIE A.	11	03/03/1904	12	39	1	1	1	Melen I. (Wood) Wood. See Sarah Ann Vood.
1003	SARAH AND	<i>i i</i>	03/03/1904		39			i	Wife of / see Adolphus B. Smith.
<b>W009</b>	Smith		01/01/1955	•	3	1	1		See A.H. Smith Wood.
<b>T</b> 009	TECHAS	01/01/1021	·	•	7	2	2		Died in 1890's. His wife Frances Sophia Smith, about 1830-1910. Their children Dorothy, John R., Elizabeth, Guilford, Hargaret and Ada.
1009	TEOMAS GALEOR	01/01/1894	01/01/1971	•	3	1	1		(Undertaker's marker. See also Thomas S. Wood.)
<b>1009</b>	TROMAS S.	01/01/1065	01/01/1939	•	3	1	1		Robert A., Bonald A., Assah and Earl C.; children of Tomas (sic.) and Helen Wood. David J.; Helen I. Wood 1873-1948. Thomas G. Wood 1894-1971. (David J. and Thomas G. were

Family Name:	Given Wames:	Born:	Died:	Age	Cen		pe Sice	Note Inscription
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WOOD	V. HARRISON	01/01/1863	01/01/1927	0	3	1	1	His wife Hettie S. (Bunker) 1868-1943.
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WOOD	VILLIAM J.	01/01/1883	01/01/1979	0	1	1	1	(Musband of /) see Gertrude Ann (Cogswell) Wood.
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#### <u>Ulster Historical/Genealogical Resources</u>

An insight into northern Ireland genealogical research facilities was provided by Dr. Brian Trainor during his recent visit to Fredericton. Dr. Trainor is director of the Ulster Historical Foundation, a non-profit organization based at 68 Balmoral Ave., Belfast, Northern Ireland, BT9 6NY.

The Foundation is a genealogical research agency and publishing house. It has published 40 books of genealogical and historical interest and has conducted more than 6,500 family history searches since its establishment in 1956.

Br. Trainor demonstrated a broad knowledge of Irish research resources. Following his opening remarks, he detailed various research opportunities in the counties of Ireland and the current efforts unerway to assemble and index these holdings.

His visit to Fredericton was part of a North American tour and was sponsored jointly by the Provincial Archives of New Brunswick, the New Brunswick Genealogical Society and the Fredericton Chapter of the Irish Canadian Cultural Association. Dr. Thomas Power of the University of New Brunswick was co-ordinator for the visit.

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#### A SKELETON IN MY CLOSET

#### by Robert H. Pallen

When I started tracing my family history I was excited to find that my lineage went back to a Doctor John Pallen. Like many others, I had been told that the Pallen origins in North America began with the Mayflower, and there was folklore about a Doctor in the family. To discover that part of this was a fact left a nice warm feeling about my heritage. I wanted to learn more about this esteemed ancestor.

My searches led to some newspaper notices in the Chatham Gleaner, 1835:

"Card- Mr John Pallen, Member of the Royal College of Surgeons, London, begs to intimate to the Public, that he has commenced practicing the various branches of the Medical Profession, in the Town of Bathurst".

A similar notice indicated that in 1837 he had moved to the Town of Chatham and set up practice. A much later notice in the Miramichi Advance announced Dr. John's death, 4 August 1895, noting that he was a native of London, England, and a Member of The Royal College of Surgeons, England. He had retired from active practice several years before his death, but had continued to treat a few old patients.

When I discovered the book "Medicine in New Brunswick" by Dr. W. Brenton Stewart, I was anxious to learn more about this ancestor of mine. What I read about Dr. John Pallen suggested that he was something of an imposter. I list some of the statements that made me wonder about the character of this man.

"Dr. John Pallen who claimed to have a Master of The Royal College of Surgeons of London....".

"He practiced in New Brunswick about 60 years but probably wasn't a graduate doctor, just a drug seller".

"He graduated from famous St. Bartholomews and became a member of The Royal College of Surgeons of London".

"He practiced his profession for about sixty years and there is a very real suspicion he was not a graduate doctor at all". These statments created a confusion; on one hand he is reputed to be a graduate of famous St. Bartholomew's and a member of The Royal College of Surgeons, and on the other hand there is "real suspicion" that he was not a graduate doctor. The gauntlet had been thrown, and the challenge accepted: I was determined to learn the truth! After all, he was my relative! Either he was qualified to practice medicine or he was a charlatan.

St. Bartholomew's Hospital replied that "many Medical College records were destroyed during the 1939-46 war and there are no records of students prior to 1842...." The Royal College of Surgeons of England noted that "John Pallen gained membership of this College on 10 April 1835, giving his address as New Brunswick, British America. He appears on the list of members of the College from 1835-1840 with New Brunswick as his address". None of this helped to settle the question. Hoping for conclusive information I then asked for the regulations governing membership at the time that John Pallen had become a member. The reply included a copy of the regulations dated 15 August 1843, which according to J.M. Aspden of the R.C.S.E. "would have changed very little, if at all, since 1835".

"Regulations of the Council respecting the professional education for the diploma.

I.Candidates will be required, in addition to a certificate being not less than twenty-one years of age, to bring proof,

- 1. Of having been engaged in the aquirement of professional knowledge for not less than four years, during which period they must have studied practical pharmacy for six months and have attended one year on the practice of physic, and three years on the practice of surgery at a recognised hospital in the United Kingdom....
- 2. Of having studied anatomy and physiology, by the attendance on lectures and demonstrations, and by dissections, during three winter sessions, of not less than six months each.
- 3. Of having attended at least two courses of lectures on the principles and practice of surgery, delivered in two distinct periods or seasons and one course on each of the following subjects viz., the practice of physic, chemistry, materia medica, and midwifery with practical instruction."

The rest of the Regulations deal with variations that depend on where the candidate studied. The above are the basic requirements.

There can be little question that the requirements for membership in the R.C.S.E. were explicit and rigorous. It would appear that John Pallen, being a member of the R.C.S.E., must have undergone the prescribed educational process. In other words, John Pallen was a qualified physician, surgeon, medical practioner or whatever the term was for a "doctor" in those days. Certainly, in England, the physician was not called a doctor, whereas in North America our medical practitioners were bestowed with the degree "Medical Doctor or M.D.", and known as doctors.

What prompted the question about John Pallen's qualifications to practice medicine? Dr. W.B. Stewart directed me to a microfilm in the Provincial Archives of New Brunswick which contains notes compiled by K. Williston about "Doctors of the Miramichi". It would appear that this was the first mention of John Pallen's qualifications. In her notes she writes:

"It was commonly thought Dr. Pallen was not a graduate Doctor. Dr. McGrath, said he did not think he was a doctor. At any rate he practiced that profession for upwards of sixty years".

At the beginning of her notes, K. Williston presents a qualifier or explanatory statement regarding the information that she includes in her survey:

"Gossip etc., about the Doctors of Miramichi has been included for my own benefit, and because they seem more alive when I know odds and ends about their lives. It is noted down, not in malice, or to see the light of day, but merely for interest, to myself".

### Dr. W.B. Stewart in a letter to me suggested that:

"Some of her information may be gossip and tainted possibly by professional or other forms of jealousy as she notes".

I was even more determined to have conclusive proof, not merely circumstantial evidence. My genealogical searches had put me in touch with a cousin, a physician who had studied in London, England. When I explained my interest in elucidating John Pallen's qualifications, our letters were filled with comparisons of the British and the North American medical education systems. One day Dr. H.S. Morton was in town, and, although he had no time to meet with me, he left some "items" at a friend's house for me.

When I saw the "items" I could barely contain my excitement, I now possessed the original documents from John Pallen's years at St. Bartholomew's Hospital! These were the cards to admit him to the lectures on Botany, Chemistry, Midwifery, the Practice of Medicine, Surgery and Anatomy!! There was a card for the admittance to the examinations and certificates attesting that he had attended these courses. There was a letter of testimony of John Pallen's "diligence with which he has pursued his studies at St Bartholomew's Hospital", by Edward Stanley, one of the well known medical teachers at that institution. One of the documents is a form of a diploma.

At last, here was the evidence that John Pallen was indeed qualified to practice medicine. All that remained was to have the "authorities" confirm these findings. I sent copies of the documents to The Royal College of Surgeons of England, and the reply was most satisfying. Ruth A.M. Pearce, the Library Secretary wrote:

"In answer to your letter of this month I can confirm that these documents are in themselves evidence of the training that John Pallen underwent - (the courses he attended) - which he needed to be allowed to take the exam to become a Member of the Royal college of Surgeons.

He was thus qualified as a surgeon - and at this time these qualifications were quite normal for someone who was a medical practitioner.... There was no separate examination to be a medical practitioner - which was, and still is, a term used to describe a medical man, or perhaps someone who is part of a medical practice".

### (dated 18 February 1987)

At this stage of the research I felt that I had shown that John Pallen was a "graduate doctor", qualified in every sense to practice his profession. Whatever the basis for the questions that had been raised about his credentials they were totally unfounded.

The motives of K. Williston, when she collected the information about the Doctors of Miramichi, are clear. She noted that gossip was included, and indeed, mixed with fact. However, she did not distinguish the two. Fact and gossip were then confused when her notes were used by others as source material, without verifying the origins. What began as a project to learn the truth, also assumed a mission of vindication, not to mention the pleasure of a genealogical search.

(R.H.P., Beaconsfield, Quebec, 1989)

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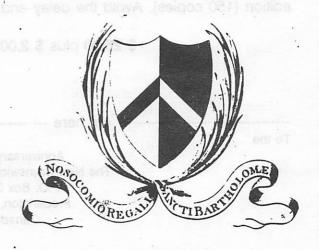
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_ LeBLANC Alma Soucy 1875 - 1963 _ son epoux J. Fidele LeBlanc	
CAYCUETTE  Marie Anna Cayouette 1888 - 1962  épouse de Honore Cayouette	
PITRE (black cross) Mde. Andre Pitre 1900 - 1961	
décédée le 16 juin 1961	
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DURETTE (war stone) David Durette, Private Royal 22 Regt. 14 June 1958, age 52	
VINOULT (war marker) Pte. Frank Vinoult 1893 - 1957 Canadian Forestry Corps CEF _Lest we forget	
BARTHELOT1885. Marie Catherine 1957 wife of	
Edward Barthelot In loving memory	
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BLAIS (war stone) Frank Blais, Private 13 Res. Battn. CEF	LeBLANC Frank J. LeBlanc 1928 - 1950	
27 Mar. 1952, age 72	THIBODEAU -RIP Edmond Thibodeau 1868 - 1951	
SAVOIE Malvina LeBelle, épouse de Francis Savoi déc. 10 juin 1952 à 69 ans RIP	son épouse, Amanda Boudreau 1879 - 1918 ie	
FURLONG à la mémoire de Marie, fille de		
M. & Mme. Fred Furlong décédée le 28 Dec. 1949 âgée de 16 ans R. I. P.	GUITÉ  Jacques Guité, déc. 5 janv. 1955  - à 12 ans 3 mois	
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LeBLANC Yvonne LeBlanc 1896 - 1978 sa soeur Leonie LeBlanc 1902 -	- GUITAR (war marker) Pte. Alexander Guitar 1913 - 1955 North Shore (N.B.) Regt. CA Lest we forget	
HACHEY (along base) George E. 1895 - 1959 his wife Esther Doucet 1899 - 1978	SAVOIE  à la mémoire de Joseph Savoie  1901 - 1953 et de son épouse  - Blanche LeBlanc 1907 - 1953	
THERIAULT Emile Theriault 1902 - son épouse Winnifred Ouellette 1917 -	ou ils reposent en paix  SAVOIE (war stone, see directly above)	
ANGLEHART, J. B. 1905 - 1980 (broken white cross)	Joseph Savoie, Private VG of Can. 7 June 1953 age 52	
COLLETT (along base) Marie Josephine Dugas, beloved wife of David Collett born 1868, departed this life Jan. 3rd. 1946 David 1880 - 19	- OUELLETTE ici repose Julienne Huard épouse de	
	HUARD (war stone) Alexandre Huard, Private VG of C 7 June 1951 age 54	
KANE Gertrude Boudreau, wife of Henry Kane died Nov. 15, 1946	SIMMONEAU (war marker) Pte. James Simmoneau	
LAVOIE ici repose Eugene Lavoie, époux de	- 132nd, Battalion CEF 1881 - 1946 Lest we forget	
Elisabeth Pineault déc. 10 Sept. 1950 a 52 ans RIP	BERNARD Rosida Hache Gilbert Bernard	

IARQUIS Calixte E. Marquis 1901 - son épouse, Alma Brideau 1904 - 1978	PERRON, Jean-Paul 12 Août 58 - 8 Mars 78
Le BLANC 1907 Frank LeBlanc 1978 son épouse	TALBOT, Emile Born 1902 Died 1977
1928 Rita LeBourque Veteran Hong Kong	DESROCHERS Albert Desrochers 1902 - 1978 son épouse Donia Maltais 1917 -
AUTOUR (broken black cross) Lise Vautour déc. le 17 Dec. '49	MAILLOUX Henri Mailloux 1911 - 1977
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St. ONGE in memory of our beloved father mes St. Onge 1875 - 1954	LeCOUFFE Anselme LeCouffe 1904 - 1978 époux de Hectorine Guidry 1907 -
ALLANT Joseph L. 1889 - 1963 is wife Mary J. Lurette	OUELLETTE Armand Ouellette son épouse — 1952 Rosaline Doucette 1978
ROY Gere Père Clara Johnson Benjamin 1894 - 1967 1890 - 1957 Spouse de Private	BOUDREAU John Boudreau 1912 - his wife Lila Duguay 1919 - 1978
enjamin Roy 132 Battn. CEF	TURGEON 1893 Damase 1978 son fils 1926 Lionel 1930
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ORRIVEAU Onald	
23 Dec. 1960 - 5 Août 1980 Parti mais non oublié	CYR Eugene Cyr 1912 - 1977 son épouse Evangeline Guitard 1915 -
Patrick J. L. 1959 - 1977  I ma fallu partir	LANDRY 1928 J. Harvey Landry 1977
DUELLETTE, Mathias 1914 - 1978 Spoux de Yvonne Flowers	OUELLETTE, Elizabeth born 1909 — dide (?) (as shown) 24 Aug. 1977

ALLARD 1888 J. Alfred 1977 son épouse	BLAQUIERE, Mde. Jeremie
1888 Marie Léa Bienvenue 1978 THIBEAULT	ALLAIN Alphonse Allain 1897 - 1966 son épouse Winnie Arsenault 1906 -
Leo Paul       Lionel         1941 - 1977       1949 - 1977	JONCAS (war stone)
GODIN Eutrope Godin 1899 - 1983 son épouse Yvonne Mallet 1899 - 1974	John A. Joncas, Soldat CFC FEC 6 Août 1966 age 77
BOIS	RICHARD, Marie Yvette 1929 - 1964
Louis Bois 25 Août 1925 - 26 Juin 1976 époux de Rose Doucet	D'ASSYLVA, Benjamin 1916 - 1966
GOUDREAU	-CHABOT, Pierre 1879 - 1965
Marie Claudia LeClair 1916 - 1976 wife of Alfred Goudreau 1907 - 1985	GIGNAC (wer marker) Pte. Alfred Gignac 1893 - 1965 New Brunswick Regt. CEF
GUIMOND C. Amédée Guimond 1910 - 1977	Lest we forget
adorons la croix, qui nous donne l'espoir et la salvation	LeBLANC Florida Levesque 1895 - 1965 épouse de Arthur LeBlanc 1888 - 1971
GUIMOND Joseph Marie Louis né 3 Février 1946 décédé 26 Juin 1946	FRANCOEUR, Charles 1888 - 1965
Joseph né 18 Août 1949 décédé 17 Fevrier 1951	HACHE Mme. Nicolas Hache née Helen Jane Roy
also cross showing: Joseph Marie-Louis and Joseph	<del></del>
GUIMOND Josephine (St. Laurent) Guimond 1910 - 1982 son époux C. Amédée Guimond 1910 - 1977	LeBlanc (war marker) Pts. Joseph LeBlanc 1894 - 1965 6th. Garrison Regt. CEF Lest we forget
DURETTE Junior Marcel Durette 1962 - 1975	BUJOLD (war marker) Edmond Bujold, Private 82 Battn CEF
BERNARD (war stone) Leonidas Bernard, Soldat GASF 22 Août 1975 55 ans	21 Jan. 1965 age 75  BUJOLD (see directly above) 1890 Edmund 1965 his wife
BIENVENUE, Louis 1938 - 1981	
PELLETIER, Gordon 1918 - 1965	
PERRON à la mémoire de John A. Perron époux de Bernadette Lavoie décédé le 16 Oct. 1967 à 1'âge de 47 ans	Lest we forget  LeBLANC  S William LeBlanc 1867 - 1959 époux de

MARLEY Albert Marley 1886 - 1957	SAVOIE, Bebe Chris (Maher's Funeral Hepicket)	
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BOULET G. R. Boulet 1921 - 1978	showing 102 stones/crosses that were dillegible, damaged, missing etc.	
FRANCOEUR Aimable Francoeur 1913 - 1978 époux de Eva Melanson 1907 - 1980	- 21 stones not read because of their illegibility. An effort will be made to read them in the spring/summer of 1986.	
CARON 1905 Alfred Caron 1978 son épouse 1914 Rosia Raymond 1980	15 old bases, with stones missing 20 old crosses or stones that show nothing	
PARENT ici repose Roger Parent déc. 24 Dec. 1955 à 6 ans 8 mois fils de Albert Parent	<ul> <li>7 stones showing no family name</li> <li>33 stones that hold some information</li> <li>4 illegibles</li> <li>1 Maher's Funeral Home marker with name gone</li> </ul>	
POIRIER ici repose Celina Bujold épouse (de) Jean L. Poirier déc. 8 juin 1956 à l'âge 89 ans RIP	- 1 new grave  102  The 33 stones that hold some information:	
CRAWFORD, Aaron Robert (child's marker) Jan. 28, 1981	CYR, George	
LeBLANC (2 stones)	_MAHONEY, Mary A. wife of	
Joe X. 1910 - 1981 his wife, Albina Bernatchez	THEBERGE	
Albina Bernatchez 1920 - 1957	BELIVEAU	
wife of Joe X. LeBlanc POIRIER Remi Poirier mort a la naissance	? Joanna CIreland died Mar. 18(?) 13(?) 1909 aged 51 yrs. Req. I. P.	
le 16/3/80 fils de Mr Mme. Martial Poirier	PAYNE à la mémoire de Joseph Payne époux d Lavoie decede 1922	
BERNARD à la douce mémoire de Annie Bernard fille de M Mme. Camille Bernard née le 24 Janvier 1982 décédée le 26 Avril 1982	à l'âge de 58 ans	
	LeBLANC Charles, époux de Catherine McIntyre	
Also wooden cross: Annie Bernard décédée 26 Avril 1982	Catherine McIntyre epouse de (these 2 markers are sunken in the ground but the information is there)	

McARTHUR (name only, badly damaged)	??? Emile - Irene
TREMBLAY	Jeanne
??? Honorah	-(three damaged wooden crosses)
?? 1901 - Theodore L. N 97_ (a damaged black wooden cross with stick-on letters missing)	-GRENIER Delvina GRENIER Ernest Therese (three wooden crosses leaning against tree)
BERNARD à la mémoire de Guillaume Bernard époux de Christine Lavoie décédé (this stone sunken)	??? le jue 197 a l'g Marie arent Epous de G orges Caiss (black cross)
??? In memory of Bridget, wife of John died April 13(?) 15(?) 18_aged _2 years (this old white slab broken into three pieces)	LaPOINTE, Mme. Joseph (white wooden cross, dates missing)  THIBEAULT, Samuel (black cross, no dates showing)
??? 26-7-24 1984 R 0 (white wooden cross)  COURTY Deni e 1984 (Denise?)	- CAYOUETTE (?) AN MDL HONORE CAVOVETTE - DCD AVT 1969 ANS 75 (see stone on Mrs. Honore Cayouette
(varnished plywood cross)(stick-on lettemoniate of Mr. & Mrs. Wm. B. Munroe	The 7 stones that show no family nan Ronald (name only on brown painted mark
LeBLANC(?) John Alfred died (old fashioned white stone slab)	Alena 1905 - 1931
ARSENEAULT RIP Sylvia Arseneault dec (tiny white stone)	-Suzanne 12 janvier 1954 (child's stone with angel)
AUBIE Joseph Albert 1945 aged 4 days Aubie, Warren 1906 - 1961 or 1981	- M. Ange Gabrielle (marker) 12 Mars 1923 - 25 août 1923
LAXTON, Mrs. William LeBelle Laxton (dates messed up, home-made plaque) LAXTON, William (same as above)	- Denise Marc Nov. 22, 1962 Sept. 8, 1961 Jan. 22, 1965 Jan. 22, 1965 Safe in the arms of Jesus
LEVESQUE Solomon Levesque -1947 Eliza Ann Levesque 1877 (?) - 1947 (white wooden cross, paint worn off, can't read more)	à la mémoire de Jean Joseph décédé le 29 Fev. 1959 à l'âge de 49 jours born 18/94 died 19/75
LeCOUFFE (?) Donat	- END FIN

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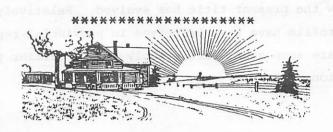
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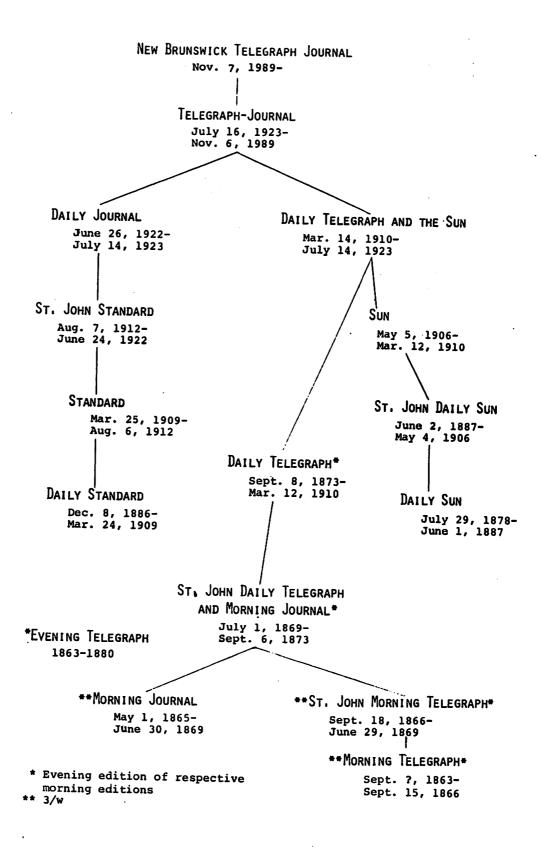
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With the arrival of the November 7, 1989 issue of The New Brunswick Telegraph Journal, yet another title change had occured to frustrate researchers and librarians alike. The reason for the change in title was to reflect the province-wide news coverage. The Telegraph-Journal as it has been known since 1923, can trace its beginnings to 1863 with the commencement of publication of the tri-weekly, Morning Telegraph. In the intervening 123 years, the mastheads have undergone many changes as well as frequency and time of day. For a while there were both morning and evening editions and until the 1920's, weekly editions mailed to rural subscribers.

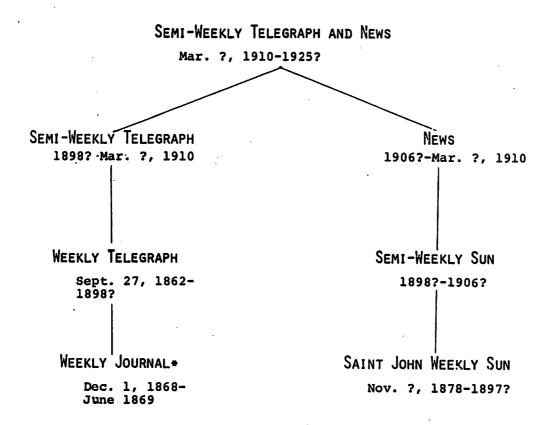
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This has created a cataloger's nightmare especially when the 'latest title' rule with notes and connecting references attempted to keep chaos from taking over completely. The present use of the actual title appearing on the masthead at the time of publication is somewhat less confusing most of the time. There are several titles that have undergone many changes in addition to The New Brunswick Telegraph Journal (Saint John) and its predecessors. They are: The Evening Times-Globe (Saint John), The Times-Transcript (Moncton) and The Sackville Tribune-Post.

Graphic illustrations of their respective publications have been included to assist the researcher who is trying to find the appropriate title for a particular place and date. An examination of the earlier titles shows how the present title has evolved. Relatively complete files in print or microfilm have been preserved in provincial repositories although there are some gaps, particularly in the earlier years and for the weekly editions.

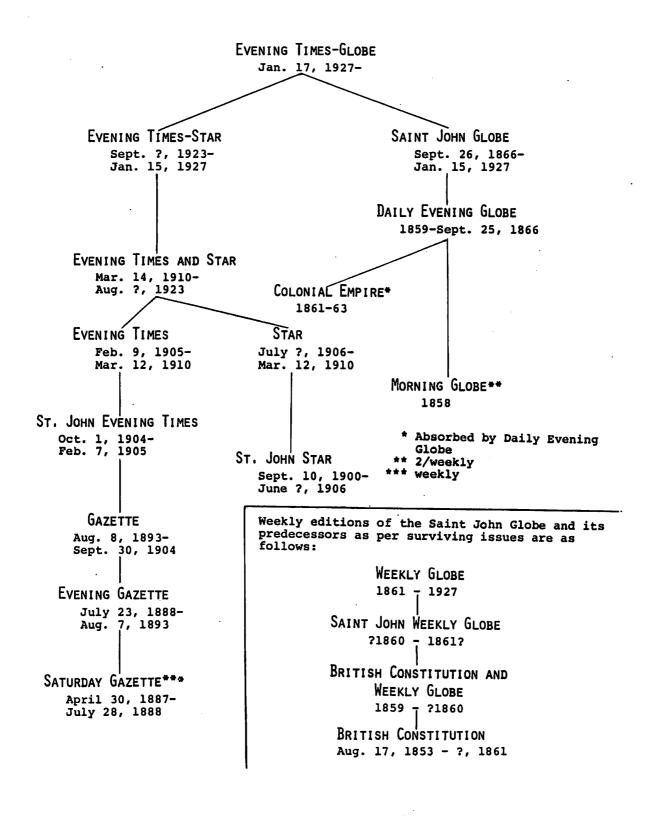


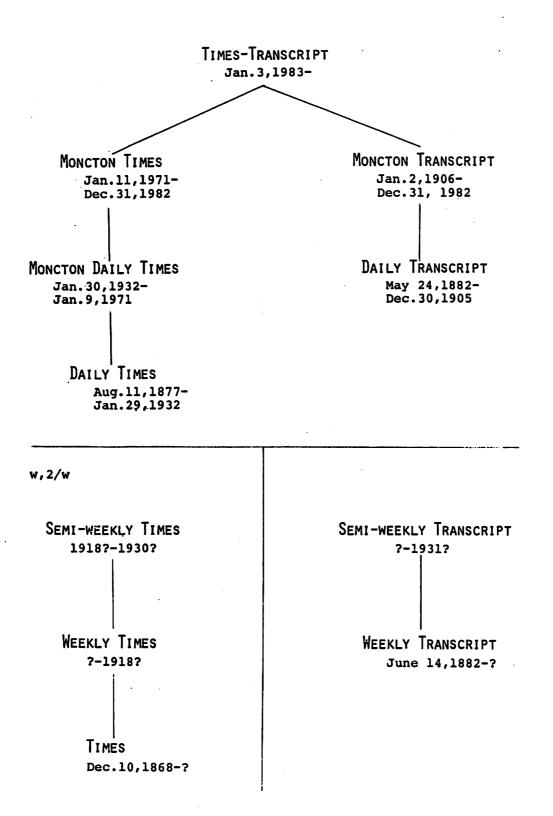
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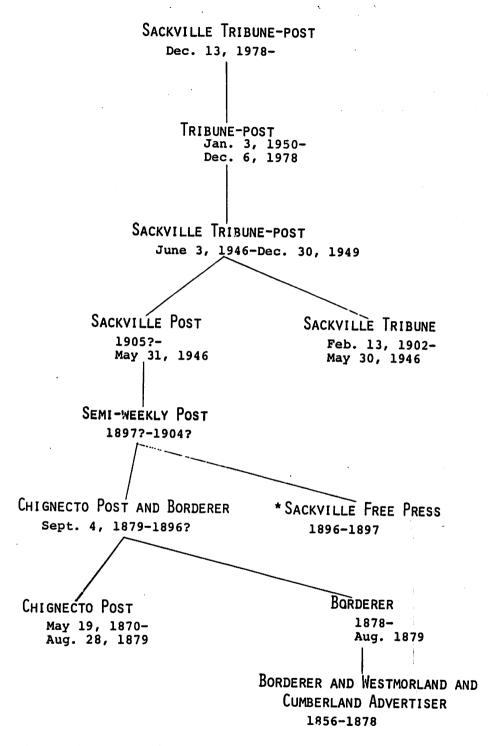


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Q2087. ACKERLEY/AKERLEY. Seek info on any siblings or ancs of Edward Ackerley b. Jan. 1862 in Saint John, NB m. Caroline Frazer Ramsay from PEI 29 OCT 1884. They lived in Cambridge, Mass. /Jane Sears, 9323 Waltham Woods Rd., Baltimore, Maryland USA 21234

Q2088. ATKINSON. Seek info on parents, brothers and sisters of Meracious Atkinson 1854-1937. He b. in Richibucto area, as a teenager moved to Pugwash, NS, m. Margaret \_\_\_\_\_ 1852-1924 and had 5 ch., d. in Pugwash./Carl Purdy, Apt. 515, 105-26 Ave. S.W., Calgary, ALTA T2S OM3

Q2089. BELL/ARCHIBALD/MOORES/MITCHELL. Thomas Bell b. ca 1822 in NB. Parents names unknown. Rebecca Moores b. 1826 NB. Parents probably Thomas Moores and Jane Mitchell. They m. 1842, farmed in Matapedia Township, Que, had large family. Son George M. Bell m. Mary Archbold (Archibold-Archibald) of Flatlands, NB. Need ancs of Thomas and Rebecca, dates and places of birth, death and burial. /Thomas J. Blaha, 1219 N. 45th St., Milwaukee, Wisc. USA 53208

Q2090. BERRY, Jonathan 1788-1878. Seek parents and grandparents. Poss. from Concord, N.H. area. Left N.H. in 1826 establishing Berry's Mill, NB./Judi Steeves, 202 Canterbury Ave., Riverview, NB E1B 2R5

Q2091. BONNELL. Need info on ancs of Mary Ann Bonnell b. 1834, m. 1851, d. 1893 (from Minto, NB?), wife of Ratchford E. Goddard of North River, NB./Judy McQuinn-Leger, 38 Hornell Dr., Ottawa ONT K1K OL2

Q2092. CARR. Seek info on Robert B. Carr who came from New York to Digby, Kings Co. NB(?) in Dec. 1783. He was hired at that time by Admiral Digby for the Prudent Victualler for the Relief of Refugees. Wife - Mary. Maiden name? Was she from Digby? Daughter Mary b. 12 Nov. 1784. Did they move from Digby to Guysborough Co. NS? /Ruth Maxwell, 161 Evans Ave., Halifax, NS B3M 1C8

Q2093. CORMACK/McCORMACK. Seek any info on Color Sgt (Frederick) W. Cormack No. 10 Company 1/15th Reg't, British Army ca 1864. /Ralph McCormack, 316 Raintree Rd., Danville, VA USA 24540

Q2094. DEVER, Brian or Bernard came to Saint John, NB from Ballyshannon, Ireland in 1833, m. Mary O'Connell, d. at Portland, NB in 1888. Was his correct name Brian or Bernard? Was it either Brian Bernard Dever or Bernard Brian Dever? When and where born?

- Was he of the Donegal, Ireland Devers? Any info please./John Eldridge, #305-1133 Beach Ave., Vancouver, BC V6E 1V1
- Q2095. DOBSON. Seek info on Frances (Dobson) Dobson, wife of John Dobson, son of George Dobson and Lavinia Polly. John and Frances natives of NB and Ireland. Went to Illinois 1844. Will exchange info./Mrs. Ann Hughes, P.O. Box 778, Bountiful, Utah, USA 84010
- Q2096. DOUGAL/GLEN. Seek info on ancs and descs of William Dougal who m. Isabel Glen. He d. 31 Aug 1886 at Saint John. She d. 1 June 1873 age 84 yrs, Saint John. Both buried Fernhill Cemetery, Saint John./Donald B. Stevens, 25 Gardner Ter., Delmar, NY USA 12054
- Q2097. FOSTER/McKAY. T.B. Foster m. Ann McKay, d/o Donald. Ann b. ca. 1836, North Esk, NB, settled in Hemet, Calif. Seek info from and on descs, Foster/McKay marriage./C.E. McKay, Box 335, Westmoreland, Tenn. USA 37186
- Q2098. FROST. Seek ancestry of Polly (Mary), d/O William and Sarah (Schofield) Frost. She b. ca. 1775 and d. in 1851 or 54, m. William Secord s/o Wm. Secord. They lived Kings Co., NB, possibly Kingston Parish./Phyllis Wildeman, RR#1, Kincardine, ONT N2Z 2X3
- Q2099. HOLMES. Seek obit. for John Holmes of Beaver Harbour and Pennfield, NB. He raised a family in Beaver Harbour in early 1800s. In 1851 he was living with his daughter Catherine Foley in Pennfield. He probably d. in Pennfield in late 1850s./Theodore C. Holmes, 41 Woodmont St., Portland, Maine, USA 04102
- Q2100. McCORMACK/CORMACK/DAVIS. Seek any info on Frederick W. McCormack Color SGT No. 10 Company 1/15th Reg't and his wife Annie Davis who was reported to be from a Maine expatriate family. Daughters Carrie and Jennie b. in NB./Ralph McCormack see Q2093
- Q2101. McFEE/CAIN. Rev. James McFee (1787-1874), Baptist Minister, buried North River, NB., m. Mary Cain b. 1791. Who are ancs?/Judy McQuin-Leger see Q2091
- Q2102. McLEOD, Edward. Seek info on his birth date, parents and siblings. He m. Margaret Innis, d/o John and Margaret (Roach) Innis of Sussexville, NB. He moved to Blenheim Twp. Oxford Co., ONT in 1824 and d. Dec. 1834. Possibly related to Samuel and Mary McLeod who m. into same Innis Family./Phyllis Wildeman see Q2098
- Q2103. McQUINN/McCORMICK. Seek info on James M. McQuinn (1799-1861) Methodist tailor from Londonderry, Ireland; settled in Sackville, NB, m. Mary McCormick (1807-1845). Known ch: William, Rebecca, Emily. Was her father James McCormick?/Judy McQuinn-Leger see Q2091
- Q2104. MORRIS/WINTERS. Need info on CAPT Randell Morris b. 1832 m. Eliza Winters b. 1836. She may have m. Leander Morris after Randell's death. From Advocate Harbour, NS area. He is said to have changed his name previously. Ch: Rosilla, Joseph, George, Byron, Rachel Ann m. William McQuinn./Judy McQuinn-Leger see Q2091

- Q2105. NESMITH. William m. (date unknown) Harriet Biron Willis (1787-1821). Have been unable to find anything on the name Nesmith. Did the spelling change? William lived on the Miramichi. Did he move away after his wife drowned? Did they have any family?/Wanda Rodney, #6-260 Avenue Rd., Richmond Hill, ONT L4C 5G6
- Q2106. NEVERS, Elish, s/o Phineas and Mercy Nevers m. Catherine Wheeler 24 Sep. 1797 at Maugerville. Did they have any family? Was one a son, George W. Nevers b. 28 June 1804? Would also like info on DR. Phineas Nevers who d. in Bangor, ME Oct 1785. Did his wife and family go to Maine with him? Did they return to NB?/Wanda Rodney see Q2105
- Q2107. NICHOL, William entered country ca 1818. Seek date of birth, death and place of burial. Also seek date of birth, death and place of burial for son William who lived in Moncton area./Judi Steeves see Q2090
- Q2108. PORTER/ARBEAU. James Porter (ca. 1844-1904) m. Elizabeth Arbeau (Arbo)(ca. 1842-1929) in Blackville Par., North. Co. Need ancestry of James and Elizabeth. Can share church records and info. /John Wood, 145 Glenbrook Cres., Pointe Claire, PQ H9R 3X9
- Q2109. POWER. Seek info on Patrick Power b. 1780s Ireland, lived Nelson, NB, d. after 1871, m. Honorah \_\_\_\_\_./Katherine Allen, 160 E. 36th St., New York, NY USA 10016
- Q2110. POWER. Who was Thomas Power, Sr., b. 1780s Ireland, m. at Nelson, NB 18 NOV 1827 Margaret Lawler; d. Derby 1 Apr 1866? Son Thomas b. Mar 1832 d. 4 Jan 1914, m. Margret Taylor. All buried St. Patrick's Cemetery, Nelson, NB./Katherine Allen see Q2109
- Q2111. PROCTOR/GLOVER. Who are ancs of Elizabeth Glover (1859-1917) and husband William John Proctor (1849-1921)? His siblings: James, Eliza, Thomas, George. Hampton, NB area./Judy McQuinn-Leger see Q2091
- Q2112. ROACH, Margaret. Seek info on parents. She m. John Innis, s/o Elder James Innis of Sussexville, NB and d. 1834. A Thomas Roach m. her daughter Jane, possibly a nephew./Phyllis Wildeman see Q2098
- Q2113. SANDERS/SAUNDERS, Joseph (1765-1825) m. (1st) Margaret Anderson (2nd) Mary Hannah Willis. CH: (1st fam.) Ann m. Alexander Davidson, Margaret m. Charles Hill, Alexander m. Mary Ann Benn, William m. (1) Agnes \_\_\_\_ (2) Jane Smith, James Leslie m. Elizabeth Landry, Joseph Jr. n.m., Stephen m. Mary MacKay, Edward m. Ann \_\_\_, (2nd fam.) Harriet m. James Davidson, Alfred (unknown), Mary Hannah m. Daniel Graham, John d. young. Would like to exchange info with anyone working on this family./Wanda Rodney see Q2105
- Q2114. TEMPLEMAN. Seek parents of Thomas Templeman believed to be b. 1820 in St. Martins, NB./Jean Templeman, 7465 Hihn Rd., Ben Lomand, CA USA 95005
- Q2115. WETMORE, Charity Amelia b. 20 JULY 1831 NB. AKA Amelia Wetmore. Possibly youngest of 9 daughters. Possibly descended from

Stuarts in the NB area, too. She was a Baptist for over 63 years. She m. a distant cousin with the same last name, William P. Wetmore, in New York. Seek info on any siblings and parents of Charity. /Merry Egan, 1463 Ivy, Petaluma, CA USA 94954 Q2116.

WHEELER, Catherine, wife of Elisha Nevers. Was she a sister/aunt of Benjamin and John Wheeler? Who were her parents? What are her birth and death dates? Would like to connect her to George W. Nevers, if possible./Wanda Rodney see Q2105

- Q2117. WILLIS, John UEL and wife Mary \_\_\_\_, settled on Miramichi. Ch: Ann b. 1770, Mary 1775-1776, Sarah 1776-1779, Mary Hannah 1787-1822 m. Joseph Saunders, Harriet Biron 1787-1821 m. William Nesmith, and Maria Amelia 1794-after 1866 m. James Burr Schriver. Any others? What was Mary's maiden name? Any info on this family, please./Wanda Rodney see Q2105
- Q2118. WOOD, Sarah m. William Nichol 1819. Enter country ca. 1818 from (poss.) Ireland. Seek parents of Sarah, place of birth. Appears to be related to the Derry family./Judi Steeves see Q2090
- LATE QUERIES
  Q2120. BOLES, Elizabeth (Edith) b. ca 1819 perhaps Co. Leitrim,
  Ireland, d. 4 Sep. 1907 St. Andrews, Char. Co., NB. Emigrant from
  Ireland ca 1828/30, lived at Whittier Ridge, Char. Co. before her
  marriage, m. Isaac Bryant ca 1838, b. ca. 1796 d. 1864/71, b. usa or NB.
  d. in St. Andrews. 12 ch: Stephen Thomas, Jane, Sarah, Isaac, Elizabeth,
  William James, John, David, Joseph, Mary, Nancy and Danford. What was
  Isaac's other given names. Any info on Elizabeth Boles or Isaac Bryant,
  their parents, grandparents, brothers and sisters. She may have come
  from Port of Fairy, Ireland./Hubert R. Bryant, RR#5, Woodstock, NB
  EOJ 2BO
- Q2121. BROWN, Daniel, Loyalist ca 1744-1835, Scot., Penob., Me., St. Andrews, Char., "Ledge", St. Stephen, Char., Methodist, m. (1) Poss. Abigail Wardwell m. (2) Hannah \_\_. Poss. CH: Catherine ca 1775-? m. Stephen Dyer, Calais, Me?; Anna ca 1779-1870 m. Davis Collins, St. David; Tryphena ca 1781-? m. Niel McBean, 42nd Regt.; John #2? ca 1785-1847 m. Sarah Post; Daniel ca 1787-1861 m. Elizabeth \_; Abigail ca 1792-1854 m. Thos. Paine, Calais; Sarah Wardwell 1795-? m. Michaels? a child Eliz; Catherine #2? 1800-1835 unm.; Malcolm 1801-1880 prob. unm.; Richard Pomeroy 1803-1881 m. Elmyra Jane \_; Janét) 1805-1859 m. CAPT Jas. Marshall Saint John./F. James Dallett, Box 6, Taconic, CT USA 06079
- Q2122. HENRY, Ann b. ca 1822 in County Sligo, Ireland d. 1 July 1911, St. Andrews, Char. Co. Emigrant to Saint John in 1847, where she is said to have worked as a bookbinder. She m. 1853/4 Noble Pye b. 1800/21 perhaps Ireland, d. 16 Oct. 1890 Saint Andrews. They had 3 ch: Ann Jane b. 6 June 1855 d. 22 Oct 1945 m. William James Bryant b. 30 Apr 1853 d. 18 Sep 1923 St. Andrews; Robert and Alice. Census 1871 St. Andrews lists Noble as 50, Ann 49. 1881 Census lists Noble 72, Ann 68. Obit. of Noble says 90. Who were Ann Henry's parents, grandparents, brothers and sisters? What was Noble Pye's

- other given name? Was he b. in Ireland, NB, NS or where?/Hubert R. Bryant see Q2120
- Q2123. LESTER. Seek info on ancs of Amelia Lester d/o Benjamin Lester b. in Millstream, NB 1844. She m. John Riley Stiles d. 3 July 1936. Had a brother Ben. Trying to establish a link between the Loyalists Benjamin Lester, Sr. and Lieutenant Benjamin Lester, Jr, who may have come in 1783 from New York./Lorna J. Steeves, 121 Rivercrest Ave., Riverview, NB E1B 1M6
- Q2124. LOWER BRIGHTON. I am researching the History of the Rural Community of Lower Brighton, Par. of Brighton, Carl. Co. Lower Brighton is on Highway 105, east side of the St. John River, between Hartland and Grafton, NB. It is the area from Acker Creek to Deep Creek, which I am interested in. That is the Brighton Lots on the Saint John River Lot 17 to 33. Also info on Lots # 13, 14, 15, and 16, first settled in 1810-1815. Some early settlers were: Jacob Ackerson (Loy) m. Catherine Miles; Jonathan Brown (Loy.) m. Rebecca Cogswell; Ben Noble (son of REV Seth Noble) m. Susan Currier; Joseph Noble; Joseph Richardson m. Rebecca Currier; William Dow Sr. m. Sarah McKeen; Other surnames: Kemble (Kimball, McGee, Tedlie, Robinson, Nixon, Grey and others. Any info on history of this area and it's people, family, or their genealogies of who have lived there would be appreciated./Hubert R. Bryant see Q2120
- Q2125. LOWER BRIGHTON CEMETERY. I am doing research on Lower Brighton Cemetery. Trying to find who is buried in unmarked graves, dates, etc. Also compiling a list of the parents of the individuals buried in marked, unmarked graves, maiden names of wives, dates or any other info. This cemetery is located in Lower Brighton, Carl. Co. at Acker Creek on east side of St. John River on Highway # 105, about 6 miles south of Hartland and 5 miles north of Grafton, Carl. Co. Cemetery also known as Acker's Cemetery./Hubert R. Bryant see Q2120
- Q2126. MURRAY/ROBERTSON/MacINNIS. Seek descs of James Murray and wife Ellen Robertson, and Norman Robertson and wife Lillian MacInnis who moved to Plaster Rock from Tabusintac ca 1900./Alice P. Merriam, P.O. Box 666, Starling, MA USA 01564
- Q2127. ROGERS, Andrews, brother of William Rogers, b. perhaps in Castlederg area, Tyrone Co. Ireland d.? Took raft of logs on St. John River from Northampton, NB to Fredericton in 1837/8 and disappeared. He m. in Ireland to Margaret Kerr or Hemphill b. 1799 Castlederg area, Tyrone Co. d. 1871/81 in Northampton. Emigrant to Northampton with their son Nathan in 1822. Other ch: b. NB are Samuel, William, Matilda, John, Mary. There was a Mary Rogers (perhaps sister of Andrews and William) b. in Ireland 1796 m. David/Denis Faulkner b. 1790, emigrant from Ireland 1819 to Woodstock and Northampton area. What were Andrews, William, and Mary's parents names, grandparents, brothers, sisters, dates, etc./Hubert R. Bryant see Q2120
- Q2128. ROGERS, William b. ca 1804 (perhaps Castlederg area) County Tyrone, Ireland d. 1881/91 in Northampton, Carl. Co. m. Jane \_\_\_\_ b. ca. 1804 perhaps Tyrone Co., Ireland d. 1881/91 at Northampton. Emigrant 1840 to NB and settled in Northampton. Some ch. were: Jane b. 1824, Eliza b. 1828 d. 1901, Margaret b. 1834 d. 1916, Joseph b. 1836. Samuel A. b. 1837/8 d. 1917, Ann. b. 1843. All b. in Ireland,

- Q2129. BELLINGHAM, Rebecca (Wilmot) d. 14 May 1989 in Saint John. Would like to contact descs./Nellie Barber, Box 272, Carnduff, Sask. SOC OSO
- Q2130. HANEY, Capt John of the ship Woodstock of Saint John, NB d. Greenock, Scotland 17 Dec 1847, formerly a resident of Indian Island. Who was he?/Miss Elizabeth C. Wescott, R.F.D. 2, Box 920, Apt. 202, Bucksport, ME USA 04416
- Q2131. McELWAINE (McELMON), John m. 6 Dec 1877 Salisbury to Alice Anne (Elsie) (Wilmot) Gibbons. Need any info re this couple and/or descs./Nellie Barber see Q2129
- Q2132. HEWLETT, John, section foreman, and ch: Alpheus, Anna, George and Sarah. Living at Shediac in 1889. John's wife, Martha Wilmot, d. 1882. Need any/all info on this family and descs./Nellie Barber see Q2129
- Q2133. RAND, Allan m. 17 Sep 1861 at Moncton to Mary Elizabeth Wilmot b. ca 1844. Need any info on this couple and/or descs./Nellie Barber see Q2129
- Q2134. REED. Seek info on descs of Duncan & Jerusha (Post) Reed who emigrated from Horton Twp, NS to New Horton, Westmoreland Co. NB ca 1783. My particular interest is in the family of his son Guilford Reed (1787-1822). Also interested in subsequent marriage of Anna (Shaw) Reed, widow of Guilford Reed to John Smith and issue of that marriage./David Reed, P.O. Box 7000, Agincourt, Scarborough, ONT M1S 4M5
- Q2135. SOMERS, Andrew H. and wife, Florence N. (Wilmot) living near Moncton 1891. Ch: Lottie, Jennie, Horace, Duncan, Walter W. Would like to contact descs./Nellie Barber see Q2129
- Q2136. WA(L)TERS, Robert, section man, and son, Harry, Hving in Fredericton Junction in 1889. Robert's wife, Annie (Anna Maria) Wilmot d. several years previously. Need any/all info on this family./Nellie Barber see Q2129
- Q2137. WILMOT, Albert d. Jan 1989 at Salisbury, lived formerly at New Ireland. Need any info on identity of Albert./Nellie Barber see Q2129
- Q2138. WORTMAN, William m. 13 July 1849 at Moncton to Mary Wilmot. Son William b. 1850. Need any/all info on this family./Nellie Barber see Q2129

### QUERIES (cont'd)

Q2139. JOHNSTON, William b. ca 1781 Ireland, Methodist Pre 1813 lived Fermanagh Co. Ireland m. Sarah Graham. Three ch. b. Ireland; Eleanor b. ca 1807 m. Peter Gallagher, Frank b. ca 1809, and Elizabeth b. 24 May 1811 m. Daniel A. Jackson. William and family left Ireland ca 1813/18 on board ship Derry and settled near Lincoln, Sunbury Co. about five miles below city of Fredericton. Here a dtr Margaret b. ca 1819/20 m. Kenney and my gr.grand-father Robert b. 1820/22 m. Mary McGowan b. ca 1830. Sarah (Graham) Johnston d. soon after Robert was born. William d. after 1851. The Johnston homestead is now part of the Fredericton Airport. Any info on family groups. death and burial place of William and Sarah and info on Mary (McGowan) Johnston's parents appreciated./ Leora Rabuck, 1920-3rd Ave., Altoona, PA USA 16602

### 1991 NATIONAL GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY CONFERENCE SCHEDULED

Portland, Oregon, will be the site of the 1991 annual conference of the National Genealogical Society. Begun in 1981 in Atlanta, Ga., the annual conferences in the States have attracted thousands of genealogists and family history enthusiasts. The large conference was held in 1985 in Salt Lake City. Recent conferences were held in Biloxi, Mississippi in 1988 and in St. Paul, Minn., in 1989. The 1990 NGS conference will be in Arlington, VA., 6-9 June 1990, with the theme 'A Capital Conference'.

Dates for the 1991 conference in Portland will be 29 May through 1 June. Local host for the four-day event is the Genealogical Forum of Oregon, Inc. with library and head-quarters located in downtown Portland. The Forum has over 1,000 members, a library with over D,000 volumes, a well-known quarterly Bulletin and other publications, memetery and indexing projects, and sponsors conferences, workshops and other genealogical activities.

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#### **OBITUARY**

It is with profound sorrow that we record the death of one of our most valued members, SOMEBODY ELSE.

SOMEBODY ELSE's passing creates a vacancy that will be hard to fill. A member for many years, he has always seemed to do more than a normal person's share of the work. Whenever there was a job to do, a committee to be chaired, a meeting to attend, or a working bee, one name was on everyone's lips - let SOMEBODY ELSE do it.

It was common knowledge that SOMEBODY ELSE was one of the greatest contributors of his time to the Society. Whenever there was a need for volunteers, everyone knew that SOMEBODY ELSE would offer.

SOMEBODY ELSE was certainly a wonderful person, almost a superman, but one person can only do so much. If the truth was told, we perhaps expected too much of SOMEBODY ELSE. Now he has gone, what are we going to do?

SOMEBODY ELSE left a wonderful example to follow, but it is not clear who is going to do all the things that SOMEBODY ELSE used to do. If you should be asked to help, remember it is no longer possible to depend on SOMEBODY ELSE.

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Mrs. Josephine Boos, 38 Springhome Road, BARRIE, Ontario, L4N 2W8. Tel: 705-728-7147. NEW BRUNSWICK NATIVES IN HENNEPIN COUNTY, MINNESOTA - 1800s

The "History & Biography of Minneapolis and Hennepin County, Minnesota by Maj. R. I. Holmcombe, Historical Editor & William B. Bingham, General Editor - 1914" revealed some New Brunswick natives. The following data was compiled by Warren H. Hasty, 4632 Zenith Ave. So., Minneapolis, MN 55410

BLAKENEY, Sarah Elizabeth born N.B., dau. of Mrs. Jane Blakeney, came to MN in 1865; married George Henry TENNANT born 31 July 1845 in County Clare, Ireland

BOARDMAN, William B. born 1 Mar. 1862, N.B., son of George A. Boardman, naturalist who died in 1901, Calais, ME; married 1887, Jessie P. WILBUR, a native of Vermont

BOVEY, Charles Cranston born 25 Oct. 1814, Saint John, N.B.; married 14 June 1898, Kate Estelle KOON, dau. of M. B. Koon

BURNS, John E. born 15 June 1841, N.B.; married 1869, Mary COLLINS, a native of Ireland, she died Feb. 1913

GARDINER, Thomas born 12 Sept 1833, Fredericton, N.B., he died 29 Mar. 1914, Minneapolis, MN, came to Minnesota in 1857; married 1862, Mary K. KNIGHT of Dundas, Ontario, Canada

KERR, Judge William A. born 1867, N.B., son of William A. and Mary J. (Loggie) Kerr

MAHONEY, John born 17 Oct. 1851, N.B., died 21 Mar. 1914, Minneapolis, MN; married Katie WHITE of Minneapolis, dau. of James White

PEPPARD, Matthew J. born 10 Nov. 1846, Fredericton, N.B., married 1893 at St. Charles, Missouri, Mamye RAYMOND

PORTEOUS, James S. born 6 Sept. 1856, Saint John, N.B., died 23 Mar. 1913, Minneapolis, MN; parents born in Scotland; married 1881 at Poughkeepsie, N.Y., Louisa G. MCKNIGHT





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### BROWN FAMILY BIBLE

The following are the vital statistics from a Brown family Bible. It was published by Edward W. Miller of Philadelphia. The date of publishing is missing.

One page is inscribed "James W. Brown's Bible-Dec. 24, 1855".

Zebulon Esty and Molly Brown was married August eight 1765 at Newburg.

Their children Molly Esty July 3, 1767 Susannah Esty Apr. 2, 1769 Feb. 17, 1771 Nehemiah Estv Dorathy Esty Mar. 23, 1774 Betsey B. Esty Nov. 11, 1772 Ruth Fesk Esty Aug. 11, 1776 Lucy Esty Zebulon Esty July 13, 1778 Thomas Esty Feb. 9, 1780 Pheby Esty Feb. 3, 1787

Zebulon Esty departed this life Oct. 10, 1806 Molly Esty departed this life Aug. 12, 1835

	Births
Joshua Currie Pheby Esty	1788 Feb 5, 1787
Their children Rebecah Currie Thomas Currie Richard Currie Nehemiah Curry Mary Curry Zebulon J. Curry George Curry	Feb. 29, 1810 May 10, 1813 Feby. 10, 1813 May 7, 1819 Apr. 31, 1820 May 6, 1822 May 5, 1824
David Curry Pheby Curry Judson Curry	Mar. 26, 1826 Apr. 26, 1828 Jan. 11, 1831

Joshua Curry died Dec. 25, 1867 aged 79
Phebe Currie died Aug. 23, 1879 aged 92 years and 6 months

### Notes

This data on the Estey and Currie families was likely copied out of earlier Bibles. Other sources give slightly be due to inaccurate transcriping.

The marriage of Zebulon Estey to Mary Brown was recorded at Newburyport, Massachusetts on 8 August 1765.

Jonathan Brown	Marriages	<u>Births</u>	Deaths
Mary P. Brown		Nov. 23, 1794	Aug. 6, 1852
Children Abraham J. Brown James W. Brown Benjamin R. Brown Deborah M. Brown	Jan. 19, 1853 Oct. 26, 1843	Jan. 20, 1816 Oct. 7, 1818 Dec. 15, 1821	Mar. 2, 1877
Phebe L. Brown Mary R. Brown	Oct. 21, 1851 Feb. 16, 1853	May 31, 1823 Dec. 13, 1829 Jan. 2, 1832	June 2, 1867 Oct. 27, 1873

Jonathan Brown came from Newburg, N.Y. with United Empire Loyalists 1776 or 1777

	Births
James W. Brown Mary E. Currie	Oct. 9, 1818 Apr. 30, 1820
Their children Mary E. Brown Abraham G. Brown Eunice Pheby Brown Charles Haddon Spurgeon Brown Helen Tressa Brown	June 28, 1855 Sept. 30, 1856 Apr. 13, 1859 died Aug. 17, 1925 Nov. 10, 1860 May (3?), 1863

James W. Brown married Mary E. Currie Jan. 19, 1853

James W. Brown died March 2, 1877 aged 58 Mary E. Brown died Apr. 2, 1895 aged 75

Abram G. Brown married Sarah E. Ingraham Nov. 16, 1881

Their child Sarah Mabel Brown born May 20th, 1883

Sarah E. Brown died May 21, 1883 aged 25 years

A. Gilford Brown secound marriage to B. Hillman

Their child Walter Murray Brown born Sept. 30, 1898 died Feb. 1969

Abraham G. Brown died Nov. 10, 1913 aged 57 years

Spurgeon Brown married Mary C. Ebbett June 14, 1893

Their children Edna E. Brown Apr. 22, 1895 Ernest Lorne Brown Oct. 16, 1896

Spurgeon Brown died Apr. 23, 1932 aged 71 years Mary Brown died Feb. 22, 1932 aged 76 years

### Notes

The Bible also contains data of later members of the family as late as 1970. Some of the information is written on blank pages on the backs of illustrations and is difficult to locate.

For more information on the descendants of Jonathan and Mary (Cliff) Brown see "The Descendants of Edmund and Jane (Webb)" Price by M. Frederick Amos, Gerald Keith and Myrtle K. Perry.

Jonathan Brown of Queensbury and Mary Cliff, also of Queensbury, were

married on 30 October 1815 (York county marriage registers).

Jonathan Brown, aged 38, died on 3 March 1834 in Queensbury as the result of a fall out of a tree (from The New Brunswick Royal Gazette

newspaper).

Of the daughters of Jonathan and Mary (Cliff) Brown, Phoebe married Charles Lounsbury and Mary married James VanWart. It is possible that Deborah was identical to Deborah M. Ross, aged 28, listed in the 1851 of Queensbury, York county as the wife of George Ross.

"The Descendants of Edmund and Jane (Webb) Price" seems to confuse Benjamin R. Brown, son of Jonathan and Mary (Cliff) Brown with another Benjamin R. Brown who was the son of his brother, Abraham J. Brown.

The Jonathan Brown who came to New Brunswick with the United Empire Loyalists in 1783 recieved a grant of land in Queensbury. Members of the family still reside on this farm.

Jonathan Brown (The one who married Mary Cliff) purchased this farm from Abraham Brown in 1815.

This Abraham Brown was undoughtly a relative of Jonathan Brown. But, was he the father (or perhaps the uncle) of Jonathan Brown? Abraham Brown was married to Ruth Fisk Estey, daughter of Zebulon and Mary (Brown) Estey.

Abraham Brown died at Andover on 15 June 1853, aged 81. In his will he left all his property to John Z. Brown and David H. Brown. Also mentioned were George A. Brown, Phoebe Bryant, Deborah Cliff and Mary Smith.

Deborah Brown of Queensbury married William Cliff also of Queensbury on 31 October 1815 (York county marriage registers). William Cliff was a brother of Mary Cliff who married Jonathan Brown on the previous day. After William Cliff's death in 1825 Deborah married his brother, Benjamin Rex Cliff.

Captain Ebenezer Brown, the father of Abraham Brown, also had sons, Jonathan and Sylvanus Brown. I do not know if Jonathan or Sylvanus Brown had any children. I also do not know when or where they died.

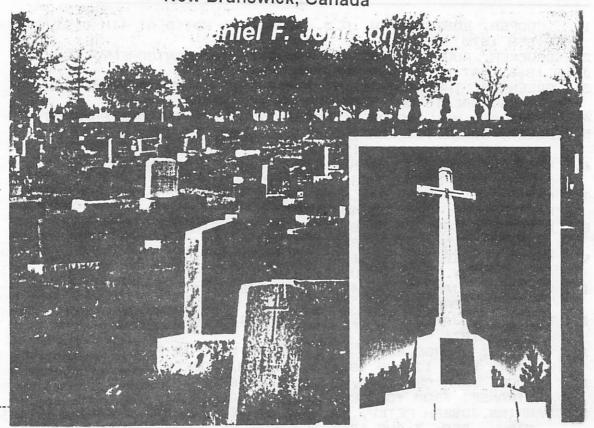
I have some data on an Ebenezer Brown of Grenwich, Connecticut who might be identical to the Ebenezer Brown who came to New Brunswich in 1783. I have yet to prove the connection.

Submitted by:

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### VOTER REGISTRATION- SAN FRANCISCO & SAN MATEO COUNTIES

- 1. COOPER, ROBERT, 48, N.B. LABORER, NAT'D AT 4TH DIST, CAL. 5 SEP 1870
- 2. DRUCKER, AUGUST, N.B., REAL ESTATE, 921 MONTGOMERY, REG. 6 JUNE 1866, NAT'D. 3 JUNE 1859, CAL US DIST.
- 3. GREENLAW, THOMAS LINCOLN, 27, N.B. SHIP CARPENTER. NAT. 2 SEP 1876, CALAIS ME. MUNI. CT., REG. 1 SEP 1877
- 4. GREENLAW, WELLINGTON JACKSON, 29, N.B., SHIP CARP. SAME AS #3
- 5. KEEFE, CORNELIUS JOHN, 24, CAN. BAKER, 2 VINCENT AVE. NAT: 31 AUG 1875, 12TH DIST CALIF.
- 6. KEEFE, CORNELIUS, 34, N.B., TEAMSTER, 1ST PCT.NAT: 2 NOV 1876

  \* CAL. 12TH DIST., REG. 4 NOV 1876
- 7. MSKENZIE, JOHN WM. 46, N.B. PAINTER, NAT: 13 AUG, 1848, PHILA. PA. COM. PL. REG: 13 AUG 1869
- 8. PEDLER, JOSEPH REUBENS, 35, N.S., MARKETMAN NAT: 14 AUG, 1871 SF, CAL. 15TH DIST. REG: 17 AUG, 1871
- 9. WALSH, JAMES JOSEPH, 36, NFLD, COOPER, NAT: 12 JULY 1967, CAL. 15TH DIST. REG: 12 JULY 1867
- 10. CAMPBELL, JAMES W.H., 49, NS, PRODUCE DLR. 7TH PCT., LOST PAPERS, SACRAMENTO. REG. 31 AUG 1875
- 11. CUMMINGS, JAMES, 64, NS, NAT: 3 NOV 1856, CAL. 12TH DIST. REG: 4 NOV 1876
- 12. FRITCH, GEORGE,46,NB COAL DEALER,NAT: 19 FEB 1873 CAL US
  DIST. REG: 12 AUG 187(?) FRITCH, JOSEPH HOMER 22,B.CAL.
- 13. GDDOE, JOHN SPEAR; 46, NB, STOREKEEPER, NAT: U.S.CIR. CT.,... TRANSF. FROM YOLO CO. REG: 17 OCT 1872
- 14. HAWKINS, JOSEPH PETER, 32, NS, ENGINEER, NAT: 2 NOV 1860 CAL. US CIR. . REG. 3 AUG 1867
- 15. MACKENZIE, ANDREW, 43, NAT: 1844 NY, LOST PAPERS. REG: 21JUN1866
- 16. RICKETSON, JOHN, 52, NS, MERCHANT, NAT: 30 AUG 1877, CAL 12TH DIST. REG: 6 MAY 1878
- 17. SIMSON, JAMES WM.,47,N8,CARPENTER,NAT:25 JULY 1866 CAL.US DIST. REG. 11 MAY 1878
- 19. DERAIN, RICHARD DOUGLAS, 32, NB, LUMBERMAN. NAT: 22 SEP 1876, CAL DIST. REG: 1 MAY 1878
- 19. HAYES, JOHN, 34, NFLD, CLERK NAT: 25 SEP 1876 CAL. 12TH DIST. REG: 28 SEP 1876
- 20. MUNCEY, WYNDAM, 42, NS. CLERK, NAT: 29 AUG 1877, CAL 4TH DIST. REG: 30 AUG 1877
- 21. O'CONNELL, JAMES, 33, NFLD, LABORER, FATHER'S NATURALIZATION REG: 28 OCT 1876
- 22. PFEIFER, CHRISTIAN EMIL, 39, NB, EDITOR, NAT: 28 SEP 1865, NY COMMON PLEAS, REG: 26 OCT 1876
- 23. ROSS, DANIEL, 40, NS, MINER, NAT: 19 JULY 1876, CAL. US DIST. REG: 29 SEP 1876
- 24. TOSMAN,LOUIS, 33,NB,REST. KEEPER,NAT: 1 OCT 1863,CAL 12TH DIST. REG: 20 JULY 1866
- 25. WILLARD, WM. HENRY, 55, NB, CARPENTER, BORN AM. PARENTS WHILE ABROAD. REG: 1 NOV 1876
- 26. BEECKE, WM, 35, NB, PAINTER, NAT: 3 AUG 1967, SF, 4TH DIST. REG: 3 AUG 1867
- 27. BRADLEY, RICHARD, 33, NB, MARINER, NAT: 1 OCT 1868, CAL. US CIR. REG: 7 MAY 1878

- 28. CAMPE, WM., 45, NB, REAL ESTATE, NAT: 7 NOV 1864, CAL. 4TH DIST. REG: 14 JUNE 1866
- 29. CHISHOLM, DUNAM, NS, TAILOR, NAT: 1 SEP 1868, CAL 4TH DIST. REG: 1 SEP 1868
- 30. CONDON, RICHARD, 39, NS, LABORER, NAT: 9 OCT 1968, CAL. US CIR. MOVED FROM SAN JOAQUIN CO. REG: 22 SEP 1876
- 31. MELVIN, ALFRED, 36, NS, LUMBERMAN, NAT: 18 SEP 1882
- 32. PALLOCK, ISAAC, 47, NS, CARPENTER, NAT: 26 MAY 1882
- 33. PERRY, JOHN, 51, NB, LIGHT KEEPER, NAT: 11 SEP 1882
- 34. OTTERSON, JAMES, 70, NS, HOTEL KEEPER, NAT: 15 JUNE 1882
- 35. CAMERON, DAVID PATERSON, 36, NS, CARPENTER, NAT: 5 AUG 1882
- 36. MCBAIN, JOHN, 33, NS, HOTEL KEEPER, NAT: 25 JAN 1884 MENLO PARK
- 37. RORKE, CHARLES, 48, NFLD, MINER, SAN BRUND, NAT: 26 SEP 1884
- 38. TAYLOR, ROBERT, 52, LUMBERMAN, WOODSIDE, NAT: 13 FEB 1883, REG: 2 OCT 1884
- 39. WHOOTEN, FREDERICK, 41, NB, PAINTER, REDWOOD CITY, NAT: 7 JAN 1882
- 40. DAVIDSON, SIDNEY, 33, NS, FARMER, COLMA, NAT: 28 AUG 1884
- 41. JOHNSON, EZRA MCDOUGAL, 37, NS, CLERK, SAN MATEO, NAT: 2 OCT 1886
- 42. SEGEE, DANIEL PEARDS, 36, NB, LABORER, SAN MATED, NAT: 29 SEP 1886
- 43. MCWILLIAMS, ROBERT WHITE, 29, NS, CLERK, SAN MATEO, NAT: 210CT1884
- 44. BROWN, JOHN REID, 50, NS, FARMER, REDWOOD CITY, NAT: 30 SEP 1886
- 45. COLDWELL, HIRAM, 30, NS, DAIRYMAN, COLMA, NAT: 26 SEP 1890
- 46. HITCHINGS, GEO. LIVINGSTON, 56, NB, FARMER, NAT: 9 AUG 1890
- 47. KINNE, WM. HENRY, 52, NS, SHERRIF REDWOOD CITY, NAT: 28 JUL 1890
- 48. LAWLER, EDWARD, 59, NS, MILLMAN, REDWOOD CITY, NAT: 4 OCT 1890
- 49. OTTERSON, JAMES, 61, NS, HOTEL KEEPER, NAT: 8 DEC 1873
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- 51. PERKINS, GEO. F., NB, PAINTER, SAN MATEO, NAT: 12 JUNE 1874
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(Submitted by Dawn Kinnie, Southeastern Branch, NBGS)

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# Editorial

### WELCOME NEWS

The recent announcement of a new policy and cost schedule by the Vital Statistics Branch of the N.B. Department of Health and Community Services is a most welcome one. The past policy of the Branch in regard to providing birth, marriage and death certificates to genealogists has long been a sore point. Especially vexing was the two-layer cost system which made New Brunswick vital statistics certificates among the highest-priced in Canada.

For the past few years, a committee of the New Brunswick Genealogical Society has been working with top personnel of the Vital Statistics Branch in an effort to make more genealogical information available to family history researchers—and at less cost.

The spirit of co-operation exemplified by both parties in these discussions has, we feel, played a large part in the adoption of the new policy and pricing system. Our president, Wilmot Ross, has expressed on behalf of the general membership of N.B.G.S. a sincere 'Thank You' to the committee members. At the same times he has voiced his appreciation to Marianne Wiezel, immediate past director of the Vital Stats Branch, and others in the Department for their open-minded approach and attitude in resolving the issue.

From the outset, Branch officials expressed the wish that a continuing dialogue could be carried on with the Genealogical Society so that problems that might arise between the discussed and, hopefully, resolved at an early stage. N.B.G.S. certainly subscribes to this notion and sees it as a means of monitoring the operation of the new policy, among other things.

We look forward to meeting and working with the new Vital Statistics Branch director.

-W.P. Kilfoil-

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