

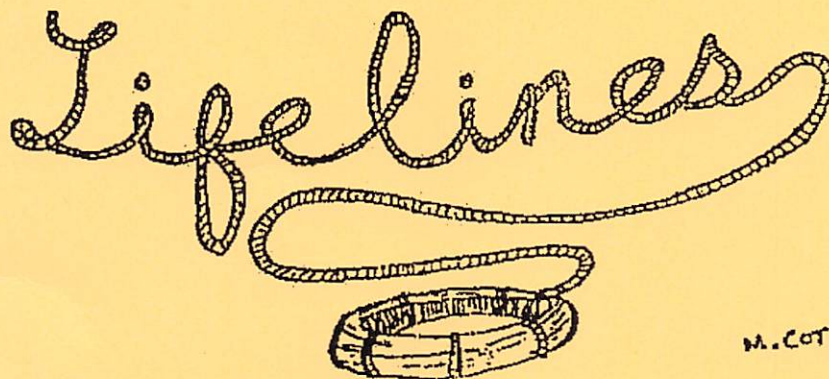
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Left to right seated - Donald Laporte and son Donald Boule, Emma Richardson and daughter Rena Boule, Etienne Boule with boys Henry and Isadore Boule, Virginia Nolette, and Anna Boule with son Roswell Frechette



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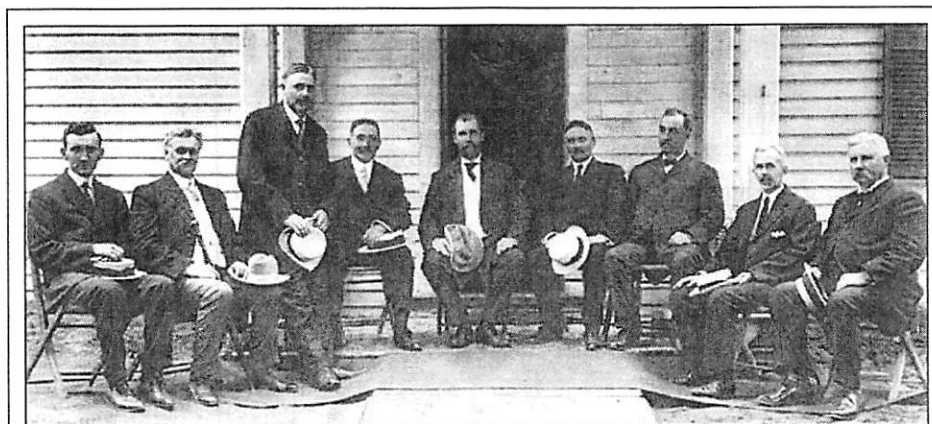
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1909 Tricentennial Commission - Louis C. Lafontaine from Champlain second from left

PRESIDENT'S LETTER

Dear Members,

Another great year at NNYACGS is coming to an end.

Our annual conference was once again a big success. We had two great speakers again this year. Our first speaker was Ms. Nancy Smith. Nancy spoke about ways to find our female ancestors. Our second speaker was Ms. Julie Dowd. Julie presented information about Clinton County NY Civil War Veterans. Both presentations were very well received. Thank you, Nancy and Julie.

We were also able to hear from Ms. Johanne Gervais who was there with a display booth.

Johanne is the founder of the Quebec Genealogical Society. Her website is www.genquebec.com

Thank you, Johanne.

One of the definitions for genealogy given by Merriam-Webster is - "an account of the descent of a person, family, or group from an ancestor or from older forms". While this definition explains "genealogy", it doesn't make the search effort any easier. Those of us who have been doing this for a while, know that there are many "brick walls" that may be encountered along the way. We must however persevere.

There are also times when we find some "ne'er do wells" in our trees. While it is not easy to embrace this information, it is however a part of who we are.

As always, we are in need of board members. If you would like to become a board member, please contact me at nnyacgs@gmail.com

Good luck with your research.

Pat Buckley

President NNYACGS



EDITOR'S LETTER

Dear Members,

This year, there seems to have been a resurgence of interest in fille du roi ancestors. There is a new Facebook page dedicated to them. It's worth a look. We have added descendant trees from six of them to people in Clinton County today.

There is also an article on the Vaugh(a)ns of Clinton County. The complete booklet written by Nathan A. Vaughn and copied by Rebecca Vaughn which was printed in 1904 is presented in this volume. One of our favorite people, Gordie Little, married into the Vaughn family.

The Lyon Mountain Mining and Railroad Museum has had a wonderful exhibit for the last year or so on their founding mining families. I am thankful to Jane Kelting who opened the museum for me so I could take pictures. My children are related to the Alexander family, so it was great to see an homage to them and the other families.

Findagrave is an interest of mine. It's a great tool for genealogists, especially when newspaper articles and photographs are included. I am not a big fan of "cemetery raiders" who seem to make it a competition to put thousands of names of people who aren't their families online. They can't manage the pages well. If everyone made sure to put their own families online, we'd be a lot better off – rant over.

Lastly, when it comes to gravestone cleaning season, please don't use power washers on the stones – you don't put grandma's china in the dishwasher! I have included DAR member, Terry Bechard's instructions on how to clean stones. She has taken classes on how to clean and conserve stones. Please feel free to share the instructions. I've also put them online at:

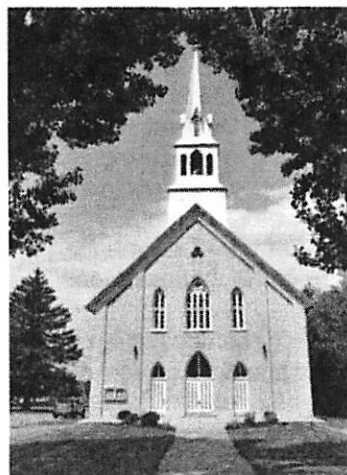
http://nnyacgs.com/files/gravestone_cleaning.pdf

Thanks to all the contributors to the journal. We hope you enjoy this year's journal – there's something for everyone.

Julie Dowd - Editor



St. Louis de Gonzague



St. Étienne de Beauharnois

THE CONFUSING STORY OF PATRICK LYNCH AND MARY BRADY

By Dick Lynch – Lynch51@aol.com

When I first started this research, I thought this was going to be easy. That was 30 years ago, and I am barely off first base. There ended up being misleading records, false information and not much family information. I thought the family information I had was going to make this a breeze, but I was in for some surprises.

I began by gathering all the family data and stories from my grandmother and her family. I learned fast this was not going to go easy. There were few people to talk to and they didn't seem to know much. So, it was clear I would have to do the digging myself.

There was a lot of information from Canada and I had a copy of the Naturalization certificate. On the Immigration/Naturalization certificate it listed Patrick Lynch was born July 22, 1847 in Kilany, County Cavan, Ireland. Great! All I needed was to get the ball rolling in Cavan Ireland and I was good to go, or so I thought. Lynch is in the top 10 most common and Brady top 3 most common names in Cavan. There would also be multiple marriages of Pat Lynch and Mary Brady. I knew right away something was wrong as names and dates were not matching up. When the information I was getting was not close enough to make a match I tabled the research for years. I moved on to my grandmother's side that was even more difficult. Now that I am done there, I returned to the Lynch family. In the years that passed I had amassed a large number of documents and material to start a more intense research.

The problem; Patrick Lynch Jr. had lied on his naturalization papers. He was not born in Kilany, County Cavan, Ireland. In my paperwork from earlier I had a note from a book in the attic of Clarence Lynch that read "Patrick Lynch and Mary Brady from the parish of Castlerahan, County Cavan, Ireland. This, along with the naturalization papers, I thought would lead me to all I would need. However, something was definitely wrong as the documents were not turning up. So, I knew I would have to go slowly and look carefully.

I had a lot of material from St-Étienne in Beauharnois County, Quebec, on Pat Jr. and his wife Alfonsine Metras, so I began working backwards. I found their marriage easily and there was Pat and Mary Brady listed as his parents. A search for Pat Jr.'s baptismal record turned up a Pat born in 1844 but died in 45. No other Pat born to Pat and Mary. So, I also looked for the marriage of Pat Sr. and Mary Brady. Nothing came up so I again thought the original information was right. He was born in Cavan so Pat Sr. and Mary must have been married in Cavan.

I ended up deciding to look a lot closer at all the Quebec records as something was not right. The nice thing about Canadian research the records are right there and in detail. Most all names of

wives are maiden names so that's a big help.

So, to go forward, I filled out all the information I had on both Pats and compared what was there. All census, baptismal, marriage and death. I listed godparents, witnesses - everything. It didn't take long to find the problem. Besides the incorrect information, I found two huge mistakes in the Quebec records, very unusual for Quebec records. First the family page of Pat Jr. below.



Ancestor Chart

Surname _____

Husband **Patrick Lynch** Same Person as No. _____ On Chart _____
 Born **22 July, 1848** Where **St-Louis de Gonzague, Quebec**
 When Married **25 April 1871** Where **St-Etienne de Beauharnois, Quebec**
 Died **30 Dec. 1928** Where **Plattsburgh, New York**
 Husband's Father **Patrick** Chart No. _____ Mother **Mary Brady** Chart No. _____
 Husband's Other Wives _____

Wife Maiden Name **Alphonsine Metras** Same Person as No. _____ On Chart _____
 Born **6 Aug. 1850** Where **Longueuil, Quebec**
 Died **11 Oct. 1926** Where **Plattsburgh, New York**
 Wife's Father **Jean Bapt.** Chart No. _____ Mother **Julie Turcot** Chart No. _____
 Wife's Other Husbands _____

Child	Sex	CHILDREN of this Marriage	BORN		DIED		MARRIED TO	
			Date	Place	Date	Place	Date	Place
1	F	Mary Jane	7 Jan 1872		15 Dec 1926			
			St-Etienne				Geo. Hazelton	
2	M	Patrick Lynch	20 Feb. 1874		1955			
			St-Etienne				Mary McCabe	
3	F	Marie Rosiana	30 Dec 1875		22 Apr 1901			
			St-Etienne		St-Etienne		J.B. Normandeau	
4	M	Joseph Alexander	17 Dec 1878		2 Mar 1941			
			St-Etienne				Isabel Buckley	
5	F	Marie Louise	3 May 1881		1881			
			St-Etienne		St-Etienne			
6	M	Jos. Arthur Etienne	19 Apr 1882		5 Feb 1944			
			St-Etienne					
7	F	Marie Yvone	30 May 1884		11 Aug 1958			
			St-Etienne		Plattsburgh		Jos Parrot	
8	M	Jos. George	29 Mar 1891		26 May 1975			
			Plattsburgh		Plattsburgh		Emma Beauharnois	
9								
10								
11								
12								

All this information was available and confirmed by records and backed up by multiple sources. Now on to Pat Sr., and this is where there is a problem.



Ancestor Chart

Surname _____

Husband **Patrick Lynch** Same Person as No. _____ On Chart _____
 Born **29 Aug 1809** Where **Collinstown, West Meath Ireland**
 When Married **13 Nov. 1837** Where **Ste-Martine, Chateauguay, Quebec**
 Died **26 May 1870** Where **St-Etienne**
 Husband's Father **Laurence** Chart No. _____ Mother **Mary Lynch** Chart No. _____
 Husband's Other Wives _____

Wife Maiden Name **Mary Brady** Same Person as No. _____ On Chart _____
 Born **abt 1809** Where **?**
 Died **27 Dec 1879** Where **St-Etienne**
 Wife's Father **Peter** Chart No. _____ Mother **Mary Garry/Gorry** Chart No. _____
 Wife's Other Husbands _____

Child	Sex	CHILDREN of this Marriage	BORN		DIED		MARRIED TO	
			Date	Place	Date	Place	Date	Place
1	F	Suzanne	30 Sep 1839		10 Aug 1870		1863	St Louis
				Ste-Martine		St-Etienne		James Powers
2	M	Peter	19 FEB 1841		11 Jun 1901		1865	St-Louis
				Ste-Martine		St-Etienne		Anna Baxter
3	F	Mary	17 Aug 1842		1890-1892		1862	St-Louis
				St-Louis		Prescot, Ont		Jos. Allard
4	M	Lawrence	8 Sep 1843				1867	St-Louis
				St-Louis				Rose de Lima Gagnier
5	M	Patrick	24 Dec 1844		1845			
				St-Louis		St-Louis		
6	M	James	25 Apr 1846				1870	St-Louis
				St-Louis				Mary Baxter
7	?	unknown	23 Jun 1847		23 Jun 1847			
				St-Clement		St-Clement		
8	M	Patrick	22 Jul 1848		30 Dec 1928		1871	St-Etienne
				St-Louis de Gonz.		Plattsburgh, NY		Alphonsine Metras
9	F	Bridgitte	18 Feb 1852		1 Aug 1885		1873	St-Etienne
				St-Louis		Howick, Valleyfield		Louis Cuillier
10	?	unknown	8 Nov 1853		8 Nov 1853			
				St-Louis		St-Louis		
11								

In order to come to the information on the previous chart the problem of the marriage of Pat and Mary Brady. The only result for them comes up as Peter Lynch. This is clearly an error. In the document it states the bridegroom has signed below and it is Patrick Lynch not Peter, plus there are

no further documents for a Peter and Mary Brady yet a lot for Patrick and Mary. This document is in English which is unusual so an obvious error.

B23

Elmore Lynch
Patrice

Ce vingt trois Juillet mil huit-cent quarante-huit nous vicaires
sousseigne avons baptisé Elmore aux lieux du légitime ma-
riage de Patrick Lynch cultivateur et de Mary Brady de
cette paroisse. Marraine Peter Brady Marraine Mary Brady
qui ainsi que le père ont du signer

P. Hardy P. Hardy

B24

Patrice -
Eleonore
Archeambault

Ce vingt trois Juillet mil huit-cent quarante-huit nous
vicaires sousseigne avons baptisé Patrice né le 18 du cou-
rant, du légitime mariage de Narcisse Archeambault cul-
tivateur et de Eleonore de Archeambault de cette paroisse. Marraine
Augustin Roy Marraine Catherine Pied qui ainsi que le
père ont du signer

P. Hardy P. Hardy

The same problem here for the baptism of Pat, no record, but because of an error, I had this date in my grandmother's records but could not find it until I checked the original record - July 23, 1848 born the 22nd. The naturalization document says 1847.

The original has Elinore, but Patrice underneath obviously added later and for the next baptism, it has Patrice with Eleonore written in between. I am certain this is the baptism of Patrick Lynch with parents Patrick and Mary Brady. The census records for 1851 and 1861 do not list an Eleonore but do list a Patrick with an age that matches this baptism. No further records arise for Eleonore either.

So, two records in the same family that are not going to show up in a search. They are both necessary to finding this family and solving this genealogy and is a great example of why you must double check everything and dig. People make the entries in the records and like all of us make mistakes. So, check and cross check. Could this be why Pat lied, his baptism could not be found? All trees I have seen list a child Leonore and no Patrick this is why.

Another interesting detail these records show is how this family followed Irish tradition in naming their children - first child is named after the father or mother of the bride. In this case Suzanne but Mary's mother is Mary however I have also found it as Judith and Suzanne so good. Second child Peter is the name of her father so right on. The next two are after the husband's parents. Mary and Laurence so perfect. This is probably why there are so many Patrick and Peter Lynchs as well as Suzanne and Mary. They followed the traditions.

There is still the issue of why Pat Jr. lied. He surely knew he was born in Canada so why the deception? I found one item 30 years ago that I had discredited due to the Naturalization document and that was a court ruling I found. A Pat Lynch had filed a petition for restitution for loss of property in the Rebellion of Lower Canada 1837-1838, also known as the Patriots war. The article appears in "Lost In Canada Vol. 16 #1, spring 1991" Pg. 12 Lower Canada Rebellion Losses. The cases reported are the result of the rebellion on the south side of the St. Lawrence in November 1838. The claimants are almost all Loyalists.

Pg. 13 Brown, L.G. Esq. of Beauharnois 847 states:

The claimant is of well-known loyalty. He was made prisoner by rebels. The Seigniorial house in which were claimant's furniture and effects, was pillaged by the rebels during their occupation of the village in Nov. 1838, (304p, 4s/303p, 9s)

Pg. 22 Lynch, Patrick of Beauharnois 880:

The claimant is admitted to be a loyal subject. He was employed by L.G. Brown Esq. (847), at the time when the Seigniorial house was attacked by the rebels but having indiscreetly sent his goods for safety to the house of a rebel captain whence, they were afterwards carried off as the property of a disaffected person. His claim for their value cannot be admitted. (10p 3s/nothing) Is this our Patrick Lynch? Was Patrick afraid it would be known he had Loyalist ties (if this was his father?) There are other Pat Lynches in the area so it may not be him. He is listed as a farmer on later census records.

So, whether he was a Loyalist or just a farmer it seems there is still more to the story. Below that Naturalization petition for Patrick Lynch, with the birth line highlighted.

PETITION FOR NATURALIZATION

[illegible][illegible]

Marriage Record - St-Étienne-de-Beauharnois

What do we know about the parents of Patrick and Mary? Not a lot but there are some documents to study. First the records in Quebec.

NOMS DES PERSONNES QUI HABITENT LA MAISON	PROFESSION, METIER OU OCCUPATION	LIEU DE NAISSANCE	Marier d'un autre	RELIGION	Rassemblement et tout des autres	Age en années	SEX					Vieillesse en années	RESIDENTS			
							M	F	M	F	M	F	Membres de la famille		Etrangers à la famille	
													M	F	M	F
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
32 Patrick Lynch	farmer	Ireland	/	Catholic		51	/	M					/			
33 Mary Brady	"	"	/	"		51	/	M						/		
34 Suzanne Lynch	"	F Canada		"		22	/	N						/		
35 Peter Lynch	"	"		"		20	/	N					/			
36 Mary Lynch	"	"		"		18	/	N						/		
37 Laurent Lynch	"	"		"		16	/	N					/			
38 James Lynch	"	"		"		15	/	N					/			
39 Patrick Lynch	"	"		"		13	/	N					/			
40 Brigete Lynch	"	"		"		8	/	N						/		

Here is the 1861 census of St-Louis de Gonzague, Beauharnois, with all the children still at home. No Leonore but there is a Patrick age 13. If Eleonore, born in 1848, was 13, this date and age is right on. The 1851 Census adds to the confusion as James and Patrick are listed on a page by themselves that also looks like a mistake by the enumerator. However, their ages are correct.

So, to go forward we must make the conclusion that the records are not correct, that the marriage of Peter Lynch and Mary Brady is an error and it should be Patrick as his signature indicates. Also, that the missing baptism of a second Patrick born to Patrick Lynch and Mary Brady is also an error and, as was corrected in the original records, Leonore is actually Patrick and the following record is actually Leonore where it states Patrick. Someone saw fit to make the correction in the records for a reason. This supports the above census record that paints a clear picture of the makeup of this family.

To go forward, we can look at a few records in Ireland. Though I had done research in Ireland, I did not find a perfect match for Pat and Mary; here is what I was given by the genealogical center in Cavan. With names that matched I put their birth date in Quebec in parenthesis.



This is a photograph of the Rev. Fr. John J. O'Connell, pastor of St. John's Church, Cavan, Ireland, in 1910. He is shown in his clerical robes, holding a book, and standing next to a woman, likely his wife, who is also in clerical robes. The photograph is a black and white print, and the text to the right of the image provides a brief description of the scene.

Patrick Lynch born to Patrick and Mary Brady born 1843 from the parish of Kingscourt in County Cavan. This is the only Patrick born to a Patrick and Mary Brady. Also born to this couple are Mary born 1838 (1842), Andrew born 1845 and Peter born 1847 (1841). It is not known if these three are siblings of Patrick as no address is given, just that the parents are Pat and Mary Brady and they are from Kingscourt. There is also a James born 1837 (1846) in the Parish of Knockbride which borders Killany. Same parents but can't say positively it is the same family.

So close, but not exact, no Suzanne and we do not have an Andrew.

The birth dates also do not correspond with what we know. This information I was told was all that existed for children born to Patrick Lynch and Mary Brady. There are records for Laurence and Mary Lynch and a baptism for Patrick Sr. that are interesting. They are in Westmeath County, Ireland in Collinstown. This location is not far from Cavan and is a bordering county to the parish of Castlerahan.

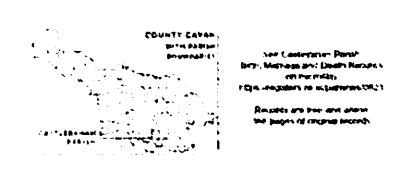
Marriage of Laurent Lynch and Mary Lynch, Jan 11th, 1807 at Collinstown, Westmeath, Ireland. Witnesses are Mathew Lynch & Richard Fagan.

January 1807
 10 M^r Mich^l & M^r Farly & Ann
 Hyland alias Ivers present
 M^r & M^{rs} Turbinton
 10 M^r Math & M^{rs} Meilly pres^t
 Lewis Martin & M^{rs} Mooney
 11 M^r Lau & Mary Lynch pres^t
 Math Lynch & Mich^l Fagan

On the next page is the baptism of Patrick. Parents are listed.

These records from Collinstown seem to fit with the records however it is not what is on Patrick Lynchs' naturalization record which we know is incorrect.

Another record from the Lynch family was the note that Patrick and Mary are from the Parish of Castlerahan, County Cavan. I did notice several records in the Collinstown records that also listed that the individuals were from Castlerahan as well, so interesting.



August 1809 Continued

11. 13th John Hepler. P. John V. Sally Man
 Lone. H. Wilms Waters & Bet. Corrigan.

11. 13th William Coffey. P. Thomas V. Mary
 Hillenish. H. J. Doughty & Bet. Frager.

12. 13th Christian W. Cornick. P. Pat. V. Mary
 Murtla. H. Rich. Merayman & Cath. Sheridan.

12. 13th Elizabeth Gannon. P. John & Abby
 Gelskenan. H. Wilms. Hood & Anne Moore.

16. 13th Cath. Murphy. P. Pat. & Cath. Glen-
 non. H. James Veldan & Cath. Higgins.

18. 13th James Lynch. P. Pat. & Cath. Mery-
 man. H. Rich. Fagan & Cath. Meryman.

18. 13th Mary McGlinn. P. Peter & Peggy
 Collins. H. Darby Torrey & Anne Gynor.

20. 13th Francis Perry. P. Owen & Anne
 Hughes. H. Pat. Gosarty & Cath. Rooney.

29. 13th Patrick Lynch. P. Lawrence & Ma-
 ry Lynch. H. Patrick & Judith Lynch.

Baptism of Patrick Lynch son of Lawrence & Mary Lynch the 29th August 1809, Collinstown, Westmeath, Ireland. Godparents are Patrick & Judith Lynch. The chart on the next page is based on a tree I found but can't confirm the info.

We can place Mary Brady's parents Peter and Suzanne in Quebec by 1832 with the marriage of son Terrance to Anne Tracy. Patrick first shows up with his marriage 1837. I haven't proven the other children



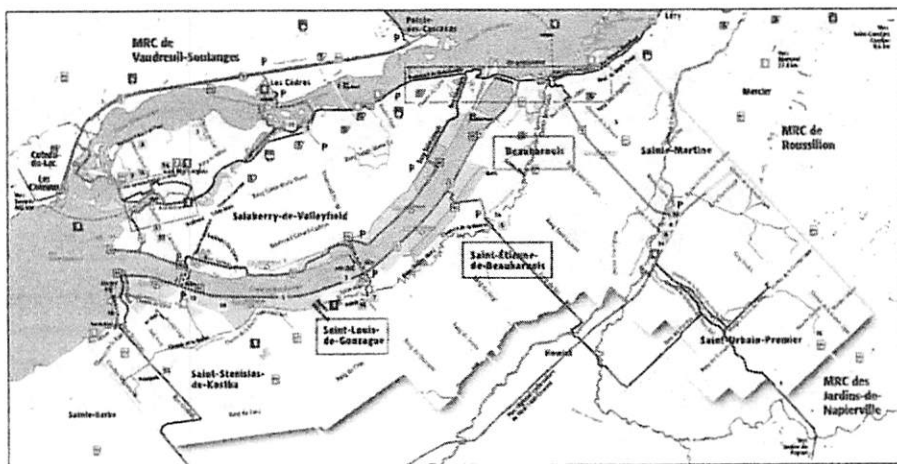
Ancestor Chart

Surname _____

<i>Husband</i>	Lawrence Lynch	<i>Same Person as No.</i>	<i>On Chart</i>
<i>Born</i>	abt 1776	<i>Where</i>	Ireland
<i>When Married</i>	Jan. 1807	<i>Where</i>	Collinstown, Westmeath, Ireland
<i>Died</i>	19/3 or 21/5 1848	<i>Where</i>	St-Clement de Beauharnoi de Quebec
<i>Husband's</i>	<i>Father</i>	<i>Chart No.</i>	<i>Mother</i>
<i>Husband's Other Wives</i>			

Wife	Maiden Name	Mary Lynch	Same Person as No.	On Chart
Born	abt 1781	Where		
Died	11 Jun 1841	Where	St-Clement de Beauharnois, Que	
Wife's	Father	Chart No.	Mother	Chart No.
Wife's Other Husbands				

Child	Sex	CHILDREN of this Marriage	BORN		DIED		MARRIED TO	
			Date	Place	Date	Place	Date	Place
1	M	Patrick	29 Aug. 1809		26 May 1870		13 Nov. 1837	Chateauguay
			Collinstown, Westmeath		St-Etienne, Beauharnois		Ste-Martine, Chateauguay	
2	F	Ann	1811		19 Jun 1840			
			Ireland		Canada		James McCauley	
3	F	Brigitte						
4	M	Philip	1812					
5								



Terence's brother Peter gets married in 1851 his mother goes by Suzanne Gorie another record She goes by Judith Suzanne. So, this is the parents of Mary Brady wife of Patrick Lynch. The Marriage of Patrick Lynch and Mary Brady is the earliest record for Pat or Laurence I have Found as of yet. So, these are the two records placing these families in Quebec. I will look for immigration records for both.

Marriage

Montréal (Notre-Dame-de-Montréal)

1832-10-15

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BRADY, TERENCE

Subject

Residence INDETERMINE

Mar st	age
single	maj

TRACY, ANNE

Subject

Residence INDETERMINE

Mar st	age
single	min

BRADY, PETER

Father of the groom

Residence CHATEAUGUAY

GORRY, JUDITH

Mother of the groom

Residence CHATEAUGUAY

TRACY, MICHAEL

Father of the bride

Residence MONTREAL

death
deceased

SMITH, ANNE

Mother of the bride

Residence MONTREAL

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So, what do we know so far? Both the Brady and the Lynch families were in Quebec prior to the Famine - Brady in 1832 and Lynch 1837. That there are missing documents for Patrick Lynch that can be explained by coming to a conclusion that there were errors in the Quebec records. That the Naturalization records of Patrick Lynch Jr. gives questionable information for reasons unknown.

I encourage anyone thinking about doing genealogy to talk to and record all information as soon as they can with the oldest members of their family. In my case, I started too late. My grandfather died in 1975 about 10 years before I began my research. He kept in contact with family in Beauharnois and would have been able to give some answers. My grandmother was not able to as she could not remember. She did remember one family and had photos of them. That was the Normandeau family. Pat Jr.'s sister, Rosianna, married Jean Baptiste "Batchi" Normandeau. She died 5 years later but had two sons Albert and Adrien, first cousins to Patrick Jr. I have a photo of my grandparents visiting the farm in St-Etienne de Beauharnois. My grandmother remembered these visits well. The farm is still there and appears to be the same family living there. I have been there and should have stopped and asked but my French is not great, so I didn't. I have gone to St-Etienne twice, gone through the cemetery and on the last visit was able to talk to the custodian of the church (in French) and got him to open the church so I could see the interior. He knew the Lynch family stating his bus driver was a Lynch when he was in school. Again, if I had started earlier, I may have made some connections with family and hope to someday.

Some trees I have seen have a different last name for the wife of Laurence Lynch. The great thing about Canadian records is that most records list maiden names for mothers/wives. None of the records I have found list her as another name, including the records in Westmeath where again Irish records also list the maiden names. So, until I see some proof, she will remain Mary Lynch.



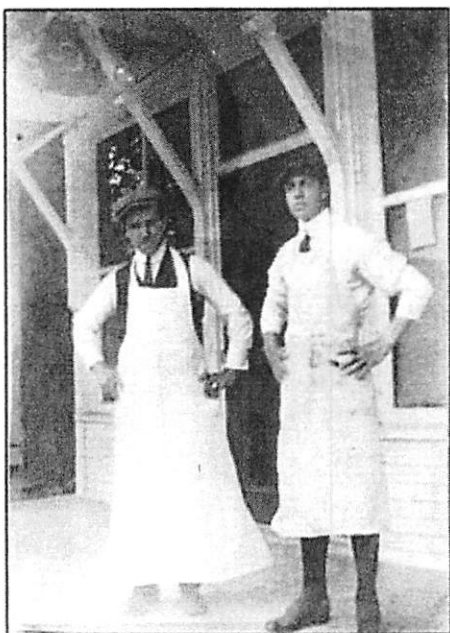
My grandparents (center) visiting the Normandeau family St-Etienne.
L to R - Rosaire Normandeau, Josephine Beauharnois, George Lynch, Lucien Normandeau. They were sons from Batchi's second marriage, though my grandfather's sister was only married 5 years before she died in 1901. He kept in touch with this family. Photo is probably from the late 50's early 1960's



My great grandparents, Patrick Lynch Jr. and Alphonsine Metras at their home at 155 South Catherine Street, Plattsburgh, NY. They immigrated from St-Etienne de Beauharnois. The house is still there and the one next door belonged to Clarence Lynch, both across from Our Lady of Victory. She died in 1926 so photo before that date.



My father was born in 1924 so the photo was taken in that year.
 Standing L-R: My grandparent's infant is my father, Robert Lynch, the Marchands, Mary Lynch Hazelton, Agnes?, Mr. Hazelton and Mary McCabe wife of Pat Jr. Seated Alphonsine Metras and Patrick Lynch. The children in front of Pat and Alphonsine are cousins, I believe, John Lynch, Arthur Lynch & George Lynch. I am not sure if or who the Marchands are. My grandfather is only child of Pat and Alphonsine born in US. The other 7 were born in St-Etienne de Beauharnois.



If anyone has knowledge on any of this please feel free to contact me at lynch51@aol.com

This family has many prominent ancestors. Alphonsine Metras' mother is Julie Turcot, a direct descendant of early founding father and mother Jean Turcott and Fille a Marier Françoise Capel. Jean was killed by the Iroquois at Trois-Rivières. Also, Antoine Desrosiers and his wife, Anne LeNeuf Du Herrisson, married at Trois Rivières in 1647. Fille du Roi Suzanne Lecompte, fille a Marier Marie Dutault, Fille du Roi Marguerite Robinaud, Geneviève Rigaud Fille du Roi wife of Pierre Tetu Sieur Du Tilly, Fille du Roi Madeleine Theberge, Fille du Roi Barbe Baron, Fille du Roi Marie Varin, Marie Blanchard Fille du Roi, Jeanne Barbier Fille du Roi, and many more Filles à Marier and Filles du Roi

Many are from Cap-de-la-Madeleine and Trois-Rivières. A great place to visit and tour the sites - many religious sites and nice locations on St-Lawrence river. Cap de-la-Madeleine is the site of the oldest Marian shrine in North America, as well as the Basilica de Notre Dame du Cap. A great place for a spiritual pilgrimage.

I inherited my grandparents photo albums and the only photos not marked were simply marked Canada. She did tell me once she could no longer remember who they were. I do remember this photo. Someone mentioned a family member owned or worked at a butcher shop/meat market in Montreal or Chateauguay.



My grandfather, Joseph George Lynch, with an unknown woman. She appears in a couple of photos.



The couple in the sleigh appears in several photos. My grandfather appears with the woman above in the sleigh as well. The fact he is in several photos with a number of people would seem to indicate they are possibly family.



A couple of the photos were marked. However the names were not familiar. This one is marked Feb. 1919. Celine Simard.



This photo was marked Mrs. O'Conner and Petrah. The girl on the right looks like she could be the same as the girl in the sleigh.



At the left is my grandfather with two more ladies who also appear in multiple photos. Perhaps someone will see these and recognize someone.



St. Peter's Cemetery - Plattsburgh, NY

SOME FILLE du ROI DESCENDANTS IN CLINTON COUNTY

The filles' names were taken from "A list of the Daughters and their husbands", by Andre Theriault
<https://web.archive.org/web/20100414020758/http://www.ziplink.net/~24601/roots/sources/KINGGIRL.htm>

He divided the list into 6 different categories, and we have chosen one fille du roi from each of the sections.

Section One: Women from upper-class families.

Section Two: Women who annulled marriage contracts

(Here and throughout all of the lists, in the interest of family lines, the author only included the actual marriage of the girls rather than list of unfulfilled contracts that never produced issue)

Section Three: Women from the Ile-de-France region around Paris

Section Four: Women from Normandy

Section Five: Women of unknown origin

Section Six: Woman from other places in France

1, Line of Descendancy from a woman from an upper-class family, Catherine Baillon to Brandon Michael Barcomb

1 Catherine Baillon b: 1645 in Montfort-la-Morille, Chartres, France

+ Jacques Miville Dit Deschênes b: Abt. 1630 in Fribourg, Switzerland, m: Nov 12, 1669 in Québec City, Québec, d: Jan 1688 in Rivière-Ouelle, Québec

2 Jean Miville b: Sep 1672 in Québec City, Québec
 + Marie-Madeleine Dubé b: Sep 1673 in Ste-Famille, Île d'Orléans, Québec

3 Joseph Miville Dit Deschênes b: Apr 1695
 + Marie-Jeanne Lévesque b: Nov 1702

4 Geneviève Miville Dite Deschenes b: 1726 in Rivière Ouelle, Québec

+ Jean Bérubé b: 1718 in Rivière Ouelle, Québec

5 Judith Bérubé b: Jul 1749 in Rivière Ouelle, Québec
 + Athanase Plourde b: May 1752 in Rivière Ouelle, Québec, m: Nov 05, 1771 in Rivière Ouelle, Québec

6 Marguerite Plourde b: Abt. 1780

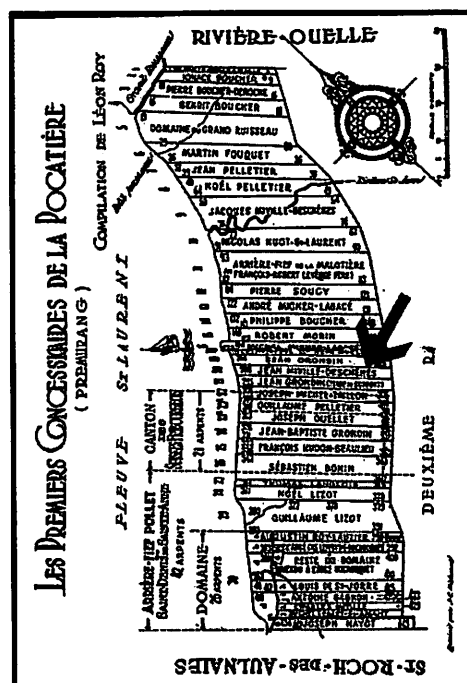
+ Étienne Arpajou b: Abt. 1780

7 Sophie Arpajou b: Abt. 1805

+ Charles Tourville b: 1802 in Canada, m: Jul 31, 1827 in St. Hyacinthe, Québec

8 Pierre Étienne Tourville b: Aug 1835 in Vergennes, VT
 + Caroline Daignault b: Apr 1837 in Québec, m: 1856

9 Nancy Tourville b: Dec 13, 1865 in Chateaugay, NY d: Mar 2, 1944 in Plattsburgh, NY
 + Isadore Lastraw b: Nov 25, 1859 in Churubusco, NY m: Sep 05, 1886 in Chateaugay, NY d: 1941 in Plattsburgh, NY

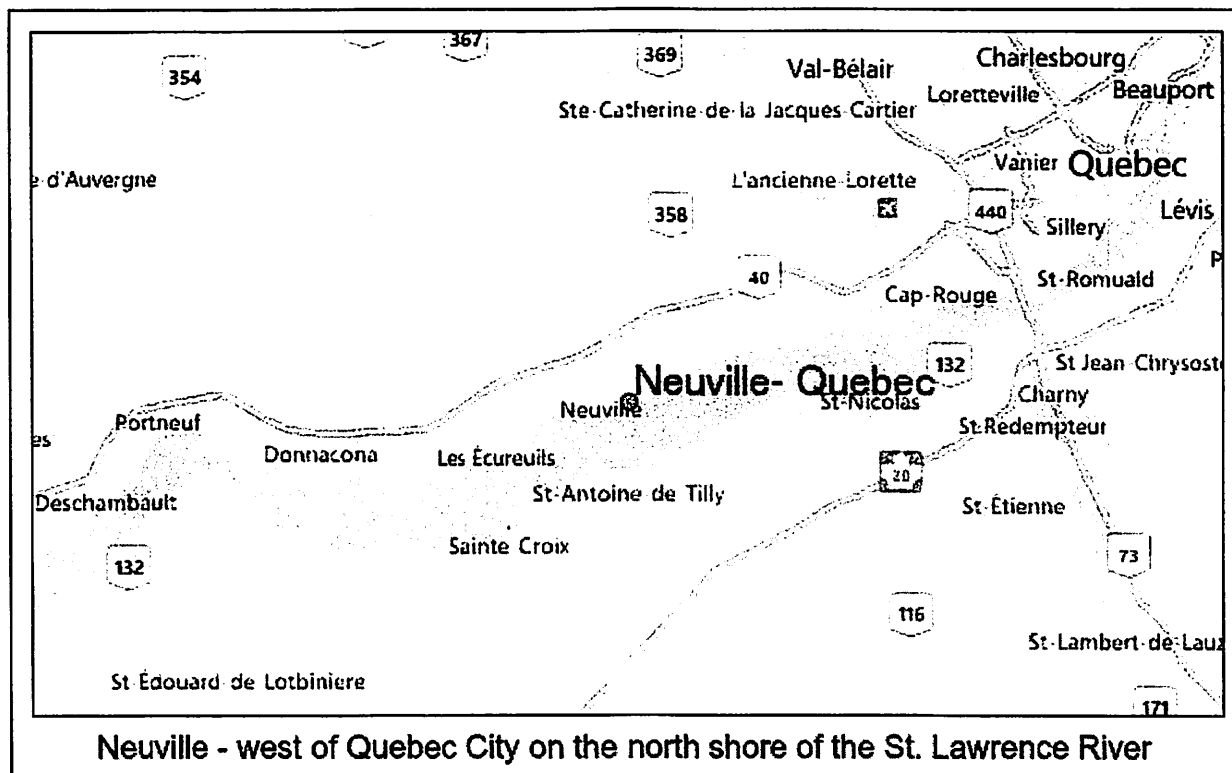


Chateaugay Record-Friday, March 10, 1944
 Ellenburg Center

Mrs. Nancy Lastraw, 80, long a resident of this town, died in Plattsburgh March 2nd at the home of her daughters, Mrs. Eva Lambert and Mrs. Margaret McCarthy with whom she had been making her home since leaving here a short time ago. Funeral was held at St. Edmund's Church Saturday morning. Interment in Ellenburg Cemetery.

-10 Anna Rosa Lastraw b: Jun 13, 1894 in Chateaugay, NY d: 1944
 + Thomas Barcomb b: Apr 11, 1896 in New York
-11 Francis Joseph Barcomb b: Sep 18, 1918 Lyon Mountain, NY d: Jul 14, 1984 Plattsburgh
 + Clayda Irene Carter b: May 07, 1922, d: Jun 14, 2004 in Plattsburgh, NY
 Where Lived: Jul 19, 2003 in Plattsburgh, NY
-12 Francis Joseph Barcomb b: Abt. 1955, Where Lived: 2004 in Cadyville, NY
 + Joy Faith Lamb b: 1955
-13 Brandon Michael Barcomb b: 1983

**2, Line of Descendancy from a woman who had a marriage contract annulled,
 Catherine Baillon to Brandon Michael Barcomb**



- 1 Marguerite Charpentier b: 1641
 + René Meusnier Dit Laramée b: 1636 in St. Jean, évêché de Luçon, France, m: Oct 16, 1668 in Québec City, Québec, d: Sep 1722 in Pointe-aux-Trembles de Québec, Québec
- ..2 Petronelle Meusnier b: Jan 1670
 + Pierre Augé b: Abt. 1660, m: Apr 20, 1685 in Pointe-aux-Trembles, Québec
- ...3 Joseph Augers b: 1694 in Lachine, Québec
 + Geneviève Gaudin b: Abt. 1700, m: Nov 10, 1716 in Neuville, Québec
-4 Marie-Angélique Augers b: 1726, d: Mar 1764 in Chambly, Québec
 + Jean-Baptiste-Mathieu Vandal b: 1726, m: Jun 09, 1749 in Pointe-aux-Trembles de Québec, Québec, d: May 1773 in Sorel, Québec
-5 Jean-Baptiste Vandal b: Abt. 1760
 + Théotiste-Marguerite St. Martin b: Abt. 1770, m: Feb 24, 1783 in Sorel, Québec
-6 Felicité ^ Vandal b: Abt. 1800 in Sorel, Québec, d: Bef. 1848, Where Lived: Sorel, Québec
 + François-Eustache Pontbriand b: Abt. 1799 in Sorel, Québec, m: Jan 11, 1820 in Sorel, Québec, Where Lived: Sorel, Québec
-7 Joseph-Eustache Pontbriand b: Feb 19, 1821 in Sorel, Québec, d: Jul 28, 1886 in Sciota, NY
 + Angeline Lepine b: Abt. 1830, m: Oct 04, 1847 in Coopersville, NY

-8 Joseph P. Pombrio b: Feb 24, 1853 in Champlain, NY d: May 03, 1940 in Plattsburgh, NY
+ Mathilde Bruso b: Abt. 1855, m: May 14, 1872 in Cooperville, NY d: Mar 09, 1937

Plattsburgh Daily Press, Saturday May 4, 1940

Joseph Pombrio, 87, Died Here Yesterday

Joseph Pombrio, 87, of Sciota, died yesterday at the Champlain Valley hospital after a short illness. Funeral services will be held at Sciota at 9 a.m. Monday. Mr. Pombrio, a life-long resident of Sciota, was widely known throughout that area where he possessed a great many friends.

He is survived by three daughters and four sons. They are Mrs. Wilbur Trombley, Ingraham; Mrs. Mamie Trombley and Mrs. Elsie Neverett, both of Plattsburgh; Edward, Henry and Ardie Pombrio, Sciota and George Pombrio, Rouses Point. 37 Grandchildren and 30 greatgrandchildren also survive.

-9 Aurelia Pombrio b: Abt. 1885
+ Wilbur Trombly b: Abt. 1885
.....10 Alma Trombly b: Dec 25, 1921 in Ingraham, NY d: Oct 03, 2010 in Beekmantown, NY
Where Lived: 2009 in Ingraham, NY
+ E. Sarto Giroux b: Jun 01, 1921 in Champlain, NY d: Dec 10, 1980 in Plattsburgh, NY
.....11 Constance Marie Giroux b: Abt. 1950, Where Lived: 1980 in Plattsburgh, NY
+ Douglas Edward Durocher b: Jun 16, 1948, m: Jun 17, 1972 in Plattsburgh, NY
d: Nov 08, 2017 in Plattsburgh, NY
.....12 Durocher Children

3, Line of Descendancy from a woman from the Île-de-France, Françoise Michel to Donald Seymour

- 1 Françoise Michel b: 1655 in St. Pierre, Sens, Burgundy, France, d: Jul 1685 in Cap-de-la-Madeleine, Québec
+ Gilles Dupont b: 1636 in Biencourt, Brittany, France, m: Aug 10, 1670 in Trois-Rivières, Québec

- ..2 Marie-Françoise Dupont b: 1671 in Québec, d: Jul 1706 in Québec

+ Louis Chef-De-Vergue Dit Larose

- ..3 Marie-Louise Chedevergne b: Dec 1695 in Champlain, Québec

+ François Laporte b: Abt. 1690, m: Jun 21, 1721 in Bécancœur, Québec

- ...4 Jean Laporte-Labonté b: Feb 1722 in Contrecoeur, Québec

+ Véronique Lebeau b: Dec 1719 in Boucherville, Québec

-5 Marie-Louise Laporte-Labonté b: Feb 1745 in Chambly, Québec

+ Jacques Goyette b: Nov 1741 in St. Denis, Québec

-6 Jean-Baptiste Goyette b: Abt. 1785

+ Josèphite Sicard b: Abt. 1785, m: Jan 14, 1795 in Vercheres, Québec

-7 Sophie Goyette b: Dec 1808 in St. Luc, Québec

+ François Alexis Simard b: Abt. 1805

-8 Joseph Pierre-Magloire Simard b: Jan 10, 1846 in Rouses Point, NY

d: Aug 21, 1915 in Rouses Point, NY

+ Sophronie Patenaude b: Apr 10, 1851 in Shorham, VT m: Nov 17, 1868 in Lowell, MA
d: Sep 26, 1936

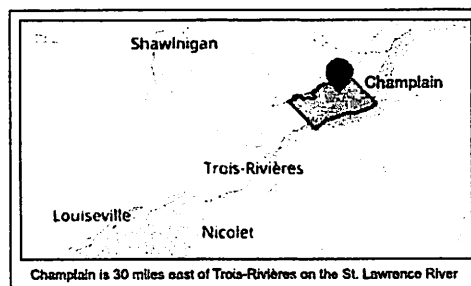
-9 Joseph Albert Amatus Seymour b: Jul 05, 1894 in Rouses Point, NY d: Sep 23, 1977

+ Esther Eva Raymond b: Aug 26, 1897 in Champlain, NY m: Jun 06, 1916 in Champlain, NY
d: 1927

-10 Joseph Russell Gabriel Simard b: Apr 08, 1920 in Rouses Point, NY d: Mar 06, 2002

+ Marie Emma Theresa Boudriault Dit Labonté b: May 07, 1924 in Winooski, VT
m: Apr 18, 1942 in Champlain, NY d: Jul 08, 2007 in Burlington, VT

-11 Richard E. Seymour b: Jan 04, 1951 in Plattsburgh, NY



+ Shirley Mary Laplante b: Jan 31, 1940, m: Jun 16, 1977 in Plattsburgh, NY
12 Richard M Seymour b: Jun 22, 1978
 + Penny Gregory b: 1981
13 Donald Seymour b: Jul 30, 2001

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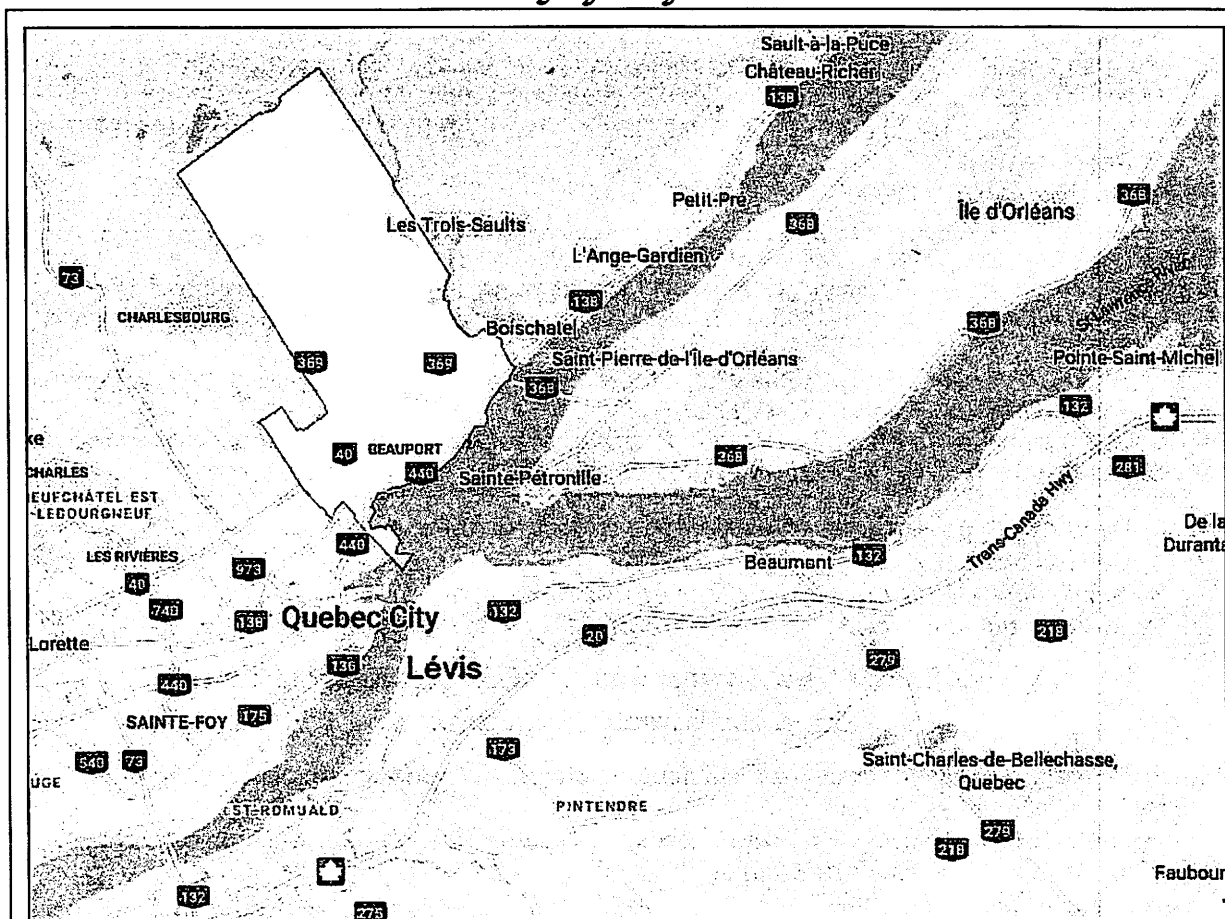
Joseph A. Seymour – Funeral services for Joseph Albert Seymour, 83, who died Thursday September 22, were held last Monday at St. Mary's Church in Champlain. The Rev. Eugene Beaudet, pastor, was celebrant of the Mass.

Mr. Seymour was born in Rouses Point on July 5, 1934, the son of Peter and Mary Seymour. He was employed as a train operator in the Watervliet Arsenal until his retirement. He was married to the former Bridget O'Neil.

He is survived by four sons; Russell of Champlain, Patrick and Joseph of Troy and Donald of the United States Air Force; three daughters, Mrs. Rita Moran of Latham, Mrs. Irene Reed of Watervliet, and Mrs. William (Mary) Moran of Ballston Spa; one sister, Mrs. Mary Giroux of Troy; 15 grandchildren, 14 great grandchildren and one great great grandchild.

Bearers were Francis, Richard and Alan Seymour, James Moran, Jr., Gary Bickes and Tom Kondenar. Burial was in St. Patrick's Cemetery in Rouses Point, where Father Beaudet and Msgr. Robert Farmer of St. Patrick's Church recited the committal prayers.

4. Line of Descendancy from a woman from Normandy Charlotte Joly to Sylvia Laduke



Beauport is the easternmost suburb of Quebec City. From there you can take the bridge to the Île d'Orléans. To get to Quebec City you can take the bridge on Rte. 132 or continue into Lévis and take a beautiful ferry ride to the city.

- 1 Charlotte Joly b: 1648 in Blois, Chartres, Orleanais, France, d: Dec 1718 in Beaumont, Québec
 + Antoine Drapeau b: 1642 in Fontenay-Le-Conte, La Rochelle, Poitou, France, m: Aug 20, 1669 in Ste. Famille, Île d'Orléans, Québec, d: Aug 1717 in Beaumont, Québec
- ..2 Jean-Baptiste Drapeau b: Apr 1672 in Ste. Anne de Beauce, Québec, d: Apr 1721 in Beaumont, Québec
 + Marie-Ursule Bolduc b: Jul 1675 in Québec City, Québec, m: Aug 11, 1700 in Lévis, Québec, d: May 1742 in St. Vincent de Paul, Québec
- ...3 Maire-Jeanne Drapeau b: Feb 1702 in Beaumont, Québec
 + Charles Galarneau b: Nov 1697 in Québec City, Québec, m: Jan 07, 1721 in Laval, Québec, d: Jun 1743 in Québec
-4 Louis Galarneau b: Jun 1706 in Québec City, Québec, d: Aug 1778 in L'Assomption, Québec
 + Angélique Goulet b: Jul 1706 in Beauport, Québec, m: Lachenaie, Québec, d: L'Assomption, Québec
-5 Pierre Galarneau b: May 1739 in L'Assomption, Québec, d: 1821
 + Elizabeth Leblanc b: Apr 1744 in Grand Pré, Acadia, m: May 02, 1768 in L'Assomption, Québec, d: 1810
-6 Marie-Élizabeth Galarneau b: Jul 1769 in L'Assomption, Québec
 + Antoine Leduc b: 1745 in Montréal, Québec, m: Feb 03, 1800 in L'Assomption, Québec
-7 Bartholemi Médard Leduc b: Aug 1807 in L'Assomption, Québec
 + Charlotte Lapierre b: Abt. 1810 in Québec, m: Sep 22, 1829 in L'Assomption, Québec
-8 Louis Laduke b: Oct 1833 in Québec
 + Margaret Bosley b: Jun 1839 in Terrebonne, Québec, m: Mar 10, 1857 in Keeseville, NY d: Mar 22, 1911 in Black Brook, NY
-9 Francis Laduke b: Jan 01, 1885 in Black Brook, NY d: Apr 16, 1962 in New York
 + Margaret Lashway b: Abt. 1880, m: Apr 03, 1899 in Standish, NY
-10 George Laduke b: Jul 04, 1906 in Black Brook, NY d: Aug 21, 1965, Where Lived: 1963 in West Chazy, NY
 + Edith Coryer b: Abt. 1900

Plattsburgh Press Republican – April 18, 1962

Swastika – Frank Laduke, 77, died Monday at the home of his son, Richard Laduke, of Swastika.

Mr. Laduke was born January 1, 1885, in Swastika. He was the son of Louis and Margaret Bosley Laduke.

Surviving are six sons, Richard, Swastika; Roger, Au Sable Forks; Raymond, Peru; Ernest, Peasleeville; George and Francis, West Chazy.

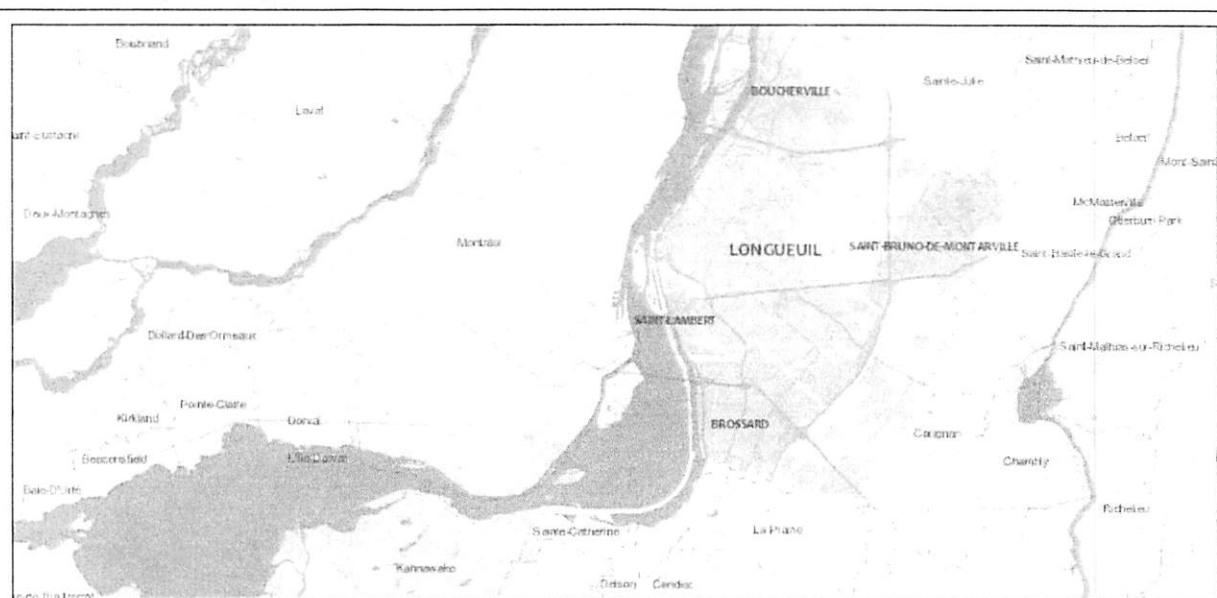
Also surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Priscilla Mousseau of Au Sable Forks; and Mrs. Victoria Watson, Keene Valley; and one sister, Mrs. Monty Saye, Morrisville.

-11 Bernard George Laduke b: May 07, 1921, d: Oct 18, 1993,
 Where Lived: 1973 in Ausable Forks, NY
 + Veronica Fournier b: Oct 12, 1923, d: Feb 19, 1986
-12 Sylvia Laduke b: Abt. 1960, Where Lived: 2011 in Plattsburgh, NY

5. Line of Descendancy from a woman whose origins are unknown Francoise Pietou to Brenda Dwyer

- 1 Françoise Pietou b: 1651 in Pont-Aven, Quimper, Cornouailles, Bretagne (Finisterre), France
 d: Sep 1700 in Montréal, Québec
 + André Achin Dît André b: 1646 in Rebec, Galapian, Agen, Guyenne (Lot-et-Garonne), France,
 m: Oct 24, 1667 in Trois-Rivières, Québec
- ..2 François Achin Dît Catin b: 1684
 + Marie-Madeleine Seguin b: Aug 1676, m: Jan 07, 1704 in Longueuil, Québec
- ..3 Marie-Françoise Achin b: Jul 1707

+ Jean-Baptiste Biguet b: Jan 1701



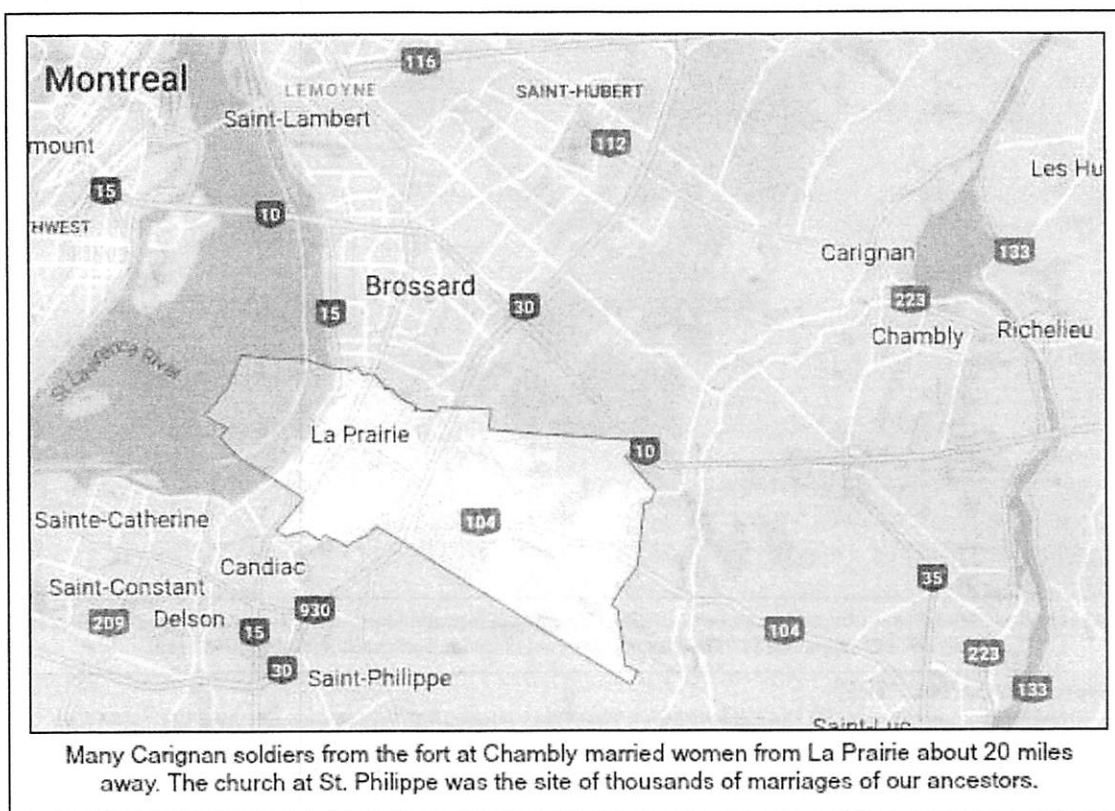
To get to Longueuil from Clinton County you can go up Rte. 15 from Champlain. Many county residents have ancestors from La Prairie and Boucherville to the south and north of Longueuil across the river from Montreal.

- ...4 Joseph Billet b: Nov 1743
+ Judith Marie Angélique St. Marie b: Nov 1743 in Longueuil, Québec, m: Apr 08, 1771 in Longueuil, Québec
-5 Suzanne Billet b: 1792
+ Antoine Lavallée b: Abt. 1785, m: Oct 16, 1809 in Longueuil, Québec
-6 Suzanne Lavallée b: Apr 1818 in New York d: Jun 03, 1895 in Sciota, NY
+ John Neverette b: Aug 1818 in Québec, d: Dec 09, 1900 in Sciota, NY
-7 William Joseph Neverett b: Mar 1864 in Sciota, NY
+ Josephine Dagoon b: Mar 10, 1868 in Champlain, NY m: Jan 01, 1885, d: May 20, 1955
-8 Ernest Neverett b: Dec 14, 1888, d: Feb 11, 1985, Where Lived: 1947 in Sciota, NY
+ Ida Monette b: Abt. 1890, Where Lived: 1946 in West Chazy, NY
-9 Rita Neverett b: Aug 06, 1920 in Mooers, NY d: Jan 27, 2017 in Plattsburgh, NY
+ Bernard E. Dwyer b: Abt. 1920, m: Feb 05, 1949 in Sciota, NY d: Apr 24, 1991
-10 Brenda Dwyer b: Abt. 1960, Where Lived: 2017 in Carver, MA

6, Line of Descendancy from a woman who lived in other than Paris or Normandy Marie Prevost to Linda Bechard

- 1 Marie Prevost b: 1650 France
+ François Bruneau Dit St. Antoine b: 1638, m: Oct 09, 1669 in Québec City, Québec, d: 1681
- .2 François Bruneau b: Jun 1675, d: Jul 1731 in Beauport, Québec
+ Marie-Madeleine Bourgoïn b: 1683, m: Feb 21, 1702 in Beauport, Québec, d: Jun 1722 in Beauport, Québec
- ..3 Joseph Bruneau b: Feb 1712 in Beauport, Québec, d: Nov 1754 in La Prairie, Québec
+ Marie-Jeanne Deneau b: 1717, m: Nov 20, 1741 in La Prairie, Québec
- ...4 Marie-Joseph Bruneau b: Jul 1744 in La Prairie, Québec
+ Pierre-Joseph Lanctot b: Nov 1745 in La Prairie, Québec, m: Jan 09, 1769 in St. Constant, Québec
-5 Josèph Lanctot b: Abt. 1775
+ Joseph-Jacques Robert b: Jul 24, 1780, m: Jul 14, 1806 in La Prairie, Québec, d: Jan 18, 1839
-6 Zoë Robert b: Abt. 1810
+ Pierre Robert Jr. b: Abt. 1810, m: Jun 16, 1828 in La Prairie, Québec

.....7 Alphonsine Robert b: Abt. 1834



+ Julien Boire b: Abt. 1832, m: Feb 13, 1855 in La Prairie, Québec, d: May 02, 1889 in Napierville, Québec

.....8 Odilon Boire b: Feb 27, 1861 in St. Philippe, La Prairie, Québec, d: Mar 14, 1930 in Napierville, Québec

+ Emma Virginia Tetreault b: Jul 10, 1867 in Napierville, Québec, m: Sep 20, 1887 in Napierville, Québec, d: Feb 17, 1941 in Napierville, Québec

.....9 Marie Aldoria Boire b: Dec 01, 1891 in Napierville, Québec, d: Feb 04, 1984 Plattsburgh, NY
+ Domina Joseph Béchard b: Mar 27, 1889 in Lacolle, Québec m: Jun 24, 1913 in Napierville, Québec, d: Oct 17, 1964 in Coopersville, NY Where Lived: 1963 in Coopersville, NY

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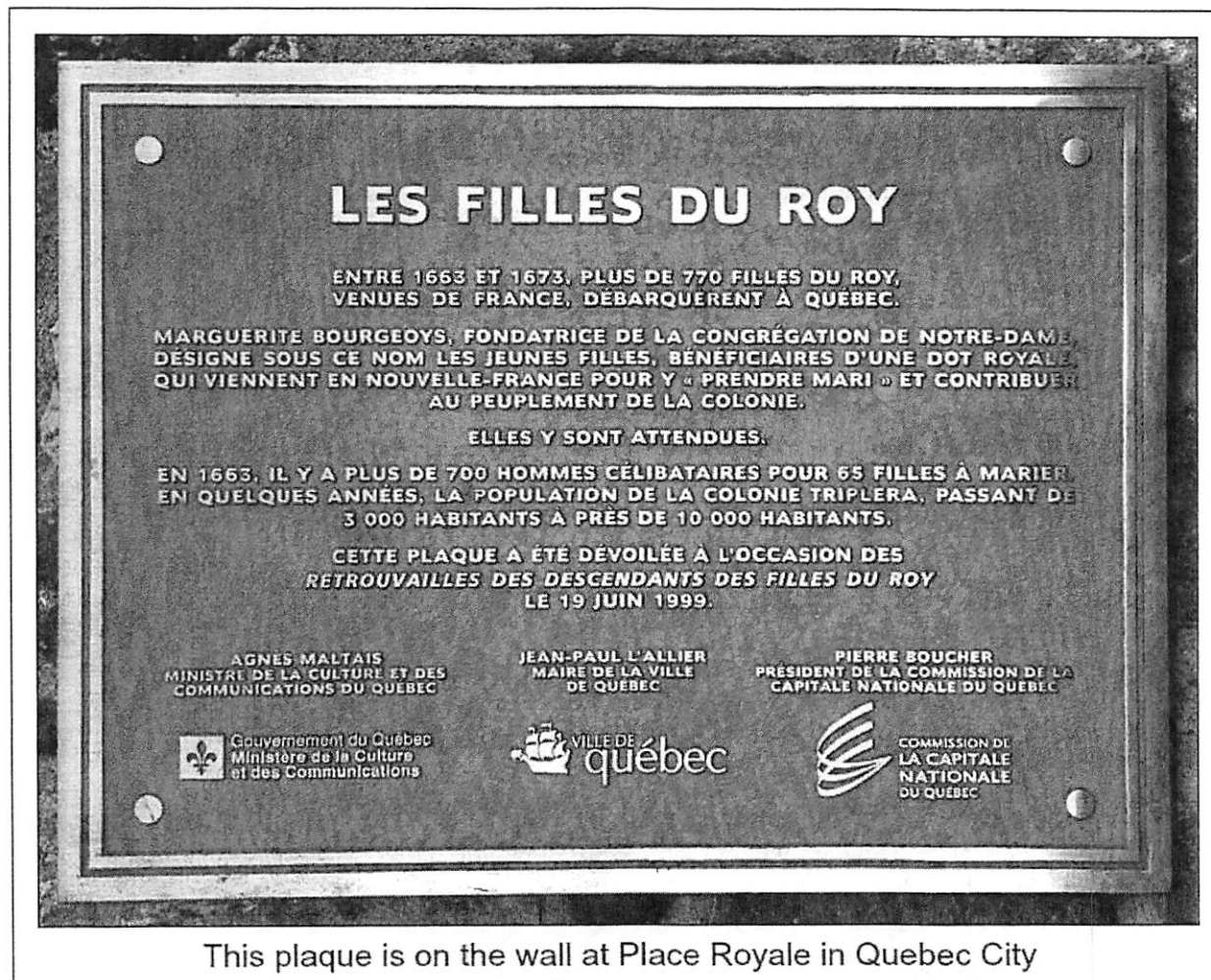
Mr. and Mrs. Domina Bechard of Cooperville celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary recently. A solemn high Mass was sung at 8 p. m. by Rev. Cyril Rapin at St. Joseph's Church. Mr. Bechard, now 75 years of age, and Mrs. Bechard, now 71, were married June 24, 1913 in Napierville, Quebec. A dinner and reception were held at the Anchorage Hotel in Rouses Point by their twelve children. Father Rapin gave the blessing.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Gonyo of West Chazy; Mr. and Mrs. Antonio Bechard of Chazy; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mitchell of Ludlow, MA; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shomsky of Bridgeport, CT; Mr. and Mrs. Warren Diffendoll of Deep River, CT; Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Bechard of Coopersville; Mr. and Mrs. Marcel Bechard of Rouses Point, Mr. and Mrs. Fernand Bechard of Fitch Bay, Quebec, Mr. and Mrs. J. Rene Bechard of Cooperville, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Glode of Champlain, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Billows of Falls Church, VA, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gooley of Champlain. Also present were the thirty-three grandchildren.

Open house was held at their home where they were the recipients of the blessings and gifts from friends and families.

.10 Maurice Marcel Bechard b: Jul 14, 1925 in Coopersville, NY

d: Jan 21, 2007 in Rouses Point, NY Where Lived: 1990 in Rouses Point, NY
 + Shirley Ruth Legnard b: Mar 30, 1929 in Mooers, NY m: Jun 10, 1950 in Rouses Point
 Where Lived: 2009 in Rouses Point, NY
11 Linda L. Bechard b: Apr 01, 1951 in Plattsburgh, NY d: Aug 28, 2009 in Burlington, VT



This plaque is on the wall at Place Royale in Quebec City

You will find this page from Wikipedia useful.
 On it there are many links to filles du roi and Carignan soldiers.
https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/King%27s_Daughters



CHILTON/YOUNG CONNECTION

David Bell, a genealogist who lived and worked in Alburgh, VT, and was a member of our society. This is some research he did on the Young family who were early settlers of Caldwell Manor, Quebec.

THE ALEXANDER YOUNG FAMILY

Alexander Young born about 1740 in Highlands, Scotland

+ Elizabeth Sneed 1742

Alexander was a British Soldier in the French and Indian Wars who was at Ticonderoga

(1) James 1762

+ Elizabeth – 1 child

+ Saloma Comar (died Jan 19, 1855 in Moira, NY)

He had one child by Elizabeth and 7 children by Saloma

(2) Nancy 1764 — Dec 7, 1850 Married

+ John Robert Chilton 1762 — Oct 1, 1850

Nancy and John are buried Alburg Center Cemetery, Alburg, VT

(3) Margaret Nov 5, 1768 — Apr 23, 1841 Born Skenesborough, NY (Whitehall)

+ Col. Charles Kilborn Mar 3, 1758 — June 19, 1834

Margaret and Charles were married Feb 1784, they are buried in Stanstead, Quebec

(4) Andrew Nov 5, 1771 — Dec 8, 1860 Born Skenesborough, NY (Whitehall)

+ Mary Currier Aug 24, 1779 — Nov 27, 1851

Mary was the daughter of Abner and Sara Chase Currier. They were married in 1801 and had 12 children. They are Ruitter Cemetery, Stanstead, Quebec

(5) Mary Sept 11, 1781 — Sept 26, 1845

+ John McGovern 1771 — July 3, 1845 born Scotland

(6) CHARLES Jan 5, 1782 — Oct 12, 1854 Probably born Quebec, Canada

+ ELIZABETH WILLIAMS Nov 22, 1785 — Jan 24, 1865

In 1830 Charles lived in Focault, Quebec



Some descendants of Alexander Young are living in Ellenburg Depot today.

1 Alexander Young b: Abt. 1737 in Highlands of Scotland

+ Elizabeth Sneed b: Abt. 1740 in North Carolina, m: Abt. 1760 in Québec

2 Nancy Agnes Young b: Abt. 1764 in Skenesborough (Whitehall), NY d: Dec 07, 1850 in Alburg, VT

+ John Robert Chilton b: Abt. 1762 in Newton Longville, Buckinghamshire, England

m: Probably St. Jean, Québec, d: Oct 01, 1850 in Alburg, VT

3 George Chilton b: Nov 06, 1787 in St. Jean, Québec, d: Apr 12, 1873 in Alburg, VT

+ Dezhiah Niles b: May 1798 in Vermont m: 1837, d: Dec 22, 1868 in Alburg, VT

4 Stephen N. Chilton b: Jul 20, 1839 in Alburg, VT d: 1906 in Ellenburg, NY

+ Juliette Sweet Pontbriand b: Apr 02, 1841 in Coopersville, NY m: Bef. 1860, d: 1914

5 Wyman G. Chilton b: 1876, d: Feb 22, 1909

+ Gladys Vanarman b: Nov 1886

6 Stephen Henry Chilton b: 1906, d: Apr 09, 1974

+ Lillian Arno b: Aug 02, 1919 in Ellenburg, NY m: Apr 23, 1942 in Ellenburg, NY

d: Dec 30, 1992

.....7 Stephen Henry Chilton b: Jun 05, 1954 in
Malone, NY

+ Debbie Marie Relation b: Abt. 1955 in New
York

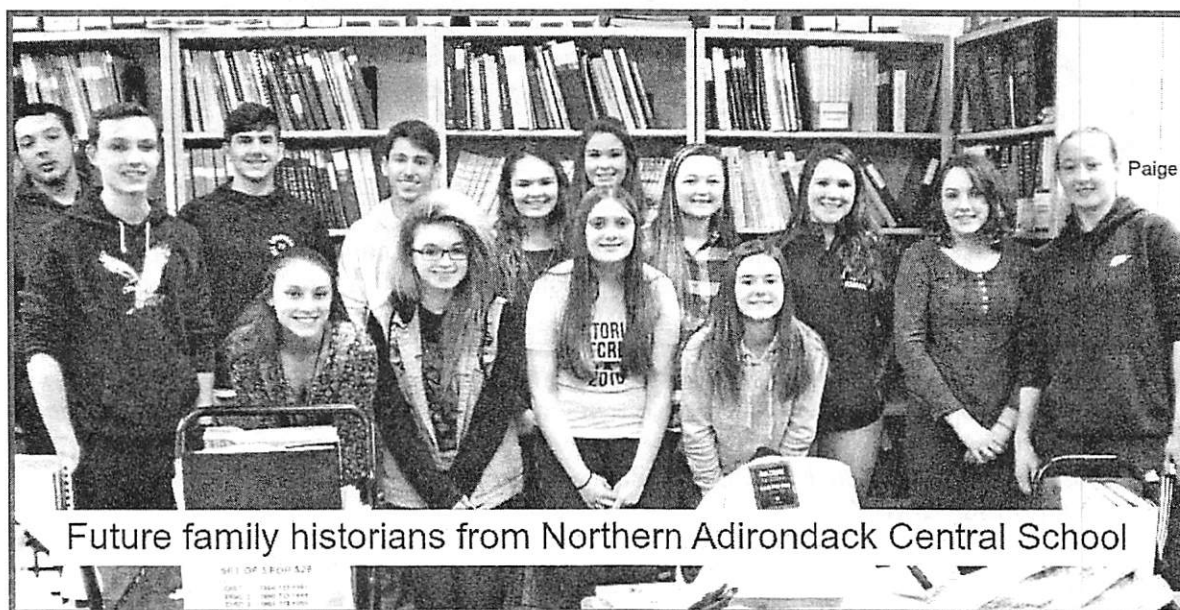
.....8 Stephen Henry Chilton b: in Plattsburgh New
York

+ Katy Marie Dowd b: in Plattsburgh, NY
m: Feb 08, 2000 in Ellenburg Corners,
NY

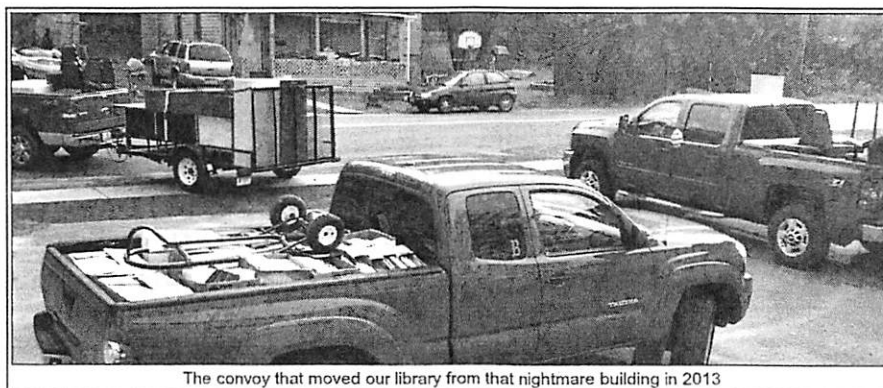
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Wyman G. ^ Chilton	father
Stephen N. ^ Chilton	father
George ^ Chilton	father
Nancy Agnes ^ Young	mother
Alexander ^ Young	father

A couple of years ago kids from NACS came to our library in Dannemora for a lesson in genealogy given by Dick Lynch. The enlightened French teacher was Kelley Carey. We wish more teachers would bring their students to the library to start them on their genealogical journeys.

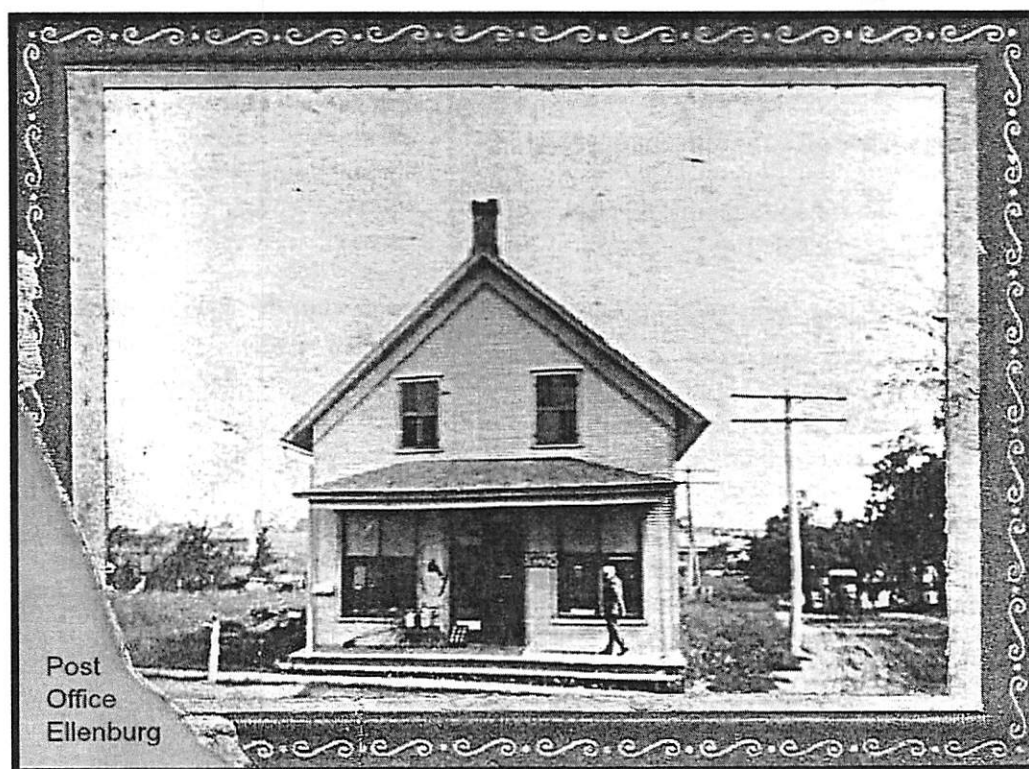


Future family historians from Northern Adirondack Central School



The convoy that moved our library from that nightmare building in 2013

CLINTON COUNTY CITIES, TOWNS, VILLAGES, HAMLETS



This is a list of names of settlements in Clinton County. The largest, of course, is Plattsburgh, but some are as small a few houses built around a crossroads. The names were taken from maps, gazetteers, and lists of post offices. Sometimes a post office area only lasted for a few years before it disappeared.

The following site will give you a list of Clinton County post offices from the late 1700s on.

<http://www.esphs.us/wp-content/uploads/2016/11/Clinton-County.pdf>

The Beer's Atlas of Clinton County is also helpful if you'd like to see where these areas are. Using this site will enable you to zoom in on all parts of the county.

<http://www.historicmapworks.com/Map/US/1606334/Altona+Township++Forest++Great+Chazy+River/Clinton+County+1869/New+York/>

Aaronsburgh
Acuny
Alder Bend
Alder Brook
Altona
Angellville
Arnold Hill
Arthur's Corners
Au Sable Chasm
Au Sable Forks
Banker Corners
Beartown
Beekmantown

Birmingham Falls
Black Brook
Blackman's Corners
Cadyville
Camp Post Office
Cannon's Corners
Champlain
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Chazy Lake
Chazy Landing
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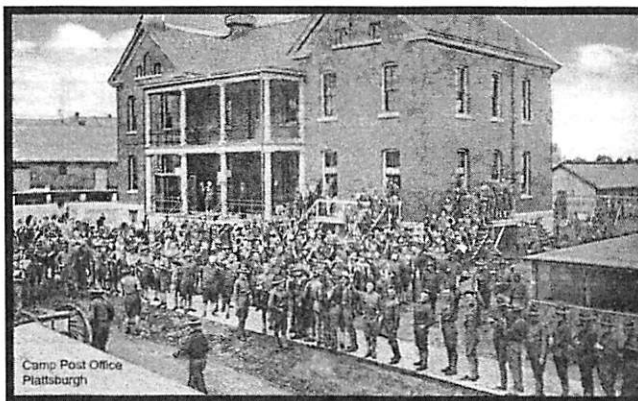
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Clintonville
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Comfort
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Dannemora
Dannemora Crossing

Devins Corners
 Disco
 Dunn's Bay
 East Beekmantown
 East Kilns
 East Peru
 Ellenburg Center
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 Ellenburg Depot
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 Farrell Place
 Ferrona
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 Frontier
 Garlick Falls
 Gibson Corners
 Gilroy Corners
 Gougeville
 Halsey's Corners
 Hammonds Corners
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 Harrigan
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 Hawkeye
 Highbank
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 Lapham's Mills
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 Lawrence's Mills
 Ledger's Corners
 Lobdell
 Louise
 Lyon Mountain
 Meaders
 Merrill
 Moffittsville

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 Mooers Forks
 (Centreville)
 Mooers
 Junction
 Morrisonville
 New Sweden
 Norrisville
 North
 Plattsburgh
 Paul's Rock
 Peasleeveville
 Perry's Mills
 Peru
 Peru Landing
 Pickett's Corners
 Plattsburgh
 Pleasant Ridge Corners
 Purdy's Mills
 Rock Corners
 Ralph
 Rogers
 Point au Fer
 Point au Roche
 Redford
 Riverview
 Robinson
 Rocky Point
 Rogersfield
 Rouses Point
 Russia
 Salmon River
 Sampson's Pond
 Saranac
 Schuyler Falls
 Sciota



Sherlock Mills
 Silver Lake
 South Junction
 South Plattsburgh
 Standish
 Star
 Swastika
 Telegraph Street - Peru
 Thomasville
 Union
 Union Falls
 Valcour (Port Jackson)
 West Au Sable
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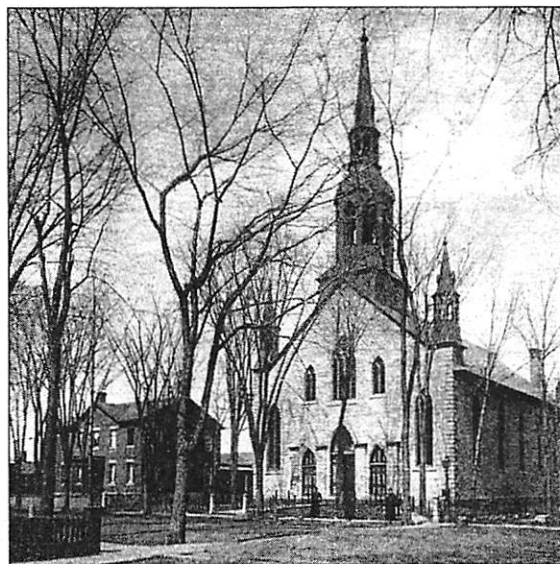


WHEN IS A FOUNTAIN NOT A FOUNTAIN?

By Dan & Eugenia Fountain

Alphonsine Fountain died on December 22, 1869, at the age of 16. She was not married. She had no children. She was buried from St. Peter's Church in Plattsburgh NY on Christmas Day. "What a mournful Christmas that must have been for her family," we said to each other. We met Alphonsine when we were piecing together our family history. Her youngest brother Emile was our great-grandfather.

Alphonsine and Emile were the children of Joseph Fountain and Julia Garant. Like so many French Catholic families of the time, the family was large. When Julia gave birth to Emile in 1864, her oldest son was married and expecting a child of his own. The Fountains lived on Cornelia Street in Plattsburgh. Joseph was a well-respected stone mason. When St. Peter's Church was established in 1853, Joseph was one of the original trustees. As we pursued our research, we learned that Joseph and



St. Peter's Church and Rectory - Plattsburgh, NY

Julia had been born in Canada, and all their children were born in New York. We followed the family's development through the US census records, which showed Joseph and Julia with three children in 1850, then seven children in 1860. By 1870, the household had expanded in both directions. There were two more children plus a new daughter-in-law, and now an older generation was living there too. Joseph's 94-year-old father and 77-year-old mother had moved in. We were pleased to learn their names, Baptiste and Marianne, because we had not been able to find a marriage record for Joseph and Julia to give us the names of their parents. We filled out the details of the whole family using federal, state and church census records along with church baptism, marriage and death records. We found Joseph and Julia's obituaries in the newspaper and their wills in the Surrogate Court. We were thrilled when we stood before their grave in the Old Roman Catholic Cemetery in Plattsburgh. Joseph was buried there, along with Julia. Joseph's father Jean Baptiste was there with his name carved clearly, "John B. Fountain." Joseph and Julia's son Francis Xavier was there too, and another child whose name was too weathered for us to read. McClellan's cemetery records say the child's name was Josephine, but because the date was December 22 (illegible year), we believe this person was our Alphonsine.

This Indenture made the first day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty three between Lawrence Meyer of Plattsburgh in the County of Clinton and State of New York and Maria his wife and Joseph Fountain of the same place of the second part. Witnesseth that the said Party of the first part for and in consideration of the sum of one hundred and ten dollars to them in hand paid by the said Party of the second part at or before the executing and delivery of these presents he receipt whereof is hereby Confirmed and acknowledged have granted bargain'd sold conveyed released

Joseph Fountain - Deed

We moved on to trace Jean Baptiste Fontaine back into Canada, but soon we hit a snag. We found the marriage record for Jean Baptiste Fontaine and Marianne Boulerice, but it said they were married in 1828, and we knew that our Joseph had been born in or about 1816. Clearly, Jean Baptiste had

married Marianne after his first wife, Joseph's mother, had died. Sure enough, we found that in 1805 Jean Baptiste was married to Marie Ann Gagne in the parish of St. Constant, La Prairie, Quebec. There too we found the birth records of their children, Joseph's five older siblings and one younger sibling. Oddly, we could not find a birth record for Joseph either at St. Constant or in any nearby parish. Pressing on and using the Canadian church records (Quebec, Canada, Vital and Church Records (Drouin Collection), (1621-1968), we were able to trace the Fountain line all

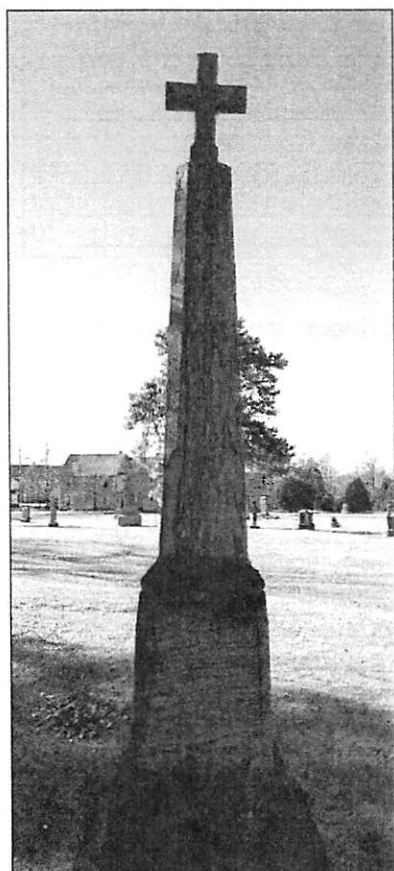
the way back to France. We felt frustrated that we had neither a birth record nor a marriage record to conclusively prove Joseph's place in the line, but the genealogy experts we consulted assured us that we had enough evidence without those documents. We concluded we had hit a wall and decided to move on to search other lines in our family tree.

Naturally, some of those other lines were also families of St. Peter's Church in Plattsburgh. Months after moving on from our research on the Fountains, we were scanning the transcribed records of St.



Church of St. Constant - St. Constant, Quebec

Peter's Church looking for the Renaud family. Our eyes fell on an entry on the same page. A 7-year-old child named Alphonsine Quintal had died on December 22, 1869 and been buried on December 25. "Weren't those the same dates as our Alphonsine Fountain?" We quickly checked and found that yes, indeed they were, but our Alphonsine died at 16 years old, not 7. Even more curious, Alphonsine Quintal's mother was Julie Garant. We struggled to understand what we were seeing. We toyed with the idea that there was epidemic in 1869. "But what was the likelihood that two different girls, both named Alphonsine, died on the same day? And how could both of their mothers have the same name? This can't be just a coincidence," we said to each other. "Let's take a look at the original."



Fountain Grave
St. Peter's Cemetery
Plattsburgh, NY

We loaded up the microfilm and found the page. There was the name in the margin, "Alphonsine Quintal." We analyzed the entry, slowly deciphering the priest's handwriting and translating the French words. It said that Alphonsine Quintal was "seize ans" not "sept ans"— 16 years old, not 7. Her father's name was Joseph Quintal. And then the wall we had hit months earlier began to crumble. "Could Joseph Quintal be another name for Joseph Fountain? Could they actually be one and the same person?" Pieces of the family picture began to shift and fall into place. "Was the Marianne Boulerville who was living with Joseph Fountain and Julia Garant in 1870 not his stepmother but his mother? Was Jean Baptiste Fontaine not Joseph's father but his stepfather?"

This theory needed to be tested, so we immediately got started by looking up Joseph Fountain and Julia Garant's other children in the original records from St. Peter's. We didn't have to look far. When Joseph and Julia's oldest son Joseph got married in 1864, the priests dutifully recorded his name in Latin as Joseph Napoleon Quintal "vulgo" (i.e. "commonly" or "usually") Fontaine and his

parents' names as Joseph Quintal "vulgo" Fontaine and Julia Garant. Likewise, when Joseph and Julia's daughter Mary got married in 1866, her parents' names were recorded in French as Joseph Quintal "dit" (i.e. "said" or "known as") Fontaine and Julia Garant. Our theory was proven.

Next, we returned to the records from Laprairie, Quebec. There in the parish of St. Philippe we found the birth record that had eluded us. Joseph Quintal—our Joseph Fountain—was born in 1816, the son of Joseph Quintal and Marianne Boulrice, who had been married at St. Philippe in 1815. We found the death of Joseph Quintal the father in 1824. We discovered three more children of Joseph Quintal and

Page No. 56 } See Inquiries numbered 7, 16, and 17 are not to be asked in respect to Indians. Inquiries numbered 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 18, and 20 are to be answered (if at all) merely by an affirmative mark, as /.

SCHEDULE 1.—Inhabitants in Plattsburgh, in the County of Clinton, State of New York, enumerated by me on the 23 day of June, 1870.

Post Office: Plattsburgh New York Wm. Woodhouse, Asst. Marshal.

1	2	3	PERSONS			7	VALUE OF REAL ESTATE OWNED		10	PERSONS		14	15	16	17	18	19	20
			4	5	6		8	9		11	12							
The name of every person whose place of abode on the first day of June, 1870, was in this family.		AGE AND SEX			Profession, Occupation, or Trade of each person, male or female.	Value of Real Estate.	Value of Personal Estate.	Place of Birth, naming State or Territory of U. S., or the Country, if of foreign birth.	Color of foreign birth.	Whether deaf and dumb, blind, lame, or idiotic.	Whether insane.	Whether deaf and dumb, blind, lame, or idiotic.	Whether insane.	Whether deaf and dumb, blind, lame, or idiotic.	Whether insane.	Whether deaf and dumb, blind, lame, or idiotic.	Whether insane.	Whether deaf and dumb, blind, lame, or idiotic.
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2			Marion	36	F	do												
3	324	386	La Fontaine	John	55	do	1000	100	Canada	/								
4			Julia	57	F	do				/								
5			August	19	M	do			New York									
6			Edward	14	M	do												
7			Annie	8	F	do												
8			Emilie	5	F	do												
9			Baptiste	44	M	do			Canada	/								
10			Marianne	44	F	do				/								
11			Frank	14	M	do	1000	200	New York	/								
12			Ellen	21	F	do				/								

Marianne Boulrice. All the dates fit with what we already knew about Marianne's marriage to Jean Baptiste Fontaine. For the first time we understood that the French words "veuve" and "veuf" meant "widow" and "widower." Finally, the wall was demolished, and we were able to see the whole picture, all the way back to when the first Francois Quintal emigrated from France to Canada in 1662.

Here is a brief sketch of three generations of the Quintal-dit-Fountain family:

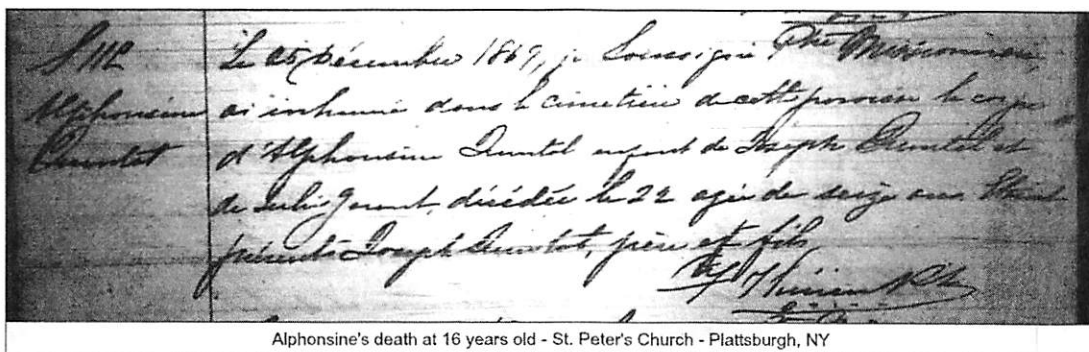
Joseph Quintal was born at Boucherville, Quebec on 19-Dec-1786. He married Marie Raymond at St. Philippe, Laprairie, Quebec, on 25-Nov-1811. It was the first marriage for both. They had no children when Marie died on 15-Apr-1813.

Joseph Quintal, now a widower, married Marianne Boulrice at St. Philippe, Laprairie, Quebec, on 23-Oct-1815. The marriage was his second and her first. Together they had four children, all of whom were baptized at St. Philippe.

- Joseph was born on 11-Feb-1816.
- Theophile was born on 8-Nov-1817. • Pierre was born on 29-Mar-1819.
- Clothilde was born on 6-Jan-1821.

On 27-Oct-1824, Joseph Quintal died leaving his widow Marianne Boulrice and the four children. Joseph, the eldest child, was 8 years old and Clothilde, the youngest, was 3.

Meanwhile, Jean Baptiste Fontaine had married Marie Anne Gagne on 14-Oct-1805 at St. Constant, Laprairie, Quebec. Together they had six children, all of whom were baptized at St. Constant.



Alphonsine's death at 16 years old - St. Peter's Church - Plattsburgh, NY

- Jean Baptiste was born in 1806.
- Marie Anne was born in 1808. She died in 1810
- Paul was born on 13-Aug-1810. • Chrysanthé was born on 9-Sep-1812
- Vital was born on 23-Jun-1814
- Marcelline was born on 1-Aug-1821

On 5-Mar-1827, Marie Anne Gagne died leaving her widower Jean Baptiste Fontaine and the five surviving children, all of whom were under the age of 21.

Less than a year later, on 18-Feb-1828, the widower Jean Baptiste Fontaine married the widow Marianne Boulerice. Marianne's son Joseph Quintal had just turned 12 years old. Over the next five years Jean Baptiste and Marianne had three more children, all of whom were baptized at St. Philippe in Laprairie, Quebec.

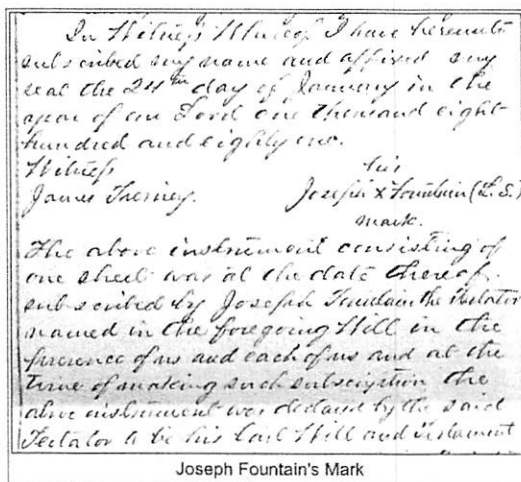
- Pauline was born on 12-Oct-1828.
- Seraphin was born on 28-Nov-1830.
- Gabriel was born on 17-Jun-1833.

In 1835, Jean Baptiste Fontaine, Marianne Boulerice, and their blended family of twelve children (ages 2 to 29) moved to Plattsburgh NY. Joseph Quintal was about 19 years old at the time.

Within a few years, Joseph Quintal, commonly known by his stepfather's surname as Joseph Fountain, married Julia Garant. Together they had at least ten children.

- Joseph (1843-1919) married Elizabeth Charron/Sharron and had seven children
- Francis Xavier (1844-1875) married Helene Payette and had three daughters
- Mary (1847-1878) married John Briggs and had six children
- Theophilus (1850-1914) married Henriette Chaoude aka Hattie Sherwood and had seven children
- Pierre was born in 1852 and died in childhood
- Alphonsine was born in 1853 and died unmarried in 1869
- Edward was born in 1856. He married and had at least one child
- Charles was born about 1860 and died in childhood
- George Orill was born in 1862. He married Lucy Peterson and had three children
- Emile (1864-1909) married Josephine Renaud/Erno and had two children

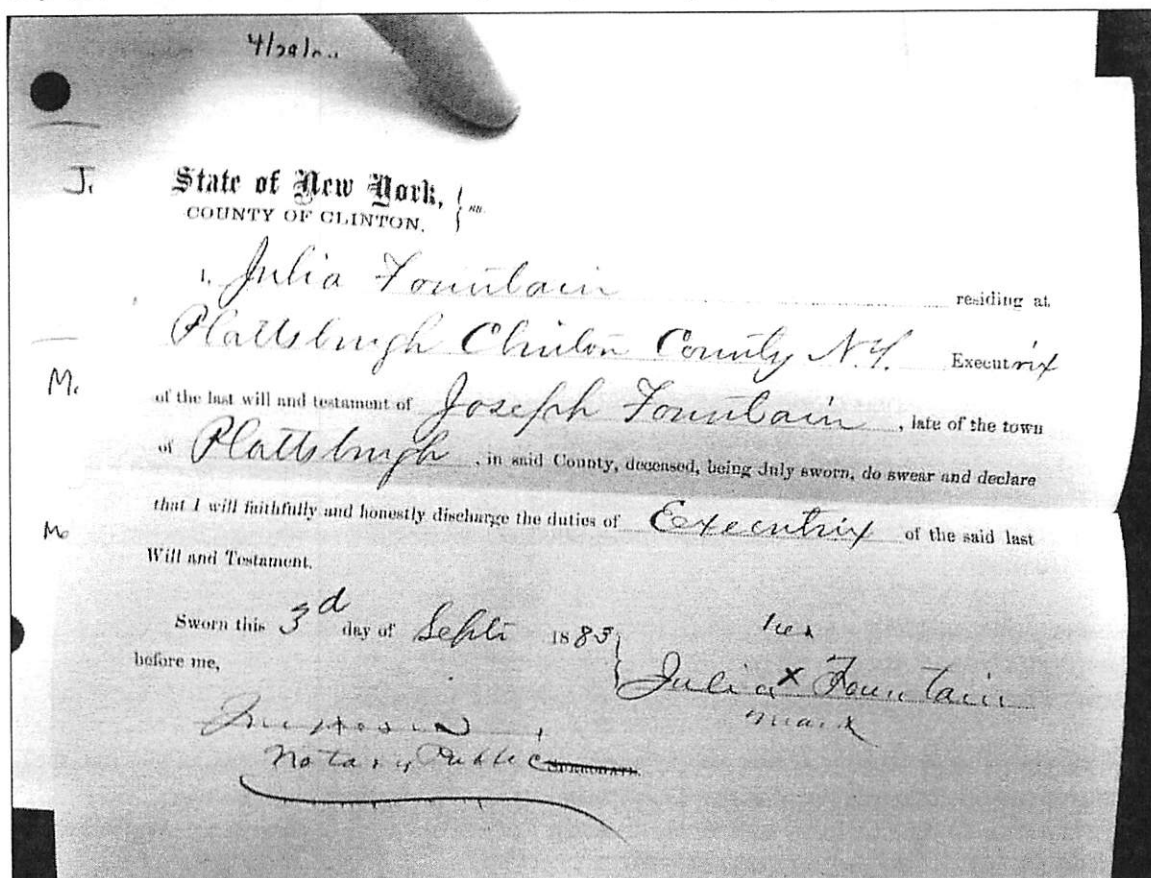
Over the years, three of the priests at St. Peter's Church were careful to write Joseph's surname as "Quintal" or "Quintal vulgo Fontaine" or "Quintal dit Fontaine" in their



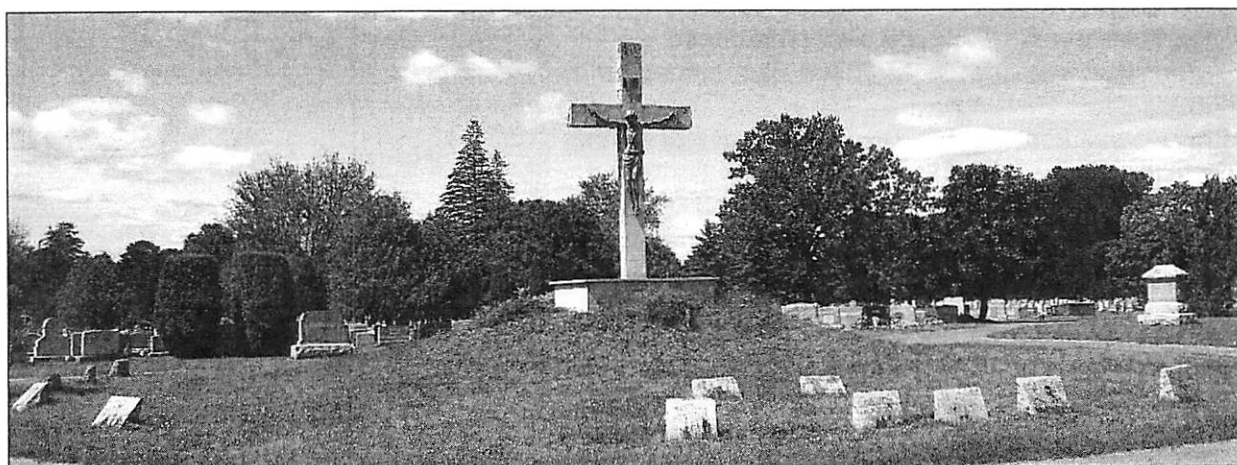
Joseph Fountain's Mark

official records. To the rest of the priests, and in every other aspect of life, Joseph Quintal was known as Joseph Fountain. Joseph Fountain was the name he used when he bought real estate, the name he reported to census takers, the name he used when he wrote his will, and the name he had carved on his gravestone.

So it is that a young woman who died at the age of 16, unmarried and without children, proved to be the key that unlocked the door to our family history. Thank you, Alphonsine!



From the Latin, the term **vulgo** means "alias" or "also known as." In some cultures, it is common to see a second name in addition to the surname, preceded by the word "vulgo", meaning "so-called" or "also known as." The second of "vulgo" surname may also change when one relocates.

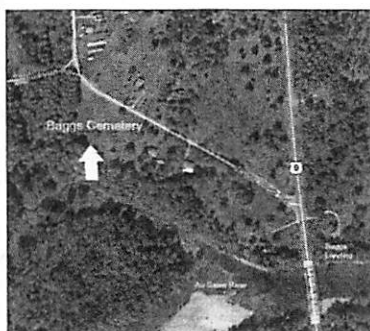
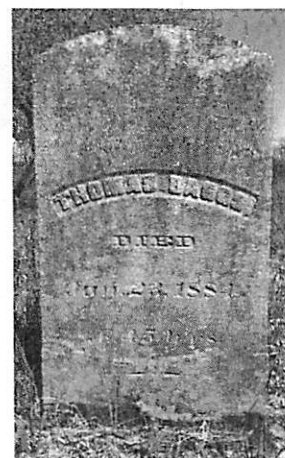
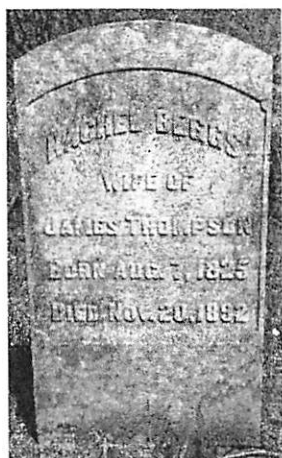




The Baggs, or Beggs, Cemetery is at the south end of the Jabez Allen Road in Peru

BAGGS CEMETERY - PERU, NY

In May 2019, NNYACGS Board Members, Julie Dowd and Helen Nerska, went to this cemetery and added pictures of the stones to Findagrave. Photographing stones is a great thing to do when you go for a walk. People appreciate new photos on the internet. Spring and fall are the best times to go,



Frozen to Death.

We learn that Thomas Baggs, of the town of Peru, was found dead a few mornings since, under the following sad circumstances: He visited the house of his brother, William Baggs, to remain all night. Being ill, he got up in the night several times, going out of the house and returning. But the last time he returned no farther than the door-step. The family supposed he had come in the house and was in bed, till morning, when he was found on the door-step, frozen to death. These are the particulars as we learn them.

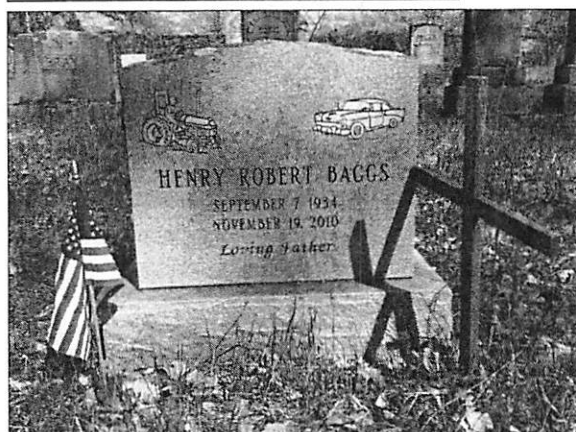
Plattsburgh Sentinel - January 25, 1884

In Peru, Nov. 19, 1882, of dropsy of the heart, **MARY JANE**, eldest daughter of James and Sarah Baggs, aged 21 years.

Plattsburgh Sentinel - December 1, 1882

—Mr. James Baggs has been fixing up their old family burying ground, cleaning it out and setting up stones at his parents' grave. This yard has been used by their family for over 100 years.

Plattsburgh Sentinel - July 4, 1879



Peru - Henry Robert Baggs, 76, of NYS State Route 9, Peru, died Friday, November 19, 2010 at his home under the care of his loving family and Hospice of the North Country. He was born in Plattsburgh, September 7, 1934, the son of Henry and Bessie (Weatherwax) Baggs. Robert, as he was fondly referred, grew up in Peru and graduated from Peru High School in 1953. His career with the NYS DOT, which spanned more than 30 years, was more pleasure than work for him. He took pride in his job and loved visiting about it with those interested in hearing about it. He enjoyed his family homestead overlooking the AuSable River and would occasionally take quiet walks on the family property, reflecting on the memories and history his land held. He also enjoyed spending time with his family especially his grandchildren.

Survivors include his four children, Donna Beggs and her partner Cheryl Simmons of Fort Worth, Texas, Robert Baggs and his companion Bonnie Shook of Peru, Rebecca Driver and her companion Rob Lawrence of Peru, and Lisa Beylis and her husband Alexander of Baltimore, Maryland; grandchildren, Jennifer Root and her husband Will, Amanda Zdanis, Christopher Zdanis and his wife Tierney, Josie, Zachery, and Matthew Driver, and William, Andrew, and Katelyn Beylis; one great-grandson, Christopher John Zdanis, Jr.; one brother-in-law, Morgan S. "Mike" Mickalsen of Peru; and several nieces and nephews and their families. He was predeceased by his parents and two sisters and one brother-in-law, Ethel Marion Pray (Jan. 9, 1997) and her husband Walter, and Margaret E. Mickalsen (Oct. 18, 2010).



Plattsburgh Press Republican - December 11, 1961 - KEESEVILLE - Funeral services for Henry Baggs, so, of Peru, is scheduled at the M. A. McDonough Funeral Home in Keeseville this afternoon at 2. Burial be in the Peru Cemetery. Mr. Baggs, a retired farmer, died Friday night at the Colonial Nursing Home in Keeseville. He is survived by his widow, the former Bessie Witherwax; one son, Robert Baggs of Peru; two daughters, Miss Margaret Baggs of Peru and Mrs. Walter Pray of Keeseville; also, five grandchildren.



The North Countryman - August 17, 1967 - Mrs. Bessie Baggs, 76, the widow of Henry Baggs, died July 28, 1967 at the Champlain Valley Unit of the Medical Center. She is survived by one son, Robert of Peru; two daughters, Mrs. Morgan Mickalsen of Peru and Mrs. Walter Pray of Keeseville; and six grandchildren. Funeral services were held July 31 at the M. A. McDonough Funeral Home, Keeseville. The Rev. Donald Buddie of Peru Community Church conducted the service. Bearers were - Arden and Laon Bedell, Wilfred Rock, Lloyd Fuller, Ronald Hanley and Arthur Benedict. Burial was in the Baggs Cemetery, Peru.

SOME STATEMENTS AS TO THE ANCESTRY OF THE VAUGHAN FAMILY AS WELL AS SOME OF THEIR DESCENDENTS

Written by Nathan A. Vaughan and Copied by Miss Rebecca Vaughan
Published in 1904 in San Francisco

David Vaughan was a native of Wales in the West of England. As to his birth, we have no means of knowing at what time it occurred. He had four sons, Benjamin, David, John and William. All four came to this country; William soon after returned to his native land. From those three that remained all by the name of Vaughan descended. Benjamin, eldest of the three brothers, was a practicing physician and celebrated for his skill in his profession. He settled in Providence, Rhode Island.

I cannot tell the date of their coming to this country and don't know who his wife was. He had only one son, by the name of Benjamin, who also became a successful physician and lived in Providence until 1765, then moved to Manchester, New Hampshire. He died there, about one year thereafter, leaving one son, also by the name of Benjamin, who was his father. Who his mother was when a girl, we cannot tell (as the records are lost), but her given name was Sarah.

My father, at the time his father moved to Manchester, was some eight years of age. They had another child, a daughter, who died in infancy. Sometime after the death of his father, his mother married again (as records are lost, we don't know the man's name). He lived about two years, leaving my grandmother a widow for the second time.

My father was bound out to be a farmer while still young, who being of a morose, tyrannical disposition, so abused my father that he determined to leave him. As the man and his wife were absent from home one day, he, my father, went into the house, and being able to read a little, found the papers of his indenture and took them to his mother, who very soon committed them to the flames. Then he went to learn the saddler's and harnessmaking trade. Since my remembrance he has done more or less at this business, and also done something in shoe business – could turn his hand to almost any kind of business.

He experienced religion, I think, soon after he was in the Revolution. He went into the war in the early part of it, being at the time about seventeen years of age. First enlisted in the New Hampshire State Troops and served one year. Then enlisted in the Continental Army and served two years and three months and marched through with Arnold to Quebec and got there about ten days after General Montgomery was killed, and there had the smallpox.

After he served some two years in the Army, he came home and was married to a Miss Sarah Beaman, daughter of Aron Beaman, July 1, 1777, then living in Dorset, VT, after which time he again went back to the Army, and was in Bennington Battle (then said to be the hottest battle ever fought in America), in which he was wounded twice, once in one ear, again on his little finger. Service, in all, in the Army was about three and a half years in the better part of his life. He received land warrant and pension while he lived. I have no exact date of the commencement of his preaching. He preached in Dorset, VT, and in a place called Nine Partners, NY, for some six or eight years.

By his first wife, he had six children:

David	born	August 25, 1778
Mercy	born	June 21, 1779
Daniel B.	born	November 8, 1781
Ira B.	born	December 31, 1783
Sally	born	April 9, 1786
William	born	April 19, 1789

David died young. Sarah, wife of Benjamin Vaughan, died August 25, 1790, aged 29 years, 10 months, and 14, days. Benjamin Vaughan was married the second time, in Plattsburgh, January 23, 1791, in the 34th year of his age, and she in the 22nd year of her age to Sylvina Averill, daughter of

Nathan Averill. He preached the first sermon that was ever preached in Plattsburgh. He was a Baptist, and his second wife (my mother), was a Presbyterian. Sometime after, she came forward and requested to be baptized in the likeness of her Savior.

By his second wife, he had ten children:

Benjamin J.	born	November 4, 1791
Clarina	born	December 22, 1793' died September 1795
Noble A.	born	June 20, 1796
Henry	born	June 11, 1798
Louisa	born	September 4, 1800, died October 14, 1800
Nathan A.	born	September 11, 1801
John	born	April 30, 1804
Abigail D.	born	June 28, 1806
Eliza	born	December 19, 1808; died January 1843
James E.	born	September 7, 1811

Sylvina Vaughan (my mother) died December 12, 1812, at some 43 years of age.

Benjamin Vaughan's third marriage was at Plattsburgh, February 12, 1814, to a widow, Mary Reynolds, consort of Charles Reynolds, a very worthy woman, who proved to be a mother to the motherless.

By his third wife, he had three sons:

Charles R.	born	March 1, 1815
Stephen A.	born	March 26, 1817
Ezra	born	July 11, 1822

Benjamin Vaughan died February 12, 1839, aged 81 years, 3 months and 27 days. Of the above-named children, Benjamin, Nathan and Charles live in the Town of Plattsburgh, Clinton County, NY. Noble lives in Beekmantown, P. O. address, West Plattsburgh. James E. living in the Town of Ellenburg, P. O. address, Ellenburg Center. Henry lives about 20 miles west of Chicago. Ezra lives in the Town of Saranac, Clinton County, NY. Abigail D. lives in the Town of Waverly, Tioga County, NY. John lately moved to Wisconsin with his son.

Mary Vaughan, my father's last wife, died December 12, 1847, aged 66 years, 2 months and seven days.

I shall not probably be able to give a satisfactory account of all my father's family but will do the best I can.

Of Mercy, the oldest of the first wife's children, none of us can give much information. I was informed by Sally Vaughan's husband that she was married to a man by the name of Sturdivant and moved to Erie, PA. I have taken pains to write to the postmaster of that place but can hear nothing from her. Daniel B. Vaughan married in Plattsburgh quite young to a miss Content Boorn, a daughter of Francis Boorn, a mechanic (spinning and flax wheel maker), a very respectable man, one of the early settlers of this town. They had nine children; Francis B., Alonson B., Daniel, Benjamin, Elizabeth, Aron, Anslan P., Content and Sarah.

Daniel B. Vaughan died May 10, 1826, aged 46 years, 1 month, 26 days. He was a man of intelligence, perseverance and honesty. For a number of years was Justice of the Peace in this Town. In time of war with Great Britain in 1812, was a captain in the artillery, and with 27 men defeated 500 of the best British soldiers, who, at what was called Waits Mill Bridge, undertook to cross the Saranac River at that place. It was five miles west of Lake Champlain where the said river empties at Plattsburgh village. There being a double log house, standing on the opposite side from where the British undertook to cross, behind which Vaughan's men took shelter and so rapidly did they discharge

their guns, and the deadly aim they took and the fatal consequences of the lead they used, that the British declared there were 500 of them (Yankees). The Redcoats fled and gave up the contest. He was afterwards promoted to a Colonel for gallant and meritorious conduct. He still lives in the hearts of a grateful people.

Ira Vaughan also married young to a sister of Daniel B.'s wife, Sarah Boorn. He was a great hunter. The country being new at that time, the woods were full of all kinds of game – bears, wolves, panthers, deer, moose and the like – and some pretty narrow chances did he run with some of them. But few were his equal to travel through the woods or elsewhere. Could turn his hand to almost any business; farmer, mechanic, hunter, traveler, trapper, and as spry as any other of his race. At this time, 1868, though some 84 years of age, I am informed surpasses many of the people now of the age of 50 appearances and agility, and but few retain their facilities as he does. They had, I think, 8 children, six sons and two daughters: Eliflett H., Ira B., Sarah B., Ruth, Esli, Eli, Erie, Anslen (there may have been more). All except Ira B., I think, live in Wisconsin near their parents, who at last hearing, were both alive and well. Ira B. lives in the Town of Saranac, Clinton County, NY, is quite a lawyer, has been Justice of the Peace a number of years and has a great many friends. He married a daughter of the late Lyman Manly. They have three children who live in the same place with their parents.

Sally Vaughan married a man by the name of Churchill Barnes, a very nice and capable man, soon after moved into the State of Pennsylvania, Town of Troy, County of Bradford, was a very useful member of society where he lived and died; was Justice of the Peace for many years, having the confidence of all and still lives in the hearts of those who knew him. His wife, Sally, died a number of years before he did. They had three children that lived so man and womanhood, and all married and have families, one son and two daughters. Daniel V. Barnes, his oldest and only son, now lives in New Jersey. He has one son, well-educated and in affluent circumstances. His eldest daughter, Clarissa, married, had three children and died. I think some of them were in the Army of the Rebellion. Some of the children, at my last knowledge of them, lived in the town of Porter, PA. The youngest, Sarah M., married a widower, had quite a family and still lives in the same place as her sister's children. Her P. O. address would be Sunashine, Porter Co., PA. She was a very capable and accomplished young lady, was able to write on almost any subject, makes a good wife and affectionate mother.

Benjamin Vaughan, Jr., the eldest of the second wife's children, married for his first wife a young lady by the name of Rebecca Baker, a daughter of the Honorable Captain John Baker, who was an early settler of Plattsburgh. Of social qualities and by his energies and perseverance and good economy, had obtained a handsome property. But in the war of 1812-14, owing to his exposures while out in that campaign, lost his health and soon after, I think in 1817, he died. He was captain of a light infantry company, patriotic to the core.

His wife was one of those resolute women who was capable above many women to manage affairs. She was left with a large family and many of them quite young. At the time her husband was out with the Army, the British came to Plattsburgh (and as I was speaking of Daniel B. Vaughan defeating so many with so few). At this time they came up by Captain Baker's house instead of taking the direct road along the river which would make it some two miles or more travel to get to the bridge across the river at Waits Mills and as they came along they halted near the home of Captain Baker and set out their sentinels, came in and wanted milk and refreshments which was permitted them by Mrs. Baker, they paying for what they had. There being a brook running between the house and a hill that lay between the brook and the river, the officers thought that the river ran along where the brook did, and they saw a smoke over the hill and asked Mrs. Baker what that smoke was. She told them it was at Waits Mill Bridge, across the Saranac River, and then they told here they supposed the river was this side of the mill and they found they had got to pass through considerable woods to get to the river, and thinking there might be some Yankee trick played upon them, they asked her where the captain was. She told them he was out with his men defending his county, and they had quite a confab

and finally the officers told her they were going down to the bridge and if there was a gun fired upon them while they were passing down they would burn all their buildings on their return. But she told them to burn and be damned. She would not flinch an inch. Her husband and one or more of her children were out to fight, if need be, their merry men or any that Great Britain had sent here, and she was going to let them know that it was their business to fight and she would stay up their hands as long as life or property would last. And if, in consequence of her showing her patriotism and independence the property must be burned, she was going to let them know she was not daunted by their cowardly threats. They returned from the bridge the same route but passed by without molesting the least thing – wouldn't let even their soldiers go into the orchard and get apples without paying Mrs. Baker for them, and well they did return the way they came for if they had come by the river road they would have found some Yankees to grapple with. They had placed their soldiers behind a large pine log, opposite side of the river and the moment they had come alongside they would have received the contents of their rifles. My brother Henry was one of them. They had received a sufficiency from Captain D. B. Vaughan's small handful of 27 men.

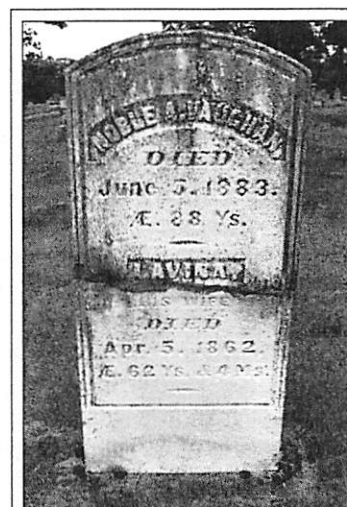
Benjamin was a shoemaker by trade and his wife a weakly woman. They had two children, George B. and Nathan W., who was an infant, his mother dying in child bed. They both are living, so far as I know. George B. lives in this place, Nathan W. in Ohio, both married and have families. After a few years, Benjamin married a lady by the name of Hannah Comstock, a great worker and a very prudent, good wife. They had quite a large family.

Names:

Lucious Vaughn	born	December 25, 1827
William Vaughn	born	December 3, 1829
Emeline Vaughn	born	December 2, 1831
Rebecca Vaughn	born	July 20, 1833
Smith Vaughn	born	September 9, 1835
Mariah Vaughn	born	December 19, 1837
Lucy Vaughn	born	March 22, 1842
Albert Vaughn	born	September 13, 1844

Noble A. Vaughan, the second son of my mother, was rather unfortunate. He went to help a neighbor to move a barn and I went with him with a yoke of cattle. After we had got the barn started a few rods, they found it necessary to take off the roof to lighten the building. I went on top of the roof to help rip off the boards and shingles and he was on the big beam inside the barn, knocking off the gable boards. I found my team had left, so came down and went for the team. About the time I overtook them, I heard a crash and saw the roof had fallen by which his hand was caught by some of the timbers and crushed to that he was crippled for life, and wonder to that that no one lost their life by the fall. He then devoted his time to study and finally taught school. He went to Vermont to teach and there became acquainted with a young lady by the name of Lovina Merriam, daughter of Joshua Merriam (a hatter by trade). They were married March 2, 1826, by whom he had eight children.

Sylvina Merriam Vaughan was born February 25, 1827. Emily Vaughan was born April 17, 1829. Abigail Celinda Vaughan was born March 24, 1831. Sally Maria Vaughan was born Friday, February 8, 1833. Adoniram Judson Vaughan was born Sunday, May 29, 1836. Elnathan Judson Vaughan was born Wednesday, October 2, 1839.



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Stephen Kingsley Vaughan was born Saturday, June 10, 1843. Elanor Eliza Vaughan was born Monday, November 2, 1846.

Sylvina the eldest, was married October 16, 1844, to Charles McIntyre.

Emily was married March 1858, to George Washer; had quite a family nearly all dying young.

Abigail C. Married Walter Chappel April 8, 1851. He died Jan 16, 1853. She died January 5, 1896.

Sally Maria married Allen Chappel, April 12, 1853.

Adoniram J. married Sarah Cornelia Darling, February 4, 1859. They had seven children.

Henry Vaughan, after the death of my mother, was of great help to my father with his large family and no girls large enough to do anything about the house. He had helped my mother in her poor health, so he was quite handy in doing housework; was quite a cook, so we got along weeks at a time without any woman's help. He was some 19 years of age when he went to learn the blacksmith's trade with a man by the name of Henry Wells, a good axe maker. He, being ingenious, learned quite fast and soon became master of his trade and set up a business for himself in what is now called Nip City. H soon after married a young lady by the name of Mary Worthley, a native of New Hampshire. Her father was an excellent carpenter and joiner and worked some at the cabinet business. They had seven children, named, Alexander, Irena, Caroline, Mary Jane Cornelia and Daniel. Five I think are still living and six married. Cornelia died in child bed. Four now live in Illinois not far from Chicago. Am unable to give you all their business qualifications. Am happy to say they are well respected and honorable member of society.

I come now as the next rotation to give you some account of myself and my family. Nathan A. Vaughan, born September 11, 1801. My mother died when I was in the 12th year of my age, too young to fully appreciate the blessing of a Godly mother, but, although more than half a century has passed away since her precious remains were committed to its Mother Earth to await the sound of the trumpet which shall awake and summon the sleeping millions to that great day for which all others were made, it has not, in the least in my mind, detracted anything from her moral worth. But as days and years increased my affections for that prize (though gone) has increased and at this time, 1868, while writing these mementoes (in my mind's eye) as clear as though she stood before me. I can see the tears flowing down her venerable cheeks while giving that wholesome counsel to her children, pointing them to the Lamb of God who was able to save their souls. Her counsels, I trust in the providence of God, has been the means of preserving me through this length of time from many of the ills to which human nature in this world of trouble, temptations and disappointments is beset, and while this bosom heaves and its contents throb it will be with grateful remembrance of a **Beloved Christian Mother**.

I was kept at school in my early boyhood as circumstances permitted. My father having a large family and somewhat embarrassed by being bail for one of his first wife's brothers, we had not the advantages of this time, 1868, but I got a tolerable common school education. At the age of twenty-and-one-half years I want to learn the blacksmith's trade with my older brother Henry, and after getting my trade, worked one year upon shares, or in company with him, then went into business for myself. I hired a shop and tools of a man by the name of John Banker, who kept a tavern, and hired my board with the same man for better than two years. '

In those days, we had no railroads. People went by their own conveyance or by stage: and this place being on a great thoroughfare from Plattsburgh to Malone, and from Essex County through to Chateaugay, French Mills and Ogdensburg, etc., it frequently brought a crowd to this house. As I was in the habit of playing on a bass-viol and singing with it frequently entertained quite a company. When I was in my 27th year, I married the second daughter of Captain John Baker, sister to my oldest on brother's wife., on October 10, 1827. My wife was in her 22nd year, born May 8, 1805, and we have had five children, three sons and two daughters. Names as follows: Calvin Demming Vaughan was born July 28, 1828. Cornelius Halsey Vaughan was born November 7, 1831. Cornelia Louisa Vaughan was born December 11, 1834, and died February 20, 1835, aged ten weeks and one day. William Ransom Vaughan was born on July 20, 1839. Charlotte Elizabeth Vaughan was born June 19, 1847.

In 1839, I got the Post Office of West Plattsburgh, established here at my place and renewed the appointment of Post Master and held the same through different administrations for over 20 years, until this administration came into power, and then it seems required a man under bonds to keep the peace with his neighbors for a postmaster, so I yielded to the pressure and gave it up. It was taken away from the community and given to a few. I tried to give my children a good common-school education. Each of the three boys had some chance in select schools and each tried the occupation of teacher, one term only, and nothing could induce either of them to try the second. C. D. Vaughan, when about 21 years old, went into the County Clerk's Office as Deputy Clerk under D. H. Parsons and served the whole term, gaining many friends, after which he thought to try his luck in the far West. He found a new place where the Illinois Central Railroad was locating its works in the town of Amboy, got him up a shanty and went into the furniture business. The town growing rapidly, and people coming in from a distance, required furniture to commence housekeeping, which made his business profitable, and, growing up with the place, he secured and still retains the confidence of the community. The village became a city in 1860, in 1866, he was elected Mayor of the city and was reelected in 1867. After being west about one year, he returned and married an amiable young lady, Marie Louisa Balch, a daughter of Deacon Chester Balch of Plattsburgh, and with her returned to his present location. They have had five children – named Charlotte, Hattie, Frankie, Fridie and Baby. In the latter part of the summer of 1867 his store was burned (a very large store and many goods); had only \$3,500 insurance upon the whole thing

A few days since he purchased the lot adjoining, has built up two large stores which must be by this time nearly fit to occupy. He owns several houses besides in the city. His rents, when finished will be over \$2,000 a year.

Cornelius H. Vaughan, after getting a tolerably good common-school education, attended the school at Fairfax, VT, and was much benefited by that school. He then pursued his studies with reference to the practice of medicine and improved his opportunities with Dr. L. F. Bidwell, after which he went to the medical college at Albany, NY, at which he finished his studies and graduated with honor. Located at Pecktonica, IL, was doing a successful business. His brother, C. D., in Amboy, being sick, he sold out and went to Amboy. While at Pecktonica, he married Miss Lucy Balch, a younger sister of C. D.'s wife. He remained at Amboy a year or two. His wife's father lost his second wife, stepmother to the doctor's wife, and persuaded them to come and run the farm and care for him. They did so for one season. In the meantime, the Rebellion broke out and he went into the 96th New York Volunteers as an assistant surgeon, went through the Peninsular Campaign under General McClellan, afterwards was promoted to head surgeon of the 43rd Regiment New York Volunteers, and for a while had charge of the United States Hospital at Beaufort, NC. He served through the war and nearly ruined his health. While in the Army, his young wife and infant son died which was a great blow to him. He is now doing a successful business with Bansemer Brothers & Co., of which he is one of the firms in a wholesale grocery store in Lafayette, IN.



Cornelius Halsey Vaughan
Morningside Cemetery - Malone, NY

William R., my third and youngest son, as well as his two brothers, had a pretty good education, and thought he would go to clerking, and went finally to Saratoga Springs with Mead & Woodruff. War came on; he was drafted, but, on examination, was cleared on account of heart trouble. Not being able to do hard work, he went West as traveling agent for the firm, in which his brother was engaged, with whom he is still engaged. Since he went West, by change of climate or otherwise, he has not been so much troubled with his heart.

Charlotte Elizabeth, our only daughter living, when in her fourth year went to one of the neighbor's, H. P. Darling, who had been trading in this place and who lived in one of my houses, he having a little girl a little older than ours and they were very fond of each other. They two went under the shed where his cutter was, and a large ferocious dog was lying in the cutter. They looked over and saw the dog. Charlotte spoke to the dog; he jumped and took her face in his mouth and shook her. One tooth went into her right temple and cut into the corner of her right eye and the other cut her nose in two just at the end of the nasal bone, the under part hanging to one side. Sure enough, I thought she couldn't live. Doctor Nelson was soon here, although he lived five miles away, and had to take nine stitches to fix the fragments together. To his skill and close attention, be it said, he saved the unfortunate girl from an early grave. For several years and after she was weakly and very delicate. A year or two after my wife and I went West and took her along, which proved very beneficial to her health. A few years after, she went to her brother in Illinois: the change agreed with her, and she became strong and healthy. She has since applied herself to music and the millinery business.

John Vaughan married in March 1833, to Alvira Hovey, and had quite a family – some eight or nine children – and his wife took a notice to leave him. This family has been scattered and have come up as best they could, and it nearly ruined him. Some of the children have married. One of his sons married and took his father to live with them, and last year moved to Wisconsin, since which time I have not heard from him. Two of his sons were in the Army of the Rebellion and were honorably discharged. Their names were Stephen and Albert. One of the girls married and lives near Fort Edward. Abigail D. was some 9 or 10 years of age when my sister, Sally Barnes, and husband were here on a visit from Troy, PA. Abigail went home with them, and when 19 or 20 years of age married a man of that place by the name of Horace Woodruff. She had two children; one died young; the other, named Sarah Eliza, married a man by the name of Edward Crans, had two children, and her husband was taken away by death, leaving her in good circumstances. She is still a widow, lets out his farm and has bought a village lot in the town of Waverly, Tioga County, NY. Some two years since she lost her only son, William Crans. Her daughter, Mary Crans, and her mother, Abigail D., are still living with her. Abigail D. Married some years after her first husband died a man by the name of Isaac Pierce. They lived together for several years, he dying soon after her daughter's husband; left Abigail poor. Her health was always delicate, but she still survives.

Eliza Vaughan lived to be a maiden lady and a great nurse. We all who reside here and have families have reason to say that he possessed not only a sister's love and kindness, but also a mother's care and sympathy and affection towards us and our children. She died in 1843, and as she approached the swelling Jordan and looked upon its surging billows she was calm and complacent, and, while the attendants were bathed in tears, she exclaimed; "I was never more willing to lay me down and sleep than I am now to cross over the Jordan of Death." There, at about the age of 25 years, did she pass away as calmly as summer evenings be. Who that could behold such calm sweetness in death but in the fullness of their souls would exclaim: "Let me die the death of the righteous, and let my last end be like this!"

James E Vaughan was about 18 months old when my mother died. He had several severe spells of sickness in his younger days, experienced religion quite young and united with the Baptist Church of Plattsburgh. He married about the age of 25 years to a Miss Malvina Boynton. She, too, was a member of the Baptist Church of Keeseville. He thought he had a call to preach the gospel and was authorized by the church to improve his gifts in that capacity, and, I hope he has been the means of doing some

good. They have had, I think, three children; two of them still live with their parents in Ellenburg Center, Clinton County, NY.

I now come to the third branch of the family. Charles R. Vaughan is a farmer and worth considerable property, which he has gained under embarrassing and trying circumstances. Before he was old enough to go into business for himself, he made a living with his father and mother on what was called her thirds – that is, the portion which she received from her first husband's estate, as that was all or about all she could have of his property, as he was a good deal involved when he died – and, as my father lost his farm in consequence of being bail for one of his first wife's brothers, this third, of some seventy-eight acres, was the land they had and this depended upon by mother's life for its continuance. There was a chance for Charles to buy the right of this piece of the man who owned the rest of the farm, and this, too, after her death, but his means were very limited. So, there arose a mutual understanding between the man and mother that he might give a mortgage on that and get the money to pay him so he could have a chance to go on for himself with this beginning. With an aged father in poor health, unable to do much, and mother getting something in hears, but a great worker (and a mother she was, indeed, to us all), the other two boys still younger to provide for, not being able to do much at that time, he started out upon the ocean, as it were, and commenced a new career for himself. During several years thereafter, he had a great deal of sickness in the family, during which time my father died. He had been unwell a long time, and a heavy doctor's bill was the consequence. One morning early, soon after my father had got out of bed and dressed, he sat by the stove. He fell forward and expired. Charles with his own hands did the last special act to prepare him for his burial. That was to take off his beard. He was well taken care of and buried in a suitable and decent manner. Something like one year thereafter he married a worthy young lady, Priscilla Mead, daughter of a wealthy farmer of this place, by whom he had three children – one daughter and two sons – names, Mary E. Vaughan, born July 3, 1844; married December 31, 1862, to William B. Dodge, son of Reverend Harvey B. Dodge, a Baptist minister; both she and her husband are worthy members of the Baptist Church of this place. Cyrenus R. Vaughan, born January 13, 1847, is now nearly 21 of age, and a nice young man. (According to that, this must have been written in 1868). Charles R., junior, born August 22, 1850, is a steady young man and a member of the Baptist Church.

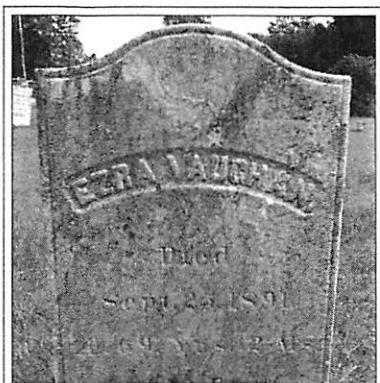


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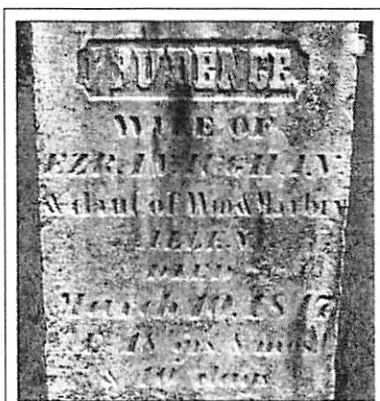
Priscilla Vaughan, C. R.'s wife, died December 29, 1850. Charles R., after living a widower for some fourteen months, married a second time to a worthy maiden lady named Mary Hobart, from Vermont. They had four children, all boys. The oldest died in infancy. Those remaining, named Jonas H. Vaughan, Omar M. Vaughan and George H. Vaughan, are quite an interesting group of good children.

Stephen A. Vaughan was married in 1841 to a young lady named Sally B. Hunter, daughter of a worthy deacon of the Baptist Church, a man only to be known to be loved, by whom he had two children, Charlotte H. and Henry Vaughan. The boy died aged about 2 years. The girl lived to be about 16 years of age – slender constitution and rather unfortunate; got run away with, was injured, and finally had the hip disease, lingered some time and endured a great deal of pain; was a very good-dispositioned person, and no doubt had gone home to rest. Stephen was an honest, industrious

person, and ever lives in the hearts of all who knew him. He died September 30, 1865. His wife survived a little over one year, when she died. Both were useful members of the Baptist Church.



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Ezra Vaughan, born in Plattsburgh, July 1, 1822, was a carpenter and contractor by trade and was quite successful in business. He was married to Prudence Allen April 24, 1845, when about 23 years of age. Two children, both boys, were born to them.

William Merritt Vaughan born February 19, 1846, died September 13, 1847.

Augustus Sylvester Vaughan, born March 17, 1847, married to Kate A. Peek January 4, 1869. Two children were born to them.

Prudence Vaughan, wife of Ezra, died March 10, 1847, aged 18 years, 8 months.

Ezra Vaughan was married to Rheuamy White, August 10, 1847. Mary E. Vaughan was born and died May 4, 1848.

Betsey Priscilla Vaughan was born May 21, 1853; married to Daniel C. Muzzy August 8, 1872; children, six boys and two girls. One boy died.

Carrie Louisa Vaughan was born October 6, 1854; married to Oel M. Collins April 16, 1872; children, five boys and four girls; Carrie Louisa Collins died July 16, 1904.

Ella I. Vaughan was born March 15, 1857.

Prudy Amelia Vaughan was born October 4, 1859; died June 5, 1864.

Chloe Medora Vaughan was born January 1, 1863; married to Stephen H. Wright December 31, 1882; children, three boys and four girls. One boy died.

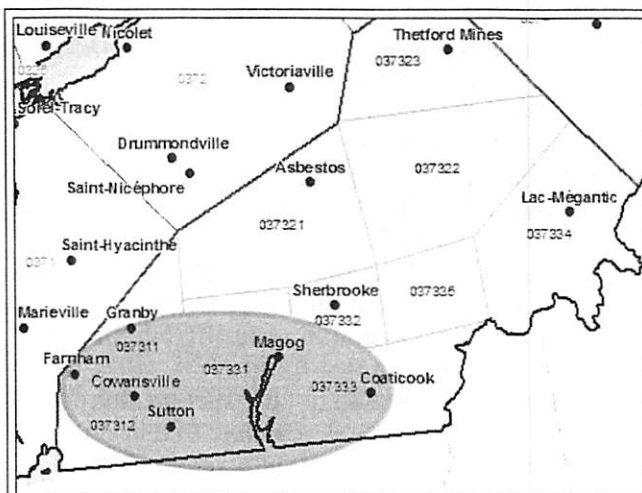
Lucius Sanford Vaughan born April 16, 1864; married Annie

A. Baker August 13, 1890; children, three boys and four girls. One boy died.

Ezra Vaughan died September 8, 1891, aged 69.

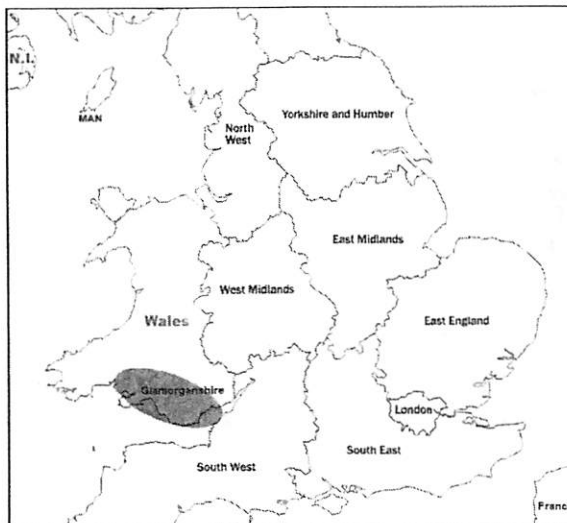
Of the other two brothers that came over from Wales, David settled in the sought part of Vermont and his descendants, like our own of Benjamin's family, are settled around the world, some living in Vermont, some in this state, in Washington County, Town of Whitehall. Thomas Vaughan, I think, lives in Whitehall, is one of a company called the Northern Transportation Company, a wealthy company, doing a large business. John settled in Canada in a place called Caldwell Manor. His descendants are some in Canada, some in Chazy, Clinton County and some in Vermont.

I saw a man by the name of Vaughan some four years since in Princeton, Bureau County, IL. In conversation, he told me he dated back to the same ancestry of all the rest of whom I have any knowledge of our name. Suffice it to say we claim all the good of that name, while reluctantly we have to own that even some who bear the name of Vaughan are not what they should be, so we come to the conclusion that they are degenerate plants of some strange vine



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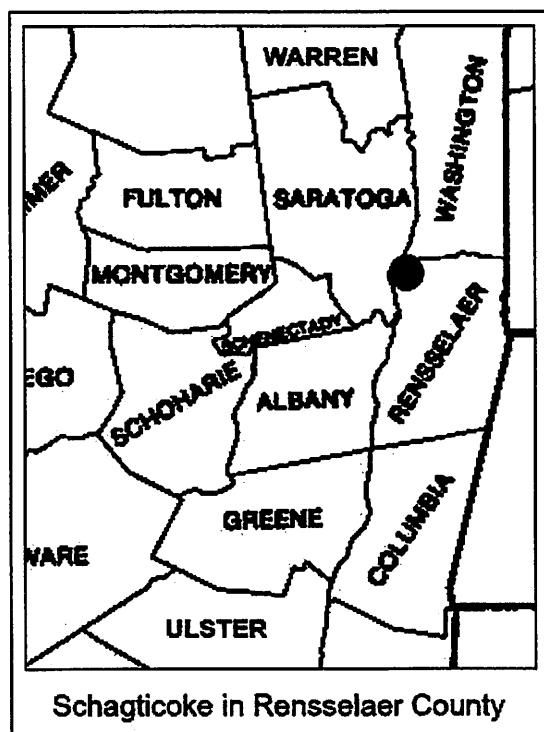


- 1 John Vaughn b: 1616 in Glamorganshire, Wales d. Newport, RI m. Boston Village
 - + Gillian Tonzar b: 1621 in East Greenwich, RI
- ..2 David Vaughan b: Jul 19, 1646 in Newport, RI m. Abt. 1675 Newport, RI
 - + Mary Bailey b: Abt. 1645
- ...3 John Vaughan b: 1671 in Portsmouth, RI d: Sep 09, 1751 in North Kingston, RI
 - m. November 24, 1698 in North Kingston, RI
 - + Elizabeth Bull b: 1675 in Smithfield, RI m: Nov 21, 1698 in Portsmouth, RI d: Sep 1751
- ...4 David Vaughan b: Oct 25, 1704 in Portsmouth, RI d: 1761 in Beekman Precinct, NY
 - + Dinah Baker b: 1706 in North Kingston, RI m: 1725 in North Kingston, RI d: 1772 in Beekman, NY
-5 Benjamin Vaughan b: Aug 08, 1728 in North Kingston, RI d: 1766 in Manchester, VT
 - + Priscilla Bowen b: 1728 in Scituate, RI m: Jun 07, 1747, d: May 23, 1791 in Manchester, NH
-6 Mary Vaughan b: Mar 03, 1747 in Scituate, RI
-6 Benjamin Vaughan b: Aug 14, 1757 in Scituate, RI d: Feb 12, 1839 in Plattsburgh
 - . July 1, 1777 in Manchester VT
 - + Sarah Beaman b: 1757 in Nine Partners, NY m: Jan 21, 1791 in Plattsburgh d: Aug 25, 1790 in Plattsburgh
-7 David Vaughan b: Aug 25, 1778 in Manchester, VT d: Aug 25, 1778 in Manchester, VT
-7 Mercy Vaughan b: Jun 21, 1779 in Manchester, VT m. Abt. 1800
 - + Sturdivant b: Abt. 1770
-7 Daniel Bowen Vaughan b: Nov 08, 1781 in Manchester, VT d: May 10, 1826 in Plattsburgh, NY
 - + Content Boorn b: Feb 19, 1785, m: Sep 1804
-8 Francis Bowen Vaughan b: Sep 13, 1804 in Plattsburgh d: Nov 16, 1888 in Unity, WI
 - + Charity Shaw b: 1803 in Jericho, VT m: Abt. 1826 in Jericho, VT
-9 Sophronia Vaughan b: 1831 in Underhill, VT d. January 6, 1879 in Fletcher, VT
-9 Mary A. Vaughan b: Abt. 1833 in Underhill. VT d. October 12, 1853 in Underhill VT
-9 Lorraine Vaughan b: March 6, 1835 in Underhill, VT
 - d. Abt. 1908 in Green Lake County, WI
-9 Charitie Vaughan b: 1839 d. November 20, 1856
-9 Lucia Regina Vaughan b: June 11, 1848 in Underhill, VT d. November 5, 1920, Owatonna, MN
-9 Daniel Beruner Vaughan b: May 10, 1837 in Jericho, VT d. 1900 in Unity, WI
 - + Sarah Jane Terry b: Feb 03, 1844 in Janesville, NY d. April 3, 1919 in Unity, WI
 - m: Jul 17, 1863 in Janesville, NY
-10 Francis Orville Vaughan b: Abt. 1866 in Bennington, VT d. 1866 in Saranac, NY
-10 Lillian Vaughan b: April 23, 1868 in Janesville, NY d. October 09. 1937 in Unity, WI
-10 Charles B. Vaughan b: July 1870 in Sun Prairie, WI d. September 16, 1935 in Marshfield, WI
-10 Ralph T. Vaughan b: February 9, 1874 in Sun Prairie, WI d. March 22, Spencer, WI
-10 Mary Ann Vaughan b: July 1876 in Sun Prairie, WI d. Abt. 1925
-10 Nellie V. Vaughan b: August 1878 in Sun Prairie, WI d. June 1935 in Wisconsin
-10 George Warren Vaughan b: December 07, 1880 d. May 29, 1963 in Sparta, WI
-8 Alanson B. Vaughan b: Jun 06, 1806 in Plattsburgh d. October 3, 1876 Lansing, MN
 - m. January 1, 1828

- + Hepzibeth Bean b: Mar 10, 1805 in Milton, VT d. December 14, 1869 Lansing, MN
-9 Phineas Drew B. Vaughan b: May 27, 1830 in Saranac, NY
d: Mar 29, 1900 in National City, CA m. May 21, 1853 in Union Rock, WI
+ Elizabeth C. Frisbee b: Feb 14, 1836 in Vernon, NY d: Feb 04, 1912
-10 Albert B. Vaughan b: Oct 08, 1859 in Lansing, MN d: Jan 5, 1903 in Lansing, MN
+ Elsie M. Honeywell b: December 26, 1861 in Stewartville, MN
d. August 20, 1917 in Ramsey, MN
-8 Daniel Vaughan b: Jun 04, 1808 in Plattsburgh d.
September 16, 1853 in Hinds, MS
-8 Benjamin Vaughan b: Mar 26, 1810 in Plattsburgh d.
May 16, 1892 in De Smet, SD
-8 Eleazar W. Vaughan b: 1818 in Plattsburgh d.
December 15, 1883 in Stevens Point, WI
-8 Sarah Bourn Vaughan b: Jun 07, 1817 in Plattsburgh
d. February 6, 1906 in Asotin, WA
-8 Mercy Content Vaughan b: Apr 26, 1819 in Plattsburgh
d: Oct 31, 1876
+ Henry Parsons b: April 16, 1803 in Easthampton, MA
m. August 9, 1835 d. October 9, 1872
in Saranac, NY
-9 Anselm Vaughn Parsons b: April 26, 1839 in Saranac,
NY d. October 5, 1913, Saranac, NY
m. September 21, 1862 in Clinton County, NY
+ Susan b: Abt. 1830 + Martha Jane b: Jul 22, 1844
in Ausable Forks, NY d: Apr 12, 1930 in
Jacksonville, FL
-10 Son One Parsons b: Abt. 1865
-10 Inez Martha Parsons b: May 21, 1866, d: January 1,
1956
+ William Albert Buxton b: June 16, 1861 in
Londonderry, VT m. May 27, 1883 Redford, NY
d. August 24, 1930 Los Angeles, CA
-11 Laurel Albertine Buxton b: September 11, 1891 in Saranac, NY
d. September 18, 1983 Jacksonville, FL m. May 25, 1916 in Manhattan, NY
+ Stephen Bertram Hobbes b: April 21, 1889 in Baltimore, MD d. August 23, 1851
-12 Alan Buxton Hobbes b: Abt. 1920, d: Sep 23, 1976 in Sturbridge, MA
-10 Lulie Parsons b: Abt. 1868 in New York d: Jun 15, 1873 in Saranac, NY
-10 Ruthie Parsons b: September 3, 1871 in Saranac, NY d: Sep 03, 1873 in Saranac, NY
-9 Daniel A. Parsons b: January 7, 1857 in Saranac, NY d. January 19, 1837 in Saranac, NY
Where Lived: 1929 in Saranac, NY
-9 Fred Alonso Parsons b: February 22, 1860 in Saranac, NY d. March 24, 1940 in Saranac, NY
Where Lived: 1929 in Saranac, NY
-9 Seth Wales Parsons b: Abt. 1837 in Saranac, NY d: Sep 13, 1895 in Lake Placid, NY
+ Grace Taylor b: December 1849 in Canada d: Jan 25, 1925 in Saranac, NY
-10 Nettie V. Parsons b: Oct 16, 1864, d: Oct 15, 1940 in Saranac, NY
Where Lived: 1934 in Plattsburgh, NY
+ Herbert Fordham b: Abt. 1860
-11 Edna M. Fordham b: Mar 15, 1904, d: Dec 03, 1998, Where Lived: 1940 in Plattsburgh
+ Harold S. Myers b: Jun 19, 1898 in Plattsburgh d: Aug 14, 1963 in Plattsburgh
-12 Herbert Myers b: Abt. 1930, Where Lived: 1963 in Plattsburgh
-11 Grace Helen Fordham b: Jul 18, 1907, d: May 14, 1982, Where Lived: 1940 in Saranac, NY
+ Charles A. Wright b: Jul 04, 1909, d: Nov 07, 1987
-10 Susie Parsons b: 1872, d: Oct 26, 1955, Where Lived: 1934 in Saranac, NY



Henry Parsons and Content Vaughan



1978 m. November 17, 1937 in Saranac, NY

+ Gertrude A. Lavoie b: Nov 22, 1910, d: Mar 03, 1991

.....11 Howard P. Oliver b: Mar 11, 1909, d: Sep 06, 1982

+ Margaret Cutler b: Abt. 1910 in Montreal, Quebec

.....12 Nelson Oliver b: Abt. 1950

+ Kay Crawford b: Abt. 1950

.....12 Sue Carol Oliver b: Feb 15, 1953 in Springfield, MA Where Lived: 1982 in Plattsburgh

+ David Love

.....11 Seth Donald Oliver b: Jun 13, 1913 in Saranac, NY d: Feb 26, 1984 in Plattsburgh

Where Lived: 1982 in Saranac, NY

+ Hilda R. Chase b: Jul 15, 1908 in Lyon Mountain, NY d: Aug 31, 1997 in Saranac, NY

.....10 William Henry Parsons b: January 22, 1877 in Saranac, NY d: July 14, 1941, Saranac, NY

Where Lived: 1934 in Saranac, NY

.....10 Shirley Lyon Parsons b: April 21, 1879 in Saranac, NY d: May 14, 1934 in Ausable Forks, NY

+ Eliza Snow b: 1886 m: Sep 12, 1905 d: May 4, 1951

.....9 Fanny Parsons b: March 09, 1845, Saranac, NY m. August 13, 1864 d: July 2, 1924

+ John Muzzy b: March 21, 1842 in Black Brook, NY d: April 13, 1932 in Redford, NY

.....9 George H. Parsons b: July 23, 1841 in Saranac, NY d: Oct 08, 1844 in Saranac, NY

.....9 Sarah C. Parsons b: October 1843 in Saranac, NY d: Apr 05, 1849 in Saranac, NY

.....9 Lillian Parsons b: Abt. 1845, Where Lived: 1929 in Saranac, NY

.....9 Ruth Parsons b: Aug 27, 1851 in Saranac, NY d: Apr 21, 1929 in Saranac, NY

+ Henry Jasper Bull b: July 8, 1851 in Saranac, NY m: Nov 12, 1873 in Saranac, NY

d: June 09, 1937 in Saranac, NY

.....10 Harriet J. Bull b: Apr 12, 1881 in Saranac, NY d: Apr 30, 1964 in Saranac, NY

m. November 16, 1916 in Saranac, NY

+ Dyer Arnold White b: Sep 19, 1883 in New York d: Nov 11, 1962 in Saranac, NY

.....11 Henry H. White b: Jun 17, 1917 d: Dec 24, 2001 in Venice East, FL

+ Suzanne Cossette b: Abt. 1920

.....11 Raymond K. White b: May 07, 1919 in Saranac, NY d: Aug 09, 1982 in Saranac, NY

+ Dorothy Tarling b: Abt. 1920

+ James Oliver b: Abt. 1865

.....11 Floyd Frederick Oliver b: Feb 22, 1899 in Saranac, NY d: Mar 23, 1969 in Schenectady, NY

+ Helen R. Seckendorf b: August 22, 1895 in Schaghticoke, NY

m. June 23, 1920 Clinton County, NY d.

January 1, 1970 Schenectady, NY

.....11 Doris Valeda Oliver b: Apr 29, 1901 in Saranac, NY d: Nov 14, 1983 in Plattsburgh

+ William Otten b: Abt. 1899 in Oneonta, NY

d. March 13, 1928 in Lyon Mountain, NY

+ Carroll Taylor b: Jan 22, 1912, d: Mar 21,

1996, Where Lived: 1993 in Jay, NY

.....11 Jeannette Oliver b: Oct 09, 1903 in Saranac, NY d: Dec 25, 1989 in Saranac, NY

+ William Otten b: Abt. 1899 in Oneonta, NY

d: Mar 13, 1928 in Lyon Mountain, NY

.....12 Laurence Otten b: May 1, 1924 d: February 7, 1939 in Saranac, NY

.....12 Roger W. Otten b: Oct 31, 1936, d: Jan 07, 2001, Where Lived: 1989 in Saranac, NY

+ Shirley Vaughan b: Abt. 1930

.....11 William Oliver b: Jan 05, 1907, d: Aug 01,

Stephen G. White

SARANAC — Stephen Gerald White, 32, of Saranac, died early Wednesday morning at the CVPH Medical Center.

Mr. White was born in Saranac May 10, 1944, the son of Stephen B. and Elizabeth (Craig) White.

He was a lifelong member of the Saranac United Methodist Church. He graduated from Plattsburgh State University College in 1965, having played basketball for the PSUC Cardinals for four years.

Mr. White was a member of the Vermont Air National Guard and after his active duty, taught school at Lyon Mountain High School for three years, at Northern Adirondack School for two years and at Saranac Central School for two years. He also worked for the town of Saranac on and off for the past 14 years.

Survivors include his wife, the former Helen Coryer of Saranac; two daughters, Melanie and Susan; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen B. White of Saranac; and a sister, Miss Deborah White of Cadyville.

Burial will be in Independence Cemetery in Saranac today with private graveside services.

.....11 Stephen B. White b: Mar 02, 1920 in Saranac, NY d: Feb 12, 2007 in Cadyville, NY

+ Elizabeth Craig b: Sep 05, 1921, m: Feb 28, 1943 in Saranac, NY d: Mar 22, 2000

.....12 Deborah Ann White b: Abt. 1940 m. November 3, 1977 in Schuyler Falls, NY

+ Robert L. Lambert b: Abt. 1940, Where Lived: 2008 in Cadyville, NY

.....12 Stephen G. White b: May 10, 1944, d: May 26, 1976

+ Helen K. Coryer b: Abt. 1945,
Where Lived: 1997 in Saratoga Springs, NY

.....9 Eliza Parsons b: 1854, d: 1938, Where Lived: 1929 in Saranac, NY

+ Jeffers L. Bennett b: 1856, d: 1953

+ Henry Parsons b: Abt. 1803, d: Oct 09, 1872

.....9 George H. Parsons b: July 23, 1841 in Saranac, NY d: Oct 08, 1844 in Saranac, NY

.....9 Sarah C. Parsons b: October 1843 in Saranac, NY d: Apr 05, 1849 in Saranac, NY

.....8 Aaron Vaughn b: Mar 02, 1822 in Plattsburgh d. 1905 in Bowden, SD

.....9 J. W. Vaughn Where Lived: 1895 in Stevens Point, WI

.....8 Anselm Vaughan b: Aug 28, 1823 in Plattsburgh d. July 29, 1893 in Stevens Point, WI

.....7 Ira B. Vaughan b: Dec 31, 1783 in Manchester, VT d: Jul 25, 1871 in Stevens Point, WI

+ Sarah Ruth Boom b: Jul 31, 1787, m: 1804 in Plattsburgh d: Feb 18, 1877

.....8 Eliphalet Haskins Vaughan b: Mar 21, 1808 in Redford, NY Where Lived: 1868 in Wisconsin

.....8 Ira B. Vaughan b: Oct 31, 1810 in Manchester, VT

d: Mar 11, 1887 in Redford, NY

Where Lived: 1869 in Saranac, NY

+ Martha Manley b: 1811 in Saranac, NY m: 1833 d: Apr 03, 1884 in Redford, NY

.....9 Rodney Sydney Vaughan b: March 1, 1839 in Redford, NY d: Nov 03, 1913 in Penacook, NH

+ Ellen Elizabeth Parsons b: Nov 01, 1839 in Redford, NY m: 1858 in Saranac, NY

d: May 1929 in Penacook, NH Where Lived: 1924 in Penacook, NH

.....10 Martha Annette Vaughan b: Mar 15, 1860 in Redford, NY d: May 26, 1910 in Winthrop, MA

+ Kearney Scott Terry b: October 1858 in Redford, NY m: Jun 1876 in Saranac, NY

.....11 Coretta Agatha Terry b: Jan 01, 1877 in Saranac, NY d. January 20, 1960 in Concord, NH

+ Moses Carpenter b: Abt. 1875

+ Thomas Cleveland b: Abt. 1875

.....11 James Orville Terry b: Mar 04, 1879 in Saranac, NY d. 1953 in Penacook, NH

.....11 Florence Lillian Terry b: Dec 24, 1880 in Saranac, NY d. After 1950 in Concord, NH

+ Edward Dent b: October 1869 in Mooers, NY

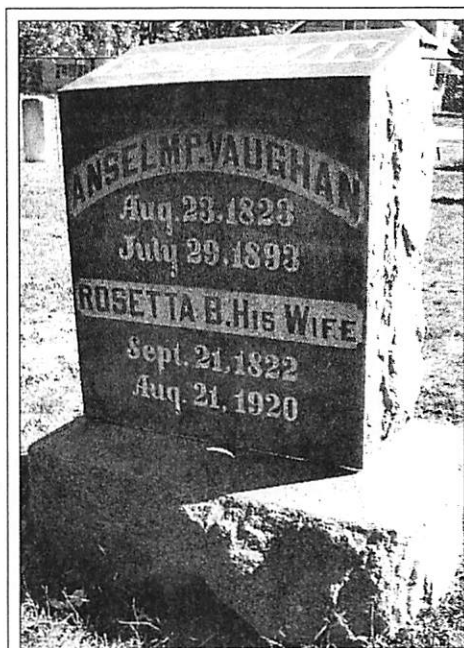
.....11 Fred Vaughan Terry b: Apr 07, 1882 in Saranac, NY m. June 15, 1907 in Belchertown, MA d. April 18, 1972 in Concord, NH

+ Jennie Elliot b: March 16, 1883 in Lynn, MA d. After 1830 in Concord, NH

.....11 Gertrude Eleanor Terry b: July 3, 1891 in Concord, NH m. Abt. 1912 in Concord, NH d. Concord, NH

+ Walter Addison Gregg b: June 14, 1892 in Concord, NH d. June 17, 1933 in Concord, NH

-10 Lottie Elouise Vaughan b: June 8, 1863 in Redford, NY d: July 26, 1946 in Van Nuys, CA
m. August 31, 1881 in Afton, NY
+ Ransaler Merritt b: February 8, 1860 in Colesville, NY d: December 13, 1842 Van Nuys
-11 Ransaler Lee Merritt b: January 8, 1887 in MacLenny, FL
-11 Francis Vaughan Merritt b: December 6, 1883 in New York
-11 Harrison Porter Merritt b: November 28, 1888 in MacLenny, FL
-11 Edna May Merritt b: August 19, 1894 in Sidney, NY
-10 Effie Berkeley Vaughan b: Jan 02, 1868 in Redford, NY d: Mar 18, 1956 in Concord, NH
m. 1884
+ Asher Elmer Ormsbee b: June 6, 1863 in Black Brook, NY
d: December 22, 1944 in Penacook, NH
-10 Raymond Sanderson Vaughn b: 1878 in Redford, NY d: 1958 in Portsmouth, NH
+ Mary Wilson Smith b: 1881 in Penacook, NH
-11 Dorothy Mansfield Vaughan b: 1904 in Penacook, NH d: 2004 in Concord, NH
-11 Donald Vaughn b: 1907, d: 1976 in New Hampshire
-11 Oscar L. Vaughan b: 1908 in Penacook, NH d: 1980 in Amesbury, MA
+ Grace White b: Abt. 1910
-9 Florinda T. Vaughn b: Abt. 1855
+ James B. Soper b: Abt. 1866 m: Aug 23, 1876 in Redford, NY
-9 Ella Vaughan b: 1859 in Saranac, NY
-9 Martha Annette Vaughan b: Mar 15, 1860 in Redford, NY d: May 1910 in Winthrop, MA
+ Kearney Scott Terry b: Abt. 1856, m: Jun 1876 in Saranac, NY
-10 Cora Terry b: Jan 01, 1878 in Saranac, NY
+ Moses Carpenter b: Abt. 1875
+ Thomas Cleveland b: Abt. 1875
-10 James Terry b: Mar 04, 1879 in Saranac, NY
-10 Florence Lillian Terry b: Dec 24, 1880 in Saranac, NY
+ Edward Denton b: Abt. 1876
-10 Fred Terry b: Apr 07, 1882 in Saranac, NY
+ Jennie Elliot b: Abt. 1886
-10 Daughter One Terry b: Abt. 1885 + Walter Gregg b: Abt. 1885
-8 Anselm Parsons Vaughan b: 1825, d: 1914, Where Lived: 1868 in Wisconsin
+ Rosetta Biddle
-8 Sarah B. Vaughan Where Lived: 1868 in Wisconsin
-8 Ruth Vaughan Where Lived: 1868 in Wisconsin
-8 Esli Vaughan Where Lived: 1868 in Wisconsin
-8 Eli Vaughan Where Lived: 1868 in Wisconsin
-8 Erie Vaughan Where Lived: 1868 in Wisconsin
-7 Sally Vaughan b: Apr 08, 1786 in Manchester, VT d: Mar 16, 1830 in Troy, PA
+ Churchill Barnes b: May 03, 1784 in Plymouth, MA m:
Dec 03, 1806 in Plattsburgh
d: Dec 05, 1847 in Troy, PA
-8 Ansel Barnes b: 1807, d: 1807
-8 Diantha E. Barnes b: 1807, d: 1825
-8 Ansel Churchill Barnes b: 1809, d: 1809
-8 Baby Barnes b: 1810, d: 1810
-8 Baby Barnes b: 1812, d: 1812
-8 Clarissa Eliza Barnes b: 1813, d: 1845
-8 Alphonso Churchill Barnes b: 1815, d: 1817
-8 Margaret Barnes b: 1818, d: 1818
-8 Daniel Vaughan Barnes b: 1819, Where Lived: 1868 in New Jersey



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-8 Sally Maria Barnes b: 1822
-8 Helen Calpernia Barnes b: 1824, d: 1825
-7 William Vaughan b: Apr 19, 1789 in Manchester, VT
+ Sylvine Averill b: Oct 25, 1769 in New Preston, Connecticut, m: Jan 23, 1791 in Plattsburgh
d: Dec 12, 1812 in Plattsburgh
-7 Benjamin J. Vaughan b: Nov 14, 1791 in Plattsburgh d: Jan 31, 1875 in Plattsburgh
Where Lived: 1868 in Plattsburgh
+ Rebecca Baker b: 1801 in West Plattsburgh, NY m: 1811, d: 1824
d. September 11, 1824 in Plattsburgh
-8 George B. Vaughan Where Lived: 1868 in Plattsburgh
-8 Nathan W. Vaughan Where Lived: 1868 in Ohio
+ Hannah Comstock b: 1804, m: 1827, d: 1884
-8 Lucious Vaughn b: Dec 25, 1827
-8 William Vaughn b: Dec 03, 1829
-8 Emeline Vaughan b: Dec 02, 1831
-8 Rebecca Vaughn b: Jul 30, 1833
-8 Smith Vaughn b: Sep 09, 1835
-8 Mariah Vaughn b: Dec 19, 1837
-8 Albert Vaughan b: Sep 13, 1841
-8 Lucy Vaughn b: Mar 22, 1842
-7 Clarina Vaughan b: Dec 22, 1793 in Plattsburgh d: Sep 1795
-7 Noble Averill Vaughan b: Jun 20, 1796 in Plattsburgh d: Jun 05, 1883 in Beekmantown, NY
Where Lived: Beekmantown, NY
+ Lavina Merriam b: Nov 22, 1799, m: Mar 02, 1826 in Clinton County d: Apr 05, 1862
-8 Sylvina Merriam Vaughan b: Feb 25, 1827
+ Charles McIntyre b: Abt. 1825, m: Oct 16, 1844
-8 Emily Vaughan b: Apr 27, 1829
+ George Washer b: Abt. 1825, m: Mar 1858
-8 Abigail Celinda Vaughan b: Mar 24, 1831, d: Jan 06, 1896
+ Walter Chappel b: Abt. 1830, m: Apr 08, 1851, d: Jan 16, 1853
-8 Sally Maria Vaughan b: Feb 08, 1833
+ Allen Chappel b: Abt. 1830, m: Apr 12, 1853
-8 Adoniram Judson Vaughn b: May 29, 1836 in Plattsburgh d: Mar 05, 1918 in Morrisonville, NY
+ Sarah Cornelia Darling m: Feb 04, 1859 in Fletcher, VT
-9 Rebecca Vaughn b: Abt. 1860
-9 Sylvina Vaughn b: Abt. 1862
-9 Ella Vaughn b: Abt. 1865
-9 Selden E. Vaughan b: 1868 in Beekmantown, NY d: 1951 in West Plattsburgh, NY
+ Emma L. Bradford b: Nov 26, 1871, m: Nov 26, 1891, d: 1942
-10 Alfred N. Vaughan Sr. b: Dec 05, 1898 in Beekmantown, NY d: Oct 22, 1986 in Morrisonville
+ Leona Nellie Trudo b: May 22, 1900 in Altona, NY d: Jun 11, 1985 in Clinton County, NY
Where Lived: 1919 in Altona, NY
-11 Alfred N. Vaughan b: Abt. 1925, d: Jun 22, 1944 in Italy World War II
-11 Mary Vaughan b: Abt. 1925, d: Bef. 1985
+ Bliss b: Abt. 1925
-11 John Vaughan b: Abt. 1925, Where Lived: 2008 in South Carolina,
-11 Dorothy Vaughan b: Abt. 1925, Where Lived: 2008 in Virginia
+ Trevor b: Abt. 1925
-11 Leona Vaughan b: Abt. 1925, Where Lived: 2008 in South Carolina
+ Donald Dashnaw b: Abt. 1925, Where Lived: 2009 in North Charleston, SC
-12 Tom Dashnaw b: Abt. 1950, Where Lived: 2009 in New York
-12 Rick Dashnaw b: Abt. 1950, Where Lived: 2009 in Florida
-12 Paul Dashnaw b: Abt. 1950, Where Lived: 2009 in North Charleston, SC

-12 Pete Dashnaw b: Abt. 1950, Where Lived: 2009 in Summerville, NY
-12 Al Dashnaw b: Abt. 1950, Where Lived: 2009 in Ridgeville
-12 Ed Dashnaw b: Abt. 1950, Where Lived: 2009 in North Charleston, SC
-12 Debbie Dashnaw b: Abt. 1950, Where Lived: 2009 in North Charleston, SC
+ Holbrook b: Abt. 1950
-12 Donna Dashnaw b: Abt. 1950, Where Lived: 2009 in North Charleston, SC
+ Shelters b: Abt. 1950
-12 Elizabeth Dashnaw b: Jul 25, 1957 in Plattsburgh d: Mar 12, 2009 in Charleston, SC
+ Alfred Henry Winser b: Abt. 1957, d: Bef. 2009
-13 Jennifer Winser b: Abt. 1980, Where Lived: 2009 in West Ashley
+ Wilson b: Abt. 1980
-13 Dale Robert Winser b: Abt. 1980, Where Lived: 2009 in Ridgeville
+ Meagan b: Abt. 1980
-11 Martha Vaughan b: Abt. 1925, Where Lived: 2008 in New Mexico
+ White b: Abt. 1925



Catherine M. Vaughan and Gordon Requa Little

-11 Katherine Mae Vaughan b: Apr 14, 1926 in Altona, NY Where Lived: 2008 in Morrisonville
+ Gordon Requa Little b: June 15, 1937 in Monsey, NY d: June 22, 2016 in Morrisonville, NY
+ Edward Kenneth Baker b: Sep 05, 1923, d: Sep 19, 1973
-12 Gary R Baker b: Jun 30, 1947, d: Nov 03, 1988
+ Kimberlee D Hassler b: Abt. 1950, d: 1988
-13 Chad Baker b: Abt. 1975, Where Lived: 2002 in Plattsburgh
-13 Meeghan Baker b: Abt. 1975, Where Lived: 2002 in Plattsburgh
-12 Gregory Baker b: Abt. 1955, Where Lived: 2018 in Peru, NY

- + Leslie Ashe b: Abt. 1955
-13 Conrad Jay Baker b: Aug 16, 1981 in Plattsburgh d: Aug 04, 2018 in Lakewood, CO
- + [unknown spouse]
-14 Brock Baker b: Abt. 2015
-12 Dana A. Baker b: Abt. 1958
- + Mary Ellen Daniels b: Abt. 1958, Where Lived: 2008 in Saranac Lake
-13 Kenneth Baker b: Abt. 1980
-13 Alan Baker b: Abt. 1980
-11 Ruth Elizabeth Vaughan b: Feb 07, 1928 in Saranac Lake, NY d: Jul 10, 2008 in Plattsburgh
- Where Lived: 1961 in Morrisonville, NY
- + Harold J Frenyea b: Mar 22, 1926, d: Nov 08, 1961
-12 Robert Frenyea b: Abt. 1950, Where Lived: 2008 in Plattsburgh
- + Robert Gauthier b: Abt. 1950
-12 Douglas Frenyea b: Abt. 1950, Where Lived: 2008 in Rensselaer, NY
- + Jeanne Garippa b: Abt. 1950
-12 Ann Frenyea b: Abt. 1950, Where Lived: 2008 in Plattsburgh
- + Edward Carter b: Abt. 1950
-12 Amy Frenyea b: Abt. 1950, Where Lived: 2008 in Morrisonville, NY
- + Denis Arquette b: Abt. 1950
-12 William D. Frenyea b: Apr 20, 1951, d: Apr 12, 2000
-12 Joel Frenyea b: Abt. 1960, Where Lived: 2008 in West Chazy, NY
- + Lou Anne Ashline b: Abt. 1960, Where Lived: 2010 in West Chazy, NY
- + Roland R. Lapier b: Abt. 1925
-9 Cora Vaughn b: Abt. 1874
-9 Nora Vaughn b: Abt. 1877



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-8 Elnathan Judson Vaughn b: Oct 02, 1839 in Rand Hill, Morrisonville, NY
- d: Mar 02, 1924 in Peru, NY
- + Eleanor E. Read b: Mary 25, 1843 d: June 23, 1877

- + Hannah A. Ricketson b. April 13, 1842 d. September 20, 1884
- + Lillie Prudence Eells b: Jul 06, 1863 in Schuyler Falls, NY m: Sep 23, 1885
d: Jan 18, 1906 in Morrisonville, NY
-9 Roy Clarence Vaughan b: Sep 10, 1886 in Schuyler Falls, NY d: Mar 19, 1967
+ Mildred Hinman b: Abt. 1890
-10 Marion K. Vaughn b: Aug 20, 1911, d: Dec 25, 1995
+ John J. Banker b: Oct 14, 1899, d: Nov 13, 1985

George E. Vaughan

PLATTSBURGH — George Emerson Vaughan, 70, of Northway Trailer Park died early Monday morning, Feb. 17, 1986, at the CVPH Medical Center.

He was born in Schuyler Falls March 12, 1915, the son of Roy C. and Mildred (Hinman) Vaughan.

Mr. Vaughan worked at General Electric in Schenectady for several years before enlisting in the Navy during World War II. After the war, he worked on the family farm in Schuyler Falls until 1950 when he became a therapy aide at Sunmount Veterans Hospital and later Sunmount Developmental Center in Tupper Lake, until his retirement in 1976.

Survivors include his wife, Hazel Trim Vaughan; a daughter, Mrs. Roy (Barbara) Pierce of Dallas, Texas; four sisters, Mrs. Lillis Morse of Salt Lake City, Utah, Mrs. Marion Banker of Plattsburgh, Mrs. Satie Walden of Greenville, Maine, and Mrs. George (Florence) Janousek of New Haven, Vt.; two grandchildren, Rhonda and Darlene Pierce, both of Dallas, Texas; and several nieces and nephews.

-10 George E. Vaughan b: Mar 12, 1915, d: Feb 17, 1986
+ Hazel Trim b: Abt. 1915
-10 Marjorie E. Vaughan b: Oct 08, 1918 in Morrisonville, NY d: Aug 24, 1971 in Plattsburgh
+ Irwin C. Mattoon b: Jul 22, 1911 in Forestdale, VT d: Dec 14, 1995 in Zephyr Hills, FL
-11 Edith M. Mattoon b: Abt. 1940
+ David C. Reed b: Abt. 1940
-12 Todd M. Reed b: Jan 14, 1969, d: Feb 17, 1977
-12 Cheryl L. Reed b: Abt. 1980, Where Lived: 2007 in Plattsburgh
-12 Linda M. Reed b: Abt. 1980, Where Lived: 2007 in Plattsburgh
-12 Timothy Andrew Reed b: Nov 05, 1983 in Plattsburgh d: Oct 12, 2007 in Plattsburgh
-11 Royal Mattoon b: Abt. 1940
+ Patricia
-11 Floyd Mattoon b: Abt. 1940
+ Linda
-9 Jay Burton Vaughan b: Mar 15, 1890 in Schuyler Falls, NY
d. November 13, 1979 in Burlington, VT
-9 Ethan Allen Vaughn b: Jun 09, 1894 in Morrisonville, NY d: Jul 04, 1971 in Peru, NY
+ Florence Herwerth Myers b: Apr 12, 1896 in Plattsburgh m: Apr 12, 1924 in Morrisonville, NY
d: 1953 in Plattsburgh Where Lived: 1945 in Morrisonville, NY
-10 Gary Lee Vaughn b: Abt. 1940, Where Lived: 1968 in Peru, NY
+ Christie A Bittner b: Abt. 1940, m: Jun 08, 1963 in Allentown, PA
Where Lived: 2007 in Peru, NY
-11 Sheryl L. Vaughn b: Abt. 1965
+ Richard Drollette b: Abt. 1965, m: Aug 01, 1998
-11 Gary Lee Vaughn b: 1967, Where Lived: 2007 in Plattsburgh
+ Michelle Ann Conners b: Abt. 1971, m: Jun 06, 1998 in Morrisonville, NY
-12 Ethan Allen Vaughn b: Abt. 1990
-12 Amanda E. Vaughn b: Abt. 1990
+ Hazel Hutchins b: Oct 27, 1897, m: 1958, d: Aug 25, 1985
Where Lived: 1932 in Ellenburg Center, NY
-9 Moss Merriam Vaughn b: Nov 21, 1897 in Morrisonville, NY d: Oct 11, 1982 in Plattsburgh
+ Elizabeth Martha Hooey b: Apr 26, 1899 in Redford, NY m: Nov 25, 1919 in Plattsburgh
d: Dec 03, 1988 in Plattsburgh Where Lived: 1921 in Morrisonville, NY
-10 Dorothy Wanda Vaughn b: Jul 17, 1923 in Morrisonville, NY d: Jun 17, 1995 in Plattsburgh
Where Lived: 1982 in Plattsburgh

- + Donald Layman b: March 26, 1917 in Dannemora, NY d. August 15, 2005 in Burlington, VT
-11 Janice Layman b: Sep 06, 1949 in Plattsburgh Where Lived: 1988 in Lake Placid, NY
-11 Donald Layman b: Abt. 1950, Where Lived: 1988 in Plattsburgh, NY
-10 Carlton W. Vaughn b: Dec 31, 1933, d: Sep 26, 1969
- + Delores Shinafelt b: Abt. 1935
-11 Thomas Vaughn b: Abt. 1960, Where Lived: 1988 in Biloxi, MS
- + Lillis Eells b: Abt. 1860
-9 Roy Clarence Vaughan b: Sep 10, 1887 in Schuyler Falls, NY d: Mar 19, 1967 in Plattsburgh
- + Mildred Hinman b: May 29, 1890 in Cadyville, NY d. July 27, 1981 in Plattsburgh
-10 Marion K. Vaughn b: Aug 20, 1911, d: Dec 25, 1995
- + John J. Banker b: Oct 14, 1899, d: Nov 13, 1985
-10 George Emerson Vaughan b: Mar 12, 1915 in Schuyler Falls d: Feb 17, 1986 in Plattsburgh
- + Hazel Mildred Trim b: September 13, 1905 d. April 13, 1997 in Collin County, TX
-10 Marjorie E. Vaughan b: Oct 08, 1918, d: Aug 24, 1971
- + Irwin C. Mattoon b: Jul 22, 1911, d: Dec 14, 1995
-11 Edith M. Mattoon b: Abt. 1940
- + David C. Reed b: Abt. 1940
-12 Todd M. Reed b: Jan 14, 1969, d: Feb 17, 1977
-12 Cheryl L. Reed b: Abt. 1980, Where Lived: 2007 in Plattsburgh
-12 Linda M Reed b: Abt. 1980, Where Lived: 2007 in Plattsburgh
-12 Timothy Andrew Reed b: Nov 05, 1983 in Plattsburgh d: Oct 12, 2007 in Plattsburgh
-11 Royal Mattoon b: Abt. 1940
- + Patricia
-11 Floyd Mattoon b: Abt. 1940
- + Linda
-8 Stephen Kingsley Vaughan b: Jun 10, 1843 in Clinton County, NY d. Cumberland, ME
-8 Eleanor Eliza Vaughan b: Nov 02, 1846
-7 Henry Vaughan b: Jun 11, 1798 in Plattsburgh d: October 8, 1870 in Chicago, IL
- m. 1823 in Plattsburgh Where Lived: 1868 in 80 miles west of Chicago, IL
- + Mary Johnson Whortley b: 1805 in Hillsborough, NH d. 1879 in Friendship, WI
-8 Alexander Vaughan b. 1826 in Clinton County, NY d. March 9, 1905 in Chicago, IL
-8 Irena Whortley Vaughan b. January 3, 1828 in Plattsburgh
- d. January 20, 1914 Cook County, IL
-8 Caroline Vaughan b. March 23, 1830 in Plattsburgh d. April 26, 1904 in Oakland, CA
-8 Mary Jane Vaughan b. October 19, 1832 in Clinton County, NY d. June 15, 1913 in Chicago, IL
-8 Cornelia Vaughan b. 1836 in Clinton County, NY d. About 1885 in Clinton County, NY
-8 Daniel S. Vaughan b. November 28, 1848 in Plattsburgh d. January 22, 1932 in Elmhurst, IL
-7 Louisa Vaughan b: Sep 04, 1800 in Plattsburgh d: Oct 14, 1800
-7 Nathan A. Vaughan b: Sep 11, 1801 in Plattsburgh d: Oct 13, 1883 in Clinton County, NY
- Where Lived: 1868 in Plattsburgh
- + Sally Baker b: 1805 in Plattsburgh m: Oct 10, 1827
-8 Calvin Demming Vaughan b: Jul 28, 1828 in Plattsburgh d. March 26, 1886 in Illinois
- + Marie Louisa Balch b: Aug 18, 1829 in Plattsburgh m: Feb 22, 1855 in Plattsburgh
- d. December 9. 1926 in Illinois Where Lived: 1868 in Amboy, IL
-9 Charlotte Louise Vaughan b: Apr 17, 1858 in Amboy, IL
- d. February 15, 1953 in Lee County, IL
-9 Harriet D. Vaughan b: Nov 07, 1860 in Amboy, IL d. 1935 in Illinois
-9 Frank Chester Vaughan b: Mar 17, 1863 in Amboy, IL d. April 7, 1934 in Freeport, IL
-9 Fred Nathan Vaughan b: Feb 11, 1865 in Amboy, IL d. February 8, 1943 in Amboy, IL
-9 Wallace Baker Vaughan b: Mar 11, 1867 in Amboy, IL d. 1953 Illinois
-9 Louis Smedley Vaughan b: Feb 09, 1869 in Amboy, IL d. February 2, 1945 in Butte, MT
-8 Cornelius Halsey Vaughan b: Nov 07, 1831 in Plattsburgh d. May 10, 1889 in Malone, NY
- + Lucy Smedley Balch b: February 9, 1839 in Plattsburgh d. July 30, 1863 in Malone, NY

-9 Louis Hubbard Vaughan b: Jul 26, 1863 in Malone, NY d. July 19, 1864 in New York
-8 Cornelia Louisa Vaughan b: Dec 11, 1834 in Plattsburgh d: Feb 20, 1835
-8 William Ransom Vaughan b: Jul 20, 1839 in Plattsburgh
m. December 1, 1869 in Tippecanoe, IN
-8 Charlotte Elizabeth Vaughan b: Jun 19, 1847 in Plattsburgh
-7 John Vaughan b: Apr 30, 1804 in Plattsburgh d: 1894 in Schuyler Falls, NY
Where Lived: 1868 in Wisconsin
+ Almira Hovey b: Abt. 1812 in Morristown, VT d. 1903 Beekmantown, NY
-8 Adeline Vaughan b: Abt. 1834 in Schuyler Falls, NY d. 1897 in Beekmantown, NY
-8 Henry J. Vaughan b: July 1836 in Schuyler Falls, NY d. About 1915 in Utica, NY
-8 Stephen J. Vaughan b: September 15, 1838 in Plattsburgh d. March 20, 1904 in Westfield, WI

From Fred's Findagrave page - **Fred N. Vaughan**, whose name figures prominently in connection with the business development of Amboy, has, since March 17, 1906, been president of the First National Bank. His record stands in contradistinction to the old adage that a prophet is never without honor save in his own country, for he has always lived in this city, where he has carefully directed his efforts and guided his business interests, until he now stands at the head of one of its foremost financial institutions. He was born February 1, 1865 and is a son of **C. D. and Louise M. (Balch) Vaughan**. The family is of Welsh lineage and was founded in America during the seventeenth century, **Benjamin Vaughan**, the great great grandfather of our subject coming to this country from Wales. His son and namesake, **Benjamin Vaughan**, at the age of seventeen years joined the New Hampshire state troops and later served in the continental army during the Revolutionary war. **C. B. Vaughan** was a pioneer merchant of Amboy, dealing in furniture for many years and was also mayor of the city and treasurer of Amboy township for an extended period. His worth was widely acknowledged by all who knew ought of his history. He died in 1886 at the age of fifty-six years, while his widow still survives and yet makes her home in Amboy.

In Amboy on the 23d of November 1887, **Mr. Vaughan** was united in marriage to **Miss Elizabeth J. Poland**, a daughter of **A. J. and Carrie (Potter) Poland**. Her father was train master of the Illinois Central Railroad and one of the old settlers of Amboy. He passed away January 17, 1903, at the age of seventy-one years, having for a long period survived his wife, who died February 8, 1879, at the age of forty-one years. Both were laid to rest in Graceland cemetery of Chicago. One of the ancestors of **Mrs. Vaughan** on the maternal side belonged to the **Culver family** and came from England to America on the Mayflower. A descendant of the name of **Sarah** became the wife of **Jonathan Woodworth**, who figured in the Revolutionary war. **Benjamin Poland** was born in Maine in 1784 and was the grandfather of **Mrs. Vaughan**. Three children have been born to **Mr. and Mrs. Vaughan**: **Glenn P.**, a student in the University of Illinois; **Jeanette L.**, who was formerly a student in the college of Rockford, Illinois; and **Fred N.**, who is attending the Amboy high school.

-8 Elizabeth Vaughan b: 1841 in Plattsburgh d. Beekmantown, NY
-8 Adulia D. Vaughan b: September 17, 1843 in Plattsburgh
d. June 25, 1928 in Weeping Water, NE
+ Russell W. Hunt b. September 19, 1829 in Warren County, NY d. 1902 near Stamford, NE
m. December 3, 1863 in Clinton County, NY
+ Horace Woodruff b: Abt. 1840
-9 Sarah Elizabeth Woodruff Where Lived: 1868 in Waverley, NY
+ Edward Crans
-10 William Crans d: 1866
-10 Mary Crans
+ Isaac Pierce b: Abt. 1840
-8 Albert C. Vaughan b: Sep 05, 1845 in Plattsburgh
-8 Delia Vaughan b: Abt. 1849 in Plattsburgh
-8 John Vaughan
-7 Abigail D. Vaughan b: Jun 28, 1806 in Plattsburgh Where Lived: 1868 in Waverly, NY
-7 James Emerson Vaughan b: Sep 07, 1811 in Plattsburgh d: Feb 12, 1893 in Ellenburg, NY
Where Lived: 1868 in Ellenburg Center, NY

- + Malvina Boynton b: Abt. 1815
-7 Eliza Vaughan b: Dec 19, 1808 in Plattsburgh d: Jan 1843
- + Mary Reynolds (wife of Benjamin Vaughan b. 1757) b: Oct 05, 1781 in Plattsburgh
d: Dec 12, 1847 in Plattsburgh
-7 Charles Reynolds Vaughan b: Mar 01, 1815 in Plattsburgh d: Jun 19, 1868 in Plattsburgh
Where Lived: Plattsburgh
- + Priscilla Mead b. 1817 in Clinton County, NY d: Dec 29, 1850
-8 Mary E. Vaughan b: Jul 03, 1844 in Ontario, Canada
d. December 24, 1915, Clinton County, NY
- + William Bingham Dodge b: September 17, 1937 in West Plattsburgh, NY m: Dec 31, 1861
d. July 7, 1892 in Plattsburgh
-8 Cyrenus B. Vaughan b: Jan 13, 1847
-8 Charles R. Vaughan b: Aug 22, 1850
+ Mary Hobart b: Vermont
-8 Jonas H. Vaughan b: December 2, 1852 in Plattsburgh d: August 13, 1853 in Plattsburgh
-8 Omar Mead Vaughan b. April 14, 1855 in Clinton County, NY
d. June 11, 1916 in Yamhill County, OR
-8 George H. Vaughan
-7 Stephen A. Vaughan b: Mar 26, 1817 in Plattsburgh d: Sep 30, 1865 in Plattsburgh, New
+ Sally B. Hunter b: Abt. 1820, d: Abt. 1866
-8 Charlotte H. Vaughan b: Abt. 1845, d: Abt. 1860
-8 Henry Vaughan b: Abt. 1845, d: Abt. 1847
-7 Ezra Vaughan b: Jul 11, 1822 in Plattsburgh, d: Sep 08, 1891 in Saranac, NY
Where Lived: Saranac, NY
- + Prudence Allen b: July 1828 in Plattsburgh m: Apr 24, 1845, d: Mar 10, 1847 in Beekmantown
- + Rheumy White b. August 10, 1822 in Peru, NY d. July 20, 1906 in Plattsburgh
m. August 10, 1847
-8 William Merritt Vaughan b: Feb 19, 1845 in Beekmantown d: Sep 13, 1846 in Beekmantown
-8 Augustus Sylvester Vaughan b: Mar 17, 1847 in Beekmantown, NY d. 1911 Beekmantown, NY
+ Katherine Ann Peck b: July 1844 m: Jan 04, 1869 d. 1934 in Peru, NY
-9 Leo Wright Vaughan b: Mar 20, 1871 in Schuyler Falls, NY
d. November 16, 1956 in Crown Point, NY
- + Mary Sanders b: 1873 Wilmington, NY m: May 11, 1911 d. February 9, 1929 Lake Placid, NY
- + Emma R. Hudson b: July 6, 1869 in Wilmington, NY d. March 1, 1897 in North Elba, NY
-10 Roy Harold Vaughan b: Jun 17, 1895 in Schenectady, NY d. January 30, 1993 in Plattsburgh
-10 Ellis O. Vaughan b: Mar 11, 1897 d. January 27, 1975
+ Mary A. DeFoy (Wife of Leo Wright Vaughan) b: 1875 in Plattsburgh
d. May 30, 1905 in Ogdensburg, NY
-10 Catherine Ruth Vaughan b: Abt. 1903
-10 John Leo Vaughan b: 1905 in New York
-9 Rufus Henry Vaughan b: 1875 d. 1937
-8 Carrie Louisa Vaughan b: Oct 06, 1854 in Plattsburgh d. July 16, 1904, Cadyville, NY
+ Oel Merritt Collins b: June 2, 1840 in Plattsburgh m: Apr 16, 1872 d. 1907 Cadyville, NY
-9 Carrie Louisa Collins d: Jul 16, 1904
-8 Ella J. Vaughan b: Mar 15, 1857 in Plattsburgh d. 1902 California
-8 Prudence Amelia Vaughan b: Oct 04, 1859 in Beekmantown, NY
d: Jun 05, 1864 in Beekmantown, NY
-8 Chloe Medora Vaughan b: Jan 01, 1862 in Plattsburgh d. December 14, 1943 in Franklin, VT
+ Stephen Hammond Wright b: April 20, 1857 in Saranac, NY m: Dec 31, 1882
d. January 29, 1937 in Fairfax, VT
-8 Lucius Sanford Vaughan b: Apr 16, 1863 in Clinton County, NY
d. May 27, 1931 in Clinton County, NY
- + Anna J. Baker b: April 1870 in Clinton County, NY m: Aug 13, 1890

- d. 1948 in Cadyville, NY
 + Rheuamy White (Wife of Ezra Vaughan) b: Aug 10, 1822 in Peru, NY m: Aug 10, 1847
 d: Jul 10, 1906 in Plattsburgh
-8 Mary Ella Vaughan b: and d: May 04, 1848 in Beekmantown, NY
-8 Betsey Priscilla Vaughan b: May 21, 1852 in Plattsburgh, NY d: February 26, 1928 in Peru, IL
 + Daniel C. Muzzy b: April 25, 1847 in Saranac, NY d: April 18, 1921 in Corunna, MI
-6 Daniel Bowen Vaughan b: Nov 08, 1781 in Manchester, VT d: May 10, 1826 in Plattsburgh
 + Mercy Content Boorn b: Feb 19, 1785 in Manchester, VT m: Sep 1804
-7 Francis Bowen Vaughan b: Sep 13, 1804 in Plattsburgh d: Nov 16, 1888 in Unity, WI
 + Charity Shaw b: May 16, 1803 in Jericho, VT
 m: Abt. 1829 in Jericho, VT
 d. December 19, 1856 in Underhill, VT
-8 Sophronia Vaughan b: 1831 in Underhill, VT d. January 6, 1879 in Fletcher, VT
-8 Mary A. Vaughan b: Abt. 1833 in Underhill. VT d. October 12, 1853 in Underhill VT
-8 Lorraine Collins Vaughan b: March 6, 1835 in Underhill, VT
 d. Abt. 1908 in Green Lake County, WI
-8 Charitie Vaughan b: 1839 d. November 20, 1856
-8 Lucia Vaughan b: June 11, 1848 in Underhill, VT d. November 5, 1920, Owatonna, MN
-8 Daniel Beruner Vaughan b: May 10, 1837 d. December 14, 1903 in Unity, WI
 + Sarah Jane Terry b: Feb 03, 1844 in Janesville, NY m: Jul 17, 1863 in Redford, NY
-9 Francis Orville Vaughan b: September 17, 1864 in Saranac, NY
 d. September 30, 1865 in Saranac, NY
-9 Lillian Theodora Vaughan b: April 23, 1868 in Sun Prairie, WI
 d. October 9, 1937 in Unity, WI
-9 Charles Baily Vaughan b: July 17, 1870 in Sun Prairie, WI
 d. September 16, 1835 in Marshfield, WI
-9 Ralph Terry Vaughan b: February 9, 1874 in Sun Prairie, WI d. March 22, 1958 in Spencer, WI
-9 Mary A. Vaughan b: July 2, 1876 d. Abt. 1925
-9 Nellie V. Vaughan b: August 27, 1878 in Sun Prairie, WI d. June 10, 1935 in Madison, VI
-9 George W. Vaughan b: December 10, 1880 in Unity WI d. May 29, 1863 in Sparta, WI
-7 Alanson B. Vaughan b: Jun 06, 1806 in Plattsburgh d. October 3, 1876 Lansing, MN
 m. January 1, 1828
 + Hepzibeth Bean b: Mar 10, 1805 in Milton, VT d. December 14, 1869 Lansing, MN
-8 Phineas Drew B. Vaughan b: May 27, 1830 in Saranac, NY d: Mar 29, 1900
 d: Mar 29, 1900 in National City, CA m. May 21, 1853 in Union Rock, WI
 + Elizabeth C. Frisbee b: Feb 14, 1836, d: Feb 04, 1912
-9 Albert B. Vaughan b: Oct 08, 1859 in Lansing, MN d: Jan 5, 1903 in Lansing, MN
 + Elsie Honeywell b: December 26. 1861 in Stewartville, MN
 d. August 20, 1917 in Ramsey, MN
-7 Daniel Vaughan b: Jun 04, 1808 in Plattsburgh d. September 16, 1853 in Hinds, MS
-7 Benjamin Vaughan b: Mar 26, 1810 in Plattsburgh d. May 16, 1892 in De Smet, SD
-7 Eleazar W. Vaughan b: 1818 in Plattsburgh d. December 15, 1883 in Stevens Point, WI



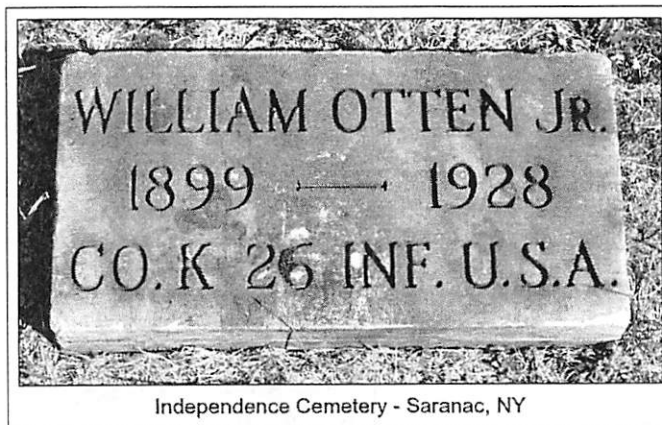
Daniel Vaughan and Sarah Terry

-7 Sarah Bourn Vaughan b: Jun 07, 1817 in Plattsburgh d. February 06, 1906 in Asotin, WA
7 Mercy Content Vaughan b: Apr 26, 1819 in Plattsburgh d: Oct 31, 1876
 + Henry Parsons b: April 16, 1803 in Easthampton, MA m. August 9, 1835 d. October 9, 1872
 in Saranac, NY
8 Anselm Vaughn Parsons b: April 26, 1839 in Saranac, NY d. October 5, 1913, Saranac, NY
 m. September 21, 1862 in Clinton County, NY



- + Susan b: Abt. 1830
 + Martha Jane Lord b: Jul 22, 1844 in Ausable Forks, NY d: Apr 12, 1930 in Jacksonville, FL
9 Inez Parsons b: May 21, 1866 in Saranac, NY d: January 1, 1956 in Jacksonville, FL
 + William Albert Buxton b: June 16, 1861 in Londonderry, VT
 d. August 24, 1930 in Los Angeles, CA
10 Laura Buxton b: September 11, 1891 in Saranac, NY
 d. September 18, 1983 Jacksonville, FL m. May 25, 1916 in Manhattan, NY
 + Bertram Hobbes b: April 21, 1889 in Baltimore, MD d. August 23, 1851
11 Alan Buxton Hobbes b: Abt. 1920, d: Sep 23, 1976 in Sturbridge, MA
9 Lulie Parsons b: Abt. 1868 New York d: Jun 15, 1873 Saranac, NY
9 Ruthie Parsons b: September 3, 1871 in Saranac, NY d: Sep 03, 1873 in Saranac, NY
8 Daniel A. Parsons b: January 7, 1857 in Saranac, NY d. January 19, 1837 in Saranac, NY
 Where Lived: 1929 in Saranac, NY
8 Fred Alonso Parsons b: February 22, 1860 in Saranac, NY d. March 24, 1940 in Saranac, NY
 Where Lived: 1929 in Saranac, NY
8 Seth Wales Parsons b: Abt. 1837 in Saranac, NY d: Sep 13, 1895 in Lake Placid, NY
 + Grace Taylor b: December 1849 in Canada d: Jan 25, 1925 in Saranac, NY
9 Nettie Parsons b: Oct 16, 1864, d: Oct 15, 1940 in Saranac, NY
 Where Lived: 1934 in Plattsburgh
 + Herbert Fordham b: Abt. 1860
10 Edna M. Fordham b: Mar 15, 1904, d: Dec 03, 1998, Where Lived: 1940 in Plattsburgh
 + Harold S. Myers b: Jun 19, 1898 in Plattsburgh d: Aug 14, 1963 in Plattsburgh
11 Herbert Myers b: Abt. 1930, Where Lived: 1963 in Plattsburgh

-10 Grace Helen Fordham b: Jul 18, 1907, d: May 14, 1982, Where Lived: 1940 in Saranac, NY
+ Charles A. Wright b: Jul 04, 1909, d: Nov 07, 1987
-9 Susie Parsons b: 1872, d: Oct 26, 1955, Where Lived: 1934 in Saranac, NY
+ James Oliver b: Abt. 1865
-10 Floyd Frederick Oliver b: Feb 22, 1899 in Saranac, NY d: Mar 23, 1969 in Schenectady, NY
+ Helen Seckendorf b: August 22, 1895 in Schaghticoke, NY
m. June 23, 1920 Clinton County, NY d. January 1, 1970 Schenectady, NY



-10 Doris Oliver b: Apr 29, 1901 in Saranac, NY d: Nov 14, 1983 in Plattsburgh
+ William Otten b: Abt. 1899 in Oneonta, NY d. March 13, 1928 in Lyon Mountain, NY
+ Carroll Taylor b: Jan 22, 1912, d: Mar 21, 1996, Where Lived: 1993 in Jay, NY
-10 Jeannette Oliver b: Oct 09, 1903 in Saranac, NY d: Dec 25, 1989 in Saranac, NY
+ William Otten b: Abt. 1899 in Oneonta, NY d: Mar 13, 1928 in Lyon Mountain, NY
-11 Lawrence Otten b: Abt. 1930, d: Bef. 1989
-11 Roger W. Otten b: Oct 31, 1936, d: Jan 07, 2001, Where Lived: 1989 in Saranac, NY
+ Shirley Vaughan b: Abt. 1930
-10 William Oliver b: Jan 05, 1907, d: Aug 01, 1978
+ Gertrude A. Lavoie b: Nov 22, 1910, d: Mar 03, 1991
-10 Howard P. Oliver b: Mar 11, 1909, d: Sep 06, 1982
+ Margaret Cutler b: Abt. 1910 in Montreal, Quebec
-11 Nelson Oliver b: Abt. 1950 + Kay Crawford b: Abt. 1950
-11 Sue Carol Oliver b: Feb 15, 1953 in Springfield, MA Where Lived: 1982 in Plattsburgh
+ David Love
-10 Seth Donald Oliver b: Jun 13, 1913 in Saranac, NY d: Feb 26, 1984 in Plattsburgh
Where Lived: 1982 in Saranac, NY
+ Hilda Chase b: Jul 15, 1908, d: Aug 31, 1997
-9 Henry Parsons b: Abt. 1877, Where Lived: 1934 in Saranac, NY
-9 Shirley Parsons b: Abt. 1879 in Saranac, NY d: May 14, 1934 in Ausable Forks, NY
+ Eliza Snow b: Abt. 1880, m: Sep 12, 1905 d. May 4, 1951
-8 Fanny Parsons b: March 09, 1845, Saranac, NY m. August 13, 1864 d. July 2, 1924
+ John Muzzy b: March 21, 1842 in Black Brook, NY d. April 13, 1932 in Redford, NY
-8 George H. Parsons b: July 23, 1841 in Saranac, NY d: Oct 08, 1844 in Saranac, NY
-8 Sarah C. Parsons b: October 1843 in Saranac, NY d: Apr 05, 1849 in Saranac, NY
-8 Lillian Parsons b: Abt. 1845, Where Lived: 1929 in Saranac, NY
-8 Ruth Parsons b: Aug 27, 1851 in Saranac, NY d: Apr 21, 1929 in Saranac, NY
+ Henry Jasper Bull b: July 8, 1851 in Saranac, NY m: Nov 12, 1873 in Saranac, NY
d. June 09, 1937 in Saranac, NY
-9 Harriet J. Bull d: Apr 30, 1964 in Saranac, NY
m. November 16, 1916 in Saranac, NY
+ Dyer Arnold White b: Sep 19, 1883 in New York d: Nov 11, 1962 in Saranac, NY
-10 Henry H. White b: Jun 17, 1917 d: Dec 24, 2001 in Venice East, FL
+ Suzanne Cossette b: Abt. 1920
-10 Raymond White b: May 07, 1919 in Saranac, NY d: Aug. 09, 1982 in Saranac, NY
+ Dorothy Tarling b: Abt. 1920
-10 Stephen B. White b: Mar 02, 1920 in Saranac, NY d: Feb 12, 2007 in Saranac, NY
+ Elizabeth Craig b: Sep 05, 1921, m: Feb 28, 1943 in Saranac, NY d: Mar 22, 2000

-11 Deborah White b: Abt. 1940
 + Robert Lambert b: Abt. 1940, Where Lived: 2008 in Cadyville, NY
11 Stephen G. White b: May 10, 1944, d: May 26, 1976
 + Helen K. Coryer b: Abt. 1945, Where Lived: 1997 in Saratoga Springs, NY

The final chapter in the life of Henry J. Bull, one of the oldest residents of Saranac, was finished. Mr. Bull was laid to rest in the Saranac cemetery where lie the remains of three generations of his forbears. Henry Jasper Bull was born in Saranac, July 8, 1851, son of Jasper and Elizabeth Cochran Bull. His life, like that of his generation, was one of continual struggle. Success was a goal he achieved by many years of faithful service to his God and fellow men. In 1872 he graduated from the Eastman Business College in Poughkeepsie. IN 1873 he was united in marriage with Miss Ruth Parsons, who passed away April 21, 1929 after 55 years of wedded life. Mr. Bull's life was full of activities. He was postmaster 22 years, town clerk, superintendent of Sunday School class leader, and treasurer of the M. E. church many years, was elected delegate to the annual conference many times and as also a delegate to the general conference in 1916. He was also a 32nd degree Mason. With so many business cares on is mind, his home became his haven of rest and it was there he was happy and content for his was truly Christian home. Mr. Bull is survived by his daughter, Mrs. D. A. Whiteand other relatives, he was the last of his family.

Plattsburgh daily press., June 16, 1937

-8 Eliza Parsons b: June 1855 in Saranac, NY d: September 16, 1938 in Saranac, NY
 Where Lived: 1929 in Saranac, NY
 + Jeffers L. Bennett b: November 21, 1856 in Plattsburgh d: April 3, 1933 in Plattsburgh
8 George H. Parsons b: July 23, 1841 in Saranac, NY d: Oct 08, 1844 in Saranac, NY
8 Sarah C. Parsons b: October 1843 in Saranac, NY d: Apr 05, 1849 in Saranac, NY
7 Aaron Vaughn b: Mar 02, 1822 in Plattsburgh d. 1905 in Bowden, SD
8 J.W. Vaughn Where Lived: 1895 in Steven's Point, WI
7 Anselm Vaughan b: Aug 28, 1823 in Plattsburgh d. July 29, 1893 in Stevens Point, WI

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#### CAN YOU HELP MARIA CALABRESE?

Hi

You posted a picture and did a memorial for my 2nd great grandparents, Holice Swinyer and Anna Myers Swinyer at the Peasleeville Cemetery.

Holice's parents, Mitchel Swinyer and Mercy Soper Swinyer I believe are also buried there. When I first started my research in 2001. I found their records at Feinberg Library (Special Collections), Plattsburgh, NY. Headstone reads: Mich. Swney/1813-1901, Merc. Swney/ His Wife/1815-1877/At Rest with a note for Peasleeville Cemetery.

I don't have my paper copy anymore. A nice very nice ex-husband destroyed many of my records. Is there a way to find out if they are buried at Peasleeville Cemetery?

I also have a genealogy question if you don't mind...

Mitchel's father is also Mitchel Swinyer who married Mary Staves.

One of my distant cousins from the same family that I met in 2003 (she was 81), told me, "The Swinyer family name was originally Chouinard (some say Choiniere). My dad always pronounced it as Schwee-nar. The earlier family came from France and settled in Canada." Mitchel Sr. was b. abt 1783 in Canada d. 19 Feb 1876 in Franklin, Franklin County, NY.

I have tried so may avenues to find any records for Mitchel Sr.'s parents. Mitchel's oldest child was born about 1808 in Clinton County, NY. In your experience, where would you search?

I appreciate your help! Thank you!

Maria Calabrese - maria.calabrese5@gmail.com



## HISTORIC GRAVESTONE RESTORATION AND CLEANING

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Terry and pupils at the Baker Cemetery in West Plattsburgh

The following is a compilation of **DOs** and **DON'Ts** for gravestone and cemetery restoration and cleaning.

Well-meaning volunteers performing simple cleaning and restoration can damage a stone beyond repair.

Only perform tasks for which you have received proper training.

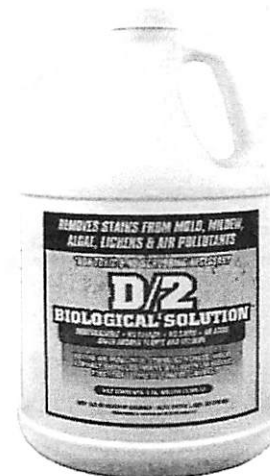
### Basic Cemetery and Gravestone Restoration

Volunteers can:

- Document the location of gravestones within the cemetery including transcription of stones, the layout of plots, and basic assessment of gravestone conditions
- Use photography (see below) to document gravestone description, location and conditions
- Mow and trim grass and planting in the cemetery

With proper training, volunteers can:

- Clean gravestones
- Straighten gravestones
- Reset fallen gravestones



Call a professional when:

- The stone is broken into several pieces
- The stone is too heavy to pick up without damaging it or you
- The stone is already damaged, or the integrity of the stone is compromised – i.e. spalling, delaminating or sugaring

**NEVER REMOVE PIECES, PARTS OR INTACT GRAVESTONES FROM THEIR ORIGINAL PLACE IN THE CEMETERY.** Gravestones should always remain in their original location in the cemetery to prevent further damage to the stone, to prevent being lost, and to mark the location of the grave.

## Photography

- **NEVER** use any product – shaving cream, bleach, corn starch, flour, chalk, etc. to read or photograph a gravestone
- **NEVER** touch a gravestone when reading or photographing it
- To read or photograph a gravestone that is difficult to read, **use a mirror**. For this to work, go to the cemetery before noon on a day with plenty of sun and no clouds. Angle the mirror in front of the stone, reflecting the sunlight over the stone using a raking light technique. This allows shadows to form in the letters and symbols on the stone, making it easier to read and photograph.
- Alternately, go to the cemetery on a dark, cloudy day or at night, and **use a flashlight**. LED flashlights work best. By holding the light on the side of the gravestone, the same raking of light appears and makes the inscription easier to read.

## Mowing and Trimming Grass and Planting

- **When mowing**, be sure to aim the grass clippings fly away from the stones. Grass sticking to the stone can cause staining, damage from erosion and biological growth on the stone.
- **When mowing**, never let the lawn mower touch the stones. It is better to let the grass close to the stone grow, than to get so close the stone is damaged.



Mary Carew Reynolds  
Shelters Cemetery  
Stone stabilized by iron bars  
which are staining the stone

- **When trimming** with a weed whacker, be sure not to touch the stone with the string. This causes damage to the stone with scratches and eventual weakening of the stone structure causing delamination
- **NEVER** let bushes, trees or large plantings get too large when located directly next to a gravestone. The Roots can cause the gravestones to fall over and increases the biological growth on the stone. Vines growing on the stone also affect the integrity of the stone.

## Restoring

- **NEVER** attempt to reset, restore or fix a gravestone until you have had the proper training
- **NEVER** use steel straps, bolts, pins, etc. to restore a gravestone
- **NEVER** use Portland cement, concrete, epoxies, caulk or automotive glue to repair a gravestone
- **NEVER** jam rocks around the edge of a gravestone in an attempt to make it stand straight
  - **NEVER** use metal shovels or trowels when digging around a gravestone. Only plastic trowels and wooden tamps should be used to prevent scratching the stone

## Cleaning

- **NEVER** use any household products – bleach, ammonia, orange clean, 409, etc. to clean gravestones – No matter how mild you think it is or what the internet says
- **NEVER** use sandpaper, hard bristle or wire brushes, or metal tools of any kind
- **NEVER US A POWER WASHER TO CLEAN STONES** – this can cause sugaring
- **USE soft bristle brushes** - If the brush is not soft enough to scrub your face, do not use it
- **USE** plastic or wooden tools to prevent scratching the stones
- The only recommended wash for cleaning gravestones is **D/2 biological product**
  - D/2 was developed by conservators, who know the damage that can be done by cleaners containing acid or salts. D/2 has been specially formulated without these harmful agents. D/2 is a nearly pH-neutral quaternary ammonium solution with surfactants that help carry surface contaminants away. No other solution is more trusted by architectural and monument conservators.
  - D/2 has been successfully used to remove staining from a variety of surfaces including natural stones such as marble, granite limestone, sandstone, and slate; masonry surfaces such as brick and cast stone; concrete; wood; aluminum and vinyl siding; and canvas.
  - D/2 has been successfully used to clean millions of buildings and monuments. From the White House to Arlington Cemetery, D/2 is trusted to work and keep on working when results matter.
- **List of recommended supplies for each group**
  - (2) 1-gallon sprayers – 1 for water and 1 for D/2
  - 1 gallon D/2 biologic wash
  - Plenty of clean water, amount is dependent on number of stones to be cleaned  
NOTE: Rainwater is best or good well water without iron or sulphur or metals  
Municipal water may contain additives like chlorine, fluoride, etc. and well water that is softened contains salt that can discolor or damage the stones
- **List of recommended supplies for each volunteer present to clean stones**
  - 2 to 3 plastic buckets



An extreme case of layering of rock on Henry Worden's gravestone in West Hill Cemetery



Stafford Cemetery on the Butler Road  
Lichen and Egyptian moss on the stone  
A good candidate for D/2, using a brush, a scraper, a toothbrush and a craft stick

- Plastic paint scrapers
- Nylon bristle toothbrush
- Wooden craft sticks
- Plastic spray bottle

## Cleaning Procedure

- Be sure to select a date that is well after the last frost date in the spring and well before the first frost date in the fall. **It is critical that a frost not occur within 24 hours of cleaning** due to water saturation of the stone.
- Select a stone to be cleaned. Do not attempt to clean a stone that is damaged in any way
- Dilute D/2 with water – 60% D/2 to 40% water in a gallon spray bottle.

- Saturate the stone with clean water, followed by saturation with the D/2 water mixture
- Wait 20 or 30 minutes
- Begin cleaning using plastic scraper and a large brush, rinsing with clean water as needed
- Continue cleaning using toothbrush and craft sticks to reach smaller places
- Rinse the stone with clean water

Alternately, saturation with water, followed by full-strength D/2 may be performed without any scrubbing but the results are not immediately obvious and may or may not produce the same level of cleaning in the long term.

### **D/2 can be purchased from the following**

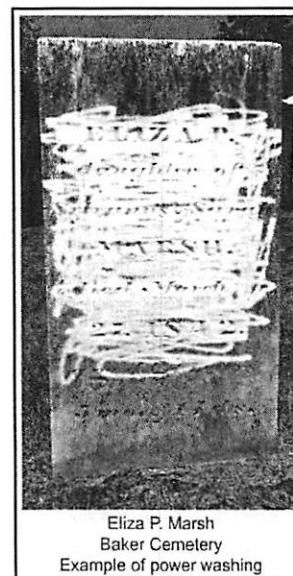
#### **LimeWorks.us**

Andrew deGruchy - Pennsylvania  
215-536-6706  
admin@limeworks.us  
[www.limeworks.us](http://www.limeworks.us)

Current prices as of June 2019

Quart - \$18.95    Gallon - \$41.95    5 gallons - \$189.00    55 gallons - \$1,890.00    all plus shipping

D/2 can also be bought locally and on the internet



Eliza P. Marsh  
Baker Cemetery  
Example of power washing

**PRESSURE WASHING** - may produce the desired superficial results on a gravestone, however, responsible cemetery associations are strongly opposed to the use of pressure washing. There is simply far too much risk to the stone using this method. We all think cemetery markers are indestructible, but every type, stone, metal or wood, can be delicate and have its special cleaning methods. Any water pressure over 40 psi has the potential to cause significant damage to stones, especially those made of marble or slate or older stones, depending on their condition. A standard home garden hose with a nozzle attached will put out on average about 50 psi and the nozzle may still cause the stream to be stronger than the stone can take. Many stones are antiques – would you put grandma's china in the dishwasher?

The use of a pressure washing system on a gravestone will not only remove the thin outer surface of the stone but expose the softer interior pores - a process called sugaring. These newly exposed pores will catch and hold onto biological particles, grime and moisture that travel through the atmosphere. Trapped moisture within the stone from pressure washing will lead to a shorter stone life due to the freezing and thawing cycles in the North Country. If used on older stones, pressure washing can and will flake off entire layers of old brittle stone and remove the substances that hold the stones to their bases. Once moisture gets between the stone and its base, it's only a matter of time until the stone topples.

In Clinton County, where freezing and thawing consistently wreak havoc on everything from buildings to plumbing to plant life and markers in cemeteries, why would we want to exacerbate the process by using pressure washers on our precious gravestones? We've all seen this destruction by Mother Nature in our cemetery walks.

When you make a cemetery visit, look around you. Do you want to be responsible for more destruction from pressure washing? Do you want to preserve the stones for future generations? Please recommend to your local cemetery associations that biological cleaners be used. They may take longer to clean the stone and require a hands-on approach by lots of volunteers but will help stones have a longer life.



## 10 GENERATIONS OF MAUREEN MARY SHAY'S ANCESTORS

### GENERATION 1

**MAUREEN MARY SHAY (1)** daughter of William Gilson Shay and Norma Regina Boulé, was born in 1955. She married Wayne Daniel Morrow. He was born in 1955 in Plattsburgh, NY. Where lived in 1990 in Keeseville, NY.

### GENERATION 2

**WILLIAM GILSON SHAY (2)** son of William R. Shay and Marion E Slater, was born on Sep 21, 1918 in Ausable Forks, NY. He died on Jun 12, 1990 in Burlington, VT. He married Norma Regina Boulé on Aug 08, 1942 in Keeseville, NY.

**NORMA REGINA BOULÉ (3)** daughter of Leonard Alfred Boulé and Mildred Signor, was born on Sep 13, 1923 in Keeseville, NY. She died on Apr 04, 2000 in Burlington, VT.

Norma Regina Boulé and William Gilson Shay had the following children:

- i. Amber Ellen Shay was born on Apr 16, 1945. She died in Mar 2019 in Vermont. She married Peter Rose Collins. He was born in 1937. He died in 2005 in Vermont. Where lived: 1990 in Burlington, VT.
- ii. Maureen Mary Shay (1) was born on May 01, 1955. She married Wayne Daniel Morrow. He was born on May 20, 1955 in Plattsburgh, NY.

**Plattsburgh Press Republican - June 13, 1990** - William G. Shay, 71, died Tuesday, June 12, 1990, at the Medical Center Hospital of Vermont in Burlington following a brief illness. He was born in Au Sable Forks Sept. 21, 1918, the son of William R. and Marion (Slater) Shay. He was a printer for many years for the Essex County Republican. He was a veteran of World War II. He was a member of St. John the Baptist Church, the Keeseville Elks Club and the Keeseville American Legion. He is survived by his wife, Norma (Boule) Shay of Keeseville; two daughters, Mrs. Peter (Amber) Collins of Burlington, VT, and Mrs. Wayne (Maureen) Morrow of Keeseville; two sisters, Mrs. Norman (Virginia) Swift of Plattsburgh and Joy Graham of Houston, TX; and three grandchildren, Marina and Shamus Collins and Heather Morrow. At his request, there will be no calling hours. Cremation will take place at Whispering Maples in Ellenburg. A memorial service will take place at a later date. Donations can be made in his memory to the Keeseville Rescue Squad. Bailey Funeral Home in Keeseville is in charge of arrangements.

### GENERATION 3

**WILLIAM R. SHAY (4)** son of John Henry Shay and Anna Louisa Vanderbogart, was born on Dec 14, 1875 in Massachusetts. He died on Mar 10, 1939. He married Marion E. Slater on Jun 21, 1917 in Clintonville, NY.

**MARION E. SLATER (5)** daughter of Gilson Melville Slater and Ella Marselia Stackpole, was born on May 08, 1897 in Au Sable Forks, NY. She died on Nov 15, 1983.

Marion E Slater and William R Shay had the following children:

- i. William Gilson Shay (2) was born on Sep 21, 1918 in Au Sable Forks, NY. He died on Jun 12, 1990 in Burlington, VT. He married Norma Regina Boulé on Aug 08, 1942 in Keeseville, NY. She was born on Sep 13, 1923 in Keeseville, NY. She died on Apr 04, 2000 in Burlington, VT.
- ii. Ann Shay was born on Jul 24, 1920. She died on Aug 08, 1956. She married Edmund Otto Murray. He was born on Oct 14, 1915. He died on Jan 27, 1965.



William and Marion Shay with son William



- iii. Helen Virginia Shay was born on Sep 15, 1921 in Plattsburgh, NY. She died on May 20, 1992 in Texas. She married Norman Swift on Oct 08, 1941. He was born in 1914. He died in 1991. Where lived: 1990 in Plattsburgh, NY
- iv. Donald Shay was born on Dec 11, 1923. He died on Apr 16, 1979. He married Helen Goldsmith. She was born about 1925.
- v. Marionella Shay was born on Oct 14, 1925. She died on Sep 19, 1985. She married James W. Jenkins in Plattsburgh, NY. He was born on Nov 29, 1925. He died on Dec 19, 1991.
- vi. Carol Joy Shay was born on Sep 16, 1937. She died on May 20, 1992. She married Frank Graham. He was born about 1935. She married Samuel Dibella. He was born about 1935. Where lived: 1990 in Houston, TX.

**Plattsburgh Daily Press – March 11, 1939** - William R. Shay, 64, of 184 South Catherine Street, Plattsburgh, widely known throughout northern New York as a salesman, died at 12:45 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the Champlain Valley Hospital where he had been a patient for two weeks. A native of Lebanon, MA, Mr. Shay had been in ill health for the past three years, but his condition did not become critical until a few weeks ago. He was a resident of Plattsburgh for almost 22 years. In politics Mr. Shay was always regarded as a staunch member of the Democratic party and served for six years as a member of the Board of Aldermen and representative of Ward 6. He was first elected to office as a member of the Board of Aldermen in 1931, succeeding George Bourdeau, Republican member. He retained that membership until 1937 when he was defeated by Cephus R. McCreedy. While a member of the Aldermanic Board he served on a number of important committees including Finance, Public Buildings, Public Welfare and Police. Mr. Shay was for a great many years associated with the sales departments of various local automobile dealers including Vincent S. Jerry, M. D. L. Stanton, Inc., C. M. Morhous, Inc., and Nash Motor Co. He was a member of Plattsburgh Council, Knights of Columbus. Surviving Mr. Shay are his widow; six children, William, Jr., Donald, Ann, Virginia, Marion Ella and Carroll, all of Plattsburgh; a brother John B. Shay of Chicago and two sisters, Mrs. Homer Fitch of Buffalo and Mrs. John King of Camden, ME. The body is at Brown's funeral chapel until Sunday when it will be removed to his home. A private service will be held Sunday afternoon for immediate friends and relatives and services will be held Monday morning in St. John's Church. Burial will be at Dalton, MA.

**LEONARD ALFRED BOULÉ (6)** son of Louis Boulé and Emma Richards, was born on Mar 07, 1898 in Keeseville, NY. He died on Apr 09, 1970 in Texas. He married Mildred Signor on Dec 26, 1917 in Keeseville, NY.

**MILDRED SIGNOR (7)** daughter of Frederick Sigouin Dit Signor and Henriette Ménard Dite Miner, was born in 1896 in Keeseville, NY. She died on Jun 27, 1930 in Keeseville, NY.

Mildred Signor and Leonard Alfred Boulé had the following children:

- i. Sheraton Victor Boulé was born on Jul 20, 1919 in Keeseville, NY. He died in Sep 1987 in Dallas, TX. He married Virginia Fillion in Keeseville, NY. She was born about 1920.
- ii. Marion Gertrude Boulé was born on Jun 19, 1921 in Keeseville, NY. She died on Jul 06, 2009 in Plattsburgh, NY. She married Gerald L. Schmitt on Jul 18, 1942 in Keeseville, NY. He was born on Dec 07, 1914. He died on Sep 09, 1994.
- iii. Norma Regina Boulé (3) was born on Sep 13, 1923 in Keeseville, NY. She died on Apr 04, 2000 in Burlington, VT. She married William Gilson Shay on Aug 08, 1942 in Keeseville, NY. He was born on Sep 21, 1918 in Au Sable Forks, NY. He died on Jun 12, 1990 in Burlington, VT.



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- iv. Milton Étienne Boulé was born on Jan 20, 1926 in Keeseville, NY. He married Rose Fasanella on Apr 23, 1946 in Trenton, NJ. She was born on Apr 23, 1926. She died on Apr 04, 2002.
- v. Antoinette Virginia Boulé was born on Dec 07, 1926 in Keeseville, NY. She died on Apr 14, 1927 in Keeseville, NY.

## GENERATION 4

**JOHN HENRY SHAY (8)**, son of Thomas Shay and Bridget O'Connell, was born on Sep 13, 1855. He died on Jan 03, 1933 in Buffalo, NY. He married Anna Louisa Vanderbogart.

**ANNA LOUISA VANDERBOGART (9)**, daughter of John Vanderbogart and Mary Dwyer, was born about in May 1864. She died on Apr 30, 1925 in Buffalo, NY.

Anna Louisa Vanderbogart and John Henry Shay had the following children:

- i. William R. Shay (4) was born on Dec 14, 1875 in Massachusetts. He died on Mar 10, 1939. He married Marion E. Slater on Jun 21, 1917 in Clintonville, NY. She was born on May 08, 1897 in Au Sable Forks, NY. She died on Nov 15, 1983.
- ii. Edward Shay was born in 1876. He died on Oct 07, 1897.
- iii. Louise Shay was born in 1879. She married John King. He was born about 1875.  
Where lived: in Virginia.
- iv. John Burke Shay was born in 1883. He married Louise Graves. She was born about 1880.  
Where lived: in River Forest, IL.
- v. Cora Belle Shay was born in 1884. She died in 1909. She married Oscar Allen. He was born about 1880.
- vi. Clara Shay was born in 1890. She died in 1955. She married Homer Finch. He was born about 1880. Where lived: in Buffalo, NY.
- vii. Joseph Shay was born in 1891.
- viii. Mary Shay was born in 1895. She died on Apr 07, 1895.
- ix. Gertrude Shay was born in 1898. She died on Jan 06, 1899.

**Plattsburgh Press Republican – April 19, 1943** - James H. Hopkins<sup>1</sup>, 61, district conservation officer since 1915, died Friday morning at the Saranac Lake General Hospital. Death was caused by a stroke and embolism suffered about ten days ago. Surviving are his widow, the former Miss Myrtle Slater; his mother, Mrs. William J. Hopkins, Saranac Lake; a daughter, Mrs. Hubert O'Connell, Saranac Lake; one son, William J. Hopkins, Saranac Lake; and a grandson, William Oakie Hopkins. Mr. Hopkins was born at Palmer Hill, near Au Sable Forks, in 1881, a son of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Hopkins. For a time, he served as postmaster at Ausable Forks, resigning in 1918. He had succeeded his father in the post. He entered the conservation commission and was promoted to district ranger in 1919. He moved from Au Sable Forks to Saranac Lake and later to Saranac Inn. He was in charge of the Mount Van Hoevenburg bobsled run at Lake Placid after the state took over the project shortly after the 11932 Olympic games. On Jan. 15, 1901, he married the former Miss Myrtle Slater of Ausable Forks in that village.

**GILSON MELVILLE SLATER (10)** son of Napoléon Bonaparte Slater and Mary Palmer, was born on Nov 18, 1855. He died in 1908. He married Ella Marselia Stackpole in 1876.

**ELLA MARSELIA STACKPOLE (11)** daughter of Frederick Stackpole and Anna Strong, was born on Aug 15, 1858. She died in Sep 1921.

Ella Marselia Stackpole and Gilson Melville Slater had the following children:

- i. Guy B. Slater was born on Jun 27, 1877. He died on Jan 19, 1965. He married Emma M. Foord. She was born in 1887. She died in 1984.
- ii. Margaret Slater was born on Feb 17, 1878. She died on Mar 03, 1953. She married Benjamin Bullen. He was born about 1875.
- iii. Myrtle B. Slater was born on Oct 15, 1880. She died on May 12, 1959. She married James H. Hopkins. He was born in 1881 in Palmer Hill, NY. He died on Apr 16, 1943 in Saranac Lake, NY.

- iv. Gertrude Slater was born on May 29, 1885. She died on Nov. 21, 1963. She married George Toupin. He was born about 1885
- v. Robert Slater was born in Apr 1888. He married Mary Caldwell. She was born about 1890.
- vi. Raymond E. Slater was born on May 27, 1892. He died on Feb 23, 1979. He married Anne E. Northrup. She was born on Jul 20, 1896. She died on Jan 06, 1971.
- vii. Kit Carson Slater was born on Oct 24, 1895. He died on Sep 13, 1964. He married Hattie Coolidge. She was born in 1897. She died in 1984 in Glens Falls, NY.
- viii. Marion E. Slater (5) was born on May 08, 1897 in Au Sable Forks, NY She died on Nov 15, 1983. She married William R. Shay on Jun 21, 1917 in Clintonville, NY. He was born on Dec 14, 1875 in Massachusetts. He died on Mar 10, 1939.
- ix. Helen M. Slater was born on Sep 23, 1899. She died on Jan 24, 1999. She married Calvin E. Marshall. He was born on Jan 15, 1900. He died on Jun 03, 1975.

**LOUIS BOULÉ (12)** son of Étienne Boulay and Virginia Nolette, was born on Nov 27, 1868 in Willsboro, NY. He died in Feb 1955 in Keeseville, NY. He married Emma Richards on Aug 23, 1890 in Keeseville, NY.

**EMMA RICHARDS (13)** daughter of Pierre Richards and Philomena Charron, was born on Mar 21, 1869 in Ellenburg, NY. She died in 1951.

Emma Richards and Louis Boulé had the following children:

- i. Henry Boulé was born in 1892 in Keeseville, NY. He died in 1944 in Albany, NY. He married Elizabeth Bowers in 1919 in Port Henry, NY. She was born about 1895. He married Ida Robare. She was born about 1888. She died on Dec 09, 1915.
- ii. Rena Boulé was born in 1894 in Keeseville, NY. She died on Apr 19, 1957 in Saranac Lake, NY. She married Henry Carter. He was born on Dec 31, 1896. He died on Jan 28, 1961.
- iii. Leonard Alfred Boulé (6) was born on Mar 07, 1898 in Keeseville, NY. He died on Apr 09, 1970 in Texas. He married Mildred Signor on Dec 26, 1917 in Keeseville, NY. She was born in 1896 in Keeseville, NY. She died on Jun 27, 1930 in Keeseville, NY. He married Marion Cummings. She was born about 1900.
- iv. Regina D. Boulé was born on Dec 15, 1902 in Keeseville, NY. She died on Dec 31, 1998 in Plattsburgh, NY. She married Fred Robare. He was born on Nov 16, 1891. He died on Oct 21, 1973.
- v. Stephen E. Boulé was born on Jul 12, 1904 in Keeseville. He died on Jan 26, 1992 in Guaryville, PA. He married Lillian Lahue. She was born about 1905. He married Francine E. Mussen. She was born on Mar 23, 1906 in Keeseville, NY. She died on Jun 07, 1992 in Plattsburgh, NY.

**Plattsburgh Press Republican – June 08, 1992** - Francine E. Boule, 86, of Keeseville, died Sunday, June 7, 1992, at Meadowbrook Nursing Home. She was born March 23, 1906, in Keeseville, the daughter of Willis and Erma (Toomey) Mussen. She was married to Harry DeGroat, who died in 1957, and later to Stephen Boule, who died in 1991. Survivors include a daughter, Mary Costanza of Newfoundland, NJ; a son, Robert DeGroat of Keeseville; a brother, Don Mussen of Aberdeen, MD; eight grandchildren and seven greatgrandchildren. Two brothers, Robert and Hubert Mussen, and a sister, Nedra McNierney, died earlier. There will be no calling hours. A memorial service will be held at 11 a.m. Thursday at the United Methodist Church in Keeseville. Burial will be in Evergreen Cemetery. Donations in her memory may be made to the Family Tragedy Fund, Box 45&, Keeseville, NY, 12944. Bailey Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

**FREDERICK SIGOUIN DIT SIGNOR (14)** son of Hilaire Sigouin Dit Signor and Emilie-Matilda Boudreau Dite Cousineau was born on May 04, 1866 in Au Sable Chasm, NY. He died in 1934 in Keeseville, NY. He married Henriette Ménard Dite Miner in Keeseville, NY.

**HENRIETTE MÉNARD DITE MINER (15)** daughter of Charles Ménard Dit Miner and Rose-Marie Oigny Dite Livergnat, was born on Mar 27, 1870 in Keeseville, NY. She died in 1939 in Keeseville, NY.

Henriette Ménard Dite Miner and Frederick Sigouin Dit Signor had the following children:

- i. Mildred Signor (7) was born in 1896 in Keeseville, NY. She died on Jun 27, 1930 in Keeseville, NY. She married Leonard Alfred Boulé on Dec 26, 1917 in Keeseville, NY. He was born on Mar 07, 1898 in Keeseville, NY. He died on Apr 09, 1970 in Texas.
- ii. Antoinette Signor was born on Feb 22, 1899. She died on Dec 09, 1975. She married Roy H. Lesperance. He was born on Oct 11, 1896. He died on Oct 08, 1971.
- iii. William J. Signor was born about 1900 in Keeseville, NY. He died about 1960 in Schenectady, NY.
- iv. Margaret Signor was born about 1900 in Keeseville, NY.

Plattsburgh Press Republican – December 10, 1975 - Mrs. Nettie Lesperance, 76, died Tuesday at the CVPH Medical Center following a long illness. She was born in Keeseville, Feb. 22, 1899, the daughter of Fred and Harriet (Miner) Signor. She was the wife of the late Roy Lesperance. She is survived by her daughter, Mrs. John (Annette) Clarke of Keeseville and a grandson, Mark Clarke; several nieces and nephews. Calling hours will be tonight from 7 to 9 p.m. at the Bailey Funeral Home in Keeseville. Funeral services will be held Thursday at 12 noon at St. John the Baptist Church. The Rev. Francis White will officiate. Bearers will be Richard Affinito, James LaGoy, Arthur Jarvis, Bradford Brinton, William Hicke, and Sherwood LaPoint Jr. Burial will be in the parish cemetery. In lieu of flowers, donations are requested to be made to the Keeseville Rescue Squad in memory of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lesperance

## GENERATION 5

**THOMAS SHAY (16)** was born about 1815 in Ireland. He married Bridget O'Connell.

**BRIDGET O'CONNELL (17)** was born about 1825 in Ireland.

Bridget O'Connell and Thomas Shay had the following children:

- i. Mary Shay was born about 1839.
- ii. Thomas Shay was born about 1842.
- iii. Morris Shay was born about 1846.
- iv. Patrick Shay was born about 1848.
- v. John Henry Shay (8) was born on Sep 13, 1855. He died on Jan 03, 1933 in Buffalo, NY. He married Anna Louisa Vanderbogart. She was born about 1855. She died on Apr 30, 1925 in Buffalo, NY.
- vi. Mary Shay was born in about 1848.

**JOHN VANDERBOGART (18)** was born about 1830 in Holland. He married Mary Dwyer.

**MARY DWYER (19)** was born about 1830 in Ireland.

Mary Dwyer and John Vanderbogart had the following child:

- i. Anna Louisa Vanderbogart (9) was born about 1855. She died on Apr 30, 1925 in Buffalo, NY. She married John Henry Shay. He was born on Sep 13, 1855. He died on Jan 03, 1933 in Buffalo, NY.

**NAPOLÉON BONAPARTE SLATER (20)** son of Chauncey Slater and Margaret Kenedy, was born on Jan 31, 1831. He died on Jul 08, 1894. He married Mary Palmer in 1852.

**MARY PALMER (19)** daughter of Palmer and Anne Calista Reynolds, was born on May 15, 1839. She died on Jul 04, 1898.

Mary Palmer and Napoléon Bonaparte Slater had the following children:

- i. Gilson Melville Slater (10) was born on Nov 18, 1855. He died in 1908. He married Ella Marselia

Stackpole in 1876. She was born on Aug 15, 1858. She died in Sep 1921.

ii. William Slater was born in 1863. He married Lottie Snow. She was born about 1865.

iii. Lillian L. Slater was born on Dec 12, 1866. She died on Feb 19, 1910. She married Frank W. Fountain. He was born on Jan 03, 1885. He died on Apr 03, 1953.



About 1890

Left to right standing - Arthur Boule, Lewis Boule, Edith Boule, Charles Frechette  
Left to right seated - Donald Laporte and son Donald Boule, Emma Richardson and daughter Rena Boule, Etienne Boule with boys Henry and Isadore Boule, Virginia Nolette, and Anna Boule with son Roswell Frechette

**FREDERICK STACKPOLE (22)** son of Benjamin Stackpole, was born on Oct 13, 1826. He died in 1895. He married Anna Strong.

**ANNA STRONG (23)** was born in 1831. She died in 1915.

Anna Strong and Frederick Stackpole had the following child:

- i. Ella Marselia Stackpole (11) was born on Aug 15, 1858. She died in Sep 1921. She married Gilson Melville Slater in 1876. He was born on Nov 18, 1855. He died in 1908.

**ÉTIENNE BOULAY (24)** son of Nazaire Boulay and Marguerite Lussier, was born on Nov 26, 1844. He died on Oct 05, 1906 in Keeseville, NY. He married Virginia Nolette on Nov 11, 1865 in Keeseville, NY

**VIRGINIA NOLETTE (25)** daughter of Louis-Napoléon Nolette and Rosalie Giroux, was born in 1851 in Keeseville, NY. She died in 1932 in Keeseville, NY.

Virginia Nolette and Étienne Boulay had the following children:

- i. Louis Boulé (12) was born on Nov 27, 1868 in Willsboro, NY. He died in Feb 1955 in Keeseville, NY.



He married Emma Richards on Aug 23, 1890 in Keeseville, NY. She was born on Mar 21, 1869 in Ellenburg, NY. She died in 1951.

ii. Anna-Evangeline Boulé was born on Aug 08, 1872 in Willsboro, NY. She died in 1951 in Plattsburgh, NY. She married Charles Frichette. He was born about 1870.

iii. Arthur Boulé was born in 1873 in Willsboro, NY. He died in 1953 in Saranac Lake, NY. He married Donelda Laporte. She was born about 1875.

iv. Alma Boulé was born on Jun 06, 1875 in Willsboro, NY. She died on May 25, 1878 in Keeseville, NY.

v. Harvey Boulé was born on Jan 31, 1878 in Keeseville, NY. He died on Sep 26, 1878 in Keeseville, NY

vi. Edith Boulé was born in 1880 in Keeseville, NY. She died in 1965 in Milwaukee, WI. She married John Franklin Grow. He was born about 1880.



Grandma Signor and Norma

vii. George Boulé was born on Oct 01, 1882 in Keeseville, NY. He died on Jun 08, 1890 in Keeseville, NY.

viii. Isadore A Boulé was born on Mar 13, 1887 in Keeseville, NY. He died on Feb 14, 1968 in Plattsburgh, NY. He married Caroline Kelly. She was born about 1890. He married Irene Frechette. She was born on Dec 14, 1894. She died on Jun 25, 1984.

ix. Raymond Boulé was born on Mar 07, 1889 in Keeseville, NY. He died on Jul 11, 1899 in Keeseville, NY.

**PIERRE RICHARDS (26)** son of Émery Richard and Delphine Barsalou, was born about 1835. He married Philomena Charron.

**PHILOMENA CHARRON (27)** daughter of François Charron and Louise Charbonneau, was born about 1835.

Philomena Charron and Pierre Richards had the following child:

i. Emma Richards (13) was born on Mar 21, 1869 in Ellenburg, NY. She died in 1951. She married Louis Boulé on Aug 23, 1890 in Keeseville, NY. He was born on Nov 27, 1868 in Willsboro, NY. He died in Feb 1955 in Keeseville, NY.

**HILAIRE SIGOUIN DIT SIGNOR (28)** son of Joseph Sigouin Dit Signor and Marie-Louise Sauriole, was born about 1840. He married Emilie-Matilda Boudreau Dit Cousineau.

**EMILIE-MATILDA BOUDREAU DITE COUSINEAU (29)** daughter of Benoni Cousineau and Louise St. Aubin was born about 1845.

Emilie-Matilda Boudreau Dite Cousineau and Hilaire Sigouin Dit Signor had the following children:

i. Edwige Signor was born on Sep 03, 1855 in Keeseville, NY. She died in Keeseville, NY

- ii. Hélène Signor was born on May 10, 1864 in Keeseville, NY. She died in Keeseville, NY. She married Nelson Robare. He was born about 1860.
- iii. Frederick Sigouin Dit Signor (14) was born on May 04, 1866 at Au Sable Chasm, NY. He died in 1934 in Keeseville, NY. He married Henriette Ménard Dite Miner in Keeseville, NY. She was born on Mar 27, 1870 in Keeseville, NY. She died in 1939 in Keeseville, NY.
- iv. Edmund Signor was born on Jul 12, 1868 in Keeseville, NY.
- v. Agnès Signor was born on Jan 27, 1871 in Keeseville, NY.
- vi. Napoléon Signor was born on Jul 22, 1873 in Keeseville, NY.
- vii. Joseph Signor was born on Aug 03, 1876 in Keeseville, NY.

**CHARLES MINER DIT MÉNARD (30)** son of Julien Ménard and Sophie Fregeau, was born in 1844 in Québec, Canada. He married Rose-Marie Oligny Dite Livergnat on Mar 03, 1866 in Keeseville, NY

**ROSE-MARIE OLIGNY DITE LIVERGNAT (31)** daughter of Louis Oligny and Antoinette Selle, was born in 1847.

Rose-Marie Oligny Dite Livergnat and Charles Miner Dit Ménard had the following children:

- i. Helena Miner was born on Aug 30, 1866 in Keeseville, NY
- ii. Henriette Ménard Dite Miner (15) was born on Mar 27, 1870 in Keeseville, NY. She died in 1939 in Keeseville, NY. She married Frederick Sigouin Dit Signor in Keeseville, NY. He was born on May 04, 1866 at Ausable Chasm, NY. He died in 1934 in Keeseville, NY.
- iii. Marguerite Miner was born on Feb 24, 1872 in Keeseville, NY. She married Eugene Cummings in Keeseville, NY. He was born about 1870.

### Donald Shay

**TUSCON, Ariz. — Donald Shay, formerly of Keeseville, died April 16 here after a short illness.**

**He was born Dec. 11, 1923 in Plattsburgh, the son of William and Marion (Slater) Shay.**

**He was a member of the American Legion and AuSable Valley River Lodge 149, F&AM, of Keeseville.**

**Besides his mother, he leaves his wife, Helen Goldsmith Shay of Tuscon; two sons, Donald and Daniel, both of Tuscon; a brother, William Shay of Keeseville; three sisters, Marionella Jenkins, Virginia Swift and Joy Graham; five grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.**

**Services were conducted at Avalon Chapel April 18 by the Rev. Clay Taylor. Burial was in Evergreen Cemetery with Masonic graveside services by Tuscon Masonic Sojourners.**

## GENERATION 6

**CHAUNCEY SLATER (40)** son of Joseph Slater and Hannah Spalding, was born on May 02, 1795 in Vermont. He married Margaret Kenedy on Jan 22, 1822.

**MARGARET KENEDY (41)** was born on Dec 21, 1797.

Margaret Kenedy and Chauncey Slater had the following children:

- i. David Slater was born in 1823. He married Catherine. She was born about 1825.
- ii. Eliza Slater was born in 1825.
- iii. Sarah Slater was born in 1827.
- iv. Napoléon Bonaparte Slater (20) was born on Jan 31, 1831. He died on Jul 08, 1894. He married Mary Palmer in 1852. She was born on May 15, 1839. She died on Jul 04, 1898.
- v. Pamela Slater was born in 1833.
- vi. Joseph Slater was born in 1834.
- vii. Ellen Slater was born in 1839.

**PALMER (42)** He married Anne Calista Reynolds.

**ANNE CALISTA REYNOLDS (41)** was born about 1815.

Anne Calista Reynolds and Palmer had the following child:

- i. Mary Palmer (21) was born on May 15, 1839. She died on Jul 04, 1898. She married Napoléon

Bonaparte Slater in 1852. He was born on Jan 31, 1831. He died on Jul 08, 1894.

**BENJAMIN STACKPOLE (44)** son of Stephen Stackpole and Esther Warren, was born on Oct 13, 1791 in Somersworth, NH. He died on Feb 16, 1864 in Saranac, NY. He married Phebe Candis Norcross on May 2, 1818 in Plattsburgh, NY.

**PHEBE CANDIS NORCROSS** daughter of Samuel Norcross and Margaret Ross was born on February 05, 1792.

Benjamin Stackpole and Phoebe Candis Norcross had the following children:

- i. Elizabeth Ann Stackpole was born on Apr 08, 1822 in Plattsburgh, NY. She died on Feb 05, 1890. She married George Darrah on Dec 18, 1839 in Plattsburgh, NY. He was born on Dec 02, 1822 in Québec. He died on Aug 16, 1903 in Plattsburgh, NY.
- ii. Mary Margaret Stackpole was born on May 21, 1834 in Plattsburgh, NY. She died on Feb 11, 1895 in Plattsburgh, NY. She married Harmon Darrah. He was born on Jul 28, 1827 in Canada. He died on Feb 20, 1892 in Schuyler Falls, NY.

**BENJAMIN STACKPOLE (44)** and an **UNKNOWN SPOUSE (45)** had the following child:

- i. Frederick Stackpole (22) was born on Oct 13, 1826. He died in 1895. He married Anna Strong. She was born in 1831. She died in 1915.

**NAZAIRE BOULAY (48)** son of Abraham Boulay and Thérèse Fournier, was born on Nov 11, 1793 in Cap St. Ignace, Québec. He married Marguerite Lussier on Jun 01, 1824 in St. Hyacinthe, Québec.

**MARGUERITE LUSSIER (49)** daughter of Antoine Lussier and Marie Gauthier Dite Landreville, was born on May 28, 1801 in St. Hyacinth, Québec. Marguerite Lussier and Nazaire Boulay had the following child:

- i. Étienne Boulay (24) was born on Nov 26, 1844. He died on Oct 05, 1906 in Keeseville, NY. He married Virginia Nolette on Nov 11, 1865 in Keeseville, NY. She was born in 1851 in Keeseville, NY. She died in 1932 in Keeseville, NY.

**LOUIS-NAPOLÉON NOLETTE (50)** was born in Jun 1811 in Lévis, Québec. He died on Oct 06, 1906 in Keeseville, NY. He married Rosalie Giroux in 1841 in Keeseville, NY.

**ROSALIE GIROUX (51)** daughter of Pierre Giroux and Marguerite Paquin, was born in Jun 1816 in Vaudreuil, Québec. She died on Jul 25, 1906 in Keeseville, NY.

Rosalie Giroux and Louis-Napoléon Nolette had the following child:

- i. Virginia Nolette (25) was born in 1851 in Keeseville, NY. She died in 1932 in Keeseville, NY. She married Étienne Boulay on Nov 11, 1865 in Keeseville, NY. He was born on Nov 26, 1844. He died on Oct 05, 1906 in Keeseville, NY.

**ÉMERY RICHARD (52)** son of Antoine Richard and Josephine Malboeuf, was born about 1810. He

## AuSable Girl Dies of Eating Poison Berries

Edna Bleau, ten-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bleu of the "Flats" near AuSable Forks, died Friday morning as the result of eating wild red berries resembling those of the winter-green.

The girl and two other children accompanied Mr. Bleu into the woods on Thursday where he went to cut wood.

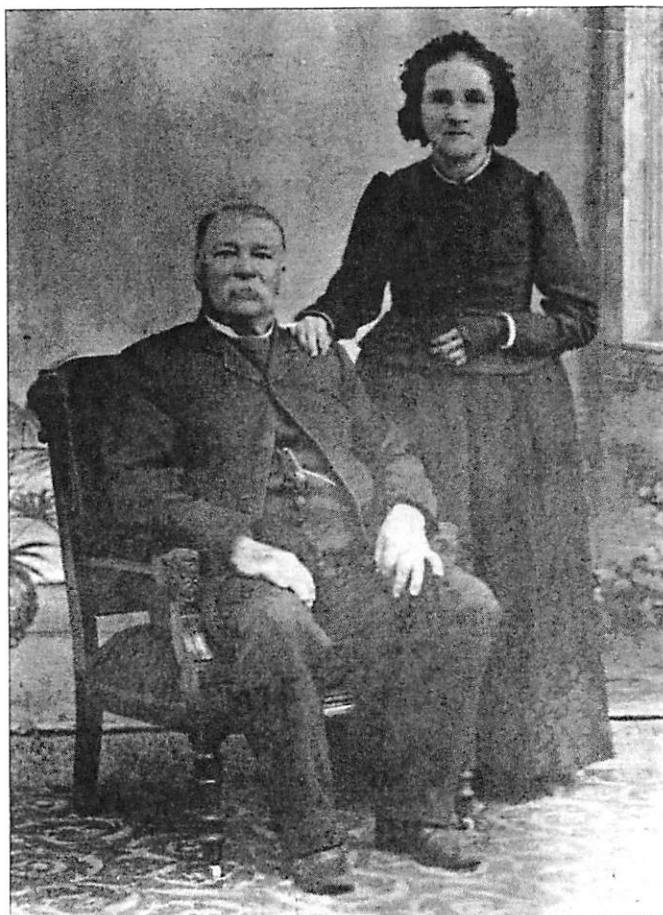
While the father was working Edna looked for berries and found some which resembled winter-green. When she returned home she complained of a headache and was sent to bed.

Between six and seven o'clock Friday morning her mother went to her room to call her for breakfast and found her dead.

The mother called Dr. C. J. Culver of AuSable Forks, who is also coroner of Essex county, and he pronounced death due to poison from eating the berries.

married Delphine Barsalou on Oct 25, 1842 in Two Mountains, Québec.

**DELPHINE BARSALOU (53)** daughter of Louis Barsalou and Charlotte Presseau, was born about 1810.



Louis and Rosalie Nolette  
Lived at the corner of Pleasant and Jackson  
Streets, Keeseville. He died at 96 in 1906

Delphine Barsalou and Émery Richard had the following child:

- i. Pierre Richards (26) was born about 1835. He married Philomena Charron. She was born about 1835.

**FRANÇOIS CHARRON (54)** son of Jean-Baptiste Charron and Angélique Lapierre, was born about 1800. He married Louise Charbonneau on Oct 12, 1824 in Ste-Thérèse-de-Blainville, Québec.

**LOUISE CHARBONNEAU (55)** was born about 1800.

Louise Charbonneau and François Charron had the following child:

- i. Philomena Charron (27) was born about 1835. She married Pierre Richards. He was born about 1835.

**JOSEPH SIGOUIN DIT SIGNOR (56)** son of Pierre Sigouin and Marie-Desanges Thibaut, was born in 1792 in Laval, Québec. He married Marie-Louise Sauriole on Jul 11, 1815 in Ile Jesu, Québec.

**MARIE-LOUISE SAURIOLE (57)** daughter of Louis Sauriole and Marie-Clemence Taillefer, was born in 1794 in Laval, Québec.

Marie-Louise Sauriole and Joseph Sigouin Dit Signor had the following child:

- i. Hilaire Sigouin Dit Signor (28) was born

about 1840. He married Emilie-Matilda Boudreau Dite Cousineau. She was born about 1845.

**BENONI COUSINEAU (58)** was born about 1820. He married Louise St. Aubin.

**LOUISE ST. AUBIN (59)** was born about 1820.

Louise St. Aubin and Benoni Cousineau had the following child:

- i. Emilie-Matilda Boudreau Dite Cousineau (29) was born about 1845. She married Hilaire Sigouin Dit Signor. He was born about 1840.

**JULIEN MÉNARD (60)** son of Pierre Ménard and Suzanne Dumas, was born in 1814 in Québec, Canada. He married Sophie Fregeau on Oct 02, 1834 in St. Valentin, Québec.

**SOPHIE FREGEAU (61)** daughter of Joseph Fregeau and Marguerite Desnoyers, was born in Mar 1813 in Rouville, Québec.

Sophie Fregeau and Julien Ménard had the following child:

- i. Charles Miner Dit Ménard (30) was born in 1844 in Québec, Canada. He married Rose-Marie Oligny Dite Livergnat on Mar 03, 1866 in Keeseville, NY. She was born in 1847.

**LOUIS OLIGNY (62)** was born about 1820. He married Antoinette Selle.

**ANTOINETTE SELLE (63)** was born about 1820.63.

Antoinette Selle and Louis Oligny had the following child:

- i. Rose-Marie Oligny dite Livergnat (30) was born in 1847. She married Charles Miner Dit Ménard on Mar 03, 1866 in Keeseville, NY. He was born in 1844 in Québec, Canada.

## GENERATION 7

**JOSEPH SLATER (80)** son of John Slater and Lois Carpenter, was born on Jul 26, 1772. He died on Feb 26, 1861. He married Hannah Spalding in Dec 1791 in Monson, MA.

**HANNAH SPALDING (81)** daughter of John Spalding, was born on Feb 23, 1773. She died in 1855.

Hannah Spalding and Joseph Slater had the following child:

- i. Chauncey Slater (40) was born on May 02, 1795 in Vermont. He married Margaret Kenedy on Jan 22, 1822. She was born on Dec 21, 1797.

**STEPHEN STACKPOLE (88)**, son of James Stackpole and Elizabeth Pierce, was born on Feb 08, 1760 in Rollingsford, NH. He died in Jun 1843 in Rollinsford, NH. He married Esther Warren on Jan 01, 1784 in Berwick, ME.

**ESTHER WARREN (89)**, daughter of Joshua Warren and Sarah Weymouth, was born in 1768.

Esther Warren and Stephen Stackpole had the following child:

- i. Benjamin Stackpole (44) was born on Oct 13, 1791 in Somersworth, NH. He died on Feb 16, 1864 in Saranac, NY. He married Phoebe Candis Norcross on May 02, 1818 in Plattsburgh, NY. She was born on Feb 25, 1792 in New York. She died on Feb 05, 1889.

**ABRAHAM BOULAY (96)**, son of Paul Boulé and Claire Miville, was born in Jan 1746. He married Thérèse Fournier on Feb 15, 1773 in Montmagny, Québec.

**THÉRÈSE FOURNIER (97)**, daughter of Pierre Fournier and Marie-Françoise Couture, was born in Feb 1750.

Thérèse Fournier and Abraham Boulay had the following child:

- i. Nazaire Boulay (48) was born on Nov 11, 1793 in Cap St. Ignace, Québec. He married Marguerite Lussier on Jun 01, 1824 in St. Hyacinthe, Québec. She was born on May 28, 1801 in St. Hyacinth, Québec. He married Marie-Ursule St-Marc-Guillet on Nov 16, 1818 in St Hyacinthe, Québec.

**ANTOINE LUSSIER (98)**, son of Jacques Lussier and Madeleine Chagnon Dite Larose, was born in 1777. He married Marie Gauthier Dite Landreville on Nov 05, 1798 in Lavaltrie, Québec.

**MARIE GAUTHIER DITE LANDREVILLE (99)** was born about 1780.

Marie Gauthier Dite Landreville and Antoine Lussier had the following child:



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i. Marguerite Lussier (49) was born on May 28, 1801 in St. Hyacinth, Québec. She married Nazaire Boulay on Jun 01, 1824 in St. Hyacinthe, Québec. He was born on Nov 11, 1793 in Cap St. Ignace, Québec.

**PIERRE GIROUX (102)** was born about 1793 in Québec. He married Marguerite Paquin. **MARGUERITE PAQUIN (103)** was born about 1793 in Québec.

Marguerite Paquin and Pierre Giroux had the following child:

i. Rosalie Giroux (51) was born in Jun 1816 in Vaudreuil, Québec. She died on Jul 25, 1906 in Keeseville, NY. She married Louis-Napoléon Nolette in 1841 in Keeseville, NY. He was born in Jun 1811 in Lévis, Québec. He died on Oct 06, 1906 in Keeseville.

**ANTOINE RICHARD (104)** was born about 1775. He married Josephine Malboeuf.

**JOSEPHINE MALBOEUF (105)** was born about 1875.

Josephine Malboeuf and Antoine Richard had the following child:

i. Émery Richard (52) was born about 1810. He married Delphine Barsalou on Oct 25, 1842 in Two Mountains, Québec. She was born about 1810.

**LOUIS BARSALOU (106)**, son of Jean-François Barsalou and Marguerite Miville, was born about 1780. He married Charlotte Presseau.

**CHARLOTTE PRESSEAU (107)** was born about 1785. Charlotte Presseau and Louis Barsalou had the following child:

i. Delphine Barsalou (53) was born about 1810. She married Émery Richard on Oct 25, 1842 in Two Mountains, Québec. He was born about 1810.

**JEAN-BAPTISTE CHARRON (108)**, son of Jean-Baptiste Charron and Marie-Anne Fagnant, was born about 1765. He married Angélique Lapierre on Feb 23, 1789 in Terrebonne, Québec. **ANGÉLIQUE LAPIERRE (109)**, daughter of François Lapierre and Louise Robin Dite Lapointe, was born about 1765.

Angélique Lapierre and Jean-Baptiste Charron had the following child:

i. François Charron (54) was born about 1800. He married Louise Charbonneau on Oct 12, 1824 in Ste-Thérèse-de-Blainville, Québec. She was born about 1800.

**PIERRE SIGOUIN (112)**, son of Jean-Baptiste Sigouin and Josephine Nadon, was born about 1790. He married Marie-Desanges Thibaut on Jan 12, 1778 in Laval, Québec.

**MARIE-DESANGES THIBAUT (113)**, daughter of Pierre Thibaut and Marguerite Lorrain, was born about 1760.

Marie-Desanges Thibaut and Pierre Sigouin had the following child:

i. Joseph Sigouin Dit Signor (56) was born in 1792 in Laval, Québec. He married Marie-Louise Sauriole on Jul 11, 1815 in Ile Jesu, Québec. She was born in 1794 in Laval, Québec.

**LOUIS SAURIOLE (114)** was born in 1770 in Laval, Québec. He married Marie-Clemence Taillefer.

**MARIE-CLEMENCE TAILLEFER (115)** was born in 1770 in Laval, Québec. She died in Feb 1869 in Laval, Québec.

## Marionella Jenkins

**MORRISONVILLE** — Marionella "Lovey" Jenkins, 59, of the Rand Hill Road died Thursday, Sept. 19, 1985, at Roswell Park Memorial Hospital in Buffalo.

She was born in Plattsburgh Oct. 14, 1925, the daughter of William and Marion (Slatter) Shay.


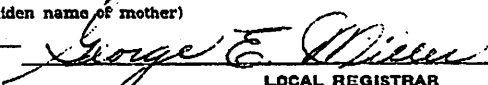
Mrs. Jenkins was a member of the United Methodist Church in Plattsburgh.

She had worked for National Commercial Bank and Trust Co. for several years and then the State University of New York at Potsdam and Plattsburgh as a secretary for several years. More recently she was a bookkeeper for United Rent-All store.

Survivors include her husband, James W. Jenkins; two sons, Steven Jenkins of Fort Lauderdale, Fla., and Daniel Jenkins of Rand Hill; a brother, William Shay of Keeseville; two sisters, Mrs. Norman (Virginia) Swift of Cumberland Head, Plattsburgh, and Mrs. Joy Graham of Houston, Texas; and several nieces and nephews.

Marie-Clemence Taillefer and Louis Sauriole had the following child:

- i. Marie-Louise Sauriole (57) was born in 1794 in Laval, Québec. She married Joseph Sigouin Dit Signor on Jul 11, 1815 in Ile Jesu, Québec. He was born in 1792 in Laval, Québec.

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| <b>CERTIFICATE OF BIRTH REGISTRATION</b>                                           |                                                                                                               |
| <i>This is to certify that a birth certificate has been filed for</i>              |                                                                                                               |
| <b>WAYNE DANIEL MORROW</b>                                                         |                                                                                                               |
| Born on <b>MAY 20th, 1955</b>                                                      | at <b>PLATTSBURGH, NEW YORK</b>                                                                               |
| Son<br><del>Daughter</del> of <b>WALLACE CLAYTON MORROW</b>                        | and                                                                                                           |
| (name of father)                                                                   |                                                                                                               |
| <b>BEATRICE MAE BLEAU</b>                                                          |                                                                                                               |
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**PIERRE MÉNARD (120)**, son of Pierre Ménard and Marguerite Piedalue, was born about 1790. He married Suzanne Dumas in 1813 in L'Acadie, Québec.

**SUZANNE DUMAS (121)**, daughter of Étienne Dumas and Marie Bourdeau, was born about 1790.121.

Suzanne Dumas and Pierre Ménard had the following child:

- i. Julien Ménard (60) was born in 1814 in Québec, Canada. He married Sophie Fregeau on Oct 02, 1834 in St. Valentin, Québec. She was born in Mar 1813 in Rouville, Québec.

**JOSEPH FREGEAU (122)**, son of Jean-Baptiste Fregeau and Marie-Joséphite Laigu, was born in Jun 1782. He married Marguerite Desnoyers on Sep 18, 1809 in Rouville, Québec.

**MARGUERITE DESNOYERS (123)**, daughter of Pierre Desnoyers and Charlotte Malboeuf, was born about 1785.

Marguerite Desnoyers and Joseph Fregeau had the following child:

- i. Sophie Fregeau (61) was born in Mar 1813 in Rouville, Québec. She married Julien Ménard on Oct 02, 1834 in St. Valentin, Québec. He was born in 1814 in Québec, Canada.

## GENERATION 8

**JOHN SLATER (160)**, son of Joseph Slater and Hannah Covel, was born in 1756. He died on Feb 14, 1815 in Guilford, VT. He married Lois Carpenter in 1779.

**LOIS CARPENTER (161)**, daughter of Benjamin Carpenter, was born about 1760.

Lois Carpenter and John Slater had the following child:

- i. Joseph Slater (80) was born on Jul 26, 1772. He died on Feb 26, 1861. He married Hannah Spalding in Dec 1791 in Monson, MA. She was born on Feb 23, 1773. She died in 1855.

**JOHN SPALDING (162)** was born about 1750.

John Spalding had the following child:

- i. Hannah Spalding (81) was born on Feb 23, 1773. She died in 1855. She married Joseph Slater in Dec 1791 in Monson, MA. He was born on Jul 26, 1772. He died on Feb 26, 1861.

**JAMES STACKPOLE (176)**, son of Philip Stackpole and Mercy Thompson, was born in 1714 in South Berwick, ME. He died in 1790 in Somersworth, NH. He married Elizabeth Pierce in 1740 in South Berwick ME.

**ELIZABETH PIERCE (177)**, daughter of Benjamin Pierce and Hannah Ash, was born on May 17, 1717. She died in Dover, NH.

Elizabeth Pierce and James Stackpole had the following child:

- i. Stephen Stackpole (88) was born on Feb 08, 1760 in Rollinsford, NH. He died in Jun 1843 in Rollinsford, NH. He married Esther Warren on Jan 01, 1784 in Berwick, ME. She was born in 1768.

**JOSHUA WARREN (178)**, son of James Warren and Mary Goodwin, was born about 1725. He married Sarah Weymouth.

**SARAH WEYMOUTH (179)**, daughter of Benjamin Weymouth and Sarah Morrill, was born on Feb 23, 1729.

Sarah Weymouth and Joshua Warren had the following child:

- i. Esther Warren (89) was born in 1768. She married Stephen Stackpole on Jan 01, 1784 in Berwick, ME. He was born on Feb 08, 1760 in Rollinsford, NH. He died in Jun 1843 in Rollinsford, NH.

**PAUL BOULÉ (192)**, son of Jacques Boulé and Françoise Fournier, was born in Dec 1708. He married Claire Miville on Nov 26, 1731 in Montmagny, Québec.

**CLAIRE MIVILLE (193)**, daughter of Joseph Miville and Geneviève Caron, was born in Nov 1710. She died in Dec 1770.

Claire Miville and Paul Boulé had the following child:

- i. Abraham Boulay (96) was born in Jan 1746. He married Thérèse Fournier on Feb 15, 1773 in Montmagny, Québec. She was born in Feb 1750.

**PIERRE FOURNIER (194)**, son of Guillaume Fournier and Madeleine Poirier, was born in 1718 in Montmagny, Québec. He married Marie-Françoise Couture.

**MARIE-FRANÇOISE COUTURE (195)**, daughter of Guillaume Couture and Marie-Anne Adam, was born in Jul 1726 in St. Laurent, Île d'Orléans, Québec.

Marie-Françoise Couture and Pierre Fournier had the following child:

- i. Thérèse Fournier (97) was born in Feb 1750. She married Abraham Boulay on Feb 15, 1773 in Montmagny, Québec. He was born in Jan 1746.

**JACQUES LUSSIER (196)**, son of Jacques L'huissier and Marguerite Gauthier, was born in Jan 1733

## GRAHAM

**JOY SHAY GRAHAM, 54, of Houston, died Wednesday, May 20, 1992. She is survived by her daughter, Lisa Graham; son and daughter in law, Nick and Laura Graham and also by her sister, Virginia Swift and grandchildren, April, Nick, Jason, Dylan and Nicole. Memorial services will be held Saturday, May 23, 1992 at 1:30 p.m. from the Chapel of Forest Park Westheimer Funeral Home, 12800 Westheimer at Dairy Ashford with Rev. Marion Fonville officiating. Anyone wishing to assist the family at this time may call 783-9680.**



**Forest Park Westheimer  
12800 Westheimer Rd., 497-2330**

in Verchères, Québec. He married Madeleine Chagnon Dite Larose on Jan 29, 1759 in St. Sulpice, Québec.

**Madeleine Chagnon Dite Larose (197)**, daughter of Pierre Chagnon Dite Larose and Madeleine Fontaine, was born in Sep 1731 in St. Sulpice, Québec.

Madeleine Chagnon Dite Larose and Jacques Lussier had the following child:

- i. Antoine Lussier (98) was born in 1777. He married Marie Gauthier Dite Landreville on Nov 05, 1798 in Lavaltrie, Québec. She was born about 1780.

**JEAN-FRANÇOIS BARSALOU (212)**, son of Jean-Joseph Barsalou and Marie-Geneviève Jarry Dite Henrichon was born about 1735. He married Marguerite Miville.

**MARGUERITE MIVILLE (213)**, daughter of Pierre Miville and Marguerite Henault, was born in 1738.

Marguerite Miville and Jean-François Barsalou had the following child:

- i. Louis Barsalou (106) was born about 1780. He married Charlotte Presseau. She was born about 1785.

**JEAN-BAPTISTE CHARRON (216)**, son of Jean Charron and Geneviève Boucher, was born in 1740. He married Marie-Anne Fagnant on Mar 31, 1761 in Berthier, Québec.

**MARIE-ANNE FAGNANT (217)**, daughter of Joseph Fagnant and Thérèse Mandeville, was born about 1740.

Marie-Anne Fagnant and Jean-Baptiste Charron had the following child:

- i. Jean-Baptiste Charron (108) was born about 1765. He married Angélique Lapierre on Feb 23, 1789 in Terrebonne, Québec. She was born about 1765.

**FRANÇOIS LAPIERRE (218)**, son of Jean-François Lapierre and Madeleine Escambert, was born in 1736. He married Louise Robin Dite Lapointe on Feb 26, 1759 in Laval, Québec.

**LOUISE ROBIN DITE LAPOINTE (219)**, daughter of Joseph Lapointe and Louise Bouchard, was born in Mar 1736. She died in Nov 1814 in Terrebonne, Québec.

Louise Robin Dite Lapointe and François Lapierre had the following child:

- i. Angélique Lapierre (109) was born about 1765. She married Jean-Baptiste Charron on Feb 23, 1789 in Terrebonne, Québec. He was born about 1765.

**JEAN-BAPTISTE SIGOUIN (224)** was born about 1765. He married Josephine Nadon.

**JOSEPHINE NADON (225)** was born about 1765.

Josephine Nadon and Jean-Baptiste Sigouin had the following child:

- i. Pierre Sigouin (112) was born about 1790. He married Marie-Desanges Thibaut on Jan 12, 1778 in Laval, Québec. She was born about 1760.

**PIERRE THIBAUT (226)**, son of Jean-Baptiste Thibaut and Jeanne Deniau, was born in Oct 1730 in Rivière des Prairies, Québec. He married Marguerite Lorrain on Oct 11, 1756 in Sault-au-Récollet, Québec.

**MARGUERITE LORRAIN (227)**, daughter of Joseph Lorrain and Marie-Joséphite Ranger, was born

### **Death of Napoleon Bonaparte Slater.**

**Napoleon Bonaparte Slater, the well known Ausable Forks blacksmith, died at his residence on the Clinton County side of the river at Ausable Forks Monday morning, aged about 60 years. He is survived by a widow, two sons and a daughter. Funeral services were held yesterday at 10 o'clock a. m. Deceased was a brother-in-law of Wm. H. Palmer, of this village.**

in Feb 1735 in Riviere des Prairies, Québec.

Marguerite Lorrain and Pierre Thibaut had the following child:

- i. Marie-Desanges Thibaut (113) was born about 1760. She married Pierre Sigouin on Jan 12, 1778 in Laval, Québec. He was born about 1790.

**PIERRE MÉNARD (240)**, son of Louis Ménard and Marie-Josèphite Patenaude, was born in Mar 1759 in Longueuil, Québec. He married Marguerite Piedalue on Aug 20, 1781 in Chambly, Québec.

**MARGUERITE PIEDALUE (241)** was born in Nov 1757 in La Prairie, Québec.

Marguerite Piedalue and Pierre Ménard had the following child:

- i. Pierre Ménard (120) was born about 1790. He married Suzanne Dumas in 1813 in L'Acadie, Québec. She was born about 1790.

**ÉTIENNE DUMAS (242)**. He married Marie Bourdeau.

**Marie Bourdeau (243)**

Marie Bourdeau and Étienne Dumas had the following child:

- i. Suzanne Dumas (121) was born about 1790. She married Pierre Ménard in 1813 in L'Acadie, Québec. He was born about 1790.

**JEAN-BAPTISTE FREGEAU (244)**. He married Marie-Josèphite Laigu on Oct 11, 1799 in St. François du Sud, Québec.

**MARIE-JOSÈPHITE LAIGU (245)**

Marie-Josèphite Laigu and Jean-Baptiste Fregeau had the following child:

- i. Joseph Fregeau (122) was born in Jun 1782. He married Marguerite Desnoyers on Sep 18, 1809 in Rouville, Québec. She was born about 1785.

**PIERRE DESNOYERS (246)**, son of Pierre Desmarets Dit Desnoyers and Marie-Josette Letourneau, was born in Apr 1740. He married Charlotte Malboeuf on Sep 12, 1785 in Beloeil, Québec.

**CHARLOTTE MALBOEUF (247)**, daughter of Jean-Baptiste Malboeuf and Marie Metivier, was born in 1763.

Charlotte Malboeuf and Pierre Desnoyers had the following child:

- i. Marguerite Desnoyers (123) was born about 1785. She married Joseph Fregeau on Sep 18, 1809 in Rouville, Québec. He was born in Jun 1782.

## GENERATION 9

**JOSEPH SLATER (320)**, son of Joseph Slater and Esther Nina, was born on Oct 10, 1721. He died on Aug 13, 1755. He married Hannah Covell.

**HANNAH COVEL (321)** was born on Sep 30, 1722. She died on Jan 08, 1787.<sup>321</sup>

Hannah Covell and Joseph Slater had the following child:

- i. John Slater (160) was born in 1756. He died on Feb 14, 1815 in Guilford, VT. He married Lois

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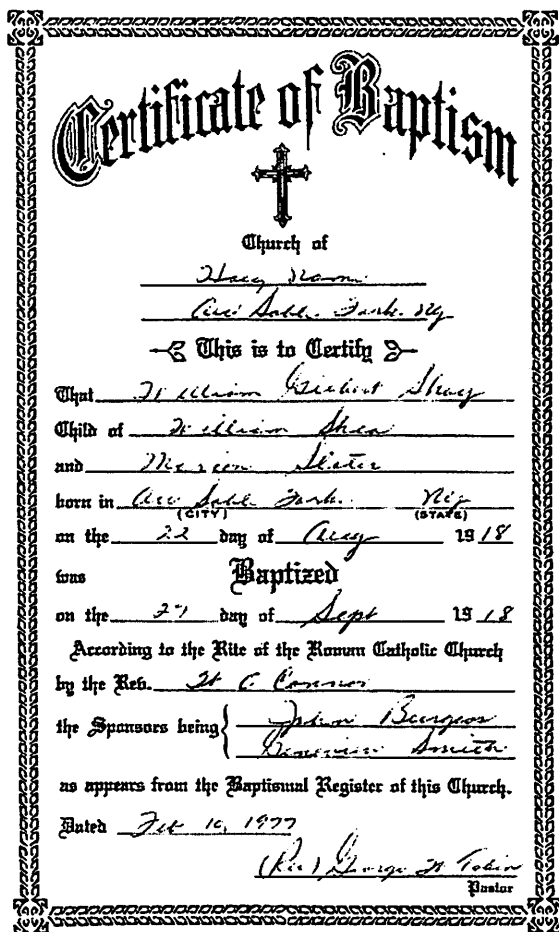


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Carpenter in 1779. She was born about 1760.

**BENJAMIN CARPENTER (322)** was born in 1726 in Rehoboth, MA. He died in March 29, 1804.



Benjamin Carpenter had the following child:

- i. Lois Carpenter (161) was born about 1760. She married John Slater in 1779. He was born in 1756. He died on Feb 14, 1815 in Guilford, VT.

**PHILIP STACKPOLE (352)** was born in 1690 in South Berwick, ME. He died on Sep 24, 1761 in Somersworth, NH. He married Mercy Thompson in 1712 in Kittery, ME.

**MERCY THOMPSON (353)** was born in 1692 in Kittery, ME. She died in 1750 in Berwick, ME. Mercy Thompson and Philip Stackpole had the following child:

- i. James Stackpole (176) was born in 1714 in South Berwick, ME. He died in 1790 in Somersworth, NH. He married Elizabeth Pierce in 1740 in South Berwick ME. She was born on May 17, 1717. She died in Dover, NH.

**BENJAMIN PIERCE (354)**, son of Joseph Pierce and Elizabeth Kendall, was born on Mar 25, 1677 in Watertown, MA. He died on Dec 12, 1740 in Watertown, MA. He married Hannah Ash. **HANNAH ASH (355)** was born in 1668 in Newbury, MA. She died on Sep 16, 1777 in Dover, NH. Hannah Ash and Benjamin Pierce had the following child:

- i. Elizabeth Pierce (177) was born on May 17, 1717. She died in Dover, NH. She married James Stackpole in 1740 in South Berwick ME. He was

born in 1714 in South Berwick, ME. He died in 1790 in Somersworth, NH.

**JAMES WARREN (356)** was born about 1700. He married Mary Goodwin.

**MARY GOODWIN (367)** was born about 1700.

Mary Goodwin and James Warren had the following child:

- i. Joshua Warren (178) was born about 1725. He married Sarah Weymouth. She was born on Feb 23, 1729.

**BENJAMIN WEYMOUTH (358)**, son of Benjamin Weymouth and Mary Vickery, was born on Feb 01, 1693 in Dover, NH. He died in Somersworth, NH. He married Sarah Morrill on Jun 14, 1716 in Kittery, ME.

**SARAH MORRILL (359)** was born on Dec 01, 1695 in Kittery, ME.

Sarah Morrill and Benjamin Weymouth had the following child:

- i. Sarah Weymouth (179) was born on Feb 23, 1729. She married Joshua Warren. He was born about 1725.

**JACQUES BOULÉ (384)**, son of Robert Boulé and Françoise Garnier, was born in Feb 1664 in Château-Richer, Québec. He died in Apr 1738 in St. Thomas de Montmagny, Québec. He married Françoise Fournier on Apr 21, 1686 in Montmagny, Québec.

**FRANÇOISE FOURNIER (385)** daughter of Guillaume Fournier and Marie-Françoise Hébert, was born in Apr 1671 in Québec, Québec. She died in Jul 1734 in St. Thomas, Québec.

Françoise Fournier and Jacques Boulé had the following children:

- i. Marie-Françoise Boulé was born about 1688. She married Pierre Morin on Jan 10, 1707 in Montmagny, Québec. He was born about 1685.
- ii. Madeleine Boulay was born in Apr 1693. She married Denis Morin. He was born in Aug 1694.
- iii. Joseph Boulé was born about 1695. He died in Québec. He married Monique Meunier on Jul 27, 1723 in Ste. Anne, Montmorency, Québec. She was born in Apr 1704 in Ile d'Orléans, Québec. She died in Feb 1762 in St. François de la Rivière du Sud, Québec.
- iv. Augustin Boulé (192) was born in Mar 1697. He married Veronique Miville. She was born in Mar 1701 in Cap-St. Ignace, Québec.
- v. Paul Boulé (192) was born in Dec 1708. He married Claire Miville on Nov 26, 1731 in Montmagny, Québec. She was born in Nov 1710. She died in Dec 1770.
- vi. Martin Boulé was born in Apr 1713. He married Marie-Louise Lemieux on Nov 12, 1736 in Montmagny, Québec. He married Marie-Joséphine Boulé. She was born in Sep 1762.

**JOSEPH MIVILLE (386)**, son of François Miville and Marie-Elisabeth Langlois, was born in 1669. He died in Jan 1736 in Montmagny, Québec. He married Geneviève Caron on Jun 08, 1695 in Cap-St. Ignace, Québec.

**GENEVIÈVE CARON (387)**, daughter of Pierre Caron and Marie Bernier, was born in 1680. She died in Nov 1733 in Montmagny, Québec.

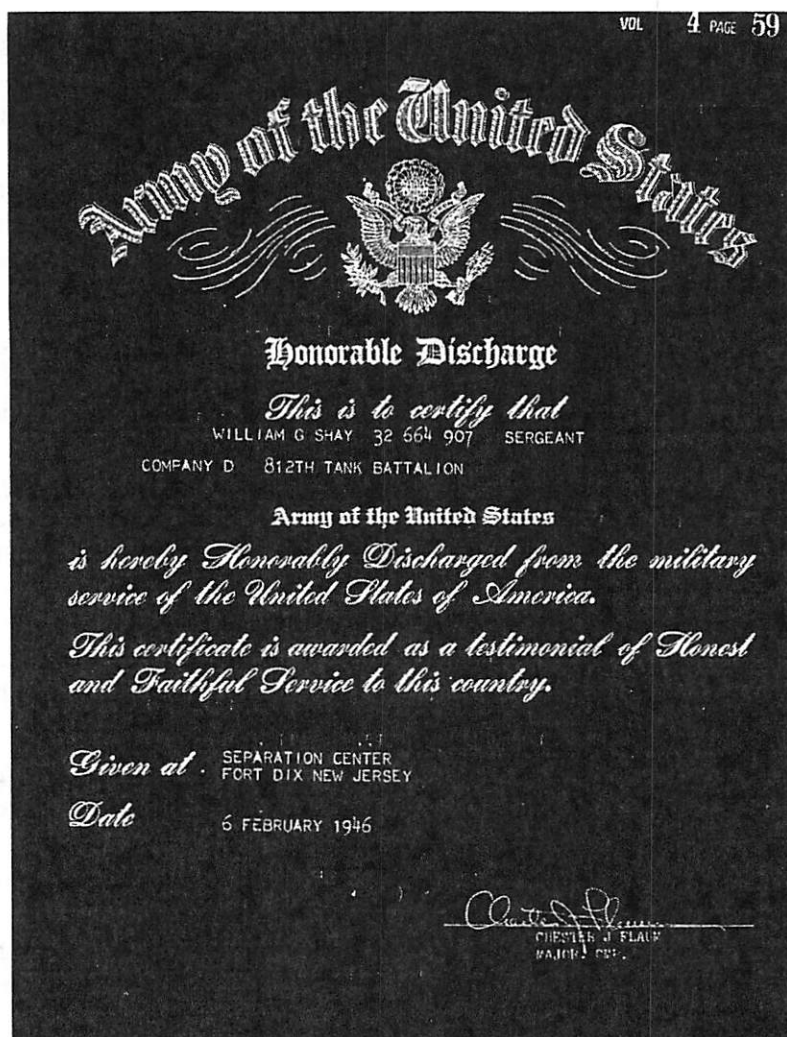
Geneviève Caron and Joseph Miville had the following children:

- i. Veronique Miville was born in Mar 1701 in Cap-St. Ignace, Québec. She married Augustin Boulé. He was born in Mar 1697. 193.
- ii. Claire Miville (193) was born in Nov 1710. She died in Dec 1770. She married Paul Boulé on Nov 26, 1731 in Montmagny, Québec. He was born in Dec 1708.

**GUILLAUME FOURNIER (388)** was born about 1690 in France. He married Madeleine Poirier.

**MADELEINE POIRIER (389)** was born about 1690 in France. Madeleine Poirier and Guillaume Fournier had the following child:

- i. Pierre Fournier (194) was born in 1718 in Montmagny, Québec. He married Marie-Françoise Couture. She was born in Jul 1726 in St.



Laurent, Île d'Orléans, Québec.

**GUILLAUME COUTURE (390)**, son of Guillaume Couture and Anne Aymard, was born in Oct 1662. He married Marie-Anne Adam on Oct 23, 1713 in St. Laurent, Isle Orleans, Québec.

**MARIE-ANNE ADAM (195)**, daughter of Jean Adam and Marie-Louise Mezeray, was born in Feb 1687.391. Marie-Anne Adam and Guillaume Couture had the following child:

- i. Marie-Françoise Couture (195) was born in Jul 1726 in St. Laurent, Île d'Orléans, Québec. She married Pierre Fournier. He was born in 1718 in Montmagny, Québec.

### **Mrs. B. Bullen, Native Of AuSable, Dies**

Mrs. Benjamin W. Bullen, a native of Au Sable Forks, died unexpectedly on Tuesday, March 3, Valhalla, N.Y.

Mrs. Bullen, the former Miss Daisy Slater, was born in Au Sable Forks on December 17, 1878, a daughter of Gibson and Ella Slater. For many years she and Mr. Bullen resided at Au Sable Forks, Mr. Bullen being in the employ of the Robeson Process Co.

About 25 years ago Mr. and Mrs. Bullen moved to White Plains, where the Robeson company located its offices. They moved to Valhalla only a few weeks ago.

Mr. Bullen is survived by her husband; one daughter, Mrs. Jeffries Slavens of White Plains; two sons, Dr. Halsey Bullen of Stamford, Conn., and Dr. Benjamin Bullen of Greenwich, Conn.; four brothers, Guy V. Slater of Au Sable Forks, Raymond E. Slater of New Rochelle, Robert Slater of Saranac Lake, and Carson Slater of Jay; also four sisters, Mrs. James Hopkins of Saranac Lake, Mrs. George A. Toupin of Glens Falls, Mrs. W.E. Shay of Plattsburgh and Mrs. Calvin Marshall of Saranac Inn.

Funeral services were held at the Ballard funeral home in White Plains on March 5.

**JACQUES L'HUISSIER (392)**, son of Christophe Lussier and Catherine Gauthier, was born on Nov 16, 1697 in Boucherville, Québec. He died on Apr 17, 1730 in Varennes, Québec. He married **MARGUERITE GAUTHIER (393)** on Apr 17, 1730 in Varennes, Québec. Marguerite Gauthier, daughter of Jacques Gaultier and Elizabeth-Ursule De Nevers, was born about 1700 in Boucherville, Chambly, Québec. She died on Jan 29, 1756 in St. Charles, Québec.

Marguerite Gauthier and Jacques L'huissier had the following children:

- i. Marie-Marguerite Lussier (196) was born on May 27, 1731 in Verchères, Québec. She married Pierre Lapier on Apr 28, 1749 in Verchères, Québec. He was born on Oct 16, 1715 in Varennes, Québec.
- ii. Jacques Lussier (196) was born in Jan 1733 in Verchères, Québec. He married Madeleine Chagnon Dite Larose on Jan 29, 1759 in St. Sulpice, Québec. She was born in Sep 1731 in St. Sulpice, Québec.

**PIERRE CHAGNON DIT LAROSE (394)**, son of François Chagnon and Catherine Charon, was born in 1690 in Contrecoeur, Québec. He married Madeleine Fontaine on Aug 07, 1730 in Contrecoeur, Québec.

**MADELEINE FONTAINE (395)**, daughter of Pierre Fontaine Dit Bienvenue and Marguerite Gentès, was born about 1706.

Madeleine Fontaine and Pierre Chagnon Dit Larose had the following child:

- i. Madeleine Chagnon Dite Larose (197) was born in Sep 1731 in St. Sulpice, Québec. She married Jacques Lussier on Jan 29, 1759 in St. Sulpice, Québec. He was born in Jan 1733 in Verchères, Québec.

**JEAN-JOSEPH BARSALOU (424)**, son of Girard Barsalou and Marie Legras, was born in 1703 in Montréal, Québec. He married

Marie-Geneviève Jarry Dite Henrichon.

**Marie-Geneviève Jarry Dite Henrichon (425)**, daughter of Henri Jarry-Le Hayne and Agathe Lescuyer, was born about 1705.

Marie-Geneviève Jarry Dite Henrichon and Jean-Joseph Barsalou had the following children:

- i. Toussaint Barsalou (212) was born in 1732. He married Marie-Madeleine Poirier Dite Lajeunesse on Feb 21, 1757 in Chambly, Québec. She was born in 1731.
- ii. Jean-François Barsalou (212) was born about 1735. He married Marguerite Miville. She was born in 1738.

**PIERRE MIVILLE (426)**, son of Charles Miville and Marie-Madeleine Tardif, was born in Sep 1710 in Beauport, Québec. He married Marguerite Henault on Jul 29, 1734 in Ste. Anne de Bellevue, Québec.

**MARGUERITE HENAULT (427)** was born on May 08, 1713.

Marguerite Henault and Pierre Miville had the following child:

- i. Marguerite Miville (213) was born in 1738. She married Jean-François Barsalou. He was born about 1735.

**JEAN CHARRON (432)**, son of Pierre Charron, dit Lafripe and Marie-Catherine Pillat, was born in Oct 1684. He married Geneviève Boucher on Mar 28, 1732 in Berthier, Québec.

**GENEVIÈVE BOUCHER (433)**, daughter of Charles Boucher and Marie Henault, was born in May 1715 in Berthier, Québec.

Geneviève Boucher and Jean Charron had the following children:

- i. Marguerite Charron (216) was born about 1734 in Lanoraie, Québec. She married Joseph Mandeville. He was born about 1730. He died on Jun 29, 1798 in Berthier, Québec.
- ii. Jean-Baptiste Charron (216) was born in 1740. He married Marie-Anne Fagnant on Mar 31, 1761 in Berthier, Québec. She was born about 1740.

**JOSEPH FAGNANT (434)** was born about 1715. He married Thérèse Mandeville.

**THÉRÈSE MANDEVILLE (435)** was born about 1715.

Thérèse Mandeville and Joseph Fagnant had the following child:

- i. Marie-Anne Fagnant (217) was born about 1740. She married Jean-Baptiste Charron on Mar 31, 1761 in Berthier, Québec. He was born in 1740.

**JEAN-FRANÇOIS LAPIERRE (436)** was born about 1710 in De Moulian D'armagnac D'oc D'aire Gascogne. He married Madeleine Escambert.

**MADELEINE ESCAMBERT (437)** was born about 1710.

Madeleine Escambert and Jean-François Lapierre had the following child:

- i. François Lapierre (218) was born in 1736. He married Louise Robin Dite Lapointe on Feb 26, 1759 in Laval, Québec. She was born in Mar 1736. She died in Nov 1814 in Terrebonne, Québec.

**JOSEPH LAPOINTE (438)**, son of Jean Lapointe and Marie-Claude Sergeant, was born in 1710 in Laval, Québec. He married Louise Bouchard.

**LOUISE BOUCHARD (439)** daughter of René Bouchard Dit Lavallée and Marie-Anne Sauvageau,

was born in Mar 1710 in Laval, Québec.

Louise Bouchard and Joseph Lapointe had the following child:

- i. Louise Robin Dite Lapointe (219) was born in Mar 1736. She died in Nov 1814 in Terrebonne, Québec. She married



François Lapierre on Feb 26, 1759 in Laval, Québec. He was born in 1736.

**JEAN-BAPTISTE THIBAUT (452)**, son of Pierre Thibault Dit Lèveillé and Catherine Baudry, was born in Oct 1702 in Rivières des Prairies, Québec. He married Jeanne Deniau on Feb 05, 1725 in Longueuil, Québec.

**JEANNE DENIAU (453)** daughter of Pierre Deniau and Marie-Anne Cesar Dite De La Gardelette was born in Feb 1701 in Longueuil, Québec.

Jeanne Deniau and Jean-Baptiste Thibaut had the following child:

- i. Pierre Thibaut (226) was born in Oct 1730 in Riviere des Prairies, Québec. He married Marguerite Lorrain on Oct 11, 1756 in Sault-au-Récollet, Québec. She was born in Feb 1735 in Riviere des Prairies, Québec.

**Marion G. Schmitt** passed away peacefully July 6, 2009 at the home of her daughter Lee Meyer. Marion was born in Keeseville, NY the year of 1912, the daughter of Leonard and Mildred Boule. Marion was a Graduate of Champlain Valley School of Nursing and was the head nurse of pediatrics at Physicians Hospital. She was later employed at the pediatric office of Dr. Tanner and Dr. Ryan. She was predeceased by her husband of 52 years Gerald L. Schmitt, a sister Norma Shay and a brother Sherman Boule. Marion is survived by two daughters; Linda LaMarche Harwood and Lee Meyer, a son-in-law; John Meyer, Grandsons; Dr. Arthur LaMarche, Jerry LaMarche and Phillip LaMarche, Granddaughters; Tricia and Robert Mihal, Rebecca Meyer, Erin and Shane Filion, seven Great Grandchildren and several Nieces and Nephews.

Calling hours will be Thursday, July 9, 2009 from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at the Brown Funeral Home, 29 Broad Street Plattsburgh, NY.

A Memorial mass will be celebrated Friday July 10, 2009 at 11:00 a.m. at St. Peter's Church. Interment will be at St. John's Cemetery in Keeseville, NY. Donations in her memory may be made to Hospice of the North Country.



Marion G. Boule Schmitt

Piedalue on Aug 20, 1781 in Chambly, Québec. She was born in Nov 1757 in La Prairie, Québec.

**ÉTIENNE DUMAS (484)**, son of Étienne Dumas and Felicité Chenet, was born in Mar 1736 in St. Antoine de Tilly, Québec. He married Josèphpte Piedalue on Oct 09, 1764 in Chambly, Québec.

**JOSEPH LORRAIN (454)**. He married Marie-Josèphpte Ranger.

**MARIE-JOSÈPHTTE RANGER (455)**.

Marie-Josèphpte Ranger and Joseph Lorrain had the following child:

- i. Marguerite Lorrain (227) was born in Feb 1735 in Riviere des Prairies, Québec. She married Pierre Thibaut on Oct 11, 1756 in Sault-au-Récollet, Québec. He was born in Oct 1730 in Riviere des Prairies, Québec.

**LOUIS MÉNARD (480)**, son of Louis Ménard and Marie-Madeleine Brien, was born in Nov 1714 in Boucherville, Québec. He married Marie-Josèphpte Patenaude on Jun 09, 1748 in Longueuil, Québec.

**MARIE-JOSÈPHTTE PATENAUDE (481)** was born in Sep 1722 in Longueuil, Québec.

Marie-Josèphpte Patenaude and Louis Ménard had the following child:

- i. Pierre Ménard (240) was born in Mar 1759 in Longueuil, Québec. He married Marguerite



**JOSÈPHTE PIEDALUE (485)**, daughter of Julien-Bertrand Piedalue Dit La Prairie and Felicité Bourassa, was born in Aug 1749 in La Prairie, Québec.

Josèphthe Piedalue and Étienne Dumas had the following children:

### **Carson J. Slater**

**WILMINGTON** — Carson J. Slater Jr., 69, died Thursday, July 25, 1991, at the Adirondack Medical Center, Saranac Lake.

He was born on June 19, 1922, in Blackbrook, the son of Kit Carson and Hattie (Coolidge) Slater.

He was a veteran of World War II, shop floorman at the Holiday Harbor in Lake Placid and a truck driver for 16 years for the Town of Wilmington.

He is survived by his wife, Teresa (LaShomb) Slater of Wilmington; two sons, John Slater of Plattsburgh and Roderick Slater of Santa Rosa, Calif.; a sister, Esther Manley of Jay; four stepsons, Robert and David Taylor of Potsdam, Gerald Taylor of Alexander Bay and William Taylor of Pennsylvania; four stepdaughters, Mary Taylor of Saranac Lake, Ann Collins and Beth Rosenbarker of Potsdam, and Lorraine Mihill of Wilmington; and two grandchildren, Jason Slater and Cory Slater of North Carolina.

i. Josèphthe Dumas was born about 1755. She married Jean-Baptiste Bessette on Oct 16, 1783 in Chambly, Québec. He was born in 1751.

ii. Desanges Dumas (242) was born about 1781. She married Michel Campbell on Oct 20, 1797 in Chambly, Québec. He was born in Mar 1776 in La Prairie, Québec.

iii. Étienne Dumas. He married Marie Bourdeau.

**LAURENT BOURDEAU (486)** He married Marie Maublot.

**MARIE MAUBLLOT (487)**

Marie Maublot and Laurent Bourdeau had the following child:

i. Marie Bourdeau (243). She married Étienne Dumas.

**PIERRE-NOËL FREGEAU (488)** He married Marie-Louise Quéméneur on Feb 02, 1741 in St. François du Sud, Québec.

**MARIE-LOUISE QUÉMÉNEUR (489)**

Marie-Louise Quéméneur and Pierre-Noël Fregeau had the following child:

i. Jean-Baptiste Fregeau (244). He married Marie-Josèphthe Laigu on Oct 11, 1799 in St. François du Sud, Québec.

**LOUIS-MARE LAIGU (490)** He married Marie-Louis Therrien.

**MARIE-LOUIS THERRIEN (491).**

Marie-Louis Therrien and Louis-Marie Laigu had the following child:

i. Marie-Josèphthe Laigu (245). She married Jean-Baptiste Fregeau on Oct 11, 1799 in St. François du Sud, Québec.

**PIERRE DESMARETS DIT DESNOYERS (492)** son of Jean Desmarets Dit Desnoyers and Thérèse Ménard, was born on

Jan 17, 1723 in Longueuil, Québec. He died in Jun 1760 in Longueuil, Québec. He married Marie-Josette Letourneau on Jun 01, 1737 in Chambly, Québec.

**MARIE-JOSETTE LETOURNEAU (493)**, daughter of Bernard Letourneau and Marie-Hélène Paquet, was born about 1720.

Marie-Josette Letourneau and Pierre Desmarets dit Desnoyers had the following child:

i. Pierre Desnoyers (246) was born in Apr 1740. He married Charlotte Malboeuf on Sep 12, 1785 in Beloeil, Québec. She was born in 1763.

**JEAN-BAPTISTE MALBOEUF, (494)** son of Jean-Baptiste Malboeuf Dit Beausoleil and Marie-Madeleine Simard, was born in May 1735. He married Marie Metivier.

**MARIE METIVIER (495)** daughter of Noël-Laurent Metivier and Geneviève Roy, was born in Sep 1738.

Marie Metivier and Jean-Baptiste Malboeuf had the following child:

i. Charlotte Malboeuf (247) was born in 1763. She married Pierre Desnoyers on Sep 12, 1785 in Beloeil, Québec. He was born in Apr 1740.

## **GENERATION 10**

**JOSEPH SLATER (640)** son of John Slater and Abiah Gillett, was born in 1698. He died in 1787 in Killingly, CT. He married Esther Nina.

**ESTHER NINA (641)** was born in 1698 in Lynn, MA

Esther Nina and Joseph Slater had the following child:

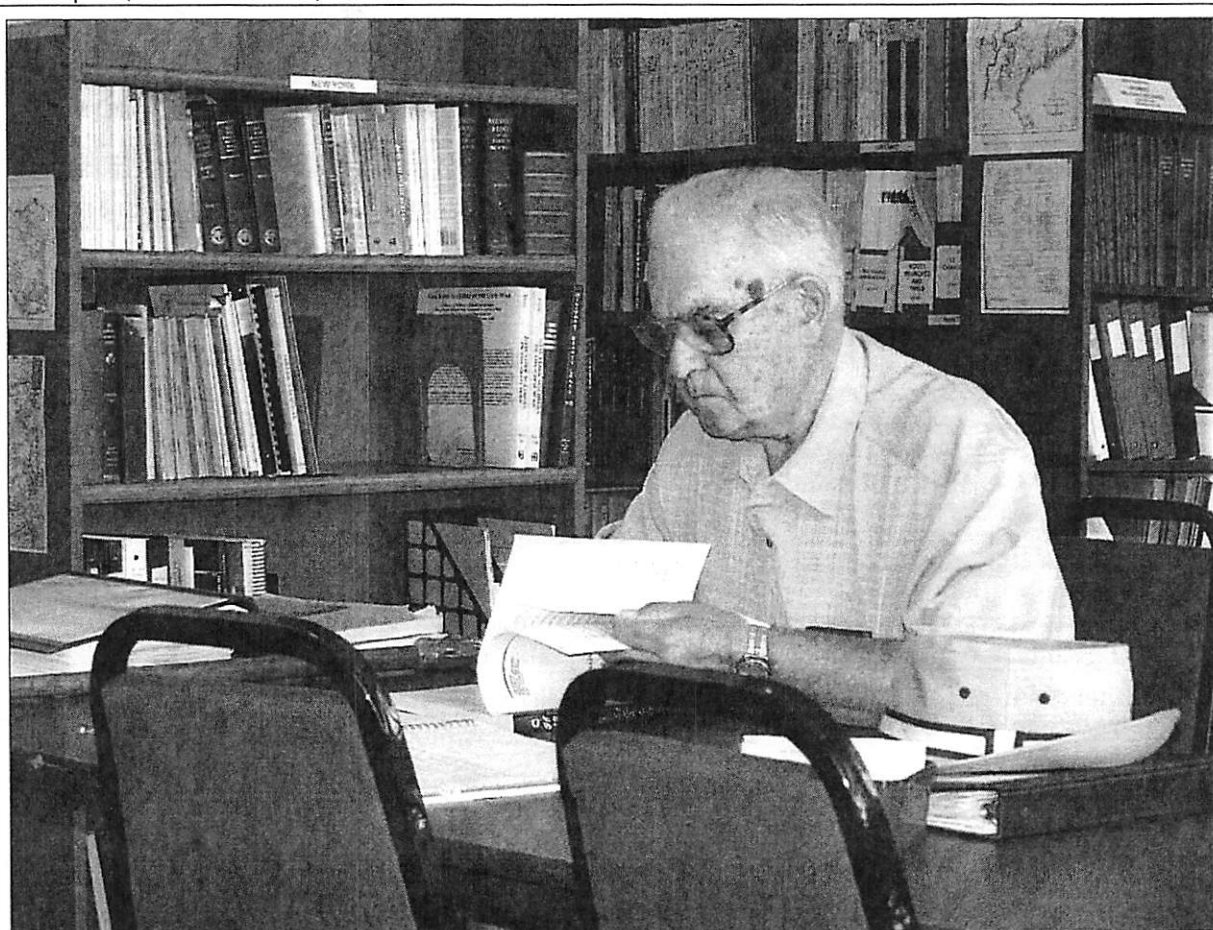
- i. Joseph Slater (320) was born on Oct 10, 1721. He died on Aug 13, 1755. He married Hannah Covell. She was born on Sep 30, 1722. She died on Jan 08, 1787.

**JOSEPH PIERCE (708)** son of Anthony Pierce and Anne, was born about 1647. He died in Watertown, MA. He married Elizabeth Kendall on Jun 15, 1698.

**ELIZABETH KENDALL (709)** daughter of Francis Kendall and Mary Tidd, was born on Jan 15, 1653 in Woburn, MA.

Elizabeth Kendall and Joseph Pierce had the following child:

- i. Benjamin Pierce (354) was born on Mar 25, 1677 in Watertown, MA. He died on Dec 12, 1740 in Watertown, MA. He married Hannah Ash. She was born in 1668 in Newbury, MA. She died on Sep 16, 1777 in Dover, NH.



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**BENJAMIN WEYMOUTH (716)** was born about 1670. He married Mary Vickery.

**MARY VICKERY (717)** was born about 1670.

Mary Vickery and Benjamin Weymouth had the following child:

- i. Benjamin Weymouth (358) was born on Feb 01, 1693 in Dover, New Hampshire. He died in Somersworth, NH. He married Sarah Morrill on Jun 14, 1716 in Kittery, ME. She was born on Dec 01, 1695 in Kittery, ME.

**ROBERT BOULÉ (768)** son of Nicolas Boulé and Jeanne L'escalier, was born in 1630 in St-Germain

de Loise, Morgane, Perche, France. He died in Mar 1707 in St. Thomas, Québec. He married Françoise Garnier in 1657.

**FRANÇOISE GARNIER (769)** daughter of Claude Grenier and Catherine, was born in 1634 in Perche, France. She died in Jan 1709 in St. Thomas, Québec.

Françoise Garnier and Robert Boulé had the following children:

- i. Jacqueline Boulé (384) was born in 1658. She married Pierre Joncas on Jun 08, 1672 in Ste. Famille, Île d'Orléans, Québec. He was born in 1648.
- ii. Jacques Boulé (384) was born in Feb 1664 in Château-Richer, Québec. He died in Apr 1738 in St. Thomas de Montmagny, Québec. He married Françoise Fournier on Apr 21, 1686 in Montmagny, Québec. She was born in Apr 1671 in Québec, Québec. She died in Jul 1734 in St. Thomas, Québec.

### **Raymond E. Slater Sr.**

**PLATTSBURGH** — Raymond Elwood Slater Sr., 86, formerly of 123 McGaulley Ave., Plattsburgh, and Jay, N.Y., died Friday at the Meadowbrook Nursing Home.

He was born May 27, 1892, the son of Gilson and Ella (Stackpole) Slater.

Before retiring to Plattsburgh in 1965, Mr. Slater worked and lived in New Rochelle, N.Y. He worked for many years as a ballistics engineer at Remington Arms in Bridgeport, Conn. and later as a salesman for Boucherrri Motors in Mt. Vernon, N.Y.

He was a lifetime member of the Huguenot Lodge, F&AM of New Rochelle.

Survivors include his son, Raymond E. Slater Jr. of Plattsburgh; two sisters, Mrs. Marion Shay of Plattsburgh and Mrs. Helen Marshall of Silver Falls, S.D. and three grandchildren, Mrs. Susan MackNair, Mrs. James (Jean) Amorelli and Raymond Slater III, all of Plattsburgh.

Friends may call today from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. at the R.W. Walker Funeral Home.

Masonic Ritualistic Services will be held at 7 p.m. today at the funeral home. Funeral services will be Sunday at 2 p.m. at the funeral home. Burial will be in Fairview Cemetery in AuSable Forks.

iii. Jean-Baptiste Boulé was born in Apr 1667 in Ste. Famille, Île d'Orléans, Québec.

iv. Pierre Boulé was born in Feb 1669 in Ste. Famille, Île d'Orléans, Québec. He died in Jan 1689 in St. Thomas de Montmagny, Québec.

v. Marie Boulé was born in Dec 1670 in Ste. Famille, Île d'Orléans, Québec. She died in Dec 1670 in Ste. Famille, Île d'Orléans, Québec.

vi. Martin Boulé was born in Mar 1672 in Ste. Famille, Île d'Orléans, Québec. He married Françoise Nolin. She was born in Aug 1680 in St. Pierre, Île d'Orléans, Québec.

vii. Françoise Boulé was born in Aug 1674 in Ste. Famille, Ile d'Orleans, Québec. She died in Sep 1751 in Ile d'Orleans, Québec. She married Pierre Bernier on Feb 21, 1689 in St. Thomas de Montmagny, Québec. He was born in Jan 1659 in Québec City, Québec. He died in Sep 1741 in Cap St. Ignace, Québec.

viii. Paul Boulé was born in Sep 1677 in Québec City, Québec. He died in Feb 1736 in Lévis, Québec. He married Françoise Paquet on Apr 25, 1695 in Québec City, Québec. She was born in Feb 1678 in Québec City, Québec.

**GUILLAUME FOURNIER (770)** son of Gilles Fournier and Noëlle Gagnon, was born in 1619 in Coullemer, dept. de l'Orne, Normandie, France. He died in Oct 1699 in Montmagny, Québec. He married Marie-Françoise Hébert on Nov 20, 1651 in Québec, Québec.

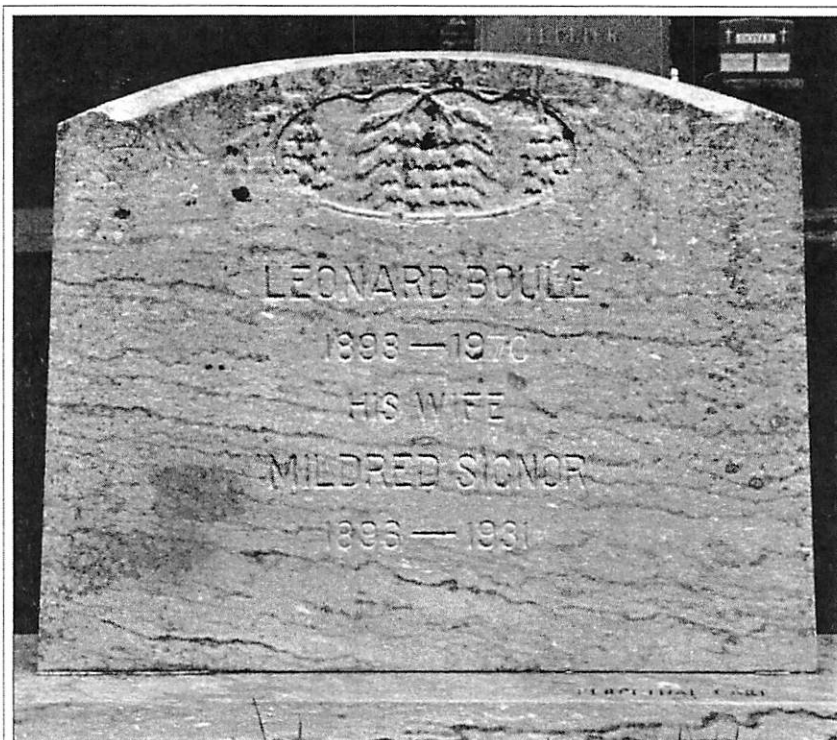
**MARIE-FRANÇOISE HÉBERT (771)** daughter of Guillaume Hébert and Hélène Desportes, was born in Jan 1638 in

Québec City, Québec. She died on May 16, 1716 in Québec City, Québec.

Marie-Françoise Hébert and Guillaume Fournier had the following children:

- i. Angélique Fournier was born on Aug 02, 1639.
- ii. Guillaume Fournier was born about 1652 in Québec City, Québec. He married Madeleine Poirier. She was born about 1655.
- iii. Gilles Fournier was born in Nov 1653 in Québec City, Québec. He died in Dec 1653 in Québec City, Québec.
- iv. Marie-Anne Fournier was born in 1655 in Québec, Québec. She died in Jan 1716 in St. Pierre, Québec. She married Pierre Blanchet on Feb 17, 1670 in Québec City, Québec. He was born

about 1645 in St. Omer de Rosieres, Amiens, Picardie, France. He died in Apr 1709 in St. Thomas de Montmagny, Québec.



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v. Agathe Fournier was born in 1657 in Québec City, Québec. She died in Québec. She married Louis Gesseron Dit Brulot on Sep 28, 1671 in Québec City, Québec. He was born in 1639 in Notre-Dame de Cogne, de LaRoche, Québec. He died in Québec.

vi. Jacquette Fournier was born in 1659 in Québec City, Québec. She died in Apr 1736 in Montmagny, Québec. She married Jean Prou on Jun 05, 1673 in Québec, Québec. He was born in 1647 in Notre-Dame de Nantilly, Saumur, Maine en Loire, France. He died in Feb 1703 in Montmagny, Québec.

vii. Louis-Joseph Fournier was born in Jul 1661 in Québec City, Québec. He

died in Québec. He married Barbe Girard on Jun 25, 1684 in Lauzon, Québec. She was born in 1667.

viii. Jean Fournier was born in Mar 1665 in Québec City, Québec. He died in Québec. He married Marie-Jeanne Élisabeth Le Roy in 1687 in Cap St. Ignace, Québec. She was born in 1665 in Québec City, Québec. She died in Québec.

ix. Simon Fournier was born in 1667 in Québec City, Québec. He died about 1738 in Québec. He married Anne-Charlotte Rousseau on Nov 12, 1691 in St. Pierre, Île d'Orléans, Québec. She was born on Jul 19, 1668 in IO, Québec. She died in Dec 1749 in St. Pierre du Sud, Québec.

x. Pierre Fournier was born in 1669 in Québec City, Québec. He married Marie Isabel on Nov 24, 1695 in St. Thomas de Montmagny, Québec. She was born about 1670. 385.

xi. Françoise Fournier (385) was born in Apr 1671 in Québec, Québec. She died in Jul 1734 in St. Thomas, Québec. She married Jacques Boulé on Apr 21, 1686 in Montmagny, Québec. He was born in Feb 1664 in Château-Richer, Québec. He died in Apr 1738 in St. Thomas de Montmagny, Québec.

xii. Louis Fournier was born in 1673 in Québec City, Québec.

xiii. Marie-Madeleine Fournier was born in 1675 in Montmagny, Québec. She died in Oct 1664 in Québec City, Québec. She married Pierre Laporte Dit St. Georges on May 02, 1707 in Ile Jesus, Québec. He was born about 1671 in Périquex, Dordogne, France. He died in Feb 1757 in St François de Sales, Ile Jésus, Québec.

xiv. Charles Fournier was born in 1677 in Québec City, Québec. He died in Sep 1739 in Montmagny, Québec. He married Élisabeth Agnès Bouchard on Jul 13, 1699 in Cap St. Ignace, Québec. She was born in Oct 1677 in Québec City, Québec. She died in Mar 1758 in Québec.

xv. Jacques Fournier was born in 1679 in St. Thomas de Montmagny, Québec.

**FRANÇOIS MIVILLE (772)** son of Pierre Miville and Charlotte Maugis, was born in May 1634. He died in Nov 1711 in Rivière-Ouelle, Québec. He married Marie-Elisabeth Langlois on Aug 10, 1660 in Québec City, Québec.

**MARIE-ELISABETH LANGLOIS (773)** daughter of Noël Langlois and Françoise Grenier, was born in Aug 1636 in Québec City, Québec. She died on Aug 15, 1687 in Québec City, Québec.

Marie-Elisabeth Langlois and François Miville had the following children:

**MILTON S. BOULE**, 93, died July 11, 2019. His final days were spent surrounded by family and friends that he had touched throughout his life. He was born Jan. 20, 1926, in Keeseville, N.Y., to Leonard and Mildred (Signor) Boule and loved spending his summers in Saranac, NY, at his Uncle Henry and Aunt Rena's farm.

Milton graduated from Trenton High School in Trenton, N.J., where he met his future wife, Rose Marie Fasanella. He served in the United States Army during World War II in both Germany and Japan. When the war ended, Milton returned to Trenton to marry Rose Marie. They bought a farm in Saranac and eventually moved to Plattsburgh, N.Y., with their three daughters where he worked at Imperial Paper Mill for almost 30 years.

Milton is survived by his three daughters, Gail (Ernie Squarzini), Karen (Rick Miller) and Dar (Rob Pinsonnault); two grandchildren, Erik Pinsonnault and Mandy Cina; a great-granddaughter, Daisy Bela LaForge and nieces, Linda Harwood, Lee Meyers, Maureen Morrow and Mary Boule.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Rose Marie, in 2002.

A memorial service will be held 11 a.m., Wednesday, July 17, 2019, at St. John's the Baptist Catholic Church in Keeseville.

i. Jeanne Miville was born about 1660. She married Denis Boucher Desrosiers on Nov 21, 1689 in Québec City, Québec. He was born in Apr 1660.

ii. Françoise Miville was born in Jun 1663 in Québec City, Québec. She died in Dec 1727 in Cap St. Ignace, Québec. She married Pierre Richard on Nov 16, 1680 in Cap St. Ignace, Québec. He was born in 1650 in St. George, évêché de Xaintes, Sainteonge, France. He died in Feb 1719 in Cap St. Ignace, Québec.

iii. Marie Miville was born in 1665. She married Michel Gosselin on Nov 12, 1684. He was born in 1659 in St. Pierre, Île d'Orléans, Québec. He died in Jan 1703 in St. Pierre, Île d'Orléans, Québec.

iv. Joseph Miville (386) was born in 1669. He died in Jan 1736 in Montmagny, Québec. He married Geneviève Caron on Jun 08, 1695 in Cap-St. Ignace, Québec. She was born in 1680. She died in Nov 1733 in Montmagny, Québec.

v. Anne Miville was born in Apr 1673 in Québec City, Québec. She died in Mar 1717 in Ste. Anne, Québec. She married Mathurin Dubé on May 13, 1691 in Rivière-Ouelle, Québec. He was born about 1650. He died in Oct 1723 in Québec. 852.

vi. Charles Miville (852) was born in 1679. He died in Jan 1751 in Terrebonne, Québec. He married Marie-Madeleine Tardif on Jan 10, 1708 in Beauport, Québec. She was born in 1686.

vii. Angélique Miville was born in Jun 1683 in Lévis, Québec. She married Louis Gamache.

He was born in Apr 1678 in Québec City, Québec.

**PIERRE CARON (774)** son of Robert Caron and Marie Crevet, was born in 1653 in Québec City, Québec. He died in 1720. He married Marie Bernier on Feb 19, 1678 in Québec City, Québec.

**MARIE BERNIER (775)** daughter of Jacques \* Bernier and Antoinette \* Grenier, was born in 1660 in Québec City, Québec. She died in Québec.

Marie Bernier and Pierre Caron had the following children:

i. Geneviève Caron (387) was born in 1680. She died in Nov 1733 in Montmagny, Québec.

She married Joseph Miville on Jun 08, 1695 in Cap-St. Ignace, Québec. He was born in 1669. He died in Jan 1736 in Montmagny, Québec.

ii. Elisabeth Caron was born in Sep 1682 in Vincelot, Québec. She married Augustin Gravel on



Jan 07, 1702 in Cap St. Ignace, Québec. He was born in Jul 1677 in Château-Richer, Québec.

iii. François Caron was born in Sep 1689. He died in Jan 1753. He married Marie-Geneviève Domingo. She was born in Dec 1691. She died in L'Islet, Québec.

**GUILLAUME COUTURE (780)** son of Guillaume Couture and Madeleine Mallet, was born in 1617 in St. Godard de Rouen, Normandie, France. He died on Apr 04, 1701 in Hotel Dieu, Québec, Québec. He married Anne Aymard on Nov 18, 1646 in Point Levy, Québec

**ANNE AYMARD (781)** daughter of Jean Aymard and Marie Bineau, was born in 1627 in St. André de Niort, Poitu, France. She died in Nov 1700 in Lévis, Québec.

Anne Aymard and Guillaume Couture had the following children:

i. Jean-Baptiste Lamonde Dit Couture was born in Nov 1650. He died in Aug 1698. He married Anne Marette.

ii. Anne Couture was born in Jan 1652. She died in Nov 1684. She married Jean-Baptiste Côté on Nov 11, 1669 in Québec City, Québec. He was born in Feb 1644 in Québec City, Québec. iii. Louise Couture was born on Mar 19, 1655 in Québec City, Québec. She died in Dec 1751 in Beaumont, Québec. She married Charles-Thomas Couillard on Jun 25, 1686 in Québec City, Québec. He was born on Mar 19, 1647 in Québec City, Québec. He died in May 1715 in Beaumont, Québec.

iii. Louise Couture was born on Mar 19, 1655 in Québec City, Québec. She died in Dec 1751 in Beaumont, Québec. She married Charles-Thomas Couillard on Jun 25, 1686 in Québec City, Québec. He was born on Mar 19, 1647 in Québec City, Québec. He died in May 1715 in Beaumont, Québec.

iv. Marie Couture was born in Jun 1658 in Point Levy, Québec. She died on Jul 22, 1702 in Québec City, Québec. She married Claude Bourget on Jun 28, 1683 in Québec City, Québec. He was born in 1653 in Blois, évêché de Chartres, France. He died in Oct 1720 in Québec City, Québec. She Pierre Fontaine Dit Bienvenue, son of Jacques Fontaine and Marie-Claude Giroux, was born in Feb 1667 in Orleans, France. He died in Mar 1837 in Varennes, Québec. He married Marguerite

évêché de Chartres, France. He died in Oct 1720 in Québec City, Québec. She married François Vezier on Sep 12, 1678 in Québec City, Québec. He was born about 1658 in Auvergne, France. He died on Jun 07, 1683 in Québec City, Québec. 390.

v. Guillaume Couture was born in Oct 1662. He married Marie-Anne Adam on Oct 23, 1713 in St. Laurent, Isle Orleans, Québec. She was born in Feb 1687. He married Nicole Bouffard on Jul 05, 1703 in St. Laurent, Isle Orleans, Québec.

**PLATTSBURGH — Marion E. Shay, 86, formerly of 58 Lynde St., died Tuesday, Nov. 15, 1983, at the Clinton County Nursing Home.**

**She was born in Ausable Forks on May 8, 1897, the daughter of Gilson and Ella (Stakpole) Slater.**

**She was married to William R. Shay, formerly a Ward 6 alderman, who died in 1939.**

**She was a member of United Methodist Church and Order of the Eastern Star Cumberland Bay Chapter 477.**

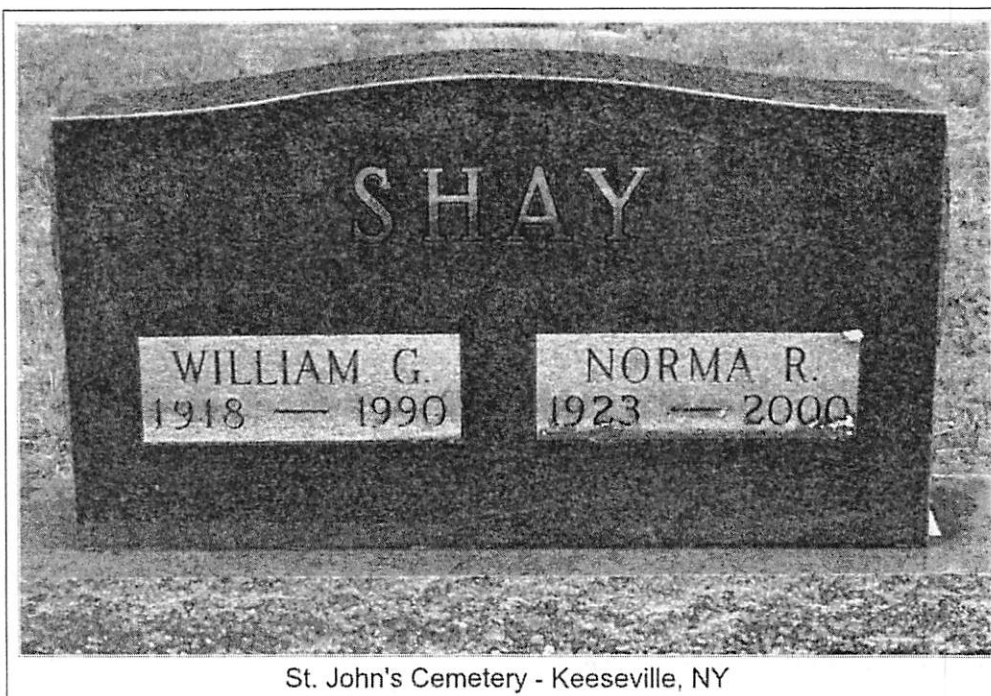
**Survivors include a son, William G. Shay of Keeseville; three daughters, Mrs. Norman (Virginia) Swift of Pheonix, Ariz., Mrs. James (Marion Ella) Jenkins of Rand Hill, Plattsburgh and Mrs. Joy Graham of Houston, Texas; a sister, Mrs. Helen Marshall of Sioux Falls, S. Dakota; 12 grandchildren; 23 great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.**

**JEAN ADAM (782)** was born in 1636 in France. He died in Sep 1711 in St. Étienne de Beaumont, Québec. He married Marie-Louise Mezeray.

**MARIE-LOUISE MEZERAY (783)** daughter of René Mezeray and Nicole-Madeleine Gareman, was born in 1654. She died in Nov 1714 in St. Étienne de Beaumont, Québec.

Marie-Louise Mezeray and Jean Adam had the following children:

- i. Jean-Baptiste Adam was born in Dec 1678 in Québec City, Québec. He married Marie-Catherine Guillet on Apr 16, 1708 in Batiscan, Québec. She was born in Jul 1689 in Batiscan, Québec. 391.
- ii. Marie-Anne Adam (391) was born in Feb 1687. She married Guillaume Couture on Oct 23, 1713 in St. Laurent, Isle Orleans, Québec. He was born in Oct 1662.



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**CHRISTOPHE LUSSIER (784)** son of Jacques Lussier and Catherine Clérice, was born on Sep 15, 1673. He married Catherine Gauthier on Nov 12, 1696 in Varennes, Québec.

**CATHERINE GAUTHIER (785)** daughter of Jean Gaultier and Jeanne Petit, was born about 1675.

Catherine Gauthier and Christophe Lussier had the following children:

- i. Jacques L'huissier (392) was born on Nov 16, 1697 in Boucherville, Québec. He died on Apr 17, 1730 in Varennes, Québec. He married Marguerite Gauthier on Apr 17, 1730 in Varennes, Québec. She was born about 1700 in Boucherville, Chambly, Québec. She died on Jan 29, 1756 in St. Charles, Québec. He married Marie-Josèphe Labétolle on Nov 22, 1723 in Contrecoeur, Québec. She was born on Sep 06, 1706 in Batiscan, Québec. She died on Sep 15, 1728 in Verchères, Québec.
- ii. Christophe Joseph Lussier was born in Feb 1711. He married Elisabeth Guyon on Jan 08, 1731 in Verchères, Québec. She was born in Feb 1711 in Grondines, Québec.

**JACQUES GAULTIER (786)** son of Simon Gauthier and Marie-Elizabeth Aube, was born on Jun 02, 1647 in Saintonge, France. He died on Jan 10, 1716 in Ste. Croix, Lotbinière, Québec. He married Elizabeth-Ursule De Nevers on Sep 11, 1672 in Sillery, Québec.

**ELIZABETH-URSULE DE NEVERS (787)** daughter of Étienne De Nevers and Marie-Anne Hayot, was born in 1658 in Québec City, Québec. She died on Jul 23, 1703 in Ste. Croix, Lotbinière, Québec. Elizabeth-Ursule De Nevers and Jacques Gaultier had the following child:

i. Marguerite Gauthier (393) was born about 1700 in Boucherville, Chambly, Québec. She died on Jan 29, 1756 in St. Charles, Québec. She married Jacques L'huissier on Apr 17, 1730 in Varennes, Québec. He was born on Nov 16, 1697 in Boucherville, Québec. He died on Apr 17, 1730 in Varennes, Québec.


**Carol Joy Shay,  
Samuel DiBella  
Engaged**

Mrs. William G. Shay of 26 South Platt St. announced the engagement of her daughter Carol Joy, to Samuel DiBella, son of Mr. Samuel DiBella and the late Mrs. DiBella of 7 City Hall Place.

Miss Shay is an alumna of Plattsburgh High School and the Loretta Business School. She is now employed as secretary for the architectural firm of Sargent - Webster-Grenshaw & Foley on Margaret St.

Mr. DiBella attended school in Plattsburgh prior to serving in the U. S. Navy. He is employed by Mercury Industrial Corporation on South Catherine St.

**A February wedding is planned.**



**FRANÇOIS CHAGNON (788)** son of Pierre Chagnon and Louise Fauvreau, was born in 1645. He died in 1693. He married Catherine Charon.

**CATHERINE CHARON (789)** daughter of Pierre Charron. Dit Lafripe and Marie-Catherine Pillat, was born in Sep 1666 in Montréal, Québec.

Catherine Charon and François Chagnon had the following children:

- i. Louis Chagnon was born in 1688. He married Marie-Madeleine Foisy. She was born in Apr 1694.
- ii. Pierre Chagnon Dit Larose (394) was born in 1690 in Contrecoeur, Québec. He married Marie-Catherine Guertin. She was born in Jun 1702 in Verchères, Québec. He married Madeleine Fontaine on Aug 07, 1730 in Contrecoeur, Québec. She was born about 1706.

**PIERRE FONTAINE DIT BIENVENUE (790)** son of Jacques Fontaine and Marie-Claude Giroux was born in Feb 1667 in Orleans, France. He died in Mar 1837 in Varennes, Québec. He married Marguerite Gentès on May 25, 1700 in Varennes, Québec.

**MARGUERITE GENTÈS (791)** daughter of Étienne Gentès and Catherine Messier, was born about 1680.

Marguerite Gentès and Pierre Fontaine Dit Bienvenue had the following children:

- i. Gabriel Fontaine was born in Sep 1699. He married Marie-Anne Lefebvre. She was born on Jun 23, 1708.
- ii. Anne-Marguerite Fontaine was born in Feb 1701. She married Louis Tetreau on Feb 23, 1720. He was born in Feb 1702.
- iii. Madeleine Fontaine (395) was born about 1706. She married Pierre Chagnon Dit Larose on Aug 07, 1730 in Contrecoeur, Québec. He was born in 1690 in Contrecoeur, Québec.

iv. Augustin Fontaine was born about 1725. He married Marie-Louise Guillet on Aug 28, 1728 in Verchères, Québec. She was born about 1725.

**GIRARD BARSALOU (848)** son of Jean Barsalou and Hélène Lamarque, was born in 1674 in Ste-Foye, Ville d'Agen, France. He died in Aug 1721 in Montréal, Québec. He married Marie Legras on May 06, 1700 in Montréal, Québec.

**MARIE LEGRAS (849)** daughter of Jean Legras and Geneviève Maillet, was born in Apr 1684.849. Marie Legras and Girard Barsalou had the following child:

i. Jean-Joseph Barsalou (424) was born in 1703 in Montréal, Québec. He married Marie-Geneviève Jarry Dite Henrichon. She was born about 1705.

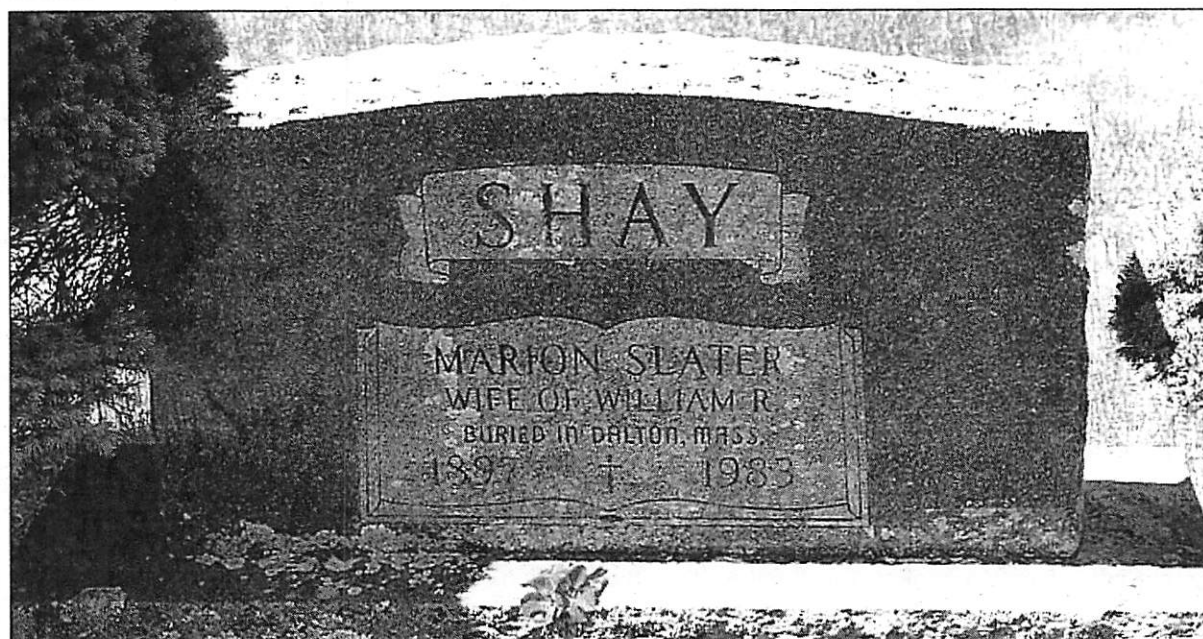
November 22, 2005 - **PETER ROSE COLLINS BURLINGTON** — Peter Rose Collins not only looked like Santa Claus, but he had the disposition to match. His warmth and laughter were infectious to all who came to know him. He expressed that his greatest joy was raising his children and spoiling his grandchildren. A kind, generous man, he spent many of his later years in service to those struggling with addiction and chemical dependency. During the last 15 years he worked in drug and alcohol rehabilitation programs helping people for whom he had great empathy — first at Maple Leaf Farm and most recently at Howard Family Service, ACT 1/ Bridge. In recovery since 1988, Peter was an active member in the local Alcoholics Anonymous fellowship. A gifted storyteller, he was often asked to share his inspiring and entertaining journey at meetings throughout the state. During his earlier years, Peter was a skilled wood worker and craftsman. After years of working for a number of area contractors, Peter founded Collins Construction. In addition to various residential projects throughout the Chittenden County area, Peter also custom designed cabinetry, furniture and kitchen utensils. During the 1970s and prior to his career in the construction industry, Peter was a partner and bartender at the Gingerman Restaurant on North Street in Burlington. Peter was passionate about many things including his frequent travels to Hawaii with his wife and family, Celtic and Folk music, literature and photography. Peter was born in Orange, N.J., on Dec. 27, 1937, to Roy C. Collins and Doris Rose Collins. He enlisted in the U.S. Marine Corps upon graduation from Columbia High School in Maplewood, N.J. Upon completion of his basic training at MCRD Parris Island, S.C., he served from 1957 to 1960 and during which time he was stationed in Germany and Lebanon. Following his military service, Peter attended Tufts University in Medford, Mass. He graduated Magna Cum Laude in 1964 with a degree in English literature. He then moved to Burlington to attend graduate school at the University of Vermont. Peter Collins married Amber Shay in Keeseville, NY, on his birthday in 1969 during the worst snowstorm on record. Peter has requested no formal ceremony, but his friends are invited to St. Michael's Chapel at Bishop Booth Conference Center on Rock Point to pay their respects to his family. A brief memorial service will begin at 2 p.m. on Monday, Nov. 28, and will be followed by a reception from 2:30 until 4 p.m. In lieu of flowers, friends are asked to make a donation to the Vermont Lung Association or the Vermont Respite House in Williston. Peter will be cremated and has asked that a portion of his ashes be scattered at one of his favorite places on earth — Pelicuno Valley, Molokai, Hawaii. Peter is survived by his wife, Amber Collins of Burlington; his daughter, Marina Collins Ushakova, her husband, Sergei, and their children, Steven, Kristina, Fatima and Anna of Burlington; his son, Seamus Collins, and partner Jessica Kim of Colchester; cousins Virginia Deyoe of Union, N.J., and Michael McIntyre of Winnipeg, MB; brother and sister-in-law Wayne and Maureen Morrow of Keeseville, NY; and nieces and nephews.

**HENRI JARRY-LE HAYNE (850)** son of Eloi Jarry Dit Lahaie and Emilie Merigden, was born in Nov 1658 in Montréal, Québec. He died in Nov 1716 in Montréal, Québec. He married Agathe Lescuyer on Nov 25, 1693 in Montréal, Québec.

**AGATHE LESCUYER (851)** daughter of Pierre Lecuyer Dit Lapierre and Marie Juillet, was born in Jul 1679 in Montréal, Québec. She died in 1716.

Agathe Lescuyer and Henri Jarry-Le Hayne had the following child:

i. Marie-Geneviève Jarry Dite Henrichon (425) was born about 1705. She married Jean-Joseph Barsalou. He was born in 1703 in Montréal, Québec.



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**CHARLES MIVILLE (852)** son of François Miville and Marie-Elisabeth Langlois, was born in 1679. He died in Jan 1751 in Terrebonne, Québec. He married Marie-Madeleine Tardif on Jan 10, 1708 in Beauport, Québec.

Marie-Madeleine Tardif (853) daughter of Jacques Tardif and Barbe D'Orange, was born in 1686.

Marie-Madeleine Tardif and Charles Miville had the following children:

- i. Pierre Miville (426) was born in Sep 1710 in Beauport, Québec. He married Marguerite Henault on Jul 29, 1734 in Ste. Anne de Bellevue, Québec. She was born on May 08, 1713.
- ii. François Miville was born in Oct 1712 in Beauport, Québec. He married Angélique Beaune on Feb 06, 1736 in Pointe Claire, Québec. She was born in May 1714 in Pointe Claire, Québec.

**PIERRE CHARRON. DIT LAFRIPE (864)** son of Pierre Charron and Judith Martin, was born about 1640. He died in Dec 1700 in Montréal, Québec. He married Marie-Catherine Pillat on Oct 19, 1665 in Montréal, Québec.

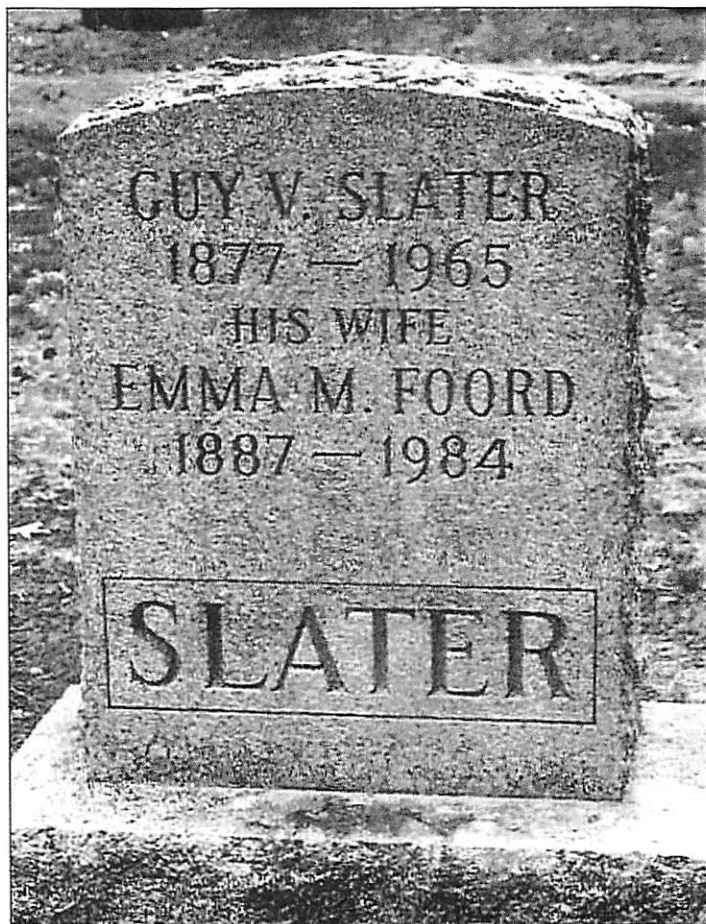
**MARIE-CATHERINE PILLAT (865)** daughter of Pierre Pilliar and Marguerite Moulinet, was born in 1651 in Notre Dame de Coigné, évêché de La Rochelle, Aunis, France. She died in Jul 1717 in Montréal, Québec.

Marie-Catherine Pillat and Pierre Charron Dit Lafripe had the following children:

- i. Catherine Charon (789) was born in Sep 1666 in Montréal, Québec. She married Daniel Tétreau in 1694. He was born about 1670 in Québec. She married François Chagnon. He was born in 1645. He died in 1693.
- ii. Charlotte Charon was born in 1667. She married Raymond Végeart Dit Laliberté. He was born in 1653. He died in Jun 1727 in Repentigny, Québec. She married Claude-Louis Lemer on Nov 30, 1686 in Boucherville, Québec. He was born in 1658 in Auxerre, France.
- iii. Pierre Charon was born in 1672. He died in Jun 1737 in Longueuil, Québec. He married Marie-Madeleine Robin on Nov 04, 1697 in Boucherville, Québec. She was born in 1675 in Longueuil, Québec.
- iv. François Carron-Ducharme was born about 1678 in Québec. He married Marguerite Pietts on Jan 30, 1701 in Sorel, Québec. She was born about 1680.
- v. Jean Charron (432) was born in Oct 1684. He married Geneviève Boucher on Mar 28, 1732 in



Berthier, Québec. She was born in May 1715 in Berthier, Québec. He married Madeleine Guertin. She was born in 1690.



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**CHARLES BOUCHER (866)** son of Charles Boucher and Marguerite-Agnès Pelletier, was born in Dec 1690. He married Marie Henault on Feb 20, 1713 in Sorel, Québec.

**MARIE HENAUT (867)** was born in Jul 1696.

Marie Henault and Charles Boucher had the following child:

- i. Geneviève Boucher (433) was born in May 1715 in Berthier, Québec. She married Jean Charron on Mar 28, 1732 in Berthier, Québec. He was born in Oct 1684.

**JEAN LAPOINTE (876)** son of Jean Robin Dit Lapointe and Jeanne Charreton, was born in 1678. He married Marie-Claude Sergeant on Jul 07, 1699 in Boucherville, Québec.

**MARIE-CLAUDE SERGEANT (877)** daughter of Louis Sergeant and Anne Lecompte, was born about 1680.

Marie-Claud Sergeant and Jean Lapointe had the following child:

- i. Joseph Lapointe (438) was born in 1710 in Laval, Québec. He married Louise Bouchard. She was born in Mar 1710 in Laval, Québec.

**RENÉ BOUCHARD DIT LAVALLÉE (878)** son of Julien Bouchard and Elizabeth Ménard, was born in 1662 in Lavault, Nantes, Bretagne, France. He died in May 1736 in Montmagny, Québec. He married Marie-Anne Sauvageau on Nov 14, 1696 in Montréal, Québec.

**MARIE-ANNE SAUVAGEAU (879)** daughter of René Sauvageau and Anne Hubou, was born in Nov 1679 in Pointe-aux-Trembles de Montréal, Québec. She died in 1744.

Marie-Anne Sauvageau and René Bouchard Dit Lavallée had the following child:

- i. Louise Bouchard (439) was born in Mar 1710 in Laval, Québec. She married Joseph Lapointe. He was born in 1710 in Laval, Québec.

**PIERRE THIBAUT DIT LEVEILLE (904)** was born in 1664 in Gascogne, France. He died in Jul 1740 in Sault-au-Recollet, Québec. He married Catherine Baudry.

**CATHERINE BAUDRY (905)** daughter of Antoine Beaudry Dit L'Epinette and Catherine Guyard, was born in Jan 1669.

Catherine Baudry and Pierre Thibault Dit Leveille had the following children:

- i. Marie-Anne Thibault was born in Aug 1699. She married Jacques Daigneau. He was born in Feb 1703.
- ii. Jean-Baptiste Thibaut (452) was born in Oct 1702 in Rivières des Prairies, Québec. He married Jeanne Deniau on Feb 05, 1725 in Longueuil, Québec. She was born in Feb 1701 in Longueuil,

Québec.

**PIERRE DENIAU (906)** son of Jean Deniau and Hélène Daudin, was born in Feb 1670. He married Marie-Anne Cesar Dite De La Gardelette on Nov 10, 1698 in Boucherville, Québec.

**MARIE-ANNE CESAR DITE DE LA GARDELETTE (907)** daughter of François Cesar Dit De La Gardelette and Anne Delestre, was born in May 1678.

Marie-Anne Cesar Dit De La Gardelette and Pierre Deniau had the following children:

i. Jeanne Deniau (453) was born in Feb 1701 in Longueuil, Québec. She married Jean-Baptiste Thibaut on Feb 05, 1725 in Longueuil, Québec. He was born in Oct 1702 in Rivières des Prairies, Québec.

ii. Jacques Daigneau was born in Feb 1703. He married Marie-Anne Thibault. She was born in Aug 1699.

iii. Pierre-Joseph Deniau was born in Oct 1706 in Longueuil, Québec. He married Angélique Reguindeau on May 07, 1731 in Boucherville, Québec. She was born about 1710. He married Marie-Suzette Vaillancourt. She was born in 1710.

iv. Marie-Catherine Deneau was born in 1711. She died in 1730 in Longueuil, Québec. She married Jean Charbonneau on Jan 10, 1728 in Boucherville, Québec. He was born on Aug 18, 1697 in Boucherville, Québec. He died in 1772.

**LOUIS MÉNARD (960)** son of Jean-Baptiste Ménard Dit Bellerose and Élisabeth Valiquet, was born in Sep 1691 in Boucherville, Québec. He married Marie-Madeleine Brien on Jan 22, 1714 in Varennes, Québec.

**MARIE-MADELEINE BRIEN (961)** daughter of Louis Brien and Suzanne Bouvier, was born in Apr 1695 in Verchères, Québec.

Marie-Madeleine Brien and Louis Ménard had the following child:

i. Louis Ménard (480) was born in Nov 1714 in Boucherville, Québec. He married Marie-Josèphthe Patenaude on Jun 09, 1748 in Longueuil, Québec. She was born in Sep 1722 in Longueuil, Québec.

**ÉTIENNE DUMAS (968)** son of Charles Dumas and Marie Guignard, was born in Apr 1704 in La Durantay, Québec. He died in Apr 1785 in Chambly, Québec. He married Félicité Chenet on Nov 01, 1731 in St. Antoine de Tilly, Québec.

**FÉLICITÉ CHENET (969)** daughter of Jean-Baptiste Chenais and Élisabeth Boucher, was born about 1708.

Félicité Chenet and Étienne Dumas had the following children:

i. Étienne Dumas (484) was born in Mar 1736 in St. Antoine de Tilly, Québec. He married Josèphthe Piedalue on Oct 09, 1764 in Chambly, Québec. She was born in Aug 1749 in La Prairie, Québec.

ii. Pierre-Ignace Dumas was born in May 1745. He married Marie-Madeleine Poupart. She was born about 1750.

**JULIEN-BERTRAND PIEDALUE DIT LA PRAIRIE (970)** was born in Dec 1723 in La Prairie, Québec.

**Edmund O. Murray**  
**Edmund O. Murray, 52, of 27**  
**Couch St., Plattsburgh, died**  
**Wednesday afternoon, after be-**  
**ing stricken while at work at**  
**the Plattsburgh Foundry and**  
**Machine Co. where he was em-**  
**ployed as a draftsman.**

**He is survived by one daugh-**  
**ter, Mrs. Leslie Ann Semens of**  
**Herndon, Va.**

**The body was removed to the**  
**R. W. Walker Funeral Home.**  
**Funeral arrangements were in**  
**complete**

He died in Dec 1796 in Chambly, Québec. He married Felicité Bourassa in Jan 1747 in La Prairie, Québec.

**FELICITÉ BOURASSA (971)** daughter of François-Joachim Bourassa and Marie-Anne Deneau, was born in Nov 1725 in La Prairie, Québec. She died in Apr 1763 in Chambly, Québec.

Felicité Bourassa and Julien-Bertrand Piedalue Dit La Prairie had the following child:

- i. Josephite Piedalue (485) was born in Aug 1749 in La Prairie, Québec. She married Étienne Dumas on Oct 09, 1764 in Chambly, Québec. He was born in Mar 1736 in St. Antoine de Tilly, Québec.

**JEAN-BAPTISTE QUÉMÉNEUR (978)** He married Louise Poulin in 1724 in Québec City, Québec. 978.

**LOUISE POULIN (979)**

Louise Poulin and Jean-Baptiste Quéméneur had the following child:

- i. Marie-Louise Quéméneur (489). She married Pierre-Noël Fregeau on Feb 02, 1741 in St. François du Sud, Québec.

**JEAN DESMARETS DIT DESNOYERS (984)** son of Robert Desmarès and Élisabeth Richaume, was born about 1700 in Québec. He

died in Québec. He married Thérèse Ménard on Feb 29, 1724 in Rehabilitation at Longueuil, Québec.

**THÉRÈSE MÉNARD (985)** daughter of Jacques Ménard Dit Lafontaine and Catherine Fortier, was born in Oct 1676 in Boucherville, Québec. She died in Jun 1753 in Longueuil, Québec.

Thérèse Ménard and Jean Desmarets Dit Desnoyers had the following children:

- i. Pierre Desmarets was born in Aug 1710 in Longueuil, Québec. He died in Jun 1760 in St. Antoine de Chambly, Québec. He married Marie Joseph Létourneau in 1740 in Québec. She was born about 1710. She died in Québec.
- ii. Angélique Desmarets-Desnoyers was born on Oct 17, 1713 in Boucherville, Québec. She died in Québec. She married Louis Létourneau on Nov 23, 1731 in Longueuil, Québec. He was born on Feb 06, 1700 in La Pérade, Québec. He died on Nov 18, 1759 in St-Charles-sur-Richelieu, Québec.
- iii. Ursule Desmarets was born on Aug 11, 1718 in Longueuil, Québec. She died after Aug 1718 in Longueuil, Québec.
- iv. Étienne Desmarets was born on Aug 11, 1718 in Longueuil, Québec. He died in Québec. He married Marie-Jeanne Giroux on Jan 07, 1744 in Laprairie, Québec. She was born about 1720. She died in Québec.
- v. Marie-Charlotte Desmarets was born in 1719 in Québec. She died in Québec. She married Laurent Viau Dit L'Espérance on Jan 07, 1736 in Longueuil, Québec. He was born about 1715. He died in Québec.
- vi. Jean-Baptiste Desmarets was born on Jun 26, 1720 in Longueuil, Québec. He died in Aug 1720 in Longueuil, Québec.
- vii. Pierre Desmarets Dit Desnoyers (492) was born on Jan 17, 1723 in Longueuil, Québec. He

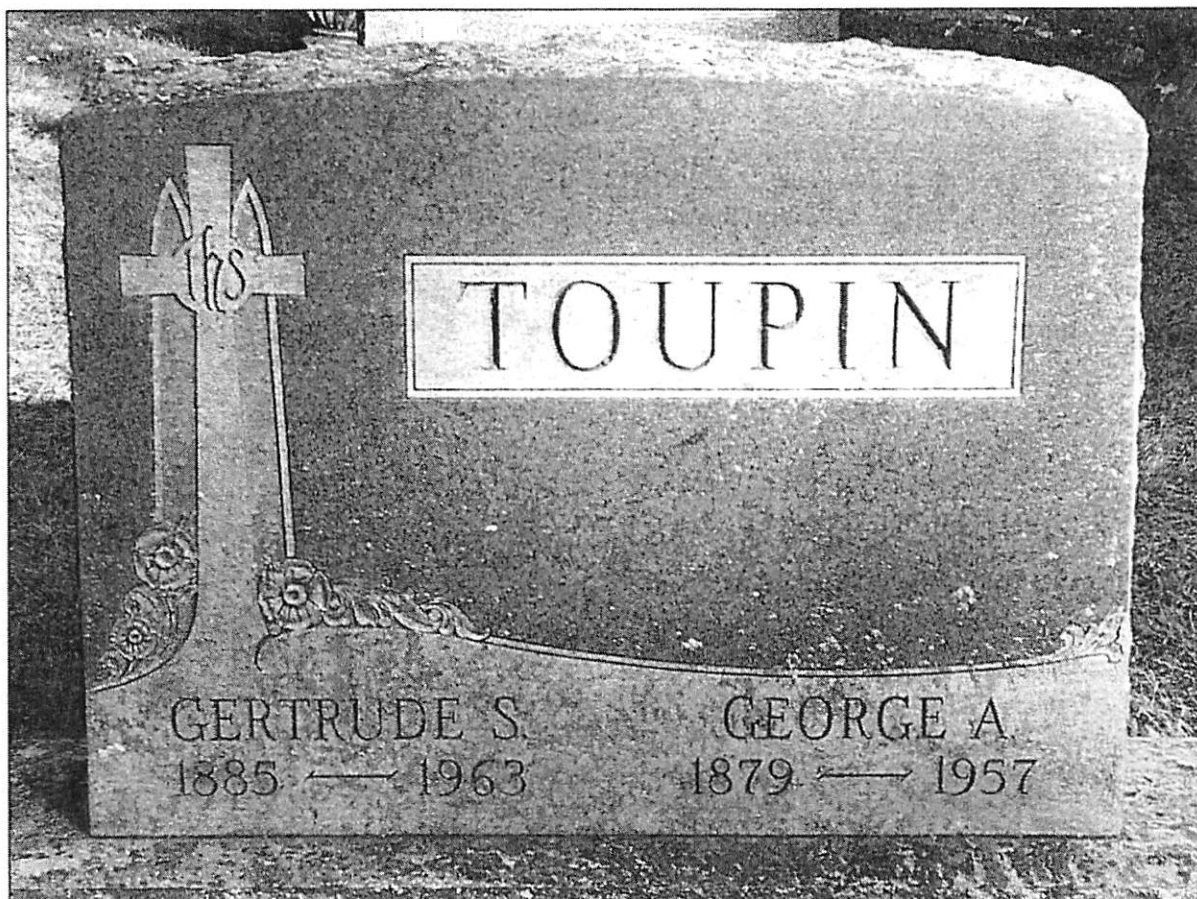
## **MRS. VIRGINIA BOULE DIES AT SON'S HOME**

Mrs. Virginia Boule died at the home of her son, Dr. I. A. Boule of 136 Bunkerhoff street, this city, on Saturday morning after a long illness. Mrs. Boule is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Charles Frochette of New York City, and Mrs. J. Frank Grewe of Milwaukee, Wis., and three sons, Louis Boule of Keeseville, Arthur Boule of Saranac Lake and Dr. Boule of this city.

Funeral services will be held on Tuesday morning at nine o'clock in St. John the Baptist church at Keeseville. Burial will take place in Keeseville.

died in Jun 1760 in Longueuil, Québec. He married Marie-Josette Letourneau on Jun 01, 1737 in Chambly, Québec. She was born about 1720.

viii. Madeleine Desmarets was born about 1725 in Québec. She died in Mar 1743 in Longueuil, Québec. She married Noël Carpentier. He was born about 1720. He died in Québec.



St. Mary's Cemetery - South Glens Falls, NY

**BERNARD LÉTOURNEAU (986)** son of David Létourneau and Françoise Chapelain, was born in 1673. He died in Mar 1750 in Chambly, Québec. He married Marie-Hélène Paquet on Jul 31, 1703 in Ste. Famille, Île d'Orléans, Québec.

**Marie-Hélène Paquet (987)** daughter of René Paquet and Marie-Hélène Lemieux, was born in 1682. She died in May 1758.

Marie-Hélène Paquet and Bernard Létourneau had the following children:

- i. Joseph Letourneau was born in 1704. He married Marie-Angélique Boutellier. She was born in Aug 1716 in Longueuil, Québec. She died in 1764.
- ii. Marie-Josette Letourneau (493) was born about 1720. She married Pierre Desmarets Dit Desnoyers on Jun 01, 1737 in Chambly, Québec. He was born on Jan 17, 1723 in Longueuil, Québec. He died in Jun 1760 in Longueuil, Québec.
- iii. Nicolas Létourneau was born in Oct 1722 in St. Jean, Île d'Orléans, Quebec. He married Marie-Geneviève Péloquin Dite Crédy on Aug 14, 1746 in Sorel, Québec. She was born in Aug 1729 in Sorel, Québec.

**JEAN-BAPTISTE MALBOEUF DIT BEAUSOLEIL (988)** son of Dit Beausoleil Jean-Baptiste

i. Marie Metivier (495) was born in Sep 1738. She married Jean-Baptiste Malboeuf. He was born in May 1735.

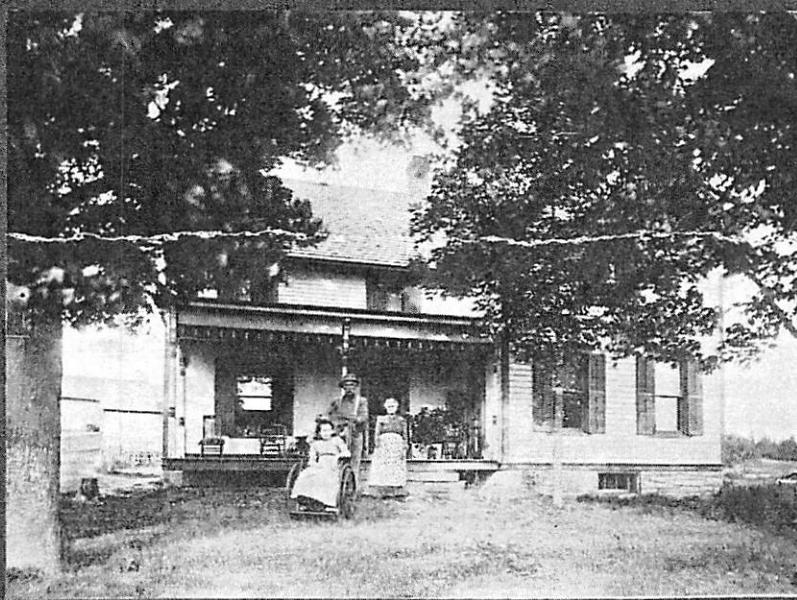


# BELLINGER FAMILY PAPERS

Home of Don and Rayana Bellinger in West  
 distance on right out of Pope Mills toward  
 Edwardsville. Occupied & owned next by Charles  
 and Georgiana (Dale) Brown. Now owned and  
 occupied by Earl & Hattie Brown (1960).  
 (Son of Chas & Georgiana)

In the picture are Mr. and Mrs. Don Bellinger  
 and daughter Lily (in wheel chair)

Don Bellinger is  
 great grandparents  
 of Elwood Simons



These photographs were left to us by Barbara Bellinger Bateman when she died. She also left us many books for our library including most of the books on Palatines from whom she was descended.



Most of the pictures are from the Bellinger family which was from the area noted to the left. The back of the large picture says, "Home of Don and Roxana Bellinger, a short distance on right out of Pope Mills toward Edwardsville. Occupied and owned next by Charles and Georgianna "Dode" Brown. Now owned and occupied by their son Earl and his wife Hattie Brown. (1960)

In the picture are Mr. and Mrs. Don Bellinger and daughter, Lily, in wheelchair.

Pope Mills is about 3 miles south of Edwardsville on Route 58 across Black Lake.

*George Robertson D. 10 Nov. 1862, age 76 yrs*  
*Anne, wife of George Robertson d. 20 Sept. 1850 Aged 50 yrs.*  
*Charles Bellinger B. 1 Apr. 1869 - D. 27 Feb. 1929*  
*Bruce Bellinger M. Laura Schenckman - 2 children*  
*Georgia Bellinger M. Morley Munkley - no children*  
*Eleanor Bellinger M. Joseph Hamwell - 2 children*  
*Ruth Bellinger M. Dr. Andre Fissella - 6 children*  
*(Later Rev. Ruth Fissella)*  
*Harold Bogardus*  
*M. Jean Sutherland*  
*4 children*  
*Copied from Family Bible*



Bogardus Family - Glen - Virgie - Fred - Amelia - Otto

Gouverneur Tribune Press - April 28, 1965

Funeral services for Mrs. Virgie B. Simons, 64, north country historian and former clerk for the town of Rossie, were held Saturday afternoon at Rossie United Presbyterian church with Rev. Robert Wilson, pastor, officiating, assisted by Rev. Myron VanOrnum, Theresa, retired Methodist minister. Burial was in Riverside cemetery, Gouverneur.

Bearers were her nephews, Harwood Bogardus, John Bogardus, James Simons, Murray E. Simons, Clarence Jenne and William Towne. Honorary bearers were John A. Bell, Town of Rossie supervisor; Maurice Evans, Rossie superintendent of highways, and Mrs. Simons' two brothers-in-law, Arnold Simons and Milton Truax.

Mrs. Simons died Wednesday afternoon in Highland nursing home Massena, where she had been a patient since March 6. She had been in ill health a year and had been in Massena since September, where she resided with her son, Elwood M., a member of the English department at Massena High School. Her son is her only survivor.

A brother, Glen Bogardus, former principal of Massena High School and superintendent of schools at Canastota 30 years, died in 1957 and another brother, J. Otto Bogardus, manager of John Hancock Insurance Co, New Haven, died in 1963.

Her husband, Murray C. Simons, who operated the family farm in Rossie and was a motor car salesman for Seaker-Graves Motor Co., Gouverneur for 30 years died Dec 30, 1963.

Mrs. Simons was born July 2, 1900 in the town of Macomb, a daughter of Fred E. and Amelia Bellinger Bogardus, both of whom were descendants of two of Macomb's pioneer families. On the paternal side she was a direct descendant of Annetje Jans Bogardus, who came with her family from Holland in the 1600's and settled in what is now New York City, and on the maternal side from Col. Peter Bellinger, an officer in the Revolutionary War.

Mrs. Simons graduated from Gouverneur High School and Potsdam Normal Training school. She taught in North Bellmore, L.I. Elementary schools five years and was married to Mr. Simons Sept 13, 1924. The couple lived in Freeport L.I. after marriage.

In August 1927 they purchased the Simons family home in Rossie and moved back to the north country. They lived in the homestead 36 years. When Mrs. Simons went to Massena to live with her son, she kept possession of her home in Rossie which is filled with articles of historical interest. Serving as town clerk for the Town of Rossie 30 ears, Mrs. Simons was never opposed in an election. She was active in Republican circles and in all events concerning Rossie. She was registrar of vital statistics, a notary public and also a licenses agent for the American Surety Co., which sells fidelity and surety bonds.

She was a member of the Rossie Presbyterian church, of its United Presbyterian Women's society and had been assistant organist. Mrs. Simons first attended Brasie Corners Methodist church and became organist there at the age of 11. At that time, Rev. VanOrnum was pastor.

She was a past director of the St. Lawrence County Historical society and was a chairman of its historical sites committee, being instrumental in securing several historical markers for north country sites. An authority of Rossie and St. Lawrence county history, Mrs. Simons was well known throughout the state and had twice entertained the St. Lawrence Historical Society at her home. She had had many articles of historical interest published in north country newspapers and had been Rossie correspondent for the Tribune Press for many years.

There are several more pages such as the one following. They are filled with notes about the Bellinger family of Jefferson County, NY. We have tried to offer them to people by putting a notice on our Facebook page, but have had no takers, so we have sent them to the Jefferson County Historical Society located in Watertown, NY, where they may be of help to people there. The society has a Facebook page and a website - <https://jeffersoncountyhistory.org/>. Their street address is 228 Washington Street, Watertown, NY, 13601. The museum is well-worth visiting.

Pope Mills - Wm Fuglow, one of the proprietors of the Sylvia Lake House, made a flying call here on Friday 27 June 1895

Pope Mills - 1880 - Dr. F.P. Bellinger has left Edwardsville to get a more paying situation.

Samuel P. Carbyon (Ind.)

1866-1951

Jennie L. K. Cole wf

1867-1915

Sarah Taylor

B. 7 Oct. 1850

D. 29 Feb. 1932

Samuel Taylor

B. 23 Feb. 1849

D. 4 Apr. 1927

Funeral bill to

Thomas Bellinger for Wm. Bellinger - age 5

died - Convulsions

Dr. Flint

D. 2 Oct. 1902 -

Buried 4 Oct. 1902

Riverside - Hinesview

2.00 - 1 Hook

2.00 - 1 Hack Total 24.00

2.00 - 1 Purse

Paid - 6 Oct. 1902 Cash 10.00

20 Nov. " Cash 2.50

18 June 1903 Cash 2.00

7 Jan. 1905 Note 9.50

24.00

Peter & Catherine Eighmey Bellinger moved to Black Lake - Feb. 1833 + Jonas and Nicolas Arney

1880 Census

Wm Fuglow 37

Libby 28

William 8

George 6

Martha Bellinger d. 26 Nov. 1898

Peter Bellinger d. 7 Dec. 1890

Where are they buried??

Edwardsville Cemetery

Bellinger, Betsey wife of A. P. died 2/22/1852 Age 58 Bellinger

Peter P. B. 4/24/1760 father D. 8/8/1851

Peter P., Jr. B. 4/1/1787 son D. 12/10/1858

wife - Catherine Eighmey

B. 7/19/1781 D. 1/9/1876 or 2/9/1876

Oct. 16, 1899 - Dr. Fred Bellinger of Chicago called on friends in town recently. (Pope Mills) It will be remembered that Dr. Bellinger practiced at Pope Mills 20 yrs. ago

7 Aug. 1899 - C. H. Bellinger (Charles) of Mayberry, Nebraska, called on his sister, Mrs. J. E. Borgardus, (Amelia Bellinger) last Friday.

Jan. 2 1900 Sam Carbyon of Oxbow spent a few days with J. E. Borgardus last week.

14 Nov. 1898 - Mrs. Wm Fuglow of New York City is a guest of N. Bellinger. (Tom)

Fred Eli Borgardus

B. 31 July 1869

D. 21 June 1948

Glen B. B. 31 Oct. 1892

Virgie R. Born 2 July 1900

John Otto - Born 26 Feb. 1903

Glen M. Doris Harwood (Nancy - Harwood - John)

Virgie M. Murray Simons (Edward)

John Otto M. 1) Leah Hourlay 2) Dorothy Miles (Patricia Hall - adopted dau.)



Harmonus Bogardus



Harmonus Bogardus' Children 1895  
Edward John  
Carrie Mary Louisa



Bogardus Family 1890  
Royal Sarah Fred  
John Adeline  
Carl Beulah  
Perley Ethel



## FROM THE LYON MOUNTAIN MINING AND RAILROAD MUSEUM EXHIBIT

Thanks to Jane Kelting and others at the museum for allowing us to publish this material

### ALEXANDER

Hilaire Joseph Alexandre (Eli) was born of Canadian parents on April 6, 1858, in Plattsburgh. He married Marie Louis Le Doux (Ladue). He was a tough, rugged, 6' tall man who smoked and drank. He taught his boys to hunt, fish, survive in the woods, and carpentry, plumbing and gardening skills at home. He was a miner until the age of 75. He was sent home in a rage still wearing his work clothes with his carbide light burning on his head at a time when there was no pension, social security or insurance. Eli died of old age at 90 years of age.

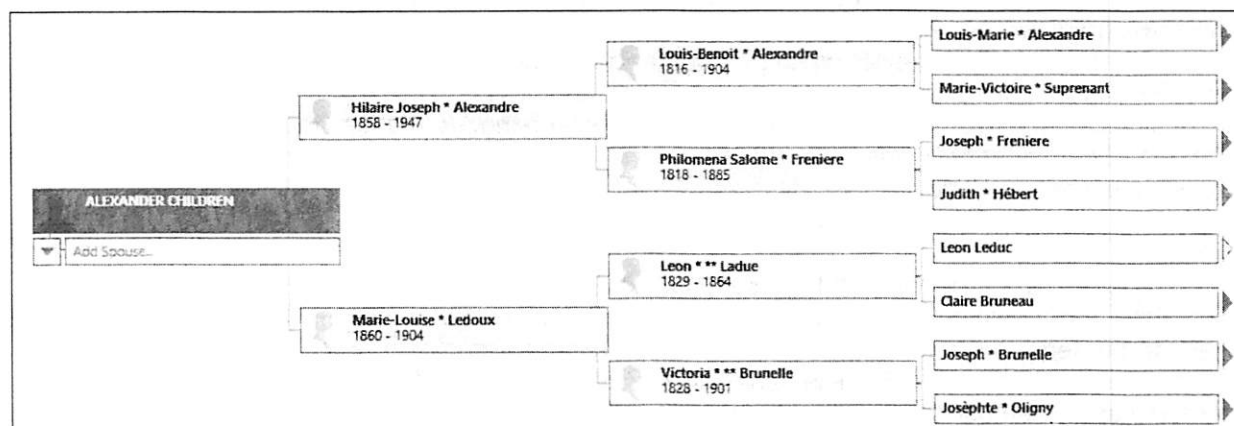
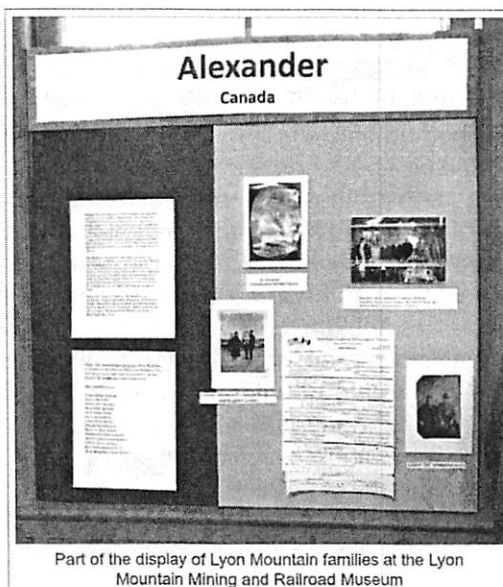
His daughter, Marguerite Alexander Hansen, the youngest of 14 children married her husband, Charles Frederick Hansen on June 7, 1917, at the age of 15. They were the kind and loving parents of 5 children. Charles was a very strong, hard worker who spoke in a Swedish accent. He and Marguerite raised much of their own food. He forested their wood for fuel, plus he worked full-time as a chute puller until he was killed by a chunk of iron or which fell from an overhead stope.

Marguerite had two siblings who lived in Lyon Mountain, Victoria Alexander Robinson and Clifford Joseph Alexander. Other brothers and sisters moved away for employment. Marguerite died of a blood clot after surgery leaving Muriel, Charles and John in their Aunt Vic's care.

Eli and Louisa married on October 18, 1871. They moved to Lyon Mountain in 1873, so Eli could work for the Chateaugay Ore and Iron Company.

Their 14 children were:

|                                 |                                |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Louis Joseph Alexander          | Victoria Mary Robinson         |
| Francis Alexander               | Marie Eva Williams             |
| William Hilaire Alexander       | Joseph Silas Alexander         |
| Marie Stella Alexander          | Lauretta Emma Russom           |
| Marie Jennie Farrell            | Clifford Joseph Alexander      |
| Marie Ida Alexander             | Marie Ruth Catherine Dowd      |
| Lillian Marie Annette Alexander | Marie Marguerite Corine Hansen |



## ALEXANDER AND MALANCIA KOUROFSKY

Anastasia Fadden

Our parents, Alexander Kourofsky and Melvina Czienska, were born in Poland, which was controlled by Russia at the time, but they were proud Polish. They were both from the outskirts of Krckow but in different sections of the city. Alexander's father worked on the estate of a baron who owned much forest land, and also owned a railroad. He took care of the forest and did carpenter work. The son learned about good tools. As the sons grew up, they all went to work there.

In 1909, Alexander and some friends came to America and went to Mineville where there was much work in the mines. The ore was of very good quality and eventually, he became a fine driller. I know he had brothers and sisters, but he never talked about them. If his friends gathered at our house, they talked about home and family.

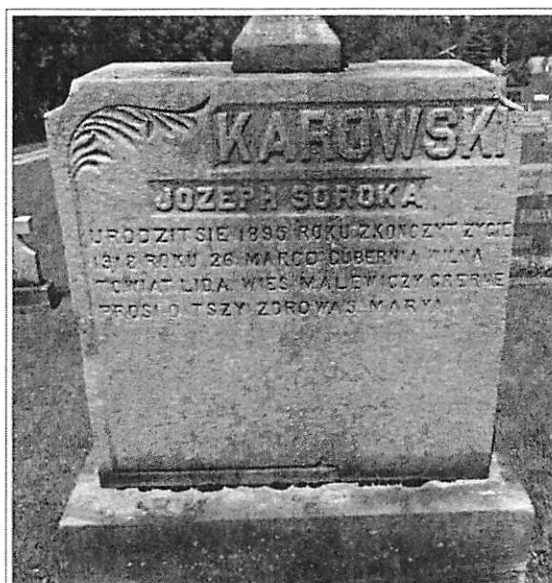
Our mother was one of five children. Her father died of consumption when the children were young. As soon as they were old enough, they went to work. Our mother was hired as a nurse maid by the baron. She took care of the children. While she worked there, she learned to read, cook fine foods and how to weave linen. She made beautiful towels for her hope chest. Somehow, she learned about America. She decided to save her money and come to America. She had cousins here and nothing could change her mind. In those days, it was very difficult to cross the borders from Russia. When she was ready, she notified certain people who made a business of getting through the country to the port where the ships were. They traveled by night. She could take only the clothes that she wore and what she could carry. The thought that she was on her way kept her spirits up.

Our mother used to tell us that her own mother didn't want her to leave for America. She didn't want her to take anything out of her hope chest. She worried that the ship would sink, and everything would be lost. However, she took some beautiful white long towels with her initials in red on one end. She used them for special occasions.

Our father was a tall, handsome man with light brown hair which waved, and he had blue eyes. He played the violin when he was a young man in Poland. Whenever music was needed, he was asked to play. He was allowed to leave work and travel to where he was to play. That did not go over well with his brothers. He walked bare footed and carried his violin and boots. When he got near his destination, he pulled on his boots. He played well and was very popular.

My father was in Mineville when our mother got there. That is where they met, and they were married on New Year's Day. They went to Lyon Mountain where they began housekeeping in a log cabin – all the homes were log cabins. The mines were working around the clock and many men had no homes. Each household was asked to take as many men as they could, so the newlyweds had a houseful. Our mother made the best of the situation. She had to feed the men and do the laundry. The water had to be carried from the well. The men would roll out of bed and the next shift would take their place.

They had two milk cows and chickens for eggs. Our mother planted a garden for vegetables. Some of the men would help her – Alexander always had excuses and couldn't help. When the babies came, the borders had to leave. Malancia had ten children: Anastasia, Anna, Stanley, Mary, John, Anthony, Joseph, Alexander, Francis and Walter. She had a very difficult time when John was born and had to go to the hospital shortly after his birth. All her children were born at home.



Stone in St. Bernard's Cemetery - Thought to be a Kourofsky relative with the correct spelling of the family name. The Polish writing gives his birth and death date and where he was born.

Our father had his violin and played at weddings, baptisms and wherever music was needed. He would leave and she had to attend to all the chores and get the children dressed. She always wore a very nice black skirt and a white blouse. She would walk to the house of the celebration and always had a baby to carry. The men would dance with her.

When the ore pile got too big, they had to move to another cabin on higher ground. The ore sand covered the houses. At Eastertime, Alexander would go from house to house and play the violin. We would all go with him with our colored eggs. We play the egg game. Everyone would test the eggs by tapping the end of the egg with someone else's. If your egg cracked, you lost it. Sometimes you lost all your eggs.

On Christmas, we had a special dinner. Everyone had to be home. Sometime during the day, the priest would come and left communion wafers for each person. Our mother prepared a banquet. During Advent, we fasted so the meals she prepared had no eggs, milk or meat, but special dishes were prepared. Our father brought hay into the house. It was placed on the table and our mother covered it with her best tablecloth. Christ was born in a manger. We sat down and broke the wafers with each other and proceeded with the food which was delicious. This was called, "rooha". Our father played his violin until his fingers and hands were sore. My daughters, Ann, Jean and Carolyn, learned to play it and now Carolyn has it.



Kourofskys - Back row: Alexander (Chick), Anastasia (Nellie), Walter, Anna, Mary, Joseph (Joker)  
Front row: John (Grubie) and Anthony (Honey)

Our mother had a fine voice and would often lead the singing. She knew how to tell a story. In the winter, he told fairy tales. She would often end her stories with, "I was there, and I danced." We would sit around the table and strip feathers. We'd strip the fluffy part and throw the rest away. Malancia died from a stroke in 1936. She worked hard and never complained. Alexander suffered from a lung condition and could no longer work. He died in 1946.

All that I have written are memories. Hopefully, they help us to remember.

## GUERRINO DEL BEL FAMILY

The patriarch of the family, Guerrino Del Bel was born in 1889 in Azzano Decimo in the region of Friuli in northeast Italy. His wife, Maria Carolina Ossello (Osello) was from San Giacomo, a small village in the Italian Alps in the Piedmont region. Maria was born in 1894. Guerrino seems to have entered North America through Montreal.

Following her father's death in 1912. Maria came to the United States aided by her brother Matteo. She entered Ellis Island in 1913, and soon joined her brother in Sault Ste. Marie. On April 4,



1914, Maria Ossello and Guerrino Del Bel married in Sault Ste. Marie, ON, where he worked as a miner. Their first child, Linda Catherine Del Bel was born on December 31, 1914, shortly afterwards, the couple moved to Worthington, ON, located near Sudbury where Guerrino continued to work as a miner. Their two sons, Nello Valentino and Elsie, were born in Worthington – August 1917 and January 1920 respectively. At some point in 1920, the family moved to Lyon Mountain.

On March 17, 1922, Guerrino suffered a severe injury while working in the mines. According to family tradition, a large bucket struck him on the head. He was taken to a hospital in Plattsburgh, where he died two and a half months later. Upon his death, Maria and the children were evicted from company housing, as was often the case. At the time, Maria lacked a trade and spoke only Italian. A gutsy and determined woman, she sued the Chateaugay Ore and Iron Company for loss of a breadwinner and received compensation of \$8.66 a week for the rest of her life plus \$2.89 per week for each minor child.

Maria and her children moved to Plattsburgh. She placed Linda in Our Lady of Victory Convent Boarding School and the two boys in the Children's Home on Bailey Avenue and set about learning English and acquiring skills as a baker. By the late 1920s, the family was living together again in a second-floor flat across the hall from the bakery she had opened – the Ideal Bakery. She became the pie baker for most of the restaurants in Plattsburgh and could be seen carrying a huge metal tray with four to six fresh pies for delivery.

In the early 60s, a fire forced her to close the bakery. Maria retired to a house she owned on Broad Street. Always active, she died on June 10, 1967, in the middle of trimming her favorite birch tree. Maria was true to the promise she made to her husband that, if he died, the children would receive a good education. The couple are buried in St. Peter's Cemetery in Plattsburgh. Linda graduated from



Del Bel Family about 1930

Left to right - Linda C. (December 31, 1914) - Nello V. (August 10, 1917)  
Mariall (about 1897) - Elsie (January 1920)

Our Lady of Victory and went on to Plattsburgh Normal School to become a teacher. She taught in Vermontville, the Albany area, on Long Island and other New York Public Schools. She received her master's degree from SUNY Albany in 1948. Among the highlights of her career were the sabbaticals she spent teaching in Japan and Newfoundland. Linda returned to Plattsburgh following her mother's death and continued to teach in Plattsburgh Catholic Schools and caring for the terminally ill. Linda died in 2008 and interred with her parents.

Nello graduated with honors from Plattsburgh High School and attended St. Lawrence University and McGill University Medical School in Montreal. Here, he met and married E. Mary Eagleson, a nursing student from Ottawa. They had four children: Linda, James, Moreen and Jeffrey. Nello received his M. D. from McGill University in 1943, and immediately entered the U. S. Army. After the war, he returned home to practice medicine. After filling in for doctors in both Peru and Keeseville, Nello established his own office at 75 Court Street in Plattsburgh. North Country people remember him for the many babies he delivered throughout the area. He retired in 1981, died in July 2000 and is buried in Mount Carmel Cemetery in Plattsburgh. His wife, Mary, who died in 2009 and his son Father James Del Bel, who died in 2013, are interred with him.

Elsio graduated with honors from Plattsburgh High School. He attended Clarkson Institute of Technology and served as a B-24 mechanic in Italy in WWII. Following the war, he attended Columbia University and Penn State University, where he received his PhD in fuel technology. He spent most of his working life in the Pittsburgh area where he met and married his wife, Edith. He died in 2017 and is interred next to Edith in Donora, PA. Their daughter, Patricia Long, survives them.

## KOWALOWSKI AND GROGAN

Thomas Kowalowski, Sr. was born in Warsaw, Poland, in 1883. There is no known record of his journey to Lyon Mountain, where he met a Lyon Mountain girl named Anna Opet. Anna was born in Lyon Mountain on November 20, 1887. Her father was Andrew Opet, born in Austria, and her mother was Mary Courela. They were married on November 7, 1909. The witnesses at their wedding were Silas Korofski and Anna Silage. Thomas and Anna had six children: William, Walter, Patricia, Thomas, John and Anna.



Bottom right to left: John Kowalowski, Anna Chase Kowalowski, and Pat Grogan Kowalowski  
Top left to right: Walter Kowalowski, Tom Kowalowski, and William Kowalowski

We know a bit more about Waladyslaw, Thomas' brother, than we know about Thomas. Waladyslaw (Walter) was born in 1889 in Buda, Russia. According to the, "Samland's Ship's Manifest", he was 5' 11" tall with dark hair and eyes. He sailed from Antwerp, Belgium, and arrived at Ellis Island on November 11, 1910.

The Kowalowski surname had a variety of spellings which was common on early documents. Kowalowski was spelled, Kwoliofski and at times, Kawalewska. The Opet surname was spelled with either one or two "t's". On Anna's tomb stone it is spelled with a single "t".

Thomas died in the mines at age 35 on January 25, 1919. Thomas was a skilled miner (roof man). He was crushed



Del Bel family about 1918  
Linda C., Maria, Nello on Guerrino's lap



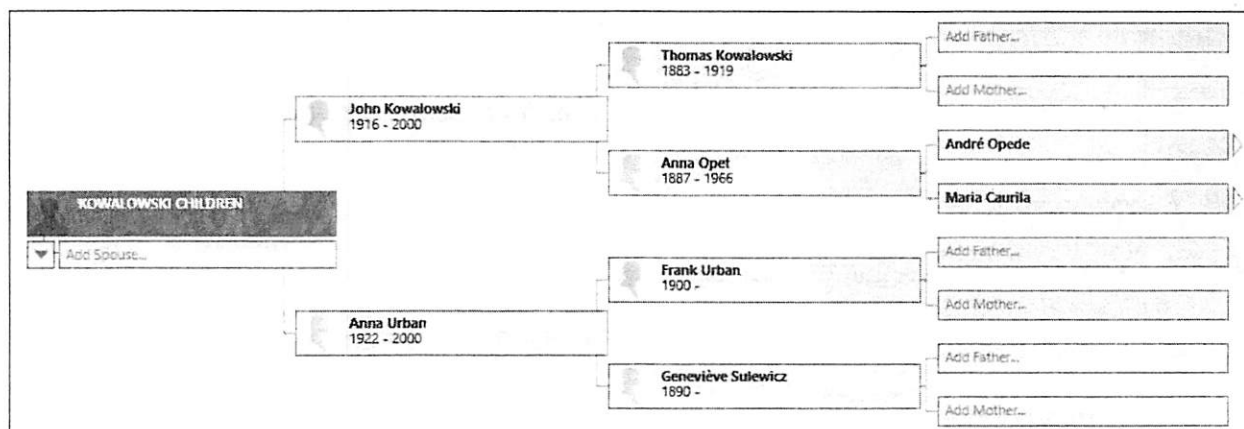
under a mine car in Mine #4. His wife, Anna, lived to age 78. She died on October 21, 1966.

The Kowalowski and Grogan families came together when William James Grogan married Patricia Kowalowski on May 23, 1936. William was the grandson of James Grogan. James was born in County Cork, Ireland, in 1850. He arrived in the Port of New York on board the "City of Berlin" in July of 1880.



## Grogan Family

Back row: Eileen Kaska, Rita McBride, Nellie Welch, Catherine Ryan, Margaret Elsasser  
Front Row: Mary Lavigne, Bill Grogan, Dan Grogan



## THE PIVETTA FAMILY

Ves Pivetta

My grandparents, Felice and Salute Pivetta, were born in Fiume Veneto, Italy in the 1800s, a small town in northern Italy between Venice and Trieste. My grandparents were sharecroppers. They ran a small farm for an owner who was paid one half of everything that was produced on the farm. It was a big struggle to pay the rent. In 1882, their first son Giovanni, was born; his brother, Carlo, was born in 1886. Their first daughter, Regina, born in 1890, died of pneumonia when she was two years old. A second daughter, Mabile, was born in 1893.

My grandparents were made an offer to run a farm in Brazil. They moved there in 1896. It was a bigger farm, more money and more help. My father, Angelo, was born in 1897. Things were going well except there was no school. When my father was five years old, the family returned to Fiume Veneto. Their sons, Giovanni and Carlo, decided to stay in South America. Both had large farms and big families.

My grandparents' youngest son, Oliver, was born in 1903. In 1902, my father started school and continued until he was in 4th grade. He worked on his parents' farm until he was thirteen, then he and a friend migrated to Germany to work making bricks. When my father returned home in 1914, he joined the "Brisaglieri Infantry". He fought in the Alps for two years before he was captured by the German Army and became a POW. He told me he was often without food during battles and in prison. After a while, he and others made a daring escape. My father was shot in the behind, but he managed to run and hide. Some of his buddies were killed. He made his way home; my grandfather had to hide him until the war was over in 1918. My father would have been shot if captured.

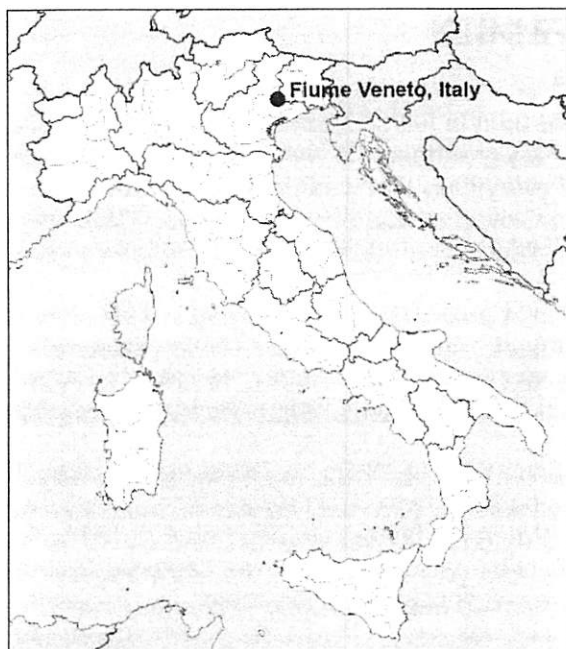


Angelo Pivetta about 1931  
and Tina Pivetta Glennon

In 1920, my Uncle Olivo received a letter from a buddy living in Quebec City. The letter told Olivo that there was work in factories and that he should come to Quebec. My uncle borrowed money from his father and mine to pay for the trip. When he landed in Quebec City, he had \$20 in his pocket. He had a job in a flour factory for 6 months. Olivo's next job was working in construction on the Canadian side of Niagara Falls. While there, he received a letter from an Italian friend named Joe Danussi who was working in the iron mines at Lyon Mountain. Joe told him there was plenty of work for strong men, so my uncle made his way to Lyon Mountain and had a job the following day.

My mother, Teresa, left her home in Fiume Veneto in 1914, when she was 12 years old. She became a housekeeper for a family in Milan, Italy. She returned home 3 years later and married my father, Angelo, in 1920. She was a beautiful girl and hard-working.

In 1927, my father got a letter from his cousin, Olivo, saying that there was lots of work to be had in Lyon Mountain. My father and mother talked it over and it was decided that my father would work at the iron mines for a few years and save enough money to bring the family over from Italy. A few years became 10 years, my parents did not see each other from 1928 to 1938. My dad went home in 1938, but by then, my mother was taking care of my grandmother. However, my mother became pregnant with me. I was born on February 8, 1939, a few months before my father returned to Lyon Mountain. They named me Amerigo.

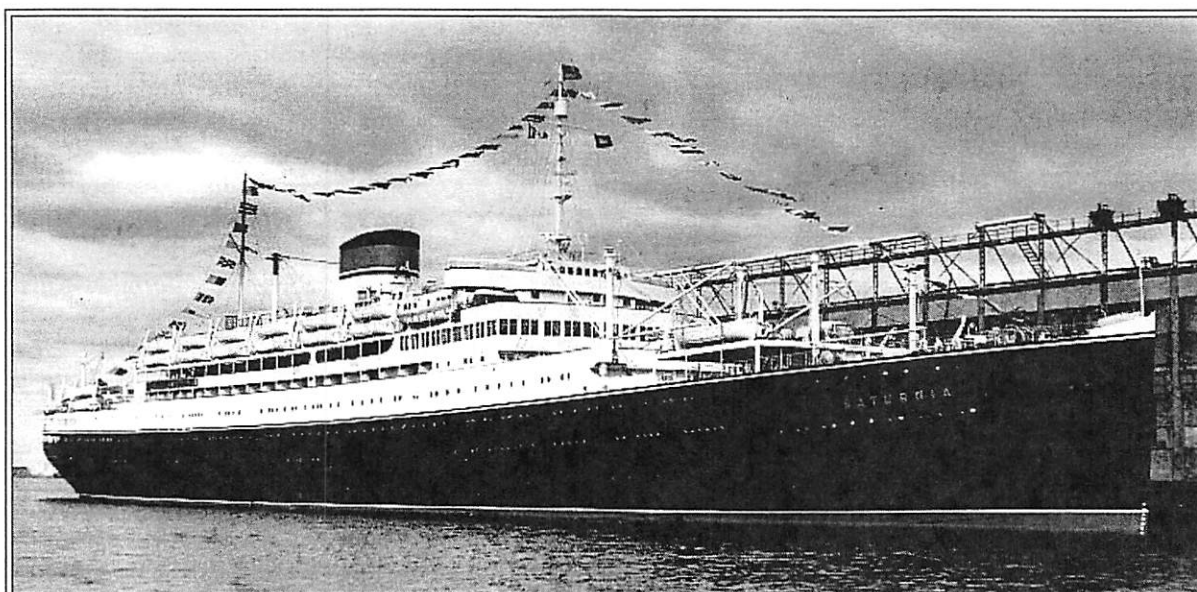


WWII broke out in 1940 and my two brothers were drafted into the Italian Army. Both were captured and placed in concentration camps. My mother had a very hard time for there was little food. For the last two years of the war, the Germans took over the town. My brothers came home, but to find work, one went to France and the other went to Belgium. My sister and her husband went to Switzerland. My grandmother died in 1940. Early in 1946, my father stated paperwork to bring my mother and me to Lyon Mountain. My father was a naturalized citizen, yet it took 3 years to bring us to America. My brother, Dario, was included in the papers, but in July 1948, tragedy struck. Dario was killed instantly during a bike race when he fell headfirst breaking his neck. My mother changed completely after my brother was killed. In August 1948, we received the approval for our trip and our passports.

We started planning for our big trip to America. My mother was still in shock, crying and visiting my brother's grave every day. We left Genoa, Italy, on December 18, 1948, on board the "Saturnia". It was a difficult trip for my mother, she was sick most of the time. "The ship arrived at the docks in New York City on December 28, 1948. We did not go through Ellis Island. My father was there to meet us. He was all dressed up in a fine suit. It was the first time that I met my dad. The next morning, we took the train to Plattsburgh. A taxi brought us to our final destination Lyon Mountain.

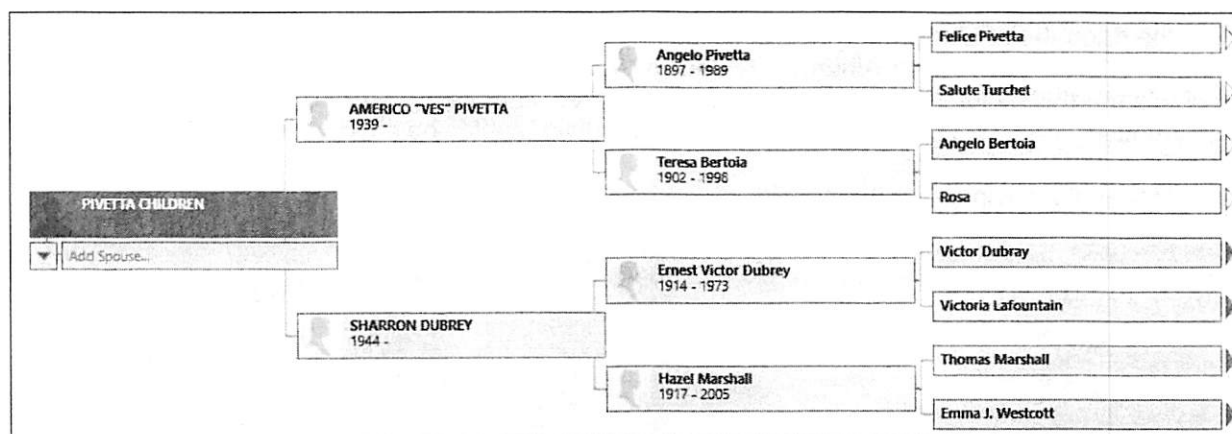
There I was, nine years old, and didn't speak a word of English. My English teacher gave me language lessons after school. The kids changed my name from Amerigo to Ves in honor of the great explorer, Amerigo Vespucci.

My grandparents moved back to Italy where they enjoyed their beautiful place. They grew grapes (400 gallons of wine each year) pears, peaches, figs, plums and walnuts. My grandparents lived into their 90s



Ves and his mother sailed to New York City on this ship





## THE SAGA OF ACHIEVEMENT BY POLISH IMMIGRANTS SEEN IN THE RUTKOWSKI FAMILY STORY

Wanda E. Lojko

The contribution given to William M. Rutkowski of 164 South Street by his adopted country has been handsomely repaid. He and his wife, Antoinette, reared their 10 children and provided each with at least 12 years of schooling. With their savings and incomes, the contributed financially to further education of four of their children. Three, at present, are advancing on their own incomes, with their parents' assistance.

A retired gentleman farmer, Rutkowski still works leisurely on his one-acre farm but it hasn't always been that way.

It was 44 years ago when Rutkowski left the farmlands of his mother country to look for a better life. It was at the age of 21 when he left the village of Goworow, near Warsaw, to take up permanent residence with his brother who emigrated years earlier and lived in Center Rutland, VT.

Mrs. Rutkowski, born and brought up on a farm in the village of Kempiesta Barowa which is about 50 miles from Warsaw, came to this country in 1907 where she joined an uncle, who then resided in Center Rutland and who has since returned to Poland.

The Rutkowskis were married in 1908 by the Rev. Valentine Michulka as St. Stanislas Church in West Rutland, and after, the strong love of Poland lured them back to that country for a few years. They returned because of the unrest and confusion there. The possession of a home and children meant so much to them that they at once set out to work hard and take advantage of the opportunities offered in America.

Vigorous in mind and body with no gift of "second sigh", the immigrants attribute their accomplishments to hard work and unity. Through home influence and that of school and neighborhood playmates, their first son, Chester, now 38, cultivated a desire to study medicine. He was graduated from the University of Vermont with a Doctor of Medicine degree. His education was totally paid for by his parents except for spending money he earned during summers as a lefthanded pitcher for a baseball team. Dr. Rutkowski, who has been in practice since 1935, resides with his wife and two children in Malone, NY.

William Rutkowski is quoted as saying, "When all of our children were in school, in the fall of that year our oldest child was entering his last year in college and the youngest was just starting school. We are not different from other families," he went on, "and we have managed because everyone has been willing to live happily and help."

From the Rutland Daily Herald, August 15, 1947 – By way of Judy Rutkowski Ivey

Chester (Chet) came to Lyon Mountain to play ball during the summer months. It was common in those days for good ball players to be paid by local companies. Baseball was big business. While Chester was in Lyon Mountain, he met a young woman by the name of Francis Marvin. Frances was

the daughter of Dr. Herman R. Marvin and Clara Beyea Marvin.

Dr. Marvin grew up in Alburg, VT, and graduated from the University of Vermont Medical School. He married Clara Beyea who was a young nurse. Clara was born in Canada. They settled in Lyon Mountain when Dr. Marvin was employed by Republic Steel to be the doctor for the men working in the mines and their families.

Herman and Clara had three children: Thomas, Frances and Paul.



Chet Rutkowski and wife Fran Marvin at Dr. Marvin's camp on Upper Chateaugay Lake

## STEVEN SHUSDA (SHUGZDA)

Charnell Shusda

In 1908, an immigrant by the name of Steven Shugzda and his sister, Louse, left the Kaisiadorys Region of Lithuania to find a better life in the United States. The Russian Army was taking all the young men in the region to serve in the Russian-Japanese War. Steven and Louse landed in Ellis Island after a very long trip on rough seas. They were processed through the port of entry and that is where they had the spelling of their last name changed from Shugzda to Shusda.

The Delaware and Hudson Railroad was recruiting for workers at Ellis Island to work at the Chateaugay Iron Company in Lyon Mountain, NY, and Mineville, NY.

Steven's brother, Mike, went into the Russian Army and later joined Steven and Louise in Lyon Mountain. Mike landed in Montreal, Quebec, and came through the port of entry at St. Albans, VT. The spelling of his last name did not change.

Let's proceed with our story of how Steven met Grandma, Louise Getavesky. Louise came from Poland with her husband, Andrew Getavesky. Andrew and Louise came into the United States by way of Baltimore, MD. The Chateaugay Ore and Iron Company was recruiting there for workers in the mine in Elmira, NY. Andrew signed up and went to the mine in Mineville. He worked there for three years; both of his children were born there. Andrew was approached by members of the "Black Hand" for money to protect his family. Andrew refused to pay anybody to protect his family, saying, "That is my job." Well, the gang didn't take too kindly to that, answer and took Andrew OUT. They killed him!



Andrew's friends hurried up to get Louise and the kids out of Town – they were taken to Lyon Mountain. That is how Louise ended up at the boarding house. She would take in the miners' laundry to clean and fold. That is how she met Steven Shusda. They lived on top of Sweden, second block house from the end on the right side of the road. Steven and Louise had seven children. Steven's sister, Louise Shusda, married Frank Yanulavich who lived across the street from Steven.

### FISH-FRY GRANDMA SHUSDA STYLE

This would happen about three or four times a year. Uncle George would take us kids fishing in Brandy Brook for brook trout (speckles). They were only four inches long, but they were fun to catch and good to eat. It would take us all morning to catch sixty or seventy fish. We would get home and Grandma would clean the fish, I mean wash the dirt, grass and what-not off. They then went into a big iron frying pan along with leeks or green onion, a little flour, salt and pepper, they were cooked until golden brown. We ate them with fried potatoes and beans.

The families were self-sustaining. Some of the families had a garden, chickens and a couple of pigs and a cow. In the cellar, there would be bins for potatoes, turnips and carrots. There were a couple of wooden barrels, one for sour-kraut and one for dill pickles.

### SISKAVICH

Francis Siskavich and Sandy Siskavich Derr

Bernard Charles Siskavich was born on August 20, 1889, in the county of Vilna, Lithuania/Russia. His father was Charles Siskavich and his mother was Lucy Rochelsky. Bernard emigrated to the United States from Hamburg, Germany. He sailed on a Russian ship arriving at the port of Castle Garden, NY, in the spring of 1909. Bernard spoke Polish, Lithuanian, Russian, and Hebrew. He learned to speak English when he came to the United States.

Bernard worked in the coal mines of Pennsylvania. In 1910, he began working for the Chateaugay Iron Ore Company in Lyon Mountain.

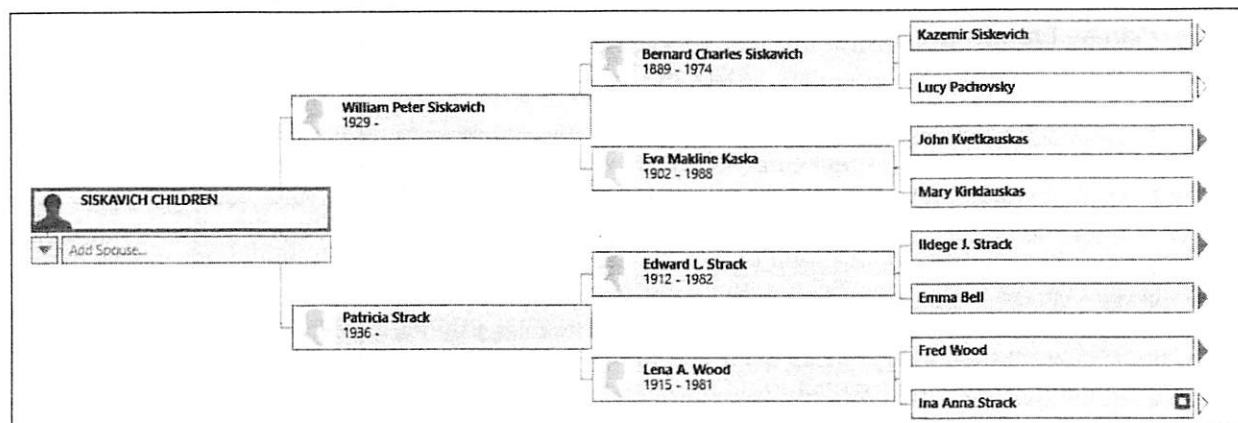
Bernard was drafted into the U. S. Army on June 5, 1917, when he was 27 years old. He had not yet mastered English. Therefore, his card was registered to, "Benis Yushack". There is a disclaimer on the card stating his name should be, "Benio Siskewicz".

In the "Plattsburgh Sentinel" of March 29, 1918, Benio Siskewicz is listed as one of several Lyon Mountain men who were scheduled to leave Plattsburgh aboard a special train headed for Camp Dix.

On February 27, 1922, Bernard married Eva Mackline Kaska. Eva was born in Konava, Russia/Lithuania, on October 9, 1902. Her mother was Mary Karlofsky. Her father was John Kaska. Eva and Bernard were married by Rev. Levesque in the Roman Catholic Church in Lyon Mountain. They had seven sons: Bernard (Subby); Francis (Frenchy); William (Bill); Felix; Robert (Bob); Joseph (Butch) and Edward (Eddie).



Bernard filed a petition for naturalization on March 3, 1924. By then, he had learned to write for he signed his name in block print. He was granted a Certificate of Naturalization on April 14, 1924. Eva became a naturalized citizen on December 18, 1942.



## TOLOCZKO ~ TOLOSKY

Craig Tolosky

In studying genealogy, I have learned that family names often originated from the town or village where they were from. It is very likely that our name comes from the village/town of Tolochin (today's spelling). On the old maps it used to be spelled Toloczyn. It lies east of Minsk in the province of Belarus. We have confirmed that the European and historically accurate spelling of our name is Toloczko. However, in some parts of Russia is spelled Tolochko because the "H" replaces the "Z" in the Russian alphabet.

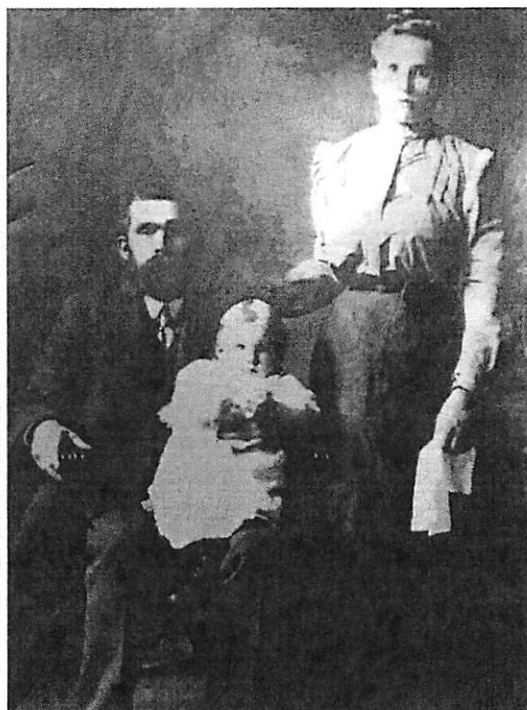
Theofil Toloczko, my great grandfather, came to America twice. We believe that his first trip was with his brother, Anthony Toloczko, who settled in Trenton, NJ. Family stories tell us that the two brothers were ski troopers in the White Army of Czar Nicholas II. They served along the western front. One day they decided to head west and kept on going.

Theofil was married in the U. S. and had two children – Jacob Tolosky and Frances Tolosky Koch. He supposedly went back to Europe after the death of his wife or when the Lyon Mountain minds had a shutdown. IN late 1980, there was a complete shutdown and some people returned to their home countries to look for work.

We have found the name of the ship, along with its manifest, that Theofil returned to America on in 1899. The "Frederich der Grosse" sailed out of Bremen Germany.

In a book titled, "Aliens Admitted", that is a part of Clinton County's and the Town of Dannemora's records shows that Teofil (spelling changed) Toloczko declared his intent to become a citizen on October 24, 1894, but he returned to Europe. The county/town records show that Theofil became a naturalized citizen on July 5, 1904. The 1910 Census records show that he first came to the U. S. in 1887.

Theofil and his second wife, Victoria came to the U. S. in 1899. Immigration records list Theofil's age as 39 and Victoria's age as 24. The children's names and ages are listed as being Jacob,



Theofil and Victoria Tolosky and baby Pauline

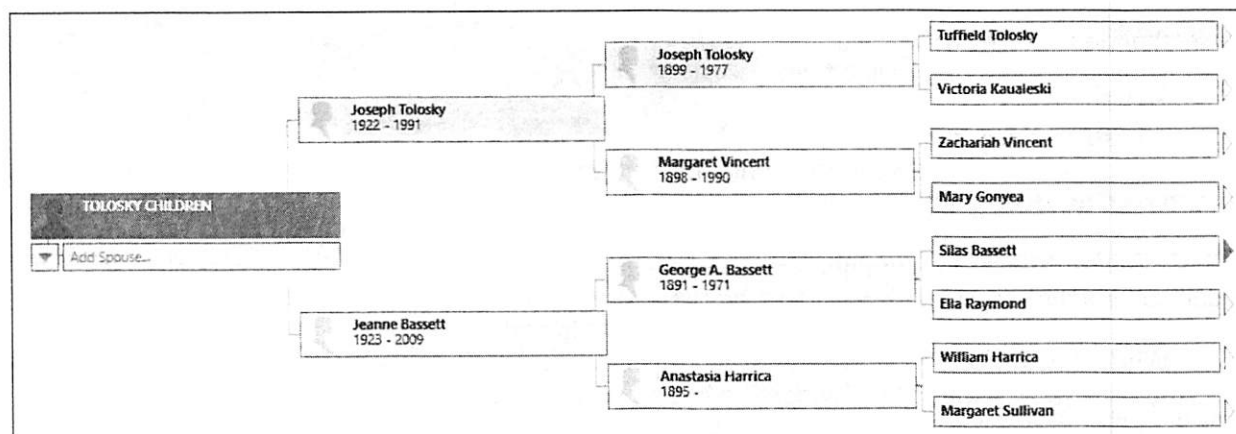
age 6; Franca, age 4 (I'm sure it was Frances) and Kasimira (Mary) age 2. The original manifest notes that Victoria was pregnant, if so, she was pregnant with my grandfather, Joseph Tolosky, Sr. Those same records list their home as Likischki, Russia.

The death certificate for Theofil's brother, Anthony, who settled in New Jersey, states that their mother and father were August and Magdalena Toloczko, my great great grandparents. Their birthplace is listed as Poland. Poland was a part of Russia at that time.

A Baronisla Kowalewska, a female age 20, was listed with Theofil and Victoria on the ship's manifest, they were from the same town. She was a few years younger than Victoria and may have been her sister. Who did she marry and could some of her descendants be in Lyon Mountain? Reviewing the records of St. Bernard's Church there are people with similar names acting as godparents for my grandfather and some of his brothers and sisters. Victoria's maiden name in the baptism records, as being mother, appears to be Konvaliewska, Kovoloska, Kovalevsky or Kowoliewski. There is much to wonder about! Theofil and Victoria must have wanted their children to go to school with the same last name and from 1909 on, the last name has been Tolosky.

We also learned that Victoria had a brother who lived in Mineville. My grandfather, Joseph, Sr., would take her there to visit. Did he at, one time, live in Lyon Mountain? Was he already there in 1899 or did he come later? Is this the Bronislav from the baptism records?

Theofil first worked in the steel mills in Pennsylvania, but soon came to Lyon Mountain to work in the mines. He was injured and the company brought the family a house in Vermont where there were more job opportunities for the family. He died in Winooski in 1915, when his youngest, Dory, was only 6 months old. Theofil's oldest son, Jacob, had crews and would bid on jobs in the mines – so much tonnage in a certain period of time. Jacob went on to be Town Supervisor in Dannemora. Joseph, Sr. also went to work in the mines at age 16 to support his family when his father was injured. He retires as Superintendent in 1965. At Joseph's funeral in 1977, his younger brother Anthony said, "I was just a little boy when my father, Theofil, died. I thought of Joe as being more of a father to me than an older brother." Two of Joseph, Sr.'s sons or Theofil's grandsons, Joseph, Jr. "Judd" and Donald "Pickles" went on to work for the company.



## THE STORY OF FRANK AND LOUISE YANULAVICH

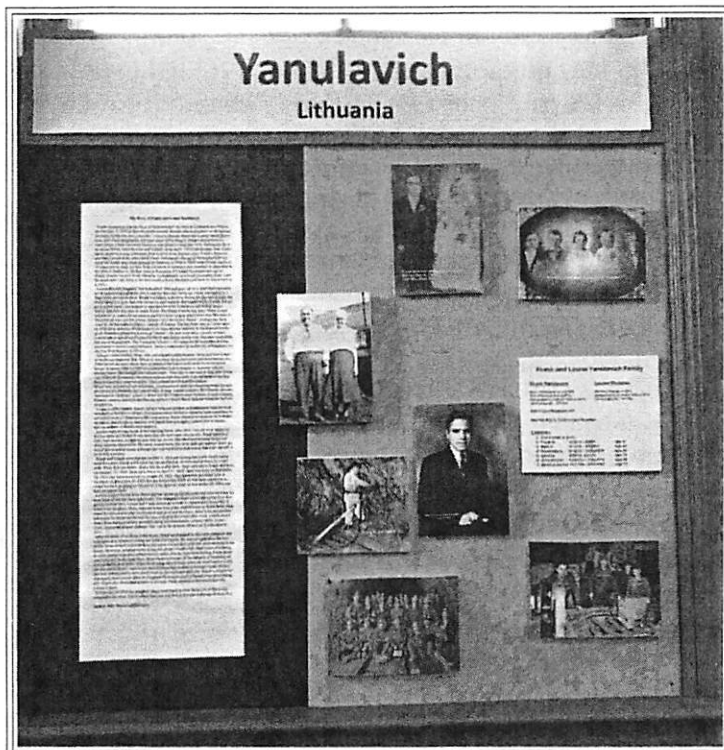
Judy Yanulavich Salvesson

Frank Yanulavich (Jenulevicius or Yenulawiczus) was born in Lithuania near Vilnius, on February 2, 1891, to Bertram and Catherine. Bertram was an engineer on the railroad, probably on the line that connected Vilnius to Kaunas. Frank had a sister named Katherine, who was a telegrapher. A tintype photo of her hung in Frank's dining room for many years. Frank had some education and learned to read and write Lithuanian. He also spoke Polish; some Russian and Yiddish. In the early 1900s the Russian Tsar, Nicholas II, required young Lithuanian men to serve in the Russian Army. Frank's father did not want his son to be conscripted. There were People who could be hired to help one cross the border and obtain passage to America. In 1908 or 1909, when Frank was 18 or 19 years



old, he made his way from Lithuania to Germany, then traveled to cargo ship to the port of Baltimore. He first went to Rochester, NY, where his cousin and a good friend, Stanley Janaitis, lived. There he worked briefly in a wood processing plant. Later he heard there was work in the iron mines of Lyon Mountain and there he found work as a driller.

Louise Shusda (Shugzda) was born about 1890 and grew up on a small farm surrounded by orchards and gardens. She loved that farm and the house which was heated by a large brick and stone stove. Bread was baked in the oven during the day and at night one could sleep in a cozy bed over the stove, kept warm by the heated bricks. Louise did not go to school at all. She learned to read prayers in her Lithuanian and Polish prayer books. She was also able to speak Polish. Her father's name was John. When Louise was about 12 years old, her parents died of a fever. Louise nearly died also. She went to live with an aunt and her cousin, Elinora, who she called, "Sister." Louise may have lived in the Kaisiadorys Region, outside of Kaunas. The last letter sent to Louise came in 1958 from Antanina Malasauskaite of Gazu Kaimas which is in the Kaisiadorys Region. Antanina referred to Louise as "Auntie", she may have been a cousin or niece. Louise used to talk about Zlezmariai Parish and Zasliai, towns with churches located near the city of Kasiadorys. The Zlezmariai Church is still noted for its sculptures and may have been a church Louise attended. There is a railroad stop in the city of Kaiadorys, on the line from Kaunas to Vilnius.



Louise's older brother, Mike, was conscripted into the Russian Army and sent to fight in the Russo-Japanese War. While he was away, the girl he loved married someone else. After he left the army, Mike went to America and found work in the Lyon Mountain mines. In about 1908 or 1909, Louise traveled from Lithuania to America with her brother, Steve. She brought one steamer trunk. Their trip by sea took a long time. It was very difficult. Sometimes the waves were so high they came over the sides of the ship. Both brother and sister were sick. They entered the United States at Ellis Island.

When they arrived in Lyon Mountain, Louise went to work in a boarding house for miners run by a Lithuanian lady named Mrs. Sileage. Louise's cousin, Bill Shusda, also settled in Lyon Mountain. Louise's father and Bill's fathers were brothers. Louise's cousin, Elinora, came to America also but she settled in South Bend, IN, where she had other relatives.

Louise's older brother, Simon, left his wife and children in Lithuania to look for work and went to Sao Paulo, Brazil. Immigrants newly-landed in America were sometimes recruited to work on Brazilian coffee plantations. Simon planned to return to his Lithuanian family, but no one in America ever heard from him again. Letters sent to his last-known address in Brazil were returned.

Louise worked long hours at the boarding house, often from 5 am til 10 at night, just for her room and board. It was there that she met Frank Yanulavich. Frank had blond curly hair and she thought he was very handsome. She liked him because he did not drink and was dependable. He never missed work. She once said she married him to get out of the boarding house, although she was not in love with him at that time. She fell in love with him later. Frank and Louise were married on May 5, 1910 and moved into a two-family house near the mines. Frank and Louse had seven children, all delivered at home by a midwife. Their first son, Adam, died a few days after birth. Their next child,

Frank, was born on January 25, 1914.

Then came Mary on April 17, 1918. Alex was born on September 16, 1920 and Geneva arrived on August 26, 1922. Mrs. Stacavich delivered John at 10:30 pm on December 26, 1923, but the doctor who filled out the birth certificate recorded his birth as being on December 27<sup>th</sup>. Ignatius, born on November 19, 1926, was their youngest child. Louise longed for the farm where she had grown up in Lithuania and often said that the best years of her life were spent there. She treasured a linen tablecloth woven from flax grown on that farm.

Louise and Frank continued to walk to church until World War II when their daughter, Mary, returned home from a stay with Elinora in South Bend. Mary cared for her parents after her brothers had gone into the Navy. After John married and left home his father would wait for him to stop by for a visit after work. Louise would make John stacks of potato pancakes using her considerable culinary skills. In later years, Louise developed diabetes. She was in the hospital off and on. Louise died in 1953.



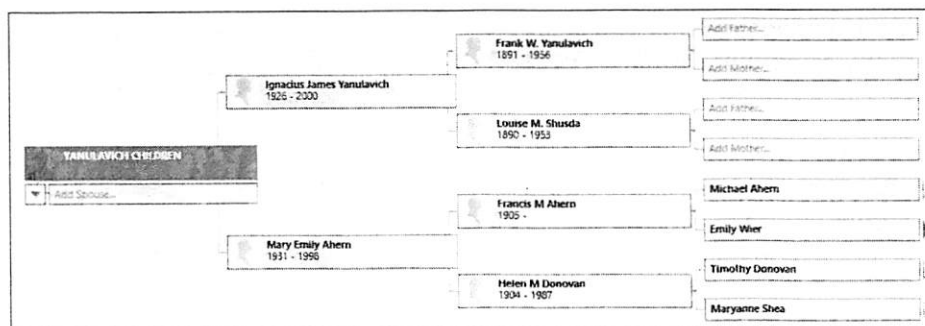
Frank and Louise Yanulavich

After 42 years of working in the mines, Frank was honored by the mine operators and managers at a ceremony held at the American Legion. He was recognized as the only driller never to have lost time from the result of an accident in all his years working in the mines. However, working in the mines did shorten Frank's life. After years of working in close spaces in an atmosphere heavily laden with the dust from drilling, Frank developed silicosis. In the early days, miners were not aware of the dangers of breathing the dust raised by their drills. When drills using water to keep down the dust became available, the drillers didn't want to use them because they slowed down their work. Drillers' pay was determined by how much work he accomplished each day. Frank's complexion was ruddy, even purple when he coughed. He became short of breath even when sitting still. Frank also developed sciatica in his legs. Frank seemed to become sicker after Louise's death.

In February of 1956, his daughter, Mary, took Frank to New York City to file for his compensation claim. Frank retired that year and died in October at the age of sixty-five.

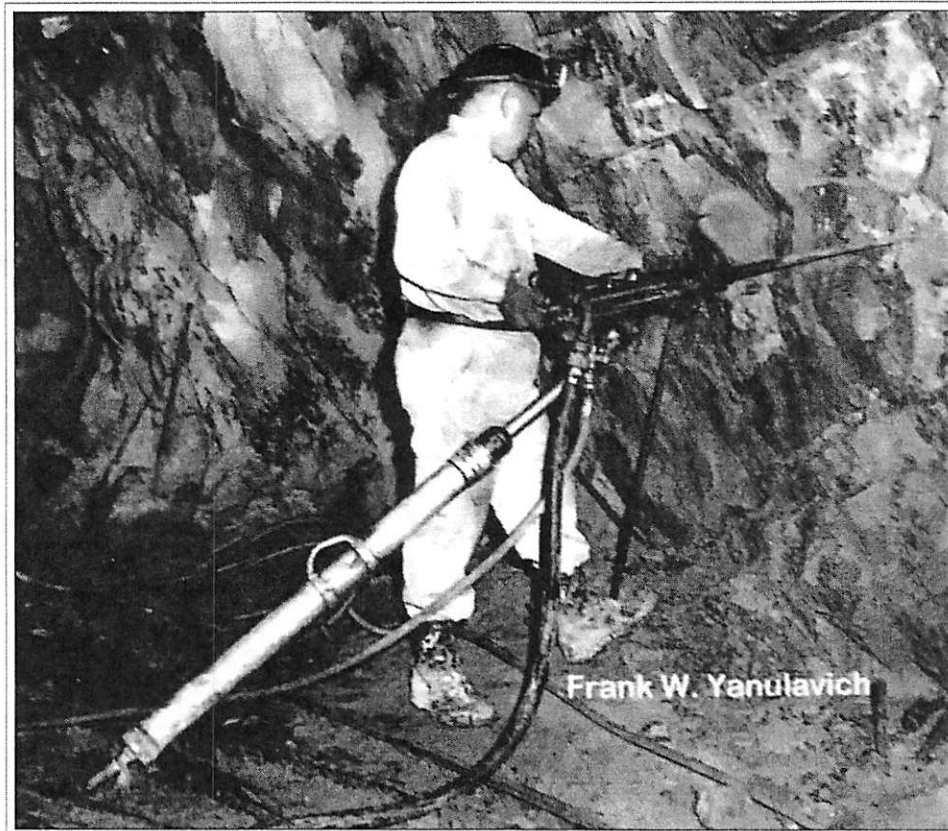
Frank and Louise's family:

1. Adam (died at birth)
2. Frank W. - January 25, 1914 – April 9, 1995 - age 81
3. Mary D. - April 17, 1918 – May 5, 2007 – age 89
4. Alexander A. September 16, 1920 – October 29, 2008 – age 88
5. Geneva – August 26, 1922 – August 21, 1975 – age 72
6. John William – December 26, 1923 – July 26, 2010 – age 86
7. Ignatius James – November 17, 1926 – September 25, 2000 – age 73



This is just a sampling of family histories and photographs from the Lyon Mountain Mining and Railroad Museum. When it opens again in the spring, you must go. The exhibit is well-worth seeing.





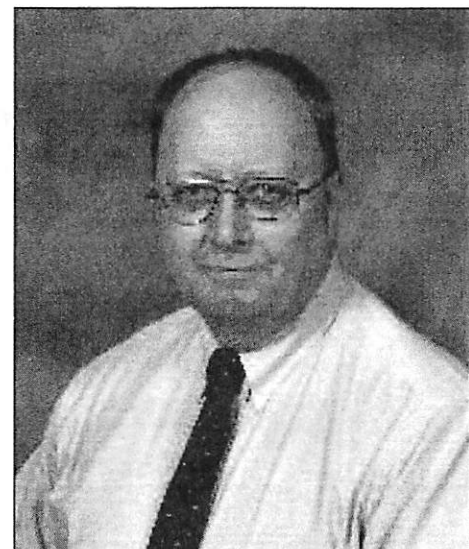
## THE TRAVELS OF JONATHAN BRUCE WICKHAM IN SEARCH OF HIS FAMILY TREE

I am starting this typing on December 19, 2009 and will add to this at various times as information and the spirit moves me to write it down. This is the travel account of my journey in the gathering of all of the possible additional information that I am able to obtain in conjunction with what my Grandfather, Emmett Melville Wickham, Sr., (October 1859 to November 1949) had obtained in his journeys of discovery on or before the summer of 1910.

The information that my grandfather obtained from his family, travels and various records about genealogy, he wrote it in a book called "Genealogy of the Oldest Wickham Family of the USA". It is written in narrative style and very informative.

So, here is what I experienced in my quest to add to the record of my family:

In the summer of 1981, I was living in Centerburg, OH, after I had finished reading the genealogy, I talked to my father, Kitridge Havens Wickham (December 1908-August 2003), that it would be a good thing to go to the places that my grandfather went to see for myself the part of the country that my ancestors lived and worked and had raised their families. Both of my parents were bound for a vacation trip out west and would be gone for about a



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Please find enclosed a copy of my grandfather's genealogy of the Oldest Wickham Family in America. It tells the story of how and where my grandfather, Emmett Melville Wickham, traced his ancestors through the dark pages of time and space and uncovered the truth about who and where his ancestors came from. I am sure that you will find the reading very interesting and just maybe informative.

In my own travels, to the wilds of the New England countryside, where at the time I had never been to, I found it very pleasant and beautiful and a proud place to be from. Having said that, I have found that my American History that I took in school, seemed to be just a little more personal. I really didn't know much about my ancestors before only just in passing was I informed that some were there at the beginning of this great country.

I owe a great big thank-you to my friend, Mrs. Addie Shields, who was a great help in locating and the knowledge of the area, that helped me so much. I was sad to hear of her passing, but I guess it was her time to go.

I hope that the formatting of the file is unchanged as it was typed, but it might have gone through some kind of change in the process. As usual it is the way that I typed it on my computer, but we will see. Let me know if it is correct, if not I will send a printed copy in the mail to you.

month. I was unemployed during this time and after my parents left, and receiving my unemployment check of about \$200.00, I said to myself, "I have the time and the money, let's just do it." So, I packed some things, the genealogy and a map and set off for a high adventure into the unknown areas of this country that I haven't been to before.

I was heading to Plattsburgh, NY, which is about 30 miles from the Canadian border, and a distance of about 675 miles from my home. This is where my journey begins. On June 18, 1981, I arrived in Plattsburgh in search of trying to verify the information that my grandfather had gathered in his many trips to this area in search of his forefathers. As stated in our genealogy mentioned above, our forefathers lived and worked in Clinton and Essex counties. I will try to locate and make copies or pictures of the documents and gravestones of our ancestors.

Upon arriving in Plattsburgh, I went to the public library and met with Mrs. Baldwin, the local historian for the city. She is a nice elderly lady who was very helpful in showing me the reference books on Plattsburgh. I also met Dick Ward who works for the library, as a reference librarian, who told me to check with the county historical society, Mrs. Addie Shields.

I found Mrs. Addie Shields, a senior citizen, who was very helpful and full of enthusiasm and was really passionate about history of the area. She located several papers about the area. She was unaware of my family members, for nothing was known about them. My ancestor, Jonathan Wickham Jr., as referred to in the genealogy, came to Plattsburgh when it was settled in 1784, he was a miller by trade, as every community needed a miller to grind the grain. She told me about a man named Green, who had purchased land from Jonathan Wickham and Jonathan had left the area. Near the courthouse in downtown is a street named Green. This seems as close as we can get.

She made copies for me of the gravestones, that another people had made, and made a map where I could locate the graves of our ancestors. I also made her a copy of the genealogy that was pertinent to Plattsburgh. She also said that if I needed anything else that I needed, just call on her. This was my first of many more visits with Mrs. Shields. She told me to go to Elizabethtown, NY, to check at the Essex County Historical Society.

I went to Elizabethtown and went to the library and talked to a Mrs Pat Casselman, a volunteer at the County Historical Society, she only had information on file cards about area cemeteries. I only found info from Schroon Lake that had Wickham's mentioned. I wrote them down below:

Wickham, Benjamin  
Sept 8, 1802 – Feb. 14, 1870  
Schroon Lake Village Cemetery  
on North-South Road.

Wickham, Benjamin F. Capt.  
Oct 11, 1839 – Nov 2, 1904  
Company I, 22nd New York Volunteers  
Schroon Lake Village Cemetery  
on North-South Road.

Wickham, George W.

Sept 5, 1844 – May 13, 1900  
Schroon Lake Village Cemetery  
on North-South Road.

Wickham, Robert Sloan. Friendly Adirondack Peaks  
Binghamton, New York  
Privately published, 1924. 192 pages.  
Front Illus. Maps.  
"Adirondack Mountain Club edition,  
limited to 500 copies." found in  
Adirondack Bibliography Adirondack  
Mt. Club page 218.

It rained the whole time of my trip. As I searched the cemeteries row after row of headstones finding no matches, I would take off my wet shoes and put them on the dash of my car and turn on the defroster to dry them out by the time I reached the next destination. I then headed to Schroon Lake where my 4th great grandfather Ahaz Wickham, was buried.

On Saturday June 20th, 1981. I visited the grave site of Ahaz Wickham. I was very thrilled to have found it, because of the so many disappointments lately. Ahaz lived the last days and lived with his children, and was buried in the Presbyterian Cemetery, that is located on Huffman Rd on the south side of town off Highway Route 9, the North-South road. Huffman road from Route 9 runs to the west and crosses Interstate 87. The cemetery is located on the right side of Huffman Road. I also located the other graves of the above names in the cemetery not far from the stone of Ahaz.

The grave is by the last driveway to the cemetery and as you drive in, the grave is on the right side, third row and fifth from the fence facing east towards town. There is beside Ahaz, a Benjamin Wickham and his children. I don't know if this Benjamin is our relative or not. He is a veteran and therefore has a flag by his stone. After taking some photographs and some remembering what my ancestors went through, I pressed on to Middle Grove, NY, where Ahaz and his wife Eunice (Welsh) Wickham's gravestone is.

On Saturday night about 8:20 P.M. I found myself in the small village of Middle Grove, NY. I located Eunice (Welsh) Wickham's gravestone. It is in the Frink's Cemetery outside about threequarters of a mile outside of the Middle Grove. The cemetery is located about 150 yards beyond the first crossroads just west of the village. I believe the name of the crossroad is named Boy Scout Road.

The gravestone is located on the right side when you come in the gate. It is located on the first row of stones and the third one in the row, not counting the small group of stones in the right corner by the road. Eunice's grave is located about 30 paces from the gate at about a 45-degree angle. According to the genealogy, Ahaz and Eunice had several children born to them that died shortly after birth. Which may account for several of the little headstones in the corner.

On Sunday June 21, 1981, I went to Old Saratoga, NY, (now called Schuylerville) and found the gravestones of Joseph Welsh, his wife Eunice and their son Joseph Welsh Jr. On Broadway Street (State Routes 4 & 32) I turned onto Burgoyne Street going past the Saratoga Cemetery and the Monument raised to General Burgoyne, Revolutionary War English General, turning right at the fork in the road, and going about 100 yards on the right side of the road is the Old Saratoga cemetery. It was unkempt and in a state of needing to be mowed. I found the gravestones about fifty feet or so from the road. There were in good shape for being put there in about 1825.

In memory of  
Joseph Welsh  
who died Feb. 15, 1825  
aged 88 years

In memory of  
Eunice Welsh  
wife of Joseph Welsh

who departed this life  
November 9, 1827  
aged 86 years.

In memory of  
Joseph Welsh Jr.  
who died July 8, 1823  
in the 38 year of his age  
Go home dear friends  
Wipe off your tears  
Here I must Lie  
Till Christ appears.

I then arrived in Wethersfield, CT I spent the night here and drove around the town to locate the library.

On Monday morning June 22, 1981 I went to the Public Library. I met with Mrs. Liz Kirkpatrick, who is the reference librarian, who was very helpful in getting the information that I wanted.

I then went to the village cemetery located at the First Church of Christ 250 Main Street, to locate Thomas Wickham Jr.'s gravestone. I found it to be at the tenth row of stones from the fence which is behind a maintenance shed. In the tenth row, 10 stones from the left. The section of the graveyard is next to an access road that runs through the graveyard.

The stone is small in size and is in pretty good shape since being put there in 1730. It is several shades of red and has a chip out of it in the bottom part. This is Thomas Wickham Jr. (Coronet of the Troop) gravestone, someone else is buried over the grave of his father. The size of the stone is as follows: about six hands high, six hands wide and about two inches thick, or roughly two feet high, and two feet wide. The stone is not behind the main church but seems to be behind an addition that was built onto the church.

The church has records of the location of all of the names in the cemetery. According to the church records, Thomas Jr is buried in Section three, eighth row, tenth stone. There has been an addition of two rows of stones since the record was made and has not been corrected. This is the reason for the error in description between mine and the church record.

Wethersfield Connecticut is where the Wickham Family was started in 1648. The progenitor of the Wickham family was Thomas and his wife Susan Wickham of England. The following is the information that a Mr. Hopkins, a noted Genealogist that my grandfather consulted for information on our family.

"Born in England in 1624, and he emigrated to New England, first appearing at Wethersfield, Connecticut, in 1648. He had married in England a wife named Sarah; whose maiden name is as yet unknown. (He after words reported to me in a letter that after an extensive search of England, he found the maiden name of Thomas Wickham's wife was Goodrich.) The marriage of Thomas Wickham and Sarah Goodrich took place about the time of their leaving England for America, and the first American record of this family is the official record of the birth of their son Thomas at Wethersfield in 1648.

Thomas Wickham, Sr. was a substantial citizen of Wethersfield and a freeman in 1658. By becoming a freeman, it is meant that he had become possessed of a sufficient amount of property to entitle him to be elected a freeman, which thereby gave him the right to vote and to hold office, under the Connecticut Colonial Government. He purchased some land in Eastbury, across the Connecticut River, in 1673.

Thomas Wickham in February of 1659 reserved the homestead he had bought at Wethersfield of Matthew Sension, bounded north and east by the High Street common, south by the Thomas Curtis homestead, and west by Thomas Tracey's. Perhaps this land was formerly the original Weede homestead, which was at the northern end of High Street, about where the street now reaches the cove. What is now the cove was, in 1649, the main channel

of the Connecticut River. His house, therefore, was then on the river's bank. The river has since found a new course, one third of a mile to the eastward.

The town gave him additional adjoining land in 1662, in which year he bought the Thomas Tracey homestead, of two pieces with a house, barn, etc. He also bought Thomas Carter's lot on the east side of the river, 135 acres, and had two lots also next to the Farmington land. When a town is mentioned in New England or New York it is to be understood that what we in Ohio call a township is meant.

Thomas Wickham seems to have been a dealer in wool, of which in 1664 he bought some 400 pounds of sundry Boston merchants; and he had a shop by the river, near the cove. In 1673 Thomas, Sr. and his wife, Sarah, gave the Matthew Sension homestead, with a house, warehouse and "cellar" to their eldest son Thomas. This land was at the extreme north of the common and bordering on the river, now the cove.

Thomas Wickham, Sr. died at Wethersfield, CT on the 11th of January 1689, aged 64 years. He was buried in the yard behind the church. No gravestone is now standing in his memory. It is not known that there ever was one there, nor to his wife Sarah either. The spot wherein they both lie is doubtless close to the gravestone of their son Thomas, which bears this inscription:

Here  
lieth the  
body of Mr.  
Thomas Wickham  
cornet of the troop,  
who departed this life  
April 30, 1730, in the  
79th year of his age.

This is the only Wickham gravestone in Wethersfield, and the only visible relic existing of the early generations of this family, outside of the town records. The gravestone of Thomas, Jr's nephew, John, in Glastonbury, dated 1719, is the oldest Wickham memorial in America.

Thomas Wickham was a signer of the petition of August 17, 1658, to the Governor and court of the colony, for a new minister. He signed not as a member of the church but only as an attendant. The house of Thomas, Jr. was the first brick house in Wethersfield, and was sold to Joseph Woodhouse in 1716. The Woodhouse family has since enlarged or rebuilt the house and it is still standing today. Sarah Wickham's will is on file at the Probate Court, Hartford, Conn. She died January 1700, aged about 70. Inventory L-31-11-00, taken Feb. 7, 1700."

Sometime later I was introduced by my cousin, Richard Reichert Wickham, at a family reunion that is held every third Saturday of August in the town of Hector, NY, which is a small town about twenty miles north of Watkins Glen in the Finger Lakes District of Central New York. Richard told me about this reunion because, at the time, in the 1970's, Richard was an officer of the reunion committee, which conducted business for the Family Reunion and such. Richard asked if I knew anything about it and I said that I didn't know anything about it.

By the 1980's I found out where they were meeting and the next year or so I ventured up to that area and was met with a great number more of 'cousins' than I have ever knew of having. This area of Hector, NY, is populated with a large number of Wickham's. Their recent 'father' was one Don Wickham. Now Don was a very industrious person who was a businessman of no small measure. He owed a small convenient store/gas station, and a propane gas business, that I know of. Just to mention a few of his businesses. I think that his brother had a peach orchard across the street. Don's son, David Wickham, among other businesses, had a winery and was chief of the local volunteer fire department. This area of New York has a very large population of grape growers.

During the reunion there were prizes given out for the longest distance to get there, and the



oldest and the youngest and so forth. Great fun and fellowship was had by all who attended. It sure was a great time meeting old friends and making new friends. I really enjoyed this time and the trip to get there.

I don't remember just when I started to go the Plattsburgh but was around 1981 or so as I previously stated in this travelogue. When I first found the state that my ancestors' graves were in, it was placed in my mind to do something to correct the matter. Many people have no idea who their ancestors are, or even care about them, but that is not the case with me. After thinking and pondering about what could be done about the gravestones, I knew that I would have to get permission from the proper authorities to carry out my desires.

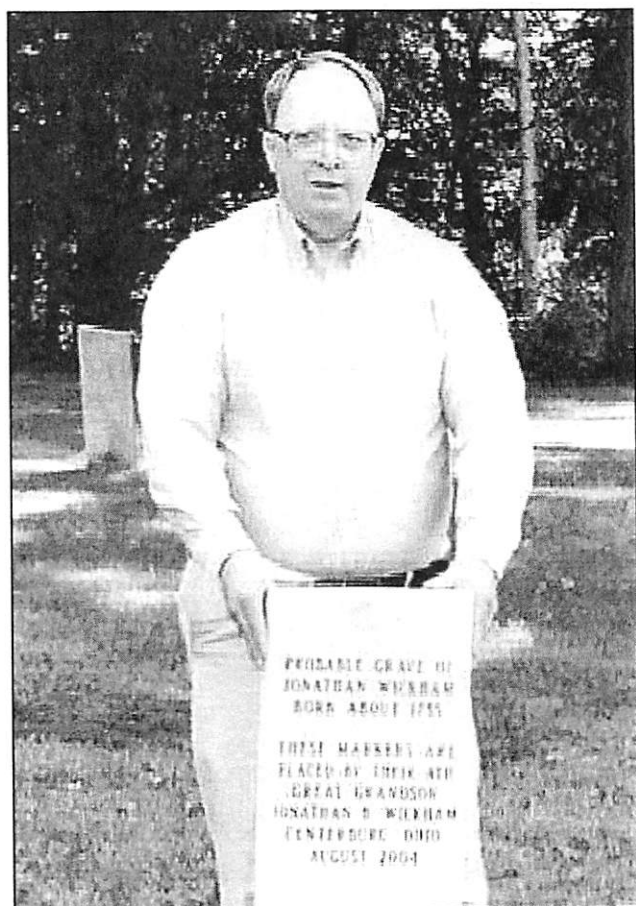
On one such a trip, I went to Plattsburgh and asked Mrs. Addie Shields, Clinton County Historian, who would I have to contact to get such permission. She told me that I would have to contact the County Historian of Peru, NY, which is about 9 miles south of Plattsburgh. Since the cemetery is located in the Town of Peru. She told me his name is, Ron Allen. I think that she called him, and he

and I talked for a while and afterwards he saw no reason why I couldn't put the headstones in the Old Blockhouse Graveyard on Black Bear Swamp Road. So, plans were made for me to do this the following year.

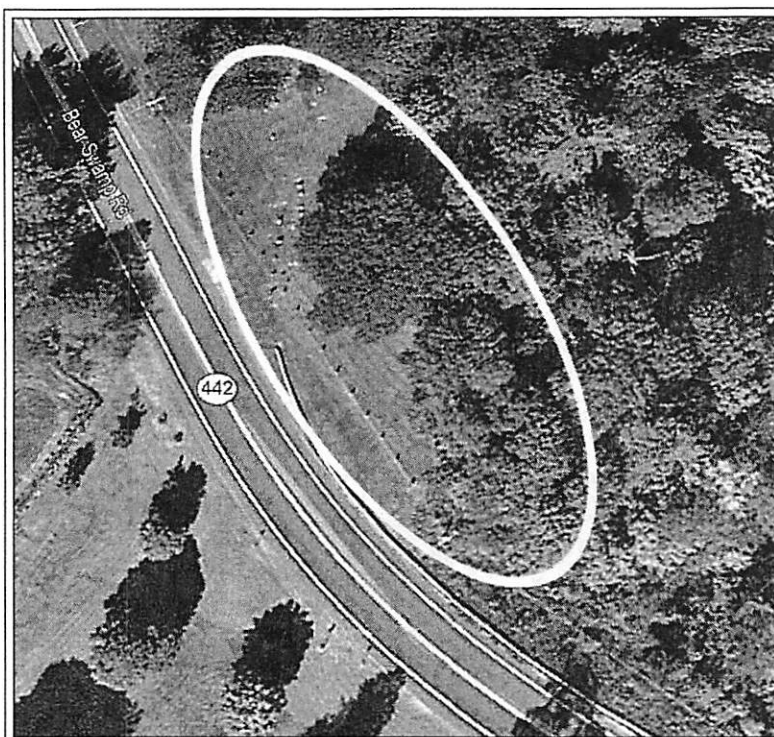
So, in the several months leading up to my departure on about August 20, 2004, I had made preparations by locating a source of the stones to be used and getting them engraved and making the holders to give them some bulk. I secured the stones from Hill Stone Company of Galena, OH, and the engraving by Robert Craker of Westerville, OH.

So, on Thursday the 20th of August 2004 I loaded up the night before, and set out to go to Plattsburgh. I was working at the time for FEDEX Custom Critical, a time-sensitive freight expeditor, so I could take off anytime I wanted to and for as long as needed. I was an independent contractor. Great job to have.

The trip, as I remember, was uneventful, and on Saturday August 21, I arrived in Plattsburgh. I realized that I needed some slacks and a dress shirt for Monday's festivities, I went to Walmart and purchased the clothes and also purchased a disposable camera to take pictures of the ceremony. After finding a campground close by, I parked my van and settled down for the weekend. When Monday came around, I went to the shelter house and changed into my new clothes. That is when I found out my pants were too long and my shirt was a little tight - Oh Well, the show must go on!



Jonathan Wickham with the marker. Probable grave of Jonathan Wickham, born about 1735, placed by their 4th great grandson Jonathan B. Wickham Centerburg, OH - August 2004



Blockhouse Cemetery - East end of Bear Swamp Road - Peru, NY

I made my way over to the cemetery and dug holes for the concrete footings for the headstones. I found that it was very easy to dig being sandy soil. I only dug out about six inches of the soil. I then put some fine gravel chips in the bottom of the hole and placed the forms into the hole and then placed the headstones into the forms. A good size crowd was gathering for the show. The VA Representative helped me carry the marker for Jonathan out of my van and helped with the hole.

Local news stations were notified and only the newspaper from Plattsburgh covered the story. The following is the account of the ceremony on August 23, 2004.



Blockhouse Cemetery - Peru, NY

Explanation of the following pictures taken at the Block House Cemetery

1. The white stones in the background are the new stones I put there. The gray stones in front of them are the markers as they have been for many decades now. They are completely unreadable.
2. Some of the wives and spectators of the speakers for the occasion
3. The VA Rep helping me with the marker of Jonathan Wickham, Jr.
4. Jonathan Wickham, Addie Shields, and Ron Allen.
5. Two of the three installed. On the left is Silas Cornell husband of Hannah Wickham. Then Jonathan and his wife Susannah Wilkerson.
6. The hole and the back of one of the original headstones. Showing the condition of the original stones and showing how they were installed. Dug down about six to eight inches, then placed several inches of gravel for drainage, then placed a collar of concrete and the headstone.

## HEADSTONES MARK CHAPTER IN PERU HISTORY

By Jeff Meyers Staff Writer

Peru — "A gentle breeze coming from Lake Champlain passed through tall trees surrounding a small, quaint cemetery.

A small group of people stood among the gravestones, many broken or left unreadable following nearly two centuries of steady exposure to the elements.

One man spoke to the group, his words sometimes choked by the emotions of the day. "It was 20 years ago when I first met Clinton County Historian Addie Shields, that first had it in mind to do something for my ancestors," he said, standing near three recently erected headstones. "I wanted to put these markers here so people would know that someone still cares for them."

That man, Jonathan Wickham, has spent 20 years identifying the connection to his ancestors buried at the Blockhouse Cemetery on Bear Swamp Road in Peru.

A lifetime resident of Centerburg, OH, Wickham celebrated a coming home, of sorts, this week when he helped dedicate the headstones and a significance they play in the history of the North Country.

"Each of us today is dedicated to someone from the past," Shields said as she shared in the emotional moment. "We should all thank Jonathan. As a result of his efforts, we have learned a great deal of history that we did not know before."

His ancestors buried at the historical site were Jonathan Wickham, Jr.; his wife, Susanne (Wilkerson) Wickham; and Hannah Wickham, their daughter and wife of Silas Cornell.

Of his nine children, two, David and John, fought in the Battle of Plattsburgh.

Jonathan Wickham, Jr., believed to be the first grain miller in Plattsburgh following the Revolutionary War, moved to Peru around 1808 and opened a grist mill on Dry Mill Brook near the Little Ausable River.

There is no clear date for when Wickham, Jr. died and no clear markings of his gravesite at the Blockhouse Cemetery. But historical evidence says Wickham, Jr. and Susanne were buried with their daughter and her husband. Silas Cornell's headstone is still clearly legible.

The living Wickham's grandfather Emmitt Melville Wickham, wrote an extensive genealogy of the family in the early 1900's. It was Jonathan Wickham's interest in that genealogy that led him to the historical grave site along the Little Ausable.

"It's a wonderful site, a very nice final resting place for my ancestors," he said following the short ceremony commemorating his gift of the three gravestones.

The Blockhouse, which no longer exists at the site, was built in 1974, two years after the Town of Peru was incorporated. It was one of five blockhouses erected in northern New York as protection against Indian attacks.

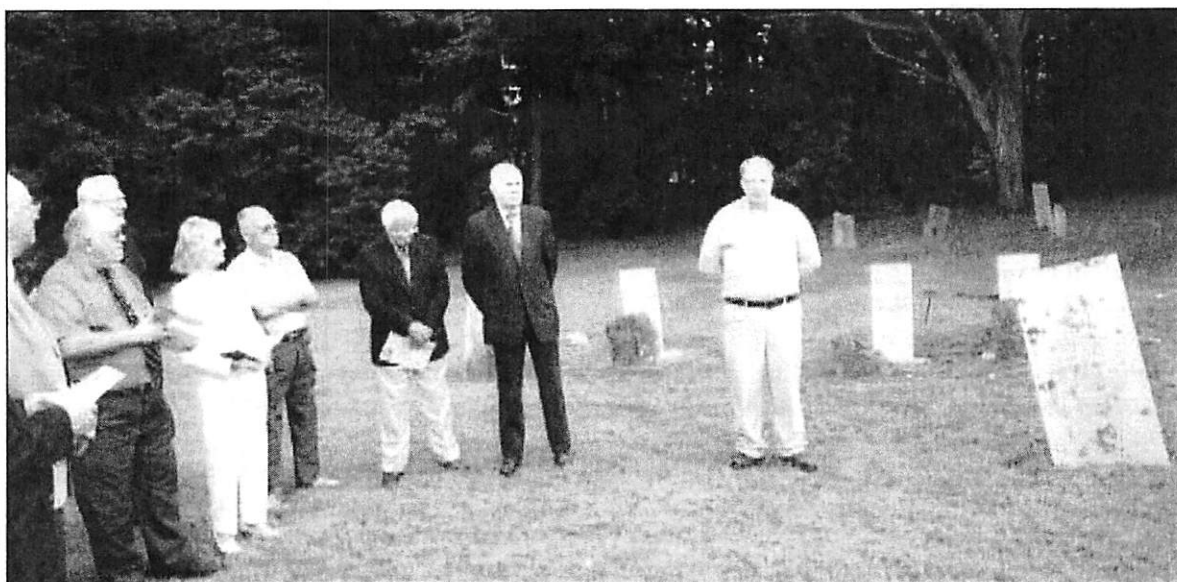
"It was never used for defensive purposes," said Peru Town Historian Ron Allen. "It was used for church gatherings and eventually as a smallpox hospital. The beginning of the cemetery was probably the burial of smallpox victims."

Many of the graves at the site are unmarked, and the names of those buried there will never be known.

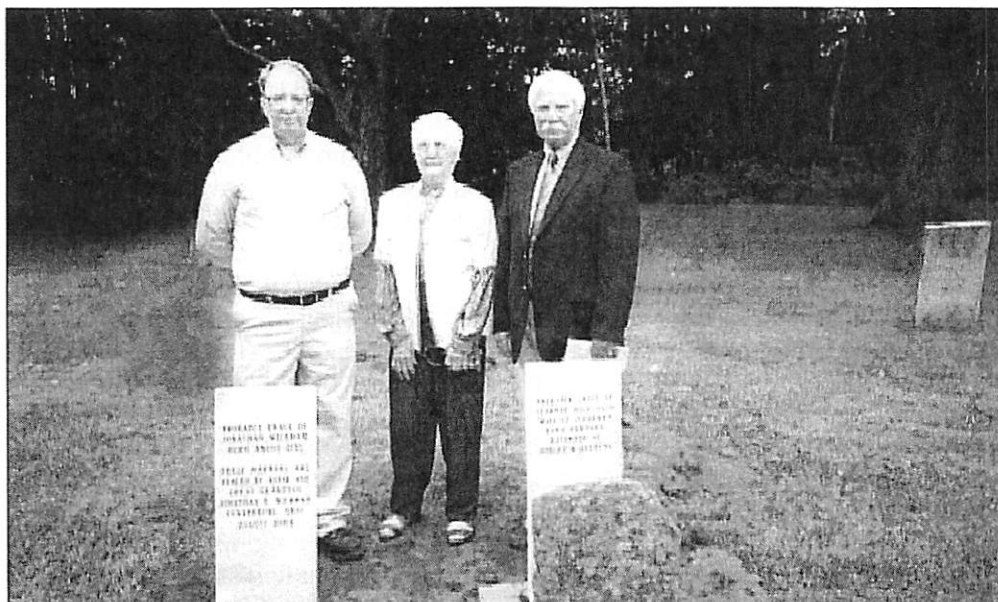
But the cemetery is the final resting place of Isaac Finch, who built the blockhouse, and Capt. David Cochran, founder and leader of the Peru militia.

Lynn Wilkie, a long-time history enthusiast from Peru who portrays Cochran in living re-enactments, said he is promoting the placement of a historical plaque at the cemetery that identifies Cochran's significance to Peru and the Battle of Plattsburgh.

The markers were donated by The Hill Stone Co. of Galena, OH. Lettering was carved by Robert Cracker of Westerville, OH."









After the ceremony, I was interviewed by the reporter for the above news article. Then I was invited to go to lunch at a local cafe. There we talked and I met more of the responsible people for the events of the day. After lunch everyone went about their business and life continued on as it has been doing for years.

It is now 2018 a week before my 69th birthday, being born on February 2, 1949, and I haven't been back since leaving there in August 2004. I have planned to go back several times since then but couldn't raise the funds or have the time set aside to go. But I intend to go back this year maybe for the last time and see how the markers are holding up to the harsh New York winters that part of New York gets.

I believe about last year or so, I called the office of the Clinton County Historian and I found out that Mrs. Addie Shields had passed away at the age, I believe, of 93. I was saddened to hear the news, but as we all must die someday. A valuable asset was lost when she died, but another has taken her place. As it should be.

So long old friend it has been nothing but a pleasure knowing and talking with you.

So ends my association with Mrs. Addie Shields, Clinton County Historian. But not my friendship with her and I will always have a high regard for her.

Now it is January, 2019, and having done more investigating on the wife of Silas Anson Cornell. I have come upon some very interesting information. This new information states that Hannah was the wife of Silas Anson Cornell, of this I also concur. It is the parents of Hannah that I have an issue with. This information states that Hannah was the daughter of Jonathan and Esther (Coles) Carpenter, that Hannah's name is, "Hannah (Wickham) Carpenter Cornell." If she was their daughter, then why does she have the name of Wickham? This is what I have an issue with.

My grandfather has stated in his "Genealogy of the Oldest Wickham Family in America," which a copy of the genealogy is contained at the Clinton County Historian Office, the Clinton County Library, at Plattsburgh, and finally the Clinton County Historical Association, that the parents of Hannah Wickham were Jonathan and Susannah (Wilkinson) Wickham.

This is the information of Hannah Cornell. "When Hannah (Wickham) Carpenter was born on July 29, 1796, in Plattsburgh, her father, Jonathan, was 46, and her mother, Esther, was 37. She married Silas Anson Cornell in 1816 in Dutchess County, New York. They had eight children in 18 years. She died on December 15, 1872, in New York City, New York, having lived a long life of 76 years."

Their children were the following:

Rachel (Jun 1817-1855) Dutchess, New York  
 Caleb (4 Jun 1818-1847) Willsboro, New York  
 Henry Godfry (Aug 1820-1905) Essex New York  
 Rheuby (1823-1883) Dutchess New York  
 Govitt G. (1827-1876) Peru, New York  
 Gilford (Jul 1828-1903) Dutchess, New York  
 Martha A. (7 Jun 1834-1886) Clinton, New York  
 Deila (1835-) In Dutchess, New York

Her husband Silas Anson passed away on February 28, 1849, in Au Sable, New York, at the age of 58. They had been married 33 years. He is buried in the Old Blockhouse Cemetery, Peru, New York. And his wife is buried beside her husband.

After going to my local library and checking on Ancestry.com, I was unable at this time to add anything else about their children, who they married, where they lived, or where they were buried. One could hardly think that the children would not marry and have children and leave no trace of their existence. I am sure then that there are many offspring of Silas Anson and Hannah (Wickham) Cornell in the world, it is just the question of finding them and what ever happened to them.

I am, therefore, unable to add anything else about this part of my family tree. I don't hold much help that anything else will ever be discovered about these ancestors, so I will say goodbye and it was a great journey and a rewarding one at that.

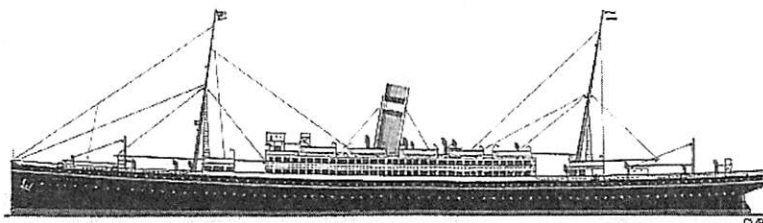
Jonathan Bruce Wickham

## SOLVING MYSTERIES ABOUT THE LIFE OF LEWIS AND ROSALIA BIERNACKI CIESNOLEWICZ

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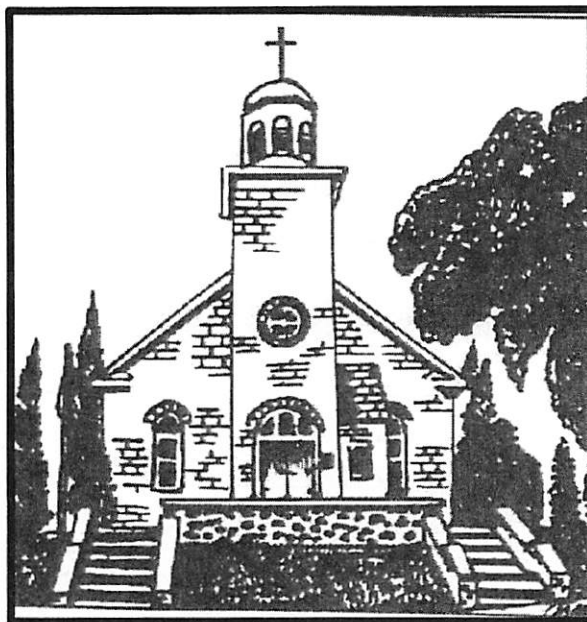
My husband Bill and I have been working for years to ferret out information about Bill's family. It is an interesting story and every time we find a piece of the puzzle it opens up something else. The search has been exciting and finding new information has been very rewarding.

We found a ship's manifest for the SS Statendam letting us know that Bill's maternal grandmother, Rosalia Biernacki (number 20 on the ship manifest), immigrated to America from Dombrowa, Poland arriving in New York on September 8, 1903. From New York Rosalia went to live in the mining town of Lyon Mountain, New York near her brother Josef.

[illegible]



Family legend told us that later that same year Rosalia married Lewis Ciesnolewicz at the St. Bernard's Church in Lyon Mountain.



Census records indicated that two of their nine children were born while Lewis worked as a miner in Lyon Mountain. This photo shows Lewis and Rosalia with their two oldest children.



We have learned that Rosalia and Lewis later lived somewhere in New York and then New Jersey for a time before moving to Wiconisco, Pennsylvania where Lewis worked in the mines. Bill's mother Ann was one of two children born during their time in New Jersey. The five youngest children were born while the family lived in Wiconisco, Pennsylvania.

Both Rosalia and her husband Lewis died in the mid-1920s and are buried in the St. Mary's Catholic Church Cemetery in Lykens, PA.

One thing that complicated our research was the spelling of difficult names. Sometimes people wrote the last names phonetically. Also, after both Lewis and Rosalia died, there were nine surviving children – Anthony, Jennie, Michael, Ann, James, Elizabeth, Vyola, Lewis and Edythe. As some of the children were still quite young, they were scattered to orphanages and children's homes. As the children got older and were seeking work, they decided it would help them to "Americanize" their names. Several went by the name Chester, and at least one, Michael, used Chestnut. Only one, Anthony, kept the old name of Ciesnolewicz.

So, in early 2015 we were struggling in this search for Bill's family information! In March 2015 we reached out to St. Bernard Church in Lyon Mountain for confirming information about the marriage of Lewis Ciesnolewicz and Rosalia Biernacki in 1903. The church bookkeeper Jeannie graciously responded letting us know that she found a marriage record, written in Latin:

October 4, 1903

Levon Chesnelovich and Rozaliam Bernadska

Witnesses: Malvina Dagoon and Carol Music, Joseph Watkowski

During our correspondence Jeannie mentioned that we could stop in if we were in the area. Finally, two years later we were able to make the trip to see Jeannie at the St. Bernard's Church in Lyon Mountain. We were hoping there might be baptism records for the two children born to Rosalia and Lewis while living in Lyon Mountain - son Anthony Ciesnolewicz born October 27, 1905 and daughter Jennie Helen Ciesnolewicz born July 15, 1909. Jeannie showed us the church register where the marriage was recorded as well as the baptism of the first son Anthony.

While in the Lyon Mountain-Dannemora area we took advantage of the other resources that were available there. Our visit to the Lyon Mountain Mining and Railroad Museum exhibited the friendliness of the people in the area as well as giving us a better understanding of the life and times of the Ciesnolewicz family while Lewis worked as a miner of iron ore.

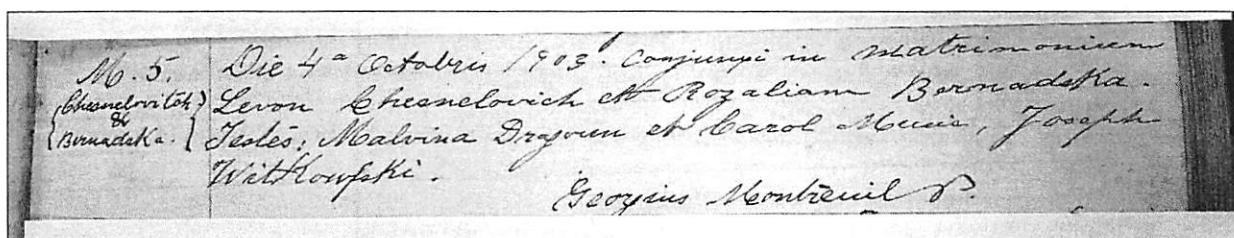
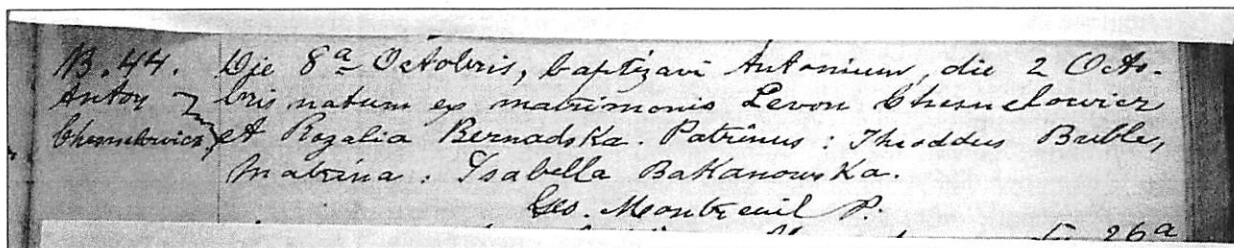
While we were in the area, we also made contact with Anastasia Pratt and the Clinton



St. Bernard's - Lyon Mountain, NY



County Historian's Office and discovered records indicating that Lewis and Rosalia had another child previously unknown to us who lived only a short time and is buried in the St. Bernard's cemetery. We were able to find the gravesite of baby Marianna.



| CHESNELOVICH |                    |            |                                                  |  |     |
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| Levon        | Bernadska, Rozalia | 4-Oct-1903 | Malvina Dragoun, Carol Music &<br>Jos. Witkowsky |  | 123 |

| CHESNELOWICZ--<br>CZESNELOWICZ |            |       |             |                   |                                              |
|--------------------------------|------------|-------|-------------|-------------------|----------------------------------------------|
| Anton                          | 2-Oct-1905 | Levon | 8-Oct-1905  | Rozalia Bernadska | Theodorus Buble &<br>Isabella Bakanowska 147 |
| Marianna                       | 1-Sep-1904 | Leon  | 18-Sep-1904 | Rozalia Bernadska | Stanislas Barnardski &<br>Anna Piluty 133    |

The librarian at SUNY in Plattsburg was helpful in finding genealogy research books for the area. A visit to the Clinton County Genealogical Society in the Village of Dannemora and contacts with Dick Lynch led to our being able to purchase the Burial and Marriages Records of the Lyon Mountain and Standish churches. We have gleaned additional information.

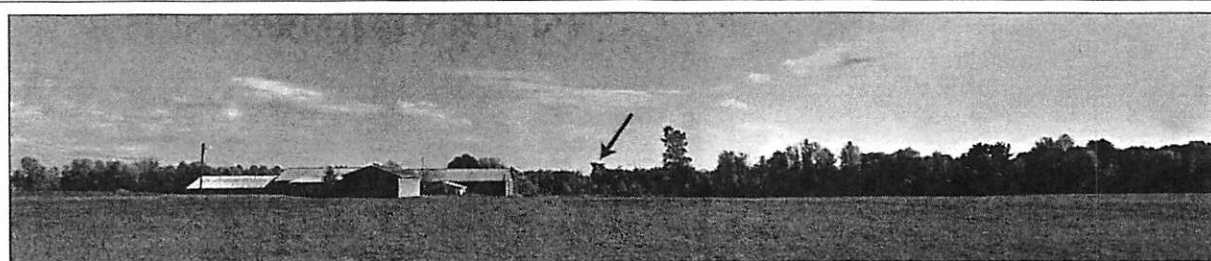
Some questions are still unanswered:

- How and when did Lewis Ciesnolewicz immigrate from Lithuania to the United States? Did he come in through Canada? Is there a ship manifest or some other documentation? (Some documents indicate he may have also been called Leo or Ludwig or Levon).
- Where did the family go after leaving Lyon Mountain? We assume Lewis would still be working as a miner. We had a clue that they may have lived in Rochester, New York for a time, and records indicate that two of their children were born in New Jersey in 1911 (Michael) and 1913 (Anastasia), though we have been unable to find baptismal or birth records for them.
- Was Jennie Helen (1909) born in Lyon Mountain or in another location in New York?

We are so grateful that the people of the Lyon Mountain/Dannemora/ Plattsburg area have been friendly, helpful, and forthcoming with information that filled in some gaps in our family story, and we look forward to uncovering even more information.



## COLLINS-ADDOMS CEMETERY



See the Collins/Addoms Cemetery - just east of the Pellerin Road on the Military Turnpike - two big pine trees in the graveyard mark the spot

### GENERATION 1

1. JOHN TOWNSEND 1 ADDOMS was born on Jun 10, 1781 in Poughkeepsie, NY. He died on Oct 15, 1869. He married Harriet Young, daughter of William Young and Mary Manning, on Apr 11, 1814 in Middlebury, VT. She was born on Sep 06, 1791 in Middlebury. She died on Jul 08, 1869 in Plattsburgh, NY.

John Townsend Addoms and Harriet Young had the following children:

- i. JOHN YOUNG 2 ADDOMS was born on Feb 23, 1815 in Middlebury, VT. He died on Sep 17, 1818.
- ii. MARY TOWNSEND ADDOMS was born on May 16, 1817 in Plattsburgh. She died on May 20, 1844.
- iii. WILLIAM YOUNG ADDOMS was born on Mar 12, 1819 in Plattsburgh. He died on Feb 25, 1839. 2.
- iv. JOHN ADDOMS was born on May 23, 1821 in Plattsburgh. He married SARAH BARLOW. She was born in 1825. She died on May 28, 1888 in Ravenswood, IL.
- v. JANET WARREN ADDOMS was born on Jun 17, 1823 in Plattsburgh. She died on Feb 07, 1841.
- vi. ELIZABETH ANTOINETTE ADDOMS was born on Jul 11, 1825 in Plattsburgh. She died on May 15, 1839 in West Plattsburgh, NY.
- vii. HARRIET YOUNG ADDOMS was born on Dec 23, 1827 in Plattsburgh. She died on Aug 20, 1846.
3. viii. JULIA MARIA ADDOMS was born on Jul 12, 1830 in Plattsburgh. She died on Apr 14, 1909 in Plattsburgh. She married Alonzo C. Collins, son of Thomas Collins and Ruth Canfield, on Sep 28, 1854 in Plattsburgh. He was born on Jul 11, 1816, and died there on Feb 08, 1899.



Elizabeth Antoinette Addoms - 1825-1839



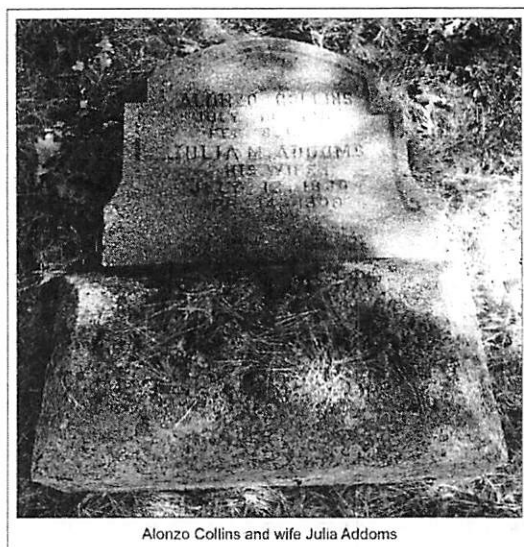
Harriet Young Addoms - 1827-1846



George Addoms - 1846-1846



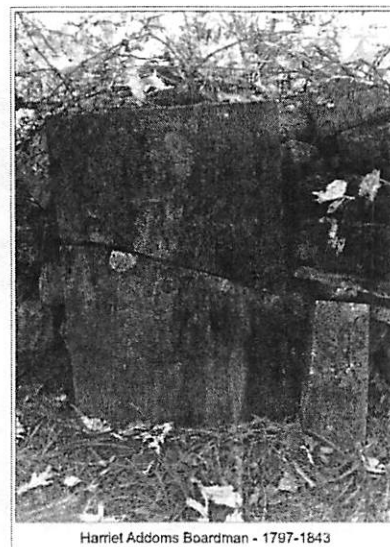
Janet Addoms - 1823-1841



Alonzo Collins and wife Julia Addoms



John Y. Addoms - 1815-1818



Harriet Addoms Boardman - 1797-1843

## GENERATION 2

2. JOHN2 ADDOMS (John Townsend1) was born on May 23, 1821 in Plattsburgh. He married SARAH BARLOW. She was born in 1825. She died on May 28, 1888 in Ravenswood, IL.

John Addoms and Sarah Barlow had the following children:

- i. GEORGE 3 ADDOMS was born in 1846. He died on Oct 21, 1846.
- ii. JOHN ADDOMS was born in 1847.
- iii. JANET ADDOMS was born in 1849.
- iv. CHARLES F. ADDOMS was born in 1852. He died on Aug 22, 1917.
- v. WILLIAM Y ADDOMS was born in 1853.
- vi. JONAS ADDOMS was born in 1856.
- vii. GEORGE S. ADDOMS was born in 1860.
- viii. FRANK S. ADDOMS was born in 1862.
- ix. WALLACE T. ADDOMS was born in 1865. He married Julia Stiles on May 03, 1890 in Cook County, IL.

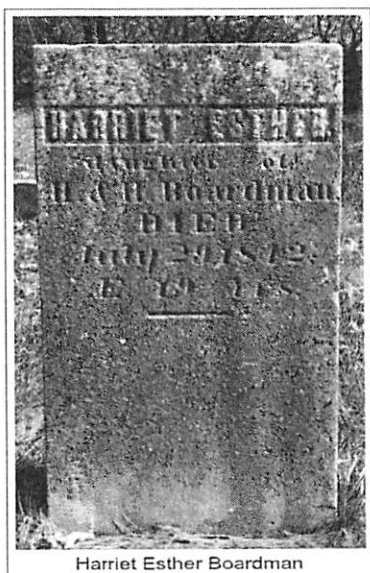
3. JULIA MARIA 2 ADDOMS (John Townsend1) was born on Jul 12, 1830 in Plattsburgh, NY. She died on Apr 14, 1909 in Plattsburgh. She married Alonzo C. Collins, son of Thomas Collins and Ruth Canfield, on Sep 28, 1854 in Plattsburgh. He was born on Jul 11, 1816. He died on Feb 08, 1899 in Plattsburgh.

Alonzo C. Collins and Julia Maria Addoms had the following children:

4. i. HARRIET RUTH3 COLLINS was born on Feb 11, 1861 in Plattsburgh. She died on Sep 28, 1888 in Altona, NY. She married Julius Barber Ransom, son of John P. Ransom and Amanda Chalmers, on Oct 26, 1881 in Plattsburgh. He was born on May 11, 1854 in Mooers, NY. He died on Mar 15, 1923 in Dannemora, NY.
- ii. BERTHA MARIAN COLLINS was born on Jun 21, 1863 in Plattsburgh. She died on Mar 17, 1939 in Sarasota, FL. She married Herbert Danforth Martin on Jun 29, 1892 in Plattsburgh. He was born in 1858 in Canada.
- iii. MARY ELIZABETH COLLINS was born on May 07, 1865 in Plattsburgh, NY. She died on Nov 16, 1938 in Sarasota, FL.
5. iv. FREDERICK MANNING COLLINS was born on Sep 24, 1867 in Plattsburgh. He died on Jun 23, 1945 in Chicago, IL. He married Georgia Hawley on Sep 12, 1899 in Dundee, IL. She was born about 1870.

6. v. ERNEST RIPLEY COLLINS was born on Dec 10, 1868 in Plattsburgh. He died on Nov 15, 1946 in Plattsburgh. He married Frances Malisa Curtis, daughter of Benjamin Newell Curtis and Clara E. Collins, on Feb 22, 1904 in Saranac, NY. She was born about 1870 in Altona, NY.

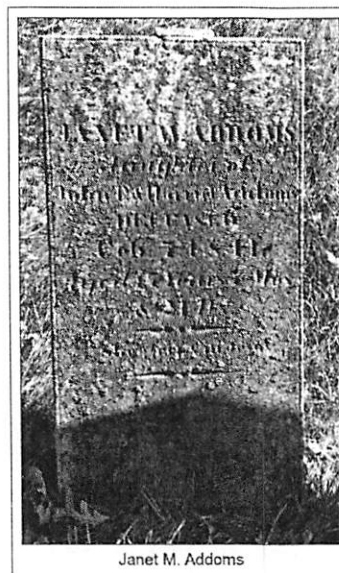
vi. IDA MARGUERITE COLLINS was born on Nov 28, 1872 in Plattsburgh. She died on Jul 21, 1932 in Troy, NY. She married Hiram Edgar Bills on Jan 11, 1914 in Troy, NY. He was born about 1870. He died on Aug 10, 1944 in Troy, NY.



Harriet Esther Boardman



William Young, Esq.



Janet M. Addoms

### GENERATION 3

4. HARRIET RUTH 3 COLLINS (Julia Maria<sup>2</sup> Addoms, John Townsend<sup>1</sup> Addoms) was born on Feb 11, 1861 in Plattsburgh. She died on Sep 28, 1888 in Altona, NY. She married Julius Barber Ransom, son of John P. Ransom and Amanda Chalmers, on Oct 26, 1881 in Plattsburgh. He was born on May 11, 1854 in Mooers, NY. He died on Mar 15, 1923 in Dannemora, NY.

Julius Barber Ransom and Harriet Ruth Collins had the following children:

- i. LEIGH COLLINS 4 RANSOM was born on Oct 28, 1882 in Altona, NY. He died on Dec 21, 1906 in Dannemora, NY.
- ii. RUTH MARGARET RANSOM was born on Jun 03, 1886 in Altona, NY.

5. FREDERICK MANNING 3 COLLINS (Julia Maria<sup>2</sup> Addoms, John Townsend<sup>1</sup> Addoms) was born on Sep 24, 1867 in Plattsburgh. He died on Jun 23, 1945 in Chicago, IL. He married Georgia Hawley on Sep 12, 1899 in Dundee, IL. She was born about 1870.

Frederick Manning Collins and Georgia Hawley had the following children:

- i. IRENE MAY<sup>4</sup> COLLINS was born on Jun 29, 1900 in Plattsburgh, NY. She died on Sep 13, 1913 in Chicago, IL.
- ii. CECELIA M. COLLINS was born on Jun 29, 1900 in Plattsburgh. She married ROYAL MOURER on Jan 21, 1928 in Chicago, IL. He was born about 1900.
- iii. ERNEST MANNING COLLINS was born on Dec 10, 1901 in Chicago, IL. He married Ethel Vantine on Sep 01, 1927 in New York. She was born about 1905.
- 7. iv. HAZEL M. COLLINS was born on Mar 28, 1905 in Chicago, IL. She married Victor Peterson on Dec 22, 1928 in Chicago, IL. He was born about 1900.

6. ERNEST RIPLEY 3 COLLINS (Julia Maria 2 Addoms, John Townsend 1 Addoms) was born on Dec 10, 1868 in Plattsburgh. He died on Nov 15, 1946 in Plattsburgh. He married Frances Malisa Curtis, daughter of Benjamin Newell Curtis and Clara E. Collins, on Feb 22, 1904 in Saranac, NY. She was born about 1870 in Altona, NY.

Ernest Ripley Collins and Frances Malisa Curtis had the following child:

- i. LORENA CLARA 4 COLLINS was born on Jun 17, 1906 in Plattsburgh. She died on Nov 17, 1949 in Plattsburgh.

#### GENERATION 4

7. HAZEL M. 4 COLLINS (Frederick Manning 3, Julia Maria 2 Addoms, John Townsend 1 Addoms) was born on Mar 28, 1905 in Chicago, IL. She married Victor Petersen on Dec 22, 1928 in Chicago, IL. He was born about 1900.

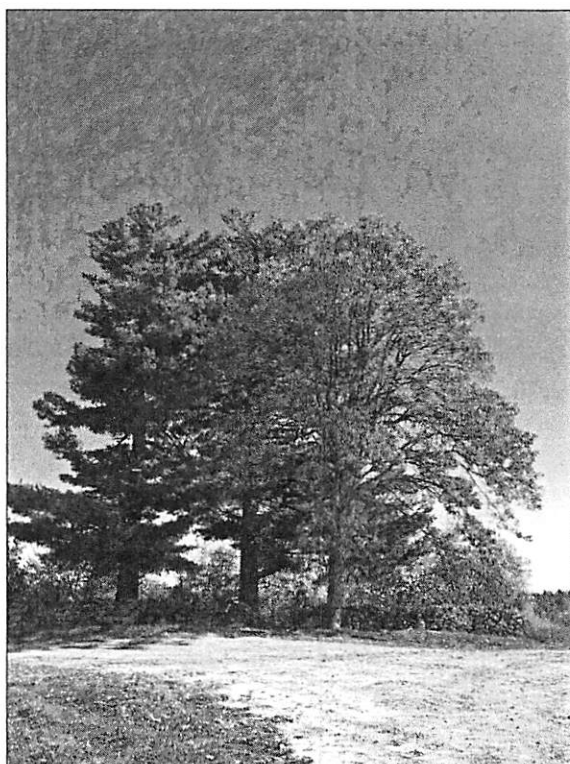
Victor Petersen and Hazel M. Collins had the following children:

- i. LOIS JEAN5 PETERSON was born on Feb 25, 1930 in Chicago, IL.
- ii. VICTOR PETERSON was born on May 28, 1934 in Chicago, IL.

The Collins Addoms Cemetery is on lot 74, in School District #15, near the North line of the town. Take a dead-end road running East to a house (Collins, 1869) and then through field along fence running South, about 250 yards. The graveyard is surrounded by rough stone wall, with iron gate, there are several fine large pine trees in the enclosure. Uncared for."

This cemetery was transcribed by Hugh McLellan, Charles McLellan, and Hulda Bredenberg, June 2, 1946.

It was typed by Joyce M. Ranieri in September 2005. Family descendant tree by Helen Allen Nerska. There are many other gravestones in the graveyard which is surrounded by high stone walls. A bee is being organized for 2020 by descendants of the Addoms family to clean the stones and see what can be done about the broken ones.





# DICK WARD'S CORNER

## The Stevens Family Bible

**Family Register.**

**PARENTS NAMES**

**HUSBAND** *George T. Stevens*  
**Born** *July 25<sup>th</sup> 1832* at Jay, Essex Co. N.Y.  
**WIFE** *Harriet Weeks Wadhams*  
**Born** *August 31<sup>st</sup> 1842* at Westport, Essex Co. N.Y.  
**MARRIED** *By Rev. Henry Lancashire,*  
*at Wadhams Mills (Westport) N.Y.*  
*April 17<sup>th</sup> 1861*

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| <i>Chauncey Coe Stevens</i><br><i>Born at Wood Creek, Wash. Co. N.Y.</i><br><i>July 1<sup>st</sup> 1794</i><br><i>Died, Ticonderoga, N.Y.</i><br><i>July 3, 1885 - at the house of</i><br><i>his son Charles</i><br><i>Married <del>Lucinda</del> March 4, 1823.</i>                                                          | <i>William Luman Wadhams</i><br><i>Born at Charlotte, Vt.</i><br><i>February 16, 1809</i><br><i>Died at Wadhams Falls, N.Y.</i><br><i>May 18, 1865</i><br><i>Emeline Loretta Wadhams</i><br><i>Born at Westport, N.Y.</i><br><i>November 3<sup>rd</sup> 1808</i><br><i>She was daughter of</i><br><i>Samuel Cole and</i><br><i>Rachel Curtis Cole</i><br><i>of Panton, Vt.</i> |
| <i>Lucinda Hoadly Stevens</i><br><i>Born at New Haven, Conn.</i><br><i>February 1795</i><br><i>Died at Crown Point, N.Y.</i><br><i>May 12<sup>th</sup> 1872</i><br><i>She was daughter of</i><br><i>Samuel Hoadly and</i><br><i>Desire Wheaton Hoadly</i><br><i>Desire Hoadly died at Chazy, N.Y.</i><br><i>July 25, 1835</i> |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |

HUSBAND – George T. Stevens

BORN – July 25, 1832 at Jay, Essex Co., NY

WIFE – Harriet Weeks Wadhams

BORN – August 31, 1842 at Westport, Essex Co., NY

MARRIED – By Rev. Henry Lancashire, at Wadhams Mills (Westport), NY April 17, 1861

Chauncey Coe Stevens

Born at Wood Creek, Washington Co., NY

July 1, 1794

Died Ticonderoga, NY

July 3, 1885 – at the house of his son, Charles

Lucinda Hoadly Stevens

Born in New Haven, CT

February 1795

Died at Crown Point, NY

May 12, 1872

She was the daughter of Samuel Hoadly and

Desire Wheaton Hoadly

Desire Hoadly died at Chazy, NY February 28, 1835

William Luman Wadhams

Born at Charlotte, VT

February 16, 1809

Died at Wadhams Falls (Westport), NY

May 18, 1865

Emeline Loretta Wadhams

Born at Westport, NY

November 3, 1808

She was the daughter of Samuel Cole and

Rachel Curtis Cole

of Panton, VT



## CHILDRENS NAMES

*Frances Virginia Stevens*  
 Born at Albany N.Y., 194 Swan St.  
 Friday February 9<sup>th</sup> 1866

*Charles Edgar W. Stevens*  
 Born at Albany, 16 North Pearl St. Cor. Maiden Lane  
 Tuesday November 12<sup>th</sup> 1867

*Georgianna Wadhams Stevens*  
 Born at Albany, 47 Eagle St.  
 Sunday May 28<sup>th</sup> 1871

## Childrens Names

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Charles Edgar W. Stevens, born at Albany, 16 North Pearl Street, Cor. Maiden Lane Tuesday, November 12, 1867

Georgianna Wadhams Stevens born at Albany, 47 Eagle St., Sunday May 28, 1871

## MARRIAGES

*Frances Virginia Stevens married*  
*George Trumbull Ladd, D.D., LL.D. - Professor of Moral*  
*Philosophy at Yale University, on Dec. 9 - 1895*  
*at 33 West 33<sup>rd</sup> Street New York City*  
*by Rev. Henry A. Stimson D.D.*

*Harriet Wadhams Stevens and*  
*George Thomas Stevens celebrated their*  
*Golden Wedding at their residence 350 W. 88<sup>th</sup> St.*  
*New York City, on April 17<sup>th</sup> 1911.*

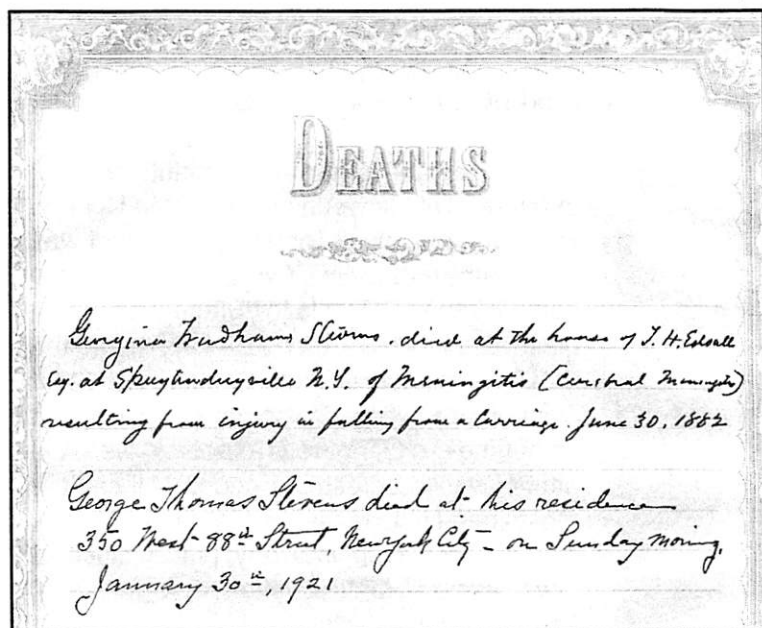
*Charles Wadhams Stevens married*  
*Marion Duncan Paine on June 30<sup>th</sup> 1917*  
*at Scarsdale, N.Y. - by Rev. Chas. Richards D.D.*  
*(at the residence of Mr. Mrs. F. Collins, sister of the bride)*

## Marriages

Frances Virginia Stevens married George Trumbull Ladd, DD, LL.D. - Professor of Moral Philosophy at Yale University, on December 9, 1895, at 33 West 33<sup>rd</sup> Street, New York City by Rev. Henry A. Stimson, DD

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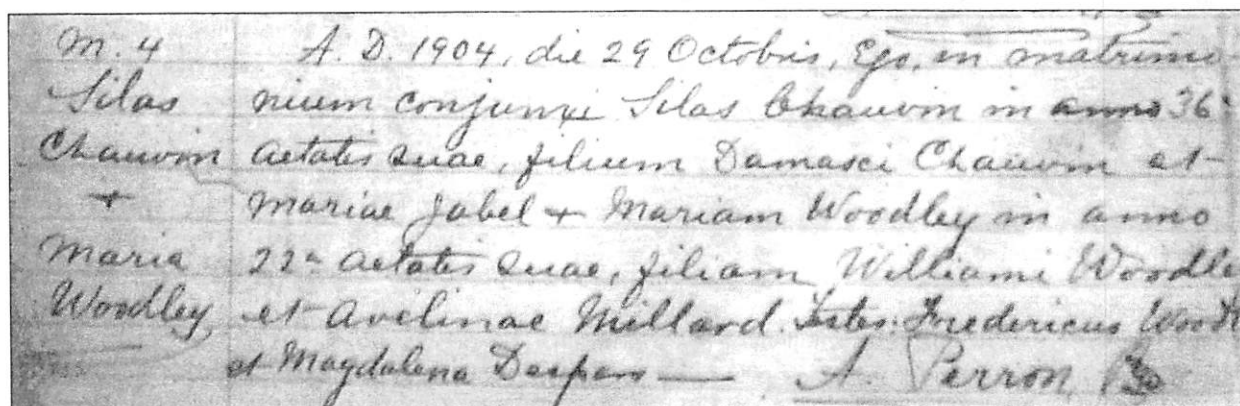
## Deaths

Georgina Wadhams Stevens, died at the house of T. H. Edsall, Esq. at Spuytenduyville, NY of meningitis (cerebral meningitis) resulting from injury in falling from a carriage, June 30, 1882

George Thomas Stevens died at his residence 350 West 88<sup>th</sup> Street, New York City – on Sunday morning,



## Holy Angels Church -Altona



## Marriage 1904 - Census 1910

| 3             | 4        | 5 | 6 | 7  | 8  |
|---------------|----------|---|---|----|----|
| Chauvin Silas | Head     | M | W | 42 | 9M |
| — Maria       | Wife     | 7 | W | 30 | 2M |
| — Ruth M.     | Daughter | 7 | W | 15 | S  |
| — Eva         | Daughter | 7 | W | 3  | S  |
| — Leon E      | Son      | M | W | 2  | S  |
| — Margaret    | Daughter | 7 | W | 1  | S  |

Silas Chauvin died in 1971, survivors, besides his wife, Maria Woodley, included two sons, Leon of Lake Placid and Robert of Deland, FL; three daughters, Margaret of Jersey City, Eva of this Plattsburgh and Mrs. Russell Brennan of Plattsburgh; two grandchildren.

## DANNEMORA THROUGH THE 1930s - BY ALLEN WALTON

This article, written by Allen Walton, was submitted by our president, Pat Buckley, whose family were friends of Allen for many years...



Allen Walton - January 14, 1910 to October 24, 1994

The big depression might have hit other parts of the world but in Clinton County, work was booming. The Normal School was rebuilding from a fire. Two paper mills were going strong, Pal's Razor Blade was in full blast. The P. W. A.-A. W. P.-N. R. A. and the CCC camps were all over building roads. Dannemora was a hilarious, exciting and sometimes, a dangerous place to live. And after traveling across the country I'll say the most liberal place that I ever was in.

I could go into any public place in town, except Hank Relation's barber shop. The State was building cell blocks and indoor toilets. Until now the inmates used night pails. The next morning, they would line up at a big well and pour their pails down there. The residue ran through a brook into the Saranac River and perfumed up the town. The bug house was expanding and putting in running water. Private families were putting in running water and getting rid of the outhouses. I was boarding at George Smart's. The cook, Napoleon Mitchell, had a stroke. I still remember him warming over potatoes frying, raised dough, salt port and eggs in our lunch was beef and onion and peanut butter sandwiches, home-made

pickles, tea or coffee.

A new highway was being built over the mountain. The prison brought 100 men from all over – stone masons from Ireland and England – a tinsmith from Germany, laborers from South America, Mexico, Canada and across the United States. One day, a black man known only as, "Uncle Abe", walked into the village and rented some land on the side of Dannemora Mountain. He built a tarpaper shanty, made a stove from an oil drum. He built sleeping bunks from discarded lumber and made chairs and tables from orange crates and kept boarders for \$5 a week. He sold hi wine and home brew, ran dice and poke games. On pay nights he imported women from Canada. Some of these men were mean and violent. The village seemed tranquil and peaceful.

On pay nights in Abe's Camp, pandemonium would break out. It would get real hectic sometimes a person would get hurt real bad. That's the only time the troopers would go into Abe's Camp. They never came up for anything else, even though they had horses to patrol the mountain.

A man named Jim. He was white and had a black woman. Jim would bring up a load of hi wine, leave his woman off in Plattsburgh go over the mountain on the Chazy Lake side where the State had a farm and leave his las hi wine on the farm. H would go on to Canada and bring back a load of real whiskey, leaving some at the farm and picking up a butchered lamb, and beef, leaving the meat and some whiskey with Abe, collect his pay and leave. I don't know how he got his instructions

on where to leave and pick up his wares on the farm. The farm was manned by the trustees under a guard, Zack Vinson. Uncle Abe would serve the meat to his boarders and sell his whiskey all over the village.

The boarders were of different places and colors. Everybody got along great until they got too much to drink and all hell would break out. One day, the men were sitting around drinking and playing cards for fun. Fred Sweeny from Dannemora and the King Fish from Port Henry were playing checkers. I was clowning around pretending that I was drunk with an unlighted cigarette in my mouth. I heard the King Fish say to Fred, "If you are so good with that gun, let's see you shoot that cigarette from that fool's mouth." - OK - Bang! - The cigarette flew from my mouth. Now this is one of the very few times that I ever got mad. Looking at Fred with a 30-30 Winchester. Fred was about half crazy anyway. I thought - maybe I had best let this go by.

One night, a stormy night, we hear a man's voice calling for help. Leo Smart from the village and I were at Abe's. Abe handed me a shotgun, and said, "That's McKenna's Camp. Go. It might be a bear looking for some salt." There was nothing there when we got there. Something had been there and knocked over the garbage cans. McKenna was in his woodshed. He seemed interested in my gun. "Let me see that," he said. I handed it to him and he said there was no hammer or trigger guard. Leo said, "Hand me that gun." Back at Abe's, Leo started beating Abe over his head with the gun. I stopped him, bandaged up Abe's head and calmed them both down. I left for Chazy Lake. I was to meet a man there that I'll call Elmore at 4:30am to go to a camp ten miles in the woods to cut wood for Harry Alpert.

I got to Elmore's house around 4am. The lamp in the kitchen was lit. No one seemed to lock their doors at night. I walked in. Ida's voice from the bedroom said, "Sit down. Elmore is in the barn. He'll be in soon." I poured a cup of coffee and made a pork sandwich from homemade bread. There was a hallway from the kitchen to the front door with a 4 x 2 iron bar. I am told the bar was put there after two ladies had been killed there. The door was never open since. The bedroom was next to the kitchen and a room in front of it with a door to the hall near the front door. When Elmore got through milking, for some reason he went to the front door. Ida said, "Go and open the door for Elmore." The bar was stuck. Ida put a coat around her nude body and came to help. We got the door open and when Ida jumped back to keep from getting hit by the door, the coat fell. Elmore dropped his milk and ran upstairs. I knew he had a 300

### Intensive Week's Search for Slayers of State Trooper Ends With Arrest in Oklahoma City

After a week's man hunt by state police for the two young men who, out of work in their Pennsylvania home town, turned bandits and in a gun battle with state troopers at East Greenbush shot and killed Sergeant John E. Frey Wednesday night of last week, the men have been captured at McAlester, Oklahoma. The two men, Stanley Chero and William Schemmizer, were picked up by the McAlester police as suspicious characters, but their desperate attempts to make an escape led the police to believe that they had the murderers in custody. A check-up with the authorities in Albany confirmed their suspicions.

Two men in a coupe parked near a gas station in that city aroused the suspicions of the proprietor, and when about to close up he notified the police, who made an investigation and arrested the men. As they were being taken into police headquarters they tried a getaway, but without success.

The bandit known to state troopers here as William Schemmizer was felled by the policeman's night stick, and Chero, running down the street, was shot twice and fell seriously wounded. He was taken to a hospital, where his condition is reported as serious, and Schemmizer was placed in a cell.

The identification of the two men as the ones wanted here in the Frey murder seems certain, as they had in the stolen coupe, in which they reached McAlester, a pistol numbered and marked as that carried by Trooper Updegraff, who had arrested the men here, and whom Sergeant Frey had gone to assist when he met his death.

It is reported that Schemmizer admits his identity, and says that his companion did the shooting that killed Frey.

It seems remarkable that these two daring young bandits should have been able to reach this distant point before being caught, for they traveled through the most populated parts of the country. Being without funds, they must have stolen food or money, and exchanged automobiles on the journey.

As soon as Chero recovers from his wounds he and his companion will be brought back to stand trial in Rensselaer county.

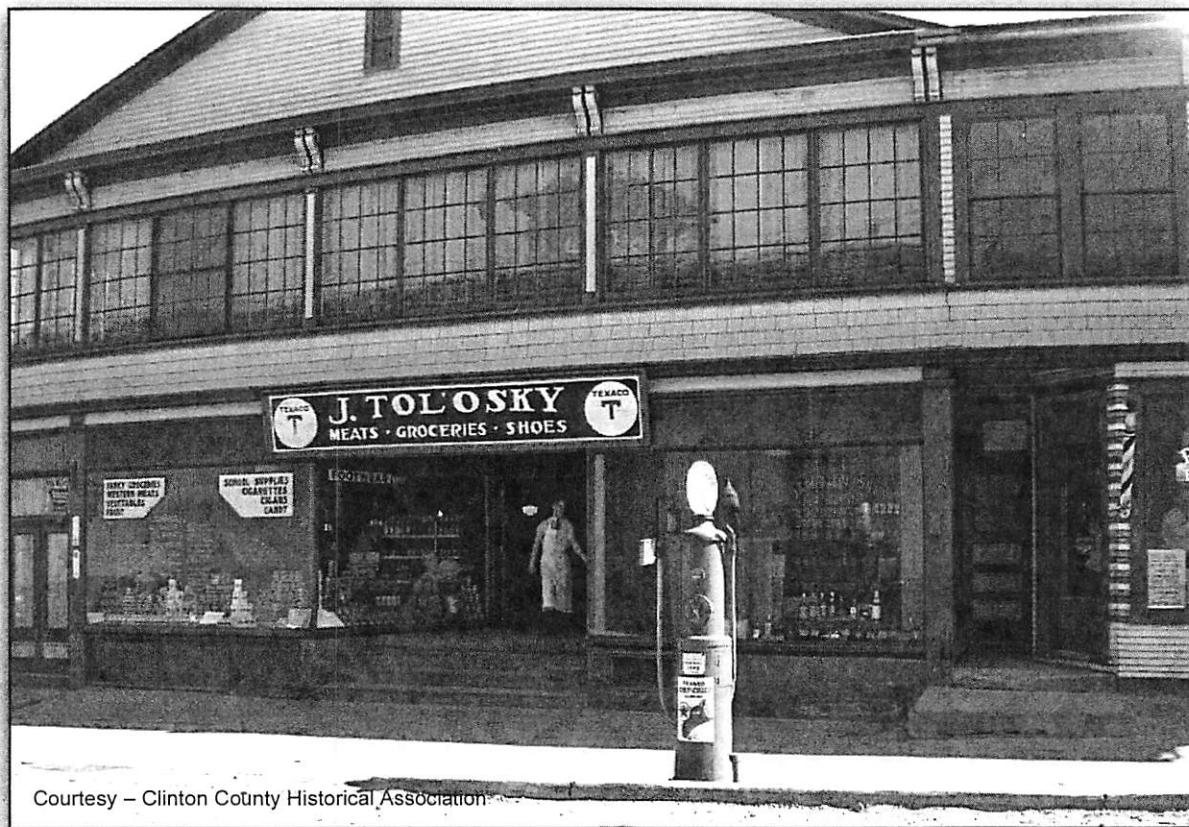
Much interest was taken in the case in this section because of the story which came out this week that two men, called at a railroad shanty in Guilford Center, demanded something to eat and disappeared. State troopers were notified and a general hunt of the section was made, in old barns, through woods, down in French's Hollow, even into the tunnel under the dam at the Watervliet reservoir, in hope of finding the fugitives.

Sergeant Frey, who was murdered, was well known in Altamont and vicinity.

Altamont Enterprise - March 27, 1931

Savage and I tried to stop him but could not get my hands on him, so it was time to run. He shot out the window as I turned the corner of the house. It was 3 miles across the woods to the highway. He was behind me all the way. He could see me better now. I hit the highway in front of a Model T Ford. Shorty LaWare picked me up. Elmore hit the highway about 500 yards behind us. He shot at the car. In Dannemora, I went to Tom Askie and paid for a room. Next morning Elmore came to see me and offered to take me out for breakfast. I asked, "Are you through shouting at me?" We ate ham and eggs warm over potatoes. We decided to check out the camp and fix it. We stayed there for a while and cut Alpert's wood. We were in the camp for about 4 days, and one night at midnight, Elmore said, "I am going home. My grandpa is dead." "How do you know?" I asked. "He was here and told me. You fix that leak. I'll be back as soon as I can." I said, "If Old Cigo is dead and was here, I am not staying here." We left together.

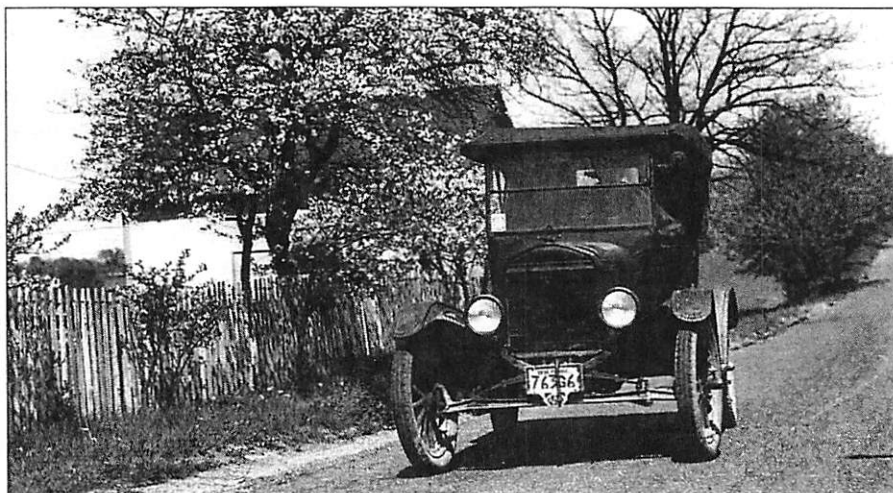
Old Cigo was dead. Back in Dannemora, I went across the street from Oshie to Harry Carter's and paid for a week's board. When everyone wanted a job, they would go and stand in front of the gate that opened up to Cook Street then. We would stand there until someone came out and picked who he wanted. There were two guards at the gate. On top of the wall, about 50 feet apart, was a one-man shanty, a machine gun in one and a shotgun in the other and so on. Whenever I stood at the gate if Mr. Lavarway was on duty, he would call me in and send me over to where the work was. I got a job with the Live Wire Roofing Company out of Buffalo. Me, the boss and 5 inmates who all had killed someone. They seemed very polit and kind to us. Two troopers were transferring one of these men and his buddy near Albany. One of them somehow got the trooper's gun and killed the trooper. They got away not hurting the other trooper. There was a big write-up in the papers since both of these troopers were going with the same girl. The two fugitives were apprehended in Oklahoma. In the shootout, one of the buddies got one leg shot off. They were sent back to Albany, then to Dannemora.



Courtesy – Clinton County Historical Association



The State OK'd the building. No Money was appropriated for it. This was not unusual. I had worked on the water lines at the bug house. I never did get paid for that. When this job was finished, I had worked over 3 months without any pay. I went to Maine and picked potatoes, on my way back I got into several crap games and picked up \$215 along the way. I



stopped in Plattsburgh, got into a poker game and lost \$10. The game lasted all night. Next morning, Mrs. Hamilton's sister and her 18-year-old daughter, came in. I thought, there is a dream girl.

I went to Dannemora and I learned that Harry Mitchell had a \$300 check for me. He was out but would come back later. I know that Homer and Abe would pull out all of their tricks to get this money from me. The whole town knew of the check. Homer and Pete Agony knew and knew when Mr. Mitchell would be back, so they were waiting for me. Both lived at the Chazy Lake House. Pete, me and the check headed for Homer's house. I planned to give Homer \$40, and \$20 to his wife, Lula. Lula made up a lunch, we ate, and Homer wanted to play checkers. He can beat me at checkers. I paid up to \$40 then quit, but Homer wanted to play more. He put up \$20 to my \$10. We made a rule that if one is caught cheating, he loses the game. Cheating was Homer's second nature even though he doesn't need to. The game progressed. I caught Homer cheating and an argument developed. He called on his wife for help, but she didn't want to get into it. He insisted. She said, "Homer, you know what you have done? Give him the money and play another game." He jumped up and slapped her. She fell into the fruit pantry. I grabbed him. She hit him with about five jars of fruit on his head. He was mad at me then and pulled out his knife with a five-inch blade. I jumped over the table and picked up his loaded 16-shot 22 rifle and pointed it at him. He said, "I will eat 3 or 4 bullets to get to you!" I said, "I can put 5 or 6 shots in you before you can get around here." I believed that he was going to try to get me. Question – Will I shoot?

I didn't find out because Pete hit Homer with a stove poker and knocked him to the floor. Pete picked up the knife and Homer said, "Why did you hit me?" Pete said, "I didn't want you to get yourself killed." I put \$30 with the money on the floor and walked out to go to Abe's. Two men, Leo Smart and the Dutchman were there. Abe wanted to shoot dice. We played through the night and I won \$100 – gave it back five times and rewon it. Finally, I quit and left. I just happened to look back and Abe was standing in the door pointing his automatic shotgun in my direction. I dropped to the ground as he shot. I got up running, Uncle Abe's shooting, and I ran over a cliff out into the air. When I landed, I was in wet sand. Joe Drop and Joe Tolosky were looking over a right-of-way and were going to blow up a tree stump. When they pulled me out of the sand, a stream of water shot up. This was made into a spring after the highway was finished. Both Joes were from Lyon Mountain. Tolosky's brother had a store in Dannemora.

I went back to Homer's. He told people that I ran so fast, that I left Dannemora at 5:15am and got to his house 5 miles away at 15 minutes to 5am. I went to work for Bob Fitzpatrick and boarded at Carter's. After lunch every night, I would help the girls clean up the kitchen and got \$20 off my board. Harvey Carter had a camp built in his back yard and 30 of us stayed there. Leo was not happy by my helping the girls in the kitchen. On this particular day, it started snowing around 6am and snowed all

When the weather let up, I rode freight trains down through Pennsylvania and Delaware. Spring came and I went back to Dannemora to dig water lines at the bug house. A man, who said he was from CNN and his name was Stanly Curinsky. He stayed at Uncle Abe's. There had been a big fight a couple of nights before. There was cutting and shooting, and everyone was in jail or in the hospital except Stanley and I and we went to work that day. On that day, I was at the bottom of a 15-foot deep ditch. It had rained most of that night and I was throwing mud up to a platform where Stanley would throw it to the top of the ditch. Someone hollered, "A cave in! Get out of there!" I ran father back in the ditch. Stanley jumped from the platform and got buried. He was dead when we got him out. That night, I could not get Stanley out of my mind. Abe's camp is in the woods all by itself and I was afraid of ghosts in the prison. They had miscounted a man that day and began to blow the siren. The sound, echoing thru the trees was too much for me. I left there running. They never located Stanley's family.

The next morning, I joined the CCCs at Camp Dix. I ran into a sort of a unique situation at Camp Dix.

The boys formed a gang of the group that they came with. I was the only black at Camp Dix and the separated the whites from colored. I had no one to gang up with. So when I got into trouble, I ran to the Plattsburgh gang. Leo was the leader, Leo's gang liked to fight, so they always would help me. When I went back to Dannemora, I worked on the hospital. The prisoners were building a church not far from the hospital. One Sunday, Joe Barrows and I were to put brick on one of the scaffolds and put up another scaffold. Joe sneaked a bottle of hi wine in with him. I would load bricks in a pail and pull them up to Joe. I saw Joe reach for and miss the rope a time or two. He was singing, "She was coming round the mountain when she comes," then I heard this ungodly scream. Joe was coming down headfirst. The wind in his clothes made him look like a balloon. The screaming stopped when he hit the ground. Joe was laid up for over a year. I left Dannemora and never went back except to visit.

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# Senior activist Allen Walton dies

PORT HENRY — Allen Walton, 84, of 3 Rice St., Port Henry, died Monday, Oct. 24, 1994, at the Medical Center Hospital of Vermont in Burlington.

He was the son of the Rev. Squire and Rhoda (Henry) Walton of Chattanooga, Tenn.

He was employed by Republican Steel Corporation for 31 years. Mr. Walton was well-known throughout the county for his community involvement, having founded the Town of Moriah Food Pantry. He was one of the founding members of the Essex County RSVP and served on the Town of Moriah Ambulance Squad for 20 years as an EMT and driver.

Mr. Walton was a founding member and first president of the Town of Moriah Senior Citizens and had served as a Nutrition Site manager. He was a member of the Port Henry Methodist Church, having served for eight years as a charter member of the Troy Conference District Superintendent Committee, as president for many years of the Port Henry/Moriah United Methodist Men and chairman of the Port Henry United Methodist Church Administrative Council.

Mr. Walton was awarded the Liberty Bell Award in 1991 by the Essex County Bar Association as Outstanding Citizen and was the recipient of many other advocacy awards in the community and state. Mr. Walton was the author of a book, "My Hobo Days," and had written several articles for "Adirondack



Photo Provided

**Allen Walton**

Life" magazine.

He was married for 54 years to the late Zymora Burrell Walton.

Survivors include a daughter, Olivia of Menands; two sons and daughters-in-law, Allen and Evelyn of Atlanta, Ga., and James and Nadine of Chesterfield, Mo.; a son, David of Burlington; five grandchildren and many nieces and nephews. A daughter, Carola, died earlier.

Calling hours will be from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Friday at Harland Funeral Home. A service will be held at noon Saturday at the Mount Moriah Presbyterian Church in Port Henry.

Memorial contributions can be made to the Expanded In-Home Services Program (EISEP), attention Patti Bashaw, New York State Office of the Aging, Elizabethtown, N.Y. 12932.

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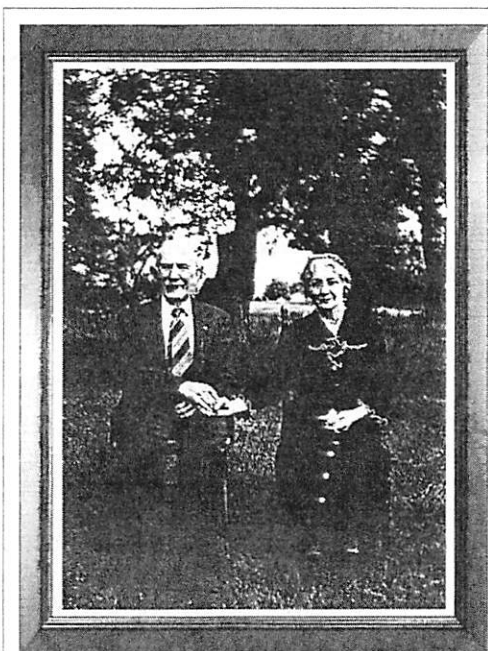
From the book, "Blacks in the Adirondacks" by Sally E. Svenson on Amazon - Kindle of paperback "Republic Steel closed down operations altogether in 1971. By then, most of the town's miners, black and white, had moved on to other job opportunities, usually outside of the region. Allen Walton was one of the few blacks who remained, becoming a local activist, particularly on behalf of Moriah's poor and senior citizens, and receiving an award from the Essex County Bar Association in 1991 as an "Outstanding Citizen" of the county. Walton neatly summarized the local black population as it existed in 1994, not long before his death, as "one Black lady, 2 growned children, myself."

## DOWN'S FAMILY FROM PERU



Thomas Downs Homestead - River Road, Peru, NY

- 1 James Downs b: 1763 in Ireland, d: 1860 in Clinton County, NY  
+ Catherine Allen b: Abt. 1787 in Ireland, d: 1860 in Peru, NY
- ..2 Ellen Downs b: Abt. 1810 in Ireland  
+ Thomas Gillern b: 1810
- ..2 James Downs b: July 25, 1813 in Moate, Westmeath, Ireland, d: 1897 in Peru, NY  
+ Ellen Kenelty b: 1826 in Ireland, d: 1876 in Peru, NY
- ...3 Jane Downs b: 1849 in Peru, NY d: May 09, 1882 in Port Henry, NY  
+ Thomas Fitzpatrick b: 1847 in Peru, NY m: Feb 12, 1872 in Keeseville, NY  
d: Jun 28, 1886 in Port Henry, NY
- ...4 James Fitzpatrick b: Dec 1872 in New York d: Dec 31, 1960 in Peru, NY  
+ Anna Hennessy b: Nov 1870, d: Jan 1961
- ....5 Thomas Michael Fitzpatrick b: Dec 31, 1901 in Barre, VT d: Nov 17, 1994 in Pasco, FL  
+ Mildred Dorothy Raymond b: Feb 04, 1906 in St. Regis Falls, NY  
d: Sep 09, 1970 in Schenectady, NY
- .....6 Patricia Fitzpatrick b: Abt. 1929, d: Jun 30, 1995
- .....6 Thomas Michael Fitzpatrick b: Apr 24, 1932, d: Jul 11, 1999 in Rotterdam, NY
- ....5 Alban Fitzpatrick b: Jun 22, 1903, d: Jan 30, 1987 in Port Richey, FL  
+ Katherine Maude O'Donahoe b: Aug 22, 1911 in Burlington, VT



Thomas and Mary Downs - July 27, 1945



d: Mar 24, 1991 in Port Richey, FL  
 ...4 Ellen Fitzpatrick b: Abt. 1876, d: 1919  
 ...4 Thomas Sylvester Fitzpatrick b: Apr 09, 1878 in New York d: 1962 in New York  
 + Mary Elizabeth Fisk b: 1871, d: 1930  
 + Agnes N. b: 1881, d: 1962  
 ...4 Edward Fitzpatrick b: 1879 in Moriah, NY d: May 01, 1959 in Barre, VT  
 + Margaret McCarthy b: Jan 09, 1883 in Chesterfield, NY d: Dec 01, 1958 in Barre, VT  
 ....5 Francis Edward Fitzpatrick b: Jan 29, 1908 in Williamstown, VT d: Oct 13, 1929 in Barre, VT  
 ....5 Raymond S. Fitzpatrick b: Abt. 1912 in Vermont  
 ....5 Clarence James Fitzpatrick b: Oct 30, 1913 in Graniteville, VT d: Mar 23, 1989 in Barre, VT  
 + Liane Roberts b: Mar 20, 1911 in Fayston, VT m: Jun 14, 1938 in Barre, VT  
 d: Jun 29, 1988 in Barre, VT  
 ...4 Mary Elizabeth Fitzpatrick b: May 09, 1882 in Moriah, NY d: May 13, 1974 in Plattsburgh, NY



Ellen Fitzpatrick  
Sister Concordia

**CERTIFICATE OF CITIZENSHIP.**

At a County Court held at the Court House in the Village of Plattsburgh, in and for the County of Clinton, on the 4th day of January one thousand eight hundred and forty fifty. The same being a Court of Record:

Present, Hon. Samuel Nelson County Judge

It is remembered, that on the 4th day of January 1884 James Jones an Alien, appeared in the open Court, before the said Judges; and on reading his original Declaration of his bona fide intention to become a Citizen of the United States of America; which declaration was by him made on oath, on the 4th day of October 1843. and the same day filed with the Clerk of said Court; And also, on reading and filing with the Clerk of said Court, an Affidavit that the said James Jones has resided in the United States five years last past, and that he has sustained a good moral character, and is attached to the principles of the Constitution, &c; All pursuant to the Act of Congress in such case made and provided: It was therefore ordered by the Court that he have leave to take the Oath of Allegiance and Abjuration, prescribed by the Senate of the United States:

WHEREUPON, the said James Jones having taken the said Oath of Allegiance and Abjuration, accordingly, and filed the same with the Clerk of the Court according to Law, it was further ordered by the said Court, that the said James Jones be admitted as a Citizen of the United States, to enjoy the rights and privileges thereunto belonging, and that the Clerk of this Court make out and deliver to him, this the proper Certificate of Citizenship. All which I certify.

James Jones Born: 7/25/1813

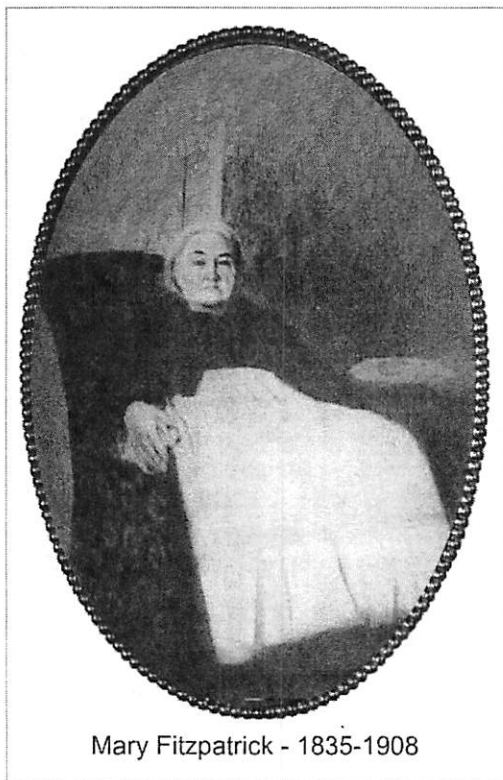
WITNESS my hand and seal of office, at Plattsburgh, this 4th day of January One Thousand Eight Hundred and forty fifty

Chas. A. Jones Clerk.

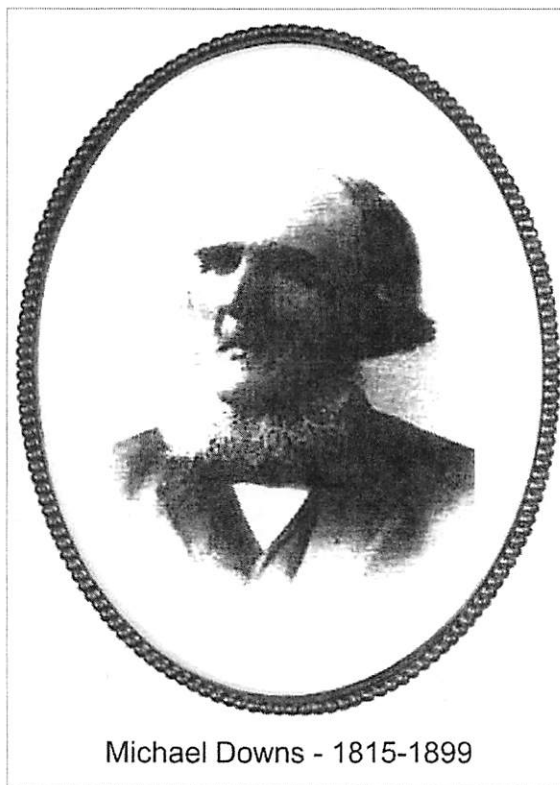
+ Thomas Francis Hughes b: Sep 19, 1870 in Chicago, IL d: Feb 14, 1937 in Peru, NY  
 ....5 Joseph Francis Hughes b: Sep 04, 1914 in Peru, NY d: Apr 06, 1991 in Peru, NY  
 + Ruth Emma Brand b: Sep 04, 1915 in Plattsburgh, NY d: Aug 08, 2000 in Schuyler Falls, NY  
 Where Lived: 1984 in Peru, NY  
 ....5 Julia Elizabeth Hughes b: Mar 21, 1917 in NY d: Dec 17, 2006  
 ....5 William Thomas Hughes b: Jul 05, 1919 in Peru, NY d: Jan 29, 1984 in Plattsburgh, NY  
 + Charlotte Rooney b: May 19, 1929 in Plattsburgh, NY d: May 01, 1972 in Plattsburgh, NY  
 ....6 Thomas Hughes b: Abt. 1945  
 ....6 W. Robert Hughes b: Abt. 1945  
 ....5 Stanley James Hughes b: Jun 08, 1922 in Peru, NY d: Jul 07, 1997 in Plattsburgh, NY



- + Elizabeth Ann Fitzpatrick b: Jan 18, 1927 in Plattsburgh, NY m: Jul 19, 1950  
d: Jun 25, 2018 in Clifton Park, NY
- .....6 Marian Hughes b: Abt. 1955  
+ Tomaso b: Abt. 1955
- .....7 Christophe Tomaso b: Abt. 1980  
+ Jennifer b: Abt. 1980
- .....6 Patricia Hughes b: Abt. 1955  
+ Kurt Neiswender b: Abt. 1955
- .....7 Mark Neiswender b: Abt. 1980 + Lacey b: Abt. 1980
- .....6 Daniel Hughes b: Abt. 1955  
+ Mary b: Abt. 1955



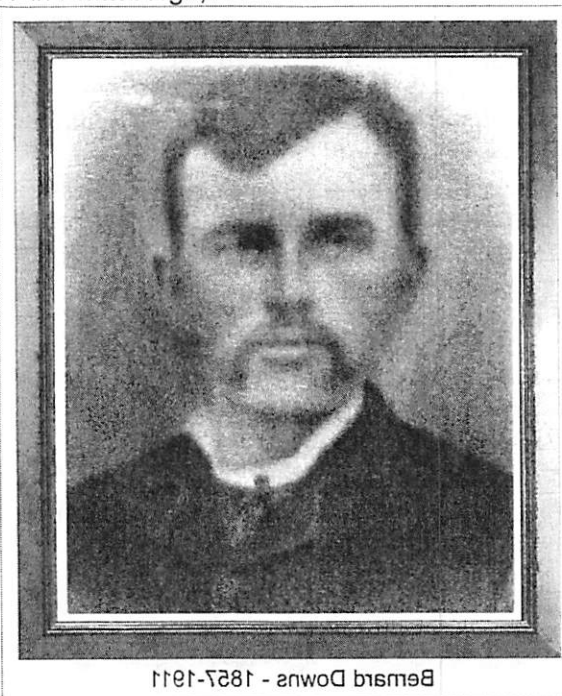
Mary Fitzpatrick - 1835-1908



Michael Downs - 1815-1899

- .2 Michael Downs b: 1815 in West Meath County, Ireland, d: Mar 04, 1899 in Peru, NY  
+ Mary Fitzpatrick b: 1835, d: Jun 08, 1908, Where Lived: 1933 in West Peru, NY
- ..3 James Downs b: 1851, d: 1899
- ..3 Edward Downs b: 1853, d: 1863, Manner Of Death: Typhoid
- ..3 Mary Downs b: Dec 13, 1854, d: 1900
- ..3 Bernard Downs b: Apr 07, 1857, d: Mar 18, 1911 in Peru, NY  
+ Mary Ann Downs b: 1853, d: Jan 31, 1885
- ...4 No Children Downs  
+ Mary Jane Boswell b: Feb 15, 1865, d: Nov 15, 1946
- ...4 Michael Downs b: Sep 14, 1887, d: Schenectady, NY Where Lived: 1932 in Schenectady, NY  
+ Mary b: Abt. 1890
- ...4 Mary Downs b: Oct 29, 1888 in West Peru, NY d: May 07, 1955 in Plattsburgh, NY  
Where Lived: 1932 in Philadelphia, PA  
+ Never married
- ...4 Jennie A. Downs b: Mar 14, 1890, d: Jan 19, 1932, Manner Of Death: Epilepsy  
+ Frank H. Provost b: Apr 02, 1884, d: Dec 04, 1933

- ....5 Mildred Provost b: May 12, 1912  
+ Clarence Nadeau b: Nov 30, 1912, d: Aug 01, 1974
- .....6 Carl W. Nadeau b: Apr 25, 1934, d: Jul 14, 1996  
+ Diane K Laduke b: Abt. 1930, Where Lived: 1987 in Plattsburgh, NY
- .....6 Robert Nadeau b: Abt. 1935 + Shirley b: Abt. 1935
- .....6 Jean Nadeau  
+ Dean Raymond
- .....7 Daniel Raymond b: Jun 30, 1960, d: Nov 15, 2000
- .....7 Lori Raymond  
+ Helmut Vogt
- .....8 Jacob Raymond Vogt
- .....8 Jonas Vogt
- ....5 Francis Provost b: Jan 28, 1916, d: Florida
- ....5 Robert Provost b: Abt. 1920, d: 1943, Manner Of Death: Killed in the Army
- ....5 Jane Provost b: Abt. 1920
- ...4 Anna Downs b: Sep 20, 1891, d: Sep 1981 in Michigan Where Lived: 1932 in Saginaw, MI  
+ Frank Call b: Abt. 1890, d: 1983
- ....5 Doris Call b: Feb 10, 1914
- ....5 Bernard Call b: Jul 02, 1915
- ....5 Francis Call b: Jan 01, 1920
- ....5 James Call b: Aug 17, 1924
- ....5 William Call b: Sep 16, 1925
- ....5 Vincent Call b: Jan 20, 1927
- ....5 Thomas Call b: Jun 18, 1930
- ....5 Barbara Call b: May 25, 1931
- ...4 Bernard Downs b: Jan 07, 1895 in Peru, NY d: Dec 21, 1966 in Saginaw, MI  
Where Lived: 1932 in Peru, NY  
+ Eliza Provost b: Mar 26, 1892 in Peru, NY m: May 20, 1924, d: Dec 02, 1961 in Endicott, NY
- ....5 Mary Janet Downs b: Jul 29, 1929, d: Apr 19, 1980 in St. Petersburg, FL  
Where Lived: 1966 in Florida  
+ Floyd William McSweeney b: Mar 13, 1918, m: Apr 10, 1949, d: Jun 10, 1964
- ....6 Judy Ann McSweeney b: Abt. 1955, Where Lived: 1980 in Italy  
+ Dixon b: Abt. 1955
- ....6 Linda McSweeney b: Abt. 1955, Where Lived: 1980 in Panama City, FL  
+ Carnely b: Abt. 1955
- ....6 John McSweeney Where Lived: 1980 in Fort Walton Beach, FL  
+ Glen Woodward b: Abt. 1925
- .....6 No Children Woodward  
+ Gene Murrell
- .....6 No Children Murrell
- ....5 John Downs b: Dec 30, 1931, Where Lived: 1966 in Long Island, NY  
+ Fay Bradwin b: Abt. 1935
- .....6 Laura Downs
- .....6 Dara Downs
- .....6 Lisa Downs
- .....6 Donna Downs  
+ Susan Conway
- ...4 Margaret Downs b: Mar 12, 1896, Where Lived: 1932 in Saginaw, MI  
+ Edward Call b: Abt. 1895, Manner Of Death: Committed suicide



- ....5 Edward Call
- ....5 Harold Call
- ....5 Elizabeth Call Manner Of Death: Died young
  - + Neil McIntyre b: Abt. 1895
- ...4 Francis Edward Downs b: Apr 28, 1897 in Peru, NY d: Sep 03, 1969 in Plattsburgh, NY
  - Where Lived: 1932 in Peru, NY
  - + Never Married
- ...4 Stephen Patrick Downs b: Dec 03, 1898, d: May 17, 1964, Where Lived: 1932 in Peru, NY
  - + Never Married
- ...4 John Stephen Downs b: Dec 26, 1899 in Saranac, NY d: Feb 23, 1968 in Schenectady, NY
  - Where Lived: 1932 in Peru, NY Manner Of Death: Typhoid
  - + Kathryn T. Langton b: Apr 28, 1899 in Manchester, NH m: Apr 30, 1928 in Manchester, NH
  - d: May 24, 1984 in Plattsburgh, NY
- ....5 John L. Downs b: Abt. 1930
  - + Eva b: Abt. 1900
- ...4 Thomas Downs b: Sep 10, 1900, d: Jul 18, 1976 in Brooklyn, NY
  - Where Lived: 1932 in Philadelphia, PA
  - + Beatrice b: Abt. 1900
- ....5 No Children Downs
- ...4 Hugh Downs b: Jul 10, 1903 in Peru, NY d: Dec 18, 1985 in Rochester, NY
  - Where Lived: 1932 in Peru, NY
  - + Mary Bass b: Abt. 1905
- ....5 No Children Downs



Mary Healey - 1874-1949

**YEARS LAST SUNDAY**  
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Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Downs of Peru celebrated their fifty-fourth wedding anniversary, Sunday, immediate members of the family honored them at a surprise party given at their home.

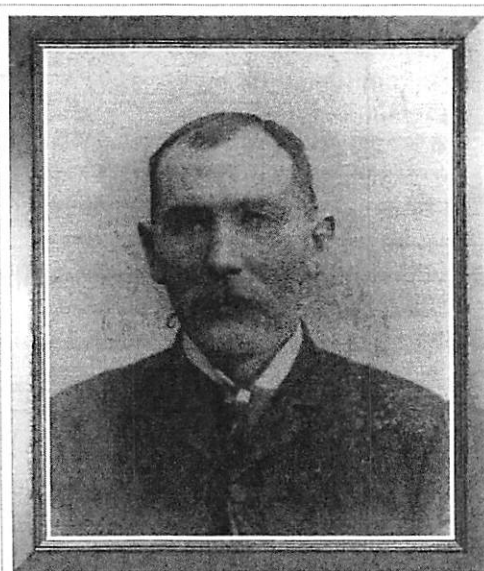
Mr. and Mrs. Downs are the parents of seven children, six of whom are living, ten grandchildren, and one greatgrandchild.

They have spent their entire married life as residents of Peru.

April 4 - 1948

- ...3 John Downs b: 1859, d: 1860, Manner Of Death: Typhoid fever
- ...3 Michael Downs b: 1860, d: Nov 01, 1943, Where Lived: 1933 in Peru, NY
  - + Never married
- ...3 Thomas Downs b: Feb 23, 1862 in Saranac, NY d: Jan 14, 1949 in Peru, NY
  - Where Lived: 1933 in Peru, NY Manner Of Death: Intestinal obstruction
  - + Mary Healey b: Feb 25, 1874, m: Apr 04, 1894 in Redford, NY
  - d: Nov 09, 1949 in Morrisonville, NY
- ...4 Mary Elizabeth Downs b: Aug 09, 1895, d: Dec 03, 1958
  - + George Thew b: Oct 08, 1890, m: May 25, 1925, d: Oct 06, 1975

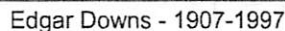
- ....4 Thomas Theodore Downs b: May 24, 1898 in West Peru, NY d: Jul 03, 1966 in West Peru, NY  
 + Mabel Conway b: 1900, m: Apr 04, 1921, d: 1994  
 ....5 Ruth Genevieve Downs b: Mar 27, 1900, d: Jan 04, 1979  
 + John Abram Allen b: Sep 22, 1892, d: Oct 28, 1972  
 ....6 Frances Elizabeth Allen b: Aug 04, 1932  
 + Jacob Schwartz b: Abt. 1930  
 ....6 Philip Thomas Allen b: Nov 03, 1933  
 ....6 Norbert Rodney Allen b: Sep 24, 1934, d: 1943,  
 Manner Of Death: Kicked by a horse  
 ....6 James William Allen b: Jun 25, 1936  
 + Susan Straight b: Feb 13, 1941, m: Jun 26, 1962  
 ....7 Mary Beth Allen b: Jun 10, 1963  
 + James Allen Parker b: Abt. 1960 in Plattsburgh,  
 NY  
 .....8 Robert James Parker b: Abt. 1985  
 .....8 Laura Elizabeth Parker b: Abt. 1985  
 + David Nelson b: Abt. 1960, m: Dec 26, 1987  
 .....8 James Richard Nelson b: Apr 11, 1988  
 .....8 Christopher David Nelson b: Apr 11, 1988  
 + David Fisher b: Abt. 1960, m: 2003  
 .....7 Thomas Allen b: Jul 09, 1964



Thomas Downs - 1862-1949

| Personal Record                                |  | Family Record                                         |                                   |
|------------------------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| NAME <u>Thomas Downs</u>                       |  | NAME <u>Thomas Downs</u>                              | BORN <u>1862</u> DIED <u>1949</u> |
| BIRTH PLACE <u>Saranac</u>                     |  | FATHER <u>Michael Downs at Athol - City West Mass</u> | BORN DIED                         |
| DATE OF BIRTH <u>Feb 28, 1862</u>              |  | MOTHER <u>Mary Fitzpatrick</u>                        | BORN <u>1815</u> DIED             |
| DECEASED                                       |  | FATHER'S FATHER <u>James Downs</u>                    | BORN <u>1815</u> DIED <u>1899</u> |
| DATE <u>Jan. 14<sup>th</sup> 1949 2:45 am.</u> |  | FATHER'S MOTHER <u>Mary Nolan</u>                     | BORN DIED                         |
| PLACE <u>New York - City - New</u>             |  | MOTHER'S FATHER <u>John City Patrick</u>              | BORN DIED                         |
| AGE <u>86 yrs 10 mos. 21 da</u>                |  | MOTHER'S MOTHER <u>Mary W. Swan</u>                   | BORN DIED                         |
| YEARS-MONTHS-DAYS                              |  | MARRIED TO <u>Mary Healey</u>                         |                                   |
|                                                |  | CHILDREN                                              |                                   |
|                                                |  | <u>Mary Elizabeth Thomas Theodore, Rick</u>           |                                   |
|                                                |  | <u>Genevieve John Edgar - Helen Vernon</u>            |                                   |
|                                                |  | <u>ca, Olive Lucia Frances</u>                        |                                   |



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...4 Ruth Genevieve Downs b: Mar 27, 1900, d: Jan 04, 1979  
 + John Abram Allen b: Sep 22, 1892, d: Oct 28, 1972  
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 + David Nelson b: Abt. 1960, m: Dec 26, 1987  
 .....7 James Richard Nelson b: Apr 11, 1988  
 .....7 Christopher David Nelson b: Apr 11, 1988  
 + David Fisher b: Abt. 1960. m:

2003

.....6 Thomas Allen b: Jul 09, 1964  
.....6 Nancy Lynn Allen b: Jun 16, 1965  
        + Tod Fiege b: Abt. 1965, m: Nov 22, 1985  
.....7 Jessica Fiege b: May 06, 1986  
.....7 Nicholas Fiege b: Oct 23, 1989  
.....7 Nathan Fiege b: Mar 10, 1997  
.....7 Benjamin Fiege b: Feb 01, 1999  
.....6 Michael James Allen b: Mar 31, 1969  
        + Tina LaGrave b: Abt. 1970  
.....7 Ethan James Allen b: Aug 03, 1990

+ Mary b: Abt. 1970  
....5 Catherine Mary Allen b: May 27,  
1939  
+ John McKee b: Abt. 1935  
.....6 John McKee b: Abt. 1965  
.....6 Gregg McKee b: Abt. 1965  
.....6 Theresa McKee b: Abt. 1965  
....5 George Martin Allen b: Nov 23,  
1941, d: May 28, 1990  
...4 Edgar John Downs b: Sep 17,  
1907 in West Peru, NY d: Jul 08,  
1997

Where Lived: 1987 in Peru, NY  
+ Agnes I. Coffey b: Oct 22, 1905

in Schuyler Falls, NY m: Jul 18, 1929 in Peru, NY  
d: Feb 09, 1987 in Plattsburgh, NY

....5 Jerome Michael Downs b: Jan 04, 1931 in Plattsburgh, NY d: Apr 25, 2011 in Peru, NY  
+ Janet Lapine b: Jul 17, 1935 in Keene Valley, NY m: Sep 06, 1958 in Keene, NY

**Where Lived:** 2011 in Keene Valley, NY

.....6 Kevin Patrick Downs b: Dec 05, 1959 in Plattsburgh, NY Where Lived: 2011 in Keeseville, NY  
.....6 Karen Marie Downs b: Jun 04, 1961 in Plattsburgh, NY Where Lived: 2011 in Norfolk, VA  
.....5 Michael Edgar Downs b: Jan 27, 1940 in Plattsburgh, NY Where Lived: 2011 in Westport, NY

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+ Jean McDonough b: Oct 28, 1940, m: May 02, 1964 in Keeseville, NY d: Jan 07, 2000  
.....6 Jennifer Downs b: Aug 16, 1966  
.....6 Mary Kate Downs b: Aug 18, 1971  
5 Thomas Kevin Downs b: Feb 15, 1944 in Plattsburgh, NY d: Oct 13, 2003  
+ Ruth Schloman b: Jan 03, 1944 in Jamaica, NY m: Sep 02, 1967 in East Rockaway, NY  
.....6 Matthew Downs b: Dec 20, 1970 in Schenectady, NY  
...4 Helen Veronica Downs b: Oct 09, 1909 in West Peru, NY d: Apr 04, 2005 in Burlington, VT  
Where Lived: 2004 in Burlington, VT  
+ Edward Keily b: Jul 08, 1908, m: Sep 30, 1935 in Burlington, VT d: Oct 03, 1997  
....5 No Children Keily

**Certificate of Baptism**

Extract from the Register of Baptisms at the

**St. James Church, Cadysville, N. Y., U. S. A.**

Person Baptized Salmon P. Downs.

Date of Birth October 9<sup>th</sup> 1909.

Date of Baptism Oct. 31<sup>st</sup> 1909

Name of Father Thomas Downs.

His Birthplace West-Pear, N. Y.

Name of Mother before Marriage Mary Haley.

Her Birthplace West-Pear, N. Y.

Sponsors Thomas Downs, & Elizabeth  
Downs.

Name of Priest (Rev. P. H. J. Ryan  
who administered the Baptism )

I certify that this is a correct extract, page 200.

Dated at St. James Church,  
Cadysville, N. Y.,

SEAL

this 4<sup>th</sup> day of February 1932

Signed: J. Joseph Carter, Rector.

St. Joseph's Protostatory Print, Pittsburgh, Pa.

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...4 Olive Cecelia Downs b: Apr 21, 1913 in West Peru, NY d: Apr 26, 2004 in Guilderland, NY  
+ Thomas E. Joyner b: Oct 25, 1923, m: Jun 27, 1953 in Plattsburgh, NY  
....5 No Children Joyner  
...4 Frances Edna Downs b: Nov 22, 1915 in Peru, NY d: Oct 29, 1917  
Manner Of Death: Acute appendicitis  
..3 Patrick Downs b: 1864, d: 1937  
+ Jennie Ryan b: 1865, m: Jan 08, 1910, d: Mar 13, 1942 in Harkness, NY  
..3 Katherine Downs b: 1866, d: Jun 16, 1935, Where Lived: 1933 in Peru, NY  
+ Thomas Higgins b: Abt. 1865  
...4 Dorothy Higgins b: May 29, 1907, d: 1979  
+ Philip Crilley b: Abt. 1905  
....5 Joyce Crilley b: Abt. 1930  
....5 Nancy Crilley b: Abt. 1930  
..3 Margaret Downs b: Jun 23, 1871, d: Jul 27, 1902  
+ Thomas F. Sloan b: Mar 24, 1862, d: Dec 25, 1958  
...4 John Sloan b: Apr 15, 1895  
...4 Mary Sloan b: Jul 26, 1897, d: Nov 21, 1903, Manner Of Death: Scarlet Fever

## THOMAS DOWNS, 87, DIES AT HOME OF DAUGHTER

Thomas Downs, 87, of Peru, died yesterday after a brief illness at the home of his daughter, Mrs. George Thew, also of Peru.

Mr. Downs is survived by his wife; four daughters, Mrs. George Thew, Mrs. Edward Kerly of Burlington, Vt., and Mrs. John Allen and Miss Olive Downs, both of Peru; two sons, Thomas T. Downs of Albany and Edgar Downs of Peru; one sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Conway of Peru; and several grandchildren.

The body is at the home of Mrs. Geogre Thew. Funeral services will be held in St. Augustine's Church, Peru, Monday morning at 10 o'clock. Burial will be in the church cemetery.

Plattsburgh Press Republican  
January 15, 1949

## MISS CECELA DOWNS DIED YESTERDAY

Miss Cecela Downs passed away at her home in West Peru yesterday after an illness of two years. She was 57 years old.

Surviving Miss Downs are three brothers, Michael and Thomas Downs of Peru and Patrick Downs of West Peru, and two sister, Mrs. Katherine Higgins of Peru and Mrs. Martin Conway of Peru.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday morning from St. Patrick's Church at West Peru. Burial will be in the R. C. cemetery at West Peru.

Plattsburgh Daily Press - April 4, 1933

- ...4 Baby Girl Sloan b: Apr 30, 1898
- ...4 Sarah Sloan b: Jan 24, 1899, d: Apr 24, 1900
- ...4 Infant Sloan b: Jul 19, 1902, d: Jul 21, 1902
- ...3 Elizabeth Downs b: 1873, d: 1952, Where Lived: 1933 in Peru, NY
  - + Martin Conway b: 1865, d: Feb 25, 1936
- ...4 William Conway b: 1898, d: 1964
  - + Edwidge Boisseau b: 1901, d: 1985
- ....5 No Children Conway
- ...4 John Conway b: 1900, d: Nov 09, 1969
  - + Never Married
- ...4 Genevieve Conway b: Oct 08, 1906, d: Feb 05, 1980
  - + J. Donald Holt b: Dec 08, 1902, m: Jun 04, 1934 in Peru, NY d: Aug 25, 1962
- ....5 James D. Holt b: Feb 25, 1935
  - + Mary Ruth Evans b: Abt. 1935, m: Aug 16, 1963
- ....6 Kathryn Agnes Holt b: Jan 22, 1964
- ....6 Amy Elizabeth Holt b: Jul 13, 1971
- ....5 Elizabeth Holt b: Mar 25, 1936, d: Florida
  - + Robert Graves b: Abt. 1935, d: Florida
- ....5 J. Alan Holt b: Jul 04, 1938, d: Aug 11, 1987
- ....5 Kathryn A. Holt b: Feb 25, 1940
  - + Everett Marcuson b: Abt. 1940, m: Oct 07, 1961
- ....6 Everett Marcuson b: Mar 23, 1966
- ....5 Carolyn Anne Holt b: Mar 11, 1946
  - + Philip Rich
- ...4 Franklin Conway b: 1910, d: 1970 + Never Married
- ...4 Edgar Conway b: 1916, d: Jun 09, 1966
  - + Carmelita Williamson b: 1916
- ....5 Elizabeth Conway b: 1954
- ...4 Kathryn Conway b: Feb 23, 1987 in Port Douglas, NY d: 1943
  - + Thomas Farrell b: 1878, m: Jun 11, 1923 in Peru, NY d: 1962
- ....5 No Children Farrell
- ...4 Thomas Conway
- ..3 Cecelia Downs b: Nov 02, 1875, d: Apr 03, 1933 in West Peru, NY
  - Manner Of Death: Uterine Cancer + Never married
- ..3 Helen Monica Downs b: 1877, d: Mar 15, 1908



Front

St. Patrick's Cemetery - Peru, NY

Back

**Certificate of Marriage**

Saint Augustine's Church  
Peru, New York

**This is to Certify**

That George Edward Thew  
and Mary Elizabeth Downs  
were lawfully joined together  
**Married**  
on the 25<sup>th</sup> day of May 1925  
according to the  
Rite of the Roman Catholic Church  
and in conformity with the laws of the  
State of New York  
By B. Grantham Pastor officiating  
in the presence of Witnesses John A. Allen  
Ruth G. Owens  
as appears from the Marriage Register of this Church  
Dated August 29 1925  
By Rev. Arthur Tisdell Pastor

#### OBITUARY.

**DOWNS**—In Peru, March 4, 1899, Michael Downs, aged 84 years.

Michael Downs, was one of Peru's oldest inhabitants. Deceased was born in county West Neath, Ireland. He came to this country in 1846. He married Mary Fitzpatrick. Fourteen children were born to them, ten of whom are living, four boys and six girls. His death, like his life, was peaceful and happy, surrounded by his wife, children and grandchildren. He passed peacefully away, into the arms of his Creator, leaving the lonely chill of death, upon the family circle. Interment took place at the Patent. The funeral was held Tuesday, the 7th, at the church, the Rev. Father Peron, of Peru, and Deslor, of Morrisville, officiating. Father Deslor rendered a most beautiful and touching sermon, bringing comfort to the sorrowing hearts. May he rest in peace! Mrs. Michael Downs and family desire to thank the kind friends, who assisted them in their time of sad bereavement.

**Baptismal Certificate**  
**THE CATHEDRAL, BURLINGTON, VT.**

Name Edward William Keely  
Born July 8, 1908 Baptized July 19, 1908  
Father's Name Edward Keely  
Mother's Name Elizabeth Murphy  
Baptized by Rev. Joseph F. Gallis  
Sponsors Fredrick Miller and Catherine McGrath  
This is a true copy.  
Attest Harold C. Barrett  
Dated Feb. 7 1932



| NEW YORK STATE<br>DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH            |  |         |  |          |  |          |  |               |  | STATE FILE NUMBER |  |
|---------------------------------------------------|--|---------|--|----------|--|----------|--|---------------|--|-------------------|--|
| CERTIFICATE OF DEATH                              |  |         |  |          |  |          |  |               |  |                   |  |
| 1. NAME (Last)                                    |  | FIRST   |  | MIDDLE   |  | SEX      |  | DATE OF BIRTH |  | AGE               |  |
| Thomas K. Downs                                   |  |         |  |          |  | Male     |  | 10/13/2003    |  | 12:40             |  |
| 2. PLACE OF BIRTH                                 |  | COUNTRY |  | STATE    |  | CITY     |  | COUNTY        |  | ZIP               |  |
| New York                                          |  | USA     |  | New York |  | New York |  | New York      |  | 10003             |  |
| 3. CAUSE OF DEATH (If not stated, give accurate)  |  |         |  |          |  |          |  |               |  |                   |  |
| VASSAR Brothers Hospital                          |  |         |  |          |  |          |  |               |  |                   |  |
| 1. MEDICAL RECORD NO. 004266778                   |  |         |  |          |  |          |  |               |  |                   |  |
| 2. DATE OF DEATH 02/15/2004                       |  |         |  |          |  |          |  |               |  |                   |  |
| 3. TIME OF DEATH 15:59                            |  |         |  |          |  |          |  |               |  |                   |  |
| 4. PLACE OF DEATH (If not stated, give accurate)  |  |         |  |          |  |          |  |               |  |                   |  |
| Peru, NY                                          |  |         |  |          |  |          |  |               |  |                   |  |
| 5. OCCUPATION (If not stated, give accurate)      |  |         |  |          |  |          |  |               |  |                   |  |
| Boughkeepsie Dutches                              |  |         |  |          |  |          |  |               |  |                   |  |
| 6. SEX (If not stated, give accurate)             |  |         |  |          |  |          |  |               |  |                   |  |
| Male                                              |  |         |  |          |  |          |  |               |  |                   |  |
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| White                                             |  |         |  |          |  |          |  |               |  |                   |  |
| 8. ETHNIC ORIGIN (If not stated, give accurate)   |  |         |  |          |  |          |  |               |  |                   |  |
| Caucasian                                         |  |         |  |          |  |          |  |               |  |                   |  |
| 9. RELIGION (If not stated, give accurate)        |  |         |  |          |  |          |  |               |  |                   |  |
| Catholic                                          |  |         |  |          |  |          |  |               |  |                   |  |
| 10. MARRIAGE (If not stated, give accurate)       |  |         |  |          |  |          |  |               |  |                   |  |
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| High School Graduate                              |  |         |  |          |  |          |  |               |  |                   |  |
| 12. OCCUPATION (If not stated, give accurate)     |  |         |  |          |  |          |  |               |  |                   |  |
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Elizabeth Downs Torrence, wife of the late Raymond A. Torrence of Peru, died at the Champlain Valley Hospital September 15 after an illness of six weeks.

Mrs. Florence was born June 12, 1835, at Peru, the daughter of James Downs and Ellen Kenalty Downs. Prior to her marriage she taught school in Peru village and the surrounding districts.

She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Neil McCrank of 79 Sully Avenue, with whom she had made her home for several years, and two grandchildren, Mary Ellen and John Raymond McCrank.

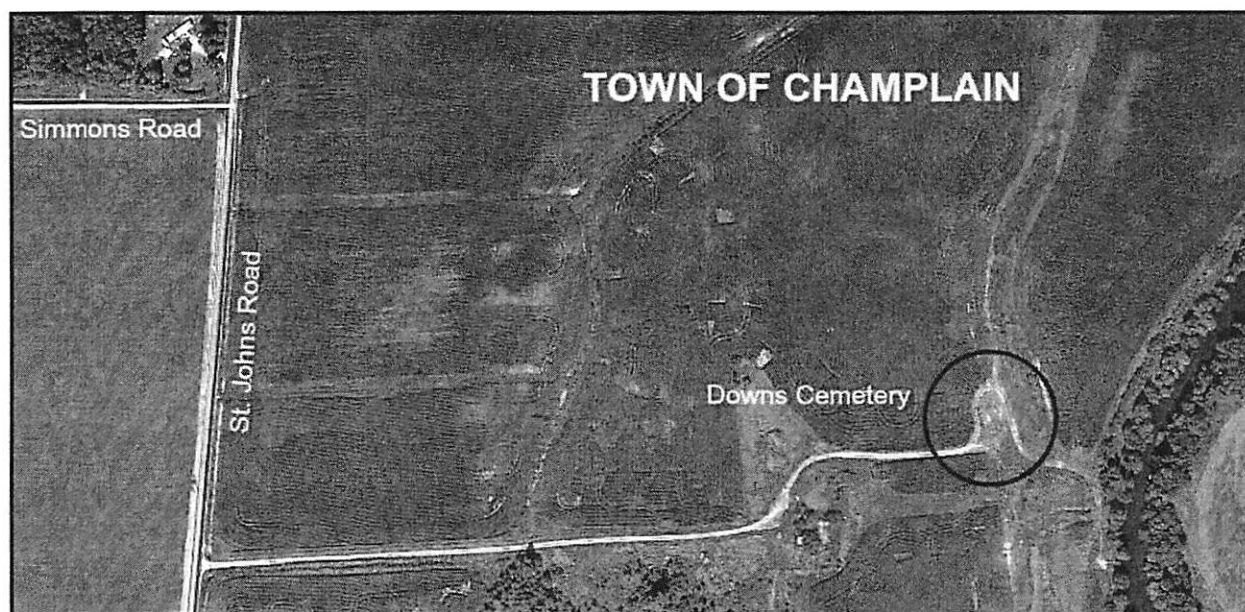
Funeral services were held Saturday, September 17, at 9:30 in St. John's Church. The solemn high Mass was celebrated by Rev. Aloysius R. Isele, assisted by Rev. Herbert Hannan as deacon and Rev. Manuel Belleville as sub-deacon. Interment took place in St. Augustine's cemetery, Peru, where Rev. Arthur Trudell recited the committal prayers.

The pallbearers, all great-nephews of the deceased, were Francis Hughes, Stanley Hughes, and Roger Forrence of Peru, Herbert Ryan, Philip Langey and Edward Potter of Plattsburgh.

Out of town people who attended the funeral were Donald Downs, Kerkonkson; Mrs. John B. Coleman, Springfield, Mass.; Mrs. Floy Neely, Albany; Mr. and Mrs. Neil Courneen and Miss Blanche Tremblay, Danvers; Mrs. George Hornmann, Saratoga; Mrs. Thomas Hughes, Miss Elizabeth Hughes, Mr. William Hughes, Mrs. Frank Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. James Fitzpatrick, Mr. and Mrs. John J. Downs, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Forrence, and Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Hartwell of Peru, Sanford Forrence, Keeseville; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lytle, Malone, and Mrs. C. D. Paquet, Lacolle, P. Q.



## ANOTHER DOWNS FAMILY...THIS ONE FROM CHAMPLAIN



### DESCENDANTS OF JAMES DOWNS GENERATION 1

1. **JAMES<sup>1</sup> DOWNS** was born in 1792 in Albany County NY. He died on Mar 23, 1865 in Champlain, NY. He married (1) **FREEDOM RIDER (Ryther)** in Champlain, NY. She was born on Dec 17, 1795 in Conway, MA. She died on Apr 04, 1862 in Champlain, NY. He married (2) **ELIZABETH**.

James Downs and Freedom Rider had the following children:

2.
  - i. **DANIEL<sup>2</sup> DOWNS** was born on Aug 22, 1822. He died on Dec 30, 1907 in Quebec. He married ANN MORGAN. She was born in 1821 in Armagh, Ireland. She died on Apr 19, 1875.
  - ii. **ELLEN JANE DOWNS** was born on May 02, 1824. She died 1910 in Paris, TX
  3.
    - iii. **WILLIAM DOWNS** was born on Oct 23, 1826. He died on Aug 25, 1892 in Mooers, NY. He married MARCELLINE DANIELS. She was born Oct 16, 1832. She died on Jan 24, 1928.
    - iv. **PETER Y. DOWNS** was born on Sep 28, 1828. He died on Mar 06, 1853 in Champlain, NY.
    - v. **ALVIRA DOWNS** was born on Aug 29, 1830. She died on Sep 01, 1844 in Champlain, NY
    - vi. **CATHERINE DOWNS** was born on Feb 26, 1833. She died on Sep 01, 1844 in Mooers, NY.
    - vii. **CHARITY DOWNS** was born in 1839. She died on Jan 19, 1892 in Nashville, MI
    - viii. **HENRY DOWNS** was born in 1843.
    - ix. **JEREMIAH DOWNS**.

### GENERATION 2

2. **DANIEL<sup>2</sup> DOWNS** (James<sup>1</sup>) was born on Aug 22, 1822. He died on Dec 30, 1907 in Quebec. He married **ANN MORGAN**. She was born in 1821 in Armagh, Ireland. She died on Apr 19, 1875.

Daniel Downs and Ann Morgan had the following children:

- i. JAMES<sup>3</sup> DOWNS was born on Jan 16, 1847.
- ii. ELLIOT MORGAN DOWNS was born on Mar 20, 1854. He died on Nov 25, 1889.
4. iii. MARGARET ALMIRA DOWNS was born on Aug 12, 1857 in Champlain, NY. She died on Sep 19, 1924 in Mooers, NY. She married HENRY A. BROWN. He was born on Mar 20, 1854 in Hemmingford, Québec. He died on Nov 13, 1934 in Mooers, NY.
- iv. WILLIAM PETER DOWNS was born on Jun 10, 1859. He died on Nov 01, 1942 in Cardiff, CA.
- v. JAMES ELLIOT DOWNS was born on Oct 08, 1863. He died in 1954 in San Diego, CA
3. WILLIAM<sup>2</sup> DOWNS (James<sup>1</sup>) was born on Oct 23, 1826. He died on Aug 25, 1892 in Mooers, NY. He married MARCELLINE DANIELS. She was born on Oct 16, 1832. She died on Jan 24, 1928.

William Downs and Marcelline Daniels had the following children:

- i. SEWARD J.<sup>3</sup> DOWNS was born on Jun 14, 1862. He died on Sep 02, 1885.
- ii. ELLEN DOWNS was born in 1864.
5. iii. HORACE GREELEY DOWNS was born on Nov 03, 1865 in New York. He died on Feb 06, 1926. He married (1) JOSEPHINE RABIDEAU on Feb 05, 1889. She was born on May 28, 1870 in New York. She died on Jul 14, 1946 in Mooers, NY. He married (2) ALICE GAUTHIER. She was born about 1865.
- iv. JAMES DOWNS.
- v. ESTHER DOWNS.

### GENERATION 3

#### Seward J. Downs

SCIOTA — Seward J. Downs, 75, died Friday morning at the CVPH Medical Center.

He was born Sept. 2, 1905 in Mooers, the son of Greeley and Josephine (Rabideau) Downs.

Survivors include his wife, the former Mary Duprey; a son, Ralph S. Downs of Plattsburgh; four daughters, Mrs. Richard (Alice) Gillberg of Rochester, Mrs. Donald (Violet) Feazelle and Mrs. Orville (Doris) Fredette, both of Plattsburgh and Mrs. James (Hazel) Snavely of Sedalia, Mo.; a brother, Leon Downs of Beekmantown; a sister, Mrs. Lawrence (Della) Boisse of Plattsburgh and 13 grandchildren.

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4. MARGARET ALMIRA<sup>3</sup> DOWNS (Daniel<sup>2</sup>, James<sup>1</sup>) was born Aug 12, 1857 in Champlain, NY. She died on Sep 19, 1924 in Mooers, NY. She married HENRY A. BROWN. He was born on Mar 20, 1854 in Hemmingford, Québec. He died on Nov 13, 1934 in Mooers, NY. Henry A. Brown and Margaret Almira Downs had the following child:

6. i. PERCY JACKSON<sup>4</sup> BROWN was born on Feb 04, 1898 in Covey Hill, Quebec, Quebec. He died on Apr 11, 1965 in Lakeland, FL. He married LULA SEAMANS. She was born about 1900.

5. HORACE GREELEY<sup>3</sup> DOWNS (William<sup>2</sup>, James<sup>1</sup>) was born on Nov 03, 1865 in New York. He died on Feb 06, 1926. He married (1) JOSEPHINE RABIDEAU, daughter of Rabideau, on Feb 05, 1889. She was born on May 28, 1870 in New York. She died on Jul 14, 1946 in Mooers, NY. He married (2) ALICE GAUTHIER. She was born about 1865. Horace Greeley Downs and Josephine Rabideau had the following children:

i. DELLA M.<sup>4</sup> DOWNS was born on Jul 21, 1901. She died on Sep 18, 1989. She married LAWRENCE A. BOISSY. He was born on Apr 27, 1903. He died on May 20, 1996.

7. ii. SEWARD J. DOWNS was born on Sep 02, 1905 in Mooers, NY. He died on May 01, 1981 in Plattsburgh, NY. He married Mary Duprey, daughter of Walter

Duprey and Elizabeth Gebo, on Dec 20, 1934 in Mooers, NY. She was born on Mar 14, 1915 in Mooers, NY. She died on Jan 11, 2018 in Plattsburgh, NY.

- iii. LEON R. DOWNS was born on Apr 13, 1915. He died on Oct 12, 1982 in Plattsburgh, NY. He married CLARA BREAN. She was born about 1915.

Horace Greeley Downs and Alice Gauthier had the following children:

- iv. MARY BERNADETTE DOWNS was born on Dec 09, 1889.  
8 v. MABEL E. DOWNS was born on Apr 18, 1890 in Mooers Forks, NY. She died on Mar 05, 1976 in Saranac Lake, NY. She married (1) WILLARD WRAY. He was born in 1883. He died on Nov 07, 1918 in Mooers, NY

She married (2) ROGER R. HICKOK. He

was born on Oct 21, 1878. He died on Feb 15, 1945.

- vi. WILLIAM H. DOWNS was born on Nov 03, 1897 in New York. Died He died on Nov 04, 1980.

- vii. LILLIAN M. DOWNS was born on Dec 15, 1899. viii. WILLIAM M. DOWNS was born on Jul 21, 1901.

- ix. RALPH DOWNS was born in 1904.

#### GENERATION 4

6. PERCY JACKSON<sup>4</sup> BROWN (Margaret Almira<sup>3</sup> Downs, Daniel<sup>2</sup> Downs, James<sup>1</sup> Downs) was born on Feb 04, 1898 in Covey Hill, Quebec. He died on Apr 11, 1965 in Lakeland, FL. He married LULA SEAMANS. She was born about 1900.

Percy Jackson Brown and Lula Seamans had the following children:

- i. GLADYS EVELYN<sup>5</sup> BROWN was born on Oct 03, 1917 in Lacolle, Quebec. She died on Nov 07, 2005 in Orange City, FL

9. ii. ROSS JACKSON BROWN was born on Jun 20, 1927 in Mooers, NY. He died on Nov 21, 2008 in Queensbury, NY. He married Beverly in 1948. She was born about 1930.

10. iii. CLIFFORD H BROWN was born about 1930. He married VEDA MARIE KING. She was born on Dec 10, 1933 in Elizabethtown, NY. She died on Apr 22, 2008 in Peru, NY.

- iv. DORIS BROWN was born about 1930. She married TERRENCE TRUDEAU. He was born about 1930.

- v. DOUGLAS BROWN was born about 1930. He married HELEN. She was born about 1930.

- vi. JOYCE MARGARET BROWN was born on Jun 05, 1934. She died on Mar 06, 1936.

7. SEWARD J.<sup>4</sup> DOWNS (Horace Greeley<sup>3</sup>, William<sup>2</sup>, James<sup>1</sup>) was born on Sep 02, 1905 in Mooers, NY. He died on May 01, 1981 in Plattsburgh, NY. He married Mary Duprey, daughter of Walter Duprey and Elizabeth Gebo, on Dec 20, 1934 in Mooers, NY. She was born on Mar 14, 1915 in Mooers, NY. She died on Jan 11, 2018 in Plattsburgh, NY

Seward J. Downs and Mary Duprey had the following children:

11. i. ALICE<sup>5</sup> DOWNS was born about 1935. She married RICHARD GILLBERG. He was born about 1935.

12. ii. VIOLET DOWNS was born about 1935. She married DONALD FEAZELLE. He was born about 1935. He died before 2018.

- iii. DORIS DOWNS was born about 1940. She married ORVILLE FREDETTE. He was born about 1840.

#### OBITUARY

Willard Wray, of Mooers Forks, N. Y., died at his home on Thursday, November 7, after a short illness of influenza. Willard was 35 years of age, a well known citizen of Mooers Forks, and much loved by his many friends. Everyone knew him to be most obliging and always ready with a kind word or act.

He leaves to mourn his loss a wife and son, father, mother, three brothers, and a sister, all of whom reside in the town of Mooers.

Willard will be greatly missed by his many friends but we believe he has gone home to be with Jesus, the one in whom he put his trust and one that doeth all things well.

The funeral services were held at his father's home on November 8th, Rev. J. C. Long officiating.

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13. iv. **HAZEL DOWNS** was born about 1940. She married **JAMES SNAVELY**. He was born about 1940.

v. **RALPH S. DOWNS** was born about 1940.

8. **MABEL E. DOWNS** (Horace Greeley<sup>3</sup>, William<sup>2</sup>, James<sup>1</sup>) was born on Apr 18, 1890 in Mooers Forks, NY. She died on Mar 05, 1976 in Saranac Lake, NY. She married (1) **WILLARD WRAY**. He was born in 1883. He died on Nov 07, 1918 in Mooers Forks, NY. She married (2) **ROGER R. HICKOK**. He was born on Oct 21, 1878. He died on Feb 15, 1945.

Willard Wray and Mabel E. Downs had the following child:

14. i.. **GAYLORD J. WRAY** was born on Jun 08, 1913. He died on Dec 02, 1968 in Redford, NY. He married **ISABEL PETERSON**. She was born about 1915.

Roger R. Hickok and Mabel E. Downs had the following child:

- i. **ROBERT HICKOK** was born about 1915.

## GENERATION 5

**QUEENSBURY** -- Ross Jackson Brown, 80, of Queensbury, passed away Wednesday, Nov. 21, 2007, with his loving family at his side following a long illness.

Born in Mooers, N.Y., on June 20, 1927, he was the son of the late Percy and Lula (Seamans) Brown.

Ross was a long-time member of the Elks, where you would often see him calling bingo.

He was also a 42-year volunteer fireman in Peru. Ross was Fireman of the Year in 1982, Grand Marshall for the County Fireman Races in 1983 and Deputy Fire Coordinator for Clinton County for over 20 years.

Ross was a veteran of World War II, serving with the Army Air Force.

He enjoyed many years of camping with family, golfing with friends and singing with the Barbershoppers. Ross and his wife, Bev, retired to Zephyrhills, Fla., to enjoy the warmer weather after raising their family in Peru.

Ross was predeceased by his parents, his infant sister, Joyce, and his sister Gladys.

Survivors include his wife of 59 years, Beverley, and their children, Steve and wife, Becky, of St.

Louis, Mo.; Linda Casey and husband, Dan, of Thurman; Julie Anderson, of Queensbury; Layne, of Virginia Beach, Va.; and Lori Salotto and husband, Anthony, of Norton, Mass.; grandchildren, Mikel Brown, Johanna Brown, Jennifer Marrero and husband, Ivan; Becky Denué-Hourigan and husband, John; David Anderson, Bryon Brown, Kyle Brown, Jennifer Price and husband, Bryan; Stacey Salotto and Ross Salotto. He is also survived by his sister, Doris Trudeau and husband, Terence, of Snyder; brothers, Douglas and wife, Helen; Clifford and wife, Veda, both of Peru; and cousin Charles Seamans and wife, Cathy, of Avon, Fla.; as well as several other cousins, nieces, nephews and many close friends.

Memorial services will be held 10 a.m. on Tuesday, Nov. 27, 2007, at Regan and Denny Funeral Home, 53 Quaker Road, Queensbury, with the Rev. Flossie Bates officiating.

Internment with full military honors will follow in Gerald B.H. Solomon Saratoga National Veteran's Cemetery, Duell Road, Schuylerville.

The family wishes to invite everyone for light refreshments following the interment to Julie and Bev's home at 125 Grant Avenue Extension, Queensbury.

Ross' family would like to thank High Peaks Hospice, Glens Falls Hospital, 3 West B and Adirondack Tri County Nursing Home for the wonderful care he received.

The B.P.O.E. Lodge 81 will conduct a Lodge of Sorrow Tuesday at 9:30 a.m. at the funeral home. In lieu of flowers, Ross' family requests memorial donations to High Peaks Hospice, 667 Bay Road, Suite 1, Queensbury, N.Y. 12804 or to the Peru Fire Department, Bear Swamp Road, Peru, N.Y. 12972.

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9. **ROSS JACKSON<sup>5</sup> BROWN** (Percy Jackson<sup>4</sup>, Margaret Almira<sup>3</sup> Downs, Daniel<sup>2</sup> Downs, James<sup>1</sup> Downs) was born on Jun 20, 1927 in Mooers, NY. He died on Nov 21, 2008 in Queensbury, NY. He married Beverly in 1948. She was born about 1930.

Ross Jackson Brown and Beverly had the following children:

- i. **STEVE<sup>6</sup> BROWN** was born about 1950. He married **BECKY**. She was born about 1950

- ii. LINDA BROWN was born about 1950. She married DAN CASEY. He was born about 1950.
- iii. JULIE BROWN was born about 1950. She married ANDERSON. He was born about 1950.
- iv. LAYNE BROWN was born about 1950.
- 15. v. LORI BROWN was born about 1955. She married ANTHONY SALLOTO. He was born about 1955.

10. **CLIFFORD H<sup>5</sup> BROWN** (Percy Jackson<sup>4</sup>, Margaret Almira<sup>3</sup> Downs, Daniel<sup>2</sup> Downs, James<sup>1</sup> Downs) was born about 1930. He married **VEDA MARIE KING**. She was born on Dec 10, 1933 in Elizabethtown, NY. She died on Apr 22, 2008 in Peru, NY.

Clifford H Brown and Veda Marie King had the following children:

- i. **RANDY<sup>6</sup> BROWN** was born about 1960.
- 16. ii. **RODNEY BROWN** was born about 1960. He married SARAH MATZKIN. She was born about 1960.
- iii. **RONALD BROWN** was born about 1960. He married HEATHER. She was born about 1960.

PERU – Mrs. Veda Marie Brown, 74, of Holden Avenue, Peru, passed away April 22, 2008, at her home with her loving family by her side.

She was born in Elizabethtown, Dec. 10, 1933, the daughter of Victor and Emmaline (Denton) King. Veda graduated from Elizabethtown School and spent most of her adult life in Peru. Veda had fond memories of her simple, carefree childhood, playing with friends and family in Elizabethtown. She was employed by New York Telephone and later Grand Union, where she worked for 17 years prior to retirement in 1992. She greatly enjoyed conversing with the customers of Grand Union and her neighbors and community members.

Veda also enjoyed traveling, particularly to lush, subtropical climates with abundant flowers. She derived her greatest joy, however, from her family and enjoyed following their successes and progress and helping to console them during their hardships.

Veda is survived by her husband of 51 years, Clifford H. Brown of Peru; three sons, Randy Brown and companion Kathy Bunney of Greenbush, Rodney Brown and wife Sarah of Peru and Ronald Brown and wife Heather of Honeoye Falls; two sisters, Marge DiCarlo and husband Al of Sciota and Cheryl Ferris of Glens Falls; five grandchildren, Christian (15), Casey (12), Rebecca (14), Sonja (14) and Kyle (10); and several nieces and nephews.

Veda was predeceased by her parents.

There will be no public calling hours. A funeral service will be private and at the convenience of the family. Burial will be in the God's Acre Cemetery in Peru.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Hospice of the North Country, 43 Durkee St., Suite 200, Plattsburgh, N.Y., 12901.

Arrangements are in the care of the Hamilton Funeral Home, 294 Mannix Road, Peru.

11. **ALICE<sup>5</sup> DOWNS** (Seward J.<sup>4</sup>, Horace Greeley<sup>3</sup>, William<sup>2</sup>, James<sup>1</sup>) was born about 1935. She married **RICHARD GILLBERG**. He was born about 1935.

Richard Gillberg and Alice Downs had the following children:

- 17. i. **ELIZABETH<sup>6</sup> GILLBERG** was born about 1960. She married STEVEN ALLOCCO. He was born about 1960. ii. **JAMES GILLBERG** was born about 1960. He married ROBIN DELONG. She was born about 1960.
  - 12. **VIOLET<sup>5</sup> DOWNS** (Seward J.<sup>4</sup>, Horace Greeley<sup>3</sup>, William<sup>2</sup>, James<sup>1</sup>) was born about 1935. She married **DONALD FEAZELLE**. He was born about 1935. He died before 2018.
- Donald Feazelle and Violet Downs had the following children:
- 18. i. **DONALD<sup>6</sup> FEAZELLE** was born about 1960. He married KATHY. She was born about 1960.



- ii. ALAN FEAZELLE was born about 1960. He married CHRISTINE. She was born about 1960.
  - iii. TERRY FEAZELLE was born about 1965.
  - iv. RANDY FEAZELLE was born about 1965.
- 13. **HAZEL<sup>5</sup> DOWNS** (Seward J.<sup>4</sup>, Horace Greeley<sup>3</sup>, William<sup>2</sup>, James<sup>1</sup>) was born about 1940. She married **JAMES SNAVELY**. He was born about 1940. James Snavely and Hazel Downs had the following children:
  - i. SUSAN<sup>6</sup> SNAVELY was born about 1965.
  - ii. SONYA SNAVELY was born about 1965. She married ALAN FOSTER. He was born about 1965.
- iii. SHARON SNAVELY was born about 1965. She married JAMES KIELY. He was born about 1965.
- iv. SANDRA SNAVELY was born about 1965. She married ERIK DUNNING. He was born about 1965.
- 14. **GAYLORD J. WRAY** (Mabel E. Downs, Horace Greeley<sup>3</sup> Downs, William<sup>2</sup> Downs, James<sup>1</sup> Downs) was born on Jun 08, 1913. He died on Dec 02, 1968 in Redford. He married **ISABEL PETERSON**. She was born about 1915. Gaylord J. Wray and Isabel Peterson had the following child:
  - i. JEFFREY WRAY was born about 1945.
- 15. **LORI<sup>6</sup> BROWN** (Ross Jackson<sup>5</sup>, Percy Jackson<sup>4</sup>, Margaret Almira<sup>3</sup> Downs, Daniel<sup>2</sup> Downs, James<sup>1</sup> Downs) was born about 1955. She married **ANTHONY SALLOTO**. He was born about 1955. Anthony Salloto and Lori Brown had the following children:
  - i. STACEY<sup>7</sup> SALLOTO was born about 1980.
  - ii. ROSS SALLOTO was born about 1980.
- 16. **RODNEY<sup>6</sup> BROWN** (Clifford H<sup>5</sup>, Percy Jackson<sup>4</sup>, Margaret Almira<sup>3</sup> Downs, Daniel<sup>2</sup> Downs, James<sup>1</sup> Downs) was born about 1960. He married **SARAH MATZKIN**. She was born about 1960. Rodney Brown and Sarah Matzkin had the following children:
  - i. REBECCA<sup>7</sup> BROWN was born about 1985.
  - ii. SONJA BROWN was born about 1985.
- 17. **ELIZABETH<sup>6</sup> GILLBERG** (Alice<sup>5</sup> Downs, Seward J.<sup>4</sup> Downs, Horace Greeley<sup>3</sup> Downs, William<sup>2</sup> Downs, James<sup>1</sup> Downs) was born about 1960. She married **STEVEN ALLOCCO**. He was born about 1960. Steven Allocco and Elizabeth Gillberg had the following children:
  - i. VINCENT<sup>7</sup> ALLOCCO was born about 1985.
  - ii. ADAM ALLOCCO was born about 1985.
- 18. **DONALD<sup>6</sup> FEAZELLE** (Violet<sup>5</sup> Downs, Seward J.<sup>4</sup> Downs, Horace Greeley<sup>3</sup> Downs, William<sup>2</sup> Downs, James<sup>1</sup> Downs) was born about 1960. He married **KATHY**. She was born about 1960. Donald Feazelle and Kathy had the following child:
  - i. DONALD<sup>7</sup> FEAZELLE was born about 1985.

### **Seward J. Downs**

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From "The Chronicles of Oklahoma" – Ellen Down's thoughts on beginning missionary work. In December 1856, a new teacher arrived at Bloomfield Academy — Miss Ellen J. Downs who taught at the school until 1866 when she moved to Paris, Texas. She was totally dedicated to her work and her friends continually remarked on her devotion to teaching which she continued until her death on May 2, 1910. Leaving a vivid account of her early life and her adventures at Bloomfield Academy, her writings provide a unique insight into the early missionary efforts in Indian Territory.

My father, James Downs, was born in Albany County, NY. My mother, Freedom Rider, was born in Deerfield, MA. They were married in Champlain, NY, and moved immediately to Hemmingford, Quebec, where I was born Dec. 4, 1824. My parents moved back to Champlain, NY, during my infancy and settled on a farm where they spent the remainder of their days.

The Spirit of God moved upon my heart while I was quite young, though I had no religious instruction. In the fall of 1837, in a protracted meeting held in our neighborhood by the Rev. Mr. [John] Graves and Rev. Mr. [Oren] Greeg, I sought and obtained God's pardoning love. My father, mother and two brothers were made happy partakers of God's redeeming grace. I, with them, united with the church on probation on the 5th day of December, the day after I was 13 years old, and during all these 67 years God's mercy and grace have never failed me, though I have passed through many sorrows. In 1844, I had two sisters drowned in a duck pond which was a great sorrow to all our family.

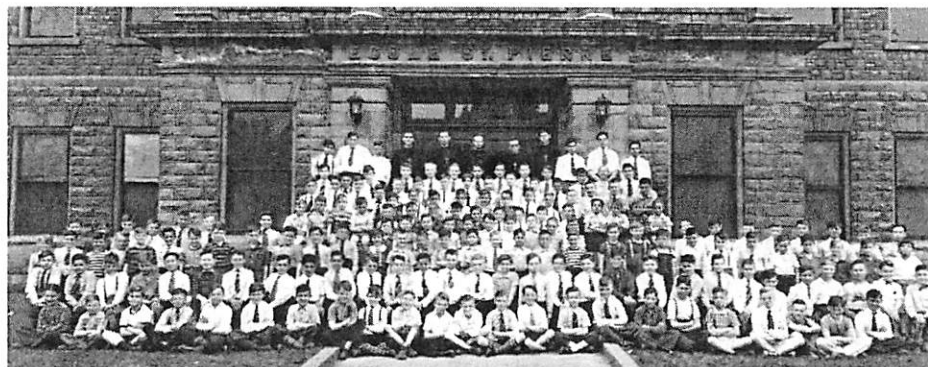
I had felt, almost from the time of my conversion, a strong impression and desire to become a missionary to the Indians, for they were the only heathen that I knew anything about at that time. But I did not see any way for me to become a missionary. So, I thought I will do the best I can for the glory of God and the salvation of souls at home. I commenced teaching school and gave religious instruction daily and was glad of the opportunity to teach the young and tender minds the way of life.

Near the close of the eighth session of my school, I received a letter from Mr. John H. Carr, missionary at Bloomfield Academy, Chickasaw Nation, Indian Territory, saying that I had been recommended to him as suitable person to engage in the missionary work. And it was on this wise. A Presbyterian missionary had gone on to New York in search of help for his school, and I was recommended to him, but I was a Methodist, and he wanted a Presbyterian, for a Presbyterian school, but he thought of Brother Carr's needing help and he wrote to him of me.

I showed Brother Carr's letter to my pastor and Presiding Elder, who advised me to send a copy of the letter to Bishop Edmund S. Janes which I did and received a prompt reply telling me to go. I then answered Brother Carr's letter telling him that I would go.

As soon as my school was out, I began to prepare for my departure, and on the 28th day of October 1856, I bade farewell to father, mother, brothers, and sisters, and took a steamer on Lake Champlain to Whitehall, NY, there changed for railroad cars which conveyed me into the city of New York where I spent several days with a cousin who lived there. There I took the Ocean Steamer Philadelphia bound for New Orleans, LA.

I engaged my passage on a Mississippi river boat which took me to Shreveport, LA, and there I changed for a smaller boat to Jefferson, TX. From Jefferson to Dangerfield, TX, I came by stage and from there to Bloomfield Academy, Indian Territory, by private conveyance. I was a month making the whole trip and was kindly received by the missionary family. I immediately began my mission work



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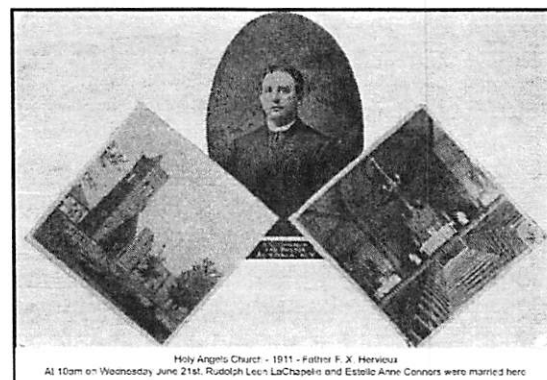
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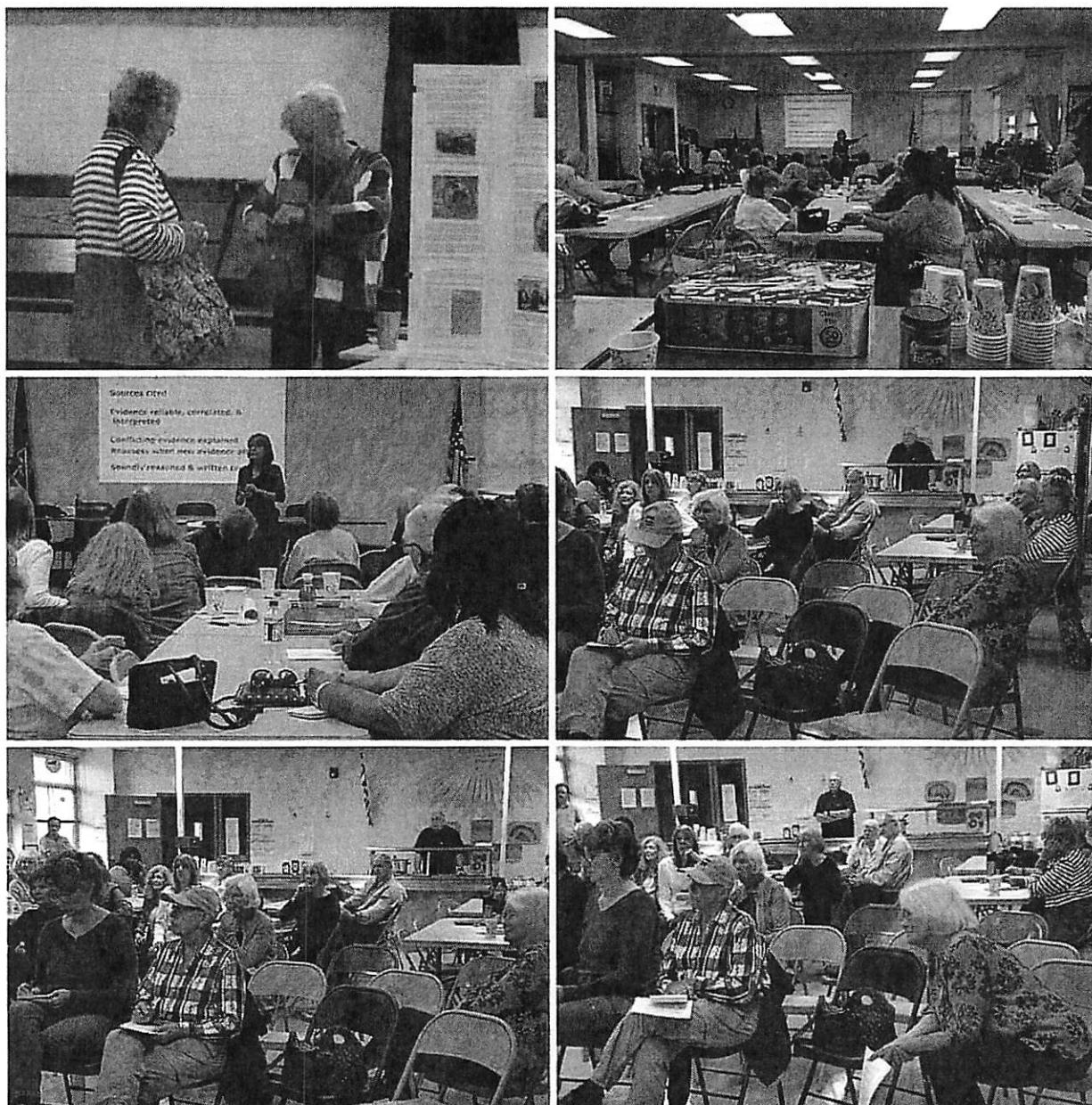
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Our conference speakers this year were Nancy Smith and Julie Dowd. Nancy spoke about strategies to overcome your stonewalls and find the hidden women in your family tree. Julie gave a presentation on how to find your Civil War Ancestors.

A surprise speaker was Johanne Gervais from the Quebec Genealogical Society which is an online genealogy research website with hundreds of genealogical links. <https://www.quebecfamilysearch.com/> Joanne will be one of our speakers at next year's conference.

We've uncovered some embarrassing ancestors in the not-too-distant past. Some horse thieves, and some people killed on Saturday nights. One of my relatives, unfortunately, was even in the newspaper business." – **Jimmy Carter**



