

# *Ancestors of George Leonard Murray*

## *Generation No. 1*

**1. George Leonard Murray**<sup>1,2</sup>, born 30 Jul 1910 in Wakeman, Huron County, Oh; died 21 May 1990 in Maple Hts., Cuyahoga County, Oh. He was the son of **2. James Lawrence Murray** and **3. Catherine Rose McMahon**. He married **(1) Marie Martha Vourron**<sup>2</sup> 30 Nov 1940 in St. Agnus Church, Cleveland, Ohio<sup>3</sup>. She was born 04 Jul 1919 in Cleveland, Cuyahoga County, Oh, and died 13 Apr 1994 in Cuyahoga County, Oh. She was the daughter of Louis (Richard) Clovis Vourron and Amanda Shirk.

Notes for George Leonard Murray:

Descendents of Michael Beeghly and Barro Iken, Book III, Joseph Beeghly and Mary Keagy; page 73  
Family Group #730C. Debra Lynn Richards, 730, Fernway St., Maple Hts. Ohio, was b. Mar.12, 1955 at Uniontown, Pennsylvania. m. Lawrence M. Murray who was b. Apr. 26,1951 at Maple Hts., Ohio, son of George Murray and Marie. Delivery truck driver. Catholic. Lisa Marie, Sept. 12,1974.

George was the Grandfather of my two daughters, Carrie and Lisa. A kind man willing to do anything for his Grand-daughters and myself. George was a devoted father, grandfather and father in law. An Irish Catholic man who served his church well.

Note: Another online tree which has this man listed has his two granddaughters' mother listed as Living Living instead of Living Richards.

Obituary:

GEORGE L. MURRAY, of Maple Hts., Oh., beloved husband of Marie (nee Vourron), dear father of Thomas, Dennis and Lawrence, grandfather of six, brother of Ann Keith, Mary K. Murray, Robert, Alfred, Louis and the late Paul, Lawrence and Joseph Murray. Died Monday. Memorial Mass will be held at 9:30 a.m. Friday, May 25, 1990 at St. Pius X Catholic Church, Bedford, Oh. Arrangements by Johnson-Romito, a Golden Rule Funeral Home, (232-1441). No visitation. (Cleveland Plain Dealer, May 23, 1990)

Author's note: We are aware that on another online tree, the author has chosen to add two male children under the marriage of Living King to Living Murray. This information is inaccurate. Through their own postings of a desire to have a correct online tree, we have contacted them of the error. The response in why the incorrect information is posted was..."Although it may not be technically correct, we are not concern about blood lines."

More About George Leonard Murray:

Burial: Hillcrest, Bedford Hts. Ohio

Cremation: 22 May 1990, Hillcrest Memorial Park, Bedford Hts., Oh

Social Security Number: 282-01-3601

Notes for Marie Martha Vourron:

Descendents of Michael Beeghly and Barro Iken, Book III, Joseph Beeghly and Mary Keagy; page 73  
Family Group #730C. Debra Lynn Richards, 730, Fernway St., Maple Hts. Ohio, was b. Mar.12, 1955 at Uniontown, Pennsylvania. m. Lawrence M. Murray who was b. Apr. 26,1951 at Maple Hts., Ohio, son of George Murray and Marie. Delivery truck driver. Catholic. Lisa Marie, Sept. 12,1974.

According to her birth certificate, she was born at 990 Ivanhoe Road, which was the usual residence of mother at time of delivery. She was delivered by Dr. Bernike, E. 152nd Street & Aspinwall, Cleveland, Ohio.

Marie was the Grandmother of my two daughters, Lisa Marie Murray and Carrie Ann Murray. Marie was more than merely a mother-in-law. She had the actions, love and concern of a mother. I think in part, Marie always wanted a daughter, and I became that daughter to her. Even after my divorce from her son, we remained very close.

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After Marie's husband George died, the girls and I would pick Marie up on Sundays after church and take her to breakfast with us. Times that we can look back on with very fond memories. She adored her grandchildren and we know she would have equally adored MacCaila. At present when we kiss MacCaila we say, Grandma Murray kisses for Mac! We loved her dearly and miss her to this day. Marie was will be the one and only Grandma Murray in our family.

Name: Marie Murray  
Gender: Female  
Date of Death: 13 April 1994  
Birth Date: 04 July 1919  
Volume: 29784  
Certificate: 027920  
Social Security Number: 301366403  
Father's Surname: Vourron  
Time of Death: 10:25 AM  
Marital Status: Widowed  
Place of Death: Hospital/Inpatient  
Years of Schooling: 12  
Cremation  
Birth Place: Cleveland, Cuyahoga County, Ohio  
Residence: Ohio  
Age: 74

Obituary: MARIE MURRAY (nee Vourron) of Maple Hts. Beloved wife of the late George L., dear mother of Thomas, Dennis, and Lawrence, dear grandmother of six. Preceded in death by three sisters and three brothers. Died Wednesday. A memorial Mass will be held at 9:30 a.m. Saturday, April 16, 1994 at St. Pius X Catholic Church, Bedford, OH. Johnson-Romito, a Golden Rule Funeral Home, in charge of arrangements (232-1441). No visitation. [Cleveland Plain Dealer, April 15, 1994]

More About Marie Martha Vourron:

Burial: Hillcrest, Bedford Hts. Ohio  
Cremation: 14 Apr 1994, Hillcrest Memorial Park, Bedford Hts., Oh  
Social Security Number: 301-36-6403

#### *Generation No. 2*

**2. James Lawrence Murray**, born 04 Jun 1867 in Wakeman, Huron County, Ohio<sup>4</sup>; died 01 Apr 1958 in Fisher-Titus Memorial Hospital, Norwalk, Huron County, Ohio<sup>5</sup>. He was the son of **4. James C. Murray** and **5. Catherine Guthrie**. He married **3. Catherine Rose McMahan** 24 Oct 1905 in Bellevue, Ohio<sup>6</sup>.

**3. Catherine Rose McMahan**, born 23 Apr 1881 in Lynne, Huron County, Ohio; died 26 Apr 1958 in Wakeman, Huron County, Ohio<sup>7</sup>. She was the daughter of **6. Patrick McMahan** and **7. Catherine McCartney**.

Notes for James Lawrence Murray:

According to a newspaper article below and some Murray family members, James was born in a log cabin East of Wakeman, along the railroad tracks on what used to be the John Dunn Farm. The Murrays came from County Clare, Ireland, and came to Wakeman to help build the railroad.

1880 census in Wakeman, Huron County, Ohio:

Murray, James, age 38, occ: farmer  
Catharine, age 38, occ: keeping house  
Mary, age 16  
Maggie, age 14  
Anna, age 14 (twin to Maggie)  
James, age 13  
Thomas, age 13 (twin of James)  
Cassie, age 7  
Nora, age 1

James and Catharine were born in Ireland, as were their parents. All the children in this census were born in Ohio. What a good Irish Catholic family, two sets of twins and three more besides!

\*The Chronicle Telegraph; page 26; Wednesday June 5th, 1957

Resident Celebrates Birthday

WAKEMAN--- James Murray, Pearl St., village postmaster from 1914 to 1924 and a state highway department foreman, yesterday celebrated his 90th birthday.

Visitors to his home to help him celebrate were his son, Lewis, cashier at the Wakeman Bank, and family, and daughter, Mrs. Burton (Ann) Keith, and family. Keith is the present Wakeman postmaster.

\* Murray was born in a log cabin just east of Wakeman.

He married the former Katherine McMann [sic], of Bellevue, in October, 1905. They have seven boys and two girls. A daughter, Mary Katherine, lives at home and the other six sons live in Cleveland.

They have 30 grandchildren.

1930 census in Wakeman, Huron County, Oh:

Murray, James L. age 62; occupation -carpenter, born in Ohio, both parents born in Irish Free State

Katherine R., wife, age 49; born in Ohio, mother born in Ohio, Father born in Irish Free State

Paul, son, age 16; born in Ohio

Mary K., daughter, age 13; born in Ohio

Lewis P., son, age 11; born in Ohio

Alfred C., son, age 9; born in Ohio

Ann, daughter, age 5; born in Ohio

His death certificate lists his date of birth as May 4, 1867 in Wakeman, Ohio. He died while in the Fisher-Titus Memorial Hospital and his cause of death was congestive heart failure; which occurred at 1 AM on 04/01/1958. He was 90 yrs. old at the time of death. Mother's maiden name listed as Catherine Guthrie and Father was James C. Murray.

Obituary:

The Chronicle Telegram, Eylria Ohio, Tuesday April 1, 1958; page 10:

Area Deaths

James L. Murray

WAKEMAN- James L. Murray, 90, of 39 Pearl St. died at 1 a.m. today in Fisher-Titus Memorial Hospital, Norwalk, following a two - day illness.

Mr. Murray was born in Wakeman and was a lifelong resident of the village. He served as postmaster from 1914 to 1924 and was a council member for several years. He retired as a carpenter a few years ago.

He was a member of St. Mary's Church, the Holy Name Society and the Maccabees Lodge.

Survivors are his wife Catherine; two daughters, Miss Mary Catherine at home, an Mrs. Ann Keith, Wakeman; seven sons, Lawrence, Toledo, Robert and Joseph both of Cleveland, George, Maple Heights, Paul, Lakewood, Louis, Wakeman and Alfred, Brecksville; 30 grandchildren and a brother, Mathias, Lorain.

Friends may call at the Gerber Funeral Home after 5 p.m. tomorrow. The Rosary will be recited in the funeral home Thursday at 9 p.m. Services will be Friday at 10 a.m. in St. Mary's Church. The Rev. Karl L Burgerwill officiate. Burial will be in St. Mary's Cemetery.

And another obituary in the Cleveland Newspapers

Id#: 0647606

Name: Murray, James L.

Date: Apr 3 1958

Source: Source unknown; Cleveland Necrology File, Reel #138.

Notes: Murray, James L., 39 Pearl Street, Wakeman, O.; passed away April 1; beloved husband of Catherine (nee McMahan); father of Miss Mary Catherine at home, Mrs. Ann Keith at Wakeman, O., Lawrence of Toledo, Robert and Joseph of Cleveland, George of Maple Heights, Paul of Lakewood, Louis of Wakeman, Alfred of Brecksville, and grandfather; brother of Mathias of Lorain, O. Friends may call at the Gerber Funeral Home, 16. Cooper Street, Wakeman. After 5 P. M. Wednesday, Resary at the home Thursday 9 p. m. Funeral services Friday, April 4, at 10 a. m. from the Wakeman St. Mary's Catholic Church.

Yet another postem placed on our online tree by Carole Murray.

Database: debra\_richards6

Individual: I1957

Link:

[http://worldconnect.genealogy.rootsweb.com/cgi-bin/igm.cgi?op=GET&db=debra\\_richards6&id=I1957](http://worldconnect.genealogy.rootsweb.com/cgi-bin/igm.cgi?op=GET&db=debra_richards6&id=I1957)

Name:

Carole King Murray

Email: [cadillacman1951@yahoo.com](mailto:cadillacman1951@yahoo.com)

URL:

URL title:

Note:

"Can you provide the source for the following statement you've included in your notes: " \* He was born in a log cabin East of Wakeman, along the railroad tracks on what used to be the John Dunn Farm. The Murrays came from County Clare, Ireland, and came to Wakeman to help build the railroad"?"

Author's note: Maybe the notes were carefully read prior to posting on our on line tree? See the areas marked with a \*.

More About James Lawrence Murray:

Burial: 04 Apr 1958, St. Mary's Cemetery, Wakeman, Ohio<sup>8</sup>

Cause of Death (Facts Pg): Congestive Heart Failure

Elected: Council member

Occupation: Bet. 1914 - 1924, Served as Post Master

Notes for Catherine Rose McMahan:

16 Chronicle-Telegram Eylria, Ohio, Sat. April 26, 1958

DEATHS

MRS. CATHERINE R. MURRAY

WAKEMAN--Mrs. Catherine R. Murray, 77, a resident of this community the greater part of her life, died early today in her home, 39 Pearl St., following a lingering illness. She had been bedridden the past six years.

Born in Bellevue Apr. 23, 1881, she was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church, here, the Rosary and Altar Society, and a charter member of the Blue Star Mothers Organization. Her husband, James, died Arp. 1.

Surviving are two daughters, Miss Mary Catherine Murray, at home, and Mrs. Anna Keith, Wakeman; seven sons, Lawrence, Toledo, Robert and Joseph, both of Cleveland, George, Maple Heights, Paul, Lakewood; Louis, Wakeman, and Alfred, Brecksville; 30 grandchildren; four sisters, Sister Mary Imelda, Sisters of Charity, Eylria, Mrs. Lewis Everett, Sandusky, Mrs. Alfred Bick, Toledo, and Mrs. Harry Ball, Bellevue, and a brother Thomas McMahan, Bellevue.

Friends may call at the Geber Funeral Home after 1 p.m.. EST., tomorrow, where the Rosary will be recited Monday at 8 p. m., EST.

Services will be Monday at 10 a.m., EST., in St. Mary's Catholic Church with the Rev. Karl L. Burger, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in Wakeman St. Mary's Cemetery.

More About Catherine Rose McMahan:

Burial: 28 Apr 1958, St Mary's Cemetery, Wakeman, Ohio

Marriage Notes for James Murray and Catherine McMahan:

They were married at Immaculate Conception Church. The ceremony was performed by John Ad Michenfelder, Pastor.

Children of James Murray and Catherine McMahan are:

- i. James Lawrence Murray, Jr.<sup>9</sup>, born 19 Sep 1906 in Wakeman, Huron County, Ohio; died 11 Sep 1965 in Toledo, Lucas Co. Ohio; married Georgia Helen Guthrie 20 Jun 1941 in St. Patrick's Church, Toledo, Lucas Co. Ohio; born 29 Dec 1917.

Notes for James Lawrence Murray, Jr.:

1930 census in Toledo, Lucas County, OH:

McMAHAN (?), Peter age 42

Irene, wife, age 39

Patrick, son, age 7

Paul, son, age 6  
Mary E., daughter, age 3 2/12  
Lawrence Murray, lodger, age 23, occupation: bookkeeper in the insurance industry.

More About James Lawrence Murray, Jr.:  
Burial: Calvery Cemetery, Toledo, Lucas Co. Ohio

- ii. Robert Patrick Murray<sup>10</sup>, born 19 Sep 1908 in Wakeman, Huron County, Ohio; died 25 Feb 1999 in Cleveland, Cuyahoga Co., Ohio<sup>11</sup>; married Sarah Elizabeth Carney 03 Apr 1937 in Lisbon, Ohio; born 16 Dec 1913 in East Liverpool, Columbiana County, Ohio; died 01 Mar 1996 in Cleveland, Cuyahoga Co., Ohio.

Notes for Robert Patrick Murray:  
Obituary:

ROBERT P. MURRAY, age 90, pre-deceased by his wife, Sarah (nee Carney) Murray. Survived by daughter Pat (Joe Kelly) of Rochester, NY, and Rosemary Murray of Fairview Park, OH; son Robert M. (Syvil) Murray and grandchildren Emily and Kevin of Rochester, NY; brother of Louis P. Murray and Ann Keith of Wakeman, OH. He was co-owner of Murray Bros. Leather Co. Funeral Mass will be held Monday, March 1, at 11 a.m., St. Patrick's Church, Rocky River and Puritas. Friends may call Sunday from 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. at the David G. Martens & Son Funeral Home, 4175 Rocky River Dr. Interment Holy Cross Cemetery. Family suggests contributions to the Benjamin Rose Institute.

According to Robert's Certificate of death, he was born 09/19/1908 in Huron County Ohio to Catherine Rose McMahon and James L. Murray. Time of death was 4:30 PM on 02/25/1999; a widow ; age 90 years; the last residence was a Nursing Home.

More About Robert Patrick Murray:  
Burial: Holy Cross Cemetery, Cuyahoga Co., Ohio  
Occupation: Co-Owner Murray Bros. Leather Company

Notes for Sarah Elizabeth Carney:

In the 1930 census Madison, Columbiana County, OH: Carney, Joseph O. age 50, wife Mary age 48, son Joseph L. age 20, daughter Sarah E. age 16 and son Calvin P. age 4 2/12. Joseph's occupation proprietor of filling station. Joseph was born in Pennsylvania, as were both his parents; Mary was born in Pennsylvania, her father born in Germany and her mother born in Pennsylvania; Joseph L. was born in Pennsylvania; Sarah E. and Calvin P. were born in Ohio.

- 1 iii. George Leonard Murray, born 30 Jul 1910 in Wakeman, Huron County, Oh; died 21 May 1990 in Maple Hts., Cuyahoga County, Oh; married Marie Martha Vourron 30 Nov 1940 in St. Agnus Church, Cleveland, Ohio.
- iv. Joseph Murray, born 08 May 1912 in Wakeman, Huron County, Ohio; died 03 Dec 1971; married Margaret M. Keenan 1946; born 18 Feb 1913 in Columbus, Franklin Co., Ohio; died 07 Jul 1998.

Notes for Joseph Murray:

Obituary from the Cleveland Plain Dealer, Dec 6 1971:

John J. Murray, beloved husband of Margaret (Keenan), dear father of Mrs. Paul Tomcho (Patricia), Edward Dennis, Margaret Anne, Eileen Marie, Sheila Jeanne, brother of Robert P., George L., Paul T., Louis P., Alfred E., Mary Catherine, Anne Keith and the late Lawrence. Funeral Mass Monday, Dec. 6, at St. Brendan's Church, Brendan Lane and Reed Ave., at 10 a.m. Interment Holy Cross Cemetery. Family will receive friends at Corrigan's Funeral Home, Lorain Ave. of W. 208th St., Fairview Park.

More About Joseph Murray:  
Burial: 06 Dec 1971, Holy Cross Cemetery, Cuyahoga Co., Ohio

- v. Paul Thomas Murray, born 06 Mar 1914 in Wakeman, Huron County, Ohio; died 30 May 1976 in Cleveland, Cuyahoga Co., Ohio; married Christina Anne Frisce 01 Jul 1939 in SS Cyril & Methodius Catholic Church, Lakewood, Cuyahoga Co. Ohio; born 01 Jul 1913.

Notes for Paul Thomas Murray:

Cleveland Plain Dealer, June 2, 1976, page 1:

MURRAY

Paul T. Murray, beloved husband of Christine (nee Frisce), dear father of James, Kathleen Palagi, Thomas, Michael and Terrence, brother of George, Robert, Louis, Al, Mary Catherine, Anne Keith, Larry and Joseph (deceased), grandfather of eight. Funeral Mass at St. James Church, Thursday, June 3 at 9:30 a.m. Interment Holy Cross Cemetery. Friends may call at Berry's Funeral Home, 7200 Detroit Ave., 7-9 p.m. Tuesday, 3-5 and 7-9 p.m. Wednesday.

- vi. Mary Catherine Murray, born 25 Aug 1916 in Wakeman, Huron County, Ohio; died 22 Nov 1996 in Wakeman, Huron County, Ohio<sup>12</sup>

Notes for Mary Catherine Murray:

According to her certificate of death, she never married; was born on 08/25/1915 in Wakeman Ohio to James L. Murray and Catherine R. McMahan. She was 80 years old at time of death; buried in Wakeman Cemetery, Wakeman, Huron County, Ohio.

The Chronicle Telegram, Elyria, Ohio 11/23/1996; page C2

#### OBITUARIES

Mary Catherine Murray

Longtime Norwalk resident

Mary Catherine Murray, 80, formerly of Wakeman died Friday morning at Fisher-Titus Medical Center in Norwalk after a short illness.

Miss Murray was born in Wakeman and lived most of her life in Norwalk, Cleveland and Wakeman. She graduated from Wakeman High School in 1936.

She was a housekeeper for St. Augustine Manor in Cleveland before retiring in 1978.

Miss Murray was a former member of St. Mary Catholic Church in Wakeman and a member of St. Paul Catholic Church in Norwalk.

She is survived by a sister, Ann Keith of Wakeman; brothers Robert Murray of Fairview Park and Louis Murray of Wakeman; and many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death were her parents, James and Catherine (nee McMahan) Murray; and brothers Lawrence, George, Joseph, Paul and Alfred Murray.

Friends may call 20 to 4 p.m and 6 to 8 p.m. Sunday at the Gerber Smith Funeral Home, 16 Cooper St. Wakeman, where a Christian wake service will be at 8 p.m.

Mass will be at 10:30 a.m. Monday at St. Paul Catholic Church, 91 E. Main St., Norwalk.

Burial will be in St. Mary's Cemetery, Wakeman.

Memorials may be made to the St. Paul School Fund, 91 E. Main St., Norwalk 44867.

- vii. Louis Peter Murray<sup>13,14</sup>, born 15 Oct 1918 in Ohio; died 19 Jul 2000 in Wakeman, Huron County, Ohio; married A. Louise Daugherty 17 Jun 1948 in Wakeman, Huron County, Ohio; born 23 Apr 1923 in Wakeman, Huron County, Ohio; died 19 Apr 2005 in Wakeman, Huron County, Ohio.

Notes for Louis Peter Murray:

Obituary

C2 Friday, July 21, 2000 The Chronicle-Telegram

Louis P. Murray, 81, of Wakeman, died on Wednesday, July 19 at EMH Regional Medical Center in Elyria following a brief illness.

Born in Wakeman, he was a lifelong resident.

He was a 1936 graduate of Wakeman High School and attended the former Oberlin School of Commerce.

Mr. Murray was a graduate of the Ohio University School of Banking and the University of Wisconsin School of Banking.

Mr. Murray was a Navy veteran of World War II.

Mr. Murray was a retired clerk for the Wakeman Township trustees, serving for 32 years, and had served two terms on the Huron County Veterans Service Commission.

He was a member of the St. Mary Catholic Church in Wakeman and Knights of Columbus Council 626 in Norwalk and was a charter member and past commander of Wakeman Legion Post 689.

Mr. Murray also was a member of the VFW Post 2743 and Amvest Post 1965, both in Norwalk.

Survivors include his wife of 52 years, of Louise (nee Daugherty); sons Kevin of Norwalk, Brian of Strongsville and Dennis of Mount Vernon; daughters Mary Ellen Murray of Avon, Ann Marie Murray of LaGrange and Colleen Danielak of Toledo; six grandchildren; a sister, Ann Kieth of Wakeman; and many nieces and nephews.

He is preceded in death by his parents, James and Catherine (nee McMahan); two daughters in infancy; a sister Mary Catherine Murray; and brothers Lawrence, Robert, George, Joseph, Paul and Alfred.

Friends may call 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Sunday at the Gerber-Smith Funeral Home, 16 Cooper St. Wakeman, where the rosary will be recited at 4 p.m. and a Christian wake service will be at 8:30 p.m.

A mass will be 10:30 a.m. Monday at St. Mary Catholic Church, 46 E. Main St., Wakeman.

The Rev. Robert Haas, pastor, will officiate.

Burial with military rites will be at St. Mary Cemetery, Wakeman.

Memorials may be made to St. Mary Cemetery Fund, 46 E. Main St. Wakeman 44889 or the donor's favorite charity.

According to his death certificate, the cause of death was severe chronic obstructive lung disease due to pulmonary fibrosis. Time of death occurred at 5:15 PM in the EMH Regional Medical Center, Elyria, Lorain County, Ohio. Louis P. Murray was born in Wakeman, Ohio and parents are listed as James Lawrence Murray and Catherine McMahon. Informant on the certificate was his wife.

More About Louis Peter Murray:

Burial: 24 Jul 2000, St. Mary's Cemetery, Wakeman, Ohio

Military service: US Navy

Occupation: President of Wakeman Bank Company

Social Security Number: 288-18-8939

Notes for A. Louise Daugherty:

1930 Census, Townsend, Huron County, Ohio; District 31:

Daugherty [Daugherty], Dennis, head of household, age 47, age 35 at time of first marriage, born in Irish Free State as were both his parents, his occupation was farming, general.

Ellen, wife, age 40, age 34 at time of first marriage; born in Ohio, both her parents born in Irish Free State

Maryellen, daughter, age 11, born in Ohio

Cellina, daughter, age 8, born in Ohio

Louise, daughter, age 7, born in Ohio

Ohara, John, (Ellen's father), age 83, widowed; born in Irish Free State; occupation was retired and crossed out.

Our Deepest Condolences go out to Louise Murray's family.

Obituary:

A. Louise Murray, 81, of Wakeman, died Tuesday. Beloved wife of the late Louis P.; dear mother of Mary Ellen Murray of Avon, Ann Murray of Cleveland and Colleen Danielak of Toledo, Kevin of Wakeman, Brian (Jeanne) of Strongsville and Dennis (Bernadette) of Mt. Vernon; six grandchildren; and sister, Cecelia Draves of New London. Preceded by two infant daughters and sister, Mary Ellen Mockler. Visitation from 4-8 p.m. Sunday at Eastman Funeral Home, 200 W. Main St., New London. Rosary service at 7:30 p.m. Visitation will also be held 10:00 a.m. Monday at St. Mary's Hall in Wakeman until the 11:00 a.m. Mass of Christian Burial at St. Mary's Catholic Church, 46 E. Main St., Wakeman. Burial at St. Mary's Cemetery. Memorials may be given to St. Mary's Cemetery Fund or favorite charity.

[www.cleveland.com/obits](http://www.cleveland.com/obits)

Published in The Plain Dealer, Cleveland Ohio, on 4/22/2005.

More About A. Louise Daugherty:

Burial: 25 Apr 2005, St. Mary's Cemetery, Wakeman, Huron County, Ohio

Marriage Notes for Louis Murray and A. Daugherty:

The Chronicle Telegram, 06/29/1948; page 13

WAKEMAN

WED IN ST. MARY'S

WAKEMAN---A very pretty Summer wedding was held at St. Mary's Catholic church in Wakeman on the morning of June 17 when Louise Daugerty, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Daugherty became the bride of Louis Murray, also of Wakeman. The Rev. Fr. Karl Burger officiated at the Nuptial Mass.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a princess style gown of white satin embroidered at the neckline with seed pearls. Her finger-tip veil was caught to a tiars of seed pearls and she wore a single strand of pearls, gift of the groom. Her shower bouquet was of white carnations centered with an orchid.

Susan Murray of Toledo was flower girl. She wore a white dress and carried a basket of sweetpeas and roses. The bride's sister, Mrs. John Draves of New London, wearing light green and carrying a shower bouquet of red carnations and Miss Ellen Daugherty, another sister, wearing light orchid and carrying yellow carnations, were attendants. The groom's attendants were Alfred Murray of Cleveland, a brother of the groom, as best man and Berton Keith of Wakeman, Joseph Murray of Cleveland and John Draves of New London as ushers.

Charles Conry, jr. sang preceding the ceremony and Miss Joyce Mockler sang the Mass.

A buffet luncheon for the bridal party and immediate relatives followed the ceremony. A late afternoon reception was held at St. Mary's hall.

Following a wedding trip through the Eastern states the couple will reside in Wakeman where Mr. Murray is a teller in the Wakeman Bank.

- viii. Alfred Edward Murray, born 10 Dec 1920 in Ohio; died 03 Dec 1991<sup>15</sup>; married Thelma Ann Larsen 25 Sep 1948 in Cleveland, Cuyahoga County, Ohio<sup>16</sup>; born 09 Oct 1925 in Ohio.

Notes for Alfred Edward Murray:

Obituary:

Cleveland Plain Dealer, December 5, 1991, page 17E

MURRAY. Al Murray, beloved husband of Thelma (nee Larsen), dear father of Patrick (Jean), Margaret (Don) Brewer, Barbara (Joe) Occhionero, grandfather of Erin, Angela, Heather and Melissa, brother of Robert, Mary C., Louis and Ann Keith; and the following deceased: Larry, George, Paul and Joe. The family suggests contributions to The Holy Family Cancer Home, 6707 State Rd., 44134. Friends may call at The Faulhaber-Thozeski Funeral Home, 7915 Broadview Rd., at Sprague, where Services will be held Friday, Dec. 6 at 9:30 a.m., and from Assumption Church, 9183 Broadview Rd., at 10 a.m. Interment All Saints Cemetery. Visiting hours Thursday 2-4 and 7-9 p.m.

More About Alfred Edward Murray:

Social Security Number: 269-112-9641

- ix. Ann Marie Murray, born 05 Aug 1924 in Wakeman, Huron County, Ohio; married Berten Robert Keith 26 Jul 1947 in St. Mary's Church, Wakeman, Huron Co., Ohio; born 18 Dec 1921 in Wakeman, Huron County, Ohio; died 10 Feb 2004 in Wakeman, Huron County, Ohio<sup>17</sup>.

Notes for Berten Robert Keith:

A4 Wednesday, February 11, 2004 The Chronicle Telegram, Elyria Ohio

Berten R. Keith postmaster for 31 years

Berten R. Keith, 82, of Wakeman died Tuesday at his home.

Born in Wakeman, he was a lifelong resident. He attended Wakeman Schools and graduated in 1939

He served in the Army during World War II and worked for the U.S. Postal Service for 42 years, where he was a postmaster for 31 years.

Mr. Keith was a charter member of the American Legion Post 689, Wakeman.

He enjoyed gardening, solving crossword puzzles and cross-stitching and was known as an avid bowler.

Survivors include his wife of 56 years, Ann (nee Murray); daughters Mary Keith of Vermilion, Joann Coe of Colorado Springs, Colo. and Catherine Rivera of Grove City; sons John of Norwalk, James of Wakeman and Charles of Fort Myers, Fla.; nine grandchildren, three great grandchildren, a sister, Thelma Thomas; and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by a son; three daughters; his parents, Leo and Myrtie Keith; and a brother, Roland Keith.

Friends may call 2 to 8 p.m. Thursday at Morman Funeral Home in Wakeman, where a scripture [sic] service will be 7:45 p.m. Thursday. A prayer service will be 9:15 a. m. Friday at the funeral home, followed by a 10 a.m. Mass at Sacred Heart Church, 410 W. Lorain St. Oberlin.

The Rev. William Padavick will officiate.

Burial will be in St. Mary's Cemetery, Wakeman.

Memorials may be made to Hospice of Western Reserve, 424 Middle Ave., Elyria 44035, or to a charity of the donor's choice.

--published Feb. 11, 2004

There is another person who has posted that the above obituary was published on 02/11/2003, which was a year prior to his death. Please be careful when researching online trees for such blatant errors.

More About Berten Robert Keith:

Burial: 14 Feb 2004, St. Mary's Catholic Cemetery, Wakeman, Huron County, Ohio

Occupation: Postmaster, U.S. Postal Service

### *Generation No. 3*

**4. James C. Murray**<sup>18,19,20</sup>, born 18 Jun 1839 in Ireland; died 01 Sep 1911 in Wakeman, Huron County, Ohio. He was the son of **8. John Murray** and **9. Mary Quin**. He married **5. Catherine Guthrie** 28 Apr 1862.

**5. Catherine Guthrie**<sup>21</sup>, born 23 May 1845 in Ireland; died 23 Mar 1919 in Camden, Lorain County, Ohio<sup>22</sup>.

Notes for James C. Murray:

According to records of Probate Court of Huron County, Ohio, James Murray first arrived in the United States in May, 1858. He became a citizen of the United States on October 12, 1868.

Page # 17 Enum.District - 158; 1880 Ohio Census, Wakeman, Huron County:

Murray, James age 38, occupation: farmer; born in Ireland

Catharine, wife, age 38, occupation: keeping house, born in Ireland Mary, daughter, age 16  
Maggie, daughter, age 14  
Anna, daughter, age 14  
James, son, age 13  
Thomas, son, age 13 (James and Thomas "at school")  
Cassie, daughter, age 7  
Nora, daughter, age 1.  
All the children were born in Ohio.

Also in the 1880 census (Wakeman, Huron County, OH), just a few households away from James and his brother John was a John QUINN, age 55, born in Ireland; occupation: Catholic priest.

Wakeman Independent Press on September 9, 1911:

"At his home in Wakeman, Ohio, Friday, Sept. 1st, 1911, James Murray, aged 72 years, 2 months and 12 days. Mr. Murray was born in Ireland June 18th, 1839, and came to America in 1871. He was married April 28th 1862 to Miss Catherine Guthrie. To this union were born nine children, seven of whom, with the mother, survive him. John B. of Wellington; James L. of Wakeman; Mattie at home; Mrs. T. H. Burke of Bellevue; Mrs. P. T. Rooney of Kipton, and Anna and Elnora at home. The funeral was very largely attended from St. Mary's Church. In Wakeman, Monday, and burial in the Catholic cemetery in Wakeman. Rev. John Kelly sang Solemn High Mass assisted by Rev. Edward Burke, of Elyria, and Rev. John Ruffing, of Bellevue. Mr. Murray was a man noted for his honesty and uprightness, highly esteemed by all who knew him, and this community was made better for his having lived in it."

Note: In the Wakeman Cemetery, there is a Michael Murray (1826 - 1910).

1880 census in Wakeman, Huron County, OH:

Murry, Michael, age 50  
Honora, wife, age 41  
Julia, daughter, age 21  
Thomas, son, age 19  
Michael, son, age 16  
Katie, daughter, age 13  
Patrick, son, age 8  
Eddie, son, age 4

The parents were both born in Ireland. All children were born in Ohio.

Michael Murray is also found in the 1910 Ohio census: age 85; birthplace: Ireland; wife: Hanorah age 70; birthplace Ireland; son Edward J. age 35; birthplace Ohio.

One of the many post-ems placed on our online tree by Carole King Murray

Database: debra\_richards1

Individual: I03674

Link:

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Name:

Carole King Murray

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Note:

"What connection does the Michael Murray mentioned in your notes have to this James Murray?"

We have not made the connection at this point in time. We keep the information here so that others may view it who have made the connection.

More About James C. Murray:

Burial: 04 Sep 1911, St. Mary's Catholic Cemetery, Wakeman, Huron County, Ohio

Immigration: May 1858

Occupation: Farmer

Notes for Catherine Guthrie:

Buried next to James Guthrie, who died May 6, 1881, aged 77 years.

More About Catherine Guthrie:

Burial: St. Mary's Catholic Cemetery, Wakeman, Huron County, Ohio

Children of James Murray and Catherine Guthrie are:

- i. John B. Murray, born 12 Apr 1863; died 31 Oct 1932; married Lena Pierce; born Abt. 1871 in Lorain County, Ohio.
- ii. Mary Murray, born 17 Apr 1864; died 16 Oct 1908; married John Ford; born Abt. 1864 in Ohio.

Notes for John Ford:

Page 16, Enum. District 158, 1880 Census, Huron County, Wakeman

John Ford is found living with his parents.

Head of household, Michael Ford, age 40; occupation farmer; born in Ireland;

wife Bridget, age 33, keeping house, born in Ireland; son John, age 16 born in Ohio, occupation farm

laborer; daughter Anna, age 14 born in Ohio; daughter Mary age 12, born in Ohio.

- iii. Margaret Murray, born 18 Jul 1865 in Ohio; died 04 Dec 1917 in Bellevue, Ohio; married Thomas H. Burke 30 Jan 1893 in Huron County, Oh; born 1865 in Ohio; died 05 Aug 1932 in Huron Co., Ohio.

Notes for Margaret Murray:

Obituary printed in the Bellevue Gazette, 12/6/1917, pg. 4, col. 2:

DEATH ENDS SUFFERING

Of Mrs. T. H. Burke -- Passed Away Tuesday Morning at Home on High Street

The life of a devoted wife and mother was terminated Tuesday morning at 8:20 when Mrs. Margaret Burke, beloved wife of Thos. H. Burke, passed away at the family home on High Street, aged 51 years. The deceased had been a patient sufferer for the past year or more and death was due to a complete nervous breakdown.

Her maiden name was Margaret Murray. She was a daughter of Jas. [James] and Catherine Murray and was born in Wakeman where she grew to womanhood and was united in marriage to Thos. H. Burke, January 30, 1893. In March of 1894, they removed to Bellevue where they have since resided.

Mrs. Burke leaves to mourn, her husband, and two daughters, Mrs. Jas. Bailey of Bellevue and Miss Marie at home. She also leaves her aged mother, Mrs. Catherine Murray, of Wakeman, three brothers and three sisters: John Murray, of Wellington, J. L. and Matthew Murray of Wakeman, Mrs. P. T. Rooney of Kipton, Mrs. J. C. Campbell, a twin sister, of Elyria and Miss Elnora Murray, also of Elyria. Mrs. Burke was an earnest christian woman. She was baptized and confirmed in the Catholic faith at an early age and was a life long member of that church and a regular attendant as long as health permitted. She was also a faithful member of the L.C.B.A.

She was a devoted wife and a loving mother, a kind neighbor and friend and during her long invalidism she bore her suffering with fortitude and patience. The passing of Mrs. Burke removes from earth's realms a noble woman and has called forth expressions of profound regret and deepest sorrow and sympathy of the community \*\*\*\*\*Remainder of page damaged.

More About Margaret Murray:

Burial: Immaculate Conception Catholic Cemtery, Oh

Notes for Thomas H. Burke:

The Chronicle Telegram, Elyria Ohio, Saturday August 6, 1932 page 2:

"Death Record"

Thomas H. Burke

Thomas A. Hurke of Bellevue, died at the home of his brother, William in Wakeman. He was Public Utilities Railway Inspector of Ohio. Requiem high mass will be said at St. Mary's Church in Wakeman Monday at 9:30 A.M. with Rev. Fathers F. McLaughlin of Wakeman, Patrick Burke of

Cleveland, and Edward Conroy of Youngstown officiating. Burial will be in the family lot in Bellevue.

He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. E. P. McGovern in Cleveland and Mrs. J.A. Bailey of Canton; J. M. Burke of Elyria is a brother.

Bellevue Gazette, 8/6/1932, pg. 4, col. 2:

#### THOS. H. BURKE DIED SUDDENLY FRIDAY AT WAKEMAN

##### Funeral Services Will Be Held Monday Morning With Burial Here

A former resident, who was widely known locally, succumbed suddenly Friday at Wakeman, when Thomas H. Burke, inspector in the employ of the Ohio Public Utilities Commission and former NKP conductor, was stricken with a heart attack at the home of his brother, William. Death occurred about 11 o'clock Friday morning.

Although Mr. Burke had been in failing health during the past two years, his condition did not appear aggravated earlier Friday, when he arose at his accustomed time, ate breakfast and was about the house until suddenly stricken.

Mr. Burke was born in Wakeman 64 years ago and spent his early life in that community. For many years he was an employee of the Nickel Plate, being a freight conductor at the time of his retirement from railroad service. During recent years he has been a member of the staff of Utility Commission inspectors and in the course of his duties frequently visited Bellevue. He had been a resident here for more than 30 years, and held membership here in the O.R.C.B. of R.T. and Knights of Columbus.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. E. P. McGovern of Cleveland, Mrs. J. A. Bailey of Canton, four brothers, William of Wakeman, P.T. and J. M. Burke of Elyria, H. F. Burke of Clarksburg, W. Va. and two sisters, Mrs. Catherine Martin and Miss Sadie Burke, of Wakeman. Mrs. Burke preceded her husband in death 14 years ago.

Rev. P. T. Burke, of Cleveland, a cousin of the deceased, will officiate at funeral services, which will be held Monday morning at 9:30 from St. Mary's Catholic Church in Wakeman. Burial will be in the Catholic cemetery here.

- iv. Anna Murray, born 18 Aug 1866 in Cuyahoga County, Ohio; died 08 Jun 1927 in Lorain County, Ohio<sup>23</sup>; married John C. Campbell; born Abt. 1864 in Ohio; died Aft. 1933.

Notes for Anna Murray:

The Chronicle Telegram; November 8, 1923

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Campbell, entertained Sunday, the Foley family of Cleveland and Mrs. John Campbell of Elyria.

The Chronicle Telegram; June 8, 1927:

Obituary

##### MRS. JOHN CAMPBELL

Mrs. John Campbell died this morning at her home at 225 Gates avenue after an illness of a year.

She leaves her husband, two sisters, Mrs. P. T. Rooney of Kipton, and Eleanora Murray of Elyria, three brothers J. B. Murray of Wellington, and J. L. and M. P. of Wakeman.

Funeral services will be held Saturday morning from St. Mary's church at 9:00 o'clock. Burial at St. Mary's cemetery.

More About Anna Murray:

Burial: 11 Jun 1927, St. Marys Cemetery, Lorian Ohio

Notes for John C. Campbell:

1920 Census, Elyria, Lorain County Ohio:

Campbell, John, head, age 56, m, born in Ohio, both parents born in Ireland, occ- inspector for an auto factory

Anna, wife, age 53, born in Ohio, both parents born in Ireland

Murry, Eleanora, sister-in-law, age 35, born in Ohio, both parents born in Ireland, occ- teacher

The Chronicle Telegram; November 2, 1928; page 12

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Peters and John Campbell of Elyria, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Campbell.

1930 Census, Elyria, Lorain County, Ohio:

225 Gates Ave.

Campbell, John C, head, age 7, [obvious error], widow, born in Ohio, both parents born in Northern Ireland, occ-laborer/ electric alloy/ factory

Thelma, niece, age 29, born in Ohio as were both parents, occ- teacher/public school

The Chronicle Telegram, Monday August 18, 1930:  
John Campbell of Elyria, visited his brth, P. H. Campbell and his nephew, D, J. Campbell Sunday.

The Chronicle Telegram, Friday, October, 27, 1933  
D. J. Campbell, Sr., has been spending the past three days with his brother, John Campbell, at his home in Elyria.

We did come across one article that states that Mr. and Mrs. John C. Murray and family were visiting... We are not aware of a child being born to this couple, however it is possible that one was born and did not survive past childhood.

We also would like to thank Bridget Campbell for posting a note on our tree pointing out the error in date of death. Thanks Bridget.

More About John C. Campbell:  
Occupation: Laborer / Electric Alloy Factory

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- v. James Lawrence Murray, born 04 Jun 1867 in Wakeman, Huron County, Ohio; died 01 Apr 1958 in Fisher-Titus Memorial Hospital, Norwalk, Huron County, Ohio; married Catherine Rose McMahon 24 Oct 1905 in Bellevue, Ohio.
  - vi. Thomas Murray, born 04 Jun 1867 in Wakeman, Huron County, Ohio; died 04 Mar 1882.

More About Thomas Murray:  
Burial: Wakeman, Huron County, Ohio

- vii. Catherine Murray, born 25 Jan 1873; died 11 Jan 1944; married Patrick T. Rooney; born 1869 in Ohio.

More About Catherine Murray:  
Burial: Wakeman, Huron County, Ohio

- viii. Elenora A. Murray, born 02 Mar 1879 in Ohio; died 02 Nov 1929.

Notes for Elenora A. Murray:  
The Chronicle Telegram, Tuesday, April 28, 1925- page 10  
Miss Elenora Murray of Elyria, spent Saturday and Sunday with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. P.T. Rooney.

More About Elenora A. Murray:  
Burial: Wakeman, Huron County, Ohio  
Occupation: 1920, School Teacher

- ix. Mathias P. Murray, born 06 Jun 1881 in Ohio; died 30 Jan 1973 in Amherst Nursing Home, Lorain County, Ohio; married Teresa C. Daugherty 12 May 1914 in Wakeman, Huron County, Ohio<sup>24,25</sup>; born 30 Apr 1886 in County Galway, Ireland; died 15 May 1971 in Amherst Nursing Home, Lorain County, Ohio.

Notes for Mathias P. Murray:  
1910 Miracode Index in Huron County, OH:  
Murray, James C., age 68  
Catherine, wife, age 65  
Anna, daughter, age 40  
Elnora, daughter, age 28  
Mathias P., son, age 26  
James and Catherine were born in Ireland. All the children were born in Ohio.

1920 census in Wakeman, Huron County, OH:  
Murry, Mattie P., age 37  
Teresa C., wife, age 34  
Richard J., age 4  
Josephine C., daughter, age 11/12  
one hired man John Logan, age 17

1930 census in Wakeman, Huron County, OH:  
Murray, Mathias P., age 47  
Teresa C., wife, age 44  
James R., son, age 15

Mary J., daughter, age 11  
Marjorie, daughter, age 3 10/12  
Teresa was born in Ireland and immigrated to the United States in 1888, at about the age of 4.

Obituary: Chronicle - Telegram Elyria Ohio, Wed. Jan. 31, 1973 page 12

"Elyria area deaths"

"Mathias Murray, 91, Died, Hauled Pupils With Horse"

Mathias (Matty) Murray, 91, lifelong resident of Wakeman died yesterday in Amherst Manor Nursing Home after a long illness.

Mr. Murray, a retired farmer, drove the first horse-drawn school bus in Wakeman in 1921. He was a member of St. Mary Church, Wakeman and it's Holy Name Society.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Loreda (Mary Jo) Campana of Lorain and Mrs. Jere (Marjorie) of St. Marie of Elyria, a son, James R. of Elyria, 18 grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

Friends will be received today from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. at the Gerber Funeral Home, Wakeman, where a rosary service will be conducted today at 8:30 p.m.

Funeral services will be tomorrow at 9 a.m. in the funeral home and at 9:30 a.m. in St. Mary Church, Wakeman. Burial will be in St. Mary Cemetery, Wakeman.

More About Mathias P. Murray:

Burial: Saint Mary Cemetery, Wakeman, Huron County, Ohio

Notes for Teresa C. Daugherty:

The Chronicle Telegram on May 17, 1971; page 20

ELYRIA AREA DEATHS

Mrs. M. Murray

Mrs. Teresa C. Murray, 87, died in the Amherst Manor Nursing Home Saturday. She had been a patient there four years.

A former resident of Elyria and Wakeman, she was born in County Galway, Ireland.

Mrs. Murray was a member of St. Mary Church in Wakeman and the Altar and Rosary Society.

Surviving are her husband, Mathias P.; two daughters, Mrs. Loreda (Jo) Campana, Lorain, and Mrs. Jere (Marjorie) St. Marie, Elyria; a son, Richard, Elyria; 18 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Services will be tomorrow at 10:30 a.m. in St. Mary Church, Wakeman. The Rev. Richard Dunn will officiate and burial will be in the parish cemetery.

Friends may call at the Gerber Funeral Home, Wakeman, today from 7 to 9 p.m. The rosary will be recited there today at 8 p.m.

More About Teresa C. Daugherty:

Burial: 18 May 1971, Saint Mary Cemetery, Wakeman, Huron County, Ohio

**6. Patrick McMahon**, born 04 Mar 1845 in Magheraclone Parish, County Monaghan, Ireland; died 18 Nov 1902 in Lyme, Huron County, Ohio. He was the son of **12. James McMahon** and **13. Julia Marron**. He married **7. Catherine McCartney** 30 Jan 1877 in St. Anthony's Church, Milan, Erie County, Ohio.

**7. Catherine McCartney**<sup>26</sup>, born 30 Dec 1852 in Milan, Erie County, Ohio; died 25 Aug 1918 in Bellevue, Huron County, Ohio. She was the daughter of **14. Patrick McCartney** and **15. Ann Kearney**.

Notes for Patrick McMahon:

The Ancestry Center examined adjoining parishes and, in Magheraclone, they found baptism records for three children of James and Judy McMahon: Ann McMahon, baptized June 18, 1837 (sponsors were James and Kitty McMahon); Peter McMahon, baptized July 19, 1841 (sponsors were Bryan McMahon and Kitty McMahon); and Patt McMahon, baptized March 14, 1845 (sponsors were Peter Hoy and Mary McMahon).

The three youngest children of James McMahon and Judette (Julia?) Maran (Marron) were Ann, Peter and Patrick. The baptism dates also fit with what we know about this family, so I am going to assume that these are baptism records of our McMahons and that they came from Magheraclone Parish, County Monaghan, Ireland. The three older children were probably baptized before the time records started being kept.

Unfortunately, no townland in Magheraclone was identified as the home place in these baptism records. The Shirley estate in south Monaghan owned 26,000 acres of land. Most of this land was in Magheraclone and included one side of the Main Street in Carrickmacross. The Shirleys were the landlords of the area and had a large house at Lough Fea in Magheraclone. This estate was granting assisted passage to tenants to emigrate to

America, Australia and England and in the period from 1843-1854 some 1,300, including 161 families, were assisted to emigrate. In some limited listings between 1844 and 1848, many McMahons and Marrons from Magheracloone were assisted to migrate. Later, many of those who had emigrated sent home monies to assist other family members to leave. This may be what happened in the case of Patrick and his family. His oldest brother, James, was the first to come to the U.S.; Patrick and Peter came together; and eventually the whole family ended up in America.

According to the Naturalization Records of the Erie County Clerk of Courts, Patrick first arrived in the United States in May, 1859 and became a citizen on October 9, 1865. According to this document, he turned 21 years of age on September 30, 1865, which would have made his date of birth September 30, 1844 -- not March 4, 1845, as family records indicate. On the same date, October 9, 1865, a Peter McMahon also became a citizen. (Canvas Volume 1860-1872, p. 133) This might have been his brother? Peter McMahon also arrived in the United States in May 1859. His date of birth was August 31, 1842.

1880 Census, Lyme Township, Huron County, Ohio:

McMahon, Patrick, age 35, occupation: Farm Laborer; born in Ireland as were both his parents.

Catherine, wife, age 28; keeping house; born in Ohio; her parents were born in Ireland

Anna, daughter, age 2 born in Ohio

Thomas, son, age, 10/12 born in Ohio

1900 Ohio census, in Lyme Township, Huron County, Ohio:

Patrick, born March 1846; married 23 years; he was born in Ireland, as were both his parents; he immigrated to the U.S. in 1859 and has been in the country 41 years; his occupation is: farmer.

According to family records, his date of death is November 18, 1903. His cause of death was Brights disease

Obituary; Bellevue Gazette:

"Patrick McMaon a well known resident of Lyme, died at his home three miles south of Bellevue, Tuesday evening, November 18, at six o'clock, aged 58 years. He had been sadly afflicted with rheumatism for the past three years and this complicated with other troubles was the cause of death. Deceased was a native of Ireland, coming to America 46 years ago. He was married to Miss Catherine McCarthy many years ago and the widow and eight children survive. Deceased also leaves two brothers, Peter, of Deerfield, Mich., and James, of Lyme. The funeral will take place from the Catholic church in Bellevue Friday morning, at nine thirty sun time, services being conducted by Rev. J. A. Michenfelder. Interment in the Catholic cemetery."

He is buried in the Old Section of Immaculate Conception Catholic Cemetery, Lyme Township, Huron County, Ohio in Row 28, grave 12.

More About Patrick McMahon:

Baptism: 14 Mar 1845, Magheracloone Parish, County Monaghan, Ireland

Burial: Immaculate Conception Catholic Cemetery, Huron County, Ohio

Immigration: May 1859, US

Naturalization: 09 Oct 1865, State of Ohio

Notes for Catherine McCartney:

Bellevue Gazette on August 29, 1918 page 2:

Obituary:

"AGED LADY STRICKEN WHILE IN CHURCH"

Mrs. Catherine McMahon died suddenly while attending Mass Sunday morning.

As she knelt in worship at the Catholic church here Sunday morning death's hand suddenly touched Mrs.

Catherine McMahon, highly respected Bellevue resident, and she passed away within a few minutes.

Coming without the slightest warning and preceded by no distinct illness, the call of Mrs. McMahon was a severe shock to the family and the large circle of friends in Bellevue and vicinity wherein she was known. The deceased had been in her accustomed health on Sunday morning and was in cheerful spirits as she departed from her home on Louise Avenue to pay homage to the Lord and assist in the celebration of mass. She was stricken immediately after she entered the church and was seen to sink to the floor. Other persons in the church, awaiting the opening of the services, hurried to her assistance but she expired almost immediately, and before medical assistance could be secured.

Mrs. McMahon was born December 20, 1852, at Milan, Ohio, and the first twenty-four years of her life were

spent at that place, she being united in marriage there to Patrick McMahon in 1866 [1877], immediately after which they took up housekeeping on the farm south of town which continued to be her place of residence until four years ago when the family moved to Bellevue. Mr. McMahon preceded his wife in death sixteen years ago. Surviving are eight children as follows: Sister Mary Imelda, of Cleveland; Thomas, of Bellevue; Mrs. James Murray, of Wakeman; Mrs. Louis Everett, of Huron; George of Monroeville; Peter, at Camp Jackson, Columbia, S.C.; Mrs. Alfred Bick, at home, and Mrs. Harry Ball, of south of town. Fourteen grandchildren also survive, as do two sisters, Mrs. John Omar [should be O'Mara], of Collins, and Miss Margaret McCartney, of Bellevue. In infancy, Mrs. McMahon was baptized in the Catholic faith and throughout a long and useful life she was a faithful and devout member of that church.

The funeral was held Wednesday morning at 9:30 o'clock from the Catholic church here. Rev. J. A. Michenfelder officiating at requiem mass. Burial was in the Catholic cemetery.

More About Catherine McCartney:

Burial: Immaculate Conception Catholic Cemetery, Huron County, Ohio

Children of Patrick McMahon and Catherine McCartney are:

- i. Annie McMahon, born 12 Aug 1877.
- ii. Thomas Edward McMahon, born 12 Aug 1879 in Ohio; died 24 Nov 1972 in Bellevue, Sandusky County, Ohio<sup>27</sup>; married Amanda Smith Abt. 1912 in Ohio; born 15 May 1883 in Ohio; died 03 Jul 1965 in Bellevue, Sandusky County, Ohio<sup>28</sup>.

Notes for Thomas Edward McMahon:

1920 Census, Lyme Twp, Huron County, Ohio:

[It appears tape had been placed on this section, which makes it difficult to read.]

McMahon, Thomas, head, age 40; born in Ohio; father born in Ireland, mother born in Ohio; occ: farmer/general farm

Amanda, wife, age 35; born in Ohio; father born in Germany and mother born in Ohio.

Margaret; daughter, age 4 6/12

Mary H., daughter, age 2 6/12

George, son, age 4/12

Gulaski, John, servant, age 15, born in Ohio

All children in this household were born in Ohio.

1930 census Lyme, Huron County, Ohio:

McMahon, Thomas E., head, age 49; was married at age 35; born in Ohio as were both parents; occ: farm/ general farm

Amanda M., wife, age 43, was married at age 29; born in Ohio, father born in Germany, mother born in Ohio

Margaret A., daughter, age 14

Mary H., daughter, age 12

George T., son, age 10

Catherine B., daughter, age 8

Eugene F., son, age 6

Gulaski, John, age 24, Lodger, born in Ohio, both parents born in Poland; occ: farm laborer/ general farm

Everyone in this household was born in Ohio

Certificate of Death # 087122

Name: Thomas E McMahon

Age at Death: 93

Date of Death: 24 Nov 1972

City of Death: Huron County

County of Death: Huron

Gender: Male

Marital Status: Widowed

Race: White

County of Residence: Huron

State of Residence: Ohio

Country of Residence: United States

Died at home.

Last known residence: 44811 Bellevue, Huron, Ohio

Obituary:

Thomas E. McMahon, 93, rural Bellevue, father of Mrs. Edgar Eberly, Fremont, died Friday at 10:10 p.m. at his home, where he lived with a son, George. He had been ill several months.

Mr. McMahon had been born at the present residence, Aug. 12, 1879, the son of Patrick and Catherine (McCartney) McMahon. His wife, Amanda Smith, died July 1965.

He was a member of the Immaculate Conception Church and the Holy Name Society.

Mr. McMahon was a retired farmer.

Survivors are his son, the Fremont daughter, Margaret; daughters, Mrs. George (Mary) Moore and Mrs. Ernest (Kay) Widner, both Bellevue; 10 grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren; and a sister, Mrs. Lucy Ball, Bellevue. He was preceded in death by his parents, one son, four sisters and two brothers.

Friends may call after 7 p.m. today at the Foos Funeral Home where Wake Services will be Sunday at 8 p.m.

Services will be Monday from the Immaculate Conception Church with the Rev. Robert Lamantia officiating. Burial will be in the parish cemetery.

More About Thomas Edward McMahon:

Census: 1920, Lyme Twp., Huron Co., Ohio

Social Security Number: Bet. 1956 - 1957, Ohio 301-34-7655

Notes for Amanda Smith:

Name: Amanda M McMahon

Age at Death: 82

Certificate of Death # 55940

Date of Death: 3 Jul 1965

City of Death: Bellevue (Pt)

County of Death: Sandusky

Gender: Female

Marital Status: Married

Race: White

County of Residence: Huron

State of Residence: Ohio

Hospital of Death: Bellevue Hospital

Obituary from the Fremont News Messenger, 7/3/1965; page 2

MRS. AMANDA McMAHON

Bellevue, O. -- Mrs. Amanda N. McMahon, 82 of Route 2, Bellevue, mother of Mrs. Edgar Eberly, Fremont, died Saturday at 1 a.m. in Bellevue hospital. She had been in failing health for several years.

Mrs. McMahon was born in Reed township, May 15, 1883, the daughter of Jacob and Margaret (Alp) Smith. She was married to Thomas McMahon June 17, 1914 in Reed Assumption Church. She was a member of the church and its Altar and Rosary Society, and the local chapter of Gold Star Mothers.

Surviving beside her husband are three daughters, Mrs. Margaret Eberly, Fremont, Mrs. George (Mary) Moore and Mrs. Ernest (Kay) Widner, both of Bellevue; a son, George, of Bellevue; eight grandchildren.

Friends may call at the Roos mortuary after 2 p.m. Sunday. The Rosary will be recited Monday at 7:30 p.m. Funeral services will be held Tuesday at 9:30 a.m. from the Reed Assumption church. The Rev. Fr. Albert Bishop will officiate. Burial will be in the parish cemetery.

More About Amanda Smith:

Burial: Immaculent Conception Cemetery, Huron County, Ohio

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- iii. Catherine Rose McMahon, born 23 Apr 1881 in Lynne, Huron County, Ohio; died 26 Apr 1958 in Wakeman, Huron County, Ohio; married James Lawrence Murray 24 Oct 1905 in Bellevue, Ohio.
  - iv. Margaret I. McMahon, born 29 May 1883 in Bellevue, Ohio; died 14 Jul 1962; married Lewis George Everett; born 16 Oct 1885 in Huron, Erie County, Ohio; died 21 Jan 1971 in Sandusky, Erie County, Ohio.

Notes for Margaret I. McMahon:

A Requiem Mass for Mrs. Margaret Everett, 79, Bogart Road, Huron, will be offered Tuesday at 10 a.m. in St. Peter's Catholic church there. Burial will be in Calvary cemetery, Sandusky.

The deceased, born in Bellevue, lived on Bogart Road near Huron for 56 years.

Surviving are her husband, Lewis; son, Thomas of Huron; daughters, Mrs. Willard Keating, Sandusky; Mrs. Thomas Moore, Akron; one brother, Thomas McMahon, Bellevue; sisters, Mrs. Harry Ball, Bellevue, and Sister Mary Amelda, Cleveland, and four grandchildren.

Friends may call at the Wheland funeral home, Huron.

More About Margaret I. McMahon:

Burial: Calvary Cemetery, Sandusky, Ohio

Notes for Lewis George Everett:

1920 Census, Huron, Erie County, Ohio: District 5

Everett, Lewis G.; head of household, age 35; born in Ohio; general farming

Margaret J., wife, age 36, born in Ohio

Thomas L., son, age 10

Mary J., daughter, age 8

Emma M., daughter, age 3 2/12

1930 Census, Huron, Erie County, Ohio: District 6

Everett, Lewis, head of household, age 45; 22 yrs of age at time of first marriage, born in Ohio, as well as both parents; occupation was general farming.

Margaret, wife, age 47, 24 yrs of age at time of first marriage, born in Ohio, father born in Irish free State and mother born in Ohio

Thomas, son, age 21, single, born in Ohio, farm laborer

Mary, daughter, age 18, single, born in Ohio, Saleslady of Dry Goods

Margaret, daughter, age 13, born in Ohio

More About Lewis George Everett:

Burial: Calvary Cemetery, Sandusky, Ohio

Occupation: General Farming

Social Security Number: Bet. 1920 - 1930, 276-34-8983

- v. Geroge James McMahan, born 26 Apr 1885.
- vi. Peter Leo McMahan, born 05 Jan 1888.
- vii. Mary Elizabeth McMahan, born 15 Nov 1890.
- viii. Lucy Ellen McMahan, born 24 Aug 1893.
- ix. McMahan, born 08 Apr 1896.

#### *Generation No. 4*

**8. John Murray**, born in Ireland. He married **9. Mary Quin**.

**9. Mary Quin**, born in Ireland.

Notes for John Murray:

Patrick Murray, baptized 4 December 1828 (sponsors: Patrick Durkin and Mary Quinn; address: Cushin North)

Bridget Murray, baptized 8 February 1833 (sponsors: Edward Murray and Bridget Maley; address: Cushin)

Margaret Murray, baptized 15 April 1835 (sponsors: Patrick --- and Mary ---; address: Cushin)

Mary Murray, baptized 30 April 1842 (sponsors: Thomas Shanley and Winifred Barrett; address: Cushin).

1880 census of Wakeman Ohio:

Patrick Murry living near John and James Murray. His next door neighbor was Michael Ford. According to census records, he was born about 1830 in Ireland. His wife Mary age 34 was also born in Ireland, he had two daughters, Mary age 15 and Anna age 12 in addition to one son, Willie, age 2; all children born in Ohio. This is not confirmed that he was a brother to our John and James Murray.

J. J. Moroney, who was born in Oberlin in 1868, compiled a manuscript around the early 1900's. His grandparents had come from Ireland and were founders of St. Mary's Parish in Wakeman. This manuscript can be found in the Wakeman Village Library.

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#### THE FOUNDING FAMILIES

St. Mary's founding family name, including some few who came later than the mid-century decade, marrying into founding families, were as follows: Barry, Brennan, Broder, Burke, Cashman, Conry, Collins, Craghan, Donahoe, Dunn, Duggan, Dunbar, Fahey, Ford, Grady, Grogan, GUTHRIE, Healy, Higgins, Hogan, Hynes, Kaveny, Kelly, Linehan, Langan, Loughan, MURRAY, Mockler, Moroney, Nestor, Nohilly, Quinn, Raftery, Rooney, Shaughnessy, Sheil. They were all from Connacht, mostly Galway county, except four from Munster: Barry and Cashman from Cork, Duggan from Tipperary and Moroney from Limerick.

Here's another excerpt from Mr. Moroney's manuscript, dealing with the railroad

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#### THE SETTLEMENTS BEGIN, 1851-55:

The LS & MS, southern division, was built from Cleveland to Toledo in 1851-55. The little string of settlements later to make St. Mary's took form as the workers shifted from their box-car habitations into groups of shanties from Oberlin to shortly west of Wakeman as the rails were laid down. In 1853 a young Irish missionary, Father Healy, began attendance upon the settlements from Elyria. In 1862 the settlements were set over to Norwalk, ten miles west to be attended as a mission. Within those years several of the families had acquired land. The distinction of being the first to buy a farm goes by all dependable legend to Tom Conry who bought a small tract not far from Kipton in 1858. That old Celt was a fine example of manhood by every test. He was proud of his name and more than half seriously claimed descent from Conn of the Hundred Battles. However dubious such antiquity of title might be, it is historical that his name was borne by bardic scholars and at least one great church man of the name was among those who fled to the continent during early Stuart persecution. He founded an Irish college at Louvain. Old Tom's wife was a Burke. She too was proud of her name. They were a couple of high character and founded a family tree in their ..... land, representatives of which are numerous and in many places bearing names' Conry, Dunn, Grady, MURRAY, Hogan, Ward, and others.

#### Notes for Mary Quin:

1821 Census, Cavan County Ireland I found a 16 year old Mary Quin living with her family. The interesting thing about this census is that there is a John Murray living not to far from this Mary Quin's family.

House Number 35

Patrick Quin - Age 40 - Shoemaker

Catherine Quin - His Wife - Age 38 - Flax Spinner

Peter Quin - His Son - Age 14 - Shoemaker

Patrick Quin - His Son - Age 10

Mary Quin - His Daughter - Age - 16 - Flax Spinner

The following is here as a reference only: Later connection may be made. This is the only family of Quin listed on this Census record.

1901 Census; County of Mayo

112-13, No. 2 All Roman Catholic and born in Co. Mayo

Thomas Quinn, head, cannot read, 40, male, farmer, married, Irish & English

Catherine, wife, write & read, 38, female, married, Irish & English

Honoria O'Neill, boarder, write & read, 20, female, Servant, not married, Irish & English

Mary Anne Quinn, daughter, cannot read, 1, female, not married. Signed: Thomas Quinn

#### Children of John Murray and Mary Quin are:

- i. John Murray<sup>29</sup>, born 1835 in Ireland; died 13 Jan 1925 in Wakeman, Huron County, Ohio<sup>30</sup>; married Mary Ward 13 May 1867 in Wakeman, Huron Co., Ohio<sup>31</sup>; born 1839 in Ireland; died 08 Nov 1918 in Wakeman, Huron County, Ohio.

#### Notes for John Murray:

1880 Census; Wakeman; Huron County, Ohio taken on the 11th day of June.

Murry, John age 41; occ: laborer, born in Ireland

wife Mary age 40; keeping house, born in Ireland

son John age 11

son Thomas age 10

son James age 8

son Mathew age 5

son Patrick age 2

All children were born in Ohio

1910 Miracode Index, Huron County, OH:

Murray, John, head of household, age 68, immigrated in 1860

Mary, wife, age 67

John, Jr., son, age 41

Patrick L., son, age 32

1920 census Wakeman, Huron County, OH:

Murry, John age 82; widowed; farmer

John, son, age 51; single; farm laborer

Patrick, son, age 42; single; farm laborer

More About John Murray:  
Burial: 16 Jan 1925, St. Mary's Catholic Cemetery, Wakeman, Huron County, Ohio  
Census: 1880, Ohio  
Occupation: Farmer

Notes for Mary Ward:  
In the 1900 Ohio census, her date of birth is given as April 1840. She was a mother of five children. The year of her immigration to the U.S. looks like 1864.

More About Mary Ward:  
Burial: 11 Nov 1918, St. Mary's Catholic Cemetery, Wakeman, Huron County, Ohio

- 4 ii. James C. Murray, born 18 Jun 1839 in Ireland; died 01 Sep 1911 in Wakeman, Huron County, Ohio; married Catherine Guthrie 28 Apr 1862.

**12. James McMahon**, born in Ireland. He married **13. Julia Marron**.

**13. Julia Marron**, born Abt. 1801 in Ireland.

Notes for James McMahon:

1821 Census

Townland of Leheresy

Parish of Crosserlough

Barony of Castlerahan

County of Cavan

House Number 2

Owen McMahon - Age 43 - Farmer and Weaver

Mary McMahon - His Wife - Age 39 - Flax Spinner

Thomas McMahon - His Son - Age 11

Patrick McMahon - His Son - Age 9

James McMahon - His Son - Age 7

Anne McMahon - His Daughter - Age 3

Mary McEvoy - Age 19 - House Servant

The above is listed as a point of reference only. This information is still waiting verification.

More About James McMahon:

Immigration: 1861

Children of James McMahon and Julia Marron are:

- i. Peter McMahon
- ii. Thomas McMahon
- iii. Mary McMahon
- iv. Female McMahon
- v. James McMahon, born 17 May 1837 in County of Monaghan, Ireland; died 14 Apr 1920 in Bellevue, Huron County, Ohio; married Bridget Perry; born 1848 in Toronto, Canada; died 17 Jan 1882 in Bellevue, Huron County, Ohio.

Notes for James McMahon:

1880 Census, Lyme, Huron County, Ohio, District 147; page 4

McMahon, James, age 45, head of household, farmer, birthplace-Ireland as well as both parents

Bridget, age 33, wife, birthplace- Canada; both parents born in Ireland

Rosy, age 14, daughter

James, age 12, son

Mary, age 11, daughter

Susan, age 9, daughter

Agnes, age 7, daughter

Edward, age 5, son

Julia, age 3, daughter

Raferly, Patrick, age 53, servant; farm laborer; birthplace Ireland

All McMahon children in this record were born in Ohio

1900 Census; Lyme, Huron County, Ohio; District 24  
McMahon, James; born May 1837, age 61, Widowed, birthplace-Ireland  
Mary, daughter, born Nov. 1875, age 24  
Julia, daughter, June 1881, age 19  
Eddie, son, born May 1877, age 23  
Belle, daughter, born Jan. 1882 [?] age [looks like 12]  
James, grandson, April 1891, age 8  
Schindlay, [?] boarder, age 28 born in Ohio  
Mahlar, Frank; boarder, age 26 born in Ohio  
All the McMahon children and grandchild in this record were born in Ohio. James was a farmer, Eddie a farm laborer as well as the two boarders.

1910 Census; Lyme Huron County, Ohio; District 27  
McMahon, James head of household; age77; year of Immigration is 1852; farmer  
Edward V., son; age 32; farm laborer  
Jewell M., daughter; age 30; W;  
Lepley, Basil S., grandson, age 13  
Meredith, William J., son-in-law, age 33; born in New York; Conductor on Rail Road  
Belle, daughter; (wife of William Meredith); age 28  
Gweneth, Grand Daughter, age 3/12 (child of Belle and William Meredith)  
Rope, Henry, Hired Man, age 19; born in Ohio  
All the McMahon children and grandchild in the record were born in Ohio  
PROMINENT FARMER CALLED BY DEATH, WAS ILL TWO WEEKS  
James McMahon passed away at home of daughter on Wednesday evening.

1920 Census, Lyme, Huron County, Ohio  
McMahon, Edward, head of household, age 44; Single, farmer, general labor  
Julia, sister; age 40; Single, servant  
James, father; age 86; Widowed....[ this record states year of immigration as 1860 and 1870 as naturalization]  
Roper, Henry, Servant, age 26

James McMahon, aged 86 years, a resident of the vicinity of Bellevue for 67 years, died Wednesday evening at 6 o'clock, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. William Kutz, Castalia Street, following an illness which originated two weeks ago when he sustained a strike of paralysis while stepping from a conveyance in which he had been driven from his farm home, in Lyme township, to the city on a business matter. The funeral will be held Saturday morning at 9:30 o'clock from the Catholic church, Rev F.A. Terwoord officiating. Interment will be in the Catholic cemetery.

The passing of Mr. McMahon takes from Bellevue and vicinity one of the older of the country residents and one who was widely known and esteemed. Born in County Monaghan, Ireland, 86 years ago. Mr. McMahon grew to young manhood in that country and when a young man emigrated to America, coming at once to Huron County where he first made his home on a farm, near Hunt's Corners, being employed as a farm hand.

In early years as in his later years he was industrious and thrifty of nature and after a few years employment as helper on farms he himself engaged in the business of farming and through industrious application and careful attention to the life pursuit which he had chosen, he was enabled to accumulate rewards which placed him to the forefront of the farmers in one of the most prosperous agricultural regions of the state during recent years.

October 18, 1866, he was united in marriage to Miss Bridget Perry, who preceded him in death January 17, 1882, and to which union eight children were born, seven of whom are living, as follows; Mrs. Barnard Brady, Mrs. Molly Lynott, of Portland, Ore.; Mrs. John Lepley, south of Bellevue; Mrs. William Kutz and Mrs. William Meredith, of this city, Miss Julia and Edward, at home. One son, James, died February, 1919. Fourteen grandchildren and two great-grandchildren also survive. Mr. McMahon himself was the last of a family of six children.

During the long period of his residence in the vicinity of Bellevue the deceased had gained the high esteem and lasting friendship of large circles wherein he was acquainted through business or personal relations, while to those with whom he was intimate he was known as a kind and loving father and neighbor and while his death will be deeply grieved his memory likewise will be tenderly cherished.

From: The Bellevue Gazette  
April 15, 1920  
Page 4, Column 2

Elyria Chronicle Telegram, 04/17/1920  
NORWALK: James McMahon, 86, Norwalk; G.D. Silliman, 72 North Fairfield, and T. J. Cusak, 94, on of the two remaining Ohio veterans of both the Mexican and Civil war are dead.

JAMES McMAHON, a well-known agriculturist of Huron County, was born May 17, 1837, in County Monaghan, Ireland, where he passed his childhood and received a moderate education. As he approached manhood he determined to seek a new home where he could have broader chances for accumulating money, and more freedom in his ideas and manner of living.

With this in view he emigrated from Ireland in 1853, and immediately after his arrival in America located in Ohio, where he began his business career as a farm laborer on the estate of Steven Sawyer. The country at that date was in a wild state, thoroughly undeveloped and but thinly populated, farming was hard work; but determination to succeed, coupled with unusual energy, enabled our subject to persevere in the work for eight years. At the end of that time he had accumulated enough money to buy two horses and rent a small tract of land, and in a few years bought seventy-two acres of land, two and one half miles southeast of Bellevue. He has continued to add to his farm until it now comprises 200 acres of highly cultivated soil, and yields him a comfortable income. On October 10, 1866, Mr. McMahon married Miss Bridget Perry, who was born in 1848 in Toronto, Canada, a daughter of James Perry, a successful farmer of Erie county, who died in 1880, at the age of sixty-four. Their marriage has been blessed with eight children, viz.: Rose (who married Bernard Brady, of Portland, Oreg.), James, (who lives in Bellevue and is married), Mary, Susie, Agnes, Eddie, Julia and Isabella, all of whom are living. Mrs. McMahon died January 17, 1882, deeply mourned by her family and friends.

The subject of this biographical memoir is an example of what energy and frugality can accomplish. He commenced life in a new country without either money or friends, and today has an abundance of both. He devotes his attention exclusively to farming, and principally to raising wheat and corn. He is a Democrat in politics, and served as road supervisor for a number of years. He and his family are members and liberal supporters of the Catholic Church.

James McMahon, father of our subject, was born in Ireland and lived there until 1861, at which time he came with his wife to America, settling in Ohio. He was a farmer in the old country, and always devoted his attention to agricultural pursuits up to the time of his death. He commenced work in Ohio with no money, but succeeded in renting a farm in Lyme township, where he was highly respected by his neighbors, and where his wife died. He had six children as follows: Thomas, formerly of Deerfield, Mich., who died December 25, 1887; Mary, who died in New York in 1839; James, subject of sketch; Mrs. Owen Kelly and Peter McMahon, of Deerfield, Mich., and Patrick, residing three miles southwest of Bellevue.

From: Commemorative Biographical Record  
Of the Counties of Huron and Lorain,  
Ohio, Volume I, Chicago: J. H. Beers  
& Co, 1894

More About James McMahon:

Burial: 17 Apr 1920, Immaculate Conception Catholic Cemetery, Huron County, Ohio  
Immigration: 1853

More About Bridget Perry:

Cause of Death (Facts Pg): Rhuematism  
Immigration: 1853

- 6 vi. Patrick McMahon, born 04 Mar 1845 in Magheraclaone Parish, County Monaghan, Ireland; died 18 Nov 1902 in Lyme, Huron County, Ohio; married Catherine McCartney 30 Jan 1877 in St. Anthony's Church, Milan, Erie County, Ohio.

**14. Patrick McCartney**, born Abt. 1816 in County Louth, Ireland; died 06 Jun 1869 in Milan, Erie County, Ohio. He was the son of **28. James McCartney** and **29. Mary O'Connor**. He married **15. Ann Kearney**.

**15. Ann Kearney**, born Abt. Jul 1811 in Ireland; died 17 Jan 1883 in Milan, Erie County, Ohio.

Notes for Patrick McCartney:

1860 Census, Milan, Erie County, Oh:

P. McCarty, age 43, Laborer, born in Ireland

Anna, wife, age 42, born in Ireland

P., female, age 8, born in Ohio

M., female, age 6, born in Ohio

M.A., female, age 3, born in Ohio

Patrick lived between his brother Michael McCartney and Thomas Connolly.

Killed by a Runaway -- We learn that a man named Patrick McCartney, residing near Milan, while on the road

between that place and Sandusky, on Wednesday afternoon of last week, was run away with by a team which he was driving; he was thrown from the wagon, striking on a pile of pieces of bricks that had been hauled on to the road to fill up ruts, breaking three or four of his ribs and injuring him otherwise so badly as to cause his death on Saturday evening.

(Source: Norwalk Experiment, June 10, 1869)

His headstone reads: Patrick McCartney, died 6 June 1869, aged 53 yrs., a Native of Ireland, Parish of Lond., husband of Ann Kearney McCartney. (Row 13, Stone 19)

More About Patrick McCartney:

Burial: St. Anthony's Cemetery, Milan, Erie County, Ohio

Notes for Ann Kearney:

1870 census in Milan, Erie County, Oh:

McCartney, Ann, age 50; widowed, born in Ireland

Catherine, age 18

Margaret, age 16

Mary Ann, age 14

The three daughters were all born in Ohio

1880 Census for Milan, Erie County, Ohio:

Anna McCartney, age 63, widowed, born in Ireland, as were both her parents

Margaret, daughter, age 24, born in Ohio.

More About Ann Kearney:

Burial: St. Anthony's Cemetery, Milan, Erie County, Ohio

Children of Patrick McCartney and Ann Kearney are:

- 7 i. Catherine McCartney, born 30 Dec 1852 in Milan, Erie County, Ohio; died 25 Aug 1918 in Bellevue, Huron County, Ohio; married Patrick McMahon 30 Jan 1877 in St. Anthony's Church, Milan, Erie County, Ohio.
- ii. Margaret McCartney, born 03 Jul 1854; died 1937 in Milan, Erie County, Ohio.

More About Margaret McCartney:

Burial: St. Anthony's Cemetery, Erie County, Ohio

- iii. Mary Ann McCartney, born 24 Oct 1856 in Ohio; died 1939; married John Omara; born 1856 in Ohio; died 07 Jun 1926 in Erie County, Ohio<sup>32</sup>.

Notes for Mary Ann McCartney:

1930 Census, Milan Erie County, Ohio

Omara, Mary A. head of household, age 73; widowed

Anna; daughter, age 40

Ambrose J., son, age 30

More About Mary Ann McCartney:

Burial: St. Anthony's Cemetery, Milan, Erie County, Ohio

Notes for John Omara:

John Omara is found in the 1910 Census of Erie County, Ohio;

Omara, John, head of household, age 53; born in Ohio

Mary A., wife, age 53, born in Ohio

Leo B., age 22

Louise A. , age 20

Henry J., age 18

Magurite, age 16

Ambrose J., age 10

Everyone in the household was born in Ohio according to this census record.

1920 Census, Milan, Erie County, Ohio:

Omara, John, head of household, age 63, born in Ohio, both parents born in Ireland

Mary A.; age 63; born in Ohio, both parents born in Ireland  
Margurite; age 30  
Ambrose J. age 26

More About John Omara:  
Burial: St. Anthony's Cemetery, Milan, Erie County, Ohio

### *Generation No. 5*

**28. James McCartney** He married **29. Mary O'Connor**.

**29. Mary O'Connor**

Children of James McCartney and Mary O'Connor are:

- 14 i. Patrick McCartney, born Abt. 1816 in County Louth, Ireland; died 06 Jun 1869 in Milan, Erie County, Ohio; married Ann Kearney.
- ii. Michael McCartney, born Abt. 1823 in County Louth, Ireland; married Catherine Commins; born Abt. 1827 in County Louth, Ireland.

Notes for Michael McCartney:

1860 Census for Milan, Erie County, Ohio:

Census taken on the 22nd day of June in 1860

M. McCarty head of household, 37 yrs. old; occupation listed as laborer, born in Ireland

C. McCarty, wife, 33 yrs. old, born in Ireland

James, 12, born in Ireland

P.; male, age 9, born in Ohio

M.; female age 8, born in Ohio

John, age 6, born in Ohio

Julia, age 4, born in Ohio

Alice, age 3, born in Ohio

M. male, age 1, born in Ohio

### *Endnotes*

1. *Social Security Death Index*.
2. W.G. Beeghly, *Descendants of Michael Beeghly and Barro Inken, Book III Joseph Beeghly and Mary Keagy*, (Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania), 73, Family Group # 730C. Debra Lynn Richards, 730, Fernway St., Maple Hts. Ohio, was b. Mar. 12, 1955 at Uniontown, Pennsylvania. m. Lawrence M. Murray who was b. Apr. 26, 1951 at Maple Hts., Ohio, son of George Murray and Marie. Delivery truck driver. Catholic. Lisa Marie, Sept. 12, 1974.
3. Application of Marriage.
4. Certificate of Death; Ohio Department of Health, 027431.
5. Certificate of Death, Ohio Department of Health, Cert. # 027431.
6. Marriage Record, Probate Court of Huron County Ohio, Record No. 801.
7. Certificate of Death, Ohio Department of Health, 27474.
8. Certificate of Death, Ohio Department of Health, 027431.
9. *1930 Census Townsend, Huron County, Ohio; District 31*.
10. Obituary.
11. Certificate of Death, Ohio Department of Health, 019339.
12. Certificate of Death, Ohio Department of Health, 081585.
13. *Ohio Certificate of Death*, Cert. # 057752.
14. "Obituary."
15. *Social Security Death Index*.
16. Cuyahoga County Marriage Index, 0308.
17. "Obituary."
18. Cemetery Inscriptions, Huron County, # 872.
19. Certificate of Death, Ohio Department of Health, 19017.
20. Immigration, Probate Court of Huron County, Ohio; Vol 1864 - 1875; 2.
21. Certificate of Death, Lorain County, Ohio, 20454.
22. Huron County Cemetery Inscriptions, Page 872.
23. *Ohio Certificate of Death*, Cert. # 36151.
24. Application of Marriage, Huron County, Ohio, 867.
25. Huron County Cemetery Inscriptions, 875.

26. Huron County Cemetery Inscriptions, 281.
27. Certificate of Death # 087122.
28. Certificate of Death # 55940.
29. Huron County, Ohio Death Certificate, Cert # 6115, Can be located through Death Certificate Index for Huron County Ohio Vol. 4651 Cert. # 6115. Can be obtained through Ohio Historical Society, 1982 Velma Ave., Columbus, Oh. 43211-2497.
30. *Ohio Certificate of Death*, Cert. # 6115.
31. Record of Marriages, Huron County, Ohio, Vol. #2 page 67, Record of Marriages
32. *Certificate of Death, State Of Ohio*, 42019.