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Genealogical Research Report (sample)

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SUBJECT	Catherine Laughlin and parents: Michael Laughlin and Mary Lang
OBJECTIVE	Using documentary evidence, locate and identify any pertinent BMD information for Catherine Laughlin, daughter of Michael Laughlin and wife Mary Lang, and family.
BACKGROUND SUMMARY	Catherine Laughlin came over to the US from County Galway, IRE with her parents, Michael and Mary, and family. Catherine's father, Michael died in transit aboard the ship in 1858. There may be a connection with the Madden family. Information used in conjunction with <i>Ancestry.ca</i> tree "[PRIVATE]" by [LIVING], and personal genealogy notes provided by [LIVING], including oral history and stories provided by Sister Shaun O'Meara. ¹
KEY REPOSITORIES CONSULTED	<i>Library and Archives Canada</i> (https://www.bac-lac.gc.ca) <i>National Archives of Canada – Ships List</i> (http://www.theshipslist.com) <i>Ancestry.ca</i> (https://www.ancestry.ca) <i>FamilySearch (LDS)</i> (https://www.familysearch.org/en) <i>Find a Grave</i> (https://www.findagrave.com) <i>Newspapers.com</i> (https://www.newspapers.com)
SPELLING NOTE	Surname spellings vary: Laughlin, Laughling, Laffin, Lafflin, Loughlin, Mac Lachlainn, Mac Lochlainn, MacClaughlin, MacCloughlin, MacGlaughlin, MacGloughlin, MacLachlan, MacLauchlan, MacLaughlin, MacLochlainn, MacLoughlin, Mag

¹ [PRIVATE]by [LIVING], *Ancestry.ca*, (<https://www.ancestry.ca/family-tree/tree/...>)

Lachlainn, Mag Lochlainn, Ó Lochlainn, Ó Lochlainn, O'Loghlen, O'Loughlin.

Laughlin is used here, except in citations, where names appear as they do in the sources.

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SUMMARY OF FINDINGS:

The research objective for this session has been partially met.

Catherine Laughlin lived to be 93! Catherine's death record was obtained and confirmed her birth as 21 Jul 1852 Ireland. Her parentage was confirmed as Michael Laughlin and Mary Laughlin. No other maiden names for her mother Mary were given. I have not found a baptismal record for Catherine Laughlin in Ireland, with focus on County Galway. It is likely this record will be made known in a few years time as more Irish records are scanned. Searches retrieved no valid results.

Son, John W. Laughlin's death record gives the mother's maiden name as "Lang". While Lang is an Irish name (also seen as Lange), I am presuming it was likely someone writing Laughlin, as it is frequently mis-transcribed as "Langhlin" – with the letters of "u" being mistaken for an "n".

I could not find any Ireland records for marriages for Michael Laughlin and Mary Lang, including searches with additional maiden names.

Several Laughlin and Madden families lived close to one another on several census reports. For example, as noted on the 1860 Alden, McHenry, Illinois census: Mary (Lang) Laughlin is living with her children in the dwelling 1947, adjacent (or with) Patrick Madden family, and Patrick Madden Jr. family, but also Mary's son, John W. Laughlin is nearby. I have included detailed land deeds and maps later in this report, as well as census comparisons also in a later section of this report.

In the case of the maiden name of Michael Laughlin's wife, Mary, I have only been able to find the name of "Lang", not "Madden" as many trees suggest – but without proof.

I believe the error in most trees is from Patrick Madden's will...

The name Mary Loughlin is written in such a way that it may be read as one of his daughter's (thus believing her name to be Mary Madden) - however she is deceased and he is leaving a fourth to the daughters of Mary Loughlin/Laughlin, spouse of John W. Laughlin (son of Michael and Mary) ... Perhaps an assumption was made in someone's tree that this "Mary Loughlin" was the wife of Michael Laughlin and not John W. Laughlin, and other's copied from that.

Patrick's daughter Mary Madden (m. John W. Laughlin) died in June 1873. She is mentioned as deceased in his will ("... the daughters of my deceased daughter Mary Loughlin..."). Michael's wife, Mary "Lang", didn't die until 1900.

From his will dated October 6th 1873

Estate of Patrick Madden

(Will)

I Patrick Madden of full ang and sound and disposing mind do make and declare this my last Will and Testament.

I hereby nominate and appoint my son James Madden Executor of this my last Will and Testament.

1. I give and bequeath to my son **James Madden** the sum of four hundred dollars
2. I give and bequeath to my sons **Thomas & Patrick**, my daughter **Catharina Tully** and the daughters of my deceased daughter **Mary Loughlin** the balance residue of my property of which I may lie seized share & share a like to wit one fourth thereof to the said **Thomas, Patrick & Catherine each** & the remaining one fourth to the **daughters of my said deceased daughter**

Mary.

3. I will and desire that my said Executor after paying the expenses of my last sickness & funeral shall pay and discharge the said bequests as speedily as possible and to that end. I do hereby authorize him to make sale of all the property I may leave either Real or personal and to execute any deed or conveyance of Real Estate without any proceedings in order of any Probate Court of his own will & as he may judge to the best advantage of my Estate.

Patrick Madden X (seal) signed with his mark

Additional findings include the proximity to which Laughlins and Madden families lived next to one another, I was able to connect and find several relationships. As you proceed with this report, you will notice I have deduced there are four Laughlin brothers who immigrated from Ireland to the United States.

The four Laughlin brothers are: Edward, Patrick, John, and Michael – the latter of whom is Catherine's father, who died circa 1858 in the Atlantic Ocean while immigrating with his family. I have included a pedigree for each of these Laughlin families, as well as included a Madden pedigree showing possible siblings who married into the Laughlin clan.

TIMELINE FOR CATHERINE "KATE" LAUGHLIN:

Facts	Date	Details	Age
Birth	21 Jul 1852	County, Galway, IRE	0
Emigration	1853-1855/1858	From IRE to US aboard ??? (ship name)	1-3/6
Father dies	1858	Catherine's father, Michael Laughlin, dies aboard ship from IRE to US	
Census	1860	Alden, McHenry, Illinois, US; with widowed mother and siblings John, Sarah, and Jane. Living adjacent (or with) the Patrick Madden family.	8
Emigration	1861	Moved to Steele county, Minnesota, US	9
Census	1870		18
Census	1880		28
Marriage	21 Jun 1882	To James O'Meara, at Minneapolis, Hennepin, Minnesota, US (order certificate)	29
A child is born	20 May 1883	son Thomas Edmond is born Minnesota	30
A child is born	25 May 1885	son John Francis is born Cordova, MN	33
Census (fam)	1885	Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, US	33
A child is born	20 Nov 1886	son Stephen is born, Derrynaue Twp, Cordova, Le Sueur, MN	35
A child is born	17 Jun 1890	son James Vincent is born, Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, US	38
A child is born	5 Jun 1893	son Michael Harry is born, Kilkenny, Le Sueur, Minnesota, US	41
Census (fam)	1895	Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, US	43
Mother dies	4 Feb 1900	Catherine's mother dies in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, US	48
Census (fam)	1900	Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, US	48
Census (fam)	1905	Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, US	53
Census (fam)	1910	Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, US	58
Sons are drafted WWI	1917-1918	Sons Thomas, John, Stephen, and Michael are drafted for WWI, Le Sueur and Brown County, MN	65
She is widowed	6 May 1919	Husband James O'Meara dies age 70, in Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, US	67
Census	1920	Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, US; widowed, with 4 children, Thomas, Stephen, Vincent, and Michael H.	68

Census	1930	Lexington, Le Sueur, Minnesota, US; widowed, with son Stephen	78
Census	1940	Le Center, Le Sueur, Minnesota, US; widowed, residing at 75 South Montgomery avenue with sons Stephen and Thomas	88
Sons are drafted WWII	1942	Sons Thomas, John, Stephen, and Michael are drafted for WWII at Le Center, Le Sueur County and Windom, Cottonwood, Minnesota, US	90
Death	15 May 1945	Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, US	92

Figure 1: Death certificate for Catherine Laughlin O'Meara

MINNESOTA STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
Division of Birth and Death Records and Vital Statistics

7512

Dist. No. 1795
To be inserted by registrar

Registered No. 2

CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

1 PLACE OF DEATH: STATE OF MINNESOTA
County Le Sueur
Township Cordova
Village _____
City _____
No. _____ St. _____
(If hospital or institution give its NAME instead of St. and No.)
Length of stay:
In hospital or institution 62 yrs. 9 mos. 24 days
In this community _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ days

2 USUAL RESIDENCE OF DECEASED: {If an institution, give place of residence prior to admission
State Minnesota
County Le Sueur
Township Cordova
Village _____
City _____
No. _____
Is residence within limits of city or incorporated village? No

3 FULL NAME MRS. CATHERINE O'MEARA

4 (a) SOCIAL SECURITY NO. _____ **4 (b) IF VETERAN, NAME WAR** _____

5 SEX Female **6 COLOR OR RACE** White **7 Single, Married, Widowed or Divorced (Write the word)** Widow

8 (a) If Married, Widowed or Divorced, NAME OF HUSBAND OR WIFE James O'Meara **8 (b) AGE if alive** Deceased

9 DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, year) July 21, 1852

10 AGE Years 92 Months 9 Days 24 IF LESS than 1 day, _____ hrs. or _____ min.

11 USUAL OCCUPATION Retired Housewife

12 INDUSTRY OR BUSINESS Agriculture

13 BIRTHPLACE (City or Town; State or Country) Ireland

14 NAME Michael Laughlin

15 BIRTHPLACE (City or Town; State or Country) Ireland

16 MAIDEN NAME Mary Laughlin

17 BIRTHPLACE (City or Town; State or Country) Ireland

18 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE
Informant's own Signature J. F. O'Meara
Address Windom, Minnesota

19 Buried at or Removed to Calvary Cemetery Date 5/18/45
Le Center, Minn. (Cremation—No—Yes)

20 Signature of Embalmer or General Director: J. P. O'Meara Emb. Lic. No. 1043
Montgomery, Minnesota F. D. Lic. No. 786
Address _____
Firm Name KEOHEN'S

21 Date Received 6/11/45 George Koenig Signature of Local Registrar

22 DATE OF DEATH May 15th, 1945

23 I HEREBY CERTIFY: That I attended deceased from 1940 to 5/14/45
I last saw her alive on 5/14/45
To the best of my knowledge death occurred on the date stated above, at 3:30 A.M.
Immediate cause of death Atherosclerotic heart disease & myocardial infarction
Due to hypertension
Other conditions (Include pregnancy within 3 months of death) _____
Major findings: Of operations _____
Of autopsy _____
Physician Underline the cause to which death should be charged statistically.

24 If death was due to external cause, fill in the following:
(a) Accident, suicide, or homicide (specify) _____
(b) Date of occurrence _____
(c) Where did injury occur? (City or Town) _____ (County) _____ (State) _____
(d) Did injury occur in or about home, on farm, in industrial place, in public place? (Specify type of place) _____ While at work? _____
(e) Means of injury _____
25 Signature J. P. O'Meara M. D.
Address Le Center, Minn. Date 5/16/45

M. D.—WRITE PLAINLY, WITH UNFADING BLACK INK, THIS IS A PERMANENT RECORD. Every item of information furnished is carefully checked. AOB should be stated EXACTLY. PHYSICIANS should state CAUSE OF DEATH in plain terms, so that it may be properly classified. Exact statement of OCCUPATION is very important.

MARGIN RESERVED FOR BINDING.

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Signature of Sub-Registrar J. P. O'Meara

1945

May 16 1945

REC'D JUN 7 1945

IRELAND

LAUGHLIN COAT OF ARMS / FAMILY CREST



Ó Maoilsheachlainn

A little history about the surname of Laughlin:

O MAOILSHEACHLAINN – O Mulshaghlen, O Melaghlin, (MacLaughlin, MacLoughlin, O'Loughlan, O'Loughlin); 'descendant of Maolsheachlainn' (servant of St. Secundinus); the name of a once celebrated Meath family, of the race of Niall of the Nine Hostages, who derive their descent from Maelsheachlainn, or Malachy II, King of Ireland, who was dethroned by Brian Boru and died in the year 1022. The clan-name of the O Melaghlin and their co-relatives was Clann Cholmain. Before the Anglo-Norman invasion they were kings of Meath, but after that period their power greatly declined. Meath was granted to Hugh de Lacy, and for many centuries the O Melaghlin were confined to the barony of Clonlonan in Westmeath. They were, however, one of the five Irish families who had the privilege of using English laws. In the reign of James I they were again stripped of a considerable portion of what remained of their ancient patrimony; and so completely had this ancient and once powerful family been ruined by the confiscations of the 17th century that in the attainders of 1691 there appears to be one person of the name, Maolseachlin O Melaghlin, of Lough Mask, Co. Mayo. The name is now everywhere disguised under the anglicised forms of MacLaughlin, MacLoughlin, etc.

The surname MacLaughlin, also spelt Laughlin, Lauchlan, Laughlan, MacLoughlin and McLaughlin, is used in modern Irish as the Anglicization of an Old Gaelic name borne by two entirely distinct Gaelic septs, the first originally called 'O' Maoilsheachlann' and Anglicized as O'Melaghlin up to the end of the 17th Century assumed the name MacLoughlin in circa 1691. The territory of this sept lay in the central plains of Ireland, especially in County Meath. The Gaelic prefix "O" indicates male descendant of, and "maol", the tonsured one, i.e. a devotee (of Saint Seachlann i.e. St. Secundinus). This Maoilsheachlann from whom the family descends was better known as Malachy II, High King of Ireland from 980 - 1002. The second MacLaughlin sept belonged to Innishowen Co. Donegal. The name means "son of (mac) Lochlann", a compound of the Norse elements "loch", a lake or fjord, plus "lann" land. The great leading men of this sept are frequently

referred to in "The Annals of the Four Masters". Among the recordings in Ireland is the marriage of John McLaughlin and Elizabeth Crauffurd on June 23rd 1666 at Derry Cathedral, Templemore, Londonderry, Northern Ireland. The first recorded spelling of the family name is shown to be that of MacLochlann of Ulster, which was dated circa 1200, in the Annals of Medieval History (Counties Donegal and Derry), during the reign of King Cathal, Craobhdhearg - known as Red Hand, High King of Ireland, 1198 - 1224. Surnames became necessary when governments introduced personal taxation. In England this was known as Poll Tax. Throughout the centuries, surnames in every country have continued to "develop" often leading to astonishing variants of the original spelling.



Mac Loughlin

Irish Book of Arms plates 162, 163
O Maoilsheachlainn

MacLaughlin, MacGloughlin, Melaghlin.

The MacLoughlin family name in Ireland may stem from one of two completely independent septs. When shortened to "Loughlin" or Laughlin, some confusion may exist as to whether the original name was O'Loughlin or MacLoughlin.

One family descends from O Maoilsheachlainn, and they were known as O'Melaghlin into the 18th century. They descend from Malachy II, King of Ireland (d. 1002 a.d.), who fell to the powers of the great Brian Boru. The name is said to mean follower of Seachlainn, i.e. St. Secundinus. The Norman invasions of the 12th century mark the families continued decline from power. The family in more modern times was found as McLoughlin in Meath.

The second family of the name stems from MacLochlainn, (son of Lochlainn), of the northern Ui Neill in Innishowen, Co. Donegal. They are prominent in Co. Derry as well. The spelling of MacGloughlin is also used in Dublin today. They began to decline in power in the middle of the 13th century. A branch of this family settled in Leitrim under the leadership of the O'Rourke clan, and it is so recorded in the Composition Book of Connacht.

McLaughlin was the preferred spelling of the name in 1891, with some 191 births recorded mainly in Antrim, Donegal, Londonderry, Tyrone and Dublin. McLoughlin had 170 births recorded in various locations.

"The MacLaughlins or Clan Owen, was published by T. P. Brown in Boston, in 1879.



O'Loughlin

Irish Book of Arms plates 163, 220
O Lochlainn

O'Loghlin, O'Lochalinn, O'Laughlin.

Traditionally known as Lords of the Burren, this name comes from Co. Clare, the county which has always been the center of O'Loughlin country.

Lochlain (A.D. 953) is the man from whom the name is taken. Originally from the same clan as the O'Connors, two brothers split the clan with one forming the O'Loughlins and the other the O'Connors in the 10th century.

Corcomroe was the area inhabited by this family, and they ruled over the area known as the Burren, meaning the "Rocky Place."

O'Loughlin retained all of the Burren until the invasions of Cromwell. The occupiers remarked that the Burren, "had not enough water to drown a man, wood enough to hang him, nor dirt enough to bury him. This statement may have been true then, but the O'Loughlins thrive there to this day none the less.

Early O'Loughlin ancestors may have come from northern Ireland, and may not be an ancient Dalcassion sept. An ancient Dane or Viking heritage is also possible stemming from the possible word origins of "Lochlainn", a word used to describe the same. MacLoughlin is an entirely separate family.

Most powerful on the shores of the Atlantic and Galway Bay in earlier times, the Burren is still the heart of O'Loughlin country today.

Family researchers take note of the "History and Topography of County Clare" by J. Frost, Dublin 1883, and the "O'Loughlin Book", Irish Genealogical Foundation, Kansas City, 1981. The former work contains hundreds of the name not found in its index.

Another family used the name anciently, they were near Dublin, and are cited as Kings of Ireland.

THE LAUGHLIN FAMILY IN GALWAY, IRELAND

The Laughlin family was from Galway, Ireland (per Glenn's notes). Catherine's death record was obtained and confirmed her birth as 21 Jul 1852 Ireland.

Studying the family tree of Patrick Laughlin (one of Michael's *probable* brothers), his son John Patrick Laughlin was born in Ballinasloe, Galway, Ireland – as shown on his naturalization papers. He also shows his last residence as Ballinasloe – which puts the family there in 1862. Detailed information on the four brothers follows, including images showing these locations.

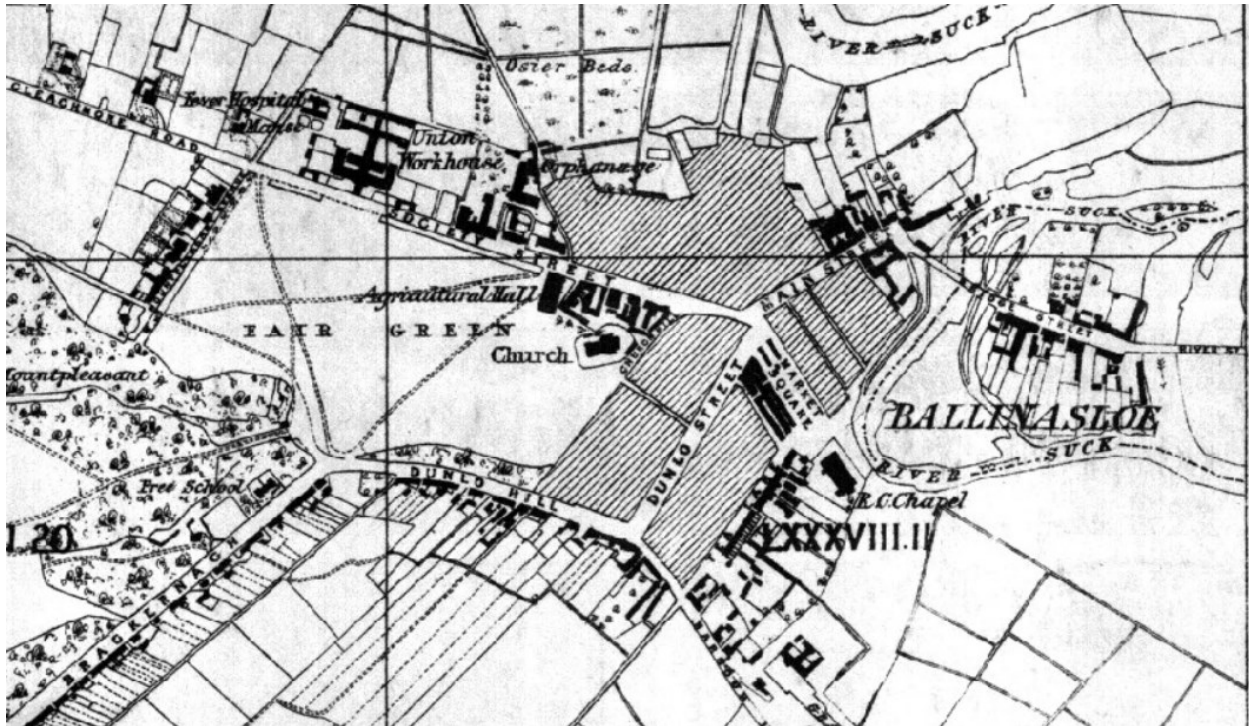
Figure 2: Closeup of 1847 map of County Galway (Ballinasloe is on right middle):



Figure 3: Closeup of 1855 map of County Galway (Ballinasloe is on right middle):



Figure 4: Ordnance Survey for the village of Ballinasloe in County Galway, 1838:



Glenn's notes: Michael Laughlin died aboard ship on the crossing of the Atlantic in 1858. Our oral history states we are from Galway and they sailed from possibly Cobh. Further more, the oral tradition goes, that Mary Laughlin and her babies were such a site that the captain of the vessel offered to take her and the family back to Ireland at no additional fee. Mary Laughlin kindly refused and they left the ship.

Sister Shaun O'Meara's notes July 1990:

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In 1858, because of the harsh economic conditions imposed by England on Ireland, the entire Laughlin family boarded a ship at Queenstown, today known as Cobh in County Cork, en route to New York. The voyage at that time would have taken anywhere from six to eighteen weeks. The trip was marred with tragedy as the father, Michael, met with an accident and died. He was buried at sea and his wife, Mary, was left with six children ranging in age from two to fifteen.

To note in 1858, these are the ages of the children (based on the information I have):

The oldest, Maria would be abt 21, John was 20, Thomas was 12, Ann was 8, Catherine was 6, and Sarah was 5.

For the ages to be "between two and fifteen", the family would have had to have left in abt 1855.

Maria 18, John 17, Thomas 9, Ann 5, Catherine 3, and Sarah 2.

Also...

“Mother and her bunch of babies presented such a sorry sight”

They are hardly “babies”... by 1858. I am suspecting the trip actually took place in 1853-1855 from Ireland to NY, but difficult to say until we find a ship record. I'm wondering if the Gary O'Meara records in Ohio (which have genealogy, letters, etc.) would give further insight. I have listed this finding aid in the sources at the close of the report.

I did an extensive search of records at the Roots Ireland website, showing all Laughlin births and marriages for County Galway, and other counties. I could not find a match. I made a separate Word and Excel file showing these notes, as well as put individual notes in the RootsMagic database file.

United States

UPON ARRIVING IN NEW YORK, the Michael Laughlin family ...

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Figure 5: Image of an 1850s steam train, typical of the time period:



"The trip by rail missed tragedy only by a hair, for we had only gone one division in the route and when we changed trains and were about to board the second train, Mother (Mary Laughlin) put her hand in her pocket for the tickets and they weren't there. The conductor looked, and the agent, noticing her predicament, and who knew she had a ticket, also looked but the ticket was not to be found so the train pulled out and left us behind. The train had no more than gone out of sight, when Mother put her hand in her pocket and pulled out the tickets. In a short time the agent came running over to us he had just received a wire that the train we missed had been wrecked and many were killed—Mother had us say a prayer" (**Steve O'Meara's notes**). No matter how often grandma told the story she gave St. Anthony credit for taking the tickets until the ill-fated train had departed."

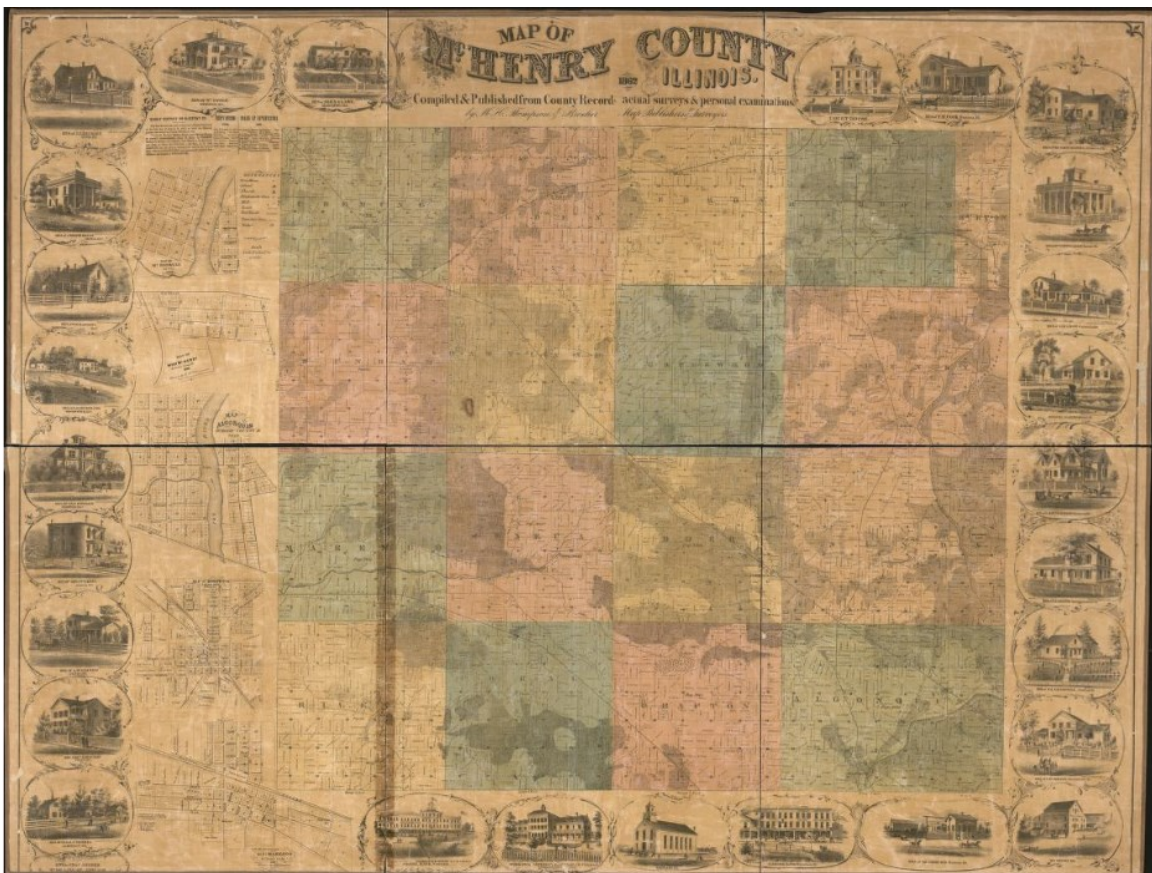
And...

On her 80th birthday in Le Center, Catherine (Laughlin) O'Meara, reminisced: "I was the last of our family to get married, save Sarah, the baby, who died giving childbirth and I'll be the last to die if the good lord hasn't forgotten I'm here altogether." This was thirteen years before she died! Catherine O'Meara spoke of going to from their farm south of Le Center to visit her mother in Owatonna, "When the children were small I couldn't go down home, but when the last baby was born (Harry O'Meara), I used to get them all ready and once a year we would all pile into a platform buggy and make the trip to across the country back home by team. This trip, while I never regret making it, was no vacation for me with five boys" (Steve O'Meara notes).

MCHENRY COUNTY, ILLINOIS

From Glenn's notes: "I was conducting research on the Patrick Madden Jr Property where I believe the Laughlin's stayed for 3 years, from 1858 – 1861 before moving to Steele County MN. I did not locate a property owned by Mary Laughlin or her son so I believed she lived on lived on or near the Patrick Madden Jr Property 1858 – 1861. As you can see by the dwelling numbers, they are very close together, albeit I am comparing an 1860 Census to an 1862 plat map/atlas."

Figure 6: Map/Atlas of McHenry County, Illinois, 1862:



Closeup of 1862 map of Section 32-33 in Alden township and Section 5 in Hartland township. Showing Patrick Madden, Patrick Madden Jr., Thomas Madden, Michael Madden, and Edward Laughlin. For quick access to view: <https://www.loc.gov/resource/g4103m.la000125/>

Please compare 1860-65 census records (shown in “Census comparisons”) later in this report as it shows who is living in each of these households. In an earlier email between us on 26 Jul 2022, we deduced Mary Laughlin (Michael’s widow) is likely living in the Patrick Madden Jr. household based on the 1860 census dwellings.

Figure 7: Closeup of 1862 map of Section 32-33 in Alden township and Section 5 in Hartland township



The only “Laughlin” land record in McHenry County – registered to Edward Laughlin, in the township of Hartland section 5, which sits just below Alden sections 32 and 33 above it (owned by Madden families), dated 6/1/1848 (June 1st). Additionally, there is a “M. Madden” at the boundary of Hartland and Alden townships, located in Hartland section 5 just north of Edward Laughlin.

Figure 8: Laughlin land records in McHenry County


Image	Accession	Names†	Date	Doc #	State	Meridian	Twp - Rng	Aliquots	Sec. #	County
	IL1200_044	LAUGHLIN, EDWARD	6/1/1848	20797	IL	3rd PM	045N - 006E	W½NW¼, Lot/Trct 2	5	Mchenry
							045N - 006E	NE¼SW¼	5	Mchenry

Figure 9: Closeup showing "E. Laughlin" (Edward Laughlin)



Figure 10: Land details for Edward Laughlin

Land Descriptions					
Map	State	Meridian	Twp - Rng	Aliquots	Section
<input type="checkbox"/>	IL	3rd PM	045N - 006E	W½NW¼, Lot/Trct 2	5
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	IL	3rd PM	045N - 006E	NE¼SW¼	5

 Due to data limitations, we could not map the aliquots or lots of this land description. The township and section are shown.

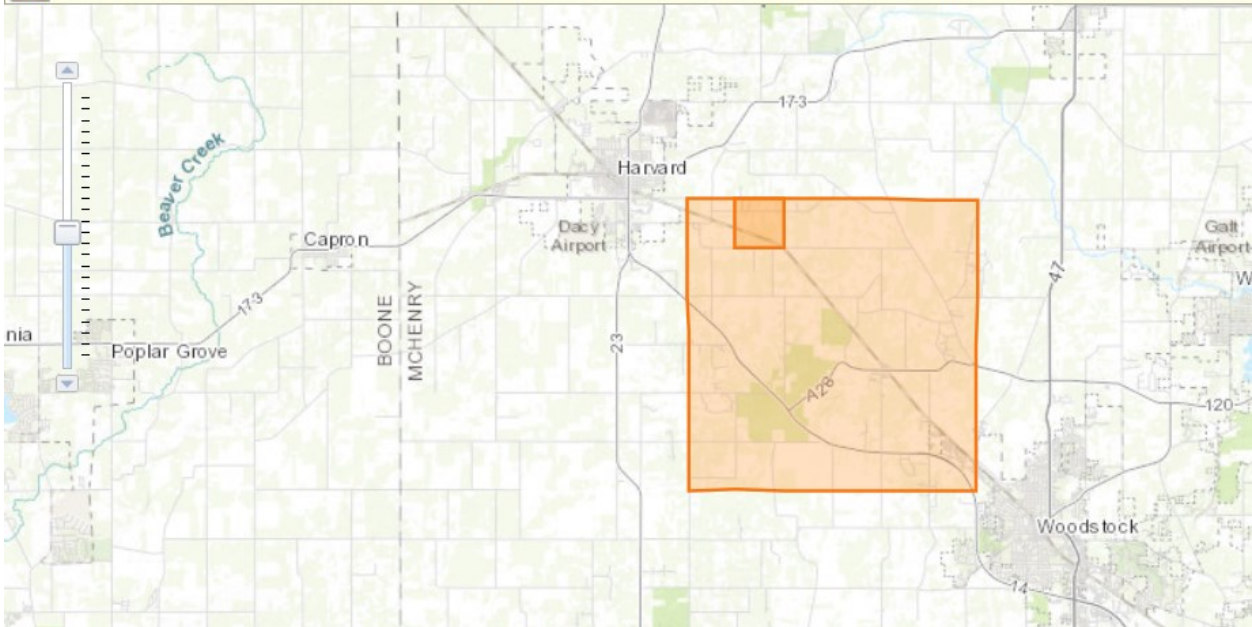


Figure 11: Closeup of 1862 map (full map previous), showing Madden and Laughlin lands adjacent



To note, adjacent to P. Madden is "E. Laughlin/Laughler" at top of above image. This land is Edward Laughlin's land also. Note the following maps and records for 1872 and 1875 which follow.

Figure 12: Closeup of 1872 map (full map next page) showing several Laughlin and Madden properties



Figure 13: 1872 map of Alden township showing land ownership. Laughlin and Madden properties are in lower bottom left corner of map.

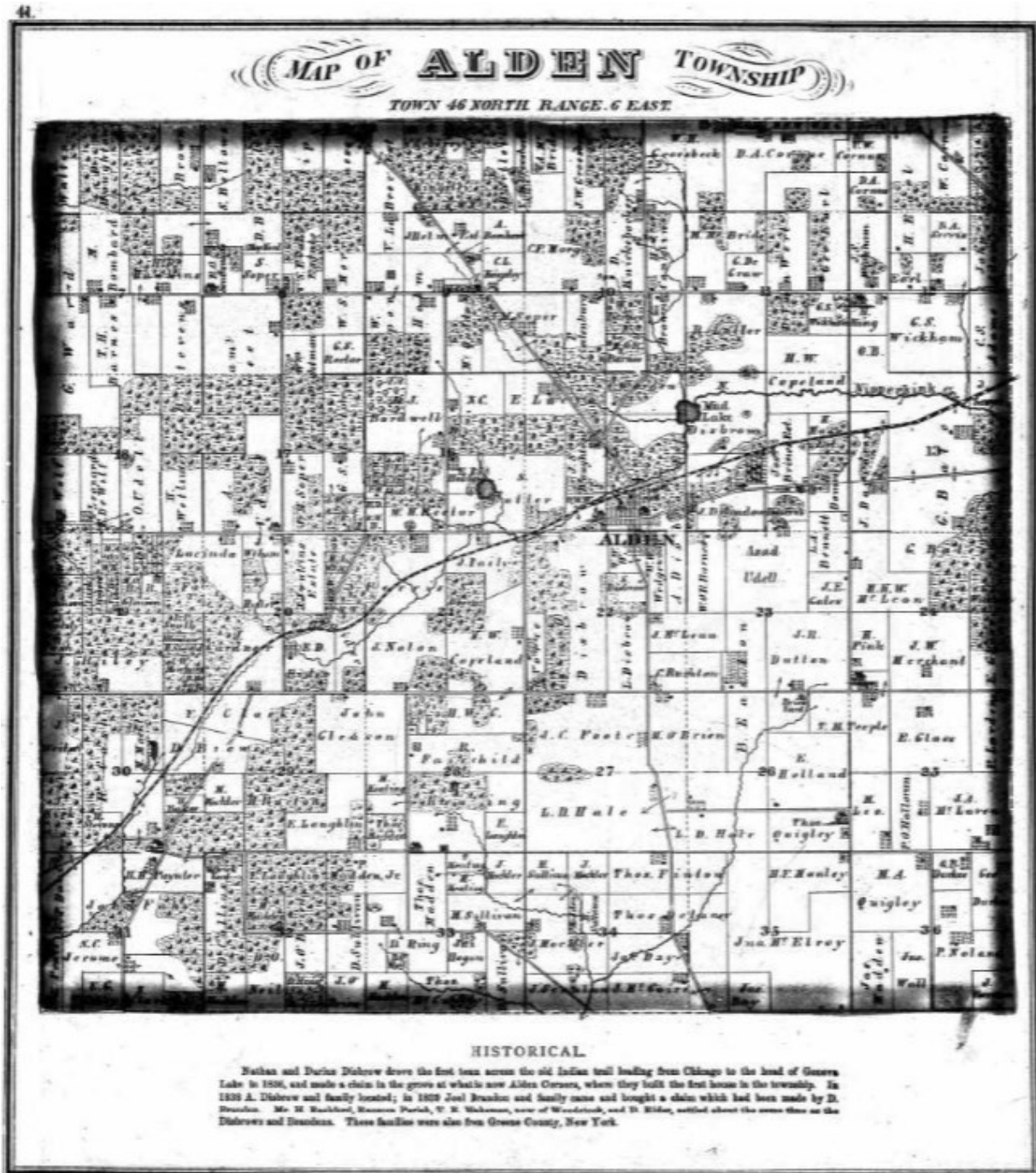


Figure 14: Patrick, Patrick Jr., and Michael Madden land records:

Image	Accession	Names	Date	Doc #	State	Meridian	Twp - Rng	Aliquots	Sec. #	County
	IL1140_074	JACKSON, OBADIAH, MADDEN, PATRICK	3/1/1848	21756	IL	3rd PM	046N - 006E	NE¼SW¼	33	Mchenry
	IL1180_418	MADDEN, MICHAEL	2/1/1848	24312	IL	3rd PM	046N - 006E	SW¼SW¼	32	Mchenry
	IL1210_320	MADDEN, MICHAEL	6/1/1848	25515	IL	3rd PM	046N - 006E	SW¼SW¼	33	Mchenry
	IL1020_310	MADDEN, PATRICK	9/1/1845	16079	IL	3rd PM	046N - 006E	SW¼SE¼	32	Mchenry
	IL1050_070	MADDEN, PATRICK	2/10/1846	13592	IL	3rd PM	046N - 006E	W½NW¼	33	Mchenry
	IL1270_466	MADDEN, PATRICK	1/3/1854	29030	IL	3rd PM	046N - 006E	SW¼SE¼	33	Mchenry

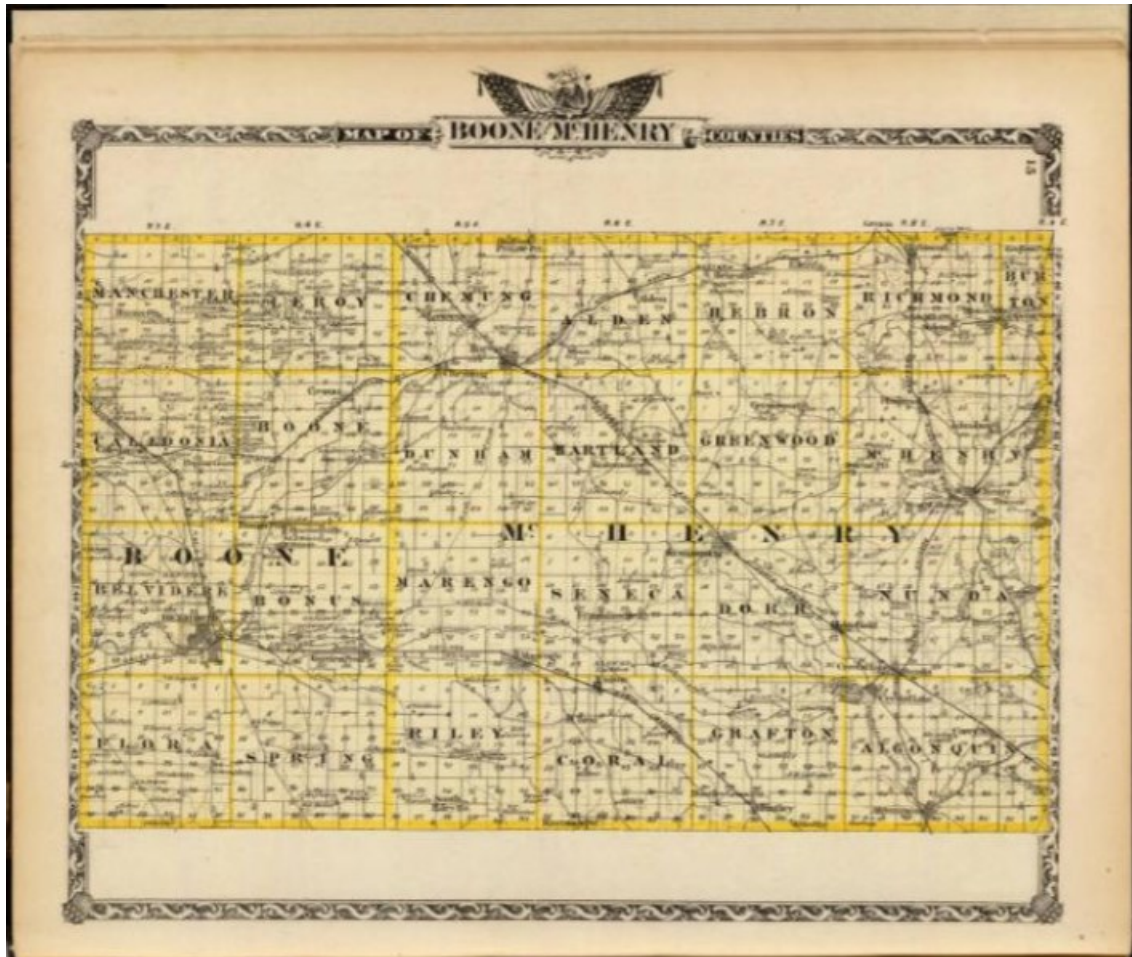
Figure 15: For Patrick Madden in the township of Alden, section 32:

Land Descriptions

Map	State	Meridian	Twp - Rng	Aliquots	Section
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	IL	3rd PM	046N - 006E	SW¼SE¼	32

Due to data limitations, we could not map the aliquots or lots of this land description. The township and section are shown.

Figure 16: 1876 Map of Boone and McHenry Counties:

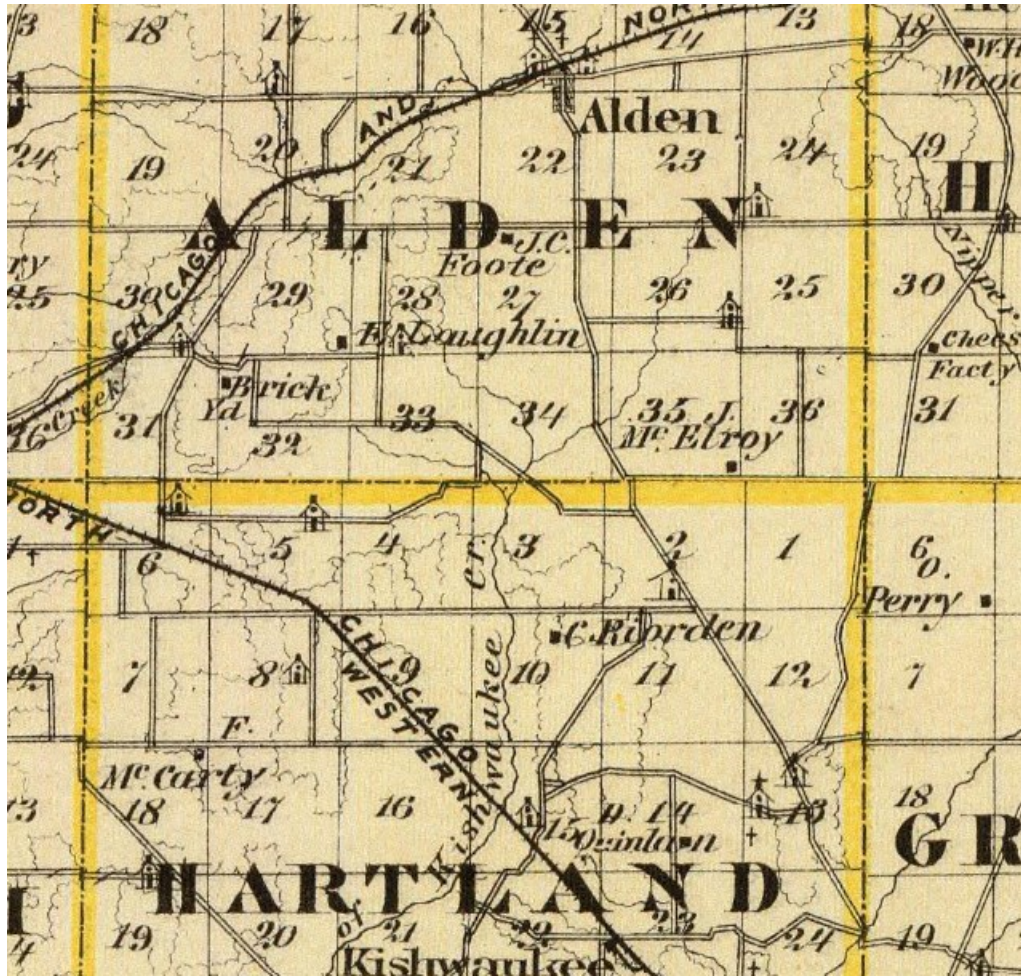


Closeup of 1876 Map of McHenry County, showing focus on Alden. Notice above Section 33 in Alden is “E. Laughlin”, confirming the same plot for the 1862 map:

For quick access to this map:

<https://www.davidrumsey.com/luna/servlet/detail/RUMSEY~8~1~4256~460010:Map-of-Boone-and-McHenry-counties>

Figure 17: Closeup of 1876 Map of McHenry County, showing focus on Alden



STEELE COUNTY, MINNESOTA

In this 1866 map, this was the year around when many of the Laughlin families migrated to Steele County, Minnesota (shown here at center). Owatonna is just above "STEELE". To the northwest of Steele county is "LE SEUR" (notice the spelling), county of many O'Meara clan. For quick access to this map:

<https://www.davidrumsey.com/luna/servlet/detail/RUMSEY~8~1~210467~5004089:Minnesota>

Figure 18: 1866 Map of Minnesota, showing Steele County at center

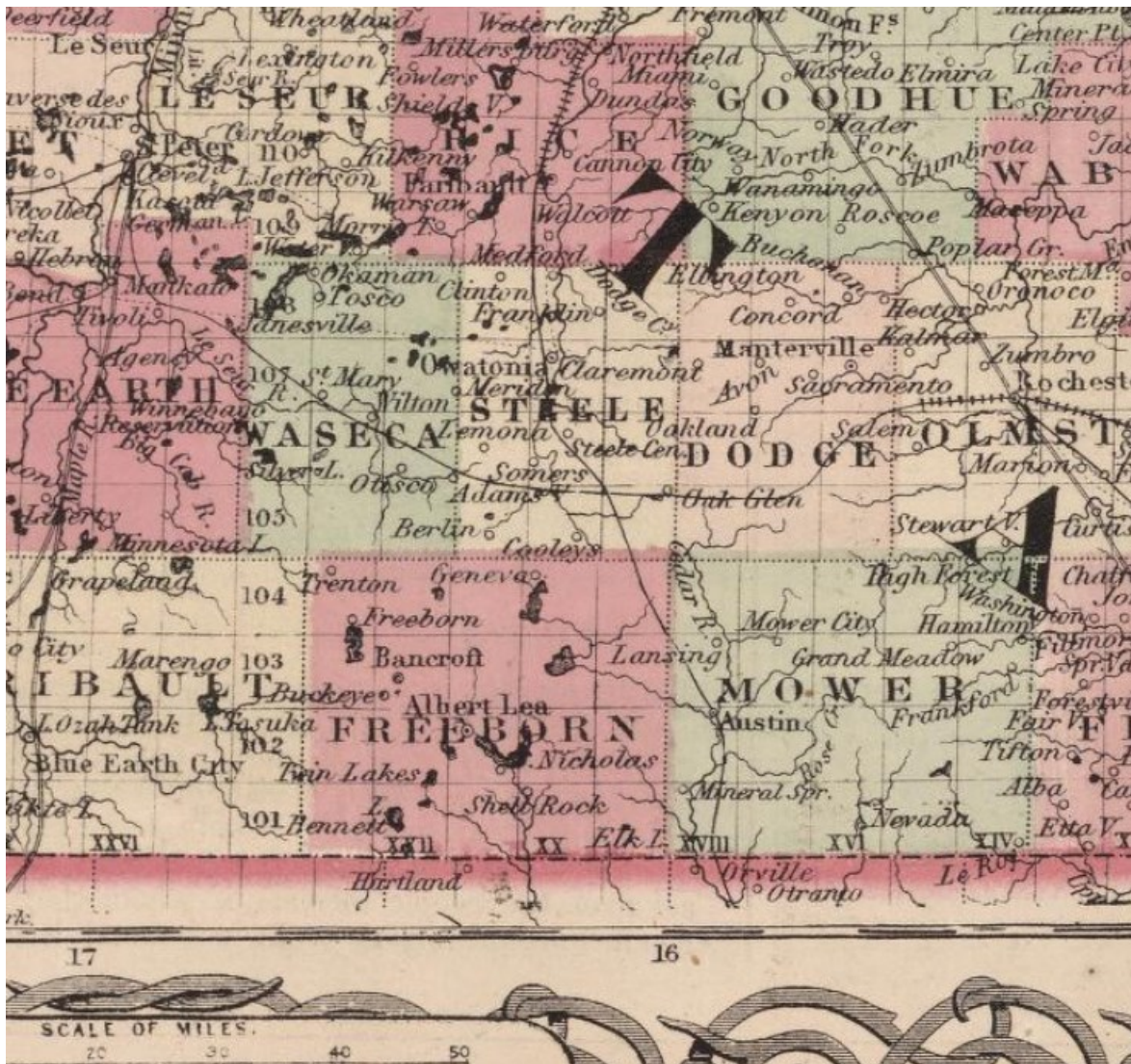
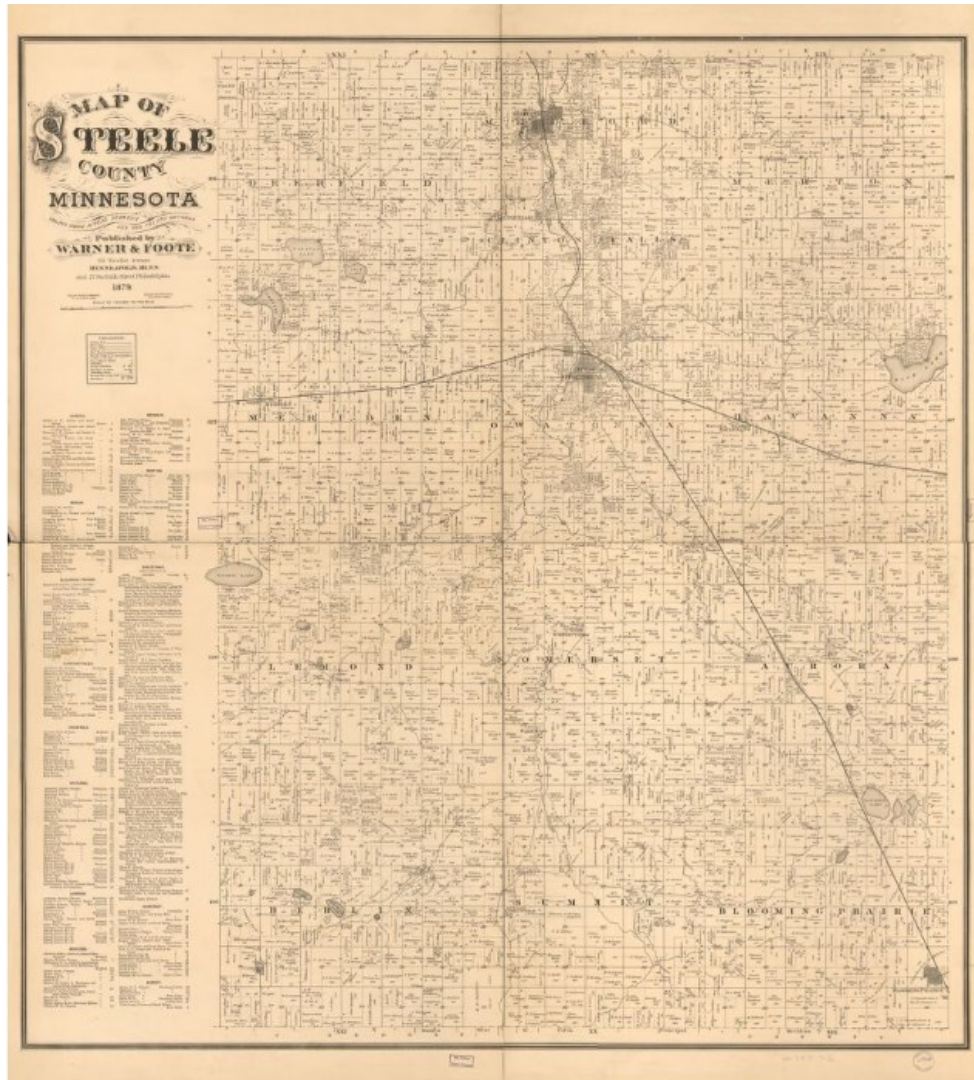


Figure 19: 1872 Map/Atlas of Steele County, Minnesota:



Closeup of 1872 map of Section 31-33 in Merton/Havana townships. Showing Thomas Laughlin, John Laughlin, J. H. Laughlin, and Pat Laughlin. Also John Tully, John Tulley, Pat Lynch, and James Madden – all related families. For quick access to view:

<https://www.loc.gov/resource/g4143s.la000383/?r=0.66,0.182,0.266,0.178,0>

Please compare 1875 census records (shown in “Census comparisons”) later in this report as it shows who is living in each of these households.

Figure 20: Closeup of 1872 map of Section 31-33 in Merton/Havana townships

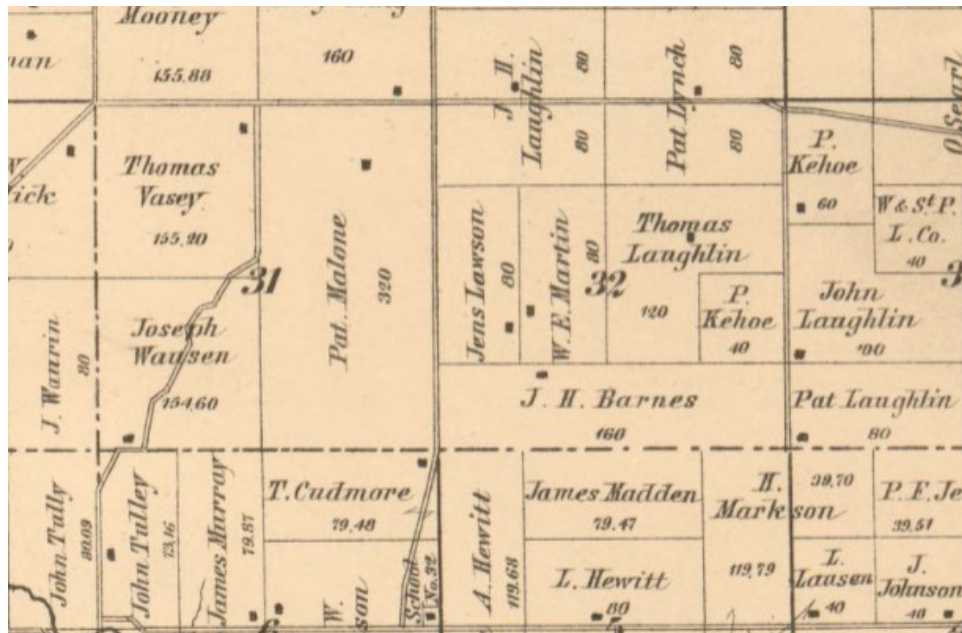
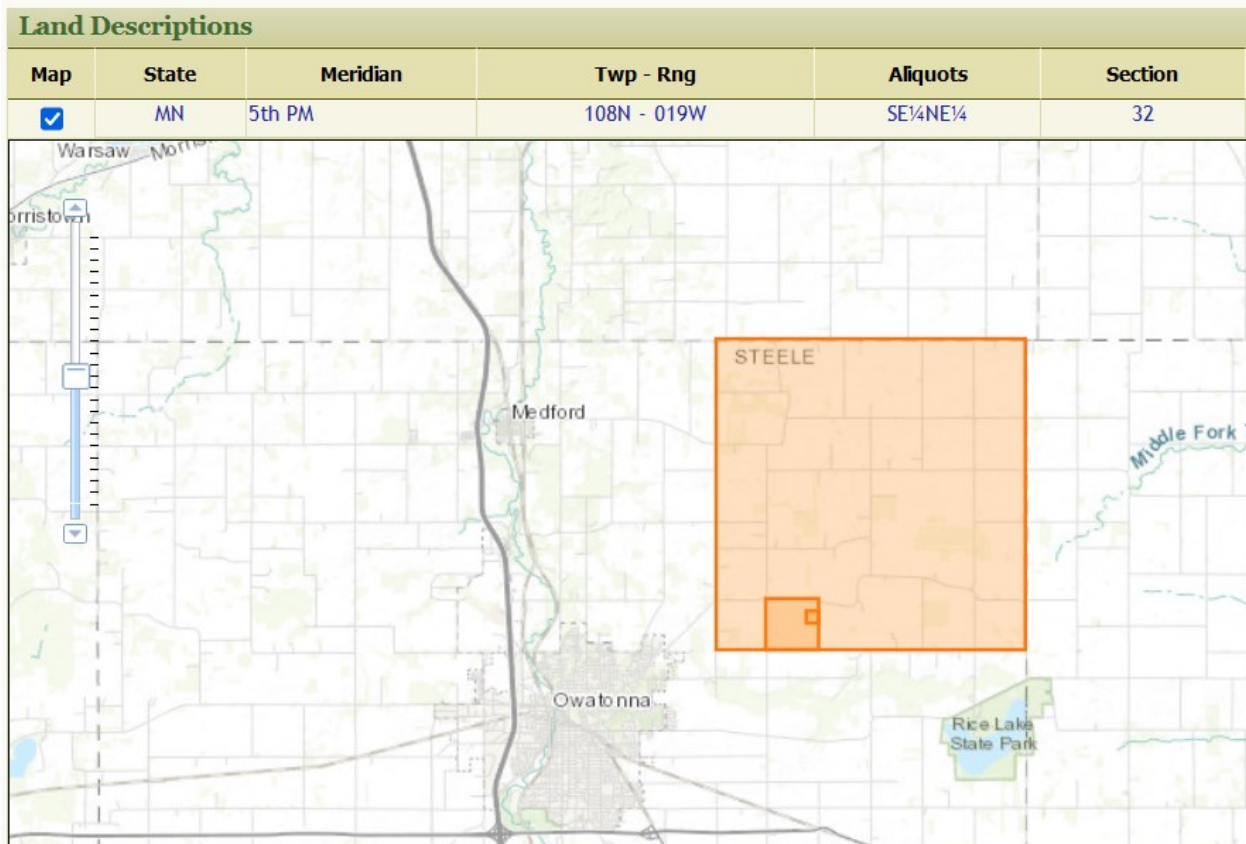


Figure 21: John Laughlin land record, for Merton township, Steele County, Minnesota, dated 4/10/1875 (April 10th):



Sister Shaun O'Meara notes July 1990

Sister Shaun notes: Leaving McHenry County, Illinois in 1861 Johnny Laughlin, Mary Laughlin's oldest, married young and had moved to Owatonna, Minnesota. Johnny in Owatonna was apparently going to be called to war, so Mary Laughlin, sent Tom Laughlin (brother of Johnny Laughlin) to be with Johnny's wife, Mary, and their two children. Tom worked the railroad until he earned enough money to send for his mother (Mary Laughlin) and his two youngest sisters, Catherine Laughlin and Sarah Laughlin. Grandma O'Meara, Catherine (Laughlin) O'Meara, in telling of this incident said: "He met us in Hastings with a lumber wagon and a yoke of oxen and we traveled to Owatonna. The oxen were so slow that the kids walked most of the way" (Steve O'Meara's notes). In Owatonna Johnny had 120 acres of land on East Prairie, seven miles from Owatonna. In the end Johnny was not called to the army but he didn't like farming so he sold the farm to Tom Laughlin and moved to Peoria, Illinois. Mary, the mother, Tom, Catherine and Sarah moved to Tom Laughlin's 170 acres in Owatonna, Minnesota. Mary and her son Tom Laughlin, who never married, stayed there until they died. Mary died February 4, 1900 at the age of 73. She is buried in Owatonna.

Laughlin Land Record's: 1875 – 1978 Richard O'Meara's notes: 20 acres of land on East Prairie, seven miles from Owatonna According to the information Rich O'Meara provided, John & Mary Laughlin purchased their land on June 13th 1864 for \$260 with a warranty deed. The land section is: SW4 of NE4 NW4 of SE4 of Section 32 108 (Merton) Range 19: 80 Acres in Merton Twp. The land is sold back and forth until John Laughlin & wife Hannah Laughlin- (Supposedly moved to Peoria, Illinois) John sells the land to his brother Thomas Laughlin on February 2nd, 1876 for \$1900. John Lynch and Wife: Deed Record 59 – Book 59 Page 448 February 7th, 1911 "Sold same land to John H. Malone – Same person signed John & Sarah's name. (Richard O'Meara Notes). Thomas passed away on December 7, 1915. On September 23rd, 1918 the land ends up in probate. In the end the Final Deed S1/2 of the NE 4 and the NW4 of the SE4 of sec 32,108, range 19 West containing 170 acres To each the said John Laughlin, Ann Ryan & Kate O'Meara an undivided one- fourth thereof and \$82.50 and to each the said (others) an undivided one – twenty fourth thereof and \$75. The land remains in the Laughlin family until 1956

The Four Brothers

Michael Laughlin

The following pedigree (and the consecutive ones that follow) I believe **are all to be four Laughlin brothers who all came from the same area in County Galway, Ireland.** The four suspected Laughlin brothers are: Patrick, Edward, John, and Michael. At the very least, they are cousins – but because they lived close to one another through Illinois and Minnesota, I suspect a closer relationship. I do have parentage for Patrick but have not been able to confirm parentage for the other brothers. It is possible if they have the same parents, their parents' names would be Richard Laughlin and Anne (known parents of Patrick).

Previous stories show the accident which happened while emigrated from Ireland to the United States. Because there is little information for Michael, we must look at his other family members and possible siblings for additional information.

Figure 22: Naturalization record for Thomas Laughlin

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

State of Minnesota,
COUNTY OF Steele }
I, Thomas Laughlin
do declare on oath, that it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to all and every foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever, and especially to the Reigning Sovereign of the Great Britain of whom I was formerly a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed before me, this 2nd
day of November A. D. 1871 at
Owatonna J. H. P. CLERK
of the District Court of Minnesota in and for the County of Steele
J. H. Daily Deputy

Thomas Laughlin
his mark

Thomas Edward Cashman (b. 1871) was first born son of Edward Cashman and Mary Ellen Welch. He married Margaret Jane Laughlin (b. 1879 – dau of John Henry Laughlin and Katherine Conway) m. 1897 Owatonna, MN. Thomas' sister, Margaret Lucile Cashman was the second wife of Edward Collins Laughlin. Edward Collins Laughlin made a petition for his first wife, Elizabeth B. (Martin) Laughlin's estate on 16 Feb 1918. I discovered this while researching the probate for Thomas Laughlin in 1915 and this part was mistakenly attached on Ancestry.ca's website. However, the two families are connected.

In Thomas Laughlin's probate for 7 Dec 1915, his sister Catherine (Laughlin) O'Meara petitions for the administration of the estate to be E. F. Laughlin (Edward F. Laughlin, b. 1868) – dated 8 Jan 1916. (Information for Edward F. Laughlin is listed under his grandfather, Edward Laughlin section of this report.) Other persons mentioned in Thomas's estate are shown in the following image:

No. 3543-- Citation for Hearing on Petition for Administration Miller-Davis Printing Co. 317. Stationers, Minneapolis, Minn.

ESTATE OF THOMAS LAUGHLIN.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, COUNTY OF STEELE IN PROBATE COURT.

In the Matter of the Estate of Thomas Laughlin Decedent.

THE STATE OF MINNESOTA, To John W. Laughlin, Ann Ryan, Kate O'Meara, Thomas Hoynes, Mary Hoynes, Ann Hoynes, Katherine Keefe, Margaret Hoynes, Sarah Hoynes, and to

all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of Kate O'Meara having been filed in this Court, representing that Thomas Laughlin then a resident of the County of Steele State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 7th day of December 1915; and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to E. F. Laughlin and the Court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition; THEREFORE, YOU AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Owatonna in the County of Steele State of Minnesota, on the 8th day of January 1916, at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 9th day of December 1915.

COURT SEAL

F. A. Alexander
Attorney for Petitioner
Owatonna, Minnesota.

[Signature]
Probate Judge.

PEDIGREE (3 GEN) – DESCENDANTS OF MICHAEL LAUGHLIN AND MARY “LANG”

FIRST GENERATION

1. **Michael LAUGHLIN** was born about 1815 in Ireland. He died in 1858 at the age of 43 in Atlantic Ocean (at sea) from Ireland to US. He emigrated in 1858 from from Ireland to United States at Queenstown (Cobh) to New York. Michael was buried at buried at sea in Atlantic Ocean (at sea). He FamilySearch ID GN3Z-YYK.

Michael LAUGHLIN and Mary LANG were married before 1834 at 1835-1852 in County Galway, Ireland. **Mary LANG** was born on 4 Sep 1817 in Ireland. She emigrated about 1858 at from Queenstown (Cobh) to New York. She lived to live near (Michael's brother) John Laughlin in Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States after 1858. Mary appeared in the census in 1860 at widowed, with children in Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States. She emigrated in 1861 from Steele County, Minnesota, United States at moved to. She appeared in the census in 1870 in Havana,

Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. Mary appeared in the census in 1875 at widowed in Havana, Steele, Minnesota, United States. She appeared in the census in 1880 at widowed; with Thomas in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. She appeared in the census in 1885 at widowed; with Thomas and his children in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. Mary appeared in the census in 1895 at widowed; with Thomas and his children in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. She died on 4 Feb 1900 at the age of 82 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. She was buried at Sacred Heart Cemetery in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. Mary was baptized. She FamilySearch ID GN3Z-GM5.

Michael LAUGHLIN and Mary LANG had the following children:

- 2 i. **Maria "Mary" LAUGHLIN**, born abt 1837, Ireland; married Patrick HOYNES, bef 1864; died bef 1900, Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States.
- 3 ii. **John W. "Johnny" LAUGHLIN**, born 20 Nov 1838, Ireland; married Johanna LEAHY, 9 Oct 1875, Steele County, Minnesota, United States; married Mary MADDEN, 4 Aug 1859, McHenry County, Illinois, United States; died 14 Oct 1921, Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States.
- iii. **Thomas LAUGHLIN** was born on 28 Oct 1846 in Ireland. He emigrated in 1858 from from Ireland to United States at Queenstown (Cobh) to New York. He appeared in the census in 1860. Thomas emigrated in 1866 from Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1870 at with mother in Havana, Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He was naturalized on 2 Nov 1871 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. Thomas appeared in the census in 1875 at with mother in Havana, Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He owned his brother John sold him the land for \$1900 on 2 Feb 1876 at SW4 of NE4 NW4 of SE4 of Section 32 108 (Merton) Range 19: 80 acres in Merton Twp. in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1880 at with mother in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. Thomas appeared in the census in 1885 at with mother in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1895 at with mother in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1900 at boarder in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. Thomas appeared in the census in 1905 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1910 at roomer; with the Bennetts in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He died on 7 Dec 1915 at the age of 69 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. Thomas had his estate probated on 9 Dec in Steele County, Minnesota, United States. He was buried at Sacred Heart Cemetery in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He was a Railroad. Thomas never married. He FamilySearch Id GN38-3VY.
- 4 iv. **Ann LAUGHLIN**, born Mar 1850, Ireland; married William M. RYAN, 23 Sep 1866, Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States; died 4 Aug 1931, Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States.
- 5 v. **Catherine "Kate" LAUGHLIN**, born 21 Jul 1852, Ireland; married James O'MEARA, 21 Jun 1882, Minneapolis, Hennepin, Minnesota, United States; died 15 May 1945, Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States.
- 6 vi. **Sarah LAUGHLIN**, born 20 Jun 1853, Ireland; married John William LYNCH, 29 Jan 1883, Hennepin County, Minnesota, United States; died 2 Dec 1883, Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States.

SECOND GENERATION

2. **Maria "Mary" LAUGHLIN** was born about 1837 in Ireland. She emigrated in 1858 from from Ireland to United States at Queenstown (Cobh) to New York. She appeared in the census in 1860 at ?. Mary lived widowed at 706 Eaton in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States in 1891. She lived widowed at 706 Eaton in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States in 1892. She died before 1900 at the age of 63 in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. Mary was buried at Saint Marys Cemetery in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. She FamilySearch ID GN38-W4L.

Maria "Mary" LAUGHLIN and Patrick HOYNES were married before 1864. They lived in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States in 1865. They appeared in the census in 1865 in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. Mary and Patrick appeared in the census in 1870 in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. They lived at Eaton in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States in 1872. They lived at 506 Eaton st in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States in 1876. Mary and Patrick lived at 506 Eaton st in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States in 1879. They appeared in the census in 1880 at 506 Eaton st in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. They lived at 706 Eaton in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States in 1884. **Patrick HOYNES** was born about 1836 in Ireland. He died 1885-1890 about 1890 at the age of 54 in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. He was a Policeman / Patrolman at Station No. 2 in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. Patrick was a Hotel Cook at Peoria House. He was buried at Saint Marys Cemetery in West Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. He had his estate probated in Peoria County, Illinois, United States. Patrick FamilySearch ID GN3D-YNG.

Patrick HOYNES and Maria LAUGHLIN had the following children:

- i. **Alice HOYNES** was born about 1864 in Illinois. She appeared in the census in 1870 in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States.
- 7 ii. **Thomas Patrick HOYNES**, born Jul 1866, Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States; married Katherine REISING, 28 Aug 1906, Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States; died 8 Jul 1931, Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States.
- iii. **Mary HOYNES** was born on 16 Oct 1868 in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. She appeared in the census in 1870 in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. She appeared in the census in 1880 in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. Mary lived at 706 Eaton in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States in 1891. She appeared in the census in 1900 at 706 Eaton; with siblings in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. She appeared in the census in 1910 at 706 Bryan ave; with siblings in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. Mary lived in Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States on 16 Feb 1916. She appeared in the census in 1920 at with sisters Margaret and Sadie in Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States. She died on 14 Jul 1925 at the age of 56 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States. Mary was also known as Mary Haynes. She was a Seamstress & Dressmaker. She was a Seamstress at Ladies Tailor. Mary FamilySearch ID GN36-ML4. She never married. She was buried at Calvary Cemetery in Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States.
- iv. **Anna C. HOYNES** appeared in the census in 1870 in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. She was born in Jan 1870 in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. She appeared in the census in 1880 in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. Anna lived at 706 Eaton in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States in 1891. She appeared in the census in 1900 at 706 Eaton; with siblings in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. She lived at 706 Bryan ave; with siblings in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States in 1909. Anna appeared in the census in 1910 at 706 Bryan ave; with siblings in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. She lived at 706 Bryan ave; with siblings in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States in 1912. She lived in Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States on 16 Feb 1916. Anna appeared in the census in 1920 at Roomer; North Jefferson in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. She appeared in the census in 1930 at Roomer; 1025 North Madison ave in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. She died on 30 Nov 1931 at the age of 61 in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. Anna was buried on 5 Dec 1931 in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. She was a Housekeeper. She was a Saleslady at Chemical House. Anna was a Saleslady - Clerk at Department Store. She never married. She FamilySearch ID GN3D-Y95.
- v. **Margaret "Maggie" HOYNES** appeared in the census in 1870 in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. She was born on 1 Mar 1872 in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. She appeared in the census in 1880 in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. Maggie lived at 706 Eaton in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States in 1891. She appeared in the census in 1900 at 706 Eaton; with siblings in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. She appeared in the census in 1910 at 706 Bryan ave; with siblings in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. Maggie lived in Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States on 16 Feb 1916. She appeared in the census in 1920 at with sisters Mary and Sadie in Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States. She lived at 1515 W. 8th street in Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States in 1925.

- Maggie appeared in the census in 1930 at with sister Sadie in Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States. She appeared in the census in 1940 at with sister Sadie in Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States. She died on 11 Sep 1943 at the age of 71 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States. Maggie was a Dressmaker. She was a Dressmaker at Private Family. She FamilySearch ID GN3D-KC5. Maggie was buried at Calvary Cemetery in Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States.
- 8 vi. **Kathryn Celeste "Katie" HOYNES**, born 19 Jul 1879, Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States; married Owen Daniel KEEFE, 9 Aug 1909, Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States; died 19 May 1951, Orange County, California, United States.
- 9 vii. **Sarah Agnes "Sadie" HOYNES**, born 11 Jan 1881, Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States; married Owen Daniel KEEFE, 25 May 1954, Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States; died 12 Aug 1958, Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States.

3. **John W. "Johnny" LAUGHLIN** was born on 20 Nov 1838 at 3 Nov 1837 in Ireland. He emigrated in 1858 from from Ireland to United States at Queenstown (Cobh) to New York. He appeared in the census in 1860 in Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States. Johnny served in the military Civil War Draft on 1 Jul 1863 in Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States. He owned on 13 Jun 1864 at SW4 of NE4 NW4 of SE4 of Section 32 108 (Merton) Range 19: 80 acres in Merton Twp. in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1875 at widowed in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. Johnny owned SE 1/4 NE 1/4 of Section 32 on 10 Apr 1875 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He on 9 Sep 1875 in McHenry County, Illinois, United States. He owned John sells the land to his brother Thomas for \$1900 on 2 Feb 1876 at SW4 of NE4 NW4 of SE4 of Section 32 108 (Merton) Range 19: 80 acres in Merton Twp. in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. Johnny appeared in the census in 1900 at widowed; 524 Glen Oak ave in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. He lived at 229 N. Orange in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States in 1902. He appeared in the census in 1910 at widowed; father in law in Milo, Mille Lacs, Minnesota, United States. Johnny appeared in the census in 1920 at widowed; boarder at "Old Folks Home" in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. He died on 14 Oct 1921 at the age of 82 in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. He was buried on 17 Oct 1921 at Saint Marys Cemetery in West Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. Johnny was also known as John W. "Johnny" Laughlin. He was also known as Johnny. He was a Farmer. Johnny FamilySearch ID GXB4-4YM.

John W. "Johnny" LAUGHLIN and Johanna "Hannah" LEAHY were married on 9 Oct 1875 in Steele County, Minnesota, United States. They appeared in the census in 1880 in Udolpho, Mower, Minnesota, United States. **Johanna "Hannah" LEAHY** was born about 1846 in Ireland. She died between 1881 and 1900 at the age of 35 in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. She was also known as Johanna Lakey or Lehey. Hannah FamilySearch ID GXB4-ZWS. She was buried in United States.

John W. LAUGHLIN and Johanna LEAHY had the following children:

- i. **James William LAUGHLIN** was born on 27 Jul 1876 in Aurora, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1880 in Udolpho, Mower, Minnesota, United States. He lived at 127 21st ave in San Francisco, San Francisco, California, United States in 1936. James died. He was buried.
- 10 ii. **Charles A. LAUGHLIN**, born 14 Feb 1879, Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States; married Flora ; died 12 Apr 1936, San Francisco, San Francisco, California, United States.

John W. "Johnny" LAUGHLIN and Mary MADDEN were married on 4 Aug 1859 in McHenry County, Illinois, United States. They appeared in the census in 1865 in Dover, Steele, Minnesota, United States. They appeared in the census in 1870 at neighbour with Patrick and Bridget in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. **Mary MADDEN**, daughter of Patrick MADDEN and Jane , was born about 1841 in Pottsville, Schuylkill, Pennsylvania, United States. She lived in Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States in 1843. She appeared in the census in 1850. Mary appeared in the census in 1860. She died on 14 Jun 1873 at the age of 32 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United

States. She was also known as Mary Matten. Mary FamilySearch ID GXBW-F61. She. She was buried.

John W. LAUGHLIN and Mary MADDEN had the following children:

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 - i. **Sarah Jane "Jennie" LAUGHLIN**, born abt 1859, McHenry County, Illinois, United States; married John William LYNCH, 1 Oct 1885, Hennepin County, Minnesota, United States; died 10 Jul 1944, Minneapolis, Hennepin, Minnesota, United States.
 - ii. **Catherine "Katie" LAUGHLIN** was born about 1862 in McHenry County, Illinois, United States. She appeared in the census in 1870 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. She appeared in the census in 1875 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. Katie appeared in the census in 1880 in Udolpho, Mower, Minnesota, United States. She was also known as Kattie Laughlin. She died. Katie was buried.
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 - iii. **John Henry LAUGHLIN**, born 25 Jul 1865, Steele County, Minnesota, United States; married Julia CUNNINGHAM, 26 Oct 1898, Peoria County, Illinois, United States; died 13 Jan 1955, Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States.
 - iv. **Thomas F. LAUGHLIN** was born about 1868 in Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1870 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1875 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. Thomas appeared in the census in 1880 in Udolpho, Mower, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1885 at with grandmother and uncle Thomas in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1895 at lodger in Ham Lake, Anoka, Minnesota, United States. Thomas appeared in the census in 1897 at 200 Lake av S (lists himself as "Explorer") in Duluth, St. Louis, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1900 at lodger in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States. He appeared in the census in 1910 at hired in Wahkena, Cass, Minnesota, United States. Thomas appeared in the census in 1920 at lodger in Proctorknott, St. Louis, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1930 in Thomson, Carlton, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1940 in Thomson, Carlton, Minnesota, United States. Thomas lived in Duluth, St. Louis, Minnesota, United States in 1944. He lived in Duluth, St. Louis, Minnesota, United States in 1944. He died on 31 Dec 1944 at the age of 76 in Duluth, St. Louis, Minnesota, United States. Thomas FamilySearch ID GXBW-5H7. He was buried at Calvary Cemetery in Duluth, St. Louis, Minnesota, United States. He never married. Thomas was a Carman at Railroad Shop. He was a Farmer. He was a Laborer at Round House. Thomas was an EXPLORER. He Military record with birthdate.
 - v. **Edward Michael "Eddie" LAUGHLIN** was born on 1 Sep 1870 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1875 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1880 in Udolpho, Mower, Minnesota, United States. Eddie appeared in the census in 1885 at with grandmother and uncle Thomas in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He died. He was buried.

4. **Ann LAUGHLIN** was born in Mar 1850 at 1845-1853 in Ireland. She emigrated in 1858 from from Ireland to United States at Queenstown (Cobh) to New York. She appeared in the census in 1860 in ?. Ann appeared in the census in 1910 at widowed, with children in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States. She lived in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States on 16 Feb 1916. She appeared in the census in 1920 at widowed in ?. Ann Thomas Laughlin Land deed on 1 Mar 1920. She appeared in the census in 1930 at widowed/mother-in-law; 3602 N. Hermitage ave in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States. She died on 4 Aug 1931 at the age of 81 at 3600 N. Hermitage ave in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States. Ann was buried on 6 Aug 1931 at Calvary Cemetery in Evanston, Cook, Illinois, United States. She FamilySearch ID LKHY-V2C.

Ann LAUGHLIN and William M. RYAN were married on 23 Sep 1866 at St. Patrick's Church in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States. They appeared in the census in 1870 in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States. They appeared in the census in 1880 at 335 S May street in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States. Ann and William appeared in the census in 1900 at 357 S May street in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States. **William M. RYAN** was born about 1838 in Ireland. He emigrated in 1859. He appeared in the census in 1860 at ?. William had his estate probated on

12 Nov 1908 in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States. He signed a will on 20 Nov 1908 in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States. He died on 22 Nov 1908 at the age of 70 at 357 S May street in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States. William was buried on 24 Nov 1908 at Calvary Cemetery in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States. He was a Driver - Furniture Store. He was a Furniture Packer. William FamilySearch ID LKHY-VGL.

William M. RYAN and Ann LAUGHLIN had the following children:

- i. **John RYAN** was born about 1868 in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States. He appeared in the census in 1870 in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States. He died before 1880 at the age of 12 in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States.
- 13 ii. **Mary Loretta RYAN**, born 15 Aug 1872, Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States; married John William BARKER, 14 Sep 1897, Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States; died 3 Jul 1934, Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States.
- iii. **Joseph RYAN** appeared in the census in 1880 at 1 month old in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States. He was born about May 1880 in Illinois. He died.
- 14 iv. **Margaret F. RYAN**, born 20 May 1881, Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States; married Pierce Joseph DOLAN, 12 Sep 1910, Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States; died 25 Apr 1933, Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States.
- v. **Edward RYAN** was born about 1884 in Illinois. He appeared in the census in 1900 at not with family. He appeared in the census in 1910 in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States. Edward appeared in the census in 1920 in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States. He was a Clerk at Machine Co..
- vi. **child RYAN** died before 1910 in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States.

5. **Catherine "Kate" LAUGHLIN**¹ was born on 21 Jul 1852 in Ireland. She emigrated in 1858 from from Ireland to United States at Queenstown (Cobh) to New York. She appeared in the census in 1860 in Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States. Kate emigrated in 1861 from Steele County, Minnesota, United States at moved to. She appeared in the census in 1870 at ?. She appeared in the census in 1880 at ?. Kate appeared in the census in 1920 at widowed; with children (4 sons) in Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. She appeared in the census in 1930 at widowed; with son Stephen in Lexington, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. She lived in Le Center, Le Sueur, Minnesota in 1935.² Kate appeared in the census in 1940 at 75 South Montgomery ave; with sons Stephen and Thomas in Le Center, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. She died on 15 May 1945 at the age of 92 in Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. She was buried at Calvary Cemetery in Le Center, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. Kate FamilySearch Id K2W9-65N.

Catherine "Kate" LAUGHLIN and James O'MEARA were married on 21 Jun 1882 in Minneapolis, Hennepin, Minnesota, United States. They appeared in the census in 1885 in Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. They appeared in the census in 1895 in Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. Kate and James appeared in the census in 1900 in Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. They appeared in the census in 1905 in Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. They appeared in the census in 1910 in Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. **James O'MEARA**, son of Thomas O'MEARA and Margaret FOLEY, was born on 24 Sep 1848 in Huntley Township, Carleton, Ontario, Canada. He was baptized on 8 Dec 1848 at Ramsey and Huntley Townships in Lanark County, Ontario, Canada. He appeared in the census in 1851 in Darling, Lanark, Ontario, Canada. James appeared in the census in 1861 in McKillop, Huron, Ontario, Canada. He emigrated in 1869 at from Canada to US. He appeared in the census in 1870 in Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. James appeared in the census in 1875 in Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1880 at with mother and sister Teresa in Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. He died on 6 May 1919 at the age of 70 in Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. James was buried at Calvary Cemetery in Le Center, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. He was a Farmer. He FamilySearch ID K2W9-8H3. James was a Farm Labourer.

James O'MEARA and Catherine LAUGHLIN had the following children:

- i. **Thomas Edmond O'MEARA** was born on 20 May 1883 in Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1885 in Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1895 in Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. Thomas appeared in the census in 1900 in Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1905 in Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1910 in Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. Thomas served in the military WWI Draft in 1917–1918 in Le Sueur County, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1920 at with widowed mother and siblings in Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1930 at brother in James Vincent Omeara household in Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. Thomas appeared in the census in 1940 at 75 South Montgomery ave; with mother and brother Stephen in Le Center, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. He served in the military WWII Draft in 1942 in Le Center, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. He lived in Le Center, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States on 15 May 1945. Thomas appeared in the census in 1950 at with brother James AND as lodger Amelia Erkle household in Le Sueur County, Minnesota, United States. He died on 11 Mar 1959 at the age of 75 in Scott County, Minnesota, United States. He was a Caretaker of Cemetery. Thomas was buried at Calvary Cemetery in Le Center, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. He never married.
- 15 ii. **John Francis O'MEARA**, born 25 May 1885, Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States; married Beatrice M. PRENDERGAST, 15 Feb 1915, Saint Paul, Ramsey, Minnesota, United States; died 28 Oct 1975, Dakota County, Minnesota, United States.
- iii. **Stephen O'MEARA** was born on 20 Nov 1886 at Cordova in Derryneau Township, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1895 in Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1900 in Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. Stephen appeared in the census in 1905 in Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1910 in Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. He served in the military WWI - Pvt. in Amb. Co. 342 311 Reg. 86 Div on 28 Jul 1917 in Minnesota, United States. Stephen served in the military WWII - rank Private, 2nd Company, Ship Powhatan on 30 Apr 1918 in Hoboken, New Jersey, United States. He appeared in the census in 1920 at with widowed mother and siblings in Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1930 at with widowed mother in Lexington, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. Stephen appeared in the census in 1940 at 75 South Montgomery ave; with mother and brother Thomas in Le Center, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. He served in the military WWII Draft in 1942 in Le Center, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. He lived in Le Center, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States on 15 May 1945. Stephen appeared in the census in 1950 at Minnesota Soldier's Home in Minneapolis, Hennepin, Minnesota, United States. He died on 13 Sep 1952 at the age of 65 in Le Center, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. He was also known as Steven O'Meara. Stephen was buried at Calvary Cemetery in Le Center, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. He never married.
- 16 iv. **James Vincent O'MEARA**, born 17 Jun 1890, Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States; married Mary Ada CASHIN, 21 Jun 1927, Montgomery, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States; died 28 Jul 1973, Le Sueur County, Minnesota, United States.
- 17 v. **Michael Harry O'MEARA**, born 5 Jun 1893, Kilkenny, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States; married Kathryne Rose HANKINS, 8 Jun 1920, Le Center, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States; died 2 Nov 1967, Faribault, Rice, Minnesota, United States.

6. **Sarah LAUGHLIN** was born on 20 Jun 1853 in Ireland. She emigrated in 1858 from from Ireland to United States at Queenstown (Cobh) to New York. She appeared in the census in 1860 in Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States. Sarah appeared in the census in 1870 at Servant in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. She appeared in the census in 1875 at ?. She appeared in the census in 1880 at Servant in Minneapolis, Hennepin, Minnesota, United States. Sarah died just after childbirth on 2 Dec 1883 at the age of 30 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. She was buried at Sacred Heart Cemetery in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. She FamilySearch ID GXBW-R92.

Sarah LAUGHLIN and John William LYNCH were married on 29 Jan 1883 in Hennepin County, Minnesota, United States. **John William LYNCH**, son of LYNCH, was born about 1852 at 1845-1852 in Ireland. He emigrated in 1856. He appeared in the census in 1870. John appeared in the census in 1880 at 1507 Fourth st S in Minneapolis, Hennepin, Minnesota, United States. He died on 6 Sep 1921 at the age of 69 in Hennepin County, Minnesota, United States. He was buried at Sacred Heart Cemetery in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. John was a Section Foreman at Railroad. He FamilySearch ID GXBW-J8D. He was a Works in Sawmill.

John William LYNCH and Sarah LAUGHLIN had the following child:

- i. **William John LYNCH** was born on 27 Nov 1883 at or 27 Jan 1883 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He his mother passed away when he was a week old on 2 Dec 1883. He appeared in the census in 1895 in Milo, Mille Lacs, Minnesota, United States. William appeared in the census in 1900 in Milo, Mille Lacs, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1905 in Minneapolis, Hennepin, Minnesota, United States. He died on 28 May 1905 at the age of 21 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. William was buried at Sacred Heart Cemetery in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States.

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7. **Thomas Patrick HOYNES** was born in Jul 1866 in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. He appeared in the census in 1870 at not with family in ?. He appeared in the census in 1880 in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. Thomas lived at 706 Eaton in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States in 1891. He appeared in the census in 1900 at 706 Eaton; with siblings in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. He lived at 706 Bryan ave; with siblings in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States in 1903. Thomas lived at 210 Morton in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States in 1907. He lived in Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States on 16 Feb 1916. He died on 8 Jul 1931 at the age of 65 in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. Thomas was also known as Thomas Haynes. He was a Stationary Gangman. He was a Laborer at Railroad. Thomas was a Freight Handler. He was a Coremaker. He was buried at Saint Josephs Cemetery in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States.

Thomas Patrick HOYNES and Katherine REISING were married on 28 Aug 1906 in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. They appeared in the census in 1910 at 210 Morton in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. They appeared in the census in 1920 at 210 Morton in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. Thomas and Katherine lived at 210 Morton in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States in 1926. They appeared in the census in 1930 at 210 Morton in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. **Katherine REISING**, daughter of John L. REISING and Theresa STINGER, was born on 14 Feb 1873 in Lourdes, Woodford, Illinois, United States. She appeared in the census in 1940 at widowed; 210 Morton in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. She died on 20 Aug 1947 at the age of 74 in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. Katherine was buried on 23 Aug 1947 at Saint Josephs Cemetery in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States.

Thomas Patrick HOYNES and Katherine REISING had the following child:

- 18 i. **Francis Thomas HOYNES**, born 22 Jun 1907, Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States; married Margaret , bef 1948, Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States; died 1954, Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States.

8. **Kathryn Celeste "Katie" HOYNES** was born on 19 Jul 1879 in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. She appeared in the census in 1880 in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. She appeared in the census in 1900 at 706 Eaton; with siblings in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. Katie lived in Colton, San Bernardino, California, United States on 16 Feb 1916. She died on 19 May 1951 at the age of 71 in Orange County, California, United States.

States. She was also known as Hattie Hoynes. Katie was also known as Katherine Keefe. She was buried at Holy Sepulcher Cemetery in Orange, Orange, California, United States. She was a Saleswoman - Dry Goods. Katie FamilySearch ID GN3D-GL9.

Kathryn Celeste "Katie" HOYNES and Owen Daniel KEEFE were married on 9 Aug 1909 at St. Mary's Church in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. They appeared in the census in 1910 at N street in Colton, San Bernardino, California, United States. They appeared in the census in 1920 at Viola street in San Bernardino, San Bernardino, California, United States. Katie and Owen appeared in the census in 1930 at 935 Thirteenth street in Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States. They appeared in the census in 1940 at 935 Thirteenth street in Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States. They appeared in the census in 1950 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States. **Owen Daniel KEEFE**, son of Daniel KEEFE and Mary HOHHAN, was born about 1879 in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. He lived in Colton, California, United States in 1909. He died in 1956 at the age of 77. Owen was a Railroader. He was buried at Holy Sepulcher Cemetery in Orange, Orange, California, United States.

Owen Daniel KEEFE and Kathryn Celeste HOYNES had the following children:

- i. **Mary KEEFE** was born about 1911 in California. She appeared in the census in 1920 in San Bernardino, San Bernardino, California, United States.
- ii. **Frances KEEFE** was born about 1919 in California. He appeared in the census in 1920 in San Bernardino, San Bernardino, California, United States.
- iii. **Robert J. KEEFE** was born on 29 Aug 1919 in San Bernardino, San Bernardino, California, United States. He appeared in the census in 1920 in San Bernardino, San Bernardino, California, United States. He served in the military WWII Draft in 1940 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States.

9. **Sarah Agnes "Sadie" HOYNES** was born on 11 Jan 1881 at (1882) in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. She appeared in the census in 1900 at 706 Eaton; with siblings in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. She lived at 716 Bryan av. in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States in 1907. Sadie appeared in the census in 1910 at Bryan ave; with siblings in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. She lived in Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States on 16 Feb 1916. She appeared in the census in 1920 at with sisters Mary and Margaret in Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States. Sadie appeared in the census in 1930 at with sister Margaret in Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States. She appeared in the census in 1940 at with sister Margaret in Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States. She appeared in the census in 1950 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States. Sadie died on 12 Aug 1958 at the age of 77 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States. She was a Seamstress at Dressmaking. She was buried at Calvary Cemetery in East Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States. Sadie FamilySearch ID GN36-J5D.

Sarah Agnes "Sadie" HOYNES and Owen Daniel KEEFE were married on 25 May 1954 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States. **Owen Daniel KEEFE**, son of Daniel KEEFE and Mary HOHHAN, was born about 1879 in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. He lived in Colton, California, United States in 1909. He died in 1956 at the age of 77. Owen was a Railroader. He was buried at Holy Sepulcher Cemetery in Orange, Orange, California, United States.

10. **Charles A. LAUGHLIN** was born on 14 Feb 1879 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1880 in Udolpho, Mower, Minnesota, United States. He died on 12 Apr 1936 at the age of 57 at San Francisco Hospital in San Francisco, San Francisco, California, United States. Charles was buried on 14 Apr 1936 at Cypress Lawn Memorial Park in Colma, San Mateo, California, United States. He was a Salesman at Insurance.

Charles A. LAUGHLIN and Flora were married. They were divorced. **Flora** was born (date unknown).

11. **Sarah Jane "Jennie" LAUGHLIN** was born about 1859 in McHenry County, Illinois, United States. She appeared in the census in 1860 at granddaughter to Mary in Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States. She appeared in the census in 1865 at listed under grandparents names of Patrick Madden in Dover, Steele, Minnesota, United States. Jennie appeared in the census in 1870 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. She appeared in the census in 1875 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. She received inheritance from grandfather in 1879. Jennie appeared in the census in 1880 in Udolpho, Mower, Minnesota, United States. She She began using the name Jennie about 1885. She appeared in the census in 1930 at widowed in Minneapolis, Hennepin, Minnesota, United States. Jennie appeared in the census in 1940 at widowed; with son Frank in Minneapolis, Hennepin, Minnesota, United States. She died on 10 Jul 1944 at the age of 85 in Minneapolis, Hennepin, Minnesota, United States. She was also known as Sarah Jane Laughlin. Jennie was also known as Jane Laughlin. She was buried at St. Mary's in Minneapolis, Hennepin, Minnesota, United States. She FamilySearch ID GXBW-JB6.

Sarah Jane "Jennie" LAUGHLIN and John William LYNCH appeared in the census in 1885 in Minneapolis, Hennepin, Minnesota, United States. They were married on 1 Oct 1885 in Hennepin County, Minnesota, United States. They appeared in the census in 1895 in Milo, Mille Lacs, Minnesota, United States. Jennie and John appeared in the census in 1900 in Milo, Mille Lacs, Minnesota, United States. They appeared in the census in 1905 in Milo, Mille Lacs, Minnesota, United States. They appeared in the census in 1910 in Milo, Mille Lacs, Minnesota, United States. Jennie and John appeared in the census in 1920 in Minneapolis, Hennepin, Minnesota, United States. **John William LYNCH**, son of LYNCH, was born about 1852 at 1845-1852 in Ireland. He emigrated in 1856. He appeared in the census in 1870. John appeared in the census in 1880 at 1507 Fourth st S in Minneapolis, Hennepin, Minnesota, United States. He died on 6 Sep 1921 at the age of 69 in Hennepin County, Minnesota, United States. He was buried at Sacred Heart Cemetery in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. John was a Section Foreman at Railroad. He FamilySearch ID GXBW-J8D. He was a Works in Sawmill.

John William LYNCH and Sarah Jane LAUGHLIN had the following children:

- i. **Raymond Edward LYNCH** was born on 24 Jul 1886 in Minneapolis, Hennepin, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1895 in Milo, Mille Lacs, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1900 in Milo, Mille Lacs, Minnesota, United States. Raymond appeared in the census in 1905 in Milo, Mille Lacs, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1910. He served in the military WWI - US Army - Private on 26 Apr 1918 at 352 Inf, 2nd Batt, 88 Div. Raymond appeared in the census in 1920 in Minneapolis, Hennepin, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1930. He appeared in the census in 1940. Raymond appeared in the census in 1950. He died on 14 Oct 1954 at the age of 68 in Minneapolis, Hennepin, Minnesota, United States. He was buried at Fort Snelling National Cemetery in Minneapolis, Hennepin, Minnesota, United States.
- ii. **Frank James LYNCH** was born on 28 Aug 1888 in Watertown, Codington, South Dakota. He appeared in the census in 1895 in Milo, Mille Lacs, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1900 in Milo, Mille Lacs, Minnesota, United States. Frank appeared in the census in 1905 in Milo, Mille Lacs, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1910 in Milo, Mille Lacs, Minnesota, United States. He lived at 714 Jackson street in Minnesota, United States in 1917. Frank served in the military WWI - US Navy on 21 Aug 1918 at Fireman Three C - Training Station in Great Lakes, Illinois, United States. He appeared in the census in 1920 in Minneapolis, Hennepin, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1940 at with widowed mother in Minneapolis, Hennepin, Minnesota, United States. Frank died on 2 Oct 1968 at the age of 80 in Minneapolis, Hennepin, Minnesota, United States. He was also known as James Francis Lynch. He was a Railroader. Frank was buried at Fort Snelling National Cemetery in Minneapolis, Hennepin, Minnesota, United States.

12. **John Henry LAUGHLIN** was born on 25 Jul 1865 in Steele County, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1870 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1880 in Udolpho, Mower, Minnesota, United States. John lived in Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States in 1944. He appeared in the census in 1950 at widowed; with dau Mary in Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States. He died on 13 Jan 1955 at the age of 89 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States. John was a Grocer. He was buried at Calvary Cemetery in Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States.

John Henry LAUGHLIN and Julia CUNNINGHAM were married on 26 Oct 1898 at by Jas Shannon, Catholic Priest in Peoria County, Illinois, United States. They appeared in the census in 1900 in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. They appeared in the census in 1910 in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. John and Julia lived at 109 S Garfield av in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States in 1916. They appeared in the census in 1920 in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. They appeared in the census in 1930 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States. John and Julia appeared in the census in 1940 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States. **Julia CUNNINGHAM**, daughter of Nicles CUNNINGHAM and Anna MARTIN, was born on 15 Aug 1865 in Flemington, Hunterdon, New Jersey, United States. She lived in Galesburg, Illinois, United States in 1898. She died on 16 Oct 1947 at the age of 82 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States.

John Henry LAUGHLIN and Julia CUNNINGHAM had the following children:

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 - i. **Mary LAUGHLIN**, born abt 1901, Illinois; married Robert L. FARMER.
 - ii. **Willard J. LAUGHLIN** was born about 1903 in Illinois. He appeared in the census in 1910 in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States. He appeared in the census in 1920 in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States.
 - iii. **John Theodore LAUGHLIN** was born about 1906 in Illinois. He appeared in the census in 1910 in Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, United States.

13. **Mary Loretta RYAN** was born on 15 Aug 1872 in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States. She appeared in the census in 1880 in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States. She died on 3 Jul 1934 at the age of 61 in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States. Mary was buried on 6 Jul 1934 at All Saints Cemetery in Des Plaines, Illinois, United States.

Mary Loretta RYAN and John William BARKER were married on 14 Sep 1897 in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States. They appeared in the census in 1900 in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States. They appeared in the census in 1910 at living with widowed mother in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States. Mary and John appeared in the census in 1920 at N Hermitage Ave in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States. They appeared in the census in 1930 at 4515 N. Ashland ave in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States. **John William BARKER** was born on 24 Jun 1870 in Oshkosh, Winnebago, Wisconsin, United States. He died in Aug 1950 at the age of 80 in Illinois. He was a Mail Deputy at C & Neo Co. (illeg.). John was buried in Des Plaines, Illinois, United States.

John William BARKER and Mary Loretta RYAN had the following children:

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 - i. **Grace M. BARKER**, born 18 Sep 1898, Illinois; married HIPPLE; died 14 Aug 1979, Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States.
 - ii. **Genevieve BARKER** was born about 1902 in Illinois. She appeared in the census in 1910 in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States. She appeared in the census in 1920 in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States.
 - iii. **Joseph Ambrose BARKER** was born in 1906 in Illinois. He appeared in the census in 1910 in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States. He appeared in the census in 1920 in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States. Joseph died on 21 Jun 1955 at the age of 49 in Cook County, Illinois, United States. He was buried in Des Plaines, Illinois, United States.

- iv. **Virginia R. BARKER** was born about 1906 in Illinois. She appeared in the census in 1910 in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States. She appeared in the census in 1920 in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States.
- v. **William Layola BARKER** was born on 22 Jan 1909 in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States. He appeared in the census in 1910 in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States. He appeared in the census in 1920 in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States. William died on 20 Feb 1988 at the age of 79 in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States. He was buried on 22 Feb 1988 in Des Plaines, Cook, Illinois, United States.
- vi. **Mary Geraldine BARKER** was born on 19 Oct 1912 in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States. She appeared in the census in 1920 in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States. She died on 9 Dec 1988 at the age of 76 in Dubuque, Dubuque, Iowa, United States.

14. **Margaret F. RYAN** was born on 20 May 1881 in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States. She appeared in the census in 1900 at ?. She appeared in the census in 1910 in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States. Margaret died on 25 Apr 1933 at the age of 51 in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States. She was buried on 27 Apr 1933 at Calvary Cemetery in Evanston, Cook, Illinois, United States. She was also known as Margaret J. Ryan. Margaret was a Dressmaker at Light House. She FamilySearch ID GFV5-WCW.

Margaret F. RYAN and Pierce Joseph DOLAN were married on 12 Sep 1910 in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States. They appeared in the census in 1920 at 4752 Winthrop ave in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States. They appeared in the census in 1930 at 3602 N. Hermitage ave in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States. **Pierce Joseph DOLAN**, son of DOLAN, was born about 1879 in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States. He died on 29 Jan 1947 at the age of 68 at 515 W. 65th place in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States. He was a Clerk at Gas Office. Pierce was buried at Calvary Cemetery in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States.

Pierce Joseph DOLAN and Margaret F. RYAN had the following children:

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 - i. **Mary Margaret DOLAN**, born 30 Dec 1912, Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States; married WRIGHT, aft 1931; died 30 Aug 2002.
 - ii. **infant DOLAN** died on 23 Dec 1914 at the age of 0 in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States. She was born on 23 Dec 1914 in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States. She was buried at Calvary Cemetery in Evanston, Cook, Illinois, United States. Infant FamilySearch ID GN3X-Q44.
 - iii. **William Pierce DOLAN** was born on 19 Nov 1916 in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States. He appeared in the census in 1920 in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States. He appeared in the census in 1930 in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States. William served in the military WWII Draft on 16 Oct 1940 in Illinois. He died on 31 Oct 1978 at the age of 61 in Harvey, Cook, Illinois, United States. He was buried at Saint Mary Catholic Cemetery in Evergreen Park, Cook, Illinois, United States. William FamilySearch ID GN3X-7T5.

15. **John Francis O'MEARA** was born on 25 May 1885 in Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1895 in Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1900 in Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. John appeared in the census in 1905 in Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1910 in Minneapolis, Hennepin, Minnesota, United States. He served in the military WWI Draft in 1917–1918 in Brown County, Minnesota, United States. John served in the military WWII Draft in 1942 in Windom, Cottonwood, Minnesota, United States. He lived in Windom, Cottonwood, Minnesota, United States on 15 May 1945. He died on 28 Oct 1975 at the age of 90 in Dakota County, Minnesota, United States. John was buried at Calvary Cemetery in Saint Paul, Ramsey, Minnesota, United States. He was described as 6'1" Tall, 200 lbs, gray eyes, gray hair, dark complexion. He was at Minnesota Highway Department in Windom, Cottonwood, Minnesota, United States. John was a Surveyor at Railroad.

John Francis O'MEARA and Beatrice M. PRENDERGAST were married on 15 Feb 1915 in Saint Paul, Ramsey, Minnesota, United States. They appeared in the census in 1920 in Breckenridge, Wilkin, Minnesota, United States. They appeared in the census in 1930 in Windom, Cottonwood, Minnesota, United States. John and Beatrice appeared in the census in 1940 in Windom, Cottonwood, Minnesota, United States. They appeared in the census in 1950 in Windom, Cottonwood, Minnesota, United States. **Beatrice M. PRENDERGAST**, daughter of PRENDERGAST, was born about 1892 in Minnesota, United States. She died on 14 Apr 1971 at the age of 79 in Minneapolis, Hennepin, Minnesota, United States.

John Francis O'MEARA and Beatrice M. PRENDERGAST had the following children:

- i. **John J. O'MEARA Jr.** was born about 1920 in Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1930 in Windom, Cottonwood, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1940 in Windom, Cottonwood, Minnesota, United States. John lived in Potomac, Maryland, United States in 1971.
- ii. **Gerrine Margaret "Gerry" O'MEARA** was born on 24 Mar 1922 in Saint Paul, Ramsey, Minnesota, United States. She appeared in the census in 1930 in Windom, Cottonwood, Minnesota, United States. She appeared in the census in 1940 in Windom, Cottonwood, Minnesota, United States. Gerry lived in Saint Paul, Ramsey, Minnesota, United States in 1971. She died on 14 Sep 1995 at the age of 73 in Minnesota, United States.

16. **James Vincent O'MEARA** was born on 17 Jun 1890 in Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1895 in Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1900 in Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. James appeared in the census in 1905 in Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1910. He appeared in the census in 1920 at with widowed mother and siblings in Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. James served in the military WWII Draft in 1942 in Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. He lived in Le Center, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States on 15 May 1945. He died on 28 Jul 1973 at the age of 83 in Le Sueur County, Minnesota, United States. James was buried at Calvary Cemetery in Le Center, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. He was described as 5'9" brown eyes, gray hair, 150 lbs, ruddy complexion.

James Vincent O'MEARA and Mary Ada CASHIN were married on 21 Jun 1927 in Montgomery, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. They appeared in the census in 1930 in Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. They appeared in the census in 1940. James and Mary appeared in the census in 1950 at Dodd Road, left NE of Elm Tree on Dodd Road in Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. **Mary Ada CASHIN**, daughter of CASKIN and A. Bridget, was born about 1898 in Minnesota, United States.

James Vincent O'MEARA and Mary Ada CASHIN had the following children:

- i. **Mary Katheryn O'MEARA** was born about 1929 in Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. She appeared in the census in 1930 at 7/12 months old in Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States.
- 22 ii. **Virginia Mae O'MEARA**, born abt 1930, Minnesota, United States; married Gene Edward STOERING, 13 Jun 1950, Le Sueur County, Minnesota, United States.
- 23 iii. **James Timothy O'MEARA**, born abt 1933, Minnesota, United States; married Monica Julia MUELLERLEILE, 4 Apr 1964, Le Sueur County, Minnesota, United States.
- iv. **Gerald Vincent O'MEARA** was born about 1936 in Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1950 in Le Sueur County, Minnesota, United States. He was a Farm Helper at Farm.
- 24 v. **Leonard Thomas O'MEARA**, born abt 1938, Minnesota, United States; married Lavonne Catherine LINNIHAN, 20 Jun 1964, Le Sueur County, Minnesota, United States.
- 25 vi. **Patrick Joseph O'MEARA**, born abt 1941, Minnesota, United States; married Gloria Jean

HRDLICKA, 31 Oct 1959, Le Sueur County, Minnesota, United States.

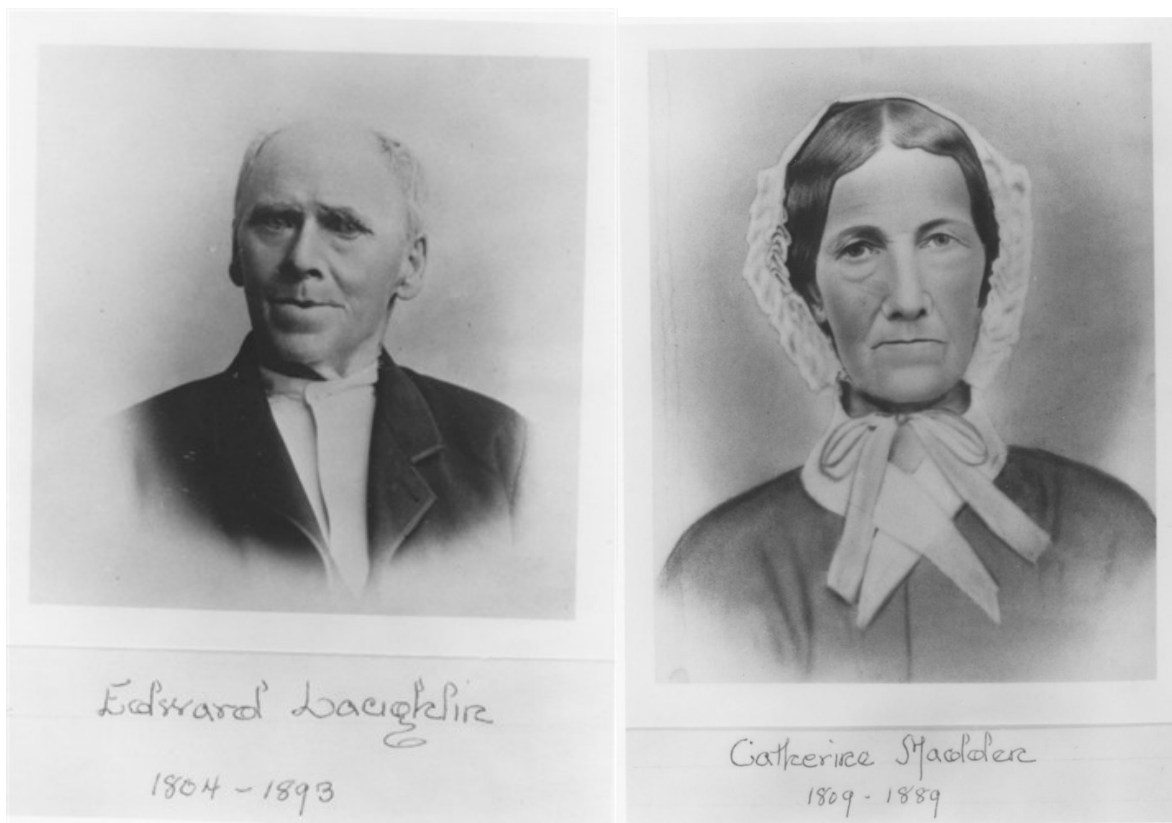
17. **Michael Harry O'MEARA** was born on 5 Jun 1893 in Kilkenny, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1895 in Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1900 in Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. Michael appeared in the census in 1905 in Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1910 in Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. He served in the military WWI - A S at Gt. Lakes Training Station on 31 May 1917 in Minnesota, United States. Michael appeared in the census in 1920 at with widowed mother and siblings in Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. He served in the military WWII draft registration on 27 Apr 1942 in Kilkenny, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. He served in the military WWII Naval Ship CVL-24 Belleau Wood on 31 Mar 1943. Michael lived U.S. Navy in Norfolk, Virginia, United States on 15 May 1945. He Charles Hankins is living with them in 1950. He was buried in 1967 at Calvary Cemetery in Le Center, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. Michael died on 2 Nov 1967 at the age of 74 in Faribault, Rice, Minnesota, United States. He FamilySearch ID 9V9Z-BSK. He was described as 5'6", 140 lbs, gray hair, brown eyes, ruddy complexion.

Michael Harry O'MEARA and Kathryn Rose HANKINS were married on 8 Jun 1920 in Le Center, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. They appeared in the census in 1930 in Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. They lived in Le Sueur County, Minnesota, United States in 1935. Michael and Kathryn appeared in the census in 1940 in Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. They appeared in the census in 1950 in Le Center, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. **Kathryn Rose HANKINS**, daughter of Nathaniel Irwin HANKINS and Annie Ellen DEWIRE/DWYER, was born on 5 Nov 1895 in Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. She died on 29 Mar 1977 at the age of 81 in Belle Plaine, Scott, Minnesota, United States. She was also known as Katherine Rose Hawkins. Kathryn was buried at Calvary Cemetery in Le Center, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States.

Michael Harry O'MEARA and Kathryn Rose HANKINS had the following children:

- 26 i. **Walter James O'MEARA**, born 14 Apr 1921, Le Sueur County, Minnesota, United States; married Doris HARTMAN (SP); married Marie MIEDERBAUER (SP); died bef 2015.
- 27 ii. **Harry Lawrence "Laurence" O'MEARA**, born 23 Sep 1923, Le Sueur County, Minnesota, United States; married Marianne WEST, 20 Oct 1946, Oakland, Alameda, California, United States; died 6 Jan 1970, Santa Clara, California, United States.
- 28 iii. **Catherine Laurentia O'MEARA**, born 21 Mar 1926, Le Sueur County, Minnesota, United States; married John Francis DELANEY, 1 Sep 1956, Rice County, Minnesota, United States; died 3 Nov 2015, Rochester, Olmsted, Minnesota, United States.
- 29 iv. **Patricia Ann O'MEARA**, born 17 Mar 1929, Le Sueur County, Minnesota, United States; married Thomas John KUCERA, 9 Aug 1950, Le Sueur County, Minnesota, United States; died 27 Jul 2008, Scott County, Minnesota, United States.
- v. **Sr Annella Yvonne "Shaun" O'MEARA** was born on 28 Mar 1931 in Kilkenny, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. She lived in Le Sueur County, Minnesota, United States in 1935. She appeared in the census in 1940 in Cordova, Le Sueur, Minnesota, United States. Shaun was ordained on 13 Sep 1952 at entered Saint Benedict's Monastery in Saint Joseph, Stearns, Minnesota, United States. She died on 14 Oct 2016 at the age of 85 in Saint Cloud, Stearns, Minnesota, United States. She was buried at Saint Benedicts Convent Cemetery in Saint Joseph, Stearns, Minnesota, United States. Shaun was a Sister (Nun).
- 30 vi. **William Joseph "Bill" O'MEARA**, born 1 Oct 1934, Le Sueur County, Minnesota, United States; married Marie Evelyn BEATTIE, 13 Sep 1958, Hennepin County, Minnesota, United States; died 15 Feb 2018, Brooklyn Center, Hennepin, Minnesota, United States.
- 31 vii. **Richard Nathan O'MEARA**, born 4 Dec 1938, Le Sueur County, Minnesota, United States; married Mary Carole WASKOSKY, 26 Dec 1964, Rice County, Minnesota, United States; married Cynthia J. SCHOLLJEGERDES, 4 Dec 1999, Rice County, Minnesota, United States; married Corrine Elizabeth FLANNERY, 6 Sep 1986, Waseca County, Minnesota, United States.

Edward Laughlin

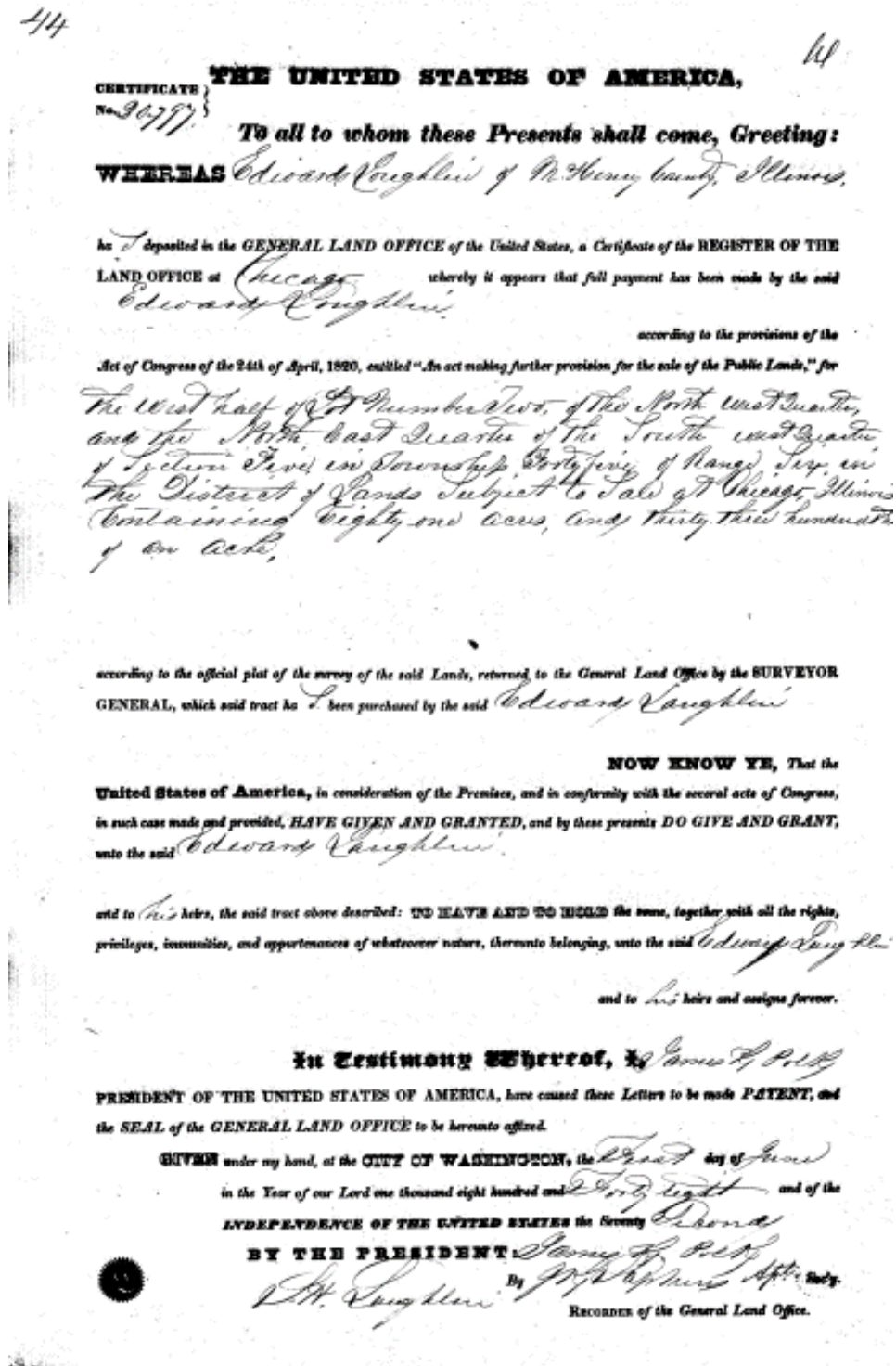


It appears that when emigrating to McHenry County, Illinois: Edward went first (before 1850), then John (before 1857), then Michael (d. 1858), then Patrick joined in 1863. Edward was likely the oldest, being born in 1804 or 1812. (I saw a date of 16 Apr 1804 from County Cork or Tipperary being suggested on a member tree in FamilySearch, but I could find no source reference to why this date and place was listed.). We can still estimate he is oldest and born between those years of 1804-1812.

Edward Laughlin Sr. married Catherine Madden between 1832-1842, likely in Ireland. They have the following known issue: John Henry (b. 1843 Pennsylvania), Margaret Jane (b. 1846 Alden, IL), Anne (b. 1849 Alden, IL), and Patrick (b. 1851 Alden, IL). The youngest, Patrick, died in infancy. There are likely more children prior to John Henry who were born but I have not found them on any records yet.

He first landed and lived in Pennsylvania in the early 1840s. Then then moves to Alden, McHenry, Illinois by 1846. He owns property in McHenry County in 1848, as shown by the aforementioned land records dated 1 Jun 1848 for Hartland Township in McHenry County, section 5 – which sits directly below Alden Township, sections 32 and 33, where the Madden families resides. The two families are connected. Edward lived in McHenry County the remainder of his life.

Figure 23: Image showing Edward Laughlin Sr. land patent 1 Jun 1848 in McHenry County:



Edward's son, John Henry Laughlin, and grandson Edward F. Laughlin are mentioned in the following deeds and books:

Figure 24: Kate O'Meara (Catherine Laughlin) on the probate of her brother, Thomas Laughlin, petitioning for administration of the estate to E. F. Laughlin (Edward F. Laughlin)

Fifth—That the names, ages, residence, and relationship to decedent, of the heirs at law of said decedent, are as follows, to-wit:

NAMES	AGES Years	RESIDENCE	RELATIONSHIP
John ^H Laughlin	77	Peoria Ill-1426 Main St	brother
Ann Ryan	71	Chicago Ill	Sister
Kate O'Meara	63	Condora Twp Le Sueur Co Minn	Sister
Thomas Hoynes	51	Peoria Ill.	nephew
Mary Hoynes	48	Los Angeles Cal.	niece
Ann Hoynes	46	Peoria Ill	niece
Katherine ^H Keefe	42	Colton, Cal	"
Margaret Hoynes	44	Los Angeles, Cal.	"
Sarah Hoynes	32	" " "	"

Sixth—That E. F. Laughlin whose Post Office address is R. F. D. H. Owatonna Minn. is a suitable and competent person to administer the said estate, and is lawfully entitled thereto.

Wherefore, your petitioner prays that administration of the estate of said decedent be granted by the Court, and that, upon due qualification, letters of administration be issued to the said E. F. Laughlin

Kate O'Meara
Petitioner

State of Minnesota,
County of Steele ss.
Kate O'Meara
being duly sworn, on oath says, that she is the person who makes the foregoing petition in the above entitled matter; that she has read said petition and knows the contents thereof, and that the same is true of her own knowledge, except as to those matters therein stated on information and belief, and that as to those matters she believes it to be true.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this
7th day of December, 1915 Kate O'Meara
J. A. Alexander
Notary Public.
Steele County, Minnesota.
My commission expires Oct. 1 - 1917

Note 1—Insert name of town, village, city, as case may be.
Note 2—Insert relationship or interest, as heir, creditor, etc.
Note 3—If no property, insert word "No", and strike out unnecessary words.

Edward Laughlin's grandson, Edward F. Laughlin (b. 1868) is listed in Thomas Laughlin land deed dated 1 Mar 1920: (see notes under Thomas Laughlin – with Michael Laughlin section of this report). Kate O'Meara (Catherine Laughlin, Thomas' sister) petitions that Edward F. Laughlin is administrator of the estate. This connection between possible cousins demonstrates a probable relationship showing Michael Laughlin (d. 1858) and possible brother Edward Laughlin Sr., grandfather to Edward F. Laughlin (below – second part mentioned).

Warranty Deed #49397 filed March 1st 1920 - Thomas Laughlin Land Warranty Deed- This INDENTURE, made this 1st day of March in the year of our lord nine hundred and twenty (1920) between John W. Laughlin, a widower, Ann Ryan, a widow, Kate O'Meara, a widow, Thomas Hoynes and Katherine Hoynes his wife, Mary Hoynes, unmarried, Ann Hoynes, unmarried, Katherine Keefe and Owen D. Keefe, her husband, Margaret Hoynes, unmarried, and Sarah Hoynes, unmarried, parties of the

first part, and **EDWARD F. LAUGHLIN** of the County of Steele, State of Minnesota, party of the second part.

Figure 25: Edward F. Laughlin (son of John Henry Laughlin and Katherine Conway) in the book "History of Rice and Steele Counties"

1120 HISTORY OF RICE AND STEELE COUNTIES

E. F. Laughlin, a hustling and progressive farmer of Merton township, Steele county—his birthplace—was born July 2, 1868. After receiving a good education in the district schools he immediately engaged in farming, first with his father and later for himself. He now owns a hundred and sixty acres of productive land, a hundred of which is tillable, the remaining sixty acres being used mostly for pasturage. In addition to general farming he carries on stock raising on an extensive scale, breeding and raising thoroughbred Percheron horses, Holstein cattle and Duroc Jersey hogs; also breeder of Scotch collie dogs. The use of modern buildings and machinery add to the profits of the place, a large up-to-date barn, forty by sixty-four, fourteen-foot post, comfortably housing all the stock. Mr. Laughlin also has a modern dwelling house. As to political convictions he is a Democrat and has always taken an active part in local affairs, having served as assessor during 1902 and 1903 and has been town clerk since 1905. He was married, in 1895, to Bertha A. Conlin, by whom he has six children: James A., Catherine L., Edward E., Mary E., Raymond P. and Lucile. John H., the father of our subject, is a native of Pennsylvania; his mother, Katie, (Conway) of Steele county, Minnesota. The father joined the Westward tide of emigration, in 1866, locating on his farm in Merton township, Steele county, where he still resides. Besides attending to the working of his farm he was a stock buyer for three years during his younger days. His good wife lives with him on the old place. Patrick and Mary (McGrath) Conlin, parents of Mrs. E. F. Laughlin, are old settlers of Minnesota, where the father carried on farming for many years. They are

now living in California on a fruit farm, and also own some mining property.

Edward Laughlin Sr.'s son, John Henry Laughlin has mention in the following book:

Figure 26: John Henry Laughlin (son of Edward) in the book "History of Waseca and Steele Counties"

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HISTORY OF STEELE COUNTY.

J. H. Laughlin, another of Merton Township's substantial and prominent citizens, came here in 1867. He is a native of Pennsylvania, born December 14, 1843; but came here from McHenry County, Ill. Since his residence here he has devoted most of his attention to stock-raising and farming, and now has one of the finest farms in Steele County. He was, however, on the road for a time for the Woods Harvester Works. On the 25th of January, 1867, he was married to Miss Katie Conway, a native of St. Louis. They had six children: Edward, George, James, Maggie, Milford and Vinson. In political matters Mr. Laughlin is a

PEDIGREE (3 GEN) – DESCENDANTS OF EDWARD LAUGHLIN AND CATHERINE MADDEN

FIRST GENERATION

1. **Edward LAUGHLIN** was born on 16 Apr 1804 at or 16 Apr 1812 in Ireland. He owned on 1 Jun 1848 in McHenry County, Illinois, United States. He owned in 1872 in Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States. Edward died on 28 Oct 1893 at the age of 89 at Harvard Alden in Harvard, McHenry, Illinois, United States. He was also known as Edward Laflin. He was also known as Edward Lafflin. Edward FamilySearch ID LDVQ-KWH. He was buried in Harvard, McHenry, Illinois, United States. He was a Farmer.

Edward LAUGHLIN and Catherine MADDEN were married about 1832. They appeared in the census in 1840 in Wilkins, Allegheny, Pennsylvania, United States. They appeared in the census in 1850 in Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States. Edward and Catherine appeared in the census in 1860 in Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States. They appeared in the census in 1865 in Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States. They appeared in the census in 1870 at ? in McHenry County, Illinois, United States. Edward and Catherine appeared in the census in 1880 in Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States. **Catherine MADDEN**, daughter of James MADDEN, was born on 28 Jun 1809 in Ireland. She appeared in the census in 1865 in Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States. She died on 10 Jul 1889 at the age of 80 in McHenry County, Illinois, United States. Catherine FamilySearch ID 9JHY-SLX. She was buried at St. Joseph's Cemetery in Harvard, McHenry, Illinois, United States.

Edward LAUGHLIN and Catherine MADDEN had the following children:

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 - i. **John Henry LAUGHLIN**, born 17 Dec 1843, Pennsylvania; married Katherine CONWAY, 27 Jun 1867, Steele County, Minnesota, United States; married Margaret Anne GLADBACK, 4 Feb 1890, Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States; died 30 May 1923, Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States.

- 3 ii. **Margaret Jane LAUGHLIN**, born 12 Apr 1846, Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States; married Edward Henry HAYES, 4 Oct 1866, Harvard, McHenry, Illinois, United States; died 30 Aug 1925, Harvard, McHenry, Illinois, United States.
- 4 iii. **Anne LAUGHLIN**, born 17 Feb 1849, Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States; married Michael HAYDEN, 19 Nov 1869, McHenry County, Illinois, United States; died 19 Mar 1934, Harvard, McHenry, Illinois, United States.
- iv. **Patrick LAUGHLIN** was born on 17 May 1851 in Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States. He died in infancy in Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States.

SECOND GENERATION

2. **John Henry LAUGHLIN** was born on 17 Dec 1843 in Pennsylvania. He appeared in the census in 1850 in Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States. He appeared in the census in 1860 in Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States. John appeared in the census in 1865 in Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States. He owned Section 29, 32 in 1879 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He had his estate probated on 2 Nov 1922 in Steele County, Minnesota, United States. John died on 30 May 1923 at the age of 79 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He was buried on 1 Jun 1923 at Sacred Heart Cemetery in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He was a Farmer. John FamilySearch ID KX5C-D8M. He was a Farm Truck at Farm. He was a "on the road for a time for" at Woods Harvester Works.

John Henry LAUGHLIN and Katherine "Katie" CONWAY were married on 27 Jun 1867 in Steele County, Minnesota, United States. They appeared in the census in 1870 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. They appeared in the census in 1875 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. John and Katie appeared in the census in 1880 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. They appeared in the census in 1885 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. **Katherine "Katie" CONWAY** was born in Jul 1851 at Missouri or Minnesota in St. Louis, Missouri, United States. She died on 30 May 1887 at the age of 35 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. She was also known as Katherine "Katie" Conway. Katie FamilySearch ID LRWJ-TD3. She was buried at Sacred Heart Cemetery in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States.

John Henry LAUGHLIN and Katherine CONWAY had the following children:

- 5 i. **Edward F. LAUGHLIN**, born 2 Jul 1868, Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States; married Bertha A. CONLIN, 27 Nov 1895, Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States; died 8 Nov 1936, Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States.
- 6 ii. **George P. LAUGHLIN**, born 2 Sep 1871, Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States; married Estella Jane LANE, 20 Sep 1898, Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States; died 1 Jan 1929, Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States.
- 7 iii. **James Richard LAUGHLIN**, born 8 Jul 1873, Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States; married Katherine Loretta FINNEGAN, 15 Nov 1902, Belle Plaine, Scott, Minnesota, United States; died 9 Apr 1949, Minneapolis, Hennepin, Minnesota, United States.
- 8 iv. **Margaret Jane "Maggie" LAUGHLIN**, born 27 Jan 1879, Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States; married Thomas Edward CASHMAN, 14 Sep 1897, Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States; died 12 Apr 1966, Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States.
- v. **William Frederick "Wilfred" LAUGHLIN** was born on 9 Apr 1882 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1895 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He lived in Seattle, King, Washington, United States in 1929. Wilfred died on 16 Aug 1953 at the age of 71 in Steele County, Minnesota, United States. He FamilySearch ID 9JHY-SGW. He was buried at Sacred Heart Cemetery in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States.
- vi. **Vincent Paul LAUGHLIN** was born on 8 Nov 1883 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1895 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He lived in Minneapolis, Hennepin, Minnesota, United States in 1929. Vincent died on 13 May

- 1960 at the age of 76 in Hennepin County, Minnesota, United States. He FamilySearch ID KX5C-D89. He was buried in Shorewood, Hennepin, Minnesota, United States.
- vii. **John LAUGHLIN** was born on 7 Feb 1887 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He died on 30 Apr 1887 at the age of 0 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He FamilySearch ID GH1Z-PBC.

John Henry LAUGHLIN and Margaret Anne GLADBACK were married on 4 Feb 1890 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. They appeared in the census in 1895 in Minnesota, United States. They appeared in the census in 1900 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. John and Margaret appeared in the census in 1905 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. They appeared in the census in 1910 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. They appeared in the census in 1920 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. **Margaret Anne GLADBACK** was born on 29 Nov 1869 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. She died on 6 Aug 1933 at the age of 63 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. She FamilySearch ID 9JHY-SP6. Margaret was buried in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States.

John Henry LAUGHLIN and Margaret Anne GLADBACK had the following children:

- 9 i. **John Patrick LAUGHLIN**, born 29 Jul 1892, Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States; married Veronica V. FISHER, 19 Oct 1915, Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States; died 21 Feb 1963, Perham, Otter Tail, Minnesota, United States.
- 10 ii. **Agnes Loretta LAUGHLIN**, born 22 Jan 1894, Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States; married FISHER; died 17 Feb 1962, Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States.
- 11 iii. **Leopold Richard LAUGHLIN**, born 16 May 1897, Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States; married Edna Katherine CARROL, bef 1926; died 27 Feb 1971.
- iv. **Joseph Henry LAUGHLIN** was born on 7 Oct 1900 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1920 at with parents in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He died on 27 Dec 1957 at the age of 57 in Riverside County, California, United States. Joseph FamilySearch ID 9JHY-SPW. He was buried in Riverside, Riverside, California, United States.
- 12 v. **Mary Louise LAUGHLIN**, born 18 Sep 1907, Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States; married Robert I. BOZOSKI; died 2 Oct 1998, Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States.

3. **Margaret Jane LAUGHLIN** was born on 12 Apr 1846 in Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States. She appeared in the census in 1850 in Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States. She appeared in the census in 1860 in Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States. Margaret appeared in the census in 1865 in Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States. She appeared in the census in 1900 at widowed. She appeared in the census in 1910 at widowed. Margaret appeared in the census in 1920 at widowed. She died on 30 Aug 1925 at the age of 79 in Harvard, McHenry, Illinois, United States. She was buried on 1 Sep 1925 at St. Joseph's Cemetery in Harvard, McHenry, Illinois, United States. Margaret FamilySearch ID LCC5-B4F.

Margaret Jane LAUGHLIN and Edward Henry HAYES were married on 4 Oct 1866 in Harvard, McHenry, Illinois, United States. They appeared in the census in 1870. They appeared in the census in 1880. **Edward Henry HAYES**, son of HAYES and Margaret , was born in 1842 in County Tipperary, Ireland. He appeared in the census in 1860. He died in 1886 at the age of 44 in McHenry County, Illinois, United States. Edward FamilySearch ID LCC5-B3Y. He was a Carpenter and Joiner.

Edward Henry HAYES and Margaret Jane LAUGHLIN had the following children:

- 13 i. **Mary A. HAYES**, born abt 1866, Harvard, McHenry, Illinois, United States; married John H. HALEY, 27 Nov 1895, McHenry County, Illinois, United States.
- ii. **Lewella E. HAYES** was born about 1868 in McHenry County, Illinois, United States. She

- appeared in the census in 1870 in Harvard, McHenry, Illinois, United States.
- iii. **Albert Frederick HAYES** was born on 23 Nov 1876 in Harvard, McHenry, Illinois, United States.
 - 14 iv. **Charles Francis HAYES**, born 9 Oct 1878, Harvard, McHenry, Illinois, United States; married Mary J. SHEAHAN, 14 Jun 1911, McHenry County, Illinois, United States; died 17 Mar 1945, Harvard, McHenry, Illinois, United States.
 - v. **Paul J. HAYES** was born on 28 Aug 1880 in Harvard, McHenry, Illinois, United States.
 - vi. **John Edward HAYES** was born on 23 Mar 1881 in Harvard, McHenry, Illinois, United States.
 - vii. **Maud Helena HAYES** was born on 9 Mar 1884 in Harvard, McHenry, Illinois, United States.

4. **Anne LAUGHLIN** was born on 17 Feb 1849 in Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States. She appeared in the census in 1850 in Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States. She appeared in the census in 1860 in Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States. Anne appeared in the census in 1865 in Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States. She died on 19 Mar 1934 at the age of 85 in Harvard, McHenry, Illinois, United States. She was buried on 20 Mar 1934. Anne FamilySearch ID LDVQ-V12.

Anne LAUGHLIN and Michael HAYDEN were married on 19 Nov 1869 in McHenry County, Illinois, United States. They appeared in the census in 1880 in Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States. They appeared in the census in 1910 in Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States. **Michael HAYDEN** was born in 1840. He died in 1917 at the age of 77. He FamilySearch ID LDVQ-V5V.

Michael HAYDEN and Anne LAUGHLIN had the following children:

- i. **Catherine Jane HAYDEN** was born in 1870. She appeared in the census in 1880 in Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States. She died in 1947 at the age of 77. Catherine FamilySearch ID LDVQ-K1K.
- ii. **Edward Francis HAYDEN** was born in 1872. He died in 1973 at the age of 101. He FamilySearch ID LDVQ-23B.
- iii. **John Henry HAYDEN** was born in 1873. He died in 1878 at the age of 5. He FamilySearch ID LDVQ-2DJ.
- iv. **James Augustine HAYDEN** was born in 1875. He appeared in the census in 1880 in Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States. He died in 1923 at the age of 48. James FamilySearch ID LDVQ-2VX.
- v. **Joseph William HAYDEN** was born in 1876. He appeared in the census in 1880 in Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States. He died in 1929 at the age of 53. Joseph FamilySearch ID LDVQ-L3C.
- vi. **Benedict Eugene HAYDEN** was born in 1879. He appeared in the census in 1880 in Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States. He died in 1961 at the age of 82. Benedict FamilySearch ID LDVQ-LHG.
- vii. **Mary Evelyn HAYDEN** was born in 1881. She died in 1945 at the age of 64. She FamilySearch ID LDVQ-LLF.
- viii. **Francis Michael HAYDEN** was born in 1883. He died in 1961 at the age of 78. He FamilySearch ID LDVQ-LT6.
- ix. **Anna Mabel HAYDEN** was born on 24 Jun 1885 in Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States. She died on 29 Dec 1926 at the age of 41 in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States. She FamilySearch ID LDVQ-GM2.
- 15 x. **Martha Lucinda HAYDEN**, born 1888; married Francis E. LEONARD, 2 Apr 1913, Harvard, McHenry, Illinois, United States; died 1978.
- xi. **Agnes Lewellwyn HAYDEN** was born in 1890. She died in 1965 at the age of 75. She FamilySearch ID LDVQ-J2F.

THIRD GENERATION

5. **Edward F. LAUGHLIN** was born on 2 Jul 1868 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1870 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1875 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. Edward appeared in the census in 1880 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1895 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He Thomas Laughlin Land deed on 1 Mar 1920. Edward lived in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States in 1929. He appeared in the census in 1930 at widowed in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He had his estate probated in 1936 in Steele County, Minnesota, United States. Edward died on 8 Nov 1936 at the age of 68 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He was also known as Eddie Laughlin. He FamilySearch ID K8H6-DNZ. Edward was buried in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States.

Edward F. LAUGHLIN and Bertha A. CONLIN were married on 27 Nov 1895 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. **Bertha A. CONLIN**, daughter of Patrick CONLIN and Mary MCGRATH, was born about 1874 in Winona, Minnesota, United States. She died before 1930 at the age of 56 in Minnesota, United States.

Edward F. LAUGHLIN and Bertha A. CONLIN had the following children:

- i. **Joseph A. LAUGHLIN** was born (date unknown).
- ii. **Katherine L. LAUGHLIN** was born about 1899. She died on 8 Feb 1917 at the age of 18 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States.
- iii. **Edward Eugene LAUGHLIN** was born on 25 Aug 1901 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1930 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States.
- iv. **Mary Stella LAUGHLIN** was born on 6 Dec 1903 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States.
- v. **Raymond LAUGHLIN** was born about 1906 at 17 Jul 1905? SEE NOTES in Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1930 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States.
- vi. **Lucille Lenore LAUGHLIN** was born on 14 Feb 1908 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States.
- vii. **Magdalene LAUGHLIN** was born on 9 Jun 1911 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States.
- viii. **Robert Maurice LAUGHLIN** was born on 7 Apr 1915 in Steele County, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1930 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He died on 27 Nov 1998 at the age of 83 in Minnesota, United States.

6. **George P. LAUGHLIN** was born on 2 Sep 1871 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1875 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1880 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. George appeared in the census in 1895 at with widow Mary "Lang" Laughlin in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He died on 1 Jan 1929 at the age of 57 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He FamilySearch ID K8GZ-P9V. George was a Salesman. He was buried at Sacred Heart Cemetery in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States.

George P. LAUGHLIN and Estella Jane LANE were married on 20 Sep 1898 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. **Estella Jane LANE** was born on 27 May 1877. She had her estate probated on 21 Jun 1904 in Steele County, Minnesota, United States. She died on 22 Jun 1904 at the age of 27 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. Estella was buried at Sacred Heart Cemetery in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States.

George P. LAUGHLIN and Estella Jane LANE had the following children:

- i. **John Edwin LAUGHLIN** was born on 10 Aug 1899 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He died on 27 Jan 1900 at the age of 0 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He was buried at Sacred Heart Cemetery in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States.
- 16 ii. **Sarah Catherine LAUGHLIN**, born 14 Dec 1903, Fertile, Polk, Minnesota, United States;

- married Francis Bernard KERR, bef 1929; died 1986, Canada.
iii. **Mabel Shaw LAUGHLIN** was born (date unknown).

7. **James Richard LAUGHLIN** was born on 8 Jul 1873 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1875 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1880 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. James lived in Minneapolis, Hennepin, Minnesota, United States in 1929. He died on 9 Apr 1949 at the age of 75 in Minneapolis, Hennepin, Minnesota, United States. He FamilySearch ID K4J7-1Q3. James was buried in Norwood Young America, Carver, Minnesota, United States.

James Richard LAUGHLIN and Katherine Loretta FINNEGAN were married on 15 Nov 1902 in Belle Plaine, Scott, Minnesota, United States. **Katherine Loretta FINNEGAN** was born in 1883. She died in 1974 at the age of 91. She FamilySearch ID LV17-WMC.

8. **Margaret Jane "Maggie" LAUGHLIN** was born on 27 Jan 1879 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. She appeared in the census in 1880 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. She appeared in the census in 1895 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. Maggie lived in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States in 1929. She died on 12 Apr 1966 at the age of 87 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. She FamilySearch ID 9JHY-SGQ. Maggie was buried at Sacred Heart Cemetery in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States.

Margaret Jane "Maggie" LAUGHLIN and Thomas Edward CASHMAN were married on 14 Sep 1897 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. **Thomas Edward CASHMAN**, son of Edward CASHMAN and Mary Ellen WELSH, was born on 2 Sep 1871 in Clinton Falls, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He died on 15 Dec 1933 at the age of 62 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He was buried in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. Thomas FamilySearch ID K64L-6XJ.

Thomas Edward CASHMAN and Margaret Jane LAUGHLIN had the following children:

- i. **Catherine Abigail CASHMAN** was born on 29 Oct 1898 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States.
- 17 ii. **Mary Margaret CASHMAN**, born 12 Jun 1901, Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States; married SLEAVIN; died 16 May 1986, Minneapolis, Hennepin, Minnesota, United States.
- iii. **Thomas Eugene CASHMAN** was born on 12 Apr 1903 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He died on 18 Sep 1990 at the age of 87 in Otter Tail County, Minnesota, United States. He was buried at Saint Otto's Cemetery in Fergus Falls, Otter Tail, Minnesota, United States. Thomas FamilySearch ID LKCS-SX7.
- iv. **Edwin James CASHMAN** was born on 26 Oct 1904 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He died on 16 Mar 1970 at the age of 65 in New South Wales, Australia. He FamilySearch ID GQXB-MBW.
- v. **Genevieve Mary CASHMAN** was born on 23 Mar 1910 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. She died on 5 Jun 1990 at the age of 80. She FamilySearch ID L58G-3JP.
- vi. **Margaret Jane CASHMAN** was born on 22 Oct 1915 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. She died on 1 May 2011 at the age of 95. She was buried in Palo Alto, Santa Clara, California, United States. Margaret FamilySearch ID G3PQ-WJK.
- vii. **Terrence John CASHMAN** was born on 15 Mar 1922 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He died on 14 Aug 1985 at the age of 63 in Hennepin County, Minnesota, United States. He was buried in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. Terrence FamilySearch ID G3PQ-Z8Y.

9. **John Patrick LAUGHLIN** was born on 29 Jul 1892 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1895 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1900 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. John emigrated about 1901 from Perham, Otter Tail, Minnesota, United States at moved about age 9. He served in the military WWI Draft in 1917–1918 in Steele County, Minnesota, United States. He served in the military WWII Draft in 1942 in Richville, Otter Tail, Minnesota, United States. John died on 21 Feb 1963 at the age of 70 in Perham, Otter Tail, Minnesota, United States. He FamilySearch ID 9JHY-SGL. He was buried in Perham, Otter Tail, Minnesota, United States. John was a Farmer.

John Patrick LAUGHLIN and Veronica V. FISHER were married on 19 Oct 1915 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. They appeared in the census in 1920 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. They appeared in the census in 1930 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. John and Veronica appeared in the census in 1935 in Richville, Otter Tail, Minnesota, United States. They appeared in the census in 1940 in Richville, Otter Tail, Minnesota, United States. They appeared in the census in 1950 in Perham, Otter Tail, Minnesota, United States. **Veronica V. FISHER** was born about 1893 in Minnesota, United States.

John Patrick LAUGHLIN and Veronica V. FISHER had the following children:

- i. **Dorothy Ann LAUGHLIN** was born on 12 Mar 1917 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. She died on 16 Mar 1917 at the age of 0 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States.
- 18 ii. **Ruth Ann LAUGHLIN**, born 6 Jun 1921, Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States; married Walter Francis KLEIN, 22 Dec 1942, Wadena, Minnesota, United States; died 18 Jul 1981, Detroit Lakes, Minnesota, United States.
- 19 iii. **Thomas Charles LAUGHLIN**, born 26 Dec 1922, Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States; married Bernice Margaret GUCK, aft 1940; died 3 Aug 2000, Perham, Otter Tail, Minnesota, United States.
- 20 iv. **Richard Morris LAUGHLIN**, born 4 Feb 1926, Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States; married Elizabeth Margaret GUCK.
- v. **John Patrick LAUGHLIN Jr.** was born on 17 Sep 1936 in Otter Tail, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1940 in Richville, Otter Tail, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1950 in Perham, Otter Tail, Minnesota, United States.

10. **Agnes Loretta LAUGHLIN** was born on 22 Jan 1894 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. She was baptized on 18 Feb 1894 in Steele County, Minnesota, United States. She appeared in the census in 1895 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. Agnes appeared in the census in 1900 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. She died on 17 Feb 1962 at the age of 68 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. She FamilySearch ID LY9J-845. Agnes was buried in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States.

Agnes Loretta LAUGHLIN and FISHER were married. **FISHER** was born (date unknown).

11. **Leopold Richard LAUGHLIN** was born on 16 May 1897 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1900 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1920 at with parents in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. Leopold died on 27 Feb 1971 at the age of 73. He FamilySearch ID 9JHY-SP3. He was buried at Fort Snelling National Cemetery in Minneapolis, Hennepin, Minnesota, United States. Leopold served in the military Pvt - US Marine Corp WWI.

Leopold Richard LAUGHLIN and Edna Katherine CARROL were married before 1926. **Edna Katherine CARROL** was born on 19 Dec 1898 in Blooming Prairie, Steele, Minnesota, United States. She died on 27 Oct

1967 at the age of 68 in Saint Paul, Ramsey, Minnesota, United States. She was buried in Minneapolis, Hennepin, Minnesota, United States.

Leopold Richard LAUGHLIN and Edna Katherine CARROL had the following children:

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 - i. **Phyllis Ann LAUGHLIN**, born 21 Jun 1924, Saint Paul, Ramsey, Minnesota, United States; married BENJAMIN; died 15 Jul 2007, Phoenix, Maricopa, Arizona, United States.
 - ii. **Donald Leo LAUGHLIN** was born on 2 Sep 1926 in Saint Paul, Ramsey, Minnesota, United States. He died on 2 Oct 1994 at the age of 68 in Saint Paul, Ramsey, Minnesota, United States. He was buried in Minneapolis, Hennepin, Minnesota, United States.
 - iii. **Kenneth Earl LAUGHLIN** was born on 19 Sep 1928 in Saint Paul, Ramsey, Minnesota, United States. He died on 25 Nov 2005 at the age of 77 in Norfolk, Norfolk, Virginia, United States. He was buried in Norfolk, Virginia, United States.
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 - iv. **Mary Theresa LAUGHLIN**, born 28 Dec 1931, Saint Paul, Ramsey, Minnesota, United States; married ENGLUND; died 29 Feb 2016, Phoenix, Maricopa, Arizona, United States.

12. **Mary Louise LAUGHLIN** was born on 18 Sep 1907 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. She appeared in the census in 1920 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. She died on 2 Oct 1998 at the age of 91 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. Mary FamilySearch ID 9JHY-SP8. She was buried in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States.

Mary Louise LAUGHLIN and Robert I. BOZOSKI were married. **Robert I. BOZOSKI** was born (date unknown).

13. **Mary A. HAYES** was born about 1866 in Harvard, McHenry, Illinois, United States. She appeared in the census in 1870 in Harvard, McHenry, Illinois, United States.

Mary A. HAYES and John H. HALEY were married on 27 Nov 1895 in McHenry County, Illinois, United States. **John H. HALEY**, son of William HALEY and Ellen QUINLAN, was born about 1860 in Hartland, McHenry, Illinois, United States.

14. **Charles Francis HAYES** was born on 9 Oct 1878 in Harvard, McHenry, Illinois, United States. He died on 17 Mar 1945 at the age of 66 in Harvard, McHenry, Illinois, United States. He was buried on 21 Mar 1945 at St. Joseph's Cemetery in Dunham, McHenry, Illinois, United States.

Charles Francis HAYES and Mary J. SHEAHAN were married on 14 Jun 1911 in McHenry County, Illinois, United States. **Mary J. SHEAHAN**, daughter of James SHEAHAN and Mary STEVENS, was born about 1883 in Harvard, McHenry, Illinois, United States.

15. **Martha Lucinda HAYDEN** was born in 1888. She died in 1978 at the age of 90. She FamilySearch ID LDVQ-G3J.

Martha Lucinda HAYDEN and Francis E. LEONARD were married on 2 Apr 1913 in Harvard, McHenry, Illinois, United States. **Francis E. LEONARD**, son of Timothy LEONARD and Jane BURKE, was born about 1883 in Hartland, McHenry, Illinois, United States.

John Laughlin

I have not included a pedigree for Michael's brother, John Laughlin, as I do not have information for him. From Sister Shaun's notes, we see that Catherine traveled with her siblings and widowed mother to be with her uncle John Laughlin in Harvard, McHenry, Illinois (as "he had a home there"). I estimate this time to be 1858-1860.

Patrick Laughlin

Patrick Laughlin came over from Ireland with his wife and children in 1863 aboard the clipper ship Belle Wood. They immediately settled in Steele County, Minnesota where they remained. They are often seen as neighbours with several other Laughlin families. The last residence given for the family in 1862 was Ballinasloe, Galway, Ireland. On Patrick's death certificate, his parents are named "Richard and Anne". I have not been able to confirm if Richard and Anne are also the parents of John, Michael, and Edward.

Figure 27: Black Star Line ship 'Belle Wood' passenger list arriving in New York, 10 Aug 1863 showing Patrick Laughlin, wife Bridget, and children: John, Richard, and Ann:

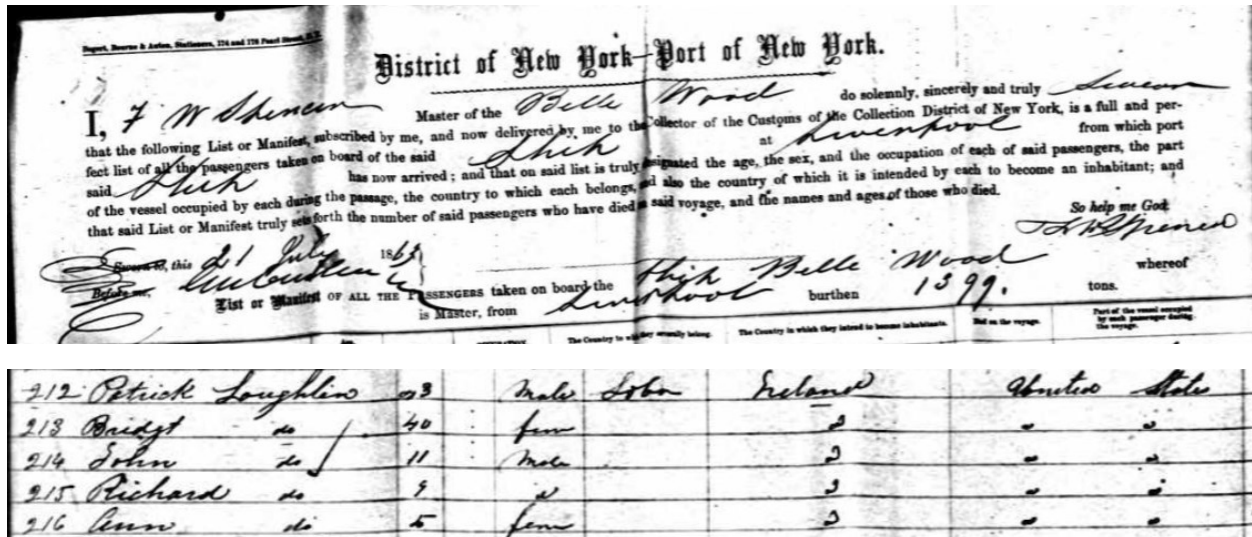
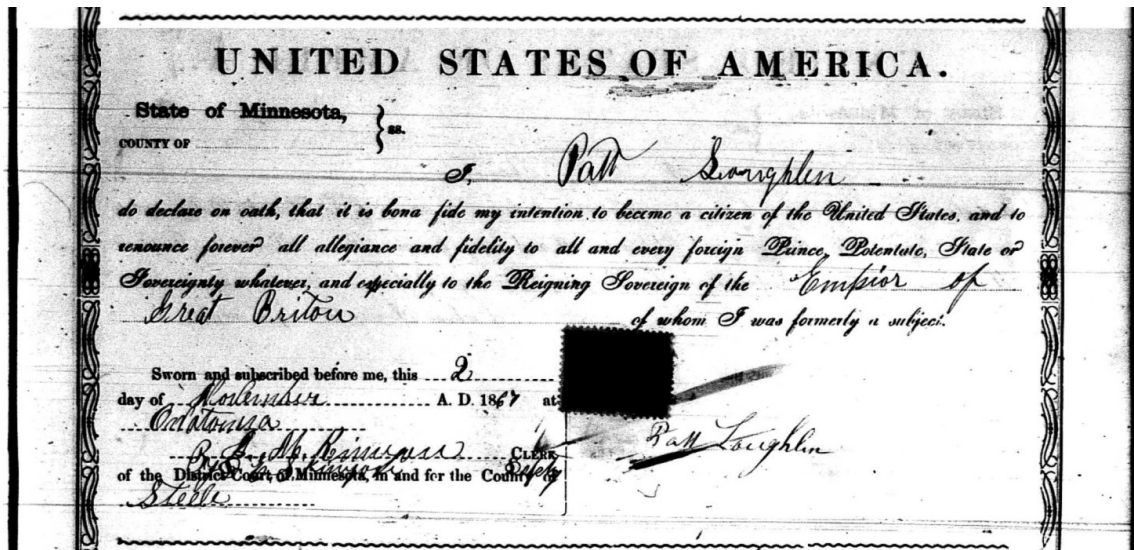


Figure 28: Patrick Laughlin declaration of intent, Owatonna, Steele, MN, 2 Nov 1867:



It is through his son's Declaration of Intention we see he was born in Ballinasloe, Ireland and lists his last place of foreign residence as the same. Considering the family all arrived together aboard the Black Star Line ship 'Belle Wood' (and son John Patrick Laughlin was only 11 at the time) we can conclude the family of the father, Patrick Laughlin, also resided at Ballinasloe, Galway, Ireland.

Figure 29: John Patrick Laughlin (son of Patrick)'s declaration of intention, filed 18 Jul 1907:

Form 2213

FACTS FOR DECLARATION OF INTENTION

Department of Commerce and Labor
NATURALIZATION SERVICE
Washington

NOTE.—A copy of this form should be furnished by the clerk of the court to each applicant for a declaration of intention, so that he can at his leisure fill in the answers to the questions. After being filled out the form is to be returned to the clerk, to be used by him in properly filling out the declaration.

Name: *John Patrick Laughlin* Age: *56* years.
(Do not abbreviate part of name or initials.)

Occupation: *Coach man*

Color: *light* Complexion: *Slight*

Height: *5ft 6* inches. Weight: *170* pounds.

Color of hair: *gray* Color of eyes: *blue*

Other visible distinctive marks: _____

Where born: *Ballinasloe, Ireland*
(City or town.) (Country.)

Date of birth: *October 1851*
(Month.) (Day.) (Year.)

Present residence: *2218 California Denver Colorado*
(Number and street.) (City or town.) (State, Territory, or District.)

Emigrated from: *Dublin, Ireland*
(Port of embarkation.) (Country.)

Name of vessel: *Belle Wood Black Star Line*
(If the applicant arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given.)

Last place of foreign residence: *Ballinasloe, Ireland*
(City or town.) (Country.)

I am now a subject of and intend to renounce allegiance to* *Edward VII King of Great Britain and Ireland*
(Name.) (Country.)

Date of arrival in United States: *August 10, 1863*
(Month.) (Day.) (Year.)

Port of arrival: *New York New York*
(City or town.) (State or Territory.)

* Note.—If applicant is a citizen of a foreign republic he should fill in the following line in lieu of the above, writing the name of the Republic only.

I am now a citizen of and intend to renounce allegiance to the Republic of _____

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PEDIGREE (3 GEN) – DESCENDANTS OF RICHARD LAUGHLIN AND ANNE (PARENTS OF PATRICK)

FIRST GENERATION

1. **Patrick LAUGHLIN** son of **Richard Laughlin and Anne _____** was born about 1814 in Ireland. He emigrated on 21 Jul 1863 from Liverpool to New York at aboard the SS Belle Wood (with family). He in 1867 at moved to Minnesota. Patrick was naturalized on 2 Nov 1867 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He

owned Section 33 in 1879 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He died also Mertin on 26 Oct 1884 at the age of 70 in Berlin, Steele, Minnesota, United States. Patrick was also known as Patt Laughlen. He parents are Richard and Anne. He was buried.

Patrick LAUGHLIN and Bridget were married before 1851 at *probable* Ballinasloe, Galway, Ireland in Ireland. They lived in Ballinasloe, Galway, Ireland in 1862. They appeared in the census in 1865 in Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States. Patrick and Bridget appeared in the census in 1870 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. They appeared in the census in 1875 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. They appeared in the census in 1880 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. **Bridget** was born about 1827 in Ireland. She emigrated on 21 Jul 1863 from Liverpool to New York at aboard the SS Belle Wood (with family). She appeared in the census in 1885 at as head (widowed) in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. Bridget appeared in the census in 1895 at widowed; with dau Anna in Berlin, Steele, Minnesota, United States. She died after 1896 at the age of 69 in Berlin, Steele, Minnesota, United States.

Patrick LAUGHLIN and Bridget had the following children:

- 2 i. **John Patrick LAUGHLIN of Ballinsaloe**, born Oct 1851, Ballinasloe, Galway, Ireland; married Mary M. NOLAN, 7 Oct 1872, Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States; died 4 Feb 1919, Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States.
- 3 ii. **Richard Francis LAUGHLIN**, born abt Sep 1854, County Galway, Ireland; married Susanna BOWEN, 1890; died 3 Jan 1906, Omaha, Douglas, Nebraska, United States.
- 4 iii. **Anna LAUGHLIN**, born 25 Sep 1858, County Galway, Ireland; married Patrick SHEA, 9 Jan 1877, Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States; died 16 Feb 1937, Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States.

SECOND GENERATION

2. **John Patrick LAUGHLIN of Ballinasloe** was born in Oct 1851 in Ballinasloe, Galway, Ireland. He lived in Ballinasloe, Galway, Ireland in 1862. He emigrated on 21 Jul 1863 from Liverpool to New York at aboard the SS Belle Wood (with family). John aboard Belle Wood on 10 Aug 1863 at arrival in New York. He appeared in the census in 1865 in Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States. He appeared in the census in 1870 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. John was naturalized in Jul 1907 in Denver, Denver, Colorado, United States. He died on 4 Feb 1919 at the age of 67 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States. He was a Laborer at Odd Jobs. John was buried at Calvary Cemetery in Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States. He was a Lunchman. He was a Flagman.

John Patrick LAUGHLIN of Ballinasloe and Mary M. NOLAN were married on 7 Oct 1872 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. They appeared in the census in 1875 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. They appeared in the census in 1880 in Summit, Steele, Minnesota, United States. John and Mary appeared in the census in 1885 in Summit, Steele, Minnesota, United States. They appeared in the census in 1895 in Douglas, Webster, Iowa, United States. They appeared in the census in 1900 in Hastings, Adams, Nebraska, United States. John and Mary appeared in the census in 1910 at 808 2nd st East in McCook, Red Willow, Nebraska, United States. They lived at 1405 Pleasant in Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States in 1914. They lived at 1664 Bush st in San Francisco, San Francisco, California, United States in 1919. **Mary M. NOLAN**, daughter of P. NOWLIN and Ms. , was born in May 1852 in Illinois. She appeared in the census in 1860. She appeared in the census in 1870. Mary appeared in the census in 1920 at widowed; with sons in Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States. She moved to Oregon about 1926. She died on 16 Feb 1928 at the age of 75 in Newberg, Yamhill, Oregon, United States. Mary was also known as Mary M. Nowlin. She was buried at St. Paul in Newberg, Yamhill, Oregon, United States.

John Patrick LAUGHLIN and Mary M. NOLAN had the following children:

- 5 i. **John Francis "Frank" LAUGHLIN**, born 12 Jul 1873, Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States; married Alice Maud JOHNSON, 10 Jul 1912, Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States; married Bessie HATFIELD, 1 Aug 1904, Denver, Colorado, United States; died 29 Apr 1937, Kern County, California, United States.
- 6 ii. **James Joseph LAUGHLIN**, born 21 Apr 1878, Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States; married Nellie LANGAN, 21 Feb 1906, Lincoln, Nebraska, United States.
- iii. **William Patrick LAUGHLIN** was born on 5 May 1886 in Summit, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1895 as Willie in Douglas, Webster, Iowa, United States. He appeared in the census in 1900 in Hastings, Adams, Nebraska, United States. William injured in mines? on 3 Oct 1906. He appeared in the census in 1910 at with parents in McCook, Red Willow, Nebraska, United States. He served in the military WWI Draft in 1917–1918 in San Francisco, San Francisco, California, United States. William lived at 1664 Bush st in San Francisco, San Francisco, California, United States in 1917. He appeared in the census in 1920 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States. He appeared in the census in 1930 at with brother in Bakersfield, Kern, California, United States. William died on 1 Feb 1934 at the age of 47 in Bakersfield, Kern, California, United States. He was also known as William T. Laughlin. He was a Conductor at Steel Railway.
- iv. ***Margaret "Maggie" LAUGHLIN** was born about 1883 in Minnesota, United States. She appeared in the census in 1895 in Douglas, Webster, Iowa, United States. She not on census with family in 1900.

3. **Richard Francis LAUGHLIN** was born about Sep 1854 at (1851-1861) in County Galway, Ireland. He emigrated on 21 Jul 1863 from Liverpool to New York at aboard the SS Belle Wood (with family). He appeared in the census in 1865 in Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States. Richard appeared in the census in 1870 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1875 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1880 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. Richard appeared in the census in 1885 at with mother in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He died on 3 Jan 1906 at the age of 51 in Omaha, Douglas, Nebraska, United States. He was buried at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery in Omaha, Douglas, Nebraska, United States. Richard FamilySearch ID LKBX-X8N.

Richard Francis LAUGHLIN and Susanna "Susie" BOWEN were married in 1890. They appeared in the census in 1900 in Hastings, Adams, Nebraska, United States. **Susanna "Susie" BOWEN**, daughter of William BOWEN and Mary E. LUSCOMB, was born on 15 Jul 1869 in Pontypridd, Glamorgan, Wales, United Kingdom. She appeared in the census in 1870 in Oskaloosa, Mahaska, Iowa, United States. She appeared in the census in 1880 in Beacon, Mahaska, Iowa, United States. Susie appeared in the census in 1925 at widowed in Beacon, Mahaska, Iowa, United States. She died on 23 May 1942 at the age of 72 in Marshalltown, Marshall, Iowa, United States.

Richard Francis LAUGHLIN and Susanna BOWEN had the following children:

- 7 i. **William Irving LAUGHLIN**, born 10 Sep 1890, Albee, Grant, South Dakota, United States; married Amanda DAHLQUIST / JOHNSON, 10 Dec 1960, San Francisco, San Francisco, California, United States; died 30 Apr 1962, San Francisco, San Francisco, California, United States.
- 8 ii. **John Francis LAUGHLIN**, born 21 May 1892, Albee, Grant, South Dakota, United States; married Dorothy TOWN, 17 Jun 1933, Chautauqua, New York, United States; died 6 Jan 1977, Pinellas, Florida, United States.
- 9 iii. **Eva May LAUGHLIN**, born 11 Dec 1894, Neche, Pembina, North Dakota, United States; married KARRER; died 1982.
- 10 iv. **Clarence Vincent LAUGHLIN**, born 13 Jul 1898, Berlin, Steele, Minnesota, United States; married Martha Corthea MITZNER, 15 Sep 1928, Colesburg, Delaware, Iowa, United States; died 6 Mar 1982, Marshalltown, Marshall, Iowa, United States.
- 11 v. **Fred Richard LAUGHLIN**, born 24 Jan 1901, Omaha, Douglas, Nebraska, United States;

married Pearl Frances BORTELSEN, bef 1924; died 26 Jan 1972, Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States.

4. **Anna LAUGHLIN** was born on 25 Sep 1858 at SEE NOTES in County Galway, Ireland. She emigrated on 21 Jul 1863 from Liverpool to New York at aboard the SS Belle Wood (with family). She appeared in the census in 1865 in Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States. Anna appeared in the census in 1870 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. She appeared in the census in 1875 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. She appeared in the census in 1895 at widowed; with mother and family in Berlin, Steele, Minnesota, United States. Anna appeared in the census in 1900 at widowed in Aurora, Steele, Minnesota, United States. She appeared in the census in 1905 at widowed in Berlin, Steele, Minnesota, United States. She appeared in the census in 1910 at widowed in Berlin, Steele, Minnesota, United States. Anna appeared in the census in 1920 at widowed in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. She appeared in the census in 1930 at widowed in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. She died on 16 Feb 1937 at the age of 78 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. Anna was buried at Alden Cemetery in Alden, Freeborn, Minnesota, United States. She was a Manager at Farm. She FamilySearch ID LKB7-HR7.

Anna LAUGHLIN and Patrick SHEA were married on 9 Jan 1877 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. They appeared in the census in 1880 in Berlin, Steele, Minnesota, United States. They appeared in the census in 1885 in Berlin, Steele, Minnesota, United States. **Patrick SHEA** was born in 1844 in Hartland, McHenry, Illinois, United States. He died on 4 Feb 1893 at the age of 49 in Steele County, Minnesota, United States. He was buried at Alden Cemetery in Alden, Freeborn, Minnesota, United States.

Patrick SHEA and Anna LAUGHLIN had the following children:

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 - i. **Catherine Agnes "Katie" SHEA**, born 12 Jan 1878, Berlin, Steele, Minnesota, United States; married SHEEHAN; died 3 Feb 1912, Montevideo, Chippewa, Minnesota, United States.
 - ii. **Mary L. SHEA** was born about 1879 in Minnesota, United States. She appeared in the census in 1880 in Berlin, Steele, Minnesota, United States. She appeared in the census in 1895 in Berlin, Steele, Minnesota, United States.
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 - iii. **Margaret B. SHEA**, born 7 Mar 1881, Minnesota, United States; married O'CONNOR; died 13 May 1969, Olmsted County, Minnesota, United States.
 - iv. **William Patrick SHEA** was born on 28 Oct 1882 in Berlin, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1895 in Berlin, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He died on 7 Oct 1950 at the age of 67. William was buried in Alden, Freeborn, Minnesota, United States.
 - v. **John Richard SHEA** was born on 28 Feb 1885 in Steele County, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1895 in Berlin, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He died on 10 Mar 1949 at the age of 64. John was buried in Alden, Freeborn, Minnesota, United States.
 - vi. **Anna Elizabeth SHEA** was born on 5 Jan 1889 in Berlin, Steele, Minnesota, United States. She appeared in the census in 1895 in Berlin, Steele, Minnesota, United States. She died on 18 Sep 1969 at the age of 80. Anna was buried at Sacred Heart Cemetery in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States.
 - vii. **Susan SHEA** was born in Dec 1892 in Minnesota, United States. She appeared in the census in 1895 in Berlin, Steele, Minnesota, United States. She died on 28 Nov 1953 at the age of 60 in Rochester, Olmsted, Minnesota, United States. Susan was buried in Rochester, Olmsted, Minnesota, United States.

THIRD GENERATION

5. **John Francis "Frank" LAUGHLIN** was born on 12 Jul 1873 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1880 in Summit, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1885 in

Summit, Steele, Minnesota, United States. Frank appeared in the census in 1895 in Douglas, Webster, Iowa, United States. He appeared in the census in 1900 at with parents in Hastings, Adams, Nebraska, United States. He Brakeman - Railway application on 24 Mar 1905 in Tacoma, Washington, United States. Frank Brakeman - Railway application on 27 Sep 1906 at Northern Pacific Railway Company. He Letter describing brother injury on 3 Oct 1906 in Butte, Montana, United States. He Brakeman - Railway application on 4 Oct 1906 in Livingston, Montana, United States. Frank appeared in the census in 1910 in ?. He Brakeman on 31 Jul 1916 at Coast Division in California. He served in the military WWI Draft in 1917–1918 in Kern County, California, United States. Frank died on 29 Apr 1937 at the age of 63 in Kern County, California, United States. He was buried at Greenlawn Cemetery in Bakersfield, Kern, California, United States. He was a Dealer at Live Stock. Frank was a Manager at Restaurant. He was a Brakeman at Southern Pacific Railroad Company. He was a Hospital.

John Francis "Frank" LAUGHLIN and Alice Maud JOHNSON were married on 10 Jul 1912 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States. They lived at 1116 Beale ave in Bakersfield, Kern, California, United States in 1917. They appeared in the census in 1920 at 702 Baker street in Bakersfield, Kern, California, United States. Frank and Alice appeared in the census in 1930 in Bakersfield, Kern, California, United States. They lived at 2309 18th in Bakersfield, Kern, California, United States in 1934. **Alice Maud JOHNSON** was born in 1878 in Canada. She emigrated in 1902. She died in 1946 at the age of 68. Alice was also known as Maude E. Laughlin. She was buried at Greenlawn Cemetery in Bakersfield, Kern, California, United States.

John Francis LAUGHLIN and Alice Maud JOHNSON had the following children:

- i. **Patricia Mary LAUGHLIN** was born on 28 Nov 1915 in California. She appeared in the census in 1920 in Bakersfield, Kern, California, United States. She appeared in the census in 1930 in Bakersfield, Kern, California, United States. Patricia died on 30 Nov 2009 at the age of 94. She was buried at Greenlawn Cemetery in Bakersfield, Kern, California, United States.
- ii. **John F (Francis?) LAUGHLIN (Jr.)?** was born about 1920 in California. He appeared in the census in 1920 in Bakersfield, Kern, California, United States. He appeared in the census in 1930 in Bakersfield, Kern, California, United States.

John Francis "Frank" LAUGHLIN and Bessie HATFIELD were married on 1 Aug 1904 in Denver, Colorado, United States. They lived in Hastings, Adams, Nebraska, United States on 24 Mar 1905. They were divorced on 7 Dec 1905 in Denver, Colorado, United States. Frank and Bessie lived at 611 (4, 6, or 7) Street in Hastings, Adams, Nebraska, United States on 27 Sep 1906. They lived at 1945 Lincoln ave in Denver, Colorado, United States on 4 Oct 1906. **Bessie HATFIELD** was born (date unknown).

6. **James Joseph LAUGHLIN** was born on 21 Apr 1878 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1880 in Summit, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1885 in Summit, Steele, Minnesota, United States. James appeared in the census in 1895 in Douglas, Webster, Iowa, United States. He appeared in the census in 1900 in Hastings, Adams, Nebraska, United States. He injured in mines? on 3 Oct 1906.

James Joseph LAUGHLIN and Nellie "Ellen" LANGAN were married on 21 Feb 1906 in Lincoln, Nebraska, United States. They appeared in the census in 1920 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States. **Nellie "Ellen" LANGAN**, daughter of Thomas LANGAN, was born about 1882.

James Joseph LAUGHLIN and Nellie LANGAN had the following child:

- i. **Virginia M. LAUGHLIN** was born about 1917 in Nebraska. She appeared in the census in 1920 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States.

7. **William Irving LAUGHLIN** was born on 10 Sep 1890 in Albee, Grant, South Dakota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1900 in Hastings, Adams, Nebraska, United States. He appeared in the census in 1910 in Omaha, Douglas, Nebraska, United States. William served in the military on 23 Sep 1919 in St. Louis, Missouri, United States. He served in the military WWII Draft in 1942 in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States. He died on 30 Apr 1962 at the age of 71 in San Francisco, San Francisco, California, United States. William FamilySearch ID LKBX-VCK. He was buried at Golden Gate National Cemetery in San Bruno, San Mateo, California, United States.

William Irving LAUGHLIN and Amanda DAHLQUIST / JOHNSON were married on 10 Dec 1960 in San Francisco, San Francisco, California, United States. **Amanda DAHLQUIST / JOHNSON** was born about 1898. She died on 23 May 1968 at the age of 70 in San Francisco, San Francisco, California, United States.

8. **John Francis LAUGHLIN** was born on 21 May 1892 in Albee, Grant, South Dakota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1900 in Hastings, Adams, Nebraska, United States. He appeared in the census in 1910 in Omaha, Douglas, Nebraska, United States. John served in the military WWI Draft in 1917–1918 in Omaha, Douglas, Nebraska, United States. He lived at 518 N 23rd in Omaha, Douglas, Nebraska, United States in 1917. He served in the military WWII Draft in 1942 in Cleveland, Cuyahoga, Ohio, United States. John died on 6 Jan 1977 at the age of 84 in Pinellas, Florida, United States. He was also known as Frank Laughlin. He was a Printer at World Herald.

John Francis LAUGHLIN and Dorothy TOWN were married on 17 Jun 1933 in Chautauqua, New York, United States. They appeared in the census in 1940 in Cleveland, Cuyahoga, Ohio, United States. **Dorothy TOWN**, daughter of Howard L. TOWN and Anna BROBST, was born about 1905 in Ohio.

John Francis LAUGHLIN and Dorothy TOWN had the following child:

- 14 i. **Monabelle LAUGHLIN**, married BAILEY.

9. **Eva May LAUGHLIN** was born on 11 Dec 1894 in Neche, Pembina, North Dakota, United States. She appeared in the census in 1900 in Hastings, Adams, Nebraska, United States. She appeared in the census in 1910 in Omaha, Douglas, Nebraska, United States. Eva died in 1982 at the age of 88. She FamilySearch ID LKBX-VRV.

Eva May LAUGHLIN and KARRER were married. **KARRER** was born (date unknown).

10. **Clarence Vincent LAUGHLIN** was born on 13 Jul 1898 in Berlin, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He appeared in the census in 1900 in Hastings, Adams, Nebraska, United States. He appeared in the census in 1910 in Omaha, Douglas, Nebraska, United States. Clarence served in the military on 30 Jun 1919 in St. Louis, Missouri, United States. He died on 6 Mar 1982 at the age of 83 in Marshalltown, Marshall, Iowa, United States. He FamilySearch ID KK7S-HFP.

Clarence Vincent LAUGHLIN and Martha Corthea MITZNER were married on 15 Sep 1928 in Colesburg, Delaware, Iowa, United States. They appeared in the census in 1935 in Marshalltown, Marshall, Iowa, United States. They appeared in the census in 1940 in Marshalltown, Marshall, Iowa, United States. **Martha Corthea MITZNER**,

daughter of Ferdinand MITZNER and Sophia SCHULDT, was born about 1900 in Colesburg, Delaware, Iowa, United States.

Clarence Vincent LAUGHLIN and Martha Corthea MITZNER had the following child:

- i. **Ann Marie (adopted) LAUGHLIN** was born about 1938 in Iowa. She appeared in the census in 1940 at with adoptive parents in Marshalltown, Marshall, Iowa, United States.

11. **Fred Richard LAUGHLIN** was born on 24 Jan 1901 in Omaha, Douglas, Nebraska, United States. He appeared in the census in 1910 in Omaha, Douglas, Nebraska, United States. He served in the military on 15 Feb 1942 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States. Fred died on 26 Jan 1972 at the age of 71 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States. He was a Police Dept..

Fred Richard LAUGHLIN and Pearl Frances BORTELSEN were married before 1924. They appeared in the census in 1930 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States. They appeared in the census in 1940 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States. **Pearl Frances BORTELSEN** was born about 1899 in Wisconsin. She was also known as Pearl F. Barteken.

Fred Richard LAUGHLIN and Pearl Frances BORTELSEN had the following children:

- i. **Richard Henry LAUGHLIN** was born on 4 Nov 1924 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States. He appeared in the census in 1930 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States. He appeared in the census in 1940 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States.
- ii. **Dorothy Anne LAUGHLIN** was born on 25 Sep 1926 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States. She appeared in the census in 1930 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States. She appeared in the census in 1940 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, United States.

12. **Catherine Agnes "Katie" SHEA** was born on 12 Jan 1878 in Berlin, Steele, Minnesota, United States. She appeared in the census in 1880 in Berlin, Steele, Minnesota, United States. She appeared in the census in 1895 in Berlin, Steele, Minnesota, United States. Katie died on 3 Feb 1912 at the age of 34 in Montevideo, Chippewa, Minnesota, United States. She was buried in Bath, Freeborn, Minnesota, United States.

Catherine Agnes "Katie" SHEA and SHEEHAN were married. **SHEEHAN** was born (date unknown).

13. **Margaret B. SHEA** was born on 7 Mar 1881 in Minnesota, United States. She appeared in the census in 1895 in Berlin, Steele, Minnesota, United States. She appeared in the census in 1930 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. Margaret died on 13 May 1969 at the age of 88 in Olmsted County, Minnesota, United States. She was buried in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States.

Margaret B. SHEA and O'CONNOR were married. **O'CONNOR** was born (date unknown).

James Madden

Patrick is a son of James Madden and they are buried in the same cemetery. There is a strong likelihood that Patrick's siblings are Catherine and Michael: Catherine marrying into the Laughlin family; Michael appearing on the 1880 census in Alden, McHenry, Illinois neighbouring with Edward Laughlin and Patrick Madden.

PEDIGREE (2 GEN) – DESCENDANTS OF JAMES MADDEN

FIRST GENERATION

1. **James MADDEN** was born in 1775 in County Galway, Ireland. He died on 15 Jun 1859 at the age of 84 in Hartland, McHenry, Illinois, United States. He was buried at Saint Patrick's Cemetery in Hartland, McHenry, Illinois, United States.

James MADDEN had the following children:

- 2 i. **Patrick MADDEN**, born 1804, County Galway, Ireland; married Jane , bef 1826, County Galway, Ireland; died 11 Feb 1874, Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States.
- 3 ii. **Catherine MADDEN**, born 28 Jun 1809, Ireland; married Edward LAUGHLIN, abt 1832; died 10 Jul 1889, McHenry County, Illinois, United States.
- 4 iii. **Michael MADDEN**, born abt 1812, Ireland; married Bridget .

SECOND GENERATION

2. **Patrick MADDEN** was born in 1804 at 1795-1804 in County Galway, Ireland. He emigrated about 1838 at from Ireland to United States. He appeared in the census in 1870 at above Patrick Laughlin and John W. Laughlin in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. Patrick appeared in the census on 29 Jun 1870 at Agricultural census in Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States. He had his estate probated on 6 Oct 1873 in Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States. He died on 11 Feb 1874 at the age of 70 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. Patrick was buried at Saint Patrick's Cemetery in Hartland, McHenry, Illinois, United States.

Patrick MADDEN and Jane were married before 1826 in County Galway, Ireland. They lived a mining town in Pottsville, Schuylkill, Pennsylvania, United States after 1838. They lived in Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States about 1843. Patrick and Jane appeared in the census in 1850 in Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States. They appeared in the census on 3 Jul 1855 in Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States. They appeared in the census in 1860 in Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States. Patrick and Jane appeared in the census in 1865 in Steele County, Minnesota, United States. **Jane** was born before 1800 in Ireland. She emigrated about 1833 at from Ireland to United States. She died in 1865–1870 at the age of 65 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States. Jane was buried.

Patrick MADDEN and Jane had the following children:

- 5 i. **Thomas MADDEN**, born abt 1823, County Galway, Ireland; married Mary Ann FARNHAM, 26 Oct 1851, McHenry County, Illinois, United States; died 1886–1901.
- 6 ii. **Patrick J. MADDEN Jr.**, born Mar 1827, County Galway, Ireland; married Sarah Jane FARNAM, 1852; died 22 Apr 1901, Harvard, McHenry, Illinois, United States.
- 7 iii. **Catharina MADDEN**, born 17 Mar 1829, County Galway, Ireland; married John TULLEY Sr., bef 1850, Illinois; died 31 Aug 1900, Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States.
- 8 iv. **James MADDEN**, born 16 Feb 1826, County Galway, Ireland; married Jane BROOKS, 1858, McHenry County, Illinois, United States; married Adela RILEY, 16 Aug 1869; died 19 Feb 1892, Harvard, McHenry, Illinois, United States.
- 9 v. **Mary MADDEN**, born abt 1841, Pottsville, Schuylkill, Pennsylvania, United States; married John W. LAUGHLIN, 4 Aug 1859, McHenry County, Illinois, United States; died 14 Jun 1873, Merton, Steele, Minnesota, United States.

3. **Catherine MADDEN** was born on 28 Jun 1809 in Ireland. She appeared in the census in 1865 in Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States. She died on 10 Jul 1889 at the age of 80 in McHenry County, Illinois, United States. Catherine FamilySearch ID 9JHY-SLX. She was buried at St. Joseph's Cemetery in Harvard, McHenry, Illinois, United States.

Catherine MADDEN and Edward LAUGHLIN were married about 1832. They appeared in the census in 1840 in Wilkins, Allegheny, Pennsylvania, United States. They appeared in the census in 1850 in Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States. Catherine and Edward appeared in the census in 1860 in Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States. They appeared in the census in 1865 in Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States. They appeared in the census in 1870 at ? in McHenry County, Illinois, United States. Catherine and Edward appeared in the census in 1880 in Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States. **Edward LAUGHLIN**, son of LAUGHLIN, was born on 16 Apr 1804 at or 16 Apr 1812 in Ireland. He owned on 1 Jun 1848 in McHenry County, Illinois, United States. He owned in 1872 in Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States. Edward died on 28 Oct 1893 at the age of 89 at Harvard Alden in Harvard, McHenry, Illinois, United States. He was also known as Edward Laflin. He was also known as Edward Lafflin. Edward FamilySearch ID LDVQ-KWH. He was buried in Harvard, McHenry, Illinois, United States. He was a Farmer.

Edward LAUGHLIN and Catherine MADDEN had the following children:

- 10 i. **John Henry LAUGHLIN**, born 17 Dec 1843, Pennsylvania; married Katherine CONWAY, 27 Jun 1867, Steele County, Minnesota, United States; married Margaret Anne GLADBACK, 4 Feb 1890, Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States; died 30 May 1923, Owatonna, Steele, Minnesota, United States.
- 11 ii. **Margaret Jane LAUGHLIN**, born 12 Apr 1846, Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States; married Edward Henry HAYES, 4 Oct 1866, Harvard, McHenry, Illinois, United States; died 30 Aug 1925, Harvard, McHenry, Illinois, United States.
- 12 iii. **Anne LAUGHLIN**, born 17 Feb 1849, Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States; married Michael HAYDEN, 19 Nov 1869, McHenry County, Illinois, United States; died 19 Mar 1934, Harvard, McHenry, Illinois, United States.
- iv. **Patrick LAUGHLIN** was born on 17 May 1851 in Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States. He died in infancy in Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States.

4. **Michael MADDEN** was born about 1812 in Ireland.

Michael MADDEN and Bridget appeared in the census in 1880 in Alden, McHenry, Illinois, United States. They were married. **Bridget** was born about 1835 in Ireland.

Census comparisons

I've included the surnames of LAUGHLIN (LAFFLIN), LYNCH, MADDEN, HAYDEN, AND TULLEY found in McHenry County, Illinois in the towns of Alden and in Steele County, Minnesota in the towns of Merton and Havana (Owatonna) for the years from 1850-1885. The Laughlin family owned the same land until around 1959 in Merton, Steele, Minnesota. The proximity and shared households between several of the Laughlin brothers (with the Madden family) confirm my hypothesis about their relationship as Laughlin brothers. Families often migrated together. It appears that when emigrating to McHenry County, Illinois: Edward went first (before 1850), then John (before 1857), then Michael (d. 1858), then Patrick joined in 1863. Edward was likely the oldest, being born in 1812. He first landed and lived in Pennsylvania in the early 1840s. Then then moves to Alden by 1846. He owns property in McHenry County in 1848. Edward lived in McHenry County the remainder of his life.

MCHENRY COUNTY, ILLINOIS

1850

The Madden families were settling in McHenry County, Illinois. There is also the Edward Laughlin family (and wife Catharine Madden), who I believe is a brother to Michael, John, and Patrick Laughlin. Patrick Laughlin and wife Bridget were just getting married in Ireland and children aren't born yet. Michael Laughlin and wife Mary (Lang) Laughlin have not yet come to the US.

On the 1850 census in Alden, McHenry, IL:

Dwelling 61:

Patrick Madden, age 46, b. 1804 IRE (Patrick Madden, b. 1804 IRE)

Jane Madden, age 45, b. 1805 IRE (wife Jane, b. 1800 IRE)

James Madden, age 17, b. 1833 IRE (son James b. 1826 IRE)

Figure 30: Image of 1850 census Alden:

61	42	Patrick Madden	46	"	"	802	Ireland
		Jane	45	"	"		"
		James	17	"	"		"

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Dwelling 68:

John Tulley, age 27 (John Tully Sr. b. 1821 IRE)

Catharine, age 22 (wife Catharina Madden b. 1820 IRE, *dan of Patrick Madden and Jane, above*)

Dwelling 69:

Edwd Lafflin, age 36 (Edward Laughlin, b. 1812 IRE) **probable* brother to Michael Laughlin*

Catharine Lafflin, age 37 (wife Catherine Madden b. 1809 IRE)

John Lafflin, age 6 (son John Henry Laughlin b. 1843 PN)
 Margaret Lafflin, age 4 (dau Margaret Jane Laughlin b. 1846 IL)
 Ann Lafflin, age 2 (dau Anne Laughlin b. 1849 IL)

Figure 31: Image of 1850 census Alden:

21	68	69	John Lafflin	27		352	Ireland
22			Catharine "	22	F		"
23	69	70	Edw. Lafflin	26	M	800	"
24			Catharine "	37	F		"
25			John "	6	M		Penn ^a
26			Margaret "	4	F		Ill
27			Ann "	2			"

1860

Mary (Lang) Laughlin is widowed and living in Alden, with her children, and granddaughter Jane. It is uncertain where her son, Thomas Laughlin, is in 1860. Also where is daughter, Maria/Mary living? She is living neighbouring with the Patrick Madden households. There are also several Madden households further in on the census. I do not have these Maddens in my tree but they are likely linked to the aforementioned Patrick Madden and family.

On the 1860 census in Alden, McHenry, IL:

Dwelling 1942:

Patk Madan, age 56, b. 1804 IRE (Patrick Madden... **which one is this??????????**)

Mary Madan, age 50, b. 1810 IRE

Mary Madan, age 10, b. 1850 PN

John Madan, age 9, b. 1851 PN

Bridget Madan, age 7, b. 1853 PN

Catherine Madan, age 5, b. 1855 PN

Annie Madan, age 5, 1856 PN

Edward Madan, age 2, 1858 PN

Figure 32: Image of 1860 census Alden:

21	56	58	Patk Madan	56	M		Ireland
22			Mary "	50	F		"
23			Mary "	10	F		PA
24			John "	9	M		"
25			Bridget "	7	F		"
26			Catherine "	5	F		"
27			Annie "	5	F		"
28			Edward "	2	M		"

Dwelling 1945 shows:

Patk Maden, age 65, b. 1795 (Patrick Madden b. 1795-1804 IRE)
Jane Maden, age 40, b. 1820 (wife Jane ____ b. 1820 IRE)

Dwelling 1946 shows:

Patk J. Maden, age 40 (Patrick Madden Jr. b. 1820 IRE – *son of above Patrick Madden Sr. and Jane ____*)
Sarah Maden, age 35 (Sarah Jane Farnham b. 1825)
Thomas Maden, age 12 (son Thomas Madden b. 1848)
Jane Maden, age 9 (dau Jane Madden b. 1851)
Infant Maden, age 2 (son ____ Madden b. 1858 – *male*)

Dwelling 1947 shows:

Mary Laflin, age 40 (Mary Lang b. 1817 IRE – *widow of Michael Laughlin d. 1858*)
John Laflin, age 21 (son John W. Laughlin b. 1838 IRE)
Catherine Laflin, age 10 (dau Catherine Laughlin b. 1852 IRE))
Sarah Laflin, age 8 (dau Sarah Laughlin (b. 1853 IRE)
Jane Laflin, age 1 (John W.'s dau Sarah Jane Laughlin b. 1859 IL) * *to note on the 1865 census, Jane is listed under her grandparents names Patrick Madden and above John Tully, in dwelling 28, Dover, Steele, MN.*

Figure 33: Image of 1860 census Alden:

2	1500 1823	Patk Maden	65 M	Farmer	400	200	Inland	✓
3		Jane	40 F				"	✓
4	1500 1823	Patk J.	40 M	Farmer	100	200	"	✓
5		Sarah	35 F				"	✓
6		Thomas	12 M				"	✓
7		Jane	9 F				See	
8		Infant	2 M				"	
9	1500 1823	Mary Laflin	40 F				Inland	✓
10		John	21 M	Day Lab			"	✓
11		Catherine	10 F				See	
12		Sarah	8 F				"	
13		Jane	1 F				"	

Dwelling 1984:

Michael Madden, 56, b. 1804 IRE
Catherine Madden, 16, b. 1844 IRE
James Madden, 12, b. 1848 IRE

Dwelling 1985:

Ann Madden, 35, b. 1825 IRE
Mary Madden, 16, b. 1844 IRE
Catherine Madden, 14, b. 1846 IRE
Ann Madden, 12, b. 1848 IRE
Elizabeth Madden, 9, b. 1851 IL
Michael Madden, 7, b. 1853 IL

Dwelling 1986:

Edward Laflin, 35 (Edward Laughlin, b. 1812 IRE – **poss* brother to Michael Laughlin*)

Catherine Laflin, 33 (Catherine Madden, b. 1809 IRE - **poss* sister to Patrick and Michael Madden*)

John Laflin, 14 (son John Henry Laughlin, b. 1843 PN)

Margaret Laflin, 12 (dau Margaret Jane Laughlin, b. 1846 IL)

Ann Laflin, 8 (dau Anne Laughlin, b. 1849 IL)

Figure 34: Image of 1860 census Alden:

4	1812	1842	Michael Madden	57	M	Farmer	500	200	Ireland	✓
5			Catherine "	16	F				"	✓
6			Jane "	12	M				"	✓
7	1805	1847	Ann	28	F		400	200	"	✓
8			Mary "	16	F				"	✓
9			Catherine "	10	F				"	✓
10			Ann "	12	F				"	✓
11			Elizabeth "	9	F				See	
12			Michael "	7	M				"	
13	1807	1844	Edward Laughlin	30	M	Farmer	2000	500	Ireland	✓
14			Catherine "	33	F				"	✓
15			John "	14	M				"	✓
16			Margaret "	12	F				"	✓
17			Ann "	8	F				See	

1865

These two Laughlin's side by side in McHenry – supports the likelihood they are brothers or cousins

On the 1865 census in Alden, McHenry, IL:

E Laughlin household: (Edward Laughlin)

male aged 10-20 (son John Henry Laughlin, b. 1843 PN)

female aged 10-20 (dau Margaret Jane Laughlin, b. 1846 IL)

female aged 10-20 (dau Anne Laughlin, b. 1849 IL)

male aged 60-80 (Edward Laughlin, b. 1804/1812 IRE - **poss* brother to Michael Laughlin, and to Patrick Laughlin below in next household*)

female aged 60-80 (wife Catherine Madden, b. 1809 IRE)

P Laughlin household: (Patrick Laughlin)

female under age 10 (Anna Laughlin, b. 1858 IRE)

male aged 10-20 (John Patrick Laughlin, b. 1851 IRE)

male aged 10-20 (Richard Francis Laughlin, b. 1854 IRE)

female aged 40-60 (Bridget ____, b. 1827 IRE)

male aged 60-80 (Patrick Laughlin, b. 1814 IRE – *son of Richard Laughlin and Anne ____*)

John W. Madden, 2
John A. Sweeney, 25

Dwelling 168:

Edward Hays, 30 (Edward Henry Hayes, b. 1842 IRE)
Margaret Hays, 24 (wife Margaret Jane Laughlin, b. 1846 IL— *dau of Edward Laughlin and Catherine Madden*)
Mary A Hays, 3 (dau Mary A. Hayes, b. 1866 IL)
Lewella E Hays, 2 (dau Lewella Hayes, b. abt 1868 IL)
Margaret Hays, 70 (his mother, Margaret, b. abt 1800 IRE)

Figure 36: Image of 1870 census Harvard:

9	168/179	Hays, Edward	30	M	w	Carpenter & Joiner	1000	300	Ireland
10		Margaret	24	F	w	Keeping House			See
11		Mary A	3	F	w				See
12		Lewella E	2	F	w				See
13		Margaret	70	F	w	At Home			Ireland

Dwelling 171:

Nathan Disbrow, 54, New York – Hotel Keeper
There is a Mary Madden, 18 (b. 1852 Penn) working as a hotel cook. I do not have her in my tree.

1880

On the 1880 census Alden, McHenry, IL:

Dwelling 148:

Edward Loughlin, 66, IRE (b. 1812 IRE – *brother to Michael Laughlin?*)
Catherine, 66, IRE (wife Catherine Madden, b. 1809 IRE) – a brother might be in next household:

Dwelling 149:

Michael Madden, 68, IRE (Michael Madden, b. 1807 IRE – a brother to Catherine?)
Bridget Madden, 45, IRE (wife Bridget ____)

Dwelling 150:

Patrick Madden, 52 IRE (Patrick J. Madden Jr., b. 1827 IRE – *son of Patrick Madden Sr. and Jane*)
Sarah Madden, 42, IRE (wife Sarah Jane Farnam, b. 1832? IRE)
Kate, 17, IL (dau Catherine Lucinda Madden, b. 1863 IL)
John, 16, IL (son John Madden, b. 1864 IL)
Patrick, 14, IL (son Patrick Madden, b. 1866 IL)
Mary, 11, IL (dau Mary J. Madden, b. 1868 IL)
Helena, 9, IL (dau Helena A. Madden, b. 1870 IL)
Emily, 7, IL (dau Emily Madden, b. 1873 IL)
Theresa, 5, IL (dau Teresa A. Madden, b. 1876 IL)
William, 2, IL (son William Coleman Madden, b. 1878 IL)

Dennis (son Dennis Tully, b. 1858 IL)
 Kate (dau Katie Tully, b. 1860 IL)
 Ellen (dau Ellen Tully, b. 1862 IL)
 William (son William Patrick Tully, b. 1863 IL)

Figure 38: Image of 1865 census Dover:

27	John Laughlin	/	/	/	/
	Mary	/	/	/	/
	Kate	/	/	/	/
28	Patrick Madden	/	/	/	/
	Jane	/	/	/	/
	Jane Laughlin	/	/	/	/
29	John Tully	/	/	/	/
	Kate	/	/	/	/
	Hannah	/	/	/	/
	John	/	/	/	/
	Jane	/	/	/	/
	Dennis	/	/	/	/
	Kate	/	/	/	/
	Ellen	/	/	/	/
	William	/	/	/	/

1870

Mary (Lang) Laughlin is living in Owatonna, Havana with son Thomas, who is listed as working as Farmer. It is noted on the census that neither one can write. Neighbouring them is John Tully and wife, Catherine (Madden) Tully. In Merton, we find a widowed Patrick Madden as wife Jane passed (d. 1865-1870). Neighbouring with Patrick Laughlin and wife Bridget. Then John W. Laughlin (Mary's son) and family. Neighbouring with additional Laughlin, Conlin, and Lynch families all in Merton.

On the 1870 census Havana (Owatonna), Steele, MN:

Dwelling 11:

Thomas Laughlin, 23, IRE (Thomas Laughlin, b. 1846 IRE – *son of Mary, below*)

Mary Laughlin, 55, IRE (Mary "Lang", b. 1817 IRE – *widow of Michael Laughlin d. 1858*)

Richard Laughlin, age 16 (son Richard Francis b. 1854 IRE)

Ann Laughlin, age 13 (dau Anna Laughlin b. 1858 IRE)

Dwelling 24:

John Laughlin, age 30 (John W. Laughlin b. 1838 IRE)

Mary Laughlin, age 29 (wife Mary Madden b. 1841 PN)

Sarah J. Laughlin, age 10 (dau Sarah Jane Laughlin b. 1859 IL)

Catharine Laughlin, age 8 (dau Catherine Laughlin b. 1862 IL)

John H. Laughlin, age 4 (son John Henry Laughlin b. 1865 MN)

Thomas F. Laughlin, age 2 (son Thomas F. Laughlin b. 1868 MN)

Figure 40: Image of 1870 census Merton:

23	23	Madden	Patrice	60	W	Farmer	650	50	Ireland	1	1							26
23	4	Laughlin	Patrice	35	W	Farmer		400	Ireland	1	1							27
			Bridget	40	F	Keeping House			Ireland	1								28
			John	18	W	at home			Ireland	1								29
			Richard	16	W	at home			Ireland	1								30
			Ann	13	F	at home			Ireland	1								31
24	25	Laughlin	John	30	W	Farmer	500	115	Ireland	1	1							32
			Mary	29	F	Keeping House			Pennsylvania	1	1							33
			Sarah J	10	F				Illinois	1			1	1				34
			Catharine	8	F				Illinois	1			1					35
			John H	4	W				Minnesota	1			1					36
			Thomas F	2	W				Minnesota	1								37
																		38

Dwelling 26:

John Henry Laughlin, age 26 (John Henry Laughlin b. 1843 PN – son of Edward Laughlin and Catherine Madden)

Catharine Laughlin, age 20 (wife Katherine Conway b. 1851 MN/MO)

Edward F. Laughlin, age 2 (son Edward F. Laughlin b 1868 MN)

Figure 41: Image of 1870 census Merton:

1	26	Laughlin	John H	26	W	Farmer	2000	650	Pennsylvania	1	1							
2			Catharine	20	F	Keeping House			Missouri	1	1							
3			Edward F	2	W				Minnesota									

Dwelling 51:

Anthony Lynch, age 30 (b. 1838 Galway, IRE) *he is brother to John William Lynch who married Sarah Laughlin, dau of Michael Laughlin and Mary Lang

Mary S. Lynch, age 26 (wife Mary Sarah McCartin b. 1843 IRE)

Anna M. Lynch, age 3 (dau Hannah M. b. 1867 MN)

Thomas Lynch, age 1 (son Thomas b. 1869 MN)

Figure 43: Image of 1875 census Havana (Owatonna):

6	73	Thomas Laughlin	28 M	"	Ireland	Ireland	Ireland
10		Mary	58 F	"	"	"	"
11	76	John Gully	53 M	"	"	"	"
12		Catharine	47 F	"	"	"	"
13		John	23 M	"	Ill	"	"
14		Mary Jane	18 F	"	"	"	"
15		Quinn	17 M	"	"	"	"
16		Catharine	15 F	"	"	"	"
17		Ellen	13 F	"	"	"	"
18		Wm	11 M	"	"	"	"
19		Thomas	10 F	"	Minn	"	"
20		Honorah	8	"	"	"	"
21		James	6 M	"	"	"	"
22		Sarah M	4 F	"	"	"	"

On the 1875 census Merton, Steele, MN:

Family 88:

Patrick Laughlin, 61, M, Ireland, Ireland, Ireland (Patrick Laughlin, b. 1814 IRE, *son of Richard Laughlin and Anne*) * his first son, John Patrick's family is at Dwelling 90 below:

Beridget Laughlin, 48, F, Ireland (wife Bridget b. 1827 IRE)

Richard, 21, M, Ireland (son Richard Francis Laughlin b. 1854 IRE)

Anne, 16, F, Ireland (dau Anna Laughlin b. 1858 IRE)

William Dunnwidder, 43, M, Can, Can, Can *unknown relationship

Family 89:

Pat Lynch, 40, M, Ireland, Ire, Ire (Patrick Lynch, b. 1835 IRE, *brother to Anthony Lynch and John William Lynch, who was spouse of Sarah Laughlin*)

Anna Lynch, 40, F, Ireland, Ire, Ire (wife Anna, b. 1835 IRE)

M. J., 13, F, NY (dau Mary Jane Lynch, b. 1863)

Thos, 9, M, NY (son Thomas A. Lynch, b. 1865 NJ)

Ellen, 6, F, NY (dau Ella H. Lynch, b. 1868 WIS)

Lizzie, 4, F, Wis (Lizzie J. Lynch, b. 1871 WIS)

John, 1, M, Minn (son John Lynch, b. 1874 MN)

Family 90:

John Laughlin, 24, M, Ireland, Ire, Ire (John Patrick Laughlin b. 1851 IRE, *son of Patrick Laughlin and Bridget*)

M. M. Laughlin, 23, F, Ireland (wife Mary M. Nolan, b. 1852 IL)

J. F., 1, M, Minn (son John Francis Laughlin b. 1873 MN)

Family 91:

J. H. Laughlin, 30, M, Penn, Ireland, Ireland (John Henry Laughlin b. 1843 PN, *son of Edward Laughlin and Catherine Madden*)

Kate Laughlin, 25, F, Missouri, Ireland, Ireland (wife Katherine Conway b. 1851 MN/MO)
 Eddie, 6, M, Minn (son Edward F. Laughlin b. 1868 MN)
 George, 3, M, Minn (son George P. Laughlin b. 1871 MN)
 James, 1, M, Minn (son James Richard Laughlin b. 1873 MN)
 Pat Kehoe, 22, M, Ireland, Ireland, Ireland * unknown relationship

Figure 44: Image of 1875 census Merton:

Family number.	Name of every person whose residence was in this family on the 1st of May, 1875.	Age.	Sex.	Color.	Nativity, State or Country.	PARENT NATIVITY.		CONI
						Father.	Mother.	
88	Patrick Laughlin	61	M	W	Ireland	Ireland	Ireland	
	Bridget	48	F		"	"	"	
	Richard	21	M	"	"	"	"	
	Anna	16	F	"	"	"	"	
	William Dunnwidia	43	M	"	loan	loan	loan	
89	Pat Lynch	40	M	"	Ireland	Ireland	Ireland	
	Anna	40	F	"	"	"	"	
	M. J.	13	F	"	Ut. T.	"	"	
	Thos	9	M	"	"	"	"	
	Ellen	6	F	"	"	"	"	
	Lizzie	4	F	"	Wis	"	"	
	John	1	M	"	Minn	"	"	
90	John Laughlin	24	M	"	Ireland	Ireland	Ireland	
	M. M.	23	F	"	"	"	"	
	J. F.	1	M	"	Minn	"	"	
91	J. H.	30	M	"	Penn	"	"	
	Kate	25	F	"	Mo.	"	"	
	Edelbert	6	M	"	Minn	Penn.	Wis.	
	George	3	M	"	"	"	"	
	James	1	M	"	"	"	"	
	Pat Kehoe	22	M	"	Ireland	Ireland	Ireland	

Family 93:

James McCartin, 39, IRE, Ire, Ire (brother of Mary Sarah McCartin *next household*) ... and his family

Family 94:

Anthony Lynch, 35, M, Ireland, Ire, Ire (b. 1838 Galway, IRE) **he is brother to John William Lynch who married Sarah Laughlin*

M.S Lynch, 33, F, Ireland, Ire, Ire (wife Mary Sarah McCartin b. 1843 IRE)

H. M., 9, F, Ireland (dau Hannah M. Lynch, b. 1867 MN)

Thos, 6, M, Ireland (son Thomas Lynch, b. 1869 MN)

Rosana, 4, F, Ireland (dau Rosannah Lynch, b 1871 MN)

J. H., 2, M, Ireland (son John H. Lynch, b. 1873 MN)

P. E., 0, M, Ireland (son Peter Edward Lynch, b. 1874 MN)

Family 114:

Jhn Laughlin, 36, IRE, Ire, Ire (John W. Laughlin, b. 1838 IRE, *son of Michael Laughlin and Mary "Lang"; John W. Laughlin is widowed – his wife Mary Madden has died 1873*)

S. J. Laughlin, 14, IL (dau Sarah Jane Laughlin, b. 1859 IL)

Katie Laughlin, 13, MN (dau Catherine Laughlin, b. 1862 IL)

Thos J., 7, MN (son Thomas F. Laughlin, b. 1868 MN)

Eddie, 5, MN (son Edward Michael Laughlin, b 1870 MN)

Jessie Cluler/Clorke?, 22, IN *unsure of relation – likely a lodger

*missing is son John Henry Laughlin, b. 1865 MN – he is in neighbouring house:

Family 115:

T. J. Conlin, 32, IL, Ire, Ire

Cora M. Conlin, 9, MN (dau Cora)

Mary T. Conlin, 8, MN (dau Mary)

Emma J. Conlin, 6, MN (dau Emma)

Rhoda O' Farra, 25, WIS, ny, ny * likely a visitor or lodger/servant

J. H. Loughlin, 9, WIS/MN (John Henry Laughlin, b. 1865 MN, *son of the above John W. Laughlin*)

Figure 45: Image of 1875 census Merton:

29	114	John Laughlin,	36	M	"	Ireland	Ireland	Ireland
30		S. J.	14	F	"	Ill	"	"
31		Katie	13	"	"	Mn	"	"
32		Thos J.	7	M	"	"	"	"
33		Eddie	5	M	"	"	"	"
34		Jessie Clorke	22	M	"	Indiana	"	"
35	115	T. J. Conlin	32	"	"	Ill	"	"
36		Cora M	9	F	"	Mn	"	"
37		Mary T	8	F	"	"	"	"
38		Emma J.	6	F	"	"	"	"
39		Rhoda O. Farra	25	F	"	Wis	at Y	at Y
40		J. H. Laughlin	9	M	"	"	Ireland	Ireland

1880

On the 1880 census Merton, Steele, MN:

Dwelling 89:

Thomas Langhlin, 33 (b. 1846 IRE – *son of Mary, below*)

Mary Langhlin, 67 (Mary Lang, b. 1817 IRE – *widow of Michael Laughlin d. 1858*)

Dwelling 90:

Richard Laughlin, 26 (Richard Francis Laughlin, b. 1854 IRE – *son of below*)

Patrick Laughlin, 65, (Patrick Laughlin, b. 1814 IRE – *son of Richard Laughlin and Anne*)

Bridget Laughlin, 54, (Bridget _____, b. 1827 IRE)

Figure 46: Image of 1880 census Merton:

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
99	94	Laughlin Thomas	M	33				1				Farmer											Ireland	Ireland	Ireland
		Mary	F	47		Mother		1				Keeping house											Ireland	Ireland	Ireland
10	93	Laughlin Richard	M	26				1				Farmer											Ireland	Ireland	Ireland
		Patrick	M	65		Father		1															Ireland	Ireland	Ireland
		Bridget	F	54		Mother		1															Ireland	Ireland	Ireland

Dwelling 134:

Patrick Lynch (Patrick Lynch, b. 1835 IRE - **poss* brother to Anthony and John William Lynch, who married Sarah Laughlin*)

Anna Lynch (wife Anna _____, b. 1835 IRE)

Mary A. Lynch (dau Mary Jane Lynch, b 1863 NY)

Thomas Lynch (son Thomas A. Lynch, b. 1865 NJ)

Ellen H. Lynch (dau Ella H. Lynch, b. 1868 WIS)

Lizzie J. Lynch (dau Lizzie J. Lynch, b. 1874 MN)

Dwelling 135:

John H. Laughlin, (John Henry Laughlin, b. 1843 Penn – *son of Edward Laughlin and Catherine Madden*)

Katie Laughlin, 28, MO (wife Katherine Conway, b. 1851 MO)

Edward Laughlin, 11, MN (son Edward F. Laughlin, b. 1868 MN)

George Laughlin, 8, MN (son George P. Laughlin, b. 1871 MN)

James Laughlin, 6, MN (son James Richard Laughlin, b. 1873 MN)

Maggie Laughlin, 1, MN (dau Margaret Jane Laughlin, b. 1879 MN)

Figure 47: Image of 1880 census Merton:

134	139	Lynch Patrick	M	43				1				Farmer											Ireland	Ireland	Ireland
		Anna	F	42		Wife		1				Keeping house											Ireland	Ireland	Ireland
		Mary A	F	17		Daughter														1			New Jersey	Ireland	Ireland
		Thomas	M	15		Son														1			New Jersey	Ireland	Ireland
		Ellen H	F	12		Daughter														1			Wisconsin	Ireland	Ireland
		Lizzie J	F	9		Daughter														1			Wisconsin	Ireland	Ireland
134	140	Laughlin John A	M	33				1				Farmer											Pennsylvania	Ireland	Ireland
		Katie	F	28		Wife		1				Keeping house											Mass	Ireland	Ireland
		Edward	M	11		Son														1			Minnesota	Penn	Mo
		George	M	8		Son														1			Minnesota	Penn	Mo
		James	M	6		Son																	Minnesota	Penn	Mo
		Maggie	F	1		Daughter																	Minnesota	Penn	Mo

1885

Many Laughlin and Lynch families living in Merton. Mary (Lang) Laughlin has now moved from Havana with son, Thomas, and her grandchildren, sons of John W. Laughlin. Patrick Laughlin has now passed away, leaving Bridget widowed and living with son, Richard. Next to them is Patrick Lynch and several households away is Anthony Lynch and family.

On the 1885 census Merton, Steele, MN:

Family 10:

Mary Laughlin, age 68 b. 1817 IRE (Mary Lang, b. 1817 IRE – widowed – Michael Laughlin died)

Thomas Laughlin, age 34, b. 1851 IRE (son Thomas Laughlin b. 1846 IRE)

Thomas F. Laughlin, age 17, b. 1868 MN (grandson – John W. Laughlin's son, Thomas F. Laughlin b. 1868 MN)

Edward M. Laughlin, age 14, b. 1871 MN (grandson – John W. Laughlin's son, Edward Michael Laughlin, b. 1870 MN)

Family 11:

Bridget Laughlin, age 56, b. 1829 IRE (Bridget, b. 1827 IRE – widowed – Patrick died 1884)

Richard Laughlin, age 28, b. 1857 IRE (son Richard Francis Laughlin, b. 1854 IRE)

Family 12:

Patrick Lynch, age 48, b. 1837 IRE (Patrick Lynch, b. 1835 IRE) **brother to Anthony and John William Lynch, husband of Sarah Laughlin*

Thomas A. Lynch, age 20, b. 1865 NJ (son Thomas A. Lynch, b. 1865 NJ)

Ella H. Lynch, age 17, b. 1868 WIS (dau Ella H. Lynch, b. 1868 WIS)

Lizzie J. Lynch, age 14, b. 1871 WIS (dau Lizzie J. Lynch, b. 1871 WIS)

Figure 48: Image of 1885 census Merton:

10	Laughlin	Mary	68	F	2	Ireland	✓	1	1
	Laughlin	Thomas	34	M	11	"	✓	1	1
	Laughlin	Thomas F.	17	M	11	Miss	✓	1	1
	Laughlin	Edward	14	M	11	"	✓	1	1
11	Laughlin	Bridget	56	F	11	Ireland	✓	1	1
	Laughlin	Richard	28	M	11	"	✓	1	1
12	Lynch	Patrick	48	M	11	"	✓	1	1
	Lynch	Thomas A.	20	M	11	N.J.	✓	1	1
	Lynch	Ella H.	17	F	11	Wis.	✓	1	1
	Lynch	Lizzie J.	14	F	11	"	✓	1	1

Family 42:

Anthony Lynch, 46, IRE (Anthony Lynch, b. 1838 IRE)

Mary S. Lynch, 41, IRE

Hannah Lynch, 18, MN

Thomas, 16, MN

Rosa A., 14, MN

John H., 12, MN

Edward P., 10, MN

Mary F. Lynch, 8, MN

1895

On the 1895 census Berlin, Steele, MN:

Family

Annie Shea, 38, 1857 (Anna Laughlin, b. 1858 IRE, widowed – husband Patrick Shea d. 1893) – *dau of Patrick Laughlin and Bridget*)

Katire Shea, 17, 1878 (dau Catherine Agnes Shea, b. 1878 MN)

Mary Shea, 15, 1880 (dau Mary L. Shea, b. 1879 MN)

Maggie Shea, 13, 1882 (dau Margaret B. Shea, b. 1881 MN)

Willie Shea, 12, 1883 (son William Patrick Shea, b. 1882 MN)

John Shea, 10, 1885 (son John Richard Shea, b. 1885 MN)

Annie Shea, 6, 1889 (dau Anna Elizabeth Shea, b. 1889 MN)

Susie Shea, 4, 1891 (dau Susan Shea, b. 1892 MN)

Bridget Laughlin, 69 (mother Bridget _____, b. 1827 IRE – widowed – Patrick Laughlin d. 1884)

On the 1895 census Merton, Steele, MN:

Family 31:

Edward Laughlin, 26 Minn (Edward F. Laughlin, b. 1868 MN – *son of John Henry Laughlin and Katherine Conway*)

___ Albright, 27 Minn

Velma Albright, 25 Wis

Arthur C. Albright, 11/12 Minn

Ida Heaton, 20 Wis

George Laughlin, 23 Minn, (George P. Laughlin, b. 1871 MN – *son of John Henry Laughlin and Katherine Conway*)

Family 32:

Thomas Laughlin, 44 IRE (Thomas Laughlin, b. 1846 IRE)

Mary Laughlin, 79 IRE (mother of Thomas, Mary “Lang”, b. 1817 IRE – *widow of Michael Laughlin d. 1858*)

Figure 49: Image of 1895 census Merton:

Name	Age	Sex	Birthplace	Occupation
Laughlin Edward	26	M	Minn	Farmer
Albright John H	27	M	Minn	Farmer
Albright Velma	25	F	Wis	
Albright Arthur C	11/12	M	Minn	
Heaton Ida	20	F	Wis	
Laughlin George	23	M	Minn	Farmer
Laughlin Thomas	44	M	IRE	Farmer
Laughlin Mary	79	F	IRE	
Hammond Willie	15	M	Germany	

Family 53:

Anthony Lynch, 56, IRE

Mary S. Lynch, 52, IRE

Edward Lynch 20, MN

Mary Lynch, 18, MN

Family 128:

Edward Canaday, 54 Canada

Mary L. Canaday, 46, WIS

Albert Canady, 18, MN

James Laughlin, 20, MN b. 1875 (*James Richard Laughlin b. 1873 MN – son of John Henry Laughlin and Katherine Conway*)

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Finding aid for the Gary O'Meara Family Papers

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Dates:	1787-1990

- Quantity:** 0.20 linear feet (1 container)
- Abstract:** Gary O'Meara (b. 1952) was born in Berea, Ohio, of Irish descent. He is one of eleven siblings. He married Mary Ann Emery (b. 1955) in 1975 at St. Augustine's Church in Cleveland, and together they have three children. O'Meara has traced his genealogy back to 1762, tracing nine generations, starting with his paternal great-great-grandparents, Matthew Pigman (1763-1803) and Ann Gilmore (b. 1762). Gary's maternal great-grandmother, Catherine Laughlin O'Meara (1852-1945) was born in Galway, Ireland, and immigrated to the United States, as a young girl with her family. Catherine's father died en route, leaving her mother with six children. They traveled to Harvard, Illinois, to Catherine's uncle, John Laughlin, who had a home there. This family worked primarily as farmers, and lived in Minnesota and other states in the United States as well as in Canada. Catherine's husband, James O'Meara (1848-1919) was born in Canada. His parents were born in Ireland and immigrated during the Penal Law era, escaping religious persecution. The collection consists of birthday data of the Hankins family 1874-1935, the O'Meara family history, a family records, birth, genealogy, a journal article regarding the Hankins in Franklin township, Ohio, a memorial card, a photograph, a poem, a song, and one handwritten short story.
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