

The Conan Family of Foilagoule, Moyaliff, Co. Tipperary

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Circa 1970 photo from Paul Conan, Jr. of the Conan homestead in Foilagoule.

The Jerry Conan family survived the Great Irish Famine on their small five acre farm in the townland of Foilagoule, in Moyaliff civil parish, Co. Tipperary. As the famine came to an end various members of his family decided to emigrate from Ireland to America. Five of his six known children would leave Ireland in the next decade and they all settled in the Pompey area of Onondaga County in Central New York State. Mary, the second oldest, arrived in 1850 followed by her older brother, James, in 1852. Her younger brother John arrived in 1855, and another younger brother, Jeremiah, by 1860. The youngest member of the family, Honora, arrived in the Pompey area by 1863.

In this paper these five Conan children are followed through census and church records and newspaper archives. These sources are used to trace the five families through at least two generations and several interesting obituaries are included. They married into other Upperchurch families: Ryan, Maher and Phelan.

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Jerry Conan and Winifred Walsh

(s/o Father and Mother)
(d/o Father and Mother)

Jerry Conan
b. in Ireland

= **Winifred Walsh**
b. in Ireland

Are these Mahers related?

James Conan
bap. Dec 9, 1830
Sps. Edmund Walsh and Mary Walsh
To US 1852
d. Jul 2, 1905, Pompey, NY

= **Ann Walsh (1)**
b. 1835, Ireland
d. between 1880-1892

= **Bridget Maher Ryan (2)**
b. 1846, Upperchurch, Co. Tipperary
To US 1850
mar. Sept 10, 1884, Pompey, NY
Wit: Michael Henneberry and Margaret McDermott.
d. between 1925-1930

Mary Conan
b. Jan 1833, Thurles
mar in Upperchurch (Gen)
To US 1850 (1900 census)
d. Nov 21, 1911

= **John Maher**
b. 1830, Thurles
d. Prospect, Ontario, Canada
d. Nov 1894

Larry Conan
bap. Jun 3, 1835
Sps. Patt Maher and Norry Walsh

John Conan
bap. Aug 6, 1837
Sps. Pierce Walsh and Judy Bourke
To US in 1855
d. Dec 12, 1912, Syracuse, NY
bur Immaculate Conception Cem,
Pompey, NY

= **Bridget Coman**
b. 1848, Ireland
mar. Apr 19, 1863, Pompey, NY
wit. John Coman and Honora Conan
d. bef 1892

Jerry obit claims he was born
in Upperchurch on Apr 21,
1848

Jerry Conan
bap. Nov 20, 1839, Foilagoule,
Moyaliff par., Co. Tipperary
Sps. Patt Dwyer and Norry Walsh
In Pompey, NY by 1860
d. Mar 7, 1910, Syracuse, NY
bur St Agnes Cem, Syracuse, NY

= **Margaret Kennedy**
b. 1850, NY
Children: 2 sons

Honorah Conan
b. 1847, Ireland
d. 1910, Toledo, Lucas Co., Ohio
In Pompey, NY by 1863

= **Pierce Phelan**
b. May 1, 1842, Upperchurch, Co.
Tipperary
d. Aug 10, 1926, Toldeo, OH

All these Coonan baptisms were found in the Upperchurch-Drombane RC parish records for 1829 - 1849. Mary Conan was not found in these church records. An earlier Maher genealogy gave her birth information as Jan 1833, Thurles. The case for Mary Conan being part of this family is based on the fact that Mary and her husband John Maher went to Pompey, NY in 1850 and her brothers James (1852), John (1855), Jeremiah by 1860 and sister Honorah by 1863. James Conan (John Maher - bap. 1857) and Jeremiah Conan (Cornelius Maher - bap. 1861) were sponsors in the baptisms of two of John and Mary Conan Maher's children.

Jerry Conan and his brother John Conan were living and working on adjacent Pompey farms in 1860.

1860 NY Onondaga Pompey M653-829-786

Res 718, Family 719

Samuel Baker, 66, Farmer, Real Est \$7,500, Per Est \$1,562, NY

Eunice Baker, 66, Connecticut

Jeremiah Conan, 17, Farm laborer, Ireland

Lorinda Howard, 77, Domestic, NY

Jane Willy, 17, Domestic, NY

Hannah Williston, 66, Per Est \$800, Massachusetts

Res 719, Family 720

Daniel Kellogg, 64, Farmer, Real Est \$5,500, Per Est \$2,055, Connecticut

Sally Kellogg, 55, NY

John Conan, 20, Farm laborer, Real Est \$500, Per Est \$100, Ireland

Sarah Foot, 43, Domestic, Rhode Island

Jerry Conan was not found in the following census records: 1865, 1870.

Coonan Baptism Records in Upperchurch

These are all the Coonans in Upperchurch-Drombane RC parish for 1829 - 1849

Jerry Coonan and Winifred Walsh

December 9, 1830 - James Coonan, Parents: Jerry Coonan and Winney Walsh

No residence, Sponsors: Edmund Walch and Mary Walch.

June 3, 1835 - Larry Coonan, Parents: Jerry Coonan and Winny Walsh

No residence, sponsors: Patt Maher and Norry Walsh

August 6, 1837 - John Coonan, Parents: Jerry Coonan and Winny Walsh

No residence, Sponsors: Pierce Walsh and Judy Bourke

November 20, 1839 - Jerry Coonan, Parents: Jerry Coonan and Winey Walsh

Foilagoul, Sponsors: Patt Dwyer and Norry Walsh

John Coonan and Mary Bourke

Feb 29, 1844 - Anne Coonan, Parents: John Coonan and Mary Bourke

Moher, Sponsors: Martin Gleeson and Ellen Gleeson

Dennis Coonan and Mary Ryan

Dec 12, 1840 - John Coonane, Parents: Denis Coonane and Mary Ryan

Moher, Sponsors: William Ryan and Ellen Bannon (?)

August 9, 1846 - Margaret Coonane, Parents: Denis Coonane and Mary Ryan

Moher, Sponsors: Patrick Maher and Judy Carroll

James Conan and Ann Walsh

(s/o Jeremiah Coonan and Winifred Walsh)

(#1 - d/o Father and Mother)

(#2 - d/o Cornelius Maher and Mary Connors)

James Conan

b. Dec 1834, Ireland
 bap. Dec 9, 1830
 Sps. Edmund Walsh and Mary Walsh
 To US 1852
 d. July 2, 1905, age 72,
 Pompey, NY

= Ann [Anastasia] Walsh

b. 1835, Ireland
 d. between 1880-1892

Emma Conan

b. 1855, NY
 d. between 1875-1880

James J. Conan

b. 1858, NY
 d. Jan 10, 1915, Utica, NY
 bur Pompey Cem, Pompey, NY

Jerry Conan

b. July 20, 1863, NY
 d. Jun 28, 1941, Syracuse, NY
 bur Pompey Cem, Pompey, NY

Nicholas M. Conan

b. 1869, NY
 d. Nov 23, 1915, Lafayette, NY
 bur. Pompey Cem, Pompey, NY

Josephine Conan

b. Mar 30, 1876, NY

Thomas Conan

b. abt 1877, NY
 d. Aug 16, 1940, N. Syracuse, NY
 bur Pompey Cem, Pompey, NY

= Peter Oley

b. 1850, Ireland
 d. Feb 13, 1928, Jamesville, NY
 bur. Pompey Cem, Pompey, NY

= Nellie L. Lane

b. June 1869
 mar. abt 1892
 d. Aug 7, 1917, Syracuse, NY
 bur Pompey Cem, Pompey, NY

= Sarah Tobin (1)

b. Aug 1864, NY
 mar. Apr 21, 1885
 d. between 1900 -1910

= Mary Ann Ryan (2)

b. 1868, NY
 d. Dec 15, 1940, Pompey, NY
 bur Pompey Cem, Pompey, NY

Never married

= John Young

b. 1876, Ohio
 mar Apr 20, 1909, Pompey
 Wit: Nicholas Conan and Margaret Kennedy

= Ella Ermina Wilkins

mar. Nov 10, 1909

1909 - Johanna Marie in marriage record
 1916 - Alive
 1940- Pompey

Bridget's brother John Maher married Mary Conan, sister of James Conan.

= Bridget Maher Ryan (2)

b. 1846, Upperchurch, Co. Tipperary
 To US 1850
 mar. Sept 10, 1884, Pompey, NY
 Wit: Michael Henneberry and Margaret McDermott.
 d. between 1925-1930

| Name | 1860 | 1865 | 1870 | 1875 | 1880 | 1892 | 1900 | 1910 | 1920 | 1925 |
|--|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|---------|--------|--------|
| Location | Pompey | Pompey | Pompey | Pompey | Pompey | Pompey | Pompey | Truxton | Pompey | Pompey |
| James Conan | 28 | 38 | 36 | 40 | 46 | 56 | 65 | | | |
| Ann LNU (1) | 26 | 30 | 35 | 40 | 44 | | | | | |
| Bridget Maher Ryan (2) | | | | | | 46 | 53 | 63 | 74 | 79 |
| Children | | | | | | | | | | |
| Thomas Conan | | | | | | | | | | |
| Emma Conan (Oley) | 4 | 10 | 14 | 20 | | | | | | |
| James Conan | 2 | 7 | 11 | 16 | 21 | | | | | |
| Jerry Conan | | 2 | 8 | 12 | 16 | | | | 55 | 60 |
| Nicholas Conan | | | 1 | 7 | 11 | 21 | | | | |
| Josie Conan | | | | | 4 | 16 | | | | |
| Thomas Conan | | | | | 3 | 14 | 22 | | | |
| Johanna Welsh (Mother) | | 67 | | | | | | | | |
| Peter Oley (h/o Emma) | | | | 25 | | | | | | |
| Mary Ryan (Step dau) & 2 nd wife of Jerry Conan | | | | | | 25 | 32 | 40 | 52 | 58 |

Census Records - James Conan

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| <p>1855 Town of Pompey census returns missing from Ancestry and FamilySearch.org</p> |
| <p>1860 NY Onondaga Pompey M653-829-786 Res 723, Family 725 James Conan, 28, Farm Laborer, Real Est \$500, Per Est \$150, IR Ann Conan, 26, IR Emma Conan, 4, NY, Attended school James Conan, 2, NY</p> |
| <p>1865 NY Onondaga Pompey Res 161, Frame, \$800, Family 174 James Conan, 38, IR, Married once, Married now, Laborer, Naturalized, Owner of land Ann Conan, 30, wife, IR, 4 children, Married once, Married now Emma Conan, 10, Child, Onondaga James Conan, 7, Child, Onondaga Jerry Conan, 2, Child, Onondaga Johanna Welsh, 67, Mother, Ireland, 3 children, Married once, Widowed</p> |
| <p>1870 NY Onondaga Pompey M593-1061-615A Res 731, Family 735 James Conan, 36, Farmer, Real Est \$6,300, Per Est \$1,000, IR Ann Conan, 35, Keeps house, IR Emma Conan, 14, Attends school, NY, Attended school James Conan, 11, Attends school, NY, Attended school Jerry Conan, 8, NY Nicholas Conan, 1, NY All parents foreign born</p> |

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| <p>1875 NY Onondaga Pompey ED01 Res 175, Framed, \$1,200, Family 177 James Conan, 40, IR, M, Farmer, Naturalized, Owner of land Anna Conan, 40, Wife, IR, M James Conan, 16, son, Onondaga, S Jerry Conan, 12, son, Onondaga, S Nicholas Conan, 7, son, Onondaga, S Peter Oley, 25, son-in-law, IR, M, Naturalized Emma Oley, 20, dau, Onondaga, M</p> |
| <p>1880 NY Onondaga Pompey T9-906-197A Res 311, Family 313 James Conan, 46, M, Farming, IR, IR, IR Ann Conan, 44, wife, M, Keeping house, IR, IR, IR James Conan, 21, son, S, Attended school, NY, IR, IR Jerry Conan, 16, son, S, Attended school, NY, IR, IR Nicholas Conan, 11, son, S, Attended school, NY, IR, IR Josie Conan, 4, dau, S, NY, IR, IR Thomas Conan, 3, son, S, NY, IR, IR</p> |
| <p>1880 NY Onondaga Pompey T9-906-XX Res 149, Family 149 Peter Oley, 30, Wd, IR, IR, IR Ann Oley, 3, dau, S, NY, IR, IR Bridget Ryan, 35, Servant, S, IR, IR, IR Michael Higgins, 19, Servant, S, NY, IR, IR</p> |
| <p>1892 NY Onondaga Pompey James Conan, 56, Ireland, C, Farmer Bridget Conan, 46, US, C Thomas Conan, 14, US, C Josie Conan, 16, US, C Nick Conan, 21, US, C Mary Ryan, 25, US, C</p> |
| <p>1900 NY Onondaga Pompey T623-1135-118A Res 53, Family 57, Owns farm #36 with a mortgage James Conan, Head, Dec 1834, 65, M, 15, IR, IR, IR, 1852, 47, Na, Farmer Bridget M. Conan, Wife, Dec 1846, 53, M, 15, 2/2, IR, IR, IR, 1850, 50 Thomas A. Conan, son, June 1879, 22, S, NY, IR, IR, Farm laborer Mary A. Ryan, dau, Dec 1867, 32, S, NY, IR, IR, Teacher</p> |
| <p>1905 Town of Pompey census returns missing from Ancestry and FamilySearch.org</p> |
| <p>1910 NY Cortland Truxton T624-934-10B Main Street Truxton Village, Res 244, Family 255, Owns home free of mortgage Bridget M. Conan, Head, 63, Wd, 2/2, NY, IR, IR, Own income Mary S. Ryan, dau, 40, S, NY, IR, IR, Bookkeeper, Bank</p> |
| <p>1915 Town of Pompey census returns missing from Ancestry and FamilySearch.org</p> |

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| <p>1920 NY Onondaga Pompey Dist 0092 T625-1250-7A Farm, Res 161, Family 168 Jerry Conan, Head, 55, M, NY, IR, IR, Merchant, General store, Own account Mary Conan, Wife, 52, M, NY, IR, IR, None James Conan, son, 22, S, NY, NY, NY, Clerk, General store Donald Conan, son, 18, S, NY, NY, NY, None Bridget Conan, Step mother, 74, Wd, 1849, Naturalized (year unknown), IR, IR, IR, None Jerry's wife Sarah Tobin died between 1900 and 1910.</p> |
| <p>1925 NY Onondaga Pompey Bridget M. Conan, Head, 79, US, Cit, None Mary A. Conan, dau, 58, US, Cit, Clerk Jerry Conan, son-in-law, 60, US, Cit, Merchant</p> |
| <p>1925 NY Onondaga Pompey John J. Young, Head, 49, US, Cit, Carpenter Josephine M. Young, Wife, 48, US, Cit, House work Bertha M. Young, dau, 15, US, Cit, At school Anna E, Young, 13 US, Cit, At school Mary M. Young, 9 US, Cit, At school John J. Young, Jr., 7 US, Cit, At school</p> |
| <p>1930 NY Onondaga Pompey T626-1625-1A County Highway, Res 4, Family 4, Owns \$5,000 Jerry Conan, Head, , 65, M, 25 @ 1st mar, NY, IR, IR, Retail merchant, General store Mary Conan, Wife, 62, M, 22 @ 1st mar, NY, IR, IR, None In 1910 Mary was a 40 year old spinster living with her widowed mother, Bridget, in Truxton, NY</p> |

Funeral for Thomas Conan, Auto Victim, Set Monday

August 18, 1940, The Herald-American, Syracuse, NY

“Funeral services will be conducted Monday morning for Thomas Conan, 55, of Pompey, retired rural mail carrier who was killed instantly Friday night when struck by an automobile in front of Ma and Pa’s Inn near North Syracuse.

“Services will be held at the home at 9 A.M. and in the Immaculate Conception church of Pompey half an hour later. Burial will be in Pompey.

“Mr. Conan was a mail carrier for 30 years and a member of the Mail Carriers Association of Onondaga County. Following his retirement from the postal services he operated a dance hall near Pompey.

“Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Ella Wilkin [Wilkins] Conan; a brother, Jerry Conan; a sister, Mrs. John Young, and several nieces and nephews, all of Pompey.

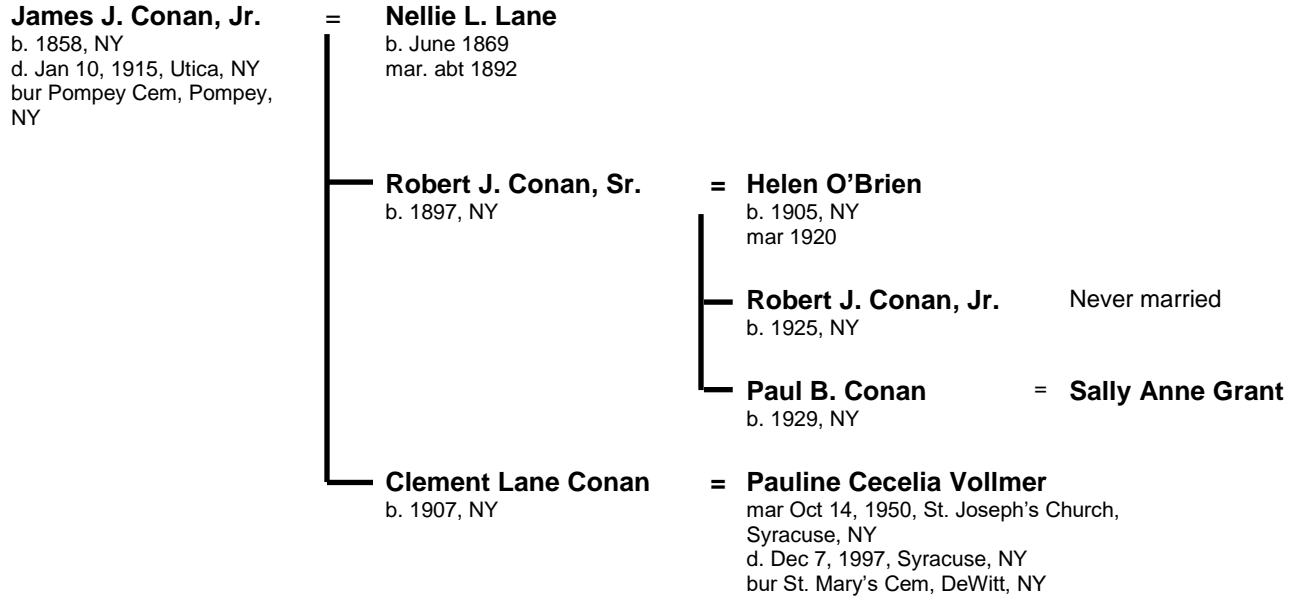
“Mr. Conan had just left Ma and Pa’s Inn and was crossing the road when he was struck by a car which state police said was operated by Harry W. Yerdon, Sr., of 114 Lawrence Avenue, North Syracuse. Yerdon was paroled after questioning at the district attorney’s office.”

James J. Conan Jr.

Revised: January 3, 2018

(s/o James Conan and Ann Walsh)

(d/o Father and Mother)



Census Records - James Conan (Jr.)

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| <p>1900 NY Onondaga Lafayette T623-1135-241A Res 16, Family 17, Rents home James J. Conan, Head, May 1866, 34, M, 8 yrs, NY, IR, IR, Merchant (General), 0 mos unemployed Nellie L. Conan, Wife, June 1868, 31, M, 8 yrs, 3/1, NY, IR, IR, Sales woman (General) , 0 mos unemployed Robert J. Conan, son, Apr 1896, 4, S, NY, NY, NY Nicholas Conan, Brother, Mar 1871, 29, S, NY, IR, IR, Bartender, 0 mos unemployed May Cummings, Servant, Mar 1880, 20, S, NY, NY, NY, Servant, 0 mos unemployed Daniel Flemming, Servant, Feb 1869, 41, S, NY, IR, IR, Hostler, 3 mos unemployed</p> |
| <p>1905 Town of Pompey census returns missing from Ancestry and FamilySearch.org</p> |
| <p>1910 NY Onondaga Lafayette T624-1054-10A Res 185, Family 190, Owns home free of mortgage James J. Conan, Head, 48, M1, 18, NY, IR, IR, Retail Merchant, General Store Nellie L. Conan, wife, 40, M1, 18, 4/2, NY, NY, NY, Clerk, Store Robert J. Conan, son, 13, S, NY, NY, NY, None Clemant L. Conan, son, 3, S, NY, NY, NY, None Nicholas Conan, Brother, 32, S, NY, IR, IR, Laborer, Store Kittie Moran, Servant, 23, S, NY, NY, NY, servant, Private family</p> |

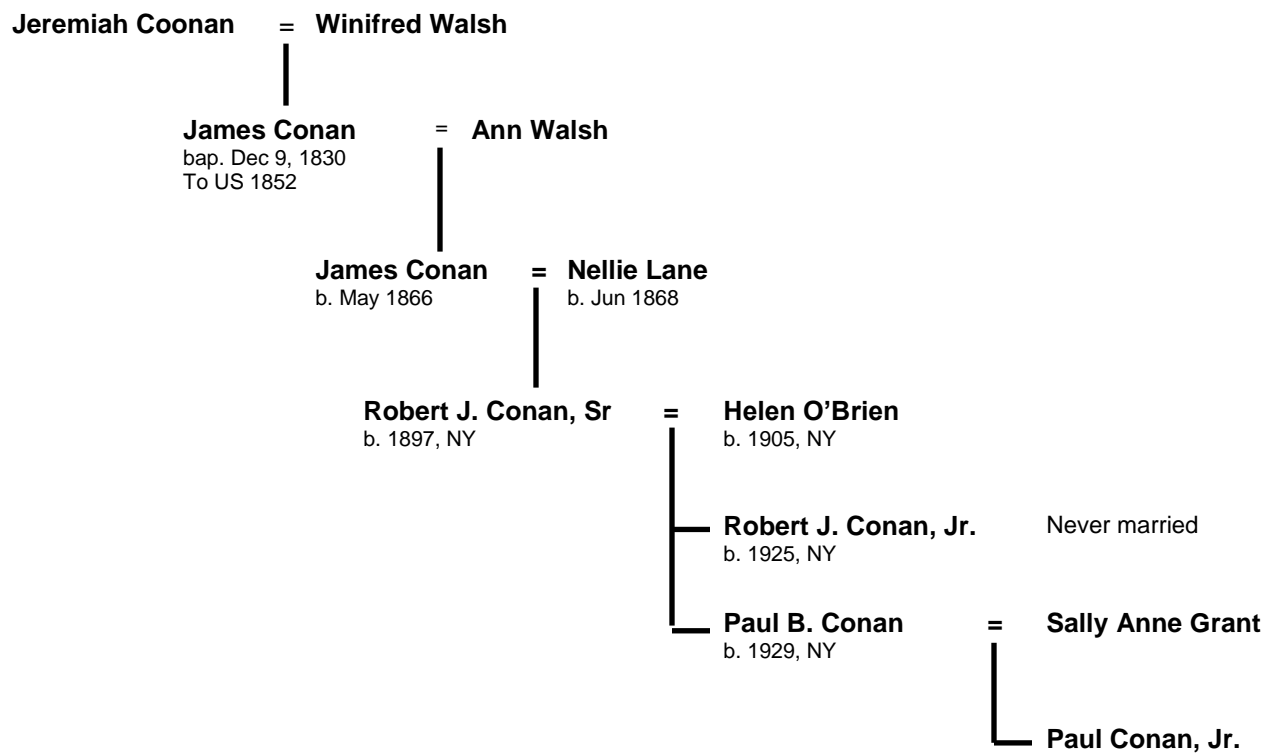
Census Records - Robert Conan

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| <p>1920 NY Onondaga Syracuse WD13 T625-1248-1A 1060 Bellevue Avenue, Res 8, Family 12, Rents William F. Collins, Head, 37, M, NY, NY, NY, Stenographer, Factory Flora A. Collins, Wife, 42, M, Minnesota, NY, NY, None John W. Collins, son, 1-10/12, S, NY, NY, Minnesota, None Buella Scoville, Step-dau, 18, S, NY, NY, Minnesota, Stenographer, Book store Robert Conan, Roomer, 23, S, NY, US, US, Agent, Real Estate, Own account</p> |
| <p>1930 NY Onondaga Syracuse WD11 ED 34-203 T626-1628-18A 159 Wolcott Avenue, Res 91, Family 125, Owns \$12,000, Has radio set Robert J. Conan, Head, 33, M, 23 @ 1st mar, NY, NY, NY, Salesman, Real Estate Helen M. Conan, Wife, 35, M, 25 @ 1st mar, , NY, Canada, Canada, None Robert J. Conan, son, 5, S, NY, NY, Canada, None Paul E. Conan, son, 11/12, S, NY, NY, Canada, none</p> |
| <p>1940 NY Onondaga Syracuse WD11 T627-2856-16A 159 Wolcott Avenue, Res 45, Owns \$8,500 Robert J. Conan, Head, 43, M, C-1, NY, Same house, charge of sales, Real Estate, Own Account Helen M. Conan, Wife, 45, M, C-1, NY, Same house Robert J. Conan, son, 15, S, H-1, NY, Same house Paul B. Conan, son, 11, S, 4, NY, Same house Clement Conan, Brother, 33, S, C-4, NY, Same house, Salesman, Auto Sales</p> |

Dr. Robert J. Conan Jr

Dr. Robert J. Conan Jr., 78, of 263 Robineau Road, Syracuse, died Friday (November 8th). Born in Syracuse, he received bachelor's and master's degrees from Syracuse University and a doctorate from Fordham University. He taught physical chemistry for more than 40 years at LeMoyne College, where he was chairman of the chemistry department. He also was a consultant to Carrier Corp. and Owl Wire & Cable Co. He was buried in St. Mary's Cemetery, DeWitt, NY

Pedigree of Paul Conan, Jr.



Jerry Conan and Sarah Tobin

Revised: December 26, 2017

(s/o James Conan and Ann Walsh)

(#1 d/o Father and Mother)

(#2 d/o Roger Ryan and Bridget Maher)

Jerry Conan

b. July 20, 1863, NY
 d. Jun 28, 1941, Syracuse,
 NY
 bur Pompey Cem, Pompey,
 NY

= **Sarah Tobin (1)**

b. Aug 1864, NY
 mar. Apr 21, 1885
 d. between 1900 -1910

Neal J. Conan

b. Dec 1887, Ny

Winifred L. Conan

b. Aug 1893, NY
 mar 1922

George Wise

b. 1893, NY

James L. Conan

b. Dec 1897, NY

Donald F. Conan

b. 1910, NY

= **Mary Ann Ryan (2)**

b. 1868, NY
 d. Dec 15, 1940, Pompey, NY
 bur Pompey Cem, Pompey, NY

Census Records - Jerry Conan

1900 NY Onondaga Pompey Dist 0069 T623-1135-1A

Res 5, Family 5, Owns home with mortgage

Jerry Conan, Head, Aug 1864, 35, M, 14, NY, NY, NY, Merchant, Dry Goods, Groceries & Hardware

Sarah Conan, Wife, Aug 1864, 35, M, 14, 5/3, NY, NY, NY

Niel Conan, son, Dec 1887, 12, S, NY, NY, NY, At school

Winnifred Conan, dau, Aug 1893, 6, S, NY, NY, NY

James Conan, son, Dec 1897, 2, S, NY, NY, NY

Josie Conan, sister, Feb 1876, 24, S, NY, NY, NY, Clerk, 4 mon unemployed

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| <p>1910 NY Onondaga Pompey Dist 0085 T624-1054-9A Res 140, Family 142, Owns home with mortgage Jerry Conan, Head, 45, Wd, NY, IR, IR, Merchant, General store, Own account Winifred L. Conan, dau, 10, S, NY, NY, NY, None James L. Conan, son, 12, S, NY, NY, NY, None Donald F. Conan, son, 9, S, NY, NY, NY, None Emma M. Tobin, house keeper, 40, S, NY, IR, IR, Servant, Private family</p> |
| <p>1920 NY Onondaga Pompey Dist 0092 T625-1250-7A Farm, Res 161, Family 168 Jerry Conan, Head, 55, M, NY, IR, IR, Merchant, General store, Own account Mary Conan, Wife, 52, M, NY, IR, IR, None James Conan, son, 22, S, NY, NY, NY, Clerk, General store Donald Conan, son, 18, S, NY, NY, NY, None Bridget Conan, Step mother, 74, Wd, 1849, Naturalized (year unknown), IR, IR, IR, None Jerry's wife Sarah Tobin died between 1900 and 1910.</p> |
| <p>1930 NY Onondaga Pompey T626-1625-1A County Highway, Res 4, Family 4, Owns \$5,000 Jerry Conan, Head, 65, M, 25 @ 1st mar, NY, IR, IR, Retail Merchant, General Store Mary Conan, Wife, 62, M, 22 @ 1st mar, NY, IR, IR</p> |
| <p>1930 NY Onondaga Syracuse T626-1630-6A 208 Nottingham Road, Res 96, Family 123, Rents \$45/mo - Block 1800 George Wise, Head, 37, M, 29 @ 1st mar, NY, NY, NY, General contractor, Houses, OA Winifred Wise, Wife, 36, M, 28 @ 1st mar, NY, NY, NY, None George Wise, Jr, son, 7, S, NY, NY, NY, None Donald Wise, son, 3-11/12, S, NY, NY, NY, None</p> |
| <p>1940 NY Onondaga Pompey T627-2705-1B Res 20, Owns \$1,500, Not a farm Jerry Conan, Head, 75, M, H-2, NY, Same house, Merchant, Retail store, Own Account Mary A. Conan, Wife, 72, M, H-2, NY, Same house, none</p> |

Jerry Conan (July 20, 1863 - June 28, 1941) Survivors:

Sons: Dr. Neal J. Conan, Syracuse, NY

James L. Conan, Pompey, NY

Donald F. Conan, Pompey, NY

Sister:

Mrs. John Young, Pompey, NY

Mrs. Mary A. Ryan (1868-Dec 15, 1940) Survivors:

Husband: Jerry Conan

Brother: Roger Ryan

Nephew: Roger Ryan, Jr.

Step-daughter: Mrs. George Wise, Pompey, NY

Step-sons: Dr. Neal J. Conan, Syracuse, NY

James L. Conan, Syracuse, NY

Donald F. Conan, Pompey

Barn Dance announcement - September 11, 1930

POMPEY BARN DANCE
At Conan's Barn, West of Pompey
Every Saturday Evening
Music by The "Ensigns" of Syracuse
Of the Syracuse Yacht and Country Club
Old Fashioned and Modern Dances
COME! And Bring Your Friends



Jerry Conan's General store in Pompey, NY. The building burned at the same time as the Presbyterian Church in 1946, from a lightning strike.

Jerry Conan - The Pompey Store Owner

Pompey, March 15

Saturday, March 17, 1894, The Tully Times, Tully, NY

“Prof. Conan was called home last week on account of the illness of his sister, Mamie, who is suffering with consumption. She is better this week.”

“Roger Ryan is about to open a meat market [market] in the rear of Conan’s store.”

“Mrs. Jerry Conan is visiting friends in Lafayette.”

Not Much Damage

Tuesday, May 21, 1895, The Syracuse Courier, Syracuse, NY

The Slight Frost at Pompey Not Feared

“Pompey, May 30 - Farmers in this locality have nearly finished their spring’s labor and the growing crops and grass looks fairly well.”

“A plentiful shower on Sunday gives renewed vigor to vegetation.”

“A light frost on three consecutive nights last week threatened the fruit crop and yet no material injury is believed to have resulted.”

“Jerry Conan is slowly recovering from his recent severe and protracted illness.”

“John Conan jr. and Miss Alice Flynn were recently united in the bonds of matrimony.”

On Pompey Hill

Tuesday, June 4, 1895, The Syracuse Courier, Syracuse, NY

Congregational Church Improvements - Opening on Hill Top

“Jerry Conan has so far recovered from his recent dangerous illness as to be able to attend to business.”

“The marriage of James Ryan of the firm Ryan bros. of Jamesville to Miss Simmons, sister of the Rev. Father Simmons of Pompey, is announced to occur in the near future.”

Death of Mrs. Sarah Conan

Saturday, March 13, 1909, The Syracuse Herald, Syracuse, NY

“Mrs. Sarah Conan, wife of Supervisor Jeremiah Conan of Pompey, died at 7 o’clock this morning at St. Joseph’s hospital, where she had been a patient one week. Besides her husband, she is survived by three sons, Neil J. Conan, a junior at St. John’s college, Brooklyn; James L. and Donald Conan, and by a daughter, Winifred Conan. The funeral will be held Tuesday morning at the house, and later at the Church of the Immaculate Conception at Pompey.”

All Pompey Hill Mourns Death of “Jerry” Conan; Ran Store for 50 Years End Comes in St. Joseph’s Hospital in Syracuse at Age of 76

Sunday, June 28, 1941, Syracuse Herald-American, Syracuse, NY

“Jerry Conan is dead and Pompey Hill never will be the same to those that reside there nor to the many Syracusans who made Jerry Conan’s store a stopping place for half a century.

“He died yesterday at St. Joseph’s Hospital after an illness of 11 weeks. He was 76 years old, a leader in Democratic politics, Democratic town chairman, active for years in county affairs. His name was Jeremiah, but no one ever knew it and he would not have liked it if anyone had called him other than Jerry.

“Jerry’s store has been there since about 1836, with Jerry Conan in charge of it since 1891. It is just across the green if you draw up the hill past the Jamesville Reservoir.

“For 50 years or more Jerry was on the front porch, or the ‘stoop,’ or platform, as you will, to welcome all to Pompey. Jerry and his general store were symbols of the village life that is passing. The store changed and Jerry Conan grew a bit gray, but the atmosphere was just the same from the bicycle days, yes, even from old horse and buggy days, to these times of streamlined cars that now whiz just beyond the corner along Route 20, or snarl their gears when the light changes to green.

“There were no green lights on the highways nor in Pompey when Jerry Conan bought the store in 1891. It was a long climb to Pompey Hill, picturesque high oasis in the topography of (New) York State.

“‘Ask Jerry Conan’ was a familiar phrase for many years when anyone wanted to know about Pompey Hill. Snows are deep in winter on the hill and the temperature is low, but Jerry Conan was always willing to shovel his way out to his thermometer to tell the inquirers from newspaper offices in Syracuse about weather conditions. He was host to thousands in his simple, hospitable way for five decades.

“In summer when cars were new the water boiled over in radiators and always folk stopped at Jerry Conan’s, where a sprinkler filled with water awaited. Perhaps in old days Jerry had food for horses, too, when they climbed the hill carrying Syracuse folk for a ride. At least there was water for them.

“Folks Jerry knew - and they were legion - were always asked to have some ice cream soda when they stopped at his store. They could sit by the sugar barrel and the cracker barrel, too, and talk politics or weather or whatever. Time was when the familiar cracker barrel was present, but in later years the store was changed a bit. The long front porch used to be crowded with goods on display, everything from wagon wheels to soap, and Jerry Conan in his bow tie was there to welcome.

“Evenings in the ‘90s and in the new century Jerry Conan’s store was the social center of Pompey Hill. There the men foregathered and felt at home. There women came for their supplies and Jerry waited on them and visited. He asked about them and their families, their troubles and their joys and they knew him as a friend.

“At the right as you enter his store is the post office and at the left the stock of all things needed. In the old days there were months when folks on Pompey Hill couldn’t go down to Syracuse to shop, so Jerry Conan carried a large and varied stock.

“Once a month for many decades he came to Syracuse to attend the monthly meeting of the Board of Supervisors. He was chairman for years of the Equalization Committee, one of the most important and difficult posts on the board. This committee equalizes taxes between towns and city wards and Jerry Conan was one of the few who could master the intricacies and percentages of this work.

“While a young man he ran a store in Lafayette for a while and about 1891 he bought the old stone store which he continued to his death. This was built in 1836 and was unchanged excepting that Jerry added a porch in 1898.

“Jerry Conan conducted this store through all the changes of a half century, from the days of flour and sugar by the barrel and home canned fruit and tins and tins of fruits and vegetables and meats. Kerosene lamps lighted the store for many years after the days of candles, until Jerry Conan installed electricity.

“On Pompey Hill folk were slow to change their ways, but Jerry kept abreast of the changing times and catered to the new wants of the people. Yet at the same time he kept some of the old ways and goods for he found a demand for them until in most recent years.

“Until about 11 weeks ago he retained his health, but at that time he was taken to St. Joseph’s Hospital in Syracuse, where he died yesterday. He leaves three sons, Dr. Neal J. Conan and James L. Conan of Syracuse and Donald F. Conan of Pompey; a sister, Mrs. John young, of Pompey, and 13 grandchildren.

“The funeral will be held at 9 A.M. tomorrow in Immaculate Conception Church, which he attended. A solemn high mass of requiem will be celebrated. Burial will be a Pompey.”

John Maher and Mary Coonan

(s/o Thomas Maher and Mother)

(d/o Jeremiah Coonan and Winifred Walsh)

John Maher

b. 1830, Thurles
 d. Prospect, Ontario, Canada
 d. Nov 1894

Mary Coonan

b. Jan 1833, Thurles
 mar in Upperchurch (Gen)
 To US 1850 (1900 census)
 d. Nov 21, 1911

Mary's death date from Gay Young

No obituary has been found for Mary Conan Maher.

Michael Maher

b. 1854, Pompey, NY
 bap. Oct 2, 1854, Pompey, NY

John "Jack" Maher

b. Feb 26, 1857, Pompey, NY
 d. Dec 19, 1908, Pompey, NY @51

Jeremiah "Jerry" Maher

b. Oct 2, 1859, Pompey, NY

Cornelius Maher

b. Jul 4, 1861, Pompey, NY
 d. between 1920-1930, Ohio

This is the Cornelius Maher who went to Toledo Ohio

= Unknown (1)

d. before 1900, Ohio

= Mary E. Quinlan (2)

b. 1870, Ohio
 mar. 1900
 Alive in Toledo in 1930

Winifred Maher

b. Mar 30, 1863
 d. 1888

Death date from Gay Young

Thomas F. Maher

b. Mar 1, 1865, Pompey, NY

Bridget Agnes Maher

b. Aug 24, 1868

= Thomas Atkinson

b. 1866, Syracuse, NY

Patrick Lawrence Maher

b. Mar 1871

Mary De Anne Maher

b. 1873, NY
 mar. 1905

= Henry J. Skinner

b. 1875, PA

In the 1910 census Mary Coonan Maher stated that she had given birth to 9 children, only 5 of whom were still alive. Ten years earlier, in 1900, Mary had stated that she had given birth to only 7 children and only 4 were still alive. These census records together would indicate that Mary Ann Maher is probably Mary De Anne Maher and Lawrence Maher shown in the Thomas Maher Genealogy from Gay Young is probably Patrick Lawrence Maher.

Tuesday, November 20, 1894, The Syracuse Standard, Syracuse, NY

Pompey - "The Funeral of John Mahar was attended at the Catholic church on Saturday. Mr. Mahar leaves a widow, two daughters and six sons, four of whom have been in business in Youngstown, O., for several years."

There was no mention of where John Maher died in his obituary. Prospect, Ontario [Prospect, Lanark Co., Ontario Province] is about 20 miles southwest of Ottawa. It isn't known why John would have been there when he died.

Baptism records - St. James Catholic Church, Cazenovia, NY

104. **MAHER**, Michael, son of John **MAHER** and Maria **COONAN**, baptized 2 October 1854, at Pompey. Sponsor: Mary Deegan. Priest: J. P. Cahill.

375. **MAHAR**, John, son of John **MAHAR** and Mary **COONAN**, born 26 February 1857, baptized 2 March 1857, at Pompey. Sponsors: **James Coonan** and Honora Connors. Priest: M. W. Rooney.

586. **MEAGHER**, Jeremiah, son of John **MEAGHER** and Mary **CONAN**, born 2 October, baptized 4 October 1859. Sponsor: May Davison. Priest: Bonaventure Carney.

798. **MEAGHER**, Cornelius, son of John **MEAGHER** and Mary **COONAN**, born 4 July, baptized 7 July 1861, at Truxton. Sponsors: **Jeremiah Coonan** and Honorah Cahill. Priest: Bonaventure Carney.

1007. **MEAGHER**, Winifred, daughter of John **MEAGHER** and Mary **COMAN**, born 30 March 1863, baptized 19 April 1863. Sponsors: Edmund Shea and Honora Coman. Priest: P. C. Brady.

1283. **MEAGHER**, Thomas, son of Thomas F. **MEAGHER** and Mary **COONAN**, born 1 March 1865, baptized 25 March 1866, at Pompey. Witnesses: Sylvester Tobin and Bridget Whelan. Priest: Fr. P. C. Brady.

1494. **MEAGHER**, Bridget, daughter of John **MEAGHER** and Mary **COONAN**, born 24 August 1868, baptized 1 September 1868, at Pompey. Sponsors: John Lodge and Mary Meagher. Priest: P. C. Brady.

1704. **MEAGHER**, Pat Lawrence, son of John **MEAGHER** and Mary **COONAN**, born March 1871 at Pompey. (No date of baptism recorded.) Sponsors: Richard Ryan and Mary Corcoran. Priest: P. C. Brady.

| Name | 1860 | 1865 | 1870 | 1875 | 1880 | 1892 | 1900 | 1910 | 1920 |
|------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|---------|--------|--------|
| Location | Pompey | Pompey | Pompey | Pompey | Pompey | Pompey | Pompey | Pompey | Pompey |
| John Maher | 32 | 42 | 50 | 50 | 63 | 70 | d. 1894 | | |
| Mary Coonan | 24 | 35 | 49 | 40 | 45 | 56 | 71 | 75 | |
| Children | | | | | | | | | |
| Michael Maher | 6 | 12 | 15 | 21 | | | | | |
| John Maher | 3 | 10 | | 19 | 23 | | 47 | | |
| Jeremiah Maher | 8/12 | 8 | 11 | | | | | | |
| Cornelius Maher | | 6 | 9 | 15 | | | | | |
| Winifred Maher | | 2 | 7 | 12 | | | | | |
| Thomas Maher | | | 4 | 10 | 13 | 24 | 30 | 40 | 50 |
| Bridget Agnes Maher | | | 2 | 7 | 11 | 23 | | | |
| Patrick Lawrence Maher | | | | 4 | 9 | 21 | | | |
| Mary De Anne Maher | | | | 2 | 7 | 19 | 28 | 34 | 46 |

Census Records - John Maher

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| <p>1855 Town of Pompey census returns missing from Ancestry and FamilySearch.org</p> |
| <p>1860 NY Onondaga Pompey Pg 85. Img 781 Res 681, Family 677 John Maghar, 32, Day Laborer, Real Est \$300, Per Est \$50, IR Mary Maghar, 24, IR Michael Maghar, 6, NY John Maghar, 3, NY Jeremiah Maghar, 8/12, NY</p> |
| <p>1865 NY Onondaga Pompey Img 9/97 Res 103, Frame, \$100, Family 111 John Maghr, 42, Ireland, Married once, Married, Laborer, Naturalized, Owner of land Mary Maghr, 35, Wife, Ireland, 5 children, Married once, Married, Ireland Michael Maghr, 12, Child, Onondaga John Maghr, 10, Child, Onondaga Jeremiah Maghr, 8, Child, Onondaga Cornelius Maghr, 6, Child, Onondaga Winford Maghr, 2, Child, Onondaga</p> |
| <p>1870 NY Onondaga Pompey M593-1061-610B Res 645, Family 650 John Mahar, 50, Farms land, Real Est \$2,000, Per Est \$500, IR, Citizen Mary Mahar, 49, Keeps house, IR Michael Mahar, 15, Farms land, NY Jerry Mahar, 11, Attends school, NY Cornelius Mahar, 9, Attends school Thomas Mahar, 4, NY Winnefred Mahar, 7, Attends school Bridget Mahar, 2, NY All parents foreign born</p> |

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| <p>1875 NY Onondaga Pompey ED01 Res 143, Frame, \$300, Family 146 John Magher, 50, IR, M, Farm Laborer, Na, Owner of land Mary Magher, 40, Wife, IR, M Mike Magher, 21, son, Onondaga, S, Farm Laborer John Magher, 19, son, Onondaga, S, Cornelius Magher, 15, son, Onondaga, S, Farm Laborer Winneford Magher, 12, dau, Onondaga, S Thomas Magher, 10, son, Onondaga, S Bridget Magher, 7, dau, Onondaga, S Lawrence Magher, 4, son, Onondaga, S Mary Dian Magher, 2, dau, Onondaga, S</p> |
| <p>1880 NY Onondaga Pompey T9-906-193B Res 233, Family 234 John Mahar, 63, M, Laboring, IR, IR, IR Mary Mahar, 45, Wife, M, Keeping house, IR, IR, IR John Mahar, 23, son, M, NY, IR, IR Thomas Mahar, 13, son, M, Attends school, NY, IR, IR Bridget Mahar, 11, dau, S, Attends school, NY, IR, IR Lawrence Mahar, 9, son, S, Attends school, NY, IR, IR Mary D. Mahar, 7, dau, S, Attends school, NY, IR, IR</p> |
| <p>1880 NY Onondaga DeWitt T9-905-94A Res 102, Family 116 James Ryan, 24, S, Barley Miller, NY, IR, IR Margaret Ryan, 29, Sister, S, Keeping house, IR, IR, IR Mary Maghar, 68, Aunt, Wd, At home, IR, IR, IR Cornelius Maghar, 18, Hired man, S, Farm laborer, Attended school, NY, IR, IR Res 103, Family 117 Martin Ryan, 39, M, Laborer, Cannot read, Cannot write, IR, IR, IR Mary Ryan, 39, Wife, M, Keeps house, IR, IR, IR Mary Ryan, 7,dau, S, NY, IR, IR Julia Ryan, 6, dau, S, NY, IR, IR Agnes Ryan, 4,dau, S, NY, IR, IR Anna Ryan, 3, dau, S, NY, IR, IR</p> |
| <p>1892 NY Onondaga Pompey John Mahar, 70, IR, C, Laborer Mary Mahar, 56, IR, C Thomas Mahar, 24, US, C, Laborer Maggie Maher, 23, US, C [Bridget Agnes?] Lawrence Mahar, 21, US, C Mary D. Mahar, 19, US, C</p> |
| <p>1900 NY Onondaga Pompey T623-1135-1B Res 19, Family 21, Owns farm #9 free of a mortgage Thomas Maher, Head, Mar 1870, 30, S, NY, IR, IR, Farmer Mary Maher, Mother, Jan 1829, 71, Wd, 74, IR, IR, IR, 1850, 50 yrs De Ann Maher, Sister, May 1872, 28, S, NY, IR, IR John Maher, Brother, Apr 1853, 47, Wd, NY, IR, IR, Carpenter</p> |
| <p>1905 Town of Pompey census returns missing from Ancestry and FamilySearch.org</p> |

1910 NY Onondaga Pompey T624-1054-9A

Res 147, Family 149, Owns farm #116 free of mortgage

Thomas F. Mahan, Head, 40, S, NY, IR, IR, Farmer, General farm, Emp

Mary Mahar, Mother, 75, Wd, 9/5, IR, IR, IR, 1850, None

Henry J. Skinner, Brother-in-law, 35, M1, 5 yrs, PA, PA, PA, Miller, Feed Mill, OA

De Anne M. Skinner, sister, 34, M1, 5 yrs, 5/4, NY, IR, IR, None

Mary F. Skinner, niece, 4, S, NY, PA, NY, None

Florence C. Skinner, niece, 3, S, NY, PA, NY, None

Henry J. Skinner, nephew, 11/12, S, NY, PA, NY, None

Thomas E. Skinner, nephew, 11/12, S, NY, PA, NY, None

1920 NY Onondaga Pompey T625-1250-5B

Farm, Res 130, Family 135, Owns farm with mortgage

Henry Skinner, Head, 45, PA, NY, WI, Blacksmith, Stone quarry

De Ann Skinner, Wife, 46, NY, IR, IR, None

Mary Skinner, dau, 14, NY, PA, NY, None

Florence Skinner, dau, 13, NY, PA, NY, None

Thomas Skinner, son, 11, NY, PA, NY, None

Henry Skinner, son, 11, NY, PA, NY, None

Winifred Skinner, dau, 9, NY, PA, NY, None

George Skinner, son, 6, NY, PA, NY, None

Agnes Skinner, dau, 5, NY, PA, NY, None

Margaret Skinner, dau, 5, NY, PA, NY, None

Thomas Mahar, Brother-in-law, 50, NY, IR, IR, Farmer, General farm

TWO sets of twins in the same family!

Census Records - Atkinson

1900 NY Onondaga Syracuse WD18

T623-1138-12A

314 Croton, Res 204, Family 293, Rents home

Thomas Atkinson, Head, Aug 1867, 32, M, 8, NY, NY, NY, Policeman

Agnes M. Atkinson, Wife, Aug 1870, 29, M, 8, 5/4, NY, IR, IR

Anna M. Atkinson, dau, Jun 1893, 7, S, NY, NY, NY, At school

Leo Atkinson, son, March 1894, 6, S, NY, NY, NY, At school

Winifred Atkinson, dau, Dec 1895, 4, S, NY, NY, NY

Mark Atkinson, son, Sept 1898, 1, S, NY, NY, NY

Cornelius Maher

(s/o John Maher and Mary Coonan)
(d/o Father and Mother)

Cornelius Maher
b. Jul 4, 1861, Pompey, NY
d. between 1920-1930, Ohio

= **Unknown (1)**
d. before 1900, Ohio

— **Leo Maher**
b. Feb 1889, Ohio

— **Paul Maher**
b. Mar 1891, Ohio

— **Unknown son**
Alive in 1893
d. before 1900

— **Marion E. Maher**
b. Feb 1896, Ohio
mar. 1923

= **Benjamin Gardner**
b. 1893, Illinois

= **Mary E. Quinlan (2)**
b. 1870, Ohio
mar. 1900
Alive in Toledo in 1930

1893-07-25 The Syracuse Courier, Syracuse, NY

“Mrs. .Cornelius Mahar and three sons of Youngstown, Ohio, are visiting at John Mahar’s and other relations in Pompey.”

“Lawrence Mahar, who is engaged in constructing telephone lines in Ohio under his brother Cornelius, is also visiting his father’s family. D. Anne Mahar is expected to go to Ohio with them for a visit when they return.”

1893-08-08 The Syracuse Courier, Syracuse, NY

“Mrs. Cornelius Mahar and her three sons and Lawrence Mahar returned to Ohio last Friday, having completed a four weeks’ visit. Miss De Anne Mahar went with them to be absent four weeks.”

| Name | 1900 | 1910 | 1920 | 1930 | 1940 |
|---------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| Location | Toledo | Toledo | Toledo | Toledo | Toledo |
| Cornelius Maher | 36 | 45 | 51 | | |
| Unknown (1) | | | | | |
| Mary E. Quinlan (2) | | 40 | 49 | 58 | |
| Children | | | | | |
| Leo Maher | 11 | 21 | 27 | | |
| Paul Maher | 9 | 19 | | | |
| Marion E. Maher | 4 | 14 | 22 | 32 | 47 |
| Benjamin Gardner | | | | 37 | 43 |

Census Records - Cornelius Maher

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| <p>1900 OH Lucas Toledo WD01 T623-1296-212B 317 Buffalo Street, Res 182, Family 185, Owns home with mortgage Cornelius Maher, Head, July 1863, 36, Wd, NY, NY, NY, Central Union Telephone Co., Foreman Leo Maher, son, Feb 1889, 11, S, Ohio, NY, Ohio Paul Maher, son, Mar 1891, 9, S, Ohio, NY, Ohio Marion Maher, dau, Feb 1896, 4, S, Ohio, NY, Ohio Hattie Scott, House keeper, May 1866, 34, S, Ohio, Ohio, Ohio</p> |
| <p>1910 OH Lucas Toledo WD04 T624-1208-2A 2258 Warren Street, Res 21, Family 35, Owns home free of mortgage Cornelius H. Maher, Head, 45, M2, 10 yrs, NY, NY, NY, Manager, Toledo Electric Mary E. Maher, Wife, 40, M1, 10 yrs, 0/0, OH, IR, IR, None Leo Maher, son, 21, S, OH, NY, OH, Electrician, Electric Store Paul Maher, son, 19, S, OH, NY, OH, Salesman, Electric Store Marion Maher, dau, 14, S, OH, NY, OH, None Daniel Quinlan, Brother-in-law, 30, S, OH, IR, IR, Clerk Railroad</p> |
| <p>1920 OH Lucas Toledo WD04 T625-1408-11A 2258 Warren Street, Res 184, Family 271, Owns home with a mortgage Cornelius H. Maher, Head, 51, M, NY, IR, IR, Contractor, Electrical Mary E. Maher, Wife, 49, M, OH, IR, IR, None Leo V. Maher, son, 27, S, OH, NY, OH, Operator, Water works Marian E. Maher, dau, 22, S, OH, NY, OH, Secretary, Railroad office</p> |
| <p>1930 OH Lucas Toledo T626-1834-17A 2258 Warren Street, Res 251, Family 353, Owns - \$9,000, Has a radio set Benjamin Gardner, Head, 37, M, 31 @ 1st mar, IL, IL, IL, Salesman, Atomizer Factory Marion Gardner, Wife, 32, M, 26 @ 1st mar, OH, NY, OH, None Mary E. Maher, Mother-in-law, 58, Wd, 27 @ 1st mar, OH, IR, NY, None</p> |
| <p>1940 OH Lucas Toledo T627-3266-8B 3642 Bowden, Res 176, Owns, \$8,500 Benjamin Gardner, Head, 47, M, C-1, IL, Same place, Sales promotion, Spray Gun Factory, employed 52 wks, \$3,600 in 1935 Marion Gardner, wife, 43, M, H-4, OH, Same place</p> |

John Conan and Bridget Coman

(s/o Jerry Conan and Winifred Walsh)

(d/o James Coman and Ann LNU)

John Conan

b. Jan, 1836, Upperchurch
To US in 1855
d. Dec 27, 1912, Syracuse,
NY
bur Immaculate Conception
Cem, Pompey, NY

= Bridget Coman

b. 1848, Ireland
d. bef 1892

James Conan

b. 1864, Onondaga Co, NY
d. Jun 5, 1916, Syracuse, NY
bur Pompey Cem, Pompey, NY

Never married

Emma Conan

b. 1866, Onondaga Co, NY
d. Jun 19, 1912
bur Pompey Cem, Pompey, NY

Never married

John Conan

b. 1870, Onondaga Co, NY
d. May 5, 1898, Syracuse, NY

= Unknown

d. abt Nov 1897

Anna Conan

b. 1873, Onondaga Co, NY

= John E. Keefe

b. 1872
d. Dec 21, 1942, Fabius, NY
bur Immaculate Conception Cem,
Pompey, NY

Mary Conan

b. 1876, Onondaga Co, NY
d. Mar 20, 1894, Ppompey, NY
bur Immaculate Conception Cem,
Pompey, NY

Never married

Jerry Conan

b. 1879, Onondaga Co, NY
d. bef 1912

Edward Conan

b. 1885, Pompey, NY

| Name | 1860 | 1865 | 1870 | 1875 | 1880 | 1892 | 1900 | 1905 | 1910 |
|-----------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|------|-------|
| Location | Pompey | Pompey | Pompey | Pompey | Pompey | Pompey | Pompey | | |
| James Cowman | 40 | 48 | 56 | 60 | | | | | |
| Ann Coman | 40 | 48 | 52 | 61 | | | | | |
| John Conan | 20 | 23 | 26 | 35 | 35 | 47 | 64 | | 74 |
| Bridget Conan | 13 | 18 | 24 | 27 | 32 | | | | |
| Children | | | | | | | | | |
| James Conan | | 1-2/12 | 6 | 11 | 16 | 27 | | | |
| Emma Conan | | | 4 | 9 | 14 | 25 | 33 | | Blank |
| John Conan | | | 1 | 6 | 10 | 23 | | | |
| Anna Conan | | | | 3 | 7 | 19 | | | |
| Mary Conan | | | | | 4 | 16 | | | |
| Jerry Conan | | | | | 1 | 13 | | | |
| Edward Conan | | | | | | 7 | | | |

Census Records - Conan

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| <p>1855 Town of Pompey census returns missing from Ancestry and FamilySearch.org</p> |
| <p>1860 NY Onondaga Pompey M653-829-746 Res 406, Family 398 James Coman, 40, Farm laborer, Real Est \$0, Per Est \$75, Ireland Ann Coman, 40, Ireland Bridget Coman, 13, Ireland, Attended school Res 719, Family 720 Daniel Kellogg, 64, Farmer, Real Est \$5,500, Per Est \$2,055, Connecticut Sally Kellogg, 55, NY John Conan, 20, Farm laborer, Real Est \$500, Per Est \$100, Ireland Sarah Foot, 43, Domestic, Rhode Island</p> |
| <p>1865 NY Onondaga Pompey Res 74, Frame, \$100, Family 80 James Coman, 48, Ireland, Married once, Married now, Laborer, Naturalized Ann Coman, 48, wife, Ireland, 2 children, Married once, Married now Res 72, Frame, \$150, Family 78 John Conan, 23, Ireland, Married once, Married now, Laborer, Naturalized Bridget Conan, 18, Wife, Ireland, 1 child, Married once, Married now James Conan, 1-2/12, Child, Onondaga</p> |
| <p>1870 NY Onondaga Pompey M593-1061-605B Res 555, Family 561, Real Est \$325, Per Est \$425 James Coman 56, Laborer, IR Ann Coman, 52, Keeps house, IR John Conan, 26, Laborer, IR Bridget Conan, 24, At home, IR James Conan, 6, NY Emma Conan, 4, NY John Conan, 1, NY All parents foreign born</p> |

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| <p>1875 NY Onondaga Pompey Res 208, Framed, \$500, Family 210 James Coman, 60, IR, M, Farm laborer Ann Coman, 61, Wife, IR, M John Conan, 35, Son-in-law, IR, M, Farm laborer Bridget Conan, 27, dau, IR, M James Conan, 11, G. son, Onondaga, S Emma Conan, 9, G. dau, Onondaga, S John Conan, 6, G. son, Onondaga, S Anna Conan, 3, G. son, Onondaga, S On close examination it is seen that James and Ann are COMAN while John and Bridget are CONAN.</p> |
| <p>1880 NY Onondaga Pompey T9-906-193A Res 223, Family 223 John Conan, 35, M, Laborer, IR, IR, IR Bridget Conan, 32, wife, M, Keeping house, IR, IR, IR James Conan, 16, son, S, Attended school, NY, IR, IR Emma Conan, 14, dau, S, Attended school, NY, IR, IR John Conan, 10, son, S, Attended school, NY, IR, IR Anna Conan, 7, dau, S, Attended school, NY, IR, IR Mary Conan, 4, dau, S, NY, IR, IR Jerry Conan, 1, son, S, NY, IR, IR</p> |
| <p>1892 NY Onondaga DeWitt James E. Conan, 27, US, C, School teacher James appears here in Dewitt and also below with his family in Pompey. As a teacher he was a boarder during the school week in Dewitt and lived with his parents on the weekend.</p> |
| <p>1892 NY Onondaga Pompey ED01 - Pg 9 John Conan, 47, IR, C, Laborer James Conan, 27, US, C, Teacher Emma Conan, 25, US, C, Servant John Jr. Conan, 23, US, C, Laborer Annie Conan, 19, US, C, Teacher Mary Conan, 16, US, C Jerry Conan, 13, US, C Edward Conan, 7, US, C John's wife Ann had died since Edward had been born in 1885.</p> |
| <p>1900 NY Onondaga Pompey T623-1135-5B Res 113, Family 120, Owns home with mortgage John Conan, Head, Jan 1836, 64, Wd, IR, IR, IR, 1855, 44, Na Emma M. Conan, dau, Apr 1867, 33, S, NY, IR, IR</p> |
| <p>1910 NY Onondaga Pompey T624-1054-10A Res 165, Family 163, rents farm # 124 John Conan, Head, 74, Wd, IR, IR, IR, 1855, Na, Farmer, General farm, Own account Emma Conan, dau, age blank, S, NY, IR, IR, None Mary Zugan, Servant, 14, S, Ukn, Ukn, Ukn, Servant, Private family</p> |

Baptism Records - St. James Catholic Church - Cazenovia, NY

1120. CONAN, James, son of John CONAN and Bridget COWMAN of Pompey,
born 26 March 1864, baptized 4 April 1864, at Cazenovia

Sponsors: James Conan and Mary Cowman, of Pompey

Priest: P. C. Brady

1298. COONAN, Emelia, daughter of John COONAN and Bridget COWMAN,
born 17 April 1866, baptized 22 April 1866, at Pompey.

Sponsors: Thomas Cahill and Bridget Tallent

Priest: Fr. P. C. Brady

1523. COONAN, John, son of John COONAN and Bridget COWMAN,
born 16 January 1869, baptized 24 January 1869, at Pompey

Sponsors: John Cowman and Bridget Meagher

Priest: P. C. Brady

1746. COONAN, Anna, daughter of John COONAN and Bridget COWMAN,
born 1 April 1872, baptized 28 April 1872, at Pompey Hill

Sponsors: Laurence Clear and Emma Coonan

Priest: P. C. Brady

Obituaries

Miss Emma Conan's Death Follows Brief Illness

Sister of Principal of Croton School Stricken Suddenly at Her Home in Pompey

Thursday, June 20, 1912, The Post Standard, Syracuse, NY

"Miss Emma A. Conan, 46, died at Pompey at 2:45 o'clock yesterday afternoon, following an illness of two days. She was a sister of Prof. J. E. Conan, principal of Croton School.

"Miss Conan left the house for a short walk about 9 o'clock Monday morning and returned in half an hour. She complained of feeling weak and dizzy and soon lapsed into unconsciousness, remaining in that condition until she died.

"Miss Conan was born at Pompey, and for the last twenty-five years had had charge of her father's home. She was active in the social affairs of the village and was well known throughout the southern section of the county.

"Besides her brother, Prof. Conan, she is survived by her father, John Conan; another brother, Edward Conan of Fabius, and a sister, Mrs. John E. Keefe of Fabius.

"The funeral will be held from Prof. Conan's home at Pompey at 10 o'clock Saturday morning and half an hour later at the Church of the Immaculate Conception, with burial at Pompey."

Former Teacher Asphyxiated By Gas

James E. Conan, at One Time Principal at Croton, Found Dead in Apartments

Tuesday, June 6, 1916, The Syracuse Journal, Syracuse, NY

"With illuminating gas coming from three open gas jets, James E. Conan, former principal of Croton School, was found dead in bed in his apartments, 11 Kathryn Flats, S.

Warren and Madison sts., at 4:45 o'clock Monday afternoon.

"When found, Mr. Conan was clad in his night cloths. Dr. H. B. Hawley was summoned, but an examination showed him that the man was beyond medical aid. The physician stated that Conan had been dead several hours. It is believed that the educator opened the gas jets in the front room and one in the bedroom of the apartment early Monday morning.

"The windows and doors were closed and but little gas was escaping from the crevices under the doors. The employee of the gas company stated that no man could have lived two hours in the gas-filled rooms. Fumes from the escaping fluid was not noticed until late in the afternoon. William Elliott, janitor of the building, endeavored to trace the source of the leak but without success. The lighting company was notified and employe[e]s from the gas department were hurried to the building.

"Every apartment was visited by the searchers in the efforts to locate the leak. Finally, the Conan apartments were entered by means of a duplicate key. The gas was turned off and the windows opened. After Dr. Hawley had pronounced

the man dead the coroner's office was notified. Dr. Crane and Herbert E. Lozott, superintendent of the county Morgue, hurried to the apartments. In his investigation, the coroner failed to



JAMES E. CONAN.

discover any note that would indicate the motive. He learned that Mr. Conan had been ill for some time but had made no threats to end his life. Unable to obtain steady employment, Dr. Crane believes that the man committed suicide while suffering from melancholia. The coroner decided that neither an autopsy nor inquest would be necessary.

“After serving as principal of Croton School Mr. Conan was removed in 1913. He accepted a position in a school in Brooklyn last fall, but remained only a few weeks. Since that time he has been a subscription agent for magazine and book firms.

“Born in Pompey 53 years ago, Mr. Conan was educated in the Pompey Academy and in Cortland Normal School. For several years he was a teacher in the schools at Pompey, Jamesville and Tully. Mr. Conan accepted the principalship of Croton School in 1895 while serving as an instructor in the Utica High School.

“He is survived by one brother, Edward Conan of Fabius.”

He Was Found Dead in Bed This Morning - Brother of the Principal of Croton School

Thursday, May 5, 1898, The Syracuse Daily Journal, Syracuse, NY

“John Conan, who was employed as shipping clerk at the Dey clock factory on North State st., was found dead in bed this morning at his room, No. 4 The Crichton. Conan complained of feeling unwell last night, but thought that it was due to the severe cold from which he was suffering. Some of his relatives called at his room last night to see if they could be of any service to him, and Conan replied in the negative, saying that he would be all right by morning.

“About 8 o'clock this morning James Brown went to Conan's room to awaken him. He failed to respond as usual to his call and on entering Conan's room Brown found Conan lying in bed. An investigation showed that he was dead.

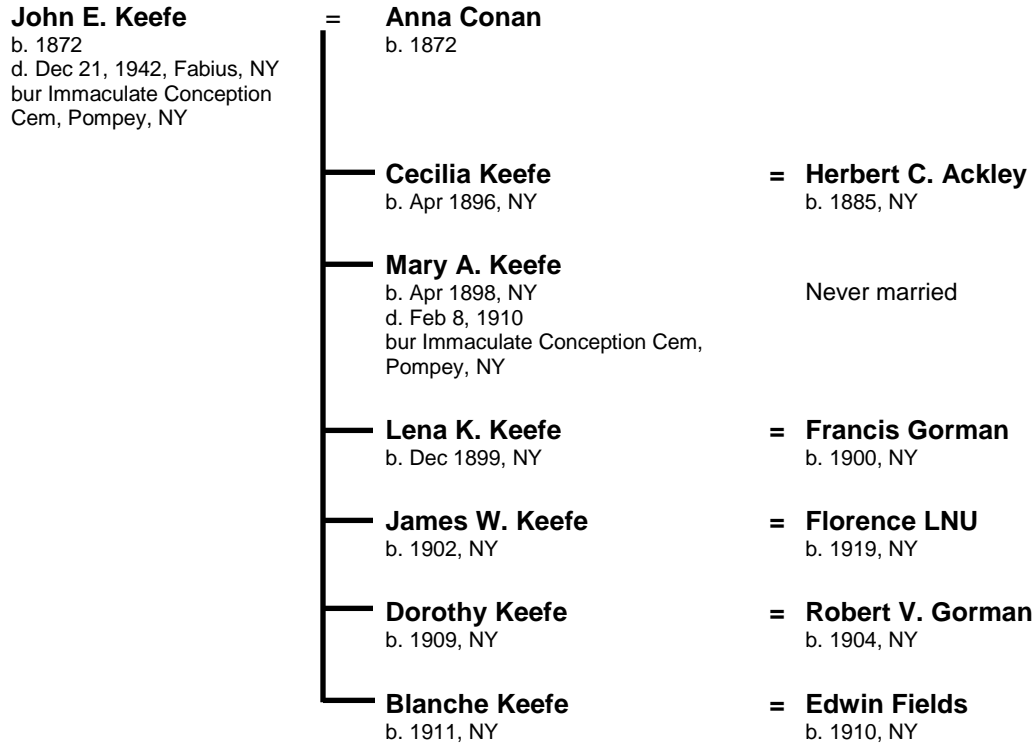
“Subsequently Coroner Weaver was notified, and after viewing the body he ordered it removed to McCarthy's undertaking rooms.

“When Conan's body was found it was lying in a cramped position and there was blood about the mouth. It was conjectured that the blood was due to a hemorrhage of the stomach. Coroner Weaver is of the opinion that death was due to natural causes, but in order to determine the exact cause an autopsy has been ordered for this afternoon.

“Conan was 28 years of age and a brother of James Conan, principal of Croton school. About six months ago Conan's wife died and for a time, it is said, the husband was despondent. Lately, however, it is said that he had become reconciled.”

John Keefe and Anna Conan

(s/o Michael Keefe and Ann LNU)
 (d/o John Conan and Bridget Coman)



John Keefe's survivors (1942):

Daughters:

- Mrs. Francis Gorman of Homer; (Lena K. Keefe)
- Mrs. Robert Gorman of Pompey; (Dorothy E. Keefe)
- Mrs. Herbert Ackley of Syracuse (Cecilia Keefe); and
- Mrs. Edwin Fields of Cardiff (Blanche Keefe);

Son:

James Keefe of Jamesville;

Sisters:

- Mrs. Anna King of San Francisco and
- Miss Kathleen Keefe of Rochester;

Brother:

James Keefe of Auburn

Census Records - Edward Conan and Anna Conan Keefe

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| <p>1892 NY Onondaga Pompey ED01 - Pg 9 John Conan, 47, IR, C, Laborer James Conan, 27, US, C, Teacher Emma Conan, 25, US, C, Servant John Jr. Conan, 23, US, C, Laborer Annie Conan, 19, US, C, Teacher Mary Conan, 16, US, C Jerry Conan, 13, US, C Edward Conan, 7, US, C John's wife Ann had died since Edward had been born in 1885.</p> |
| <p>1900 NY Onondaga Fabius Dist 0049 T623- XXX-5 ED0049 IMG 9/22 Res 111, Family 113, Rents famr #22 John Keefe, Head, Nov 1872, 27, M, 5, NY, IR, IR, Farmer Annie Keefe, Wife, Apr 1873, 27, M, 5, 3/3, NY, IR, IR Cecilia A. Keefe, dau, Apr 1896, 4, S, NY, NY, NY Mary A. Keefe, dau, Apr 1898, 2, S, NY, NY, NY Lena K. Keefe, dau, Dec 1899, 6/12, S, NY, NY, NY Fred Griner, Servant, Nov 1858, 41, S, NY, Germany, Germany, Farm laborer, 3 mos not employed Irvin Hobart, Servant, Apr 1879, 21, S, NY, NY, NY, Farm laborer, 3 mos not employed</p> |
| <p>1900 NY Onondaga Fabius Edward Conan not found in Fabius - all 22 images reviewed</p> |
| <p>1905 NY Onondaga Fabius ED01 - Pg 17 Keeney Road Jerry Ryan, Head, 46, US, Cit, Farm laborer Edward Conan, nephew, 19, US, Cit, Day laborer Just up the road - two houses away John Keefe, Head, 34, US, Cit, Farmer Anna Keefe, Wife, 34, US, Cit, House work Celia A. Keefe, dau, 9, US, Cit, At school (8) Mary A. Keefe, dau, 7, US, Cit, At school (8) Lena K. Keefe, dau, 5, US, Cit, At home James W. Keefe, son, 3, US, Cit, At home</p> |
| <p>1910 NY Onondaga Fabius Dist 0054 T624-1054-11A Mill Street, Res 96, Family 104 Edward Conan, boarder, 24, S, NY, IR, IR, Laborer, Odd jobs Edward is boarding with the Willis Parker family</p> |
| <p>1910 NY Onondaga Fabius Dist 0054 T624-1054-9A Main Street, Res 56, Family 61, Owns farm #110 free of a mortgage John Keefe, Head, 38, M1, 15, NY, IR, IR, Farmer, General Anna Keefe, Wife, 38, M1, 6/4, NY, IR, IR, None Celia Keefe, dau, 14, S, NY,NY, NY, None Lena Keefe, dau, 10, S, NY,NY, NY, None James Keefe, son, 7, S, NY,NY, NY, None Dorothy E. Keefe, dau, 1, S, NY,NY, NY, None</p> |
| <p>1915 John Keefe not found</p> |
| <p>1920 John Keefe not found in Dist 0057 or Dist 0058 - page by page search Edward Conan not found in Dist 0057 or Dist 0058 - page by page search</p> |

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| <p>1925 NY Onondaga Fabius AD03 ED01 John Keefe, Head, 53, US, 53, Cit, Farmer, Own account Celia A. Keefe, dau, 29, US, 29, Cit, Bookkeeper Lena C. Keefe, dau, 25, US, 25, Cit, Teacher James A. Keefe, son, 22, US, 22, Cit, Day laborer Dorothy E. Keefe, dau, 16, US, 16, Cit, Student Blanch L. Keefe, dau, 14, US, 14, Cit, Student</p> |
| <p>1930 NY Onondaga Fabius Dist 0144 T626-1624-3A Pompey Street, Res 68,Family 69, Owns farm #7 John Keefe, Head, 58, Wd, NY, IR, IR, Farmer, General farm Dorothy Keefe, dau, 21, S, NY, NY, NY, None Blanche Keefe, dau, 18, S, NY, NY,NY, None</p> |
| <p>1930 Edward Conan not in Fabius Dist 0144</p> |
| <p>1940 NY Onondaga Fabius Dist 34-26 T627 m-t0627-02703 1A Res 8, Owns farm \$3,000 John Keefe, Head, 68, Wd, 8th, Same house, dairyman, Farming, Own account, Worked 52 wks Celia Ackley, dau, 43, M, H-3, Randallsville, Madison, NY Herbert Ackley, son-in-law, 55, M, H-4, Randallsville, Madison, NY, Carpenter, Building trades, Worked 26 wks, \$400 in '39</p> |

Tuesday, February 18, 1930, the Cortland Standard, Cortland, NY
Fabius - "John Keefe has sold his cabbage and is busy delivering them."

Obituaries

John Keefe, 71, Dies Of Heart Disease

Monday, December 21, 1942, The Herald-Journal, Syracuse, NY

"The funeral of John Keefe, 71, who died suddenly of a heart attack Sunday at his home at Fabius, will be conducted at 9:15 A. M. Wednesday at the home and at 10 A. M. in Immaculate Conception Church, Pompey.

"Surviving are four daughters: Mrs. Francis Gorman of Homer; Mrs. Robert Gorman of Pompey; Mrs. Herbert Ackley of Syracuse; and Mrs. Edwin Fields of Cardiff; a son, James Keefe of Jamesville; two sisters, Mrs. Anna King of San Francisco and Miss Kathleen Keefe of Rochester; a brother, James Keefe of Auburn, and several nieces and nephews. Burial will be in Pompey."

Jeremiah Conan and Margaret Kennedy

Following the trail of Jeremiah Conan presented a challenge. The Conan family made it a practice to use the given names Jerry, James and John in every generation. The obituary writers for the newspapers of the day didn't always give the age of the deceased, the name of the widow or widower and occasionally confused surviving siblings for children and vice versa. The only course through this confused situation was to gather as many records as possible and connect them together in a manner that presented the minimum number of inconsistencies.

Jerry showed up in the 1860, 1875, 1880, 1892 and 1900 census records. The primary remaining inconsistency comes from Jeremiah Conan's obituary:

"Born at Upper Church, County Tipperary, Ireland, **April 21, 1848**, Mr. Conan came to the United States when 10 years old and with his parents located at Pompey.

When Jeremiah showed up in the 1860 his was a 17-year-old farm laborer. He might have come to the US in 1858 but he wasn't 10 years-old and his parents remained in Ireland. Jeremiah's records from Upperchurch indicated that he was baptized on November 20, 1839. This made him almost 8-1/2 years older than indicated in his obituary. Jeremiah's forty some years of experience in the carpet business helped pull together the census records. In the 1875 and 1880 census Jeremiah was born in Onondaga County and NY respectively which is obviously wrong if the occupation is allowed to ties these records together. Based on the age of his oldest son (Mark age 14 in 1892) Jeremiah and Margaret were married about 1878. In 1880 census Jeremiah is married but is residing at the Remington house by himself. His wife Margaret Kennedy Conan was no longer living at her mother's home in 1880 but she was not living with her husband and has not been found anywhere else in Syracuse.

Census Records - Jerry Conan

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| 1860 NY Onondaga Pompey M653-829-786 Res 718, Family 719 Samuel Baker, 66, Farmer, Real Est \$7,500, Per Est \$1,562, NY Eunice Baker, 66, Connecticut Jeremiah Conan , 17, Farm laborer, Ireland Lorinda Howard, 77, Domestic, NY Jane Willy, 17, Domestic, NY Hannah Williston, 66, Per Est \$800, Massachusetts Res 719, Family 720 Daniel Kellogg, 64, Farmer, Real Est \$5,500, Per Est \$2,055, Connecticut Sally Kellogg, 55, NY John Conan , 20, Farm laborer, Real Est \$500, Per Est \$100, Ireland Sarah Foot, 43, Domestic, Rhode Island |
| 1875 NY Onondaga Syracuse WD06 ED01 Remington house - 80 roomers Jerry Conan, 29, Boarder, Onondaga , Single, Carpet Store Clerk |
| 1880 NY Onondaga Syracuse T9-907-350C Corner of Warren and East RR Street, Remington House, Res 22, Family 225 Jerry Conan, 35, Married, Forman in Carpets, NY , IR, IR |

The following obituary was the beginning of the trail to find Jeremiah Conan. Finding the maiden name of his wife allowed the correct census records to be found.

Was A Former Syracuse Teacher

Wednesday, March 14, 1900, The Post Standard, Syracuse, NY

“Mrs. F. J. Sullivan, formerly Mrs. [Miss] Emeline Kennedy of this city, and at one time a teacher in Putnam School, died at her home in Brooklyn yesterday morning after a brief illness. She is survived by her husband, five children, her mother, Mrs. Mark Kennedy of this city, **one sister, Mrs. Jerry Conan, also of Syracuse,** and two brothers, residing in New York city.”

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| <p>1860 NY Onondaga Syracuse WD03 M653-830-412 Res 211, Family 221 Mark Kenedy, 42, Day laborer, IR Bridget Kenedy, 34, IR, Cannot read or write Eliza Ann Kenedy, 15, NY, Attended school Margaret Kenedy, 10, NY, Attended school Ellen Kenedy, 7, NY, Attended school Emeline Kenedy, 3, NY Eliza McKimmons, 23, Canada</p> |
| <p>1865 NY Onondaga Syracuse WD07 (South of Madison), pg. 37 Res 213, Frame, \$1,200, Family 289 Mark Kennedy, 50, IR, Married once, Married now, Laborer, Naturalized, Owner of land Bridget Kennedy, 38, Wife, IR, 9 children, Married once, Married now Eliza Ann Kennedy, 20, dau, Onondaga, S, Teacher Ellen Kennedy, 12, dau, Onondaga, Emeline Kennedy, 8, dau, Onondaga, Margaret Kennedy, 15, dau, Onondaga, Edwin Kennedy, 5/12, son, Onondaga,</p> |
| <p>1870 NY Onondaga Syracuse WD07 M593-1063-461B Res 821, Family 1021 Bridget Kennedy, 42, Keep house, real est \$2,500, Per Est \$800, IR, Cannot read or write Eliza Kennedy, 25, School teacher, NY Maggie Kennedy, 20, School teacher, NY Ellen Kennedy, 17, NY, Attended school Emeline Kennedy, 12, NY, Attended school Edward Kennedy, 5, NY All parents of foreign birth</p> |
| <p>1880 NY Onondaga Syracuse Dist 219 T9-908-436C 62 Jackson Street, Res 242, Family 341 Bridget Kennedy, 53, Wd, Keeping house, IR, IR, IR Eliza Kennedy, 28, dau, S, School teacher, NY, IR, IR Emaline Kennedy, 23, dau, S, School teacher, NY, IR, IR Edwin F. Kennedy, 15, son, S, At school, NY, IR, IR</p> |
| <p>1892 NY Onondaga Syracuse WD06 ED06 Jerimia Conan, 44, Ireland, C, Salesman Margaret Conan, 36, US, C Mark Conan, 14, US, C James Conan, 9, US, C Bridget Kennedy, 61, Ireland, Alien Eliza Kennedy, 41, US, C</p> |

1900 NY Onondaga Syracuse WD19 Dist 0161

218 Beard Avenue

Jeremiah Conan, Head, Apr 1848, 52, M, 30, IR, IR, IR, 1852, 48, Naturalized, Buyer of carpets

Margaret K. Conan, wife, July 1851, 49, M, 30, 2/2, NY, IR, IR

Mark E. Conan, son, Jan 1879, 21, S, NY, IR, NY, At school

James M. J. Conan, son, Feb 1884, 16, S, NY, IR, NY, Student

Bridget Kennedy, Mother-in-law, Aug 1826, 73, Wd, 9/3, IR, IR, IR, 1843, 56

Margaret McGuire, Servant, March 1872, 28, S, NY, NY, NY, Servant

Kennedy, Bridget McKenna

Monday, January 13, 1908, The Syracuse Herald, Syracuse, NY

“In this city, January 12th, 1908, Bridget McKenna, widow of the late Mark Kennedy.

“Funeral at the family home, No. 218 West Beard avenue, Wednesday morning at 9 o’clock and at the Church of St. Anthony of Padua at 9:30. Friends are invited to attend. Burial in St. Agnes cemetery. Please omit flowers.”

Cortland Chat

Thursday, January 16, 1908, The Syracuse Herald, Syracuse, NY

“Mrs. W. F. Maher attended the funeral of her aunt, Mrs. Bridget M. Kennedy at Syracuse yesterday.”

Jeremiah Conan Dead; 44 Years In One Store

Tuesday, March 8, 1910, The Post Standard, Syracuse, NY

Well-known South Side Man Passes Away After Illness of Two Months

“Jeremiah Conan, for forty-four years an employe of D. McCarthy & Co., and the Hunter, Tuppen Company, died at 9:15 o’clock last evening at his residence, No. 218 West Beard avenue. He had been seriously ill since January 1.

“Born at Upper Church, County Tipperary, Ireland, **April 21, 1848**, Mr. Conan came to the United States when 10 years old and with his parents located at Pompey. In 1866 he came to Syracuse and entered the employ of D. McCarthy & Co., and remained with that company through several changes in the capacity of buyer, manager and salesman in the carpet department, remaining after the Hunter, Tuppen company acquired control. He was one of the oldest employees of the store.

“Besides his wife, Mrs. Margaret Kennedy Conan, he is survived by two sons, a sister, **Mrs. John Maher** of the same place. The funeral will be held at 3 o’clock Thursday morning from the house and half an hour later at the Church of St. Anthony of Padua. Burial will be at St. Agnes Cemetery.”

Honora Conan



Photo courtesy of Paul Conan, Jr.

Caption on back of photo: “Honarah Conan, married Pierce Phelan, my father’s sister” Who wrote this? The picture is from a Toledo photo studio, which is the city in which Pierce died.

In the Pierce Phelan genealogy by Mary Ann Stewart Kaylor, Pierce Phelan married Honora *McCauliff*. This was seen to be incorrect when Paul Conan, Jr. was able to produce a picture of Honora Conan Phelan and her children who were living in Toledo, Ohio with her husband Pierce Phelan.

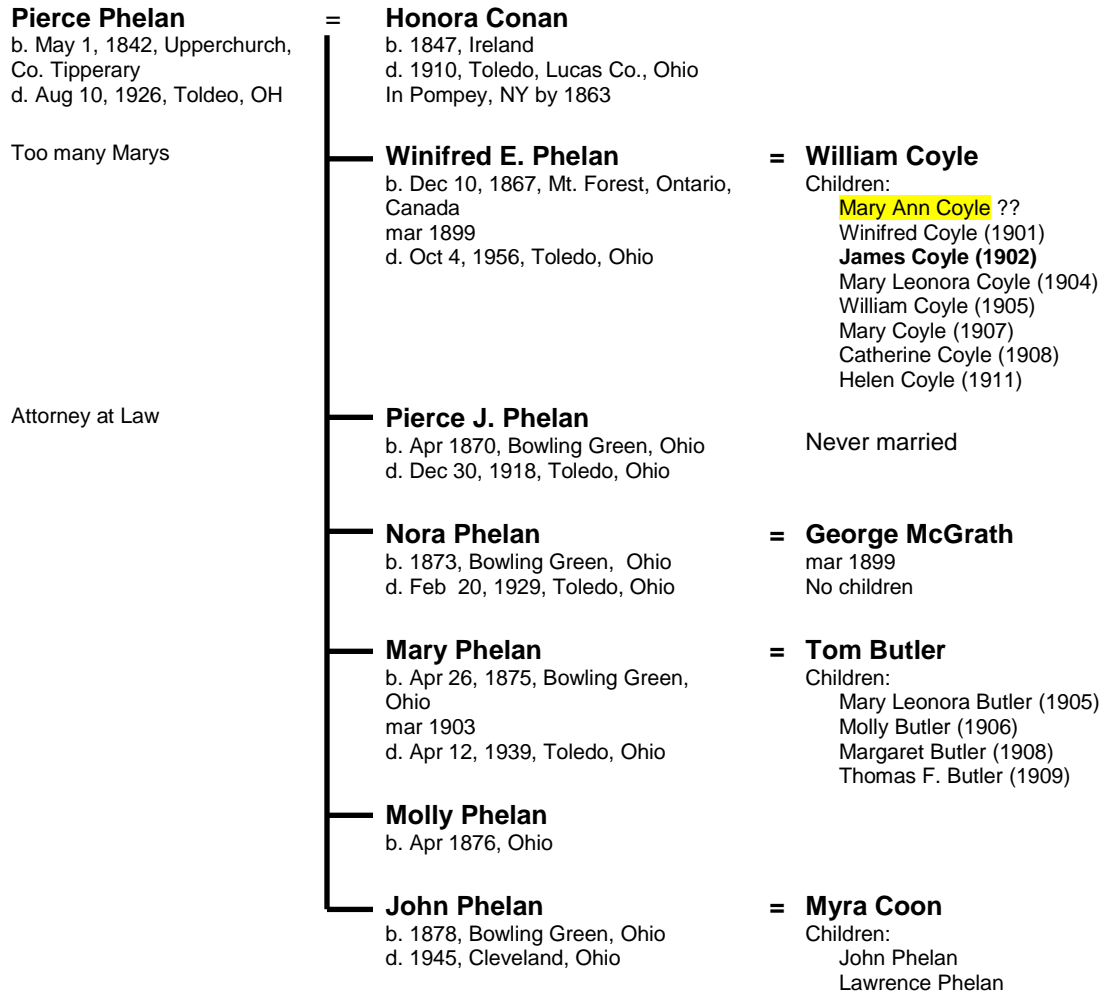
Pierce Phelan (born 1842, Upperchurch, Co. Tipperary) came from Proton Twp, Grey Co. Ontario, Canada to Pompey, Onondaga Co., NY by 1866. He actually married Honora Conan (also from Upperchurch) in about 1866 and they returned to Ontario in 1867. By 1871 they were in Bowling Green Ohio. Pierce died in 1926 in Toledo, Ohio.

This places Honorah Conan in the Conan family tree. She was born in the 1847 in Ireland and was the baby of the family. Like her sister Mary, no baptismal record for Honorah was found in the Upperchurch parish registers.

Honora Conan and Pierce Phelan

(s/o Pierce Phelan and Mary Dwyer)

(d/o Jerry Conan and Winifred Walsh)



Molly Phelan appears in the Phelan Family Genealogy Report by Mary Ann Stewart Kaylor but she did not appear in the 1880 census records. At first it was thought that she had died sometime prior to the 1880 census. However, Molly showed up in the 1900 census at age 24. Since Honora Conan Phelan only had 5 children and all 5 were alive in 1900, Mary and Molly must be the same person.

Census Records - Conan and McAuliff

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| <p>1860 NY Onondaga Fabius M653-829-818 Res 995, Family 997 Bartholomew McColiff, 56, Farmer, Real Est \$1,250, Per Est \$460, IR Ellen McColiff, 45, IR Thomas McColiff, 14, IR Honora McColiff, 12, IR Eugene McColiff, 10, IR Michael McColiff, 4, NY</p> |
| <p>1865 NY Onondaga Pompey Res 62, Frame, \$100, Family 68 Leander Greenleaf, 57, Vermont, Married once, Married now Miriam Greenleaf, 51, Wife, Onondaga, 5 children, Married once, Married now Edwin Greenleaf, 19, Child, Onondaga, S Tiffany Greenleaf, 16, Child, Onondaga, S John Coman, 23, Help, Ireland, Married once, Married now Honora Coman, 26, Help, Ireland, 1 child, Married once, Married now Annora Conan, 20, Help, Ireland, S ?aence Lenara (Male), 7/12, Child, Onondaga Although the exact name of the 7 month old child has resisted efforts at deciphering, the young boy would appear to be the child of John and Honora Coman.</p> <p>In the 1865 Pompey census there was a 20 year old Annora Conan living and working on the Greenleaf farm as hired help. Also employed as hired help were John and Honora Coman. These are two different names: Coman and Conan. There are connections between these two families. At residence 72 was John Conan and his new bride Bridget Coman. Two residences away at No. 74 were Bridget's parents James and Ann Coman.</p> <p>It would appear that there are two Irish born Honora's available to marry Pierce Phelan when he arrives from Ontario, Canada in 1866 - but which one did he pick? The 1870 census contains the answer.</p> |
| <p>1870 NY Onondaga Pompey M593-1061-600B Res 474, Family 480 John McAuliff, 28, Farmer, Real Est \$8,000, Per Est \$2,000, IR Ellen McAuliff, 52, Keeps house, IR Julia McAuliff, 26, At home, IR Hannah McAuliff, 23, At home, IR -This is probably Honora McColiff from 1860 All parents foreign born Res 475, Family 481 Michael McAuliff, 14, Attends school, NY, Attended school Hugh Harold, 24, Farm hand, Canada All parents foreign born Hannah (Honora) McAuliff is still single and living with her family in Pompey. Pierce and Nora Phelan are married and living in Bowling Green, Ohio (see next page).</p> |

The census records for McAuliff were collected to help resolve the Conan/McAuliff confusion found in the various Phelan Genealogies. It was finally decided that the listing of Honora McAuliff as the wife of Pierce Phelan was incorrect. Pierce had married Honora Conan.

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| <p>1870 Ohio Wood Bowling Green M593-1283-307A Res 6, Family 6 Pierce Phelan, 23, Blacksmith, Real Est \$1,700, Per Est \$200, Ireland, Male citizen over 21 Nora Phelan, 21, Keeping house, Ireland Winnaford Phelan, 2, Canada West Pierce J. Phelan 2/12 (April), Ohio All Parents of foreign birth</p> <p>Honora Conan was missing from Pompey in 1870, while Honora (Hannah) McAuliff was still there. However, Pierce appeared in the 1870 Bowling Green, Ohio census with his Nora. It appears that Pierce Phelan married a CONAN and not a McAULIFF</p> |
| <p>1880 Ohio Wood Bowling Green T9-1078-179C Res 147, Family 151 Pierce Phelan, 33, M, Blacksmith, IR, IR, IR Nora Phelan, 29, Wife, M, Keeping house, IR, IR, IR Winniford Phelan, 12, dau, S, Attending school, Attended school, Canada, IR, IR Pierce J. Phelan, 10, S, At home, Attended school, Ohio, IR, IR Nora Phelan, 8, dau, S, Attended school, Ohio, IR, IR Mary Phelan, 6, dau, S, Attended school, Ohio, IR, IR, Cannot read or write John Phelan, 2, son, S, Ohio, IR, IR, IR</p> |
| <p>1900 OH Lucas Toledo WD13 T623-1298-7B 231 Broadway, Res 129, Family 165, Owns house free of a mortgage Pierce Phelan, Head, May 1846, 54, M, 32 yrs married, IR, IR, IR, 1868, 32, Blacksmith Nora Phelan, Wife, Apr 1850, 50, M, 32 yrs married, 5/5, IR, IR, IR 1863, 37 Pierce J. Phelan, son, Apr 1871, 29, S, OH, IR, IR, Attorney at law Molly Phelan, dau, Apr 1876, 24, S, OH, IR, IR, Milliner</p> |
| <p>1910 OH Lucas Toledo WD11 T624-1210-1B 231 Broadway, Res 19, Family 23, Owns home free of mortgage Pierce Phelan, Head, 60, Wd, IR, IR, IR, 1857, Na, Own income Pierce J. Phelan, son, 39, S, OH, IR, IR, Attorney, At. Law, Own account Lenora A. McGrath, dau, 37, M1, 11, 0/0, OH, IR, IR, None George W. McGrath, Son-in-law, 37, M1, 11, OH, IR, IR, Clerk, Rail road</p> |
| <p>1920 OH Lucas Toledo WD11 T625-1410-8A 231 Broadway, Res 105, Family 150, Owns farm free of mortgage Pierce Phelan, Head, 74, Wd, 1864, NA 1872, IR, IR, IR, None George McGrath, Son-in-law, 46, M, OH, IR, IR, Clerk, Railroad Leonora McGrath, dau, 46, M, OH, IR, IR, None Charley Bennett, Lodger, 40, M, IL, IL, IL, Laborer, Contractor Josephine Bennett, Lodger, 40, M, IL, IL, IL, None</p> |

Census Records - Coyle

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| 1910 OH Lucas Toledo WD11 | T624-1210-1B |
| 539 Broadway, Res18, Family 18, Owns home free of a mortgage William Coyle, Head, 47, M1, 12, OH, IR, IR, Merchant, Undertaker, Own account Winifred Coyle, Wife, 41, M1, 12, 6/6, Canada, IR, IR, 1878, None Winifred M. Coyle, dau, 10, S, OH, OH, Canada, None James P. Coyle, son, 8, S, OH, OH, Canada, None Leonora V. Coyle, dau, 7, S, OH, OH, Canada, None William J. Coyle, son, 6, S, OH, OH, Canada, None Mary M. Coyle, dau, 4, S, OH, OH, Canada, None Katherine A. Coyle, dau, 2, S, OH, OH, Canada, None Barbara Deimling, Servant, 28, S, OH, Germany, OH, Housekeeper, Private family | |
| 1920 OH Lucas Toledo WD11 | T625-1410-9B |
| 539 Broadway Street, Res166, Family 225, Owns home free of a mortgage William C. Coyle, Head, 57, M, OH, IR, IR, Undertaker, Undertaking, Own account Winifred Coyle, Wife, 50, M, OH, IR, IR Winifred Coyle, dau, 19, S, OH, OH, OH, Teacher, Music, Own account James P. Coyle, son, 17, S, OH, OH, OH, None Leonora Coyle, dau, 16, S, OH, OH, OH, None William J. Coyle, son, 15, S, OH, OH, OH, None Mary M. Coyle, dau, 13, S, OH, OH, OH, None Catherine A. Coyle, dau, 12, S, OH, OH, OH, None Helen M. Coyle, dau, 9, S, OH, OH, OH, None Barbara Dening, servant, 37, S, OH, Germany, OH, Servant, Private family Mary Gilday, Roomer, 36, S, OH, IR, IR, Teacher, School | |
| 1930 OH Lucas Toledo WD16 | T626-1838-1B |
| 3324 River Road, Res 23, Family 24, Owns home \$25,000, Owns a radio set William C. Coyle, Head, 66, M, 34 @ 1 st mar, OH, IR, IR, Undertaker, Funeral Director Winifred E. Coyle, Wife, 60, M, 29 @ 1 st mar, Canada, IR, IR, None Winifred M. Coyle, dau, 29, S, OH, OH, Canada None James P. Coyle, son, 28, S, OH, OH, Canada None William J. Coyle, son, 25, S, OH, OH, Canada None Kathern A. Coyle, dau, 22, S, OH, OH, Canada, Undertaker, Assistant Hellen M. Coyle, dau, 19, S, OH, OH, Canada, Servant, Housework Barbara Deeming, Roomer, 48, S, OH, Germany, OH, None | |

Census Records - Butler

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| 1930 OH Lucas Toledo WD10 | T626-1836-2A |
| 2606 Parkwood Avenue, Res 33, Family 33, Owns house \$12,000, Owns a radio set Thomas Butler, Head, 56, M, 29 @ 1 st mar, OH, IR, OH, Agt Transportation, Rapid Transit Mary C. Butler, Wife, 55, M, 27 @ 1 st mar, OH, IR, IR, None Lenore M. Butler, dau, 25, S, OH, OH, OH, Advertising, Dry Goods Store Mary E. Butler, dau, 24, S, OH, OH, OH, Teacher, Public school Margaret C. Butler, dau, 22, S, OH, OH, OH, None Thomas F. Butler, son, 21, S, OH, OH, OH, None | |



The Pierce and Honora Phelan children in Toledo, Ohio. These are probably Winifred (b. 1868), Pierce (b. 1870), and Nora (b. 1872). Photo from Paul B. Conan, Jr.

The Photograph - Robert Conan and Friends



Photo received from Paul Conan, Jr., April 18, 2017. Paul estimated that the picture had been taken in 1898 or 1899.

1. Jim McGraw - brother of John, son of Martin and Mary McGraw
2. Nick Conan - son of James and Ann Walsh Conan; brother of Josie Conan
3. John McGraw - brother of James, son of Martin and Mary McGraw
4. Mayme Hayes Lowery - not found
5. Agnes Berrigan - daughter of Thomas Berrigan and Bridget Doherty; aunt of 1960's radical Roman Catholic priests Daniel and Philip Berrigan. Daniel, Philip and their other four brothers were pall bearers at Agnes' 1939 funeral.
6. Josie Conan - daughter of James and Ann Walsh Conan; sister of Nick Conan; married John Young April 20, 1909, Pompey, NY.
7. Nellie Lane Conan - wife of James J. Conan and mother of Robert Conan, Sr.
8. Unknown
9. Robert Conan, Sr. - born 1897, son of James and Nellie Lane Conan. Paul Conan, Jr.'s grandfather.

Using the census records, only one Mayme Hayes was found in Syracuse but not a Mayme Lowery. Neither person was found in Cortland. A Mayme Hayes, b. 1878, showed up in Auburn, NY in the 1910 and 1920 census. She was living with her parents John and Johanna Hayes.

Martin McGraw and Mary A. LNU

Revised: January 7, 2018

(s/o Father and Mother)

(d/o Father and Mother)

Martin McGraw

b. Nov 1847, Ireland
To US 1863
d. Feb 14, 1917

1910 - Apulia, NY
1917 - Apulia, NY

1910 - Brewster, NY
1917 - Brewster, NY

1910 - Syracuse, NY

1910 - Lafayette
1917 - Lafayette

1910 - Lafayette
1917 - Lafayette

= Mary A. LNU

b. Feb 1846, Co. Tipperary
To US 1851
d. 1925-1930

Rose Hannah McGraw
b. 1872, NY

James M. McGraw
b. 1873, NY
d. Aug 5, 1910, Lafayette, NY

Mary A. McGraw
b. 1876, NY

John McGraw
b. 1878, NY
d. between 1910-1917

Anna G. McGraw
b. 1881, NY

Susan A. McGraw
b. Sep 1882, NY

= Michael Fenlon

b. Aug 1870, NY
d. Aug 9, 1950, Syracuse, NY

Never married

= George McCall

b. 1881

Never married

Never married

McGraw Census Ages

| Name | 1870 | 1880 | 1900 | 1905 | 1910 | 1920 | 1925 | 1930 | 1940 |
|--------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Location | Lafay. | Lafay. | Lafay. | Lafay. | Lafay. | DeWitt | DeWitt | DeWitt | DeWitt |
| Martin McGraw | 25 | 33 | 52 | 57 | 67 | | | | |
| Mary A. LNU | | 34 | 54 | 60 | 64 | 74 | 79 | | |
| Children | | | | | | | | | |
| Rose Hannah McGraw | | 8 | | | | | | | |
| James M. McGraw | | 7 | | 31 | 34 | | | | |
| Mary A. McGraw | | 4 | | | | | | | |
| John F. McGraw | | 3 | 21 | 27 | | | | | |
| Anna G. McGraw | | | | 24 | | 39 | 42 | 49 | 59 |
| Susan A. McGraw | | | 17 | 22 | 26 | 37 | 41 | 47 | 57 |
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Census Records - Martin McGraw

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| <p>1870 NY Onondaga Lafayette M593-1060-311B Res 491, Family 491 Oliver Wadkins, 60, Farmer, Real Est \$18,000, Per Est \$1,500, NY, Cannot read or write Catherine Wadkins, 56, Keeping house, NY Mary Fackesbury, 5, NY Martin McGraw, 25, Farm laborer, IR, Both parents foreign born, Millard Trinder, 14, Farm laborer, NY Eliza Phillips, 57, House keeping, NY Lucy Welch, 9, NY</p> |
| <p>1875 Martin McGraw family not found</p> |
| <p>1880 NY Onondaga LaFayette T9-905-291C Res 158, Family 169 Martin McGraw, 33, M, Farmer, IR, IR, IR Mary McGraw, 34, Wife, M, Keeping house, IR, IR, IR Hannah McGraw, 8, dau, S, NY, IR, IR James M. McGraw, 7, son, S, NY, IR, IR Mary A. McGraw, 4, dau, S, NY, IR, IR John McGraw, 3, son, S, NY, IR, IR</p> |
| <p>1880 NY Onondaga LaFayette T9-905-291C Res 162, Family 173 John L. Lane, 29, M, Laborer, NY, IR, IR Honora Lane, 24, Wife, M, Keeping house, NY, IR, IR Michael Lane, 5, son, S, NY, NH, NY John Lane, 2, son, S, NY, NH, NY The father's birth state doesn't match that of his sons. This could imply that these children are John Lane's step-children.</p> |
| <p>1892 Martin McGraw family not found</p> |

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| <p>1900 NY Onondaga Lafayette T623-1135-2A Res 27, Family 28, Owns farm #8, free of a mortgage Martin McGraw, Head, Nov 1847, 52, M, 27 yrs, IR, IR, IR, 1863, 37, Na, Farmer Mary A. McGraw, Wife, Feb 1846, 54, M, 27 yrs, 6/6, IR, IR, IR, 1841, 49 John McGraw, son, June 1878, 21, S, NY, IR, IR, Farm labor Susan A. McGraw, dau, Sept 1882, 17, S, NY, IR, IR The immigration year for Mary A. McGraw is obviously in error. 1841 is 5 years before she was born. If the "49" is correct then she came to the US in 1851, which would make more sense.</p> |
| <p>1905 NY Onondaga Lafayette Lafayette Road Martin McGraw, Head, 57, IR, 40 yrs in US, Cit Mary Ann McGraw, Wife, 60, IR, 55 yrs in US, Cit James M. McGraw, son, 31, US, Cit John F. McGraw, son, 27, US, Cit Anna G. McGraw, dau, 24, US, Cit Susie A. McGraw, dau, 22, US, Cit</p> |
| <p>1910 NY Onondaga Lafayette T624-1054-9B Res 173, Family 178, Owns farm #130 free of a mortgage Martin McGraw, Head, 67, M1, 39, IR, IR, IR, Farmer, General farm Mary McGraw, Wife, 64, M1, 39, 6/6, IR, IR, IR, None James McGraw, son, 34, S, NY, IR, IR, Laborer, Home farm Susie A. McGraw, dau, 26, S, NY, IR, IR, None Years of immigration are missing for Martin and Mary McGraw</p> |
| <p>1915 Martin McGraw family not found</p> |
| <p>1920 NY Onondaga DeWitt T625-1246-2A Seneca Turnpike Road, Res 33, Family 34, Owns farm Mary McGraw, Head, 74, Wd, NY, IR, IR, None Anna G. McGraw, 39, S, NY, IR, NY, Dress maker, Private family Susie A. McGraw, 37, S, NY, IR, NY, None Mary was born in Ireland according to all the previous census records.</p> |
| <p>1925 NY Onondaga DeWitt AD03, ED01 Jamesville, NY Mary A. McGraw, 79, Tipperary, Ireland, 74 yrs in US, citizen by naturalization, House work Anna G. McGraw, 42, US, Cit, Dressmaker Susan A. McGraw, sister, 41. US, Cit, Matron at penitentiary</p> |
| <p>1930 NY Onondaga DeWitt T626-1624-18B West Seneca Turnpike, Res 46, Family 51, Owns home \$6,000, Has a Radio set Anna G. McGraw, 49, Head, 49, S, NY, IR, IR, dress maker, Department store Susan A. McGraw, 47, 47, S, NY, IR, IR, Matron penitentiary</p> |
| <p>1940 NY Onondaga DeWitt T627-2703-20B West Street, Res 75, Owns home, \$3,000, Not a farm Anna G. McGraw, 59, Head, 59, S, H-1, NY, Same house, Dress maker, Dresses, \$600 Susie A. McGraw, 57, sister, S, H-2, NY, same house, Matron, penitentiary, \$780</p> |

Lafayette Man Killed By Plunge in Barn

Saturday, August 6, 1910, The Post Standard, Syracuse, NY

“LAFAYETTE, Aug 5 - James M. McGraw, 37 years old, died at the home of his parents here to-day from injuries received on Wednesday in a fall in his father’s barn.

“Mr. McGraw went into the barn to pitch some hay, and, stepping backward, fell through a trap door to the floor below, badly injuring his spine. He died at 6 o’clock to-night.

“Mr. McGraw leaves besides his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin McGraw, one brother, John of Syracuse and four sisters, Mrs. Michael Fenton of Apulia, Mrs. George McCall of Brewster and Anna and Susie McGraw of Lafayette. The funeral will be held on Tuesday morning from the home at 9:30 o’clock, and at St. Joseph’s Church at 10 o’clock.”

Census Records - Fenlon and McCall

1900 NY Onondaga Tully T623-1138-7B census day June 1, 1900
Res 181, Family 181, Owns farm 328 with a mortgage
Michael A. Fenlon, Head, Aug 1870, 29, M, 9/12, NY, IR, IR, Farmer
Rose H(annah) Fenlon, Wife, Mar 1872, 28, M, 9/12, 0/0, NY, IR, IR
John J. Ryan, Servant, Dec 1872, 27, S, IR, IR, IR, 1887, 13, Na, Farm laborer
Michael and Rose were married in about Oct 1899

1910 NY Putnum Southeast T624-1050-10A
Donesburgh Road, Res 193, Family 213,
George McCall, Head, 29, M1, 9, NY, NY, NY, Farmer, Home farm, Emp
Mary McCall, Wife, 29, M1, 9, 3/1, NY, NY, NY, None
Susie G. McCall, dau, 6, S, NY, NY, NY, None
Oliza Reynolds (Male), Boarder, 20, S, NY, NY, NY, Laborer Gen, on farm, W
Mary’s parents were both born in Ireland. Brewster is a village within the town of Southeast in Putnam County, NY.

The Berrigan Family

Revised: January 8, 2018

Thomas Berrigan

(s/o Father and Mother)

(d/o Edmund Doherty and Mother)

Thomas Berrigan

b. 1842, Ireland

= **Bridget Doherty**

b. 1842, Co. Tipperary, Ireland
d. Dec 16, 1924, Syracuse, NY

— **Margaret Berrigan**

b. 1864, NY
d. May 5, 1941, Syracuse, NY

Never married

— **Mary Berrigan**

b. 1866, Iowa

= **James C. Driscoll**

b. 1868, NY
In Reardon, Washington in 1937

Daughters:

Katherine Driscoll (1903)

Agnes M. Driscoll (1907)

— **Bridget Berrigan**

b. 1868, Iowa
d. bef 1924

— **Joanna Berrigan**

b. 1873, Onondaga, Co, NY

Entered sisterhood

— **Agnes Berrigan**

b. 1875, Onondaga Co., NY
d. Mar 3, 1939, Syracuse, NY
bur Pompey Cem, Pompey, NY

Never married

— **Elizabeth Berrigan**

b. 1877, NY
d. Nov 24, 1937, Syracuse, NY
bur Pompey Cem, Pompey, NY

Never married

Parents of Daniel and Philip
Berrigan. Moved from
Minnesota in 1927.

— **Thomas W. Berrigan**

b. 1879, NY
d. 1968, Syracuse, NY

= **Frida Fromhart**

b. 1886, Germany
To US 1891 - Ely, Minnesota
d. Dec 22, 1976, Syracuse, NY
bur Pompey Cem, Pompey, NY

— **John Berrigan**

b. 1880, NY

— **Edmund Berrigan**

b. 1884, NY

Never married

Elizabeth Berrigan Survivors - Nov. 24, 1937

Margaret Berrigan, Syracuse

Agnes Berrigan, Syracuse

Sister Mary Josephine, New Brighton, Staten Island

Mrs. J. C. Driscoll, Reardon, Lincoln Co., Washington

Rev. Edmund Berrigan, assistant pastor of Saint Anthony of Padua Church, Syracuse

Thomas Berrigan, Syracuse

John Berrigan, Syracuse

An Arrival Story for the Berrigan Brothers

According to Kevin MacKinnon, in a March 24, 2009 email, there is a book about Daniel and Philip Berrigan called *Unarmed and Dangerous*. In that book it indicated that;

“4 Berrigan brothers came over from Tipperary and landed in Prince Edward Island in about 1860. The grandfather of the priests, Thomas Berrigan (b. 1840), apparently arrived in Onondaga County alone in 1862. If my family [Kevin MacKinnon] is related, two others the other brothers [my emphasis], Daniel and William Berrigan, ended up in the Granville NY area (Washington County) working in the slate quarries.”

However, this doesn't hold up under further investigation. In the 1900 census William Berrigan was living in Fort Edward, Washington C., NY with his wife and 10 children. William was born in Ireland in July 1847 and came to the US in 1865. In the same census Daniel Berrigan was living in the town of Granville, Washington Co., NY and was a Widower who was born in Ireland in Jan 1850 and who came to the US in 1867. In 1860 when the Berrigan supposedly left Ireland Thomas would have been 20 while William would have only been 13 and Daniel would have been 10 years old. William and Daniel would have been too young to have accompanied Thomas to Prince Edward Island in 1860, if indeed Thomas actually landed there.

A systematic search for a common set of parents for Thomas (b. 1840), William (b. 1847) and Daniel Berrigan (b. 1850) in the Irish Parish Registers did not turn up any candidates. John Berrigan and Judy Fermoye of Bournea & Corbally, Killaloe Diocese had sons William, baptized 1838, and Daniel, baptized 1841, but there was no Thomas of these same parents. This William and Daniel were both about 10 years too old. Therefore the existence a set of Berrigan brothers of the right ages is not supported by the Irish church records.

Berrigan Census Ages

| Name | 1870 | 1875 | 1880 | 1892 | 1900 | 1905 | 1910 | 1920 | 1930 | 1940 |
|--------------------------|------|--------|--------|------|------|-------|------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| Location | Iowa | Geddes | LaFay. | Onon | Onon | LaFay | Onon | Syr WD19 | Syr WD14 | Syr WD14 |
| Thomas Berrigan | 28 | 33 | 39 | | | | | | | |
| Bridget Doherty | 28 | 34 | 39 | 50 | 58 | 63 | 68 | 75 | d. 1924 | |
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| | | | | | | | | | | |
| Children | | | | | | | | | | |
| Margaret Berrigan, 1864 | 6 | 11 | 16 | | | | | 54 | 60 | 75 |
| Mary Berrigan, 1866 | 4 | 9 | | 27 | | | | | | |
| Bridget Berrigan, 1868 | 2 | 7 | 12 | 25 | 32 | | | | | |
| Joanna Berrigan, 1873 | | 2 | 7 | 19 | 26 | | | | | |
| Agnes Berrigan, 1875 | | 2/12 | 5 | 17 | 25 | 29 | 35 | 44 | 52 | d. 1939 |
| Elizabeth Berrigan, 1877 | | | 3 | 15 | 23 | | 33 | | | d. 1937 |
| Thomas W. Berrigan, 1879 | | | 11/12 | 13 | 20 | | | | | |
| John Berrigan, 1880 | | | | 11 | | | | | | |
| Edmund Berrigan, 1884 | | | | 8 | | 20 | 25 | 36 | 45 | 54 |
| John Berigan, 1913 | | | | | | | | | 17 | |
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Census Records - Berrigan

1860

Not found - Thomas came to the US in 1862.

Margaret Berrigan was born in 1864 in NY. The family should show up in the 1865 census. The family was in Iowa by 1866. The state of Iowa did not have a state census in 1865.

1870 Iowa Delaware North Fork M593-387-149B

Res 114, Family 117

Thomas Berigan, 28, Farmer, Real Est \$800, Per Est \$400, Ireland

Bridget Berigan, 28, Keeping house, Ireland

Margaret Berigan, 6, NY

Mary Berigan, 4, Iowa

Bridget Berigan, 2, Iowa

All parents foreign born

1875 NY Onondaga Geddes

Res 142, Frame, \$600, Family 139

Thomas Barigan, 33, IR, M, Laborer

Bridget Barigan, 34, Wife, IR, M

Margret Barigan, 11, dau, Iowa

Mary Barigan, 9, dau, Iowa

Bridget Barigan, 7, dau, Onondaga

Joana Barigan, 2, Onondaga

Agnes Barigan, 2/12, Onondaga

Res 144, Frame, \$800, 141

John Barrigar, 50, IR, M, Farmer

Mary Barrigar, 38, Wife, IR, M

Jenna Barrigar, 15, dau, Onondaga

Katia Barrigar, 13, dau, Onondaga

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| <p>1880 NY Onondaga LaFayette T9-905-287C Res 73, Family 82 Thomas Berrigan, 39, M, Farmer, Cannot read or write, IR, IR, IR Bridget Berrigan, 39, Wife, M, Keeping house, IR, IR, IR Maggie Berrigan, 16, dau, S, Attended school, NY, IR, IR Bridget Berrigan, 12, dau, S, At school, Attended school, Iowa, IR, IR Thomas W. Berrigan, 11/12, son, NY, IR, IR Jo. Bridget Berrigan, 7, dau, Attended school, NY, IR, IR Agness Berrigan, 5, dau, NY, IR, IR Elizabeth Berrigan, 3, dau, NY, IR, IR</p> |
| <p>1892 NY Onondaga Onondaga ED01 Bridget Berrigan, 50, Ireland, C Bridget A. Berrigan, 25, US, C Mary Berrigan, 27, US, C Agnes Berrigan, 17, US, C Elizabeth Berrigan, 15, US, C Johanna Berrigan, 19, US, C Thomas Berrigan, 13, US, C John Berrigan, 11, US, C Edmund Berrigan, 8, US, C</p> |
| <p>1900 NY Onondaga Onondaga T623-1135-11A (June 18, 1900), Jessie M. Russell Res 235, Family 244, Owns farm #68 free of mortgage Bridget Berriger, Head, June 1841, 58, Wd, 11/9, IR, IR, IR, 1855, 45, Farmer Bridget Berriger, dau, Mar 1869, 32, S, Iowa, IR, IR, School teacher Joanna G. Berriger, dau, Oct 1873, 26, S, NY, IR, IR, School teacher Agnes T. Berriger, dau, Mar 1875, 25, S, NY, IR, IR, School teacher Elizabeth Berriger, dau, April 1877, 23, S, NY, IR, IR, Occ blank Thomas Berriger, son, June 1879, 20, S, NY, IR, IR, Farm laborer</p> |
| <p>1900 NY Onondaga DeWitt T623-1134-10A (June 18, 1900), Albertus H. Snow Res 216, Family 226, Owns home free of mortgage Thomas Robey, 44, Head, Oct 1855, 44, M, 5, OH, NY, NY, Carpenter Olive M. Robey, Wife, June 1865, 34, M, 5, 0/0, NY, NY, NY Edgar M. Robey, son, Mar 1884, 16, S, Delaware, OH, Maryland, At school Phila Mitchell, Boarder, May 1877, 23, S, NY, England, NY, Teacher (In school), 4 mos unemployed Agnes Berrigan, Boarder, Mar 1876, 24, S, NY, IR, IR, Teacher (In school), 4 mos unemployed Agnes Berrigan appears to have joined that exclusive club of persons who have appeared twice in the same census. Being a teacher Agnes might have boarded with a family in the town of DeWitt, near her school, and stayed there during the week and returned to her mother's home in the town of Onondaga on the weekends.</p> |
| <p>1905 NY Onondaga Lafayette Bridget A. Berrigan, Head, 63, IR, 53 yrs in US, Cit, Farm work Agnes T. Berriagn, dau, 29, US, Cit School teacher Edmund D. Berrigan, son, 20, US, Cit, Farm laborer</p> |
| <p>1910 NY Onondaga Onondaga T624-1054-8B 202 Caroline Street, Res 189, Family 203, Rents house Bridgett A. Berrigan, Head, 68, Wd, 11/9, IR, IR, IR, 1852, None Agnes Berrigan, dau, 35, S, NY, IR, IR, Teacher, school Elizabeth Berrigan, dau, 33, S, NY, IR, IR, Stenographer Edmund Berrigan, son, 25, S, NY, IR, IR, Electrician, Hurst Bros.</p> |
| <p>1915 - not found</p> |

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| <p>1920 NY Onondaga Syracuse WD19 T625-1249-3B 105 West Matson Ave, Res 56, Family 65, Owns home with mortgage Edmund Berrigan, Head, 36, Wd, NY, IR, IR, Electrician, House Bridget Berrigan, Mother, 75, Wd, Immigration Info Unknown, IR, IR, IR, None Margaret Berrigan, sister, 54, S, NY, IR, IR, None Agnes Berrigan, sister, 44, S, NY, IR, IR, Teacher, School</p> |
| <p>1925 - not found</p> |
| <p>1930 NY Onondaga Syracuse WD14 Blk 1356 T626-1629-8B 123 West Matson Avenue, Res 200, Family 242, Owns home, \$12,000, Owns a radio set Agnes Berrigan, Head, 52, S, NY, IR, IR, Teacher, Public school Margaret Berrigan, sister, 60, S, Iowa, IR, IR, None John Berrigan, brother, 45, S, NY, IR, IR, Ground man, Lighting Co. Edmund Berrigan, nephew, 17, S, NY, NY, NY, None</p> |
| <p>1940 NY Onondaga Syracuse WD14 Blk 2 T627-2857-2B 123 West Matson Avenue, Res 37, Owns home \$5,000 Edmund D. Berrigan, Head, 54, Wd, C-3, NY, Same house, Chaplain, State School - Feeble Minded, Worked 52 wks in 1939, \$1400 Margaret Berrigan, sister, 75, S, 7 yrs of school, NY Same house</p> |

Mrs. Bridget A. (Doherty) Berrigan

Tuesday, December 16, 1924, The Syracuse Journal, Syracuse, NY

“Mrs. Bridget A. Berrigan, 105 W. Matson av., died at her home Tuesday morning. Surviving are five daughters, Misses Margaret, Elizabeth and Agnes Berrigan, Syracuse; Mrs. J.C. Driscoll, Reardon, Wash., and Sister Mary Josephine, Goshen, NY; three sons, *Thomas Berrigan, of Winton, Minn.*, John and Edmund Berrigan, Syracuse, and a grandson, Edmund G. Berrigan.”

Miss Elizabeth Berrigan, 123 West Matson Avenue, died Wednesday, November 24, 1937. Her parents were Thomas Berrigan and Bridget Doherty.

Miss Agnes T. Berrigan, 123, West Matson Avenue, died Friday, March 3, 1939.

Miss Margaret Berrigan, 123 West Matson Avenue, died Monday, May 5, 1941

Conduct High Requiem Mass For Teacher

Brother Is Celebrant at Agnes Berrigan Funeral

Monday, March 6, 1939, The Syracuse Herald, Syracuse, NY

“A solemn high mass of requiem for Miss Agnes T. Berrigan, school teacher, who died Friday in St. Joseph’s Hospital, was celebrated at 9 A.M. Monday in Saint Anthony of Padua Church by her brother, the Rev. Edmund D. Berrigan, following services at the home, 123 West Matson Avenue, at 8:30 o’clock.

“The Most Rev. Walter S. Foery, Bishop of Syracuse, gave the final absolution.

“Assisting Father Berrigan were the Rt. Rev. Charles F. McEvoy as deacon, and the Rev. Lawrence J. Sheehan as subdeacon. The Rev. William M. Gaffney was master of ceremonies.

“In the sanctuary were Bishop Foery, the Very Rev. Howard C. McDowell, the Rev David F. Cunningham, the Rev. Vincent P. O’Connor, the Rev. M. shields Dwyer, the Rev.

Francis Sheedy, the Rev. Joseph Ellis, the Rev. Edward Goulet, the Rev. John H. Donnelly, the Rev. James Shanahan, the Rev. Charles E. Tracy.

“The Rev. Thomas Hayes, the Rev. William Walsh, the Rev. Francis Walters, the Rev. Gerald Dunn, the Rev. William Brennan, the Rev. Martin Walley, the Rev. Francis Craven, the Rev. Thomas Leonard, the Rev. Francis Horrigan, the Rev. Lawrence Bassney, the Rev. Martin J. Tracy and the Rev. Paul Long.

“Honorary bearers were the faculty of Roosevelt Junior High School. Active bearers, all nephews, were Edmund, Jeremiah, Thomas, *Daniel*, *Philip* and James Berrigan.

“Pupils of saint Anthony of Padua School and Roosevelt Junior High School attended the funeral in a body, the school being closed during the funeral services.

“Accompanying the body to Immaculate Conception Cemetery, Pompey, were Father Berrigan, the Rt. Rev. Charles F. McEvoy, Father Sheehan, Father Gaffney and Father Charles E. Tracy.”

The Berrigan Brothers

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| <p>1920 MN St. Louis Virginia City WD06 T625-861-15A 228 Eighth Street South, Owns home with mortgage Thomas W. Berrigan, Head, 40, M, NY, IR, IR, Locomotive Engineer, Iron Ore Mine Frida S. Berrigan, Wife, 33, M, 1892, Na 1902, Baden Ger, Baden Ger, Baden Ger Jerome Berrigan, son, 1 wk, S, MN, NY, Baden Ger, None James Berrigan, son, 2-9/12, S, MN, NY, Baden Ger, None John Berrigan, son, 5, S, MN, NY, Baden Ger, None Thomas Berrigan, son, 7, S, MN, NY, Baden Ger, None</p> |
| <p>1930 NY Onondaga Salina T626-1625-11A Liverpool Road, Res 231, Family 236, Rents \$20/mo, Has a Radio set Thomas W. Berrigan, Head, 50, M, 31, NY, NY, IR, Groundsman, Light & Power Co. Frida Berrigan, Wife, 44, M, 24, Baden Germany, Baden Germ, Baden Germ, 1890, Na Thomas Berrigan, son, 18, Minnesota, NY, Baden Germany, Laborer, farm John Berrigan, son, 16, Minnesota, NY, Baden Germany, None James Berrigan, son, 12, Minnesota, NY, Baden Germany, None Jerome Berrigan, son, 10, S, Minnesota, NY, Baden Germany, None Daniel Berrigan, son, 8, S, Minnesota, NY, Baden Germany, None Phillip Berrigan, son, 6, S, Minnesota, NY, Baden Germany, None</p> |
| <p>1940 NY Onondaga Salina (Liverpool) T627-2705-5B Res 119, Rents, \$25/mo, Is a farm Thomas Berrigan, Head, 60, M, H-1, New York, Same house, Ground man, Lighting Co, \$1100, Worked 52 wks in 1939 Frieda Berrigan, Wife, 54, M, H-1, Germany, Same house Jerome Berrigan, son, 20, S, H-4, Minnesota, Same house, Truck driver, Truck garden, \$590, Worked 40 wks in 1939 Phillip Berrigan, son, 16, S, H-2, Minnesota, Same house</p> |

Philip Francis Berrigan was an American peace activist and former Roman Catholic priest.
 Wikipedia

Born: October 5, 1923, Two Harbors, MN

Died: December 6, 2002, Baltimore, MD

Siblings: Daniel Berrigan, Jerry Berrigan, Jim Berrigan, John Berrigan

Parents: Thomas Berrigan, Frieda Berrigan

Books: Fighting the lamb's war, MORE

Children: Frida Berrigan, Kate Berrigan, Jerry Berrigan



Philip Berrigan



Daniel Berrigan

Daniel Berrigan, priest and anti-Vietnam war peace activist, dies.
Berrigan and his younger brother, Philip Berrigan, emerged as leaders of the radical anti-war movement in the 1960s

<https://www.theguardian.com/us-news/2016/may/01/daniel-berrigan-priest-and-peace-activist-dies-aged-94>