

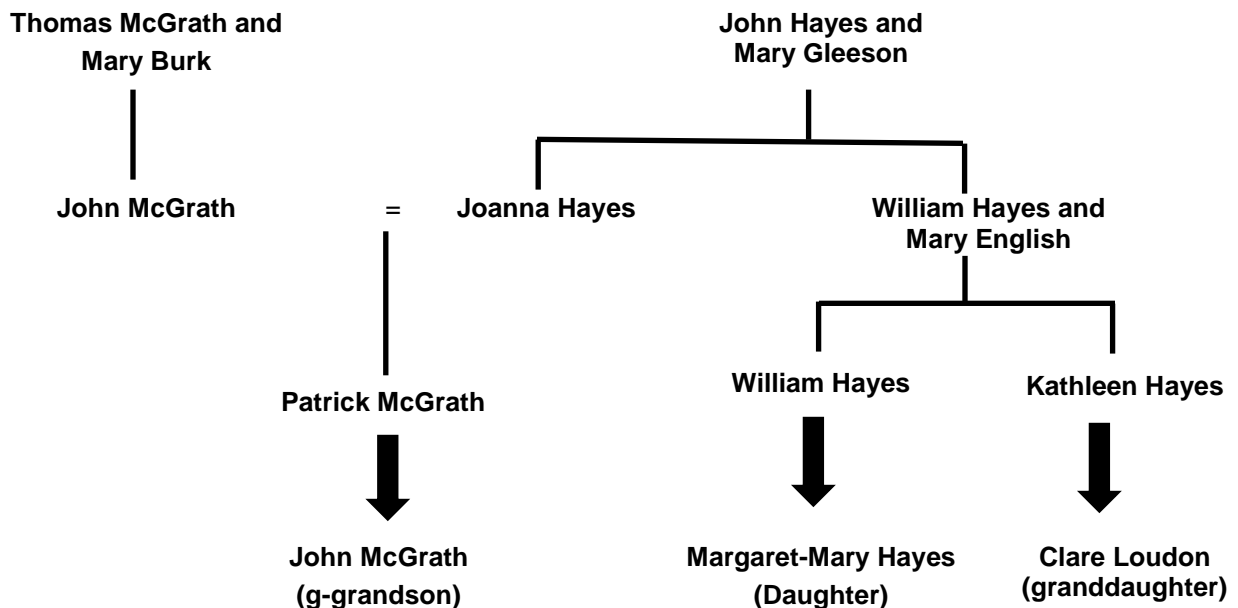
# Clonoulty Connections - John McGrath and Joanna Hayes

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The following connections are the result of research performed by John McGrath of Albany, NY, his brother Robert J. McGrath, and Margaret-Mary Hayes with assistance from other researchers in Ireland. The diagram below depicts the connections of the McGrath family and the Hayes family, both of Clonoulty. The Hayes connection was discovered through a DNA match with Katherine Hayes of Australia. A John McGrath (bap. Jul 20, 1816) married a Joanna Hayes (bap. Oct 6, 1832) and their youngest son Patrick (bap. Feb 11, 1871) went to Chicago to live with Hayes relatives and eventually settled in Troy, NY. This is John McGrath's (Albany) g-grandfather. Joanna Hayes had a brother William (b. 1829, Moneen) who went to Australia. This William is the ancestor of Clare Loudon, who had the DNA match.

Also included is Margaret-Mary Hayes whose research is the source for much of the Hayes information.

## McGrath-Hayes Connection



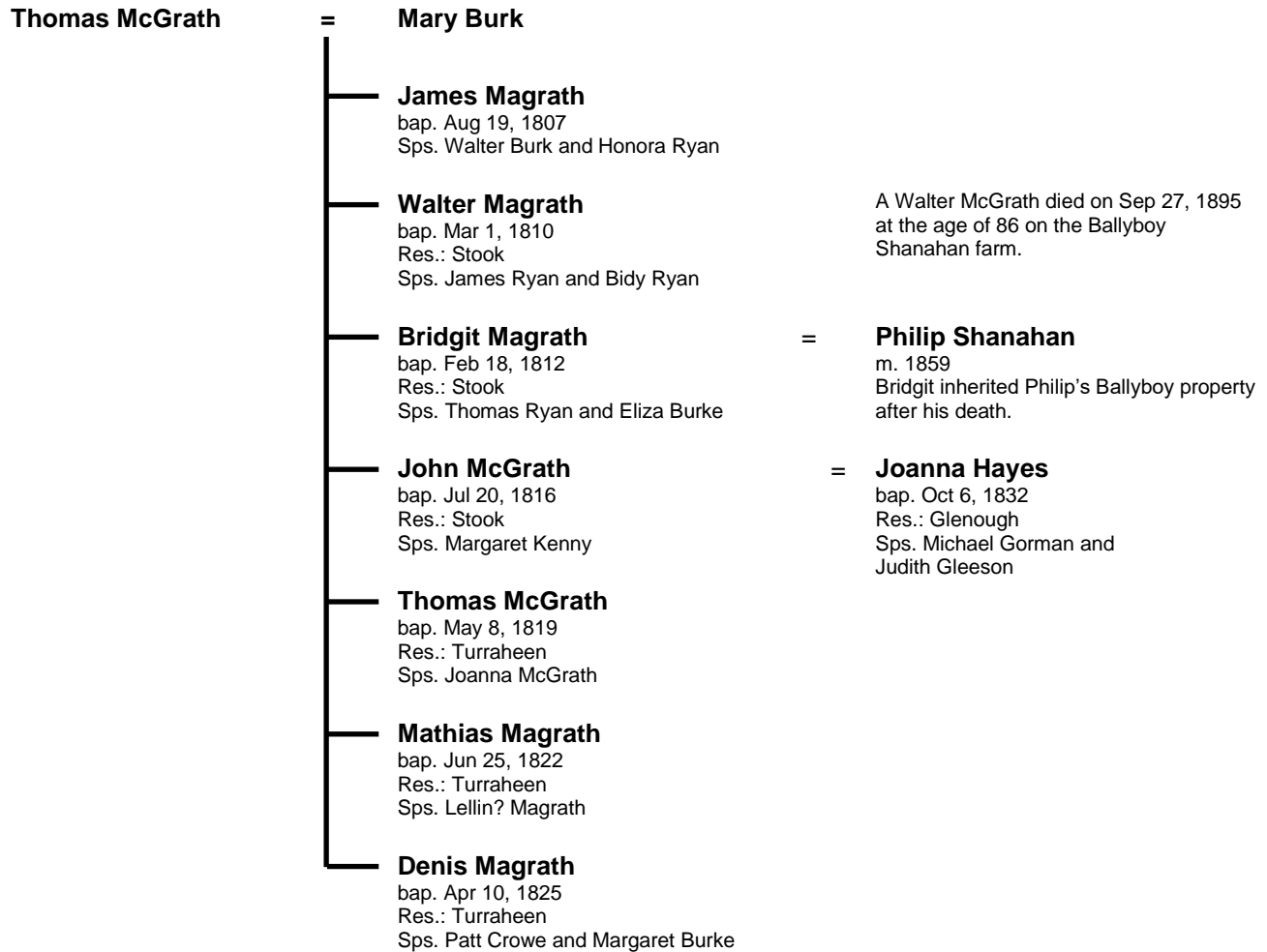
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# Thomas McGrath and Mary Burk

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Bridget McGrath Shanahan appears in the 1901 census at age 90. She died some time prior to the 1911 census. The Shanahan Ballyboy land was Lot 2B (13 acres-1 rood-10 perches). Philip Shanahan was the land holder from 1858 to c. 1898 when John McGrath, his nephew (son of John McGrath and Joanna Hayes), took over. In 1946 a Anthony McGrath took over the property.

Excerpt of letter to John McGrath from an Irish researcher

Thos Mcgrath V Mary Burke on ???  
 James 19/8/1807 no addr given  
**Walter** 16/3/1810 at Stuike  
**Bridget** 18/2/1812 at Stuike  
**John** 20/7/1816 at Stuike  
 Thos 8/5/1819 at Turraheen

Mathias 25/6/1822 at Turraheen  
Denis 10/4/1825 at Turraheen

Church records began In Clonoulty-Rossmore parish in 1804.

There is no date of marriage for Thos/Mary Burke so it is probable Mary Burke was not a native of this parish. The above births show the family moved from Stuike (sometimes called Stouke) circa 1817/1818. Stuike and Turraheen are both in the Rossmore part of the Parish

I feel these births and ages at death are significant for the following:

1) The name Walter is not common and this Walter bolded above is most likely the same Walter as he who died at Shanahans Ballyboy on 27/9/1895, bachelor, aged 86

2) Bridget--- bolded above is probably the same Bridget who married Philip Shanahan of Ballyboy on 5/3/1859 and who died 7/3/1903 aged 90

3) John bolded above is possibly he who married Johanna Hayes on 3/3/1862. One of the sponsors to the wedding was a Thos Mcgrath (father of groom). Also eldest son born to John/Johanna was Thos b. 1863 (convention--- eldest son called after Paternal Gfather).

From local folklore, Mcgrath families existed in Stuike till later times. Perhaps to help confirm more on these I would like to call to Valuation office in Dublin for Stuike, Turraheen and Cummer valuations which date from 1851 to 1966 if you so wish me.

## John McGrath and Joanna Hayes

(s/o Thomas McGrath and Mary Burk)

(d/o John Hayes and Mary Glesson)

### John McGrath

bap. Jul 1, 1816  
Res.: Stook  
Sps. Margaret Kenny  
d. Oct 27, 1870, Turraheen Lower,  
age 45

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### Joanna Hayes

bap. Oct 6, 1832  
Res.: Glenough  
Sps. Michael Gorman and Judith Gleeson  
mar. Mar 3, 1862  
Wit: Thomas McGrath, William Hayes and  
Mary Hayes

At the time of Patrick's birth Joanna was a widow with 4 children under the age of 8. How did she manage to stay on the farm and run it?

"...family has her (Joanna) dying young of Cholera" - John McGrath

### Thomas McGrath

bap. Jan 28, 1863  
Res.: Turraheen  
Sps. Philip Shanahan and Briget McGrath  
To US

### Margaret McGrath

bap. Jan 13, 1865  
Res.: Turraheen  
Sps. Cornelius Hayes and Nano Ryan  
To US

### John McGrath

bap. Dec 10, 1866  
Res.: Turraheen  
Sps. Patrick McGrath and Mary McGrath  
Remained in Ireland

= **Margaret Quigley (Gurt/Gort?)**

m. Feb 14, 1899  
"Lived in the residence with his wife Margaret Quigley. His grandchild still lives in the property today"

Margaret-Mary Hayes  
This residence is in Ballyboy

### Joanna McGrath

bap. Jan 20, 1869  
Res.: Stook  
Sps. Timothy Crowe and Maria Hennessy

Perhaps Joanna died young or maybe she went to Chicago with her brother Patrick.

### Patrick McGrath

bap. Feb 11, 1871  
Res.: Turraheen  
Sps. Patrick Hayes and Bridget McGrath  
To US abt 1887

- ➔ Ballyboy (?)
- ➔ Chicago (~1887)
- ➔ Troy, NY (~1890)

From John McGrath:

"The farm is largely in ruins - the pasture is used by neighbors. The farm became the family place of refuge and when John (the son) married Aunt Bridget ultimately gave it to him. The family story has it that three of the children of John McGrath and Joanna Hayes (including Patrick my great Grandfather) left for America."

"I note he (John) married a Margaret Quigley and from [www.rootsireland.ie](http://www.rootsireland.ie) (a pay site) there is a marriage record for them 14 Feb 1899 John McGrath of Ballyboy Farmer Bachelor Father's name John McGrath also a Farmer but no indication of residence - Margaret Quigley's residence at the time of marriage was Gurt and her father was Patrick Quigley also a Farmer and no residence given. The marriage was in Kilcommin R.C parish church (most likely Margaret Quigley's home parish) witnesses were James McGrath and Bridget Quigley."

# John Hayes and Mary Gleeson

<b>John Hayes</b>	=	<b>Mary Gleeson</b>	
		<b>Connor Hayes</b> bap. Feb 4, 1826 Res.: Glenough Sps. Tom Gleeson and Winifred Murphy	= <b>Catherine Chiddle</b> (Ballagh) m. Jun 24, 1856 Ten children survived to adulthood. All but Brigid went to Australia.
		<b>Judith Hayes</b> bap. Mar 27, 1828 Res.: Glenough Sps. William Gleeson and Margaret Dwyer	Died in infancy
		<b>William Hayes</b> bap. Dec 24, 1829 Res.: Moneen Sps. Owen Dwyer and Margaret Gleeson	= <b>Mary English</b> m. 1857 (To Australia - 1865)
		<b>Judith Hayes</b> bap. Oct 6, 1832 Res.: Glenough Sps. Michael Gorman and Judith Gleeson	= <b>John McGrath</b> bap. Jul 1, 1816 Res.: Stook Sps. Margaret Kenny
		<b>Thomas Hayes</b> bap. Oct 31, 1836 Res.: Moneen <b>Not Found</b> in Oct 1835, Oct 1836 or Oct 1837	To Australia on "British Trident", arrived in Sydney on Jan 7, 1861 No post arrival information.
		<b>John Hayes</b> bap. Sep 13, 1839 Res.: Glenough Sps. John Wallace and Catherine Horan	To Australia on "Hotspur". Departed Plymouth April 11, 1862 and arrived in Sydney on July 18, 1862. No post arrival information.

Catherine Chiddle was in Ballagh in the 1901 Census. She was a 60 year old widow living with the family of her daughter Bridget Hayes Martin.

# Cornelius Hayes and Catherine Chidle

Clonoulty RS14 - April 3, 2017

(s/o John Hayes and Mary Gleeson)

**Cornelius Hayes**

= **Catherine Chidle**  
m. Jun 24, 1856

— **Mary Hayes**  
bap. Jul 2, 1857  
Res.: Moneen

— **John Hayes**  
bap. Dec 24, 1858  
Res.: Moneen

— **Ellen Hayes**  
bap. Jun 20, 1860  
Res.: Moneen

— **Joanna Hayes**  
bap. Jun 20, 1862  
Res.: Moneen

— **Anne Hayes**  
bap. May 9, 1864  
Res.: Ballagh

— **James Hayes**  
bap. Nov 8, 1865  
Res.: Ballagh

— **Bridget Hayes**  
bap. Nov 2, 1867  
Res.: Ballagh

— **Bridget Hayes** (Remained in Ireland)  
bap. Mar 1, 1869  
Res.: Ballagh

— **William Hayes**  
bap. Mar 30, 1870  
Res.: Ballagh

— **William Hayes**  
bap. Apr 28, 1873  
Res.: Ballagh

— **Catherine Hayes**  
bap. Oct 7, 1874  
Res.: Ballagh

— **William Hayes**  
bap. Aug 30, 1875  
Res.: Ballagh

— **Catherine Hayes**  
bap. Jan 18, 1878  
Res.: Ballagh

— **Thomas Hayes**  
bap. Dec 31, 1878  
Res.: Ballagh

= **Thomas Shanahan**  
To Australia 1879

Never married  
To Australia 1883

= **Tom Cryan**  
To Australia

= **Arthur McMahon**  
From Kilcoo, Co. Down, Ireland  
To Australia 1883

= **James Shanahan**  
(brother of Thomas)

Never married  
Lived in Red Hill Brisbane

Died young.

= **Tom Martin**  
Lived in Ballagh village.

Died young.

Died young.

Died young.

**Sponsors:**

Mary Hayes:	James Chidle and Joanna Hayes
John Hayes:	Thomas Hayes and Ellen Chidle
Ellen Hayes:	William Hayes and Anne Chidle
Joanna Hayes:	Patrick Hayes and Joanna Quinlan
Anne Hayes:	James Armstrong and Bridget Hayes
James Hayes:	Michael Devereux and Ellen Ryan
Bridget Hayes:	William Dwyer and Mary McGrath
Bridget Hayes:	John McGrath and Catherine Garrett
William Hayes:	Martin Ryan and Ellen McGrath
William Hayes:	William Devereux and Catherine Dwyer
Catherine Hayes:	John Garrett and Ellen Dwyer
William Hayes:	John Dwyer and Sarah Keeffe
Catherine Hayes:	John Dwyer and Ellen Hayes
Thomas Hayes:	John Chidle and Ally Ryan

According to Margaret Mary Hayes:” Of the ten who lived to adulthood, nine came to Australia sponsored (according to family stories) by their uncle & aunt William & Mary Hayes nee English who were already in Australia. Brigid baptised 1.3.1869 (Mar 1, 1869) married and remained in Ireland.”

# William Hayes and Mary English

(s/o John Hayes and Mary Gleeson)

(d/o William English and Mary Dunn)

## William Hayes

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### Mary English

m. Jan 29, 1856

William and Mary left Plymouth on the ship "Golden City" on Oct 18, 1864 and arrived in Brisbane QLD on Jan 3, 1865.

### Mary Hayes

bap. Dec 9, 1857

Res.: Toureen

Sps. Cornelius English and Ellen Chidle

Assumed to have died before 1865, didn't go to Australia.

### Nano Hayes

bap. Mar 11, 1859

Res.: Moneen

Sps. John Hayes and Joanna Hayes  
d. Jun 19, 1924

= **Daniel Dwyer** (of Rossmore)

m. Sept 1, 1880, 10 children  
Resided Purga, QLD

### John Hayes

bap. Jan 2, 1861

Res.: Moneen

Sps. Cornelius Hayes and Anne Dwyer  
d. Jul 29, 1933

= **Mary Jane McGrath**

b. 1867, Forest Hill, QLD  
m. 1885, 9 children  
Resided Sandgate, Bris

### William Hayes

bap. Jan 7, 1863

Res.: Moneen

Sps. John McGrath and Mary Gleeson  
d. May 1, 1942

= **Elizabeth Heenan**

m. Oct 6, 1909, Bris  
Resided Toowoomba  
3 children - youngest William James was the father of Margaret-Mary Hayes.

### Mary Anne Hayes

b. Sep 19, 1870, Laidley, QLD

d. Dec 4, 1940

Sister of Mercy, Jun 1895

### Thomas Cornelius Hayes

b. May 5, 1873, Laidley, QLD

d. Mar 8, 1946

= **Helene Kunegunda Oberle**

mar. 1908

### Johanna Hayes

b. Sep 8, 1874, Laidley, QLD

d. 1907.

### Catherine Hayes

b. Dec 31, 1879, Laidley, QLD

d. Mar 29, 1919

= **John Treacy** (of Borrisoleigh)

m. May 20, 1908