

The Barney Ryan Family of Cazenovia

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Introduction

The Barney Ryan family arrived from Ireland on the ship DeWitt Clinton at New York City on May 26, 1850. They most likely quickly hopped on a packet boat headed for Syracuse by way of the Erie Canal because they arrived in the town of Pompey in time to appear in the 1850 census for that town. The original family tree for the Barney Ryan family that was constructed depended on census information, the St. James Church baptism records, and the St. James (aka St. Agnes') Cemetery records.

A Census Age Table was assembled from the various census return information for the members of the Ryan family. This was a useful construct that allowed the age variations to be tracked and analyzed to obtain an estimated birth year. It also showed the presence or absence of the various family members which can be helpful to discover extra family members and to identify duplicate members who went under different names in the census records. When a family member died the year of their death was entered into the column for the next census where they would not appear due to their death.

The next step was to look in the newspaper archives for obituaries. Usually the parents' obituaries are helpful in determining the names of the married daughters and also the locations of the surviving family members at the time of the parent's death. The Barney Ryan family was unusual in its lack of obituaries. It wasn't until a small article describing the settlement of the estate of Julia Ryan appeared in a 1930 newspaper that a clue to the rest of her siblings was found. Julia had bequeathed \$300 to one Jacob Sigel and the story could have ended there but it went on to explain that Jacob was the husband of one of Julia's nieces.

So, the search was on for the name of Jacob Sigel's wife and it was soon discovered that her name was Elizabeth and she was born in New York in about 1872. From there the search was to find Elizabeth's parents and to discover which of them was one of Julia Ryan's siblings. The 1900 census looked promising with Jacob and Lizzie along with their children Bernadine and Francis living at 914 Oak Street, in the 4th Ward of Syracuse. Also residing at that Oak street address was a widow named Catherine Donnelly with her two daughters: Margaret Donnelly,

single, and Ellen Donohue, a widow with four children. It was tempting to think that Lizzie might also be one of Catherine's children but according to the census Catherine had only given birth to 2 children and both were still alive and currently living with her. There will be more on this Catherine below.

For a while the search for Elizabeth/Lizzie was in the census records prior to her marriage to Jacob in 1893. The search was for girls named Elizabeth who had been born in NY around 1872 to parents of Irish birth. Two possible candidates were found that met the criteria but one of them was subsequently found to have married a different man. Before tracing the other candidate it was decided to move to the other end and see if a trip to Find A Grave could turn up any useful information — which turned out to be gold mine

Jacob's entire family and his parents and siblings showed up. However, the real prize was the grave information about his wife Elizabeth Donnelly Sigel. The Catherine Donnelly from the 1900 census was indeed Elizabeth's mother. Her number of children from that census was way off. When the dust finally settled it appeared that Catherine Donnelly had given birth to 10 children.

This identification solved another mystery. Barney and Ellen's oldest daughter was Catherine Ryan, born in Ireland in 1833, and she had appeared in the Pompey 1850 census with the family but then disappeared. She had married Nicholas Donnelly prior to 1854 which was when the St. James Church records began and so no record of the marriage could be found. Ironically Catherine was the only one of Barney and Ellen's 9 children who married. Of Nicholas and Catherine's 10 children only three of them married.

However, the baptism records of their children however left a lengthy paper trail. These records had been uncovered by the author back in 2000 in the transcription of the St. James records made by the late Dick Barr of Syracuse. However, at that time the main interest was in the Sheahan and Heffernan families and there was also a Heffernan and Donnelly connection.

The collection of this information allowed the Donnelly - Ryan family tree to be constructed initially from the baptism records. Then came the census record checks which allowed the identification of the children who died in infancy. This was followed by the obituaries to pick up the last names of the married daughters and other family details and connections.

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A - Bernard Ryan of Cazenovia

Bernard Ryan
 (probably known as Barney)
 b. ~1799 in par. Drumhaun
 (Drumbane), Co. Tipperary,
 Ireland.
 d. Feb. 6, 1865 @ 66
 bur. St. James Cem,
 Cazenovia, NY.

Ellen Malowney (Moloney) Ryan
 b. ~1811 in Ballcychill (Ballycahill), Co.
 Tipperary, Ireland.
 d. Jan. 21, 1889 @78
 bur. St. James Cem, Cazenovia, NY.

A1

Catherine Ryan
 bap Feb 23, 1833, UC
 Sps. John Ryan and Margt Moloney
 mar ~ 1854
 d. April 15, 1924, Syracuse, NY

= Nicholas Donnelly
 b. 1825, Conn
 d. Apr 24, 1895, Cazenovia

 Brother of William Donnelly?

No obit

Ellen Ryan
 bap Jan 7, 1836, UC
 Sps. Thomas Cough & Bridget Ryan
 d. Nov. 13, 1871 @ 33
 bur. St. James Cem, Cazenovia, NY.

Never married

X
 No obit

John Ryan
 bap Apr 3, 1838, UC
 Sps. Margaret Quile & George Short

Died young

No Irish bap rec
 X
 No obit

Patrick Ryan
 b. abt Nov 1842, IR
 d. July 22, 1870, aged 27 yrs 9 mo
 bur. St. James Cem, Cazenovia, NY.

1924 - Boonville

Judy Ryan
 bap Apr 23, 1843, Rossmouth
 Sps. John McGrath and Jane Hayes
 d. Jun 6, 1930
 bur. St. James Cem, Cazenovia, NY.

Never married

X
 No obit

Barney Ryan
 bap Jul 30, 1845, UC, Rusmult
 Sps. Edmond Murphy and Mary Harte

No obit

Mary Ryan
 bap Mar 29, 1848, UC, Rosoutly
 Sps. John Murphy and Anne Murphy
 d. Mar 24, 1887
 bur. St. James Cem, Cazenovia, NY.

No St James bap rec
 No obit

Margaret Ryan
 b. Aug. 1850 in New York,
 d. May 30, 1876 @ 26
 bur. St. James Cem, Cazenovia, NY.

Never married

No obit

Elizabeth Ryan
 b. 1854, bap. May 14, 1854
 Sp: Jeremiah Burke and Julia Murphy
 d. Oct. 4, 1873 @ 19
 bur. St. James Cem, Cazenovia, NY.

Never married

X - Death date and burial location not known

UC = Upperchurch

In the 1850 Federal Census Barney Ryan is living in the Township of Pompey, Onondaga Co., NY. Margaret Ryan was born just one month prior to the taking of Barney Ryan's census information.

In the 1855 NYS Census Barney Ryan was living in Cazenovia, Dist. #3, Dwelling #13, Family #13 frame dwelling worth \$100, Age 56, resident for 5 years. He had 8 people in his household and listed his occupation as farmer. The children's names came from the 1850 census and a list of those individuals buried in St. James Catholic Cemetery, Cazenovia, Madison Co., NY. These were the children who remained in the Cazenovia area but there might have been other children who had left the area. Two of their children, Barney Ryan and Mary Ryan, were found living with Barney and Ellen Ryan in the 1860 Federal Census.

The Roman Catholic Parish in the region where Bernard was from was called Upperchurch - Drombane. The Roman Catholic parish consists of the civil parishes of Upperchurch, Templebeg and Moyaliff. Drombane is a townland in the civil parish of Moyaliff. In the R.C. Upperchurch parish records 6 baptism records were found for the Barney Ryan family.

Bernard and Ellen were married in Ireland and their daughter Ellen was also born there. Their daughter Margaret was born in the same year that Bernard and Ellen arrived in Cazenovia. Patrick was born prior to the beginning of the St. James records and so he doesn't appear in those records but Elizabeth Ryan, born in 1854, did appear in the St. James baptism records.

65. **RYAN, Elizabeth**, daughter of Bernard RYAN and Helen MOLONEY, baptized 14 May 1854. Sponsors: Jeremiah Burke and Julia Murphy. Priest: J. P. Cahill.

The 1855 census has Barney as a resident for 5 years and that places his arrival in America prior to June 1850. He might have known Edmond and Mary McGrath while his family arrived in central New York before Mary, Michael and John McGrath who came to America in November 1850.

Immigration

The Ryan family arrived on the ship DeWitt Clinton at New York City on May 26, 1850

Surname	First Name	Age	Sex	Occupation	Birth/Baptism Date-Ireland
RYAN	BERNARD	40	M	FMR	B. abt 1799
RYAN	ELLEN	30	F	FMR	B abt 1811
RYAN	CATHERINE	13	F	U	Bap Feb 23, 1833
RYAN	ELLEN	12	F	U	Bap Jan 7, 1836
RYAN	JOHN	10	M	U	Bap Apr 3, 1838
RYAN	PATT	28	M	BLKSMH	B abt Nov 1842
RYAN	JULIA	Missing from ship manifest			Bap Apr 23, 1843
RYAN	BERNARD	6	M	CH	Bap Jul 30, 1845
RYAN	MARY	2	F	CH	Bap. Mar 29, 1848

Ellen Ryan gave birth to her 8th child in September 1850, just 4 months after arriving in the US. Patt Ryan's age and occupation seem to be in error since he was actually only 8 years old.

Census Age Table

Name	1850	1855	1860	1865	1870 ⁽¹⁾	1875	1880	1892	1900	
Location	Pompey	Caz	Caz	Caz	Caz	Caz	Caz			
Barney Ryan	50	56	60	d. 1865						
Ellen Ryan	40	41	48	54	—	63	68	d. 1889		
Children										
Catherine Ryan Donnelly	16	21 ⁽⁹⁾								d. 1924
Ellen Ryan	14	—	24 ⁽⁵⁾	26	32 ⁽⁷⁾	d. 1871				
John Ryan	12	—	—	—	—	—	?			
Patrick Ryan	—	14	20 ⁽⁶⁾	23 ⁽²⁾	—	d. 1870				
Julia Ryan	—	12	17 ⁽⁴⁾	—	27 ⁽¹⁾	—	30 ⁽⁸⁾			d. 1930
Barney Ryan	4	11	14 ⁽³⁾	19 ⁽³⁾	—	—	—			
Mary Ryan	2	7	13	—	25 ⁽¹⁾	—	—	d. 1887		
Margaret Ryan	1/12	5	11	—	—	25	d. 1876			
Elizabeth Ryan		1	7	10	—	d. 1873				
Grandchildren										
Mary Ryan (b. 1838, Illinois)						7	13			

The fates of **John** and **Barney Ryan** have not been determined.

“—“ means that the individual was actively searched for but wasn’t found in the census.

“?” Means that several possible candidates were found but it wasn’t possible to distinguish among them.

(1) Ellen Ryan, widow of Barney Ryan, was not found in the 1870 census for Cazenovia was searched page by page. However Ellen’s daughters Ellen, Julia and Mary were working in separate households as domestic servants.

(2) Patrick Ryan was working on the Litchfield farm in 1865.

(3) Barney Ryan was working on the Dean farm in 1860. At the time of the 1865 census Barney was in the Army.

(4) Julia Ryan was living with and working for Helen L. Kraushaar in Cazenovia.

(5) Ellen Ryan was working as a Domestic on the Dardis farm in Cazenovia.

(6) Patrick Ryan was living with and working on the Wellington farm in Cazenovia.

(7) Ellen Ryan was living with and working for the Sylvester Nash family as a domestic servant.

(8) Julia Ryan was living with her mother and her niece Mary Ryan (13). Julia, the spinster, appears to have shaved a few years off her real age.

(9) Catherine Ryan married Nicholas Donnelly in about 1854 and was living with her and Nicholas’ brother Thomas on a farm in Cazenovia in 1855

US Census Records

1850 NY Onondaga Pompey

Res 1456 Fam 1475

Barney Ryon, 50, Laborer, Ireland
Ellen Ryon, 40, Ireland
Catherine Ryon, 16, Ireland, Attended school
Ellen Ryon, 14, Ireland, Attended school
John Ryon, 12, Ireland, Attended school
Barney Ryon, 4, Ireland
Mary Ryon, 2, Ireland
Margaret Ryon, 1/12, NY

1855 NY Madison Cazenovia ED03

Res 13, Framed \$100, Fam 13

Barney Ryan, 56, Ireland, M, 5 yrs, Farmer, Alien, Owner of land
Ellen Ryan, 41, Wife, Ireland, 5 yrs, Alien
Patrick Ryan, 14, Son, Ireland, 4 yrs, Alien
Julia Ryan, 12, Dau, Ireland, 4 yrs, Alien
Barney Ryan, 11, Son, Ireland, 4 yrs, Alien,
Mary Ryan, 7, Dau, Ireland, 4 yrs, Alien
Margaret Ryan, 5, Dau, 4 yrs, Onondaga, **Alien (?)**
Elizabeth Ryan, 1, Dau, 1 yr, Madison

1860 NY Madison Cazenovia

Res 387 Fam 387

Barney Ryan, 60, Day laborer, Real Est \$300, Per Est \$0, Ireland
Ellen Ryan, 48, Ireland, Cannot R or W
Mary Ryan, 13, Ireland, Attended school
Margaret Ryan, 11, NY, Attended school
Elizabeth Ryan, 7, NY, Attended school

1860 NY Madison Cazenovia

Res 372 Fam 372

Henry C. Dean, 31, Farmer, Real Est \$10,000, NY
Susan S. Dean, 29, NY
Ella R. Dean, 6, NY, Attended school
Florence A. Dean, 5, NY, Attended school
Seymour J. Dean, 1, NY
Barney Ryan, 14, Farm Laborer, Ireland, Attended school
Elizabeth Rogers, 23, Domestic, NY

Res 372 Fam 373

Isaiah Dean, 62, Farmer, Per Est \$7,000, NY
Nancy Dean, 60, NY

1860 NY Madison Cazenovia

Res 947 Fam 943

Helen L. Kraushaar, 48, Per Est \$5000, NY
Julia Ryan, 17, Domestic, Ireland

1860 NY Madison Cazenovia

Res 967 Fam 963

Andrew Dardis, 39, Master Shoe Maker, Real Est \$800, Per Est 600, Ireland
Mary Dardis, 37, Ireland
John Dardis, 7, NY, Attended School
Mary Dardis, 2, NY
John Dardis, 76, Farmer, Ireland
Ellen Ryan, 24, Domestic, Ireland

1860 NY Madison Cazenovia

Res 408 Fam 408

Franklin Wellington, 20, Farm Laborer, NY
Elizabeth Wellington, 22, NY
Edwin F. Wellington, 2, NY
Norah Ryan, 22, Domestic, Ireland
Sarah E. Keir, 18, Domestic, England
Patrick Ryan, 20, Farm Laborer, NY, Attended School (?)

Note: This **Patrick Ryan** might not be the son of **Bernard** and **Ellen Ryan** since he was apparently born in NY. **Norah Ryan** is not part of the **Bernard Ryan** family.

1865 NY Madison Cazenovia

Res 271 Plank \$200 Fam 276

Ellen Ryan, 53, Ireland, Children: 9, Mar once, Wd
Barney Ryan, 19, Son, Ireland, S, Farmer, Now in Army
Elizabeth Ryan, 10, Dau, Madison
Ellen Ryan, 26, Dau, Ireland, S

Note: **Barney Ryan** was in the Army at the time of the 1865 census. Did he ever make it back from the war?

1865 NY Madison Cazenovia

Res 235 Brick \$9000 Fam 238

E. C. Litchfield, 55, Onondaga, Mar once, Mar now, Manfg, NY, Native, Owner of land
Margaret Litchfield, 49, Wife, Madison, Children: 3, Mar once, Mar now
J. Ten Eyck Litchfield, 19, Child, Madison, S, None
Henry C. Litchfield, 14, Child, Madison, S
Bridget Garrett, 30, Servant, Ireland, S, Alien
Sarah Flanagan, 30, Servant, Ireland, S, Alien
Patrick Ryan, 23, Help, Ireland, S, Laborer, Alien

Note: **Patrick Ryan** is believed to be the son of **Barney & Ellen Ryan**.

1870 NY Madison Cazenovia

Res 238 Fam 236

Edward Holmes, 42, Farmer, Real Est \$25,000, Per Est \$5,000, NY, Citizen over 21
Susan Holmes, 38, Keeps House, Real Est \$10,000, NY
Fannie Hollmes, 15, At school, NY, Attended school
Edward Holmes, 13, At school, NY, Attended school
John Holmes, 13, At school, NY, Attended school
Daniel Holmes, 4, NY
Julia Ryan, 27, Domestic Servant, Ireland
Caroline Sauter, 29, Domestic Servant, NY, Both parents of foreign birth

Note: There was also a 25-year-old **Mary Ryan** working in Cazenovia as a Domestic Servant. The entire town of Cazenovia was searched page by page and no **Ellen Ryan** close to the expected age was found.

1870 NY Madison

Ellen and **Patrick Ryan** were not found. The census for Cazenovia was searched page by page.

1875 NY Madison Cazenovia ED03

Res 253, Frame 1500, Fam 270

Ellen Ryan, 63, Ireland

Margaret Ryan, 25, Dau, Madison

Mary Ryan, 7, Grand Dau, **Illinois** (b. 1868)

1880 NY Madison Cazenovia Dist 051

Res 240 Fam 268

Mrs. Barney Ryan, 68, Wid, Keeping House, Cannot Write, IR, IR, IR

Mary Ryan, 13, G-Dau, **Illinois**, IR, IR

Julia Ryan, 30, Dau, S, IR, IR, IR

Note: One of **Ellen's** sons must have moved to Illinois where he had a daughter.

Burials - St. James Cemetery (aka St. Agnes), Cazenovia, NY - Dennis Weiskotten

Ryan, Bernard, born in Parish Drumhaun, Co. Tipperary, Ireland, died February 6, 1865, age 66 years .

Ryan, Mary (2), died March 24, 1887, age 39 years . (b. 1848) - St. James Cem, Cazenovia, NY

Ryan, Julia, died June 6, 1930, age 85 years .

Ryan, Patrick H. (1), son of Bernard and Ellen Malowney Ryan, died July 22, 1870, age 27 years 9 months.

Obituaries

Many of the following Ryan family members are buried in St. James Cem, Cazenovia, NY

Name	Years	Cemetery	Obituary
Bernard Ryan	1799-1865	St. James	No
Ellen Malowney Ryan	1811-1889	St. James	No
Catherine Ryan Donnelly	1833-1924	?	Yes
Ellen Ryan	1836-1871	St. James	No
John Ryan	1838- ?		No
Patrick Ryan	1842-1870	St. James	No
Judy Ryan	1843- June 6, 1930	St. James	Yes
Barney Ryan	1845-?		No
Mary Ryan	1848- 1887	St. James	No
Margaret Ryan	1850-1876	St. James	No
Elizabeth Ryan	1854-1873	St. James	No

No obituaries could be found for the following persons. These are individuals buried in St. James Cemetery, Cazenovia, NY, and they are the children of Barney and Ellen Ryan.

Ryan, John C., died May 9, 1873.

Ryan, Mary (1), born 1845, died 1908.

Ryan, Mary (2), died March 24, 1887, age 39 years (born 1848)

JULIA RYAN IGNORES KIN IN WILL FAVORING CHARITY

“Ignoring several nephews and nieces, the will of **Julia A. Ryan** who died June 6, directs that the greater part of her estate of undetermined value, be used for charitable purposes.

“The will directs that a plain marble slab be erected at her grave in St. Agnes’ Cemetery, Cazenovia, setting aside a fund of \$100 to be used for perpetual care of the burial lot.

“A fund of \$550 is given to **Rev. Dennis C. Flynn**, pastor of St. Mary’s Church, Binghamton, to be used for charities. A bequest of \$300 is made to the pastor of St. Joseph’s Church at Boonville with directions that it be used for charities at the discretion of the clergyman whoever he may be.

“A gift of \$100 is made to the home of Orphans and Blind, Jersey City. **Jacob Sigel**, husband of a niece of the testatrix receives \$300, the residue estate going to **Father Flynn** of Binghamton.

July 1, 1930, Tuesday, Syracuse Journal, Syracuse, NY

Note: The niece’s name is **Elizabeth** or **Lizzie** and she was born in June 1872. It is **Elizabeth Agnes Donnelly**, daughter of **Nicholas Donnelly** and **Catherine Ryan**.

Illinois Ryans

In the 1875 and 1880 census records Ellen Ryan had a granddaughter named Mary Ryan (b. 1868 in Illinois) living with her. The only possible sources for this granddaughter would be one of Mary's three sons: John, Patrick or Barney Ryan. A search of the 1870 census for the state of Illinois was carried out for any John, Patrick or Barney Ryan who had a daughter named Mary who was born in about 1868. None of the three sons appeared in the 1870 census for the Cazenovia area. The results of Illinois search are shown below.

1870 Illinois McLean Money Creek

Res 23 Fam 22

Bernard Ryan, 25, Farmer, Real Est \$0, Per Est \$350, IR, Mar in Oct, Cit over 21
Johannah Ryan, 23, Keeping House, IR, Mar in October

Note: Parents of both the above were of foreign birth. This **Bernard Ryan's** age is the same as the Cazenovia **Barney Ryan**. However, these could not be the parents of the 7 year old **Mary Ryan**, Grand Daughter, Illinois (b. 1868) living with **Ellen Ryan** in the 1875 Cazenovia census.

1880 – Illinois – **Bernard Ryan** family not found

1870 Illinois Cook Lemont

Res 264 Fam 263

Patrick Ryan, 29, Laborer, IR, Cit over 21 (b. 1841)
Mary Ryan, 25, Keeping House, IR
Timothy Ryan, 4, Illinois
Mary Ryan, 2, Illinois

Note: The parents of all the above were of foreign birth. This **Mary Ryan** could be the 7 year old, Illinois born, **Mary Ryan** who was living with her grandmother, **Ellen**, in Cazenovia, in 1875. The **Patrick Ryan** of Cazenovia who was possibly her father, d. July 22, 1870, aged 27 yrs 9 mo.

1880 Illinois Dupage Downers Grove Dist 253

Res 57 Fam 59

Patrick Ryan, 39, M, Laborer, IR, IR, IR
Mary Ryan, 34, Wife, M, Keeps House, IR, IR, IR
Timothy Ryan, 14, Son, At school, Attended school, NY, IR, IR
Daniel Ryan, 9, Son, At home, Ill, IR, IR
John Ryan, 6, Son, At home, Ill, IR, IR
Nellie Ryan, 2, Dau, At home, Ill, IR, IR

Note: **Mary Ryan** (b. 1868) is missing. **Timothy Ryan** was born in **Illinois** back in the 1870 census and now, in 1880, he appears to have been born in NY. There were no marriage or baptism records for this Patrick and Mary Ryan in the St. James records in Cazenovia, NY. Since this **Patrick** is still alive in 1880 he CAN'T BE the Cazenovia **Patrick Ryan** who had died in 1870.

1870 Illinois Will Joliet WD03

Res 1 Fam 1

John Ryan, 32, Manufactures & sells boots & shoes, Real Est \$2000, Per Est \$2000, Ireland, Cit.
Sarah Ryan, 25, Keeping house, Illinois
Bernard Ryan, 5, Illinois
Mary Ryan, 3, Illinois
Ellen Leagdon, 14, At School, Illinois, Attended School
Ellen Brennan, 8, Illinois, Attended School
Michael Roddy, 32, Ireland, cit.

Note: The parents of all the above were both of foreign birth, with the exception of **Bernard** and **Mary Ryan**.

1880 Illinois Will Joliet Dist 201

61 Chicago C. Res 226 Fam 236

John Ryan, 43, M, Shoe Merchant, IR, IR, IR

Sarah L. Ryan, 37, Wife, M, Housekeeper, IL, IR, IR

Bernard Ryan, 14, Son, S, School, Attended School, IL, IR, IR

Mary Ryan, 12, Dau, S, School, Attended School, IL, IR, IR

William Ryan, 9, Son, S, Attended School, IL, IR, IR

Lizzie Ryan, 6, Dau, S, Attended School, IL, IR, IR

Ella Brennan, 19, Niece, S, Servant , IL, NY, IL

Note: This **John Ryan** CAN'T be the Cazenovia **John Ryan** since his daughter **Mary** is still living in Illinois and not living in Cazenovia with her "Grandmother."

Summary

The father of Ellen Ryan's granddaughter Mary Ryan, born in 1868 in Illinois, remains a mystery. Although her sons, John, Patrick and Barney were missing from Cazenovia in 1880 and it was possible to find two Mary Ryans, born in about 1868 in Illinois to fathers named John and Patrick they didn't pan out. Both Mary Ryans were still living with their respective families in Illinois in 1880.

A1 - Nicholas Donnelly and Catherine Ryan

(s/o Father and Mother)

(d/o Barney Ryan and Ellen Malowney)

<p>Nicholas Donnelly b. 1825, Conn d. Apr 24, 1895, Cazenovia Brother of William Donnelly?</p>	<p>= Catherine Ryan bap Feb 23, 1833, UC Sps. John Ryan and Margt Moloney mar ~ 1854 d. April 15, 1924, Syracuse, NY</p>
<p>A1.2 In Utica in the early 1890s 1900 in Syracuse Alive in 1902 Alive in 1924 1941 in Rochester In 1880 census In NYC in 1895</p>	<p>Henry Donnelly born 19 October, 1855 baptized 21 October 1855 d. Nov 11, 1875, Cazenovia Never married</p> <p>Ellen Donnelly (2) born 1 December 1857, baptized 19 December 1857 d. Dec 14, 1945, Rochester = Michael F. Donohue mar April 27, 1892, Cazenovia Witnesses: Thomas Donohue and Margaret Donnelly d. Apr 21, 1900, Utica, NY</p>
<p>A1.4 Alive in 1902 1924 - in Albany</p>	<p>Mary Donnelly born 9 March, 1860 baptized 1 April 1860, at Cazenovia d. Nov 28, 1902, Syracuse, NY Never married</p> <p>Bernard Donnelly born 24 May, 1862 baptized 1 June 1862, at Cazenovia d. Jan 8, 1941, Albany, NY bur St. Agnes' Cemetery, Menands, NY = Margaret Delaney b. 1865, Ireland d. Feb 10, 1945, Albany, NY bur St. Agnes' Cemetery, Menands, NY</p>
<p>Single in 1902 Alive in 1924 1941 in Rochester 1950 in Rochester Not in 1875 census Not in the 1880 census</p>	<p>Margaret Donnelly born 5 September 1864, baptized 18 September 1864, at Cazenovia bur St. James Cem, Cazenovia Died in infancy</p> <p>Margaret Donnelly born 25 September 1866, baptized 14 October 1866. d. Sept 18, 1957, Rochester Never married</p> <p>Mary Catherine Donnelly born 16 December 1869, baptized (blank) January 1870, at Cazenovia Died young</p>
<p>A1.8 Alive in 1902 Alive in 1924 1941 in Syracuse Died before 1880 Not in 1892 census Not in 1880 census Alive in 1902 1924 - in Syracuse 1938 - In Syracuse 1940 - Syracuse</p>	<p>Elizabeth Agnes Donnelly born 19 June 1873, baptized 1 August 1873 d. Jul 7, 1957 bur Assumption Cem, Syracuse = Jacob Sigel b. Jul 13, 1867, Syracuse mar 1892 d. Apr 10, 1955, Syracuse bur Assumption Cem, Syracuse</p> <p>Henry Donnelly born 26 March 1877, baptized 14 April 1877 Died in infancy</p> <p>Joseph Donnelly born 23 March 1879, baptized 13 April 1879 Never married No Obit Not in Find A Grave</p>

In St. James - Donnelly, Magie, daughter of Nicholas and C. Donnelly. - No dates

Donnelly Baptism Records – St. James, Cazenovia

0223. **DONNELLY, Henry**, son of Nicholas DONNELLY and Catharine RYAN,
born 19 October, baptized 21 October **1855**
Sponsors: Martin Peirce and Mary Dinegan
Priest: J. P. Cahill

0476. **DONNELLY, Ellen**, daughter of Nicholas DONNELLY and Catharine RYAN,
born 1 December 1857, baptized 19 December 1857
Sponsors: John Ryan and Ellen Ryan
Priest: M. W. Rooney

0649. **DONNELL, Mary**, daughter of Nicholas DONNELL and Catherine RYAN,
born 9 March, baptized 1 April 1860, at Cazenovia
Sponsors: Patrick Ryan and Julia Ryan
Priest: Bonaventure Carney

0908. **DONNELLY, Bernard**, son of Nicholas DONNELLY and Catherine RYAN,
born 24 May, baptized 1 June 1862, at Cazenovia
Sponsors: James Shannahan and Mary Donnelly
Priest: Bonaventure Carney

1171. **DONNELLY, Margaret**, daughter of Nicholas DONNELLY and Catherine RYAN,
born 5 September 1864, baptized 18 September 1864, at Cazenovia
Sponsors: Bernard Ryan and Mary Anne Pierce
Priest: P. C. Brady

1340. **DONNELLY, Margaret**, daughter of Nicholas DONNELLY and Catherine RYAN,
born 25 September 1866, baptized 14 October 1866.
Sponsors: John Finn and Margaret Ryan
Priest: Fr. P. C. Brady

1594. **DONNELLY, Mary Catherine**, daughter of Nicholas DONNELLY and Catherine RYAN,
born 16 December 1869, baptized (blank) January 1870, at Cazenovia
Sponsors: James Roach and Anna Daly
Priest: P. C. Brady

Note: The older **Mary Donnelly**, born March 9, 1860, was still alive and appeared in the 1880 census and this younger **Mary Donnelly**, born December 16, 1869, was **NOT** in the 1880 census.

1810. **DONNELLY, Elizabeth Agnes**, daughter of Nicholas DONNELLY and Katherine RYAN,
born 19 June 1873, baptized 1 August 1873
Sponsors: James Daly and Teresa Lynch
Priest: P. C. Brady

1914. **DONNELLY, Henry**, son of Nicholas DONNELLY and Catherine RYAN,
born 26 March 1877, baptized 14 April 1877
Sponsors: Edward Heffernan and Mary Ryan
Priest: C. A. Reilly

Note: **Henry Donnelly** never made it to the 1880 census

1991. **DONNELLY, Joseph**, son of Nicholas DONNELLY and Catharine RYAN,
born 23 March 1879, baptized 13 April 1879
Sponsors: John E. Flanagan and Elizabeth Daley
Priest: John L. Reilly

US Census Records

1870 NY Madison Cazenovia

Res 141 Fam 133

Nichols Donnolly, 40, Farmer, Real Est \$4000, Per Est \$100, Ireland
Catharine Donnolly, 34, Keeps House, Ireland
Henry Donnolly, 15, Works on farm, NY
Ella Donnolly, 12, At School, NY
Mary Donnolly, 10, At School, NY
Barney Donnolly, 8, NY
Maggie Donnolly, 6/12, NY
Azariah Laird, 17, NY

Note: with the exception of **Azariah Laird**, the parents of all the above were of foreign birth.

1875 NY Madison Cazenovia ED03

Res 283, Framed \$Illegible, Fam 192

Nicholas Donnelly, ??, Ireland, M, Farmer, Naturalized, Owner of land
Catherine Donnelly, ??, Wife, Ireland, M
Henry Donnelly, 19, Son, Madison, S
Ellen Donnelly, 16, Dau, Madison, S, Teacher
Mary Donnelly, 14, Dau, Madison, S
Barney Donnelly, 12, Son, Madison, S
Maggie Donnelly, 5, Dau, Madison, S
Lizzie Donnelly, 2, Dau, Madison, S

1880 NY Madison Cazenovia Dist 050

Albany Street, Res 319 Fam 349

Nichelus Donnelly, 50, M, Farmer, IR, IR, IR
Catherine Donnelly, 46, Wife, M, Keeping House, IR, IR, IR
Ellen Donnelly, 23, Dau, S, Teaching School, 5 mos unempl, NY, IR, IR
Mary Donnelly, 21, Dau, S, Teaching School, 5 mos unempl, NY, IR, IR
Bernard Donnelly, 18, Son, S, Farm Hand & School, 6 mos unempl, NY, IR, IR
Maggie Donnelly, 11, Dau, S, School, NY, IR, IR
Lizzie Donnelly, 7, Dau, S, School, NY, IR, IR
Joseph Donnelly, 1, (23 mos), Son, S, NY, IR, IR

1892 NY Madison Cazenovia ED04

Nichols Donnelly, 64, Ireland, C, Farmer
Cathern Donnelly, 60, Ireland, C
Ellen Donnelly, 35, US, C, Servant
Mary Donnelly, 30, US, C, Servant
Maggie Donnelly, 22, US, C, Dressmaker
Lizzie Donnelly, 17, US, C, Servant
Joe Donnelly, 13, US, C

1920 NY Albany Albany WD15 Dist 0074

312 Madison Avenue, Res 42, Fam 72, Owns home free of a mortgage

Bernard T. Donnelly, Head, 55, M, NY, IR, IR, Stationary Engineer, Printing Plant

Margaret Donnelly, Wife, 55, M, IR, IR, IR, None

Henry J. Donnelly, Son, 31, M, NY, NY, IR, Chauffeur, Garage

Mary E. Donnelly, Dau, 31, S, NY, NY, IR, Stenographer, Printing Plant

Margaret E. Donnelly, Dau, 27, S, NY, NY, IR, Stenographer, State

Ruth H. Donnelly, Dau, 20, S, NY, NY, IR, Stenographer, Insurance

1940 NY Monroe Rochester Dist65-95

610 Magee Avenue, Res 123, Owns \$5800

Ellen Donohue, Head, 79, Wd, 8th, NY, Same house in 1935

Agnes Donohue, Dau, 40, S, H-4, NY, Same house in 1935, Teacher, Education, \$1700

Margaret Donnelly, Sister, 74, S, 8th, NY, Same house in 1935

1940 NY Onondaga Syracuse Dist 66-209

700 South State Street, The Jackson Lodge

Joseph Donnelly, Lodger, 61, S, 8th, NY, Same Place, Steamfitter, Factory

1950 NY Onondaga Onondaga Dist 34-112

Onondaga County Home

Joseph Donnelly, Resident, 71, Nev, NY, Occupation – Other, Worked last wk

In The Newspapers

Vital Statistics

MARRIAGE LICENSES

“**Joseph James Donnelly**, 1028 Teall av., and **Dorothy Margaret Harrington**, 514, Hickory st.”

May 27, 1930, Tuesday, Syracuse Journal, Syracuse, NY

Note: The actual **Joseph Donnelly** (b. 1879) seems to be too old to be getting married this late in life. In 1932 this couple had a one-year-old son who died.

Joseph Donnelly Articles

Two Workmen Injured In Scaffold Collapse

“Collapse of a ladder scaffold plummeted two men 20 feet to the ground as they were painting a house at 1331 Oak st. this morning and both are in St. Joseph’s Hospital with serious ankle injuries.

“They are:

“**JOHN B. HENNESSY**, 42, of 1807 Grant blvd., who suffered a broken right ankle and severe body bruises.

“**JOSEPH N. DONNELLY**, 60 of the Oak st. address, who also received a fracture of the right ankle and was suffering somewhat from shock.

“**Hennessy** is a son-in-law and **Donnelly** is a brother of **Mrs. Jacob Sigel**, owner of the dwelling at 1331 Oak St., and both men have spent the last two days painting the house for her. This morning they erected scaffold supports on the south wall of the house about 30 feet apart and laid a ladder across them for use as a scaffold.

“Both had climbed to the ladder and were painting for some time before any indication of the scaffold’s weakness came. Then there was a rending noise and the ladder cracked in two, apparently from the weight of the two painters.

“Both plunged to the ground amid falling splintered parts of the ladder and neither was able to rise after hitting the ground.

“**Jacob Edem**, who lives next door at 1327 Oak st., heard the crash of the scaffold collapse and ran out to aid the men.

“He assisted **Donnelly** into the **Sigel** home and then aided **Hennesy** in reaching a porch of the house. A police emergency call was put through for an ambulance when it was found that both men were suffering from ankle injuries. **Patrolman Leonard Weber** investigated.

“X-ray examination at the hospital was being made to determine the extent of ankle injury suffered by each victim.”

May 11, 1938, Wednesday, Syracuse Journal, Syracuse, NY

Obituaries

“**Henry Donnelly**, son of **Nicholas Donnelly**, of this town, died Thursday (Nov 11th) afternoon last of consumption. He was a finely educated and promising young man of about twenty years of age.”

November 18, 1875, Thursday, The Cazenovia Republican, Cazenovia, NY

“—**Nicholas R. Donnelly**, a well-known resident of north Cazenovia, died very suddenly yesterday morning. He was in his usual health the night before, and death came without warning, apparently from heart trouble. The deceased was a brother of **William Donnelly**, of this village, and was about 70 years old.”

April 25, 1895, Thursday, The Cazenovia Republican, Cazenovia, NY

Miss Mary A. Donnelly

“**Miss Mary A. Donnelly** died at 7 a.m. to-day at St. Joseph’s hospital after a long illness. She was the daughter of **Catherine Donnelly** of 914 Oak-st.

“Besides her mother, she is survived by three sisters, **Miss Margaret Donnelly**, **Mrs. Jacob Seigle** and **Mrs. Ellen Donohue**. And two brothers, **Bernard** and **Joseph Donnelly**. She was a member of council 19, C.M.B.A., and division 1 Ladies’ auxiliary, A.O.H. The funeral will be held at the family home, but arrangements have not been made.”

November 28, 1902, Friday, The Syracuse Journal, Syracuse, NY

MRS. CATHERINE DONNELLY

“**Mrs. Catherine Donnelly**, 87, died Tuesday night at her home, 923 Oak st. She was a communicant of St. Vincent de Paul’s Church. Surviving are three daughters, **Mrs. Ellen Donohue**, **Mrs. Jay Seigl** and **Miss Margaret C. Donnelly**; two sons, **Bernard Donnelly** of Albany and **Joseph Donnelly** of Syracuse, and a sister, **Mrs. Julia Ryan** of Boonville.”

April 16, 1924, Wednesday, The Syracuse Journal, Syracuse, NY

Note: **Mrs. Julia Ryan** should be **Miss Julia Ryan** — she never married.

Obituary Table - Donnelly

Name	Years	Cemetery	Obituary	Find A Grave
Nicholas Donnelly	1825-1895			No
Catherine Ryan Donnelly	1833-1924	?	Yes	No
Henry Donnelly	1855-1875			No
Ellen Donnelly Donohue	1857-1945 - NYDI		No	No
Mary Donnelly	1860-1902			No
Bernard Donnelly	1862-1941	St. Agnes, Albany	Yes	Yes
Margaret Donnelly	1864-?			No
Margaret Donnelly	1866-1957 - NYDI		No	No
Mary Catherine Donnelly	1869 -			
Elizabeth Donnelly Sigel	1873-1957	Assumption, Syr	Yes	Yes
Henry Donnelly	1877-bef 1880			No
Joseph Donnelly	1879-		No	No

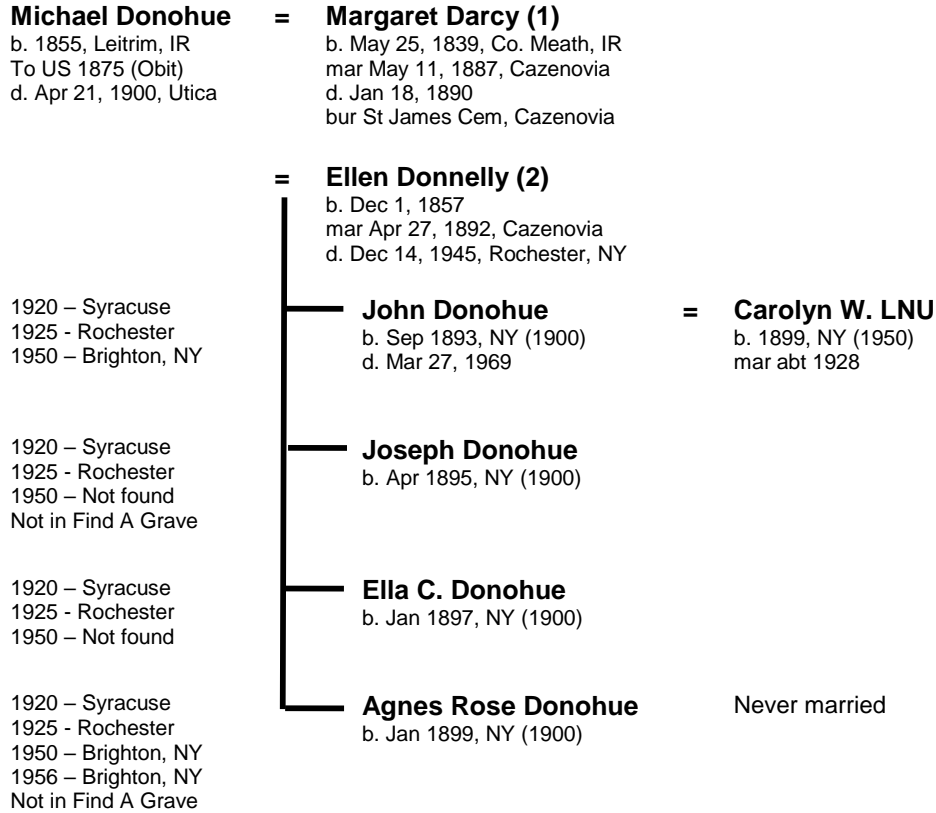
NYDI = The New York State Death Index

A1.2 - Michael Francis Donohue and Ellen Donnelly

(s/o James Donohue and Catherine Gallagher)

(d/o Patrick Darcy (1808-1870) and Catherine Blake (1808-1891)) (1)

(d/o Nicholas Donnelly and Catherine Ryan) (2)



Ellen Donohue and her four children (John, Joseph, Ella and Agnes) lived in the 5th Ward of Syracuse at the time of the 1920 census. By the time of the 1925 census Ellen and her children had settled in the 10th Ward of Rochester, NY. By 1930 John had moved out and Ellen and her three younger children were still residing at 610 Magee Avenue and Ellen’s single sister Margaret had also moved in with the family. By 1940 Ellen was still at 610 Magee Street but only her youngest daughter Agnes was still living at home along with Ellen’s single sister Margaret. After Ellen passed away in 1945 Agnes went to live with her brother John, his wife Carolyn and two of their children.

Church Records – St. James

410. **DONOHUE, Michael** married **Margaret DARCY** 11 February 1887. Priest: James L. Meagher. Witnesses: Thomas Donohoe and Anna Byrne.

Note: According to a social column in the Syracuse Standard newspaper (May 14, 1887) the couple were married on May 11, 1887.

Donohoe, Margaret Darcy, wife of **Michael Donahoe**, born May 25, 1839, died January 18, 1899.

Note: In **Margaret's** death notice the date of her death was given as *January 18, 1890*. Otherwise **Michael** would have been married to two women at the same time after he married **Ellen Donnelly** on *April 27, 1892*.

451. **DONOHUE, Michael** married **Ellen DONNELLY** 27 April 1892. Priest: James L. Meagher. Witnesses: Thomas Donohue and Margaret Donnelly.

US Census Records

1880 NY Oneida Deerfield Dist 089

Res 14 Fam 14

Horatio Seymour, 70, M, Farmer, NY, Conn, NJ
Mary Seymour, 68, Wife, M, Keeping House, NY, NY, NY
Margaret Darcy, 35, Servant, 1, House Keeper, IR, IR, IR
Ann Burn, 32, Cook, S, Cook, IR, IR, IR
Ana Thyar, 29, Seamstress, S, Seamstress, MA, MA, MA
Michael Donahue, 29, Hackman, Coachman, IR, IR, IR

Note: This is probably where **Michael Donohue** and **Margaret Darcy** met for the first time.

1892 NY Census – Census Date Feb 16, 1892.

1900 NY Onondaga Syracuse WD04 Dist 0098

914 Oak Street, Res 329 Fam 382, Rents home

Jacob B. Sigel, Head, July 1867, 32, M, 7 yrs, NY, Germany, Germany, Cigar Maker
Lizzie Sigel, Wife, June 1872, M, 7 yrs, Children: 2/2, NY, IR, IR
Bernadine Sigel, Dau, Mar 1894, 6, S, NY, NY, NY, At school, 6 mos
Francis Sigel, Son, Sept 1896, 3, S, NY, NY, NY

914 Oak Street, Res 329 Fam 383, Owns home with a mortgage

Catherine Donnelly, Head, Feb 1835, 65, **Wd, Children: 2/2**, IR, IR, IR, **1865**, 35
Margaret Donnelly, Dau, Dec 1869, 30, S, NY, IR, IR
Ellen Donohue, Dau, Dec 1858, 41, **Wd**, Children: 4/4, NY, IR, IR
John Donohue, G-Son, Sept 1893, 6, S, NY, IR, NY, At school, 9 mos
Joe Donohue, G-Son, Apr 1895, 5, S, NY, IR, NY, At school, 3 mos
Ella C. Donohue, G-Dau, Jan 1897, 3, S, NY, IR, NY
Agnes Donohue, G-Dau, Jan 1899, 1, S, NY, IR, NY

Note: The **Sigels** are living in the same house with **Lizzie's** mother **Catherine** and her two sisters **Margaret Donnelly** and **Ellen Donnelly Donohue**. **Catherine Donnelly** gave birth to at least 10 children, see her family tree in section A1.

1910 NY Onondaga Syracuse WD05 Dist 0118

102 Dorothy Street Res 91 Fam 98, Owns home free of a mortgage

Ellen Donohue, Head, 50, Wd, Children: 4/4, NY, IR, IR, None

John M. Donohue, Son, 16, S, NY, IR, NY, None

Joseph F. Donohue, Son, 14, S, NY, IR, NY, None

Ellen C. Donohue, Dau, 13, S, NY, IR, NY, None

Agnes R. Donohue, Dau, 11, S, NY, IR, NY, None

Res 91 Fam 99, Rents

John Dwyer, Head, 25, M1, 1 yr, NY, NY, IR, Insurance Agt, Metropolitan

Satie Dwyer, Wife, 25, M1, 1 yrs, Children:0/0, NY, NY, NY, None

1920 NY Onondaga Syracuse WD05 Dist 0137

104 Dorothy Street Res 212 Fam 243

Ellen Donahue, Head, 60, Wd, NY, IR, NY, None

Ellen Donahue, Dau, 22, S, NY, IR, NY, None

John Donahue, Son, 25, S, NY, IR, NY, Chemist, Kodak Co

Joseph Donahue, Son, 24, S, NY, IR, NY, Machinist, Factory

Agnes Donahue, Dau, 20, S, NY, IR, NY, Teacher, Grammar

1925 NY Monroe Rochester WD10 AD04 ED13

610 Magee Avenue

Ellen Donohue, Head, 63, US, Cit, Housework

John M. Donohue, Son, 30, US, Cit, Chemist

Joseph F. Donohue, Son, 28, US, Cit, Salesman

Ellen C. Donohue, Dau, 26, US, Cit, Teacher

Agnes R. Donohue, Dau, 24, US, Cit, Teacher

1930 NY Monroe Rochester Dist 0050

610 Magee Avenue Res 32 Fam 32, Owns home \$7.500, Radio

Ellen Donohue, Head, 60, Wd, Mar @ 30, NY, NY, NY, None

Joseph Donohue, Son, 34, S, NY, NY, NY, Machinist, Signal Co

Ellen C. Donohue, Dau, 32, S, NY, NY, NY, Teacher, Public School

Agnes Donohue, Dau, 30, S, NY, NY, NY, Teacher, Public School

Margaret Donnelly, Sister, 55, S, NY, NY, NY, None

Note: Ellen and Margaret's father was born in Ireland, not NY

1930 NY Monroe Rochester Dist 0079

24 Sumner Park Res348 Fam 469, Rents \$70, Radio

John M. Donohue, Head, 36, M, Mar @ 32, NY, IR, NY, Superintendent, Kodak Mfg.

Carolyn W. Donohue, Wife, 32, M, Mar @ 28, NY, NY, NY, None

John M. Donohue, Jr., Son, 3, S, NY, NY, NY, None

Ann W. Donohue, Dau, 1-3/12, S, NY, NY, NY, None

Valina Juda, Nurse, 16, S, NY, Poland, Poland, Nurse maid

1940 NY Monroe Rochester Dist 65-95

610 Magee Avenue Res123, Owns home \$5800

Ellen Donohue, Head, 79, Wd, 8th, NY, Same House

Agnes Donohue, Dau, 40, S, H-4, NY, Same House, Teacher, Education, \$1,700

Margaret Donnelly, Sister, Illegible, S, 8th, NY, Same House

1940 NY Monroe Brighton Dist 28-5

119 Wilshire road, Res 253 Owns \$15,000

John M. Donohue, Head, 42, M, C-4, NY, Same house, Superintendent, Instrument Co, 52 wks, \$3200.

Carolyn Donohue, Wife, 43, M, C-1, NY, Same house

Mary Donohue, Dau, 16, S, H-1, NY, Same house

John W. Donohue, Jr, Son, 13, S, 6, NY, Same house

Alice Donohue, Dau, 9, S, 3, NY, Same house

1950 NY Monroe Rochester 69-242

Monroe County Infirmary

Margaret Donnelly, 82, Never married, N.Y.S.

Note: This is the sister of **Ellen Donnelly Donohue**

1950 NY Monroe Brighton Dist 28-11

128 Wilshire Road, Res 73

John M. Donahue, Head, 56, Mar, NY, 40 hrs, Supervisor, Photographic Paper Mill

Carolyn W. Donahue, Wife, 51, Mar, NY

John M. Donahue, Jr., Son, 22, Nev, NY

Ann W. Donahue, Dau, 21, Nev, NY

Agnes R. Donahue, Sister, 51, Nev, NY, elementary Teacher, City School

The Donohue Brothers in the 1900 Census

The brothers were identified as the pall bearers at Michael Donohue's April 1900 funeral. They were later tracked down in the 1900 census and the Utica City Directories.

Thomas H. Donohue, Utica, b. Dec 1857, *US*

James Donohue, Utica, b. Dec 1859, IR, To US 1871

William E. Donohue, Rome, b. June 1860, IR, To US 1880

Edward F. Donohue, Utica, b. May 1863, IR, To US 1881

None of the brothers appeared in the 1892 census. Thomas H. Donohue was single and boarding with a Maher family in the 1900 census. He was the oldest of the four Donohue brothers shown above and he was most likely born in Ireland despite his NY birthplace found in the 1900 census.

Michael Donohue didn't appear in the 1875 or 1892 census and he died just prior to the taking of the 1900 census. He did appear in the 1880 living with and working for Horatio Seymour as his Coachman. Also living at the Seymour residence at that time was a single Irish servant girl named **Margaret Darcy** who would later become Michael Donohue's wife.

His age of 45 at the time of his death in 1900 was found in his obituary and an article written about him later that same year. His burial place has not been found and there are no other records that have been found to verify the year of his birth.

From Michael Donohue's obituary:

Michael Francis Donohue, Utica, b. 1855, Leitrim, IR, To US abt. 1873

Irish Church Records

Kiltubbrid RC, Ardagh Diocese

Marriage

March 22, 1852 - **James Donohue** and **Catherine Gallagher**

Res: Gortnagullion. Wit. Michael Donohue and Catherine Gerhram

Baptisms

January 1, 1853 - **Thomas Donohue** - Par. James Donohue and Cath Gallagher

Res: None. Sps. Francis Donohue and Bridget Gallagher

June 21, 1854 - **James Donohoo** - Par. John Donohoo and Catherina Gallaher

Res: Gertnagullin. Sps. Michl Gallaher and Catherine Donohoo

The pages between 1854 and 1856 were searched page by page for the baptism record of **Michael Donohue** but none was found.

June 1, 1856 - **James Donohu** - Par. James Donohue and Cally Gallagher

Res: None. Sps. Martin Gallagher and Bidy Gehiran

The pages between Jan 1857 and Oct 1857 were searched page by page for the baptism record of **Michael Donohue** but none was found.

April 25, 1858 - **Edmond Donohe** - Par. James Donohe and Colly Gollaher

Res: None. Sps. William Donohu and Bidy McNewry

The pages between Oct 1858 and Oct 1859 were searched page by page for the baptism record of **Michael Donohue** but none was found. This time period represented 6 months since the previous baptism and 6 months before the next baptism.

July 22, 1860 - **William Donohue** - Par. James Donohai and Kathy Gallagher

Res: None. Sps. Thomas McManus and Anne Donohue

The pages between Jan 1861 and Jan 1862 were searched page by page for the baptism record of **Michael Donohue** but none was found. This time period represented 6 months since the previous baptism and 6 months before the next baptism.

July 31, 1862 - **Mary Ann Donohue** - Par. James Donohue and Catherine Gallagher

Res: None. Sps. Michael Gallagher and Anne Early

October 2, 1864 - **Frank Donohoe** - Par. James Donohoe and Ellen Gallaher

Res: None. Sps. Frank Mulney and Jane McNaly

Note: Since **Michael Francis Donohue's** baptism record wasn't found it was thought that maybe he was going by his middle name. After a search for **Frank Donohue** one was found with what is believed to be the same set of parents despite the fact his mother was listed as **Ellen** rather than **Catherine**. However, this **Frank** was born in 1864 and **Michael Francis** came to Utica, NY in about 1873. So, this can't be **Michael Francis Donohue**.

Townlands

Townland	AKA	Acres	County	Barony	Parish	PLU	Province
Gortnagullion		402	Leitrim	Leitrim	Kiltubbrid	Carrick on Shannon	Connaught

Having the names and birth years of five brothers all born in Co. Leitrim is like winning the genealogical lottery. Their baptism records enable the identification of their parents and possibly the name of their townland back in Ireland. It was possible to find all four of the brothers and a sister born to the same parents. The parents' marriage record provided the name of the family's townland: Gortnagullion in Kiltubbrid civil parish in Co. Leitrim. The baptism record for Michael has not been found. The census birth data is notoriously incorrect and those for the Donohue brothers census birth data don't agree with their baptism dates.

City Directories

The Michael Donohue of interest wasn't found in the Utica City Directory in the years 1873-1888.

Year	City	Entry	Comment
1873	Utica	Horatio Seymour , ex-Governor, office 69 Genesee, r Deerfield Horatio Seymour, Jr. , civil engineer, r 36 Whitesboro John F. Seymour , lawyer, 69 Genesee, r 36 Whitesboro	
1889	Utica	William E. Donohoe , barber 160 Genesee, r 8 Bank	No Michaels
1890	Utica	Michael Donohoe , r 30 Whitesboro	
1891	Utica	Michael F. Donahue , clerk, bds. Northern Hotel F. B. Donahue , clerk, bds. Northern Hotel Michael Donahue , clerk, bds. 43 Whitesboro Thomas F. Donahue , driver, bds. 43 Whitesboro Michael Donohoe , packer 167 Genesee, bds 40 Whitesboro Edward Donohoe , laborer, h. St. Vincent Edward F. Donohoe , laborer, h. 5 St. Vincent James Donohue , laborer, h. 356 Whitesboro William E. Donohue , barber, h. 8 Bank	Too many Michaels
1892	Utica	Michael . Donahue , packer, 167 Genesee, h. 319 Mary Michael Donohoe , packer, bds. 40 Second cor. Mary Thomas F. Donahue , driver, bds, 18 Seneca Edward F. Donohue , laborer, h. 5 St. Vincent William E. Donohue , barber 135 Fayette, h. 108 Mandeville	
1893	Utica	Michael F. Donahue , packer 167 Genesee, h. 399 Mary Thomas F. Donahue , driver, bds 38 Hotel William E. Donohue , barber 135 Fayette, h. 108 Mandeville	
1900	Utica	Edward F. Donohue , laborer, h 31 St. Vincent William E. Donohue , barber, b 64 Plant Mary A. Donohue , h 64 Plant	No Michael In 1900 William was in Rome — this might not be the right William.

Another Utica Donohue Family

1870 NY Oneida Utica WD08

Res 133 Fam 161

Rosa Donahoe, 45, Keeping House, Per Est \$250, Ireland

Mary A. Donahoe, 19, Tailoress, NY

Rosa Donahoe, 13, Tailoress, NY

Peter Donahoe, 11, At School, NY

Note: The parents of all the above were of foreign birth

1880 NY Oneida Utica Dist 136

32 Morris Street Res 102 Fam 103

James Gaffney, 32, M, Painter, NY, IR, IR

Mary A. Gaffney, 29, Wife, M, Keeping House, NY, IR, IR

Peter Gaffney, 3, Son, NY, NY, NY

Mary Gaffney, 1, Dau, NY, NY, NY

Rosie Donohue, 57, Mother-in-law, Wd, At home, IR, IR, IR

Peter J. Donohue, 21, Brother-in-law, S, Knitter, NY, IR, IR

1880 NY Oneida Utica Dist 132

172 Columbia Street Res 338 Fam 430

Thomas Donohue, 22, Servant, S, Servant, IR, IR, IR

Catherine Donohue, 20, Patient, S, Domestic, Goiter, NY, IR, IR

In The Newspapers

ALL IN A PARAGRAPH

CAZENOVIA — **M. J. Donohue**, of Utica, and **Miss Margaret Darcy**, who were married on Wednesday (May 11th), sailed yesterday for Europe where they expect to spend several months.”

May 14, 1887, Saturday Morning, The Syracuse Standard, Syracuse, NY

Cazenovia

“**Cazenovia**, Jan. 19 — **Michael Donahue** of Utica visited his mother-in-law, **Mrs. Darcey** of Sullivan street, yesterday.”

January 22, 1891, Thursday, Syracuse Weekly Express, Syracuse, NY

Note: **Mrs. Catherine Blake Darcy** died on January 24, 1891, just five days after the visit of her son-in-law, **Michael F. Donohue**.

Cazenovia

“**Michael F. Donahue** of Utica and **Miss Ella Donnelly** of Cazenovia, were married yesterday in the latter place by **Rev. Father Mahar. T. B. Donahue** of Utica, brother of the groom, was groomsman, and **Miss Margaret Donnelly** of Cazenovia, sister of the bride, acted as bridesmaid. **Mr. and Mrs. Donahue**, after a wedding trip to New York, will reside in Utica.”

April 28, 1892, Thursday, The Syracuse Daily Journal, Syracuse, NY

A WEEK OF WEDDINGS

“**Miss Ella Donnelly**, of Cazenovia, and **Michael F. Donahue**, of this city, were married in the latter place Wednesday morning. **Rev. Father Mahar** officiated, **T. B. Donahue**, of this city, acted as best man and **Miss Margaret Donnelly** was bridesmaid. They will reside at 339 Mary street.”

May 1, 1892, Sunday, The Utica Sunday Tribune, Utica, NY

PERSONAL

“—**Michael Donahue**, who was long in **Gov. Seymour’s** service and who is now at Sheehan & Kelly’s, was married at Cazenovia last week. When he reached home yesterday noon, he found that his associates in the store had presented him a handsome bronze clock. Nothing will now prevent him from having a good time.”

May 3, 1892, Tuesday Morning, Utica Daily Press, Utica, NY

PERSONAL

“—**Mrs. Michael F. Donahue** and children of Whitesboro street, are visiting her mother in Syracuse.”

August 4, 1899, Friday Morning, The Utica Press, Utica, NY

GUESTS OF OTHER PLACES

“**Mrs. Michael F. Donahue** and children of Whitesboro street is the guest of her mother in Syracuse.”

August 6, 1899, Sunday, Utica Sunday Journal, Utica, NY

Land Transaction

“**Donohue, Ellen**, to **Agnes R. Donohue**, 640 Magee ave, lot 587, n s Magee ave, \$1, rv \$4.95”

July 19, 1943, Monday, Rochester Daily Record, Rochester, NY

Irondequoit PTA Fete Teachers

“**Agnes R. Donohue** – Ridgewood School.”

October 19, 1952, Sunday, Rochester Democrat & Chronicle, Rochester, NY

COURT PROCEEDINGS

“Given suspended sentence after pleading guilty to speeding **Agnes Ruth Donohue**, 57, of 123 Wilshire Rd., Brighton, 42 mph on Culver Road.”

May 20, 1956, Sunday, Rochester Democrat & Chronicle, Rochester, NY

RETIREMENTS

“**JOHN M. DONOHUE**, superintendent of the baryta division at the Kodak Park Works plant of Eastman Kodak Co., has retired from the company after 43 years of service. He lives at 123 Wilshire Rd., Brighton, with his wife.”

January 2, 1959, Friday, The Daily Record, Rochester, NY

Surrogate’s Court

“**DONOHUE, JOHN M.** — died Mar 27 — Real prop, none — personal prop \$10,000 — Letters testamentary and trusteeship to **Carolyn W. Donohue** and Marine Midland Truxt Co. — Griswold, Streppa, O C & P for pet.”

April 9, 1969, Wednesday, The Daily Record, Rochester, NY

Obituaries

“DONOHUE — In Cazenovia, Jan. 18, 1890, **Margaret**, wife of **Michael Donohue**, formerly of Utica.”

January 21, 1890, Tuesday, Utica Weekly Herald, Utica, NY

Cazenovia

“**Cazenovia**, Jan. 20 — The changeable weather has given the grip a new lease of life here and it seems to rage with increased fury. **Mrs. Michael Donohue** died Saturday with pneumonia which followed the grip. **Mr. Donohue** is down with it and is said to be very ill.”

January 23, 1890, Thursday, Syracuse Weekly Press, Syracuse, NY

“**Donohue** — In this city, Saturday, Apr. 21, 1900, at his home. 44 Whitesboro street, **Michael Francis Donohue**, in his 45th year.”

April 23, 1900, Monday Evening, Utica Herald-Dispatch, Utica, NY

Funerals To-Day

“The funeral of the late **Michael F. Donohue** was held at 10 o'clock this morning from St. John's Church, where solemn requiem mass was celebrated by **Rev. Father Purcell**. The attendance was large and the floral tributes many. The bearers were four brothers of the deceased: **Thomas B.**, **Edward F.** and **James** of Utica and **W. E. Donohue** of Rome, and two cousins, **John** and **Michael Donohue** of Florence. Among the floral tributes were tokens from **Dr. and Mrs. Ford**, **Mrs. Cochrane** of Utica; **Mrs. C. S. Fairchild** of Cazenovia, **Mrs. M. J. McKown** and **Mrs. Matthew Bebb** of New York. Interment was made in St. Agnes Cemetery.”

April 24, 1900, Tuesday, The Utica Observer, Utica, NY

CARETAKER OF SEYMOUR HOME

Death of Michael F. Donohue Yesterday Afternoon

GOVERNOR'S COACHMAN

He Was a Trusted Employe of the Great Statesman for Thirteen Years — Had Charge of the Old Homestead in This City Since 1873

“**Michael F. Donohue**, caretaker of the Seymour homestead on lower Whitesboro street and for thirteen years during the lifetime of **Governor Horatio Seymour**, a trusted and confidential employe of the great statesman, is dead. He passed away at the Seymour homestead at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon (Apr 21st) after an illness of less than a week with pneumonia. **Mr. Donohue** took a bad cold last Sunday, which later developed into pneumonia. **Dr. Quinn** attended him and everything possible was done, but without avail.

“**Mr. Donohue** had an interesting career. He was 45 years of age at the time of his death. A native of Leitrim, Ireland, he came to this country when a young man and settled in Utica. Soon after his arrival in this city he secured a position as coachman for **Governor Horatio Seymour**. He began his service for the Governor in 1873(?) and continued in the capacity of coachman until the death of the Governor, February 12, 1886. Most of his work was performed at the Deerfield home, but during several winters, when **Governor Seymour** occupied the old homestead on Whitesboro street, **Mr. Donohue** was with him. Besides being the coachman, **Mr. Donohue** served as general overseer of the property and affairs of the lamented statesman. **Governor Seymour** thought a great deal of **Mr. Donohue** and the service of thirteen years shows that the work of **Mr. Donohue** was appreciated by his employer. He was entrusted with many of the private business matters of the Governor and transacted them with great satisfaction.

“After the death of **Governor Seymour Mr. Donohue** came to Utica to live. For some time he was employed as a shipping clerk by **John H. Sheehan**.

“A little over two years ago, at the request of the heirs of the Seymour estate, he took charge as caretaker of the old Seymour homestead and had since lived in the house and kept the grounds in good condition.

“The deceased was well known in Utica and had a great many friends in this locality. He was a strong Democrat and had great faith in the principles of the party championed for so many years by his employer. **Mr. Donohue** was a member of Fort Schuyler Council, R. A. He belonged to St. John’s church and took an active interest in the societies connected with it.

“Eight years ago **Mr. Donohue** married **Miss Donnelly** of Cazenovia, who, with four small children, survives. **Mr. Donohue** also leaves four brothers; **Thomas H., Edward F., and James** of Utica; and **William E.** of Rome.

“The funeral will be held Tuesday morning.”

April 22, 1900, Sunday, The Utica Sunday Tribune, Utica, NY

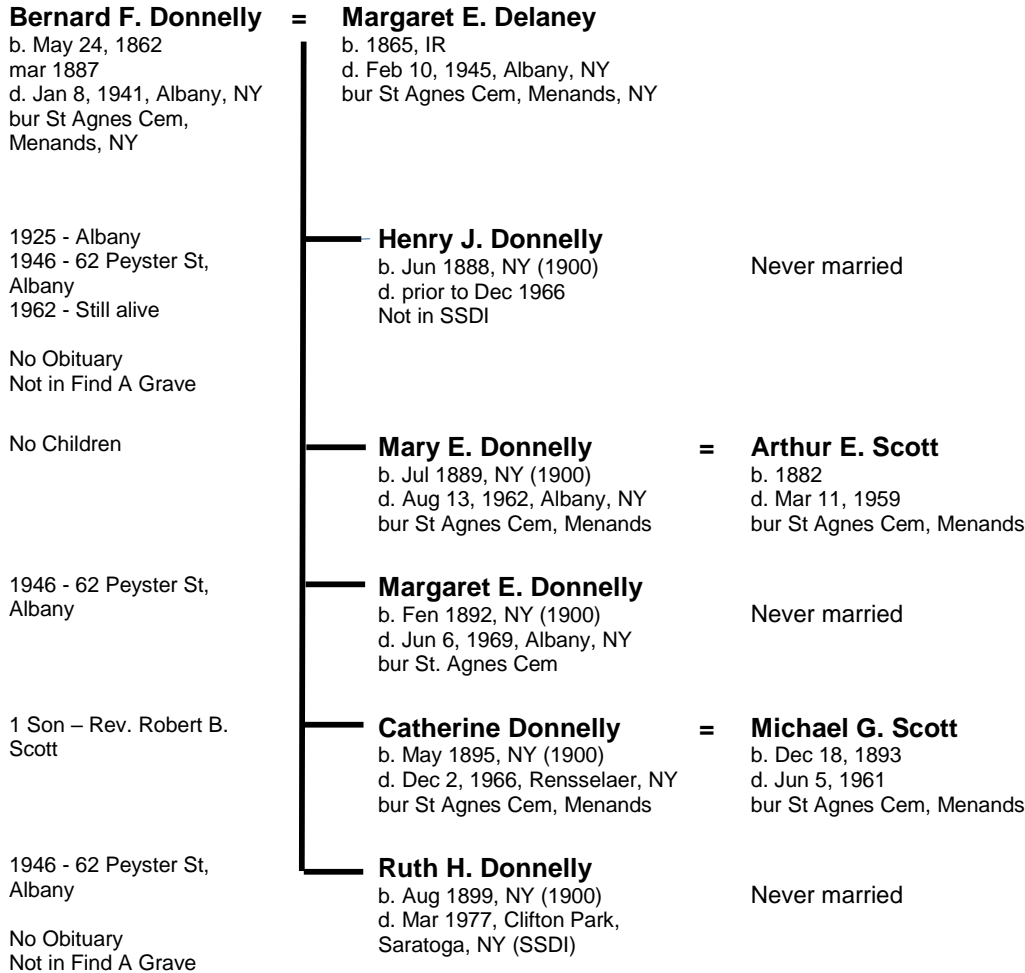
“There will be an anniversary mass at St. John’s Church Monday morning at 8:15 in memory of the late **Michael F. Donohue**, who died April 21, 1900.”

April 21, 1901, Sunday, Utica Sunday Journal, Utica, NY

A1.4 - Bernard Donnelly and Margaret Delaney

(s/o Nicholas Donnelly and Catherine Ryan)

(d/o Father and Mother)



US Census Records

1900 NY Albany Albany WD12 Dist 0045

255 Orange Street Res 124 Fam 210, Owns home with a mortgage

Bernard Donnelly, Head, May 1865, 35, M, 13 yrs, NY, IR, IR, Coachman
 Margaret Donnelly, Wife, Dec 1862, 37, M, 13 yrs, Children: 5/5, IR, IR, IR, 1880, 20 yrs
 Henry Donnelly, Son, Jun 1888, 12, S, NY, NY, IR, At School (9 mo)
 Mary Donnelly, Dau, Jul 1889, 10, S, NY, NY, IR, At School (9 mo)
 Margaret Donnelly, Dau, Feb 1892, 8, S, NY, NY, IR, At School (9 mo)
 Catherine Donnelly, Dau, May 1895, 5, S, NY, NY, IR, At School (9 mo)
 Ruth Donnelly, Dau, Aug 1899, 9/12, NY, NY, IR
 Mary Donnelly, Sister, Sept 1871, 29, S, NY, IR, IR

1905 NY Albany Albany WD12 ED05

255 Sheridan Avenue

Bernard F. Donnelly, Head, 38, US, Cit, Coachman
Margaret Donnelly, Wife, 38, US, Cit, Housework
Henry Donnelly, Son, 17, US, Cit, Errand-boy
Mary Donnelly, Dau, 15, US, Cit, At School (8-1/2 mo)
Margaret Donnelly, Dau, 13, US, Cit, At School (8-1/2 mo)
Catherine Donnelly, Dau, 10, US, Cit, At School (8-1/2 mo)
Ruth Donnelly, Dau, 5, US, Cit, At School (8-1/2 mo)

1920 NY Albany Albany WD15 Dist 0074

312 Madison Avenue Res 42 Fam 72, Owns free of a mortgage

Bernard F. Donnelly, Head, 55, M, NY, IR, IR, Stationary Engineer, Printing Plant
Margaret Donnelly, Wife, 55, M, Children: Un /Un, IR, IR, IR, None
Henry J. Donnelly, Son, 31, M, NY, NY, IR, Chauffeur, Garage
Mary E. Donnelly, Dau, 31, S, NY, NY, IR, Stenographer, Printing Plant
Margaret E. Donnelly, Dau, 27, S, NY, NY, IR, Stenographer, State
Ruth H. Donnelly, Dau, 20, S, NY, NY, IR, Stenographer, Insurance

Note: Where is **Henry's** wife?

1925 NY Albany Albany WD18 AD01 ED09

57 Peyster Street

Bernard F. Donnelly, Head, 60, US, C, Fireman
Margaret E. Donnelly, Wife, 60, Ireland, 38 yrs, C, By marriage, Housewife
Harry J. Donnelly, Son, 35, US, C, Electrician

Note: This **Harry J.** is probably **Henry J.**

1930 NY Albany Albany Dist 0086

57 Peyster Street, Res 162 Fam 235, Owns \$11,000, Radio

Bernard F. Donnelly, Head, 68, M, Mar @ 28, NY, Ir-Free State, NY, Engineer, Printing
Margaret E. Donnelly, Wife, 68, M, Mar @ 28, IR-Free State, IR-FS, IR-FS, 1882, Na, None
Margaret E. Donnelly, Dau, 28, S, NY, NY, IR-FS, Stenographer, State
Ruth Donnelly, Dau, 26, S, NY, NY, IR-FS, Stenographer, Printing

1940 NY Albany Albany Dist 63-127

57 Peyster Street Res 154 Owns \$8,000

Bernard F. Donnelly, Head, 75, M, H-3, NY, Same House
Margaret Donnelly, Wife, 75, M, H-3, NY, Same House
Margaret Donnelly, Dau, 48, S, H-4, NY, Same House
Ruth Donnelly, Dau, 32, S, C-3, NY, Same House, Stenographer, Light Operator Co, \$1500
Ruth Donnelly, Sister, 39, S, C-4, NY, Same House, Stenographer, State Executive Office, \$2500

1950 NY Albany Albany Dist 63-91

399 State Street, Apt 907 Res 348

Margaret E. Donnelly, Head, 58, Nev Mar, NY

1950 NY Albany Albany Dist 63-92

397 State Street Apartments, Apt 1D, Res 16

Ruth Donnelly, Head, 54, Nev Mar, NY, No occupation

In The Newspapers

Picotte Reports Sale Of Seven Homes Here

“Margaret Donnelly estate has sold the one-family house at 57 Peyster street to **Cornelius J. Nolan**. It has five bedrooms and oil heat. It had been held at \$12,000. **Joseph A. Garry** was the salesman.”

February 3, 1946, Sunday, Albany Times-Union, Albany, NY

CITATION

“THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK. By the Grace of God Free and Independent

— To: Margaret E. Donnelly, 62 Peyster St., Albany, NY;

Ruth Donnelly, 62 Peyster St., Albany, NY;

Harry J. Donnelly, 62 Peyster St., Albany, NY (Henry J. Donnelly?)

Mary Donnelly Scott, 220-07 92nd Ave., Queens Village, L. I.

Katherine Donnelly Scott, 87 Van Schoick Ave., Albany, NY

Delia Driscoll, Little Sisters of the Poor, Troy, NY

Catherine Delaney, 319 W. 58th St., New York, NY

Ellen Duffy, 28 Morton Ave., Albany, NY

Harry Duffy, 59, Alexander St., Albany, NY

Catherine Duffy Steffins, 207 Partridge St., Albany, NY

Catherine Duffy, Hospital of Incurables, Albany, NY

Mary Duffy Crowe, 1215 Broadway, Albany, NY

Margaret Duffy Connell, Cloonlough, Ballinlough, Co. Roscommon, Ire.

Ellen Keegan McDermott, 1532 S. 56th St., Philadelphia, Pa.;

Patrick Keegan, Lisrivia, Williamstown, Co. Galway, Ire.;

Margaret Keegan Madden, Timiscal Creggs, **P.O.**, Galway, Ire.;

Thomas Keegan, 723 W. 177th St., New York, NY;

Thomas Delaney, Cartron, E. Williamstown, Co. Galway, Ire.;

Martin Delaney, Cartron, E. Williamstown, Co. Galway, Ire.;

Margaret Delaney Burke, Killere Ballentubber, Co. Roscommon, Ire.;

Thomas Duffy, Islands, Williamstown, Co. Galway, Ire.;

Patrick Duffy, Islands, Williamstown, Co. Galway, Ire.;

Delia Duffy Kelly, Cloonlough Ballinlough, Co. Roscommon, Ire.;

Mary Fitzgerald, 71 Summit Ave., Albany, NY;

Luke Cregg, Cloonlough Ballinlough, Co. Roscommon, Ire.;

American Bonding Co. of Baltimore, 90 State St., Albany, NY;

Max Weinstein, 76, Myrtle Ave., Albany, NY;

John Doe and Mary Roe.

“‘John Doe’ and ‘Mary Roe’ being fictitious names intended to designate any unknown next of kin and distributees of **James J. Duffy**, deceased, within the class of first cousins, if any of them survived the death of said **James J. Duffy** which took place on August 19, 1945, or if any of them subsequently died, their respective administrators, executors, devisees, distributees, legatees, heirs at law, next of kin or (illegible); and all others interested in the estate of James J. Duffy, late of the City of Albany, in the County of Albany, deceased, as creditors, distributees or otherwise.

Send Greeting:

You and each of you are hereby required to show cause before our Surrogate of the County of Albany at the Surrogate’s Court, in the County Court House, in the City of Albany, New York, on the 26th day of May, 1946, at ten o’clock in the forenoon of that day, why the

Account of Proceedings of **Margaret E. Donnelly**, as Administratrix of the goods, chattels and credits of said deceased **James J. Duffy** should not be judicially settled and allowed.

In testimony Whereof, we have caused the Seal of the Surrogate's Court of the said County of Albany, to be hereunto affixed.

Witness HON. EDGARD G. ROGAN, Surrogate of said County, at the City of Albany, on the 23rd day of April, 1946.

JOSEPH A. YAVONDI
Clerk of Surrogate's Court
April 26 – May 2-10-17-24-31”

April 26, 1946, Sunday, Albany Times-Union, Albany, NY

Note: The above filing was included in this paper because Margaret e. Donnelly was the Administratrix of the James J. Duffy estate and there was an extensive list of relatives of Mr. Duffy. Individuals residing in Ireland have been highlighted in **GRAY**. No effort has been made at this time to detail the various family connections.

Off the State Cuff

By Arvis Chalmers

Knickerbocker News Capitol Reporter

STRICTLY PERSONAL

“**Miss Margaret Donnelly**, who was one of **Gov. Franklin D. Roosevelt's** favorite secretaries, is planning to give up her career post in the Governor's office. She has signed up for a November retirement.”

October 2, 1959, Friday, The Knickerbocker News, Albany, NY

Obituaries

Bernard F. Donnelly

“A native of Cazenovia who had lived in Albany for half a century, **Bernard F. Donnelly**, 71, died yesterday at his home, 57 Peyster, after a week's illness.

“Educated in Cazenovia Seminary, Mr. Donnelly was employed as a stationary engineer in Albany for 20 years, retiring in 1933. He leaves his wife, the former **Margaret Delaney**; one son, **Harry (Henry) J. Donnelly**; four daughters, **Mary E.**, **Margaret E.**, and **Ruth H. Donnelly** and **Mrs. Michael G. Scott**, all of Albany, a grandson, **Robert E. Scott**, and three sisters, **Mrs. Ellen Donohue** and **Miss Margaret Donnelly** of Rochester and **Mrs. Jacob Sigel** of Syracuse. Mr. Donnelly was a son of the late **Nicholas** and **Catherine Ryan Donnelly**.

“Funeral services will be Saturday at 9:15a.m at the residence and at 9:45 a.m. at St. Vincent de Paul's Church. Burial will be in St. Agnes' Cemetery under direction of **Campion's Sons**.”

January 9, 1941, Thursday, The Knickerbocker News, Albany, NY

“**DONNELLY** —Feb 10, 1945, at the residence 57 Peyster St., **Margaret Delaney**, wife of the late **Bernard F. Donnelly**, mother of **Mrs. Arthur Scott**, **Mrs. Michael G. Scott**, **Henry J.**, **Margaret E.** and **Ruth Donnelly**, grandmother of **Robert B. Scott**. Funeral services from the above residence Tuesday morning at 9:15. Solemn Mass of Requiem at St. Vincent de Paul's Church 9:45. Relatives and friends are invited.

February 12, 1945, Monday, The Knickerbocker News, Albany, NY

Mrs. Arthur Scott

“Funeral services were held today for **Mrs. Mary Scott** of 399 State Street, who died Monday (Aug 13th) at St. Peter’s Hospital after a brief illness.

“**Mrs. Scott**, the former **Mary Donnelly**, was born in Albany. She lived most of her life in New York City, returning to Albany three years ago. She was the widow of **Arthur Scott**.

“She was a member of St. Peter’s Hospital Auxiliary and the Women’s First Friday club of Albany.

“Surviving are three sisters, **Margaret** and **Ruth Donnelly**, and **Mrs. Michael Scott**; a brother **Henry J. Donnelly**, and a nephew, the **Rev. Robert B. Scott**, assistant pastor of St. Vincent de Paul’s Church, who sang the Mass today.

“Services were at Zwack & Sons Mortuary, and in Our Lady of the Angels Church. Burial was in St. Agnes Cemetery.”

August 16, 1962, Thursday, The Knickerbocker News, Albany, NY

Obituaries

Mrs. Kathryn D. Scott

“**Mrs. Kathryn Donnelly** Scott of 87 Van Schoick Avenue, wife of the late **Michael G. Scott** and mother of the **Rev. Robert B. Scott**, secretary to **Bishop Edward J. Maginn**, died Friday (Dec 2nd) at Villa Maria in Rensselaer after a long illness.

“Besides her son, **Mrs. Scott** is survived by two sisters, **Margaret E.** and **Ruth Donnelly**.

“Services will be Monday at 10:30 a/m/ from the Campion and Sons Funeral Home, 166 Washington Avenue, and at 11 a.m. at St. Vincent de Paul Church.”

December 3, 1966, Saturday, Times-Union, Albany, NY

DEATHS

“**DONNELLY** — Suddenly, on June 6, 1969, **Margaret E. Donnelly** of 399 State St., Albany, daughter of the late **Bernard and Margaret (Dalaney) Donnelly**; sister of **Miss Ruth Donnelly** of Albany, and the **Rev. Robert B. Scott** of Elnora, N. Y.; sister of the late **Henry J. Donnelly, Mrs. Arthur Scott** and **Mrs. Michael G. Scott**.

“Funeral services Tuesday morning at 10:30 from Campion & Sons Funeral Home, 166 Washington Ave. Requiem Mass at 11 o’clock St. Vincent de Paul’s Church. Relatives and friends may call at the funeral home from 4 to 9 Monday evening. In lieu of flowers kindly send mass cards.”

June 7, 1969, Saturday, Knickerbocker News, Albany, NY

Scott Dies, Ex-Postal Worker

“**Michael G. Scott**, retired Albany Post Office employe, died yesterday (Jun 5th) at his home, 87 Van Schoick Ave., after a long illness.

“A native of Bath, **Mr. Scott** had lived in Albany 56 years. He retired three years ago after 43 years with the postal service. He was a veteran of World War I, and a member of the Van Deloo Miller Post, American Legion, St. Teresa’s Holy Name Society, and the National Association of Letter Carriers.

“His son, the **Rev. Robert B. Scott**, is assistant pastor of St. Vincent de Paul Church. Also surviving are his wife, the former **Kathryn Donnelly** and two brothers, **Peter Scott** of Albany, and **John Scott** of Yonkers.

“Funeral services will be conducted at 10:30 a.m. at Campion & Sons Funeral Home, 166 Washington Ave., and at 11 a.m. at St. Vincent de Paul Church. Burial will be in St. Agnes Cemetery.”

June 6, 1961, Tuesday, The Knickerbocker News, Albany, NY

Note: Michael was pre-deceased by another brother, **Charles Scott**.

Mrs. Arthur Scott

“Funeral services were held today for **Mrs. Mary Scott** of 399 State Street, who died Monday (Aug 13th) at St. Peter’s Hospital after a brief illness.

“**Mrs. Scott**, the former **Mary Donnelly**, was born in Albany. She lived here most of her life in New York City, returning to Albany three years ago. She was the widow of **Arthur Scott**.

“She was a member of St. Peter’s Hospital Auxiliary and the Women’s First Friday Club of Albany.

“Surviving are three sisters, **Margaret and Ruth Donnelly**, and **Mrs. Michael Scott**; a brother, **Henry J. Donnelly**, and a nephew, the **Rev. Robert B. Scott**, assistant pastor of St. Vincent de Paul’s Church, who sang the Mass today.

“Services were at Zwack & Sons Mortuary, and in Our Lady of Angels Church. Burial was in St. Agnes Cemetery.”

August 16, 1962, Thursday, The Knickerbocker News, Albany, NY

Related Obit

MRS. MARY D. DUFFY

“Funeral services for **Mrs. Mary Delaney Duffy**, widow of **Patrick Duffy**, who died yesterday at her home, 76 Myrtle, will be at 8:15 a.m. tomorrow at the Lynch Funeral Home, 205 Madison, and later at Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception. Burial will be in St. Agnes’ Cemetery. Surviving are a son, **James J. Duffy**, and a sister, **Mrs. Bernard F. Donnelly**.

January 7, 1944, Friday, The Knickerbocker News, Albany, NY

Find A Grave

Father	Mother
<p>Bernard F. Donnelly BIRTH: unknown DEATH: 8 Jan 1941 BURIAL: Saint Agnes Cemetery, Menands, Albany County, NY MEMORIAL ID: 224661794</p>	<p>Margaret E. Donnelly BIRTH: unknown DEATH: 10 Feb 1945 BURIAL: Saint Agnes Cemetery, Menands, Albany County, NY MEMORIAL ID: 224661795</p>
Children	Spouse
<p>Henry J. Donnelly Not found in Find A Grave</p>	
<p>Mary E. Donnelly Not found in Find A Grave</p>	<p>Arthur E. Scott Birth: 1882 Death: 11 Mar 1958 (aged 75–76) Burial: Saint Agnes Cemetery, Menands, Albany County, NY Plot: Lot 140C, Grave 3 Memorial ID: 250976085</p>
<p>Margaret E. Donnelly Not found in Find A Grave</p>	
<p>Catherine Donnelly Not found in Find A Grave</p>	<p>Michael G. Scott Birth: 18 Dec 1893 Death: 5 Jun 1961 (aged 67) Burial: Saint Agnes Cemetery, Menands, Albany County, NY Plot: Section: 40 SH Memorial ID: 285088544</p>
<p>Ruth H. Donnelly Not found in Find A Grave</p>	

A1.8 - Jacob Sigel and Elizabeth Agnes Donnelly

(s/o Jacob Sigel [1824-1889] and Catherine E. LNU[1827-1905])

(d/o Nicholas Donnelly and Catherine Dwyer)

Jacob Sigel

b. Jul 1867, NY (1900)
 b. Jul 13, 1867 (Grave)
 d. Apr 10, 1955, Syracuse
 bur Assumption Cem,
 Syracuse, NY

= Elizabeth Agnes Donnelly

b. Jun 1872, NY (1900)
 mar 1893 (1900)
 d. Jul 7, 1957, Onon. Co, NY
 bur Assumption Cem, Syracuse,
 NY

Bernadine Sigel

b. Mar 14, 1894 (Grave)
 d. Jan 4, 1978, Onon Co, NY
 bur Assumption Cem, Syr, NY

= John K. Hennessey

b. 1894, NY (1930)
 b. Jul 13, 1894, Phelps, NY (Grave)
 mar 1919 (1930)
 d. Aug 23, 1977, Onon Co (Grave)
 bur Assumption Cem, Syr

1 daughter
 Mrs. Donald Price

Francis J. Sigel

b. Sept 24, 1896, NY (Grave)
 d. Dec 21, 1922, Rochester, NY
 bur Assumption Cem, Syr., NY

Never married

Edwin J. Sigel

b. Jun 9, 1906, NY (Grave)
 b. 1898, NY (1940)
 d. Aug 13, 1985, Syracuse, NY
 bur Assumption Cem, Syracuse

= Katherine E. King

b. 1897, NY (1940)
 b. Sep 2, 1906 (Grave)
 d. Jan 31, 1990, Syracuse
 bur Assumption Cem, Syr,

Beatrice E. Sigel

b. Mar 20, 1912 (Grave)
 d. Mar 27, 1990, Syracuse
 bur Assumption Cem, Syracuse

= Frederic John Fortune (1)

b. Oct 25, 1907, Watertown
 mar 1938 (Grave)
 d. May 20, 1944, Syracuse
 bur Assumption Cem, Syr

= Willard Reynolds (2)

b. Jun 10, 1910, Syracuse, NY
 mar 1947 (Grave)
 d. Aug 22, 1980, Syracuse, NY
 bur Assumption Cem, Syr.

US Census Records

1892 NY Onondaga Syracuse WD12, ED02

Catherine Sigel, 63, Germany, C
Jacob Sigel, 22, US, C, Conductor
Alice Sigel, 28, US, C
Maggie Sigel, 21, US, C

1900 NY Onondaga Syracuse WD04 Dist 0098

914 Oak Street, Res 329 Fam 382, Rents home

Jacob B. Sigel, Head, July 1867, 32, M, 7 yrs, NY, Germany, Germany, Cigar Maker
Lizzie Sigel, Wife, June 1872, M, 7 yrs, Children: 2/2, NY, IR, IR
Bernadine Sigel, Dau, Mar 1894, 6, S, NY, NY, NY, At school, 6 mos
Francis Sigel, Son, Sept 1896, 3, S, NY, NY, NY

914 Oak Street, Res 329 Fam 383, Owns home with a mortgage

Catherine Donnelly, Head, Feb 1835, 65, Wd, **Children: 2/2**, IR, IR, IR, **1865**, 35
Margaret Donnelly, Dau, Dec 1869, 30, S, NY, IR, IR
Ellen Donohue, Dau, Dec 1858, 41, **Wd**, Children: 4/4, NY, IR, IR
John Donohue, G-Son, Sept 1893, 6, S, NY, IR, NY, At school, 9 mos
Joe Donohue, G-Son, Apr 1895, 5, S, NY, IR, NY, At school, 3 mos
Ella C. Donohue, G-Dau, Jan 1897, 3, S, NY, IR, NY
Agnes Donohue, G-Dau, Jan 1899, 1, S, NY, IR, NY

Note: The **Sigels** are living in the same house with **Lizzie's** mother **Catherine** and her two sisters **Margaret Donnelly** and **Ellen Donnelly Donohue**.

1920 NY Onondaga Syracuse WD04 Dist 0130

1313 Oak Street Res 11 Fam 11, Owns home – Mortgage Unknown

Jacob Sigel, Head, 45, M, NY, GER, GER, Cigar Maker, Cigar Co.
Elizabeth Sigel, Wife, 45, M, NY, IR, IR, Home
Bernadine Sigel, Dau, 24, S, NY, NY, NY, Bookkeeper, Store
Francis Sigel, Son, 21, S, NY, NY, NY, Laborer, Factory
Edwin Sigel, Son, 15, S, NY, NY, NY, Home
Beatrice Sigel, Dau, 8, S, NY, NY, NY, Home

1930 NY Onondaga Syracuse Dist 0029

1331 Oak Street, Res 199, Fam 240, Owns home \$12,000, Has a radio

Jacob B. Sigel, Head, 62, M, Mar @ 25, NY, Germany, Germany, Salesman, Cigar Store
Elizabeth Sigel, Wife, 57, M, Mar @ 20, NY, IR, IR, None
Edwin J. Sigel, Son, 24, S, NY, NY, NY, Book-Keeper, Gear Factory
Beatrice E. Sigel, Dau, 18, S, NY, NY, NY, Stenographer, Bonds & Stocks

1930 NY Onondaga Syracuse Dist 0209

1704 East Genesee Street Res 468 Fam 599, Rents \$25 - Radio

John K. Hennessey, Head, 36, M, 24, NY, NY, NY, Proprietor, Grocery Store
Bernadine Hennessey, Wife, 36, M, 25, NY, NY, NY, None
Dolores Hennessey, Dau, 9, S, NY, NY, NY, None

1940 NY Onondaga Syracuse Dist 66-59

1331 Oak Street Res 251 Owns \$3000

Jacob Siegel, Head, 67, M, 8th, NY, Same House, 30 hrs, Cigar Maker, Cigar Mfg, PW, 35 wks, \$720
Elizabeth Siegel, Wife, 55, M, 6th, NY, Same House

1940 NY Onondaga Syracuse Dist 66-59

1817 Grant Boulevard, Res 117, Rents \$20

John Hennessey, Head, 45, M, H-1, NY, Same place, 37 hrs, Machinist, Auto Gear, PW, 28 wks, \$700

Bernadine Hennessey, Wife, 46, M, H-1, NY, Same Place

Dolores Hennessey, Dau, 19, S, H-3, NY, Same Place

1950 NY Onondaga Syracuse Dist 71-65

137 Down (No street name) Res 115

Willard Reynolds, Head, 38, Mar, NY, 40 hrs, Hide trimmer, Mfg

Beatrice Reynolds, Wife, 37, Mar, NY

Patricia Reynolds, Dau, 10, Nev, NY

Willard L. Reynolds, Son, 2, Nev, NY

In The Newspapers

UNCLE SAM'S QUERIES

CENSUS ENUMERATORS ENTERED ON THEIR DUTIES TO-DAY

“Syracuse - Fourth ward — **Jacob R. Buecheier, George F. Price and Jacob B. Sigel.**”

June 1, 1900, Friday, The Evening Herald, Syracuse, NY

CIGARMAKERS UNION DEPOSES ITS TREASURER

Jacob Siegal Is Named to Succeed Mathias Boland

“Cigarmakers’ Union No. 6 last night deposed **Mathias Boland** of No. 121 White street as secretary and treasurer and elected in his place **Jacob Siegel**, who will take up the duties of the office at once.

“**Mr. Boland** was removed because of alleged irregularities in the conduct of his office. A shortage of between \$300 and \$400 in his accounts was alleged, but whether it is due to mistakes in keeping the books is to be determined. **Mr. Boland** was present to defend himself but there were many to take the floor against him. **Mr. Boland** was treasurer twenty years and was under bonds.”

February 26, 1907, Tuesday Morning, The Post-Standard, Syracuse, NY

CIGAR FACTORIES HERE SHORT 150 EMPLOYES, WAGE SCALE CLIMBS

ACTION TAKEN IN EFFORT TO WIN BACK UNION MEMBERS WHO WENT INTO FACTORIES FOR HIGHER WAGES.

“With a shortage of close to 150 hands in cigar factories in this city, due to vacancies created through the loss of men to munition factories paying relatively high wages, the union wage scale for local cigarmakers will be increased by one dollar on every output of a thousand cigars, it was announced at the Syracuse headquarters of Cigarmakers’ Union No. 6 in the Bastable Block to-day.

“DECISION FOLLOWS SAME ACTION ELSEWHERE

“This decision was reached following action on the part of several other unions in different parts of the state and at the regular joint meeting of the Cigarmakers’ Union and the cigar Packers held on Aug. 28. The packers, although meeting in a joint session with their co-workers, have decided not to demand and increase. It is expected that the new wage scale will go into effect beginning Sept. 16.

“At the meeting which was held at Bartender’s Hall, 268 James st., with **Joseph Fries** presiding, it was voted to increase the union wage scale from \$9 to \$10 and \$11 to \$12 per thousand.

“The action will affect all of the 56 factories within the jurisdiction of the union who are employing its members.

“No trouble is expected in securing from manufacturers the desired increase, it was stated to-day by **Jacob B. Sigel**, secretary of the local union.

“There are many members of the union,” said **Mr. Sigel**, “who have left cigar factories to work in plants engaged in the manufacture of munitions and other war products but who still retain their membership in the union. It is thought that the wage increase will bring them back to their former work. The manufacturers can use from 100 to 150 more men in this city. The trade here is especially good at this time.”

September 6, 1918, Friday, Syracuse journal, Syracuse, NY

Obituaries

FRANCIS J. SIGEL

“**FRANCIS J. SIGEL** – Funeral services for **Francis J. Sigel**, twenty-six, veteran of the World War, who died Thursday at Rochester, will take place at the home of his parents, **Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Sigel**, No. 1331 Oak street, Monday morning at 9 o’clock and half an hour later in St. John the Evangelist Church. Burial will be in Assumption Cemetery.”

December 23, 1922, Syracuse Evening Telegram, Syracuse, NY
Page 15, Column 5

[NOTE: another obituary said he served in the Army during the World War in the Thirty-sixth Field Artillery, Battery F]

FREDERIC J. FORTUNE

“**Frederic J. Fortune**, 36, died last night at his home, 137 Peck Avenue, after a short illness. A native of Watertown, he had lived here 12 years. He was in the roofing business. He was a member of Local 12, Carpenters Union. Surviving are his wife, **Mrs. Beatrice Sigel Fortune**; a brother, **Paul W. Fortune** of Syracuse; a step-brother, **George H. Fortune**, and a step-sister, **Miss A. Eleanor Fortune**, both of Adams Center. Funeral services will be conducted at 2 P.M. Tuesday at the home. Burial will be in Assumption Cemetery.”

May 21, 1944, Sunday, Herald-Journal, Syracuse, NY
Page 37, Column 6

JACOB B. SIGEL

1331 Oak st.

“Funeral arrangements are incomplete for **Jacob B. Sigel**, 87, of 1331 Oak st., who died yesterday. Friends may call at the Carter Funeral Home, 1604 Grant blvd., from 7 to 9 P.M. today and 2 to 5 and 7 to 9 P.M. tomorrow. Burial will be in Assumption Cemetery. Mr. Sigel is survived by his wife, **Mrs. Elizabeth Sigel**; two daughters, **Mrs. Bernadine Hennessey** and **Mrs. Beatrice Reynolds**; a son, **Edwin J. Sigel**; three grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. Mr. Sigel was a retired cigarmaker.”

April 11, 1955, Monday, Herald-Journal, Syracuse (NY), Page 12, Column 4

MRS. ELIZABETH A. SIGEL

“Services for **Mrs. Elizabeth A. Sigel**, 84, a former resident of 1331 Oak St., who died yesterday in a nursing home after a long illness, will be conducted at 8:15 a.m. Wednesday in the Carter Funeral Home. A Mass will be celebrated in St. John the Evangelist Church at 8:45 a.m. Burial will be in Assumption Cemetery. Surviving are two daughters, **Mrs. Beatrice Reynolds** of Syracuse and **Mrs. Bernadine Hennessey**; a son, **Edward J. Sigel**; five grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. Friends may call from 7 to 9 p.m. today and from 2 to 5 and 7 to 9 p.m. tomorrow.”

July 8, 1957, Monday, Herald-Journal, Syracuse (NY), Page 12, Column 2

John K. Hennessey

“**John K. Hennessey**, 83, of 201 First North St. died yesterday at a local nursing home. He was a veteran of World War I. **Mr. Hennessey** was a native of Phelps and resided in Syracuse 60 years. He was a former employe of the Chrysler Corp.

“Surviving are his wife, **Bernadine**; a daughter, **Mrs. Donald D. Prico (Price)**; four grandchildren, and five great-grandchildren.

“Private services will be at the convenience of the family at the Carter Funeral Home. Burial will be in Assumption Cemetery. There will be no calling hours.

August 24, 1977, Sunday, Herald-Journal, Syracuse, NY, p. 22

Mrs. Bernadine Hennessey

“Private services will be conducted at the Carter Funeral Home for **Mrs. Bernadine Hennessey**, 83, formerly of 201 First North St., who died Wednesday at a local nursing home. Burial will be in Assumption Cemetery. There will be no calling hours. Surviving are a daughter, **Mrs. Donald Price**; a sister, **Mrs. Beatrice Reynolds**; a brother, **Edwin Seigel**; four grandchildren, and five great-grandchildren.”

January 6, 1978, Friday, Post-Standard, Syracuse, NY, Page 7, Column 5

Willard Reynolds Sr.

“**Willard L. Reynolds Sr.**, 70, of 137 Peck Ave., died yesterday at Veterans Administration Hospital after a long illness. He was a life resident of Syracuse and a veteran of World War II. **Mr. Reynolds** was employed by the Syracuse Rendering Co. for 30 years, having retired in 1972. He was a member of the Pulaski American Legion Post 1650.

Surviving are his wife, the former **Beatrice Sigel**; a son, **Willard Jr.** of North Syracuse; a daughter, **Mrs. Patricia Vicarella** of North Syracuse, a brother, **Charles** of DeWitt; and several grandchildren. Services will be Monday at 9 a.m. at Gang Memorial Chapel. Burial will be in Assumption Cemetery. Calling hours are 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. tomorrow.

August 23, 1980, Saturday, Herald-Journal, Syracuse, NY

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Edwin J. Sigel

“**Edwin J. Sigel**, 80, of 257 S. Edwards Ave. died Tuesday at his home. **Mr. Sigel** was a life resident of Syracuse. He retired in 1966 as credit manager after 39 years with New Process Gear Division of Chrysler Corp. **Mr. Sigel** was a communicant of Blessed Sacrament Church and a member of its Holy Name Society. He was a former member of the Knights of Columbus. Surviving are his wife, **Katherine**; a son, **Edwin K.** of Rochester; a daughter, **Barbara Roberts** of Camillus; a sister, **Beatrice Reynolds** of Syracuse; six grandchildren and several nieces and nephews. Services will be at 8:30 a.m. Friday at Goddard-Crandall-Shepardson Funeral Home and 9 a.m. in Blessed Sacrament Church. Burial will be in Assumption Cemetery. Calling hours will be 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Thursday at the funeral home, 3111 James St. Contributions may be made to the Caring Coalition of Central New York.

August 14, 1985, Wednesday, Post-Standard, Syracuse NY
Page B-2, Column 6

Katherine King Sigel

“**Katherine King Sigel** of 257 S. Edwards Ave. died Wednesday at University Hospital. **Mrs. Sigel** was a native of Marcellus and lived in the Syracuse all of her life. She was a communicant of Blessed Sacrament Church and a member of its Altar and Rosary Society and St. Ann's Circle. Surviving are a daughter, **Barbara Roberts** of Camillus; a son, **Edwin** of Rochester; two brothers, **Martin P. King** of Marcellus and **Carlton King** of Syracuse; six grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews. Services will be at 8:15 a.m. Saturday at Goddard-Crandall-Shepardson Funeral Home and 8:30 a.m. in Blessed Sacrament Church. Burial will be in Assumption Cemetery. Calling hours are 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. today at the funeral home, 3111 James St. Contributions may be made to Alzheimer's Disease Society.”

February 2, 1990, Friday, Herald-Journal, Syracuse, NY
Page B4, Column 4

BEATRICE C. REYNOLDS

“Services for **Beatrice C. Reynolds**, 78, of 137 Peck Ave., who died Tuesday (Mar 27th) at St. Joseph's Hospital, will be at 10 a.m. Friday at Goddard-Crandall-Shepardson Funeral Home and 10:30 a.m. in St. Daniel's Church. Burial will be in Assumption Cemetery. Calling hours will be 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. today at the funeral home, 3111 James St. **Mrs. Reynolds** was a life resident of Syracuse. She retired in 1972 from the advertising department of The Syracuse Newspapers. Her husband, **Willard L. Sr.**, died in 1980. Mrs. Reynolds was a communicant of St. Daniel's Church and a member of the Corinthian Club and St. Stephen Lutheran Church Senior Fellowship group. Surviving are a son, **Willard L. Jr.** of Cicero; a daughter, **Patricia Fortune-Vicarella** of Syracuse; four grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

March 29, 1990, Thursday, Post-Standard, Syracuse, NY
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Find A Grave - Sigel

Father	Mother
<p>Jacob Benjamin Sigel BIRTH: 13 Jul 1867, Syracuse, Onondaga County, NY DEATH: 10 Apr 1955 (aged 87), Syracuse, Onondaga County, NY BURIAL: Assumption Cem, Syracuse, NY PLOT: Section U1 MEMORIAL ID: 219574323</p>	<p>Elizabeth A. Donnelly Sigel BIRTH: Jun 1872, NY DEATH: 7 Jul 1957 (aged 85), Onondaga County, NY BURIAL: Assumption Cem, Syracuse, NY PLOT: Section U1 MEMORIAL ID: 219574336</p>
Children	Spouse
<p>Bernadine E. Sigel Hennessey Birth: 14 Mar 1894, NY Death: 4 Jan 1978 (aged 83), Onondaga County, NY Burial: Assumption Cem, Syracuse, NY Plot Section 7T Memorial ID 190818768</p>	<p>CPL John K. Hennessey Veteran Birth: 13 Jul 1894, Phelps, Ontario County, NY Death: 23 Aug 1977 (aged 83), Onondaga County, NY Burial: Assumption Cem, Syracuse, NY Plot: Section 7T Memorial ID: 190045191</p>
<p>Francis J. Sigel Birth: 24 Sep 1896, Syracuse, NY Death: 21 Dec 1922 (aged 26), Rochester, NY Burial: Assumption Cem, Syracuse, NY Plot: Section U1 Memorial ID: 219589606</p>	
<p>Edwin Joseph Sigel Birth: 9 Jun 1905, Syracuse, NY Death: 13 Aug 1985 (aged 80), Syracuse, NY Burial: Assumption Cem, Syracuse, NY Plot: Section 26 Memorial ID: 219589846</p>	<p>Katherine E. King Sigel Birth: 2 Sep 1906, Marcellus, NY Death: 31 Jan 1990 (aged 83), Syracuse, NY Burial: Assumption Cem, Syracuse, NY Plot: Section 26 Memorial ID: 219589857</p>
<p>Beatrice C. Sigel Reynolds Birth: 20 Mar 1912, Syracuse, NY Death: 27 Mar 1990 (aged 78), Syracuse, NY Burial: Assumption Cem, Syracuse, NY Plot: Section U1 Memorial ID: 219590372</p>	<p>Frederic John Fortune (1) Birth: 25 Oct 1907, Watertown, Jefferson County, NY Death: 20 May 1944 (aged 36), Syracuse, NY Burial: Assumption Cem, Syracuse, NY Plot: Section U1 Memorial ID: 219590337</p>
	<p>Willard Leigh Reynolds Sr. Veteran (2) Birth: 10 Jun 1910, Syracuse, NY Death: 22 Aug 1980 (aged 70), Syracuse, NY Burial: Assumption Cem, Syracuse, NY Plot: Section U1 Memorial ID: 219590363</p>

Assumption Cem, Syracuse, NY is Assumption Cemetery and Mausoleum, Onondaga County, Syracuse, NY

Appendix

The Darcy Family of Cazenovia

US Census Records

1850 NY Madison Cazenovia

Res 1603 Fam 1780

Patrick Darcay, 41, Laborer, Ireland
Catherine Darcay, 41, Ireland
George Darcay, 11, Ireland, Attended School
Mary Darcay, 9, Ireland, Attended School
James Darcay, 6, Ireland
Mathew Darcay, 1, NY

1850 NY Madison Cazenovia

Res 977 Fam 1081 - Hotel in Cazenovia Village Rept by Oliver Jewell

Margaret Dorsey, 16, Ireland

1855 NY Madison Cazenovia ED02

Res 1 Framed \$150 Fam 1

Patrick Dorsey, 45, Ireland, M, 8 yrs, Laborer, Na, Cannot Read, Owner of Land
Catherine Dorsey, 44, Wife, Ireland, M, 8 yrs, Alien, Cannot Read
Margaret Dorsey, 18, Child, Ireland, 8 yrs
George Dorsey, 16, Child, Ireland, 8 yrs
Mary Dorsey, 14, Child, Ireland, 8 yrs
James Dorsey, 11, Child, Ireland, 8 yrs
Matthew Dorsey, 6, Child, Madison, 6 yrs
Christopher Dorsey, 4, Child, Madison, 4 yrs

1860 NY Madison Cazenovia

Res 624 Fam 618

Patrick Dorcey, 49, Rectifyre of whiskey, Real Est \$400, Ireland
Catherine Dorcey, 49, Ireland, Cannot R or W
George Dorcey, 22, Tanner, Ireland
James Dorcey, 16, Farm Laborer, Ireland
Matthew Dorcey, 11, NY
Christopher Dorcey, 9, NY

1860 NY Madison Cazenovia

Res 923 Fam 919

Gerrit H. Smith, 29, Real Est \$10,000, Per Est \$ 20,000, NY
Maria A. Smith, 23, Maryland
Gerrit Smith, 4, NY
William F. Smith, 2, NY
Peter S. Smith, 6/12, NY
Margaret A. Dorsey, 24, domestic, Ireland
Mary E. Dorsey, 20, Domestic, Ireland
Abigail O'Conner, 18, Domestic, Ireland

1865 NY Madison Cazenovia

Res 132 Framed \$600 Fam 140

Patrick Darcay, 50, Ireland, Mar once, Mar now, Farmer, Na, Owner of land, Cannot Read

Kate Darcay, 50, Wife, Ireland, Children: 5, Mar once, Mar now, Cannot R or W

Margaret Darcay, 26, Child, Ireland, S

George Darcay, 24, Child, Ireland, S, Farmer, Native ??

Mary Darcay, 22, Child, Ireland, S

Matthew F. Darcay, 16, Child, Madison, S, None, Deaf and dumb, blind, insane or idiotic

Christopher Darcay, 14, Child, Madison

1870 NY Madison Fenner

Res 42 Fam 42

Patrick Dorsey, 62, Farmer, Real Est \$10,000, Per Est \$3000, Ireland

Catherine Dorsey, 62, Keeping house, Ireland, Cannot R or W

Margaret Dorsey, 34, At Home, Ireland

George Dorsey, 32, At Home, Ireland

Mathew Dorsey, 21, At Home, NY, Blind

Christopher Dorsey, 19, At Home, NY

Note: The parents of all the above were of foreign birth.

1875 NY Madison Fenner

Res 70 Fam 66

George Darcy, 33, Ireland, S, Farmer, Na, Owner of land

Maggie Darcy, 33, Sister, Ireland, S

Mary Darcy, 31, Sister, Ireland, S

Christopher Darcy, 24, Brother, NY, S, Native

Catarin Darcy, 60, Mother, Ireland, Widow

William Burk, Hire, 17, Madison, S, Farm Laborer

1880 NY Madison Fenner Dist 056

Res 68 Fam 68

Catherine Darcy, 77, Wd, Keeping House, IR, IR, IR

George Darcy, 38, Son, S, Farmer, IR, IR, IR

Mary Darcy, 35, Dau, S, Keeping House, IR, IR, IR

Christopher Darcy, 27 Son, S, Farmer, NY, IR, IR

Patrick Blake, 65, Boarder, Wd, Laborer, IR, IR, IR

Note: **Patrick Blake** is probably the brother of **Catherine Blake Darcy**.

1880 NY Oneida Deerfield Dist 089

Res 14 Fam 14

Horatio Seymour, 70, M, Farmer, NY, Conn, NJ

Mary Seymour, 68, Wife, M, Keeping House, NY, NY, NY

Margaret Darcy, 35, Servant, 1, House Keeper, IR, IR, IR

Ann Burn, 32, Cook, S, Cook, IR, IR, IR

Ana Thyar, 29, Seamstress, S, Seamstress, MA, MA, MA

Michael Donahue, 29, Hackman, Coachman, IR, IR, IR

Note: This is probably where **Michael Donohue** and **Margaret Darcy** met for the first time.

St. James Cemetery

Darcy, Patrick, died August 5, 1870, age 62 years, from Co. Meath, Ireland

Darcy, Catherine Blake, wife of Patrick Darcy, died January 24, 1891, age 83 years, from Co. Meath, Ireland.

Darcy (maiden name), see **Margaret Darcy Donohoe. (b. 1839)**

Darcy, Christopher W., born 1850, died 1936.

Darcy, Julia Scott, born 1862, died 1940.

Darcy, Francis A., born April 5, 1888, died February 12, 1950, NY
M Sig Elec, 803 Aero Rep Sq., WWI.

Darcy, James A., son of Patrick and Catherine Blake Darcy, died October 28, 1863, age 19 years

Darcy, Mathew F., son of Patrick and Catherine Blake Darcy, died March 5, 1873, age 24 years.

St. James Church, Cazenovia, NY

Marriages

409. **DARCY, Christopher** married **Julia SCOT** 15 February 1887

Priest: James L. Meagher

Witnesses: Thomas Lynch and Catherine Scot

365. **DARCEY, George** married **Julia DEVINE** 4 May 1881

Priest: Charles A. Reilly

Witnesses: William Flanagan and Mary Ann Devine

Baptisms

2419. **DARCEY, Catherine Elizabeth**, daughter of Christopher DARCEY and Juliana SCOTT, born 18 April 1896, baptized 24 May 1896

Sponsors: Thomas J. Dwyer and Anna Dwyer

Priest: Daniel Doody

2257. **DARCEY, Francis Andrew**, son of Christopher DARCEY and Julia SCOT, born 5 April 1888, baptized 6 May 1888 Sponsors: William Flanagan and Catherine Scott

Priest: James L. Meagher

2311. **DARCEY, James Joseph**, son of Christopher DARCEY and Julia SCOTT, born 5 March 1890, baptized 6 April 1890

Sponsors: John Jackson and Elizabeth Boylan

Priest: James L. Meagher

Irish Records

Darcy Family Dates

Father: Patrick Darcy, b. **1808**, d. 1870 - born in Co. Meath

Mother: Catherine Blake, b. **1808**, d. 1891- born in Co. Meath

Ireland Born Children:

Margaret Darcy b. **1834**, d. 1890

George Darcy, b. **1838**, d.

Mary Darcy, b. **1840**, d.

James Darcy, b. **1844**, d. 1863

Matthew Darcy, b. **1849**, d. 1873

Most of this information came from the St. James Cemetery list by Dennis Weiskotten. The rest came from census data. With all this information it should have been possible to find some church records for at least a few of the family members — but it didn't turn out that way.

A first search of all of Ireland for a baptism record for a surname beginning with “D” over the time period 1840 ± 10 years and a mother named Cath* Blake and a father named Pat* didn't turn up any Darcys or any records from Co. Meath.

A second search for baptism records for surnames beginning with “D” and centered on Co. Meath over the time period 1840 ± 10 years and a mother named Cath* Blake didn't turn up any Darcy's anywhere in Ireland. A Rose Darcy (10 Jan 1839) showed up in Co. Meath with a mother named Margaret Farrelly so the next search tried Cath* F*

A third search — Surname: Da*, Parents: Pat* and Cath* F*; 1840± 10 years, centered on Co. Meath. Only three Darcys were found in Loughrea, Galway.

John (5 Jun 1840), Catherine (21 Aug 1843) and Patricius (13 Feb 1835).

Parents: Patrick Darcy and Catherina Flanagan.

A fourth search — Surname: Dor*, Parents: Pat* and Cath*; 1840± 10 years, centered on Co. Meath. There were 74 hits but only 2 Dorcys:

Michaele Dorcy (5 Jul 1836), Loughrea, Galway, Parents: Patrici Dorcy and Catharine Flanagan.

Brigidam Dorcy (16 Sep 1839) New Castle, Tipperary & Waterford, Parents: Patriu Dorcy and Catharina Lonney.

Barney Ryan of Rosmult

From Robyn Hardie
Australia
March 13, 2003

There is clear evidence that the Ryans were living in Rosmult in the 17th C, John Ryan's will of 1666 was made in 'myne own house in Rossmult'.

Although they were among the dispossessed, as a result of Cromwell's confiscations, they managed to hang on in Tipperary in defiance and probably in hope of regaining their ancestral lands.

One branch of the family certainly prospered, becoming the Ryans of Inch, but **Barney's** lot remained in Rosmult in more modest circumstances as tenant farmers.

A birth record for **Barney/Barnabas/ Bernard Ryan** is not available, however his death certificate dated 11 Dec 1863 shows his age as 60, so his date of birth must be around 1803.

A marriage record is available from the Upperchurch parish register and gives the following details: marriage of **Barney Ryan** and **Lizzy Newman** on 26/2/1829, witnessed by **William Ryan** and **John Newman**. Records of several baptisms are also available, for four sons, **William, Edmund, Jerry** and **Bernard**, in 1829, 1832, 1835(the last two being twins).

At this time **Barney** and his father **William** were farming and paying tithes at Rosmult a townland about 2.5 miles southeast of Upperchurch village, two other **Barney Ryans** were farming in the same townland with allotments almost the same size as Barney & William's together. They were known as **Barney Ryan (Patt) & Barney Ryan (James)**.

William was married to **Mary** (maiden name unknown) and they had as well as **Barney** sons, **James, Jeremiah** and **John** and at least two daughters **Winifred** and a second, name not known.

One of the daughters was married to a **John Stapleton** whose family were farming at Cooga, a little west of Upperchurch village and very close to Gleninchaveigh. Now the **Stapletons** were renowned as faction fighters and were tough fighters, which does not excuse what happened next.

After some earlier skirmishes the **Ryans** and **Stapletons** got into a very nasty fight, apparently in a dispute over land which resulted in the death of **James Stapleton**. Witness for the prosecution was **John Stapleton**, husband to Barney's sister, brother of the deceased. Both sides of course blamed the other but the account of the trial from The Clonmel Herald March 19 1836, shows that the **Ryans** did kill the **Stapleton** and **Barney** struck the final blow with a rock. The result was that **Barney** and his father were transported for life to Australia on a charge of manslaughter in 1836, and the following year twin brothers, **James & Jeremiah** were also transported for life on the same charge, same crime.

Once in Australia, **Barney** was assigned to work for a master, while his father **William** now a man in his sixties having become ill with “Phlebitis” during the long voyage out was never able to work again & died in 1840 far away from his sons.

The twins were lucky enough to be assigned to the same master, though far away from **Barney**. They kept out of trouble, received their tickets of leave & conditional pardons, on the same dates & apparently prospered. Unfortunately at this stage research on these two is incomplete.

However **Barney’s** fate is well known. He had left behind his wife & several sons (at least 4) in Tipperary, but somehow the family kept in touch. Local records show that there was mail addressed to him held in Sydney, & some cross communication occurred because within three or four years of his transportation he was joined by his wife **Eliza**. How she contrived this is still a small mystery. It was not uncommon for convicts to be reunited with their wives & families, however for ‘lifers’ usually there was a waiting period of 7 or 8 years before it was even considered.

I have a copy of a petition made by **Eliza** to the authorities asking for assistance to join **Barney** & his father dated August 1837, & a copy of a stern refusal. She somehow managed to get passage to Australia by 1840, found **Barney** & together they had several more children while living in a newly settled mountain area about 35 miles from Sydney.

Where they lived was not a simple matter of choice as **Barney** was still a convict & subject to rigorous restrictions. In 1844 he received his ticket of leave which was granted to convicts of good behaviour after about 8 years. This allowed him to lead a normal life in terms of work if he could find his own paid work etc but restricted him to a very precise geographic area. Eventually in the mid 1850s he received a conditional pardon which made him a free man except that he could never return to Ireland. Full pardons were not granted to ‘lifers’.

Barney & Eliza were the catalyst it seems for a Newman diaspora. In 1840 **Eliza’s** sister **Bridget** arrived, in 1841 **Eliza’s Uncle John Newman** & family in 1842 **Eliza’s mother Mary** with her sisters brother niece & nephew & the last a brother **John Newman** with wife & family, came post famine in 1850.

Eliza’s mother was a **Mary Ryan & John Newman senior** was married to a **Margaret Ryan**. Almost all of these people came from Drombane, Upperchurch, Thurles & environs. The various families spread out in the way of migrants. Interestingly **Barney Eliza & family** left their country place as soon as the conditional pardon was received & settled in a suburb of Sydney where there was a group of Tipperary people in spite of it being (at that time) an enclave of the Protestant ascendancy.

Like his Tipperary associates **Barney** prospered & when he died in 1863 left **Eliza** 3 one acre lots, 2 houses & furniture four horses and their harness three drays & one cart as well as a grown family.