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Emigrants leaving home in the west of Ireland. Sketch by Clarence O'Dowd NAC C-18682

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Editorial Corner

I was privileged this summer to attend three family history conferences in Los Angeles, Seattle and Ottawa.. They were evidenc of a good increase in family history interest. The Seattle conference of the Federation of Genealogical Societies was attended by more than 1800 registrants. It represents more than 1000 societies, including our own, and more than 150,000 family historians. It was massive compared to attendance at the LA and Ottawa conferences of 125 and 140 people respectively.

All the conferences were very worthwhile with good speakers, variety in choice of lectures, and a positive and sharing atti-

President & Editor



Brian O'Regan

tude on the part of the many fine people I met.

This interest will be greatly enhanced among a larger population next year with the televising of the new 10-part *Ancestors* series for National PBS (see my page 14 report). I have written to KBYU-TV in Provo UT to congratulate them on this project and to extend our Society's full support of it.

Similar letters have being sent to TVO and WPNE in Watertown encouraging their support and broadcast of the series. You may wish to write to TVO and WPNE.

I hope you like the new additions in this issue, e.g., a Tafel and a Queries page.

Have a good ancestral hunting season.

1851 County Sligo Letter

This letter (see below) is an excellent example of one most researchers hope to find. It is amply filled with names, relationships and news, and should add life and colour to the bare names of lineage charts. We should all get from it an insight into the ways and times of our own ancestors in the years right after The Great Famine.

Your Editor is grateful to BIFHSGO's vice-president of programs and conferences, **Jim Heal**, for sending it in for publication.

He got his copy from his cousin, the late **Mrs. Gladys Golden** nee **Livesey** of Harrow ON. She got the original from a descendant of **Jasper Golden** of Lot 7, Con 4, Gosfield Township, Essex County, near Kingsville, ON.

Jim reports that the relationship of the letter writer, **Richard Golden** and Gladys' husband, **John James Golden**, is unknown to him. **Golden's** grandfather **James**, son of **William & Bridgette Golden**, was born in Tobercurry (Tubbercurry), Co Sligo in 1867, about 16 years after the letter was written. The letter reads:

Rathscanlon, May 19th, 1851

My dear brother and sisters

That cheering and encouraging letter which we were looking for arrived on the 6th of May. I need not be describing the comfort it brought, particularly to my poor mother.

She is in a middling state of health at present, thanks to Almighty God for that and all other Mercies to us unworthy creatures. & O what a privilege to hear from our most beloved friends who are always in our minds

almost taking the place of Him who requires our first and best thoughts. But God Almighty grant of His goodness for Christ's sake, for any anxiety or suffering we not fall from Him with whom we have to do (*sic*).

We were also happy to hear how well my **Aunt Sarah** and cousins are. May God bless them for their kindness to you. You would be comfortless dear **Jasper**, only for them. We hope the Lord will prolong our lives another twelve-month to see ye, also to thank our beloved Aunt and cousins for all their acts of kindness. You have still to admire the goodness of God in supporting us on the little means we have, as you and I often did.

Our stock is as good as when ye went.

We sold the mare and foal at November and bought £5.7.6 worth of a hon [?]. I have the most of that money earned in plowing **Mr.H.**, the same kind man still. He got the Dean's plowing for me which came to £1.10

We joined **Mrs. Beatty** of Rue. We bought an iron plow for £2.1.6, a very nice but a light one. Let us know if you will encourage us to bring it with us, if so, we would keep it.

We have only our potatoes set. We have some over. We have a very late spring but this month is coming on favorably. We have about an acre and a half planted and intend to plant 3 more of turnips. We have half an acre of wheat sown. It did not make much progress yet. Have two acres of oats. It appears well. We had not enough grass of our own. We bought **Roger Golden's** grass for £4.0.0. You know there is a good piece



Farm near Grange village, Co. Sligo, overlooking Irishmurray Island.
Pic by Editor

of meadow on it which will draw half of that money.

Now I must let you know about the friends. **Mr. Hamilton** and lady and baby are all well and very happy to hear from ye. My **Uncle Dick** and his family are well. **John** is still unmarried. **Mrs. Eeraus** house-keeps for him. **Aunt Mary Henderson** is well. She is in Sligo yet and all the family. **Eccles** was home on a visit from the Army. They are gate-keepers of the old Abbey.

Mrs. Powell and family are much the same way in health, but not the same respect. **Elicia** got married to **Robt. Irwin** about a half year ago and lives in the big house with **Robert**. **Mr. Frazer** and family are well. **Mrs. Golden** is well.

Mrs. Frizzel is well but **Miss Frizzel** gave up teaching on account of bad health. She is not very bad now. **Miss Black** teaches in her place. I wrote you about the death of **Mr. Potter**. You never spoke about him so I doubt if you got that paper. I also sent two papers written with ink. I think ye ought to have them before ye wrote.

Benson is in Tubbercurry dealing as before. The reason of his return, I think no person knows. **Ellen** stopped in New York and the rest of them came back. All in this town. **John Mullarkey** came home too and is in this town. He left the two eldest sons in America. **Tommy Connoly** is home.

Margaret Golden is married to **James Carroll**. Both go to church. They are living in **Matthew Gore's** house.

Our cousins the **Bretts** are well in America. **George**, their brother went at Christmas. He brought a wife with him by the name of **Emily Cuff**. I think you know her (big **George's** sister). **George** got hurt on the vessel and he is in hospital in America.

The girls sent their mother home £5.0.0. They are well at home. The **Morrison's** are

all gone to America. **Lougheed's** except **Jane** that married **Hugh Lougheed**. **Dick McGee's** family are all gone to America.

Mrs. Ferguson's widower **Clifford** is married to **Miss O'Connor**, **James Golden's** sister-in-law. **Miss Ferguson**, **Robert Black's** sweetheart, is also married to a young man near Ballymoli.

Bessie West has gone to America. She went with the **Morrison's**. **Miss Wallis** is gone also. **Pat Golden** is about to go to America.

There came no letter to Cloonacurrow from America, but what **Willis** sent. We hear **Rich. Phibbs** got one lately. The old Uncle is well, at least he was well a month ago. I was down then. **John Black**, wife and child are well. **Katherine Ferguson's** husband and daughter are well and doing well. **Henry Connor** is well and all the family.

Mrs. Rogers was teaching school in Chafpool and the priest opposed it and **Mrs. Armstrong** gave it up. Her son is well. **John Morrison**, **Bob's** son died last Christmas. I was very sorry for him.

Old **John Powell** is dead. He left his carriage to **Pat Coan**. Old **Jack Young** in Ballisadare is married. **Wm. Golden**, **Mrs. Golden's** brother in Ballisadare came in to Tubbercurry and stopped half a year and then to Sligo to the poorhouse and two of his children are dead since he went.

Jane Walker of Carrane is gone to America. **Wm. West** (**George's** son) sent home £6.0.0. to his father. His sister **Jane** went to America. **Wm. West** (**Tom's** son) is still in the Police. I sent you a paper that he sent me.

The toothache pays me a visit betimes. My mother hopes to see ye in America, God willing. My father does be often thinking and planning how he will leave a row of trees behind the house. Then he says from all the

ground **William** has, if we have to go back farther in the bush God help us.

I hope **Jasper** will choose a good farm. It is very particular you ought to be in choosing a spot where we expect to live on earth. **Anthony** and **John** will assist you in making a choice.

We are very happy **Sarah** is in a religious family, and that she is content, and I hope she will see my father's house surrounded by a number of hens.

Let us know as soon as possible how **Maria** is situated and if content. It is lawful to write now in a paper if a person pay one penny for stamping it anywhere through the British Settlements. We expect that you will not forget to send us papers at least every fortnight or sooner. I wonder at **Cousin Sarah's** patience in waiting to get married till we go over. I wonder how I forgot to mention and speak of **John** and family in our last letter but as I did I hope he will excuse me for I often prove awkward in many things.

I hope my son **Anthony** is doing well and that **William** would bring him up in the fear of the Lord. I promised since for a son of **Louis**, a namesake of my own. I do not intend to promise for any other child in this country.

Our Sunday School is doing well. **Henry Connor** still attends it. We do have good congregations. We had on the 5th of May 105 people at Church. **Dean Hare** went to Waterford. He is replaced by a **Lord Montmorrey**. I fear an exchange for the worse.

Mr. O'Brien will get an atlas for you. Do not forget to remember us to **William**

and his kind wife, **John** and family and also **Thomas Pettypiece**. If the bush is a lonely place he must be very lonely.

It is my mother's wish she was there, then her wish would be fulfilled, but she says she will venture, at any rate, this year will be the longest passed for many years. **Winnie** would wish when you would be writing to **Aunt Fanny** to inquire about his brother **James'** family.

Do not forget to let us know in your next what requisites will be necessary to bring with us and if farming implements are cheap and easy to get.



Intricately sculptured Celtic Cross at Drumcliffe, Co. Sligo. Pic by Editor

My mother is still in doubt about my **Aunt Fanny** and would like if you would be good enough to remove her doubts. **Sarah** wished to know if my mother fretted much. Not much now, it was mingled with joy ever since she heard of ye being at my **Aunt's**. She was wonderfully eased. **Jasper's** medicine proved good. She uses it still. I cannot say whether any of the **Phibbs** will go out or not. I saw none of them this long time.

My mother thinks **John** lost all his good nature since he went to America. She says he was not so before he went. She hopes she will have nothing to answer of the promise she made for him. So I must conclude. We send out love to you dear **Jasper, Maria & Sarah** and Aunt and Cousins. May the Lord bless ye.

(signed)

Richard Golden

P.S. **John** is well. He sends his love to you and **M. & S.**

Wm. Reid gone to America this month.

Canuck Pensioners of U.S. Civil & 1812 Wars

by Brian O'Regan

Some 700 Canadians were Pensioners on the Roll as of 1 January 1883. The Roll, called for by U.S. Senate resolution, and published in 1883, provides the certificate numbers (key to obtaining additional information), name of each person receiving a pension, the reason for it, the post office address in different countries, the monthly pension rate, and the date of the original allowance. Most pensions were the result of wounds or other effects arising from service in the U.S. Civil War.

Some of the pension recipients were widows of veterans (40) and surviving veterans (14) of the War of '1812 - still

alive 70 years later when the Roll was compiled. There were 25 widows and eight survivors in Ontario, 12 widows and five survivors in Quebec, and, three widows and one survivor in New Brunswick.

The National Archives in Washington is custodian of the service and pension records. The table lists particulars of the pensioners as published. There are obvious spelling errors of some names and places. The only changes made were to arrange the surnames in alphabetical order and to include provincial abbreviations. They were grouped in the original roll. The series will continue in future issues of Anglo-Celtic Roots.

Cert #	Pensioner's Name	Address	Cause	\$ Mo	Date
073626	Adams, Henry	Prescott ON	gsw l hand	4	
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041589	Addison, William	Brompton QUE	inj abdomen	8	
156282	Aldrich, Elisha	Cherry River QUE	total deaf	13	Nov 1878
082065	Aldrich, Timothy C	Coaticook QUE	wd r arm	6	June 1867
194024	Allen, Marie Emilie	Montreal QUE	widow	12	Jan 1882
180132	Allen, Nancy	West Brome QUE	dep mother	8	July 1880
126406	Amberson, Mary	Orona ON	dep mother	8	Mar 1869
002223	Anderson, Chas	Liverpool NS		12	Mar 1876
115854	Argyle, Jacob	Cook's Creek MAN	gsw r ft +	4	
093808	Asher, Henry	Montreal QUE	wd l leg	8	Nov 1868
110363	Ashley, Lucy	Ashdown ON	widow	8	1868
188760	Atkins, Letitia	Cardinal ON	dep mother	8	May 1882
073337	Atwood, Priscilla J	Chatham ON	widow	8	May 1866
163985	Austin, Mary A	Toronto ON	widow	8	Feb 1874
040382	Bach, Margaretta	Hespeler ON	widow	8	Jan 1868
137742	Bachilder, Mary	Fredericton Jct NB	dep mother	8	Oct 1880
107724	Bacon, Luzanne	St Didace QUE	widow	8	June 1869
018792	Badgeron, David	Bd. Grove ON	surv 1812	8	Sept 1873
032727	Badgerow, Keziah	Markham ON	widow 1812	8	Oct 1882
135164	Bahaw, Wm	East Patten QUE	gsw r hand	2	Aug 1875
004694	Bailey, Martha	Coaticook QUE	widow	8	Apr 1867
088869	Bailey, Sam'l D	Windsor ON	gsw l hand	4	Feb 1868
057177	Baker, John	Waterdown ON	gsw r leg	6	Feb 1866
	Baldwin, Ann	Peake's Station PEI	widow	8	Sept 1867

025332	Baldwin, Moses	Oakland ON	surv 1812	8	Dec 1879
002951	Barrett, John	Mary's Bay NFD	frac l thigh	4	Jul 1885
007545	Barrett, Margaret	Hull QUE	widow	12	Aug 1881
028466	Barrey, Olive	Mansonville Sta QUE	widow 1812	8	Jan 1880
052221	Barrie, Louis	Wright QUE	gsw head	6	Nov 1865
103712	Bartlett, Rebecca	St Andrews NB	dep mother	8	Nov 1867
045046	Bassett, Antoine	Adamsville QUE	gsw l knee jt	8	June 1875
051409	Bassett, Joseph	Adamsville QUE	loss mid fng	6	Oct 1865
051127	Bates, Lerontir	Louisville QUE	gsw l eye	6	Dec 1872
064437	Battles, Luther	Castlebar QUE	chr diarr	4	May 1866
157389	Bazner, Abram	Adamsville QUE	gsw l shr	4	Jan 1879
098460	Bean, Curtis P	Sherbrooke QUE	inj abdomen	4	June 1869
158823	Beesom, Mary A	Cobourg ON	dep mother	8	July 1872
100650	Belange, Peter	Louisville, QUE	gsw chest	6	Oct 1869
147744	Bell, Ann	St John NB	widow	8	Feb 1871
191000	Bell, Sally	Augheim ON	dep mother	8	Jan 1881
039640	Bellville, Leander	Montreal QUE	amp rarm	24	June 1864
060521	Beneur, Riosalie	Ile Verde QUE	widow	8	
007247	Benjamin, Barsha	St Anicet QUE	widow 1812	8	Nov 1871
013518	Bennett, Sarah	Cobourg ON	widow 1812	8	Dec 1878
043326	Bergeron, Joseph	Malo, Auckland QUE	amp r leg	18	May 1865
196478	Bienvenn, Hypolite	St Hyacinthe QUE	dep father	8	June 1882
157719	Bishop, Margaret	Brantford ON	widow	8	Sept 1867
056801	Bissell, Melinda	Compton QUE	dep mother	8	Oct 1865
015159	Bissonette, Napoleon	Valcourt QUE	typhoid fvr +	6	Aug 1863
190229	Blaikie, Eliza	Harwood ON	dep mother	8	Oct 1880
066406	Blais, Elizabeth	St Rocks QUE	dep mother	15	July 1866
020428	Blamey, Robert W	Hamilton ON	gsw lung +	14	Nov 1863
097437	Blanchard, Sarah	Wolf Island ON	dep mother	8	July 1867
042422	Bleber, Martha	Stoney Creek ON	widow	8	June 1864
081081	Blood, William A	Picton ON	wd l arm	4	May 1867
108082	Bodin, Rosalea L	Bridge North ON	widow	8	June 1874
201107	Bokart, John	Fitch Bay QUE	chr diarr	4	Jan 1882
139817	Boldru, Lucelle	St Hugues QUE	dep mother	8	Feb 1870
038527	Boucher, Prine	St Ambrose... QUE	loss l leg	18	Feb 1865
202959	Boudrye, Louis N	Montreal QUE	dis stom +	5	Feb 1882
063705	Bowman, Thomas J	St Thomas ON	wd r thigh	4	Sept 1862
208986	Boyd, Wm H	Winnipeg MAN	rheum	8	May 1882
181440	Braman, Frank A	Digby NS	malaria +	16	Jan 1881
197665	Brault, Christian	Montreal QUE	dep mother	8	Nov 1882
118020	Breslane, Ellen	Toronto ON	dep mother	8	Feb 1868
133733	Brewer, Elwyn S	Fulford QUE	inj abdomen	4	
020032	Bristol, Elizabeth A	Toronto ON	widow 1812	8	Mar 1879
044179	Brodeaur, Joseph	Montreal QUE	paral r arm	18	

028917	Brooks, Alvin	Cooksville ON	loss r leg	18	May 1864
024040	Brown, David	Ridgeville ON	widow 1812	8	Sept 1878
204078	Brown, James	Henningsford QUE	inj abdomen	4	Mar 1882
085390	Bryan, Canley	Hamilton ON	gsw l thigh	2	Sept 1867
197625	Buck, George G	Sawyerville QUE	gsw r thumb	2	Noiv 1881
045014	Buckman, Edward A	Brockville ON	wd l thigh	18	June 1865
017828	Bullis, Joseph	Wright QUE	surv 1812	8	Aug 1872
181193	Burgess, Emma	Toronto ON	widow	10	Jan 1877
099535	Burrell, Margaret	Napanee ON	dep mother	8	Sept 1877
062814	Burrows, Martha	Georgina ON	widow	8	Mar 1867
058703	Burrows, Edward	New Castle ON	loss r leg	18	Feb 1866
076490	Bush, Julia	St Theodore QUE	widow	8	Nov 1876
088233	Bush, Melissa	Ottawa ON	dep mother	8	May 1864
088233	Bush, Melissa	Ottawa ON	dep mother	8	May 1864
168031	Butler, Augustine	St Hyacinthe QUE	minors of	12	
001545	Butler, Herman	Warden QUE	loss l eye +	8	
093149	Byron, Adelia	Goderich ON	dep mother	8	June 1867
109596	Cadorette, Euzabee	St Hyacinthe QUE	wd forehead	2	Apr 1871
124204	Cadott, Narcissus	St George NB	gsw l shldr	2	
191226	Caffrey, Jane	Mace's Bay NB	dep mother	8	Feb 1881
094926	Cameron, Mary	Fredericton NB	dep mother	8	May 1867
056138	Campbell, Alexander	Kintona	wd r hand	4	
014986	Campbell, James	Cornwall ON	widow 1812	8	Apr 1872
087200	Campbell, Mary	Toronto ON	dep mother	8	Nov 1866
048392	Canfield, Wm A	Kingston ON	loss l arm	24	Aug 1865
002657	Carberry, Peter	St John NB	inj head	18	July 1879
136946	Carlton, Lydia P	Sawyerville QUE	dep mother	8	Dec 1869
161744	Carten, William H	Brookfield NS	loss l r toes	6	July 1879
028746	Carter, John	Canning NS	gsw l side	12	Aug 1877
097075	Casey, Ann	Montreal QUE	dep mother	8	July 1867
064701	Casey, Honora	Orillia ON	widow	8	Nov 1864
182802	Cassady, John	Kingsey Falls QUE	dep father	8	Jan 1879
044721	Caul, Henry K	Hamilton ON	wd r leg	3	
067212	Chamberland, Margt	Montreal QUE	widow	8	Mar 1866
172002	Chamblies, Wm P	Cobourg ON	gsws multi	20	Aug 1880
040611	Chandler, William	Fort Erie ON	loss l arm	24	Apr 1865
042367	Chartier, Rosaalie	St Antoine QUE	widow	8	
063451	Chase, Martha A	Charlottetown PEI	widow	8	Jan 1866
160175	Chittick, Wm	Kirkfield ON	gsw r shldr	8	May 1879
103229	Clark, Harriet	Brookbury QUE	widow	8	Nov 1867
144003	Clark, James E	Rockland NB	gsw r leg	4	Mar 1877
148024	Clark, John	Ile Verde QUE	dep father	8	Mar 1871
029391	Clay, Sarah	Fingal, ON	widow 1812	8	May 1880

179247	Clement, Charlotte A	St Catharines ON	dep mother	8	Nov 1877
002533	Cleveland, Eliza	St John NB	dep mother	8	Jan 1879
187335	Cleveland, Thomas P	Lolne, QUE	inj r hand +	6	Apr 1881
194217	Clifford, Isaac W	Ayers Flat QUE	disheart +	18	Aug 1881
188268	Coffin, Charles H	Montreal QUE	inj abdomen	7.50	
185641	Colburn, Henry H	Rock Island QUE	minors of	10	Oct 1879
020384	Colby, John	Brighton ON	widow 1812	8	Mar 1873
095589	Cole, Mary	Cainsville ON	widow	8	June 1867
027290	Cole, Sarah	Milby QUE	widow	8	Oct 21879
094716	Collins, Sarah	Woodstock NB	dep mother	8	May 1867
195926	Colson, Mary Ann	Stockwell QUE	dep mother	8	June 1882
131070	Comman, Madan	Napierville QUE	dep father	8	June 1869
109379	Connell, Patrick	Port Sarnia	loss l toes +	18	Apr 1871
019109	Cook, Andrew	Mohawk, ON	widow 1812	8	Sept 1872
151136	Cook, Robert	Port Hope ON	dep mother	8	June 1871
037259	Coomer, Thomas H	Galt ON	w l elbow	18	
031612	Cooper, Orrin	Huntingdon QUE	widow 1812	8	Aug 1881
189382	Copeland, Edward	Brockville ON	inj abdomen	8	May 1881
172802	Coppin, Emma	Vernonville ON	dep mother	8	April 1869
057220	Corey, James H.	Iroquois ON	loss l arm	24	Feb 1866
	Costello, Michael	Victoria BC	gsw r thigh	6	
041615	Crandel, Cordelia A.	St. Thomas ON	widow	8	
141747	Crandell, Jane	Brighton ON	dep mother	8	Apr 1870
193736	Crane, Elizabeth	Bath NB	dep mother	8	Dec 1881
099534	Crevier, Catharine	Pierreville Mills QUE	dep mother	8	
126663	Chrittenden, Maria	Allen Park ON	dep mother	8	Mar 1869
098249	Cross, Fanny	Guelph ON	dep mother	8	Aug 1867
134137	Cross, John	Casselton ON	gsw r knee	4	June 1875
087614	Crouch, William	Amherstburgh ON	lost pt r indx	3	Mar 1869
194983	Culirtin, Mary	Dartmouth NS		8	1882
022808	Culoer, Peter	Rainham Center ON	surv 1812	8	Oct 1872
029255	Cummings, Thankful	Canterbury NB	widow 1812	8	May 1880
149806	Cunningham, George	Amherstburgh ON	inj abdomen	12	Dec 1877
045872	Currier, Lewis D.	Ottawa ON	loss r arm	24	July 1865
001803	Cushing, Charlotte	Hull QUE	dep mother	15	Apr 1863
096963	Dagenais, Flarie	Montreal QUE	dep mother	8	
198029	Dailey, Ezlia M.	Sharbot Lake ON	widow	12	Dec 1882
003667	Dale, Sarah J.	Tilsonburg ON	widow	8	
042117	Daniels, Henry	Richby QUE	loss l leg	18	Sep 1872
039940	Davis, Mary A.	Toronto ON	dep mother	8	
091473	De Merritt, Oliver	Ste. Brigide QUE	wd r wrist	12	
014556	Dean, Alzira	Montreal QUE	dep mother	8	
119778	Demers, Catherine	Montreal QUE	dep mother	8	

My Ahnentafel 1340-1995



Frank Miller

This ahnentafel is only the tip of the iceberg. My software program only does 10 generations, but my maternal line of descent covers 20 generations to **Thomas Heigham** who was born at least 655 years ago. Because of the program limitations, and for ease of reading, generations 11 to 20 are treated as an ahnentafel of Captain **Thomas Bradbury**, my ancestor number 2010.

In a person's 20th generation the ancestor number would begin with 1,048,596 and end with number 2,097,191. This is because of the doubling factor, i.e, two parents, four grandparents, eight great grandparents and so on.

My motivation for substantial research into ancestry, is easily traced to the intriguing stories told to me by my maternal grandmother **Grace Nelson Patrick**, particularly the story of the elopement of her mother, **Victoria Richardson Nelson**. My interest was spurred when she left me a treasured book: the 1876 family history. It led me into research at the New England Historic GS in Boston and membership in that body.

Work on my Protestant Irish ancestors and my Irish Palatine line was inspired by notes and diaries left, respectively, by my maternal grandfather and my father, each of whom made two visits to Ireland during the early years of this century. My daughter **Lyn** and I followed in their footsteps in a 1984 visit to Ireland, carrying their diaries with us. Some of the stories have been shared with my cousins by means of an occasional Patrick-Miller Newsletter. I hope to share them with readers of *Anglo-Celtic Roots* in forthcoming issues using my ahnentafel as a beginning.

1 **Frank Patrick Miller** b 17Aug 1911 Victoria BC m
Ruth Helen Gilroy 15 Aug 1942 Sudbury ON; address
1550 Highcroft Avenue Ottawa ON K1Z 5J5

Generation 1

2 **John Wesley Miller** Rev b 04 Mar 1883 Wilfred ON m
Lucinda (Cynda) Victoria Patrick 08 Jun 1910 Nelson
BC d Vancouver BC

3 **Lucinda (Cynda) Victoria Patrick** b 23 Feb 1888 Carmel Hill QUE m Rev **John Wesley Miller** 08 Jun 1910
Nelson BC wid d 22 Jun 1956 New Westminster BC

Generation 2

4 **Samuel Miller** b 19 Mar 1857 Brock Twp ON m **Dinah Belinda Switzer** 15 Mar 1882 wid d 23 Nov 1931
Sunderland ON

5 **Dinah Belinda Switzer** b 20 Jul 1858 Peel Twp ON m **Samuel Miller** 15 Mar 1882 d 16 Apr 1900 Brock Twp
ON

6 **Joseph Patrick** b 04 Aug 1857 South Durham QUE m **Grace Nelson** 07 May 1883 wid d 28 Jan 1941
Vancouver BC

7 **Grace Nelson** b 07 May 1861 St Marys ON m **Joseph Patrick** 07 May 1883 d 03 Mar 1948 Vancouver BC



Victoria A Nelson (nee Richardson)
born 1837 at Compton Quebec

Generation 3

- 8 **John Miller** b 27 Jul 1819 Limerick IRL m **Mary Ann St John** d 13 Jan 1903 Wilfred ON
 9 **Mary Ann St John** m **John Miller** wid d 26 Apr 1903 Brock Twp ON
 10 **Tobias Switzer Jr** b c1820 IRL m **Hannah Cunningham** d 1902 Peel Twp ON
 11 **Hannah Cunningham** b Dec 1831 CAN m **Tobias Switzer Jr** d 19 Feb 1919 Glenallan ON
 12 **Thomas Patrick** b 11 Aug 1818 Cookstown IRL m **Lucinda Watterson** 02 Nov 1841 Ballymulderg IRL d 02 Nov 1893 South Durham QUE
 13 **Lucinda Watterson** b 14 Nov 1818 Magherafelt IRL m **Thomas Patrick** Nov 02 1841 Ballymulderg IRL d 14 May 1889 South Durham QUE
 14 **Robert Victor Nelson** b c1821 Armagh Co IRL m **Victoria A Richardson** 03 Jul 1854 wid d 07 Jul 1893 South Durham QUE
 15 **Victoria A Richardson** b 16 Nov 1837 Compton QUE m **Robert Victor Nelson** 03 Jul 1854 d New Glasgow NS

Generation 4

- 17 **Eliza Dobe** b 18 Jan 1784 Limerick IRL d 18 Mar 1874 Brock Twp ON
 18 **George St John** b IRL m **Mary Ann**
 19 **Mary Ann** m **George St John**
 20 **Tobias Switzer Sr** b c1785 IRL m **Elizabeth** 1806 d 15 May 1869 Brock Twp ON
 21 **Elizabeth** b c1784 IRL m **Tobias Switzer Sr** 1806 d Sep 07 1829
 24 **James Patrick** m **Nancy**
 25 **Nancy** m **James Patrick** c1810
 26 **Joseph Watterson** b c1779 m **Margaret** d 31 Oct 1860 Ballymulderg IRL
 27 **Margaret** b c1777 m **Joseph Watterson** d 03 Jun 1861 Ballymulderg IRL
 30 **Henry Richardson** b Apr 30 1799 Plymouth NH m **Hannah Badger** d Jan 17 1853 d Compton
 31 **Hannah Badger** b 24 Oct 1796 m **Henry Richardson** d 21 Aug 1858 Compton

Generation 5

- 60 **David Richardson** b 05 Aug 1763 Nottingham West (now Hudson) NH m **Polly Dearborn** 1790 wid d 13 May 1849 Compton LC
 61 **Polly Dearborn** b May 19 1769 m **David Richardson** 1790 d Gloucester UC
 62 **Peaslee Badger Major** b Apr 22 1754 Haverhill MA m **Lydia Kelley** 22 Feb 1781 wid d Oct 14 1846 Gilmanston NH
 63 **Lydia Kelley** b Feb 22 1781 Lee NH m **Peaslee Badger Major** 22 Feb 1781 d 1834 Compton QUE

Generation 6

- 120 **Zebidiah Richardson Rev** b 6 Mar 1742/43 Pelham NH m **Rebecca Snow** d 1850 Sandford ME
 121 **Rebecca Snow** b c1739/40 m Rev **Zebidiah Richardson** wid d 1822 Fryeburg ME
 122 **Samuel Dearborn** b Apr 15 1745 Chester NH m **Sarah Clough** 10 Jul 1766 wid d Jul 10 1833 Plymouth NH
 123 **Sarah Clough** b Mar 04 1749 Kingston NH m **Samuel Dearborn** 10 Jul 1766 d 06 Nov 1776 Plymouth NH
 124 **Joseph Badger Gen** (RN=295) b 11 Jan 1721-22 Haverhill MA m **Hannah Pearson** 31 Jan 1739-40 d Apr 04 1803 Gilmanston NH
 125 **Hannah Pearson** b Jul 23 1722 Lynn MA m **Joseph Badger Gen** 31 Jan 1739-40 wid d Feb 19 1817 Gilmanston NH
 126 **Phillip Kelley** (No Record)

Generation 7

- 240 **Ebenezer Richardson** b Feb 1707/08 Billerica MA m **Ruth** d 22 Oct 1768 Pelham NH
 241 **Ruth** b c1702 m **Ebenezer Richardson** wid d 22 Oct 1783 Pelham NH
 242 **Joseph Snow** b 06 May 1697 Woburn MA m **Bridget** d 07 May 1747 Nottingham WES
 243 **Bridget** b 1700 m **Joseph Snow** wid d 03 Dec 1773 Plymouth NH
 244 **Benjamin Dearborn** (RN=757) b 13 Aug 1713 Chester NH m **Suannah Colcord** c1742 Chester NH d by 1779 Plymouth NH
 245 **Suannah Colcord** m **Benjamin Dearborn** c1742 Chester NH
 246 **Daniel Clough** b Jul 19 1718 Salisbury MA m **Sarah Baker** 18 Dec 1740 d 19 Mar 1753 East Kingston NH
 247 **Sarah Baker** m **Daniel Clough** 18 Dec 1740
 248 **Joseph Badger** b 1698 Newbury MA m **Hannah Peaslee** wid d 07 Apr 1760 Haverhill MA
 249 **Hannah Peaslee** b 1 May 1703 m **Joseph Badger** d 15 Jan 1734
 250 **Ebenezer Pearson** b 29 Dec 1696 Lynn MA m **Hannah Moody** d 18 Apr 1784 Bradford
 251 **Hannah Moody** b 10 Dec 1702 m **Ebenezer Pearson** wid d 22 Dec 1762 Haverhill MA

Generation 8

480 **Stephen Richardson** (Second) b 20 Feb 1675/76 Woburn MA m **Susanna Wilson** c1700 d 14 Jan 1711/12 Billerica MA
 481 **Susanna Wilson** b Mar 11 1679 Woburn MA m **Stephen Richardson** (Second) c1700
 484 **John Snow II** b 13 May 1668 Woburn MA m **Sarah Stevens** 1693 Woburn MA
 485 **Sarah Stevens** m **John Snow II** 1693 Woburn MA
 488 **Ebenezer Dearborn** b Oct 03 1679 Hampton NH m **Abigail Sanborn** 07 Oct 1703 Hampton NH d 15 Mar 1772 Chester NH
 489 **Abigail Sanborn** b 01 Apr 1656 Hampton NH m **Ebenezer Dearborn** Oct 07 1703 Hampton NH d 26 Feb 1768 Chester NH
 490 **Johnathan Colcord** b 1710 m **Sara Burleigh**
 491 **Sara Burleigh** m **Johnathan Colcord**
 492 **Samuel Clough** b 15 Salisbury MA m **Sarah Robie** 09 Sep 1702 Salisbury MA d 08 Aug 1728
 493 **Sarah Robie** b 19 Apr 1679 Hampton NH m **Samuel Clough** 09 Sep 1702 Salisbury MA wid
 496 **John Badger** b Apr 26 1665 Newbury MA m **Rebecca Brown** 05 Oct 1691
 497 **Rebecca Brown** m **John Badger** 05 Oct 1691
 498 **Nathaniel Peaslee** Col b 05 Jun 1682 Haverhill MA m **Judith Kimball** c1702 d 1775
 499 **Judith Kimball** b Jun 1682 m **Nathaniel Peaslee** Col c1702
 500 **John Pearson II** b Jun 22 1650 Reading MA m **Tabatha Kendall** d 21 Jun 1728
 501 **Tabatha Kendall** b 05 Nov 1660 m **John Pearson II** d 17 Jul 1711
 502 **Caleb Moody II** b Sep 09 1666 m **Ruth Morse** d 1740
 503 **Ruth Morse** b Aug 24 1668 m **Caleb Moody II**

Generation 9

960 **Stephen Richardson** (First) b 15 Aug 1649 Woburn MA m **Abigail Wyman** 2 Jan 1674/75 Billerica MA d 22 Mar 1717/18 Woburn MA
 961 **Abigail Wyman** b c1659 Woburn MA m **Stephen Richardson** (First) 2 Jan 1674/75 Billerica MA wid d 17 Sep 1720 Woburn MAS
 962 **John Wilson II**
 968 **John Snow I** d 25 Nov 1706
 976 **Thomas Dearborn** b 1632 Hampton NH m **Hannah Colcord** 28 Dec 1665 Hampton NH d 14 Apr 1710 Hampton NH
 977 **Hannah Colcord** b c1643 m **Thomas Dearborn** 28 Dec 1665 Hampton NH d 17 Jul 1720 Hampton NH
 978 **Joseph Sanburn** b 3 Mar 1659 Hampton NH m **Mary Gove** 28 Dec 1682
 979 **Mary Gove** b 14 Apr 1666 Hampton NH m **Joseph Sanburn** 28 Dec 1682
 980 **Johnathan Colcord** (First) b 04 Mar 1684 Hampton NH
 984 **Thomas Clough** b 29 May 1651 Salisbury MA m **Hannah Gile** 10 Mar 1680 wid d 1799
 985 **Hannah Gile** b 12 Feb 1655 Haverhill MA m **Thomas Clough** 10 Mar 1680 d 22 Jan 1684 Salisbury NH
 986 **Henry Robie** b 1618 m **Sarah Shaw** d 22 Apr 1688 Hampton NH
 987 **Sarah Shaw** m **Henry Robie** wid
 992 **John Badger** Sgt b 30 Jun 1643 Newbury MA m **Elizabeth Hayden** 16 Jun 1663 Newbury MA wid d 31 Mar 1691 Newbury MA
 993 **Elizabeth Hayden** m **John Badger** Sgt 16 Jun 1663 Newbury MA d 08 Apr 1669 Newbury
 994 Unknown (No Record) 08
 995 Unknown (No Record)
 996 **Joseph Peaslee** Dr b Sep 09 1646 m **Ruth Barnard** 25 Jan 1672 wid d 21 Mar 1734
 997 **Ruth Barnard** b Oct 16 1657 m **Joseph Peaslee** Dr Jan 25 1672 d 05 Nov 1723 Haverhill MA
 998 **Henry Kimball** b c1655 1698 m **Hannah Marsh** 16 Dec 1677 d 1693
 999 **Hannah Marsh** b Oct 07 1678 m **Henry Kimball** 16 Dec 1677 d 15 Mar 1696/97
 1000 **John Pearson I** b 1615 Yorks ENG m **Maudlin Ballard** d 17 Apr 1679
 1001 **Maudlin Ballard** b c1619 m **John Pearson I** d 12 Dec 1690
 1002 **Thomas Kendall** b 1640 m **Rebecca**
 1003 **Rebecca** b c1618 m **Thomas Kendall** d 12 Jul 17 1703
 1004 **Caleb Moody I** m **Judith Bradbury** 09 Nov 1665
 1005 **Judith Bradbury** b 02 ??? 1638 Salisbury NH m **Caleb Moody I** 09 Nov 1665
 1006 **Benjamin Morse** Deacon b 28 Mar 1640 West Newbury MA m **Ruth Sawyer** 26 Aug 1669
 1007 **Ruth Sawyer** b Sep 10 1648 m **Benjamin Morse** Deacon 26 Aug 1669

Generation 10

1920 **Samuel Richardson** b c1610 Westmill HRT ENG m **Joanna** d 28 Mar 1658 Woburn MA
 1921 **Joanna** m **Samuel Richardson** d c1666 Woburn MA
 1922 **Francis Wyman** b c1619 Westmill HRT ENG m **Abigail Reed** 02 Oct 1650 Woburn MA d 1699 Woburn MA
 1923 **Abigail Reed** m **Francis Wyman** 02 Oct 1650 Woburn MA
 1924 **John Wilson I** b ENG 02 Jul d 1687 Woburn MA
 1936 **Richard Snow** b c1607 ENG m **Ann** d 05 May 1677
 1937 **Ann** m **Richard Snow**
 1952 **Godfrey Dearborn** b 1603 Orby LIN ENG m **Lucy Richardson Field** (no record) 23 Jun 1629 Orby LIN ENG wid rm unknown (no record) Before 1632 wid rm **Dorothy (----) Dalton** (widow of Philemon) (no record) 25 Nov 1662 d 4 Feb 1685/86 Hampton NH
 1954 **Edward Colcord** b 1616 m **Ann Page** d 10 Feb 1681/82 Hampton NH
 1955 **Ann Page** m **Edward Colcord**
 1956 **John Sanburn Lt** b c1620 ENG m **Mary Tuck** wid d 20 Oct 1692
 1957 **Mary Tuck** m **John Sanburn Lt** d 30 Dec 1668 Hampton NH
 1958 **Edward Gove** m **Hannah Partridge** d 29 May 1691 Hampton NH
 1959 **Hannah Partridge** m **Edward Gove**
 1960 **Samuel Colcord** b 1656 m **Mary Ayer** c1681 Haverhill MA
 1961 **Mary Ayer** b 22 Mar 1660/61 Haverhill MA m **Samuel Colcord** c1681 Haverhill MA
 1968 **John Clough** b 1613 ENG m **Jane** wid d 1691
 1969 **Janem John Clough** d 11 Jan 1679
 1970 **Samuel Guile** (Gile) m **Judith Davis** 01 Sep 1647 Haverhill MA d 26 Feb 1683 Haverhill MA
 1971 **Judith Davis** b 00 m **Samuel Guile** (Gile) 01 Sep 1647 Haverhill MA
 1972 **Thomas Robie** b ? m **Mary Coxin** d ?
 1973 **Mary Coxin** b ENG m **Thomas Robie**
 1984 **Giles Badger** b c1610 Gloucester ENG m **Elizabeth Greenleaf** 1642 Newbury MA d, 17 Jul 1647 Newbury MA
 1985 **Elizabeth Greenleaf** b c1621 Ipswich ENG m **Giles Badger** 1642 Newbury MA wid d after 1668 Newbury MA SS
 1986 **James Hayden** (no record)
 1987 **Elizabeth Hayden** (no record)
 1996 **Henry Kimball I** b 1615 Rattlesden SFK ENG m **Mary Wyatt** wid
 1997 **Mary Wyatt** m **Henry Kimball I** d 12 Aug 1672
 1998 **Onesepherus Marsh** b 1630 ENG m **Hannah Cutler** 06 Feb 1655 wid d 15 May 1713
 1999 **Hannah Cutler** m **Onesepherus Marsh** 06 Feb 1655 d 17 Mar 1686
 2010 **Thomas Bradbury Capt** b c1611 Wicken Bonhunt ENG m **Mary Perkins** d 20 Dec 1695 Salisbury MA
 2011 **Mary Perkins** b 1620 m **Thomas Bradbury Capt** wid
 1 **Thomas Bradbury Capt** b c1611 Wicken Bonhunt ENG m **Mary Perkins** d Dec 20 1695 Salisbury MA

Generation 1

2 **Wymond D Bradbury** b 1574 Newport Pond ENG m **Elizabeth Whitgift** wid d 1649 London ENG
 3 **Elizabeth Whitgift** b 1574 m **Wymond D Bradbury** d 1612

Generation 2

4 **William Bradbury** b C 1544 m **Ann Edon**
 5 **Ann Edon** b C 1542 m **William Bradbury** d 1611/12
 6 **William Whitgift** m **Margaret Bell** d 1615
 7 **Margaret Bell** m **William Whitgift** d B 1615

Generation 3

8 **Mathew Bradbury** b C 1510/15 m **Margaret Rouse** d 1546
 9 **Margaret Rouse** m **Mathew Bradbury**
 10 **Henry Edon** b C 1514/20 m **Elizabeth Heigham**
 11 **Elizabeth Heigham** m **Henry Edon** wid
 12 **Henry Whitgift** m **Anne Dynewell** d 1541
 13 **Anne Dynewell** m **Henry Whitgift**

Generation 4

20 **Thomas Edon II** b 1496 m **Joan** d 1533

- 21 Joan m Thomas Edon II
 22 Clement Heigham II Sir m Anne Munnings d 1570/71
 23 Anne Munnings m Clement Heigham II Sir d 1540
Generation 5
 40 Thomas Edon I m Agnes d 1496
 41 Agnes m Thomas Edon I
 44 Clement Heigham I Sir m Matilda Cooke d Sep 26 1500
 45 Matilda Cooke m Clement Heigham I Sir
 46 Thomas Munnings m Margaret d 1540
 47 Margaret m Thomas Munnings
Generation 6
 88 Thomas Heigham V b c1431 m Catherine Cotton d after 1494
 89 Catherine Cotton m Thomas Heigham V
Generation 7
 176 Thomas Heigham IV m Isabelle Fraunceys d 21 Mar 1480/81
 177 Isabelle Fraunceys m Thomas Heigham IV
 178 William Cotton m Alice Abbot
 179 Alice Abbot m William Cotton
Generation 8
 352 Thomas Heigham III m Alice Boyes
 353 Alice Boyes m Thomas Heigham III
 354 Hugh Fraunceys (no record)
 355 Philippa Hamme (no record)
Generation 9
 704 Thomas Heigham II m Alice Hune d Feb 07 1409
 705 Alice Hune m Thomas Heigham II wid d 1 Mar 1448/49
Generation 10
 1408 Thomas Heigham I b no later than 1340 m Maude d 24 Mar 1404
 1409 Maude m Thomas Heigham I

PBS-TV Ancestors: *Ancestors*, a family history and genealogy series for PBS began filming in September. It is on the National PBS schedule in the United States for 1996.

Each of the 10 episodes will focus on successful strategies and tips for aspiring family historians. The series has the support of the Federation of Genealogical Societies and of our Society.

You can join Ancestors Online on the World Wide Web at:

<http://kbyuwww.byu.edu/ancestor.htm>

Our president refers to the *Ancestors* series on p. 1, and our Winter issue will have more information in an article on the series.

Salt Lake Search Aids: The Frank Smith *Gray Books*, that list material in the Salt Lake records, and were on the British Floor, have been filmed on microfiche. The books, compiled by Smith and his people, are large binders, one for each county in the British

Isles and Ireland, organized by County, Subject, Time Period, etc. Check the FHL Catalog. BIFHS of LA Newsletter Apr/May 1995

Civil War Soldiers Photos: The US Army Military History Institute has a valuable resource for Civil War research. They have a huge database of photos of US Civil War soldiers, indexed by **name**. They can do an online (while you are on the phone) search for you, and will send you a Xerox copy of the photo (and information about ordering a print) if they locate one. This file contains 80,000 photos. When you request a search for photos you will need to give the State, Regiment and Company, along with the name. Write: Michael J Winey, Curator, Dept of the Army, at the Institute, Carlisle Barracks, Carlisle PA 17013-5008, phone (717) 245-3434. Washington State GS Newsletter, Sept/Oct 1995.

Our First Year

The Council Room of the Ottawa City Hall was a fine location for the Society's first annual general meeting of members on 10 September 1995. It is a well-lit and nicely furnished chamber equipped with modern sound equipment.

Where the Chief Magistrate of the City usually presides over municipal business, President **Brian O'Regan** sat to preside over the business affairs of the AGM. The Board of Directors sat around the table. Flanking the President and Directors were oil paintings of Queens Elizabeth and Victoria.

The size of the Council and Board are equal. This meant each Board Member had a microphone. A standing floor microphone served the 34 Society members who had remained to attend the meeting after the end of the Fall Conference.

The President reported that it was just one year ago when the nine founders met and agreed to establish the Society. Over the next three months they set out basic goals and objectives, produced promotional material, and got federal incorporation.

It was a fully fledged Society with 22 members when 162 people turned out for the first members monthly meeting on a below-freezing Saturday morning in mid-January. Before it ended, 71 new members had signed on.

The President noted the Board had acted on a novel concept recommended by the Society's nominations committee, **Fern Small** and **Ken Collins**. It was to appoint Associates (see inside front cover) to work with and understudy directors, gaining experience in operating a Society preparatory to selection as future directors. They

have no voting authority, but are invited to attend Board meetings, maintain a watching brief, undertake tasks and work in close cooperation with the President and the eight Directors.

Jim Heal, chairman of programs and conferences, commented briefly on the programs of six meetings held in the first half of the year. The main speakers and topics were: **Wayne Walker**, *Probing the Mountain of Names*; **Norman Crowder**, *British Isles Sources in the National Archives of Canada*; **George Bushell**, *Ireland's 1851 Census*; **John Sayers**, *1891 Census of Eng-*



Lecture in City of Ottawa Council Chamber

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land, Scotland and Wales; **David Jeanes**, *1881 Census Surname Index of England Scotland and Wales*; and, **Bernice Severson**, *Index to the 1871 Census Index of Ontario*

Bob Campbell reported membership at 249 persons, including 33 new members attracted by the Fall Conference. He keeps a data binder of members for researchers at the Family History Centre

Ken Collins reported the current indexing project is the registers of St. Patrick's Basilica in Ottawa from 1855 to 1916. There are in excess of 20,000 entries.

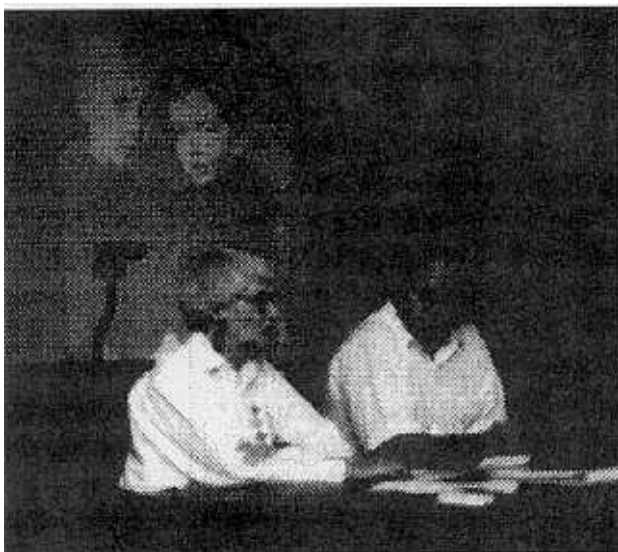
Jack Moody reported on mounting Society mobile displays at various meetings

in the province. He is planning a beginners workshop and an educational radio-TV series, both for 1996.

Gerry Neville drew attention to the publishing of three issues of *Anglo-Celtic Roots*, and a 64-page booklet on *The Lanark Society Settlers*. An annual, journal is to be published later this year.

Alan Rayburn noted he handled regional media publicity and promotion as well as Board meetings minutes; and is the contact point for secretaries of six of the seven organizations in which the Society holds membership. Last January he began an archives of original Society documents, and is custodian of published material received from exchanges and membership in other societies.

Treasurer **Gary Bagley** presented an audited statement of income and expenses for the year ending June 30. The balance was \$472.87. The Society's application to Revenue Canada for **charitable status**, he reported, was still pending (Note: approval



Kay & Dave Lorente talk on Home Children AR Pic



Conference chairman Jim Heal, right, at registration desk with Bob Campbell, left, and Betty Warburton. Alan Rayburn Pic

was obtained in late September subject to some changes in the Society's Constitution).

A By-law amendment for **Life Membership** was unanimously approved for 1996. It must be sanctioned by the Minister of Consumer and Corporate Affairs, and the Board must establish the payment of fees before it is acted upon. It may be the end of the First Quarter next year before this action is taken and completed.

The founding directors were nominated and agreed to serve another year. After a call for other nominations for President and a call for other nominations for Directors, each being called three times, there were no further nominations. The Members of the Board of Directors for 1995-1996 are listed on the inside front page.

There being no further business, the 90 minute AGM was adjourned at 4:00 pm Sunday, 10 September

Jim Heal later reported that the successful Fall Conference attracted 101 registrants, 25 speakers and demonstrators, and nine marketplace vendors. About three quarters of the registrants who completed a questionnaire classified the three-day event as *Very Good or Excellent*.

Calendars & Finding Lists

At The Family History Centre



Wayne Walker
FHC Co-ordinator

All record repositories have some sort of guide to help their patrons use the material they hold. This guide may take the form of a card index or it is more likely to be some sort of a calendar or finding list. These finding aids are the lists and indexes prepared by archivists that describe the contents of an archive or a manuscript collection right down to box, folder or even individual item level. Access to these lists can give you details of what actual records are held.

The National Inventory of Documentary Sources in the United Kingdom and Ireland (NIDS-UK&I) is an important reference work in which the unpublished finding aids of County Records Offices, University Libraries, Public Libraries, National Specialist and Private Repositories are reproduced on microfiche accompanied by a names and subject index. NIDS-UK&I is marketed by Chadwick-Healey, a micropublishing organization located in Cambridge, England with an American outlet in Alexandria, VA.

Check the Family History Library Catalog or News of the Family History Library at the Family History Centre to determine the accessibility of finding aids of interest. The Family History Library has been, where possible, microfilming these calendars and finding lists. An update Catalog on both CD-ROM and microfiche is now at the FHC. Additionally, the FHC has the newest release of Ontario vital records: indexes for births 1898; marriages 1913; and deaths 1928; and BMD certificates.

Microforms on Long Term-Loan

The microforms on long-term loan at the FHC are listed below. The listing shows the name of the researcher, country and county, subject, order number, microform number, and its return date. Years 1841, 1851, 1871 and 1881 indicate census records. Many more records are received weekly on short-term three-week loans. Check the FHC film register for new entries.

Abbreviations: BT = Bishop's Transcripts; CR = Church Register; OPR = Old Parochial Registers; PR = Parish Register. Counties are, in most cases, listed without the *shire* suffix.

Researcher	Count(r)y	Subject	Order & Film #s	Return
	<u>England:</u>			
ALEXANDR	York	Richmond 1851	358208 & 0087672	15 Mar 96
ALEXANDR	York	Rokeby Richmond 1851	358209 & 0087065	15 Mar 96
ANDERSON	Derby	St. Alkmond PR	358355 & 1041183	Nov 95
ANDERSON	Derby	All Saints 1558-1800 PR	358356 & 1041144	Nov 95
ANDERSON	Derby	St. Michaels PR	358190 & 1041152	30 Dec 95
ANDERSON	Derby	St. Peters BT	343737 & 0422205	02 Dec 95
ANDERSON	Derby	Ticknall PR 1626-1900	344187 & 1042132	04 Feb 96
ANDERSON	Derby	St. Werburgh CRs	358473 & 1041167	31 Mar 96
ANDERSON	Derby	Northwingfield CRs	358401 & 1041093	10 Mar 96
ATKINSON	York	Whenby 1851	358137 & 0087653	16 Dec 95
BARCLAY	Cornwall	Wills 1854-1859	345204 & 0090226	07 Jan 96
BARCLAY	Devon	Stoke Damesel PRs	345297 & 0916920	01 Mar 96
BARRY	Norfolk	East Harling Deacon	345214 & 1526818	30 Dec 95
BARRY	Norfolk	East Harling PR	345215 & 1657289	07 Jan 96

BRAHAN	Yorkshire	Bishopside 1841,1851	358251 & 0464293	29 Mar 96
BRAHAN	Yorkshire	Leeds 1881, 1861	358253 & 1342084	1 Mar 96
BRAHAN	Yorkshire	Drighlington 1861	358255 & 0543111	1 Mar 96
CROFT	Derby	Coal Aston 1841	345206 & 41297	11 Feb 96
CROFT	Derby	Dronfield CR 1813-1865	345207 & 8071	11 Feb 96
CROFT	Durham	Auckland 1768-1837	358078 0593802	11 Feb 96
CROFT	Lincoln	Admin A-M 1781-1800	358449 & 0200092	17 Mar 96
CROFT	Lincoln	Wills V58 1795-1797	358450 & 0200064	17 Mar 96
CROFT	Lincoln	Scamblesby 1813-1843	358451 & 0508034	29 Mar 96
COX	Lincoln	Leake PR	901449 & 1542313	05 Nov 95
COX	Norfolk	Downham Methodist	901498 & 0596996	21 Oct 95
COX	Norfolk	West Walton Burials	901501 & 1564715	21 Oct 95
DAVIS	Suffolk	Bradfield, 1871/61/51	358316 & 0830763	26 Nov 95
DAVIS	Suffolk	Lawshall 1851	358319 & 0207438	26 Nov 95
DAVIS	Suffolk	Bradfield, 1841	344192 & 0474643	04 Feb 96
DEBRETIG	Devon	Tiverton 1861	344159 & 0542819	28 Jan 96
EDMONDSN	Lancashire	Probates Richmond	358036 & 0099257	08 Mar 96
EDMONDSN	Lancashire	Liverpool CR	358040 & 0093825	08 Mar 96
FLYNN	Cheshire	Wallasey 1871	358324 & 0842143	Dec 95
GLORIA	Lancashire	Liverpool PR	345651 & 0093855	12 Nov 95
GRUMMETT	Norfolk	Wiggen Hall - PR	343790 & 1546350	09 Dec 95
GRUMMETT	Norfolk	Ashill CRs	358441 & 1596157	1 Apr 96
LAW	Sussex	St. Peters Brighton	901492 & 1067138	12 Nov 95
LAW	Sussex	Brighton 1881	901493 & 1231256	12 Nov 95
LAW	London	Leonard 1871	345257 & 0836396	18 Feb 96
LAW	Jersey	1841 census	358126 & 0464354	Nov 95
LAW	London	Bromley St. Leonard 1871	358263 & 823318	29 Mar 6
MADGE	Lancashire	Liverpool Dist 455	344189 & 1341879	04 Feb 96
MATTHEWS	Middlesex	St. Pancras 1841	358061 & 0438802	15 Mar 96
MATTHEWS	Berkshire	Reading Prs	358064 & 1279466	18 Jan 96
McLEOD	Lincoln	Horncastle - 1871	343786 & 0839368	23 Nov 95
NASH	Kent	Pembury 1871 Hythe 1841	358068 & 0838709	8 Mar 96
OWEN	Devon	Exeter - Mar. Licences	343794 0917000	14 Jan 96
PEARCE	Lincoln	Barton Upon Humber	358221 0436024	22 Mar 96
PERRY	Bucks	Wycombe Burials, Banns	344132 0919261	28 Jan 96
PORTER	Cornwall	1851 Kilkhampton	344137 0221048	16 Dec 95
PULLAN	York	Alne PR	343799 1068309	21 Jan 96
PULLAN	Dorset	Spetisbury 1871	358042 0830889	1 Mar 96
PULLAN	Middlesex	Enfield 1871	358043 & 0828285	1 Mar 96
REID	Birmingham	Warwickshire PRs	358059 & 0813717	08 Mar 96
RIMMER	Lancashire	Rainford CR	358374 & 1482454	Nov 95
RIMMER	Lancashire	Billinge CR	358375 & 0093654	Nov 95
ROYER	London	Westminster 1861 Census	345232 & 0542565	11 Feb 96
ROYER	London	Westminster 1851	358307 & 0087807	26 Nov 95
ROYER	London	St. Martins 1841	358444 0438840	29 Mar 96
SHANE	York	Pocklington CR	343720 0990925	30 Dec 95
SHANE	York	Thornton CR 343721	0990927	30 Dec 95
SHANK	York	Pocklington CR	345656 1068420	12 Nov 95

SHURBEN	Stafford	Tipton BTS	343751 & 0421604	23 Dec 95
SHURBEN		Agt. & Crew Lists Index	345272 & 0848097	25 Feb 96
SWANWICK	Cheshire	Macclesfield 1851	358271 & 0087138	12 Mar 96
VICKERS	Sussex	West Grinstead PR 344114	1068513	14 Jan 96
VICKERS	Sussex	Cuckfield PR 344115	1364153	14 Jan 96
VICKERS	Wiltshire	W. Grinstead Prs 345258	1068512	04 Feb 96
WHITING	London	Lambeth 1851 358175	0174805	23 Dec 95
WHITING	Kent	Orpington PR 358179	0992515	23 Dec 95
WHITING	London	Lambeth 1851 344126	0174808	21 Jan 96
WHITING	London	Westminster 1851	345295 & 0087802	01 Mar 96
WHITING	Surrey	Lambeth 1851 358472	0174806	Mar 96
WILKES		Mareton-in-Marsh, PR	901418 & 0991297	28 Oct 95
WILKINSN	Durham	Wolsingham - 1871, 1881	343797 & 0848025	21 Jan 96
WILKINSN	Durham	Wolsingham 1871	345245 & 0848026	18 Feb 96
WILSON	York	Bains, Past & Present	344195 & 0476993	04 Feb 96
WILSON	York	Slingsby PR	358026 & 1068406	01 Mar 96
WRAY	Durham	Stockton on Tees 1891/81	344169 & 1342177	28 Jan 96
WRAY	Durham	Stockton on Tees PRs	358074 ^ 0593804	5 Mar 96
<u>Ireland</u>				
ATKINSON	Enniskillen	PR extracts	358101 & 0992663	Nov 95
COX	Fermanagh	Aghalurcher 1821	344196 & 0597733	11 Feb 96
HANTON	Wexford	Deeds	358463 & 0100433	24 Mar 96
LYNN	Antrim	Antrim Camlin - 1901	343792 & 0597725	16 Dec 95
McCONNEL	Laois	Portarlinton reg. of Fr. Cr.	358304 & 0962137	26 Nov 95
O'HARA	Donegal	Raphoe CRs	345265 & 0873655	18 Feb 96
SHURBEN	Cork	St. Mutlose, Kinsale CR	344193 & 0824233	04 Feb 96
SHURBEN	Cork	Kinsale History	344194 & 0824232	04 Feb 96
TUBMAN	Cavan	1821 Census	344162 & 0597154	28 Jan 96
TUBMAN	Cavan	Kinawley Par, Tithe Appl	358469 & 0256655	Mar 96
TUBMAN	Cavan	1821 Census	358470 & 0597158	Mar 96
<u>Scotland:</u>				
BOLES	Lanark	Glasgow, Gorbals PRs	358420 & 1042983	6 Apr 96
BOOTH	Banff	Gamrie CR	358336 & 0990825	Dec 95
BOOTH	Aberdeen	side CR	358338 & 0993340	Nov 95
CAMPBELL	Stirling	Buchanan PR	901553 & 1041972	28 Oct 95
CAMPBELL	Glasgow	Barony PR	901554 & 1041477	28 Oct 95
CLAYTON	Midlothian	Edinburgh CR	358131 & 1066689	5 Nov 95
CONACHER	Lancashire	Old Monkland OPR	358459 & 1066602	24 Mar 96
COOPER	Perth	Kilspindie Parish	345667 & 1040333	Dec 95
COOPER	Perth	Kilspindie Parish	345667 & 1040333	Dec 95
COOPER	Perth	Kilspindie PR	344154 & 0102740	28 Jan 96
CREELMAN	Sutherland	Eddrachilles 1871/61	358024 & 0104108	01 Mar 96
CROFT	Aberdeen	CRs Bapt. 1771-1798	358082 7 0991137	11 Feb 96
EDMONDSON	Aberdeen	1861	358035 & 0103780	01 Mar 96
GLOSS	Aberdeen	Pitsligo - OPRs	345262 & 0993355	18 Feb 96
GLOSS	Aberdeen	Rathen - OPRs	345263 & 0993357	18 Feb 96
GLOSS	Aberdeen	Tyre - OPRs	345264 & 0993305	18 Feb 96
GRANT	Aberdeen	Newdeer OPR 228	681600 & 0993347	28 Oct 95

GRANT	Kincardine	OPR Durris (256)	345622 & 0993312	12 Nov 95
GRANT	Banff	Rathven 1861/71/81 (164)	345623 & 0103810	12 Nov 95
GRANT	Banff	Rathven OPR (164)	345626 & 0991192	12 Nov 95
GRANT	Aberdeen	OPR Kintore (213)	345627 & 0993336	12 Nov 95
GRANT	Aberdeen	OPR Slains (239)	345628 & 0993361	02 Dec 95
GRANT	Banff	Rathven 1841, 1851	343711 & 1042649	30 Dec 95
GRANT	Aberdeen	Logie-Buchan Chrs	358093 & 0102506	15 Mar 96
GRANT	Kincardine	1841 Parish 268	358237 & 1042671	22 Mar 96
GRANT	Kincardine	Strachan PRs	358238 & 0993326	22 Mar 96
GRANT	Aberdeen E	Ilon OPR #192	358273 & 0993180	10 Mar 96
GRANT	Aberdeen	Forgue 1851	358274 & 1042115	10 Mar 96
GRANT	Aberdeen	Auchterless 1861/71/81	358275	10 Mar 96
GRANT	Aberdeen	Auchterless OPR #173	358293 & 0991255	10 Feb 96
GRANT	Aberdeen	Auchterless 1891	358294 & 0208676	17 Feb 96
GRANT	Aberdeen	Forgue OPR	358295 & 0993183	17 Feb 96
GUEST	Berwick	Coldstream 1891	345282 & 0220425	25 Feb 96
KEWLEY	Islay	Marriage Barr/Ferguson	345615 & 1041079	26 Nov 95
NORTON	Midlothian	Edinburgh Chrs	358214 & 1066688	22 Mar 96
SEVERSON	Strath	Kilberry & Kilcolmanell OPR	901471 & 1041068	19 Nov 95
WATT	Gramp	Aberlour PR	343772 & 0102395	07 Dec 95
WATT	Dunbarton	Bonhill 1881	358056 & 0203547	1 Feb 96
WATT	Dunbarton	Bonhill 1891	358058 & 0208790	08 Mar 96
<u>Wales</u>				
THATCHER	Monmouth	Newport 1881	345642 & 1342266	26 Nov 95
THOMAS,	Glamorgan	Neath PR	358139 & 0104895	16 Dec 95

The National Library of Wales has published a *Guide to the Department of Manuscripts and Records*, 1994, £15. It has a plan of the Catalogue and Reading Rooms, and appendices on Archives & Collections, Special & Subject Lists, and Medieval Manuscripts. For a review, check the Spring issue of the Family History News & Digest, v1 n1, at the Discovery Table for England and Wales during the next monthly meeting.

North of Ireland FHS information is on Internet at <http://www.os.qub.ac.uk/nifhs/> on the World Wide Web. FH News & Digest v10n1

Calling Martins: The FHS of Martin meet in Portsmouth ENG 2 Dec 1995. The UK branch is restored. They publish a quarterly journal. Contact: Chairman Anthony J. Martin, 5 Otlinge Close, Orpington, Kent ENG BR5 3SH, tel (01689) 816114.

Call for Irish Papers: The 1996 conference of the Canadian Association for Irish Studies is scheduled for the campus of the University of PEI 12-16 June. CAIS is calling for abstracts of papers (200-300 words) no later than 10 Nov 1995.

The theme is: *Kings, Lords and Commons: Language, Literature and Society in Ireland since Strongbow*. Contact: Dr Colmán O'Hare at 550 University Ave., Charlottetown PEI C1A 4P3, tel (902)566-0389.

National Library of Canada on WWW: National Library information is now available on the World Wide Web. Its service, which includes new publications, collections and services information, and pointers to other Canadian Internet information resources, is at: <http://www.nlc-bnc.ca/>.

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Names from Wales in Canada

British Isles Place Names in Canada



Alan Rayburn

Although there have been at least three small waves of Welsh migration to Canada since the late 1700s, Welsh immigrants rarely occupied specific areas of Canada to the point that they dominated the selection of place names anywhere in the country. But there is an interesting selection of Welsh place names across the land.

In 1835 **David Owen** named the principal centre of New Brunswick's Campobello Island **Welshpool**, after a town in north central Wales. However, the post office there was called Campo Bello in 1845. When it was changed in 1928, it was incorrectly spelled Welchpool. It took 15 years to get it changed to Welshpool.

Chepstow, on the east side of Souris PEI, was named as early as 1845 by a settler from Chepstow in Monmouthshire. **Cymbria**, 20 km northwest of Charlottetown, was named in 1895 after the lodge of **William Hodges**, who came from Wales in 1822 to manage the estate of **John Hodges Winsloe**. Cymbria is a poetic name for Wales.

Ontario has a large number of interesting Welsh names. Beginning with my own street name, **Solva Drive**, and two adjacent streets, **Newgale Road** and **Roche Place**. All three were named in 1960 by a developer for Solva, Newgale and Roch in southwestern Wales, near St David's, an area where Canadian airmen were based during the Second World War.

Madoc Township in Hastings County was named in 1820, after **Prince Madoc ad Owainn Gwynedd**, who reputedly sailed from Wales to the Gulf of Mexico in 1170, and thus discovered America long before Columbus. The adjacent Tudor Township was named two years later the **House of Tudor**, which was founded by **Henry VII**, who was born in 1456 at Pembroke Castle in Wales. **Pembroke Township** on the Ottawa River, was named in 1835 after **George Augustus Herbert**, 11th Earl of Pembroke (1759-1827), who took an active part in promoting emigration to Canada. The city of Pembroke was named in 1846, after being called Miramichi, Campbelltown, Moffatt, and Sydenham.

Anglesea Township in Lennox and Addington County, north of Kaladar, was named in 1872 after **Henry William Paget**, Earl of Uxbridge and Marquis of Anglesea (1758-1854). Second in command to **Wellington** at Waterloo, he took his title from the Isle of Anglesey off Wales northwest coast, which means *island of the English*. **Denbigh Township**, in the back woods of Lennox and Addington County, was named in 1859 after Denbighshire in Wales.

Haliburton County was developed in the 1860s by the London-based Canadian Land and Emigration Company, headed by Canadian-born writer **Thomas Chandler Haliburton**. Among the townships in the county with a Welsh connection are **Cardiff**, **Glamorgan**, **Snowdon**, and **Monmouth**. **Bangor Township**, in the north part of Hastings County, was named in 1859 after the Welsh city of Bangor, in Carnarvonshire (now part of Gwynedd).

The community of **Carnarvon** in Haliburton County and **Carnarvon Township** in Manitoulin County were both

named in 1867, likely after **Henry Howard Molyneux Herbert**, Easrl of Carnarvon (1831-1890), whose title came from Carnarvonshire and the place now identified on maps as Caernarfon, the site of the famous Carnarvon Castle. The Earl guided the adoption of the British North America Act in Westminster that year.

Swansea in the west of Toronto beyond High Park, was named in 1889 after the Welsh seaport of Swansea. The postmaster then was **James Worthington**. Incorporated as a village in 1925, Swansea was annexed in 1967 by the city of Toronto on the creation of the municipality of Metropolitan Toronto.

The community of **Pontypool** in Victoria County, 10 kms south of Lindsay, was named in 1853 by **John Jennings**, a native of Pontypool in Wales, which is the same distance northeast of Cardiff. **Chepstow**, in Bruce County was named by postal authorities in 1865 after local miller **John Phelan** had requested an office in honour of Irish patriot **Robert Emmett**, who was hanged in 1803 for treason. Phelan was outraged with Chepstow, because he knew

National Archives of Canada Notes

Following up on **Carol White's** letter in v1 n1 of this quarterly, the new reading room hours are: 8:30 am to 10 pm Mon to Fri, and 8 am to 6 pm weekends and statutory holidays. The Genealogy Reference Desk hours are 8.30 am to 5 pm Mon to Fri.

We sadly report the death in June of longtime genealogical advisor **Janine Roy**. After serving in the Genealogy Unit with care and courtesy for 23 years, Janine took a well deserved retirement in August 1994. However, poor health prevented her having the pleasures of a long retirement.

In a time of severe Federal cutbacks, the Genealogy and Personnel Records Section

only too well it was the home of the infamous **Strongbow** (1130-1176), the first British invader of Ireland.

The resort community of **Bala** in Muskoka District was named in 1872 by **Thomas W Burgess** in fond memory of the Bala area of Northwestern Wales.

In 1897 a Canadian Pacific Railway station called **Wabigoon Tank**, west of Dryden in northwestern Ontario, was renamed by **Superintendent William Whyte** (1843-1914) after the Welsh village of **Dinorwic**, which is 12 km south of Bangor.

When the Canadian Pacific was being built north from Tisdale to Nipawin, Sask. in 1922, **Robert Wall**, a native of **Pontrilas**, Wales suggested that name for a station, 20 km south of Nipawin. Pontrilas is on the border of Monmouthshire and Hertfordshire. The CP also had a loading platform at a place called **Rhyl**, 45 km west of Saskatoon, but the name, given for a seaport on the north coast of Wales, is no longer used.

Northwest of Edmonton is the community of **Cardiff**, which was named in 1907 after the leading city in Wales.

has been able to retain five positions in the Genealogy Unit, reporting to **Carol White**, the section chief. Supervisor of the unit is **Lorraine St Louis-Harrison** supported at the Genealogy Reference Desk (NAC's 3rd floor) by **Mary Munk**, **Denise Ross**, and **Danny Somers**. **Bryce Jacques** handles the correspondence.

Letters to the Genealogy Unit should be mailed to 395 Wellington St., Ottawa ON K1A 0N3. The desk telephone number is (613) 996-7458. Voice mail has been installed and staff try to get back ASAP to each caller during the day the call has been received.

- Alan Rayburn

Occupations

Education & Queries



Jack Moody

Knowing an ancestor's occupation can be useful in several ways when preparing your family history. It can help define which individuals with a given name are related to you as in earlier days some trades were restricted to a family; for example, our President's O'Regans from Cork were all stonemasons and the only stonemasons of that name in the area.

Even when the trade was not restricted and you know what your ancestor did, you can select the right person from a group of different trades or professions. In some cases it will help you know your ancestor better because of the education or training required to engage in that line of work or something about the relatives physique as a blacksmith is certain to be a brawny person or a jockey one of small build and weight. Certainly it will enhance your family history when you can quote an ancestor's occupation and describe how that work was done in those days.

Trades and professions which still exist today do not need definition except to describe changes in the methods used in earlier days; you will know what is meant by doctor, farmer, teacher, etc. However, there are terms which are no longer in use or whose definitions are not generally known. Some examples are:

ACKERMAN - an ox herder.

ALE DRAPER - innkeeper or publican.

ALMONER - giver of charity to the needy.

ALNAGER - sworn officer appointed to certify the measurement and quantity of woollen goods.

AMANUENSIS - secretary or stenographer.

ARTIFICER - soldier mechanic who does repairs.

BAL-MAIDEN - woman employed in mines in Cornwall in the dressing of tin and copper ore.

BADGER - a pedlar or dealer.

BARKER - leather tanner.

BARMASTER - arbitrator for disputes in the lead mining industry and keeper of the measuring dish used in mining of ore.

BEADLE - parish officer, particularly in connection with administering the Poor Law.

BELLMAN - forerunner of the postman in 18th century England. Collected mail in a locked bag before the mail coach arrived and blew a horn to announce its arrival. Customers paid for his service.

By mid 19th century he was replaced by roadside pillar (mail) boxes (also see **CHARLEY**).

BLUESTOCKING - female writer.

BONIFACE - innkeeper.

BOWYER - bow maker.

BRAZIER - one who works with brass.

BRICKBURNER - a brick maker.

BRIGHTSMITH - metal worker.

BUNTER - rag and bone man.

BURGOMASTER - mayor.

BUTTY - one who took contract work in a mine and hired labourers to do the work - also called a **CHARTMASTER**.

CARTWRIGHT - carriage repairer.

CASHMARIE - fish pedlar who transported fish from ports to inland points.

CHAISEMAKER - carriage maker.

CHANDLER - dealer or trader; one who makes or sells candles; grocery retailer.

CHAPMAN - dealer in smallwares.

CHARLEY (BELLMAN or WATCHMAN) - forerunner of the policeman. Began in the 17th century as watchman who patrolled streets at night calling out the hour and the weather.

Sometimes announced his arrival by ringing a bell. Later became known as "**CHARLEYS**" because of the interest taken in the efficiency of

their services by Kings Charles I and II

CHARTMASTER - (see **BUTTY**)

CHEVENERS - Likely a 9 or 10 year old girl who embroidered designs (often clocks) on stockings knitted by her parents.

CHIFFONIER - wigmaker.

CLASSMAN - term for an unemployed labourer used mainly in Suffolk c1840.

CLERK - a clergyman, cleric.

CLICKER - salesman's servant or receptionist; in print shop one who received matter in galley form from the compositors and arranged it for printing; one who made eyelet holes in boots (machine made a clicking noise); one who cut leather and allocated it to workmen.

CLIMBING BOY - chimney sweep.

COLPORTEUR - book pedlar

COAL HIGGLER - coal dealer, usually with horse and cart.

COLLIER - charcoal dealer, later a coal miner.

COOPER - barrel maker.

COPEMAN - dealer, later receiver of stolen goods.

CORDWAINER - leather worker.

COSTERMONGER - fruit and vegetable pedlar, barrow boy.

CROWNER - coroner.

CURRIER - one who sized, softened and sometimes dyed tanned leather to make it suitable for making goods, or who dresses a horse's coat with a curry comb.

DEXTER - a dyer, not to be confused with the heraldry term for right-hand side.

DOCKER - stevedore.

DOODLE DOO MAN - slang for a cock breeder.

DOWSER - one who finds water.

DRAPER - dry goods dealer

DRAYMAN - driver of long, strong cart without fixed sides for carrying heavy loads (a dray)

DRESSER - surgeon's assistant in hospital.

DROVER - cattle dealer or one who drives cattle, sheep, etc., to market.

DUFFER - pedlar

DUSTMAN - Garbage man of 17th century. He worked for the owner of a dust cart who had a licence to collect "dirt, rubbish or

garbage". In the morning the dustmen picked up garbage put out by householders the night before, announcing their arrival by ringing a bell. The garbage was taken to "dust yards" belonging to the cart owner where it was sorted by women and children. Items retrieved were later sold. The term "Flying Dustman" was applied to unlicensed dust collectors who raided the "dust holes" during the night before the licensed cart arrived. The modern equivalent is the **BIN MAN**.

FACTOR - agent, commission merchant; one who acts or transacts business for another; Scottish, steward or bailiff of an estate.

FELLMONGER - dealer in hides also one who removes hair or wool from hides to prepare them for leather-making.

FERONER - dealer in iron.

FLETCHER - arrow maker.

FULLER - one who shrinks and thickens woollen cloth by moistening, heating and pressing (fulling), also cleans and finishes cloth.

FWK. - abbreviation for a "frame work knitter" who worked at home on a rented frame for knitting stockings.

GLAZIER - window glassman.

GREAVE - bailiff or foreman.

HATCHELOR - combs out or cards flax.

HEMP-DRESSER - rope maker.

HIND - farm labourer

HOOPER - makes hoops for casks.

HOOP SHAVER - one who dressed wood for barrel hoops.

HOSTLER - groom who takes care of horses, particularly at an inn.

HURRIER - child or woman who pulled "corves" or small wagons in coal mines.

HUSBANDMAN - farmer, one who plows and cultivates.

JAGGER - itinerant fish pedlar.

JOYNER/JOINER - carpenter.

KEMPSTER - wool comber, usually a woman.

LEECH - physician.

LINKBOY or **LINKMAN** - carried a "link" or torch through the streets to light the way before street lights. in the 17th to 19th centuries. Usually ragged and poor, the **LINK BOYS** had a bad reputation as thieves.

- LISTER** - a dyer.
LOWKER - a female field worker in Yorkshire primarily weeding.
MANCIPIE - steward.
MALENDER - a farmer.
MANTUA MAKER - dressmaker.
MINTMASTER - issuer of local currency.
NOBBLER - a stonemason, specialty probably dry stone walling
NEGGLER - heavy goods (bricks, stones, etc.) freighter using heavy horse and cart. Freighters of lighter goods was a **CARTER**.
PATTENMAKER - shoemaker specializing in shoes with high heels to raise the feet above the muddy streets and clogs shod with iron rings.
PEREGRINATOR - itinerant wanderer.
PERFUMER - perfume maker or salesman or fumigator
PERUKEMAKER - wig maker or hairdresser.
PIGMAN - crockery dealer.
PIKEMAN - miller's assistant.
PLUMBER - applier of sheet lead for roofing and sets lead frames for plain or stained glass windows.
PLUMBUM WORKER - plumber
PUDDLER - wrought iron maker.
PUGGER - someone who blended the clay mixture for bricks with bare feet, often a child
PUTTER - boy from 10 to 18 years old who pushed loaded tubs of coal through the underground galleries of a coal mine. Galleries were no more than 76 cm high so boys wore leather protectors over their lower backs.
RATTLEWATCH - town watchman.
SAGGARMAKER, BOTTOMKNOCKER- in the china industry the latter carried delicate pieces up the kiln stairs to the former who placed them in the sagger, an enormous clay pot for holding small pieces while being fired.
SALTER - salt dealer
SAWBONES - surgeon.
SAWYER - one who saws wood.
SCRIBLER/SCRIBBLER - minor or worthless author.
SCRIVENER - a clerk who specialized in making up bonds at a time when many people could not read or write; notary public.
SCRUTINER - election judge.
SELCATOR MINDER - person who looks after a self-acting mule in a spinning machine.
SHRIEVE - sheriff
SLOPSELLER - seller of ready-made clothes in a slop shop.
SLUBBER - yarn dresser in a textile mill.
SNOBSCAT - shoe repairer.
SORTER - tailor.
SPINNER - man who operates a spinning wheel or spinning machine.
SPINSTER - woman who spins, later an unmarried woman.
STOCKINER - a knitter of socks or stockings.
STUFF GOWNSMAN - junior barrister.
SUPERCARGO - officer on merchant ship in charge of cargo and commercial concerns.
SURVEYOR - an annually elected official of a parish responsible for keeping the 'King's Highway' in good condition.
SWAMPER - janitor, cleaner.
SWEEP - chimney sweep or road cleaner.
TANNER - one who tans hides.
TAPLEY - one who puts the tap in an ale cask.
TICKET PORTER - a messenger in London in the 18th and 19th century had a license or "ticket" worn around the neck or on the belt and was paid for the distance he covered to deliver messages or parcels.
TIDE WAITER - customs inspector at a port.
TIGER - youth, usually on the small side, in smart livery who rode on a platform at the back of the gentleman, owner-driven "cabriolet".
TIPSTAFF - policeman.
TOWNS WARTER - officer employed by customs and excise
TRAPPER - 5 to 10 year old child who opened and closed "trapdoors" in mines which were strategically sited to direct air into workplaces. The child would work a 12 to 16 hour shift 6 days per week.
TRONER - official in charge of weighing of merchandise at the tron (Weighing machine or scales).
TURNER - lathe operator.
VERDERER - judicial officer of the King's Forest sworn to maintain the Assizes of the forest.
VICTUALLER - restaurant or tavern keeper;

supplier of provisions for army, navy or ships - present day grocer or greengrocer.

VULCAN - blacksmith.

WAGONER - teamster not for hire.

WAINWRIGHT - wagon maker.

WARPER - loom threader in a textile mill.

WATCH & WARD - men appointed to police an area under the supervision of the "Constable". WATCH referred to night duty and WARD to day duty. Wrongdoers were

arrested and placed in care of the "Constable".

WATERMAN - boatman who plies for hire.

WEBSTER - operator of looms.

WETGLOVE - glove maker.

WHARFINGER - owner of a wharf.

WHEELWRIGHT - maker of wheels and expert on all types of wood in the local area.

WHITESMITH - tinsmith or iron polisher.

WOODWARD - keeper of the forest in charge of all growing timber.

A Stray in High Sierra Cemetery: The ghost town of Bodie CA is at an altitude of almost 2800 meters in the High Sierra country. Mbr #140 **Bill Glover**, Monrovia CA, after a fishing trip decided to chronicle some of the tombstones of the Cornish and Irish gold miners on *Boot Hill*. The depth of snow made it impossible to view most of the monuments. He recorded some visible stones, including this one: **WH Werely/** Born Dec 20 1848 / Died Feb 9, 1890 / A Native of Ontario Canada. Bill hopes this item will be of assistance to someone. He sent a photo of the fenced-in white stone but the snow-reflected lettering is too faint for readability if printed. Thanks, Bill.

Passenger & Immigration Lists: If you discover a reference to your family in *Filby's Passenger & Immigration Lists Index*, it is possible to get a copy of the original source. The Burton Historical Collection at the Detroit Public Library, 5201 Woodward Ave., Detroit MI 48202, maintains all sources indexed by Filby. You **must** cite the source number. They charge US\$2 p&h plus 20¢ per page copied. . Washington State GS Newsletter, Sept/Oct 1995.

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Royal Irish Academy: The Hodges and Smith Collection, The Benham Collection, The Stowe Manuscripts-Ashburnhal Collection, The McAdam and Reeves Collection and others are among the noted collections available for research. In many cases the LDS film collection should be consulted to see what has been filmed. Some collections have additional materials that pertain to the same manuscripts and these materials can be consulted by LDS films or in other repositories. BIFHS of LA Newsletter Aug/Sept 1995.

Queries

Boyle/McKerracher/Findlay

Seek info **Wm Boyle** b 1789 d c1861 m **Margaret McKerracher (McCaragan)** 1828. Ch: Mary Jane b 1881 m **Joseph Hugh Findlay** Grenville Co; Eliza 1834 m **Wm Nichols**; Robert 1837 m **Mary Jane Holland**; Jemima 1840 m **David Boyce**; Ann 1842 m **Thos McEachran**; Keslah 1844 m **John Huffman**; Martha 1847 m **Barnet Russell**; Mariam 1849 m **Chas Mylan**; John 1850; & Rachael 1853. **Helen Huckle Elford**, 190 Eugene Rd, North Bay ON P1B 8B7.

Boyle//Bell

Seek info **Wm Boyle** s/o James Boyle, Royal Regiment, Cornwall 1789 & **Susannah Bell**, & info on unit. See Boyle above.

Huckle /Oxley/Tims:

Seek info **Thomas Huckle** b 1838 Westcott Barton OXF m c1856 **Betsy Tims** Cropredy OXF both d Kent Co ON. Ch b in OXF: Sarah 1847 m **Wm Cantwell**; George Henry 1859 m **Fanny Oxley**; Wm 1861 m **Ada Green**; Eliza 1864 m -- **Coffey**; Caroline 1867 m **Edward Sykes**; & b in Kent Co ON: Amy 1870 m **George Graham**; Mercy 1874 m **George LEE**; & John 1876 m **Bessie Bush**. Will share. See Boyle above.

Gillanders/Mitchell/Turner

Seek info **John Gillanders** b 1801 SCT & wife **Jane Mitchell** b 1802 IRL emig East Broughton 1832. Ch: David; Agnes *Nancy*; Robert; Margaret b 1845 m c1860 **Edward Turner** b c1839 Quebec City, Their ch: Robert b 1863 m **Agnes Jane Archibald** 1886; Riviere du Loup & ch Ruby b 1887; & Edward b 1865 Quebec. Bros in Fraserville 1881 census. **Lorne A Turner**, Box 1025, 14 Russell Hill Rd, Bobcaygeon ON K0M 1A0

Johnston/Steen

Seek info **Nathaniel Johnston** b c1811 N IRL m **Mary Ann Steen** b 1813 Armagh

emig 1832 Esquesing Twp then Tuckersmith Twp Huron Co. Ch: John b 1837; Maria 1840; Robert 1842; James 1847. Bro (?) James Duncan b 1840 IRL m **Catherine Donaldson**. All bur Maitlandbank cem Tuckersmith. See Gillanders above.

Riddell/Stewart/Johnston

Seek info: **James Riddell (Riddle)** b c1794 Glasgow d SCT 1853 m in Gorbals **Elizabeth Stewart**, b c1780 d SCT 1853. Ch: Mary 1811; Anne 1814; John 1816; William 1819; Elizabeth 1821; Catherine 1827; Jane 1830; & James 1824. Son **James** m Barony 1848 **Jane Jean Johnston** b 1825 Cadder d 1885 Texas. Ch: b Glasgow & area: James 1848; John D 1851 emig Texas; William D 1852 emig Texas; Robert 1854; Janet 1856; Andrew J 1861 emig Winnipeg; Neil 1864 Glasgow sea captain.. See Gillanders above.

YEO

Interested in Yeo family trees and anyone with a Yeo connection for a book of Yeo trees. The name is registered with the Guild of One Name Studies. Have a vast databank of Yeo entries including all St Catherines House Indexes for BMDs and 1851/1881 Census for Devon, Cornwall and other counties. All letters will be answered. Mrs SM Yeo, 14 Orbec Ave, Kingsteignton, Newton Abbot, DEV ENG TQ123ED, Tel 01626 60978.

Family History Answers on Internet:

Heritage Quest magazine has a new Answers column by **Rhonda McClure**. She is the editor of GenDisk Magazine, and Genealogy Sysop of the new American Genealogy Lending Library, after four years as the Chief Sysop on Genie's Genealogy RoundTable.. She invites queries and *will do (her) best to answer as many as possible*. Contact her at RHONDA.M@GENIE.GEIS.COM on the Internet. *Heritage Quest* #54

Book Reviews

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An Irish Genealogical Source: Guide to Church Records. *Published by the Ulster Historical Foundation, Balmoral Buildings, 12 College Square East, Belfast, BT1 6DD, on behalf of the Public Record Office of Northern Ireland. Hardback, xix+279 pages, ISBN 0-901905-59-3.*

This is an exhaustive guide to Irish church records available in the Public Record Office of Northern Ireland (PRONI). PRONI retains records for churches in the six counties of Northern Ireland (Antrim, Armagh, Down, Fermanagh, Londonderry, and Tyrone) as well as the three counties of Ulster in the Republic (Cavan, Donegal and Monaghan) and for a very few other churches in the Republic.

The introduction describes how records have been kept by the Church of Ireland, Methodists, Presbyterians, Roman Catholics, Congregationalists, Non-subscribing Presbyterians, Baptists, Society of Friends and Moravians.

Records available include all those copied by or deposited with PRONI up to September, 1993. The PRONI reference code system is described and the code for each church is provided.

Records available cover primarily baptisms, marriages and deaths, but in some cases a wide range of other records such as vestry or session minutes, accounts, communicants lists, transfer certificates, etc. are available.

The precise dates for which records are available are described and the inevitable gaps in coverage are identified. Cases where

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Tracing Your West Indian Ancestors: The PRO in Chancery Lane, London, has published this title as the 11th in the Readers' Guide series. The new book has numerous references to the people in the British West Indies, such as adventurers who planted sugar cane, slaves who came to toil

identified records remain in the custody of a local church are noted as are relevant Church of Ireland records destroyed in the 1922 fire in Dublin.

Material is organized alphabetically, first by civil parish, then by denomination, and then by individual church. While it is desirable to know the civil parish in which you are interested, the book can easily be perused for a particular church if you know its name, but do not know where it is located.

Roman Catholic parishes often include parts of more than one civil parish and cross references are included where this is known. It is noted that the National Library in Dublin has microfilmed almost all pre-1880 Roman Catholic registers in Ireland whereas PRONI records are limited essentially to Ulster.

This is precisely the type of guide that researchers need to identify the availability and location of church records. The large print and generous spacing make the guide highly readable and invite the reader to browse simply out of general interest in such records.

A copy of this guide is in the library of the Ottawa Branch of the Ontario Genealogical Society.

the land, soldiers and sailors who fought in the Napoleonic wars and transported criminals.

The 110 page paperback price is £ 8.95. Contact: **Nora Talty**, Sales & Mktg Mgr on 0181 876 3444 ext 2213, or at PRO Chancery Lane, London ENG WC2A 1LR.

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Robert Campbell

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

British Isles Family History Society of Greater Ottawa
Meetings at: LDS Family History Centre
1017 Prince of Wales Drive, Ottawa
Contact: Jim Heal, (613) 828-9569

- 14 Oct 1995 10-12 a.m. **British Isles Settlement in the Outaouais**
Diane Aldred (Mrs), Author and Historian
- 04 Nov 1995 10-12 a.m. **Finding Canada's War Dead**
Bradley N Hall, Deputy Secretary General, Canadian
Agency, Commonwealth War Graves Commission
- 09 Dec 1995 10-12 a.m. **My Great Moments in Genealogy**
Society Members
- 13 Jan 1996 10-12 a.m. **Publishing Your Family History**
Rosaleen Dickson, Publisher, Editor & Book Reviewer

Other Family History Events

Ottawa Branch, Ontario Genealogy Society
Silver Anniversary Meeting, 21 October 1995
Minto Centre, Carleton University
6:30 pm Reception (\$8) - 8 pm Principal Speaker: Jean Pigott
Contact: Dan Faber (613) 829- 0343

New England Historic Genealogical Society &
New York Genealogy & Biographical Society
Joint Conference, Tarrytown, New York
20 Lecture Topics - 17-18 Nov 1995
Principal Speaker: Henry Z *Hank* Jones, Jr FASG
California-based Palatine expert
Contact: Christina Wellington, (617) 536-5740

New England Historic Genealogical Society, Boston
13 Dec 1995 5 pm - 101 Newbury Street
Quaker Genealogy Sources & Techniques
Speaker: Col Charles A Hanson, FASG
Contact: Christina Wellington, (617) 536-5740