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From: Regina Atchinson [hytekredneck@taconic.net]
Sent: Thursday, March 04, 2004 6:54 PM
To: NY-TROY-IRISH-GENSOC-L@rootsweb.com
Subject: [TIGS] Any Problems With TIGS Mail?

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Thanks for any help.
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Sent: Thursday, March 04, 2004 7:07 PM
To: NY-TROY-IRISH-GENSOC-L@rootsweb.com
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Hi Ginger your mail came through very clear. Barbara

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From: Lauri [lmosall@yahoo.com]
Sent: Friday, March 05, 2004 1:30 PM
To: NY-TROY-IRISH-GENSOC-L@rootsweb.com
Subject: [TIGS] Fwd: [NYALBANY] The foundry at the north end of Green Island, a/k/a West Troy, Albany County, NY

Leslie Potter <lbp@axs2000.net> wrote:Date: Fri, 05 Mar 2004 12:18:31 -0800
From: Leslie Potter
Subject: [NYALBANY] The foundry at the north end of Green Island, a/k/a West Troy, Albany County, NY
To: NYALBANY-L@rootsweb.com

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Is the Ford Motor Company plant still there?

According to my grandmother's first cousin (now deceased), the foundry was called "Phileys". I am in the midst of writing notes on my second great-grandfather who worked there from 1857 until his death in On october 12, 1873.

Any trivia concerning this foundry would be deeply appreciated.

Thank you,

Leslie Potter
Glen Mills, PA

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From: Pat Connors [nymets11@pacbell.net]
Sent: Friday, March 05, 2004 2:16 PM
To: NY-TROY-IRISH-GENSOC-L@rootsweb.com
Subject: [TIGS] Troy Surname Registry

I have updated the Troy Surname Registries on my website with another 50 names. If you submitted a name this month, please check your submission for accuracy. If you find a mistake, either write me off list or submit another form with 'change' near the item you want changed. Also, remember if you have a surname listed and your email address has changed, don't forget to change it with another form.

You can access the registries by going to the URL below my name, at top of my home page you will find drop down menus. Under, New York State, click on Troy.

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Sent: Friday, March 05, 2004 5:41 PM
To: NY-TROY-IRISH-GENSOC-L@rootsweb.com
Subject: Re: [TIGS] Fwd: [NYALBANY] The foundry at the north end of Green Island, a/k/a West Troy, Albany County, NY

I think you are referring to the Eagle Foundry, which was built in the mid 1800's, and later the building became occupied by Manning Paper. But that's not where the Ford Motor Plant was. The Ford Motor plant was on Tibbits Ave. in Green Island, for about 75 years, closing in 1988.

Donna

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To: <NY-TROY-IRISH-GENSOC-L@rootsweb.com>
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From: Pat Connors [nymets11@pacbell.net]
Sent: Monday, March 08, 2004 4:13 PM
To: NY-TROY-IRISH-GENSOC-L@rootsweb.com
Subject: [TIGS] New Rensselaer County surname registry

I have added a Rensselaer County surname registry to the Rensselaer website at:
<http://www.rootsweb.com/~nyrenss2/>

You can access it by going to the above URL, at the top of the webpage there are drop down menus. Under Genealogy, click on Surnames. There is a convenient form on the Surname Registry page where you can enter your surnames. I will update the webpage regularly. Good luck, hope you make connections.

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From: Connie [con-mcd81@bis.midco.net]
Sent: Monday, March 08, 2004 5:21 PM
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> Dear Pat,

I entered my surname twice; disregard the first entry. thanks very much.

Connie McDonald

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From: Kris6851@aol.com
Sent: Monday, March 08, 2004 8:37 PM
To: NY-TROY-IRISH-GENSOC-L@rootsweb.com
Subject: Re: [TIGS]2/19/04 Meeting

The TIGS met on 2/19/04 at the Grove in Troy. Attending the meeting were Jeanne Keefe, MariAlice Mangan, Donna Vaughn, Lynn Grice, Lizette Strait, Michael and Howard Mcalonie and Kristin Ayotte.

The Group got right down to business by ordering dinner early and got to the agenda. Much of the time was spent discussing Old Business since it concerns our website. We really want to get it running and of interest to those out there that want to access information. Jeanne Keefe will be taking over the site from Pat, she has gotten information concerning the running of the site from Pat and as soon as her calendar clears she will begin her the process. She will be training Mike Mcalonie on the ins and outs of web management so that down the road he can take over.

Old Business

1. Donna Vaughn is working on an article devoted to Green Island. It will be a timeline of events and people that shaped the village. She has several source documents that she will be using for reference. When completed she will be forwarding to Jeanne for posting on the site.
2. Lynn Grice is working on the "Village of Emly" in Ireland and its strong connection to Troy. Many Irish from that village came and settled in Troy. Reference was made to Emly in a TV article and gravestone inscriptions by Lorretta Niel indicate a strong number of immigrants to Troy from Emly. Emly has a monument that references their Troy contingent. When completed it will be on our site for members to add names and/or histories.
3. Much like item 1 Mike is working on information on West Troy. This item was submitted by list member John? and Lynn Sisk so their input would be appreciated.
4. Mike is working on the list of local photographers. The question was raised as to whether or not we could photocopy pages of city directories at the library. Interesting conversation since Jeanne is a Librarian.....
5. Lizette is working on waterfront activity in the area, inclusive of influx of people, housing, unionization etc. Input from list members would be greatly appreciated. She is searching old newspapers, etc for information.
6. Marialice wondered how she got to be our resource person? Actually all she did was mention the wonderful job Bill McGrath has done posting resources to the list. The site should have a quick link of contacts with hours, content, etc. We dicussed a "Notice Board" where these would be listed as well as upcoming events, new information, etc.
7. Lizette came to the meeting with much information concerning funeral parlors in the area. She was chastised by Jeanne for using a highlighter on her copies...she has learned her lesson and will not do that again (right Lizette). The list is in Jeanne's capable hands.
8. Kris has been saving interesting memories from the list for printing and memorializing down the road. I am imploring the list to E-mail the early ones directly to me at kris6851@aol as I did not save all of them. I know that there were some great ones posted before we decided to save. So PLEASE resend them to me....
9. Our goal will be to have a hand held taperecorder at the meetings. This means we need some more attendance. If you have a wonderful recollection you would like to see recorded come to the meeting and for budget purposes (since we do not have a budget) bring a small blank "micro cassette" with you. We will do our best to transcribe for posting, but also would like to save the cassettes for a TIGS Oral Library.
10. This was more difficult as there is so much information on the WWW concerning immigration. We proposed having links on our site to suggested sites for practical purposes 11. This was the topic of the evening because all of the above depends on a successful website. Good things take time and we predict in time a great, resourceful site for all of our TIGS projects.

New Business

Field trips were again discussed with the mention of Hudson River Industrial Gateway, NARA in Pittsburgh and The Menelly Bell Foundry bulding. New to me was that there were two Menelly Bell factories run by brothers, one in Troy and one in West Troy.

Jeanne has offered to host a group at the RPI Architectural Library for the purpose of a class in scanning photos and documents to the computer. Several of us are VERY interested in this venture. Details to follow....(she is a very busy lady offering alot of help).

An archive of the list was discussed with the issues of privacy coming up. Since we are a relatively small group and many personal discussions take place we have to think it through. We have tabled it for now but do welcome the groups thoughts on this.

We discussed the many and varied "corner stores" that were part of Troys landscape. Great topic for the list, probably great memories to share.

I apologize for not remembering which attendee enlightened us to the fact that "Scotch Hill" in Troy was the area of Thompson Street and all the side streets off of it.

We had a few minutes of book discussion, Morgain Llwelyn has several Irish fiction books that are historically correct, the titles being "1916" and "1921" as well as "Echoes of the Savage Land" (please correct me if I erred on this as my notes are scratchy).

One end of the table enjoyed some memories of collge classes, while the other end shared some old time Troy names. Howard was delightful and his service picture used as an advertisement for WWII showed a very handsome man..

Once again the group shared information and enjoyed good company for a couple of hours. We ask that other list members who are able to please mark your calendar and try to attend the next meeting. We are trying to find other locations to meet and look for suggestions. For now we are planning on Thursday 3/18/04 at 6:15 at the Grove located across from HVCC in Troy.

Kristin Cooney-Ayotte
Cooney, Malone, MacGregor, Hull

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Researching surnames: Ancona, Cody, Tracy, Manning, Cross, Rowley, Farris, Murch, Fountain, Stoothoff, Garrabrant, Terwilliger

>From: "Michael McAlonie" <MMCALONIE@msn.com>
>Reply-To: NY-TROY-IRISH-GENSOC-L@rootsweb.com
>To: NY-TROY-IRISH-GENSOC-L@rootsweb.com
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From: Istrait94@earthlink.net
Sent: Wednesday, March 10, 2004 5:57 PM
To: NY-TROY-IRISH-GENSOC-L@rootsweb.com
Subject: [TIGS] Re:City of Cohoes Birth Certificates

Dear Ginger,
I would think that Cohoes would still have a record. Call the city clerk in Cohoes and ask. I just had a similar problem. My ggrandmother was born in the city of Rensselaer and went to the town hall and they still had it. It was from 1902. They usually charge around \$10 for a copy.
Good luck,
Lizette

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From: Marat609@aol.com
Sent: Wednesday, March 10, 2004 11:24 PM
To: NY-TROY-IRISH-GENSOC-L@rootsweb.com
Subject: Re: [TIGS] Troy Record on ancestry

Dear Mike,

Since I live in Wheaton, Il, I won't be going to hear the speaker who will be talking about the development of downtown Troy. I'm very interested in finding out what existed at Fifth St. and Ferry, next to the old jail. The Ahern Apartments were built there in the fifties, I think, but it's what was there before that interests me. My greatgrandparents lived at 127 Ferry St. and had a business there. Timothy McAuliffe was a Mason, Contractor and Builder who worked on the construction of St. Lawrence Church right before his death in 1883.

The family continued to live at that address at least until about 1918, and I would love to get an old photograph of what was there at that time. I have some copies of photographs of the buildings near there, but none of the exact location. I realize this is probably an impossible task, but if you do go to the meeting maybe you will come away with a lead for me?

Sincerely,

Mary McAuliffe Nigro

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I am not sure without looking further, but seeing as my father was in similar articles only a year earlier and they did not come up when I searched the name, I guess it starts around Jan 1944 and goes to I don't know when. I'll look.

MIke

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Subject: [TIGS] VIRUS!!!!!! says from Microsft Security...DO NOt OPEN IT

Be aware I received a Security Alert from Microsoft with a zip file...IT IS A VIRUS...Norton caught it. DO NOT OPEN!!! Delete right away...If this helps one person, I will be glad

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To: NY-TROY-IRISH-GENSOC-L@rootsweb.com
Subject: [TIGS] Naturalization records

I have just put on line the a naturalization index from records I have transcribed from Rensselaer County Alien Declarations 1862-1867. There are many in the records who resided in Washington, Saratoga and Albany counties. You can access them either on the Troy webpage of my website (URL under my name) or the Naturalization/Citizenship section of the Rensselaer website at:
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Sent: Sunday, March 14, 2004 1:51 PM
To: NY-TROY-IRISH-GENSOC-L@rootsweb.com
Subject: [TIGS] REAL Traditional Irish Soda Bread

Hello to all you Irish men and women. Since St. Patrick's Day is just around the corner I thought I would send this out. If one searches the internet using the term "Traditional Irish Soda Bread" an amazing number of recipes appear. 98% of them incorrect. Would "French Bread" (15th century) still be the same if whiskey, raisins, or other ingredients were added to the mix? So why is traditional "Irish Soda Bread" (19th century) not given the same respect by modern-day bakers?

Have fun making your soda bread.

Ginger

Tradition"

1: the handing down of information, beliefs, and customs by word of mouth or by example from one generation to another without written instruction

2: cultural continuity in social attitudes, customs, and institutions "Bread"

a usually baked and leavened food made of a mixture whose basic constituent is flour or meal "Cake"

a sweet baked food made from a dough or thick batter usually containing flour and sugar and often shortening, eggs, and a raising agent (as baking powder)

Around 1850 soda as a leavening agent was introduced in Ireland. The basic soda bread is made with flour, baking soda, salt, soured milk (or buttermilk) and sometimes butter (I know of cases where butter was not used at all). One ridiculous on-line recipe claiming to be "traditional" included "orange zest" as an ingredient. One can just imagine our poverty-stricken ancestors sitting by the turf fire in a small cottage saying "Now where did I put my zester? I can't make soda bread without it." Another site had a recipe for "traditional Irish Soda Bread" that called for yeast to be used. The whole reason bread soda was used in the first place was to replace using yeast as the rising agent.

"Traditional" indeed!!

While we are certainly at liberty to modify recipes to our heart's content, it is a great falsehood to claim that the bread created by these modern recipes is the same as used by our great-great grandmothers to feed their families. The saying "If you repeat a lie often enough it becomes accepted as the truth." is certainly true for the poor soda bread of the 19th century. Traditional Irish Soda bread does not contain:

"zest" orange or any other kind

Irish Whiskey. It is actually a stereotyping insult to think that everything "Irish" has to contain whiskey.

Honey (substitute for sugar)

Sugar (see definition of "cake")

eggs (see definition of "cake")

caraway seeds

and just about anything else one can buy in the local supermarket. Our Irish ancestors did not have the luxury or the means of walking into a well-stocked store and tossing a credit card at a clerk to buy anything they wanted. They barely made it day-to-day. Many of our grandfathers and great-grandfathers in Ireland hunted rabbits and caught trout to feed their families. Their wives baked soda bread every day or two to serve at each meal. They had to find some way to fill the bellies of their families during the famine so true Irish soda bread is quite heavy. They would not have added whiskey to their daily bread any more than a Frenchman would have added it to his baguette. We Americans tend to forget that this is "bread" served with meals and not a "dessert dish."

Irish Soda Bread

4 cups (16 oz) of all purpose flour.

1 Tsp baking soda

1 Tsp salt

14 oz of buttermilk

Preheat the oven to 425 F. degrees. Lightly crease and flour a cake pan.

In a large bowl sieve and combine all the dry ingredients.

Add the buttermilk to form a sticky dough. Place on floured surface and lightly knead

Shape into a round flat shape in a round cake pan and cut a cross in the top of the dough. Cover the pan with another pan and bake for 30 minutes. Remove cover and bake for an additional 15 minutes.
The bottom of the bread will have a hollow sound when tapped so show it is done.
Cover the bread in a tea towel and lightly sprinkle water on the cloth to keep the bread moist.

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FX Ryan

From: Pat Connors [nymets11@pacbell.net]
Sent: Tuesday, March 16, 2004 9:51 AM
To: NY-TROY-IRISH-GENSOC-L@rootsweb.com
Subject: [TIGS] Albany Naturalizations on line

>From another list, with permission:

Volunteer transcribers are hard at work on several databases of Indexes to Declarations of Intent for New York. This is another free database brought to you by Olive Tree Genealogy on its sister site NaturalizationRecords.com

Today I added several more surname pages to the existing project online at <http://naturalizationrecords.com/>

A big thank you goes to volunteers Donna Jackson (finished Books 2 & 3), Robin Tweed (working on Books 4-6), Peggy Broughton and Dave Cazalet (working on Books 7 & 8), and Karen Cundari (working on Books 9-12). Laura Freeman and I are proof-reading the files as they are transcribed.

Here is what is available, with a direct URL to get to each set of records. Please let each page load completely then scroll down to view the names. These records are freely available to everyone, and I hope you find an ancestor or two

--Declarations of Intent, New York 1827-1895, Justice's Court, Albany, New York, Index to Book 2 & 3 (1832-1836)

http://naturalizationrecords.com/usa/nyintent_a1833.shtml
(Complete! All surnames online)

--Declarations of Intent, New York 1827-1895, Justice's Court, Albany, New York, Index to Book 4, 5 & 6 (1837-1843) http://naturalizationrecords.com/usa/nyintentbk4-6_a.shtml
(Surnames A, C online so far)

--Declarations of Intent, New York 1827-1895, Justice's Court, Albany, New York, Index to Book 7 & 8 (1843-1850)

http://naturalizationrecords.com/usa/nyintentbk7-8_v.shtml
(Surnames V, W, Y, Z online so far)

--Declarations of Intent, New York 1827-1895, Justice's Court, Albany, New York, Index to Books 9-12 (1850-1856)

<http://naturalizationrecords.com/usa/intent1850-56a.shtml>
(Surnames A, B online so far)

NOTE: This is not the same database for Naturalization Records indexes 1821-1991 online at AlbanyCounty.com)

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Sent: Tuesday, March 16, 2004 11:30 PM
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Subject: Re: [TIGS] Meeting Thursday Night

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FX Ryan

From: Istrait94@earthlink.net
Sent: Wednesday, March 17, 2004 10:08 AM
To: NY-TROY-IRISH-GENSOC-L@rootsweb.com
Subject: Re: [TIGS] Meeting Thursday Night

I will be there.
Lizette

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From: Marialice P. Mangan [marialis@nycap.rr.com]
Sent: Thursday, March 18, 2004 12:59 AM
To: NY-TROY-IRISH-GENSOC-L@rootsweb.com
Subject: [TIGS] MANGAN - FEENEY

There has been a possible breakthrough in my MANGAN family puzzle.

Bridget MANGAN, born in Ireland in 1853, married Thomas FEENEY, born in Canada in 1856. Bridget may be the younger sister of my g-grandfather, John J. MANGAN. I have never been able to find any siblings of John during my years of searching the family history.

Bridget MANGAN FEENEY had 3 children:

John, b. 1878, NY
Thomas, b. 1882, NY
Mary, b. 1887, NY

None of the children married. John died in 1944 (his brother Thomas pre-deceased him). Mary FEENEY lived until the age of 93 -- she died in July 1981. They were parishioners of St. Peter's Church.

Bridget & Thomas FEENEY had boarders living with them in 1900 by the name of MACK. This is a surname that appears in many baptismal records of my MANGANS but I have never been able to make any connections -- at least not until now.

It was the discovery of John FEENEY's obituary by Lynn Grice that produced this remarkable clue. I want to thank Lynn for her graciousness in helping me unlock a mystery that has frustrated me for quite some time -- THANKS, LYNN!

It has been a great St. Patrick's Day for me! I hope it has been the same for everyone.

I just wanted to share my joy --

Marialice

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From: Pat Connors [nymets11@pacbell.net]
Sent: Thursday, March 18, 2004 7:06 PM
To: NY-TROY-IRISH-GENSOC-L@rootsweb.com
Subject: [TIGS] 1900 Troy census

I have just put the Troy Orphanage, 5th ward, of the 1900 Federal Census on line. Thanks to these transcribers: Bob McConihe, Pam Warren, Coleen Wheeler and Herb Phelps.

You can access it through the Troy webpage of the Rensselaer website at:
<http://www.rootsweb.com/~nyrenss2/Troy/>

Or from the Troy webpage at my website, see url below my name.

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FX Ryan

From: Pat Connors [nymets11@pacbell.net]
Sent: Friday, March 19, 2004 5:24 PM
To: NY-TROY-IRISH-GENSOC-L@rootsweb.com
Subject: [TIGS] 1900 Troy NY census

I have started to get the 5th ward of the Troy 1900 federal census index on line. It is a very big ward consisting of 6,887 individuals, 1,045 dwellings and 1,538 families.

Thanks to the transcribers: Bob McConihe, Pam Warren, Colleen Wheeler, Lynn Grice, Kay Brearton, Gary Craver, Christine Dunham, Gwen Breiermeister, Ron Maurer, Art Boyne, Herb Phelps, Denise Jones, Mary Nigro and Kathy Janus.

Remember my past warnings. The handwriting was at times very hard to read and the enumerators misspelled many surnames and first names and we transcribed as they were written. For instance, if you are looking for Hines, I suggest you also look at Hynes, Hinnes and Himes. They were spelled differently on the same census page and probably part of the same family tree.

You can access the census from the Rensselaer website's Troy page at:
<http://www.rootsweb.com/~nyrenss2/Troy/>

You can also find it on the Troy page of my website, the URL under my name.

There are only the 7th, 10th and 13th wards left to go on line. They are transcribed but need proofreading and formating. The 7th ward is bigger than the 5th so will take awhile but I hope to get them on line within the next few months.

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From: Marialice P. Mangan [marialis@nycap.rr.com]
Sent: Tuesday, March 23, 2004 12:09 PM
To: NY-TROY-IRISH-GENSOC-L@rootsweb.com
Subject: [TIGS] Anyone Familiar With These Names?

The recent infusion of new names to my research list has indicated that my connections in Troy are far more recent than I had previously known. It occurs to me that some of you may be familiar with these names, although they lived north of Hoosick Street rather than in South Troy. I have not documented these findings as yet, except for census records, some city directory listings and a couple of obituaries, but I'm working on it. I am posting this in the hope that someone may be familiar with the names.

Bridget MANGAN FEENEY, b. Ireland c. 1849, married Thomas FEENEY (most likely in St. Peter's Church). They lived on Earl Street in 1900. By 1910, Bridget was a widow and living with her 3 grown children at 552 Jacob Street. Bridget had 3 children who never married and lived with their mother their entire lives. They were: John M. (1878-1944), worked for city; Thomas S. (1882-? prior to 1942), was an auto mechanic on 7th Ave., and Mary E.

"Mae", (1887-1981), was collar worker early on.

By 1920, Bridget FEENEY was at 32/34 Hutton Street, where she was to live until her death in 1942.

John J. MACK, (1875-1945), b. NY. He was a "roomer" at Bridget MANGAN FEENEY's home in 1900, along with his sister, Katie. Moved to Green Island a short time later. He married Esther ? and they are buried in St. Peter's Cem. in Troy. They had several children, some of whom remained residents of Green Island for many, many years. The MACK surname appears in many of my MANGAN/O'BRIEN's baptismal records over a number of years. I have never been able to make a connection until now.

Anna Mae MAHAN (var.MANGAN), (1907-1975), b. NY, lived at 285 Ninth Street in 1910. It is possible her parents died in the 1918 epidemic. Anna Mae MAHAN was Bridget MANGAN FEENEY's grand-niece and lived at 32 Hutton Street in 1920, to remain there for many years. Anna Mae worked for the telephone company until c.1974.

Catherine SHEEHAN FULLER, (1900-?), b.NY, married William A. FULLER, one son, Wilson F., b. 1915. Catherine's grandfather, Dennis SHEHAN (sic) was living at 32 Hutton in 1880. Catherine is believed to be related to Bridget MANGAN FEENEY.

Thank you all for reading this - I appreciate any help you could give me.

I also want to thank Donna Vaughn and her sister, Mary Ann, for their generous input into the "Green Island connection". They have been very helpful -- this is a "sister act" that is VERY tough to follow! Thanks, Donna & Mary Ann!

Marialice P.

Mangan/Manning/Manion/Monghan/Monahan/Monegan/Minehan/Moynihan -- and now MAHAN!

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FX Ryan

From: Michael McAlonie [MMCALONIE@msn.com]
Sent: Friday, March 26, 2004 9:41 AM
To: NY-TROY-IRISH-GENSOC-L@rootsweb.com
Subject: [TIGS] peetering out

Where is everybody?

I used to go up to Prospect Park when I needed to make a serious decision. To sit on the rocks that spell TROY and pick out buildings in Troy and Watervliet. And get then bugged that they needed a coat of paint. And then get sick swinging on the rickety swings and other stuff. But a great view, hopefully with the wiser old folks guiding my wisdom. There were stairways that lead down from the roadway around the park, that I guess lead to houses of past. That place helped me a lot, without knowing why. I am sure a bunch of you guys have a story or two about that beautiful park on the hill. I am sure many of you have figuratively wandered around there. It's a great place.

Mike

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From: JD [jedollard@comcast.net]
Sent: Friday, March 26, 2004 12:33 PM
To: NY-TROY-IRISH-GENSOC-L@rootsweb.com
Subject: Re: [TIGS] peetering out

My friend you have the same affliction I have...the ability to look and see what was once there and is no more. As long as it means something to you continue your visits to these places and enjoy them as they were, but just remember the old saying time and decay marches on. What you are experiencing is that moment in you that should be captured and put to paper, I have never been to prospect park but I can feel the moment in you. Put it down on paper and what it draws out of you.

I can remember the first time I drove into Troy across the Hoosick Rd.

Bridge and what a magnificent place I was driving into. Modern day immigrant were hanging out the windows yelling across the square at some one and it was 1890 all over again and people had gone home for the day. I had never seen such a beautiful place till the next day when I met a Real Estate fellow taking pictures who told me what a real "hole it was. I didn't understand, but he told me I could have this three story building sitting on the square for less than \$60 K. Then we went into this building that had an old metal elevator cage with a lever you pushed backward and forward for up and down and I could feel all the people who had ridden that elevator.

That's when I realized Troy truly is a ghost town with stories to tell just looking for people like you to tell them. How about it! jd

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From: Pat Connors [nymets11@pacbell.net]
Sent: Friday, March 26, 2004 4:18 PM
To: NY-TROY-IRISH-GENSOC-L@rootsweb.com
Subject: [TIGS] Rensselaer County website

I have updated the Rensselaer County website's Census Data and Surname Registry pages. Please check your submission for accuracy and if changes need to be made, please submit a new form and put 'change' in the field where you need changes. Also, I am looking for census links...even if they are for only one surname, please send me the links off list and I will include them on the Census data webpage with my next update. To access the website go to: <http://www.rootsweb.com/~nyrenss2/>
At the top of the home page, you will find drop down menus...both pages are under Genealogy.

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FX Ryan

From: Barbara Callahan [barbc70@comcast.net]
Sent: Saturday, March 27, 2004 12:00 AM
To: NY-TROY-IRISH-GENSOC-L@rootsweb.com
Subject: [TIGS] MORANS OF TROY

I HAVE A JOHN MORAN, B ABT 1826 IN PARISH D - - - - -, TIPPERARY COUNTY, IRELAND PER HIS GRAVESTONE AT ST JOSEPH'S CEMETERY IN TROY, D 11 DEC 1886, TROY, NY . HIS FATHER MAY HAVE BEEN JOHN MORAN, B ABT 1891 AND MOTHER MAY HAVE BEEN WINIFRED, B ABT 1803, BALLYKILCLINE, KILGLAS PARISH, IRELAND.

JOHN'S (B ABT 1826) WIFE WAS MARY (NEE?) MORAN, B ABT 1833 IN IRELAND, D 2 FEB 1905 TROY, BURIED AT ST JOSEPH'S, TROY, NY. CHILDREN OF MARY & JOHN ARE: MARY A MORAN MCKEE, B ABT 1856 IN TROY, DIED 1888 IN ALBANY; BRIDGET, B SEP 1860, DIED 15 MAY 1864 (FROM GRAVESTONE); JAMES, B ABT 1866, DIED 30 MAR 1871; JOHN (JOHNIE) B ABT 1868, DIED 4 AUG 1872; KATE, B ABT 1872; JOSEPH, B ABT 1874. BRIDGET (MAGGIE), JAMES AND JOHN ARE BURIED WITH THEIR PARENTS, JOHN AND MARY.

ELDEST DAUGHTER, MARY A MORAN, MARRIED JAMES THOMAS MCKEE ABT 1874. JAMES WAS BORN ABT 1854 IN ALBANY, NY. THEY HAD FOUR CHILDREN: WILLIAM D, B FEB 1875; JAMES THOMAS, B 12 JULY 1876 (MY GRANDFATHER), D 23 OCT 1962; JOHN (JACK), B 10 AUG 1878 AND DOROTHY, B 20 OCT 1880.

JAMES, B ABT 1854, THOMAS' FATHER WAS PATRICK MCKEE. I HAVE MORE INFO ON PATRICK AND HIS FAMILY. PATRICK AND OTHER MCKEES ARE BURIED AT ST AGNES' CEMETERY IN MENANDS, NY.

IF ANY OF THIS INFO COINCIDES WITH YOURS, PLEASE BE IN TOUCH.

Barbara Andrejkovics Callahan

SURNAMES:

IRELAND - O'BYRNE, COUNTY KERRY; ROCHE/ROACH - TRALEE, COUNTY KERRY; BROSNAN/BRESNIHAN - COUNTY KERRY; MCKEE - COUNTY MEATH; MORAN - PARISH, D - - - - -, COUNTY TIPPERARY (PER GRAVESTONE).

SLOVAKIA- PAKOSTOV & HUMENNE & BRESTOV - Andrejkovics; BRESTOV - Kuntol/Kontul; BRESTOV - Piskanin

HUNGARY - MOLNAR - Krasznokvajda & KASSA, HUNGARY ; ABOSI - Abauj-Torna, Hungary; PALINKAS - Krasznokvajda

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FX Ryan

From: Marialice P. Mangan [marialis@nycap.rr.com]
Sent: Saturday, March 27, 2004 3:20 PM
To: NY-TROY-IRISH-GENSOC-L@rootsweb.com
Subject: [TIGS] Lodge Funeral Home

In 1975, there was a Lodge Funeral Home in business at 160 Oakwood Avenue in Troy.

Does anyone know which other funeral home in Troy would have the records from Lodge's? It appears that the Lodge Funeral Home is no longer in business.

I would appreciate being enlightened on this issue since I am trying to find relatives of a Miss Anna Mae MAHAN who was buried from Lodge's in January 1975.

Thank you very much!

Marialice P. Mangan

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FX Ryan

From: Richard Shea [rshea1@nycap.rr.com]
Sent: Saturday, March 27, 2004 10:23 PM
To: NY-TROY-IRISH-GENSOC-L@rootsweb.com
Subject: [TIGS] Prospect Park

Mike,

I know what you mean. When I was going to LaSalle in Troy I used to go over the hills of the park and down through the market place to get to school everyday. We played basketball, tennis and baseball in the park, swam at the pool and traded baseball cards by the monument next to the Church. I hated the Yankees because I was a Brooklyn Dodger fan and used to throw away those cards, if I couldn't trade 'em or put them in the spokes of kids' bikes. Wish I kept the Mickey Mantle rookie cards though! The Haymakers were pretty much over the hill but we still went to watch them play and practice on the field behind St Francis de Sales Church. We, St Francis, played our games there when there was a parochial school league. Our Boy Scout troop 48 used to pitch our tents there sometimes to get ready for summer camp at Rotary Scout Reservation. May day for the school used to be held in the park. A lot of good memories about that park and some bad ones.

Rick Shea

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FX Ryan

From: Michael McAlonie [MMCALONIE@msn.com]
Sent: Monday, March 29, 2004 5:54 PM
To: NY-TROY-IRISH-GENSOC-L@rootsweb.com
Subject: Re: [TIGS] Prospect Park

My brother played youth football in the 60's (suspension helmets with no pads no doubt, ouch) at the churchyard on the east side of Prospect Park near the entrance. Is that St Francis? Its surprising that such a nice park with such a great view of Troy is so beaten up. I guess the city has no extra loot. One of my fathers WW11 buddies made a proposal to the city about building an Uncle Sams veterans hall of honor up there, even with his own money, but some people poopoo'ed it. Better that than it just crumbling and getting overgrown. That pool sure looks like it was a salvation on hot summers days way back when.

Maybe in the summer time an outdoor TIGS meeting in the park bbq style?

Bill McGrath- is there a section in that Troy book about the park??

I keep an eye out for the Mantle cards.

Mike

----- Original Message -----

From: Richard Shea
To: NY-TROY-IRISH-GENSOC-L@rootsweb.com
Sent: Saturday, March 27, 2004 10:22 PM
Subject: [TIGS] Prospect Park

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From: keefej@rpi.edu
Sent: Monday, March 29, 2004 6:42 PM
To: NY-TROY-IRISH-GENSOC-L@rootsweb.com
Subject: Re: [TIGS] Prospect Park

Hello all:

Sorry I missed the last meeting, but it was spring time in Portland, OR, all flowers and 72 degrees. About Prospect Park: There is a sort of "Friends of Prospect Park" Association that was started by Hanalora Wilfert of 2nd St(Faculty at Russell Sage College) in downtown troy. They have done quite a bit in the last few years in planting flowers and new trees and raking and leaning up overgroth. They were the one's who effectively had the road to overlook closed to car traffic to try and cut down on the drug trafficking in hopes of making the park attractive to picnicians once again. Try this website.

Jeanne

<http://www.uncle-sams-home.com/tui/199708/a19970801120503.html>

On Mon, 29 Mar 2004 17:53:53 -0500 "Michael McAlonie" wrote:

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From: Pat Connors [nymets11@pacbell.net]
Sent: Monday, March 29, 2004 10:38 PM
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Subject: [TIGS] Flanders Field

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From: Larry M [lbm1220@hotmail.com]
Sent: Tuesday, March 30, 2004 12:58 PM
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Subject: RE: [TIGS] Flanders Field

Pat
My father Edward J. Malone was with Company "C" of the 27th Division in 1918. Mostly Troy boys. His discharge shows the battle that Beattie was killed at as E. Poperinghe 7/9 to 8/20/18 and the battle that McGrath was killed at as Dichebush 8/23 to 8/31/18 Larry Malone

>From: Pat Connors <nymets11@pacbell.net>
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Sent: Tuesday, March 30, 2004 4:14 PM
To: NY-TROY-IRISH-GENSOC-L@rootsweb.com
Subject: Re: [TIGS] Prospect Park

Dear Richard and Mike,

Its such a shame that we have a wonderful communication device as the internet to share our stories of Troy and what it must have been like coming together and making what certainly was one of the most fantastic cities of its day. In retrospect this was the Silicon Valley of the late 1890's and you can still feel its energy vibrating today in its stones and its lost spirit. We discuss Irish Soda Bread yet we let our memories of this wonderful place just slip away. Those of you who grew up in Troy, or remember your ancestors from there could do the rest of us who know nothing about the place a great service of what it must have been like living there.

Well here's to wishing and hoping. jd

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To: NY-TROY-IRISH-GENSOC-L@rootsweb.com
Subject: [TIGS] TIGS March 18, 2004 meeting

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Subject: [TIGS] Prospect Park

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From: Michael McAlonie [MMCALONIE@msn.com]
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Subject: Re: [TIGS] Prospect Park

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Rick-

That's a fine bit of recollection right there. It's funny the little things that you remember. As a kid in Latham I remember wondering why my folks took me to shop/eat at these little shops in Troy (troy lighting co., Manorys, O'connor church goods. defazios) , Cohoes (Cramers armory), and in Watervliet (Spiaks) while every other suburban lemming was trucking over to the mall where everyone else was. Rodinos was where my mom took me to get my high school prom tux. And without thinking I went back there for my Siena college formal tux also. And there is a diner there where we ate after risking our ignorant lives jumping into the Wynantskill creek, just up from Rodinos- has that been there long? What is that Emerald club all about, I have always wondered going by, and how long has that been around? And what did the "Comfort Mart" building above the diner used to be? There is an Irish bar just above where rt2 and 66 split on rt2, and it used to be a god awful hole in t!

he wall where we would go at age 17, but I cant remember the name.

Mike

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Sent: Wednesday, March 31, 2004 6:46 AM
To: NY-TROY-IRISH-GENSOC-L@rootsweb.com
Subject: Troy area places (Re: [TIGS] Prospect Park)

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My ex-brother-in-law belonged to that club years ago in the 60's and it had been around for quite a while then, I believe. I think it was called the Emerald Athletic Club and in addition to sports interest, they raised money for community needs. It was EXCLUSIVELY men, and I mean a woman could not even set foot in the building or the bar. Unless that's just what my brother-in-law told my sister, LOL!!!

Donna

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Kristin

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