



## MEMBERS' INTERESTS – QUERIES

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**FORSYTHE, M<sup>o</sup>ELREA, LYNCH, BEATTIE** James Forsythe, born 1790? farmer, Lislap, Cappagh Parish, Co Tyrone. Known children: Sarah, Cathrine, Margaret, Samuel. Possible brother Cunningham Forsythe. Margaret married Robert M<sup>o</sup>Elrea. Cathrine married William Lyngh. Sarah married James Beattie. Looking for parents and wife of James and any other information about the Forsythes of this area. Member A1451

**BENNETT** Seeking any descendants of Alexander and Mary Bennett who lived in Castlecat, Bushmills in the early 20th century. Member A1610

**MURRAY, MORROW MURRAY, ABRAHAM, ADAMS** Murray or Morrow Murray, Alexander Alfred c. 1735 died Pennsylvania USA. Married 1. Margaret Abraham. Married 2. Margaret Adams. Father Robert Murray born 1707 Pennsylvania. Married Belfast Abt 1733. Member A3454

**IRWIN, BLACKBURNE, M<sup>o</sup>MURRAY** Sarah Irwin married George Blackburne, Dunbanagher Presbyterian Church Co Armagh 1872. Parents James Irwin, c. 1818 (steamer fireman and widower) and Hanna M<sup>o</sup>Murray c.1820. Married Warrenpoint parish church 1847. Grandparents Alex Irwin (farmer) and Robert M<sup>o</sup>Murray? (labourer) Member A3454

**BAXTER, WIER, FIELDS, M<sup>o</sup>ELWAIN** Birth place of Sarah Baxter b.1828. Father James, mother Jane Wier. Other children: Samuel, David, James Jr, John. Also date and place of marriage James and Jane. Possibly Antrim. Also family of John Fields b. 1800 spouse possibly Mary M<sup>o</sup>Elwain. All individuals in New York by 1850. Emigration info available? Member A3715

**BLAIR, MEAGHER, SWINDELL** Any information regarding Kennedy Blair, I would like to find out his siblings. Any information regarding Annie Gilmore Swindell and my Meagher families. Member A3731

**HANLON, KANE** Hanlon, James born about 1879. Birth year not certain. From obituary: born in Belfast to Martin and Mary (nee Kane) Hanlon. Arrived America 1891 or 1894. Seeking information on James and his parents as far back as we can go. Member A3745

**PATTERSON, WEIR** Looking for marriage record of Archibald Patterson to Anna Weir pre 1770 Coleraine St Patrick's Church of Ireland and any birth records for their children 1765-1773. Member A3751

**HARRISON, M<sup>o</sup>GIMPSEY** I would like to find the birth records for Joseph Harrison and Catherine M<sup>o</sup>Gimpsey and the record of marriage about 1810. Immigrated to Canada in 1821 and I have the information thereafter. Member A3761

**BECK, CAUGHEY, SLOAN** Looking for info on Adam Beck c. 1750 and his son Adam c.1778 from the Inishargy and Castlereagh areas. Wives of the above are Jane Caughey c.1750 and Isabella Sloan c.1780 respectively. Member A3797



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**BURNS** James and Mary Ann Burns left for England between 1874 and 1876. Children born in Millom, Cumberland: Daniel, Margaret, Francis, John, James, Robert. Thomas born in Ulveston, Lancashire. Member A3806

**GRAHAM, MONTGOMERY** Seeking forebears of Louisa Graham b.c.1843/44 Kinawley, Co Fermanagh and her sister Sarah b.c. 1846/47 and brother Francis b.c.1839 who migrated to Australia 1860-63. Their parents (in Kinawley?) were Francis (Frank) Graham, farmer, and Margaret Montgomery. Above information only from BMD certificates in Australia and shipping records. Member A3813

**CONEN, M<sup>c</sup>LOUGHLAN, ARMOND** Spelling uncertain? Joseph Edward Conen b.c. 1841 Co Tyrone, migrated to Australia c. 1861. His mother, Sarah Ann Conen, b.c.1819 Co Tyrone migrated to Australia c. 1874. Her husband was George, her parents George M<sup>c</sup>Loughlan/Sarah Armond. No Conen in Griffiths. Information from death certificates. Any suggestions re Irish origins? Member A3813

**ORR, BARNETT** James Orr father to Ann Orr who married my great grandfather Keith Barnett on 18 July 1848 at Mountjoy Presbyterian Church. Her residence Rosfad. His Gortnagarn. Keith was born in Perth, Scotland. They left to live in Burrelton near Perth. Witnesses John Orr and W Orr. Member A3826

**M<sup>c</sup>BRIDE, MAGUIRE** Australian travelling to NI April 2016 hoping for further information contact relatives of Patrick (c.1840-) and Elizabeth M<sup>c</sup>Bride (Maguire) of Drumbinnion Co Tyrone. Married 11 May 1871 in Monea, Co Fermanagh. Patrick was a RIC pensioner (census). Marriage certificate states Patrick's father is Terence of Crossan. Elizabeth's father is dead". Member A3840"

**M<sup>c</sup>WILLIAMS, KELLY** Seeking info on John M<sup>c</sup>Williams family from Corick, Londonderry homestead at approximately 59 Corrick Road. 4 Sons James, Michael, Bernard, John and daughter Margaret who married James Kelly about 1869. All sons emigrated mid 1800s. Member A3857

**M<sup>c</sup>GREECE, CASHON, JOHNSON** Seeking details of William M<sup>c</sup>Greece's and Jane Cashon's families in Ireland pre 1826 when married Portanoid, Drumkeeran, Fermanagh. William born c. 1805, Jane born c. 1803 where unknown. Jane's parents possibly David and Jane Johnson. William's mother possibly Sidney unknown born 1784 and buried Boa Island, Templecarn, Donegal 1859. Member A3864

**MONTGOMERY** Want information about W. John Montgomery 1760-15.2.1841 and his wife Mary who died Bangor 12.1.1859 aged 86. John may have farmed land in the Donaghadee area. Member B2008

**ADEMS, ADAMS, CALLAHAN, CALLAGHAN** Seeking family of brothers Robert and (Dr) William Adems born +/-1728 and 1730 in Coleraine. Also Robert's wife Susanna Callahan/Callaghan (b.1730?) who came from Antrim or Armagh. All moved to New York in about 1747 with Sir William Johnston of Meath. He met Robert who worked as Dublin clerk. Member B2425

**GORDON, FARLEY** In 1847 my ancestor Abraham Gordon and wife MaryAnn Farley traveled to Liverpool, England and took the ship Susquehanna to Philadelphia. Traveling with them were six children and other family members. I am interested in learning more about my Coleraine ancestors. Member B2432

**FORSYTHE** Looking for ancestors in 1700s. Oldest known Forsythe, Jane Forsythe 1799 died 29 May 1883 Aughadoey, spinster, sister of Jessey Forsythe 1800 died 15 February 1884. Have nearly complete Forsythe family tree Ireland and US from 1800 to present. Member B2433