

QUINN

Mrs. Bridget Foran Quinn, Widow of Thomas Quinn Emigrated from the town of Geashill, near Dublin, Queens County (Old Names) 1863. Her husband, said to have been a school teacher, was killed while working in a sand pit. She traveled in a sailing ship with my father, Thomas Foran Quinn and possibly some of her younger children. Some of her older children came to this country before her. She was six weeks on board the ship and apparently carried some of her provisions, and her meals for herself and children were prepared in a galley on the top deck.

There were the following children:

- MARY - Mrs. John D'Arcy
- JOHN - Married Mary M. Namata - No children
- ELIZA - Mrs. Mark O'Connell (O' later dropped)
- PATRICK - Thought to have been killed by horse thieves
- BARTHOLOMEW - Single
- THOMAS, 1846 - 1919. Married Alice Lappin Houston

The D'Arcys had several children. All descendants however are children of Mary Ann D'Arcy Rashford:

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MARIE RASHFORD SIMMONS
MARGARET RASHFORD MARTIN
LAWRENCE RASHFORD
JAMES RASHFORD
CATHERINE RASHFORD MENTOE

ELIZA QUINN O'CONNELL'S CHILDREN WERE:
MARY CONNELL MANLEY - NO CHILDREN
ELIZABETH CONNELL COTTER - CHILDREN
MARK - WILLIAM - ELIZABETH
ROSE CONNELL FARRELL - NO CHILDREN
MARGARET CONNELL MCGUIGAN - CHILDREN
STEWART - MARGARET - ELIZABETH - MARK
AND MARCELLA.

THOMAS FORAN QUINN AND ALICE HOUSTON
HAD THE FOLLOWING CHILDREN:

MARCELLA BRIDGET M. DANIEL H. ^{NEWBY} PRYOR CHILDREN
FRANK - HOUSTON - MARGARET - EVELYN - HARRY
BARTHOLOMEW M. MARY L. RANSCHER - NO CHILDREN
JOHN FRANCIS - M. ELIZABETH CUNNINGHAM - CHILDREN
LEO A - IRENE - JOHN E. - WILLIAM - MARTIN
JOSEPH

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Edward Michael M. ANNA CLARKIN; Adopted son;
ROBERT W.

MARY ALICE M. VINCENT STOKBRIDGE; Children:
ALICE, AGNES.

THOMAS - UNMARRIED

WILLIAM BERNARD - M. MARGARET STAUGHTNESSY; ONE SON
PAUL C.

JAMES PATRICK - UNMARRIED

PRIOR TO THE CHICAGO FIRE, 1872, FATHER AND MOTHER QUINN STOPPED IN CHICAGO TO VISIT EDWARD QUINN WHO WAS FATHER'S UNCLE. EDWARD WAS A JUDGE AND HAD FOUR DAUGHTERS. A SON WHO HAD BEEN A SOLDIER IN THE CIVIL WAR WAS KILLED IN AN ACCIDENT ON WAY HOME AFTER DISCHARGE. ONE DAUGHTER IS THOUGHT TO HAVE ELOPED WITH A MAN NAMED HARMON.

JOHN FOFAN QUINN USED TO TELL YAKNS OF HIS LIFE IN IRELAND. AT A WAKE HE ATTENDED, WHERE MUCH "POTEEEN" WAS IMBIBED THE "YATE LAMENTED" IN HIS COFFIN WAS STOOD UP IN A CORNER AND A "HODDOWN" TOOK PLACE.

AT ANOTHER, HE AND OTHERS TIED A ROPE AROUND THE FEET OF THE CORPSE, THE OTHER END BEING TIED TO A

DONKEY OUTSIDE THE WINDOW. STRAW WAS TIED TO THE DONKEYS TAIL ^{LIGHTS} AND THE DEVIL RAN AWAY WITH THE REMAINS.

NOTE: HAVING KNOWN MY UNCLE, I CAN BELIEVE THESE YARNS.

WHEN THOMAS FOFAN QUINN ARRIVED IN NEW YORK HE WORKED AS AN APPRENTICE TO HIS UNCLE MICHAEL FOFAN WHO HAD A STORE. MICHAEL FOFAN HAD A SON ALSO, NAME UNKNOWN. YEARS LATER JOHN F. QUINN WAS UNABLE TO OBTAIN ANY INFORMATION OTHER THAN THAT SOME PEOPLE IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD RECALLED THE FOFANS.

THERE WAS A MRS. JAMES CARROLL WHO LIVED IN FRANKLIN SPRINGS WHO THOMAS FOFAN QUINN CALLED "AUNT ROSE".

THERE WERE QUINNS AND O'HANLONS OR HANLONS IN UTICA WHOM BARTHOLOMEW CLAIMED WERE RELATIONS.