

First Generation

1. **'unknown' TREACY** was born (date unknown). The farthest back I have been able to trace my Treacy family is to Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary. However, it is possible they came originally from the Kilfeacle area, about 15km away. The reason I say this is because the family used the Kilfeacle cemetery for burials rather than the local Solohead churchyard. For example, John and Nicholas Treacy, grandsons of 'unknown' above, are buried in Kilfeacle.

The Treacy surname is common throughout the country, especially the south east. It is derived from 'O Treasaigh', meaning 'warlike'. 'Unknown' TREACY and 'UNKNOWN' were married.

'UNKNOWN' was born (date unknown).

'unknown' TREACY and 'UNKNOWN' had the following children:

- +2 i **'unknown' TREACY (male)**, born ABOUT 1760S; died probably Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary.
- +3 ii **'unknown' TREACY (male) (caution: relationship to siblings not verified)**, born ABOUT 1760S; married 'UNKNOWN'.
- +4 iii **Mary Margaret TREACY (caution: relationship to siblings not verified)**, born abt 1770; married Thomas REAL.

Second Generation

2. **'unknown' TREACY (male)** ('unknown'-1) was born in ABOUT 1760S. He died in probably Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary. 'Unknown' above lived in the parish of Soloheadbeg (also spelled Solloghobeg) in Co. Tipperary. It is a possibility that 'unknown' was named Thomas because it appears that his two sons, John and (probably) Nicholas, named their first-born sons Thomas, probably following the tradition at the time of naming the eldest son after the paternal grandfather.

There is an entry in the Tithe Applotment Books of 1824 for a Thomas Treacy of the townland of Glebe in the parish of Solloghobeg. Could this Thomas be 'unknown' above? 'Unknown' TREACY (male) was married.

'unknown' TREACY had the following children:

- +5 i **John TREACY**, born abt 1787, Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary; married Mary LOOBY, 2 Feb 1818, Solohead, Co. Tipperary; died 21 Feb 1848, Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary.
- +6 ii **Nicholas TREACY**, born abt 1805, Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary; married Margaret DARMODY, 26 Feb 1838; died 25 Mar 1848.
- +7 iii **Thomas TREACY (caution: not verified)**, died bef 5 Feb 1872.

3. **'unknown' TREACY (male) (caution: relationship to siblings not verified)** ('unknown'-1) was born in ABOUT 1760S. 'Unknown' TREACY (male) (caution: relationship to siblings not verified) and 'UNKNOWN' were married.

'UNKNOWN' was born (date unknown).

'unknown' TREACY and 'UNKNOWN' had the following child:

- +8 i **John TREACY**, born abt 1800; married Hanora HANLEY; died probably Nicker, Pallasgreen, Co. Tipperary.

4. **Mary Margaret TREACY (caution: relationship to siblings not verified)** ('unknown'-1) was born about 1770. I know of Margaret's existence from an Ancestry public family tree, discovered because I was found to be DNA-matched by Ancestry with a descendant of Margaret's. As I have Treacy ancestors who lived in Soloheadbeg, close to Oola, Co. Limerick where Margaret and her family lived, the connection appears to be through the Treacy family. The type of DNA match suggests that Margaret was a close relative of her (possible) siblings, and her approximate year of birth ties in with those of her (possible) siblings, so I have placed her as a sister of theirs. However, she may have been a first cousin or theirs rather than a sibling, or another type of relative, or she may not be connected to them at all. I have therefore added a caution beside her name. Mary Margaret TREACY (caution: relationship to siblings not verified) and Thomas REAL were married.

Thomas REAL was born about 1770 in Co. Limerick.

Thomas REAL and Mary Margaret TREACY had the following children:

- 9 i **James REAL** was born about 1795 in Oola, Co. Limerick.
- +10 ii **Julia REAL**, born abt 1798, Oola, Co. Limerick; married William FITZGERALD, 13 Nov

- 1817, Solohead, Co. Tipperary; died 10 Oct 1876, China Township, Michigan.
- +11 iii **Mary REAL**, born abt 1800, Oola, Co. Limerick; married Edmund MURPHY; died abt 1842, Oola, Co. Limerick.
 - +12 iv **Ellen REAL**, born abt 1803, Oola, Co. Limerick; married Morgan O'BRIEN; died Rodus, Emly, Co. Tipperary.
 - +13 v **Thomas Sarsfield REAL**, born abt 1806, Oola, Co. Limerick; married Winifred MCGRATH, 1826; died 1880, Putnam, Illinois.
 - 14 vi **Philip REAL** was born about 1812 in Oola, Co. Limerick.
 - +15 vii **Patrick REAL**, born abt 1814, Oola, Co. Limerick; married Mary Ann BRITT; died abt 1865, Reeltown, Alabama.

Third Generation

5. **John TREACY** ('unknown'-2, 'unknown'-1) was born about 1787 in Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary. He died on 21 Feb 1848 at the age of 61 in Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary. He was buried in Kilfeacle Cemetery, Co. Tipperary. There is a Tithe Applotment (1826) record for a John 'Tracy' who leased eight acres in Soloheadbeg. This is possibly our John above. The only other Treacy listed for Soloheadbeg is Thomas Treacy. Could Thomas have been the father or a brother of our John?

John and several other members of our Treacy family are buried in Kilfeacle, approximately 12km from Soloheadbeg, rather than in the local Solohead cemetery (there is no church or cemetery in Soloheadbeg itself). There are no Treacy headstones to be found in Solohead, but of course this is no proof there are no Treacys buried there as many families in those days would not have been able to afford to erect a headstone. I think it likely that my Treacy family settled in Soloheadbeg from the Kilfeacle area.

The (only) witness at the marriage of John Treacy and Mary Looby was Thomas Treacy, indicating he may have been the father or a brother of John; and among the sponsors at the baptisms of the children of John Treacy and Mary Looby were Michael, Catherine, Ellen and Margaret Treacy, indicating they may have been siblings of John (baptismal records have been located for Catherine and Ellen, sisters of John) . John TREACY and Mary LOOBY were married on 2 Feb 1818 in Solohead, Co. Tipperary.

Mary LOOBY was born about 1795 in probably Soloheadbeg area, Co. Tipperary. She died on 5 Feb 1865 at the age of 70 in probably Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary. She was buried in probably Kilfeacle Cemetery, Co. Tipperary. Given that rural people in 19th century Ireland tended to marry locals, it is likely that Mary Looby came from the parish of Soloheadbeg, and it is a possibility that she was from the townland of Newtown because the only Loobys listed in Griffith's Valuation (1850s) for the parish of Soloheadbeg occupied land in Newtown.

Among the sponsors at the baptisms of the children of John Treacy and Mary Looby were Eliza Looby and John Looby (siblings of Mary?).

In the space of five weeks in 1848 Mary lost her husband, John (21 February), her 20-year-old son John (21 March) and her brother-in-law Nicholas Treacy (25 March).

Not long before her death in February 1865, Mary made a will which was to lead to a lengthy and very bitter legal dispute between her sons Thomas and Denis. See notes below for Denis for details of the case.

Looby (also spelled Luby) is a common surname in the Tipperary/Waterford/Limerick area. It is derived from the Irish name Ó Lúbaigh which comes from the word 'lúbach' meaning 'cunning'.

John TREACY and Mary LOOBY had the following children:

- +16 i **Catherine TREACY**, born abt 18 Nov 1818, Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary; married Cornelius (Con) RYAN, 2 May 1850.
- +17 ii **Thomas TREACY**, born abt 8 Nov 1821, Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary; married Mary CAREY, 25 Feb 1873, Solohead, Co. Tipperary; died 24 Dec 1895, Murgasty, Co. Tipperary.
- 18 iii **Ellen TREACY** was born about 22 Sep 1824 in Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary. She was christened on 22 Sep 1824 in Solohead, Co. Tipperary. Sponsors at Ellen's baptism were Michael Treacy and Catherine Treacy. It is likely Ellen died as a child.
- 19 iv **John TREACY** was born about 31 Mar 1827 in Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary. He was

- christened on 31 Mar 1827 in Solohead, Co. Tipperary. He died on 21 Mar 1848 at the age of 20. John was buried in Kilfeacle Cemetery, Co. Tipperary. Sponsors at John's baptism were John Looby and Ellen Treacy. John died when he was only 20 years of age (cause of death unknown).
- 20 v **Mary TREACY** was born about 1831 in Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary. She died on 31 Jul 1844 at the age of 13. She was buried in Kilfeacle Cemetery, Co. Tipperary. Mary died at the age of 13 (cause of death unknown).
- +21 vi **Denis TREACY**, born abt 1831, probably Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary; married Bridget ALLIS, 5 Feb 1894, Anacarty, Cappagh, Co. Tipperary; died 19 Mar 1899, Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary.
- +22 vii **Johanna TREACY**, born abt 1834, probably Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary; married Michael HAYES, 4 Mar 1862, Solohead, Co. Tipperary; died 16 Jul 1874, Milltown, Soloheadmore, Co. Tipperary.
- 23 viii **Bridget TREACY** was born about 16 Jan 1838 in probably Newtown, Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary. She was christened on 16 Jan 1838 in Solohead, Co. Tipperary. The only sponsor listed on Bridget's baptismal certificate is Margaret Treacy. The certificate also shows the family's address to have been Newtown (presumably the townland of Newtown in the parish of Soloheadbeg).

6. **Nicholas TREACY** ('unknown'-2, 'unknown'-1) was born about 1805 in Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary. He died on 25 Mar 1848 at the age of 43. He was buried in Kilfeacle Cemetery, Co. Tipperary. Nicholas lived in Soloheadbeg. There is only one Nicholas Treacy listed in Griffith's Valuation (1851) for Soloheadbeg, this presumably being our Nicholas. Nicholas TREACY and Margaret DARMODY were married on 26 Feb 1838.

Margaret DARMODY, daughter of Patrick DARMODY and Mary CHAMBERLIN, was born on 14 Jul 1820 in Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary. She died on 1 Dec 1905 at the age of 85 in Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary. She was buried in probably Kilfeacle Cemetery, Co. Tipperary. Witnesses to the marriage of Nicholas and Margaret were John Ryan and Patrick Darmody.

Nicholas TREACY and Margaret DARMODY had the following children:

- 24 i **Catherine TREACY** was born about 11 Jul 1840 in Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary. She was christened on 11 Jul 1840 in Solohead, Co. Tipperary. Sponsors at Catherine's christening were Michael Treacy and Margaret Darmody.
- +25 ii **Thomas TREACY**, born abt 6 Mar 1842, Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary; married Mary MCGRATH, 4 Feb 1872, Tipperary; died 16 Feb 1914, probably Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary.
- +26 iii **Mary (May) TREACY**, born abt 12 Jul 1844, Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary; married Nicholas DELANEY, 6 Nov 1871, Solohead Chapel, Co. Tipperary.
- 27 iv **Johanna TREACY** was born about 1848 in Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary. She died on 7 Sep 1934 at the age of 86 in Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary. She was buried in Kilfeacle, Co. Tipperary. Johanna never married. It is probable that she lived with her brother, Thomas, and his family in Soloheadbeg because she is listed (as single) in both the 1901 and 1911 census returns for his household. In the 1901 return, her age is given as 50 (born c.1850), but in 1911, her age is given as 65 (born c. 1845). There is further confusion regarding Johanna's age because the Johanna Treacy buried in the Treacy family plot in Kilfeacle, which is likely to be our Johanna above, died in 1934 aged 73 (born c. 1861). Therefore, because Johann'a father died in March 1848, we will assume that she was actually born about 1848. Unfortunately no

baptismal record has been located for her.

7. **Thomas TREACY (caution: not verified)** ('unknown'-2, 'unknown'-1) died before 5 Feb 1872. We know of Thomas's existence from his daughter Bridget's marriage record, which tells us that Thomas had died by the time of the marriage (5 February 1872).

Thomas TREACY had the following child:

+28 i **Bridget TREACY**, born abt 1845, Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary; married James COFFEY, 5 Feb 1872, Solohead Chapel, Co. Tipperary.

8. **John TREACY** ('unknown'-2, 'unknown'-1) was born about 1800. He died in probably Nicker, Pallasgreen, Co. Tipperary. It appears that either John or his wife, Hanora (Hanley), is a DNA match to me. However I have been unable to determine the exact connection. All I know is that a great-great-great-grandchild of theirs is a 4th-6th cousin of mine. John TREACY and Hanora HANLEY were married.

Hanora HANLEY was born about 1800. She died in probably Nicker, Pallasgreen, Co. Tipperary.

John TREACY and Hanora HANLEY had the following child:

+29 i **John TREACY**, born abt 1831, Nicker, Pallasgreen, Co. Limerick; married Catherine (Kate) HOURIGAN, 13 Nov 1861, Nicker, Pallasgreen, Co. Limerick; died probably Argentina.

10. **Julia REAL** (Mary Margaret Treacy-2, 'unknown'-1) was born about 1798 in Oola, Co. Limerick. She died on 10 Oct 1876 at the age of 78 in China Township, Michigan. Julia REAL and William FITZGERALD were married on 13 Nov 1817 in Solohead, Co. Tipperary.

William FITZGERALD was born about 1794 in Oola, Co. Limerick. He died on 8 Aug 1857 at the age of 63 in Port Huron, Michigan.

11. **Mary REAL** (Mary Margaret Treacy-2, 'unknown'-1) was born about 1800 in Oola, Co. Limerick. She died about 1842 at the age of 42 in Oola, Co. Limerick. Mary REAL and Edmund MURPHY were married.

Edmund MURPHY was born (date unknown).

12. **Ellen REAL** (Mary Margaret Treacy-2, 'unknown'-1) was born about 1803 in Oola, Co. Limerick. She died in Rodus, Emly, Co. Tipperary. Ellen REAL and Morgan O'BRIEN were married.

Morgan O'BRIEN was born about 1800. He died about 1873 at the age of 73 in Rodus, Emly, Co. Tipperary.

Morgan O'BRIEN and Ellen REAL had the following children:

- Morgan O'BRIEN** was born about 1823.
- +31 ii **James O'BRIEN**, born abt 1825, Emly, Co. Tipperary; married Mary QUINN.
 - 32 iii **Mary O'BRIEN** was born about 1828. She died before about 1839 at the age of 11.
 - 33 iv **Thomas O'BRIEN** was born about 1829.
 - 34 v **Daniel O'BRIEN** was born about 1832.
 - 35 vi **Hanora O'BRIEN** was born about 1834.
 - 36 vii **Michael O'BRIEN** was born about 1837.
 - +37 viii **Mary O'BRIEN**, born abt 1839, Rodus, Emly, Co. Tipperary; married William RYAN; died 1906, New Zealand.

13. **Thomas Sarsfield REAL** (Mary Margaret Treacy-2, 'unknown'-1) was born about 1806 in Oola, Co. Limerick. He died in 1880 at the age of 74 in Putnam, Illinois. Thomas, Winifred and their family emigrated to the United States in 1851. Thomas Sarsfield REAL and Winifred MCGRATH were married in 1826.

Winifred MCGRATH was born about 1805 in Pallasgreen, Co. Limerick. She died in 1881 at the age of 76 in Putnam, Illinois.

15. **Patrick REAL** (Mary Margaret Treacy-2, 'unknown'-1) was born about 1814 in Oola, Co. Limerick. He died about 1865 at the age of 51 in Reeltown, Alabama. James died in Reeltown, Alabama so presumably he was resident there. The Wikipedia entry for Reeltown tells us that "the 'Reel' in Reeltown is a misspelling of 'Real' from the last name of settlers James Patrick and Phillip O'Real. The town was called Thaddeus from 1880 to 1902 in honor of postmaster Thaddeus P. Webster. The name changed back to Reeltown in 1902". Was Reeltown named after Patrick above and his brother James, or relatives of theirs? Patrick REAL and Mary Ann BRITT were married.

Mary Ann BRITT was born about 1830 in Georgia. She died in 1900 at the age of 70 in Elmore, Alabama.

Fourth Generation

16. **Catherine TREACY** (John-3, 'unknown'-2, 'unknown'-1) was born about 18 Nov 1818 in Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary. She was christened on 18 Nov 1818 in Solohead, Co. Tipperary. Sponsors at Catherine's baptism were Timothy Keogh and Eliza Looby.

Catherine and her husband, Con, had no children. Catherine TREACY and Cornelius (Con) RYAN were married on 2 May 1850.

Cornelius (Con) RYAN died in Mar 1876. Con had two farms, one in the townland of Raheen Lower, Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary and the other elsewhere in Soloheadbeg (townland unknown). He and his wife, Catherine, lived in Raheen.

In 1865 Con signed a deed which handed control of his land to his brother-in-law Tom Treacy (Catherine's brother). In 1874, however, he signed the land over to a Ryan nephew. This resulted in a court case in 1877, a year after Con's death, involving Catherine and Tom on one side and the aforementioned nephew of Con's on the other. The judgement went in favour of the nephew. In an account of the case in 'The Treacys of Soloheadbeg', a piece by Denis G. Marnane in the 2010 Tipperary Historical Journal, it appears Con had been bullied by both sides into signing over the farms.

17. **Thomas TREACY** (John-3, 'unknown'-2, 'unknown'-1) was born about 8 Nov 1821 in Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary. He was christened on 8 Nov 1821 in Solohead, Co. Tipperary. He died on 24 Dec 1895 at the age of 74 in Murgasty, Co. Tipperary. Thomas's baptismal sponsors were John Hanley and Winifred Connors.

Interestingly, among all the sponsors at the baptisms of the children of Thomas and his wife, Mary, there is not a single Treacy; the sponsors are mostly Carews. The reason for this is probably the dispute that had arisen between Thomas and his only surviving brother, Denis, over their mother's will. See the notes below for Denis for further details of the case which culminated in Denis's inheritance of the farm and Thomas's eviction. Thomas and his family ended up moving to Tipperary town, (probably in 1875) where Thomas found work as a labourer initially. By the time of the birth of his son Edmund in 1875 he was a shopkeeper, and at the time of the birth of his son Thomas in 1881 he was the superintendant of a coal yard. At the time of his death aged 74 in 1895 he was a labourer. Thomas died of "Cystitis (3-4 months)" and "Asthenia". Thomas TREACY and Mary CAREY were married on 25 Feb 1873 in Solohead, Co. Tipperary. Witnesses to the marriage of Thomas and Mary were Edmond Hanley and Catherine Carew.

Mary CAREY, daughter of Edmond (Ned) CAREW and Mary HANLEY, was born about 29 Apr 1851 in possibly Newtown, Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary. She was christened on 29 Apr 1851 in Solohead, Co. Tipperary. She died on 30 Sep 1929 at the age of 78 in County Hospital, Fermoy, Co. Cork. Sponsors at Mary's baptism were Michael Carey and Margaret Hanley. Mary's surname appears as "Keary" in the baptismal register.

Mary was about 30 years younger than her husband, Thomas. Thomas and his brother Denis were involved in a lengthy and bitter dispute in the late 1860s and early 1870s over their mother's will. The battle for the family farm led to violence, including an attack on Mary by Denis in October 1873 while she was pregnant. He received a prison sentence for the crime.

At the time of the 1911 census, Mary, by then widowed, was living with her son Martin in Carrick-on-Suir, Co. Tipperary where Martin was working as manager of the gasworks. When he was appointed manager of the

gasworks in Wicklow town and later Fermoy, Co. Cork Mary seems to have gone with him as an extract from the 1851 census dated 31 March 1920 (the census was probably checked to verify Mary's pension eligibility) gives her address in 1920 as "c/o M. J. Treacy, Gasworks, Fermoy".

Thomas TREACY and Mary CAREY had the following children:

- 38 i **John TREACY** was born on 4 Dec 1873 in Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary. He was christened on 5 Dec 1873 in Solohead, Co. Tipperary. He died between Mar 1874 and 1 Nov 1874 at the age of 0 in Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary. Sponsors at John's baptism were Michael Looby and Catherine Carey. While John's mother was pregnant with him, she received a savage kicking from her brother-in-law Denis Treacy who was engaged in a bitter legal dispute with John's father. However there is no evidence to suggest a link between the attack and John's early death.
- 39 ii **John TREACY** was born about 30 Oct 1874 in Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary. He was christened on 30 Oct 1874 in Solohead, Co. Tipperary. Sponsors at John's baptism were Michael Looby and Catherine Carey. According to an article on the Treacys of Soloheadbeg by Denis G. Marnane in the Tipperary Historical Journal of 2010, John above died in infancy.
- 40 iii **Edmund TREACY** was born on 6 Nov 1875 in Meeting St., Tipperary, Co. Tipperary. He was christened on 8 Nov 1875 in Tipperary, Co. Tipperary. He died probably Apr 1906 at the age of 30 in probably San Francisco. Sponsors at Edmund's baptism were Edmund Carey and Margaret O'Dwyer.

Edmund emigrated to the United States as a young man. Ellis Island records were checked but nothing that definitely related to this Edmund was found.

I am told that Edmund probably died in the San Francisco earthquake of 1906 as he was living there at the time and nothing more was heard from him after the event. However, we have no documented evidence to prove this. Note that the Edmund Treacy who died in California on 7 October 1911, and who had brothers named John and Timothy, and who is buried in Holy Cross Cemetery in San Mateo, California, is NOT our Edmund. Treacy researchers may be interested to know that John, Timothy and Edmund were born in Co. Limerick in the 1850s/1860s and Timothy became a State Senator.

- 41 iv **Timothy (Timmy) Joseph TREACY** was born about 16 Jul 1878 in Church St., Tipperary. He was christened on 16 Jul 1878 in Tipperary. He died on 28 Nov 1930 at the age of 52 in Lisnabrinna, Mountnugent, Co. Cavan. Timothy was buried on 30 Nov 1930 in Ballinacree Cemetery, Mountnugent, Co. Cavan. Sponsors at Timmy's baptism were were John Casey and Johanna Casey (should "Casey" read "Carey"?).

It appears Timmy became a Christian Brother as there is a 22-year-old Co. Tipperary-born brother named Timothy Treacy listed in the 1901 census with three other brothers at Railway Road, Bagenalstown, Co. Carlow. All four are teachers. It seems Timmy had moved to London by 1911. No record could be located for him in the Irish census of that year but in the 1911 UK census there is a 31-year-old Tipperary-born school teacher named Timothy Joseph Treacy (although our Timmy would have been 32 years of age at the time) listed as a boarder in the household of a Mr. John McGuinness and his Tipperary-born wife, Bridget, of 9 St. Kilda Road in West Ealing.

Timmy did not remain a Christian Brother for very long as he appears to have been living in Co. Wicklow in 1918 as a layman. Notes from The Anglo-Celt newspaper mention that "Mr.

T.J. Treacy", who had been giving woodworking courses in Co. Cavan, had sent a letter to the Cavan Technical Committee, "dated from Wicklow, where Mr. Treacy lived", stating that he was unable to attend a committee meeting on 13 July 1918 owing to a bout of influenza. Timmy's brother Martin was working in Wicklow at this time and it is possible that Timmy was living with Martin. Martin moved to Fermoy. Co. Cork in 1919 but we do not know if Timmy remained in Wicklow after that or moved permanently to Co. Cavan.

Later editions of *The Anglo Celt* tell us that Timmy continued giving woodworking courses in Co. Cavan until 1929, with classes in Belturbet in 1918 and 1919, Shercock in 1920, Cootehill in 1921, Ballinagh and Bunnoe in 1926 and Maghera in 1929. However, on 6 November 1929, he left a course he was teaching in Mounthugent and was put on sick leave. Timmy was suffering from depression and had been expected to return to work a year later when, sadly, on 28 November 1930, he took his own life. He had used a gun belonging to the owner of the Lisnabrinna lodging house where he had been living for about a year and where the incident took place. According to the inquest report, Timmy had not been in good health for many months and had been spending a lot of time in bed. A Dr. Cassidy told the inquest "I have been attending deceased for the past twelve months. On my first visit I found he was suffering from influenza and subsequent to this he developed neurasthenia¹; I strongly advised him to go into a nursing home, but he refused". Later in his deposition Dr. Cassidy said "The reason why I urged deceased to go to a nursing home was that I dreaded he might do himself an injury".

Full details of the inquest (which incorrectly states that Timmy was a native of Wicklow) can be found on pages 1 and 3 of *The Anglo-Celt* of 6 December 1930.

1. A term, no longer used, describing 'nervous exhaustion' with sufferers displaying both psychological and physical symptoms such as fatigue, neuralgia, anxiety, dizziness and depression. 'Bed rest cure' in a hospital was usually prescribed.

+42 v **Thomas Joseph TREACY**, born 13 Apr 1881, Murgasty, Co. Tipperary; married Ellen O'SULLIVAN, 12 Jan 1915, Church of S.S. Peter And Paul, Cork; died 13 Apr 1969, Carrick-on-Suir, Co. Tipperary.

+43 vi **Martin Joseph TREACY**, born 16 Nov 1883, Murgasty Cottages, Murgasty, Co. Tipperary; married Catherine FOGARTY, 17 Jun 1919, Carrick-on-Suir, Co. Tipperary; died 19 Jan 1977, Fermoy, Co. Cork.

21. **Denis TREACY** (John-3, 'unknown'-2, 'unknown'-1) was born about 1831 in probably Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary. He died broncho-pneumonia on 19 Mar 1899 at the age of 68 in Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary. He was buried in Kilfeacle Cemetery, Co. Tipperary. Denis and his brother, Tom, were engaged in a bitter legal dispute in the late 1860s and early 1870s over their mother's will. According to an account of the case in *The Nenagh Guardian* of 14 June 1873, the will had stipulated that their mother's 14-acre farm [I have come across another report that says it was 24 acres] was to go to her elder son, Thomas, who was then to pay Denis £300 within two years. If Thomas did not pay the £300 within that time period then Denis was to get the farm and pay Thomas £300. The will, which was described by the judge in the 1873 case as having been "drawn up by an ignorant attorney's clerk", could not be proved, resulting in a dispute between the brothers that lasted until 1872, nearly eight years later. The *Nenagh Guardian* account does not give details as to the exact origins of this first dispute but it does tell us that throughout the lengthy litigation period Thomas and Denis lived together on the farm and managed it jointly. The will was finally proved in November 1872; according to *The Irish Calendar of Wills and Administrations*, probate was granted on 28 November 1872 to Denis "under decree 15 November 1872 Treacy v

Treacy". At this point it appears Tom offered the £300 to Denis who refused it on the grounds that Tom had forfeited the farm by not paying him the £300 within two years of their mother's death, despite the fact that the will had not been validated. Denis ended up losing the second case, the Nenagh Guardian telling us the judge ruled that Denis "was not entitled to rely on the alleged forfeiture and therefore he continued the injunction to restrain the defendant [Denis] from proceedings to obtain possession of the farm as against the plaintiff [Tom]. The plaintiff should lodge in court £300 within a month... the brothers in the meantime remaining conjointly in possession of the farm". The legal battle continued and, for reasons I have been unable to discover, the Court of Chancery eventually decreed that Denis should have the farm, from which Tom was subsequently evicted, necessitating a move for him and his family to nearby Tipperary town where he found work as a labourer. It is not known when exactly Denis was awarded the farm but it was probably around 1875, 10 years after his mother's death, as it appears Tom moved to Tipperary in 1875.

The dispute had been vicious, with accusations and violence on both sides. For instance, three court cases were brought relating to incidents that allegedly took place on 16 June 1873: Edmond (Ned) Carey of Soloheadbeg, father of Tom's wife, Mary, claimed that Denis had assaulted him and had struck him with a stone; Denis claimed that Ned had "threatened to take away his life" and that his (i.e. Ned's) wife, Mary, had "threatened to take away his life". All three cases were dismissed. The situation became even more serious when, on 3 August 1873, Denis fired a shot through a window at Ned's wife, Mary, who escaped injury. Denis's defence was that he was aiming at a dog. Then, on 11 October 1873, Denis savagely kicked Tom's wife, Mary, who was pregnant with her first child (John, who died a few months after birth, although there is no evidence his early death was linked to the attack). Denis was sentenced to two years in prison for the assault. While he was in prison, Denis's sister Johanna Hayes, who had taken his side in the dispute and whose husband, Michael, was running the Treacy farm in Denis's absence, was shot dead (this was on 16 July 1874). Tom, the aforementioned Ned Carey and Ned's son, Edmond, were taken into custody but later released. The identity of Johanna's killer was never discovered.

Denis died of pneumonia aged 67. Denis TREACY and Bridget ALLIS were married on 5 Feb 1894 in Anacarty, Cappagh, Co. Tipperary. Witnesses to the marriage were, according to the civil record, Denis Ryan of Soloheadbeg and Mary Josephine Ryan of Hollyford. However, the church record tells us the witnesses were Timothy [what looks like] Hannairsby and Mary Ryan.

Bridget ALLIS, daughter of James ALLIS and Catherine STAPLETON, was born about 1863 in probably Hollyford, Co. Tipperary. She died on 14 Jun 1941 at the age of 78 in Lackenacreena House, Hollyford, Co. Tipperary. She was buried in Kilfeacle Cemetery, Co. Tipperary. Bridget was from Hollyford, Co. Tipperary. She was widowed young, only about five years into her marriage to Denis. She died at the home of her brother James, having outlived Denis by about 40 years and her only child, Sean, by about 20.

Denis TREACY and Bridget ALLIS had the following child:

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John (Seán) J. TREACY was born on 14 Feb 1895 in Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary. He was christened on 16 Feb 1895 in Solohead, Co. Tipperary. He died on 14 Oct 1920 at the age of 25 in Talbot St., Dublin. John was buried on 18 Oct 1920 in Kilfeacle, Co. Tipperary. Sponsors at Seán's baptism were Michael Allis and Kate Allis. He was an only child. After his father died when he was only four, he and his mother moved from Soloheadbeg to Hollyford where his mother had grown up. They returned to Soloheadbeg when Seán was about 11. From an early age, Seán had nationalist leanings, and in his teens he joined the Irish Republican Brotherhood which later evolved into the Irish Republican Army (IRA).

From 'My Fight for Irish Freedom', the memoir of Dan Breen, an IRA comrade of Seán's and later a politician, we have the following description of Seán's physical appearance: "He had been delicate during his boyhood because of his fast rate of growth. He was almost a six-footer, slightly stooped in carriage. He weighed about twelve stone, and in an emergency manifested the strength of a lion; this was chiefly due to his amazing will-power. His movements were brisk, as if he were in a constant hurry. His hair was of very fine texture like spun-silk, almost mouse-coloured. He was short-sighted and wore glasses". And in an account of Seán's life that he provided to the Bureau of Military History in 1958, Dan writes at length about Seán's intellect, saying he "had never met anyone whose thinking powers were greater than Treacy's"; he describes Seán as "an inquisitive man" and as someone with "vision [to whom] nothing was impossible".

In August 1917, Seán was arrested and spent two months in jail. The following year he was rearrested and spent four months in jail. Then on 21 January 1919, along with other members of the IRA's Third Tipperary Brigade, including Dan Breen, Seán took part in the Soloheadbeg ambush in which three members of the Royal Irish Constabulary, who were escorting a transportation of explosives, were waylaid and shot dead. This was the first military incident of the War of Independence.

Seán and the others who took part in the ambush now had a price on their heads, and Seán Hogan, one of those involved, was captured shortly afterwards. In May 1919 at Knocklong railway station in Co. Limerick, in a successful attempt by Seán Treacy and others to free Seán Hogan as he was being transferred to jail, Seán Treacy was shot in the neck and seriously wounded. He recovered, and throughout the latter half of 1919 and most of 1920 he led attacks against the British in Dublin and Co. Tipperary. But on 14 October 1920 in Dublin, following a raid by British forces on the Republican Outfitters shop at 94 Talbot St., where Seán was meeting with IRA comrades, he was shot and killed on the street as he fled the shop. He was 25 years of age. A small plaque above the door of the shop marks the location of the Republican Outfitters. Seán is remembered each year on the anniversary of his death at a commemoration ceremony in Kilfeacle where he is buried.

I have read that at the time of his death Sean was engaged to a May Quigley, but I have no further information on May.

22. **Johanna TREACY** (John-3, 'unknown'-2, 'unknown'-1) was born about 1834 in probably Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary. We have calculated Johanna's approximate year of birth from a newspaper report on her death (The

Freemans Journal of 18 July 1874) which gives her age as "about forty years of age".

She died on 16 Jul 1874 at the age of 40 in Milltown, Soloheadmore, Co. Tipperary. She was buried in Kilfeacle Cemetery, Co. Tipperary. Johanna, who may also have been known as Julia, was shot dead in the bedroom of her home in Milltown, the murderer having fired through the window. The killing took place in the middle of the night with her husband, Michael, and an eight-year-old daughter (identity unknown) present. It was thought the target had been Michael but, due to an unusual change in the family's sleeping arrangements that night, Johanna was shot instead.

Johanna's brother Thomas, his father-in-law, Ned Carey, and a brother-in-law, Edmond Carey, were taken into custody but were later released. They had come under suspicion because of a long-running legal dispute between Thomas and his brother Denis over their mother's will, which Denis eventually won. A year before the murder, Denis had fired a gun at Thomas's mother-in-law, Mary Carey (Ned's wife) and was later imprisoned for a violent assault on Thomas's wife, Mary (Ned's daughter). Johanna and her husband, Michael, had taken Denis's side in the case and Michael was running Denis's farm (the subject of the dispute) while Denis was in prison. Johanna's murder was never solved.

Johanna TREACY and Michael HAYES were married on 4 Mar 1862 in Solohead, Co. Tipperary. Witnesses were Jeremiah Hayes and Johanna Treacy. Presumably this other Johanna Treacy was a cousin of the bride's.

Michael HAYES, son of Jeremiah HAYES, was born about 1820. He died on 4 Feb 1878 at the age of 58 in Milltown, Soloheadmore, Co. Tipperary. In March 1875, about eight months after the murder of his wife, Johanna, a grand jury awarded Michael £500 in compensation for his loss. Michael remarried later that year (to Mary McGrath) and died of pneumonia about two years later.

Michael HAYES and Johanna TREACY had the following children:

- 45 i **Ellena (Ellen) HAYES** was born about 16 Aug 1863 in Milltown, Soloheadmore, Co. Tipperary. She was christened on 16 Aug 1863 in Solohead, Co. Tipperary. Sponsors were Thomas Treacy (possibly Johanna's brother) and Ann Hayes.
- 46 ii **Mary HAYES** was born on 3 Oct 1864 in Milltown, Soloheadmore, Co. Tipperary. She was christened on 4 Oct 1864 in Solohead, Co. Tipperary. Sponsors were [what looks like] Richard Cross (the baptismal record is difficult to decipher) and Catherine Treacy (probably Johanna's sister). It appears Mary died before the age of 12 as her father, Michael, and his second wife, Mary (née McGrath), had a daughter in September 1875 whom they named Mary.
- 47 iii **Jeremiah HAYES** was born about 31 Oct 1865 in Kyle, Soloheadmore, Co. Tipperary. The civil record of Jeremiah's birth tells us he was born on 1 November 1865. According to his baptismal record, however, he was baptised on 31 October 1865. As baptismal records are usually more reliable than civil records, I am inclined to think he was born between 29 and 31 October 1865. His baptismal sponsors were Edmund McGrath and Bridget Treacy (probably Johanna's sister). The family's address of Kyle (shown on the baptismal record) appears to be a townland in Soloheadmore. I am assuming it either lies within the family's usual address of Milltown townland or is another name for Milltown.

25. **Thomas TREACY** (Nicholas-3, 'unknown'-2, 'unknown'-1) was born about 6 Mar 1842 in Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary. He was christened on 6 Mar 1842 in Solohead, Co. Tipperary. He died on 16 Feb 1914 at the age of 71 in probably Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary. Thomas was buried in Kilfeacle, Co. Tipperary. Sponsors at Thomas's

christening were Thomas Keogh and Catherine Phelan.

Among the sponsors at the baptisms of the children of Thomas Treacy and Mary McGrath were Johanna, Patrick and Denis Treacy, indicating they may have been siblings or cousins of Thomas. Thomas TREACY and Mary MCGRATH were married on 4 Feb 1872 in Tipperary. The marriage of Thomas and Mary was witnessed by Bridget Butler.

Mary MCGRATH was born about 1844 in Co. Tipperary. She died on 3 Feb 1938 at the age of 94 in Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary. According to the 1911 census, Thomas and Mary had 14 children, only four of whom were alive in 1911. The four would have been Nicholas, Jeremiah (who is not listed in the 1911 census return), Anne and Thomas. Jeremiah would die in 1916 aged only 37 and Thomas in 1912 aged only 24. Nicholas lived to be 83.

Among the sponsors at the baptisms of the children of Mary McGrath and Thomas Treacy were Thomas, Catherine and Jeremiah McGrath, indicating they may have been siblings of Mary.

Note: Margaret McGrath, who is researching the McGrath family of Soloheadbeg, has a Mary McGrath in her family tree who would have been born around the same time as our Mary above. Could Margaret's Mary and ours be the same person? The only other information that Margaret has is that her Mary's parents were Margaret Crosse and James McGrath.

John R. McGrath, a grandnephew of Mary, daughter of James McGrath and Margaret Crosse, tells me that Mary was born at the Kyle Dairy in Soloheadbeg on 19 February 1843. This land was owned by John Maher Esq. and worked by the McGrath, Crosse, Ryan and Quirke families. Mary's siblings included Johanna (born in 1839), another Johanna (1841), Elizabeth (1845), Margaret (1846), Maurice (1848) and James (1853). Apparently several members of the McGrath family moved to Cork city to work for the national railway company. For example, Mary's brother Maurice (who was John's grandfather) became a train driver.

Thomas TREACY and Mary MCGRATH had the following children:

- +48 i **Nicholas TREACY**, born abt 20 Sep 1875, Gortnakeare, Cordangan, Co. Tipperary; married Joanna (Josie) RYAN, 27 Feb 1922, Annacarty Church, Co. Tipperary; died 26 Apr 1959, Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary.
- 49 ii **Jeremiah Joseph TREACY** was born about 22 Mar 1877 in Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary. He was christened on 22 Mar 1877 in Solohead, Co. Tipperary. He died on 13 May 1916 at the age of 39 in Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary. Jeremiah was buried in Kilfeacle, Co. Tipperary. Sponsors at Jeremiah's baptism were Terence O'Connor and Catherine McGrath.
- 50 iii **Margaret TREACY** was born on 1 Aug 1879 in Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary. She was christened on 2 Aug 1879 in Solohead, Co. Tipperary. She died on 10 Dec 1899 at the age of 20 in Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary. Margaret was buried in Kilfeacle, Co. Tipperary. Sponsors at Margaret's baptism were Jeremiah McGrath and Brigid O'Connor.
- +51 iv **Anne (Annie) TREACY**, born abt 1 Nov 1882, Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary; married Malachy RYAN, 22 Feb 1922, Solohead Church, Co. Tipperary; died aft 11 Nov 1940.

Thomas F. TREACY was born on 4 Feb 1888 in Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary. He was christened on 5 Feb 1888 in Solohead, Co. Tipperary. He died on 12 Apr 1912 at the age of 24 in Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary. Thomas was buried in Kilfeacle, Co. Tipperary. Sponsors at Thomas's baptism were John O'Dwyer and Bridget Keogh.

Thomas died at the age of 24 of "probably phthisis" (tuberculosis) He is described on his death certificate as a grocer's assistant.

- 53 vi **Patrick TREACY** was born on 24 May 1891 in Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary. He was christened on 28 May 1891 in Solohead, Co. Tipperary. He died on 2 Jul 1910 at the age of 19 in Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary. Patrick was buried in Kilfeacle, Co. Tipperary. Sponsors at Patrick's baptism were Denis Treacy and Honora O'Connor.

Patrick died of pneumonia at the age of 19.

- 54 vii **'unknown' TREACY** died before 2 Apr 1911. He/she was born in Co. Tipperary.
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 61 xiv **'unknown' TREACY** died before 2 Apr 1911. He/she was born in Co. Tipperary.

26. **Mary (May) TREACY** (Nicholas-3, 'unknown'-2, 'unknown'-1) was born about 12 Jul 1844 in Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary. She was christened on 12 Jul 1844 in Solohead, Co. Tipperary. Sponsors at May's christening were Timothy Treacy and Anne Treacy. Mary (May) TREACY and Nicholas DELANEY were married on 6 Nov 1871 in Solohead Chapel, Co. Tipperary. Witnesses to the marriage were James Leahy and Bridget Treacy.

Nicholas DELANEY, son of Matthew DELANEY, was born about 1844 in possibly Greenane, Co. Tipperary.

28. **Bridget TREACY** (Thomas-3, 'unknown'-2, 'unknown'-1) was born about 1845 in Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary. According to an article in the 2010 Tipperary Historical Journal on the Treacys of Soloheadbeg, Bridget was a daughter of my great-great-grandparents John Treacy and Mary Looby. However, Bridget's marriage records tells us her father's name was Thomas rather than John.

I have been DNA-matched by Ancestry with a great-grandson of Bridget's (presumably through the Treacys) so it does appear that Bridget was related to John. However, the type of match between myself and Bridget's great-grandson indicates a high likelihood that Bridget was a daughter of John rather than a child of a brother or cousin of John's; and from a newspaper account of a 1977 court case involving Catherine Ryan (née Treacy) - who was a daughter of John's - and members of her late husband's family, we know that another daughter of John's (first name not provided) was married to a Mr Coffey (Clonmel Chronicle of 21 July 1877). This makes me think that the father's name on Bridget's marriage record might be incorrect and that it should perhaps have been John rather than Thomas. Bridget TREACY and James COFFEY were married on 5 Feb 1872 in Solohead Chapel, Co. Tipperary. Witnesses to the marriage were William Coffey and Catherine English.

James COFFEY, son of William COFFEY, was born about 1838 in possibly Carrigmore, Doon, Co. Limerick. He died on 13 Jul 1903 at the age of 65 in Gortdrom, Solohead, Co. Tipperary. James was a widower when he

married Bridget.

James COFFEY and Bridget TREACY had the following children:

- 62 i **John COFFEY** was born on 9 Jun 1873 in Gortdrom, Solohead, Co. Tipperary.
- +63 ii **Catherine (Kate) COFFEY**, born 26 Jun 1874, Gortdrom, Solohead, Co. Tipperary; married William CROWE, 25 Nov 1908, Oola, Co. Tipperary; died New York.
- 64 iii **Johanna COFFEY** was born on 1 Feb 1876 in Gortdrom, Solohead, Co. Tipperary.
- 65 iv **Ellen COFFEY** was born on 16 Feb 1878 in Gortdrom, Solohead, Co. Tipperary.
- 66 v **Margaret COFFEY** was born on 13 Aug 1879 in Gortdrom, Solohead, Co. Tipperary.

29. **John TREACY** (John-3, 'unknown'-2, 'unknown'-1) was born about 1831 in Nicker, Pallasgreen, Co. Limerick. He died in probably Argentina. John and his wife, Kate, emigrated to Argentina with their children, probably towards the very end of the 19th century. Tens of thousands of Irish emigrated to Argentina throughout the 19th and in the early part of the 20th centuries seeking a better life, although several thousand returned to Ireland or moved on to the United States or Australia. John and Kate themselves, along with their son Thomas, appear to have stayed in Argentina, while their remaining children (that we know of) left Argentina for the United States or returned to Ireland. John TREACY and Catherine (Kate) HOURIGAN were married on 13 Nov 1861 in Nicker, Pallasgreen, Co. Limerick.

Catherine (Kate) HOURIGAN was born about 1845 in Nicker, Pallasgreen, Co. Limerick. She died in probably Argentina. Given the gaps between the births of the children mentioned below, Kate and John may have had more children than those listed.

John TREACY and Catherine (Kate) HOURIGAN had the following children:

- 67 i **Thomas TREACY** was born about 12 Feb 1863 in Nicker, Pallasgreen, Co. Limerick. He was christened on 14 Feb 1863 in Pallasgreen, Co. Limerick. He died in 1930S in Argentina.
- +68 ii **Patrick (Pat) TREACY**, born abt 3 Mar 1865, Nicker, Pallasgreen, Co. Limerick; married Catherine (Kate) WALSH, 8 Feb 1901, Buenos Aires; died 1940, Roselle Park, New Jersey.
- 69 iii **John TREACY** was born about 8 May 1868 in Nicker, Pallasgreen, Co. Limerick. He was christened on 10 May 1868 in Pallasgreen, Co. Limerick. He died on 8 Dec 1871 at the age of 3 in Nicker, Pallasgreen, Co. Limerick. John died of rickets at the age of three.
- +70 iv **Catherine TREACY**, born 20 Jul 1871, Nicker, Pallasgreen, Co. Limerick; married Edmund MURPHY, 1891, probably Buenos Aires; died 9 Jul 1928, Church Well, Tipperary, Co. Tipperary.
- 71 v **John TREACY** was born on 10 Jun 1874 in Nicker, Pallasgreen, Co. Limerick. He died on 9 Oct 1877 at the age of 3 in Nicker, Pallasgreen, Co. Limerick. John died of croup at the age of three. John died of croup at the age of three.
- 72 vi **William TREACY** was born about 11 Mar 1876 in Nicker, Pallasgreen, Co. Limerick. He was christened on 13 Mar 1876 in Pallasgreen, Co. Limerick.
- +73 vii **Johanna TREACY**, born abt 28 Sep 1880, Nicker, Pallasgreen, Co. Limerick; married José (Joseph) PEÑA; died 1938, probably New Jersey.

31. **James O'BRIEN** (Ellen Real-3, Mary Margaret Treacy-2, 'unknown'-1) was born about 1825 in Emly, Co. Tipperary. James O'BRIEN and Mary QUINN were married.

Mary QUINN was born about 1830.

37. **Mary O'BRIEN** (Ellen Real-3, Mary Margaret Treacy-2, 'unknown'-1) was born about 1839 in Rodus, Emly, Co. Tipperary. She died in 1906 at the age of 67 in New Zealand. Mary O'BRIEN and William RYAN were married.

William RYAN was born about 1840 in Co. Tipperary. He died in 1910 at the age of 70 in New Zealand.

William RYAN and Mary O'BRIEN had the following children:

- +74 i **Ellen Mary RYAN**, born 1871, New Zealand; married Tudor WILLIAMS; died 1935.
- +75 ii **Bridget Mary RYAN**, born 1877, Lawrence, New Zealand; married Robert Francis FULCHER
; died 1943, Dunedin, New Zealand.

Fifth Generation



42. **Thomas Joseph TREACY** (Thomas-4, John-3, 'unknown'-2, 'unknown'-1) was born on 13 Apr 1881 in Murgasty, Co. Tipperary. He was christened about 13 Apr 1881 in Tipperary. He died on 13 Apr 1969 at the age of 88 in Carrick-on-Suir, Co. Tipperary. Thomas died on his 88th birthday.

Thomas was buried in New Cemetery, Carrick-on-Suir, Co. Tipperary. The sponsors at Thomas's baptism was Sarah Carew, probably his aunt. There was no other sponsor listed on the baptismal record.

Thomas began his career working at the gasworks in Tipperary town; according to the 1911 census he was a "gas account collector". On 28 September 1914 he took over the management of the gasworks in Carrick-on-Suir (located on the Quay), eventually buying the Carrick gasworks from the owner, Mr. Anderson. I am unsure as to the year of purchase but it would probably have been during the mid- or late 1930s as it is known that Mr. Anderson still owned the Carrick gasworks in 1933.

Difficulties in getting parts from England for gasworks repairs during World War II led to problems in manufacturing gas at the Carrick works so Thomas decided to switch to the making of charcoal and in 1942 the large gasometers were dismantled. The business eventually concentrated on the sales of coal, coke and briquettes, and subsequently incorporated sales of gas stoves and heaters. Thomas Joseph TREACY and Ellen O'SULLIVAN were married on 12 Jan 1915 in Church of S.S. Peter And Paul, Cork. Witnesses to Ellen and Thomas' marriage were "M. J. Treacy" (Thomas' brother, Martin?) and "Julia O'Sullivan" (Ellen's sister?).



Ellen O'SULLIVAN, daughter of James (Big Jim) SULLIVAN and Julia DOODY, was born on 24 Oct 1887 in Glynn, Mourneabbey, Co. Cork. She was christened on 25 Oct 1887 in Analeentha Church, Mourneabbey, Co. Cork. She died on 18 Sep 1972 at the age of 84 in Carrick-on-Suir, Co. Tipperary. Ellen was buried in New Cemetery, Carrick-on-Suir.

According to Ellen's birth record, present at her birth was Mary O'Sullivan (probably her father's sister).

According to information from the Mallow Heritage Centre, the sponsors at Ellen's baptism were Cornelius Sweeney and Julia Curtin. It is believed Cornelius Sweeney was a neighbour of the Sullivans and it is thought he was married to one of Caheraveelane Sullivans who were related to Ellen. A granddaughter of Cornelius would later marry Ellen's brother Denis. Julia Curtin, the second sponsor, had been a neighbour of the Sullivans when they lived in Ballyknockane. Julia would later marry Sean O'Looney; they emigrated to the United States and had 12 children. Valuable information on the Sullivan family, for which I am so grateful, came in November 2003 from 96-year-old Patrick, known as Pats, Curtin, a nephew of Julia's who lived in Ballyknockane with one of his daughters. Sadly, Pats died in September 2004.

It is thought that Ellen, who was also known as Nellie, had some domestic training and subsequently became a parlour maid. I am told that she met her husband, Thomas Treacy, in Tipperary town where they were both working (Thomas worked at the gasworks in the town). Based on this information I believe I have located a 1911 census record for Ellen. An Ellen Sullivan, aged 24 (although our Ellen was actually 23 years of age at the time of the census) and born in Co. Cork, was working as a parlour maid at the home of law agent George Hugh Chetwood Townsend in Cordangan, just a couple of miles south of Tipperary town. It was a large house and,

along with Ellen, six other servants are listed.

However, according to Ellen's marriage record, her residence at the time (January 1915) was Lavitt's Quay, Cork but it is not known how she came to move to Cork after apparently having met Thomas. She did have an uncle, Mike Doody, who was living at 5 Lavitt's Quay at the time of the 1911 census, while his wife, Mary Anne, was running a hotel at no 6. Perhaps Ellen was working at the hotel. Or perhaps, being from Co. Cork, Ellen wished to be married in Cork and therefore used her uncle's address to fulfil a possible residency requirement.

It is thought Ellen may have been related to a Hewitt family which included Patrick (1897-1979), a Holy Ghost priest who did missionary work in Tanganyika (now part of Tanzania), his brother James (1900-1974), a Holy Ghost brother who worked at Blackrock College in Dublin as a ground staff supervisor, and their sister Bidy who married a J.J. Healy and lived in Carrick-on-Suir. Other relatives of Ellen - or her husband, Thomas - included a couple who lived near Flamborough Head in Yorkshire in the 1940s. All we know of this couple is that the husband was in the Merchant Navy. Could they have been Ellen's aunt Hannah (O'Sullivan) and her husband Harry Williams, who was in the Merchant Navy? Further information would be most welcome.

According to a newspaper death notice, Ellen died in St. Brigid's Hospital, Carrick-on-Suir.

Thomas Joseph TREACY and Ellen O'SULLIVAN had the following children:

- 76 i **Patrick TREACY** was born between 1915 and 1920 in Waterford. He died between 1915 and 1920 at the age of 0 in Waterford. Patrick died as an infant. I am told he was born and died in a nursing home in Waterford city. However, I can find no trace of a birth or death record for him (in both Carrick-on-Suir and Waterford registration districts).

Note: It is surprising Patrick was not named Thomas as it was traditional at the time to name the eldest son after his paternal grandfather. Searches have been carried out for birth and death records for a Thomas Treacy, just in case (in both Carrick-on-Suir and Waterford registration districts), but nothing was found.

- 77 ii **Mary Frances (Joan) TREACY** was born on 20 Aug 1920 in Carrick-on-Suir, Co. Tipperary.



She died on 23 Oct 2003 at the age of 83 in Haywards Heath, West Sussex. She was buried in Shanganagh Cemetery, Dublin. The name on Joan's birth certificate is Mary Frances and on her baptismal certificate it is Mary Bridget. However, she was called Joan by her family, although her nursing records are in the name of Mary Frances. She used the name is name for most of her life until after her retirement when she changed it to Jo-Ann.

Jo-Ann trained as a nurse in Manchester, qualifying in 1944. She had always wanted to travel so, following a number of years of general and industrial nursing in the UK, she joined the QARANC (Queen Alexandra's Royal Army Nursing Corps) in 1952. Her first foreign posting was to Benghazi in Libya in 1953, followed by Cyprus in 1954.

Jo-Ann returned to England in 1956 and, while working at Shorncliffe Military Hospital, decided she wanted to specialise in nurse training. She embarked on a two-year course in Hull University, obtaining a Diploma in Nurse Training and Education in 1959, after which she spent many years training student nurses overseas during postings to Germany, Hong Kong and

Singapore. In 1963, while serving in Hong Kong, she was awarded an Associate Royal Red Cross (ARRC) medal for exceptional services in military nursing.

Following her permanent return to England in 1970 Jo-Ann continued to train nurses at the military hospitals in Tidworth, Colchester, Aldershot and Woolwich. She retired in 1975 as Director of Studies at Woolwich and as acting colonel. She lived briefly in Brighton following her retirement before settling in Henfield in West Sussex. Jo-Ann never married although it is believed that she was engaged in the 1950s, possibly to a military doctor. Sadly, the marriage never took place because apparently her fiancé was killed in a bomb explosion in Cyprus, about which we have no details.

Jo-Ann died in hospital in Haywards Heath, West Sussex.

- +78 iii **Sheila TREACY**, born 27 Jul 1923, Carrick-on-Suir, Co. Tipperary; married Richard (Dick) O'CONNOR, 11 Sep 1958, Limerick; died 5 Jul 2012, Dublin.
- +79 iv **Thomas Noel (Noel) TREACY**, born 14 Dec 1926, Carrick-on-Suir, Co. Tipperary; married Ellen (Ella) MEANY, 27 Jun 1957, Clogheen registration district, Co. Tipperary; died 23 May 2009, Clonmel, Co. Tipperary.



43. **Martin Joseph TREACY** (Thomas-4, John-3, 'unknown'-2, 'unknown'-1) was born on 16 Nov 1883 in Murgasty Cottages, Murgasty, Co. Tipperary. He died on 19 Jan 1977 at the age of 93 in Fermoy, Co. Cork. He was buried in Kilcrumper Old Cemetery, Fermoy, Co. Cork. Sponsors at Martin's baptism were Edmond Carew and Bridget Carew.

According to the 1901 census return for his mother's household in Murgasty, Co. Tipperary, Martin, aged 17, was a baker. By the time of the 1911 census he was a gasworks manager, living on The Quay, Carrick-on-Suir (presumably in the house that adjoined the gasworks on the Quay) with his widowed mother. In late 1914 Martin was promoted to manager of the gasworks in Wicklow and was replaced in Carrick by his elder brother Thomas.

We know from The Irish Times editions of 21 and 28 October 1916 that Martin saved a boy from drowning during his time in Wicklow: "Mr Martin Tracey (sic), gas manager, Wicklow, saved the life of a boy named Robert Culbert, Strand street, Wicklow... Mr. Tracey jumped in and brought him ashore in an unconscious condition."

It is known that Martin's brother Timmy was living in Wicklow in 1918, which makes me think that Timmy may have been living with Martin (and probably their mother) as the Treacy family appears to have had no other Wicklow connections (I have heard that Martin and Timmy did not get on). In 1919 Martin was transferred to Fermoy, Co. Cork as manager of the gasworks there. It appears he lived in Duntahane, Fermoy for the rest of his life. According to a newspaper death notice, he died in St. Patrick's Hospital in Fermoy.

Martin Joseph TREACY and Catherine FOGARTY were married on 17 Jun 1919 in Carrick-on-Suir, Co. Tipperary. Martin and Catherine's marriage certificate gives an address of Carrick-on-Suir for Catherine and Wicklow for Martin.



Catherine FOGARTY, daughter of James FOGARTY, was born about 1885 in Portlaw, Co. Waterford. She died on 5 Jan 1964 at the age of 79 in Fermoy, Co. Cork. Catherine was matron of a workhouse or hospital (presumably in Fermoy).

Martin and Catherine, who lived in Duntahane, Fermoy, had no children.

They did help raise Catherine's sister's two children, Maureen (known as Bunty) O'Sullivan and her sister (whose name I do not know) after their father died in 1930 in a motor accident when they were children. It is believed Bunty lived with Catherine and Martin in the aftermath of her father's death.

48. **Nicholas TREACY** (Thomas-4, Nicholas-3, 'unknown'-2, 'unknown'-1) was born about 20 Sep 1875 in Gortnaheare, Cordangan, Co. Tipperary. He was christened on 22 Sep 1875 in Solohead, Co. Tipperary. He died on 26 Apr 1959 at the age of 83 in Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary. Nicholas was buried on 28 Apr 1959 in Kilfeacle Cemetery, Co. Tipperary. A Margaret Treacy of Soloheadbeg was the informant named on Nicholas's birth record. This was presumably Nicholas's paternal grandmother. Sponsors at Nicholas's baptism were Thomas McGrath and Johanna Treacy.

It is known that Nicholas was related to our Treacys although the exact relationship is not certain. What is certain is that my grandfather Thomas Treacy (1881-1969) had a cousin named Nicholas Treacy and that he was NOT a first cousin. It is also known that Thomas's first cousin Seán Treacy (1895-1920) had a cousin named Nicholas Treacy (see next paragraph), who is definitely our Nicholas above, but it is not known what type of cousin he was. It is possible that Nicholas was a second cousin of Thomas and Seán, i.e., it is possible that Nicholas's Treacy grandfather, also named Nicholas, and John, the grandfather of Thomas and Seán, were brothers.

In Desmond Ryan's book, "Seán Treacy and the Third Tipperary Brigade IRA" (1945), there is mention of "Seán's cousin, Nicholas Treacy", who was involved in plans to rescue Seán from jail in Dundalk in 1918. Seán and two other IRA prisoners were on hunger strike but called it off when their demands were met. As a result the rescue mission was called off.

According to a family source, Thomas Treacy's cousin Nicholas (probably Nicholas above) lived on a small farm next to the Carey farm in Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary. Nicholas TREACY and Joanna (Josie) RYAN were married on 27 Feb 1922 in Annacarty Church, Co. Tipperary. Witnesses were James Walsh and Mary O'Mahony (probably Josie's sister).

Joanna (Josie) RYAN, daughter of Joseph RYAN and Maria (Mary) COUGHLAN, was born about 1892 in probably Carhue, Dundrum, Co. Tipperary. She died on 13 Apr 1933 at the age of 41 in probably Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary. She was buried in Kilfeacle Cemetery, Co. Tipperary. Helen Stapleton from Australia has provided us with some information on Josie's family as Helen's husband's grandmother Hanorah Ryan (born in Co. Tipperary in 1872) was a cousin of Josie's. Helen tells us that Josie's father's name was Joseph and that Joseph's father's name was John whose father was Lawrence whose mother was Sarah Dwyer. Sarah's father was Edmond Dwyer who was possibly from Carhue, near Dundrum, in Co. Tipperary. Sarah had a sister named Alice who also married a Ryan. A great-grandson of Alice's was Brendan Bracken (1901-1958) who was a close friend of Winston Churchill and who was appointed Minister of Information during World War II.

Nicholas TREACY and Joanna (Josie) RYAN had the following children:

- Thomas (Tommy) TREACY** was born about 1924 in probably Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary. He died on 10 May 2011 at the age of 87. He was buried in Kilfeacle Cemetery, Co. Tipperary. Tommy, who never married, lived in Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary.
- +81 ii **Living** .
 - +82 iii **Josephine (Ciss) TREACY**, born probably Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary; married John (Jack) RIORDAN; died 28 Feb 2010.
 - 83 iv **Joseph TREACY** was born about 1930 in probably Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary. He died on 13 Nov 1988 at the age of 58. Joseph never married.

51. **Anne (Annie) TREACY** (Thomas-4, Nicholas-3, 'unknown'-2, 'unknown'-1) was born about 1 Nov 1882 in Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary. She was christened on 1 Nov 1882 in Solohead, Co. Tipperary. She died after 11 Nov 1940 at the age of 58. Sponsors at Annie's baptism were Patrick Treacy and Johanna English.

Annie and her husband, Malachy, who lived in Lacken, Kilshane, Co. Tipperary, had no children. Their house in Lacken was passed on to Annie's niece Mary Kinane, née Treacy). Anne (Annie) TREACY and Malachy RYAN were married on 22 Feb 1922 in Solohead Church, Co. Tipperary.

Malachy RYAN, son of Thomas RYAN, was born about 1876 in probably Lacken, Kilshane, Co. Tipperary. He died on 11 Nov 1940 at the age of 64 in Lacken, Kilshane, Co. Tipperary. He was buried in St. Michael's Cemetery, Tipperary. Malachy was from Lacken, Kilshane, Co. Tipperary.

Malachy died of cancer of the oesophagus.

63. **Catherine (Kate) COFFEY** (Bridget Treacy-4, Thomas-3, 'unknown'-2, 'unknown'-1) was born on 26 Jun 1874 in Gortdrom, Solohead, Co. Tipperary. She died in New York. Catherine (Kate) COFFEY and William CROWE were married on 25 Nov 1908 in Oola, Co. Tipperary.

William CROWE, son of William CROWE and Julia RYAN, was born on 17 Aug 1884 in Cullen, Co. Tipperary. He died on 19 Aug 1956 at the age of 72 in New York. William owned a grocery shop in Oola, Co. Tipperary.

William CROWE and Catherine (Kate) COFFEY had the following child:

- +84 i **Bridget (Betty) CROWE**, born 1912, Oola, Co. Tipperary; died 1980, Brooklyn, New York.

68. **Patrick (Pat) TREACY** (John-4, John-3, 'unknown'-2, 'unknown'-1) was born about 3 Mar 1865 in Nicker, Pallasgreen, Co. Limerick. He was christened on 5 Mar 1865 in Pallasgreen, Co. Limerick. He died in 1940 at the age of 75 in Roselle Park, New Jersey. Pat emigrated to Argentina with his parents. Patrick (Pat) TREACY and Catherine (Kate) WALSH were married on 8 Feb 1901 in Buenos Aires.

Catherine (Kate) WALSH, daughter of Patrick WALSH and Catherine MILLS, was born on 27 Dec 1876 in Brewery Lane, Tullamore, Co. Offaly. Kate emigrated to Argentina with her parents.

Patrick (Pat) TREACY and Catherine (Kate) WALSH had the following children:

- Kathleen TREACY** was born on 4 Dec 1901 in Buenos Aires. She died in U.S..
- 86 ii **John TREACY** was born on 12 Sep 1903 in Ireland. He died in U.S..
- 87 iii **Patrick TREACY** was born in 1905 in U.S.. He died in U.S..
- 88 iv **Marie TREACY** was born in 1906 in U.S.. She died in U.S..
- 89 v **Irene TREACY** was born in 1908 in U.S.. She died in U.S..
- 90 vi **Thomas TREACY** was born in 1911 in U.S.. He died in U.S..
- 91 vii **Esther TREACY** was born in 1913 in U.S.. She died in U.S..
- 92 viii **Anna TREACY** was born in 1915 in U.S.. She died in U.S..
- +93 ix **Gerald B. TREACY**, born 1918, Roselle Park, New Jersey; married Mabel Lillian NESBITT, 18 May 1943, Monroe, Louisiana; died 29 Mar 2012, Bellevue, Washington.
- 94 x **Philip TREACY** was born in 1920 in Roselle Park, New Jersey.
- 95 xi **Living** was born (date unknown).

70. **Catherine TREACY** (John-4, John-3, 'unknown'-2, 'unknown'-1) was born on 20 Jul 1871 in Nicker, Pallasgreen, Co. Limerick. She died on 9 Jul 1928 at the age of 56 in Church Well, Tipperary, Co. Tipperary. Apparently when Catherine married Edward her family disowned her. We do not know the reason for this. Catherine TREACY and Edmund MURPHY were married in 1891 in probably Buenos Aires.

Edmund MURPHY was born about 1867 in Co. Limerick. He died on 26 Oct 1925 at the age of 58 in Church Well, Tipperary, Co. Tipperary. Edmund also went by the name of Edward. He worked on a ranch in Argentina before returning with his family to Ireland. They settled in Tipperary town where Edward worked as a labourer.

Edmund MURPHY and Catherine TREACY had the following children:

- +96 i **Honora (Nora) MURPHY**, born abt 1905, Buenos Aires; married Charles (Charlie) PERKINS, 2 May 1934, Tipperary, Co. Tipperary; died 2 Mar 1950, Tipperary, Co. Tipperary.
- +97 ii **Margaret MURPHY**, born 1906; married Patrick LEAHY, 23 Jun 1925, Tipperary, Co. Tipperary; died 20 Jun 1947, Tipperary, Co. Tipperary.
- 98 iii **Edmund MURPHY Jr.** held the title of Jr.. We do not know if Edmund ever married but we do know he had no children.
- +99 iv **Michael MURPHY**, married 'UNKNOWN'; died abt 1975, possibly London.

73. **Johanna TREACY** (John-4, John-3, 'unknown'-2, 'unknown'-1) was born about 28 Sep 1880 in Nicker, Pallasgreen, Co. Limerick. She was christened on 1 Oct 1880 in Pallasgreen, Co. Limerick. She died in 1938 at the age of 58 in probably New Jersey. Johanna was buried in Mount Olivet Cemetery, Newark, New Jersey. Johanna her husband, José, moved from Argentina to the United States in 1912. Johanna TREACY and José (Joseph) PEÑA were married.

José (Joseph) PEÑA was born about 1879 in Spain or Canary Islands. He died in U.S..

José (Joseph) PEÑA and Johanna TREACY had the following children:

- 100 i **Juan PEÑA** was born in 1900 in Buenos Aires. He died in U.S..
- +101 ii **Maria PEÑA**, born abt 1904, Argentina; married Thomas MCNICHOLAS, 10 Apr 1926, Elizabeth, New Jersey; died U.S..
- 102 iii **Patricio PEÑA** was born about 1904 in Argentina. He died in U.S..

- 104 v **Rosita PEÑA** was born in 1906 in Argentina. She died in 1916 at the age of 10 in U.S..
- 104 v **Ferdinand Marcus PEÑA** was born on 22 Aug 1916 in Elizabeth, New Jersey. He was christened on 1 Oct 1916 in Elizabeth, New Jersey. He died in 1981 at the age of 65. Ferdinand was buried in Mount Olivet Cemetery, Newark, New Jersey.
- 105 vi **Francis PEÑA** was born in 1919 in New Jersey. He died in 1928 at the age of 9 in probably New Jersey. He was buried in Mount Olivet Cemetery, Newark, New Jersey. Francis died at the age of about nine.

74. **Ellen Mary RYAN** (Mary O'Brien-4, Ellen Real-3, Mary Margaret Treacy-2, 'unknown'-1) was born in 1871 in New Zealand. She died in 1935 at the age of 64. Ellen Mary RYAN and Tudor WILLIAMS were married.

Tudor WILLIAMS was born about 1865 in Clyde, New Zealand. He died in 1946 at the age of 81 in Dunedin, New Zealand.

Tudor WILLIAMS and Ellen Mary RYAN had the following children:

- +106 i **Frederick Tudor WILLIAMS**, born 1895, New Zealand; married Lillian Grace Margaret KEIL; died 1974, Christchurch, New Zealand.
- +107 ii **Leonard Ryan WILLIAMS**, born 1896, Clyde, New Zealand; married Marion MCINTOSH; died 1975, Clyde, New Zealand.

75. **Bridget Mary RYAN** (Mary O'Brien-4, Ellen Real-3, Mary Margaret Treacy-2, 'unknown'-1) was born in 1877 in Lawrence, New Zealand. She died in 1943 at the age of 66 in Dunedin, New Zealand. Bridget Mary RYAN and Robert Francis FULCHER were married.

Robert Francis FULCHER was born in 1879 in Sheffield, South Yorkshire. He died in 1954 at the age of 75 in Dunedin, New Zealand.

Sixth Generation



78. **Sheila TREACY** (Thomas Joseph-5, Thomas-4, John-3, 'unknown'-2, 'unknown'-1) was born on 27 Jul 1923 in Carrick-on-Suir, Co. Tipperary. She died on 5 Jul 2012 at the age of 88 in Dublin. The name on Sheila's certificate of baptism is "Julia Anna Tracey" (it is Sheila Treacy on her birth certificate).

With her sister, Jo-Ann, Sheila trained as a nurse at the Withington Hospital in Manchester, both qualifying in 1944. Sheila subsequently worked in Brighton (c.1944-c.1949), Moorfields Eye Hospital in London (c.1950-c.1953), Royal Victoria Eye and Ear Hospital in Dublin (c.1953-c.1954) and the Regional Hospital in Limerick (c.1954-1958). She was a specialist in ophthalmic work.

Sheila and her husband, Dick, met in 1958 in the Regional Hospital in Limerick where she was working and where Dick was visiting a patient (Ann Wall?) who may also have been a friend of Sheila's and who introduced them. They married about six months later. Sheila gave up her career upon her marriage, as many women did in Ireland at the time.

For most of her married life Sheila lived at 9 Lisbeg, Tralee, Co. Kerry. In 1986, following Dick's death, she moved to Dublin where she lived for 26 years at 31 Lansdowne Village, Sandymount. Sheila TREACY and 'PRIVATE' were not in a relationship.

'PRIVATE' was born (date unknown).

'PRIVATE' and Sheila TREACY had the following child:

+108 i **Living** .

Sheila TREACY and 'PRIVATE' were in a relationship.

'PRIVATE' was born (date unknown).

'PRIVATE' and Sheila TREACY had the following child:

+109 i **Carrie ANDERSON**.

Sheila TREACY and Richard (Dick) O'CONNOR were married on 11 Sep 1958 in Limerick.



Richard (Dick) O'CONNOR, son of John (Jack Bill) O'CONNOR and Catherine (Babe) SHANAHAN, was born on 23 May 1919 in Kilbaha, Moyvane, Co. Kerry. He died on 9 Aug 1985 at the age of 66 in Tralee, Co. Kerry. He was buried on 12 Aug 1985 in New Rath Cemetery, Tralee, Co. Kerry. Dick was also known as Richie. After leaving school he went to Maynooth college to study for the priesthood. Dick eventually decided not to complete his religious studies and left Maynooth after three years with a BA degree (in Irish and Mathematics?). After spending a couple of years working on the family farm he went to University College Dublin and graduated in 1949 with an Agricultural Science degree. He later became an advisor with the Department of Agriculture in Co. Limerick and later in Tralee, Co. Kerry.

Richard (Dick) O'CONNOR and Sheila TREACY had the following children:

- +110 i **Helen O'CONNOR (living)**.
- +111 ii **Living** .
- 112 iii **Living** was born (date unknown).



79. **Thomas Noel (Noel) TREACY** (Thomas Joseph-5, Thomas-4, John-3, 'unknown'-2, 'unknown'-1) was born on 14 Dec 1926 in Carrick-on-Suir, Co. Tipperary. He died on 23 May 2009 at the age of 82 in Clonmel, Co. Tipperary. Noel ran the family fuel business in Carrick-on-Suir, Co. Tipperary. Throughout his life he was very involved in local activities, including Carrick-on-Suir Musical Society productions, working with the St. Vincent de Paul Society, and playing at Castleview Lawn Tennis Club. Noel was still playing tennis regularly until shortly before his death at the age of 82. Thomas Noel (Noel) TREACY and Ellen (Ella) MEANY were married on 27 Jun 1957 in Clogheen registration district, Co. Tipperary.



Ellen (Ella) MEANY, daughter of John MEANY and Mary (May) MASON, was born on 27 Mar 1929 in Carrick-on-Suir, Co. Tipperary. She died on 9 Apr 2011 at the age of 82 in Carrick-on-Suir, Co. Tipperary. Ella was owner of a children's clothing shop in Carrick-on-Suir.

Thomas Noel (Noel) TREACY and Ellen (Ella) MEANY had the following children:

- +113 i **Living** .
- +114 ii **Living** .
- +115 iii **Living** .

+117 **Living** .
 v **Living** .

81. **Living** (Nicholas-5, Thomas-4, Nicholas-3, 'unknown'-2, 'unknown'-1) was born (date unknown).

James KINANE died on 29 May 2005.

James KINANE and Living had the following children:

+118 i **Living** .
119 ii **Living** was born (date unknown).

82. **Josephine (Ciss) TREACY** (Nicholas-5, Thomas-4, Nicholas-3, 'unknown'-2, 'unknown'-1) died on 28 Feb 2010. She was born in probably Soloheadbeg, Co. Tipperary. Josephine (Ciss) TREACY and John (Jack) RIORDAN were married.

John (Jack) RIORDAN died in 2003. Jack and Ciss lived in Raheen Lower, Donohill, Tipperary.

John (Jack) RIORDAN and Josephine (Ciss) TREACY had the following children:

120 i **Living** was born (date unknown).
121 ii **Living** was born (date unknown).
122 iii **Living** was born (date unknown).
123 iv **Living** was born (date unknown).
124 v **Living** was born (date unknown).
125 vi **Living** was born (date unknown).
126 vii **Living** was born (date unknown).

84. **Bridget (Betty) CROWE** (Catherine (Kate) Coffey-5, Bridget Treacy-4, Thomas-3, 'unknown'-2, 'unknown'-1) was born in 1912 in Oola, Co. Tipperary. She died in 1980 at the age of 68 in Brooklyn, New York.

Martin Joseph TAYLOR was born in 1906 in Cashel, Co. Tipperary. He died in 1969 at the age of 63 in Brooklyn, New York.

Martin Joseph TAYLOR and Bridget (Betty) CROWE had the following children:

127 i **Living** was born (date unknown).
+128 ii **Living** .

93. **Gerald B. TREACY** (Patrick (Pat)-5, John-4, John-3, 'unknown'-2, 'unknown'-1) was born in 1918 in Roselle Park, New Jersey. He died on 29 Mar 2012 at the age of 94 in Bellevue, Washington. He was buried in Greenwood Cemetery, Brielle, New Jersey. Gerald lived in Sammamish, Washington for the last 20 years of his life, having lived in Clark, New Jersey for many years. He died at the age of 93. Gerald B. TREACY and Mabel Lillian NESBITT were married on 18 May 1943 in Monroe, Louisiana.

Mabel Lillian NESBITT died in 2009. She was born in Washington.

Gerald B. TREACY and Mabel Lillian NESBITT had the following children:

- +129 i **Living** .
- +130 ii **Living** .
- +131 iii **Living** .
- 132 iv **Roger James TREACY** died in 1956 in New Jersey. He was born in New Jersey.

96. **Honora (Nora) MURPHY** (Catherine Treacy-5, John-4, John-3, 'unknown'-2, 'unknown'-1) was born about 1905 in Buenos Aires. She died on 2 Mar 1950 at the age of 45 in Tipperary, Co. Tipperary. Nora died at the age of 44. Honora (Nora) MURPHY and Charles (Charlie) PERKINS were married on 2 May 1934 in Tipperary, Co. Tipperary.

Charles (Charlie) PERKINS, son of John W. PERKINS, died after 2 Mar 1950 in probably Tipperary, Co. Tipperary. Charlie was a mechanic.

Charles (Charlie) PERKINS and Honora (Nora) MURPHY had the following child:

- 133 i **Living** was born (date unknown).

97. **Margaret MURPHY** (Catherine Treacy-5, John-4, John-3, 'unknown'-2, 'unknown'-1) was born in 1906. She died on 20 Jun 1947 at the age of 41 in Tipperary, Co. Tipperary. One of Margaret and Patrick's daughters married a Mr. Xanthos and had a son named Kieran who, according to Ancestry DNA matching, is a 4th-6th cousin of mine. Margaret MURPHY and Patrick LEAHY were married on 23 Jun 1925 in Tipperary, Co. Tipperary.

Patrick LEAHY, son of James LEAHY, was born in 1899 in Tipperary, Co. Tipperary. He died on 7 Dec 1972 at the age of 73. According to his marriage certificate Patrick was a carter.

Patrick LEAHY and Margaret MURPHY had the following children:

- 134 i **James LEAHY** was born about 1926 in Tipperary, Co. Tipperary. He died in 1984 at the age of 58.
- 135 ii **Living** was born (date unknown).
- 136 iii **Living** was born (date unknown).
- 137 iv **Eamonn LEAHY** was born about 1931 in Tipperary, Co. Tipperary. He died in 2006 at the age of 75.
- 138 v **Living** was born (date unknown).
- 139 vi **Living** was born (date unknown).
- 140 vii **Matthew (Matt) LEAHY** was born about 1936 in Tipperary, Co. Tipperary. He died in 1986 at the age of 50.
- 141 viii **Living** was born (date unknown).
- 142 ix **Living** was born (date unknown).
- 143 x **Joseph (Joe) LEAHY** was born about 1941 in Tipperary, Co. Tipperary. He died in 2002 at the age of 61.

Living .

- 145 xii **Brendan LEAHY** was born about 1945 in Tipperary, Co. Tipperary. He died about 1945 at the age of 0 in Tipperary, Co. Tipperary. Brendan died in infancy.
- 146 xiii **Living** was born (date unknown).

99. **Michael MURPHY** (Catherine Treacy-5, John-4, John-3, 'unknown'-2, 'unknown'-1) died about 1975 in possibly London. Michael and his wife may have had more children than those listed below. Michael MURPHY and 'UNKNOWN' were married.

'UNKNOWN' was born (date unknown).

Michael MURPHY and 'UNKNOWN' had the following children:

- 147 i **Living** was born (date unknown).
- 148 ii **Living** was born (date unknown).

101. **Maria PEÑA** (Johanna Treacy-5, John-4, John-3, 'unknown'-2, 'unknown'-1) was born about 1904 in Argentina. She died in U.S.. Maria PEÑA and Thomas MCNICHOLAS were married on 10 Apr 1926 in Elizabeth, New Jersey.

Thomas MCNICHOLAS, son of John MCNICHOLAS and Mary BRODEN, was born about 1904 in Elizabeth, New Jersey.

106. **Frederick Tudor WILLIAMS** (Ellen Mary Ryan-5, Mary O'Brien-4, Ellen Real-3, Mary Margaret Treacy-2, 'unknown'-1) was born in 1895 in New Zealand. He died in 1974 at the age of 79 in Christchurch, New Zealand. Frederick Tudor WILLIAMS and Lillian Grace Margaret KEIL were married.

Lillian Grace Margaret KEIL was born (date unknown).

107. **Leonard Ryan WILLIAMS** (Ellen Mary Ryan-5, Mary O'Brien-4, Ellen Real-3, Mary Margaret Treacy-2, 'unknown'-1) was born in 1896 in Clyde, New Zealand. He died in 1975 at the age of 79 in Clyde, New Zealand. Leonard Ryan WILLIAMS and Marion MCINTOSH were married.

Marion MCINTOSH was born (date unknown).

Leonard Ryan WILLIAMS and Marion MCINTOSH had the following children:

- +149 i **Beryl Marion WILLIAMS**, born 1923; married Thomas (Tom) Cyril KELLIHER; died 15 Jan 2019, Alexandra, New Zealand.
- +150 ii **Donald WILLIAMS**.

Seventh Generation

108. **Living** (Sheila Treacy-6, Thomas Joseph-5, Thomas-4, John-3, 'unknown'-2, 'unknown'-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

Living and Living had the following children:

- +151 i **Living** .
- +152 ii **Living** .
- +153 iii **Living** .

109. **Carrie ANDERSON** (Sheila Treacy-6, Thomas Joseph-5, Thomas-4, John-3, 'unknown'-2, 'unknown'-1) was born.

Living was born (date unknown).

Living and Carrie ANDERSON had the following children:

- +154 i **Living** .
- 155 ii **Living** was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

110. **Helen O'CONNOR (living)** (Sheila Treacy-6, Thomas Joseph-5, Thomas-4, John-3, 'unknown'-2, 'unknown'-1) was born (date unknown).

Joseph (Joe) GORDON (living), son of Cormac GORDON and Maureen HUSSEY, was born (date unknown).

Joseph (Joe) GORDON and Helen O'CONNOR had the following children:

- 156 i **Living** was born (date unknown).
- 157 ii **Living** was born (date unknown).
- 158 iii **Living** was born (date unknown).

111. **Living** (Sheila Treacy-6, Thomas Joseph-5, Thomas-4, John-3, 'unknown'-2, 'unknown'-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

Living and Living had the following children:

- 160 **Living** was born (date unknown).
 ii **Living** was born (date unknown).

113. **Living** (Thomas Noel (Noel)-6, Thomas Joseph-5, Thomas-4, John-3, 'unknown'-2, 'unknown'-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

Living and Living had the following children:

- 161 i **Living** was born (date unknown).
162 ii **Living** was born (date unknown).
163 iii **Living** was born (date unknown).

114. **Living** (Thomas Noel (Noel)-6, Thomas Joseph-5, Thomas-4, John-3, 'unknown'-2, 'unknown'-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

Living and Living had the following children:

- 164 i **Marielle BOURKE** was born on 11 Jun 1991 in Dublin. She died on 11 Jun 1991 at the age of 0 in Dublin. She was buried in New Cemetery, Carrick-on-Suir, Co. Tipperary.
165 ii **Julienne BOURKE** was born on 11 Jun 1991 in Dublin. She died on 11 Jun 1991 at the age of 0 in Dublin. She was buried in New Cemetery, Carrick-on-Suir, Co. Tipperary.
166 iii **Living** was born (date unknown).
167 iv **Living** was born (date unknown).

115. **Living** (Thomas Noel (Noel)-6, Thomas Joseph-5, Thomas-4, John-3, 'unknown'-2, 'unknown'-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

Living and Living had the following children:

- 168 i **Living** was born (date unknown).
169 ii **Living** was born (date unknown).

116. **Living** (Thomas Noel (Noel)-6, Thomas Joseph-5, Thomas-4, John-3, 'unknown'-2, 'unknown'-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

Living and Living had the following children:

- Living** was born (date unknown).
171 ii **Living** was born (date unknown).

117. **Living** (Thomas Noel (Noel)-6, Thomas Joseph-5, Thomas-4, John-3, 'unknown'-2, 'unknown'-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

Living and Living had the following children:

- 172 i **Living** was born (date unknown).
173 ii **Living** was born (date unknown).

118. **Living** (Living -6, Nicholas-5, Thomas-4, Nicholas-3, 'unknown'-2, 'unknown'-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

Living and Living had the following child:

- 174 i **Living** was born (date unknown).

128. **Living** (Bridget (Betty) Crowe-6, Catherine (Kate) Coffey-5, Bridget Treacy-4, Thomas-3, 'unknown'-2, 'unknown'-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

129. **Living** (Gerald B.-6, Patrick (Pat)-5, John-4, John-3, 'unknown'-2, 'unknown'-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

130. **Living** (Gerald B.-6, Patrick (Pat)-5, John-4, John-3, 'unknown'-2, 'unknown'-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

131. **Living** (Gerald B.-6, Patrick (Pat)-5, John-4, John-3, 'unknown'-2, 'unknown'-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

144. **Living** (Margaret Murphy-6, Catherine Treacy-5, John-4, John-3, 'unknown'-2, 'unknown'-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

Living and Living had the following children:

- 175 i **Living** was born (date unknown).
- 176 ii **Living** was born (date unknown).

149. **Beryl Marion WILLIAMS** (Leonard Ryan-6, Ellen Mary Ryan-5, Mary O'Brien-4, Ellen Real-3, Mary Margaret Treacy-2, 'unknown'-1) was born in 1923. She died on 15 Jan 2019 at the age of 96 in Alexandra, New Zealand. Beryl Marion WILLIAMS and Thomas (Tom) Cyril KELLIHER were married.

Thomas (Tom) Cyril KELLIHER was born about 1926 in Alexandra, New Zealand. He died on 8 Apr 2016 at the age of 90 in Alexandra, New Zealand.

Thomas (Tom) Cyril KELLIHER and Beryl Marion WILLIAMS had the following children:

- +177 i **Living** .
- +178 ii **Living** .
- +179 iii **Living** .

150. **Donald WILLIAMS** (Leonard Ryan-6, Ellen Mary Ryan-5, Mary O'Brien-4, Ellen Real-3, Mary Margaret Treacy-2, 'unknown'-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

Donald WILLIAMS and Living had the following child:

- 180 i **Living** was born (date unknown).

Eighth Generation

151. **Living** (Living-7, Sheila Treacy-6, Thomas Joseph-5, Thomas-4, John-3, 'unknown'-2, 'unknown'-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

152. **Living** (Living-7, Sheila Treacy-6, Thomas Joseph-5, Thomas-4, John-3, 'unknown'-2, 'unknown'-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

Living and Living had the following child:

181 i **Living** was born (date unknown).

153. **Living** (Living-7, Sheila Treacy-6, Thomas Joseph-5, Thomas-4, John-3, 'unknown'-2, 'unknown'-1) was born (date unknown).

Living, daughter of Living , was born (date unknown).

Living and Living had the following children:

182 i **Living** was born (date unknown).

183 ii **Living** was born (date unknown).

154. **Living** (Carrie Anderson-7, Sheila Treacy-6, Thomas Joseph-5, Thomas-4, John-3, 'unknown'-2, 'unknown'-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

Living and Living had the following children:

184 i **Living** was born (date unknown).

185 ii **Living** was born (date unknown).

177. **Living** (Beryl Marion Williams-7, Leonard Ryan-6, Ellen Mary Ryan-5, Mary O'Brien-4, Ellen Real-3, Mary Margaret Treacy-2, 'unknown'-1) was born (date unknown).

Shirley 'UNKNOWN' was born (date unknown).

178. **Living** (Beryl Marion Williams-7, Leonard Ryan-6, Ellen Mary Ryan-5, Mary O'Brien-4, Ellen Real-3, Mary Margaret Treacy-2, 'unknown'-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

179. **Living** (Beryl Marion Williams-7, Leonard Ryan-6, Ellen Mary Ryan-5, Mary O'Brien-4, Ellen Real-3, Mary Margaret Treacy-2, 'unknown'-1) was born (date unknown).

Living was born (date unknown).

- 'PRIVATE'
... 25
- 'UNKNOWN'
... 1-2, 29
Shirley ... 34
- <NO SURNAME>
Living ... 22-23, 25-35
Living ... 30
- ALLIS
Bridget (b. 1863) ... 11
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- ANDERSON
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- BOURKE
Julienne (b. 1991) ... 31
Marielle (b. 1991) ... 31
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