

# Family Group Sheet

**Name** Thomas McConnell  <sup>1,2</sup>

**Birth** 1821, Ireland<sup>3</sup>

**Birth** 1823, Ireland<sup>4,5</sup>

**Birth** 1825, Ireland<sup>6,7,8</sup>

**Death** 1 Sep 1891, Moscow, Allegany, Maryland<sup>3,5,8</sup> Age: 70

**Cause of death** pneumonia <sup>5,8</sup>

**Burial** 4 Sep 1891, Frostburg, Allegany, Maryland<sup>3,8</sup>

**Residence** Jul 1860, Allegany, Maryland<sup>9</sup> Age: 39

**Residence** 1 Jul 1863, Westernport, Allegany, Maryland<sup>4</sup> Age: 42

**Residence** 22 Aug 1870, Allegany, Maryland<sup>6</sup> Age: 49

**Occupation** miner<sup>6,4,9</sup>

**Marriage** 22 Jan 1846, Killanummery, Leitrim, Ireland<sup>1</sup>

**Spouse** Mary McHugh  <sup>6,1,9,2</sup>

**Birth** Apr 1822, Ireland<sup>10</sup>

**Birth** Apr 1825, Ireland<sup>6,11</sup>

**Death** 25 Apr 1907, Paradise, Allegany, Maryland<sup>10</sup> Age: 85

**Burial** 27 Apr 1907, Frostburg, Allegany, Maryland<sup>10</sup>

**Residence** 1860, Allegany, Maryland<sup>9</sup> Age: 37

**Residence** 1870, Allegany, Maryland<sup>6</sup> Age: 47

**Residence** 1900, Ocean, Allegany, Maryland<sup>11</sup> Age: 77

## Children

**1 M** Michael McConnell  <sup>12,6,13,10,14</sup>

**Birth** Feb 1851, Scotland<sup>6,13,15</sup>

**Death** 15 Oct 1893, Lonaconing, Allegany, Maryland<sup>13</sup> Age: 42

**Cause of death** Typhoid Fever<sup>13</sup>



**Spouse** Catherine Broderick (1852-1883) 

**Marriage** 20 May 1872, Lonaconing, Allegany, Maryland<sup>16</sup>

**2 M** Patrick McConnell  <sup>17,18,19,20,21,22</sup>

**Birth** 6 Mar 1853, Eckhart Mines, Allegany, Maryland<sup>19</sup>

**Death** 26 May 1927, Lonaconing, Allegany, Maryland<sup>18,19</sup> Age: 74

**Cause of death** Apoplexy<sup>19</sup>



**Spouse** Cecilia Bridget Broderick (1855-1914) 

**Marriage** 26 May 1874, Lonaconing, Allegany, Maryland<sup>21</sup>

**3 M** James P. McConnell  <sup>23,24,25,26,27,6,9,10,28,29,30</sup>



**Birth** 24 Dec 1854, Eckhart Mines, Allegany, Maryland<sup>27,28,24</sup>

**Death** 17 Mar 1924, Barton, Allegany, Maryland<sup>31,24</sup> Age: 69

**Cause of death** Angina pectoralis<sup>31</sup>

**Spouse** **Anna Belle Showalter** (1857-1910)

**Marriage** 6 May 1875, Midland, Allegany, Maryland<sup>23</sup>

**4 M Peter McConnell** <sup>6,2,32,33,34,35,36,10,37</sup>

**Birth** 10 Mar 1856, Allegany, Maryland<sup>2</sup>

**Birth** 10 Mar 1857, Maryland<sup>33,34,32,33</sup>

**Death** 9 Dec 1918, Lonaconing, Allegany, Maryland<sup>2,32,33</sup> Age: 62

**Cause of death** Chronic Bronchitis, with Dyspnea <sup>2</sup>



**Spouse** **Matilda Hammers** (1859-1920)

**Marriage** 17 May 1883, Maryland<sup>33,33,38</sup>

**5 F Mary Ellen McConnell** <sup>6,9,11,39,40</sup>

**Birth** May 1860, Allegany, Maryland<sup>6</sup>

**Death** Feb 1907<sup>10</sup> Age: 46



**Spouse** **Samuel Trezise** (1853-1926)

**Marriage** 2 Feb 1882, Barton, Allegany, Maryland

**6 M Bernard McConnell** <sup>6,41,42,10,43</sup>

**Birth** 29 Mar 1862, Maryland<sup>44</sup>



**Spouse** **Malinda Newell** (1857-1920)

**Marriage** 1885<sup>41,42</sup>

**7 M Thomas P. McConnell** <sup>45,46,45,6,47,10,48,49,50,51</sup>

**Birth** 25 Mar 1864, Barton, Allegany, Maryland<sup>45</sup>

**Death** 30 Jan 1933, Edgewood, Allegheny, Pennsylvania<sup>45,52</sup> Age: 68

**Cause of death** Chronic Myocarditis<sup>45</sup>

**Spouse** **Christena Firle** (1870-1945)

**Marriage** 1894<sup>46,53</sup>

### Notes for Thomas McConnell

Thomas McConnell was born in Ireland about 1825.

He married Mary McHugh on Jan 22 1846 in Killanummery, Co LeitrimIreland.

In July 1850, Thomas embarked to America from Liverpool on a ship called the Schoodiac. Ship records list his occupation as a farmer. I do not believe this is my Thomas, for a few reasons. The reports years of his birth do not correspond to this one. More importantly though if Thomas left Ireland that early and Mary came later, he could not have fathered Patrick.

On October 21, 1856, Thomas became a citizen of the United States.

In the 1860 federal census the family is living in Allegany Co, Md. They live on real estate worth \$200 and Thomas is working as a miner. I have yet to determine if Thomas fought in the civil war, if he did, he survived for he is listed in the 1870 Federal census in Westernport, Allegany Dist 4, he and all his sons including 13 year old Peter is working in the mines.

They are listed in the 1870 census, with two additional sons, Thomas and Bernard. I cannot locate any of the family in the 1880 census

UPDATE 11/19/2012 found on webpage

The Herald, Piedmont, West Virginia, 4 Sep 1891:

"Barton-Mr. Tom McConnell, Sr., an old and respected citizen of Moscow, died at his home, Tuesday of pneumonia.

Funeral Thursday morning at Catholic church, Barton, interment in Catholic cemetery.'

Published Saturday, September 5, 1891 in the MINING JOURNAL, Frostburg, Maryland on page 3, col. 3.

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Thomas McConnell is Dead.

Thomas McConnell, of Moscow, died at his home Tuesday morning, aged about sixty-five. His death resulted from pneumonia, the consequence of a cold contracted some time ago. The funeral took place today and the interment was in Barton Catholic cemetery.

Published Friday, September 4, 1891 in THE WEEKLY CIVILIAN, Cumberland, Maryland on page 8, col. 5.

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The funeral of Thomas McConnell, Sr., will be postponed until Saturday, the 6th inst. His remains will be interred at Frostburg.

Published Thursday, September 3, 1891 in the CUMBERLAND DAILY TIMES, Cumberland, Maryland on page 4, col. 1.

### Notes for Mary McHugh

Mary came to the United States aboard the John Hancock on November 13, 1851. She travel with her 10 month old infant son Michael whom she had given birth to in Scotland after her husband had already left for America.

In 1900, Mary is living with her daughter Mrs. Mary Tresize, in Maryland.

Mrs. McConnell, one of Midland's oldest women, died at the home of her son, Mr. Thomas McConnell, in Paradise, yesterday. She was 85 years old and until a few weeks ago made her home with the late Mrs. Samuel Tersize {sic-Trezise}, on Back street. She came to this country from Ireland many years ago and has always made her home in the vicinity of Midland. She was a life-long follower of the Roman Catholic religion. She is survived by the following sons: Mr. Thomas McConnell, of Midland, Bernard, Patrick, Peter and James. She was the mother of the late Mrs. Tersize {sic-Trezise}."

Evening Times, Cumberland, Maryland, April 26, 1907

(Courtesy of Shawn McGreevy)

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