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I am sorry that the summer issue of the Newsletter is so late. In late spring and early summer I was involved in some preparations for next years National Genealogical Society Conference to be held in Columbus, Ohio May 28-31, 1986. If any of you are planning to attend let me know so we can get together.

Late in July I headed west to attend this years NGS Conference. I went by Am Track across the northern route, through the North Dakota Bad Lands. Past Glacier National Park, and down the west coast through the Cascades to San Francisco. The scenery was beautiful, and it was great to sit back and enjoy it without worrying about driving. The trains were very comfortable and the food and service better than I had expected.

After spending almost a week with my son Ben Cooper in San Francisco, I went on to Salt Lake Gity tor the Conference, which was very worth while. I stayed on in Salt Lake for a week of research,

I got home just in time to start to work on the County Fair Flower Show. Then before I could get my notes and finds from Salt Lake organized and start the Newsletter started a house quest arrived and as soon as I took care of some commitments we took off on a trip to Lancaster County Pa. At last I'm getting started.

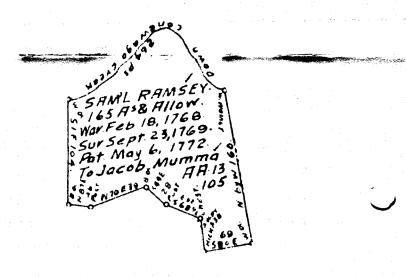
The ancestors of the Mumas in Canada are supposed to be Jacob and Betsy Muma from Pennsylvania. One account says they were natives of Germany. (were they realy born in Germany or did later generations assume so because they still used the German language)?

Much research has been done by several researchers, but this Jacob has not been fit into any family group. Since his oldest son was born in 1775 he was probably born ca. 1750. One possibility is 111 Jacob 11Jacob was under 16 in 1731 when he arrivev in America so he ould have been starting his family about 1745-1750 and his oldest son was Jacob. Another possibility would be that Laurentz had a son Jacob. The ship Two Brothers that Lorentz came on in 1747 did not list the children so he could have had a son born in Gernany about the right age to be the Jacob who went to Canada.

He may be the Jacob who aquired this land fron Samuel Ramsey, which he patened in 1772. About the time he would have been married. This might even suggest a Ramesy connection.

This land in in the part of Donegal Twp that is now Conoy. There is no Jacob listed in the 1790 census in Donegal, so the owner of this property must have left before that.

Jacob son of Jacob and Betsy, who went to Canada was supposed to be born in Virginia in 1791. Possibably they went to Virginia for a few years before emigrating



Using the code letters jc for Jacob of Canada and Dr. Kloepfers numbering system I will list the first three generations of this family from the records of Robert Muma. If any one wants further generations on any family write to me and I will copy it for you.

Jacob Muma b ca 1750 d Canada m ca 1770 Elizabeth (Betsy) 1. Samuel Muma b 10 Sept. 1775 in Pa. Bur. Drumbo Cem. m Elizabeth Misner b 15 May 1784 jс jc1 1. Mary Muma 1811 jc11 2. Andrew Muna 1813 jc12 3. Phoebe Muma 1814 jc13 4. Elizabeth Muma b 1816 m Clem Davis lived in Michigan jc 14 5. John Muma b 1818 jc15 6. Nathan Muma 1820 jc16 7. Henry Muma (Squire) 1822-1902 m Margaret McCarthy 1819-1901 1. Charles Andrew lived Drumbo Ont. 2. Ebenezer Jasper Muma 1848-1901 m 1872 Mary MacCaffray jc17 jc171 jc172 3 Jacob Muma Died in southern states Macleash burried Mt. Pleasant cem. Toronto jc174 4. Emily Mumma m 5. Alexander Muma ic175 6. Agnes Muma jc176 7. Joseph Muma ic177 8. Maitland Muma jc178 8. Ellen Muma b 1824 m Joseph Glover. Large family , Oxford Co. Ont. jc18 9. Hamilton Muma b 1826 lived in Rosebush , Isabella Co. Mich. jc19 10. Nelson Muma b 1828 jc10 1. Annie Muma jc101 2. John Muma jc102 3. Keza Muma jc103

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4. Sarah Muma
jc104
                  5. Rose Muma
jc105
                  6. Robert Muma
jc106
                  7. Judd Muma
jc107
                  8. Benjamin Muma
jc108
                  9. Susan Muma
jc109
            11. Thomas Muma b 1831 moved to Saginaw Mich.
jc1a
            12. Samuel Muma b 1833 moved to Michigam
 jc1b
            13. George Nathan Muma b 1836 d 1905 m(1) Isobel Waugh
1. Malissa Jane Muma b 1858 d 1927 m. Moses Innis b 1863 d 1921
 jc1c
 jc1c1
                  2. Nancy Sophia Muma b 1861 m Abram C. Holder
 jc1c2
                  3. Thomas Frederick Muma b 1864 d 1941 m 1892 Lavenyea Davis b 1868
 jc1c3
                  4. Samuel Edward Muma 1866 d 1906 m Sarah Louise Hayman b 1866 d 1917
 jc1c4
                   5. Sarah Muma b 1869
 jc1c5
                  6. Emily Muma b 1870
 jc1c6
                  7. Charles Henry Muma b 1874 m 1898 Annie Newman
 jc1c7
                  8. George Nathan Muma b 1875 d 1943 m 1905 Jane Isabelle Forman
 jc1c8
                  9. Sarah Elizabeth Muma b 1878 m 1900 Thomas Grigg
 jc1c9
                 10. Nellie Maude Muma b 1880
 jc1c0
                  11. William Muma b 1882 m 1915 Flossie Balkwill
12. Harold Canning Muma b 1888 m 1813 Clara Beamer
 jc1ca
 jc1cb
 jc2
         2.George Muma b 2 Sept.
                                      1777 Lansaster Pa.
 jc21
             Anna M Muma Charles Carpenter
 jc22
             2. Jane Muma m B. Wheeler
 ic23
              3. Alfred Muma m Ann Grove
 jc24
             4. Ebenezer Muma m Anna Grove (day, of Daniel and Abigal Grove
 j¢25
             5. Sarah Muma m William Flinn
jc26
             6. Almira Muma Abner J. Warner
jc27
             7, Olive Muma m G. H. Hill
        3. Christion Muma b 28 Aug. 1779 Pa. d 12 July 1863 m 1 Feb. 1813 Anna Vasbinder
jc3
jc31
              1. Philip Muma 1614 m Mary
 jç311
                  1. Charles Muma
                                      Lived in Michigan
jc32
              2. Hanna Muma b 1817 m Jacob Myers
jc33
             3.Eliza Muma 1817 m Rice
4. Christion Muma b 1820 d 1849 unmarried
              3.Eliza Muma 1817 m
jc34
             5. Ruth Muma b 1821 d 1903 m william Nelson Ames b1812 d 1893
1. Wm. Nelson Ames b 1848 d 1905
2 Ruth Ames b 1850 d 1913 m Wm. B.D. LaPierre
jc35
jc351
je352
je353
                  3. James A. Ames b 1852 d 1931 m 1876 Elizabeth
je354
je355
                 4.Alexander Ames b 1856 d 1934 m 1882 Catherine Markle 5 Dmma Ames b 1860 d 1936 m 1888 F.G.Strickland
jc356
                 6. Mary Louise Ames b 1862 m 1890 Charles. Sauermann
             7. Margaret Ames b 1864 m 1898 Chas. Wm. Lawton
6. Charlotte Muma b 1824 First teacher in Dumbo.Married and liveu in Chicago
jc357
jc36
jc37
             7. Ester Muma b 1828 m William Pinkham
jc371
                 1. Ebenezer Pinkham b 1852 died in Los Angeles
2. George Pinkham Lived in Michigan
jc372
                 3. William Pinkham m Bertha Scott died Los Angeles
jc373
                 4. Joseph Pinkham Doctor in Michigan
jc374
jc375
                 5. Fred Pinckham
             8. Absoalom Muma b 1831 m 1865 Ann Lawrance b 1832 Brant Co.
jc38
jc381
                 1. George Bertram Muma b 1867 m Annie Kyle
jc382
                 2. Clara Augusta Muma m

    Clara Augusta Muma m ____ Anderson
    Margaret Ann Muma n Perris Daniels

jc383
            9. George W. Muma 1834 d 1859 School teacher died crossing mountains fron Calif.
jc39
        4. Jacob Muma b 1791 in Virginia d 1876 St. George, Ont. m 1816 Susan Sternaman
jc4
jc41
                 Benjamin Muma b 1811 d 1854 m Katherine
jc411
                 1. John Muma b 1843 d 1896 m 1866 Alvira Bears 1848-1937
2. Joseph Muma b 1846 d 1922 m Rachel Beares 1849-1926
jc412
jc413
                 3. James Muma b 1850 d 1921 m Eliza Beares 1856-1924
4. Elman Muma
jc414
jc415
                    Hannah Muma m_
                                           Schooly
jc416
                 6. Susan Muma m Jas, Cutler
jc42
            2. George Muma
jc43
             3. Peter Muma
4. Rachel Muma
jc44
                                m Daniel Manner(?)
jc45
             Elizabeth Muma m ___ Smith (?)
             6. Michael Muma b 1818 d 1905 m (1) 1841 Elizabeth Matthews (2) 1891 Helen Cheney
J¢46
jc461
                  1. Nelson Muma m 1867 Mary AnnStarr, lived Manitoba and Sask.
jc462
                  2. Edgar m 1876 Rosetta Wilbur
                  3 Charles Muma m 1872 Charolette Rutheford , lived in Iowa
jc463
                  4. Alfred Muma
5. Franklin Muma
jc464
                                          d 1921 m 1882 Victoria Cloeman
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Jc466
                   6 Susan Muma
jc467
                   7. Mary Muma b 1851 d 1892 unmarried
jc468
                   8 Louisa Muma m 1879 Whitney Wilbur
jc469
                   9. Melvin Muma
jc460
                 10, William Muma
       5. Michael Muma b 2 July 1800 Crowland Twp, Dist, of Niagra d 24 Sept.1873 Warwick Twn Lambton Co. Ont. m Sarah Willson b 24 March 1806 d 10 May 1884. bur. Arkona Cem. 1.Peter Muma b 1826 d 1904 m (1) 1856 Sarah Ann b 1830 d 1857 (2)Matilda Keister
Jc5
jc51
                   1. Dianna Muma b 1857 d 1933
jc511
jc512
                   2.George F. Muma b 1859 d 1939
                   3. Sarah Ann Muma b 1864 d 1942
ic 513
jc514
                   4. Hugh Muma m Lillie M.
jc52
              2. Michael Willson Muma b 1828
jc521
                   1. Benjamin Muma
jc522
                   2. Michael Muma b 1854 d 1938
jo523
                   3. Christian Muma
jc524
                   4. Sarah Muma
je525
je53
                   Nelson Muma
              3. Harriet Muma b 1830 m John Detwiler
jc54
             4. Obed Muma
jc541
                   1. Michael Hynry Muma b 1867 d 1916 m(1) Hattie Revoir (2) Alice Revoir
                  2. Scott Muma b 1869 m 1892 Elizabeth Goodrich 1873
3. William Muma b 1871 d 1925
jc542
je543
je55
              5. Christion Muma b 1834 d 1907 m 1859 Rachel Kester
                  1. Michael Kester Muma b. 1860 d 1932 m 1898 Emily
2. Beulah Ann Muma b 1861 d 1942
3. William Thomas Muma b 1865 d 1870
jc551
jc552
je553'
je554
je56
                      Christion John Muma 1869 d 1938 m 1905 m Mary Conrad Webster b 1878
              6. William Muma b 1836 d 1900 m Anna Siter b1842 d 1900
                   1. David M. Muma b 1863 m Bessie
2. Cornelius Muma 1867 d 1935 m 1888 Mary Ann Willson
3. Peter Nicholas Muma 1865 m 1898 m 1888
jc561
jc562
jc563
                   4. Sarah Catherine Muma b 1869 m Aaron White Hazard
jc564
              7. Sarah Muma b1838 d 1935 m 1958 Nelson Keester 1834-1926
jc57
                   1. Michael Kester b 1860 d 1939 m 1881 Elizabeth Edith Pitcher b 1863
jc571
                   2.Aaron Woolman Kester b 1860d 1928 m (1) 1887 Matilda T. Near (2)Alice
jc572
                          (3) Lillie Gray
                    3. Seth Orval Kester b 1862 d 1881 unmarried
                   4. Edgar Elwin Kester b 1865 d 1942 m Lavena Julin
 jc574
                    5. Peter Lewellyn Kester b1870 in 1907 Minnie Martin Kirtley
                   7. Sarah Kester 1872 d 1872 twins
8. Christian Eugene Kester b 1873 m (1) 1904 Irene Casper Perrine d 1930 m (2)Clare Tingley
 je 575
Je 576
 je<u>577</u>
je578
                    9, Hugh Davis Kester b 1875 m 1902 Katherine Whitback
 jc579
jc570
                  10 Addie Alberta Kester b 1878 m 1910 Fred Walker b 1879
                  11, Alice Lorene Kester b 1880 m (1)1921 Jessie Lorah d 1928
 jc57a
                            (2) 1933 Geo. W. Perkins
               8. Lemuel Muma b 1841 d 1919 m Mary Jane Bailley
  jc 58
                     1.Francis Georga Muma
  jc581.
                     2.Elizabeth Muma
  jc582
                     3.Roy Muma
                9. Hannah Muma b 1845 d 1931 m David Sitter b 1840 d 1915
  jc583
   jc59
                     1. Harmon Sitter b 1865 d 1943
                     2. Nathaniel Sitter b 1866 d 1871
3. John Sitter b 1870 d 1950 m 1895 Minnie Louise Bissel
   jc591
   jc592
jc593
                     4. Sarah Catherine Sitter b 1872 m 1892 Alexander Maidment
                     m (2) 1906 Jas. B. Demster

5. Nicholas Alfred Sitter b 1874 m 1900 Ellen Matilda Russel b 1876 d 1940

6. Friend Arthur Sitter b 1878 d 1939 m (1) 1907 Margaret Cluness d 1930
   jc 594
  jc595
   jc 596
                             (2)Agnes Ross
                     7, Stanley Sitter b 1881 d 1904
8. Janet Sitter b 1884 d 1904
  jc597
               10.Annie Muma b 1849 d 1928 m (1) Alfred Fockner (2) Peter Bender
  jc598
           6. Henry Muma went to St. George, Ont. with his brothers Christion and Michael in 1819
  jc.50
  jc6
           7. Absalom Muma no records may have died young.
  jc7
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         There are supposed to have been two other girls in the family. They may have died young.
           8. Betsy Muma m
   jc8
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