

EMERY DEMARS & MARGARET TERRION

EMERY DEMARS

- born 16 September, 1824, St. Eustache, Quebec
- parents; Jean Baptiste Demars & Marie Anne Jolicoeur Lachaine
- died 20 October, 1895, Marmora
- buried at Sacred Heart of Jesus Catholic Cemetery, Marmora, Ontario
- married Margaret Terrion
- on 15 April, 1850 at St Michael's Church, Belleville, Ont
- Margaret born 30 Dec, 1831
- parents; John Terrion & Catherine Besc
- Margaret died 1 April, 1916, Marmora
- Margaret buried at Sacred Heart Cemetery, Marmora
- refer to their upright monument in old South Section, Panel 3.
- 15 known children;

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| Catherine Demars | - born 1856 |
| Mary Anne Demars | - born 2 January, 1857 |
| Emmorey Demars | - born 1859 |
| Rachel Demars | - born 1861 |
| Isadore Demars | - born April, 1864 |
| Benjamin Paul Demars | - born 18 August, 1865 |
| John Demars | - born 1867c |
| Michael Demars | - born 29 September, 1869 |
| <i>or Lorraine</i>
Margaret Louise Demars | - born 29 September, 1869 |
| Sarah Lucinda Demars | - born 26 May, 1870 |
| Emery Demars | - born 29 April, 1871 |
| Nancy Demars | - born 1873c |
| Isabella Jane Demars | - born 21 May, 1873 |
| Emily Demars | - born 1875c |
| Susanna Demars | - born 5 January, 1879 |

CHILDREN OF EMERY DEMARS & MARGARET TERRION

- CATHERINE DEMARS
- born 1856, Marmora
 - married Charles Labash
 - on 19 June, 1873 at Sacred Heart of Mary Catholic Church, Madoc, Ontario
 - I have the 1873 marriage records for Sacred Heart, Madoc and could not verify that date for you?.
 - settled in Parry Sound, Ontario (was there as late as 1934)
- MARY ANNE DEMARS
- born 2 January, 1857, Marmora
 - married John Legrow (Legros)
 - on 3 October, 1875 at Sacred Heart of Mary Catholic Church, Madoc, Ontario
 - witnesses; Jeremiah Legrow & Catherine Darrah
 - John born 1854 in Trois Riveres, Quebec
 - John died 1941
 - both settled in New Liskeard near Haileyburg in Northern, Ont in 1909
 - Mary died 11 June, 1947 at her Haileyburg residence
 - known children;
- Catherine Christina Legrow
- born 14 May, 1895
 - bapt 9 June, 1895 at Sacred Heart Church, Marmora
 - godparents; Isadore Demars & Mrs Patrick Doyle
 - married William McIntyre
 - living in Haileyburg in 1947
- Mary Roselta Legrow
- born
 - died in 1936c
 - married Henry August Bertrand
 - on 12 January, 1909 at White River, Ont
- Jeremiah or Gerald Legrow
- born
 - married Jessie Dillworth on 26 August, 1901 at Sacred Heart Church, Marmora
 - parents; James Dillworth & Margaret Lewis
- John Legrow
- born
 - married Nina Forestell
 - on 17 November, 1903 at Sacred Heart Church, Marmora
 - parents; Charles Forestell & Anne Sanford

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- Thomas Legrow -
- William Legrow -
- Margaret Legrow - born
 - married Henry Albert Jackson
 - on 22 April, 1903 at Sacred Heart Church, Marmora
 - parents; Allan Jackson & Jane Goneau

EMMOREY DEMARS

- born 1859, Marmora
- married Nancy Doyle
- on 10 September, 1883 at Sacred Heart of Mary Church, Madoc, Ontario
- witnesses; William & Mary Legrow
- remarried Catherine Legrow in May, 1887
- known children;
 - Mary Margaret - born
 - married Terrence McGovern
 - on 10 January, 1911 at North Red Deer
 - Catherine Demars - born 15 October, 1896
 - bapt 15 November, 1896 at Sacred Heart Church, Marmora
 - godparents; Joseph Kirkey & Catherine Sheridan
 - Isadore Demars - born 1 December, 1897
 - bapt 2 January, 1898 at Sacred Heart Church, Marmora
 - godparents; Isadore & Susan Demars
- Emmorey remarried Margaret McDonnell
- on 24 July, 1900 at Sacred Heart Church, Marmora, Ontario
- Margaret's parents; John A McDonnell & Mary McDougall
- Emmorey died March, 1934, Rocky Mountain, Alberta
- NOTES - I believe Margaret McDonnell was previously married to Levi Legrow who died on 1 January, 1899 at the age of 39. He is buried at Sacred Heart Cemetery, Marmora, Ontario.

RACHEL DEMARS

- born 1861, Marmora, Ontario
- died before 1918

ISADORE DEMARS

- born April, 1864, Marmora
- died 3 July, 1918 a Paralytic stroke
- he never married
- buried at Sacred Heart Catholic Cemetery, Marmora, Ontario
- no monument or inscription located

BENJAMIN PAUL DEMARS

- born 18 August, 1865, Marmora
 - died 2 March, 1934 of Heart attack
 - buried at Sacred Heart cemetery, Marmora
 - married Jane Mary Sheridan
 - on 28 November, 1899 at Sacred Heart Church, Marmora, Ontario
 - Jane born 1866c
 - Jane's parents; Patrick Sheridan & Mary Quinn
 - Jane died 15 June, 1953 at St Joseph's Hospital, Peterborough, Ont
 - Jane buried at Sacred Heart Cemetery, Marmora
 - no monument or inscription located at their burial plot in Centre Section, Plot 85
 - farmed 1100 acres on 4 conc, lot 9 and 100 acres on 5th conc, lot 24
- no children; (see NOTES)

NOTES; LEONA MARY DEMARS

- born 18 September, 1906
- bapd 2 November, 1908 at House of Providence, Kingston, Ontario
- parents; unknown
- confirmed 27 May, 1919 at Sacred Heart Church, Marmora, Ont
- married Joseph Bernard Lynch
- on 27 July, 1925 at Sacred Heart Church, Marmora
- sponsor was Mary Nichols

JOHN DEMARS

- born 1867c

MICHAEL DEMARS

- born 29 September, 1869, Marmora
- bapt 17 October, 1869 at Sacred Heart of Mary, Madoc
- godparents; Michael & Catherine Bedore
- died 24 May, 1959 at Redvers, Sask
- married Mathilda Peters
- on 3 November, 1899 at Brandon, Manitoba

MARGARET LOUISE DEMARS - born 29 September, 1869, Marmora

- bapt 17 October, 1869 at Sacred Heart, Madoc
- godparents; Robert Gibson & Joseph Kirkey
- married William Joseph Kirkey
- on 7 January, 1890 at Sacred Heart Church, Madoc, Ont
- known children;

John Emery Kirkey

- born 8 September, 1897
- bapt 10 October, 1897 at Sacred Heart Church, Marmora
- married Daisy Arnold
- on 23 November, 1921 at New Liskeard

Henry Kirkey

- born 4 May, 1900
- bapt 3 June, 1900 at Sacred Heart Church, Marmora
- godparents; Henry Bertrand & Bridget Quinn

Margaret Elizabeth

- born 14 May, 1902
- bapt 15 June, 1902 at Sacred Heart Church, Marmora
- married Ovide Ladoucier
- on 30 September, 1936 at St. Luc Church, Abitibi, Quebec

Patrick Thomas Kirkey

- born 1 April, 1904
- bapt 8 May, 1904 at Sacred Heart Church, Marmora

SARAH LUCINDA DEMARS

- born 26 May, 1870, Marmora, Ontario
- died 23 May, 1945 at her Marmora residence
- buried at Sacred Heart Cemetery, Marmora
- married Patrick Doyle
- on 10 June, 1891 at Sacred Heart Church, Madoc, Ontario
- Patrick born 15 June, 1863, Madoc
- parents; John Doyle & Sarah VanWort
- Patrick died 2 May, 1927, Marmora
- Patrick buried at Sacred Heart Cemetery, Marmora
- refer to their upright monument in Centre Section, Plot 43
- Known children;

Margaret Helena Doyle

- born 1893
- married Henry Francis Bertrand
- on 26 September, 1911 at Sacred Heart Church, Marmora
- Margaret remarried
- William Henry Forestell
- parents; Stanislaus Bertrand and Emma Watson

Evelyn Mary Doyle

- born 7 December, 1896
- married Vincent St. Charles Cox
- on 23 October, 1918 at Sacred Heart Church, Marmora
- parents; Wm Cox & Margaret St. Charles.

Agnes Ellen Doyle

- born 24 April, 1899
- married Allan Floyd Simmons
- on 12 April, 1920 at Sacred Heart Church, Marmora
- parents; David Simmons & Ellen Hoffman

Patrick Joseph Doyle

- born 15 March, 1901
- bapt 7 April, 1901 at Sacred Heart Church, Marmora
- godparents; Mr & Mrs Benjamin Demars

Mary Frances Doyle

- born 26 May, 1904
- married Charles Vincent Crawford on 12 September, 1932 at Sacred Heart Church, Marmora
- parents; John Crawford & Mary Goodwin.

Leo Maurice Doyle - born 22 September, 1906
- bapt 26 October, 1906 at Sacred Heart Church, Marmora
- married Bernice Catherine Forestell
- on 15 October, 1938 at Sacred Heart Church, Marmora
- parents; Wm Forestell & Edith Moon

Kathleen Rose Doyle - born 21 April, 1909
- married Carl Peter McCoy
- on 21 June, 1940 at Sacred Heart Church, Marmora
- parents; Wm McCoy & Alice Nobes

Joseph Doyle

Sarah Loretto Doyle - born
- married William Reynolds
- on 8 June, 1909
- at Sacred Heart Church, Marmora
- parents; Louis Reynolds & Mary LaRose

MYSTERY DEMARS

FRANCIS DEMARS

- born ?
- married Fannie Gevier ? (spelling) 15 January, 1872, Madoc
known children
- Paul Demars
 - born 5 November, 1873
 - bapt 21 November, 1873 at Sacred Heart
Church, Madoc, Ontario
 - godparents; Paul Geviers & Sarah
Anne Demars
- Joseph Ernest Demars - born 5 March, 1875
 - bapt 18 March, 1875 at Sacred Heart
Church, Madoc, Ontario
- Agnes Rosetta Demars - born 4 August, 1877
 - bapt 5 August, 1877 at Sacred Heart
Church, Madoc, Ontario

EMERY DEMARS - born 29 April, 1871, Marmora, Ontario
- bapt 14 May, 1871 at Sacred Heart Church, Madoc
- godparents ; Baptiste Nousseau & Catherine Demars

NANCY DEMARS - born 1873
- married Griffin

ISABELLA JANE DEMARS - born 21 May, 1873, Marmora

died 9 May 1955
STORTHOAKS,
SASK
- bapt 13 July, 1873 at Sacred Heart Church, Madoc
- godparents; James Campbell & Susan Darrah
- married Israel Petrie (Peters)
- on 3 August, 1896 at Sacred Heart Church, Marmora
- Israel's parents; Xavier Petrie & Marie Turgerow
- known children;

Fanny Evelyn Petrie - born 30 December, 1897
- bapt 23 January, 1898 at Sacred Heart Church, Marmora
- godparents; Patrick Doyle & Louise Clairmont.

EMILY DEMARS - born 1875, Marmora

SUSANNA DEMARS - born 5 January, 1879, Marmora
- died 9 July, 1900 (your information)
- Sacred Heart burial records have her buried on 18 June, 1900
- no monument or inscription located

**From Herald Files
of Former Years**

July 11, 1918

A life-long resident of Marmora township passed away suddenly on July 3rd, in the person of Isidore Demas. Since the death of his mother a couple of years ago the deceased had been living with his brother, Benjamin. Death was due to a paralytic stroke. He was 54 years of age and unmarried. The funeral took place Friday, service being conducted by Father Murtagh in the R. C. Church and the remains interred in the R. C. cemetery.

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(April 6, 1916)

One of the oldest residents of Marmora Township passed away on April 1st in the person of Mrs. Margaret Demars at the advanced age of 87 years and 3 months. She is survived by four sons and five daughters. The funeral took place on Monday and was largely attended. Father Murtagh conducted the service and the remains were interred in the R. C. cemetery.

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**FORMER HASTINGS COUPLE
MARRIED 65 YEARS**

New Liskeard, May 17—Married in Hastings County, nearly sixty-five years ago, Mr. and Mrs. John Legrow of Casey Township, fourteen miles from town, have more than 100 living descendants, and they are believed to hold the distinction of being the longest wed couple in the Temiskaming District. Six of their seven children are living, and they have fifty-five grandchildren and forty-two great-grandchildren.

In good health, except for Mrs. Legrow's eyesight, the elderly couple come of farming stock, and they have lived all their lives on the land. Mr. Legrow is in his eighty-sixth year and his wife, the former Mary Demas, celebrated her eighty-third birthday in January. They have lived in Northern Ontario since 1909 when they moved up from their former farm near Marmora, and they settled in Casey Township twenty-six years ago, carving a home out of the solid bush to duplicate an experience in their early married life in Southern Ontario.

Today, they live on a horseless farm, a tractor constructed at home from an old truck purchased for \$75 doing the work formerly requiring equine aid. Twice since settling in Casey Township has their home been threatened by raging bush fires, but in 1916 and again six years later the flames destroyed property all around them, but left untouched their buildings on the banks of Wright Creek, tributary of the Blanche River. Mr. Legrow helped install the plant of the first daily newspaper in Cobalt.

Born in Three Rivers, P.Q., Mr. Legrow moved to Marmora in early life. His wife is a native of Hastings County, and although of French descent, cannot speak a word of that language. The couple were married in the Roman Catholic Church at Marmora on October 3, 1875, by Rev. Father Davis, their attendants being Catherine Darragh, the bride's cousin, and Jerry Legrow brother of the bridegroom. One son Thomas, lives in Toronto; other members of the family are in different parts of the North.

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OBITUARY

MRS. PATRICK DOYLE

Yesterday, May 23rd, Mrs. Sarah Lucinda Doyle, widow of the late Patrick Doyle, passed away at her home in Marmora township in her 75th year. She was a daughter of the late Emery Demas and his wife, Margaret Terrion, and was born at Shanick, Marmora Township. Her parents were among the earliest settlers of the township.

All her life was spent in this district, where she was widely known and had many friends and relatives. She was a devoted member of Sacred Heart Church and when health permitted took an active interest in its work and organizations.

The late Mrs. Doyle is survived by a family of five daughters and two sons. They are Mrs. William Forestell, Marmora; Mrs. William Reynolds, Peterborough; Mrs. Floyd Simmons, Niagara Falls; Mrs. Chas. Crawford, Marmora; Mrs. Carl McCoy, Marmora Township. The sons are Joseph Doyle, who resides in Western Canada, and Leo, on the homestead. Her husband predeceased her several years ago and one daughter, Mrs. Vincent Cox, also passed away some years ago.

The funeral will be held on Friday, May 25th, proceeding from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Carl McCoy, to Sacred Heart Church for Requiem Mass at 10 o'clock. Interment in Sacred Heart Cemetery.

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MARRIED

A very quiet but pretty wedding took place at the Church of the Sacred Heart, North Red Deer, on Tuesday, January 10th, 1911, when Mary Margaret Demas, eldest daughter of Emery Demas, was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Terence McGovern. The bride was attired in helio silk Gloria and wore a beautiful hat to match. She was attended by Miss Flossie Monette, while the groom was supported by the bride's brother, John Demas. The happy couple left on the evening train for Olds where they will reside for a time. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Lamort S. M. T.

The above is taken from the Red Advocate. Mr. and Mrs. Demas and family were residents of Marmora until 1906, when they went west.

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MARRIED

BERTRAND—LEGROW

White River was the scene of a very pretty event on Tuesday, Jan. 12th, when Miss Mary Rosetta Legrow, second eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Legrow, of Marmora, and Henry Augusta Bertrand, of the town of Casey, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony by Rev. Father Evain.

The bride was very becomingly dressed in a suit of brown ladies' cloth with white silk blouse and hat to match. She was attended by Miss Annie E-Lennon, who wore a suit of pale grey basket cloth and hat to match. Mr. Oscar Le Pine performed the duties of best man. After the ceremony the party drove to the home of Mr. Joseph Kirkey, uncle of the bride, where a gorgeous dinner awaited them. The afternoon and night was spent merrily. The bride received many valuable presents as her short acquaintance with the people of Casey have endeared her to many, and the groom is known as one of White River's most honorable young men. The groom's gift to the bride was a handsome gold bracelet set with brilliants.

At a late hour the guests departed all glad to learn that the happy couple will still reside amongst them, and wishing Mr. and Mrs. Bertrand many years of enjoyment on White River.

OBITUARY

MRS. BENJAMIN DEMAS

On Monday morning, June 15th, Mrs. Benjamin Demas passed away in St. Joseph's Hospital, Peterborough, aged 87 years. She became quite ill on Saturday and was conveyed to the hospital where she died Monday morning. Her maiden name was Mary Jane Sheridan and she was a life long resident of this district. Until the death of her husband, which occurred about eighteen years ago, they resided on a farm a short distance north of the village. Since then she had resided in the village, more recently in an apartment with Catharine Connors.

Mrs. Demas was a devout member of Sacred Heart Church and of the Catholic Women's League and the Altar Society. She was of a friendly and kindly disposition and was highly esteemed.

The funeral was held on Wednesday morning, proceeding from the residence of Arthur Sheridan, Marmora township, to Sacred Heart Church where Rev. J. A. O'Neill celebrated Requiem Mass. Interment followed in Sacred Heart cemetery.

The pall bearers were Everett Derry, George Forestell, John Jones, V. M. Lynch, E. D. O'Connor and Joe Murray.

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