

Family Group Record

Name	Miles O'BRIEN [8, p G25; surname only]	
Birth	17 Mar 1777	County Leitrim, Ireland [5912, p 3], [5923], [8367]
Immigration	1830 [1720] Age: 52	
Memo	unknown Port of Entry	
Removal	1837	Irish Grove, Rock Run Township, Stephenson, Illinois [89, p 486] Age: 59
Death	31 Jul 1854	Freeport, Stephenson, Illinois [6, p 4, line 149; death only], [1225, p 2; date only], [5928] Age: 77
Memo	died at home of his daughter, Elizabeth	
Probate	7 Sep 1854 [1225, p 2] Age: 77	
Memo	Inventory date	
Residence	County Clare, Ireland; Irish Grove, Illinois; Rock Run, IL	
Ancestral File #	93DJ-ZNN	
Other spouses:		

Individual Notes

- Left Ireland in 1832. Located at Irish Grove, Vermont. [sic] [8, p G25]
- Arrival in Illinois: 1837, Rock Run township, Stephenson county, Illinois. "The following year, Pat Giblin, Miles O'Brien, were included in the roster of inhabitants gathered at Irish Grove." [89, p 486]
- The husband [Miles O'Brien] was of coarser stripe, not religious. Mary was his favorite child since she didn't put on the airs of "Lib" [Elizabeth O'Brien Hay]. [6, p 2; line 47]
- Mr. O'Brien died with Lib. Mrs. O'Brien used to say 'Do keep a civil tongue, you may die with Lib yet' and he would answer 'God forbid,' but he did. [6, p 4, line 149]
- Public Domain Land Tract Records:
O'Brien, Miles- purchased Sec. 16 Twp. 27N, Rg. 09E on Sept. 27, 1847.
(purchased from the government, no further data available)
- Stephenson County Grantee Index:
O'Brien, Miles by Trust deed, filed Mar 1850. Consideration \$97.80. Recorded Book "B" Mort. pg. 212. Sec. 2 Twp 27 Rg. E [1225, p 3]
- Probate packet #297 for Miles O'Brien:
County Court Record "B" at Page ____, #126, under date of Sept. 4, 1854, shows the following:
"Estate of Miles O'Bryan. deceased at this day comes Jonathan Hay and files a written Petition setting forth therein that Miles O'Bryan died intestate on or about 31st day of July AD 1854, leaving personal property to the amount of \$80.00 so far as he believes, and prays that Letters of Administration be issued to secure the same.
Where upon the court ordered that said Jonathan Hay be appointed such Administration by give Bond with approved security in the penal sum of \$200.00.
It is further ordered that no appraiser be appointed as the effects of said deceased consist of one Judgement and Books accounts."
[Researchers note: this is a handwritten note in the packet evidently copied from a record Book "B". The packet was taken out by the abstract office in 1959 and the handwriting matches the writing on the file card in the packet from the circuit clerk's office.]
Another note in the packet in the same handwriting reads:
Probate Estate Docket "A" pg. 33
Shows: Amount of Bond \$200.00
Date of Inventory: Sept. 7, 1854
Filed Apr. 7, 1854
Does not list heirs. [1225, p 2]
- I could not find any reference to a burial place for Miles O'Brian and his wife, but there are many old stones that have crumbled or are unreadable in Freeport area cemeteries. I feel certain that they are buried out there somewhere. I found his property: it is located on the east side of North Eggert Road, north of Illinois Highway 75 East, in Rock City, Illinois, 61070. (just a few miles from the Wisconsin border.) The land looks luscious, with undulating hills, and very few trees. [6150]
- Miles O'Brien's name is "Myles." [6210]
- I'm sending you an article from the Freeport newspaper from August 21, 1922, that says the first meetings of the St. Patrick's Catholic Church in Irish Grove were conducted at the house of Miles O'Brien. [6210]
- The history of St. Patrick's church of Irish Grove begins with the first celebration of the Mass in 1841 by the Rev. Father Petiot in the house of Miles O'Brien, for Catholics who had settled in that region. The O'Brien homestead afterward became better known as the James Spellman home. [6212, p 2]

Census Data

- 1840 Census: Buffalo Grove, Ogle, Illinois. 21000001/011001. 2 males under 5, William, Barnabas; 1 male 5-10, James; 1 male 50-60, Miles; 1 female 5-10; Elizabeth; 1 female 10-15, Mary; 1 female 30-40, Mary Curley. Patrick Giblin also enumerated nearby. [1224]
- 1850 Census: Rock Run, Stephenson, Illinois. Age 74; farmer; \$1,000. Cannot read or write. Listed with Miles O'Brien, age 7. [401]

General

- I just finished reading a 25-page article entitled "Pre-Famine Irish in Vermont, 1815-1844" by Vincent Feeney. Here are some highlights:
1) Following the French Revolution, Irish agriculture culture collapsed, as the troops didn't need to be fed. Irish soldiers in Britain's army were sent home to a weakened economy. Recurring outbreaks of smallpox, typhus and cholera, periodic potato crop failures and political tensions

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made life hard. 2) Since Britain imposed a tax on passage to the USA, Irish could travel to Canada for much less than to Boston or Philadelphia or New York. The ships returned to England with Canadian timber. Thus, from 1816 to 1836, the majority of immigrants from Ireland landed in 1.) Maritime Provinces, 2.) Quebec, 3.) Montreal. 3) From Montreal, an immigrant could travel across the St. Lawrence River to LaPrairie, and take a coach 15 miles to St. Jean-sur-Richelieu on the Richelieu River. (Later, beginning in 1836, there was a train to take.) St. Jeans was the northern connection connecting Canada to the Lake Champlain ports of Burlington, Plattsburg and Whitehall. Steamboats traveled every second day from St. Jean-sur-Richelieu to Burlington. I think the family would have traveled from Ireland in the spring, but more likely the spring of 1831, rather than 1830, when the child was not so tiny and the mother still nursing. [6161]		
• The first organization of the Catholic Church of Burlington and of Chittenden county took place in 1830, when Rev. Jeremiah O'Callaghan, a native of the county Cork, and a priest of the Diocese of Cloyne, Ireland, was sent by Bishop Fenwick, of Boston, to this place. Rev. Mr. O'Callaghan commenced the erection of a church on this property (land now known as Mt. St. Joseph's Cemetery) in 1832. This building was destroyed by incendiaries it is believed, in 1838. It was attended by all the Catholics not only of Burlington, but of the surrounding country, both Irish and French Canadians, who formed the bulk of, if not the entire Catholic population. [6213, p 9]		
• "'Irish Grove,' in Rock Run Township, and 'Dublin' in the Township of Erin, were sprouting into significance as the Celtic residents of both places made improvements and cultivated the graces of peace, supplemented by a moderate degree of prosperity. Too much cannot be said of the Irish residents of Stephenson County. None are dependent, while many of them own and cultivate large farms, and all are industrious, law-abiding and reputable citizens. "The arrivals this year (1837) included, among others: Joseph Musser, Isaac Devely, Thomas and Samuel Chambers, William Wallace, a Mr. Moore, Joseph Osborn, Daniel Guyer, Pat Giblin, Miles O'Brien, a man named Corcoran..." [89, p 247]		
• ROCK RUN TOWNSHIP "The Mullarkeys, with Thomas Foley and one or two others, who came during the previous year, opened farms about two miles south of the present town on Davis, where they established a settlement, that has long been known as 'Irish Grove,' from the large number of Celts who followed in the wake of those who came in 1836. The following year, Pat Giblin, Miles O'Brien, a man named Corcoran, who subsequently removed to Rockford, were included in the roster of inhabitants gathered at Irish Grove." [89, p 486] Note: Patrick Giblin is witness to the parental permission statement of Miles O'Brien and Mary Curley for marriage of Mary O'Brien to George Moore in 1846.		
• St. Patrick's Irish Grove The first Catholic Church at Irish Grove was built in 1838. [6211, p 2] The cemetery of St. Patrick's lies on either side of the church, the old section to the south, the new to the north. Many of the early settlers were buried here but their resting places were never marked. [6211, p 3]		
Research		
• I believe Miles was married before he married Mary Curley as he is born in 1777 and Mary Curley is born (1809) about the same time as Margaret O'Brien (1805). This has not been verified yet but Patrick Giblin was the Godfather to Miles and Mary's daughter, Elizabeth, so there is a family connection somehow. [8367]		
Marriage	abt 1828	Ireland [8, p G25]
Marr Memo	based on birthdate of Mary	
Family Notes		
• Mr. and Mrs. John O'Brien and daughter Mary, 3 years old, with Mrs. O'Brien's sister left Ireland for Vermont. Here James, Elizabeth, William, John, George were born - moved to Illinois to a farm outside of Freeport. [6, p 1]		
Spouse	Mary CURLEY [8, p G25; no name given], [6213, p 15]	
Birth	1809	Ireland [5912, p 3], [5923]
Death	6 Dec 1848	Rock Run Township, Stephenson, Illinois [6, p 1, line 11; death only], [5928] Age: 39
Father	CURLEY	
Mother	UNNAMED	
Individual Notes		
• Surname given as Curley. [1227] • Her mother was an orphan (Catholic) raised by an aunt, Lady Jane Reynolds – displeased her aunt by marrying socially beneath her. Mary's mother was a 'lady' – very religious and charitable. [6, p 2, line 45] • A devout Roman Catholic; all the children, Protestants. [6, p 12, line 535] • Died approximately 1847: The first year of mama's married life she lost, first Mrs. Brewster, then her husband and mother [Mary Curley]. [6, p 1, line 11] • Mary Curley has an alternate spelling of "Corley" – twice. [6210]		

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Census Data		
• 1840 Census: Buffalo Grove, Ogle, Illinois. Age 30-40. [1224]		
Children		
1 F	Mary O'BRIEN [400]	
Birth	12 Aug 1829	County Clare, Ireland [6, p 1; line 4; date ony], [8, p G25; year & place], [365, p 3;...
Memo	birth place: family information	
Will	6 Aug 1901 [1246, p 2] Age: 71	
Death	4 Sep 1901	Vallejo, Solano, California[6, p 4; place only], [1245], [1246], [7538] Age: 72
Memo	at the family home	
Probate	14 Oct 1901	Solano County, California[1246, p 2] Age: 72
Census Data		
• 1840 Census: Age 10-15, with her father, Miles O'Brien, and family in Buffalo Grove Precinct, Ogle county, Illinois. [1224]		
• 1850 Census: Freeport, Stephenson, Illinois. Age 21, b Ireland, wife of Phineas F. Clark; with son, George H. Moore, age 3. [1223, p 12], [1645, p 12]		
• 1860 Census: Sacramento, Sacramento, California. Age 29, b Ireland. Housekeeping. Name given as Mary Clark. [4363]		
• 1880 Census: Vallejo, Solano, California. Age 51, b Ireland. [1713]		
• 1900 Census: Vallejo, Solano, California. Age 70, b Aug 1829, Ireland. Mother of 8 children, 5 living. [1720]		
Spouse	George MOORE (~1826-1847)	
Marriage	15 Apr 1846	Oneco, Stephenson, Illinois [1225, p 2], [1227], [1228]
Spouse	Phineas F. CLARK (~1812-1855)	
Marriage	abt Jan 1850	Freeport?, Stephenson, Illinois [6, p 3], [1223, p 12]
Marr Memo	married within the census year	
Spouse	Frederick WALTER (1826-1908)	
Marriage	4 Apr 1861	Sacramento, Sacramento, California[405], [407, p 1 & p 8], [7597, year and place only]
2 F	Elizabeth B. O'BRIEN [400], [7704]	
Birth	2 Dec 1831	Burlington, Chittenden, Vermont [5922, date only; states Berkshire County, Verm...
Baptism	3 Oct 1832	Burlington, Chittenden, Vermont [6157], [6213, p 15] Age: <1
Memo	St. Mary's Church	
Death	25 Jan 1906	Seville, Medina, Ohio [8, p G26; states place & Feb 1906], [5912, p 1; date only], [5...
Burial		Mound Hill Cemetery, Seville, Medina, Ohio [858, p 2]
Nickname	Lib [6, p 2]	
Census Data		
• 1840 Census: Age 5-10, with her father, Miles O'Brien, and family in Buffalo Grove Precinct, Ogle county, Illinois. [1224]		
• 1850 Census: Freeport, Stephenson, Illinois. Age 18, b VT. Living with Tovy family. [1644]		
• 1860 Census: Oneco, Stephenson, Illinois. Age 29, b VT. [1655]		
• 1870 Census: Freeport, Stephenson, Illinois. Age 38, b VT. Sewing machine operator. [1682]		
• 1880 Census: Freeport, Stephenson, Illinois. Age 48, b VT. Married, Head of household. Father b England; mother b Ireland. [1703]		
• 1900 Census: Seville, Medina, Ohio. Age 67, b Dec 1832, VT. Widow. Parents b Ireland. [1728]		
Spouse	Jonathan HAY (1830-1899)	
Marriage	2 Oct 1851	Freeport, Stephenson, Illinois [1229, date & county only], [2322, date & county only], [5925, date only; Jonathan...
Marr Memo	by Oscar Taylor, Justice of Peace	
Separation	15 Sep 1873 [5976, p 2]	
3 M	James O'BRIEN [400]	
Birth	13 Apr 1833	Chittenden County, Vermont [5912, p 3], [5923]
Baptism	15 Oct 1834	Burlington, Chittenden, Vermont [6210], [6213, p 15] Age: 1
Memo	St. Mary's Church	
Death	5 May 1900	Spokane, Spokane, Washington [7957] Age: 67
Burial		Fairmount Memorial Park, Spokane, Spokane, Washington [7956]
Occupation	harness maker [1681]	
Census Data		
• 1840 Census: Age 5-10, with his father, Miles O'Brien, and family in Buffalo Grove Precinct, Ogle county, Illinois. [1224]		
• 1870 Census: Lena, Rock Run, Stephenson, Illinois. Age 36, b VT. Harness maker. [1226], [1681]		
• 1875 Minnesota Census: Minneapolis, Hennepin, Minnesota. Age 41, b VT. Parents b VT. [5948]		





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Spouse	Mary CURLEY [8, p G25; no name given], [6213, p 15]	
Census Data (Continued)		
• 1880 Census: Minneapolis, Hennepin, Minnesota. Age 46, b VT. Harness maker. Parents b Ireland. [3478] • 1885 Minnesota Census: Minneapolis, Hennepin, Minnesota. Age 52, b VT. Parents of foreign birth. [5947] • 1895 Minnesota Census: Minneapolis, Hennepin, Minnesota. Age 62, b VT. Resident 23 years, 7 months. Harness maker. No other family members present. [5946]		
Spouse	Louisa CABLE	
Marriage	23 Aug 1855	Monroe, Green, Wisconsin [7217]
Spouse	Carolyn MULLEN (~1842-1890)	
Marriage	14 Nov 1860	Buchanan County, Iowa [7959]
4 M	William O'BRIEN [6, p 2, line 51]	
Birth	17 Sep 1835	Chittenden County, Vermont [5912, p 3], [5923]
Baptism	1 Dec 1836	Burlington, Chittenden, Vermont [6210], [6213, p 15] Age: 1
Memo	St. Mary's Church	
Death	Jun 1858	Rock Run Township?, Stephenson, Illinois [6, p 2, line 51; death only], [5928] Age: 22
Census Data		
• 1840 Census: Buffalo Grove Precinct, Ogle, Illinois. Two sons under 5, with father, Miles O'Brien. [1224]		
5 M	Barnabas O'BRIEN [6, p 2, line 51; given name of John], [5923]	
Birth	10 May 1838	Chittenden County, Vermont [5912, p 3], [5923]
Baptism	23 Sep 1838	Burlington, Chittenden, Vermont [6210], [6213, p 15] Age: <1
Memo	St. Mary's Church	
Death	4 Jul 1863	Lena, Stephenson, Illinois [6, p 2, line 51; death only], [5928] Age: 25
Census Data		
• 1840 Census: Buffalo Grove Precinct, Ogle, Illinois. Two sons under 5, with father, Miles O'Brien. [1224] • 1850 Census: Lancaster, Stephenson, Illinois. Age 11, b VT. Enumerated as Barney. Living with Joseph Hayes family, adjacent to brother George O'Brien in Robert Bell family. [1223, p 24], [1630]		
6 M	George O'BRIEN [400]	
Birth	3 Oct 1840	Irish Grove, Rock Run Township, Stephenson, Illinois [1232, pp 1 & 4], [1238], [5923, states bp of Buffalo Gr...
Death	10 Apr 1930	Topeka, Shawnee, Kansas [1238], [8252] Age: 89
Burial	12 Apr 1930	Meriden Cemetery, Meriden, Jefferson, Kansas [1238], [1240]
Residence	Chicago, 1865; Osawkie, Jefferson County, Kansas, 1912 [1232, p 3], [1232, p 4]	
Census Data		
• 1850 Census: Lancaster, Stephenson, Illinois. Age 8, b IL. Living with Robert Bell family. [1223, p 24], [1630, p 24] • 1875 Kansas Census: Fairview twp., Jefferson county. Age 38, "putting lightning rods." [1234] • 1880 Census: Fairview, Jefferson, Kansas. Age 45, b IL. Farmer. [1243], [1699] • 1885 Kansas Census: Fairview twp., Jefferson county. Age 45, Farming, b Ill., to Kansas from Illinois. [1234] • 1900 Census: Fairview, Jefferson, Kansas. Age 59, b Oct 1841, IL. Farmer. Parents b Ireland. [1243], [1723] • 1910 Census: Fairview, Jefferson, Kansas. Age 69, b IL. Parents b Ireland. [1243], [1763] • 1920 Census: Soldier Township, Shawnee, Kansas. Age 80, b IL. Farmer, retired. Parents b Ireland. [5521] • 1930 Census: North Topeka, Shawnee, Kansas. Age 89, b IL. Parents b Ireland. [Note: Census dated 30 Apr 1930, 20 days after his date of death] [5524]		
Spouse	Nellie SLACKHOUSE (1856-1921)	
Marriage	16 Jun 1874	Osawkee, Jefferson, Kansas [1235], [1244]
Marr Memo	by Eli W. Metzger	
7 M	Miles P. O'BRIEN [400], [409]	
Birth	27 Aug 1842	Rock Run Township, Stephenson, Illinois [5923]
Death	8 Aug 1865 [7903] Age: 22	
Death	Sep 1865 [5928] Age: 23	
Memo	Killed, in the US Army	
Burial		Fort Scott National Cemetery, Fort Scott, Bourbon, Kansas [7903]
Census Data		
• 1850 Census: Rock Run, Stephenson, Illinois. Age 7, born IL. [401], [1223, p 133]		
8 F	Martha Angeline O'BRIEN [5923] (Died young)	
Birth	15 Sep 1848	Rock Run Township, Stephenson, Illinois [5923]
Death	28 Feb 1862	Oneco, Stephenson, Illinois [5928] Age: 13
Census Data		

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Census Data (Continued)	
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1234. 1875 & 1885 Kansas Census Transcriptions , Locality: Fairview Township, Jefferson County, Document Location: received Jun 1991 from Jefferson County Genealogical Society, Other surname(s): Slackhouse. File: 1234.jpeg	
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