

# MORIN/MORRIE FAMILY LINEAGE

*A narrative of the Morin/Morrie Family name*

*from the early*

*Seventeenth Century through the Twentieth Century*

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## PREFACE

I started this genealogy research in 1980 by visiting the University of Vermont Library, the Vermont Office of Vital Statistics, and by pestering all my aunts and uncles for information about the family, and recording everything that seemed important. But in 1981, after my wife, Pat, passed away, my time was taken up with family matters and I lost interest in the project until about three years ago.

In reality, however, I have been pursuing the matter for most of my life. This story includes many things I remember my father telling me and from listening to him and his brothers talking about life on the farm when they were growing up. From time to time I remember there being discussions about the family name, whether it was Morrie or Morin? Quite often the subject came up when Uncle George was present. For many years he and his family lived in Manchester, N.H. and they would visit the farm during their summer vacation. Usually there would be a family gathering at the the farm, on a Sunday, when all the brothers and sisters and their children would be there. Because George went by the surname of Morin and all the other members of the family used the name Morrie the question was often asked, why? Except for church baptismal records in which the family name is recorded as MORIN all public records in Vermont show great variation in the family name. The surnames of Morey, Murray, Morin and Morrie are found in such records as births, marriages and deaths, school attendance lists, property deeds, and US census. Both Quintin and Gassette in their pamphlets listing variants in French-Canadian surnames show the name Morin as anglicized to Murray or possibly as Maurin. One of my goals in researching the family genealogy was to determine the true family name and the origin of the other name(s). I believe that I have achieved this goal, and can safely say the true name is Morin which dates back to France before the beginning of the 17th century.

From the time I was 9 or 10, living in East Barre, until I was about 17, I spent many Saturdays during the school year, as well as other times, on the farm. Most often I would walk the 1-1/2 miles to the farm to spend the day with cousin, Clarence Jr. When we were young we spent the time playing and as we grew older we were usually given chores to do. One of my favorite things to do was to drive a team of horses, whether pulling a wagon loaded with hay, spreading manure on the field, pulling a stone boat for picking up stones from the field, or plowing a field. One year, in the spring, Clarence and I were allowed to tap some of the maple trees and try our hand at making maple syrup using some of the equipment in the old sugar-house. As I remember, it was not a complete success as we did not boil the sap long enough. Aunt Regina finished the job by completing the boiling on the kitchen stove. Then there are the memories of Gramma always being there to greet us. I remember well, too, the delicious, hearty meals prepared by Aunt Regina on the black-iron, wood-burning, kitchen stove.

After high school, during my Navy service toward the end of World War II, and during my four years at Norwich University, my visits to the farm were very infrequent. After college, during my 20 years of active Army service, the visits to the farm, of course, were even more infrequent. However, any time that I was on leave in Vermont I had to visit the farm, otherwise, I did not feel that I had been home.

This, then, is my story of the French heritage of the Morin/Morrie family, and life on the farm in the first half of the twentieth century, as told to me and as I remember it.

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A special thanks to Daniel "Dan" Morin, my cousin George Morin's son, for his research of the lineage of the Morin family genealogy prior to Grandfather Napoleon's time from the Mormon genealogy records in Salt Lake City. Thanks to Dan, also, for the voluminous copies of microfilm data he provided me with to be able to put the story together.

Thanks to my cousin Helen Marie (Morrie) Franco for her interest and encouragement. And thanks to her friend, Pauline Letourneau, for the translation of French to English and for making me aware of the quarterly publication, "LE MORIN FO", (Bulletin de liaison de l'Association des Morin d'Am'érique), especially the June 26th 1998 edition which contained an article entitled, "The Descendants of the Morin Family" which matched the research done by Dan. It was then I knew that we had the correct data.

Another cousin who deserves thanks is Erlene Mae (Bombard) Dickinson for her enthusiasm and for lending me many old family photographs from her mother's collection. Two photographs are particularly precious: the one with Flora and Napoleon with their three youngest sons, Wyness, Albert and Lawrence and the other one with Flora and Napoleon appearing to be ready to take a ride in a horse drawn sled.

My stepdaughter, Antoinette White (Toni-Lynn), was of enormous help with her knowlege of computers and the internet. She reached an internet source in Nova Scotia that was able to provide much information about the Morin genealogy printed in English. This lead me to a trip to Nova Scotia to visit several museums, the archives library at the University of Moncton, a visit to a historical reconstructed Acadian village and a visit to

the Beaubassin area outside of the town of Amherst, N.S. where the Morin family had lived from 1680 to 1688. Not only did I acquire some written data of our genealogy (both in French and English) but I gained a great deal of knowledge about the geography of the areas and a better understanding of the time period in which our early ancestors lived

I certainly cannot forget my Mother, Eva Morrie, who continues to maintain correspondence with many of the members of the wildly scattered Morin/Morrie family descendants and at the age of 94 years can be relied upon to remember dates, names and past events as though they happened yesterday.

And last, but no means least, thanks to my lovely wife, Helen, for her interest and indispensable help in proof reading all my writing and for her help during the many hours we spent reading dusty records in many places, some which were well organized and employed the latest technology, and some which were archaic with dingy/dusty record vaults.

## Our Early Ancestors

According to the results of research published by The Association des Morin d'Amerique the appearance of people with the surname MORIN, in the area now known as Canada, dates back to the early 1600s. "During the French Regime, nearly 25 immigrants bearing the family name Morin appeared in the Canadian Registers. If we include Francois Morand, a great many of whose descendants changed the spelling of the family name to Morin, 16 of these immigrants settled in America. Among them, four were originally from Poitou, two were from l'Aunis, two were from Brittany, one from D'Anjou, one from Normandy, one from Brie and one from Lorraine, while four were of unknown origins." The association has listed these 16 ancestors in chronological order according to the date of their marriage.

The second person on this list is a Pierre Morin dit Boucher. Certain sources say he was originally from Granville in Normandy, while others say he was from Coulonges-les-Royaux (known today as Coulonges-sur-l'Autise) Poitou.

Pierre Morin I, the progenitor of this line was born in Normandy(?) France in 1601. Records show that he was married in 1633 in Granville, Manche, France. However, no record has been found of his wife's name. Genealogical records indicate that Pierre and his wife had two children. Their daughter, born in 1632, was married in 1648, to a Pierre Mercier. The records are not clear as to the date of birth of the second child, but it was sometime between 1634/35 and 1639. This child, a son, carried the name of Pierre Morin dit Boucher.

Because there are several Pierres in the family lineage I have named the original as Pierre I and the next in line, Pierre Morin dit Boucher, as Pierre II and so on.

Apparently Pierre II, in his early years, migrated to Acadia (Nova Scotia) because the next date of record shows him as married to a Marie Martin at Port Royal around 1659 or 1661.

Marie, the daughter of Pierre Martin and Catherine Vignaud of Port Royal, was born about 1636/1642 in Port Royal so was considered to be a native Acadian. Her parents were from Bourguel, France. On April 1st 1636 they sailed on the ship *Saint-Jehan* out of La Rochelle bound for New France. There were 90 passengers on the ship, the Martin family was shown on the passenger list as: "Pierre Martin, farmer, with his wife and one child, living at Bourguel." The Martins were still in Port Royal at the time of the 1671 census.

The new family (Pierre Morin dit Boucher and Marie) were farmers. In 1671 at

the first census of Acadia the Morins were listed as farmers at Port Royal where they possessed 3 head of cattle, 4 sheep and one arpent (acre) under cultivation. Pierre II and Marie had thirteen children, they were: Marie 1660 (died in infancy); Pierre 1662; Louis, 1664; Antoine, 1666; Marie, 1668; Anne, 1670; Jacques, 1672; Charles, 1674; Marguerite, 1676; Jean-Marie, 1680; Jacques-Francois, 1682; Simon-Joseph, 1685; Jacques, 1686. In 1680 the family moved to the settlement of Beaubassin.

The move to Beaubassin was, in all probability, a natural event for the times. The colony of Acadia, at Port Royal, was founded in 1604. After a naval force from New England destroyed Acadian Settlements in 1654, the colony remained under nominal British control until restored to France in 1667. The population of Acadia grew from around 400 in 1670 to nearly 900 in 1686, with settlements spreading from Port-Royal up the Bay of Fundy to Minas Basin and Cobequid Bay, and around Cape Chignecto to the head of what is now called Cumberland Bay to Beaubassin (now Amherst, Nova Scotia) situated along the Missaquash River on the Isthmus of Chignecto. (Fig. 1&2) The unique agricultural economy/practice at Beaubassin and other locations, such as Minas (Grand Pre), was based on cultivation of tidal marshlands reclaimed after the construction of an extensive system of dykes. (Fig. 3 & 4)

Pierre II and family joined the community of Beaubassin in 1680 sometime after the original settlement was founded, but soon became prominent members of the community. By the 1686 census, the family was considered to be wealthy farmers who owned 15 head of cattle, 8 sheep, 12 pigs and 30 acres of land under cultivation.

On the 8th of November 1682, after publication of the banns of marriage, a double marriage ceremony of two of Pierre II and Marie Martin's children was performed in the chapel of Notre-Dame-de-bon-Secours by the missionary priest, Reverend Father Claude Moireau. Their eldest son, Pierre, married Francoise Chiasson, daughter of Dion (Guyon) Chiasson dit Lavallee and Jeanne Bernard. Their daughter, Marie, was married to Jacques Cochu, the son of Ren'e Cochu and Magdeline Beaugrand. The Cochus were originally from Ingouville, a suburb of Le Havre(Seine-Inf). Jacques Cochu was employed as a navigator (seaman/sailor).

The 1686 census also showed the family members listed in the following manner:  
Pierre Morin & Marie Martin: 3 daughters and Louis, 22; Antoine, 20; Jacques, 14; Charles, 12; Jean, 8; Jacques-Francois, 3.

Pierre Morin & Jeanne Chaisson dit Lavallee: 1 son, Pierre, 3.

Jacques Cochu & Marie Morin: 1 daughter & Pierre, 3.

While at Beaubassin the family suffered an experience that would affect the family for generations to come. In 1688, the family was banished from Beaubassin due to the indiscretion of their son, Louis. Pierre II's son, Louis, apparently had an illegitimate child... "*Le fils d'un habitant de Beaubassin nomm'e Louis Morin, ayant fait un enfant a une demoiselle du lieu ... less pere et mere, soeurs, soient bannis de Beaubassin et colonie...*" (From the notes of Mathieu Des Goutins, Governor and Lt. General of Acadia)... resulting in the banishment of the families. \* \* \* Louis Morin was born about 1664 at Port Royal. He moved with the family to Beaubassin in 1680. In 1688, he was



accused of seducing the daughter of a prominent family, which resulted in his being deported to France aboard the ship, *Fripone*. His family was also punished, their property being confiscated and nineteen members of the family, including some in-laws, being banished from Beaubassin. No further record of Louis Morin has been found.

Although the decision of the court was final, there was sentiment in the community that the court action was unusually harsh, and not in accord with the legislative rules of the time. Friendship and assistance came from several directions mainly from Richard Denys, brother-in-law of Michel Le Neuf, (the head of the community and father of the offended family). Denys, to compensate for the wrongs of his family, installed the banished family at an Indian village at Restigouche in the area of Chaleurs Bay, close to his home. The Indian village of the *Micmacs de Restigouche* was near the present village of Atholville, New Brunswick, adjacent to the Quebec border. Pierre II died at this location around 1690. Other genealogical records show the family had to leave the village after the death of the chief and gives Pierre's death in 1690 at St. Thomas, Montmangy, PQ. His widow (Marie) was in Quebec in September of 1692 where she "renounced an estate of a half league on each side of the river of Gaspe given to the family by Francois de Gallifet, the king's lieutenant at Montreal." Marie died in Quebec (city) on September 17, 1714.

As devastating, painful and shameful as the banishment may have been, it may have been a blessing in disguise for the Morin families because they escaped the deportation of the Acadians by the British and Colonial troops in 1755. The deportation of over 6000 Acadians in the fall of 1755 was just the beginning. Between 1755 and 1763, over 10,000 Acadians, 75% of the entire population, were deported. Many Acadians died before reaching the colonies because of over crowding and filth on the transports, and their make-shift accommodations in the seaports were equally conducive to disease, especially smallpox.

Before continuing with the Morin lineage it is interesting to look at the members of Pierre II's family and their marriages, occupations, and what happened to them after they left Ristigouche.

Marie, as explained earlier, was married in 1682 at Beaubassin. Marie (Morin) Cochu and Jacques Cochu moved with the family to Ristigouche in 1688 and later moved to Quebec. They had at least one daughter, Marie-Madeleine, born in 1693. Jacques Cochu died about 1710, and Marie then married Jean Pinet on February 3, 1710. Jean worked as a cooper. This family was known to be living at *Rue du Cal de Sac* in Quebec at the time of the 1716 census.

Antoine Morin was born at Port Royal in 1666 and became engaged in the trading business with the Indians. Antoine did not marry, and lived until at least 1714 when he made a land grant to his nephew, Pierre.

Anne was born at Port Royal about 1670 and was married for the first time at Beaubassin, about 1687, to Rene Deneau. Anne and Rene were at Ristigouche with the rest of the family and then went to Quebec where they had a daughter baptized on October 12, 1695. No mention is made of Rene's death, but Anne married for the second

time in Quebec on July 15, 1707 to a Jean-Claude Louet. Jean-Claude was buried at Port-Daniel on July 28, 1739 and his widow, Marie, on August 12, 1745.

Jacques Morin was born in 1672 at Port Royal. He moved with the family to Beaubassin and Ristigouche. On February 13, 1699 he married Marie-Anne Lavergne at Quebec. He was employed as a seaman (the French translation lists his occupation as navigator). Jacques died about 1710, leaving only one son. His widow remarried at Quebec on June 23, 1710 to a Etienne Frechette. She died in 1754.

Charles Morin was born in 1674, at Port Royal. As others, he moved with the family in 1680 and 1688. He was a navigator (seaman) engaged in trading with the Indians and the fishing business. He married Anne-Terese Minet at Quebec on May 23, 1719. He died about 1724.

Marguerite, was born about 1676 and was living at Beaubassin in 1686. Her fate is unknown.

Jean-Marie was born on August 10, 1680 in Beaubassin and was baptized there on October 20 1680. He went with the family to Ristigouche in 1688. He was a navigator and privateer. He was the lieutenant of Jacques-Francois, his brother, when the latter seized, in 1712, two English sloops. In his deposition of June 19, 1713 regarding this seizure, he declared he was living at the widow Lemoyne's, *Rue du Cul de Sac* at Quebec, and signed as : "Jean Moren di Ducharme" He married Marie-Elisabeth Hubert at Quebec on November 18, 1715 who bore him two sons. This entire family succumbed from September 03, 1716 to August 16, 1717, apparently victims of some epidemic.

Jacques-Francois was born on September 23, 1682 at Beaubassin and moved with the family to Ristigouche in 1688. He was a privateer, captain of the ship *Le Trompeur* in 1712. He was based in Quebec, raiding English boats along the eastern coast. There is no record of him marrying.

Jacques Morin dit Beausejour, merchant butcher of Lauzon coast, was born at Beaubassin and baptized there on March 02, 1686, and moved with the family to Ristigouche in 1688. On August 25, 1704, at the age of 18, he married Marie-Charlotte Jeanne, age 24, widow of Etienne Rochon, and mother of 2 little girls. Marie-Charlotte Jeanne was buried at Quebec on November 15, 1734, and Jacques Morin at St-Pierre-du-Sud, April 23, 1757.

Simon-Joseph was baptized at Beaubassin on January 08, 1685. He does not appear in the census of 1686, so no doubt, died in infancy.

Pierre III, was born in 1662 at Port-Royal, the son of Pierre Morin dit Boucher and Marie Martin. On November 8th, 1682 he married Francoise Chiasson, daughter of Guyon Chiasson dit Lavallee and Jeanne Bernard. The marriage took place in Beaubassin and their first child, Pierre was born there on December 23, 1683. Their other children were Barbe, 1686; Marie, 1688; Sebastien, 1691; Denis, 1694; Agathe, 1697; Michel, 1698; Jean, 1702; Antoine, 1704; Charles, 1707; and Marie Francoise, 1709. The census of 1686 attribute to him 2 guns, 14 cattle, 6 sheep, 8 swine and 6 arpents (acres) under cultivation. Pierre III followed the family of his father to Resitgouche in 1688 and was still there in 1692, although some records indicate that the families fled to

Quebec (city) after the chief died in 1690. He was in Quebec in 1694 and at St-Thomas-de-Montmagny in 1697 (just east of Quebec City) in the district of Riviere-du-Sud, where a Couillard de Lespinary granted him land. Pierre III was given another land grant as well as were his brothers Jacques and Jacques-Francois at Mont-Louis in Gaspé in 1721. In addition to the land grants the families received, it seems as though they were socially accepted as well. A son, born to Pierre III and Francoise in 1689 was baptized after their move to Quebec, and the child's godparents were Denis Riverin, counselor at the Conseil Superieur, and Louise Douaire de Bondy, wife of Sir Pineau, wealthy merchant from Quebec City. On January 17th, 1725, Pierre III and his wife transferred their property in favor of their eleven children granting each a lot of "three and one-half rods, two feet, five inches and five and one-half lines" with the stipulation that they be "nourished and maintained for the remainder of their days". Pierre III died on April 15th, 1741 and was buried at St-Thomas-de-Montmagny.

Pierre IV was born on December 23, 1683 at Beaubassin, the son of Pierre III and Francoise Chiasson, and he moved with the family to Roistigouche in 1688. On January 10, 1707 Pierre IV married Marie Francoise Boule (some records spell the name Boulet) at Saint-Thomas. Marie was the daughter of Jacques Boule and Francoise Fournier who were married at Montmagny on April 26, 1686. Pierre and Marie had fourteen children, they were Pierre 1708; Marie Charlotte, 1710; Jacques, 1711; Marie Francoise, 1712; Jean-Baptiste, 1713; Marie Francoise, 1714; Madeleine, 1715; Marie Anne, 1717; Antoine, 1722; Francois, 1725; Reine, 1726; Augustin, 1728; Joseph, 1729; Marie Angelique, 1734. Pierre IV died suddenly in 1767, on a Sunday morning, holding a book of plain chant in his hand. The Canadian patriot Augustin-Norbert Morin is descended from this family.

Another person, Francois Morin, a descendant of Pierre II, is of interest because of the number of times he was married. Francois Morin was born in Quebec in 1725, a son of Pierre IV and Marie-Francoise Boule. He married Dorothee Malboeuf on November 5, 1749 in St-Francois-du-Sud, and they had one child, Marie. He then married Elisabeth Brideau on July 31, 1753 in St.-Pierre-du-Sud. He then married Genevieve Langelier on August 5, 1755 in St. Marie, and they had a son Joseph. He then married for the fourth time to a Felicite Plante on November 9, 1764. They had four children: Francois, Cecile, Henri, and Pierre.

Augustin Morin was born about 1728 in Quebec, the son of Pierre IV and Marie Francoise Boule. On November 16, 1750 he married Judith Theostiste Talbot in St. Francois de Sales, Riviere du Sud, Montmagny (county), Quebec. Augustin and Judith had eight children: Marie Theresa, 1751; Augustin, 1753; Madelene 1755; Jean Baptiste, 1765; Rene-Toussaint abt 1766; Marguerite; Marie-Anne and Joseph.

Rene-Toussaint Morin, was born about 1766 in St. Pierre S. the son of Augustin and Judith Theostiste Talbot. On February 22, 1791 he was married to Madeline

Bouchard. Madeline, the daughter of Augustin Bouchard and Francoise Picard, was born about 1771, and died sometime before 1829. They had several children, but the records are not clear as to the number and dates of birth. The children were: Augustin-Charles; Rene-Toussaint; Francois, born before 1800; and Thomas. The record also shows that Rene-Toussaint was married a second time to a Genevieve Proulx on October 29, 1829 in St. Pierre S. It is not known if Rene-Toussaint had any children by the second marriage.

Francois Morin, as noted, was born sometime prior to 1800, the son of Rene-Toussaint Morin and Madeline Bouchard. Francois was married on July 23, 1823 to a Marie Francoise Laverdiere in St. Francois de Sale, Riviere du Sud, Co. Montmagny, PQ. Marie was the daughter of Joseph Laverdiere and Reine Roy. Francois and Marie had seven children, however, the order of birth and dates of birth are incomplete as there appears to be a difference in some of the records. In any event, the known children were: Ellen; Emilie; Francois; Marie-Helene, born August 15, 1825; Marie Delima; Zoe; and Theophile Paul, born 1823/24 (b. 1832 by 1871 census, Que). The records also show that Marie-Helen married an Augustin Mercier on February 17, 1852 in St. Gilles.

Theophile Paul Morin, the son of Francois Morin and Madeline Bouchard, was born about 1823/24 although the Quebec census of 1871 gives his birth date as 1832. Theophile Paul was married three times. Some of the records list his name as Theophile Paul, some as Theophile, and in the case of the baptism of his son Napoleon, his name is listed as Paul.

Theophile Paul's first marriage was on April 19, 1852, to a Nathalie Marie Boucher in St. Gilles, Lotbiniere County, Quebec. To this marriage there were born four children: Augustin, May 07, 1854; Francois Xavier, February 10, 1856; Telesphore, about 1858; and Philemon, about 1861. --- Sometime subsequent to Philemon's birth, Nathalie died, the date is unknown.

On April 30, 1865, Theophile married for the second time to a Domilthide (Adele Mathilde) Carrier in St. Julien, Quebec. To this marriage was born a son, Napoleon, on February 12, 1866 in St. Julien de Wolfe, Quebec. Also a second child, Marie Mathilde, was born on November 17, 1867. Records indicate that Marie Mathilde died on July 04, 1868 in St. Julien. There is some discrepancy in the records, but it appears that Domilthide died in November 1867. With the loss of his second wife Theophile was left to care for a young family of six children.

Theophile was married for the third time on October 11, 1869 to a young widow, Marie Desanges Lamontagne-Simoneau. Marie came to this marriage with four children, ranging in age from eight to fourteen. On October 17, 1870 a son, Augustin, was born to Theophile and Marie Simoneau. This was Theophile's seventh child, with the other four surviving children ranging in age from four to fifteen. It is assumed that the first Augustin, born in 1854, had died. No other information appears in the record for this person.

Francois Xavier Morin (Frank), the second child of Theophile Morin and Nathalie Marie Boucher, worked for the Canadian Pacific Railroad, and for many years he lived in

Barton, Vermont. It was known by Napoleon's family that "Uncle Frank" went by the surname of Morey. The U.S. census of June 21, 1880 lists a Frosh Morrey, age 24, and his wife Mary, age 20, living in Barton. His stated age would put his birth date at 1856, which agrees with the genealogy record. In 1890 Frank was still living in Barton and was a witness at the marriage of his half brother, Napoleon. Sometime after 1890, Frank moved from Barton to Exeter, New Hampshire and was employed at the Bates shoe factory. On July 26, 1929, Frank died, from a cerebral hemorrhage, at his home in Exeter. He was 73 years old. Internment was on July 31, 1929 in the Exeter cemetery. (Obituary - "The Exeter News-Letter", Friday, August 2, 1929) (Death record - New Hampshire Vital Statistics Office)

The third child of Theophile and Natalie, Telesphore, was married on May 14, 1888 to a Eleonore Belanger.

No information seems to be available on the 4th child, Philemon.

The child named Augustin, born on October 17, 1870 to Theophile and Marie Simoneau was married to Maria Raymond on November 20, 1900.

Little more is known about Theophile except that in later years (in the 1900's, late teens or early 20's) there was correspondence between Theophile's last son, Augustin, and Augustin's half brother Napoleon. Unfortunately, none of those letters have been preserved. However, in some way, word was received by Napoleon in 1918, that his father, Theophile Paul, had died after sustaining a fall, at the age of 94. If Theophile's age at his death was correct, then his date of birth was 1823 or 1824, if on the other hand, the census record of 1871 is correct with a date of birth of 1832, then Theophile's age at the time of his death was only 85 or 86. A review of other available family data, such as Theophile's three marriages, would lead one to believe that he was in fact 94 years old at the time of his death.

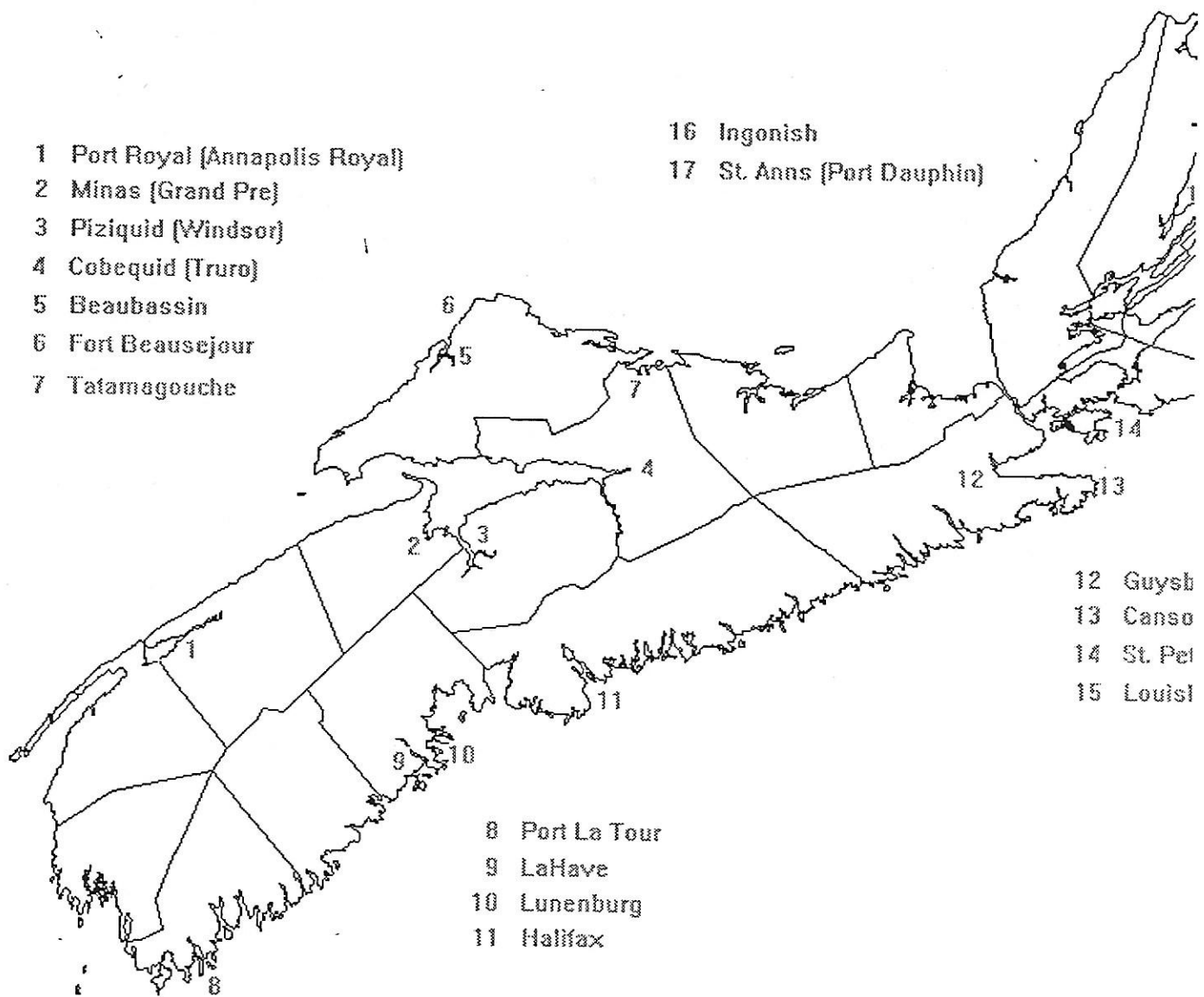


Figure 1.  
 A map of Nova Scotia  
 showing location of early Acadian settlements

# Nova Scotia Counties (census subdivisions included)

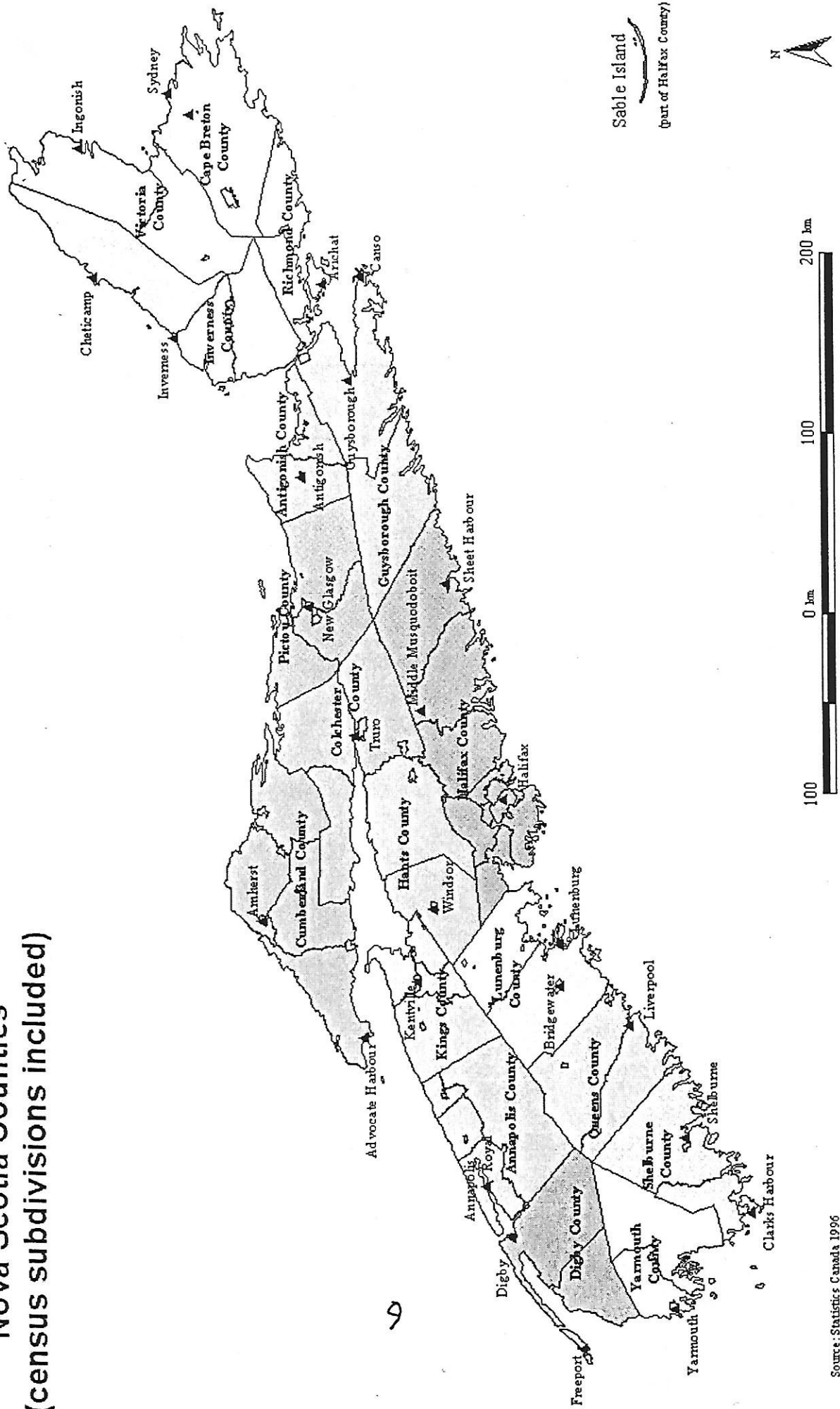


Figure 2.  
A Map of present day Nova Scotia

Source: Statistics Canada 1996



Figure 3.  
Early Acadia, Acadians at work in the field  
note the dyke in the background  
(from a painting by Claude Picard)



Figure 4.  
Acadians repairing a dyke  
(from a painting by Azor Vienneau)  
Nova Scotia Museum



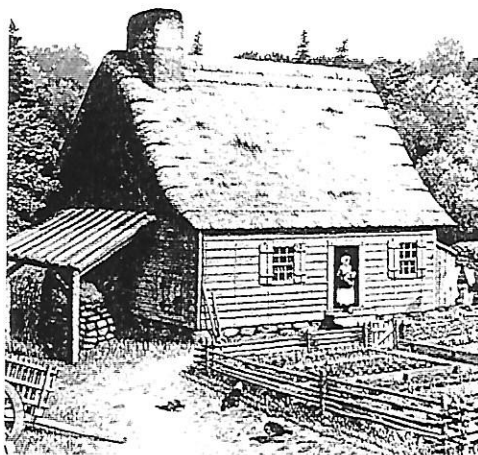


Figure 5.  
A typical Acadian house  
circa 1740  
(from a painting by Azor Vienneau)  
Nova Scotia Museum

## Napoleon and Flora

Napoleon, the son of Theophile Paul Morin and Domilthide (Carrier) Morin, (see Appendix F) was born on February 12, 1866 and baptized as Napoleon Morin in the Catholic Church at St. Julien, Quebec, Canada on February 14, 1866. Godparents were Auguste Mercier and Louise Carrier. The genealogy record shows that Theophile's sister, Helene, married an Augustin Mercier on February 17, 1852 in St. Giles. The family legend (as told by Napoleon) is that, at about the age of seven, he went to live with his uncle Augustin Mercier, because he could not get along with his stepmother. This Augustin may well have been the same Auguste Mercier shown on his baptismal certificate as his Godfather. It was known that Napoleon was unable to read and write, the reason being, as he told his children, that he went to school only one day and didn't like it so he did not go back. In any event, he remained with his uncle until he was about fourteen when he struck out on his own. When he was nineteen he emigrated to the United States and remained there until his death. He did, however, have contact with his half brother Frank (Francois) who lived, for some time, near or in Barton, Vermont. Frank was a witness at Napoleon's wedding and in later years (in the late 1910s or early 1920s) visited Napoleon on the farm in Orange.

On January 13, 1890 Napoleon married Marie Florida (Flora) Hannah in the Catholic Church at Barton, Vermont (Church of the Conversion of Saint Paul). Witnesses were Thomas Hannah, father of the bride, and Francois (Frank) Morin, half brother of the groom. The marriage license listed the groom's occupation as farmer.

Florida was the daughter of Thomas Hannah and Emilie (Marsin) Hannah, the seventh child in a family of nine. Flora was born on August 29, 1872 in Danville, Quebec, Canada. She was baptized as Marie Florida Hanna(h) on September 1, 1872, in St. Anne Catholic Church in Danville. In the late 1870s, when Flora was 6 or 7 years old, the family emigrated to the United States and settled on a farm in the Town of Sheffield, Vermont just over the Barton/Sheffield town line. The site was located about 5 miles out of the village of Barton on what is now known as "Duck Pond Road". The family moved into and occupied a log cabin for a few years until they built a two-story, wood-framed house across the road from the log cabin. Today all of the buildings on the Hannah homestead are gone and the fields are overgrown with trees and bushes. Flora attended the country school in Sheffield. For some time, after she finished school, she worked in the woolen mills in Claremont, New Hampshire. Also, for a while, she worked as a domestic at the home of Frank Morin. It was here that she met her future husband, Napoleon Morin, half brother of Frank Morin. She married at the age of 17 years, 4 months.

It is interesting to note that there are so many variations of the MORIN surname in the official records. The marriage license issued by the town clerk in the Town of Sheffield shows Napoleon's surname as Morey. The certificate of marriage signed by the officiating priest shows Napoleon's name as PAUL MORIN. So much for confusion.

Shortly after their marriage the newlyweds moved to Websterville, Vermont (the small village of Websterville is located within the Town of Barre) where Napoleon became employed

as a quarryman in the granite quarries. The first of their fifteen children, a daughter, Evalina, was born in Websterville on May 11, 1890. Her birth name was recorded as Lena MURRAY. (Appendix A)

On May 26, 1900 Napoleon and Flora had their fifth child, Clarence. Clarence's birth is recorded in the Town of Barre records as Clarence Edmond MORIN. In June of 1900 the US Census was taken in Websterville and the family was registered with the surname of MORRIE. It seems that the children attending the Lower Websterville School were registered with the surname of MORRIE. There does not appear to be any other explanation for this change in the family name. However, further research of the Town/City of Barre birth records up through the year 1907 show that four children were registered with the surname of MORIN and four children were registered with the surname of MURRAY. Further research of birth records of those born in the Town of Orange reveals that, of the six children born in that town, one was recorded with the surname of MORIN, one with the surname of MORRIE, three with the surname of MURRAY and one birth was not recorded. (Appendix A)

The family continued living in Websterville until some time in 1905 when they moved to a small farm just across the Barre/Orange town line in the Town of Orange. Here on the first day of January of 1906 the ninth child, Elizabeth, was born. Some time later the family moved back to Websterville and on August 29, 1907 the tenth child, Regina, was born.

In November of 1907 the family made their last move, this time onto a 140 acre farm in the Town of Orange. On October 21, 1907 W. B. Partridge had signed the deed to the farm, deeding it over to Napoleon and Flora MURRAY for a price of \$2500 with a 20 year mortgage. (Town of Orange Land Records, Vol. 18, Page 23) The farm, located about a half mile past their previous location in Orange, was approximately 1.5 miles south of East Barre on the East Barre-Washington road now known as VT Route 110. (See Appendix B) The house on this farm, a large 2-1/2 story structure, was much more suited for a family of eight children than was the 1-1/2 story house in Websterville. (See Appendix C) On this farm were born five more children, Lawrence the fifteenth and last was born on July 23, 1915.

Napoleon and Flora must have had their trials, tribulations and heart aches with such a large family and the death of a child is particularly traumatic. First, eight month old Maria Rosa died in May, 1904. Then, in May of 1907 their first born, seventeen year old Evalina, died of pneumonia. And in 1912, a third daughter, Emilie Domithelde, born in October of 1911, died shortly after the beginning of the new year.

Of course, they must have had many good and happy times. One such joyful occasion would have been the marriage of their second child and daughter, Alvina. On October 12, 1914 Alvina Morin was married to Wilfred Bisson in St. Sylvester Catholic Church in Graniteville, Vermont. Wilfred was from a large French-Canadian family who owned and lived on the farm adjacent to the Morin farm. Witnesses to this marriage were Napoleon Morin, father of the bride and Phillip Bisson, father of the groom.

School for the Morin children in the Town of Orange was a one-room, wood-framed

school house, grades 1 through 8, known as the Wilson School, which was about a half mile down the road. Lessons, of course, were all taught in English so the Morin family soon became bilingual with French being the language spoken at home. Here at this school, as was the case at the Websterville school, the children appeared on the attendance list register with the surname of MORRIE. Except for Alvina and George who were married as MORIN, all others on the family used the name MORRIE, including Flora. All the married sons (except George) passed on the surname of MORRIE to their children.

Religion was very much a part of the family's life. As practicing Catholics the family attended Sunday Mass. Also, all declared holy days were observed the same as a Sunday, with attendance at Mass and only the necessary farm work being done. The children learned their daily prayers at an early age (in French) and when they reached school age they attended catechism classes, sometimes on Sunday after Mass and at other times, probably on Saturday. If they had to attend classes on a day other than Sunday they had to walk to the church in Graniteville 3.5 miles away. In preparation for First Holy Communion they were sent to the Catholic school in Graniteville (Holy Ghost Convent and School) for three or four weeks of religious instruction. All of the children were baptized in the Catholic Church, usually within a couple of weeks of their birth. All of the baptisms were performed with the child's surname being recorded as MORIN. (See Appendix D)

With a large family of boys a certain amount of mishaps could be expected, and such was the case with the Morin family. One such incident occurred with Oney and Vern when they were in the age range of somewhere between 8 and 12. Both boys were in the wood shed either working or playing around cutting small sticks or making kindling. In any event, Oney was holding the axe and Vern was holding the sticks and directing where to make the cuts. Vern pointed to where to make a cut -- and whoops! Oney let fall the axe with Vern's hand still on the stick. Both boys ran into the house with Vern's left middle finger cut and dangling by a thin piece of skin. The doctor was called, and on the kitchen table he performed the necessary surgery to repair the finger. From that day forward Vern was missing half a finger.

For many years the family kept 5 or 6 horses, two with which to do the farm work and two or more to hire out. Following are a couple of examples of such work. When Clarence was a teenager he was hired out with a team and wagon for carrying poles for construction of a new telephone line. Another time, Vern was hired out with a team and dump cart, hauling top soil that was being stripped in preparation for opening a new granite quarry. Other activities the family engaged in, to supplement the farm income, were the selling of fire wood, selling logs for lumber, and in the spring of the year, selling maple sugar and syrup.

The family was always known as hard working and industrious people. Everyone on the farm was expected to work, some in the fields and barns and others in the house, as the need at the time required. The women were responsible for the vegetable garden. By the late 1910s and early 1920s many improvements had been made to the land by removal of large rocks from the fields and the cutting of trees to make more land tillable. From the mid-1920s and well into the 1930s the dairy herd was increased in size and quality. The farm was considered to be well managed and prosperous. (Appendix E)

During World War I, two sons – Alfred and George – served in the US Army. Alfred was inducted on September 18, 1917 at South Royalton and took his initial training at Camp Devens, Massachusetts. From July 5, 1918 to December 11, 1918 he served in France with Battery B, 302<sup>nd</sup> Field Artillery, 76<sup>th</sup> Infantry Division as a Wagoner. He was discharged on December 16, 1918. George was inducted on October 15, 1918 and was assigned to the S.A.T.C. (Students Army Training Corps), Clarkson College at Potsdam, New York. He was discharged on December 6, 1918. Both Alfred and George performed their military service under the surname of MORRIE. A soldiers' monument which is located in front of the Orange Alliance Church in Orange Center lists all the men from Orange, Vermont who served in all the wars from the Revolutionary War up through World War I. Alfred's name is on the monument but George's name is not. The only logical explanation seems to be that in the Roster of Vermont men who served in WWI George's residence at the time of his induction is shown as East Barre, whereas Alfred's residence is shown as Orange.

In September of 1920, George, in preparation for his marriage to Blanche Richer, found it necessary to obtain his baptismal record and, in doing so, learned that he had been baptized with the surname of MORIN. He and Blanche decided that he should use that name and so they were married as MORIN. As noted earlier, all of his brothers were married with the surname of MORRIE, and so passed that name on to their children. It should also be noted that except for Alvina and George, all others of the family married non-French-speaking spouses, which contributed to the loss of these families' French language heritage, in addition to the loss of their French name.

In 1923 another tragedy occurred in the Morin/Morrie family. After a very short illness and a stay in the hospital, Napoleon died in the Barre City Hospital on June 27, 1923, at the age of 57 years, 4 months. The cause of death listed on the death certificate was Cholecystitis. The death certificate gives his surname as MORRIE. True to custom and tradition of the time, and as it is today, memorial cards were printed with Napoleon's name and an appropriate prayer in his memory. The inscription on the card reads, Napoleon MORIN, died June 27, 1923. Napoleon is buried in the St. Sylvester Catholic Cemetery in Websterville, Vermont. The grave monument is inscribed with the family name of MORIN. Following Napoleon's death Flora carried on the farming operation with the help of her sons. From time to time various ones of her sons served as farm manager. At the time of Flora's death Wyness was managing the farm.

Flora always maintained close ties with her family and, when time permitted, a trip back to the Barton area to visit was in order. Of course, in the early days, before automobiles became the common means of travel, the trip was made by horse and carriage. The fifty mile trip made for a long day. The first family automobile was a used Model 'T' Ford purchased in 1927. Also, frequent visitors to the farm were various members of the Hannah family and their children and in later years Flora's children, their spouses and grandchildren. Except for two brothers, Albert and Antoine, all Flora's siblings were deceased before 1930.

The third marriage to take place in the family was that of Clarence on June 6, 1924, when he married Eva Jerry, a young lady from another part of the Town of Orange. Witnesses were brother Oney and Lillian Jerry, sister of the bride. Then, on June 26, 1924, Alfred married Anna

Ryan of Graniteville. The next year, on June 29, 1925 Oney married Eva Belle Machia, also of Orange, in a double ceremony. Eva's brother, Orrin Machia, married Florence Mary (Wheeler) St-Jock, a widow with two children. Each party was witness to the other's marriage. The couples took a short honeymoon in New Hampshire's White Mountains in Orrin's car, but were back to work in a week. Two years later, on June 28, 1927, Elizabeth 'Lizzie' married Peter Bombard. Except for Clarence's second marriage in 1934, that was the last marriage in the family for the next 18 years. All of these marriages were performed in St. Sylvester Church in Graniteville. The church records show that the men were married with the name MORIN. The marriage records in the Town of Orange show the names recorded for each of them as MORRIE (MORIN).

In 1930 Clarence's wife, Eva (Jerry), died, leaving him with three small boys: Lenford at 4-1/2 years, Richard 2-1/2 years and Clarence Junior, 8 months. In desperation Clarence brought his children home to his mother for her to care for them. Then, in the winter (February) of 1931 a second tragedy struck. The family had just gathered for the noonday meal when it was noticed that young Richard was missing. A search of the outdoors was begun immediately and Richard was soon found in the milk house where the large cans of milk were kept cool before being sent off to the creamery. The cans of milk were immersed in a tank of ice water, the top of which was just above floor level. Here it was that they found young Richard with his little face in the water -- drowned.. Some time later Lenford went to live with his father's sister, Lizzie Bombard. When Clarence married Ruth Marion (Farnham) Hall in 1934, Lenford went to live with them. However, Clarence Jr. (also called 'Babe' or 'Junior') continued to live with his Grandmother Flora on the farm and attended the Wilson School and Spaulding High School in Barre. Soon after graduating from high school he left the farm upon enlisting in the US Air Force.

Early in the 1930s Flora spent some time in the hospital. Regina, who was at the time working away from home, returned to care for her mother and to manage the household. Although Flora recovered from her illness and regained her strength, she never again became actively engaged in the cooking or household chores. In her advanced years she lost strength and became somewhat of a semi-invalid. Regina remained at home and continued to manage the household and care for her mother until Flora's death.

In 1933 Lawrence, at the age of 18, took over the active management of the farm. He continued in this capacity until the fall of 1939, when he left the farm, for the first time, to seek employment in the construction industry.

In the 1930s some dramatic things occurred that changed, somewhat, the lifestyle on the farm and some of the farming methods. In 1931-1932 the pantry adjacent to the dining room was divided into two rooms, the plumbing was extended and a new full bathroom with fixtures was installed -- an added luxury to the old house. Although in 1912 electric power came to this section of rural Vermont when the power line was installed alongside the road that goes past the Morin/Morrie farm, it was not until 1935 that power was connected into the house or barn. Gone then was the need for kerosene lamps and lanterns. Gone were the daily tasks of replenishing the fuel and cleaning the lamp and lantern glass shades. Gone, also, was the need to carry a lamp or lantern when you moved from room to room or from place to place within the house or barn.

The twice daily routine of milking the cows became less of a chore when an electric powered vacuum milking machine was installed in 1941.

In 1935 one third of the southern end of the old barn was torn down and reconstructed and expanded to provide for more stable space and to include a new silo. This was followed by a further expansion, the next year, by moving the horse stable to the lower level of the north end of the barn and converting the space vacated by the horses to a cow stable and calf pens. At the same time a new milk room was built within the barn structure and an electric cooling tank was installed. Gone was the need for storage of large cakes of ice for cooling the water in the milk tank. The space within the barn which was converted into the milk room was space that had been used to store a horse carriage and a sleigh. So, gone, too, was the use of the horse and carriage as a means of transportation. All of these renovations substantially increased the capacity for stabling cattle as well as improving the overall efficiency. While these renovations were being made, water was piped into the barn and individual drinking bowls were installed for the cattle.

Further modernization occurred in 1937-1938 when a horse drawn corn harvester and corn chopper-blower were purchased. Also, to ease the work of haying a side-delivery rake and hay loader were purchased.

The advent of World War II brought more heartache to Flora. Before the war was to end she saw four of her sons inducted into the Army, with one being killed in combat. Also, she had six grandsons who saw military service, with one seriously wounded in combat. Of the four sons, the youngest, Lawrence, was the first to be called up and he also served for the longest time. Lawrence was inducted on March 26, 1941 and served until his discharge on October 8, 1945. During this time he served in several places in the U.S., including the mountains of Colorado, with the Mountain/Ski troops. Although not engaged in combat, his assignment to an air-ground rescue team for locating downed aircraft in the Newfoundland/Labrador and the Greenland/Iceland great circle route was a dangerous and treacherous task. The home base for this operation was Gander, Newfoundland.

Albert was inducted on February 11, 1942. He served with Company B, 703<sup>rd</sup> Tank Destroyer Battalion in the 3<sup>rd</sup> Armored Division of the First Army, participating in the Normandy invasion and battles across France and into Germany. He was killed in action by a German sniper on December 23, 1944, in Belgium during the Battle of the Bulge. The Purple Heart and the Bronze Star were awarded posthumously, and in 1947 his remains were brought home and buried in the family lot in St. Sylvester Catholic Cemetery.

Third to be called up was Ogalva 'Oaky', who was inducted on March 3, 1942. He served in the Pacific Theater with the 307<sup>th</sup> Regiment of the 77<sup>th</sup> Infantry Division and was engaged in combat on the island of Guam, in the Philippine Islands, and the battle of Okinawa. He was awarded the Bronze Star medal for "Meritorious service in connection with military operations on Okinawa by getting supplies and ammunition to the front lines through intensive enemy fire." Oaky was discharged as a Sergeant on November 25, 1945. Last, Vernard 'Vern' was inducted on August 20, 1942 at the old age of 37 years. He served with the 336<sup>th</sup> Engineers

(General Service) Regiment at Camp Rucker, Alabama until medically discharged on March 10, 1943 as a T/5. His medical discharge was due to an old injury.

The grandsons who saw military service during World War II were: Augustin Bisson, Army; Elpheje Bisson, Army; Roland Bisson, Army; George Morin (wounded), Army; Lenford Morrie, Navy; Clifford Morrie, Navy.

In 1945, having completed his military service, Lawrence returned home to the farm after an absence of six years. On October 27, 1945, he married Arlene Myrtice Beede, a young lady from the Town of Washington, whom he had courted for several years. They were married in St. Monica Catholic Church in Barre. The last two marriages in the family occurred in 1955. Vern, at the age of 50, married Kathleen 'Kay' M. (Harris) Shedd on March 15 at St. Sylvester Catholic Church in Graniteville. Vern and Kay actually married in a civil ceremony in 1954, after which Kay, a Protestant, studied for her conversion to Catholicism so the couple could be married in the Catholic Church. Oaky, at the age of 46, married Joy Louisa Farnsworth on December 26.

Following the war, life on the farm was never quite the same. There were fewer faces around the dinner table and fewer hands to lend to the farm work. But the matriarch of the Morin/Morrie family, Flora, continued to exercise her influence for some time. Gradually her health failed and on May 4, 1961, she died at the age of 88 years and 8 months. She left a legacy of a strong willed woman, devoted to her family and her religion, who practiced honesty and hard work. Flora was survived by 8 sons, 3 daughters, 37 grandchildren and 92 great grandchildren. Flora is buried alongside Napoleon in the family lot in St. Sylvester Catholic Cemetery in Websterville, Vermont. (Appendix F) Also buried in that lot are Albert, Olgava, Vernard and his wife Kathleen.

Flora died without a will so it was necessary for settlement of the estate to go through Probate Court. Wyness was named as Executor of the estate. In the process of dividing up the estate among the 11 surviving siblings, Regina purchased the farm (buildings and land) and Wyness purchased the livestock and machinery. The remaining siblings shared in a cash settlement of the estate.

As a result of the estate settlement after Flora's death Wyness and Regina continued to live on the farm and carry on the farming operation. There was yet to be one more modernization event to take place before the farming operation was discontinued. In 1960 Wyness had purchased a tractor, thus eventually ending the use of horses on the farm. The horses were gone and the horse stable became unused space in the barn. Wyness retired from active farming in 1965. Since then, some use of the land has been made by selling the hay crop, pasturing livestock and cutting cedar for fence posts. And the maple trees were "rented out" -- tapped for their sap by local syrup producers, with payment being made in finished maple syrup. In very recent years the barns had deteriorated to such an extent that they were torn down, and only the big white house remains.

Over the years, although busy operating the farm, Wyness became involved in Town government, for which he was recognized with a letter of appreciation from the Town Board of



Selectmen. His services included: 12 years as Town Lister, Member of the School Board 1945-1947, Town Auditor 1950-1964, Fence Viewer 1953-1988 and Justice of the Peace 1968-1973.

At the time of this writing of the Morin/Morrie family history (early 1999) Regina and Wyness, at 91 years and 88 years respectively, continue to make their home on the family farm; thus, accounting for over 90 years of continuous occupancy of the farm by the Morin/Morrie family.

#### Postscript

In early June of 1999, Regina was admitted to the Central Vermont Hospital due to a problem with kidney stones. After about a week of treatment and medication she was released from the hospital. She did not return home, but was admitted to the Rowan Court Health and Rehabilitation Center in Barre. On December 17, 1999, Regina had a stroke and was left with some paralysis on her left side. Regina died at the Rowan Court facility on December 27, 1999, at the age of 92 years, 3 months and 28 days. The funeral mass was held in St. Cabrini Church in East Barre on December 30, with entombment in the Wilson Cemetery vault for later burial in the family lot in St. Sylvester Cemetery in the spring of 2000.

#### 2020 Postscript

Lawrence died on June 24, 2000, at his home in Washington. Not long before he died, Lawrence had his surname legally changed from Morrie to Morin. He was buried in the family lot at St. Sylvester Cemetery. Lawrence's former wife, Arlene, died on August 20, 2006 at Berlin Health and Rehabilitation Center in Berlin. She was buried in Maple Hill Cemetery in Washington.

Clifford Oney Morrie, the author of this document, died on December 7, 2003 of complications from a heart attack. Clifford had retired from the Army Corps of Engineers in 1970 as a Lt. Colonel. He was buried in Resurrection Park Cemetery in South Burlington. His mother, Eva Belle (Machia) Morrie, died a year later on December 19, 2004, at Woodridge Nursing Home in Berlin. She was buried in St. Sylvester Cemetery.

Wyness moved into a group home after Regina's death. Following several years of declining health, he died on January 2, 2009, at the Berlin Health and Rehabilitation Center in Berlin. He was buried in the family lot at St. Sylvester Cemetery.

Clarence's second wife, Ruth, died December 17, 2003 in Zephyrhills, Florida. Ogalva's widow, Joy Louisa, died September 14, 2008 at the Haven Health Center of Claremont, New Hampshire, and was buried in St. Sylvester Cemetery.

Note that subsequent to authoring this document, Clifford wrote a biography of his parents, Oney and Eva, and collaborated with members of his mother's (Messier/Machia) family in their own researches. See their website [www.messierfamily.info](http://www.messierfamily.info) for additional information regarding the family lines.

FAMILY PHOTOGRAPHS



Flora Hannah at age 17 - 1889



Napoleon and Flora Morin with their first child , Evelina, ca. 1891



Wilson School -- 1908  
1st row, 4th l to r, Oney  
2nd row, l to r, second from end, Clarence



Wilson School -- 1910  
first row, l to r, 2d Vern, 4th Oney  
back row, l to r, 1st Clarence



Wilson School -- 1912  
1st row, 1 to r, 6th Elizabeth, 7th Vern, end Oney  
back row, 1 to r, 1st Clarence



Alfred - Camp Devens - 1917



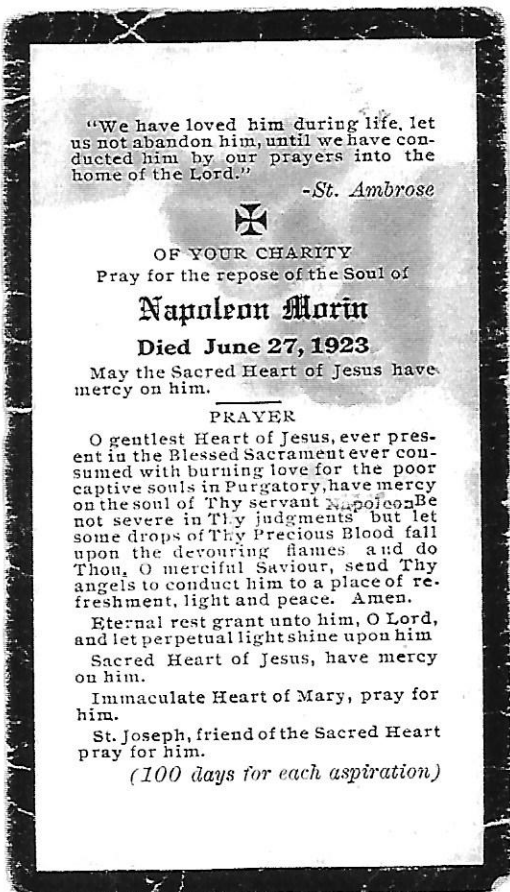
Alfred - Dress Uniform - 1917



Napoleon as a young man  
date unknown



Winter travel ca. 1900s  
Flora on the porch, Napoleon standing by sled



Memorial Card  
1923



Alfred  
1917/18



The Family Grave Monument  
St. Sylvester Catholic Cemetery

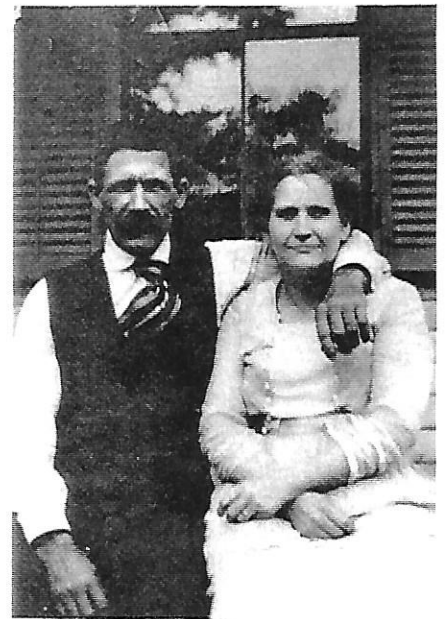




Flora and Napoleon - 1921  
with their three youngest sons  
l to r: Lawrence, Wyness, Albert



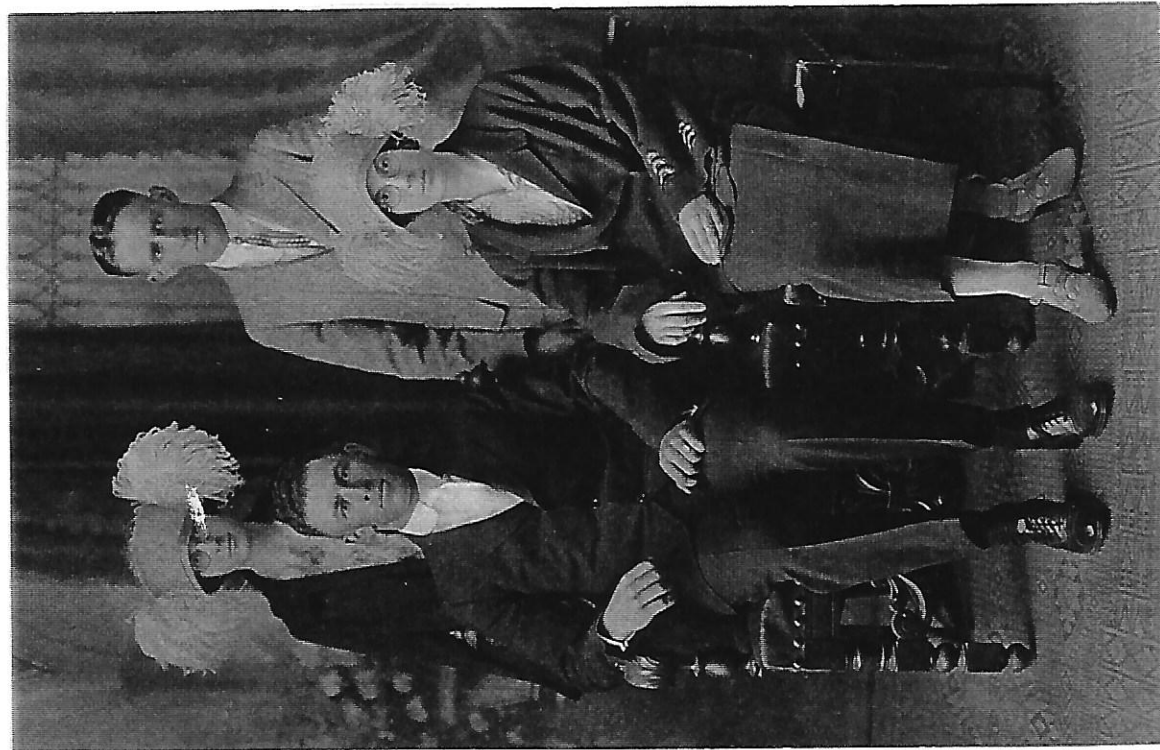
The Morin/Morrie brothers - 1921  
standing l to r: Oney, Vernard, George  
seating l to r: Clarence, Wyness, Ogalva, Alfred  
Lawrence Albert



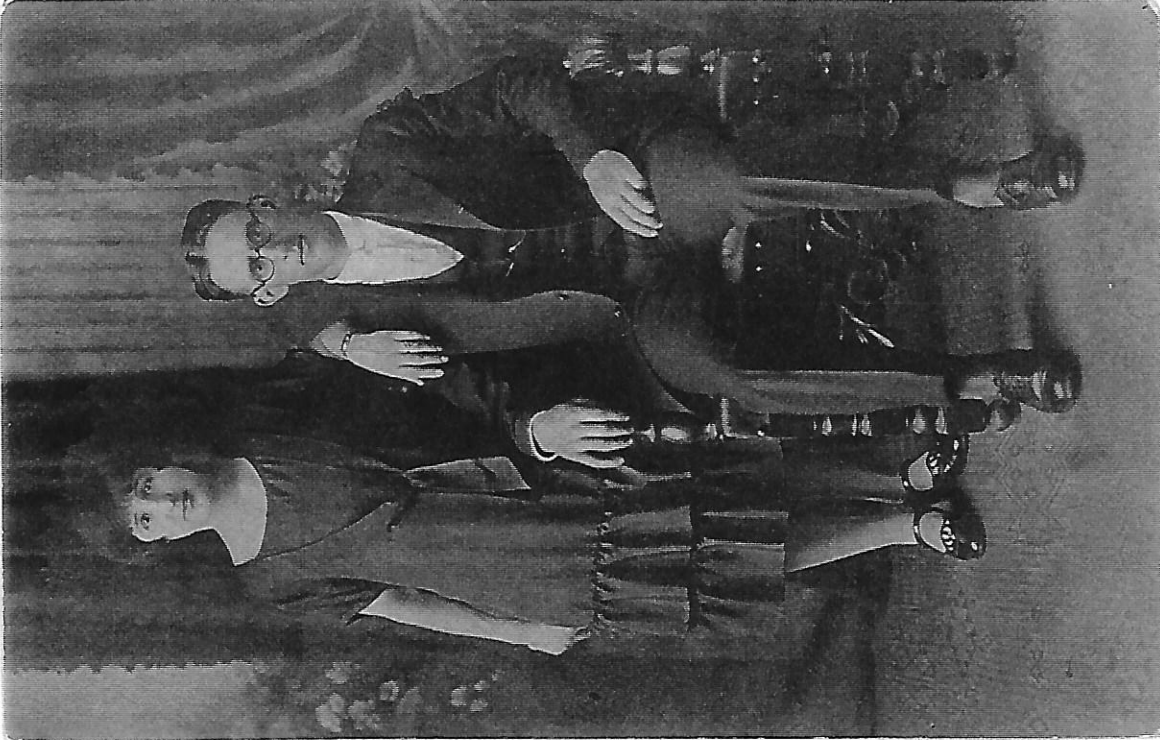
Napoleon and Flora - 1921



Wilfred and Alvina Bisson - 1921  
with their four oldest children  
l to r: Roland, Elpheje, Augustin, Patricia



Wedding Day 1924  
Clarence (Morin)Morrie and Eva Jerry  
standing Lillian Jerry and Oney (Morin)Morrie



Wedding Day 1925  
Eva Machua and Oney (Morin)Morrie



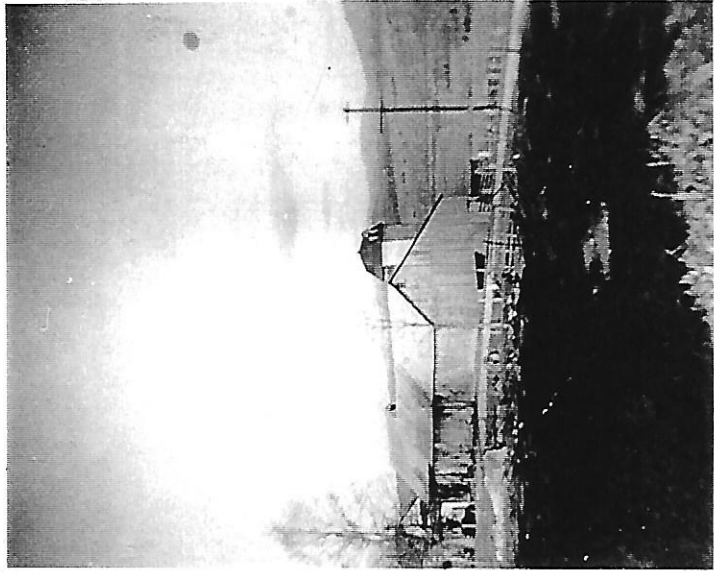
Family gathering ca 1936: adults standing lt. to rt.  
 Evangeline B, Elizabeth, Albert M, Alvina, Regina, Flora,  
 Tilley H, Erma H, Eva M, Albert H, unk, Wyness, Peter B,  
 children w/ Eva, Joyce & Lucille standing  
 Lawrence, Ogalva, Fred B, Rosaire B



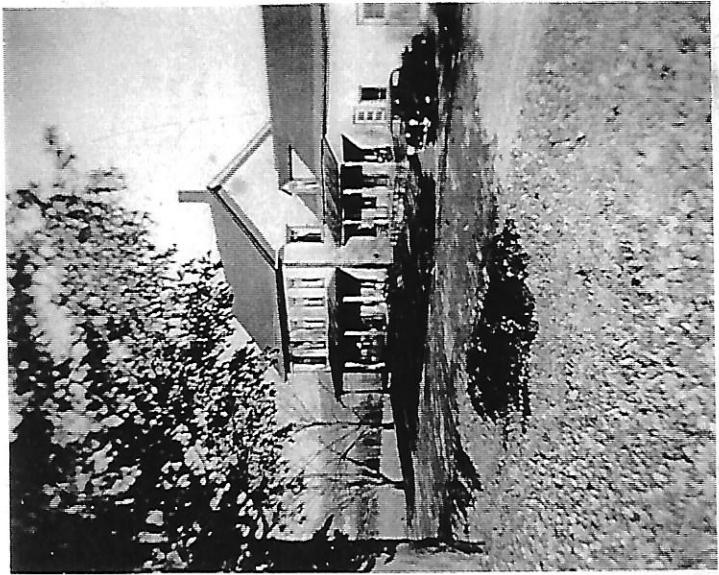
Family gathering ca 1936: adults standing lt. to rt.  
 Oney, Albert, Evangelne B, Elizabeth w/Flora, Alivina, Patricia B,  
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 Wyness, Ogalva, Fred B, Rosaire B.



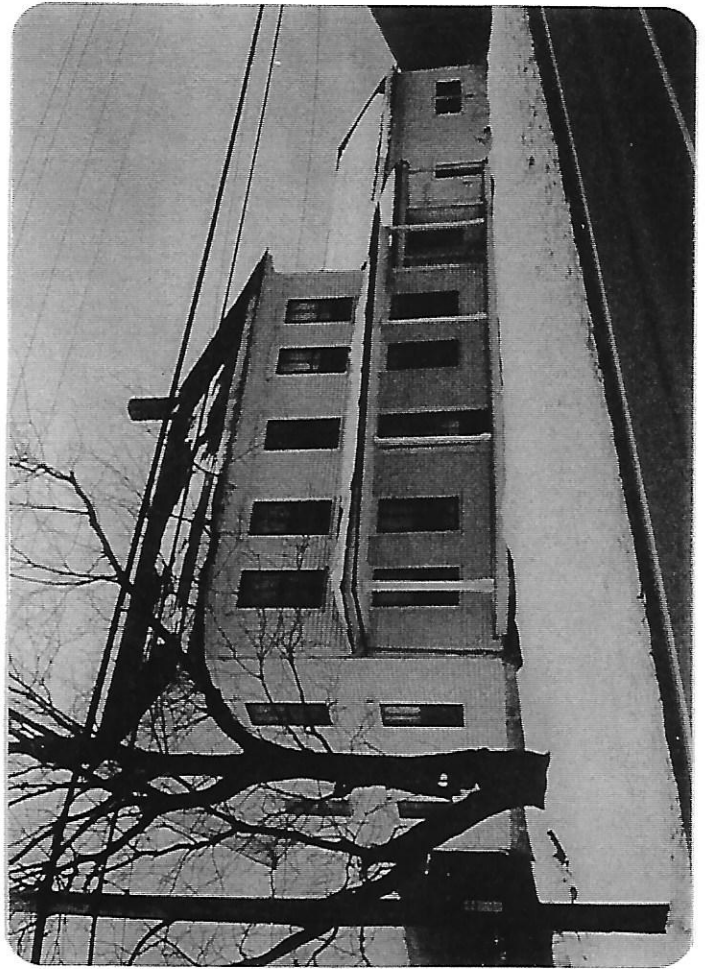
Family gathering ca 1936, grandchildren, seated 3rd row lt. to rt.  
 Edward Bo, Ryneldo Bo, Erlene Bo, Lucille M, Clarence Jr., Clifford M. Marcel Bi, Robert Bi  
 2nd row: Cecile Bi Peter Bo Joyce M  
 Front row: lt. to rt. Russell Bo, Irene Bi, Wilfrid Bi



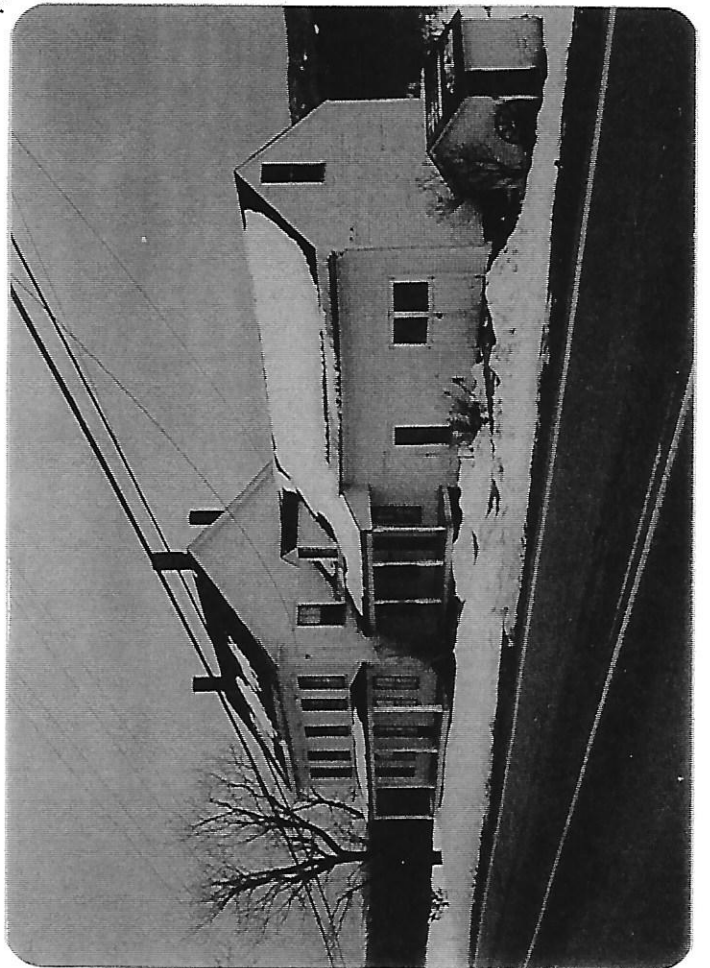
The House and Barn  
1940



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Flora  
with brothers  
Albert Hannah and Antoine Hannah  
ca. 1936



Flora in 1940



Lawrence and Albert  
1943



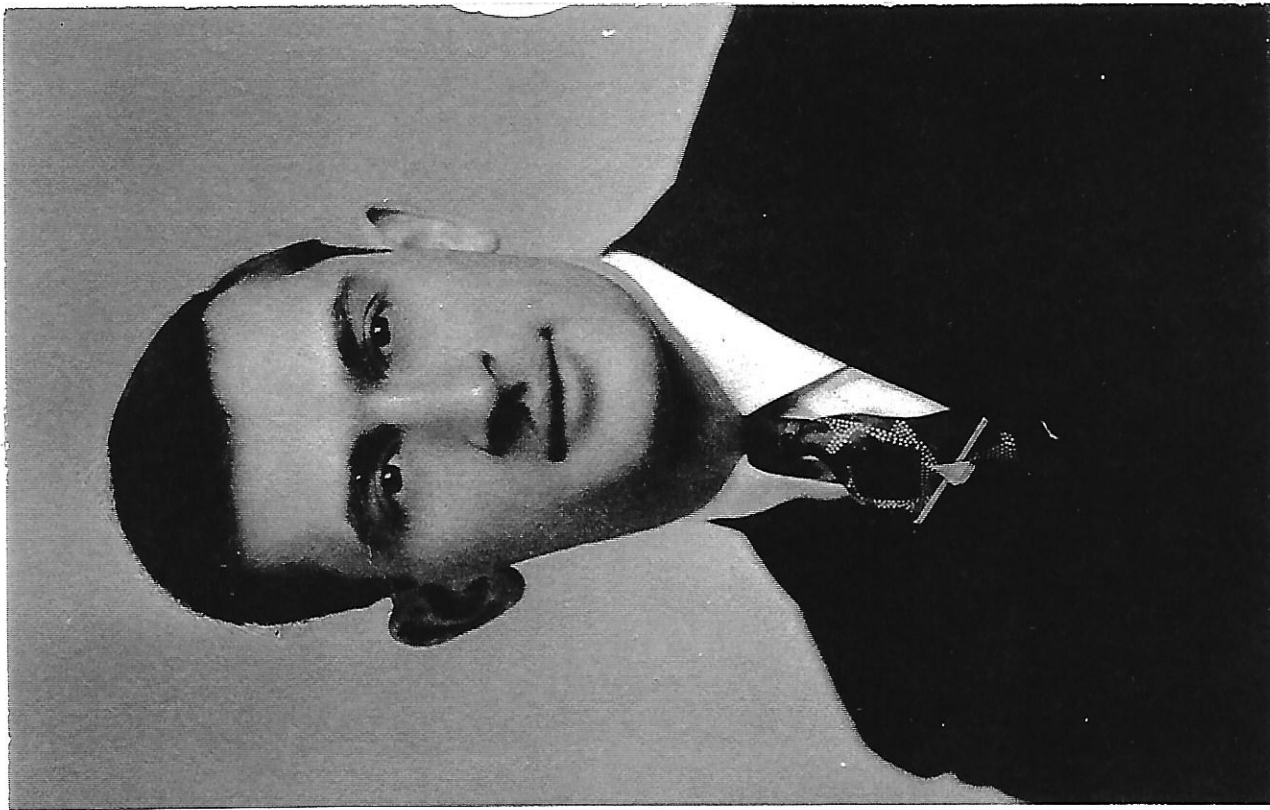
Flora with Son, Oney, and Granddaughter, Lucille (Morrie) Abert  
and twin great granddaughters, Cynthia Ann Abert and Cheryl Ann Abert.  
The photo on the wall is of Thomas Hannah, Flora's father - 1957



Vem 1942



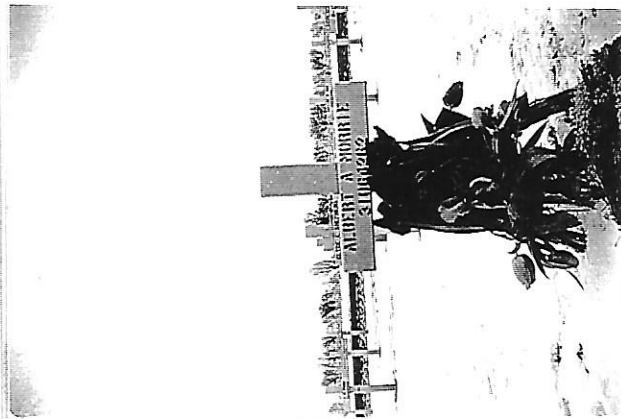
Ogalva ca. 1943/44



Albert  
ca 1942/43



*General Marshall  
extends his deep sympathy  
in your bereavement. Your son  
fought valiantly in a supreme hour  
of his country's need. His memory will  
live in the grateful heart of our nation*



US Military Cemetery  
in Belgium  
Photo dated February 2, 1947



WAR DEPARTMENT  
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WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

IN REPLY REFER TO:

AG 201 Morrie, Albert A.  
PC-N ETO 005

18 January 1945

- Mrs. Flora Morrie  
East Barrie, Vermont

Dear Mrs. Morrie:

It is with regret that I am writing to confirm the recent telegram informing you of the death of your son, Corporal Albert A. Morrie, 31,064,262, Field Artillery, who was killed in action on 23 December 1944 in Belgium.

I fully understand your desire to learn as much as possible regarding the circumstances leading to his death. Recently provisions were made whereby there will be sent directly to the emergency addressee or the next of kin a letter containing further information about each person who dies overseas in the service of our country, and if this letter has not already been received, it may be expected soon.

I know the sorrow this message has brought you and it is my hope that in time the knowledge of his heroic service to his country, even unto death, may be of sustaining comfort to you.

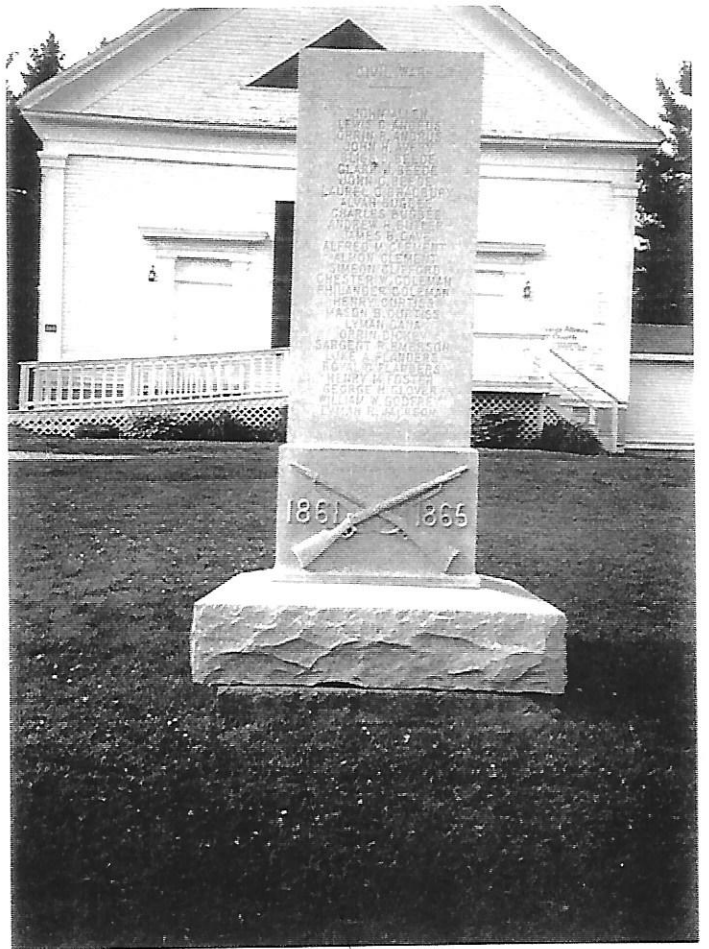
I extend to you my deepest sympathy.

Sincerely yours,



J. A. ULLO  
Major General  
The Adjutant General

1 Inclosure  
Bulletin of Information



The Soldiers Monument  
at  
Orange Center  
with  
names of men who served in all the wars  
from the Revolutionary War through World War I

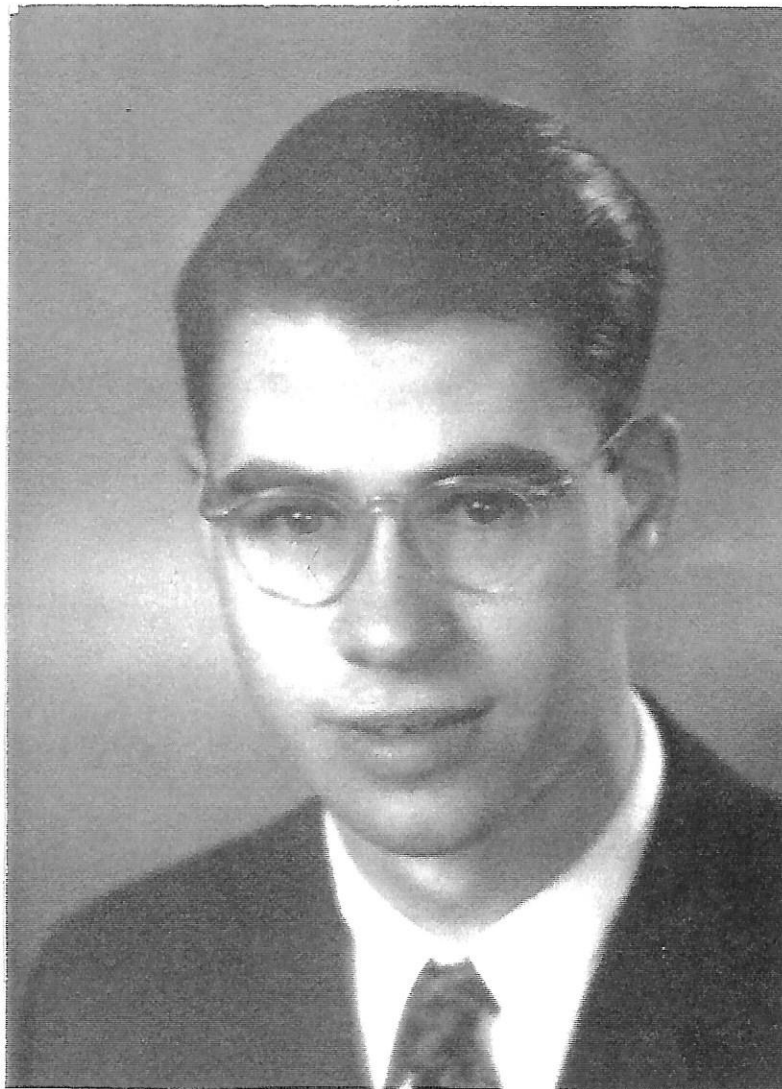




ca 1941  
The front view of the sugar house  
Clarence Jr. sampling maple sap



ca 1941  
The rear view of the sugar house



Clarence Jr.  
High School Graduation 1948

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APPENDICES

## Appendix A

### Registered Birth Records - Morin / Morrie Family

<u>Given Name</u>	<u>Date of Birth</u>	<u>Official Birth Record</u>		<u>Location of Record</u>
		<u>Given Name</u>	<u>Surname</u>	
Evalina	May 11, 1890	Lena	Murray	City of Barre *
Alvina	Dec. 17, 1892	Melvina	Murray	City of Barre
Alfred **	Oct. 19, 1894	Alpha	Murray	City of Barre
George	May 21, 1897	***		Town of Barre *
Clarence	May 26, 1900	Clarence Edmond	Morin	Town of Barre
Oney	Aug. 08, 1902	No name	Morin	Town of Barre
Maria Rosa	Sep. 17, 1903	No name female	Morin	Town of Barre
Vernard	Dec. 03, 1904	No name male	Morin	Town of Barre
Elizabeth	Jan. 01, 1906	No name	Morin	Town of Orange
Regina	Aug. 29, 1907	Riggins	Murray	Town of Barre
Ogalva	Feb. 26, 1909	Ogvely Victor Joseph	Murray	Town of Orange
Wyness	Sep. 12, 1910	Wyness Lenford Antoine	Morrie	Town of Orange
Emilie	Oct. 26, 1911	Matilda Murray ****		Town of Orange
Albert	Sep. 08, 1913	Albert Arthur	Murray	Town of Orange
Lawrence	Jul. 23, 1915	Lawrence Wilford	Murray	Town of Orange

\* The City of Barre was chartered in 1894. Prior to that date it was part of the Town of Barre and was the municipal center for the town. Thus, all official records of the town for 1894 and earlier are found at the city clerk's office in the City of Barre. All town records for the year 1895 and later are found in the town municipal offices located in the Village of Lower Websterville.

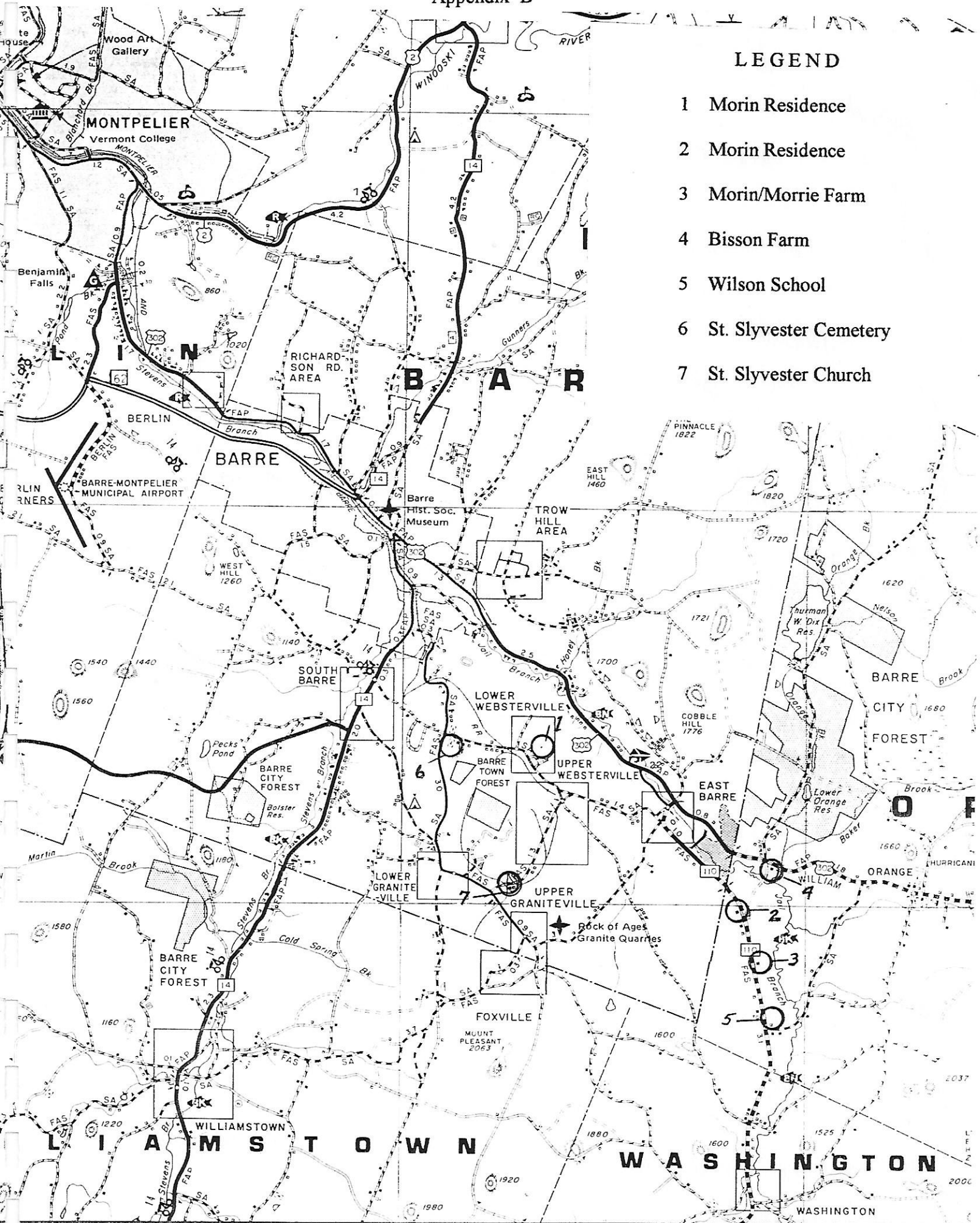
\*\* The record found in the Town of Barre of Alfred's birth, Oct. 19, 1895, is considered to be in error because his baptismal record in Saint Monica's Catholic Church, in the City of Barre, shows his baptism having taken place on November 17, 1894. In November of 1952 Alfred had his surname officially recorded, by the County Court, as MORRIE. His birth date on that document is listed as October 19, 1894, and is so listed in the City of Barre public records.

\*\*\* No birth record found; Baptismal date used.

\*\*\*\* No birth record found. Record of Death Jan. 16, 1912 gave name as 'Matilda Murray'.

LEGEND

- 1 Morin Residence
- 2 Morin Residence
- 3 Morin/Morrie Farm
- 4 Bisson Farm
- 5 Wilson School
- 6 St. Sylvester Cemetery
- 7 St. Sylvester Church





## Appendix C The Farm House

The farm house that the MORIN family moved into, in November 1907, was certainly suited for a family of 10 people. The main house, a 2-1/2 story structure, measured 28' x 40' with four large bedrooms on the second floor. The first floor of the main house contained a central hallway and five rooms. The kitchen, mud room and wood shed was contained in a 1-1/2 story wing off the south end of the house that measured 20' x 50'. (See Fig. 1) There was a front porch on the main house and on the wing in the kitchen area. There also was a porch at the rear from the woodshed area and across the main structure.

Heating of the house was by wood burning stoves in the kitchen, dining room and the front parlor. From a spring on the hillside, across the road from the house, water had been piped into the kitchen, but there was no other in-door plumbing. Toilet facilities were provided by a privy located at one end of the rear porch. Electric power was not available so lighting was by means of kerosene lamps. Although there were no fireplaces in the house, there was ample evidence to show that there had been fireplaces at one time. As a matter of fact, there were remains of three mantels or hearths when the family first occupied the house.

It now appears that the original structure was probably built sometime around 1825 as a single story house. This single structure still remains intact as the first floor of the present 2-1/2 story house and now is considered to be of historical/architectural significance. The nature of construction for this single story structure was a technique known as plank framing. This technique consisted of standing 3" thick by 12" to 18" wide planks on end and mortising them into a bottom and top end beam with the roof structure secured to the top beam. The resulting first floor ceiling was about 7 feet high. The inside of the house was finished with furring strips attached to the planks over which was laid split lathes and plaster. The exterior of the house is now finished with clapboards, and probably were part of the original construction as was the custom at the time. This type of construction fell into disuse between 1830 and the mid-century as the thickness of planks became increasingly thinner due, in part, to decreasing supplies of lumber and the introduction of circular saws which replaced the sash saws (a reciprocating blade saw).[1] The nails found in this first story plank construction are of two types, hand wrought nails and cut nail type. The hand wrought nails fell into disuse in the early 1800s. The cut nail type were in use from about 1790 to about 1830.

From the appearance of the present roof structure and the remaining remnants of the fireplaces, at the time the family moved into the house in 1907, it can be concluded that there was a massive central chimney serving the three fireplaces by a single or multiple flues. Based on the width of the present central hallway the chimney was about 8 feet square at its base and probably tapered up to accommodate the flue(s) size. An inspection of the area beneath the central hall reveals large hand placed field stones which

served as the foundation for the central chimney. The floor structure also leads to the conclusion of massive central chimney having existed. The dash lines in Figure 2 shows the supporting floor structure arrangement. This typical central chimney form is referred to as a "baffle entry house" since one confronts a wall (the chimney mass) upon entering the front hall.[2] (See Fig. 2.) In all probability the existing extension on the south side of house was not part of the original structure as that part of the house is typical wood frame construction. So what existed initially was a single story Cape Cod type house.

One other interesting feature of the original one-story structure is the cupboards still existing in the room labeled "probable kitchen" in Fig 2. On the left wall in this room are cupboards, believed to be the originals, in which the shelves have grooves on the back side which permitted plates to stand on edge. This feature also leads to the conclusion that this room served as the kitchen in the original structure

The present-day Vermonter's view of early built dwellings is strongly influenced by types of houses that have survived. In northeastern Vermont two dominant survivors are the the one-story, two-room-deep type "Cape Cod" type, and a similar two story, two-room-deep type." --- "A massive chimney serving at least three fireplaces usually occupies the center of the house and the floor plan is organized around it." --- " Its facade is usually described as five bay, i.e., window-window-door-window-window, evenly spaced." [3] (See fig. 3) This type facade can also be seen in the present 2-1/2 story structure. (See photos of house)

It is estimated that in about 1875 a second story was added to the original house. This addition was constructed by using conventional wood frame with rough sawed lumber. Actually, the addition was a story and a half resulting in a 2-1/2 story house. The massive central chimney was replaced with two single flue chimneys, one at each end of the house, to accommodate wood burning stoves. In place of the central chimney a stairway to the second floor was constructed, thus creating a large central hallway. An enclosed stairway was also constructed to the third floor attic. The second floor accommodations consisted of four bedrooms of approximately equal size and a large walk-in storage room at the head of the stairway. ( See Fig. 1.) Thus, as described above, was the house occupied by the Morin family in November of 1907.

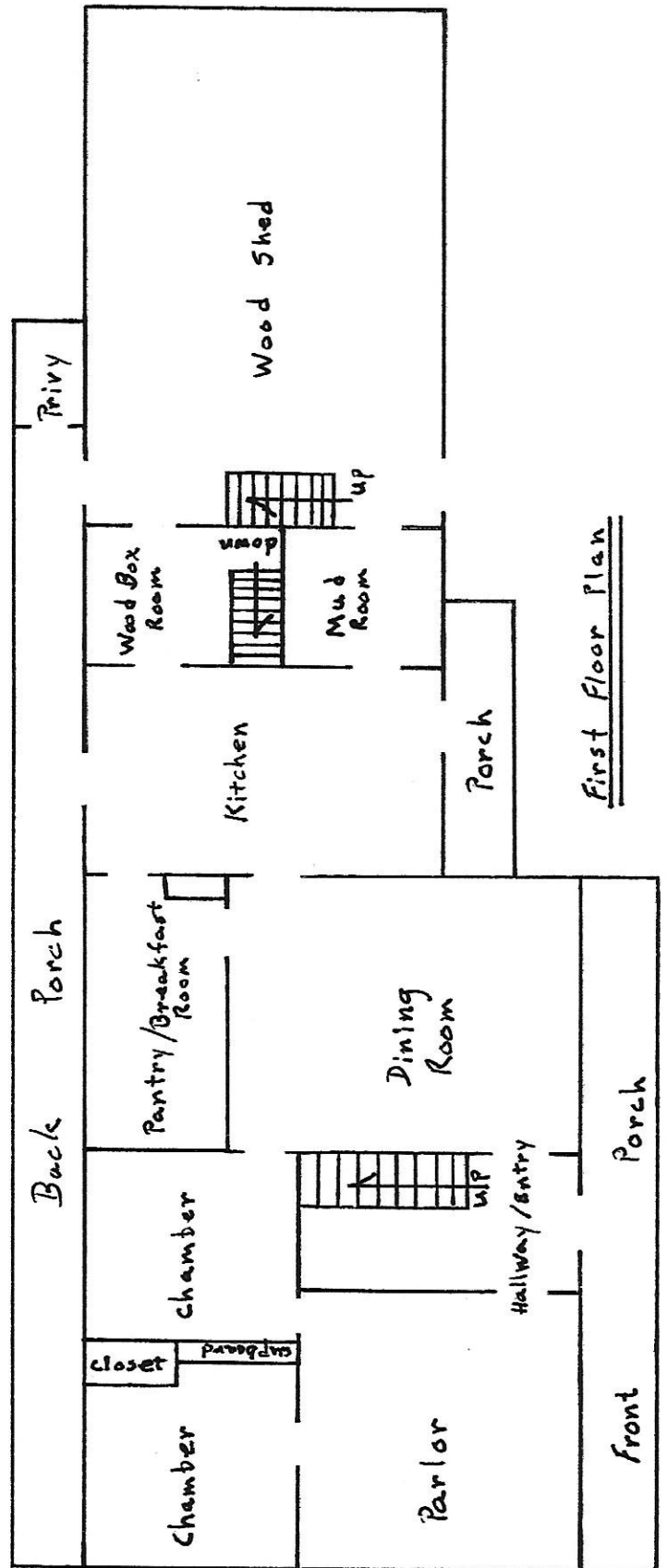
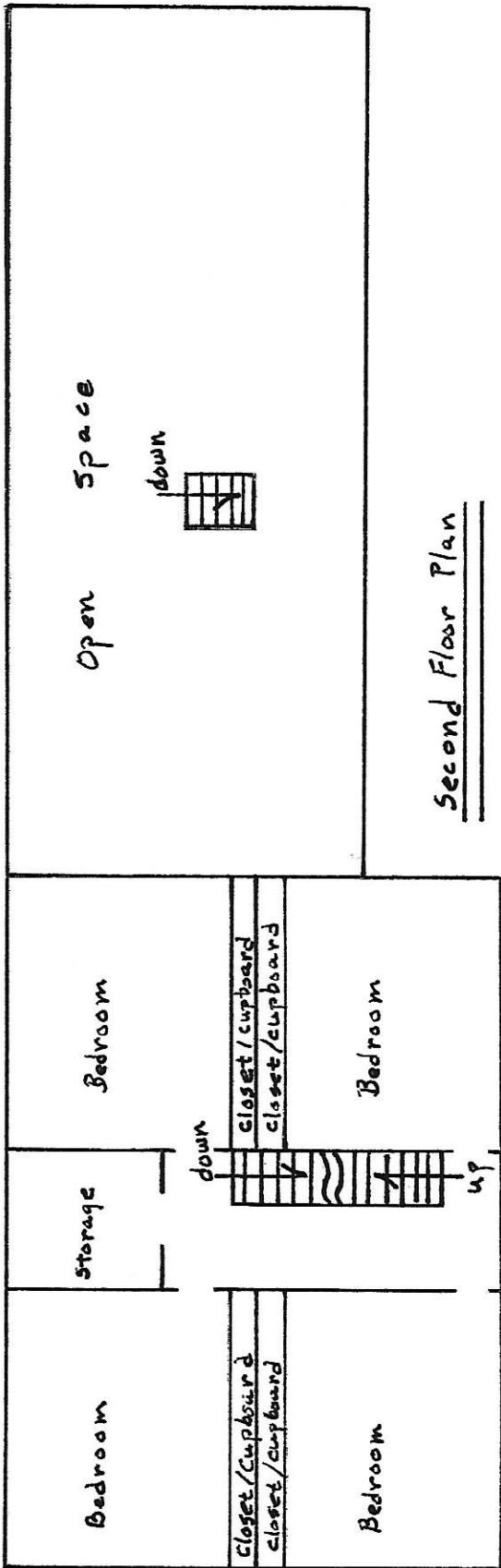
With the exception of the bath room installed in 1935 and some other minor alterations, the interior of the house is much the same today as it was in 1907. On the exterior, the front of the house is the same today as it was in 1907. In the rear, the back porch along the main structure was removed by Napoleon in the early years when he replaced the clapboards and made repairs to the foundation.

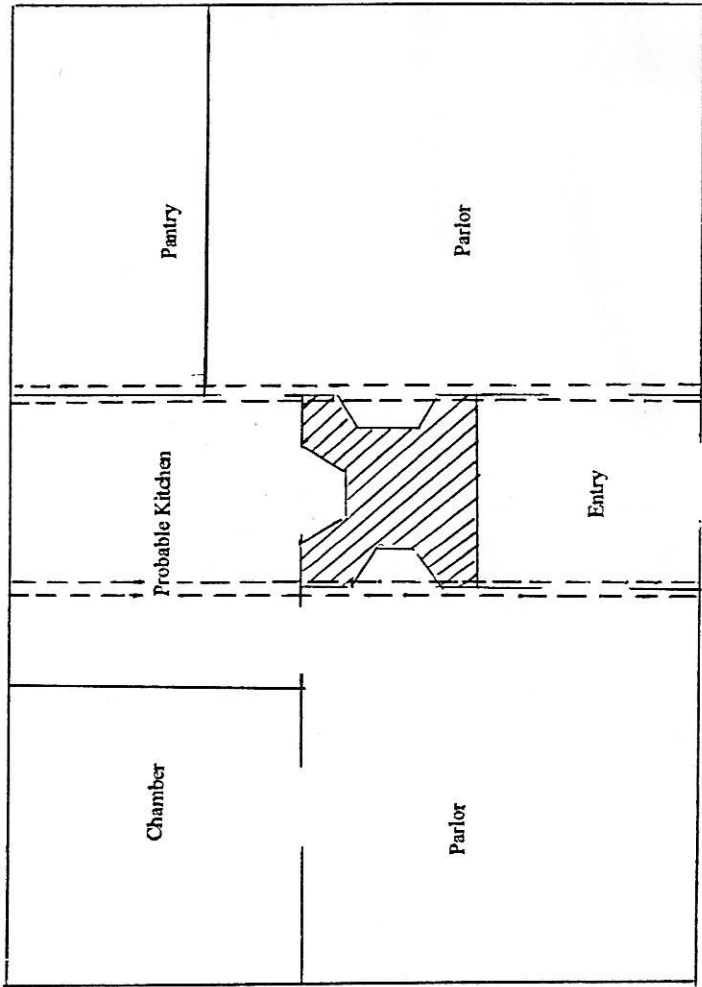
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[3] Ibid., 20

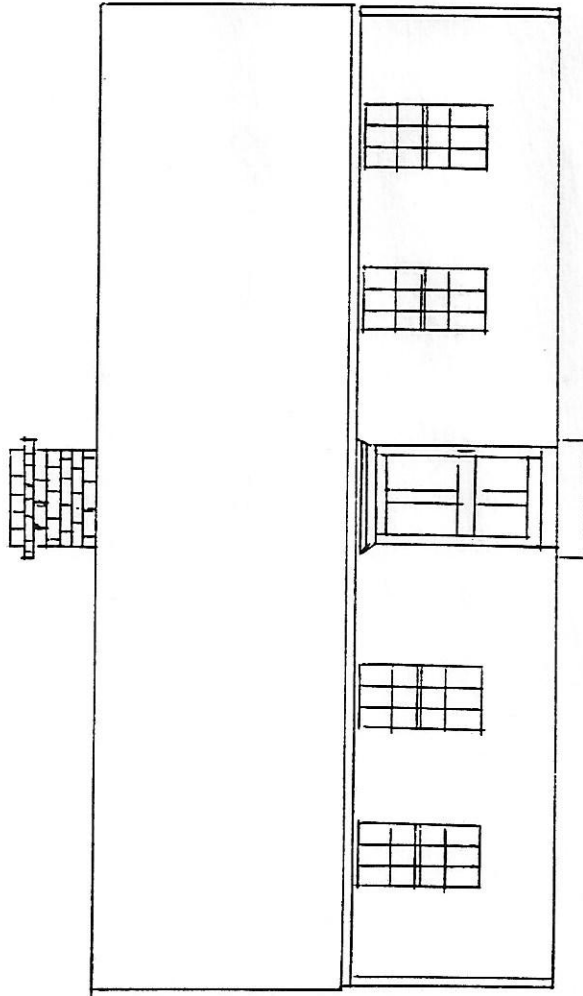
Figure 1 - Farm House of 1907





One Story Plank Framed House

Figure 2



Cape Cod Plank Framed House

Figure 3

## Appendix D

### Baptismal Records - Morin / Morrie Family

<u>Given Name</u>	<u>Date of Birth</u>	<u>Baptismal Record</u>		<u>Location</u>
		<u>Date of Baptism</u>	<u>Given Name</u> <u>Surname</u>	
Evalina	May 11, 1890		No record found	
Alvina	Dec. 17, 1892	Dec. 25, 1892	Malvina      Morin	St. Monica *
Alfred	Oct. 19, 1894	Nov. 17, 1894	Alfi Joseph      Morin	St. Monica
George	Unknown	May 21, 1897	George Daniel      Morin	St. Sylvester **
Clarence	May 26, 1900	Jun. 3, 1900	Clarence Edmond      Morin	St. Sylvester
Oney	Aug. 08, 1902	Aug. 17, 1902	Onead      Morin	St. Sylvester
Maria Rosa	Sep. 17, 1903	Oct. 11, 1903	Maria Rosa Alba      Morin	St. Sylvester
Vernard	Dec. 03, 1904	Jan. 12, 1905	Vernard Joseph      Morin	St. Sylvester
Elizabeth	Jan. 01, 1906	Jan. 21, 1906	Elizabeth May      Morin	St. Sylvester
Regina	Aug. 29, 1907	Sep. 14, 1907	Regina Adele      Morin	St. Sylvester
Ogalva	Feb. 26, 1909	Mar. 14, 1909	Joseph Victor (Ogalva)      Morin	St. Sylvester
Wyness	Sep. 12, 1910	Oct. 18, 1910	Wyness Lenford Antoine      Morin	St. Sylvester
Emilie Domithilde	Oct. 26, 1911	Oct. 29, 1911	Emilie Domithelde      Morin	St. Sylvester
Albert	Sep. 08, 1913	Sep. 14, 1913	Albert Arthur      Morin	St. Sylvester
Lawrence	Jul. 23, 1915	Aug. 08, 1915	Lawrence Wilford      Morin	St. Sylvester

\* Saint Monica Catholic Church located on Summer Street in the City of Barre

\*\* Saint Sylvester Catholic Church located in the Village of Upper Graniteville

## Appendix E The Land and the Farm

The farm land lies on both sides of the road (VT Route 110) which runs in a north-south direction out of East Barre toward the village of Washington. The house and the former barn(s) are located on the east side (left) of the highway. Approximately 2/3rds of the land is to the east and 1/3rd to the west. On the west side the land rises steeply from an elevation of 1230 ft. at the road side to an elevation of above 1492 ft. at the top of the hill. Except for a flat meadow area at the top, most of this land has been devoted to pasture land. A dense forested area lies along the southern boundary on both sides of the road. On the east side the land slopes gently down to a stream to an elevation of about 1145 ft., at a distance of about 0.2 of a mile. This stream, known as "Jail Branch", is a tributary of the Winooski River which flows into Lake Champlain at Burlington.

The land on the east contains most of the open meadow land. The soil is a heavy moist loam and very stony. The family story goes, that in the early days, the land was so stony that a person could walk from the road to the stream by stepping only on stones and boulders and not stepping on any ground. That is, perhaps, somewhat of an exaggeration, but the family worked for many years removing large stones and boulders until the hay and corn crop could be harvested with modern machinery.

The deed granted to Napoleon and Flora on October 21, 1907 was given in the name of Napoleon and Flora MURRAY. The only description of the land was that the farm was part of the land grants given to Babbit and Wakefield. There was no reference to any property lines or amount of acreage. The names Nathaniel Babbit and William Wakefield are two names listed in the Original Charter for the Town of Orange granted by the State of Vermont General Assembly dated August 11, 1781. On January 5, 1785 the Proprietors of the Town granted the first original rights of one hundred acre lots of land. Both Babbit and Wakefield were listed as recipients of these grants. Nathaniel Babbit was listed as having received one hundred acres identified as Range 3, Lot Number 3. The adjacent lot was granted to William Wakefield and was identified as Range 3, Lot Number 4. The ranges were laid out in a west to east direction starting along the western boundary of the town, and the lots, within each range, were laid out and numbered 1 through 18 from south to north. The lots were laid out in a rectangular shape with the long axis in a east-west direction.[1]

It is from these two original one hundred acre land grants that the Morin/Morrie farm was derived. Although it does not appear that a survey was ever done to layout the boundaries of the farm, it has been estimated to be approximately 140+- acres in size.

On September 2, 1800 the first check list of voters who took the freeman's oath was published. Among the 30 listed names there appeared the name of an Amariah

Sanborn.[2] Apparently Sanborn either acquired the rights of the Babbit and Wakefield original land grants or the rights to a parcel of land described the same as the presently owned Morin/Morrie farm. In any event, in 1825 Sanborn signed a deed, granting to Jerimah Sanborn a piece of land with the property description the same as was deeded to Napoleon and Flora in 1907. At the time that Napoleon and Flora acquired the property in 1907 they were the tenth in ownership from the time it was deeded by Sanborn and all succeeding deeds were described the same. [3] And now the same property has been in the Morin/Morrie family ownership for over 90 years.

During the devastating Vermont flood of 1927 much of the lower meadow on the east side of the road was flooded. Fortunately, other than flooding the land, there was no serious damaged. During the period of 1933-1935 a flood control dam was built on the "Jail Branch" down stream from the farm on the south side of the villge of East Barre. In 1936, following completion of the dam, the State of Vermont Board of Public Works purchased, from Flora, flood rights on 87 acres of the lower meadow up to an elevation of 1170 ft. A map showing this information is on file in the Town of Orange land records and is now shown on the latest topographic maps published by the United States Geological Survey.

The latest change in property description occurred in 1995 when Regina sold a 10 acre parcel to Dick and Marion (Morrie) Abbott. The lot is on the west side of the road and along the southern boundary line which encompasses most of the wooded area and includes the site of the old sugarhouse. Dick and Marion are now building a house on the lot in the approximate location of the old sugarhouse.

Footnotes:

[1] Freeman, 23-28

[2] Ibid., 6

[3] Town Land Records



## Appendix F

### Napoleon Morin/Morrie Genealogy

1. Pierre Morin  
b. 1601 Normandy, France  
d. Unk  
m. 1633 Name unk  
b. 1605
2. Pierre Morin dit Boucher  
b. 1632/1639 Normandy, France  
d. 1690 Quebec (city)  
m. 1659/1661 Marie Martin  
b. Abt. 1636 Port Royal  
d. Sept. 17, 1714 Quebec
3. Pierre Morin  
b. 1662 Port Royal, N.S.(Acadia)  
d. 1741  
m. Nov. 08, 1682 Francoise Chiasson  
b. Abt. 1666
4. Pierre Morin  
b. Dec. 23, 1683 Beaubassin  
d. 1767 (Amherst, N.S.)  
m. Jan. 10, 1707 Marie Francoise Boule  
b. Abt. 1687
5. Augustin Morin  
b. Abt. 1728 Quebec(city)  
d. Unk  
m. Nov. 16, 1750 Marie-Judith Talbot  
b. Abt. 1730
6. Rene-Toussaint Morin  
b. Abt. 1766 St. Pierre S., PQ  
d. Unk  
m. Feb. 22, 1791 Madeleine Bouchard  
b. Abt. 1771  
d. Before 1829
7. Francois Morin  
b. 1800  
d. Unk  
m. July 28, 1823 Francoise Laverdiere  
b. Unk  
d. Unk
8. Theophile Paul Morin  
b. 1823/24  
d. 1918  
m. April 30, 1865 Domilthide Carrier  
(2nd marriage) b. Unk  
d. 1867
9. Napoleon Morin  
b. Feb. 12, 1866 St. Julien, PQ  
d. June 27, 1923 Barre, Vermont  
m. Jan 13, 1890 Marie Florida Hannah  
b. Aug. 29, 1872 Danville, PQ  
d. May 04, 1961 Orange, Vt.

#### Note: Abbreviations

b. -- date of birth  
d. -- date of death  
m.-- date of marriage

Abt. -- date of about  
Unk -- date unknown  
PQ -- Province of Quebec

Appendix G  
*Descendants of Napoleon Morin*

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- 1 Napoleon Morin 1866 - 1923
  - + Marie Florida Hanna(h) 1872 - 1961
  - ..... 2 Evalina Morin 1890 - 1907
  - ..... 2 Alvina Morin 1892 - 1991
    - + Wilfrid Joseph Bisson 1889 - 1959
    - 3 Augustin 'Gus' Phillip Bisson 1915 - 1/19/2007
      - + LaNell Maxine Park 1924 - 9/17/2006
      - 4 James Joseph Bisson 1946 -
        - .. + Cheryl Ann Thompson 1955 -
        - 4 Charles Augustin Bisson 1948 -
          - .. + Jeanne G. Kieke
          - \*2nd wife of Charles Augustin Bisson:
            - .. + Dinah Kay Mochle 1949 -
              - 5 Matthew Gregory Bisson 1973 -
              - 5 John Bisson 1977 -
      - 4 Mary Ann Bisson 1951 -
        - + Jack Arthur Bradshaw
        - 5 Steven Wayne Bradshaw 1972 -
        - 5 Melissa Renee Bradshaw 1976 -
      - 4 Patrick Eugene Bisson 1952 -
        - + Barbara Murray 1949 -
          - 5 Karen Marie Bisson 1975 -
          - 5 Jennifer Nicole Bisson 1977 -
      - 4 Catherine L. Bisson 1956 -
        - + Kenneth L. Gall
        - 5 Keith Edward Gall 1979 -
        - \*2nd husband of Catherine L. Bisson:
          - + Ro Dike Jr.
    - 3 Elphege Ernest Bisson 1917 - died \_\_?\_\_
      - + Madeleine G. Carrier 1925 - 2020
      - 4 Susan C. Bisson 1947 -
        - + Wayne Kratochvil
        - 5 Wayne Kratochvil Jr. 1965 -
          - + <wife's name unknown>
          - 6 Tara Kratochvil 1981 -
          - 6 Joseph Kratochvil 1988 -
          - 6 Sara Kratochvil 1989 -
        - 5 Mark Kratochvil 1966 -
          - + <wife's name unknown>
          - 6 Jeremy Kratochvil 1997 -
        - \*2nd husband of Susan C. Bisson:
          - + Dave Holman
          - 5 Carly Holman 1979 -
        - \*3rd husband of Susan C. Bisson
          - + \_\_\_\_\_ Bengston
      - 4 Paul M. Bisson 1948 - 1985
        - + Mary Macina
        - 5 Nicole J. Bisson 1976 -
        - 5 Lizette M. Bisson 1979 -
      - 4 Theresa M. Bisson 1949 -
        - + Peter Basile

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*Descendants of Napoleon Morin*

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- 5 Anthony Basile
- 5 Kelly Basile
  - + Thomas Hayes
  - 6 Jonathan T. Hayes 1999 -
    - \*2nd husband of Theresa M. Bisson
    - + Raymond Keller
- 4 Peter E. Bisson 1955 -
  - + Janice Dunn 1947 -
    - 5 Jerod P. Bisson 1983 -
- 4 Patrick J. Bisson 1955 -
- 4 Lorna G. Bisson 1961 -
  - + Robert Billings
- 3 Roland Lawrence Bisson 1919 - 5/21/2007
  - + Rachel G. Gauthier 1921 - 10/17/1998
  - 4 Gloria J. Bisson 1941 -
    - + Ronald Abare 1939 -
      - 5 Shane Abare 1963 -
      - 5 Lance Abare 1965 -
      - 5 Trevor Abare 1969 -
      - 5 Tyler Abare 1971 -
      - ? \_\_\_\_\_
        - 6 Ashley M. Abare 1994 -
  - 4 Rosemary A. Bisson 1942 -
    - + Peter Benedini Jr. 1993 -
      - 5 Gina Benedini 1962 -
        - + Randy MacDonald
          - 6 Jeni-Lynn MacDonald 1993 -
          - 6 MacKenzie MacDonald 1995 -
      - 5 Christine Benedini 1965 -
        - + Adam Joyal 1965 -
          - 6 A-J Joyal 1998 -
    - 5 Peter A. Benedini III 1969 -
      - ? \_\_\_\_\_
        - 6 Jesse Benedini 1991 -
          - + Michelle Demers 1966 -
            - 6 Steven Benedini 1992 -
              - \*2nd husband of Rosemary A. Bisson:
                - + Robert M. Bates 1936 -
    - 4 Rachel P. Bisson 1948 -
      - + Roy Loker
    - 4 Roland L. Bisson 1952 -
      - + Shirley Mundinger 1954 - 1988
        - 5 Heather L. Bisson 1975 -
        - 5 Cyrus Bisson 1983 -
    - 4 Leonard L. Bisson 1955 -
      - + Shawn Purdue 1959 -
        - 5 Sherrie Bisson 1986 -
    - 3 Patricia 'Pat' Lucienne Bisson 1921 - 11/14/2017
      - + Charles 'Charlie' Augustus Terry 1918 - 6/12/2006
      - 4 Stephen C. Terry 1942 -
        - + Sandra Sargent 1941 -

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*Descendants of Napoleon Morin*

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- 5 Megan A. Terry 1968 -
- 5 Joshua D. Terry 1972 -
- \*2nd wife of Stephen C. Terry:
  - + Sally W. Johnson 1950 -
  - 5 William W. Terry 1985 -
- 4 John P. Terry 1945 -
  - + Lynn Mackenzie 1947 -
  - 5 Sean C. Terry 1970 -
    - + Angela Stahler 1969 -
    - 6 Alexis Lynn Terry 1998 -
  - 5 Jesse Terry 1973 -
  - 5 Lauren K. Terry 1979 -
- 4 Thomas F. Terry 1949 -
  - + Karen Bates 1949 -
  - 5 Justin B. Terry 1978 -
  - 5 Nicholas C. Terry 1981 -
- 4 Ellen Terry 1953 -
  - + Owen Van Hise
    - 5 Oliver Todd Van Hise 1971 -
      - + Jenifer Rae
      - 6 Joshua Van Hise 1992 -
  - \*2nd husband of Ellen Terry:
    - + Harold Balcom 1932 -
- 4 Margaret A. Terry 1957 -
- 3 Rosaire Wilfred Bisson 1923 - 1981
  - + Ruth Christine Farnham 1922 - 12/29/2012
  - 4 Rosaire W. Bisson II 1946 -
    - + Patricia Karsten 1950 - 1997
    - 5 Jeann Bisson 1971 -
    - 5 Franz Bisson 1976 -
  - \*2nd wife of Rosaire W. Bisson II:
    - + Susan (Cross) Coache 1948 -
- 4 Diane Bisson 1947 -
  - + Michael Donahue 1947 -
    - 5 Michael Donahue 1968 -
    - 5 Todd Donahue 1969 -
    - 5 Jeffry Donahue 1970 -
    - 5 Matthew Donahue 1973 -
  - \*2nd husband of Diane Bisson:
    - + David Stonecliff
      - 5 Mary Stonecliff 1982 -
- 4 Michael Bisson 1949 -
  - + Shawn Galye
    - 5 Kevin Bisson 1974 -
    - 5 Kenda Bisson 1978 -
- 4 Donald Bisson 1950 -
  - + Cynthia Girdas
    - 5 Alexander Bisson 1978 -
    - 5 Peter J. Bisson 1982 -
- 4 Janet E. Bisson 1953 -
  - + Robert Jenkins

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*Descendants of Napoleon Morin*

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- 5 Kristine J. Jenkins 1972 -
- 5 Emily L. Jenkins 1976 -
- 5 Robert Terell Jenkins 1987 -
- 5 Abbgayle Jenkins 1994 -
- 4 Thomas J. Bisson
  - + Connie Leach 1952 -
    - 5 Alden Bisson 1992 -
    - 5 Jordon Bisson 1994 -
- 4 Annette Bisson 1957 -
  - + Vittonio Rossi
    - 5 Maria D. Rossi 1979 -
    - 5 Marco Rossi 1981 -
    - 5 Gemma R. Rossi 1985 -
- 4 Edward J. Bisson 1958 -
  - + Margaret Quinn
    - 5 Joseph S. Bisson 1988 -
    - 5 Christopher E. Bisson 1991 -
- 4 Robert P. Bisson 1964 -
  - + Loni Allen
    - 5 Colton R. Bisson 1998 -
- 3 Evangeline 'Van' Theresa Bisson 1925 - 11/20/2015
  - + Raymond Blakeney 1917 - 1994
    - 4 Bernard Gordon Blakeney 1948 -
      - ? \_\_\_\_\_
        - 5 Elizabeth Blakeney 1970 -
    - 4 William 'Bill' D. Blakeney 1951 - 2/13/2018
      - + Joan Dunham ??? Original entry
        - 5 Adam Blakeney 1975 - ??? "
      - + Joanne Vecchiola (Dunham?) ??? Per Evangeline's & William's obituaries
        - 5 Ben Dunham ??? "
        - 5 Daniel Dunham ??? "
        - 5 Damien 'Bucky' Dunham ??? "
- 4 Roberta J. Blakeney 1952 - 1967
- 4 Deborah R. Blakeney 1954 - 2020
  - + Robert Hayward
    - 5 Jessie Hayward 1984 -
    - 5 Julia Hayward 1987 -
- 4 Beverly Blakeney 1955 -
  - + Jon Crystal
    - 5 Peter Bresett Crystal 1972 -
- 4 James P. Blakeney 1958 -
  - + Marybeth Townsend
    - 5 Acassia Blakeney 1990 -
- 3 Marcel Joseph Bisson 1928 - 8/6/2011
  - + Pauline Anita Matte 1932 -
    - 4 Mark Allen Bisson 1951 -
      - + Tina \_\_\_\_\_
        - 5 Diana Bisson
        - 5 Sandra Bisson
        - 5 Michael Bisson
        - 5 Matthew Bisson

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- 4 Paula J. Bisson 1952 -
  - + Frank Bolio
    - 5 April Bolio
      - + Marcel Austin
- 4 John Matte Bisson 1953 -
  - + Teresa Blair
    - 5 Allen Bisson
    - 5 Jennifer Bisson
- 4 Linda Claire Bisson 1956 -
  - + Letourneau
    - 5 Stephen Letourneau
    - 5 Athena Letourneau
- 4 Mary Louise Bisson 1958 -
  - + Clarence Ward
    - 5 Joseph Bisson Ward
- 4 Ronald Joseph Bisson 1961 -
  - + Lauren Johnson
    - 5 Amanda Bisson
      - + \_\_\_\_\_ Eastman
    - 5 Joseph Bisson
    - 5 Tricea Bisson
- 4 Patricia Helen Bisson 1962 -
  - ? \_\_\_\_\_
    - 5 Marilyn Durant
- 3 Robert Francis Bisson 1930 -
  - + Masaye Ota 1922 - 1996
    - 4 Hanaye Marie Bisson 1959 -
    - 4 Kisaye Yvonne Bisson 1961 -
- 3 Irene Josephine Bisson 1931 - 12/7/2017
  - + Merlin E. Neddo 1929 -
    - 4 Francis Lee Neddo 1951 -
      - + Melanie Johnson
        - 5 Christine Neddo 1973 -
        - 5 Christopher Neddo 1974 -
        - 5 April Neddo 1976 -
          - + Andrew Brown
            - 6 Adreanna Brown 1997 -
            - 6 Andrew Brown 1998 -
    - \*2nd wife of Francis Lee Neddo:
      - + Brenda Hall 1953 -
        - 5 Milika Neddo 1979 -
- 4 Arnold M. Neddo 1952 -
  - + Amy Michelson 1948 -
    - 5 Samantha Wornick (?) 1979 -
- 4 Joan M. Neddo 1953 -
  - + Michael Stepp 1951 -
    - 5 Chrystee Stepp 1974 -
      - + Casey Governo
        - 6 Samuel Vincent Governo 1999 -
    - 5 Michael Stepp Jr. 1976 -
    - 5 Holly Stepp 1978 -

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- + Ryan Fair
  - 6 Nathaniel Fair 1995 -
- 4 Kathleen Neddo 1954 -
  - + William Blondin 1952 -
    - 5 Michelle Blondin 1974 -
      - + Bryan DeForge
        - 6 Alexander DeForge 1999 -
    - 5 Ashley Blondin 1986 -
    - 5 Dwight Blondin 1987 -
- 4 David J. Neddo 1957 -
  - + Deborah Jean Stairs 1960 -
    - 5 Nathan Jay Neddo 1977 -
    - 5 Nicholas Jamed Neddo 1979 -
- 3 Wilfrid Joseph Bisson Jr. 1933 -
  - + Judith Casey
    - 4 Wilfrid Mark Bisson 1969 -
    - 4 Nathaniel Casey Bisson 1974 -
      - + Sandee Blanchette
  - \*2nd wife of Wilfrid Joseph Bisson Jr.:
    - + Ruth 'Mal' Marie Malnatti Farina
- 3 Cecile Florida Bisson 1934 - 1991
  - + John Stangle 1933 -
    - 4 Karl Frank Stangle 1960 -
      - + Carylon Longo
        - 5 Ian Alexander Stangle 1988 -
        - 5 Alexander Michael Stangle
    - 4 Anne Marie Stangle 1962 -
      - + Charles Roy Halbert
        - 5 Samuel Augustin Halbert 1999 -
    - 4 Michelle Carol Stangle 1963 -
      - + Marvin Shafer
    - 4 John B. Stangle 3<sup>rd</sup> 1969 -
- 3 Bernard John Bisson 1937 -
  - + Sally Jean Shaner 1944 -
    - 4 Sheila Lynn Bisson 1967 -
      - + Thomas Jay Bailey 1963 -
        - 5 Adam Bailey 1994 -
        - 5 Nathaniel Bailey 1997 -
    - 4 Christopher Wesley Bisson 1970 -
    - 4 Jocelyn Elaine Bisson 1974 -
    - 4 Joelle Marie Bisson 1976 -
    - 4 Amanda Gayle Bisson 1980 -
- ..... 2 Alfred Joseph (Morin) Morrie 1894 - 1/4/1983
  - + Anne 'Annie' H. Ryan 1898 - 1980
- 3 Eleanor Morrie 1927 - 1927
- 3 Helen Marie Morrie 5/3/1928 - 6/21/2003
  - + John Lewis Franco 1927 - 1980
    - 4 Karen Ann Franco 1951 - 1/23/2020
      - + James Juknis 1949 -
        - 5 Jennifer Ann Juknis 1978 -
          - + Evan Kretz





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- + Kevin Dean Hooker 1966 -
  - 6 Adam Michael Hooker 1987 -
  - 6 Jacob Ryan Hooker 1990 -
- 4 Robert Langlois 1958 -
- 4 Donna Marie Langlois 1963 -
  - + Frederick John Holtzmann 1959 -
    - 5 Jennifer Catherine Holtzmann 1988 -
    - 5 Andrew Vincent John Holtzmann 1991 -
- 3 Richard Roland Morin 1930 -
  - + Geraldine May Gibbs 1931 -
    - 4 Linda Marie Morin 1953 -
      - + David Niles Fleischer 1953 -
        - 5 Nathan Niles Fleischer 1980 -
        - 5 Sarah Morin Fleischer 1983 -
    - 4 Jeanine Aline Morin 1957 -
      - + Thomas Gary Fiscel 1954 -
        - 5 Bryan Thomas Fiscel 1976 -
        - 5 Marc Daniel Fiscel 1979 -
        - 5 Jennifer Lynn Fiscel 1981 -
      - \*2nd husband of Jeanine Aline Morin:
        - + James Frederick Fenton 1957 -
        - 5 Abby Marie Fenton 1985 -
  - 3 Claire Marie Morin 1932 -
    - + Alvin Orton Saliman 1926 - 1996
      - 4 Joshua Adam Saliman 1970 -
        - + Laurel Hanck 1971 -
  - 3 Ronald Paul Morin 1940 - 2/4/2004
    - + Sharon McMahan 1942 -
      - 4 Ronald Paul Morin 1963 -
        - + Lorie
      - 4 John Morin 1965 -
        - + Anita
      - 4 Patrick Morin 1971 -
      - 4 Casey Morin 1979 -
  - ..... 2 Clarence Edmond (Morin) Morrie 1900 - 1985
    - + Eva May Jerry 1903 - 1930
      - 3 Lenford Norbert Morrie 1925 - 1992
        - + Molly Ann Boylston
        - \*2nd wife of Lenford Norbert Morrie:
          - + Lucille White
      - 3 Norbert Gordon Morrie 1927 - 1927
      - 3 Richard Antoine Morrie 1928 - 1931
      - 3 Clarence Eugene Morrie 1929 - 1993
        - + Mildred Dolores Milne 1933 -
          - 4 Albert Morrie
          - 4 Valerie Anne Morrie 1954 -
        - \*2nd wife of Clarence Eugene Morrie:
          - + Jane Frances Smith 1929 - 1984
            - 4 Brian Scott Morrie 1963 - 1963
            - 4 Tina Marie Morrie 1964 -
              - + Danny Ray Barefield

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5 Andrea Jane Barefield 1991 -  
5 Katie Ann Barefield 1994 -  
\*2nd wife of Clarence Edmond (Morin) Morrie:  
+ Ruth Marion (Farnham) Hall 1906 - 12/17/2003  
3 Sylvia Mae Morrie 1934 -  
+ Bruce Hamilton Nichols 1934 - 1984  
4 Bruce Gary Nichols 1953 -  
+ Janfra Dale Thompkins 1946 -  
5 Calen Elvera Nichols 1977 -  
5 Ariel Thane Nichols 1979 -  
4 Nancy Jean Nichols 1954 -  
+ Norman Gerard Martin 1937 - 1997  
5 Krystle Jo Martin 1986 -  
\*2nd husband of Nancy Jean Nichols:  
+ William Edward Edson 1963 -  
\*2nd husband of Sylvia Mae Morrie:  
+ Gordon Bradford Pettingell 1919 - 2015  
..... 2 Oney Wilfred (Morin) Morrie 1902 - 1966  
+ Eva Belle Machia 1905 - 12/19/2004  
3 Clifford Oney Morrie 1926 - 12/7/2003  
+ Martha Patricia 'Pat' Zoeller 1927 - 1981  
4 Allan Paul Morrie 1953 -  
+ Nancy Plumley 1950 -  
5 Andrew Morrie 1984 -  
5 Jessica Morrie 1987 -  
4 Marie Antoinette Morrie 1954 -  
+ Phillip W. Tiemann III 1951 -  
5 Michelle Tiemann 1978 -  
5 Christina Tiemann 1981 -  
5 Paul Morrie Tiemann 1987 -  
4 David Lee Morrie 1958 -  
+ Susan Ann Bowers 1958 -  
5 Ryan David Morrie 1990 -  
5 Nathan David Morrie 1998 -  
4 Cecilia Ann Morrie 1959 -  
+ James Scott Robinson 1958 -  
5 Jason Michael Robinson 1984 -  
5 Tyler James Robinson 1988 -  
4 John Daniel Morrie 1961 -  
+ Linda Pare' 1962 -  
5 Emily Rose Morrie 1987 -  
+ Samuel A. McRae  
6 Samuel McRae II  
6 Kiara Rose McRae 3/13/2006 - 6/19/2006  
6 Logan McRae 3/13/2006  
6 Annalisa McRae 3/13/2006  
5 Dianne Marie Morrie 1989 -  
5 Abigail Catherine Morrie 1994 -  
\*2nd wife of John Daniel Morrie  
+ 'Eddie'  
4 Thomas Frank Morrie 1963 -

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- + Noreen E. (Wightman) Bilodeau 1962 -
  - 5 Sara Martha Morrie 1988 -
  - 5 Darcy Kathryn Morrie 1990 -
- 4 Kathleen Martha Morrie 1964 -
  - + Thomas Dwinell 1964 -
    - 5 Allison Elizabeth Dwinell 1993 -
    - 5 Jacob Thomas Dwinell 1997 -
- \*2nd wife of Clifford Oney Morrie:
  - + Helen Marie (Gale) White 1942 -
- 3 Lucille Eva Morrie 1931 -
  - + Rene Abert 1925 - died    ?
    - 4 Cheryl Ann Abert 1957 -
      - + Rene Gerard Dube 1960 -
        - 5 Chrystal Lee Dube 1986 -
        - 5 Todd Alfred Dube 1990 -
      - \*2nd husband of Cheryl Ann Abert:
        - + Randy Place 1959 -
    - 4 Cynthia Ann Abert 1957 -
      - + Joseph Lesley Vaughan 1957 -
        - 5 Jennifer Ann Vaughan 1985 -
        - 5 Jonathan Joseph Vaughan 1987 -
    - 4 Corliss Rita Abert 1959 -
      - + Pierre Eugene Beaulieu 1956 -
        - 5 Zachary Pierre Beaulieu 1986 -
        - 5 Jacqueline Corliss Beaulieu 1988 -
        - 5 Victoria Marie Beaulieu 1989 -
        - 5 Clayton Marcel Beaulieu 1992 -
    - 4 Michael Rene Abert 1960 -
      - + Karen Ann Boisvere 1961 -
        - 5 Benjamin Michael Abert 1984 -
        - 5 Elizabeth Ann Abert 1986 -
        - 5 Bradley Alexander Abert 1987 -
        - 5 Max Joseph Abert 1989 -
    - 4 Charlene Jean Abert 1962 -
      - + William Henry Thibault 1957 -
        - 5 Nicholas William Thibault 1988 -
        - 5 Jilian Marie Thibault 1990 -
      - \*2nd husband of Charlene Jean Abert:
        - + Michael Bak 1956 -
  - 3 Joyce Elaine Morrie 1935 - 4/5/1999
    - + Wendell Wheeler 1934 -
      - 4 Wanda Lee Wheeler 1955 -
        - ?                     
          - 5 Michael Eric Ray 1976 -
            - ?                     
              - 6 Matthew Dean Ray 1996 -
        - + Roger Hill (?)
          - 5 Mitchell Kyle Hill-Davis 1987 -
          - 5 Matthew Kevin Hill-Davis 1987 - 1992
    - 4 Stephen Morrie Wheeler 1956 -
    - 4 James Thomas Wheeler 1958 -

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- + Dorothy A. Oreola
  - 5 James Thomas Wheeler Jr. 1977 -  
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    - 6 James Thomas Wheeler 1998 -
  - 5 Jeremy Keith Wheeler 1980 -
  - 5 John Alexander Wheeler 1986 -
- 4 Teresa Ann Wheeler 1959 -
  - + Rick Johnson 1957 -
    - 5 Kimberly Diane Johnson 1981 -
    - 5 Kenneth Paul Johnson 1984 -
  - \*2nd husband of Teresa Ann Wheeler:
    - + Jay Glenn 1952 -
      - 5 James Winfield (?) Glenn 1998 -
      - 5 Taylor Austin Glenn 1999 -
- 4 Deborah Jean Wheeler 1960 -
  - + John Troy
    - 5 Christopher John Troy 1977 -
    - 5 Aniel Richard Troy 1979 -
  - \*2nd husband of Deborah Jean Wheeler:
    - + Dale Avera
- 4 Mary Ellen Wheeler 1961 -
  - + Max Spromberg
    - 5 Angeline Marie Spromberg 1977 -  
? \_\_\_\_\_
      - 6 Kevin Spromberg Ohmer 1996 -
    - + Clint Crellin 1971 -
    - 5 Joshue Abe Spromberg 1979 -
    - 5 Sonja Prudence Spromberg 1981 -
  - \*2nd husband of Mary Ellen Wheeler
    - + Ron Bahr 1966 -
      - 5 Ashley Marie Bahr 1996 -
      - 5 Jason Jeremy Bahr 1998 -
- 4 Selinda Marie Wheeler 1962 -
  - + David Hill 1962 -
    - 5 Roger Dale Hill 1984 -
    - 5 Jesi Rae Hill 1988 -
- 4 Russell Joseph Wheeler 1964 -
  - + Jolle Louise Vermilye
    - 5 Justine Rosa Wheeler 1988 -
- ..... 2 Maria Rosa Alma Morin 1903 - 1904
- ..... 2 Vernard Joseph (Morin) Morrie 12/3/1904 - 4/12/1965
  - + Kathleen M. (Harris) Shedd 3/19/1916 - 6/14/1980
    - 3 Samuel Charles Morrie 4/12/1955 -
      - + Susan Alice Stephenson 11/24/1951 -
        - 4 Andrew Joseph Morrie 11/29/1992 -
    - 3 Rosemary Rachel Morrie 2/20/1957 -
      - + David Paxman
        - 4 Willard Paxman 11/2/1981 -
        - 4 Crystal Paxman 4/27/1984 -
  - ..... 2 Elizabeth 'Lizzie' Mae Morin 1906 - 1995
    - + Peter Rhyneldo Bombard 1895 - 1967

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- 3 Rhyneldo 'Rhy' Paul Bombard 1928 - 1991
  - + Leona Charlotte Safford 1930 -
    - 4 Linda Ann Bombard 1950 -
      - + Paul J. MacDonald 1949 -
        - 5 Keith Alan MacDonald 1980 -
        - 5 Beth Ann MacDonald 1982 -
    - 4 Gary Andrew Bombard 1951 -
      - + Pamela M. Becker 1955 -
        - 5 Joshua Ethan Bombard 1990 -
        - 5 Emily Elizabeth Bombard 1992 -
  - 4 Ronald Albert Bombard 1953 -
    - + Donna M. Delibbey
      - 5 Christopher Erick Bombard 1980 -
  - 4 Stewart Paul Bombard 1954 - 1983
  - 4 Debra Jean Bombard 1955 -
    - + Dana R. Gray 1951 -
      - 5 Dori Ann Gray 1981 -
      - 5 Deon Jean Gray 1985 -
      - 5 Dale Alyce Gray 1987 -
  - 4 Carol Loise Bombard 1964 -
    - + Richard T. Humes 1964 -
      - 5 Kayla Nichole Humes 1987 -
      - 5 Jayce Foster Humes 1991 -
- 3 Erlene Mac Bombard 1929 - 1/31/2016
  - + Richard Joseph Dickinson 1929 - died \_\_\_?\_\_\_
    - 4 Kathleen 'Kathi' M. Dickinson 1953 -
      - + Robert 'Bob' Manley 1946 -
        - 5 Eric T. Manley 1979 -
        - 5 Melissa Manley 1981 -
    - 4 Roger Joseph Dickinson 1954 -
      - + Diana Schuck 1961 -
        - 5 Laura Dickinson 1996 -
        - 5 Alyssa Dickinson 1998 -
    - 4 Alan Richard Dickinson 1956 -
      - + Debbie Farnsworth 1955 -
        - 5 Nathan A. Dickinson 1984 -
        - 5 Evan F. Dickinson 1989 -
    - 4 Mary Jane Dickinson 1958 -
      - + Bruce Jordan 1953 -
        - 5 Christopher B. Jordan 1977 -
        - 5 Kimberly Jordan 1988 -
    - 4 Pamela A. Dickinson 1960 -
      - + John Bambara 1962 -
        - 5 Anthony Bambara 1990 -
        - 5 Rachael Bambara 1993 -
      - \*2nd husband of Pamela A. Dickinson
        - + Gary Berian
    - 4 Ann L. Dickinson 1962 -
      - + Michael Redel 1962 -
        - 5 Meghan Redel 1988 -
        - 5 Molly Redel 1993 -

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- 5 Ethan Redel 1994 -
  - \*2nd husband of Ann L. Dickinson
  - + Jonathan Edwards
- 4 Lois B. Dickinson 1966 -
  - + Andrew 'Andy' Foltan 1966 -
  - 5 Eleanor Foltan 1998 -
- 3 Russell Joseph Bombard 1930 - 1994
  - + Dorothy Faye LaPoint 1931 -
  - 4 Kevin Michael Bombard 1952 -
    - + Tona Torey
    - 5 Christopher Bombard 1976 -
    - 5 Andrew Bombard 1979 -
  - 4 Stephanie Jean Bombard 1953 -
    - + Gene A. Armstrong
    - 5 Nathan Armstrong 1974 -
    - 5 Jeremie Armstrong 1978 -
  - 4 Donna Marie Bombard 1955 -
    - + Douglas Kenyon
    - 5 Tricia Kenyon 1972 -
    - 5 Nicholas Kenyon 1977 -
    - 5 Kristy Kenyon 1979 -
  - 4 Lorie Ann Bombard 1957 -
    - + Roger Folsom
    - 5 Erica Folsom 1979 -
    - 5 Leigh Ann Folsom 1981 -
    - \*2nd husband of Lorie Ann Bombard:
      - + Dan Luce
      - 5 Isaac Luce 1989 -
  - 4 Kimberly Ann Bombard 1959 -
    - + Patric Livingston
    - 5 Megan Livingston 1978 -
    - 5 Ashley Livingston 1982 -
    - 5 Joshuah Livingston 1986 -
  - 4 Russell Joseph Bombard Jr. 1961 -
    - + Monica Despault
    - 5 Micaela Bombard 1981 -
    - 5 Morgan Bombard 1981 -
  - 3 Edward Ernest Bombard 1932 - 1992
    - + Pauline Constance Viens 1934 -
    - 4 Jean M. Bombard 1955 -
    - 4 Edward E. Bombard Jr. 1956 -
      - + Robin McInnis
      - 5 Kera Bombard 1982 -
      - 5 Travis Bombard 1987 -
    - 4 Andr'e Bombard 1958 -
      - + Roslynn Santamore
    - 4 Valerie Bombard 1959 -
      - + Richard Bragg
      - 5 Ronald Bragg 1980 -
      - 5 Erin Bragg 1983 -
    - 4 Patrice Bombard 1961 -

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- + Rober T. Eldred
  - 5 Heather Eldred 1984 -
- \*2nd husband of Patrice Bombard:
  - + Edward Siergiey
    - 5 Deven Siergiey 1991 -
- 4 Peter Bombard 1967 -
  - + Jennifer LaRose
    - 5 Cody Bombard 1997 -
    - 5 Paul Edward Bombard 1999 -
- 3 Peter Carl Bombard 1934 - 1/10/2007
  - + Veronica Perkowski 1936 - 1996
    - 4 John P. Bombard 1960 -
      - + Theresa Rose 1959 -
        - 5 Nicholas R. Bombard 1990 -
        - 5 Jacob L. Bombard 1995 -
    - 4 Edward J Bombard 1961 -
      - + Debra Moore 1957 -
        - 5 Trevor J. Bombard 1990 -
- 3 Mary Ann Bombard 1940 -
  - + Robert Jean' Gagne 1937 -
    - 4 Robert Jean' Gagne Jr. 1959 -
      - + Amy Blum 1958 -
        - 5 Laurie B. Gagne 1994 -
        - 5 Robert E. Gagne 1998 -
    - 4 Mark David Gagne 1960 -
      - + Judith Beaton 1959 -
        - 5 Gregory M. Gagne 1989 -
        - 5 Andrew D. Gagne 1991 -
        - 5 Nicholas S. Gagne 1996 -
    - 4 Brian Thomas Gagne 1962 -
      - + Michelle McCarthy Cassavant 1961 -
        - 5 Elizabeth R. Gagne 1999 -
    - 4 Jeffrey Charles Gagne 1965 -
      - + Danette Larkin 1969 -
        - 5 April E. Gagne 1984 -
        - 5 Katherine L. Gagne 1994 -
        - 5 Jeffrey Gagne Jr. 1998 -
    - 4 Glenn Douglas Gagne 1968 -
      - + Keiko Tsuji 1965 -
        - 5 Joseph M. Gagne 1998 -
        - 5 Christopher Gagne 2001 -
    - 4 Jennifer Marie Gagne 1977 -
  - ..... 2 Regina (Morin) Morrie 1907 - 12/27/1999
  - ..... 2 Ogalva 'Oak' Victor (Morin) Morrie 1909 - 1978
    - + Joy Louisa Farnsworth 9/2/1918 - 9/14/2008
  - 3 David Michael Morrie 1958 -
    - + Deborah Page 1957 -
      - 4 Michael D. Morrie 1981 -
      - 4 Matthew S. Morrie 1985 -
      - 4 Paige M. Morrie 1988 -
    - \*2nd wife of David Michael Morrie:

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- + Rebecca 'Becky' (Ford) Brown 1966 -
  - 4 Ryan Brown 1986 -
  - 4 Sarah Brown 1988 -
- ..... 2 Wyness Lenford (Morin) Morrie 1910 - 1/2/2009
- ..... 2 Emilie Domithelde Morin 1911 - 1912
- ..... 2 Albert Arthur (Morin) Morrie 1913 - 1944
- ..... 2 Lawrence Wilford (Morin) (Morrie) Morin 1915 - 6/4/2000
  - + Arlene Myrtice Beede 1923 - 8/20/2006
  - 3 Shirley Ann Morrie 1946 -
    - + Ralph Leonard Mowatt 1940 - 8/22/2008 (m. 4/24/1965 - div.)
    - 4 Ralph Lawrence Mowatt 1966 -
    - 4 Pamela Ann Mowatt 1967 -
      - + Robert Alan Tassie 1961 -
      - 5 Joshua Robert Tassie 1989 -
      - 5 Lindsey Christine Tassie 1991 -
    - 4 Christine Louise Mowatt 1970 - 1988
  - \*2nd husband of Shirley Ann Morrie:
    - + Richard Frank Bailey 1932 - 2/5/1999
  - 3 Albert Arthur Morrie 1950 - 9/16/2012
    - + Lee Ann Coyne 1955 - 1992
    - 4 Eric Paul Morrie 1974 -
    - 4 Lesa Ann Morrie 1975 -
    - 4 Luke Wyness Morrie 1979 -
    - 4 Adam Joseph Morrie 1982 -
  - 3 Marion Anita Morrie 1952 -
    - + Richard 'Dick' Verne Abbott 1949 -
    - 4 Kerry Ann Abbott 1976 -
    - 4 Kurt Lawrence Abbott 1979 -
    - 4 Jason Wade Abbott 1979 -
  - 3 Barbara Marie Morrie 1954 -
    - + John Buswell 1950 -
    - 4 April Lyn Buswell 1977 -
    - 4 Kimberly Anne Buswell 1980 -