

THE FAMILY OF THOMAS DESMOND, HERO OF THE CATALPA EXPEDITION AND SHERIFF OF SAN FRANCISCO  
A DESCENDANCY CHART WITH BIOGRAPHICAL NOTES, OBITUARIES, AND REFERENCES

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To John L. ("Jack") Forbes, a descendant of Thomas Desmond, who assisted in compiling this descendency. Jack's account of his father's memories of Tom Desmond's visits to his grandmother Margaret's house in Massachusetts was inspiring. Sadly, Jack passed away, before this project was completed.

### A Note to the Reader

The numbering system and format of this descendency chart are straightforward and may be understood intuitively. Family relationships are indicated by the position of a person's name and number. A minimum of genealogical symbols and abbreviations are used. Each individual is assigned a unique number in the descendency depending upon the generation to which he or she belongs and order of birth among his or her siblings. Spouses are assigned the next successive number following that of the person to whom they are married in the chronological order of their marriage. Any individual can be readily identified by his or her unique number. The abbreviations and symbols used in the chart are as follows:

+ married  
± extra-marital relationship  
abt. about  
aft. after  
b. born  
bap. baptized  
bef. before  
bet. between  
bur. buried  
chr. christened  
d. died  
div. divorced  
d.s.p. died without issue (*decessit sine prole*)  
d.s.p.m. died without sons (*decessit sine prole malus*)  
liv. living  
res. resided

Additional information for many individuals is provided in the notes. The paragraphing of quotations from newspaper articles and books in the notes has been altered to conserve space. Although the U.S. and state censuses have been consulted wherever relevant, they are not listed in the notes for the same reason.

THE FAMILY OF THOMAS DESMOND, HERO OF THE CATALPA EXPEDITION AND SHERIFF OF SAN FRANCISCO  
(1838, Cobh, County Cork, Ireland to 1910, San Francisco, California)

- 1.01 THOMAS DESMOND, b. bef. 1790, County Cork, Ireland.
- +1.02 JOHANNA HORGAN, b. abt. 1790, County Cork, Ireland.<sup>1</sup>
- 2.01 MARGARET DESMOND, b. 1807, Carrigtohill, Cork Ireland, d. 18 Apr 1880, Vernon, Dubuque, Iowa, bur. Holy Family Cemetery, Peosta, Dubuque, Iowa.<sup>2</sup>
- + 2.02 TIMOTHY MURPHY, b. 1793, Watergrasshill, Cork, Ireland, d. 10 Oct 1850, Galena, Jo Daviess, Illinois, bur. Saint Dominic's Cemetery, Sinsinawas, Wisconsin.<sup>3</sup>
- 3.01 WILLIAM MURPHY, b. abt. 1830, Waterloo, Seneca, New York, d. 11 May 1886, Clinton, Clinton County, Iowa, bur. Saint Mary's Cemetery, Clinton, Clinton, Iowa.<sup>4</sup>
- 3.02 MARGARET S. (UNKNOWN), b. abt. 1826, d. 23 Dec 1881, bur. Saint Mary's Cemetery, Clinton, Clinton, Iowa.<sup>5</sup>
- 3.02 JOHN MURPHY, b. 10 Jan 1831, New York, d.s.p. 18 May 1857, Peosta, Dubuque, Iowa, bur. Holy Family Cemetery, Dubuque, Dubuque, Iowa.<sup>6</sup>
- 3.03 MARY MURPHY, b. 11 Apr 1833, Waterloo, Seneca, New York, d.s.p. 9 Oct 1853, Galena, Jo Daviess, Illinois, bur. Saint Dominic's Cemetery, Sinsinawas, Wisconsin.<sup>7</sup>
- 3.04 DANIEL MURPHY, b. 3 Jun 1835 Waterloo, Seneca, New York, d. 26 Mar 1914, Ida Grove, Ida, Iowa, bur. Ida Grove Catholic Cemetery, Ida Grove, Ida, Iowa.<sup>8</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> According to a family tradition, they were married in 1817, but this cannot be correct if eldest child Margaret was born in 1807

<sup>2</sup> <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/78685294/margaret-murphy>

<sup>3</sup> Married 23 Mar 1828, Waterloo, Seneca, New York. <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/15449965/timothy-murphy>

<sup>4</sup> "Iowa, County Death Records, 1880-1992," database, *FamilySearch* (<https://familysearch.org>). <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/235145658/william-murphy>

<sup>5</sup> Iowa, County Death Records, 1880-1992." <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/211139607/margaret-murphy>

<sup>6</sup> <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/78685330/john-murphy>

<sup>7</sup> <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/77883110/mary-murphy>

<sup>8</sup> DANIEL MURPHY, one of Ida Grove's oldest, best known and most loved citizens, died on Thursday morning, March 26th, of acute pneumonia, after an illness of ten days. Daniel Murphy, Sr., was born in Seneca county, NY, on June 3rd, 1835, and would have reached his 79th birthday on the 3rd day of June of the present year (1914). He moved with his parents to Dubuque, Iowa, during the year 1850, a lad of 15 years, and entered a machine shop in that city where he served an apprenticeship as both machinist and blacksmith. Here he was united in marriage to Catherine Roche on 2 May 1866 and where all but one of a family of eleven children were born. He followed his trade for many years and later was made foreman in the Cooper wagon shop, a farm implement known all over the world, and during the time he was in their employ invented a hub boring machine which was the first ever used and proved a big success. An injured wrist was the cause of Mr. Murphy's not working at his trade for some years, and he engaged in farming, and while engaged in this work he constructed a threshing machine, and a swinging stacker, the later being the first invention of the kind. Mr. Murphy's genius found expression in other inventions and mechanical devices, but he seldom took pains to secure patents, and appeared to care little for the financial reward. His one aim in life seemed to be the perfecting of some useful article, and his reward was the mastery skill and workmanship that he placed in their construction. To Mr. and Mrs. Murphy ten sons and one daughter were born, Louis and Laurence dying in childhood.; John, William, Daniel, Robert, Joseph, Mary Alberta, Bernard, and James (*The Ida Grove Pioneer*, Ida Grove, Iowa, April 1, 1914, n.p). <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/60273461/daniel-murphy>

- +3.05 KATHERINE ROACH, b. Dec 1845, Iowa, Dubuque, Dubuque, Iowa, d. 16 Feb 1916. Ida Grove, Ida, Iowa, bur. Ida Grove Catholic Cemetery, Ida Grove, Ida, Iowa.<sup>9</sup>
- 3.06 LAURENCE JOSEPH MURPHY, b. 25 Jun 1838, Waterloo, Seneca, New York, d. 14 Sep 1922, Calgary, Alberta, Canada, bur. Springfield National Cemetery, Springfield, Greene, Missouri.<sup>10</sup>
- + 3.07 MARIA FRANCES (UNKNOWN), b. 1858, Iowa, d. 1 Nov 1921, Calgary Alberta, Canada, bur. Springfield National Cemetery, Springfield, Greene, Missouri.<sup>11</sup>
- 3.07 ABIGAIL MURPHY, b.2 Aug 1842, Waterloo, Seneca, New York, d.s.p. 7 Oct 1850, Galena, Jo Daviess, Illinois, bur. Saint Dominic's Cemetery, Sinsinawas, Wisconsin.<sup>12</sup>
- 3.08 TIMOTHY C. MURPHY, b. 7 Jun 1845, Waterloo, Seneca, New York, d. 16 Mar 1917, Peosta, Dubuque, Iowa, bur. Mount Olivet Cemetery, Key West, Dubuque, Iowa.<sup>13</sup>
- + 3.09 MARY ELLEN MORGAN, b. 13 Nov 1853, Galena, Jo Daviess, Illinois, d. 23 Mar 1940, Dubuque, Dubuque, Iowa, bur. Mount Olivet Cemetery, Key West, Dubuque, Iowa.<sup>14</sup>
- 2.03 TIMOTHY DESMOND, b. 1813, Carrigtohill, Cork, Ireland, d. 15 Jan 1872, Dubuque, Dubuque, Iowa, bur. St. Patrick's Cemetery, Dubuque.

<sup>9</sup> Married 2 May 1866, Dubuque, Dubuque, Iowa ("Iowa, County Marriages, 1838-1934," database, *FamilySearch* (<https://familysearch.org>). <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/60273615/catherine-murphy>

<sup>10</sup> "MURPHY FUNERAL THURSDAY—Double funeral services for L. J. Murphy and wife will be held here next Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Paxson funeral parlors. The bodies will arrive here next Monday. Mr. Murphy died September 14 at Calgary, Canada, and Mrs. Murphy died more than a year ago. Mr. Murphy was a former resident of this city and was for a number of years superintendent of the Springfield Wagon Factory. Burial will be held in the National cemetery under the direction of the Paxson Undertaking company. Mr. Murphy was a veteran of the civil war [3<sup>rd</sup> Sergeant, Company F, 21<sup>st</sup> Iowa Volunteer Infantry]. His son, Bert Murphy, has arrived here and will make arrangements for the funeral" (no source given: <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/3279028/lawrence-joseph-murphy>).

<sup>11</sup> <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/3279031/maria-frances-murphy>

<sup>12</sup> <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/77883095/abby-murphy>

<sup>13</sup> "TIMOTHY C. MURPHY ANSWERS SUMMONS—Timothy C. Murphy, a resident of Dubuque for half a century and former secretary of the Board of Education, succumbed to an illness of a year's duration Friday morning at 4 o'clock at Mercy hospital. Mr. Murphy was born in Waterloo, New York, June 7, 1845, coming to this section of the country when a young man and engaging in farming for several years. When he later retired from the farm and took up his residence in Dubuque, he was elected to the Board of Education and held the office of for many years, until his health became such that he was forced to retire to private life. During those years, however, he was prominent in the educational circles of the city and made scores of friends to whom his death will mean a grievous loss. The deceased is survived by his wife and four children, two daughters, Mrs. E. P. Smith and Phesie, both of Dubuque, Charles of this city, and Clarence of Detroit, Mich. The funeral will be held Monday morning from his late residence, 1015 Bluff street, to St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. Interment will take place in the family lot in Mount Olivet (*The Dubuque Telegraph Herald*, Dubuque, Iowa, March 16, 1817, p.10). <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/173605270/timothy-c-murphy>

<sup>14</sup> MRS. MARY E. MURPHY—Funeral services will be held Tuesday morning for Mrs. Mary E. Murphy, 86, who died Saturday night following an illness of three weeks at the home of her sisters, Miss Josephine and Miss Patience Morgan, 409 West Fourteenth Street. Mrs. Murphy was the widow of T. C. Murphy, who for many years was a member of the Dubuque Board of Education. The body is at the home of her sisters on West Fourteenth Street, from where the funeral will be held to St. Patrick's Church Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock. Burial will be in Mount Olivet Cemetery. Mrs. Murphy was born at Galena, Ill., Nov. 13, 1853, and came to Dubuque when she was three years old. She was a member of St. Patrick's Church. Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. E. F. (Margaret )Smith, Dubuque; Mrs. Irene Tribolet, Tucson, Ariz.; and Miss Josephine Murphy, Oelweln.; two sons, C. E. Murphy, Sioux City, and Charles E. Murphy, state income tax auditor, Dubuque; two sisters, Miss Josephine and Miss Patience Morgan, both of Dubuque; and 12 grand children and five great-grandchildren (*The Dubuque Telegraph Herald*, Dubuque, Iowa, March 25, 1840, p. 14). She was the daughter of Mathias Morgan and Patience Maher (<https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/166165506/mary-e-murphy>).

Dubuque, Iowa.<sup>15</sup>

+ 2.04 JULIA HEALEY, b. 1825, Ireland, d. 22 Jan 1905, Denver, Colorado, bur. Mount Olivet Catholic Cemetery, Wheat Ridge, Jefferson, Colorado.<sup>16</sup>

3.10 JOHN DESMOND, b. 7 Nov 1844, Geneva, Ontario, New York. d. 12 Jul 1926, La Crosse, La Crosse, Wisconsin, bur. Catholic Cemetery of La Crosse, La Crosse, Wisconsin<sup>17</sup>

+ 3.11 CATHERINE (KATE) MURPHY, b. 1852, Ireland. d 1 Jul 1910, La Crosse, La Crosse, Wisconsin, bur. Catholic Cemetery of La Crosse, La Crosse, La Crosse, Wisconsin.<sup>18</sup>

4.01 TIMOTHY DESMOND. b. 1871, New York, d.s.p. 4 Dec 1906, La Crosse, La Crosse, Wisconsin, bur. Catholic Cemetery of La Crosse, La Crosse, Wisconsin.<sup>19</sup>

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<sup>15</sup> "DESMOND--In this city, Monday, the 15<sup>th</sup> inst., of lung fever, Timothy Desmond, aged 69years. Funeral to-morrow (Wednesday) the 17<sup>th</sup> inst., at 9 a. m., from the residence corner of White and 19<sup>th</sup> street. Remains to be interred at the Monastery, services at St. Patrick's church before proceeding to the Cemetery. Friends of the family are invited to attend" (*The Dubuque Daily Herald*, January 16, 1872, p. 4).

<sup>16</sup> "MRS. JULIA DESMOND DIES—FORMER DUBUQUE WOMAN PASSES AWAY AT HOME IN DENVER LAST SUNDAY MORNING—Announcement was received in this city today of the death of Mrs. Julia Desmond, which occurred at Denver, Colorado, on last Sunday Morning. Mrs. Desmond was a former resident of Dubuque, and her family was well known in this city, where they made their home until a few years ago. Her death was caused by pneumonia. She is survived by several children and grandchildren. One daughter, Miss Abbie, passed away in Denver, a few months ago. The particulars of her death will be announced later (*The Dubuque Telegraph Herald*, Dubuque, Iowa, Jan. 24 1905, p.3) Note: She was a school teacher both in Dubuque and in Denver. MRS. JULIA DESMOND'S FUNERAL IN DENVER—[abridged] "Mrs. Julia Desmond...was buried from the Sacred Heart church Monday....Father Barry celebrated the requiem high mass and paid a touching tribute to the memory of the deceased. The interment was at Mount Olivet cemetery. Mrs. Desmond is survived by seven children, three of whom, Margaret, Julia, and Nellie, are residents of this city. She was a scion of an old Irish family that has distinguished itself in Irish political and ecclesiastical history. Dr. Murphy, the present archbishop of Tasmania, in Australia, is a cousin of the deceased, and a nephew, Thomas Desmond, former Sheriff of San Francisco, was one of the leading spirits in the Fenian movement, taking a prominent part in the daring Catalpa rescue of six Irish political prisoners in 1876. Mrs. Desmond was born in 1825, coming to this country a bride in 1844. She had received an excellent education and was a woman of many accomplishments....Mrs. Desmond was ever noted for her kindly disposition and unostentatious charity (*The Dubuque Telegraph Herald*, Jan. 30 1905, p.3)

<sup>17</sup> JOHN DESMOND. 1126 Caledonia street died Monday Morning at six o'clock. He was born at Geneva, New York, on November 7. 1844. Surviving are his wife and two children, Francis of La Crosse, and Mrs. John Danchertsen of St. Paul, three sisters Julia, Nelly and Katie, of San Francisco, and four grandchildren. Funeral services will be held Wednesday morning at 7:30 from the home and at eight o'clock from St. James Catholic church, Rev. Ambrose Murphy officiating. Interment will be made in the Catholic cemetery (*The La Crosse Tribune*, La Crosse, Wisconsin, July 12, 1926, p. 6). Company M, 16<sup>th</sup> New York Heavy Artillery, December 19, 1863 to August 21, 1865 (*Soldiers and Citizens Album: Containing Personal Sketches of Wisconsin Army Men and Citizens Prominent in Loyalty to the Union* (Grand Army Publishing Co.: 1890), pp. 548-9). Note: The information regarding his birth at <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/95899364/john-desmond> is incorrect.

<sup>18</sup> "PIONEER RESIDENT OF NORTH SIDE Dies, MRS. CATHERINE DESMOND, resident of La Crosse for the past 46 years, passed away Wednesday evening at St. Joseph's Home. She was born in Cork, Ireland, and was 79 years of age. Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. John Danchertsen of St. Paul and one son, Francis of La Crosse. Funeral services will be held Saturday morning at 8 o'clock at St. Joseph's Home and at 8:30 at St. James church, the Rev. Ambrose Murphy officiating and interment will be made in the Catholic cemetery. Rosary will be recited at St. Joseph's Home Friday Evening at 7:30 o'clock (<https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/95899614/catherine-desmond>) (source not given). Married 12 May 1870., New York. She was the daughter of Daniel and Mary Murphy, both born in Ireland (*Soldiers and Citizens Album*, p.549).

<sup>19</sup> ELUDES NURSE AND IS DEAD—Timothy Desmond, aged 35 years, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Desmond, 1126 Caledonia street, passed away at 8 o'clock this morning at the home of his brother, Francis, 1301 Kane street, after an illness of only two days, death resulting from pneumonia. Although Mr. Desmond was very ill he would not believe it and soon after the physician left the house yesterday, he dressed and managed to leave without being seen. He was found and taken back home as soon as it was discovered that he had left, but he grew gradually worse and passed away this morning surrounded by a number of relatives and

- 4.02 JOHN FRANCIS DESMOND, b. 3 Nov 1874, Iowa, d. 26 Jan 1952, La Crosse, La Crosse, Wisconsin, bur. Catholic Cemetery of La Crosse, La Crosse, La Crosse, Wisconsin.<sup>20</sup>
- + 4.03 Rose McManus, b. 22 Nov 1878, Rising Son, Crawford, Wisconsin, d. 11 Jun 1968, La Crosse, La Crosse, Wisconsin, bur. Catholic Cemetery of La Crosse, La Crosse, La Crosse, Wisconsin.<sup>21</sup>
- 5.01 MARIE DESMOND, b. 27 Mar 1903, La Crosse, La Crosse, Wisconsin, d. Jun 1975, La Crosse, La Crosse, Wisconsin, bur. Catholic Cemetery of La Crosse, La Crosse, La Crosse, Wisconsin.<sup>22</sup>
- + 5.02 ROY W. KNAPMILLER, b. 1905, Wisconsin, d. Aug 1974, La Crosse, La Crosse, Wisconsin. bur. Catholic Cemetery of La Crosse, La Crosse, La Crosse, Wisconsin.<sup>23</sup>
- 5.03 JOHN W. DESMOND, b. 1909, Wisconsin, d. 25 Mar 1974, Marshalltown, Marshall, Iowa, bur. Gate of Heaven Catholic Cemetery, La Crosse, La Crosse, Wisconsin.<sup>24</sup>
- + 5.04 VERA E. DUFFY, b. 6 May 1906, Minnesota, d. 9 Aug 1997, La Crosse, La Crosse, Wisconsin,, bur. Gate of Heaven Catholic Cemetery, La Crosse, La Crosse, Wisconsin.<sup>25</sup>
- 6.01 BARBARA JANE. DESMOND, b. 28 Aug 1933, Winona, Winona, Minnesota, d. 3 Nov 2022, La Crosse, La Crosse, Wisconsin, bur. Gate of Heaven Catholic Cemetery, La Crosse, La Crosse, Wisconsin.<sup>26</sup>

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friends. He was a big hearted young man and had a large number of friends. The funeral will be held on Thursday morning from the St. James church, Rev. Ambrose Murphy officiating and William Dwyer in charge (*The La Crosse Tribune*, La Crosse, Wisconsin, December 4, 1906, p. 1).  
<https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/95899104/timothy-j-desmond>

<sup>20</sup> J. FRANK DESMOND—J. Frank Desmond died suddenly Saturday at his home, 904 Charles St. He was a retired worker at the Electric Auto-Lite Company, having served there for more than 25 years. He is survived by his wife Rose; one daughter, Mrs. R. W. (Marie) Knapmiller, La Crosse; one son, John, La Crosse; and seven grandchildren. Desmond was a member of the Catholic Order of Foresters for more than 50 years and a member of St. James Holy Names Society. Funeral services will be held at 7:30 a.m. Wednesday at the North Side Blascke Funeral Chapel, 933 Rose St., and at 8 a.m. at St. James Catholic Church. The Rev. J. J. Sheridan will officiate. Burial will be in Catholic Cemetery. Rosary will be said Tuesday evening at the funeral chapel. Friends may call there Tuesday afternoon and evening (*The La Crosse Tribune*, La Crosse, Wisconsin, January 28, 1952, p. 6). "United States, Social Security Numerical Identification Files (NUMIDENT), 1936-2007", database, *FamilySearch*, <https://www.familysearch.org> <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/95899833/john-francis-desmond>

<sup>21</sup> <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/95900208/rose-desmond>

<sup>22</sup> "United States Social Security Death Index," database, *FamilySearch*, <https://familysearch.org>

<sup>23</sup> <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/124382674/roy-w-knapmiller>

<sup>24</sup> "JOHN W. DESMOND. MARSHALLTOWN, IOWA—John W. Desmond, 64, of Marshalltown, formerly of La Crosse, died Monday, March 25. Services will be Wednesday morning in Marshalltown. Burial will be at the Gate of Heaven Cemetery Wednesday afternoon in La Crosse. Surviving are his wife, Vera, two sons, Dennis of Marshalltown, and John of Watertown, Wis; four daughters, Sister Barbara of Superior, Wis., Sister Rosemary of Wausau, Wis., Mrs. Michael (Margaret) Ziegelmaeier of Evanston, Ill., and Mrs. Corey (Kathleen) DeGaetano of La Crosse; and one sister, Mrs. Roy (Marie) Knapmiller of La Crosse" (*The La Crosse Tribune*, La Crosse, Wisconsin, March 26, 1874, p.3). <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/95900666/john-w-desmond>

<sup>25</sup> Daughter of John Duffy and Selma Roeder ("United States, GenealogyBank Obituaries, Births, and Marriages 1980-2014," database with images, *FamilySearch* (<https://familysearch.org>). <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/95900595/vera-e-desmond>

<sup>26</sup> SISTER MICHON [BARBARA JANE] DESMOND, Franciscan Sister of Perpetual Adoration, 89, died on Thursday, November 3, 2022 at St. Rose Convent, La Crosse, WI. She was in the sixty-eighth year of religious profession. Sister Michon (Barbara Jane) was born to John W. and Vera (Duffy) Desmond on August 28, 1933, in Winona, MN, the eldest of six children. Her father's work, assistant sales manager for Auto-Lite, led the family to move to La Crosse shortly after her birth. There she attended St. James School and Aquinas High School, both staffed by FSPA. After high school graduation she felt a call to join the FSPA. Barbara Jane entered St. Rose Convent in the fall of 1951. On August 12, 1954, she made her first profession of vows as a Franciscan Sister of Perpetual Adoration. For almost 30 years she ministered in junior and senior high schools as a teacher and principal in Wisconsin, Washington, Guam, and

- 6.02 ROSEMARY F. DESMOND, liv.  
 6.03 MARGARET A. DESMOND, liv.  
 6.04 JOHN A. DESMOND, b. abt. 1940, La Crosse, La Crosse, Wisconsin, d. bef. 28 Aug 1933.  
 6.06 KATHLEEN E. DESMOND, b. 28 Feb 1943, La Crosse, La Crosse, Wisconsin, d. 3 Dec 2010, Onalaska, La Crosse, Wisconsin, bur. Gate of Heaven Catholic Cemetery, La Crosse, La Crosse, Wisconsin.<sup>27</sup>  
 6.05 DENNIS M. DESMOND, b. abt. 1944, La Crosse, La Crosse, Wisconsin, d. bef. 28 Aug 1933.  
 4.04 MARIE DESMOND, b. 1876, Iowa, d. 18 Jul 1951, Tulsa, Tulsa, Oklahoma, bur. Catholic Cemetery of La Crosse, La Crosse, La Crosse, Wisconsin.<sup>28</sup>  
 + 4.05 JOHN D. DANCHERTSEN, b. 1864, Minnesota, d. 1926, bur. Catholic Cemetery of La Crosse, La Crosse, La Crosse, Wisconsin.<sup>29</sup>  
 5.05 JOHN DESMOND DANCHERTSEN, b. 26 Feb 1910, St. Paul, Ramsey, Minnesota, d. 14 April 1972, Houston, Harris, Texas, bur. Houston National Cemetery, Houston, Harris, Texas.<sup>30</sup>  
 5.06 CHARLES HANS DANCHERTSEN, b. 27 Sep 1911, St. Paul, Ramsey, Minnesota, d. Nov 1972, Tulsa, Tulsa, Oklahoma, bur. Calvary Cemetery, Tulsa, Tulsa, Oklahoma.<sup>31</sup>  
 + 5.07 MARY JEAN KURTZMAN, b. 29 Dec 1913, Chicago, Cook, Illinois, d. 25 Jan 1989, Tulsa, Tulsa, Oklahoma, bur. Calvary Cemetery, Tulsa, Tulsa, Oklahoma.<sup>32</sup>  
 3.12 MARY DESMOND, b. abt. 1846, New York, d.s.p. 2 Jul 1893, Claremont, Iowa.  
 3.13 ABBY (ABBIE) DESMOND, b. 1848, Waterloo, Seneca, New York, d.s.p. abt. 15 Mar 1904, Denver, Denver, Colorado bur. Mount Olivet Catholic Cemetery, Wheat Ridge, Jefferson, Colorado.<sup>33</sup>  
 3.14 MARGARET DESMOND, b. 1850, Waterloo, Seneca, New York, d.s.p. 1913, bur. Mount Olivet Catholic Cemetery, Wheat Ridge, Jefferson, Colorado.<sup>34</sup>

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Montana.....Sister Michon is survived by her Franciscan Community, her sisters: Margaret Ziegelmaier (Bristol, WI) and Sister Rosemary Desmond, FSPA, (La Crosse); two sisters-in-law: Catherine Desmond (Watertown, WI) and Julie Desmond (Troy, MI); one brother-in-law, Corey DeGaetano (Onalaska, WI) and numerous nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents and her brothers: John and Dennis and her sister, Kathleen DeGaetano. Friends may call after 3:00 p.m., Wednesday, November 9, 2022, when her body will be brought to St. Rose Convent, La Crosse. A prayer service will be held at 4:00 p.m. in Mary of the Angels Chapel. There will be a live-streamed sharing at 6:30 p.m. that evening. The Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated on Thursday, November 10, at 10:00 a.m. in Mary of the Angels Chapel. Burial will be in Gate of Heaven Cemetery, La Crosse.

Dickinson Family Funeral Homes is assisting with arrangements..... ( *The La Crosse Tribune*, La Crosse, Wisc., Nov. 6, 2022). The full text of the obituary may be found at <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/245402450/michon-desmond>

<sup>27</sup> <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/63056795/kathleen-e-degaetano>

<sup>28</sup> <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/124326674/marie-danchertsen>

<sup>29</sup> Married 4 April 1904, Cook County, Illinois ("Illinois, Cook County Marriages, 1871-1968", database, *FamilySearch*, <https://www.familysearch.org>).  
<https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/124326675/john-danchertsen>

<sup>30</sup> Captain, U.S. Army, World War II and Korea. "Minnesota Births and Christenings, 1840-1980", database, *FamilySearch*, <https://familysearch.org> "Texas Deaths, 1890-1976", database with images, *FamilySearch* <https://www.familysearch.org> <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/3103555/john-desmond-danchertsen>

<sup>31</sup> <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/183859550/charles-hans-danchertsen>

<sup>32</sup> <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/183859559/mary-jean-danchertsen>

<sup>33</sup> <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/150125467/abby-desmond>

- 3.15 JULIA (HANNAH) DESMOND, b. abt. 1852, New York, d. 14 Jun 1922, St. Paul, Ramsey, Minnesota.<sup>35</sup>  
 + 3.16 EDWARD. M. KIERON, b. 31 Mar 1858, Waucoma, Iowa, d. 12 Feb 1923, St. Paul, Ramsey, Minnesota.<sup>36</sup>  
     4.06 FRANK KIERON, b. abt 1882, Iowa.  
     4.07 DESMOND KIERON, b. abt. 1893, Iowa.
- 3.17 LAWRENCE DESMOND, b. 1853, Waterloo, Seneca, New York, d. 1914, bur. Mount Olivet Catholic Cemetery, Wheat Ridge, Jefferson, Colorado.<sup>37</sup>
- + 3.18 ESTHER CHAPMAN, b. 1 Nov 1852, Iowa, d. 29 Jul 1923, bur. Holy Family Cemetery, Peosta, Dubuque, Iowa.<sup>38</sup>  
     4.06 FRANCES M. DESMOND, b. abt. 1880, d. 1937, Iowa, bur. Holy Family Cemetery, Peosta, Dubuque, Iowa.<sup>39</sup>  
     + 4.07 MICHAEL J. MCCARTHY b. abt. 1881, d. 3 Oct 1966, Peosta, Dubuque, Iowa, bur. Holy Family Cemetery, Peosta, Dubuque, Iowa.<sup>40</sup>  
         5.01 Rita M. McCarthy, b. 4 Aug 1924, Dubuque County, Iowa, d. 14 Dec 2009, Cascade, Dubuque, Iowa, bur. Holy Family Cemetery, Peosta, Dubuque, Iowa.<sup>41</sup>  
         +5.08 Charles E. Conter, b. 19 Jan 1921, d. 24 Feb 2006, bur. Holy Family Cemetery, Peosta, Dubuque, Iowa.<sup>42</sup>  
     4.08 THOMAS F DESMOND, b. 22 Jul 1884, Peosta, Dubuque, Iowa, d. 24 Oct 1958, Platte, Charles Mix, South Dakota.<sup>43</sup>  
     + 4.09 EDITH CLARA MILLS, b. 17 Apr 1889, Dubuque County, Iowa, d. Apr 1985, Platte, Charles Mix, South Dakota, bur Saint Peter Catholic Cemetery, Platte, Charles Mix, South Dakota.<sup>44</sup>  
     5.09 ESTHER L. DESMOND, b. 19 Jun 1911, Charles Mix County, South Dakota, d. 20 Apr 2006, Sandy, Salt Lake, Utah, bur. Saint Peter Catholic Cemetery, Platte, Charles Mix, South Dakota.<sup>45</sup>

<sup>34</sup> <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/150125519/margaret-desmond>

<sup>35</sup> "Minnesota Deaths, 1887-2001," database, *FamilySearch* (<https://www.familysearch.org>).

<sup>36</sup> *Portrait Biographical Album of Fayette County, Iowa, Containing Full Page Portraits and Biographical Sketches of Prominent and Representative Citizens of the County*, Chicago: *Lake City Publishing Co.*, 1891, p. 205. Son of Michael Kieron and (Unknown) Duffy ("Minnesota Deaths, 1887-2001," database, *FamilySearch* (<https://www.familysearch.org>)).

<sup>37</sup> <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/150124833/lawrence-desmond>

<sup>38</sup> Married 7 Jan 1880, Centralia, Dubuque, Iowa. <http://www.iowahistory.org/archives/holdings/state-archives/death-certificates/assets/dubuque-county.pdf>

<sup>39</sup> <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/7044315/frances-mccarthy>

<sup>40</sup> Married 25 Feb 1908, Dubuque County, Iowa; son of John F. McCarthy and Hannah Murphy ("Iowa, County Marriages, 1838-1934," database, *FamilySearch*, <https://familysearch.org>). <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/7044313/michael-j-mccarthy>

<sup>41</sup> <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/45644420/rita-m-conter>

<sup>42</sup> Son of Jacob Conter and Mary Shaffer (<https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/13474518/charles-e-conter>).

<sup>43</sup> <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/70230380/thomas-f-desmond> (This memorial incorrectly has a link to his father as Lawrence Desmond, b. 1844, son of Daniel Desmond. The father of this Thomas Desmond was, in fact, Lawrence Desmond, b. 1854, son of Timothy Desmond (Daniel's brother). This Lawrence, son of Timothy, was the Lawrence Desmond who married Esther Desmond.

<sup>44</sup> Married 28 Feb 1911, Dubuque County, Iowa; daughter of Clarence D. Mills and Edith (Ellen) Connolly ("Iowa, County Marriages, 1838-1934," database, *FamilySearch*, <https://familysearch.org>). <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/70230381/edith-clara-desmond>

<sup>45</sup> "MRS. ESTHER DESMOND IS LAID AT REST—The funeral of Mrs. Esther Desmond was held Tuesday morning from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Jay McCarthy, 1762 Delhi street to the Holy Family church at the Monastery, Rev. Father Placid officiating at a requiem mass. The body was placed in the cemetery adjoining the church. Six nephews of the deceased were the pallbearers. They were David, Lewis, Herbert, Edward and Merlin Chapman and William Ryan. Those out of the city attending the funeral were David Chapman Oelwein; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stempski Oelwein, and Thomas Stempski of South Dakota. The deceased was preceded in death two years ago by her brother John Chapman, and a sister, Mrs. John Ryan, a year ago" (*The Dubuque Telegraph Herald*, July 31. 1933).

- + 5.10 EDWIN ODEFEY, b. 28 Apr 1910, Platte, Charles Mix, South Dakota, d. 12 Oct 2005, Sandy, Salt Lake, Utah, bur. Saint Peter Catholic Cemetery, Platte, Charles Mix, South Dakota.<sup>46</sup>
- 3.19 ELLEN (NELLIE) DESMOND, b. abt. 1856, New York..
- 3.20 HANORA (HANNAH DESMOND, b. abt. 1858, New York.
- 3.21 CATHERINE (KATIE) DESMOND, b. abt. 1860, New York.
- 3.22 TIMOTHY DESMOND, b.1865, Waterloo, Seneca New York, d. 1899, bur. Mount Olivet Catholic Cemetery, Wheat Ridge, Jefferson, Colorado
- 2.05 JAMES DESMOND, b. 8 Nov 1814, Carrigtohill, County Cork, Ireland, d. 9 May 1892, Dubuque, Dubuque, Iowa, bur. Mount Olivet Cemetery, Dubuque, Dubuque, Iowa.<sup>47</sup>
- + 2.06 AMANDA SMITH, b. abt. 1818, Ireland, d. bet. 1855-1860.
- 3.23 FRANCIS FORDYCE DESMOND, b. 1845, New York,, d. 13 Jul 1922, Los Angeles ,Los Angeles, California, bur. Fairmount Cemetery, Denver, Denver, Colorado.<sup>48</sup>
- + 3.24 MARGARET E. (UNKNOWN), b. abt. Nov 1950, Pennsylvania, d. 2 Apr 1903, Denver, Denver, Colorado, bur. Fairmount Cemetery, Denver, Denver, Colorado.<sup>49</sup>
- 4.01 MARGARET (MARY) DESMOND, b. abt. 1871, Iowa.
- 4.01 LOUIS A. DESMOND, b. abt. 1875, Iowa.
- + 4.02 MINNIE (UNKNOWN), b. abt. 1875, Vermont.
- 5.01 IRENE DESMOND, b. abt. 1899, Colorado.<sup>50</sup>
- + 4.03 D. F. (UNKNOWN), b. abt. 1875, California.<sup>51</sup>
- 4.01 FRANCIS F. DESMOND, b. abt. Feb 1879, Iowa, d.s.p. 23 May 1901, Denver, Denver, Colorado.<sup>52</sup>
- 3.25 LORETTA DESMOND, b. 7 Aug 1848, New York, d.24 Jul 1934, Iowa, bur. Holy Family Cemetery, Peosta, Dubuque, Iowa.<sup>53</sup>

<sup>46</sup> Son of Cornelius Claus Mahls Odefey and Helena Anna Maria Carstens (<https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/70230486/edwin-o-odefey>)

<sup>47</sup> "JAMES DESMOND died Monday afternoon at his residence on Iowa street, between Fifth and Sixth streets, aged about 76 years. Mr. Desmond was born in the parish of Carricktoohill [*sic* this and all other errors], county Cork, Ireland Nov 8 1814. He emigrated to this country in 1836, and followed his calling, that of a blacksmith, at Seneca and other places in New York, and in 1856 came to Dubuque, working at his trade until a few years ago, when ill health compelled him to desist. At the breaking out of the civil war he enlisted in the Fifth Iowa cavalry and served four years as a farrier. He took part in the Fort Donnelson, Chatanooga and Atlanta campaigns, serving with distinction, and was finally mustered out at Nashville, Tenn. In 1865. He leaves his wife, one son, Fordyce F., of Colorado Springs, Col. and one daughter, Loretta M., wife of Mr. John Hurley, of Centralia, this county. "Squire Daniel" Desmond of Peosta is his brother, and besides he leaves a number of other relatives. It was his request that his pall bearers be selected from among his old comrades....The funeral will be held at 9 a. m. today. Religious services will be conducted at the Cathedral and interment will be made in Key West cemetery" (*The Dubuque Daily Herald*, May 11, 1892, p. 4).

<sup>48</sup> Railroad Engineer. <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/35808874/francis-fordyce-desmond> Note: Links to family members on this memorial are erroneous.

<sup>49</sup> <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/13463881/maggie-e-desmond>

<sup>50</sup> She appears to have d.s.p. before 1910.

<sup>51</sup> Divorced before 1930.

<sup>52</sup> "Colorado, Church Records, 1692-1942," database, *FamilySearch* (<https://familysearch.org>) <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/13463879/frank-f-desmond>

- + 3.26 JAMES HURLEY, b. abt. 1849, d. 28 Aug 1849, Iowa, bur Holy Family Cemetery, Peosta, Dubuque, Iowa.<sup>54</sup>  
 4.10 JAMES E. HURLEY, b. aft. 1868, d. 24 Jun 1883, Iowa, bur. Holy Family Cemetery, Peosta, Dubuque, Iowa.<sup>55</sup>  
 4.11 LAURETTA C. HURLEY, b. 7 Sep 1891, Iowa, d. 25 Dec 1918, Waterloo, Blackhawk, Iowa, bur. Calvary Cemetery, Blackhawk, Iowa.<sup>56</sup>
- +2.07 CATHERINE PASS, b. 27 Jul 1833, Ireland, d.3 Oct 1914, Dubuque, Dubuque, Iowa, bur. Mount Olivet Cemetery, Key West, Dubuque, Iowa,<sup>57</sup>  
 3.27 MARGARET DESMOND, b. 1833, Ireland
- 2.08 DANIEL DESMOND, b. 4 May 1817, Carrigtohill, Cork, Ireland, d. 28 Apr 1896, Peosta, Dubuque, Iowa, bur. Mount Olivet Cemetery, Key West, Dubuque, Iowa.<sup>58</sup>
- + 2.09 MARGARET ELLEN BURKE, b. abt. 1820, Ireland, d. 7 Nov 1858, Iowa, bur. Mount Olivet Cemetery, Key West, Dubuque, Iowa.<sup>59</sup>  
 3.28 LAWRENCE I. DESMOND, b. 15 Aug 1844, Seneca, Ontario, New York, d. 30 Jul 1919, Iowa, bur. Mount Olivet Cemetery, Key West, Dubuque, Iowa.<sup>60</sup>
- + 3.29 MARGARET ELLEN SULLIVAN, b. abt. 1853, Iowa, d. 23 Jun 1906, bur. Mount Olivet Cemetery, Key West, Dubuque, Iowa.<sup>61</sup>

<sup>53</sup> "MRS. LORETTA HURLEY—Funeral services for Mrs. Loretta Hurley, widow of James Hurley, of St. Paul and a former resident of Dubuque, were held from the Hauden-[illegible] funeral home Thursday morning at 7:15 o'clock to the Holy Family church to the Monastery at [illegible] o'clock. The Rev. Placid Magee officiated. Friends of the family served as pallbearers. Mrs. Hurley was born in Geneva, New York August 7, 1848 and came to Iowa when she was seven years old. For the past 15 years she has been a resident of St. Paul and is survived by four children: Joseph {illegible}, Iowa; Mrs. L. Blount, St. Paul; Mrs. M. J. Melanus, St. Paul; Peter of Waterloo; 18 grandchildren; two great-grandchildren" (The Dubuque Telegraph Herald, July 26, 1934, p.3).

<https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/78568051/loretta-hurley>

<sup>54</sup> Married 5 Jan 1869, Dubuque, Dubuque, Iowa ("Iowa, County Marriages, 1838-1934"). <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/78568031/james-hurley>

<sup>55</sup> <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/78567996/james-e-hurley>

<sup>56</sup> Wife of James Kinsella ("Iowa, County Death Records, 1880-1992"). <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/30167664/lauretta-c-kinsella>

<sup>57</sup> Daughter of William Pass, b. England and Elizabeth Peffier, b. Ireland ("Iowa, Death Records, 1904-1951," database with images, *FamilySearch* <https://familysearch.org>) She was a widow and had four children by a previous marriage: Brady Brady, b. abt 1860, Illinois; Annie Brady, b. abt. 1863, Illinois; Nora Brady, b. abt. 1865, Illinois; and John (Charles) Brady, b. abt. 1867, Illinois, d. 1908 (<https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/160364030/catherine-desmond>).

<sup>58</sup> "Desmond. The funeral of Daniel Desmond of Peosta, Iowa, who died at his home in that place on Tuesday, April 28, 1896, took place Thursday and was largely attended. Deceased was a native of Parish Carregtwhill [sic] county Cork, Ireland, and was born in 1817. In 1837 he came to New York, where in 1843 he married. In 1856 he moved to La Salle, Ill., where he lived three years. In 1859 his wife died at that place, and he then moved with his family to Dubuque county. In 1867 he married Mrs. Elizabeth Chapman of Vernon township, where he settled and remained until his death on Tuesday last. He was an honorable man, was well known in this county, and was much respected in the vicinity of his late home, where from time to time he has been honored by his neighbors in being elected to the local offices of his township. He had been assessor, township clerk, secretary of the school board, and justice of the peace, all of which positions he filled with honor and fidelity to the trust imposed. He was the father of six children. One son died several years ago. The three surviving sons are Lawrence, who resides at Peosta, Iowa; Edward of Dubuque, and Daniel of Trinidad. One daughter, Mrs. Daniel Farrell, died several years ago at Council Bluffs, Iowa, and Miss Mary lives in this city. Interment was at Key West, the resting place of his deceased son. The pall bearers were James O'Brien, M. Phelan, James Kinsella, James Daugherty, C. D. Mills, and Henry Daugherty (*The Dubuque Daily Herald*, Dubuque, Iowa, May 2, 1896, p. 5).

<https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/84343534/daniel-desmond>

<sup>59</sup> Married 11 Sep 1843, Geneva, Ontario, New York. <http://www.findagrave.com/cgi-bin/fg.cgi?page=gr&GRid=84343426>; Her maiden surname is given on her son Edward's death certificate (<http://www.iowahistory.org/archives/holdings/state-archives/death-certificates/assets/dubuque-county.pdf>).

<https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/84343426/margaret-ellen-desmond>

<sup>60</sup> <http://www.findagrave.com/cgi-bin/fg.cgi?page=gr&GRid=32073840>; His death certificate gives his name as Lawrence I. Desmond (<http://www.iowahistory.org/archives/holdings/state-archives/death-certificates/assets/dubuque-county.pdf>).

- 4.12 DANIEL JOSEPH DESMOND, b. 13 Jul 1882, Dubuque, Dubuque, Iowa, d. 7 Sep 1954, Freeport, Stephenson, Illinois, bur. Calvary Cemetery, Freeport, Stephenson, Illinois.<sup>62</sup>
- + 4.13 THERESA (PATRICIA) M. REESE, b. 1883, Germany, d. 1961, bur. Calvary Cemetery, Freeport, Stephenson, Illinois.<sup>63</sup>
- 5.11 VIRGINIA W. DESMOND, b. 14 Oct 1917, Freeport, Stephenson Illinois, d. 18 Mar 2012, Freeport, Stephenson, Illinois, bur. Calvary Cemetery, Freeport, Stephenson, Illinois.<sup>64</sup>
- + 5.12 JOHN KANKER, JR, b. 3 Sep 1915, Akron, Summit, Ohio, d. 2 Jun 2005, Stephenson, Illinois, bur. Calvary Cemetery, Freeport, Stephenson, Illinois.<sup>65</sup>
- x 5.05 JOHN J.(JACK) DESMOND, b. abt. 1922, Illinois, res. 1940, Freeport, Stephenson, Illinois, d. aft. 1954.
- 4.14 MICHAEL FRANCIS Desmond, b. 8 May 1884, Dubuque County, Iowa, d. 22 Jan 1934, Chicago, Cook, Illinois, bur. Mount Olivet Cemetery, Key West, Dubuque, Iowa.<sup>66</sup>
- + 4.15 MARY MAHULDA HORD, b. 15 Mar 1885, Washington, Daviess, Indiana, d. 6 Apr 1940, Chicago, Cook, Illinois.<sup>67</sup>
- 4.16 ANNA DESMOND, b. 23 Sep 1886, Peosta, Dubuque, Iowa, d. Dec 1979, Dubuque, Iowa, bur. Mount Olivet Cemetery, Key West, Dubuque, Iowa.<sup>68</sup>
- + 4.17 WILLIAM CAREW, b. abt. 1881, Iowa, d. 1 Oct 1957, Dubuque, Dubuque, Iowa, bur. Mount Olivet Cemetery, Key West, Dubuque, Iowa.<sup>69</sup>

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<sup>61</sup> Married 24 Nov 1880, Jackson County, Iowa ("Iowa, County Marriages, 1838-1934," database, *FamilySearch* (<https://familysearch.org>)).  
<http://www.findagrave.com/cgi-bin/fg.cgi?page=gr&GRid=32073848>

<sup>62</sup>"DANIEL J. DESMOND, 72, a retired Chicago, Milwaukee, St. Paul & Pacific conductor, died in a local hospital Tuesday night after an extended illness. He lived at 1108 S. State Ave. He was born in Dubuque, Iowa, July 13, 1882. His marriage to Theresa Reese took place June 25, 1912. He resided here for the past 40 years. Survivors include his wife; a daughter, Mrs. John (Virginia) Kanker, Freeport; and a son, Jack Desmond, New York City. Three sisters also survive, Mrs. William Carew, Dubuque,; Mrs. Frank Duggan, Waterloo, Iowa; and Mrs. Maurice Colbert, Danbury, Iowa. He was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church, the Holy Name Society of that parish, the Knights of Columbus, and the Order of Railway Conductors. Funeral services will be in the Schwarz Funeral Home at 9 a.m. Friday with a Requiem Mass in St. Mary's Church at 9:30. The Rt. Rev. C. F. Conley will officiate. Interment will be made in Calvary Cemetery. The rosary will be recited in the funeral home at 8 p.m. Thursday" (*Freeport Journal Standard*, Freeport, Ill., September 8, 1954, p. 14). "Iowa, County Births, 1880-1935", database, *FamilySearch* (<https://familysearch.org>).

<sup>63</sup> <http://www.findagrave.com/cgi-bin/fg.cgi?page=gr&GRid=147480633>

<sup>64</sup> "VIRGINIA M. KANKER, 94, of Freeport, died Sunday March 18, 2012 at Parkview Home in Freeport. She was born on October 14, 1917 in Freeport, IL, the daughter of Daniel and Theresa (Reese) Desmond. Virginia married John Kanker on June 20, 1944 in Freeport, IL. John died on June 2, 2005. Virginia worked for Economy Insurance Company for several years. She was a lifetime member of St. Mary's Catholic Church. Virginia is survived by several cousins. She was preceded in death by her parents and husband. A Funeral mass will be held at 10:30 A.M. Thursday May 3, 2012 at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Freeport, with Father Timothy Barr officiating. Visitation will be held from 10:00 A.M. until the time of mass. Burial will take place at Calvary Cemetery. A memorial has been established in her memory [no source given]."

<http://www.findagrave.com/cgi-bin/fg.cgi?page=gr&GRid=153055154>

<sup>65</sup> U.S. Army, 1941-1945. Married 20 Jun 1944, Freeport, Stephenson, Illinois. Son of John and Katherine Kanker. "United States Social Security Death Index," database, *FamilySearch*, <https://familysearch.org> <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/212669546/john-kanker>

<sup>66</sup> <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/122795813/michael-francis-desmond122795813>

<sup>67</sup> Married 16 Apr 1912, Daviess County, Indiana, daughter of Alford Hord and Augustine Sprigler ("Indiana Marriages, 1811-2007," database with images, *FamilySearch* (<https://familysearch.org>)). <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/33938404/mary-mahulda-desmond>

<sup>68</sup> "United States Social Security Death Index," database, *FamilySearch*, <https://familysearch.org> <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/32043484/anna-carew>

- 4.18 MARY LORETTA. DESMOND, b. 6 May 1888, Peosta, Dubuque, Iowa, d. Sep 1972, Waterloo, Black Hawk, Iowa, bur. Mount Olivet Cemetery Key West, Dubuque, Iowa.<sup>70</sup>
- + 4.23 FRANK J. DUGGAN, b.18 Feb 1887, Dubuque, Dubuque, Iowa, d. 20 Aug 1941, Marshalltown, Marshall, Iowa, bur. Mount Olivet Cemetery, Key West, Dubuque, Iowa.<sup>71</sup>
- 5.13 MARGARET VELMA DUGGAN, b. 24 Apr 1914, Iowa, d. 1991, Black Hawk County, Iowa, bur Mount Olivet Cemetery, Waterloo, Black Hawk, Iowa.<sup>72</sup>
- + 5.14 WALTER W. MAYER, b. 19 Sep 1908, Iowa, d. Apr 1986, Black Hawk County, Iowa, bur. Mount Olivet Cemetery, Waterloo, Black Hawk, Iowa.<sup>73</sup>
- 4.19 LUCY DESMOND, b. 4 Dec 1892, Iowa, d. 6 May 1988, Danbury, Woodbury, Iowa, bur. St. Patrick's Cemetery, Danbury, Woodbury, Iowa.<sup>74</sup>
- + 4.20 MAURICE COLBERT, b.1886, d. 1918, bur. Saint Patrick's Cemetery, Danbury, Woodbury, Iowa <sup>75</sup>
- 5.15 JOHN S. COLBERT, b. abt. 1916, Iowa,
- 5.16 LAWRENCE DESMOND COLBERT, b. 13 Dec 1916, Iowa, d. 29 Jun 1969, Rochester, Olmsted, Minnesota, bur. North Lawn Cemetery, Spencer, Clay, Iowa.<sup>76</sup>

<sup>69</sup> Son of Rodger Carew and Ellen Kennedy <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/32043505/william-carew>

<sup>70</sup> "MRS. MARY L. DUGAN--Mrs. Mary L. Duggan, 84, formerly of 712 W. 9th St., died of complications of age Saturday at 4:20 p.m. at Friendship Village where she has lived for the past two years. Services will be at 9 a.m. Tuesday at Sacred Heart Catholic Church with the Rev. Kenneth Ryan, pastor, officiating. Burial will be at Mt. Olivet Cemetery in Dubuque at 12:15 p.m. Rosary will be at 3 p.m. Monday by the Senior Citizens, and at 7:30 p.m. Monday by the parish and Rosary Society at Oppold Funeral Home. Friends may call after 2 p.m. at Oppold Funeral Home. Mrs. Duggan was born Mary Desmond on May 6, 1888, in Dubuque County, the daughter of Lawrence and Margaret Sullivan Desmond. She was married June 14, 1911 to Frank Duggan in Dubuque. He died in 1941. They lived in Dubuque until 1930 and then moved to Waterloo. She had been employed by a number of furriers in Waterloo. Her last employment was at Petra Furriers, Inc., where she worked for a number of years before retiring in 1967. Mrs. Duggan was a member of Sacred Heart Catholic Church, the Rosary Society, Senior Citizens, and Catholic Daughters of America. Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Walter Mayer of 1130 Prospect Blvd., and Mrs. Donald Klein of 1133 Lindner Dr.; two sons, Roy Duggan of 517 Wilshire Ave., and Larry Duggan of 712 Cataract Ave.; two sisters, Mrs. Anna Carew of Dubuque, and Mrs. Lucy Colbert of Danbury; 15 grandchildren, and 15 great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her parents, husband, one son, and two brothers" (The Waterloo Daily Courier. Waterloo, Iowa, Sep. 24, 1972, p. 15). Married 14 Jun 1911, Dubuque, Dubuque, Iowa, son of R. Carew and Ellen Kennedy ("Iowa, County Marriages, 1838-1934". "Iowa, Delayed Birth Records, 1850-1939", database, *FamilySearch*, <https://www.familysearch.org> "United States Social Security Death Index," database, *FamilySearch*, <https://familysearch.org> <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/48217584/mary-l-duggan>

<sup>71</sup> Son of John Duggan and Mary Quinlan (<https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/48217426/frank-j-duggan>).

<sup>72</sup> "United States Social Security Death Index," database, *FamilySearch*, <https://familysearch.org> <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/153016870/margaret-velma-mayer>

<sup>73</sup> "United States Social Security Death Index," database, *FamilySearch*, <https://familysearch.org> <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/153016858/walter-w-mayer> Note: This memorial has her place of death wrong.

<sup>74</sup> "United States Social Security Death Index," database, *FamilySearch*, <https://familysearch.org> <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/68600896/lucy-m-colbert>

<sup>75</sup> Married 2 Jul 1914, Dubuque, Dubuque, Iowa, son of John Colbert and Hanora Jones ("Iowa, County Marriages, 1838-1934"). <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/68601854/maurice-w-colbert>

<sup>76</sup> <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/156166205/mauriceen-mishler>

- 5.17 MAURICEEN COLBERT, b 22 Jul 1919, Dubuque County, Iowa, d. 6 Jul 2015, Portland, Multnomah, Oregon, bur. Willamette National Cemetery, Portland, Multnomah, Oregon.<sup>77</sup>
- + 5.18 LAWRENCE E. MISHLER, b. 5 Jun 1920, Iowa, d. 22 Feb 1983, Portland, Multnomah, Oregon, bur. Willamette National Cemetery, Portland, Multnomah, Oregon.<sup>78</sup>
- 3.30 CATHERINE M. DESMOND, b. abt. 1847, Seneca, Ontario, New York.
- + 3.31 DANIEL A. FARRELL, b. abt. 1851.<sup>79</sup>
- 3.32 EDWARD DESMOND, b. 20 Jan 1848, Waterloo, Seneca, New York, d. 3 Oct 1927, Dubuque, Dubuque, Iowa, bur. Mount Olivet Cemetery, Key West, Dubuque, Iowa.<sup>80</sup>
- + 3.33 MARY CORCORAN, b. abt. 1856, Illinois.<sup>81</sup>
- 4.21 MARY M. DESMOND, b. 28 Mar 1881, Dubuque, Dubuque, Iowa.<sup>82</sup>
- 4.22 JOHN JOSEPH DESMOND, b. 10 Feb 1883, Dubuque, Dubuque, Iowa, d.s.p. 20 Dec 1948, Sioux City, Woodbury, Iowa.<sup>83</sup>
- 4.23 LORETTA DESMOND, b. 24 Aug 1885, Dubuque, Dubuque, Iowa, d.s.p. aft 1950.<sup>84</sup>
- 4.24 EDWARD DESMOND, b. abt. 1888, Iowa, d.s.p. 5 Jan 1912, Dubuque, Dubuque, Iowa.<sup>85</sup>
- + 4.25 GRACE HAUSER, b. abt. 1889.<sup>86</sup>
- 4.26 VINCENT LAWRENCE DESMOND, b. 25 Jun 1896, Dubuque, Dubuque, Iowa, d.s.p. 30 Mar 1967, Iowa, bur. Mount Olivet Cemetery, Key West, Dubuque, Iowa.<sup>87</sup>

<sup>77</sup> <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/156166205/mauriceen-mishler>

<sup>78</sup> "Sergeant, U.S. Army, World War II. United States Social Security Death Index," database, *FamilySearch*, <https://familysearch.org>  
<https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/3915906/lawrence-e-mishler>

<sup>79</sup> Married 5 May 1874, Dubuque County, Iowa ("Iowa, County Marriages, 1838-1934)..

<sup>80</sup> <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/163611106/edward-j-desmond>

<sup>81</sup> Married 27 Apr 1880, Dubuque County, Iowa ("Iowa, County Marriages, 1838-1934).

<sup>82</sup> "Iowa, County Births, 1880-1935".

<sup>83</sup> "Iowa, County Births, 1880-1935," "Iowa, County Death Records, 1880-1992," database, *FamilySearch* (<https://familysearch.org>).

<sup>84</sup> "Iowa, County Births, 1880-1935".

<sup>85</sup> "EDWARD DESMOND DIES AT HIS HOME FRIDAY EVENING AFTER A SIX WEEK ILLNESS—Mr. Edward Desmond died at his residence, 819 Hhomburg avenue, Friday evening at ten o'clock, Mr. Desmond had been ill for the past six weeks, and all that medical skill could do was done for him but without avail. The deceased was born in this city twenty-three years ago and was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Desmond. Mr. Desmond had been employed as a paper hanger and was held in very high esteem. His death is deeply mourned by his numerous friends throughout the city. He leaves to mourn his wife, formerly Miss Grace Hauser, his parents and one sister, Loretta, and a brother, Vincent. The funeral will be held on Monday morning at eight-thirty o'clock from his late residence to St. Haphnel's Cathedral. Interment will be made in Mt. Olivet cemetery (*The Dubuque Telegraph-Herald*, Dubuque, Iowa, ,January, 6, 1912, p. 6).

"Iowa, County Death Records, 1880-1992," <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/161022029/edward-o-desmond>

<sup>86</sup> Married 15 Jun 1911, Dubuque County, Iowa; daughter of John and Grace Hauser ("Iowa, County Marriages, 1838-1934").

<sup>87</sup> VINCENT L. DESMOND—Vincent L. Desmond, 70, of 743 Bluff St., died Thursday morning at his home. Friends may call after 3 p.m. Friday at the Strueber Funeral Home, services will be held at 8 a.m. Saturday at St. Raphael's Cathedral. The Rt. Rev. Msgr. Norbert C. Barrett, pastor, will sing the Requiem Mass. Burial will be in Mount Olivet Cemetery where military honors will be accorded by the Dubuque Post of the American Legion. Mr. Desmond was a veteran of World War I. He was born at Dubuque, and was a lifelong resident of the city. There are no immediate survivors. The parish Rosary will be recited at 8 p.m. Friday at the funeral home (*The Dubuque Telegraph Herald*, Dubuque, Iowa, Mach 31 1967, p.5).. PFC, Quartermaster Corps, World War I (<https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/160678439/vincent-l-desmond>).

- 3.34 SIMON DESMOND, b. 28 Sep 1851, Seneca, Ontario, New York, d.s.p. 22 Jan 1877, Iowa, bur. Mount Olivet Cemetery, Key West, Dubuque, Iowa.<sup>88</sup>
- 3.35 MARY DESMOND, b. abt. 1852, Seneca, Ontario, New York, d.s.p. 6 May 1899, Iowa, bur. Mount Olivet Cemetery, Key West, Dubuque, Iowa.<sup>89</sup>
- 3.36 DANIEL DESMOND, b. abt. 1853, Seneca, Ontario, New York, d.s.p. bef. 1880.<sup>90</sup>
- + 2.10 ELIZABETH MCKEOWNE, b. abt. 1825, County Wexford, Ireland, d. 18 Jan 1896, Peosta, Dubuque, Iowa, bur. Holy Family Cemetery, Peosta, Dubuque, Iowa.<sup>91</sup>
- 2.11 LAURENCE DESMOND, b. abt. 1820, Cobh, Cork, Ireland, d. 1849, Cobh, Cork, Ireland.<sup>92</sup>
- +2.12 MARY DWYER.<sup>93</sup>
- 3.37 MARGARET DESMOND, bap. 22 Jan 1832, Cobh Roman Catholic Parrish, Cork, Ireland, d. 1925, Woburn, Middlesex, Massachusetts, bur. Calvary Cemetery, Winchester, Middlesex, Massachusetts.<sup>94</sup>
- + 3.38 JOHN COLEMAN, b. Ireland, d. bef. 1883, Ireland.<sup>95</sup>
- 4.26 JOHN COLEMAN, bap. 1 May 1861, Aghada Roman Catholic Parish, Cork, Ireland.<sup>96</sup>
- 4.27 MARY E. COLEMAN, b. 1862, Ireland, d. 1950, Woburn, Middlesex, Massachusetts, bur. Calvary Cemetery, Woburn, Middlesex, Massachusetts.<sup>97</sup>

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<sup>88</sup> DESMOND—At 12:30 o'clock Monday, Simon Desmond, son of Daniel Desmond, aged 26 years. Funeral Wednesday at 2 o'clock p.m., from the residence of his cousin, John Desmond, No. 56 W at Third street. Friends of the family are invited to attend (*The Dubuque Daily Times*, Dubuque, Iowa, January 23, 1877, p. 8). <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/84343375/simon-desmond>

<sup>89</sup> "MISS MARY DESMOND of Peosta, this county, died at her home at that place last Saturday evening, at the age of 49 years. She was a devout Catholic and died fortified by the last sacraments of that church. She is survived by two brothers, L. J. Desmond of Peosta, and Edward of Dubuque. The funeral took place Monday from Peosta to the Catholic church and from thence to Key West cemetery, where burial was mad (*The Dubuque Herald*, Dubuque, Iowa, May 14, 1899, p. 5). <http://www.findagrave.com/cgi-bin/fg.cgi?page=gr&GRid=84343488>

<sup>90</sup> Res. 1870, Dubuque County, Iowa.

<sup>91</sup> "MRS. ELIZABETH DESMOND, who died at her home in Peosta Sunday, and who was buried Monday from the Catholic church at the Monastery, was born about 75 years ago in the County Wexford, Ireland, and was married to Mr. Edward Chapman. They came to Iowa and settled on a farm in Vernon township. His death about thirty years ago since left her the widowed mother of seven children, all of whom survive her. The daughters are Mrs. L. Desmond and Mrs. J. J. Ryan, of Bernard; Edward and David live on a farm in the neighborhood; William is the proprietor of the Highland store in Vernon township, and John is a farmer in Boone county, Iowa. In 1879, some years after her marriage with Mr. Desmond, she removed with her husband to Peosta" (*The Dubuque Daily Herald*, Dubuque, Iowa, January 23, 1896, p. 8). Married 14 Oct 1867, Dubuque, Dubuque, Iowa ("Iowa, County Marriages, 1838-1934," database, *FamilySearch*, <https://familysearch.org> <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/121949704/elizabeth->

<sup>92</sup> "Ireland Diocesan and Prerogative Wills & Administrations Indexes 1595-1858," *findmypast*, <http://www.findmypast.ie>

<sup>93</sup> She appears to have died between 1834-1937,

<sup>94</sup> Catholic Parish Registers at the NLI (National Library of Ireland), "Cobh, Diocese of Cloyne, County of Cork, Baptisms 5 Jun 1827 to 31 May 1863" (Microfilm. 04987 / 02). Immigration to U.S.A. 1883. <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/209340010/margaret-coleman>

<sup>95</sup> Married 25 Feb 1856 ("Catholic Parish Registers at the NLI [National Library of Ireland], Aghada, Diocese of Cloyne, County of Cork, Marriages 11 May 1838 to 15 Nov 1880 [Microfilm 04990/07]. Note: John Dwyer was one of the witnesses to the marriage.

<sup>96</sup> Catholic Parish Registers at the NLI (National Library of Ireland), Aghada, Diocese of Cloyne, County of Cork, Baptisms 12 Mar 1838 to 26 Dec 1880 (Microfilm 04990/06). He appears to have died before 1864.

<sup>97</sup> <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/209340012/mary-fortbes>

- + 4.28 WILLIAM HENRY FORBES, b. 1860, Ireland, d. 1929, bur. Calvary Cemetery, Woburn, Middlesex, Massachusetts.<sup>98</sup>
- 5.19 MARY THERESA FORBES, b. 3 May 1886 Winchester, Middlesex, Massachusetts, d.s.p. 1960, bur. Calvary Cemetery, Winchester, Middlesex, Massachusetts.<sup>99</sup>
- 5.20 JOHN JOSEPH FORBES, b. 18 Jan 1888, Winchester, Middlesex, Massachusetts, d. 21 Nov 1954, Boston, Suffolk, Massachusetts.<sup>100</sup>
- + 5.21 ETHEL GRACE TANTON, b. 20 Jan 1880, d. Oct 1967, Middlesex County, Massachusetts.<sup>101</sup>
  - 6.01 Joan Forbes, b. abt. 1925, Massachusetts.
  - 6.02 John L. (Jack) Forbes, b. abt. 1929, Massachusetts.
- 5.21 WILLIAM H. FORBES, b. 28 Mar 1890, Woburn, Middlesex, Massachusetts, d. Jan 1963, Massachusetts.<sup>102</sup>
- 5.22 MARGARET (MARGUERITE) HELENA FORBES, b. 11 Jan 1892, Massachusetts, d.s.p. 1953, bur. Calvary Cemetery, Winchester, Middlesex, Massachusetts.<sup>103</sup>
- 5.23 MICHAEL FRANCIS FORBES, b. 18 Nov 1893, Woburn, Middlesex, Massachusetts, d. 11 Nov 1972, Middlesex County, Massachusetts.<sup>104</sup>
- + 5.24 MABEL POWERS., b. 14 Jul 1899, d. May 1986, Middlesex County, Massachusetts.<sup>105</sup>
  - 6.00 GEORGE F. FORBES, d. bef. 11 Nov 1972.
- 5.24 ANNA GERTRUDE FORBES, b. 30 Dec 1894, Woburn, Middlesex, Massachusetts, d. 17 Sep 1982, bur. Swan Lake Annex Cemetery, Dennis Port, Barnstable, Massachusetts.<sup>106</sup>

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<sup>98</sup> <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/209340011/william-henry-forbes>

<sup>99</sup> Massachusetts State Vital Records, 1841-1920", database with images, *FamilySearch* (<https://www.familysearch.org>)  
<https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/209340016/mary-theresa-forbes>

<sup>100</sup> "JOHN J. FORBES, 66, of 59 Fowle street city electrician for 35 years, died yesterday. He leaves his wife Ethel; a daughter, Joan Logne of Bangor, Me.; and a son, John L. Forbes of Woburn. He was a member of the Elks, the Knights of Columbus, American Legion, and the I.B.E.W." (*The Boston Herald*, Nov. 21, 1954, p. 41). "United States World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918", database with images, *FamilySearch* (<https://www.familysearch.org>) "United States, GenealogyBank Historical Newspaper Obituaries, 1815-2011", database, *FamilySearch* (<https://familysearch.org>)

<sup>101</sup> Married 17 Oct 1923, Woburn, Middlesex, Massachusetts, daughter of William Pearl Tanton and Mary Louise Carter ("Massachusetts State Vital Records, 1841-1920", database with images, *FamilySearch* (<https://www.familysearch.org>)). "United States Social Security Death Index," database, *FamilySearch*, <https://familysearch.org>

<sup>102</sup> "Massachusetts State Vital Records, 1841-1920", database with images, *FamilySearch* (<https://www.familysearch.org>), "United States Social Security Death Index," database, *FamilySearch* (<https://familysearch.org>).

<sup>103</sup> "Ibid. <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/209340015/marguerite-helena-forbes>

<sup>104</sup> FORBES—of Medford, November 11, Michael F. (Frank) Forbes. Beloved husband of Mabel (Powers) Forbes, father of the late George F. Forbes, brother of Mrs. William [sic] McGovern of Woburn, Mrs. John L Doherty of Winchester, and Miss Josephine R. Forbes of Woburn. Funeral from the Gaffery Memorial Funeral Home 43 High Street, Medford Square, on Friday November 17 at 9 a.m., followed by a Funeral Mass in St. Raphael's Church, West Medford, at 10 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited. Visitors hours Wednesday 7-9 p.m. Thursday 2-4 and 7-9 p.m." (*The Herald Traveler and Boston Record American*, Nov. 15, 1972, p. 38). Massachusetts State Vital Records, 1841-1920", database with images, *FamilySearch* (<https://www.familysearch.org>) "United States World War II Draft Registration Cards, 1942," database with images, *FamilySearch* (<https://familysearch.org>).

<sup>105</sup> "United States Social Security Death Index," database, *FamilySearch* <https://familysearch.org>

<sup>106</sup> Massachusetts State Vital Records, 1841-1920", database with images, *FamilySearch*, <https://www.familysearch.org>). "United States, Veterans Administration Master Index, 1917-1940," database, *FamilySearch* (<https://familysearch.org>).

- + 5.25 BERNARD MCGOVERN, b. 6 Jan 1894, d. 23 Mar 1970, New York, bur. Swan Lake Annex Cemetery, Dennis Port, Barnstable, Massachusetts.<sup>107</sup>
- 5.27 MARTHA ELIZABETH FORBES, b. 11 Feb 1897, Woburn, Middlesex, Massachusetts, d.s.p. 1941, bur Calvary Cemetery, Winchester, Middlesex, Massachusetts.<sup>108</sup>
- 5.28 BERTHA FORBES, b. 21 Feb 1897, Woburn, Middlesex, Massachusetts, d. bef. 1900.<sup>109</sup>
- 5.25 CECELIA J, FORBES, b. 24 Dec 1898, Massachusetts, d. 19 Jan 1999, Hartwich, Barnstable, Massachusetts.<sup>110</sup>
- + 5.26 JOHN LEO. DOHERTY, b. 11 Aug 1900, Lowell, Middlesex, Massachusetts, d. 4 Aug 1975, Barnstable County, Massachusetts.<sup>111</sup>
- 5.28 GEORGE LAWRENCE FORBES, b. 19 Aug 1900, d.s.p. 6 Dec 1927, Pittsfield, Middlesex, Massachusetts, bur .Calvary Cemetery, Winchester, Middlesex, Massachusetts., bur. Calvary Cemetery, Winchester, Middlesex, Massachusetts.<sup>112</sup>
- 5.29 JAMES FORBES, b. 5 Mar 1902, Woburn, Middlesex, Massachusetts, d.s.p. 6 Oct 1902, Winchester, Middlesex, Massachusetts.<sup>113</sup>
- 5.30 JOSEPHINE R. FORBES, b. 19 Aug 1904, d.s.p. 15 Sep 1979, Winchester, Middlesex, Massachusetts, bur. Calvary Cemetery, Woburn, Middlesex, Massachusetts.<sup>114</sup>
- 4.28 JAMES COLEMAN, b. Jun 1863, Ireland, d. bef. 1940.
- + 4.29 ELIZABETH HAMILTON, b. abt. 1862, Ireland, d. bef. 1940.

<https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/215405918/anna-g-mcgovern>

<sup>107</sup> Married 27 Jun 1920, son of Nicholas Mc Govern and Mary E. Hanscom (Massachusetts State Vital Records, 1841-1920", database with images, *FamilySearch*, <https://www.familysearch.org> ). "United States Social Security Death Index," database, *FamilySearch*, <https://familysearch.org>

<https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/215405875/bernard-mcgovern>

<sup>108</sup> "Massachusetts State Vital Records, 1841-1920", database with images, *FamilySearch* (<https://www.familysearch.org>).

<https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/209340013/martha-elizabeth-forbes>

<sup>109</sup> "Massachusetts State Vital Records, 1841-1920", database with images, *FamilySearch* (<https://www.familysearch.org>). She appears to have died before 1900. "United States Census, 1900", database with images, *FamilySearch* (<https://www.familysearch.org>)

<sup>110</sup> "Massachusetts Death Index, 1970-2003", database, *FamilySearch* (<https://familysearch.org>).

<sup>111</sup> John L. Doherty—Perini Ex-Official—A Mass will be offered tomorrow at 10 in St. Mary's Church, Winchester, for John L. Doherty, 75, former vice-president and general manager of Perini Corp, who died Monday in Cape Cod Hospital. A summer resident of West Harwich, he had lived in Winchester for many years. He was a Navy veteran of World War I and a graduate of the Tufts University School of Engineering. He retired 10 years ago, but continued as a consultant for Perini Corp. He leaves his wife Cecelia J. (Forbes), a son, John F. of Winchester, and a daughter, Jane Curran of West Harwich" (*The Boston Herald American* Boston, Mass., August 6, 1875, p. 31). Son of John Doherty and Delia Seymour, "Massachusetts, Town Clerk, Vital and Town Records, 1626-2001," database with images, *FamilySearch* (<https://www.familysearch.org>). "Massachusetts Death Index, 1970-2003." Database. *FamilySearch*. <http://FamilySearch.org>.

<sup>112</sup> WOBURN MAN KILLED ON BECKETT ROAD JOB—Pittsfield, Dec. 6—George F. [sic] Forbes, 28, of Woburn, time-keeper on road construction in flood area at Becket, was struck by a loaded bucket swinging from a derrick today and died while enroute to Pittsfield Hospital. He was employed by B. Perini & Son, contractors of Ashland. Mr. Forbes was pinned against a bolder, his chest being crushed. The body was sent to Woburn (The Boston Herald , Boston, Mass., Dec. 7, 1927, p.38). FORBES--At Pittsfield, Mass. By accident, George L., son of William H. and Mary C. Forbes. Funeral Friday at 8:15 A. M. from the home of his parents, 23 Green st., Woburn, Mass. Requiem High Mass at St. Charles' church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited. " (Ibid). "Massachusetts State Vital Records, 1841-1920", database with images, *FamilySearch* (<https://www.familysearch.org> ) <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/209340014/george-lawrence-forbes>

<sup>113</sup> "Massachusetts State Vital Records, 1841-1920", database with images, *FamilySearch* (<https://www.familysearch.org>)

<sup>114</sup> Massachusetts State Vital Records, 1841-1920", database with images, *FamilySearch* (<https://www.familysearch.org>) "Massachusetts Death Index, 1970-2003", database, *FamilySearch* (<https://familysearch.org>) <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/209340017/josephine-r-forbes> "United States Social Security Death Index," database, *FamilySearch*, <https://familysearch.org>

- 5.31 ROBERT F. COLEMAN, b. abt. 1888, Massachusetts.  
 5.32 LILIAN M. COLEMAN, b. abt. 1889, Massachusetts.  
 5.33 WALTER COLEMAN, b. abt. 1896, Massachusetts.  
 5.34 GEORGE W. COLEMAN, b. abt. 1900, Massachusetts
- 4.29 JOHN COLEMAN, b. 27 May 1864, Aghada, Midleton Civil Registration District, Cork, Ireland, d. 1864, Midleton Civil Registration District, Cork, Ireland.<sup>115</sup>
- 4.30 JOHANNA COLEMAN, b. 27 May 1864, Aghada, Midleton Civil Registration District, Cork, Ireland, d. 1864, Midleton Civil Registration District, Cork, Ireland.<sup>116</sup>
- 4.31 MARGARET COLEMAN, b. 29 Nov 1866, Aghada, Midleton Civil Registration District, Cork Ireland, d. 1943, bur Calvary Cemetery, Woburn, Middlesex, Massachusetts.<sup>117</sup>
- + 4.32 JOHN ROONEY, b. abt. 1860.<sup>118</sup>
- 5.25 MARGARET M. ROONEY, b. 1905, d. 1974, bur. Calvary Cemetery, Winchester, Middlesex, Massachusetts.<sup>119</sup>
- 5.26 EVELYN C. ROONEY, b. 1908, d. 1903, bur. Calvary Cemetery, Winchester, Middlesex, Massachusetts.<sup>120</sup>
- 3.39 MARY DESMOND, bap 8 Jun 1834, Cobh Roman Catholic Parish, Cork, Ireland.<sup>121</sup>
- + 2.12 MARY TRAVERS, bap. 24 Mar 1822, Cobh Roman Catholic Parish, Cork, Ireland.<sup>122</sup>
- 3.40 THOMAS DESMOND, bap. 5 Dec 1838, Cobh, Cork, Ireland, d.s.p. 23 Oct 1910, San Francisco, San Francisco, California, bur. Holy Cross Cemetery, Colma, San Mateo, California.<sup>123</sup>

<sup>115</sup> Irish Genealogy.ie, <https://civilrecords.irishgenealogy.ie> Bap. 1 May 1864 [*sic*], Catholic Parish Registers at the NLI (National Library of Ireland), "Aghada, Diocese of Cloyne, County of Cork, Baptisms 12 Mar 1838 to 26 Dec 1880" (Microfilm 04987/06)

<sup>116</sup> Irish Genealogy.ie, <https://civilrecords.irishgenealogy.ie>

<sup>117</sup> Ibid. [www.findagrave.com/memorial/209340018/margaret-rooney](http://www.findagrave.com/memorial/209340018/margaret-rooney)

<sup>118</sup> Married 12 Aug 1903, Boston, Suffolk, Massachusetts, son of Andrew Rooney and Bridget Mullarkey ("Massachusetts State Vital Records, 1841-1920", database with images, *FamilySearch* (<https://www.familysearch.org>).

<sup>119</sup> <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/209340019/margaret-m-rooney>

<sup>120</sup> <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/209340020/evelyn-c-rooney>

<sup>121</sup> Catholic Parish Registers at the NLI (National Library of Ireland), "Cobh, Diocese of Cloyne, County of Cork, Baptisms 5 Jun 1827 to 31 May 1863" (Microfilm 04990/02).

<sup>122</sup> Catholic Parish Registers at the NLI (National Library of Ireland), "Cobh, Diocese of Cloyne, County of Cork, Baptisms 4 Feb 1821 to 28 May 1827" (Microfilm 04987 / 01). Daughter of John Travers and Ellen Neal, sister of John Travers, bap. 28 Mar 1824, Cobh, Cork, Ireland,

<sup>123</sup> "THOMAS DESMOND, MEMBER OF THE FREEMANTLE EXPEDITION AND FORMER SHERIFF DIES. Thomas Desmond, former sheriff of this city and a member of the famous Irish nationalists' expedition that liberated six Irish prisoners in the Freemantle prison in Australia in 1875, died at his home, 329 Hayes street, yesterday. Desmond was elected sheriff on the workingmen's ticket in 1879, and held the office for one term. During his incumbency in the office he made a large number of friends, all of whose friendship he enjoyed until his death. In 1875, in company with John Breslin, Desmond sailed for Australia under the auspices of the Irish nationalists. The purpose of the expedition was to rescue six prisoners from the Freemantle prison who were serving life sentences. The whaler Catalpa was chartered by the party and picked up Desmond and Breslin in one of the ports near the prison. The expedition succeeded after many hardships, and brought the six men to this country, landing them in New York. The funeral of Desmond will take place Wednesday morning from the Knights of the Red Branch Hall, 1133 Mission street, and will be with full military honors. Until the funeral the body will lie in state at the hall. Interment will be in Holy Cross cemetery. Thomas Desmond was born in Cork December 22, 1838, and came to this country in 1834. Recently he had been living with his cousin, Miss Minnie McCarthy, at 329

+ 3.41 MARY MALONEY, b. abt. 1843, Iowa.<sup>124</sup>

3.42 MICHAEL DESMOND, bap. 13 Oct 1840, Cobh, Cork, Ireland.<sup>125</sup>

3.43 JAMES DESMOND, bap. 2 Sep 1842, Cobh, Cork, Ireland.<sup>126</sup>

3.44 ELIZABETH DESMOND, bap. 23 Aug 1844, Cobh, Cork, Ireland.<sup>127</sup>

3.45 JEREMIAH DESMOND, bap. 8 Nov 1846, Cobh, Cork, Ireland.<sup>128</sup>

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Hayes street (*The San Francisco Call*, San Francisco, Calif., October 24, 1910, p.2). Catholic Parish Registers at the NLI (National Library of Ireland), "Cobh, Diocese of Cloyne, County of Cork, Baptisms 5 Jun 1827 to 31 May 1863" (Microfilm 04987/02).

<sup>124</sup> Married 30 Jan 1865, daughter of Patrick and Johanna Maloney ("Iowa, County Marriages, 1838-1934"). She appears to have remarried or died after 1885.

<sup>125</sup> Catholic Parish Registers at the NLI (National Library of Ireland), "Cobh, Diocese of Cloyne, County of Cork, Baptisms 5 Jun 1827 to 31 May 1863" (Microfilm 04987/02).

<sup>126</sup> Ibid.

<sup>127</sup> Ibid.

<sup>128</sup> Ibid.