# SUMMARY OF McGRATH FAMILY OF SULLIVAN COUNTY, NEW YORK

1. **PATRICK McGrath** was born about 1830 in Ireland. He died between 1880 and 1900. He married **Frances C.** \_\_\_\_\_. The 1850 New York census lists them as having been married within the year, but also lists a child age 2 in their household, born in Ireland. Frances was born in May 1832 in Ireland. The 1900 census indicates that she immigrated in 1855, although she was clearly in Sullivan County in 1850.

Four of their children have been located in the 1920 census, which lists both the birthplace and mother tongue of parents. In three out of four cases (John J., Lawrence and William H.), the parents, i.e., Patrick and Frances, are listed as born in Ireland and native speakers of Irish (the exception is Reuben, whose parents are native speakers of English). This seems likely to be accurate, as the wives of both John and Lawrence had parents born in Ireland whose parents described as speaking English.

Patrick McGrath seems likely to have been a brother of Lawrence McGrath, in that they were enumerated in adjacent households in both 1850 and 1860, and Patrick named a son Lawrence. Family tradition also indicates that Lawrence came to the United States with a brother. In addition, pallbearers at the 1933 funeral of Mary Elizabeth (McGrath) Lynch included relatives "John and Charles McGrath, sons of Lawrence McGrath, of Livingston Manor." Lawrence McGrath of Livingston Manor appears to have been the son of Patrick McGrath.

In the 1850 census, Patrick and Frances were living in the town of Liberty, Sullivan County, New York (p. 206; 1448/1464; 19 Sep 1850):

Patrick	McGraw	20	Teamster	Ireland	m. w/in year
Frances C.	"	17		"	"
Catherine	"	2		"	

They were living in Liberty in 1860 (P.O. Liberty) (p. 110, ln 4, 867/863; 26 July 1860):

		age	occupation	RE	PE	birth	
Patrick	McGrath	30	Farmer	1000	250	Ireland	can't read & write
Frances	"	26				Do	
John J.	"	9				New York	att school
Mary A.	"	7				Do	
William H.	"	5				Do	
George	"	3				Do	
Frances C.	"	8/12				Do	

They remained in the town of Liberty in 1870 (p. 69 (564), ln 2; 519/518 (12 Aug 1870)):

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Birthplace and age consistently given in census: age 20, 1850; age 30, 1860; age 40, 1870; age 50, 1880.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Alive in 1880 census; Frances a widow by 1900.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> She is always listed as born in Ireland, but her census ages are not consistent: age 17, 1850; age 26, 1860; age 38, 1870; age 48, 1880; b. May 1832, 1900.

McGrath	Patrick	40	Farmer	3000	845	Ireland	CRW; US citizen
"	Frances	38	Keeping H			Ireland	
**	John J.	19				New York	att school
"	Mary Ann	17				New York	"
**	William H.	15				New York	"
**	George	13				New York	"
"	Frances C.	10				New York	"
"	James A.	8				New York	deaf & dumb
"	Lawrence	4				New York	

They remained in Liberty in 1880 (ED 100, p. 32-33 (194), ln 45; 327/347):

McGraw	Patric	50		Farmer	Ireland	Ireland	Ireland	CRW
"	Frances	48	wife	Keeping House	Ireland	Ireland	Ireland	
"	John J.	28	son	at Home	NY	Ireland	Ireland	
"	George	23	son	at Home	NY	Ireland	Ireland	
"	Lawrence	14	son	at Home	NY	Ireland	Ireland	att school
"	Julia	9	dau	at Home	NY	Ireland	Ireland	
"	Ruben	6	son	at Home	NY	Ireland	Ireland	

In 1900, Frances is listed in the household of her son Lawrence. She is shown as a widow, born in May 1832 in Ireland, and having immigrated to this country in 1855. In 1902, a newspaper account of her 70<sup>th</sup> birthday, found on the Internet, says she then had 34 grandchildren.

In 1910, Frances was still living with her son Lawrence. She was described as age 77 and having immigrated in 1847 and had 10 children, of whom 7 were living.

## Children:

- i. CATHERINE MCGRATH, b. abt 1848, Ireland (1850 cen); no further record
- 1 ii. JOHN J. MCGRATH, b. 1851, New York; d. 1937; m. KATHRYN M. \_\_\_\_
  - iii. MARY ANN MCGRATH, b. abt 1853, New York; remained at home in 1870
- 2 iv. WILLIAM H. McGrath, b. Mar 1856, New York
  - v. GEORGE McGrath, b. abt 1857, New York; remained at home in 1880
  - vi. Frances C. McGrath, b. abt 1859, New York; remained at home in 1870
  - vii. JAMES A. MCGRATH, b. abt 1862, New York (1870 cen); deaf & dumb; no further record
- 3 viii. LAWRENCE MCGRATH, b. Mar 1866, New York; m. HANNAH \_\_\_\_
  - ix. JULIA MCGRATH, b. abt 1871, New York
- 4 x. REUBEN L. McGrath, b. Apr 1874, New York; m. Sarah E. \_\_\_\_

2. **LAWRENCE McGrath** was born in December 1831 in Ireland, a son of James McGrath and \_\_\_\_ McKay, and died at Liberty, Sullivan County, New York on 20 June 1908. He married **ANN KEOGH**. She was born in 1835 in Ireland, and died in 1892. They are both buried at the Liberty Cemetery.

Family tradition (both Joan and Robin) is that Lawrence McGrath came to this country at age 12 with an older brother. Joan adds that the brother was age 19 and that the family went down to the dock to say goodbye to him and Larry hid on the ship. She says that Larry worked in a cigar factory in New York City. The 1920 census listing for Mary (McGrath) Lynch indicates that both her parents were native English speakers.

A Lawrence McGraw, age 23, a laborer born in Ireland, is listed in the 1850 census in Liberty, New York (p. 104; 19 Sep 1850), in the household of John Stickle, landlord. The adjacent household was that of Patrick McGraw, age 20, a teamster, and his wife Frances C. and daughter Catherine, age 2. The 1900 census indicates that Lawrence immigrated in 1855, but this census is suspicious as to dates, as it gives his age as 60 and birth as 1839, much later than other records.



Lawrence and Ann are clearly the couple living in the town of Liberty, Sullivan County (P.O. Liberty) in the 1860 census (p. 110; 26 Jul 1860; 868/864):

		age	occupation	RE	PE	birth
Lawrence	McGrath	28	Farmer	600	200	Ireland
Ann	"	27				Do
Catherine	"	5				New York
Hannah	"	3				Do
Mary	"	1				Do
Anna	Kiernon	8				Connecticut
James	Kiernon	5				Do

In the immediately adjacent household was the family of Patrick McGrath, age 30, owning land worth \$1000, and his wife Frances, with their children John J. (age 9), Mary A., William H., George and Frances C.

<sup>5</sup> Gravestone, Liberty Cemetery (Ann Keogh, his wife, 1835-1892) (inspected 1 Jul 1989). Death certificates for the Village of Liberty begin in 1893 (telephone call with Deborah Tanous, Village Clerk, 17 Jul 1989).

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Gravestone, Liberty Cemetery (Larry McGrath 1831-1908) (inspected 1 Jul 1989); Death Certificate, Village of Liberty (Lawrence McGrath, d. 20 Jun 1908, age 76, b. Ireland, parents: James McGrath & \_\_ McKay). The 1900 census says he was b. Dec 1839 in Ireland.

In 1870, Lawrence and Ann were also living in the town of Liberty (P.O. Liberty Falls) (p. 55 (557); 9 Aug 1870; 416/415), in less prosperous circumstances:

McGrath	Lawrence	37	Works on RR	100	Ireland	citizen
"	Ann	36	Keeping H		Ireland	
"	Catherine	15			New York	AS
"	Hannah	13			New York	AS
"	Mary	11			New York	AS
"	Francis J. (f)	9			New York	

In 1880, they were still living in Liberty, but the older daughters had all left home (ED 101, p. 3 (201); 23/23):

McGrath	Lawrence	45		common laborer	Ireland	Ireland	Ireland
"	Ann	36	wife	Keeping house	Ireland	Ireland	Ireland
"	Frances J.	17	dau	at home	New York	New York	New York
Hardenbergh	Belle	25		boarder & school teacher	New York	New York	New York

In 1900, Lawrence was living with his daughter Mary and her family on Main Street in Liberty (ED 92, sh 12B). His occupation was given as saloon keeper.

#### Children:

i. CATHERINE MCGRATH, b. abt 1855, New York; living Oct 1933; had dau Rose



- 5 ii. HANNAH McGrath, b. Jan 1857, Sullivan Co., New York; m. PATRICK McDERMOTT
  - iii. MARY ELIZABETH MCGRATH, b. 11 Nov 1858, on a farm near Parksville, Sullivan Co, NY; m. JAMES J. LYNCH (see Lynch family summary)
  - iv. FRANCES J. McGrath, b. abt 1861, New York; d. 1898; bu: Liberty Cemetery<sup>6</sup>
- 3. **JOHN J. McGrath** was born in March 1851 in New York, a son of Patrick and Frances C. McGrath, and died in 1937. He married **KATHRYN M**. \_\_\_\_\_ about 1884. She was born in February 1863 in New York and died in 1936. They are buried in Liberty Cemetery.

John lived at home in 1870 and 1880. In 1900, he was a farmer renting a farm in Rockland, Sullivan County, New York (ED 97, sh 7B):

McGrath	John J.	Head	Mar	1851	49	Farmer	NY	Ire	Ire	m16
"	Catherine M.	wife	Feb	1863	37		NY	Ire	Ire	m16; 1/1 [sic]
"	Frank W.	son	Sep	1887	12	at school	NY	NY	NY	
"	Nellie M.	dau	Jul	1889	10	at school	NY	NY	NY	
"	Floyd J.	son	Feb	1892	8	at school	NY	NY	NY	att school

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> Age 9 in 1870 census; age 17 in 1880 census; gravestone (inspected 1 Jul 1989): 1867-1898.

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	"	Leo	son	May	1895	5	NY	NY	NY	
ĺ	"	Thomas J.	son	Mar	1898	3	NY	NY	NY	

The family owned an unmortgaged farm in Rockland in 1910 (ED 150, sh 9A):

McGrath	John J.	Head	59	Farmer	NY	Ire	Ire	m26
"	Katherine M.	wife	47		NY	Ire	Ire	m26; 6/6
"	Francis W.	son	22	laborer farm	NY	NY	NY	
"	Nellie W.	dau	20	milliner shop	NY	NY	NY	
"	John F.	son	18		NY	NY	NY	
"	Charles L.	son	14		NY	NY	NY	
"	Thomas J.	son	12?		NY	NY	NY	
"	Alice []	dau	4		NY	NY	NY	

The family was still in Rockland in 1920, perhaps in or near Livingston Manor, as that name has been entered as an incorporated place and then stricken out (ED 135, sh 8A (p. 207)):

McGrath	John J.	Head	68	farmer, dairy farm	NY	Ire	Ire
"	Catherine M.	wife	56		NY	Ire	Ire
"	Charles L.	son	24	farming	NY	NY	NY
"	Alice L.	dau	13		NY	NY	NY

In 1930, they were in Livingston Manor, an unincorporated place, on DuBois Street (ED 53-33, sh 7A (p. 206)). They owned a radio and a house worth \$4,000.

McGrath	John J.	Head	79	33	retired	NY	Ire	Ire
"	Catherine M.	wife	67	21		NY	Ire	Ire
"	Charles L.	son	34		Chaufeur, State Highway	NY	NY	NY
Harnett	Maurice E	boarder	51	20	plumber	NY	Ire	NY

#### Children:

- i. Francis W. McGrath, b. Sep 1887, New York
- ii. NELLIE M/W MCGRATH, b. 4 Jul 1889, New York; d. Jan 1971, res. Middletown, Orange Co, NY (ssdi); m. \_\_\_\_ BENDER; bu: Liberty Cem; probably the Nellie G. Bender, age 39 and married (first m. at 30), b. in NY, renting a house for \$20 per month in 1930, a few houses from her parents, with a dau Shirley, age 6
- iii. JOHN FLOYD MCGRATH, b. Feb 1892, New York
- iv. CHARLES LEO MCGRATH, b. 30 May 1895, Rockland, Sullivan Co, New York; d. Dec 1968, res. Livingston Manor (ssdi); bu: Liberty Cem; in 1917 and 1920, Charles was a farmer with his father in Livingston Manor; he had a medium build and complexion, dark grey eyes and dark brown hair; in 1930, a chauffeur with the State Highway Dept.<sup>7</sup>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> Birth from 1900 (May 1895), 1910 (age 14), 1920 (age 24) and 1930 (age 34) censuses; also gravestone (1895-1965); b. date and 1917 occup from WWI draft card, Sullivan Co.

- v. THOMAS J. MCGRATH, b. Mar 1898, New York
- vi. ALICE L. MCGRATH, b. abt 1906, New York
- 4. **WILLIAM H. McGrath** was born in March 1856 (perhaps 1855, given his age of 5 and 15 in the 1860 and 1870 censuses) in New York, a son of Patrick and Frances C. McGrath. He married **Mary Elizabeth** \_\_\_\_\_ about 1881. She was born in December 1859 in New York.

William was living at home in 1870 and absent in 1880. He may have been the William McGrath, age 24, who was a school teacher in Rockland town, Sullivan County, New York, boarding in the home of Edward Barker (1880: ED 109, p. 43).

In 1900, William appears to be renting a house in Rockland (ED 97, sh 15B):

McGrath	William H.	Head	Mar	1856	44	livestock dealer	NY	Ire	Ire	m19
"	Mary E.	wife	Dec	1859	40		NY	NY	NY	m19; 0/0 [sic]
"	Josephine	dau	Nov	1889	12	at school	NY	NY	NY	

They were also in Rockland in 1910, Village of Liv Manor, where they owned their house (ED 150, sh 12A):

McGrath	William H.	Head	54	real estate broker	NY	Ire	Ire	m28
"	Lizzie	wife	50		NY	NY	NY	m28; 1/1
"	Josephine	dau	22		NY	NY	NY	

The family was still in Rockland in 1920, perhaps in or near Livingston Manor, as that name has been entered as an incorporated place and then stricken out (ED 135, sh 13B):

	McGrath	William H.	Head	63	real estate dealer	NY	Ire	Ire
	=	Lizzie	wife	60		NY	NY	NY
ĺ	•	Josephine	dau	31	clerkial wrk Housewrk	NY	NY	NY

They lived on Main Street in Livingston Manor in 1930 (ED 53-33, sh 2A (p. 201)). They owned a radio and a house worth \$4,000.

McGrath	William H.	Head	74	agent real estate	NY	Ire	Ire	m25
"	Lizzie	wife	70		NY	NY	NY	m21
"	Josephine	dau	41		NY	NY	NY	

#### Child:

- i. JOSEPHINE MCGRATH, b. Nov 1889, New York
- 5. **LAWRENCE McGrath** was born in March 1866 in New York, a son of Patrick and Frances C. McGrath, and died in 1936. He married **HANNAH E.** \_\_\_\_\_ about 1893. She was born in 1868 and died in 1944. They are buried in Liberty Cemetery.

In 1900, Lawrence and Hannah owned a mortgaged farm in the town of Liberty, Sullivan County, New York (ED 91, sh 19A-B (p. 163)), where they were living together with his mother and his brother Reuben and family:

McGrath	Lawrence	Head	Mar	1866	34	Farmer	NY	Ire	Ire	m7
"	Hannah	wife	Sep	1871	28		NY	Ire	Ire	m7; 2/2
"	Edwin L	son	Oct	1894	5		NY	NY	NY	
"	Mary E	dau	Jun	1896	3		NY	NY	NY	
"	Frances	mother	May	1832	68		Ire	Ire	Ire	Wd
Wilson	Mamie A.	servant	Nov	1885	14	servant	NY	NY	NY	
Worden	Homer L	boarder	Oct	1881	18	farm laborer	Penn	NY	NY	
McGrath	Reuben L	brother	Apr	1874	26	fireman (NY	NY	Ire	Ire	m2
						fire dept)				
"	Sarah E	S-in-law	Sep	1873	26		NY	NY	NY	m2, 1/1
"	Joseph R	nephew	Apr	1900	1/12		NY	NY	NY	

1n 1910, the family owned a farm, without mortgage, in the village of L[iv] Manor, Rockland town, Sullivan County (ED illegible, sh 2A-B).

McGrath	Lawrence	Head	44	Surveyor, Land	NY	Ire	Ire	m16
"	Hannah E	wife	41		NY	Ire	Ire	m16; 6/6
"	Edwin L	son	15		NY	NY	NY	
"	Mary E	dau	13		NY	NY	NY	
"	John [R]	son	9		NY	NY	NY	
"	William J	son	5		NY	NY	NY	
"	[Gina] J	dau	3		NY	NY	NY	
"	Charles H	son	1		NY	NY	NY	
"	Francis	mother	77		Ire Eng	Ire	Ire	10/7; 1847
Edwards	Kate E	servant	16?	servant, house	NY	NY	NY	

The family was still in Rockland in 1920, on Main Street in Livingston Manor, which name has been entered as an incorporated place and then stricken out (ED 135, sh 14A (p. 213)):

McGrath	Laurence	Head	53	Surveyor, general practice	NY	Ire	Ire
"	Anna E	wife	51		NY	Ire	Ire
"	John F	son	19	Drug clerk, pharmacy	NY	NY	NY
"	William J	son	15		NY	NY	NY
"	Irene	dau	13		NY	NY	NY
"	Charles [S]	son	9		NY	NY	NY

They lived on Church Street in Livingston Manor in 1930 (ED 53-33, sh 8A (p. 207)). They owned a radio and a house worth \$8,000.

McGrath	Lawrence	Head	54	Surveyor, State of NY	NY	Ire	Ire	m27
"	Hannah E	wife	61		NY	Ire	Ire	m25
"	Irene M	dau	23	Teacher, School	NY	NY	NY	

Bill Merritt's *The History of Livingston Manor* says that "The Lawrence McGrath residence was the last house by the little bridge over the Cattail Brook." <a href="http://hvanaken.com/LM/LMhistory/lmhist.htm">http://hvanaken.com/LM/LMhistory/lmhist.htm</a>.

#### Children:

- i. EDWIN L. MCGRATH, b. Oct 1894, New York; d. 1922; bu: Liberty Cem; he served in Battalion C, 104<sup>th</sup> Field Artillery; 27<sup>th</sup> Division, A.E.F.; later Am. Legion
- ii. MARY E. MCGRATH, b. Jun 1896, New York
- iii. JOHN F. McGrath, b. abt 1901, New York
- iv. WILLIAM J. MCGRATH, b. 1904, New York; d. 1963; m. ANNE R. FISHER; she d. 17 Jan 1962; bu: Liberty Cem
- v. IRENE M. MCGRATH, b. abt 1907, New York
- vi. CHARLES H. MCGRATH, b. 1910, New York; d. 1947
- 6. **REUBEN L. McGrath** was born on 19 April 1874 in New York<sup>8</sup>, a son of Patrick and Frances C. McGrath, and died in 1949. He married **SARAH E/M.** \_\_\_\_ in about 1898. She was born in 1875 in New York and died in 1944. They are buried in Liberty Cemetery.

Reuben and Sarah were living on the McGrath home farm in Liberty Town in 1900. Reuben was then a fireman with the New York fire department (ED 91, sh 19A-B (p. 163)). By 1910, they lived in Manhattan (ED 109, sh 4B). They were one of three families renting rooms at 32 King Street:

McGrath	Reuban	Head	36	fireman, city	NY	Ire	Ire	m12
"	Sarah	wife	35		NY	NY	NY	m12; 5/4
"	Joseph	son	10		NY	NY	NY	
"	Walter	son	8		NY	NY	NY	
"	George	son	4		NY	NY	NY	
"	Frances	son	7		NY	NY	NY	

On 9 June 1910, the New York Times (p. 2) mentioned that Assistant Forman [sic] Reuben McGrath would lead a detail of firemen at the funeral of William F. Healey, killed in a fire on Washington Street. The same paper indicated that the minimum height for New York City firemen was being reduced to 5 foot 7½ inches, from 5 foot 8 inches, on the ground that the average height of New Yorkers was getting less, due to a large alien admixture in the population, and that the Civil Service Board had concluded, contrary to the advice of the Fire Chief, that the reduction in height would not affect stamina and endurance. The minimum weight was left at 140 pounds.

By 1920, Reuben and Sarah were renting a house at 570 Commerce Lane in Brooklyn (ED 95, sh 36A (p. 68)):

McGrath	Reuben	Head	45	Captain, NY Fire Dept	NY	Ire	Ire
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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> WWI Draft Registration, Brooklyn, Ancestry.com (index only, link to card misdirected); 1900 cen.

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"	Sarah	wife	45		NY	NY	NY
"	Joseph	son	26	Bookkeeper, Chemical	NY	NY	NY
**	Walter	son	19	Bookkeeper, Chemical	NY	NY	NY
"	George	son	14		NY	NY	NY
"	Robert	son	9		NY	NY	NY
"	Mary	dau	7		NY	NY	NY
"	Grace	dau	3/12		NY	NY	NY
"	Frances	dau	17	Clerical, Chemical	NY	NY	NY

They have not been located in the 1930 census.

# Children:

- i. JOSEPH R. MCGRATH, b. 27 Mar 1900, New York; d. Aug 1971, Livingston Manor, Sullivan Co, NY (ssdi); bu: Liberty Cem
- ii. WALTER P. MCGRATH, b. 1901, New York; d. 1961; bu: Liberty Cem
- iii. FRANCES C. MCGRATH, b. 1903, New York; bu: Liberty Cem
- iv. GEORGE J. MCGRATH, b. 1906, New York; d. 1964; prob. m. AUGUSTA E. \_\_\_\_ (b. 23 Sep 1905; d. Oct 1972; res. Brooklyn, NY [ssdi]); bu: Liberty Cem; poss dau: Patricia McGrath Boyd (1932-1988), bu: Liberty
- v. ROBERT D. McGrath, b. 1910, New York; d. 1962; bu: Liberty Cem
- vi. MARY McGrath, b. abt 1912, New York [1920 cen]
- vii. GRACE MCGRATH, b. abt Oct 1919, New York; prob. d. 1979; m. PAT BELLANTONIO (he b. 1915); bu: Liberty Cem, adjacent bro George
- 7. **HANNAH McGrath** was born about January 1857 in Sullivan County, New York, a daughter of Lawrence McGrath and Ann Keogh, and died, probably in Newburgh, Orange County, New York, on 1 June 1915. She married **Patrick McDermott** about 1876. Patrick was born in December 1845 in Massachusetts and died on 6 February 1911, probably in Newburgh. Patrick and Hannah are buried in Calvary Cemetery, Newburgh. 12

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> Birth given as Jan 1861 in 1900 census, but age 3 in 1860 and 13 in 1870. Death date from cemetery information on McDermott Family, Ulster County, Newburgh Website (hereafter McDermott-Newburgh website), Joseph F. Whalen, webmaster, Mary Ann Marcantonio, compiler. <a href="http://joewihit3.tripod.com/genealogy/MCDERMOTT.html">http://joewihit3.tripod.com/genealogy/MCDERMOTT.html</a> Place of birth from 19 census, consistent with parent's residence in 1860.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>10</sup> Oldest child age 3 in 1880. She is described in Mary E. Lynch's obituary as deceased, with children Frank and Ann McDermott of Newburgh. Also, birth given as in Sullivan County in 19\_\_ census and maiden name of McGrath given on gravestone.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>11</sup> Birth month from 1900 census. Place given as Massachusetts in 1880 and 1900, NY in 1910. Death from McDermott-Newburgh website.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>12</sup> McDermott-Newburgh website.

Patrick and Hannah were living in Middletown, Orange County, New York in 1880 (ED 39, p. 83 (257). In the same house was the family of a George W. Tidaback, a locomotive engineer.

McDermott	Patrick	31		Track supervisor	Massachusetts	Ireland	Ireland
"	Hannah	22	wife	Keeping house	New York	Ireland	Ireland
"	Frank	3	son		New York	Mass	New York
"	William	2	son		New York	Mass	New York

The 1889-92 city directories for Newburgh in Orange County lists a Patrick McDermott as a foreman with the West Shore Railroad, living at 219 Water. There was another Patrick McDermott listed in the city directory, although he was a laborer, boarding at 143 Washington, and apparently a son of Andrew McDermott. <sup>13</sup>

By 1900, Patrick and Hannah were renting a home at 95 Smith Street in Newburgh, Orange County, New York (ED 37, sh 6B; 110/125):

McDermott	Patrick	Head	Dec	1845	54	Mass	Ire	Ire	14	m24
"	Hannah	Wife	Jan	1861	39	NY	Ire	Ire		m24; 11 ch, 8 al
"	Frank	son	Oct	1877	22	NY	NY	NY	Agent sewing machines	
"	William	son	Sep	1878	21	NY	NY	NY	Laborer RR	
"	Cora	dau	Feb	1882	18	NY	NY	NY	Milliner app	
"	Chas	son	Nov	1883	16	NY	NY	NY	Clerk Drugs app	
"	Thomas	son	Feb	1886	14	NY	NY	NY	At school	
"	Alice	dau	Dec	1890	9	NY	NY	NY		
"	Emma	dau	Mar	1893	7	NY	NY	NY		
"	Blanche	dau	Apr	1900	1/12	NY	NY	NY		

In 1910, they were renting a house at 76 Smith Street in Newburgh (ED 53, sh 5B; 79/95). None of their children appear to have married by that time.

McDermott	Patrick	Head	60	NY	NY	Ire	none	m33
"	Hannah	Wife	50	Sullivan Co	Ire	Ire	none	9 ch, 7 al
"	Frank	son	30	range Co	NY	NY	NY agent piano	
"	Will	son	29	Orange Co	NY	NY	NY foreman railroad	
"	Dora	dau	24	Orange Co	NY	NY	dressmaker dressmaking	
"	Charles	son	23	Orange Co	NY	NY	druggist	
"	Tom	son	20	Orange Co	NY	NY	clerk store	
"	Alice	dau	18	Orange Co	NY	NY	none	
"	Emily	dau	15	Orange Co	NY	NY	none	

While Patrick and Hannah died between 1910 and 1920, their five youngest children were living together in 1920 in a home owned by Cora at 150 South Street in Newburgh (ED 148, sh 3B):

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>13</sup> McDermott-Newburgh website.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>14</sup> No occupation seems to be listed for Patrick. The notation "N. G. 0-4-5" has been made in the blank, but this seems to be in a different ink and some sort of later calculation.

McDermott	Cora [R?]	Head	36	NY	NY	NY	none
"	Charles	bro	34	NY	NY	NY	druggist – drug store
"	Thomas	bro	32	NY	NY	NY	clerk – West Shore Railroad
"	Alice	sis	25	NY	NY	NY	schoolteacher - City schools
"	Emily	sis	22	NY	NY	NY	schoolteacher – City schools

In 1930, Cora was also listing as owning the home at 150 South Street, which was worth \$6000 (ED 36-68, sh 8A-B; p. 270). The home contained a radio.

McDermott	Cora R.	Head	44	NY	NY	NY	none
"	Thomas	bro	42	NY	NY	NY	Laborer – Railroad
"	Alice	sis	33	NY	NY	NY	Teacher – Public school
"	Emily	sis	30	NY	NY	NY	Teacher – Public school

## Children:

- i. Frank J. McDermott, b. Oct 1877, Orange Co, NY; m. Adelaide \_\_\_\_\_ before 1920. sewing machine agent in 1900; piano agent in 1910. In 1920, he was a piano salesman and he and Adelaide were renting from Frances and Eliza Kidd at 56 DuBois Street in Newburgh (ED 14-3, sh 4B). He was living in Newburgh in 1930, when he attended the funeral of his aunt, Mary Elizabeth (McGrath) Lynch in Liberty, NY.
- ii. WILLIAM MCDERMOTT, b. Sep 1878, Orange Co, NY; railroad laborer in 1900; railroad foreman in 1910
- iii. CORA R. MCDERMOTT, b. Feb 1882, Orange Co, NY; a milliner's apprentice in 1900 and a dressmaker in 1910; owned home at 150 South St. by 1920 and appears to have kept house for her younger siblings after her parents died
- iv. CHARLES MCDERMOTT, b. Nov 1883, Orange Co, NY; drug store apprentice in 1900; druggist in 1910 & 1920
- v. THOMAS MCDERMOTT, b. Feb 1886, Orange Co, NY; store clerk in 1910, clerk for West Shore RR in 1920, RR laborer in 1930
- vi. ALICE MCDERMOTT, b. Dec 1890, Orange Co, NY; schoolteacher, Newburgh schools 1920 & 1930
- vii. EMILY MCDERMOTT, b. Mar 1893, Orange Co, NY; schoolteacher, Newburgh schools 1920 & 1930
- viii. BLANCHE MCDERMOTT, b. Apr 1900, Newburgh, Orange Co, NY; probably d. young, doesn't appear in 1910 census