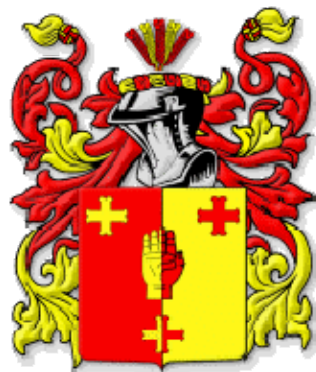


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Each family is listed separately. As of this writing the authors have found no information that connects each of these families to the others. All male heads of the five families were born in Ireland and came to America during the Great Potato Famine. All of the spouses also came from Ireland during that same time period with the exception of Margaret Jane Smith who was born in Steubenville, Ohio. They were all members of St. Peter's Church in Steubenville.

NOTE: As you read this document, it may become confusing because each family uses the same first names. For example, the most popular male first names are: Daniel, Frank or Francis, John, and Matthew. From our research, we have discovered these are unique individuals because of baptism and/or US Census records.

Family and descendants of

Matthew Brannagan Sr. and Jane Hagan

MATTHEW BRANNAGAN was born in Ireland around 1832. He and his family first appear in Steubenville in the 1870 US Census. Matthew's occupation is listed as "Works in Foundry". He is listed as a U.S. Citizen although he was not born in United States. In addition to his wife **Jane Hagan Brannagan** and two children, **Arthur Brannagan** (may have been Matthew's brother) is also listed as living with this family in 1870. The US Census lists Arthur's occupation as "Teamster". Matthew also served in the military during the Civil War.

According to the 1880 US Census record, the Brannagan family had grown to include four sons:

James (born 1863)
Daniel J. (born 1869)
Arthur A. (born 1871)
Matthew (born 1874)

Also living with the Brannagans was Jane's younger sister, **Catherine Hagan**, who was age 25 at the time of the 1880 Census. Her occupation was a domestic servant and she too was born in Ireland.

MATTHEW BRANNAGAN SR. died in Steubenville on October 30, 1892 of paralysis.

JANE HAGAN BRANNAGAN died in Steubenville on January 18, 1897 of bronchitis.

- **JAMES BRANNAGAN** died in Steubenville on March 10, 1892 of heart disease.
- **DANIEL J. BRANNAGAN** died in Steubenville on November 8, 1891 rheumatic attacks to his heart and was buried in Mt. Calvary Cemetery in Steubenville. Daniel married **Sophia Katherine Lauser** on February 18, 1890. They had two children:
 - **Mary A. Brannagan** – born November 19, 1890.
 - **Elizabeth W. Brannagan** – born April of 1892 five months after Daniel's death. Elizabeth married **George McClelland Bradley** on November 11, 1915.

On June 11, 1896, **Sophia Lauser Brannagan** married **Richard D. Edgerly**. She and Richard had five children and remained married until Richard's death on December 23, 1939. Sophia died in Steubenville on February 23, 1943.

- **ARTHUR A. BRANNAGAN** – it is unknown what happened to Arthur. The last information found was a newspaper article from the April 26, 1910 issue of the Steubenville Herald Star that he received overdue overtime wages earned by his deceased brother James, as a Steubenville mail carrier.
- **MATTHEW BRANNAGAN, JR.** – married Elizabeth Humble on May 7, 1901 in Steubenville. Elizabeth died on September 21, 1905. No other information is available for Matthew.

Matthew Branagan and Rose Ann Mooney

MATTHEW BRANAGAN was born in Ireland around 1846. Matthew and **Rose Ann Mooney** were married in Steubenville, Ohio, on February 3, 1862. Rose Ann Mooney also came from Ireland and was born in April of 1844. Rose Ann and Matthew had one child, a son:

- **JOHN BAPTISTE BRANAGAN** – born November 8, 1866 and baptized on December 6, 1866 according to the records of St. Peter's, Steubenville and his US Passport dated June 21, 1909.

MATTHEW BRANAGAN died October 29, 1868, in Steubenville.

ROSE ANN MOONEY BRANAGAN married **John Kelly** in 1873. They had two children:

- **MARY CALLISTA KELLY** – born February 16, 1874
- **FRANK THOMAS KELLY** – born June 20, 1875

John Kelly died December 3, 1893.

JOHN B. BRANAGAN in addition to growing up and working in Steubenville, he also worked for a time in Charleroi, Pennsylvania. According to his passport application in 1909, he served as a postmaster in Charleroi and his height was 6 feet 3 inches. His mother lived with him in Charleroi until her death sometime between 1910 and 1912. John followed his sister and her husband to the San Bernardino area of California and was still living there in the 1930s.

MARY CALLISTA KELLY married **J. Franklin Hollenbaugh** on May 1, 1912, in Los Angeles, California. They moved to the Upland area of San Bernardino where they lived on a lemon, orange and chicken ranch and they were still living in the area in the 1930s.

An article from 9 January 1924, The Herald - Star, Steubenville, OH

Mr. and Mrs. Hollenbaugh of, Upland, California sent their holiday greetings as usual. She was Calista Brannagan of our city one of the noblest women the writer ever met. She lives with her husband on a lemon, orange and chicken ranch on the edge of Upland, at the foot of the mountains, where the sky is like Italy. At night coyotes come down off of the hills and howl against the barbed wire chicken fence and slink away at daybreak. Her brother John Brannagan, former glassworker and policeman, also politician in our city, who is thoroughly Bohemian in his tastes liking for Los Angeles and the life in Coast cities goes out to the ranch every few weeks and communes with Dame Nature.

FRANK THOMAS KELLY – His history is unknown. According to the 1900 US Census, Frank is counted twice. First he is listed living with his mother, half-brother John, and sister, Mary, in Steubenville, Ohio. Then he is also listed living in Charleroi, PA, as a boarder along with John. The last known address for him was Kapowsin, Pierce, Washington, according to the 1910 US Census records.

Family and descendants of Arthur Brannagan and Margaret Jane Smith

ARTHUR BRANNAGAN was born in Ireland around 1820. The first time there is any information about Arthur is the 1856 Steubenville Directory. According to the 1870 US Census, he was living with **Matthew and Jane Hagan Brannagan** and their family in Steubenville. Arthur's occupation was a teamster.

On November 8, 1873, Arthur married **MARGARET JANE SMITH MAXWELL**. Jane, as she was known, had been married to **John D. Maxwell** who died in 1865. Jane and John had five children:

- **Frank Maxwell (1857 – 1878)**
- **Samuel J. Maxwell (1858 – 1910)**
- **Nancy Maxwell (1861 - ?)**
- **William Maxwell (1866 - ?)**
- **Mary Ellen "Nellie" Maxwell (1869 - ?)** – *NOTE: date of birth and death of John D. Maxwell do not seem credible for paternity of this child but this birthdate is listed on the 1870 US Census.*

Arthur and Jane had three daughters:

- **KATHERINE BRANNAGAN (1874 – 1916)**
- **JENNIE BRANNAGAN (1875 – 1961)**
- **MARGARET BRANNAGAN (1880 - ?)**

Arthur died tragically on July 11, 1885:

Arthur Brannagan, a teamster, last night at about 12 o'clock, was run over by a freight train near the passenger depot, in this city, and instantly killed. It is supposed that he was intoxicated and had lain down on the track and gone to sleep. The body was cut into pieces and scattered along the track a distance of forty rods.

Arthur was buried in the Potters Field section of Mt. Calvary Cemetery.

Jane's son, Frank Maxwell, had died tragically in 1878. He accidentally shot himself in a hunting accident.

Jane's son Samuel Maxwell died in 1910, of a pulmonary hemorrhage.

Nancy Maxwell married William Martin.

No other information was found for William Maxwell after 1870.

Mary Ellen "Nellie" Maxwell married Zaren L. Travis in 1891. Mary Ellen died in 1912.

The children of Arthur and Jane Brannagan:

- **KATHERINE BRANNAGAN (1874 – 1916)** married William G. Wells in 1892.

Katherine and William had eight children:

- Herbert McKinley Wells (1893 - ?)
 - Flossie K. Wells (1896 - 1977)
 - Dohrman Sinclair Wells (1898 – 1983)
 - Marie Margaret Wells (1900 - ?)
 - Jennie W. Wells (1904 – 1962)
 - George J. Wells (1909 – 1974)
 - Lucy P. Wells (1913 - ?)
 - Harry B. Wells (1916 – 1988)
- **JENNIE BRANNAGAN (1875 – 1961)** married William Harrison Lidy in 1899 but they were divorced a year later. Jennie later married John A. McCann.
 - **MARGARET BRANNAGAN (1880 - ?)** was still living in Steubenville in 1910. No additional information is available.

Family and descendants of Matthew Branagan and Catharine Mooney

MATTHEW BRANAGAN was born in County Down, Ireland, around 1818. He arrived in New York on April 12, 1853. He married **CATHERINE MOONEY** in Jefferson County, Ohio, on July 1, 1857. Catharine Mooney was also a native of Ireland.

Matthew and Catharine had seven children:

- **Frank Aloysius Branagan (1858 – 1932)**
- **James J. Branagan (1861 – 1904)**
- **Anna Branagan (1861 – 1863)**
- **Daniel Branagan (1863 - ?)**
- **Matthew S. Branagan (1867 – 1932)**
- **Anna Branagan (1869 – 1938)**
- **John Branagan (1872 – 1957)**

Matthew was a grocer and his wife continued the business after he died on June 9, 1878. Here is Matthew Branagan's obituary as it appeared in the Steubenville Weekly Gazette, Friday, June 14, 1878:

Many friends will be pained to hear of his death which occurred on Sunday morning at his residence, North Third street, after a short illness, in the 60th year of his age. MATTHEW BRANAGAN was born July fourth 1818, county Down, Ireland. He came to this county in the year 1853 coming to Steubenville as few weeks after his landing in New York. Here he has lived from that time up until his death. He was united in marriage July 2nd, 1855, to Miss Catharine Mooney, who with six children survive (sic) him. He was a consistant (sic) member of the Catholic church. The widow and fatherless children have the sympathy of their friends in their affliction. Funeral took place on Tuesday from St. Peter's.

NOTE: The date of the marriage in the obituary differs from the date found on a marriage record from FamilySearch.org.

Catharine Mooney Branagan was born in Ireland and died in Steubenville on January 13, 1887. She was 60 years of age and died of consumption. Both Matthew and Catharine are buried at Mt. Calvary Cemetery in Steubenville.

The children of Matthew and Catharine Branagan:

- **FRANK ALOYSIUS BRANAGAN (1858 – 1932)** Frank was the first born child of Matthew and Catharine and had a very distinguished career with the federal government.

Frank began his career as a bookkeeper in a coal works. On May 10, 1888, Frank was appointed as the Appointment and Disbursing Clerk of the US Department of Justice. Prior to

this appointment, Frank served as a clerk in the Sixth Auditor's office in 1886. He was recommended for the new position by the Secretary of the Treasury, Charles S. Fairchild. The New York Times article said Frank Branagan had an excellent record and is not yet 30 years of age. In November of 1895, Frank Branagan resigned his Department of Justice position to accept a similar position with the US Department of State.

Frank Branagan served as a subsequent member of the Taft Commission in the Philippines from March 2, 1909 until October 26, 1913. Here is a description of the Taft Commission as defined in Wikipedia: *The **Taft Commission**, also known as **Second Philippine Commission** was established by United States President William McKinley on March 16, 1900. The Commission was the legislature of the Philippines, then known as the Philippine Islands under the sovereign control of the United States during the Philippine-American War. After the passage of the Philippine Organic Act in 1902, the Commission functioned as the one House of a bicameral legislature until it was supplanted in 1916 by an elected legislature established in 1916 by the Philippine Autonomy Act. William Howard Taft was the first head of the Philippine Commission, a post he filled between March 16, 1900 and September 1, 1901. Taft then succeeded himself as commission head, while concurrently serving as Civil Governor until January 31, 1904. The Philippine Commission was subsequently headed by a number of persons, but is often mentioned informally and collectively as the "Taft Commission".*

In 1890, Frank Branagan married **Margaret Lamb** in Steubenville, Ohio. They had two sons:

- **John "Jack" F. Branagan (1892 – after 1932)**
- **Frank A. Branagan, Jr. (1893 – 1893)**

Later in his career, Frank Branagan was associated with the Shanghai and Hong Kong Bank & Trust Co. He died in Los Angeles, California, on March 29, 1932, while he was on a stopover returning from Shanghai and heading back to the east coast.

Frank and Margaret's son Jack was married to **Iris Enolia Maxwell** (1890 – 1976) on October 19, 1919, in Manila, Philippines. They had one son, **Frank A. Branagan**, who was born in the Philippines on September 6, 1920 and he died in Albuquerque, New Mexico in September 1978.

Jack Branagan died sometime after his father in 1932 or 1933.

Iris Enolia Maxwell Branagan married for a second time to **Raymond Ormiston Warrington**. Both were working in the Philippines when the Japanese invaded during World War II. Iris and Raymond were interred in Japanese concentration camp. Raymond died shortly before the Philippines were liberated by the Americans. Iris survived and passed away on November 4, 1976 in Cincinnati, Ohio.

- **JAMES J. BRANAGAN (1861 – 1904)** James was the second son of Matthew and Catharine Branagan. He was born in January of 1861. He married **Anna R. Riley (1861 – 1941)** on August 15, 1880, in Jefferson County, Ohio. James worked as a glassblower.

Here is the obituary for James J. Branagan as it appeared in the July 29, 1904 edition of the Steubenville Weekly Herald Star:

News of the death of James John Branagan came as a shock to his many friends and friends of his family on Friday morning, as few knew of his illness, which was of short duration. Mr. Branagan was taken ill with stomach trouble on Tuesday and died today at 9 a. m, at his home, 425 North Sixth street. Mr. Branagan was born In Steubenville forty-six years ago and was son of the late Matthew Branagan. Twenty-four years ago he was married to Annie Riley, who, with eight children, survive (sic). The children are Kizzie, Annie, Frank, Helen, James, John, Robert and Lawrence. Surviving brothers and sisters are Annie and Matthew, of Washington, D. C; John of Charleroi, and Frank, in the Philippine Islands. Mr. Branagan was a member of St. Peter's Church. He was also a member of Local Union No S. A. F. G. W. U, of the Eagles, and the Steubenville Rod and Gun Club. Mr. Branagan had not worked at his trade of glassblower for five years. He started to work at the Acme at an early age and worked there for twenty seven years. He was President of Local Union No. 8 for fourteen years and he was instrumental in building up that organization and making it one of influence and power in the trade. He was the author of the death benefit law of the Flints, in which by the call of death he will now participate. He attended a number of National conventions of the Flint as a delegate from No. 8. Mr. Branagan was well known to many of our citizens. He was possessed of a kindly disposition and to know him was to like him as a friend.

James and Anna had eight children:

- **Catherine “Kizzie” Branagan (1882 – 1958)** Kizzie was the oldest child of James and Annie and like all of her brothers and sisters was born in Steubenville, Ohio. Around 1920 Kizzie moved to the Washington D.C. area and worked for the Library of Congress. She was married to George Haines in 1921 but had no children. Kizzie died in Steubenville in 1958 and was buried in Union Cemetery.
- **Anna R Branagan (1884 – 1970)** Anna was married to **Fred Denig**.
- **Frank A. Branagan (1889 – 1969)** Frank was married to **Margaret Sullivan (1895 – 1993)**. For 50 years he worked for the **Branagan and Punke Shoe Store** in Steubenville and was co-owner when he retired in 1957. Frank and Margaret had four children:
 - **Frank A. Branagan Jr. (1916 – 1977)**
 - **John “Jack” Riley Branagan (1918 – 1975)**
 - **Robert E. Branagan (1919 – 1981)**
 - **Marjorie A. Branagan (1923 – 1993)** Married **Wilber E. Ford**.
- **Helen Branagan (1891 – 1978)** Married **H. M. McIntosh**
- **James John Branagan (1894 – 1989)** Married **Josephine A. Getsinger (1923 – 2007)**
- **John Means Branagan (1897 – 1957)** Married **Mary (born 1901)** last name unknown. John was buried in Arlington National Cemetery in Arlington, VA in 1957.

- **Robert Edward "Smiles" Branagan (1900 – 1965)** Married **Annabella McAndrews (1911 – 2001)** in 1949.
- **Lawrence Howard Branagan (1902 – 1967)** Married **Dorothy J. Caniff (1902 – 1988)** in 1921. They had two children:
 - **Dorothy Jean Branagan (1921 – 2003)**
 - **William L. Branagan (1928 – 2006)**
- **ANNA BRANAGAN (1861 – 1863)** died as a young child and was buried in Mt. Calvary Cemetery
- **DANIEL BRANAGAN (1863 - ?)** married **Kate Kimble** in 1886. Daniel and Kate had three children:
 - Annie Branagan (1886 - ?)**
 - Tillie Branagan (1888 - ?)**
 - Daniel Branagan Jr. (1890 – 1964)**

Daniel worked as a guard in a military prison in Leavenworth, Kansas. Annie and Tillie were both born in Kansas. Daniel was born in Steubenville, Ohio, on December 29, 1890. The family was living in Leavenworth, Kansas, when the 1900 US Census was taken. No other records have been found for Daniel.

Daniel Jr., Daniel and Kate's son, was living in Omaha, Nebraska, when he registered for the World War I draft in June of 1917. His occupation was listed as roofing and he was married. Dan Branagan died in April of 1964 in Oklahoma according to the Social Security Death Index.

- **MATTHEW S. BRANAGAN (1867 – 1932)** Matthew was the fourth son of Matthew and Catherine Branagan. He never married and moved to Washington DC before 1900. He worked as a guard in a jail. Matthew died on May 29, 1932 and was buried in Mt. Calvary Cemetery in Steubenville.
- **ANNA BRANAGAN (1869 – 1938)** Anna moved to Washington DC and lived with her brother Matthew. Anna like her brother never married and died March 16, 1938. She was also buried in Mt. Calvary Cemetery. ***Note: Why are there two sisters named Anna? It was not uncommon to name the next child of the same sex after a child who had passed away. The first Anna died in 1863 and the second Anna was the only other female child of Matthew and Catherine.***
- **JOHN BRANAGAN (1872 – 1957)** John was the youngest child of Matthew and Catherine Mooney Branagan. John was only five years old when his father died in 1878. John married **Bessie Nelson (1884 – 1965)** in 1922 but they had no children. John died in Steubenville on August 23, 1957 and Bessie died January 23, 1965. Both were buried at Mt. Calvary Cemetery.

Family and descendants of Francis Brannigan and Rose Anne Fitzpatrick

FRANCIS BRANNIGAN was born in Ireland on February 15, 1830. **ROSE ANNE FITZPATRICK** was also born in Ireland on June 2, 1832. Both more than likely came to America in the early 1850s and met in New York. They were married there and their first born child, Mary, was born in New York in 1854. Rose Anne did have a brother, Daniel, who lived with his family in Steubenville. Francis was killed on February 20, 1870. Rose died of consumption on July 30, 1887. Both are buried in Mt. Calvary Cemetery.

Francis worked as a laborer for the railroad and Rose Anne was a washerwoman.

The article was originally published in the **Zanesville Gazette** but appeared in the February 28, 1870 edition of the **Cincinnati Daily Enquirer** under **OHIO ITEMS**:

A WOMAN KILLS HER HUSBAND – On Sunday morning last a difficulty occurred between a man named Frank Brannigan and his wife, which terminated in Mrs. Brannigan inflicting a stab with a butcher knife in the left breast of her husband striking him between the first and second ribs, from which death ensued in a few minutes. It appears from all the information that we have been able to gather concerning this unfortunate affair, that whiskey and bad treatment has been its cause. Brannigan, according to the statement of his little daughter, a child ten years old, came home on Saturday evening under the influence of liquor, and commenced abusing his wife, saying that one or the other of them had to die. On Sunday morning he renewed his abuse, this time striking and kicking her, but for some cause or other he desisted for a few minutes, only to attack her again. In the meantime, however, Mrs. Brannigan had taken the butcher knife and cut some meat, which she had placed on the stove to cook, and was standing at the stove with the knife in her hand, attending to the cooking, when Brannigan made the second attack, she in her endeavor to protect herself gave him the fatal stab. The unfortunate man leaves a family of eight children – the oldest quite an interesting girl, about fifteen years of age, and the youngest an infant only four weeks old. The family are in very indigent circumstances. - **Zanesville Gazette**

The above story also appeared in the Steubenville papers: the February 25, 1870 edition of the **Steubenville Weekly Herald** and the February 25, 1870 edition of the **Steubenville Weekly**. However the Steubenville papers also included information about the Coroner's inquest which took place at the scene on Sunday morning, February 20, 1870.

The Coroner of Jefferson County was Samuel Stephens. The jury included: B. D. Worthington, John Mooney, John Hughes, Richard Ward, R. M. Stephens, and Daniel Stephens. Following the inquest, the jury rendered this verdict:

We, the undersigned jurors, impaneled and sworn on the 20th day of February, in the year 1870, in the township of Steubenville, in the county of Jefferson, in the State of Ohio, by Samuel Stephens, Coroner of Jefferson county, to inquire into the true presentment of the manner in which Francis Brannigan came to his death, whose body was found at his residence at Stoney Hollow, Jefferson county, Ohio, on the 20th day of February, 1870. After having heard the evidence and examined the body, we do find that the deceased came to his death by a wound in the left breast, inflicted by a butcher knife, said knife being at the time in the hands of his wife,

Rosa Brannagan. And we do, also, find that, in our opinion, the wound was inflicted in self-defense.

From the August 5, 1887 edition of the Steubenville Weekly Gazette:

Mrs. Rose Brannagan died at her home on Sherman Avenue this morning, aged fifty-five years. She leaves three sons and five daughters all grown.

Francis and Rose had nine children:

Mary J. Brannigan (1854 – 1926)
Frank Brannigan Jr. (1857 – 1905)
Margaret (1860 – 1929)
John “Chick” Brannigan (1862 – 1921)
Sarah A. Brannigan (1863 – 1902)
Martha Brannigan (1866 – before 1880)
Matthew Brannigan (1867 – 1925)
Helen “Ella” Brannigan (1868 – 1923)
Rose Brannigan (1870 – after 1940)

- **MARY J. BRANNIGAN** Mary was born on July 13, 1854 in New York. She married **August C. Klages (1834 – 1890)** on May 5, 1872 in Steubenville at the home of James Sarratt, a Steubenville silversmith. The Reverend Thomas M. Tuomey, a Catholic priest, performed the ceremony. Mary had worked in the Sarratt home. Later Mary and August moved to Pittsburgh. After August died, she and several of her children moved to Toledo where Mary died in 1926.

August Klages and Mary had four children:

- **Mary Christina Klages (1873 - ?)**
 - **Frederick William Klages (1875 - ?)** Frederick married **Emma Louise Maley (1881 – 1958)** on November 19, 1912 in Steubenville, Ohio.
 - **John Charles Klages (1883 – 1960)** John never married and died in Toledo, Ohio in 1960.
 - **Augusta “Gussie” Klages (1890 – 1915)** Gussie was born in Pittsburgh and later married **Robert H. Dunnigan (1885 – 1914)** on June 19, 1909 in Toledo, Ohio. Gussie died one year after her Robert died.
- **FRANK BRANNIGAN JR.** was born in April of 1857. He married **Ellen Haney** on January 25, 1881 in Steubenville. After Ellen’s death in August of 1893, Frank Jr. and his living children moved to Pittsburgh in September. Frank Jr. died in Pittsburgh in 1905. Here is a copy of Frank’s death notice as it appeared in the February 20, 1905 edition of the Pittsburgh Press:

After one week's illness with pneumonia, Frank Brannigan Sr., died Saturday at the home of his sister Mrs. Charles Cusick No. 1816 Forbes street. He was born in Steubenville, O. in 1858, and in 1882 was married to Miss Ellen Haney of that place, who died about 12 years ago. He was a member of the Epiphany Roman Catholic Church on Washington street. He will be buried at

Steubenville. He is survived by two brothers, J.J. and Matthew Brannigan; four sisters, Mrs. Mary Klages, Mrs. Margaret Cusick, Mrs. Richard Williams, and Miss Ella Brannigan, and four children, two boys, Frank and William Brannigan, and two girls, Mary and Margaret Brannigan.

Frank and Ellen Haney had seven children:

- **Agnes Brannigan (1881 – 1882)** Buried at Mt. Calvary Cemetery in Steubenville.
- **Frank Aloysius Joseph Brannigan (1883 - ?)** Following the move to Pittsburgh in 1893, Frank stayed with his other siblings at the St. Paul's Orphanage and was returned to his father on May 18, 1896. Lived with his father at the home of his father's sister Sarah, her husband Michael Sheehan and their daughter Mary Elizabeth when the 1900 US Census was taken. Frank was listed as living with his Aunt Margaret Cusick's family in when the 1901 US Census was taken. That is the last known record for Frank.
- **Ellen "Nellie" Brannigan (1884 – 1899)** Nellie was taken along with her siblings to St. Paul's Orphanage where she died on June 19, 1899. She was buried at Mt. Calvary Cemetery in Steubenville.
- **William Brannigan (1887 – 1919)** William went to St. Paul's Orphanage in 1893 with his other siblings. On July 23, 1899 he was transferred to St. Joseph's Protectory in Pittsburgh which was a trade school for orphan boys. In May of 1901 at the age of 14, William left St. Joseph's Protectory without permission and never returned. He went back to the Steubenville area. On January 1, 1910, William married Elizabeth Florence Ferguson (born 1892) in Steubenville. The marriage must not have lasted very long. According to the World War I Draft Record, William was single living in Youngstown, Ohio and working as a maker of horseshoes. He was 5' 6 ½ inches tall, stout, had brown eyes and dark red hair. William died of acute alcoholism on May 6, 1919 and was buried at Mt. Calvary Cemetery in Steubenville.
- **Mary E. Brannigan (1889 - ?)** Mary was taken to St. Paul's Orphanage along with Nellie, Frank and William in 1893. On July 3, 1900, Mary was taken out of the orphanage for a vacation and on October 1 of that same year, Mary and her sister Margaret were returned to the orphanage. On June 24, 1901, one of Mary's aunts took her and Margaret out of the orphanage but Mary was readmitted on April 13, 1902. On April 28, 1902, Mary was returned to her father. According to the 1910 US Census, Mary and her sister Margaret were living with her Aunt Ella Brannigan in Pittsburgh.
- **Margaret Brannigan (1891 - ?)** Margaret was only 2 ½ years old when her mother died and the family moved to Pittsburgh. Margaret did not go to St. Paul's Orphanage with her older siblings. Margaret was admitted there on November 16, 1898. Margaret along with Mary was taken out of the orphanage for a vacation on July 3, 1900 and returned on October 1, 1900. On June 24, 1901, one of her aunts took her and her sister Mary from the orphanage. Although Mary was readmitted to the orphanage on April 13, 1902, Margaret was not. According to the 1910 US Census, there are two records for Margaret Brannigan. There is one record indicating she was living with her Aunt Ella Brannigan in Pittsburgh and there is another record indicating she was a boarder

living in Manhattan. At that time, Margaret's Aunt Rose Brannigan was living in Manhattan with her second husband, Henry S. McAlvay. Margaret is listed on the 1915 New Jersey Census as living in Midland Park, New Jersey where her Aunt Rose Brannigan McAlvay also lived.

- **Isadore Brannigan (1893 – ?)** Isadore was born on July 30, 1893 in Steubenville and he was baptized at St. Peter's Church on August 20, 1893. His mother Ellen Haney Brannigan was buried in Mt. Calvary Cemetery on August 15, 1893. A death record has not been located for Isadore who may have been placed for adoption before Frank moved his family to Pittsburgh in September of 1893 or Isadore could have died and the record was never recorded.
- **MARGARET BRANNIGAN** was born in June of 1860 in Brooke, Virginia which is now West Virginia and Margaret married **Charles S. Cusick Sr. (1857 – 1922)** in 1884 in Steubenville and moved to Pittsburgh. Margaret died there on March 16, 1929.

Margaret and Charles Cusick had five children:

- **Charles S. Cusick Jr. (1886 – 1964)** Charles never married and died in Pittsburgh.
- **Leo Hyland Cusick (1888 – 1945)** Married Margaret (1892 - ?) and they had nine children:
 - **Leo Highland Cusick (1914 – 1991)**
 - **Charles Cusick (1916 - ?)**
 - **Helen Cusick (1918 – 1995)**
 - **Paul Cusick (1920 - ?)**
 - **Katherine Cusick (1922 – 1923)**
 - **Fred P. Cusick (1924 – 1989)**
 - **Marguerite Cusick (1927 – 2005)**
 - **Walter A. Cusick (1927 – 2007)**
 - **Rose Marie Cusick (1928 - ?)**
- **Rose Cusick (1889 – 1960)** Rose never married and died in Pittsburgh.
- **Edmond Francis Cusick (1891 – 1957)** Married **Rosella Walz (1895 – 1908)** and they had seven children:
 - **Eileen M. Cusick (1917 – 1992)**
 - **Rosella Cusick (1919 – 2005)**
 - **Albert J. Cusick (1920 – 2010)**
 - **Edna L. Cusick (1924 – 2007)**
 - **Margaret J. Cusick (1926 - ?)**
 - **Mary Madeline Cusick (1930 - ?)**
 - **Robert E. Cusick (1933 – 2006)**
- **Margaret H. Cusick (1893 - ?)**
- **JOHN J. BRANNIGAN** was born on April 19, 1862 in Cadiz, Ohio. John was baptized at St. Peter's Church on May 6, 1862 and his sponsors were John Toomey and Louisa Foot. His nickname was "Chick", he was a glassblower and the only one of Rose's children who lived

most of his life in Steubenville. He married **Laura Lewis (1868 – 1923)** on December 24, 1885 in Belmont, Ohio. John died August 31, 1921 in Steubenville. Both John and Laura were buried in Union Cemetery.

The following obituary appeared in the September 1, 1921 edition of the Steubenville Star-Herald:

John J. Brannagan John J. "Chick" Brannagan, a prominent and highly esteemed resident of Steubenville passed away at the home of his son, John M. Brannagan, 1439 Maryland avenue, on Wednesday evening, at 9:10 o'clock following an illness lasting, over a period of nearly 25 years. Although Mr. Brannagan had been in poor health for many years, he was active until a few days prior to his death. He had returned here only last Tuesday from a visit at the home of his sister, Mrs. Chas. Cusick in Pittsburg. Mr. Brannagan was born in Cadiz, O., and had celebrated his 59th birthday on last April 18. He was the son of the late Rosana and Mathew Brannagan. The family moved to this city when Mr. Brannagan was a small boy and made their home at 517 Franklin avenue. He was a glass worker by trade and was employed in several shops in this vicinity for many years. He was a favorite among his fellow workmen and was held in the highest esteem by all who know him. The following members of the family survive to mourn their loss: his wife, Laura M. Brannagan, three daughters, Mrs. Hazel Stuller, 412 Union avenue, Mrs. Sarah J. Kramer, Maxwell street, Miss Kathleen Brannagan at home; one son, John M Brannagan, 1439 Maryland avenue; four sisters, Mrs. Mary Klegas (sic), Toledo; Miss Ella Brannagan, New York City; Mrs. Rose McCleary, New York City and Mrs. Charles Cusick of Pittsburg, Pa. Six grandchildren also survive. The remains were removed to the home of his daughter, Mrs. Hazel Stuller 412 Union avenue from where the funeral will be held. (Martins Ferry, O, Pittsburg, Pa., and Toledo, O. papers please copy.). **The Steubenville Herald-Star, Thursday, September 1, 1921, Page 10**

2011 NOTES: The father's name was Francis Brannagan and the mother's name was Rosan Fitzpatrick Brannagan. His sister Mary's last name was spelled Klages. His sister Ella Brannagan also lived in Pittsburgh, PA and his sister, Rose's, married name was McAlvay not McCleary and she lived in Midland Park, New Jersey at the time of John's death in 1921. John and the other members of his family always spelled Brannigan as BRANNAGAN. The other members of the family spelled it BRANNIGAN and that is how it is spelled on the headstone of Francis and Rose in Mt. Calvary Cemetery.

Laura died tragically on January 9, 1923, from burns she received in a house fire. Here is the article that appeared on page one of the January 9, 1923 edition of the Steubenville Herald Star:

FELL INTO FIRE; DIES OF BURNS
MRS. LAURA BRANNAGAN, 54, FATALLY BURNED
At Her Home on Franklin Avenue — Was Ill and Alone in House at Time of Accident.

As the result of burns sustained from a coal fire in the sitting room of her home, 517 Franklin avenue yesterday afternoon shortly after 3 o'clock, Mrs. Laura M. Brannigan, aged 64, widow of the late J. J. Brannigan and a well known and highly esteemed resident of Steubenville, passed away at the Ohio Valley hospital this morning at 10:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Brannigan, who had just recently recovered from a nervous breakdown, was sitting in front of the grate in the sitting room. She was alone in the house and apparently fell asleep and falling from the chair, pitched head first, into the grate. Her head struck one of the metal guards rendering her unconscious and before she regained her senses the hot coals had burned her head and shoulders terribly, Mrs. Brannigan, although suffering, terrible pain, dragged herself to

the front door and summoned help. A physician was summoned who ordered the woman rushed to the Ohio Valley hospital where she succumbed after many hours of intense suffering.

Mrs. Brannigan was born in Martins Ferry in April, 1868, and was the daughter of the late James and Sarah Lewis of that city. Mrs. Brannigan came to this city about 25 years ago and had been a resident since that time. She was preceded to the grave by her husband, J. J. Brannigan about 15 months ago. For the past five years Mrs. Brannigan had been employed as a sales lady in the domestic department of the Hub store. She was a member of the Baptist church of Martins Ferry and she leaves numberless friends, and companions who join in their sympathy to members of the family in this their hour of bereavement.

Surviving to mourn the passing of this devoted mother of three daughters Sarah, wife of W. H. Kramer; Hazel, wife of Jesse Stuller, both of Steubenville; Kathleen at home and one son John M. Brannigan at home.

The remains were taken to Coe's Funeral Home where they will remain until tomorrow afternoon when they will be removed to the late home, 517 Franklin avenue.

John and Laura Lewis had five children:

- **Hazel Brannigan (1886 – 1952)** Hazel married **Jesse J. Stuller (1883 - ?)** on June 5, 1907. They had four children:
 - **Helen Virginia Stuller (1908 – 1994)**
 - **Howard Stuller (1911 – 2000)**
 - **Robert E. Stuller (1919 – 1990)**
 - **John M. Stuller (1925 – 1970)**
- **John M. Brannigan (1888 – 1937)** John married **Eva Mae Somerville (1892 – 1977)** on January 1, 1911. They had three children:
 - **Lula M. “Guffie” Brannigan (1913 – 1965)**
 - **Robert J. Brannigan (1916 – 1980)**
 - **Wanda Louise Brannigan (1916 – 1966)**
- **Sarah L. Brannigan (1890 – 1970)** Sarah married **William Howard Kramer (1890 – 1963)** in 1911.
- **Harry B. Brannigan (1895 – 1916)** Harry died in a railroad accident that happened in Carnegie, PA on September 21, 1916. Harry was buried in Union Cemetery in Steubenville.
- **Kathleen J. Brannigan (1900 – 1990)** Kathleen was first married to **Ray Stocks (1902 - ?)** on November 29, 1923. When she died in 1990, she was widowed to someone with the last name of Adams.
- **SARAH A. BRANNIGAN**, who was my (Patricia Smith) great-grandmother, was born in Steubenville in October of 1863. Sarah who was called Sallie was baptized at St. Peter's Church in Steubenville on November 27, 1863 and her sponsors were Owen McConnell and Sara Kearns. She left Steubenville most likely after her mother's death in 1887 and moved to Pittsburgh where she met and married **Michael William Sheehan (1868 – 1940)** on January 30, 1895. Sarah and Michael had three children:
 - **Mary Elizabeth Sheehan (1896 – 1962)** Mary Elizabeth was the only one of Sarah and Michael's children to have a family. She and her husband, **Howard J. Smith (1893 – 1970)** were married on June 14, 1914 and they had five children:
 - **Howard J. Smith Jr. (1915 – 1979)**

- **Mary Elizabeth Smith (1917 – 1961)**
 - **Eleanor Jane Smith (1918 -)**
 - **Hiram Malcolm Smith (1925 – 1998)**
 - **William Harold Smith (1927 – 2004)**
- **Joseph Timothy Sheehan (1901 – 1976)** Married **Marcella Scheuring (1905 – 1989)** on November 29, 1941. Joseph and Marcella had no children.
 - **Michael William Sheehan Jr. (1902 – 1934)** Michael was born on December 2, 1902 and his mother died 16 days later on December 18. Michael was baptized on Sunday, December 21 and the following day his mother's funeral was held in the same church, St. Peter's on the North Side of Pittsburgh. Michael's occupation was a steamfitter and he was a favorite of his nieces and nephews. Michael died tragically from a blow to the head. He was bringing a turkey or a goose to his girlfriend for Easter dinner. Since this was the height of the Great Depression, someone hit him over the head and took the bird from him. He was carried to his home and remained on the couch where he died the following day April 8, 1934. He was buried in Mt. Carmel Cemetery in Pittsburgh.

Sarah A. Brannigan Sheehan died on Thursday, December 18, 1902 leaving behind a husband and three small children including an infant only 16 days old. Her daughter, Mary Elizabeth, was only 6 ³/₄ years old and her son Joseph was only 20 months old. Both of her sons grew up having no memories of their mother. Sarah's funeral was held at St. Peter's Church on the North Side of Pittsburgh which is the same church she married her husband in 1895 and where her youngest child, Michael, was baptized just 24 hours before her funeral. Her remains traveled by train back to her hometown of Steubenville where she was buried in the same plot as her parents in Mt. Calvary Cemetery.

- **MARTHA BRANNIGAN** was born on February 9, 1866. She was baptized at St. Peter's Church in Steubenville on March 4, 1866 and her sponsors were John Hughes and Maria Hughes. Martha was listed in the 1870 U S Census along with the other members of her family and that is the last record known for Martha.
- **MATTHEW BRANNIGAN** was born on March 2, 1867 however there is no baptismal record for Matthew at St. Peter's Church in Steubenville. The first time Matthew appears with the Brannigan family is the 1880 US Census. His death certificate in 1925 lists Rose and Frank Brannigan as his parents. Matthew worked as a glassblower along with his brother John. Sometime in his early adulthood and possibly following the death of his mother, Matthew had some mental health issues. By 1892, Matthew had been committed to the Columbus State Hospital for the Criminally Insane. From the few accessible records, Matthew spent the rest of his life in state hospitals from Columbus to Massillon and finally the Lima State Hospital where he died on November 7, 1925 and was buried in the cemetery on the hospital grounds. He never married.
- **ELLA BRANNIGAN**, birth name Helen, was born on January 27, 1868. She was baptized at St. Peter's Church in Steubenville on February 23, 1868, and her sponsors were Arthur Branagan and Anna McAuliffe. She never married and was a dressmaker by trade. Ella spent most of her adult life in Pittsburgh. She died in Butler, New Jersey, in 1923. The following is an obituary that appeared in the March 7, 1923 edition of the Steubenville Herald Star:

Miss Ella Brannagan A message has been received by Miss Kathryn Brannagan, announcing the unexpected death of her aunt Miss Ella Brannagan, which occurred this past week at her home at Midland Park, N. J., after a three days' illness from pneumonia. Miss Brannagan was in the prime of life and usefulness and was a daughter of John and Roseanna Brannagan and was born in this city and was well and favorably known by a large circle of kinsfolk and friends, who will regret to learn of her death. She was a member of St. Peter's church and active in her church duties, until her removal to New Jersey, several years ago where she established a tailoring business and later went to Midland Park, N. J., to reside. She was a sister of the late John J. Brannagan of this city, and leaves the following sisters to mourn her loss; Mrs. Maggie Cusick, Pittsburg; Mrs. Mary Klages, Toledo; Mrs. Rose McCleary of New York. The funeral services were held at Midland, N. J., with interment in the cemetery at that place. *The Herald – Star, Steubenville, OH, Wednesday, March 7, 1923*

2011 NOTES: Matthew Brannigan, brother, was still living in Lima, OH. Her sister Rose's married name was McAlvay not McCleary and she lived in Midland Park, N.J. Ella's small estate was probated in Allegheny County, Pennsylvania.

- **ROSE BRANNIGAN** was born on January 22, 1870. She was baptized at St. Peter's on the Sunday, February 28, 1870, a week after her father was killed. Her sponsors were Daniel Moore and Maria Shanaghan. Rose was married twice but never had any children. Her first husband was **Richard Williams (1866 - ?)** whom she married in Pittsburgh on November 27, 1897. Her second husband was **Henry Stevenson McAlvay (1874 – 1939)** and they were married in Manhattan, New York on December 23, 1908 and later lived in Midland Park, New Jersey. Henry was the son of a Michigan State Supreme Court Justice, Aaron Vance McAlvay. Henry died in New Jersey on November 8, 1939 and was survived by Rose.

THE BRANNIGAN NAME

There are various spellings of the surname: Brannigan, Branagan, Brannagan, Branigan, Brangan, Brangen, Branghan, Branikan, O'Branagan, and many more. The Steubenville families generally spelled the last name three different ways: Brannagan, Branagan, and Brannigan. The Francis and Rose Fitzpatrick Brannigan family spelled the name as Brannagan but it seems the family changed the spelling after Francis' death in 1870. Their daughter Sarah spelled the name as Brannigan and this same spelling appears on the headstone of Francis and Rose at Mt. Calvary Cemetery. Francis and Rose's son John kept the spelling as Brannagan.

According to history, the name first appeared the Irish counties of Armagh and Monaghan and were part of the Cenel Eoghain (Clan Owen) one of the most important septs (clanns) who are descended from Eoghan (Owen) son of Niall of the Nine Hostages, perhaps the greatest of all Irish General Kings.

As of this writing, it is not known how the five Brannagan/Branagan/Brannigan families of Steubenville may be related to one another. Matthew and Arthur Brannagan may have been related since Arthur lived with Matthew and Jean Hagan Brannagan when the 1870 US Census was taken. Some have served as baptismal sponsors for the children of other Brannagans. See the list from St. Peter's Church at the end of this report.

BURIALS AT MT. CALVARY CEMETERY, STEUBENVILLE, OHIO

This is a list of some of the Branagan/Brannagan/Brannigan family members buried in this cemetery. Maiden names are in italics.

Name of Deceased	Plot Owner	Date of Death	Section	Lot	Grave	Church	Parents or Spouse
Brannagan, Daniel	Matthew Brannagan, Sr	8 Nov 1891	All Saints	101	6	St. Peters	Matthew and Jean Hagan Brannagan
Branagan, James	Matthew Brannagan, Sr	10 Mar 1892	All Saints	101	7	St. Peters	Matthew and Jean Hagan Brannagan
Brannagan Sr., Matthew	Matthew Brannagan, Sr	30 Oct 1892	All Saints	101	8	St. Peters	Husband of Jean Hagan
Brannagan, Jean Hagan	Matthew Brannagan, Sr	18 Jan 1897	All Saints	101	9	St. Peters	Wife of Matthew Brannagan Sr.
Branagan, Matthew		29 Oct 1868	Holy Name	60	4	St. Peters	Rose Mooney wife (later married John Kelly)
Branagan, Robert E.		24 Mar 1965	All Souls	113	3	Holy Rosary	James J. and Anna Riley Branagan
Branagan, Annabelle McAndrews		24 Feb 2001	All Souls	113	3	Holy Rosary	Wife of Robert E. Branagan
Branagan, Lawrence H.		16 Jul 1967	Assumption	210	1	Holy Family	James J. and Anna Riley Branagan
Branagan, Dorothy I. Caniff		21 Aug 1988	Assumption	210	2	St. Peters	Wife of Lawrence H. Branagan
Branagan, William L.		2 Feb 2006	Assumption	210	3	St. Peters	Lawrence H. and Dorothy I. Caniff Branagan
Branagan, Robert E.		6 Apr 1981	Holy Name	56	11	St. Peters	Frank A. and Margaret Sullivan Branagan
Branagan, Frank A.		16 Mar 1969	Holy Name	56	11	St. Peters	James J. and Anna Riley Branagan
Branagan, Margaret Sullivan		5 Jan 1993	Holy Name	56	11	St. Peters	Wife of Frank A. Branagan
Branagan, John "Jack" R.		11 Aug 1975	Holy Name	56	11	St. Peters	Frank A. and Margaret Sullivan Branagan
Branagan, James J.		22 Jul 1904	Holy Name	94	4	St. Peters	Matthew and Catherine Mooney Branagan

Name of Deceased	Plot Owner	Date of Death	Section	Lot	Grave	Church	Parents or Spouse
Branagan, Anna Riley		19 Aug 1941	Holy Name	94	5	St. Peters	Wife of James J. Branagan
Branagan, Anna		16 Mar 1938	Holy Name	94	8	St. Peters	Matthew and Catherine Mooney Branagan
Branagan, Matthew S.		29 May 1932	Holy Name	94	9	St. Peters	Matthew and Catherine Mooney Branagan
Branagan, Anna (infant)		19 Jul 1863	Holy Name	94	10	St. Peters	Matthew and Catherine Mooney Branagan
Branagan, Matthew (the Grocer)		9 Jun 1878	Holy Name	94	11	St. Peters	Husband of Catherine Mooney
Branagan, Catherine Mooney		12 Jan 1887	Holy Name	94	12	St. Peters	Wife of Matthew Branagan
Branagan, John		23 Aug 1957	Holy Name	94	13	St. Peters	Matthew and Catherine Mooney Branagan
Branagan, Bessie Nelson		23 Jan 1965	Holy Name	94	14	St. Peters	Wife of John Branagan
Branagan, Josephine Getsinger		14 Oct 2007	Resurrection Mausoleum			St. Peters	Wife of James J. Branagan
Branagan, James J.		18 Jun 1989	Resurrection Mausoleum			St. Peters	James J. and Anna Riley Branagan
Brannagan, Arthur		11 Jul 1885	Potter's Field	1	3	St. Peters	Husband of Margaret Jane Smith Maxwell Brannagan
Branagan, Patrick		17 Feb 1911	Sacred Heart "A"	26	21	St. Peters	?
Branagan, Patrick		21 Jun 1894	St. Joseph	6	7	St. Peters	?
Brannigan, Frank	Rose Fitzpatrick Brannigan	18 Feb 1905	St. Patrick	44	3	Died in Pittsburgh	Francis and Rose Fitzpatrick Brannigan
Brannigan, Ellen Haney	Rose Fitzpatrick Brannigan	15 Aug 1893	St. Patrick	44	4	St. Peters	Wife of Frank Brannigan
Brannigan, Ellen "Nellie"	Rose Fitzpatrick Brannigan	18 Jun 1899	St. Patrick	44	5	Died in Pittsburgh	Frank and Ellen Haney Brannigan
Brannigan, Agnes (infant)	Rose Fitzpatrick Brannigan	Aug 1881	St. Patrick	44	6	St. Peters	Frank and Ellen Haney Brannigan
Brannigan, Francis	Rose Fitzpatrick Brannigan	20 Feb 1870	St. Patrick	44	9	St. Peters	Husband of Rose Fitzpatrick

Name of Deceased	Plot Owner	Date of Death	Section	Lot	Grave	Church	Parents or Spouse
Brannigan, Rose Fitzpatrick	Rose Fitzpatrick Brannigan	30 Jul 1887	St. Patrick	44	10	St. Peters	Wife of Francis Brannigan
Sheehan, Sarah Brannigan	Rose Fitzpatrick Brannigan	18 Dec 1902	St. Patrick	44	11	Died in Pittsburgh	Francis and Rose Fitzpatrick Brannigan
FAMILY COLOR LEGEND							
Family of Matthew and Jean Hagan Brannigan							
Family of Matthew and Rose Mooney Brannigan							
Family of Matthew and Catherine Mooney Brannigan							
Family of Arthur and Margaret Jane Smith Maxwell Brannigan							
Family of Francis and Rose Fitzpatrick Brannigan							

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BURIALS AT UNION CEMETERY, STEUBENVILLE, OHIO

This is a list of some of the Branagan/Brannagan/Brannigan family members buried in this cemetery. Maiden names are in italics.

Name of Deceased	Plot Owner	Date of Death	Section	Lot	Grave	Church	Parents or Spouse
Brannagan, Margaret "Jane" <i>Smith</i> Maxwell			IND. A	A-3			Wife of Arthur Brannagan
Maxwell, Frank			IND				Son of Margaret Jane <i>Smith</i> and John D. Maxwell – step son of Arthur Brannagan
Maxwell, Samuel J.			IND	A-2			Son of Margaret Jane <i>Smith</i> and John D. Maxwell – step son of Arthur Brannagan
Wells, Katherine <i>Brannagan</i>			Q	17			Daughter of Arthur and Margaret Jane <i>Smith</i> Maxwell Brannagan
Travis, Nellie E. <i>Maxwell</i>			27	46			Daughter of Margaret Jane <i>Smith</i> and John D. Maxwell – step daughter of Arthur Brannagan
Branagan, Frank J.		25 May 1977	30-A	45			Frank A. and Margaret <i>Sullivan</i> Branagan
Haines, Catherine "Kizzie" Branagan		25 Jan 1958	St. P	57			James J. and Anna <i>Riley</i> Branagan
Brannagan (Brannigan), John J.		31 Aug 1921	27	152			Francis and Rose <i>Fitzpatrick</i> Brannigan
Brannagan (Brannigan), Laura M. Lewis		9 Jan 1923	27	152			Wife of John J. Brannagan

Name of Deceased	Plot Owner	Date of Death	Section	Lot	Grave	Church	Parents or Spouse
Brannagan (Brannigan), John M.		2 Apr 1937	30	148			John J. and Laura M. Lewis Brannagan
Brannagan, Eva Mae Somerville		13 Nov 1977	30	148			Wife of John M. Brannagan
Brannagan (Brannigan), Harry B.		21 Sep 1916	27	152			John J. and Laura M. Lewis Brannagan
Stuller, Hazel Brannagan		23 Jul 1952	34	29			John J. and Laura M. Lewis Brannagan
Stuller, Jesse Julius		Apr 1950	UP	54			Husband of Hazel Brannagan
FAMILY COLOR LEGEND							
Family of Matthew and Catherine Mooney Branagan							
Family of Arthur and Margaret Jane Smith Maxwell Brannagan							
Family of Francis and Rose Fitzpatrick Brannagan							

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BAPTISMS - ST. PETER'S CATHOLIC CHURCH, STEUBENVILLE, OHIO

Date of Birth	Date of Baptism	Child's Name	Father	Mother	Sponsors
Apr 1857	3 May 1857	Frank Brannigan (died 1905)	Francis Brannigan	Rose Anne Fitzpatrick	Matthew Brannigan and Catherine Moore
5 Apr 1858	18 Apr 1858	Francis "Frank" Aloysius Branagan	Matthew Branagan	Catherine Mooney	Matthew Brannigan and Margaret Corcoran
Dec 1861	6 Dec 1861	Anna Branagan (died 1863)	Matthew Branagan	Catherine Mooney	Matthew Brannigan and Rose Mooney
Dec 1861	6 Dec 1861	James J. Branagan (died 1904)	Matthew Branagan	Catherine Mooney	David McGurley Honora Daugherty
19 Apr 1862	6 May 1862	John T. Brannigan (died 1921)	Francis Brannigan	Rose Anne Fitzpatrick	John Toomey and Louisa Foot
Oct 1863	27 Nov 1863	Sarah A. Brannigan (died 1902)	Francis Brannigan	Rose Anne Fitzpatrick	Owen McConville and Sara Kearn
Dec 1863	10 Dec 1863	Daniel Branagan	Matthew Branagan	Catherine Mooney	David McConville and Bridget Doherty
9 Feb 1866	4 Mar 1866	Martha Brannigan	Francis Brannigan	Rose Anne Fitzpatrick	John Hughes and Maria Hughes
16 Jan 1867	17 Jan 1867	Matthew S Branagan (died 1932)	Matthew Branagan	Catherine Mooney	James Brady and Mary Hurley
27 Jan 1868	23 Feb 1868	Helena "Ella" Brannigan (died 1923)	Francis Brannigan	Rose Anne Fitzpatrick	Arthur Branagan and Anna McAuliffe
28 Jul 1869	1 Aug 1869	Anna Branagan	Matthew Branagan	Catherine Mooney	James Hughes and Sara Smith
22 Jan 1870	28 Feb 1870	Rose Brannigan	Francis Brannigan	Rose Anne Fitzpatrick	Daniel Moore And Maria Shanaghan
22 Jan 1871	28 Jan 1871	Arthur Branagan	Matthew Branagan	Jane Hagan	Thomas Smith and Sara Smith
20 Aug 1872	23 Aug 1872	John Branagan	Matthew Branagan	Catherine Mooney	Henry Grauteri Mary Moran
4 May 1873	25 May 1873	Mary Christina Klages	August C. Klages	Mary J. Brannigan	Patrick McDonough Maggie Brannigan
22 Jan 1874	31 Jan 1874	Matthew Branagan	Matthew Branagan	Jane Hagan	Thomas Kinney Kate Hayden
28 Nov 1875	14 Jan 1876	William Frederick Klages	August C. Klages	Mary J. Brannigan	John G. Clark Margaret Clark
16 Feb 1874	8 Mar 1874	Mary Calista Kelly	John Kelly	Rose Ann Mooney (Branagan)	Edward Moran Catherine Moran
20 Jun 1875	18 Jul 1875	Thomas Frank or Frank Thomas Kelly	John Kelly	Rose Ann Mooney (Branagan)	Francis Branagan Agnes Hannon

Date of Birth	Date of Baptism	Child's Name	Father	Mother	Sponsors
2 Nov 1882	26 Nov 1882	Catherine "Kizzie" Branagan	James J. Branagan	Anna R. Riley	John Kerns Catherine Reilley
31 Jan 1883	11 Feb 1883	Frank Brannigan	Frank Brannigan	Ellen Haney	Jacob Callanan Margaret Brannigan
13 May 1883	10 Jun 1883	John Charles Klages	August C. Klages	Mary J. Brannagan	John Branagan Helena (Ella) Branagan
25 Nov 1884	18 Jan 1885	Anna R. Branagan	James J. Branagan	Anna R. Riley	John Branagan Mary Branagan
26 Dec 1884	11 Jan 1885	Helena (Nellie) Branagan	Frank Branagan	Ellen Haney	Matthew Branagan Margaret Branagan
3 Feb 1887	20 Feb 1887	William Brannigan	Frank Brannigan	Ellen Haney	Thomas Daly Alisha Daly
12 Feb 1889	31 Mar 1889	Frank A. Branagan	James J. Branagan	Anna R. Riley	?
19 Nov 1890	1 Feb 1891	Mary Agnes Brannagan	Daniel J. Brannagan	Sophia Lanser	Matthew Branagan Alice Hughes
30 Jan 1891	22 Feb 1891	Margaret Brannigan	Frank Brannigan	Ellen Haney	George Mallery
1892	21 Feb 1892	Helen Branagan	James J. Branagan	Anna R. Riley	?
22 Apr 1892	8 May 1892	Elizabeth W. Brannagan	Daniel J. Brannagan	Sophia Lanser	Jane Branigan
30 Jul 1893	20 Aug 1893	Isadore Brannigan	Frank Brannigan	Ellen Haney	Thomas Shanley Mary Shanley
10 Oct 1894	25 Nov 1894	James John Branagan	James J. Branagan	Anna R. Riley	John Branagan Helen Watts
13 Feb 1897	2 May 1897	John Means Branagan	James J. Branagan	Anna R. Riley	Joseph Lanole(?) Julia Lanole(?)
21 Feb 1900	1 Apr 1900	Robert Edward Branagan	James J. Branagan	Anna R. Riley	Frank McGuinness Elizabeth McGrath
4 May 1902	2 Apr 1902	Lawrence Howard Branagan	James J. Branagan	Anna R. Riley	James L. Mc(?) Helen Collins

FAMILY COLOR LEGEND				
Family and Descendants of Matthew and Jean Hagan Brannagan				
Family of Matthew and Rose Mooney Branagan (later married John Kelly)				
Family and Descendants of Matthew and Catherine Mooney Branagan				
Family of Arthur and Margaret Jane Smith Maxwell Brannagan				
Family and Descendants of Francis and Rose Fitzpatrick Brannigan				

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