

William & Margaret McCarthy Brick

William Brick was born about 1824 in Ireland.¹ He immigrated to America and married Margaret McCarthy about 1858, probably in California. They had three children.² On the 1860 census, William was a laborer, living with his wife and daughter in Marysville, Yuba, California.³ He was made a naturalized citizen that year in Marysville.⁴ The family lived in Boise, Ada, Idaho, where two of the children were born.⁵

By 1870, William was living with his wife and three children in Hamilton, White Pine, Nevada.⁶ In 1875, William, a miner, his wife, and two daughters, were living in Lincoln, Nevada.⁷ On the 1880 census, William was a miner, living with his wife, two daughters and a son-in-law, in Silver Reef, Washington, Utah Territory.⁸ It is unknown when and where William died; Margaret died in 1910.⁹

Margaret McCarthy was born about 1831 in County Cork, Ireland. She was the daughter of John McCarthy. She immigrated to America and married William Brick about 1858, probably in California. They had three children.¹⁰ The family lived in Boise, Ada, Idaho, where two of the children were born.¹¹ By 1870, Margaret and William were living with their three children in Hamilton, White Pine, Nevada.¹²

In 1875, William, a miner, Margaret, and two daughters, were living in Lincoln, Nevada.¹³ On the 1880 census, William was a miner, living with Margaret, two daughters and a son-in-law, in Silver Reef, Washington, Utah Territory.¹⁴ It is unknown when and where William died; Margaret died in 1910.¹⁵

Daniel L Brick

Daniel L Brick was born about 1816 in Ireland. He immigrated to America and was married and working as a shoemaker in Silver Reef, Washington, Utah Territory, in 1880.¹⁶ He had an unclaimed letter in the Silver Reef Post Office in 1881.¹⁷ He was well known to the people in Silver Reef, so it was strange when he died suddenly on 13 October 1883. He had been seen walking in the streets on the afternoon of the 12th. Nothing seemed the matter with him and he went to his cabin to eat his evening meal. "He was found there sitting with his head at rest on the table, dead, shortly after 5

¹ United States Census, 1860.

² *Familysearch.org*

³ United States Census, 1860.

⁴ California, State Court Naturalization Records, 1850-1986.

⁵ *Familysearch.org*

⁶ United States Census, 1870.

⁷ Nevada State Census, 1875.

⁸ United States Census, 1880.

⁹ *Familysearch.org*

¹⁰ *Familysearch.org*

¹¹ *Familysearch.org*

¹² United States Census, 1870.

¹³ Nevada State Census, 1875.

¹⁴ United States Census, 1880.

¹⁵ *Familysearch.org*

¹⁶ United States Census, 1880.

¹⁷ *Silver Reef Miner*, 27 August 1881, p. 3.

o'clock the next morning. He was 70 years old and was much addicted to drink."¹⁸ He was still listed as a shoemaker in the 1884 business directory in Silver Reef.¹⁹

Patrick & Ellen L Brick Clark

Patrick Clark was born about 1845 in Pennsylvania.²⁰ He was a mining prospector in the Cedar Creek Mines in Missoula, Montana, in 1870.²¹ He married Ellen L Brick in 1880 in Silver Reef, Washington, Utah Territory.²² They had two children, possibly born in Silver Reef. On the 1880 census, he was miner, living in the home of his father-in-law, in Silver Reef.²³ He died before 1900.

Ellen L Brick was born in August 1850 in California.²⁴ She was the oldest of three children of William Brick and Margaret McCarthy. The family was living in Marysville, Yuba, California, in 1860.²⁵ On the 1870 census, Ellen was living with her family in Hamilton, White Pine, Nevada.²⁶ In 1875, the family was living in Lincoln, Nevada.²⁷ Ellen married Patrick Clark in 1880 in Silver Reef, Washington, Utah Territory.²⁸ They had two children, possibly born in Silver Reef. On the 1880 census, she was living in Silver Reef in the home of her parents with her husband, a miner.²⁹

Patrick died before 1900, when Ellen was widowed and living in Butte City, Silver Bow, Montana with two children.³⁰ On the 1910 and 1920 censuses, she was living with her son in Butte.³¹ She died 1 January 1921 in Butte and was buried in the Old Catholic Cemetery.³²

¹⁸ *Salt Lake Herald*, 19 October 1883, p. 8.

¹⁹ Utah Gazetteer and Directory of Logan, Ogden, Provo and Salt Lake Cities, for 1884, Robert W Sloan, p. 312.

²⁰ United States Census, 1870, 1880.

²¹ United States Census, 1870.

²² *Familysearch.org*

²³ United States Census, 1880.

²⁴ United States Census, 1900.

²⁵ United States Census, 1860.

²⁶ United States Census, 1870.

²⁷ Nevada State Census, 1875.

²⁸ *Familysearch.org*

²⁹ United States Census, 1880.

³⁰ United States Census, 1900.

³¹ United States Census, 1920, 1920.

³² Montana, County Births and Deaths, 1840-2004.