

**Mowbrays of County Londonderry and County Tyrone.**

**Compiled by Ian Bartlett, November 2001.**

Cumber Parish, Church (Church of Ireland)

- Baptism. April 13 1808. Mary, daughter of James & Anne Moubray
- Baptism. October 13 1813. Thomas son of Oliver Mooberry & his wife, Margaret Cunningham.
- Marriage. July (?) 5 1815. Thomas Moberry, Upper Cumber to Margaret Moberry.
- Baptism September 10 1815 Mary Jane Mowbray, daughter of Oliver Mowbray & his wife Margaret Cunningham.
- Baptism April 22 1816 John, son of Samuel Blair & Isabella Mulberry, Kilcull, Upper Cumber.
- Baptism April 8 1817 Jean Anne, daughter of John Dunn & Jean Anne Moobray of Ardground.
- Baptism October 25 1818 James Dunn, son of John Dunn & Jean Anne Moobray of Ardground.
- Baptism November 9 1823 Sarah, daughter of Oliver Mooberry & Mary Cunningham, Kildoagh
- Baptism August 12 1824 James, son of Richard Cunningham & Jane Mowberry, his wife, both of Kildoagh..
- Baptism November 24 1825 Fanny, daughter of Oliver Mowbray & Margaret Cunningham of Kildoagh.
- Baptism. 1827 Jane, daughter of John Mooberry & Mary ?(could be Hanson or Hamilton) his wife.
- Marriage March 19 1828 James Mulberry to Mary Cunningham
- Marriage March 2 1838 Oliver Mowberry to Mary Jane Dunn.

Baptism          January 10 1840          Thomas Mooberry, son of Oliver Mooberry & Mary Jane Dunne.

Entries in the Irish Flax growers List 1796, Townland of Curryfree, Parish of Clondermot.

James Mulberry  
John Mulberry.

Entries in the Griffith Valuation for County Londonderry. 1858

Toneduff Townland, Cumber Lower Parish          Thomas Mobury  
Lettershendoney Townland, Cumber Lower Parish   John Mulberry  
Killymallaght Townland, Clondermot Parish Ellen Mulberry  
Curryfree Townland, Clondermot Parish          James Mulberry &  
Robert Mulberry.  
City Of Londonderry. Templemore Parish   Robert Mulberry in  
Long Tower.

Griffiths for County Tyrone.

Stoneyfalls, Village of Dunamanagh, Donagheady Parish. Thomas Mowbray

1831 Census for Londonderry

Townland of Curryfree. Parish of Clondermot. 2 Entries

James Mulberry. 8 males and 5 females recorded. 12 of whom were Presbyterians

John Mulberry . 5 males & 2 females recorded, all described as "Other Protestant Dissenters."

Tirkeran. Co. Londonderry.

Catherine Mooberry

Oliver Mooberry

Parish of Upper Cumber

James & Joseph Mulberry  
John Mulberry.

1901 Census for Londonderry

Townland of Caw ( Waterside area of the City of Londonderry) Parish  
of Clondermot.

William Mowbray, age 53. Head of Family. Presbyterian, Farm servant.  
Elizabeth Mowbray, age 50, Wife. Housewife.  
Joseph Mowbray, age 25, Son. Gardener.  
David Mowbray, age 20, Son. Shirt cutter.  
William Mowbray, age 17, Son. Shoemaker.

Townland of Desertowen. Parish of Clondermot.

Annie Mulberry, Irish Church, age 40 Seamstress, not married.  
Jacob Mulberry, Irish Church, age 27, General Labourer, not married.  
They were living with their Aunt, Matilda Lynch.

Townland of Cloughore... Parish of Clondermot.

Issac Mulberry, Presbyterian, age 54, Farm Labourer.  
Margaret Mulberry, wife, age 44.

Diungiven Road Londonderry. Parish of Clondermot.

Robert Mowbray, Presbyterian, age 27, not married. General Labourer.

Townland of Tennaght, Parish of Learmount.

John Mulberry. head of Family, Church of Ireland, age 72 Farmer.  
Rachel Mulberry, Wife. age 36. seamstress.  
Martha Jane Mulberry, daughter, age 18, seamstress.  
Rebecca Mulberry, daughter, age 16, seamstress.  
John Alexander Mulberry, son, age 14, scholar.  
Rachel Mulberry, daughter, age 11, scholar.  
Mary Mulberry, daughter, age 9, scholar.  
Isabella Mulberry, daughter, age 6, scholar.

Cecillia Mulberry, daughter, age 5, scholar.  
Samuel Mulberry, son, age 3.  
Annie Mulberry, daughter, age 8 months.

There is an old graveyard in the Glendermott valley with graves dating back to 1671.

There were no records kept of the burials until 1948. Most of the headstones are in poor condition.

There is one with a disintegrating headstone with the word " Mowbray" on it.

There is another close by with the inscription " Here lies the body of Robert M, who departed life March the ? 1783, aged 77. The portion of the stone after the letter M has flaked off. I wonder could this be the grave of one of the Robert Mowbrays referred to in the Journals? We shall never know.

Canadian b. in Ireland.

Ian. Nov. 2001.

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Mowberry Anne	53.	C of E.
Mowberry Thomas	50.	C of E Head
Mowberry Oliver	30.	C of E Head
Mowberry John	27.	C of E
Mowberry Mary	23.	C of E
Mowberry Lily A	23.	C of E
Mowberry Samuel	20.	C of E
Mowberry Mary J	19.	C of E
Mowberry George	17.	C of E
Mowberry Thomas Jnr.	13	C of E
Mowberry James	11	C of E.

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Ian. 29 Nov. 2001.

SUBJECT: Mowberrys in Fitzroy Township, Ontario, Canada, in 1851.

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Mowberry Samuel 20. C of E  
Mowberry Mary J 19. C of E  
Mowberry George 17. C of E  
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Ian. 09 Jan. 2002.

Here are the results of the search of the Parish Registers for The Cathedral Church of St. Columb, Parish of Templemore,(Church of Ireland) Londonderry and Cumber Lower Presbyterian Church, Co. Londonderry.

St. Columb's Cathedral  
Marriages:

11th. Sep 1811 Margaret Moberry to Oliver Cunningham  
31st. Jan 1817 Charity Mowbray to Daniel Horsham  
22nd. Apr 1816 Jane Mowbray to John Dunn.  
3rd Sep 1874 Margaret Mobery of Butcher St. Londonderry, to  
John Moore, Aughafad, Co. Tyrone.  
17th. Jul 1902 Sarah Mowbray, 84 Duke St. Londonderry, to  
John Baker, Creevagh, Co. Londonderry.  
5th. Jul.1915 Elizabeth Jane Mowbray, 22 Albert St. Londonderry,

to James Sellars, Ebrington Barracks, Londonderry.

Cumber Lower Presbyterian Church.

Marriages:

30th. Oct 1855 Thomas Campbell to Margaret Mooberry, both full age,  
He was a labourer from Ardground and she was from  
Toneduff. her father was Thomas Mooberry, farmer.

11th. Apr 1859 Robert Mowbray to Nancy McComb, both full age. he was  
a butler from Toneduff and she was from Killaloe.  
His father was Thomas Mowbray, farmer.

BAPTISMS

20th May 1828 Sarah, daughter of John Mulberry, Kildogue.

31st Jan 1830 Margaret, daughter of Thomas Mooberry, Tondoo.

5th Nov. 1833. Jane, daughter of Thomas Mooberry, Tondoo.

18th Sep. 1840, Thomas, son of Thomas Mooberry, Tondoo.

The following children of Jane Mowbray & William Millar were baptised:

12th Aug 1854. James

23rd Feb 1857. William

23rd Feb 1858. John

17th Mar 1865. Joseph

28th Aug. 1868. Margaret Jane.

These children of William Mowbray & Isabella Mcbeth

17th Feb 1859. Mary Elizabeth

29th May 1862, James

20th Jul 1865. Margaret.

These children of Robert Mowbray & Nancy McComb.

29th Apr 1860 Maria Kennedy

6 Nov. 1864 Martha.

Most of these Lower Cumber records have already appeared in the  
Mowbray Journals. There are no Mowbrays recorded in the Presbyterian  
records for the Parish of Upper Cumber.

Best regards

Ian Bartlett

Ian. 08 Jan. 2002.

Tom, I received the transcriptions of the Cumber records from the presbyterian minister this morning. There are three entries which may be of interest to you but I don't think that they are an exact fit with what you already know.

Baptisms.

31 Jan 1830, Margaret, daughter of Thomas Mooberry, Tondoo.

5 Nov. 1833 Jane, .....

18 Sept 1840, Thomas son of

From Ian. 22 Dec. 2001.

Tom, here are the heads of household from the 1831 census.  
Catherine Mooberry Firkeran, Lower Cumber. ( should be Tirkeran, I think)  
Oliver Mooberry, As above  
Jaems (James) Mulberry, Glendermet Parish.  
James Mulberry, Upper Cumber.  
James Mulberry, Glendermet.  
James/Joseph Mulberry, Upper Cumber.  
John Mulberry, Upper Cumber.  
John Mulberry, Glendermet.

From Ian. 21 Dec. 2001.

Thomas, I accidently discovered some photocopies of the Donagheady (COI) records in our local library. They were not good copies but I managed to find the following in the burial records.

Mary Anne Mowbray, Dunamanagh, buried 12 Feb 1865 aged 75.  
Thomas Mowbray, Strabane Union, Buried 23 Feb 1870.aged 75  
Leslie Mowbray, Aghafad, buried 19th March 1877 aged 18.  
Rachel Mowbry, Aghfad, buried 12 March 1889 age 45, possibly the mother of Leslie above.

The other entries which I found are already listed in the MJ.

Me to Ian. 22 Dec. 2001.

- > John Mulberry (1843-1910?) was from Londonderry. His mother Mary was from
- > the Montgomery Clan - rumoured to be related to descendants of the famous
- > General Bernard Montgomery "Monty" of WWII. At age 16 John fought in the  
US
- > Civil War where he lost his arm. He returned to Ireland, and with his
- > pension bought a farm 18 miles east of Londonderry near Tenaugh. He  
married
- > Rachel Shaw from Plum Bridge, 18 miles south of Londonderry. They had  
nine
- > children; Martha Jane, Rebecca, John, Rachel, Annie, Sam, Bella, Sissie  
and
- > Minnie. Rebecca, John, Sam and Bella eventually emigrated to Canada.
- > Minnie moved to England.

FROM: Ian Bartlett. 21 Dec. 2001.

I assume also that you know that a Thomas and John Mowbray were listed as Freeholders in Kildoagh in 1796 but not in 1791 and that a William Mowbray is listed as a stipend payer in Lower Cumber Presbyterian Church in 1867. Also Thomas Moberry, (Toneduff) John Mobry and William Moberry ( Ardground Upper) are listed as protestant householders in Cumber In 1740.