



## Initial Consultation Report from Tara A. Fantauzzi Patregnani Professional Genealogist



### Summary of Research Recommendations:

*The purpose of this report is to summarize the data and goals for your project. Please review the information in this report carefully and report if any additional information is known at project start or if any of the information should be changed or corrected.*

#### **(1) Irish Birth Registration for Edward McLoughlin**

We discussed obtaining a copy of this record because it may be related to our subject known in the U.S. as Edward McLaughlin. I recommend applying up to fifteen minutes of correspondence time requesting a copy of an original 1872 Irish birth registration for Edward McLoughlin Ballyfarnon, Sligo, Ireland, who may be our subject known in the U.S. as Edward McLaughlin.

#### **(2) Narratives**

We discussed that you are interested in having me create two narratives with one beginning with your husband John Barker's identity with a focus on his direct ancestors and the other beginning with your identity and your direct ancestors. To date there are 174 direct ancestors whose identities were established from sources I found during past research surveys. It is difficult to predict in advance the exact amount of time it will take to create them, so to determine an approximate amount of time to complete a narrative I typically apply up to fifteen minutes of correspondence time per source.

There are 379 sources that have been found to date, so if you apply ten to fifteen correspondence minutes per source that ranges from between 60 and 95 hours of time applied to the project. In addition, narrative work includes an unlimited amount of edits, and like we discussed I would also be happy to prepare D.A.R. applications for ancestors that make you eligible for membership.

I recommend applying up to ninety five hours of correspondence time to create two narratives with one beginning with your husband John Barker's identity with a focus on his direct ancestors and the other beginning with your identity and your direct ancestors.

#### **(3) Narrative - Document Appendix**

We discussed that you are interested in having me create two document appendixes with one containing the documents related to your husband's ancestry and the other related to the documents related to your ancestry. It will take less time per source to create the document appendixes, and to come up with an approximate amount of time to complete these items it



makes sense to apply up to 5 minutes correspondence time per source. Up to 31 hours will be needed to complete two document appendixes based on the total number of sources that have been found up to this point.

I recommend applying up to thirty one hours of correspondence time to create two document appendixes with one containing the documents related to your husband's ancestry and the other related to the documents related to your ancestry

#### **(4) N.Y.C. Birth Records for James Gabriel Barker & Joan Thomas & N.Y.C. Death Record for Mary McGuinness Barker**

We discussed that you want to learn time of birth for James Gabriel Barker and Joan Thomas and that fact is most likely reported on copies of their original birth record which are held today by the New York City Dept. of Health and Mental Hygiene. According to a birth index entries previously found: (1) James Gabriel Barker was born on the 30th of Jul 1920 in Manhattan and her birth certificate was numbered 33026 and (2) Joan Thomas was born on the 4th of November 1929 in the Bronx and her birth certificate was numbered 13444.

While we are on this topic, in the past we previously discussed ordering a copy of an original death certificate for Mary McGuinness Barker, and because she died after 1949 her death record today is in possession of the N.Y.C. Dept. of Health and Mental Hygiene's office. Below are links to learn more about the process of ordering a birth and death record from the N.Y.C. Dept. of Health and Mental Hygiene as well as links to PDF forms to order birth and death records from the N.Y.C. Dept. of Health and Mental Hygiene.

Link to N.Y.C. Dept. of Health & Mental Hygiene's Birth Certificate Info Page

<https://www1.nyc.gov/site/doh/services/birth-certificates.page>

Link to Form to Request Birth Certificate from N.Y.C. Dept. of Health & Mental Hygiene

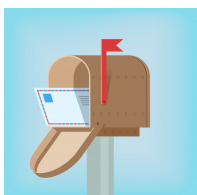
<https://www1.nyc.gov/assets/doh/downloads/pdf/vr/birth1.pdf>

Link to N.Y.C. Dept. of Health & Mental Hygiene's Death Certificate Info Page

<https://www1.nyc.gov/site/doh/services/death-certificates.page>

Link to Form to Request Death Certificate from N.Y.C. Dept. of Health & Mental Hygiene

<https://www1.nyc.gov/assets/doh/downloads/pdf/vr/death-certificate-application.pdf>



*Correspondence Time is a term we use to describe research tasks that involve direct contacts with government agencies, historical societies, or other entities to submit requests for documents; often including the completion of formal request forms, emails, or mail correspondence. Correspondence tasks are billed at half our normal research rate.*

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## Itemized List of Research Recommendations:

- 1. Correspondence**, Up to .25-hours correspondence time + up to \$10 record copy fees
    - To submit a request to the Irish G.R.O. to obtain a copy of an original 1872 Irish birth registration for Edward McLoughlin Ballyfarnon, Sligo, Ireland
  
  - 2. Correspondence**, Up to 95-hours correspondence time
    - To create two narratives with one beginning with your husband John Barker's identity with a focus on his direct ancestors and the other beginning with your identity and your direct ancestors
  
  - 3. Correspondence**, Up to 31-hours correspondence time
    - To create two document appendixes with one containing the documents related to your husband's ancestry and the other related to the documents related to your ancestry
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