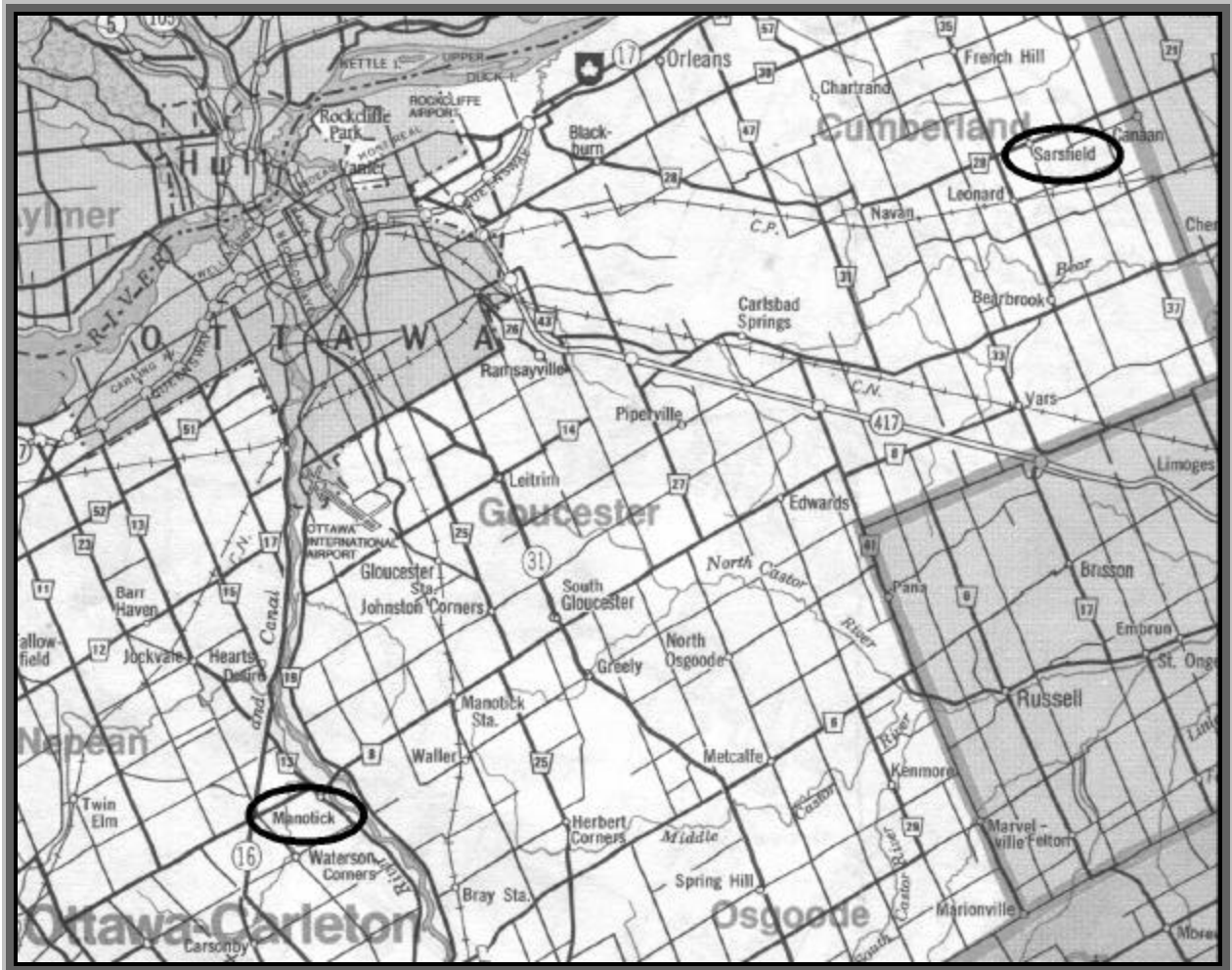


# Preface

The Map below indicates the location of the Moloughney and Nolan farms, - in relation to Ottawa and in relation to each other. Jack Moloughney was born on a farm about 4 miles from the Village of Manotick and his wife Ella Nolan on a farm about 3 miles from the Village of Sarsfield.



Jack Moloughney and Ella Nolan are descendants of 'Ould Folks' who came to Canada from Ireland in the mid-1800s. Before her death, Ella Nolan asked that we write down what we knew about the Family history. This work of tracing the Family Tree has been undertaken in her memory, and in honour of Jack Moloughney her husband - my mother and father.

The older portion of the history is based primarily on living memory of dates and facts as told to the older folks by their parents and other relatives. Verification has been made where possible. There are some omissions. We have lost track of some relatives. Some people did not have complete information, or forgot to furnish all of the information requested. A few did not respond. In a few instances we may have forgotten to request all

of the information that we should have. If anybody can supply additional information to fill in the gaps, or wants to correct something, please let me hear from you.

Several people suggested that we should do a "complete job". We certainly will continue to work on the project from time to time. However, babies are born and people die and others marry and new leads crop up . . . and one could spend the rest of his life on this and never be done! Therefore, it seemed wise to put the material already collected into the hands of those that are interested - right now. Anyone who wishes to trace his own Family Tree can pick up where I have left off. I am sure anyone who does will find it a rewarding hobby. Younger people will probably not appreciate this material - at this time - but they will later.

In the process of tracing the Moloughney line, information was brought to light on the Costellos, the Murphys, the Baxters and, the Monahans . . . Information that may be of interest to members of those families who wish to trace their family history. The Nolan line turned up information on the Morris', the O'Briens, the Larmers and the Wylies and may be of help to those who want to trace the descendants of their particular branch. One warning, however, learned from experience, - it costs money and takes time to do a thorough job.

When I wrote to one of our relatives for information, he sent this humorous note along with it: "Unless you're looking for grounds for divorce, I wouldn't advise probing into the Family Tree too deeply. No doubt you've heard of the Irishman who mailed five dollars to a company to get his family history - and then had to mail in an additional fifty dollars to keep the information from being published."

Actually, we didn't find any robbers, cutthroats, pickpockets, or what have you. The Moloughney and Nolan families emerge as rather nice ones, stable, decent, with a good sense of humour and a reasonable amount of intelligence! I am proud to be a part of them.

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P.S. Dad died on Jan. 30, 1978. Before he died he had time to read and comment on the first draft. Subsequently, further information came to light when going through his papers and this plus detail received from others has since been included in the text.  
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P.P.S. Since 1977, a wealth of additional information has come to light, - and it has become a big task to put it all together in a meaningful way. Fortunately, we found we had a cousin who is an expert in computer technology - Wayne O'Neil, 291 Brimson Dr., Newmarket, Ontario, L3X1H9. Wayne has been of extraordinary help in assembling and presenting the detail, - and a Web site has been created to provide access to anybody who might be interested. The Web site is [www.replink.com/ancestors](http://www.replink.com/ancestors) and Wayne is the host. His telephone number is 905 836-1080; Fax 905 836-6062; E-mail [oneil@replink.com](mailto:oneil@replink.com). Wayne's Moloughney code is 1.1.3.1.2 - 2<sup>nd</sup> child of Paddy O'Neil; Paddy - first child of Eliza (Moloughney) O'Neil; Eliza - third child of Mick Moloughney; Mick - first child of Patrick Moloughney; Patrick - first child of Michael Moloughney and Ellen Murphy. Wayne - many, many thanks.