

The McDougalls of Argyle, New York

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[Editor's note: in the early 1970's, my mother received a very dim photocopy of this document from a genealogist in Washington County, New York. The original was apparently a carbon copy of a typescript, and was already in bad condition. In some cases, dates or names are illegible, and several ran beyond the right margin. A few of these questionable readings have been confirmed against published vital records. The material is here faithfully copied, with minor changes to improve consistency, but rearranged so that all the material for each family appears together. I have been unable to locate any other copy of this document.]

A number of clues suggest that the document was typed from handwritten notes by Miss Patten, and possibly not with her participation. For example, the strange name McZuarrie (another spelling McZaurrie) could be explained as a misreading of manuscript McQuarrie. Gilliland, from Jennie's 1928 History of Somonauk United Presbyterian Church, has turned into Gillaband. Steinkirk parish in Scotland has turned into Scinkirk. Armed with the knowledge that some of the personal and place names in this document may have been misinterpreted, it is also necessary to point out that dates may be in question. In most cases, the original sources of the information below have not been discovered. By making this document available to more genealogists, these sources may eventually be revealed. – John W. McCoy, Long Beach, CA, 1997.]

There were seven McDougall families identified with the early settlement of Argyle, New York, namely:

- I. Ronald (1) McDougall who came with Captain [Laughlin] Campbell in 1738 and was grantee of Lot No. 16 of the Argyle Patent. He died in 1764, and his family remained in New York City.
- II. Archibald (1) McDougall came with Captain Campbell in 1738, and was grantee of Lot No. 109 of the Argyle Patent.
- III. Allen (1) McDougall came with Captain Campbell in 1738. He died before 1764 and his only son John (2) McDougall was grantee of Lot No. 95 of the Argyle Patent and settled in Argyle, but seems to have left the County before 1800.
- IV. Duncan (1) McDougall came with Captain Campbell in 1739 and was grantee of Lot No. 75 of the Argyle Patent.
- V. William (1) McDougall came from Wigtownshire, Galloway, Scotland in 1761, and about 1785 purchased Lot No. 69 of the Argyle Patent, now in the town of Greenwich.
- VI. James (1) McDougall came from Kelso, Roxburgshire, Scotland in 1795 and purchased Lot No. 23 of the Schuyler Patent (now in Fort Edward) in 1798.
- VII. Sergeant Alexander (1) McDougall, when a lad, came from Argyleshire, Scotland. He married Jean (Jane) (3) McDougall, daughter of Alexander (2) McDougall (Duncan (1)), and on Feb. 6, 1793 purchased of the heirs of Alexander (2) McDougall their right of their father's share, the north one third of Lot No. 75 in Argyle.

Note: In my research at the present time I can only find in Argyle and that vicinity male descendants of Duncan (1), Archibald (1), and James (1) McDougall the immigrant ancestors, unless Colonel Archibald of Salem left descendants.

I. **Ronald (1) McDougall** born in Argyleshire, Scotland about 1705, died in New York City before March 26, 1764 when his will was probated. He married in Argyleshire, Scotland, Elizabeth McDougall, who was living in 1764. The will of Ronald (1) McDougall of New York City dated March 1, 1763 and proved March 26, 1764, names his wife Elizabeth, son (General) Alexander (2) and Alexander's children John (3), Ronald Stephen (3), and Elizabeth (3), also the sons of his deceased son John (2) (John (3) and Alexander (3)), and his daughter Mary (2) and her children Elizabeth Hamilton and John Thompson. Children: The two eldest born in the Parish of Kildalton, Isle of Islay, Scotland and the youngest in New York State.

1. John (2) McDougall died before 1764, leaving two sons.
 - a. John (3) McDougall was killed when the American frigate was blown up by the British frigate Yarmouth.
 - b. Alexander (3) McDougall.
2. General Alexander (2) McDougall was born on the Isle of Islay, Scotland in 1732, died in New York City June 8, 1786; married while on a visit in the Isle of Islay, Scotland in 1751, Ann Langville, daughter of Stephen McDougall, and returned to New York the same year. General McDougall married (2) Sept. 26, 1767 to Hannah Bostwick[, no children known]. Children [of Alexander and Ann] born in New York City:
 - a. Lieut. John (3) McDougall died on the expedition to Canada Dec. 1775, unmarried.
 - b. Major Ronald Stephen (3) McDougall, Aide de Camp to his father, died unmarried.
 - c. Elizabeth (3) McDougall married John Lawrence, Judge Advocate General who presided at the trial of Major Andre and had an only son:
 - i. John McDougall (4) Lawrence born Dec. 13, 1775, died at French Creek, New York May 22, 1833.
3. Mary (2) McDougall married (1) April 6, 1758, Archibald Hamilton; married (2) Oct. 9, 1760, John Thompson; married (3) Dec. 19, 1763, Alexander Stewart. Children:
 - a. Elizabeth (3) Hamilton.
 - b. John (3) Thompson.

II. **Archibald (1) McDougall** born in Argyleshire, Scotland, date and place of death unknown; married in Argyleshire, Scotland to Christian McIntyre; in 1764, both were living, with five children, three of whom were married. They brought from Scotland sons Alexander (2) and John (2); the younger children were born in New York State. Archibald (1) McDougall was grantee of Lot No. 109 in Argyle. In 1789 Duncan McDougall, Sr. (probably the son of Archibald (1)), and Duncan's sons Duncan Jr. and Archibald owned Lot No. 109 in Argyle. The following were probably children and grandchildren of Archibald (1):

1. John (2) McDougall born in Scotland, enlisted Apr. 10, 1751 aged 26 years.
2. Duncan (2) McDougall Sr. born in New York, enlisted Apr. 6, 1758 aged 18 years; married (1) Nov. 17, 1760, Mary McCoy, and (2) Dec. 8, 1764, Catherine Kirkwood.
 - a. Duncan (3) McDougall (Jr.) born in 1761, died in Argyle January 31, 1804; married about 1790 Agnes (Nancy) Stewart, born August 10, 1769, died October 14, 1846. Washington Co. Deeds: Liber N, p. 138, Deed from Executors of Peter Middleton to Nancy (Agnes) McDougall, widow of Duncan McDougall Jr. late of Argyle, part of Lot No. 109 in Argyle,

dated July 22, 1805. Liber L, p. 695, Agnes McDougall of Argyle to John Stewart of Argyle, lots 105 and 106, dated 1814. Children born in Argyle:

- (1) Mary (4) McDougall b. in 1791 died Dec. 26, 1865, unmarried.
- (2) Catherine (4) McDougall born in 1791, died Oct. 7, 1866, unmarried (twins).
- (3) John S. (4) McDougall married Ann Gilchrist. Children born in argyle (order of birth uncertain):
 - (a) Martha Jane (5) McDougall m. Sept. 20, 1853 William James Barkley.
 - (b) Mary Elizabeth (5) McDougall m. John Bain.
 - (c) Alexander (5) McDougall m. July 31, 1856[year is too faint to read with certainty], Mary Jane Madden.
 - (d) Benjamin (5) McDougall m. Melinda Gilchrist.
 - (e) Sarah Ann (5) McDougall m. David Gilchrist.
 - (f) John S. (5) McDougall b. 1826 d. Aug. 8, 1827.
 - (g) Jane A. (5) McDougall b. 1829 d. 1830.
 - (h) Albert W. (5) McDougall b. 1838 d. 1841.
- (4) Alexander S. (4) McDougall married Hannah Egleston. Children born in Argyle:
 - (a) Duncan (5) McDougall b. 1825 m. Delonia Dinges?
 - (b) Alexander E. (5) McDougall b. 1827 d. 1898, m. Julia King.
 - (c) Giles (5) McDougall b. 1830 m. Frances Strong.
 - (d) Mary (5) McDougall b. 1832 m. March 15, 1855 David Sheffer.
 - (e) Catherine (5) McDougall b. 1834 m. John Fuller.
 - (f) Stewart (5) McDougall b. 1836 d. 1914 m. Adelaide Witherspoon.
 - (g) William (5) McDougall b. 1840 d. unmarried.
- (5) James S. (4) McDougall b. 1799 d. in North Argyle, April 7, 1872, married about 1824, Elizabeth Lant, born in 1804, died Aug. 10, 1869, North Argyle, 1869, daughter of William and Rebecca Lant.
 - (a) Duncan (5) McDougall born June 6, 1825, d. in North Argyle, Feb. 17, 1899, married April 29, 1847, Eliza (4) McNeil, b. July 21, 1827; d. Nov. 11, 1891, daughter of Alexander A. (3) McNeil, and wife Margaret (4) McDougall [(John (3), Alexander (2), Duncan (1))].
 - (b) William Lant (5) McDougall b. July 18, 1827 d. Jan. 9, 1862, m. Nancy (4) McNeil, daughter of James (3) McNeil (brother of Alexander (3)) and wife Ellen Sebring.

- (c) James Henry (5) McDougall b. May 1, 1830; d. Sept. 14, 1904, m. Nancy Jane (4) McNeil, sister of Eliza.
 - (d) Jane Eliza (5) McDougall m. James A. McDougall [not identified].
 - (e) Ambrose (5) McDougall b. Jan. 23, 1833, d. Aug. 20, 1861, unmarried.
 - (f) David (5) McDougall b. Dec. 20. 1835, d. Feb. 25, 1837.
 - (g) Anna Mary (5) McDougall m. William David McDougall. James A. and William David were brothers, and probably sons of one of the Alexander McDougalls.
- (6) Lucretia (4) McDougall b. Oct. 12, 1802, d. April 16, 1881; married Abraham Lant, brother of Elizabeth Lant who married James S. (4) McDougall above. Children born in Argyle, New York:
- (a) William (5) Lant m. March 2, 1853 Charlotte French.
 - (b) Duncan (5) Lant d. Dec. 7 [day of month uncertain, typescript unclear], 1874; m. Ellen McNeil.
 - (c) James Haggert (5) Lant m. Jessie McDougall. Jessie McDougall [not identified] married (2) David Ambrose (6) McDougall, son of Duncan (5) McDougall [(James S. (4), Duncan (3), Duncan (2), Archibald (1))] and Eliza (4) McNeil of North Argyle.
 - (d) Margaret Ann (5) Lant m. Archibald McNeil.
 - (e) Rebecca (5) Lant d. unmarried.
 - (f) Agnes M. (5) Lant b. 1840 d. Sept. 10, 1895, m. Clements Welch.
- (7) Sarah (4) McDougall, m. Chambers, went west.
3. Alexander (2) McDougall married November 24, 1760 Margaret, daughter of John and Sarah Shaw who came with Capt. Campbell in 1739.
- a. Archibald (3) McDougall born January 20, 1767.
 - b. Sarah (3) McDougall born December 14, 1768.

III. **Allen (1) McDougall** born in Argyleshire, Scotland, died in Orange County, New York before the granting of the Argyle Patent. His only son John (2) was grantee of Lot No. 95. Allen (1) married in Argyleshire, Scotland, Elizabeth Graham, and with children Margaret (2), Anna (2), and Hannah (2), came with Captain Campbell in 1738. In 1764, his widow and five children were living, and [at least] one of them married. Children, the first three born in Argyleshire, Scotland, and the others in New York State:

- 1. Margaret (2) McDougall, not traced, unless she married Roger Reed later of Argyle, who was grantee of Lot No. 53 of the Argyle Patent.

2. Anna (2) McDougall married Duncan (2) Lindsay of Argyle, New York. Duncan (2) Lindsay was the son of Donald (Daniel) (1) Lindsay and wife Mary McQuarrie [original McZuarrie], came with Capt. Campbell in 1739. Duncan married (2) Mrs. Agnes McIntyre McCoy, no children noted. He was grantee of Lot No. 131 of the Argyle Patent. Children of Anna (2) McDougall and Duncan (2) Lindsay:
 - a. John (3) Lindsay
 - b. David (3) Lindsay
 - c. Allen (3) Lindsay
 - d. Daniel (3) Lindsay
 - e. Mary (3) Lindsay
 - f. Effie (3) Lindsay
 - g. Elizabeth (3) Lindsay
 - h. Nancy (3) Lindsay
 - i. Margaret (3) Lindsay
3. Hannah (2) McDougall, not traced.
4. A daughter, not traced.
5. John (2) McDougall, who with his brother-in-law Roger Reed sold Lot No. 95 of the Argyle Patent, April 23, 1784, and John (2) probably then left Washington County as there seems to be no further record of him or family there. (Roger (1) Reed born in Scotland 1719 [original uncertain, has been written over], died in Argyle, N.Y. in 1806 [original uncertain, torn through the last digit, perhaps 0, 6, or 8] aged 86 years. He settled first in Kakiate, Orange Co., N.Y., where he married a daughter of Allen (1) McDougall and had three children in [as of] 1754, with children Duncan (2) Reed, went to Canada; Catherine (2) Reed m. William Campbell; and one other child not traced.)

IV. Duncan (1) McDougall: Among the Highland Scots Colonists who came with Captain Campbell in 1738 were Duncan (1) McDougall, wife Janet Calder, and children John (2), Alexander (2), Ronald (2), Dougal (2), and Margaret (2). The two youngest children, Janet (2) and Nancy (Ann) (2) were born in New York State. They came from Argyleshire, Scotland, probably from the Isle of Islay. The family resided in Orange County, New York for nearly thirty years, and settled on his Lot No. 75 of the Argyle Patent in the spring of 1765. Duncan (1) McDougall was born in Argyleshire, Scotland, about 17[remainder of date lost at right margin in original typescript] and died in Argyle, New York before June 11, 1789, when his sons Alexander, Ronald, and Dougal petitioned the Court to divide the land of their father, Duncan McDougall, deceased. His will dated Oct. 7, 1774, and probated April 5, 1791, names (no wife) his children Alexander (2), Ronald (2), Dougal (2), Margaret (2), Nancy (Ann) (2) and Janet (2). Children, the five eldest born in Argyleshire, Scotland, and the two youngest probably in Orange County, New York:

1. John (2) McDougall died privateering before 1764.
2. Alexander (2) McDougall was born on the Isle of Islay, Argyleshire, Scotland, about 1730, and died in Argyle, now Ft. Edward, New York before Feb. 11, 1793, when his children divided his land, Lot No.

129 and his share of Lot No. 7[rest of number lost at right margin in original, should be Lot 75], in Argyle, New York. Alexander (2) McDougall is said to have married a lady from Holland, but it is more probable that he married Catherine (2) McEachron, who came with her parents Donald (1) and Anna McDonald McEachron, with Captain Campbell in 1738. [Original has "McMcDonald"] Children born in Orange, now Rockland County, New York:

- a. John (3) McDougall b. April 4, 1753 d. in Argyle Apr. 8, 1813, married about 1778 to Elizabeth Beatty, born May 28, 1757 in Kakiate, Orange (now Rockland) County, New York, d. Apr. 11, 1820 in Argyle, New York, daughter of Capt. James (1) Beatty and his wife Catherine Jersey, a Huguenot. John (3) McDougall lived and died in Argyle and owned the land that in 1912 was three farms owned by Lo[rest of name is lost beyond the right margin in the typescript] Rain, Archibald McGeoch, and Mr. Liddle. His farm was about three miles south of Argyle village. The will of John (3) McDougall of Argyle was dated April 5, 1813 and probated May, 1813. He willed to his sons Alexander (4), John (4), and Daniel (4) 100 acres each, of the "land where I now dwell", and to James (4) and Joseph (4) his share of Lot No. 129, and willed to his 5 daughters each \$1[rest of figure lost at right margin of typescript]. Children born in Argyle:

- (1) Catherine (4) McDougall, b. Nov. 7, 1779, d. Feb. 18, 1867 in Argyle, New York, married Daniel Livingston b. in 1779 d., Nov. 9, 1856 in Argyle, son of Alexander and Rebecca Livingston of Argyle.
- (2) Alexander (4) McDougall b. Nov. 27, 1781, d., July 30, 1850 in Argyle, married Elizabeth Tomb, b. March 15, 1789 in Salem[, Washington Co., NY], d. March 15, 1871 in Argyle, daughter of James (2) Tomb [David (1)] and wife Elizabeth Guthrie, daughter of William Guthrie of Salem.
- (3) James (4) McDougall, b. Jan. 10, 1783, d. Sept. 10, 1862 in Ft. Edward, married 1805 to Jeannette (2) Robertson b. Jan. 26, 1783 in the part of Argyle that is now Greenwich, daughter of William (1) Robertson and wife Mary (2) Livingston, daughter of Archibald (1) Livingston and his wife Eleanor McNaughton, daughter of Alexander (1) McNaughton, the presiding trustee of the Argyle Patent, and his wife Mary McDonald. Children except the eldest born in Ft. Edward, New York:
 - (a) William (5) McDougall b. Nov. 16, 1806 in the home of his grandparents William (1) Robertson [and Mary (2) Livingston] in Argyle, New York, d. 1875 in Tennessee, married (1) Rebecca Hamilton, by whom three children, then (2) Jane _____, by whom three more children. His descendants lived in Tennessee and the South, and all trace of them has been lost.

[1] Wellington (6) McDougall

[2] James (6) McDougall

[3] William (6) McDougall

[4] John (6) McDougall

[5] Alexander (6) McDougall

[6] Jeannette (6) McDougall

- (b) Elizabeth Beatty (5) McDougall b. June 22, 1808, d. Dec. 8, 1873 in Argyle, married April 28, 1836 Hiram Crawford b. April 9, 1808 in Argyle, d. there June 24, 1888, son of John [3] Crawford and Margaret Simpson (daughter of Alexander Simpson and Agnes Christy). John [3] Crawford was son of

John [2] Crawford and Susanna Kelson [Kelso?] of Pelham, Mass. John [2] Crawford was son of John [1] and Isabel Crawford of Rutland, Mass.

- (c) Mary (5) McDougall b. Nov. 10, 1810, d. Sept. 1, 1886 in Sioux City, Iowa, unmarried.
 - (d) John (5) McDougall b. Oct 13, 1813, d. June 10, 1877 at his home near Danforth[, Iroquois County], Illinois, married (1) Margaret Lucas, and (2) April 12, 1849 in Columbia Co., KY Mary Epperson b. there March 20, 1820, d. Oct. 2, 1908 in Berwyn, Illinois, daughter of Col. William Epperson and Elizabeth Montgomery.
 - (e) Alexander (5) McDougall b. July 25, 1815, d. July 17, 1874 Ft. Edward, New York, m. Feb. 12, 1846 Martha Jane (3) Nelson b. Feb. 12, 1826 Hebron, New York, d. April 17, 1894, daughter of Samuel (2) Nelson of Hebron and his wife Jane Crawford. Samuel was son of Robert (1) Nelson and Esther Balsh [1878 History of Washington County has "Belch"] of Hebron.
 - (f) Jane Ann (5) McDougall b. Dec. 19, 1819, d. April 1, 1905 O'Neil, Nebraska, married Dec. 14, 1843 Samuel Cameron b. April 27, 1817 Warrensburg, New York, d. Feb. 13, 1878 Sioux City, Iowa, son of John Cameron and Julia Ann Hudson.
 - (g) Margaret (5) McDougall b. Dec. 27, 1821, d. Jan. 11, 1858, married 1848 John M. Reaves b. 1819, d. 1859, son of Henry and Marie Reaves.
 - (h) Gilbert Robertson (5) McDougall b. Aug. 28, 1824, d. Sept. 12, 1892, Seattle, Washington, married Sept., 1875 Margaret Macready of Sioux City, Iowa.
- (4) Elizabeth (4) McDougall, b. May 2, 1786, d. July 13, 1845 in Sterling, New York, married Henry Tinkey 3rd b. 1785, d. 1827, son of Henry Tinkey Jr. and his wife Hanna. Henry Tinkey Jr. was the son of Henry Tinkey Sr. and his wife Helen (Lenah) Meyer of Argyle.
- (5) Ann (4) McDougall, b. July 22, 1788, d. Oct. 6, 1862 in Argyle, married Daniel (3) McNeil b. in Argyle in 1784[digits of year lost at right margin of typescript, restored from census records], d. there March 9, 1863, son of John (2) McNeil and wife Jane Whorry. John (2) McNeil was son of Archibald (1) McNeil and his wife Catherine (2) McArthur, sister of Duncan (1) McArthur of Argyle.
- (6) John J. (4) McDougall, b. Dec. 7, 1790, d. Aug. 17, 1836 in Argyle, married Margaret (3) Lytle, daughter of James (2) Lytle and his wife Mary (2) Simpson of Hebron, New York. James (2) Lytle was the son of Andrew (1) Lytle and his wife Mary Stuart of Salem, New York.
- (7) Daniel J. (4) McDougall, b. March 4, 1794 [or 1791? typescript has strike-over here], d. Troy, New York, m. (1) Catherine Bain d. Dec. 8, 1844 in Argyle aged 51 years, and (2) Maria Knickerbocker.
- (8) Jeannette (Jane) (4) McDougall b. May 16, 1795, d. April 25, 1838 East Greenwich, New York, m. Daniel Walker of East Greenwich b. Nov. 3, 1790, d. Nov 14, 1840 [last two dates were added in pen after the typescript was completed, and the reading of "Nov. 14" is open to question].

- (9) Margaret (4) McDougall, b. Dec. 2, 1797, d. Nov. 9, 1882 North Argyle, married in argyle March 25, 1819 to Alexander (3) McNeil, b. Aug. 7, 1797 North Argyle, d. there Jan. 26, 1874, son of Alexander (2) McNeil and his wife Catherine (2) Gillis (Amos (1)). Alexander (2) McNeil was son of Archibald (1) McNeil and his wife Catherine McArthur, all of Argyle.
- (10) Joseph (4) McDougall, b. Aug. 7, 1800, d. Aug. 18, 1856 Argyle, married Jane (4) Harsha, daughter of James (3) Harsha and his wife Rachel (2) Matthews (William (1)). James (3) Harsha was son of John (2) Harsha and wife Mary Craig. John (2) Harsha was son of James (1) Harsha and his wife Esther Reid. James (1) Harsha was one of Rev. Clark's ruling elders. [Rev. Thomas Clark, MD.]
- b. Catherine (3) McDougall b. 1754, d. May 13, 1826 in Argyle, New York, married Daniel Brown of Argyle, probably a son of Duncan McQuarrie who changed his name to Brown.
- c. Janet (Jean or Jane) (3) McDougall b. 1756, d. Apr. 26, 1808 in Argyle, New York, married about 1786 to Sergeant Alexander (1) McDougall, a distant relative, b. Sept. 20, 1754 in Argyleshire, Scotland, d. Sept. 15, 1847 in Argyle, New York [see below].
- d. Alexander (3) McDougall b. about 1758, date of death not known, married Ann _____. No further record except that on March 1, 1793 he sold 50 acres of his share of Lot No. 129 to Joseph Pettis of Kingsbury and on March 6, 1793 he sold 91½ acres of the same lot to Giles Egleston of Argyle. The Ann McDougall head of a family in Argyle in 1800 may have been his widow.
- e. Dougal (3) McDougall b. about 1760 died before his father.
- f. Daniel (3) McDougall b. probably about 1762, date of death not known. He married before 1800 Mary _____, born on the good ship Mary in the Gulf of St, Lawrence, July 16, 1762, d. July 15, 1831 in Argyle, a cousin of General Simon Fraser of Revolutionary fame. [The typescript bears a typewritten insertion here: "Noted: Alexander F. was a cousin of Gen. Fraser according to tradition. It may have been through his father Daniel, or Mary. Signed, MacM." (Mary MacMorris)] Her maiden name may have been Fraser. In 1790, there were no Fraser heads of families in Washington County, but there was a Mary Frazier head of family in Cambridge, then in Albany county. That may be where Daniel (3) found his wife. Forty years later or thereabouts there were still Frasers in Cambridge. [The typescript contains a further account of the descendants of Daniel (3) McDougall attributed to Mary McDougall MacMorris of Corinth, NY. This material is reproduced below after Jennie Patten's account, in the **Appendix**.]
- g. Ann (3) McDougall, b. 1771, d. Apr. 16, 1828 in Argyle, married John McCollum who died (I think) about 1813, son of John McCollum of Argyle.
3. Ronald (2) McDougall born about 1732 in Argyleshire, Scotland, died in Argyle, New York, married Euphemia "Effie" _____. Children born in Argyle:
- a. Duncan (3) McDougall b. 1775, died March 4, 1848 in Argyle, New York, m. Phebe Crowe who died July 13, 1855 in her 80th year.
- b. Mary (3) McDougall b. 1778, d. March 26, 1830, married John J. Dings of Argyle.
- c. John (3) McDougall.
- d. Jean (3) McDougall.
- e. Margaret (3) McDougall.

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4. Dougal (2) McDougall married Jan 25, 1759 in New York City to Mary Shaw. Children:
 - a. Ann (3) McDougall baptized Sept. 21, 1760, First Presbyterian Church, New York City.
 - b. Randal (3) McDougall.
 - c. Daniel (3) McDougall.
 - d. Dougal (3) McDougall
 - e. Jane (3) McDougall b. 1784 in Argyle, New York, d. 1869 in Lisbon, New York, married Peter Dings, who was baptized in Mount Ross (Dutch) Church in Dutchess County, New York June 2 [another digit possibly lost at right margin in typescript], 1773, d. in Lisbon, New York, son of Jacob Dings and his wife Elizabeth Knickerbocker of Argyle, New York. Jane (3) McDougall was baptized in the Mount Ross (Dutch) Church in Columbia County, New York as "Jinny", daughter of Dougal McDougall and wife Maria (Mary) Shaw. [One child mentioned:]
 - (1) Peter K. Dings m. Eleanor McDougall b. 1820, d. 1859. She may have been a granddaughter of Dougal (2) or Randal (2) McDougall of Argyle.
5. Margaret (2) McDougall, not traced, unless she was the Margaret McDougall who married June 2, 1761, Hugh McArthur, or the Margaret McDougall who married Feb. 2, 1762, Charles Ross.
6. Nancy (Ann) (2) McDougall, not traced.
7. Janet (2) McDougall, not traced.

V. **William (1) McDougall** was born in 1730 in Wigtownshire, Scotland and died Jan 7, 1826 at his home near East Greenwich, New York. He married about 1769 in New York City to Sarah Gilleland [original has Gillaband], born in 1751 and died April 26, 1818 near East Greenwich. He came from Scotland to New York in 1761, and settled as a merchant in New York City, where he resided until the Revolutionary War. The British invaded the city, and he fled with his family by night to Poughkeepsie, where he lived seven years. About 1785 he moved to Washington County, New York, where he purchased Lot Not. 69 of the Argyle Patent and remained until his death. The male line of William (1) McDougall is, I think, extinct in Washington County. Children:

1. William (2) McDougall b. Sept. 23, 1770 New York City, d. June 17, 1810 East Greenwich, New York, married Aug. 6, 1798 Eleanor Livingston of Argyle, at her father's home on Lot No. 68 of the Argyle Patent. Eleanor was born Aug. 10, 1777 in the home of Duncan (1) Taylor in Argyle, where the family had stopped on their way home from Burgoyne's camp, and died April 24, 1855 near East Greenwich. She was daughter of Archibald (1) Livingston and Eleanor (2) McNaughton, daughter of Alexander (1) McNaughton, presiding trustee of the Argyle Patent, and his wife Mary McDonald of Argyle. [Jennie M. Patten, author of this document, was a granddaughter of Mrs. James (4) Patten, granddaughter of William (2) McDougall.] Children born near East Greenwich, New York:
 - a. Moses (3) McDougall b. June 11, 1799, d. Jan. 1871, unmarried.
 - b. Robert (3) McDougall b. June 2, 1801, drowned in a vat in his grandfather's tan yard June 2, 1806.
 - c. Elizabeth (3) McDougall b. Dec. 22, 1802, d. Sept. 1861, unmarried.

- d. Jane Savage (3) McDougall b. Aug. 14, 1804, d. Nov. 22, 1883, m. June 20, 1837 to her cousin Hon. Alexander (2) Robertson (William (1)).
 - e. William (3) McDougall b. Feb. 22, 1806, d. Feb. 5, 1887.
 - f. Robert (3) McDougall b. March 22, 1808, d. Sept. 12, 1809.
 - g. Robert (3) McDougall b. Nov. 15, 1809, d. Nov. 30, 1854, unmarried.
 - h. Andrew J. (3) McDougall b. 1815, d. March, 1884, unmarried.
 - i. Alexander (3) McDougall d. in Pennsylvania.
 - j. Col. Archibald Livingston (3) McDougall b. July 9, 1817, d. June 23, 1864, m. Sept. 11, 1848 Mary Blanchard b. Dec. 19, 1826, daughter of John Blanchard and Susan Wright. John was son of Hon. Anthony I. Blanchard and Maria Williams, daughter of Gen. John Williams and Susanna Thomas Turner, widow of James Turner. Col. Archibald was seriously wounded at the battle of Dallas.
2. Maria (2) McDougall b. 1772 d. Feb. 7, 1858, unmarried.
 3. Robert (2) McDougall, d. in Georgia.
 4. Andrew (2) McDougall, d. in Georgia.
 5. John (2) McDougall, d. in Pennsylvania.
 6. Samuel (2) McDougall, settled in Lawrenceville, Pennsylvania.
 7. Ebenezer (2) McDougall, settled in Potter Co., Pennsylvania.
 8. Nathaniel (2) McDougall b. 1795, d. April 8, 1850, married Mary McNish b. 1804, d. 1844.
 9. Elizabeth (2) McDougall b. 1787, d. Feb. 28, 1852 near East Greenwich, married 1806 Hon. Alexander (2) Livingston (Archibald (1)) b. 1769, d. 1863.
 10. Sarah (2) McDougall m. _____ Johnson of Cambridge, New York.
 11. Jane (2) McDougall m. Leonard Parish of Cambridge.

VI. **James (1) McDougall** and family came from Kelso, Roxburghshire, Scotland in 1796, and purchased on April 25, 1798 Lot No. 23 of the Schuyler Patent now in the town of Ft. Edward, New York,. He was born at Kelso, Scotland in 1733 and d. Dec. 1, 1809. He married in Scotland about 1768 Agnes Moodie b. there 1742, d. Nov. 7, 1827 in Argyle, New York. Children born in Kelso, Scotland:

1. James (2) McDougall b. May 18, 1769, d. Dec. 6, 1831.
2. Andrew (2) McDougall b. Apr. 18, 1771, d. before his father.
3. Janet (2) McDougall b. Aug. 8, 1773, d. Nov. 20, 1851 North Argyle, New York, married (1) Daniel (1) Stevenson, b. Stranraer, Galloway, Scotland, d. 1847 North Argyle, New York, son of William and Janet Stevenson. Daniel was a brother of William (1) Stevenson of Coila, New York, b. Feb. 15, 1772 Scinkirk [History of Somonauk United Presbyterian Church has "Steinkirk"], Wigtownshire, Galloway, Scotland, and of John (1) Stevenson b. Jan 9, 1774 also at Scinkirk, lived at North Argyle, New York.

4. John (2) McDougall b. June 11, 1779 d. Sept. 8, 1856, m. about 1805 Argyle to Mary Ann (3) Harsha b. Sept. 12, 1787 Salem, New York, d. Feb 16, 1838, daughter of John (2) Harsha and Mary Craig. John Harsha was son of James (1) Harsha, one of Dr. Clark's ruling elders, and Esther Reid.
 - a. James (3) McDougall b. July 11, 1806, d. Briggsville [I have been unable to identify this location – could this be Griggsville, Pike Co.?), Illinois, married Eleanor Bain, daughter of Capt. James Bain and Catherine (2) McQuarrie [original has McZuarrie] (Donald (1)). Capt. James was son of James W. Bain and Catherine Shultz. Children:
 - (1) Mary Ann (4) McDougall m. Mr. Gregory of Kirkwood, Illinois.
 - (2) Nancy Isabella (4) McDougall m. (1) Mr. Smith, (2) John H. Bain.
 - (3) Catherine (4) McDougall m. Mr. Smith in Colorado.
 - (4) Margaret (4) McDougall m. Mr. Dounie of Washington [State?].
 - (5) John H. (4) McDougall m. _____ of Briggsville, Illinois [place name uncertain, strike-over unreadable here].
 - (6) David Andrew (4) McDougall lived at Red Oak, Iowa.
 - (7) Bain (4) McDougall died young.
 - (8) Susan (4) McDougall.
 - b. Agnes [Nancy] (3) McDougall b. July 20, 1808, d. March 15, 1894 Argyle, m. David Reid, son of William (2) Reid and Sarah Whorry. William (2) was son of William (1) Reid and Catherine Campbell. Children:
 - (1) Sarah Jane (4) Reid m. William Beveridge of Hebron, New York.
 - (2) Harriet (4) Reid m. Donald Reid of Fort Morgan, Colorado.
 - (3) Anna Mary (4) Reid m. William McNeil of South Argyle.
 - (4) William John (4) Reid m. Martha Armstrong of South Argyle.
 - (5) David Walker (4) Reid m. Marion Miller of South Argyle.
 - c. John Walter (3) McDougall b. April 24, 1810, d. Jan. 17, 1831, unmarried.
 - d. Andrew (3) McDougall b. Jan. 10, 1813, d. Red Oak, Iowa, m. Isabell McNeil who died at Wichita, Kansas. One child, died in infancy.
 - e. Mary Ann (3) McDougall b. Sept. 20, 1814, d. April 11, 1892, Argyle, m. Zachariah (3) Gilchrist (Archibald (2), Andrew (1)), d. Argyle. Children:
 - (1) Mary Jane (4) Gilchrist m. Mr. Gregory of Kirkwood, Illinois [however, this is the name given also for the husband of Mary Ann (4) McDougall, above].
 - (2) Miranda (4) Gilchrist m. Daniel C. Seaman.
 - (3) Richard (4) Gilchrist m. (1) Mary Hanna, daughter of John Hanna, and (2) Sarah Crawford.
 - (4) John (4) Gilchrist m. Belle McCarrow.

- (5) Augustus (4) Gilchrist m. Ora McCarrow.
- (6) Taylor (4) Gilchrist d. Red Oak, Iowa, unmarried.
- f. David Harsha, (3) McDougall b. Dec. 20, 1816, d. March 18, 1862, m. Sept. 9, 1846 Argyle to Martha Jane [4] Flack, b. Sept. 30, 1826 Argyle, d. Jan. 3, 1913 Argyle, daughter of John W. [3] Flack and Mary Roberson. John was son of James [2] Flack and Margaret (3) Harsha (granddaughter of James (1) Harsha). James was son of John [1] Flack and ____ Whyte. John Flack came with Dr. Clark [to Argyle] in 1764.
- (1) Mary Jane (4) McDougall m. John W. Pollock.
- (2) Henrietta (4) McDougall d. aged 4 years.
- (3) Anne (4) McDougall d. aged 11 months.
- (4) Julia M. (4) McDougall m. Benjamin Carswell.
- (5) Susanna (4) McDougall m. Halsey Piester.
- (6) Helen (4) McDougall, unmarried.
- (7) Sarah F. McDougall, unmarried.
- g. Daniel S. (3) McDougall b. Feb. 29, 1820, d. Dec. 27, 1902 Argyle, m. Dec. 29, 1842 Martha Stevenson b. Oct. 8, 1819, d. Oct. 11, 1892 Argyle, daughter of John (1) Stevenson of North Argyle and his wife Margaret White. Margaret was daughter of John White and Margaret Thompson, daughter of Robert Thompson and Agnes Webster. Agnes was sister of Alexander Webster of Hebron, New York.
- (1) John Walker (4) McDougall m. Agnes Stalker and went to Chariton, Iowa.
- (2) Daniel James (4) McDougall went west.
- (3) Anna Margaret (4) McDougall d. aged 4 years.
- (4) Alexander (4) McDougall m. Ella Thompson.
- (5) Mary Frances (4) McDougall m. William James Copeland of North Argyle.
- (6) Dexter (4) McDougall m. Elizabeth [6] McDougall, daughter of James Henry [5] McDougall [(James S. (4), Duncan (3), Duncan (2), Archibald (1))] and Nancy Jane McNeil, daughter of Alexander (3) McNeil (Alexander (2), Archibald (1)) and Margaret (4) McDougall (John (3), Alexander (2), Duncan (1)).
- h. Jane (3) McDougall b. July 2, 1823, d. Dec. 18, 1893 Argyle, m. John G. Hall.
- (1) Mary Louise (4) Hall m. Robert Meyer of Ft. Plain, New York.
- (2) Everett (4) Hall.
- (3) James (4) Hall died young.
- (4) Emma (4) Hall died young.
- i. William (3) McDougall b. May 22, 1826 [original has 1862, which I assume to be an unintended transposition], d. Jan. 11, 1907, Hudson Falls, New York, m. Harriet Padden.

- (1) Jennie (4) McDougall d. March, 1928 aged 78 years, unmarried.
 - (2) Manuel (4) McDougall died aged 11 years.
5. Agnes (Nancy) (2) McDougall b. May 10, 1783, d. March 18, 1865 Argyle, m. John (3) Harsha Jr., b. July 21, 1784 Salem, New York, d. June 28, 1857 Argyle, New York, brother of Mary Ann (3) Harsha above.

VII. **Sergeant Alexander (1) McDougall** was born Sept. 20, 1754 in Argyleshire, Scotland, and died Sept. 15, 1847 in Argyle, New York. He married (1) about 1786 Argyle, New York, to Jean (Jane) (3) McDougall b. 1756 in Orange Co., New York, d. April 26, 1808 Argyle, daughter of Alexander (2) McDougall (Duncan (1)), grantee of Lot No. 129 of the Argyle Patent. He married (2) Jane Gibson. Sergeant Alexander (1) and his brother John were orphan lads from Scotland. They were both soldiers of the Revolution, and John was killed at the battle of White Plains, New York. Children born in Argyle, New York:

1. Ann (2) McDougall b. 1787, d. July 9, 1853 Argyle, m. John A. Gillis, who was killed at the raising of a barn. He was a grandson of James (1) Gillis, grantee of Lot No. 108 of the Argyle Patent.
2. Hannah (2) McDougall b. 1789, d. May 20, 1857 Argyle, m. James (3) Tilford, son of George (2) Tilford and Jane Stevenson. George was son of George (1) and Margaret Tilford of Cambridge, from Scotland.
3. Catherine Ann (2) McDougall b. June 11, 1791, d. May 17, 1853 Argyle, m. Abram Tinkey, son of Henry Tinkey Jr. and his wife Hannah. Henry Jr. was son of Henry Tinkey Sr. and Helen (Lenah) Meyer. [Spelling of Helen's maiden name unclear in typescript – could be Lonah. I found no such name in Washington County, but there is at least one mention of "Lenath".]
4. Margaret (2) McDougall b. Feb. 10, 1793, d. May 30, 1857 Argyle, m. Oct. 15, 1812 James Barkley of Scotland and Argyle, New York.
5. Martha (2) McDougall m. _____ White.
6. John (2) McDougall removed to Ft. Wayne, Indiana. His place in the order of births in this family is not known.
7. Alexander (2) McDougall b. Sept. 7, 1800, d. May 30, 1832 Argyle by an accident, m. Margaret _____, b. 1800, d. Nov. 4, 1857, leaving a small family.

Appendix: The Daniel (3) McDougall Family of Argyle, Compiled by Mrs. Mary McDougall MacMorris of Corinth[, New York].

Daniel (3) McDougall (Alexander (2), Duncan (1)) was born in Orange County, New York about 1760, died in Argyle. He married in Argyle about 1784 Mary _____ born on the ship Mary in the Gulf of New Foundland, July 16, 1762, died in Argyle July 15, 1831. Her name may have been Fraser, and it is tradition that she was a relative of General Fraser of Revolutionary fame. [Ends of several words of this passage were lost at the right margin of the typescript.] Children born in Argyle:

1. John (4) McDougall b. 1785, d. April 30, 1850, m. Mary _____ b. 1778, d. Oct. 10, 1849. Children:

- a. Rachel (5) McDougall b. Oct. 22, 1822, d. June 25, 1847.
 - b. Pamela (Millie) (5) McDougall m. (1) Anthony Purvee, (2) Oct. 6, 187[rest of date lost beyond right margin] to James P. Buck.
2. Alexander (4) McDougall b. about 1787, m. Charity Leigh, b. 1790, d. Jan. 3, 1862. Children:
- a. Daniel (5) McDougall became an auctioneer in the West.
 - b. Charles (5) McDougall.
 - c. Amos (5) McDougall m. Mary _____.
 - d. Alexander (5) McDougall went west.
 - e. John (5) McDougall b. 1821 m. 1849 Maria Ann Piester b. 1827, went to Three Rivers, Wisconsin. [I have been unable to locate Three Rivers, but there is a Two Rivers in that state. There is also a Three Rivers in Michigan.]
 - f. Ann (5) McDougall b. 1824, d. 1843.
 - g. Moses (5) McDougall b. 1824, d. Nov. 4, 1884.
 - h. William Fraser (5) McDougall b. 1835, d. 1905, m. Elizabeth Shaw McCurdy b. 1836, d. 1926, daughter of Daniel (1) McCurdy and wife Margaret T. Shaw. Margaret was daughter of Robert (1) and Elizabeth Shaw of Salem, New York. Children born in Argyle:
 - (1) Frederick (6) McDougall.
 - (2) Daniel (6) McDougall.
 - (3) Bert (6) McDougall.
 - (4) Gerald (6) McDougall m. _____ Williams.
 - (5) Fraser (6) McDougall m. Nellie Gilson.
 - (6) Nellie (6) McDougall m. Bert Holmes.
 - (7) Esther (6) McDougall m. Charlie Betts.
 - (8) John (6) McDougall b. Nov. 3, 1863, d. Aug. 13, 1931, m. Ida May McMillen. Child:
 - (a) Mary Elizabeth (7) McDougall b. Sept. 4, 1896, m. John A. MacMorris of Corinth, New York, b. Nov. 25, 1896. [This is Mary McDougall MacMorris, source of the material in this **Appendix**, and correspondent of Jennie M. Patten.] Children:
 - (1) Rosemary Nell (8) MacMorris b. April 4, 1925.
 - (2) John Alexander (8) MacMorris b. June 22, 1928.
3. A daughter, not traced
4. Duane (4) McDougall, not traced.

5. Daniel (4) McDougall, not traced.
6. Jacob (4) McDougall b. 1801, d. 1825.
7. A daughter, not traced.