Cass

Cass Nationality English

The time of the arrival of the Cass in the U.S.A. is unknown. How - ever records show that the Cass were settled in Massachusetts in 1640. When the American Revolution broke out the Cass family was living in Charlotte County N.J.

Josiah Cass SR. joined the army and saw services with the Queens Royal Ranger After the war Josiah SR. his wife and six children came to Montreal. From Montreal they came to the Gaspe Coast arriving in Paspabic in August 1784, there the family was granted 1,050 acres land by the honourable John Collins.

Josiah Sr. did not like the Gaspe Coast and in 1790 he and his family except Josiah Jr. who stayed in Paspabic, moved again this time to Hawkesbury Ont. where he died in 1804.

Back in Paspabic Josiah Jr. married and made his life farming in 1835 two of his sons moved east from Paspabic to Cape Cove making their homes there and fishing. The sons were Joseph and Daniel.

In 1859 Hugh Cass son of Joseph arrived in Wakeham from Cape Cove and settled on lot no. 21 land of his wife's. Warren Mullin and Alexander Cass reside on the property to day. About the same time the Cass settled in L'Anse Aux Cousins.

The Cass Family is divided into two sections and is separated by letters A and Section " A " includes the records of Hugh of the first generation and his descendants.

Section " A "

First Generation

Family of Joseph Born married Died and Wife's name unknown

Children

Captain Joseph Born ---- records unknown

Hugh Born 1330 married

Christopher Born ---- records unknown

Girls name unknown