

A RECORD
OF THE FAMILY OF
ANDREW CARNINE
(OR CONINE)
OF HARRODSBURG, KENTUCKY
SON OF
DIRCK CONYN
OF BOUNDBROOK, NEW JERSEY

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History of this record

In 1947 Ms. North approached my father (Albert G. 2-8) to help fund a joint project to find her and his progenitors. The two progenitors were sons of Dirk Conyn (5-4): Andrew (2-5) from which this branch of the Carnines comes and Peter (1-5) for Ms. North's family.

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Paul Dennis Carnine January 1, 2005

The Carnine Family

Andrew Carnine was descended from the sturdy Dutch defenders of religious and political freedom, the family is of French Huguenot descent who fled to Holland during the sixteenth century. The Albany New York records show that the progenitor of the Carnine family in America, was Leendert Phillipse Conyn (Leonard Phillippe Conine). Dates of birth and of coming to America are unknown. His name was found on records at Beaverwyck, New York, dated 1655. He died in 1704.

Andrew Carnine was born in 1761 at Bound Brook, in Somerset County, New Jersey near the New York line. His father was Dirk or Richard Conyn, who died when Andrew was an infant. In this community Andrew grew to manhood and from here he enlisted in the Continental Army, October 1780. He married Lydia Bice (De Boise), born 1766 died December 3, 1832. She was a daughter of Dennis Van Duyn Bice born December 1, 1745 Middlesex County, New Jersey, died July 18, 1835 Henry County, Kentucky and wife Annie Cebern (Sebring). Andrew Carnine and wife Lydia must have gone to the Old Conewago Settlement in Adams County, PA., soon after the Revolutionary War as there is record of some of their children being born there.

The Conewago Settlement in what was at that time, York County, PA., was an overflow from New Jersey about 1765. Possibly the Dutch farmers thought they were getting too crowded. It is true that they wanted to maintain their nationality and moved in large groups. Dr. Scamp in his address at the centennial celebration of the founding of the "Old Mud Meeting House" makes this statement "These settlers, it is known, formed the famous Conewago Colony so named from the neighboring Conewago creek, This church, 'Old Conewago', as our fathers called it, was. about three miles south of Gettysburg, and very near the immortal battle ground of 1863".

Practically nothing remains of this church today. It is to be located only by a search in a small inclosure overgrown with weeds, near a wood, and only with difficulty can some of the foundation stones be discovered and a few markers of the resting places of the dead. And yet from the records of this old church comes part of the record of the Carnine Family.

It is with a feeling of pride that we may claim as ancestors those sturdy Dutch farmers who so long waged war in the defense of religious and political freedom under the banner of William of Orange. They were originally French Huguenots and had moved into Holland, then the continental asylum for the persecuted Protestants. As before said the ancestors of our family settled first near New York, and in the North eastern part of New Jersey, probably near New Brunswick. Here was established the Dutch Reformed Church in America, at Bound Brook, N. J. About this time the "Westward Ho" spirit sent these Dutch settlers into southeastern Pennsylvania near Philadelphia, while others, pushed on into York County and founded the famous Conewago Settlement. Andrew Carnine remained in New Jersey some time longer for it was here that he enlisted to serve in the war for Independence. After the war he joined the Conewago Colony, where he remained until about 1793 when he, with many others, moved to Mercer County Kentucky and later to Henry County.

Near Harrodsburg, Kentucky is the "Old Mud Meeting House", originally the Dutch, Reformed Church, of which Andrew Carnine was a trustee. The deed to the site was made to John Van Bryck, Issac Vanice and Peter Carnine, as trustees of the organization:

"This Indenture made this, 22nd day of December, Anno Domini, one thousand eight hundred between David Adams, and Elizabeth, his wife, of the County of Kentucky and the Commonwealth of Kentucky, of the one part, and John Verbryck, Issac Vamce, and Peter Canine (Carnine), agents and overseers (and their

successors) of the Reformed Church on the dry fork of Salt River in Mercer County of the other part:

Witresseth, that the said David Adams and Elizabeth, his wife, for and in consideration of the sum of four pounds, ten shillings, Virginia currency, in hand, well and truly paid by the said John Vanbryck, Isaac Vanice and Peter Canine, the receipt whereof, he, the said David Adams both hereby acknowledge (and also doth hereby acquit, discharge and exonerate the said John Vanbryck, Isaac Vanice and Peter Canine and their successors of the said Reformed Church forever) hath granted, bargained, sold, aliened and Confirmed, and by these presents doth bargain, sell alien and confirm to the said John vanbryck, Isaac Vanice and Peter Canine as Agents and Overseers, and their successors of the said Reformed Church forever all that Mesguage, survey and Parcey of land situate, lying and being in the County of Mercer, and the Commonwealth of Kentucky, on the dry fork of Salt River.

Beginning at two elms on the brink of the dry fork, thence down the same N 29^oW Twenty poles to two Water Beeches, two Buckeyes and a Hickory on the bank of said Fork, thence S and W Twenty five poles to a Stake Between an Ash and Hackberry, thence S and E Twenty poles to another Stake between an Elm and Hackberry, Thence 11^oE twenty-four poles to the beginning. containing three acres of land together with the appurtenances, to have and to hold all and singular the premises, together with the appurtenances belonging to the said John Vanbryck, Isaac Vanice and Peter Canine and their successors, as agents and Overseers of the said Reformed church, for the sole benefit and use of the said Reformed Church (as use and behoof of the said reformed church) forever and the said David Adams and Elisa, his wife, against themselves, their Heirs and assigns and against all persons Whomsoever, the said premises and every part and parcel thereof, with the appurtenances for the said John Vanbryck, Isaac Vanice and Peter Canine as Agents and overseers for the said reformed church for a place for divine Worship, but for no other purpose shall sufficiently warrant and forever defend by these presents."

In witness whereof, the said David Adams and Elizabeth, his wife, have hereunto set their (hands) and affixed their seals, the day and year above written."

"David Adams (seal)"

"Elizabeth
Adams (seal)"

"Signed, sealed and delivered in presence of Thomas Allin, C.C . _____"

This was probably the first freehold of the Dutch Reformed Church west of the Alleghenies. This was one of the earliest churches in Kentucky. It was called the "mud" house as its walls were of study uprights interlaced with sticks and mortar. Thus we see that our progenitors have been a race of pioneers. But to return to "The Old Mud Meeting House" there is now in possession of the Vannices of Iowa one of the subscription papers used in soliciting the wherewithal (we cannot say funds) with which to launch this church enterprise.

I give it, that we of later generations, who know no measure of value except "the almighty dollar" may realize the scarcity of money in those pioneer times, the hardships resulting, and the resourcefulness of our fathers in the face of such disadvantages.

CHURCH SUBSCRIPTION 1800

We, the subscribers, promise to pay to the managers of the New Dutch Reformed Church on the Dry-Fork of Salt River the following sums in trade vis. such as schall be put opposite to our names, on or before December 31, One thousand and 8 hundred, the said trade to be delivered at Peter Canines on salt River.

John Smock, one second rate cow.	Isaac Van Arsdale, one second rate cow.
Bernardus Van Bryck, one second rate cow.	John Conninger, same and one ewe lamb.
Peter Carnine, 3 pounds sterling in trade.	Henry Banta, one three year old heifer and ten bushels of rye
John DeMotte, 15 pounds in trade.	Cornelius Van Nays, 24 pounds in trade.
Peter DeMotte, a fat steer	Henry Vanderveer, 1 two year old heifer.
Peter Van Nuys, 1 heifer	Lawrence DeMotte, 1 fat steer.
Abraham Van Arsdale, 20 pounds in trade.	
Simon Van Arsdale, 18 pounds in trade., etc. etc.	

These things give us a glimpse of life (entirely unfamiliar to us) on the frontier in the early days when there were few roads, no markets, no railroads, nor telegraph or telephone lines and few newspapers or periodicals-fewer books. But it was a life in which the graces of hospitality and neighborliness came into full bloom, and the virtues of industry and initiative and self-reliance were continually fostered and reached fruition...According to Collins history of Kentucky, Harrodsburg is the oldest town in Kentucky and in 1800 it had only 124 people..

The Title Deed was dated December 22nd, 1800. The building is located on dry fork of Salt River, about four miles from Harrodsburg. Its walls were of hewed uprights interlaced with sticks and mortar. From the construction it took its name. Later it was weather boarded. The building still stands on a little hill. In the rear is the old cemetery. Andrew Carnine was granted one thousand acres of land in in Henry County for Revo1utionary War Service. Here he reared his family and accumulated quite a little property.

Pension Record of Andrew Carnine

Andrew Carnine - Private - resided in Berkley County Virginia - enlisted under Capt. Morgan, Virginia, October 1780, enlisted under Capt. Ceeliberst Anderson and Major Williams July 6th, 1781, also served under Captain McIntyre and Major Darke. Applied for pension December 3, 1832, Claim Allowed, Henry County, Kentucky. National Society D.A.R. has accepted Andrew Carnine as ancestor of (Mrs.) Mary H. Forney and others.

GENEALOGY OF THE CARNINE FAMILY

0-1 PHILLIP KONYN

Born 1600 in Ghent, Holland Married Evelyn Van Alstynne Born about _____ in Holland

1-1 LEENDERT PHILLIPSE CONYN When our forefathers :immigrated from the East to Kentucky, most of the way was made in a big wagon. They brought their cows with them and would milk in the tea pot and the jolting of the wagon would churn the butter. Part of the trip was made down the Ohio River and hostile Indians were always feared. However, they arrived without any serious accident.

So far as shown by the records known to the writer, Leendert Phillipse Conyn was the progenitor of the Carnine family in America. He was born in Holland of French descent and came to New York or as it was then known, New Amsterdam. Neither the date of his birth nor of his coming to America are known. His name appears on records at Beaverwyck, New York, dated 1655. He owned a home there as early as 1651 and up to 1676, or later, according to Albany County records, page 226, Deeds 1-94, 303. He married Agnetie 'Agnes who died in 1704. Children were:

- 1-2 Casper, married Colette Wumen
- 2-2 Phillipe, married Myntie Dirkse, (ancestor of Carnine Family)
- 3-2 Cummerye, married Jan Brouk, son of Petrie Hillitie Brouk
- 4-2 Lysbeth, married Johannes Thomasse Wilbeck
- 5-2 Maritz, married Harman H. Gansevoort

2-2 Phillip Leendertse Conyn

The second son of Leendert and Agentie Conyn married in New York and resided there as late as 1720, to Myntie Dirkse and resided at Kosacken (Coxackie). Their children were:

- 1-3 Leendery Conyn baptised September 19th, 1683
- 2-3 Dirck Conyn baptised April 19th, 1685, (ancestor of Carnine family')
- 3-3 Agentia, baptised February 6th, 1687
- 4-3 Autie, baptised Jamtary 27th, 1689
- 5-3 Feytie, baptised January 15th, 1693
- 6-3 Phillip, baptised January 24th, 1694
- 7-3 Saartie, baptised July 17th, 1698
- 8-3 Johannes, baptised June 15th, 1701

2-3 DIRCK PHILLIPSE CONYN

The second son of Phillip Leendertse Conyn and Myntie Dirkse baptized April 19th, 1685, married Rachael Andriessse Van Bechten, of Bergen, New Jersey, October 24th, 1707, the bans having been published in Albany, September 16th, 1707. (Wells and Pearson Records) The Albany records lists five children, the dates are either birth or baptismal;

1-4 Wemtie Conyn, August 1st, 1708

2-4 Tontries Conyn, June 4th, 1714

3-4 Janetien Conyn, October 15th, 1717 married Dorr Korsen

4-4 Seitus Conyn April 12, 1721

5-4 Dirck Conyn Son of Dirck Phillipse Conyn and Rachael Van Bechten, born February 7th, 1725, married Catalyntie--about 1750. There were two sons Peter and Andrew. Both were Revolutionary war soldiers. In the pension records the name of the two sons is Carnine while the father's name is Conyn. The pension record states that the father, Dirk Conyn, died when Peter and Andrew were very young.

5-5 Peter Carnine born Bound Brook New Jersey, November 16th, 1752

2-5 Andrew Carnine born Bound Brook, New Jersey 1761, died in Henry County Kentucky, June 11th, 1836. Married Lydia Bice born 1766. Children of Andrew and Lydia Bice Carnine.

1-6 Richard Carnine born October 2nd, 1786

2-6 Anna born February 2nd, 1788

3-6 Mary born February 10, 1790 married a Shupp

4-6 Allie born December 27, 1793 married a Hull

5-6 John Carnine born November 22nd, 1795

6-6 Cornelius born June 29th, 1800

7-6 Dennis born April 1801 married Christina Van Nuys

8-6 Andrew born May 8th, 1804 married Nancy Banta

9-6 David born April 2, 1809

10-6 May born July 4th, 1810

7-6 Dennis Carnine born in Henry County Kentucky in 1801 married Christina. Van Nuys who was born in Shelby County, Kentucky, a daughter of Teunis Van Nuys and Catherine Demaree. Dennis and Christina Van Nuys Carnine had nine children.

1-7 Allie Ann Carnine born 1829 died 1830

2-7 Catherine Carnine born 1830 died 1851, unmarried

3-7 Lydia Jane born 1833, married John L. Smith, lived in Switzerland, County, Indiana

4-7 Teunis Nelson Carnine born June 1635 married Ann Elizabeth Taylor, November 19th, 1857. They lived near Madison, Indiana. He fought for the Union in the Civil War, in the 4th Ind. Cavalry. He was an Elder in the Presbyterian Church for many years, and represented his congregation and Presbytery in all the deliberative bodies of the church-an honorable record.

5-7 Mary Ellen Carnine born 1837, and married on December 25, 1856, John C. Van Nuys. He died 1907, at Thorntown, Ind.

6-7 Charity E. Carnine born 1841 married William T. Hillas

7-7 Harriet Caroline Carnine born 1643 married Isaac Lewis. They lived in Switzerland County, Indiana, and both died there.

8-7 Harvy C. Carnine, born January 20th, 1848, in Switzerland County m&1Tied January 1st, 1867, near Vevay, Ind., Sarah E. Chambers, Daughter of Thomas T. and Lovey Chambers. She was born December 1st, 1848. He died February 13, 1892, in Moultrie County, Illinois.

9-7 Dennis Carnine born December 25th, 1851, at Pleasant, Indiana, and was married in 1857, to Maluda Chambers, Who was born near Des Moines Iowa, May 1st, 1856. Children of Dermis and Maluda Chambers Carnine:

1-8 Ida E. Carnine, born J\1De .3rd, 1876 at Pleasant, Indiana married William Odell. She died 1898.

2-8 Albert Guy Carnine born October 25th, 1877 at Pleasant, Indiana, married first Myrtle Henry, of Charleston, Illinois. She died 1934, married. second, January 21st, 1939 to Ruth Bierbaum.

3-8 Otterbein Carnine born December 20th, 1879, married Zora LaClair, of Mattoon, Illinois.

4-8 Dolan D. Carnine born May 22nd, 1882, in Eldorado, Kansas married Gertrude Henry, near Charleston, Illinois, in 1910.

5-8 Mary Elizabeth Carnine, born December 26th, 1884, married W. J. Phillips in 1904.

6-8 Ethel Carnine born March 19, 1887 married March 1, 1913 Frank Hogue.

7-8 Lida Car1ina Carnine born January 1st, 1890, married Lonie Hall.

8-8 Isaac Calvin Carnine born April 22nd, 1893, married Helen Wagner.

9-8 Dennis Gail Carnine born September 4th, 1895, married Ida Gull.

Children of 2-8 Albert G. Carnine and his first wife Myrtle Henry.

1-9 Theresa (Tressa) Born 8/17/02 Died _____ Married Arthur Jr Bennett Children:
Richard Bennett Married Elizabeth _____

Children:

Nancy Born _____

Linda Born _____ Married _____

2-9 Velma Born 3/20/09 Died _____ Married Charles F. Schneider c 1929

Children:

Albert Born _____ Married _____

Joanne Born _____ Married James Getty _____

Children:

Charles

Diane

Beverly Born _____ Married Walter Deterding _____

Children:

3--9 Alberta Born 9/16/17 Died _____ Married Glen Carter 6/30/36

Divorced 1940 ;Married Merle King _____

Children:

Daniel;

Daniel Born 1938 Married _____ Children:

Daniel, _____, _____

Divorced _____ Married _____ Children:

Children by second wife Ruth Bierbaum.

4-9 Paul Dennis (Dennis) Born September 26, 1940, Bloomington, Ill.

Married Shirley Dale Ammerman 12/29/60 Bloomington, Ill.

Children of Paul Dennis and Shirley:

1-10 Peggy Denise Born August 22, 1961 Bloomington, Ill.

Married Donald Hackett, Hamden, CT October

2-10 Paul Dennis, Jr. (Paul) Born January 20, 1966 New Haven, CT

Married Julia Renfro June 2003 in Monfort, France

5-9 Albert Junior Born August 3, 1943

Married Nancy Issacson 8/2/69 Quincy, Ill

Children of Albert Junior and Nancy:

Michelle Lee Born 2/9/1970

Holly Ann Born 9/19/1971

David Born 1988

6-9 Constance Ruth Born December 6, 1952

Married Jeff Ichihashi 8/9/80 New York, N. Y.

Children of Connie and Jeff:

Heather Lynn Born

1-5 PETER CARNINE, Progenitor of Evelyn A. North.

Peter Carnine was born November 16th, 1752 at Bound Brook, New Jersey, in Somerset County, near the New York Line. His father was Dirk Co~ and his mother's name was Catalyntie, we do not know her last name. Peter had one brother, Andrew born 1761. Their father died when the boys were quite young according to information given in the pension records of Peter. As shown in the Sebring records, Peter married three times to three sisters: Caterdiente Sebring, Christiена Sebring, and Hannah Sebring. His second wife Christiена was the mother of all five children.

Peter enlisted in the Continental Army, July 1776. He served, in all, four years, with the ranks of Orderly Sergeant and of Quartermaster, under Capts. William Ver Bryck and R. Staats, with Colonel Quick. A son, Richard, was baptised at Conewago, Pennsylvania, Jarmary 23rd, 1779 so Peter must have gone there from New Jersey during the last part of his service in the War or soon after the end of the war. He remained here until 1793 when he, with many others, moved to Mercer County, Kentucky, and later to Shelby County, Kentucky, where he died February 2nd, 1841 and

he and his wife Christiena are buried near Shelbyville. Peter Carnine was granted 1000 acres of land in Shelby County for Revolutionary War Service. Here he reared his family and accumulated quite a little property. One purchase of land, 100 acres in 1805, for which he paid \$220 to John and Mary Riker is described as beginning so many feet from the junction of Lutes Run and Little Bullskin Creek. This is about eight miles northeast of Shelbyville and probably joined the original 1000 acres. Members of his family tell of his visiting his children near Crawfordsville, Indiana. about 1837, driving through in a two horsed wagon.

WILL OF PETER CARNINE

I, Peter Carnine, of the County of Shelby, and State of Kentucky, do hereby make my last will and testament in manner and form following:

First, I will to my wife Hannah Carnine, one bedstead, bed and furniture, one horse and saddle and bridle suitable for her to ride, which she is to do as she pleases with at her death.

Second, I wish my executors hereafter named as soon as convenient after my decease to sell all the perishable part of my estate and out of the money arising therefrom. to pay all my just debts and funeral expenses and the balance to be equally divided among my several children taking into consideration the amount each one has received heretofore.

Third, I will my negro woman by the name of Addaline to my wite for the term of three years after my decease, at the expiration of which time I wish her, the said Addaline, to be set free.

I further desire that my negro man, Dave, shall serve my wife during her life time and at her death I wish him, the said Dave, to be set free.

Fourth, I wish my executors as soon as convenient to sell my young negroes, namely - Jane, Margaret, James, George, and Frances - the proceeds to be equally divided among my children and I wish my executors to allow the above negroes the liberty of choosing their masters.

Fifth, I desire in the event I should outlive my wife I wish the above named Addaline and Dave to be set free at my decease.

Lastly - I do hereby constitute and appoint Claybourne L. White and Robert Doake executors of this my last will and testament hereby revoking all others as former Wills or testaments by me heretofore made.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this 8th day of January in the year of our Lord 1841.

Signed and sealed in the presence of Arthur Chambers and William Chambers
Peter Canine

Probated - February, term of Court, 1841

Will Book 14, Page 90 Shelby County Court House, Shelby County, Kentucky
Research made by Mrs. E. B. Smith, Genealogist, 721 \7. Main Street, Shelbyville, Ky.
Ex-Regent Local D.A.R. Chapter, Shelbyville. Ky., Mrs. L. G. Millisor, 129 W. Locust
Newark, Ohio.

The Judge of the Shelby County Court, in noting record of probate of his will, which was in February 1841, states that he was a man "of much property and many descendants".

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I, Evelyn North descend through 1-5 Peter as follows, his son, 6th generation,

CORNELIUS CANINE born September 8th, 1787 in Conewago, Pennsylvania, died May 17th, 1866, married October 9th, 1809 Dorothea Van Nuys born January 8th, 1793 died May 18th, 1865. They moved from Kentucky 1830 to a farm in Montgomery County, Indiana, two miles east of Crawfordsville. Both are buried on this farm. Their daughter,

MARTHA CANINE born April 12th, 1817 in Shelby County, Kentucky, died October 7th, 1878 in McLean County, Illinois, near the Mackinaw River and Coons Ford. She married 1833 David McCafferty born December 23rd, 1811 Ross County, Ohio, a son of Richard McCafferty and Lydia Dickerson his wife. David died February 9th, 1883 McLean County Illinois. Their daughter

MARY MELISSA MCCAFFERTY, born September 22nd, 1849 McLean County, Illinois! died January 1939, Jasper County, Missouri, married June 12, 1881 John Gasperson, born October 12th, 1854, Franklin County, Missouri, died November 1941 Jasper, Missouri. Their daughter,

EVELYN GASPERSOHN born Jasper County, Missouri June 13th, 1890 married December 31st, 1914. Merle Swartz North born April 4, 1893, son of Omer North and wife Lula Swartz.

Their daughter the 10th generation in America, Helen Louise North born El Paso, Illinois on July 17th, 1916.

Dear Members of our mutual Family My aim has been to preserve Facts of genealogical interest pertaining to the different Lines of our Family.

If the early settlers of New York and New Jersey had not been far more careful and conscientious than we of the present time in the preserving of records of births, baptisms, marriages, civil contracts, wills, etc., it would have been impossible to obtain much of the data upon which most of the early items of this sketch are based. Their family records were religiously kept in the family bibles as well as in the church and town records. In these bibles the names of the children were recorded, and as they passed away the succeeding generations registered their names beneath the first, and so the register was kept from generation to generation. Some of these may yet be found along the Raritan and millstone in New Jersey, from 150 to 300 years represented in these pages. The work of compiling this history has been a labor of love and of unending interest; elation at finding each new nugget of data leading from present generations back to the days of the Revolution and farther; joy at finding the one missing link that connected a long family line with but one generation missing. In the hope that it may incite others to preserve further records, this work is given as a slight contribution to the history of the Conyn; Carnine; Canine Family, the name is still spelled Conyn by many branches of the family.

EVELYN GASPERSOHN NORTH
APRIL 1947.

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Removed Information on the following families:

Bice (De Boise, Buys, Boice)

Van Duyn

Van Nuys

Demarest

Des Marest

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Haring

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