

One (the chief year) was the Bears, Alwayssoree, & Mitchels.

In 1917. Lewey Kelctum said that they came from me to Dudley and that all Mitchels were Bears - "Alwayssoree" they called the family. He had never heard of rd "French Nichel" or "French Messer". Said that Paul Mitchel's folks came from one test.

Said the Iroquois Bears (of whom <sup>Louis, Peter etc</sup> Ambrose was some) were called Wassors. Asks him about Joe Polis' drawings - was in a canoe & whether Joe was son of an Polin Wassors of the Vlahis party. Said it looked so. That Joe's mother might have been Bear. (Said this before I told him of Polin Wassors, showing descent in the female line)

Clara (Mitchel) Nepton's account of her own family was that there were three brothers (1) Francis Mitchel was Clara's father. (2) Dr. Sebatius Mitchel, nicknamed "Lobster" was married (wife, Maggie) but childless and adopted Clara. (3) Joseph <sup>Mary</sup> Mitchel, killed by the Irish in 1867, was father of Mr. Sebatius Mitchel and of Clara's mother. Father called Joe (senior), Joe Mary Mitchel.

Joe Mitchel & Joe Mitchel's Rod were cousins & Sebatius. He was father of Mitchel Francis & John Francis. (Sebat - Mary and Joe Francis said & he half brothers, illegitimate of Mitchel's wife. My own both cousins & ~~Dr. Sebatius~~ Kelctum.

Clara (Mitchel) Nepton's grandmother was Mary Malt (a hecker) who was dau. of Mr. John Nepton but I do not understand her at all.

I have been told by Mrs. Peter W. Ranas that Joseph Francis' father was named Williams