

- 11-May-1878 -- Our grandfather John McCarty was born in Pointe Aux Roches, Ontario
- 13-May-1878 -- John's baptism is recorded at Annunciation Church in Pointe Aux Roches, Ontario

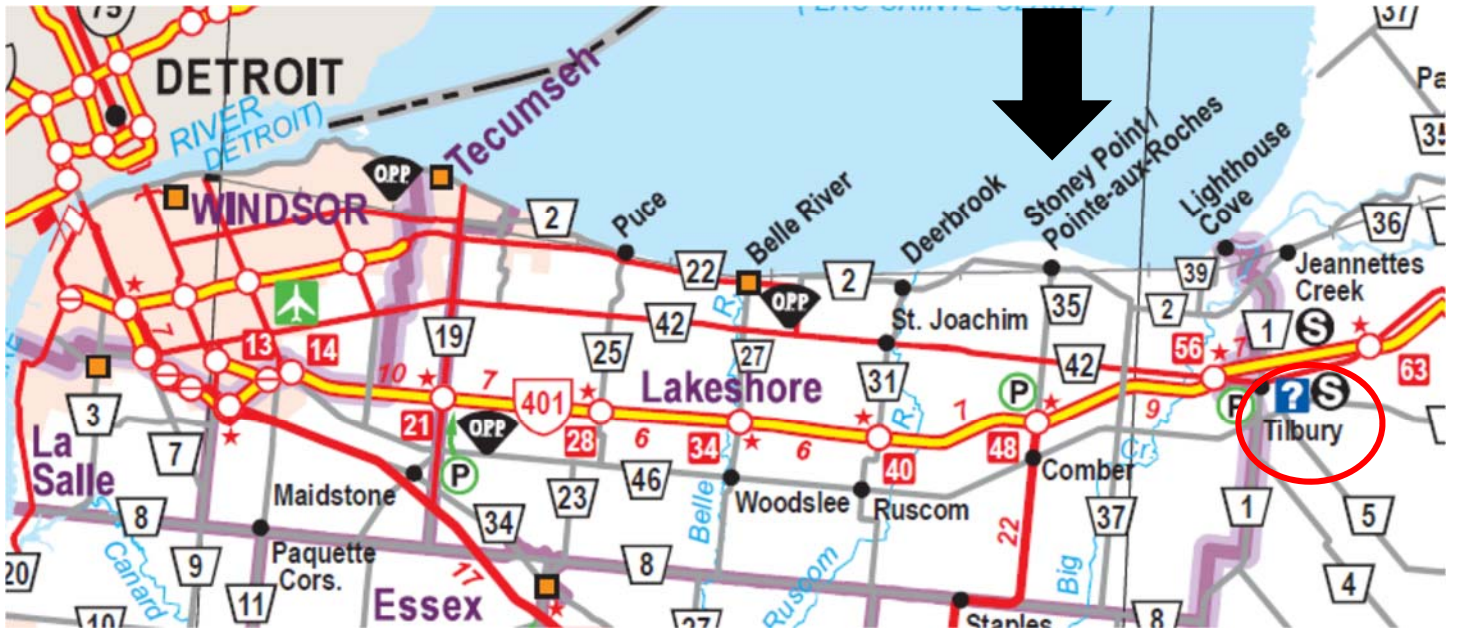
B.35 Le Treize Mai mil huit cent soixante
 John die huit, nous prêtre soussigné avons
 Edmond baptisé John Edmond né le Onze de ce
 Mc. Carly mois de légitime mariage de James
 Mc. Carly et de Anne Diquaire de cette
 paroisse, le parrain a été John Lambert
 et la marraine Adeline Diquaire -
 P. Fauteux prêtre

“On the 13th of May, 1978, the baptism of John Edmond, born from the legitimate marriage of James McCarty and Anne Diquaire of this parish, the godfather John Lambert and the godmother Adeline Diquaire. - P. Fauteux, priest”



Pointe-aux-Roches (English: *Stoney Pointe*) is a **hamlet** with a population of approximately 600, located in **Lakeshore city of Essex County , Ontario , Canada**. In **1824** , a farming community developed in the area. With the increased travel along the Tecumseh Road in the 1830s, small settler communities **mainly French-speaking** began to form along the south shore of Lake Clair Street. Pointe-aux-Roches flourished briefly in the mid- **19th century** until the depletion of local timber resources reduced the main support industry of the village.

Annunciation Church is now closed and for sale.



- 1881 Canada Census lists James McCarty as a “Farmer” living in Tilbury West = Point Aux Roches

James McCarty
Canada Census, 1881

Name:	James McCarty
Gender:	Male
Age:	40y
Birth Year:	1841
Birthplace:	Ontario
Marital Status:	Married
Occupation:	Farmer
Ethnicity:	Irish
Religion:	R Catholic
Head of Household Name:	James Mccarty
Event Place:	Tilbury West, Essex, Ontario, Canada
District Number:	181
Sub-District:	Q
Division:	2
Family Number:	484
Affiliate Film Number:	C-13281

Household Role	Birthplace	Sex	Age
John McCarty	Ontario	Male	3y

- James, Anne and their 10 children (16 year-old John, Mary, Annie, Henry, Irene, Maggie, Charles, Willie, Albert, Louisa) immigrated from Ontario to Detroit in 1894 which is coincident with the economic downturn / decline of timber business in Pointe Aux Roches.
- 1900 U.S. Census: John's mother Annie could not read or write, and at the age of 22 John could not write. In fact, the Census says that all 6 McCarty children who were over the age of 12 worked full-time and no longer attended school. Only the 4 youngest children who were age 12 or younger still attended school in 1900.
- 1908 -- John McCarty (30) married Ada Kessler (24) in Detroit, Michigan on 25-Nov-08. They were married by Ada's Uncle John A. Kessler (1st cousin 3x removed).
- 1916 -- James McCarty died of a stroke at age 76.

STATE OF MICHIGAN
Department of State—Division of Vital Statistics

TRANSCRIPT OF CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

County WAYNE Registered No. 5699
 Township 64 (No. 352 Crane St. 17 Ward) [If death occurred in a hospital or institution give its NAME (street of street and number.)]
 City or Village or DETROIT

FULL NAME James McCarty

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS			MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH	
1 SEX <u>Male</u>	2 COLOR OF RACE <u>White</u>	3 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, DIVORCED <u>Married</u>	14 DATE OF DEATH <u>June 12, 1916</u> (Month) (Day) (Year)	
4 DATE OF BIRTH <u>January 22, 1840</u> (Month) (Day) (Year)			15 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from <u>June 5, 1916</u> to <u>June 10, 1916</u> that I last saw <u>him</u> alive on <u>June 5, 1916</u> and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at <u>3:30</u> P.M.	
5 AGE <u>76</u> yrs. <u>4</u> mos. <u>21</u> ds. If LESS than 1 day, — hrs. 1/2 — min. 7			The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows: <u>Cerebral Apoplexy</u>	
6 OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work <u>Farmer</u> (b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) <u>retired</u>			Contributory <u>Old age</u> (Secondary) (Duration) yrs. mos. ds.	
7 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) <u>Canada</u>			16 <u>John A. O. Swobell</u> , M. D. <u>June 12, 1916</u> (Address) <u>458 1/2 Sherman</u>	
PARENTS	8 NAME OF FATHER <u>Mr. McCarty</u>		* State the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH, or its death from VEGETATIVE CAUSE, state (1) MEANS OF INJURY; and (2) whether ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL, or HOMICIDAL.	
	9 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) <u>Ireland</u>		17 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (FOR HOSPITALS, INSTITUTIONS, TRANSIENTS, OR RECENT RESIDENCE) At place of death yrs. mos. ds. In the State yrs. mos. ds.	
	10 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER <u>Anna Keenan</u>		18 Where was disease contracted? Former or usual residence	
11 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) <u>Ireland</u>			19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL <u>Mt. Olivet</u> DATE OF BURIAL <u>June 15, 1916</u>	
12 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE <u>Mrs. Anna McCarty</u> (Informant) (Address) <u>352 Crane Ave</u>			20 UNDERTAKER <u>W. Gust & Son</u> ADDRESS <u>Detroit</u>	
13 JUN 14 1916 Filed				

- 1919 -- Anna McCarty died after being hit by a car at age 68.

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PLACE OF DEATH
County: WAYNE

TRANSCRIPT OF CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Village: DETROIT Registered No. 9292
City: St. Marys Church St. 3 Ward: 17
(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give the NAME instead of street and number.)

2 FULL NAME Anna McCarty
(a) Residence No. 485 Cambridge St. Ward. 17
(b) Length of residence in city or town where death occurred yrs. mos. ds. (c) How long in U. S. if of foreign birth? yrs. mos. ds.

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS				MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH	
3 SEX <u>Female</u>	4 Color or Race <u>W</u>	5 Single, Married, Widowed or Divorced (write the word) <u>Widowed</u>		16 DATE OF DEATH (Month, day and year) <u>10-21-1919</u>	17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from _____, 19____ to _____, 19____ that I last saw him alive on _____, 19____ and that death occurred on the date stated above at _____ m. The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows: <u>Choking injuries to chest struck by auto</u> (duration) _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.
6a If married, widowed or divorced (or) WIFE of _____ HUSBAND of _____				18 Where was disease contracted if not at place of death? Did an operation precede death? _____ Date of _____ Was there an autopsy? <u>yes</u> What test confirmed diagnosis? <u>Spinal Process Dissected</u> <u>W.H. D.</u> <u>10-6-1919</u> <u>Miss Corcoran</u> <small>*Write the Disease, Cause, Death, or its death from Venereal Disease state (1) Measles and Typhoid, or (2) Cholera, and (3) whether Accidental, Struck by, or Burned. See reverse side for further instructions.)</small>	
6 DATE OF BIRTH (Month, day and year) <u>Jan 7 - 1851</u>					19 PLACE OF BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL <u>St. Marys Church</u> Date of Burial <u>10-27-1919</u>
7 AGE Years Months Days <u>68</u> <u>8</u> <u>17</u> 8 LESS than 1 day _____ mos. _____ ds.					
8 OCCUPATION OF DECEASED (a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work <u>Retired Knitter</u> (b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) (c) Name of employer				20 UNDERTAKER <u>St. Marys Church</u> Address <u>St. Marys Church</u>	
9 BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (State or country) <u>London Ont.</u>					
10 NAME OF FATHER <u>St. Eugene Sabie</u>					
11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (city or town) (State or country)					
12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER <u>W.H.</u>					
13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (city or town) (State or country)					
14 Informant <u>James McCarty</u> (Address) <u>579 Cambridge</u>					
15 Filed <u>OCT 5 1919</u> <u>Henny G. Van Dyke</u>					

- John Edward McCarty
Date of death - 1/26/1945
Date of interment - 1/29/1945
Location - Section 22 - Lot 45 - Space 3 Funeral home - Peters Church - St. Elizabeth Age - 66 years 8 months 15 days (which puts his date of birth on or around 5/11/1878)
- Ada McCarty
Date of death - 6/28/1945
Date of interment - 7/2/1945
Location - Section 22 - Lot 45 - Space 4 Funeral home - Peters Church - St. Elizabeth Age - 61 years 5 months 3 months (which puts her date of birth on or around 1/25/1884)