

Ranches of Bodega Bay

Patrick Quinlan - Bodega Township

Patrick Quinlan, born: 1819 County Offaly Ireland, died: 2 Nov 1892 Bodega, Sonoma County California, married: Mary Ann Quinlan (she was born 1828 County Down Ireland, died: 17 Oct 1898 Bodega, Sonoma County California) children: John 1853, Martin 1855, Sarah 1858, James 1860, Thomas 1865, Daniel 1865, Joseph 1866

Ellen *Dunn or Dalton* Quinlan

BIRTH 1798
County Offaly, Ireland

DEATH 7 May 1871 (aged 72-73)
Bodega, Sonoma County, California, USA

BURIAL Calvary Cemetery
Bodega, Sonoma County, California, USA

Patrick's
mother

Daniel Francis Quinlan

BIRTH 12 Dec 1865
Sonoma County, California, USA

DEATH 10 Apr 1913 (aged 47)
Sonoma County, California, USA

BURIAL Calvary Cemetery
Bodega, Sonoma County, California, USA

Patrick's
brother

Catherine *Quinlan* Gaffney

BIRTH 1835
Offaly, County Offaly, Ireland

DEATH 22 Jan 1911 (aged 75-76)
Bodega, Sonoma County, California, USA

BURIAL Calvary Cemetery
Bodega, Sonoma County, California, USA

Patrick's
aunt

Patrick Quinlan

California Naturalization Records

Name:	Patrick Quinlan
Record Type:	Naturalization
Birth Place:	Great Britain
Naturalization Date:	7 Nov 1864
Naturalization Place:	Sonoma, California, USA

Parents

Martin Quinlan
1786-1860

Ellen Connolly
1796-1871

Spouse & Children

Mary Ann Quinlan
1828-1898

John Quinlan
1853-1872

Martin Quinlan
1855-1920

Sarah Ann Quinlan
1858-1932

James P. Quinlan
1860-

**Thomas Arthur
Quinlan**
1862-1924

Daniel Francis Quinlan
1865-1913

Joseph G. Quinlan
1866-

Family name QUINLAN	Given name or names Patrick
Address ---, Cal.	
Certificate no. (or vol. and page) Minutes-Vol.D,p.517	Title and location of court Co. Ct., Santa Rosa, Cal.
Country of birth or allegiance Great Britain	When born (or age) ---
Date and port of arrival in U. S. ---	Date of naturalization Nov. 7, 1866

Patrick D Quinlan

BIRTH ABT 1819 • County Offaly, Ireland

DEATH 2 NOVEMBER 1892 • Bodega, Sonoma County, CA

When Patrick Quinlan was born in 1819 in Offaly, Ireland, his father, Martin, was 33 and his mother, Ellen, was 23. He had seven sons and one daughter with Mary Ann between 1853 and 1866. He died on November 2, 1892, in Bodega, California, at the age of 73, and was buried there.

Mary Ann Quinlan

BIRTH ABT 1828 • County Down, Northern Ireland

DEATH 17 OCTOBER 1898 • Bodega, Sonoma, CA

Mary Ann Quinlan was born in 1828 in Down, Down, Northern Ireland. She married Patrick D Quinlan in 1846. They had seven children in 13 years. She died on October 17, 1898, in Bodega, California, at the age of 70, and was buried there.

Martin Quinlan

Patrick's
father

BIRTH 1786
County Offaly, Ireland

DEATH 1860 (aged 73-74)
Sonoma County, California, USA

BURIAL Calvary Cemetery
Bodega, Sonoma County, California, USA



Pat D Quinlan

in the 1870 United States Federal Census

Name: Pat D Quinlan

Birth Year: abt 1819

Birthplace: Ireland

Home in 1870: Bodega, Sonoma, California

Occupation: Dairy Farmer

Personal Estate Value: 3789

Real Estate Value: 14575

Household Members:	Name	Age
	Pat D Quinlan	51
	Mary Ann Quinlan	42
	John Quinlan	17
	Martin Quinlan	15
	Sarah A Quinlan	12
	James P Quinlan	10
	Arthur T Quinlan	8
	Daniel Francis Quinlan	5
	Joseph G Quinlan	3

Patrick Quinlin

1860 United States Federal Census

Name: Patrick Quinlin

Birth Year: abt 1820

Birth Place: Ireland

Home in 1860: Bodega, Sonoma, California

Post Office: Smiths Ranch

Occupation: Farmer

Personal Estate Value: 1000

Household Members:	Name	Age
	Patrick Quinlin	40
	Mary A Quinlin	29
	John Quinlin	7
	Martin Quinlin	5
	Yarada Quinlin	3
	James P Quinlin	9/12
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Patrick Quinlan

in the 1880 United States Federal Census

Name: Patrick Quinlan

Birth Date: Abt 1818

Birthplace: Ireland

Home in 1880: Bodega, Sonoma, California,

Spouse's name: Mary A. Quinlan

Father's Birthplace: Ireland

Mother's Birthplace: Ireland

Occupation: Dairyman

Household Members:	Name	Age
	Patrick Quinlan	62
	Mary A. Quinlan	52
	Martin Quinlan	25
	James P. Quinlan	20
	Thomas A. Quinlan	18
	Daniel F. Quinlan	16
	Joseph G. Quinlan	14

Patrick Quinlan

California, Voter Registers

Name:	Patrick Quinlan
Age:	73
Birth Year:	abt 1819
Birth Place:	Ireland
Residence Year:	1892
Residence Address:	Smith's Ranch
Residence Place:	Sonoma, California, USA
Naturalization Date:	7 Nov 1864
Naturalization Place:	Sonoma

Patrick D. Quinlan died at the Grand Hotel, Wednesday night week. His disease was pneumonia, contracted a week ago in coming up to this city from Petaluma. A native of Queen's Co., Ire. aged 73y; he came to Ca. from Palmyra, N.Y., the 1st of May 1865 at the time of the Panama riot, and himself, his wife and 2 children lost all of their personal effects on the Isthmus; came to Sonoma County in 1867, settled at Bodega, on a farm purchased from the late Capt. Smith. He leaves a wife and 5 sons and 1 daughter now a resident of Tulare Co., who is married to John Manning. He will be buried in the family plot at Bodega. (Santa Rosa Democrat)

Patrick D. Quinlan

Find A Grave Index

Name:	Patrick D. Quinlan
Birth Date:	1819
Birth Place:	County Offaly, Ireland
Death Date:	2 Nov 1892
Death Place:	Santa Rosa, Sonoma County, California
Cemetery:	Calvary Cemetery
Burial or Cremation Place:	Bodega, Sonoma County, California
Father:	Martin Quinlan
Mother:	Ellen Quinlan
Spouse:	Mary Ann Quinlan

Patrick D. Quinlan

BIRTH	1819 County Offaly, Ireland
DEATH	2 Nov 1892 (aged 72-73) Santa Rosa, Sonoma County, California
BURIAL	Calvary Cemetery Bodega, Sonoma County, California



A PECULIAR CASE.

The Jury Decides That Patrick Quinlan was of Sound Mind.

There was concluded here last Friday afternoon the trial of a very peculiar case. Patrick D. Quinlan died in this city in November, 1892, and the day before his death he made a deed to his son Daniel of 150 acres of his ranch near Bodega Bay, and a deed to his wife, Mary A. Quinlan, of the rest of the home place, consisting of about 400 acres, and his cattle and other personal property valued at about \$2,500. The land is worth about \$60 per acre. He left surviving him one daughter, Mrs. Mauning, and five sons, Martin, Joseph, James, Thomas and Daniel. Thomas lives in Ireland, the daughter in Tulare county, Martin in San Francisco and the other boys in this county. Martin Quinlan is a lawyer and some years ago practiced law in this city as the partner of James T. Noon. He then removed to San Francisco where he has resided ever since. The deeds to wife and son were drawn by A. D. Laughlin and the execution of them was witnessed by him and William Longmore, the assessor. Both Daniel and the widow had their deeds recorded and went over to Bodega after the funeral of the father and husband. The widow then leased the ranch and personal property conveyed to her, and according to the testimony of several persons, while there told that Patrick D. Quinlan was sane and in his right mind to the last. About March she went to live with Martin in San Francisco, where she has continued to reside ever since.

A few days after the death of Patrick D. Quinlan a suit was commenced by Martin, Joseph, and Mrs. Manning against Daniel, the widow, Thomas and James to set aside the deed to Daniel upon the ground that Patrick D. Quinlan was of unsound mind and that he was so weak from illness as to be not mentally competent to make the deed.

It appears that Mrs. Quinlan signed the deed to Daniel with her husband. Mrs. Quinlan and, in fact, all the defendants but Daniel, made default. Daniel answered denying the mental incompetency of the father.

George Pierce and J. T. Campbell represented the plaintiffs and James W. Oates the defendant, Daniel Quinlan.

Upon the trial the widow was called as a witness by her son Martin, and testified that her husband was dying when he made the deed to Daniel and that he did not know what he was doing. She admitted that the deed to her was made at the same time, under the same circumstances, and that she had had it recorded and that she afterwards leased the property conveyed to her. She did not know that she had been made a party defendant to the action and had no recollection of any papers in the case having been served upon her, though there was an affidavit of service, from a man in San Francisco, on file.

The breaking of the deed to Daniel would have been the same as the breaking of the deed to the widow, as they both rested upon the same facts and were made at the same time. The widow did not seem to realize this.

There was much evidence showing prior declarations by Patrick D. Quinlan as to what he would do with his property, some swearing that he had said to them that he was going to leave it to all his children alike, and others that he had said he was going to leave the piece he conveyed to Daniel to him, and one of them testified that he had said to him that Martin had had his share, and that he would give Daniel the 150-acre tract and the balance to his wife, as she could look out for James, who was then in the insane asylum, and Joseph, who was wasteful, and for Mrs. Manning, and that Thomas had gotten as much as his share in Ireland. To one of the witnesses when about to make the deed he said that he wanted to do so before Martin came.

The case was hotly and vigorously contested, resulting in a verdict Friday afternoon that the grantor was of sound mind and fully understood what he was doing when he made the deed to Daniel.

The upholding of the deed to Daniel upholds that of the widow as well.

A goodly number of people from about Bodega Corners was in attendance.

Mary Ann Quinlan

Find A Grave Index

Name:	Mary Ann Quinlan
Birth Date:	1826
Birth Place:	County Down, Northern Ireland
Death Date:	17 Oct 1898
Death Place:	Sonoma County, California,
Cemetery:	Calvary Cemetery
Burial or Cremation Place:	Bodega, Sonoma County, California
Spouse:	Patrick D. Quinlan

Mary Ann Quinlan

Patrick's wife

BIRTH 1826
County Down, Northern Ireland

DEATH 17 Oct 1898 (aged 71–72)
Sonoma County, California, USA

BURIAL [Calvary Cemetery](#)
Bodega, Sonoma County, California, USA



John Quinlan

California Death Records

Name:	John Quinlan
Death Age:	19
Event Type:	Death
Birth Date:	abt 1853
Death Date:	28 Mar 1872
Death Place:	Bodega
Father:	Patrick Quinlan
Mother:	Mary Ann Quinlan



John Quinlan

Patrick's brother

BIRTH 1 Jan 1853
Palmyra, Wayne County, New York, USA

DEATH 28 Mar 1872 (aged 19)
Bodega, Sonoma County, California, USA

BURIAL [Calvary Cemetery](#)
Bodega, Sonoma County, California, USA