

# Chronology Report

Name: **Frank Coyle**

Parents: **Michael Coyle, Jr and Mary Gorman**  
Life Range 1872 Nov 4-1935 Mar 21

1872 Nov 4 Birth: Baltimore,,Maryland USA.<sup>1</sup>  
1872 Nov 10 Baptism: Baltimore,,Maryland USA.  
Father: Michael Coyle of Ireland  
Mother: Mary McDonald of Ireland  
Sponsors: John W. Feeley & Bridget Flaherty Address: St. Ignatius Church, 740 N.Calvert St., Baltimore, MD 21202, USA

1879 Jan 14 Death of Father: **Michael Coyle, Jr.** In Baltimore,,Maryland USA.<sup>4</sup>  
1880 Jun 11 Census: Baltimore,,Maryland USA. Address: 121 Maryland Ave.  
1.) Mary Coyle, white, female age 32, cannot read or write, liquor merchant, born in Ireland, both parents born in Ireland  
2.) **Frank Coyle**, white, male, age 7, son, at school, born in MD, both parents born in Ireland  
3.) Mamie Coyle, white, female, age 4, daughter, born in MD. both parents born in Ireland  
4.) Nelson (Michael), white, male, age 10 mos., born July 1879, son, born in MD, both parents born in Ireland  
5.) M. F. (Mark) Gorman, white, male, age 24, brother, laborer, unemployed 4 mos. during census year, born in MD, both parents born in Ireland  
6.) Mary Gorman, white, female, age 60, at home, cannot read or write, born in Ireland, both parents born in Ireland  
7.) Mary Murtagh, white, female, age 23, niece, at home, born in Ireland, both parents born in Ireland  
8 - 11.) Four white male boarders: John Canfanlonie, age 49, stone cutter, Italy, Wm Dark, age 26, stone cutter, MD, Louis Wyeth, age 40 laborer, Ireland, Charles Dodd, age 35, stone cutter, Ireland<sup>6</sup>

1903 City Directory: Baltimore,,Maryland USA. **Frank F. Schaeffer**, electrician, 738 Cumberland  
**Frank Coyle** was using his mother's married name of Schaeffer, whom she married after Frank's father, Michael Coyle, died in 1879.<sup>12</sup>

1904 City Directory: Baltimore,,Maryland USA. **Frank Schaeffer**, electrician, 50 Garrison lane  
**Frank Coyle** was using his mother's married name. She married **William Schaeffer** after **Michael Coyle** died in 1879.<sup>11</sup>

1905 City Directory: Baltimore,,Maryland USA. **Frank F. Coyle**, electrician, 2239 Wilkens<sup>10</sup>  
Bef 1905 Jun 13 Marriage: **Teresa Hessler**. In Baltimore,,Maryland USA.

1905 Jun 13 Church Picnic: Sun Paper. St. Benedict's Church, Baltimore, MD. Church Lawn Illuminated And Many Attractions Offered  
The annual lawn fete and picnic of St. Benedict's Catholic Church, Wilkens avenue and Millington lane opened last night on the lawn adjoining the church with a large attendance...Ground Committee...**Frank Coyle**..<sup>3</sup>

1905 Dec 3 News Item: Baltimore,,Maryland USA. GAVE THANKSGIVING SURPRISE  
A Thanksgiving surprise party was given in honor of Miss **Lillie Schafer (Frank Coyle's half sister)** by the members of the St. Benedict's Catholic Church choir. The Myrtle Mandolin and Guitar Club played and there was dancing. Refreshments were served at 11 P.M. Those present included:  
Mr. and Mrs. Coyle (*Frank & Teresa*)  
Mrs. E. Hessler (*Teresa Coyle's mother*)  
Mrs. Schaefer (*Frank Coyle's mother*)  
Miss Antionette Hessler (*Teresa Coyle's sister*)  
Mr. John Stock (*he married Antoinette Hessler*)  
Mr. Cletus Nitsch (*he married Lillie Shaeffer*)  
Mr. George Schafer (*Frank Coyle's half brother*)  
Mr. Patrick Schafer (*Frank Coyle's half brother*)

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1906 Oct 1	News Item:	<p>Mr. William Schafer (<i>Frank Coyle's half brother</i>)<sup>3</sup>            St. Benedict's Church, Baltimore, MD. <b>BY CARDINAL GIBBONS' HANDS</b>            Class Receives Sacrament of Confirmation At. St. Benedict's.            ...<b>Frank Coyle</b> and Joseph Fisher were sponsors for the boys.<sup>3</sup></p>
1907 Aug 9	News Item:	<p>Sun Paper. Baltimore,, Maryland USA. <b>BIG BLAZE JUST AVERTED</b>            ...the fire broke out in the loft of the Baltimore Transfer Company's building at            Front and Low streets...The electric wires are very numerous on Low street,            the position selected by Chief Horton as the most effective from which to fight            the flames, so the Consolidated Gas and Electric Light and Power Company            was notified, and Lineman, <b>Frank Coyle</b>, was sent to cut all the wires in the            way of the apparatus or those menacing the lives of the firemen.<sup>3</sup></p>
1908 Jan 12	Banquet:	<p>Sun Paper. Baltimore,, Maryland USA. <b>FATHER HEIN THEIR GUEST</b>            A banquet was given the members of St. Benedict's Opera Troupe at the            home of Miss <b>Lillian Schaeffer</b>, 50 Garrison avenue, which was followed by            a dance. Music was furnished by Henry A. Decker's String Orchestra.            The guest of honor was Rev. William Hein, pastor of St. Benedict's Catholic            Church. Among those present were            Mrs. Teresa A. Coyle            Miss Antoinette Hessler            Miss Lillian Schaeffer            Mr. Frank F. Coyle            Mr. George Schaeffer            Mr. Patrick Schaeffer            Mr. William Schaeffer            Mr. Cletus Nitsch<sup>3</sup></p>
1909 1910 Apr 20	City Directory: Census:	<p>Baltimore,, Maryland USA. <b>Frank F. Coyle</b>, electrician, 2213 Wilkens<sup>13</sup>            Baltimore,, Maryland USA. Address: 2213 Wilkens Ave. 20th Ward            1.) <b>Frank F. Coyle</b>, head, age 36, married for 5 yrs, born in MD, both parents            born in Ireland, electrical worker - railway, homwowner - mortgaged.            2.) Teresa A. Coyle, wife, age 34, married for 5 yrs, 0 children, father born in            Germany, mother born in MD.<sup>7</sup></p>
1918 Sep 11	Military Registration:	<p>WWI. Baltimore,, Maryland USA. <b>Frank Francis Coyle</b>            2213 Wilkens Ave, Baltimore            Age 45, born Nov. 4th 1872            Gray eyes, Dark hair            Electrician Foreman, Central Construction Corp, Edgewood Arsenal,            Edgewood, Harford Co. Maryland.            Nearest Relative: Mrs. Teresa Antoinette Coyle 2213 Wilkens Ave.            Baltimore<sup>1</sup></p>
1920 Jan 7	Census:	<p>Baltimore,, Maryland USA. Address: 2213 Wilkens Ave.            1.) <b>Frank F. Coyle</b>, head, age 43, born in MD, both parents born in Ireland,            electrician - government, homwowner - mortgaged.            2.) Teresa A. Coyle, wife, age 40, born in MD, father born in Germany, mother            born in MD.<sup>8</sup></p>
1928 May 24	Death of Spouse:	<p><b>Teresa Hessler</b>. In Baltimore,, Maryland USA.<sup>14</sup></p>
1934 Dec 1	Death of Mother:	<p><b>Mary Gorman</b>. In Baltimore,, Maryland USA.<sup>5</sup></p>
1935 Mar 21	Death:	<p>Baltimore,, Maryland USA. Cert #F-10921<sup>2</sup></p>
1935 Mar 23	Burial:	<p>New Cathedral Cemetery, Baltimore,, Maryland USA. Section KK, 1025 (no            marker at site)<sup>3</sup></p>
1935 Mar 23	Death Notice:	<p>Baltimore American. Baltimore,, Maryland USA.  <b>COYLE</b> (Schaeffer) - On March 21, 1935, <b>FRANK F.</b> beloved husband of            the late Teresa Coyle.            Funeral from the home of his sister, Mrs. Cletus J. Nitch, 2500 Ashton street,            on Saturday at 8:30 A.M. Requiem High Mass at St. Benedict's Church at 9            o'clock. Interment in Cathedral Cemetery.<sup>9</sup></p>

1. Ancestry.com, *World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918 [database on-line]*. (Provo, UT, USA: The Generations Network, Inc., 2005. Original data: United States, Selective Service System. World War I Selective Service System Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918. Washington, D.C.: National Archives and Records Administration. M1509, 4,582 rolls. Imaged from Family History Library microfilm.)
2. Baltimore City Health Department, Maryland, death certificate no. F-10291; Maryland State Archives, Annapolis.
3. *ProQuest Historical Newspapers The Baltimore Sun (1837-1985)*.
4. Baltimore City Health Department, Maryland, death certificate no. 29735 (1879); Maryland State Archives, Annapolis.
5. *New Cathedral Cemetery Records* (Interments and plat books, 1793 - 1977, Baltimore, Maryland. All records are on microform at the Maryland Historical Society in Baltimore. The plat records only are available at New Cathedral Cemetery, Baltimore).
6. 1880 U.S. census population schedule, Baltimore, Ward 12, 1st Precinct, enumeration district (ED) 105, p. 40, dwelling 334, family 358; digital images; citing National Archives and Records Administration microfilm T9.
7. 1910 U.S. census, Baltimore, Maryland population schedule, Baltimore, Ward 20, enumeration district (ED) 333, sheet 6; digital images; citing National Archives and Records Administration microfilm T624.
8. 1920 U.S. census, Baltimore City, Maryland population schedule, Baltimore, enumeration district (ED) 339, sheet 5; digital images; *Ancestry.com*; citing National Archives and Records Administration microfilm T625.
9. (The Baltimore American Newspaper, Baltimore Maryland, Enoch Pratt Library, Periodicals Department Archives).
10. Polk, *Baltimore City Directories 1905 - 1930, 1936, 1937, 1940, 1942,, 1956, 1958* (Baltimore, Maryland: R. L. Polk & Co., 1905 - 1930, etc.), 1905.
11. Polk, *Baltimore City Directories 1905 - 1930, 1936, 1937, 1940, 1942,, 1956, 1958* (Baltimore, Maryland: R. L. Polk & Co., 1905 - 1930, etc.), 1904.
12. Polk, *Baltimore City Directories 1905 - 1930, 1936, 1937, 1940, 1942,, 1956, 1958* (Baltimore, Maryland: R. L. Polk & Co., 1905 - 1930, etc.), 1903.
13. Polk, *Baltimore City Directories 1905 - 1930, 1936, 1937, 1940, 1942,, 1956, 1958* (Baltimore, Maryland: R. L. Polk & Co., 1905 - 1930, etc.), 1909.
14. Baltimore City Health Department, Maryland, death certificate no. E34247; Maryland State Archives, Annapolis.