

Bellerose, the member for Laval, can trace back his pedigree to our friend, Jack Hussey, from Dublin.

Thus also we find Jean Baptiste Riel, married at Isle du Pads, on the 21st January, 1704; he is surnamed "*Sansouci*," which we may translate either "*careless*" or "De'il may care," as we please; this "Riel" is described in the Register as having been a native of St. Peter's Parish, in the city of Limerick in Ireland; from the closeness of the dates, 1698 and 1704, from the singular *nick-name* (*sansouci*) he bore with his comrades, and from the consonance, "Riel" and Reilly, I should be inclined to think that our Isle du Pads friend was Jack Reilly, the de'il-may-care, all the way from Limerick, and that he must have given and taken some hard knocks under Sarsfield. This "Riel" or Reilly, as he should be called, is the direct ancestor of "Louis Riel" of Red River fame; and this fact may serve to account for the close friendship subsisting between Riel and O'Donoghoe.

Again, Louis de Buade, Count de Frontenac, while Governor here had a trusty servant named "Pierre Lehait," as chamberlain; and at the same time, there lived in Quebec, a man,