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Boyce

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The Buis (Boyce, Boice) family immigrated from the Palatine State in Germany to the American colony of New York in the early 1700's, and eventually branches of this family were to be found all over New York State.

Source - "The Palatine Families of New York" by Henry Z. Jones

After the American Revolutionary War of 1776 to 1783, John Boice Sr. settled in Matilda Township, Ont. and his two sons, Andrew and Stephen, settled in Ernesttown Township. John Sr. first went to Montreal with Sir John Johnson in 1776 and became a member of the King's Royal Regiment of New York.

Stephen Boice was also a member of the K. R. R. N.Y., he married Elizabeth Conklin in 1788. They had nine children. He was in Jessup's Corps of the K. R. R. N.Y. Andrew (b. 1763) married Elizabeth (Betsy) Hartman in 1787. Both settled in Ernesttown Township. all were United Empire Loyalists.

Source 1 - "Boyce (Boice) Family Files" in Queen's University Archives.
2 - "The Loyalist Trail" by R. M. Bruce

Children of Andrew Boyce (b. 1763) married to Betsy Hartman in 1787.
bpt 1789 - 1/2 David Boyce m 1 Hannah Amey (bpt 1789) → ERNESTTOWN. (O.C. = 1812)
2 Susannah Scriver in 1819 → Loughboro

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| | 1. | Mary Boyce | - bpt. 1792 | marr. Adam Van Wicklin |
| MARYSBURGH ← | 3. | Benjamin S. | - bpt 1794 | m. Hannah Laughlen Stover (d. 1822) |
| | 4. | Nicholas | " | Order-in-Council for Land Grants in 1834. |
| HUNGERFORD | 5. | Cyrenus | " | " " " " " " " " |
| | 6. | Zachariah | " | " " " " " " " " |
| RAWDON | 7. | Cornelius | " | " " " " " " " " |

Source: - "U.E. Links in Ernesttown" by Russ Waller U.E.

Note: - Andrew Boyce (b. 1811) and William Boyce (born about 1816) were children of David Boyce and his wife Hannah (nee Amey)

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Lost of Associated Loyalists (U. E. L.)'s to Cataragui Township #2 in 1784/5.

Cataragui TOWNSHIP #2 - later called Cresttown

Amev, John — Gen. Burgoyne	Hogle James — revolution
Amsbury, William — Jessup's Rangers	Hough, Barnabus — Jessup's Rangers
Amy, Nicholas — Jessup's Rangers	Hough, Broner — Jessup's Rangers
Asselstine, John — Jessup's Rangers	Howard, Edward — K.R.R.N.Y.
Asselstine, Isaac — Jessup's Rangers	Jackson, David — Jessup's Rangers
Asselstine, Peter — Jessup's Rangers	Jackson, James — Butler's Rangers
Baker, Frederick — Jessup's Rangers	Kroukheit, Hercules — K.R.R.N.Y.
Ball, Shadrack — Jessup's Rangers	Kroukheit, John — K.R.R.N.Y.
Ball, Solomon — Jessup's Rangers	Lake, Christopher — Jessup's Rangers
Beach, John — Jessup's Rangers	Lake, Thomas — Jessup's Rangers
Beavins, James — Jessup's Rangers	Lake, Nicholas — Col. Peter's Corps.
Booth, Benjamin — Jessup's Rangers	Leonard, John — Young Loyalist
Booth, Joshua — Jessup's Rangers	Lerrock, Francis — Jessup's Rangers
Bower, Adam — K.R.R.N.Y.	Lerrock, Peter — Jessup's Rangers
Boyce, Andrew — K.R.R.N.Y.	Lindsey, John — K.R.R.N.Y.
Boyce, Stephen — Jessup's Rangers	Maybe, John — Butler's Rangers
Briscoe, Isaac — Jessup's Rangers	Miller, Andrew — K.R.R.N.Y.
Briscoe, Nathan — Jessup's Rangers	Miller, Jacob — Associated
Burley, Freeman — Jessup's Rangers	McDougald, John — Jessup's Rangers
Carr, Daniel — Jessup's Rangers	McDougall, Peter — Jessup's Rangers
Christopher, John — British Soldier	McGin, George — Lieut. Indian Dept.
Comber, Jacob — Jessup's Rangers	McKenzie, Colin — Jessup's Rangers
Comber, Thomas — Jessup's Rangers	McKim, James — Jessup's Rangers
Daly, Peter — Jessup's Rangers	McKinnon, John — Jessup's Rangers
Davey Henry — K.R.R.N.Y.	McPherson, Peter — Jessup's Rangers
Davey, John — K.R.R.N.Y.	Parrott, James — Jessup's Rangers
Dickson, Francis — St. Leger's Corps.	Perry, John — Jessup's Rangers
Dusenberry, John — Jessup's Rangers	Perry, William — Jessup's Rangers
Fairfield, William — Elderly Pensioner	Peiry, Robert — Jessup's Rangers
Fairfield, William — son of William Sr.	Phillips, Michael — K.R.R.N.Y.
Fairfield, Jonathan — son of William Sr.	Purdy, David — Associated
Fairfield Stephen — son of William Sr.	Putnam, Cornelius — K.R.R.N.Y.
Fairfield, Benjamin — son of William Sr.	Redins, Francis — K.R.R.N.Y.
Finkle, Henry — Jessup's Rangers	Rogers John — K.R.R.N.Y.
Fraser, Kenneth — Jessup's Rangers	Rogers, William — Jessup's Rangers
Fraser, Thomas — Jessup's Rangers	Rose, Daniel — Jessup's Rangers
Fraser, William — K.R.R.N.Y.	Rose, Mathias — Jessup's Rangers
Frelick, Peter — Delancey's Corps.	Rush, Andrew — K.R.R.N.Y.
Freeman, Thomas — Jessup's Rangers	Schneider, Abraham — Jessup's Rangers
Garlough, John — K.R.R.N.Y.	Schneider, John — Jessup's Rangers
Gerolomey, James — Jessup's Rangers	Schneider, Isaac — Jessup's Rangers
George, John — Butler's Corps.	Sea, Harmons — Jessup's Rangers
Gilchrist, Peter — Jessup's Rangers	Sharpe, John — Jessup's Rangers
Gordonier, Henry — Jessup's Rangers	Sharpe, Gusbord — Jessup's Rangers
Gordonier, Jacob — Jessup's Rangers	Shibley, John — Jessup's Rangers
Hagerman, Tunis — Jessup's Rangers	Shibley, Jacob — Jessup's Rangers
Hartman, David — Jessup's Rangers	Shorey, David — Jessup's Rangers
Haven, John — Jessup's Rangers	Shawder, Magnus — Jessup's Rangers
Hawley, Ichabod — Jessup's Rangers	Simmonds, Henry — Jessup's Rangers
Hawley, Jephtha — Captain of Batteaux	Simmonds, Nicholas — Jessup's Rangers
Hawley, Martin — Jessup's Rangers	Snyder, Marcus — Jessup's Rangers
Hesse, Jacob — Jessup's Rangers	Storens, Gilbert — Jessup's Rangers
Hicks, Lewis — Jessup's Rangers	Stover, Martin — Jessup's Rangers
Hoffman, David — Jessup's Rangers	Swart, Simon — K.R.R.N.Y.
Haufman, Jacob — Hessian	Switzer, Phillip — Jessup's Rangers
Hoffman, Jacob — K.R.R.N.Y.	Thicle, John — Jessup's Rangers
Hogle, Francis — father	Thomas, Peter — Jessup's Rangers
Hogle, Bostian — killed in	Vanderheyden, Adam — Jessup's Rangers
	Vent, Adam — Jessup's Rangers

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The 1851- Census of Loughborough Township lists:-

① <u>David Boyce</u> - (Head) - Age 52 - marr. (Born in U.S.A.) - Ep. Methodist - Farmer.	
<u>Susannah</u> (nee Scriver) " 51 - " " Fredericksburgh " -	
<u>David Boyce</u> (son) " 21 - (single) " " Loughboro " -	on
<u>Mary Ann</u> " (daug) " 18 - " " " " " -	lot 3
<u>Catharine</u> " " " 16 - " " " " " -	Concession 3
<u>Susan</u> " " " 12 - " " " " " -	1 1/2 story
<u>Jonathan</u> " (son) " 10 - - " " " " " -	house
<u>George</u> " " " 7 - - " " " " " -	(50 acres)
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The 1861- Census of Loughborough Township lists:-

① <u>David Boyce</u> (Head) Age 29 - Born in Ont. Ep Methodist - Farmer.	
<u>A. C.</u> " (wife) " 26 - " " " " " -	
<u>James B</u> " son " 7 - " " " " " -	
<u>Susannah</u> " (mother) " 61 - " " " " " -	
<u>John</u> " " " 20 - " " " " " -	
<u>Peter</u> " " " 24 - " " " " " -	
<u>Susan</u> " " " 21 - " " " " " -	
<u>George</u> " " " 16 - " " " " " -	
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The 1871- Census of Portland Township lists:-

① <u>David Boyce</u> (Head) Age 39 - Born in Ont. - Ep. Methodist - English - Farmer.	
<u>Ann C.</u> " (wife) " 34 - " " " - " " - Irish	
<u>James</u> " son " 16 - " " " - " " - " (b. 1867)	
<u>John</u> " " " 9 - " " " - " " - " (<u>made mistake</u>)	
<u>George</u> " " " 7 - " " " - " " - " "	
<u>Catharine</u> " (daug) " 1 - " " " - " " - " "	
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The 1881 - Census of Portland Township list:-

							<u>Race</u>	
①	<u>David Boyce</u>	(Head)	- Age 49 -	Born in Ont -	Ep Methodist		<u>German</u>	- <u>Farmer</u>
	<u>Anna</u>	" (wife)	" 45 -	" " " -	" "		"	
	<u>John</u>	" (son)	" 20 -	" " " -	" "		"	- (b1868) <u>laser</u>
	<u>George</u>	" (son)	" 17 -	" " " -	" "		"	(near <u>Petersville</u>)
	<u>C. Ann</u>	" (daug)	" 11 -	" " " -	" "		"	"

The 1891 - Census of Camden East Township list:-

①	<u>John Boice</u>	(Head)	- Age 29 -	Born in Ont, -	Methodist -	<u>Laborer</u>
	<u>Charity</u>	" (wife)	" 27 -	" " " -	" -	
	<u>Noomi</u>	" (daug)	" 3 -	" " "		

The 1901 - Census of Portland Township lists:-

						<u>Race</u>	<u>Rel.</u>	<u>Acc</u>
①	<u>John Boyce</u>	(Head)	- Age 39 -	Born <u>16/June/1861</u>	in Ont (E) -	<u>English</u>	- <u>Methodist</u>	<u>Laborer</u>
	<u>Charity</u>	" (wife)	" 36 -	" <u>29/Dec/1864</u>	" " -	"	"	<u>on lot 7</u>
	<u>Noomi</u>	" (daug)	" 13 -	" <u>12/Sept/1887</u>	" " -	"	"	<u>Concession 5</u>
	<u>Albert</u>	" (son)	" 8 -	" <u>9/July/1892</u>	" " -	"	"	<u>Harrow's mill</u>
	<u>otto</u>	" (son)	" 6 -	" <u>21/Aug/1894</u>	" " -	"	"	<u>(near Pittsburg)</u>
	<u>Stappia</u>	" (daug)	" 2 -	" <u>31/July/1898</u>	" " -	"	"	<u>Harrow's mill village</u>
	<u>Sylvia</u>							

The 1901 - Census of Northward Camden East Township list:-

						<u>Race</u>		
①	<u>John Boyce</u>	(Head)	- Age 45 55 -	Born ?/July/1845	in Ont -	<u>Scotch</u>	- <u>Blacksmith</u>	- <u>Methodist</u>
	<u>Emily</u>	" (wife)	" 55 -	" <u>13/July/1845</u>	" " -	<u>Dutch</u>	- <u>act</u>	"
	<u>Minnie</u>	" (daug)	" 21 -	" <u>22/Sept/1879</u>	" " -	"	- <u>Colebrooke</u>	"
	<u>Manly</u>	" (son)	" 16 -	" <u>29/July/1884</u>	" " -	"	-	"

Source - Census Records on Tape at - Stauffer Library, Queen's Unvers

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