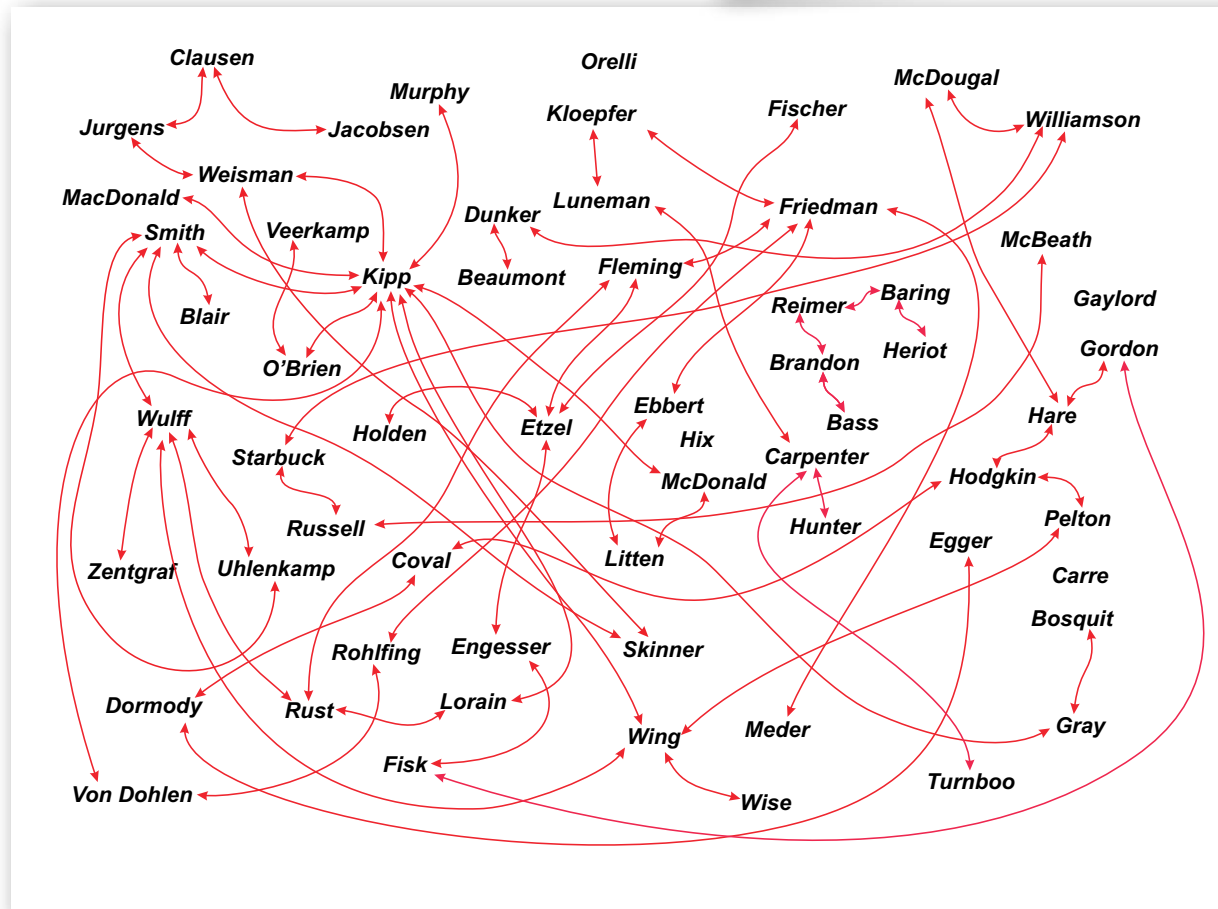


Pioneer Families of Rescue

Starting in 1849, there was a major influx of people into this area. Some of the first here were the miners searching for gold. Then came the entrepreneurs who earned a living providing goods and services for the miners. Then families began to arrive or form; many of them establishing deep roots that are still here today.

Note to Reader: Every attempt was made to develop accurate family trees. Some families were able to provide comprehensive and complete family records, but most of the family trees were developed using data available from the various U. S. Census records and Ancestry.com information. We apologize for any errors that may have crept into our presentations.

It is popular folklore that everyone in Rescue is related. There is more truth to that than you may realize. In the development of this book, an attempt has been made to show the family trees for as many of the pioneer families as possible. Some are more complete than others. Here, we have linked each of the families by marriages; you can see that *a lot* of the Rescue pioneers are cousins!



This graphic shows the connection by marriage between the many pioneer families of Rescue. It substantiates the rumor among the pioneer families that, "everyone is related!"