

The original of this letter is very difficult to read.

"Cedar Crest"
Leaning (??)
March 24, 1946

Dear Mr. Francis:

I am anxious to get more information about the Francis Family, which my aunt, Mrs. Joseph Anderson of Tronto, tells me you may be able to advise me. I am enclosing a memo as to the matters of which I would like information. My daughter Margaret who is attending Tronto University requires this in connection with one of her subjects. I have written to a number of relatives about other branches of the family. I would appreciate your assistance in the matter.

Sincerely yours,
Belle Francis Morris

- Editorial note:**
1. Belle is most probably Margaret Isabelle Francis (b.8/27/1895 - d.1/25/1981) and had a daughter Margaret Isobel Morris. The attached memo asked for genealogical information on Jonathan Francis (b.6/28/1820 - d.10/7/1888) and his father James Francis and his grandfather James Francis.
 2. Mrs. Joseph Anderson is Margaret Francis (1869-1954) daughter of Jonathan Francis.
 3. The recipient of the letter, Mr. Francis was probably Edgar A. Francis of Marshalltown, Iowa.