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Refurbishment of the family monument of Doctor Irma Le Vasseur

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Dr. Irma LeVasseur's family funeral monument had begun to deteriorate. This monument, located in the cemetery Saint-Charles at Quebec, needed a good cleaning; the flowerpots were to be reassembled in the right place. The Levasseur of America Association hired the services of a company that specializes in the refurbishment of funeral monuments. In addition, Dr. Irma's brother Paul's name was added to the monument. The inscriptions of the monument were also repainted.

The Levasseur Association of America thanks **Madeleine Levasseur**, one of its members, for having taken the necessary steps to have the monument restored.

<u>Dr. Irma LeVasseur</u>, the first female French-Canadian doctor, was buried in the family plot, located in the oldest section of the Saint-Charles cemetery at Quebec. This section is located on Saint-Vallier Street West. The family monument is located at the end of this section.

Dr. Irma rests beside her grandfather, <u>Zéphirin LeVasseur</u>, and her maternal grandmother, Marie-Madeleine Langevin, her father, Nazaire LeVasseur (LeVasseur L.N.Z. Major), her uncle Théophile LeVasseur, and her aunt Azilda Fortin. The Levasseur Association of America had Dr. Irma Levasseur's name engraved on the monument in 2004 and in 2018, Paul LeVasseur's name was added, Dr. Irma's brother.

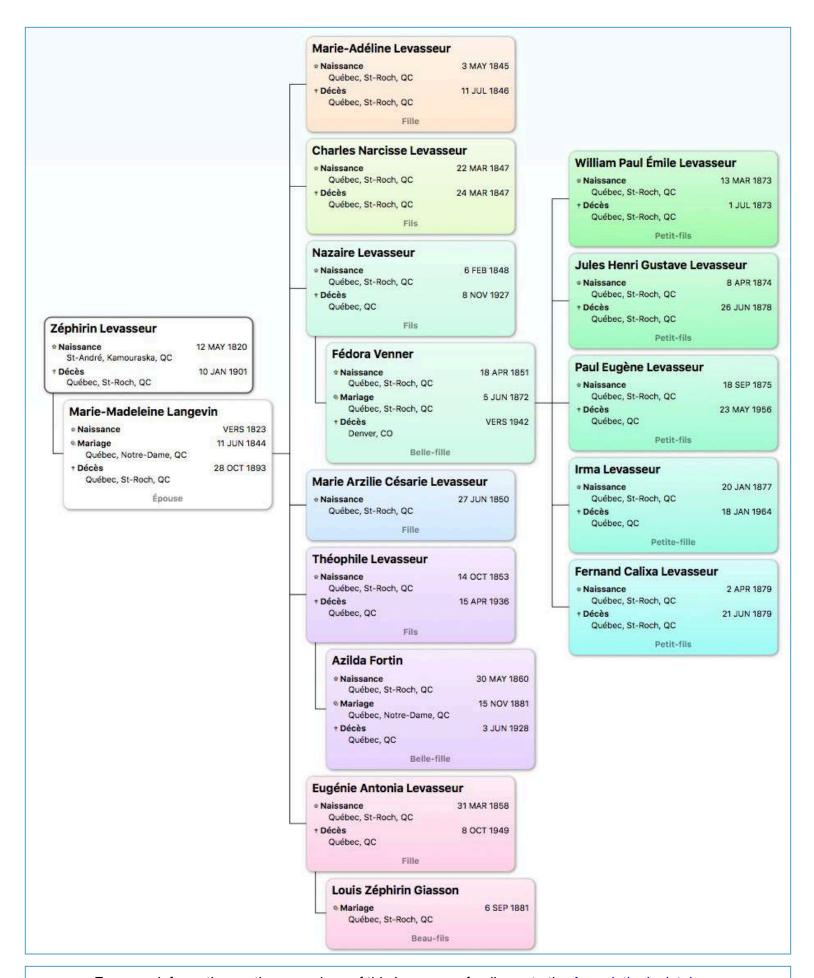
http://www.cimetierestcharles.ca/patrimoine-historique/carte-interactive/

The Saint-Charles cemetery has developed a guided tour to make historical figures of Québec better known. Dr. Irma LeVasseur is included on this tour. The cemetery has developed a mobile application that gives biographies of Québec historical figures. This application can be down loaded for free.



William Venner's mausoleum

In the section of the cemetery, located on West Saint-Vallier Street, <u>William Venner</u>'s mausoleum is located. He is Dr. Irmas, maternal grandfather. This rich banker is also part of the tour of the historical figures of Quebec.



For more information on the genealogy of this Levasseur family, go to the Association's database,

LEVASSEUR ASSOCIATION



The Association, Levasseur d'Amérique Inc. is a non-profit organization, founded in 1988, in accordance to a federal charter. Its goals are:

- To join together and unite a large number of Levasseur and other descendants who have adopted the patronymic Borgia, Carmel, Carmell, Vasseur, Vassor, Vasser.
- To promote, develop and diffuse historical genealogical knowledge about the Levasseur families with Internet, an electronic Newsletter published three times per year also the publication of genealogical dictionaries.
- To maintain and update, on an ongoing basis, the genealogical data base available to members at all times on the Internet.
- To make available to members a family photo album and the Newsletters that the Association has published since 1988.
- To honor the memory of our forefathers and their descendants by way of monuments, plaques or symbolic gestures that commemorate historic events that are chronicle the Levasseur family.
- To gather all documents related to the Levasseur family for the purpose of constructing archives that will constitute the heritage or our Association and that will provide a source of information for historians and genealogists.

We would appreciate if you could send us family related documents that would add to our data base of archives and also enable us to continue the publication of the Levasseur Newsletter three times per year. The participation of the Levasseurs and members of their families is essential to allow us to pursue our mission. Send us your photos and texts for the next publication of the Newsletter. You can download them very easily with this new tool and by providing a brief description of the photo or text that is being sent. Following receipt of your documents, a copy of all information to be published in the Newsletter will be sent to you for approval prior to final publication.

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