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Research Notes: Big Thunder

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Clara Neptune, 1919.

Big Thunder, Frank Loring, was called Blansway, that is Franceway, French for Frank. He was nicknamed Quenahquee Blansway, "Tall Francis".

Joseph Lolasses was half brother to Big Frank. No one knew where Big Thunder came from.

Bay dahgee was a Lincoln Indian, Stanislaus. Father to Steve Stanislaus. Same name and was called Old Baydahgee (Thunder) Clara says they came from Norrieagweek.

Clara says Molly Molasses' sister Sarah Molasses was killed murdered at the Dirigo Mill by mill hands. She used to drink. Her daughter Maggie married Sebattis Mitchell, that is Dr. Sebattis. Her daughter Mary married Joe Mitchell.

Note - their name Lolasses is a k'yan brother to Lola, I Lola is just what descents more of the Micmac named their children - first son in his father, plus sis, little; son on a different name, plus son in second; plus sis and little.