ster, where they held a family seat from very ancient times. The chief O'Connor Kerry was lord of a vast area north of Kerry prior to the Anglo-Norman invasion of 1170, when they were pushed further north. CThis web page shows only a small excerpt of our Connaires research. Another 188 words(13 lines of text) covering the years 1761, 1763, 1834, and 1852 are included under the topic Early Connaires History in all our PDF Extended History products. CMore information is included under the topic Early Connaires Notables in all our PDF Extended History products. CSome of the first settlers of this family name or some of its variants were: William Conner who settled in Plymouth, arriving on the "Fortune" in 1621; just a year after the "Mayflower," Cornelious Conner, who settled in Exeter in 1650. CThe Connaires Family Crest was acquired from the Houseofnames.com archives. The Connaires Family Crest was drawn according to heraldic standards based on published blazons. We generally include the oldest published family crest once associated with each surname. CThis page was last modified on 2 October 2003 at 15:42. Chouse of names.com