

1. **William Bremner** #759 b. c 1810, Banffshire?, occupation Gamekeeper?, m. in (unmarried), **Ann Stronach** #48425, b. c APR 1811, Botriphnie, BAN, SCT, 13 APR 1811, Botriphnie, BAN, SCT,¹ (daughter of **William Stronach** #48428 and **Jean Stewart** #48429) d. 14 FEB 1889, Haystown, Keith, BAN, SCT,² buried: Botriphnie Kirkyard, BAN, SCT.³ Was William related to John BREMNER, Superintendent of Rural Police, or was it simply coincidence that they both had an illegitimate son by Ann STRONACH? **Ann**: The supposition that the same woman, Ann STRONACH, was the mother of both Alexander and James BREMNER by two separate BREMNER fathers is supported by the marriage certificates of the two children. In addition, both children lived with Ann's father in Botriphnie in 1841.

Children:

2. i **James Bremner** #761 b. 1832.

Second Generation

2. **James Bremner** #761 b. 1832, Upper Asswanly, Botriphnie, BAN, SCT,⁴ occupation Gamekeeper, m. 23 FEB 1871, in Glass, ABD, SCT,⁵ **Helen Gauld** #766, b. 14 JAN 1853, Glass, ABD, SCT,⁶ (daughter of **George Gauld** #13291 and **Helen Milne** #13292) occupation Postwoman 1901, d. 28 DEC 1930, Bowmanhilllock, Huntly, BAN, SCT,⁷ buried: Glass Kirkyard, ABD, SCT.⁸ James died 02 JAN 1914, Drumbulg Cottage, Gartly, ABD, SCT,⁹ buried: Glass Kirkyard, ABD, SCT.⁸ 1861: Lived at Clay Lands, Fordyce in 1861. 1871: Lived at Drumbuan, Glass at time of marriage; at Loanhead, Glass in census. 1901: Lived at Drumbulg Cottage, Gartly. **Helen**: 1871: Lived at Lonehead, Glass at time of marriage. Left estate of GBP 107/10/2 to George BREMNER, Gamekeeper, Smithy Cottage, Drumbulg.

Children:

3. i **Helen Bremner** #763 b. 22 MAR 1871.
 4. ii **George Bremner** #762 b. 26 SEP 1872.
 5. iii **Jane Ann Bremner** #765 b. 10 FEB 1876.
 iv **Annie Bremner** #27982 b. 04 SEP 1878, Upper Asswanly, Glass, ABD, SCT.¹⁰
 v **James Bremner** #764 b. 08 FEB 1881, Upper Asswanly, Glass, ABD, SCT,¹¹ d. 10 APR 1881, Upper Asswanly, Glass, ABD, SCT.¹² 1881: Aged 1 month in census.
 6. vi **James Bremner** #27981 b. 04 MAR 1882.
 vii **Alexander Bremner** #27980 b. 12 FEB 1885, Upper Asswanly, Glass, ABD, SCT.¹³
 7. viii **Jessie Bremner** #28128 b. 08 AUG 1889.

Third Generation

3. **Helen Bremner** #763 b. 22 MAR 1871, Glass, ABD, SCT,¹⁴ occupation Cook, Domestic 1901, m. 08 JUN 1901, in Stewarts Hall, Huntly, ABD, SCT,¹⁵ **Peter Watt** #18387, b. 08 OCT 1866, Georges Street, Huntly, ABD, SCT,¹⁶ occupation Farmer, d. 30 JAN 1935, Bowmanhilllock, Longmanhill, Huntly, ABD.¹⁶ Helen died 30 DEC 1935, Huntly, ABD, SCT.¹⁷ 1901: Lived at Coynachie Farm, Gartly. Worked as cook for farmer William WILSON and family.

Children:

- i **Mary Ann Watt** #35196 b. 15 JUN 1891, Gordonsburn Cottage, Longhill, Huntly.¹⁶
 ii **William Watt** #35197 b. 1893, Gartly, ABD, SCT.¹⁶
 iii **Peter Watt** #35198 b. 30 SEP 1903, Coynachie Cottage, Gartly, ABD, SCT.¹⁶
 iv **Annie Watt** #35199 b. 15 FEB 1909, Bowmanhilllock, Longhill, ABD, SCT.¹⁶
 v **Ivy Helen Watt** #18388 b. 03 DEC 1910, Bowmanhilllock, Huntly, ABD, SCT.¹⁶ Informant at mother's death in 1935.

4. **George Bremner** #762 b. 26 SEP 1872, Glass, ABD, SCT,¹⁸ occupation Gamekeeper, m. (1) in (not married), **Isabella Scott** #50108, m. (2) 05 JAN 1905, in Temperance Hall, Huntly, ABD, SCT,¹⁹ **Elizabeth Garrow** #35200, b. 23 APR 1882, Contlach, Auchindoir, ABD, SCT,¹⁶ d. 04 MAR 1960, Jubilee Hospital, Huntly, ABD, SCT.¹⁶ George died 14 JUN 1961, Alexander Scotts, Huntly, ABD, SCT.¹⁶ 1914: Informant at father's death; lived at Clashendarroch Lodge, Gartly. 1930: Informant at mother's death; lived Smithy Cottage, Drumbulg.

Children by Isabella Scott:

8. i **Nanetta Bremner** #50109 b. 02 OCT 1894.

Children by Elizabeth Garrow:

- ii **George Bremner** #35201 b. 13 OCT 1905, Coynachie Lodge, Gartly, ABD, SCT,²⁰ d. 14 JAN 1982, Royal Infirmary, Aberdeen, ABD, SCT.¹⁶
 iii **Helen Bremner** #35202 b. 22 NOV 1906, Clashnadarroch, Gartly, ABD, SCT.²¹
 iv **Christina Elizabeth Bremner** #35203 b. 08 SEP 1908, Clashnadarroch, Gartly, ABD, SCT,²² d. 18 SEP 1908, Clashnadarroch, Gartly, ABD, SCT.²³
 9. v **James Bremner** #35204 b. 21 FEB 1910.

5. **Jane Ann Bremner** #765 b. 10 FEB 1876, Upper Asswanly, Glass, ABD, SCT,²⁴ m. (1) in (unmarried), **William Shand** #35685, occupation Farmer, m. (2) 08 JUN 1901, in Stewart Hall, Huntly, ABD, SCT,²⁵ **Alexander Runcie** #27807, b. 31 DEC 1876, Brae of Crombie, Marnoch, BAN, SCT,²⁶ (son of **Alexander Runcie** #28125 and **Elspe Stewart** #28126) occupation Farm Servant/Woodcutter, d. 18 DEC 1941, Marnoch, ABD, SCT,²⁷ buried: Marnoch Cemetery (New), BAN, SCT.²⁸ Jane died 10 APR 1954, Hilton, Auchenduran, Marnoch, BAN,

SCT,²⁹ buried: Marnoch Cemetery, BAN, SCT.²⁷ 1901: Lived with parents at Drumbulg Cottage. **Alexander**: 1901: Lived at Cairnton, Forgue at time of marriage.

Children by William Shand:

- i **Allan Bremner (or Shand)** #35686 b. c 1896,³⁰ occupation Farm Servant, m. 06 DEC 1921, in 54 Castle St., Aberdeen, ABD, SCT,³¹ **Mary Ann Gibb** #35687, b. c 1904,³² (daughter of **Peter Gibb** #35688 and **Alexina Shand** #35689) occupation Shop Assistant. 1921: Lived at Drumblade at time of marriage. **Mary**: 1921: Lived at 60 Gordon St., Huntly at time of marriage.

Children by Alexander Runcie:

- ii **Charles Stuart Bremner** #35205 b. 06 AUG 1894, Drumbulg, Gartly, ABD, SCT.³³
- iii **George Little Runcie** #27808 b. 31 DEC 1897, Drumbulg, Gartly, ABD, SCT,³⁴ d. 18 AUG 1920, Chalmers Hospital, Banff, BAN, SCT,³⁵ buried: Marnoch Cemetery, BAN, SCT.²⁷
- iv **Mabel Helen Runcie Bremner** #28127 b. 21 APR 1900, Kittlemarnoch, Gartly, ABD, SCT.³⁶
- v **Annie Runcie** #27809 b. 12 MAR 1902, Glendronach, Forgue, ABD, SCT,¹⁶ d. 30 JAN 1914, Brae of Crombie, Marnoch, BAN, SCT,²⁷ buried: Marnoch Cemetery, BAN, SCT.²⁷
- vi **Alexander Runcie** #35209 b. 25 OCT 1904, Glendronach, Forgue, ABD, SCT,¹⁶ m. (1)¹⁶ **Elizabeth Addison** #35210, m. (2) 15 APR 1932, in Strathbogie Hotel, Huntly, ABD, SCT,¹⁶ **Bessie Cowie Grant** #35211, b. c 1906.¹⁶ Alexander died 25 NOV 1976, Royal Infirmary, Aberdeen, ABD, SCT.¹⁶
- vii **James Bremner Runcie** #35206 b. 25 OCT 1904, Glendronach, Forgue, ABD, SCT.¹⁶
10. viii **Elsie Stuart Runcie** #35207 b. 30 JUL 1907.
- ix **Archibald Ronald Runcie** #35208 b. 1915.¹⁶

6. **James Bremner** #27981 b. 04 MAR 1882, Upper Asswanly, Glass, ABD, SCT,³⁷ m. 19 DEC 1908, in Gordons Temperance Hall, Huntly, ABD,³⁸ **Annie Campbell** #35212, b. 1890,¹⁶ d. 28 FEB 1968, Millwright Cottage, Pitmedden, Udney, ABB,¹⁶ buried: Tarves Kirkyard, ABD, SCT.³⁹ James died 12 FEB 1966, Cairnleith Croft, Ythanbank, ABD, SCT,¹⁶ buried: Tarves Kirkyard, ABD, SCT.³⁹

Children:

- i **Annie Bremner** #35213 b. 06 OCT 1909, Drumbulg Cottage, Gartly, ABD, SCT.⁴⁰
- ii **Walter Petrie Bremner** #35214 b. 30 MAY 1913, Moss-side of Newton, Culsalmond, ABD,⁴¹ m. **Lizzie (Bessie) Heron** #35239, d. 05 MAY 1960, North Meikle Moss, Slains, ABD, SCT,⁴² buried: Ellon? Churchyard, ABD, SCT.⁴² Walter died 07 SEP 1980, Netherhawkhillock, Ellon, ABD, SCT,⁴³ buried: Ellon, ABD, SCT.⁴²
- iii **Ivy Helen Bremner** #35238 b. 1926, Methlick, ABD, SCT,⁴⁴ d. 13 FEB 1932, Tarves, ABD, SCT,⁴⁵ buried: Tarves Kirkyard, ABD, SCT.³⁹

7. **Jessie Bremner** #28128 b. 08 AUG 1889, Gordonsburn, Huntly, ABD, SCT,⁴⁶ m. (1) **(unidentified) Fraser** #35219, m. (2) 19 DEC 1914, in Gordons Temperance Hotel, Huntly, ABD,⁴⁷ **George Featch** #35215, b. 05 DEC 1887, Ramsburn, Rothiemay, BAN, SCT,¹⁶ d. 22 NOV 1951, Jubilee Hospital, Huntly, ABD, SCT.¹⁶ Jessie died 14 MAR 1949, Jubilee Hospital, Huntly, ABD, SCT.⁴⁸

Children by (unidentified) Fraser:

11. i **Annie Fraser** #35220 b. 05 FEB 1909.
Children by George Featch:
- ii **Mary Helen McKenzie Bremner or Featch** #35218 b. 28 AUG 1913, Bowmanhillock, Huntly, ABD, SCT.⁴⁹
- iii **Alan Featch** #35216 b. 18 MAR 1917, Drumfergus, Huntly, ABD, SCT.¹⁶
- iv **James Featch** #35217 b. 03 JUN 1919, Drumfergus, Huntly, ABD, SCT.¹⁶
12. v **Richard William Featch** #53623 b. 06 OCT 1921.

Fourth Generation

8. **Nanetta Bremner** #50109 b. 02 OCT 1894, Raws of Noth, Rhynie, ABD, SCT,⁵⁰ occupation Domestic Servant, m. (1) in (unmarried), **(unidentified)** #50111, m. (2) 1937, in Keith, BAN, SCT,⁵¹ **(unidentified) Coutts** #50110. Nanetta died 1980, Portsoy, BAN, SCT.⁵² 920: Usual residence at time of twins' birth was Station Cottage, Kennethmont. **(unidentified)**: See RCE Vol 29, p 161, 31 DEC 1920 for identity of father, paternity determined by court decree.

Children by (unidentified):

- i **Mary Elizabeth Bremner** #50112 b. 21 FEB 1920, 6 Castle Terrace, Aberdeen, ABD, SCT.⁵³
- ii **George Alexander Bremner** #50113 b. 21 FEB 1920, 6 Castle Terrace, Aberdeen, ABD, SCT.⁵⁴

9. **James Bremner** #35204 b. 21 FEB 1910, Clashnadarroch, Gartly, ABD, SCT,⁵⁵ occupation Gardener, m. 02 DEC 1936, in Finzean Church, Birse, KCD, SCT,⁵⁶ **Annie Begg Fraser** #35221, b. 16 JUN 1914, Berryslack, Birse, ABD, SCT.¹⁶ James died 05 NOV 1970, Woodend Hospital, Aberdeen, ABD, SCT,¹⁶ buried: Banchory Devenick Kirkyard, KCD, SCT.⁵⁷

Children:

- i **Pearl Bremner** #35222 b. 21 MAR 1938, Stonehaven, KCD, SCT,⁵⁸ m. 21 JUL 1961, in Aberdeen Northern District, ABD, SCT,⁵⁹ **Alexander Octave Ozanne** #35223.

10. **Elsie Stuart Runcie** #35207 b. 30 JUL 1907, Lay Cottages, Fordyce, BAN, SCT,¹⁶ m. 12 AUG 1930, in 35 Abergeldie Terrace, Aberdeen, ABD,⁶⁰ **Robert Corsor** #35224, b. 08 MAR 1903, Hatton, Cruden, ABD, SCT.¹⁶ Elsie died 21 MAR 1978, Royal Infirmary, Aberdeen, ABD, SCT.¹⁶

Children:

- i **Hilda Rollo Corsor** #35225 b. 24 NOV 1930, 179 Crown St., Aberdeen, ABD, SCT.¹⁶

- ii **Robert Corsor** #35226 b. 10 APR 1932, Rowanbank, Bridge of Dee, Aberdeen, ABD,¹⁶ m. 05 OCT 1957, in East and Belmont Church, Aberdeen, ABD,⁶¹ **Mary Marshall** #35230.
 - iii **Douglas Corsor** #35227 b. 11 JUN 1933, 3 Menzies Road, Torry, Aberdeen, ABD,¹⁶ m. 07 AUG 1954, in St. Marys Episcopal, Aberdeen, ABD,⁶² **Jessie Raffan Birnie** #35231, b. 31 DEC 1932, 54 Cross St., Edinburgh, MLN, SCT.¹⁶
 - iv **Ivor Alexander Corsor** #35228 b. 03 JUL 1936, 195 School Drive, Aberdeen, ABD, SCT.¹⁶
 - v **Vincent Corsor** #35229 b. 14 MAY 1938, 195 School Drive, Aberdeen, ABD, SCT,¹⁶ m. 20 OCT 1962, in Northfield Church, Aberdeen, ABD, SCT,⁶³ **Margaret Rose Sangster** #35232, b. 27 NOV 1939, 357 Hilton Drive, Aberdeen, ABD, SCT.¹⁶ Vincent died 28 JUN 1984, Royal Infirmary, Aberdeen, ABD, SCT.¹⁶
11. **Annie Fraser** #35220 b. 05 FEB 1909, Loanend, Gartly, ABD, SCT,¹⁶ m. 24 DEC 1932, in Strathbogie Hotel, Huntly, ABD, SCT,⁶⁴ **George Horn** #35233, b. 04 JUL 1905, Westerpark, Glass, ABD, SCT,¹⁶ (son of **William Horn** #35234 and **Jane Gauld** #35235) d. 24 OCT 1991, Jubilee Hospital, Huntly, ABD, SCT.¹⁶
- Children:*
- i **Margaret Horn** #35236.
 - ii **George Gauld Horn** #35237 buried: Wallakirk Churchyard.¹⁶
12. **Richard William Featch** #53623 b. 06 OCT 1921, Rothiemay, BAN, SCT,⁶⁵ occupation Fisherman, m. 12 MAY 1944, in Edinburgh, MLN, SCT,⁶⁵ **Helen Lawson Thomson** #53624, b. 17 JAN 1915, Costorphine, Edinburgh, MLN, SCT,⁶⁵ d. 26 AUG 1991, Geraldton, Western Australia.⁶⁵ Richard died 20 MAR 1960, Geraldton, Western Australia.⁶⁵
- Children:*
- i **Norma Jean Featch** #53625 b. 04 NOV 1945, Edinburgh, MLN, SCT,⁶⁵ occupation Public Servant, m. 18 SEP 1976, in Queanbeyan, NSW, AUS,⁶⁵ (**unidentified**) **Dix** #53626.

¹ IGI LDSFS JUN 2009.

² GRO(S) Keith, BAN; ref. 0016-1889; c/d: Senile decay; Informant: George MILNE, Son; (Image 09-0161)

³ Monumental Inscriptions of Botriphnie, ANESFHS; ref. 202.

⁴ OPRI CD

⁵ SWR Glass ref. 0001-1871; Witnesses: John ROBERTSON, John GAULD; Minister: William DUGUID, Minister of Glass.

⁶ IGI LDSFS 2002

⁷ GRO(S) Huntly, ref. 0061-1930; c/d: Arterial deterioration, hemiplegia; Informant: George BREMNER, Son.

⁸ Photo and transcription, Glass Kirkyard, MAY 2006; (Image 06-4109).

⁹ GRO(S) Gartly, ref. 0001-1914; c/d: Endocarditis, bronchitis; Informant: George BREMNER, Son; (Image 05-2537).

¹⁰ GRO Glass ref. 0021-1878.

¹¹ SBRI Glass ref. 0003-1881; Marina Alexander, SEP 2006.

¹² SDRI Glass p 0005-1881; Marina Alexander, SEP 2006.

¹³ GRO Glass refr. 0007-1885.

¹⁴ IGI CD; SBRI Glass p 0016

¹⁵ SWRI Huntly, ref.0015-1901; Witnesses: Alexander WATT, Annie BREMNER; Minister: Alexander ANDERSON; Marina Alexander, SEP 2006.

¹⁶ Marina Alexander, SEP 2006.

¹⁷ SDR Huntly, ref. 0070-1935; c/d: Cancer of Stomach; Informant: Ivy Helen WATT, Daughter. (Image 03-0611).

¹⁸ IGI CD; SBRI Glass p 0030

¹⁹ Marina Alexander, SEP 2006. Witnesses: James BREMNER, Elsie WATT; Minister: Alexr. ANDERSON.

²⁰ SBRI Gartly, ref. 0019-1905; Marina Alexander, SEP 2006.

²¹ SBRI Gartly, ref. 0018-1906; Marina Alexander, SEP 2006.

²² SBRI Gartly, ref. 0013-1908; Marina Alexander, SEP 2006.

²³ SDRI Gartly, ref. 0010-1908; Marina Alexander, SEP 2006.

²⁴ SBRI Glass 0021-1876; Marina Alexander, SEP 2006.

²⁵ GRO-W Huntly, ref. 0014-1901; Witnesses: John RUNCIE, Bella RUNCIE; Minister: Alexander ANDERSON, Gartly; (Image 05-2538).

²⁶ Age at death 64; ANESFHS Marnoch MIs, ref. 462; age 24 at marriage in 1901... Marina Alexander, SEP 2006.

²⁷ Marnoch MIs, ANESFHS ref. 0462.

²⁸ ANESFHS Marnoch MIs, ref. 462.

²⁹ Marnoch MIs, ANESFHS ref. 0462; SDRI Marnoch, ref. 0004-1954; Marina Alexander, SEP 2006.

³⁰ Age 25 at time of marriage in 1921.

³¹ GRO(S) Aberdeen St. Nicholas, ref. 0817-1921; Witnesses: Mathew Couper ADAM, 30 Shiprow; James CAMERON, 2 Stewarts Lane, Aberdeen; Warrant of Sheriff Substitute; (Image 06-5127).

³² Age 17 at time of marriage in 1921.
³³ SBRI Gartly, ref. 0014-1894; Marina Alexander, SEP 2006.
³⁴ Age at death 23; ANESFHS Marnoch MIs, ref. 462; Marina Alexander, SEP 2006.
³⁵ Marnoch MIs, ANESFHS ref. 0462; Marina Alexander, SEP 2006.
³⁶ 1901 Gartly census; age/birthplace; SBRI Gartly, ref. 0011-1900; Marina Alexander, SEP 2006.
³⁷ GRO Glass, ref. 0005-1882.
³⁸ SWRI Huntly, ref. 0052-1908; Witnesses: William HOSIE, Annie W. PETRIE; Minister: Wm. SUTHERLAND; Marina Alexander, SEP 2006.
³⁹ Photo and transcription, MAY 2005 (Image 05-5031).
⁴⁰ Marina Alexander, SEP 2006; SBRI Huntly, ref. 0015-1909 (verify!)
⁴¹ SBRI Culsalmond, ref. 0007-1013; Marina Alexander, SEP 2006.
⁴² Photo and transcription, MAY 2003 (Image 03-1084).
⁴³ Marina Alexander, SEP 2006; GRO(S) Ellon, ABD; 316/00 0056-1980; (scotlandspeople.gov.uk).
⁴⁴ SBRI Methlick, ref. 0012-1926.
⁴⁵ Photo and transcription, MAY 2005 (Image 05-5031); GRO(S) Tarves, ABD, ref. 243/00 0006-1932.
⁴⁶ 1901 Gartly census; age/birthplace; SBRI Huntly, ref. 0103-1889.
⁴⁷ Witnesses: George ANGUS, Elizabeth W. GRANT; Minister: Wm. SUTHERLAND. Marina Alexander, SEP 2006.
⁴⁸ Marina Alexander, SEP 2006; SDRI Huntly, ref. 0032-1949.
⁴⁹ SBRI Huntly, ref. 0094-1913; SBRI Gartly, ref. 0022-1913; Marina Alexander, SEP 2006.
⁵⁰ GRO(S) Rhynie, ABD; ref. 0026-1894.
⁵¹ GRO(S) Keith, BAN; index ref. 0023-1937.
⁵² GRO(S) Portsoy, BAN; ref. 0039-1980.
⁵³ GRO(S) Aberdeen St. Nicholas, ABD; ref. 0764-1920.
⁵⁴ GRO(S) Aberdeen St. Nicholas, ABD; ref. 0765-1920.
⁵⁵ Marina Alexander, SEP 2006.
⁵⁶ SWRI Birse, ref. 0005-1936; Witnesses: George BREMNER, Rosie FRASER; Minister: John Dawson MCLEAN. Marina Alexander, SEP 2006.
⁵⁷ Photo and transcription, MAY 2003 (Image 03-1095).
⁵⁸ Marina Alexander, SEP 2006.
⁵⁹ Witnesses: Margaret S. MURRAY, Helen M. MAIN; Registrar: Albert SMITH. Marina Alexander, SEP 2006.
⁶⁰ Witnesses: James WILSON, Eva M. WATT; Minister: James T. KELLAS; Marina Alexander, SEP 2006.
⁶¹ Marina Alexander, SEP 2006. Witnesses: J. MARSHALL, Hilda CORSOR; Minister: D. JOHNSTON.
⁶² Witnesses: George WATSON, H. CORSOR; Minister: Wm. MAINE, Rector of St. Marys; Marina Alexander, SEP 2006.
⁶³ Witnesses: Kenneth CRANNA, H. CORSOR; Minister: D. Ross FLOCKHART; Marina Alexander, SEP 2006.
⁶⁴ Witnesses: Alexander HORN, Mary FEATCH; Minister: William WHITE; Marina Alexander, SEP 2006.
⁶⁵ AESFHS Family Genealogies, Norma DIX, 5542 (2000).