

Generation One

1. **Benjamin Bremner** #15686, b. c 1801 in Wick?, CAI, SCT,¹ occupation Fisherman, d. before 1851.

1841: Family lived at Staxigoe, Wick, CAI.

He married **Janet Harper** #15685, 12 NOV 1830 in Wick; 06 DEC 1830, Canisbay, CAI, SCT,² b. c 1810 in Wick?, CAI, SCT.³

Janet: Janet was head of household in 1851; family at Staxigoe, was recipient of Poor Relief in 1851.

Children:

- i. **Elizabeth Bremner** #15687, b. 1831 in Wick, CAI, SCT,² d. infancy?
not with family in 1841 census.
2. ii. **Benjamin Bremner** #15688 b. c 1832.
3. iii. **John Sinclair Bremner** #15689 b. c 1835.
4. iv. **Helen Bremner** #15690 b. c 1837.

Generation Two

2. **Benjamin Bremner** #15688, b. c 1832 in Wick, CAI, SCT,⁴ d. 1912 in Wick, CAI, SCT,⁵ occupation Fisher 1851-81.

1861-1891: Lived at Staxigoe.

He married **Margaret Dunnet** #15691, 26 JAN 1855 in Staxigoe, Wick, CAI, SCT,⁶ b. c 1830 in Wick, CAI, SCT, d. 1892 in Wick, CAI, SCT.⁷

Children:

- i. **Benjamin Bremner** #15692, b. 22 APR 1855 in Wick, CAI, SCT,⁸ d. infancy?
1861: Not with family 1861.
 5. ii. **John Bremner** #15693 b. 24 DEC 1856.
 6. iii. **James Bremner** #15694 b. 13 JAN 1859.
 7. iv. **Elizabeth Bremner** #15695 b. 06 MAR 1862.
3. **John Sinclair Bremner** #15689, b. c 1835 in Wick, CAI, SCT,⁴ d. 01 DEC 1901 in McLeod St., Edinburgh, MLN, SCT,⁹ occupation Cooper.

1881: Family at 6 Argyle Square, Wick.

1891: Family at 10 Newton St., Edinburgh.

1901: Family at 3 McLeod St., Edinburgh. John was retired.

He married **Williamina Smith** #15981, 21 DEC 1866 in Wick, CAI, SCT,¹⁰ b. c 1844 in Wick, CAI, SCT (daughter of **(unidentified) Smith** #40468 and **Elizabeth Wilson** #40467).

Children:

8. i. **Benjamin Bremner** #15982 b. 27 MAY 1868.
- ii. **William Bremner** #15983, b. 20 OCT 1869 in Wick, CAI, SCT,¹¹ d. 25 AUG 1880 in Argyle Square, Pulteneytown, Wick, CAI.¹²
- iii. **Elizabeth Bremner** #15984, b. 29 JAN 1872 in Wick, CAI, SCT,¹¹ occupation Domestic Servant.

She married **Alexander Webster** #56073, 26 APR 1907 in 6 Anglo? Park Terrace, Edinburgh, MLN, SCT,¹³ b. c 1875,¹⁴ (son of **Alexander Webster** #56074 and **Mary Gilmore** #56075), occupation Shoemaker.

9. iv. **Jessie Bremner** #15985 b. 30 JUN 1873.
10. v. **Alexander A. Bremner** #15986 b. c 1877.
- vi. **John Bremner** #15987, b. c 1878 in Wick, CAI, SCT, occupation Labourer 1901, d. 05 FEB 1954 in Royal Infirmary, Edinburgh, MLN, SCT.¹⁵
- 1901: Lived at home with parents,
(unmarried)
1954: Usual residence at death: 266 Colinton Road, Edinburgh, MLN.
- vii. **Jane Walker Smith Bremner** #15988, b. c 1880 in Wick, CAI, SCT, d. 1950 in Edinburgh St. Andrew, MLN, SCT,¹⁶ occupation Stationery Shop 1901.
- 1881: Aged 3 months at time of census.
1903: Lived at 2 Whyte Park, Edinburgh at time of marriage.
- She married **Alex Wallace** #48688, 12 JUN 1903 in 12 Hermand Pl., Edinburgh, MLN, SCT,¹⁷ b. c 1880,¹⁸ (son of **James Wallace** #48689 and **Janet Smith** #48690), occupation Mason.
- Alex**: 1903: Lived at 12 Hermand Pl., Edinburgh at time of marriage.
- viii. **John Bremner** #44241, b. c MAR 1875 in Wick, CAI, SCT,¹⁹ d. 22 APR 1875 in Brown Place, Wick, CAI, SCT.²⁰

4. **Helen Bremner** #15690, b. c 1837 in Wick, CAI, SCT.²¹

She married **David Farquhar** #26342, 22 DEC 1864 in Staxigoe, Wick, CAI, SCT,²² b. c 1834,²³ (son of **Eric Farquhar** #26343 and **Mary Davidson** #26344), occupation Cooper.

Children:

- i. **David Farquhar (or Bremner)** #26355, b. 05 JUL 1859 in Wick, CAI, SCT.²⁴
- ii. **Mary Farquhar** #26354, b. 08 JUN 1865 in Wick, CAI, SCT.²⁴
- iii. **Isabella Farquhar** #26353, b. 04 JUN 1867 in Wick, CAI, SCT.²⁴
- iv. **Janet Farquhar** #26357, b. 10 MAY 1869 in Wick, CAI, SCT.²⁴
- v. **Ann Farquhar** #26356, b. 14 OCT 1871 in Wick, CAI, SCT.²⁴

Generation Three

5. **John Bremner** #15693, b. 24 DEC 1856 in Wick, CAI, SCT,¹¹ d. 30 DEC 1937 in Staxigoe, Wick, CAI, SCT,²⁵ occupation Cooper.

1901: Family lived at Staxigoe.

He married **Elizabeth Main (Shearer)** #15696, 04 OCT 1889 in Hutchesontown Church, Glasgow, LKS, SCT,²⁶ b. c 1855,²⁷ (daughter of **William Shearer** #32379 and **Jane Campbell Sutherland** #32380), occupation Domestic Servant.

Elizabeth:

1889: Lived in Staxigoe at time of Glasgow marriage.

Children:

- i. **Janet Bremner** #15697, b. 1891 in Wick, CAI, SCT,²⁸ occupation Dressmaker 1911.
- ii. **Benjamin John Bremner** #16191, b. 1893 in Wick, CAI, SCT,²⁹ occupation Bank Clerk 1911.
- Did he marry Elizabeth BANNERMAN in NSW, AUS in 1927?
11. iii. **William Shearer Bremner** #16192 b. 17 AUG 1895.
- iv. **John Bremner** #16193, b. c 1898 in Wick, CAI, SCT.³⁰
- v. **William Bremner** #43760, b. 03 JUN 1902 in 37 Huddart St., Wick, CAI, SCT.³¹

vi. **Jessie Maine Bremner** #50623, b. 1904 in Wick, CAI, SCT.³²

(verify).

6. **James Bremner** #15694, b. 13 JAN 1859 in Wick, CAI, SCT,³³ occupation Cooper.

1891-1901: Family at Staxigoe, Wick.

He married **Jane Green** #15698, 1884 in Canisbay, CAI, SCT,³⁴ b. c 1862 in Canisbay, CAI, SCT,³⁵ occupation Dressmaker.

Children:

i. **Benjamin Bremner** #15699, b. 1885 in Wick, CAI, SCT.³⁶

ii. **Maggie Jane Bremner** #15700, b. 1888 in Wick, CAI, SCT.³⁷

1911: Residence when married: Staxigoe, Wick, CAI.

She married **Peter Thomson** #57583, 17 FEB 1911 in Staxigoe, Wick, CAI, SCT,³⁸ b. c 1884,³⁹ (son of **William Thomson** #57584 and **Jane Smith** #57585), occupation Cooper (Journeyman).

Peter:

1911: Residence when married: 50 Willowbank, Wick, CAI.

iii. **Hugh Green Bremner** #16186, b. 1892 in Wick, CAI, SCT,⁴⁰ d. 12 NOV 1971 in Elgy House, Staxigoe-by-Wick, Wick, CAI, SCT,⁴¹ buried in Wick New Cemetery, CAI, SCT,⁴² occupation Farmer.

(unmarried).

12. iv. **John Bremner** #16187 b. c 1894.

v. **James Bremner** #16188, b. c 1896 in Wick, CAI, SCT.³⁰

vi. **Jane Bremner** #16189, b. c 1899 in Wick, CAI, SCT.³⁰

vii. **Elizabeth Bremner** #16190, b. 1900 in Wick, CAI, SCT.⁴³

7. **Elizabeth Bremner** #15695, b. 06 MAR 1862 in Wick, CAI, SCT,¹¹ d. 26 DEC 1937 in Howe, Lyth, Keiss, CAI, SCT.⁴⁴

1889: Lived at Staxigoe, Wick at time of marriage.

She married **Donald Dickson** #38903, 08 NOV 1889 in Staxigoe, Wick, CAI, SCT,⁴⁵ b. 16 FEB 1866 in Lyth Inn, Bower, CAI, SCT,⁴⁶ (son of **James Dickson** #38904 and **Janet Manson** #38905), d. 27 OCT 1931 in Howe, Lyth, Keiss, CAI,⁴⁷ occupation Ploughman.

Donald:

1889: Lived at Nass, Wick at time of marriage.

1901: Lived in Staxigoe, Wick with family and father-in-law Benjamin BREMNER.

Children:

i. **Maggie Lizzie Dickson** #44991, b. 27 JAN 1891 in Staxigoe, Wick, CAI, SCT,⁴⁷ d. 02 JAN 1892 in Staxigoe, Wick, CAI, SCT.⁴⁷

ii. **Jessie Dickson** #44992, b. 03 JUN 1893 in Staxigoe, Wick, CAI, SCT,⁴⁷ d. 06 JUN 1896 in Staxigoe, Wick, CAI, SCT.⁴⁷

iii. **Donald "Danie" Dickson** #44993, b. 22 JUL 1895 in Staxigoe, Wick, CAI, SCT,⁴⁷ d. 25 JUL 1970 in Lochend, Barrock, Dunnet, CAI, SCT.⁴⁷

iv. **Margaret Dickson** #44994, b. 27 APR 1898 in Staxigoe, Wick, CAI, SCT,⁴⁷ d. 16 MAR 1965 in Town & County Hospital, Wick, CAI, SCT.⁴⁷

8. **Benjamin Bremner** #15982, b. 27 MAY 1868 in Wick, CAI, SCT,¹¹ occupation 1901 Horseshoer.

1891: Lived with family, unmarried. 1891: Lived at 10 Newton St., Edinburgh at time of marriage; Blacksmith. 1901: Informant at father's death, res. 116 Gorgie Road, Edinburgh.

He married (1) **Grace Gilchrist Dempster** #25686, 24 JUL 1891 in Moffatt, DFS, SCT,⁴⁸ b. 01 NOV 1866 in Wiarnton & Roberton, LKS, SCT,⁴⁹ (daughter of **Alexander Dempster** #25687 and **Marion Gilchrist** #25688), d. 1895 in Edinburgh St. George, MLN, SCT,⁵⁰ occupation Domestic Servant.

Grace: 1891: Lived at Allan Cottage, Moffatt at time of marriage.

Children:

- i. **Williamina Smith (Minnie) Bremner** #19595, b. 1891 in Edinburgh, MLN, SCT,⁵¹ d. 1972 in Aberdeen, ABD, SCT.⁵²

She married (1) **Robert Croall McGibbon** #46329, 1915 in Edinburgh, MLN, SCT.⁵³

She married (2) **Ogston Gill Grigor** #46330, 1919 in Edinburgh, MLN, SCT.⁵⁴

- ii. **Marion Gilchrist Bremner** #19596, b. 1893 in Edinburgh, MLN, SCT,^{55,56} d. 1953 in Leith, MLN, SCT.⁵⁷

1914: Lived at 166 Gorgie Street, Edinburgh when married.

She married **Fletcher Welsh** #57537, 20 FEB 1914 in 144 Gorgie Street, Edinburgh, MLN, SCT,⁵⁸ b. c 1894,⁵⁹ (son of **John Welsh** #57538 and **Helen Swanson** #57539), occupation Distiller's Warehouseman.

Fletcher:

1914: Lived at 42 North Fore? Street, Leith, MLN when married.

He married (2) **Helen Lightbody** #19594, 1896 in Edinburgh St. George's, MLN, SCT.⁶⁰

Children:

- iii. **Arthur Bremner** #19597, b. 03 OCT 1898 in 106 Gorgie Road, Edinburgh, MLN, SCT.⁶¹

- iv. **Marion Gilchrist Bremner** #64941, b. 1893 in Edinburgh, MLN, SCT,⁶² d. 1953 in Leith, MLN, SCT.

9. **Jessie Bremner** #15985, b. 30 JUN 1873 in Wick, CAI, SCT.¹¹

1896: Lived at 10 Newton St., Edinburgh at time of marriage.

She married **William McCabe** #40730, 10 JUN 1896 in 10 Newton St., Edinburgh, MLN, SCT,⁶³ b. c 1875 in Balerno, MLN, SCT,⁶⁴ (son of **(unidentified)** #40731 and **Elizabeth McCabe** #40732), occupation Railway Servant.

William: 1896: Lived at Gorgie Mills, Gorgie, Edinburgh at time of marriage. 1901: Lived at 7 Wardlaw Pl., Edinburgh with family. Brick Works Labourer.

Children:

- i. **William McCabe** #40751, b. c 1897 in Edinburgh, MLN, SCT.⁶⁵

- ii. **Elizabeth McCabe** #40752, b. c 1900 in Edinburgh, MLN, SCT.⁶⁵

10. **Alexander A. Bremner** #15986, b. c 1877 in Wick, CAI, SCT, occupation Railway Fireman 1901.

at home 1901, unmarried. 1914: worked as Porter (Railway) at time of marriage.

He married **Mary Young Winning** #17483, 09 NOV 1914 in Victoria Harbour, ON, CAN,⁶⁶ (daughter of **John Winning** #17484 and **Katherine Campbell** #17485).

Children:

- i. **Benjamin Bremner** #17486, b. 23 DEC 1923 in Port McNicoll, ON, CAN, d. 23 DEC 1923 in Port McNicoll, ON, CAN.⁶⁷

Generation Four

11. **William Shearer Bremner** #16192, b. 17 AUG 1895 in Wick, CAI, SCT,⁶⁸ d. 10 JAN 1977 in Royal Infirmary, Edinburgh, MLN, SCT,⁶⁹ cremated 12 JAN 1977 in Warriston Crematorium, Edinburgh, MLN, SCT,⁷⁰ occupation Joiner.

1930: Residence when married: 12? Richmond Terrace, Edinburgh.

1977: Usual residence at death: 71 North Lanhjton (Saughton?) Road, Edinburgh, MLN.

He married **Janet Clarkson Nicol** #58555, 24 DEC 1930 in 82 Leith Street, Edinburgh, MLN, SCT,⁷¹ b. c 1903,⁷² (daughter of **George Nicol** #58556 and **Anne Young** #58557), d. 1976 in Edinburgh, MLN, SCT.⁷³

Janet:

1930: Residence when married: Glenavon, Saughton Road, Corstorphine, MLN.

Children:

- i. **John Bremner** #58558.

1977: Informant at father's death. Residence 20 York Place, Edinburgh.

12. **John Bremner** #16187, b. c 1894 in Wick, CAI, SCT,³⁰ d. 10 OCT 1968 in 16 Cobden Crescent, Edinburgh, MLN, SCT,⁷⁴ cremated 12 OCT 1968 in Warriston Crematorium, Edinburgh, MLN, SCT,⁷⁰ occupation Builder (Master).

He married **Helen MacDonald** #56533, 1923 in Wick, CAI, SCT,⁷⁵ d. 1980?

Children:

- i. **Norman Bremner** #56534.

1968: Informant at father's death.

¹ Age 41 shown in 1841 Staxigoe census.

² OPRI CD; also recorded 10 FEB 1848 in Walls and Flotta, OKI.

³ Age 30 in 1841 Staxigoe, Wick, CAI census.

⁴ 1841 Wick census; age/birthplace.

⁵ SDRIO Wick, ref. 0110-1912.

⁶ SWRI Wick, ref. 0001-1855.

⁷ SDRI Wick, ref. 0127-1892.

⁸ SBRI Wick, ref. 0051-1855.

⁹ SDR Edinburgh St. George, ref. 1337-1901; c/d: Senile decay, meningeal congestion; Informant: Benjamin BREMNER, Son. (Image 03-4071).

¹⁰ SWRI Wick, ref. 0049-1866 (verify).

¹¹ IGI CD.

¹² SDR Wick, ref. 0133-1880; c/d: Phthisis pulmonalis, 8 months; Informant: John BREMNER, Father; (Image 03-0727).

¹³ GRO(S) Edinburgh Morningside, MLN; ref. 685/06 0109-1907; Witnesses: Barbara WALLACE, James WIGHT; Minister: A. WILBERFORCE; (Image 11-0167).

¹⁴ Age 32 at marriage in 1907.

¹⁵ GRO(S) Edinburgh George Square, MLN; ref. 685/05 0222-1954; c/d: Left Hemiplegia, hypertension, bronchopneumonia; Informant: G. MATINALL (ill), Niece; res. 16 Loughton Loan, Edinburgh.

¹⁶ SDRI Edinburgh St. Andrew, ref. 0762-1950.

¹⁷ GRO(S) Edinburgh Morningside, MLN; ref. 0096-1903; Witnesses: Alex BREMNER, Mary WALLACE; Minister: J. Bell NICOLL; (Image 09-0212).

¹⁸ Age 23 at marriage in 1903.

¹⁹ Age 1 months at time of death.

²⁰ GRO(S) Wick, CAI; ref. 0107-1875; c/d: Erysipelas, 11 days; Informant: John BREMNER, Father.

²¹ 1841 Staxigoe census; age.

²² SWR Wick Burgh, ref. 0018-1864; Witnesses: Benjamin BREMNER, John FARQUHAR; Minister: William LILLIE, Wick; (Image 05-0039).

²³ Age 30 at marriage in 1864.

²⁴ IGI LDSFS DEC 2004.

²⁵ SDR Wick, ref. 0157-1937; c/d: Heart block, cardiac failure; Informant: James PLOWMAN, Son-in-law; (Image 05-0246).

²⁶ GRO(S) Glasgow Gorbals, ref. 0452-1889; Witnesses: Isabella CAMPBELL, James FISHER; Minister: Robert MONVEATH?, Hutchesontown Parish Church; (Image 06-2044).

²⁷ Age 34 at marriage in 1889.

²⁸ 1891 Wick census; age 5 months; SBRI Wick, ref. 0053-1891.

²⁹ 1901 Wick census; age/birthplace; SBRI Wick, ref. 0125-1893.

³⁰ 1901 Wick census; age/birthplace.

³¹ GRO(S) Wick, ref. 0134-1902.

32 GRO(S) Wick, CAI; index ref. 0131-1904; (verify).
33 IGI.
34 SWRI Canisbay, ref. 0014-1884 (verify).
35 1891 Wick census; age/birthplace.
36 SBRI Wick, ref. 0167-1885.
37 SBRI Wick, ref. 0087-1888 (verify).
38 NRS Wick, CAI; ref. 043/00 0007-1911; Witnesses: Janie THOMSON, Harriet CAMPBELL; Minister: John M. DICKIE; (Image 11-2183).
39 Age 27 at marriage in 1911.
40 1901 Wick census; age/birthplace; SBRI Wick, ref. 0297-1892.
41 NAS Wick, CAI; ref. 043/00 0118-1971; c/d: Acute bronchitis, chronic bronchitis, generalised arteriosclerosis; Informant: R. Clemens KUERNYSKI?, Nephew.
42 Wick New Cemetery photo, MAY 2007; (Image 07-3301).
43 1901 Wick census; age/birthplace; SBRI Wick, ref. 0323-1900.
44 Susan McLaren, AUG 2008; GRO(S) Wick ref. 0012-1937.
45 GRO(S) Wick, ref. 0045-1889; Witnesses: William MOWATT, Isabella FARQUHAR; Minister: Alexander CLARK; (Image 07-4213).
46 Age 24 at marriage in 1889; Susan McLaren, AUG 2008.
47 Susan McLaren, AUG 2008.
48 SWR Moffatt, ref. 0012-1891; Witnesses: W. BURT, Margaret DEMPSTER; Minister: Robert STEVENS, Moffatt; (Image 04-6908).
49 Age 24 at marriage in 1901; IGI LDSFS 2004.
50 SDRI Edinburgh St. George, ref. 1148-1895.
51 1901 Edinburgh census; age/birthplace (Image 02-1193); SBRI Edinburgh St. George, MLN; ref. 2140-1891.
52 GRO(S) Aberdeen, ABD; index ref. 300/00 0187-1972.
53 SWRI Edinburgh St. George's, ref. 0047-1915.
54 SWRI Edinburgh St. George's; ref. 1802-1919; both husbands verified by death index details.
55 1901 Edinburgh census; age/birthplace (Image 02-1193).
56 NRS Edinburgh St. George, MLN; index ref. 0950-1893.
57 NRS Leith, MLN; index ref. 0498-1953.
58 NRS Edinburgh Morningside, MLN; ref. 685/06 0038-1914; Witnesses: Williamina Smith BREMNER, Robert Cornell MCGIBBON; Minister: John Reid HEWISON; (Image 11-2203).
59 Age 20 when married in 1914.
60 SCWRI ref. 0451-1896.
61 1901 Edinburgh census; age/birthplace; (Image 02-1193); NRH Edinburgh ST. George, ref. 2060*1898.
62 NRS Edinburgh St. George, MLN; index ref. 0950-1893.
63 GRO(S) Edinburgh St. George's, ref. 0199-1896; Witnesses: Alexander BREMNER, Janet LAWRIE or MCKILLOP; Minister: J. Bell NICOLL; (Image 07-5284).
64 Age 21 at marriage in 1896; 1901 Edinburgh St. George census; age/birthplace/relationship.
65 1901 Edinburgh St. George census; age/birthplace/relationship.
66 ONVS ref. 019733-1914; Witnesses: Mrs. R. WATT. J. CAMPBELL (both of Port McNicoll, ON).
67 ONVS deaths, ref. 031198-1923; c/d: Stillborn.
68 1901 Wick census; age/birthplace; date from death certificate.
69 NRS Edinburgh George Square, MLN; ref. 738/00 0025-1977; c/d: Massive pulmonary embolism, deep venous thrombosis; Informant: John BREMNER, Son, 20 York Place.
70 deceasedonline January 2012.
71 NRS Edinburgh Canongate, MLN; ref. 0357-1930; Witnesses: Seton Smith PLOWMAN, Elizabeth D. ALLAN; Minister: Oswald MILLIGAN, Corstorphine.
72 Age 73 at death in 1976.
73 NRS Edinburgh George Square, MLN; index ref. 738/00 0344-1976.
74 GRO(S) Edinburgh Newington, MLN; ref. 685/06 0705-1968; c/d: Cancer of prostate; Informant: Norman BREMNER, Son.
75 GRO(S) Wick, CAI; index ref. 043/00 **** 1922; verified by John's death certificate.