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Generation One

1. Alexander Bremner #15760, b. c 1805? in Wick?, d. before 1841, occupation Farmer.

He married **Isabella Malcolm** #15759, 22 January 1830 in Wick, CAI, SCT, ¹ b. c 1810 in Wick, CAI, SCT, ² (daughter of **John Malcolm** #24411 [Shoemaker] and **Janet Coghill** #24412), d. 07 June 1886 in Achairn, Wick, CAI, SCT. ³

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1841-51: Lived at Blingery, Wick with children.

1871: Lived with son William BREMNER at Achairn.

Children:

- 2. i. **William Bremner** #13584 b. 1831.
- 3. ii. **John Bremner** #15761 b. 1832.
- 4. iii. **Janet Bremner** #15762 b. 1834.
- 5. iv. **Alexander Bremner** #15763 b. 1837.
- 6. v. **George Bremner** #8111 b. 24 June 1839.

Generation Two

2. **William Bremner** #13584, b. 1831 in Wick, CAI, SCT, baptized 08 March 1831 in Wick, CAI, SCT, d. 12 March 1905 in Achairn, Wick, CAI, SCT, buried in Wick New Cemetery, Wick, CAI, SCT, cocupation Farmer/Blacksmith?

1869: Residence at Achairn Stirkoke at time of marriage.

1871-81: At Achairn with family.

1886: Informant at mother's death.

1891: At 40 Williamson St., Wick. Andrew GREEN and family at home.

1901: Residence at Lower Achairn, Wick, wife and family.

He married **Elizabeth Sutherland** #13585, 15 September 1869 in Wick, CAI, SCT, ⁷ b. c 1833/35 in Wick, CAI, SCT, ⁸ (daughter of **Donald Sutherland** #19667 [Farmer] and **Barbara Craig** #19668), d. 19 June 1914 in Stirkoke, Wick, CAI, SCT, ⁹ buried in Wick New Cemetery, Wick, CAI, SCT. ⁶

Elizabeth:

1869: Residence at East Banks, Pulteneytown at time of marriage.

1911: Lived at Stirkoke gas House, Wick with daughter Barbara.

Children:

- 7. i. **William Bremner** #41326 b. c 1858.
- 8. ii. **Maggie Caldwell Bremner** #41277 b. 1863.
- 9. iii. **John Bremner** #57820 b. c 1868.
- 10. iv. **Barbara Bremner** #13594 b. 09 September 1870.
- 11. v. **Isabella Bremner** #19682 b. c 1873.
- 12. vi. **Alexander Bremner** #13597 b. 05 November 1874.
- 13. vii. **Janet (Jessie) Bremner** #19683 b. 1878.

- 3. **John Bremner** #15761, b. 1832 in Wick, CAI, SCT, baptized 16 November 1832 in Wick, CAI, SCT, d. 08 October 1911 in Haster, Wick, CAI, SCT, buried in Wick New Cemetery, 11 occupation 1881 Joiner.
 - 1871-91: Lived with brother William at Achairn; unmarried.

He married **Agnes Cleghorn** #24440, 1894 in Wick, CAI, SCT, ¹² b. c 1852, ¹³ (daughter of **James Cleghorn** #57608 [Mason] and **Alexandrina Peppers** #57609).

Agnes:

- 1914: Residence at second marriage: Haster, Wick, CAI.
- 4. **Janet Bremner** #15762, b. 1834 in Wick, CAI, SCT, baptized 03 July 1834 in Wick, CAI, SCT, occupation Domestic Servant, d. 19 December 1921 in Stirkoke, Wick, CAI, SCT, buried in Lybster Cemetery, CAI, SCT.
 - 1871: Lived with brother William at Achairn.

She married **William McLeod** #40632, 25 January 1878 in Achairn, Stirkoke, Wick, CAI, SCT, ¹⁵ b. c 1830-34 in Latheron, CAI, SCT, ¹⁶ (son of **Angus McLeod** #40633 [Farmer] and **Christina McKenzie** #40634), occupation Farmer.

William:

- 1881: Crofter of 5 acres at Stirkoke, Achairn, Wick. Sister Catherine (widowed, 67, b Latheron) lived with William and wife Janet.
- 5. **Alexander Bremner** #15763, b. 1837 in Wick, CAI, SCT, baptized 24 August 1837 in Wick, CAI, SCT, occupation Farmer 12 acres 1881/Joiner, d. 17 November 1930 in Stirkoke, Wick, CAI, SCT, 17 never married.
 - .1871: Lived with brother William and family at Achairn. (unmarried)
- George Bremner #8111, b. 24 June 1839 in Wick, CAI, SCT, 18 occupation Farm Manager, d. 15 February 1915 in 18 Carrington St., Glasgow, LKS, SCT. 19
 - 1881: Lived at the "Servant House", South Ronaldsay, OKI
 - 1891: lived at Waterfield, Kirkwall and St. Ola. Farm Manager.
 - 1908: Occupation shown as "Boiler Stoker" on daughter Jessie's marriage certificate.

He married **Catherine Tomison** #8112, 28 July 1864 in South Ronaldsay, OKI, SCT, ²⁰ b. c 1834 in OKI? (daughter of **Thomas Tomison** #20715 [Farmer] and **Catherine Dunnet** #20716), d. before July 1908. ²¹

Children:

- 14. i. **Georgina Bremner** #8113 b. 26 February 1864.
- 15. ii. **Isabella Bremner** #8114 b. 19 January 1866.
- 16. iii. Louisa Richardson Bremner #8115 b. 23 June 1870.
- 17. iv. **Jessie Bremner** #8119 b. 06 June 1872.
- 18. v. Cathrine Dunnet Bremner #8117 b. 01 November 1874.
- 19. vi. **Alexander Bremner** #8116 b. 1876.
- 20. vii. Elizabeth Burgess Bremner #8118 b. 1878.

Generation Three

7. William Bremner #41326, b. c 1858 in Canisbay, CAI, SCT. 22

1891: Lived with parents, sister Maggie and husband Andrew GREEN. Verify parents *

8. Maggie Caldwell Bremner #41277, b. 1863 in Edinburgh, MLN, SCT. 23

(Parents names from marriage certificate, 1884.. verify that this is correct). 1884: Lived in Williamson Street, Pulteneytown at time of marriage.

She married **Andrew Green** #41278, 17 October 1884 in Williamson St., Wick, CAI, SCT,²⁴ b. c 1861 in Canisbay, CAI, SCT,²⁵ (son of **Hugh Green** #41279 [Farmer] and **Jane Steven** #41280), occupation Fisherman.

Andrew: 1884: Lived at Duncansbay, Canisbay at time of marriage. 1901: Lived at 4 Grant St., Pulteneytown, Wick with family.

Children:

- 21. i. **Hugh Green** #41323 b. c 1884.
- 22. ii. **Elizabeth Green** #41324 b. c 1887.
- 23. iii. **Jane Green** #41325 b. c 1890.
- 24. iv. **William Green** #41327 b. c 1891.
- 25. v. Margaret Green #41328 b. c 1893.
- 26. vi. **Andrew Green** #41329 b. c 1895.
- 27. vii. Barbara Green #41330 b. c 1898.
- 9. **John Bremner** #57820, b. c 1868, ²⁶ occupation School Janitor 1926.

1926: Residence at second marriage: Gillespie's Schoolhouse, Bruntsfield Links, Edinburgh.

He married (1) (unidentified) #57821, d. before July 1926.²⁷

He married (2) **Annie Bruce Irvine** #57822, 29 July 1926 in 31 Leamington Terrace, Edinburgh, MLN, SCT, ²⁸ b. c 1869, ²⁹ (daughter of **James Irvine** #57823 [Light House Keeper] and **Mary Ann Newbiggin** #57824), d. 1933 in Edinburgh, MLN, SCT, ³⁰ occupation Housekeeper.

Annie:

1926: Residence at second marriage: 6 Granville Terrace, Edinburgh, MLN.

10. **Barbara Bremner** #13594, b. 09 September 1870 in Wick, CAI, SCT, 31 occupation Farm Worker, 1901.

1901: Unmarried

1911: Lived with widowed mother

1914: Next-of-Kin at mother's death

11. **Isabella Bremner** #19682, b. c 1873 in Wick, CAI, SCT. 32

1905: Lived at Stirkoke, Wick at time of marriage.

She married **Alexander Rugg** #55954, 23 February 1905 in Helmsdale, SUT, SCT, 33 b. c 1870, 34 (son of **Alexander Rugg** #55955 and **Janet Creich** #55956), occupation Farmer.

Alexander: 1905: Lived at Haster, Wick at time of marriage.

- 12. **Alexander Bremner** #13597, b. 05 November 1874 in Wick, CAI, SCT, 31 d. 27 February 1886 in Wick, CAI, SCT, 35 buried in Wick New Cemetery, Wick, CAI, SCT. 6
- Janet (Jessie) Bremner #19683, b. 1878 in Wick, CAI, SCT, 36 d. 02 April 1905 in Wick, CAI, SCT, 37 buried in Wick New Cemetery, Wick, CAI, SCT.
- 14. Georgina Bremner #8113, b. 26 February 1864 in South Ronaldsay, OKI, SCT,³¹ occupation Domestic Servant.

1871/81: At home with family.

1891: Domestic Servant to Angus BUCHANAN and family in Kirkwall.

1915: Informant at father's death in Glasgow, LKS.

- 15. Isabella Bremner #8114, b. 19 January 1866 in St. Andrews, OKI, SCT, 31 occupation Domestic Servant.
 - 1891: Domestic Servant to Robert IRVINE and family at 56 Albert St., Kirkwall.
- 16. Louisa Richardson Bremner #8115, b. 23 June 1870 in St. Andrews, OKI, SCT, occupation Domestic Servant.
 - 1891: Domestic Servant to Angus BUCHANAN in Kirkwall with sister Georgina.
- 17. **Jessie Bremner** #8119, b. 06 June 1872 in St. Andrews, OKI, SCT, 38 occupation Domestic Servant.
 - 1908: Lived at 58 Springbank Street, Glasgow, LKS at time of marriage.

She married **William John Wilson** #57440, 16 July 1908 in 151 West Princes Street, Glasgow, LKS, SCT, ³⁹ b. c 1854, ⁴⁰ (son of **William Wilson** #57441 [Farmer] and **Mary Johnston** #57442), occupation Iron Work Timekeeper.

William:

1908: Lived at 842 Garscube Road, Glasgow at time of marriage.

- 18. Cathrine Dunnet Bremner #8117, b. 01 November 1874 in St. Andrews, OKI, SCT, 38 occupation Domestic Servant.
 - 1912: Residence when married: 18 Carrington Street, Glasgow, LKS.

She married **William Young** #58026, 02 August 1912 in 18 Carrington Street, Glasgow, LKS, SCT, 41 b. c 1873, 42 (son of **William Young** #58027 [Marine Engineer] and **Isabella Bain** #58028), occupation 1912 Marine Engineer.

William

1912: Residence when married: 1 Rosebery Place, Clydebank, LKS Immigrated to South Africa (Sheila Arnold, AUG 2015).

Children:

- 28. i. **James Young** #67465 b. 24 November 1914.
- 19. **Alexander Bremner** #8116, b. 1876 in St. Andrews, OKI, SCT, ⁴³ occupation Commercial Traveller.

1898: Lived at 58 West Princes St., Glasgow, LKS at time of marriage.

He married **Jessie Ann Shearer** #32376, 24 June 1898 in 70 Seamore St., Glasgow, LKS, SCT, ⁴⁴ b. c 1877, ⁴⁵ (daughter of **Peter Shearer** #32377 [Road Contractor] and **Jessie Ann Clark** #32378), d. 1935 in Glasgow, LKS, SCT. ⁴⁶

Jessie: 1898: Lived at 70 Seamore St., Glasgow at time of marriage.

Children:

- 29. i. **Jessie Irene Bremner** #53134 b. 27 December 1902.
- 30. ii. Alexander Bremner #53135 b. 15 June 1905.
- 31. iii. **Mary Victoria Bremner** #53136 b. 24 May 1909.
- 32. iv. Sydney Charles Langskaill Bremner #53137 b. 17 June 1918.
- 20. Elizabeth Burgess Bremner #8118, b. 1878 in Kirkwall, OKI, SCT. 47

She married **Conrad Johannes Bosse** #67470, 19 October 1914 in Johannesburg?, South Africa. 48

Children:

33. i. **Denham Clyde Bosse** #67471 b. 31 August 1919.

Generation Four

- 21. **Hugh Green** #41323, b. c 1884 in Wick, CAI, SCT, ²² occupation Cooper.
- 22. Elizabeth Green #41324, b. c 1887 in Wick, CAI, SCT. 22
- 23. **Jane Green** #41325, b. c 1890 in Wick, CAI, SCT.²²
- 24. **William Green** #41327, b. c 1891 in Wick, CAI, SCT. 49
- 25. Margaret Green #41328, b. c 1893 in Wick, CAI, SCT. 49
- 26. **Andrew Green** #41329, b. c 1895 in Wick, CAI, SCT. 49
- 27. Barbara Green #41330, b. c 1898 in Wick, CAI, SCT. 49
- 28. **James Young** #67465, b. 24 November 1914 in Johannesburg, South Africa. 48

He married Alice Burrell MacMillan #67466, in South Africa. 48

Alice:

Immigrated from Edinburgh c 1939 to South Africa.

Children:

- 34. i. **Irene Alison Young** #67467.
- 35. ii. Sheila Morag Young #67468.
- 29. **Jessie Irene Bremner** #53134, b. 27 December 1902 in 27 Lyndhurst Gardens, Glasgow, LKS, ⁵⁰ d. 1987 in Rutherglen, LKS, SCT. ⁵¹

Married BROWN?

She married William Smith Brown #58014, 1941 in Glasgow, LKS, SCT. 52

- 30. Alexander Bremner #53135, b. 15 June 1905 in 14 Beechwood Dr., Tollcross, Glasgow.⁵³
- 31. Mary Victoria Bremner #53136, b. 24 May 1909 in 4 Guardbridge Drive, Glasgow, LKS, SCT, 54 d. 1934 in Glasgow, LKS, SCT. 55
- 32. **Sydney Charles Langskaill Bremner** #53137, b. 17 June 1918 in 34 Millbrae Cresc., Cathcart, LKS, SCT, ⁵⁶ d. 1998 in Rutherglen, LKS, SCT. ⁵⁷

He married Catherine Charlotte Macleod #53138, 1943 in Inverness, INV, SCT, 58 b. c 1924, 59 d. 1998 in Rutherglen, LKS, SCT, 60

33. **Denham Clyde Bosse** #67471, b. 31 August 1919 in Johannesburg, South Africa. 48

Generation Five

- 34. **Irene Alison Young** #67467, b. 48.
- 35. **Sheila Morag Young** #67468, b.^{48.}

She married (unidentified) Arnold #67469.⁴⁸

OPRI CD; also recorded 10 FEB 1848 in Walls and Flotta, OKI? (verify... seems unlikely...).

² 1881 Wick census; age/birthplace.

³ SDR Wick, ref. 0110-1886; c/d: Obstruction of the bowel, 1 month; Informant: William BREMNER, Son. (Image 04-4020).

⁴ 1901 Wick census; age/birthplace.

⁵ SDRI Wick, ref. 0044-1905.

⁶ Transcription MAY 2002.

⁷ SWR Wick ref. 0030-1869; Witnesses: George SUTHERLAND, Alexander BRIMS; (Image 03-4049).

⁸ 1901 Wick census; age/birthplace; age at marriage 34.

⁹ Scottish Wills, SDRI Wick ref. 0090-1914.

SDR Wick, ref. 0156-1911; c/d: Senile decay, syncope; Informant: Alexander BREMNER, Brother; (Image 04-4028).

Transcription and photo MAY 2002, Image 02-1786.

SWRI Edinburgh St. George. ref. 0116-1894; verified from John's death certificate.

Age 62 at second marriage in 1914.

NRS Wick, CAI; ref. 043/00 0150-1921; c/d: General debility, senile; Informant: Alex RUGG, Haster, Wick; Nephew-in-Law; (Image 13-0319).

GRO(S) Wick, ref. 0006-1878; Witnesses: John BREMNER, Janet MANSON; Minister: John M. MCKENZIE.

Age 44 at marriage in 1878; 1881 Wick census; age/birthplace/relationship.

- GRO(S) Wick, CAI; ref. 043/000108-1930; c/d: Senility; Informant: Alexander RUGG, Huster, Nephew-in-law; (Image 11-2123).
- 1881 Stronsay census; age/birthplace.
- GRO(S) Glasgow Hillhead, LKS; ref. 644/12 0165-1915; c/d: Valvular disease of the heart, pulmonary congestion; Informant: Georgina BREMNER, Daughter; (Image 0329).
- SWR South Ronaldsay, ref. 0016-1864; Witnesses: John SINCLAIR, George D. TOMISON; Minister: Andrew WHYTE, South Ronaldsay; (Image 03-4295).
- ²¹ Shown as deceased on husband George's death certificate, also on daughter Jessie's marriage certificate, 1908.
- ²² 1891 Wick, CAI census; age/birthplace/relationship.
- ²³ Parents names from marriage in 1884; NRS Edinburgh St. Andrew, MLN; index ref. 0035-1863.
- ²⁴ GRO(S) Wick, ref. 0043-1884; Witnesses: William DICK, George GREEN; Minister: Finlay M. HARPER; (Image 07-5488).
- ²⁵ Age 23 at marriage in 1884; 1891 Wick, CAI census; age/birthplace/relationship.
- Age 58 when married in 1926. Parents verified by marriage certificate.
- ²⁷ John was a widower when married in 1926.
- NRS Edinburgh Morningside, MLN; ref. 685/07 0147-1926; Witnesses: J.M. MCLEOD, 36 Millar Crescent; Margaret J. CONGELTON; Minister: Henry F.T. HEATH, Chalmers Territorial U.F. Church; (Image 11-2286).
- Age 57 when married in 1926.
- NRS Edinburgh Morningside, MLN; index ref. 685/07 0810-1933.
- 31 IGI CD.
- ³² 1881 Wick census; age/birthplace.
- GRO(S) Kildonan, SUT; ref. 052/00 0003-1905; Witnesses: Alexander BREMNER, Jessie RUGG; Minister: John CAMERON, U.F. Helmsdale; (Image 11-0130).
- Age 35 at marriage in 1905.
- 35 SDR Wick, ref. 0035-1886; c/d: Diphtheria, croup, 10 days; Informant: William BREMNER, Father; (Image 04-4024).
- ³⁶ SBRI Wick, ref. 0289-1878 (verify...there are two Janet BREMNERs born in Wick to different parents of William BREMNER and Elizabeth SUTHERLAND.).
- 37 SDRI Wick, ref. 0067-1905.
- ³⁸ 1881 Stronsay census; age/birthplace; IGI CD.
- NRS Glasgow Hillhead, LKS; ref. 644/12 0152-1908; Witnesses: Lizzie BREMNER, Andrew WILSON; Minister: J.A.G. MACKELLAR, Kinning Park Parish; (Image 11-2163).
- ⁴⁰ Age 54 at marriage in 1908.
- NRS Glasgow Hillhead, LKS; ref. 644/12 0187-1912; Witnesses: Lizzie BREMNER, Thomas WALLACE; Minister: John FORSYTH; (Image 11-2364).
- ⁴² Age 39 when married in 1912.
- ⁴³ 1881 Stronsay census; age/birthplace; SBRI St. Andrew's; ref. 0012-1876.
- ⁴⁴ GRO(S) Glasgow Kelvin, ref. 0295-1898; Witnesses: Robert Tait SUTHERLAND, Maggie Jane SHEARER; Minister: William SINCLAIR, U.P. Glasgow; (Image 06-2045).
- ⁴⁵ Age 21 at marriage in 1898.
- ⁴⁶ GRO(S) Glasgow Pollok, ref. 644/18 0674-1935.
- 47 1881 Stronsay census; age/birthplace; SBRI Kirkwall; ref. 0127-1878.
- 48 Sheila Arnold, August 2015.
- 49 1901 Wick, CAI census; age/birthplace/relationship.
- ⁵⁰ GRO(S) Glasgow Kelvin, LKS; ref. 0087-1903.
- ⁵¹ GRO(S) Rutherglen, LKS; index ref. 0321-1987.
- ⁵² NRS Glasgow Pollok, LKS; index ref. 644/18 0776-1941.
- ⁵³ GRO(S) Glasgow Shettleston, LKS; ref. 0503-1905.
- GRO(S) Glasgow Kelvin, LKS; ref. 0700-1909.
- ⁵⁵ GRO(S) Glasgow Eastwood, LKS; index ref. 644/25 0188-1934.
- ⁵⁶ GRO(S) Cathcart, LKS; ref. 0020-1918.
- ⁵⁷ GRO(S) Rutherglen, LKS; index ref. 0066-1998.
- ⁵⁸ GRO(S) Inverness, INV; ref. 098/A0 0283-1943 (verify).
- ⁵⁹ Age 74 at death.
- ⁶⁰ GRO(S) Rutherglen, LKS; index ref. 590/00 0127-1998.