

Generation One

1. **James Bremner** #31275, b. c 1780?, occupation Farm Labourer.
Reputed father of David Bremner *.

Married in (unmarried), **Mary Kirkland** #31276, b. c 1780?

Children:

2. i. **David Bremner** #31272 b. c 1801/1807.

Generation Two

2. **David Bremner** #31272, b. c 1801/1807 in Brechin, ANS, SCT,¹ d. 10 SEP 1870 in 30 City Road, Brechin, ANS, SCT,² buried 12 SEP 1870 in Brechin Cemetery, ANS, SCT,³ occupation Carter/Fish dealer.
1851: Lived at Charlton, Montrose with family. Farm Labourer.
1861: Lived at Red Row, Craig with family including great-great grandchildren John MCPHERSON (8, b Craig) and Elizabeth SHERIFF (4, b Montrose). Worked as a Carrier & Grocer.
1866: Lived at Rossie Island, Craig at time of second marriage.
1870: Usual residence was School Lane, Brechin. Died at Poor House.

(1) Married 24 JUN 1838 in St. Cyrus, KCD, SCT,⁴ **Ann Moir** #31273, b. c 1796/1806 in Marykirk, KCD, SCT,⁵ (daughter of **George Moir** #31277 and **Anne Black** #31278), d. 01 SEP 1862 in Craig, ANS, SCT.⁶

Children:

3. i. **George Bremner** #7698 b. c 1840.
- ii. **Anne Bremner** #40073, b. c 1842/44 in Glenbervie, KCD, SCT,⁷ occupation Mill Worker 1861.

(2) Married 01 JAN 1866 in Rossie Island, Craig, ANS, SCT,⁸ **Mary Clark** #31274, b. c 1809,⁹ (daughter of **John Clark** #43426 and **Jessie Clark** #43427), occupation Cape? Maker. **Mary**: 1866: Lived on Murray St., Montrose at time of marriage.

Generation Three

3. **George Bremner** #7698, b. c 1840 in Logie Pert, ANS, SCT,¹⁰ occupation Ploughman, d. 14 JUL 1920 in 65 Watson St., Dundee, ANS, SCT.¹¹
1861: Farm Servant at Maryton, ANS.
1862: Lived at Hillbro? of Inverkeillor at time of marriage.

Married 06 JUN 1862 in Craig by Montrose, ANS, SCT,¹² **Margaret Ramsay Cook** #7697, b. 18 JUL 1838 in ANS, SCT,¹³ (daughter of **Alexander Cook** #19219 and **Ann Whyte** #19220), baptized 23 JUL 1838 in Craig by Montrose, ANS, SCT,¹³ d. 15 JUN 1901 in South Park of Gardyne, Kirkden, ANS.¹⁴

Children:

4. i. **James Bremner** #7699 b. 13 FEB 1864.
5. ii. **Margaret Bremner** #7700 b. 21 OCT 1865.
6. iii. **George Bremner** #7701 b. 02 NOV 1868.

Generation Four

4. **James Bremner** #7699, b. 13 FEB 1864 in Inverkeilor, ANS, SCT,¹⁵ occupation Ploughman 1881. 1881: Worked as Ploughman for John FORBES in 1881 at Maryton, ANS (name shown as 'BRIMER' ... verify)
1887: Residence Cotton of Gardyne, Kirkden at time of marriage.
1891: Lived in Dundee, ANS
1901: Res. 65 Watson St., Dundee; Flour Corryman.
1920: Informant at father's death.

Married 02 DEC 1887 in Barry, ANS, SCT,¹⁶ **Ann Clark** #19074, b. 16 OCT 1863 in Arbirlot, ANS, SCT,¹³ (daughter of **James Clark** #19075 and **Ann Ogilvie** #19076), occupation Domestic Servant.

Children:

- i. **George Bremner** #19077, b. 1889 in Inverkeilor, ANS, SCT,¹⁷ occupation Police Constable. 1912: Lived at 65 Watson Street, Dundee at time of marriage.

Married 20 DEC 1912 in Wallacetoun Church Hall, Dundee, ANS, SCT,¹⁸ **Jeanie Russell Gillan** #57521 (daughter of **George Gillan** #57522 and **Annie Cramond Watson** #57523), d. 1957 in Dundee, ANS, SCT,¹⁹ occupation Silk Machinist. **Jeanie:**
1912: Lived at 159 Hilltown, Dundee at time of marriage.

- ii. **John Anderson Bremner** #19078, b. 1892 in Dundee, ANS, SCT,²⁰ d. 1915 in Govan, LKS, SCT.²¹

5. **Margaret Bremner** #7700, b. 21 OCT 1865 in Kinnoull, ANS, SCT,¹⁵ occupation Domestic Servant. 1888: Lived at Bulmachie (illegible), Panbride at time of marriage.

Married 07 DEC 1888 in Union St., Friockheim, ANS, SCT,²² **Alexander Valentine** #47105, b. c 1863 in Arbirlot, PER, SCT,²³ (son of **George Valentine** #47106 and **Ann Gibson** (?) #47107), occupation Ploughman. **Alexander:** 1888: Lived at Bessie Hill?, Arbirlot at time of marriage. 1891: Lived at Millhall Cottage, Fowlis Easter, PER with family. 1901: Lived at West Pilmore Cottar House, Longforgan, PER with family.

Children:

- i. **George Bremner Valentine** #47108, b. 1890 in Fowlis Easter, PER, SCT.²⁴
- ii. **Margaret (Maggie) C. Valentine** #47109, b. c 1892 in Fowlis Easter, PER, SCT.²⁵
- iii. **Elizabeth Valentine** #47110, b. c 1893 in Liff & Benvie, ANS, SCT.²⁵
- iv. **Alexander Valentine** #47111, b. c 1894 in Liff & Benvie, ANS, SCT.²⁵
- v. **James B. Valentine** #47112, b. c 1899 in Monikie, ANS, SCT.²⁵

6. **George Bremner** #7701, b. 02 NOV 1868 in Dundee, ANS, SCT,¹⁵ occupation 1889 Farm Servant, occupation 1919 Contractor's Carter, occupation 1927 Lorryman.
1889: Lived at Newton, Carmyllie, ANS at time of marriage.
1891: Lived at Leysmill Village, Inverkeilor with family.
1901: Lived at Mains of Balgavies, Cottar House, Aberlemno.

Married 05 JUL 1889 in Inverkeillor, ANS, SCT,²⁶ **Elizabeth McLelland** #37887, b. 22 JAN 1869 in Stoneykirk, WIG, SCT,²⁷ (daughter of **William McLelland** #37888 and **Susan Hill** #37889), occupation Domestic Servant. **Elizabeth:** 1889: Lived at 28 Holm? St., Govan at time of marriage.

Children:

7. i. **Mary Bremner** #37891 b. 1889.

- ii. **George Bremner** #37890, b. 1890 in Inverkeilor, ANS, SCT,²⁸ d. 06 DEC 1949 in Broadford Hospital, ANS, SCT,²⁹ occupation Police Constable.
1891: Aged 9 months at time of census.
1917: Residence West Sa... (ill) , Greenock at time of first marriage.
1949: Usual residence at death: Sten, Waternish, Strath, ANS.

(1) Married 06 JUL 1917 in 3 Dalrymple St., Greenock, RFW, SCT,³⁰ **Bella McAskill** #56621 (daughter of (not given) #56623 and **Margaret McAskill** #56624). **Bella:**
1917: Lived at 3 Dalrymple St., Greenock at time of marriage.
(2) Married 1929 in Greenock West, RFW, SCT,³¹ **Flora McAskill** #56622, b. c 1900,³² d. 1999 in Portree, INV, SCT.³³

- iii. **Elizabeth Bremner** #37895, b. 1892 in Guthrie, ANS, SCT,³⁴ d. FEB 1900 in Aberlemno, ANS, SCT,³⁵ buried 18 FEB 1900 in Guthrie Churchyard, ANS, SCT.³
- iv. **Susan Bremner** #37894, b. c 1894 in Guthrie, ANS, SCT.³⁶
- v. **Margaret Bremner** #37893, b. 1897 in Aberlemno, ANS, SCT,³⁷ occupation 1919 Baker's Shopwoman, d. 1972 in Dundee, ANS, SCT.³⁸
1919: Residence when married: 1 Annfield Street, Dundee, ANS.

Married 31 DEC 1919 in Wallacetown Church Hall, Dundee, ANS, SCT,³⁹ **James MacDonald** #58816, b. c 1895,⁴⁰ (son of **James MacDonald** #58817 and **Jessie Laing** #58818), occupation 1919 Yarn Bleacher. **James:**
1919: Residence when married: Panmure Street, Monifieth, ANS.

- vi. **William Bremner** #37892, b. 12 SEP 1899 in Mains of Balgavies, Aberlemno, ANS, SCT,⁴¹ occupation Policeman. 1923: Residence when married: 1 Annfield Street, Dundee, ANS.

Evening Telegraph, Thursday, 1st March 1934

"Broughty Police Constable -- Death of Mr. William Bremner -- A member of Dundee City Police Force passed away in Dundee Royal Infirmary this morning following an operation."

"He was Constable William Bremner, who had been stationed in Broughty Ferry for the past ten years."

"Constable Bremner had not enjoyed good health for many months. He was admitted to the Infirmary last week. An operation proved unsuccessful. Yesterday another operation was performed. He failed to recover, however, and died this morning."

"A native of Aberlemno, Constable Bremner, who was only 34 years of age, joined the force in August, 1919."

"Prior to the outbreak of the Great War he was a farm servant. He served in the Royal Navy during the war."

"Constable Bremner resided at 132 King Street, Broughty Ferry. He is survived by a widow and one child."

Married 02 FEB 1923 in Glencarse Hotel, Kinfauns, PER, SCT,⁴² **Christina Robertson** #57783, b. c 1901,⁴³ (daughter of **David Robertson** #57784 and **Annie Menzies** #57785), occupation Domestic Servant. **Christina**: 1923: Residence when married: Red Lodge, Glendoick, PER.

- vii. **Agnes Bremner** #59687, b. c 1904,⁴⁴ occupation 1927 Shop Assistant.

Married 06 JUL 1927 in Wallacetown Church, Dundee, ANS, SCT,⁴⁵ **David McLaren Paton Neave** #59688, b. c 1899,⁴⁶ (son of **Charles Neave** #59689 and **Marie Menzie Smith** #59690), occupation 1927 Grocer's Manager.

David:

1927: Residence when married:.

- viii. **Samuel McLelland Bremner** #59710, b. 10 SEP 1901 in Balkells, Tealing, ANS, SCT,^{47,48} d. 1987 in Bishopbriggs, DNB, SCT,⁴⁹ occupation 1927 Motor Lorry Driver. 1927: Residence when married: 1 Annfield Street, Dundee, ANS.

Married 11 MAR 1927 in 2 Cotton? Street, Dundee, ANS, SCT,⁵⁰ **Jessie Jane C. Strachan** #59711, b. c 1908,⁵¹ (daughter of **William Strachan** #59712 and **Jessie Grant?** #59713), d. 1967 in Dundee, ANS, SCT.⁵² **Jessie**:.

Generation Five

7. **Mary Bremner** #37891, b. 1889 in Govan, LKS, SCT,⁵³ occupation Domestic Servant. 1919: Lived at 1 Annfield St., Dundee, ANS at time of marriage.

(1) She married (**not given**) #55705.

Children:

8. i. **John Bremner** #55706 b. c 1913.

(2) Married 31 DEC 1919 in Wellanton? Parish Church Hall, Dundee, ANS, SCT,⁵⁴ **James Hosie** #55702, b. c 1893,⁵⁵ (son of **David Hosie** #55703 and **Ann Forbes** #55704), occupation Railway Waggon Shunter 1919. **James**: 1919: Lived at 62 Ferry Road, Dundee at time of marriage.

Generation Six

8. **John Bremner** #55706, b. c 1913,⁵⁶ occupation 1919 Preserves Storekeeper, d. 27 FEB 1973 in 5c Ancrum Court, Lochee, ANS, SCT.⁵⁷

Married 09 APR 1932 in 30 Reform Street, Dundee, ANS, SCT,⁵⁸ **Williamina Jean Fairley** #55707, b. c 1914,⁵⁹ (daughter of **William Fairley** #55708 and **Isabella Kerr** #55709), occupation Laundress, d. 1988 in Dundee, ANS, SCT.⁶⁰ **Williamina**: 1932: Lived at 2 Peddie St., Dundee at marriage.

Children:

- i. **Jack Robertson McLelland Bremner** #60949, b. 22 OCT 1932 in Dundee, ANS, SCT,⁶¹ d. FEB 1995 in Worthing, SSX, ENG.

Married 1Q 1957 in Willesden, LND, ENG,⁶² **Eileen W. Archer** #60951.

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- ¹ Age 69 at death in 1870... but 1851/61 censuses put birthdate at about 1807.
- ² GRO(S) Brechin, ref. 0134-1870; c/d: Dysentery; Informant: Daniel MACKINTOSH, Inspector of Poor; (Image 04-6910).
³ deceasedonline.com, December 2010.
- ⁴ OPRI CD; verified by David's death certificate; Banns 23 JUN 1838, Marykirk, KCD.
- ⁵ Age 66 at death in 1862... but 1851 census gives age as an optimistic 45.
- ⁶ GRO(S) Craig, ref. 0026-1862; c/d: (not given); Informant: David BREMNER (X), Husband; (Image 05-8854).
⁷ 1851 Montrose, ANS census; age/birthplace/relationship.
- ⁸ GRO(S) Craig, ANS, ref. 0001-1866; Witnesses: John CAITHNESS, Margaret CAITHNESS; Minister: Alexander CAMPBELL; (Image 08-0274).
- ⁹ Age 57 at marriage to David BRYMER in 1866.
- ¹⁰ Age 22 at marriage in 1840; 1851 Montrose, ANS census; age/birthplace/relationship.
- ¹¹ GRO(S) Dundee St. Andrew, ANS; ref. 282/03 0533-1920; c/d: Malignant disease of abdomen; Informant: James BREMNER, Son; (Image 11-0317).
- ¹² GRO(S) Craig by Montrose, ANS ref. 0004-1862; Witnesses: Stewart DOIG, Ann BREMNER; married by Robert MITCHELL, Min. Craig; (Image 03-4135).
- ¹³ IGI LDSFS 2003.
- ¹⁴ SDR Kirkden, ref. 0006-1901; c/d: Cardiac dropsy, 2 years; Informant: George BREMNER, Husband; (Image 03-1456).
¹⁵ IGI CD.
- ¹⁶ SWR Barry, ref. 0024-1887; Witnesses:... CLARK, Alexander VALENTINE; Min. Alexander J. CAMPBELL; married Barry Village.
- ¹⁷ 1891-01 Dundee census; age/birthplace; SBR Inverkeilor, ref. 0053-1889.
- ¹⁸ NRS Dundee St. Andrew, ANS; ref. 282/04 0260-1912; Witnesses: John BREMNER, Maggie J.A.? MILNE; Minister: John A. ROBERTSON, Wallacetoun Parish Church; (Image 11-0179).
- ¹⁹ NRS Dundee West, ANS; index ref. 282/02 0385-1957.
- ²⁰ 1901 Dundee census, age/birthplace; SBR Dundee St. Andrews, ref. 0088-1892.
- ²¹ SDRI Govan, ref. 1375-1915.
- ²² GRO(S) Kirkden, ANS; ref. 0005-1888; Witnesses: George BREMNER, illegible; Minister: John ANDREW, Friockheim; (Image 09-0046).
- ²³ Age 25 at marriage in 1888; 1891 Fowlis Easter, PER census; age/birthplace/relationship.
- ²⁴ 1891 Fowlis Easter, PER census; age/birthplace/relationship.
- ²⁵ 1901 Longforgan, PER census; age/birthplace/relationship.
- ²⁶ GRO(S) Inverkeilor, ref. 0005-1889; Witnesses: Andrew TAYLOR, Jane A.B. SKINNER; Minister: P.A. ANDREW; (Image 07-2292).
- ²⁷ Age 20 at marriage in 1889; IGI LDSFS APR 2007.
- ²⁸ 1891 Inverkeilor, ANS census; age/birthplace/relationship; SBRI Inverkeilor, ANS, ref. 0019-1890.
- ²⁹ NAS Strath, ANS; ref. 0018-1949; c/d: Perforated duodenal ulcer (not operated on); Informant: Flora BREMNER, Wife.
- ³⁰ NAS Greenock East, RFW; ref. 564/01 0092-1917; Witnesses: Flora MACASKILL, Alexander WRIGHT; Minister: Donald CAMPBELL.
- ³¹ NAS Greenock West, RFW; index ref. 0289-1929; confirmed by George's death certificate.
- ³² Age at death shown as 99.
- ³³ NAS Portree, INV: index ref.257/00 0024-1999.
- ³⁴ SBRI Guthrie, ref. 0005-1892.
- ³⁵ SDRI Aberlemno, ref. 0004-1900.
- ³⁶ SBRI Guthrie, ref. 0006-1894.
- ³⁷ SBRI Aberlemno, ref. 0014-1897.
- ³⁸ NRS Dundee, ANS; index ref. 352/00 0920-1972.
- ³⁹ NRS Dundee St. Andrew, ANS; ref. 282/03 0024-1920; Witnesses: William BREMNER, Betty Wilkie KIKRCALDY; Minister: G. Buchanan GAREY?, Wallacetown; (Image 12-0051).
- ⁴⁰ Age 24 when married in 1919.
- ⁴¹ GRO(S) Aberlemno, ref. 0021-1899.
- ⁴² NRS Kinfauns, PER; ref. 366/00 0002-1923; Witnesses: Samuel BREMNER, 1 Annfield, Dundee; Jessie MAULE, 23 Maule, Carnoustie; Minister: J.M. STRACHAN, Kilspindie and Rait; (Image 11-2270).
- ⁴³ Age 22 when married in 1923.
- ⁴⁴ Age/relationship from marriage certificate, 1927.
- ⁴⁵ NRS Dundee St. Andrew, ANS; ref. 282/03 0144-1927; Witnesses: Margaret MACDONALD, Charles M. PEEBLES; Minister: Richard H. MITCHELL; (Image 12-0210).
- ⁴⁶ Age 28 when married in 1927.

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- ⁴⁷ Age 25 when married in 1927.
⁴⁸ NRS Tealing, ANS; ref. 0018-1901.
⁴⁹ NRS Bishopbriggs, DNB; index ref. 560/00 0079-1987.
⁵⁰ NRS Dundee Lochee, ANS; ref. 282/04 0033-1927; Witnesses: William T. STRACHAN, Agnes BREMNER; Minister: S.R. WALLACE; (Image 12-0204, poor quality).
⁵¹ Age 19 when married in 1927.
⁵² NRS Dundee, ANS; index ref. 282/01 0149-1967.
⁵³ 1891 Inverkeilor, ANS census; age/birthplace/relationship; SBRI Govan, LKS, ref. 0570-1889.
⁵⁴ GRO(S) Dundee St. Andrew, ANS; ref. 0023-1920; Witnesses: George RANGE?, Agnes BREMNER; Minister: S. Buchanan CASEY?, (Image 11-0093).
⁵⁵ Age 36 at marriage in 1919.
⁵⁶ Age 19 at marriage in 1932.
⁵⁷ GRO(S) Dundee Lochee, ANS; ref. 355/00 0053-1973; c/d: Bronchial carcinoma; Informant: W. BREMNER, Wife.
⁵⁸ GRO(S) Dundee St. Clement, ref. 0108-1932; Witnesses: George MURRIE, 2 Peddie St., Dundee; Mary BELL or MURRIE, 2 Peddie St., Warrant of Sheriff Substitute.
⁵⁹ Age 18 at marriage in 1932.
⁶⁰ GRO(S) Dundee, ANS; index ref. 350/00 0255-1988.
⁶¹ NRS Dundee St. Mary, ANS; index ref. 0691-1932; date from GRO death index.
⁶² GRO Marriage Index ref. 005f-0837.
⁶³ NRS Dundee St. Mary, ANS; index ref. 0360-1936.