### **BONNER FAMILY**

NB: The following is prepared from Falkland Islands Registers and files – there may be other family born outside the Falklands. Unless stated otherwise, all dated births, deaths and marriages occurred in the Falklands and all numbered graves are in Stanley Cemetery. Any variations which may occur in name or the spellings of names are recorded as written in the records at the time.

1. **John BONNER** born 1825 (not in Falkland Islands). The 1841 English Census records John age 16 living with his parents Samuel and Jane in the borough of Liverpool. According an article in the FI Weekly News John came to the Falklands in 1848 [pg 12, 11 March 1948] but in the biography done by Christopher Bonner [The Dictionary of Falkland Islands Biography pg 98] John came to the Falklands in 1850. John was living on Lafone's Estate at Second Corral in 1851 (H8) and is recorded in the Falklands 1851 Census as being age 26 and a store keeper. John was appointed a constable for the Falkland Islands 13 October 1853. [E4, pg 80] John, farmer of Lancashire, England and living at Port Sussex East, married **Susan REDDIE**, minor (under the age of 21) and a British subject 19 December 1866 at Trinity Church Stanley according to the Rites and Ceremonies of the Church of England by Governor's Licence by Charles Bull MA Colonial Chaplain. The witnesses were Samuel Bonner, C Pitaluga and Ellen King. John's father was recorded as Samuel Bonner, joiner, and Susan's as James Reddie, Soldier.

Susan, her mother Ellen and father James, a private in the 47<sup>th</sup> Regiment of Foot, came to the Falkland Islands as part of a group of 30 pensioners who arrived in Stanley on 13 October 1849. Their nationality was recorded as Irish. **James REDDIE** died November 1850 age 50 (*no burial record*). Ellen remarried to **Joseph William Watson HAIGH**, a carpenter and widower, 24 March 1851 and she died 1 October 1852 age 30 of dropsy (*no burial record*).

John and his family left for England on board the *Ramses* 29 April 1884. By 5 July 1884 John had taken a house at Liverpool and received £2,031-3-10 being the balance in the FIC Stanley books. [FIC LO-St 1878-1888, desp 643, 644] John and his family moved to Birkdale, Southport, Lancs, England in 1884.

John returned to the Falkland Islands with his son, Harry, 16 January 1890 on the *Memphis*. John departed for the UK via Montevideo 23 May 1890 on board the *Totmes*.

John Bonner died 29 May 1891, age 66, at 17 Park Street, Southport, Lancaster, England. He left all of his estate to his wife Susan, his personal estate being worth gross £9039.2.5 and net £8946.0.3½.

Susan and her son George returned to the Falkland Islands via Punta Arenas 16 November 1892 on board the *Pentaur*. She returned to England 13 March 1892 on board the *Tanis* via Montevideo.

When Susan wrote her will 14 February 1903 she was living at 5 Learmouth Gardens, Edinburgh. Susan died 4 April 1906 at 19 Oxford Road Birkdale, Lancaster. The gross value of the Estate within the United Kingdom amounted to £13,518.4.3.

2. **William BONNER** born 1827 (not in Falkland Islands). The 1841 English Census records William age 14 living with his parents Samuel and Jane in the borough of Liverpool. William married **Elizabeth** ? (not in the Falkland Islands). William came to the Falkland Islands with his brother Samuel either with or shortly after their brother John arrived in

- 1850. William is recorded in the Falklands 1851 Census as being age 24 and a brass founder. His wife Elizabeth is recorded as being age 24 and their son Samuel as age 3 months. No further mention of them in the Falkland Islands.
- 3. **Samuel BONNER** born 1830 (not in Falkland Islands). Samuel came to the Falkland Islands with his brother William either with or shortly after their brother John arrived in 1850. The 1841 English Census records Samuel age 12 living with his parents Samuel and Jane in the borough of Liverpool. Samuel is recorded in the Falklands 1851 Census as being age 21 and a saddler. Samuel was married to **Helen McINTOSH** 14 August 1856 by Henry Martyn Faulkner, Colonial Chaplain in Holy Trinity Church by Banns, both of full age. Both signed with an X. The witnesses were W H Mannix and John Bonner. Neither of their fathers were recorded. Samuel was appointed a constable for the Falkland Islands 28 November 1860. [E4, pg 242] Helen died 6 July 1889, age 55, of cerebral disease and is buried in Grave C272. Samuel, age 67, died 7 February 1896 at San Carlos Sth and is buried in Grave I694.
- 4. **Thomas BONNER** born 1831 (*did not come to the Falkland Islands*). The 1841 English Census records Thomas age 10 living with his parents Samuel and Jane in the borough of Liverpool.
- 5. Alice BONNER born 1833 (did not come to the Falkland Islands). The 1841 English Census records Alice age 8 living with her parents Samuel and Jane in the borough of Liverpool.
- 6. **Jonathon BONNER** born 1835 (*did not come to the Falkland Islands*). The 1841 English Census records Jonathon age 6 living with his parents Samuel and Jane in the borough of Liverpool.
- 7. **George BONNER** born 1840 (*did not come to the Falkland Islands*). The 1841 English Census records George age 1 living with his parents Samuel and Jane in the borough of Liverpool. On 5 November 1884 George was a witness to his brother John's will and was living at 28 Camden Street, Liverpool.

### **FIRST GENERATION:**

## Children of John (1) and Susan BONNER:

- 1. **Helen BONNER** born 5 December 1867 in Stanley. Helen moved with her family to Birkdale, Southport, Lancs, England in 1884. Helen married **? FARROW** and died early in 1948.
- 2. **Harry BONNER** born 31 July 1869 at Port Sussex. Harry moved with his family to Birkdale, Southport, Lancs, England in 1884. Returned to the Falkland Islands with his father 16 January 1890 on the *Memphis*. Harry, age 21, died 28 April 1891 at Sussex from pneumonia and was buried at Darwin.
- 3. **Susan BONNER** born 23 May 1871 at Port Sussex. Susan moved with her family to Birkdale, Southport, Lancs, England in 1884. Married **? MILLER**. Died 20 March 1906 in Glasgow, Scotland. [CM Jun 1906]
- 4. **George BONNER** born 23 October 1873 at Port Sussex. George moved with his family to Birkdale, Southport, Lancs, England in 1884. George and his mother returned to the Falkland Islands via Punta Arenas 16 November 1892 on board the *Pentaur*. He returned to England 17 March 1894 on board the *Abydos*. George was married to **Frances Ann RIGG** in 1894 in England and sailed with her for the Falkland Islands 23 September 1894. They arrived in Stanley 26 October 1894 on board the *Pentaur* and sailed for San Carlos on the *Fortuna* 23 November 1894. George and his family left for Liverpool 16 April 1914 on board the *Oriana*. They returned 25 December 1920 on board the *Orita*. On 9 February 1935 they departed for the last time for the UK on board the *Reino del Pacifico*. George died at Droitwich, Worcestershire, England 13 February 1940. Frances died at the home of her daughter, Mrs Slaughter in Herefordshire 14 March 1943. [Obituary FI News Weekly 1 Apr 1943]
- 5. Catherine Jane "Kitty" BONNER born 26 August 1875 at Port Sussex. Catherine moved with her family to Birkdale, Southport, Lancs, England in 1884. Kitty married ? RICHARDS and was still alive in 1948.
- 6. **Gertrude Alice BONNER** born 1 September 1877 at Port Sussex. Gertrude moved with her family to Birkdale, Southport, Lancs, England in 1884. Gertrude married **? BARR** and was still alive in 1948.
- 7. **Singleton BONNER** born 7 July 1879 at Port Sussex. Singleton moved with his family to Birkdale, Southport, Lancs, England in 1884. In the July 1901 edition of the Falkland Islands Magazine he is recorded as being in South Africa, a sub-lieutenant in the South Staffordshire Foot and ill with camp fever. On the 14 February 1903 was a Lieutenant in His Majesty's South Staffordshire Regiment. He was a Lieutenant Colonel and DSO when he died 1 May 1917 at Etaples, France from the effects of being wounded 23 April 1917 and having his right arm amputated the following day [FI Magazine July 1917].
- 8. Elizabeth Ann BONNER born 2 September 1883 at Port Sussex. Elizabeth moved with her family to Birkdale, Southport, Lancs, England in 1884. Elizabeth married ? ROBINSON and was still alive in 1948.

### Children of William (2) and Elizabeth BONNER:

1. **Samuel BONNER** baptised 20 July 1850 in Stanley by James Leith Moody, Colonial Chaplain *(no birth record)*. His father's occupation was recorded as a brass moulder.

# Children of Samuel (3) and Helen BONNER:

- Mary Jane BONNER born 18 July 1856. Mary, living at San Carlos, was married to John McLEOD, a Scottish shepherd working at San Carlos, 25 May 1880 at Darwin according to the Presbyterian form after banns by Rev A Yeoman Minister. The witnesses were John Bonner and Margaret Bonner. John's father was recorded as Donald McLeod, farmer, and Mary's father was recorded as Samuel Bonner, shepherd. Mary and John left with their three children 12 April 1892 for Sandy Point (Punta Arenas, Chile) on board the ss Herodot.
- 2. **John BONNER** born 31 January 1858 in Stanley.
- 3. **Samuel BONNER** born 23 May 1860 in Stanley. Samuel, a labourer, died shortly before noon 14 November 1933 in Mr Frank Barnes house, where he had been living, and was buried the afternoon of Thursday 16 November 1933 in Grave K1048. [Death notice, Penguin 15 Nov 1933, 16 Nov 1933]
- 4. William BONNER born 26 August 1862 in Stanley. William, a labourer at San Carlos, was married to Helen Malvina PITALUGA, living at Salvador, 18 April 1886 at Salvador according to the rites & ceremonies of Presbyterian Church by Governor's Licence William Hill Philip Minister. The witnesses were John McLeod and James Pitaluga. William's father was recorded as Samuel Bonner, overseer, and Helen's father was recorded as Andres Pitaluga, sheep farmer. William died 23 April 1942 and is buried in Grave O1215. Helen died 2 February 1944 and is buried in Grave O1263.
- 5. Margaret BONNER born 12 December 1864 at "Everton", San Carlos. Margaret was married to Arthur James BARNES, English shepherd working at Salvador, 1 October 1886 at Port Sussex according to the rites & ceremonies of Church of Scotland by Governor's Licence William Hill Philip Minister. The witnesses were John Bonner and Alice Bonner. Arthur's father was recorded as Isaac Barnes, sergeant major, and Margaret's father was recorded as Samuel Bonner, overseer. By April 1917 Margaret had been lodged in the lunatic asylum in Montevideo. [FIC/EG/1917] Margaret died in Montevideo and was buried there 4 April 1918. [FIM May 1918] Arthur, age 77 and retired, died Tuesday 15 October 1940 in King Edward Memorial Hospital and was buried 16 October 1940 in Grave J1169. [Obituary FI News Weekly 17 Oct 1940]
- 6. Alice BONNER born 4 August 1867 in Stanley. Alice, age 23, was married to Robert REIVE, shepherd age 24, 15 June 1891 in the house of Mrs Brown according to the Rites and Ceremonies of the Established Church by Licence by Lowther E Brandon MA Colonial Chaplain. The witnesses were John Bonner and Ellen Reive. Both Alice and Robert were living at Port Sussex at the time. Robert's father was recorded as Peter Reive, shepherd, and Alice's father was recorded as Samuel Bonner, manager. Alice died at Port Sussex 25 May 1898 from exhaustion on acute maula and is buried in Grave A83.
- 7. Alexander BONNER born 2 December 1872 at Fitzroy Road, Stanley. Shepherd. Alexander, age 24 and a shepherd, was married to Jessie CLARK, age 19, 12 August 1897 at San Carlos South according to the Rites and Ceremonies of the Established Church by Licence by Lowther E Brandon MA Dean & Colonial Chaplain. The witnesses were Samuel Bonner, Margaret Alice Bonner and William Bonner. Both Alexander and

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Jessie were living at San Carlos South at the time. Alexander's father was recorded as Samuel Bonner, manager, and Jessie's father was recorded as James Clark, contractor.

8. **Helen BONNER** born 25 May 1875 in Stanley. Helen, age 21 and living at San Carlos, was married to **Edward CURRAN**, age 27 & a labourer at Douglas Station, 17 August 1896 in the Parish Church according to the Rites & Ceremonies of the Established Church by Licence by Lowther E Brandon MA Dean & Colonial Chaplain. The witnesses were Alexander McIntosh Bonner and Edith Adelaide Kiddle. Edward's father was recorded as Henry Curran, labourer, and Helen's father was recorded as Samuel Bonner, manager. Edward died 20 January 1945 and is buried at Douglas Station. Helen died 7 April 1948 and is buried in Grave C1377.

### **SECOND GENERATION:**

## Children of George (1) (4) and Frances BONNER:

- Iva Kathleen Gwendolen BONNER born 17 May 1895 at San Carlos. Iva was married to Herbert Montague SYDENHAM, Indian Imperial Police (retired) at St Jude's Church, South Kensington, London, England, Tuesday 30 October 1945. Iva was living at Harrogate at the time. [FI News Weekly 14 Feb 1946]
- 2. Edith Muriel BONNER born 12 February 1898 at San Carlos. Edith was married to Thomas George SLAUGHTER, manager, 8 June 1921 at San Carlos S, East Falkland by J Stanley Smith, Clerk in Holy Orders. The witnesses were H J Slaughter and Frances D Bonner. Thomas' father was recorded as John Edward Slaughter, doctor, and Edith's father was recorded as George Bonner, sheep farmer.
- 3. **Mildred BONNER** born 2 April 1901 at San Carlos. Mildred was married to **Birt ELLIOT**, occupation farming, 24 October 1927 at Christ Church Cathedral by Special Licence by Fredk S Vaughan, Clerk in Holy Orders. The witnesses were Arnold Hodson and J K Nethercoate. Birt's father was recorded as Edwin Athelstan Elliot, pipe re-manufacture, and Mildred's father was recorded as George Bonner, farmer.
- 4. **John Francis "Jack" BONNER** born 27 May 1905 at San Carlos. John was married to **Vickey BASELEY** (not in Falklands) in 1928. Jack died 28 April 1958 in Stanley and is buried in Grave Q1612.

# Children of Mary (3) (1) and John McLEOD:

- 1. **Ellen Elizabeth McLEOD** born 25 June 1881 at San Carlos. Left with her parents 12 April 1892 for Sandy Point (*Punta Arenas, Chile*) on board the ss *Herodot*.
- 2. **Alice Mary Jane McLEOD** born 6 December 1896 at Moss-side. Left with her parents 12 April 1892 for Sandy Point (*Punta Arenas, Chile*) on board the ss *Herodot*.
- 3. **Donald John Alexander Marcus McLEOD** born 21 December 1891 at Cantera. Left with his parents 12 April 1892 for Sandy Point (*Punta Arenas, Chile*) on board the ss *Herodot*.

### Children of William (3) (4) and Helen BONNER:

- Margaret Alice BONNER born 7 May 1886 at Port Sussex. Margaret was married to George Eddy WHITNEY, from the USA (not in the Falkland Islands). Margaret died 12 June 1956 at Stanley and is buried in Grave S1574. George died 3 September 1957, age 75, at Stanley and is buried in Grave S1591.
- 2. Samuel BONNER born 4 April 1888 at Port Sussex. Samuel, a labourer, was married to Alice Marion MARTIN 20 June 1921 at the Office of the Registrar General, Stanley by M Craigie-Halkett, Registrar General. The witnesses were D J Sulivan and V Atkins. Samuel's father was recorded as William Bonner, carter, and Alice's father was recorded as Alex Martin, retired. Samuel served in World War I and also had worked in South Georgia. Samuel, age 57, died Saturday 2 March 1946 in Montevideo where he had gone with his wife on account of his health. [FI Weekly News 7 March 1946]

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- 3. **Frederick BONNER** born 10 May 1890 at Rincon Grande.
- 4. **Henry John BONNER** born 7 December 1894 at San Carlos. Henry, a labourer, was married to **Christina Catherine McASKILL**, divorced wife of A F Gleadell, 14 August 1925 at the Registrar's Office, Stanley by Special Licence by M Craigie-Halkett, Registrar General. The witnesses were V Atkins and A O Sullivan. Henry's father was recorded as William Bonner, carter, and Christina's father was recorded as Donald Smith McAskill, handyman. Henry went to Montevideo on medical in 1962. He died prior to 1968 (*not in Falkland Islands*). Christina died 8 March 1968, age 78, at Stanley and is buried in Grave T2098.
- 5. Andrez (Andreas) Pitaluga BONNER born 8 December 1896. Andrez, a labourer, was married to Annie Elizabeth Boyer CLASEN, divorced, 12 August 1941 at the Registrar's Office, Stanley by James Erik Hamilton, Registrar General. The witnesses were Doris Marian Summers and Alexander Walter Summers. Andrez's father was recorded as William Bonner, labourer, and Annie's father was recorded as Joseph James Williams Butler, shepherd. Andreas died 9 January 1952 and is buried in Grave 1471. Anne, a housekeeper, went on holiday to the UK in 1969.
- 6. **Malvina Geraldine BONNER** born 30 August 1898. Malvina was married to **Frederick William Morris SMITH**, Sergeant RMLI, 27 December 1918 at Christ Church Cathedral by Governors Licence by J Stanley Smith, Clerk in Holy Orders. The witnesses were Harry Bonner and Muriel Bonner. Frederick's father was recorded as Thomas Smith, naval pensioner, and Malvina's father was recorded as William Bonner, carter. Malvina went to the UK on the ss *Svend Foyn* in 1919.
- 7. **Richard Leslie BONNER** born 14 March 1901. Died 2 January 1973 at Stanley and is buried in Grave O2196.

### Children of Margaret (3) (5) and Arthur BARNES:

- 1. Silvester BARNES born 3 October 1888 in Stanley and baptised 9 December 1888 by Holy Trinity Church. His father's occupation was recorded as labourer. Silvester started working for the Falkland Islands Company Ltd in Lafonia 30 November 1903 as a boy receiving £3-0-0 a month, finishing 5 September 1905. Silvester, a labourer, was married to Elizabeth Inglis AITKEN 12 July 1910 in Christ Church Cathedral by Edward J Seymour, Chaplain & Hon Canon. The witnesses were Richard Aitken, Hannah Elizabeth Agnes Aitken and Alexander McIntosh Barnes. Silvester's father was recorded as Arthur James Barnes, shepherd, and Elizabeth's father was Richard Aitken and his occupation was recorded as gardener. Sylvester was placed on the blacklist for one year from 5 February 1930. [Penguin 6 Feb 1930] Elizabeth died 3 July 1939, age 49, of pulmonary tuberculosis and was buried 5 June 1939 in Grave K1135. Sylvester, age 72 and a caretaker, died 19 May 1961 in Stanley and was buried 23 May 1961 in Grave Q1696.
- Alexander McIntosh BARNES born 27 April 1890 at Two Sisters and baptised 18 May 1890 by Holy Trinity Church. His father's occupation was recorded as shepherd. Was still in the Falkland Islands for his brother's wedding in 1910. Went to Australia prior to 1919?
- 3. **Arthur James BARNES** born 5 July 1891 and baptised 18 September 1891 by Holy Trinity Church. His father's occupation was recorded as shepherd. Arthur started working

for the Falkland Islands Company Ltd in Lafonia 13 August 1906 on £3-0-0 a month, finishing 20 August 1908. He worked for them again in Lafonia from 21 February 1913 to 28 April 1913 on a monthly wage of £5-0-0. Arthur left the Falklands in 1941 on the *Lafonia*. Arthur was married to **Mary KING** of Hull, Yorkshire 1 January 1944. In October 1945 he was in Canada. [FI Weekly News 25 Oct 1945] Arthur, age 68 and a shepherd, died 19 August 1959 at Salvador and was buried 23 August 1959 in Grave S1643.

- 4. **Francis Edward "Frank" BARNES** born 10 February 1893 and baptised 10 February 1893 by Christ Church Cathedral. His father's occupation was recorded as shepherd. Frank was married to **Ethel PARKER** (not in the Falkland Islands). Francis, Ethel and their son Aubrey arrived in the Falkland Islands 8 December 1919 on board the *Orcoma*.
- 5. Frederick William BARNES born 2 July 1894 in Stanley and baptised 24 September 1894 by Christ Church Cathedral. His father's occupation was recorded as shepherd. Frederick, a mariner, was married to Euphemia WATSON 3 March 1925 at Christ Church Cathedral by Banns by J Stanley Smith, Clerk in Holy Orders. The witnesses were J S Barnes and Emma Jane Watson. Frederick's father was recorded as Arthur James Barnes, labourer, and Euphemia's father was recorded as William Henry Watson, carter. Frederick and Euphemia later divorced and she married William John PERRY 21 July 1962. Frederick, age 86 and retired, died 6 May 1981 in Stanley and was buried 8 May 1981 in Grave V1964.
- Samuel John "Jack" BARNES born 21 April 1896 at Port Sussex and baptised Samuel John Bonner BARNES 10 September 1896 by Christ Church Cathedral. His father's occupation was recorded as shepherd. John Samuel BARNES was married to (1) Winifred Anne CAREY, school teacher, 26 June 1930 at Christ Church Cathedral by Banns by F S Vaughan, Clerk in Holy Orders. The witnesses were Andrew Roger Peck and Cathleen Mary Smith. John's father was recorded as Arthur James Barnes, labourer, and Winifred's father was recorded as David Carey, deceased. Winifred died 2 March 1945 from chronic pulmonary tuberculosis, age 38, and was buried 4 March 1945 in Grave P1296. In 1946 John travelled to the UK & British Colonies to study labour problems. Jack was married to (2) Mabel Annie KING née SARNEY, widow, 25 February 1950 at Christ Church Cathedral by R G R Calvert MA, Senior Chaplain. The witnesses were Gordon Arthur Howkins and Olga Annie Howkins. John's father was recorded as Arthur James Barnes, deceased, and Mabel's father was recorded as Harry Sarney, deceased. John, age 69 and a contractor, died 6 June 1965 in Stanley and was buried 9 June 1965 in Grave T2025. [Biography, D Tahtam's Dictionary of Falklands Biography] Mabel died 26 July 1981 in Stanley, age 85, and was buried 30 July 1981 in Grave V1967.
- 7. **Ivy Clara BARNES** born 9 January 1898 at Pasa Manear, Teal Inlet and baptised 7 February 1898 by Christ Church Cathedral. Her father's occupation was recorded as shepherd. Ivy, a caretaker, went to England in 1948 to visit relations.
- 8. **Robert George "Bob" BARNES** born 16 January 1899 and baptised 6 March 1899 by Christ Church Cathedral. His father's occupation was recorded as shepherd. Robert, age 32, accidentally drowned off Upper William Island when the boat he was in overturned 3 January 1931. Robert's body was found the next day and he was buried 7 January 1931 in Grave J1014. [Obituary Penguin 5 Jan 1931; Inquest Penguin 7 Jan 1931]
- 9. **Hilda BARNES** born 7 April 1900 in Stanley and baptised 20 November 1900 by Christ Church Cathedral. Her father's occupation was recorded as shepherd. Hilda was married to **Victor Hubert Maxwell ATKINS**, clerk, 24 January 1925 at Christ Church Cathedral by

Special Licence by J Stanley Smith, Clerk in Holy Orders. The witnesses were Markham James Luxton and Betheda Elizabeth Barnes. Hilda's father was recorded as Arthur James Barnes, labourer, and Victor's father was recorded as William Maxwell Atkins, foreman. Victor, a retired clerk, died 30 June 1968 in Stanley and was buried 3 July 1968 in Grave T2105. Hilda died 9 March 1977 in Stanley, age 77, and was buried 1 March 1977 in Grave T2106.

- 10. Dwenda Ellen BARNES born 19 December 1901 and baptised 22 June 1902 by Christ Church Cathedral. Her father's occupation was recorded as shepherd. Dwenda was married to Irvine MOONEY, mariner, 23 February 1925 at the Registrar's Office, Stanley by Special Licence by M Craigie-Halkett, Registrar General. The witnesses were Robert George Barnes and Muriel Olive Bonner. Dwenda's father was recorded as Arthur James Barnes, general workman, and Irvine's father was recorded as Robert Mooney, farmer. Dwenda and Ivine went to Montevideo on business 24 April 1925 on the Pythia.
- 11. **Betheda Elizabeth BARNES** born 19 September 1908 in Stanley and baptised 15 November 1908 by Christ Church Cathedral. Her father's occupation was recorded as shepherd. Betheda was married to **Norman David Fairweather KENNY**, horsetamer, 24 December 1930 at Christ Church Cathedral by Fredk S Vaughan, Clerk in Holy Orders. The witnesses were Edward Louis Ashley and Muriel Olive Bonner. Betheda's father was recorded as Arthur James Barnes, labourer, and Norman's father was recorded as David Kenny, labourer. Betheda died 8 September 1934 from meningitis and is buried in Grave K1071. Norman died 21 January 1974, age 70, at Stanley and is buried in Grave U1815.

# Children of Alice (3) (6) and Robert REIVE:

- 1. **Elizabeth Alice REIVE** born 5 June 1892. Elizabeth was married to **Hjalmar FUHLENDORFF**, seaman from Denmark, 7 July 1911 at Stanley by Special Licence by Robert Johnson, Nonconformist Minister. The witnesses were Silvester Barnes and Elizabeth Inglis Barnes. Hjalmar was appointed bosun of the ss *Falkland* in 1921. On 3 April 1930 Hjalmar, boson of the ss *Falkland*, was sentenced to 3 months hard labour & fined £25 for tampering with the mail on board. [Penguin 4 Apr 1930] Elizabeth died 11 July 1963 at Stanley and is buried in Grave T2001. Hjalmar died 28 September 1967 at Stanley and is buried in Grave T2002.
- 2. **Peter REIVE** born 31 May 1894 at Port Sussex. Peter died 22 November 1903 from tuberculosis and is buried in Grave A32.
- 3. Robert REIVE born 8 December 1895 at Port Sussex. Robert, a coxswain, was married to Emma Flora ALDRIDGE 16 July 1924 at Christ Church Cathedral by J Stanley Smith, Clerk in Holy Orders. The witnesses were Ernest V Dixon and Joseph Aldridge. Robert's father was recorded as Robert Reive, shepherd, and Emma's father was recorded as Joseph Aldridge, caretaker. Robert, age 59 and a handyman, died 23 March 1955 in Stanley from cancer and was buried 25 March 1955 in Grave Q1544. Emma, age 59 and a housewife travelled to the UK in 1960.
- 4. **Mary Alice REIVE** born 24 November 1897. Mary died 11 September 1909 at San Carlos South from pernicious anaemia (*no burial record*).

## Children of Alexander (3) (7) and Jessie BONNER:

- 1. James Samuel BONNER born 7 November 1898.
- 2. Albert McIntosh BONNER born 28 March 1900 at San Carlos. Albert, a shop assistant, was married to Muriel Malvina BRADBURY 15 August 1931 at Christ Church Cathedral by Special Licence by Fredk S Vaughan, Clerk in Holy Orders. The witnesses were Edward Samuel Crawford and Vera May Riches. Albert's father was recorded as Alexander McIntosh Bonner, sheep farmer, and Muriel's father was recorded as Robert Bradbury, blacksmith. Albert and Muriel emigrated to the UK in 1945.
- 3. Alexander Maurice BONNER born 7 April 1902 on Speedwell Island. Shepherd. Went to school in Scotland, leaving Stanley 17 April 1912 on board the *Orepesa* bound for Liverpool. Alexander, a shepherd, was married to Violet CLIFTON 10 July 1935 at the Registrar's Office, Stanley by Special Licence by A R Hoare, Ag Registrar General. The witnesses were Albert Bonner and Annie Harris. Violet's father was recorded as Henry Clifton, butcher, and Alexander's father was recorded as Alexander McIntosh Bonner, stock inspector. Alexander died 14 December 1960 in Stanley and is buried in Grave S1685.
- 4. Winifred Irene BONNER born 23 September 1907 at Stanley. Winifred was married to Lawrence Walter ALDRIDGE, civil servant, 12 April 1933 at Christ Church Cathedral by Banns by Harold E Lumsdale, Dean of Christ Church. The witnesses were P H O'Sullivan and S Aldridge. Lawrence's father was recorded as Joseph Thomas Aldridge, retired, and Winifred's father was recorded as Alexander McIntosh Bonner, farm manager. [Account of wedding Penguin 18 Apr 1933]
- 5. **Phyllis Helen BONNER** born 5 December 1909 on Speedwell Island. Phyllis was married to **Fairport Thomas Joseph O'SULLIVAN**, musician, 25 February 1931 at St Mary's Roman Catholic Chapel, Stanley by Special Licence by Mario Louis Migone, Priest in Charge. The witnesses were Alexander Bonner, Winnifred Bonner and Deo O'Sullivan. Fairport's father was recorded as Daniel John O'Sullivan, retired, and Phyllis' father was recorded as Alexander McIntosh Bonner, farmer. The family emigrated to the UK in 1945.
- 6. William Bruce BONNER born 1 April 1911 on Speedwell Island. William, a store packer, was married to Malvina May BUNDES 7 September 1940 at Christ Church Cathedral by Special Licence by Gerald K Lowe, Senior Chaplain. The witnesses were Phyllis Atkins and Albert Bonner. William's father was recorded as Alexander McIntosh Bonner, labourer, and Malvina's father was recorded as Jeff Andreasen Bundes, labourer.

### Children of Helen (3) (8) and Edward CURRAN:

- May CURRAN born 13 May 1898. Married John Bertram Hogan PECK, labourer, 24
  November 1921 at St Mary's Roman Catholic Chapel, Stanley by Special Licence by Mario
  Luis Migone, Priest in Charge. The witnesses were James Patrick Peck and Maud
  Curran. John's father was recorded as William Peck, constable and May's father was
  recorded as Edward Curran, shepherd. John and May emigrated to the UK in 1949.
- 2. **James CURRAN** born 20 December 1898. Died 13 April 1899 from whooping cough and bronchitis and is buried in Grave A46.

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- 3. **Maud CURRAN** born 20 October 1900. Maud was married to **William McGILL**, shepherd and widower, 27 April 1926 at the Registrar's Office, Stanley by Special Licence by M Craigie-Halkett, Registrar General. The witnesses were May Peck and Sydney Goss. William's father was recorded as William McGill, deceased, and Maud's father was recorded as Edward Curran, shepherd. William died 19 August 1954, age 72, and is buried in Grave Q1540. Maud emigrated to the UK in 1959.
- 4. Nellie CURRAN born 3 November 1902. Nellie was married to (1) William Albert POOLE, sailor, 25 February 1927 at Christ Church Cathedral by Banns by Fredk S Vaughan, Clerk in Holy Orders. The witnesses were W R Halliday and J Curran. William's father was recorded as Charles Poole, deceased sailor, and Nellie's father was recorded as Edward Curran, shepherd. William, age 29, died 21 July 1928 from tuberculosis and was buried 25 July 1928 in Grave J 982. Nellie, a widow, was married to (2) William George GLEADELL, labourer, 17 September 1932 at the Registrar's Office, Stanley by Registrar General's Licence by G R L Brown, Registrar. The witnesses were Mrs A W Summers, Mrs Doris M Summers, Mrs B H Peck and Mrs May Peck. William's father was recorded as William Edward Gleadell, shepherd, and Nellie's father was recorded as Edward Curran, shepherd. Nellie and William went to the British Empire in 1951.
- 5. Joseph CURRAN born 7 September 1904 at Horseshoe Bay. Joseph, a shepherd, was married to (1) Sylvia NEWMAN 31 May 1933 at the Registrar's Office, Stanley by Special Licence by G R L Brown, Registrar General. The witnesses were Henry Newman and Nellie Gleadell. Joseph's father was recorded as Edward Curran, shepherd, and Sylvia's father was recorded as Frederick Newman, retired. Sylvia died 5 September 1942, age 34, in childbirth and is buried in Grave N1233. Joseph, a widow and assistant lighthouse keeper, was married to (2) Edith Mabel ALDRIDGE, widow, 14 May 1954 at the Office of the Registrar General, Stanley by H Bennett, Registrar General. The witnesses were R Jones and Beryl Jones. Joseph's father was recorded as Edward Curran, deceased shepherd, and Edith's father was recorded as Richard Francis Short, deceased shepherd. Edith emigrated to the UK in 1965 to live with her son. Joseph died 29 November 1966 in Stanley and is buried in Grave R1768.
- 6. **John CURRAN** born 13 November 1906 at Horseshoe Bay. Died 2 March 1951 at Darwin of coronary thrombosis and is buried there.
- 7. **Edward CURRAN** born 8 May 1909 at Horseshoe Bay. Died 11 August 1924 of tuberculosis and is buried in Grave J904.
- 8. **Henry CURRAN** born 18 March 1915. Henry, a labourer, was married to **Margaret EVANS** 23 August 1939 at the Registrar's Office, Stanley by Special Licence by A R Hoare, Registrar General. The witnesses were Reuben McLaren and Lucy Phyllis McLaren. Henry's father was recorded as Edward Curran, shepherd, and Margaret's father was recorded as John Evans, deceased. Henry and Margaret emigrated to New Zealand in 1961.

# DESCENDANTS OF SAMUEL & HELEN STILL IN THE FALKLAND ISLANDS