BROWN 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. Various spellings of names are recorded as written at the time.

James BROWN was married to Agnes TAIT (not in the Falkland Islands).

James BROWN, a shepherd from Scotland was engaged by the Falkland Islands Company Ltd to proceed by the *Chislehurst*, leaving London December 1870. The *Chislehurst*, a 352 ton British barque under Captain Thomas Bryson, arrived in Stanley 2 February 1871 with cargo, 15 crew and 33 passengers, 15 of whom were immigrants. The trip took 43 days. James was accompanied by his wife Agnes, three children and an infant. James was employed on a 5 year contract with a starting annual wage of £40-0-0, rising £1-10 per year, with an ending annual wage of £50-0-0. He was advanced £5 in London. [FIC 1867-1877, desp 414; Shipping Registers]

FIRST GENERATION:

Children of James (1) and Agnes BROWN:

- 1. **Child BROWN** born in Dumfriesshire, Scotland. Arrived in Stanley 2 February 1871 on board the *Chislehurst*.
- 2. **Child BROWN** born in Dumfriesshire, Scotland. Arrived in Stanley 2 February 1871 on board the *Chislehurst*.
- 3. **Child BROWN** born in Dumfriesshire, Scotland. Arrived in Stanley 2 February 1871 on board the *Chislehurst*.
- 4. **Child BROWN** born in Dumfriesshire, Scotland? Arrived in Stanley 2 February 1871 on board the *Chislehurst*, as an infant.
- 5. **Isabella BROWN** born 11 October 1872 at Island Creek. Her father's occupation was recorded as shepherd.
- 6. John BROWN
- 7. **Thomas BROWN** born 28 May 1877 at Island Creek, Lafonia and baptised 27 July 1877 by Holy Trinity Church. His father's occupation was recorded as shepherd.
- 8. Child BROWN born circa 1879 in Dumfriesshire, Scotland.