Edith NORTON was born in Scunthorpe in 1892.

The first mention found to date in the Falkland Islands of **Edith NORTON** is 25 October 1916 when she was a witness to the wedding of Christina Goss to Christopher Peter Bender.

Edith NORTON, of full age *(21 or above)* and a spinster, was married to **William Thomas ALDRIDGE**, of full age, a bachelor and shepherd, 7 June 1917 at Christ Church Cathedral by Registrar's Licence by C McDonald Hobley, Clerk in Holy Orders. The witnesses were Muriel H Felton, Evelyn Aldridge, John W Grierson and Harold Joseph Aldridge. Edith's father was recorded as George Norton, deceased farmer, and William's father was recorded as Joseph Aldridge, carter.

Edith, age 32, died 22 May 1924 from diabetes Cv and was buried 25 May 1924 in Grave J900. William, age 53 and a labourer, died 22 November 1940 from heart failure and was buried 2 November 1940 in Grave J1171. [Obituary FI News Weekly 28 Nov 1940]

WEDDING. A very pretty wedding took place at the Cathedral on June 7th when Mr. W. Aldridge was married to Miss E Norton. 'The service, which was conducted by the Rev. C. McD. Hobley, was fully Choral, and the sacred edifice was well filled by a large congregation of relations and friends. The Bride, who was given away by Mr J. Grierson, wore a silk figured voile dress, with bead trimmings and carried a sheath of lilies. She was attened by Miss Evelyn Aldridge as bridesmaid, who wore a crushed strawberry silk dress, trimmed with white lace, and a hat to match. A Reception was held after the wedding at the house of Mr. Mrs. Joe Aldridge, and in the evening a dance was given in the Town Hall in honour of the happy event. We sincerely wish them every happiness in their new life. *C. McD.H.*

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DESCENDANTS OF EDITH & WILLIAM STILL IN THE FALKLAND ISLANDS

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