DOUGLAS FAMILY VERSION: 31 July 2017

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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 the spellings of names are recorded as written in the records at the time.

Thomas DOUGLAS was born circa 1846 in Dumfries, Scotland. [Family history] Thomas was married to **Annie E TENNANT** circa 1872 (not in the Falkland Islands).

Thomas, age 28, and Annie, age 19, departed London 11 January 1873 on board the *Humbleton*. [H22; D16, pg 16] The *Humbleton*, a 420 British barque under Captain Sorensen, arrived at Stanley 28 March 1873 with 11 passengers and cargo for the Falkland Islands Company Ltd and cleared for Darwin for a cargo of wool.

Thomas, age 52, died 9 November 1898 and is buried in the Municipal Cemetery, Punta Arenas.

FIRST GENERATION

Children of Thomas and Annie DOUGLAS:

- Maryann DOUGLAS born 30 August 1873 at Fitzroy. Her father's occupation was recorded as shepherd. Mary Ann was married to William Thomas Darwin RUDD August 1892 in Punta Arenas, Chile. [FIM Oct 1892]
- 2. **Margaret DOUGLAS** born 13 August 1875 at Fitzroy. Her father's occupation was recorded as shepherd.
- 3. **Walter DOUGLAS** born 28 April 1877 at Fitzroy. His father's occupation was recorded as shepherd.
- 4. **Thomas DOUGLAS** born 13 May 1879 at North Arm. His father's occupation was recorded as shepherd.
- 5. **James Magellan DOUGLAS** baptised 25 April 1890 in Punta Arenas by Edwin Coupland Aspinall. The family were living in Punta Arenas at the time and his father's occupation was recorded as storekeeper.
- 6. **Jessie Olivia DOUGLAS** born circa 1886 (not in the Falkland Islands). Jessie, age 23 & living in Punta Arenas, was married to **Harold NIELSEN**, captain living in Punta Arenas, 8 May 1909 in the Hotel Bolsa, Punta Arenas, according to the Rites and Ceremonies of the Church of England after civil marriage on the same day by Edwin Coupland Aspinall, British Chaplain. The witnesses were James Wilson and Annie Douglas. Harold's father was recorded as Andrew Nielsen and Jessie's father was recorded as Thomas Douglas, farmer.
- 7. **Annie DOUGLAS** born circa 1887 in Punta Arenas. Annie, living at Calle Talea, was married to **William Thomas GARNHAM**, engineer living at 650 Calle Mexicano, 20 January 1912 in the Hotel Commercio according to the Rites and Ceremonies of the Church of England by J C Cater, Chaplain. The witnesses were Thomas Douglas and John Dickson. William's father was recorded as Thomas Garnham, engineer, and Annie's father was recorded as Thomas Douglas, engineer.
- 8. **John DOUGLAS** (not born in the Falkland Islands).
- 9. **William DOUGLAS** (not born in the Falkland Islands).