

## GLEADALL 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.*

**Charles GLEADALL** was born circa March 1812 in Lincolnshire, England. He was married to (1) ?.

**Charles GLEADALL**, his daughter Emma, and sons Edwin, Enoch and Edmond came to the Falkland Islands in 1852 to work for Captain Packe.

Charles, a widower, was married to **Henrietta MORRIS**, formerly **MATHEW**, widow, 12 January 1858 by Henry Martyn Faulkner, Colonial Chaplain in Holy Trinity Church by Banns. The witnesses were Thomas Yates and Jane Herkes.

In 1858 Charles engaged a passage for his family to the River Plate but changed his mind and by November 1858 was working for the Falkland Islands Company Limited.

Henrietta, age 56, died 20 March 1871 and was buried 23 March 1871 in Grave F464. The cause was recorded as insanity.

Charles, age 86 years and 3 months, died 22 June 1898 and was buried 26 June 1898 in Grave F463.

### Children of Charles and ? GLEADALL:

1. **Emma GLEADALL** born circa 1840 (*possibly in Lincolnshire, England*). Emma, a minor (*under 21*) living in Stanley, was married to **George CLETHERO**, of full age and living in Lafonia, 3 May 1859 by Arthur Bailey, Registrar at the Registrar's Office. The witnesses were Jane Herkes and Henry Powney. Emma's father was recorded as Charles Gledall. Neither George's occupation nor father was recorded. No record of children born or further record of Emma and George found to date.
2. **Edwin GLEADALL** born circa 1843 in Lincolnshire, England. Edwin, age 27 and a labourer from England living in Stanley, was married to **Elizabeth Jane SUMMERS**, age 19 from England, 17 May 1871 at Trinity Church Stanley according to the Rites and Ceremonies of the Church of England by Banns by Charles Bull MA Colonial Chaplain. The witnesses were Phoebe Summers and William Clethero. Edwin's father was recorded as Charles Gleadell, shepherd and Elizabeth's father was recorded as John Summers, (*military*) pensioner. Edwin, age 82, died 20 August 1925 and was buried 23 August 1925 in Grave J827. [Obituary FIM Oct 1925] Elizabeth, age 75, died 13 November 1926 and was buried 17 November 1926 in Grave K949.
3. **Enoch GLEADALL** born circa 1844 in Lincolnshire, England. Enoch, age 22 and a general labourer from Lincolnshire, England living at Sullivan House, Stanley, was married to **Sarah JOHNSTONE**, age 23, a domestic labourer from Portsmouth, England and living at Sullivan House, Stanley, 24 September 1867 at Trinity Church Stanley according to the Rites and Ceremonies of the Church of England by Banns by Charles Bull MA Colonial Chaplain. The witnesses were recorded as George Clethero, Isabella Fell and Emma Clethero. Enoch's father was recorded as Charles Gleadhall, shepherd, and Sarah's father was recorded as William Henry Johnstone, painter. Enoch, age 43, died 23 August 1888 from phthisis (*no burial record*). Sarah was married to (2) **Daniel CUSACK** 14 September 1890 by St Mary's Roman Catholic Church. Daniel, age 76, died 4 December 1918 and was buried in Grave I832. Sarah, age 78, died 8 March 1922 and was buried in Grave J867.
4. **Edmond GLEADALL** born February/March 1849 in Lincolnshire, England. Edmond, age 23 years & 9 months and a gaucho & native of Lincolnshire, Great Britain, died 11 December 1872 from measles and was buried 15 December 1872 in Grave F462.

## FIRST GENERATION:

### Children of Edwin (2) and Elizabeth GLEADALL:

1. **William Edwin GLEADALL** born 26 December 1872 in Stanley and baptised 19 January 1873 by Holy Trinity Church. His father's occupation was recorded as gaucho. William, a shepherd living at North West Arm, was married to **Louisa Edith WATSON** 25 May 1893 at Orquita according to the Rites and Ceremonies of the Established Church by Governor's Licence by Lowther E Brandon MA Dean & Colonial Chaplain. The witnesses were Henry White and Phoebe Jane Gleadell. William's father was recorded as Edwin Gleadell, shepherd, and Louisa's father was recorded as James Watson, shepherd.
2. **Phoebe Jane GLEADALL** born 19 June 1874 at Long Island, Berkeley Sound and baptised 26 July 1874 by Holy Trinity Church. Her father's occupation was recorded as labourer. Phoebe was married to **Frederick John BIGGS** 7 September 1898 by St Mary's Roman Catholic Church.
3. **Charles GLEADALL** born 21 May 1876 at Dupery Harbour, Berkeley Sound and baptised 25 December 1877 by Holy Trinity Church. His father's occupation was recorded as labourer. Charles, a shepherd, was married to **Sophia Lois Phillip SCHMETZER** 3 August 1908 at Government House by C F Mermagen, MA, PhD, Hon Canon Cathedral Chaplain. The witnesses were E J Gleadell, Jessie Smith and Barbara Donald. Charles' father was recorded as Edwin Gleadell, labourer, and Sophia's father was recorded as George Phillip Schmetzer, hotel keeper. Sophie moved to Britain from the Continent as a girl of 16 and 16 years later moved to the Falkland Islands as a cook for Governor Allardyce. No children recorded as born in the Falkland Islands. Sophia, age 73 and a housewife, died in Stanley Saturday 16 February 1946 and was buried Monday afternoon 18 February 1946 in Grave P1315. [Obituary FI News Weekly 21 Feb 1946] Charles, age 76 and a retired labourer, died 23 October 1952 and was buried 26 October 1952 in Grave 1496.
4. **George GLEADELL** born 2 June 1878 in Stanley and baptised 3 July 1878 by Holy Trinity Church. His father's occupation was recorded as gaucho. George, a sailor, was married to **Annie Eliza HALLIDAY** 17 June 1909 at the Registrar's Office, Stanley by Special Licence by W A Thompson, Acting Registrar General. The witnesses were Mrs George Watson and George Watson. George's father was recorded as Edwin Gleadell, retired shepherd, and Annie's father was recorded as John Halliday, deceased shepherd. Annie, age 31, died 14 March 1921 from pulmonary tuberculosis and was buried 16 March 1921 in Grave J858. George, a labourer, went to Punta Arenas, Chile in 1927 to find work.
5. **Edward John GLEADELL** born 23 March 1881 at Shallow Bay, West Falklands and baptised 23 May 1881 by Holy Trinity Church. His father's occupation was recorded as herdsman. Edward, a shepherd, was married to **Marion Elizabeth ALDRIDGE** 14 June 1906 at Christ Church Cathedral, Stanley by Lowther E Brandon MA Dean & Colonial Chaplain. The witnesses were J Clethoro, Rebecca Aldridge and John Summers. Edward's father was recorded as Edwin Gleadell, carter, and Marion's father was recorded as Joseph Thomas Aldridge, gardener. Edward, a labourer, travelled to Montevideo, Uruguay for medical treatment in 1945.
6. **Ella Marion GLEADELL** born 13 August 1886 and baptised 9 November 1886 by Holy Trinity Church. Her father's occupation was recorded as shepherd. Ella was married to

**Frederick William KIDDLE**, labourer, 8 January 1905 at Christ Church Cathedral, Stanley by Lowther E Brandon MA Dean & Colonial Chaplain. The witnesses were Albert J S Kiddle and Marian Aldridge. Ella's father was recorded as Edwin Gleadell, carter, and Frederick's father was recorded as Noah Kiddle, labourer.

7. **Frederick Arthur GLEADELL** born 18 June 1884 at Island Harbour and baptised 9 November 1886 by Holy Trinity Church. His father's occupation was recorded as shepherd. Frederick, a shepherd, was married to **Christina Catherine "Kate" McASKILL** 6 July 1908 in Christ Church Cathedral by C F Mermagen, MA, PhD, Hon Canon Cathedral Chaplain. The witnesses were William Westerling and Sybella Ellen McAskill. Frederick's father was recorded as Edwin Gleadell, labourer, and Christina's father was recorded as Donald McAskill, shepherd. Frederick, a labourer, emigrated to Chile in 1934.

Christina, a divorcee was married to (2) **Henry John BONNER**, labourer, 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. 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.

8. **Enoch GLEADELL** born 30 January 1889 at Island Harbour and baptised **Enoch Robert GLEADELL** 10 October 1889 by Holy Trinity Church. His father's occupation was recorded as shepherd. Robert, age 48 and a labourer, died 3 August 1937 from congestive heart failure and emphysema and was buried 6 August 1937 in Grave K1110.

9. **James Reginald GLEADELL** born 19 August 1891 at Island Creek, Walker Creek and baptised 16 October 1891 by Holy Trinity Church. His father's occupation was recorded as shepherd. James enrolled in the Falkland Islands Volunteers in 1909. James, a shepherd, was married to **Lilian Agnes ALDRIDGE** 3 December 1917 at Christ Church Cathedral by Banns by C McDonald Hobley. The witnesses were Joseph T Aldridge, Evelyn Aldridge, Emma Aldridge and F Gleadell. James' father was recorded as Edwin Gleadell, shepherd, and Lilian's father was recorded as Joseph Aldridge, shepherd. James travelled to the UK in 1930 to attend a Bisley shooting meeting. James received a long service award in the Colonial Auxiliary Forces in June 1930.

10. **Franklin Edmund GLEADELL** born 15 February 1894 at Island Creek and baptised 28 August 1894 by Christ Church Cathedral. His father's occupation was recorded as shepherd. Franklyn, a mariner, was married to **Winnifred Irene DAVIS** 15 January 1921 at Fox Bay, West Falkland by J Stanley Smith, Clerk in Holy Orders. The witnesses were John Craddock and Gay Craddock. Franklyn's father was recorded as Edward Gleadell, shepherd. Winnifred's father was recorded as John Davis, deceased mariner. Winnifred went to Montevideo, Uruguay for medical treatment in 1945. Franklin emigrated to New Zealand via Montevideo and the UK in 1960.

11. **Sidney Markham GLEADELL** born 30 June 1896 at Island Creek and baptised 19 July 1896 by Christ Church Cathedral. His father's occupation was recorded as shepherd. Sidney, a navy, was married to (1) **Jane COUTTS** 3 March 1928 at the Registrar's Office, Stanley by Special Licence by M Craigie Halkett, Acting Registrar General. The witnesses were M Smith and F Gleadell. Jane's father was recorded as William Coutts, deceased. Jane died 6 September 1938, age 60, at Elephant Beach, Port San Carlos and is buried in Grave 16 Port San Carlos. Sidney, a shepherd, went to Punta Arenas, Chile in 1939 seeking employment. Sidney, a widower and shepherd, was married to (2) **Ann McKENZIE**, widow, 7 September 1954 at the Office of the Registrar General, Stanley by H Bennett, Registrar General. The witnesses were D McLeod and B McLeod. Sidney's father was recorded as Edwin Gleadell, deceased, and Ann's father was recorded as Albert James Phillips, deceased shepherd. Sydney, age 58 and a shepherd, shot himself with a rifle while of an unsound mind 3 November 1954 at Brenton Loch and is buried in the small plot next to Darwin Cemetery. Ann, age 78, died 22 September 1986 and was buried 24 September 1986 in Grave V3066. No children are recorded as born to Sidney.

### Children of Enoch (3) and Sarah GLEADALL:

1. **Emma GLEADALL** born 31 July 1868 at Sullivan House, Stanley and baptised 3 February 1869 by Holy Trinity Church. Her father's occupation was recorded as gaucho. Emma, age 1 year & 2 months, died 23 October 1869 at Long Island from scarlatina and was buried 24 October 1869 at Port Louis.
2. **William GLEADALL** born 17 May 1870 in Stanley and baptised 30 September 1870 by Holy Trinity Church. His father's occupation was recorded as gaucho. William, age 19 and a labourer at Fox Bay, died from phthisis in Stanley 12 July 1889 and was buried 14 July 1889 in Grave A77.
3. **Ada GLEADALL** born 16 January 1872 at Port Louis and baptised **Edith GLEADALL** 21 January 1873 by Holy Trinity Church. Her father's occupation was recorded as gaucho. Edith, age 18 and living at Port Howard, was married to **John Alexander McCaskill**, age 24 and a shepherd living at Fox Bay & Port Howard, 24 March 1890 in the house of Mr D McCaskill Snr Port Howard according to the Rites and Ceremonies of the Established Church by Licence by Lowther E Brandon MA Colonial Chaplain. The witnesses were Donald McCaskill and Joseph Butler. John's father was recorded as Donald McCaskill, shepherd, and Edith's father was recorded as Enoch Gleadell, shepherd.
4. **Ellen GLEADALL** born 8 January 1874 in Stanley and baptised 11 July 1875 by Holy Trinity Church. Her father's occupation was recorded as gaucho. Ellen, age 19 and living at San Carlos, was married to **Richard Francis SHORT**, age 27 and a shepherd living at San Carlos, 22 September 1892 at San Carlos in the house of Daniel Cusack according to the Rites and Ceremonies of the Established Church by Licence by Lowther E Brandon MA Dean & Colonial Chaplain. The witnesses were Joseph Edward Tait and Daniel Cusack. Richard's father was recorded as George Short, second foreman, and Ellen's father was recorded as Enoch Gleadell, shepherd.
5. **Ernest Robert GLEADALL** born 26 March 1876 at Shallow Bay, West Falkland and baptised 10 April 1877 by Holy Trinity Church. His father's occupation was recorded as gaucho. Ernest, age 24 and a shepherd living in Stanley, was married to **Mary Susan**

**HALLIDAY**, age 17 and living in Stanley, 8 May 1901 in the house of D Cusack according to the Rites & Ceremonies of the Established Church by Licence by Lowther E Brandon MA Dean & Colonial Chaplain. The witnesses were Daniel Cusack and Susan Elizabeth Halliday. Ernest's father was recorded as Enoch Gleadell, shepherd. Ernest was awarded a medal during WWII and it is now held in the FI Museum. Ernest changed his surname to **CUSACK** in 1928. Ernest, age 84 and a labourer, died 19 June 1960 in Stanley and was buried 23 June 1960 in Grave S1672.

6. **Enoch GLEADELL** born 16 January 1879 in Stanley and baptised 10 September 1879 by Holy Trinity Church. His father's occupation was recorded as labourer. Enoch died 11 December 1888 from acute phthisis.
7. **Sarah Jane GLEADELL** born 13 April 1883 in Stanley and baptised 8 July 1883 by Holy Trinity Church. Her father's occupation was recorded as labourer. Sarah, age 7, died from tubercular meningitis in Stanley 7 May 1890 and was buried 9 May 1890 in Grave A76.
8. **Rose GLEADALL** born 15 January 1886 in Stanley. Her father's occupation was recorded as labourer. Rose was married to **Robert HIRTLE**, seaman, 1 June 1908 in the house of Daniel Cusack, Stanley by C Rome Hall, Assistant Cathedral. The witnesses were Charles Carey and Lilian Buse. Robert's father was recorded as Reuben Hirtle, fisherman, and Rose's father was recorded as Enoch Gleadell, shepherd.

#### ***DESCENDANTS OF CHARLES GLEADELL STILL IN THE FALKLAND ISLANDS***