

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

**James HERON** was born circa 1805.

James was married to **Margaret KERR** (*not in the Falkland Island*).

James, age 53 and a merchant of Dumfries, died 28 December 1858 and was buried in Troqueer Churchyard, Kirkcudbrightshire, Scotland. Margaret, age 83, died 28 July 1890 and was buried with him.

### Children of James and Margaret HERON:

1. **Child HERON**
2. **Child HERON**
3. **Janet Wilson HERON** born circa 1846 the third child of James and Margaret and baptised 11 April 1847 in Troqueer, Kirkcudbrightshire, Scotland. Janet, age 22 and a female servant, was a passenger on board the *Beta* leaving Swansea 15 July 1867. Janet received a cash advance of £10 September 1867. [H22: FIC/C1; 349] Janet, a domestic from Dumfries, Scotland, was married to **Francis ROWLAND**, boatman from Kalmar, Sweden living in Stanley, 17 September 1868 at Trinity Church Stanley according to the Rites and Ceremonies of the Church of England after Banns by Charles Bull MA Colonial Chaplain. The witnesses were William Russell and Catherine Cardle. Francis' father was recorded as Israel Rowland, captain and Janet's father was recorded as James Heron, tea merchant. Janet was a relative of Archibald McCall. Janet, Francis and two children departed 19 July 1893 on board the *Denderah*. Janet, age 46, died Friday 25 August 1893 in Dumfries, Scotland. She is listed on her parent's plaque in Troqueer Churchyard, Dumfries, Scotland.
4. **George Wilson HERON** born circa 1847 (*not in the Falkland Islands*). George, age 38, died 28 November 1885 and appears to have been buried with his parents.
5. **Mary HERON** born ? Mary, living in Stanley, was married to **Edward HOLT**, ex sergeant of marines living in Stanley, 2 April 1894 in the Parish of Christ Church according to the Rites and Ceremonies of the Established Church by Licence by Lowther E Brandon MA Dean & Colonial Chaplain. The witnesses were D Carey and Marcella Parry. Edward's father was recorded as George Holt, labourer and Mary's father was recorded as James Heron, tea merchant. On 25 August 1898 Edward, Mary and Victoria departed for Port Stephens on board the *Fair Rosamund*, returning 6 October 1899 on board the *Fortuna*. In 1901 Edward was working for Mrs Dean as her under-gardener and was a director of the Government Officers' Canteen. Edward, Mary and Victoria arrived in Stanley 13 December 1904 on board the *Fortuna* and departed for Liverpool 3 January 1905 on board the *Orissa*. Edward died circa 1950 (*not in the Falkland Islands*). Mary died circa 1957 (*not in the Falkland Islands*).

## FIRST GENERATION:

### Children of Janet (3) and Francis ROWLANDS:

1. **John Edward ROWLAND** born 3 July 1869 in Stanley and baptised 12 September 1869 by Holy Trinity Church. His father's occupation was recorded as boatman. John, age 21, was accidentally drowned at San Carlos 26 February 1891 and, when his body was recovered, was buried in Grave 3 at Port San Carlos.

On the 26th February John Rowland was drowned at San Carlos. He was in a dinghy alongside the "E. Waldron" and it is supposed that in fixing the rudder he must have fallen overboard as he was next seen floating astern of the "E. Waldron" with his head under water. A life buoy and an oar were thrown to him but he was already unconscious and he sank before the boat could reach him. The body has not been found. Much sympathy is felt for Captain and Mrs. Rowland in their sad bereavement.

[FIM March 1891]

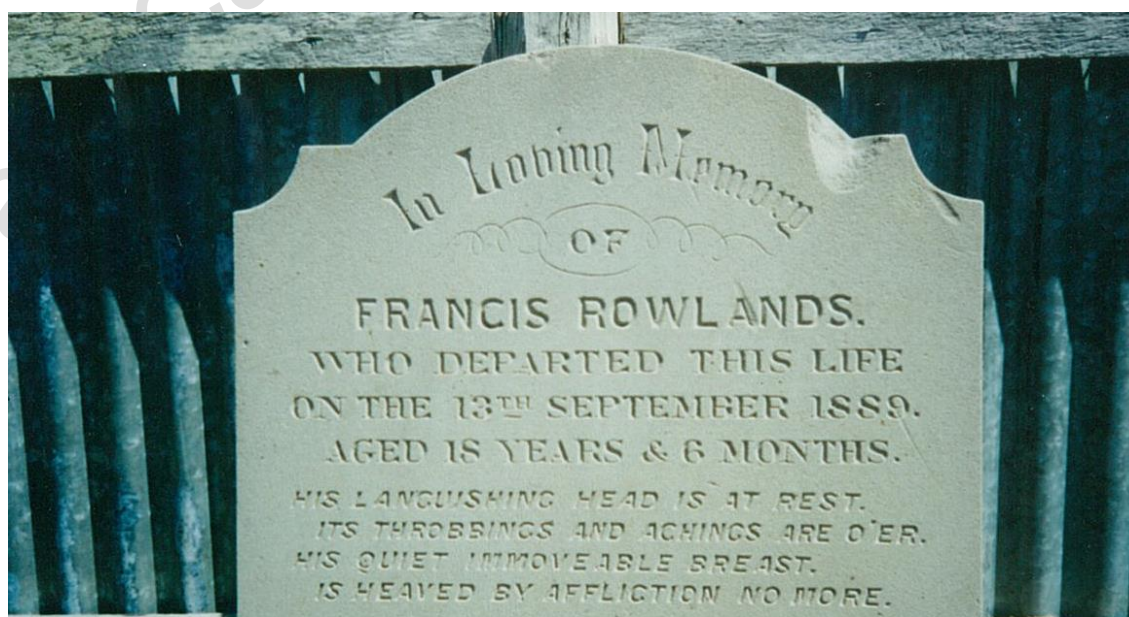
2. **Francis ROWLANDS** born 19 April 1871 in Stanley and baptised 24 June 1871 by Holy Trinity Church. His father's occupation was recorded as seaman. Francis committed suicide through drowning 13 September 1889 and was buried at Port Stephens.

**DEATHS.**

HAMILTON. Stanley, October 9, Captain Hamilton, of the iron barque *Arethusa*, of exposure.  
NICOL. Moffitt Harbour, September 13, Mrs. Nicol, aged 34.  
ROWLAND. Stanley, September 14, Johanna Rowland, aged 15.  
ROWLAND. Port Stephens, September 13, Francis Rowland, Jun.. Drowned, aged 18½ years, Verdict of Coroner's Court. Suicide by drowning, while of unsound mind.

Much commiseration is felt for Captain & Mrs. Rowland, who have lost 4 children within 9 months. Mary Jane, aged 12 years. Anna Janet, aged 2 years & 9 months. and the above. Francis seemed much depressed by the loss of his two sisters, (he had not heard of the death of the third), and was being watched: the man in charge wanted a few bricks, the boy said he would go for them; not returning, a search was instituted, he was found drowned in a creek in but 2½ feet of water, with a brick in each hand.

[FIM Nov 1889]





3. **George ROWLANDS** born 9 March 1873 at Fitzroy and baptised 25 May 1873 by Holy Trinity Church. His father's occupation was recorded as seaman. George, a sergeant in the Falkland Islands Volunteer Force, was made efficient in June 1895. [FIM Dec 1895] George, a carpenter, was married to **Alice Maud DAVIS** 11 November 1903 at the house of Mrs Wang, Stanley by Lowther E Brandon MA Dean & Colonial Chaplain. The witnesses were Charles Wang and Ann Elizabeth Wang. George's father was recorded as captain of the *Fortuna* and Alice's father was recorded as John Davis, sailmaker. George, age 47, died 13 February 1921 at Hill Cove as the result of an accidental gunshot wound on Carcass Island ten days previously.

#### FATAL ACCIDENT ON CARCASS ISLAND.

Much regret was expressed when the news spread that Mr George Rowlands had died at Hill Cove on 12th February, as the result of an accident on Carcass Island ten days previously.

It appears that Mr Rowlands, who had been on board the cutter, was carrying a 44' Winchester rifle which unfortunately happened to be loaded. Mr Rowlands slipped on the beach, and the gun went off, inflicting severe injuries to the head.

Directly he was found Mr Jason Hansen made ready the cutter and took Mr Rowlands and his wife to Hill Cove. Luckily there

was a good breeze and the journey was soon accomplished. Doctor Craddock, who was telephoned for, immediately started from Fox Bay. Mr Luxton sent horses and a guide to meet him & take him along until the guide from Hill Cove was encountered. By this means Mr Rowlands was able to receive medical attention with the least possible delay.

Under the skilful treatment of Doctor Craddock and with the nursing of Mrs Rowlands, Mrs Miller, Mr H. Bonner and Mr Shroeder the patient showed considerable improvement, and for some time hopes were entertained of his recovery. However, these hopes proved vain, and the end came quite suddenly.

The funeral was at Hill Cove on 14th February, when the service was read by the Dean who happened to be in the neighbourhood.

Mrs George Rowlands feels that every possible attention was given to her husband, and she and her family wish to convey their grateful thanks to all their friends for their kindness.

[April 1921].

George was buried 14 February 1921 at Hill Cove. Alice, a widow was married to (2) **Ole Albert STEVENSEN**, mariner from Norway, 21 January 1922. Alice, age 60 and a housewife, died 19 May 1947 and was buried in Grave P 1340. In her will dated 20 December 1940, Alice appointed her eldest son, James George Rowlands, to be her executor and left all of her property to be rented for the support of Ole and any of her children that may be under sixteen years of age; Ole was to be paid £5 per month for his support during his lifetime and the balance of the rental income was to be paid to her eldest daughter Rebecca Maud Clifton for the support of any of her children that may be under the age of sixteen. At the death of her husband and if her youngest child was over sixteen years of age; her property was to be sold and the proceeds of the sale to be divided equally between all of her surviving children. Ole, age 72 and a mariner, died 4 February 1949 and was buried in 6 February 1949 in Grave Q 1393

4. **Johanna ROWLANDS** born 29 January 1875 in Stanley and baptised 10 February 1876 by Holy Trinity Church. Her father's occupation was recorded as seaman. Joanna died 15 September 1889 in Stanley from syncope and was buried 17 September 1889 in Grave A99.
5. **Mary Jane ROWLANDS** born 3 November 1876 in Stanley and baptised 30 September 1877 by Holy Trinity Church. Her father's occupation was recorded as seaman. Mary Jane died 16 December 1888 from typhoid gastritis and was buried 19 December 1888 in Grave A100. Her father was the master of the schooner *Fair Rosamund* at the time of her death.

6. **Theodore Conrad 'Conrad' 'Con' ROWLANDS** born 25 July 1879 in Stanley and baptised 2 October 1879 by Holy Trinity Church. His father's occupation was recorded as seaman. Theodore departed 19 July 1893 on board the *Denderah* with his parents and brother. He learnt to play the violin in a music school in Gosport while they were waiting for the *Fortuna* to be ready for the voyage to the Falkland Islands. The *Fortuna* departed Portsmouth on 14 February 1894. Theodore, a labourer, was married to **Lucy YATES**, divorced, 14 March 1928 at the Registrar's Office, Stanley by Special Licence by M Craigie Halkett, Ag Registrar General. The witnesses were Gwen King and A B King. Theodore's father was recorded as Francis Theodore Rowlands, deceased, and Lucy's father was recorded as Richard Larsen, deceased. Theodore, age 90 and a labourer, died 1 January 1970 in Stanley and was buried 5 January 1970 in Grave U 2149. Lucy, age 78, died 26 December 1979 in Stanley and was buried 29 December 1979 in Grave U 2150.



**Con and Lucy in 1951**

7. **Frances ROWLANDS** born 25 November 1881 in Stanley and baptised 20 September 1882 by Holy Trinity Church. Her father's occupation was recorded as mariner. Frances departed 26 August 1891 on board the *Orissa* bound for London. Frances was married to **Albert Ferdinand LELLMAN**, carpenter, 27 February 1907 at Christ Church Cathedral, Stanley by C Rome Hall, BA, Assistant Chaplain. The witnesses were Franz F Lellman and F Rowlands. Albert's father was recorded as Francis Joseph Lellman, carpenter and Frances' father was recorded as Francis Rowlands, master mariner. Frances, age 49 and a housewife, went on holiday to Uruguay and Argentina in 1932. She was recorded as being 5' 4" tall with brown eyes and brown hair. Albert, age 62 and a carpenter, went to Montevideo for medical and a holiday in 1943. He was recorded as being 5' 6" tall with blue eyes and grey hair. Frances, age 51, died 22 November 1933 from coma and diabetes mellitus. Albert, age 92 and a carpenter, died 13 July 1973 in Stanley and was buried 17 July 1973 in Grave U 1809.



**Frances with her mother circa 1893, Frances in 1932 and Albert in 1943**

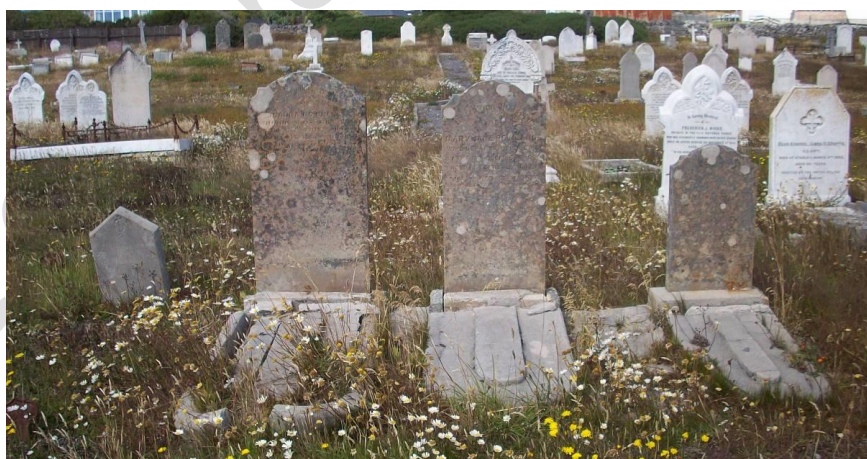


8. **James Harold ROWLAND** born 5 December 1883 in Stanley and baptised 20 July 1884. His father's occupation was recorded as mariner. James departed 19 July 1893 on board the *Denderah* with his parents and brother. They returned on the *Fortuna* which departed Portsmouth on 14 February 1894. James departed 12 June 1919 on board the *Antartico*. He returned 9 November 1922 on board the *Ortega*. James, and his nephew Jim, departed 13 October 1933 on board the *Lafonia* to work on the Pesca land station at South Georgia. They returned 9 April 1934. James, and his nephews Jim and William, departed 13 October 1934 on board the *Lafonia* to work in the whaling industry at South Georgia. James departed 12 January 1935 on board the *Lafonia*, bound for the UK via Montevideo. He arrived back 14 September 1935 on board the *Lafonia*. James was married to **Agnes Mary IRISH** (*not in the Falkland Islands*). James and Agnes arrived 19 November 1938 on board the *Lafonia*. James, age 67 and a sailor, and Agnes, age 67, emigrated to England in 1951.



**Agnes and James in 1938**

9. **Anna Janet ROWLANDS** born 5 June 1886 in Stanley and baptised at Darwin by the United Free Church. Her father's occupation was recorded as mariner. Anna died 11 March 1889 in Stanley from enteric fever and was buried 13 March 1889 in Grave A101.



**Joanna, Mary Jane and Anna Janet ROWLANDS**

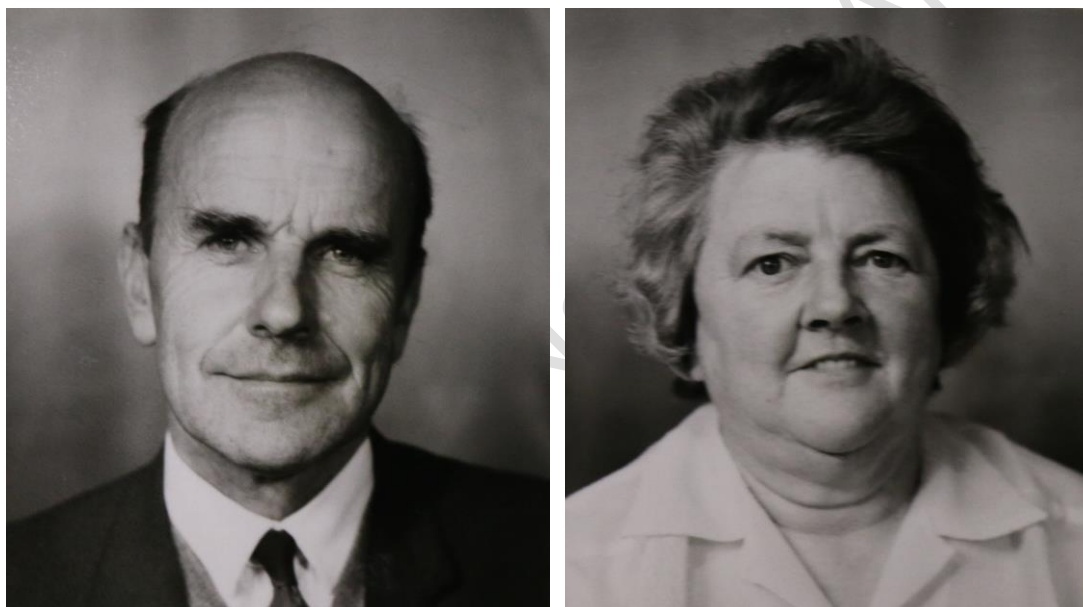
#### **Children of Mary (5) and Edward HOLT:**

1. **Victoria HOLT** born 14 June 1895 and baptised 18 July 1895 by Christ Church Cathedral. Her father's occupation was recorded as footman. Victoria departed with her parents for Liverpool 3 January 1905 on board the *Orissa*. Victoria was married to ? **MOORE** (*not in the Falkland Islands*). Victoria died 4 November 1979 in Hawtonville Hospital, Newark, Nottinghamshire, England.

## SECOND GENERATION:

### Children of George ROWLANDS (3) (3) and Janet SMITH:

1. **Helen "Nellie" SMITH** born 25 November 1903. Her father's name was not recorded. **Nellie ENNENGA**, a shop assistant, was married to **Walter Forrest "Forrest" McWHAN**, nonconformist minister from Scotland, 19 March 1940 at the Nonconformist Church (Tabernacle), Stanley by Special Licence by Ernest John Brain, Nonconformist Minister. The witnesses were William Henry Sedgwick and Edith Mary Pitaluga. Nellie's father was recorded as George Rowlands, deceased and Forrest's father was recorded as Andrew Alexander McWhan, medical officer of health. Walter, age 51 and a minister, and Nellie, age 61, went to the UK for a visit in 1964. Forrest was recorded as being 5' 10" tall with blue eyes and brown hair and Nellie was recorded as being 5' tall with green eyes and grey hair. Forrest, age 52, died from cancer 25 August 1965 in the Royal Infirmary, Falkirk, Scotland and was buried in Duns New Cemetery, Duns, Scottish Borders, Scotland. Nellie, age 70 and a widow, died in Stanley 31 August 1974 and was buried 3 September 1974 in Grave U 1835.



Forrest and Nellie in 1964

### Children of George (3) (3) and Alice ROWLANDS:

1. **Rebecca Maud 'Maud' ROWLANDS** born 10 April 1904 in Stanley and baptised 14 May 1904 by Christ Church Cathedral. Her father's occupation was recorded as carpenter. Rebecca was married to **Thomas Stanley CLIFTON**, shepherd, 29 September 1926 at Christ Church Cathedral by Banns by Frederick S Vaughan, Clerk in Holy Orders. The witnesses were Albert Clifton and Alice Elizabeth Rowlands. Thomas' father was recorded as Henry Clifton, butcher, and Rebecca's father was recorded as James George Rowlands, carpenter. Thomas, age 26 and a shepherd, and Rebecca, age 25, went to Punta Arenas, Chile in 1929 seeking employment. Thomas was recorded as being 5' 2 1/2" tall with blue eyes and dark brown hair and Rebecca was recorded as being 5' tall with brown eyes and black hair. Rebecca, age 42 and a housekeeper, and her son Clive departed 18 November 1946 on board the ss *Fitzroy* bound for Montevideo. According to the FI Weekly News and her passport application they were travelling to Australia via Buenos Aires. According to family history they went to Tasmania. Thomas departed for the UK via Montevideo 18 December 1946 as he was going to take part in the Victory Parade. His son Gerard accompanied him. Thomas and his son Gerard left Montevideo 27 February 1947 on board



the ss *Lafonia* bound for Stanley. Rebecca, age 43, and Clive, age 5, left Montevideo 30 July 1947 on board the ss *Lafonia* bound for Stanley. Rebecca, age 44, and Clive, age 6, left the Falklands 7 March 1949 on the ss *Lafonia*. According to family history when they got to England they went to live with Thora, Rebecca's half-sister, and Bill Mansfield, in Nelson, Lancashire. Later on, Rebecca bought the house next door and she took in lodgers. Eventually, she married one of them and became Mrs Joe Taylor (Rebecca and Thomas divorced in 1951). Joe died circa 1981 and Rebecca went to live with her son, Clive, in Sale, Manchester. Rebecca, age 91, died in 1987.



**Thomas and Rebecca in 1929**

2. **Alice Elizabeth ROWLANDS** born 26 November 1905 in Punta Arenas and baptised 17 December 1905 in Punta Arenas. Her godparents were recorded as Mrs Davies and the parents. Her father's occupation was recorded as carpenter. Alice, age 21 and a domestic, went to Montevideo, Uruguay for her health in 1927. Alice was married to **John George DABINETT**, labourer, 26 April 1929 at the Registrar's Office, Stanley by Special Licence by A B Hoare, Ag Registrar General. The witnesses were Dennis Wheatley and Malvina Rowlands. John's father was recorded as John Dabinett, farmer, and Alice's father was recorded as George Rowlands, carpenter. Johns, age 22, and Alice, age 23, moved to South Petherton, England in 1929 where John was going farming. John was recorded as being 5' 11" tall with blue eyes and brown hair and Alice was recorded as being 5' 2" tall with grey eyes and brown hair.



**John and Alice in 1929**

3. **Malvina Frances 'Mally' ROWLANDS** born 1 November 1907 in Stanley and baptised 20 November 1907 by Christ Church Cathedral. Her father's occupation was recorded as carpenter. Malvina was married to (1) **Charles Edward AIKEN**, ship steward and British, 29 March 1930 at the Registrar's Office, Stanley by Special Licence by M Craigie Halkett,. The witnesses were Rebecca Maud Clifton and Elizabeth Wheatley. Charles' father was recorded as George Frederick Aiken, motor engineer, and Malvina's father was recorded as George Rowlands, deceased. Malvina, age 22, went to Montevideo for a holiday in 1930. She was recorded as being 4' 10" tall with blue eyes and black hair. Malvina, a divorcee, was married to (2) **Frederick Aubrey SEDGWICK**, mariner, 10 June 1937 at the Registrar's Office, Stanley by Special Licence by A W Beardmore, Registrar General. The witnesses were William Henry Sedgwick and Daisy May Betts. Frederick's father was recorded as Henry Horace Sedgwick, deceased seaman, and Malvina's father was recorded as George Rowlands, deceased carpenter. Malvina, age 36 and a housewife living on Fitzroy Road, went to Montevideo on holiday in 1946. She was recorded as being 4' 10 ½" tall with grey eyes and black hair. Frederick, age 56 and a mariner, emigrated to the UK in 1951. He was recorded as being 5' 10 ¼ " tall with blue eyes, brown hair and tattoos on his arms.



Malvina in 1930



Frederick in 1951 and Malvina in 1946



4. **James George "Jim" ROWLANDS** born 29 June 1909 in Stanley and baptised 4 August 1909 by Christ Church Cathedral. His father's occupation was recorded as carpenter. Jim, age 16, started work as an assistant steward on the ss *Falkland* on a monthly wage of £7-10-0 with a promise of a rise to £10 if he stayed until he turned 18. In May 1928 he was still working on the ship. [FIC/EF/] On Thursday 28 May 1931 James proceeded to Johnson's Harbour as a member of the crew of the motor boat owned by Iver Bjarne Steen. James was rowing the pram back to the motor boat in Johnson's Harbour when about 180 yards from the beach the pram lurched and he was thrown head first into the sea. He could not swim and commenced to choke and lost consciousness. Iver jumped into the sea and swam to his rescue, struggling through a kelp patch. James surfaced after being underwater twice and lying motionless started to struggle and sank. Iver dived and grabbed him by the collar and swam back to the beach, having to pull himself with one hand through the kelp patch. He applied artificial respiration and after five minutes James regained consciousness. Iver was awarded a bronze medal by the Royal Humane Society. [PPL-MED-1-6] Jim, and his uncle James, departed 13 October 1933 on board the *Lafonia* to work on the Pesca land station at South Georgia. They returned 9 April 1934. Jim, and his uncle James and brother William, departed 13 October 1934 on board the *Lafonia* to work in the whaling industry at South Georgia. Jim and William arrived back 13 April 1935 on board the *Lafonia*. James, a shepherd, was married to (1) **Louisa Rose ANDERSON** 7 July 1945 at the Registrar's Office, Stanley by J E Hamilton, Registrar General. The witnesses were



Rebecca Maud Clifton and Joyce Maud Stevensen. James' father was recorded as George Rowlands, deceased, and Louisa's father was recorded as Ludwick Riley Anderson, shepherd. Louisa, age 24, died 1 September 1950 from heart failure and tuberculosis and was buried 5 September 1950 in Grave 1433. James, a widower and labourer, was married to (2) **Phillis Ileen Edith RUTTER**, widow, 2 June 1956 at the Office of the Registrar General, Stanley by Harold Bennett, Registrar General. The witnesses were W R Rowlands, John Lang, Sylva Spencer and Genevieve Rutter. James' father was recorded as George Rowlands, deceased carpenter, and Phillis' father was recorded as William Henry Goss, deceased. James, a coxswain, died 2 July 1963 in Stanley from a cerebral haemorrhage and was buried 5 July 1963 in Grave Q1741. Phillis, age 49 and a domestic servant emigrated to New Zealand in 1964. She was recorded as being 5' 1" tall with grey eyes and fair hair.



**Phillis in 1964**

5. **Daisy May ROWLANDS** born 27 November 1913 and baptised 18 April 1918 by Christ Church Cathedral. Her father's occupation was recorded as carpenter. Daisy was married to **Cyril Severine BETTS**, labourer, 11 April 1931 at the Registrar's Office, Stanley by Special Licence by G R L Brown, Registrar General. The witnesses were Malvina Frances Aiken and Ellen Maude Carey. Cyril's father was recorded as Alexander John Betts, shepherd, and Daisy's father was recorded as George Rowlands, deceased labourer. Daisy and Cyril later divorced. Daisy, age 29 and general worker, went to the UK in 1943 for war work or to join the forces. She was recorded as being 5' 4" tall with brown eyes and brown hair.



**Daisy in 1943**

6. **William John ROWLANDS** born 4 February 1916 on Weddell Island and baptised 18 April 1916 by Christ Church Cathedral. His father's occupation was recorded as carpenter. William, a labourer was married to (1) **Alice Annie MILLS** 27 September 1934 at the Registrar's Office, Stanley by Special Licence by A R Hoare, Ag Registrar General. The witnesses were Malvina Aiken and Daisy Betts. William's father was recorded as George Rowlands, deceased carpenter, and Alice's father was recorded as Thomas Henry Mills, gardener. William, and his uncle James and brother Jim, departed 13 October 1934 on board the *Lafonia* to work in the whaling industry at South Georgia. William and Jim arrived back 13 April 1935 on board the *Lafonia*. William departed 10 November 1935 on board the *Lafonia* for the whaling season in South Georgia, returning 11 April 1936. William, age 26 and a ship's cook, went to South American ports and the UK in 1942 as part of his occupation. He was recorded as being 5' 4 ¼" tall with blue eyes, black hair and a tattoo on his right arm. William and Alice divorced in April 1945. William, a divorced steward, was married to (2) **Catherine Annie "Rene" ALDRIDGE** 12 December 1954 at the Office of the Registrar General, Stanley by H Bennett, Registrar General. The witnesses were E F Lellman and R McCallum. William's father was recorded as George Rowlands, deceased, and Catherine's father was recorded as Stephen Charles Victor Aldridge, foreman. Catherine, age 37 and a housewife living at 3 Hebe Street, went overseas on holiday in 1966. She was recorded as being 5' 1" tall with green eyes and light brown hair. William and Catherine divorced in 1968.



**William in 1942 and Catherine in 1966**

#### **Children of Theodore (3) (6) and Lucy ROWLANDS:**

1. **John Richard ROWLANDS** born 3 April 1928 and baptised 1 July 1928 by Christ Church Cathedral. His father's occupation was recorded as labourer. John, a greaser, was married to **Daisy Malvina BOWLES**, age 22, 11 June 1951 at Christ Church Cathedral by M Floyd Jones BA, Clerk. The witnesses were Richard Victor Goss and Alice D Goss. Daisy's father was recorded as George Edward Bowles, labourer. John, age 24 and a ship's fireman living at 8 Ross Road, went to the UK in 1952 as a member of the crew of RMS *Fitzroy*. He was recorded as being 6' 1" tall with blue eyes and fair hair. John died 26 February 2000 and was buried 2 March 2000 in Grave V3317.





**Wedding of John and Daisy Rowlands**

**Back L-R: Con and Lucy Rowlands, Dick Goss, John and Daisy Rowlands, Beat Morrison,  
Mrs Dick Goss, Bella and George Bowles, Daisy Bowles.**

**Front L-R: Harold Rowlands, Willie Bowles, Frances Bowles, Ronnie Morrison**



**John in 1952**

2. **Betty Josephine ROWLANDS** born 29 August 1929 in Stanley and baptised 1 December 1932 by Christ Church Cathedral. Her father's occupation was recorded as labourer. Betty was married to **Basil William BIGGS**, caretaker, 4 September 1947 at the Registrar's Office, Stanley by J E Hamilton, Registrar General. The witnesses were Eileen N Biggs and Terence L Biggs. Basil's father was recorded as Bernard Claude Biggs, storekeeper. Basil, age 50 and a constable-handyman at South Georgia, and Betty, age 38 and a housewife, went to the UK on leave in 1968. Basil was recorded as being 5' 9" tall with blue eyes, brown hair and a scar on his left jaw and Betty was recorded as being 5' 6" tall with blue eyes and fair hair. Basil, age 69 and retired, died 8 May 1987 and was buried 13 May 1987 in Grave R 3075. Betty, age 79, died 17 September 2008 and was buried 24 September 2008 in Grave U 3481 next to her parents.



**Basil and Betty in 1968**

3. **Harold Theodore ROWLANDS** born 10 July 1931 and baptised 28 February 1932 by Christ Church Cathedral. His father's occupation was recorded as labourer. Harold, age 39 and a civil servant, went to the UK on holiday in 1971. He was recorded as being 5' 6" tall with blue/grey eyes and fair hair. Harold, a retired financial secretary, died 17 April 2004 in Stanley by drowning.



**Harold in 1971**



## Children of Frances (3) (7) and Albert LELLMAN:

1. **Francis Theodore LELLMAN** born 11 February 1908 in Stanley and baptised 29 March 1908 by Christ Church Cathedral. His father's occupation was recorded as carpenter. Francis, an apprentice carpenter when to England in 1931. Francis, a travelling teacher, went on holiday to Montevideo in 1943. Francis, a schoolteacher, was married to **Mildred Gladys BRAXTON**, clerk, 26 March 1946 at Christ Church Cathedral by R G R Calvert, Chaplain. The witnesses were Winifred Joyce McLeod and Henry William Alfred Stewart. Mildred's father was recorded as Thomas Braxton, mason. Mildred, age 24, went on holiday to Uruguay in 1947. She was recorded as being 5' 2" tall with grey eyes and brown hair. Mildred died 29 August 1949, age 26, from pulmonary tuberculosis and was buried 31 August 1949 in Grave C1406. Francis died overseas in 1900 and his ashes were buried 13 April 1991 in Grave 1809.



**Mildred in 1947**

2. **Karl Vernon LELLMAN** born 25 January 1910. His father's occupation was recorded as carpenter. Karl, a clerk, was married to **Mary Malvina 'Mally' REIVE**, clerk, at the Nonconformist Church (Tabernacle), Stanley by Banns by Walter Forrest McWhan, Nonconformist Minister. The witnesses were H H Sedgwick and P M Atkins. Mary's father was recorded as Thomas Reive, butcher. Karl served in the Falkland Islands Defence Force of 25 years and reached the rank of sergeant. Karl, age 43 and a town clerk, and Mary, age 39, emigrated to New Zealand via the UK in 1953. Karl was recorded as being 5' 5" tall with brown eyes and dark brown hair and Mary was recorded as being 5' 2" tall with blue eyes and light brown hair. Karl, age 100, died 5 August 2010 in Auckland, New Zealand. His obituary published in the New Zealand Herald read '*LELLMAN, Karl. On Thursday 5 August 2010 at Beechworth Home And Hospital; in his 101st year. Loved husband of the late Mal. Loved father and father-in-law of Michael and Pauline and John and Robyn. Adoring Grandfather of Philippa and Karl and loved Great-Grandfather of Benjamin and Natalie. Thank you to Browns Bay Retirement Village and Beechworth Home And Hospital. In lieu of flowers donations please to Starship Foundation, PO Box 99389, Newmarket 1149. A service will be held at the North Harbour Chapel of Dil's Funeral Services, 185 Schnapper Rock Road, Albany on Wednesday 11 August at 1pm followed by private cremation.*'



**Karl and Mary in 1953**

3. **Nancy Sybill Francis LELLMAN** born 5 April 1915 in Stanley. Her father's occupation was recorded as carpenter. Nancy, a clerk, was married to **David Masterton HONEYMAN**, schoolmaster, 27 March 1937 at Christ Church Cathedral by Banns by Gerald K Lowe, Chaplain. The witnesses were Karl Lellman and Ellen Lellman. David's father was recorded as Andrew Honeyman, clerk. David, age 51 and a teacher living at Darwin, and Nancy, age 39, went on holiday to the UK and Montevideo in 1935. David was recorded as being 5' 9" tall with blue eyes and dark hair and Nancy was recorded as being 5' 2" tall with blue eyes and brown hair. In 1941 they moved to Argentina where David taught in a small private school and in a prep school. They then went to Scotland where David took a teachers training course. David took over as headmaster in the Government School, Stanley in 1949. In 1952 David became headmaster of Darwin Boarding School and Nancy became matron. In 1957 they moved to Edinburgh, later emigrating to New Zealand. David, age 71 years, 11 months and 4 days, died 5 July 1975 in Palmerston North and was buried in Kelvin Grove Cemetery. Nancy, age 98 years, 11 months and 15 days, in 20 March 2014 in Palmerston North and was buried with her husband in Kelvin Grove Cemetery.



**David and Nancy in 1935**

4. **Boy LELLMAN** born 7 January 1922. Stillborn. His father's occupation was recorded as carpenter. *(No burial or grave record).*

#### **DESCENDANTS OF JAMES AND MARGARET STILL IN THE FALKLAND ISLANDS**