

PITALUGA 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.

Andreas PITALUGA was born in Gibraltar 26 September 1822 to **Benito PITALUGA** and **Celestina PITALUGA** née **SPINOLA**. As a young man he migrated down through South America, via Montevideo with his stepfather and mother, fellow Gibraltarians **Pascal** and **Angela RECANO**, arriving in the Falkland Islands in 1838. *NB: **Pascual RECANO** appears to have arrived earlier as he was recorded as a resident in the Falkland Islands in March 1837 [H1, pg 35] It may be that, as was often the case at the time, his wife and stepson were not recorded*

On 30 March 1838 **Pascual RECANO**, a native of Gibraltar, and resident at Port Louis, signed a memorial that he was willing to conform to all such orders and directions as may from time to time be promulgated by the authorities. [H1; 38]

On 18 September 1838 **Mr P & Mrs RICANO**, son **Andrew**, nephew **James** and niece **Annista** are recorded as settlers at Port Louis. [Papers relative to FI]

On 9 November 1838 **Pascual RECANO**, his wife **Angela Espino RECANO** and her son **Andres PITALUGA** were granted permission by Lieutenant LOWCAY to rebuild at their own expense a part of an old house situated in a valley leading about South West from Government House, Port Louis, and measuring twenty one by twenty two feet or thereabout. The house was given to them whilst they remained as a whole or individually on the Islands. [H1, pg 61]

On 18 September 1839 **Pascual RICANO**, wife, son, nephew and niece are recorded as living in the Garden House, lower part, at Port Louis. [Papers relative to FI]

On Monday 29 October 1839 **Pascual RECANO** was discharged. [H1; 190b]

Due to the fowls of **Pascual RICANO** having frequently destroyed the young plants and seeds in the garden and notwithstanding daily notice to keep them away the Officer in Charge instructed the gardener to shoot one of them on Saturday 23 November 1839. Pascual and his wife abused the gardener in a 'most intemperate manner' and threw stones at him and when spoke to by the Lieutenant behaved in a most insolent manner. *'These two persons are a constant source of annoyance to the Officer in Charge settling good order & regularity at defiance'*. [H1; 193]

On Monday 25 November 1839 the Officer in Charge engaged **Andreas RICANO** to attend the cattle with Manoel CORONEL, one man not being sufficient. [H1; 193b]

On Monday 13 January 1840 Lieutenant Tyssen sold a cow and calf to Pascual. [H1; 198b]

On 23 December 1839 Lieut Comm. Robinson of HM Ketch *Arrow* reports **Pascuel RICANO** and Richard PENNY as giving "a very great deal of trouble" and "both of them drunken and disorderly characters" and strongly recommends them both being removed from the settlement (of Port Louis) [Papers relative to FI]

On 26 May 1840 Lord Russell was of the opinion that Commodore Sullivan should be ordered to take measures to prevent the lawless proceedings of **Pacuel RICANO** and Richard PENNY and they should be sent off the Falkland Islands if necessary. [Papers relative to FI]

On 1 October 1840 **Celestine RECANO** was recorded as the godmother of **James Henry ESPINO**. [BDM Port Louis]

On Sunday 7 February 1841 Mrs Pascual, Pepe and family (6)* contracted a passage on HMK *Sparrow*, which was bound for Rio de Janeiro, on their way to Montevideo. [H1, 245b]
(Were these six Celestina?, Pepe - nickname for her sister-in-law Natividad ESPINO ?, nephew James?, niece Annista?, James ESPINO?, Angela ESPINO? - see ESPINO José and Natividad)

Andres killed a wild dog at Johnsons Harbour on Wednesday 24 March 1841. [H1; 1251b]

The schooner *La Grange*, with part of the *Galston* wrecked off Patagonia, left Port Louis for Montevideo at 9.30am on Thursday 13 May 1841. As she did not have sufficient hands to navigate her some of the settlers sailed in her and were desirous of returning to the Falkland Islands. Lieutenant Tyssen requested that the HMK *Sparrow* was sent to Montevideo and to give them a passage back as they were well behaved and useful people. Two of the settlers were **Andreas PITALUGA**, a gaucho, and his uncle, **José ESPINO**. [H1; 117, 256b]

On 11 September 1841 **Andres PETALUGA** signed a one year contract in Montevideo agreeing to proceed to the Falkland Islands in any vessel provided for him. His work to be catching and taming cattle and horses or other duties which may be imposed upon him and his wages to be 20 silver dollars when employed by the month and one silver dollar a day when employed by the day. Two silver dollars for every head of cattle of two years brought into the settlement, for those one year old one dollar each; and for every wild horse or mare caught and brought into the settlement two dollars and eight dollars for taming; and for cutting bulls in the Camp one silver dollar each. He would also receive sufficient beef and biscuit or other necessary food and a free passage to Montevideo on the expiration of his term of servitude. [H1; 137]

On Wednesday 22 September 1841 **Andrez PETALUGA** arrived at Port Louis with two other men, **Thomas PARKER** and **Henry MITCHELL**, 20 horses, 9 sheep and one lamb, 3 sheep having died on the voyage, on board the *Vitula* to work as gauchos. They had come from Montevideo. [H1; 136, 274: D1; 23]

From the Census of January 1842: **Andrez PETALUGA**, age 20 from Gibraltar, capitaz of the gauchos, Roman Catholic, owns 1 cow, 1 calf, 4 dogs and lives in a stone house with 2 rooms. No mention of his parents or cousins. *(NB the census lists his arrival date as 31 March 1841)* [B1, pg 151]

From the Census of 31 March 1843: **Andrez PETALUGA**, native of Monte Video, peon, Roman Catholic, owning 1 sow, 6 pigs, 2 dogs and living in the Peon's House, Germanis Point. *(NB this census lists his arrival date as 15 March 1843 – this is the same date recorded for a number of peons of various nationalities brought from Montevideo & appears to be an error unless he left and returned as, other than Andrez, none of them own livestock)* There is also a **Mrs A ESPINO**, native of Montevideo, widow with no occupation, arrived January 1843, Roman Catholic, owns 4 goats and 6 fowls and living in Robert Hearnden's House *(Is this Angela RECANO?)*. [C1, pg 220-221]

From the Census of 12 October 1846: **Andrez PETALUGA**, age 23 from Gibraltar, cattle catcher, **Margaret EDWARDS**, age 20, **James EDWARDS**, age 1 [D2, page 232-233]

From the Census of 22 February 1851: **Andreas PINTALUGA**, age 28, gaucho from Gibraltar;

Margaret McINTOSH (EDWARDS), age 23; **James PITALUGA**, age 3, child of Andreas PITALUGA; **Andreas PITALUGA**, age 2, child of Andreas PITALUGA; **Silestina PITALUGA**, age 1, child of Andreas PITALUGA

Andres PITALUGA of Hope Place, Lafonia was married to **Margaret EDWARDS** formally **McINTOSH**, widow, 8 December 1851 in the Parish of the Holy Trinity by Banns by James Leith Moody, Colonial Chaplain. The witnesses were Edward McMurray and Alexander McIntosh. Margaret McIntosh may have been from Dumfries in Scotland.

Andres PITALUGA, age 55, died 6 June 1878 from dropsy and was buried in Grave C267. He died intestate.

Margaret PITALUGA, age 54, died of disease of the heart and was buried in Grave C268. A coroner's inquisition was held.

On 12 July 1886 an even distribution of the personal estate of the late **Andrez PITALUGA** was made with the five legitimate surviving children (Alexander, Henry, Richard, Arthur and Helen) receiving £1,061-8-7 ½ d each which they agreed to leave in the farms at an interest of 5%. [FIC-D15]



Grave marker of Andres Pitaluga in Stanley Cemetery

FIRST GENERATION

Children of Margaret (1) and Andreas PITALUGA:

1. **James EDWARDS/PETALUGA** born 8 November 1845 in Stanley. The church records show him as James EDWARDS baptised 4 January 1846 to Margaret EDWARDS, dressmaker of Stanley, father unknown. Illegitimate. The birth register records him as James PETALUGA and the parents as Andres PETALUGA and Margaret EDWARDS formally McINTOSH. James was married to (1) **Cassiemia CHAMOSA** (*also known as Catherine LLAMOSA*), age 19 of Smyleys Village, 22 April 1874 in the Parish Church according to the Rites and Ceremonies of the Established Church by Licence by Henry C Lory Act Col Chaplain. The witnesses were John Dettleff and Peter Verelia (*Varela*) James was working as a gaucho at Port Howard at the time. Cassiemia died in childbirth 21 June 1881 and is buried in Grave Ei444. James was married to (2) **Maryann BYRNE** née **PALVIER**(?), age 41 and a widow, 21 March 1888 at Stanley at the house of Mr White according to the rites and ceremonies of the Church of Scotland By Governor's Licence by William Hill Philip Minister. The witness was Jane White. James was working as a shepherd in Stanley at the time. James died 2 October 1903 and is buried in Grave I665. Mary Ann died 17 March 1924 and is buried in Grave K897.
2. **Andres PETALUGA** born 7 December 1848 in Stanley. Andres, a farmer, died 25 December 1891 of an apoplexy and is buried at Port Edgar.
3. **Celestine PETALUGA** born 3 January 1850 in Stanley. Celestine was married to (1) **Roland Richard HUBBARD**, carpenter from the United States, 24 August 1870 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 Julia Sarah Hansen, Caroline Matilda Dawson, Walter Felton and James Pitaluga. Richard accidentally drowned 9 June 1891 at San Carlos and there is no burial record for him. The local periodical of the time states "Roland R Hubbard left the "Hengist" at 4pm June 6th and is supposed to have fallen out of the dinghy while sculling her ashore, as he has not been seen since." The *Hengist* was at San Carlos loading frozen mutton for England. [CM June 1891] Buried at Port San Carlos in Grave 1. Celestine was married to (2) **William Stephen ELMER**, shepherd of Stanley, 15 June 1893 in the house of Mrs Claxton according to the Rites and Ceremonies of the Established Church by Licence by Edwin C Aspinall Assist Col Chaplain. The witnesses were H J Pitaluga and Emma Elmer. Celestine was living at the Rincon Grande at the time. William died 10 November 1917, age 62 and is buried in Grave E820. Celestina died 5 September 1929 and is buried in Grave E995.
4. **Joseph Benito "Pepe" PETALUGA** born circa April 1852 (*no record in either church or Government registers*). Baptised by Holy Trinity Church 7 October 1855. Died 30 November 1855 of putrid sore throat, age 3 years and 7 months, and is buried in Grave C282.
5. **Alexander McIntosh PETALUGA** born 28 November 1853 in Stanley. His father was recorded as a shoemaker. Alexander, a camp man, was married to **Agnes MERCER** 18 September 1878 in the Parish Church according to the Rites and Ceremonies of the Established Church by Licence by Lowther E Brandon MA Colonial Chaplain. The witnesses were W K Cameron and George Mercer. Both were living in Stanley at the time. Agnes died 11 June 1903, age 48, and is buried in Grave A23. Alexander was married to **Louise ?** (*not in the Falkland Islands*). Alexander died in 1918 (*not in the Falkland Islands*) and left his estate to his two sons, Andreas and Alexander. [FIC-D15] In March 1944 his widow was living at 1454 Balfour venue, Shaughnessy, Vancouver BC, Canada. [FIC/EF/] In

March 1947 Louise was in poor financial circumstances and was living at 2867 W 3rd Avenue, Kitsilano, Vancouver, British Columbia. [FIC/EG/]

6. **Henry John "Harry" PETALUGA** born 13 January 1856. His father is recorded as a shoemaker. Harry was married to **Mary Margaret Ann BOUND** 21 October 1896 in the house of Mrs W Bonner. Henry died 27 February 1925 and is buried in Grave J828. Mary died 20 November 1961 and is buried in Grave O1707.
7. **Richard PETALUGA** born 19 January 1858. Richard was one of three Falkland Islands crew (Charles TAYLOR & William LIPPERT) on the cutter *Dora* which was owned by George Hallett and sent to Sandy point, Chile, on board the steamer 27 August 1889. The *Dora* was wrecked on the coast of Dawson Island soon after and the crew had to make their way 50miles across the country back to the Mission Station on Dawson Island. [FIM January 1890] It was believed that Richard died between 1901 and 1907 (*not in the Falkland Islands*). He had made a will in which he bequeathed all his estate to his nephew, Andreas Pitaluga. [FIC-D15]
8. **Arthur Bailey PETALUGA** born 17 February 1860 in Stanley. On 21 March 1887 Arthur was in an asylum in Montevideo when his brother was made manager but was still entitled to all privileges and benefits. [FIC-D15] Recorded as insane in Montevideo, Uruguay in 1921. On or about 13 December 1930 a person alleged to be Arthur died in the Hospital Vilardebo, Montevideo. The death certificate was made out in the name of Antonio Pitaluga aged 80 years, whereas Arthur would have been 70 years old. It was agreed that they were the same person. At the time of his death Arthur was entitled to one third share of Gibraltar Station and Rincon Grande Station plus accumulated profits, if any, from 1887 to 1930 less expenses incurred in maintaining him in the asylum in Montevideo. [FIC-D15]
9. **Frederick PETALUGA** born 30 December 1861 in Stanley. Died 22 June 1875 in Stanley from erysipelas and is buried in Grave C284.
10. **Helen Malvina PETALUGA** born 18 June 1865 in Stanley. Helen was married to **William BONNER**, labourer at San Carlos, 18 April 1886 at Salvador according to the rites & ceremonies of Presbyterian Church by Governor's Licence William Hill Philip Minister. The witnesses were John McLeod and James Pitaluga. Helen was living at Salvador at the time. (*NB First cousin. Her mother, Helen McIntosh, was a sister to Margaret*). William died 23 April 1942 and is buried in Grave O1215. Helen died 2 February 1944 and is buried in Grave O1263.
11. **Maria Louisa PETALUGA** born 13 June 1867 in Stanley. Died 19 November 1867 from erysipelas and is buried in Grave C 271.

SECOND GENERATION

Children of James (1) and Cassiemia PETALUGA:

1. **Rosa PETALUGA** born 5 May 1875 at Port Purvis, West Falkland. Rose was married to **Andreas Donald PITALUGA** (*first cousin*), sheep farmer, 22 September 1926 at the Registrar's Office, Stanley by Special Licence by M Craigie-Halkett, Registrar General. The witnesses were M Kelway and A I Fleuret. Andreas, age 52, died 25 February 1936 and was buried 28 February 1936 in Grave A1091. [Obituary Penguin 26 Feb 1936, pg 1; 27 Feb 1936, pg 1; 3 Mar 1936, pg 1-2] Rose emigrated to England in 1937 but her ashes were returned to the Falkland Islands and buried in her husband's grave.
2. **James Andrew "Jim" PETALUGA** born 29 July 1876 at Port Purvis, West Falkland. Navy at Hill Cove. Jim was married to **Ellen Stanbury LYES**, age 19 of Hill Cove, 22 May 1899 in the house of Mr J Halliday according to the Rites & Ceremonies of the Established Church by Licence by Edwin Coupland Aspinall Canon of Christ Church & Camp Chaplain. The witnesses were John Jardin Halliday and Rose Pitaluga. Ellen, age 65, died during the night of 12 June 1944 and was buried at Hill Cove 2pm Friday 16 June 1944. Jim died circa 1976 after turning 100 in Devon, England.
3. **Mary Ellen PETALUGA** born 6 March 1878 at Shag Cove, West Falkland. Mary was married to (1) **Gaston Nicholas FLEURET**, butcher age 22, 15 October 1894 in the house of Mr Richard N Goss according to the Rites and Ceremonies of the Established Church by Licence by Edwin C Aspinall Assistant Colonial Chaplain. The witnesses were Richard Goss and Rose Pitaluga. On 16 June 1903 Gaston went as a guide to three men belonging to the sealing schooner *Beatrice L Corkum* on a shooting trip in one of the schooner's boats. The boat overturned in Port William and Gaston and two others drowned [CM JUL 1903]. He is buried in Grave C261. Mary was married to (2) **John George KELWAY**, mechanic, 22 July 1924 at Christ Church Cathedral by J Stanley Smith, Clerk in Holy Orders. The witnesses were Douglas Fleuret and Gladys Fleuret. John died 15 December 1920, age 64, and is buried in Grave Q1590. Mary died 20 November 1958 at Stanley and is buried in Grave Q1622.
4. **Ada Margaret PETALUGA** born 14 September 1879 at Shag Cove, West Falkland. Ada was married to **Charles Henry SHORT**, shepherd at New House, Douglas Station, 31 May 1899 in the house of Mr Blakeley at Sierra Montevideo according to the Rites & Ceremonies of the Established Church by Licence by Lowther E Brandon MA Dean & Colonial Chaplain. The witnesses were Richard Francis Short and Annie Maude Atkins. Ada was living at Sierra Montevideo, Douglas Station at the time. Ada died 23 October 1903 from peritonitis and is buried in Grave D321. Charles, manager of a sheep farm, died 1 June 1951 and is buried in Grave 1453.
5. **Henry John PITALUGA** born 21 June 1881 at San Carlos. Died 20 January 1882 in Stanley from convulsions (*no burial record*).

Children of Celestine (3) and Roland HUBBARD:

1. **William Andrez HUBBARD** born 27 May 1871 in Stanley. Departed 26 August 1908 on the *Oronsa* bound for Punta Arenas. William, age 52, died in Santa Cruz, Argentina, 8 October 1923. [FIM Mar 1924]

2. **Benito Pitaluga HUBBARD** born 4 September 1873 in Stanley. Departed 8 October 1899 on the *Modestia* bound for Valparaiso.
3. **Margaret Ellen HUBBARD** born 18 February 1876 in Stanley. Married **Charles DIX**, shepherd in Stanley age 23, 21 June 1893 in the house of Mr Botwood according to the Rites and Ceremonies of the Established Church by Licence by Ernest C Murphy Baptist Minister. The witnesses were Louisa Botwood and Ernest Prior.
4. **Mary Louisa HUBBARD** born 9 December 1877 in Stanley. Mary was married to (1) **Frederic Albert ASHLEY**, labourer in Stanley age 36, 9 August 1900 in the Parish Church according to the Rites & Ceremonies of the Established Church by Licence by Edwin Coupland Aspinall Canon & Assistant Colonial Chaplain. The witnesses were William Stephen Elmer and Anne Hubbard. Frederic died 21 April 1912 from cardiac and is buried in Grave G744. Mary was married to (2) **William Joseph ALAZIA**, shepherd, 25 December 1913 in the house of Mary Louisa Ashley by Governor's Licence by Robert Johnson, Nonconformist Minister. The witnesses were John Alazia and Beatrice Poole.
5. **Louis Henry HUBBARD** born 28 February 1881 at Gibraltar Station, St Salvador. Died 17 July 1882 from convulsions at Salvador and is buried there.
6. **Richard Roland HUBBARD** born 11 January 1883 at St Salvador. Died at Stanley 8 July 1897 from acute pneumonia and is buried in Grave Ei443.
7. **Frederick John HUBBARD** born 9 June 1885 at Salvador. Frederick, a cook, died 1 October 1964 in Stanley and is buried in Grave T2015.
8. **George Louis HUBBARD** born 4 November 1887. George departed 19 April 1911 on the *Orissa* bound for Liverpool.
9. **Celestine HUBBARD** born 1 October 1890 at San Carlos. Celestine, age 15, died 1 January 1906 from measles and is buried in Grave C270

Children of Celestine (3) and William ELMER:

1. **Alfred Stephen ELMER** born 15 April 1895. Alfred died 1 June 1930 from pulmonary tuberculosis and is buried in Grave J1001.

Children of Alexander (5) and Agnes PETALUGA:

1. **Mary PETALUGA** born 28 August 1879 at St Salvador. Mary was married to **George Isaac TURNER**, widower and clerk, 6 September 1909 in Christ Church Cathedral by Special Licence by Edward J Seymour, Chaplain & Hon Canon. The witnesses were Andres Pitaluga, Nellie Pitaluga and Isabella Atkins. George died 7 April 1937, age 60, and is buried in Grave J1107. In December 1941 Mary was living at 5 Roughdown Villas, Hemel Hempstead. [FIC/EF/] Mary died 26 May 1954 and is buried in Grave Q1535.
2. **Margaret "Madge" PITALUGA** born 13 August 1881 at St Salvador. Madge was married to **Daniel LEHEN**, shepherd at San Salvador, age 29, 13 August 1901 in the Parish Church according to the Rites & Ceremonies of the Established Church by Licence by Lowther E Brandon MA Dean & Colonial Chaplain. The witnesses were Andreas Pitaluga and Mary Pitaluga. Margaret was living at San Salvador at the time. Margaret died 21 November

1916 in child birth and is buried in Grave I814. Daniel died 9 June 1946 and is buried in Grave N1323.

3. **Andreas Donald PITALUGA** born 6 December 1883 and baptised 29 November 1884 by Holy Trinity Church. Andreas, a sheep farmer, was married to **Rose PITALUGA** 22 September 1926 at the Registrar's Office, Stanley by Special Licence by M Craigie-Halkett, Registrar General. The witnesses were M Kelway and A I Fleuret. Andreas' father was recorded as Alexander McIntosh Pitaluga, deceased, and Rose's father was recorded as James Pitaluga, deceased. Andreas, age 52, died 25 February 1936 and was buried 28 February 1936 in Grave A1091. [Obituary Penguin 26 Feb 1936, pg 1; 27 Feb 1936, pg 1; 3 Mar 1936, pg 1-2] Rose emigrated to England in 1937 but her ashes were returned to the Falkland Islands and buried in her husband's grave.
4. **Agnes PITALUGA** born 19 October 1886 in Stanley. Agnes was married to **Albert Edward SMALL**, labourer of Stanley, 22 December 1908 at the Registrar's Office, Stanley by Special Licence by G Hurst, Registrar General. The witnesses were George William Harrison and Ernest Robert Gleadell. Agnes died 30 September 1912 from natural causes and is buried in Grave Ii751.
5. **Ellen PITALUGA** born 16 November 1888 at Salvador. Ellen was married to **Reginald Patrick "Regie" WHITE**, stockman, 12 February 1912 at Christ Church Cathedral by Edward J Seymour, Dean & Chaplain. The witnesses were Alice Pitaluga, Alex Pitaluga and Murdo McLeod. They held their wedding reception in the Rose Hotel. Ellen and Regie left for Liverpool on board the *Orcoma* 21 February 1912. They intended emigrating to Australia. [CM Mar 1912, pg 141, 144]
6. **Alexander PITALUGA** born 6 July 1891. Sheep farmer. Alexander was married to **Eva Amelia HANSEN**, age 22, 7 January 1914 at Christ Church Cathedral by Banns by C McDonald Hobley, Chaplain. The witnesses were William John McAtasney and Maggie McAtasney. Alexander died 7 January 1958 at Stanley and is buried in Grave Q1605. Eva died 2 October 1970 at Stanley and is buried in Grave Q1796.
7. **Alice PITALUGA** born 29 March 1894. Alice was married to **William HARVEY**, foreman, 27 September 1917 at Christ Church Cathedral by J Stanley Smith, Clerk in Holy Orders. The witnesses were J W Etheridge, Adele G Aldridge and Andres Pitaluga. William died 13 August 1965 at Stanley and is buried in Grave T2028. Alice died 3 May 1975 at Stanley and is buried in Grave T2029.

Children of Henry (6) and Mary PETALUGA:

1. **Earl Stanley Bound PITALUGA** born 6 June 1898. In June 1917 Earl was living at Rustat House, Rustat Road, Cambridge, England, and was called up until he proved that he was a native of the Falkland Islands. [FIC/EG/1917] Earl, a farmer, was married to **Gertrude Greta HOWARD** (*not in the Falkland Islands*) before 1926, a schoolteacher born in Cambridge. Earl died 13 March 1940 from heart failure and is buried in Grave N1161.
2. **Arthur Bailey Bound PITALUGA** born 3 February 1902. Farm manager. Married **Edith Mary DENT** (*not in the Falkland Islands*) before 1925, born in Derry, England. Arthur died from chronic alcohol poisoning 27 September 1944 and is buried in Grave O1284. Edith died 13 June 1966 at Stanley, age 66, and is buried in Grave T2052.

3. **Malvina Jane Bound PITALUGA** born 10 December 1905 in Stanley. Married **David Murray GALLOWAY**, an engineer born in Singapore, 16 August 1927 in Edinburgh, Scotland. David was the only son of Sir David Galloway who was living in Singapore at the time of their marriage [CM November 1927]. Malvina and David both left the Falkland Islands 21 April 1927 on the *Ortega* for Liverpool. They returned at some point after this. David was chairman of the Falkland Club in November 1929. David & Malvina emigrated to the UK in 1930. In 1936 Malvina was the first Falkland Islands woman to become a qualified aviator. Malvina and her three children arrived in Stanley 22 December 1947 on board the *Fitzroy* from Montevideo. Malvina was invited to luncheon at Government House on Race Day 26 December 1947. Malvina and her three children departed Stanley for Rincon Grande 2 January 1948 and returned 9 January 1948 on board the *Fitzroy*. Malvina and her three children arrived in Stanley from Rincon Grande on Sunday 14 March 1948 on board the *Lafonia*. Malvina and her three children left Stanley 16 March 1948 bound for South Africa via Montevideo.

Children of Helen (10) and William BONNER:

1. **Margaret Alice BONNER** born 7 May 1886 at Port Sussex. Married **George Eddy WHITNEY**, from the USA (*not in the Falkland Islands*). Margaret died 12 June 1956 in Stanley and is buried in Grave S1574. George died 3 September 1957, age 75, at Stanley and is buried in Grave S1591.
2. **Samuel BONNER** born 4 April 1888 at Port Sussex. Labourer. Married **Alice Marion MARTIN** 20 June 1921 at the Office of the Registrar General, Stanley by M Craigie-Halkett, Registrar General. The witnesses were D J Sullivan and V Atkins. Samuel served in World War I and also had worked in South Georgia. Samuel, age 57, died Saturday 2 March 1946 in Montevideo where he had gone with his wife on account of his health. [FI Weekly News 7 March 1946]
3. **Frederick BONNER** born 10 May 1890 at Rincon Grande.
4. **Henry John BONNER** born 7 December 1894 at San Carlos. Labourer. Married **Christina Catherine GLEADELL** née **McASKILL**, divorced, 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 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.
5. **Andrez (Andreas) Pitaluga BONNER** born 8 December 1896. Labourer. Married **Annie Elizabeth Boyer CLASEN** née **BUTLER**, divorced, 12 August 1941 at the Registrar's Office, Stanley by James Erik Hamilton, Registrar General. The witnesses were Doris Marian Summers and Alexander Walter Summers. Andreas died 9 January 1952 and is buried in Grave 1471.
6. **Malvina Geraldine BONNER** born 30 August 1898 and baptised 2 October 1898 by Christ Church Cathedral. Her father's occupation was recorded as overseer. Married **Frederick William Morris SMITH**, Sergeant RMLI, 27 December 1918 at Christ Church Cathedral by Governors Licence by J Stanley Smith, Clerk in Holy Orders. The witnesses were Harry Bonner and Muriel Bonner. Malvina went to the UK on the ss Svend Foy in 1919.
7. **Richard Leslie BONNER** born 14 March 1901. Died 2 January 1973 at Stanley and is buried in Grave O2196.

THIRD GENERATION

Children of Mary (1) (3) and Gaston FLEURET:

1. **Bertie FLEURET** born 15 January 1895 and baptised 17 February 1895 by Christ Church Cathedral. Bertie, a shop assistant, was married to **Rose Helen HALL** 23 December 1929 at Christ Church Cathedral by Banns by F S Vaughan, Clerk in Holy Orders. The witnesses were D J Hall and G H Fleuret. Bertie's father was recorded as Gaston Nicholas Fleuret, butcher, and Rose's father was recorded as Louis James Hall, labourer. Bertie, age 58 and a farm manager, died 24 March 1953 in Stanley from a perforated ulcer and was buried 27 March 1953 in Grave Q 1507. Rose worked as a sister in the KEMH, Stanley and was awarded an MBE in 1959 in recognition of her devoted attention to her work. She retired in 1963 and emigrated to England. She died in Southampton, England in March 1982.
2. **Austin Clovis FLEURET** born 15 May 1897. Austin, age 20 days, died 4 June 1897 from inanition at Fitzroy South (*no burial record*).
3. **Arthur Isadore FLEURET** born 5 May 1899 at Fitzroy and baptised 15 September 1899 by Christ Church Cathedral. Arthur, a civil servant, was married to **Gladys Lilian ETHERIDGE** 12 November 1924 at Christ Church Cathedral by Governor's Licence by J Stanley Smith, Clerk in Holy Orders. The witnesses were Douglas Fleuret and Doris Eileen Etheridge. Arthur's father was recorded as Gaston Nicholas Fleuret, deceased foreman, and Gladys' father was recorded as William Etheridge, deceased mariner. Arthur was a Major in the Falkland Islands Defence Force. He moved to the UK and died 9 February 1987.
4. **Douglas FLEURET** born 5 March 1902 and baptised 14 May 1902 by Christ Church Cathedral. Douglas, a Police constable, was married to **Edna Ruby SOLLIS** 22 April 1935 at the Registrar's Office, Stanley by Special Licence by A R Hoare, Ag Registrar General. The witnesses were Arthur Isadore Fleuret and Gladys Helena Fleuret. Douglas' father was recorded as Gaston Nicholas Fleuret, deceased farm worker, and Edna's father was recorded as Frank Sollis' deceased sculptor. Douglas was a second lieutenant in the Falkland Islands Defence Force in 1945.
5. **Gladys Helena FLEURET** born 25 October 1903 and baptised 21 January 1904 by Christ Church Cathedral. Gladys, age 80 and retired, died 10 April 1984 in the hospital fire and was buried 13 April 1984 in Grave V 3018.

Children of Ada (1) (3) and Charles SHORT:

1. **Mary Ann SHORT** born 26 April 1900 in Stanley and baptised 1 November 1900 by St Mary's Roman Catholic Church. Her father's occupation was recorded as shepherd. Mary was baptised 11 December 1927 by Christ Church Cathedral. Mary, an assistant school teacher, was married to **John Charles OSBORNE**, assistant store keeper, 14 January 1930 at Christ Church Cathedral by Banns by F S Vaughan, Clerk in Holy Orders. The witnesses were G H Osborne and J Luxton. John's father was recorded as George Osborn, seaman, and Mary's father was recorded as Charles Henry Short, shepherd.
2. **Boy SHORT** born 3 June 1901. Died a few hours old from inanition.
3. **Isabella SHORT** born 14 June 1902 in Stanley and baptised 13 January 1903 by St Mary's Roman Catholic Church. Her father's occupation was recorded as labourer. Isabella was married to **Stanley Charles LUXTON**, painter, 1 September 1926 at Christ Church

Cathedral by Banns by Frederick T Vaughan, Clerk in Holy Orders. The witnesses were John Markham Campbell and Mary Ann Short. Stanley's father was recorded as John Thomas Luxton, cabinet maker, and Isabella's father was recorded as Charles Henry Short, farm manager.

4. **George Henry SHORT** born 11 October 1903 in Stanley and baptised 13 December 1903 by Christ Church Cathedral. His father's occupation was recorded as carter. George, a cook, was married to **Christina MORRISON** 20 November 1929 at Douglas Station, East Falklands by Special Licence by S E E Aylward, Clerk in Holy Orders. The witnesses were Robert Greenshields and Isabella Morrison. George's father was recorded as Charles Henry Short, capitaz, and Christina's father was recorded as Finlay Morrison, deceased. George was appointed farm manager of Bluff Cove Farm September 1953 on an annual salary of £360. [FIC/EF] George, age 73 and a retired farm manager, died 9 May 1977 in Stanley and was buried 11 May 1977 in Grave U1888. Christina is buried in Grave U3287 (*date unknown - no death and burial records in the Falkland Islands*)

Children of Margaret (3) (3) and Charles DIX:

1. **George Douglas DIX** born 10 December 1894 in Stanley and baptised 31 December 1894 by Christ Church Cathedral. George departed with his family 17 May 1912 on board the *Oravia* bound for Liverpool.
2. **Celestina Malphinia DIX** born 19 August 1896 and baptised **Celestina Malvina DIX** 27 September 1896 by Christ Church Cathedral. Her father's occupation was recorded as labourer. Celestina departed with her family 17 May 1912 on board the *Oravia* bound for Liverpool.
3. **Violet Louisa DIX** born 3 December 1898 and baptised 18 February 1899 by Christ Church Cathedral. Her father's occupation was recorded as labourer. Violet departed with her family 17 May 1912 on board the *Oravia* bound for Liverpool.
4. **Maria Helen DIX** born 6 May 1900 and baptised 17 June 1900 by Christ Church Cathedral. Her father's occupation was recorded as mariner. Maria departed with her family 17 May 1912 on board the *Oravia* bound for Liverpool.
5. **Grace Elizabeth DIX** born 25 March 1903 and baptised 19 April 1903 by Christ Church Cathedral. Her father's occupation was recorded as labourer. Grace departed with her family 17 May 1912 on board the *Oravia* bound for Liverpool.
6. **Flora Kathleen DIX** born 3 December 1904 and baptised 29 January 1905 by Christ Church Cathedral. Her father's occupation was recorded as labourer. Flora departed with her family 17 May 1912 on board the *Oravia* bound for Liverpool.
7. **Charles Stanley DIX** born 5 August 1908 in Stanley and baptised 13 September 1908 by Christ Church Cathedral. His father's occupation was recorded as mariner. Charles departed with his family 17 May 1912 on board the *Oravia* bound for Liverpool.
8. **James Roland DIX** born 24 March 1912 in Stanley and baptised **James Rowland DIX** 28 April 1912 by Christ Church Cathedral. His father's occupation was recorded as mariner. James departed with his family 17 May 1912 on board the *Oravia* bound for Liverpool.

Children of Mary (3) (4) and Frederic ASHLEY:

1. **Frederic Albert ASHLEY** born 13 June 1901 in Stanley.
2. **John Richard ASHLEY** born 22 May 1903. Lamp trimmer and AB on board ss Falkland. Died 28 June 1956 due to shock due to haemorrhage caused by multiple injuries (*no burial record*). Inquest held at Chartres 29 June 1956.
3. **Edward Louis ASHLEY** born 15 July 1905 in Stanley. Edward, a labourer, was married to **Helen Phyllis EVANS** 12 November 1931 at Christ Church Cathedral by Special Licence by Fredk S Vaughan, Clerk in Holy Orders. The witnesses were S Fullbrook and M Evans. Edward emigrated to the UK in 1936 to seek employment.
4. **Celestina Elizabeth ASHLEY** born 1 December 1907 at San Carlos South. Celestina, a domestic servant, was married to **Richard Charles ANDERSON**, farm cook, 25 October 1933 at San Carlos by Special Licence by J Traill Wood, Registrar, Darwin. The witnesses were Samuel Allan Anderson and Marie Clarissa Elizabeth Andreassen.
5. **Alfred George ASHLEY** born 26 October 1910. Alfred, a farm labourer, was married to **Nora Phyllis RUTTER**, housemaid, 19 December 1936 at Roy Cove by Registrar General's Licence by Sydney Miller, Jnr, Temporary Registrar. The witnesses were John Richard Ashley and Daisy Harriet Bailey. Alfred died 4 January 1966 in Stanley and is buried in Grave T2041. Nora died 8 December 1990 and is buried in Grave T2042.

Children of Mary (3) (4) and William ALAZIA:

1. **Albert Faulkner ALAZIA** born 1 March 1914. Shepherd. Married (1) Thora **Lilian FELTON** 14 September 1940 at Fox Bay East by Registrar General's Licence by W B Myles, Deputy Registrar. The witnesses were June Elliot Myles and Walter Arthur Felton. Albert, a divorced hospital caretaker, was married to (2) **Maggie Ann McMULLEN** née **McKAY**, divorced laundress, 9 July 1974 at the Registrar General's Office, Stanley by Harold Bennett, Registrar General. Albert died 4 September 1994 and is buried at Roy Cove.
2. **Dorothy Celina Eliza ALAZIA** born 20 July 1916. Died 24 January 1925 at San Carlos South from epileptic fits (*no burial record*).

Children of Alexander (5) (5) and Eva PITALUGA:

1. **Elena Jane PITALUGA** born 25 February 1918 in Magallanes, Chile. Her father's occupation was recorded as manager. Elena was married to **Frederick William WHITE**, Second Officer on ss *San Casto*, 20 July 1940 at Christ Church Cathedral by Banns by Gerald K Lowe, Senior Chaplain. The witnesses were R R Griffith and J Thompson. Frederick's father was recorded as Frederick Alfred White, deceased navigating officer, MS. [Account of wedding FI News Weekly 25 July 1940]
2. **Coral Inez PITALUGA** born 29 September 1927. Coral was married to **John David BARTON**, sheep farmer, 23 July 1952 at Christ Church Cathedral by J Durno Steele, Acting Senior Chaplain. The witnesses were D J Barton, A G Barton, E J White, D J Clarke, A Pitaluga and E A Pitaluga. Coral died 10 October 1984 and is buried in Grave V3027.

3. **Nanette PITALUGA** born 12 May 1930. Nanette was married to **Desmond George Buckley KING**, clerk from England, 5 November 1955 at Christ Church Cathedral by J Gould, Senior Chaplain & Vicar of Stanley. The witnesses were R M Pitaluga, A Pitaluga, E A Pitaluga and Elena White. Nanette died 8 February 1991 at Crawley Hospital, Crawley, England and her ashes are buried at Salvador. Desmond, age 86 and living at 38 Davis Street, Stanley, was buried 13 February 2010 at Salvador.
4. **Robin Andreas McIntosh PITALUGA** born 23 July 1933. Robin was married to **Jene Ellen ROBINSON** (*not in Falkland Islands*). Jene, age 80 and of Gibraltar Station, died overseas and her ashes were buried in Stanley Cemetery 17 May 2011. Robin died in 2020.

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