

## PLOGER 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.*

**Augustus Charles PLOGER** was born circa 1821 in the United States of America.

**Augustine PLOGER** was a witness to the marriage of Jacob Napoleon GOSS and Ann Elizabeth PEDRICK 15 September 1849 in Stanley.

Augustus was recorded on the census of 22 February 1851 as being age 29 and Minister's Servant crossed out and replaced with Publican, from America.

Augustus was married to **Adel Octavia FLEURET** (*not in the Falkland Islands*).

Augustus, publican of USA, was recorded on the List of Aliens Who have Registered Themselves to the Present Date 26 March 1852. [H8] Augustus, of the United States, was recorded on the List of Aliens Who Have Received Permission to Reside in the Falkland Islands 27 March 1852. [E4, 46] **Lebreum Adel Octavie PLOGER** was recorded as a Wife of France on the List of Aliens registered since 26 March 1852 and up to 27 April 1852. [H8] Augustus was working as a servant to Reverend Moody in 1852 and by 21 January 1853 was working for Captain Packe. [H11, 241]

Augustus, age 34 and a seaman and native of the United States of America, accidentally drowned 14 March 1855 and was buried 21 April 1855 in Grave C 266.



*Augustus' grave in Stanley Cemetery*

**Octavia PLOGER** was recorded as a native of France resident in Stanley with 4 children on the List of Registered Aliens returned 14 September 1855. [H8]

On 22 December 1875 Dr Rodgers attended Adele and it was charged to account of R C Packe. On 13 November 1883 R C Packe paid £38 for the passage of Adele. [76]

In November 1888 Adele was a widow living at Usborne, New Beckenham, Kent.

Mrs Ploger departed for England on board the *Neko* 13 September 1895.

On 10 April 1896 Adele, a widow, was living at 38 Park Road, Bromley, Kent.

Adel's brother, **Augustus Nicholas FLEURET** was born circa 1848 in Paris, France. Augustus came to the Falkland Islands circa 1862 as a boy of about 14 or 15 and for many years worked in Stanley for Captain and Vere Packe. He married and had children in the Falkland Islands.

## FIRST GENERATION:

### Children of Augustus and Adel PLOGER:

1. **Auguste Florêt PLOGER** born before 27 April 1852. Auguste was recorded as a child of France on the List of Aliens registered since 26 March 1852 and up to 27 April 1852. [H8]
2. **Octavius Augustus "Joseph" PLOGER** born 28 July 1852 in Stanley and baptised 19 September 1852 by Holy Trinity Church. His father's occupation was recorded as labourer. Octavius, age 13 and the son of Adel Ploger formerly Fleuret, died 9 November 1865 from typhus fever at Sullivan House, Stanley and was buried 10 November 1865 in Grave C 263.



3. **Adel Falkland PLOGER** born 9 December 1853 in Stanley. Her father's occupation was recorded as labourer. Adel, age 5, died 21 September 1858 and was buried 25 September 1858 in Grave C 264.



4. **Emile F PLOGER** born before 14 September 1855. Painted a watercolour 1 December 1878 of the first peat slip.