

SUMMERS 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..

John SUMMERS was born circa 1827 in Chelmsford, Essex, England.

John was married to **Mary Ann MAY** (*not in the Falkland Islands*).

John, a private in the 20th Foot, arrived in the Falkland Islands with his wife Mary Ann and children Elizabeth, Alma and Mary, 20 July 1862 on the *Johanne & Olaffio* to join the Falkland Islands Garrison. [H18; 519; 520] Previous to his posting to the Falkland Islands John had fought in the Crimean War and the Indian Mutiny.

In the Examination of Invalid Soldiers dated 31 May 1864 John was recorded as being age 38 and having served a total of 21 years and 11 months in the 20th Foot with overseas service of 11 months in Bermuda, 6 years 2 months in Armenia, 1 years 2 months in Crimea, 2 years, 5 months in India and 1 years 9 months in the Falkland Islands. His character was good and he was discharged due to the disbandment of the regiment. John was recorded as having blue eyes and a fair complexion and his trade as labourer. [NA, Kew - WO.117/12]

On 5 May 1866 John, Government office keeper and messenger, was dismissed for continued drunkenness, insolence and disobedience of orders. [E3; 278]

In July 1872 **John SUMMERS** was placed in gaol for safe keeping and attendance due to being "in a state of temporary insanity". He had previously been committed for the same reason. [H30; pg 211-214: D15]

John SUMMERS, recorded as age 46, a pensioner and native of Chelmsford, Essex, England, died 20 May 1873 from ciomosis (*cyanosis?*) and was buried in Grave A162.

Mary Ann SUMMERS, a widow, was married to (2) **William ATKINS**, gaucho living in Stanley, 14 November 1875 in the Parish Church according to the Rites and Ceremonies of the Established Church by Licence by Henry C Lory, Acting Colonial Chaplain. The witnesses were W Jardine and Mary Ann Luxton. William's father was recorded as Richard Atkins, pensioner and Mary Ann's father was recorded as Edward May, farmer.

Mary Ann died 17 February 1909, age 75, and was buried in Grave A701.



FIRST GENERATION:

Children of John and Mary Ann SUMMERS:

1. **Elizabeth Jane SUMMERS** born circa 1852 in England. Elizabeth was married, age 19, to **Edwin GLEADELL**, age 19 and a labourer 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 Gleadall, shepherd. He died 20 August 1925 and is buried in Grave J827 and she died 13 November 1926 and is buried in Grave K949.
2. **Alma Phoebe SUMMERS** born 7 March 1856 on the Isle of White. Alma was married, age 18, to **Edward Falkland BIGGS**, age 28 and a Falkland Islands Company Ltd servant, 22 January 1873 in the Church of Holy Trinity according to the Rites and Ceremonies of the Established Church after Banns by Waite H Falkland Islands & Henry Lory Assistant Colonial Chaplain. The witnesses were Edwin Gleadall and Elizabeth Jane Gleadall. Edward's father was recorded as James Biggs, sapper and miner. He died 30 May 1900 and is buried in Grave A142 and she died 7 March 1933 and is buried in Grave K1039.
3. **Mary Ann SUMMERS** born circa 1861 (*in England?*). Mary was married, age 21, to **Charles PETERSEN**, age 31 and a mariner, 23 August 1882 in the Parish Church according to the Rites and Ceremonies of the Established Church after Banns by Lowther E Brandon MA Colonial Chaplain. The witnesses were John Kelway and J H Williams. Charles' father was recorded as Peter Nilsen, mariner. Mary Ann left Stanley circa May 1889 with her son James and **Robert MERCER**. Mary Ann died in Punta Arenas 8 November 1889 and left two young children totally unprovided for. Dean Brandon arranged for the eldest child, James, to be brought back to the Falkland Islands and he was brought over by James GREENSHIELDS, arriving 27 April 1890 on board the *Isis*. [FIM Feb 1890: Jun 1890: D21; 82: H44; 235]
4. **Edward Nathaniel George SUMMERS** born 15 January 1864 in Stanley. His father's occupation was recorded as private in Falkland Islands Garrison Company. Edward, a shepherd, was married to **Mary Ann KIDDLE**, age 17, 7 July 1885 in the Parish Church according to the Rites and Ceremonies of the Established Church after Banns by Lowther E Brandon MA Colonial Chaplain. The witnesses were John Summers and Rose Summers. Mary's father was recorded as Noah Kiddle, labourer. Edward worked for many years at Hill Cove and subsequently for some 12 years before his death as caretaker of the Falkland Club. Edward, a club caretaker, died in the early hours of Tuesday 22 August 1933 and was buried at 3pm on Thursday 24 August 1933 in Grave K1046. [Obituary Penguin 26 Aug 1933] Mary Ann died 11 July 1947, age 79, and is buried in Grave K1345.
5. **Rose Emily Margaret SUMMERS** born 11 March 1866 in Stanley. Her father's occupation was recorded as pensioner of 20th Regiment of the Line. Rose, who was living at Port North, West Falkland, was married to **James Thomas BIGGS**, age 21 and a carter living at Roy Cove, West Falkland, 6 October 1887 at Port North, Roy Cove, West Falkland according to the Rites and Ceremonies of the Established Church by Licence by Lowther E Brandon MA Colonial. The witnesses were Edward Falkland Biggs and Alma Phoebe Biggs. James' father was recorded as James Samuel Biggs, carpenter. Rose died 14 November 1896 from acute gastritis and is buried at Roy Cove.
6. **John Falkland SUMMERS** born 29 April 1868 in Stanley. His father's occupation was recorded as pensioner of 20th Regiment of the Line. John, a shepherd living at Shallow

Bay and Stanley, was married to **Rebecca ELMER**, age 22, 24 July 1890 in the Service Room according to the Rites and Ceremonies of the Established Church after Banns by Lowther E Brandon MA Colonial Chaplain. The witnesses were William Stephen Elmer and Emma Elmer. Rebecca's father was recorded as William Elmer, Pensioner. Rebecca died 19 April 1941, age 74, and is buried in Grave L1182. John died 1 October 1947 and is buried in Grave L1351.



John, age 61, and Rebecca, age 61

Children of Mary Ann and William ATKINS:

- i. **William Maxwell ATKINS** born 22 October 1876 in Stanley. Married **Jessie Louisa CAMERON** 27 October 1897. Jessie died 3 November 1945, age 73, and is buried in Grave P1307.

SECOND GENERATION:

Children of Elizabeth (1) and Charles GLEADELL:

1. **William Edwin GLEADELL** born 26 December 1872. 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. Louisa's father was recorded as James Watson, shepherd.
2. **Phoebe Jane GLEADELL** born 19 June 1874. Phoebe was married to **Frederick John BIGGS** 7 September 1898 by St Mary's Roman Catholic Church.
3. **Charles GLEADELL** born 21 May 1876. 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. Sophia's father was recorded as George Phillip Schmetzer, hotel keeper.
4. **George GLEADELL** born 2 June 1878. 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. Annie's father was recorded as John Halliday, deceased shepherd.
5. **Edward John GLEADELL** born 23 March 1881. 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. Marion's father was recorded as Joseph Thomas Aldridge, gardener.
6. **Ella Marion GLEADELL** born 13 August 1886. 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. Frederick's father was recorded as Noah Kiddle, labourer.
7. **Frederick Arthur GLEADELL** born 18 June 1884. Frederick, a shepherd, was married to **Christina Catherine 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. Christina's father was recorded as Donald McAskill, shepherd.
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.
9. **James Reginald GLEADELL** born 19 August 1891. 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. Lilian's father was recorded as Joseph Aldridge, shepherd.

10. **Franklin Edmund GLEADELL** born 15 February 1894. 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. Winnifred's father was recorded as John Davis, deceased mariner.
11. **Sidney Markham GLEADELL** born 30 June 1896. 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 there. 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. Ann's father was recorded as Albert James Phillips, deceased shepherd. Sydney shot himself 3 November 1954 at Brenton Loch and is buried in the small plot next to Darwin Cemetery.

Children of Alma (2) and Edward BIGGS:

1. **Frederick Hilbert "Albert" BIGGS** born 22 October 1873 in Stanley and baptised **Albert Edward BIGGS** 2 December 1873 by Holy Trinity Church. His father's occupation was recorded as labourer. Frederick, age 24 & a general workman, was married to **Edith Alice KELWAY** (see (5) (1)), age 20, 13 October 1897 in the Parish Church according to the Rites & Ceremonies of the Established Church after Banns by Lowther E Brandon MA Dean & Colonial Chaplain. The witnesses were John G Kelway and Edith S Biggs. Frederick's father was recorded as Edward Falkland Biggs, gardener, and Edith's father was recorded as George Frederick Kelway, carpenter. Albert, age 71 and retired, died 9 September 1948 and was buried in Grave Q1389. Edith, age 81 and a widow, died 8 August 1959 in Stanley and was buried 11 August 1959 in Grave Q1642.
2. **Arthur George BIGGS** born 23 January 1876 at Swan Inlet and baptised 20 February 1876 by Holy Trinity Church. His father's occupation was recorded as shepherd.
3. **Edith Phoebe BIGGS** born 15 October 1877 in Stanley and baptised 25 December 1877 by Holy Trinity Church. Her father's occupation was recorded as labourer. Edith, age 24, was married to **John R DUNCAN**, age 35 & Scottish, 7 April 1902 in Punta Arenas. The witnesses were Andrew Anderson and Kenneth MacAskill. John's parents were recorded as John Duncan and Cristina Roberson, and Edith's parents were recorded as Edward Biggs and Phoebe Summers.
4. **William James BIGGS** born 1 January 1879 at Port North, Roy Cove Section and baptised 17 November 1880. His father's occupation was recorded as labourer. William was married to **Mary Ann GOODWIN** 2 June 1904 at Christ Church Cathedral, Stanley after Banns by C K Blount MA Acting Colonial Chaplain. The witnesses were William McGill, Lily Biggs and John F Summers. Mary Ann's father was recorded as John Goodwin, shepherd, and William's father was recorded as Edward Biggs, labourer. William, age 64, died 16 December 1944 and was buried 18 December 1944 in Grave O1289. Mary Ann, age 86 and a widow, died 15 November 1966 in Stanley and was buried 18 November 1966 in Grave O1767.
5. **Lily Elizabeth "Joanie" BIGGS** born 26 September 1881 at Dunbar Harbour, Roy Cove section and baptised 2 June 1882 by Holy Trinity Church. Her father's occupation was recorded as labourer. Lily was married to **Hugh JONES**, mariner, 30 November 1905 at the

house of William McGill, Port Louis by C K Blount MA Assistant Priest Christ Church Cathedral. The witnesses were William McGill, Emily McGill and Charles Earle. Hugh's father was recorded as John Jones, mariner and Hugh was from South Wales. Hugh died 14 October 1927, age 50, and was buried in Grave J969. Lilian died 15 July 1955 and was buried in Grave Q1552.

6. **Emily Roseina BIGGS** born 27 July 1884 at Port North, Roy Cove Station and baptised **Emily Rosina BIGGS** 18 May 1885 by Holy Trinity Church. Her father's occupation was recorded as shepherd. Emily, age 19, was married to **William McGILL**, age 20 and a shepherd at Two Sisters, 22 April 1903 at Christ Church Cathedral, Stanley by C K Blount MA Assistant Colonial Chaplain. The witnesses were Albert Edward Biggs and Lily G Biggs. William's father was recorded as William McGill, shepherd. Emily, age 39, died 19 May 1923 from cancer and was buried 22 May 1923 in Grave K888.
7. **John Falkland BIGGS** born 21 September 1886 at Port North, Roy Cove Station and baptised 23 April 1887 by Holy Trinity Church. His father's occupation was recorded as shepherd. John, a generally labourer, was married to **Edith Ann McASKILL** 10 July 1911 at Christ Church Cathedral by Special Licence by Edward J Seymour, Dean & Chaplain. The witnesses were Christina Goss and John Alazia. Edith's father was recorded as Donald McAskill, shepherd. John, age 81 and a retired labourer, died 16 October 1967 in Stanley and was buried 20 October 1967 in Grave L1772. Edith, age 80 and a widow, died 26 July 1974 in Stanley and is buried in Grave L1832.
8. **Herbert Percival BIGGS** born 9 December 1888 at Roy Cove and baptised 18 August 1889 by Holy Trinity Church. His father's occupation was recorded as shepherd. Herbert, a camp hand, was married to **Margaret Adeline Jane SKILLING** 29 December 1914 in the Registrar General's Office, Stanley by M Craigie-Halkett, Registrar General. The witnesses were Ray V Hardy and Louisa Jennings. Margaret's father was recorded as J skilling, shepherd. Margaret, age 46, died 12 August 1938 from and intestinal obstruction & enteritis and was buried 14 August 1938 in Grave K1123. Herbert. Age 65, died 21 June 1954 near Lookout Rocks, Stanley and was buried 23 June 1954 in Grave Q1358.
9. **Ella Malvina BIGGS** born 18 February 1891 at Island Creek, Lafonia and baptised 12 April 1891 by Holy Trinity Church. Her father's occupation was recorded as labourer. Ella was married to **Frederick Henry KING**, carpenter, 15 March 1911 in Christ Church Cathedral after Banns by Edward J Seymour, Chaplain & Hon Canon. The witnesses were Elsie Malvina Kelway and Alfred King. Frederick's father was recorded as George Thomas King, foreman carpenter.
10. **Frederick May BIGGS** born 8 March 1893 and baptised 30 April 1893 by Christ Church Cathedral. His father's occupation was recorded as butcher. Frederick, age 1 year & 5 months died 28 August 1894 (*no death register entry*) and was buried 2 September 1894 in Grave A160.
11. **Alexander Maxwell BIGGS** born 9 August 1895 and baptised 15 September 1895 by Christ Church Cathedral. His father's occupation was recorded as gardener. Alexander, age 66 and a labourer, died 29 September 1961 in Stanley and was buried 2 October 1961 in Grave Q1700.
12. **Winifred May BIGGS** born 19 April 1898 and baptised 3 July 1898 by Christ Church Cathedral. Her father's occupation was recorded as gardener. Winifred was married to **George John MEIERHOFER**, mariner, 20 February 1918 at Christ Church Cathedral by Banns by J Stanley Smith, Clerk in Holy Orders. The witnesses were Alfred Stanley Biggs

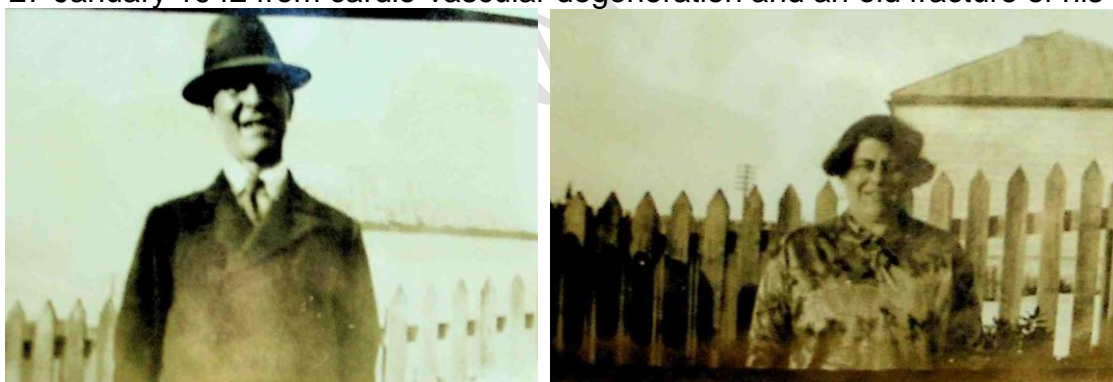
and Alice Emily Lanning. George's father was recorded as John Martin Meierhofer, cook. [Account of wedding CM Apr 1918] Winifred went on holiday to Uruguay in 1950. George, whose occupation was marine surveying, accompanied Winifred to the UK in 1952 where she was going for medical treatment.

Children of Mary Ann SUMMERS (3):

1. **James Richard KELWAY** born 7 November 1887. The birth register recorded him as the supposed natural child of James Richard Kelway. James was baptised **James Richard Kelway PETERSON** 20 November 1887 by Holy Trinity Church.

Children of Edward (4) and Mary SUMMERS:

1. **Edward Noah SUMMERS** born 11 July 1886. His father's occupation was not recorded. Edward, a navvy, was married to **Florence Caroline PAULINE** 30 November 1911 at St Mary's Church after Banns by Patrick O'Leary Roman Catholic Priest. The witnesses were Henry Pauline and Ada Pauline. Florence's father was recorded as Ralph Pauline, labourer. On 1 January 1924 Edward was living in Rock Cottage and purchased Bungalow No 1 on St Mary's Walk (Crown Grant 426). On 10 January 1929 Edward, the Government sanitary carter, wrote to the Government stating that he had been advised that his daughter needed a change of climate and that he wished to sell the property and move to England. At that point he had been in Government service for some 18 years, 13 years on sanitary work. In February 1929 Florence was living in Rock Cottage, Stanley. Edward, a labourer, died 27 January 1942 from cardio-vascular degeneration and an old fracture of his skull.



Edward, age 44, and Florence, age 35

2. **Frederick John SUMMERS** born 16 April 1888 in Stanley. His father's occupation was recorded as shepherd.



3. **William Alexander SUMMERS** born 1 December 1889. His father's occupation was not recorded. William, a sailor, was married to **Phoebe Elizabeth BIGGS** 14 June 1911 at Christ Church Cathedral by Edward J Seymour, Dean & Chaplain. The witnesses were James Thomas Biggs, Vincent May Summers and Lily Rosina Biggs. Phoebe died 17 February 1962 in Stanley, age 69. William, a retired labourer, died 27 June 1963 in Stanley.



William, age 69, and Phoebe, age 66

4. **Albert George SUMMERS** born 31 August 1891 at Hill Cove. His father's occupation was recorded as shepherd. Albert, a shepherd, was married to **Lily Rosina BIGGS** (see (5) (2)) 18 April 1913 at the Registry Office, Stanley by Special Licence by M Craigie-Halkett, Registrar General. The witnesses were Ella Malvina King and Alfred May Biggs. Lily's father was recorded as James Biggs, shepherd. Lily, age 41, died 27 January 1934 from broncho pneumonia and cardiac failure and was buried Tuesday 30 January 1934. [Account of funeral Penguin 2 Feb 1934]



Albert, age 50

5. **Bernard Nathaniel SUMMERS** born 22 June 1893. His father's occupation was recorded as shepherd. In October 1928 Bernard was working as messenger for the British Legation, Montevideo, Uruguay, when he was admitted to the British Hospital. He was operated on 22 December 1928 but died Wednesday 26 December 1928 and was buried 27 December 1928 in the British Cemetery.
6. **Alfred David SUMMERS** born 12 March 1895. Alfred, a carter, was married to **Ann Sarah Cheek PAICE**, dressmaker, 15 July 1922 at Hill Cove, West Falkland by John Tyerman AKC London, Clerk in Holy Orders, Acting Chaplain. The witnesses were Ernest Summers and Stella Margaret Paice. Ann's father was recorded as Nathaniel Thomas Paice,

shepherd. Alfred was taken to Stanley by the *San Castro* 19 October with appendicitis. Alfred, a foreman, died 26 October 1943 from post operative paralytic ileus after an operation for chronic appendicitis and is buried in Grave O1257. [Obituary FI News Weekly 4 Nov 1943]

7. **Marion Ellen SUMMERS** born 14 April 1897. Her father's occupation was recorded as shepherd. Marion was married to **William Henry TUDOR** 6 July 1916 at Hill Cove Station by Registrar's Licence by C McDonald Hobley, Chaplain. The witnesses were Edward Nathaniel George Summers and Alfred David Summers. William's father was recorded as Charles Tudor, deceased farmer. Marion was operated on at Hill Cove circa 28 August 1917. [N/FAR/FBE/1#4] William and Marion left the Falklands 30 April 1930 on board the *Orita*. Their son William was also on board.
8. **Arthur Harold SUMMERS** born 9 July 1899 at Crooked Inlet, Hill Cove. His father's occupation was recorded as shepherd. Arthur went to the UK in 1920. Arthur was married to **Jessie Anne BAYLISS** (*not in Falkland Islands*) of Wolverhampton, England. Arthur, age 25 and a labourer, died 12 July 1924 from tubercular peritonitis and a perforated duodenal ulcer and was buried at Hill Cove.



Arthur in 1920



Jessie, age 31 and John in 1925

9. **Child SUMMERS** born 12 November 1900 at Crooked Inlet, Hill Cove. Stillborn. Buried in Hill Cove Cemetery in Grave 9.
10. **Alberta Maud SUMMERS** born 2 October 1901 at Hill Cove. Her father's occupation was recorded as shepherd. Alberta was married to **Walter WATTS** 4 August 1920 in the Office of the Registrar General, Stanley by Special Licence by M Craigie-Halkett, Registrar General. The witnesses were William Alexander Summers and William John Halliday. Walter's father was recorded as John Watts, deceased mason. Walter and Alberta later divorced. Alberta, a housekeeper, emigrated to the UK in 1944. Walter died from a pulmonary embolism 25 January 1956 and was buried 27 January 1956 in Grave O1564.



Alberta, age 45

11. **Ernest Victor SUMMERS** born 12 June 1905 at Crooked Inlet, Hill Cove. His father's occupation was recorded as shepherd. Ernest was married to **Ola Edith Maud PARRIN** 8 May 1928 at Christ Church Cathedral by Banns by S E E Aylward, Clerk in Holy Orders. The witnesses were Harry William Parrin and Mona Elfreda Gleadell. Ola's father was not recorded. Her mother was recorded as Sarah Parrin. The family emigrated to the UK in 1951. Ernest died in the UK in 1985. Ola died in the UK 20 June 2006. [Obituary PN 2006]



Ernest, age 45, and Ola, age 46

12. **Alexander Walter SUMMERS** born 10 December 1908 at Hill Cove. His father's occupation was recorded as labourer. Alexander, a carter, was married to **Doris Marian GLEADELL** 6 December 1930 at Christ Church Cathedral by Banns by F S Vaughan, Clerk in Holy Orders. The witnesses were William John Grierson and Mona Gleadell. Doris' father was recorded as Edward John Gleadell, labourer. Alexander and Doris later divorced. Alexander went to the UK in 1944 on naval service. Doris went to the UK later the same year to take up residence.



Alexander age 35, and Doris, age 36

13. **Herbert Vere SUMMERS** born 20 September 1911. His father's occupation was recorded as shepherd.

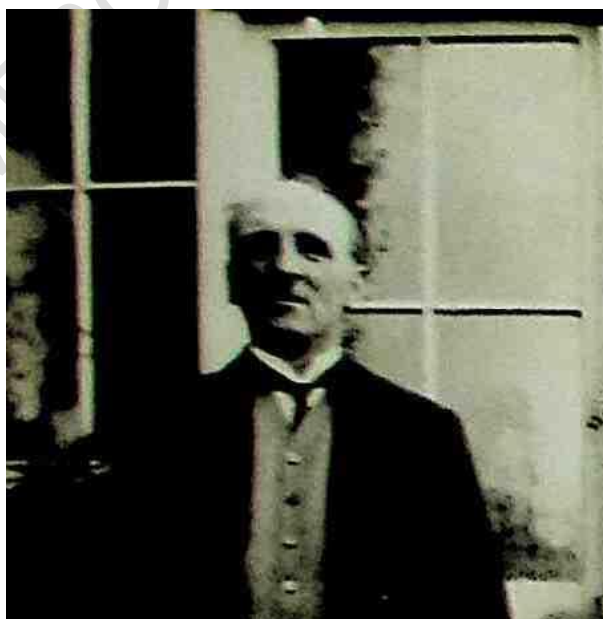
Children of Rose (5) and James BIGGS:

1. **Frederick James BIGGS** born 14 July 1888 at Roy Cove to James and Rose Biggs and baptised 4 November 1888 by Holy Trinity Church. His father's occupation was recorded as

- carter. Frederick, age 26 and a private in the FI Volunteer Force, drowned 1 December 1914 and was buried Sunday 6 December 1914 in Grave A776.
2. **Alfred May BIGGS** born 29 October 1889. Alfred, a labourer, was married to **Mabel Isabella CLARKE** 13 June 1922 at the Office of the Registrar General, Stanley by Special Licence by M Craigie-Halkett, Registrar General. The witnesses were John Henry Archibald Clarke and Jane Lucasia Clarke. Mabel's father was George Henry Clarke, carter. Mabel died 18 July 1925 from pulmonary tuberculosis and is buried in Grave K924. Alfred died 28 August 1941, age 51, from post operative peritonitis, and is buried in Grave L1193.
 3. **Lily Rosina BIGGS** born 16 November 1890. Lily was married to **Albert George SUMMERS** (see (4) (4)), shepherd, 18 April 1913 at the Registry Office, Stanley by Special Licence by M Craigie-Halkett, Registrar General. The witnesses were Ella Malvina King and Alfred May Biggs. Albert's father was recorded as Edward Nathaniel Summers, shepherd. Lily died 27 January 1934 from broncho pneumonia and cardiac failure.
 4. **Mable Eleanor BIGGS** born 15 September 1894. Mabel died 19 November 1895 from congestion of the lungs after influenza and was buried at Roy Cove.
 5. **Bernard Nathaniel BIGGS** born 20 August 1896. Bernard died 30 August 1896 from congestion of the lungs and infantile convulsions (*no burial record*).

Children of John F (6) and Rebecca SUMMERS:

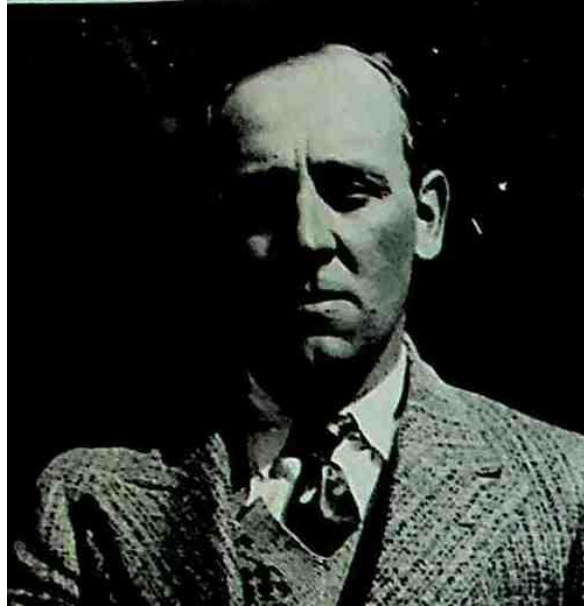
1. **Walter John SUMMERS** born 15 November 1891. His father's occupation was recorded as shepherd. Walter, a labourer, was married to **Lavenia YATES** 18 August 1915 at Christ Church Cathedral by C McDonald Hopley, Chaplain. The witnesses were Sylvia Summers, Robert Yates, V Summers and John F Summers. Lavenia's father was recorded as Robert Yates, deceased butcher. Walter, a retired foreman, died 28 August 1963 in Stanley and is buried in Grave L1742. Lavenia died 14 August 1982 in Stanley, age 87, and is buried in Grave L1980.



Walter, age 36

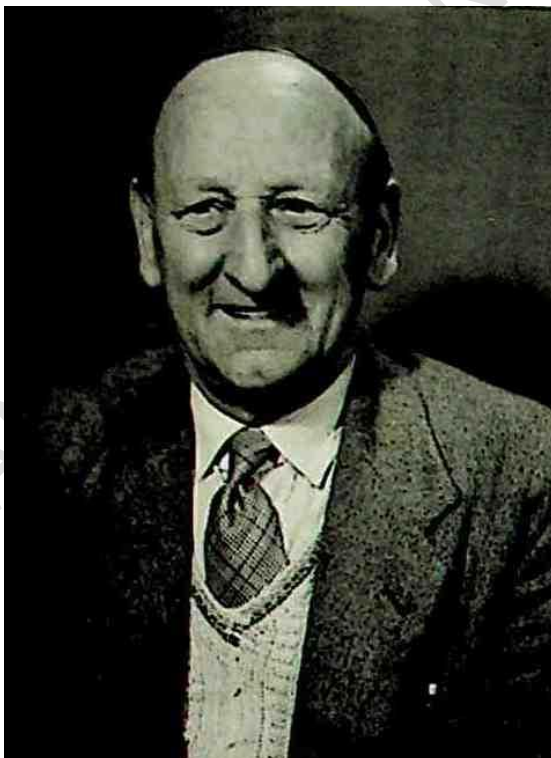
2. **Vincent May SUMMERS** born 20 June 1894. His father's occupation was recorded as sexton. Vincent, a mariner, was married to **Maud Marion Ethel ALDRIDGE** 10 October 1916 at Christ Church Cathedral by Banns by J Stanley Smith, Clerk in Holy Orders. The

witnesses were S Summers, D Aldridge and L Aldridge. Vincent's father was recorded as John Falkland Summers, baker, and Maud's father was recorded as John George Aldridge, publican. In 1934, age 40, Vincent, a cattle buyer and went to Uruguay and the Argentine looking for employment.



Vincent, age 40

3. **Sydney Raisbeck SUMMERS** born 11 October 1896. His father's occupation was recorded as sexton. Sydney, a carter, was married to **Alice Emily LANNING** 27 April 1920 at Christ Church Cathedral by Banns by J Stanley Smith, Clerk in Holy Orders. The witnesses were Vere F Summers and A R Lanning. Alice's father was recorded as William Thomas Lanning, mariner. In December 1946 Sydney and Alice were living in Brandon Road. Sydney, a retired radio telephone operator, died 27 January 1968 in Stanley and is buried in Grave T2095. Alice died 12 October 1968 in Stanley, age 72, and is buried in Grave T2096.



Sydney, age 64, and Alice, age 65

4. **Vere Falkland SUMMERS** born 25 April 1898. His father's occupation was recorded as sexton. Vere died 12 August 1969 (*not in Falkland Islands*).

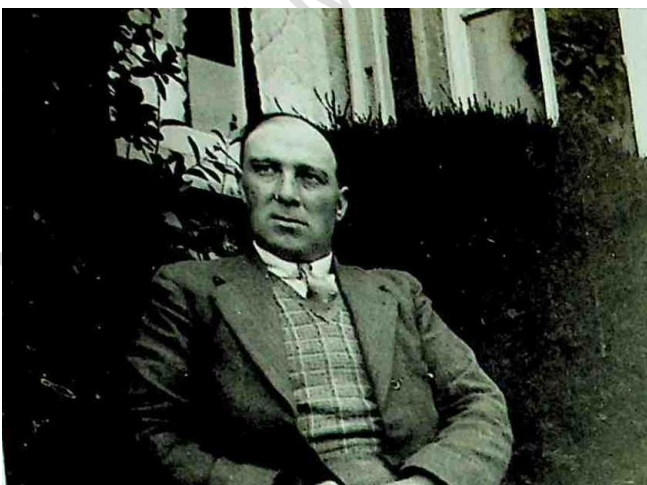


Vere in 1923



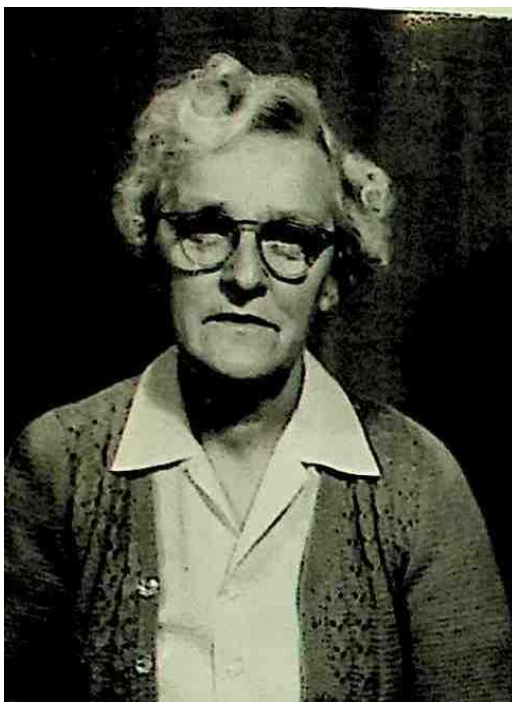
Sylvia in 1923

5. **Sylvia SUMMERS** born 29 October 1900. Her father's occupation was recorded as sexton. Sylvia was married to **John Markham CAMPBELL**, sergeant in the FIDF, 4 May 1943 at Christ Church Cathedral by Banns by Gerald K Lowe, Senior Chaplain. The witnesses were Vere F Summers and John F Summers. John's father was recorded as Walter Campbell, deceased shepherd. John died 9 October 1963 in Stanley, age 63, and is buried in Grave Q1744.
6. **Isabella SUMMERS** born 16 November 1901. Her father's occupation was recorded as sexton. Isabella was married to **George Louis PALLINI** 26 October 1926 at Christ Church Cathedral by Banns by Fredk S Vaughan, Clerk in Holy Orders. The witnesses were John F Summers, Ethel Summers and E V Summers. George's father was recorded as Gayetano Pallini, mariner. George, a motor mechanic for the Civil Service, died 21 October 1958 in Stanley from acute heart failure and was buried 24 October 1958 in Grave L1621. Isabella died 24 March 1970 in Stanley, age 68, and was buried 28 March 1970 in Grave L1791.



7. **Ethel SUMMERS** born 2 January 1905 in Stanley. Her father's occupation was recorded as sexton. Ethel was married to **Ray CAMPBELL**, painter, 9 September 1935 at the Registrar's Office, Stanley by Special Licence by A R Hoare, Ag Registrar General. The witnesses were

John Markham Campbell and Sylvia Summers. Ray's father was recorded as Walter Scott Campbell, deceased shepherd.



Ethel, age 56

8. **Aubrey Vernon SUMMERS** born 23 February 1906 in Stanley. His father's occupation was recorded as sexton. Aubrey, a baker, was married to **Elizabeth Margaret CARTMELL** 6 June 1939 at Christ Church Cathedral by Banns by Gerald K Lowe, Senior Chaplain. The witnesses were Vere F Summers and Margaret Ann Hewitt. Elizabeth died 26 April 1977 in Stanley, age 70, and is buried in Grave R1886. Aubrey died 6 June 1995 in Dowentry, UK and his ashes were buried next to Elizabeth.



Aubrey, age 32

9. **Muriel SUMMERS** born 8 February 1909 in Stanley. Her father's occupation was recorded as sexton. Muriel was married to **Alfred John BLYTH**, engineman, 5 January 1937 at Christ Church Cathedral by Banns by Gerald K Lowe, Senior Chaplain. The witnesses were J Bound, Sylvia Summers and John F Summers. Alfred's father was recorded as William Blyth, deceased engineer. Muriel died 13 February 1942 from encephalitis and is buried in Grave L1208. Alfred died 12 April 2000, age 86, and is buried in Grave V3320.



Muriel, age 10, in 1921 with her mother, and age 32

Children of William (1b) and Jessie ATKINS:

1. **Victor Hubert Maxwell ATKINS** born 17 June 1900. Victor, a clerk, was married to **Hilda BARNES** 24 January 1925 at Christ Church Cathedral by Special Licence by J Stanley Smith, Clerk in Holy Orders. The witnesses were Markham James Luxton and Betheda Elizabeth Barnes. Hilda's father was recorded as Arthur James Barnes, labourer.
2. **Marigold Daffney ATKINS** born 26 January 1909. Marigold, a domestic, was married to **George PEARSON**, lorry driver, 5 April 1932 at Christ Church Cathedral by Special Licence by Harold E Lumsdale, Dean of Christ Church. The witnesses were Leslie Hardy and Rose Pearson. George's father was recorded as William Alexander Pearson, deceased blacksmith. Marigold and George went to the UK in 1962.

DESCENDANTS OF JOHN AND MARY STILL IN THE FALKLAND ISLANDS