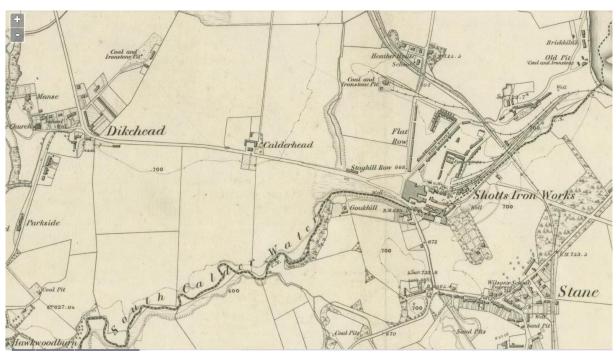
SON THREE

WILLIAM BLACK AND JANET WALLACE

OF CALDERHEAD AND RASHIERIGG



Creator: Thomson, John, 1777- ca. 1840 Johnson, William, fl. 1806-1840.



Maps showing where this branch of the family lived.

MELODIES AND MEMORIES PP 209-210

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David, fourth Calderhead son, had as his wife, Margaret Thomson, Muirhead, and became proprietor of New Mill, near Allanton. Happy man to be a laird! There were four sons and one daughter, the sons being William, bachelor; James, whose son, James, and grandson, James, have their home at Allanton still; Richard, and David (bachelor).

The above Richard had two sons, David and William, the former became a sheep farmer at Northlands, Eskdale, New Zealand, with four sons Richard, Alexander, David, James, and at least one grandson. David, like many other Scots abroad, loves well the old kindred and homeland. William, Richard's second son is a merchant, residing with his wife in Hamilton. Mrs Sommerville and Mrs Thomson, Richard's daughters, live, the former in Glasgow and the latter at Bankhead Farm, Belshill.

Reminder: * as JB didn't mention this individual, their story ends in the table whereas ^ tells you there is another generation within this document.

The accompanying tree however might show several more generations than is in this narrative.

Residence - Calderhead, Shotts, Lanark Rashierigg, Whitburn, West Lothian

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WILLIAM BLACK

William, the third son, was born at Cleughhead and baptised on 11 September 1726 in West Calder.

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Parish baptism records - West Calder, Midlothian.

JANET WALLACE

Janet's birth isn't identified with certainty.¹

Marriage and Children

William and Janet married on 18 January 1761 at Whitburn when William was in his thirties.

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Parish marriage records - Whitburn, West Lothian.

Only the four sons listed in Melodies and Memories were found and all were born in Whitburn.

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¹ On naming patterns, the only possible Janet is the daughter of Robert Wallace and Elizabeth Houston 20 March 1737, in Douglas, Lanark, but this isn't considered likely.

CHILDREN	BIRTH/BAP	BIRTHPLACE	Parish	Married	DEATH/BUR
^William Black	18 Dec 1761	Braes	Whitburn	Janet Brown	abt 1840
^Robert Black	04 Apr 1762 ²	unknown	Whitburn	Elizabeth Weston	16 Oct 1807
					USA
^Richard Black	05 Sep 1768	Rashierigg	Whitburn	Jane Samuel	05 Jan 1814
^David Black	01 Oct 1774	Rashierigg	Whitburn	Margaret	20 Oct 1842
				Thomson	

Despite John Black's claim, there is no concrete evidence yet that the family lived at Calderhead, a farm very close to Shotts and about six miles from Liltie-co-kee. When their first child was baptised William and Janet's residence was described as 'Braes'. This location could possibly relate to Braehead hear Fauldhouse. According to *Melodies and Memories* when Richard was baptised in 1768, this was already their home. Today Rashierigg is a small street in Longridge.

DEATH AND BURIAL

David, their youngest child's birth was given as 16 October 1774 and his mother Janet was buried two weeks later on 5 November 1774. Childbirth complications seem the obvious cause. William does not appear to have remarried and was buried on 1 December 1800 in Whitburn aged 74.

SECOND GENERATION

WILLIAM BLACK AND JANET BROWN

Residence - Dyke Farm, Cambusnethan, Lanark

William and his wife, **Janet Brown**, were in Dyke Farm, Cambusnethan, having three sons and three daughters. William ... Robert ... Richard ...

WILLIAM BLACK

William was born on 18 December 1761 at Braes.

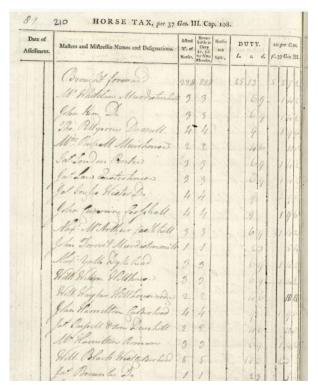
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Parish baptism records – Whitburn Parish, West Lothian.

William remained single for many years and we believe the following document relates to him. *Melodies and Memories* states he farmed at Dyke Farm, Cambusnethan and the property below is described as West Calderhead. Reference to the first map on the front page will show west of Calderhead is Dykehead probably the location of Dyke Farm. Payment was being made for five horses in 1798 when William was 36.

² This birth date is from *Find a Grave*; however this is only five months after the older brother's baptism so one date may be inaccurate.

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Farm Horse Tax 1797-1798, Volume 10 Parish of Cambusnethan, Lanark.

JANET BROWN

Janet's baptism isn't found but the census shows she was born around 1780 in Shotts. Her death certificate states her father was Robert Brown and her mother Margaret Steel.

MARRIAGE AND CHILDREN

The marriage, found in Shotts, was in 1807 so William would have been 45 when he married Janet and she was around 27.

1807		Proclamation money
Octr 25	To Wm Black & Janet Brown	"2"6

We found seven children (not six as in *Melodies and Memories*) but baptisms for only four and these were at Shotts, not Cambusnethan.

CHILDREN	BIRTH/BAP	BIRTHPLACE	Parish	Married	DEATH/BUR
^Margaret Black	08 Sep 1808	Dyke Farm	Cambusnethan	R. Edward Brown	28 Jun 1888
				and unknown	
^Janet Black	09 Dec 1809	Dyke Farm	Cambusnethan	James Cuthbertson	07 Feb 1892
^William Black	06 Dec 1811	Dyke Farm	Cambusnethan	Jane /Jean Wilson	06 Jun 1888
^Robert Black	abt 1813	Dyke Farm	Cambusnethan	Janet Russell	21 May 1895
^Mary Black	abt 1815	Dyke Farm	Cambusnethan	John Haddow	18 Dec 1903
^Richard Black	abt 1817	Dyke Farm	Cambusnethan	Margaret Forsyth	26 Jan 1886

*David Black	11 Sep 1819	Dyke Farm	Cambusnethan	Mary Dunlop then	1896
				Janet Service	

DEATH AND BURIAL

William is thought to have died in 1840 in Cambusnethan, but we have no evidence to support this claim. Janet was not home in 1841 and the eldest son living at home, Richard, aged 23 was given as the head of the house. Alexander, aged one, was Margaret's illegitimate son.

Census Record Sheet						
DISTRICT: Shotts,	Lanarkshi	re	YEAR 1841			
STREET Dykehead						
Name	AGE	OCCUPATION	BORN AT:			
Richard Black	20	labourer	Lanarkshire			
Margaret Black	30		Lanarkshire			
Mary Black	25		Lanarkshire			
David Black	20	moulder	Lanarkshire			
Alexander Black	1		Lanarkshire			

In 1851, Janet was a pauper in Springbank, Shotts. Margaret's two illegitimate sons William Brown aged 20 and Alexander Black, now eleven, were also in the household.

Janet died on 12 December 1857 in Shotts and was buried in the churchyard there according to her death certificate

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Death certificate – Janet Black, nee Brown.

ROBERT BLACK AND ELIZABETH WESTON

Of Calderhead second son [Robert] nothing can be told.

ROBERT BLACK

Robert was baptised on 4 April 1762 at Whitburn. A posting on *Ancestry* states Robert came to 'Georgetown, South Carolina along with two brothers, names not known.' We know this cannot be right but Robert certainly had cousins that we cannot trace, so emigration to America is a plausible explanation for their absence in the Scottish records. It was also claimed Robert had travelled to America as an indentured servant and worked out the cost of his passage on a plantation. We have estimated, based on his age, that he emigrated around 1780, or possibly 1783,

after the War of Independence ended. Records support he did not fight in the war but was later awarded by the State of Carolina, 412 acres in an area now known as Colleton.

ELIZABETH WESTON

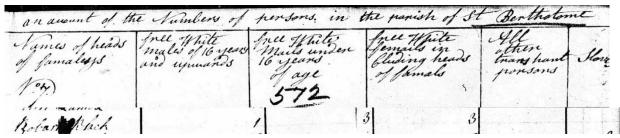
Nothing is currently known about Elizabeth.

MARRIAGE AND CHILDREN

We assume they married around 1791 and found only two children.

CHILDREN	BIRTH/BAP	BIRTHPLACE	STATE	Married	DEATH/BUR
*Robert Black	abt 1793	Colleton	South	Nancy W Rice	04 Dec 1853
			Carolina		USA
*Jane A Black	abt 1805	Colleton	South	James Job	aft 1843
			Carolina	Padgett	

The 1790 census in St Bartholomew Parish, shows only a summary of the people in the household. So there was one male over sixteen (Robert) three males under sixteen (Robert junior plus two others), three females (Robert's wife and two other unknown females) and no slaves. persons. It is likely then they had more children that did not survive.



1790 census – St Bartholomew, Colleton, South Carolina.

DEATH AND BURIAL

Robert died on 16 October 1807 in Colleton, South Carolina. Elizabeth lived until at least 1820. Their only son Robert fought in the Civil War for the South. He may have been a doctor but was a farmer in 1850.

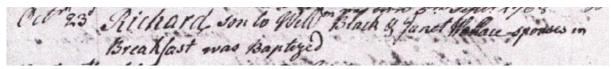
RICHARD BLACK AND JANE (JEAN) SAMUEL

Residence - Starryshaw Farm, Shotts, Lanark

Richard, third son, with his wife, **Jane Samuel**, was in Starryshaw Farm. Their only son, William, went to America. Their daughter Agnes ... while the other daughter, Jane ...

RICHARD BLACK

When we ordered Richard's baptism, we did not expect to be told his parents were living at Breakfast! He was born on 5 September 1768 and baptised on 23 October 1768 in Whitburn.



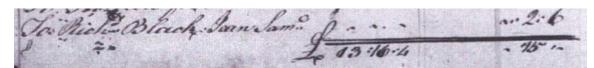
Parish baptism records – Whitburn, West Lothian.

JANE (JEAN) SAMUEL

A possible baptism for Jean Samuel on 29 May 1774 was recorded in Uphall with a father James, but this cannot be verified.

MARRIAGE AND CHILDREN

Richard and Jean married on 19 May 1798 in Shotts when Richard was 29.



Parish marriage records - Shotts, Lanark.

Six children were located. Agnes was baptised at Whitburn for some reason.

CHILDREN	BIRTH/BAP	BIRTHPLACE	PARISH	Married	DEATH/BUR
*Janet Black	05 Nov 1799	Starryshaw	Shotts	-	unknown
^Agnes Black	18 Aug 1801	Starryshaw	Whitburn	John Black	01 Apr 1872
^Jean (Jane) Black	02 Jul 1803	Starryshaw	Shotts	David Black	22 Mar 1873
*Margaret Black	05 Aug 1805	Starryshaw	Shotts	-	14 Feb 1811
					or 05 Aug
					1820?
^William Black	13 Aug 1807	Starryshaw	Shotts	unknown	28 May 1884
					Canada
*John Black	31 Jan 1810	Starryshaw	Shotts	-	bef 1821

We assume the last child John, died young as *Melodies and Memories*, states William was their only son. Two of Richard and Jean's girls married other descendants of our Black family.

DEATH AND BURIAL

Richard regularly contributed to the poor, funding Shotts parish between 1800 and 1802. A death was not located for Richard but one tree records his burial as 5 January 1814 at Whitburn. His youngest child would have been only four.

Jean was still alive in Longridge in 1841 and described as Jean Samuel aged 65; she had two other people in the house; Richard Black aged 25 an iron miner and Jean Waddel aged 15 a female servant. Richard was a nephew of her husband. Jean died before 1851.³

DAVID BLACK AND MARGARET THOMSON

Residence - New Mill, Allanton, Shotts, Lanark

David, fourth Calderhead son, had as his wife, **Margaret Thomson**, Muirhead, and became proprietor of New Mill, near Allanton. Happy man to be a laird! There were four sons and one daughter, the sons being William, bachelor; James, ...; Richard, and David (bachelor).

DAVID BLACK

David was born on 1 October 1774 at Rashierigg Farm. His mother died a month after his birth.

MARGARET THOMSON

Margaret Thomson was from the parish of Shotts and Muirhead was a farm west of the village of Harthill. Her birth is not obvious, but we think she was younger than David, and her birth has been estimated at 1786. Some trees have her parents as William Thomson and Helen or Janet Meek but have no birthdate for her for we are not sure if this parentage is accurate.

Marriage and Children

The marriage took place in Shotts when David was 33.

1807		Proclamation money
Nov 15	To David Black & Margt Thomson	"2"6

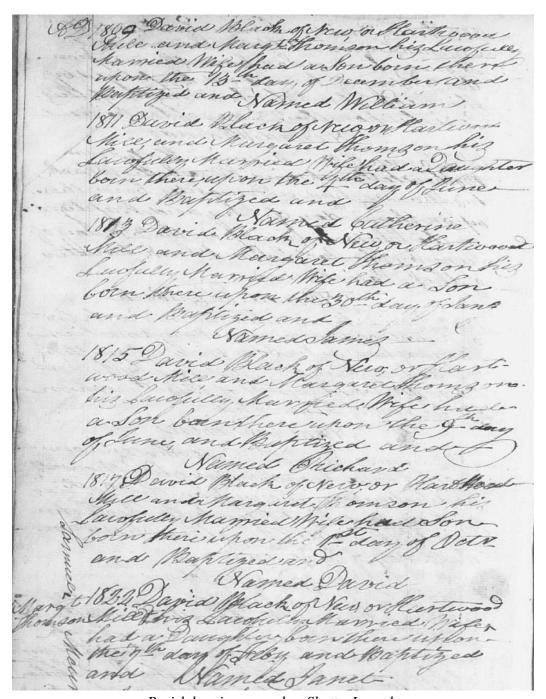
Four sons and two daughters were located and as they were the only children being baptised in Shotts at the time, the entire page has been reproduced here.

CHILDREN	BIRTH/BAP	BIRTHPLACE	PARISH	Married	DEATH/BUR
^William Black	13 Dec 1809	Newmill	Shotts	-	13 Mar 1855
*Catherine Black	04 Jun 1811	Newmill	Shotts	-	22 Oct 1827
^James Black	30 Jan 1813	Newmill	Shotts	Mary Rae	15 Mar 1887
^Richard Black	09 Jun 1815	Newmill	Shotts	Agnes Morton,	20 Dec 1882
				Agnes Black then	
				Catherine	
				Morrison	

³ The Jane Samuel, born in Whitburn around 1772 on the 1851 census, is unlikely to be her as this person was living with her daughter-in-law Helen Samuel.

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^David Black	01 Oct 1817	Newmill	Shotts	-	20 Dec 1881
^Janet Black	07 Feb 1822	Newmill	Shotts	John Kinnis	04 Jun 1891



Parish baptism records - Shotts, Lanark.

No record can be found of Margaret's death, but it must have occurred before 1841. Newmill Cottages today lie halfway between Allanton and Hartwood.

CENSUS RECORD SHEET	
DISTRICT: Shotts, Lanarkshire	YEAR 1841
STREET New Mill	

NAME	AGE	OCCUPATION	BORN AT:
David Black	65	farmer	Lanarkshire
William Black	30		Lanarkshire
James Black	25		Lanarkshire
David Black	20		Lanarkshire
Janet Black	15		Lanarkshire

David was a regular contributor to the poor funds in Shotts and was buried there on 20 October 1842.

DEATH AND BURIAL

1842		Dr Mortcloth Money
Octr 20	David Black, Farmer, New Mill aged 68 years	"2"10

THIRD GENERATION

CHILDREN OF WILLIAM BLACK AND JANET BROWN

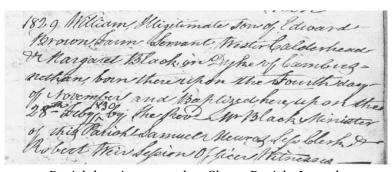
MARGARET BLACK

William and his wife, Janet Brown, were in Dyke Farm, Cambusnethan, having three sons and three daughters [Margaret].

Margaret was born in 98 September 1808 at Dyke Farm. We found she had two illegitimate children.

CHILDREN	BIRTH/BAP	BIRTHPLACE	Parish	Married	DEATH/BUR
*William Brown	04 Nov 1829	Dyke Farm	Cambusnethan	unknown	unknown (not 1869)
*Alexander Black	17 May 1840	Dyke Farm	Cambusnethan	-	1908

William's father was given as Edward Brown. William was not found in 1841 but was living with his mother in 1851.



Parish baptism records - Shotts Parish, Lanark.

Eleven years later Alexander was born. He was baptised at Bonkle with no father listed. Margaret never married, she remained in Shotts and worked as an agricultural labourer.

DEATH AND BURIAL

Margaret died in 1888 aged 79. Her nephew Robert was the informant.

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Death certificate - Margaret Black.

JANET BLACK AND JAMES CUTHBERTSON

William and his wife, Janet Brown, were in Dyke Farm, Cambusnethan, having three sons and three daughters [Janet].

JANET BLACK

Janet was born on 9 December 1809. Initially we thought she had died young but when JB mentioned a third daughter, we hunted for a marriage rather than a death.

JAMES CUTHBERTSON

James, the son of Henry Cuthbertson and Ann Morrice (Morris) was born on 12 September 1911 in Kirkliston.

MARRIAGE AND CHILDREN

Janet and James married on 4 December 1835 in Cramond. Two parents by this name caused confusion for a while but in the end, we decided they had only two known children, despite the long period between marriage and the first child located.

CHILDREN		BIRTH/BAP	BIRTHPLACE	Parish	Married	DEATH/BUR
*Janet		15 Jun 1843		Cramond	-	11 Sep 1919
Cuthbertso	n					
*Annie	Lucy	abt 1848		Cramond	-	2 Mar 1929
Morris						
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The family were found consistently at 20 Lapicide Place, Leith.

DEATH AND BURIAL

James was the first to die in 1879 and Janet died on 7 February 1892. Neither daughter married and they were all buried in Warriston Cemetery, Edinburgh.

WILLIAM BLACK AND JANE (JEAN) WILSON

Residence - Fortissat Hillhead, Shotts, Lanark

William was married to Jane Wilson, Mains Farm, Harthill.

WILLIAM BLACK

William was born in Shotts Parish on 6 December 1811.

JANE WILSON

Jane claimed, both in the census and on her marriage, to have been born in Shotts so she was baptised on 18 June 1817 to William Wilson and Jane Atchison and this was later confirmed on her death certificate.

MARRIAGE AND CHILDREN

William and Jane married on 29 September 1844. Their children were not named in *Melodies and Memories* but six were located. The 1851 census shows them at Fortissat Farm, a short distance today from Shotts Prison today and very close to Mains. William was an agricultural labourer.

1844		Proclamations
Septr 29	William Black and Jean Wilson, both in this Parish	"2"6

CHILDREN	BIRTH/BAP	BIRTHPLACE	PARISH	Married	DEATH/BUR
*William Black	abt 1845	Fortissat	Shotts	-	24 Aug 1867
*Jean (Jane)	abt 1847	Fortissat	Shotts	James Dunlop	10 Feb 1895
Black				Black	
*Robert Black	abt 1849	Fortissat	Shotts	Mary Walker	17 Feb 1930
*Archibald Black	03 Jun 1853	Fortissat?	Shotts	Mary Stewart	21 Nov 1910
*Janet Black	05 Feb 1855	Fortissat?	Shotts	unknown	aft 1861
*Catherine Black	24 Nov 1858	Fortissat?	Shotts	unknown	aft 1871

By 1851 they had three children and the reference in the census to young William attending a public school must be commented on. It obviously was a source of pride that he was attending such an institution.

CENSUS RECORD S	SHEET							
DISTRICT: Shotts,	DISTRICT: Shotts, Lanarkshire YEAR 1851							
STREET: Fortissat	STREET: Fortissat, Hillhead							
CENSUS RECORD S	SHEET							
NAME	DESIG	AGE	OCCUPATION	BORN AT:				
William Black	head	39	agricultural labourer	Shotts				
Jean Black	wife	32		Shotts				
William Black	son	5	scholar at public school	Shotts				
Jean Black	daughter	4		Shotts				
Robert Black	son	2		Shotts				
John Weir	visitor	29	farm labourer	Shotts				
Sarah Willer	visitor	24	house servant	Whitburn				

By 1861 three more children had been born and they were living in Graystonelee Cottage. In 1871 William was a 'Contrasta at Oil Worth' living at 4 McGenie Lane. Both William and Jane were found on the 1881 census living on McGuire's land. Possibly these last two locations are the same and have been transcribed incorrectly on *Ancestry*.

DEATH AND BURIAL

William died on 6 June 1888 in Dykehead and by then he was 76 and described as a farm labourer.

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Death certificate - William Black.

Jane died on 9 January 1891 in Dykehead, Shotts.

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Death certificate - Jane Black nee Wilson.

William and his son William are buried in the Shotts Kirk old section. Jean Wilson their wife and mother is probably buried here too.



Erected By James Wilson, Timber Merchant, Manchester in Memory of His Mother Elizabeth Rule D. 20.6.1804. Also William Wilson D. 8.3.1820 Aged 60y. Also Margaret Wilson His Sister D. ??.3.1843 Aged 49y. Also John Miller Her Husband D. 1.3.1848. Also Jean Aitchison 2nd Wife of the Above William Wilson D. 20.11.1859 Aged 75y. Also William Black Grandson of the Above William Wilson D. 24.8.1867 Aged 22y. Also William Black, Snr. D. 6.???? Aged 76y

ROBERT BLACK AND JANET RUSSELL

Residence - Uddingston, Bothwell, Lanark Bothwell, Lanark Cambusnethan, Lanark Wishaw, Cambusnethan, Lanark

Robert, second son, married Miss Russell, Uddingston.

ROBERT BLACK

Robert was born in 1813 in Dyke Farm, Cambusnethan.

JANET RUSSELL

'Miss Russell' of Uddingston was Janet Russell and Uddingston is in Bothwell, Lanark. She was born about 1813 to parents Robert Russell and Catherine Gray.

MARRIAGE AND CHILDREN

The marriage is estimated around 1838 and the 1841 census is one of the oddest seen. It infers Janet was not the mother of Robert's first two children as her name follows the children's. No births can be found for five of the six children to test this theory.

CHILDREN	BIRTH/BAP	BIRTHPLACE	Parish	Married	DEATH/BUR
*Catherine Gray	04 Sep 1838	Stane	Shotts	Livingston	14 Aug 1925
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*William Black	1841	Uddingston	Bothwell	-	1911
*Robert Black	abt 1845		Bothwell	Mary Paton	1927
*Janet Black	abt 1849		Bothwell	Robert Taylor	1899
*Richard Black	Mar 1851		Bothwell	-	04 Dec 1887
*Archibald Black	23 Dec 1857		Bothwell	-	26 Jan 1916
*Agnes Mochrie	abt Mar 1860		Bothwell	-	26 Dec 1860
Black					

CENSUS RECORD SHEET								
DISTRICT: Bothwe	ell, Lanark	YEAR 1841						
STREET Uddingsto	n							
NAME	AGE	OCCUPATION	BORN AT:					
Robert Black	25	male servant	Lanarkshire					
Catherine Black	2		Lanarkshire					
William Black	3 Mo		Lanarkshire					
Janet Black	25		Lanarkshire					
James Russell	25	male servant?	Lanarkshire					
Gavin Russell	20	male servant?	Lanarkshire					

In 1851 Robert was not living with the family (and he is not located). Janet's address was still Uddingston and she was described as an iron turner's wife. The child, Agnes Mochrie Black, who died in 1860 aged nine months appears to be theirs but they were living in Old Monkland and Robert was a shoemaker.

In 1861 they were in Bothwell.

CENSUS RECORD SHEET							
DISTRICT: Bothwell Lanarkshire YEAR 1861							
STREET: Lone							
CENSUS RECORD SHEET							
NAME	DESIG	AGE	OCCUPATION	BORN AT:			
Robert Black	head	48	millwright	Shotts			
Janet Black	wife	48		Shotts			
William Black	son	20	apprentice blacksmith	Bothwell			
Robert Black	son	16	apprentice blacksmith	Bothwell			
Janet Black	daughter	12	mill worker	Bothwell			
Richard Black	son	10	scholar	Bothwell			
Archibald Black	son	3		Bothwell			
Catherine Scott	Boarder	3		Bothwell			

DEATH AND BURIAL

In 1891 the couple were living at 349 Caledonian Road in Wishaw, Lanark. Both were 78. Living with them were their sons William aged 50 and Archibald aged 33. Janet died on 23 June 1892 at Wishaw.

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Death certificate - Janet Black nee Russell.

Robert died three years later also at Wishaw.

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Death certificate - Robert Black.

MARY BLACK AND JOHN HADDOW

William and his wife, Janet Brown, were in Dyke Farm, Cambusnethan, having three sons and three daughters [Mary].

Mary's birth at Dyke Farm has been estimated around 1815.

JOHN HADDOW

John, the son of John Haddow and Margaret Thomson was born about 1815.

MARRIAGE AND CHILDREN

The marriage was in Shotts after the 1841 census on 11 December 1841. We found six children,

CHILDREN	BIRTH/BAP	Parish	Married	DEATH/BUR
*Janet Haddow	Abt 1843	Shotts	-	1859
*Margaret Haddow	Abt 1845	Shotts	James Newbigging	11 Jul 1868
*John Haddow	abt 1848	Shotts	unknown	aft 1900
				USA
*Mary Haddow	abt 1851	Shotts	Alexander Linton	31 Mar 1916
*William Haddow	Abt 1851	Shotts	Mary Laird	22 Jan 1922
*James Haddow	27 Jul 1858	Shotts	R. Mary Wilson	aft 1901

In 1861 the family were living on Thomson's Land in Shotts; Janet had died and Margaret had left home. In 1901 Mary was still alive aged 86 and her son James aged 42 was at home plus a thirteen-year-old grandson also named James.

DEATH AND BURIAL

John died in 1874 in Calderhead and Mary died on 18 December 1903.

RICHARD BLACK AND MARGARET FORSYTH

Residence - Parkside, Shotts, Lanark Dykehead, Shotts, Lanark

Cambusnethan, Lanark New Monkland, Lanark

Richard, the younger son, was married to Margaret Forsyth, Baton.

RICHARD BLACK

Richard was employed in iron-coal foundries or factories all his working life. He was born in 1818 in Cambusnethan.

MARGARET FORSYTH

Margaret more correctly came from Easter Baton Farm, halfway between Harthill and Shotts. She was the child of William Forsyth and Margaret Marshall and born in 1820.

Marriage and Children

They were married in Shotts Parish and had seven known children.

1843		Proclamations
Decr 17	Richard Black and Margt Forsyth, both in this Parish	"2"6

CHILDREN	BIRTH/BAP	Parish	Married	DEATH/BUR
*William Black	07 Jan 1842	Shotts	Margaret Russell	19 Sep 1920
*Margaret Black	07 Feb 1844	Shotts	William Patrick	10 Dec 1936
*Janet Black	27 May 1845	Shotts	-	20 Mar 1847
*James Black	15 Aug 1848	Shotts	-	17 Sep 1949
*Janet Black	02 Oct 1850	Shotts	-	31 Jan 1852
*Richard Black	10 Oct 1853	Shotts	Agnes Russell Neilson	17 Jul 1929
*Jane Black	14 Mar 1857	Cambusnethan	Robert Ross	1935

In 1851 their address was Parkside, Shotts.

CENSUS RECORD SHEET								
DISTRICT: Shotts		YEAR 1851						
STREET: Parkside								
CENSUS RECORD S	CENSUS RECORD SHEET							
NAME	DESIG	Age	OCCUPATION	BORN AT:				
Richard Black	head	33	hammerman	Cambusnethan				
Margaret Black	wife	30		Shotts				
William Black	son	9		Shotts				
Margaret Black	daughter	7		Shotts				
Janet Black	daughter	5 mo		Shotts				

The death of their daughter Janet was recorded in the Shotts Parish records in 1852.

1852	
Jan 31	Janet, Daughter of Richard Black Labourer, Dykehead, aged 15 months

The last child Jane was born in Cambusnethan so we assume the family resided there for a while. In 1881 the family were living at 2 Bell Street, New Monkland, Lanark. Richard was 63 an 'engine fitter at works'. This was also the address given on Jane's marriage to Robert Ross.

DEATH AND BURIAL

Richard died from heart disease on 26 January 1886 at Shotts.

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Death certificate - Richard Black.

Margaret was still at Bell Street in 1891; she had three grandchildren living with her and was working as machinist. She died on 21 September 1902 aged 82.

DAVID BLACK, MARY DUNLOP AND JANET SERVICE

David, the fourth son and youngest child was not mentioned by JB. He had twelve children from two marriages and died in Glasgow in 1896. His third child, James Dunlop Black born 1849 married his first cousin, Jane Black born abt 1847 in Shotts,

CHILDREN OF RICHARD BLACK AND JANE SAMUEL

WILLIAM BLACK

Their only son, **William**, went to America.

William born on 13 August 1807 in Shotts, went to America according to JB. Trees on *Ancestry* show he died on Prince Edward Island in Canada in 1884 but show no proof for these events. We are not sure if he married but various trees show different wives from Jane Whyte to Isabella Moses then Margaret Patterson then Isabella Margaret. All we can say is that William is a work in progress!

AGNES BLACK AND JOHN BLACK

Their daughter Agnes, as previously stated became Mrs John Black,

See Son-2.1-William Black and Jean Clealand (though the family will also appear on the tree for this branch).

JANE BLACK AND DAVID BLACK

while the other daughter, Jane was Mrs David Black.

See Son-4-David Black and Janet Steven (though the family will also appear on the tree for this branch).

CHILDREN OF DAVID BLACK AND MARGARET THOMSON

WILLIAM BLACK

Residence - Newmill Farm, Allanton, Shotts, Lanark

...the sons being William, bachelor, ...

William was born on 13 December 1809. In 1841 he was living, with his parents but by 1851 he was the landed proprietor farmer of 21 acres at Newmill as both his parents had died. His three younger brothers were also in residence.

DEATH AND BURIAL

William died on 12 March 1855 and was buried at Shotts. His death certificate (which is too poor to reproduce) says he died at Newmill and his brother James was the informant.

JAMES BLACK, JANET HADDOW AND MARY RAE

Residence - Newmill Farm, Allanton, Shotts, Lanark

James, whose son, James, and grandson, James, have their home at Allanton still

JAMES BLACK

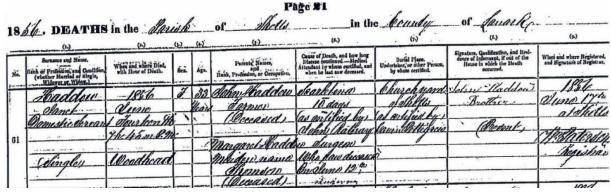
James, the second son was born in 1813 at Newmill Farm. In 1851 he was a farm servant living with his siblings at Newmill. In the household that night was Janet Haddow a house servant aged 28. James's father had died and his older brother William was shown as the head of the household. Four years later William died also, so James, being the next in line, took over the farm.

JANET HADDOW

Janet was born about 1823 in Shotts. Both her parents (John Haddow and Margaret Thomson) had died by the time she was seventeen so she sought employment with the Black family at Newmill Farm. She gave birth to a son James Black around 1853 but we suspect, as the couple were not married, she left her employment before the birth.

CHILDREN	BIRTH/BAP	PARISH	Married	DEATH/BUR
^James Black	abt 1853	Shotts	Isabella Allan Wyper	23 Jun 1914

Janet died on 18 June 1856 of scarlet fever. The informant was her brother John, who was married to Mary Black (James Black's first cousin) and he recorded Janet as being single. Her son was three years old when she died.



Death certificate – Janet Haddow.

MARY RAE

Mary Rae was from Islay, Argyll and was baptised to parents James Rae and Marjory Kerr in December 1829.

MARRIAGE

James and Mary married in Shotts on 18 November 1856 just a few months after the death of Janet Haddow. His status as a bachelor was confirmed on the certificate.

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Marriage certificate – James Black and Mary Rae.

James and Mary had no children of their own, but the 1861 census shows James's illegitimate son had gone to live with them. In 1861 the house looks very full as they were supporting many family members.

CENSUS RECORD S	SHEET						
DISTRICT: Shotts	YEAR 1861						
STREET: New Mill Farm House							
CENSUS RECORD SHEET							
NAME	DESIG	AGE	OCCUPATION	BORN AT:			
James Black	head	47	farmer	Cambusnethan			
Mary Black	wife	30		Islay, Argyll			
James Black	son	9	scholar	Cambusnethan			
Margaret Black	niece	12	scholar	Linlithgow			
James West	nephew	6	scholar	Islay, Argyll			
David Black	brother	43	son of farmer	Shotts			
3 servants							
Catherine Morrison	visitor	30	formerly domestic serv	Islay, Argyll			

Margaret, the niece, was the daughter of James's brother Richard; his wife had died when Margaret was a child. Margaret was still living with them in 1871 but her status had changed to servant. As for Catherine Morrison, she become the third wife of James's brother Richard in 1869.

CENSUS RECORD S								
DISTRICT: Shotts Lanarkshire YEAR 1871								
STREET: New Mil	STREET: New Mill Farm House							
CENSUS RECORD S	CENSUS RECORD SHEET							
NAME	DESIG	AGE	OCCUPATION	BORN AT:				
James Black	head	57	miller farmer of 30 acres	Shotts				
Mary Rae	wife	42		Kilchoman				
James Black	son	18		Shotts				
David Black	brother	54	scholar	Shotts				
Catherine West	servant	22	servant	Kilchoman				
James West	servant	16	servant	Kilchoman				
Margaret Black	servant	22	servant	Whitburn				

The address Hartwood Mill (where they were located in 1881) was surely on the same property as Newmill Farm.



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DEATH AND BURIAL

James died in 1887 aged 74 at Newmill, Shotts.

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Death certificate – James Black.

Mary his wife was still alive in 1901; a woman of independent means aged 72 with the address of Allanton. James her stepson, was still living with her and described as a boarder. Mary died on 1 October 1913 aged 83.

BLACK, Mary Rae or, 49 Young Street, Wishaw, died 1 October 1913, at Wishaw, intestate. Confirmation granted at Hamilton, 6 November, to Catherine Rae or Chalmers, Shand Street, Wishaw, her sister, Executrix dative qua next of kin. Value of Estate, £53.

Probate - Mary Black, nee Rae.

RICHARD BLACK, AGNES MORTON, AGNES BLACK AND CATHERINE MORRISON.

Residence - Longridge, Whitburn, West Lothian Cambusnethan, Lanark Hamilton, Lanark

... Richard had two sons, David and William.

RICHARD BLACK

Richard was born in 1815 at Newmill, Shotts.

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AGNES MORTON

Richard's first wife Agnes Morton was born around 1820 in Whitburn. Her parents were John Morton and Jean Smith.

MARRIAGE AND CHILDREN

Richard and Agnes Morton married after the 1841 census. Their first child David was born in 1842 and we find his death at the age of one in the Shotts Parish records. It is unknown why the birth was recorded in Shotts as they were living at Longridge in the Parish of Whitburn and their child David was buried there also.

1843		Mortcloths
Sep 5	David, Son of Richard Black Shoemaker Longridge aged 1 year	

Erected by Richard Black and his wife Agnes Morton in Longridge in memory of David died 1843 aged 1y

Three more children can be found.

CHILDREN	BIRTH/BAP	BIRTHPLACE	Parish	Married	DEATH/BUR
*David Black	1842	Longridge	Whitburn	-	05 Sep 1843
^Jane Black	21 Jul 1844	Longridge	Whitburn	William	16 Jun 1920
				Somerville	
^David Black	25 Sep 1846	Longridge	Whitburn	Grace Forrest	21 Aug 1921
				Calder	NZ
^Margaret Black	05 Dec 1848	Longridge	Whitburn	William	06 Dec 1927
				Thomson	England

The census records confirmed that Richard was a shoemaker.

CENSUS RECORD SHEET								
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NAME	DESIG	DESIG AGE OCCUPATION BORN AT:						
Richard Black	head	35	shoemaker emps 2 men	Shotts				
Agnes Black	wife	31		Whitburn				
Jane Black	daughter	6	scholar	Whitburn				
David Black	David Black son 4 Whitburn							
Margaret Black	Margaret Black daughter 2 Whitburn							

In 1855 the three surviving children were entered into the Whitburn Parish records with their birthdates and their birthdates were stated as Longridge. Their mother Agnes Morton had died before these entries were made.

AGNES BLACK

Agnes was born at Backburn and baptised on 21 February 1829 at Whitburn the child of John Black and Agnes Black. (Agnes Black her mother was from Son-3-William, and John Black was from Son-2-John.)

MARRIAGE AND CHILDREN

Richard's second wife was therefore his first cousin once removed. Agnes and Richard married on 28 December 1855 in Whitburn. They had one child William, born on 25 April 1857.

CHILDREN	BIRTH/BAP	Parish	Married	DEATH/BUR
^William Black	25 April 1857	Whitburn	Isabella Andrew McKim	4 Jan 1934

Richard's second wife died a month after her son's birth and Richard moved to Shotts and changed his occupation to corn miller.

CENSUS RECORD	SHEET						
DISTRICT: Shotts	YEAR 1861						
STREET: Georges Row							
CENSUS RECORD	CENSUS RECORD SHEET						
NAME	DESIG	AGE	OCCUPATION	BORN AT:			
Richard Black	head	45	corn miller	Shotts			
Jane Black	daughter	16		Whitburn			
David Black	son	14	scholar	Whitburn			
William Black	son	3		Whitburn			

Margaret (his youngest child from his first wife) had gone to live with his brother James Black and his wife Mary Rae. This arrangement seemed permanent as she was living with them in 1871 also. By 1871 Richard had married again and had moved to Cambusnethan where he was living at Allanton, still working as a corn miller. (Allanton was the home his brother James).

CATHERINE MORRISON

Catherine the daughter of John Morrison and Flora Livingstone was born around 1836 in Kilmeny on the Isle of Islay according to the census. She is a bit of mystery.

MARRIAGE

At the age of 54 Richard married for the third time in 1869.

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Marriage – Richard Black and Catherine Morrison.

Richard and Catherine had no further children.

DEATH AND BURIAL

By 1881 Richard was living at 64 Portland Place, Hamilton, Lanark and had returned to work as a shoemaker. He died on 20 December 1882 in Hamilton; Catherine, his third wife is not found after that.

	Richard	1882,	m.	64	David Black	Aposley	William Black	188 2,
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Death certificate - Richard Black.

DAVID BLACK

the sons being ... David (bachelor).

David was born on 1 October 1817 and died in December 1881. He lived at Newmill with his brothers all his life.

JANET BLACK AND JOHN KINNIS

Residence - Shotts, Lanark Bothwell, Lanark Ledaig, Ardchatten, Argyll

David, ... had as his wife, Margaret Thomson, Muirhead... There [was] one daughter [Janet]

JANET BLACK

Janet the only surviving daughter of David Black and Margaret Thompson was born in 1822 at Newmill, Shotts.

JOHN KINNIS

John Kinnis was also born around 1822 in Falkland. His birth was not found but his father was Alexander Kinnes and his mother Elizabeth Ranceman.

MARRIAGE AND CHILDREN

Their marriage was found in the Shotts registers and they were both around 31 when they married.

18	353	Proclamations	
M	ay 29	John Kinnis and Janet Black both in this Parish	1"2"

There were six children.

CHILDREN	BIRTH/BAP	Parish	Married	DEATH/BUR
*James Kinnis	24 Nov 1853	Shotts	-	19 May 1925
*Margaret Kinnis	04 Oct 1855	Shotts	-	28 May 1936
*David Kinnis	23 Jan 1858	Shotts	-	08 May 1927
*Agnes Kinnis	11 Sep 1860	Bothwell	-	03 Jul 1944
*Janet (Jessie) Kinnis	23 Feb 1863	Bothwell	-	01 Sep 1895
*John Kinnis	01 Apr 1866	Ardchatten	-	02 Jul 1902

Their address in 1861 was Woodhead Farm in Bothwell, Lanark and by then they had four children. They moved to Argyll and had the address of Ledaig in Ardchatten in 1881. Two more children were born here.

DEATH AND BURIAL

John died soon after the 1881 census, he was 58. The property in 1891 was referred to as South Ledaig Farm. Five of Janet's unmarried children remained at home. Janet died later that year at the age of 69.

KINNIS, Janet Black or.

Value of Estate, £252, 12s. 3d.

5 July. — Confirmation of Janet Black or Kinnis, Ledaig, Benderloch, who died 4 June 1891, at Ledaig, testate, granted at Inveraray, to James Kinnis, Farmer, South Ledaig, Benderloch, Executor nominated in Will or Deed, dated 1 June 1891, and recorded in Court Books of Commissariot of Argyll, 25 June 1892.

Probate - Janet Kinnis, nee Black.

The property was near Oban and at the time of writing was a B and B. Surprisingly none of their children appear to have married despite all living into their old age. They were all buried at in the Ardchatten Kirk.

FOURTH GENERATION

CHILD OF JAMES BLACK AND JANET HADDOW

James, whose son, James, and grandson, James, have their home at Allanton still

JAMES BLACK AND ISABELLA ALLAN WYPER

JAMES BLACK

James, an illegitimate child born about 1853, would not have remembered his mother Janet Haddow who died when he was three. After her death he went to live with his father and his stepmother Mary Rae.

ISABELLA ALLAN WYPER

Isabella was born on 7 October 1871 in Shotts to James Wyper and Agnes Allan.

MARRIAGE AND CHILDREN

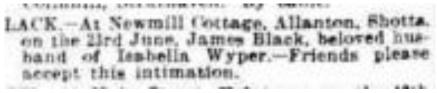
The couple married at Ladylands Farm on 24 November 1905 at Shotts. They had one son, when James was 52 and Isabella 34 but he died at the age of eight.

CHILDREN	BIRTH/BAP	Parish	Married	DEATH/BUR
*James Black	06 Nov 1906	Shotts	-	1914

They were living at Newmill Cottage in 1911 and James was a forester. Newmill was the home farm of his great-grandparents.

DEATH AND BURIAL

James died on 23 June 1914 at Newmill Cottage.



Hamilton Advertiser.

His mother was listed on the death certificate incorrectly as Margaret (not Janet) Haddow but his illegitimacy for some reason, was recorded. The probate named William Black, grocer and the relationship was uncle and nephew.

BLACK, James, Forester, Allanton, Newmains, died 23 June 1914, at Newmains, testate. Inventory given up at Hamilton, 5 October, by John Jeffrey, Colliery Manager, Newmains, Isabella Wyper or Black, his widow, and William Black, Grocer, Almada Street, Hamilton, Executors nominated in Will or Deed, dated 22 October 1910, and Codicil, dated 14 February 1914, and recorded in Court Books of Commissariot of Lanark, 5 October 1914. Value of Estate, £1089, 12s. 11d.

Probate - James Black.

Isabella died on 25 March 1920 and was buried at Shotts.

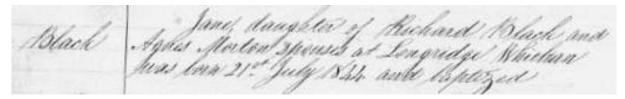
CHILDREN OF RICHARD BLACK, AGNES MORTON OR AGNES BLACK

JANE BLACK AND WILLIAM SOMERVILLE

Mrs Sommerville ..., Richard's daughter, lives, ... in Glasgow...

JANE BLACK

Jane was born on 21 July 1844 in Longridge.



Parish records - Whitburn, West Lothian.

WILLIAM SOMMERVILLE

William, a storekeeper, was born about 1841 in Shotts, the son of John Sommerville and Helen Downs.

Marriage and Children

Jane and William married on 20 March 1862 in Cambusnethan and they had four girls.

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Marriage – Jane Black and William Sommerville.

CHILDREN	BIRTH/BAP	Parish	Married	DEATH/BUR
*Agnes Sommerville	19 Jun 1862	Cambusnethan	-	12 Jun 1875

*Helen (Nellie)	15 Jun 1864	Calderhead	unknown	aft 1901
Sommerville				
*Jane Sommerville	20 Aug 1866	Calderhead	Rowland Walton Slack	12 Oct 1924
*Margaret (Maggie)	03 Jul 1869	Calderhead	-	19 Jun 1881
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DEATH AND BURIAL

William died on 2 March 1870 when Jane was 26. She never remarried and died on 16 June 1920 in Glasgow.

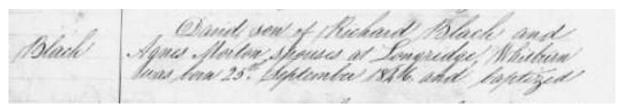
DAVID BLACK AND GRACE FORREST CALDER

Residence - Cambusnethan, Lanark Eskdale, Hawke's Bay, New Zealand

David became a sheep farmer at Northlands, Eskdale, New Zealand, with four sons Richard, Alexander, David, James, and at least one grandson. David, like many other Scots abroad, loves well the old kindred and homeland.

DAVID BLACK

David was born at Longridge on 25 September 1846.



Parish records – Whitburn, West Lothian.

GRACE FORREST CALDER

Grace was born 4 July 1850 to Alexander Calder and Susan Findlater.

MARRIAGE AND CHILDREN

The couple married on 26 August 1869.

69	. MARRIAGES in the	ie Parish of Car	m	wsnethr	in the Count	of Komark	(7.)
Na	When, Where, and How Matried.	Bignatures of Parties. Rank or Profession, whether Engle or Widowel, and Relationship (if any).	Age.	Usual Residence.	Name, Surname, and Rank or Profession of Father. Name, and Maiden Surnams of Mother.	If a regular Marriage, Signatures of officiating Minister and Witnesses. If irregular, Date of Conviction, Decree of Declarator, or Sheriti's Warrant.	When & Where Register and Signature of Registr
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Marriage certificate - David Black and Grace Calder.

In 1871 they were living at Cambusnethan and David was a storekeeper with two young boys.

CHILDREN	BIRTH/BAP	Parish	Married	DEATH/BUR
*Richard Black	07 Dec 1869	Cambusnethan	-	23 Apr 1891
				NZ
*Alexander Calder	24 Feb 1871	Cambusnethan	Agnes Emelie	20 May 1958
Black			Anscombe	NZ
*David Black	10 Feb 1872	Cambusnethan	-	05 Sep 1951
				NZ
*James Calder Black	1876	Cambusnethan	-	12 May 1954
				Australia

By 1881 their family had grown to include all their children.

CENSUS RECORD SHEET										
DISTRICT: Cambusn	DISTRICT: Cambusnethan, Lanarkshire YEAR 1881									
STREET: Main Stree	t									
CENSUS RECORD SH	CENSUS RECORD SHEET									
NAME DESIG AGE OCCUPATION BORN AT:										
David Black	head	grocers salesman	Longridge							
Grace Black	wife	31		Cambusnethan,						
Richard Black	son	11	scholar	Cambusnethan,						
Alexander C Black son 10 scholar Cambusnethan,										
David Black son 8 scholar Cambusnethan,										
James Black	son	4	scholar	Cambusnethan,						

They emigrated to New Zealand before 1891 and purchased a sheep farm by the name of Northlands in Eskdale in the Hawke's Bay.

DEATH AND BURIAL



David lived well into his seventies and died in 1921. Grace died aged 84 in 1935. Both were buried at the Eskdale Cemetery.



Grace Forrest Calder Black with sons David and James.

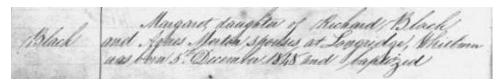
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MARGARET BLACK AND WILLIAM THOMSON

...Mrs Thomson, Richard's daughter, lives... at Bankhead Farm Belshill.

MARGARET BLACK

Margaret was born in Longridge on 5 December 1848.



Parish records - Whitburn, West Lothian.

We explained earlier that Margaret went to live with her aunt and uncle after the death of her mother and this must have been a satisfactory arrangement as she named a daughter after this aunt.

WILLIAM THOMSON

William was born on 19 December 1839 in Shotts. His parents were Andrew Thomson and Janet Russell.

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Parish records – Shotts, Lanarkshire.

MARRIAGE AND CHILDREN

They married 14 January 1873 at Shotts and had eight children.

CHILDREN	BIRTH/BAP	Parish	Married	DEATH/BUR
*Andrew Thomson	01 Feb 1873	Shotts	Agnes Rodger	21 Jan 1940
			Murray	
*Richard Thomson	12 Dec 1874	Cambusnethan	Margaret Christina	27 Dec 1957
			Adams	England
*William Thomson	14 Feb 1876	Shotts	Robina Gardner	01 Apr 1952
			Pollock	England
*Agnes Morton	03 May 1880	Shotts	Alexander Brodie	11 May 1937
Thomson			Pollock	
*James Black	26 Feb 1881	Shotts	Amelia Martha	31 Dec 1947
Thomson			Lewis (Louis)	NZ
*Janet Russell	24 Nov 1883	Shotts	Andrew Hamilton	26 Jan 1963
Thomson				England
*Margaret Mary Rae	28 May 1886	Bothwell	William Learmonth	04 Jul 1975
Thomson			Mitchell	England
*Thomas Gilbert	29 Aug 1887	Bothwell	-	06 Jun 1917
Little Thomson				England

Most of the children were born in Shotts and in 1891 we found them in Bothwell on Burnhead Farm. (Not Bankhead as per JB.)

CENSUS RECORD SHEET										
DISTRICT: Bothwell, Lanarkshire YEAR 1891										
STREET: Burnhead I	STREET: Burnhead Farm									
CENSUS RECORD SH	Census Record Sheet									
Name	DESIG	OCCUPATION	BORN AT:							
William Thomson	head	51	farmer	Shotts						
Maggie Thomson	wife	42		Whitburn						
Andrew Thomson	son	18	Farm servant	Shotts						
William Thomson	Shotts									
Agnes Thomson	son	11	scholar	Shotts						

James Thomson	son	10	scholar	Shotts
Janet Thomson	daughter	7	scholar	Bothwell
Maggie M R	daughter	4	scholar	Bothwell
Thomson				
G T Thomson	son	3		Bothwell
Nellie Somerville	visitor	26	School teacher	Shotts

Nellie Sommerville, the visitor, was Maggie's cousin (daughter of Jane Black).

DEATH AND BURIAL

They were still at Burnhead Farm in 1901 and then went to England to reside with family, in their last few years. William died in 1920 in Surrey and Margaret in 1927 In Essex. They were both buried in Forest Hill Cemetery, Camberwell, London.

WILLIAM BLACK AND ISABELLA ANDREW MCKIM

William, Richard's second son is a merchant residing in Hamilton

WILLIAM BLACK

William was the son of Richard's second wife Agnes Black and was born in 1857 in Longridge. His mother died a month after his birth.

ISABELLA ANDREW MCKIM

Isabella was born in Rutherglen in 1859 to Thomas McKim and Marion Martin.

MARRIAGE AND CHILDREN

The couple married in 1884 in Hamilton and had no children. In 1901 William was a grocer and living in the house was Elizabeth Black, a school teacher, believed to be the daughter of William Black and Janet Donald Robb.

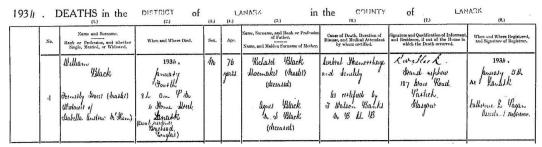
DEATH AND BURIAL

Isabella died in 1922.

2.	DEATHS in the_	DISTRICT of	(3.)	H.A	I ILTON in	the COUNTY	of LATTAR	K (8.)
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Death certificate - Isabella Andrew Black - nee McKim.

William died in 1934.



Death certificate - William Black.

CHILDREN OF DAVID BLACK AND GRACE FORREST CALDER

RICHARD BLACK

David became a sheep farmer at Northlands, Eskdale, New Zealand, with four sons **Richard** ...

Richard was born on 7 December 1869 at Cambusnethan. He died at the age of 21 in Dunedin.

ALEXANDER CALDER BLACK AND AGNES EMILIE ANSCOMBE

David became a sheep farmer at Northlands, Eskdale, New Zealand, with four sons ... **Alexander** ...

ALEXANDER CALDER BLACK

Alexander was born on 24 February 1871 in Cambusnethan.

AGNES EMILIE ANSCOMBE

Agnes was of English parentage; her father was Edmond Charles Anscombe and her mother Eliza Claire Mason. Agnes was their first New Zealand born child, so they emigrated around 1877. Agnes later changed the spelling of her middle name to Emily.

MARRIAGE AND CHILDREN

They married on 30 December 1902 at St Clair, Dunedin.

CHILDREN	BIRTH/BAP	Town	Married		DEATH/BUR
*David Forrest Black	20 Oct 1903	Dunedin	Florence Er	mma	26 Jul 2001
			Booth		Australia
*Eric Calder Black	08 Jul 1906	Dunedin	-		11 Jul 1906

				New Zealand
*Raymond Mason	17 Aug 1907	Dunedin	Phyllis Edna Hansen	23 Jun 1984
Black				New Zealand
*Richard Allen Black	27 Oct 1908	Wairoa	Clara (Joyce)	23 Aug 1992
			Popham	New Zealand
*Alexander Bruce	24 Feb 1910	Wairoa	Joan Winifred (Lyn)	18 Jun 2003
Black			Thrupp	Australia
*Emilie Sybil (Emily)	12 Dec 1913	Wairoa	Ivan Millen Broad	13 Oct 1990
Black				New Zealand

DEATH AND BURIAL

Alexander died in 1958 in Auckland and Agnes in 1963. They were buried at Papatoetoe Cemetery.

DAVID CALDER BLACK

David became a sheep farmer at Northlands, Eskdale, New Zealand, with four sons ... David, ...

David born in 1873 in Cambusnethan, died in Eskdale in 1951. He never married.

JAMES CALDER BLACK

David became a sheep farmer at Northlands, Eskdale, New Zealand, with four sons ... **James.**

David born in 1876 in Newmains, Lanarkshire, died in Queensland in 1954. He never married.