

## FATHER'S GENEALOGY

### DONALD MACDONALD

Father: Donald Macdonald, Born Balnaglaie or Balnalurgan,  
10 March 1831

Grandfather: John, born 1795, died 1858

Grandmother: Flora Grant, born 1792, died 1862

Great grandfather: Duncan, born 1760 - over 90 at time of death\*

Great grandmother: Ann MacGregor

Great great grandfather: John, born Glenurquhart (?)

Great great great grandfather: Alexander

Furthest back: Alexander Dubh - shepherd - or  
Alasdair Fha Feidh - Great Deer Hunter

His instructions were that, at death, his body be laid North and South, so that his face should look towards his beloved Corry Gho (Dho?) at the Resurrection (ie feet to the North).

Buried at Clachan Merchard, Glenmoriston

---

### Father's (Donald Macdonald's) Brothers and Sisters

Hugh: Last heard of in Wisconsin USA

Ann: Married Tailleur Spring. Died Milton 1893

Janet: Drowned in River Spey, aged 21. In service in Abernethy

Isabella: The first, must have died in childhood

Isabella: The second. Married Oman's brother and emigrated with him to Australia. Had a large family. A grandson visited Blairgowrie during 1914-18 war.

Rebecca:

Donald: Father

James: Died at 3 years old. (Mother's father died the same night.)

\* NB: One note says: Born 1741, died 1833, age 92

## MOTHER'S GENEALOGY

### ELIZABETH FRASER

Born at Wester Cudrish, June 1836, married 4 July, 1862 at Cudrish, Kiltarlity, died July 1919.

Her father was Tavish Fraser, born April 1797, who died in 1865, aged 68 & 8 months (when my sister Jeanie was 10 months old)

Her mother was Jean Fraser, born 1804, died 21 May 1875, aged 71.

They were married in January 1827, aged 30 and 23 respectively.

Her grandfather on her father's side was Malcolm Fraser, a farmer from Strath Errick, Dunchea, who came to Cudrish in 1828.

Her grandfather on her mother's side was John Fraser from Leys and who was between 80 and 90 years old at his death in 1853.

Her grandmother on her father's side was Isabella MacTavish from Strath Errick, who was very aged at the time of her death. Of her it is said that, as a herd-lassie, she witnessed the Battle of Culloden. (Probably this was her mother.)

Her grandmother on her mother's side was Margaret Grant. (Next word illegible, but is probably Duthill.) She died in 1852.

---

### Mother's (Elizabeth Fraser's) Brothers and Sisters

- 1 Isabella, born 23 November 1827, married John Fraser and lived at Aultfearn, died May 1901, aged 73.
- 2 John, born 6 September 1829, married Ann Cumming, died at Balnaglaie, aged 57.
- 3 Margaret, born 6 October 1831, killed in Strath Errick on 2 December 1872, aged 37. (See Malcolm.)
- 4 May, born in April 1833, married Thomas MacClean of Baluarchrach, and died in June 1879.
- 5 Elizabeth (Mother) who was born June 1836, died July 1919.
- 6 Malcolm, born December 1838, killed in Strath Errick 2 December 1872, aged 32. (See Margaret.)

Malcolm and Margaret were killed in the great snow storm, known as "Wild Martinmas". Their death was the outcome of a horse and cart accident.

- 7 Jean, born 1842 (or 1841) and who married John Michael.
- 8 Donald, born in February of 1843, died 1911, aged 68 year 8 months.
- 9 William of Corrack, Kiltarlity, born January 1846.
- 10 Kate, born 1848, died 31 December 1890.

-----

The foregoing particulars relating to my father and mother are copied from particulars taken down from them personally by my brother, Fraser, and myself during a visit to Glentore on the occasion of my parents' golden wedding on 4 July 1912.

Signed: Donald Macdonald

"Carnavoulin"  
Blairgowrie

12 December 1946

PS A copy of the above - the only copy made up to this date - was given to John Fraser of 12 Seton Terrace, Dennistoun, Glasgow, some years ago (probably in the 20s of this century).

#### FATHER'S CAREER

1847	Balnain, Glenurquhart
1848	(Martimas) Black Isle, Ross-shire
1849	At home at Balnaglaie, Glenurquhart
1850-52	At Erchite Farm, Dores
May 1853-1856	Dell, Strath Errick
March 1857-August 1860	London Police

He then returned home for 2 years, during which he served with the Railway Company at Dingwall.

December 1862	Served with the Dumbarton Police
1891-May 1904	Cudrish, Kiltarlity
1904	Glentore, Glenurquhart

Died February of 1915

-----

#### MOTHER'S AND FATHER'S FAMILY

- 1 Flora, born 16 July 1863, married Donald Morrison, died Cudrish 1882
- 2 Jean Fraser, born 12 February 1865, married Robert Webster Rae
- 3 John, born 8 May 1867, died 1 April 1903, unmarried
- 4 Isabella, born 9 March 1869, married Angus Fraser
- 5 Janet, born 17 February 1871, died 2 months old
- 6 Margaret, born 2 February 1873
- 7 Fraser Tavish, born 2 March 1875
- 8 Donald, born 24 July 1877
- 9 Elizabeth Fraser, born 8 April 1880