

William George STUART and Matilda FENSOM Chart 12-13

William George STUART

B 08 December 1874 Majors Creek NSW Australia

D 07 June 1959 Greymouth Westcoast New Zealand

M 20 May 1896 Braidwood NSW Australia

Matilda FENSOM

B 1878 Braidwood New South Wales Australia

D 18 January 1937 Westcoast New Zealand

Children:

1. **George Leslie STUART** born 20 October 1895 Braidwood NSW Australia
2. Joseph William STUART born 15 August 1898 Braidwood NSW Australia
3. Gladleys [sic] STUART born 30 December 1900 New Zealand
4. Percival STUART born 04 November 1901 New Zealand
5. Albert Edward STUART born 09 November 1903 New Zealand
6. Eileen Beatrice STUART born 04 September 1905 New Zealand
7. Gladys Mary STUART born 29 November 1909 New Zealand
8. Leonard James STUART born 13 September 1910 New Zealand

William George STUART was born 08 December 1874 Majors Creek New South Wales Australia. His parents were Elizabeth nee BARNETT and William STUART.

(Reference Ancestry website details but found no trace of a RGO Australia birth registration)

1891 Census No 42 Braidwood Elrington St Vincent Major Creek Goldfield NSW Australia

William STUART place Berlong - household 8 souls - 7 males 2 females

(Reference Ancestry website Australian 1891 census)

Matilda FENSOM was born about 1878 Braidwood New South Wales Australia. Her parents were Mary Elizabeth Brown and Joseph Fensom.

(Reference Ancestry website RGO Australian birth registration number 9911 Braidwood NSW Australia)

William George STUART married 20 May 1896 Braidwood New South Wales Australia to Matilda FENSOM.

(Reference Australian NSW RGO marriage registration William G Stuart & Matilda Fensom 1896 record 2860 Braidwood district)

William and Matilda had a son George Leslie STUART who was born 20 October 1896 in Braidwood New South Wales Australia

(Reference Australian NSW RGO birth registration 1896 record 29250 Braidwood District)

William and Matilda had a son Joseph William STUART who was born 15 August 1898 in Braidwood NSW Australia

(Reference Australian NSW RGO birth registration 1898 record 19670 Braidwood District)

The family left Australia and settled in New Zealand between 1898 and 1900

William and Matilda had a daughter Gladleys / Gladys STUART who was born 03 December 1900 New Zealand

(Reference RGO NZ birth registration 1901 folio website 1901/20061 parents Matilda and William George Stuart)

William and Matilda had a son Percival STUART who was born 04 November 1901 New Zealand

(Reference RGO NZ birth registration 1902 folio website 1902/3336 parents Matilda and William George Stuart)

William and Matilda's daughter Gladys / Gladleys STUART died 03 August 1902 New Zealand.

(Reference RGO NZ death registration 1902 folio website 1902/5419 age 1 years born about 1901)

Return of second class stationary engine drivers to whom certificates of service have been granted from the 1st April 1903 to the 31st March 1904 Name of person William George STUART class of certificate second class stationary service date of issue December 24th 1903 number 806 (16). District not recorded.

(Reference Archives NZ Christchurch Office 1904 AJHR Appendix to the Journals of the House of Representatives 1904 H-I volume 3 section H15A page 16)

William and Matilda had a son Albert Edward STUART who was born 09 November 1903 New Zealand

(Reference RGO NZ birth registration 1904 folio website 1904/6035 parents Matilda and William George Stuart)

William and Matilda had a daughter Eileen Beatrice STUART who was born 04 September 1905 New Zealand

(Reference RGO NZ birth registration 1905 folio website 1905/7250 parents Matilda and William George Stuart)

1905-1906 Motueka Electoral Roll

- William George STUART Karamea bushman
- Matilda STUART Karamea married

(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Roll)

William and Matilda had a daughter Gladys Mary STUART who was born 29 November 1908 New Zealand

(Reference RGO NZ birth registration 1909 folio website 1909/5016 parents Matilda and William George Stuart)

1908 Motueka Electoral Roll

- William George STUART Karamea bushman
- Matilda STUART Karamea married

(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Roll)

William and Matilda had a son Leonard James STUART who was born 13 September 1910 New Zealand

(Reference RGO NZ birth registration 1910 folio website 1910/23050 parents Matilda and William George Stuart)

1910 Karamea Nelson NZ Towns NZPO Directory

- Wm G STUART boarding house page 531

1911 Karamea Nelson NZ Towns NZPO Directory

- Wm G STUART boarding house page 581

1912 Karamea Nelson NZ Towns NZPO Directory

- Wm G STUART boarding house page 568

1914 Motueka Electoral Rolls

- William George STUART Karamea bushman
- Matilda STUART Karamea married

(Reference National Library of NZ microfiche of NZ Electoral rolls)

William George STUART occupation Farmer place Karamea Buller World War One registered in the second Reserves

(Reference NZSG CD ROM World War One census)

April 1918 Stones Canterbury Nelson, Marlborough and Westland Directories

- Wm STUART Boarding House Keeper Karamea Nelson District
(Reference Alexander Turnbull Library Stones Canterbury Nelson, Marlborough and Westland Directories)

1919 Motueka Electoral Roll

- William George STUART Karamea bushman
- Matilda STUART Karamea married
- George Leslie STUART NZ Railways Surfaceman Seddonville
(Reference National Library of NZ microfiche of NZ Electoral rolls)

1922 Motueka Electoral Roll

- William George STUART Karamea bushman
- Matilda STUART Karamea married
- Joseph William STUART Karamea bushman
- Mary Agnes STUART Karamea married
(Reference ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

1928 Motueka Electoral Roll

- William George STUART Karamea farmer
- Matilda STUART Karamea married
- Eileen Beatrice STUART Karamea spinster
- Joseph William STUART Karamea bushman
- Mary Agnes STUART Karamea married
(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

1935 Motueka Electoral Roll

- William George STUART Karamea farmer
- Matilda STUART Karamea married
- Albert Edward STUART Karamea sawmiller
- Joseph William STUART Karamea bushman
- Leonard James STUART Karamea lorry driver
- Mary Agnes STUART Karamea married
- Nesta Irene STUART Karamea married
(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

Matilda STUART nee FENSOM age 59 years died 18 January 1937 Buller district New Zealand. Matilda's death registration transcription date was 18 January 1936 an error.
(Reference RGO NZ death registration 1937 folio 628 Buller district website 1937/21367 age 59 born about 1878)

Hokitika Guardian newspaper 20 January 1937

Obituary – The death of Mrs Matilda STUART of Karamea took place at Westport Hospital on Monday night aged 58 years. She lived at Karamea for 33 years and four years at Kumara. She leaves a husband, two daughters (Mesdames George Dunedin and Townsend (Karamea) and five sons, George and Percy Seddonville, William Little Wanganui, Bert Greymouth and Leonard Karamea.

(Reference Papers past website Hokitika Guardian newspaper 20 January 1937 page 4)

This is the last will and testament of me Matilda STUART wife of William George STUART of Karamea I the Provincial District of Nelson in the Dominion of New Zealand Farmer. etc. I give devise and bequeath the whole of my estate of whatsoever nature and wheresoever situated (subject to the Payment of the just funeral and testamentary expenses) to my husband William George STUART absolutely provided always that showed my husband predecease me then and in such case I leave the whole of my estate to my sons and

daughters who survive me in equal shares, share and share alike. As witness my hand this 4th day of December 1920 signed by the said Matilda STUART (her signature). I WILLIAM GEORGE STUART of Karamea in New Zealand Farmer ---that Matilda STUART of Karamea in New Zealand Married Woman now deceased etc. died Westport 18th January 1937. Value of estate £370

(Reference Archives of NZ Matilda STUART probate record place Karamea occupation married women court Wellington filed date 13 April 1937 probate number 60409 type Will)

1938 Buller Electoral Roll

- William George STUART Karamea farmer
- Albert Edward STUART Karamea sawmiller
- Joseph William STUART Karamea bushman
- Leonard James STUART High Street Karamea lorry driver
- Mary Agnes STUART Karamea married
- Nesta Irene STUART Karamea married

(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

1941 Buller Electoral Roll

- William George STUART Karamea farmer
- Leonard James STUART Karamea lorry driver
- Albert Edward Carroll Street Runanga miner

(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

1943 Buller Electoral Roll

- William George STUART Carroll Street Runanga farmer
- Albert Edward STUART Carroll Street Runanga miner
- Mary STUART Duncan Street Runanga married

(Reference Christchurch Public Library microfiche of NZ Electoral rolls)

1946 & 1949 & 1954 Westland Electoral Roll

- William George STUART Carroll Street Runanga farmer
- Albert Edward STUART 8 Carroll Street Runanga miner
- Mary STUART Carroll Street Runanga married

(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

1957 Westland Electoral Roll

- William George STUART 8 Carroll Street Runanga retired

(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

William George STUART age 83 years died 07 June 1959 in the Greymouth District

(Reference RGO NZ death registration 1959 folio 1846 Greymouth district website 1959/27411 age 83 born about 1876)

Press newspaper 09 June 1959

Deaths – STUART William George – On 07 June 1959 at the residence of his son Bert Stuart 8 Carroll Street Runanga beloved husband of the late Mildred Stuart Karamea loved father of George (Seddonville), William and Len (Westport), Percy (Ngakawau), Bert (Runanga), Eileen (Mrs W George Thames), Gladys (Mrs Townsend Tokoroa) in his 84th year. The Funeral will leave the residence of his son Len Stuart Romilly Street Westport following a service at 2.30 pm. This day (Tuesday) for the Crowaiti Cemetery. Les Patterson and Son Ltd

(Reference Papers past website Press newspaper 09 June 1959 page 1)

This is the last Will and Testament of me, WILLIAM GEORGE STUART formerly of Karamea but now of Runanga in the Provincial District of Nelson on the Dominion of New Zealand

Farmer. I revoke all former Wills and Testamentary dispositions by me made and declare this to be my last Will. I appoint my son ALBERT STUART of Runanga Miner to be the Executor of this my Will. I Give devise and bequeath the whole of my Estate of whatsoever nature and wheresoever situate (subject to the payment of my just debts funeral and testamentary expenses) to my son ALBERT STUART absolutely. As witness my hand this 28th day of May 1945. Signed by the said WILLIAM GEORGE STUART

(Reference Archive NZ Christchurch Office Probate file Greymouth CAIF 3387 CH300 Box 21 GM 3511/1959)

Note: I have only transcribed a portion of the complete probate documentation.

Orowaiti Cemetery Headstone Row 5 plot 79

In Loving memory of
Matilda beloved wife of W G STUART
died January 18 1937 age 59 years.
At rest. Erected by her loving family.
William George beloved husband of M STUART
died June 7 1959 age 84 years. At rest

(Reference NZSG Cemetery transcript microfiche 625 P01.10 p66)

William & Matilda STUART their children and descendants

1- George Leslie STUART born 20 October 1896 Major's Creek Braidwood New South Wales Australia died 11 November 1964 Mokihinui Westcoast New Zealand married 08 June 1918 Mokihinui Granity District New Zealand **Annie Sharp BOYD** born 06 March 1901 Westcoast New Zealand died 27 April 1982 New Plymouth New Zealand refer chart 6-7

2- Joseph William STUART born 15 August 1898 Braidwood NSW Australia died 02 August 1974 Westport New Zealand married 24 December 1918 Nelson New Zealand **Mary Agnes SIMPSON** born 27 November 1895 place unknown died 31 March 1990 Westport New Zealand

#Joseph William STUART was born about 1898 in Braidwood NSW Australia reference Australian NSW RGO birth registration 1898 record 19670 Braidwood District

#Joseph William STUART married 1918 New Zealand Mary Agnes SIMPSON reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1918 folio 5995

#1943 Buller Electoral Roll Joseph William STUART bushman Nine Mile Road Westport & Mary Agnes STUART married Nine Mile road Westport reference Christchurch Public Library microfiche of NZ Electoral rolls

#4 September 1946 Coal prospecting licence - Joseph William STUART, William Stirling CLARK and Alfred HIGGINS were granted a licence to prospect of coal by warden of Karamea Archibald Albany MCLACHAN. A rental of two shillings and sixpence per acre or fractional part of an acre per annum payable held yearly in advance. First schedule - The area of land containing 39 acres more or less situated in section 17 block II Ohika survey district commencing at a point distant 120 chains in a north-north easterly direction from the Te Kuha Railway Station and bounded as follows, First in a north easterly direction for a distance of 10 chains thence easterly 30 chains thence south westerly 30 chains thence north westerly 20 chains to the point of commencement. Second schedule - The licensees shall commence vigorous prospecting operations on the land within in one month from the date hereof and shall expend no less than £20 per month on such prospecting during current licence. A report of the work done and the results obtained shall be forwarded to the inspector of mines at the end of eachthis during the currency of this licence. The licence shall deposit the sum of £20 as security for compliance with the conditions of the license to be forfeited in the event of non-compliance. The Licenses shall not cut any timber from the watershed of Ballarat Creek and shall not permit any

drainage of debris from operations to enter the watershed of the said creek. Consented to at Wellington this 13th day of August 1946. Also Renewal of the within licence for a term of one year from 4 September 1947 is hereby consented to Dated at Wellington this 11th day of December 1947 rreference Archives NZ Christchurch Office Agency CAIM accession CH624 box 4 record 11975

#Joseph William STUART died 02 August 1974 Westport district New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1974 folio website 1974/

#This is the last will and testament of me JOSEPH WILLIAM STUART of Westport, retired Farmer. I hereby revoke all will and testamentary dispositions heretofore at any time made by me. I give devise and bequest all the real and personal property of whatsoever kind and whatsoever situate which I shall possessed of or entitled to or over which UI may have any disposing power at the time of my death unto wife MARY AGNES STUART and I appoint my said wife to be the sole executrix of this will. In witness whereof I have to this last will and testament set my hand this 4th day of July 1974. Signed by Joseph William STUART rreference Archives NZ Christchurch Office Probate Greymouth agency CAIF series 3387 accession CH300 box 35 record GM 120/1974

#Mary Agnes STUART died 31 March 1990 Westport district New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1990 folio website 1990/

#1990 Greymouth High Court (died 31 March 1990) This is the last will of me Mary Agnes STUART of Westport in New Zealand married women (widow). Il give and devise and bequeath the whole of my estate of whatever nature and whatever situate to such of them my children (including GRACE ELLEN EGGERS, REGINALD ALBERT STUART, KEVIN LEONARD STUART, JOSEPH GORDON STUART, JAMES ROYAL STUART, RAYMOND STUART, BRUCE DONALD STUART, PATRICIA MARGARET FLEMING, HECTOR DESMOND STUART and JOHN LESLIE STUART) as are living at my death and if more than one in equal shares Provided however and I declare that should any child of mine predecease me leaving a child or children living at my death then and in every such case such grandchildren or grandchildren of mine shall take and if more than one in equal shares the share or interest which is her or their parent would have taken under this paragraph 3 had such parent been living at my death. Signed and dated 16 February 1962 rreference Archives NZ Christchurch Office Probate Greymouth agency CAIF series 3387 accession CH845 Box 15 record GM 60/1990

#Westport Orowaiti Cemetery Row 1 Plot 610 - In loving memory of JOSEPH WILLIAM STUART died 2 August 1974 aged 75 years. MARY AGNES STUART died 31 March 1990 aged 93 years At Rest - Reference National Library of NZ microfiche cemetery transcripts supplement to Headstone NZSG P01.11 microfiche 883 31/94 3044

2-1-Grace Ellen STUART born 18 April 1919 Wellington New Zealand died 08 October 1974 Nelson New Zealand married Robert Henry EGGERS born 1931 place unknown died 18 May 2005 New Zealand

#Grace Ellen STUART born 1919 reference RGO NZ birth registration 1919 folio 2472 June quarter Wellington website 1919/11131 parents Mary Agnes and William Joseph Stuart

2-2- Henry William (Harry) STUART born 1921 New Zealand

#Henry William STUART born 1921 reference RGO NZ birth registration 1921 folio 2472 June quarter Wellington website 1921/22340 parents Mary Agnes and William Joseph Stuart

2-3- Reginald Albert STUART born 12 February 1923 Karamea New Zealand died 2009 New Zealand

#Reginald Albert STUART born 12 February 1923 reference RGO NZ birth registration 1923 folio 1122 March quarter Karamea

2-4- Kevin Leonard STUART born 03 May 1924 Karamea New Zealand died 29 October 2015 Greymouth New Zealand married 1947 New Zealand Isabella HENDERSON born 1925 New Zealand died 07 January 1998 Reefton New Zealand

- #Kevin Leonard STUART born 03 May 1924 reference RGO NZ birth registration 1924 folio 4661 September quarter Karamea
#Kevin Leonard STUART died 2015 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 2015 folio website 2015/29569 born 03 May 1924
- 2-5- Joseph Gordon STUART born 15 April 1926 Karamea New Zealand died 2013 New Zealand
#Joseph Gordon STUART born 15 April 1926 reference RGO NZ birth registration 1926 folio 3011 June quarter Karamea
- 2-6- James Royal STUART born 1929 Karamea New Zealand
#James Royal STUART born 1929 reference RGO NZ birth registration 1929 folio 6391 December quarter Karamea
- 2-7- Raymond STUART born 08 May 1932 Karamea New Zealand died 31 August 1995 Hokitika New Zealand married about 1954-1958 West Coast New Zealand Nancy BOWE
#Raymond STUART born 08 May 1932 reference RGO NZ birth registration 1932 folio 2723 June quarter Karamea
- 2-8- John Leslie STUART born 17 October 1935 New Zealand died 2014 New Zealand
#John Leslie STUART died 2014 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 2014 folio website 2014/4168 born 17 October 1935
- 2-9- Bruce Donald STUART born 1938 Buller New Zealand
#Bruce Donald STUART born 1938 reference RGO NZ birth registration 1938 folio 2919 June quarter Buller
- 2-10- Patricia Margaret STUART born 17 March 1941 New Zealand died 22 July 2010 New Zealand married Kevin FLEMING married RYAN
#Patricia Margaret STUART born 1941 reference RGO NZ birth registration 1941 folio 3588 June quarter Buller
- 2-11- Hector Desmond STUART born 1946 Buller New Zealand
#Hector Desmond STUART born 1946 reference RGO NZ birth registration 1946 folio 1697 March quarter Buller
- 3- Gladleys / Gladys STUART** born 03 December 1900 New Zealand died 03 August 1902 New Zealand (died young never married)
#Gladleys STUART born 1901 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1901 folio website 1901/20061 parents Matilda and William George STUART
#Gladys STUART died 03 August 1902 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1902 folio website 1902/5419 age 1 years born about 1901
- 4- Percival STUART** born 04 November 1901 Karamea New Zealand died 18 January 1983 Seddonville Westcoast New Zealand married 1927 New Zealand **Emily Keturah JONES** born 18 June 1905 died 20 July 1974 Westcoast New Zealand
#Percival STUART born 04 November 1901 Karamea New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1902 folio website 1902/3336 parents Matilda and William George Stuart
#Emily Keturah JONES born 18 June 1905 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1905 folio website 1905/7264 parents Margaret Ann and Meyrick Llewellyn Jones
#Percival STUART married 1927 Seddonville New Zealand Emily Keturah JONES reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1927 folio 05020 website 1927/4971
#1943 Buller Electoral Roll Percival STUART miner Seddonville & Emily Keturah STUART married Seddonville reference Christchurch Public Library microfiche of NZ Electoral rolls
#Emily Keturah STUART died 20 July 1974 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1974 folio website 1974/41024 born 18 June 1905
#Percival STUART died 18 January 1983 Seddonville New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1983 folio website 1983/43887 born 04 November 1901

- #Percival STUART occupation retired place Westport court Christchurch 1983 probate reference Archives NZ Christchurch 1983 probate agency CAIF series 3387 accession CH845 box 5 record 14/1983 item code 15296835
- #Mokihinui Cemetery Westcoast - Wife and mother Emily K STUART died 20 July 1974 aged 69 years Husband and Father Percival STUART died 18 January 1983 aged 81 years reference NZSG Cemetery transcripts microfiche P01.06 item 84
- 4-1- Geoffrey Meyrick STUART born 04 February 1933 New Zealand died 1986 New Zealand
- 5- Albert Edward STUART** born 09 November 1903 Kumara New Zealand died 18 August 1974 New Zealand married 1939 New Zealand **Mary STACEY** 20 July 1916 place unknown died 1998 Nelson New Zealand
- #Albert Edward STUART born 09 November 1903 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1904 folio website 1904/6035 parents Matilda and William George Stuart
- #Albert Edward STUART of Karamea bushman granted Hand-sawing and Timber-cutting Warrant dated at Westport 10 January 1922 for a term of six month fee payable £3. All that parcel of land containing Twenty acres more or less situated in Block IX Oparara S.D. as per sketch plan annexed hereto and starting at its westerly point a distance of 15 chains from the Oparara road due North 20 chains then westerly 10 chains then Southerly 20 chains then easterly a distance of 10 chains returning to starting point reference Archives NZ Christchurch Office Westport Warden Court CH80/71c 5862 Licence warrant hand-sawing etc 1922
- #Albert STUART Westland Warden Court 1925. I requested this document but the Archivist came back and told me the document is missing rreference Archives NZ Christchurch Office Westport Warden Court CH80/71e 7048 License residence site 1925
- #Albert Edward STUART married 1939 New Zealand Mary STACEY reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1939 folio website 1939/8938
- #1943 Buller Electoral Roll - Albert Edward STUART miner Carroll Street Runanga reference Christchurch Public Library microfiche of NZ Electoral rolls
- #Albert Edward STUART age 70 years (born about 1904) died 18 August 1974 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1974 folio website 1974/49547 born 09 November 1903
- #Albert Edward STUART died 18 August 1974 cremated 20 August 1974 Whakapuaka cemetery Nelson undertaker Day
- #Mary STUART died 28 December 1998 Nelson New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1999 folio website 1999/319 born 20 July 1916
- #Mary STUART age 82 years died 28 December 1998 cremated Whakapuaka cemetery Nelson undertaker Shone & Shirley clergy Ray McConchie
- 6- Eileen Beatrice STUART** born 04 September 1905 New Zealand died 29 December 1988 New Zealand married 1929 New Zealand **William GEORGE** born 07 November 1902 place unknown died 1995 New Zealand
- #Eileen Beatrice STUART born 14 August 1905 or 04 September 1905 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1905 folio website 1905/7250 parents Matilda and William George Stuart
- #Eileen STUART birth date 14 August 1904 parents William Stuart address Kirkland H School Wakari admission date 07 February 1910 reference Wakari School register number 0092
- #Eileen Beatrice STUART married 1929 New Zealand William GEORGE reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1929 folio 02563
- #Eileen Beatrice GEORGE died 29 December 1988 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1988 folio website 1988/47961 born 04 September 1905
- #William GEORGE died 1995 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1995 folio website 1995/36105 born 07 November 1902

- 7- Gladys Mary STUART** born 29 November 1908 Karamea New Zealand died 09 September 1985 Tokoroa New Zealand married 1933 New Zealand **Frances William TOWNSEND** born 1907 Orpington Kent England died 20 October 1977 Tokoroa New Zealand
#Gladys Mary STUART born 29 November 1908 Karamea New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1909 folio website 1909/5016 parents Matilda and William George Stuart
#Gladys Mary STUART married 1933 New Zealand Frances William TOWNSEND reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1933 folio 4918 website 1933/3653
#Gladys Mary TOWNSEND age 76 died 09 September 1985 buried Tokoroa Lawn Cemetery Waikato also Francis William TOWNSEND age 70 died 20 October 1977 loved husband of Gladys Mary TOWNSEND
- 7-1- John Maurice TOWNSEND born 19 September 1934 Waikato New Zealand died 02 September 1985 Auckland New Zealand married Olive Noelene JOHANSEN born 07 December 1935 Auckland New Zealand died 04 October 2020 Christchurch New Zealand
- 8- Leonard James STUART** born 13 September 1910 Karamea Buller New Zealand died 19/22 January 1983 Charleston New Zealand married 1930 New Zealand **Nesta Irene Stewart LOWE** born 10 April 1910 New Zealand died 2000 New Zealand
#Leonard James STUART born 1910 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1910 folio website 1910/23050 parents Matilda and William George Stuart
#Neita [sic] Irene Stewart LOWE born 10 April 1910 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1910 folio website 1910/13144 parents Mary and Christopher Lowe
#Leonard James STUART married 1930 New Zealand Nesta Irene Stewart LOWE reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1930 folio 02941
#Leonard James STUART, Service number 416374, Service Royal New Zealand Air Force, Rank Leading Aircraftsman, Date of birth 13 September 1910 Karamea Buller New Zealand, Date of Death 19 January 1983 Charleston New Zealand, Enlisted 18 November 1941, Discharged 10 August 1943, NZ Service 18 November 1941 to 26 November 1941, 25 April 1942 to 10 August 1943, Overseas service 27 November 1941 to 24 April 1942, Total service 1 year 266 days, Religion Presbyterian, Personal On enlistment age 31 years 66 days, married (5 children) height 5 feet 10 ½ inches, hair brown, eyes blue, complexion fresh tanned, occupation Tractor Driver shovel ditcher, employer PWD Westport address 34 Romilly Street Westport parents both born Australia, On discharge address 34 Romily Street Westport reference New Zealand Defence Force Archives Trentham Military Camp Upper Hutt personnel files
#1943 Buller Electoral Roll - Leonard James STUART lorry drive 34 Romilly Street Westport & Nesta Irene STUART married Romilly Street Westport reference Christchurch Public Library microfiche of NZ Electoral rolls
#Leonard James STUART died 22 January 1983 West Coast New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1983 folio website 1983/
#Leonard James STUART occupation retired place Westport Court Christchurch/Greymouth 1983 Probate reference Archives NZ Christchurch Office 1983 probate agency CAIF series 3387 accession CH845 box 5 record 15/1983 item code 15296836
#Orowaiti Cemetery Headstone plot RSA - STUART Leonard James 72 years died 22 January 1983 416374 LAC RNZAF reference NZSG Cemetery P01.14 Fiche 627
#Nesta Irene Stewart STUART died 2000 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 2000 folio website 2000/14920 born 10 April 1910
- 8-1- Ronald Leslie STUART born 07 September 1930 Karamea New Zealand died 2020 New Zealand
#Ronald Leslie STUART died 2020 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 2020 folio website 2020/1841 born 07 September 1930

- 8-2- Lionel Mervyn STUART born 04 September 1932 Karamea New Zealand
#Lionel Mervyn STUART died 2011 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 2011 folio website 2011/2273 born 04 September 1932
- 8-3- Irene Dawn STUART born 27 June 1934 Karamea New Zealand
- 8-4- Peggy STUART born 24 September 1935 Karamea New Zealand died 2018 New Zealand married Kenneth George REAY-MACKEY born 03 February 1936 place unknown died 2013 New Zealand
#Peggy REAY-MACKEY died 2018 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 2018 folio website 2018/11264 born 24 November 1935
- 8-5- Brian James STUART born 27 April 1938 Karamea New Zealand

STUART & FENTON miscellaneous information

New Zealand Electoral Rolls & Directories

1943 Westland Electoral Roll

- Agnes Frances STUART married Stafford Street Hokitika
- Allan STUART labourer Main street Kumara
(Reference Christchurch Public Library microfiche of NZ Electoral rolls)

1943 Buller Electoral Roll

- Mary STUART married Duncan Street Runanga
(Reference Christchurch Public Library microfiche of NZ Electoral rolls)

1905 Karamea Nelson NZ Towns NZPO Directory page 429

- Jos FENSOM sleeper cutter

1906 Karamea Nelson NZ Towns NZPO Directory page 449

- Wm STEWART sleeper cutter
- Jos FENSOM sleeper cutter
- Wm FENSOM sleeper cutter

1907 Karamea Nelson NZ Towns NZPO Directory page 465

- Wm STEWART sleeper cutter
- Jos FENSOM sleeper cutter
- Wm FENSOM sleeper cutter

1908 Karamea Nelson NZ Towns NZPO Directory page 486

- Wm STEWART sleeper cutter
- Jos FENSOM sleeper cutter
- Wm FENSOM sleeper cutter

1909 Karamea Nelson NZ Towns NZPO Directory page 515

- Wm STEWART sleeper cutter
- Jos FENSOM sleeper cutter

Kaikorai School records

- George STUART born 08 May 1881 parent Geo. L. Stuart address City Rd Roslyn admission date 18 July 1892 last school Caversham last day 12 December 1892 destination word
(Reference Archives NZ Dunedin Office Reg. No. 269 comment HKN AG 71/3/0269 NZSG Dunedin)

Marriage records in New Zealand

- William STUART married Catherine McRAE 1891 folio 3681
- George STUART married Eva MARTIN 1910 Folio 4969
- Sylvia Isabel FENSON married George Robert HEWISON 1929 Folio 05206

Probate records

- Desmond Noel FENTON probate record place Picton occupation Grocer court Blenheim probate number 75/83 filed date 20 May 1983 type Will held at Blenheim Court perhaps now Archives NZ Christchurch Office
- Joseph FENSOM (indexed FENSON) of Karamea in the district of Nelson under the Mental Act 1911 the document certifies that he be detained in a Public Institution and that the Public Trust for Greymouth is entitled to the possession and management of the estate of the patient. Signed and dated 12 October 1929 = 1929 Supreme Court of New Zealand Westport

(Reference Archives NZ Christchurch Office Westport agency CAIF series 20704 accession CH300 Box 80 record 598/1929)

- There was a probate and will for Alexander Cumming STUART a Settler of Kumara (died on or about 23 December 1890) dated 1891 where he leaves everything to his friend Hugh THOMAS settler of Arahura.

(Reference Archives NZ Christchurch Office probate Hokitika Agency CAIF series 20702 item CH300 box 48 record HK 402/1891)

New Zealand Cemetery Records

- Mary FENTON Mrs NZSG Cemetery = Fiche P01.04 Page Headstone & Burial Karamea Cemetery

- Alberta May STUART 4 Years buried 15 March 1932 Block XIII plot 353 Greymouth cemetery

- Grace STUART Sec.1 Row 6 No. 13
- Leslie STUART Sec.1 Row 6 No. 13
- William STUART Sec.2 Row 19 No. 20

Westport Orowaiti Cemetery

- In loving memory of GEOFFREY MYRICK STUART a loving husband 18th October 1986 age 53 3258 Row A1 Plot 12 = Supplement to Headstone NZSG P01.11 Microfiche 883 31/94

Hokitika Headstones to 1980

- Rfm. R.J. STUART Rifle Brigade Died 24 May 1963 = 550 19065
- In loving memory of PAUL STUART loved father of VICKY and BARRY died 24 March 1962 age 31 = 1270 Row 40
- Rfm. T.J. STUART Rifle Brigade died 19 November 1948 N.Z.E.F. and South Africa War = 1438 Row 4 G.W.V. 2880
- Sacred to the memory of SHIRLEY FAY beloved daughter of VERNICE and ROBERT JOHN STUART died 06 April 1945 age 15 = 1798 Row 25
- MARY ELIZABETH STUART native of Westhurg Tasmania Died 31 January –32 age 83. EVA MARY BURGER native of Westbury Tasmania died 11 December 1939 age 83 = 1804 Row 25
- In loving memory of JAMES STUART native of Dumbarton Scotland died 16 October 1916 age 73 = 1805 Row 25
- In loving memory of DAVID P STUART 1876-1951. AGNES P STUART 1878-1953. FRANCIS P STUART 1911-1942 = 1970 Row 2

(Reference National Library of New Zealand microfiche of New Zealand Cemeteries Hokitika Headstones to 1980 44/81 Reference P04.06 NZSG Microfiche251-252)