# Alexander LECKY and Mary REID Arrived about 1861 Dunedin New Zealand

(Weblink LK Lecky Reid about 1862 Dunedin 110)

## Alexander LECKY

B about 1817 Scotland

D 29 October 1867 Dunedin New Zealand

1<sup>st</sup> M about 1837 Scotland (perhaps 1 issue)

2<sup>nd</sup> M 14 March 1864 Dunedin (1 issue)

# Wife unknown

B Scotland

D before 1864

# **Mary REID**

B About 1833-34

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1<sup>st</sup> M 14 March 1864 Dunedin (1 Issue)

2<sup>nd</sup> M 07 March 1868 Dunedin NZ (Prout Issue unknown)

## Richard PROUT

**B About 1830** 

D unknown

#### Children:

- Matilda Ann LECKY born about 1848 Scotland died 01 August 1914 Dunedin NZ married about 26 January 1865 Dunedin NZ John Henry BUNCE
- 2. Sarah LECKY born about 14 June 1864 Dunedin

# The Family History of Alexander LECKY and 1<sup>st</sup> wife unknown also Mary Ann REID

Alexander LECKY or LECKIE was born about 1817 in Scotland

Alexander LECKY or LECKIE married his first wife about 1837 in Scotland

Alexander and his first wife had a daughter Letitia LECKIE who was born 11 November 1838 Dumbarton Scotland

**ORDER** (Source NZSG Pedigree collection PED 690572 Birth)

Alexander and his first wife had a daughter Matilda Ann LECKY who was born about 1848 Scotland

SEARCH (Reference RGO Scotland birth registration 1848

SEARCH 1851 & 1861 census Scotland and Alexander's wife died before 1864

Alexander LECKY or LECKIE arrived in New Zealand unknown but settled in Dunedin around 1862

Mary Ann Reid was born about 1833 arrived in New Zealand unknown but settled in Dunedin around 1861

Intention to Marry 14 March 1864 Dunedin district

Alexander LECKY widower occupation Miner age 47 years dwelled in Dunedin for 18 months and Mary REID spinster age 30 years dwelled in Dunedin for 2 years intend to marry in the house of Francis BOUSTRIDGE St Andrews Street Dunedin by Rev Thomas BURNS.

(Reference Archives NZ Intention to marry 1864 agency BDM series 20 item 9 page 357-77 Dunedin district)

Alexander LECKY married Mary REID 1864 in Dunedin **ORDER** (Reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1864 folio 1437 Dunedin district)

Intention to Marry 02 July 1864 Dunedin district

Letitia LECKIE spinster age 25 years dwelled in Dunedin for 18 months and Alexander REID bachelor Fruiterer age 30 years dwelled in Dunedin for 2 years intend to marry in the house of Alexander REID High Street Dunedin by Rev R Connebee.

(Reference Archives NZ Intention to marry 1864 agency BDM series 20 item 9 page 373-206 Dunedin district)

Alexander daughter from his first marriage Matilda Ann LECKY married John Henry BUNCE 1865 Dunedin

ORDER (Reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1864 folio 1681 Dunedin district)

Intention to marry 26 January 1865 Dunedin district

Matilda Ann LECKY spinster age 17 years dwelled in Dunedin for 2 years and John Henry BUNCE bachelor Plumber age 31 years dwelled in Dunedin for 3 years intend to marry in the Episopal Church Dunedin by Rev E G Edwards. Alexander LECKY father gave consent for the minor to marry.

(Reference Archives NZ Intention to marry 1865 agency BDM series 20 item 10 page 406-30 Dunedin district)

Alexander LECKY age 51 years died on 29 October 1867 in Dunedin **ORDER** (Reference RGO NZ death registration 1867 folio 584 Dunedin district)

Dunedin Southern cemetery block 4 plot 248

Erected by Matilda A BUNCE in memory of her father **Alexander LECKY** who died 29 Oct 1867 aged 51 years. Matilda Harriet daughter of John and Matilda BUNCE d 11 Jun 1899 aged 22 years. Matilda Ann BUNCE wife of John H BUNCE d 1 Aug 1914 aged 65 years. John Henry Lion BUNCE husband of above d 1 Jun 1915 aged 85 years.

(Reference National Library of NZ microfiche cemetery transcripts burial original reference S18671031 Dunedin)

Alexander's widow Mary LECKIE formerly REID married Richard PROUT 1868 in Dunedin.

ORDER (Reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1867 folio 1983 Dunedin District)

Intention to Marry 07 March 1867 Dunedin district

Mary LECKIE widow age 35 years dwelled in Dunedin for 6 years and Richard PROUT bachelor Seaman age 38 years dwelled in Dunedin 2 years intend to marry in the Knox Church Dunedin by the Rev D M Stuart.

(Reference Archives NZ Intention to marry 1867 agency BDM series 20 item 13 page 554-47 Dunedin district)

From 1872 to 1876 Information on the Roslyn & Dunedin Electoral Rolls Dunedin record Richard PROUT. He also is recorded on the 1878 Caversham Electoral roll Great King Street part of section 31 block 11.

**ORDER** Richard PROUT died 1880. His probate records can be found at Archives NZ Dunedin office Richard PROUT place The Glen Dunedin occupation General dealer died 1880 probate number 768 filed date 02 April 1880 Will reference agency DAAC 9073 D239 768

Alexander LECKY and his 1st wife their daughter and descendants

1- Matilda Ann LECKY born about 1848 Scotland died 01 August 1914 Dunedin NZ married about 26 January 1865 Dunedin NZ John Henry Lyon BUNCE born about 1830 died 01 June 1915 Dunedin NZ

- 1-1- Henry Lyon BUNCE born 07 August 1868 Dunedin died 1955 Oamaru married 1903 (folio 6296) Agnes Bruce MESTON or 1918 (folio 6112) Edith Jane WILSON
- 1-1- Alexander Leckie BUNCE born unknown died 04 October 1898 Dunedin NZ
- 1-2- Arthur J BUNCE born unknown died 09 February 1874 Dunedin NZ
- 1-3- Matilda Harriet BUNCE born about 1877 Dunedin died 11 Jun 1899 aged 22 years Dunedin

Matilda Ann LECKY was born about 1848 Scotland

Matilda Ann LECKY arrived in New Zealand and settled in Dunedin about 1862

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Matilda Ann LECKY married John Henry BUNCE 01 September 1865 Dunedin **ORDER** (Reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1864 folio 1681 Dunedin district)

**ORDER** NZSG certificate collection John Henry BUNCE date 01 September 1865 Dunedin Otago New Zealand Reference CTF 031590-246

**ORDER** NZSG certificate collection Matilda Ann LECKY-BUNCE and John Henry and Henry Lyon BUNCE date 07 August 1868 Dunedin Otago New Zealand Reference CTF 03540-716

1867, 1867-68, 1868-69 Dunedin City Electoral Roll for John Henry BUNCE address King Street Dunedin

187071, 1871-72, 1872-73 Dunedin City Electoral Roll for John Henry BUNCE address Stafford Dunedin

1878 Caversham Electoral Roll for John H BUNCE City of Dunedin Electorate lease hold section 12 block 2 18 years to run

Matilda and John had a daughter Matilda Harriet BUNCE was born about 1877 Dunedin **SEARCH** (Reference RGO NZ birth registration 1877 folio

High Street School Dunedin 1888

Matilda Harriet BUNCE birth date 10 years 7 months parent John Bunce address Club Reserve admission date 30 January 1888 register number 0018 Last school Kensington P S Last day 02 October 1891 Destination Home comment HKN AG 167/2/0018 Dunedin branch NZSG

1893 City of Dunedin Electoral roll page 36 John Henry BUNCE Plumber residential Stafford Street Dunedin

Matilda Ann BUNCE formerly LECKY died on 01 August 1914 Dunedin NZ **SEARCH** (Reference RGO NZ death registration 1914 folio

**ORDER** Matilda Ann BUNCE place Dunedin occupation wife of John Henry Bunce Dunedin court probate number 2672 filed date 07 August 1914 type WILL Archives NZ Dunedin office reference DAAC 9075 D239 2672

John Henry Lion BUNCE died on the 01 June 1915 age 85 years Dunedin NZ **SEARCH** (Reference RGO NZ death registration 1915 folio

**ORDER** John Henry BUNCE place Dunedin occupation Plumber death date 01 June 1915 Dunedin court probate number 3070 filed date 08 June 1915 type WILL Archives NZ Dunedin office reference DAAC 9075 D239 3070

Block 4 plot 248 at the Southern cemetery Dunedin was purchased by John BUNCE on 10 May 1876 and records state that there are four burials which could be [1] 4 Oct 1864 or Oct 1898 Alexander Leckie BUNCE [2] 31 Oct 1867 Alexander LECKIE [3] 9 Feb 1874 Arthur E BUNCE (fee suggests a child) and [4] 2 Jun 1915 John Henry Lion BUNCE. The family also purchased plot 247 where perhaps Matilda is buried.

# Dunedin Southern cemetery block 4 plots 247 & 248

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(Reference National Library of NZ microfiche cemetery transcripts headstone tall unusual sandstone, inscription is not incised painted on in black and probably the stone was once painted pink solid edges original refS18671031)

## Miscellaneous LECKIE information

I thought that Letitia LECKY/LECKIE below was related to Alexander LECKY/LECKIE above but perhaps her husband Alexander REID may have been related to Mary REID who married the above Alexander LECKY. It was thanks to another LECKIE researcher who contacted me and kindly gave me the correct genealogy.

0- Letitia LECKY / LECKIE born 11 November 1838 Dumbarton Scotland died New Zealand married about 02 July 1864 Dunedin New Zealand Alexander REID born about 1834 died New Zealand

Letitia LECKIE was born 11 November 1838 Dumbarton Scotland. Her parents were Letitia formerly DYER and Thomas LECKIE. This information was kindly given to me by another LECKIE researcher who descends from Letitia's brother Thomas born 1840.

## Parish of Bonhill County of Dunbarton Scotland = LECKIE

Letitia daughter of Thomas Leckie, and Letitia Dyer in Bonhill born 11<sup>th</sup> Nov" 1838 Thomas lawful son of ditto, born 21 March 1840

(Reference Parish of Bonhill County of Dumbarton Old Parochial Register Scotland from Leckie researcher and descendant of Thomas LECKIE)

## 1861 census Crescent Nairns Land Bonhill Dumbartonshire Scotland

- Letitia LECKIE head age 23 occupation Printwork Calico Grounder born about 1838 Bonhill Dumbartonshire
- Thomas LECKIE age 21 brother occupation Printwork (ap) Printer born about 1840 Bonhill Dumbartonshire
- John LEKIE age 14 brother occupation Printwork Dyshouse Lab born about 1847 Bonhill Dumbartonshire
- Jane STEVENSON age 22 boarder occupation Printwork Grounder born about 1839

(Reference National Library of NZ Ancestry 1861 Census registration district 493 Bonhill Dumbartonshire ED1 household 14)

List of assisted females per ship "Sevilla" Glasgow to Otago New Zealand sailed 01 August 1861 arrived Auckland 26 February 1861 (Troopships for Maori Wars) Letitia LECKIE age 23 years Ticket 2/98

(Reference Archives NZ Wellington Office agency OP 8/1 UA5c No 37 Otago Province)

"Sevilla" 12 November 1862

Register of Debtors to the Provincial Government of Otago for passage & money No 2543 Letitia LECKIE £7.10.0.

(Reference Archives NZ Wellington office Misc. 43 p 10 "Sevilla" 1862 Misc.)

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Letitia LECKIE married Alexander REID 1864 in Dunedin.

ORDER (Reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1864 folio 1288 Dunedin district)

Alexander REID may have been related to Mary REID who married Alexander LECKY.

Alexander REID 1865 Dunedin Electoral Roll

Alexander REID

**ORDER** (Source Dictionary of New Zealand Biography Volume 1 & 2 Index)

**ORDER** Probate Records Name Alexander REID Court Auckland Reference BBAE 1952 1 p116/54 Probate number 1 p116/54 filed date 26 May 1954

SEARCH To date I have been unable to locate a death for Letitia REID formerly LECKY.