

## Alexander SPELLER & Melville Osmutz BLACKWELL Genealogy

### Alexander SPELLER

B 02 February 1884 Shoreditch London England

D 08 November 1952 Auckland New Zealand

M 31 July 1909 York USA

### Melville Osmutz / Olmra BLACKWELL

B 1889 South Norwood Croydon Surrey England

D 09 August 1979 Victoria Canada

1. Children unknown

Alexander SPELLER was born 02 February 1884 Shoreditch London England. His parents were Leah LOWE and Charles SPELLER.

*(Reference Ancestry website RGO UK birth registration 1884 March quarter district Shoreditch County London volume 1c p 94)*

1891 Census District Metropolitan Hospital St Peters De Beauvoir Town West Hackney Hackney London England

- Alexander SPELLER Patient (Institutional) single age 8 School born about 1883 London

*(Reference Ancestry website 1891 Census District Metropolitan Hospital St Peters De Beauvoir Town West Hackney Hackney London England piece 190 folio 102 page 5)*

Alexander SPELLER age 10 born 02 January 1884 Gayhurst Road School Hackney England admission 08 January 1894 parent Charles Speller address 4 Town Hall Terrace. Gayhurst School opened in 1894 and became Gayhurst Primary School in 1951. Also on the school roll were Vernon Speller born 09 November 1881 and Stuart Speller born 20 May 1886.

*(Reference Ancestry website School records)*

Alexander SPELLER age 12 born 02 January 1884 Gayhurst Road School London admission date 19 October 1896 parent Charles Speller address 4 Town Hall Terrace.

*(Reference Ancestry website School records)*

1901 Census 12 John Street Edmonton Enfield St Andrew Middlesex England

- Edward H SPARKS head married age 23 Painter and Decorator worker born Stoke Newington London
- Adelina SPARKS wife married age 23 born Hoxton London
- Vernon SPELLER brother in law single age 19 lock-maker worker born Hoxton London
- Alexander SPELLER brother in law age 17 lock-maker born about 1882 Hoxton London

*(Reference Ancestry website 1901 Census 12 John Street Edmonton Enfield St Andrew Middlesex England ED 03 piece 1270 folio 56 page 13 household 81)*

Alexander SPELLER arrived in Canada around 1907

Melville Olmars BLACKWELL born 1889 South Norwood Croydon Surrey England

*(Reference Ancestry website RGO UK birth registration 1889 September quarter district Croydon County Surrey volume 2a page 253)*

1891 Census Thowery Lane Eton St Bucks Iver St Peter Iver Buckinghamshire England

- William J (James) BLACKWELL head married age 24 Brick-maker born Walthamstow Essex
- Ellen BLACKWELL wife married age 24 Southall Middlesex England
- Ellen C BLACKWELL daughter age 4 On sea
- Melville O BLACKWELL daughter age 1 born about 1890 South Norwood Surrey England

*(Reference Ancestry website 1891 Census 1891 Census Thowery Lane Eton St Bucks Iver St Peter Buckinghamshire England ED7 piece 1133 folio 90 page 6)*

1901 Census Orchard Place Eton St Bucks Iver St Peter Buckinghamshire England

- William BLACKWELL head married age 34 Labourer in Buckfield born Walthamstow Essex
- Ellen BLACKWELL wife married age 34 Southall Middlesex England

- Ellen C BLACKWELL daughter age 14 Greengrocer own account on voyage to Australia
- Melville BLACKWELL daughter age 11 born about 1890 South Norwood Surrey England
- Mary A BLACKWELL daughter age 9 born Iver Buckinghamshire England
- William BLACKWELL son age 6 born Woodfreen Middlesex England
- Ivor BLACKWELL son age 4 born Iver Buckinghamshire England
- James BLACKWELL son age 2 born Iver Buckinghamshire England

*(Reference Ancestry website 1901 Census Thowery Lane Eton St Bucks Iver St Peter Iver Buckinghamshire England ED4 piece 1339 folio 52 page 15 household 100)*

Melville BLACKWELL left 31 October 1907 Liverpool England via Movable Ireland on the ship Corsican / Iwen Screw Stormes Corsican and arrived 08 November 1907 in Montreal Quebec Canada with her mother and family. The Captain was Thos. PICKERING of the Allan Line.

- Ellen BLACKWELL age 42 (wife going to husband) born England destination Toronto
- Melville BLACKWELL age 18 born England
- Mary BLACKWELL age 16 born England London
- Wm. BLACKWELL age 13 born England
- Ivor BLACKWELL age 11 born England
- Jas BLACKWELL age 9 born England
- Richard BLACKWELL age 6 born England
- Edna BLACKWELL age 1 born England

*(Reference Ancestry website Canadian Passenger lists 1865-1935)*

Alexander SPELLER married 31 July 1909 York USA to Melville Osmutz BLACKWELL.

1921 Census Laawich British Columbia Canada residence Saanich Ward 5 Nanaimo British Columbia Canada

- Alexander SPELLER head married age 48 born England arrived Canada 1907
- Melville Osmutz SPELLER wife married age 31 born England arrived Canada 1908
- Alexr. William SPELLER son single age 11 born BC
- Lewis Melville SPELLER son single age 9 born BC
- Earl SPELLER son single age 8 born BC
- Stanly Maurice SPELLER son single age 6 born BC
- Ethel Margt SPELLER daughter single age 4 born BC
- Antis Lionel SPELLER son single age 3 months born BC

*(Reference Ancestry website 1921 Census Laawich British Columbia Canada residence Saanich Ward 5 Nanaimo British Columbia Canada)*

Alexander SPELLER born about 1884 departed Montreal Quebec Canada and arrived 06 August 1933 London England

Alexander SPELLER born about 1884 departed 07 October 1933 Southampton England destination Montreal Canada

Alexander SPELLER born about 1884 England departed Southampton England and arrived 16 October 1933 Quebec Canada

Alexander SPELLER died 08 November 1952 Auckland New Zealand.

*(Reference NZ Government website RGO NZ death registration 1953 folio website 1953/17692 age 68 born about 1885)*

Alexander SPELLER died 1952 New Zealand

*(Reference Ancestry website RGO NZ Death registration microfiche 1952 March quarter folio 44 Auckland New Zealand & 1952 December quarter 1953 folio 4008 & 1953 folio 44)*

Waikumete cemetery Auckland

Mr Alexander SPELLER age 63 male died 08 November 1952 burial 13 November 1952 Funeral Director W H Tongue & Son Auckland Headstone yes

*(Reference Auckland Council website Waikumete cemetery online database)*

Waikumete Cemetery Auckland Protestant Lawn A Row 6 plot 73 (26310) Memoriam  
Alexander SPELLER of Victoria B.C. born 2<sup>nd</sup> January 1874 died 8<sup>th</sup> November 1952 plot  
*(Reference Ancestry Website of NZ Society of Genealogists transcripts of Waikumete cemetery Auckland New Zealand)*

Some of the Waikumete cemetery Auckland information are available on the Ancestry website and have Alexander's age as 78 and also 63.

Melville Ormuz SPELLER female age 90 born about 1889 died 09 August 1979 Victoria Canada  
registration number 1979-09-011975 BCA number B13597 GSU number 2055132

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