Robert McGiffert CLELAND and Mary MABEY family

1861 Upper Hutt Storekeeper & 1874 fatal accident Rimutaka Hill son

Robert McGiffert CLELAND

B 1836 Belfast Antrim Northern Ireland D 26 April 1884 Wellington New Zealand M 01 October 1860 New Zealand

Mary MABEY

B 02 April 1839 Branscombe Honiton Devon England

D 21 November 1918 New Zealand

Children:

- 1. Mary McGiffert CLELAND born 04 September 1861 Upper Hutt New Zealand
- 2. Alfred Charles CLELAND born 16 May 1863 Upper Hutt New Zealand
- 3. Harriet Annie CLELAND born 13 May 1865 Wellington New Zealand

Robert McGiffert CLELAND was born 1836 Belfast Antrim Northern Ireland to parents Mary nee McGiffert and Hugh Cleland. Robert's brothers were Hugh Cleland and Joseph McGiffert Cleland and they settled in New Zealand.

The ship *Maori* departed London and arrived via Nelson into Wellington New Zealand on 21 July 1853. The passenger list recorded Messrs Cleland etc. I am unable to confirm if this was when Robert CLELAND arrived in New Zealand or if it was one of his brothers.

Mary MABEY was born 02 April 1839 Branscombe Honiton Devon England to parents Harriet nee Croom and Charles Mabey.

(Reference Ancestry website RGO UK birth registration Mary MABEY born 1839 June quarter district Honiton County Devon England volume 10 page 111)

The New Zealand Company passengers embarked on the ship Olympus departed England 09 December 1840 arrived Wellington New Zealand 20 April 1941 reference Hutt City website Petone Settlers database

- Chas MABEY male age 38 born about 1802 Agricultural labourer and Flax dresser residence Banscombe near Sidmouth Devon England (application made by John JENNINGS)
- Harriet MABEY wife age 35 born about 1805
- Male MABEY child age 3 born about 1837
- Female MABEY child [Mary] age 9 months born about 1840

(Reference various shipping records)

Robert McGiffert CLELAND married 01 October 1860 New Zealand Mary MABEY (Reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1860 folio 0263 website 1860/2779)

Robert and Mary had a child Mary McGiffert CLELAND born 04 September 1861 Upper Hutt New Zealand

(Reference RGO NZ birth registration 1861 folio website 1861/7861 parents Mary and Robert McGiffert Cleland)

Robert and Mary had a child Alfred Charles CLELAND born 16 May 1863 Upper Hutt New Zealand

(Reference RGO NZ birth registration 1863 folio website 1863/10455 parents Mary and Robert McGiffert Cleland)

Wellington Independent newspaper 23 January 1864

Sly Grog Selling – On Tuesday last the 19th instant Mr Robert M Cleland storekeeper was brought up at the Resident Magistrates Court Upper Hutt for a breach of the Licensing Ordinance. The information was laid by Police Constable Lister and the case was heard before J T Willis Esq Resident Magistrate. The charge being fully proved the defendant was fined £50 and costs.

(Reference Papers past website Wellington Independent newspaper 23 January 1864)

Wairarapa 25 January 1864

Sir

On the 19th Instant Mr M Cleland of the Upper Hutt Storekeeper was bough before me on a charge of Breach of the Sale of Spirits Ordinance convicted and fined £50 0s 0d. I have the honor to request to be allowed to award some part of the fine say £10 0s 0d to be informant Constable Lyster of the wellington Police. I am inclined to ask this as Constable Lyster has always displayed great zeal in the discharge of his duties in which opinion Mr Wardell R M has begged me to say that he fully concede,

I have the honor to be Sir your obedient servant Wm J W Miller [sic] R M
The Hon The Attorney General Auckland
Authority payment of £10 to Constable Lyster

[Written in red The R M 12 February 1864 Refunded to the Sundry [sic] and Audit Office Resident Magistrate £5 imposed on Cleland Sale of Spirits Ord. for authority £10 to informant Constable Lyster]

(Reference Archives NZ Wellington R24257946 J1 43 br 1864/248 from R [Robert] M Cleland Upper Hutt date 11 February 1864 subject For remission of a penalty of £50 breach of the sale of Spirits Ordinance year 1864)

Memorial of Mr Robert CLELAND

His Excellency Sir George Grey K C B Governor and Commander in Chief in and over the Islands of New Zealand

The humble memorial of Robert CLELAND of the Upper Hutt in the Province of wellington Draper and Grocer.

Shewth - That your Memorialist was charged before J R Willis Esquire Resident Magistrate Upper Hutt aforesaid with having sold less than two Gallons of Spirituous liquor on the 05th September last.

That your Memorialist admitted to having sold Two Gallons of Gin to Robert Douglas of the Upper Hutt Labourer on the said 05th September and that the said Robert Douglas took away at that time two bottles of Gin part of the same 2 gallons and the remainder within eight days afterwards. That your Memorialist having permitted the said Robert Douglas to do so was entirely through ignorance and without the slightest intention of your Memorialist infringing the law.

That your Memorialist was fined on the 19th January last the Penal sum of fifty pounds and costs four months after the alleged offence and contrary to the Summary Licensing ordnance.

[missing part of letter] Memorialist humbly prays [missing] will take a favourable view of the above case and [missing] of Fifty Pounds and costs and [missing] as in duty bound will ever pray. (signed) Robert M CLELAND dated this 11th day of February 1864

[Written in red 27 February R m Cleland for remission of a penalty of £50 breach of the Sale of Spirits Ordinance – The Memorialist 03/03/1864 – Recommended that the Memorialist be informed that the penalty will not be rescinded – other comments not transcribed]

(Reference Archives NZ Wellington R24257946 J1 43 br 1864/248 from R [Robert] M Cleland Upper Hutt date 11 February 1864 subject For remission of a penalty of £50 breach of the sale of Spirits Ordinance year 1864)

Wairarapa 19 February 1864

Sir

With reference to the Memorial in the case of Robert Cleland which you have sent to me to give my opinion on. I have the honour to inform you that on the day on which that case was heard. I allowed a second charge against Robert Cleland for the illegal sale of spirits to be withdrawn solely in consideration of the heavy fine which I had no discretion but to inflect. I have also reason to believe that Robert Cleland was frequently in the habit of selling spirits contrary to the provisions of the Licensing ordnance. Taking the above into consideration I considered at the time that R Cleland had been most leniently dealt with.

I have the honour to be Sir your most obedient servant Wm J Willis [sic] R M His Hon The Superintendent Wellington

(Reference Archives NZ Wellington R24257946 J1 43 br 1864/248 from R [Robert] M Cleland Upper Hutt date 11 February 1864 subject For remission of a penalty of £50 breach of the sale of Spirits Ordinance year 1864)

Robert and his family departed Upper Hutt around 1864 and by 1865 they were residing in Wellington.

Robert and Mary had a child Harriet Annie CLELAND born 13 May 1865 Wellington New Zealand

(Reference RGO NZ birth registration 1865 folio website 1865/11283 parents Mary and Robert McGiffert Cleland)

1870-1871 Wellington Electoral Roll

- Robert McGiffert CLELAND Manners Street Freehold Manners Street sections 202 and 203
- Joseph McGiffert CLELAND Wellington Freehold Part of town acre 577 (Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

Robert's oldest brother Hugh CLELAND died on 18 July 1874 from an accident on the Rimutaka Hill near Upper Hutt New Zealand.

1875-1876 Wellington Electoral Roll

- Robert McGiffert CLELAND Freehold Molesworth Street house and shop
- Joseph McGiffert CLELAND Wellington Freehold Part of town acre 577 (Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

1875-1876 Hutt Electoral Roll

- Robert McGiffert CLELAND Wellington Freehold Part of Sections 95, 169, 250 Upper Hutt
- Robert CLELAND Hutt Household Hutt part of section 28
- William CLELAND Hutt freehold Taita Hutt part of section 49 house and land
- John CLELAND Hutt Household House on section 32

(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

Marlborough Express newspaper 25, 28, 31 October 1876

Notice is hereby given that the parcel of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act 1870" unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 21st day of November next – Joseph McGiffert CLELAND and Robert McGiffert CLELAND – Section 117 Town of Havelock Unoccupied – Diagrams may be inspected at this office – dated this 11 day of October 1876 at the Lands Registry Office Blenheim – Charles M Henning District Land Registrar.

(Reference Papers past website Marlborough Express newspaper 28, 31 October 1876)

1878-1879 Wises Mew Zealand Post Office Directory

Robert McGifford CLELAND storekeeper - Molesworth Street (right hand side)

1880-1881 Hutt Electoral Roll

- Robert McGiffert CLELAND freehold Wellington grocer Part Sections 95, 169, 250 Upper Hutt
- Robert CLELAND freehold Hutt storekeeper Part Section 28 Hutt
- William CLELAND freehold Hutt storekeeper Part Section 49 Taita

(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

1880-1881 Wises Mew Zealand Post Office Directory

Robert McGifford CLELAND storekeeper - Molesworth Street (right hand side)

1880-1881 Wellington Electoral Roll

• Robert McGiffert CLELAND freehold grocer House and land Molesworth Street (Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

1880-1881 Thorndon Electoral Roll Wellington

- Robert McGiffert CLELAND freehold Molesworth Street grocer House and land Molesworth Street
- Joseph McGiffert CLELAND freehold Vogel Town Settler Part of town acre 577 (Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

New Zealand Times newspaper 11 October 1881

Notice is hereby given that the parcel of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act 1870 unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 14th day of November 1881 – 1244 Robert McGiffert CLELAND 45 acres 1 rood 16 perches Part of Section 169 Hutt District Unoccupied – Diagrams may be inspected at this office – Dated this 06th day of October 1881 at the Land Registry Office Wellington – George B Davy District Land Registrar.

(Reference Papers past website New Zealand Times newspaper 11 October 1881)

Robert and Mary's daughter Harriet Annie CLELAND died 30 March 1883 Wellington New Zealand

1883-1884 Wises Mew Zealand Post Office Directory

 Robert McGifford CLELAND storekeeper - Molesworth Street (right hand side from Tinakori Road)

Robert McGifford CLELAND died 26 April 1884 New Zealand

(Reference RGO NZ death registration 1884 folio website 1884/1265 age 48 born about 1836)

New Zealand Times newspaper 26 April & New Zealand Mail 02 May 1884

Death – CLELAND - On 25 April at his residence Molesworth Street after a long and painful illness Robert M Cleland aged 48 Years

(Reference Papers past website New Zealand Times 26 April & New Zealand Mail newspaper 02 May 1884)

Robert McGiffert CLELAND born 1835 Ireland died 26 April 1884 buried Bolton Street cemetery Wellington New Zealand. Spouse Mary Cleland - children Alfred Charles Cleland and Harriet Annie Cleland.

(Reference Bolton Street cemetery Wellington records)

Evening Post newspaper 12 May 1884

Notice - All persons indebted to the Estate of the late R M Cleland are requested to pay their accounts forthwith to Mr A C Cloland May Street and all claims against the said Estate must be sent in to the undersigned on or before the 31st instant - Executor J M CLELAND - Executrix Mary CLELAND

(Reference Papers past website Evening Post newspaper 12 May 1884)

1896 Wellington Electoral Roll

- Mary CLELAND Molesworth Street widow residential
- Mary McGriffert CLELAND Molesworth Street spinster residential

(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

1900 Wellington Electoral Roll

Mary CLELAND Coromandel Street widow residential

(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

1905-1906 Newtown Electoral Roll Wellington

Mary CLELAND Coromandel Street widow

(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

1911 Wellington South Electoral Roll

Mary CLELAND 96 Coromandel Street widow

(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

1914 Wellington Suburbs and Country Electoral Roll

• Mary CLELAND Tyne Street Westbeach Island Bay widow

(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

Mary CLELAND died 21 November 1918 New Zealand

(Reference RGO NZ death registration 1918 folio website 1918/11861 age 79 born about 1839)

Evening Post newspaper 22 November 1918

Deaths – CLELAND – On the 21st November 1918 at her residence "Branscombe"89 Upland Road Kelburn, Mary relict of the late Robert M Cleland and mother of Mrs Mary M Venables in her 80th year. Private internment

(Reference Papers past website Evening Post newspaper 22 November 1918)

Evening Post newspaper 30 November 1918

Mrs Mary Cleland, relict of the late R M Cleland, whose much regretted death took place recently at her residence, "*Branscombe*" Upland-road Kelburn, was a pioneer resident of Wellington. With her parents she arrived in New Zealand from England in 1841 and had lived in Wellington for practically 77 years. She experienced the severe earthquakes in 1855. Possessing a remarkable memory many an interesting incident of the early outbreak of the Maori War was narrated by her. She will long remain alive in the memory of her friends because of her self-sacrificing life. She is survived by her daughter, Mrs M M Venables and four grandchildren. (*Reference Papers past website Evening Post newspaper 30 November 1918*)

Headstone Bolton Street cemetery Wellington

In memory of Harriet Annie beloved and youngest daughter of Robert M and Mary CLELAND who died 30 March 1886 in her 18th year "Thy will be done. Yes though our stricken hearts are bowed with grief, Our father still we cannot doubt thy wisdom or thy love, Our darling was but lent to us for season brief, And now thou hast recalled her to a happier home above, Father they will be done." Also Robert McGiffert CLELAND her father who died 25 April 1884 age 48 Also Alfred Charles only son of the above who died 11 August 1888 age 25 and Mary wife of above died 21 November 1918 age 79.

"Blessed are the pure in heart for they shall see God".

Robert McGiffert and Mary CLELAND their children and descendants

- 1- Mary McGiffert CLELAND born 04 September 1861 Upper Hutt New Zealand died May 1943 Wellington New Zealand married 1895 New Zealand Thomas Vernon VENABLES born 1863 Auckland New Zealand died 23 October 1940 Wellington New Zealand
 - #Mary McGiffert CLELAND born 04 September 1861 Upper Hutt New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1861 folio website 1861/7861 parents Mary and Robert McGiffert Cleland
 - #Mary McGiffert CLELAND married 1895 New Zealand Thomas Vernon VENABLES reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1895 folio website 1895/1169
 - #Thomas Vernon VENABLES died 1940 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1940 folio website 1940/19328 age 76born about 1864
 - #Thomas Vernon VENABLES retired land agent died buried 24 October 1940 Karori cemetery Wellington section Public 2 plot 11 F undertaker Wilson age 76 born about 1864 reference Wellington City Council website Karori cemetery database record number 16870
 - #Mary McGiffert VENABLES died 1943 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1943 folio website 1943/29237 age 81 born about 1862
 - #Mary McGiffert VENABLES died buried 24 May 1943 Bolton Street cemetery Wellington section Public 2 plot 51 C reference Wellington City Council website Karori cemetery database record number 101694
- 1-1- Robert Vaughan VENABLES born 05 June 1897 Wellington New Zealand died New Zealand (never married)
 - #Robert Vaughan VENABLES born 1897 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1897 folio website 1897/10404 parents Mary McGiffert and Thomas Vernon Venables
 - #Robert Vaughan VENABLES 1919 Wellington North Electoral Roll
- 1-2- <u>Eileen Miro VENABLES</u> born 09 September 1900 New Zealand died 1986 New Zealand married 1929 New Zealand <u>John Henry RENSHAW</u> born about 1897 died 1942 New Zealand

#Eileen Miro VENABLES born 1900 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1900 folio website 1900/16687 parents Mary McGiffert and Thomas Vernon Venables #Eileen Miro VENABLES married 1929 New Zealand John Henry RENSHAW reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1929 folio 08335

#John Henry RENSHAW died 1942 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1942 folio website 1942/31839 age 45 born about 1897

- #Eileen Miro RENSHAW died 1986 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1986 folio website 1986/36358 born 09 September 1900
- 1-3- Nylla Marie VENABLES born 14 April 1902 New Zealand died 1978 New Zealand (never married)

#Nylla Marie VENABLES born 1902 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1902 folio website 1902/9133 parents Mary McGiffert and Thomas Vernon Venables #Nylla Marie VENABLES died 1978 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1978 folio website 1978/40509 born 14 April 1902

1-4- Elma Rewa VENABLES born 17 August 1906 New Zealand died 1970 New Zealand married 1954 New Zealand William Kenneth Ingram KING born 18 March 1905 died 1981 New Zealand

#Elma Rewa VENABLES born 1906 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1906 folio website 1906/20117 parents Mary McGiffert and Thomas Vernon Venables #Elma Rewa VENABLES married 1954 New Zealand William Kenneth Ingram KING reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1954 folio 09609

#Elma Rewa KING died 1970 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1970 folio website 1970/25487 age 62 born about 1908

#William Kenneth Ingram KING died 1981 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1981 folio website 1981/29900 born 18 March 1905

- **2- Alfred Charles CLELAND** born 16 May 1863 Upper Hutt New Zealand died 11 August 1888 Wellington New Zealand (never married)
 - #Alfred Charles CLELAND born 16 May 1863 Upper Hutt New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1863 folio website 1863/10455 parents Mary and Robert McGiffert Cleland #Alfred Charles CLELAND died buried 12 August 1888 Bolton Street cemetery Wellington section Public plot 51/52 C reference Wellington City Council website Bolton street cemetery database record number 95221
- **3- Harriet Annie CLELAND** born 13 May 1865 Wellington New Zealand died 30 March 1883 Wellington New Zealand (never married)

#Harriet Annie CLELAND born 13 May 1865 Wellington New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1865 folio website 1865/11283 parents Mary and Robert McGiffert Cleland #Harriet Annie CLELAND born 1865 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1865 folio website 1865/11283 parents Mary and Robert McGiffert Cleland

#Harriet Annie CLELAND died 1883 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1883 folio website 1883/1562 age 17 born about1866

#Harriet Annie CLELAND died buried 31 March 1883 Bolton Street cemetery Wellington section Public plot 51/52 C reference Wellington City Council website Bolton street cemetery database record number 95222

Robert McGiffert CLELAND his parents and their descendants

0- Hugh CLELAND born 1788 Down Northern Ireland died 15 March 1856 Killyleagh County Down Northern Ireland married 1816 County Down Ireland Mary MCGIFFERT born 1798 Down Northern Ireland died 09 May 1872 Killyleagh County Down Northern Ireland #The Irish Social Revolution - In his Notes on the State Country Mr John Lamb thus refers to the working of the Encumbered Estates Act in the northern counties - Some of the farmers are beginning to feel the good effects of a change of landlords by the operation of the Encumbered Estates Court, particularly when the change is from an embarrassed squire to a wealthy merchant. Hugh Cleland and Sons of Downpatrick have lately come into possession of a considerable extent of land partly by inheritance and partly by purchase every one speaks well of them as good landlords they seem determined to carry their good business habits into the management of their estates and they are so far acting practically on the oft-

repeated and abused proverb of live and let live. A short time ago one of our most successful and wealthy flax spinners bought a property in the county of Down under the court part of it consisted of an island in Strangford Lough. The land is very good with an abundant supply of sea-rack which makes good manure. After the purchase was completed he went to see his property and the tenants on it. When he met them they all pulled off their hats to their new landlord but the first words he said to them was Put on your hats I want no cringing serfs on my property but independent men and then added that he would never allow them to pull off their hats to him that they were met on equal and independent terms to transact a matter of business that he had land to let and they wanted to hire it and therefore he begged them to retire and consult as to what rent they could afford to offer him for it. They shortly returned to say that they thought they could safely undertake to pay him 30s per acre for their first class land for which their former landlord charged them 48s. He told them he was quite satisfied with their offer that the rent should not be higher than that and further that he would give them leases of three lives or 32 years of their respective holdings. These facts I had from a gentleman in the commission of the peace who was present on the occasion and was greatly delighted with the whole scene. What a contrast does the conduct of the aforesaid merchant present to that of many of our land agents who may be seen in the little country towns where they reign paramount walking the streets with two or three tenants after them with their hats in their hands while the white hair of venerable old ago may be seen fluttering in the breeze and I am told it frequently occurs even in Ulster that if a tenant going into an office to pay his rent inadvertently neglects to uncover he is sure to be treated to a most insulting lecture for his want of good manners How supremely ridiculous would such conduct appear in one of our first class merchants for a couple of hogsheads of sugar. Yet the two cases are exactly parallel except that in nine cases out of ten the merchant is greatly superior to the land agent. Times reference Papers past website Daily Southern Cross newspaper 20 February 1852

- 0-1- Hugh CLELAND [Captain Cleland] born 1817 Killyleagh County Down Ireland died 18 July 1874 Rimutaka Hill near Upper Hutt New Zealand married 22 June 1837 Manchester Lancaster England Margaret ANDERSON born 1817 Miltown Malbay County Clare Ireland died 06 September 06 September 1890 Lower Hutt New Zealand #Hugh CLELAND died 1874 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1874 folio website 1874 folio website 1874/14593 age 62 born about 1812 #Margaret CLELAND died 1890 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1890 folio website 1890 folio website 1890/3655 age 79 born about 1811 #Alfred CLELAND died 28 July 1860 age 12 & Hugh CLELAND died 18 July 1874 age 58 & Margaret CLELAND died 06 September 1890 age 79 & Robert CLELAND died 27 October 1893 age 43 all buried at St James churchyard Hutt Valley New Zealand reference burial records
- 0-1-1- William CLELAND born 1840 place unknown died 21 August 1917 Hutt Valley New Zealand married 11 August 1863 Wellington New Zealand Eunice Hester PERCY born 1839 Sherborne Dorset England died 03 July 1914 Hutt Valley New Zealand #Eunice Hester PERCY born 1839 Sherborne Dorset England reference Ancestry website RGO UK birth registration 1839 March quarter district Sherborne County Dorset England volume 8 page 98 #William CLELAND married 1863 New Zealand Eunice Hester PERCY reference RGO
 - #Married CLELAND PERCY 11 August 1863 at St Peters Church Wellington by the Rev G H Johnston, William Cleland to Eunice Hester Percy both of the Hutt reference Papers past website Wellington Independent newspaper 15 August 1863

#Eunice Hester CLELAND 1914 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration1914 folio website 1914/5088 age 75 born about 1839

#William CLELAND died 22 August 1917 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration1917 folio website 1917/5292 age 77 born about 1840

#The death is announced of Mr William Cleland one of the best known resident of the Hutt Valley. The deceased who was in his 75th year was a son of Captain Cleland one of the early settlers in Wellington and had lived in Taita for the greater part of his life. He carried on a storekeeping business there fir a great many years and identified himself in every way with the interests of the district. He was chairman of the local

NZ marriage registration 1863 folio website 1863/7672

school committee for a very long period. His wife died about three years ago. He left no family. He was the brother of the late Mr Robert Cleland and a nephew of the late Mr J M Cleland of Tinakori Road reference Papers past website Evening Post newspaper 22 August 1917

#William CLELAND died 21 August 1916 [sic] age 77 & Eunice Hester CLELAND died 03 July 1914 age 75 both buried Christ Church cemetery Taita

0-1-2- Jane CLELAND born 1841-1843 Gibraltar died 02 November 1921 Levin New Zealand married 17 June 1862 St James Hutt Valley New Zealand Thomas MULLINS born date and place unknown death date and place unknown

#Jane CLELAND married 1862 New Zealand Thomas MULLINS reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1862 folio website 1862/4401

#Marriage At St James Church the Hutt on Tuesday the 17th instant by the Rev G H Johnston Thomas MULLINS to Jane eldest daughter of Hugh CLELAND Captain of the Hutt Rifle Volunteer reference Wellington Independent newspaper 24 June 1862

#Alleged Wife Desertion – Thomas Mullns failed to appear in answer to a summons charging him with deserting his wife Jane Mullins and a warrant was issued for his arrest. Inspector Pender said that the defendant had gone to Sydney it might be simply on business matters reference Papers past website Star newspaper 04 March 1885

#Jane MULLINS died 02 November 1921 Cambridge Street Levin New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1921 folio website 1921/6793 age 80 born about 1841

#MULLINS Jane of Levin married women Native of Gibraltar – Died 02nd November 1921 aged 80 years buried 03rd November 1921 Church of England buried block 40 No 41 (no headstone) Levin cemetery Horowhenua New Zealand

0-1-3- George CLELAND born 1845 Down Ireland died date and place unknown

#George CLELAND born baptised 06 July 1845 Presbyterian Raffrey Down Ireland to parents Margaret and Hugh Cleland reference Parish register

0-1-4- Matilda CLELAND born 1846 died 24 June 1931 Wellington New Zealand married 1867 New Zealand John Horsburgh ROSS born 1838 place unknown died 1899 New Zealand

#Matilda CLELAND married 1867 New Zealand John Horsburgh ROSS reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1867 folio website 1867/5824

#John Horsborough ROSS died 1899 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1899 folio website 1899/860 age 61 born about 1838

#Matilda ROSS died 1931 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1931 folio website 1931/3478 age 86 born about 1845

- 0-1-5- Alfred CLELAND born 1848 place unknown died 28 July 1860 Hutt Valley New Zealand #Alfred CLELAND died 1860 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1860 folio website 1860/702 age not recorded
 - #Deaths CLELAND On Saturday 28th instant at the Hutt Alfred the second son of Mr Hugh Cleland aged 12 years reference Papers past Wellington Independent newspaper 31 July 1860
- 0-1-6- Robert CLELAND born 1850 died 27 October 1893 Hutt Valley New Zealand married 1872 New Zealand Catherine BURT born 1850 New Zealand died 1941 New Zealand

#Robert CLELAND married 1872 New Zealand Catherine BURT reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1872 folio website 1872/4833

#Robert CLELAND married 1891 New Zealand Lizzie SHERIDAN reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1891 folio website 1891/1725

#Robert CLELAND died 1893 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1893 folio website 1893/5681 age 43 born about 1850

#Catharine [sic] CLELAND died 1941 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1941 folio website 1941/22806 age 91 born about 1850

#Our mother Catherine CLELAND 1850-1941 & Vida Maud CLELAND born 1883 died 1969 also Harold William CLELAND born 1872 died 1956 and their son Sefton Harold CLELAND died at Bari 1946 Gordonton cemetery Waikato

0-2- <u>Joseph McGiffert CLELAND</u> born 1835 Belfast County Down Ireland died 24 July 1901 Wellington New Zealand married 30 March 1871 Wellington New Zealand Annie DIXON

- born 12 May 1849 Sheffield Yorkshire England died 07 December 1928 Levin New Zealand
- #Joseph McGiffert CLELAND married 1871 New Zealand Annie DIXON reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1871 folio website 1871/4899
- 0-2-1- Child not named CLELAND born 1872 New Zealand died 1872 New Zealand (died young never married)
 - #Child not named CLELAND born 1872 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1872 folio website 1872/20495 parents Annie and Joseph McGriffert Cleland
 - #Child not named CLELAND died 1872 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1872 folio website 1872/5179 age 34 hours born about 1872
- 0-2-2- Elsie Grace McGiffert CLELAND born 1874 New Zealand died 1942 New Zealand married 1897 New Zealand Sidney George Herbert HALL born 1877 place unknown died 1963 New Zealand
 - #Elsie Grace McGiffert CLELAND born 1874 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1874 folio website 1874/17766 parents Annie and Joseph McGriffert Cleland
 - #Elsie Grace McGiffart CLELAND married 1897 New Zealand Sidney George Herbert HALL reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1897 folio website 1897/4263
 - #Elsie Grace McGiffert HALL died 1942 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1942 folio website 1942/26373 age 68 born about 1874
 - #George Herbert HALL died 1963 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1963 folio website 1963/26020 age 86 born about 1877
- 0-2-3- Joseph Albert CLELAND born 1876 New Zealand died 1952 New Zealand married 1905 New Zealand Gladys Harriot GIBBS
 - #Joseph Albert CLELAND born 1876 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1876 folio website 1876/858 parents Annie and Joseph McGriffert Cleland
 - #Joseph Albert CLELAND married 1905 New Zealand Gladys Harriot GIBBS reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1905 folio website 1905/5358
 - #Joseph Albert CLELAND died 1952 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1952 folio website 1952/25589 age 76 born about 1876
- 0-2-4- Wilford McGiffert CLELAND born 1878 New Zealand died 04 August 1919 Otaki New Zealand married 1902 New Zealand Ethel Amy COTTER born 27 July 1882 New Zealand died 05 February 1953 Otaki New Zealand died 05 February 1953 Otaki New Zealand
 - #Wilford McGiffert CLELAND born 1878 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1878 folio website 1878/4264 parents Annie and Joseph McGriffert Cleland #Ethel Amy COTTER born 1882 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1882 folio website 1882/10684 parents Emma Ann and Thomas Cotter
 - #Wilford McGiffert CLELAND married 1902 New Zealand Ethel Amy COTTER reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1902 folio website 1902/3936
 - #Wilford McGiffert CLELAND died 1919 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1919 folio website 1919/6002 age 41 born about 1878
 - #Ethel Amy SKJELLERUP died February 1953 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1953 folio website 1953/18355 age 70 born about 1883
- 0-2-5- Oswald Hugh CLELAND born 1881 New Zealand died 1953 New Zealand (never married)
 #Oswald Hugh CLELAND born 1881 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration
 1881 folio website 1881/17966 parents Annie and Joseph McGriffert Cleland
 #Oswald Hugh CLELAND died 1953 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death
 registration 1953 folio website 1953/18415 age 71 born about 1882
- 0-3- Robert McGiffert CLELAND born 1836 Belfast Antrim Northern Ireland died 26 April 1884 Wellington New Zealand (refer to the beginning of this document for details about Robert)