

Edward Thomas WILLS and Louisa Edith HARKETT
Chart 14-15

(Weblink HU Wills Harkett about 1900 England)
(Weblink to Edward's parents to be created)
(Weblink to Louisa's parents to be created)

Edward Thomas WILLS

B about 1879 London England
D 18 June 1951 Wellington New Zealand
M 1900 London England

Louisa Edith HARKETT

B about 1880 Westham London England
D 10 May 1968 Wellington New Zealand

Children:

1. Female WILLS born about 1903 England
2. Female WILLS born about 1905 England
3. Male WILLS born about 1910 England
4. Male WILLS born about 1913 New Zealand
5. **Winifred May WILLS** born about 26 April 1914 Wellington New Zealand
6. Female WILLS born about 1918 New Zealand

The family history of
Edward Thomas WILLS and Louisa Edith HARKETT

Edward Thomas WILLS was born about 1879 in London England
SEARCH (Reference RGO UK birth registration 1879)

SEARCH 1881 & 1891 census

Louisa Edith HARKETT was born about 1880 in Westham London England
SEARCH (Reference RGO UK birth registration 1880)

SEARCH 1881 & 1891 census

Edward Thomas WILLS married Louisa Edith HARKETT about 1900 in London England.
SEARCH (Reference RGO UK marriage registration 1900)

SEARCH 1901 census

Edward Thomas and Louisa Edith had a daughter WILLS who was born about 1903 in London England
SEARCH (Reference RGO UK birth registration 1903)

Edward Thomas and Louisa Edith had a daughter WILLS who was born about 1905 in London England
SEARCH (Reference RGO UK birth registration 1905)

Edward Thomas and Louisa Edith had a son WILLS who was born about 1910 in London England
SEARCH (Reference RGO UK birth registration 1910)

Edward Thomas and Louisa Edith WILLS along with their three children arrived in New Zealand about 1911-1912.

SEARCH (Reference Archives NZ Wellington shipping)

Edward Thomas and Louisa Edith had a son WILLS who was born about 1913 New Zealand

SEARCH (Reference RGO NZ birth registration 1913 folio)

Winifred May KEMPTON was born on 26 April 1914 in Wellington and was officially adopted around 1916 by Edward Thomas and Louisa Edith WILLS.

(Reference RGO NZ Birth 1914 Folio 2681 Wellington District later 1916 Folio 4461 Wellington District)

Edward Thomas WILLS registered with the second reserve in World War One (1914-1918) occupation Painter address Hoggard Street Vogeltown Classification E (4 children)

(Reference War Census World War One Census NZSG CD-ROM)

Edward Thomas and Louisa Edith had a daughter WILLS who was born about 1918

SEARCH (Reference RGO NZ birth registration 1918 folio)

Evening Post newspaper 08 February 1918

Magistrates Court – Several stock owners were proceeded against for allowing horses to wander. Edward Thomas WILLS 30s and costs. (plus others)

(Reference National Library of NZ papers past website Evening Post newspaper 08 February 1918 page 8)

1919 Electoral Roll Wellington South and Wellington Suburbs

- Edward Thomas WILLS
- Louisa Edith WILLS

SEARCH (Reference Alexander Turnbull Library microfiche Electoral Roll and Directories)

1922 Wellington South Electoral Roll

- Edward Thomas WILLS Hoggard Street Vogeltown occupation House painter
- Louisa Edith WILLS Hoggard Street Vogeltown occupation Married

(Reference Alexander Turnbull Library microfiche 1922 Wellington South Electoral Roll)

Edward Thomas WILLS aged 72 years occupation retire painter died 18 June 1951 at Wellington Public Hospital. He was from 4 Hoggard Street Wellington. His parents were Elizabeth nee RAWLINGS and Edward WILLS occupation Engineer. He was aged 21 years when he married Louisa Edith HARKETT in London England. He had dwelled in New Zealand for 40 years. Cause of death was Myocardial Infraction 3 weeks as certified by Dr H Marwick. He was buried on 20 June at Karori Cemetery Wellington by the Anglican minister W A Pyatt. His widow was aged 71 years and living issue 2 males aged 41 & 38 and 4 female aged 48, 46, 37 & 33. The Wellington undertaker H Wilson registered the death on 20 June 1951.

(Reference NZ RGO death registration 1951 folio 2007 Wellington June quarter)

SEARCH (Reference Alexander Turnbull Library Newspapers Wellington death column)

Louisa Edith WILLS widow aged 88 years died on 10 May 1968 at the Home of Compassion Wellington. She came from 8 Hoggard Street Vogletown Wellington. There were no details regarding her parents but her maiden name was HARKETT and she was born in Westham London England. She was aged 20 years when she married Edward Thomas Wills in London England. She had dwelled in New Zealand for 56 years. Cause of death was Terminal Bronchopneumonia 2 days, Congestive heart failure several years Diverticulitis gross pelvic colon abdominal aortic opening as certified by G V Jenkins who saw her last on the 7 May. She was buried on 14 May in Karori Cemetery Wellington. Her living issue were 2 males aged 58 & 55 and 4 females aged 65, 63, 54 & 50 years old.

(Reference NZ RGO death registration 1968 folio (2/Wgtn) 3128 aged 88 years Wellington district)

SEARCH (Reference Alexander Turnbull Library Newspapers Wellington death column)

Louisa Edith WILLS Probate 1968 Wellington High Court

ORDER (Reference Archives NZ Wellington Probate 1968 agency AAOM series 6031 box 430 record 1356/1968)

Karori Cemetery Wellington Area 09, Block C, Row 32, Plot 036 Headstone

*In Loving Memory Our Dear Dad EDWARD THOMAS WILLS
dearly loved husband of Louisa Edith died 18 June 1951 aged
72 years "At Rest" Our dear mother LOUISA EDITH WILLS
dearly loved wife of Edward Thomas died 10 May 1968 aged
88 years "At Rest".*

(Reference FHC LDS NZSG CD Cemetery transcripts Karori Cemetery)

Edward and Louisa WILLS their children and descendants

1- Female WILLS born about 1903 England

Female WILLS was born about 1903 in London England

SEARCH (Reference RGO UK birth registration 1903)

The family arrived in New Zealand about 1911-1912.

SEARCH (Reference Archives NZ Wellington shipping)

2- Female WILLS born about 1905 England

Female WILLS was born about 1905 in London England

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The family arrived in New Zealand about 1911-1912.

SEARCH (Reference Archives NZ Wellington shipping)

3- Male WILLS born about 1910 England

Male WILLS was born about 1910 in London England

SEARCH (Reference RGO UK birth registration 1910)

The family arrived in New Zealand about 1911-1912.

SEARCH (Reference Archives NZ Wellington shipping)

4- Male WILLS born about 1913 New Zealand

Male WILLS was born about 1913 New Zealand

SEARCH (Reference RGO NZ birth registration 1913 folio)

5- Winifred May KEMPTON / WILLS born 26 April 1914 Wellington New Zealand died 04 August 2002 Palmerston North New Zealand married 03 December 1938 Presbyterian Church Island Bay Wellington New Zealand **Reginald Richard Joseph Nathaniel DAY** refer chart number **6-7** (3 Issue)

6- Female WILLS born about 1918 New Zealand

Female WILLS was born about 1918 New Zealand

SEARCH (Reference RGO NZ birth registration 1918 folio)

WILLS & HARKETT miscellaneous information
