

BANKS – GRIFFITHS
Hutt Valley - Upper Hutt
Family History – Genealogy – Miscellaneous Information
(Weblink HVF Banks Griffiths)

William Dunbar BANKS and Maria Louisa GRIFFITHS
Family History

William Dunbar BANKS

B 1830 place unknown
D 27 March 1894 Wellington New Zealand
M 1860 Victoria Australia

Maria Louisa GRIFFITHS

B 1839 Monmouth England
D 29 February 1912 New Zealand

Children:

1. Mary Alice BANKS born 1861 Amhest Victoria Australia
2. Alfred Abraham BANKS born 1862 Melbourne Victoria Australia
3. William Arthur Dunbar BANKS born 23 May 1864 Hokitika New Zealand
4. Charles Griffiths BANKS born 1866 Hokitika New Zealand
5. Frederick Ernest BANKS born 1870 Hokitika New Zealand
6. **Annie Louisa BANKS** born 11 November 1871 Hokitika New Zealand **[STANLEY]**
7. Sarah Adeline BANKS born 1873 Hokitika New Zealand
8. Florence Dunbar BANKS born 1874 Hokitika New Zealand
9. John Shaw BANKS born 1876 Hokitika New Zealand
10. Emile Shaw BANKS born January 1877 Hokitika New Zealand
11. May Maud BANKS born 10 April 1878 Hokitika New Zealand
12. Leonora BANKS born 1879 Hokitika New Zealand
13. **Henry Dunbar BANKS** born 1881 Hokitika New Zealand

(Annie teacher Mungaroa/Te Marua School UH & Henry teacher Karapoti School kia WW1)

William Dunbar BANKS was born about 1830 place unknown

1856 St Patricks Electoral Roll Melbourne Victoria Australia
William Dunbar BANKS St Kilda auctioneer store Collins Street
(Reference Ancestry website Australian Electoral Rolls)

1859 - William Dunbar BANKS Auctioneer male age 27 born about 1831 initiation date 10 June 1858 to the Beechworth Lodge of St John Victoria lodge at Lanes Masonic Records number 728, 1030 folio 111 first payment 1859 Freemasonry Museum records

Maria Louisa GRIFFITHS was born and baptised 01 December 1839 Trevethin Monmouth England parents Sarah and John Griffiths
(Reference FHC LDS parish records Monmouth England film 104918 & 104919)

Maria GRIFFITHS born about 1839 age 21 English departed Liverpool England arrived 10 August 1860 on ship Great Tasmania to port Melbourne Australia

William Dunbar BANKS married 1860 Victoria Australia Maria Louisa GRIFFITHS
(Reference Ancestry website RGO Australia marriage registration 1860 registration number 1229)

William and Maria had a child Mary Alice BANKS was born 26 March 1861 Amherst Victoria Australia. Her parents were Maria Louisa nee Griffiths and William Dunbar Banks.
(Reference Ancestry website RGO Australian birth registration 1861 number 9551)

Maryborough and Dunolly Advertiser Monday 11 March 1861

Family Notices - Births – On the 26th [sic] instant at Amherst Mrs William Dunbar BANKS of a daughter

(Reference Trover website Maryborough and Dunolly Advertiser Monday 11 March 1861)

William and Maria had a child Alfred Abraham BANKS was born 1862 Melbourne Victoria Australia. His parents were Maria nee Griffiths and William Dunbar Banks.

(Reference Ancestry website RGO birth registration 1862 Victoria Australian birth registration number 15920)

William Dunbar BANKS and his family departed Australia and settled in Hokitika New Zealand between 1862 and 1864.

William and Maria had a child William Arthur Dunbar BANKS born 23 May 1864 New Zealand

(Reference RGO NZ birth registration 1864 folio website 1864/22194 parents Mary Louisa and William Dunbar Banks)

1866 - William Dunbar BANKS male age 27 born about 1831 initiation date 10 June 1858 to the Beechworth Lodge of St John lodge at Lanes Masonic Records number 728, 1030 folio 201 first payment 1866 Freemasonry Museum records

William and Maria had a child Charles Griffiths BANKS born 08 April 1866 Hokitika West Coast New Zealand died 1940

(Reference RGO NZ birth registration 1866 folio website 1866/23278 parents Maria Louisa and William Dunbar Banks)

West Coast Times newspaper 10 April 1866

Birth – BANKS – On the 08th instant at her residence Fitzherbert Street the wife of Mr William Dunbar Banks of a son

(Reference Papers past website West Coast Times newspaper 10 April 1866)

William and Maria had a child Frederick Ernest BANKS born 1870 Hokitika New Zealand

(Reference RGO NZ birth registration 1870 folio website 1870/25476 parents Maria Louisa and William Dunbar Banks)

West Coast Times newspaper 04 & 25 April 1870

Birth – BANKS – On the 31st March at her residence Hall Street Mrs William Dunbar Banks of a son

(Reference Papers past website West Coast Times newspaper 04 & 25 April 1870)

1870-1871 Westland Borough Electoral Roll West Coast

William Dunbar BANKS Hokitika household Hall Street Hokitika

(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

William and Maria had a child Annie Louisa Banks born 11 November 1871 New Zealand

(Reference RGO NZ birth registration 1871 folio website 1871/26609 parents Maria Louisa and William Dunbar Banks)

William and Maria had a child Sarah Adeline BANKS born 1873 Hokitika New Zealand

(Reference RGO NZ birth registration 1873 folio 216 = no trace of website registration)

William and Maria had a child Florence Dunbar BANKS born 1874 New Zealand

(Reference RGO NZ birth registration 1874 folio website 1874/36559 parents Maria Louisa and William Dunbar Banks)

1875-1876 Hokitika Electoral Roll West Coast

William Dunbar BANKS Hokitika household Hall Street Hokitika

(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

William and Maria had a child John Shaw BANKS born 1876 Hokitika New Zealand

(Reference RGO NZ birth registration 1876 folio website 1876/1231 parents Maria Louisa and William Dunbar Banks)

William and Maria's John Shaw BANKS age 3 months died 11 March 1876 Christchurch New Zealand and was buried Sunday 12 March 1876 Barbadoes Street cemetery Christchurch

(Reference RGO NZ death registration 1876 folio website 1876/1432 age 11 weeks born about 1876 & Barbadoes cemetery website transcriptions age 3 months)

William and Maria had a child Emilie Shaw BANKS born January 1877 Hokitika New Zealand
(Reference RGO NZ birth registration 1877 folio website 1877/1936 parents Maria Louisa and William Dunbar Banks)

William and Maria had a child May Maude BANKS born 10 April 1878 New Zealand
(Reference RGO NZ birth registration 1878 folio website 1878/11242 parents Maria Louisa and William Dunbar Banks)

William and Maria had a child Leonora BANKS born 1879 New Zealand
(Reference RGO NZ birth registration 1879 folio website 1879/11501 parents Maria Louisa and William Dunbar Banks)

William and Maria's daughter Leonora BANKS died 11 September 1879 Hokitika West Coast New Zealand and was buried 13 September 1879 at the Hokitika cemetery,
(Reference RGO NZ death registration 1879 folio website 1879/4735 age 7 weeks born about 1879)

1880-1881 Hokitika Electoral Roll West Coast
William Dunbar BANKS residential Hokitika town clerk
(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

1880-1881 Hokitika Electoral Roll West Coast
William Dunbar BANKS freehold Hokitika town clerk Cottage Hall Street
(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

William and Maria had a child Henry Dunbar BANKS born 10 April 1881 Wellington New Zealand
(Reference RGO NZ birth registration 1881 folio website 1881/4796 parents Maria Louisa and William Dunbar Banks)

West Coast Times newspaper 26 May 1881
Birth – BANKS – On the 10th April at her residence Hall Street Hokitika the wife of William Dunbar Banks Town Clerk of a son
(Reference Papers past website West Coast Times newspaper 26 May 1881)

West Coast Times newspaper 26 May 1881
Deaths - Emilie Shaw aged 4 years and 3 months fifth daughter of William Dunbar BANKS
(Reference Papers past website West Coast Times newspaper 26 May 1881)

Emilie Shaw BANKS died religion Church of England buried 26 May 1881 Hokitika cemetery block 181 plot 2613 West Coast in same plot as Leonora Banks
(Reference Hokitika cemetery website record 20344)

1885-1886 Hokitika Electoral Roll West Coast
William Dunbar BANKS freehold Hokitika town clerk cottage Hall Street
Williams Arthur Dunbar BANKS residential Hokitika clerk
(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

West Coast Times newspaper 29 July 1887
THANKS – I beg to Return the Sincere Thanks of Myself and Family to D W Virtue Esq., and his Sons, also to Messrs Robinson Junior and Mr George Cooke for their Prompt Response to the Alarm of Fire this Morning and the hearty assistance and by whose kind and timely aid my Cottage and Property were saved from total destruction by fire.
WILLIAM DUNBAR BANKS Hall Street 28th July 1887
(Reference Papers past website West Coast Times newspaper 29 July 1887)

1887 Hokitika Electoral Roll West Coast
William Dunbar BANKS freehold Hokitika town clerk Town sections Hokitika
Williams Arthur Dunbar BANKS freehold Hokitika clerk Town sections Hokitika
Charles Griffiths BANKS residential Hokitika clerk
(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

West Coast Times newspaper 21 April 1888
From W D Banks resigning position of Town Clerk on account of ill-health hoping the Council would recognise his long service.
(Reference Papers past website West Coast Times newspaper 21 April 1888)

West Coast Times newspaper 13 June 1888 (plus other newspapers)

Auction - This Day Wednesday 13 June at 2 pm – R W Wade & Co., under instructions from Mr Arthur W Banks will sell by auction on the premises Section 831 Hall street as above - Cottage at present in the occupation of Mr W D Banks (whose family is leaving Hokitika) containing nine rooms, bath room, fruit garden, &c, having a frontage of 66 feet, comprising 5 acre. Also Household Furniture and Effects, including splendid piano, hair seated couch and chair, tables, bedstead, copper boiler &c. Terms for Property Liberal. E W Wade Auctioneer
(Reference Papers past website West Coast Times newspaper 13 June 1888)

West Coast Times newspaper 11 August 1888

Port of Hokitika - Passengers per Waipawa outwards Messrs W D Banks, White and three others.

(Reference Papers past website West Coast Times newspaper 11 August 1888)

West Coast Times newspaper 23 October 1888

From Private letters recently received from Melbourne we learn that Mr W D Banks has left that city for Ballarat.

(Reference Papers past website West Coast Times newspaper 23 October 1888)

1893 Wellington Electoral Roll

Maria Louisa BANKS 64 Wellington Terrace married women residential

(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

William Dunbar BANKS died 27 March 1894 Wellington New Zealand

(Reference RGO NZ death registration 1894 folio website 1894/2931 age 64 born about 1830)

West Coast Times newspaper 11 April 1894

There is scarcely an old Hokitikian but will hear with a pang of regret that Mr W D Banks formerly Town Clerk of this town died in Wellington on 27 March being then 64 years of age. Mr Banks was a very old resident of this district and was a man of many parts. He was not without faults it is true but the remembrance of his kindly genial disposition will long be in the memory of scores of friends after his failings are forgotten.

(Reference Papers past website West Coast Times newspaper 11 April 1894)

1896 Wellington Electoral Roll

Maria Louisa BANKS 64 Wellington Terrace married women residential

Charles Griffiths BANKS Hawkestone Terrace clerk residential

Frederick Ernest BANKS Hawestone Terrace clerk residential

(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

1900 Wellington Electoral Roll

Maria Louisa BANKS 3 Hawkestone Terrace widow residential

Annie Louisa BANKS 3 Hawkestone Terrace spinster teacher residential

Charles Griffiths BANKS Hawkestone Terrace clerk residential

(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

1905-1906 Wellington North Electoral Roll

Maria Louisa BANKS 3 Hawkestone Terrace widow

Charles Griffiths BANKS 3 Hawkestone Terrace clerk

Henry HAWESTONE Terrace law clerk

(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

1908 Wellington North Electoral Roll

Maria Louisa BANKS 3 Hawkestone Terrace widow

May Maud BANKS 3 Hawestone Terrace spinster

Henry HAWESTONE 3 Hawestone Terrace law clerk

Frederick Ernest BANKS 3 Hawkestone Terrace clerk

(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

Maria's daughter Annie Louisa was promoted to head teacher at Mungaroa School later known as Te Marua School in Upper Hutt. Maria and some of her family settled in Upper Hutt with Annie in the School house.

1911 Hutt Electoral Roll

Maria Louisa BANKS Upper Hutt widow

Annie Louisa BANKS Upper Hutt spinster [teacher]

May Maud BANKS Upper Hutt spinster

(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

Maria Louisa BANKS died 29 February 1912 Upper Hutt New Zealand

(Reference RGO NZ death registration 1912 folio website 1912/3050 age 72 born about 1840)

Hutt Valley Independent newspaper 02 March 1912

Death – Mrs Banks mother of Miss Banks (teacher at Mangaroa School) died on Thursday at the age of 72. The internment is fixed for Monday at Karori

(Reference Papers past website Hutt Valley Independent newspaper 02 March 1912)

Lyttleton Times newspaper 01 March 1920

In Memoriam – BANKS – In Loving memory of Maria Louisa Banks relict of the late William Dunbar Banks of Hokitika who died at Wellington 29 February 1912 – Gone but not forgotten – Inserted by her loving children.

(Reference Papers past website Lyttleton Times newspaper 01 March 1920)

Karori cemetery Area 01 block A row 03 plot 034 Wellington

In loving memory of Wm Dunbar BANKS departed this life 27 March 184 aged 63 In loving memory of Maria Louisa BANKS departed this life 29 February 1912 aged 72

William and Maria BANKS their children and descendants

- 1- Mary Alice BANKS** born 1861 Amherst Victoria Australia died 1940 New Zealand married 1892 New Zealand **John BUSTARD** born 1853 place unknown died 1935 New Zealand
#Mary Alice BANKS was born 26 March 1861 Amherst Victoria Australia. Her parents were Maria Louisa nee Griffiths and William Dunbar Banks reference Ancestry website RGO Australian birth registration 1861 number 9551
#Family Notices - Births – On the 26th [sic] instant at Amherst Mrs William Dunbar BANKS of a daughter reference Trove website Maryborough and Dunolly Advertiser newspaper Monday 11 March 1861
#Alice Mary BANKS married 1892 New Zealand John BUSTARD reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1892 folio website 1892/1139
#John BUSTARD died 1935 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1935 folio website 1935/28053 age 82 born about 1853
#Alice Mary BUSTARD died 1940 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1940 folio website 1940/15780 age 78 born about 1862
#Alice and John had 4 children – Irene Alice Rubina born 1900, Charles Henry Allan born 1901, Louisa May Maud born 1903 and Leonard James who had his birth was registered in 1925 all born in New Zealand
- 2- Alfred Abraham BANKS** born 1862 Melbourne Australia died date and place unknown
#Alfred Abraham BANKS was born 1862 Melbourne Victoria Australia. His parents were Maria nee Griffiths and William Dunbar Banks reference Ancestry website RGO birth registration 1862 Victoria Australian birth registration number 15920
Not sure #Alfred BANKS died 1944 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1944 folio website 1944/22184 age 81 born about 1863
Not sure #Alfred BANKS 133 Tweed Street 88 years buried 12 April 1944 Block 32/333 & Alfred Abraham BANKS buried 20 July 1863 Block 1/1X & George BANKS Kew Hospital 83

years died 21 May cremated 24 May 1985 & George BANKS 102 Jed Street 72 years buried 11 June 1970 Catholic Block 10/43 burial cemetery Invercargill

- 3- **William Arthur Dunbar BANKS** born 23 May 1864 New Zealand died 29 June 1938 Christchurch New Zealand married 05 April 1899 New Zealand **Maude Eliza/Elizabeth CLARKE** born 1873 Sydney New South Wales Australia died 14 July 1960 Christchurch New Zealand

#William Arthur Dunbar BANKS born 23 May 1864 Hokitika West Coast New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1864 folio website 1864/22194 parents Mary Louisa and William Dunbar Banks

#William Arthur Dunbar BANKS married 05 April 1899 New Zealand Maude Eliza CLARKE reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1899 folio 2140 website 1899/2234

#Marriages – BANKS – CLARKE – 05 April at St Michaels Church by the Rev A W Averill, Arthur William Dunbar oldest son of the late William Dunbar Banks of Hokitika to Maude eldest daughter of Henry George Clarke of Christchurch reference Papers past website Star newspaper 28 April 1899

#William Arthur Dunbar BANKS died 29 June 1938 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1938 folio website 1938/18412 age 74 born about 1864

#Maude Elizabeth BANKS died 14 July 1960 Christchurch New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1960 folio website 1960/27283 age 86 born about 1874

#William and Maude BANKS has 2 children their births were registered then altered in 1955 Clifton George Mockler Banks & Leslie Percival Smythernan Banks (1900-1961)

- 4- **Charles Griffiths BANKS** born 1866 Hokitika New Zealand died 1940 New Zealand married 07 July 1909 Levin New Zealand **Mary Elizabeth GUNN** born 1874 place unknown died 1932 New Zealand

#Charles Griffiths BANKS born 1866 Hokitika New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1866 folio website 1866/23278 parents Maria Louisa and William Dunbar Banks

#Charles Griffiths BANKS married 1909 New Zealand Mary Elizabeth GUNN reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1909 folio website 1909/3305

#Levin – 07 July - A very pretty wedding was that of Miss Mary E Gunn, eldest daughter of Mr D Gunn, to Charles G Banks third son of Mr C Banks Wellington, which was solemnised at St. Mary's Church Levin on Wednesday 07th July. The bride who was given away by her stepfather wore a very handsome Empire robe of cream-chiffon taffeta, trimmed with Mechlin lace and net, finished with silver tassels and silver tissue underneath the dainty net yoke. She carried a very lovely shower bouquet and wore a very handsome bangle, the gift of the bridegroom. The two bridesmaids Miss May Banks (sister of the bridegroom) and Miss E Foster were attired in charming Empire frocks of pink linen over soft silk, trimmed with tulle and black ribbon velvet. Their large picturesque black silk Merry Widow hats were trimmed with shell pink roses and quantities of tulle and black ribbon velvet strings. The bridegroom's gifts to the bridesmaids were handsome gold bee brooches. The bridegroom was attended by Mr Harry Banks as best man and Mr T E Thompson groomsman. The ceremony was performed by the Rev Samuel Compton MA. After the ceremony a reception was held in the Century Hall. The fortunate couple received some costly and handsome presents from many parts of New Zealand. Mr and Mrs Banks left for Sydney via Wellington by the evening train, amid a shower of confetti. Mr and Mrs Banks will be absent about a month reference Papers past website Manawatu Standard newspaper 08 July 1909

#Mary Elizabeth BANKS died 1932 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1932 folio website 1932/5250 age 58 born about 1874

#Charles Griffith BANKS died 1940 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1940 folio website 1940/18360 age 74 born about 1866

- 5- **Frederick Ernest BANKS** born 1870 Hokitika West Coast New Zealand died 1950 New Zealand (never married)

#Frederick Ernest BANKS born 1870 Hokitika New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1870 folio website 1870/25476 parents Maria Louisa and William Dunbar Banks

#Frederick Ernest BANKS died 1950 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1950 folio website 1950/30894 age 80 born about 1870

- 6- **Annie Louisa BANKS** born 11 November 1871 died 1960 Auckland New Zealand 1st married 14 January 1918 Auckland New Zealand **Thomas James STANLEY** born 22 July 1875 Te

Aroha Auckland New Zealand died 04 September 1918 at Sea (WW1 Influenza) 2nd married
27 December 1924 Auckland New Zealand **Charles Fortescue BROWN** born 1859-1862
Lewes Sussex England died 1940 New Zealand
#Annie Louisa BANKS born 11 November 1871 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth
registration 1871 folio website 1871/26609 parents Maria Louisa and William Dunbar Banks
#Annie Louisa BANKS Teacher Hawkes Bay 1891 NZ Gazette Teacher exams page 281
#Miss Annie Louisa BANKS name Hawkes Bay engagement E5 rank residence 25 June 1892
Teachers Examination and Licenses extract New Zealand Gazette Wellington Thursday 30
June 1892 No 53 page 942
#Annie BANKS Female Pupil Teacher Clyde Quay School 1893 Wellington Education Board
#Annie Louisa BANKS name Hawkes Bay engagement E5 rank Teachers Examinations and
Licenses extract New Zealand Gazette Wellington Friday 30 June 1893 page 1019
#Annie BANKS Female Pupil Teacher Clyde Quay School 1894 Wellington Education Board
#Annie Louisa BANKS Hawkes Bay obtained partial pass for class D residence date 23
February 1894 Teacher's Examinations and Licenses extract New Zealand Gazette
Wellington Monday 26 February 1894 page 325
#Miss Annie Louisa BANKS name – Wellington engagement - D5 rank - E ground of
promotion Teachers Examinations and Licenses extract New Zealand Gazette Wellington
Saturday 29 June 1895 No 49 page 1048
#Annie BANKS Assistant Female Shannon School 1896 Wellington Education Board
#Annie Louisa BANKS Shannon teacher residential 1896 Manawatu Electoral Roll
#Miss Annie Louisa BANKS Teacher Wellington 1896 NZ Gazette Teacher page 1047
#Miss Annie Louisa BANKS name – Wellington engagement – D4 rank Teachers
Examinations and Licenses extracts New Zealand Gazette Wellington Thursday 30 June
1898 page 1093
#Annie Louisa BANKS Teacher Hawkes Bay 1899 NZ Gazette Teacher page 1258
#Miss Annie Louisa BANKS engagement Wellington - Rank D4 – Ground of promotion E, M
(examination marks) – Friday 30 June 1899 Teacher's examinations Licenses extract New
Zealand Gazette Wellington Friday 30 June 1899 page 1258 No 57 (07 July 1899)
#Miss Annie Louisa BANKS Teacher Wellington 1900 NZ Gazette Teacher page 1273
#Miss Annie Louisa BANKS name – Wellington engagement – D3 block – S ground of
promotion Teachers Examinations and Licenses extract New Zealand Gazette Saturday 30
June 1900 page 1273
#Annie Louisa BANKS Karaka Bay Teacher 1900 Wellington Electoral Roll Wellington
#Annie Louisa BANKS 3 Hawkestone terrace teacher residential & Maria Louisa BANKS 3
Hawkestone terrace widow residential & Charles Griffiths Hawkestone terrace clerk residential
1900 Wellington Electoral Roll
#Miss Annie Louisa BANKS Teacher Wellington 1901 NZ Gazette Teacher register pg 1397
#Miss Annie Louisa BANKS name – Wellington engagement – D3 Rank Wellington New
Zealand Gazette Saturday 29 June 1901 page 1397
#Miss Annie Louisa BANKS name – Wellington engagement – D3 Rank Teachers
Examinations and Licenses extract Wellington New Zealand Gazette Friday 27 June 1902 No
51 page 1394
#Miss Annie Louisa BANKS name – Wellington engagement – S.M. ground of promotion
Teachers Examinations and Licenses Extract New Zealand Gazette Wellington Thursday 30
June 1903 page 1489
#Miss Annie Louisa BANKS name Wellington engagement Teachers Examinations and
Licenses extract New Zealand Gazette Wellington Thursday 30 June 1904 No 57 page 1662
#Miss Annie Louisa BANKS name – Wellington engagement Teacher's Examinations and
Licenses extract New Zealand Gazette Wellington Friday 07 July 1905 page 1651
#Annie Louisa BANKS Karaka Bay Teacher 1905-1906 Newtown Electoral Roll Wellington
#Miss Annie Louisa BANKS name - Wellington engagement - Teacher's Examinations and
Licenses extract New Zealand Gazette Friday 06 July 1906 page 1873
#Miss Annie Louisa BANKS Wellington Teachers Examination and Licenses extract New
Zealand Gazette Wellington Wednesday 10 July 1907 No 60 page 2030
#Miss Annie Louisa BANKS Teacher's Examinations and Licenses extract New Zealand
Gazette extract Wellington New Zealand Gazette 09 July 1908 No 55 page 1894

#Annie L BANKS Assistant Female Mount Cook Girls School 1908 Wellington Education Board
#Miss Annie Louisa BANKS Teacher Wellington 1908 NZ Gazette Teacher page 1894
#Miss Annie Louisa BANKS name - Wellington engagement Teachers Examinations and Licenses extract New Zealand Gazette Wellington Wednesday 30 June 1909 page 1701
#Annie L BANKS Assistant Female Mount Cook Girls School 1908 & 1910 Wellington Education Board
#Miss Annie Louisa BANKS name - Wellington engagement Teachers Examinations and Licenses Extract New Zealand Gazette Thursday 30 June 1910 No 64 page 1840
#Miss Annie Louisa BANKS name – Wellington engagement – Teachers Examinations and Licenses extracts New Zealand Gazette Wellington Friday 30 June 1911 No 54 page 2118
#After school on Wednesday (March 29) the staff of the Mount Cook Girls School assembled in the teachers room to bid farewell to Miss Banks the first assistant who has been promoted to the position of head mistress of the Mungaroa School. When afternoon tea had been dispensed the headmistress Miss Helyer on behalf of the staff presented Miss Banks with two handsomely-bound volumes – one Tennyson and one of Emerson reference National Library of New Zealand Papers past website Evening Post newspaper 01 April 1911
#[In 1911 Annie Louisa BANKS her mother, brother and sister settled in Upper Hutt] *In 1910 tenders were invited to build a house in Mungaroa and information could be obtained from Mrs Evans at Mungaroa School who Annie replaced as head female teacher reference Papers past website Evening Post newspaper 15, 17 & 18 January 1910 [was this tender for a new school house where the Banks family would later reside]*
#Annie L BANKS Female Mungaroa School 1911 Wellington Education Board
#Annie Louisa BANKS Upper Hutt spinster [teacher] & Maria Louisa BANKS Upper Hutt widow [mother] & May Maud BANKS Upper Hutt spinster [sister] 1911 Hutt Electoral Roll
#Schools Mangaroa Roll 29 [pupils] Teacher Miss Banks reference Papers past website Hutt Valley Independent newspaper 19 May & 10-24 June & 15-29 July & 05-26 August & 02-30 September & 07-28 October & 4-18 November & 02-30 December 1911
#Annie L BANKS Female Mungaroa School 1912 Wellington Education Board
#Schools Mangaroa Roll 29 teacher Miss Banks Commissioner Mr J T Benge reference Papers past website Hutt Valley Independent 19 May & 10, 24 June & 15, 22 July & 05, 12, 19, 26 August & 02, 23, 30 September & 07, 21, 28 October & 04, 11, 18, November & 02, 09, 16, 30, December 1911 & 06, 13, 20, 27 January & 03, 10, 17, February & 09, 23, 30 March 1912
#Schools Mangaroa Roll 29 [pupils] Teacher Miss Banks reference Papers past website Hutt Valley Independent newspaper 06-27 January & 03-17 February & 09-30 March & 25 May & 01-29 June & 06-27 July & 03-31 August & 21-28 September & 05-26 October & 02-30 November & 07-28 December 1912
#Death – Mrs Banks mother of Miss Banks (teacher at Mangaroa School) died on Thursday at the age of 72. The internment is fixed for Monday at Karori reference Papers past website Hutt Valley Independent newspaper 02 March 1912
#Miss Annie Louisa BANKS – Wellington engagement – M ground of promotion Teachers Examination and Licenses Extract New Zealand Gazette Wellington Saturday 29 June 1912 page 2105
#Annie L BANKS Head Female Te Marua School 1913 Wellington Education Board
#Schools Mangaroa Roll Teacher Miss Banks reference Papers past website Hutt Valley Independent newspaper 04-25 January & 01-22 February & 01-29 March & 05-26 April & 03-31 May & 07-21 June & 05-26 July [in July Annie's brother Henry became teacher at Karapoti School] & 02-30 August & 06-27 September & 04-25 October & 01-29 November & 06-27 December 1913
#Annie L BANKS Head Female Te Marua School 1914 Wellington Education Board
#Annie Louisa BANKS Upper Hutt spinster & May Maud BANKS Upper Hutt spinster 1914 Hutt Electoral Roll
#Henry BANKS was listed as gardener Upper Hutt part 124 II Rimutaka valuation 3/62/290 on the 1914-1924 Land Valuation Rolls for Hutt County districts - this was not Annie's brother but Henry & Agnes Banks who also resided in Upper Hutt

#Schools Mangaroa Roll Teacher Miss Banks reference Papers past website Hutt Valley Independent newspaper 03-31 January & 07-28 February & 07-28 March & 11-25 April & 02-30 May & 06-27 June & 04-25 July & 01-29 August & 05-26 September & 03-31 October & 07-28 November & 05-26 December 1914 [Annie's brother Henry teacher Karapoti School in Akatarawa]

#Schools Mangaroa Roll teacher Miss Banks reference Papers past website Hutt Valley Independent 25 May & 01, 08, 15, 22, 29 June & 06, 13, 20, 27 July & 03, 10, 17, 24, 31, August & 21, 28, September & 05, 12, 19, 26, October 02, 09, 16, 23, November 07, 14, 21, 28 December 1912 & 04, 11, 18, 25 January & 01, 08, 15, 22 February & 01, 08, 15, 22, 29 March & 05, 19, 26 April & 03, 10, 17, 24, 31 May & 07, 14, 21 June & 05, 12, 26, July 02, 09, 16, 23, 30 August 06, 13, 20, 25, 27 September 04, 11, 18, 25 October 01, 08, 15, 22, 29 November 06, 13, 20, 27 December 1913 Plus 1914 Plus 1915

#Are you there – Boost Upper Hutt Exchange – Half century reached one more wanted - While further afield we might have “party lines” of three, four, five or six on a wire connecting some of the following with the exchange – Miss Banks, Mrs S Benge, S Hooper, Frank Benge – [plus others listed but not transcribed reference Papers past website Hutt Valley Independent newspaper 14 March 1914

#Amusements - Euchre Tournament May Morn - A most enjoyable progressive euchre party was held in the May Morn schoolroom on Friday of last week. It was the first social event ever held in the Valley and proved a great success, there were forty players, besides many onlookers. The prizes were won by Mrs Butterworth and Mr White while Mrs Clifton and Mr Collett achieved celebrity by carrying off the booby trophies. An excellent supper was provided by the Ladies Committee. After supper an impromptu concert was given - Mrs Hope and Messrs Banks, and Leonard contributed excellent recitations and Messrs Seed, McKinnon and Butterworth sang. It is proposed to hold these social evenings once a month to provide funds for a piano for the school. The next one will be held at full moon next month reference Papers past website Hutt Valley Independent newspaper 27 June 1914

#Annie Louisa BANKS Upper Hutt spinster 1914 Hutt Electoral Roll

#Miss Annie Louisa BANKS name – Wellington Engagement Teachers Examinations and Licenses Extract New Zealand Gazette Wellington Tuesday 30 June 1914 No 61 page 2588

#Miss Annie Louisa BANKS name – Wellington engagement Teachers Examinations and Licenses extract New Zealand Gazette Wellington Friday 02 July 1915 No 80 page 2246

#Name Annie Louisa BANKS - certificate D1 – Consecutive number in graded list 2359 - engagement P.S. (primary school) - teacher Wellington New Zealand Gazette Wellington Thursday 29 June 1916 page 2133

#Annie L BANKS Head Female Te Marua School 1915 Wellington Education Board

#Schools Mangaroa Roll Teacher Miss Banks reference Papers past website Hutt Valley Independent newspaper 02-30 January & 06-27 February & 06-27 March & 03-24 April & 01-29 May & 05-26 June & 03-24 July & 14-28 August & 04-25 September & 01-09 October & 06-27 November & 04-31 December 1915 [Annie's brother Henry/Harry teacher Karapoti School who registered for service in August 1915]

#The Children's Bazaar held at Te Marua School on 03 September resulted in the teachers (Miss Banks and O'Donnell) being able to hand over £20 to the Wounded Soldiers Fund reference Papers past website Hutt Valley Independent newspaper 25 September 1915

#Schools Mangaroa Roll Teacher Miss Banks reference Papers past website Hutt Valley Independent newspaper 22-29 January 1916

#Harry [Henry, Annie's brother] Banks (school teacher) has gone into camp reference Papers past website Hutt Valley Independent newspaper 26 August 1916

#Mentioned in the local 1916 newspapers was “Banks supper room” – I do not know if there is a connection with the premises to this Banks family

#Annie L BANKS Head Female Te Marua School 1917 Wellington Education Board

#Annie Louisa BANKS Teacher 1917 NZ Gazette Teacher page 2563

#Annie L BANKS Teacher Wellington 1917 NZ Gazette Teachers page 2608

#Name Annie Louisa BANKS - certificate D – Consecutive number in graded list 72 - engagement P.S. (primary school) - teacher Wellington New Zealand Gazette Wellington Friday 29 June 1917 page 2563

#Name Annie Louisa BANKS - certificate D – Consecutive number in graded list 72 - engagement P.S. (primary school) - teacher Wellington New Zealand Gazette Wellington Friday 21 June 1918 page 2343

#Thomas James STANLEY born 1875 Te Aroha New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1875 folio website 1875/2928 parents Mary Ann and Thomas Stanley

#Annie Louisa BANKS married 14 January 1918 Auckland New Zealand (widower) Thomas James STANLEY reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1918 folio 356 website 1918/172

#Thomas James STANLEY died 04 September 1918 (influenza epidemic) at sea on ship Tahiti reference RGO NZ death registration 1918 folio website 1918/82040 age 43 born about 1875

#Stanley T J Husband of Miss Bank's sister. Died of influenza at sea on 04 September reference Papers past website Hutt Valley Independent newspaper 21 September 1918

#Private Thomas J Stanley of the fortieth reinforcements who died from influenza at sea, was the eldest son of Mr T Stanley Mayor of Te Aroha. After going to the front with an early reinforcement draft, he was invalided home on account of the loss of several toes through wounds in battle, and after a stay at Te Aroha re-enlisted this year. Private Stanley who was 45 years of age leaves a widow and five children by his first marriage reference Papers past website New Zealand Herald newspaper 21 September 1918

#Miss Annie Louisa BANKS Teacher Wellington 1919 NZ Gazette Teachers register page 1840

#Mrs Annie Louisa STANLEY name - D certificate - 69 consecutive number in graded list - PS engagement (primary school) Teachers Examinations and Licenses extract New Zealand Gazette Wellington Tuesday 22 April 1919 No 49 page 1134

#Annie Louisa STANLEY Te Marua Upper Hutt widow 1919 Hutt ER & 1919 Otaki ER

#Annie Louisa STANLEY Te Marua Upper Hutt widow 1919 Hutt Electoral Roll

#Teachers Resignations – The Following resignations were reported at the meeting of the Education Board today – Mrs A L Stanley head teacher Te Marua [plus other names] reference Papers past website Evening Post newspaper 19 November 1919 & two newspaper articles 1920 recorded the resignations as Miss A L Stanley and Mr A L Stanley head teacher Te Marua School

#A very pleasant gathering took place on Tuesday at the breaking-up ceremony of the Te Marua School Upper Hutt when the committee and parents of the children assembled to bid farewell to the head teacher Mrs A L Stanley who is retiring from the profession and intends to make her future home in Auckland. The opportunity was taken to present her with a silver cake dish as a slight token of esteem. Small mementoes of their stay in the district were also given to her sister Miss May Banks and to Miss Verna Stanley reference Papers past website Evening Post newspaper 18 December 1919 & Dominion newspaper 19 December 1919

#Charles Fortescue BROWN born 1862 Lewes Sussex England reference Ancestry website RGO UK birth registration 1862 March quarter district Lewes County Sussex England volume 2b page 153 parents Elizabeth A and Thomas Brown

#Charles Fortescue Brown against Kate Louisa Brown three year separation divorced reference Papers past website New Zealand Herald newspaper 29 August 1924

#Annie Louisa STANLEY (widow) married 27 December 1924 Auckland New Zealand Charles Fortescue BROWN reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1924 folio 8295 website 1924/6238

#Charles Fortescue BROWN Otahuhu settler residential & Katherine BROWN Otahuhu domestic duties residential 1896 Franklin Electoral Roll Auckland

#Annie Louisa BROWN The Terrace E1 married & Charles Fortescue BROWN The Terrace E1 retired 1938 Remuera Electoral Roll Auckland

#Charles Fortescue BROWN died 1940 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1940 folio 3603 website 1940/17311 age 81 born about 1859

#Deaths – BROWN On 27 October (after a short illness Charles Fortescue late of Warkworth) dearly loved husband of Annie Louisa Brown Funeral will leave his late residence 52 Tarawera Terrace St Heliers Bay 2 pm today (Tuesday) for Purewa Cemetery reference Papers past website New Zealand Herald 29 October 1940

#Charles Fortescue age 81 years born about 1859 Newmarket England last address 52 Tarawera Terrace St Heliers Retired storekeeper died 1940 buried 29 October 1940 Purewa cemetery plot A/030/102 Auckland relative information Mrs A Brown

#Obituary – Mr C F Brown – The death has occurred of Mr Charles Fortescue Brown of St Heliers aged 81 years. Mr Brown who was born at Lewes England came to New Zealand at the age of 18 under Sir Julius Vogels colonisation scheme and was employed at the Cheviot estate in Canterbury. He later joined the armed constabulary and was one of the party which arrested Te Whiti the Maori prophet in Taranaki. He took up farming in North Auckland and was associated with the North Auckland Farmers' co-operative Ltd. He retired about five years ago reference Papers past website Auckland Star newspaper 14 November 1940

#Annie Louisa BROWN 6 Maheke Street E1 widow 1946 Tamaki Electoral Roll Auckland

#Annie Louisa BROWN 6 Maheke Street E1 widow 1949 Tamaki Electoral Roll Auckland

#Annie Louisa BROWN 6 Maheka Street E1 widow 1954 Tamaki Electoral Roll Auckland

#Annie Louisa BROWN 66 Maheke Street E1 widow 1957 Tamaki Electoral Roll Auckland

#Annie Louisa BROWN died 1960 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1960 folio 4409 website 1960/23651 age 88 born about 1872

7- Sarah Adeline (Addy) BANKS born 1873 Hokitika Westcoast New Zealand died 1961 New Zealand married October 1906 Wellington New Zealand **Bertrand COOPER** born 1882 New Zealand died 1943 New Zealand

#Sarah Adeline BANKS born 1873 Hokitika New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1873 folio 216 website 1873/16667 parents Maria Louisa and William Dunbar

#Adeline Sarah BANKS Teacher 03 March 1904 Wellington New Zealand Gazettes page 161

#Bertrand COOPER born 1882 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1882 folio website 1882/2926 parents Margarete and James Cooper

#Sarah Adeline BANKS married 1906 New Zealand Bertrand COOPER reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1906 folio 7501 website 1906/7441

#At St Pauls Pro-Cathedral on Wednesday Mr B Cooper of Wellington was married to Miss Adoline Banks daughter of the late Mr W D Banks of Hokitika. The bride was given away by her brother Mr F Banks and was attended by her sister (Miss May Banks) and Miss Lewis. The bridegroom was assisted by his brother Mr H Cooper of Hawkes Bay as best man and by Mr C G Banks of Levin as groomsman. A reception was afterwards held at the residence of the bride's mother reference Papers past website Evening Post newspaper 26 October 1906

#Bertrand COOPER died 1943 Wellington New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1943 folio website 1943/27426 age 62 born about 1882

#Sarah Adeline COOPER died 1961 Wellington New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1961 folio 21244 website 1961/23992 age 78 born about 1883

8- Florence Dunbar BANKS born 1874 Hokitika West Coast New Zealand died 14 October 1955 Auckland New Zealand married 21 March 1903 New Zealand **Leonard John SIMPSON** born date unknown in England died date and place unknown

#Florence Dunbar BANKS born 1874 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1874 folio website 1874/36559 parents Maria Louisa and William Dunbar Banks

#Florence Dunbar BANKS married 1903 New Zealand Leonard John SIMPSON reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1903 folio website 1903/1675

#A pretty wedding was quietly solemnised at S. Paul's Pro-Cathedral on 21st March when Miss Florence Dunbar Banks daughter of the late Mr Wm Dunbar Banks of Hokitika, was united to Mr Leonard J Simpson son of Mr Henry Simpson of Liverpool England. The bride who was given away by her brother looked very charming in her travelling gown of blue frieze, stylishly trimmed with satin and net and she wore a large black picture hat. Her attendants were her three sisters who wore pretty gowns and gold and opal rings the gift of the bridegroom. Mr H Banks acted as best man and the ceremony was performed by the Rev. T H. Spratt. Mr and Mrs Simpson were the recipients of a large number of useful and costly presents including some family heirlooms and silver from the bridegroom's parents reference Papers past website Free Lance newspaper 18 April 1903

#Florence Dunbar SIMPSON died 1955 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1955 folio website 1955/3080 age 78 born about 1877

- #Florence Dunbar SIMPSON home duties 14 Glasgow Terrace Grafton age 78 died 14 October 1955 cremated 15 October 1955 Waikumete cemetery Auckland funeral Watney Sibus and Sons Limited
- 9- John Shaw BANKS** born 1876 Hokitika West Coast New Zealand died 11 March 1876 Hokitika West Coast New Zealand (died young never married)
#John Shaw BANKS born 1876 Hokitika West Coat New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1876 folio website 1876/1231 parents Maria Louisa and William Dunbar Banks
#John Shaw BANKS died 1876 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1876 folio website 1876/1432 age 11 weeks born about 1876
#John Shaw BANKS age 3 months born about 1875/1876 died 11 March 1876 buried Sunday 12 March 1876 Barbadoes Street cemetery Christchurch
- 10- Emilie Shaw BANKS** born January 1877 Hokitika Westcoast New Zealand died 1 May 1881 Hokitika West Coast New Zealand (died young never married)
#Emilie Shaw BANKS born 1877 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1877 folio website 1877/1936 parents Maria Louisa and William Dunbar Banks
#Deaths - Emilie Shaw aged 4 years and 3 months fifth daughter of William Dunbar BANKS reference Papers past website West Coast Times newspaper 26 May 1881
#Emilie Shaw BANKS died religion Church of England buried 26 May 1881 Hokitika cemetery block 181 plot 2613 West Coast in same plot as Leonora Banks reference Hokitika cemetery website record 20344
- 11- May Maude/Maud BANKS** born 10 April 1878 Hokitika West Coast New Zealand died 14 October 1955 Auckland New Zealand married 30 August 1921 New Zealand **William Henry PHILLIPS** born 1870 New Zealand died 22 January 1950 Auckland New Zealand
#May Maude BANKS born 10 April 1878 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1878 folio 1471 website 1878/11242 parents Maria Louisa and William Dunbar Banks
#May Maud BANKS 3 Hawkestone Terrace spinster 1905-1906 Wellington North Elect Roll
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#Levin – 07 July - A very pretty wedding was that of Miss Mary E Gunn, eldest daughter of Mr D Gunn, to Charles G Banks third son of Mr C Banks Wellington, which was solemnised at St. Mary's Church Levin on Wednesday 07th July. The bride who was given away by her stepfather wore a very handsome Empire robe of cream-chiffon taffeta, trimmed with Mechlin lace and net, finished with silver tassels and silver tissue underneath the dainty net yoke. She carried a very lovely shower bouquet and wore a very handsome bangle, the gift of the bridegroom. The two bridesmaids Miss May Banks (sister of the bridegroom) and Miss E Foster, were attired in charming Empire frocks of pink linen over soft silk, trimmed with tulle and black ribbon velvet. Their large picturesque black silk Merry Widow hats were trimmed with shell pink roses and quantities of tulle and black ribbon velvet strings. The bridegroom's gifts to the bridesmaids were handsome gold bee brooches. The bridegroom was attended by Mr Harry Banks as best man and Mr T E Thompson groomsman. The ceremony was performed by the Rev Samuel Compton MA. After the ceremony a reception was held in the Century Hall. The fortunate couple received some costly and handsome presents from many parts of New Zealand. Mr and Mrs Banks left for Sydney via Wellington by the evening train, amid a shower of confetti. Mr and Mrs Banks will be absent about a month reference Papers past website Manawatu Standard newspaper 08 July 1909 & New Zealand Times newspaper 09 July 1906 & Free Lance newspaper 17 July 1909
#May Maud BANKS Upper Hutt spinster & Maria Louisa BANKS Upper Hutt widow & Annie Louisa BANKS Upper Hutt spinster 1911 Hutt Electoral Roll
#May Maud BANKS Upper Hutt spinster & Annie Louisa BANKS Upper Hutt spinster 1914 Hutt Electoral Roll
#May Maud BANKS Te Marua Upper Hutt spinster 1919 Otaki Electoral Roll

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#William Henry PHILLIPS born 1870 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1870 folio website 1870/86 parents Mary and John Phillips

#May Maud BANKS married 30 August 1921 New Zealand William Henry PHILLIPS reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1921 folio website 1921/2064

#May Maud PHILLIPS 14 Glasgow Street married & William Henry PHILLIPS 14 Glasgow Street salesman 1928 & 1935 Auckland East Electoral Roll

#May Maud PHILLIPS 14 Glasgow Terrace C3 married & William Henry PHILLIPS 14 Glasgow Terrace C3 metal smelter 1938 Auckland East Electoral Roll

#May Maud PHILLIPS 14 Glasgow Terrace C3 married & William Henry PHILLIPS 14 Glasgow Terrace C3 smelter 1946 & 1949 Parnell Electoral Roll Auckland

#William Henry PHILLIPS died October 1950 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1950 folio website 1950/17129 age 78 born about 1872

#William Henry PHILLIPS age 78 born died 22 January 1950 buried 24 January 1950 Purewa cemetery plot number J/009/007Auckland

#May Maud PHILLIPS 14 Glasgow Terrace C3 widow 1954 Auckland Central Electoral Roll

#May Maud PHILLIPS died 14 October 1955 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1955 folio website 1955/27352 age 74 born about 1881

#May Maud PHILLIPS age 74 born NZ about 1881 widow last address 6 Maheke Street St Heliers Bay died 15 October 1955 buried 17 October 1955 Purewa cemetery plot number J/009/007Auckland

12- Leonora BANKS born 1879 Hokitika West Coast New Zealand died 11 September 1879 Hokitika West Coast (died young never married)

#Leonora BANKS born 1879 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1879 folio website 1879/11501 parents Maria Louisa and William Dunbar Banks

#Leonora BANKS died 11 September 1879 Hokitika West Coast New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1879 folio website 1879/4735 age 7 weeks born about 1879

#Leonora BANKS died religion Anglican buried 13 September 1879 Hokitika cemetery block 181 plot 2613 West Coast along with her sister Emilie Shaw Banks record number 20400

13- Henry Dunbar (Harry) BANKS born 10 April 1881 Wellington New Zealand died 04 November 1918 France (KIA during WW1 never married)

#Henry BANKS born 1881 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1881 folio website 1881/4796 parents Maria Louisa and William Dunbar Banks

#Harry BANKS birth date 10 April 1881 address Cambridge Terrace admission date 15 May 1893 last school Napier last day 28 June 1893 register number 4387 Mt Cooks Boys School

#Autobiography of an Armchair by Harry Banks aged 13 [full details of story not transcribed] reference Papers past website Evening Post newspaper 12 May 1894

#Henry BANKS 3 Hawkestone Terrace law clerk & Maria Louisa BANKS 3 Hawkestone Terrace widow & Charles Griffiths BANKS 3 Hawkestone Terrace clerk 1905-1906 Wellington North Electoral Roll

#Henry BANKS 3 Hawkestone Terrace law clerk & Maria Louisa BANKS 3 Hawkestone Terrace widow 1908 Wellington North Electoral Roll

#Henry BANKS 14 Walker Street law clerk 1911 Christchurch South Electoral Roll

#Henry BANKS Master Karapoti School 1912 Wellington Education Board

#Henry BANKS Master Karapoti School 1913 Wellington Education Board

#Karapoti School Teacher Mr H Banks reference Papers past website Hutt Valley Independent newspapers 26 July 1913 to December 1913

#Henry BANKS Upper Hutt school teacher 1914 Electoral Roll

#Henry BANKS Master Karapoti School 1914 Wellington Education Board

#Karapoti School Teacher Mr H Banks reference Papers past website Hutt Valley Independent newspapers 03 January 1914 to December 1914

#Henry BANKS Master Karapoti School 1915 Wellington Education Board

#Karapoti School Teacher Mr H Banks reference Papers past website Hutt Valley Independent newspapers 02 January 1915 to December 1915

#Karapoti School Teacher Mr H Banks reference Papers past website Hutt Valley Independent newspapers 29 January 1916

#Senior Cadet Lieutenant Banks [Annie's brother] is we are informed to join the 22nd Reinforcements & On 17 June we announced that Senior cadet Lieutenant Harry Banks was to receive a commission in the 22nd Reinforcements – He only got official notice five weeks after he read of it in this paper. Goes into camp in August & Harry Banks (school teacher) has gone into camp – 2nd Lieutenant in the 22nd reference Papers past website Hutt Valley Independent newspaper 17 June & 29 July & 26 August 1916

#Our Boys – On 17 June we announced that Senior cadet Lieut Harry Banks was to receive a commission in the 22nd Reinforcements – He only got official notice five weeks after he read it in this paper. Goes into camp in August reference Papers past website Hutt Valley Independent newspaper 29 July 1916

#Service file – Second Lieutenant Henry Dunbar Banks 33098 Wellington Regiment, born 10 April 1881 Hokitika New Zealand, occupation schoolmaster with Education department, address Upper Hutt, next of kin sister Miss A L Banks (later Mrs Stanley) Te Marua, enlisted 22 Aug 1916, embarked 14 Mar 1917, killed in action 04 Nov 1918 France, memorial plaque & scroll to oldest sibling William A D Banks Christchurch, medal entitlement British War medal & Victory medal to sister Mrs A L Stanley, single, age 34 years 4 months, height 5 feet 6 inches, weight 125 lbs, complexion fair, eyes hazel, hair brown, religion Anglican, signed 22 Aug 1916 at Trentham Camp.

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#Our Boys – Harry Banks (school teacher) has gone into camp – 2nd Lieut in the 22nd reference Papers past website Hutt Valley Independent newspaper 25 August 1916

#John J Rodgers has been gazetted acting lieutenant during the absence of H Banks on active service reference Papers past website Hutt Valley Independent newspaper 16 September 1916

#Our Boys - School teacher Harry Banks formerly in the 22nd is now leaving with the 23rd reference Papers past website Hutt Valley Independent newspaper 10 March 1917

#Henry Dunbar BANKS died 04 November 1918 France reference RGO NZ WW1 death registration 1918 folio website 1918/54512 age 37 born about 1881

#Lieutenant Henry Dunbar Banks reported killed in action on 04 November was well-known in Wellington. He was a son of the late William Dunbar Banks formerly Town Clerk at Hokitika and was born at Hokitika. He was educated first at Napier Main School, then at Terrace School Wellington, Wellington College and Victoria College. For several years he was accountant to the legal firm of Messrs Buller and Anderson, now known as Messrs Buddie and Anderson. Later he entered the teaching profession and at the time of his enlistment held a position under the Wellington Education Board. He left New Zealand as second lieutenant with the Twenty-second reinforcements in March 1917 and was wounded in France in October of that year. When convalescent he was appointed a platoon commander in the 3rd Reserve Battalion of the Wellington Regiment at Sling Camp, where he received his promotion. In September last he was sent across to France and news of his death in action came through last week. Lieutenant Banks was a brother of Mr W A D Banks clerk of the Magistrate's Court Christchurch, and of Mrs Stanley of Upper Hutt whose husband Private T J Stanley died of influenza on board the transport that carried the Fourteenth Reinforcements reference Papers past website Hokitika Guardian newspaper 02 December 1918

#Photograph image of Lieut. Henry Dunbar Banks (of Wellington) Killed in Action reference Papers past website Free Lance newspaper 23 January 1919

#In Memoriam – BANKS In loving memory of Lieutenant Harry Banks youngest son of the late W D Banks of Hokitika who was killed in action in France on the 04th November 1918 – Till we meet again – Inserted by his loving brothers and sisters reference Papers past website Lyttleton Times newspaper 04 November 1919

#Connection with Upper Hutt - Henry was a head teacher at Karapoti School and resided in Te Marua Upper Hutt with his mother and sisters. He was in Upper Hutt when he enlisted and completed his military attestation form in Trentham. Henry was mentioned in the local newspaper as one of "Our Boys".

#Brief story regarding his connection to the Upper Hut District = Henry Dunbar (Harry) Banks was born 10 Apr 1881 Hokitika New Zealand. His parents were Maria Louisa nee Griffiths (1840-1912) and William Dunbar Banks (1830-1894) and they had ten children. In 1911 Henry, his widowed mother Maria and two sisters all resided in Upper Hutt. In 1913 Mr H Banks was the teacher at Karapoti School. The 1914 Hutt Electoral Roll recorded Henry Banks school teacher Upper Hutt. The 04 Dec 1915 local Hutt Valley Independent newspaper reads "Brevities – Lieut. HM Banks took command of the local Senior Cadets Company last Monday". From 04 Sep 1915 to 22 Jul 1916 the local newspaper reads "Our Boys - Registered for Service – Harry Banks". The 29 Jul 1916 local newspaper reads "Our Boys - On June 17 we announced that Senior-cadet Lieut. Harry Banks was to receive a commission in the 22nd Reinforcements – he only got official notice five weeks after he read of it in this paper. Goes into camp in August". The 26 Aug 1916 local newspaper reads "Our Boys – Harry Banks (school teacher) has gone into camp – 2nd Lieut. In the 22nd (Reinforcements)". The 10 Mar 1917 local newspaper reads "Our Boys School-teacher Harry Banks formerly it the 22nd is now leaving with the 23rd". The 10 Nov 1917 local newspaper reads "Our Boys Imperishably Honoured Second Lieutenant Harry D Banks of Te Marua is reported to be wounded". The Commonwealth War Graves reads Lieutenant Henry Dunbar Banks 33098 Wellington Regiment died 04 Nov 1918 brother of Mr W A D Banks of Christchurch New Zealand (parents deceased). He was buried at Le Quesnoy Communal cemetery extension Nord France.

#Henry's connection to Upper Hutt was as head teacher at Karapoti School and he also resided in Te Marua Upper Hutt with his mother and sisters. He was in Upper Hutt when he enlisted and completed his military attestation form in Trentham. Henry was mentioned in the local newspaper as one of "Our Boys".

Armistice Day - Golders Historical Cottage Display 2020

Armistice Day is commemorated every year to mark the armistice signed between the Allies of World War 1 and Germany at Compiegne France. The signing took effect in the morning on the 11th hour of 11th day of 11th month.

I lost my brother
I lost my husband and brother
I lost my father

May Maud BANKS
Annie Louisa STANLEY nee BANKS
Alice Verna STANLEY

We will remember them

2nd Lieutenant Henry Dunbar BANKS 33098 & Private Thomas James STANLEY 12/4094

Annie Louisa BANKS was born on 11th November - 47 years before the signing of Armistice.
Henry Dunbar BANKS died 7 days before the signing of Armistice.