

**EDWARDS**  
**Hutt Valley - Upper Hutt**  
Family History – Genealogy – Miscellaneous Information  
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**EDWARDS and ASHCROFT**  
**Family History**

**William Henry EDWARDS**

B 29 October 1878 Upper Hutt New Zealand

D 29 October 1936 Upper Hutt New Zealand

M 15 September 1906 Petone New Zealand

**Alice Olivia ASHCROFT**

B 29 March 1886 Upper Hutt New Zealand

D 20 March 1958 Taita New Zealand

Children:

1. Noeline Olivia EDWARDS born 27 March 1919 Upper Hutt New Zealand
2. Neville William EDWARDS born 03 March 1921 Upper Hutt New Zealand
3. Joyce Isobel EDWARDS born 28 October 1922 Upper Hutt New Zealand
4. Gordon Thomas EDWARDS born 07 June 1925 Upper Hutt New Zealand

William Henry EDWARDS was born 29 October 1878 Te Marua Upper Hutt New Zealand. His parents were Philadelphia nee Benge (1859-1926) and Thomas Edwards (1852-1921).  
*(Reference RGO NZ birth registration 1878 folio website 1878/16655 parents Philedelphia and Thomas Edwards)*

Alice Olivia ASHCROFT was born 29 March 1886 Upper Hutt New Zealand. Her parents were May Ann nee Jones and William Ashcroft who married 1879 in New Zealand.  
*(Reference RGO NZ birth registration 1886 folio website 1886/6301 parents May Ann and William Ashcroft)*

William Henry EDWARDS married 15 September 1906 St David's Church Petone Hutt Valley New Zealand Alice Olivia ASHCROFT.  
*(Reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1906 folio website 1906/6466)*

1911 Hutt Electoral Roll

- William Henry EDWARDS Upper Hutt carpenter
  - Alice Oliva EDWARDS Martin Street Upper Hutt married
- (Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Roll)*

1914 Hutt Electoral Roll

- William Henry EDWARDS Upper Hutt carpenter
  - Alice Oliva EDWARDS Martin Street Upper Hutt married
- (Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Roll)*

1919 Otaki Electoral Roll

- William Henry EDWARDS Upper Hutt carpenter
  - Alice Oliva EDWARDS Martin Street Upper Hutt married
- (Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Roll)*

William and Alice had a child Noeline Olivia EDWARDS born 27 March 1919 Upper Hutt New Zealand

William and Alice had a child Neville William EDWARDS born 03 March 1921 Upper Hutt New Zealand

William and Alice had a child Joyce Isobel EDWARDS born 28 October 1922 Upper Hutt New Zealand

William and Alice had a child Gordon Thomas EDWARDS born 07 June 1925 Upper Hutt New Zealand

William Henry EDWARDS was a Commissioner of Upper Hutt Town Board from 1918 to 1920

Hutt Valley Independent newspaper 14 & 21 September 1918

Upper Hutt Town Board Biennial Election

I hereby give notice that the following candidates for the officer of Commissioner to the Upper Hutt Town Board have been duly nominated

BENGE Job Mabey  
BROWN James  
CAMPBELL George Archibald  
CLOUGH Leonard  
DICK Robert Charles  
EDWARDS William Henry  
ELLIOTT Edwin Bernard  
GREIG William  
GUTHRIE George Humphrey  
HARRISON Job  
KITSON Alfred William  
MCCURDY Angus John  
PEARSON Hedley Raynor  
ROBERTSON Peter

As the number of Candidates exceed the office to be filled, I hereby also give notice that a poll will be taken as between the said candidates on Wednesday the 18<sup>th</sup> day of September 1918 at the Office of the Upper Hutt Town Board.

Polling house are between 9am to 7pm

H W Chapman Returning Officer Upper Hutt 11 September 1918

The Polling Booth is situated at the Town Board Office corner Russell Street and Main Road Upper Hutt.

*(Reference Papers past website Hutt Valley Independent newspaper 14 & 21 September 1918)*

Hutt Valley Independent newspaper 21 September 1918

Upper Hutt Town Board Biennial Election

I hereby give notice that the following numbers were polled by the several candidates for the office of Commissioner to the Upper Hutt Town District on Wednesday 18 September 1918

BENGE Job Mabey	184
BROWN James	138
CAMPBELL George Archibald	276
CLOUGH Leonard	141
DICK Robert Charles	78
<u>EDWARDS William Henry</u>	<u>203</u>
ELLIOTT Edwin Bernard	97
GREIG William	145
GUTHRIE George Humphrey	79
HARRISON Job	183
KITSON Alfred William	106
MCCURDY Angus John	124
PEARSON Hedley Raynor	114
ROBERTSON Peter	173
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I therefore declare Job Mabey Benge, George Archibald Campbell, William Henry Edwards, William Greig, Job Harrison, Hedley Raynor Pearson and Peter Robertson duly elected Commissioners for the Town District of Upper Hutt.

H W Chapman Returning Officer Upper Hutt 19 September 1918

*(Reference Papers past website Hutt Valley Independent newspaper 21 September 1918)*

#### 1928 Wairarapa Electoral Roll

- William Henry EDWARDS Martin Street Upper Hutt forwarding agent
- Alice Oliva EDWARDS 39 Martin Street Upper Hutt married
- Philadelphia EDWARDS Martin Street Upper Hutt widow

*(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Roll)*

#### 1935 Wairarapa Electoral Roll

- William Henry EDWARDS Martin Street Upper Hutt forwarding agent
- Alice Oliva EDWARDS 39 Martin Street Upper Hutt married
- Felicia Alexandrina EDWARDS Martin Street Upper Hutt widow

*(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Roll)*

William Henry EDWARDS died 29 October 1936 Hukinga Gorge Upper Hutt New Zealand.

*(Reference RGO NZ death registration 1936 folio website 1936/24325 age 58 born about 1878)*

William Henry EDWARDS Carrier Upper Hutt Wellington Court Probate 1936

*(Reference Archives NZ Wellington AAOM 6029 59644 filed date 17 November 1936 Will)*

#### 1938 Wairarapa Electoral Roll

- Alice Oliva EDWARDS 39 Martin Street Upper Hutt married
- Neil Vincent EDWARDS 39 Martin Street Upper Hutt clerk
- Felicia Alexandrina EDWARDS Martin Street Upper Hutt widow

*(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Roll)*

#### 1946 Otaki Electoral Roll

- Alice Oliva EDWARDS 39 Martin Street Upper Hutt married
- Gordon Thomas EDWARDS 39 Martin Street Upper Hutt labourer
- Neville William EDWARDS 39 Martin Street Upper Hutt fireman

*(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Roll)*

#### 1949 Otaki Electoral Roll

- Alice Oliva EDWARDS 39 Martin Street Upper Hutt married
- Gordon Thomas EDWARDS 39 Martin Street Upper Hutt labourer
- Neville William EDWARDS 39 Martin Street Upper Hutt fireman

*(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Roll)*

#### 1954 & 1957 Heretaunga Electoral Roll

- Alice Oliva EDWARDS 39 Martin Street Upper Hutt married

*(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Roll)*

Alice Olivia EDWARDS age 72 years died 20 March 1958 Taita New Zealand.

*(Reference RGO NZ death registration 1958 folio website 1958/26177 age 71 born about 1887)*

William Henry EDWARDS died and was buried 31 October 1936 at Taita cemetery Lower Hutt

Father William Henry EDWARDS accidently killed 29 October 1936 age 58 years  
Also Mother Alice Olivia EDWARDS died 20 March 1958 aged 72 years  
Also our dear Mother Joyce Isobel JAMESON died 24 February 1971 age 48 years  
Also our dear Father Alfred Selwood JAMESON died 10 June 1978 aged 59 years

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### William and Alice EDWARDS their children and descendants

**1- Noeline Olivia EDWARDS** born 27 March 1919 Upper Hutt New Zealand died 12 September 2002 Palmerston North New Zealand married 08 September 1945 Trentham Upper Hutt New Zealand **Corselleus Hiram HULLS** born 27 June 1916 Kent England died 27 November 1999 New Zealand

#Corselleus Hiram HULLS died 1999 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1999 folio website 1999/26023 born 27 June 1916  
#Noeline Olivia HULLS died 2002 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 2002 folio website 2002/21910 born 27 March 1919

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**2- Neville William EDWARDS** born 03 March 1921 Upper Hutt New Zealand died 10 January 1993 Taupo New Zealand  
#Neville William EDWARDS died 10 January 1993 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1993 folio website 1993/37585 born 03 March 1921

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**3- Joyce Isobel EDWARDS** born 28 October 1922 Upper Hutt New Zealand died 24 February 1971 Lower Hutt New Zealand married 04 October 1941 St Johns Church Trentham Upper Hutt New Zealand **Alfred Selwood JAMESON** born 06 December 1918 Napier Hawkes Bay New Zealand died 10 June 1978 Upper Hutt New Zealand  
#Joyce Isobel JAMESON died 24 February 1971 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1971 folio website 1971/36308 born age 48 born about 1923  
#Alfred Selwood JAMESON died 10 June 1978 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1978 folio website 1978/34509 born 06 December 1918

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**4- Gordon Thomas EDWARDS** born 07 June 1925 Upper Hutt New Zealand died 07 October 1989 Upper Hutt New Zealand married **Edna May UNKNOWN** born 30 December 1924 place unknown died 2016 New Zealand  
#Gordon Thomas EDWARDS died 1989 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1989 folio website 1989/53434 born 07 June 1925  
#Edna May EDWARDS died 2016 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 2016 folio website 2016/6656 born 30 December 1924

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