

THOMSON
Hutt Valley - Upper Hutt
Family History – Genealogy – Miscellaneous Information
(Weblink HVF Thomson)

THOMSON and THOMSON
Family History

John THOMSON

B about 1848

D 11 July 1902 New Zealand

M 1891 New Zealand

Mary Smith THOMSON (perhaps ex SMITH & WATSON)

B 02 February 1850 Glasgow Lanark Scotland

D 09 August 1899 Hutt New Zealand

Children:

1. Ada Annie THOMSON born 1892 Wellington New Zealand

John THOMSON born about 1848 place unknown

I am not sure if John was born in New Zealand or if he was born overseas then settled in New Zealand.

1880-1881 Wellington Electoral Roll

- John THOMSON residential Elizabeth Street saddler
(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

1890 Hutt Electoral Roll

- John THOMSON residential Upper Hutt saddler
(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

Mary THOMSON was born 02 February 1850 Glasgow Lanark Scotland. His parents were Mary nee Simpson [sic Stevenson] and James Thomson who married 04 June 1848 in Hamilton Lanark Scotland.

(Reference Ancestry website Scotland marriage banns and baptisms)

1851 Census 5 Clarence Street Greenock West Renfrewshire Scotland parish 564

- James THOMSON head married age 25 Saddler (journeyman) born Hamilton Lanarkshire Scotland
- Mary THOMSON wife age 26 born Hamilton Lanarkshire Scotland
- John THOMSON son age 2 born Hamilton Lanarkshire Scotland
- Mary THOMSON daughter age 6 months born Glasgow Lanarkshire Scotland

(Reference Ancestry website 1851 Census 5 Clarence Street Greenock West Renfrewshire Scotland parish 564 ED79 page 9 household 35 line 4 roll)

1861 Census 9 Little Russel Street St Giles St George Bloomsbury Middlesex England

- James THOMSON head married age 35 Saddler born Scotland
- Mary THOMSON wife age 36 born Scotland
- John THOMSON son age 12 Scholar born Scotland
- Mary THOMSON daughter age 9 Scholar born Scotland
- Barbara THOMSON daughter age 7 Scholar born Scotland
- Margaret THOMSON daughter age 5 Scholar born Scotland
- James THOMSON son age 4 Scholar born Scotland
- Jane THOMSON daughter age 2 born Scotland

(Reference Ancestry website 1861 Census 9 Little Russel Street St Giles St George Bloomsbury Middlesex England ED10 household 163 piece 167 folio 20 page 34)

The census is the correct Mary as she had a sister Barbara GRAY nee THOMSON who married in England then settled in New Zealand.

Mary THOMSON name was Mary Smith WATSON when she married in New Zealand. So perhaps she may have married a Mr SMITH or Mr WATSON in England then settled in New Zealand.

1874 ship Crusader 25 September 1874 Canterbury

- James WATSON age 35 of Warwick labourer & Mary WATSON age 24 & Charles W WATSON age 1

Comment age is about right for Mary but I do not know if this is correct person.

John THOMSON married 1891 Wellington New Zealand Mary Smith WATSON

(Reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1891 folio 3116 website 1891/2236)

John and Mary had a daughter Ada Annie THOMSON born 1892 New Zealand

(Reference RGO NZ birth registration 1892 folio website 1892/13618 parents Mary Smith and John Thomson)

1896 Otaki Electoral Roll Wellington

- John THOMPSON [sic] saddler Upper Hutt residential
- Mary Smith THOMPSON [sic] married women Upper Hutt residential
- Amy THOMPSON spinster Upper Hutt residential (connection unknown)

(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

Mary Smith THOMSON died 09 August 1899 New Zealand

(Reference RGO NZ death registration 1899 folio website 1899/4192 age 51 born about 1848)

Evening Post 11 August 1899

Death – Thomson - On 10 August, Mary Smith, beloved wife of John Thomson, saddler, Upper Hutt, aged 51 years

(Reference Papers past website Evening Post 11 August 1899)

Wallaceville cemetery Whitemans Valley (no headstone)

Mary Smith THOMPSON burial register block D plot 5 locality Upper Hutt purchaser (not record) minister Rev A Gray undertaker Cudby burial date 13 August 1899 age 51 years

Mary Smith THOMSON wife of John THOMSON of the Upper Hutt in the Province District of Wellington Saddler I give devise and bequeath all my real and personal estate of whatever nature and wherever situated unto my sister Barbara Gray of Elizabeth Street in the City of Wellington widow (hereafter referred to as my trustee) upon trust that my trustee shall sell all and convert into money the sum of such part there of as shall not consist of money and shall with and out of the moneys produces by such sale calling in and conversion and with and out of my ready money pay and discharge my debts and funeral and testamentary expenses and shall stand possessed of the balance of such moneys o the real or personal estate that shall remain unsold and unconverted as hereinafter provide upon trust to allow my said husband the use during his lifetime of the property situated at the Upper Hutt aforesaid being the Allotment number twenty nine (29) on the subdivision plan of section numbered One Hundred and nineteen (119) Upper Hutt District deposited in the Deeds Registry Office at Wellington as Number 135 subject to the paramount by him the said John Thomson of the weekly subscription instalments and sums of money due by me upon the shares held by me in the Number One (1) Co-Operative Building Society of Wellington and upon trust to allow my said husband the use during his lifetime of the furniture and household goods belonging to me contained in the buildings erected upon the said parcel of land and upon trust to hold the balance of my estate both real and personal and also from and after the decease of my said husband the real and personal property above described for the sole use and benefit of my daughter Ada Annie Thomson and I declare that my said trustee may at her own discretion apply any of the funds at her disposal under the trusts here of

for the maintenance support and education of my said daughter and I also declare that my trustee postpone the sale and conversion of any part of my real and personal estate for so long as she shall think fit and I also empower my trustee to expel my said husband from the land and premises above described and to determine the lift interest of him my said husband therein and also to the furniture and household goods contained in the said building as aforesaid is and whenever he shall make default for one calendar month in payment of the weekly subscription and payable as aforesaid in respect of my shares in the number one (1) Co-Operative Building Society of Wellington as aforesaid and in case of the determination of such tenancy occupation and interest as aforesaid I empower my said trustee to deal with such property by sale lease or otherwise as she may deem most expedient and I appoint the said Barbara Gray sole executive and trustee of this my will. In Witness where I have hereunto subscribed my name, this fifth day of February One thousand eight hundred and ninety eight.

(Signature Mary Smith Thomson)

I Barbara Gray of the City of Wellington widow make oath I am the sister of Mary Smith Thomson deceased domiciled in Upper Hutt died at Upper Hutt on tenth day August 1899 (various other details and documents regarding Mary's probate)

(Reference Archives NZ Wellington AAOM 6029 6689 filed date 27 October 1899)

Perhaps the land was Section 119 Upper Hutt Lot 29 which was the north east corner of Pine Avenue & Main Street in Upper Hutt.

Upper Hutt School

Ada THOMSON birth date 02 September 1892 parents John Thomson address Upper Hutt admission date 08 August 1898 last day 28 August 1899 destination Wellington register number 529 Upper Hutt School

John THOMSON died 11 July 1902 New Zealand

(Reference RGO NZ death registration 1902 folio website 1902/4944 age 54 born about 1848)

Evening Post newspaper 14 July 1902

On Friday afternoon at the Upper Hutt Mr John Thomson aged 54, died suddenly from heart failure. An inquest was held on Saturday by Mr James Ashcroft, District Coroner and a verdict returned to the above effect.

(Reference Papers past website Evening Post newspaper 14 July 1902)

John's daughter Ada would have been age 9 years 10 months old when her father died.

John THOMSON Upper Hutt Saddler died 11 July 1902 intestate probate file Wellington Court

(Reference Archives NZ Wellington AAOM 6029 8026 filed date 20 October 1902 intestate letters of administration)

Wallaceville cemetery Whitemans Valley

John THOMPSON burial records block D plot 11 locality Upper Hutt purchaser (no record) minister Rev W Marshall undertaker J Yarnold

1- Ada Annie THOMSON born 02 September 1892 Wellington New Zealand died 1956 New Zealand married 1914 New Zealand **John Vincent FARRELL** born 1888 New Zealand died 1962 New Zealand

#Ada Annie THOMSON born 1892 Wellington New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1892 folio website 1892/13618 parents Mary Smith and John Thomson

#Ada THOMSON birth date 02 September 1892 parents John Thomson address Upper Hutt admission date 08 August 1898 last day 28 August 1899 destination Wellington register number 529 Upper Hutt School

#John FARRELL born 1888 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1888 folio website 1888/11681 parents Bridget and John Joseph Farrell

#Ada Annie THOMSON married 1914 New Zealand John Vincent FARRELL reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1914 folio 2094 website 1914/8400

- #Ada Annie FARRELL married & John Vincent FARRELL printer 5 Belfast Street reference 1914 Wellington East Electoral Roll
- #Ada Annie FARRELL married & John Vincent FARRELL printer 31 Disley Street (WW) 1954 Karori Electoral Roll Wellington
- #Ada Annie FARRELL died 1956 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1956 folio website 1956/25607 age 64 born about 1892
- #John Vincent FARRELL died 1962 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1962 folio website 1962/35436 age 74 born about 1888
- 1-1- John James FARRELL born 1915 New Zealand died 1915 New Zealand (died young never married)
- #John James FARRELL born 1915 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1915 folio website 1915/20355 parents Ada Annie and John Farrell
- #John James FARRELL died 1915 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1915 folio website 1915/1427 age 3 weeks born about 1915
- 1-2- Yvonne Kathleen Kiwi FARRELL born 1916 New Zealand married 1938 New Zealand James Frederick RENNIE born 05 December 1906 died 1988 New Zealand
- #Yvonne Kathleen Kiwi FARRELL born 1916 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1916 folio website 1916/3608 parents Ada and John Vincent Farrell
- #James Fredrick RENNIE born 05 December 1906 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1907 folio website 1907/2225 parents Catherine Elizabeth and John Henry Rennie
- #Yvonne Kathleen Kiwi FARRELL married 1938 New Zealand James Frederick RENNIE reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1938 folio website 1938/4404
- #James Fredrick RENNIE died 1988 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1988 folio website 1988/38655 born 05 December 1906

Mary THOMSON her parents and their descendants

- 0- James THOMSON** born 1826 Hamilton Lanarkshire Scotland married 04 June 1848 Hamilton Lanark Scotland married **Mary STEVENSON** born about 1825 Hamilton Lanarkshire Scotland
- #James THOMSON married 04 June 1848 in Hamilton Lanark Scotland Mary nee STEVENSON reference Ancestry website Scotland marriage banns LDS film number 1066594 & 0102951
- #1851 Census 5 Clarence Street Greenock West Renfrewshire Scotland parish 564 ED79 page 9 household 35 line 4 roll
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 - Margaret THOMSON daughter age 5 Scholar born Scotland
 - James THOMSON son age 4 Scholar born Scotland
 - Jane THOMSON daughter age 2 born Scotland
- 0-1- John THOMSON** born 1849 Scotland
- #John THOMSON son age 2 born Hamilton Lanarkshire Scotland reference Ancestry website 1851 Census 5 Clarence Street Greenock West Renfrewshire Scotland parish 564 ED79 page 9 household 35 line 4 roll

#John THOMSON son age 12 Scholar born Scotland reference Ancestry website 1861 Census 9 Little Russel Street St Giles St George Bloomsbury Middlesex England ED10 household 163 piece 167 folio 20 page 34

0-2- Mary THOMSON born 02 February 1850 Glasgow Lanark Scotland

#Mary THOMSON daughter age 6 months born Glasgow Lanarkshire Scotland reference Ancestry website 1851 Census 5 Clarence Street Greenock West Renfrewshire Scotland parish 564 ED79 page 9 household 35 line 4 roll

#Mary THOMSON daughter age 9 Scholar born Scotland reference Ancestry website 1861 Census 9 Little Russel Street St Giles St George Bloomsbury Middlesex England ED10 household 163 piece 167 folio 20 page 34

0-3- Barbara THOMPSON born 1852 Scotland died 11 January 1920 Wellington New Zealand married 07 January 1870 Camden Middlesex England **George Henry GRAY** born 1848 died 17 April 1895 Wellington New Zealand

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#Barbara THOMPSON age 18 spinster residence 1 Brownlow Street married 07 January 1870 St Giles in the Fields Holborn Camden Middlesex England George Henry GRAY age 21 bachelor occupation Warehouseman residence 1 Brownlow Street. Barbara's father was James Thompson Saddler and George's father William Gray Carrier. The witnesses were Henry Akerman and Elleamar [sic] Gray reference Ancestry website marriages and banns page 121 line 241

#ship Strathnaver 01 June 1874 to Wellington

- George GRAY age 26 of Middlesex occupation Carman or Labourer
- Barbara GRAY age 23 Labourer
- George GRAY age 4
- Barbara GRAY age 2
- Margaret THOMPSON age 20 (Barbara's sister was transferred to single women's list)

#George Henry GRAY died 1895 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1895 folio website 1895/3402 age 47 born about 1848

#Barbara GRAY married women & George GRAY painter Elizabeth Street residential 1896 Wellington Electoral Roll

#Death – Gray – On the 11th January 1920 at her residence 87 Elizabeth Street Barbara Gray in her 68th year (private interment) reference Papers past website Evening Post newspaper 12 January 1920

#Barbara GRAY married women & William GRAY bootmaker 25 Elizabeth Street residential 1900 Wellington Electoral Roll

#Barbara GRAY married & William GRAY bootmaker & Jennie GRAY tailoress 67 Elizabeth Street 1905-1906 Wellington East Electoral Roll

#Barbara GRAY widow 87 Elizabeth Street 1911 Wellington East Electoral Roll

#Barbara GRAY died 1920 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1920 folio website 1920/10813 age 68 born about 1852

#In loving memory of George Henry GARY passed away 17 April 1895 Barbara GRAY who fell peacefully asleep 11 January 19920 'Abide with me' buried together Karori cemetery wellington

0-3-1- George GRAY born 1870 England died New Zealand

0-3-2- Barbara GRAY born 1872 England died New Zealand

0-3-3- William Strathnaver GRAY born 1874 New Zealand died 1917 New Zealand married 1909 New Zealand Menira Antene HARNIS

- #William Strathnaver GRAY born 1874 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1874 folio website 1874/34837 parents Barbara and George Henry Gray
#William Stratmover [sic] GRAY married 1909 New Zealand Menira Antene HARNIS / HARRIS reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1909 folio 6843 website 1909/5298
#William Strathnaver GRAY died 1917 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1917 folio website 1917/2369 age 43 born about 1874
- 0-3-4- Jessie GRAY born 1879 New Zealand
#Jessie GRAY born 1879 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1879 folio website 1879/1878 parents Barbara and George Henry Gray
- 0-3-5- Jennie GRAY born 1880 New Zealand died 1962 New Zealand
#Jennie GRAY born 1880 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1880 folio website 1880/13301 parents Barbara and George Henry Gray
#Jennie GRAY died 05 April 1962 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1962 folio website 1962/25380 age 81 born NZ about 1881 – pensioner residence Green Lane Helensville denomination Church of England buried Hillside cemetery Auckland area 10 block C plot 249
- 0-3-6- Mary Stevenson GRAY born 1883 New Zealand died 1963 New Zealand married 1904 New Zealand Arthur PEARCE
#Mary Stevenson GRAY born 1883 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1883 folio website 1883/6854 parents Barbara and George Henry Gray
#Mary Stevenson GRAY married 1904 New Zealand Arthur PEARCE reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1904 folio 0789 website 1904/3327
#Mary Stevenson PEARCE died 1963 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1963 folio website 1963/44388 age 81 born about 1882
- 0-3-7- Henry George GRAY born 1885 Wellington New Zealand died 1966 New Zealand married 1907 New Zealand Grace GOODGER
#Henry George GRAY born 1885 Wellington New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1885 folio website 1885/145 parents Barbara and George Henry Gray
#Henry George GRAY married 1907 New Zealand Grace GOODGER reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1907 folio website 1907/6421
#Henry George GRAY died 1966 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1966 folio website 1966/40247 age 81 born about 1885
- 0-4- Margaret THOMSON** born 1856 Scotland died New Zealand
#Margaret THOMSON daughter age 5 Scholar born Scotland reference Ancestry website 1861 Census 9 Little Russel Street St Giles St George Bloomsbury Middlesex England ED10 household 163 piece 167 folio 20 page 34
#Margaret THOMSON age 20 ship Strathnaver 01 June 1874 to Wellington
- 0-5- James THOMSON** born 15 September 1856 Cambusnethan Lanark Scotland
#James Buchanan THOMSON born 15 September 1856 Cambusnethan Lanark Scotland parents Mary Stevenson and James Thomson
#James THOMSON son age 4 Scholar born Scotland reference Ancestry website 1861 Census 9 Little Russel Street St Giles St George Bloomsbury Middlesex England ED10 household 163 piece 167 folio 20 page 34
- 0-6- Robert THOMSON** born 01 July 1857 Clyde Glasgow Lanark Scotland
#Robert THOMSON born 01 July 1857 Clyde Glasgow Lanark Scotland parents Mary Stevenson and James Thomson
- 0-7- Jane THOMSON** born 19 June 1858 Cambusnethan Lanark Scotland
#Jane THOMSON born 19 June 1858 Cambusnethan Lanark Scotland parents Mary Stevenson and James Thomson
#Jane THOMSON daughter age 2 born Scotland reference Ancestry website 1861 Census 9 Little Russel Street St Giles St George Bloomsbury Middlesex England ED10 household 163 piece 167 folio 20 page 34
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