

**Angus John MCCURDY & Mary Anne JONES family history**  
1<sup>st</sup> Mayor UH Borough Council & 1<sup>st</sup> UH newspaper and UH picture theatre owner

**Aloysius John Thomas / Angus John MCCURDY**

B 20 June 1860 Birmingham Warwickshire England

D 10 November 1941 Wellington New Zealand

M 1883 New Zealand

**Mary Anne JONES**

B about 1866 Camdentown London England

D 21 July 1970 Upper Hutt New Zealand

1. Donald Archibald MCCURDY born 1884 New Zealand
2. Flora Mary MCCURDY born 1886 New Zealand
3. Jessie Margaret MACCURDY born 1890 New Zealand
4. Elsie Rose MCCURDY born 1893 New Zealand
5. Kenneth Malcolm MCCURDY born 1895 New Zealand

Aloysius John Thomas (Angus John) MCCURDY was born 20 June 1860 Birmingham Warwickshire England. His parents were Elizabeth Martha DRIFFIELD and John Francis MCCURDY

*(Reference Family Search website RGO UK Birth registration 1860 September quarter district Birmingham County Warwickshire England volume 6d page 3 line number 135)*

1861 census 10 Sindon Terrace St John Lady Wood Birmingham Warwickshire England

- John McCurdy head married School Master age 31 born about 1830 Ireland
- Elizabeth M McCurdy wife married age 23 born about 1838 born Leeds Yorkshire England
- Aloysius J T MCCURDY son age 9 months born about 1860 Birmingham Warwickshire England

*(Reference Ancestry website 1861 census St John Lady Wood Birmingham Warwickshire England ED 31 household 137 piece 2133 folio 16 page 25)*

Aloysius John Thomas MCCURDY was later known as Angus John MCCURDY.

1871 Census 5 Grove - Street St Asaph St Thomas Birmingham Warwickshire England ED 13 household 276 piece 3099 folio 27 page 49

- John MCCURDY head married age 41 School Master born about 1830 Ireland
- Elizabeth M MCCURDY wife married age 33 born about 1838 Leeds Yorkshire England
- John T MCCURDY son age 10 Scholar born about 1861 Birmingham Warwickshire England
- Bernard N P MCURDY son age 9 born Scholar about 1862 Birmingham Warwickshire England
- Teresa E M MCCURDY daughter age 7 Scholar born about 1864 Birmingham Warwickshire England
- Archibald B MCCURDY son age 5 Scholar about 1866 Birmingham Warwickshire England
- Christiana A MCURDY daughter age 3 born about 1868 Birmingham Warwickshire England
- Mary G MCCURDY daughter age 1 born about 1870 Birmingham Warwickshire England
- Rosa M MCURDY daughter age 1 born about 1870 Birmingham Warwickshire England
- Margaret Ann MCCURDY daughter age 3 months born about 1871 Birmingham Warwickshire England

*(Reference Ancestry website 1871 Census St Asaph St Thomas Birmingham Warwickshire England ED 13 household 276 piece 3099 folio 27 page 49)*

Angus MCCURDY was trained as a school teacher, telegraphist, and electrician.

*(Reference Papers past website Evening Post newspaper 10 November 1941 page 9)*

Angus MCCURDY arrived in New Zealand around 1880 under contract to the P and T Department.

*(Reference Papers past website Evening Post newspaper 10 November 1941 page 9)*

### Kaitoke Post Office

Job Application 1890 – A J MCCURDY

NZ Telegraph – Certificate of Service 1880-1887 – A J McCurdy

1883 – Acknowledgement of appointments as Postmaster at Kaitoke

1893 Letter – Biographical note – Agnus McCurdy

*(Reference R21683027 AAMF W3327 195 McCurdy Angus J includes job application, Certificate of Service, acknowledgement of appointment as Postmaster at Kaitoke letter biographical note 1883-1941)*

#### Certificate No 52 - New Zealand Telegraph - Certificate of Service

Certified that A J McCurdy was engaged in the New Zealand Telegraph Department as Operator from the 18 June 1880 to the 31 May 1887 and that he conducted himself on all occasions to my entire satisfaction and is a good and painstaking operator. C Lewis [sic] Supt NZ Telegraph

*(Reference R21683027 AAMF W3327 195 McCurdy Angus J includes job application, Certificate of Service, acknowledgement of appointment as Postmaster at Kaitoke letter biographical note 1883-1941)*

Telegraph Office – Wellington - 04 December 1893

This is to certify that A J McCurdy was formerly employed at this office as Temporary Operator at the rate of £10 (ten pound) per month.

His is now a permanent officer of the Telegraph Service and since 30<sup>th</sup> September 1893 has drawn a monthly cheque of £8-18s-8d (eight pounds, eighteen shillings and eight pence) with insurance deducted.

A Robertson [sic] Officer in charge - [stamp = NZ Wellington 04 DE 93 AM]

*(Reference R21683027 AAMF W3327 195 McCurdy Angus J includes job application, Certificate of Service, acknowledgement of appointment as Postmaster at Kaitoke letter biographical note 1883-1941)*

133 Tinakori Road – Wellington - 20 August 1890

The Honourable the Postmaster General

Sir

I respectfully beg to apply for re appointment as Telegraphist in the New Zealand Postal and Telegraph Department. I have already had the honour of serving in that capacity from the 18<sup>th</sup> June 1880 until 31<sup>st</sup> May 1887. Prior to that period I was employed in the British Postal Telegraph service at Birmingham, the date of my appointment as “Probationer” in the office being 20<sup>th</sup> June 1873 and as Telegraphist “July 1874. I have an intimate knowledge of telephonic and electric bell systems as employed in this colony and hold Science and art Department certificate under which I am permitted to act as Science Teacher for the Subjects Magnetism, Electricity, Chemistry & chemical analysis, accoutres. Light and Heat, all of which subjects are connected with telegraphic ad telephonic science. I also have the honour to be on 29<sup>th</sup> November 1883 elected as Associate of the Society of Telegraph Engineers & Electricians London on the recommendation of Dr Lewan [sic]. I have been temporarily employed as Operator for the present Session at the Wellington office and have up to the present worked all the busiest wires of the office since the 12<sup>th</sup> June without a Single complaint, and I have reason to believe with satisfaction to the officer in charge and his assistant. I attach copies of testimonials and trust you will be able to accede to my request. Am married, family of three young children – Total abstainer. Yours obediently A J McCurdy

*(Reference R21683027 AAMF W3327 195 McCurdy Angus J includes job application, Certificate of Service, acknowledgement of appointment as Postmaster at Kaitoke letter biographical note 1883-1941)*

133 Tinakori Road Wellington - 31<sup>st</sup> August 1890

The Honourable - The Postmaster General

Sir

I respectfully I respectfully beg to apply for re appointment as Telegraphist in the New Zealand Post office and Telegraph Department. I have already had the honour of serving in that capacity from the 18<sup>th</sup> June 1880 until 31<sup>st</sup> May 1887 (from 29<sup>th</sup> November 1883 until 10<sup>th</sup> September 1884 as officer in charge of Kaitoke). Prior to June 1880 I was employed in the British Postal Telegraphs at Birmingham (the date of my appointment in that office as “Probationer” being 20<sup>th</sup> June 1873 and as Telegraphist” on a vacancy occurring in July 1874. I have an intimate knowledge of the working of all descriptions of instruments, my appointment as “Telegraphist” in the Home Service covering proficiency in sounder duplex and quadruplex working, Wheatstone,

Bright's Bell, Morse tape, Needle, Sounding Needle and Wheatstone ABC. For the greater part of my term of service in Birmingham my wires were the London, Liverpool & Manchester Duplex Sounders, and the London Quadruplex and Wheatstone. Shortly before leaving I was nominated to the Birmingham Section of the "Special Racing Staff". I have also a knowledge of telephonic and electric bell work, and under direction of Captain Falconer R.E. have acquired a knowledge of Submarine mining and am considered by that officer a first class "Signalman". I hold certificate from the Science and art Department of the Privy Council on Education (Eng) dated 1875, 1876\* and 1877\* for "Magnetism and Electricity" dated 1876 and 1877\* for Inorganic Chemistry & Analysis, and dated 1876 and 1877\* for "Acoustics, Light & Heat" under Page 2. Under the provisions of clauses under which the certificate marked \* were issued I am authorised to teach those Sciences under the Departments auspices. I also had the honour to be on Dr Lemon's recommendation, elected an "associate of the Society of Telegraph Engineer and Electricians" England on the 29<sup>th</sup> November 1883. I have been employed as a "Temporary operator during the Session" from 12<sup>th</sup> June and have since that date worked all the busiest wires in the Wellington office without complaint and I have reason to believe to the entire satisfaction of the office in charge and his assistant. I attach copies of testimonials etc. Am married with children 5, 4 and 1 year old respectively – Total abstainer.

Trusting you will be able to grant my request.

I remain Your Obedient Servant - A J McCurdy (signed)

(Six folios attached A J McC)

*(Reference R21683027 AAMF W3327 195 McCurdy Angus J includes job application, Certificate of Service, acknowledgement of appointment as Postmaster at Kaitoke letter biographical note 1883-1941)*

P.G. No. 83/3802 - No A83/1567

Post Office and Telegraph Department - Wellington 04<sup>th</sup> December 1883

Sir

I have the honor to inform you that the Honorable the Postmaster General has been pleased to appoint you to the office of Postmaster at Kaitoke £70 at a salary of Seventy pounds per annum, vice M C Tully transferred the appointment to date from 29<sup>th</sup> ultimo.

I have the honor to be Sir - Yours obedient servant - Mr A J McCurdy

Postmaster – Kaitoke – Wellington

Remarks - Forwarded thru the Chief Postmaster

*(Reference R21683027 AAMF W3327 195 McCurdy Angus J includes job application, Certificate of Service, acknowledgement of appointment as Postmaster at Kaitoke letter biographical note 1883-1941)*

P.G. No. 84/4198 - No T84/423

Post Office and Telegraph Department - Wellington 18<sup>th</sup> September 1884

Sir

I have the honor to inform you that the Honorable the Postmaster General has been pleased to appoint you to the office of Postmaster at Wellington £140 at a salary of One hundred & forty pounds, vice M C Tully transferred the appointment to date from 10<sup>h</sup> ultimo.

I have the honor to be Sir - Yours obedient servant

Mr A J McCurdy - Telegraphist - Wellington

Remarks - Forwarded thru the Officer in Charge (19.09.84)

*(Reference R21683027 AAMF W3327 195 McCurdy Angus J includes job application, Certificate of Service, acknowledgement of appointment as Postmaster at Kaitoke letter biographical note 1883-1941)*

Biographical notes – (author of notes unknown)

Agnes McCurdy - Born in Birmingham England father Scottish wife Mary Ann nee JONES who lived to 104. In 1880 came to NZ as a Telegraphist and electrician for the Telegraph department and was dismissed in 1904 for secondary employment activities as organiser for New Zealand Farmers Union (now Federated Farmers). In 1908 He was on the Town Board as Town Clerk, Health officer and inspector of Nuisances. His salary was £50. 1891 He started to build a lodge on opposite side of the River to Whakatiki Street and named it Bonnie Glen, the lodge was to be used as a Hotel for Hunters of deer which he intended to introduce. The lodge was never finished. He built the first picture Theatre. It was the first Theatre in Upper Hutt to have talkies. He was a publisher, editor and reporter of Upper Hutt's first newspaper. He was Upper Hutt's first Mayor the election was on the 26<sup>th</sup> February 1926. He had four terms as Mayor 1926-27, 1931-33, 1933-35, 1935-38. He died in 1941 at the age of 90.

*(Reference R21683027 AAMF W3327 195 McCurdy Angus J includes job application, Certificate of Service, acknowledgement of appointment as Postmaster at Kaitoke letter biographical note 1883-1941)*

#### 1880-1881 Wellington Electoral Roll

- Alorpius John Thomas MCCURDY telegraphist residential Cambridge road (682)  
*(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Roll)*

#### Evening Post newspaper 21 February 1882

The following telegraph operators left for Wanganui last night to assist in overtaking the extra work on the cable there caused by the breaking of the Cook Strati cable – Messrs Beaven, Talbot, McCurdy and Chisholm

*(Reference Papers past website Evening Post newspaper 21 February 1882 page 2)*

Mary Ann JONES was born 1866 Camdentown London England

Alloysius John Thomas MCCURDY married 1883 New Zealand Mary Ann JONES

*(Reference RGO NZ birth registration 1883 folio website 1883/2909)*

Angus and Mary had a son Donald Archibald MCCURDY born 1884 New Zealand

*(Reference RGO NZ birth registration 1884 folio website 1884/16409 parents Mary Ann and Angus John McCurdy)*

Angus and Mary had a daughter Fena [sic] / Flora Mary MCCURDY born 1886 New Zealand

*(Reference RGO NZ birth registration 1886 folio website 1886/2272 parents Mary Ann and Angus John McCurdy)*

#### 1890 Wellington Electoral Roll

- Angus John MCCURDY telegraphist residential Tinakori Road (8910)  
*(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Roll)*

Angus and Mary had a daughter Jessie Margaret McCurdy born 1890 New Zealand

*(Reference RGO NZ birth registration 1890 folio website 1890/6339 parents Mary Anne and Angus John McCurdy)*

Around 1891 Angus McCurdy and his family settled in Upper Hutt.

*(Reference Papers past website Evening Post newspaper 10 November 1941 page 9)*

#### 1893 Upper Hutt School

- Flora MCCURDY birth date 26 January 1886 parent Angus McCurdy address Upper Hutt School Upper Hutt admission date 27 February 1893 last day 22 March 1893 destination Upper Hutt register number 282
- Flora MCCURDY birth date 26 January 1886 parent Angus McCurdy address Upper Hutt School Upper Hutt admission date 09 October 1893 last day 21 August 1900 comment Home duties register number 311 formerly 282
- Donald MCCURDY birth date 02 November 1884 parent Angus McCurdy address Upper Hutt School Upper Hutt admission date 27 February 1893 last day 22 March 1893 destination Upper Hutt register number 281
- Donald MCCURDY birth date 02 November 1884 parent Angus McCurdy address Upper Hutt School Upper Hutt admission date 09 October 1893 last day 23 February 1900 destination Wellington register number 310 formerly 281

Angus and Mary had a daughter Elsie Rose MCCURDY born 1893 New Zealand

*(Reference RGO NZ birth registration 1893 folio website 1893/13241 parents Mary Anne and Angus John McCurdy)*

Angus and Mary had a son Kenneth Malcolm MCCURDY born 1895 New Zealand

*(Reference RGO NZ birth registration 1895 folio website 1895/3220 parents Mary Ann and Angus John McCurdy)*

#### 1896 Wellington Electoral Roll

- Angus John MCCURDY electrician residential Ingestre street (8809)  
*(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Roll)*

#### 1896 Otaki Electoral Roll

- Angus John MCCURDY electrician residential Upper Hutt (1477)

- Mary Anne MCCURDY married woman residential Upper Hutt (1478)

*(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Roll)*

#### 1896 Upper Hutt School

- Jessie MCCURDY birth date 06 March 1890 parent Angus McCurdy address Upper Hutt School Upper Hutt admission date 27 January 1896 last day 12 March 1896 destination Upper Hutt register number 425
- Jessie MCCURDY birth date 06 March 1890 parent Angus McCurdy address Upper Hutt School Upper Hutt admission date 07 September 1896 last day 26 August 1904 comments Home duties register number 446 formerly 425

Angus and his wife Mary appear to have fostered or had nieces or nephews living with them as I have located a few children on the Upper Hutt School roll with their guardian recorded as Angus McCurdy Upper Hutt.

#### 1897 Upper Hutt School

- Malcolm ROSS birth date 17 January 1890 parent/guardian Angus McCurdy address Upper Hutt School Upper Hutt admission date 25 January 1897 last day 25 March 1897 destination Wellington register number 462

#### 1898 Upper Hutt School

- Margaret THOMAS birth date 13 March 1891 parent/guardian Angus McCurdy address Trentham School Upper Hutt admission date 15 November 1898 last day 15 November 1898 destination Featherston register number 552

#### 1899 New Zealand Gazette Post and Telegraph Staff page 1454

- A J MCCURDY occupation Telegraphist place Wellington

#### 1899 Upper Hutt School

- Elsie MCCURDY birth date 18 January 1893 parent Angus McCurdy address Upper Hutt School Upper Hutt admission date 30 January 1899 last day 24 November 1906 comment Home duties register number 563

#### 1900 Upper Hutt School

- Malcolm ROSS birth date 17 January 1890 parent/guardian Angus McCurdy address Upper Hutt School Upper Hutt admission date 07 February 1900 last day 20 January 1901 last school Greytown destination Wellington register number 613 formerly 462

The McCurdy family dwelled at The Glen (also known as Bonnie Glen) Upper Hutt. The home was situated on the west side of the valley across the river in Upper Hutt. The home was commonly known as McCurdy's Castle. Quote He [Angus] holds a 700 acre mixed farm "Bonnie Glen" on the riverside overlooking Upper Hutt.

*(Reference Papers past website Hutt Valley Independent newspaper 10 November 1917 page 2)*

#### 1900 Otaki Electoral Roll

- Angus John MCCURDY electrician residential Upper Hutt (1992)
- Mary Anne MCCURDY married woman residential Upper Hutt (1991)

*(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Roll)*

#### 1901 Upper Hutt School

- Kenneth MCCURDY birth date 05 December 1894 parent Angus McCurdy address Upper Hutt School Upper Hutt admission date 28 January 1901 last day 16 December 1907 destination Technical school Wellington register number 656

The Upper Hutt Town District was established in March 1903 apparently at the expense of Angus John MCCURDY.

*(Reference Papers past website Hutt Valley Independent newspaper 10 November 1917 page 2)*

#### Free Lance newspaper 18 July 1903

The national organiser Mr A J McCurdy the ex telegraphist who has been so conspicuously in the public eye since he left the Government service to join the organising branch of the union also was there, more silent than it is usual for "Mac" to be and Mr W Hunter of Palmerston North the general secretary was courteous and indefatigable.

*(Reference Papers past website Free Lance newspaper 18 July 1903 page 3)*

There are numerous details regarding Angus John MCCURDY published in the Free Lance newspapers

#### 1905 Upper Hutt School

- Jessie MCCURDY birth date 16 March 1890 parent Angus McCurdy address Upper Hutt School Upper Hutt admission date 28 May 1905 last day 07 November 1905 comment domestic duties register number 907 formerly 446

#### 1905-1906 Hutt Electoral Roll

- Angus John MCCURDY farmer residential Trentham (3691)
- Mary Anne MCCURDY married residential Trentham (3692)

*(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Roll)*

#### Dominion Newspaper 08 October 1907

The area under the control of the Hutt County Council is being reduced gradually with the rapid advance of settlement. Only three years ago Miramar broke away and became a borough in its own right. Eastbourne is even a later deserter from the patient local body. Now the Upper Hutt has decided it could look after itself better than is at present the case and a meeting of resident together with those of Trentham and Silverstream was held on Saturday evening to discuss the question of instituting a separate local body. On the motion of Mr G Brown it was that the time had arrived Town District should be formed and on Mr McCurdy's motion a committee consisting of Messrs McCurdy, Edwards, P D Davis, R Butler and J Bengé was appointed to prepare the necessary petitions to the nor praying for a local governing body to be set up in the Upper Hutt District. Mr G Shirtcliffe occupied the chair.

*(Reference Papers past website Dominion Newspaper 08 October 1907 page 6)*

The first Town Board for Upper Hutt was formed in 1907.

#### 1907 Upper Hutt School

- Leonard THOMAS birth date 06 March 1896 parent/guardian A J McCurdy address Upper Hutt School Upper Hutt admission date 10 December 1907 last school Martinborough last day 14 April 1908 destination Martinborough register number 1108

#### 1910 Upper Hutt School

- William M THOMAS birth date 11 October 1899 parent/guardian Angus J McCurdy address Upper Hutt School Upper Hutt admission date 01 November 1910 last school Martinborough last day 15 December 1910 destination Martinborough register number 1373

On the 05 January 1911 "The Hutt Valley Independent and Upper Hutt Advertiser" was published. The newspaper was published every Thursday and circulated throughout the Mangaroa Riding and Upper Hutt Town District. The Editor of the newspaper was Angus John MCCURDY.

*(Reference National Library of New Zealand Papers past website Hutt Valley Independent newspaper 12 January 1911)*

#### Hutt Valley Independent newspaper 12 January 1911

Telephone Exchange – McCurdy A J p.r. (premises) Bonnie Glen" (plus other residents)

Government Upper Hutt Town Board – Town Clerk – A J McCurdy AIEE London

Public Health – Town District Health Officer – A J McCurdy Town Clerk Upper Hutt

Town Hall Company Limited – Directors - A J McCurdy (plus others)

*(Reference Papers past website Hutt Valley Independent newspaper 12 January 1911 page 1)*

#### 1911 Upper Hutt School

- Alison J LAMBERT birth date 18 January 1902 parent/guardian A J McCurdy address Upper Hutt School Upper Hutt admission date 06 June 1911 last school Carluke Martinborough last day 18 September 1911 destination Martinborough register number 1465

#### 1911 Hutt Electoral Roll

- Angus John MCCURDY Town Clerk Princess Street Upper Hutt (8444)  
(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Roll)

#### 1911 Otaki Electoral Roll (Absent voters permits have been issued to)

- Mary Anne MCCURDY (47)

#### 1911 Otaki Electoral Roll

- Mary Anne MCCURDY married Upper Hutt (3255)
- Jessie Margaret MCCURDY spinster Upper Hutt (3254)
- Donald Archibald MCCURDY clerk Upper Hutt (3253)

(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Roll)

In 1911 quote, "negotiations with the city picture syndicates for the exhibition of films regularly in the Upper Hutt Town Hall are in progress. If satisfactory arrangements can be made it is proposed to have a picture show every Wednesday evening for twelve months".

(Reference Papers past website Hutt Valley Independent newspaper 12 January 1911)

In 1912 quote, "An application for a twelve months lease of the hall for a picture show every Saturday and also every Wednesday was considered and the conditions of the contract were approved of".

(Reference Papers past website Hutt Valley Independent newspaper 03 February 1912)

In May 1912 in the Situations Vacant column it reads, Pianist for the Upper Hutt Picture Syndicate – Saturday 8 to 10. State terms Box 1 Upper Hutt.

(Reference Papers past website Hutt Valley Independent newspaper 04 May 1912 page 1)

In May 1912 in the District News column it reads, The Upper Hutt Picture Syndicate invites tenders for the right to sell confectionery in the hall before the show and in the interval.

(Reference Papers past website Hutt Valley Independent newspaper 18 May 1912 page 1)

The first picture show in Upper Hutt began on Saturday 13 July 1912 and although well attended had some problems due to the lens of the projector been supplied was for a hall 100 feet length not 65 feet which was the length of the Upper Hutt hall.

(Reference Papers past website Hutt Valley Independent newspaper 06 & 13 July 1912 page 1)

#### 1913 Upper Hutt School

- Teresa WILSON birth date 06 November 1901 parent/guardian A J McCurdy address Upper Hutt School Upper Hutt admission date 04 February 1913 last school Carluke Martinborough last day 20 March 1913 destination Wellington register number 1648

Angus John MCCURDY resigned as town clerk in 1913.

(Reference Papers past website Hutt Valley Independent newspaper 10 November 1917 page 2)

#### Hutt Valley Independent newspaper 25 September 1913 page 2

Local Elections - Town District of Upper Hutt - Angus John McCurdy ex-town clerk of Upper Hutt. Associate member of Institute of Electrical Engineers London, Road Engineer, Printer. Director of Town Hall Company, Secretary to the People's Pictures Syndicate, Printer and Publisher of the Hutt Valley Independent newspaper (for the Proprietary), etc. etc. Founder of the Upper Hutt Town District and originator of the Water Supply Scheme now being installed. Nominated by Richard Quinn and Norman J Bennington. McCurdy's election colours Green and Tartan. Green in compliment to the retiring commissioner - one of the best - and Tartan the emblem of the land whose people's bodies may leave it but their hearts never.

The People's Candidate - Not the Nominee of a Clique – Straight Talk Mac - Toes The Mark - A J McCurdy will address the electors in the Town Hall on Wednesday next 24th September 8 p.m. sharp.

Points to Remember - 1 McCurdy and Lower Rates 2 McCurdy and No Crazy Finance 3 McCurdy and No Jobbery 4 McCurdy and Straight Talk 5 McCurdy and No Wasted Money.

McCurdy is not fighting Greig alone he is fighting the nominee of the following clique - Harold R. Gibbs chairman, Peter Robertson hon. sec., Phillip D Davis, James Greenwood, Frederick W Kemp, Reginald H Webb, Francis W Wilkie, William J Wilkie.

VOTE FOR McCurdy and don't pledge your votes to anyone till you've heard McCurdy's address to the People not to the Push

Remember this - Four of the present Commissioners are moving heaven and earth to keep McCurdy out. He knows too much of what has been going on.

Pin this In your Hat - McCurdy for Town Commissioner September 29th The People's "MAC".

*(Reference Papers past website Hutt Valley Independent newspaper 25 September 1913 page 2)*

#### 1914 Upper Hutt School

- Janice SAVAGE birth date 21 January 1907 parent/guardian Angus J McCurdy address Upper Hutt School Upper Hutt admission date 03 February 1914 last school Newtown last day 23 May 1914 destination Newtown register number 1746

#### 1914 Hutt Electoral Roll

- Angus John MCCURDY Town Clerk Princess Street Upper Hutt (4037)

*(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Roll)*

#### 1914 Otaki Electoral Roll

- Mary Anne MCCURDY married Upper Hutt (3015)
- Jessie Margaret MCCURDY spinster Upper Hutt (3014)
- Donald Archibald MCCURDY clerk Upper Hutt (3013)

*(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Roll)*

#### 1915 Upper Hutt School

- Jessica SAVIDGE / SAVAGE birth date 21 January 1907 parent/guardian Angus J McCurdy address Upper Hutt School Upper Hutt admission date 08 June 1915 last school Newtown last day 25 February 1916 destination Petone register number 1942 formerly 1746
- Roy SAVIDGE / SAVAGE birth date 23 November 1908 parent/guardian Angus J McCurdy address Upper Hutt School Upper Hutt admission date 08 June 1915 last school Newtown last day 25 February 1916 destination Petone register number 1943

#### 1919 Hutt Electoral Roll & 1919 Otaki Electoral Roll

- Angus John MCCURDY Town Clerk Princess Street Upper Hutt (5175 & 5959)

*(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Roll)*

#### 1919 Otaki Electoral Roll

- Mary Anne MCCURDY married Upper Hutt (2729)
- Donald Archibald MCCURDY clerk Upper Hutt (2725)
- Flora Mary MCCURDY spinster Bonnie Glen Upper Hutt (2726)
- Jessie Margaret MCCURDY spinster Bonnie Glen Upper Hutt (2727)
- Kenneth Malcolm MCCURDY farmer Bonnie Glen Upper Hutt (2728)

*(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Roll)*

#### Evening Post newspaper 04 March 1926

Borough of Upper Hutt – Declaration of Election of Mayor

Pursuant to Section 10 of the Local Elections and Polls Act 1913.

I hereby give notice that the number of votes received by each candidate for the Office of Mayor for the Borough of Upper Hutt is as follows:

#### Mayoralty

Angus John McCurdy	750
William Henry Peter Barber	385



Informal 23

And I hereby declare the said Angus John McCurdy to be duly elected to such office.

Dated this 3rd day of March 1926

L. F. Grimstone Returning Officer for the Borough of Upper Hutt  
Borough of Upper Hutt - Declaration of Election of Councillors  
Pursuant to Section 10 of the Local Elections and Polls Act 1913.

I hereby give notice that the number of votes received by each candidate for the Office of Councillor for the Borough of Upper Hutt is as follows

East Ward

Charles Lawrence Alexander Spearman	337
William Greig	333
Herbert Edward Lodge	311
James Blewman	302
<u>James Mansfield Beechey</u>	<u>278</u>
Arthur James Petherick	270
John Owen Duff	257
Tom Samuel Burrell	253
William Francis	205
George Humphrey Guthrie	177
James Greenwood	176
William Joseph Pyrtle Howe	99
David Grant	95
Informal	24

West Ward

Amos Howell	273
John Kirkpatrick Johnston	185
Thomas Reginald Jameson	160
Reginald Ernest Baker	130
Frederick Castle	125
William Leonard Skinley	122
John Seymour Baskett	113
Informal	8

And I hereby declare the said Charles Lawrence Alexander Spearman, William Greig, Herbert Edward Lodge, James Blewman and James Mansfield Beechey to be elected to the Office of Councillor for the East Ward and Amos Howell, John Kirkpatrick Johnston and Thomas Reginald Jameson to be elected to the Office of Councillor for the West Ward of the said Borough

Dated this 3rd day of March 1926

L T Grimstone Returning Officer for the Borough of Upper Hutt  
(Reference Papers past website Evening Post newspaper 04 March 1926)

In 1926 Angus John MCCURDY became Mayor of Upper Hutt

1928 Wairarapa Electoral Roll

- Angus John MCCURDY journalist Princess Street Upper Hutt (5302)
- Mary Anne MCCURDY married Bonnie Glen Upper Hutt (5305)
- Flora May MCCURDY spinster Bonnie Glen Upper Hutt (5303)
- Kenneth M farmer Bonnie Glen Upper Hutt (5304)

(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Roll)

In 1933 the Hutt Valley Independent newspaper ceased to be published. Angus John MCCURDY left a legacy of historical information regarding Upper Hutt's settlers and the development and growth of the valley from 1911 to 1933.

1935 Wairarapa Electoral Roll

- Angus John MCCURDY journalist Princess Street Upper Hutt (5281)
- Mary Anne MCCURDY married Bonnie Glen Upper Hutt (5283)
- Flora May MCCURDY spinster Bonnie Glen Upper Hutt (5280)

- Kenneth M farmer Bonnie Glen Upper Hutt (5282)

*(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Roll)*

In 1931 the Mayor of Upper Hutt was Mr Angus John McCurdy. By the end of 1938 Angus was no longer Mayor.

#### 1938 Wairarapa Electoral Roll

- Angus John MCCURDY journalist Princess Street Upper Hutt (5358)
- Mary Anne MCCURDY married Bonnie Glen Upper Hutt (5361)
- Flora May MCCURDY spinster Bonnie Glen Upper Hutt (5359)
- Kenneth M farmer Bonnie Glen Upper Hutt (5360)

*(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Roll)*

Angus John MCCURDY died 10 November 1941 Wellington Hospital Wellington New Zealand

*(Reference RGO NZ death registration 1941 folio website 1941/27969 age 81 born about 1860)*

#### Evening Post newspaper 10 November 1941

Deaths – McCurdy – On 10 November 1941 at Wellington Angus John of Upper Hutt beloved husband of Mary Anne McCurdy in his 82<sup>nd</sup> year. Deeply mourned.

*(Reference Papers past website Evening Post newspaper 10 November 1941 page 1)*

#### Evening Post newspaper 11 November 1941

Funeral Notices – McCurdy – The friends of the late Angus John McCurdy of Upper Hutt are invited to attend his funeral which will leave St Michaels Church Kelburn Tomorrow (Wednesday) 12 November 1941 at the conclusion of the service which commences at 11.30 am for the Cemetery Karori. E Morris Jun. Ltd., Funeral Directors, 25 Kent Terrace Wellington

*(Reference Papers past website Evening Post newspaper 11 November 1941 page 1)*

Angus John MCCURDY Retired Journalist Upper Hutt Wellington Probate files 1941 Wellington High Court

*(Reference Archives NZ Wellington agency AAOM series 6030 box 67 record 5121)*

#### Evening Post newspaper 10 November 1941 page 9

MR A J McCurdy - The death occurred at Wellington today of Mr Angus John McCurdy one of the best known men in Hutt Valley and Wellington local body politics at the age of 81. Born in Birmingham Mr McCurdy was trained as a school teacher, telegraphist and electrician and he arrived in New Zealand in 1880 under contract to the P and T Department. In 1891 he settled at Upper Hutt and for the remainder of his life he was closely associated with the affairs of the district. He was an organiser and member of the Farmers Union, first town clerk - engineer of the Upper Hutt Town District and first Mayor of the borough. In addition at some time or other he represented Upper Hutt on most of the local authorities around Wellington. In private life Mr McCurdy controlled a picture theatre and a newspaper the "Independent."

*(Reference Papers past website Evening Post newspaper 10 November 1941 page 9)*

#### Karori cemetery Wellington section CH ENG2 plot 467 M

In Loving Memory of  
Angus John  
Beloved Husband of Mary MCCURDY  
Died 11 November 1941 in his 82<sup>nd</sup> Year  
At Rest

*(Reference Wellington City Council website Kaori cemetery database monumental inscription)*

#### Evening Post newspaper 10 November 1941

Mr A J McCURDY The death occurred at Wellington today of Mr Angus John McCurdy one of the best known men in Hutt Valley and Wellington local body politics at the age of 81. Born in Birmingham Mr McCurdy was trained as a school teacher, telegraphist, and electrician and he arrived in New Zealand in 1880 under contract to the P and T Department. In 1891 he settled at Upper Hutt, and for the remainder of his life he was closely associated with the affairs of the

district. He was an organiser and member of the Farmers Union, first town clerk-engineer of the Upper Hutt Town District and first Mayor of the borough. In addition at some time or other he represented Upper Hutt on most of the local authorities around Wellington. In private life Mr. McCurdy controlled a picture theatre and a newspaper the "Independent."

*(Reference Papers past website Evening Post newspaper 10 November 1941 page 9)*

Angus John MCCURDY occupation retired journalist place Upper Hutt court Wellington probate files

*(Reference Archives NZ Wellington agency AAOM series 6030 record 5121 filed date 19 December 1941 intestate letters of administration)*

#### 1946 Otaki Electoral Roll

- Mary Anne MCCURDY married Bonny Glen Upper Hutt (6990)
- Flora Mary MCCURDY spinster Bonny Glen Upper Hutt (6985)
- Kenneth Malcolm MCCURDY farmer Bonny Glen Upper Hutt (6989)
- Edward Ellis MCCURDY accountant Miro Road Upper Hutt (6986)
- Jean MCCURDY married Miro Street Upper Hutt (6988)

*(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)*

#### 1949 Otaki Electoral Roll

- Mary Anne MCCURDY married Bonnie Glen Upper Hutt (9129)
- Flora Mary MCCURDY spinster Bonnie Glen Upper Hutt (9126)
- Kenneth Malcolm MCCURDY farmer Bonnie Glen Upper Hutt (9128)
- Edward Ellis MCCURDY accountant Main Road Heretaunga (9125)
- Jean MCCURDY married Miro Street Upper Hutt (9127)

*(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)*

#### 1954 Heretaunga Electoral Roll

- Mary Anne MCCURDY married Bonnie Glen Upper Hutt (7557)
- Flora Mary MCCURDY spinster Bonnie Glen Upper Hutt (7554)
- Kenneth Malcolm MCCURDY farmer Bonnie Glen U Hutt (7556)
- Edward Ellis MCCURDY accountant Main Road Heretaunga (7553)
- Jean MCCURDY married Main Road Heretaunga (7555)

*(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)*

#### 1957 Heretaunga Electoral Roll

- Mary Anne MCCURDY widow Bonnie Glen Upper Hutt (7856)
- Flora Mary MCCURDY spinster Bonnie Glen Upper Hutt (7853)
- Kenneth Malcolm MCCURDY farmer Bonnie Glen U H (7855)
- Edward Ellis MCCURDY publisher 633 Main Road Heretaunga (7852)
- Jean MCCURDY married 633 Main Road Heretaunga (7854)

*(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)*

#### 1963 Heretaunga Electoral Roll

- Mary A MCCURDY widow 24 Logan Street Upper Hutt (16)
- Flora M MCCURDY spinster 24 Logan Street Upper Hutt (13)
- Kenneth M MCCURDY farmer Bonnie Glen Upper Hutt (15)
- Edward E MCCURDY publisher 633 Main Road Heretaunga (12)
- Jean MCCURDY married 633 Main Road Heretaunga (14)

*(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Roll)*

#### 1969 Heretaunga Electoral Roll

- Mary Anne MCCURDY widow 24 Logan Street Upper Hutt (35)
- Flora Mary MCCURDY spinster 24 Logan Street Upper Hutt (33)
- Edward Ellis MCCURDY Marketing Manager 633 Main Road Heretaunga (32)
- Jean MCCURDY married 633 Main Road Heretaunga (34)

*(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Roll)*

Mary Anne MCCURDY died 21 July 1970 New Zealand

(Reference RGO NZ death registration 1970 folio website 1970/47467 age 104 born about 1866)

Mary Anne MCCURDY occupation widow address Upper Hutt Court Wellington Probate files

(Reference Archives NZ Wellington agency AAOM series 6031 record 0894/1970 filed date 06 August 1970 type Will)

Mary Anne MCCURDY age 104 years died buried 23 July 1970 Karori cemetery section CH ENG2 plot 467 M record number 40340 Wellington

Karori cemetery Wellington section CH ENG2 plot 467 M

In Loving Memory of Mary Ann Beloved wife of Angus McCurdy  
Died 21<sup>st</sup> July 1970 in her 105<sup>th</sup> year  
At Rest

(Reference Wellington City Council website Kaori cemetery database monumental inscription)

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### Mary & Angus MCCURDY their children and descendants

**1- Donald Archibald MCCURDY** born 1884 Wellington New Zealand died 1971 Wellington New Zealand married 1922 **Georgina Beatrice CHATWIN** born 24 January 1892 New Zealand died 1985 New Zealand

#Donald Archibald MCCURDY born 1884 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1884 folio website 1884/16409 parents Mary Ann and Angus John McCurdy

#Donald MCCURDY birth date 02 November 1884 parents Agnes McCurdy address Upper Hutt School Upper Hutt admission date 09 October 1893 last day 23 February 1900 destination Wellington register number 310 former 281

#Donald MCCURDY birth date 02 November 1884 parents Agnes McCurdy address Upper Hutt School Upper Hutt admission date 27 February 1893 last day 22 March 1893 destination Upper Hutt register number 281

#Donald Archibald MCCURDY 1905-1906 Hutt Electoral Roll

#Donald Archibald MCCURDY 1911 Otaki Electoral Roll

#Donald Archibald MCCURDY 1914 Otaki Electoral Roll

#Lieutenant Donald Archibald MCCURDY 15/67 Sergeant Main Body Headquarters single address Upper Hutt NOK Angus J McCurdy Upper Hutt reference Nominal Roll volume 1 World War One

#Donald Archibald MCCURDY 1919 Otaki Electoral Roll

#Donald Archibald MCCURDY civil servant 90 Kelburn Parade (7243) & Georgina Beatrice MCCURDY married 90 Kelburn Parade (7244) 1928 Wellington Suburbs Electoral Roll

#Donald Archibald MCCURDY & Georgina Beatrice MCCURDY 1935 Wellington Suburbs Electoral Roll

#Donald Archibald MCCURDY & Georgina Beatrice MCCURDY 1938 Wellington West Electoral Roll

#Donald Archibald MCCURDY & Georgina Beatrice MCCURDY 1946 Karori Electoral Roll

#Donald Archibald MCCURDY & Georgina Beatrice MCCURDY 1949 Karori Electoral Roll

#Donald A MCCURDY 1954 Karori Electoral Roll

#Donald Archibald MCCURDY & Georgina Beatrice MCCURDY 1957 Karori Electoral Roll

#Donald Archibald MCCURDY & Georgina Beatrice MCCURDY 1963 Wellington Central Electoral Roll

#Donald A MCCURDY secretary (20) & Georgina Beatrice MCCURDY married (21) 90 Kelburn Parade 1969 Wellington Central Electoral Roll reference Ancestry website

#Donald Archibald MCCURDY died 1971 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1971 folio website 1971/49127 age 86 born about 1885

#Georgina Beatrice MCCURDY widow 90 Kelburn Parade 1972 Wellington Central Electoral Roll reference Ancestry website

#Donald Archibald MCCURDY age 86 years died 23 October 1971 cremated Karori cemetery Wellington record number 34444

- #Georgina Beatrice MCCURDY died 1985 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1985 folio website 1985/38397 born 24 January 1892
- #Georgina Beatrice MCCURDY age 93 years died 07 May 1985 cremated 10 May 1985 Karori cemetery Wellington record number 55077
- 2- Flora Mary MCCURDY** born 26 January 1886 New Zealand died 1987 New Zealand (never married)
- #Fena [sic] Mary MCCURDY born 1886 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1886 folio website 1886/2272 parents Mary Ann and Angus John McCurdy
- #Flora MCCURDY birth date 26 January 1886 parent Angus McCurdy address Upper Hutt School Upper Hutt admission date 27 February 1893 last day 22 March 1893 destination Upper Hutt register number 282
- #Flora MCCURDY birth date 26 January 1886 parent Angus McCurdy address Upper Hutt School Upper Hutt admission date 09 October 1893 last day 21 August 1900 comments Home Duties register number 311 formerly 282
- #Flora Mary MCCURDY died 1987 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1987 folio website 1987/48883 born 26 January 1886
- 3- Elsie Rose MCCURDY** born 18 January 1893 New Zealand died 1986 New Zealand married 1917 New Zealand **Charles Warren THOMAS** born 06 August 1885 New Zealand died 1974 New Zealand
- #Elsie Rose MCCURDY born 1893 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1893 folio website 1893/13241 parents Mary Anne and Angus John McCurdy
- #Elsie MCCURDY birth date 18 January 1893 parent Angus McCurdy address Upper Hutt School Upper Hutt admission date 30 January 1899 last day 24 November 1906 comment Homes Duties register number 563
- #Charles Warren THOMAS born 1885 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1885 folio website 1885/12025 parents Mary Elizabeth and Thomas Thomas
- #Elsie Rose MCCURDY married 1917 New Zealand Charles Warren THOMAS reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1917 folio 2329 website 1917/3164
- #Charles Warren THOMAS clerk Buckley Street Alicetown Lower Hutt (7885) 1919 Hutt Electoral Roll reference Ancestry website
- #Charles Warren THOMAS retired 55 Mount Street (44) & Elsie Rose THOMAS married 55 Mount Street (61) 1972 Nelson Electoral Roll reference Ancestry website
- #Charles Warren THOMAS died 1974 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1986 folio website 1974/44533 born 06 August 1885
- #Elsie Rose THOMAS died 1986 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1986 folio website 1986/51442 born 18 January 1893
- 4- Jessie Margaret MCCURDY** born 16 March 1890 Tinakori Road Wellington New Zealand died 21 December 1991 Carterton New Zealand married 17 April 1917 Upper Hutt New Zealand **Leonard John DANAHA**Y born about 1888 died 1969 New Zealand
- #Jessie Margaret McCurdy born 1890 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1890 folio website 1890/6339 parents Mary Anne and Angus John McCurdy
- #Jessie MCCURDY birth date 16 March 1890 parent Angus McCurdy address Upper Hutt School Upper Hutt admission date 27 January 1896 last day 12 March 1896 destination Upper Hutt register number 425
- #Jessie MCCURDY birth date 16 March 1890 parent Angus McCurdy address Upper Hutt School Upper Hutt admission date 29 May 1905 last day 07 November 1905 comment home duties register number 907 formerly 425
- #Jessie Margaret MCCURDY married 1917 New Zealand Leonard John DANAHAY reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1917 folio 1527 website 1917/2358
- #Marriage – At St Joseph's Church Upper Hutt on Tuesday 17 April 1917 Leonard John eldest son of Robert Danahay of Wanganui to Jessie Margaret second daughter of Angus J McCurdy of Upper Hutt reference Papers past website Hutt Valley Independent newspaper 21 April 1917 page 2
- #Leonard John DANAHAY retired 52 Tweed Street Mt Maunganui & Jessie Margaret DANAHAY married 52 Tweed Street Mt Maunganui 1963 Tauranga Electoral Roll Bay of Plenty reference Ancestry website

- #Leonard John DANAHAY died 1969 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1969 folio website 1969/34907 age 81 born about 1888
- #Jessie Margaret DANAHAY widow 52 Tweed Street Mount Maunganui 1981 Kaimai Electoral Roll Waikato reference Ancestry website
- #Jessie Margaret DANAHAY died 1991 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1991 folio website 1991/47427 born 16 March 1890
- 4-1- Mary Elizabeth Cecelia DANAHAY born 14 October 1920 New Zealand died 20 January 2013 New Zealand married Edward Allan COOK born 11 June 1912 Pauatahanui Wellington New Zealand died 18 February 1991 Lower Hutt Wellington New Zealand
- #Edward Allan COOK died 1991 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1991 folio website 1991/32957 born 11 June 1912
- #Mary Elizabeth Cecelia COOK died 2013 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 2013 folio website 2013/2648 born 14 October 1920
- 5- **Kenneth Malcolm MCCURDY** born 1895 New Zealand died 1965 New Zealand (never married)
- #Kenneth Malcolm MCCURDY born 1895 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1895 folio website 1895/3220 parents Mary Ann and Angus John McCurdy
- #Kenneth MCCURDY birth date 05 December 1894 parent Angus McCurdy address Upper Hutt School Upper Hutt admission date 28 January 1901 last day 16 December 1897 destination Technical School Wellington register number 656
- #Kenneth Malcolm MCCURDY farmer Bonnie Glen Upper Hutt (2728) 1919 Otaki Electoral Roll reference Ancestry website
- #Kenneth M MCCURDY farmer Bonnie Glen Upper Hutt (15) 1963 Heretaunga Electoral Roll reference Ancestry website
- #Kenneth Malcolm MCCURDY died 1965 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1965 folio website 1965/31166 age 70 born about 1895
- #Kenneth Malcolm MCCURDY age 70 years died 02 January 1965 cremated 05 January 1965 Karori cemetery record number 24953

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### Angus John MCCURDY his ancestors and their descendants

- 0- **John MCCURDY** born about 1826-1830 Cuslindale [sic] Ireland died married 1859 Kensington London England **Elizabeth Martha DRIFFIELD** born 20 August 1837 Leeds Yorkshire England died
- #1851 Census 7 Fernia Terrace [sic] St Thomas Cheetham Lancashire Manchester England ED 1g household 211 piece 2232 folio 240 page 56
- John MCCURDY lodger unmarried age 25 occupation Teacher born about 1826 Cuslindale [sic] Ireland
- #Elizabeth Martha MCCURDY (Elizabeth Martha DRIFFIELD) female born 20 August 1837 baptised 01 December 1864 St Peters Birmingham Warwickshire England mother Elizabeth BATES and father Thomas DRIFFIELD reference Ancestry website England birth and christenings FHL film number 1999851 p 198
- #John MCCURDY married Elizabeth Martha DRIFFIELD 1859 Kensington London England reference Ancestry website RGO UK marriage registration 1859 September quarter district Kensington County London volume 1a page 249
- #1861 census 10 Ickuld Fr West Lindon Terrace [sic] St John Lady Wood Birmingham Warwickshire England reference Ancestry website ED 31 household 137 piece 2133 folio 16 page 25
- John MCCURDY head married age 31 School master born about 1830 Ireland
  - Elizabeth M MCCURDY wife married age 23 born about 1838 born Leeds Yorkshire England
  - Aloysius J T MCCURDY son age 9 months born about 1860 Birmingham Warwickshire England son of parents Elizabeth M and John McCurdy
- #1871 Census St Asaph St Thomas Birmingham Warwickshire England ED 13 household 276 piece 3099 folio 27 page 49
- John MCCURDY head married age 41 born about 1830 Ireland
  - Elizabeth M MCCURDY wife age 33 born about 1838 Leeds Yorkshire England

- John Thomas MCCURDY son age 10 born about 1861 Birmingham Warwickshire England
- Bernard Neil Patrick MCURDY son age 9 born about 1862 Birmingham Warwickshire England
- Teresa Elizabeth Mary MCCURDY daughter age 7 born about 1864 Birmingham Warwickshire England
- Archibald B MCCURDY son age 5 born about 1866 Birmingham Warwickshire England
- Christiana Agnes MCURDY daughter age 3 born about 1868 Birmingham Warwickshire England
- Mary Gertrude MCCURDY daughter age 1 born about 1870 Birmingham Warwickshire England
- Rosa Mary MCURDY daughter age 1 born about 1870 Birmingham Warwickshire England
- Margaret Ann MCCURDY daughter age 3 months born about 1871 Birmingham Warwickshire England

#1881 census Cross Roe/Row Whitehaven Egremont Cumberland England ED7 piece 5193 folio 72 page 53

- John MCCURDEY [sic] head married age 43 Teacher Educational Department born about 1838 Ireland
- Elizabeth MCCURDEY wife married age 43 born Leeds Yorkshire
- Bernard MCCURDEY son age 19 Clerk on Railway born Birmingham Warwickshire
- Archibald MCCURDEY son age 15 Clerk from works born Birmingham Warwickshire
- Gertrude MCCURDEY daughter age 11 Scholar born Birmingham Warwickshire
- Rosa MCCURDEY daughter age 11 scholar born Birmingham Warwickshire
- Margaret MCCURDEY daughter age 10 scholar born Birmingham Warwickshire
- Adela MCCURDEY daughter age 8 scholar born Birmingham Warwickshire
- Dennis MCCURDEY son age 5 scholar born Birmingham Warwickshire

**0-1- Aloysius John Thomas / Angus John MCCURDY** born 20 June 1860 Birmingham Warwickshire England

#Aloysius John Thomas MCCURDY born 1860 Birmingham Warwickshire England reference Family Search website RGO UK Birth registration 1860 September quarter district Birmingham County Warwickshire England volume 6d page 3 line number 135

#NOTE for full details see Angus John MCCURDY genealogy at the beginning of this document

**0-2- Bernard Neil Patrick MCCURDY** born 18 December 1861 Birmingham Warwickshire England

#Bernard Neil Patrick MCCURDY born 1862 Birmingham Warwickshire England reference Ancestry website RGO UK birth registration 1862 March quarter district Birmingham County Warwickshire volume 6d page 1

#Bernardus Neil Patricius MCCURDY male born 18 December 1861 baptised 12 January 1862 St Peters Birmingham Warwick England mother Elizabeth Marthae DRIFFIELD and Joannis MCCURDY reference Ancestry website FHL Film number 1999851 reference ID p 31

#1871 Census St Asaph St Thomas Birmingham Warwickshire England ED 13 household 276 piece 3099 folio 27 page 49

- Bernard Neil Patrick MCURDY son age 9 born about 1862 Birmingham Warwickshire England

#1881 census Cross Roe/Row Whitehaven Egremont Cumberland England ED7 piece 5193 folio 72 page 53

- Bernard MCCURDEY son age 19 Clerk on Railway born Birmingham Warwickshire

**0-3- Teresa Elizabeth Mary MCCURDY** born about 1864 Birmingham Warwickshire England died New Zealand 1<sup>st</sup> married 1889 New Zealand George Thomas ROSS born died 2<sup>nd</sup> married 1903 New Zealand Sverre SORENSEN born died

#Teresa Elizabeth MCCURDY born 1863 Birminham Warwickshire England reference Ancestry website RGO UK birth registration 1863 December quarter district Birmingham County Warwickshire volume 6d page 40

#Teresia Elizabeth Maria MCCURDY baptism parents Elizabeth Marthae Driffield and Joannis McCCurdy reference Ancestry website

#1871 Census St Asaph St Thomas Birmingham Warwickshire England ED 13 household 276 piece 3099 folio 27 page 49

- Teresa Elizabeth Mary MCCURDY daughter age 7 born about 1864 Birmingham Warwickshire England

#Teresa MCCURDY age 17 nationality Warwickshire Single occupation general servant immigrated 22 August 1880 to Wellington New Zealand 28 November 1880 ship Pleione reference Ancestry website Immigration

#Wellington The Pleione arrived from London this morning after an uneventful passage She brings 190 immigrants reference Papers past website West Coast Times newspaper 29 November 1880 page 2

#Messrs Shaw Savile and Cos ship Pleione 1097 tons Captain Reaut with 196 steerage passengers among them being 136 single women arrived at Wellington on Sunday. Eleven of her passengers were for Nelson reference Papers past website Colonist newspaper 02 December 1880 page 4

#Teresa Elizabeth Mary MCCURDY married 1889 New Zealand George Thomas ROSS reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1889 folio website 1889/1275

#Notice of Application for a publicans License George Thomas Ross of Trentham do hereby give notice that I desire to obtain and will at the next Licensing Meeting to be holden at the Magistrate's Court) at Otaki on the 1st day of June 1900 apply for a certificate authorising the issue of a Publican's License for a house situate at Trentham I and known by the sign of the Railway Hotel containing rooms exclusive of those required for the use of the family. Dated 4th day of May 1900 G T ROSS Mr M'Gover is the owner of these premises Young and Tripe Solicitors Wellington (previous Publican Samuel Carlson) reference Papers past website Evening Post newspaper 10 May 1900 page 8

#Teresa Elizabeth Mary ROSS married 17 March 1903 Napier New Zealand Sverre SORENSEN reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1903 folio website 1903/1376

#Sverre SORENSEN farmer Marlborough Street (3743) 1905-1906 Oroua Electoral Roll Manawatu Wanganui reference Ancestry website

0-3-1- Malcolm John ROSS / SORENSON born 17 January 1890 New Zealand died 09 April 1918 France (WWI) married 1917 New Zealand Caroline Elizabeth COTTERALL born died

#Malcolm John ROSS born 17 January 1890 Woodville Hawkes Bay New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1890 folio website 1890/2600 parents Theresa Elizabeth Mary (formerly MCCURDY) and George Thomas Ross

#Malcolm John SORENSON married 1917 New Zealand Caroline Elizabeth COTTERALL reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1917/5286

#Malcolm John SORENSEN occupation Motor Salesman address The Abbey Queen Street First Reserves

#Malcolm John SORENSON 60316 Corporal occupation salesman NOK wife Mrs J M Sorenson Hall Avenue Remuera Auckland reference nominal volume 3 roll 72 page 27

#Malcolm John SORENSON died reference RGO NZ WWI death registration 1918 folio website 1918/40552 age 28 born about 1890

#Malcolm John SORENSON 60316 Rifleman New Zealand Rifle Brigade 3rd Battalion 3rd age 29 died 09 April 1918 grave XXXIII F 15A Estaples military cemetery Pas de Calais France son of S and A Sorenson of Vancouver British Columbia husband C E Sorenson of Mangonui Hotel Mangonui New Zealand reference Commonwealth War Graves website

#Malcolm John SORENSON 60316 Rifleman / Corporal New Zealand Rifle Brigade 3rd Battalion 30th Reinforcements H Company NZEF occupation Salesman NOK (wife) Mrs J M Sorenson Hall Avenue Remuera Auckland New Zealand embarked 13 October 1917 Wellington NZ vessel Corinthic destination Liverpool England age 29 died 09 April 1918 France died of wounds grave XXXIII F 15A Etaples military cemetery Pas-de-Calais France portrait photo Auckland Weekly News 1918 reads Pte M J Sorenson of Remuera Died of Wounds Notes son of S and A Sorenson of Vancouver British Columbia Canada husband of C E Sorenson of Mangonui Hotel Mangonui New Zealand reference Auckland War Memorial Museum Cenotaph database



#On Active Service For King and Country SORENSON On 09 April at St John Ambulance Bridge Hospital France died of wounds Rifleman M J Sorenson 30th Reinforcements dearly beloved husband of C E Sorenson of Hall's Avenue Remuera reference Papers past website Auckland Star 20 April 1918 page 12

#Our Boys ROSS Malcolm John only son of Mrs G T Ross formerly of Trentham Hotel and nephew of A J McCurdy Died of wounds received in France 09 April reference Papers past website Hutt Valley Independent newspaper 20 April 1918 page 2

#Our Boys Archie McCurdy NZR Auckland, Malcolm ROSS motor salesman Auckland Harry McCurdy draper Masterton and Joe Evans clerk Masterton four nephews of the editor were drown in the last ballot. Malcolm Ross is an old Upper Hutt schoolboy his parents formerly kept the Railway Hotel Trentham reference Hutt Valley Independent newspaper 12 May 1917 page 2

#NOTE Malcolm John ROSS enlisted in WWI under his step-fathers surname of SORENSON / SORENSEN Malcolm went to School in Upper Hutt and at some time resided with his parents in Trentham

#Caroline Elizabeth SORENSON married 1920 New Zealand James Leo STITT reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1920 folio website 1920/704

0-3-2- Olga Emilie Teresa SORENSEN born 05 January 1905 Fielding Manawatu New Zealand

#Olga Emilie Teresa SORENSEN born 05 January 1905 Fielding Manawatu New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1905 folio website 1905/8404 parents Teresa Elizabeth Mary and Sverre Sorensen

0-3-3- Elfreda Grace SORENSEN born 1907 Fielding Manawatu New Zealand

#Elfreda Grace SORENSEN born 1907 Fielding Manawatu New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1907 folio website 1907/7492 parents Teresa Elizabeth Mary and Sverre Sorensen

**0-4- Archibald Driffield MCCURDY** born about 1866 Birmingham Warwickshire England died 02 January 1895 Queensland Australia married 1892 Queensland Australia Alice Julia Anne BURR born died

#Archibald Driffield MCCURDY born 1865 Birmingham Warwickshire England reference Ancestry website RGO UK birth registration 1865 September quarter district Birmingham County Warwickshire volume 6d page 15

#1871 Census St Asaph St Thomas Birmingham Warwickshire England ED 13 household 276 piece 3099 folio 27 page 49

- Archibald B MCCURDY son age 5 born about 1866 Birmingham Warwickshire England

#Archd D McCURDY British Postal Service Appointments Books date appointed February 1880 place appointed Birmingham Learner [sic] 21889 England reference Ancestry website

#1881 census Cross Roe/Row Whitehaven Egremont Cumberland England ED7 piece 5193 folio 72 page 53

- Archibald MCCURDEY son age 15 Clerk from works born Birmingham Warwickshire

#Archibald Driffield MACCURDY married 13 January 1892 Queensland Australia Alice Julia Anne BURR reference Ancestry website Australian marriage registration year 1892 registration number B015423 page number 15771

#Archibald Driffield MCCURDY died 02 January 1895 Queensland Australia mother Elizabeth Martha KRIFFIELD [sic] and father John MCCURDY reference Ancestry website Australian registration place Queensland registration number 003616 page number 16843

**0-5- Christina Agnes MCCURDY** born 1867 Birmingham Warwickshire England

#Christina Agnes MCCURDY born 1867 Birmingham Warwickshire England reference Ancestry website RGO UK birth registration 1867 June quarter district Birmingham County Warwickshire volume 6d page 24

#1871 Census St Asaph St Thomas Birmingham Warwickshire England ED 13 household 276 piece 3099 folio 27 page 49

- Christiana Agnes MCCURDY daughter age 3 born about 1868 Birmingham Warwickshire England

#1881 Census Street Whitehaven Egremont Beckermest St Bridget Cumberland England ED 10 piece 5194 folio 18 page 4

- Christiana Agnes MCCURDY servant age 14 nurse born about 1867 Birmingham Warwickshire England

- 0-6- Gertrude May MCCURDY** (twin) born 1869 Birmingham Warwickshire England died 1942 New Zealand married 1903 New Zealand William Townsend BALL born about 1865 died 1945 New Zealand  
#Mary Gertrude MCCURDY born 1869 Birmingham Warwickshire reference Ancestry website RGO UK birth registration 1869 September quarter district Birmingham County Warwickshire volume 6d page 43  
#1871 Census St Asaph St Thomas Birmingham Warwickshire England ED 13 household 276 piece 3099 folio 27 page 49
- Mary Gertrude MCCURDY daughter age 1 born about 1870 Birmingham Warwickshire England
- #1881 census Cross Roe/Row Whitehaven Egremont Cumberland England ED7 piece 5193 folio 72 page 53
- Gertrude MCCURDEY daughter age 11 Scholar born Birmingham Warwickshire
- #Gertrude May MCCURDY married 1903 New Zealand William Townsend BALL reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1903 folio website 1903/2491  
#Gertrude Mary BALL died 1942 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1942 folio website 1942/31577 age 73 born about 1869  
#William Townsend BALL died 1945 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1945 folio website 1945/22949 age 80 born about 1865
- 0-6-1- Richard William BALL born 29 April 1905 New Zealand died 1988 New Zealand married 1930 New Zealand Rita Agnes BURKE born 01 February 1906 died 1974 New Zealand  
#Richard William BALL born 1905 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1905 folio website 1905/4535 parents Gertrude May and William Townsend Ball  
#Richard William BALL married 1930 New Zealand Rita Agnes BURKE reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1930 folio website 1930/6355  
#Rita Agnes BALL died 1974 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1974 folio website 1974/50273 born 01 February 1906  
#Richard William BALL died 1988 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1988 folio website 1988/34065 born 29 April 1905
- 0-6-1- Winifred Olive BALL born 08 June 1908 New Zealand died 1998 New Zealand married 1930 New Zealand Lionel James HUTCHINS born 30 December 1907 died 1996 New Zealand  
#Winifred Olive BALL born 1908 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1908 folio website 1908/13663 parents Gertrude May and William Townsend Ball  
#Winifred Olive BALL married 1930 New Zealand Lionel James HUTCHINS reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1930 folio website 1930/9403  
#Lionel James HUTCHINS died 1996 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1996 folio website 1996/34762 born 30 December 1907  
#Winifred Olive HUTCHINS died 1998 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1998 folio website 1998/6064 born 08 June 1908
- 0-7- Rosa Mary MCCURDY** (twin) born 1869 Birmingham Warwickshire England  
#Rosa Mary MCCURDY born 1869 Birmingham Warwickshire reference Ancestry website RGO UK birth registration 1869 September quarter district Birmingham County Warwickshire volume 6d page 43  
#1871 Census St Asaph St Thomas Birmingham Warwickshire England ED 13 household 276 piece 3099 folio 27 page 49
- Rosa Mary MCCURDY daughter age 1 born about 1870 Birmingham Warwickshire England
- #1881 census Cross Roe/Row Whitehaven Egremont Cumberland England ED7 piece 5193 folio 72 page 53
- Rosa MCCURDEY daughter age 11 scholar born Birmingham Warwickshire
- 0-8- Margaret Ann MCCURDY** born about 1871 Birmingham Warwickshire England  
#Margaret Ann MCCURDY born 1871 Birmingham Warwickshire England reference Ancestry website RGO UK birth registration 1871 March quarter district Birmingham Warwickshire England volume 6d page 60  
#1871 Census St Asaph St Thomas Birmingham Warwickshire England ED 13 household 276 piece 3099 folio 27 page 49

- Margaret Ann MCCURDY daughter age 3 months born about 1871 Birmingham Warwickshire England  
#1881 census Cross Roe/Row Whitehaven Egremont Cumberland England ED7 piece 5193 folio 72 page 53
- Margaret MCCURDEY daughter age 10 scholar born Birmingham Warwickshire
- 0-9- Adela Winifred MCCURDY** born about 1873 Birmingham Warwickshire England married 1896 New Zealand Alfred James PILKINGTON born died  
#Adela Winifred MCCURDY born 1873 Birmingham Warwickshire England reference Ancestry website RGO UK birth registration 1873 June quarter district Birmingham Warwickshire England volume 6d page 13  
#1881 census Cross Roe/Row Whitehaven Egremont Cumberland England ED7 piece 5193 folio 72 page 53
- Adela MCCURDEY daughter age 8 scholar born Birmingham Warwickshire  
#Alfred James PILKINGTON born 1871 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1871 folio website 1871/14811 parents Eliza and Edward Pilkington  
#Adela Winifred MCCURDY married 1896 New Zealand Alfred James PILKINGTON reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1896 folio website 1896/446  
#1911 census Canada 1274 10th Avenue Vancouver City Canada reference Ancestry website
- Alfred J PILKINGTON age 40 born about March 1871 New Zealand immigrated 1906 to Vancouver British Columbia Canada
- Adell A [sic] W PILKINGTON married age 38 born about March 1873 England
- Francis C PILKINGTON son age 7 born about January 1904 Scotland
- Rodrick A Pilkington son age 3 born about November 1907 British Columbia Canada
- Marjorie I PILKINGTON age 8 months born about March 1911 British Columbia Canada  
#Our Boys Imperishably Honoured – Captain J Pilkington brother in law of A J McCurdy  
Killed on active service in aeroplane casualty reference Hutt Valley Independent newspaper 10 November 1917 page 2  
#NOTE Alfred I believe enlisted with the Canadian Force but was recorded on 1921 census in Canada so he could not have died during WWI Alfred married Angus McCurdy sister of Agnes John McCurdy of Upper Hutt  
#Adela Winifred age 48 and Alfred PILKINGTON age 59 arrived 1906 Canada residence Vancouver Centre British Columbia Canada 1921 Census Canada plus 2 sons Francis & Roderick and 1 daughter Marjorie reference Ancestry website
- 0-9-1- Francis C PILKINGTON born about 1904 Canada
- 0-9-2- Roderick A PILKINGTON born about 1908 Canada
- 0-9-3- Marjorie I PILKINGTON born about 1911 Canada
- 0-10- Dennis Francis MCCURDY** born about 1875 Birmingham Warwickshire England died 1943 Thames Auckland New Zealand married 1898 New Zealand Florence Elinore EWINGTON born 1869 died 1957 New Zealand  
#Denis Francis MCCURDY born 1875 Birmingham Warwickshire England reference Ancestry website RGO UK birth registration 1875 December quarter district Birmingham Warwickshire England volume 6d page 31  
#1881 census Cross Roe/Row Whitehaven Egremont Cumberland England ED7 piece 5193 folio 72 page 53
- Dennis MCCURDEY son age 5 scholar born Birmingham Warwickshire  
#Dennis Francis MCCURDY married 1898 New Zealand Florence Elinore EWINGTON reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1898 folio website 1898/3825  
#Frank MCCURDY engineer Lansdowne (3536) & Florence Elinor MCCUDRY married Lansdown (3535) 1914 Masterton Electoral Roll reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls  
#Denis Francis MCCURDY address Lansdowne Road Masterton Second Reserves F classification  
#Denis Francis MCCURDY died 1943 March quarter Thames Auckland New Zealand reference Ancestry website & RGO NZ death registration 1943 folio website 1943/16312 age 68 born about 1875

- #Florence Elinor MCCURDY died 1957 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1957 folio website 1957/24727 age 88 born about 1869
- 0-10-0- Henry John (Harry) EWINGTON / MCCURDY born 1897 New Zealand died  
#Henry John EWINGTON born 1897 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1897 folio website 1897/11586 parents Florence Eleanor and William Charles EWINGTON  
#Our Boys Archie McCurdy NZR Auckland, Malcolm Ross motor salesman Auckland, Harry McCurdy draper Masterton and Joe Evans clerk Masterton four nephews of the editor were drawn in the last ballot. Malcolm Ross is an old Upper Hutt schoolboy his parents formerly kept the Railway Hotel Trentham reference Papers past website Hutt Valley Independent newspaper 12 May 1917 page 2  
#Harry MCCURDY occupation Draper place Masterton date 1917 Military Call Up source NZ Gazette 1917 page 1961  
#Henry John MCCURDY 58411 Private occupation drapers Assistant NOK mother Mrs F McCurdy Lansdown Masterton reference nominal roll volume 4 roll 81 page 22  
#Henry John MCCURDY NZ Government Gazette 1920 page 2836
- 0-10-1- Adela Winifred MCCURDY born 06 April 1898 New Zealand married 1924 New Zealand Clive Nelson SOWMAN born about 1895 died 1973 New Zealand  
#Adela Winifred MCCURDY born 1898 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1898 folio website 1898/16632 parents Florence Elinor and Denis Francis McCurdy  
#Adela Winifred MCCURDY married 1924 New Zealand Clive Nelson SOWMAN reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1924 folio website 1924/2105  
#Clive Nelson SOWMAN died 1973 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1973 folio website 1973/26960 age 78 born about 1895  
#Adela Winifred SOWMAN died 1986 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1986 folio website 1986/51388 born 06 April 1899
- 0-10-2- Florence Elinor MCCURDY born 1900 New Zealand died 1964 New Zealand married 1921 New Zealand Arthur Oswald EMMS born 04 August 1897 died 1974 New Zealand  
#Florence Elinor MCCURDY born 1900 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1900 folio website 1900/12679 parents Florence Elinor and Driffield Francis McCurdy  
#Florence Elinor MCCURDY married 1921 New Zealand Arthur Oswald EMMS reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1921 folio website 1921/9825  
#Florence Elinor EMMS died 1964 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1964 folio website 1964/26081 age 63 born about 1901  
#Arthur Oswald EMMS died 1974 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1974 folio website 1974/26682 born 04 August 1897
- 0-10-3- James Francis MCCURDY born 1902 New Zealand died 1965 New Zealand married 1926 New Zealand Keitha Isabel MARSH  
#James Francis MCCURDY born 1902 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1902 folio website 1902/2379 parents Florence Elinor and Driffield Francis McCurdy  
#James Francis MCCURDY married 1926 New Zealand Keitha Isabel MARSH reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1926 folio website 1926/1091  
#James Francis MCCURDY died 1965 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1965 folio website 1965/42844 age 63 born about 1902
- 0-10-4- Ada Kate MCCURDY born 23 September 1903 New Zealand died 1994 New Zealand married 1924 New Zealand Douglas LUSH born 20 October 1892 died 1988 New Zealand  
#Ada Kate MCCURDY born 1903 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1903 folio website 1903/14049 parents Florence Elinor and Francis Driffield McCurdy  
#Ada Kate MCCURDY married 1924 New Zealand Douglas LUSH reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1924 folio website 1924/2111  
#Douglas LUSH died 1988 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1988 folio website 1988/29463 born 20 October 1892

- #Ada Kate LUSH died 1994 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1994 folio website 1994/37717 born 23 September 1903
- 0-10-5- Frank Driffield MCCURDY born 20 January 1906 New Zealand died 1993 New Zealand  
#Frank Driffield MCCURDY born 1906 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1906 folio website 1906/23488 parents Florance Elinor and Francis Driffield McCurdy  
#Francis Driffield MCCURDY died 1993 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1993 folio website 1993/48343 born 20 January 1906
- 0-10-6- Doris Harriet MCCURDY born 1907 New Zealand married 1928 New Zealand James Bertram VERCOE born about 1901 died 1969 New Zealand  
#Frank Driffield MCCURDY born 1907 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1907 folio website 1907/7653 parents Florence Eleanor and Francis Dennis McCurdy  
#Doris MCCURDY married 1928 New Zealand James Bertram VERCOE reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1928 folio website 1928/1325  
#James Bertram VERCOE died 1969 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1969 folio website 1969/48177 age 68 born about 1901

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#Archie MCCURDY 53244 Rifleman New Zealand Rifle Brigade 2nd Battalion 3rd age 34 died 21 February 1918 son of John and Elizabeth McCurdy late of Andersons Bay Dunedin New Zealand reference Commonwealth War Graves website

#Archie MCCURDY 53244 Rifleman occupation cheese-maker NOK brother James McCurdy Main Road South Dunedin reference nominal roll volume 3 roll 68 page 11

#Archie MCCURDY died reference RGO NZ WWI death registration 1918 folio website 1918/78374 age 35 born about 1883

#Archibald MCCURDY born 1883 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1883 folio website 1883/480 parents Elizabeth and John McCurdy

#Archie MCCURDY 53244 Rifleman New Zealand Rifle Brigade Reinforcements H Company WWI embarked 16 July 1917 Wellington ship Athenic HMNZT 88 Liverpool England nominal roll 68 page 11 last unit served New Zealand Rifle Brigade 2nd Battalion 3rd age 34 died 21 February 1918 killed in action cemetery Dochy Farm New British grave IV A 22 cemetery Langemark-Poelkapelle West Vlaanderen Belgium France occupation Cheesemaker Archie was the son of John and Elizabeth McCurdy last of Anderson's Bay Dunedin New Zealand reference Cenotaph Database Auckland website

Joseph John (Joe) EVANS

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#Joseph John EVANS clerk Solway Masterton First Reserves Wairarapa  
#Joseph John EVANS 57902 Gunner occupation clerk NOK wife Mrs J J Evans River Road Masterton reference nominal roll volume 4 roll 86 page 17  
#Joseph John EVANS married 1917 New Zealand Maud Edith WILLIAMS reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1917 folio website 1917/525  
#Joseph John EVANS died 1953 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1953 folio website 1953/30363 age 57 born about 1896  
#Maud Edith EVANS died 1970 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1970 folio website 1970/48274 age 74 born about 1896

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0- John MCCURDY married Elizabeth  
0-1- Jane MCCURDY born 1872 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1872 folio website 1872/36709 parents Elizabeth and John McCurdy  
0-2- John Archibald MCCURDY born 1880 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1880 folio website 1880/7416 parents Elizabeth and John McCurdy  
0-3- Archibald MCCURDY born 1883 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1883 folio website 1883/480 parents Elizabeth and John McCurdy

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0- James MCCURDY married 1864 New Zealand Catherine GILLROY  
#James MCCURDY married 1864 New Zealand Catherine GILLROY reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1864 folio website 1864/4918  
0-1- James MCCURDY born 1865 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1865 folio website 1865/23322 parents Catherine and James McCurdy  
0-2- William George MCCURDY born 1867 New Zealand married 1913 New Zealand Jane Underwood DYSON  
#William George MCCURDY born 1867 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1867 folio website 1867/33897 parents Catherine and James McCurdy  
#William George MCCURDY married 1913 New Zealand Jane Underwood DYSON reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1913 folio website 1913/6  
0-2-1- Wilfred George MCCURDY born 1914 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1914 folio website 1914/17933 parents Jane Underwood and William George McCurdy  
0-3- Agnes Caroline MCCURDY born 1869 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1869 folio website 1869/38719 parents Catherine and James McCurdy  
0-4- Thomas Gillroy MCCURDY born 1872 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1872 folio website 1872/12442 parents Catherine and James McCurdy  
0-5- John Gillroy MCCURDY born 1874 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1874 folio website 1874/23565 parents Catherine and James McCurdy  
0-6- Catherine MCCURDY born 1878 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1878 folio website 1878/3560 parents Catherine and James McCurdy

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0- Nathaniel MCCURDY married 1882 New Zealand Catherine KILLILEA  
#Nathaniel MCCURDY married 1882 New Zealand Catherine KILLILEA reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1882 folio website 1882/1872  
0-1- Mary Louisa MCCURDY born 1883 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1883 folio website 1883/17171 parents Catherine and Nathaniel McCurdy  
0-2- David MCCURDY born 1887 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1887 folio website 1887/8422 parents Catherine and Nathaniel McCurdy  
0-3- Catherine Selina MCCURDY born 1889 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1889 folio website 1889/15300 parents Catherine and Nathaniel McCurdy  
0-4- James MCCURDY born 1891 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1891 folio website 1891/698 parents Catherine and Nathaniel McCurdy  
0-5- Eric Thomas MCCURDY born 1894 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1894 folio website 1894/10898 parents Catherine and Nathaniel McCurdy  
0-6- Winifred Mabel MCCURDY born 1895 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1895 folio website 1895/8055 parents Catherine and Nathaniel McCurdy  
0-7- Martha Iris MCCURDY born 1899 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1899 folio website 1899/14924 parents Catherine and Nathaniel McCurdy

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- 0- Alexander MCCURDY married 1883 New Zealand Jane MCCURDY  
#Alexander MCCURDY married 1883 New Zealand Jane MCCURDY reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1883 folio website 1883/1426
- 0-1- Daniel Alexander MCCURDY born 1884 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1884 folio website 1884/10464 parents Jane and Alexander McCurdy
- 0-2- John MCCURDY born 1885 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1885 folio website 1885/13553 parents Jane and Alexander McCurdy
- 0-3- James MCCURDY born 1886 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1886 folio website 1886/17876 parents Jane and Alexander McCurdy
- 0-4- Charles MCCURDY born 1888 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1888 folio website 1888/4618 parents Jane and Alexander McCurdy
- 0-5- Catherine MCCURDY born 1890 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1890 folio website 1890/5030 parents Jane and Alexander McCurdy
- 0-6- Samuel MCCURDY born 1892 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1892 folio website 1892/4836 parents Jane and Alexander McCurdy
- 0-7- Robert MCCURDY born 1896 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1896 folio website 1896/10798 parents Jane and Alexander McCurdy
- 0-8- Annie Mary MCCURDY born 1899 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1899 folio website 1899/12902 parents Jane and Alexander McCurdy
- 0-9- Charlotte Jane MCCURDY born 1902 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1902 folio website 1902/9854 parents Jane and Alexander McCurdy

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- 0- Daniel MCCURDY married 1892 New Zealand Martha Jane MURRAY  
#Daniel MCCURDY married 1892 New Zealand Martha Jane FERGUSON reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1892 folio website 1892/2544
- 0-1- Kathleen Annie Muriel MCCURDY born 1894 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1894 folio website 1894/16093 parents Martha Jane and Daniel McCurdy
- 0-2- Alexander Wilfred Ferguson MCCURDY born 1896 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1896 folio website 1896/2379 parents Martha Jane and Daniel McCurdy
- 0-3- Daniel Gordon MCCURDY born 1898 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1898 folio website 1898/2125 parents Martha Jane and Daniel McCurdy

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- 0- William MCCURDY married 1883 New Zealand Jane STUART  
#William MCCURDY married 1883 New Zealand Jane STUART reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1883 folio website 1883/640
- 0-1- William Lesly MCCURDY born 1884 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1884 folio website 1884/10202 parents Jane and William McCurdy
- 0-2- Herbert Cyril MCCURDY born 1887 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1887 folio website 1887/19542 parents Jane and William McCurdy
- 0-3- Frank Stanley MCCURDY born 1890 New Zealand reference RGO NZ birth registration 1890 folio website 1890/4682 parents Jane and William McCurdy
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