

Duncan Sinclair McLAGAN (1835-1900)

1841 Census Ruthven House, Tibbermore, Perthshire, Scotland

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| Cathrine McLAGAN | 67yrs | | b Perthshire, Scotland |
| D. Sinclair McLAGAN | 40yrs | Independent | b Perthshire, Scotland |
| Ruthren McLAGAN | 40yrs | | b Perthshire, Scotland |
| John McLAGAN | 7yrs | | b Perthshire, Scotland |
| Duncan McLAGAN | 5yrs | | b Scotland |
| Robert McLAGAN | 3yrs | | b Scotland |
| Elizabeth McLAGAN | 2yrs | | b Perthshire, Scotland |
| Isabella SINCLOR | 35yrs | Servant | b Perthshire, Scotland |
| Jeme LANDORS | 20yrs | Servant | b Perthshire, Scotland |
| Betsy YOUNG | 20yrs | Servant | b Perthshire, Scotland |
| Ann SINCLAR | 15yrs | Servant | b Perthshire, Scotland |

1851 Census Ruthven House, Tibbermore, Perthshire, Scotland

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| Donald S. McLAGAN | Head | 50yrs | Landed Proprietor | b Dull, Perthshire |
| Cathrine S. McLAGAN | Wife | 53yrs | | b Dull, Perthshire |
| Duncan S. McLAGAN | Son | 15yrs | Scholar | b Tannadice, Forfarshire |
| Robert E. McLAGAN | Son | 14yrs | Scholar | b Tannadice, Forfarshire |
| Elizabeth D. McLAGAN | Dau | 12yrs | Scholar | b Tibbermore, Perthshire |
| Cathrine McLAGAN | Dau | 10yrs | | b Tibbermore, Perthshire |
| Margaret KENNEDY | Servt | 26yrs | House servant | b Fowlis, Perthshire |
| Margaret WILKIE | Servt | 23yrs | House servant | b Moneydie, Perthshire |
| Ann McEWAN | Servt | 15yrs | House servant | b Edinburgh, Midlothian |

Wellington Independent 21 Oct 1859 Shipping Intelligence - Arrived

October 20, ship 'Hastings', 510 tons, from London. Passengers - cabin, Mr and Mrs Peake, Messrs R. Glass, M. Samuels, James Bradbury, Charles Smith, Charles Sherwood, William Murray, John Hutton, Bernard Stock, Miss Amelia Johnstone, Miss Catherine Fyffe; second cabin - Mr Charles B. Yarker, **Isabella Sinclair, Duncan McLaggan**, George Bridge, Charlotte Harris (2), Louisa Harris, Charles Harris, Frederick Webb, Emily Webb (2), Amy Webb, Albert Owen, Thomas Bridge, Robert Platt, John Wheeler, Mary Wheeler, Ellen Wheeler, William Groves, Mary Groves, John Cribb, Thomas Faulkner (3), Benjamin Stebbings, Ann Stebbings, Henry Stebbings, John Pellatt, Alexander Mellstrbon, Thomas Offer, Robert Ellis.

The ship 'Hastings', one of Messrs Willis, Gaun, and Co.'s line of New Zealand packets, arrived in the harbor yesterday afternoon, after a rather protracted passage of 131 days from London. The 'Hastings' left Gravesend on the 11th June; and experienced very tempestuous weather in the Channel, which delayed her for a fortnight. After clearing the Channel, met with light variable winds, which continued until reaching the latitude of the Cape. On the evening of the 20th August, when off the Cape, during a gale of wind the ship gave a lurch and pitched the Captain overboard, who, we regret to say, was unfortunately drowned. The wind was blowing so strong at the time, and there was such a heavy sea on, that the boats could not be lowered to save him. About a fortnight after this occurrence, two passengers, while harpooning dolphins, were washed off the martingle. The life buoys were instantly let go, and the boats lowered, and the two passengers after being in the water for about three quarters of an hour, were picked up, and safely taken on board. The 'Hastings' made the land on the 1st October, and was off the heads about a fortnight ago; but, being light, and meeting with a succession of N.W. Gales, was driven to the South. She brings about 40 passengers, and a large cargo of general merchandise.

Wellington Independent 25 Oct 1859 Shipping Intelligence – Imports

In the 'Hastings', Bethune & Hunter, Agents – 1 case books, 100 cases starch, 25 hhds ale, 58 cases bottled beer, 56 boxes glass, 4 qr casks wine, 100 cases port wine, 10 cases sardines, 8 cases merchandise, 11 pkgs furniture, 60 boxes soap, 2 cases perambulators, 4 cases furniture, 1 case hardware, 1 case merchandise, 1 bale paper, 25 casks cement, 30 casks coal, 80 tons coals, 20 hhds ale, 3 bales, 4 trusses, 2 bales, Bethune & Hunter; 3 cases and 1 cask hardware, H. Read; 40 qr casks, and 340 cases whisky, 33 cases cherry brandy, Stuart, Kinross & Co.; 1 case, J. J. Stewart; 1 case crockery, 1 box apparel, Rev R. Taylor; 1 box boots, J. C. Crawford; 1 pkg G. Brooking; 1 case agricultural implements, J. Hillman; 9 cases nails, 8 bundles iron, J. Williamson; 1 box apparel, G. Hawkins; 1 case apparel, J. F. Wickstead; 1 case books, A. Montgomery; 1 box preserves, J. C. Crawford; 10 hhds ale, 100 casks bottled beer, 3 cases, 4 cases saddler, 37 cases and 2hhds earthenware, 6 barrels ale, 1 cask, 2 bales, 2 cases, 58 kegs nails, 52 cases, 2 hdls steel, 1 case, 2 cases and 20 kegs, 1 case glass, 3 cases, Order; 1 box books, Wm. Lyon; 1 box books, Rev W. Ronaldson; 1 case books, Rev J. Buller; 1 box leather, L. Levy; 30 hhds beer, W. Hickson; 3 hhds beer, 2 kegs nails, 19,300 slates, 50 hhds beer, 1 case, 2 casks oil, 6 drums, 20 hhds beer, 8 crates, 4 cases, 5 cases, W. B. Rhodes & Co.; 300 bags salt, 20 drums oil, 6 casks, W. L. Hurst; 1 case drapery, H. J. Pilcher; 2 qr casks wine, D. R. Ward; 2 cases, 16 casks and 104 crates wines and spirits, J. H. Wallace; 1 case stationery, O. B. Corporation; 1 case, John White; 1 box apparel, Rev W. Minchin; 14 cases furniture, 2 rams, 3 bales, Johnston & Co.; 7 casks and 6 cases, W. T. Owen; 500 cases Geneva, 100 casks beer, 5 casks salt petre, 6 cases, 4 bales, 70 cases, 4 cases, 10 kegs, 10 hhds brandy, 9 kegs, 4 bellows, 1 cask, 4 anvils, 6 vices, 4 kegs, 1 bundle, 1 cask, 10 barrels, 13 cases, 7 barrels, 10 casks, 1 case, 10 barrels, 5 casks, 2 cases, 1 cask, 12 kegs nails, 2 casks, 22 kegs, 1 cask, 4 cases, 1 case, 2 casks, Jacob Joseph & Co.; 8 cases, H. L. Peake; 1 case apparel, D. A. Johnston; 2 cases haberdashery, 3 cases, 5 bales, 8 cases, 1 case, 2 cases dresses, W. & G. Turnbull & Co.; 1 parcel, W. Philips, Hutt; 1 crate and 1 case, C. G. Crosse; 1 case apparel, John Knowles; 1 truss, 5 bales, 4 cases and 1 case, J. Burne; 1 case, W. Corbin; 1 box, H. C. Field; 1 bale, 1

box haberdashery, 3 qr casks whisky, 15 hhds ale, T. Telford; 1 hhd, John Watson; 11 cases, W. Bowler, Son & Co.; 150 casks bottled beer, 1 case, 15 crates crockery, 10 cases buckets, 25 chests, 10 barrels, 30 barrels, 50 cases, 35 cases, 5 cases, 6 bales, 40 drums, 15 casks, 1 bale, 4 casks, 1 cask, 228 bars, 32 bundles, 45 kegs, 6 pkgs; Smith & Co.; 80 kegs nails, Taylor & Watt; 1 case plate, Master Samuel; 1 pkg, W. M. Bannatyne & Co.; 1 box apparel, Gordon Bailie; 1 box seeds, J. Bull; 3 packages, R. C. Bidwell; 1 pckg apparel, C. N. Rowe; 10 hhds stout, 10 hhds whisky, 20 cases whisky, 7 cases provisions, 5 tierces sugar, 1 bale candle wick, 25 casks bottled beer, 2 cases acids, 18 casks soda, 14 casks sulphur, 1 case augurs, 100 kegs naile, 50 barrels sugar, 148 camp ovens and covers, 1 cask china, 10 qr casks wine, 10 qr casks brandy, 50 cases brandy, 5 half tierces tobacco, 2 casks, 4 cases saddler, 3 cases paints, 30 drums oil, 10 drums turps, 30 drums colza oil, 1 cask glue, 1 case lamp cotton, 1 cask cutlery, 3 cases tools, 2 casks tools, 2 cases prints, 1 hhd ale, 25 casks ale, 3 cases, 3 casks shot, 5 cases apparel, 1 bale shirts, Levin & Co.; 12 cases and 2 bales, Miss M. Smith; 1 cask, G. Moore; 9 cases, G. Pickett & Co.; 1 case, Peter Laing; 1 case apparel, 1 barrel oatmeal, 1 case cocoa, C. C. DeCastro; 1 pkg, a mill, C. G. Hewon, 14 bales, W. W. Taylor.

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The ship 'Hastings'... [Third voyage to New Zealand] A new captain took charge in 1859. He was a young man who had previously visited New Zealand as chief officer of the Joseph Fletcher, and was married a few days before the ship sailed from London on June 10th. Once more she was detained in the Channel for 14 days, and when off the Cape of Good Hope she encountered a sever gale, during which the captain was washed overboard and drowned, the ship then doing ten knots. She arrived at Wellington on the 20th October, 1859, landing 40 passengers.

The History of Wainuiomata's Coast Road Church and Cemetery by Vicky Alexander p48-49

Grave No.1 J. Riddle, Tucker's child – a double grave recorded only on paper – there is no headstone. Coroner's report for James Riddle held at the Schoolhouse, Wainuiomata 12 Aug 1862. Jurors included Duncan S. McLagen.

Archway Entry for Archives NZ Reference ADXS 19480 LS-W2/16 1867/37

Letter dated 30 Jan 1867 from R. Port, Wellington. Subject: Authority for D. S. Maclagan to receive grant for section No.25 Agricultural Reserve Rangitikei.

Archway Entry for Archives NZ Reference ADXS 19480 LS-W2/24 1873/601

Letter dated 12 Jan 1870 from D. S. McLagan, Wellington. Subject: Authority for Messrs F. A. Krull to receive grant on behalf of Frederick A. Poppe for 60 acres Rangitikei Agricultural Reserve.

1871 Census 12 Carlton St, Edinburgh St Cuthberts, Midlothian

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| Catherine McLAGAN | Head | 75yrs | Landed property | b Dull, Perthshire |
| Duncan S. McLAGAN | Son | 36yrs | Clerk unemployed | b Launcells, Forfarshire |
| Elizabeth McLAGAN | Dau | 31yrs | | b Tibbermore, Perthshire |
| Inne ANDERSON | Servt | 50yrs | Ritshemond Dom Servt | b Blairgowie, Perthshire |
| Jane EWINGER | Servt | 20yrs | Housemaid | b Stirling |

Victoria, Australia to New Zealand – Passenger Record – LDS Film 0284503 PROV VPRS 948

Mr D. S. MacLagan, single, aged 32yrs, gentleman departed Melbourne on the ship 'Claud Hamilton' on 3 Aug 1871 and arrived at Wellington.

West Coast Times Thurs 10 Aug 1871

The s.s. Claude Hamilton arrived in the roadstead from Melbourne yesterday afternoon and will be tendered at 6 o'clock this morning by the s.s. Waipara. On account of the foggy state of the weather yesterday, it was difficult for the signals to be read, but it is believed, from what could be made out, that the "Claud" has 20 passengers and 24 tons cargo for this port.

West Coast Times 14 Aug 1871 Shipping Intelligence – Passenger List Inwards

Per 'Claude Hamilton' – Miss L. Adams, Miss Lammond, Miss Fanning, Miss Sutherland, Mrs Dalrymple, Miss Agnes Dalrymple, Miss Emily Dalrymple, Mrs Church, Mrs McLellan; Master Ballard; Captain Ruck Keene; Messrs E. W. Seager, Ballard, Church, McLellan, E. P. Jones, D. S. MacLagan, C. E. Knapp; and forty-three in the steerage.

Archway Entry for Archives NZ Reference AAAR 24723 W3558/221 297

1872 Power of Attorney – Duncan Sinclair McLaggan to John Mowlem

1891 Census 39 Lansdowne Crescent, Great Malvern, Worcestershire

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| Louisa HARDING | Head | 73yrs | Lodging House Keeper [widow] | b Hillavington, Wilts |
| Lucy M. HARDING | Dau | 39yrs | Cook [single] | b Malvern Link, Worcestershire |
| William Thomas HAYDON | Lodger | 26yrs | Student [single] | b Plymouth, Devonshire |
| Clara P. WASTENEYS | Lodger | 38yrs | Living on own means [single] | b Barsaby boor, Notts |
| Fanny V. WASTENEYS | Lodger | 31yrs | Living on own means [single] | b Hatfield, Yorks |
| Kate ROSE | Lodger | 24yrs | Living on own means [single] | b London |
| Emma CLARKE | Servt | 20yrs | General servant [single] | b Hartlebury, Worcestershire |
| Duncan Sinclair MACLAGAN | Lodger | 55yrs | Living on own means [single] | b Scotland |

New Zealand Mail 12 Jul 1900 p28a Death and p36d Obituary

At Millhouses, near Sheffield, on the 18th March, Duncan Sinclair Maclagan, second son of D. Sinclair Maclagan, Esq., of Glenquiech and Memus, Forfarshire. The late Duncan Sinclair Maclagan, whose death is recorded in this issue, was a nephew of the late Mr Hugh Sinclair of Wainui-o-mata, and a cousin of Mr D Sinclair of Palmerston North. He was a clerk in the Land Office in Wellington, but resigned through indifferent health, and was employed for a time on the staff of the old Wellington "Independent" newspaper. He went to the Old Country in 1871, where he had lived a retired life for the most part at Matlock, in Derbyshire. His old acquaintances in this district will be sorry to hear of his demise.