

John Dougan aged 55 in 1855  
Died aged 77 in 1867

Elizabeth Timon aged 40 in 1855  
Died aged 88 in 1901

# DOUGAN family from Ireland & Wigtownshire

Elizabeth **White** b.1800 d.1835 Kirkmabreck  
John **Dougan** b.1799 County Down, Ireland d.1867 Girthon weaver  
Elizabeth **Timon** b.1812 Gatehouse d.1901 Girthon

10 children by 1855  
**Girthon Poor Law book :**  
1865 – 1867; a John **Dougan** was disabled.  
3 children mentioned = Agnes, Charles & Peter

John **Murray** m. 1852 Glasgow  
1820 Ann **Dougan**  
1822 Margaret **Dougan**  
1824 Mary **Dougan** d.1838 Girthon  
1829 Elizabeth **Dougan**  
1835 James **Dougan** d.1835  
----- son **Murray** died young  
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1855 Michael **Murray** d.1857 Glasgow  
1858 James **Murray** d.1858  
1859 John **Murray**

1836 ?  
1838 Agnes **Dougan**  
1840 ?  
1842 Charles **Dougan**  
1844 Charles **Dougan**  
1846 William **Dougan** d.1857 Gatehouse  
1848 Timothy **Dougan**  
1850 Hugh **Dougan** d.1859 Girthon  
1853 John **Dougan** d.1857 Girthon  
1855 Peter **Dougan** d.1857 Girthon  
1859 Peter **Dougan** d.1879 Girthon

Philip **Downie** m. 1869 Girthon

Agnes **Fitzpatrick** d.1868 Girthon  
Annie Carney **Rodger** b.1851 Ayr d.1888 Glasserton  
Mary **Johnstone** (née Edmunds) b.1856 Inch, Wigtown d.1929 Stranraer  
m1. 1862 Sorbie  
m2. 1873 Sorbie  
m3.

Mary Edmunds **Dougan** b.1896 Glasserton  
Charles **Dougan** b.1898 Glasserton

Charles & Agnes lived at Craiglemie Cottage for many years  
1863 James **Dougan** d.1872 Girthon  
1865 Elizabeth **Dougan** d.1865 Girthon  
1867 William **Dougan** d.1867 Girthon  
1868 Charles **Dougan** d.1868 Anwoth

Charles & Annie lived at Glasserton where all 5 children born.  
1874 Maggie C **Dougan**  
1876 Annie **Dougan**  
1878 Elizabeth G **Dougan**  
1880 Peter **Dougan**  
1885 Charles **Dougan** d.1868 Glasserton

Philip Downie was a woodcutter who was born in Armagh, Ireland.  
1870 Catherine **Downie**  
1871 John Duggan **Downie**  
1873 Charles **Downie**  
1876 Peter **Downie**  
1885 William **Downie**

Agnes **McRobert** b.1872 Gatehouse m. 1900 Kirkdudbright  
Anthony **Johnstone** b.1912 Gatehouse d.1997

Charles Downie was a Burgh Officerr who lived in Victoria St., Gatehouse.  
1900 Agnes **Downie** d.1988 Kbt  
1901 Catherine **Downie**  
1903 Elizabeth **Downie**  
1905 Charles **Downie**  
1905 Maggie **Downie** d.1905

Alex **Johnstone**

**1855 Birth Certificate**  
This family came from Ireland and were Roman Catholics, which makes church records more difficult to find for pre-certification events.  
Fotunately the 10<sup>th</sup> child of Elizabeth Timon was born in 1855, the first year of formal registration, during which birth certificates contained more useful information about the family.  
The 1855 birth certificate for Peter, Elizabeth's 10<sup>th</sup> child, tell us :-  
The family lived at 3 Birtwhistle Street and Peter was born on 6<sup>th</sup> December 1855.  
Father was John Dougan, weaver, who was 55 years old, born County Down, Ireland.  
The parents were married in 1836 since when they had 6 boys and 4 girls who were still living. 5 boys and 1 girl had died.  
The mother's maiden name was Timon and she was 40 years old.