

## Laing, Alexander / Macdonald, Catherine

24 August 2013

### Man

<b>Name</b>	♂ Laing, Alexander		
Birth	ABT 1806	Place	Knockintorran, North Uist, Scotland, UK
Death	ABT 1847	Place	Knockintorran, North Uist, Scotland, UK
Father	♂ Laing, Ranaid	Birth	ABT 1760
Mother	♀ Macdonald, Margaret	Birth	ABT 1765

### Woman

<b>Name</b>	♀ Macdonald, Catherine		
Birth	ABT 1810	Place	North Uist, Scotland
Death	26 Mar 1885	Place	Yahl Paddock, Yahl, South Australia, Australia
Note	After the death of Alexander, Catherine emigrated to Australia in 1852 with all the children, including married daughter Janet and husband Angus Ferguson.		
Note	Before her marriage Catherine lived at the family croft in 26 Balemore and after marriage at croft 1 Knockintorran.		
Note	The family name in Australia was Link, and they settled with the Fergusons at Yahl Paddock, Yahl, Mount Gambier, South Australia.		
Note	Death of Catherine had informant as Alexander Link, registration: Dist.Code Grey; Book 145; Pg 202, and age at death was given as 75 years.		

### Children

#1	<b>Name</b>	♂ Laing, John		
	Birth	08 Feb 1830	Place	Knockintorran, North Uist, Scotland, UK
	Death	BEF 1852	Place	
	<b>Name</b>	♀ Laing, Janet (Janet Ferguson)		

#2	Birth	ABT 1835	Place	Knockintorran, North Uist, Scotland, UK
	Death	16 Jul 1906	Place	Yahl, Mount Gambier, South Australia, Australia
	Partners	 Ferguson, Angus	Birth	ABT 1824
	Note	Death Registration details: Dist. Code: Gre; Book 319; Pg 80.		
#3	<b>Name</b>	 <b>Laing, Margaret</b>		
	Birth	1835	Place	Knockintorran, North Uist, Scotland, UK
	Partners	 McColl, Nicol	Birth	ABT 1830
	Note	When Margaret was married in South Australia her Laing surname was recorded as Link, as were her mother and sibling surname also recorded as Link. (Possibly due to accent.)		
#4	<b>Name</b>	 <b>Laing, Ann</b>		
	Birth	1837	Place	Knockintorran, North Uist, Scotland, UK
#5	<b>Name</b>	 <b>Laing, Ranald</b>		
	Birth	1838	Place	Knockintorran, North Uist, Scotland, UK
	Death	1 Feb 1873	Place	Mount Gambier, South Australia, Australia
	Note	His Obit. appears in the Border Watch newspaper, Mount Gambier as Mr Ronald Link age 30 a farmer and native of North Uist, Invernesshire, Scotland.		
#6	<b>Name</b>	 <b>Laing, Alexander</b>		
	Birth	1841	Place	Knockintorran, North

				Uist, Scotland, UK
<b>#7</b>	<b>Name</b>		 <b>Laing, Flora</b>	
	Birth	1845	Place	Knockintorran, North Uist, Scotland, UK
	Death (Heart disease)	19 Nov 1891	Place	Allandale East, Mount Gambier, South Australia, Australia
	Partners	 Kerr, Robert	Birth	
	Note	In Australia the family surname of Laing becomes Link, for some unknown reason.		

### Hourglass Chart

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