

The McIndoe Family

Research on this line is now completed.

5.1 Early Days

5.1.1 Origins-McIndoe

The family appears to originate from Lanarkshire, though no derivation for the name has yet been traced.

5.1.2 William McIndoe (439) was probably born around 1790–5 as he married Ann Gourley (440) on the 20th of June, 1817 at Glasgow Parish church.

William is described as a Mason. Ann is described as residenter there. The ceremony was performed by Dr. John Lockhart one of the Ministers of Glasgow. William had died by 1860 as Ann is described as a widow at the time of her own death. His death cannot be found in the General Index of Deaths for Scotland between 1855 (when the index commences) and 1860. It must be presumed, therefore, that he died before 1855.

5.1.3 Origins-Gourlay

Gourlay is a Scottish name of uncertain origin, though it is possibly a habitation name from Normandy. Several variations are known:- Gourley (chiefly in Northern Ireland), Gourley, Gourlay, Gourlie.

5.1.3.1 Samuel Gourlay (441) was born in approximately 1760–70. No further details are available.

5.1.3.2 Ann Gourley (440) was born in approximately 1790 the daughter of Samuel Gourlay (441). She died on the 23rd of June, 1860 at 36, Green Street, Calton, Glasgow, aged seventy years. She is buried at the Southern Necropolis, Glasgow. The family was not found at the Green Street address in the 1851 census.

5.2 The Children of William McIndoe & Ann Gourley

Number & Name		Type & Birthdate		Place/Notes
590	William	B	2nd Apr 1818	Glasgow
43	Robert Muir	B	27th May 1821	Barony, Lanarkshire

5.2.1 William McIndoe (590) was baptized in Glasgow on the 2nd of April, 1818. No further details are available.

5.2.2 Robert Muir McIndoe (43) was baptized on the 27th of May, 1821 at Barony, Lanarkshire. He married Agnes Dixon (72) on the 28th of December, 1841. At the time of the marriage of his daughter Agnes, in November 1872 he is described as a commercial traveller. He died on the 18th of May, 1892 aged seventy two years.

5.3 The Children of Robert Muir McIndoe & Agnes Dixon

Number & Name		Type & Birthdate		Place/Notes
393	William	A	8th Sep 1842	Gorbals
31	Agnes Bell	A	16th Dec 1843	Gorbals
391	John	A	21st Sep 1845	Glasgow
392	Robert	A	12th Dec 1847	Gorbals

5.3.1 William McIndoe (393) was born on the 8th of September, 1843. No further details are available.

5.3.2 Agnes Bell McIndoe (31) was born on the 16th of December, 1843. She married John Lawson (84) on the 12th of November, 1872, at the Islington Presbyterian Church, Liverpool. Sometime after the death of her husband (1904) she emigrated to New Zealand with the family of her daughter (the Telfords). The family settled in Palmerston where she died on the 25th of April, 1929. See Volume II, 6.48 for details of her descendants.

5.3.3 John McIndoe (391) was born on the 21 of September, 1845.

5.3.4 Robert McIndoe (392) was born on the 12th of December, 1847.