

Family Group Report John SCOTT & Sarah McDOWELL

Husband: SCOTT, John		
Birth	22 June 1872 ⁱ	47 Princes Street, Dundee, Scotland
Death	10 July 1963 ⁱⁱ	Lisadian, Hillsborough, County Down, Northern Ireland
Father	Scott, John ⁱⁱⁱ	
Mother	Greig, Jane Wilson ^{iv}	

Marriage:		
Marriage	29 July 1896 ^v	Berry Street Presbyterian Church, Belfast, Ireland.

Wife: McDOWELL, Sarah		
Birth	4 August 1871 ^{vi}	18 Vere Street, Belfast, Antrim, Ireland
Death	From Family Bible - Buried at Carnmoney	
	8 December 1914 ^{vii}	N. Ireland, UK
Father	McDowell, Hugh ^{viii}	
Mother	Keenan, Mary ^{ix}	

Children		
1M	SCOTT, John	
	Birth	28 March 1897 ^x 32 Harrybrook Street, Belfast, Antrim, Northern Ireland
	Death	10 July 1897 ^{xi} 32 Harrybrook Street, Belfast, Antrim, Northern Ireland
2M	SCOTT, Hugh McDowell	
	Birth	24 September 1899 ^{xii} 24 Hillman St., Belfast, Antrim, Northern Ireland
	Death	13 June 1984 Northern Ireland
	Spouse	Bailey, Sarah
	Marriage	20 January 1928 Belfast
	Spouse	Spence, Jean
3F	SCOTT, Sarah Millicent^{xiii}	
	Birth	31 October 1905 24 Hillman Street, Belfast, Ireland
	Death	05 January 1990
	Spouse	Port, Geoffrey

Prepared by Ian Hugh Scott. For future updates: [Scott Family In Belfast](#)

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OTHER NOTES:

After the death of wife Sarah Scott MS McDowell (1914), John Scott married Sarah's sister, Mary Ellen. They had no children together. Mary Ellen passed away in 1943.

What is shown above is the original "family unit" – but it is significant that for much of the time, at least from 1911 to 29 May 1934, Agnes McDowell (sister to Sarah and Mary Ellen) resided with this Scott family at 83 Hanover Street. This address included both a residence and a shop.

It appears Agnes McDowell was the owner of the shop and John Scott was the manager.

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I would like to thank a person known only to me as "GenealogyMum" for providing information regarding the burial plots at Carnmoney Cemetery which lead me to the discovery that our "Aunt Millicent" had been married to a Geoffrey Port. As well, there was other very useful and interesting information that was discovered at the same time in regard to John McDowell and his wife Jane Finlay in relation to Carnmoney.

Also, it was "GenealogyMum" who found evidence that the business at 83 Hanover Street was owned by Agnes McDowell and managed by John Scott.

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- i Birth date recorded in Family Bible; Civil Birth Registration – District of St. Andrew, Burgh of Dundee. Residence 47 Princes Street, Dundee. Born at 0400hrs. Father – John Scott, Woodturner. Mother – Jane Scott MS Greig. Date of wedding also provided – 1869 June 11.
- ii Death date recorded in Family Bible. Extra details including residence located at Lisadian, Hillsborough from death registration. Cause of Death “Cerebral Thrombosis Due To Senility.” Age at death: 91 years old.
- iii See birth and death registration for parents’ names.
- iv Ibid.
- v Marriage registration: – Parish of Shankhill, Co. Antrim (Berry Street Presbyterian Church). Registration # M/1896/B1/483/8/198. Occupation of John Scott: Moulder. Father listed as John Scott, Woodturner. Occupation of Sarah McDowell: Blank space. Father listed as Hugh McDowell, Carpenter. Witness for John Scott: James Scott. Witness for Sarah McDowell: Mary Ellen McDowell.
- vi Birth registration # U/1871/48/1007/9/49 District: Belfast(pre-1973 Q4) Sub-District: Belfast Urban 2. Lists address born at. Father: Hugh McDowell, Carpenter. Mother: Mary McDowell Formerly Keenan.
- vii Recorded in Family Bible. Death Registration #D/1914/48/1007/75/482 District: Belfast(pre-1973 Q4) Sub-District: Belfast Urban 2. Cause of death: Pneumonia. Buried at Carnmoney Cemetery Main, Plot J-179. Others in the same plot: John Scott, Mary Scott (sister of Sarah, 2nd wife to John), and Geoffrey Port (husband to Sarah Millicent Scott).
- viii Birth registration # U/1871/48/1007/9/49
- ix Ibid.
- x Birth Registration – Superintendent Registrar’s District Belfast Registrar’s District Belfast No. 3.
- xi Death Registration – Superintendent Registrar’s District Belfast Registrar’s District Belfast No. 3. 1911. Cause of death: Bronchitis 5 Days. Census – shows Sarah had 3 children, 2 living at the time.
- xii Family Bible. Registrar Of Births and Deaths in the District of Belfast No. 2. Photo signed by Hugh Scott with place and date of birth.
- xiii Registrar of Births and Deaths in the District of Belfast Urban No. 2. Death date from burial record, Carnmoney Cemetery Main – Plot J-180 along with Jane (Finlay) McDowell, John McDowell and Agnes McDowell. Registered will of Geoffrey Port shows marriage.