

**RETTER                      Charles Chapman (Snr)**

Born:            29 May 1836                      Surrey, England  
Died:            22 Apr 1919 (83)                Levin, NZ  
Buried:        Tiro Tiro Rd cemetery, Levin, NZ

Father:        Samuel Joseph Chapman        1798 – 1862                Wellington  
Mother:        Jane Philp                        1811 – 1900                Wellington

Married:      17 Jan 1876                      Bulls, NZ

**FRUIN                      Esther Mary**

Born:            5 Apr 1856                      Surrey, England  
Died:            16 Dec 1935 (79)                Levin, NZ  
Buried:        Tiro Tiro Rd cemetery, Levin, NZ

Father:        Joseph                              1827 – 1883  
Mother:        Sarah Dickenson                1830 – 1863

**Children:**

**Retter                      Arthur**

Born:            26 Jun 1876  
Died:            27 Jul 1951 (75)                Porirua Mental Hospital  
Buried:        Tiro Tiro Rd cemetery, Levin, NZ  
Boer War, enlisted 27 Mar 1900, Service No 2288

**Retter                      Bernard**

Born:            23 Sep 1878                      Sanson, NZ  
Died:            14 Feb 1879 (1)                Sanson, NZ  
**Buried:**

**Retter                      Charles Chapman (Jnr)**

Born:            24 Dec 1879                      Foxton, NZ  
Died:            19 Nov 1918 (39)                Auckland  
Buried:        Hillsborough cemetery, Auckland, NZ

Married:      30 Dec 1903                      Auckland, NZ

**De Granville              Laura Helen**

Born:            1 Dec 1879                      Auckland, NZ  
Died:            13 Dec 1963 (84)                Auckland, NZ  
Buried:        Purewa cemetery, Auckland, NZ

**Retter                      Albert Oliver**

Born:            1 Jun 1882                      Sanson, NZ  
Died:            18 Sep 1942 (60)              Feilding, NZ  
Buried:        Tiro Tiro Rd cemetery, Levin, NZ

Married:      12 Sep 1910                      Wanganui, NZ

**Thompson                Lena Ellen**

Born:            5 Nov 1886                      Blenheim  
Died:            7 Jul 1957 (71)                Wellington  
Buried:        Karori cemetery, Wellington, NZ

Married: (2<sup>nd</sup>)    3 Sep 1948

**Bowers                    Gordon George Syme**

Born:            17 Mar 1883  
Died:            24 Mar 1962 (79)                New Plymouth, NZ  
Buried:        Te Henui cemetery, New Plymouth, NZ

**Retter                      Henry**

Born:            9 Jun 1884                      Bulls, NZ  
Died:            27 Jul 1957 (73)                Hawera, NZ  
Buried:        Hawera, NZ, cemetery

Married:      30 Aug 1908

**Cox                        Lottie**

Born:            8 Nov 1882  
Died:            13 Sep 1978 (96)                Hawera, NZ  
Buried:        Hawera, NZ, cemetery

**Retter                      Herbert**

Born:            20 Aug 1885                      Foxton, NZ  
Died:            10 May 1921 (36)                Hawera, NZ  
Buried:        Tiro Tiro Rd cemetery, Levin, NZ

Married:      24 Jan 1916                      Palmerston Nth, NZ

**Roberts                    Martha**

**Born:**            c 1887                              Edinburgh, Scotland  
Died:            22 Mar 1951 (64)                New Plymouth, NZ  
Buried:        Te Henui cemetery, New Plymouth, NZ

**Retter**                      **Jane Caplin**  
Born:                      24 Dec 1887                      Foxton, NZ  
Died:                      5 Dec 1962 (75)                      Greymouth  
Buried:                      Kororo cemetery, Greymouth, NZ

Married: (1<sup>st</sup>)              14 Jun 1913

**Page**                      **Charles Kenneth**  
**Born:**                      c 1884                      Sussex, England  
**Died:**                      c 1961 (77)                      Queensland, Aus  
**Buried:**

Married: (2<sup>nd</sup>)              22 Feb 1927

**Benfell**                      **Charles Harold**  
Born:                      19 Jun 1892                      Yorkshire, Englnd  
Died:                      4 Apr 1959 (67)                      Otira, NZ  
Buried:                      Kororo cemetery, Greymouth, NZ

**Retter**                      **Elsie May**  
Born:                      28 May 1890                      Foxton, NZ  
Died:                      8 Sep 1952 (62)                      Te Awamutu, NZ  
Buried:                      Te Awamutu, NZ, cemetery

Married:                      28 Aug 1923                      Sydney, Aus

**Thorley**                      **Levi (James)**  
Born:                      8 Dec 1886                      Ince, Aus  
Died:                      2 Feb 1936 (50)                      Te Awamutu, NZ  
Buried:                      Te Awamutu, NZ, cemetery

**Retter**                      **Octavius**  
Born:                      17 Aug 1891                      Foxton  
Died:                      4 May 1960 (69)                      Levin  
Buried:                      Tiro Tiro Rd cemetery, Levin, NZ  
WW1, enlisted 22 May 1917, Service No 59722

**Married:**                      19 Dec 1942

**Smith**                      **Winnie Irene**  
Born:                      3 Feb 1919                      Levin, NZ  
Died:                      16 Apr 2013 (94)                      Rotorua, NZ  
**Buried:**

Married: (2<sup>nd</sup>) 1972

**Watters Leslie Brian**

Born: 14 Feb 1916  
Died: 15 May 1987 (71) Hamilton, NZ  
Buried: Hamilton Park cemetery, Hamilton, NZ

**Retter Bertha Cecilia**

Born: 26 Aug 1893 Levin, NZ  
Died: 14 Nov 1961 (68) Timaru, NZ  
Buried: Temuka, NZ cemetery

Married: 27 Oct 1911 Napier, NZ

**Williams Francis**

Born: 14 Apr 1891 Temuka, NZ  
Died: 3 Jun 1969 (78) Temuka, NZ  
Buried: Temuka, NZ cemetery  
WW1, enlisted 27 Jul 1916, Rifleman, NZ Rifle Brigade  
3<sup>rd</sup> Battalion, G Company, Service No 32411

**Retter Alice**

Born: 19 Oct 1894 Levin, NZ  
Died: 12 Oct 1993 (99) New Plymouth, NZ  
Buried: New Plymouth, NZ cemetery, cremated

**Chapman-Retter George**

Born: 21 Apr 1905 Levin, NZ  
Died: 21 Mar 1981 (76) Palmerston Nth, NZ  
Buried: Kelvin Grove cemetery, Palmerston Nth, NZ

Married: (1<sup>st</sup>) 28 Dec 1927 Pahiatua, NZ

**O'Styke Ceciline Thelma \***

Born: 2 Aug 1907 Woodville, NZ  
Died: 29 Sep 1997 (90) Hastings, NZ

**Buried:**

Married: (2<sup>nd</sup>) 21 Sep 1939

**Watson Eileen Adelaide**

Born: 15 Jun 1911  
Died: 14 Dec 1998 (87) Palmerston Nth, NZ  
Buried: Kelvin Grove cemetery, Palmerston Nth, NZ

\* Married (2<sup>nd</sup>)

**Galbraith Melville George**

Born: 17 Mar 1907  
Died: 13 Jul 1977  
Buried: Purewa cemetery, Auckland, NZ

**Retter Esther/Ethel**

Born: 18 Aug 1910  
Died: 30 Aug 1995 (85) New Plymouth

**Buried:**

Married: (1<sup>st</sup>) 28 Jan 1936

**Parker Charles James**

Born: 12 Jul 1915  
**Died:** c 1995 (80)

**Buried:**

Married: (2<sup>nd</sup>) 29 Apr 1940

**Thomson George Wallace Hewitt**

Born: 27 Nov 1916  
Died: 1 Mar 1984 (68)  
Buried: Karori cemetery, Wellington, NZ

**Retter Beulah Ada**

Born: 30 Jun 1904 Shannon, NZ  
Died: 6 Dec 1983 (79) Paremata, NZ  
Buried: Whenua Tapu cemetery, Porirua, NZ, Cremated

Married: 26 Dec 1928

**Peacock Edmund Leslie**

Born: 14 Jan 1906 Londonderry, Ireland  
Died: 8 Jan 2001 (85)

**Buried:**

**Notes:**

Charles parents emigrated to NZ in 1841 along with 2 children, aged 2 & 4.

**Property:****Charles:**

Town Block 11, Lot 36                      1896 - 1903

**Electoral Rolls:**

	<b>Charles</b>		<b>Esther</b>	
1880	Sandon	Settler		
1890	Foxton	Gardener		
1896	Foxton	Gardener	Levin	Married
1900	Foxton	Gardener		
1903	Levin	Labourer		
1905	Levin	Labourer	Levin	Married
1911	Queen St	Labourer	Levin	Married
1914	Queen St	Labourer	Levin	Married
1919	Queen St	Labourer		

**Arthur**

Not listed

	<b>Charles</b>		<b>Laura</b>	
1905	Auckland	Tailor	Auckland	Married
1908	Auckland	Tailor	Auckland	Married
1911	Auckland	Tailor	Auckland	Married
1914	Auckland	Tailor	Auckland	Married
1919			Auckland	Widow
1922			Auckland	Widow
1925			Auckland	Widow
1928			Auckland	Widow
1931			Auckland	Widow
1935			Auckland	Widow
1938			Auckland	Widow
1941			Auckland	Widow
1943			Auckland	Widow
1946			Auckland	Widow
1949			Auckland	Widow
1954			Auckland	Widow
1957			Auckland	Widow
1960			Auckland	Widow
1963			Auckland	Widow

	<b>Albert</b>		<b>Lena</b>	
1905	Weraroa	Bootmaker		
1911	Foxton	Bootmaker		
1914	Foxton	Bootmaker	Foxton	Married
1919	Napier	Bootmaker	Napier	Married
1922	Fairfield Rd	Farmer	Levin	Married
1928	Fairfield Rd	Farmer	Levin	Married
1931	Durham St	Farmer	Levin	Married
1935	Durham St	Farmer	Levin	Married
1938	Foxton	Labourer		
1941			Wellington	Married
1943			Wellington	Widow

	<b>Henry</b>		<b>Lottie</b>	
1905	Featherston	Wheelwright	Scarborough	Spinster
1908			Mangairaupi	Spinster
1911	Waipukurau	Wheelwright		
1914	Waipukurau	Coachbuilder	Waipukurau	Married
1919	Okaiawa	Wheelwright	Okaiawa	Married
1922	Okaiawa	Wheelwright	Okaiawa	Married
1925	Okaiawa	Wheelwright	Okaiawa	Married
1928	Okaiawa	Wheelwright	Okaiawa	Married
1931	Okaiawa	Wheelwright	Okaiawa	Married
1935	Okaiawa	Wheelwright	Okaiawa	Married
1938	Okaiawa	Wheelwright	Okaiawa	Married
1941	Okaiawa	Wheelwright	Okaiawa	Married
1943	Wellington	Conductor		
1946	Okaiawa	Wheelwright	Okaiawa	Married
1949	Okaiawa	Wheelwright	Okaiawa	Married
1954	Okaiawa	Wheelwright	Okaiawa	Married
1957			Okaiawa	Widow
1960			Okaiawa	Widow
1963			Okaiawa	Widow
1966			Okaiawa	Widow
1969			Okaiawa	Widow
1972			Okaiawa	Widow
1978			Okaiawa	Widow

	<b>Herbert</b>		<b>Martha</b>	
1908	Levin	Farmer	Maritai	Spinster
1911	Levin	Farmer	Maritai	Spinster
1914	Levin	Carpenter	Levin	Married
1919	Queen St	Carpenter		

	<b>Charles Harold</b>		<b>Jane</b>	
1922	Hamilton	Railway Employee		
1928	Otira	Power House Fireman	Otira	Married
1931	Otira	Power House Fireman	Otira	Married
1935	Otira	Power House Fireman	Otira	Married
1938	Otira	Fireman	Otira	Married
1941	Otira	Fireman	Otira	Married
1943	Otira	Fireman	Otira	Married
1946	Otira	Fireman	Otira	Married
1949	Otira	Fireman	Otira	Married
1954	Otira	Fireman	Otira	Married
1957	Runanga	Labourer	Runanga	Married
1960			Runanga	Widow

	<b>Levi (James)</b>		<b>Elsie</b>	
1931	Rotorua	Labourer	Rotorua	Married
1935	Pukeatua	Farmer	Pukeatua	Married
1938	Te Awamutu			Widow
1941	Te Awamutu			Widow
1943	Te Awamutu			Widow
1946	Te Awamutu			Widow
1949	Te Awamutu			Widow

	<b>Octavius</b>		<b>Winnie</b>	
1914	Rotorua	Labourer		
1919	Rotorua	Labourer		
1925	Queen St	Millhand		
1928	Queen St	Millhand		
1931	Queen St	Millhand		
1935	Queen St	Millhand		
1938	Queen St	Millhand		
1941			Cambridge St	Spinster
1946	Trafalgar St	Millhand	Levin	Married
1949	Trafalgar St	Millhand	Levin	Married
1954	Trafalgar St	Millhand	Levin	Married
1957	33 Trafalgar St	Retired	Levin	Married
1963	33 Trafalgar St		Levin	Widow
1966	33 Trafalgar St		Levin	Widow
1969	33 Trafalgar St		Levin	Widow
1972	40 Trafalgar St		Levin	Widow

	<b>Francis</b>		<b>Bertha</b>	
1914			Temuka	Married
1919	Temuka	Carrier	Temuka	Married



1922	Temuka	Carrier	Temuka	Married
1925	Temuka	Carrier	Temuka	Married
1928	Temuka	Carrier	Temuka	Married
1931	Temuka	Carrier	Temuka	Married
1935	Temuka	Labourer	Temuka	Married
1938	Temuka	Labourer	Temuka	Married
1941	Temuka	Labourer	Temuka	Married
1943	Temuka	Labourer	Temuka	Married
1946	Temuka	Labourer	Temuka	Married
1949	Temuka	Labourer	Temuka	Married
1954	Temuka	Labourer	Temuka	Married
1957	Temuka	Retired	Temuka	Married
1960	Temuka	Retired	Temuka	Married
1963	Temuka	Retired		
1966	Temuka	Retired		

### **Alice**

1919	Queen St	Spinster
1922	Queen St	Spinster
1928	Queen St	Spinster
1931	Queen St	Spinster
1935	Queen St	Spinster
1938	Queen St	Spinster
1943	New Plymouth	Spinster
1946	New Plymouth	Spinster
1949	New Plymouth	Spinster
1954	New Plymouth	Spinster
1960	New Plymouth	Spinster
1963	New Plymouth	Spinster
1969	New Plymouth	Spinster
1972	New Plymouth	Spinster
1975	New Plymouth	Spinster
1978	New Plymouth	Spinster
1981	New Plymouth	Spinster
1997	New Plymouth	Spinster

### **George**

1928	Mangatainoka	Lorry Driver
1931	Napier	Service Car Prop
1935	Napier	Service Car Prop
1938	Palmerston Nth	Motor Driver

### **Ceciline**

Napier	Married
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### **Eileen**

1941	Palmerston Nth	Mechanic	P N	Married
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1943	Palmerston Nth	Mechanic	P N	Married
1946	Palmerston Nth	Mechanic	P N	Married
1949	Palmerston Nth	Mechanic	P N	Married
1954	Palmerston Nth	Mechanic	P N	Married
1957	Palmerston Nth	Mechanic	P N	Married
1960	Palmerston Nth	Mechanic	P N	Married
1963	Palmerston Nth	Mechanic	P N	Married
1966	Palmerston Nth	Mechanic	P N	Married
1969	Palmerston Nth	Mechanic	P N	Married
1972	Palmerston Nth	Mechanic	P N	Married
1975	Palmerston Nth	Mechanic	P N	Married
1978	Palmerston Nth	Retired	P N	Married
1981	Palmerston Nth			Widow
1987	Palmerston Nth			Widow
1995	Palmerston Nth			Widow
1998	Palmerston Nth			Widow

### **George**

1938	Petone	Driver
1941	Petone	Driver
1943	Wellington	Soap Maker
1954	Wainuiomata	Manufacturer
1957	Wainuiomata	Manufacturer
1960	Wainuiomata	Manufacturer
1969	Wainuiomata	Foreman
1972	Wainuiomata	Foreman
1975	Wainuiomata	Foreman
1978	Wainuiomata	Foreman
1981	Wainuiomata	Foreman

### **Esther/Ethel**

Petone	Married
Wellington	Married
Wainui	Married
Wainui	Married
Wainui	Married
Wainui	Married
Wainui	Married
Wainui	Married
Wainui	Married

### **Edmund**

1928	Wellington	Engineer
1931	Wellington	Engineer
1935	Wellington	Engineer
1938	Wellington	Engineer
1941	Wellington	Engineer
1943	Wellington	Engineer
1946	Wellington	Engineer
1949	Wellington	Engineer
1954	Wellington	Engineer
1957	Wellington	Manufacturer
1960	Paremata	Manufacturer
1963	Paremata	Engineer
1966	Paremata	Engineer

### **Beulah**

Wellington	Married
Wellington	Married
Wellington	Married
Wellington	Married
Wellington	Married
Wellington	Married
Wellington	Married
Wellington	Married
Wellington	Married
Paremata	Married
Paremata	Married
Paremata	Married

1969	Paremata	Retired	Paremata	Married
1972	Paremata	Retired	Paremata	Married
1975	Paremata	Retired	Paremata	Married
1978	Paremata	Retired	Paremata	Married
1981	Paremata	Retired	Paremata	Married
1987	Paremata	Retired		
1995	Paremata	Retired		
1998	Paremata	Retired		