

Tait (1) family – house painters

John **Tait** (b.1768 Girthon d.1842 ?) *joiner* m.?? Rebecca **Richmond** (b.1766 ? d.1815 ?)

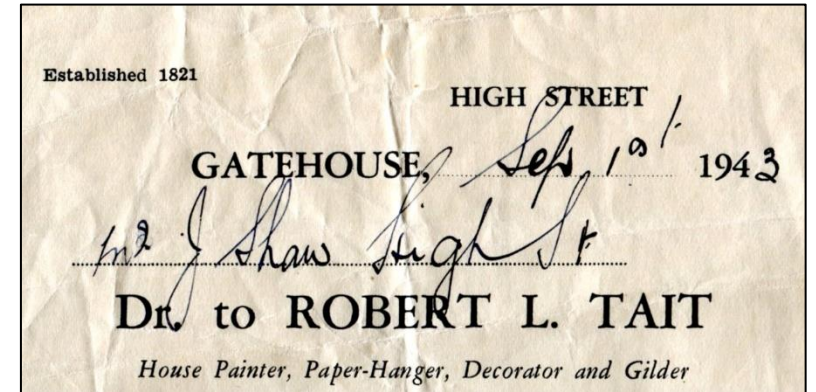
- ? **Lockhart** (b.?? d.??)
1. Mary **Tait** (b.1786 ? d.1860 Girthon ?)
 2. Robert **Tait** (b.1788 ? d.??) died young
 3. Robert **Tait** (b.1790 ? d.??) died young
 4. John **Tait** (b.1793 ? d.1815 ?)
 5. James **Tait** (b.1799 ? d.1822 ?)
 6. Joseph **Tait** (b.1801 Girthon d.1886 Girthon) *house painter*
 7. Agnes **Tait** (b.1802 ? d.1830 ?)
 8. William **Tait** (b.1806 ? d.1826 ?)
 9. Thomas Birtwhistle **Tait** (b.1810 Girthon d.1891 Girthon) *innkeeper & painter*

for **SPROAT**
see **TAIT (2)**

Mary **Sproat** (b.1805? Kirkmabreck d.1888 Girthon)

John **Stewart** (b.1792 Scotland d.1848 ?) *Builder – inc. Rutherford Monument* m.?? Agnes **Robison** (b.17-- Kbt d.1858 ?)

- m.??
1. Isabella **Stewart** (b.1818 Anwoth d.1915 Girthon)
 2. Anna **Stewart** (b.1827 Anwoth d.??)



for **HUNTER**
see **TAIT (3)**

Margaret Laing **Hunter** (b.1877 New Abbey d.1961 NSW, Aust.) emigrated 1913

m.1904 Edinburgh William **Tait** (b.1871 Keighley d.1951 Australia) *painter*
6 children : 4 b.Scotland 2 b.Victoria, Australia

Jane **Young** (b.1847 Ireland d.??) 3 daughters m.1.1866 John **Bateman** (b.1840 Queensbury d.??) *coachman*
m.3.1892 Sarah **Taylor** (b.1856 ? d.1903 ?)

Ernest **Tait** (b.1872 Idle d.1877 Bradford) m.2.1878 Yorkshire

1. Catherine Richmond **Tait** (b.1840 Anwoth d.1925 Girthon) *teacher*
2. Agnes **Tait** (b.1844 Girthon d.1861 Anwoth)
3. John **Tait** (b.1846 Anwoth d.1906 ?) m.1869 Girthon Margaret **Straiton** (b.1818 Anwoth d.1915 Girthon)
4. Henrietta Heywood **Tait** (b.1848 Anwoth d.1908 Girthon) m.1874 Bradford John Fergusson **Glendinning** (b.1842 Dumfries d.before 1891) *blacksmith / soldier - Cameron Highlanders*
5. Maggie Heywood **Tait** (b.1850 Anwoth d.1888 Bradford)
6. Isabella Heywood **Tait** (b.1853 Anwoth d.1942 Hamilton, Lanarks.) m.1886 Cumberland John **Bell** (b.?? d.??) *coachman*
5 children
7. Elizabeth Ann Jones **Tait** (b.1855 Anwoth d.1860 ?)
8. Robert Little **Tait** (b.1858 Anwoth d.1952 Girthon) *painter* m.1885 Whitehaven Elizabeth Hannah **James** (b.1862 Whitehaven d.1931 Girthon?)
9. Andrew Clark **Tait** (b.1862 Anwoth d.1939 ?)

Mary Anne Clarkston **Telfer** (b.1886 Douglas, Lanarks. d.1966 Twynholm) m.1915 Girthon

1. John James **Tait** (b.1887 Gatehouse d.??) *cabinet maker* m.1927 Kelton Annie **McMorrin** (b.?? d.1971 ?)
2. Thomas Henry **Tait** (b.1890 Gatehouse d.1965 Girthon) *painter*
3. Evelyn Stewart **Tait** (b.1894/5 Gatehouse d.1965 Kirkcudbright) *nurse* m.1926 Girthon Christopher **Crosbie** (b.1895 Girthon d.1971 Gatehouse)

See **CROSBIE**

Alastair Donald Stewart **Murray** (b.1898 India d.1965 Dumfries) *Alastair was previously married twice* m.2.1951 Glasgow

1. Beryll Clarkston **Tait** (b.1921 Anwoth d.1922 Anwoth)
2. Oonah Tighe **Tait** (b.1921 Anwoth d.1995 Kirkcudbright) m.1.1941 Gatehouse Andrew C **McKellar** *bank manager* (b.?? d.??)

Alastair Stewart Tait **Murray** (b.1952 Dumfries d.2003 Kirkcudbright) m.1973 Kbt. Sheila **Garvie** (b.??) 2 sons

1. Barbara A **McKellar** (b.1944 Gatehouse d.??) m.1.1966 Gatehouse John **Kirk** (b.?? d.??)
 2. Jennifer T **McKellar** (b.1946 Dumfries d.??) m.2.1976 Gatehouse John J **Dooley** (b.?? d.??)
- both changed surname to Murray following Oonah Tait 2nd marriage*



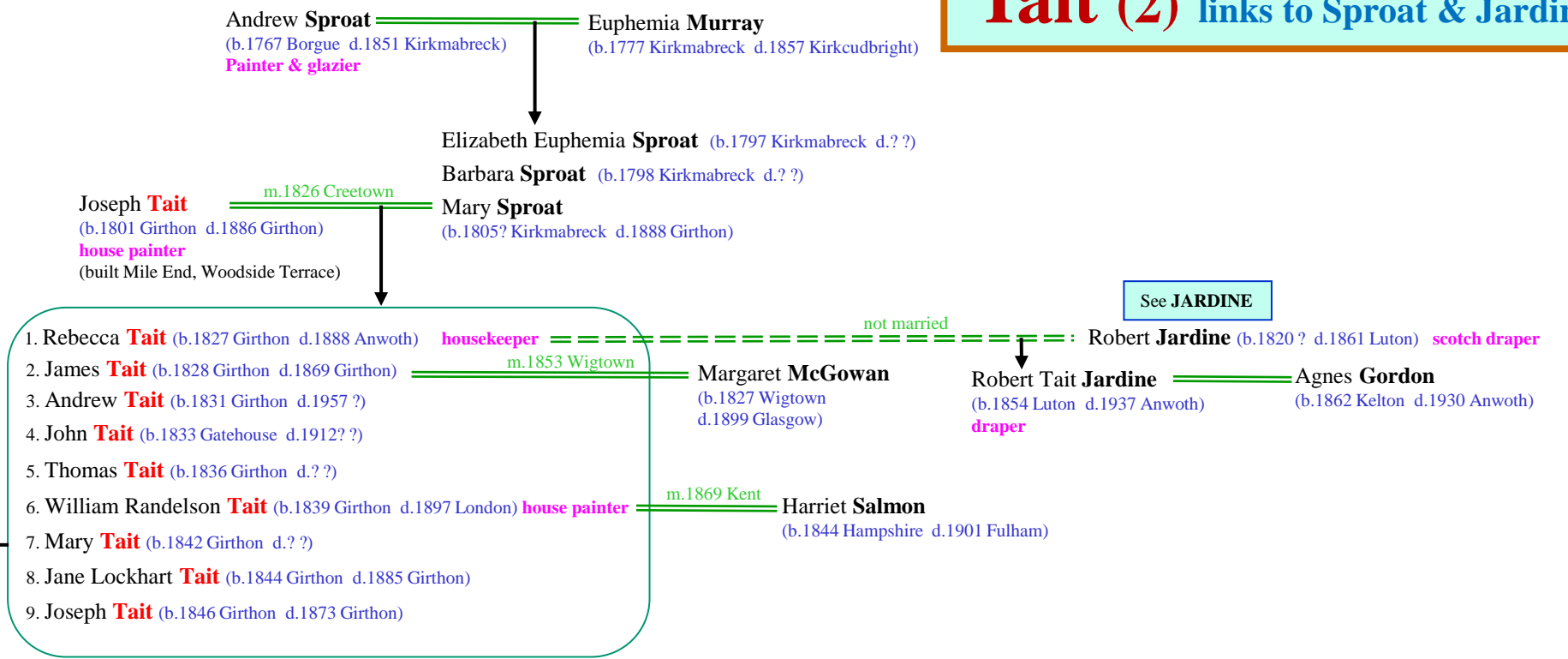
Robert & Elizabeth Tait with Tom, Evelyn & Jack



Woodside Terrace before Town Clock

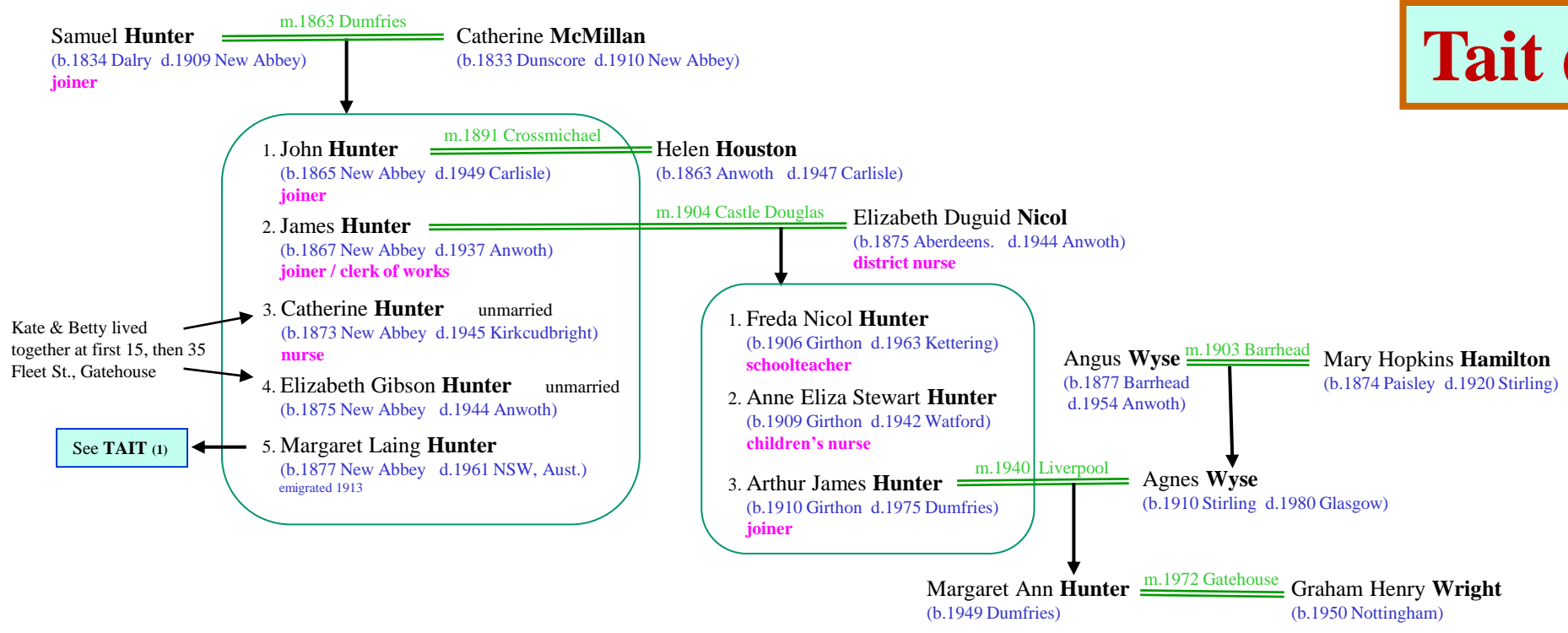
Robert Lawrie (b.1861 Gatehouse d.1929 ?) m.1889 Girthon **Jemima Tait** (b.1864 Anwoth d.1949 Girthon)
Glasgow Tramways

Tait (2) links to Sproat & Jardine



Betty & Kate Hunter

Tait (3) links to Hunter



Hunters at Sawmill, Gatehouse
 Arthur, Elizabeth, Freda, James, Nan