On the list of past families there are some who are recorded as belonging to other clans. If there is any doubt, the writer would be happy to accept your membership until proven differentially.

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BELL, BLACKSTOCK, BLACKSTOCK, BLACKSTOCK, BLACKSTOCK, BLACKSTOCK

DRYSDALE, FORREST, FORREST, FORREST, FORREST, FORREST, FORREST, FORREST

Those eligible to join the Douglas Association of Australia, upon application, are:

Anyone descendent from a woman married or adopted by a Douglas or a step of Douglases.

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NEW LETTER

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THE CLAN DOUGLAS ASSOCIATION

[Signature]

Good Morning
In the near future, in the spirit of a good will wish, and a Happy New Year to you all, I look forward to meeting everyone of you on Sunday, in signing off the good wishes and best wishes for the year ahead. I look forward to the Douglas section on the dinner train around the domain and also to the Highland Gathering on the Friday. I look forward to our next event in November and hope that there will be many Douglas present.

I thank those organizers who made my week so enjoyable. I think I may have just recovered from the fatigue from it. It was a wonderful success and covered all aspects of Scottish society. I can see that it gives confidence to be involved with our community and the Gaelic language.

We had the opportunity to meet with Clan MacDougall and we were in touch to attend with Clan MacLean and Clan MacLachlan. I hope that these meetings will give us the opportunity to become more involved in some way or another. In October, we hope to the largest family reunion in British Columbia, as well as a Douglas clan reunion in some other way or another.

No society as such exists in Britain to our knowledge, but the North American Society formed in 1975 and have had some success in Britain to our knowledge, but the North American Society formed in 1975 and have had some success in Britain.

The idea of sending this event came from a letter received in 1978 from Arthur L. Douglas, who was involved in the event. The event was held in New South Wales.

The event was held at the Douglas Society in Australia, and we look forward to having other events like this in the future.

Welcome to our membership. This is the good news is here, let us have a Douglas Society in Australia.
They may settle or how long they have been in that area... from the families of Scotland, and are always considered to be Scottish. Regardless of where one lives, however, both the highlanders and the lowlanders are recognized as Scottish by many other people, even though they may not always be aware of this fact.

The Douglases were a powerful and influential family in the 13th century. The coat of arms, featuring a red dragon on a silver background, is still used by the clan today.

If you are interested in tracing your Scottish heritage, there are many resources available online and through organizations like the Scottish Genealogy Society. They can provide guidance on how to start your journey into your family history.
researched.

descendants from William de Dougless 1174-1214 to 1900, of those branches that have been
Corona in Canada and the rest of British Columbia and over most
Swynedd Road, Cardiff, 1477, these names have been compiled by Mr Horace Dougless of
for ideas from Mrs Harry Smith, Genealogical Coordinator for the Douglass Association, 111
A MASTER CHART of the Families of Drumlanrig, Angus & Morfion are available

many and various Crests of the Douglasses

for the latest newsletter where Mary Smith will continue with

that apply to the arms of the ancient family of Douglass.

family has finally been decided on, it will be up to him to accept or reject any such families
Society of North America. All Douglas has been granted our names. Our chief of the Douglass
have all been thoroughly researched by Mr Arthur Douglass of Laidston, for the chief
A till for a coat of arms, arms and crest may be found on the front of this presentation. They
and the title of family member. It is the right of the family to choose any coat of arms so

W. A. H. 

An example of a coat of arms with the Douglass is that of the family of John H., of Lugren,

was born.

family took the name of their lands of Syrington as their own. Thus the seat of Syrington
in with the bounds of Douglassie. By a letter dated 14th that of Douglas, latter in history, this
and for Thomas's faithful service to these measures, his family was granted the lands of Syrington.
both William, the first Douglas and his son, the good Sir James Douglas. Douglas (Dunstratto),
with the coat of arms. The family of Douglas, came from the House of Douglas (Dunstratto),
the seat of Syrington, St Andrews, Fife. This family originally came from Larriston and
the name is to hold land in full ownership within another's boundaries. Such was the ease with

sometimes a seat held in one time held lands in, the name within the Douglas Territories. In

Geordiewick
Morton, Sandalands
Northwick
Meggatwick
Meggaltwick

lookerick
Kirkgateick
Drislayell
Douglasse
Forrest

Cawser

in the book, Scott's Kin, KIn.

are the Douglass Family by the Lord Lyon and have been published.

as part of the following family groups.

coming altogether, through these steps and procedures that this was so. The following family groups

are not officially connected but of the Douglas Family. The Macgladry Dictionary gives the word, seat, as meaning a group of people having a

STEPS
RECOMMENDED READING

Douglas is a town in the Scottish Highlands, known for its historical significance. There are several books and publications that explore the history and culture of Douglas, making it an ideal destination for visitors interested in Scottish heritage.

Books of Interest for the Family and Local Historian

Douglas Scottish Guide

Tours of historic sites, such as the Douglas Castle, are available, offering a glimpse into the region's rich history.

Douglas Royal Heritage Tours

These tours provide a deeper understanding of the region's cultural heritage, including visits to key locations such as the Douglas Castle and the surrounding countryside.

Special Interest in Douglas History

If you are interested in the history of Douglas, this book is an excellent resource for further exploration.

Douglas Scottish History

This book provides a comprehensive overview of the town's history, from its early beginnings to the present day.

By Expert Douglas

Books for those interested in local history, offering insights into the town's cultural heritage and its impact on the surrounding region.

Douglas Coat of Arms

The coat of arms of Douglas is a symbol of the town's rich history and cultural identity, representing the town's heritage and traditions.

Douglas Scottish Recipes

This book features traditional Scottish recipes, offering a taste of the region's culinary heritage.
Proprietor: M. CAMPBELL

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Douglas Honey Cake

2 Eggs
2 oz. Currant Almonds
1 cupful Honey
1 oz. Butter
1 oz. Powdered Sugar
1 teaspoonful Baking Soda
2 oz. Flour

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A SCOTTISH TOAST
To make sure the family is ready, the book was written by Mrs. Betty Douglas, Veronica L. Cowden. The following extract giving details comes from the Chronicle Western Times and was written on October 1998.

A most enjoyable and successful Douglas Reunion of members of the Douglas family descent from Robert Douglas of Kinnaird Point (1765 - 1847) was held in Brisbane on 4th October 1998.
Address your newsletter contributions to

Jan Show (ed.)

her help and valuable advice, without which I would still be working in the dark. My thanks also to Dawn Morten, the editor of the local newspaper, for her assistance with the layout and design of the newsletter. Any contributions or feedback from our readers is welcome.

My thanks to those who have contributed to this issue of the newsletter.

A NOTE

FROM THE EDITOR

NEW MEMBERS

Research Queries

Members' Requests

NOTICE BOARD
One day, I saw a small house. And as the wind blew, more and more things fell into it.

By Sara Smith, 4 years old.

 FAMILY FUN
accept your membership until proven differently.

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT.

and post to the Treasurer. Thank you.

Please make cheques payable to Clan Douglases Association of Australia.

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INITIAL JOINING FEE $2

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