

Family of John Innes and Margaret Balfour

1.i. **John Innes** and **Margaret Balfour** contracted for marriage 19 Feb 1841 in parish of Dyke, (OPR 133 vol.5 ¹).

2.i. Margaret Innes was born 1823 (birth record not seen, year calculated from age 45 at death in 1868), formerly seamstress, daughter of **John Innes**, sawyer deceased and **Margaret Balfour** deceased 30 Mar 1868 (age 45) at Dyke as certified by John G. Innes, Forres ¹. Informant William Cameron, cousin (BMD D 1868 113 ²).

2.ii. Helen Innes daughter of **John Innes** in Leith Lumsden and his wife **Margaret Balfour**, was born 22 Sep, baptised 19 Oct 1841, in parish of Auchindor, Aberdeenshire (OPR 172 vol.2 ³).

On 13 Nov 1868 at Bogs of Dalvey, parish of Dyke. **Helen Innes**, domestic servant, age 27 (born 1841) residing Bogs of Dalvey married **William Cameron**, labourer, widower age 54 (born 1814) residing Bogs of Dalvey, son of Alexander Cameron crofter, deceased and Elspet Ross deceased, witness Andrew Dingwall, Alexander Falconer (BMD M 133 ⁴). Helen is the daughter of **John Innes** sawyer deceased and **Margaret Balfour** deceased,

On 6 Dec 1873, Helen Innes Cameron, wife of William Cameron, horticultural labourer, age 32, (born 1841) daughter of **John Innes** sawyer deceased and **Margaret Balfour** deceased, died at Cooperhill, parish of Edinkillie. Informant William Cameron, widower. (BMD D 1873 134 ⁵)

Footnotes:

¹: OPR 133 Dyke vol.5

“**John Innes & Margaret Balfour** in this parish contracted marriage 19 Feb 1841.”

(Possibly John George Innes, son of **John Innes**, Captain 66th Regiment and **Margaret McIntosh**. (married 2 Apr 1825 at Fordyce.)

²: BMD D 1868 113

“at Dyke. Margaret Innes pauper formerly seamstress (s) d 30 Mar 1868 at Dyke. Female 23 d/o **John Innes** sawyer deceased & **Margaret Balfour** deceased. certified by John G. Innes Forres. Informant William Cameron, cousin.”

³: OPR 172 Auchindoir vol.2.

“19 Oct 1841 **John Innes** in Leith, Lumsden daughter by **Margaret Balfour** his wife, 22 Sep bp 19 Oct - Helen.”

[4](#): BMD M 1868 133

At Dyke 13 Nov 1868 at Bogs of Dalvey, par Dyke, C of S., **William Cameron** laborer widower 54 reidings Bogs of Dalvey s/o Alexander Cameron crofter deceased & Elspet Ross deceased married **Helen Innes** domestic servant spinster 27 residing Bogs of Dalvey d/o **John Innes** sawyer deceased & **Margaret Balfour** deceased. Witness Andrew Dingwall, Alexander Falconer.”

[5](#): BMD D 1873 134

“at Edinkillie, **Helen Innes Cameron** married to **William Cameron** horticultural laborer d 6 Dec 1873 at Cooperhill. Female age 32 d/o **John Innes** sawyer deceased & **Margaret Balfour** deceased. Informant William Cameron, widower.”