

2	John Murray	" son	"	15	"	"
3	Margaret Murray	" daughter	"	"	12	"
4	William Murray	" son	"	"	8	"
5	Hugh Murray	" "	"	"	"	6
6	Angus Murray	" "	"	"	"	3
7	James Gordon	Bk Smith	"	25	"	"
8	Sarah Gordon	by wife	"	18	"	"
9	John Lorber	Farmer	Domestic	43	"	"
10	Christy Lorber	by wife	"	43	"	"
1	George Lorber	" son	"	46	"	"
2	William Lorber	" "	"	"	13	"
3	Robert Lorber	" "	"	"	11	"
4	Margaret Lorber	" daughter	"	"	8	"
5	Sarah Lorber	" "	"	"	"	6
6	Jane Lorber	" "	"	"	"	4
7	Alex Murray	Dicker	"	32	"	"
8	Sarah Murray	wife	"	26	"	"
9	Christy Murray	by Mother	"	70	"	"
10	Sarah Hutchinson	opener	"	23	"	"
1	Alex Murray	Impson	"	40	"	"
2	Anne Murray	by wife	"	40	"	10
3	Kenneth Murray	" son	"	15	"	"
4	George Murray	" "	"	"	13	"
5	Robert Murray	" "	"	"	11	"
6	Elizabeth Murray	" daughter	"	"	8	"
7	Margaret Murray	" "	"	"	"	6
8	Alex. Murray	" son	"	"	"	4

Forbes family information to add to book

Hello:

Several years ago, I donated my Ross and Forbes family history binder to History Links and now have additional material I would like to add to it. I recently was given the names of my John Forbes, his wife Christy (Gunn) Forbes - (# 9 and 10 on the passenger list) and the names of six of their children (George, William, Robert, Margaret, Janet and Jane) accompanying them on the ship Cleopatra. The passenger list was found by Dr. Malcolm Bangor-Jones. There may have been an infant John (born November 1829 Pronycroy) as well but his name is not recorded on this list. This ship sailed from Cromarty on 8 June, 1831 and arrived in Quebec, Canada 13 weeks later, on 6 September, 1831. My John Forbes was a farmer at Pronycroy, Dornoch and settled in West Zorra, Oxford County, Ontario, Canada. John's brother William Forbes was also a farmer at Pronycroy but he and his wife and children remained in Scotland. The two brothers were married in 1812 at Proncy Farm but a few years later, moved down the road to Pronycroy Farm.

Interestingly, Hugh Miller, geologist, stone mason and editor, was present the day my John Forbes and family sailed on the Cleopatra. Miller's words describing the sailing of this ship are etched on the stone monument at Cromarty.

I have attached the image of the original June 1831 Cleopatra passenger list showing my John Forbes and family as well as an image of the stone commemorating this sailing.

Thank you!

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AS SHE SWEEP PAST  
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WITH THREE CHEERS  
BY CROWDS OF  
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AND  
THE EMIGRANTS  
RETURNED  
THE SALUTE  
BUT  
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OF THE WAVES  
AND THE MURMURS  
OF THE BREEZE  
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HUZZAS SEEMED  
RATHER SOUNDS  
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