

## WATT FAMILY OF LAXFIRTH

**Kennedy Watt**, Private, 51st Gordon Highlanders. Laxfirth Schoolhouse, North Nesting.

**Stanley Watt**, Gunner, R.N.R., *SS Corton*. Laxfirth Schoolhouse, North Nesting.

Their father was James Neil Watt, teacher at the Laxfirth school in North Nesting, pictured with his class below.



Mr James Watt William Hughson Ruby Hunter Maggie Johnson Donnie Arthur  
Dolly Georgeson Teenie Ann Hughson  
Arthur Scott Robertson Freddie Arthur

Laxfirth school around 1920



## ROBERTSON FAMILY OF DOURIE

**Arthur Robertson**, A.B., H.M. Transport *Anglo Egyptian*. Dourie, North Nesting.

**Gilbert Robertson**, A.B., H.M. Australian Transport. Son of Gilbert and Lillas Robertson, Pund, Dourie, North Nesting.

Their parents were Gilbert Robertson and Lillas Leask. They had two sisters and two more brothers who both died young.

### Also from Laxfirth were:

**Jeremiah Hughson**, Seaman, R.N.R. Shetland section. Patrol duty. Laxfirth, North Nesting.

**John Robertson**, Seaman, R.N.R. Shetland section. Patrol Duty. Laxfirth, North Nesting.

**John S Robertson**, Seaman, R.N.R. Shetland section. Look-out Duty. Grunifirth, North Nesting. These three men above would have helped keep a watch at Kirk Ward.

**Laurence R Morrison**, Chief Officer, Merchant Service, *SS Sebastian*. Laxfirth, North Nesting.

His parents were Simon Morrison and Christina Morrison (probably distant cousin).

He had six sisters, but three died as babies, and three brothers, two of which died as babies.