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**Descendants of  
William Allen**

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1-**William Allen**<sup>1</sup> was born in (Elsewhere than Thorpe Salvin), died in Sep 1672, and was buried on 26 Sep 1672 in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire.

William married **Alice Barlow**<sup>1</sup> on 18 Nov 1658 in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire. Alice died in Dec 1716 in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire and was buried on 18 Dec 1716 in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire. They had six children: **John, Mary, William, Elizabeth, Thomas, and Edward**.

2-**John Allen**<sup>1</sup> was born on 25 Sep 1659 in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire, was christened on 6 Feb 1660, and died about 1759 about age 100.

2-**Mary Allen**<sup>1</sup> was born in 1661 in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire, was christened on 6 Feb 1662, died in Nov 1663 in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire at age 2, and was buried on 23 Nov 1663 in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire.

2-**William Allen**<sup>1</sup> was born in 1664 in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire, was christened on 24 Mar 1664 in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire, died in Mar 1665 at age 1, and was buried on 14 Mar 1665 in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire.

2-**Elizabeth Allen**<sup>1</sup> was born in 1666 in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire and was christened on 26 Apr 1666 in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire.

Elizabeth married **Thomas Wildsmith**. They had three children: **Elizabeth, Thomas, and Elizabeth**.

3-**Elizabeth Wildsmith** was born on 2 May 1690 in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire and died on 10 May 1690 in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire.

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3-**Thomas Wildsmith** was born on 16 Nov 1697 in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire and died on 17 Jul 1704 in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire at age 6.

3-**Elizabeth Wildsmith**<sup>1,2</sup> was born on 3 Jan 1704 in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire and died on 29 Apr 1744 in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire at age 40.

General Notes: She was of a Catholic family.

Elizabeth married **John Allen**,<sup>1,2</sup> son of **Thomas Allen**<sup>1</sup> and **Elizabeth**,<sup>1</sup> on 4 Feb 1724 in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire. John was born on 20 Sep 1696 in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire, was christened on 18 Oct 1696 in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire, and died on 23 Nov 1779 at age 83. They had six children: **Thomas, John, William, Job, Susanna, and Elizabeth**.

General Notes: Of Thorpe Salvin, Worksop

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Mason in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire.
- He worked as a Farmer in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire.
- He was possibly Roman Catholic.

4-**Thomas Allen**<sup>1,2</sup> was born in 1725 in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire, was christened in 1725 in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire, and was buried on 28 Mar 1727.

General Notes: "*Buryed in Woolen, March 28, and an affidavit given ye same day according to Act of Parliament, 1727*".

4-**John Allen**<sup>1,2</sup> was born in 1727 in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire, was christened on 10 Dec 1727 in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire, died in Dec 1784 at age 57, and was buried on 31 Dec 1784 in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire.

4-**William Allen**<sup>1,2,3</sup> was born on 15 Feb 1730 in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire, was christened on 22 Feb 1730 in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire, died on 15 Oct 1808 in Ware, Hertfordshire at age 78, and was buried in Oct 1808 in FBG Ware.

General Notes: Of Ratcliffe, East London. He became a Quaker at the convincement of his future wife, Ann Birkhead.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Brewer in Westminster, London.
- He was a Quaker by Convincement before 1752.
- He had a residence in 1752 in Betts Street, Ratcliff Highway, London.

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- He worked as a Quaker minister Ratcliff MM.
- Miscellaneous: His second wife Ann Kendall, was sister of clockmaker Larcum Kendall.

William married **Ann Birkhead**,<sup>1,2,3</sup> daughter of **William Birkhead** and **Ann**, on 12 Oct 1752 in FMH The Savoy, Strand, London. Ann was born in 1722 and died in 1759 at age 37. They had three children: **Priscilla, Ann, and John**.

5-**Priscilla Allen**<sup>1,3,4,5</sup> was born in 1753 and died in 1829 at age 76. The cause of her death was Dropsy.

Priscilla married **William Knight**,<sup>1,3,4,5</sup> son of **William Knight**<sup>1,4</sup> and **Lettice Stanley**, in 1782. William was born on 4 Nov 1756 in Stone Hall, Barking, Essex and died on 17 Feb 1814 in Chelmsford, Essex at age 57. They had eight children: **Priscilla, Septima, William, Ann, Job Allen, Paul, Maria, and Sophia**.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Grocer in Chelmsford, Essex.

6-**Priscilla Knight**<sup>3,6</sup> was born on 1 Apr 1783 in Chelmsford, Essex and died in 1820 at age 37.

6-**Septima Knight**<sup>1,6</sup> was born in 1784 and died in 1796 at age 12.

6-**William Knight**<sup>3</sup> was born on 3 Aug 1785 in Chelmsford, Essex and died on 16 Sep 1838 in Stoke Newington, London at age 53.

6-**Ann Knight**<sup>3,4,5,7</sup> was born on 2 Nov 1786 in Chelmsford, Essex and died on 4 Nov 1862 in Waldersbach, Strasbourg, France at age 76.

General Notes: Features in the painting of The Anti-Slavery Society Convention, 1840, by Benjamin Robert Haydon

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Knight, Anne (1786– 1862), slavery abolitionist and campaigner for women's rights, was born on 2 November 1786 at Chelmsford, Essex, the third of the eight children of William Knight (1756– 1814), wholesale grocer, and his wife, Priscilla, née Allen (1753– 1829). Her mother was first cousin to the philanthropist William Allen, while she herself was first cousin to the chemist William Allen Miller. Her younger sister Maria (1791– 1870) married in 1814 the abolitionist John Candler (1787– 1869) and with him travelled to the West Indies and United States in the anti-slavery cause; they were for some years (1842– 6) superintendents of The Retreat, York, the Quaker mental hospital founded by William Tuke.

In 1824, having by then a good knowledge of French and German, Anne Knight travelled on the continent with a group of fellow Quakers, combining sightseeing with religious and philanthropic concerns. From her base in the Chelmsford Ladies' Anti-Slavery Society she was deeply involved with the anti-slavery movement, travelling frequently to London and working with Thomas Clarkson, Joseph Sturge, Richard and Hannah Webb, and Elizabeth Pease (later Nichol). During the 1830s she returned several times to France in the same cause, in 1834 undertaking a speaking tour. The 1840 World's Anti-Slavery Convention in London gave her the opportunity to meet such American abolitionists as William Lloyd Garrison, Wendell Phillips, and Lucretia Mott. The movement for women's suffrage in Britain has been dated from the exclusion of women from the floor of this conference, for it drew women's attention to their marginal status within the movement, and highlighted the limitations placed on their capacity to act in the public sphere. In July 1848 the first women's rights convention in the United States was held at Seneca Falls, New York. The previous year an anonymous leaflet was issued in Britain claiming that 'Never will the nations of the earth be well governed, until both sexes, as well as all parties, are fully represented and have an influence, a voice, and a hand in the enactment and administration of the laws'. It has been persuasively argued that the author was Anne Knight. Certainly from the 1840s she had been writing frequent letters (she was a voluminous correspondent) to American abolitionists, including Angelina Grimké, and she was capable of sharp rejoinders to Chartists who suggested that the class struggle took precedence over that for women's rights.

Although Knight was in many ways typical of nonconformist women abolitionists, her views were more radical than many: a sympathizer with Chartism, she was interested in the British and French utopian socialist movements, maintained links with the White Quakers in Ireland, and in the 1840s supported the radical Garrisonian wing of the American abolition movement. Her support for women's rights led her in 1851 to be involved in forming the first organization for women's suffrage in Britain, the Sheffield Female Reform Association. In 1847 or 1848 Anne Knight left Chelmsford for Paris and, after living there enthusiastically (despite her Quaker upbringing) through the year of revolutions, she was at the international peace conference in Paris in 1849. Lucretia Mott described her in the 1840s as 'a singular looking woman— very pleasant and polite' (F. B. Tolles, ed., *Slavery and 'the Woman Question'*, 1952, 29).

In the late 1850s Anne Knight moved to Waldersbach, a village in the Vosges, south-west of Strasbourg. This had been the home of the pastor Jean-Frédéric Oberlin (1740– 1820), whose philanthropic work she revered. Here she lived for the last few years of her life, lodging with Oberlin's grandson, and died there after a short illness on 4 November 1862.

Researches into Anne Knight's life have been hindered by persistent confusion of her with another Anne Knight [née Waspe] (1792– 1860), children's writer. This Anne Knight was born at Woodbridge, Suffolk, on 28 October 1792, the eldest of the eight children of Jonathan Waspe (1756?– 1818), a leather-cutter, and his wife, Phebe, née Gibbs (1761– 1851). She married in 1818 her first cousin and fellow Quaker James Knight (1794– 1820) of Southwark. After her husband's early death, she returned to Woodbridge, where by 1826 she was keeping a school. She was a close friend of the poet Bernard Barton, and is frequently mentioned in Charles Lamb's letters to him. She was the author of a number of books for children, certainly *School-Room Lyrics* (1846), and most probably of *Poetic Gleanings* (1827), *Mornings in the Library* (1828), with a prefatory poem by Barton, and *Mary Gray* (1831), works which were previously ascribed to Anne Knight the social campaigner. Anne Knight the author died at her home in Woodbridge on 11 December 1860, and was buried in the Quaker burial-ground there.

Edward H. Milligan

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Noted events in her life were:

- She worked as a Slavery Abolitionist and Campaigner for Women's Rights.
- She was a Quaker in Witham MM.
- She had a residence in Paris, France.
- She had a residence in 1860 in Waldersbach, Strasbourg, France.

6-**Job Allen Knight**<sup>1,3,6</sup> was born in 1788 and died in 1819 at age 31.

6-**Paul Knight**<sup>1,3,6</sup> was born in 1789 and died in 1856 at age 67.

6-**Maria Knight**<sup>1,3,4,8,9</sup> was born in 1791 and died on 13 Mar 1870 in The Retreat, Heslington Road, York at age 79.

Noted events in her life were:

- She had a residence in Chelmsford, Essex.

Maria married **John Candler**<sup>1,3,4,8,9</sup> son of **William Candler**<sup>4,9</sup> and **Elizabeth Wagstaffe**<sup>4,9</sup> in 1814. John was born on 10 Apr 1787 in Great Bardfield, Essex and died on 4 Jul 1869 in Springfield, Chelmsford, Essex at age 82. They had no children.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Draper in Chelmsford, Essex.
- He worked as a Superintendent 1842 To 1846 in The Retreat, Heslington Road, York.
- He worked as a Quaker Minister.

6-**Sophia Knight**<sup>1,3,6,10</sup> was born in 1796 and died on 5 Apr 1871 in Chelmsford, Essex at age 75.

5-**Ann Allen**<sup>1,3</sup> was born on 28 Jan 1755 in London and died in 1809 at age 54.

Ann married **John Miller**<sup>1,3</sup> in 1777. John was born in 1743 in Ware, Hertfordshire, died on 8 Aug 1808 in Bedford, Bedfordshire at age 65, and was buried on 14 Aug 1808 in Ware, Hertfordshire. They had two children: **Esther** and **William**.

6-**Esther Miller**<sup>1,3</sup> was born on 6 Feb 1778 in Hertford, Hertfordshire and died in 1855 at age 77.

Esther married **Robert Jermyn**<sup>1,3</sup> in 1813. Robert was born in 1779 in Baldock, Hertfordshire and died in 1844 at age 65. They had two children: **Robert Miller** and **Emily**.

7-**Robert Miller Jermyn**<sup>1,3</sup> was born on 8 Jul 1814 in Baldock, Hertfordshire and died in 1867 at age 53.

General Notes: WHEREAS the Commissioner acting In the prosecution of a Fiat in Bankruptcy awarded and issued forth against Robert Miller Jermyn, of Booking, in the county of Essex, Chymist and Druggist, lately carrying on business and trading at Stevenage, in the county of Hertford, as a Common Brewer, hath certified to the Court of Review in Bankruptcy, that the said Robert Miller Jermyn hath in all things conformed himself according to the directions of the Acts of Parliament made and now in force concerning bankrupts ; this is to give notice, that, by virtue of an Act, passed in the fifth and sixth years of the reign of Her present Majesty Queen Victoria, intituled " An Act for the amendment of the laws in bankruptcy," the Certificate of the said Robert Miller Jermyn will be. allowed and confirmed

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by the said Court of Review in Bankruptcy unless cause be shewn to the contrary, on or before the 2d day of March 1847.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Chemist and Druggist before 1847 in Bocking, Essex.
- He worked as a Brewer in Stevenage, Hertfordshire.

Robert married **Emma Avis**.

Robert next married **Susan Ward**, daughter of **Richard Robinson Ward**.

7-**Emily Jermyn**<sup>1,3</sup> was born on 22 May 1816 in Baldock, Hertfordshire.

6-**William Miller**<sup>1,3,11,12</sup> was born on 3 Apr 1783 in Ware, Hertfordshire and died on 2 Mar 1861 in Birmingham, Warwickshire at age 77.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Brewery employee with Truman Hanbury Buxton in Ipswich, Suffolk.
- He worked as a Secretary to the Birmingham General Hospital in Birmingham, Warwickshire.
- He was a Quaker.

William married **Frances Bowyer Vaux**,<sup>1,3,11,13</sup> daughter of **Dr. Jeremiah Vaux** and **Susanna Bowyer**, in 1816. Frances was born on 24 Apr 1785 in Birmingham, Warwickshire and died in 1854 at age 69. They had seven children: **William Allen**, **John**, **Fanny Brickwood**, **Anna Susanna**, **Elizabeth Owen**, **Lucy Mary**, and **Francis Bowyer**.

Noted events in their marriage were:

- They were Quakers.

Noted events in her life were:

- She worked as a Childrens' author.
- She worked as a Schoolmistress in Birmingham, Warwickshire.
- She was a Quaker.

7-**Prof. William Allen Miller**<sup>3,11</sup> was born on 17 Dec 1817 in St. Margaret's, Ipswich, Suffolk, died on 30 Sep 1870 in Brook Villa, Green Lane, West Derby, Liverpool at age 52, and was buried in West Norwood Cemetery, London.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with MB MD FRS.
- He was educated at Merchant Taylor's School.
- He was educated at Ackworth School.
- He worked as an apprentice surgeon to his uncle, Bowyer Vaux in Birmingham, Warwickshire.
- He was educated at King's College, London.
- He worked as a Professor of Chemistry in King's College, London.
- He worked as a non-resident assayer to the Royal Mint and the Bank of England in London.
- He worked as an Astronomer.

William married **Eliza Forrest**, daughter of **Edward Forrest**, in 1842. Eliza was born in 1813, died in 1869 at age 56, and was buried in West Norwood Cemetery, London. They had one son: **Frederic Daniell**.

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8-**Dr. Frederic Daniell Miller** was born in 1852 and was christened on 16 Apr 1852 in Brixton, London.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Physician in Basingstoke, Hampshire.
- He was awarded with LSA.

Frederic married **Emma Laura**. They had four children: **Frederic William, Mary Winifred, Ida Aline**, and **Cyril Ashley**.

9-**Frederic William Miller** was born in 1877 and was christened on 10 Jul 1877 in Basingstoke, Hampshire.

9-**Mary Winifred Miller** was born in 1879 and was christened on 20 Nov 1879 in Basingstoke, Hampshire.

9-**Ida Aline Miller** was born in 1884 and was christened on 21 Feb 1884 in Basingstoke, Hampshire.

9-**Cyril Ashley Miller** was born in 1889 and was christened on 24 Aug 1889 in Basingstoke, Hampshire.

7-**John Miller**<sup>1</sup> was born on 22 May 1819 in St. Margaret's, Ipswich, Suffolk and died in 1894 at age 75.

John married **Mary Ann Cubitt**.<sup>1</sup> Mary died in 1898. They had one son: **Herbert**.

8-**Herbert Miller**<sup>1</sup> was born on 9 Dec 1858 and was christened on 12 Jan 1859 in St. Thomas', Birmingham.

7-**Fanny Brickwood Miller**<sup>1,13</sup> was born on 24 Sep 1820 in St. Margaret's, Ipswich, Suffolk and died on 21 Jul 1893 in 255 Stratford Road, Sparkbrook, Birmingham at age 72.

Fanny married **Alexander Forrest**<sup>1,13</sup> in 1844 in Kings Norton, Birmingham, Warwickshire. Alexander was born in 1815 in Birmingham, Warwickshire and died in 1899 in Aston, Birmingham, Warwickshire at age 84. They had four children: **Alice, Edward Francis, Ernest William**, and **Susan Fanny**.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as an Accountant.

8-**Alice Forrest**<sup>13</sup> was born in 1848 in Birmingham, Warwickshire and died on 22 Mar 1930 in 24 Southcote Road, Bournemouth, Dorset at age 82.

Noted events in her life were:

- She worked as a Diocesan teacher in the Pacific Islands in 1883-1910 in Melanesia.
- She had a residence in 1919-1935 in Bournemouth, Dorset.

Alice married **Rev. Richard Blundell Comins**<sup>13</sup> in 1882. Richard was born on 15 Nov 1848 in Tiverton, Devon, died on 11 Mar 1919 in Woodside Nursing Home, Auckland, New Zealand at age 70, and was buried on 13 Mar 1919 in Mount Eden cemetery, Pūewa, Auckland, New Zealand.

8-**Rev. Edward Francis Forrest**<sup>13</sup> was born in 1853 in Birmingham, Warwickshire and was christened on 25 May 1853.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Curate of St. George's in Sheffield, Yorkshire.
- He worked as a Vicar of Pemberton and Canon of Liverpool in 1887-1922.

8-**Ernest William Forrest**<sup>13</sup> was born in 1855 in Birmingham, Warwickshire, was christened on 13 Apr 1855, and died in 1929 at age 74.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Chatered Accountant in Birmingham, Warwickshire.

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8-**Susan Fanny Forrest**<sup>13</sup> was born in 1861 in Birmingham, Warwickshire, was christened on 9 Aug 1861, and died in 1935 in Bournemouth, Dorset at age 74.

7-**Anna Susanna Miller**<sup>1</sup> was born in 1822 and died in 1902 at age 80.

7-**Elizabeth Owen Miller**<sup>1</sup> was born in 1823 and died in 1840 at age 17.

7-**Lucy Mary Miller**<sup>1</sup> was born in 1825.

Lucy married **Robert Forrest**.

7-**Francis Bowyer Miller**<sup>1,11</sup> was born on 18 Dec 1828 in Edgbaston, Birmingham, Warwickshire, died on 17 Sep 1887 in Kew, Melbourne, Victoria, Australia at age 58, and was buried in Boroondara Cemetery, Kew, Victoria, Australia.

General Notes: Francis Bowyer Miller (1828-1887), assayer, was born on 18 December 1828 at Edgbaston, Warwickshire, England, youngest son of William Miller, brewer, and his wife Frances Bowyer, née Vaux, a writer of children's books. Both parents were Quakers, and the Miller and Vaux families were active in agitation against the slave trade. Francis was educated at King Edward's Grammar School, Birmingham, and King's College, London. In 1849 he joined a British Admiralty expedition to the Bight of Benin, Africa, to see if lagoons there could be used by British gunboats in the suppression of the slave trade. Returning to England about 1850, he worked with a mining company in Cornwall for twelve months then became an assistant to his brother William, professor of chemistry at King's College and non-resident assayer to the Royal Mint and the Bank of England.

In November 1853 Francis Miller and W. S. Jevons were appointed to the newly established Sydney branch of the Royal Mint, partly on William Miller's recommendation. Offered a retainer of £100 per annum, they were expected to establish their own assay offices and to undertake work for private banks and individuals as well as for the mint on piece rates. By the time the mint opened in May 1855, however, he and Jevons had become full-time public servants with no need to take private work. On 11 January 1854 in the Parish Church of St Clement Danes, Westminster, Miller had married Alicia, only daughter of Maurice Fitzgerald O'Connell, R.N. Two months later the Millers sailed with their servant for Sydney in the Granite City. They were to have four children.

On arrival in Sydney, Miller set up an assay office in Bligh Street. In November 1859 he became a member of the Philosophical (later Royal) Society of New South Wales, before which, in July 1860, he read a paper on the detection of spurious gold, concerned in particular with a species of fake gold 'nuggets' that had deceived many Sydney storekeepers. Rachel Henning, to whom he showed a sample 'nugget' at Bathurst in July 1861, found him to be 'rather a clever, agreeable man'.

Miller's crowning scientific achievement was his development of a process of refining and toughening gold by means of chlorine gas. He patented this process in London in June 1867 and registered it as an invention before the New South Wales Legislative Assembly in November. Twelve months later his paper describing the process was read before the Chemical Society, London, and by December 1869, when Miller read another paper on the subject before the Royal Society of New South Wales, his method had been successfully put into operation at the Sydney Mint and by the Bank of New Zealand at Auckland, New Zealand.

In 1870 Miller was transferred to the new Melbourne branch of the Royal Mint, and was paid £2000 for the sole Victorian rights to the gold-refining process. He sold the 'remarkably handsome Gothic villa and grounds' that he had built on the waterfront at Double Bay and relocated his family to the Melbourne suburb of Kew. By then Miller's method had been introduced into mints in England, the United States of America and Norway and he had travelled to England and the U.S.A. to advise on the process.

Superintendent of the bullion office at the Melbourne Mint from 1877, in 1884 he was briefly acting deputy master. Chronic Bright's disease forced him to take sick leave from June 1887 and he died in his home at Kew on 17 September 1887, survived by his wife, two sons and one daughter. He was buried with Anglican rites in Boroondara cemetery. At the time of his death he was a member of the Philosophical Society of Philadelphia, a fellow of the Chemical Society of London and of the Institute of Chemistry of Great Britain and a corresponding member of the Royal Society of New South Wales. In 2005 the Miller process was still used worldwide to treat molten gold.

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Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at King Edward's Grammar School in Birmingham, Warwickshire.
- He was educated at King's College in London.
- He worked as a Metal assayer in Bligh Street, Sydney, New South Wales, Australia.
- He worked as a Metal assayer in Melbourne, Victoria, Australia.
- He worked as a Superintendent of the Bullion Office, the Royal Mint in Melbourne, Victoria, Australia.

Francis married **Alicia O'Connell**, daughter of **Lt. Maurice Fitzgerald O'Connell R.N.**<sup>11</sup> and **Gorham**. They had four children: **Alice Lucy, William Francis, Annie Susan, and Maurice Edward**.

8-**Alice Lucy Miller** was born in 1860 in Double Bay, New South Wales, Australia.

8-**Dr. William Francis Miller** was born on 13 Aug 1861 in Sydney, New South Wales, Australia, died on 15 Apr 1938 in Maryborough, Victoria, Australia at age 76, and was buried on 18 Apr 1938 in Kew Cemetery, Victoria, Australia.

General Notes: The oldest medical practitioner in Maryborough, Dr. William Francis Miller, died at his home late on Friday night, after a long illness. He was aged 76 years. Dr. Miller retired from active practice about 10 years ago. He was born in Sydney in 1861, his father being Mr. F.

Bowyer Miller, of the Royal Mint staff. Dr. Miller graduated at Melbourne University in 1882. After post-graduate work in England he went to Maryborough in 1885, buying the practice of the late Dr. Campbell. In 1891 he married a daughter of the late Mr. David Evans, of North Merrowie Station, Hillston (N.S.W.). Mrs. Miller died in 1905. Dr. Miller has left a family of two daughters and two sons. Mrs. Crowe, Miss Lorna Miller, Dr. Frank Miller (of Adelaide), and Dr. Harold Miller (of Maryborough). The funeral will be at Kew Cemetery to-day.

Noted events in his life were:

- He had a residence in Maryborough, Victoria, Australia.

William married **Mary Cecil Evans**, daughter of **David Evans**, on 24 Nov 1891 in New South Wales, Australia. Mary was born in 1863 in North Merrowie Station, Hillston, New South Wales, Australia and died in 1905 in Maryborough, Victoria, Australia at age 42. They had four children: **Eleanor Mary Alicia, Francis "Frank" Julian Bowyer, Harold David Bowyer, and Lorna Cecil Annette**.

9-**Eleanor Mary Alicia Miller** was born on 30 Jan 1893 in Maryborough, Victoria, Australia and died in 1969 at age 76.

Eleanor married **John George Crowe**.

9-**Dr. Francis "Frank" Julian Bowyer Miller** was born in 1895 in Maryborough, Victoria, Australia.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Physician in Adelaide, South Australia.

9-**Dr. Harold David Bowyer Miller** was born on 1 Nov 1897 in Maryborough, Victoria, Australia and died on 31 Aug 1948 in Melbourne, Victoria, Australia at age 50.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Physician in Maryborough, Victoria, Australia.

9-**Lorna Cecil Annette Miller** was born on 23 Mar 1902 in Maryborough, Victoria, Australia and died on 7 Apr 1963 at age 61.

8-**Annie Susan Miller** was born on 13 Oct 1862 in Double Bay, New South Wales, Australia and died on 9 Sep 1920 in Maryborough, Victoria, Australia (at her brother's home) at age 57.



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8-**Maurice Edward Miller** was born in 1864 in Double Bay, New South Wales, Australia, died on 17 Jan 1921 in Kew, Victoria, Australia at age 57, and was buried in Boroondara Cemetery, Kew, Victoria, Australia.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Solicitor.

Maurice married **Eleanor Evans**, daughter of **David Evans**, in 1899 in Hilston, New South Wales, Australia. Eleanor was born in 1864. They had three children: **(No Given Name)**, **(No Given Name)**, and **(No Given Name)**.

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5-**John Allen**<sup>1,3,6</sup> was born on 14 Dec 1757 in Wapping, London, died on 20 Mar 1808 at age 50, and was buried in FBG Ratcliff.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Brewer in London.

John married **Elizabeth Marsh**<sup>1,3</sup> daughter of **Thomas Marsh**<sup>1,3,4</sup> and **Hannah Patteson**<sup>3,4</sup> on 20 Jun 1782 in FMH Ratcliffe. Elizabeth was born on 17 Jun 1754 in Hitchin, Hertfordshire, died in 1826 at age 72, and was buried in FBG Ratcliff. They had seven children: **Hannah, Ann, George, Eliza, Charles, Lewis, and Ann**.

6-**Hannah Allen**<sup>1,3,14</sup> was born in 1783, died on 12 Apr 1867 in 9 Albion Terrace, Stoke Newington, London at age 84, and was buried in FBG Stoke Newington.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at The Young sister's Milverton School in Milverton, Somerset.
- She worked as a Quaker Minister.

6-**Ann Allen**<sup>3,6</sup> was born in 1785, died in 1789 in (died of Smallpox) at age 4, and was buried in FBG Ratcliff.

6-**George Allen**<sup>3,6</sup> was born in 1787, died in 1789 in (died of Smallpox) at age 2, and was buried in FBG Ratcliff.

General Notes: He was buried of the same day as his sister Ann.

6-**Eliza Allen**<sup>3,15,16</sup> was born in 1790, died on 31 Oct 1845 in 9 Albion Terrace, Stoke Newington, London at age 55, and was buried in FBG Stoke Newington. The cause of her death was Stroke.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at Alton in Alton, Hampshire.

6-**Charles Allen**<sup>3,17,18,19</sup> was born on 17 Feb 1792, died on 11 Apr 1839 in Samer, Boulogne, France at age 47, and was buried on 21 Apr 1839 in FBG Ratcliff.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as an apprentice Tanner to William Batt in Maidenhead, Berkshire.
- He worked as a Tanner in Maidenhead, Berkshire.
- He worked as a Tanner in 1817 in Coggeshall, Essex.

Charles married **Elizabeth Harris**<sup>3,6,18,19</sup> daughter of **Samuel Harris**<sup>3,6</sup> and **Elizabeth Belch**<sup>3</sup> on 24 Jul 1816. Elizabeth was born on 1 Sep 1788 in Ratcliffe, Stepney, London, died on 29 Jun 1862 in Stoke Newington, London at age 73, and was buried in FBG Stoke Newington. The cause of her death was Aneurism of the Aorta. They had 11 children: **Charlotte, John, Samuel, Sarah Angell, Charles Harris, Joseph, Frederic, Emma Elizabeth, Arthur John, William, and Lewis Philip**.

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Noted events in their marriage were:

- They had a residence in 1835-1838 in Gumley House, Isleworth, London.

7-**Charlotte Allen**<sup>6,7,20,21,22</sup> was born on 24 Jul 1817 in Maidenhead, Berkshire, died on 12 Mar 1891 in Nice, France at age 73, and was buried in FBG Friars, Rosemary Street, Bristol.

Charlotte married **William Sturge**,<sup>7,19,20,22,23</sup> son of **Jacob Player Sturge**<sup>7,14,20,24,25,26</sup> and **Sarah Stephens**,<sup>7,14,20,24,26</sup> in 1846 in FMH Stoke Newington. William was born on 21 Aug 1820 in Catherine Place, Bristol, Gloucestershire and died on 26 Mar 1905 in Chilliswood, Tyndall's Park Road, Bristol, Gloucestershire at age 84. They had 11 children: **Emily, Margaret, Elizabeth, William Allen, Mary Charlotte, John Player, Charles Allen, Gulielma Maria, Helen Maria, Clement Young**, and **Caroline**.

Noted events in their marriage were:

- They were Quakers.

General Notes: Sturge, William (1820– 1905), surveyor and land agent, was born on 21 August 1820 in Bristol, the eldest of four sons and four daughters of Jacob Player Sturge (1793– 1857), of Y. and J. P. Sturge, surveyors and land agents of Bristol, and his wife, Sarah (1789– 1867), daughter of William and Ann Stephens of Bridport. His father was a cousin of Joseph Sturge (1793– 1859), philanthropist. William Sturge, of a Quaker family, attended schools at Sidcot near Winscombe, Somerset, and at Fishponds, Bristol. He married Charlotte Allen (1817– 1891) of Stoke Newington in June 1846; they had eleven children. A son, William, was responsible for the Sturge flint collection presented to the British Museum; his daughter, Emily Sturge, became a campaigner for women's education and suffrage. On leaving school in 1836 Sturge entered the family firm of Y. and J. P. Sturge of Bristol, which was run by his uncle, Young Sturge, who had opened the Bristol office, and his father, Jacob Player Sturge. The business had been started in 1760 by John Player of Stoke Gifford, who was joined by his nephew Jacob Player Sturge, father of Young and Jacob Player. William Sturge became a partner in 1842, and head of the firm at his father's death in 1857. The practice was named J. P. Sturge & Sons after Young's death in 1844. Sturge's brothers Walter and Robert, the latter a member of the Institution of Surveyors, became junior partners. During Sturge's association with the practice, until 1905, it was situated in Bristol at 1 Broad Street and 34 and 33 Corn Street respectively. It merged with King & Co. of London in 1992 to become King Sturge & Co. of London and Bristol, with other UK and European offices.

Sturge was involved in surveying and mapping land in connection with the Enclosure and Tithe Commutation Acts, with railways, and with Bristol residential developments. He was appointed surveyor to the Bristol Water Works Company in 1846 and was arbitrator or witness in many compensation cases concerning land purchase for railways in the west of England and south Wales; one particular case concerned the local board of health and the Great Western Railway Company in 1870. In 1847– 8 he was responsible for purchasing land for the Bristol and Exeter, and the Wilts., Somerset, and Weymouth railways. He followed his uncle and father respectively as land steward to the corporation of Bristol in 1857, a post he held until 1905. He was appointed to survey the city of Bristol for assessment of the borough rate in 1860 and 1870, and he advised the Somerset county rate committee on the county rate in 1865 and undertook this for Glamorgan in 1875. Under the Extraordinary Tithe Act of 1888 Sturge was appointed assistant commissioner. He trained land agents and surveyors, and he and his brother Robert founded the Bristol branch of the Surveyors' Institution.

A founder member of the Institution of Surveyors (later the Surveyors' Institution, followed by the Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors) Sturge was a member of the council in 1868, and served as president from 1878– 80. He presented ten papers at the institution between 1868 and 1899. These were published subsequently in the Transactions, and included his presidential addresses (1878– 9), 'The education of the surveyor' (1868), 'Tithes and tithe commutation' (1871), 'The Rating Act' (1874), and 'The burdens on real property and land' (1894). He continued to write on the subject of rating in Professional Notes (1904), when he was over eighty years old. He was also author of several personal memoirs, as well as A Report on the Farming of Somersetshire, an entry for a Royal Society of Agriculture competition in 1851.

Sturge died from heart failure at his home, Chilliswood, Tyndall's Park Road, Bristol, on 26 March 1905. His obituary in the Transactions of the Surveyors' Institution (1905) described his calm judgement and keen practical insight, as well as his scrupulous honesty, 'almost painfully keen to do justice to all parties'. He was serious but with a 'quiet restrained humour', and gentle, but with a 'flame of wrath ready to burn fiercely should occasion demand it'. His publications showed concern about the agricultural depression, the conditions of farm labourers, and the future of agriculture and of his own profession. His main interests were business, religion, and family; he was a member of the Religious Society of Friends throughout his life.

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Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Surveyor & Land Agent of Bristol in 1836.
- He worked as a Partner in Y & J P Sturge in 1842.

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- He worked as a President of the Institution of Surveyors.

8-**Emily Sturge**<sup>6,7</sup> was born on 20 Apr 1847 in Highbury Villa, Cotham New Road, Cotham, Bristol, Gloucestershire, died on 3 Jun 1892 in Chilliswood, Tyndall's Park, Cotham, Bristol, Gloucestershire at age 45, and was buried in FBG Friars, Rosemary Street, Bristol. The cause of her death was From injuries, having been thrown from her horse.

General Notes: Sturge, Emily (1847– 1892), campaigner for women's education and suffrage, was born on 20 April 1847 at Highbury Villa, Cotham New Road, Cotham, Bristol, the eldest of the eleven children of William Sturge (1820– 1905) and his wife, Charlotte Allen Sturge (1817– 1891). Four of her sisters were also involved to a greater and lesser extent in the movement for women's education. The Sturge family were prominent members of the Society of Friends and were linked by marriage and descent to a number of Quaker families. Emily was a great-niece of the Quaker Ann(e) Knight who had campaigned for women's right to vote in the 1840s, and in the memoir of Emily (1892) Charlotte Sturge wrote that Ann Knight 'would have rejoiced to see how far her desires have been fulfilled and will probably be yet further carried out' (Goodbody, 50).

William Sturge was a partner in the family business of surveying which prospered in the nineteenth century. In 1864 the family moved into Chilliswood (later part of the University of Bristol) in Cotham, and the third daughter, Elizabeth, lived there until her death in 1944 at the age of ninety-four. The house was a centre for visiting lecturers and for drawing-room meetings during the suffrage campaigns of the 1870s. Emily was described by her Aunt Matilda as 'shy and sensitive in infancy' (E. Sturge, 79), and this developed into a deep reserve which gave the impression of aloofness. She was also 'a woman of considerable personal attractions, a little above the middle height, with good features, a fine bearing, and magnificent hair, which gave a certain distinction to her appearance' (ibid., 84). In early life she broke away from the evangelicalism of her upbringing, and experienced periods of religious doubt, though she continued to attend Friends' meetings all her life. Her sister Elizabeth said that 'we— her sisters— hardly knew how much strong feeling her rather cold and distant manner covered until, after her death, her private memoranda revealed it' (ibid., 79). In one of these memoranda Emily wonders

how it is that I come to be where I am— how it has come about that I am absorbed in the practical work of life. If the line of least resistance had not lain in this direction I could have lived the student's life. (Goodbody, 44)

After attending schools at Weston-super-Mare and then Frenchay, near Bristol, Emily's own education was cut short at the age of about fourteen, and thereafter she was largely self-taught. In contemplating the life of a student Emily may have been envying her younger sisters Mary Charlotte, known as Carta (1852– 1929), and Caroline (1861– 1922), who attended the University College which opened at Bristol in 1876. Carta went on to study at Newnham College, Cambridge, gaining the moral science tripos in 1887, and Caroline qualified as a doctor at London University. One of Emily's brothers, William Allen Sturge (1850– 1919), was also medically qualified and married to Dr Emily Bovell, one of the seven female medical students expelled from Edinburgh University during the Sophie Jex-Blake struggle for women's access to medical training in the early 1870s.

The 'practical work' of Emily Sturge's brief life was almost wholly concerned with promoting women's suffrage and women's education. From 1878 until her death she was honorary secretary of the west of England branch of the National Society for Women's Suffrage. The West of England Suffrage Society had been formed in Bristol in 1868 at the home of Matthew Davenport Hill, whose daughter Florence was a founding member. Emily Sturge was a member by 1872– 3, and from the 1870s until about 1885 she was involved in travelling to public meetings, giving public speeches, and campaigning through the Liberal Party to obtain women's franchise by electoral reform. She was a member of the Bristol Women's Liberal Association, formed about 1880 alongside similar branches formed in other Quaker strongholds, whereby parliamentary and municipal candidates were asked to state their views of women's suffrage. Women were not enfranchised by Gladstone's 1884– 5 reforms and Emily Sturge moved across to support the Liberal Unionists in the home rule split. She was a member of the committee of the West Bristol Temperance Society.

Emily Sturge was elected as a Liberal to the Bristol school board in January 1880. School boards were the first form of elected body open to women, and Emily succeeded Helena Richardson as the second woman member, having come second in the poll at the age of thirty-two. She had experience of teaching in a Friends' Sunday school, and took an interest in an elementary school for girls run by the British and Foreign School Society. During her membership of the board she campaigned for free school meals, established as 'penny dinners' in 1884; was involved in the setting up of evening schools, chairing the evening school committee from 1886; and was concerned to ensure equal access for women and girls to technical instruction and to promote the training and status of women teachers.

Emily Sturge achieved the latter aim through the new University College, founded in 1876. The college was a direct result of the Clifton Association for Promoting Higher Education for Women, formed in Bristol in 1868. The association founded the Lectures for Ladies in the 1860s, which were attended by the Sturge sisters and are described by Elizabeth Sturge in her *Reminiscences* (1928). The new University College, to become the University of Bristol in 1909, was open to both men and women, except for the medical school. In its early years money was a problem and Emily Sturge organized a successful fund-raising campaign in the late 1880s. She helped to establish a day training school for women teachers at the University College, which opened in October 1892: Marion Pease, a graduate of the new University College and a member of another key Bristol Quaker family, the Frys, was appointed the first mistress of method.

Emily Sturge was also involved in setting up at Bristol a school of cookery to train domestic science teachers, using moneys set aside by the technical instruction committee of the town council, and derived from the Technical Instruction Act of 1889 and the Local Taxation (Customs and Excise) Act of 1890. Unlike the school boards, town councils were still restricted to men, and following receipt of a memorial from 'certain ladies' in October 1891, Emily Sturge, who wanted grants for technical education to benefit girls as well as boys, was invited to assist with the formation of the school of cookery. It was to open in September 1893. Emily Sturge was re-elected to the Bristol school board in January 1892 shortly before her death at her home, Chilliswood, Tyndall's Park, Cotham, Bristol, on 3 June 1892, from injuries sustained after being thrown from her horse. She was buried in the Quaker burial-ground at Friars Meeting-House, Rosemary Street, Bristol.

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Noted events in her life were:

- She worked as a Member of Bristol School Board in 1880-1892.
- She worked as a campaigner for Women's education and Suffrage.

8-**Margaret Sturge**<sup>20,27</sup> was born in 1848 in Olveston, Bristol, Gloucestershire and died in 1921 in Gerrards Cross, Buckinghamshire at age 73.

Margaret married **Francis Goodbody**,<sup>20,27</sup> son of **Robert James Goodbody**<sup>12,28</sup> and **Emma Ridgway**,<sup>12</sup> on 21 Feb 1877 in Bristol, Gloucestershire. Francis was born on 14 Nov 1852 in Tullamore, County Offaly, Ireland and died on 7 Apr 1921 in Gerrards Cross, Buckinghamshire at age 68. They had seven children: **Emma Louise, Frederick Allen Sturge, Lionel William Sturge, Charlotte Janet, Margaret, Clement Ridgway, and Evelyn Gulielma.**

Noted events in his life were:

- He had a residence in Gerrards Cross, Buckinghamshire.

9-**Emma Louise Goodbody**<sup>20</sup> was born on 25 Nov 1877 and died on 13 Dec 1931 at age 54.

Emma married **Herbert Edward Sturge.**

9-**Frederick Allen Sturge Goodbody**<sup>20</sup> was born on 20 Sep 1879 and died on 6 Oct 1929 at age 50.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Surveyor & Land Agent.

Frederick married **Jessie Robb Scoular**, daughter of **George Scoular**. They had three children: **William Scoular, Margaret Louise, and Frances Marion.**

10-**William Scoular Goodbody** was born on 22 Oct 1911 and died on 22 May 1962 at age 50.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Land agent & Surveyor of Bristol.
- He was awarded with FRICS.

William married **Margaret Annette Talbot**. They had one daughter: **Susan Caroline.**

11-**Susan Caroline Goodbody**

Susan married **Lt. Cmdr. Charles Christopher Morgan.**

10-**Margaret Louise Goodbody** was born on 6 Jul 1913.

10-**Frances Marion Goodbody** was born in Jun 1921 and died on 23 Jan 1931 at age 9.

9-**Lionel William Sturge Goodbody**<sup>20,27</sup> was born on 1 Jun 1881 in London and died on 23 Mar 1914 in Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada (24th given in AM) at age 32.

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Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as an Architect in Victoria, British Columbia, Canada.

Lionel married **Irene Emily Isobel Relton**<sup>20</sup> on 23 Jul 1911 in St. Paul's church, Kamloops, British Columbia, Canada. Irene was born in 1886 in London and died on 6 Nov 1969 at age 83. They had two children: **Francis William** and **Roger Relton**.

10-**Francis William Goodbody** was born on 14 May 1912.

Francis married **Janet Elizabeth Morrison**. They had one daughter: **Diana Elizabeth**.

11-**Diana Elizabeth Goodbody**

10-**Group Capt. Roger Relton Goodbody** was born on 2 Dec 1913.

Roger married **Margaret Thelma Fontaine**.

9-**Charlotte Janet Goodbody**<sup>20</sup> was born on 22 Oct 1882 and died in 1954 at age 72.

Charlotte married **Herbert E. Milliken**.

9-**Margaret Goodbody**<sup>20</sup> was born on 5 Jul 1885 and died on 16 Jun 1960 at age 74.

9-**Clement Ridgway Goodbody**<sup>20,29</sup> was born on 26 Jul 1887 in Olveston, Bristol, Gloucestershire and died on 13 Oct 1951 in Bude, Cornwall at age 64.

Clement married **Eleanor Kate Skelton**,<sup>20,29</sup> daughter of **Arthur Skelton** and **Eleanor Harriet Dinsmore**,<sup>29</sup> on 23 Mar 1916. Eleanor was born on 28 Jul 1893 in Wimbledon, London and died in Mar 1987 in Newton Abbot, Devon at age 93. They had three children: **Josephine Mary**, **Richard Anthony**, and **John Bartley**.

10-**Josephine Mary Goodbody** was born in 1917.

Josephine married **Ignac Mendleton**.

10-**Dr. Richard Anthony Goodbody**<sup>29</sup> was born on 30 Sep 1920.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with MD VRD.
- He worked as a Consultant pathologist.

Richard married **Honor Crawford Pullan**,<sup>29</sup> daughter of **Dr. Clifford Pullan**, on 21 Sep 1943. Honor was born on 12 Apr 1922 in Hull, Yorkshire and died on 15 Jul 2014 at age 92. They had one son: **Jonathan Crawford**.

11-**Jonathan Crawford Goodbody**

Jonathan married **Profra. Ernestina Fernandez Samona**. They had one son: **Joshua Alexander Fernandez**.

12-**Joshua Alexander Fernandez Goodbody**

10-**John Bartley Goodbody** was born in 1922 and died in 1935 at age 13.

9-**Evelyn Gulielma Goodbody**<sup>20</sup> was born on 3 Sep 1889 and died in 1955 at age 66.

Evelyn married **John Henry Eades**<sup>20</sup> on 2 Aug 1924. John died in 1971.

8-**Elizabeth Sturge** was born in 1849.

8-**Dr. William Allen Sturge**<sup>6,7</sup> was born in 1850 and died on 27 Mar 1919 in Icklingham Hall, Suffolk at age 69.

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General Notes: WILLIAM ALLEN STURGE, M.V.O., MT.D.LOND., F.R.C.P. IN Dr. Allen Sturge,- who passed away on March 27th after several years of cardiac instability and poor health, we have lost an accomplished physician and a distinguished archaeologist. He came of a fine Quaker stock on both sides. He was born at Bristol in 1850, and began his professional studies at the Bristol Medical School, and continued them at University College Hospital, London, where he soon made his mark and gained "the warm regard of his teachers and of his fellow students. He was a close and accurate observer, keen in reasoning and original in speculation. After holding the post of physician's-assistant he became a resident officer and subsequently registrar at the National Hospital for Paralysis and Epilepsy. There he laid the foundations of a wide and thoughtful survey of nervous diseases. Having taken his M.D. at the University of London, he followed up his studies in nervous diseases by a lengthened stay in Paris in 1876. That was a time when Charcot, like a magnet, was attracting neurologists young and old to his clinic at the Salpêtrière. But Sturge did not limit his studies to neurology; he worked at general pathology and medicine, and followed closely Fournier's practice at the St. Louis. Both Charcot and Fournier bore generous testimony in after years to Sturge's critical acumen and originality. When in 1877 he returned to London he was appointed physician and pathologist to the Royal Free Hospital, and one of the lecturers to the Women's Medical School. His strong liberal sentiments made him an early and warm supporter of women's medical education. He was married to a talented lady doctor-Miss Emily Bovell-and they started in practice in Wimpole Street. There seemed a distinguished career opening for Sturge as a neurologist, a general physician, and a clinical teacher. He had the gift of fluent and luminous exposition, and was eagerly listened to, not only by his students, but by the members of the London medical societies. Unfortunately there only remain four of his medical papers available. Of these, in every way the most important and characteristic is one in the fifth volume of the Proceedings of the Medical Society of London, p. 357, on the study of muscular atrophy as an aid to the physiological investigation of the spinal cord. In this paper there are some original clinical observations of considerable interest, but there are also very lucid, and discriminating statements on the physiological grouping of muscular atrophies and their diagnostic importance which are valuable still as sound and helpful generalizations. His three papers in the twelfth and fourteenth volumes of the Clinical Society's transactions on a case of erythromelalgia, on a case of spondylitis, and on nerve stretching are good examples of Sturge's gift of not only narrating the salient features of any case, but of setting forth its general bearing. Sturge was exceedingly humane. From his studentship, onwards he took the deepest interest in the welfare of his patients. He never spared his efforts, especially for the chronic nervous cases, to make the best of their condition, and he was so well read and wide in his intellectual sympathies that it was no wonder that many educated men and women found in him a tower of strength, especially in conditions of overstrain. But in 1880 his wife's health began seriously to flag, and he came to the conclusion that for her sake he ought to seek a milder climate. He determined to settle in Nice, and he made it his home for twenty-seven years during the late..... etc. etc. SEE....

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William Allen Sturge was born of Quaker parents in Bristol, where his father, William Sturge, was a wealthy surveyor. He attended local schools until 1865 when he was sent to a Quaker school in London. There, while playing soccer, he injured his knees. He stayed with his uncle while he was recuperating from the knee injury. His uncle, a physician, had sons studying medicine, and it was during this stay that William developed an interest in medicine. This was contrary to his father's wishes; wanting instead that his son take up the family business. His father relented, however, and allowed him to pursue his interest in medicine. He commenced his medical studies at Bristol Medical School in 1868. He was a very industrious young man who, in the pursuit of his interests, neglected his own health. He fell ill of diphtheria in June, 1869. In August, after recovering from the illness, William went on vacation in Switzerland with his family. While there he developed rheumatic fever, an illness that lasted for several weeks. After recovering, he resumed his studies and passed the Primary Examination of the College of Surgeons in 1870. He went to London in 1871 to continue his studies at University College, but had a second attack of rheumatic fever in 1872 which forced him to take a prolonged rest. His father sent him on a tour in the East in 1873. As a medical attendant, William accompanied a wealthy young man named Lukas to Egypt. After returning from Egypt he resumed his medical studies and received his medical degree from University College, London, in 1873. After holding the post of Physician's Assistant, he became a resident medical officer and subsequently registrar of the National Hospital for Paralysis and Epilepsy and here commenced his interest in neurology. In 1876 he went to Paris to study with Jean Martin Charcot (1825-1893), but also gained experience in general pathology and medicine with Jean Alfred Fournier (1832-1915) at the St. Louis Hospital. Both Charcot and Fournier were highly impressed with Sturge's intelligence and originality. It was in Paris that he met his wife, Emily Bovell, who was also a physician. Emily Bovell was one of the original half dozen women who gained admission to the Medical School of Edinburgh University, only to be physically ejected by the male students and faculty. All of these women eventually completed their medical training elsewhere and all achieved distinction in their own particular field. Sturge was strongly liberal and was one of the keenest supporters of women's medical education. They married in September 1877 and returned to London to set up a practice together in Wimpole Street. He was appointed physician and pathologist to the Royal Free Hospital, and a lecturer to the Women's Medical School. He was a fine speaker, an excellent teacher and extremely interested in the welfare of his patients. He had a very large practice of patients with organic conditions and also of patients with psychosomatic problems. In 1880 his wife became ill and Sturge decided to move to Nice, where he lived for the next 27 years during the autumn, winter and spring. He gradually became very well known and socially prominent as a physician in the Riviera and looked after Queen Victoria and her family during her four visits to Cimez. In recognition of this service, Queen Victoria awarded him gifts and an MVO, which is an order and decoration reserved for people who have rendered service to the Royal Family of a personal nature. Emily Bovell died in her early 40's in 1885. The following year William married Julia Sherriff, who was his nurse in Nice. Julia was the daughter of a wealthy iron master in the North of England. Because of the summer heat in Nice, the couple used to take their vacations at this time of the year. Sturge was very fond of travelling. It was during his travels that he became greatly interested in archaeology and began to collect Greek vases and Palaeolithic and Neolithic flint implements. He had rheumatic fever in 1894 which recurred in 1899 and in 1907 he decided to give up practice and return to England. During his holidays he studied early Greek art and was a collector of Etruscan vases, devoting most of his leisure time to the study of archaeology. He settled at Icklingham Hall in Suffolk, which was near the diggings where the Piltdown skull was found. There he established one of the finest private museums of flint implements in the world, carefully classified and catalogued. His collection of more than 100,000 pieces is now in the British Museum. Sturge was one of the founders and first president of the Society of Prehistoric Archaeology of East Anglia His collection of Greek amphora is housed in the Toronto Museum, Canada as the Sturge Collection

In the winter of 1918 he suffered from influenza and then nephritis and subsequently died in March 1919. William Sturge left no children to bear his name.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with MVO MD FRCP.
- He was educated at Bristol Medical School in Bristol, Gloucestershire.
- He worked as a Physician in 1877-1880 in Wimpole Street, London..

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- He worked as a Physician in Nice, France.
- His obituary was published in the British Medical Journal on 12 Apr 1919.

William married **Dr. Emily Bovell** in Sep 1877 in Kensington, London. Emily died in 1885 and was buried in Nice, France.

Noted events in their marriage were:

- They had a residence in 1880 in Nice, France.

Noted events in her life were:

- She worked as a Physician.

William next married **Julia Sherriff**.

8-**Mary Charlotte Sturge** was born on 5 Mar 1852 in Bristol, Gloucestershire and died on 2 Feb 1929 at age 76.

General Notes: Sturge, Mary Charlotte Approx. lifespan: 1852– 1929 Matric. Newnham College 1883

b. Bristol, [Somerset] 1852:03:05 Sch: private Quaker School Weston-super-Mare, [Somerset] ; Sch: sch. Calais, [France] ; Sch: Bristol University College [Bristol], [Somerset]

Newnham College 1883-85, 1886-87 Mor.Sci.Trip. Cl.II 1887 MA 1924 Lectured on Mor.Sci.: Lect.: Sch: Westfield College London 1896-1902 Writer: President: Bath Federation of University Women Publ.: The Time Spell 1897 Publ.: The Truth and Error of Christian Science 1903 Publ.: Thoughts Transcendental and Practical 1905 Publ.: Some Little Quakers in the Nursery 1906 Publ.: A Rare Personality: Isabel Wedmore 1914 Publ.: Opposite Things

8-**John Player Sturge**<sup>6,22</sup> was born in 1853, died on 28 Jan 1880 in Bristol, Gloucestershire at age 27, and was buried in FBG Stoke Newington.

8-**Charles Allen Sturge**<sup>19</sup> was born in 1855, died on 22 Apr 1862 in Bristol, Gloucestershire at age 7, and was buried in FBG Friars, Rosemary Street, Bristol.

8-**Gulielma Maria Sturge** was born in 1856, died in 1857 at age 1, and was buried in FBG Friars, Rosemary Street, Bristol.

8-**Helen Maria Sturge** was born in 1858.

8-**Clement Young Sturge**<sup>6</sup> was born in 1860 and died on 23 Jul 1911 in Bloomberg Street, London at age 51.

General Notes: He was the youngest son of William Sturge of Bristol, he was educated at Trinity College, Oxford, later studying modern history and political science at the École Libres des Sciences Politiques, Paris and the Universities of Berlin and Tübingen. He worked as a newspaper correspondent in Germany and Austria, before returning to England, where he was called to the bar in 1891. A resident of Westminster, in 1900 he was elected a Moderate Party member of the London School Board representing the area. When the school board was abolished in 1904, he was elected to the London County Council, again representing Westminster, becoming a leading member of the Municipal Reform Party which took control of the council in 1907. He was re-elected twice, and was a member of the council on his death, aged 51, at his home in Bloomberg Street.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Trinity College, Cambridge.
- He worked as a Barrister at Law, Inner Temple.
- He worked as a Member of the London School Board in 1900-1904.

8-**Dr. Caroline Sturge**<sup>6</sup> was born in 1861 and died on 5 Sep 1922 at age 61.

General Notes: "E. Jane Gay was born in Nashua, New Hampshire in 1830 and was educated in New York. In 1856, she traveled with her friend Catherine Melville to Macon, Georgia to found a school for young women. Gay taught at the school until its closing in 1860, and went on to administer a Washington, DC school for children with Melville until the outbreak of the US Civil War in 1861. From 1861 to 1865, Gay worked alongside Dorothea Lynde Dix as a nurse tending to wounded soldiers for the Union Army. After the war, Gay worked first as a tutor to President Andrew Johnson's grandchildren, then as a clerk in a dead-letter office (1866– 1883). In 1888, Gay began teaching herself photography. In 1889, she was hired as the photographer and cook for an expedition led by anthropologist Alice C. Fletcher, an old friend and agent for the US Department of the Interior's Bureau of Indian Affairs. From 1889 to 1893, Gay traveled as the photographer with the expedition to the Nez Perce Indian Reservation in Idaho. Gay's letters and photographs vividly capture the expedition's experiences with the Nez Perce in the American West. After her return from the West, Gay lived in Washington, DC until 1906, when she traveled to Europe with one of her nieces, Emma Jane Gay (1859– 1924). While in England, Gay and her niece published her photographs, illustrations, and letters from the Fletcher expedition to the Nez Perce in a two-volume book entitled Choup-nit-ki, With the Nez Perce. Besides providing a

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first-hand account of US policy toward the American Indians under the Dawes Act, the book is an excellent window into the social conditions on the American frontier in the late 19th century. **After publishing Choup-nit-ki, With the Nez Perce, Gay decided to remain in Somerset, England, where she lived with her friend Dr. Caroline Sturge. Gay died in England in 1919 at the age of 89.**

Noted events in her life were:

- She worked as an Examiner in Operative Midwifery at The Royal Free Hospital Medical School before 1909.
- She had a residence in 1909 in Congresbury, Somerset.
- She had a residence about 1913 in "Kamiah", Winscombe, Somerset.

7-**John Allen** was born in 1818, died in 1825 in Coggeshall, Essex at age 7, and was buried in FBG Coggeshall.

7-**Samuel Allen** was born in 1820, died in 1820, and was buried in FBG Coggeshall.

7-**Sarah Angell Allen**<sup>18,30,31,32,33</sup> was born on 15 Mar 1822 in Coggeshall, Essex and died on 11 Dec 1912 in London at age 90.

Sarah married **Dr. Joseph John Fox**,<sup>18,30,31,32,33,34</sup> son of **Dr. Joseph Fox**<sup>18,19,35,36,37</sup> and **Anna Peters Tregelles**,<sup>18,35,36,37</sup> on 17 Jun 1847 in FMH Stoke Newington. Joseph was born on 6 Aug 1821 in Falmouth, Cornwall, died on 15 Dec 1897 at age 76, and was buried in FBG Stoke Newington. They had nine children: **Hugh Courtney, Charles Allen, Joseph John, Richard Hingston, Joseph Tregelles, John Raleigh, Robert Fortescue, Samuel Harris, and Lydia Foster.**

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with MRCS LSA.
- He was educated at Falmouth Classical School.
- He was educated at Lovell Squire's School in Falmouth, Cornwall.
- He worked as a Surgeon.
- He had a residence in Westgreen, London.

8-**Hugh Courtney Fox**<sup>6,38</sup> was born on 26 Jun 1848, died on 14 Apr 1902 in Gordon Square, London at age 53, and was buried in FBG Stoke Newington.

8-**Dr. Charles Allen Fox**<sup>6</sup> was born on 26 Aug 1849 and died on 25 May 1929 in Cherabere Cottage, Dolton, Devon at age 79.

Charles married **Mary Randall**<sup>6</sup> in 1878. Mary died in 1888.

Charles next married **Mary Jane Fowler.**

8-**Joseph John Fox** was born on 1 Feb 1852 and died on 24 Feb 1852.

8-**Dr. Richard Hingston Fox**<sup>6,31</sup> was born on 7 Nov 1853 in Stoke Newington, London (2 Feb 1853 also given) and died on 20 Apr 1924 in Jordans, Beaconsfield, Buckinghamshire at age 70.

General Notes: **Richard Hingston Fox**

*b.7 Nov 1853 d.20 Apr 1924*

*MD Brux MRCS LSA FRCP (1923)*

Hingston Fox was born at Stoke Newington, the third of the seven medical sons of Joseph John Fox, a Quaker surgeon from Cornwall, and his wife Sarah Angell Allen of Stoke Newington. He qualified from the London Hospital in 1874, and, after a resident appointment in the Royal Cornwall Infirmary, made a voyage to Australia as a ship's surgeon, to ward off threatened pulmonary tuberculosis. On his return he assisted his father in general practice, and at the same time established a footing in Finsbury Circus and began work for life assurance companies, which later claimed a large share of his energies. He began consulting practice in 1902 and was assistant physician to the Mount Vernon Hospital for Consumption from 1916 to 1919. The affairs of the Hunterian Society, of which he was president in 1912, and medical history occupied much of his leisure. He published a book on Dr. John Fothergill and his Friends in 1919. Fox was a quiet and devout man, a Greek and Hebrew scholar, and a student of geology and birds and trees. He married in 1879 Elizabeth, daughter of Charles Tylor, and had one son and seven daughters. He was a brother of R. F. Fox, F.R.C.P. He died at his home at Jordans, Beaconsfield.

*Lancet, 1924.*

*B.M.J., 1924.*



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*Presidential Address to R.C.P.*, 1925, 18.  
(Volume IV, page 586)

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with MD Brux MRCS LSA FRCP.
- He worked as a Physician.

Richard married **Elizabeth Tylor**,<sup>6,31</sup> daughter of **Charles Tylor**<sup>4,31</sup> and **Gulielma Maria Sparkes**, on 5 Jun 1879 in Manchester. Elizabeth was born in 1852 and died in Jul 1928 at age 76. They had seven children: **Lydia, Mary, Margaret, Joseph Tylor, Elizabeth Allen, Anna**, and **Helen**.

9-**Lydia Fox** was born in 1880 and died in 1963 at age 83.

Lydia married **William George Grant**. William died in 1929.

9-**Mary Fox** was born in 1882 and died in 1964 at age 82.

Mary married **George Adams**.

9-**Margaret Fox** was born in 1883 and died in 1965 at age 82.

Margaret married **Ernest William Sawdon**. Ernest was born in 1879. They had two children: **Aidan William** and **Eleanor Margaret**.

10-**Aidan William Sawdon** was born in 1912 and died in 1914 at age 2.

10-**Eleanor Margaret Sawdon**

9-**Dr. Joseph Tylor Fox**<sup>26,39,40,41,42,43</sup> was born on 11 Jan 1885 in London and died on 20 Sep 1949 at age 64.

General Notes: FOX-GILBERT.-On the 9th May, 1912, at the Friends' Meeting House, Bournville, Dr. Joseph Tylor Fox (1898-99), to Elsie Lilla Gilbert.

### **J. TYLOR FOX**

J. Tylor Fox was the son of R. Kingston Fox and Elizabeth Tylor, and came of a long line of doctors ; no less than six generations. He was at Bootham in 1898-9 before the time when any serious work in Biology was done, and in fact some years before the College Class was started. On leaving he went to the City of London School, whence he proceeded by scholarship to Sidney Sussex College, Cambridge, and to the London Hospital from which he qualified as medical practitioner in 1910.

During the first world war he acted as medical officer under the Friend's war-victims service at Buzuluk, in the famine area in Russia. Returning to England in 1918, he became medical superintendent of the Lingfield Epileptic Colony in Surrey and wrote many articles on the treatment of the disease for scientific journals. His work at Lingfield was continued under great difficulties through the second world war, part of the colony being severely damaged by a flying bomb and a number of patients being evacuated to Mansfield. This involved a considerable amount of travel to and fro under very weariring conditions, and shortly after peace was declared, his health made retirement advisable. He continued, however, to work for epileptics, and was the means of fitting many of them into places where they could be useful in the community at large.

This bare skeleton of the events of his career fails to give a clear picture in two important respects. In the first place, it does not succeed in showing his great eminence as an authority on the subject which was specially his own, and in the second it fails to make clear the lovable humility of his character, which at a first meeting sometimes concealed this, but when one knew him better so much enhanced it. He married Elsie, daughter of the late Edwin Gilbert. She survives him with' a daughter and two sons, both of whom are following the medical profession.

J. A. DELL. *Bootham magazine* - June 1949

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with MA MD BCh MRCS LRCP DPH FRSM.
- He was educated at Bootham School in 1898-1899 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as a Physician and Director of Epileptic care in Lingfield, Surrey.
- He worked as a Chief Medical Officer FWVRC in Russia.

Joseph married **Elsie Lilla Gilbert**<sup>26,39,40,41,42,43</sup> on 9 May 1912 in FMH Bournville. Elsie was born in 1887 and died on 2 Aug 1976 at age 89. They had three children: **Lilla Margaret, Christopher Gilbert**, and **Richard Hilary**.

Marriage Notes: **SILVER WEDDING**.

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FOX-GILBERT.— On May gth, 1912, at the Friends' Meeting House, Bournville, J. Tylor Fox (1898-9), to Elsie Lilla Gilbert.

### 10-Lilla Margaret Fox

Lilla married **Brian Leonard Pearce**.

10-**Dr. Christopher Gilbert Fox**<sup>26,40,44,45,46</sup> was born on 18 Feb 1919 in Lingfield, Surrey and died in 1972 at age 53.

General Notes: Fox.-On the 18th February, 1919, at Lingfield, Surrey, Elsie L. (Gilbert), wife of Dr. J. Tylor Fox (1898-9), a son, who was named Christopher Gilbert.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1932-1934 in York, Yorkshire.

Christopher married **Ethel Gerta Rogers**. They had two children: **Ann Caroline** and **Isabel Mary**.

### 11-Ann Caroline Fox

### 11-Isabel Mary Fox

Christopher next married **Margaret Anne Bryant**.

10-**Dr. Richard Hilary Fox**<sup>41</sup> was born on 3 May 1928 and died in 2010 at age 82.

General Notes: Fox.-On May 3rd, to Elsie L., wife of Dr. J. Tylor Fox (1898- 1899), a son.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Consultant Psychologist.

Richard married **Audrey Doreen Robinson**.

9-**Elizabeth Allen Fox** was born in 1886 and died in 1974 at age 88.

9-**Anna Fox** was born in 1887 and died in 1972 at age 85.

9-**Helen Fox** was born in 1892 and died in 1973 at age 81.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at The Mount School in Sep 1907-Jul 1911 in York, Yorkshire.

8-**Dr. Joseph Tregelles Fox**<sup>33</sup> was born on 14 Mar 1855 and died on 4 Jan 1937 in National City, California, USA at age 81.

Noted events in his life were:

- He resided at 1 Lordship Terrace in 1873 in Lordship Road, Stoke Newington, London.
- He worked as a Medical Missionary, Friends' Foreign Mission Association after 1880 in Madagascar.
- Miscellaneous: Collected spermatophytic plants in Madagascar, for the Natural History Museum, London.
- He had a residence about 1888 in Strathpeffer, Ross-shire.

Joseph married **Sarah Elizabeth Davies**<sup>33</sup> in 1880. Sarah was born in 1851 and died in 1926 at age 75. They had five children: **Albert Tregelles, Hannah, Joseph Sanger, Benjamin Davies, and Dorothy**.

9-**Albert Tregelles Fox** was born on 4 Jan 1881 in Antananarivo, Madagascar and died on 12 Jan 1945 in Long Beach, California, USA at age 64.

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Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Ackworth School in 1890-1894.
- He worked as a Pharmaceutical chemist.

Albert married **Edith Mabel Shimwell** in 1901 in Bakewell, Derbyshire. Edith was born in Sep 1883 in Bakewell, Derbyshire. They had one daughter: **Sarah Winifred**.

10-**Sarah Winifred Fox** was born in 1902.

Albert next married **Rosa Alice Northwood** on 31 Jul 1906 in Leeds, Yorkshire. Rosa was born in Jun 1886 in Ampthill, Bedfordshire and died on 24 Mar 1948 in Brisbane, Queensland, Australia at age 61. They had one son: **Frank Tregelles**.

10-**Frank Tregelles Fox** was born on 18 Sep 1907 in Marrickville, Sydney, New South Wales, Australia and died on 28 Feb 1989 in Brisbane, Queensland, Australia at age 81.

Frank married **Beatrice Mary Miller**. Beatrice was born on 13 Jun 1909 and died on 10 Mar 2001 at age 91. They had five children: **Rita Amelia, Robert Charles Tregelles, (No Given Name), (No Given Name),** and **(No Given Name)**.

11-**Rita Amelia Fox** was born on 17 Sep 1934 and died on 14 Jun 1993 at age 58.

Rita married **Stanley Macarthur**.

11-**Robert Charles Tregelles Fox** was born on 1 Nov 1943 and died on 9 Jan 2005 at age 61.

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9-**Hannah Fox** was born in 1884.

Hannah married **Alvin Peterson**. They had one son: **George**.

10-**George Peterson**

9-**Joseph Sanger Fox**<sup>33</sup> was born on 6 Sep 1886 in Antananarivo, Madagascar.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Ackworth School in 1897-1900 in Ackworth, Pontefract, Yorkshire.
- He emigrated to the United States of America.
- He was naturalized in 1924 in California, USA.
- He had a residence in National City, California, USA.

Joseph married **Hilda Theodora Haycott**<sup>33</sup> before 1915. Hilda was born in 1894 in Wisconsin, USA. They had seven children: **Josephine Doris, Mary Elizabeth, Thelma Makepeace, Rhoda, Joseph Nathaniel, Ruth Anna,** and **Nancy**.

10-**Josephine Doris Fox**

10-**Mary Elizabeth Fox**

10-**Thelma Makepeace Fox**

10-**Rhoda Fox**

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### 10-Joseph Nathaniel Fox

Joseph married someone. He had two children: **Marilyn Jean** and **Joseph Allen**.

### 11-Marilyn Jean Fox

Marilyn married **Steven J. Karr**. They had one daughter: **Ashley**.

### 12-Ashley Karr

### 11-Joseph Allen Fox

### 10-Ruth Anna Fox

### 10-Nancy Fox

9-**Benjamin Davies Fox** was born on 27 Oct 1888, died on 8 Dec 1956 in San Diego, California, USA at age 68, and was buried in Mount Hope Cemetery, San Diego, California.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Ackworth School in 1898-1904.

9-**Dorothy Fox** was born in 1891.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at Ackworth School in 1901-1902.

Dorothy married **Fritz Peterson**. They had one daughter: **Alma Dorothea**.

### 10-Alma Dorothea Peterson

8-**John Raleigh Fox** was born on 15 Feb 1857 and died on 10 Feb 1858.

8-**Dr. Robert Fortescue Fox**<sup>31</sup> was born on 24 Dec 1858 in Stoke Newington, London and died on 15 Jun 1940 in London at age 81.

General Notes: **Robert Fortescue Fox**

*b.24 Dec 1858 d.15 June 1940*

*MD Lond MRCS LSA FRCP (1925)*

Fortescue Fox was the seventh son of Joseph John Fox, a Stoke Newington surgeon who came of a Cornish Quaker family, and his wife Sarah Angell Allen. He qualified at the London Hospital in 1882 and was house physician to Sir Andrew Clark; but precarious health took him away from hospital work, first on a voyage to China as a ship's surgeon, and then to a temporary post at Strathpeffer Spa in Ross-shire, where he remained to practise for twenty years. He returned to London finally in 1905, and in 1913, when he produced his *Principles and Practice of Medical Hydrology*, he was already accepted as an authority on British and foreign spas. During the 1914-1918 War his specialised practice vanished and he concentrated on the care of the disabled. He insisted on the value of various forms of baths and exercise for the restoration of injured limbs; he wrote *Physical Remedies for Disabled Soldiers* (1917), worked with Sir Robert Jones at the Military Orthopaedic Hospital, Shepherd's Bush, and introduced the "whirlpool" arm and leg baths. A pioneer of what was later called rehabilitation, he was impressed by the need for concurrent treatment and training of the disabled, and his ideas on this and on resettlement were partially realised in the Enham Village Centre, of which he was for a year the first medical director.

As a physician, he was interested in people even more than in diseases, and his approach to each case was correspondingly personal, including a search for environmental or social factors in the illness. A therapist by nature, he made full use of drugs, but was unfashionable in his faith in "airs, waters, and places" as remedial agents. He urged that clinics should be set up in cities to reduce rheumatic disabilities, and the British Red Cross Clinic for Rheumatism was largely the result of his leadership and planning. But he was also eager that spas and coastal resorts should be used more widely, with financial aid from public funds for poorer patients, and he helped to found the British Health Resorts Association. To promote the scientific study of climates and waters, he formed the International Society of Medical Hydrology and edited its *Archives* for several years from 1922. When, in his old age, some of his foreign associates became political refugees, he spared no pains to help them. Fox remained active in practice and in persuasive writing until the last days of a life of ardent and often far-sighted effort. Sensitive and latterly frail, he felt acutely the rebuffs that come to innovators. But he had many compensating interests— in poetry, archaeology, travel, painting and gardening. He married the daughter of Rev. W. S. McDougall and had three daughters and three sons— one of them T. F. Fox, F.R.C.P. He was a brother of R. Hingston Fox, F.R.C.P. He died in London.

*Lancet*, 1940.

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*B.M.J.*, 1940.

Information supplied by Dr. T. F. Fox.  
(Volume IV, page 599)

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with MD Lond MRCS LSA FRCP.
- He worked as a Physician.

Robert married **Katherine Stewart MacDougall**,<sup>31</sup> daughter of **Rev. W. S. Macdougall**, in Sep 1885 in Strathpeffer, Ross-shire. Katherine was born on 19 Jun 1860 and died in 1937 at age 77. They had six children: **Constance Mary**, **Hilda Angel**, **Charlotte Iris**, **William Fortescue**, **Andrew Stewart**, and **Theodore Fortescue**.

9-**Constance Mary Fox** was born in 1886.

9-**Hilda Angel Fox** was born in 1887.

9-**Dr. Charlotte Iris Fox**<sup>47</sup> was born in 1890 in Strathpeffer, Ross-shire and died on 21 Jan 1926 at age 36. The cause of her death was Blood poisoning, from a cut incurred during a post-mortem examination.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at The Mount School in 1904-1907 in York, Yorkshire.
- She worked as a Pathologist in Royal Free Hospital, Grays Inn Road, London.

9-**William Fortescue Fox** was born in 1892.

9-**Andrew Stewart Fox** was born in 1893.

9-**Sir Theodore Fortescue Fox**<sup>31,48</sup> was born on 26 Nov 1899 in Strathpeffer Spa, Strathpeffer, Ross-shire and died on 19 Jun 1989 in Rotherfield, East Sussex at age 89.

General Notes: **Sir Theodore Fortescue Fox**

*b.26 Nov 1899 d.19 June 1989*

*Kt(1962) BChir Cantab(1926) MB(1937) MA MD(1938) \*FRCP(1946)LLD Glasg(1958)D Litt Birm(1966)*

Sir Theodore Fox, a medical editor who exerted a profoundly beneficial influence on the practice of medicine in his time, began his work on the staff of The Lancet in 1925 and he retired in 1964, after 20 years as its editor. He came from a long family line of Quaker doctors and his mother was the daughter of a Presbyterian minister in the Scottish Highlands - an ancestry that hardly gave him a taste for relaxation or merriment but imbued him with a dedication and a resolve to see right prevail, which infused all he did. From Leighton Park School he won a scholarship to Pembroke College, Cambridge. In 1917 he wanted to join the Army but his family persuaded him to enter the Friends Ambulance Unit and he became an orderly on an ambulance train in France. When the war was over he went up to Cambridge and subsequently became house physician to Sir Robert Hutchison [Munk's Roll, Vol.V, p.208] at the London Hospital. Later, after an expedition to India as a ship's surgeon, he accepted an offer of locum work from the editor of The Lancet - a post which became more than temporary.

With the advent of the 1939-45 war, Fox spent three years in the RAMC including a year as a regimental medical officer, some of the time in France. Later he worked in the Army blood transfusion service and edited the Army Medical Department Bulletin at the War Office. The Lancets request for his return was eventually granted and he rejoined the journal's staff at its wartime office in Aylesbury, before its return to London with Fox as editor. He was soon deep in the often turbulent discussion about the coming National Health Service in Britain. The Lancet set out to argue the case for freeing medicine from the 'marketplace' and for eschewing the fee-for-service which many doctors wanted. Though Fox wished to see the establishment of an organized State service he never missed an opportunity to remind the profession that its prime duty would still be to patients and that doctors should never regard themselves as mere technical workers in a State-run and State-financed service. When a niggling editorial in the British Medical Journal suggested that the BMA's attitude should be to cooperate with the NHS while acting as a watchdog for the profession, The Lancet retaliated: 'Since when has cooperation become an attribute of watchdogs?' His journal's influence at this time was considerable perhaps even crucial to the outcome, for if the NHS had not begun in 1948 more or less under the terms that Fox supported in face of much professional opposition then it is unlikely that subsequent efforts to establish a non-fee-for-service system would have prevailed. He would probably have looked with misgiving on some moves begun in the late 80s to reintroduce another kind of 'marketplace' into a service which he always hoped would remove all financial impediments to satisfactory care - on the frail assumption that the Exchequer could invariably be persuaded to provide enough money.

A landmark in Fox's early years as editor was the publication of the Collings Report (The Lancet 1950;i:555-85) which illustrated, through the eyes of an Australian visitor, the imperfections of general practice in Britain. Hopes that the NHS would speedily improve matters proved vain, but the coming of the College of General Practitioners - in which Fox had a hand - and the growing appreciation of the importance of primary care fostered by his journal, eventually raised the standards and status of general practice from the level of a retreat for the unambitious graduate or the failed specialist. In 1961 he recognized the significance of the Christ Church conference on postgraduate medical education and he published George Pickering's commentary [Munk's Roll, Vol.VII,

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p.464] on its conclusions, thereby hastening the emergence of a more active on-going medical education. Fox had a talent for grasping the essential achievements and failures of health care in other lands. Short visits to the Soviet Union (1954), China (1957), the United States (1960) and Australia and New Zealand (1963) were cues for penetrating articles on what had been achieved and what was lacking in the health systems of these countries. Despite the mass of fact and observation with which he had to grapple, he made these commentaries illuminating and entertaining. Outstanding among his other signed contributions to the journal was his 1965 Harveian Oration entitled 'Purposes of Medicine'. Here he declared again that the primary role of doctors was to help people rather than to advance science, and he maintained that they should not prolong life against the patient's interest: 'I do not believe that confidence in our profession depends on following rules at the expense of people.' Another passage reads poignantly today in the shadow of events in many tormented parts of the world where doctors have been victimized because their actions were seen as contrary to the will of those in power: 'In principle ... nations allow that Medicine has a more advanced code than their own - that the doctor is right to put his duty to the human race before his duty to any of its component groups ... However uncertain and tentative, he is a prototype of supranational man.' One of his earlier pieces, 'The Greater Medical Profession' (The Lancet 1956;ii:779-80) has also been much quoted. He wrote of the medical empire transforming itself into a commonwealth with more and more of its colonies and dominions becoming wholly or partly independent. He helped many readers to recognize that medicine should be seen as only one member in a family of professions, among whom cooperation rather than financial competition was vital to the success of any health service. With all these thoughtful and elegant texts, and with many more, Fox enlivened the pages of his journal and compelled his readers to think about what they and their colleagues were doing both individually and in their corporate actions. At the same time, over the years, he encompassed the daily tasks of an editor upon whose desk papers and letters fell in mounting numbers as medicine became ever more scientific in the surge of genetics, immunology, and molecular biology clamouring for places in a general journal. In his time The Lancet sought advice from outside advisers on submitted papers much less often than it came to do in later years. Fox's Heath Clark lectures of 1963 - published as a book, *Crisis in Communication*, London, The Athlone Press, 1965 - had this to say about the refereeing of papers: 'By enlarging the editorial group, so as to dilute the influence of personal prejudice, one inevitably reduces the chances of the unorthodox. Referees are on the whole conservative and the more referees look at the paper the less the journal is likely to take a risk. An independent editor may often have golden dreams that a horse he has backed will come romping home at 45 to 1; but an editorial committee seldom sees its duties in a sporting light.' Those editors with sporting instincts were warned, however, by his next remark: '... my impression is that, in the journal I work for, the worse mistakes of the past four decades have been errors of acceptance rather than rejection.' One of his successors as editor has agreed with this view although he pointed out that mistakes of commission were almost always rapidly exposed while those of omission could remain hidden for a long time. When Fox retired from the editorship he became director of the Family Planning Association. This work strengthened his views on population control and stimulated another vivid lecture, 'Noah's New Flood' (The Lancet 1966;ii:1238), in which he argued that Britain, like any other country, should have a population policy. After he left the FPA in 1967 he seldom wrote again for publication, though he did emerge to reiterate his opinion that industrial action by doctors was a mistake (The Lancet 1976;ii:892). He kept in touch with a mass of friends by letter and by his famous hand-painted Christmas cards. He became a knight in 1962, having declined the honour earlier because he feared his acceptance might be thought to prejudice the independence of the journal. The universities of Glasgow and Birmingham gave him honorary doctorates and he was an honorary fellow of the Royal Australasian College of General Practitioners and the New York Academy of Medicine. In 1962 he was a close contender for presidency of the Royal College of Physicians.

He married Margaret McDougall in 1930 and they had four sons. Robin, their youngest son, became editor of The Lancet in 1990. I Munro [*Brit.med.J.*, 1969,299,47-49,1518-84; *The Times*, 23 June 1969; *The Independent*, 22 June 1989; *The Daily Telegraph*, June 1969; *FPA Annual Report* 1968/89,28; *NY Acad.of Med.,Bulletin*,61,No 5,June 1985;*The Independent*, 5 July 1985; *Belfast Telegraph*, 3 Nov 1965; *The Lancet*, 1965,2 Jan; *Medical News*, 1 Jan 1965;*Family Planning*, 1964,13,No 2,38;1968,16,No 4,104-5;Photo] (Volume IX, page 178)

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with Kt BChir MB MA MD FRCP LLD DLitt.
- He worked as a member of the Friends' Ambulance Unit in 1918.
- He worked as an Editor. The Lancet.
- He worked as a Physician.

Theodore married **Margaret Evelyn McDougall**.<sup>31,47,48</sup> Margaret was born in 1906 and died in 1970 at age 64. They had four children: **Andrew Stewart, Duncan Allen, Colin Ross, and Robert McDougall**.

### 10-Andrew Stewart Fox

10-**Duncan Allen Fox**<sup>47</sup> was born in 1935 and died on 3 Nov 1970 in Matangi, New Zealand at age 35.

### 10-Colin Ross Fox

Colin married **Marianne Forchhammer**. They had two children: **Andrew Marcus** and **Natalia Katherine**.

### 11-Andrew Marcus Fox

### 11-Natalia Katherine Fox

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### 10-Dr. Robert McDougall Fox

Robert married **Susan Gertrude Standerwick Clark**. They had three children: **Katharine, Duncan, and James**.

#### 11-Katharine Fox

#### 11-Duncan Fox

#### 11-James Fox

8-**Samuel Harris Fox**<sup>32</sup> was born on 8 Oct 1860, died on 4 Apr 1896 in Flushing, Falmouth, Cornwall at age 35, and was buried on 7 Apr 1896 in FBG Budock, Falmouth.

8-**Lydia Foster Fox** was born on 18 Sep 1863 and died in 1865 at age 2.

7-**Charles Harris Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 13 Apr 1824 in Coggeshall, Essex, died on 19 Dec 1904 in 17 Well Walk, Hampstead, London at age 80, and was buried in Highgate Cemetery, London.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with FRGS.
- He worked as a secretary of the British and Foreign Anti-slavery Society in 1879.

Charles married **Mary Harrison**<sup>6</sup> in Apr 1852 in Cheltenham, Gloucestershire. Mary died in 1853. They had one daughter: **Mary Louisa**.

8-**Mary Louisa Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born in 1853 and died on 8 Feb 1940 in Torquay, Devon at age 87.

Charles next married **Sarah Elizabeth Jukes**<sup>6</sup> in Apr 1859 in Kings Norton, Birmingham, Warwickshire. Sarah was born about 1826 and died on 15 Jan 1926 in 17 Well Walk, Hampstead, London about age 100. They had four children: **Beatrice, Charles Mansfield, Alfred Jukes, and Bernard Meredith**.

8-**Beatrice Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 30 Jan 1860 in Stoke Newington, London and died in 1941 at age 81.

8-**Charles Mansfield Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born in 1861, died in 1872 at age 11, and was buried in Highgate Cemetery, London.

8-**Alfred Jukes Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 1 Nov 1862 in Stoke Newington (FBG?) and died on 29 Mar 1916 in Newton Abbot, Devon at age 53.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as an Engineer in 1907.

8-**Bernard Meredith Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born in 1864 and died in 1951 at age 87.

Bernard married **Rosa Eliza Cooke**.

7-**Joseph Allen**<sup>7</sup> was born on 5 Oct 1825 in Coggeshall, Essex and died on 31 Mar 1910 in (or was it 31 Mar 1901 ?) at age 84.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Bill broker in London.

Joseph married **Mary Mason Satow**,<sup>7</sup> daughter of **Hans David Christopher Satow**<sup>7</sup> and **Margaret Mason**, on 10 Sep 1863 in St. Thomas' Church Clapton Common. Mary was born in 1841 in Upper Clapton, London and died in Jan 1892 in Sidmouth, Devon at age 51. They had five children: **Josephine Mary Elizabeth, Ada Maud, Edward Satow, Percy Stafford, and Catherine Selina**.

8-**Josephine Mary Elizabeth Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 3 Oct 1864 in Stoke Newington, London, died in 1951 at age 87, and was buried in Ottery St Mary, Devon.

Josephine married **Capt. Lawrence de Wahl Satow RN**, son of **David Satow**. Lawrence was born on 23 Jun 1865, died on 23 Oct 1948 at age 83, and was buried in Ottery St Mary, Devon.

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Noted events in their marriage were:

- They had a residence in 22 Salterton Road, Exmouth, Devon.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with CBE.

8-**Ada Maud Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born in 1866 in Stoke Newington, London.

8-**Edward Satow Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born in 1867 in Stoke Newington, London.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Bill broker in 77 Cornhill, London.

Edward married **Eva Mary Gorton**, daughter of **Stewart Gorton**, on 30 Dec 1893 in Marylebone, London. Eva was born in 1869 in Esher, Surrey. They had three children: **Mary Barbara**, **John Stewart Satow**, and **Percy Cecil Satow**.

9-**Mary Barbara Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born in Woking, Surrey, died on 23 Nov 1939 in Charing Cross Hospital, London, and was buried in St. Mary's, Leatherhead, Surrey.

Mary married **Dr. Carl Wahlgren Von Bergen**,<sup>6</sup> son of **Axel Hugo Von Bergen** and **Ada Maria Piper**, on 19 Aug 1919 in St. John's, Limehouse Fields, Tower Hamlets, London. Carl was born on 11 Jul 1876 in Middleton St. George, County Durham, died on 27 Nov 1960 in Leatherhead, Surrey at age 84, and was buried in St. Mary's, Leatherhead, Surrey. They had two children: **Mark Allen** and **Julian Edward**.

General Notes: **C. W. von BERGEN, M.B., B.S.**

Dr. C. W. von Bergen, who practised in Leatherhead, Surrey, for 56 years, and was very well known there, died at his home on November 26 at the age of 83. Carl Wahlgren von Bergen was born at Middleton St. George, Co. Durham, on July 11, 1876, the son of Axel Hugo von Bergen. He was educated at Queen Elizabeth's Grammar School, Darlington, the University of Durham, and St. Bartholomew's Hospital, London. After graduating M.B., B.S. in 1899 he became house-surgeon to Sir Lauder Brunton at Bart's, where he was a contemporary and friend of the late Lord Horder. He was also house-physician for a time at the Victoria Hospital for Children, Chelsea. In 1903 he went into practice at Leatherhead, where he remained for the rest of his life. "V. B.," as von Bergen was known to many of his friends and patients, never tired of talking of the old days, days when, owning one of the first cars, it was still quicker to go on a bicycle to an urgent call. Perhaps his most outstanding characteristic was a complete integrity and a belief that only the best was good enough. But for his vision and tireless energy it is probable that Leatherhead Hospital would never have been built, and would certainly not have the benefit of a consultant staff drawn from the leading teaching hospitals. Despite the loss of a beloved wife, formerly Mary Barbara Allen, and elder son during the war, he continued to devote tirelessly his energies to his practice, and only partially retired on the advent of the National Health Service. Even after that date his knowledge and experience were always available to the younger men, and in fact he continued as chairman of the medical committee of the Leatherhead Hospital until a year ago. Leatherhead has lost an outstanding personality and the medical profession is the poorer for the loss of a member who upheld all the oldest and best ideals of the family doctor -A. D. E.

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Dr. Julian Edward von Bergen of Taunton Somerset, may be another son.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with MB BS.
- He was educated at Queen Elizabeth's Grammar School in Darlington, County Durham.
- He was educated at University of Durham.
- He was educated at St. Bartholomew's Hospital, London.
- He had a residence in Four Acres, Headley Road, Leatherhead, Surrey.
- His obituary was published in the British Medical Journal on 2 Jan 1960.

10-**Lt. Mark Allen Von Bergen RN** was born in 1921 and died on 11 Aug 1943 at age 22.

General Notes: HMS Parthian (Lt. C.A. Pardoe, R.N.R.) is presumed mined in Adriatic late July / early August 1943. Having sailed from Malta on 22nd July for patrol west of Greece in the southern Adriatic she was ordered to patrol off Otranto on 26th July 1943. She was again given a new area to patrol on the 28th. She was reported overdue at Beirut on 11th August 1943. Most



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likely she was mined off Brindisi. The date given as lost (11 August 1943) is the date she was reported missing.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as an officer of the Royal Navy Submarine service. H.M. Submarine Parthian.

10-**Dr. Julian Edward Von Bergen** was born in 1924 in Epsom, Surrey.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with MB BS.
- He was educated at Queen Elizabeth's Grammar School in Darlington, County Durham.

Julian married **Dr. Sheila Thomas**. They had three children: **Anne L.**, **Helen M.**, and **Hugh Robert**.

### 11-Anne L. Von Bergen

Anne married **Michael A. Currie**.

### 11-Helen M. Von Bergen

### 11-Hugh Robert Von Bergen

Hugh married **Deborah Jane Bliss**.

9-**John Stewart Satow Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 31 Oct 1896 in Kensington, London and was christened on 2 Dec 1896 in St. Mary's, Bryanston Square, London.

John married **Bertha Maria Hoepner** on 3 Sep 1921 in Modemolletto, Waterburg, Limpopo, South Africa. Bertha was born about 1894.

9-**Percy Cecil Satow Allen** was born on 21 Oct 1901 in 24 Church Street, Epsom, Surrey and was christened on 30 Nov 1901 in Christchurch, Epsom.

General Notes: We know little about Percy's life but he appears - must be with his family - on the passenger list of the Union Castle ship 'Arundel Castle' boarding at Cape Town, South Africa and arriving in Southampton on the 24 June 1938. The Passenger List shows:- Mr. Percy Cecil Satow Allen age 36, Mrs Doreen Alice Mary Allen age 34, Miss Mary Barbara Satow Allen age 6 and Master John Henry Satow Allen age 3. Their address in England is given as - "C/o. Four Acres, Leatherhead, Surrey". This being the home of Percy's aunt Mary and uncle Dr. Carl von Bergen. As they don't give an address of their own maybe they were or had been living in SouthAfrica rather than just having a holiday to visit Percy's brother John

Percy married **Doreen Alice Mary**. Doreen was born in 1903. They had two children: **Mary Barbara** and **John Henry**.

### 10-Mary Barbara Allen

### 10-John Henry Allen

8-**Prof. Percy Stafford Allen**<sup>7</sup> was born on 7 Jul 1869 in 2 Twickenham Park, Twickenham, London, died on 16 Jun 1933 in Oxford, Oxfordshire at age 63, and was buried on 20 Jun 1933 in Corpus Christi chapel, Oxford.

General Notes: Allen, Percy Stafford (1869– 1933), Erasmian scholar, was born at 2 Twickenham Park, Twickenham, Middlesex, on 7 July 1869, the younger son and fourth child of Joseph A. Allen (1825– 1910), a London bill broker. The Allens were a distinguished and old-established Quaker family, but Joseph Allen had been obliged to leave the Society of Friends on marrying 'out' to Mary Mason (d. 1892), youngest daughter of Hans David Christopher Satow and sister of the Anglican diplomat and historian Sir E. M. Satow. Percy Allen was educated at Clifton College (1882– 8) and at Corpus Christi College, Oxford, where he was a scholar (1888– 92), taking a first class in classical moderations (1890) and a second in literae humaniores (1892).

In 1884 Allen had accompanied his father on a visit to Gibraltar, Morocco, and Malta for the Anti-Slavery Society; in 1893 he travelled with a pupil in Australia and New Zealand. After returning to Oxford at the end of that year, he won the chancellor's prize for a Latin essay (on the character of Alcibiades) in the summer of 1894. In 1896 he took his MA and became a master at Magdalen College School. Appointed professor of history in the government college at Lahore in 1897, he visited England in the summer of 1898, to marry on 20 September his cousin Helen Mary (1872– 1952), daughter of Arthur John and Agneta Allen, of Chislehurst, where Joseph Allen had built himself a house. They had one child, a daughter, who died at birth in 1906.

The climate of India seriously affected the health of both Allen and his wife, and in 1901 he resigned his Lahore professorship and returned to Oxford, where the rest of the Allens' life was spent. Initially they were supported by an annual £250 from Allen's father and by small earnings from minor academic and administrative chores; the death of Joseph Allen in 1910 relieved financial pressure. In 1906 a project to make Allen a research fellow of Corpus Christi failed, but in 1908 he was elected to a fellowship of Merton College, which he held until 1924, becoming an honorary fellow in 1925.

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He filled various college offices, notably that of librarian (1915–24), bringing order into the college archives and early holdings, as well as publishing Merton Muniments, a facsimile and edition of some of its earliest documents, with his friend H. W. Garrod in 1928 and having a large part in similar publications by others. The fellowship carried no teaching duties, but for many years Allen continued the lectures he had first given in 1906 on the tradition of the classics. In 1924 he was elected president of Corpus Christi College; he retained this office until his death.

Allen's name will always be associated with his masterly edition of the correspondence of Erasmus, *Opus epistolarum Des. Erasmi Roterodami*. His interest in Erasmus dated from 1892 when, immediately after taking his first degree, he competed unsuccessfully for the chancellor's English essay prize. The subject was Erasmus. In 1893–4 he attended the lectures on the life and letters of Erasmus by James Anthony Froude, who influenced him profoundly: he always maintained that *The Life and Letters* (1894) was better than any other book on Erasmus, and on the day on which Froude died he began to read his *History of England*, which he would never willingly hear disparaged. Allen's first published book was *Selections from the Writings of James Anthony Froude* (1901). His virtually flawless scholarship and his gentle, impartial temper make his admiration for Froude seem paradoxical. But he was a man incapable of paradox and, on the main issues of the Reformation, he believed Froude to have been right.

During his four years in India, Erasmus's correspondence continuously preoccupied Allen. On 22 June 1901 he and his wife were cutting up earlier printings of the letters to form, along with the extensive collections he had made in the Netherlands and Germany between 1893 and 1896, a basis for a new edition. After the Allens' return to Oxford in 1901 they regularly (the 1914–18 war years excepted) spent spring and summer in European libraries, collating the known material and bringing to light an immense amount of material hitherto unknown. They were aided in 1904 by a small private gift, part of which was spent on a typewriter, and later by modest financial support from the Clarendon Press, which also intervened to allay anxieties about putative rivals. Every letter was copied fair in the library where the manuscript (or the first printed text) was to be found. The copy so made became the 'printer's copy', with no intervening transcript. The proof of each letter was corrected in the library where the original copy had been made. In the decipherment of difficult fifteenth- and sixteenth-century hands Allen had no rival. Nobody knew the texts of the Reformation as well as he; to nobody were the lives of the great and little men of the Reformation so intimately familiar; he knew them and their writings, and anything that anybody else had written about them, at first hand. Ingram Bywater called him 'the most learned man in Oxford' (DNB), and the *Opus epistolarum* is one of the great monuments of English learning.

The first volume in this first critical edition of Erasmus's correspondence appeared in 1906, and the eighth was published posthumously in 1934, with Allen's portrait for a frontispiece and his life by Garrod, in Latin, by way of introduction. Allen had left it to his wife, his collaborator since the beginning, and to Garrod to complete the last three volumes; for these he had collected the materials, but without furnishing commentary and introductions. Volumes 9–11 appeared between 1938 and 1947; an index compiled by Barbara Flower, completed and edited by Elisabeth Rosenbaum, was published as volume 12 in 1958. Reissued in the 1960s and reprinted entire in 1992, the edition still holds the field unchallenged for accuracy and comprehensiveness. Text apart, 'Allen' is, in its commentary and introductions, 'a treasure-house of unborrowed learning' (DNB), the beginning of a new era in Erasmus scholarship, in which Erasmus is presented, in his own words, fully but sparely and impartially. Moral and historical judgement is left to the reader, who is deemed to share the familiarity of Allen with language, persons, and issues, as well as his affection for Erasmus and his appreciation of Erasmus's situation. The most important single printed source for the intellectual history of western Europe during pre-Reformation and Reformation times, the *Opus epistolarum* contains more than 3100 letters, 1600 of them by Erasmus himself, as against the 1800 in total printed by Jean Leclerc in 1706. Its texts are based almost entirely on known manuscripts, where Leclerc had often to rely on printed texts. Its datings, on which Erasmus chronology often depends, have stood the test of time remarkably: only a handful of finished letters, with a number of drafts, have since come to light. Its commentary (Leclerc had effectively none), though inevitably now dated, is still indispensable. 'Allen' is the starting point for the correspondence, and for much else, in the edition of the complete works of Erasmus in English issued by Toronto University Press (1974–) and for Toronto's companion biographical register, *Contemporaries of Erasmus* (1985–7), while in the Amsterdam edition of the complete works in Latin, also in progress, the correspondence has been judged less in need of immediate attention because of 'Allen'.

Besides the *Opus epistolarum*, Allen published his prize essay (1894), some single lectures, a little volume of *Selections from Erasmus* (1908), and eleven lectures in *The Age of Erasmus* (1914). In 1924 he and his wife published jointly *Sir Thomas More: Selections from his English Writings and from the Lives by Erasmus and Roper* (presenting a view of More which, like their view of Erasmus, was somewhat sentimental); and in 1929 they edited the *Letters of Richard Fox, 1486–1527*, the correspondence of the founder of Corpus. In 1934 there appeared posthumously another volume of Erasmian studies by Allen, *Erasmus: Lectures and Wayfaring Sketches*. One of his services to scholarship was the suggestion to the department of printed books in the British Museum that they should produce a series of short-title catalogues of books published before 1600 in France, Italy, Spain, the Low Countries, and Germany. The first such to be published, of French books, appeared in 1924.

Allen received honorary degrees from the universities of Leiden (1922), Birmingham and Louvain (1927), and Durham (1931); between 1909 and 1930 he became, by invitation, foreign, honorary, or extraordinary member of academies or learned societies in Amsterdam, Antwerp, Ghent, Leiden, and Utrecht; in 1923 he was elected fellow of the British Academy. In 1925 his sense of what was required of the head of a college led him to take his DLitt at Oxford.

Allen was himself an indefatigable letter writer: he wrote easily and copiously, in a minute and precise hand, to family and friends and was prompt in dealing with official correspondence. To Sir Aurel Stein, his closest friend since their meeting at Lahore, he wrote weekly until Stein begged him to write only fortnightly. The selection of letters published in 1939 by Mrs Allen exhibits happily a single-minded scholar of simple tastes, regular habits, personal modesty, care for his friends, and devotion to Erasmus, his works, and his ideals—Allen was a supporter of the League of Nations—a man of moral principle and lovable and saintly character. They give only a superficial impression of his presidency of Corpus Christi, election to which the Allens privately called 'the miracle'. The election process was protracted, and Allen's eventual appointment was controversial among both undergraduates and influential fellows. He was well-meaning and conscientious, but he had neither taste nor aptitude for debate or for university administration. To individual undergraduates he was kind, presenting them all with his edition of the letters written by the founder, Bishop Fox. Yet he and his wife seemed remote and unworldly, entertainments at the lodgings were stiff and for some even painful, and there were embarrassing disciplinary problems. There could be no question, however, that Allen's devotion to the college rested upon a deep knowledge of its origins, and his *Times* obituarist thought that on scholarly grounds he was 'almost the ideal Head of a House'.

Besides his Latin and Greek, Allen had excellent French and German and could converse in Italian, Spanish, Dutch, and Hindustani. Personally frugal though unobtrusively generous and considerate to others, he defined his recreations as foreign travel and bicycling; both were pursued with a degree of hardiness. In youth he had rowed for his college, and he remained supportive of its boat club. Tall and spare, upright and unhurried but un pompous in carriage as in all things, careful in dress, pale in complexion, he wore his dark hair cut short; like his small moustache it greyed in later life. His eyes were hazel and he habitually wore spectacles.

For thirty years Allen occupied seat S8 in Selden End of the Bodleian Library, of which he was a curator from 1913 and a benefactor; from 1915 to 1924 he was a curator of the Indian Institute. He died in the president's lodgings at Corpus Christi, after a protracted illness, on 16 June 1933. After a funeral service on 20 June he was cremated at Reading; his ashes were buried near the altar in Corpus Christi chapel, which, as an Anglican with doctrinal reservations, he believed should be the centre of college life. The P. S. Allen junior research fellowship in history at Corpus Christi was founded by a

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bequest from his widow. Her own contribution to their scholarly collaboration was acknowledged by several honours: she received honorary doctorates from the universities of Basel (1946) and Amsterdam (1948) and an honorary MA degree from Oxford (1932), and was elected an honorary fellow of St Hilda's College, Oxford (1944).

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Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as an Erasmus Scholar.
- He was educated at Clifton College in 1882-1888.
- He was educated at Corpus Christi College, Oxford.

Percy married **Helen Mary Allen**,<sup>7</sup> daughter of **Arthur John Allen**<sup>6</sup> and **Margaret Agneta Satow**, on 20 Sep 1898. Helen was born in Jan 1872 in Stoke Newington, London and died in 1952 in Oxford, Oxfordshire at age 80. They had one daughter: (**No Given Name**).

Noted events in her life were:

- She worked as an Erasmus scholar.

9-**Allen** was born in 1906 and died in 1906.

8-**Catherine Selina Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born in Apr 1874 in Twickenham, London and died in 1952 in Oxford, Oxfordshire at age 78.

Catherine married **Arthur Herbert Wilkin** in 1901. Arthur was born in 1875 in Holborn, London.

7-**Frederic Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 26 Feb 1827 in Coggeshall, Essex, died in 1879 at age 52, and was buried in Chislehurst, Kent.

7-**Emma Elizabeth Allen**<sup>9,49</sup> was born on 14 Jan 1829 in Coggeshall, Essex, died on 12 May 1908 in Stoke Newington, London at age 79, and was buried in Woking Crematorium, Woking, Surrey. (Cremated).

Emma married **Joseph Beck**,<sup>4,9,17,21,26,49,50</sup> son of **Richard Low Beck**<sup>4,17,51,52,53</sup> and **Rachel Lucas**,<sup>4,17,52</sup> on 1 May 1856. Joseph was born on 2 Jun 1829 in Stamford Hill, London, died on 18 Apr 1891 in Stoke Newington, London at age 61, and was buried in Woking Crematorium, Woking, Surrey. (Cremated). They had eight children: **Theodore, Emma Josephine, Elizabeth, Conrad, Hannah, Joseph Leopold, Alice, and Horace Courthorpe**.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Lawrence Street School, (later to become Bootham School) in 1841-1845 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as an apprentice Optical instrument maker to William Sims before 1854.
- He worked as an Optician and Instrument maker in 6 Coleman Street, London.
- He worked as a member of the Goldsmiths Company.

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- He worked as a Councillor for the City of London.
- He had a residence in Stoke Newington, London.

8-**Theodore Beck** was born on 4 Jul 1859, died on 2 Sep 1899 in Simla, Himachal Pradesh, India at age 40, and was buried in Simla, Himachal Pradesh, India.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Trinity College, Cambridge.
- He worked as a Principal MAO College in Aligarh, Uttar Pradesh, India.

Theodore married **Jessie Raleigh**, daughter of **Rev. Dr. Alexander Raleigh**. They had one daughter: **Rachel Catharine Molyneux**.

9-**Rachel Catharine Molyneux Beck** was born on 11 Jul 1899 in Simla, Himachal Pradesh, India.

8-**Emma Josephine Beck** was born on 13 Dec 1860.

Noted events in her life were:

- She worked as a Hon. Sec. National Indian Association.
- She was awarded with Kaiser-i-Hind Medal.

8-**Elizabeth Beck** was born on 18 Jul 1862.

Elizabeth married **Frederick George Hickson**. They had five children: **Josephine Beck**, **Eric Blandford**, **Elsa Phillipa**, **Marcus Beck**, and **Arthur Thomas Lister**.

9-**Josephine Beck Hickson** was born on 29 Dec 1891 in Calcutta, West Bengal, India.

9-**Eric Blandford Hickson** was born on 18 Aug 1893 in Calcutta, West Bengal, India.

9-**Elsa Phillipa Hickson** was born in Apr 1895 in London.

9-**Marcus Beck Hickson** was born on 15 Jan 1897 in Bollington, Manchester.

9-**Arthur Thomas Lister Hickson** was born on 14 Oct 1899 in Bollington, Manchester.

8-**Conrad Beck** was born on 27 Jan 1864 and died on 31 Oct 1944 at age 80.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with CBE PRMS.
- He was educated at Oliver's Mount School in Scarborough, Yorkshire.
- He worked as an Optician with R & J Beck Ltd. In Cornhill, London.
- He had a residence in Kensington, London.

Conrad married **Annie Collings** on 18 Sep 1895. Annie was born on 20 Jul 1867. They had two children: **Conrad Joseph** and **Christine**.

Noted events in her life were:

- She worked as a Clothier in London.
- She worked as a Quaker minister.

9-**Conrad Joseph Beck** was born on 28 Jul 1896.

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9-**Christine Beck** was born on 23 Dec 1899.

8-**Hannah Beck** was born on 29 Sep 1865.

8-**Joseph Leopold Beck**<sup>9</sup> was born on 29 Aug 1867 in Stoke Newington, London, died on 23 May 1869 in Stoke Newington, London at age 1, and was buried in FBG Stoke Newington.

8-**Alice Beck** was born on 18 Dec 1868.

Alice married **William Henry Shephard** on 28 Dec 1905. William was born on 27 Jun 1868. They had three children: **Stella, Rupert Norman, and Dudley Theodore.**

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as an Engineer in Highbury, London.

9-**Stella Shephard** was born on 3 Dec 1906.

9-**Rupert Norman Shephard** was born on 12 Feb 1909.

9-**Dudley Theodore Shephard** was born on 21 Oct 1910.

8-**Horace Courthorpe Beck** was born on 13 Nov 1873.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as an Optician with R & J Beck Ltd.
- He had a residence in King Henry's Road, Chalk Farm, London.

Horace married **Eleanor Trotter**, daughter of **Alexander Pelham Trotter**, on 13 May 1913. Eleanor was born on 27 Jan 1889. They had one daughter: **Isabel Flora.**

9-**Isabel Flora Beck** was born on 9 Sep 1914.

7-**Arthur John Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 14 Jan 1829 in Coggeshall, Essex and died in 1891 in Chislehurst, Kent at age 62.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Stockbroker & Insurance underwriter in 9 Gracechurch Street, London.
- He worked as a Russian and East Indian merchant, (Silks).

Arthur married **Margaret Agneta Satow**, daughter of **Hans David Christopher Satow**<sup>7</sup> and **Margaret Mason**, on 21 Jul 1860 in St. Mary's, Stoke Newington. Margaret was born on 3 Apr 1835 in Aldgate, London and died in Apr 1910 in Oxford, Oxfordshire<sup>6</sup> at age 75. They had nine children: **Arthur Louis, Ernest Satow, Reginald Satow, Margaret Satow, Evelyn Satow, David Hugonin, Basil Copleston, Helen Mary, and Olga Lucy.**

8-**Arthur Louis Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born in 1861 in Stoke Newington, London.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Banker.
- He had a residence in Chislehurst, Kent.

8-**Ernest Satow Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born in 1862 in Stoke Newington, London and died on 3 Jan 1929 in The Westcliffe Hotel, Sidmouth, Devon at age 67.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Stockbroker.

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8-**Reginald Satow Allen** was born on 29 Jan 1864 in Stoke Newington, London.<sup>6</sup>

General Notes: After his divorce, he travelled to Argentina and upon his return, settled back in London

Noted events in his life were:

- He had a residence in 1920 in 20 Victoria Square, London.

Reginald married **Dorothy Somers**.

8-**Margaret Satow Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born in 1865 in Stoke Newington, London and died on 5 Jan 1942 in Green Cottage, Boar's Hill, Oxford, Oxfordshire at age 77.

Margaret married **Cyril Dunnel**,<sup>6</sup> son of **Henry James Dunnel** and **Elizabeth Smith**, in 1897 in Bromley, Kent. Cyril was born on 18 Mar 1859 in Paddington, London and died on 25 Aug 1939 in Green Cottage, Boar's Hill, Oxford, Oxfordshire at age 80. They had one daughter: **Mary**.

9-**Mary Dunnel**<sup>6</sup> was born on 20 Dec 1900 in Westminster, London and died on 11 Feb 1987 in Cirencester, Gloucestershire at age 86.

8-**Evelyn Satow Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 25 Dec 1866 in Stoke Newington, London.

8-**David Hugonin Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 25 Feb 1868 in Stoke Newington, London and died on 26 Feb 1936 in 10 Victoria Parade, Deal, Kent at age 68.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Stock jobber.

8-**Lt. Col. Basil Copleston Allen**<sup>6,54</sup> was born in Jul 1870 in Stoke Newington, London and died on 22 Sep 1935 in 20 Devonshire Place, Marylebone, London at age 65.

General Notes: Pulin Behari Das masterminded the plot to eliminate Basil Copleston Allen, the erstwhile District Magistrate of Dhaka. On 23 December 1907, when Mr. Allen was on his way back to England, he was shot through his body at the Goalundo railway station but he narrowly escaped with his life

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with CSI.
- He worked as a District Commissioner in Assam, India.
- He worked as an officer of the Eastern Bengal Volunteer Rifles in 1905-1911.

Basil married **Mabel Erskine Ward**,<sup>6,54</sup> daughter of **Sir William Erskine Ward** and **Alicia Caroline Palmer**, on 14 May 1896 in Assam, India. Mabel died on 21 May 1956 in 19 Sutherland House, Marloes Road, Kensington, London. They had one son: **William Terence**.

9-**William Terence Allen**<sup>6,54</sup> was born on 27 Oct 1903 in Ealing, London.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at South Lodge Preparatory School in 1911 in Enfield Chase, East Barnet Road, Enfield, Middlesex.

8-**Helen Mary Allen**<sup>7</sup> was born in Jan 1872 in Stoke Newington, London and died in 1952 in Oxford, Oxfordshire at age 80.

Noted events in her life were:

- She worked as an Erasmus scholar.

9-**Allen** was born in 1906 and died in 1906.

8-**Olga Lucy Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 17 Dec 1874 in Stoke Newington, London and died on 15 Apr 1940 in 22 Manor Place, Oxford, Oxfordshire at age 65.

7-**William Allen**

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7-**Lewis Philip Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 4 Feb 1834 in Coggeshall, Essex, died on 21 Feb 1895 in Crowborough, Sussex at age 61, and was buried in Chislehurst, Kent.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Ship and Insurance Brokers and Merchant in 9 Gracechurch Street, London.

Lewis married **Agnes Millicent Hall**, daughter of **William Hall**, on 7 Oct 1873 in All Hallows, Tottenham, London. Agnes was born in 1843.

6-**Lewis Allen**<sup>3,6</sup> was born on 3 Oct 1793 in Ratcliffe, Stepney, London, died on 8 Nov 1847 in 9 Albion Terrace, Stoke Newington, London at age 54, and was buried in FBG Stoke Newington.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Isaac Payne's School in Epping, Essex.
- He worked as a Brewer in London.
- He worked as a Tanner in Coggeshall, Essex.

Lewis married **Rachel Squire**,<sup>6</sup> daughter of **William Squire** and **Elizabeth Hooper**, in Oct 1837. Rachel was born on 29 Sep 1793 in Hertford, Hertfordshire and died on 11 Jun 1876 in Hertford, Hertfordshire at age 82.

6-**Ann Allen**<sup>3,6,55</sup> was born in 1795, died on 10 Mar 1877 in 9 Albion Terrace, Stoke Newington, London at age 82, and was buried on 15 Mar 1877 in FBG Stoke Newington.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at Alton in Alton, Hampshire.

William next married **Ann Kendall**, daughter of **Moses Kendall** and **Anne Larcum**, in 1770 in FMH Park, Southwark. Ann was born in 1722 in Charlbury, Oxfordshire, died in 1788 at age 66, and was buried in FBG Ratcliff. They had no children.

4-**Job Allen**<sup>2,6,9,56,57,58,59,60,61</sup> was born in 1734, was christened on 15 Oct 1734, and died in 1800 at age 66.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was baptized on 15 Oct 1730.
- He worked as a Silk Weaver in Steward Street, Spitalfields, London.
- He was a Quaker by Convincement.

Job married **Margaret Stafford**,<sup>6,9,56,58,59,60,61</sup> daughter of **John Stafford** and **Ann Masters**. Margaret was born in 1748, died in 1830 at age 82, and was buried in FBG Stoke Newington. They had six children: **William, Samuel, Joseph, Jonathan, Job**, and **Benjamin**.

Noted events in her life were:

- Miscellaneous: Grand-daughter of Walter Stafford.... An early Quaker.

5-**William Allen**<sup>2,6,56,57,59,60,61,62,63,64,65</sup> was born on 29 Aug 1770 in Steward Street, Spitalfields, London, died on 30 Dec 1843 in Lindfield, Sussex at age 73, and was buried in FBG Stoke Newington.

General Notes: FRS. FLS. English scientist and philanthropist who opposed slavery and engaged in schemes of social and penal improvement in early nineteenth century England.

Features in the painting of The Anti-Slavery Society Convention, 1840, by Benjamin Robert Haydon

He became a partner in the Plough Court Pharmacy established by Silvanus and Timothy Bevan. When Timothy Bevan's son Joseph Gurney Bevan retired, Samuel Mildred took over and the business was styled Mildred & Allen, when William Allen joined the business. Luke Howard joined the business, though the partnership was dissolved in 1806. William became the dominant partner and through his marriage to Charlotte Hanbury, the Hanbury family took a controlling interest. Henceforth, the business was styled Allen & Hanburys.

Founded the Newington Academy for Girls.. in which he was helped by his neighbour, John William Freshfield.

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Allen, William (1770– 1843), philanthropist and scientist, was born on 29 August 1770 at Stewart Street, the Old Artillery Ground, Spitalfields, London, the eldest of the six sons of Job Allen (1734– 1800) and his wife, Margaret Stafford (d. 1830). His father, a silk manufacturer, was a member of the Society of Friends. William Allen grew up, and remained, a committed Friend, and became a leading member of the Gracechurch Street meeting. After going to a Quaker boarding-school at Rochester for a brief period, he was employed in his father's business; but his interest in chemistry led him to enter J. G. Bevan's

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chemical establishment at Plough Court. On Bevan's retirement in 1795 he took over the business and opened a laboratory at Plaistow. He later formed a partnership with his second wife's two nephews (Messrs Allen and Hanbury). His position enabled him to make many scientific experiments, and he associated with like-minded friends, including the surgeon Astley Paston Cooper, in the Askesian Society. He gave lectures to his fellow members at Plough Court, and became a fellow of the Linnean Society in 1801 and of the Royal Society in 1807. He was appointed lecturer at Guy's Hospital in 1802, and lectured there until 1826. At the request of his friend Humphry Davy he also lectured at the Royal Institution.

Allen's interests, however, moved from science to philanthropy. He had been interested from childhood in the anti-slavery campaign; in 1794 Thomas Clarkson became his friend, and both he and Wilberforce remained close friends throughout Allen's life. On the abolition of the slave trade in 1807, Allen became an active member of the African Institution, and shared in the agitation for the abolition of black slavery in Sierra Leone and the West Indies. He was equally active in promoting education and was a member of the committee formed in 1808 for the support of Joseph Lancaster, the founder of the monitorial school at Borough Road, Southwark, which in 1814 became the British and Foreign School Society. Allen was its treasurer and steady supporter. Under his guidance, the committee paid Lancaster's debts, pruned the monitorial institution at Borough Road of extravagances, set up an enlarged committee to raise subscriptions, warded off the challenge of the Anglican National Society, and, after more extravagances and indiscretions, ousted Lancaster from control of the institution. Allen played a leading part in the production of the British Society's teaching manual and wrote the preface to Scripture Lessons (1820, based on extracts from the Bible), which was for many years the only permitted reading book in British Society schools. The controversy between Lancaster and Andrew Bell, mainly over their respective roles in monitorial education, was one of the topics of *The Philanthropist*, a quarterly journal which Allen started in 1811 and maintained until 1817, and in which many other social reforms were discussed. James Mill was his chief contributor, and their friendly relations were initially undisturbed by radical religious differences.

In 1814, Allen, with Jeremy Bentham, Robert Owen, and four other partners, bought the New Lanark mills from Owen's previous partners in order to establish a model industrial community. Differences arose over the issue of management; in 1824, Allen—who was alarmed by Owen's avowed atheism—succeeded in enforcing biblical instruction in the New Lanark schools, and in banning the teaching of singing, dancing, and drawing. Owen consequently withdrew from the management and gave up his partnership in 1829, though Allen retained his interest until 1835. Allen was generally admired but Owen considered him narrow-minded and 'a very bustling, meddling character' (Owen, 95, 141), though anxious to do good in his own way. He thought that familiarity with great men had turned the worthy Quaker's head. However unkind this conclusion may seem, it is undeniable that Allen was moving in exalted circles. The duke of Kent was interested in both Owen's and Lancaster's schemes, and served as chairman of the committee appointed to look into Lancaster's muddled affairs. His own financial situation had become embarrassed, and Allen undertook to act as trustee for his estates; the duke consented to live upon a fixed allowance until his debts were discharged. Allen continued to act until the duke's death and the final settlement of his affairs. When the allied sovereigns visited England in 1814, Alexander I of Russia was introduced to Allen as a model Quaker. The tsar attended a Quaker meeting and visited Friends' houses, and evidently regarded Allen with considerable respect and sympathy.

In August 1818 Allen left England on a tour: after travelling through Sweden and Finland to Russia, he visited Alexander at St Petersburg, then moved to Moscow and Odessa. He reached Constantinople in July 1819, and returned by the Greek islands, Italy, and France to England in February 1820. In 1822 he went to Vienna to see Alexander again, chiefly in a vain attempt to obtain a declaration from the powers that the slave trade should be piracy. The tsar and Quaker parted, after several interviews, with prayers and embraces. Allen made other journeys to the continent in 1816, 1832, and 1833, when he examined schools, prisons, and social institutions. In interviews with statesmen and rulers, including the crown prince of Prussia, the king of Bavaria, and the king and queen of Spain, he encouraged them to adopt his ideas for reforms. In Britain he took an interest in many philanthropic causes: he promoted schools and district visiting societies, and gave evidence on the education of the poor to two parliamentary select committees. He also campaigned for the abolition of capital punishment and the protection of the Greeks, corresponding with the duke of Wellington and other political leaders. In 1841 he was appointed president of the Pharmaceutical Society's council. His chief interest in later years was in an 'agricultural colony' with industrial schools, which he helped to found at Lindfield in Sussex, and which he frequently visited to superintend its working.

Allen married, in 1796, Mary Hamilton (b. 1771), who died ten months later; she left a daughter, who in 1822 married Cornelius Hanbury, and herself died in 1823 after the birth of a son. Allen married again in 1806; his second wife was Charlotte Hanbury (b. 1762), who died in 1816. In 1827 he married Grizell Birkbeck, née Hoare (b. 1757), who died in 1835. Allen himself died on 30 December 1843 at Lindfield, and was buried in the Quaker burial-ground, Stoke Newington.

Leslie Stephen, 'Allen, William (1770– 1843)', rev. G. F. Bartle, *Oxford Dictionary of National Biography*, Oxford University Press, 2004 [<http://www.oxforddnb.com/view/article/392>, accessed 13 May 2013]

William Allen (1770– 1843): doi:10.1093/ref:odnb/392

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with FRS FLS FRHS etc.
- He was educated at Friend's School, Boley Hill in Rochester, Kent.
- He worked as a Silk weaver of Spitalfields, London.
- He worked as a Pharmaceutical Chemist of Plough Court, London. From 1793.
- He worked as a Founding member of The Peace Society.
- Miscellaneous: Executor to the Duke of Kent's estate, of whom he was a friend.
- He worked as a Quaker Minister.



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William married **Mary Hamilton**,<sup>6,57</sup> daughter of **John Hamilton** and **Elizabeth**, on 13 Oct 1796 in FMH Tottenham. Mary was born in 1771 in Redruth, Cornwall and died in 1797 at age 26. They had one daughter: **Mary**.

Noted events in her life were:

- Miscellaneous: Her parents are also given as Edward and Jane.

6-**Mary Allen**<sup>66,67</sup> was born in Sep 1797 in London and died on 17 May 1823 at age 25.

Mary married **Cornelius Hanbury**,<sup>7,38,66,67,68</sup> son of **Capel Hanbury**<sup>4,66</sup> and **Charlotte Susannah Bell**,<sup>4,66</sup> in Feb 1822. Cornelius was born on 15 Mar 1796 in Ware, Hertfordshire, died on 7 Mar 1869 in The Firs, Wellington, Somerset at age 72, and was buried in FBG Wellington, Somerset. They had one son: **William Allen**.

General Notes: Started work aged 17 at the Plough Court Pharmacy of William Allen. Later, he and his brothers became partners as Allen, Hanburys & Barry.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Pharmacologist in Plough Court Pharmacy, London.
- He worked as a Quaker Minister.

7-**William Allen Hanbury**<sup>6</sup> was born on 7 May 1823 in Plough Court, Lombard Street, London and died in 1898 at age 75.

William married **Maria Volmerstein**,<sup>6</sup> daughter of **Graf Adelbert Volmerstein von der Recke-Volmerstein**, in 1862. Maria died in 1885. They had one son: **Adelbert William Allen**.

8-**Adelbert William Allen Hanbury**<sup>6</sup> was born in 1863.

William next married **Charlotte Hanbury**,<sup>6</sup> daughter of **Capel Hanbury**<sup>7</sup> and **Mary Lunn**, in 1806. Charlotte was born on 4 Aug 1761 in Stoke Newington, London, died on 28 Sep 1816 in Lausanne, Switzerland at age 55, and was buried in Geneva, Switzerland.

William next married **Grizzel Hoare**,<sup>56</sup> daughter of **Samuel Hoare**<sup>4,56,69</sup> and **Grizzel Gurnell**,<sup>4,56,69</sup> on 14 Mar 1828 in Hammersmith. Grizzel was born on 24 Dec 1757 in Paradise Row, Stoke Newington, died on 15 Jul 1835 in Paradise Row, Stoke Newington at age 77, and was buried in FBG Winchmore Hill.

5-**Samuel Allen**<sup>4,9,62,70,71</sup> was born on 15 Nov 1771 in Steward Street, Spitalfields, London, died on 22 Oct 1868 in Hitchin, Hertfordshire at age 96, and was buried in FBG Hitchin, Hertfordshire.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Mealman in Woodham Walter, Maldon, Essex.
- He worked as a Quaker minister.

Samuel married **Phebe Lucas**,<sup>4,9,62,71</sup> daughter of **William Lucas**<sup>4,71</sup> and **Sarah Redman**,<sup>4,71</sup> on 1 Sep 1803 in FMH Hitchin. Phebe was born on 4 Dec 1769 in Hitchin, Hertfordshire, died on 2 Oct 1856 in Hitchin, Hertfordshire at age 86, and was buried in FBG Hitchin, Hertfordshire. They had five children: **Joshua**, **Stafford**, **William**, **Joseph**, and **George**.

Noted events in her life were:

- She worked as a Quaker minister in 1800 in Hitchin MM.

6-**Joshua Allen**<sup>4,14,72,73,74</sup> was born on 18 Feb 1805 in Hoe Mill, Witham, Essex and died on 25 Feb 1853 in Chelmsford, Essex at age 48.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Farmer and Cattler dealer in Great Wymondley, Hertfordshire.

Joshua married **Mary Marshall**,<sup>74</sup> daughter of **John Marshall** and **Elizabeth**,<sup>4</sup> on 12 May 1831 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire. Mary was born on 1 Jul 1804 in North Crawley, Chesham, Buckinghamshire, died on 30 Jun 1832 in Leighton Buzzard, Bedfordshire at age 27, and was buried on 5 Jul 1832 in FBG Leighton Buzzard. They had one daughter: **Margaret**.

General Notes: Details from the Quaker records of Mary Marshall, Joshua's first wife, and their daughter Margaret, show that she sadly expired at 2 months, and her mother followed her a month later and are both buried in the Friends' Burial Grounds in Leighton Buzzard.

7-**Margaret Allen** was born on 28 Mar 1832 in Leighton Buzzard, Bedfordshire, died on 21 May 1832 in Leighton Buzzard, Bedfordshire, and was buried 27 May fbg leighton b in FBG Leighton Buzzard.

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Joshua next married **Ann Barringer**,<sup>4,14,72</sup> daughter of **William Barringer**<sup>4,16,75</sup> and **Ann Burley**,<sup>4,75</sup> on 11 Sep 1834 in FMH Northampton. Ann was born in 1807 in Church Brampton, Northamptonshire and died on 27 May 1879 in Chelmsford, Essex at age 72. They had six children: **Joseph, Margaret, Lucy Ann, Lucas, George Redman, and Phoebe Sophia**.

7-**Joseph Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 29 Sep 1836.

Noted events in his life were:

- He had a residence in Ampthill, Bedfordshire.

Joseph married **Katharine Myhill**<sup>6</sup> in 1869. Katharine was born in 1841. They had four children: **George Edward, Catharine Maud, Gertrude, and Francis Joseph**.

8-**George Edward Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born in 1870.

George married **Henrietta Jane Barnett**. They had four children: **Dorothy Marguerite, Catherine Grace Mary, Margaret Louise, and Beryl Lettice**.

9-**Dorothy Marguerite Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born in 1892 and died in 1977 in Sudbury, Suffolk at age 85.

9-**Catherine Grace Mary Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 4 Jan 1900 in Tredegar, Monmouthshire, Wales, was christened on 8 May 1900 in Ampthill, Bedfordshire, and died in 1977 in Ripon, Yorkshire at age 77.

Catherine married **Ralph Reginald Piggott**,<sup>74</sup> son of **Walter Harry Piggott** and **Lucy**, in 1929. Ralph was born in 1902 in East Retford, Nottinghamshire and died on 30 Jun 1948 in 51 Chatsworth Road, Totley Rise, Sheffield, Yorkshire at age 46. They had two children: **David Glynn** and **(No Given Name)**.

10-**David Glynn Piggott** was born in 1936 in Sheffield, Yorkshire and died on 14 Jan 2010 at age 74.

10-**Piggott**

9-**Margaret Louise Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 13 Aug 1902 in Tredegar, Monmouthshire, Wales and died in 1983 in London at age 81.

9-**Beryl Lettice Allen**<sup>74</sup> was born in 1907 in Tredegar, Monmouthshire, Wales and died in 1998 in Sherborne, Dorset at age 91.

Beryl married **Reginald James Hussey** in 1937 in Bridport, Dorset. Reginald was born on 12 Jul 1916 in Beaminster, Dorset and died in 1987 in Leigh, Dorset at age 71. They had two children: **Lorna Margaret** and **Coline Edward James**.

10-**Lorna Margaret Hussey**

10-**Coline Edward James Hussey**

8-**Catharine Maud Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born in 1871 in Ampthill, Bedfordshire and died in 1942 in Bedford, Bedfordshire at age 71.

Catharine married **George Sharp**,<sup>6</sup> son of **Jesse Sharp**, on 27 Apr 1898 in Ampthill, Bedfordshire. George was born in 1868 in Chatham, Kent. They had five children: **Stella Tysoe, George Myhill, Malcolm Allen, Doris Nina, and Catherine Maud**.

9-**Stella Tysoe Sharp**<sup>74</sup> was born in 1897 in Ampthill, Bedfordshire.

9-**George Myhill Sharp** was born in 1903 in Ampthill, Bedfordshire.

9-**Malcolm Allen Sharp** was born in 1904 in Ampthill, Bedfordshire.

9-**Doris Nina Sharp** was born in 1908 in Clophill, Bedfordshire.

9-**Catherine Maud Sharp** was born in 1910 in Potton, Bedfordshire.

8-**Gertrude Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born in 1873 and died in 1899 at age 26.

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8-**Francis Joseph Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born in Dec 1874 in Ampthill, Bedfordshire, died on 25 Feb 1956 in Dersingham, Norfolk at age 81, and was buried in Dersingham, Norfolk.

Francis married **Alice Bertha Letts**,<sup>6</sup> daughter of **John Letts** and **Sarah Ann Lightfoot**, on 26 Aug 1900 in Ampthill, Bedfordshire. Alice was born in 1881 in Bedford, Bedfordshire, died in 1969 in King's Lynn, Norfolk at age 88, and was buried in Dersingham, Norfolk. They had four children: **Gertrude May**, **George Cecil**, **John Barringer**, and **Peter Myhill**.

9-**Gertrude May Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 26 Oct 1901 in Thingoe, Suffolk, was christened on 1 Jan 1902 in Ampthill, Bedfordshire, and died in 1981 in King's Lynn, Norfolk at age 80.

General Notes: She was a Governess and in the mid 1960s was governess to Lady Diana Spencer (later the Princess of Wales), when Diana was a young child at Park House, Sandringham, Norfolk. Rosalind Coward in her biography of the Princess of Wales wrote "*Like her older siblings, Diana was initially taught at home by a governess, Gertrude Allen, who had also taught her mother and other local children*". Park House one might describe as the Dower house for Sandringham House but was no longer needed by the Royal family. Gertrude was not the only Allen connection between Park House and the Allen family, as, when Francis Allen of Cockley Cley Hall, Norfolk died in 1926, his widow, Dorothy Allen, sold the estate as the house anyway was too large for her needs. Park House was vacant at the time and so, when she applied to the Royal Authorities, they considered her a suitable person so leased it to her. About 5 years later, she was having tea with Lady Fermoy who mentioned they were looking for a house in the area. Dorothy had just got engaged again and said 'what about Park House as she would be leaving on marriage'. The Fermoy's did take over the lease. They were maternal Grandparents of the future Princess of Wales and it was through them that the Spencers were in Park House.

*Notes courtesy of Anthony Allen (2015)*

9-**Lieut. Col. George Cecil Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 22 Jan 1909 in Long Melford, Suffolk and died in Nov 1989 in Slingsby, Yorkshire at age 80.

General Notes: George entered his father's light engineering business and was an officer in the Territorial Royal Artillery pre-war. Mobilised he saw action commanding an Anti-tank battery in North Africa before being selected, on account of his engineering background, to join the newly created Royal Electrical & Mechanical Engineers (REME). He served on after the war with postings to Singapore and Nigeria, reaching the rank of Lt Col; he continued to serve as a retired officer at Strensall.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as an Engineer.
- He worked as an officer of the Royal Electrical and Mechanical Engineers.

George married **Gladys Hester Bakewell Green**,<sup>6</sup> daughter of **Thomas M. Green**, in 1934 in Tisbury, Wiltshire. The marriage ended in divorce in 1948. Gladys was born in 1912 in Concordia, Entre Rios, Argentina and died in 1994 in Australia at age 82. They had two children: **David Cecil** and **Adrian Christopher Bakewell**.

10-**Lieut. Cmdr. David Cecil Allen RN** was born on 31 Oct 1935 in Tollard Royal, Salisbury, Wiltshire and died on 21 Nov 2013 in Salisbury, Wiltshire at age 78.

General Notes: ALLEN David Cecil Lt. Commander RN Died peacefully on 21st November 2013, aged 78 years. Much loved husband of Rosemary, father of Timothy, Catherine, Nicholas and William and grandfather of George, Harriet, Henrietta, Louis and Ned. Service of Thanksgiving to be held at Salisbury Cathedral at a date and time to be announced. Donations to Salisbury Hospice Charity c/o I. N. Newman Ltd, 55 Winchester Street, Salisbury, SP1 1HL.

Noted events in his life were:

- Death Notice: Salisbury Journal, 28 Nov 2013.

David married someone.

10-**Adrian Christopher Bakewell Allen**

Adrian married **Bailey**.

George next married **Erica Joy Monkton**<sup>6</sup> in 1947 in Nigeria. Erica was born in 1926 in Hampstead, London and died in 2008 in Alton, Hampshire at age 82. They had one son: **Jonathan Joseph**.

10-**Jonathan Joseph Allen**

9-**John Barringer Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 12 Jul 1911 in Bury St Edmunds, Suffolk and died on 1 Mar 2008 in Martin, Wiltshire at age 96.

John married **Olga Gower**. They had one son: **Ian Gordon**.

10-**Ian Gordon Allen**

Ian married **Maureen E. Wright**. They had two children: **Mark** and **Dominic**.

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### 11-Mark Barringer-Allen

Mark married **Cheiko**. They had one son: **William**.

### 12-William Barringer-Allen

### 11-Dominic Barringer-Allen

Dominic married **Bridget**.

John next married **Edna Patricia Best**. They had one daughter: **Jennifer Jane**.

### 10-Jennifer Jane Allen

Jennifer married **John Frederick Marsh**. They had two children: **Anna Jane** and **Oliver John**.

### 11-Anna Jane Marsh

### 11-Oliver John Marsh

9-**Peter Myhill Allen**<sup>76</sup> was born on 28 Aug 1922 and died on 4 Jan 1983 in Perwez, Belgium at age 60.

General Notes: G'day again Charles

As you can see from the email below, Peter died in 1983 in Perwez. Given Belgian privacy laws, you won't get a death certificate without his son's say so, but an email from the Mayor's secretary is certainly good enough for the family tree.

Steven in London will now file an FOI request so hopefully Peter's SOE PF will be opened some time in the new year.

Thanks again for your help and wishing you all the best

David

**From:** [Nathalie Michielsens](#)

**Sent:** Tuesday, December 15, 2015 4:42 PM

**To:** [David Armstrong](#)

**Cc:** [Michel Ruelle](#) ; [Marie-Paule Lorge](#)

**Subject:** RE: Peter Myhill Allen (né 28th Aug 1922) & Thérèse Verbist (1926-2011)

Dear David AMSTRONG,

Mr. Peter Myhill ALLEN husband of Thérèse VERBIST died in Perwez 4 January 1983.

We hope to have helped you in your research.

Merry Christmas

*Nathalie Jauquet-Michielsens*

*Secrétariat du Bourgmestre*

*Communication*

*Tél. : 081/64 92 56*

*Fax : 081/65 74 42*

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Trained as a member of the SOE. (Special Operations Executive).

Peter married **Thérèse Verbist** in 1945 in Brussels, Belgium. Thérèse was born on 23 May 1926 in Belgium and died on 15 Oct 2011 in Ottignies-Louvain-La-Neuve, Belgium at age 85. They had one son: **Patrick**.

### 10-Patrick Allen

Patrick married **Michelene**. They had two children: **Maureen** and **Valerie**.

### 11-Maureen Allen

Maureen married **Pascal Somville**. They had six children: **Peter Allen**, **Anthony Allen**, **Benjamin Allen**, **Ganaelle Allen**, **Valentine Allen**, and **Celia Allen**.

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12-Peter Allen Somville

12-Anthony Allen Somville

12-Benjamin Allen Somville

12-Ganaelle Allen Somville

12-Valentine Allen Somville

12-Celia Allen Somville

11-Valerie Allen

Valerie married **Benoit Delooz**. They had two children: **Emlyn Allen** and **Edwyn Allen**.

12-Emlyn Allen Delooz

12-Edwyn Allen Delooz

7-Margaret Allen<sup>4,6,77</sup> was born in 1837 in Much Wymondley, Hertfordshire and died in 1917 at age 80.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was a Quaker.

Margaret married **Alfred Wells**,<sup>4,77</sup> son of **Joseph Wells**<sup>4</sup> and **Priscilla Wallis**,<sup>4</sup> on 5 Sep 1866 in FMH Chelmsford. Alfred was born on 7 Mar 1841 in Kettering, Northamptonshire and died on 21 May 1912 in Manor House, Isham, Kettering at age 71. They had six children: **Margaret**, **James Allen**, **Mabel**, **Hubert**, **Priscilla Wallis**, and **Mary Sophia**.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Ackworth School.
- He worked as a Grocer's apprentice in Birkenhead, Cheshire.
- He worked as a Grocer and Farmer in Kettering, Northamptonshire.
- He was a Quaker.

8-Margaret Wells<sup>4,26,78,79</sup> was born on 17 Jan 1869 in Isham, Kettering, Northamptonshire and died in 1937 at age 68.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at Ackworth School in 1879-1883.

Margaret married **John Henry Thursfield**,<sup>4,6,26,78,79,80</sup> son of **John Fincher Thursfield**<sup>4,17,26,58,81</sup> and **Helen Keymer**,<sup>17,26,81</sup> on 4 Aug 1904 in FMH Kettering. John was born on 31 Jan 1868 in Kettering, Northamptonshire and died on 14 Jan 1940 in Norton House, 82 Rockingham Road, Kettering, Northamptonshire at age 71. They had one daughter: **Helen**.

Marriage Notes: THURSFIELD-WELLS.-On the 4th August, 1904, at Kettering, John Henry Thursfield (1883-5), of Kettering, to Margaret Wells, of Isham, near Kettering.

General Notes: Thursfield.-On 14th January, at Kettering, John Henry Thursfield (1883-85), aged 71 years.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Ackworth School.
- He was educated at Bootham School in 1883-1885 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as an apprentice to John Henry Pumphrey in 1885-1893 in Evesham, Worcestershire.

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- He worked as a Pharmaceutical chemist from 1894 in Market Place, Kettering, Northamptonshire.
- He resided at Norton House, 82 Rockingham Road in Kettering, Northamptonshire.
- Miscellaneous: From 1890 he was an Adult School Worker.
- He worked as a Clerk of MM Elders and Overseers in Kettering, Northamptonshire.

9-**Helen Thursfield**<sup>4,79</sup> was born on 30 Aug 1905 in Kettering, Northamptonshire.

General Notes: THURSFIELD.-On the 30th August, 1905, at Kettering, Margaret, wife of John Henry Thursfield (1883-5), a daughter, who was named Helen.

8-**James Allen Wells**<sup>4</sup> was born on 19 Mar 1870 in Isham, Kettering, Northamptonshire and died on 21 Nov 1941 in Kettering, Northamptonshire at age 71.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Ackworth School in 1881-1885.
- He worked as an apprenticed to Henry Stanley Newman in Leominster, Herefordshire.
- He worked as a Grocer in Kettering, Northamptonshire.

8-**Mabel Wells**<sup>4,6,77</sup> was born on 26 Jul 1872 in Isham, Kettering, Northamptonshire (27th also given).

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at Ackworth School in 1883-1887.
- She was educated at Sidcot School in 1887-1889.
- She was educated at The Mount School in Aug 1889-Jun 1890 in York, Yorkshire.
- She was a Quaker.

8-**Hubert Wells**<sup>4</sup> was born on 22 Mar 1874 in Isham, Kettering, Northamptonshire and died on 29 Aug 1948 at age 74.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Ackworth School in 1885-1889.
- He worked as an apprentice to Stretch & Harlock in Nantwich, Cheshire.
- He worked as a Draper. Maybe with Wilson, Jesper & Co.
- He worked as a Farmer in 1931.

8-**Priscilla Wallis Wells**<sup>4</sup> was born on 15 Apr 1876.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at Friends' School, Saffron Walden.

8-**Mary Sophia Wells**<sup>4,6</sup> was born on 10 Aug 1877 and died in 1951 at age 74.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at Ackworth School in 1888-1893.
- She was educated at The Mount School in Sep 1896-Jul 1898 in York, Yorkshire.
- She worked as a Teacher, Penketh School in Penketh, Warrington, Cheshire.

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- She worked as a Headmistress of Ayton School 1902 To 1938 in Great Ayton, Yorkshire.

7-**Lucy Ann Allen** was born in 1840 in Much Wymondley, Hertfordshire.

Lucy married **Walter Lucas**, son of **Thomas Woolston Lucas**<sup>5,82</sup> and **Elizabeth Emma Trimmer**,<sup>5</sup> on 13 Jul 1865 in FMH Chelmsford. Walter was born in 1838 in Hitchin, Hertfordshire. They had six children: **Walter Allen, George Redman, Ida Mary, Harold, Leonard, and Arthur Burley**.

8-**Walter Allen Lucas** was born on 20 Jul 1866.

8-**George Redman Lucas** was born on 25 Nov 1867.

8-**Ida Mary Lucas** was born in 1869 and died on 25 Oct 1965 in Letchworth, Hertfordshire at age 96.

8-**Harold Lucas** was born on 14 Apr 1871.

8-**Leonard Lucas** was born on 10 Oct 1873.

Noted events in his life were:

- He had a residence in Royston, Hertfordshire.

8-**Arthur Burley Lucas**<sup>83</sup> was born on 11 Apr 1876.

General Notes: NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned, Frederic George Painter, Stephen Tryon, Frank Newton Tribe, Ernest Newton Tribe, and Arthur Burley Lucas, carrying on business as Charterer! Accountants, at 19, Coleman-street, in the city of London, under the style or firm of "TRIBE, CLARKE, PAINTER AND CO.," has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the thirty-first day of December, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, so far as the said Frederic George Painter is concerned. All debts due and owing to or by the said late firm will be received or paid by the said Stephen Tryon, Frank Newton Tribe, Ernest Newton Tribe, and Arthur Burley Lucas, who will carry on the said business in the future with Edmund Wylde Lean,

under the same style.'97As witness our hands this sixth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

FRED. G. PAINTER.

ARTHUR B. LUCAS.

S. TRYON.

F. N. TRIBE.

E. N. TRIBE.

EDMUND W. LEAN

Note that Edmund Wylde Lean was uncle to the film director, Sir David Lean, and father to Isobel, David's first cousin and first wife.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as an Accountant and partner in Tribe, Clarke, Painter & Co. In 19 Coleman Street, London.

Arthur married **Alice Marguerite Thorp**,<sup>83</sup> daughter of **William Henry Thorp**<sup>4,26,77,78,84,85,86,87</sup> and **Catharine Sarah Dymond**,<sup>4,26,77,78,84,85,86</sup> Alice was born in 1882 and died on 23 Feb 1939 at age 57.

7-**Lucas Allen** was born on 25 Apr 1843 in Hitchin, Hertfordshire.

7-**George Redman Allen**<sup>73</sup> was born on 4 Aug 1845 in Northampton, Northamptonshire and died on 31 Jan 1864 in Chelmsford, Essex at age 18.

7-**Phoebe Sophia Allen**<sup>14</sup> was born on 3 Nov 1848 in Hulme, Manchester and died on 24 May 1867 in Chelmsford, Essex at age 18.

6-**Stafford Allen**<sup>4,22,23,37,57,58,62,70,88,89</sup> was born on 13 May 1806 in Hoe Mill, Witham, Essex, died on 14 Oct 1889 in "Parkfield", Upper Clapton, London. (11th also given) at age 83, and was buried in FBG Stoke Newington.

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General Notes: Features in the painting of The Anti-Slavery Society Convention, 1840, by Benjamin Robert Haydon.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Miller in Amersham, Buckinghamshire.
- He worked as a Manufacturing chemist in 1833 in Cowper Street, Finsbury, London.
- He worked as an Anti-slavery supporter.
- He worked as a Secretary of the Royal British Institution.
- He had a residence in 1845 in Charles Square, London.
- He had a residence about 1850 in Paradise Row, Stoke Newington, London.

Stafford married **Hannah Hunton Ransome**,<sup>4,22,23,37,57,58,62,70,88</sup> daughter of **James Ransome**<sup>4,7,62,70,88,90,91</sup> and **Hannah Hunton**,<sup>4,7,62,70,88,90</sup> on 10 Jan 1839 in FMH Ipswich.

Hannah was born on 14 Mar 1813 in Carr Street, Ipswich, died on 6 Jun 1880 in West Drayton, Middlesex at age 67, and was buried in FBG Stoke Newington. They had ten children: **Samuel Stafford**, **Edward Ransome**, **Mary**, **Jane**, **William Clarkson**, **Hannah Ransome**, **Edith Mary**, **Francis**, **John Archibald**, and **Alfred Henry**.

General Notes: Died at her daughter Jane's home in West Drayton, 1880 ----- Hannah Hunton Allen, 67 6 6mo. 1880 Upper Clapton. An Elder. Wife of Stafford Allen. Hannah H, Ransome was the daughter of James and Hannah Ransome of Ipswich, and was born in the Third month of 1813. She was one of a large family who were left motherless when Hannah was only thirteen years old. From this time, and especially after she left school, her father found in her one of his greatest earthly comforts, and she grew to early womanhood under the care of her mother's sister who took charge of the household and acted a kind part to the motherless children. James Ransome was a man of vigorous and noble mind, and the love and reverence felt for him by this beloved daughter were unusually strong and often expressed in later years. Hannah was lively and buoyant in disposition, very sensitive, and deeply affectionate, and the bond between father and daughter was an uncommon one in many respects. Great desires and earnest longings after heavenly things arose in her heart when about seventeen, and a journal kept at this time shows how often her soul was exercised in self-examination, and how she grieved over the failings of which she felt deeply conscious. Several manuscript volumes of a journal, kept for many years, afford much that is interesting and instructive. At an early age an engagement for marriage was formed which circumstances unexpectedly put aside. This was a sore trial, though in after years she often acknowledged how tenderly God had dealt with her at this time ; and her sympathy was always very great with any whose experience in this respect had been similar to her own. Referring to this early trial forty- three years later she writes : - " I seemed to see the Lord's hand in it all, and years passed away during which I was drawn nearer to my Almighty Friend ; until, to feel that I was cared for by Him, instructed and led by His Spirit, was more to me than any earthly expectation, however bright the prospect." Many interests bound her to the home of her childhood, but after several years, at the age of twenty-five, she received another offer of marriage, which after much prayerful consideration she accepted. She often acknowledged how at this critical time she was guided and directed to choose the path aright, and exhorted others to believe in the power of prayer, and to trust the goodness of our Heavenly Father who directs the steps of those who love Him. - In 1839 H. R. was united in marriage to Stafford Allen, and removed to his home in London. A happy union of forty-one years followed, and together they experienced the joys and trials of family life, for which, as a mother, she was so remarkably fitted. A permanent deafness from which she suffered - the result of a cold - was not the least of these trials; but this was borne by her with the greatest patience and cheerfulness, and she sometimes alluded to it as " the crook in her lot ; part of a needed discipline, which was desirable for her, or it would not have been permitted." The loss, by death, of two dear little girls, one a year and eight months, the other eight years old, was much felt by her loving heart, but she bowed in submission to her Father's will, and was able to say, " The Lord gave, and the Lord hath taken away ; blessed be the name of the Lord." Early in her married life she writes of much comfort received from a sermon preached by Dr. Thomas, of America, in which he pointed out that the soul must " make surrender to the convictions of the Holy Spirit," a term which, she writes, brought help to her soul, and was often used by her afterwards in explaining to the young the way of salvation. Dr. Thomas also dwelt upon the necessity of this new birth as a personal spiritual experience ; and from about this time H. S. Allen felt a joyful, yet humble assurance of her soul's salvation, though the infirmities of the flesh were often cause of great heart sorrow to her. As years passed on, her Christian character deepened, and she became the centre of a circle by whom she was both loved and revered. She sometimes expressed a wish that she had known in earlier days more teaching upon the needs of the soul, and more openness in speaking of spiritual things, saying, " We live now in a day when there are many who love to speak of Jesus, and while we must be cautious we do not err on the opposite side, and speak words without corresponding experience, or lightly mention sacred subjects, I believe those who 'fear the Lord' may often speak upon His name with profit now', as in former times." Many and earnest were her wrestlings in prayer for her dear ones, often at night leaving her bed to plead for some absent one who was unconscious of her deep exercise of soul at the time, but who learnt the value of a mother's prayers by the realisation of her petitions in after days. Some particularly pointed and immediate answers to prayer have been recorded by her with heartfelt gratitude, and strong was her faith and firm her belief in the definite guidance of the Holy Spirit. An entry in her diary, dated Fifth month 8th, 1878, is as follows :- " A true and unexpected answer to prayer, a gift assisting me greatly in my labour of love for G . ' Third month 10th, 1878, she writes-" Under circumstances of difficulty and perplexity I have found the Lord an all-sufficient helper, and He has delivered and sustained me through great conflicts, and has provided for me beyond what I could ask or think, bearing my burden whenever I have truly trusted in Him " " I have never been permitted to feel it nearly the help to confer with flesh and blood that it has been to go boldly to the throne of grace ; and I have never done this without experiencing guidance and receiving help sufficient for my utmost needs. " I find it good and helpful to cast my care upon God, and in all my ways I desire to acknowledge Him. Again and again has the Lord performed all things for me, and I desire to bear my humble testimony to the loving-kindness of my Father in Heaven. Is not the true experience of the trusting Christian, "Before they call I will answer and while they are yet speaking I will hear ' ? " After sharing for many years with a beloved partner the cares and anxieties incident to the bringing up of a large family, a season of peace and happiness was granted her in their quiet home at Clapton, where for a while she greatly enjoyed the service of the Church, " ministering to the saints," sympathising with all who needed sympathy, cheering the fainthearted, bearing the burdens of many, and truly thus fulfilling the law of Christ. Many sweet friendships date from this time, and all who came within that home circle she frequently remembered at the throne of grace with tender affection. Her heart specially warmed towards all who felt themselves called to the ministry of the Gospel, and not least towards those who felt themselves amongst the " little ones," to whom she was truly a mother in Israel ; and all who were engaged in the service of our Divine Master were sure of her encouragement and help. The Brumana Mission in Syria was specially dear to her heart, and all connected with the work there " shared her deepest affection and interest. In the family circle she often bent the knee in prayer, and



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many sweet seasons on the Sabbath afternoon are now among memories of the past. Sometimes when about to part with one and another, the tears of earnest love would stream down her cheeks, her feelings seeming too deep for utterance. Her desires for the spiritual welfare of her children pressed upon her far more than concern for their temporal needs, though she was in every sense a true mother. She often said in later times, "I have never felt it needful to pray much for you as regards your prospects for this world, for we have the promise, 'All things needful will be provided;' but I feel sometimes as if I cannot rest till my children, from the eldest to the youngest, have learnt to know their Saviour, and I believe I could be content to go when I know this to be the case." In the early autumn of 1876 symptoms of a decline of health from over-taxed powers became apparent; the occasional faintness caused by weak action of the heart, from which she had suffered for years, became more frequent and alarming, and after some months disease developed which necessitated her retirement from active life. When told of the serious nature of her complaint she seemed but little affected, remarking, with a smile, "My warning-bell has rung." Severe suffering and restless nights were her portion a few months later, but were borne with the greatest patience, and after a time she was once more restored to some measure of health, to the great joy of her family and friends, who believe that this was granted in answer to earnest prayer. She continued in a precarious state of health for more than two years, occasionally being able to attend meeting once in the day. This was a privilege which she highly valued; and she desired that all might share in it. An entry in her diary, dated 19th of Tenth month, 1878, is as follows: - "At Sudbury very precious meeting. My feeling given was - In the presence of the King; in the audience-chamber of the King of Kings." It was on very rare occasions that her voice broke the silence of our meetings, but when this was the case her words were few, but expressed with deep feeling. She would say sometimes to her intimate friends, "public ministry is not my calling; mine is a hidden service." And so it was in measure, for she was truly faithful in the little, and conscientious in fulfilling everything which she felt laid upon her as a duty. Though, of necessity, her life was at this time somewhat retired, and her days were often passed entirely up-stairs, she still felt that she had little services for her Lord, and many a message and letter sent from her quiet chamber cheered the heart of a sorrowful one, and bore testimony that she was, as she expressed it, "on the watch-tower," upholding the hands of more active servants by her earnest prayers. Seventh month, 1878, she writes: - "Much oppressed by my breathing. My own belief is, this is progress in the complaint of the heart. I thank my God that He helps me to look at this calmly. Jesus is very precious to me; I feel safe with Him." The winter of 1879-80 passed without causing fresh anxiety; but her friends felt that there was no ground gained. In the first week of the Yearly Meeting of 1880 she saw a few of her dear friends, but a proposed visit to her eldest daughter and son-in-law, at West Drayton, being her own suggestion for the latter week, she was removed thither with tolerable ease, though she walked from the carriage to the house with some difficulty. A quiet and very happy fortnight passed away, in which no thought of coming separation clouded the bright present. Daily drives seemed to refresh and strengthen her. Her countenance wore a bright and healthful appearance, and the serenity of her spirit showed the sweetly-prepared state of her waiting soul. More than once she said, "I am so happy here. This rest and quiet are doing me so much good. If my call comes while with you, I could go as readily as from dear Parkfield." It was noticed that she said this on three occasions. An atmosphere of holy calm seemed to surround her, and all felt its influence. The hour by which she thought to return home was fixed, her luggage was all packed and sent forward, when suddenly came the Master's call, "Well done, good and faithful servant, enter thou into the joy of thy Lord!" On the afternoon of Sixth day, the 4th of Sixth month, she was rising from bed after her usual rest before tea, when she seemed faint and desired again to lie down. She then lay for some while as if dozing; but irregular breathing coming on, her children were alarmed, and summoned the family doctor, who expressed his opinion that the symptoms were very serious. A night of sorrowful watching and waiting followed, and morning brought no improvement. Absent dear relatives were summoned, and it soon became apparent that the end was near. Her eyes were closed, and she appeared as if sleeping. She never rallied to full consciousness, and just forty-eight hours from the time of the seizure, with husband and children around her, she peacefully passed away. May we not rejoice for her in the full belief that she has received an abundant entrance into that Heaven whither the Forerunner is for us entered; and that, clothed in His righteousness, she has been presented faultless before the Throne of God?

Noted events in her life were:

- She worked as a Secretary to The Friends Syrian Mission.
- She worked as a Quaker Elder.

7-**Samuel Stafford Allen**<sup>6,10,88</sup> was born on 6 Sep 1840 in 7 Cowper Street, London and died on 26 Apr 1870 in Ramleh, Alexandria, Egypt at age 29.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1854-1856 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as an Engineer. Allen, Alderson & Co. In Ramleh, Alexandria, Egypt.

Samuel married **Emily Elsbeth Morgan**<sup>6</sup> in 1868. Emily was born in Sep 1838. They had two children: **Eveline Lloyd** and **Margaret Stafford**.

8-**Eveline Lloyd Allen** was born on 12 Jul 1869.

Eveline married **Friedrich Wilhelm Werner Hemprich**. Friedrich was born on 26 May 1864 in Ziesar, Brandenburg, Germany. They had five children: **Daisy Elspeth**, **Evelyn Stafford**, **Dorothea Muriel**, **Ursula**, and **Wiltruda**.

9-**Daisy Elspeth Hemprich** was born in 1894 and died in 1925 at age 31.

9-**Evelyn Stafford Hemprich** was born in 1898 and died in 1989 at age 91.

9-**Dorothea Muriel Hemprich** was born in 1900 and died in 1981 at age 81.

Dorothea married **Plunkett**.

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9-**Ursula Hemprich** was born in 1903 and died in 1996 at age 93.

9-**Wiltruda Hemprich** was born in 1904 and died in 1904.

8-**Margaret Stafford Allen** was born in 1870.

7-**Edward Ransome Allen**<sup>58,88,92</sup> was born on 17 Nov 1841 in 7 Cowper Street, Finsbury, London and died on 6 Dec 1916 in Stoke Newington, London at age 75.

General Notes: Edward Ransome Allen 75 G 12 1910 Stoke Newington. An Elder. Edward Ransome Allen bore two names honoured in the annals of the Society, but known far beyond its limits, and he bore them worthily. His great-grandfather, Job Allen, baptised 1734, silk-weaver of Steward Street, Spitalfields, joined the Society, and married Margaret Stafford, whose grandfather, Walter Stafford, joined at a much earlier date. On his mother's side he was descended from Richard and Phoebe Ransom, of North Walsham, Norfolk, of whom, Richard was "convinced of truth" about 1676, and for some fifteen years suffered imprisonment for conscience' sake. From this worthy couple are descended the Ransoms of Hitchin, the elder branch, and the Ransomes of Ipswich. Edward R. Allen was born in 1841, at 7 Cowper Street, Finsbury, a house adjoining his father's business premises, being the second son of Stafford and Hannah Hunter Allen, better known amongst Friends as Hannah Stafford Allen. To the early training of such parentage as theirs he owed much that contributed to his useful career as citizen and Friend. The family moved from Cowper Street to Charles Square in 1845, and to Stoke Newington four or five years later, being amongst the pioneers in that great wave of migration from the business portions of the city of London which continued with ever increasing volume during the later decades of the nineteenth century. From infancy, therefore, E. R. Allen has been associated with London and Middlesex Quarterly Meeting, and, with the exception of a few years spent in schooldays at Folkestone and Bootham, and as an apprentice at Ipswich, has resided within the "compass" of Devonshire House Monthly Meeting. On his 23rd anniversary he was married to Ellen, second daughter of John Dawson and Ann Watlock, of Wandsworth, who survives him; they celebrated their Golden Wedding in 1914. All his life after his Ipswich apprenticeship, over fifty-five and a half years, he was associated with the business of Stafford Allen & Sons, of Cowper Street, drug grinders, now Stafford Allen & Sons, Ltd., manufacturing chemists, of which Company he was Chairman at the time of his decease, actively participating in its interests, it may be said of him that he was "not slothful in business, fervent in spirit, serving the Lord." Nevertheless he was no recluse, not allowing neither his business cares or his inner life to deter him from rational enjoyment of other pursuits and recreations. He was keen in his enjoyment of nature, and found to a large extent in his own country the fascination which "many seek beyond seas. Both rod and gun had their attraction, and he was a cyclist from the early days of the "boneshaker" until recent years, when a modern "free-wheel" proved useful in the visitation of Meetings. His work for the Society extended over a long period, during which he gave valuable help to his Monthly and Quarterly Meetings, acting as Clerk of the latter for several years. In the engagements of Committees of these Meetings, for which he very frequently acted as clerk, as also in the administration of their Trusts and Trust Property, he took a very active share, one might say up to the last, being in consultation about some of them within two or three days of his decease. To all these, and to the consideration of the affairs of the Church, he brought a valuable business experience combined with a wise and cautious conservatism in days in which events move with a rapidity unknown to our forefathers. As an Overseer of many years' standing, he entered sympathetically into matters requiring judgment and delicate handling; qualifications invaluable in the discharge of the duties of Elder or Overseer. As an Elder of much experience his judgment was weighty, and he was fully conscious of the responsibility of the office. Thus has one more of the roll of good and honest men passed to his rest, leaving behind him the memory of a well-spent life. The Friend.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Folkestone school in Folkestone, Kent.
- He was educated at Bootham School in 1854-1857 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as an apprenticed in Ipswich.
- He worked as a Pharmaceutical Chemist. Stafford Allen & Sons. In Cowper Street, Finsbury, London.
- He worked as a Quaker Elder.

Edward married **Ellen Watlock**,<sup>58,92</sup> daughter of **John Dawson Watlock**<sup>15,19,58,70</sup> and **Ann Hickes**,<sup>15,58,70</sup> on 7 Nov 1864 in FMH Wandsworth. Ellen was born in 1840 in Wandsworth, London and died in 1922 at age 82. They had five children: **Mary Ellen**, **Edward Watlock**, **Hannah Mabel**, **George Stafford**, and **Douglas**.

Marriage Notes: Golden Wedding - ALLEN-WATLOCK.— On the 17th November, 1864, at Wandsworth, Edward Ransome Allen (1854-7), of Stoke Newington, to Ellen Watlock, of Wandsworth.

8-**Mary Ellen Allen**<sup>93</sup> was born on 6 Aug 1865 in Milton Road, Stoke Newington, London and died on 5 May 1959 in Lancaster, Lancashire at age 93.

Mary married **William Baker**,<sup>93,94,95</sup> son of **Samuel Baker**<sup>4,15</sup> and **Margaret O'Brien**,<sup>4,15</sup> on 21 Sep 1893 in FMH Stoke Newington. William was born on 21 Sep 1858 in Clontarf, Dublin, died on 30 Mar 1940 in Colchester, Essex at age 81, and was buried on 3 Apr 1940 in FBG Colchester. They had three children: **Joyce Mary**, **Edward William Allen**, and **Eileen Margaret Allen**.

Marriage Notes: BAKER-ALLEN.-On 21st September, 1893, at the Friends' Meeting House, Stoke Newington, William Baker (1871-3) to Ellen Allen, of Stoke Newington.

General Notes: Baker.-On 30th March, 1940, at Colchester, William Baker (1871-3), aged 81 years.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1871-1873 in York, Yorkshire.

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- He worked as a Locomotive Engineer.

9-**Joyce Mary Baker** was born on 13 Jun 1894 in Hackney, London and died on 2 Apr 1985 in Milnthorpe, Cumbria at age 90.

Noted events in her life were:

- She worked as a Teacher of the blind.

9-**Edward William Allen Baker** was born on 2 May 1896 in Hackney, London, died on 1 Dec 1961 in Lancaster, Lancashire at age 65, and was buried in FBG Yealand.

Edward married **Olive Margery Hutchinson**, daughter of **Ernest Hutchinson**<sup>96</sup> and **Louisa Mary Cash**, on 28 May 1919 in FMH Carlisle. Olive was born on 15 May 1893 in Carlisle, Cumbria and died on 22 Mar 1987 over Kellet, Carnforth, Lancashire at age 93. They had five children: **Wilfred Allen**, **Douglas Allen**, **Ernest William Allen**, **Mary Phyllis**, and **Joan Margaret**.

10-**Wilfred Allen Baker** was born on 14 Oct 1920 in Redhill, Reigate, Surrey, died on 6 Sep 2011 in Leighton Hospital, Crewe, Cheshire at age 90, and was buried in St. Michael's Church, Baddiley, Cheshire.

Wilfred married **Phyllis Sarah Elcock**.

10-**Douglas Allen Baker** was born on 13 Jan 1922 in Coldharbour Farm, Bletchingley, Surrey and died on 26 Feb 1994 in Tummel Bridge, Perthshire at age 72.

Douglas married **Cecily Vivian Rose**. They had one son: **Andrew Robin**.

11-**Andrew Robin Baker**

Andrew married **Elizabeth**.

10-**Ernest William Allen Baker** was born on 26 Sep 1923 in Coldharbour Farm, Bletchingley, Surrey and died on 15 Sep 2005 in Lancaster, Lancashire at age 81.

Ernest married **Mary Warwick**, daughter of **George Herbert Warwick** and **Gwendoline Ivy Fawcett**. Mary was born on 18 Aug 1929 and died in 2010 in Borwick, Carnforth, Lancashire at age 81. They had two children: **Nicholas Michael** and **Simon Patrick**.

11-**Nicholas Michael Baker**

11-**Simon Patrick Baker**

10-**Mary Phyllis Baker**

Mary married **Hodge**.

10-**Joan Margaret Baker**

Joan married **Galloway**.

9-**Eileen Margaret Allen Baker** was born on 8 Dec 1901 in Hackney, London and died on 13 Nov 1992 at age 90.

Noted events in her life were:

- She worked as a Nurse.

Eileen married **Dr. Alfred Edward Fraser-Smith** on 29 Mar 1930 in St. Mary's, Colchester. Alfred was born on 6 Sep 1902 and died on 11 Nov 1985 at age 83. They had one daughter: **Lucy Margaret**.

10-**Lucy Margaret Fraser-Smith**

Lucy married **Peter David Brown**. They had two children: **Suzanne Elizabeth** and **Timothy David Peter**.

11-**Suzanne Elizabeth Brown**

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### 11-Timothy David Peter Brown

8-**Edward Watlock Allen**<sup>79,97,98,99</sup> was born on 24 May 1867 in Milton Road, Stoke Newington, London and died on 30 Jan 1946 in Southbourne, Bournemouth, Dorset at age 78.

General Notes: Allen.-On 30th January, 1946, at his home at Southbourne, Bournemouth, Edward Watlock Allen (1881-86), aged 78 years

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1881-1886 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as a Manufacturing Chemist in London.

Edward married **Edith Isabel Fry**,<sup>79,97,98</sup> daughter of **Edward Fry**,<sup>4,70,77,88,100,101,102</sup> and **Annette Ransome**,<sup>4,70,77,88,100,101</sup> on 16 Jul 1891 in FMH Ipswich. Edith was born in 1868 in Islington, London. They had four children: **John Watlock**, **Philip Watlock**, **Ruth Watlock**, and **David Watlock**.

Marriage Notes: ALLEN-FRY.-On the 16th July, 1891, at Ipswich, Edward Watlock Allen (1881-4), of Stoke Newington, to Edith Isabel Fry, of Ipswich.

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Allen-Fry.— On 16th July, 1891, at the Friends' Meeting House, Ipswich, Edward Watlock Allen (1881-86), to Edith Isabel Fry.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at The Mount School in Aug 1883-Jun 1885 in York, Yorkshire.

9-**John Watlock Allen** was born on 7 Mar 1893 in South Hornsey, London and died in 1971 in Worth Valley, Yorkshire at age 78.

John married **Gladys Bolton**. They had three children: **Stuart Bolton**, **Pelham Bolton**, and **Rupert Bolton**.

10-**Stuart Bolton Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born in 1920 in Hampstead, London and died on 12 Jun 1976 in Collaroy, New South Wales, Australia at age 56.

Noted events in his life were:

- He emigrated to Australia.

Stuart married **Amelia Dorothy Bennett**, daughter of **Stanley Mervin Bennett** and **Amelia Susan Perschel**.

10-**Pelham Bolton Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born in 1923 in Hampstead, London and died on 15 Feb 1945 in North Walsham, Norfolk at age 22.

General Notes: Pelham Bolton ALLEN     Service number 1512540

Born: 1923                     Died: January 30th 1946

Pelham was born in Hampstead early in 1923.

He was educated at Ackworth and Matriculated in 1941. He was up at Christ Church for a year. In the summer of 1944, he married at Scunthorpe, Annis T Pilkington. He was a Flight Sergeant Pilot in the Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, 124 Baroda Squadron when he was killed near North Walsham on February 15th 1945. He is commemorated on Panel 6 at Manchester Crematorium. His mother wrote to the college on January 30th 1946.

The 177 casualties of the 1939-1945 War who were cremated in Manchester are commemorated on the memorial screen wall which stands in the 1939-1945 War Graves Plot, in nearby Manchester (Southern) Cemetery.

#### **124 Baroda Squadron**

From April to September 1939, 124 Squadron was allocated a squadron code but the squadron was not stood up. The squadron eventually reformed in 1941 as a fighter unit equipped with Spitfires stationed at RAF Castletown to provide air defence for Scapa Flow. It was then moved to RAF Biggin Hill operating several variants of the Spitfire on bomber escort and high altitude reconnaissance duties.

<http://www.chch.ox.ac.uk/cathedral/memorials/WW2/pelham-allen>

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Ackworth School.
- He was educated at Christ Church, Oxford.
- He worked as a Flight Sergeant Pilot. RAFVR. 124 Baroda Squadron.

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Pelham married **Annis T. Pilkington**.

### 10-Rupert Bolton Allen

9-**Philip Watlock Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 11 Jul 1895 in South Hornsey, London and died in 1971 in Yorkshire at age 76.

General Notes: He moved to Toronto, Ontario, Canada and worked as a Drug Salesman. On 28 Nov 1914, he signed up for the Canadian Overseas Expeditionary Force to fight in WW1. He returned to Canada at the end of the war as he got married and continued to work until retirement. He and Lillian, his wife, sailed from Quebec on the "s.s. Empress of Australia" and landed at Liverpool on 14 Dec 1955. (On the ship's register he is shown as a Retired Civil Servant).

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Drug salesman in Toronto, Ontario, Canada.
- He worked as a member of the Canadian Over-seas Expeditionary Force on 28 Nov 1914.

Philip married **Lillian Aileen Lewis**, daughter of **Charles Lewis** and **Elizabeth Ann Bell**. They had three children: **Edward Lewis**, **Charles Philip**, and **Josephine Elizabeth**.

### 10-Edward Lewis Allen

### 10-Charles Philip Allen

### 10-Josephine Elizabeth Allen

9-**Ruth Watlock Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 11 Aug 1898 in South Hornsey, London and died in 1978 in Southampton, Hampshire at age 80.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at The Mount School in Sep 1913-Jul 1915 in York, Yorkshire.

Ruth married **John Gordge** in May 1931. John was born in 1898.

9-**David Watlock Allen**<sup>6,26,79</sup> was born on 31 Aug 1905 in Finsbury Park, London and died in 1984 at age 79.

General Notes: ALLEN.-On the 31st August, 1905, at Finsbury Park, London, Edith Isabel, wife of E. Watlock Allen (1881-4), a son, who was named David Watlock.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1920-1922 in York, Yorkshire.

8-**Hannah Mabel Allen**<sup>103</sup> was born in 1869 in Stoke Newington, London and died in 1920 at age 51.

Hannah married **Bertram Carr**,<sup>103</sup> son of **Thomas William Carr**<sup>103,104</sup> and **Elizabeth Shipp Kitching**,<sup>103,104</sup> on 26 Aug 1897 in FMH Stoke Newington. Bertram was born in 1868 in York, Yorkshire and died on 30 May 1927 in Carlisle, Cumbria at age 59. They had six children: **Bertram Allen**, **Eleanor Mabel Allen**, **Beryl Kitching**, **Rupert Allen**, **Miriam Stafford**, and **Diana Mabel**.

General Notes: Mayor of Carlisle, 1917-18-19.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Biscuit Manufacturer of Carlisle.

9-**Bertram Allen Carr**<sup>103</sup> was born in 1898 and died in 1899 at age 1.

9-**Eleanor Mabel Allen Carr**<sup>26,103,105,106,107</sup> was born in Jun 1900 and died in 1967 at age 67.

Noted events in her life were:

- She had a residence in Codsall, Staffordshire.

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Eleanor married **Roger Shackleton Carr**,<sup>6,26,103,105,107,108</sup> son of **Frederick Thompson Carr**<sup>26,46</sup> and **Mary Edmundson Shackleton**, on 28 Aug 1924 in Burgh by Sands, Carlisle, Cumbria. Roger was born on 11 Apr 1897 in Wolverhampton, Staffordshire and died on 6 Aug 1965 in Codsall House, Codsall, Staffordshire at age 68. They had three children: **Elizabeth, Mary, and Elizabeth**.

Marriage Notes: CARR-CARR.-On August 28th, at Burgh by Sands, Roger Shackleton Carr (1909-15), to Mary E. Carr, of Codsall, Staffs.

**ERRATUM.** In the last number of BOOTHAM under Marriages :- CARR-CARR.-Roger Shackleton Carr (1909-15) to Eleanor (not Mary E.) Carr.

General Notes: CARR.-On 6th August, 1965, at his home at Codsall, Wolverhampton, Roger Shackleton Carr (1909-15), aged 68 years.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1909-1915 in York, Yorkshire.

10-**Elizabeth Carr**

10-**Mary Carr**

10-**Elizabeth Carr**

9-**Beryl Kitching Carr**<sup>6,103</sup> was born in Sep 1901 in Carlisle, Cumbria and died on 30 May 1960 in Warwick Square Nursing Home, Carlisle, Cumbria at age 58.

Beryl married **Hugh Latimer**,<sup>103</sup> son of **Alfred Latimer** and **Edith Florence Gameson**, in 1924 in Carlisle, Cumbria. Hugh was born in 1879 in Plymouth, Devon and died on 27 Mar 1956 in Moor House, Low Moorhouse, Cumbria at age 77. They had two children: **Michael Henry** and **Courtenay Allen**.

10-**Michael Henry Latimer**<sup>6,103</sup> was born on 24 Mar 1927 in Edmonton, London and died on 25 Sep 1984 in Carlisle, Cumbria at age 57.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a member of Carr & Co. Ltd. In Carlisle, Cumbria.

10-**Courtenay Allen Latimer**<sup>103</sup> was born on 9 Oct 1929 in Edmonton, London and died on 12 Sep 2011 in Woodbridge, Suffolk at age 81.

General Notes: *The late journalist, Jeffrey Bernard, writing in The Spectator of the 14th June 1985, had this to say of "Corky" Latimer.*

But after Derby Day you may imagine my shock, horror and the pallor of my tight-lipped face when I read that letter in last week's Spectator from Corky Latimer ticking me off for having written that our old school, the Nautical College Pangbourne, was 'awful' or 'ghastly'. Well, it was for me. Corky was, I believe, a cadet captain as opposed to a mere cadet so he had some privileges and he had the advantage of having a brain. With no rank and no brain until I was 16 everywhere but everywhere was awful and ghastly, and I include home. And Corky writing that four of our contemporaries are now admirals completely boggles my mind. I shudder to think that they might be any of the four boys who used to smoke cigarettes with me in the woods on Saturday afternoons and who had masturbation races in the dormitories. This could be very bad for a company like Cunard if it gets out. But we have survived, I suppose. That nutcase Ken Russell went to Pangbourne as did Beverley Cross the writer, who caned me once for reading a novel during prep. I remember it was Somerset Maugham. But my fondest memory of Pangbourne was getting 12 cuts for uttering a four-letter word beginning with F and it wasn't 'food'. It still makes me twitch to think about it. Sociologists will be surprised to know that it didn't do me any good. In fact it was probably that experience which makes me so rude to editors and policemen of all sorts. But, dear Corky, you shouldn't have implied that readers are not allowed to complain about me. They do all the time and make yourself at home in this respect at any time you like.

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*The Old Pangbournian Society in an obituary, were somewhat more circumspect.*

"Courtenay Latimer (43-47) died suddenly on 12 September, 2011, aged 78.

Known as Corky, he enjoyed his time at the NCP and left Pangbourne to do his national service in the Army, writes Lionel Stephens. Commissioned into the Royal Army Service Corps, Courtenay hoped that his love of boats and his nautical background would enable him to join Water Transport. Instead he was sent to Berlin where he was put in charge of the Havel Water Base during the vital Berlin Airlift of 1948-49. Late in life he published a detailed account of this episode in a book facetiously titled "My Struggle with Joseph Stalin."

After national service Courtenay became a yacht broker working in the City of London and later from his home in Woodbridge. In 1959 he sailed to New Zealand with a dozen others in the 70ft Aberdeen Anzac motor fishing vessel. Years later, in 2004, he wrote an account of this unusual voyage in a memoir titled "Creeping Up On Auckland."

Courtenay had a fantastic memory for detail and was great company. He loved keeping in touch with events at the College and attended the OP Reunion lunch in Lavenham in 2007.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Nautical College Pangbourne in Pangbourne, Berkshire.
- He worked as an officer of the Royal Army Service Corps.

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- He worked as an officer in charge Lake Havel seaplane base in 1948-1949 in Berlin, Germany.
- He worked as an Author and Traveller.
- He worked as a Yacht broker in London.

Courtenay married **Sarah Wistar Morton Frantz**, daughter of **Samuel Gibson Frantz** and **Sarah Wistar Morton**. They had one daughter: **Miranda Sarah**.

### 11-Miranda Sarah Latimer

Miranda married **Thomas Nye Swift**, son of **Lieut. Cmdr. Henry Miller Steel Swift USNR** and **Catherine Ellen Dugan**.

9-**Rupert Allen Carr**<sup>6,103</sup> was born on 15 Aug 1903 in Carlisle, Cumbria and died on 2 Jun 1983 in Deben, Essex at age 79.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Director of Carr & Co. Ltd. In Carlisle, Cumbria.

Rupert married **Sybil Wild**.

9-**Miriam Stafford Carr**<sup>103</sup> was born in 1907 in Carlisle, Cumbria and died in 1976 in Eaglesfield, Dumfriesshire at age 69.

Miriam married **Maj. Christopher Scott-Nicholson**<sup>6,103</sup> son of **Edwin Nicholson** and **Maud Hope Scott**, in 1930 in Carlisle, Cumbria. Christopher was born in 1906 in Barn Close, Stanwix, Carlisle, Cumbria, was christened on 26 Mar 1906 in Stanwix, Carlisle, Cumbria, and died in 1945 in Damascus, Syria at age 39. They had two children: **(No Given Name)** and **(No Given Name)**.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as an officer of the Lanarkshire Yeomanry.

### 10-Scott-Nicholson

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Miriam next married **Harold Spragge**.

9-**Diana Mabel Carr**<sup>6,103</sup> was born on 17 Mar 1914 in Carlisle, Cumbria and died in 2001 in Isle of Wight, Hampshire at age 87.

Diana married **Maj. Eric Creighton Halton**<sup>103</sup> in 1938. Eric was born in 1910 in Etterby, Stanwix, Carlisle, Cumbria, died on 4 Apr 1941 in Libya. Killed in action at age 31, and was buried in Benghazi War Cemetery. Grave 3.D.29..

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as an officer of the Royal Artillery.

Diana next married **Martin Edward Towler Wilkinson**<sup>6,103</sup> on 14 Dec 1946 in Caxton Hall, London. Martin was born in 1910 in York, Yorkshire and died in 1995 at age 85.

Marriage Notes: Wilkinson-Halton.-On 14th December, at Caxton Hall Register Office, London, Martin Edward Towler Wilkinson (1925-28), to Diana Mabel Halton (nee Carr), wife of the late Major Eric Halton

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1925-1928 in York, Yorkshire.

8-**George Stafford Allen**<sup>6,78,98,109,110</sup> was born on 2 Jun 1871 in Clissold Road, Stoke Newington, London and died on 22 Oct 1941 in London at age 70.

General Notes: Allen.-On 22nd October, 1941, in London, George Stafford Allen (1886-88), aged 70 years

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1886-1888 in York, Yorkshire.

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- He had a residence in 1 Westgate Terrace, Long Melford, Suffolk.

George married **Ida Robson**,<sup>6,78,109,110</sup> daughter of **Walter Robson**<sup>4,21,111,112</sup> and **Christina Cox**,<sup>4,21,112</sup> on 5 Jul 1900 in FMH Saffron Walden. Ida was born on 24 Apr 1876 in Saffron Walden, Essex and died on 26 Jun 1959 in 1 Westgate Terrace, Long Melford, Suffolk at age 83. They had four children: **Gilbert Stafford**, **Phyllis Stafford**, **Joan Stafford**, and **Hilda Stafford**.

Marriage Notes: ALLEN-FERDINANDO.-On October 3rd, in London, Gilbert Stafford Allen (1915-19) to Elizabeth Lily Mary Ferdinando, of Eversley, Hants.

9-**Gilbert Stafford Allen**<sup>26,113,114</sup> was born on 22 Sep 1901 in Long Melford, Suffolk and died on 14 Nov 1987 in Kingston, Jamaica at age 86.

General Notes: *November 7, 1925* **The Chemist and Druggist**

Allen - Ferdinando. - At St. Lawrence Jewry Church, London, E.C. 2, on October 21, by the Rev. Canon Besley, Gilbert Stafford Allen, only son of Mr. G. Stafford Allen, Hill House, Long Melford, to Elizabeth, eldest daughter of Mr. G. S. Ferdinando, Firgrove Manor, Eversley.

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**Terror by Night** - 1946 - He played a dining-car steward. The film starred the Quaker descended Basil Rathbone.

**The Paradine Case** - 1947 - unstated role & uncredited. The film starred Gregory Peck and Ann Todd, whose first husband, Nigel Trevithic Tangye, was, like his cousin Sir David Lean, Quaker descended and to whom she later became his third wife.

**Confidential Agent** - 1945 - He played a London policeman. Uncredited role.

<http://www.imdb.com/name/nm0020549/>

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ALLEN - on 14th November, 1987, in Jamaica, Gilbert Stafford Allen (1915-19).

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1915-1919 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as an Actor.

Gilbert married **Elizabeth Lily May Ferdinando**. They had one daughter: **Marguerite Ferdinando Stafford**.

### 10-Marguerite Ferdinando Stafford Allen

9-**Phyllis Stafford Allen**<sup>78</sup> was born on 8 May 1904 in Long Melford, Suffolk and died in 1974 in Lincoln, Lincolnshire at age 70.

General Notes: ALLEN.-On the 8th May, 1904, at Long Melford, Ida (nee Robson), wife of G. Stafford Allen (1886-8), a daughter who was named Phyllis Stafford.

Phyllis married **Raymond Claude Yelloly** in 1930. Raymond was born on 19 Jul 1901 in Cosford, Suffolk and died on 7 Oct 1987 in Warwickshire at age 86.

9-**Joan Stafford Allen**<sup>6,109</sup> was born on 3 Apr 1907 in Long Melford, Suffolk and died on 27 Sep 2003 in West Market Street, Leesburg, Virginia, USA at age 96.

General Notes: ALLEN.-On the 3rd April, 1907, at Long Melford, Ida, the wife of G. Stafford Allen (1886-88), a daughter, who was named Joan Stafford.

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After her husband's death in 1946, Joan Williams went back to her family home in Suffolk to care for her mother. She returned to Leesburg when her mother died, and worked at Loudoun Hospital caring for premature babies. She was also active in other community activities, continuing her interest in Thomas Balch Library and in Oatlands Plantation, where she served as a docent for 24 years. Joan Williams died 27 September 2003."

*Taken from the "Williams Family Papers 1819 - 1993" at the Thomas Balch Library, 208 West Market Street, Leesburg, VA 20176*

Joan Williams came to town, made it her own. Many times people come into our lives and leave their mark. But it is not often that someone moves into a county and becomes a predominate part of its history. Joan Stafford Allen Williams was one of these people. Not only did she touch the lives of people with her good works and generosity, but she left her mark on Loudoun County's history by telling the story of Oatlands Plantation. On Sept. 27, Mrs. Williams, 96, retired nurse and a docent for the National Trust at Oatlands, died in her home in Leesburg of an aortic aneurysm. "Mrs. Williams was like a page in Oatlands history," said Oatlands Director of Education Belinda Thomas. "She was part of the house, part of the history of strong women at Oatlands, and she taught us that history can be entertaining." Through her lively ways and strong personality, Mrs. Williams became an attraction at Oatlands. People would come from across the country to tour Oatlands with her as their guide, and she received fan mail from those who had already experienced her grandeur. Not only did Mrs. Williams touch tourists' hearts, she touched the hearts of everyone who came in contact with her, especially her family.

She was an inspiration to her friends and a legend to the children and grandchildren," said Anthony Yelloly, a nephew who resides in England. "She had a clear vision of what was right and what was wrong," said stepgrandson Win Williams. "She instilled her beliefs without being pompous." Mrs. Williams was born April 3, 1907, in Long Melford, Suffolk, England. In 1937 she took a trip to Washington, D.C., and while on the boat she met Harrison Williams, a farmer, lawyer and author in Loudoun County. A year later the two were married in the chapel of the National Cathedral. Transplanting herself into her new life, Mrs. Williams threw herself into many activities. She became a member of the Goose Creek Friends Meeting in Lincoln, the Leesburg Garden Club, the Leesburg Book Club and the 24 Club. She was widely known for her work as a night nurse in the neonatal ward of the old Loudoun Memorial Hospital on Cornwall Street in Leesburg



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during the 1960s. She would knit hats for the newborns and come in on her days off to care for children, said Walter Devine, who grew up in Leesburg. "I was born premature at 6 1/2 months," said Devine. "Incubators had just come in, and I had to be fed four times a day through a feeding tube. It was very dangerous because if the tube and food got into the lungs, the baby would die. "Mrs. Williams, or 'Wims' as I called her, was the only one who would feed me, so she even came in on her days off to feed me," he added. When the hospital moved to its present location at Lansdowne, Mrs. Williams stayed downtown and worked at the long-term care facility. She worked there until February of this year, only leaving after a minor stroke. "My grandmother always used to say, 'The problem with people today is they need a granny, someone to go to for advice'," said stepgranddaughter Constance de Bordenave. "She was a great listener. Sometimes her silence was heard more than her spoken voice." Up until the day she passed away, people were still going to visit and learn from her. "Whenever you were with her," said Devine, "you always left feeling better about yourself."  
*Taken from the Fairfax Times.*

Joan married **Harrison Williams**, son of **Griffin Stedman Williams** and **Mary Pearce Harrison**, on 17 Aug 1938 in National Cathedral, Washington DC, USA. Harrison was born on 28 Feb 1873 and died on 9 Jun 1946 in Buffalo, Erie County, New York, USA at age 73.

General Notes: Basic notes: He was educated at University School in Nottingham, and from 1890-1891 he attended Chateau de Lancy School near Geneva, Switzerland. His family returned to Buffalo USA in 1891. He attended law school at University of Buffalo, graduating in 1893, and was admitted to the bar the following year. He was a Lawyer, Farmer and Author. He was married twice before marrying Joan but both wives died. Harrison enjoyed traveling, and made a number of trips abroad. Harrison Williams met Joan Stafford Allen (1907-2003) during a transatlantic voyage from England in 1937. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Stafford Allen (n.d.) of Long Melford, Suffolk, England. The two became friends during the journey, and Williams invited her to visit Roxbury Hall when they arrived in the US. After she returned to England they continued to correspond. He surprised her with a visit to her home, where he proposed, in 1938. They were married on 17 August 1938 in the National Cathedral in Washington, DC. After they returned from a two-week wedding trip the couple settled in the new home Williams built on West Market St. in Leesburg next to Thomas Balch Library. The Williams both were involved with Thomas Balch Library, and Harrison Williams served as president of the library from 1925 until his death.

9-**Hilda Stafford Allen**<sup>6,26,42,87,110,115,116,117,118</sup> was born on 1 Mar 1909 in Long Melford, Suffolk and died in 1998 in Moreton in the Marsh, Gloucestershire at age 89.

General Notes: ALLEN.-On the 1st March, 1909, at Long Melford, Suffolk, Ida, wife of G. Stafford Allen (1886-8), a daughter, who was named Hilda Stafford.

Hilda married **Edwin Oakes Ransome**,<sup>26,42,87,88,93,115,116,117,118,119</sup> son of **Harold Edwin Ransome**<sup>30,70,88</sup> and **Alice Jane Oakes**,<sup>70,88</sup> on 12 Sep 1934 in FMH Friends House, London. Edwin was born on 16 Sep 1897 in Warrington, Cheshire and died on 26 Jul 1962 in Birmingham, Warwickshire. In hospital at age 64. They had four children: **Mary Allen**, **Jillian Stafford**, **Robert Edwin**, and **Diana Joan**.

Marriage Notes: RANSOME-ALLEN.-On September 12th, at Friends House, London Edwin Oakes Ransome (1911-14), to Hilda Stafford Allen.

General Notes: EDWIN O. RANSOME (1911-16) was recently on leave from No. 14 Convoy, F.A.U. *Bootham magazine - December 1918*  
RANSOME.— On 26th July, 1962, in hospital in Birmingham, Edwin Oakes Ransome (1911-14), aged 64 years.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Penketh School in Penketh, Warrington, Cheshire.
- He was educated at Bootham School in 1911-1914 in York, Yorkshire.
- He was educated at Dalton Hall, Manchester in 1914-1915.
- He worked as a member of No. 14 Convoy, Friends' Ambulance Unit in 1915-1919.
- He was educated at Dalton Hall, Manchester in 1919-1921.
- He worked as a Works Chemist at Oakenclough Paper Mills in 1921-1925 in Oakenclough, Calder Vale, Garstang, Lancashire.
- He worked as a Secretary of Barrow's Stores Ltd. In 1926-1934 in Birmingham, Warwickshire.
- He had a residence in 82 Farquhar Road, Birmingham, Warwickshire.
- He had a residence in 52b Linden Road, Bournville, Birmingham, Warwickshire.
- He worked as a Clerk of Warwick, Leicester and Stafford QM in 1927-1934.
- He worked as a Director of Barrow's Stores Ltd. From 1934 in Birmingham, Warwickshire.
- He worked as a Member of the Alpine Club.
- He resided at 34 Wellington Road in 1935 in Edgbaston, Birmingham, Warwickshire.

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### 10-Jillian Stafford Ransome

Jillian married **Charles Lloyd Cadbury**, son of **Paul Strangman Cadbury** and **Rachel Evelyn Wilson**,<sup>120</sup> on 8 Jan 1958 in Birmingham, Warwickshire. Charles was born on 3 Nov 1926 in Edgbaston, Birmingham, Warwickshire and died in Jan 2000 in Birmingham, Warwickshire at age 73. They had four children: **Ruth Margaret, Helen, David, and Thomas Stephen**.

#### 11-Ruth Margaret Cadbury

#### 11-Helen Cadbury

#### 11-David Cadbury

#### 11-Thomas Stephen Cadbury

### 10-Robert Edwin Ransome

Robert married **Jennifer Neath**. They had two children: **James Robert** and **(No Given Name)**.

#### 11-James Robert Ransome

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### 10-Diana Joan Ransome

**8-Douglas Allen**<sup>6,26,43,86,121,122</sup> was born on 16 May 1873 in London or Long Melford area and died on 20 Jun 1949 in Ramleh, Alexandria, Egypt at age 76.

General Notes: **Douglas Allen** (1888-90) has responded gallantly to the call with two letters. The following extracts have been selected so as to avoid duplicating news which appears in them both. " I am astounded to look back and think it's nearly fifty years since I left the old School, and yet I'm full of go, and the old brain, though a bit soft at times, still functions. " We've had a very hot and damp summer here, with plenty to do as we had the British Fleet here for months-we made friends with lots of the personnel, officers and men--and a fine lot they are too. " Winter is now with us, cold and quite a lot of rain-I smile when I see the adverts ' Come to sunny Egypt'-it may be sunny at times, but it can be extremely cold after a hot clammy summer, and we do enjoy a fire in our sitting-room. " Out of business hours I am fairly well occupied with Y.M.C.A. here (an international affair and very interesting), Toc H among our own people, and also I am on the Scout executive. I do not do any strenuous work with the boys now, though I was one of the founders of the movement here in 1912, and the dear old Chief Scout gave me the Medal of Merit for my labours! However, it's better to do something than to sit by and grin. " One wonders what Egypt will be like in a few years' time now that Britain has withdrawn her hand from the plough! As an old resident here I can see wobbly furrows from now on. It's all very well to talk about self-determination of smaller nations, but let 'em learn to walk before they run." Allen finishes up by sending warm greetings to Old Scholars in the West of Scotland, where last year he was on a motor tour with his wife. *Bootham magazine - April 1937*

**Douglas Allen** (1888-90) received an M.B.E. in the King's Birthday Honours, in recognition of his social activities in Scouting, Toc H, and Y.M.C.A. work in Alexandria, in which he has been engaged for the past thirty years. He and a Church of England Chaplain started the Scout movement in Egypt in 1912. *Bootham magazine - December 1939*

**DOUGLAS ALLEN** Douglas Allen, who passed peacefully away in Egypt on June 20th, aged 76, was the youngest son of Edward Ransome and Ellen (nee Watlock) Allen. He was educated at Paradise House, Stoke Newington, and afterwards at Bootham, 1889-90. On leaving school he was for a short period with the family firm of Stafford Allen & Sons, spending the greater part of the time on its farm at Ampthill, Bedfordshire, where plants were grown in connection with the business. It was then that I first came to know Douglas Allen and a close friendship resulted. To my personal sorrow, in 1898 he accepted a position in Alexandria with the firm Allen, Alderson & Co. Since then he resided in or near Alexandria for the rest of his life, with periodic visits to England. In 1901 he married Margaret Louise Fry, of Ipswich, and they enjoyed a life of unbroken happiness. Douglas Allen was a man of high integrity and in every sense a true English gentleman. He took an active part in the social life of the community in which he lived, and was always glad to help in any good cause. Among other activities he started the local Boy Scout movement in 1912, and in 1939 he was awarded the M.B.E. He had a warm personality and a strong sense of humour, and will long be remembered by those among whom he lived. This was evidenced by the fact that nearly 300 people attended his funeral, representing at least 12 different nationalities. P. W. BROWN. *Bootham magazine - June 1949*

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with MBE.
- He was educated at Paradise House School in Stoke Newington, London.
- He was educated at Bootham School in 1888-1890 in York, Yorkshire.
- He had a residence in Ramleh, Alexandria, Egypt.
- He worked as a representative manager for Allen, Alderson & Co. In Ramleh, Alexandria, Egypt.

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Douglas married **Margaret Louisa Fry**,<sup>6,26,77,121</sup> daughter of **Edward Fry**<sup>4,70,77,88,100,101,102</sup> and **Annette Ransome**,<sup>4,70,77,88,100,101</sup> in Sep 1901 in FMH Ipswich. Margaret was born on 27 Aug 1874 in Ipswich, Suffolk. They had one son: **Paul Douglas**.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at The Mount School in Aug 1889-Jun 1891 in York, Yorkshire.
- She was a Quaker.

**9-Paul Douglas Allen**<sup>6,121</sup> was born on 23 Nov 1905 in Ramleh, Alexandria, Egypt.

General Notes: ALLEN.-On the 23rd November, 1905, at Ramleh, Egypt, Margaret L. (nee Fry), wife of Douglas Allen (1888-90), a son, who was named Paul Douglas.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a representative manager for Allen, Alderson & Co. In Ramleh, Alexandria, Egypt.
- He worked as an Engineering lecturer in Birmingham, Warwickshire.

**7-Mary Allen**<sup>6,37,88</sup> was born on 20 Jun 1843 in 6 Brunswick Place, London and died on 4 Feb 1845 in 6 Brunswick Place, London at age 1.

**7-Jane Allen**<sup>6,23,88,123</sup> was born in Jul 1845 in 6 Brunswick Place, London and died on 1 Oct 1904 in Trewetha, Rowlands Castle, Hampshire at age 59.

General Notes: Jane Bastin, 59 1 10mo. 1904 Rowlands Castle. Wife of E. Philp Bastin. Jane Bastin was the daughter of the late Stafford and Hannah Allen (nee Ransome), and was born at Hoxton, London, in 1845, before her parents' removal to Stoke Newington, with which meeting they were so long intimately associated. She was the eldest surviving daughter of a family of ten children, and her early life at home was a very busy and happy one. Like some others who have had careful religious home training, Jane Allen probably could not remember a time when she did not love and trust her Saviour. Hers was an active and energetic temperament, and at school she took real pleasure in her lessons, which she never felt to be burdensome. Her bright, cheerful disposition made her a favourite with her schoolfellows, with some of whom she maintained an intimate friendship during all her life. After leaving school, her mother's deafness made her part in the family life at Paradise Row, and afterwards at Church Street, Stoke Newington, both active and responsible. Her parents warmly welcomed the visits of friends travelling in the ministry, and a number of these from America as well as from various parts of our own country, were welcome guests of Stafford and Hannah Allen, and these came under her loving care. During these years of home life she took an active interest in her own Meeting, and was a willing helper in working meetings and other useful service, such as visiting the aged and infirm, on behalf of her dear mother, whose thoughts often went out in sympathy and love towards those who were in trouble or sorrow. She was one of the early workers at the Bedford Institute, to which she went on First-day mornings and sometimes during the week for some years. The interest which she took in her class of girls was warmly reciprocated, and was maintained, in some instances long after she had ceased to be a teacher. Her marriage to E. Philp Bastin took place at Stoke Newington, August 12th, 1869. The first few years of married life were spent at Victoria Grove near her own and her husband's parents, and within easy reach of meeting, and of a large circle of friends. After the birth of their first child. Jane Bastin passed through a long and severe illness, from which she was mercifully restored to her dear ones. Another child was born in 1872, and shortly afterwards the family removed to Uxbridge, in which town and in the neighbouring village of West Drayton, many happy and eventful years were passed, as well as some anxious and sorrowful times. J. Bastin took much interest in the annual gatherings of Friends at Jordans Meeting-House, and enjoyed welcoming and entertaining them on their way to this lovely Buckinghamshire retreat. Many happy times of social intercourse were thus spent, which she greatly appreciated, and the meetings at Jordans were often times of true spiritual refreshment. It was soon after the annual gathering there in 1880, that her beloved mother, whilst on a visit at West Drayton, was called away to her heavenly home. During these years a meeting was held on Sunday evenings in a cottage at West Drayton in the endeavour to influence for good those who attended no other place of worship. Jane Bastin was seldom absent, whatever the weather, from the little gathering, which there is reason to believe was made a means of blessing to some. A weekly Bible reading was also held in her home, to which the neighbours were invited, and this was often felt to be a time of renewal of spiritual strength. Early in 1886, several of her children were prostrated by typhoid fever, and a protracted period of anxiety followed. They were all mercifully restored to health except Allie, the eldest son, whose life so full of promise was thus cut short in his sixteenth year. The blow was a heavy one indeed, and all that kind relatives and friends could think of was done to comfort the stricken hearts of the parents, but it was thought best not to return to West Drayton, and so a house was taken at Hammersmith. Later on they resided at Kingston-on-Thames for about ten years, and it was during this period, perhaps more than at any other that she was able, being now freed from the cares of a young family, to enter fully into the social and religious life of the Meeting to which she belonged. On January 9th, 1899, she wrote: - "I have said many times, I have surrendered all that I have and am to my Lord; but during this past month, a fuller, deeper spiritual joy has come into my heart, and I know what I have longed to know, that this is a real accomplished fact, a definite covenant with my God, and the hymn commencing 'Thou sweet beloved will of God' is the language of my heart to-day." Shortly after settling at Kingston she commenced a 'Mothers' Meeting'; many of the attenders were the objects of her love and sympathy, and some of the friendships thus formed were only terminated by her death. Later on this 'Mothers' Meeting was merged in the Women's Adult School, which has become a flourishing and efficient organisation. The garden at her home, "Trevoise," was an unfailing source of pleasure to her, and many were the summer gatherings to which she welcomed personal friends, and those in whom she was interested, for happy hours of social and religious enjoyment. She writes: - "Such a blessed promise is mine this week, Isaiah Iviii. verses 8 to 11; what a beautiful picture during these cool evenings which have followed so many sultry ones! how I have revelled in the sweetness and fragrance of my watered garden, ferns, roses and lilies bending their heads in joyful refreshment. The sweet patter of rain upon leaves outside conies as music. Oh the sweet refreshing of the heavenly dew." On two or three occasions she invited the young women from the Aerated Bread Company's establishment near Devonshire House, to spend an afternoon in a ramble on the banks of the Thames and amongst the attractions of Hampton Court Palace and grounds, with a pleasant, social and religious opportunity at Trevoise before their return to London. She thus sought to show her appreciation of their efforts for the comfort of Friends during Yearly Meeting. She wrote: - "It is joy beyond words to me to know that we are heirs together of the grace of life, and that our beloved children are under His own preparing hand for their work in His harvest field." The last three years

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of her life, 1901-1904, were spent at her new home "Trewetha" in the quiet village of Rowlands Castle, Hampshire, away from the noise and bustle of town life and amidst pleasant rural surroundings. Although she appeared to be enjoying fairly good health, and the more bracing atmosphere seemed to suit her, she did not feel able to take up much in the way of active work. Drawing room Bible readings were however held occasionally, and a quarterly tea meeting for the wives of the workmen in the Village Institute. She was also much interested in the village children and enjoyed having them in to play in her garden. The training of girls for domestic service was a subject about which she thought a good deal, and she endeavoured to do what she could in this direction. Her loving sympathy was always extended towards the sad and suffering. Mothers with large families to provide for on slender incomes, were sure of her ready and patient attention, and of receiving the best help and advice which she could give. During the spring of 1903 and thenceforward, J. Bastin was conscious of a steady but very gradual decrease of strength, evidenced principally by her shortened walks and by her avoiding the hills. She left home very seldom after this time, and attendance at Monthly and Quarterly Meetings, the holding of the Bible readings, and other gatherings of adults and children in the house and garden, which she had much enjoyed, had to be curtailed and subsequently given up altogether. But it was not until the early part of August, 1904, that serious alarm was felt, and she took to her bed on the 4th of the following month. From this time until the end she calmly and patiently bore the increasing weakness and weariness which nothing could remove, but which the loving care of those about her did the utmost possible to alleviate. She was still able at times to enjoy hearing portions of her favourite psalms and hymns, and she realised the presence of her Saviour, and that underneath were the everlasting arms. All her children were present during one or more of the closing days, and solemn as were the moments spent with the dear one so near the hour of separation, they were indeed moments never to be forgotten, as loving messages and kind and thoughtful words were spoken to each one. On the day before the close, she was remarkably calm and peaceful, and it was difficult to believe that the end was near. She asked for each member of the household and bade them a loving farewell: just when evening set in, she sank into a deep slumber from which she did not awake. She entered into rest on the morning of October 1st, 1904. Oh! faithless heart, the same loved face transfigured shall meet thee there, Less sad, less wistful, in immortal beauty Divinely fair. The mortal veil, washed pure with many weepings, is rent away, and the great soul that sat within its prison hath found the day.

Jane married **Edward Philip Bastin**,<sup>23,123</sup> son of **Edward Bastin**<sup>72,124</sup> and **Catherine Lidgley**,<sup>72</sup> on 12 Aug 1869 in FMH Stoke Newington. Edward was born on 28 Dec 1843 in Redruth, Cornwall and died in 1921 in Bridport, Dorset at age 78. They had seven children: **Stafford Allen, Mary Ransome, Robert Stephens, Frank, Helen Mayfield, John Howard, and Margaret Stafford**.

General Notes: He had three surviving sons and two daughters from his first marriage, and moved around a lot. In 1874 from Stoke Newington to Uxbridge and West Drayton, in 1890 to Kingston upon Thames, in 1902 to Rowlands Castle, then Milford Haven, Ettington near Stratford upon Avon, then Devon and finally Dorset.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as an Engineer in Victoria Grove, Stoke Newington, London.
- He had a residence after 1873 in Uxbridge, Middlesex.
- He had a residence after 1886 in Hammersmith, London.
- He had a residence in Trevoise, Kingston upon Thames.
- He had a residence after 1901 in Trewetha, Rowlands Castle, Hampshire.

8-**Stafford Allen Bastin**<sup>23,125</sup> was born on 7 Dec 1870 in Victoria Grove, Stoke Newington, London, died on 26 Feb 1886 in West Drayton, Middlesex at age 15, and was buried in FBG Stoke Newington.

General Notes: "Allie" Bastin

8-**Mary Ransome Bastin** was born in Sep 1872.

Mary married **Philip Marsh**,<sup>26,126,127</sup> son of **Bedford Marsh**<sup>30</sup> and **Hannah Maria Hills**, in 1901 in FMH Esher. Philip was born on 15 Feb 1869 in Kingston upon Thames, Surrey and died on 21 Apr 1953 in Guildford, Surrey at age 84.

General Notes: From J.J. Greene 1900 - Philip Marsh was one of the hon Secretaries of the Friends' Christian Fellowship Union, and is now Treasurer, besides being President of the Kingston Adult Men's School &co.

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PHILIP MARSH (1882-5) has, after some years' service, resigned the Secretaryship of the Friends' Christian Fellowship Union, and the duties have been temporarily undertaken by Frederic Taylor (1876). *Bootham School Magazine - September 1902*  
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MARSH.— On 21st April, 1953, Philip Marsh (1882-85), aged 84 years.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1882-1885 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as a Builder and Contractor, Grace and Marsh (Builders) in 1904 in Croydon, Surrey.
- He resided at Homecroft, Briton Hill Road in 1935 in Sanderstead, Croydon, Surrey.

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8-**Robert Stephens Bastin**<sup>6</sup> was born on 29 Oct 1873 in Uxbridge, Middlesex and died in 1951 in Taunton, Somerset at age 78.

Robert married **Mabel Catherine Fardon**, daughter of **Joseph Henry Fardon**<sup>4,8,72,128</sup> and **Sophia Jane Marriage**,<sup>4,72</sup> Mabel was born in 1877 in Alton, Hampshire.

8-**Frank Bastin**<sup>6</sup> was born on 6 Dec 1875 in West Drayton, Middlesex and died in 1962 in Croydon, Surrey at age 87.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Paradise House Boys School, Stoke Newington.
- He worked as a Machinery and Engineering Goods Merchant.

Frank married **Emma Maude Gill**<sup>6</sup> in 1904 in Reigate, Surrey. Emma was born in 1875. They had two children: **Constance Jean** and **Allen Frank**.

Noted events in their marriage were:

- They had a residence in "Blendworth", Edgar Road, Sanderstead, Surrey.

9-**Constance Jean Bastin**<sup>6</sup> was born in 1907 in Reigate, Surrey.

9-**Allen Frank Bastin** was born on 10 Feb 1910 in Sanderstead, Surrey and died in Feb 1994 in York, Yorkshire at age 84.

8-**Helen Mayfield Bastin**<sup>6</sup> was born in Mar 1877 in West Drayton, Middlesex and died on 14 Oct 1942 in 7 Woodside, Plymouth, Devon at age 65.

8-**John Howard Bastin**<sup>6</sup> was born on 20 Feb 1878 in West Drayton, Middlesex, died in 1956 in Calgary, Alberta, Canada at age 78, and was buried in Carmangay Cemetery, Alberta, Canada.

Noted events in his life were:

- He emigrated in 1905 from Canada.

John married **Etta "Ettie" Burt**<sup>6</sup>, daughter of **William Frederick Burt** and **Margaretta Heppell**, on 11 Mar 1908 in Islington, London. Etta was born in Jan 1882 in London, died in 1960 in Calgary, Alberta, Canada at age 78, and was buried in Carmangay Cemetery, Alberta, Canada. They had seven children: **Mary Constance**, **Helen Marguerite**, **Phyllis Vivian**, **Freda**, **Philip Howard**, **Joan Etta**, and **Edward Allen**.

Noted events in her life were:

- She emigrated Canada in 1908.

9-**Mary Constance Bastin** was born in 1910 in Alberta, Canada and died about 1990 about age 80.

9-**Helen Marguerite Bastin** was born in 1911 in Alberta, Canada, died in 2005 at age 94, and was buried in Carmangay Cemetery, Alberta, Canada.

9-**Phyllis Vivian Bastin** was born in 1912 in Alberta, Canada, died in 1998 at age 86, and was buried in Carmangay Cemetery, Alberta, Canada.

Phyllis married **John Albert Kulpas**, son of **Anton Kulpas**. John was born on 9 Nov 1900 in St. Pierre, South Dakota, USA, died on 25 Dec 1981 in Kelowna General Hospital, Kelowna, British Columbia, Canada at age 81, and was buried on 31 Dec 1981 in Pine Grove Crematorium, Kamloops, British Columbia, Canada. The cause of his death was Bronchopneumonia.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as an Automobile Mechanic.

9-**Freda Bastin** was born in 1914 in Alberta, Canada and died on 14 Aug 2003 in Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada at age 89.

Freda married **Alfred J. Kitchen**. Alfred died in 1997 in Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada.

9-**Philip Howard Bastin** was born in 1915 in Alberta, Canada.

9-**Joan Etta Bastin** was born on 23 Mar 1918, died on 8 Sep 2011 at age 93, and was buried in Carmangay Cemetery, Alberta, Canada.

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Joan married **Harrison**.

9-**Edward Allen Bastin** was born in 1919, died in 1920 at age 1, and was buried in Carmangay Cemetery, Alberta, Canada.

8-**Margaret Stafford Bastin**<sup>123</sup> was born on 25 Jan 1882 in West Drayton, Middlesex, died on 16 Apr 1883 in West Drayton, Middlesex at age 1, and was buried in FBG Winchmore Hill.

7-**William Clarkson Allen**<sup>6,77,88,128</sup> was born on 2 Nov 1846 in 14 Charles Square, Shoreditch, London (1 Dec 1846 also given) and died on 19 Nov 1908 in Winchmore Hill, London at age 62.

General Notes: ALLKN.-On the 19th November, 1908, at London, William Clarkson Allen (1861-3), in his 62nd year.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1861-1863 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as a Drug Grinder in Highbury, London.
- He was a Quaker.

William married **Mary Ann Watlock**,<sup>77</sup> daughter of **John Dawson Watlock**<sup>15,19,58,70</sup> and **Ann Hickes**,<sup>15,58,70</sup> on 5 Jan 1871 in FMH Stoke Newington. Mary was born in Sep 1843 in Wandsworth, London. They had four children: **Malcolm Watlock**, **Edith Annette**, **Kathleen Mary**, and **Kenneth Clarkson**.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was a Quaker.

8-**Malcolm Watlock Allen**<sup>24,95,129</sup> was born in Dec 1871 in Stoke Newington, London and died on 27 Jul 1903 in Sligachan, Isle of Skye, Scotland at age 31.

General Notes: ALLEN.-On the 27th July, 1903, at Sligachan, Isle of Skye, Malcolm Watlock Allen (1886-8), of 26 Highbury Quadrant, London, N., aged 31 years. Of "Malc" Allen, whose death occurred so suddenly and tragically while scrambling among the hills of Skye, we must forbear to speak. A popular favourite leaves his place so empty.

*Sweet as the tender fragrance that survives,  
When martyred flowers breathe out their little lives ;  
Sweet as a song that once consoled our pain,  
But never will be sung to us again,  
Is thy remembrance. Now the hour of rest  
Hath come to thee'97sleep, darling, it is best.  
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Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1886-1888 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as a Drug Grinder in Highbury, London.
- He had a residence in 26 Highbury Quadrant, Highbury, Islington, London.

8-**Edith Annette Allen** was born in Jun 1873.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at The Mount School in Aug 1887-Dec 1890 in York, Yorkshire.

8-**Kathleen Mary Allen**<sup>77</sup> was born on 25 Nov 1875.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at The Mount School in Aug 1890-Dec 1892 in York, Yorkshire.
- She was a Quaker.

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Kathleen married **Wilfred Hennell** in 1914 in Edmonton, London. Wilfred was born in 1875.

8-**Kenneth Clarkson Allen**<sup>95,130,131,132,133,134,135</sup> was born on 25 Jul 1878 in Albion Road, Stoke Newington, London and died on 2 Feb 1962 in Eastbourne, East Sussex at age 83.

General Notes: **I have in my family note book from 20+ years ago that Roger had 2 older sisters Barbara Christina & Mary Sybil but I now cannot trace where from!! Anthony Allen Oct 2013**

ALLEN.— On 2nd February, 1962, at Eastbourne, after a short illness, Kenneth Clarkson Allen (1892-95), aged 83 years

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1892-1895 in York, Yorkshire.

Kenneth married **Sybil Robson**,<sup>131,132,133,134</sup> daughter of **Walter Robson**<sup>4,21,112,136</sup> and **Christina Cox**,<sup>4,21,112</sup> on 7 Jun 1906 in FMH Saffron Walden. Sybil was born on 25 Jan 1880 in Saffron Walden, Essex. They had four children: **Barbara Christina, Mary Sybil Clarkson, Roger Kenneth**, and **Anthony William**.

Marriage Notes: ALLEN-ROBSON.-On the 7th June, 1906, at Saffron Walden, Kenneth Clarkson Allen (1892-5), of Highbury Quadrant , London, to Sybil Robson, of Saffron Walden.  
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ALLEN-ROBSON.— On 7th June, 1906, Kenneth Clarkson Allen (1892-95), to Sybil Robson.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at The Mount School in Sep 1896-Jul 1898 in York, Yorkshire.

9-**Barbara Christina Allen**<sup>131</sup> was born on 18 Jul 1908 in South Croydon, Surrey.

General Notes: ALLEN.-On the 18th July, 1908, at South Croydon, Sibyl, wife of Kenneth Clarkson Allen (1892-5), a daughter, who was named Barbara Christina.

9-**Mary Sybil Clarkson Allen**<sup>132</sup> was born on 23 Sep 1910 in Croydon, Surrey.

General Notes: ALLEN.-On the 23rd September, 1910, at Croydon, Sybil (Robson), wife of Kenneth Clarkson Allen (1892-5), a daughter , who was named Mary Sybil Clarkson.

9-**Roger Kenneth Allen**<sup>6,44,45,94,133,137,138,139</sup> was born on 27 Feb 1913 in Waldenhurst, Broxbourne, Hertfordshire and died on 29 May 1966 at age 53.

General Notes: ALLEN.-On the 27th February, 1913, at Waldenhurst , Broxbourne, Herts. , Sybil (Robson), wife of Kenneth Clarkson Allen (1892-5), a son, who was named Roger Kenneth.  
**ALLEN.**— On 29th May, 1966, suddenly, Roger Kenneth Allen (1926-31), aged 53 years.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1926-1931 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as a Managing Director of Stafford Allen & Sons in Cowper Street, Finsbury, London.

Roger married **Rachel Barbara Wilson**,<sup>44,45,94,137,138</sup> daughter of **Kenneth Henry Wilson**<sup>84,120</sup> and **Mary Isabel Cadbury**,<sup>84,120</sup> on 22 Jun 1940 in FMH Bournville. Rachel was born on 22 May 1915 in Edgbaston, Birmingham, Warwickshire and died in Mar 2000 in Dacorum, Hertfordshire at age 84. They had seven children: **Gabriel Allen, Peter, Peter William, Christopher John, Adrian Roger, Charles Kenneth**, and **Caroline Isabel**.

Marriage Notes: Allen-Wilson.-On 22nd June, 1940, at the Friends' Meeting House, Bournville, Roger Kenneth Allen (1926-31) to Rachel Barbara Wilson.

10-**Gabriel Allen Allen** was born on 21 Mar 1942 in Harpenden, Hertfordshire and died on 21 Mar 1942 in Harpenden, Hertfordshire.

10-**Peter Allen** was born on 21 Mar 1942 in Harpenden, Hertfordshire and died on 22 Mar 1942 in Harpenden, Hertfordshire.

10-**Peter William Allen**

10-**Dr. Christopher John Allen**

10-**Adrian Roger Allen**

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### 10-Charles Kenneth Allen

### 10-Caroline Isabel Allen

Caroline married **Andrew Ward**.

9-**Anthony William Allen**<sup>44,45,46,98</sup> was born on 3 Oct 1917 in Waldenhurst, Broxbourne, Hertfordshire and died on 29 Oct 2006 in Long Melford, Suffolk at age 89.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1930-1935 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as a Chairman of Stafford Allen & Sons.

Anthony married **Marion Laing Wallis**, daughter of **Isaac Gray Wallis**. They had three children: **Susan Margaret Adair**, **Andrew Kenneth**, and **Richard Anthony**.

10-**Susan Margaret Adair Allen**<sup>44</sup> was born on 4 May 1943 in Hawick, Roxburghshire and died on 23 Oct 2014 in South Africa at age 71.

General Notes: Allen-On 4th May, 1943, to Marion L. and Anthony W. Allen (1930-35), a daughter, who was named Susan Margaret Adair.

Susan married **Robert Blackwood-Murray**. They had two children: **James** and **Georgina Elizabeth**.

### 11-James Blackwood-Murray

James married **Debbie Franks**. They had one daughter: **Lulu Mei**.

### 12-Lulu Mei Blackwood-Murray

### 11-Georgina Elizabeth Blackwood-Murray

Georgina married **Rupert John Mark Shield**. They had two children: **Hugo** and **Elliot**.

### 12-Hugo Shield

### 12-Elliot Shield

Susan next married **Ian Cochrane**.

### 10-Andrew Kenneth Allen

Andrew married **Patricia Margaret Peel-Yates**. They had two children: **Annette Louise** and **Anthony John**.

### 11-Annette Louise Allen

Annette married **Timothy Guy**. They had two children: **William** and **Matthew**.

### 12-William Guy

### 12-Matthew Guy

### 11-Anthony John Allen

Anthony married **Alyna Wyatt**. They had one son: **Riley**.

### 12-Riley Allen

### 10-Richard Anthony Allen

Richard married **Vanessa Mary Codling**. They had four children: **Charles**, **William**, **Francesca**, and **Alexandra**.



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### 11-Charles Allen

Charles married **Katherine Hodgkinson**. They had one son: **Archie**.

### 12-Archie Allen

### 11-William Allen

### 11-Francesca Allen

### 11-Alexandra Allen

7-**Hannah Ransome Allen**<sup>6,88</sup> was born on 28 Jun 1848 in 14 Charles Square, Shoreditch, London and died on 1 Jun 1856 in Warwick House, Paradise Row, Stoke Newington, London at age 7.

7-**Edith Mary Allen**<sup>4,26,88,101,140</sup> was born on 9 Nov 1850 in Church Street, Stoke Newington, London and died on 25 Dec 1894 at age 44.

Edith married **Samuel Alexander Maw**<sup>4,26,101,140</sup> son of **Samuel Alexander Maw**<sup>4,19,124</sup> and **Rachel Alexander**<sup>4,19</sup> on 25 Sep 1873 in FMH Stoke Newington. Samuel was born on 2 Aug 1846 in Needham Market, Suffolk and died on 3 Sep 1909 in Fillmore, California, USA at age 63. They had seven children: **Wilfred Alexander, Norman Francis, Ernest Archibald, Eric Stafford, Edith Muriel, Mary Violet, and Geoffrey Waring**.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with JP.
- He was educated at Bootham School in 1858-1863 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as a Banker for Alexander's Bank in Needham Market, Suffolk.
- He worked as a Clerk to both Suffolk and Essex Quarterly Meetings.
- He worked as a Quaker Elder and Overseer.
- He had a residence in 1905-1909 in Fillmore, California, USA.

8-**Wilfred Alexander Maw**<sup>26,50,79,94,141,142</sup> was born on 4 Nov 1874 in Needham Market, Suffolk and died on 19 Mar 1940 in Winchmore Hill, London at age 65.

General Notes: CHUNGKING, CHINA. WILFRID A. MAW (1888-91), tells us of a tiger that recently made its appearance in his neighbourhood and killed four men and a girl. A curious fact in connection with the incident was that no native would give information to the British Consul as to the whereabouts of the beast as their priests had convinced them that it was a god ! Wilfrid Maw goes on to tell us that " there is a local daily paper published by a Jap whose chief object is to set the Chinese against all foreigners (especially English) except Japanese. The latest sensation which set all Chungking and this half of the province in a ferment was the announcement of the English occupation of the Yangtse Valley and that a huge British force was coming up the river from Ichang with no end of warships. We were fortunate to escape a serious riot, as the report had reached us that all the Church members, a few hundreds, would be spared, but the rest of the population, 300,000 or so, wiped out ! " Wilfrid Maw is acting as treasurer of the mission, an occupation that , as those who remember him at Bootham will know, must suit his mathematical abilities well, more especially as he has some six or seven different native currencies to take into account ! But besides this he has charge of the boys' primary school, takes both English and Latin classes, hunts butterflies, and has studied sufficiently to enable him to pass three half-yearly examinations in the past year ! Truly the life of a missionary is none too easy a one, and who shall say that the Alma Mater is not honoured indeed by those of her sons that undertake it ?

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Maw.-On 19th March, at Winchmore Hill, Wilfred Alexander Maw (1888-91), aged 65 years.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at The Friends' School Lexden in 1882-1886 in Lexden, Colchester, Essex.
- He was educated at Paradise House School in 1887-1888 in Stoke Newington, London.
- He was educated at Bootham School in 1888-1891 in York, Yorkshire.
- He was educated at Leighton Park Schhol in 1891-1892 in Reading, Berkshire.
- He worked as a Bankers Clerk with Gurney & Barclay's Banks in 1892-1902.

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- He worked as a member of the FFMA in 1903.
- He worked as a Quaker Missionary in 1905-1911 in Chungking, Szechuan, China.
- He was a Quaker until resigning membership before 1911.
- He worked as a Draughtsman with the FFMA in 1913 in London.
- Miscellaneous: Was called up in WW1 but rejected for extreme deafness.
- He worked as an Assistant Rates Collector for Finchley Urban District Council in 1914-1918 in Finchley, London.
- He worked as a staff member of Chas. Knight & Co., Printers and Local Government Publishers after 1918 in London.
- He resided at 47 Palmerston Crescent in 1935 in Palmers Green, London.

Wilfred married **Edith Benson**<sup>26,141,142</sup> on 27 Oct 1903 in FMH Devonshire House. Edith was born in 1879 in Chelmsford, Essex. They had two children: **Margaret** and **Geoffrey Morrison**.

Marriage Notes: MAW-BENSON.-On the 27th October, 1903, at Devonshire House, Wilfred Alexander Maw (1888-91), of Needham Market, to Edith Benson, of Chelmsford.

9-**Margaret Maw**<sup>142</sup> was born on 19 Nov 1909 in T'ung Ch'wan, Szechwan, China.

General Notes: MAW.-On the 19th November, 1909, at T'ung Ch'wan, West China, Edith, wife of Wilfrid A. Maw (1888-91), a daughter, who was named Margaret.

9-**Geoffrey Morrison Maw** was born on 19 Nov 1909 in T'ung Ch'wan, Szechwan, China and died in 1983 in Berkshire at age 74.

Geoffrey married **Joyce A. Gledhill**.

Geoffrey next married **Isabella Rackstraw**.

8-**Norman Francis Maw**<sup>4,26,126,143</sup> was born on 22 Dec 1875 in Needham Market, Suffolk and died on 6 Mar 1962 in San Diego, California, USA at age 86.

General Notes: MAW.-In 1962, in California, Norman Francis Maw (1888-91), aged 87 years.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1888-1891 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as a Citrus fruit grower in Fillmore, California, USA.
- He resided at 3235 Freeman Street in 1935 in San Diego, California, USA.

Norman married **Eliza Kennedy Stephens**,<sup>26,126</sup> daughter of **John George Stephens** and **Mary Catherine Wilson**, on 17 Apr 1900 in Colegrave, California. Eliza was born on 22 May 1872 in Scotland and died on 8 Jul 1957 in San Diego, California, USA at age 85. They had one son: **Richard Douglas**.

9-**Richard Douglas Maw**<sup>6,26,126</sup> was born on 9 Jul 1902 in Ventura, California, USA and died on 28 May 1992 in Howard, Texas, USA at age 89.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Manager of the Purchasing Dept., Ryan Aircraft in 1940 in San Diego, California, USA.

8-**Ernest Archibald Maw**<sup>140</sup> was born on 31 Dec 1876 in Needham Market, Suffolk and died on 8 Feb 1878 in Needham Market, Suffolk at age 1.

8-**Eric Stafford Maw**<sup>101</sup> was born on 12 Jun 1878 in Sudbury, Suffolk and died on 10 Jun 1888 in Stroud, Gloucestershire at age 9.

8-**Edith Muriel Maw**<sup>81</sup> was born in Sep 1880 in Sudbury, Suffolk.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at The Mount School in Sep 1896-Jul 1898 in York, Yorkshire.

Edith married **William Edward Gregory**,<sup>81</sup> son of **James Gilpin Gregory**<sup>4</sup> and **Edith Rebecca Wright**,<sup>4</sup> on 6 Oct 1905 in Tananarive, Madagascar. William was born on 15 Mar 1878 in Barnsley,

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Yorkshire and died on 2 Oct 1930 in Station Road, Stoke on Trent, Staffordshire at age 52. They had two children: **Edith Mary** and **Harold Stafford**.

9-**Edith Mary Gregory** was born on 17 Jul 1906 in Tananarive, Madagascar and died in 1980 in Oxford, Oxfordshire at age 74.

Edith married **Otto Peetz**.

9-**Harold Stafford Gregory**<sup>81</sup> was born in Aug 1915 in Tananarive, Madagascar and died on 13 Sep 1915 in Tananarive, Madagascar.

8-**Mary Violet Maw** was born on 30 Nov 1882 in Sudbury, Suffolk.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at The Mount School in Jan 1898-Apr 1899 in York, Yorkshire.

Mary married **Benson Tatham Woodhead**, son of **Samuel Benson Woodhead**<sup>58</sup> and **Susanna Greeves Baker**,<sup>58</sup> Benson was born on 22 Feb 1874 in Manchester and died about 1944 about age 70. They had one son: **Alexander Benson**.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Ackworth School.
- He worked as a Grocer in Manchester.

9-**Alexander Benson Woodhead** was born on 11 Feb 1905 in Chorlton upon Medlock, Manchester and died in 1921 in Manchester at age 16.

8-**Geoffrey Waring Maw**<sup>26,122,144,145,146,147,148,149,150</sup> was born on 12 Aug 1885 in Sudbury, Suffolk and died on 11 May 1959 in Birmingham, Warwickshire at age 73.

General Notes: A long and interesting letter from G. W. MAW (1899-1902) from Nagpur must be heavily scissored, in the manner of film production. He writes: " I have been sending home lots of newspaper cuttings giving long descriptions of the M.C.C. tour to my boys. Hugh, the youngest, hoped that I would ask C. K. Naidu to get the autographs of all the M.C.C. players. I am afraid I found the request rather embarrassing. I met C. K. Naidu rather more than a year ago, as he is an old student of Hislop College, and he was the lion of the season just about the time the College held its Annual Social Gathering, soon after Naidu's return from England. . . . " I have now been living for over six months in my third place of residence since returning to Nagpur fourteen months ago. To start of f with I shared a bungalow with one of the Church of Scotland missionaries, and then moved back to the bungalow on the Friends' Hostel compound. . . . The bungalow is an enormous barn of a place, built in the old spacious days when things were cheap and labour cost almost nothing. It is uncomfortably large according to modern missionary ideas, and there are not many missionaries nowadays who would not gladly exchange for something smaller and easier to manage, and not so far away from the people in more senses than one. I lived there through the hot weather, as that was the place provided for me by the Scottish Mission. But during the hot weather, in a very remarkable way, details of which I have no time to tell, I was led to the small house in the city which I now occupy. If you were to see a photograph of the house without any means of judging its scale you might think that I had gone into a still more palatial residence, as the house is a two-storey building, with a space under the roof that can be used as a storage place for lumber. But the rooms are really so low that neither up nor down stairs is there very much clearance for my head. In fact, in my office, which is the only room downstairs (not counting the front veranda), which by means of bamboo curtains I turn into a sitting-room if I have visitors, I can actually touch one of the beams with my head when I am standing under it. I am over 6 ft. when I have shoes on, but my highest door is 5 ft. 6 in., while the lowest is just half an inch less than 4 ft., and that is a door that I go through quite frequently. . . . The house is situated within twenty yards of a main street, on the other side of which is the big Government Hospital. . . . My immediate neighbours are blacksmiths, washermen, fishermen, and poUce. . . . " But in spite of it all .. I have had a very happy six months here. I am on very good terms with all my neighbours. The next-door children, several of whom have not yet reached the stage when clothes are considered necessary for either sex, come wandering freely in and out of my house at almost any time of the day. In fact, almost every day, when I am doing something which I really must concentrate on, I have to put the chain on the courtyard door to keep them out. But they are a jolly, lively little crowd, and I can forgive them a lot, even when they come and pull up some of the most precious things in my garden, which has been a great joy to them." *Bootham magazine - April 1934*

MAW.'97On 11th May, 1959, at his home in Birmingham, Geoffrey Waring Maw (1899-1902), aged 73 years.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Theobald's Grammar School in 1896-1899 in Needham Market, Suffolk.
- He was educated at Bootham School in 1899-1902 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as a member of Barclays Bank in 1902-1907 in Stowmarket, Suffolk.
- Miscellaneous: Passed the Institute of Bankers Final Examination, 1905.
- He was educated at the Friends Foreign Mission Association for service in India in 1907-1910 in London.

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- He emigrated to India in 1910.
- Miscellaneous: Head of list in the Third Hindi Language examination, 1914.
- He worked as an Elder of Mid-India YM.
- He worked as a Manager of Hislop Collegiate High School in 1930 in Nagpur, Maharashtra, India.
- He worked as a Quaker missionary.

Geoffrey married **Mildred Amy Brison**,<sup>26,122,145,146,147,148,149,150,151</sup> daughter of **Alfred Brison**<sup>77</sup> and **Elizabeth Scarnell**,<sup>77</sup> on 9 Dec 1911 in FMH Hoshangabad, Madhya Pradesh, India. Mildred was born on 11 Apr 1885 in Bristol, Gloucestershire and died in 1987 at age 102. They had five children: **Allen Scarnell**, **Noel Ransome**, **Theodore Stafford**, **Hugh Waring**, and **Gillian Mary**.

Marriage Notes: MAW-BRISON.-On the 6th December, 1911, at Hoshangabad, C.P. , India, Geoffrey Waring Maw (1899-1902), to Mildred Amy Brison, of Belfast.  
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MAW-BRISON.— On December 6th, 1911, at the Friends Meeting House, Hoshangabad, C.P., India, Geoffrey Waring Maw (1899-1902), to Mildred Amy Brison.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at The Mount School in Jan 1901-Jul 1903 in York, Yorkshire.
- She worked as a Quaker missionary.

9-**Allen Scarnell Maw**<sup>26,45,86,146,152</sup> was born on 30 Apr 1914 in Pachmarhi, Madhya Pradesh, India and died on 8 Jun 2003 in Wandsworth, London at age 89.

General Notes: MAW.-On the 30th April, 1914, at Pachmarhi , C.P. , India, Mildred Amy (Brison), wife of Geoffrey Waring Maw (1899-1902), a son, who was named Allen Scarnell.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at The Downs School before 1928 in Colwall, Malvern, Herefordshire.
- He was educated at Bootham School in 1928-1932 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as an Assistant Manager in a Catering Business in 1935 in Bristol, Gloucestershire.
- He resided at 25c Durdham Park in 1935 in Bristol, Gloucestershire.

Allen married **Cicely Evans**<sup>86</sup> on 9 Sep 1939 in St. David's Church, Exeter, Devon. The marriage ended in divorce. Cicely was born on 12 Jun 1914.

Marriage Notes: Maw-Evans.-On 9th September, at St. David's Church, Exeter, Allen S. Maw (1928-32), to Cicely Evans.

Allen next married **Nahia Mitri**<sup>45,152</sup> on 24 Feb 1945 in Beirut, Lebanon. Nahia was born on 16 Apr 1914 and died in Mar 2006 in Enfield, London at age 91. They had two children: **Gillian Leila** and **Anthony Cedric**.

10-**Gillian Leila Maw**

10-**Anthony Cedric Maw**

9-**Noel Ransome Maw**<sup>144,147</sup> was born on 23 Nov 1915 in Hoshangabad, Madhya Pradesh, India and died on 4 Jun 1916 in Died on board the SS Scindia on the way home from Bombay.

General Notes: MAW.-On the 23rd November, 1915, at Hoshangabad, C.P. , India, Mildred A. , wife of Geoffrey Waring Maw (1899- 1900), a son, who was named Noel Ransome.

9-**Dr. Theodore Stafford Maw**<sup>148</sup> was born on 6 Jul 1917 in 5 Kingsmead Close, Selly Oak, Birmingham, Warwickshire and died on 4 Dec 2011 in Rotherham, Yorkshire at age 94.

General Notes: MAW.-On the 6th July, 1917, at 5 Kingsmead Close, Selly Oak, Birmingham, Mildred A. (Brison), wife of Geoffrey W. Maw (1899-1902), a son, who was named Theodore Stafford.

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Dr Theodore Stafford F.R.C.Ophth died quietly 4th December aged 93 years. Much loved husband of Sheila and dear father of the late Diana. Funeral Service at Hutcliffe Wood Crematorium, Sheffield, 12 noon, Thursday 16th December [2011]

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Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Physician and Ophthalmologist.

Theodore married **Sheila Gilby** on 1 Aug 1942. Sheila died in 2010 in Sunderland, County Durham. They had one daughter: **Diana Stafford Maw**.

10-**Diana Stafford Maw Maw** was born on 2 Aug 1951 in Newcastle upon Tyne, Northumberland and died in 1991 in Ealing, London at age 40.

9-**Hugh Waring Maw**<sup>149</sup> was born on 2 Jun 1920 in Childers Lodge, Landowr, Mussoorie, Dehradun, Uttarakhand, India.

General Notes: MAW.-On the 2nd June, 1920, at Childers Lodge, Landowr, Mussoorie, India, Mildred Amy (Brison), wife of Geoffrey W. Maw (1899-1902), a son, who was named Hugh Waring.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Headmaster of Sibford School in 1956-1961.

Hugh married **Daphne Phyllis Southall**, daughter of **Dr. Kenneth Henry Southall**<sup>26,41,46,153,154,155,156,157,158</sup> and **Phyllis Headley Dale**,<sup>26,41,46,154,155,156,157,158</sup> They had three children: **David P., Alan R.,** and **Christine Daphne**.

10-**David P. Maw**

10-**Alan R. Maw**

10-**Christine Daphne Maw**

9-**Gillian Mary Maw**<sup>150</sup> was born on 22 Jun 1923.

General Notes: MAW.-On June 22nd, Mildred, wife of Geoffrey W. Maw (1899- 1902), a daughter, who was named Gillian Mary.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was a Quaker.
- She worked as a Nurse.

Gillian married **Dr. Duncan Gordon Conacher**.

7-**Francis Allen**<sup>74,88</sup> was born on 9 May 1852 in Church Street, Stoke Newington, London, died in 1927 in Cockley Cley Hall, Swaffham, Norfolk at age 75, and was buried in Swaffham, Norfolk.

General Notes: He was educated at Bootham School from 1863 to 1868 in York. He worked as an Engineer. In 1870 his eldest brother, Samuel Stafford, died from consumption in Egypt. Later that same year he and his father, Stafford, went out to Egypt to inspect the company 'Allen, Alderson & Co.' in Alexandria, Egypt. They had their English office in 7 Cowper Street, London (where 'Stafford Allen & Sons' operated from). It was agreed that Francis should take over the role of his late brother. Francis then specialised in the heavy engineering business such as dredging and irrigation equipment and narrow gauge railway trains for use in the Nile Delta cotton fields and built up the business to be "among the most prosperous in Alexandria". He started several subsidiary companies and also bought from the Egyptian Government the Khedivial Mail Line, which was one of the main shipping lines out of Egypt, including bonded warehouses, workshops, etc. The shipping company was later taken over by P. & O. Line. Francis was also interested in Egyptian archaeology and at least once financially helped Howard Carter, who discovered the Tomb of Tutankhamen. He was appointed one of the 3 Deputy Lieutenants for Norfolk for 1926 (see London Gazette of 17.Nov. 1925) but later sadly had to stand down when he became seriously ill and later died. Recreation:- He loved shooting, which, as well as being a suitable house for his family, is why he bought the Cockley Cley estate, and fishing, especially when he was shooting there with his two younger brothers - John Archibald Allen and Alfred Henry Allen.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1863-1868 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as an Engineer. Allen, Alderson & Co. In Ramleh, Alexandria, Egypt.
- He had a residence in Cockley Cley Hall, Swaffham, Norfolk.

Francis married **Charlotte Jane Dickson**,<sup>6</sup> daughter of **Spencer Naylor Dickson** and **Eliza Martha Boardman**, on 29 Oct 1879 in Chiswick, London. Charlotte was born on 15 Apr 1852 in 10 Nottingham Place, Marylebone, London and died on 23 Feb 1912 in Cockley Cley Hall, Swaffham, Norfolk at age 59. They had four children: **Norah Frances, Ursula Mary, Gwendolen Stafford,** and

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### Elsie Magdalen.

8-Norah Frances Allen was born in 1880 and died in 1882 at age 2.

8-Ursula Mary Allen<sup>6</sup> was born in 1882 in Graveley, Hertfordshire and died in Mar 1968 in Littlehampton, Sussex at age 86.

Ursula married **Brig. Gen. Sir Arthur John Allen-Williams** in Jan 1913 in Cockley Cley, Swaffham, Norfolk. Arthur was born in 1869 in Lota, Bio Bio, Chile and died on 27 Nov 1949 in Littlehampton, Sussex at age 80. Another name for Arthur was Arthur John Williams.<sup>6</sup> They had three children: **Gwendolen Mary, Eluned Jocelyn**, and **David John Francis**.

General Notes: He changed his name from Williams to Allen-Williams before getting married out of respect to his future father-in-law who only had four daughters. He was an engineer and was seconded into the army at the beginning of the First World War to design and build a system to organize the change of gauge on trains while ferrying them across to France. He ended up as Brigadier General as well as being given a knighthood in England and thr Legion d'Honneur by the French.

9-Dr. Gwendolen Mary Allen-Williams<sup>6</sup> was born on 17 Dec 1913.

Noted events in her life were:

- She worked as a Physician in Weston-super-Mare, Somerset.
- She worked as a House physician, Nottingham General Hospital in Nottingham, Nottinghamshire.

Gwendolen married **Dr. Walter Rutherford Black**<sup>6</sup> in 1942. Walter was born on 29 Dec 1911 in Galashiels, Selkirkshire and died in 1986 at age 75. They had two children: **John Duncan** and **Elizabeth Anne**.

General Notes: W R BLACK MB, CHB, FRCS(ED) Mr W R Black, formerly senior consultant surgeon at Weston-super-Mare General Hospital, has died aged 73. Walter Rutherford Black was born on 29 December 1911 at Galashiels and was educated at George Watson's College, Edinburgh, and the University of Edinburgh, where he graduated in medicine in 1934. In addition to being a keen fisherman he also enjoyed rugby football, playing as a forward. After junior appointments and a period of study in Brussels he was appointed surgical registrar at Nottingham General Hospital. While there he met his future wife, Gwendolen, who was a house physician at the hospital. After leaving Nottingham he took the post of clinical tutor in the surgical out patient department at the Royal Infirmary, Edinburgh, where he developed his flair for teaching. Although he volunteered to join the Royal Air Force, Walter was rejected because of a previous mastoidectomy. He joined the Royal Army Medical Corps and married Gwen in 1942. After only a weekend together he was posted abroad and served in Africa, India, and Burma, in 1945 becoming medical officer in charge of the Military Hospital, Poona, with the rank of acting lieutenant colonel. He subsequently became senior medical officer in the Isle of Wight and a surgical specialist at Aldershot Hospital. On his return to civilian life Walter was appointed senior surgical registrar at Bristol Royal Infirmary, where his teaching ability, high principles, and integrity endeared him to his clinical students. On his appointment, in 1950, as senior consultant surgeon at Weston-super-Mare General Hospital teaching continued to be one of his special interests. He became the organiser of postgraduate tuition in the South West region and was senior surgical tutor in the faculty of medicine of the University of Bristol. He was a member of the Grey Turner and Milnes-Walker travelling surgical clubs and of various committees in the NHS; he was also chairman of the Weston-super-Mare and district Cancer Research Campaign for 28 years. Walter chose to retire in 1972, at the age of 60, to a lovely house and garden overlooking the Bristol Channel. After a few years, however, he was unable to enjoy his retirement owing to increasing cardiovascular disease, which curtailed his physical activity. He is survived by Gwen, who looked after him devotedly and tirelessly over the difficult years of their retirement; and by two adopted children, a son and a daughter. -ME

DEB writes: Walter Black was a surgical enthusiast. He found everything about surgery, clinically and operatively, of consuming interest and transmitted his enthusiasm to everyone about him, particularly those who went to him for training. In the days when the range of investigational techniques was far smaller than is the case today he would analyse every nuance of a patient's history and physical signs to achieve an accuracy of clinical diagnosis that was exceptional. He was also keenly concerned with the techniques of operative surgery and was a beautiful technician. He was particularly enthusiastic about surgery of the thyroid gland and, in the days when anti thyroid drugs were not available, succeeded in treating severely thyrotoxic patients with remarkable safety. He was always generous to his juniors, and I recall the many occasions on which he assisted me with a gastrectomy or colectomy and operated on a hernia himself. No operation was too small or unimportant to deserve less than his best technique. It is interesting for me to recognise, at the end of my surgical career, how so many of the techniques I used were learnt, at the very beginning of my training, from Walter Black.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with MB CHB FRCS(ED).
- He was educated at George Watson's College in Edinburgh, Midlothian, Scotland.
- He was educated at University of Edinburgh.
- He worked as a Surgical registrar at Nottingham General Hospital in Nottingham, Nottinghamshire.
- He worked as a Clinical tutor for out-patient surgery, the Royal Infirmary, Edinburgh.
- He worked as a Lt. Col. RAMC, in charge of the Military Hospital, Poona in Pune, Maharashtra, India.

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- He worked as a Senior medical officer on the Isle of Wight in Isle of Wight, Hampshire.
- He worked as a Senior surgical registrar at Bristol Royal Infirmary in Bristol, Gloucestershire.
- He worked as a Senior consultant surgeon at Weston-super-Mare General Hospital in Weston-super-Mare, Somerset.
- His obituary was published in the British Medical Journal on 31 May 1986.

### 10-John Duncan Black

### 10-Elizabeth Anne Black

Elizabeth married **Peter John Pavry**. They had one daughter: **Charlotte Elisabeth**.

### 11-Charlotte Elisabeth Pavry

9-**Eluned Jocelyn Allen-Williams**<sup>6</sup> was born on 1 May 1916 and died on 26 Dec 1989 at age 73.

9-**Prof. David John Francis Allen-Williams**<sup>6</sup> was born on 26 Feb 1918 in Sandwich, Kent and died on 29 Jul 2004 in Augusta, Western Australia at age 86.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with FInstE (Australia), FInstME, FInstCE, FInstEE (London).
- He was educated at Harrow.
- He was educated at Clare College, Cambridge.
- He worked as an Engineer.

David married **Jessie Liptrott Findley**. They had three children: **Peter Aidan, Arthur John**, and **(Gwyneth) Elizabeth**.

### 10-Peter Aidan Allen-Williams

Peter married **Elizabeth Hubert**. They had two children: **Mair Helen** and **Catrin Rowan**.

### 11-Mair Helen Allen-Williams

### 11-Catrin Rowan Allen-Williams

### 10-Arthur John Allen-Williams

Arthur married **Laraine McGarry**. They had four children: **David Andrew, Sian Elizabeth, Rachel Jocelyn**, and **Caitlin**.

### 11-David Andrew Allen-Williams

### 11-Sian Elizabeth Allen-Williams

### 11-Rachel Jocelyn Allen-Williams

### 11-Caitlin Allen-Williams

### 10-(Gwyneth) Elizabeth Allen-Williams

(Gwyneth) married **Ian Pederick**. They had two children: **Ashley Ross** and **Craig Wesley**.

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### 11-Craig Wesley Pederick

8-**Gwendolen Stafford Allen** was born in 1883 and died on 21 Aug 1954 in Princes House, Kensington Park Road, London at age 71.

8-**Elsie Magdalen Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born in 1884 in Kensington, London, was christened on 30 Jan 1885 in St. Paul's, Onslow Square, London, and died on 21 Dec 1950 in East Preston, Sussex at age 66.

General Notes: Residences before death given as " Southernway," St. Martha's, near Guildford, Surrey, and " The Orchard," Eversley, Hampshire.

Elsie married **Maj. Hugh Charles Reeves**,<sup>6</sup> son of **Col. Henry Reeves** and **Bertha M. Jackson**, in Jul 1906 in Cockley Cley, Swaffham, Norfolk. Hugh was born on 28 Sep 1879 in Marylebone, London, died on 29 Jan 1915 in Quetta, India at age 35, and was buried in Quetta Government Cemetery, India. Grave 2188. They had two children: **Elizabeth Alleyne** and **Hugh Quentin Alleyne**.

General Notes: Reeves - Major Hugh Charles - Royal Artillery - died 29th January 1915.

Grave at Quetta - "In ever loving memory of Major Hugh Charles Reeves. No.4 MB RGA who passed hence 29 Jan 1915. Aged 35."

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as an Officer of the Royal Garrison Artillery, 4th Mountain Battery.

9-**Elizabeth Alleyne Reeves**<sup>6</sup> was born in 1909 in Portchester, Hampshire and died in 1995 in Shalford, Godalming, Surrey at age 86. She had no known marriage and no known children.

General Notes: During the 2nd . World War, she worked as a radiographer. She was a great lover of art and music. For many years, she helped the National Trust as a guide on their properties and was also a Member of Glyndebourne Opera Co. and went to most/all of their different performances each year.

9-**Maj. Hugh Quentin Alleyne Reeves**<sup>6</sup> was born in 1910 in Seaford, East Sussex and died on 25 Oct 1955 in RAF Bitteswell, Lutterworth, Leicestershire at age 45. The cause of his death was Sucked into a aircraft jet intake.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Harrow.
- He was educated at Sidney Sussex College, Cambridge.
- He worked as an Inventor and Engineer.

Hugh married **Sylvia Nuding**. They had one daughter: **Fay**.

### 10-Fay Reeves

Fay married **John E. Hewitt**.

Francis next married **Dorothy Jane Coombe**,<sup>74</sup> daughter of **Rev. Walter Coombe** and **Zöe Brookman Phillips**, on 23 Jan 1913 in Oxborough, Norfolk. Dorothy was born on 13 Oct 1889 in Tideswell, Derbyshire, died in Jun 1969 in Holt, Norfolk at age 79, and was buried in Upper Sheringham Norfolk. They had four children: **Francis Coombe Stafford**, **Nigel Anthony Stafford**, **Raymond Claude Stafford**, and **Graham Archibald Stafford**.

8-**Rev. Francis Coombe Stafford Allen**<sup>6,74</sup> was born on 27 Jan 1914 in Cockley Cley Hall, Swaffham, Norfolk, died on 18 Dec 1983 in "Frensham", Horsham St. Faith, Norfolk. at age 69, and was buried in Cockley Cley, Swaffham, Norfolk.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Harrow.
- He was educated at Pembroke College, Cambridge.
- He worked as a Farmer.
- He worked as a Rector of Baconsthorpe with Plumstead.
- He worked as a Vicar of Hempstead in Holt, Norfolk.

Francis married **Joan Palmer**,<sup>6,74</sup> daughter of **Charles Harold Palmer** and **Joyce Overbury**, on 24 May 1939 in All Saints Church, Leamington Spa, Warwickshire. Joan was born on 29 Jun



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1914 in Leamington Spa, Warwickshire, died on 11 Mar 2010 in Saxted Green, Framlingham, Suffolk at age 95, and was buried in Cockley Cley, Swaffham, Norfolk. They had three children: **Susan Mary, Anthony Francis Stafford, and Diana Jane.**

### 9-Susan Mary Allen

Susan married **Alan John Pearson**<sup>6</sup> on 21 Sep 1968 in Baconsthorpe, Erpingham, Norfolk. Alan was born in 1923 and died in 1986 in Hurst Green, Oxted, Surrey at age 63.

Susan next married **John Olver**, son of **Alfred Edgar Olver** and **Louise May Paishe.**

### 9-Anthony Francis Stafford Allen

Anthony married **Mary Elisabeth Homfray**, daughter of **Jeston Homfray** and **Elisabeth Waller.** They had three children: **Ursula Elisabeth Stafford, Charlotte Rebecca, and William Francis Stafford.**

#### 10-Ursula Elisabeth Stafford Allen

Ursula married **Edward Alexander Stoddart.** They had two children: **Zara Elisabeth** and **Sasha Bridgid Rosabelle.**

##### 11-Zara Elisabeth Stoddart

##### 11-Sasha Bridgid Rosabelle Stoddart

#### 10-Charlotte Rebecca Allen

Charlotte married **Dominic William Bowers**, son of **Dr. John H. Bowers.** They had three children: **Jack William, Guy Anthony, and Milo John.**

##### 11-Jack William Bowers

##### 11-Guy Anthony Bowers

##### 11-Milo John Bowers

#### 10-William Francis Stafford Allen

William married **Dr. Marianne Lindhahl**, daughter of **Ulf Lindhahl** and **Christina Johanssen.** They had two children: **Skye Louise Lindhahl** and **Thea Sonja.**

##### 11-Skye Louise Lindhahl Allen

##### 11-Thea Sonja Allen

Anthony next married **Darin Namngeow**, daughter of **Per Namngeow** and **Nock Pratjohn.**

9-**Diana Jane Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 15 Jan 1947 in Horningtoft Manor, Norfolk and died on 25 Mar 2011 in Shamley Green, Guildford, Surrey at age 64.

Diana married **David Edward Healey.** They had three children: **Caroline Mary, Jennifer Louise, and Edward Francis.**

#### 10-Caroline Mary Healey

Caroline married **Bronson James St. John Valpied**, son of **Alan Valpied** and **Cheryl Waldron.**

#### 10-Jennifer Louise Healey

Jennifer married **James Corbett.**

10-**Edward Francis Healey**<sup>6</sup> was born on 18 Dec 1984 and died on 27 Jan 1985.

8-**Nigel Anthony Stafford Allen**<sup>74</sup> was born on 18 Aug 1915 in Cockley Cley Hall, Swaffham, Norfolk and died on 2 Apr 1985 in Guernsey, Channel Islands at age 69.

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Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Harrow.
- He worked as a Businessman in Guernsey, Channel Islands.

Nigel married **Pamela Frances Willis**,<sup>74</sup> daughter of **Lt. Col. Evelyn Stuart Constantine Willis** and **Frances Fernande Fry**, on 14 Apr 1940 in All Saints Church, Srinagar, Kashmir, India. Pamela was born on 31 Oct 1915 and died on 21 Dec 2000 in Castel, Guernsey, Channel Islands at age 85. They had four children: **Ingrid Arrow Stafford**, **Imogen Stephanie Stafford**, **Lawney Solange Stafford**, and **Nigel Garth Stafford**.

### 9-Ingrid Arrow Stafford Allen

Ingrid married **Charles Hartley Kinnersly**. They had three children: **Rebecca Hartley**, **Edward Fry**, and **William (Charlesworth)**.

#### 10-Rebecca Hartley Kinnersly

Rebecca married **Christopher Mark Knight**. They had one daughter: **Meadow Sorrel**.

#### 11-Meadow Sorrel Knight

#### 10-Edward Fry Kinnersly

#### 10-William (Charlesworth) Kinnersly

William married **Katherine Victoria Fay**. They had two children: **Constance Lucy Imogen** and **Kit William Walter**.

#### 11-Constance Lucy Imogen Kinnersly

#### 11-Kit William Walter Kinnersly

9-**Imogen Stephanie Stafford Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born in 1944 in Guernsey, Channel Islands and died in 1947 in English Channel, in an air crash at age 3.

### 9-Lawney Solange Stafford Allen

Lawney married **Jeremy Christopher Gwynne Thacker**<sup>6</sup> on 9 Aug 1969 in Guernsey, Channel Islands. Jeremy was born on 1 Oct 1935 in Hove, Brighton, East Sussex and died on 23 Jun 1983 in Guernsey, Channel Islands at age 47. They had two children: **Rory Christopher Berners** and **Damian Christian Berners**.

#### 10-Rory Christopher Berners Thacker

Rory married **Sophia Alexander**.

#### 10-Damian Christian Berners Thacker

Damian married **Amy Tamsin Cheshire**, daughter of **Dr. Christopher "Michael" Cheshire** and **Jane Mary Cordle**. They had three children: **Fry Claude**, **Jem Francis**, and **Vee Martha**.

#### 11-Fry Claude Thacker

#### 11-Jem Francis Thacker

#### 11-Vee Martha Thacker

Lawney next married **John Gregory Sherwill**<sup>6</sup> on 14 Feb 1987 in Guernsey, Channel Islands. John died on 26 Jan 1990 in Guernsey, Channel Islands.

Lawney next married **Patrick Fanshawe Martin**.

### 9-Nigel Garth Stafford Allen

Nigel married **Julia Mary Ferneley Austen**, daughter of **Stuart Austen**<sup>6</sup> and **Heather Mary Ferneley Gamble**,<sup>6</sup> They had four children: **Samuel Charles Stafford**, **James Evershed Stafford**,

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**Felicity Rose Stafford, and Matilda Frances Stafford.**

10-Samuel Charles Stafford Allen

10-James Evershed Stafford Allen

James married **Lucy Freer**, daughter of **Maj. Gen. Adrian Freer**.

10-Felicity Rose Stafford Allen

10-Matilda Frances Stafford Allen

8-**Raymond Claude Stafford Allen**<sup>6,74</sup> was born on 21 Sep 1917 in Cockley Cley Hall, Swaffham, Norfolk and died on 13 May 1974 in Hammonds End House, Harpenden, Hertfordshire at age 56.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Harrow.
- He worked as an Engineer.
- He worked as a Chief technical officer for the British Gliding Association.

Raymond married **Margaret Cicely Bridger**,<sup>6,74</sup> daughter of **Dr. Robert Daniel Bridger** and **Dorothy Noel Aylwin Foster**, on 13 Apr 1944. Margaret was born on 23 Dec 1914 and died in 1993 in 8 Old Rectory Gardens, Wheathamstead, Harpenden, Hertfordshire at age 79. They had three children: **John Bridger Stafford**, **Peter Raymond Stafford**, and **Robin Charles Stafford**.

9-**John Bridger Stafford Allen**

John married **Mary Jane Woodhead**. They had two children: **Toby Miles Stafford** and **Tara Jane Stafford**.

10-Toby Miles Stafford Allen

Toby married **Evelyn McLean**.

10-Tara Jane Stafford Allen

Tara married **Simon Thompson**. They had one daughter: **Robyn Stafford**.

11-**Robyn Stafford Allen**

9-**Peter Raymond Stafford Allen**

Peter married **Pamela Joan Batstone**. They had two children: **Simon Raymond Stafford** and **Ian Peter Stafford**.

10-Simon Raymond Stafford Allen

10-Ian Peter Stafford Allen

Ian married **Hannah Duhig**. They had two children: **Anna Stafford** and **Danni Stafford**.

11-**Anna Stafford Allen**

11-**Danni Stafford Allen**

9-**Robin Charles Stafford Allen**

Robin married **Janice Anna Rolph**. They had two children: **Rebecca Anne Stafford** and **Paul Gareth Stafford**.

10-**Rebecca Anne Stafford Allen**

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### 10-Paul Gareth Stafford Allen

8-Graham Archibald Stafford Allen<sup>6,74</sup> was born on 21 Jul 1922 in Cockley Cley Hall, Swaffham, Norfolk and died on 28 Jun 1981 in Peterborough, Cambridgeshire at age 58.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Harrow.
- He worked as a Farmer in Langham, Norfolk.

Graham married **Blanche Marion Rippingall**, daughter of **Neale Florance Reginald Rippingall** and **Dorothy Elliot Robina Feilden**. They had three children: **Edward Neale Stafford**, **Stephen Graham Stafford**, and **Patrick John Stafford**.

### 9-Edward Neale Stafford Allen

Edward married **Janet Rosamund McCall**. They had two children: **Nicholas Graham Stafford** and **Christopher Edward Stafford**.

### 10-Nicholas Graham Stafford Allen

### 10-Christopher Edward Stafford Allen

### 9-Stephen Graham Stafford Allen

Stephen married **Philippa Drew Robinson**. They had three children: **Henry David Graham Stafford**, **Benjamin Guy Stafford**, and **Guy Rupert Stafford**.

### 10-Dr. Henry David Graham Stafford Allen

Henry married **Victoria Sergeev**. They had one son: **Felix**.

### 11-Felix Allen

### 10-Benjamin Guy Stafford Allen

### 10-Guy Rupert Stafford Allen

### 9-Patrick John Stafford Allen

Patrick married **Edwina Carolyn Rose Deakin**. They had two children: **Belinda Blanche Stafford** and **Thomas Edward Stafford**.

### 10-Belinda Blanche Stafford Allen

### 10-Thomas Edward Stafford Allen

7-John Archibald Allen<sup>6,26,88,101,144,159</sup> was born on 21 Jul 1854 in Stoke Newington, London and died on 22 Jan 1940 in Wynnstow, Oxted, Surrey at age 85.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1866-1870 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as a Shipyard apprentice in 1871-1873 in Sunderland, County Durham.
- He worked as a Publisher.

John married **Elizabeth Mary Sme**,<sup>101,144,159,160</sup> daughter of **William Alfred Sme**<sup>25,125,159,160</sup> and **Jane Pearson Wilson**,<sup>25,159,160</sup> on 19 Oct 1882 in FMH Stoke Newington. Elizabeth was born in Jun 1857 in Finsbury, London. They had three children: **Lilian Margaret**, **Dorothy Sme**, and **Archibald Stafford**.

8-Lilian Margaret Allen<sup>159</sup> was born in Sep 1883.

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8-**Dorothy Smee Allen**<sup>101,159</sup> was born on 30 Aug 1885 in Enfield, London, died on 20 Dec 1887 in Enfield, London at age 2, and was buried in FBG Winchmore Hill.

8-**Lieut. Archibald Stafford Allen**<sup>6,144,159</sup> was born on 3 May 1890 in Morwenstow, Enfield, London, died on 3 Oct 1915 in Loos, Pas de Calais, France. Killed in action at age 25, and was buried in Philosophe British Cemetery, Mazingarbe, France. Grave III.N.1A.

General Notes: Lt. Archibald Stafford Allen. 8th Battalion Royal Fusiliers (City of London) Regiment

Date of birth: 3rd May 1890      Date of death: 3rd October 1915

Archibald Stafford Allen was born at Enfield in Middlesex on the 3rd of May 1890 the only son of John Archibald Allen, a publisher, and Elizabeth Mary (nee Smee) Allen of "Wynnstow", Limpsfield in Surrey. He left Hazelwood School in the spring of 1904 for Wellington College where he was in the Stanley from 1904 to 1908. He had intended to go on to Pembroke College Cambridge, but his father's ill health prevented this, and, instead, he went straight into business. "Although this was a great disappointment to him, he bore it with his usual cheerfulness". He devoted much of his spare time to a boys club in Walworth which he had started for poor boys.

On the on the 28th of April 1909 he enlisted as Private C/406 in the Inns of Court Officer Training Corps and served with them for four years, during which time he was learning the printing trade.

Following the outbreak of war he was commissioned a 2nd Lieutenant in the 8th Battalion Royal Fusiliers on the 12th of September 1914 and was promoted to Lieutenant on the 20th of January 1915.

On the 15th of May 1915 he was married to Florence Mary (nee Hammond) at St Mark's Church Walworth and he embarked for France on the 1st of June 1915.

He was commended by 36th Brigade to 12th Division for the "good work" he had done during a German bombardment on the 9th of August 1915.

On the 3rd of October 1915 the battalion were holding a trench at Vermelles near Loos. The battalion war diary takes up the story:- "In trenches, heavily shelled all day but considering volume of shelling, casualties were fairly small. A digging party ordered to dig a trench from H 13 C 09 directly south for 700 yards. We were unable to do this as our own guns were heavily shelling this bit of ground. Trench marked out but two men killed in doing so; Lt Allen killed instantly by a shell and buried together with Lt Gullick (Lieutenant Arthur Louis Gullick of Pirbright in Surrey) of the 6th Buffs who was killed in reconnaissance outside German wire and brought in by our men at G17 B36. A very good young officer and much missed. Other casualties, 9 men killed and 9 men wounded, mainly by shell fire. In evening, about 10pm 200 men at work on new trench".

He was mentioned in Field Marshall Sir John French's dispatches of the 1st of January 1916 "for gallant and distinguished service in the field"

His Colonel wrote:-

*"I wish his friends to know the pride we all had for him. Others who knew him would like to hear how he was loved by one and all, what a gallant boy he was, and how he maintained the name of the grand regiment to which we all have the honour to belong. A braver and more gallant boy I have never seen; we all loved him and his men simply adored him.....it was with difficulty we could get him to rest."*

He was buried, along with Lieutenant Gullick, behind the trenches at the junction of the Hulluch-Vermelles and Loos-La Basse roads; his body was later re-interred.

He is commemorated on the war memorial at Wellington College.

Killed in action aged 25

Buried at Philosophe British Cemetery Mazingarbe Plot III Row N Grave 1A"

(from Hazelwood School, War Memorial).

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Hazelwood School in Limpsfield, Surrey.
- He was educated at Wellington College.
- He worked as a trainee Printer in 1911.
- He worked as an officer of the 8th Battalion, Royal Fusiliers.

Archibald married **Florence Mary Hammond**<sup>159</sup> on 15 May 1915 in St. Mark's, Southwark, London. Florence died in 1968.

7-**Alfred Henry Allen**<sup>6,80,86,88,161</sup> was born on 16 Jun 1856 in Warwick House, Paradise Row, Stoke Newington, London and died on 22 Aug 1939 in Wyesham, Monmouthshire at age 83.

General Notes: Allen.-On 22nd August, 1939, at Wyeshaw, Alfred Henry Allen (1868-70), aged 83 years.

Allan.— On 22nd August, 1939, Alfred Henry Allan (1868-70), aged 83 years.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1868-1879 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as a Miller in Croydon, Surrey.

Alfred married **Maria Baker**<sup>6,161</sup> daughter of **John Edward Baker**<sup>4,49,124,162</sup> and **Anna Jane Brady**<sup>4,124,162,163</sup> on 2 Mar 1881 in FMH Birmingham. Maria was born about 1860 in Birmingham, Warwickshire and died in Mar 1939 in Croydon, Surrey about age 79. They had eight children: **Ernest Gladstone, Winifred, Donald Ransome, Elfrida Margaret, Enid, Edward Stafford, Brian, and Alfred Maxwell.**

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**8-Ernest Gladstone Allen**<sup>6,26,107,119,126,131,164,165,166,167</sup> was born on 29 Dec 1881 in Croydon, Surrey and died on 13 Oct 1964 in East Grinstead, West Sussex at age 82.

General Notes: ERNEST G. ALLEN (1897-9) has passed the Intermediate Examination of the Royal Institution of British Architects. *Bootham School Magazine - September 1902*  
At the moment of going to press we are informed that George L. Pepler (1893-96) and Ernest G. Allen (1897-99) have won the gold medal at the Wolverhampton Model Housing Exhibition for the best £200 cottage as well as the gold medal and prize for the best house in the Exhibition (without limitation as to price). *Bootham School Magazine - October 1908*  
ALLEN.— On 13th October, 1964, Ernest Gladstone Allen (1897-99), aged 82 years.

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On October 13th, 1964, at the age of 82, Ernest Gladstone Allen died in hospital— he had been at Bootham from 1897 to 1899 and was the son of Alfred Henry Allen, 1868-70. A distinguished career as an architect and town planner led to his serving as President of the Town Planning Institute from 1936 to 1937. Between 1905 and 1914 Ernest Allen worked in partnership with George Pepler and together they won a number of medals for schemes of model housing estates. After George Pepler left to take up the position of Town Planning Inspector with the Local Government Board, Ernest Allen continued his work in partnership, first with Longstreth Thompson and later with Alfred Potter. Much of the work done was concerned with local authority housing schemes. He continued his architectural work until his death. With hobbies of cricket, tennis and gardening and a long term of service on his local parish and rural councils, he became Chairman of Godstone R.D.C. from 1943 to 1947. Ernest Allen lived a full and valuable life. We extend our sympathy to Mrs. Allen.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with FRIBA PRTPI.
- He was educated at Bootham School in 1897-1899 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as an Architect.
- He worked as a Chairman of Godstone Rural District Council.

Ernest married **Frederica Tilzey**,<sup>6,107,164</sup> daughter of **Frederick Tilzey**, on 2 Oct 1907 in Great Ayton, Yorkshire. Frederica was born on 21 Oct 1883 in Great Ayton, Yorkshire and died on 6 Nov 1946 at age 63.

Marriage Notes: ALLEN-TILZEY.—On the 2nd October, 1907, at Great Ayton, Yorks., Ernest G. Allen (1897-9), of Croydon, to Frederica Tilzey, of Great Ayton.

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ALLEN— TILZEY.— On October 2nd, 1907, Ernest Gladstone Allen (1897-1899) to Frederica Tilzey.

Ernest next married **Louisa Anna Frances Wright**<sup>6,165</sup> on 12 Dec 1947 in Reigate Registry Office, Reigate, Surrey. Louisa was born on 21 Mar 1885 and died on 16 Nov 1958 at age 73.

Marriage Notes: Allen-Wright.—On 7th December, 1947, at the Register Office, Reigate, Ernest Gladstone Allen (1897-99), to Louise Anna Frances Wright.

Ernest next married **Monique Marie Loucie D'Aigneault**,<sup>6,119</sup> daughter of **Oscar D'Aigneault**, on 24 Jul 1962 in Crowborough Register Office, Sussex and FMH East Grinstead. Monique was born on 30 Oct 1913.

Marriage Notes: ALLEN-DAIGNEAULT.—On 24th July, 1962, at Crowborough Register Office, followed by a Meeting for Worship at the Friends Meeting House, East Grinstead, Sussex, Ernest Gladstone Allen (1897-99), to Monique Daigneault.

**8-Winifred Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 18 Jun 1883 in Croydon, Surrey and died in 1971 in Uckfield, Sussex at age 88.

**8-Donald Ransome Allen**<sup>6,26,39,151,168,169,170,171</sup> was born on 23 Sep 1884 in Croydon, Surrey and died on 4 Feb 1966 in Albourne, Hassocks, West Sussex at age 81.

General Notes: ALLEN.—On 4th February, 1966, at his home at Albourne, Hassocks, Sussex, Donald Ransome Allen (1899-1901), aged 81 years.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1899-1901 in York, Yorkshire.
- He had a residence in Biddington, Surrey.

Donald married **Bertha Heath Clark**,<sup>6,39,151,168,169,170</sup> daughter of **Charles Heath Clark**<sup>6</sup> and **Ada Robinson**,<sup>4</sup> on 31 Aug 1911 in Croydon, Surrey. Bertha was born on 12 Sep 1886 in Croydon, Surrey. They had three children: **Hilda Millicent**, **Mary Stafford**, and **John Christopher**.

Marriage Notes: ALLEN-CLARK.—On the 31st August, 1911, at Croydon, Donald Ransome Allen (1899-1901), of Biddington, Surrey, to Bertha Clark, of Croydon.

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Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at The Mount School in 1902-1904 in York, Yorkshire.

9-**Hilda Millicent Allen**<sup>6,39</sup> was born on 26 May 1912 in Bulkeley, Alexandria, Egypt and died in 1982 in Haywards Heath, West Sussex at age 70.

General Notes: ALLEN.-On the 26th May, 1912, at Bulkeley, Alexandria, Egypt , Bertha (Clark), wife of Donald Ransome Allen (1899-1901), a daughter , who was named Hilda Millicent.

9-**Mary Stafford Allen**<sup>6,151</sup> was born on 3 Jan 1914 in Southdowns, Birdhurst Road, Croydon, Surrey and died in 1969 in Stratton, Cornwall at age 55.

General Notes: ALLEN.-On the 3rd January, 1914, at Southdowns, Birdhurst Road, Croydon, Bertha (Clark), wife of Donald Ransome Allen (1899-1901), a daughter .

Mary married **George Vening Ashton**. They had two children: **Michael George** and **Richard Donald Vening**.

10-**Michael George Ashton**

10-**Richard Donald Vening Ashton**

9-**John Christopher Allen**

John married **Josephine Nellie Atkins**. They had two children: **Jennifer Mary** and **David Christopher**.

10-**Jennifer Mary Allen**

10-**Dr. David Christopher Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 16 Jul 1964 and died on 4 Apr 2014 at age 49.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at St. Wilfrid's Prep School.
- He was educated at Sherborne School, Dorset.
- He was educated at Hertford College, Oxford.
- He was educated at Wadham College, Oxford.
- He worked as an Executive Director of BP plc.

David married **Denise Jacqueline Ryder**. They had three children: **Nicholas James**, **Sophie Lucinda**, and **Edward John Stafford**.

11-**Nicholas James Allen**

11-**Sophie Lucinda Allen**

11-**Edward John Stafford Allen**

8-**Elfrida Margaret Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 1 Oct 1886 in Croydon, Surrey.

8-**Enid Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 8 Sep 1888 in Croydon, Surrey and died in 1989 at age 101.

8-**Edward Stafford Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 30 May 1891 in Croydon, Surrey and died on 18 Nov 1939 in Westerham, Kent at age 48.

Edward married **Mary Vectis Jackson**, daughter of **Charles Jackson**. They had two children: **Richard Stafford** and **Shirley Barbara Stafford**.

9-**Capt. Richard Stafford Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 20 Aug 1917, died on 19 Nov 1943 in Italy. Killed in action at age 26, and was buried in Sangro River War Cemetery, Torino di Sangro, Italy. Grave IV.C.3.

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Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as an officer of the Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment.

Richard married **Bridegt Angela Goddard**. They had one daughter: **Angela Jane Elizabeth**.

10-**Angela Jane Elizabeth Allen**

9-**Shirley Barbara Stafford Allen**

Shirley married **John Cyril Grist**. They had two children: **Anthony John** and **Jenifer Shirley**.

10-**Anthony John Grist**

10-**Jenifer Shirley Grist**

Jenifer married **Alan Fairweather**. They had two children: **Thomas** and **Jo**.

11-**Thomas Fairweather**

11-**Jo Fairweather**

8-**Brian Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 22 Apr 1893 and died in Jul 1984 in Mombasa, Kenya at age 91.

Brian married **Lorna Marjorie Hendley**,<sup>6</sup> daughter of **Maj. Gen. Harold Hendley**<sup>6</sup> and **Emma Mary Beal**, on 4 Dec 1918 in Quetta, India (Now Pakistan). Lorna was born on 29 Aug 1898 in Simla, Himachal Pradesh, India and was christened on 21 Sep 1898 in Simla, Himachal Pradesh, India. They had four children: **Lorna Suzanne Stafford**, **Nicholas Archibald Stafford**, **Wendy Irene Stafford**, and **Jeremy Brian Stafford**.

9-**Lorna Suzanne Stafford Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 4 Sep 1920 and died in Jun 2004 in York, Yorkshire at age 83.

Lorna married **Richard Harry Dauncy Fisher**. They had four children: **Robin Brian Dauncy**, **Simon Harry**, **Jonathon Mark**, and **Judith Suzanne**.

10-**Robin Brian Dauncy Fisher**

10-**Simon Harry Fisher**

10-**Jonathon Mark Fisher**

10-**Judith Suzanne Fisher**

9-**Nicholas Archibald Stafford Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 28 Mar 1925 in Queen Victoria Hospital, Johannesburg, South Africa and died in 1977 in Nairobi, Kenya at age 52.

Nicholas married **Wendy Geddes Rhind Main**.<sup>6</sup> Wendy was born on 12 Jan 1930 in Eldoret, Rift Valley, Kenya and died in 2004 in Nairobi, Kenya at age 74. They had three children: **Keith Nicholas Stafford**, **Brian Clive Stafford**, and **Ian Andrew Stafford**.

10-**Keith Nicholas Stafford Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 23 May 1953 and died on 6 Sep 1991 in Andover Down, Hampshire at age 38.

Keith married **Christine Jull Jensen**. They had two children: **Anita Helen Stafford** and **Lorna Nichola Stafford**.

11-**Anita Helen Stafford Allen**

Anita married **Adam Price**.

11-**Lorna Nichola Stafford Allen**

Lorna married **Neylan**. They had one daughter: **Darcy Christina Nolan**.



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12-Darcy Christina Nolan Neylan

10-Brian Clive Stafford Allen

Brian married **Diana Jean Cuthill**, daughter of **Ian Cuthill** and **Frankie**. They had three children: **Melanie Claire Stafford**, **Adrian Nicholas Stafford**, and **Craig Robert Stafford**.

11-Melanie Claire Stafford Allen

11-Adrian Nicholas Stafford Allen

11-Craig Robert Stafford Allen

10-Ian Andrew Stafford Allen

Ian married **Linda Margaret Megson**. They had two children: **Kieran Andrew Stafford** and **Larissa Jennifer**.

11-Kieran Andrew Stafford Allen

11-Larissa Jennifer Allen

9-Wendy Irene Stafford Allen<sup>6</sup> was born on 31 Aug 1927 in South Africa and died on 8 May 1999 in Nairobi, Kenya at age 71.

Wendy married **J. Dudley Winter**. They had three children: **Victoria Lorna**, **Deborah Jane**, and **Jessica Wendy**.

10-Victoria Lorna Winter

10-Deborah Jane Winter

10-Jessica Wendy Winter

9-Jeremy Brian Stafford Allen

Jeremy married **Patricia Barbara Barclay**, daughter of **Capt. Hugh Bromfield Barclay** and **Patricia Frances Kilkelly**. They had four children: **Suzanne Patricia Stafford**, **Benjamin Maxwell Stafford**, **Jaqueline Elizabeth Stafford**, and **Priscilla Anne Stafford**.

10-Suzanne Patricia Stafford Allen

Suzanne married **Adam Fforde**. They had two children: **George Rupert P.** and **Amy Patricia Stafford**.

11- George Rupert P.

11-Amy Patricia Stafford Fforde

10-Benjamin Maxwell Stafford Allen

Benjamin married **Fiona Margaret Youngson**. They had two children: **Todd Oscar Stafford** and **Leo James Stafford**.

11-Todd Oscar Stafford Allen

11-Leo James Stafford Allen

10-Jaqueline Elizabeth Stafford Allen

Jaqueline married **Oliver Williams**. They had one son: **Keith Barclay Allen**.

11-Keith Barclay Allen Williams

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### 10-Priscilla Anne Stafford Allen

Priscilla married **Finn Arnold Davey**. They had two children: **Luke Hugh Arnold** and **Kim Lester Arnold**.

### 11-Luke Hugh Arnold Davey

### 11-Kim Lester Arnold Davey

Jeremy next married **Linda Chambers**.

8-**Alfred Maxwell Allen**<sup>6,161</sup> was born on 16 Feb 1904 in Croydon, Surrey.

General Notes: ALLEN.-On the 16th February, 1904, at Croydon, Minnie, the wife of Alfred H. Allen (1868-70), a son, who was named Alfred Maxwell.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1916-1920 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as an Architect in Cecil Chambers, 86 Strand, London.
- He was awarded with ARIBA.

Alfred married **Betty Lund**.

Stafford next married **Emma Meatyard**<sup>62,89</sup> daughter of **Robert Meatyard**<sup>4,62,82,172</sup> and **Sarah Storrs**<sup>4,62</sup> on 3 May 1882 in FMH Winchmore Hill. Emma was born in 1826, died on 21 Aug 1895 in Tunbridge Wells, Kent at age 69, and was buried in FBG Stoke Newington.

6-**William Allen**<sup>34,62</sup> was born on 16 Apr 1808 in West Mill, Hitchin, Hertfordshire, died on 31 Oct 1897 in Dorking, Surrey at age 89, and was buried in FBG Dorking.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Grocer in Leighton Buzzard, Bedfordshire.
- He worked as a Grocer in Dorking, Surrey.

William married **Maria Darton**<sup>62</sup> daughter of **Samuel Darton**<sup>4,7,8,62,160</sup> and **Ann Gates**<sup>8,62</sup> on 8 Oct 1835 in FMH St. Neots. Maria was born on 24 Apr 1812 in 55 Gracechurch Street, London and died on 27 Mar 1889 in Dorking, Surrey at age 76.

Noted events in her life were:

- She worked as a Quaker Minister in 1864 in Tottenham MM.

6-**Joseph Allen**<sup>140</sup> was born on 2 Sep 1810 in West Mill, Hitchin, Hertfordshire and died on 17 May 1878 in Bray, Berkshire at age 67.

6-**George Allen**<sup>162</sup> was born on 28 Aug 1813 in West Mill, Hitchin and died on 9 Sep 1893 in Ampthill, Bedfordshire at age 80.

5-**Joseph Allen**<sup>60,91</sup> was born on 24 Jul 1774 in Steward Street, Spitalfields, London and died on 21 Sep 1849 in Dunmow, Essex at age 75.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Silk Weaver in Spitalfields, London.
- He worked as a Quaker Minister.

5-**Jonathan Allen** was born on 4 Oct 1776 in Steward Street, Spitalfields, London.

5-**Job Allen** was born on 29 Jun 1783 in Steward Street, Spitalfields, London.

5-**Benjamin Allen**<sup>15</sup> was born on 12 Nov 1787 and died in 1850 in Stoke Newington, London at age 63.

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Benjamin married **Ann Woodgate**,<sup>6,15</sup> daughter of **Edward Woodgate**, in 1810. Ann was born in 1782 and died in 1868 at age 86. They had five children: **William Woodgate**, **Alfred Benjamin de Lisle**, **Mary Ann**, **Charlotte Emma**, and **Amelia Eliza**.

6-**William Woodgate Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 25 Jul 1812 in Bankside, Southwark, London and died on 21 Oct 1889 in 5 Elderfield, Clapton Park, London at age 77.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Grocer and Tea Dealer in Stoke Newington, London.

William married **Elizabeth Knight**, daughter of **George Knight** and **Sarah Harris**, in 1837 in Southampton, Hampshire. Elizabeth was born on 10 Sep 1816 in Ratcliffe, Stepney, London and died in Apr 1862 in Stoke Newington, London at age 45. They had four children: **Lucy Elizabeth**, **Ellen Mary**, **William Henry**, and **Walter**.

7-**Lucy Elizabeth Allen** was born in 1838.

Noted events in her life were:

- She worked as a School mistress in 1861.

Lucy married **John William Thomas Elisha Parson**.

7-**Ellen Mary Allen**<sup>74</sup> was born on 27 Jun 1841 in Stoke Newington, London and died on 6 Mar 1925 in Lawrence, Douglas County, Kansas, USA at age 83.

Ellen married **Marcus Mitchell Chamney**,<sup>74</sup> son of **William Chamney**<sup>74</sup> and **Mary Ann Bayman**,<sup>74</sup> on 20 Jan 1881 in Minnesota, USA. Marcus was born on 22 Mar 1848 in Portsmouth, Hampshire, was christened on 27 Sep 1848 in Portsmouth, Hampshire, and died on 9 Dec 1907 in Lawrence, Douglas County, Kansas, USA at age 59. They had two children: **(No Given Name)** and **Harold Marcus**.

Noted events in their marriage were:

- They emigrated to Kansas, USA.

### 8-Chamney

8-**Harold Marcus Chamney**<sup>74</sup> was born on 3 Sep 1883 in Minneapolis, Minnesota, USA, died on 7 Aug 1963 in Lawrence, Douglas County, Kansas, USA at age 79, and was buried in Memorial Park Cemetery, Lawrence, Douglas County, Kansas, USA.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Dairy Farmer in Lawrence, Douglas County, Kansas, USA.

Harold married **Maude N. Hornby** on 11 Nov 1908 in Lawrence, Douglas County, Kansas, USA. Maude was born on 5 Sep 1889 in Lawrence, Douglas County, Kansas, USA, died in Mar 1980 in Emporia, Lyon County, Kansas, USA at age 90, and was buried in Memorial Park Cemetery, Lawrence, Douglas County, Kansas, USA. They had three children: **Margaret R.**, **Edward Harold**, and **Marie**.

Noted events in their marriage were:

- They had a residence in 1920 in Wakarusa, Douglas County, Kansas, USA.
- They had a residence in 1930 in Wakarusa, Douglas County, Kansas, USA.
- They worked as an Owners of the Chamney Dairy in Lawrence, Douglas County, Kansas, USA.

9-**Margaret R. Chamney** was born on 21 Jul 1910 in Lawrence, Douglas County, Kansas, USA, died on 5 Mar 2008 in Minneapolis, Minnesota, USA at age 97, and was buried in Fort Snelling National Cemetery, Minneapolis, Minnesota, USA.

Margaret married **Lieut. Cmdr. Myron G. Messenheimer USN**, son of **Clara**. Myron was born on 22 Jun 1910 in Lawrence, Douglas County, Kansas, USA, died on 8 Dec 1994 in Minneapolis, Minnesota, USA at age 84, and was buried in Fort Snelling National Cemetery, Minneapolis, Minnesota, USA. They had three children: **(No Given Name)**, **Mary Ellen**, and **Harold**.

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Noted events in their marriage were:

- They had a residence in Minneapolis, Minnesota, USA.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Physician.

10-**Messenheimer** died in Died in Infancy.

10-**Mary Ellen Messenheimer**

Mary married **Thomas Arthur Darner**.

10-**Harold Messenheimer**

9-**Edward Harold Chamney** was born on 20 Nov 1911 in Lawrence, Douglas County, Kansas, USA, died on 17 Aug 1990 in Lawrence, Douglas County, Kansas, USA at age 78, and was buried in Memorial Park Cemetery, Lawrence, Douglas County, Kansas, USA.

Edward married **Dorothea N. Holmes**, daughter of **John Holmes** and **Nellie G.**, on 7 Dec 1935. Dorothea was born on 9 Jan 1915 in Sherman, Leavenworth County, Kansas, USA, died on 11 Feb 1995 in Lawrence, Douglas County, Kansas, USA at age 80, and was buried in Memorial Park Cemetery, Lawrence, Douglas County, Kansas, USA. They had three children: **Clifford Edward**, **Marilyn T.**, and **Patricia Ann**.

10-**Clifford Edward Chamney**

10-**Marilyn T. Chamney**

Marilyn married **Ed Lee**. Ed died in Jan 2004.

10-**Patricia Ann Chamney**

9-**Marie Chamney**

Marie married **Prof. Darrell E. Wood**, son of **Virgil D. Wood** and **Veta E. Durant**, on 3 Jul 1942 in Lawrence, Douglas County, Kansas, USA. Darrell was born on 15 Dec 1919 in Kansas City, Wyandotte County, Kansas and died on 13 Feb 2001 in Emporia, Lyon County, Kansas, USA at age 81. They had two children: **Janey** and **Karen**.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Professor in the Education Dept., Emporia State University in Emporia, Lyon County, Kansas, USA.

10-**Janey Wood**

Janey married **Wells**.

10-**Karen Wood**

Karen married **Mitchell**.

7-**William Henry Allen** was born on 12 May 1843 in Stoke Newington, London and died in 1926 in Bedford, Bedfordshire at age 83.

7-**Walter Allen** was born on 8 Jun 1847 in Stoke Newington, London, died on 2 Jun 1930 in Washington, D.C., USA at age 82, and was buried in Rock Creek Cemetery, Washington, DC.

Noted events in his life were:

- He emigrated to America.

Walter married **Emily Ellwood**, daughter of **William Ellwood** and **Elizabeth**, on 28 May 1873 in Washington, D.C., USA. Emily was born on 25 Jul 1851 in Kingsland, London, died on 9 Mar 1908 in 143 Quincy Place, Northeast, Washington DC, USA at age 56, and was buried on 12 Mar 1908 in Rock Creek Cemetery, Washington, DC. They had two children: **Walter Ellwood** and **Edward Knight**.

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8-**Walter Ellwood Allen** was born in 1875 in Washington, D.C., USA and died on 27 Jun 1954 in Berkshire Heights, Prince George's County, Maryland, USA at age 79.

Noted events in his life were:

- He had a residence in Washington, D.C., USA.

Walter married **Miranda Sophia Nelson** on 24 Sep 1900. Miranda was born on 4 Dec 1872 in New York, New York, USA and died on 6 Oct 1918 in Washington, D.C., USA at age 45. They had two children: **Miranda** and **Ruth**.

9-**Miranda Allen**

9-**Ruth Allen**

8-**Edward Knight Allen** was born on 23 Oct 1878 in Washington, D.C., USA.

Noted events in his life were:

- He had a residence in South Danville, Vermont, USA.

Edward married **Isabel Adelia Duckworth** about 1904. Isabel was born in 1879 in Springfield, Massachusetts, USA. They had three children: **Ellwood Browning**, **Eleanor**, and **Edward Knight**.

9-**Ellwood Browning Allen** was born on 15 Oct 1905 in Connecticut, USA and died on 4 Mar 1990 in Arlington, Massachusetts, USA at age 84.

9-**Eleanor Allen** was born on 11 Jun 1908 in South Danville, Vermont, USA.

9-**Edward Knight Allen Jnr.** was born on 1 Oct 1910 in Burlington, Vermont, USA and died on 18 May 1994 in Westborough, Massachusetts, USA at age 83.

Edward next married **Marjorie Newell Dakin**, daughter of **Edward Dakin** and **Mary Dorgan**.

William next married **Leah Reed Walters**, daughter of **Thomas Walters**, in Jul 1875. Leah was born on 3 Apr 1838 in Honiton, Devon and died on 15 Feb 1922 in Barnet, London at age 83. They had one daughter: **Madeline Blanche**.

Noted events in her life were:

- Miscellaneous: Her first husband was named John Rands.

7-**Madeline Blanche Allen** was born about 1876 in Clapton, Hackney, London.

6-**Alfred Benjamin de Lisle Allen** was born on 22 Feb 1817 in Gloucester Row, Walworth, died in 1877 in Southwark, London at age 60, and was buried on 21 Sep 1877 in St. Saviour Southwark, Surrey.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with MRCS.

Alfred married **Dinah Farmer**, daughter of **George Farmer** and **Margaret**, on 18 Nov 1848 in St. Giles, Camberwell, London. Dinah was born in 1815 in Pentonville, London and died in 1884 in Marylebone, London at age 69. They had two children: **Florence Dinah de Lisle** and **George Stafford Hanbury Millson**.

7-**Florence Dinah de Lisle Allen** was born on 4 Dec 1850 in Margate, Kent and died in 1904 in Hendon, Middlesex at age 54.

Noted events in her life were:

- She worked as a Musician and Teacher.

7-**George Stafford Hanbury Millson Allen** was born on 10 Mar 1855 in London and died in 1882 at age 27.

George married **Florence Susan Delane Faithfull**. They had no children.

6-**Mary Ann Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born about 1818.

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6-**Charlotte Emma Allen** was born on 21 Jan 1819 and died on 31 May 1841 in Lindfield, Sussex at age 22.

6-**Amelia Eliza Allen**<sup>6,15</sup> was born in 1823 and died on 1 Feb 1847 in Walworth, London at age 24.

4-**Susanna Allen**<sup>2</sup> was born in 1736 and died in 1821 in Dunmow, Essex<sup>6</sup> at age 85.

Susanna married **Francis Clayton**,<sup>2,173</sup> son of **Laurence Clayton**<sup>2</sup> and **Anne Toney**,<sup>2</sup> on 9 Oct 1764 in Chiswick Church. Francis was born in 1739, died in Mar 1774 at age 35, and was buried on 27 Mar 1774 in Chiswick Churchyard. They had two children: **Hollis** and **John**.

5-**Hollis Clayton**<sup>2,4,6,70</sup> was born on 21 Nov 1766 in Chiswick, London, was christened on 17 Dec 1766 in Chiswick Church, died on 26 Nov 1830 in Dunmow, Essex at age 64, and was buried in FBG Dunmow.

General Notes: Learned the trade of grocer with the firm of Day & Grover of Standstead, Essex. Became a Quaker in 1791 and purchased his grocers shop in Dunmow in 1796. The Quaker influence probably came at the death of his father, as he looked to his Quaker uncle, John Allen, for guidance.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was baptized on 17 Dec 1766 in Chiswick Church.
- He was educated at Friend's School, Boley Hill in Rochester, Kent.
- He worked as a Grocer & Journeyman in Dunmow, Essex.
- He was a Quaker by Convincement in 1791.

Hollis married **Mary Impey**,<sup>2,4,6,70</sup> daughter of **William Impey**<sup>2,4,70,90</sup> and **Anna Gibson**,<sup>2,4,70</sup> on 27 Apr 1799 in FMH Great Dunmow. Mary was born in 1774, died in Jun 1848 at age 74, and was buried in FBG Dunmow. They had six children: **William Impey**, **John**, **Hollis**, **Allen Francis**, **Charles**, and **George Gibson**.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at York Quarterly Meeting, Girls School. (Later became The Mount School) in 1786 in York, Yorkshire.

6-**William Impey Clayton**<sup>2,4,70</sup> was born on 11 Jan 1800 in Dunmow, Essex and died on 23 Nov 1855 in Dunmow, Essex at age 55.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Thomas Thompson's School, Compton, Dorset.
- He worked as a Grocer & Draper in Dunmow, Essex.

William married **Maria Marriage**,<sup>2,4</sup> daughter of **William Marriage**<sup>2,4,174</sup> and **Mary Hutchinson**,<sup>2,4,174</sup> on 4 Jul 1832 in FMH Chelmsford. Maria was born on 28 Aug 1800 in Broomfield, Chelmsford, Essex and died in 1875 at age 75. They had six children: (**No Given Name**), **William**, **Maria**, **Charlotte**, **Mary Sophia**, and **Ellen**.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at York Quarterly Meeting, Girls School. (Later became The Mount School) in 1810-1814 in York, Yorkshire.

7-**Clayton** was born in 1834 and died in 1834 in Died in Infancy.

7-**William Clayton**<sup>2,6,175</sup> was born on 4 Aug 1835 in Great Dunmow, Essex, died on 4 Mar 1881 in Great Dunmow, Essex at age 45, and was buried in FBG Dunmow.

General Notes: WILLIAM, born 1835, educated at Epping and at Hitchin. On death of his father he continued the family business till his death in 1881. He was for many years a Burgess of the town, and had filled the office of bailiff. He was intimately connected with the Dunmow Savings Bank, a trustee of the Literary Institution, and treasurer of the British Schools. He married in 1871, Louisa Goff, at Gorleston Church (a morning wedding, with two bridesmaids). After her husband's death she removed to Chelmsford, where she now resides. His funeral was attended by upwards of 700 persons. (An interesting account of his life is in the " Chelmsford Chronicle " for 11th March, 1881.) Hobbies: His one recreation in life was hunting.

William married **Louisa Goff**<sup>2</sup> in 1871 in Gorleston Church, Gorleston, Norfolk. Louisa was born in 1835. They had five children: **William Alfred**, **John Henry**, **Louisa Maria**, **Janet**, and **Hollis**.

General Notes: Moved to Chelmsford after her husband's death.

8-**William Alfred Clayton**<sup>2,173</sup> was born in 1872.

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General Notes: WILLIAM ALFRED, born 1872. Educated at Epping and at Saffron Walden. Apprenticed at Scarborough to John Rowntree and Sons, and afterwards at Weston-super-Mare, Sheffield and Pontefract. He started in business as a grocer at Winton, near Bournemouth, in 1908. He married, in 1902, Lilian King, at Westminster F.M.; it was an afternoon wedding without bridesmaids. Hobbies: Work in connexion with the Society of Friends and Adult School Work.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Epping & Saffron Walden.
- He worked as a Grocer of Winton, Bournemouth.

William married **Lilian King**<sup>2</sup> in 1902 in FMH Westminster, London. Lilian was born in 1869. They had four children: **Donald King, Oliver William, Aylwin Goff, and Basil.**

**9-Donald King Clayton**<sup>2</sup> was born in 1904 in Pontefract, Yorkshire.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Sibford.

**9-Oliver William Clayton**<sup>2</sup> was born in 1905 in Pontefract, Yorkshire.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Sibford.

**9-Aylwin Goff Clayton**

**9-Basil Clayton**

**8-John Henry Clayton**<sup>2</sup> was born in 1874 and died in 1882 in Drowned At Langley, Great Yarmouth. at age 8.

**8-Louisa Maria Clayton**<sup>2,26,109,126,152,173</sup> was born in Dec 1875.

General Notes: LOUISA MARIA, born 1875. Educated at Chelmsford and Colchester (Minden House), where she afterwards became a Teacher. Married Harris Smith (born 1869) at Chelmsford F.M. in 1898 (an afternoon wedding with two bridesmaids). They now reside at Pattiswick, near Braintree. Hobbies: Temperance and Educational Work.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at Chelmsford & Minden House, Colchester.
- She worked as a Teacher.

Louisa married **Harris Smith**,<sup>2,26,109,126,152,167</sup> son of **Joseph Smith**<sup>176</sup> and **Rachel Bevington Hills**,<sup>176</sup> on 21 Apr 1898 in FMH Chelmsford. Harris was born on 21 Sep 1869 in Earls Colne, Essex and died on 9 Jan 1965 in Newport, Isle of Wight, Hampshire at age 95. They had three children: **Dorothy Clayton, Ronald Harris, and Rachel Joyce.**

Marriage Notes: **GOLDEN WEDDINGS**

Smith-Clayton.— On 21st April, 1898, at the Friends' Meeting House, Chelmsford, Harris Smith (1881-85), to Louisa M. Clayton.

Noted events in their marriage were:

- They had a residence in Mottistone Manor Farm, Newport, Isle of Wight, Hampshire.

General Notes: SMITH.-On 9th January, 1965, at his home at Newport, Isle of Wight, Harris Smith (1881-85), aged 95 years.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1881-1885 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as a Farmer in Pattiswick, Braintree, Essex.
- He resided at 18 Elm Close in 1935 in Amersham, Buckinghamshire.

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9-**Dorothy Clayton Smith**<sup>2</sup> was born on 18 Dec 1899 in Bowers Grange, Coggeshall, Essex and died in Jun 2000 in Cotswolds, Gloucestershire at age 100.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at Chelmsford High School in Chelmsford, Essex.
- She was educated at Polam Hall in Darlington, County Durham.

9-**Ronald Harris Smith**<sup>2,126</sup> was born on 16 May 1902 in Bowers Grange, Coggeshall, Essex and died in Feb 1996 in Cotswolds, Gloucestershire at age 93.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Braintree High School in Braintree, Essex.
- He was educated at Sidcot.

9-**Rachel Joyce Smith**<sup>2,109</sup> was born on 30 Mar 1907 in Mille's Farm, Stisted, Essex.

General Notes: SMITH.-On the 30th March, 1907, at Braintree, Louisa M., the wife of Harris Smith (1881-85), a daughter, who was named Rachel Joyce.

8-**Janet Clayton**<sup>2,173</sup> was born in 1878.

General Notes: JANET, born 1878. Educated at Chelmsford and Colchester. Hobbies: Specially interested in Temperance and other Social Work; Treasurer of Benevolent Society.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at Chelmsford & Colchester.
- She worked as a Social worker.

8-**Hollis Clayton**<sup>2</sup> was born on 7 Feb 1880 and died on 11 Apr 1965 at age 85.

General Notes: HOLLIS, born 1881. Educated at Chelmsford Grammar School. Apprenticed to corn and seed trade with Cramphorn, Chelmsford; learnt farming at Joseph Smith's, at Pattiswick, and is now in partnership with him. He married Mary Louise Hicks, at Copford Church, in 1911-an afternoon wedding with two bridesmaids. The "Essex County Chronicle" of that week gives some particulars of the ceremony. They now reside at Milles' Farm, Stisted, Essex. Hobbies: Music, hunting and shooting

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Chelmsford Grammar.
- He worked as a Farmer of Mille's Farm, Stisted, Essex.

Hollis married **Mary Louise Hicks**,<sup>2</sup> daughter of **Herbert Timperley Hicks** and **Mary Archer**, in 1911 in Copford Church, Essex. Mary was born on 15 Jun 1873 in Little Coggeshall, Essex and died on 3 May 1967 at age 93. They had two children: **Joan Mary** and **Hollis**.

9-**Joan Mary Clayton**<sup>2,173</sup> was born on 8 Nov 1914 in Stisted, Essex and died on 16 Feb 1996 in Donnington, Berkshire at age 81.

Joan married **Capt. William Wayland Farish**, son of **Robert Wayland Farish**, on 18 Jul 1942. William was born about 1902, died on 18 Feb 1947 in Brentwood, Essex about age 45, and was buried in Ingatestone & Freyerning Cemetery, Essex.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with OBE.

Joan next married **Charles Henry Peppiat** on 28 Oct 1947 in Brompton, Middlesex. Charles died in 1951.

Joan next married **Victor Hastings Dare Bascombe** on 9 Sep 1959 in St. Marylebone Register Office. Victor was born in 1904 and died on 6 Sep 1967 at age 63.

9-**Hollis Clayton**<sup>2,173</sup> was born on 1 Jan 1916, died on 16 Aug 2001 at age 85, and was buried in Heathfield, East Sussex.

Hollis married **Irene Grace Douglass** on 23 Feb 1946 in Falmouth, Cornwall. Irene was born on 1 Sep 1916, died on 20 Jun 1996 at age 79, and was buried in Heathfield, East Sussex.



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7-**Maria Clayton**<sup>2</sup> was born in 1837.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at Brighton.

Maria married **Joseph Alfred Smith**<sup>2,62</sup> in 1864 in FMH Dunmow. Joseph was born in 1831 and died on 30 Nov 1888 in Chelmsford, Essex at age 57. They had nine children: **William Clayton, Alfred Bernard, Lewis Albert, Lawrence, Richenda Maria, Howard, Percy, Stanley, and Florence Mabel.**

Noted events in his life were:

- He had a residence in Orchard Lodge, Chelmsford, Essex.

8-**William Clayton Smith**<sup>2,173</sup> was born in 1865.

General Notes: WILLIAM CLAYTON, born i86. Educated at Epping, Lexden and Scarborough. Apprenticed to the drapery trade at Green's, Stanstead. His father's business in High Street, Chelmsford, was carried on by the trustees of his will until i8g6, when it was acquired by W. C. S. and his brother Bernard, by whom it is still carried on under the name of J. A. Smith and Sons, drapers and milliners. Hobbies: Sailing and trips on his well-known boats, first the "Rover" and now the "Vera," have given many of his friends a great deal of pleasure.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Epping, Lexden & Scarborough.
- He worked as a Draper of Chelmsford.

8-**Alfred Bernard Smith**<sup>2,173</sup> was born in 1868.

General Notes: ALFRED BERNARD, born 1868. Educated at Lexden and Scarborough. Apprenticed to Stretch and Harlock, at Nantwich, and is in business with his brother as stated above. He is one of the best amateur growers of sweetpeas for miles round. Hobbies: Especially fishing and golf, and also tennis.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Lexden & Scarborough.
- He worked as a Draper of Chelmsford.

8-**Dr. Lewis Albert Smith**<sup>2,6,31,173</sup> was born on 8 May 1869 in Chelmsford, Essex and died on 17 Sep 1944 in Criccieth, Gwynedd, Wales at age 75.

General Notes: LEWIS ALBERT, born 1869. Educated at Epping, Lexden and Scarborough. ided to follow the medical profession, which he studied at the London Hospital. He obtained the degree of M.D. (Lond.), 1901, and F.R.C.P. in 1910, and has for many years been on the staff of that hospital; he practises as a consulting physician at his residence, 25, Queen Anne Street, W. He married Ethel Rigby at Immanuel Church, at Streatham, in 1904 (afternoon wedding, with four bridesmaids): Hobbies: Their joint hobbies are golf and fishing. L. 's maximum catch has been a pike weighing 23lbs., at Burton, in January this year, and Ethel's a trout weighing 7lbs. at Lochinver, in July last.

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Lewis Albert Smith b.8 May 1869 d.17 Sept 1944  
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Lewis Smith, who was born at Chelmsford, the third son of Joseph Alfred Smith, and educated at Scarborough, was associated chiefly with the London Hospital, which he first entered as a student in 1889. He won the Letheby scholarship for chemistry, and qualified in 1895. He was then given a succession of junior posts before being appointed assistant physician in 1902. For many years he taught clinical medicine and, when he retired in 1927, he was elected consulting physician. Smith also served on the staffs of the Eastern Dispensary, the Poplar Hospital, and the King George Hospital in his earlier years. " L.A.", as he was affectionately known, was an admirable teacher of elementary medicine and enjoyed a large and lucrative practice, from which he retired comparatively early in life in order to enjoy his hobbies of travel and fishing. He married in 1904 Ethel, daughter of John Rigby and sister of Sir Hugh Rigby; they had no children. He died at Criccieth. Lancet, 1944. B.M.J., 1944. (Volume IV, page 513)

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Epping, Lexden & Scarborough.
- He worked as a Doctor at The London Hospital & Consulting physician.

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Lewis married **Ethel Rigby**,<sup>2,6,31,173</sup> daughter of **John Rigby**, in 1904 in Emmanuel Church, Streatham, London. Ethel was born in 1877.

Noted events in her life were:

- Miscellaneous: Her brother was the surgeon Sir Hugh Rigby.

**8-Lawrence Smith**<sup>2,173</sup> was born in 1870.

General Notes: LAWRENCE, born 1870. Educated at Epping, Lexden and Scarborough. Apprenticed to Rowntree and Sons, grocers, at York. He was for some years a traveller for Rowntrees, cocoa manufacturers, of York. In 1906 he joined his brother Percy in establishing the Emperor Café, at Carlisle, which they disposed of just before the outbreak of the war in 1914, and he is now in business of a similar character at Epsom. Hobbies: Golf, and very good at gardening

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Epping, Lexden & Scarborough.
- He worked as a Cafe proprietor of Carlisle & then Epsom.

**8-Richenda Maria Smith**<sup>2,173</sup> was born in 1872.

General Notes: RICHENDA MARIA (CHENNIE), born 1872. Educated at Kendal and Polam. At this latter school she was for some years Singing Mistress. She spent the winter of 1903 in studying singing at Wiesbaden, and in igo' took it up as a profession, first under Johannes Messchaert for a year. Returned to England and was further trained under Raimond Von Zur Muhlen and Madame Hope Cliffe, and is now a professional singer and teacher. Her professional name is Richenda Clayton. She, with two intimate friends, are living together in the Finchley Road, near Hampstead Heath. Hobbies: Outdoor Games and her professional work.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at Kendal & Polam Hall.
- She worked as a Professional Singer & Teacher.

**8-Howard Smith**<sup>2,173</sup> was born in 1873.

General Notes: HOWARD, born x873. Educated at Epping, Lexden and Scarborough. Apprenticed to Headley's, printers, at Ashford. For a year or two after his apprenticeship he travelled for them and another firm in the paper trade. Later on he travelled for Peters, the chocolate people. He finally decided to leave the road, and is now in the confectionery trade at Worthing. Hobbies: Fishing

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Epping, Lexden & Scarborough.
- He worked as a Confectioner of Worthing.

**8-Percy Smith**<sup>2,173</sup> was born in 1874.

General Notes: PERCY, born 1874. Educated at Epping, Lexden and Scarborough. He was apprenticed to Rowntrees, grocers, at Scarborough, and afterwards travelled for Rowntrees, cocoa manufacturers, of York. As stated above, he joined his brother Lawrence in business at Carlisle. On the outbreak of the War he enlisted in the 2nd London Regiment, 2nd Battalion Queen's Westminster Rifles. After being trained in London he went first to Saffron Walden, then to Salisbury Plain. In 1916 he went to France, and is now in Salonika. Hobbies: Fishing, and a keen sttfdent of bird life.

**8-Stanley Smith**<sup>2,173</sup> was born on 11 Nov 1876 and died on 24 Nov 1876.

**8-Florence Mabel Smith**<sup>2,173</sup> was born on 4 Feb 1878 and died on 25 Dec 1955 in Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada at age 77.

General Notes: FLORENCE MABEL (Flossie), born 1878. Educated at Margate and at Polam. She resided with her mother till her marriage, and was a trained accompanist on the piano. She married Hugh Sharman (born 1874) at Brompton Parish Church in 1914 (afternoon wedding with one bridesmaid), and they have since resided at Salter, Saskatchewan, Canada, where he is farming. At the time of printing these notes F. M. S. is on a visit to her mother in England.

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A daughter born 25th February, 1917., named Richenda

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at Margate & Polam Hall.

Florence married **Hugh Sharman**,<sup>2,173</sup> son of **Mark Sharman** and **Blanche Sophia Barrie**, in 1914 in Brompton Parish Church. Hugh was born on 30 Sep 1874, was christened on 28 Oct 1874 in St. Peter's, Bedford, Bedfordshire, and died on 13 Feb 1952 in Summerland, British Columbia, Canada at age 77. They had one daughter: **Richenda**.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Farmer in Salter, Saskatchewan, Canada.
- He worked as a Postmaster in 1918-1920 in Salter, Saskatchewan, Canada.

9-**Richenda Sharman** was born on 25 Feb 1917 in Salter, Saskatchewan, Canada.

7-**Charlotte Clayton**<sup>2,173</sup> was born in 1839 and died in 1908 in Clevedon, Somerset at age 69.

General Notes: CHARLOTTE, born 1839. Educated at Brighton. After her mother's death, in 1875, she and her sister Ellen resided at Chelmsford till her marriage in 1882 with James Whitehead (born 1841) at Devonshire House F.M. (a morning wedding, with four bridesmaids.) J. W. bought the old family business at Dunmow from her brother's executors and continued in it till 1897, when he retired. They then lived at Worcester for some years. They made repeated visits to Switzerland, Italy and Norway, and on one occasion went to Brumana to visit Ellen. They finally settled at Clevedon, where she died in 1908. J. W. died there in 1915. Hobbies: They were both good linguists and botanists, and had an intimate knowledge of Alpine plants.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at Brighton.

Charlotte married **James Whitehead**<sup>2,173</sup> in 1882 in FMH Devonshire House. James was born in 1842 and died in 1915 in Clevedon, Somerset at age 73.

7-**Mary Sophia Clayton**<sup>2,173</sup> was born in 1840 in Great Dunmow, Essex and died in Mar 1902 at age 62.

General Notes: MARY SOPHIA, born 1840. Educated at Brighton. She married her cousin Henry Marriage (born 1835), at Dunmow in 1865 (a morning wedding with four bridesmaids), and for a few years they resided at the Parsonage Farm at Broomfield, removing soon after the death of Henry Marriage, Senr., to Ayletts, where she still resides. For over sixty years she has collected locally for the British and Foreign Bible Society, first at Dunmow and then at Broomfield. H. M. was a very large farmer and miller in partnership with his cousins as W. and H. Marriage and Sons, was a County Councillor and J.P. for Essex. He died at Westcliffe-on-Sea in 1912.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at Brighton.

Mary married **Henry Marriage**,<sup>2</sup> son of **Henry Marriage**<sup>4,177,178,179</sup> and **Susannah Smith**,<sup>178</sup> in Sep 1865 in Great Dunmow, Essex. Henry was born in 1835, died on 27 May 1912 in Westcliffe on Sea, Essex at age 77, and was buried in FBG Chelmsford. They had ten children: **Henry, Kay, Wilfred, Helena Sophia, Mary Ellen, Susannah Maria, Constance, Eustace, Montague William, and Llewellyn**.

8-**Henry Marriage**<sup>173</sup> was born in Sep 1866 in Broomfield, Chelmsford, Essex, died on 12 Jun 1938 in Ayletts, Broomfield, Chelmsford, Essex at age 71, and was buried in FBG Chelmsford.

General Notes: HENRY, born 1866. Educated at Epping and Scarborough. He learnt milling with J. and E. P. Wooler, millers, at Batley, Yorks., and in due course became a partner in the family business. He has for some years past lived at Bishop's Hall Mill, and was more especially attached to the milling department of the firm's business, but for the last few years has given a good deal of time to farming. Hobbies: Hunting and cricket

8-**Kay Marriage** was born in 1867 in Broomfield, Chelmsford, Essex.

8-**Wilfred Marriage**<sup>173</sup> was born in Mar 1869 in Broomfield, Chelmsford, Essex.

General Notes: WILFRED, born 1868. Educated at Epping, Lexden, and Scarborough. He was apprenticed to J. R. Neave and Co., millers, at Fordingbridge, but after his apprenticeship was up took to farming and lived at Springfield Hall. Later on in life he went out to Nelson, New Zealand,

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where he is now engaged in fruit farming. Hobbies: Gardening.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Fruit Farmer in Nelson, New Zealand.

8-**Helena Sophia Marriage**<sup>173</sup> was born in Mar 1870 in Broomfield, Chelmsford, Essex, died in Jul 1870, and was buried in Chelmsford, Essex.

8-**Mary Ellen Marriage**<sup>173</sup> was born in Dec 1871 in Broomfield, Chelmsford, Essex.

General Notes: MARY ELLEN (NELLIE), born 1870. Educated at Weston-super-Mare and Southport. She is a member of several Education Committees in connection with the Essex County Council, and to which she gives up a large amount of time. Has been a considerable traveller, including Jerusalem and Brumana, on the Nile 200 miles above Khartoum, and seven times on the Continent of Europe, including Sicily. Hobbies: A great reader and botanist.

8-**Susannah Maria Marriage**<sup>2,173</sup> was born in Dec 1872 in Broomfield, Chelmsford, Essex.

General Notes: SUSANNA MARIA (MAY), born 1872. Educated at Weston-super-Mare and Southport. Has travelled in Switzerland and Norway; also to Brumana, visiting the Cedars of Lebanon and Cairo. She has been on the board of management of the Erinville Hospital since 1910, and secretary since 1914. She is a member of the Red Cross Society V.A.D., and is also chairman of St. John's Ambulance Association. She married Charles Ernest Beale, of Cork, at Chelmsford F.M. It was an afternoon wedding, and there were five bridesmaids.

(1) Charles Kenneth, born 1901. At Sidcot and Felstead Schools.

(2) George Henry, born 1905. At Manor School, Fermoy.

(3) Maxwell Goff, born 1907.

(4) Philip Clayton, born 1908.

Susannah married **Charles Ernest Beale**,<sup>2,173</sup> son of **George Cotter Beale**<sup>32</sup> and **Arabella Pim**,<sup>32</sup> in Sep 1900 in FMH Chelmsford. Charles was born on 16 Jan 1866 in Cork, County Cork, Ireland, died on 14 Sep 1933 in Cork, County Cork, Ireland at age 67, and was buried in FBG Cork, Ireland. They had four children: **Charles Kenneth, George Henry, Maxwell Goff, and Philip Clayton.**

Noted events in his life were:

- He had a residence in Cork, County Cork, Ireland.

9-**Charles Kenneth Beale**<sup>2</sup> was born in 1901.

9-**George Henry Beale**<sup>2</sup> was born in 1905.

9-**Maxwell Goff Beale**

9-**Capt. Philip Clayton Beale**<sup>2</sup> was born in 1908, died on 3 Jul 1942 in Egypt. Killed in action at age 34, and was buried in El Alamein War Cemetery VIII.G.21.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as an officer of the Royal Horse Artillery.

8-**Constance Marriage**<sup>2</sup> was born in Jun 1874 in Broomfield, Chelmsford, Essex.

General Notes: CONSTANCE (CONNIE), born 1874. Educated at Weston-super-Mare and Southport. Has travelled in the West Indies and to Panama; also several times on the Continent of Europe. Married Ernest Smallwood Savage, M.A., M.B., F.R.C.S., of Birmingham, at Little Waltham Church, in 1911. A morning wedding; her sister was bridesmaid and two of her nephews acted as pages.

Hobbies: A good gardener and hockey player.

(1) Thomas Raymond, born 1912.

(2) Christopher Smallwood, born 1915.

Constance married **Dr. Ernest Smallwood Savage**,<sup>2,70</sup> son of **Prof. Thomas Savage**<sup>70</sup> and **Mary Jane Gosling**,<sup>70</sup> in 1911 in Little Waltham Church. Ernest was born on 9 Dec 1869 and was christened on 2 Feb 1870 in Christ Church, Sparkbrook, Birmingham, Warwickshire. They had two children: **Thomas Raymond** and **Christopher Smallwood.**

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Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with MA MB FRCS.
- He worked as a Physician.

9-**Thomas Raymond Savage**<sup>2</sup> was born on 28 Oct 1912 and died in Dec 1994 in Uttlesford, Essex at age 82.

9-**Dr. Christopher Smallwood Savage**<sup>2</sup> was born on 21 Nov 1915 in 80 Hagley Road, Edgbaston, was christened on 11 Jan 1916 in St. George's, Edgbaston, and died on 10 Dec 2007 at age 92.

General Notes: After qualifying, Christopher Smallwood Savage joined the Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve (RNVR) and served as surgeon lieutenant on HMS Havelock on North Atlantic convoys. After the war he trained in otorhinolaryngology at The London Hospital under Mr C Keogh before obtaining consultant posts at the beginning of the NHS. He worked as a truly general ear, nose, and throat surgeon, bringing the evolving specialty to his patients, who admired him. Among colleagues he was respected for his hard work, humour, and principles. He was an active member of the Royal Society of Medicine's ENT division.

He contracted polio in 1953 but made a near complete recovery. After retiring in 1979, he continued to sail at the Blackwater Sailing Club, and he took up woodcarving and fly fishing. He travelled to Australasia and Europe, enjoying many NADFAS (National Association of Decorative and Fine Arts Societies) tours. He leaves a wife, Jill; two sons; and a daughter.

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Christopher Savage was a consultant ENT surgeon at the Chelmsford and Essex Hospital, and the Southend General Hospital, where he developed a special interest in microsurgery of the ear. Born in Edgbaston, Birmingham, on 21 November 1915, he was part of the third generation of a family of surgeons. His father, Ernest Smallwood Savage, who gained his FRCS in 1896, was a gynaecologist at Birmingham and Wolverhampton. His grandfather, Thomas Savage, who was awarded the FRCS in 1869, was a professor of gynaecology in Birmingham. Christopher Savage's mother Constance was a housewife.

Savage was educated at West House School, Edgbaston, Marlborough College, Gonville and Caius, Cambridge, and then the London Hospital. He managed to do his pre-registration house jobs at the Haymeads Hospital, Bishop's Stortford, before serving as a surgeon lieutenant in the Royal Navy Volunteer Reserve on HMS Havelock on the North Atlantic convoys.

At the end of the Second World War he became a supernumerary registrar at the London Hospital, during which time he gained experience in general surgery and otolaryngology with Charles Keogh, Alan Bowen Davies and Johan Lindahl. Their influence led him to become first assistant to the aural department at the London from 1948 to 1952. He contracted polio in 1953, but fortunately made a near complete recovery.

In 1949 he was appointed to his first consultant post, in Chelmsford, and, in 1953, he was also made a consultant at Southend. Among his consultant colleagues he was respected for his hard work, humour and principles.

He retired in April 1979. He continued to sail at the Blackwater Sailing Club and took up woodcarving and fly fishing. He died from pneumonia on 10 December 2007 at the age of 92. He was survived by his wife Jill née Dawe, whom he married in April 1951, and his three children. His sons James and Robert have continued the family tradition, becoming a general practitioner and a consultant orthopaedic surgeon respectively. His daughter became a physiotherapist. Three of his seven grandchildren have also become doctors.

Neil Weir

Sources used to compile this entry: [BMJ 2008 336 513].

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as an Ear, Nose and Throat Surgeon.

Christopher married **Jill**. They had three children: **James, Robert, and (No Given Name)**.

10-**Dr. James Savage**

10-**Dr. Robert Savage**

10-**Savage**

8-**Eustace Marriage**<sup>173</sup> was born in Dec 1875 in Broomfield, Chelmsford, Essex.

General Notes: EUSTACE, born 1875. Educated at Epping, Lexden and Scarborough. Apprenticed to Marriage and Pinnock, cotton spinners, Chorley, Lancashire. For some years he was in business as a cotton manufacturer, at Blackburn, under the name of Marriages, Lim. He is now in New Zealand near his brother Wilfred as a fruit farmer. Hobbies: Cricket and shooting

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Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Fruit farmer in New Zealand, near to his brother Wilfred.

**8-Montague William Marriage**<sup>2,173</sup> was born in Dec 1876 in Broomfield, Chelmsford, Essex.

General Notes: MONTAGUE WILLIAM, born 1876. Educated at Colchester and Leighton Park. Apprenticed to Midwinter, ironfounder, Birmingham, and afterwards at Brighthouse and Crompton's electric light works at Chelmsford. At the time of the Boer War he joined the Electrical Engineers and worked at searchlight work at Vryburg. He has been for some years in business as an ironfounder at Dunedin, N.Z. In 1914 made a tour with his wife round the world, which included visits to England and the States. He married Margaret Wilson at the Presbyterian Church at Dunedin, in 1910.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Colchester & Leighton Park.
- He worked as an Ironfounder of Dunedin, New Zealand.

Montague married **Margaret Wilson**<sup>2,173</sup> in 1910 in Presbyterian Church, Dunedin, New Zealand. Margaret was born in 1872.

Marriage Notes: Also given 1909

**8-Llewellyn Marriage**<sup>173</sup> was born in Sep 1879 in Broomfield, Chelmsford, Essex, died on 18 Feb 1960 in Chelmsford, Essex at age 80, and was buried in FBG Chelmsford.

General Notes: LEWELLYN, born 1879. Educated at Colchester and Leighton Park. He learnt farming under his father and in due course became a partner in the family business; he continued in this occupation until the outbreak of the War, when he obtained a commission in the Eastern Mounted Brigade A.S.C., was first stationed at Peterborough, then at Epsom and in the Eastern Counties, and in December, 1916, arrived in Salonika.

Hobbies: Cricket and hunting.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Colchester & Leighton Park.
- He had a residence in The Parsonage, Broomfield, Chelmsford, Essex.

Llewellyn married **Norah Elizabeth Goodbody**, daughter of **James Perry Goodbody**<sup>180</sup> and **Sophia Richardson**,<sup>180</sup> in Jun 1921 in Kensington. Norah was born on 13 Sep 1890, died on 19 Dec 1976 at age 86, and was buried in FBG Chelmsford. They had one son: **John Goodbody**.

### 9-John Goodbody Marriage

**7-Ellen Clayton**<sup>2,181</sup> was born in 1842.

Noted events in her life were:

- She worked as a Nurse. Brumana Hospital Friends Mission. In Brummana, Lebanon.

**6-John Clayton**<sup>2</sup> was born in 1801 and died on 11 Feb 1827 at age 26.

General Notes: Died from Erysipelas.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Isaac Payne's School, Epping.

**6-Hollis Clayton**<sup>2</sup> was born on 30 Jan 1804, died on 10 Nov 1876 in Brighton, East Sussex at age 72, and was buried in FBG Black Rock, Brighton.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Epping School.
- He worked as a Grocer and Draper in Chelmsford, Essex.

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Hollis married **Sarah Elizabeth Bond**,<sup>2</sup> daughter of **George Bond** and **Mary**, in 1850 in FMH Peel Court, St John's Street, Clerkenwell, London. Sarah was born on 23 Oct 1815 in Horsleydown, Southwark, London, died on 18 Mar 1895 in Brighton, East Sussex at age 79, and was buried in FBG Black Rock, Brighton. They had two children: **Mary Anna** and **Charles Edward**.

7-**Mary Anna Clayton**<sup>2</sup> was born in 1851 in Dunmow, Essex.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at Lewes School.

7-**Charles Edward Clayton**<sup>2,26</sup> was born in 1854 in Brighton, East Sussex and died on 26 Nov 1923 at age 69.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Brighton and Uckfield schools.
- He was educated at Bootham School in 1869 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as an Architect & Surveyor, Clayton & Black.
- He had a residence in Holmbush Lodge, Henfield, Sussex.

Charles married **Alice Glaisyer**,<sup>2,26</sup> daughter of **Thomas Glaisyer**<sup>4,23,34,140</sup> and **Phoebe Lucas**,<sup>4,23,140</sup> on 23 May 1878 in FMH Brighton. Alice was born in 1851 in Brighton, East Sussex and died in 1933 at age 82. They had six children: **Alice Mary**, **Sarah Margaret**, **Phoebe Janet**, **Phyllis Anne**, **Joyce Eleanor**, and **Charles Lawrence**.

8-**Alice Mary Clayton**<sup>2</sup> was born in 1879 in Brighton, East Sussex.

Noted events in her life were:

- She worked as a Children's author.

Alice married **Dr. Harry Guy Mallam**<sup>2</sup> on 5 Sep 1901 in Edburton Church. Harry was born in 1874 in Headington, Oxford, Oxfordshire.<sup>6</sup>

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with MRCS.
- He worked as a Physician in Brighton, East Sussex.

8-**Sarah Margaret Clayton**<sup>2</sup> was born in 1880 in Brighton, East Sussex and died on 22 Oct 1926 at age 46.

General Notes: ALL persons having claims against the estate of Sarah Margaret Daviel, late of 30, Albert Mansions, Albert Bridge Road, Battersea, in the county of Surrey, Wife of Leon Daviel, who died on the 22nd day of October, 1926, and whose Will was proved in the Principal Probate Registry on the 18th day of February, 1927, by the said' Leon Daviel and Edgar Hackforth, the executors therein named, are required to send particulars thereof, in writing, to the undersigned on \_ or before the 24th day of June next, after which date the surviving executor will proceed to distribute the estate, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice.—

Dated the 14th day of April, 1934. SHEARD BREACH and CO., 2, Clement's Inn, Strand, W.O.2, Solicitors for the surviving Executor.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at Brighton & Birmingham Schools of Art.

Sarah married **Leon Daviel**<sup>2</sup> in 1912 in Chelsea Registry Office, London. Leon was born in 1865 in Paris, France and died on 24 Jun 1932 in London at age 67. They had three children: **John René Francis**, **Sara June**, and **John Hollis**.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a French engraver & painter living in England.

9-**John René Francis Daviel**<sup>2</sup> was born in 1913 and died in 1983 at age 70.

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Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as an Architect and partner in Clayton & Black in Brighton, East Sussex.

### 9-Sara June Daviel

9-**John Hollis Daviel** was born on 16 Apr 1919 in Princes Gate, London.

8-**Phoebe Janet Clayton**<sup>2</sup> was born in 1882 in Brighton, East Sussex.

Noted events in her life were:

- She worked as a Photographer.

8-**Phyllis Anne Clayton**<sup>2</sup> was born in 1884 in Brighton, East Sussex.

Noted events in her life were:

- She worked as a Nurse.

8-**Joyce Eleanor Clayton**<sup>2</sup> was born in 1887 in Brighton, East Sussex.

Joyce married **Edgar Hackforth**. They had three children: **Richard Edgar**, **John Laurence**, and **Charles Anthony Philip**.

9-**Richard Edgar Hackforth**<sup>2</sup> was born in 1910 in Brighton, East Sussex and died in 1956 in Leigh, Lancashire at age 46.

### 9-John Laurence Hackforth

9-**Charles Anthony Philip Hackforth**<sup>2</sup> was born on 2 Aug 1915 in Ashstead, Surrey and died in Aug 2003 in Bournemouth, Dorset at age 88.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with DSO.
- He worked as an officer of the RASC.

Charles married someone. He had one daughter: **Patricia Dorothea Joyce**.

### 10-Patricia Dorothea Joyce Hackforth

Patricia married **Dr. David Michael Worsley Wilks**, son of **Denis Worsley Wilks** and **Bridget Chetwynd-Stapylton**. They had three children: **Philippa Carla**, **Nicola Catherine**, and **Anthony Peter Worsley**.

### 11-Philippa Carla Wilks

### 11-Nicola Catherine Wilks

### 11-Anthony Peter Worsley Wilks

8-**Capt. Charles Lawrence Clayton**<sup>2</sup> was born on 13 Dec 1892 in Brighton, East Sussex and died in 1975 in Exeter, Devon at age 83.

Charles married **Olive Wellington Westbrook**,<sup>2</sup> daughter of **George Westbrook** and **Louisa Isabell**, in 1915 in Shoreham Register Office. Olive was born on 28 Oct 1892 and died in 1982 in Chichester, West Sussex at age 90. They had one son: **Gerald Lawrence**.

Noted events in their marriage were:

- They had a residence in 1940 in Fermoy, County Cork, Ireland.



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9-Sgt. Pilot **Gerald Lawrence Clayton**<sup>2</sup> was born in 1916, died on 8 Sep 1940 in Missing in action. at age 24, and was buried in Runnymede Memorial.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Sergeant Pilot with the Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, 218 "The Goldcoast" Squadron.

6-**Allen Francis Clayton**<sup>2,4,70</sup> was born on 5 Oct 1806 in Thaxted, Essex, died on 26 Jun 1855 at age 48, and was buried in FBG Kelvedon.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at William Impey's School, Earls Colne.
- He was educated at Isaac Payne's School, Epping.
- He worked as a General shopkeeper in 1834 in Kelvedon, Essex.

Allen married **Emmaretta Corder**,<sup>4,70</sup> daughter of **James Corder**<sup>4,70</sup> and **Mary Start**,<sup>4,70</sup> on 28 Nov 1839 in FMH Great Coggeshall, Essex. Emmaretta was born on 17 Mar 1804 in Feering Bury, Essex, died on 20 Jan 1887 in Birmingham, Warwickshire at age 82, and was buried on 24 Jan 1887 in FBG Kelvedon. They had two children: **Francis Corder** and **Philip**.

7-**Francis Corder Clayton**<sup>2,4,6,26,39,41</sup> was born on 27 Jun 1843 in Kelvedon, Essex and died on 22 Feb 1928 in Birmingham, Warwickshire at age 84.

General Notes: JP. Pro-Vice Chancellor Birmingham University. Francis Corder Clayton was born in Kelvedon, Essex, in 1843 and came to Birmingham as a young man to work in the chemical manufacturing industry for J. & E. Sturge in Wheeley's Lane. In the 1881 Census he is recorded as living at 18 St James's Road in Edgbaston with his widowed mother Emmaretta. In 1882 he successfully stood as a Liberal for Rotton Park Ward and subsequently served for many years on the Finance and Water Committees. He was Mayor from 1889 to 1890, during which time the Elan Valley water supply scheme was inaugurated and the city boundaries were extended. By the time he was granted the Freedom of the City in 1912 he had served on the council for 30 years.

*"FRANCIS CORDER, born 1843, at Kelvedon, Essex. Educated at Epping, at Hertford (four months only) and Bootham. I served a five years' apprenticeship to Harvey and Reynolds, chemists, at Leeds. Was. then for a year in London, passing the Pharmaceutical Society's major 'examination, followed by a year at a wholesale drug warehouse. I came to Birmingham in 1867 as chemist to John and Edmund Sturge, manufacturing chemists, and two years later became a partner in the firm, from which I retired in 1887. Details of my engagements in the public life of the City are to be found in the Bootham School Register, published in 1915. I am a J.P. for the City and Pro-Vice-Chancellor of the University. Hobbies: Compiling the Family Histories.; travelling (450, 000 miles by rail, 8,000 by water)"*

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Francis Corder Clayton becomes an Honorary Freeman of Birmingham. On July 2nd the Birmingham City Council resolved to confer the honorary freedom of the City upon an Old Scholar, Francis Corder Clayton, (1855-8) and the interesting ceremony of presenting the illuminated copy of the resolution, and a casket to contain it, to the new Freeman, took place at the Council House on November 6th. The Lord Mayor (Alderman Bowater) in making the presentation referred to the reasons which had led the Council to confer upon Alderman Clayton "the greatest honour in their power." (We are indebted for the following report of the speeches to the account of the proceedings in the " Birmingham Post.") "The greatest care was exercised that the freemen should be only those who had rendered eminent services to the city. " "Your public work, " the Lord Mayor continued, turning to Alderman Clayton, "entitles you to take a prominent place among our freemen." "Coming to Birmingham in 1867, when you were 24 years of age, you soon made for yourself a high position in commerce, and had such financial success that twenty-five years ago you retired from business, and you have since devoted all your time to civic service. I say all your time because by remaining single you have more spare time than a man with the cares of a family. One is not surprised at your being a bachelor. What else could be expected from one whose youthful playthings and hobbies were differential calculus, integral calculus, trigonometry, and conic sections?" Proceeding, the Lord Mayor spoke of the youngest freeman's genius for finance. There was not time to enumerate all the public objects that had had the advantage of Alderman Clayton's energetic support, but he would mention a few. From 1877, for eleven years, he was a Poor-law Guardian, and took an active part in establishing the Marston Green Homes, so that a certain class of children should not start life with the label "Workhouse." He had been at one time chairman of the committee, and helped to start the institution on its successful career. In 1882 Alderman Clayton entered the City Council, and at once joined the Finance and Public Works Committees. He was appointed chairman of the Finance Committee in 1886, and had held that office ever since, except for the two years he was Mayor. During that period, in spite of the saying "Neither a borrower nor a lender be, " he had borrowed £13,681,000 in loans, bearing a rate of interest, thanks to his ability, which compared favourably with that paid upon most municipal loans in the country. Also, during that time, the Finance Committee had passed for payments accounts of the several committees amounting to over £25,000,000. Having alluded to the events, including a Royal visit, which made Alderman Clayton's mayoralty in 1889 and 1890 notable, the Lord Mayor spoke appreciatively of his services to the University, remarking that his contributions to the funds, and the presentation by him of the artistic statue of the late King Edward, were evidences of his generosity. Alderman Clayton's work outside the Council and the University, he added, had been most extensive, and it would be easier to mention the very few public societies he had not assisted than the great number he had helped. "In conclusion," said his lordship to Alderman Clayton, "because you are a representative of all that is best in the active public life of Birmingham, and have given ungrudgingly of your time and energy to the common interests of your fellow citizens, on their behalf I offer you the right hand of fellowship, and admit you as an honorary freeman of this city. " (Loud applause.) The Lord Mayor here shook hands with the new freeman, and passed on to him the handsomely illuminated scroll and the casket, which he remarked was a splendid piece of Birmingham workmanship. The casket is an excellent example of silversmith work, having been fashioned entirely by hand. The body is divided into panels with representations of Truth, Justice, Mercy, and a figure symbolising Progress. These are all in low relief repousse. A panel in the centre of the body bears a representation of the Birmingham University, also in low relief repousse. The plinth is decorated with crystals at intervals, set in the antique style. Round the margin of the cover is the superscription in raised letters. Within this there is a representation of the arms of the city in low relief. Having signed the roll, Alderman Clayton rose to reply, and was received with applause. He said it was a proud moment in his life when, four months previously, he was admitted an honorary freeman of the city, but when he looked at the distinguished names on the roll he felt

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prouder still. He thanked his colleagues for the great honour they had done him; for of all honours, there was none to be compared with that of being appreciated by those with whom he had been associated so long. It was nearly forty-six years since he settled in Birmingham. Ten years later he entered public life as a member of the Board of Guardians. Very different was the way of an election to that body in those days. In consequence of what had taken place a few years previously it was agreed that the Board of sixty members should consist of forty liberals and twenty conservatives. A select few sat round a table a month before the day of election, and after respecting vested interests in the shape of old members, they arranged the additional names to be elected by undertaking to get sufficient voting papers filled up on their behalf. That was delightfully simple, but the by-election at which he was first elected was simpler still. He was asked one January to serve when a vacancy occurred, and was elected in May, and the first he knew about it was a paragraph in the next morning's paper. Many had entered the City Council after an apprenticeship to public life as Guardians, and he believed it had been a good experience for those who had done so. They dealt in the Council chamber to so large an extent with impersonal matters that some knowledge of their poorer neighbours' surroundings had a beneficial influence on their work. He noted with satisfaction that the boundary work between the work of the Board of Guardians and the City Council was becoming more attenuated, and they might possibly at some future time see it all merged into one body. After five years' service as a Guardian he entered the Council, being opposed by a very pleasant gentleman, who desired to expose what he considered were the iniquities of the Liberal caucus of those days. That gentleman had large audiences, and he (Alderman Clayton) had a still larger number of votes, and both were satisfied. After three more elections, of which two were contested, he entered that haven of rest and happiness, the aldermanic bench. Since his first election to the Council over 200 new comers had followed him. For some few years he served on the Public Works and Gas Committees, but his lot had been cast principally with finance and water. As chairman of the Finance Committee for many years, he had endeavoured to steer a fair mean between parsimony on the one hand and a too-generous expenditure on the other. With the extended views of local government, particularly in those of health and education, it would be more and more difficult, he might say impossible, to keep rates from rising, so long as the present system of raising money for local expenditure remained unaltered. They had been looking for additional help from the Imperial Exchequer, but it never came. At present that contribution was only one-fifth of their expenditure. It would be a pleasant change when he was relieved from membership of the Finance Committee, and could go in for "improvements" as some of his colleagues did. He wanted to try the experiment some day to see what it was like. In May, when the time came for settling the rates for the year, the chairman of the Finance Committee had a bad fortnight. He found the requirements of the various committees much higher than he could recommend to the Council, and therefore he interviewed the various departments, only to find that the breadth of view, entertained by each as to their own requirements was very great. Still, the committees had helped him in the past to a considerable extent. The whole business, however, had grown too large for one person to tackle, and the new plan of a Consultative Committee, in which the proposals were brought before all the spending committees at the same time, giving a bird's eye view of the situation, had worked admirably. It was during his Mayoralty that the Welsh water scheme was approved by the Council, and he could only say now, what he said in its early stages, that there was no other course open to them. In fact that was the opinion of all who had carefully studied the subject. Unfortunately there was as yet no daylight on its future from a financial standpoint. It had been his privilege to be associated with several institutions in the city, and some of these had also had their financial trials. Amongst others, there was the Queen's Hospital, which he was glad to say had lived to see happier times. The University was having its trials at the present time, but he hoped they were now on the turn for the better. They could spend double as much money as they did, and advantageously, if they had the means. The field of original research was "white unto the harvest," but others were reaping because in Birmingham they had not had the means to sow. The Government were offering them ;£ 1,200 a year for original research in a specialised field, but owing to their poverty is providing their small share the scheme was delayed. He expressed regret that his colleague of so many year's standing, the late Alderman Beale, was not with them that afternoon, and in conclusion thanked the Council for the handsome casket in which the scroll was placed, saying it would always be a pleasant reminder of thirty-seven years in the public work of the city.

CLAYTON.— On February 22nd, Francis Corder Clayton (1855-1858), aged 84 years.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with JP.
- He was educated at Bootham School in 1855-1858 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as a Chemists (Pharmaceutical) Apprentice to Harvey & Reynolds in Leeds, Yorkshire.
- He worked as a Manufacturing Chemist. Partner with John & Edmund Sturge. In Birmingham, Warwickshire.
- He worked as a Mayor of Birmingham in 1889-1891.
- He worked as an Alderman of Birmingham in 1890.
- He worked as a Poor Law Guardian.

7-**Philip Clayton**<sup>2,26,52,173</sup> was born in 1845 in Kelvedon, Essex and died on 17 Aug 1874 in Northampton, Northamptonshire at age 29.

General Notes: PHILIP, born at Kelvedon, Essex, 1845. Educated at Epping, Hertford and Bootham. - Was apprenticed to Thomas Worsdell, engineer, of Birmingham (now R. C. Gibbins and Co.'s) for four years. He then studied in London under a civil engineer, and in 1868 joined H. Harrison, of Northampton, in an engineering business, of which he became sole proprietor in 1872. More politician than business man. He died at Kelvedon in 1874 at our mother's house.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1859-1860 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as an apprenticed to Thomas Worsdell, engineer in Birmingham, Warwickshire.
- He worked as an Engineer.

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6-**Charles Clayton**<sup>2,89</sup> was born on 23 Jan 1809, died on 8 Jul 1878 in London at age 69, and was buried in FBG Stoke Newington.

General Notes: Lived with his wife Lydia for five years, in Aspley Guise, Bedfordshire. Then moved to London.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at William Impey's school in Earls Colne, Essex.
- He was educated at Isaac Payne's school in Epping, Essex.
- He worked as a Shopkeeper in Apsley Guise, Bedfordshire.

Charles married **Lydia Tuke**,<sup>2,89,182</sup> daughter of **Robert Tuke**<sup>16,182</sup> and **Mabel Applegarth**,<sup>182</sup> on 22 Jan 1857 in FMH Woburn Sands. Lydia was born on 28 Mar 1820 in Knapton, Yorkshire and died on 7 May 1895 in Croydon, Surrey at age 75. They had four children: **Mary Mabel**, **Francis Charles**, **Edward Allen**, and **Sarah Mildred**.

7-**Mary Mabel Clayton**<sup>2,173</sup> was born in 1858 in Aspley Guise, Bedfordshire and died on 26 Dec 1919 at age 61.

General Notes: MARY MABEL (MAY), born 1858, at Aspley Guise. Educated at home. For some years her principal work was private teaching, and she was then trained by Madame Michaelis, and in 1888 opened a preparatory morning school in Croydon for little girls and boys, and has now about 30 in the school. She received a certificate of the Teachers' Registration Council in 1914.

Noted events in her life were:

- She worked as a Teacher in Croydon, Surrey.

7-**Francis Charles Clayton**<sup>2,173</sup> was born on 15 Feb 1859 in Aspley Guise, Bedfordshire.

General Notes: CHARLES, born 1859, at Aspley Guise. Educated at Epping and Lindow Grove School, Alderley Edge. Articled - to R. Eaton James and Co., afterwards Tribe Clarke and Eaton James. Passed final examination of Chartered Accountants, and admitted 1884. Was for a year at the Coalbrookdale Ironworks. Commenced practice in London in 1885, and is still in practice and on register for Croydon. Married in 1888 Katharine L. Black at Brighton Parish Church (afternoon wedding), and they have resided at Croydon since 1891. Hobbies: As a young man, photography.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Chartered Accountant of London & Croydon.

Francis married **Katherine Lucy Black**<sup>2</sup> in 1888 in Brighton, East Sussex. Katherine was born on 18 Feb 1866 and died on 20 Nov 1938 at age 72. They had two children: **Douglas Impey** and **Patrick Andrew**.

8-**Douglas Impey Clayton**<sup>2,173</sup> was born in 1889 in London and died in 1960 at age 71.

General Notes: DOUGLAS IMPEY, born 1889, in London. Educated at M. M. C.'s School, and afterwards at boarding schools at Sandgate and Heacham. A severe accident at boarding school without medical treatment at the time seriously affected his subsequent health. This, with defective eyesight, has limited his choice of work. He has been trained as a typist; started for himself in 1907, and principally engaged in typing literary work.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Typist.

8-**Maj. Patrick Andrew Clayton**<sup>2,173</sup> was born on 16 Apr 1896 in Croydon, Surrey and died on 17 Mar 1962 at age 65.

General Notes: PATRICK ANDREW, born 1896, at Croydon. Educated at M. M. C. 's School, and then at University College Preparatory School, and at U.C. School, where he gained a Scholarship and matriculated in 1912. In 1913-14 worked at G. Scammell and Nephew on steam motor wagons and military lorries; gained an Open Scholarship for City and Guilds College, London University. In latter year took on work of instructor at O.T.C. In 1915 received a commission and left England for Egypt, -and is now at Salonika; gazetted full Lieutenant 1916 (121st Co. A.S.C., 28th Divisional Train). -----

He was the basis for the character of "Peter Madox" in "The English Patient". Clayton spent nearly 20 years with the Egyptian Survey department during the 1920s and 1930s extensively mapping large areas of previously unmapped desert. In 1931, Clayton was running triangulation from Wadi Halfa to Uweinat when he came across refugees fleeing from the Italian occupation of Kufra, via Uweinat and helped save many from death in the arid desert. Clayton had collaborated extensively with Ralph Bagnold in the preparation and mapping associated with Bagnold's pre-war exploration trips. He served in the British Army's Long Range Desert Group (LRDG) during World War II. At the Clayton spent nearly 20 years with the Egyptian Survey department during the 1920s and 1930s extensively mapping large areas of previously unmapped desert. In 1931, Clayton was running triangulation start of the war Clayton was a government surveyor in Tanganyika. Bagnold had him returned to Egypt because of his detailed knowledge of the Western Desert. He was commissioned into the Intelligence Corps. Clayton was leading "T" Patrol in a planned attack on Kufra when the patrol was engaged by

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the Italian Auto-Saharan Company on 31 January 1941, near Gebel Sherif. During the action Captain Clayton was wounded and his car damaged. He along with his colleagues was taken prisoner. He was moved to the Abruzzo region in Italy where he was visited by Laszlo Almasy after Almasy's spy mission, Operation Salaam, to transport two German spies across the Libyan desert to Cairo.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Surveyor & Soldier.
- He was awarded with DSO MBE.

Patrick married **Ethel Wyatt** in 1927. Ethel was born on 29 Aug 1893 and died in Dec 1965 at age 72. They had one son: **Peter Hollis**.

**9-Maj. Peter Hollis Clayton** was born on 14 Jun 1928 in Croydon, Surrey and died on 19 Jul 2011 at age 83.

General Notes: Peter Hollis Clayton was born in Croydon on 14 June 1928 to Patrick Andrew and Ethel (Ellie) Clayton, née Wyatt. Peter's father worked in Cairo for the Egyptian Desert Surveys Department and Ellie and Peter joined him there in August 1928. Patrick worked with Count Lászlo Almásy, and some believe he was the model for the character of Peter Madox in *The English Patient*. In 1938, with war threatening, Peter returned to England with his mother to continue his education, first at St Michael's, and then at Sevenoaks School, where he was a member of School House, played rugby and was a house captain and prefect. Conscripted into the Army in 1946, Peter was commissioned in 1948 into the Queen's Royal Regiment, stationed in Germany. He took on the role of Motor Transport Officer, experience that would be invaluable later in the desert. Keen to return to Arabia, he attended a three-month Arabic Language Course in late 1952 and a one-year course at the Middle East Centre for Arabic Studies in Lebanon in 1953. The Centre was widely believed to be a school for Western spies. Having qualified, Peter joined the Trucial Oman Levies in January 1954 as a squadron commander, where his adventurous spirit, fluent Arabic, army training and deep understanding of Arab culture made him an ideal recruit. Peter played a key role in evicting the Saudi insurgents and then commanded a joint Saudi/ Trucial Oman Levies police force patrolling the disputed oasis area. He was invested with the MBE in 1956 for his services. He was admired and respected by many local people and their leaders, and the ruler of Dubai asked him personally to establish the first Dubai police force. This Peter did, and the new service mustered at Naif on 1 June 1956, with 29 members. Today it is 15,000 strong. He also became a close, lifelong friend of Sheikh Zayed bin Sultan al Nahyan, who later founded the United Arab Emirates. From 1971 to 1994 Peter was very active in the Middle East, using his contacts, knowledge of the area, and military experience in a number of business ventures. He worked to develop the UAE, promoting schemes for water distillation and desert agriculture. In 1994 he retired to Cornwall, but his love of travel and expeditions remained. He made long overland trips to Morocco and Tunisia, and also retraced his father's tracks across the deserts of Egypt and Libya, acting as guide and tour leader. Peter's wife, Dr Pamela Passmore, whom he met at St Michael's School and married in 1958, predeceased him in 2005. He is survived by his two children and nine grandchildren. Richard Atkinson OS

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Sevenoaks School.
- He was awarded with MBE.
- He worked as a Founder of the Dubai Police service.

Peter married **Dr. Pamela Blanche Passmore** in 1958. Pamela was born on 20 Dec 1926 and died in Feb 2005 in St. Germans, Cornwall at age 78. They had two children: **Patrick** and **Gillian B.**

**10-Patrick Clayton**

**10-Gillian B. Clayton**

**7-Edward Allen Clayton**<sup>2,6,173</sup> was born in 1860 in Woburn, Bedfordshire, died in 1864 at age 4, and was buried in FBG Stoke Newington.

**7-Sarah Mildred Clayton**<sup>2</sup> was born in 1862 in Stoke Newington, London, died in 1902 at age 40, and was buried in Rosslyn Chapel.

General Notes: SARAH MILDRED, born 1862, at Stoke Newington. Educated at home. She was an invalid a great part of her life, but did excellent work in connection with Marlborough School Mission at Tottenham. She died in 1902 and was buried in the grounds of Rosslyn Chapel.

**6-George Gibson Clayton**<sup>2</sup> was born in 1815, died in Died in Infancy, and was buried in FBG Dunmow.

**5-John Clayton**<sup>2</sup> was born in 1774 in Chiswick, London, died in May 1788 in Chiswick, London at age 14, and was buried on 8 May 1788 in Chiswick Churchyard.

General Notes: Died of Tuberculosis

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Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Friend's School, Boley Hill in Rochester, Kent.

4-**Elizabeth Allen**<sup>1,2,3,6</sup> was christened in 1731, died in 1821 at age 90, and was buried in FBG Ratcliff.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was a Quaker by Convincement.

Elizabeth married **Prior**.

2-**Thomas Allen**<sup>1</sup> was born in 1668 in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire, was christened on 1 Oct 1668 in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire, and died about 1707 about age 39.

Noted events in his life were:

- He had a residence in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire.
- He worked as a Mason in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire.

Thomas married **Elizabeth**.<sup>1</sup> Elizabeth died in Oct 1703 in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire and was buried on 29 Oct 1703 in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire. They had three children: **Elizabeth, John, and Alice**.

3-**Elizabeth Allen**<sup>1</sup> was born in 1695 and was christened on 21 Apr 1695.

3-**John Allen**<sup>1,2</sup> was born on 20 Sep 1696 in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire, was christened on 18 Oct 1696 in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire, and died on 23 Nov 1779 at age 83.

General Notes: Of Thorpe Salvin, Worksop

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Mason in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire.
- He worked as a Farmer in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire.
- He was possibly Roman Catholic.

4-**Thomas Allen**<sup>1,2</sup> was born in 1725 in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire, was christened in 1725 in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire, and was buried on 28 Mar 1727.

General Notes: "*Buryed in Woolen, March 28, and an affidavit given ye same day according to Act of Parliament, 1727*".

4-**John Allen**<sup>1,2</sup> was born in 1727 in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire, was christened on 10 Dec 1727 in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire, died in Dec 1784 at age 57, and was buried on 31 Dec 1784 in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire.

4-**William Allen**<sup>1,2,3</sup> was born on 15 Feb 1730 in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire, was christened on 22 Feb 1730 in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire, died on 15 Oct 1808 in Ware, Hertfordshire at age 78, and was buried in Oct 1808 in FBG Ware.

General Notes: Of Ratcliffe, East London. He became a Quaker at the convincement of his future wife, Ann Birkhead.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Brewer in Westminster, London.
- He was a Quaker by Convincement before 1752.
- He had a residence in 1752 in Betts Street, Ratcliff Highway, London.
- He worked as a Quaker minister Ratcliff MM.
- Miscellaneous: His second wife Ann Kendall, was sister of clockmaker Larcum Kendall.

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5-**Priscilla Allen**<sup>1,3,4,5</sup> was born in 1753 and died in 1829 at age 76. The cause of her death was Dropsy.

6-**Priscilla Knight**<sup>3,6</sup> was born on 1 Apr 1783 in Chelmsford, Essex and died in 1820 at age 37.

6-**Septima Knight**<sup>1,6</sup> was born in 1784 and died in 1796 at age 12.

6-**William Knight**<sup>3</sup> was born on 3 Aug 1785 in Chelmsford, Essex and died on 16 Sep 1838 in Stoke Newington, London at age 53.

6-**Ann Knight**<sup>3,4,5,7</sup> was born on 2 Nov 1786 in Chelmsford, Essex and died on 4 Nov 1862 in Waldersbach, Strasbourg, France at age 76.

General Notes: Features in the painting of The Anti-Slavery Society Convention, 1840, by Benjamin Robert Haydon

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Knight, Anne (1786– 1862), slavery abolitionist and campaigner for women's rights, was born on 2 November 1786 at Chelmsford, Essex, the third of the eight children of William Knight (1756– 1814), wholesale grocer, and his wife, Priscilla, née Allen (1753– 1829). Her mother was first cousin to the philanthropist William Allen, while she herself was first cousin to the chemist William Allen Miller. Her younger sister Maria (1791– 1870) married in 1814 the abolitionist John Candler (1787– 1869) and with him travelled to the West Indies and United States in the anti-slavery cause; they were for some years (1842– 6) superintendents of The Retreat, York, the Quaker mental hospital founded by William Tuke.

In 1824, having by then a good knowledge of French and German, Anne Knight travelled on the continent with a group of fellow Quakers, combining sightseeing with religious and philanthropic concerns. From her base in the Chelmsford Ladies' Anti-Slavery Society she was deeply involved with the anti-slavery movement, travelling frequently to London and working with Thomas Clarkson, Joseph Sturge, Richard and Hannah Webb, and Elizabeth Pease (later Nichol). During the 1830s she returned several times to France in the same cause, in 1834 undertaking a speaking tour. The 1840 World's Anti-Slavery Convention in London gave her the opportunity to meet such American abolitionists as William Lloyd Garrison, Wendell Phillips, and Lucretia Mott. The movement for women's suffrage in Britain has been dated from the exclusion of women from the floor of this conference, for it drew women's attention to their marginal status within the movement, and highlighted the limitations placed on their capacity to act in the public sphere. In July 1848 the first women's rights convention in the United States was held at Seneca Falls, New York. The previous year an anonymous leaflet was issued in Britain claiming that 'Never will the nations of the earth be well governed, until both sexes, as well as all parties, are fully represented and have an influence, a voice, and a hand in the enactment and administration of the laws'. It has been persuasively argued that the author was Anne Knight. Certainly from the 1840s she had been writing frequent letters (she was a voluminous correspondent) to American abolitionists, including Angelina Grimké, and she was capable of sharp rejoinders to Chartists who suggested that the class struggle took precedence over that for women's rights.

Although Knight was in many ways typical of nonconformist women abolitionists, her views were more radical than many: a sympathizer with Chartism, she was interested in the British and French utopian socialist movements, maintained links with the White Quakers in Ireland, and in the 1840s supported the radical Garrisonian wing of the American abolition movement. Her support for women's rights led her in 1851 to be involved in forming the first organization for women's suffrage in Britain, the Sheffield Female Reform Association. In 1847 or 1848 Anne Knight left Chelmsford for Paris and, after living there enthusiastically (despite her Quaker upbringing) through the year of revolutions, she was at the international peace conference in Paris in 1849. Lucretia Mott described her in the 1840s as 'a singular looking woman— very pleasant and polite' (F. B. Tolles, ed., *Slavery and 'the Woman Question'*, 1952, 29).

In the late 1850s Anne Knight moved to Waldersbach, a village in the Vosges, south-west of Strasbourg. This had been the home of the pastor Jean-Frédéric Oberlin (1740– 1820), whose philanthropic work she revered. Here she lived for the last few years of her life, lodging with Oberlin's grandson, and died there after a short illness on 4 November 1862.

Researches into Anne Knight's life have been hindered by persistent confusion of her with another Anne Knight [née Waspe] (1792– 1860), children's writer. This Anne Knight was born at Woodbridge, Suffolk, on 28 October 1792, the eldest of the eight children of Jonathan Waspe (1756?– 1818), a leather-cutter, and his wife, Phebe, née Gibbs (1761– 1851). She married in 1818 her first cousin and fellow Quaker James Knight (1794– 1820) of Southwark. After her husband's early death, she returned to Woodbridge, where by 1826 she was keeping a school. She was a close friend of the poet Bernard Barton, and is frequently mentioned in Charles Lamb's letters to him. She was the author of a number of books for children, certainly *School-Room Lyrics* (1846), and most probably of *Poetic Gleanings* (1827), *Mornings in the Library* (1828), with a prefatory poem by Barton, and *Mary Gray* (1831), works which were previously ascribed to Anne Knight the social campaigner. Anne Knight the author died at her home in Woodbridge on 11 December 1860, and was buried in the Quaker burial-ground there.

Edward H. Milligan

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Noted events in her life were:

- She worked as a Slavery Abolitionist and Campaigner for Women's Rights.

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- She was a Quaker in Witham MM.
- She had a residence in Paris, France.
- She had a residence in 1860 in Waldersbach, Strasbourg, France.

6-**Job Allen Knight**<sup>1,3,6</sup> was born in 1788 and died in 1819 at age 31.

6-**Paul Knight**<sup>1,3,6</sup> was born in 1789 and died in 1856 at age 67.

6-**Maria Knight**<sup>1,3,4,8,9</sup> was born in 1791 and died on 13 Mar 1870 in The Retreat, Heslington Road, York at age 79.

Noted events in her life were:

- She had a residence in Chelmsford, Essex.

6-**Sophia Knight**<sup>1,3,6,10</sup> was born in 1796 and died on 5 Apr 1871 in Chelmsford, Essex at age 75.

5-**Ann Allen**<sup>1,3</sup> was born on 28 Jan 1755 in London and died in 1809 at age 54.

6-**Esther Miller**<sup>1,3</sup> was born on 6 Feb 1778 in Hertford, Hertfordshire and died in 1855 at age 77.

7-**Robert Miller Jermyn**<sup>1,3</sup> was born on 8 Jul 1814 in Baldock, Hertfordshire and died in 1867 at age 53.

General Notes: WHEREAS the Commissioner acting In the prosecution of a Fiat in Bankruptcy awarded and issued forth against Robert Miller Jermyn, of Booking, in the county of Essex, Chymist and Druggist, lately carrying on business and trading at Stevenage, in the county of Hertford, as a Common Brewer, hath certified to the Court of Review in Bankruptcy, that the said Robert Miller Jermyn hath in all things conformed himself according to the directions of the Acts of Parliament made and now in force concerning bankrupts ; this is to give notice, that, by virtue of an Act, passed in the fifth and sixth years of the reign of Her present Majesty Queen Victoria, intituled " An Act for the amendment of the laws in bankruptcy," the Certificate of the said Robert Miller Jermyn will be. allowed and confirmed by the said Court of Review in Bankruptcy unless cause be shewn to the contrary, on or before the 2d day of March 1847.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Chemist and Druggist before 1847 in Bocking, Essex.
- He worked as a Brewer in Stevenage, Hertfordshire.

7-**Emily Jermyn**<sup>1,3</sup> was born on 22 May 1816 in Baldock, Hertfordshire.

6-**William Miller**<sup>1,3,11,12</sup> was born on 3 Apr 1783 in Ware, Hertfordshire and died on 2 Mar 1861 in Birmingham, Warwickshire at age 77.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Brewery employee with Truman Hanbury Buxton in Ipswich, Suffolk.
- He worked as a Secretary to the Birmingham General Hospital in Birmingham, Warwickshire.
- He was a Quaker.

7-**Prof. William Allen Miller**<sup>3,11</sup> was born on 17 Dec 1817 in St. Margaret's, Ipswich, Suffolk, died on 30 Sep 1870 in Brook Villa, Green Lane, West Derby, Liverpool at age 52, and was buried in West Norwood Cemetery, London.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with MB MD FRS.
- He was educated at Merchant Taylor's School.
- He was educated at Ackworth School.

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- He worked as an apprentice surgeon to his uncle, Bowyer Vaux in Birmingham, Warwickshire.
- He was educated at King's College, London.
- He worked as a Professor of Chemistry in King's College, London.
- He worked as a non-resident assayer to the Royal Mint and the Bank of England in London.
- He worked as an Astronomer.

8-**Dr. Frederic Daniell Miller** was born in 1852 and was christened on 16 Apr 1852 in Brixton, London.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Physician in Basingstoke, Hampshire.
- He was awarded with LSA.

9-**Frederic William Miller** was born in 1877 and was christened on 10 Jul 1877 in Basingstoke, Hampshire.

9-**Mary Winifred Miller** was born in 1879 and was christened on 20 Nov 1879 in Basingstoke, Hampshire.

9-**Ida Aline Miller** was born in 1884 and was christened on 21 Feb 1884 in Basingstoke, Hampshire.

9-**Cyril Ashley Miller** was born in 1889 and was christened on 24 Aug 1889 in Basingstoke, Hampshire.

7-**John Miller**<sup>1</sup> was born on 22 May 1819 in St. Margaret's, Ipswich, Suffolk and died in 1894 at age 75.

8-**Herbert Miller**<sup>1</sup> was born on 9 Dec 1858 and was christened on 12 Jan 1859 in St. Thomas', Birmingham.

7-**Fanny Brickwood Miller**<sup>1,13</sup> was born on 24 Sep 1820 in St. Margaret's, Ipswich, Suffolk and died on 21 Jul 1893 in 255 Stratford Road, Sparkbrook, Birmingham at age 72.

8-**Alice Forrest**<sup>13</sup> was born in 1848 in Birmingham, Warwickshire and died on 22 Mar 1930 in 24 Southcote Road, Bournemouth, Dorset at age 82.

Noted events in her life were:

- She worked as a Diocesan teacher in the Pacific Islands in 1883-1910 in Melanesia.
- She had a residence in 1919-1935 in Bournemouth, Dorset.

8-**Rev. Edward Francis Forrest**<sup>13</sup> was born in 1853 in Birmingham, Warwickshire and was christened on 25 May 1853.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Curate of St. George's in Sheffield, Yorkshire.
- He worked as a Vicar of Pemberton and Canon of Liverpool in 1887-1922.

8-**Ernest William Forrest**<sup>13</sup> was born in 1855 in Birmingham, Warwickshire, was christened on 13 Apr 1855, and died in 1929 at age 74.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Chartered Accountant in Birmingham, Warwickshire.

8-**Susan Fanny Forrest**<sup>13</sup> was born in 1861 in Birmingham, Warwickshire, was christened on 9 Aug 1861, and died in 1935 in Bournemouth, Dorset at age 74.

7-**Anna Susanna Miller**<sup>1</sup> was born in 1822 and died in 1902 at age 80.



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7-**Elizabeth Owen Miller**<sup>1</sup> was born in 1823 and died in 1840 at age 17.

7-**Lucy Mary Miller**<sup>1</sup> was born in 1825.

7-**Francis Bowyer Miller**<sup>1,11</sup> was born on 18 Dec 1828 in Edgbaston, Birmingham, Warwickshire, died on 17 Sep 1887 in Kew, Melbourne, Victoria, Australia at age 58, and was buried in Boroondara Cemetery, Kew, Victoria, Australia.

General Notes: Francis Bowyer Miller (1828-1887), assayer, was born on 18 December 1828 at Edgbaston, Warwickshire, England, youngest son of William Miller, brewer, and his wife Frances Bowyer, née Vaux, a writer of children's books. Both parents were Quakers, and the Miller and Vaux families were active in agitation against the slave trade. Francis was educated at King Edward's Grammar School, Birmingham, and King's College, London. In 1849 he joined a British Admiralty expedition to the Bight of Benin, Africa, to see if lagoons there could be used by British gunboats in the suppression of the slave trade. Returning to England about 1850, he worked with a mining company in Cornwall for twelve months then became an assistant to his brother William, professor of chemistry at King's College and non-resident assayer to the Royal Mint and the Bank of England.

In November 1853 Francis Miller and W. S. Jevons were appointed to the newly established Sydney branch of the Royal Mint, partly on William Miller's recommendation. Offered a retainer of £100 per annum, they were expected to establish their own assay offices and to undertake work for private banks and individuals as well as for the mint on piece rates. By the time the mint opened in May 1855, however, he and Jevons had become full-time public servants with no need to take private work. On 11 January 1854 in the Parish Church of St Clement Danes, Westminster, Miller had married Alicia, only daughter of Maurice Fitzgerald O'Connell, R.N. Two months later the Millers sailed with their servant for Sydney in the Granite City. They were to have four children.

On arrival in Sydney, Miller set up an assay office in Bligh Street. In November 1859 he became a member of the Philosophical (later Royal) Society of New South Wales, before which, in July 1860, he read a paper on the detection of spurious gold, concerned in particular with a species of fake gold 'nuggets' that had deceived many Sydney storekeepers. Rachel Henning, to whom he showed a sample 'nugget' at Bathurst in July 1861, found him to be 'rather a clever, agreeable man'.

Miller's crowning scientific achievement was his development of a process of refining and toughening gold by means of chlorine gas. He patented this process in London in June 1867 and registered it as an invention before the New South Wales Legislative Assembly in November. Twelve months later his paper describing the process was read before the Chemical Society, London, and by December 1869, when Miller read another paper on the subject before the Royal Society of New South Wales, his method had been successfully put into operation at the Sydney Mint and by the Bank of New Zealand at Auckland, New Zealand.

In 1870 Miller was transferred to the new Melbourne branch of the Royal Mint, and was paid £2000 for the sole Victorian rights to the gold-refining process. He sold the 'remarkably handsome Gothic villa and grounds' that he had built on the waterfront at Double Bay and relocated his family to the Melbourne suburb of Kew. By then Miller's method had been introduced into mints in England, the United States of America and Norway and he had travelled to England and the U.S.A. to advise on the process.

Superintendent of the bullion office at the Melbourne Mint from 1877, in 1884 he was briefly acting deputy master. Chronic Bright's disease forced him to take sick leave from June 1887 and he died in his home at Kew on 17 September 1887, survived by his wife, two sons and one daughter. He was buried with Anglican rites in Boroondara cemetery. At the time of his death he was a member of the Philosophical Society of Philadelphia, a fellow of the Chemical Society of London and of the Institute of Chemistry of Great Britain and a corresponding member of the Royal Society of New South Wales. In 2005 the Miller process was still used worldwide to treat molten gold.

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Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at King Edward's Grammar School in Birmingham, Warwickshire.

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- He was educated at King's College in London.
- He worked as a Metal assayer in Bligh Street, Sydney, New South Wales, Australia.
- He worked as a Metal assayer in Melbourne, Victoria, Australia.
- He worked as a Superintendent of the Bullion Office, the Royal Mint in Melbourne, Victoria, Australia.

8-**Alice Lucy Miller** was born in 1860 in Double Bay, New South Wales, Australia.

8-**Dr. William Francis Miller** was born on 13 Aug 1861 in Sydney, New South Wales, Australia, died on 15 Apr 1938 in Maryborough, Victoria, Australia at age 76, and was buried on 18 Apr 1938 in Kew Cemetery, Victoria, Australia.

General Notes: The oldest medical practitioner in Maryborough, Dr. William Francis Miller, died at his home late on Friday night, after a long illness. He was aged 76 years. Dr. Miller retired from active practice about 10 years ago. He was born in Sydney in 1861, his father being Mr. F.

Bowyer Miller, of the Royal Mint staff. Dr. Miller graduated at Melbourne University in 1882. After post-graduate work in England he went to Maryborough in 1885, buying the practice of the late Dr. Campbell. In 1891 he married a daughter of the late Mr. David Evans, of North Merrowie Station, Hillston (N.S.W.). Mrs. Miller died in 1905. Dr. Miller has left a family of two daughters and two sons. Mrs. Crowe, Miss Lorna Miller, Dr. Frank Miller (of Adelaide), and Dr. Harold Miller (of Maryborough). The funeral will be at Kew Cemetery to-day.

Noted events in his life were:

- He had a residence in Maryborough, Victoria, Australia.

9-**Eleanor Mary Alicia Miller** was born on 30 Jan 1893 in Maryborough, Victoria, Australia and died in 1969 at age 76.

9-**Dr. Francis "Frank" Julian Bowyer Miller** was born in 1895 in Maryborough, Victoria, Australia.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Physician in Adelaide, South Australia.

9-**Dr. Harold David Bowyer Miller** was born on 1 Nov 1897 in Maryborough, Victoria, Australia and died on 31 Aug 1948 in Melbourne, Victoria, Australia at age 50.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Physician in Maryborough, Victoria, Australia.

9-**Lorna Cecil Annette Miller** was born on 23 Mar 1902 in Maryborough, Victoria, Australia and died on 7 Apr 1963 at age 61.

8-**Annie Susan Miller** was born on 13 Oct 1862 in Double Bay, New South Wales, Australia and died on 9 Sep 1920 in Maryborough, Victoria, Australia (at her brother's home) at age 57.

8-**Maurice Edward Miller** was born in 1864 in Double Bay, New South Wales, Australia, died on 17 Jan 1921 in Kew, Victoria, Australia at age 57, and was buried in Boroondara Cemetery, Kew, Victoria, Australia.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Solicitor.

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5-**John Allen**<sup>1,3,6</sup> was born on 14 Dec 1757 in Wapping, London, died on 20 Mar 1808 at age 50, and was buried in FBG Ratcliff.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Brewer in London.

6-**Hannah Allen**<sup>1,3,14</sup> was born in 1783, died on 12 Apr 1867 in 9 Albion Terrace, Stoke Newington, London at age 84, and was buried in FBG Stoke Newington.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at The Young sister's Milverton School in Milverton, Somerset.
- She worked as a Quaker Minister.

6-**Ann Allen**<sup>3,6</sup> was born in 1785, died in 1789 in (died of Smallpox) at age 4, and was buried in FBG Ratcliff.

6-**George Allen**<sup>3,6</sup> was born in 1787, died in 1789 in (died of Smallpox) at age 2, and was buried in FBG Ratcliff.

General Notes: He was buried of the same day as his sister Ann.

6-**Eliza Allen**<sup>3,15,16</sup> was born in 1790, died on 31 Oct 1845 in 9 Albion Terrace, Stoke Newington, London at age 55, and was buried in FBG Stoke Newington. The cause of her death was Stroke.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at Alton in Alton, Hampshire.

6-**Charles Allen**<sup>3,17,18,19</sup> was born on 17 Feb 1792, died on 11 Apr 1839 in Samer, Boulogne, France at age 47, and was buried on 21 Apr 1839 in FBG Ratcliff.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as an apprentice Tanner to William Batt in Maidenhead, Berkshire.
- He worked as a Tanner in Maidenhead, Berkshire.
- He worked as a Tanner in 1817 in Coggeshall, Essex.

7-**Charlotte Allen**<sup>6,7,20,21,22</sup> was born on 24 Jul 1817 in Maidenhead, Berkshire, died on 12 Mar 1891 in Nice, France at age 73, and was buried in FBG Friars, Rosemary Street, Bristol.

8-**Emily Sturge**<sup>6,7</sup> was born on 20 Apr 1847 in Highbury Villa, Cotham New Road, Cotham, Bristol, Gloucestershire, died on 3 Jun 1892 in Chilliswood, Tyndall's Park, Cotham, Bristol, Gloucestershire at age 45, and was buried in FBG Friars, Rosemary Street, Bristol. The cause of her death was From injuries, having been thrown from her horse.

General Notes: Sturge, Emily (1847– 1892), campaigner for women's education and suffrage, was born on 20 April 1847 at Highbury Villa, Cotham New Road, Cotham, Bristol, the eldest of the eleven children of William Sturge (1820– 1905) and his wife, Charlotte Allen Sturge (1817– 1891). Four of her sisters were also involved to a greater and lesser extent in the movement for women's education. The Sturge family were prominent members of the Society of Friends and were linked by marriage and descent to a number of Quaker families. Emily was a great-niece of the Quaker Ann(e) Knight who had campaigned for women's right to vote in the 1840s, and in the memoir of Emily (1892) Charlotte Sturge wrote that Ann Knight 'would have rejoiced to see how far her desires have been fulfilled and will probably be yet further carried out' (Goodbody, 50).

William Sturge was a partner in the family business of surveying which prospered in the nineteenth century. In 1864 the family moved into Chilliswood (later part of the University of Bristol) in Cotham, and the third daughter, Elizabeth, lived there until her death in 1944 at the age of ninety-four. The house was a centre for visiting lecturers and for drawing-room meetings during the suffrage campaigns of the 1870s. Emily was described by her Aunt Matilda as 'shy and sensitive in infancy' (E. Sturge, 79), and this developed into a deep reserve which gave the impression of aloofness. She was also 'a woman of considerable personal attractions, a little above the middle height, with good features, a fine bearing, and magnificent hair, which gave a certain distinction to her appearance' (ibid., 84). In early life she broke away from the evangelicalism of her upbringing, and experienced periods of religious doubt, though she continued to attend Friends' meetings all her life. Her sister Elizabeth said that 'we— her sisters— hardly knew how much strong feeling her rather cold and distant manner covered until, after her death, her private memoranda revealed it' (ibid., 79). In one of these memoranda Emily wonders

how it is that I come to be where I am— how it has come about that I am absorbed in the practical work of life. If the line of least resistance had not lain in this direction I could have lived the student's life. (Goodbody, 44)

After attending schools at Weston-super-Mare and then Frenchay, near Bristol, Emily's own education was cut short at the age of about fourteen, and thereafter she was largely self-taught. In contemplating the life of a student Emily may have been envying her younger sisters Mary Charlotte, known as Carta (1852– 1929), and Caroline (1861– 1922), who attended the University College

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which opened at Bristol in 1876. Carta went on to study at Newnham College, Cambridge, gaining the moral science tripos in 1887, and Caroline qualified as a doctor at London University. One of Emily's brothers, William Allen Sturge (1850– 1919), was also medically qualified and married to Dr Emily Bovell, one of the seven female medical students expelled from Edinburgh University during the Sophie Jex-Blake struggle for women's access to medical training in the early 1870s.

The 'practical work' of Emily Sturge's brief life was almost wholly concerned with promoting women's suffrage and women's education. From 1878 until her death she was honorary secretary of the west of England branch of the National Society for Women's Suffrage. The West of England Suffrage Society had been formed in Bristol in 1868 at the home of Matthew Davenport Hill, whose daughter Florence was a founding member. Emily Sturge was a member by 1872– 3, and from the 1870s until about 1885 she was involved in travelling to public meetings, giving public speeches, and campaigning through the Liberal Party to obtain women's franchise by electoral reform. She was a member of the Bristol Women's Liberal Association, formed about 1880 alongside similar branches formed in other Quaker strongholds, whereby parliamentary and municipal candidates were asked to state their views of women's suffrage. Women were not enfranchised by Gladstone's 1884– 5 reforms and Emily Sturge moved across to support the Liberal Unionists in the home rule split. She was a member of the committee of the West Bristol Temperance Society.

Emily Sturge was elected as a Liberal to the Bristol school board in January 1880. School boards were the first form of elected body open to women, and Emily succeeded Helena Richardson as the second woman member, having come second in the poll at the age of thirty-two. She had experience of teaching in a Friends' Sunday school, and took an interest in an elementary school for girls run by the British and Foreign School Society. During her membership of the board she campaigned for free school meals, established as 'penny dinners' in 1884; was involved in the setting up of evening schools, chairing the evening school committee from 1886; and was concerned to ensure equal access for women and girls to technical instruction and to promote the training and status of women teachers.

Emily Sturge achieved the latter aim through the new University College, founded in 1876. The college was a direct result of the Clifton Association for Promoting Higher Education for Women, formed in Bristol in 1868. The association founded the Lectures for Ladies in the 1860s, which were attended by the Sturge sisters and are described by Elizabeth Sturge in her *Reminiscences* (1928). The new University College, to become the University of Bristol in 1909, was open to both men and women, except for the medical school. In its early years money was a problem and Emily Sturge organized a successful fund-raising campaign in the late 1880s. She helped to establish a day training school for women teachers at the University College, which opened in October 1892: Marion Pease, a graduate of the new University College and a member of another key Bristol Quaker family, the Frys, was appointed the first mistress of method.

Emily Sturge was also involved in setting up at Bristol a school of cookery to train domestic science teachers, using moneys set aside by the technical instruction committee of the town council, and derived from the Technical Instruction Act of 1889 and the Local Taxation (Customs and Excise) Act of 1890. Unlike the school boards, town councils were still restricted to men, and following receipt of a memorial from 'certain ladies' in October 1891, Emily Sturge, who wanted grants for technical education to benefit girls as well as boys, was invited to assist with the formation of the school of cookery. It was to open in September 1893. Emily Sturge was re-elected to the Bristol school board in January 1892 shortly before her death at her home, Chilliswood, Tyndall's Park, Cotham, Bristol, on 3 June 1892, from injuries sustained after being thrown from her horse. She was buried in the Quaker burial-ground at Friars Meeting-House, Rosemary Street, Bristol.

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Noted events in her life were:

- She worked as a Member of Bristol School Board in 1880-1892.
- She worked as a campaigner for Women's education and Suffrage.

8-**Margaret Sturge**<sup>20,27</sup> was born in 1848 in Olveston, Bristol, Gloucestershire and died in 1921 in Gerrards Cross, Buckinghamshire at age 73.

9-**Emma Louise Goodbody**<sup>20</sup> was born on 25 Nov 1877 and died on 13 Dec 1931 at age 54.

9-**Frederick Allen Sturge Goodbody**<sup>20</sup> was born on 20 Sep 1879 and died on 6 Oct 1929 at age 50.

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Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Surveyor & Land Agent.

10-**William Scoular Goodbody** was born on 22 Oct 1911 and died on 22 May 1962 at age 50.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Land agent & Surveyor of Bristol.
- He was awarded with FRICS.

11-**Susan Caroline Goodbody**

10-**Margaret Louise Goodbody** was born on 6 Jul 1913.

10-**Frances Marion Goodbody** was born in Jun 1921 and died on 23 Jan 1931 at age 9.

9-**Lionel William Sturge Goodbody**<sup>20,27</sup> was born on 1 Jun 1881 in London and died on 23 Mar 1914 in Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada (24th given in AM) at age 32.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as an Architect in Victoria, British Columbia, Canada.

10-**Francis William Goodbody** was born on 14 May 1912.

11-**Diana Elizabeth Goodbody**

10-**Group Capt. Roger Relton Goodbody** was born on 2 Dec 1913.

9-**Charlotte Janet Goodbody**<sup>20</sup> was born on 22 Oct 1882 and died in 1954 at age 72.

9-**Margaret Goodbody**<sup>20</sup> was born on 5 Jul 1885 and died on 16 Jun 1960 at age 74.

9-**Clement Ridgway Goodbody**<sup>20,29</sup> was born on 26 Jul 1887 in Olveston, Bristol, Gloucestershire and died on 13 Oct 1951 in Bude, Cornwall at age 64.

10-**Josephine Mary Goodbody** was born in 1917.

10-**Dr. Richard Anthony Goodbody**<sup>29</sup> was born on 30 Sep 1920.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with MD VRD.
- He worked as a Consultant pathologist.

11-**Jonathan Crawford Goodbody**

12-**Joshua Alexander Fernandez Goodbody**

10-**John Bartley Goodbody** was born in 1922 and died in 1935 at age 13.

9-**Evelyn Gulielma Goodbody**<sup>20</sup> was born on 3 Sep 1889 and died in 1955 at age 66.

8-**Elizabeth Sturge** was born in 1849.

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8-Dr. William Allen Sturge<sup>6,7</sup> was born in 1850 and died on 27 Mar 1919 in Icklingham Hall, Suffolk at age 69.

General Notes: WILLIAM ALLEN STURGE, M.V.O., MT.D.LOND., F.R.C.P. IN Dr. Allen Sturge,- who passed away on March 27th after several years of cardiac instability and poor health, we have lost an accomplished physician and a distinguished archaeologist. He came of a fine Quaker stock on both sides. He was born at Bristol in 1850, and began his professional studies at the Bristol Medical School, and continued them at University College Hospital, London, where he soon made his mark and gained "the warm regard of his teachers and of his fellow students. He was a close and accurate observer, keen in reasoning and original in speculation. After holding the post of physician's-assistant he became a resident officer and subsequently registrar at the National Hospital for Paralysis and Epilepsy. There he laid the foundations of a wide and thoughtful survey of nervous diseases. Having taken his M.D. at the University of London, he followed up his studies in nervous diseases by a lengthened stay in Paris in 1876. That was a time when Charcot, like a magnet, was attracting neurologists young and old to his clinic at the Salpêtrière. But Sturge did not limit his studies to neurology; he worked at general pathology and medicine, and followed closely Fournier's practice at the St. Louis. Both Charcot and Fournier bore generous testimony in after years to Sturge's critical acumen and originality. When in 1877 he returned to London he was appointed physician and pathologist to the Royal Free Hospital, and one of the lecturers to the Women's Medical School. His strong liberal sentiments made him an early and warm supporter of women's medical education. He was married to a talented lady doctor-Miss Emily Bovell-and they started in practice in Wimpole Street. There seemed a distinguished career opening for Sturge as a neurologist, a general physician, and a clinical teacher. He had the gift of fluent and luminous exposition, and was eagerly listened to, not only by his students, but by the members of the London medical societies. Unfortunately there only remain four of his medical papers available. Of these, in every way the most important and characteristic is one in the fifth volume of the Proceedings of the Medical Society of London, p. 357, on the study of muscular atrophy as an aid to the physiological investigation of the spinal cord. In this paper there are some original clinical observations of considerable interest, but there are also very lucid, and discriminating statements on the physiological grouping of muscular atrophies and their diagnostic importance which are valuable still as sound and helpful generalizations. His three papers in the twelfth and fourteenth volumes of the Clinical Society's transactions on a case of erythromelalgia, on a case of spondylitis, and on nerve stretching are good examples of Sturge's gift of not only narrating the salient features of any case, but of setting forth its general bearing. Sturge was exceedingly humane. From his studentship, onwards he took the deepest interest in the welfare of his patients. He never spared his efforts, especially for the chronic nervous cases, to make the life of their condition, and he was so well read and wide in his intellectual sympathies that it was no wonder that many educated men and women found in him a tower of strength, especially in conditions of overstrain. But in 18 his wife's health began seriously to flag, and he came to the conclusion that for her sake he ought to seek a milder climate. He determined to settle in Nice, and he made it his home for twenty-seven years during the late..... etc. etc. SEE....

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William Allen Sturge was born of Quaker parents in Bristol, where his father, William Sturge, was a wealthy surveyor. He attended local schools until 1865 when he was sent to a Quaker school in London. There, while playing soccer, he injured his knees. He stayed with his uncle while he was recuperating from the knee injury. His uncle, a physician, had sons studying medicine, and it was during this stay that William developed an interest in medicine. This was contrary to his father's wishes; wanting instead that his son take up the family business. His father relented, however, and allowed him to pursue his interest in medicine. He commenced his medical studies at Bristol Medical School in 1868. He was a very industrious young man who, in the pursuit of his interests, neglected his own health. He fell ill of diphtheria in June, 1869. In August, after recovering from the illness, William went on vacation in Switzerland with his family. While there he developed rheumatic fever, an illness that lasted for several weeks. After recovering, he resumed his studies and passed the Primary Examination of the College of Surgeons in 1870. He went to London in 1871 to continue his studies at University College, but had a second attack of rheumatic fever in 1872 which forced him to take a prolonged rest. His father sent him on a tour in the East in 1873. As a medical attendant, William accompanied a wealthy young man named Lukas to Egypt. After returning from Egypt he resumed his medical studies and received his medical degree from University College, London, in 1873. After holding the post of Physician's Assistant, he became a resident medical officer and subsequently registrar of the National Hospital for Paralysis and Epilepsy and here commenced his interest in neurology. In 1876 he went to Paris to study with Jean Martin Charcot (1825-1893), but also gained experience in general pathology and medicine with Jean Alfred Fournier (1832-1915) at the St. Louis Hospital. Both Charcot and Fournier were highly impressed with Sturge's intelligence and originality. It was in Paris that he met his wife, Emily Bovell, who was also a physician. Emily Bovell was one of the original half dozen women who gained admission to the Medical School of Edinburgh University, only to be physically ejected by the male students and faculty. All of these women eventually completed their medical training elsewhere and all achieved distinction in their own particular field. Sturge was strongly liberal and was one of the keenest supporters of women's medical education. They married in September 1877 and returned to London to set up a practice together in Wimpole Street. He was appointed physician and pathologist to the Royal Free Hospital, and a lecturer to the Women's Medical School. He was a fine speaker, an excellent teacher and extremely interested in the welfare of his patients. He had a very large practice of patients with organic conditions and also of patients with psychosomatic problems. In 1880 his wife became ill and Sturge decided to move to Nice, where he lived for the next 27 years during the autumn, winter and spring. He gradually became very well known and socially prominent as a physician in the Riviera and looked after Queen Victoria and her family during her four visits to Cimez. In recognition of this service, Queen Victoria awarded him gifts and an MVO, which is an order and decoration reserved for people who have rendered service to the Royal Family of a personal nature. Emily Bovell died in her early 40's in 1885. The following year William married Julia Sherriff, who was his nurse in Nice. Julia was the daughter of a wealthy iron master in the North of England. Because of the summer heat in Nice, the couple used to take their vacations at this time of the year. Sturge was very fond of travelling. It was during his travels that he became greatly interested in archaeology and began to collect Greek vases and Palaeolithic and Neolithic flint implements. He had rheumatic fever in 1894 which recurred in 1899 and in 1907 he decided to give up practice and return to England. During his holidays he studied early Greek art and was a collector of Etruscan vases, devoting most of his leisure time to the study of archaeology. He settled at Icklingham Hall in Suffolk, which was near the diggings where the Piltdown skull was found. There he established one of the finest private museums of flint implements in the world, carefully classified and catalogued. His collection of more than 100,000 pieces is now in the British Museum. Sturge was one of the founders and first president of the Society of Prehistoric Archaeology of East Anglia His collection of Greek amphora is housed in the Toronto Museum, Canada as the Sturge Collection

In the winter of 1918 he suffered from influenza and then nephritis and subsequently died in March 1919. William Sturge left no children to bear his name.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with MVO MD FRCP.
- He was educated at Bristol Medical School in Bristol, Gloucestershire.

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- He worked as a Physician in 1877-1880 in Wimpole Street, London..
- He worked as a Physician in Nice, France.
- His obituary was published in the British Medical Journal on 12 Apr 1919.

8-**Mary Charlotte Sturge** was born on 5 Mar 1852 in Bristol, Gloucestershire and died on 2 Feb 1929 at age 76.

General Notes: Sturge, Mary Charlotte Approx. lifespan: 1852– 1929 Matric. Newnham College 1883

b. Bristol, [Somerset] 1852:03:05 Sch: private Quaker School Weston-super-Mare, [Somerset] ; Sch: sch. Calais, [France] ; Sch: Bristol University College [Bristol], [Somerset] Newnham College 1883-85, 1886-87 Mor.Sci.Trip. Cl.II 1887 MA 1924 Lectured on Mor.Sci.: Lect.: Sch: Westfield College London 1896-1902 Writer: President: Bath Federation of University Women Publ.: The Time Spell 1897 Publ.: The Truth and Error of Christian Science 1903 Publ.: Thoughts Transcendental and Practical 1905 Publ.: Some Little Quakers in the Nursery 1906 Publ.: A Rare Personality: Isabel Wedmore 1914 Publ.: Opposite Things

8-**John Player Sturge**<sup>6,22</sup> was born in 1853, died on 28 Jan 1880 in Bristol, Gloucestershire at age 27, and was buried in FBG Stoke Newington.

8-**Charles Allen Sturge**<sup>19</sup> was born in 1855, died on 22 Apr 1862 in Bristol, Gloucestershire at age 7, and was buried in FBG Friars, Rosemary Street, Bristol.

8-**Gulielma Maria Sturge** was born in 1856, died in 1857 at age 1, and was buried in FBG Friars, Rosemary Street, Bristol.

8-**Helen Maria Sturge** was born in 1858.

8-**Clement Young Sturge**<sup>6</sup> was born in 1860 and died on 23 Jul 1911 in Bloomberg Street, London at age 51.

General Notes: He was the youngest son of William Sturge of Bristol, he was educated at Trinity College, Oxford, later studying modern history and political science at the École Libres des Sciences Politiques, Paris and the Universities of Berlin and Tübingen. He worked as a newspaper correspondent in Germany and Austria, before returning to England, where he was called to the bar in 1891. A resident of Westminster, in 1900 he was elected a Moderate Party member of the London School Board representing the area. When the school board was abolished in 1904, he was elected to the London County Council, again representing Westminster, becoming a leading member of the Municipal Reform Party which took control of the council in 1907. He was re-elected twice, and was a member of the council on his death, aged 51, at his home in Bloomberg Street.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Trinity College, Cambridge.
- He worked as a Barrister at Law, Inner Temple.
- He worked as a Member of the London School Board in 1900-1904.

8-**Dr. Caroline Sturge**<sup>6</sup> was born in 1861 and died on 5 Sep 1922 at age 61.

General Notes: "E. Jane Gay was born in Nashua, New Hampshire in 1830 and was educated in New York. In 1856, she traveled with her friend Catherine Melville to Macon, Georgia to found a school for young women. Gay taught at the school until its closing in 1860, and went on to administer a Washington, DC school for children with Melville until the outbreak of the US Civil War in 1861. From 1861 to 1865, Gay worked alongside Dorothea Lynde Dix as a nurse tending to wounded soldiers for the Union Army. After the war, Gay worked first as a tutor to President Andrew Johnson's grandchildren, then as a clerk in a dead-letter office (1866– 1883). In 1888, Gay began teaching herself photography. In 1889, she was hired as the photographer and cook for an expedition led by anthropologist Alice C. Fletcher, an old friend and agent for the US Department of the Interior's Bureau of Indian Affairs. From 1889 to 1893, Gay traveled as the photographer with the expedition to the Nez Perce Indian Reservation in Idaho. Gay's letters and photographs vividly capture the expedition's experiences with the Nez Perce in the American West. After her return from the West, Gay lived in Washington, DC until 1906, when she traveled to Europe with one of her nieces, Emma Jane Gay (1859– 1924). While in England, Gay and her niece published her photographs, illustrations, and letters from the Fletcher expedition to the Nez Perce in a two-volume book entitled Choup-nit-ki, With the Nez Perce. Besides providing a first-hand account of US policy toward the American Indians under the Dawes Act, the book is an excellent window into the social conditions on the American frontier in the late 19th century. **After publishing Choup-nit-ki, With the Nez Perce, Gay decided to remain in Somerset, England, where she lived with her friend Dr. Caroline Sturge. Gay died in England in 1919 at the age of 89.**

Noted events in her life were:

- She worked as an Examiner in Operative Midwifery at The Royal Free Hospital Medical School before 1909.
- She had a residence in 1909 in Congresbury, Somerset.

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- She had a residence about 1913 in "Kamiah", Winscombe, Somerset.

7-**John Allen** was born in 1818, died in 1825 in Coggeshall, Essex at age 7, and was buried in FBG Coggeshall.

7-**Samuel Allen** was born in 1820, died in 1820, and was buried in FBG Coggeshall.

7-**Sarah Angell Allen**<sup>18,30,31,32,33</sup> was born on 15 Mar 1822 in Coggeshall, Essex and died on 11 Dec 1912 in London at age 90.

8-**Hugh Courtney Fox**<sup>6,38</sup> was born on 26 Jun 1848, died on 14 Apr 1902 in Gordon Square, London at age 53, and was buried in FBG Stoke Newington.

8-**Dr. Charles Allen Fox**<sup>6</sup> was born on 26 Aug 1849 and died on 25 May 1929 in Cherabere Cottage, Dolton, Devon at age 79.

8-**Joseph John Fox** was born on 1 Feb 1852 and died on 24 Feb 1852.

8-**Dr. Richard Hingston Fox**<sup>6,31</sup> was born on 7 Nov 1853 in Stoke Newington, London (2 Feb 1853 also given) and died on 20 Apr 1924 in Jordans, Beaconsfield, Buckinghamshire at age 70.

General Notes: **Richard Hingston Fox**

*b.7 Nov 1853 d.20 Apr 1924*

*MD Brux MRCS LSA FRCP (1923)*

Hingston Fox was born at Stoke Newington, the third of the seven medical sons of Joseph John Fox, a Quaker surgeon from Cornwall, and his wife Sarah Angell Allen of Stoke Newington. He qualified from the London Hospital in 1874, and, after a resident appointment in the Royal Cornwall Infirmary, made a voyage to Australia as a ship's surgeon, to ward off threatened pulmonary tuberculosis. On his return he assisted his father in general practice, and at the same time established a footing in Finsbury Circus and began work for life assurance companies, which later claimed a large share of his energies. He began consulting practice in 1902 and was assistant physician to the Mount Vernon Hospital for Consumption from 1916 to 1919. The affairs of the Hunterian Society, of which he was president in 1912, and medical history occupied much of his leisure. He published a book on Dr. John Fothergill and his Friends in 1919. Fox was a quiet and devout man, a Greek and Hebrew scholar, and a student of geology and birds and trees. He married in 1879 Elizabeth, daughter of Charles Tylor, and had one son and seven daughters. He was a brother of R. F. Fox, F.R.C.P. He died at his home at Jordans, Beaconsfield.

*Lancet*, 1924.

*B.M.J.*, 1924.

*Presidential Address to R.C.P.*, 1925, 18.

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Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with MD Brux MRCS LSA FRCP.
- He worked as a Physician.

9-**Lydia Fox** was born in 1880 and died in 1963 at age 83.

9-**Mary Fox** was born in 1882 and died in 1964 at age 82.

9-**Margaret Fox** was born in 1883 and died in 1965 at age 82.

10-**Aidan William Sawdon** was born in 1912 and died in 1914 at age 2.

10-**Eleanor Margaret Sawdon**

9-**Dr. Joseph Tylor Fox**<sup>26,39,40,41,42,43</sup> was born on 11 Jan 1885 in London and died on 20 Sep 1949 at age 64.

General Notes: FOX-GILBERT.-On the 9th May, 1912, at the Friends' Meeting House, Bournville, Dr. Joseph Tylor Fox (1898-99), to Elsie Lilla Gilbert.

**J. TYLOR FOX**

J. Tylor Fox was the son of R. Kingston Fox and Elizabeth Tylor, and came of a long line of doctors ; no less than six generations. He was at Bootham in 1898-9 before the time when any serious work in Biology was done, and in fact some years before the College Class was started. On leaving he went to the City of London School, whence he proceeded by scholarship to Sidney Sussex College, Cambridge, and to the London Hospital from which he qualified as medical practitioner in 1910.



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During the first world war he acted as medical officer under the Friend's war-victims service at Buzuluk, in the famine area in Russia. Returning to England in 1918, he became medical superintendent of the Lingfield Epileptic Colony in Surrey and wrote many articles on the treatment of the disease for scientific journals. His work at Lingfield was continued under great difficulties through the second world war, part of the colony being severely damaged by a flying bomb and a number of patients being evacuated to Mansfield. This involved a considerable amount of travel to and fro under very wearing conditions, and shortly after peace was declared, his health made retirement advisable. He continued, however, to work for epileptics, and was the means of fitting many of them into places where they could be useful in the community at large.

This bare skeleton of the events of his career fails to give a clear picture in two important respects. In the first place, it does not succeed in showing his great eminence as an authority on the subject which was specially his own, and in the second it fails to make clear the lovable humility of his character, which at a first meeting sometimes concealed this, but when one knew him better so much enhanced it. He married Elsie, daughter of the late Edwin Gilbert. She survives him with a daughter and two sons, both of whom are following the medical profession.

J. A. DELL. *Bootham magazine* - June 1949

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with MA MD BCh MRCS LRCP DPH FRSM.
- He was educated at Bootham School in 1898-1899 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as a Physician and Director of Epileptic care in Lingfield, Surrey.
- He worked as a Chief Medical Officer FWVRC in Russia.

### 10-Lilla Margaret Fox

10-**Dr. Christopher Gilbert Fox**<sup>26,40,44,45,46</sup> was born on 18 Feb 1919 in Lingfield, Surrey and died in 1972 at age 53.

General Notes: Fox.-On the 18th February, 1919, at Lingfield, Surrey, Elsie L. (Gilbert), wife of Dr. J. Tylor Fox (1898-9), a son, who was named Christopher Gilbert.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1932-1934 in York, Yorkshire.

### 11-Ann Caroline Fox

### 11-Isabel Mary Fox

10-**Dr. Richard Hilary Fox**<sup>41</sup> was born on 3 May 1928 and died in 2010 at age 82.

General Notes: Fox.-On May 3rd, to Elsie L., wife of Dr. J. Tylor Fox (1898- 1899), a son.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Consultant Psychologist.

9-**Elizabeth Allen Fox** was born in 1886 and died in 1974 at age 88.

9-**Anna Fox** was born in 1887 and died in 1972 at age 85.

9-**Helen Fox** was born in 1892 and died in 1973 at age 81.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at The Mount School in Sep 1907-Jul 1911 in York, Yorkshire.

8-**Dr. Joseph Tregelles Fox**<sup>33</sup> was born on 14 Mar 1855 and died on 4 Jan 1937 in National City, California, USA at age 81.

Noted events in his life were:

- He resided at 1 Lordship Terrace in 1873 in Lordship Road, Stoke Newington, London.

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- He worked as a Medical Missionary, Friends' Foreign Mission Association after 1880 in Madagascar.
- Miscellaneous: Collected spermatophytic plants in Madagascar, for the Natural History Museum, London.
- He had a residence about 1888 in Strathpeffer, Ross-shire.

9-**Albert Tregelles Fox** was born on 4 Jan 1881 in Antananarivo, Madagascar and died on 12 Jan 1945 in Long Beach, California, USA at age 64.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Ackworth School in 1890-1894.
- He worked as a Pharmaceutical chemist.

10-**Sarah Winifred Fox** was born in 1902.

10-**Frank Tregelles Fox** was born on 18 Sep 1907 in Marrickville, Sydney, New South Wales, Australia and died on 28 Feb 1989 in Brisbane, Queensland, Australia at age 81.

11-**Rita Amelia Fox** was born on 17 Sep 1934 and died on 14 Jun 1993 at age 58.

11-**Robert Charles Tregelles Fox** was born on 1 Nov 1943 and died on 9 Jan 2005 at age 61.

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9-**Hannah Fox** was born in 1884.

10-**George Peterson**

9-**Joseph Sanger Fox**<sup>33</sup> was born on 6 Sep 1886 in Antananarivo, Madagascar.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Ackworth School in 1897-1900 in Ackworth, Pontefract, Yorkshire.
- He emigrated to the United States of America.
- He was naturalized in 1924 in California, USA.
- He had a residence in National City, California, USA.

10-**Josephine Doris Fox**

10-**Mary Elizabeth Fox**

10-**Thelma Makepeace Fox**

10-**Rhoda Fox**

10-**Joseph Nathaniel Fox**

11-**Marilyn Jean Fox**

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12-Ashley Karr

11-Joseph Allen Fox

10-Ruth Anna Fox

10-Nancy Fox

9-Benjamin Davies Fox was born on 27 Oct 1888, died on 8 Dec 1956 in San Diego, California, USA at age 68, and was buried in Mount Hope Cemetery, San Diego, California.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Ackworth School in 1898-1904.

9-Dorothy Fox was born in 1891.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at Ackworth School in 1901-1902.

10-Alma Dorothea Peterson

8-John Raleigh Fox was born on 15 Feb 1857 and died on 10 Feb 1858.

8-Dr. Robert Fortescue Fox<sup>31</sup> was born on 24 Dec 1858 in Stoke Newington, London and died on 15 Jun 1940 in London at age 81.

General Notes: **Robert Fortescue Fox**

*b.24 Dec 1858 d.15 June 1940*

*MD Lond MRCS LSA FRCP (1925)*

Fortescue Fox was the seventh son of Joseph John Fox, a Stoke Newington surgeon who came of a Cornish Quaker family, and his wife Sarah Angell Allen. He qualified at the London Hospital in 1882 and was house physician to Sir Andrew Clark; but precarious health took him away from hospital work, first on a voyage to China as a ship's surgeon, and then to a temporary post at Strathpeffer Spa in Ross-shire, where he remained to practise for twenty years. He returned to London finally in 1905, and in 1913, when he produced his *Principles and Practice of Medical Hydrology*, he was already accepted as an authority on British and foreign spas. During the 1914-1918 War his specialised practice vanished and he concentrated on the care of the disabled. He insisted on the value of various forms of baths and exercise for the restoration of injured limbs; he wrote *Physical Remedies for Disabled Soldiers* (1917), worked with Sir Robert Jones at the Military Orthopaedic Hospital, Shepherd's Bush, and introduced the "whirlpool" arm and leg baths. A pioneer of what was later called rehabilitation, he was impressed by the need for concurrent treatment and training of the disabled, and his ideas on this and on resettlement were partially realised in the Enham Village Centre, of which he was for a year the first medical director.

As a physician, he was interested in people even more than in diseases, and his approach to each case was correspondingly personal, including a search for environmental or social factors in the illness. A therapist by nature, he made full use of drugs, but was unfashionable in his faith in "airs, waters, and places" as remedial agents. He urged that clinics should be set up in cities to reduce rheumatic disabilities, and the British Red Cross Clinic for Rheumatism was largely the result of his leadership and planning. But he was also eager that spas and coastal resorts should be used more widely, with financial aid from public funds for poorer patients, and he helped to found the British Health Resorts Association. To promote the scientific study of climates and waters, he formed the International Society of Medical Hydrology and edited its *Archives* for several years from 1922. When, in his old age, some of his foreign associates became political refugees, he spared no pains to help them. Fox remained active in practice and in persuasive writing until the last days of a life of ardent and often far-sighted effort. Sensitive and latterly frail, he felt acutely the rebuffs that come to innovators. But he had many compensating interests—in poetry, archaeology, travel, painting and gardening. He married the daughter of Rev. W. S. McDougall and had three daughters and three sons—one of them T. F. Fox, F.R.C.P. He was a brother of R. Hingston Fox, F.R.C.P. He died in London.

*Lancet*, 1940.

*B.M.J.*, 1940.

Information supplied by Dr. T. F. Fox.

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Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with MD Lond MRCS LSA FRCP.
- He worked as a Physician.

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9-**Constance Mary Fox** was born in 1886.

9-**Hilda Angel Fox** was born in 1887.

9-**Dr. Charlotte Iris Fox**<sup>47</sup> was born in 1890 in Strathpeffer, Ross-shire and died on 21 Jan 1926 at age 36. The cause of her death was Blood poisoning, from a cut incurred during a post-mortem examination.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at The Mount School in 1904-1907 in York, Yorkshire.
- She worked as a Pathologist in Royal Free Hospital, Grays Inn Road, London.

9-**William Fortescue Fox** was born in 1892.

9-**Andrew Stewart Fox** was born in 1893.

9-**Sir Theodore Fortescue Fox**<sup>31,48</sup> was born on 26 Nov 1899 in Strathpeffer Spa, Strathpeffer, Ross-shire and died on 19 Jun 1989 in Rotherfield, East Sussex at age 89.

General Notes: **Sir Theodore Fortescue Fox**

*b.26 Nov 1899 d.19 June 1989*

*KI(1962) BChir Cantab(1926) MB(1937) MA MD(1938) \*FRCP(1946)LLD Glasg(1958)D Litt Birm(1966)*

Sir Theodore Fox, a medical editor who exerted a profoundly beneficial influence on the practice of medicine in his time, began his work on the staff of The Lancet in 1925 and he retired in 1964, after 20 years as its editor. He came from a long family line of Quaker doctors and his mother was the daughter of a Presbyterian minister in the Scottish Highlands - an ancestry that hardly gave him a taste for relaxation or merriment but imbued him with a dedication and a resolve to see right prevail, which infused all he did. From Leighton Park School he won a scholarship to Pembroke College, Cambridge. In 1917 he wanted to join the Army but his family persuaded him to enter the Friends Ambulance Unit and he became an orderly on an ambulance train in France. When the war was over he went up to Cambridge and subsequently became house physician to Sir Robert Hutchison [Munk's Roll, Vol.V, p.208] at the London Hospital. Later, after an expedition to India as a ship's surgeon, he accepted an offer of locum work from the editor of The Lancet - a post which became more than temporary.

With the advent of the 1939-45 war, Fox spent three years in the RAMC including a year as a regimental medical officer, some of the time in France. Later he worked in the Army blood transfusion service and edited the Army Medical Department Bulletin at the War Office. The Lancet's request for his return was eventually granted and he rejoined the journal's staff at its wartime office in Aylesbury, before its return to London with Fox as editor. He was soon deep in the often turbulent discussion about the coming National Health Service in Britain. The Lancet set out to argue the case for freeing medicine from the 'marketplace' and for eschewing the fee-for-service which many doctors wanted. Though Fox wished to see the establishment of an organized State service he never missed an opportunity to remind the profession that its prime duty would still be to patients and that doctors should never regard themselves as mere technical workers in a State-run and State-financed service. When a niggling editorial in the British Medical Journal suggested that the BMA's attitude should be to cooperate with the NHS while acting as a watchdog for the profession, The Lancet retaliated: 'Since when has cooperation become an attribute of watchdogs?' His journal's influence at this time was considerable perhaps even crucial to the outcome, for if the NHS had not begun in 1948 more or less under the terms that Fox supported in face of much professional opposition then it is unlikely that subsequent efforts to establish a non-fee-for-service system would have prevailed. He would probably have looked with misgiving on some moves begun in the late 80s to reintroduce another kind of 'marketplace' into a service which he always hoped would remove all financial impediments to satisfactory care - on the frail assumption that the Exchequer could invariably be persuaded to provide enough money.

A landmark in Fox's early years as editor was the publication of the Collings Report (The Lancet 1950;i:555-85) which illustrated, through the eyes of an Australian visitor, the imperfections of general practice in Britain. Hopes that the NHS would speedily improve matters proved vain, but the coming of the College of General Practitioners - in which Fox had a hand - and the growing appreciation of the importance of primary care fostered by his journal, eventually raised the standards and status of general practice from the level of a retreat for the unambitious graduate or the failed specialist. In 1961 he recognized the significance of the Christ Church conference on postgraduate medical education and he published George Pickering's commentary [Munk's Roll, Vol.VII, p.464] on its conclusions, thereby hastening the emergence of a more active on-going medical education. Fox had a talent for grasping the essential achievements and failures of health care in other lands. Short visits to the Soviet Union (1954), China (1957), the United States (1960) and Australia and New Zealand (1963) were cues for penetrating articles on what had been achieved and what was lacking in the health systems of these countries. Despite the mass of fact and observation with which he had to grapple, he made these commentaries illuminating and entertaining.

Outstanding among his other signed contributions to the journal was his 1965 Harveian Oration entitled 'Purposes of Medicine'. Here he declared again that the primary role of doctors was to help people rather than to advance science, and he maintained that they should not prolong life against the patient's interest: 'I do not believe that confidence in our profession depends on following rules at the expense of people.' Another passage reads poignantly today in the shadow of events in many tormented parts of the world where doctors have been victimized because their actions were seen as contrary to the will of those in power: 'In principle ... nations allow that Medicine has a more advanced code than their own - that the doctor is right to put his duty to the human race before his duty to any of its component groups ... However uncertain and tentative, he is a prototype of supranational man.' One of his earlier pieces, 'The Greater Medical Profession' (The Lancet 1956;ii:779-80) has also been much quoted. He wrote of the medical empire transforming itself into a commonwealth with more and more of its colonies and dominions becoming wholly or partly independent. He helped many readers to recognize that medicine should be seen as only one member in a family of professions, among whom cooperation rather than financial competition was vital to the success of any health service. With all these thoughtful and elegant texts, and with many more, Fox enlivened the pages of his journal and compelled his readers to think about what they and their colleagues were doing both individually and in their corporate actions. At the same time, over the years, he encompassed the daily tasks of an editor upon whose desk papers and letters fell in

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mounting numbers as medicine became ever more scientific in the surge of genetics, immunology, and molecular biology clamouring for places in a general journal. In his time The Lancet sought advice from outside advisers on submitted papers much less often than it came to do in later years. Fox's Heath Clark lectures of 1963 - published as a book, *Crisis in Communication*, London, The Athlone Press, 1965 - had this to say about the refereeing of papers: 'By enlarging the editorial group, so as to dilute the influence of personal prejudice, one inevitably reduces the chances of the unorthodox. Referees are on the whole conservative and the more referees look at the paper the less the journal is likely to take a risk. An independent editor may often have golden dreams that a horse he has backed will come romping home at 45 to 1; but an editorial committee seldom sees its duties in a sporting light.' Those editors with sporting instincts were warned, however, by his next remark: '... my impression is that, in the journal I work for, the worse mistakes of the past four decades have been errors of acceptance rather than rejection.' One of his successors as editor has agreed with this view although he pointed out that mistakes of commission were almost always rapidly exposed while those of omission could remain hidden for a long time. When Fox retired from the editorship he became director of the Family Planning Association. This work strengthened his views on population control and stimulated another vivid lecture, 'Noah's New Flood' (The Lancet 1966;ii:1238), in which he argued that Britain, like any other country, should have a population policy. After he left the FPA in 1967 he seldom wrote again for publication, though he did emerge to reiterate his opinion that industrial action by doctors was a mistake (The Lancet 1976;ii:892). He kept in touch with a mass of friends by letter and by his famous hand-painted Christmas cards. He became a knight in 1962, having declined the honour earlier because he feared his acceptance might be thought to prejudice the independence of the journal. The universities of Glasgow and Birmingham gave him honorary doctorates and he was an honorary fellow of the Royal Australasian College of General Practitioners and the New York Academy of Medicine. In 1962 he was a close contender for presidency of the Royal College of Physicians.

He married Margaret McDougall in 1930 and they had four sons. Robin, their youngest son, became editor of The Lancet in 1990. I Munro [Brit.med.J. ,1969,299,47-49,1518-84; *The Times*, 23 June 1969; *The Independent*, 22 June 1989; *The Daily Telegraph*, June 1969; *FPA Annual Report* 1968/89,28; *NY Acad.of Med.,Bulletin*,61,No 5,June 1985;*The Independent*, 5 July 1985; *Belfast Telegraph*, 3 Nov 1965; *The Lancet*, 1965,2 Jan; *Medical News*, 1 Jan 1965;*Family Planning*, 1964,13,No 2,38;1968,16,No 4,104-5;Photo] (Volume IX, page 178)

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with Kt BChir MB MA MD FRCP LLD DLitt.
- He worked as a member of the Friends' Ambulance Unit in 1918.
- He worked as an Editor. The Lancet.
- He worked as a Physician.

### 10-Andrew Stewart Fox

10-Duncan Allen Fox<sup>47</sup> was born in 1935 and died on 3 Nov 1970 in Matangi, New Zealand at age 35.

### 10-Colin Ross Fox

#### 11-Andrew Marcus Fox

#### 11-Natalia Katherine Fox

### 10-Dr. Robert McDougall Fox

#### 11-Katharine Fox

#### 11-Duncan Fox

#### 11-James Fox

8-Samuel Harris Fox<sup>32</sup> was born on 8 Oct 1860, died on 4 Apr 1896 in Flushing, Falmouth, Cornwall at age 35, and was buried on 7 Apr 1896 in FBG Budock, Falmouth.

8-Lydia Foster Fox was born on 18 Sep 1863 and died in 1865 at age 2.

7-Charles Harris Allen<sup>6</sup> was born on 13 Apr 1824 in Coggeshall, Essex, died on 19 Dec 1904 in 17 Well Walk, Hampstead, London at age 80, and was buried in Highgate Cemetery, London.

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Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with FRGS.
- He worked as a secretary of the British and Foreign Anti-slavery Society in 1879.

8-**Mary Louisa Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born in 1853 and died on 8 Feb 1940 in Torquay, Devon at age 87.

8-**Beatrice Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 30 Jan 1860 in Stoke Newington, London and died in 1941 at age 81.

8-**Charles Mansfield Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born in 1861, died in 1872 at age 11, and was buried in Highgate Cemetery, London.

8-**Alfred Jukes Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 1 Nov 1862 in Stoke Newington (FBG?) and died on 29 Mar 1916 in Newton Abbot, Devon at age 53.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as an Engineer in 1907.

8-**Bernard Meredith Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born in 1864 and died in 1951 at age 87.

7-**Joseph Allen**<sup>7</sup> was born on 5 Oct 1825 in Coggeshall, Essex and died on 31 Mar 1910 in (or was it 31 Mar 1901 ?) at age 84.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Bill broker in London.

8-**Josephine Mary Elizabeth Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 3 Oct 1864 in Stoke Newington, London, died in 1951 at age 87, and was buried in Ottery St Mary, Devon.

8-**Ada Maud Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born in 1866 in Stoke Newington, London.

8-**Edward Satow Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born in 1867 in Stoke Newington, London.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Bill broker in 77 Cornhill, London.

9-**Mary Barbara Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born in Woking, Surrey, died on 23 Nov 1939 in Charing Cross Hospital, London, and was buried in St. Mary's, Leatherhead, Surrey.

10-**Lt. Mark Allen Von Bergen RN** was born in 1921 and died on 11 Aug 1943 at age 22.

General Notes: HMS Parthian (Lt. C.A. Pardoe, R.N.R.) is presumed mined in Adriatic late July / early August 1943. Having sailed from Malta on 22nd July for patrol west of Greece in the southern Adriatic she was ordered to patrol off Otranto on 26th July 1943. She was again given a new area to patrol on the 28th. She was reported overdue at Beirut on 11th August 1943. Most likely she was mined off Brindisi. The date given as lost (11 August 1943) is the date she was reported missing.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as an officer of the Royal Navy Submarine service. H.M. Submarine Parthian.

10-**Dr. Julian Edward Von Bergen** was born in 1924 in Epsom, Surrey.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with MB BS.
- He was educated at Queen Elizabeth's Grammar School in Darlington, County Durham.

11-**Anne L. Von Bergen**

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### 11-Helen M. Von Bergen

### 11-Hugh Robert Von Bergen

9-**John Stewart Satow Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 31 Oct 1896 in Kensington, London and was christened on 2 Dec 1896 in St. Mary's, Bryanston Square, London.

9-**Percy Cecil Satow Allen** was born on 21 Oct 1901 in 24 Church Street, Epsom, Surrey and was christened on 30 Nov 1901 in Christchurch, Epsom.

General Notes: We know little about Percy's life but he appears - must be with his family - on the passenger list of the Union Castle ship 'Arundel Castle' boarding at Cape Town, South Africa and arriving in Southampton on the 24 June 1938. The Passenger List shows:- Mr. Percy Cecil Satow Allen age 36, Mrs Doreen Alice Mary Allen age 34, Miss Mary Barbara Satow Allen age 6 and Master John Henry Satow Allen age 3. Their address in England is given as - "C/o. Four Acres, Leatherhead, Surrey". This being the home of Percy's aunt Mary and uncle Dr. Carl von Bergen. As they don't give an address of their own maybe they were or had been living in SouthAfrica rather than just having a holiday to visit Percy's brother John

### 10-Mary Barbara Allen

### 10-John Henry Allen

8-**Prof. Percy Stafford Allen**<sup>7</sup> was born on 7 Jul 1869 in 2 Twickenham Park, Twickenham, London, died on 16 Jun 1933 in Oxford, Oxfordshire at age 63, and was buried on 20 Jun 1933 in Corpus Christi chapel, Oxford.

General Notes: Allen, Percy Stafford (1869– 1933), Erasmian scholar, was born at 2 Twickenham Park, Twickenham, Middlesex, on 7 July 1869, the younger son and fourth child of Joseph A. Allen (1825– 1910), a London bill broker. The Allens were a distinguished and old-established Quaker family, but Joseph Allen had been obliged to leave the Society of Friends on marrying 'out' to Mary Mason (d. 1892), youngest daughter of Hans David Christopher Satow and sister of the Anglican diplomat and historian Sir E. M. Satow. Percy Allen was educated at Clifton College (1882– 8) and at Corpus Christi College, Oxford, where he was a scholar (1888– 92), taking a first class in classical moderations (1890) and a second in literae humaniores (1892).

In 1884 Allen had accompanied his father on a visit to Gibraltar, Morocco, and Malta for the Anti-Slavery Society; in 1893 he travelled with a pupil in Australia and New Zealand. After returning to Oxford at the end of that year, he won the chancellor's prize for a Latin essay (on the character of Alcibiades) in the summer of 1894. In 1896 he took his MA and became a master at Magdalen College School. Appointed professor of history in the government college at Lahore in 1897, he visited England in the summer of 1898, to marry on 20 September his cousin Helen Mary (1872– 1952), daughter of Arthur John and Agneta Allen, of Chislehurst, where Joseph Allen had built himself a house. They had one child, a daughter, who died at birth in 1906.

The climate of India seriously affected the health of both Allen and his wife, and in 1901 he resigned his Lahore professorship and returned to Oxford, where the rest of the Allens' life was spent.

Initially they were supported by an annual £250 from Allen's father and by small earnings from minor academic and administrative chores; the death of Joseph Allen in 1910 relieved financial pressure. In 1906 a project to make Allen a research fellow of Corpus Christi failed, but in 1908 he was elected to a fellowship of Merton College, which he held until 1924, becoming an honorary fellow in 1925. He filled various college offices, notably that of librarian (1915– 24), bringing order into the college archives and early holdings, as well as publishing Merton Muniments, a facsimile and edition of some of its earliest documents, with his friend H. W. Garrod in 1928 and having a large part in similar publications by others. The fellowship carried no teaching duties, but for many years Allen continued the lectures he had first given in 1906 on the tradition of the classics. In 1924 he was elected president of Corpus Christi College; he retained this office until his death.

Allen's name will always be associated with his masterly edition of the correspondence of Erasmus, *Opus epistolarum Des. Erasmi Roterodami*. His interest in Erasmus dated from 1892 when, immediately after taking his first degree, he competed unsuccessfully for the chancellor's English essay prize. The subject was Erasmus. In 1893– 4 he attended the lectures on the life and letters of Erasmus by James Anthony Froude, who influenced him profoundly: he always maintained that *The Life and Letters* (1894) was better than any other book on Erasmus, and on the day on which Froude died he began to read his *History of England*, which he would never willingly hear disparaged. Allen's first published book was *Selections from the Writings of James Anthony Froude* (1901). His virtually flawless scholarship and his gentle, impartial temper make his admiration for Froude seem paradoxical. But he was a man incapable of paradox and, on the main issues of the Reformation, he believed Froude to have been right.

During his four years in India, Erasmus's correspondence continuously preoccupied Allen. On 22 June 1901 he and his wife were cutting up earlier printings of the letters to form, along with the extensive collections he had made in the Netherlands and Germany between 1893 and 1896, a basis for a new edition. After the Allens' return to Oxford in 1901 they regularly (the 1914– 18 war years excepted) spent spring and summer in European libraries, collating the known material and bringing to light an immense amount of material hitherto unknown. They were aided in 1904 by a small private gift, part of which was spent on a typewriter, and later by modest financial support from the Clarendon Press, which also intervened to allay anxieties about putative rivals. Every letter was copied fair in the library where the manuscript (or the first printed text) was to be found. The copy so made became the 'printer's copy', with no intervening transcript. The proof of each letter was corrected in the library where the original copy had been made. In the decipherment of difficult fifteenth- and sixteenth-century hands Allen had no rival. Nobody knew the texts of the Reformation as well as he; to nobody were the lives of the great and little men of the Reformation so intimately familiar; he knew them and their writings, and anything that anybody else had written about them, at first hand. Ingram Bywater called him 'the most learned man in Oxford' (DNB), and the *Opus epistolarum* is one of the great monuments of English learning.

The first volume in this first critical edition of Erasmus's correspondence appeared in 1906, and the eighth was published posthumously in 1934, with Allen's portrait for a frontispiece and his life by Garrod, in Latin, by way of introduction. Allen had left it to his wife, his collaborator since the beginning, and to Garrod to complete the last three volumes; for these he had collected the materials, but without furnishing commentary and introductions. Volumes 9– 11 appeared between 1938 and 1947; an index compiled by Barbara Flower, completed and edited by Elisabeth Rosenbaum, was published as volume 12 in 1958. Reissued in the 1960s and reprinted entire in 1992, the edition still holds the field unchallenged for accuracy and comprehensiveness. Text apart, 'Allen' is, in its commentary and introductions, 'a treasure-house of unborrowed learning' (DNB), the beginning of a new era in Erasmus scholarship, in which Erasmus is presented, in his own words, fully but sparsely and impartially.

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Moral and historical judgement is left to the reader, who is deemed to share the familiarity of Allen with language, persons, and issues, as well as his affection for Erasmus and his appreciation of Erasmus's situation. The most important single printed source for the intellectual history of western Europe during pre-Reformation and Reformation times, the *Opus epistolarum* contains more than 3100 letters, 1600 of them by Erasmus himself, as against the 1800 in total printed by Jean Leclerc in 1706. Its texts are based almost entirely on known manuscripts, where Leclerc had often to rely on printed texts. Its datings, on which Erasmus chronology often depends, have stood the test of time remarkably: only a handful of finished letters, with a number of drafts, have since come to light. Its commentary (Leclerc had effectively none), though inevitably now dated, is still indispensable. 'Allen' is the starting point for the correspondence, and for much else, in the edition of the complete works of Erasmus in English issued by Toronto University Press (1974– ) and for Toronto's companion biographical register, *Contemporaries of Erasmus* (1985– 7), while in the Amsterdam edition of the complete works in Latin, also in progress, the correspondence has been judged less in need of immediate attention because of 'Allen'.

Besides the *Opus epistolarum*, Allen published his prize essay (1894), some single lectures, a little volume of *Selections from Erasmus* (1908), and eleven lectures in *The Age of Erasmus* (1914). In 1924 he and his wife published jointly *Sir Thomas More: Selections from his English Writings and from the Lives by Erasmus and Roper* (presenting a view of More which, like their view of Erasmus, was somewhat sentimental); and in 1929 they edited the *Letters of Richard Fox, 1486– 1527*, the correspondence of the founder of Corpus. In 1934 there appeared posthumously another volume of Erasmian studies by Allen, *Erasmus: Lectures and Wayfaring Sketches*. One of his services to scholarship was the suggestion to the department of printed books in the British Museum that they should produce a series of short-title catalogues of books published before 1600 in France, Italy, Spain, the Low Countries, and Germany. The first such to be published, of French books, appeared in 1924.

Allen received honorary degrees from the universities of Leiden (1922), Birmingham and Louvain (1927), and Durham (1931); between 1909 and 1930 he became, by invitation, foreign, honorary, or extraordinary member of academies or learned societies in Amsterdam, Antwerp, Ghent, Leiden, and Utrecht; in 1923 he was elected fellow of the British Academy. In 1925 his sense of what was required of the head of a college led him to take his DLitt at Oxford.

Allen was himself an indefatigable letter writer: he wrote easily and copiously, in a minute and precise hand, to family and friends and was prompt in dealing with official correspondence. To Sir Aurel Stein, his closest friend since their meeting at Lahore, he wrote weekly until Stein begged him to write only fortnightly. The selection of letters published in 1939 by Mrs Allen exhibits happily a single-minded scholar of simple tastes, regular habits, personal modesty, care for his friends, and devotion to Erasmus, his works, and his ideals— Allen was a supporter of the League of Nations— a man of moral principle and lovable and saintly character. They give only a superficial impression of his presidency of Corpus Christi, election to which the Allens privately called 'the miracle'. The election process was protracted, and Allen's eventual appointment was controversial among both undergraduates and influential fellows. He was well-meaning and conscientious, but he had neither taste nor aptitude for debate or for university administration. To individual undergraduates he was kind, presenting them all with his edition of the letters written by the founder, Bishop Fox. Yet he and his wife seemed remote and unworldly, entertainments at the lodgings were stiff and for some even painful, and there were embarrassing disciplinary problems. There could be no question, however, that Allen's devotion to the college rested upon a deep knowledge of its origins, and his *Times* obituarist thought that on scholarly grounds he was 'almost the ideal Head of a House'.

Besides his Latin and Greek, Allen had excellent French and German and could converse in Italian, Spanish, Dutch, and Hindustani. Personally frugal though unobtrusively generous and considerate to others, he defined his recreations as foreign travel and bicycling; both were pursued with a degree of hardiness. In youth he had rowed for his college, and he remained supportive of its boat club. Tall and spare, upright and unhurried but unpompous in carriage as in all things, careful in dress, pale in complexion, he wore his dark hair cut short; like his small moustache it greyed in later life. His eyes were hazel and he habitually wore spectacles.

For thirty years Allen occupied seat S8 in Selden End of the Bodleian Library, of which he was a curator from 1913 and a benefactor; from 1915 to 1924 he was a curator of the Indian Institute. He died in the president's lodgings at Corpus Christi, after a protracted illness, on 16 June 1933. After a funeral service on 20 June he was cremated at Reading; his ashes were buried near the altar in Corpus Christi chapel, which, as an Anglican with doctrinal reservations, he believed should be the centre of college life. The P. S. Allen junior research fellowship in history at Corpus Christi was founded by a bequest from his widow. Her own contribution to their scholarly collaboration was acknowledged by several honours: she received honorary doctorates from the universities of Basel (1946) and Amsterdam (1948) and an honorary MA degree from Oxford (1932), and was elected an honorary fellow of St Hilda's College, Oxford (1944).

### J. B. Trapp

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Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as an Erasmus Scholar.
- He was educated at Clifton College in 1882-1888.



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- He was educated at Corpus Christi College, Oxford.

9-**Allen** was born in 1906 and died in 1906.

8-**Catherine Selina Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born in Apr 1874 in Twickenham, London and died in 1952 in Oxford, Oxfordshire at age 78.

7-**Frederic Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 26 Feb 1827 in Coggeshall, Essex, died in 1879 at age 52, and was buried in Chislehurst, Kent.

7-**Emma Elizabeth Allen**<sup>9,49</sup> was born on 14 Jan 1829 in Coggeshall, Essex, died on 12 May 1908 in Stoke Newington, London at age 79, and was buried in Woking Crematorium, Woking, Surrey. (Cremated).

8-**Theodore Beck** was born on 4 Jul 1859, died on 2 Sep 1899 in Simla, Himachal Pradesh, India at age 40, and was buried in Simla, Himachal Pradesh, India.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Trinity College, Cambridge.
- He worked as a Principal MAO College in Aligarh, Uttar Pradesh, India.

9-**Rachel Catharine Molyneux Beck** was born on 11 Jul 1899 in Simla, Himachal Pradesh, India.

8-**Emma Josephine Beck** was born on 13 Dec 1860.

Noted events in her life were:

- She worked as a Hon. Sec. National Indian Association.
- She was awarded with Kaiser-i-Hind Medal.

8-**Elizabeth Beck** was born on 18 Jul 1862.

9-**Josephine Beck Hickson** was born on 29 Dec 1891 in Calcutta, West Bengal, India.

9-**Eric Blandford Hickson** was born on 18 Aug 1893 in Calcutta, West Bengal, India.

9-**Elsa Phillipa Hickson** was born in Apr 1895 in London.

9-**Marcus Beck Hickson** was born on 15 Jan 1897 in Bollington, Manchester.

9-**Arthur Thomas Lister Hickson** was born on 14 Oct 1899 in Bollington, Manchester.

8-**Conrad Beck** was born on 27 Jan 1864 and died on 31 Oct 1944 at age 80.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with CBE PRMS.
- He was educated at Oliver's Mount School in Scarborough, Yorkshire.
- He worked as an Optician with R & J Beck Ltd. In Cornhill, London.
- He had a residence in Kensington, London.

9-**Conrad Joseph Beck** was born on 28 Jul 1896.

9-**Christine Beck** was born on 23 Dec 1899.

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8-**Hannah Beck** was born on 29 Sep 1865.

8-**Joseph Leopold Beck**<sup>9</sup> was born on 29 Aug 1867 in Stoke Newington, London, died on 23 May 1869 in Stoke Newington, London at age 1, and was buried in FBG Stoke Newington.

8-**Alice Beck** was born on 18 Dec 1868.

9-**Stella Shephard** was born on 3 Dec 1906.

9-**Rupert Norman Shephard** was born on 12 Feb 1909.

9-**Dudley Theodore Shephard** was born on 21 Oct 1910.

8-**Horace Courthorpe Beck** was born on 13 Nov 1873.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as an Optician with R & J Beck Ltd.
- He had a residence in King Henry's Road, Chalk Farm, London.

9-**Isabel Flora Beck** was born on 9 Sep 1914.

7-**Arthur John Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 14 Jan 1829 in Coggeshall, Essex and died in 1891 in Chislehurst, Kent at age 62.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Stockbroker & Insurance underwriter in 9 Gracechurch Street, London.
- He worked as a Russian and East Indian merchant, (Silks).

8-**Arthur Louis Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born in 1861 in Stoke Newington, London.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Banker.
- He had a residence in Chislehurst, Kent.

8-**Ernest Satow Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born in 1862 in Stoke Newington, London and died on 3 Jan 1929 in The Westcliffe Hotel, Sidmouth, Devon at age 67.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Stockbroker.

8-**Reginald Satow Allen** was born on 29 Jan 1864 in Stoke Newington, London.<sup>6</sup>

General Notes: After his divorce, he travelled to Argentina and upon his return, settled back in London

Noted events in his life were:

- He had a residence in 1920 in 20 Victoria Square, London.

8-**Margaret Satow Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born in 1865 in Stoke Newington, London and died on 5 Jan 1942 in Green Cottage, Boar's Hill, Oxford, Oxfordshire at age 77.

9-**Mary Dannel**<sup>6</sup> was born on 20 Dec 1900 in Westminster, London and died on 11 Feb 1987 in Cirencester, Gloucestershire at age 86.

8-**Evelyn Satow Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 25 Dec 1866 in Stoke Newington, London.

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8-**David Hugonin Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 25 Feb 1868 in Stoke Newington, London and died on 26 Feb 1936 in 10 Victoria Parade, Deal, Kent at age 68.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Stock jobber.

8-**Lt. Col. Basil Copleston Allen**<sup>6,54</sup> was born in Jul 1870 in Stoke Newington, London and died on 22 Sep 1935 in 20 Devonshire Place, Marylebone, London at age 65.

General Notes: Pulin Behari Das masterminded the plot to eliminate Basil Copleston Allen, the erstwhile District Magistrate of Dhaka. On 23 December 1907, when Mr. Allen was on his way back to England, he was shot through his body at the Goalundo railway station but he narrowly escaped with his life

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with CSI.
- He worked as a District Commissioner in Assam, India.
- He worked as an officer of the Eastern Bengal Volunteer Rifles in 1905-1911.

9-**William Terence Allen**<sup>6,54</sup> was born on 27 Oct 1903 in Ealing, London.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at South Lodge Preparatory School in 1911 in Enfield Chase, East Barnet Road, Enfield, Middlesex.

8-**Helen Mary Allen**<sup>7</sup> was born in Jan 1872 in Stoke Newington, London and died in 1952 in Oxford, Oxfordshire at age 80.

Noted events in her life were:

- She worked as an Erasmus scholar.

9-**Allen** was born in 1906 and died in 1906.

8-**Olga Lucy Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 17 Dec 1874 in Stoke Newington, London and died on 15 Apr 1940 in 22 Manor Place, Oxford, Oxfordshire at age 65.

### 7-William Allen

7-**Lewis Philip Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 4 Feb 1834 in Coggeshall, Essex, died on 21 Feb 1895 in Crowborough, Sussex at age 61, and was buried in Chislehurst, Kent.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Ship and Insurance Brokers and Merchant in 9 Gracechurch Street, London.

6-**Lewis Allen**<sup>3,6</sup> was born on 3 Oct 1793 in Ratcliffe, Stepney, London, died on 8 Nov 1847 in 9 Albion Terrace, Stoke Newington, London at age 54, and was buried in FBG Stoke Newington.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Isaac Payne's School in Epping, Essex.
- He worked as a Brewer in London.
- He worked as a Tanner in Coggeshall, Essex.

6-**Ann Allen**<sup>3,6,55</sup> was born in 1795, died on 10 Mar 1877 in 9 Albion Terrace, Stoke Newington, London at age 82, and was buried on 15 Mar 1877 in FBG Stoke Newington.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at Alton in Alton, Hampshire.

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4-**Job Allen**<sup>2,6,9,56,57,58,59,60,61</sup> was born in 1734, was christened on 15 Oct 1734, and died in 1800 at age 66.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was baptized on 15 Oct 1730.
- He worked as a Silk Weaver in Steward Street, Spitalfields, London.
- He was a Quaker by Convincement.

5-**William Allen**<sup>2,6,56,57,59,60,61,62,63,64,65</sup> was born on 29 Aug 1770 in Steward Street, Spitalfields, London, died on 30 Dec 1843 in Lindfield, Sussex at age 73, and was buried in FBG Stoke Newington.

General Notes: FRS. FLS. English scientist and philanthropist who opposed slavery and engaged in schemes of social and penal improvement in early nineteenth century England.

Features in the painting of The Anti-Slavery Society Convention, 1840, by Benjamin Robert Haydon

He became a partner in the Plough Court Pharmacy established by Silvanus and Timothy Bevan. When Timothy Bevan's son Joseph Gurney Bevan retired, Samuel Mildred took over and the business was styled Mildred & Allen, when William Allen joined the business. Luke Howard joined the business, though the partnership was dissolved in 1806. William became the dominant partner and through his marriage to Charlotte Hanbury, the Hanbury family took a controlling interest. Henceforth, the business was styled Allen & Hanburys.

Founded the Newington Academy for Girls.. in which he was helped by his neighbour, John William Freshfield.

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Allen, William (1770– 1843), philanthropist and scientist, was born on 29 August 1770 at Stewart Street, the Old Artillery Ground, Spitalfields, London, the eldest of the six sons of Job Allen (1734– 1800) and his wife, Margaret Stafford (d. 1830). His father, a silk manufacturer, was a member of the Society of Friends. William Allen grew up, and remained, a committed Friend, and became a leading member of the Gracechurch Street meeting. After going to a Quaker boarding-school at Rochester for a brief period, he was employed in his father's business; but his interest in chemistry led him to enter J. G. Bevan's chemical establishment at Plough Court. On Bevan's retirement in 1795 he took over the business and opened a laboratory at Plaistow. He later formed a partnership with his second wife's two nephews (Messrs Allen and Hanbury). His position enabled him to make many scientific experiments, and he associated with like-minded friends, including the surgeon Astley Paston Cooper, in the Askesian Society. He gave lectures to his fellow members at Plough Court, and became a fellow of the Linnean Society in 1801 and of the Royal Society in 1807. He was appointed lecturer at Guy's Hospital in 1802, and lectured there until 1826. At the request of his friend Humphry Davy he also lectured at the Royal Institution.

Allen's interests, however, moved from science to philanthropy. He had been interested from childhood in the anti-slavery campaign; in 1794 Thomas Clarkson became his friend, and both he and Wilberforce remained close friends throughout Allen's life. On the abolition of the slave trade in 1807, Allen became an active member of the African Institution, and shared in the agitation for the abolition of black slavery in Sierra Leone and the West Indies. He was equally active in promoting education and was a member of the committee formed in 1808 for the support of Joseph Lancaster, the founder of the monitorial school at Borough Road, Southwark, which in 1814 became the British and Foreign School Society. Allen was its treasurer and steady supporter. Under his guidance, the committee paid Lancaster's debts, pruned the monitorial institution at Borough Road of extravagances, set up an enlarged committee to raise subscriptions, warded off the challenge of the Anglican National Society, and, after more extravagances and indiscretions, ousted Lancaster from control of the institution. Allen played a leading part in the production of the British Society's teaching manual and wrote the preface to Scripture Lessons (1820, based on extracts from the Bible), which was for many years the only permitted reading book in British Society schools. The controversy between Lancaster and Andrew Bell, mainly over their respective roles in monitorial education, was one of the topics of The Philanthropist, a quarterly journal which Allen started in 1811 and maintained until 1817, and in which many other social reforms were discussed. James Mill was his chief contributor, and their friendly relations were initially undisturbed by radical religious differences.

In 1814, Allen, with Jeremy Bentham, Robert Owen, and four other partners, bought the New Lanark mills from Owen's previous partners in order to establish a model industrial community. Differences arose over the issue of management; in 1824, Allen— who was alarmed by Owen's avowed atheism— succeeded in enforcing biblical instruction in the New Lanark schools, and in banning the teaching of singing, dancing, and drawing. Owen consequently withdrew from the management and gave up his partnership in 1829, though Allen retained his interest until 1835. Allen was generally admired but Owen considered him narrow-minded and 'a very bustling, meddling character' (Owen, 95, 141), though anxious to do good in his own way. He thought that familiarity with great men had turned the worthy Quaker's head. However unkind this conclusion may seem, it is undeniable that Allen was moving in exalted circles. The duke of Kent was interested in both Owen's and Lancaster's schemes, and served as chairman of the committee appointed to look into Lancaster's muddled affairs. His own financial situation had become embarrassed, and Allen undertook to act as trustee for his estates; the duke consented to live upon a fixed allowance until his debts were discharged. Allen continued to act until the duke's death and the final settlement of his affairs. When the allied sovereigns visited England in 1814, Alexander I of Russia was introduced to Allen as a model Quaker. The tsar attended a Quaker meeting and visited Friends' houses, and evidently regarded Allen with considerable respect and sympathy.

In August 1818 Allen left England on a tour: after travelling through Sweden and Finland to Russia, he visited Alexander at St Petersburg, then moved to Moscow and Odessa. He reached Constantinople in July 1819, and returned by the Greek islands, Italy, and France to England in February 1820. In 1822 he went to Vienna to see Alexander again, chiefly in a vain attempt to obtain a declaration from the powers that the slave trade should be piracy. The tsar and Quaker parted, after several interviews, with prayers and embraces. Allen made other journeys to the continent in 1816, 1832, and 1833, when he examined schools, prisons, and social institutions. In interviews with statesmen and rulers, including the crown prince of Prussia, the king of Bavaria, and the king and queen of Spain, he encouraged them to adopt his ideas for reforms. In Britain he took an interest in many philanthropic causes: he promoted schools and district visiting societies, and gave evidence on the education of the poor to two parliamentary select committees. He also campaigned for the abolition of capital punishment and the protection of the Greeks, corresponding with the duke of Wellington and other political leaders. In 1841 he was appointed president of the Pharmaceutical Society's council. His chief interest in later years was in an 'agricultural colony' with industrial schools, which he helped to found at Lindfield in Sussex, and which he frequently visited to superintend its working.

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Allen married, in 1796, Mary Hamilton (b. 1771), who died ten months later; she left a daughter, who in 1822 married Cornelius Hanbury, and herself died in 1823 after the birth of a son. Allen married again in 1806; his second wife was Charlotte Hanbury (b. 1762), who died in 1816. In 1827 he married Grizell Birkbeck, née Hoare (b. 1757), who died in 1835. Allen himself died on 30 December 1843 at Lindfield, and was buried in the Quaker burial-ground, Stoke Newington.

Leslie Stephen, 'Allen, William (1770– 1843)', rev. G. F. Bartle, Oxford Dictionary of National Biography, Oxford University Press, 2004 [<http://www.oxforddnb.com/view/article/392>, accessed 13 May 2013]

William Allen (1770– 1843): doi:10.1093/ref:odnb/392

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with FRS FLS FRHS etc.
- He was educated at Friend's School, Boley Hill in Rochester, Kent.
- He worked as a Silk weaver of Spitalfields, London.
- He worked as a Pharmaceutical Chemist of Plough Court, London. From 1793.
- He worked as a Founding member of The Peace Society.
- Miscellaneous: Executor to the Duke of Kent's estate, of whom he was a friend.
- He worked as a Quaker Minister.

6-**Mary Allen**<sup>66,67</sup> was born in Sep 1797 in London and died on 17 May 1823 at age 25.

7-**William Allen Hanbury**<sup>6</sup> was born on 7 May 1823 in Plough Court, Lombard Street, London and died in 1898 at age 75.

8-**Adelbert William Allen Hanbury**<sup>6</sup> was born in 1863.

5-**Samuel Allen**<sup>4,9,62,70,71</sup> was born on 15 Nov 1771 in Steward Street, Spitalfields, London, died on 22 Oct 1868 in Hitchin, Hertfordshire at age 96, and was buried in FBG Hitchin, Hertfordshire.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Mealman in Woodham Walter, Maldon, Essex.
- He worked as a Quaker minister.

6-**Joshua Allen**<sup>4,14,72,73,74</sup> was born on 18 Feb 1805 in Hoe Mill, Witham, Essex and died on 25 Feb 1853 in Chelmsford, Essex at age 48.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Farmer and Cattler dealer in Great Wymondley, Hertfordshire.

7-**Margaret Allen** was born on 28 Mar 1832 in Leighton Buzzard, Bedfordshire, died on 21 May 1832 in Leighton Buzzard, Bedfordshire, and was buried 27 may fbg leighton b in FBG Leighton Buzzard.

7-**Joseph Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 29 Sep 1836.

Noted events in his life were:

- He had a residence in Ampthill, Bedfordshire.

8-**George Edward Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born in 1870.

9-**Dorothy Marguerite Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born in 1892 and died in 1977 in Sudbury, Suffolk at age 85.

9-**Catherine Grace Mary Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 4 Jan 1900 in Tredegar, Monmouthshire, Wales, was christened on 8 May 1900 in Ampthill, Bedfordshire, and died in 1977 in Ripon, Yorkshire at age 77.

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10-**David Glynn Piggott** was born in 1936 in Sheffield, Yorkshire and died on 14 Jan 2010 at age 74.

10-**Piggott**

9-**Margaret Louise Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 13 Aug 1902 in Tredegar, Monmouthshire, Wales and died in 1983 in London at age 81.

9-**Beryl Lettice Allen**<sup>74</sup> was born in 1907 in Tredegar, Monmouthshire, Wales and died in 1998 in Sherborne, Dorset at age 91.

10-**Lorna Margaret Hussey**

10-**Coline Edward James Hussey**

8-**Catharine Maud Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born in 1871 in Ampthill, Bedfordshire and died in 1942 in Bedford, Bedfordshire at age 71.

9-**Stella Tysoe Sharp**<sup>74</sup> was born in 1897 in Ampthill, Bedfordshire.

9-**George Myhill Sharp** was born in 1903 in Ampthill, Bedfordshire.

9-**Malcolm Allen Sharp** was born in 1904 in Ampthill, Bedfordshire.

9-**Doris Nina Sharp** was born in 1908 in Clophill, Bedfordshire.

9-**Catherine Maud Sharp** was born in 1910 in Potton, Bedfordshire.

8-**Gertrude Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born in 1873 and died in 1899 at age 26.

8-**Francis Joseph Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born in Dec 1874 in Ampthill, Bedfordshire, died on 25 Feb 1956 in Dersingham, Norfolk at age 81, and was buried in Dersingham, Norfolk.

9-**Gertrude May Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 26 Oct 1901 in Thingoe, Suffolk, was christened on 1 Jan 1902 in Ampthill, Bedfordshire, and died in 1981 in King's Lynn, Norfolk at age 80.

General Notes: She was a Governess and in the mid 1960s was governess to Lady Diana Spencer (later the Princess of Wales), when Diana was a young child at Park House, Sandringham, Norfolk. Rosalind Coward in her biography of the Princess of Wales wrote "*Like her older siblings, Diana was initially taught at home by a governess, Gertrude Allen, who had also taught her mother and other local children*". Park House one might describe as the Dower house for Sandringham House but was no longer needed by the Royal family. Gertrude was not the only Allen connection between Park House and the Allen family, as, when Francis Allen of Cockley Cley Hall, Norfolk died in 1926, his widow, Dorothy Allen, sold the estate as the house anyway was too large for her needs. Park House was vacant at the time and so, when she applied to the Royal Authorities, they considered her a suitable person so leased it to her. About 5 years later, she was having tea with Lady Fermoy who mentioned they were looking for a house in the area. Dorothy had just got engaged again and said 'what about Park House as she would be leaving on marriage'. The Fermoy's did take over the lease. They were maternal Grandparents of the future Princess of Wales and it was through them that the Spencers were in Park House.

*Notes courtesy of Anthony Allen (2015)*

9-**Lieut. Col. George Cecil Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 22 Jan 1909 in Long Melford, Suffolk and died in Nov 1989 in Slingsby, Yorkshire at age 80.

General Notes: George entered his father's light engineering business and was an officer in the Territorial Royal Artillery pre-war. Mobilised he saw action commanding an Anti-tank battery in North Africa before being selected, on account of his engineering background, to join the newly created Royal Electrical & Mechanical Engineers (REME). He served on after the war with postings to Singapore and Nigeria, reaching the rank of Lt Col; he continued to serve as a retired officer at Strensall.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as an Engineer.
- He worked as an officer of the Royal Electrical and Mechanical Engineers.

10-**Lieut. Cmdr. David Cecil Allen RN** was born on 31 Oct 1935 in Tollard Royal, Salisbury, Wiltshire and died on 21 Nov 2013 in Salisbury, Wiltshire at age 78.

General Notes: ALLEN David Cecil Lt. Commander RN Died peacefully on 21st November 2013, aged 78 years. Much loved husband of Rosemary, father of Timothy, Catherine, Nicholas and William and grandfather of George, Harriet, Henrietta, Louis and Ned. Service of Thanksgiving to be held at Salisbury Cathedral at a date and time to be announced. Donations to Salisbury Hospice

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Charity c/o I. N. Newman Ltd, 55 Winchester Street, Salisbury, SP1 1HL.

Noted events in his life were:

- Death Notice: Salisbury Journal, 28 Nov 2013.

**10-Adrian Christopher Bakewell Allen**

**10-Jonathan Joseph Allen**

**9-John Barringer Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 12 Jul 1911 in Bury St Edmunds, Suffolk and died on 1 Mar 2008 in Martin, Wiltshire at age 96.

**10-Ian Gordon Allen**

**11-Mark Barringer-Allen**

**12-William Barringer-Allen**

**11-Dominic Barringer-Allen**

**10-Jennifer Jane Allen**

**11-Anna Jane Marsh**

**11-Oliver John Marsh**

**9-Peter Myhill Allen**<sup>76</sup> was born on 28 Aug 1922 and died on 4 Jan 1983 in Perwez, Belgium at age 60.

General Notes: G'day again Charles

As you can see from the email below, Peter died in 1983 in Perwez. Given Belgian privacy laws, you won't get a death certificate without his son's say so, but an email from the Mayor's secretary is certainly good enough for the family tree.

Steven in London will now file an FOI request so hopefully Peter's SOE PF will be opened some time in the new year.

Thanks again for your help and wishing you all the best

David

**From:** [Nathalie Michielsens](#)

**Sent:** Tuesday, December 15, 2015 4:42 PM

**To:** [David Armstrong](#)

**Cc:** [Michel Ruelle](#) ; [Marie-Paule Lorge](#)

**Subject:** RE: Peter Myhill Allen (né 28th Aug 1922) & Thérèse Verbist (1926-2011)

Dear David AMSTRONG,

Mr. Peter Myhill ALLEN husband of Thérèse VERBIST died in Perwez 4 January 1983.

We hope to have helped you in your research.

Merry Christmas

*Nathalie Jauquet-Michielsens*

*Secrétariat du Bourgmestre*

*Communication*

*Tél. : 081/64 92 56*

*Fax : 081/65 74 42*

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Trained as a member of the SOE. (Special Operations Executive).

**10-Patrick Allen**

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### 11-Maureen Allen

12-Peter Allen Somville

12-Anthony Allen Somville

12-Benjamin Allen Somville

12-Ganaelle Allen Somville

12-Valentine Allen Somville

12-Celia Allen Somville

### 11-Valerie Allen

12-Emlyn Allen Delooz

12-Edwyn Allen Delooz

7-Margaret Allen<sup>4,6,77</sup> was born in 1837 in Much Wymondley, Hertfordshire and died in 1917 at age 80.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was a Quaker.

8-Margaret Wells<sup>4,26,78,79</sup> was born on 17 Jan 1869 in Isham, Kettering, Northamptonshire and died in 1937 at age 68.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at Ackworth School in 1879-1883.

9-Helen Thursfield<sup>4,79</sup> was born on 30 Aug 1905 in Kettering, Northamptonshire.

General Notes: THURSFIELD.-On the 30th August, 1905, at Kettering, Margaret, wife of John Henry Thursfield (1883-5), a daughter, who was named Helen.

8-James Allen Wells<sup>4</sup> was born on 19 Mar 1870 in Isham, Kettering, Northamptonshire and died on 21 Nov 1941 in Kettering, Northamptonshire at age 71.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Ackworth School in 1881-1885.
- He worked as an apprenticed to Henry Stanley Newman in Leominster, Herefordshire.
- He worked as a Grocer in Kettering, Northamptonshire.

8-Mabel Wells<sup>4,6,77</sup> was born on 26 Jul 1872 in Isham, Kettering, Northamptonshire (27th also given).

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at Ackworth School in 1883-1887.
- She was educated at Sidcot School in 1887-1889.
- She was educated at The Mount School in Aug 1889-Jun 1890 in York, Yorkshire.
- She was a Quaker.



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8-**Hubert Wells**<sup>4</sup> was born on 22 Mar 1874 in Isham, Kettering, Northamptonshire and died on 29 Aug 1948 at age 74.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Ackworth School in 1885-1889.
- He worked as an apprentice to Stretch & Harlock in Nantwich, Cheshire.
- He worked as a Draper. Maybe with Wilson, Jesper & Co.
- He worked as a Farmer in 1931.

8-**Priscilla Wallis Wells**<sup>4</sup> was born on 15 Apr 1876.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at Friends' School, Saffron Walden.

8-**Mary Sophia Wells**<sup>4,6</sup> was born on 10 Aug 1877 and died in 1951 at age 74.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at Ackworth School in 1888-1893.
- She was educated at The Mount School in Sep 1896-Jul 1898 in York, Yorkshire.
- She worked as a Teacher, Penketh School in Penketh, Warrington, Cheshire.
- She worked as a Headmistress of Ayton School 1902 To 1938 in Great Ayton, Yorkshire.

7-**Lucy Ann Allen** was born in 1840 in Much Wymondley, Hertfordshire.

8-**Walter Allen Lucas** was born on 20 Jul 1866.

8-**George Redman Lucas** was born on 25 Nov 1867.

8-**Ida Mary Lucas** was born in 1869 and died on 25 Oct 1965 in Letchworth, Hertfordshire at age 96.

8-**Harold Lucas** was born on 14 Apr 1871.

8-**Leonard Lucas** was born on 10 Oct 1873.

Noted events in his life were:

- He had a residence in Royston, Hertfordshire.

8-**Arthur Burley Lucas**<sup>83</sup> was born on 11 Apr 1876.

General Notes: NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned, Frederic George Painter, Stephen Tryon, Frank Newton Tribe, Ernest Newton Tribe, and Arthur Burley Lucas, carrying on business as Charterer! Accountants, at 19, Coleman-street, in the city of London, under the style or firm of " TRIBE, CLARKE, PAINTER AND CO.," has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the thirty-first day of December, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, so far as the said Frederic George Painter is concerned. All debts due and owing to or by the said late firm will be received or paid by the said Stephen Tryon, Frank Newton Tribe, Ernest Newton Tribe, and Arthur Burley Lucas, who will carry on the said business in the future with Edmund Wylde Lean,

under the same style.'97As witness our hands this sixth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

FRED. G. PAINTER.

ARTHUR B. LUCAS.

S. TRYON.

F. N. TRIBE.

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E. N. TRIBE.  
EDMUND W. LEAN

Note that Edmund Wylde Lean was uncle to the film director, Sir David Lean, and father to Isobel, David's first cousin and first wife.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as an Accountant and partner in Tribe, Clarke, Painter & Co. In 19 Coleman Street, London.

7-**Lucas Allen** was born on 25 Apr 1843 in Hitchin, Hertfordshire.

7-**George Redman Allen**<sup>73</sup> was born on 4 Aug 1845 in Northampton, Northamptonshire and died on 31 Jan 1864 in Chelmsford, Essex at age 18.

7-**Phoebe Sophia Allen**<sup>14</sup> was born on 3 Nov 1848 in Hulme, Manchester and died on 24 May 1867 in Chelmsford, Essex at age 18.

6-**Stafford Allen**<sup>4,22,23,37,57,58,62,70,88,89</sup> was born on 13 May 1806 in Hoe Mill, Witham, Essex, died on 14 Oct 1889 in "Parkfield", Upper Clapton, London. (11th also given) at age 83, and was buried in FBG Stoke Newington.

General Notes: Features in the painting of The Anti-Slavery Society Convention, 1840, by Benjamin Robert Haydon.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Miller in Amersham, Buckinghamshire.
- He worked as a Manufacturing chemist in 1833 in Cowper Street, Finsbury, London.
- He worked as an Anti-slavery supporter.
- He worked as a Secretary of the Royal British Institution.
- He had a residence in 1845 in Charles Square, London.
- He had a residence about 1850 in Paradise Row, Stoke Newington, London.

7-**Samuel Stafford Allen**<sup>6,10,88</sup> was born on 6 Sep 1840 in 7 Cowper Street, London and died on 26 Apr 1870 in Ramleh, Alexandria, Egypt at age 29.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1854-1856 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as an Engineer. Allen, Alderson & Co. In Ramleh, Alexandria, Egypt.

8-**Eveline Lloyd Allen** was born on 12 Jul 1869.

9-**Daisy Elspeth Hemprich** was born in 1894 and died in 1925 at age 31.

9-**Evelyn Stafford Hemprich** was born in 1898 and died in 1989 at age 91.

9-**Dorothea Muriel Hemprich** was born in 1900 and died in 1981 at age 81.

9-**Ursula Hemprich** was born in 1903 and died in 1996 at age 93.

9-**Wiltruda Hemprich** was born in 1904 and died in 1904.

8-**Margaret Stafford Allen** was born in 1870.

7-**Edward Ransome Allen**<sup>58,88,92</sup> was born on 17 Nov 1841 in 7 Cowper Street, Finsbury, London and died on 6 Dec 1916 in Stoke Newington, London at age 75.

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General Notes: Edward Ransome Allen 75 G 12 1910 Stoke Newington. An Elder. Edward Ransome Allen bore two names honoured in the annals of the Society, but known far beyond its limits, and he bore them worthily. His great-grandfather, Job Allen, baptised 1734, silk-weaver of Steward Street, Spitalfields, joined the Society, and married Margaret Stafford, whose grandfather, Walter Stafford, joined at a much earlier date. On his mother's side he was descended from Richard and Phoebe Ransom, of North Walsham, Norfolk, of whom, Richard was "convinced of truth" about 1676, and for some fifteen years suffered imprisonment for conscience' sake. From this worthy couple are descended the Ransoms of Hitchin, the elder branch, and the Ransomes of Ipswich. Edward R. Allen was born in 1841, at 7 Cowper Street, Finsbury, a house adjoining his father's business premises, being the second son of Stafford and Hannah Hunter Allen, better known amongst Friends as Hannah Stafford Allen. To the early training of such parentage as theirs he owed much that contributed to his useful career as citizen and Friend. The family moved from Cowper Street to Charles Square in 1845, and to Stoke Newington four or five years later, being amongst the pioneers in that great wave of migration from the business portions of the city of London which continued with ever increasing volume during the later decades of the nineteenth century. From infancy, therefore, E. R. Allen has been associated with London and Middlesex Quarterly Meeting, and, with the exception of a few years spent in schooldays at Folkestone and Bootham, and as an apprentice at Ipswich, has resided within the "compass" of Devonshire House Monthly Meeting. On his 23rd anniversary he was married to Ellen, second daughter of John Dawson and Ann Watlock, of Wandsworth, who survives him; they celebrated their Golden Wedding in 1914. All his life after his Ipswich apprenticeship, over fifty-five and a half years, he was associated with the business of Stafford Allen & Sons, of Cowper Street, drug grinders, now Stafford Allen & Sons, Ltd., manufacturing chemists, of which Company he was Chairman at the time of his decease, actively participating in its interests, it may be said of him that he was "not slothful in business, fervent in spirit, serving the Lord." Nevertheless he was no recluse, not allowing neither his business cares or his inner life to deter him from rational enjoyment of other pursuits and recreations. He was keen in his enjoyment of nature, and found to a large extent in his own country the fascination which "many seek beyond seas. Both rod and gun had their attraction, and he was a cyclist from the early days of the "boneshaker" until recent years, when a modern "free-wheel" proved useful in the visitation of Meetings. His work for the Society extended over a long period, during which he gave valuable help to his Monthly and Quarterly Meetings, acting as Clerk of the latter for several years. In the engagements of Committees of these Meetings, for which he very frequently acted as clerk, as also in the administration of their Trusts and Trust Property, he took a very active share, one might say up to the last, being in consultation about some of them within two or three days of his decease. To all these, and to the consideration of the affairs of the Church, he brought a valuable business experience combined with a wise and cautious conservatism in days in which events move with a rapidity unknown to our forefathers. As an Overseer of many years' standing, he entered sympathetically into matters requiring judgment and delicate handling; qualifications invaluable in the discharge of the duties of Elder or Overseer. As an Elder of much experience his judgment was weighty, and he was fully conscious of the responsibility of the office. Thus has one more of the roll of good and honest men passed to his rest, leaving behind him the memory of a well-spent life. The Friend.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Folkestone school in Folkestone, Kent.
- He was educated at Bootham School in 1854-1857 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as an apprenticed in Ipswich.
- He worked as a Pharmaceutical Chemist. Stafford Allen & Sons. In Cowper Street, Finsbury, London.
- He worked as a Quaker Elder.

8-**Mary Ellen Allen**<sup>93</sup> was born on 6 Aug 1865 in Milton Road, Stoke Newington, London and died on 5 May 1959 in Lancaster, Lancashire at age 93.

9-**Joyce Mary Baker** was born on 13 Jun 1894 in Hackney, London and died on 2 Apr 1985 in Milnthorpe, Cumbria at age 90.

Noted events in her life were:

- She worked as a Teacher of the blind.

9-**Edward William Allen Baker** was born on 2 May 1896 in Hackney, London, died on 1 Dec 1961 in Lancaster, Lancashire at age 65, and was buried in FBG Yealand.

10-**Wilfred Allen Baker** was born on 14 Oct 1920 in Redhill, Reigate, Surrey, died on 6 Sep 2011 in Leighton Hospital, Crewe, Cheshire at age 90, and was buried in St. Michael's Church, Baddiley, Cheshire.

10-**Douglas Allen Baker** was born on 13 Jan 1922 in Coldharbour Farm, Bletchingley, Surrey and died on 26 Feb 1994 in Tummel Bridge, Perthshire at age 72.

11-**Andrew Robin Baker**

10-**Ernest William Allen Baker** was born on 26 Sep 1923 in Coldharbour Farm, Bletchingley, Surrey and died on 15 Sep 2005 in Lancaster, Lancashire at age 81.

11-**Nicholas Michael Baker**

11-**Simon Patrick Baker**

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10-Mary Phyllis Baker

10-Joan Margaret Baker

9-Eileen Margaret Allen Baker was born on 8 Dec 1901 in Hackney, London and died on 13 Nov 1992 at age 90.

Noted events in her life were:

- She worked as a Nurse.

10-Lucy Margaret Fraser-Smith

11-Suzanne Elizabeth Brown

11-Timothy David Peter Brown

8-Edward Watlock Allen<sup>79,97,98,99</sup> was born on 24 May 1867 in Milton Road, Stoke Newington, London and died on 30 Jan 1946 in Southbourne, Bournemouth, Dorset at age 78.

General Notes: Allen.-On 30th January, 1946, at his home at Southbourne, Bournemouth, Edward Watlock Allen (1881-86), aged 78 years

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1881-1886 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as a Manufacturing Chemist in London.

9-John Watlock Allen was born on 7 Mar 1893 in South Hornsey, London and died in 1971 in Worth Valley, Yorkshire at age 78.

10-Stuart Bolton Allen<sup>6</sup> was born in 1920 in Hampstead, London and died on 12 Jun 1976 in Collaroy, New South Wales, Australia at age 56.

Noted events in his life were:

- He emigrated to Australia.

10-Pelham Bolton Allen<sup>6</sup> was born in 1923 in Hampstead, London and died on 15 Feb 1945 in North Walsham, Norfolk at age 22.

General Notes: Pelham Bolton ALLEN      Service number 1512540

Born: 1923                      Died: January 30th 1946

Pelham was born in Hampstead early in 1923.

He was educated at Ackworth and Matriculated in 1941. He was up at Christ Church for a year. In the summer of 1944, he married at Scunthorpe, Annis T Pilkington. He was a Flight Sergeant Pilot in the Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, 124 Baroda Squadron when he was killed near North Walsham on February 15th 1945. He is commemorated on Panel 6 at Manchester Crematorium. His mother wrote to the college on January 30th 1946.

The 177 casualties of the 1939-1945 War who were cremated in Manchester are commemorated on the memorial screen wall which stands in the 1939-1945 War Graves Plot, in nearby Manchester (Southern) Cemetery.

### 124 Baroda Squadron

From April to September 1939, 124 Squadron was allocated a squadron code but the squadron was not stood up. The squadron eventually reformed in 1941 as a fighter unit equipped with Spitfires stationed at RAF Castletown to provide air defence for Scapa Flow. It was then moved to RAF Biggin Hill operating several variants of the Spitfire on bomber escort and high altitude reconnaissance duties.

<http://www.chch.ox.ac.uk/cathedral/memorials/WW2/pelham-allen>

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Ackworth School.
- He was educated at Christ Church, Oxford.
- He worked as a Flight Sergeant Pilot. RAFVR. 124 Baroda Squadron.

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### 10-Rupert Bolton Allen

9-**Philip Watlock Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 11 Jul 1895 in South Hornsey, London and died in 1971 in Yorkshire at age 76.

General Notes: He moved to Toronto, Ontario, Canada and worked as a Drug Salesman. On 28 Nov 1914, he signed up for the Canadian Overseas Expeditionary Force to fight in WW1. He returned to Canada at the end of the war as he got married and continued to work until retirement. He and Lillian, his wife, sailed from Quebec on the "s.s. Empress of Australia" and landed at Liverpool on 14 Dec 1955. (On the ship's register he is shown as a Retired Civil Servant).

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Drug salesman in Toronto, Ontario, Canada.
- He worked as a member of the Canadian Over-seas Expeditionary Force on 28 Nov 1914.

### 10-Edward Lewis Allen

### 10-Charles Philip Allen

### 10-Josephine Elizabeth Allen

9-**Ruth Watlock Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 11 Aug 1898 in South Hornsey, London and died in 1978 in Southampton, Hampshire at age 80.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at The Mount School in Sep 1913-Jul 1915 in York, Yorkshire.

9-**David Watlock Allen**<sup>6,26,79</sup> was born on 31 Aug 1905 in Finsbury Park, London and died in 1984 at age 79.

General Notes: ALLEN.-On the 31st August, 1905, at Finsbury Park, London, Edith Isabel, wife of E. Watlock Allen (1881-4), a son, who was named David Watlock.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1920-1922 in York, Yorkshire.

8-**Hannah Mabel Allen**<sup>103</sup> was born in 1869 in Stoke Newington, London and died in 1920 at age 51.

9-**Bertram Allen Carr**<sup>103</sup> was born in 1898 and died in 1899 at age 1.

9-**Eleanor Mabel Allen Carr**<sup>26,103,105,106,107</sup> was born in Jun 1900 and died in 1967 at age 67.

Noted events in her life were:

- She had a residence in Codsall, Staffordshire.

### 10-Elizabeth Carr

### 10-Mary Carr

### 10-Elizabeth Carr

9-**Beryl Kitching Carr**<sup>6,103</sup> was born in Sep 1901 in Carlisle, Cumbria and died on 30 May 1960 in Warwick Square Nursing Home, Carlisle, Cumbria at age 58.

10-**Michael Henry Latimer**<sup>6,103</sup> was born on 24 Mar 1927 in Edmonton, London and died on 25 Sep 1984 in Carlisle, Cumbria at age 57.

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Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a member of Carr & Co. Ltd. In Carlisle, Cumbria.

**10-Courtenay Allen Latimer**<sup>103</sup> was born on 9 Oct 1929 in Edmonton, London and died on 12 Sep 2011 in Woodbridge, Suffolk at age 81.

General Notes: *The late journalist, Jeffrey Bernard, writing in The Spectator of the 14th June 1985, had this to say of "Corky" Latimer.*

But after Derby Day you may imagine my shock, horror and the pallor of my tight-lipped face when I read that letter in last week's Spectator from Corky Latimer ticking me off for having written that our old school, the Nautical College Pangbourne, was 'awful' or 'ghastly'. Well, it was for me. Corky was, I believe, a cadet captain as opposed to a mere cadet so he had some privileges and he had the advantage of having a brain. With no rank and no brain until I was 16 everywhere but everywhere was awful and ghastly, and I include home. And Corky writing that four of our contemporaries are now admirals completely boggles my mind. I shudder to think that they might be any of the four boys who used to smoke cigarettes with me in the woods on Saturday afternoons and who had masturbation races in the dormitories. This could be very bad for a company like Cunard if it gets out. But we have survived, I suppose. That nutcase Ken Russell went to Pangbourne as did Beverley Cross the writer, who caned me once for reading a novel during prep. I remember it was Somerset Maugham. But my fondest memory of Pangbourne was getting 12 cuts for uttering a four-letter word beginning with F and it wasn't 'food'. It still makes me twitch to think about it. Sociologists will be surprised to know that it didn't do me any good. In fact it was probably that experience which makes me so rude to editors and policemen of all sorts. But, dear Corky, you shouldn't have implied that readers are not allowed to complain about me. They do all the time and make yourself at home in this respect at any time you like.

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*The Old Pangbournian Society in an obituary, were somewhat more circumspect.*

"Courtenay Latimer (43-47) died suddenly on 12 September, 2011, aged 78.

Known as Corky, he enjoyed his time at the NCP and left Pangbourne to do his national service in the Army, writes Lionel Stephens. Commissioned into the Royal Army Service Corps, Courtenay hoped that his love of boats and his nautical background would enable him to join Water Transport. Instead he was sent to Berlin where he was put in charge of the Havel Water Base during the vital Berlin Airlift of 1948-49. Late in life he published a detailed account of this episode in a book facetiously titled "My Struggle with Joseph Stalin."

After national service Courtenay became a yacht broker working in the City of London and later from his home in Woodbridge. In 1959 he sailed to New Zealand with a dozen others in the 70ft Aberdeen Anzac motor fishing vessel. Years later, in 2004, he wrote an account of this unusual voyage in a memoir titled "Creeping Up On Auckland."

Courtenay had a fantastic memory for detail and was great company. He loved keeping in touch with events at the College and attended the OP Reunion lunch in Lavenham in 2007.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Nautical College Pangbourne in Pangbourne, Berkshire.
- He worked as an officer of the Royal Army Service Corps.
- He worked as an officer in charge Lake Havel seaplane base in 1948-1949 in Berlin, Germany.
- He worked as an Author and Traveller.
- He worked as a Yacht broker in London.

### 11-Miranda Sarah Latimer

**9-Rupert Allen Carr**<sup>6,103</sup> was born on 15 Aug 1903 in Carlisle, Cumbria and died on 2 Jun 1983 in Deben, Essex at age 79.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Director of Carr & Co. Ltd. In Carlisle, Cumbria.

**9-Miriam Stafford Carr**<sup>103</sup> was born in 1907 in Carlisle, Cumbria and died in 1976 in Eaglesfield, Dumfriesshire at age 69.

### 10-Scott-Nicholson

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**9-Diana Mabel Carr**<sup>6,103</sup> was born on 17 Mar 1914 in Carlisle, Cumbria and died in 2001 in Isle of Wight, Hampshire at age 87.

**8-George Stafford Allen**<sup>6,78,98,109,110</sup> was born on 2 Jun 1871 in Clissold Road, Stoke Newington, London and died on 22 Oct 1941 in London at age 70.

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General Notes: Allen.-On 22nd October, 1941, in London, George Stafford Allen (1886-88), aged 70 years

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1886-1888 in York, Yorkshire.
- He had a residence in 1 Westgate Terrace, Long Melford, Suffolk.

9-**Gilbert Stafford Allen**<sup>26,113,114</sup> was born on 22 Sep 1901 in Long Melford, Suffolk and died on 14 Nov 1987 in Kingston, Jamaica at age 86.

General Notes: *November 7, 1925* **The Chemist and Druggist**

Allen - Ferdinando. - At St. Lawrence Jewry Church, London, E.C. 2, on October 21, by the Rev. Canon Besley, Gilbert Stafford Allen, only son of Mr. G. Stafford Allen, Hill House, Long Melford, to Elizabeth, eldest daughter of Mr. G. S. Ferdinando, Firgrove Manor, Eversley.

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**Terror by Night** - 1946 - He played a dining-car steward. The film starred the Quaker descended Basil Rathbone.

**The Paradine Case** - 1947 - unstated role & uncredited. The film starred Gregory Peck and Ann Todd, whose first husband, Nigel Trevithic Tangye, was, like his cousin Sir David Lean, Quaker descended and to whom she later became his third wife.

**Confidential Agent** - 1945 - He played a London policeman. Uncredited role.

<http://www.imdb.com/name/nm0020549/>

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ALLEN - on 14th November, 1987, in Jamaica, Gilbert Stafford Allen (1915-19).

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1915-1919 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as an Actor.

### 10-Marguerite Ferdinando Stafford Allen

9-**Phyllis Stafford Allen**<sup>78</sup> was born on 8 May 1904 in Long Melford, Suffolk and died in 1974 in Lincoln, Lincolnshire at age 70.

General Notes: ALLEN.-On the 8th May, 1904, at Long Melford, Ida (nee Robson), wife of G. Stafford Allen (1886-8), a daughter who was named Phyllis Stafford.

9-**Joan Stafford Allen**<sup>6,109</sup> was born on 3 Apr 1907 in Long Melford, Suffolk and died on 27 Sep 2003 in West Market Street, Leesburg, Virginia, USA at age 96.

General Notes: ALLEN.-On the 3rd April, 1907, at Long Melford, Ida, the wife of G. Stafford Allen (1886-88), a daughter, who was named Joan Stafford.

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After her husband's death in 1946, Joan Williams went back to her family home in Suffolk to care for her mother. She returned to Leesburg when her mother died, and worked at Loudoun Hospital caring for premature babies. She was also active in other community activities, continuing her interest in Thomas Balch Library and in Oatlands Plantation, where she served as a docent for 24 years. Joan Williams died 27 September 2003."

*Taken from the "Williams Family Papers 1819 - 1993" at the Thomas Balch Library, 208 West Market Street, Leesburg, VA 20176*

Joan Williams came to town, made it her own. Many times people come into our lives and leave their mark. But it is not often that someone moves into a county and becomes a predominate part of its history. Joan Stafford Allen Williams was one of these people. Not only did she touch the lives of people with her good works and generosity, but she left her mark on Loudoun County's history by telling the story of Oatlands Plantation. On Sept. 27, Mrs. Williams, 96, retired nurse and a docent for the National Trust at Oatlands, died in her home in Leesburg of an aortic aneurysm. "Mrs. Williams was like a page in Oatlands history," said Oatlands Director of Education Belinda Thomas. "She was part of the house, part of the history of strong women at Oatlands, and she taught us that history can be entertaining." Through her lively ways and strong personality, Mrs. Williams became an attraction at Oatlands. People would come from across the country to tour Oatlands with her as their guide, and she received fan mail from those who had already experienced her grandeur. Not only did Mrs. Williams touch tourists' hearts, she touched the hearts of everyone who came in contact with her, especially her family.

She was an inspiration to her friends and a legend to the children and grandchildren," said Anthony Yelloly, a nephew who resides in England. "She had a clear vision of what was right and what was wrong," said stepgrandson Win Williams. "She instilled her beliefs without being pompous." Mrs. Williams was born April 3, 1907, in Long Melford, Suffolk, England. In 1937 she took a trip to Washington, D.C., and while on the boat she met Harrison Williams, a farmer, lawyer and author in Loudoun County. A year later the two were married in the chapel of the National Cathedral. Transplanting herself into her new life, Mrs. Williams threw herself into many activities. She became a member of the Goose Creek Friends Meeting in Lincoln, the Leesburg Garden Club, the Leesburg Book Club and the 24 Club. She was widely known for her work as a night nurse in the neonatal ward of the old Loudoun Memorial Hospital on Cornwall Street in Leesburg during the 1960s. She would knit hats for the newborns and come in on her days off to care for children, said Walter Devine, who grew up in Leesburg. "I was born premature at 6 1/2 months," said Devine. "Incubators had just come in, and I had to be fed four times a day through a feeding tube. It was very dangerous because if the tube and food got into the lungs, the baby would die.

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"Mrs. Williams, or 'Wims' as I called her, was the only one who would feed me, so she even came in on her days off to feed me," he added. When the hospital moved to its present location at Lansdowne, Mrs. Williams stayed downtown and worked at the long-term care facility. She worked there until February of this year, only leaving after a minor stroke. "My grandmother always used to say, 'The problem with people today is they need a granny, someone to go to for advice'," said stepgranddaughter Constance de Bordenave. "She was a great listener. Sometimes her silence was heard more than her spoken voice." Up until the day she passed away, people were still going to visit and learn from her. "Whenever you were with her," said Devine, "you always left feeling better about yourself."  
*Taken from the Fairfax Times.*

9-**Hilda Stafford Allen**<sup>6,26,42,87,110,115,116,117,118</sup> was born on 1 Mar 1909 in Long Melford, Suffolk and died in 1998 in Moreton in the Marsh, Gloucestershire at age 89.

General Notes: ALLEN.-On the 1st March, 1909, at Long Melford, Suffolk, Ida, wife of G. Stafford Allen (1886-8), a daughter, who was named Hilda Stafford.

10-**Mary Allen Ransome**

10-**Jillian Stafford Ransome**

11-**Ruth Margaret Cadbury**

11-**Helen Cadbury**

11-**David Cadbury**

11-**Thomas Stephen Cadbury**

10-**Robert Edwin Ransome**

11-**James Robert Ransome**

11-**Ransome**

10-**Diana Joan Ransome**

8-**Douglas Allen**<sup>6,26,43,86,121,122</sup> was born on 16 May 1873 in London or Long Melford area and died on 20 Jun 1949 in Ramleh, Alexandria, Egypt at age 76.

General Notes: **Douglas Allen** (1888-90) has responded gallantly to the call with two letters. The following extracts have been selected so as to avoid duplicating news which appears in them both. " I am astounded to look back and think it's nearly fifty years since I left the old School, and yet I'm full of go, and the old brain, though a bit soft at times, still functions. " We've had a very hot and damp summer here, with plenty to do as we had the British Fleet here for months-we made friends with lots of the personnel, officers and men--and a fine lot they are too. " Winter is now with us, cold and quite a lot of rain-I smile when I see the adverts ' Come to sunny Egypt'-it may be sunny at times, but it can be extremely cold after a hot clammy summer, and we do enjoy a fire in our sitting-room. " Out of business hours I am fairly well occupied with Y.M.C.A. here (an international affair and very interesting), Toc H among our own people, and also I am on the Scout executive. I do not do any strenuous work with the boys now, though I was one of the founders of the movement here in 1912, and the dear old Chief Scout gave me the Medal of Merit for my labours! However, it's better to do something than to sit by and grin. " One wonders what Egypt will be like in a few years' time now that Britain has withdrawn her hand from the plough! As an old resident here I can see wobbly furrows from now on. It's all very well to talk about self-determination of smaller nations, but let 'em learn to walk before they run." Allen finishes up by sending warm greetings to Old Scholars in the West of Scotland, where last year he was on a motor tour with his wife. *Bootham magazine - April 1937*

**Douglas Allen** (1888-90) received an M.B.E. in the King's Birthday Honours, in recognition of his social activities in Scouting, Toc H, and Y.M.C.A. work in Alexandria, in which he has been engaged for the past thirty years. He and a Church of England Chaplain started the Scout movement in Egypt in 1912. *Bootham magazine - December 1939*

**DOUGLAS ALLEN** Douglas Allen, who passed peacefully away in Egypt on June 20th, aged 76, was the youngest son of Edward Ransome and Ellen (nee Watlock) Allen. He was educated at Paradise House, Stoke Newington, and afterwards at Bootham, 1889-90. On leaving school he was for a short period with the family firm of Stafford Allen & Sons, spending the greater part of the time on its farm at Ampthill, Bedfordshire, where plants were grown in connection with the business. It was then that I first came to know Douglas Allen and a close friendship resulted. To my personal sorrow, in 1898 he accepted a position in Alexandria with the firm Allen, Alderson & Co. Since then he resided in or near Alexandria for the rest of his life, with periodic visits to England. In 1901 he married Margaret Louise Fry, of Ipswich, and they enjoyed a life of unbroken happiness. Douglas Allen was a man of high integrity and in every sense a true English gentleman. He took an active part in the social life of the community in which he lived, and was always glad to help in any good cause. Among other activities he started the local Boy Scout movement in 1912, and in 1939 he was awarded the M.B.E. He had a warm personality and a strong sense of humour, and will long be remembered by those among whom he lived. This was evidenced by the fact that nearly 300 people attended his funeral, representing at least 12 different nationalities. P. W. BROWN. *Bootham magazine - June 1949*



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Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with MBE.
- He was educated at Paradise House School in Stoke Newington, London.
- He was educated at Bootham School in 1888-1890 in York, Yorkshire.
- He had a residence in Ramleh, Alexandria, Egypt.
- He worked as a representative manager for Allen, Alderson & Co. In Ramleh, Alexandria, Egypt.

9-**Paul Douglas Allen**<sup>6,121</sup> was born on 23 Nov 1905 in Ramleh, Alexandria, Egypt.

General Notes: ALLEN.-On the 23rd November, 1905, at Ramleh, Egypt, Margaret L. (nee Fry), wife of Douglas Allen (1888-90), a son, who was named Paul Douglas.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a representative manager for Allen, Alderson & Co. In Ramleh, Alexandria, Egypt.
- He worked as an Engineering lecturer in Birmingham, Warwickshire.

7-**Mary Allen**<sup>6,37,88</sup> was born on 20 Jun 1843 in 6 Brunswick Place, London and died on 4 Feb 1845 in 6 Brunswick Place, London at age 1.

7-**Jane Allen**<sup>6,23,88,123</sup> was born in Jul 1845 in 6 Brunswick Place, London and died on 1 Oct 1904 in Trewetha, Rowlands Castle, Hampshire at age 59.

General Notes: Jane Bastin, 59 1 10mo. 1904 Rowlands Castle. Wife of E. Philp Bastin. Jane Bastin was the daughter of the late Stafford and Hannah Allen (nee Ransome), and was born at Hoxton, London, in 1845, before her parents' removal to Stoke Newington, with which meeting they were so long intimately associated. She was the eldest surviving daughter of a family of ten children, and her early life at home was a very busy and happy one. Like some others who have had careful religious home training, Jane Allen probably could not remember a time when she did not love and trust her Saviour. Hers was an active and energetic temperament, and at school she took real pleasure in her lessons, which she never felt to be burdensome. Her bright, cheerful disposition made her a favourite with her schoolfellows, with some of whom she maintained an intimate friendship during all her life. After leaving school, her mother's deafness made her part in the family life at Paradise Row, and afterwards at Church Street, Stoke Newington, both active and responsible. Her parents warmly welcomed the visits of friends travelling in the ministry, and a number of these from America as well as from various parts of our own country, were welcome guests of Stafford and Hannah Allen, and these came under her loving care. During these years of home life she took an active interest in her own Meeting, and was a willing helper in working meetings and other useful service, such as visiting the aged and infirm, on behalf of her dear mother, whose thoughts often went out in sympathy and love towards those who were in trouble or sorrow. She was one of the early workers at the Bedford Institute, to which she went on First-day mornings and sometimes during the week for some years. The interest which she took in her class of girls was warmly reciprocated, and was maintained, in some instances long after she had ceased to be a teacher. Her marriage to E. Philp Bastin took place at Stoke Newington, August 12th, 1869. The first few years of married life were spent at Victoria Grove near her own and her husband's parents, and within easy reach of meeting, and of a large circle of friends. After the birth of their first child. Jane Bastin passed through a long and severe illness, from which she was mercifully restored to her dear ones. Another child was born in 1872, and shortly afterwards the family removed to Uxbridge, in which town and in the neighbouring village of West Drayton, many happy and eventful years were passed, as well as some anxious and sorrowful times. J. Bastin took much interest in the annual gatherings of Friends at Jordans Meeting-House, and enjoyed welcoming and entertaining them on their way to this lovely Buckinghamshire retreat. Many happy times of social intercourse were thus spent, which she greatly appreciated, and the meetings at Jordans were often times of true spiritual refreshment. It was soon after the annual gathering there in 1880, that her beloved mother, whilst on a visit at West Drayton, was called away to her heavenly home. During these years a meeting was held on Sunday evenings in a cottage at West Drayton in the endeavour to influence for good those who attended no other place of worship. Jane Bastin was seldom absent, whatever the weather, from the little gathering, which there is reason to believe was made a means of blessing to some. A weekly Bible reading was also held in her home, to which the neighbours were invited, and this was often felt to be a time of renewal of spiritual strength. Early in 1886, several of her children were prostrated by typhoid fever, and a protracted period of anxiety followed. They were all mercifully restored to health except Allie, the eldest son, whose life so full of promise was thus cut short in his sixteenth year. The blow was a heavy one indeed, and all that kind relatives and friends could think of was done to comfort the stricken hearts of the parents, but it was thought best not to return to West Drayton, and so a house was taken at Hammersmith. Later on they resided at Kingston-on-Thames for about ten years, and it was during this period, perhaps more than at any other that she was able, being now freed from the cares of a young family, to enter fully into the social and religious life of the Meeting to which she belonged. On January 9th, 1899, she wrote : - "I have said many times, I have surrendered all that I have and am to my Lord ; but during this past month, a fuller, deeper spiritual joy has come into my heart, and I know what I have longed to know, that this is a real accomplished fact, a definite covenant with my God, and the hymn commencing ' Thou sweet beloved will of God ' is the language of my heart to-day." Shortly after settling at Kingston she commenced a 'Mothers' Meeting ; many of the attenders were the objects of her love and sympathy, and some of the friendships thus formed were only terminated by her death. Later on this 'Mothers' Meeting was merged in the Women's Adult School, which has become a flourishing and efficient organisation. The garden at her home, " Trevoise," was an unfailing source of pleasure to her, and many were the summer gatherings to which she welcomed personal friends, and those in whom she was interested, for happy hours of social and religious enjoyment. She writes : - " Such a blessed promise is mine this week, Isaiah Iviii. verses 8 to 11 ; what a beautiful picture during these cool evenings which have followed so many sultry ones ! how I have revelled in the sweetness and fragrance of my watered garden, ferns, roses and lilies bending their heads in joyful refreshment. The sweet patter of rain upon leaves outside conies as music. Oh the sweet refreshing of the heavenly dew." On two or three occasions she invited the young women from the Aerated Bread Company's establishment near Devonshire House, to spend an afternoon in a ramble on the banks of the Thames and amongst the attractions of Hampton Court Palace and grounds, with a pleasant, social and religious opportunity at Trevoise before their return to London. She thus sought to show her appreciation of their efforts for the comfort of Friends during Yearly Meeting. She wrote : - "

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It is joy beyond words to me to know that we are heirs together of the grace of life, and that our beloved children are under His own preparing hand for their work in His harvest field." The last three years of her life, 1901-1904, were spent at her new home "Trewetha" in the quiet village of Rowlands Castle, Hampshire, away from the noise and bustle of town life and amidst pleasant rural surroundings. Although she appeared to be enjoying fairly good health, and the more bracing atmosphere seemed to suit her, she did not feel able to take up much in the way of active work. Drawing room Bible readings were however held occasionally, and a quarterly tea meeting for the wives of the workmen in the Village Institute. She was also much interested in the village children and enjoyed having them in to play in her garden. The training of girls for domestic service was a subject about which she thought a good deal, and she endeavoured to do what she could in this direction. Her loving sympathy was always extended towards the sad and suffering. Mothers with large families to provide for on slender incomes, were sure of her ready and patient attention, and of receiving the best help and advice which she could give. During the spring of 1903 and thenceforward, J. Bastin was conscious of a steady but very gradual decrease of strength, evidenced principally by her shortened walks and by her avoiding the hills. She left home very seldom after this time, and attendance at Monthly and Quarterly Meetings, the holding of the Bible readings, and other gatherings of adults and children in the house and garden, which she had much enjoyed, had to be curtailed and subsequently given up altogether. But it was not until the early part of August, 1904, that serious alarm was felt, and she took to her bed on the 4th of the following month. From this time until the end she calmly and patiently bore the increasing weakness and weariness which nothing could remove, but which the loving care of those about her did the utmost possible to alleviate. She was still able at times to enjoy hearing portions of her favourite psalms and hymns, and she realised the presence of her Saviour, and that underneath were the everlasting arms. All her children were present during one or more of the closing days, and solemn as were the moments spent with the dear one so near the hour of separation, they were indeed moments never to be forgotten, as loving messages and kind and thoughtful words were spoken to each one. On the day before the close, she was remarkably calm and peaceful, and it was difficult to believe that the end was near. She asked for each member of the household and bade them a loving farewell : just when evening set in, she sank into a deep slumber from which she did not awake. She entered into rest on the morning of October 1st, 1904. Oh ! faithful heart, the same loved face transfigured Shall meet thee there, Less sad, less wistful, in immortal beauty Divinely fair. The mortal veil, washed pure with many weepings, Is rent away, And the great soul that sat within its prison Hath found the day.

**8-Stafford Allen Bastin**<sup>23,125</sup> was born on 7 Dec 1870 in Victoria Grove, Stoke Newington, London, died on 26 Feb 1886 in West Drayton, Middlesex at age 15, and was buried in FBG Stoke Newington.

General Notes: "Allie" Bastin

**8-Mary Ransome Bastin** was born in Sep 1872.

**8-Robert Stephens Bastin**<sup>6</sup> was born on 29 Oct 1873 in Uxbridge, Middlesex and died in 1951 in Taunton, Somerset at age 78.

**8-Frank Bastin**<sup>6</sup> was born on 6 Dec 1875 in West Drayton, Middlesex and died in 1962 in Croydon, Surrey at age 87.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Paradise House Boys School, Stoke Newington.
- He worked as a Machinery and Engineering Goods Merchant.

**9-Constance Jean Bastin**<sup>6</sup> was born in 1907 in Reigate, Surrey.

**9-Allen Frank Bastin** was born on 10 Feb 1910 in Sanderstead, Surrey and died in Feb 1994 in York, Yorkshire at age 84.

**8-Helen Mayfield Bastin**<sup>6</sup> was born in Mar 1877 in West Drayton, Middlesex and died on 14 Oct 1942 in 7 Woodside, Plymouth, Devon at age 65.

**8-John Howard Bastin**<sup>6</sup> was born on 20 Feb 1878 in West Drayton, Middlesex, died in 1956 in Calgary, Alberta, Canada at age 78, and was buried in Carmangay Cemetery, Alberta, Canada.

Noted events in his life were:

- He emigrated in 1905 from Canada.

**9-Mary Constance Bastin** was born in 1910 in Alberta, Canada and died about 1990 about age 80.

**9-Helen Marguerite Bastin** was born in 1911 in Alberta, Canada, died in 2005 at age 94, and was buried in Carmangay Cemetery, Alberta, Canada.

**9-Phyllis Vivian Bastin** was born in 1912 in Alberta, Canada, died in 1998 at age 86, and was buried in Carmangay Cemetery, Alberta, Canada.

**9-Freda Bastin** was born in 1914 in Alberta, Canada and died on 14 Aug 2003 in Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada at age 89.

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9-**Philip Howard Bastin** was born in 1915 in Alberta, Canada.

9-**Joan Etta Bastin** was born on 23 Mar 1918, died on 8 Sep 2011 at age 93, and was buried in Carmangay Cemetery, Alberta, Canada.

9-**Edward Allen Bastin** was born in 1919, died in 1920 at age 1, and was buried in Carmangay Cemetery, Alberta, Canada.

8-**Margaret Stafford Bastin**<sup>123</sup> was born on 25 Jan 1882 in West Drayton, Middlesex, died on 16 Apr 1883 in West Drayton, Middlesex at age 1, and was buried in FBG Winchmore Hill.

7-**William Clarkson Allen**<sup>6,77,88,128</sup> was born on 2 Nov 1846 in 14 Charles Square, Shoreditch, London (1 Dec 1846 also given) and died on 19 Nov 1908 in Winchmore Hill, London at age 62.

General Notes: ALLKN.-On the 19th November, 1908, at London, William Clarkson Allen (1861-3), in his 62nd year.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1861-1863 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as a Drug Grinder in Highbury, London.
- He was a Quaker.

8-**Malcolm Watlock Allen**<sup>24,95,129</sup> was born in Dec 1871 in Stoke Newington, London and died on 27 Jul 1903 in Sligachan, Isle of Skye, Scotland at age 31.

General Notes: ALLEN.-On the 27th July, 1903, at Sligachan, Isle of Skye, Malcolm Watlock Allen (1886-8), of 26 Highbury Quadrant, London, N., aged 31 years. Of "Malc" Allen, whose death occurred so suddenly and tragically while scrambling among the hills of Skye, we must forbear to speak. A popular favourite leaves his place so empty.

*Sweet as the tender fragrance that survives,  
When martyred flowers breathe out their little lives ;  
Sweet as a song that once consoled our pain,  
But never will be sung to us again,  
Is thy remembrance. Now the hour of rest  
Hath come to thee'97sleep, darling, it is best.*  
THE EDITOR. *Bootham School magazine*

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1886-1888 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as a Drug Grinder in Highbury, London.
- He had a residence in 26 Highbury Quadrant, Highbury, Islington, London.

8-**Edith Annette Allen** was born in Jun 1873.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at The Mount School in Aug 1887-Dec 1890 in York, Yorkshire.

8-**Kathleen Mary Allen**<sup>77</sup> was born on 25 Nov 1875.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at The Mount School in Aug 1890-Dec 1892 in York, Yorkshire.
- She was a Quaker.

8-**Kenneth Clarkson Allen**<sup>95,130,131,132,133,134,135</sup> was born on 25 Jul 1878 in Albion Road, Stoke Newington, London and died on 2 Feb 1962 in Eastbourne, East Sussex at age 83.

General Notes: **I have in my family note book from 20+ years ago that Roger had 2 older sisters Barbara Christina & Mary Sybil but I now cannot trace where from!! Anthony Allen Oct 2013**

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ALLEN.— On 2nd February, 1962, at Eastbourne, after a short illness, Kenneth Clarkson Allen (1892-95), aged 833 years

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1892-1895 in York, Yorkshire.

9-**Barbara Christina Allen**<sup>131</sup> was born on 18 Jul 1908 in South Croydon, Surrey.

General Notes: ALLEN.-On the 18th July, 1908, at South Croydon, Sibyl, wife of Kenneth Clarkson Allen (1892-5), a daughter, who was named Barbara Christina.

9-**Mary Sybil Clarkson Allen**<sup>132</sup> was born on 23 Sep 1910 in Croydon, Surrey.

General Notes: ALLEN.-On the 23rd September, 1910, at Croydon, Sybil (Robson), wife of Kenneth Clarkson Allen (1892-5), a daughter, who was named Mary Sybil Clarkson.

9-**Roger Kenneth Allen**<sup>6,44,45,94,133,137,138,139</sup> was born on 27 Feb 1913 in Waldenhurst, Broxbourne, Hertfordshire and died on 29 May 1966 at age 53.

General Notes: ALLEN.-On the 27th February, 1913, at Waldenhurst, Broxbourne, Herts., Sybil (Robson), wife of Kenneth Clarkson Allen (1892-5), a son, who was named Roger Kenneth.  
**ALLEN.**— On 29th May, 1966, suddenly, Roger Kenneth Allen (1926-31), aged 53 years.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1926-1931 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as a Managing Director of Stafford Allen & Sons in Cowper Street, Finsbury, London.

10-**Gabriel Allen Allen** was born on 21 Mar 1942 in Harpenden, Hertfordshire and died on 21 Mar 1942 in Harpenden, Hertfordshire.

10-**Peter Allen** was born on 21 Mar 1942 in Harpenden, Hertfordshire and died on 22 Mar 1942 in Harpenden, Hertfordshire.

10-**Peter William Allen**

10-**Dr. Christopher John Allen**

10-**Adrian Roger Allen**

10-**Charles Kenneth Allen**

10-**Caroline Isabel Allen**

9-**Anthony William Allen**<sup>44,45,46,98</sup> was born on 3 Oct 1917 in Waldenhurst, Broxbourne, Hertfordshire and died on 29 Oct 2006 in Long Melford, Suffolk at age 89.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1930-1935 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as a Chairman of Stafford Allen & Sons.

10-**Susan Margaret Adair Allen**<sup>44</sup> was born on 4 May 1943 in Hawick, Roxburghshire and died on 23 Oct 2014 in South Africa at age 71.

General Notes: Allen-On 4th May, 1943, to Marion L. and Anthony W. Allen (1930-35), a daughter, who was named Susan Margaret Adair.

11-**James Blackwood-Murray**

12-**Lulu Mei Blackwood-Murray**

11-**Georgina Elizabeth Blackwood-Murray**

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12-Hugo Shield

12-Elliot Shield

10-Andrew Kenneth Allen

11-Annette Louise Allen

12-William Guy

12-Matthew Guy

11-Anthony John Allen

12-Riley Allen

10-Richard Anthony Allen

11-Charles Allen

12-Archie Allen

11-William Allen

11-Francesca Allen

11-Alexandra Allen

7-**Hannah Ransome Allen**<sup>6,88</sup> was born on 28 Jun 1848 in 14 Charles Square, Shoreditch, London and died on 1 Jun 1856 in Warwick House, Paradise Row, Stoke Newington, London at age 7.

7-**Edith Mary Allen**<sup>4,26,88,101,140</sup> was born on 9 Nov 1850 in Church Street, Stoke Newington, London and died on 25 Dec 1894 at age 44.

8-**Wilfred Alexander Maw**<sup>26,50,79,94,141,142</sup> was born on 4 Nov 1874 in Needham Market, Suffolk and died on 19 Mar 1940 in Winchmore Hill, London at age 65.

General Notes: CHUNGKING, CHINA. WILFRID A. MAW (1888-91), tells us of a tiger that recently made its appearance in his neighbourhood and killed four men and a girl. A curious fact in connection with the incident was that no native would give information to the British Consul as to the whereabouts of the beast as their priests had convinced them that it was a god ! Wilfrid Maw goes on to tell us that " there is a local daily paper published by a Jap whose chief object is to set the Chinese against all foreigners (especially English) except Japanese. The latest sensation which set all Chungking and this half of the province in a ferment was the announcement of the English occupation of the Yangtse Valley and that a huge British force was coming up the river from Ichang with no end of warships. We were fortunate to escape a serious riot, as the report had reached us that all the Church members, a few hundreds, would be spared, but the rest of the population, 300,000 or so, wiped out ! " Wilfrid Maw is acting as treasurer of the mission, an occupation that , as those who remember him at Bootham will know, must suit his mathematical abilities well, more especially as he has some six or seven different native currencies to take into account ! But besides this he has charge of the boys' primary school, takes both English and Latin classes, hunts butterflies, and has studied sufficiently to enable him to pass three half-yearly examinations in the past year ! Truly the life of a missionary is none too easy a one, and who shall say that the Alma Mater is not honoured indeed by those of her sons that undertake it ?

*Bootham October 1905*

Maw.-On 19th March, at Winchmore Hill, Wilfred Alexander Maw (1888-91), aged 65 years.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at The Friends' School Lexden in 1882-1886 in Lexden, Colchester, Essex.
- He was educated at Paradise House School in 1887-1888 in Stoke Newington, London.
- He was educated at Bootham School in 1888-1891 in York, Yorkshire.
- He was educated at Leighton Park Schhol in 1891-1892 in Reading, Berkshire.

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- He worked as a Bankers Clerk with Gurney & Barclay's Banks in 1892-1902.
- He worked as a member of the FFMA in 1903.
- He worked as a Quaker Missionary in 1905-1911 in Chungking, Szechuan, China.
- He was a Quaker until resigning membership before 1911.
- He worked as a Draughtsman with the FFMA in 1913 in London.
- Miscellaneous: Was called up in WW1 but rejected for extreme deafness.
- He worked as an Assistant Rates Collector for Finchley Urban District Council in 1914-1918 in Finchley, London.
- He worked as a staff member of Chas. Knight & Co., Printers and Local Government Publishers after 1918 in London.
- He resided at 47 Palmerston Crescent in 1935 in Palmers Green, London.

9-**Margaret Maw**<sup>142</sup> was born on 19 Nov 1909 in T'ung Ch'wan, Szechwan, China.

General Notes: MAW.-On the 19th November, 1909, at T'ung Ch'wan, West China, Edith, wife of Wilfrid A. Maw (1888-91), a daughter, who was named Margaret.

9-**Geoffrey Morrison Maw** was born on 19 Nov 1909 in T'ung Ch'wan, Szechwan, China and died in 1983 in Berkshire at age 74.

8-**Norman Francis Maw**<sup>4,26,126,143</sup> was born on 22 Dec 1875 in Needham Market, Suffolk and died on 6 Mar 1962 in San Diego, California, USA at age 86.

General Notes: MAW.-In 1962, in California, Norman Francis Maw (1888-91), aged 87 years.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1888-1891 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as a Citrus fruit grower in Fillmore, California, USA.
- He resided at 3235 Freeman Street in 1935 in San Diego, California, USA.

9-**Richard Douglas Maw**<sup>6,26,126</sup> was born on 9 Jul 1902 in Ventura, California, USA and died on 28 May 1992 in Howard, Texas, USA at age 89.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Manager of the Purchasing Dept., Ryan Aircraft in 1940 in San Diego, California, USA.

8-**Ernest Archibald Maw**<sup>140</sup> was born on 31 Dec 1876 in Needham Market, Suffolk and died on 8 Feb 1878 in Needham Market, Suffolk at age 1.

8-**Eric Stafford Maw**<sup>101</sup> was born on 12 Jun 1878 in Sudbury, Suffolk and died on 10 Jun 1888 in Stroud, Gloucestershire at age 9.

8-**Edith Muriel Maw**<sup>81</sup> was born in Sep 1880 in Sudbury, Suffolk.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at The Mount School in Sep 1896-Jul 1898 in York, Yorkshire.

9-**Edith Mary Gregory** was born on 17 Jul 1906 in Tananarive, Madagascar and died in 1980 in Oxford, Oxfordshire at age 74.

9-**Harold Stafford Gregory**<sup>81</sup> was born in Aug 1915 in Tananarive, Madagascar and died on 13 Sep 1915 in Tananarive, Madagascar.

8-**Mary Violet Maw** was born on 30 Nov 1882 in Sudbury, Suffolk.

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Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at The Mount School in Jan 1898-Apr 1899 in York, Yorkshire.

9-Alexander Benson Woodhead was born on 11 Feb 1905 in Chorlton upon Medlock, Manchester and died in 1921 in Manchester at age 16.

8-Geoffrey Waring Maw<sup>26,122,144,145,146,147,148,149,150</sup> was born on 12 Aug 1885 in Sudbury, Suffolk and died on 11 May 1959 in Birmingham, Warwickshire at age 73.

General Notes: A long and interesting letter from G. W. MAW (1899-1902) from Nagpur must be heavily scissored, in the manner of film production. He writes: " I have been sending home lots of newspaper cuttings giving long descriptions of the M.C.C. tour to my boys. Hugh, the youngest, hoped that I would ask C. K. Naidu to get the autographs of all the M.C.C. players. I am afraid I found the request rather embarrassing. I met C. K. Naidu rather more than a year ago, as he is an old student of Hislop College, and he was the lion of the season just about the time the College held its Annual Social Gathering, soon after Naidu's return from England. . . . " I have now been living for over six months in my third place of residence since returning to Nagpur fourteen months ago. To start of f with I shared a bungalow with one of the Church of Scotland missionaries, and then moved back to the bungalow on the Friends' Hostel compound. . . . The bungalow is an enormous barn of a place, built in the old spacious days when things were cheap and labour cost almost nothing. It is uncomfortably large according to modern missionary ideas, and there are not many missionaries nowadays who would not gladly exchange for something smaller and easier to manage, and not so far away from the people in more senses than one. I lived there through the hot weather, as that was the place provided for me by the Scottish Mission. But during the hot weather, in a very remarkable way, details of which I have no time to tell, I was led to the small house in the city which I now occupy. If you were to see a photograph of the house without any means of judging its scale you might think that I had gone into a still more palatial residence, as the house is a two-storey building, with a space under the roof that can be used as a storage place for lumber. But the rooms are really so low that neither up nor down stairs is there very much clearance for my head. In fact, in my office, which is the only room downstairs (not counting the front veranda), which by means of bamboo curtains I turn into a sitting-room if I have visitors, I can actually touch one of the beams with my head when I am standing under it. I am over 6 ft. when I have shoes on, but my highest door is 5 ft. 6 in., while the lowest is just half an inch less than 4 ft., and that is a door that I go through quite frequently. . . . The house is situated within twenty yards of a main street, on the other side of which is the big Government Hospital. . . . My immediate neighbours are blacksmiths, washermen, fishermen, and poUce. . . . " But in spite of it all . . . I have had a very happy six months here. I am on very good terms with all my neighbours. The next-door children, several of whom have not yet reached the stage when clothes are considered necessary for either sex, come wandering freely in and out of my house at almost any time of the day. In fact, almost every day, when I am doing something which I really must concentrate on, I have to put the chain on the courtyard door to keep them out. But they are a jolly, lively little crowd, and I can forgive them a lot, even when they come and pull up some of the most precious things in my garden, which has been a great joy to them." *Bootham magazine - April 1934*  
MAW.'97On 11th May, 1959, at his home in Birmingham, Geoffrey Waring Maw (1899-1902), aged 73 years.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Theobald's Grammar School in 1896-1899 in Needham Market, Suffolk.
- He was educated at Bootham School in 1899-1902 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as a member of Barclays Bank in 1902-1907 in Stowmarket, Suffolk.
- Miscellaneous: Passed the Institute of Bankers Final Examination, 1905.
- He was educated at the Friends Foreign Mission Association for service in India in 1907-1910 in London.
- He emigrated to India in 1910.
- Miscellaneous: Head of list in the Third Hindi Language examination, 1914.
- He worked as an Elder of Mid-India YM.
- He worked as a Manager of Hislop Collegiate High School in 1930 in Nagpur, Maharashtra, India.
- He worked as a Quaker missionary.

9-Allen Scarnell Maw<sup>26,45,86,146,152</sup> was born on 30 Apr 1914 in Pachmarhi, Madhya Pradesh, India and died on 8 Jun 2003 in Wandsworth, London at age 89.

General Notes: MAW.-On the 30th April, 1914, at Pachmarhi , C.P. , India, Mildred Amy (Brison), wife of Geoffrey Waring Maw (1899-1902), a son, who was named Allen Scarnell.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at The Downs School before 1928 in Colwall, Malvern, Herefordshire.
- He was educated at Bootham School in 1928-1932 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as an Assistant Manager in a Catering Business in 1935 in Bristol, Gloucestershire.

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- He resided at 25c Durdham Park in 1935 in Bristol, Gloucestershire.

### 10-Gillian Leila Maw

### 10-Anthony Cedric Maw

9-**Noel Ransome Maw**<sup>144,147</sup> was born on 23 Nov 1915 in Hoshangabad, Madhya Pradesh, India and died on 4 Jun 1916 in Died on board the SS Scindia on the way home from Bombay.

General Notes: MAW.-On the 23rd November, 1915, at Hoshangabad, C.P. , India, Mildred A. , wife of Geoffrey Waring Maw (1899- 1900), a son, who was named Noel Ransome.

9-**Dr. Theodore Stafford Maw**<sup>148</sup> was born on 6 Jul 1917 in 5 Kingsmead Close, Selly Oak, Birmingham, Warwickshire and died on 4 Dec 2011 in Rotherham, Yorkshire at age 94.

General Notes: MAW.-On the 6th July, 1917, at 5 Kingsmead Close, Selly Oak, Birmingham, Mildred A. (Brison), wife of Geoffrey W. Maw (1899-1902), a son, who was named Theodore Stafford.

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Dr Theodore Stafford F.R.C.Ophth died quietly 4th December aged 93 years. Much loved husband of Sheila and dear father of the late Diana. Funeral Service at Hutcliffe Wood Crematorium, Sheffield, 12 noon, Thursday 16th December [2011]

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Physician and Ophthalmologist.

10-**Diana Stafford Maw Maw** was born on 2 Aug 1951 in Newcastle upon Tyne, Northumberland and died in 1991 in Ealing, London at age 40.

9-**Hugh Waring Maw**<sup>149</sup> was born on 2 Jun 1920 in Childers Lodge, Landowr, Mussoorie, Dehradun, Uttarakhand, India.

General Notes: MAW.-On the 2nd June, 1920, at Childers Lodge, Landowr, Mussoorie, India, Mildred Amy (Brison), wife of Geoffrey W. Maw (1899-1902), a son, who was named Hugh Waring.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Headmaster of Sibford School in 1956-1961.

### 10-David P. Maw

### 10-Alan R. Maw

### 10-Christine Daphne Maw

9-**Gillian Mary Maw**<sup>150</sup> was born on 22 Jun 1923.

General Notes: MAW.-On June 22nd, Mildred, wife of Geoffrey W. Maw (1899- 1902), a daughter, who was named Gillian Mary.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was a Quaker.
- She worked as a Nurse.

7-**Francis Allen**<sup>74,88</sup> was born on 9 May 1852 in Church Street, Stoke Newington, London, died in 1927 in Cockley Cley Hall, Swaffham, Norfolk at age 75, and was buried in Swaffham, Norfolk.

General Notes: He was educated at Bootham School from 1863 to 1868 in York. He worked as an Engineer. In 1870 his eldest brother, Samuel Stafford, died from consumption in Egypt. Later that same year he and his father, Stafford, went out to Egypt to inspect the company 'Allen, Alderson & Co.' in Alexandria, Egypt. They had their English office in 7 Cowper Street, London (where 'Stafford Allen & Sons' operated from). It was agreed that Francis should take over the role of his late brother. Francis then specialised in the heavy engineering business such as dredging and irrigation equipment and narrow gauge railway trains for use in the Nile Delta cotton fields and built up the business to be "among the most prosperous in Alexandria". He started several subsidiary companies and also bought from the Egyptian Government the Khedivial Mail Line, which was one of the main shipping lines out of Egypt, including bonded warehouses, workshops, etc. The shipping company was later taken over by P. & O. Line. Francis was also interested in Egyptian archaeology and at least once financially helped Howard Carter, who discovered the Tomb of Tutankhamen. He was appointed one of the 3 Deputy Lieutenants for Norfolk for 1926 (see London Gazette of 17.Nov. 1925) but later sadly had to stand down when he became seriously ill and later died. Recreation:- He loved shooting, which, as well as being a suitable house for his family, is why he bought the Cockley Cley estate, and fishing, especially when he was shooting there with his two younger brothers - John Archibald Allen and Alfred Henry



Allen.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1863-1868 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as an Engineer. Allen, Alderson & Co. In Ramleh, Alexandria, Egypt.
- He had a residence in Cockley Cley Hall, Swaffham, Norfolk.

8-**Norah Frances Allen** was born in 1880 and died in 1882 at age 2.

8-**Ursula Mary Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born in 1882 in Graveley, Hertfordshire and died in Mar 1968 in Littlehampton, Sussex at age 86.

9-**Dr. Gwendolen Mary Allen-Williams**<sup>6</sup> was born on 17 Dec 1913.

Noted events in her life were:

- She worked as a Physician in Weston-super-Mare, Somerset.
- She worked as a House physician, Nottingham General Hospital in Nottingham, Nottinghamshire.

10-**John Duncan Black**

10-**Elizabeth Anne Black**

11-**Charlotte Elisabeth Pavry**

9-**Eluned Jocelyn Allen-Williams**<sup>6</sup> was born on 1 May 1916 and died on 26 Dec 1989 at age 73.

9-**Prof. David John Francis Allen-Williams**<sup>6</sup> was born on 26 Feb 1918 in Sandwich, Kent and died on 29 Jul 2004 in Augusta, Western Australia at age 86.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with FInstE (Australia), FInstME, FInstCE, FInstEE (London).
- He was educated at Harrow.
- He was educated at Clare College, Cambridge.
- He worked as an Engineer.

10-**Peter Aidan Allen-Williams**

11-**Mair Helen Allen-Williams**

11-**Catrin Rowan Allen-Williams**

10-**Arthur John Allen-Williams**

11-**David Andrew Allen-Williams**

11-**Sian Elizabeth Allen-Williams**

11-**Rachel Jocelyn Allen-Williams**

11-**Caitlin Allen-Williams**

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10-(Gwyneth) **Elizabeth Allen-Williams**

11-**Ashley Ross Pederick**

11-**Craig Wesley Pederick**

8-**Gwendolen Stafford Allen** was born in 1883 and died on 21 Aug 1954 in Princes House, Kensington Park Road, London at age 71.

8-**Elsie Magdalen Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born in 1884 in Kensington, London, was christened on 30 Jan 1885 in St. Paul's, Onslow Square, London, and died on 21 Dec 1950 in East Preston, Sussex at age 66.

General Notes: Residences before death given as " Southernway," St. Martha's, near Guildford, Surrey, and " The Orchard," Eversley, Hampshire.

9-**Elizabeth Alleyne Reeves**<sup>6</sup> was born in 1909 in Portchester, Hampshire and died in 1995 in Shalford, Godalming, Surrey at age 86. She had no known marriage and no known children.

General Notes: During the 2nd . World War, she worked as a radiographer. She was a great lover of art and music. For many years, she helped the National Trust as a guide on their properties and was also a Member of Glyndebourne Opera Co. and went to most/all of their different performances each year.

9-**Maj. Hugh Quentin Alleyne Reeves**<sup>6</sup> was born in 1910 in Seaford, East Sussex and died on 25 Oct 1955 in RAF Bitteswell, Lutterworth, Leicestershire at age 45. The cause of his death was Sucked into a aircraft jet intake.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Harrow.
- He was educated at Sidney Sussex College, Cambridge.
- He worked as an Inventor and Engineer.

10-**Fay Reeves**

8-**Rev. Francis Coombe Stafford Allen**<sup>6,74</sup> was born on 27 Jan 1914 in Cockley Cley Hall, Swaffham, Norfolk, died on 18 Dec 1983 in "Frensham", Horsham St. Faith, Norfolk. at age 69, and was buried in Cockley Cley, Swaffham, Norfolk.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Harrow.
- He was educated at Pembroke College, Cambridge.
- He worked as a Farmer.
- He worked as a Rector of Baconsthorpe with Plumstead.
- He worked as a Vicar of Hempstead in Holt, Norfolk.

9-**Susan Mary Allen**

9-**Anthony Francis Stafford Allen**

10-**Ursula Elisabeth Stafford Allen**

11-**Zara Elisabeth Stoddart**

11-**Sasha Bridgid Rosabelle Stoddart**

10-**Charlotte Rebecca Allen**

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11-Jack William Bowers

11-Guy Anthony Bowers

11-Milo John Bowers

10-William Francis Stafford Allen

11-Skye Louise Lindahl Allen

11-Thea Sonja Allen

9-Diana Jane Allen<sup>6</sup> was born on 15 Jan 1947 in Horningtoft Manor, Norfolk and died on 25 Mar 2011 in Shamley Green, Guildford, Surrey at age 64.

10-Caroline Mary Healey

10-Jennifer Louise Healey

10-Edward Francis Healey<sup>6</sup> was born on 18 Dec 1984 and died on 27 Jan 1985.

8-Nigel Anthony Stafford Allen<sup>74</sup> was born on 18 Aug 1915 in Cockley Cley Hall, Swaffham, Norfolk and died on 2 Apr 1985 in Guernsey, Channel Islands at age 69.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Harrow.
- He worked as a Businessman in Guernsey, Channel Islands.

9-Ingrid Arrow Stafford Allen

10-Rebecca Hartley Kinnersly

11-Meadow Sorrel Knight

10-Edward Fry Kinnersly

10-William (Charlesworth) Kinnersly

11-Constance Lucy Imogen Kinnersly

11-Kit William Walter Kinnersly

9-Imogen Stephanie Stafford Allen<sup>6</sup> was born in 1944 in Guernsey, Channel Islands and died in 1947 in English Channel, in an air crash at age 3.

9-Lawney Solange Stafford Allen

10-Rory Christopher Berners Thacker

10-Damian Christian Berners Thacker

11-Fry Claude Thacker

11-Jem Francis Thacker

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11-Vee Martha Thacker

9-Nigel Garth Stafford Allen

10-Samuel Charles Stafford Allen

10-James Evershed Stafford Allen

10-Felicity Rose Stafford Allen

10-Matilda Frances Stafford Allen

8-Raymond Claude Stafford Allen<sup>6,74</sup> was born on 21 Sep 1917 in Cockley Cley Hall, Swaffham, Norfolk and died on 13 May 1974 in Hammonds End House, Harpenden, Hertfordshire at age 56.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Harrow.
- He worked as an Engineer.
- He worked as a Chief technical officer for the British Gliding Association.

9-John Bridger Stafford Allen

10-Toby Miles Stafford Allen

10-Tara Jane Stafford Allen

11-Robyn Stafford Allen

9-Peter Raymond Stafford Allen

10-Simon Raymond Stafford Allen

10-Ian Peter Stafford Allen

11-Anna Stafford Allen

11-Danni Stafford Allen

9-Robin Charles Stafford Allen

10-Rebecca Anne Stafford Allen

10-Paul Gareth Stafford Allen

8-Graham Archibald Stafford Allen<sup>6,74</sup> was born on 21 Jul 1922 in Cockley Cley Hall, Swaffham, Norfolk and died on 28 Jun 1981 in Peterborough, Cambridgeshire at age 58.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Harrow.
- He worked as a Farmer in Langham, Norfolk.

9-Edward Neale Stafford Allen

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10-Nicholas Graham Stafford Allen

10-Christopher Edward Stafford Allen

9-Stephen Graham Stafford Allen

10-Dr. Henry David Graham Stafford Allen

11-Felix Allen

10-Benjamin Guy Stafford Allen

10-Guy Rupert Stafford Allen

9-Patrick John Stafford Allen

10-Belinda Blanche Stafford Allen

10-Thomas Edward Stafford Allen

7-**John Archibald Allen**<sup>6,26,88,101,144,159</sup> was born on 21 Jul 1854 in Stoke Newington, London and died on 22 Jan 1940 in Wynnstow, Oxted, Surrey at age 85.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1866-1870 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as a Shipyard apprentice in 1871-1873 in Sunderland, County Durham.
- He worked as a Publisher.

8-**Lilian Margaret Allen**<sup>159</sup> was born in Sep 1883.

8-**Dorothy Smea Allen**<sup>101,159</sup> was born on 30 Aug 1885 in Enfield, London, died on 20 Dec 1887 in Enfield, London at age 2, and was buried in FBG Winchmore Hill.

8-**Lieut. Archibald Stafford Allen**<sup>6,144,159</sup> was born on 3 May 1890 in Morwenstow, Enfield, London, died on 3 Oct 1915 in Loos, Pas de Calais, France. Killed in action at age 25, and was buried in Philosophe British Cemetery, Mazingarbe, France. Grave III.N.1A.

General Notes: Lt. Archibald Stafford Allen. 8th Battalion Royal Fusiliers (City of London) Regiment

Date of birth: 3rd May 1890      Date of death: 3rd October 1915

Archibald Stafford Allen was born at Enfield in Middlesex on the 3rd of May 1890 the only son of John Archibald Allen, a publisher, and Elizabeth Mary (nee Smea) Allen of "Wynnstow", Limpsfield in Surrey. He left Hazelwood School in the spring of 1904 for Wellington College where he was in the Stanley from 1904 to 1908. He had intended to go on to Pembroke College Cambridge, but his father's ill health prevented this, and, instead, he went straight into business. "Although this was a great disappointment to him, he bore it with his usual cheerfulness". He devoted much of his spare time to a boys club in Walworth which he had started for poor boys.

On the on the 28th of April 1909 he enlisted as Private C/406 in the Inns of Court Officer Training Corps and served with them for four years, during which time he was learning the printing trade.

Following the outbreak of war he was commissioned a 2nd Lieutenant in the 8th Battalion Royal Fusiliers on the 12th of September 1914 and was promoted to Lieutenant on the 20th of January 1915.

On the 15th of May 1915 he was married to Florence Mary (nee Hammond) at St Mark's Church Walworth and he embarked for France on the 1st of June 1915.

He was commended by 36th Brigade to 12th Division for the "good work" he had done during a German bombardment on the 9th of August 1915.

On the 3rd of October 1915 the battalion were holding a trench at Vermelles near Loos. The battalion war diary takes up the story:- "In trenches, heavily shelled all day but considering volume of shelling, casualties were fairly small. A digging party ordered to dig a trench from H 13 C 09 directly south for 700 yards. We were unable to do this as our own guns were heavily shelling this bit of ground. Trench marked out but two men killed in doing so; Lt Allen killed instantly by a shell and buried together with Lt Gullick (Lieutenant Arthur Louis Gullick of Pirbright in Surrey) of the 6th Buffs who was killed in reconnaissance outside German wire and brought in by our men at G17 B36. A very good young officer and much missed. Other casualties, 9 men killed and 9 men wounded, mainly by shell fire. In evening, about 10pm 200 men at work on new trench".

He was mentioned in Field Marshall Sir John French's dispatches of the 1st of January 1916 "for gallant and distinguished service in the field"

His Colonel wrote:-

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*"I wish his friends to know the pride we all had for him. Others who knew him would like to hear how he was loved by one and all, what a gallant boy he was, and how he maintained the name of the grand regiment to which we all have the honour to belong. A braver and more gallant boy I have never seen; we all loved him and his men simply adored him.....it was with difficulty we could get him to rest."*

He was buried, along with Lieutenant Gullick, behind the trenches at the junction of the Hulluch-Vermelles and Loos-La Basse roads; his body was later re-interred.

He is commemorated on the war memorial at Wellington College.

Killed in action aged 25

Buried at Philosophe British Cemetery Mazingarbe Plot III Row N Grave 1A"

(from Hazelwood School, War Memorial).

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Hazelwood School in Limpsfield, Surrey.
- He was educated at Wellington College.
- He worked as a trainee Printer in 1911.
- He worked as an officer of the 8th Battalion, Royal Fusiliers.

7-**Alfred Henry Allen**<sup>6,80,86,88,161</sup> was born on 16 Jun 1856 in Warwick House, Paradise Row, Stoke Newington, London and died on 22 Aug 1939 in Wyesham, Monmouthshire at age 83.

General Notes: Allen.-On 22nd August, 1939, at Wyeshaw, Alfred Henry Allen (1868-70), aged 83 years.

Allan.— On 22nd August, 1939, Alfred Henry Allan (1868-70), aged 83 years.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1868-1879 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as a Miller in Croydon, Surrey.

8-**Ernest Gladstone Allen**<sup>6,26,107,119,126,131,164,165,166,167</sup> was born on 29 Dec 1881 in Croydon, Surrey and died on 13 Oct 1964 in East Grinstead, West Sussex at age 82.

General Notes: ERNEST G. ALLEN (1897-9) has passed the Intermediate Examination of the Royal Institution of British Architects. *Bootham School Magazine - September 1902*

At the moment of going to press we are informed that George L. Pepler (1893-96) and Ernest G. Allen (1897-99) have won the gold medal at the Wolverhampton Model Housing Exhibition for the best £200 cottage as well as the gold medal and prize for the best house in the Exhibition (without limitation as to price). *Bootham School Magazine - October 1908*

ALLEN.— On 13th October, 1964, Ernest Gladstone Allen (1897-99), aged 82 years.

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On October 13th, 1964, at the age of 82, Ernest Gladstone Allen died in hospital— he had been at Bootham from 1897 to 1899 and was the son of Alfred Henry Allen, 1868-70. A distinguished career as an architect and town planner led to his serving as President of the Town Planning Institute from 1936 to 1937. Between 1905 and 1914 Ernest Allen worked in partnership with George Pepler and together they won a number of medals for schemes of model housing estates. After George Pepler left to take up the position of Town Planning Inspector with the Local Government Board, Ernest Allen continued his work in partnership, first with Longstreth Thompson and later with Alfred Potter. Much of the work done was concerned with local authority housing schemes. He continued his architectural work until his death. With hobbies of cricket, tennis and gardening and a long term of service on his local parish and rural councils, he became Chairman of Godstone R.D.C. from 1943 to 1947. Ernest Allen lived a full and valuable life. We extend our sympathy to Mrs. Allen.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with FRIBA PRTPI.
- He was educated at Bootham School in 1897-1899 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as an Architect.
- He worked as a Chairman of Godstone Rural District Council.

8-**Winifred Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 18 Jun 1883 in Croydon, Surrey and died in 1971 in Uckfield, Sussex at age 88.

8-**Donald Ransome Allen**<sup>6,26,39,151,168,169,170,171</sup> was born on 23 Sep 1884 in Croydon, Surrey and died on 4 Feb 1966 in Albourne, Hassocks, West Sussex at age 81.

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General Notes: ALLEN.-On 4th February, 1966, at his home at Albourne, Hassocks, Sussex, Donald Ransome Allen (1899-1901), aged 81 years.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1899-1901 in York, Yorkshire.
- He had a residence in Biddington, Surrey.

9-**Hilda Millicent Allen**<sup>6,39</sup> was born on 26 May 1912 in Bulkeley, Alexandria, Egypt and died in 1982 in Haywards Heath, West Sussex at age 70.

General Notes: ALLEN.-On the 26th May, 1912, at Bulkeley, Alexandria, Egypt, Bertha (Clark), wife of Donald Ransome Allen (1899-1901), a daughter, who was named Hilda Millicent.

9-**Mary Stafford Allen**<sup>6,151</sup> was born on 3 Jan 1914 in Southdowns, Birdhurst Road, Croydon, Surrey and died in 1969 in Stratton, Cornwall at age 55.

General Notes: ALLEN.-On the 3rd January, 1914, at Southdowns, Birdhurst Road, Croydon, Bertha (Clark), wife of Donald Ransome Allen (1899-1901), a daughter.

10-**Michael George Ashton**

10-**Richard Donald Vening Ashton**

9-**John Christopher Allen**

10-**Jennifer Mary Allen**

10-**Dr. David Christopher Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 16 Jul 1964 and died on 4 Apr 2014 at age 49.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at St. Wilfrid's Prep School.
- He was educated at Sherborne School, Dorset.
- He was educated at Hertford College, Oxford.
- He was educated at Wadham College, Oxford.
- He worked as an Executive Director of BP plc.

11-**Nicholas James Allen**

11-**Sophie Lucinda Allen**

11-**Edward John Stafford Allen**

8-**Elfrida Margaret Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 1 Oct 1886 in Croydon, Surrey.

8-**Enid Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 8 Sep 1888 in Croydon, Surrey and died in 1989 at age 101.

8-**Edward Stafford Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 30 May 1891 in Croydon, Surrey and died on 18 Nov 1939 in Westerham, Kent at age 48.

9-**Capt. Richard Stafford Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 20 Aug 1917, died on 19 Nov 1943 in Italy. Killed in action at age 26, and was buried in Sangro River War Cemetery, Torino di Sangro, Italy. Grave IV.C.3.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as an officer of the Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment.

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10-Angela Jane Elizabeth Allen

9-Shirley Barbara Stafford Allen

10-Anthony John Grist

10-Jenifer Shirley Grist

11-Thomas Fairweather

11-Jo Fairweather

8-Brian Allen<sup>6</sup> was born on 22 Apr 1893 and died in Jul 1984 in Mombasa, Kenya at age 91.

9-Lorna Suzanne Stafford Allen<sup>6</sup> was born on 4 Sep 1920 and died in Jun 2004 in York, Yorkshire at age 83.

10-Robin Brian Dauncy Fisher

10-Simon Harry Fisher

10-Jonathon Mark Fisher

10-Judith Suzanne Fisher

9-Nicholas Archibald Stafford Allen<sup>6</sup> was born on 28 Mar 1925 in Queen Victoria Hospital, Johannesburg, South Africa and died in 1977 in Nairobi, Kenya at age 52.

10-Keith Nicholas Stafford Allen<sup>6</sup> was born on 23 May 1953 and died on 6 Sep 1991 in Andover Down, Hampshire at age 38.

11-Anita Helen Stafford Allen

11-Lorna Nichola Stafford Allen

12-Darcy Christina Nolan Neylan

10-Brian Clive Stafford Allen

11-Melanie Claire Stafford Allen

11-Adrian Nicholas Stafford Allen

11-Craig Robert Stafford Allen

10-Ian Andrew Stafford Allen

11-Kieran Andrew Stafford Allen

11-Larissa Jennifer Allen

9-Wendy Irene Stafford Allen<sup>6</sup> was born on 31 Aug 1927 in South Africa and died on 8 May 1999 in Nairobi, Kenya at age 71.

10-Victoria Lorna Winter



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10-**Deborah Jane Winter**

10-**Jessica Wendy Winter**

9-**Jeremy Brian Stafford Allen**

10-**Suzanne Patricia Stafford Allen**

11- **George Rupert P.**

11-**Amy Patricia Stafford Fforde**

10-**Benjamin Maxwell Stafford Allen**

11-**Todd Oscar Stafford Allen**

11-**Leo James Stafford Allen**

10-**Jaqueline Elizabeth Stafford Allen**

11-**Keith Barclay Allen Williams**

10-**Priscilla Anne Stafford Allen**

11-**Luke Hugh Arnold Davey**

11-**Kim Lester Arnold Davey**

8-**Alfred Maxwell Allen**<sup>6,161</sup> was born on 16 Feb 1904 in Croydon, Surrey.

General Notes: ALLEN.-On the 16th February, 1904, at Croydon, Minnie, the wife of Alfred H. Allen (1868-70), a son, who was named Alfred Maxwell.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1916-1920 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as an Architect in Cecil Chambers, 86 Strand, London.
- He was awarded with ARIBA.

6-**William Allen**<sup>34,62</sup> was born on 16 Apr 1808 in West Mill, Hitchin, Hertfordshire, died on 31 Oct 1897 in Dorking, Surrey at age 89, and was buried in FBG Dorking.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Grocer in Leighton Buzzard, Bedfordshire.
- He worked as a Grocer in Dorking, Surrey.

6-**Joseph Allen**<sup>140</sup> was born on 2 Sep 1810 in West Mill, Hitchin, Hertfordshire and died on 17 May 1878 in Bray, Berkshire at age 67.

6-**George Allen**<sup>162</sup> was born on 28 Aug 1813 in West Mill, Hitchin and died on 9 Sep 1893 in Ampthill, Bedfordshire at age 80.

5-**Joseph Allen**<sup>60,91</sup> was born on 24 Jul 1774 in Steward Street, Spitalfields, London and died on 21 Sep 1849 in Dunmow, Essex at age 75.

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Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Silk Weaver in Spitalfields, London.
- He worked as a Quaker Minister.

5-**Jonathan Allen** was born on 4 Oct 1776 in Steward Street, Spitalfields, London.

5-**Job Allen** was born on 29 Jun 1783 in Steward Street, Spitalfields, London.

5-**Benjamin Allen**<sup>15</sup> was born on 12 Nov 1787 and died in 1850 in Stoke Newington, London at age 63.

6-**William Woodgate Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born on 25 Jul 1812 in Bankside, Southwark, London and died on 21 Oct 1889 in 5 Elderfield, Clapton Park, London at age 77.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Grocer and Tea Dealer in Stoke Newington, London.

7-**Lucy Elizabeth Allen** was born in 1838.

Noted events in her life were:

- She worked as a School mistress in 1861.

7-**Ellen Mary Allen**<sup>74</sup> was born on 27 Jun 1841 in Stoke Newington, London and died on 6 Mar 1925 in Lawrence, Douglas County, Kansas, USA at age 83.

8-**Chamney**

8-**Harold Marcus Chamney**<sup>74</sup> was born on 3 Sep 1883 in Minneapolis, Minnesota, USA, died on 7 Aug 1963 in Lawrence, Douglas County, Kansas, USA at age 79, and was buried in Memorial Park Cemetery, Lawrence, Douglas County, Kansas, USA.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Dairy Farmer in Lawrence, Douglas County, Kansas, USA.

9-**Margaret R. Chamney** was born on 21 Jul 1910 in Lawrence, Douglas County, Kansas, USA, died on 5 Mar 2008 in Minneapolis, Minnesota, USA at age 97, and was buried in Fort Snelling National Cemetery, Minneapolis, Minnesota, USA.

10-**Messenheimer** died in Died in Infancy.

10-**Mary Ellen Messenheimer**

10-**Harold Messenheimer**

9-**Edward Harold Chamney** was born on 20 Nov 1911 in Lawrence, Douglas County, Kansas, USA, died on 17 Aug 1990 in Lawrence, Douglas County, Kansas, USA at age 78, and was buried in Memorial Park Cemetery, Lawrence, Douglas County, Kansas, USA.

10-**Clifford Edward Chamney**

10-**Marilyn T. Chamney**

10-**Patricia Ann Chamney**

9-**Marie Chamney**

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10-**Janey Wood**

10-**Karen Wood**

7-**William Henry Allen** was born on 12 May 1843 in Stoke Newington, London and died in 1926 in Bedford, Bedfordshire at age 83.

7-**Walter Allen** was born on 8 Jun 1847 in Stoke Newington, London, died on 2 Jun 1930 in Washington, D.C., USA at age 82, and was buried in Rock Creek Cemetery, Washington, DC.

Noted events in his life were:

- He emigrated to America.

8-**Walter Ellwood Allen** was born in 1875 in Washington, D.C., USA and died on 27 Jun 1954 in Berkshire Heights, Prince George's County, Maryland, USA at age 79.

Noted events in his life were:

- He had a residence in Washington, D.C., USA.

9-**Miranda Allen**

9-**Ruth Allen**

8-**Edward Knight Allen** was born on 23 Oct 1878 in Washington, D.C., USA.

Noted events in his life were:

- He had a residence in South Danville, Vermont, USA.

9-**Ellwood Browning Allen** was born on 15 Oct 1905 in Connecticut, USA and died on 4 Mar 1990 in Arlington, Massachusetts, USA at age 84.

9-**Eleanor Allen** was born on 11 Jun 1908 in South Danville, Vermont, USA.

9-**Edward Knight Allen Jnr.** was born on 1 Oct 1910 in Burlington, Vermont, USA and died on 18 May 1994 in Westborough, Massachusetts, USA at age 83.

7-**Madeline Blanche Allen** was born about 1876 in Clapton, Hackney, London.

6-**Alfred Benjamin de Lisle Allen** was born on 22 Feb 1817 in Gloucester Row, Walworth, died in 1877 in Southwark, London at age 60, and was buried on 21 Sep 1877 in St. Saviour Southwark, Surrey.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with MRCS.

7-**Florence Dinah de Lisle Allen** was born on 4 Dec 1850 in Margate, Kent and died in 1904 in Hendon, Middlesex at age 54.

Noted events in her life were:

- She worked as a Musician and Teacher.

7-**George Stafford Hanbury Millson Allen** was born on 10 Mar 1855 in London and died in 1882 at age 27.

6-**Mary Ann Allen**<sup>6</sup> was born about 1818.

6-**Charlotte Emma Allen** was born on 21 Jan 1819 and died on 31 May 1841 in Lindfield, Sussex at age 22.

6-**Amelia Eliza Allen**<sup>6,15</sup> was born in 1823 and died on 1 Feb 1847 in Walworth, London at age 24.

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4-**Susanna Allen**<sup>2</sup> was born in 1736 and died in 1821 in Dunmow, Essex<sup>6</sup> at age 85.

5-**Hollis Clayton**<sup>2,4,6,70</sup> was born on 21 Nov 1766 in Chiswick, London, was christened on 17 Dec 1766 in Chiswick Church, died on 26 Nov 1830 in Dunmow, Essex at age 64, and was buried in FBG Dunmow.

General Notes: Learned the trade of grocer with the firm of Day & Grover of Standstead, Essex. Became a Quaker in 1791 and purchased his grocers shop in Dunmow in 1796. The Quaker influence probably came at the death of his father, as he looked to his Quaker uncle, John Allen, for guidance.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was baptized on 17 Dec 1766 in Chiswick Church.
- He was educated at Friend's School, Boley Hill in Rochester, Kent.
- He worked as a Grocer & Journeyman in Dunmow, Essex.
- He was a Quaker by Convincement in 1791.

6-**William Impey Clayton**<sup>2,4,70</sup> was born on 11 Jan 1800 in Dunmow, Essex and died on 23 Nov 1855 in Dunmow, Essex at age 55.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Thomas Thompson's School, Compton, Dorset.
- He worked as a Grocer & Draper in Dunmow, Essex.

7-**Clayton** was born in 1834 and died in 1834 in Died in Infancy.

7-**William Clayton**<sup>2,6,175</sup> was born on 4 Aug 1835 in Great Dunmow, Essex, died on 4 Mar 1881 in Great Dunmow, Essex at age 45, and was buried in FBG Dunmow.

General Notes: WILLIAM, born 1835, educated at Epping and at Hitchin. On death of his father he continued the family business till his death in 1881. He was for many years a Burgess of the town, and had filled the office of bailiff. He was intimately connected with the Dunmow Savings Bank, a trustee of the Literary Institution, and treasurer of the British Schools. He married in 1871, Louisa Goff, at Gorleston Church (a morning wedding, with two bridesmaids). After her husband's death she removed to Chelmsford, where she now resides. His funeral was attended by upwards of 700 persons. (An interesting account of his life is in the " Chelmsford Chronicle " for 11th March, 1881.) Hobbies: His one recreation in life was hunting.

8-**William Alfred Clayton**<sup>2,173</sup> was born in 1872.

General Notes: WILLIAM ALFRED, born 1872. Educated at Epping and at Saffron Walden. Apprenticed at Scarborough to John Rowntree and Sons, and afterwards at Weston-super-Mare, Sheffield and Pontefract. He started in business as a grocer at Winton, near Bournemouth, in 1908. He married, in 1902, Lilian King, at Westminster F.M.; it was an afternoon wedding without bridesmaids. Hobbies: Work in connexion with the Society of Friends and Adult School Work.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Epping & Saffron Walden.
- He worked as a Grocer of Winton, Bournemouth.

9-**Donald King Clayton**<sup>2</sup> was born in 1904 in Pontefract, Yorkshire.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Sibford.

9-**Oliver William Clayton**<sup>2</sup> was born in 1905 in Pontefract, Yorkshire.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Sibford.

9-**Aylwin Goff Clayton**

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### 9-Basil Clayton

8-**John Henry Clayton**<sup>2</sup> was born in 1874 and died in 1882 in Drowned At Langley, Great Yarmouth. at age 8.

8-**Louisa Maria Clayton**<sup>2,26,109,126,152,173</sup> was born in Dec 1875.

General Notes: LOUISA MARIA, born 1875. Educated at Chelmsford and Colchester (Minden House), where she afterwards became a Teacher. Married Harris Smith (born 1869) at Chelmsford F.M. in 1898 (an afternoon wedding with two bridesmaids). They now reside at Pattiswick, near Braintree. Hobbies: Temperance and Educational Work.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at Chelmsford & Minden House, Colchester.
- She worked as a Teacher.

9-**Dorothy Clayton Smith**<sup>2</sup> was born on 18 Dec 1899 in Bowers Grange, Coggeshall, Essex and died in Jun 2000 in Cotswolds, Gloucestershire at age 100.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at Chelmsford High School in Chelmsford, Essex.
- She was educated at Polam Hall in Darlington, County Durham.

9-**Ronald Harris Smith**<sup>2,126</sup> was born on 16 May 1902 in Bowers Grange, Coggeshall, Essex and died in Feb 1996 in Cotswolds, Gloucestershire at age 93.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Braintree High School in Braintree, Essex.
- He was educated at Sidcot.

9-**Rachel Joyce Smith**<sup>2,109</sup> was born on 30 Mar 1907 in Mille's Farm, Stisted, Essex.

General Notes: SMITH.-On the 30th March, 1907, at Braintree, Louisa M., the wife of Harris Smith (1881-85), a daughter, who was named Rachel Joyce.

8-**Janet Clayton**<sup>2,173</sup> was born in 1878.

General Notes: JANET, born 1878. Educated at Chelmsford and Colchester. Hobbies: Specially interested in Temperance and other Social Work; Treasurer of Benevolent Society.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at Chelmsford & Colchester.
- She worked as a Social worker.

8-**Hollis Clayton**<sup>2</sup> was born on 7 Feb 1880 and died on 11 Apr 1965 at age 85.

General Notes: HOLLIS, born 1881. Educated at Chelmsford Grammar School. Apprenticed to corn and seed trade with Cramphorn, Chelmsford; learnt farming at Joseph Smith's, at Pattiswick, and is now in partnership with him. He married Mary Louise Hicks, at Copford Church, in 1911-an afternoon wedding with two bridesmaids. The "Essex County Chronicle" of that week gives some particulars of the ceremony. They now reside at Milles' Farm, Stisted, Essex. Hobbies: Music, hunting and shooting

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Chelmsford Grammar.
- He worked as a Farmer of Mille's Farm, Stisted, Essex.

9-**Joan Mary Clayton**<sup>2,173</sup> was born on 8 Nov 1914 in Stisted, Essex and died on 16 Feb 1996 in Donnington, Berkshire at age 81.

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9-**Hollis Clayton**<sup>2,173</sup> was born on 1 Jan 1916, died on 16 Aug 2001 at age 85, and was buried in Heathfield, East Sussex.

7-**Maria Clayton**<sup>2</sup> was born in 1837.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at Brighton.

8-**William Clayton Smith**<sup>2,173</sup> was born in 1865.

General Notes: WILLIAM CLAYTON, born 1865. Educated at Epping, Lexden and Scarborough. Apprenticed to the drapery trade at Green's, Stanstead. His father's business in High Street, Chelmsford, was carried on by the trustees of his will until 1866, when it was acquired by W. C. S. and his brother Bernard, by whom it is still carried on under the name of J. A. Smith and Sons, drapers and milliners. Hobbies: Sailing and trips on his well-known boats, first the "Rover" and now the "Vera," have given many of his friends a great deal of pleasure.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Epping, Lexden & Scarborough.
- He worked as a Draper of Chelmsford.

8-**Alfred Bernard Smith**<sup>2,173</sup> was born in 1868.

General Notes: ALFRED BERNARD, born 1868. Educated at Lexden and Scarborough. Apprenticed to Stretch and Harlock, at Nantwich, and is in business with his brother as stated above. He is one of the best amateur growers of sweetpeas for miles round. Hobbies: Especially fishing and golf, and also tennis.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Lexden & Scarborough.
- He worked as a Draper of Chelmsford.

8-**Dr. Lewis Albert Smith**<sup>2,6,31,173</sup> was born on 8 May 1869 in Chelmsford, Essex and died on 17 Sep 1944 in Criccieth, Gwynedd, Wales at age 75.

General Notes: LEWIS ALBERT, born 1869. Educated at Epping, Lexden and Scarborough. Intended to follow the medical profession, which he studied at the London Hospital. He obtained the degree of M.D. (Lond.), 1901, and F.R.C.P. in 1910, and has for many years been on the staff of that hospital; he practises as a consulting physician at his residence, 25, Queen Anne Street, W. He married Ethel Rigby at Immanuel Church, at Streatham, in 1904 (afternoon wedding, with four bridesmaids): Hobbies: Their joint hobbies are golf and fishing. L. 's maximum catch has been a pike weighing 23lbs., at Burton, in January this year, and Ethel's a trout weighing 7lbs. at Lochinver, in July last.

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Lewis Albert Smith b.8 May 1869 d.17 Sept 1944  
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Lewis Smith, who was born at Chelmsford, the third son of Joseph Alfred Smith, and educated at Scarborough, was associated chiefly with the London Hospital, which he first entered as a student in 1889. He won the Letheby scholarship for chemistry, and qualified in 1895. He was then given a succession of junior posts before being appointed assistant physician in 1902. For many years he taught clinical medicine and, when he retired in 1927, he was elected consulting physician. Smith also served on the staffs of the Eastern Dispensary, the Poplar Hospital, and the King George Hospital in his earlier years. "L.A.", as he was affectionately known, was an admirable teacher of elementary medicine and enjoyed a large and lucrative practice, from which he retired comparatively early in life in order to enjoy his hobbies of travel and fishing. He married in 1904 Ethel, daughter of John Rigby and sister of Sir Hugh Rigby; they had no children. He died at Criccieth. Lancet, 1944. B.M.J., 1944. (Volume IV, page 513)

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Epping, Lexden & Scarborough.
- He worked as a Doctor at The London Hospital & Consulting physician.

8-**Lawrence Smith**<sup>2,173</sup> was born in 1870.

General Notes: LAWRENCE, born 1870. Educated at Epping, Lexden and Scarborough. Apprenticed to Rowntree and Sons, grocers, at York. He was for some years a traveller for Rowntrees, cocoa manufacturers, of York. In 1906 he joined his brother Percy in establishing the Emperor Café, at Carlisle, which they disposed of just before the outbreak of the war in 1914, and he is now in business of

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a similar character at Epsom. Hobbies: Golf, and very good at gardening

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Epping, Lexden & Scarborough.
- He worked as a Cafe proprietor of Carlisle & then Epsom.

**8-Richenda Maria Smith**<sup>2,173</sup> was born in 1872.

General Notes: RICHENDA MARIA (CHENNIE), born 1872. Educated at Kendal and Polam. At this latter school she was for some years Singing Mistress. She spent the winter of 1903 in studying singing at Wiesbaden, and in igo' took it up as a profession, first under Johannes Messchaert for a year. Returned to England and was further trained under Raimond Von Zur Muhlen and Madame Hope Cliffe, and is now a professional singer and teacher. Her professional name is Richenda Clayton. She, with two intimate friends, are living together in the Finchley Road, near Hampstead Heath. Hobbies: Outdoor Games and her professional work.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at Kendal & Polam Hall.
- She worked as a Professional Singer & Teacher.

**8-Howard Smith**<sup>2,173</sup> was born in 1873.

General Notes: HOWARD, born x873. Educated at Epping, Lexden and Scarborough. Apprenticed to Headley's, printers, at Ashford. For a year or two after his apprenticeship he travelled for them and another firm in the paper trade. Later on he travelled for Peters, the chocolate people. He finally decided to leave the road, and is now in the confectionery trade at Worthing. Hobbies: Fishing

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Epping, Lexden & Scarborough.
- He worked as a Confectioner of Worthing.

**8-Percy Smith**<sup>2,173</sup> was born in 1874.

General Notes: PERCY, born 1874. Educated at Epping, Lexden and Scarborough. He was apprenticed to Rowntrees, grocers, at Scarborough, and afterwards travelled for Rowntrees, cocoa manufacturers, of York. As stated above, he joined his brother Lawrence in business at Carlisle. On the outbreak of the War he enlisted in the 2nd London Regiment, 2nd Battalion Queen's Westminster Rifles. After being trained in London he went first to Saffron Walden, then to Salisbury Plain. In 1916 he went to France, and is now in Salonika. Hobbies: Fishing, and a keen sttfdent of bird life.

**8-Stanley Smith**<sup>2,173</sup> was born on 11 Nov 1876 and died on 24 Nov 1876.

**8-Florence Mabel Smith**<sup>2,173</sup> was born on 4 Feb 1878 and died on 25 Dec 1955 in Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada at age 77.

General Notes: FLORENCE MABEL (Flossie), born 1878. Educated at Margate and at Polam. She resided with her mother till her marriage, and was a trained accompanist on the piano. She married Hugh Sharman (born 1874) at Brompton Parish Church in 1914 (afternoon wedding with one bridesmaid), and they have since resided at Salter, Saskatchewan, Canada, where he is farming. At the time of printing these notes F. M. S. is on a visit to her mother in England.

A daughter born 25th February, 1917., named Richenda

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at Margate & Polam Hall.

**9-Richenda Sharman** was born on 25 Feb 1917 in Salter, Saskatchewan, Canada.

**7-Charlotte Clayton**<sup>2,173</sup> was born in 1839 and died in 1908 in Clevedon, Somerset at age 69.

General Notes: CHARLOTTE, born 1839. Educated at Brighton. After her mother's death, in 1875, she and her sister Ellen resided at Chelmsford till her marriage in 1882 with James Whitehead (born

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1841) at Devonshire House F.M. (a morning wedding, with four bridesmaids.) J. W. bought the old family business at Dunmow from her brother's executors and continued in it till 1897, when he retired. They then lived at Worcester for some years. They made repeated visits to Switzerland, Italy and Norway, and on one occasion went to Brumana to visit Ellen. They finally settled at Clevedon, where she died in 1908. J. W. died there in 1915. Hobbies: They were both good linguists and botanists, and had an intimate knowledge of Alpine plants.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at Brighton.

7-**Mary Sophia Clayton**<sup>2,173</sup> was born in 1840 in Great Dunmow, Essex and died in Mar 1902 at age 62.

General Notes: MARY SOPHIA, born 1840. Educated at Brighton. She married her cousin Henry Marriage (born 1835), at Dunmow in 1865 (a morning wedding with four bridesmaids), and for a few years they resided at the Parsonage Farm at Broomfield, removing soon after the death of Henry Marriage, Senr., to Ayletts, where she still resides. For over sixty years she has collected locally for the British and Foreign Bible Society, first at Dunmow and then at Broomfield. H. M. was a very large farmer and miller in partnership with his cousins as W. and H. Marriage and Sons, was a County Councillor and J.P. for Essex. He died at Westcliffe-on-Sea in 1912.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at Brighton.

8-**Henry Marriage**<sup>173</sup> was born in Sep 1866 in Broomfield, Chelmsford, Essex, died on 12 Jun 1938 in Ayletts, Broomfield, Chelmsford, Essex at age 71, and was buried in FBG Chelmsford.

General Notes: HENRY, born 1866. Educated at Epping and Scarborough. He learnt milling with J. and E. P. Wooler, millers, at Batley, Yorks., and in due course became a partner in the family business. He has for some years past lived at Bishop's Hall Mill, and was more especially attached to the milling department of the firm's business, but for the last few years has given a good deal of time to farming. Hobbies: Hunting and cricket

8-**Kay Marriage** was born in 1867 in Broomfield, Chelmsford, Essex.

8-**Wilfred Marriage**<sup>173</sup> was born in Mar 1869 in Broomfield, Chelmsford, Essex.

General Notes: WILFRED, born 1868. Educated at Epping, Lexden, and Scarborough. He was apprenticed to J. R. Neave and Co., millers, at Fordingbridge, but after his apprenticeship was up took to farming and lived at Springfield Hall. Later on in life he went out to Nelson, New Zealand, where he is now engaged in fruit farming. Hobbies: Gardening.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Fruit Farmer in Nelson, New Zealand.

8-**Helena Sophia Marriage**<sup>173</sup> was born in Mar 1870 in Broomfield, Chelmsford, Essex, died in Jul 1870, and was buried in Chelmsford, Essex.

8-**Mary Ellen Marriage**<sup>173</sup> was born in Dec 1871 in Broomfield, Chelmsford, Essex.

General Notes: MARY ELLEN (NELLIE), born 1870. Educated at Weston-super-Mare and Southport. She is a member of several Education Committees in connection with the Essex County Council, and to which she gives up a large amount of time. Has been a considerable traveller, including Jerusalem and Brumana, on the Nile 200 miles above Khartoum, and seven times on the Continent of Europe, including Sicily. Hobbies: A great reader and botanist.

8-**Susannah Maria Marriage**<sup>2,173</sup> was born in Dec 1872 in Broomfield, Chelmsford, Essex.

General Notes: SUSANNA MARIA (MAY), born 1872. Educated at Weston-super-Mare and Southport. Has travelled in Switzerland and Norway; also to Brumana, visiting the Cedars of Lebanon and Cairo. She has been on the board of management of the Erinville Hospital since 1910, and secretary since 1914. She is a member of the Red Cross Society V.A.D., and is also chairman of St. John's Ambulance Association. She married Charles Ernest Beale, of Cork, at Chelmsford F.M. It was an afternoon wedding, and there were five bridesmaids.

- (1) Charles Kenneth, born 1901. At Sidcot and Felstead Schools.
- (2) George Henry, born 1905. At Manor School, Fermoy.
- (3) Maxwell Goff, born 1907.
- (4) Philip Clayton, born 1908.

9-**Charles Kenneth Beale**<sup>2</sup> was born in 1901.



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9-**George Henry Beale**<sup>2</sup> was born in 1905.

9-**Maxwell Goff Beale**

9-**Capt. Philip Clayton Beale**<sup>2</sup> was born in 1908, died on 3 Jul 1942 in Egypt. Killed in action at age 34, and was buried in El Alamein War Cemetery VIII.G.21.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as an officer of the Royal Horse Artillery.

8-**Constance Marriage**<sup>2</sup> was born in Jun 1874 in Broomfield, Chelmsford, Essex.

General Notes: CONSTANCE (CONNIE), born 1874. Educated at Weston-super-Mare and Southport. Has travelled in the West Indies and to Panama; also several times on the Continent of Europe. Married Ernest Smallwood Savage, M.A., M.B., F.R.C.S., of Birmingham, at Little Waltham Church, in 1911. A morning wedding; her sister was bridesmaid and two of her nephews acted as pages.

Hobbies: A good gardener and hockey player.

(1) Thomas Raymond, born 1912.

(2) Christopher Smallwood, born 1915.

9-**Thomas Raymond Savage**<sup>2</sup> was born on 28 Oct 1912 and died in Dec 1994 in Uttlesford, Essex at age 82.

9-**Dr. Christopher Smallwood Savage**<sup>2</sup> was born on 21 Nov 1915 in 80 Hagley Road, Edgbaston, was christened on 11 Jan 1916 in St. George's, Edgbaston, and died on 10 Dec 2007 at age 92.

General Notes: After qualifying, Christopher Smallwood Savage joined the Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve (RNVR) and served as surgeon lieutenant on HMS Havelock on North Atlantic convoys. After the war he trained in otorhinolaryngology at The London Hospital under Mr C Keogh before obtaining consultant posts at the beginning of the NHS. He worked as a truly general ear, nose, and throat surgeon, bringing the evolving specialty to his patients, who admired him. Among colleagues he was respected for his hard work, humour, and principles. He was an active member of the Royal Society of Medicine's ENT division.

He contracted polio in 1953 but made a near complete recovery. After retiring in 1979, he continued to sail at the Blackwater Sailing Club, and he took up woodcarving and fly fishing. He travelled to Australasia and Europe, enjoying many NADFAS (National Association of Decorative and Fine Arts Societies) tours. He leaves a wife, Jill; two sons; and a daughter.

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Christopher Savage was a consultant ENT surgeon at the Chelmsford and Essex Hospital, and the Southend General Hospital, where he developed a special interest in microsurgery of the ear. Born in Edgbaston, Birmingham, on 21 November 1915, he was part of the third generation of a family of surgeons. His father, Ernest Smallwood Savage, who gained his FRCS in 1896, was a gynaecologist at Birmingham and Wolverhampton. His grandfather, Thomas Savage, who was awarded the FRCS in 1869, was a professor of gynaecology in Birmingham. Christopher Savage's mother Constance was a housewife.

Savage was educated at West House School, Edgbaston, Marlborough College, Gonville and Caius, Cambridge, and then the London Hospital. He managed to do his pre-registration house jobs at the Haymeads Hospital, Bishop's Stortford, before serving as a surgeon lieutenant in the Royal Navy Volunteer Reserve on HMS Havelock on the North Atlantic convoys.

At the end of the Second World War he became a supernumerary registrar at the London Hospital, during which time he gained experience in general surgery and otolaryngology with Charles Keogh, Alan Bowen Davies and Johan Lindahl. Their influence led him to become first assistant to the aural department at the London from 1948 to 1952. He contracted polio in 1953, but fortunately made a near complete recovery.

In 1949 he was appointed to his first consultant post, in Chelmsford, and, in 1953, he was also made a consultant at Southend. Among his consultant colleagues he was respected for his hard work, humour and principles.

He retired in April 1979. He continued to sail at the Blackwater Sailing Club and took up woodcarving and fly fishing. He died from pneumonia on 10 December 2007 at the age of 92. He was survived by his wife Jill née Dawe, whom he married in April 1951, and his three children. His sons James and Robert have continued the family tradition, becoming a general practitioner and a consultant orthopaedic surgeon respectively. His daughter became a physiotherapist. Three of his seven grandchildren have also become doctors.

Neil Weir

Sources used to compile this entry: [BMJ 2008 336 513].

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as an Ear, Nose and Throat Surgeon.

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### 10-Dr. Robert Savage

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**8-Eustace Marriage**<sup>173</sup> was born in Dec 1875 in Broomfield, Chelmsford, Essex.

General Notes: EUSTACE, born 1875. Educated at Epping, Lexden and Scarborough. Apprenticed to Marriage and Pinnock, cotton spinners, Chorley, Lancashire. For some years he was in business as a cotton manufacturer, at Blackburn, under the name of Marriages, Lim. He is now in New Zealand near his brother Wilfred as a fruit farmer. Hobbies: Cricket and shooting

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Fruit farmer in New Zealand, near to his brother Wilfred.

**8-Montague William Marriage**<sup>2,173</sup> was born in Dec 1876 in Broomfield, Chelmsford, Essex.

General Notes: MONTAGUE WILLIAM, born 1876. Educated at Colchester and Leighton Park. Apprenticed to Midwinter, ironfounder, Birmingham, and afterwards at Brighthouse and Crompton's electric light works at Chelmsford. At the time of the Boer War he joined the Electrical Engineers and worked at searchlight work at Vryburg. He has been for some years in business as an ironfounder at Dunedin, N.Z. In 1914 made a tour with his wife round the world, which included visits to England and the States. He married Margaret Wilson at the Presbyterian Church at Dunedin, in 1910.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Colchester & Leighton Park.
- He worked as an Ironfounder of Dunedin, New Zealand.

**8-Llewellyn Marriage**<sup>173</sup> was born in Sep 1879 in Broomfield, Chelmsford, Essex, died on 18 Feb 1960 in Chelmsford, Essex at age 80, and was buried in FBG Chelmsford.

General Notes: LEWELLYN, born 1879. Educated at Colchester and Leighton Park. He learnt farming under his father and in due course became a partner in the family business; he continued in this occupation until the outbreak of the War, when he obtained a commission in the Eastern Mounted Brigade A.S.C., was first stationed at Peterborough, then at Epsom and in the Eastern Counties, and in December, 1916, arrived in Salonika.

Hobbies: Cricket and hunting.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Colchester & Leighton Park.
- He had a residence in The Parsonage, Broomfield, Chelmsford, Essex.

### 9-John Goodbody Marriage

**7-Ellen Clayton**<sup>2,181</sup> was born in 1842.

Noted events in her life were:

- She worked as a Nurse. Brumana Hospital Friends Mission. In Brummana, Lebanon.

**6-John Clayton**<sup>2</sup> was born in 1801 and died on 11 Feb 1827 at age 26.

General Notes: Died from Erysipelas.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Isaac Payne's School, Epping.

**6-Hollis Clayton**<sup>2</sup> was born on 30 Jan 1804, died on 10 Nov 1876 in Brighton, East Sussex at age 72, and was buried in FBG Black Rock, Brighton.

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Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Epping School.
- He worked as a Grocer and Draper in Chelmsford, Essex.

7-**Mary Anna Clayton**<sup>2</sup> was born in 1851 in Dunmow, Essex.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at Lewes School.

7-**Charles Edward Clayton**<sup>2,26</sup> was born in 1854 in Brighton, East Sussex and died on 26 Nov 1923 at age 69.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Brighton and Uckfield schools.
- He was educated at Bootham School in 1869 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as an Architect & Surveyor, Clayton & Black.
- He had a residence in Holmbush Lodge, Henfield, Sussex.

8-**Alice Mary Clayton**<sup>2</sup> was born in 1879 in Brighton, East Sussex.

Noted events in her life were:

- She worked as a Children's author.

8-**Sarah Margaret Clayton**<sup>2</sup> was born in 1880 in Brighton, East Sussex and died on 22 Oct 1926 at age 46.

General Notes: ALL persons having claims against the estate of Sarah Margaret Daviel, late of 30, Albert Mansions, Albert Bridge Road, Battersea, in the county of Surrey, Wife of Leon Daviel, who died on the 22nd day of October, 1926, and whose Will was proved in the Principal Probate Registry on the 18th day of February, 1927, by the said' Leon Daviel and Edgar Hackforth, the executors therein named, are required to send particulars thereof, in writing, to the undersigned on \_ or before the 24th day of June next, after which date the surviving executor will proceed to distribute the estate, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice.—

Dated the 14th day of April, 1934. SHEARD BREACH and CO., 2, Clement's Inn, Strand, W.O.2, Solicitors for the surviving Executor.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at Brighton & Birmingham Schools of Art.

9-**John René Francis Daviel**<sup>2</sup> was born in 1913 and died in 1983 at age 70.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as an Architect and partner in Clayton & Black in Brighton, East Sussex.

9-**Sara June Daviel**

9-**John Hollis Daviel** was born on 16 Apr 1919 in Princes Gate, London.

8-**Phoebe Janet Clayton**<sup>2</sup> was born in 1882 in Brighton, East Sussex.

Noted events in her life were:

- She worked as a Photographer.

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8-**Phyllis Anne Clayton**<sup>2</sup> was born in 1884 in Brighton, East Sussex.

Noted events in her life were:

- She worked as a Nurse.

8-**Joyce Eleanor Clayton**<sup>2</sup> was born in 1887 in Brighton, East Sussex.

9-**Richard Edgar Hackforth**<sup>2</sup> was born in 1910 in Brighton, East Sussex and died in 1956 in Leigh, Lancashire at age 46.

9-**John Laurence Hackforth**

9-**Charles Anthony Philip Hackforth**<sup>2</sup> was born on 2 Aug 1915 in Ashstead, Surrey and died in Aug 2003 in Bournemouth, Dorset at age 88.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with DSO.
- He worked as an officer of the RASC.

10-**Patricia Dorothea Joyce Hackforth**

11-**Philippa Carla Wilks**

11-**Nicola Catherine Wilks**

11-**Anthony Peter Worsley Wilks**

8-**Capt. Charles Lawrence Clayton**<sup>2</sup> was born on 13 Dec 1892 in Brighton, East Sussex and died in 1975 in Exeter, Devon at age 83.

9-**Sgt. Pilot Gerald Lawrence Clayton**<sup>2</sup> was born in 1916, died on 8 Sep 1940 in Missing in action. at age 24, and was buried in Runnymede Memorial.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Sergeant Pilot with the Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, 218 "The Goldcoast" Squadron.

6-**Allen Francis Clayton**<sup>2,4,70</sup> was born on 5 Oct 1806 in Thaxted, Essex, died on 26 Jun 1855 at age 48, and was buried in FBG Kelvedon.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at William Impey's School, Earls Colne.
- He was educated at Isaac Payne's School, Epping.
- He worked as a General shopkeeper in 1834 in Kelvedon, Essex.

7-**Francis Corder Clayton**<sup>2,4,6,26,39,41</sup> was born on 27 Jun 1843 in Kelvedon, Essex and died on 22 Feb 1928 in Birmingham, Warwickshire at age 84.

General Notes: JP. Pro-Vice Chancellor Birmingham University. Francis Corder Clayton was born in Kelvedon, Essex, in 1843 and came to Birmingham as a young man to work in the chemical manufacturing industry for J. & E. Sturge in Wheeley's Lane. In the 1881 Census he is recorded as living at 18 St James's Road in Edgbaston with his widowed mother Emmaretta. In 1882 he successfully stood as a Liberal for Rotton Park Ward and subsequently served for many years on the Finance and Water Committees. He was Mayor from 1889 to 1890, during which time the Elan Valley water supply scheme was inaugurated and the city boundaries were extended. By the time he was granted the Freedom of the City in 1912 he had served on the council for 30 years. *"FRANCIS CORDER, born 1843, at Kelvedon, Essex. Educated at Epping, at Hertford (four months only) and Bootham. I served a five years' apprenticeship to Harvey and Reynolds, chemists, at Leeds. Was. then for a year in London, passing the Pharmaceutical Society's major 'examination, followed by a year at a wholesale drug warehouse. I came to Birmingham in 1867 as chemist to John and Edmund Sturge, manufacturing chemists, and two years later became a partner in the firm, from which I retired in 1887. Details of my engagements in the public life of the City are to be found in the Bootham School Register, published in 1915. I am a J.P. for the City and Pro-Vice-Chancellor of the University. Hobbies: Compiling the Family Histories.; travelling (450, 000 miles by rail, 8,000 by*

water)"

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Francis Corder Clayton becomes an Honorary Freeman of Birmingham. On July 2nd the Birmingham City Council resolved to confer the honorary freedom of the City upon an Old Scholar, Francis Corder Clayton, (1855-8) and the interesting ceremony of presenting the illuminated copy of the resolution, and a casket to contain it, to the new Freeman, took place at the Council House on November 6th. The Lord Mayor (Alderman Bowater) in making the presentation referred to the reasons which had led the Council to confer upon Alderman Clayton "the greatest honour in their power." (We are indebted for the following report of the speeches to the account of the proceedings in the "Birmingham Post.") "The greatest care was exercised that the freemen should be only those who had rendered eminent services to the city." "Your public work," the Lord Mayor continued, turning to Alderman Clayton, "entitles you to take a prominent place among our freemen." "Coming to Birmingham in 1867, when you were 24 years of age, you soon made for yourself a high position in commerce, and had such financial success that twenty-five years ago you retired from business, and you have since devoted all your time to civic service. I say all your time because by remaining single you have more spare time than a man with the cares of a family. One is not surprised at your being a bachelor. What else could be expected from one whose youthful playthings and hobbies were differential calculus, integral calculus, trigonometry, and conic sections?" Proceeding, the Lord Mayor spoke of the youngest freeman's genius for finance. There was not time to enumerate all the public objects that had had the advantage of Alderman Clayton's energetic support, but he would mention a few. From 1877, for eleven years, he was a Poor-law Guardian, and took an active part in establishing the Marston Green Homes, so that a certain class of children should not start life with the label "Workhouse." He had been at one time chairman of the committee, and helped to start the institution on its successful career. In 1882 Alderman Clayton entered the City Council, and at once joined the Finance and Public Works Committees. He was appointed chairman of the Finance Committee in 1886, and had held that office ever since, except for the two years he was Mayor. During that period, in spite of the saying "Neither a borrower nor a lender be," he had borrowed £13,681,000 in loans, bearing a rate of interest, thanks to his ability, which compared favourably with that paid upon most municipal loans in the country. Also, during that time, the Finance Committee had passed for payments accounts of the several committees amounting to over £25,000,000. Having alluded to the events, including a Royal visit, which made Alderman Clayton's mayoralty in 1889 and 1890 notable, the Lord Mayor spoke appreciatively of his services to the University, remarking that his contributions to the funds, and the presentation by him of the artistic statue of the late King Edward, were evidences of his generosity. Alderman Clayton's work outside the Council and the University, he added, had been most extensive, and it would be easier to mention the very few public societies he had not assisted than the great number he had helped. "In conclusion," said his lordship to Alderman Clayton, "because you are a representative of all that is best in the active public life of Birmingham, and have given ungrudgingly of your time and energy to the common interests of your fellow citizens, on their behalf I offer you the right hand of fellowship, and admit you as an honorary freeman of this city." (Loud applause.) The Lord Mayor here shook hands with the new freeman, and passed on to him the handsomely illuminated scroll and the casket, which he remarked was a splendid piece of Birmingham workmanship. The casket is an excellent example of silversmith work, having been fashioned entirely by hand. The body is divided into panels with representations of Truth, Justice, Mercy, and a figure symbolising Progress. These are all in low relief repoussé. A panel in the centre of the body bears a representation of the Birmingham University, also in low relief repoussé. The plinth is decorated with crystals at intervals, set in the antique style. Round the margin of the cover is the superscription in raised letters. Within this there is a decorative fluting having for its centre a representation of the arms of the city in low relief. Having signed the roll, Alderman Clayton rose to reply, and was received with applause. He said it was a proud moment in his life when, four months previously, he was admitted an honorary freeman of the city, but when he looked at the distinguished names on the roll he felt prouder still. He thanked his colleagues for the great honour they had done him; for of all honours, there was none to be compared with that of being appreciated by those with whom he had been associated so long. It was nearly forty-six years since he settled in Birmingham. Ten years later he entered public life as a member of the Board of Guardians. Very different was the way of an election to that body in those days. In consequence of what had taken place a few years previously it was agreed that the Board of sixty members should consist of forty liberals and twenty conservatives. A select few sat round a table a month before the day of election, and after respecting vested interests in the shape of old members, they arranged the additional names to be elected by undertaking to get sufficient voting papers filled up on their behalf. That was delightfully simple, but the by-election at which he was first elected was simpler still. He was asked one January to serve when a vacancy occurred, and was elected in May, and the first he knew about it was a paragraph in the next morning's paper. Many had entered the City Council after an apprenticeship to public life as Guardians, and he believed it had been a good experience for those who had done so. They dealt in the Council chamber to so large an extent with impersonal matters that some knowledge of their poorer neighbours' surroundings had a beneficial influence on their work. He noted with satisfaction that the boundary work between the work of the Board of Guardians and the City Council was becoming more attenuated, and they might possibly at some future time see it all merged into one body. After five years' service as a Guardian he entered the Council, being opposed by a very pleasant gentleman, who desired to expose what he considered were the iniquities of the Liberal caucus of those days. That gentleman had large audiences, and he (Alderman Clayton) had a still larger number of votes, and both were satisfied. After three more elections, of which two were contested, he entered that haven of rest and happiness, the aldermanic bench. Since his first election to the Council over 200 new comers had followed him. For some few years he served on the Public Works and Gas Committees, but his lot had been cast principally with finance and water. As chairman of the Finance Committee for many years, he had endeavoured to steer a fair mean between parsimony on the one hand and a too-generous expenditure on the other. With the extended views of local government, particularly in those of health and education, it would be more and more difficult, he might say impossible, to keep rates from rising, so long as the present system of raising money for local expenditure remained unaltered. They had been looking for additional help from the Imperial Exchequer, but it never came. At present that contribution was only one-fifth of their expenditure. It would be a pleasant change when he was relieved from membership of the Finance Committee, and could go in for "improvements" as some of his colleagues did. He wanted to try the experiment some day to see what it was like. In May, when the time came for settling the rates for the year, the chairman of the Finance Committee had a bad fortnight. He found the requirements of the various committees much higher than he could recommend to the Council, and therefore he interviewed the various departments, only to find that the breadth of view, entertained by each as to their own requirements was very great. Still, the committees had helped him in the past to a considerable extent. The whole business, however, had grown too large for one person to tackle, and the new plan of a Consultative Committee, in which the proposals were brought before all the spending committees at the same time, giving a bird's eye view of the situation, had worked admirably. It was during his Mayoralty that the Welsh water scheme was approved by the Council, and he could only say now, what he said in its early stages, that there was no other course open to them. In fact that was the opinion of all who had carefully studied the subject. Unfortunately there was as yet no daylight on its future from a financial standpoint. It had been his privilege to be associated with several institutions in the city, and some of these had also had their financial trials. Amongst others, there was the Queen's Hospital, which he was glad to say had lived to see happier times. The University was having its trials at the present time, but he hoped they were now on the turn for the better. They could spend double as much money as they did, and advantageously, if they had the means. The field of original research was "white unto the harvest," but others were reaping because in Birmingham they had not had the means to sow. The Government were offering them £1,200 a year for original research in a specialised field, but owing to their poverty in providing their small share the scheme was delayed. He expressed regret that his colleague of so many years' standing, the late Alderman Beale, was not with them that afternoon, and in conclusion

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thanked the Council for the handsome casket in which the scroll was placed, saying it would always be a pleasant reminder of thirty-seven years in the public work of the city.  
CLAYTON.— On February 22nd, Francis Corder Clayton (1855-1858), aged 84 years.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with JP.
- He was educated at Bootham School in 1855-1858 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as a Chemists (Pharmaceutical) Apprentice to Harvey & Reynolds in Leeds, Yorkshire.
- He worked as a Manufacturing Chemist. Partner with John & Edmund Sturge. In Birmingham, Warwickshire.
- He worked as a Mayor of Birmingham in 1889-1891.
- He worked as an Alderman of Birmingham in 1890.
- He worked as a Poor Law Guardian.

7-**Philip Clayton**<sup>2,26,52,173</sup> was born in 1845 in Kelvedon, Essex and died on 17 Aug 1874 in Northampton, Northamptonshire at age 29.

General Notes: PHILIP, born at Kelvedon, Essex, 1845. Educated at Epping, Hertford and Bootham. - Was apprenticed to Thomas Worsdell, engineer, of Birmingham (now R. C. Gibbins and Co.'s) for four years. He then studied in London under a civil engineer, and in 1868 joined H. Harrison, of Northampton, in an engineering business, of which he became sole proprietor in 1872. More politician than business man. He died at Kelvedon in 1874 at our mother's house.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1859-1860 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as an apprenticed to Thomas Worsdell, engineer in Birmingham, Warwickshire.
- He worked as an Engineer.

6-**Charles Clayton**<sup>2,89</sup> was born on 23 Jan 1809, died on 8 Jul 1878 in London at age 69, and was buried in FBG Stoke Newington.

General Notes: Lived with his wife Lydia for five years, in Aspley Guise, Bedfordshire. Then moved to London.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at William Impey's school in Earls Colne, Essex.
- He was educated at Isaac Payne's school in Epping, Essex.
- He worked as a Shopkeeper in Apsley Guise, Bedfordshire.

7-**Mary Mabel Clayton**<sup>2,173</sup> was born in 1858 in Aspley Guise, Bedfordshire and died on 26 Dec 1919 at age 61.

General Notes: MARY MABEL (MAY), born 1858, at Aspley Guise. Educated at home. For some years her principal work was private teaching, and she was then trained by Madame Michaelis, and in 1888 opened a preparatory morning school in Croydon for little girls and boys, and has now about 30 in the school. She received a certificate of the Teachers' Registration Council in 1914.

Noted events in her life were:

- She worked as a Teacher in Croydon, Surrey.

7-**Francis Charles Clayton**<sup>2,173</sup> was born on 15 Feb 1859 in Aspley Guise, Bedfordshire.

General Notes: CHARLES, born 1859, at Aspley Guise. Educated at Epping and Lindow Grove School, Alderley Edge. Articled - to R. Eaton James and Co., afterwards Tribe Clarke and Eaton James. Passed final examination of Chartered Accountants, and admitted 1884. Was for a year at the Coalbrookdale Ironworks. Commenced practice in London in 1885, and is still in practice and on register for Croydon. Married in 1888 Katharine L. Black at Brighton Parish Church (afternoon wedding), and they have resided at Croydon since 1891. Hobbies: As a young man, photography.

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Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Chartered Accountant of London & Croydon.

**8-Douglas Impey Clayton**<sup>2,173</sup> was born in 1889 in London and died in 1960 at age 71.

General Notes: DOUGLAS IMPEY, born 1889, in London. Educated at M. M. C.'s School, and afterwards at boarding schools at Sandgate and Heacham. A severe accident at boarding school without medical treatment at the time seriously affected his subsequent health. This, with defective eyesight, has limited his choice of work. He has been trained as a typist; started for himself in 1907, and principally engaged in typing literary work.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Typist.

**8-Maj. Patrick Andrew Clayton**<sup>2,173</sup> was born on 16 Apr 1896 in Croydon, Surrey and died on 17 Mar 1962 at age 65.

General Notes: PATRICK ANDREW, born 1896, at Croydon. Educated at M. M. C. 's School, and then at University College Preparatory School, and at U.C. School, where he gained a Scholarship and matriculated in 1912. In 1913-14 worked at G. Scammell and Nephew on steam motor wagons and military lorries; gained an Open Scholarship for City and Guilds College, London University. In latter year took on work of instructor at O.T.C. In 1915 received a commission and left England for Egypt, -and is now at Salonika; gazetted full Lieutenant 1916 (121st Co. A.S.C., 28th Divisional Train). -----

He was the basis for the character of "Peter Madox" in "The English Patient". Clayton spent nearly 20 years with the Egyptian Survey department during the 1920s and 1930s extensively mapping large areas of previously unmapped desert. In 1931, Clayton was running triangulation from Wadi Halfa to Uweinat when he came across refugees fleeing from the Italian occupation of Kufra, via Uweinat and helped save many from death in the arid desert. Clayton had collaborated extensively with Ralph Bagnold in the preparation and mapping associated with Bagnold's pre-war exploration trips. He served in the British Army's Long Range Desert Group (LRDG) during World War II. At the Clayton spent nearly 20 years with the Egyptian Survey department during the 1920s and 1930s extensively mapping large areas of previously unmapped desert. In 1931, Clayton was running triangulation start of the war Clayton was a government surveyor in Tanganyika. Bagnold had him returned to Egypt because of his detailed knowledge of the Western Desert. He was commissioned into the Intelligence Corps. Clayton was leading "T" Patrol in a planned attack on Kufra when the patrol was engaged by the Italian Auto-Saharan Company on 31 January 1941, near Gebel Sherif. During the action Captain Clayton was wounded and his car damaged. He along with his colleagues was taken prisoner. He was moved to the Abruzzo region in Italy where he was visited by Laszlo Almasy after Almasy's spy mission, Operation Salaam, to transport two German spies across the Libyan desert to Cairo.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Surveyor & Soldier.
- He was awarded with DSO MBE.

**9-Maj. Peter Hollis Clayton** was born on 14 Jun 1928 in Croydon, Surrey and died on 19 Jul 2011 at age 83.

General Notes: Peter Hollis Clayton was born in Croydon on 14 June 1928 to Patrick Andrew and Ethel (Ellie) Clayton, née Wyatt. Peter's father worked in Cairo for the Egyptian Desert Surveys Department and Ellie and Peter joined him there in August 1928. Patrick worked with Count Lászlo Almásy, and some believe he was the model for the character of Peter Madox in The English Patient. In 1938, with war threatening, Peter returned to England with his mother to continue his education, first at St Michael's, and then at Sevenoaks School, where he was a member of School House, played rugby and was a house captain and prefect. Conscripted into the Army in 1946, Peter was commissioned in 1948 into the Queen's Royal Regiment, stationed in Germany. He took on the role of Motor Transport Officer, experience that would be invaluable later in the desert. Keen to return to Arabia, he attended a three-month Arabic Language Course in late 1952 and a one-year course at the Middle East Centre for Arabic Studies in Lebanon in 1953. The Centre was widely believed to be a school for Western spies. Having qualified, Peter joined the Trucial Oman Levies in January 1954 as a squadron commander, where his adventurous spirit, fluent Arabic, army training and deep understanding of Arab culture made him an ideal recruit. Peter played a key role in evicting the Saudi insurgents and then commanded a joint Saudi/ Trucial Oman Levies police force patrolling the disputed oasis area. He was invested with the MBE in 1956 for his services. He was admired and respected by many local people and their leaders, and the ruler of Dubai asked him personally to establish the first Dubai police force. This Peter did, and the new service mustered at Naif on 1 June 1956, with 29 members. Today it is 15,000 strong. He also became a close, lifelong friend of Sheikh Zayed bin Sultan al Nahyan, who later founded the United Arab Emirates. From 1971 to 1994 Peter was very active in the Middle East, using his contacts, knowledge of the area, and military experience in a number of business ventures. He worked to develop the UAE, promoting schemes for water distillation and desert agriculture. In 1994 he retired to Cornwall, but his love of travel and expeditions remained. He made long overland trips to Morocco and Tunisia, and also retraced his father's tracks across the deserts of Egypt and Libya, acting as guide and tour leader. Peter's wife, Dr Pamela Passmore, whom he met at St Michael's School and married in 1958, predeceased him in 2005. He is survived by his two children and nine grandchildren. Richard Atkinson OS

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Sevenoaks School.
- He was awarded with MBE.

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- He worked as a Founder of the Dubai Police service.

### 10-Patrick Clayton

### 10-Gillian B. Clayton

7-**Edward Allen Clayton**<sup>2,6,173</sup> was born in 1860 in Woburn, Bedfordshire, died in 1864 at age 4, and was buried in FBG Stoke Newington.

7-**Sarah Mildred Clayton**<sup>2</sup> was born in 1862 in Stoke Newington, London, died in 1902 at age 40, and was buried in Rosslyn Chapel.

General Notes: SARAH MILDRED, born 1862, at Stoke Newington. Educated at home. She was an invalid a great part of her life, but did excellent work in connection with Marlborough School Mission at Tottenham. She died in 1902 and was buried in the grounds of Rosslyn Chapel.

6-**George Gibson Clayton**<sup>2</sup> was born in 1815, died in Died in Infancy, and was buried in FBG Dunmow.

5-**John Clayton**<sup>2</sup> was born in 1774 in Chiswick, London, died in May 1788 in Chiswick, London at age 14, and was buried on 8 May 1788 in Chiswick Churchyard.

General Notes: Died of Tuberculosis

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Friend's School, Boley Hill in Rochester, Kent.

4-**Elizabeth Allen**<sup>1,2,3,6</sup> was christened in 1731, died in 1821 at age 90, and was buried in FBG Ratcliff.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was a Quaker by Convincement.

John next married **Mary Stansel**<sup>1</sup> on 21 Jun 1745 in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire. Mary died in Apr 1779 in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire and was buried on 8 Apr 1779 in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire.

3-**Alice Allen**<sup>1</sup> was born on 11 Mar 1698 in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire and was christened on 24 Mar 1698 in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire.

2-**Edward Allen**<sup>1</sup> was born in 1670 in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire, was christened on 30 Oct 1670 in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire, died in Nov 1725 at age 55, and was buried on 14 Nov 1725 in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Labourer in Thorpe Salvin, Rotherham, Yorkshire.



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