
**Descendants of
Thomas Gibbins**

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1-**Thomas Gibbins**¹ was born in 1682 in Dudley, Staffordshire and died on 17 Jul 1767 at age 85.

Thomas married **Mary Bissel**,¹ daughter of **John Bissel**, on 27 Mar 1711 in FMH Fulford Heath, Warwickshire. Mary was born on 15 Apr 1689 in Fulford Heath, Hampton in Arden, Warwickshire and died on 4 May 1762 at age 73. They had eight children: **Hannah, Mary, Sarah, Phoebe, Josiah, Elizabeth, Ann**, and **Thomas**.

2-**Hannah Gibbins**¹ was born on 23 Nov 1712 in Dudley, Staffordshire.

2-**Mary Gibbins**¹ was born on 1 Sep 1714 in Dudley, Staffordshire² and died on 26 Apr 1773 at age 58.

General Notes: Mary married twice more, following Samuel's death.

Noted events in her life were:

- She worked as a Samuel and Mary emigrated to America after 1753.

Mary married **Samuel Deall**¹ on 25 Oct 1748. Samuel was born in 1710 and died in 1758 in New Jersey, USA at age 48. They had two children: **Thomas** and **Mary**.

3-**Thomas Deall** was born on 5 May 1751 and died on 2 Mar 1753 at age 1.

3-**Mary Deall** was born on 2 May 1753 in Coatbridge, Lanarkshire.

Mary married **Emmanuel Kennard** on 4 Jun 1799 in FMH Horsham, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. Emmanuel was born on 19 Jul 1744 in Chester County, Pennsylvania, USA and died on 22 Jun 1814 in Chester County, Pennsylvania, USA at age 69. They had one daughter: **Esther**.

4-**Esther Kennard** was born on 3 Aug 1787 in Lancaster, Pennsylvania, USA and died on 7 Jan 1857 in Mount Pleasant, Jefferson County, Ohio, USA at age 69.

Esther married **Charles Williams**. Charles was born on 18 Jun 1783 in Fedaralsburg, Maryland, USA and died on 16 Aug 1863 in Mount Pleasant, Jefferson County, Ohio, USA at age 80. They had one son: **Jesse Maris**.

5-**Jesse Maris Williams** was born on 9 Sep 1821 in New Trenton, Ohio, USA and died on 22 Aug 1901 in Mount Pleasant, Jefferson County, Ohio, USA at age 79.

Jesse married **Anna Maria Milner** on 11 Apr 1866 in FMH Mount Pleasant, Ohio. Anna was born on 21 Mar 1839 in Mount Pleasant, Jefferson County, Ohio, USA and died on 20 Dec 1920 in Berkeley, Alameda County, California, USA at age 81. They had one son: **Duncan Rea**.

6-**Duncan Rea Williams** was born on 15 Sep 1870 in Mount Pleasant, Jefferson County, Ohio, USA.

Duncan married **Helen Jane Hussey**, daughter of **Asahel H. Hussey** and **Martha Parker Newby**. Helen was born on 4 Dec 1868 in Mount Pleasant, Jefferson County, Ohio, USA and died on 7 Apr 1956 in Whittier, Los Angeles County, California, USA at age 87.

2-**Sarah Gibbins**¹ was born on 21 Sep 1716 and died on 18 Nov 1781 at age 65.

Sarah married **Joseph Palmer**¹ on 8 Sep 1758. Joseph was born on 16 Jul 1729 and died on 5 Jul 1780 at age 50.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as an Of Worcester.

2-**Phoebe Gibbins**¹ was born on 30 Jan 1718 and died on 19 Jan 1761 at age 42.

Phoebe married **Paul Palmer**.¹ Paul was born in 1726 and died on 22 Dec 1778 at age 52. They had one son: **Thomas**.

3-**Thomas Palmer**¹ was born on 2 Dec 1758.

2-**Josiah Gibbins**^{1,2,3} was born on 29 Nov 1720 and died on 13 Jan 1794 in Stourbridge, Worcestershire at age 73.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Stuffmaker of Stourbridge.

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Josiah married **Mary Hyatt**^{1,3} daughter of **John Hyatt** and **Ann**, on 1 Jul 1755. Mary was born in 1733 and died on 18 Feb 1817 at age 84. They had six children: **John, Thomas, Anne, Elizabeth, Josiah, and Mary**.

Noted events in her life were:

- She worked as an Of Stow on the World.

3-**John Gibbins**¹ was born on 4 Jun 1756 in Stourbridge, Worcestershire and died on 18 Apr 1830 in Coventry, Warwickshire at age 73.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Shroud manufacturer of Coventry.

John married **Elizabeth Baker**¹ daughter of **George Baker** and **Martha**, on 8 Oct 1782. Elizabeth was born in 1762 and died in 1825 at age 63.

3-**Thomas Gibbins**^{1,3,4} was born on 19 Jan 1759 in Stourbridge, Worcestershire and died on 20 Dec 1786 in Coventry, Warwickshire at age 27.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Shroudmaker of Coventry.

Thomas married **Rebecca Bright**^{1,3,4} daughter of **Thomas Bright**³ and **Rebecca Fox**³ on 6 May 1785. Rebecca was born in 1757 and died on 1 Jan 1851 in Charlbury, Oxfordshire at age 94. They had one daughter: **(No Given Name)**.

Noted events in her life were:

- She worked as an Of Charlbury.

4-**Gibbins**^{1,4} died in Jul 1786 in Died in Infancy.

3-**Anne Gibbins**¹ was born on 3 Aug 1762 and died on 16 Jun 1842 at age 79.

3-**Elizabeth Gibbins**^{1,5} was born on 16 Apr 1764 and died on 28 Jul 1843 in Coventry, Warwickshire. (28 August given in AM) at age 79.

3-**Josiah Gibbins**¹ was born on 10 Sep 1767 and died on 5 Mar 1768.

3-**Mary Gibbins**¹ was born on 2 Feb 1769 and died on 2 Nov 1841 at age 72.

2-**Elizabeth Gibbins**^{1,2} was born on 23 Nov 1722 in Dudley, Staffordshire and died on 17 Oct 1797 in Birmingham, Warwickshire at age 74.

Elizabeth married **Joseph Brueton**¹ on 30 Jul 1756. Joseph was born in 1722 and died in Mar 1786 at age 64.

Noted events in his life were:

- Miscellaneous: He suffered from asthma.

Elizabeth next married **Christopher Millington**¹ on 28 Dec 1749. Christopher died on 9 Nov 1750.

2-**Ann Gibbins**¹ was born on 2 Feb 1724 in Dudley, Staffordshire² and died on 4 Jan 1759 at age 34.

Ann married **Trapp**.

2-**Thomas Gibbins**¹ was born on 10 Sep 1727 in Stourbridge, Worcestershire and died on 7 Sep 1803 at age 75.

Thomas married **Ann Bradley**¹ on 24 Feb 1754. Ann was born on 19 Aug 1718 and died on 5 May 1763 at age 44. They had two children: **Joseph** and **Susannah**.

3-**Joseph Gibbins**^{1,3,6,7,8} was born on 18 May 1756 in Aston, Birmingham, Warwickshire, died on 31 May 1811 in London at age 55, and was buried on 6 Jun 1811 in Birmingham, Warwickshire.

General Notes: Of Swansea. Had manufactured buttons but was loaned some £10,000 by Sir Matthew Boulton and encouraged to enter the copper business of Swansea.

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Joseph Gibbins senior (1756– 1811), who became a button maker in Birmingham. As businessmen, Quakers were required to act with scrupulous honesty in all their business dealings and Joseph Gibbins was said to have given up his business in the 1790s when competition in the trade began to involve the selling of inferior shoddy goods to the public, a practice strictly forbidden within the Society of Friends. In 1797, reputedly with the financial help of Matthew Boulton, he went into business at the Rose Copper Works at Swansea, where he was a supplier to Boulton's Birmingham minting business. Gibbins appears to have first been manager and then treasurer of the company and, at his death in 1811, he owned 150 shares in the firm as well as shares in other metallurgical concerns.

The Rose Copper Works had offices at both Swansea and Birmingham and from here Gibbins expanded his business interests to the banking sector. In 1804, in partnership with Samuel Galton and his son Samuel Tertius Galton, he set up a bank in Birmingham and in 1809 invested in the Swansea bank of Gibbins and Eaton. Joseph Gibbins and his wife, Martha (1758– 1827), had numerous children. Among this large family were Joseph; Thomas, an industrialist who had visited Brazil in the early 1820s; Brueton, partner of Joseph Gibbins junior in the Birmingham Banking Company, founded in 1829; George; William; Martha; Margaret; and Mary. Of those members of the family possessing commercial interests, it is Joseph Gibbins junior (1787– 1870) who is best-known as a Quaker banker in the west midlands.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Banker, Button and Copper Manufacturer. Gibbins & Eaton Bank, Swansea.

Joseph married **Martha Bevington**,^{1,3,6,7} daughter of **John Bevington**¹ and **Martha Bright**,¹ on 26 May 1778. Martha was born on 12 Oct 1758 and died on 2 Jul 1827 in Birmingham, Warwickshire at age 68. They had 17 children: **Anne, Elizabeth, Brueton, Mary, Joseph, Thomas, William, Bevington, James, John, Thomas, Martha, George, Sarah, (No Given Name), Sophia, and Henry.**

General Notes: Many if not most of her older children, were brought into the world by the Quaker surgeon Jeremiah Vaux of Birmingham

4-**Anne Gibbins**^{1,3,6,9,10,11} was born on 24 May 1779 and died on 5 Oct 1846 in Grove, Nantwich, Cheshire at age 67.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at York Quarterly Meeting, Girls School. (Later became The Mount School) in 1787 in York, Yorkshire.

Anne married **Croudson Tunstall**,^{1,3,9,10,11,12} son of **James Tunstall** and **Sarah**, on 26 Apr 1809 in FMH Birmingham. Croudson was born on 21 Feb 1781 and died on 17 Nov 1849 in Alvaston Grove, Nantwich, Cheshire at age 68. They had seven children: **Alfred, Lucy, Edwin, Caroline, Maria, Caroline, and William Croudson.**

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Thread manufacturer in Nantwich, Cheshire.
- He worked as a Quaker Elder.

5-**Alfred Tunstall** was born on 6 Feb 1810 in Nantwich, Cheshire.

Alfred married **Sarah Walker Cash**, daughter of **Newman Cash**^{13,14,15} and **Mary Walker**, in 1844. Sarah was born on 27 Oct 1818 in Leeds, Yorkshire. They had one son: **Alfred Croudson.**

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at The Mount School (Castlegate) in Apr 1833-Mar 1834 in York, Yorkshire.

6-**Dr. Alfred Croudson Tunstall**¹⁶ was born in 1846 in Clifton, Bristol, Gloucestershire and died in 1930 in St. Columb, Cornwall at age 84.

General Notes: THE GRAND PRIORY IN THE BRITISH REALM OF THE VENERABLE ORDER OF THE HOSPITAL OF ST. JOHN OF JERUSALEM.

Chancery of the Order,

St. John's Gate,

Clerkenwell, London, E.G. 1.

19th October, 1927.

Under Regulation 28B the undermentioned Honorary Associates are transferred to the grade of Officer as from the date of the Royal Charter, 12th June, 1926, in their existing order of seniority as Honorary Associates:---

Major Alfred Croudson Tunstall, M.D., F.R.C.S.Ed.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with LRCP LM MB CM MD FRCS.
- He was educated at Bootham School in 1858 in York, Yorkshire.

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- He worked as a Physician on the staff of Lord Lister in 1873-1875 in Edinburgh, Midlothian, Scotland.
- He worked as a Surgeon at the Hospital and Home for Incurables in 1892 in Putney, London.
- He worked as a Member of the Royal Medical Society in Edinburgh, Midlothian, Scotland.

Alfred married **Evelyn Chambers Stern** in 1879 in Hackney, London. Evelyn was born in 1853 in Constantinople, Turkey and died in 1904 in Hackney, London at age 51.

Alfred next married **Florence Adeline Silberschmidt**¹⁶ in 1906. Florence was born in 1877, died in May 1963 at age 86, and was buried on 11 May 1963 in Perranzabuloe, Cornwall.

5-**Lucy Tunstall**^{3,9,10} was born on 23 Jun 1811 and died on 5 Jan 1873 in Prestbury, Cheshire at age 61.

General Notes: Samuel Jesper's second wife, Lucy Tunstall, was an equally prominent member of the society, the daughter of an elder, and ministered most devotedly to her youngest step-son, Sylvanus, whose health was always delicate and who died at the early age of 22. Her unremitting care of this youth aggravated the malady from which she herself died.

Noted events in her life were:

- She worked as a Quaker Elder.

Lucy married **Samuel Jesper**,^{3,9,10,17,18} son of **Samuel Jesper**^{3,10,19,20} and **Elizabeth Puplett**,^{3,10} on 13 Nov 1851. Samuel was born on 4 Dec 1801 in Dygood's Farm, Purleigh, Essex and died on 24 Mar 1876 in York. At his son Thomas's home. at age 74. They had no children.

General Notes: Samuel Jesper came when young from Essex to the North of England and was apprenticed to the woolen drapery business at Stockport, Cheshire. He afterwards started business on his own account at Macclesfield, in or near which town the rest of his life was spent. Samuel Jesper was a devout Friend, for over 50 years a member of the Cheshire Monthly Meeting--serving as overseer and elder, and delighted to entertain those traveling in the ministry and visiting the Quarterly and Monthly meetings: he took great interest in the welfare of his fellowtownsmen and was an Alderman for some years: on more than one occasion he was earnestly solicited to take the Mayoral chair, but his conscientious objection to take or administer oaths prevented him from accepting this honour. As a striking example of the esteem in which he was held may be quoted the fact that the bells of the parish church were rung on the occasion of his youngest daughter's wedding--an almost unique tribute to a quakeress. We have before us a copy of the minute of condolence passed by the Macclesfield Corporation on his death; it, or rather the letter from the Mayor to his eldest son, reads:--

"I beg to express to you and the several members of your family how greatly the Aldermen and Councillors of the Borough, together with myself, feel the loss of the late Alderman Samuel Jesper. His many kind and amiable qualities will long be remembered by his friends; and the conscientious fulfillment of duty to his political and religious convictions must be recognized with thankfulness now that so much he advocated has been accepted by his countrymen."

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Woollen draper in Macclesfield, Cheshire.
- He worked as a Councillor and Alderman in Macclesfield, Cheshire.
- He worked as a Quaker Elder.

5-**Edwin Tunstall** was born on 27 Nov 1812 and died on 26 Aug 1887 at age 74.

Edwin married **Sarah Gibbins**, daughter of **Brueton Gibbins**^{1,3,21,22} and **Sarah Bowly**,^{1,3} Sarah was born on 26 Nov 1816 and died on 13 May 1857 at age 40. They had seven children: **Sarah Catherine, Mary Louisa, Eliza Anne, Robert Brueton, Eliza Anne, Edwin James, and Martha Gibbins**.

6-Sarah Catherine Tunstall

Sarah married **Freeman Wright**.

6-Mary Louisa Tunstall

6-Eliza Anne Tunstall

6-Robert Brueton Tunstall

6-Eliza Anne Tunstall

6-Edwin James Tunstall

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6-Martha Gibbins Tunstall

5-Caroline Tunstall was born on 10 Apr 1814 and died on 30 Jan 1816 at age 1.

5-Maria Tunstall was born on 4 Sep 1815 and died on 5 Sep 1878 at age 63.

5-Caroline Tunstall¹¹ was born on 28 Feb 1817 and died on 17 Apr 1847 in Alvaston Grove at age 30.

5-William Croudson Tunstall was born on 18 Dec 1818 and died on 11 Jul 1875 at age 56.

William married **Arabella Matilda Walker**, daughter of **John Walker**¹⁶ and **Hannah Whitelock**,¹⁶ in 1848 in FMH Henbury. Arabella was born in 1821 in Leeds, Yorkshire and died in 1859 at age 38. They had one son: **Frederick William Whitelock**.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at The Mount School (Castlegate) in Sep 1837-Jun 1838 in York, Yorkshire.

6-Frederick William Whitelock Tunstall was born in 1858.

4-Elizabeth Gibbins¹ was born on 24 Oct 1780, died on 9 Apr 1816 in Birmingham, Warwickshire at age 35, and was buried on 14 Apr 1816. The cause of her death was She drowned on a sea journey, returning from Ireland, visiting Friends.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at York Quarterly Meeting, Girls School. (Later became The Mount School) in 1787 in York, Yorkshire.

Elizabeth married **Joseph Lovell**,¹ son of **Robert Lovell**^{3,23} and **Edith Bourne**,^{3,23} on 28 Jul 1802 in FMH Birmingham. Joseph was born on 17 Jul 1778 in King's Hill, Bedminster, Somerset and died on 31 Aug 1842 in Birmingham, Warwickshire at age 64. They had six children: **George Tertius**, **Edward Bourne**, **Edith**, **Frederick**, **Martha Gibbins**, and **William Henry**.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Pin maker in 1802 in Birmingham, Warwickshire.

5-George Tertius Lovell was born on 2 Jul 1803 in Birmingham, Warwickshire.

5-Edward Bourne Lovell was born on 29 Oct 1804 in Birmingham, Warwickshire.

5-Edith Lovell was born on 28 Nov 1805 in Birmingham, Warwickshire.

5-Frederick Lovell was born on 2 Mar 1807 in Birmingham, Warwickshire.

5-Martha Gibbins Lovell was born on 30 Mar 1813 in Birmingham, Warwickshire.

5-William Henry Lovell was born on 2 Apr 1816 in Birmingham, Warwickshire.

4-Brueton Gibbins^{1,3,21,22} was born on 23 May 1783 in Aston, Birmingham, Warwickshire and died on 16 Aug 1855 in Smethwick, Birmingham at age 72.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Glass Manufacturer.

Brueton married **Sarah Bowly**,^{1,3} daughter of **William Bowly**³ and **Mary Bright**,³ on 21 Jun 1810. Sarah was born on 25 May 1784 and died on 12 Mar 1823 at age 38. They had four children: **Mary Bowly**, **Louisa**, **Robert Spendlove**, and **Sarah**.

5-Mary Bowly Gibbins was born on 4 Jul 1811 and died on 11 Aug 1855 at age 44.

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5-**Louisa Gibbins** was born on 23 Jan 1813 and died on 5 Oct 1862 at age 49.

5-**Robert Spendlove Gibbins** was born on 19 Aug 1814 and died on 1 Feb 1852 at age 37.

5-**Sarah Gibbins** was born on 26 Nov 1816 and died on 13 May 1857 at age 40.

6-**Sarah Catherine Tunstall**

6-**Mary Louisa Tunstall**

6-**Eliza Anne Tunstall**

6-**Robert Brueton Tunstall**

6-**Eliza Anne Tunstall**

6-**Edwin James Tunstall**

6-**Martha Gibbins Tunstall**

Brueton next married **Eliza Lucy Leonard**,^{1,3,22} daughter of **Charles Leonard** and **Beaufoy**, on 25 Jan 1825. Eliza was born on 24 Jun 1789 and died on 26 Nov 1856 in Birmingham, Warwickshire at age 67.

4-**Mary Gibbins**^{1,3,24} was born on 13 Apr 1785 in Prospect Row, Aston, Birmingham and died on 24 Jan 1875 at age 89.

Mary married **Henry Aggs**,^{1,3,11,24,25} son of **Thomas Aggs**^{3,25,26} and **Lucy Gurney**,^{3,25,27} on 15 Nov 1820 in Birmingham, Warwickshire. Henry was born on 15 Sep 1780 in Norwich, Norfolk and died on 3 Apr 1859 in Tottenham, London at age 78. They had four children: **Thomas**, **Martha Lucy**, **Mary**, and **Henry Gurney**.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Broker in Tottenham, London.

5-**Thomas Aggs**^{1,28} was born on 10 Jan 1822 and died on 17 Nov 1897 in Dorking, Surrey at age 75.

Thomas married **Anne Christy Hanbury**,¹ daughter of **Daniel Bell Hanbury**^{3,8,29,30,31,32} and **Rachel Christy**,^{3,8,32,33,34} Anne was born on 20 Feb 1830 in Clapham Common, London and died on 2 Feb 1913 at age 82. They had three children: **Edith Mary Hanbury**, **Henry Gurney**, and **William Hanbury**.

6-**Edith Mary Hanbury Aggs**^{1,35} was born on 10 Nov 1862 in Tottenham, London and died on 5 Jun 1951 at age 88.

Edith married **Percy Bigland**,^{1,35,36} son of **Edwin Bigland**^{31,35,36,37,38,39,40} and **Adelaide Merryweather**,^{35,36,37,38,39} on 8 Jun 1892 in St. George's, Hanover Square, London. Percy was born on 27 Nov 1856 in Seacombe, Birkenhead, Cheshire and died on 8 Apr 1926 in Beaconsfield, Buckinghamshire at age 69. They had two children: **Griselda Aggs** and **Ranulf Aggs**.

General Notes: BIGLAND, Percy

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s of Edwin and Adelaide Bigland, Birkenhead; m Edith McHanbury Aggs; one s one d ; died 8 April 1926

artist

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Noted events in his life were:

- Miscellaneous: Registration of Birth, 16 Feb 1857, Wallasey, Cheshire.
- He worked as an Artist.

7-**Griselda Aggs Bigland**¹ was born on 16 Jun 1895 in London and died on 18 Nov 1987 at age 92.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at The Mount School in Jan 1914-Jul 1916 in York, Yorkshire.

Griselda married **Lloyd Howard Fox**,^{1,41} son of **John Howard Fox**^{35,41} and **Marion Elizabeth Pease**,^{35,42} on 4 Sep 1918 in London. Lloyd was born on 26 Aug 1893 in Wellington, Somerset and died on 11 Nov 1991 in Wellington, Somerset at age 98. They had four children: **Angela Bigland**, **David Lloyd**, **Griselda Mary**, and **Penelope Howard**.

8-**Angela Bigland Fox** was born on 23 Mar 1920 in London and died on 28 Apr 2007 at age 87.

Noted events in her life were:

- She worked as a Probation Officer.

Angela married **Robert Keith Bradford**, son of **Charles Bradford** and **Lily Piper**, on 17 Oct 1942 in Wellington, Somerset. Robert was born on 18 Dec 1920 in London and died in 1966 at age 46. They had four children: **John Robert**, **Carolyn Gay**, **Richard Howard**, and **Daniel Lloyd**.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Civil Engineer.

9-**John Robert Bradford**

John married **Cate Serena Pryse Gibberd**. They had two children: **Donnathea Lindsay** and **Piers Frederick Lloyd**.

10-**Donnathea Lindsay Bradford**

Donnathea married **Patrick Campbell**. They had two children: **Jago John Lowden** and **Cate Rhona Sasha**.

11-**Jago John Lowden Campbell**

11-**Cate Rhona Sasha Campbell**

10-**Piers Frederick Lloyd Bradford**

Piers married **Marie-Katherine**. They had two children: **Freya Mary Thea** and **Clementine Angela Mary**.

11-**Freya Mary Thea Bradford**

11-**Clementine Angela Mary Bradford**

9-**Carolyn Gay Bradford**

Carolyn married **Robert Blackwell Baggaley**. They had three children: **Thomas Robert**, **Sarah Lucy**, and **Christopher Lloyd**.

10-**Thomas Robert Baggaley**

Thomas married **Rebecca Beer**. They had one son: **Jack Charles**.

11-**Jack Charles Baggaley**

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10-Sarah Lucy Baggaley

Sarah married **Paul Wilson**. They had two children: **Stanley George** and **Edward Leo**.

11-Stanley George Wilson

11-Edward Leo Wilson

10-Christopher Lloyd Baggaley

Christopher married **Maria Criticos**.

9-Richard Howard Bradford

Richard married **Jane Rosemary Fawcett**. They had three children: **Helen Rosemary**, **Robert Michael**, and **Laura Jane**.

10-Helen Rosemary Bradford

Helen married **Roberts John Foers**.

10-**Robert Michael Bradford** was born on 15 May 1985 and died on 9 Sep 1985.

10-Laura Jane Bradford

9-Daniel Lloyd Bradford

Daniel married **Saffron Rebecca Fish**. They had two children: **Jacob Barnaby Lloyd** and **Barnaby Daniel**.

10-Jacob Barnaby Lloyd Bradford

10-Barnaby Daniel Bradford

Angela next married **Cmdr. Anthony Tosswill Courtney** in 1971. Cmdr. was born on 16 May 1908 and died on 24 Jan 1988 at age 79.

8-**David Lloyd Fox** was born on 4 Sep 1923 in London and died on 30 Mar 1996 at age 72.

David married **Valerie Mary Outhwaite**, daughter of **Walter Thomas Outhwaite** and **Marion Ida Maplethorpe**, on 28 Aug 1948 in London. Valerie was born on 12 Mar 1925 in Nottingham, Nottinghamshire and died on 27 Oct 2004 at age 79. They had two children: **Rebecca Howard** and **Gillian Emma**.

9-Rebecca Howard Fox

Rebecca married **Robert Andree Vander Steen**. They had three children: **James Howard**, **Toby Robert**, and **Benjamin Joseph**.

10-James Howard Vander Steen

10-Toby Robert Vander Steen

Toby married **Laura Todd**. They had one daughter: **Georgie Fox**.

11-Georgie Fox Vander Steen

10-Benjamin Joseph Vander Steen

Benjamin married **Stephanie Keroack**. They had one son: **Oliver Robert**.

11-Oliver Robert Vander Steen

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9-Gillian Emma Fox

Gillian married **Nicholas Stafford**.

Gillian next married **Peter Vincent**.

Gillian next married **Ben Scarlett**.

David next married **Rosalind Dakeney Deacon**, daughter of **W. J. Deacon**. They had six children: **Simon David, Laetitia Lloyd, William Seamus, Benjamin John, Ophelia Jane, and Victoria**.

9-Simon David Fox

Simon married **Julie Ann Darch**. They had two children: **Robert Simon Lloyd** and **Tabitha Charlotte**.

10-Robert Simon Lloyd Fox

10-Tabitha Charlotte Fox

9-Laetitia Lloyd Fox

Laetitia married **David William Grant**. They had two children: **Harriet Felicity** and **Jordan Lloyd**.

10-Harriet Felicity Grant

Harriet married **Nicholas William Sheppard**. They had one daughter: **Isabella Grace**.

11-Isabella Grace Sheppard

10-Jordan Lloyd Grant

9-William Seamus Fox

William married **Suzanne Mary Penwarne**. They had two children: **Dakeney Grace** and **Lilian**.

10-Dakeney Grace Fox

10-Lilian Fox

9-Benjamin John Fox

Benjamin married **Victoria Louise Paine**. They had two children: **Joe Richard** and **Tom William**.

10-Joe Richard Fox

10-Tom William Fox

9-Ophelia Jane Fox

Ophelia married **Paul Michael Burnett Hogan**. They had two children: **Evangelina Rose Chambray** and **Constance**.

10-Evangelina Rose Chambray Hogan

10-Constance Hogan

9-Victoria Fox

David next married **Margaret Kent**. Margaret was born on 6 Aug 1929 and died on 13 May 2006 at age 76.

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8-**Griselda Mary Fox** was born on 5 Aug 1925 in Wellington, Somerset and died on 8 Apr 1989 at age 63.

Noted events in her life were:

- She worked as a Historian & Teacher.

Griselda married **Dr. Raymond Keith Mason**, son of **William Edward Mason** and **Mary Lucy**, on 2 Apr 1949 in Wellington, Somerset. Raymond was born on 21 Mar 1924 in Stockton Heath and died on 1 Jan 2002 at age 77. They had two children: **Laurence Edward** and **Deborah Mary**.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a GP.

9-Laurence Edward Mason

Laurence married **Alison Patricia Kearns**. They had two children: **Patrick James** and **Ranulf Alexander Roland**.

10-Patrick James Mason

10-Ranulf Alexander Roland Mason

9-Deborah Mary Mason

8-Penelope Howard Fox

Penelope married **James Henry Putz**, son of **John E. D. Putz** and **Muriel**. They had three children: **Catherine Sarah**, **Rachel Ann**, and **Nicholas Charles**.

9-Catherine Sarah Putz

Catherine married **Mark Corder Holtom**, son of **Maj. John Edward Brumwell Holtom** and **Esther Pleasaunce Catchpool**,⁴³ They had two children: **Bridget Frances Putz** and **Ruth Emily Griselda**.

10-Bridget Frances Putz Holtom

10-Ruth Emily Griselda Holtom

9-Rachel Ann Putz

9-Nicholas Charles Putz

7-**Ranulf Aggs Bigland**¹ was born on 28 Jun 1895 in Tottenham, London and died on 16 Feb 1974 in Corfe Castle, Purbeck, Dorset at age 78.

Ranulf married **Dorothy Eva Shaw** in 1924. Dorothy was born on 31 Dec 1897 and died on 3 Apr 1974 at age 76. They had one daughter: **Brenda Rachel**.

8-Prof. Brenda Rachel Bigland

Brenda married **Prof. Joseph Murdoch Ritchie**, son of **Alexander Farquharson Ritchie** and **Agnes Jane Bremner**, in 1951. Joseph was born on 10 Jun 1925 in Aberdeen, Scotland and died on 9 Jul 2008 in Hamden, Connecticut, USA at age 83. They had two children: **Alasdair John** and **Ann Jocelyn**.

General Notes: The biophysicist and pharmacologist Murdoch Ritchie was a key figure in the development of neuropharmacology, the branch of medical science dealing with the action of drugs on and in the nervous system. He was best known for his substantial contributions to our understanding of the conduction of electrical impulses in peripheral nerves - particularly nerves in the face, arms, legs and torso.

In his studies of electrical conduction within nerve cells in the early 1970s, Ritchie used saxitoxin, a powerful poison derived from shellfish that kills by causing respiratory failure. It had been developed by the CIA for possible covert uses and stocks, in violation of a 1969 order by President Nixon, had not been destroyed. According to Ritchie, the CIA had kept enough saxitoxin to kill 5,000 people, and he obtained a quantity for his research.

Extremely small concentrations of the toxin block the conduction of electrical signals in nerves and can, therefore, be used to study the function of the nervous system.

Ritchie failed to discover a way of counteracting the effects of saxitoxin, his original goal, but his research did suggest how nerve cells lose their electrically insulating layers of myelin. This ultimately

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rendered the nervous system unable to conduct nerve impulses, leading to multiple sclerosis.

He also studied both the desirable and the hazardous effects of caffeine, publishing his conclusions in chapters in each of five editions of *The Pharmacological Basis of Therapeutics*, by Goodman & Gilman (1965-1985).

Joseph Murdoch Ritchie was born in Aberdeen in 1925. He studied mathematics and physics at Aberdeen University, graduating in 1944. He then took a post as a research physicist at the Telecommunications Research Establishment at Malvern, where he worked on the development of radar.

In 1946 he became a research student at University College London, in the world's first department of biophysics, working on the dynamics of skeletal muscle contraction. He was awarded a BSc degree in physiology from UCL in 1949 and was appointed a junior lecturer. In 1951 he moved to the National Institute for Medical Research at Mill Hill, North London. He was awarded a PhD in biophysics in 1952 and a DSc in biophysics in 1960, both by UCL.

In 1956 he emigrated to the US and a post in the Department of Pharmacology at the Albert Einstein College of Medicine, Yeshiva University, New York. In 1963 he was appointed Professor of Pharmacology there.

In 1968 he moved to Yale as Professor of Pharmacology. He was director of Medical Studies at Yale for 30 years and served on many university committees. An energetic and meticulous experimentalist, he continued to conduct experiments until he retired in 2000. A prolific writer, he wrote and edited more than 70 reviews, chapters, books and monographs.

Ritchie was elected a Fellow of the Royal Society in 1976. He received many other honours and awards; he was a founding member of the Society for Neuroscience.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with FRS.
- He worked as a Biophysicist & Pharmacologist.
- He worked as a Professor of Pharmacology, Albert Einstein College of Medicine in 1963 in Yeshiva University, New York.
- He worked as a Professor of Pharmacology and Director of Medical Studies. Yale 1968 To 2000 in Yale University, New Haven, Connecticut.

9-Alasdair John Ritchie

Alasdair married **Maria de Lourdes Guerra**. Maria was born on 6 Apr 1949 in Havana, Cuba and died on 21 Nov 2009 at age 60.

Noted events in her life were:

- She emigrated to the USA in 1961.

9-Dr. Ann Jocelyn Ritchie

6-**Henry Gurney Aggs**¹ was born on 21 Feb 1866 in Tottenham, London and died on 21 May 1929 at age 63.

6-**William Hanbury Aggs**¹ was born on 26 Aug 1870 in Stamford Hill, London and died on 30 Oct 1953 at age 83.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Barrister at Law.

William married **Sylvia Marie Thompson**, daughter of **Prof. Silvanus Phillips Thompson**^{3,8,16,35,44,45,46,47} and **Jane Smeal Henderson**,^{8,16,44} on 6 Sep 1906. Sylvia was born on 7 Mar 1882 and died on 23 Apr 1961 at age 79. They had two children: **Gulielma Mary** and **Silvanus Hanbury**.

7-**Gulielma Mary Aggs** was born about 1908 and died on 21 Jan 2004 about age 96.

7-**Silvanus Hanbury Aggs**⁴⁰ was born in 1915 in London and died on 2 Nov 2003 at age 88.

Noted events in his life were:

- He had a residence in Little Thakeham, Pulborough, Sussex.
- He was educated at Bootham School in 1923-1928 in York, Yorkshire.

Silvanus married **Lilian**. They had one daughter: **(No Given Name)**.

8-**Aggs** died in 1941.

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Silvanus next married **Nicky**.

5-**Martha Lucy Aggs**^{3,48} was born on 15 May 1824 in Bruce Grove, Tottenham, London and died on 8 Nov 1853 in Clifton, Bristol, Gloucestershire at age 29.

Martha married **Thomas Pease**,^{3,8,48,49,50,51,52} son of **Thomas Benson Pease**^{3,20,53,54} and **Martha Whitelock**,³ on 20 Mar 1850. Thomas was born on 31 Jan 1816 in Leeds, Yorkshire and died on 15 Jan 1884 in Friends' Meeting House, Bristol, Gloucestershire at age 67. They had three children: **Mary Gertrude**, **Margaret**, and **Thomas Henry Ormston**.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Grove House School in Tottenham, London.
- He worked as a Stuff manufacturer in Leeds, Yorkshire.
- He had a residence in Henbury, Westbury on Trym, Bristol, Gloucestershire.
- He worked as a Quaker Minister.

6-**Mary Gertrude Pease**⁵⁵ was born in 1851 in Chapel Allerton, Leeds, Yorkshire and died on 6 May 1909 in San Remo, Italy at age 58.

Mary married **George Dymond**,^{3,14,56} son of **John Dymond**^{3,24,57} and **Sarah Wilkey**,^{3,24} on 20 Jun 1872 in Clifton, Bristol, Gloucestershire. George was born on 14 Feb 1828 in Exeter, Devon and died on 4 Nov 1873 in Birmingham, Warwickshire at age 45. They had one daughter: **Sylvia Dorothea**.

General Notes: This record does not agree with Edward Milligan's record.

7-**Sylvia Dorothea Dymond** was born in 1873 in Edgbaston, Birmingham, Warwickshire and died on 1 Feb 1931 in Castle Malwood, Hampshire at age 58.

Sylvia married **Daniel Hanbury**, son of **Sir Thomas Hanbury**^{3,8,58} and **Katharine Aldam Pease**,^{3,8,59,60} in 1901. Daniel was born on 3 Jun 1876 in Croydon, Surrey and died in 1948 in Hampshire at age 72. They had two children: **Philippa Dorothea** and **Katharine**.

8-**Philippa Dorothea Hanbury** was born on 14 Sep 1905 and died in Sep 1989 in Poole, Dorset at age 84.

Philippa married **Air Chief Marshal Sir William Alec Coryton**, son of **William Coryton** and **Evelyn Annie Parker**, on 19 Dec 1925. William was born on 16 Feb 1895 and died on 20 Oct 1981 at age 86. They had three children: **Angela Loveday Hanbury**, **Flavia Dorothea**, and **Belinda Rosemary Sylvia**.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with DFC KCB KBE MVO.
- He worked as an Air Chief Marshal of the Royal Air Force.

9-**Angela Loveday Hanbury Coryton** was born in 1927 and died on 10 Dec 2020 at age 93.

Angela married **Sir Michael Joseph Nall 2nd Bt.** on 3 Apr 1951. Sir was born in 1921 and died on 8 Sep 2001 at age 80. They had two children: **Edward William Joseph** and **Alexander Michael**.

10-**Sir Edward William Joseph Nall 3rd Bt.**

10-**Alexander Michael Nall**

Alexander married **Caroline Jane Robinson**. They had two children: **William Alexander Coryton** and **Katherine Caroline**.

11-**William Alexander Coryton Nall**

11-**Katherine Caroline Nall**

9-**Flavia Dorothea Coryton**

Flavia married **Michael John Marshal Clarke**, son of **Admiral Sir Marshal Llewellyn Clarke** and **Ina Leonora Edwards**. They had two children: **Julian Marshal** and **Emily Sarah**.

10-**Julian Marshal Clarke**

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10-Emily Sarah Clarke

9-Belinda Rosemary Sylvia Coryton

Belinda married **Captain Christopher Peter Oldbury Burne RN**, son of **Col. Eaton Oldbury Burne** and **Elizabeth Gibson Matthews**, in 1969. Christopher was born on 27 Jan 1932 in Cairo, Egypt and died on 2 Jun 2012 in East Lambrook, Somerset at age 80. They had two children: **Matthew Tobias Coryton** and **Laura Susan**.

General Notes: Captain Christopher 'Beagle' Burne, who has died aged 80, commanded four ships in the Cold War-era Royal Navy and played a crucial if unusual role in the Falklands conflict. Following the Argentine invasion of April 1982, Burne was appointed senior naval officer of the 45,000-ton luxury liner Canberra, which was converted into a troop transport and incorporated into the Task Force sent to retake the islands. The transformation of the ship into a military vessel was a delicate, complex challenge: Canberra already had an experienced master and 400-strong civilian crew, to which were added more than 2,000 marines and paratroopers.

Burne's task was to impose naval discipline and authority, and to do so under the scrutiny of a dozen sceptical journalists. He was frank with the newspapermen, telling them that he did not want them in Canberra and certainly not in such numbers, though later they agreed that Burne was extremely helpful, particularly after the landings in the Falklands had begun.

On May 21 1982, during the landings in San Carlos Water, Canberra's size and white hull made her an obvious target, but disembarkation of troops continued throughout the day until they had been landed without loss or injury. As bombs plunged into the water nearby, it seemed impossible that the vast ship could escape. On deck, Burne met the attacks with unshakeable humour and courage, keeping up a running commentary to the frightened men and women below decks and encouraging gunners to "Engage! Engage!" as enemy aircraft swept overhead.

It was a performance in the great tradition of eccentric naval officers at moments of crisis and inspired others on board to emulate his apparent nonchalance in the face of danger. Canberra emerged unscathed from some 60 air attacks. Later she returned to a heroes' welcome at Southampton, and Burne was appointed CBE.

Christopher Peter Oldbury Burne was born on January 27 1932 in Alexandria, where his father was serving in the Army. The family moved to France and then to north Devon before the outbreak of the Second World War, at which point Christopher's then retired father re-enlisted; he was captured while serving with the 12th Royal Lancers in North Africa. In 1945 Christopher entered the Royal Naval College, where his enthusiasm for hunting with the college pack, and a perceived resemblance to his favourite breed of hound, saw him emerge with a nickname that stuck for the rest of his career.

He spent the next decade at sea, until he specialised in 1956 as a gunnery officer. In 1958 he was appointed Field Gun Officer at Devonport, responsible for recruiting and training the West Country crew for the annual, fiercely contested, field gun competition at the Royal Tournament. Burne's leadership inspired a clean sweep of trophies by his team. Then, from 1959 to 1961, he was second gunnery officer of the cruiser Tiger while she was flagship of the Mediterranean Fleet. Tiger was a new ship fitted with fully automatic 6in and 3in guns, but these were temperamental, and Burne dedicated himself to understanding the technology behind them and getting them to work.

In 1962-63 Burne was a divisional officer of Grenville division at Dartmouth before, in 1966-67, taking command of the frigates Tenby and Chichester. This was followed by a rare staff appointment: though he could quote the military strategist Clausewitz, Burne was no gilded staff officer; rather, his penchant was for solving practical problems and inspiring his men.

In 1971-72 Burne commanded the Royal Navy's leadership school, HMS Royal Arthur, at Corsham, Wiltshire, where all petty officers were sent on first promotion. In 1973-75 he was second-in-command of the commando carrier Bulwark, and his first appointment on promotion to captain in 1976 was as Director of Naval Physical

In 1978-80 Burne commissioned the new Type 42 destroyer Coventry at Portsmouth. The first commission of any ship is always a testing time, and Burne had the additional task of overseeing first-of-class trials of the Westland Lynx helicopter.

After the Falklands conflict Burne was given another challenge: the guided missile destroyer Glamorgan had been damaged in the fighting by an Exocet missile. After dockyard repairs, he immediately guided her back into service, evacuating refugees from Beirut during the Lebanese civil war.

Having left the Service in 1985, Burne spent two years training the Sultan of Oman's navy. Afterwards he continued to hunt with the Park Beagles in West Dorset and was a bell-ringer and lay reader at his local church in Somerset.

Christopher Burne enjoyed cycling holidays, and took his bicycle with him on every warship, arguing that it was the cheapest way to explore new ports. He died while cycling to his village's Diamond Jubilee party.

He is survived by his wife, Belinda Coryton, whom he married in 1969, and their two children.

Captain Christopher "Beagle" Burne, born January 27 1932, died June 2 2012

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at RNC Dartmouth.
- He was awarded with CBE.
- He worked as an officer of the Royal Navy.
- His obituary was published in The Daily Telegraph on 5 Jul 2012.

10-Dr. Matthew Tobias Coryton Burne

10-Laura Susan Burne

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8-Katharine Hanbury

Katharine married **Peter Hutton**. They had three children: **Anthony**, **Sylvia**, and **Sarah**.

9-Anthony Hutton

9-Sylvia Hutton

9-Sarah Hutton

6-**Margaret Pease**^{16,61} was born on 18 Aug 1852 in Westbury-on-Trym, Bristol, Gloucestershire and died on 6 Apr 1913 in Rathgar, Dublin, Ireland at age 60.

Margaret married **Rt. Hon Jonathan Hogg**,^{16,61} son of **William Hogg** and **Mary Pim**, on 16 Feb 1876 in FMH Bristol. Jonathan was born on 28 Dec 1847 in Dublin, Ireland and died on 12 Jul 1930 in Rathgar, Dublin, Ireland at age 82. They had two children: **Cara Lillian** and **Olive Mary**.

General Notes: Rt. Hon. Jonathan Hogg was director of the Bank of Ireland. He was principal of William Hogg & Company, merchants. He was invested as a Privy Counsellor (P.C.) [Ireland] in 1902. He held the office of Deputy Lieutenant (D.L.)

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with PC DL.
- He worked as a Chairman of W. Hogg & Co. Ltd., Produce merchants.
- He worked as a Director of the Bank of Ireland in 1900-1930 in Dublin, Ireland.
- He was educated at Bootham School in 1859-1863 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as a Governor of The Bank of Ireland in 1900-1902 in Dublin, Ireland.

7-**Cara Lillian Hogg** was born in 1879 in Camberley, Surrey and died on 20 Nov 1964 at age 85.

Noted events in her life were:

- Miscellaneous: She was adopted by Jonathan Hogg and his wife Mary Pease.

Cara married **Peter Gerald Griffin**. Peter was born on 29 Jun 1878 in Altavilla, Askeaton, County Limerick, Ireland and died on 31 Mar 1921 in Egypt at age 42. The cause of his death was as a result of injuries sustained in a Polo match. They had three children: **Elizabeth Geraldine Ponsonby**, **John Ponsonby**, and **Peter Ronald Ponsonby**.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with DSO.
- He worked as an officer of the British Army.

8-**Elizabeth Geraldine Ponsonby Griffin** was born in 1907 in India.

8-**John Ponsonby Griffin** was born in 1910 in India.

8-**Peter Ronald Ponsonby Griffin** was born on 26 Feb 1911 in Altavilla, Askeaton, County Limerick, Ireland and died in 1957 in Altavilla, Askeaton, County Limerick, Ireland at age 46.

General Notes: Griffin, Peter Ronald (d.1957), Army Officer

Peter Ronald Ponsonby Griffin was born in Altavilla, Askeaton, Co. Limerick, on 26 February, 1911. He was notable for his great height, approximately 7 ft. He joined the British Army and, partly because of his skill in foreign languages, including French, German and Russian, was employed as a military attaché in several countries, including Russia. During World War II, he was recruited as a member of the Special Operations Executive(SOE) for covert operations behind enemy lines, one of which was the liberation of Greece. With his first wife, he had two daughters, Anneliese, who died as a baby, and Rosie, who, as Rosie Swale, became a well-known author, adventurer, sailor and TV personality. He married, secondly, Marianne Micolot, a Swiss lady, with whom he had one daughter, Maude, and three boys, Gerald, Nicholas and Ronald (1957-2004). (M Griffin, 2011)

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Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a British Army officer and member of SOE.

Peter married **Un-named**. Un-named died in 1948 in Switzerland. They had two children: **Anneliese** and **Rosie**.

9-**Anneliese Griffin** died in Died in Infancy.

9-**Rosie Griffin**

Rosie married **Colin Swale**. They had two children: **Eve** and **James**.

10-**Eve Swale**

10-**James Swale**

Rosie next married **Clive Pope**.

Peter next married **Marianne Micolot**. They had four children: **Maude**, **Gerald**, **Nicholas**, and **Ronald François Ponsonby**.

9-**Maude Griffin**

9-**Gerald Griffin**

9-**Nicholas Griffin**

9-**Ronald François Ponsonby Griffin** was born on 16 Nov 1957 and died on 16 Nov 2004 at age 47.

7-**Olive Mary Hogg** was born on 18 Feb 1881 in Aldershot, Hampshire, died on 13 Jun 1970 in Firhouse, Dublin, Ireland at age 89, and was buried in St. Maelruain Cemetery, Tallaght, Dublin, Ireland.

Noted events in her life were:

- Miscellaneous: She was adopted by Jonathan Hogg and his wife Mary Pease.

Olive married **Edward John Gwynn** in 1906 in Dublin, Ireland. Edward was born on 1 Apr 1868 in Ramelton, Donegal, Ireland, died on 19 Feb 1941 in Firhouse, Dublin, Ireland at age 72, and was buried in St. Maelruain Cemetery, Tallaght, Dublin, Ireland. They had one daughter: **Olive Ruth**.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Provost of Trinity College, Dublin in Dublin, Ireland.

8-**Olive Ruth Gwynn** was born on 7 May 1915 in Dublin, Ireland, died on 13 Jun 1981 in Harold's Cross, Dublin, Ireland at age 66, and was buried on 16 Jun 1981 in St. Maelruain Cemetery, Tallaght, Dublin, Ireland.

Olive married **Austin Ernest "Oisin" Kelly** in 1914 in Dublin, Ireland. Austin was born on 17 May 1915 in Dublin, Ireland, died in Oct 1981 in Dublin, Ireland at age 66, and was buried in St. Maelruain Cemetery, Tallaght, Dublin, Ireland.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as an Artist and Sculptor.

6-**Thomas Henry Ormston Pease** was born on 2 Oct 1853 in Westbury-on-Trym, Bristol, Gloucestershire and died on 2 Jul 1937 in Skaigh, Okehampton, Devon at age 83.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Solicitor.

Thomas married **Mary Ellis Cave**, daughter of **Admiral John Halliday Cave**, on 6 Dec 1888. Mary was born in 1866 in Clifton, Bristol, Gloucestershire and died in 1945 in Okehampton, Devon at age 79.

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They had three children: **Eleanor Mary**, **Thomas Ormston Cave**, and **Barbara Margaret**.

7-**Eleanor Mary Pease** was born on 27 Sep 1889 in Failand, Clifton, Gloucestershire, died on 21 Aug 1978 in Leeds, Yorkshire at age 88, and was buried in FBG Adel, Leeds.

General Notes: Donated resource family material to the Leeds University Library

Eleanor married **Gervase Lawson Ford**, son of **Thomas Benson Pease Ford**^{3,44,62} and **Elizabeth Storrs Walker**,^{3,62} on 16 Apr 1913. Gervase was born on 26 May 1883 in Benthams, Yorkshire, died on 11 Jul 1963 in Leeds, Yorkshire at age 80, and was buried in FBG Adel, Leeds. They had two children: **Margaret Cara Benson** and **Ursula Ormston**.

Noted events in their marriage were:

- They were Quakers.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Solicitor in Leeds, Yorkshire.
- He worked as a member of the Friends' Ambulance Unit.

8-**Margaret Cara Benson Ford** was born in Dec 1914 in Leeds, Yorkshire, died on 25 Jun 2011 at age 96, and was buried in FBG Adel, Leeds.

Margaret married **Arthur Wilfred Rablen**, son of **Arthur W. Rablen** and **Squire**, in 1941 in FMH Leeds. Arthur was born on 1 Mar 1916 in Stratton, Cornwall, died on 8 Jul 1973 in Radnor, Wales at age 57, and was buried in FBG Adel, Leeds. They had two children: **Michael Rawlinson** and **Anthony Ford**.

9-**Michael Rawlinson Rablen**

9-**Rev. Anthony Ford Rablen**

8-**Ursula Ormston Ford** was born on 9 Oct 1918 in Leeds, Yorkshire and died on 1 Feb 2011 at age 92.

Ursula married **John Wright Penney** in 1941. John was born on 27 Jul 1917 and died in Jun 1991 at age 73. They had two children: **Frank Lawson** and **David Benson**.

9-**Frank Lawson Penney**

9-**David Benson Penney**

7-**Thomas Ormston Cave Pease** was born on 9 Oct 1890 in Failand, Clifton, Gloucestershire and died in 1974 in Cuckfield, Haywards Heath, West Sussex at age 84.

Thomas married **Lucy Woodmansey** on 24 Sep 1915. Lucy was born on 25 Nov 1887 in Scarborough, Yorkshire and died in 1970 at age 83.

Thomas next married **Margaret Gawthrop**.

7-**Barbara Margaret Pease**^{16,63,64} was born on 10 Jun 1892 in Failand, Clifton, Gloucestershire, died on 10 Aug 1966 at age 74, and was buried in Calf Cop chapel, Low Benthams, Yorkshire.

Noted events in her life were:

- She had a residence in 1914 in Okehampton, Devon.

Barbara married **Philip Harvey**,^{16,59,63,64,65,66} son of **William Harvey**^{3,16,35,51,67,68,69} and **Anna Maria Whiting**,^{3,51,69} on 1 Sep 1914 in FMH Exeter, Devon. Philip was born on 12 Mar 1887 in Leeds, Yorkshire, died on 3 Feb 1966 at age 78, and was buried in Calf Cop chapel, Low Benthams, Yorkshire. They had one daughter: **Sheila Joan**.

Marriage Notes: HARVEY-PEASE.-On the 1st September, 1914, at Exeter, Philip Harvey (1900-3), of Leeds, to Margaret Barbara Pease, of Okehampton.

HARVEY-PEASE.-On 1st September, 1914, at the Friends Meeting House, Exeter, Philip Harvey (1900-03) to Margaret Barbara Pease. (EUerburn, Low Benthams, Lancaster.)

Noted events in their marriage were:

- They were Quakers.

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General Notes: HARVEY.-On 3rd February, 1966, in hospital, Philip Harvey (1900-03), aged 78 years.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with BA MA JP.
- He was educated at Bootham School in 1900-1903 in York, Yorkshire.
- He was educated at University of Cambridge in 1908.
- He worked as a councillor for the Settle Rural District Council after 1926.
- He worked as a Clerk of Settle MM in 1931-1934 in Settle, Yorkshire.
- He resided at Clifford Hall in 1935 in Burton in Lonsdale, Yorkshire.
- He worked as a Farmer in Burton in Lonsdale, Yorkshire.

8-Sheila Joan Harvey

Sheila married **R. Boothman**. They had three children: **Alison, Philip, and Margaret**.

9-Alison Boothman

9-Philip Boothman

9-Margaret Boothman

5-Mary Aggs was born on 25 Sep 1825 and died on 23 Oct 1833 at age 8.

5-Henry Gurney Aggs¹¹ was born on 12 Jun 1827 and died on 13 Dec 1846 in Saffron Walden, Essex at age 19. The cause of his death was Typhus.

4-Joseph Gibbins^{1,3,8,22,56,70,71} was born on 20 Mar 1787 in Prospect Row, Aston, Birmingham and died on 24 Mar 1870 in Hounshill, Stratford Upon Avon at age 83.

General Notes: Joseph Gibbins of Swansea in the County of Glamorgan, Banker, son of Joseph Gibbins. late of Birmingham, Banker, deceased, and Martha his wife, and Elizabeth Clarence daughter of Richard Clarence of Spa Road, Bermondsey, Furniture Printer, and Ann his wife, the latter being deceased, took each other in marriage in a public assembly of the people called Quakers in Deptford in the County of Kent, in the presence of us; Richard Bevington, Merchant, Kennington Surrey, Henry Aggs of Upton, Essex, Stockbroker (Joseph's brother in Law), Rich Low Beck, Token House Yard, Wine Merchant. He helped his brother in law, Joseph Asby Gillett, found Gillett's bank in Banbury.

Of those members of the family possessing commercial interests, it is Joseph Gibbins junior (1787– 1870) who is best-known as a Quaker banker in the west midlands.

In 1811 Joseph Gibbins succeeded to his father's share in the Swansea bank of Gibbins and Eaton, and by 1818 he had also acquired Joseph senior's share in the Birmingham bank of Gibbins, Smith, and Goode. In 1836 the House of Commons established the secret committee on joint stock banks and Joseph Gibbins junior was called by the committee as a witness. From his evidence it is clear that Gibbins had been active in bank promotion in the 1820s and early 1830s. In the course of his evidence he stated that he was the originator of the Birmingham Banking Company, founded in 1829; the Gloucester Banking Company, founded in 1831; and, in part, of the Hampshire Banking Company, founded in 1834. He also held a small interest in several other companies.

Evidence of the direct financing of industry by banks in the early phases of Britain's industrialization is difficult to establish. However, the business activities of the younger Joseph Gibbins offer an example of the practice, commonly adopted by entrepreneurs, of borrowing from banks in which they held a partnership in order to finance their manufacturing interests. In 1813 Joseph purchased a chemical works at Melin Crythan in south Wales, a firm in which he was actively involved for the next five years. By 1826 the Melin Crythan works was in receipt of finance from the Banbury bank of Gillett and Tawney. In an age when the ability to raise borrowed capital relied heavily upon local credit networks the granting of direct finance to a firm at such a geographical distance appears unusual at first sight. However, a closer examination reveals the business connection between south Wales and Banbury to have been yet another link in the impressive religious and kinship network which was so much a part of the Quaker business world.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Chemicals manufacturer, Banker & Railway (Birminham & Gloucester), director.

Joseph married **Elizabeth Clarence**,^{1,3} daughter of **Richard Clarence**³ and **Ann**,³ on 12 Feb 1823. Elizabeth was born on 1 Mar 1796 and died on 29 Aug 1826 in Bristol, Massachusetts, USA at age 30. They had one daughter: **Elizabeth Richenda**.

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Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at York Quarterly Meeting, Girls School. (Later became The Mount School) in 1808 in York, Yorkshire.

5-**Elizabeth Richenda Gibbins**³ was born on 16 Aug 1826 and died on 29 Aug 1826.

Joseph next married **Sarah Lowe**,^{1,3,22,70,71} daughter of **Jeffrey Bevington Lowe**³ and **Margaret Whitehead**,³ on 15 Oct 1840. Sarah was born on 19 Jun 1806 and died on 24 Oct 1893 in Ettington, Warwickshire at age 87. They had five children: **Joseph, Sarah, Margaret, Martha,** and **William Bevington**.

5-**Joseph Gibbins**⁷¹ was born on 26 Oct 1841 in Birmingham, Warwickshire and died on 25 Jul 1861 in Birmingham, Warwickshire at age 19.

5-**Sarah Gibbins** was born on 26 Sep 1843 in Birmingham, Warwickshire and died on 6 Mar 1857 in Birmingham, Warwickshire at age 13.

5-**Margaret Gibbins**^{72,73} was born on 27 Apr 1846 in Birmingham, Warwickshire and died on 9 Jun 1896 in Ettington, Warwickshire at age 50.

Noted events in her life were:

- She had a residence in Ettington, Warwickshire.

5-**Martha Gibbins** was born on 27 Apr 1846 in Birmingham, Warwickshire and died on 24 Aug 1846 in Birmingham, Warwickshire.

5-**William Bevington Gibbins** was born on 13 Oct 1847 in Birmingham, Warwickshire.

4-**Thomas Gibbins**¹ was born on 29 Jan 1790 in Prospect Row, Aston, Birmingham and died on 12 Feb 1796 at age 6.

4-**William Gibbins**^{1,3,5} was born on 16 Feb 1791 in Prospect Row, Aston, Birmingham and died on 15 Feb 1843 in Neath, Glamorgan, Wales at age 51.

General Notes: At the time of his death, his home was at Falmouth, though he died at Neath.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Glass manufacturer of Birmingham. Banker of Falmouth.

William married **Elizabeth Tregelles Fox**,^{1,3,74} daughter of **Robert Were Fox**^{3,8,17,67,74,75,76,77} and **Elizabeth Tregelles**,^{3,8,17,67,74,76,77,78} on 29 Mar 1833. Elizabeth was born on 22 Oct 1800 in Falmouth, Cornwall and died on 5 Jun 1837 at age 36.

4-**Bevington Gibbins**^{1,3,79} was born on 14 Jul 1792 in Prospect Row, Aston, Birmingham, died on 1 Aug 1835 in Neath, Glamorgan, Wales at age 43, and was buried in FBG Neath.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Chemical Manufacturer. Melincryddan Chemical Works in Neath, Glamorgan, Wales.

Bevington married **Rebecca Tregelles**,^{1,3,79,80} daughter of **Samuel Tregelles**^{3,8,80,81,82,83} and **Rebecca Smith**,^{3,8,79,80,81,82} on 5 Mar 1829. Rebecca was born on 11 Aug 1792 in Falmouth, Cornwall, died on 10 Dec 1862 in The Craig, Neath, Glamorgan, Wales at age 70, and was buried in FBG Neath. They had three children: **Henry Bevington, Sarah Anna,** and **Frederick Joseph**.

5-**Henry Bevington Gibbins**^{3,84} was born on 23 Mar 1830 in Neath, Glamorgan, Wales and died on 6 Mar 1910 in Redland Road, Bristol, Gloucestershire at age 79.

General Notes: 30 aug 1867. Parties: 1) Henry Bevington Gibbins and Frederick Joseph Gibbins, chemical manufacturers, of Neath, Glamorgan, executors of will of Elizabeth Tregelles, deceased 2) Lydia and Rachel Tregelles, spinsters, of Falmouth. Assignment of share in leasehold premises called Ashfield. Premises leased by Elizabeth, Lydia and Rachel Tregelles to John Stephens in 1834. Formerly leased in 1832 by Francis, lord de Dunstanville and Basset, to Tregelles sisters, for 99 years at rent of œ100.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Chemical Manufacturer in Neath, Glamorgan, Wales.

Henry married **Rachel Anna Fox**,³ daughter of **George Fox**^{3,31,37,85} and **Rachel Collier Hingston**,^{3,37,85} on 2 Aug 1860 in Kingsbridge, Devon. Rachel was born on 22 Aug 1830. They had six children: **Bevington Henry, Alfred, Georgina Mary, Cecil, Constance Ethel,** and **Henrietta**.

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6-**Bevington Henry Gibbins** was born on 23 Jul 1861 in Neath, Glamorgan, Wales and died on 8 May 1897 in Ocala, Florida at age 35.

Bevington married **Edith Susan Dymond** on 14 Jul 1885. Edith was born on 4 Jun 1865.

6-**Alfred Gibbins**^{16,86} was born on 13 Jun 1864 in Neath, Glamorgan, Wales and died on 5 Jun 1905 in Bristol, Gloucestershire at age 40.

General Notes: GIBBINS.-On the 5th June, 1905, at Bristol, Alfred Gibbins (1878-80), aged 41 years.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1878-1880 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as a Horticulturalist in Bristol, Gloucestershire.

Alfred married **Annie Michel**¹⁶ on 6 Dec 1895. Annie was born on 14 Jun 1862 and died on 16 Dec 1897 at age 35.

6-**Georgina Mary Gibbins** was born on 19 Sep 1866 in Neath, Glamorgan, Wales.

6-**Cecil Gibbins** was born on 6 Jul 1868 in Neath, Glamorgan, Wales and died in 1960 in Weston-super-Mare, Somerset at age 92.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as an Analytical chemist in 1911 in Neath smelting works, Neath, Glamorgan.
- He had a residence in 9 Dundonald Road Bristol, Gloucestershire.

Cecil married **Emilie Mary Brown**, daughter of **Henry Brown**³ and **Emma Jemima Arkinstall**,³ Emilie was born in 1875 in Birmingham, Warwickshire. They had one son: **Francis Bevington**.

Noted events in their marriage were:

- They had a residence in 1911 in Bristol, Gloucestershire.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at Ackworth School.

7-**Francis Bevington Gibbins** was born on 21 Apr 1909 in Bristol, Gloucestershire and died in Sep 1992 in Bristol, Gloucestershire at age 83.

6-**Constance Ethel Gibbins** was born on 1 Sep 1871 in Neath, Glamorgan, Wales.

6-**Henrietta Gibbins** was born on 16 Apr 1874 in Neath, Glamorgan, Wales.

5-**Sarah Anna Gibbins** was born on 31 Mar 1831 and died on 29 Sep 1903 at age 72.

5-**Frederick Joseph Gibbins**^{3,15,18,61} was born on 2 Sep 1832 in Neath, Glamorgan, Wales and died on 3 Feb 1907 in Neath, Glamorgan, Wales at age 74.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Chemical manufacturer.

Frederick married **Caroline Bowly**,^{3,15,18,61} daughter of **William Crotch Bowly**^{3,71,87,88} and **Caroline Swaine**,^{3,87,88} in 1860. Caroline was born on 4 Dec 1834 in Nailsworth, Gloucestershire and died on 7 Jan 1913 in Neath, Glamorgan, Wales at age 78. They had five children: **Frederick William**, **Rebecca Beatrice**, **Edward Joseph**, **Edith Mary**, and **Arthur Bowly**.

General Notes: Is mentioned staying at Hutton Hall end of August 1858 with JWPease. Known as "Carey" or "Carrie" Bowly.

6-**Frederick William Gibbins** was born on 1 Apr 1861 in The Craig, Neath, Glamorgan, Wales, died on 30 Jul 1937 in Glynsaer, Llandoverly, Carmarthenshire at age 76, and was buried in Cynghordy, Llandoverly, Carmarthenshire.

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Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Oliver's Mount School in Scarborough, Yorkshire.
- He worked as an Assistant manager, Ynispenllwch tinsplate works.
- He worked as an Owner manager of the eagle Tinsplate works in Melyn, Neath Glamorgan, Wales.
- He was a Quaker.
- He worked as a High Sheriff of Glamorgan in 1908.
- He worked as a Member of Parliament for Mid-Glamorgan in 1910-1910.

Frederick married **Sarah Jennet Rhys**, daughter of **Jenkin Rhys**.

6-**Rebecca Beatrice Gibbins**¹⁸ was born in 1862 in The Craig, Neath, Glamorgan, Wales, died on 26 Sep 1871 in The Craig, Neath, Glamorgan, Wales at age 9, and was buried in FBG Neath.

6-**Edward Joseph Gibbins**¹⁶ was born in 1865 in Neath, Glamorgan, Wales and died in May 1943 at age 78.

General Notes: DEATH OF MR. E. J. GIBBINS The Chronicle regrets to record the death of Mr. Edward Joseph Gibbins, of Gate House, Cheltenham.

He was director of a large galvanised sheet works. He also married in South Wales in 1901 Miss Edith Mary Sheppard, daughter of the late Mr. Osborne Sheppard, of Glynclydach, Neath. In spite of his business he found time to be Joint Master of the Llangyfelach.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1878-1882 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as a Director of a sheet Iron works.
- He resided at Gate House in Cheltenham, Gloucestershire.

Edward married **Edith Mary Sheppard**, daughter of **Osborne Sheppard**.

6-**Edith Mary Gibbins**¹⁵ was born in 1869 in The Craig, Neath, Glamorgan, Wales and died on 2 Dec 1871 in The Craig, Neath, Glamorgan, Wales at age 2.

6-**Arthur Bowly Gibbins**¹⁵ was born in 1871 in The Craig, Neath, Glamorgan, Wales and died on 14 Mar 1872 in The Craig, Neath, Glamorgan, Wales at age 1.

4-**James Gibbins**¹ was born on 22 Aug 1793 in Prospect Row, Aston, Birmingham and died on 24 Oct 1849 at age 56.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Merchant of Birmingham.

James married **Elizabeth Bassett**¹ daughter of **Peter Bassett**^{3,84} and **Ann Dollin**³ on 20 Aug 1818. Elizabeth was born on 10 Aug 1796 and died on 14 Sep 1837 at age 41.

4-**John Gibbins**¹ was born on 21 Apr 1795 in Prospect Row, Aston, Birmingham and died on 10 Jul 1816 at age 21.

4-**Thomas Gibbins**^{1,3,89,90} was born on 22 Apr 1796 in Prospect Row, Aston, Birmingham, died on 27 Dec 1863 in Edgbaston, Birmingham, Warwickshire at age 67, and was buried in FBG Bull Street, Birmingham.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Merchant 1818 To 1823 in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.
- He worked as a Partner in the Melincryddan Chemical Works with his brother Bevington 1825 To 1835 in Neath, Glamorgan, Wales.
- He worked as a Managing partner in the Birmingham Battery and Metal Co. In 1835.

Thomas married **Emma Joel Cadbury**^{1,3,89} daughter of **Richard Tapper Cadbury**^{1,3,39,91,92} and **Elizabeth Head**^{1,3,91,92} on 15 Sep 1837. Emma was born on 11 Jan 1811 in 92 Bull Street, Birmingham, Warwickshire and died on 26 Apr 1905 in Edgbaston, Birmingham, Warwickshire at age 94. They had seven children: **Martha, William Cadbury, Thomas, Richard Cadbury, John, Benjamin, and Emma**.

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Noted events in her life were:

- Miscellaneous: Presented Selly Oak Park to the Council, 1899.

5-**Martha Gibbins**^{3,93} was born in 1838, died on 18 Sep 1900 in Brighton, East Sussex. In a carriage accident at age 62, and was buried in FBG Brighton.

Noted events in her life were:

- She worked as a Quaker Elder.

Martha married **Daniel Hack**,^{3,93} son of **Daniel Pryor Hack**^{3,50,67,76,81,94,95} and **Eliza Carter**,^{3,50,67,76,81} in Apr 1861. Daniel was born on 5 Jan 1834 in Brighton, East Sussex, died on 4 Aug 1910 in Brighton, East Sussex at age 76, and was buried in FBG Brighton. They had no children.

General Notes: Daniel Hack, 76 4 8mo. 1910 Brighton. By the sudden death of Daniel Hack, on the 4th of August of this year, the Society of Friends has lost a consistent and unselfish member. A fellow-townsmen, referring to the loss also sustained by his own town and neighbourhood, describes him as " a man upright in word and action, surpassingly generous of heart, and remembered also as one who had passed the sternest tests of manhood." He came of a stock which, both in principle and in practice, had proved itself unflinchingly true to Quaker ideals. Of such ancestors the subject of this memoir proved himself no unworthy descendant. Born in Brighton, 5th of January, 1834, Daniel Hack was the second son of Daniel 90 ANNUAL MONITOR. Pryor and Elizabeth Hack. Both he and his brother spent their schooldays under Isaac Brown at Hitchin and Dorking, and later under Bedford Gilkes, in their native town. Daniel Hack was then apprenticed to William Sparkes of Worcester, being made, as was the pleasant patriarchal custom of the time, a member of his employer's household. He here gave strong evidence of that love of learning which characterised him all his life ; and although his business duties occupied him early and late, he yet found time, during his scanty leisure, to study languages, literature and social problems. The knowledge and love of art which he acquired in the Worcester " School of Design" were not only of great interest and value to him in the foreign travels of his later years, but were probably a chief factor in prompting those wise and generous schemes by which he strove to bring within the reach of the young people of Brighton the means of gaining similar knowledge. It has been well said of him that none knew better than he that there is no royal road to learning, and that none put forth a more willing hand to help others to follow the path up which he himself had toiled. After leaving Worcester, he spent a year in acquiring further business experience in London, and on returning home he was thrown for a short time into association with his future wife, between whom and himself a mutual attraction at once sprang up. And here we must try and give, however imperfectly, some idea of the beautiful character of the one who brought so much blessing into his life. Martha Gibbins was the eldest child of Thomas and Emma J. Gibbins, of Birmingham. She was at school at Lewes from 1852 till 1854, and she then entered upon a strenuous life as an elder daughter and sister. She was the right hand of her mother, and assisted in teaching and training the young ones of the family, while she was companion to the elder brothers. Besides a daughter's varied service in the home, her time was occupied with self-culture and social duties in a large family circle. She also undertook a Bible Class of young girls of the working class on the early morning of First-day. A schoolfellow greatly beloved by her, writes : " My recollections of Martha Gibbins as a schoolgirl, when we were together at Lewes in the years 1853-4, are those of a happy, highminded girl, eager to learn, steadfast in friendship, and beloved by all her schoolfellows. She and I, having similar tastes, used to read a good deal together, and one very ambitious piece of work we undertook was to translate into English Schiller's ' Song of the Bell,' in jingling enough rhymes, I am sure. This does not betoken any particular talent on the part of the youthful translators ; it rather shows with how much enthusiasm our excellent teacher, Herr Lowenthal, inspired us. The Friends' School at Lewes was in the hands of three very capable and delightful women, Miriam, Mary, and Josephine Dymond ; and few, if any, of their pupils can have left that school without having felt their gentle yet powerful influence, their loving and beautiful sympathy. They (the pupils) most surely brought away with them a recollection of many happy days spent in that beautiful country among the Sussex Downs, and of walks and glad converse with their girl friends. "Later, after we had both left school, I paid a little visit to Martha's home at Edgbaston, when pleasant intercourse in their family circle and excursions to Kenilworth and other places of interest, deepened the affection of schooldays. " In later years there were few opportunities of meeting, but I often heard of her activities, and of the useful place she filled, sharing her husband's educational and philanthropic work in Brighton." It was on a visit to Brighton two years after leaving Lewes that Martha Gibbins became acquainted with Daniel Hack, as already mentioned. It may have been their love of German which was the little link with which their intercourse commenced. Daniel Hack was an enthusiast over the study of the German language and literature, and always commended Herr Lowenthal's methods of teaching. But Daniel Hack and Martha Gibbins were drawn together by deeper and more lasting cords, unseen by those around. After this episode, Daniel Hack and his eldest sister paid a visit to their cousins, Charles and Gulielma Tylor, then residing at Veytaux, on the lake of Geneva : a memorable visit which gave also an opportunity for a delightful expedition to the Bernese Oberland. After his return home, an unexpected opening occurred which enabled him to settle in his native town, by joining the late Marriage Wallis as partner in a grocery and provision business, originally established by Isaac Bass. He threw himself into this new sphere with great energy, making himself thoroughly acquainted with all departments of a business which was new to him. Both partners aimed at a high standard of commercial morality, and at the promotion of the things which make for truth and righteousness in the earth ; and as time went on their unity of purpose and action gave them large influence among their fellow townsmen. When established in business, Daniel Hack sought the hand of her whom he had learned to love. Little did they foresee what was before them during thirty-nine years of married life. But faith in the wisdom and love of God was the foundation of their union, and subsequent events proved that the trials and disappointments which came to them were overruled to the building up of their Christian character. In 1861 Daniel Hack and Martha Gibbins were married, and in her he found, as we have already indicated, a true partner in all his best interests and in his practical work for the good of the community. As a girl Martha Gibbins seemed to have unusual physical strength, but shortly before her marriage she unwittingly taxed it so severely that it was greatly impaired during all the earlier years of her married life. But nothing impaired the activity of her mind or dimmed its brightness. This was shown in the way she fulfilled her domestic and social duties, and in her consideration of and participation in her husband's interests. In their daily life there was a beautiful comradeship and community of purpose, so that the home with its flowery garden seemed ever the expression of their united mind and taste ; and it need hardly be said that it was not used for their own pleasure alone. They both loved children; and relatives, younger and older, came to share its unique rest and peace, and weary ones went forth from it braced up anew for the battle of life. There was a peculiar charm about the dear mistress of the home, and she always diffused a powerful influence on those around, not least upon her servants, who gave to her, with few exceptions, a joyful service seldom surpassed. One who lived at Fir Croft for more than twenty years thus writes : " I feel that heaven is richer, but we are poorer through the loss of those two loved ones, the dear master and mistress of Fir Croft. at least, have lost two of my best earthly friends. . . . The home life was beautiful, the love between the dear master and mistress so great, and the influence was felt though but few words were spoken. There was what was far better, the quiet, consistent Christian living, a noble example to us servants." Another, who came as an vmtutored girl, ready to be led in any direction, was so captivated by the noble character of her mistress, that she tried during thirteen years to follow as closely as she could in her footsteps, and it was this training which prepared her for a position of great usefulness in the Home Mission Field. Early on in their married life, Daniel and Martha Hack joined in founding and

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supporting a ragged school, which was only discontinued on the establishment of the Brighton School Board in 1871. The arrangements were very simple, and it might have been called a dame's school, the mistress being of that character. The infant teacher was a young girl who developed a wonderful gift for managing the little ones - a gift afterwards cultivated to the making of a good teacher. The school filled a useful place at that particular time. In, the winter of 1870, during the war between France and Germany, a number of Friends were sent out to administer the funds which had been collected for the relief of the non-combatant peasantry of Alsace and Lorraine. Daniel Hack was one of the number for some weeks ; and in the series of letters to the Sussex Daily News, written at intervals snatched from his arduous toil, he drew moving pictures of the scenes of horror amid which he and his companions were labouring ; pictures of burning villages and devastated fields ; of homeless and starving women and children, - innocent victims of the pride, cruelty and ambition of man ; pictures of famine and pestilence, of destitution and misery and despair. It is not easy for the present generation to realise the awful state of things in the districts where the relief-work was carried on. But to those who knew something of the conditions under which the work was done, and the pestilential air which the workers were breathing. there was no ground for wonder that, after a few weeks, Daniel Hack was struck down by malignant small-pox. In answer to the telegram announcing his illness, his wife and eldest sister immediately went out to nurse him, while " all Brighton" is said " to have waited anxiously for news." His progress towards recovery was slow, and it was many weeks before he was strong enough to bear the journey back to England. The following sketch, contributed by request by one of Daniel Hack's colleagues during that memorable time, will be read with interest, because of its additional details and of its authorship : " Among the many labours and engagements into which our dear friend entered in the service of others, there was none, perhaps, of more interest or involving greater sacrifice than the part he took in the work of the Friends' War Victims' Fund, organised for the relief of the non-combatant sufferers in the Franco-German War of 1870. " Daniel Hack offered his services to the Committee very early on in the course of the work ; he left for Metz on the 19th of Eleventh month, 1870, to take the place of William Jones, who, with Thomas Whitwell, and Robert Spence Watson, had been the pioneers in the work. " Daniel Hack's great powers of organisation and admirable methods proved of the very greatest service, in putting upon a thoroughly sound system the relief which was being given in so many of the scattered villages round Metz; a number which was being constantly increased as the investigations and visits of our friends were extended. " Those who have access to the most interesting reports issued from time to time by the Committee will see how greatly these services were valued. " But a time of deeper anxiety was in store for the workers at Metz. Very shortly after Daniel Hack's arrival, small-pox, which was terribly rife in the suffering districts, claimed its victims among them. Henry John Allen was the first to develop the disease, and his sister, who went out at once to nurse him, was also attacked ; and to the great loss of the work, Daniel Hack was laid low, and it was duty and privilege of the writer of these lines to make the somewhat difficult journey to Luxembourg to meet Daniel Hack's dear wife and sister, who at once came out to nurse him. From Metz to Thionville it was possible to go by rail, and thence to Luxembourg, twenty-two miles by road. In Thionville, one of the strongly fortified places bombarded by the Germans, it was difficult to get shelter for the night for our friends. The inn was wrecked by the bombardment, and on asking for a fire in the windowless room on a bitter cold night, we were told it was impossible, as a live shell was believed to be in the chimney. " Happily our friend was favoured to recover, and was spared for the valued public services he was able to render to his native town in later life. But the little party at Metz had to mourn the loss of Ellen Allen, and to stand around her grave in the cemetery at Metz far from home and friends." On the very day that the news of Daniel Hack's illness was made known in Brighton, he was elected a member of its first School Board. After his return home, he took up, with characteristic ardour, the work of his new position, before he had really recovered from his illness ; and consequently there was soon a serious break-down in his health. A long rest having been declared absolutely necessary for him, his wife and he spent a year on the Continent, and it was not until 1881 that he once more joined the School Board. From that year he continued to serve upon it until the Board was superseded by the " Education Committee," of which latter he then became a member, continuing to work with it until last year, when failing health compelled him to resign. On that occasion the members of the Committee passed the following resolution : " Resolved - that the Committee has received with much regret a communication from Mr. Daniel Hack expressing a wish to resign his membership in consequence of failing health. " The Committee feel that under the circumstances they have no option and must accept the resignation. They do so, however, with great reluctance, and desire to place on record their high appreciation of the long and exceptional services which Mr. Daniel Hack has rendered to the cause of Public Education in the Town, both by personal effort and by munificent gifts, during the many years which have passed since he became a member of the first School Board of Brighton in December, 1870. " They refer especially to his keen interest in advanced and technical education, and to the leading part which he took in the establishment of the Higher Grade School and Technical School in York Place ; Institutions which have now been superseded by the Municipal Secondary Schools for boys and girls, and the Technical College. " The Committee express the hope that Mr. Hack in his retirement will derive much pleasure in realising that by means of his work many boys and girls of his native town of Brighton have attained to positions of usefulness and honour which otherwise would have proved beyond their reach, and that education generally has been raised and improved in many ways." His interest in the children, the younger as well as the older, made his almost daily visits to the schools a delight to him, and the teachers welcomed him warmly. One of them, head teacher in a large infant school, has written since his death : "I have known him for thirty-six years, and am one of the very many who owe him a great debt of gratitude. Many opportunities were given me in connection with my teaching to see right into his great, tender heart ; and to see him thus moved, perhaps by his feelings for little children, or by suffering, was to love and revere him. I have simply wondered at him sometimes ! " Testimonies of this description might be multiplied, but we only add an extract from a letter from a friend who sometimes visited at Fir Croft, and was of course taken to York Place Schools. " I should like to express our sense of the value of Daniel Hack's life and labours. His life preaches more effectively than any words, and it seems to me to breathe the spirit of Jesus Christ. Jesus took a little child, and sat him in the midst and said, ' Whoso receiveth this little child in my name receiveth me.' Daniel Hack received a great many little children in Jesus' name. Nor did he forget their teachers. He took us round the York Place Girls' School, and the way in which he took care to greet every teacher by name and show sympathy in her work has been an example to me. Indeed, we find the fruits of the Spirit manifested in his life. I do not think one out of the catalogue given by Paul was absent." Daniel Hack was a member of the Brighton Town Council from 1881 to 1885 ; and later he was made a Justice of the Peace for the county of Sussex. He was also a Brighton Borough Magistrate. But his interests were not so much with ordinary municipal affairs. " Education," he said on one occasion, " is my child." And yet, ardent educationalist as he was, he did much in other ways to benefit humanity. As a total abstainer, he embraced every fitting opportunity for supporting the cause of Temperance. As a strong Liberal, he rendered valuable aid to the party of Progress and Reform. " His keen oversight of detail, his thorough knowledge of political opinion and of the trend of political feeling, his shrewd advice in times of difficulty, his quiet and impartial conduct in presiding over large political gatherings, made him a power in the ranks of Liberalism." Daniel Hack's were no careless or considered acts of benevolence ; his methods were wise and discriminating. But it was only necessary to bring to his notice any deserving case, and substantial and continuous assistance was given. Some at least of his greater benefactions are well known. But until "the Books are opened" the full measure of his acts of generosity will never be revealed. Daniel and Martha Hack were attached members of the Society of Friends. They both filled the office of Elder, and though only very seldom taking any vocal part in meetings for worship, their judgment was valued in the business meetings, and Daniel Hack was for some years Clerk to the Monthly Meeting. Daniel and Martha Hack generally availed themselves of the summer recess in School Board and other work to spend some months on the continent of Europe, and twice extended their journey into North Africa. Daniel Hack carefully inquired into the progress of education in different countries, also into economic and fiscal questions ; and the letters home, besides conveying graphic word-pictures of people and places visited, contained much instructive information. Martha Hack was especially skilled in flower-painting, and brought back delightful sketches of places and flowers. These breaks were needful for husband and wife to get out of reach of the constant toil. For as time went on, the educational work grew in breadth and intensity, and to one who sought completeness in all he set his hand to it was not always easy to influence others in authority, who might not see with him, so that each new school might be up-to-date in building arrangements and equipment. Amid sunshine and storm, joy and sorrow, these lives went on,

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till in the autumn of 1900 a great shadow fell upon Daniel Hack when his beloved and gifted wife was taken from him without warning by a carriage accident. Himself seriously injured at the same time, he was laid aside for a while ; but he was enabled, through Divine help mercifully given, to realise complete resignation, being preserved from questioning God's will in permitting the blow. Thus entering on the last decade of life's journey in a spirit of Christian submission, his life, though sorely stricken, was not gloomy. A cousin, who had often before paid helpful visits at Fir Croft, came to reside with him, and a little later his two surviving sisters also, so that he was lovingly cared for. He probably never recovered from the effects of the accident, yet for a few years he was able to resume some of the activities of earlier days. Then failing health obliged him to gradually give up all outside duties. He continued, however, to attend Meetings, both on Sundays and week-days, although latterly he could not walk without assistance. To the last he was in the habit of spending much time in his garden, and he usually drove out every day. It was while he was driving through the streets of Brighton, in company with his sisters and a friend, that, as the carriage stopped in Market Street, close to his old place of business, he drew a deep breath and passed painlessly and peacefully away. After the funeral a cousin wrote, " 'Sursum corda ! ' was the keynote of his life - mentally as well as morally. "Standing in the little corner of the Downs, where he rests, I could not help thinking of the lines with which Browning ends his poem on the funeral of a scholar of the sixteenth century, ' Lofty designs must close in like effects ; Loftily lying Leave him - still loftier than the world suspects, Living and dying.' "

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Wholesale provision merchant of Brighton.

5-**William Cadbury Gibbins**^{3,44,85} was born on 30 Oct 1840 in Digbeth, Birmingham and died on 26 May 1933 in "Hewletts", Cheltenham at age 92.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Metals manufacturer. Birmingham Battery & Metal Co. In Birmingham, Warwickshire.

William married **Phoebe Waterhouse**,^{3,44,85} daughter of **Octavius Waterhouse**^{3,70,96} and **Elizabeth Crosfield**,^{3,70} on 26 Sep 1867 in FMH Swarthmoor, Ulverston, Cumbria. Phoebe was born in 1845 and died on 5 Nov 1917 in Hewletts, Cheltenham, Gloucestershire at age 72. They had nine children: **William Waterhouse, Mary Elizabeth, Thomas, Edith, Lucy, George, Dorothea Margaret, Edward Theodore**, and **Henry Chorley**.

6-**William Waterhouse Gibbins** was born on 20 Apr 1869 in Edgbaston, Birmingham, Warwickshire.

William married **Marian Bellows**.

6-**Mary Elizabeth Gibbins**⁸⁵ was born on 26 Jun 1870 in Edgbaston, Birmingham, Warwickshire and died on 17 Dec 1884 in Birmingham, Warwickshire at age 14.

6-**Thomas Gibbins** was born on 28 Jun 1871 in Edgbaston, Birmingham, Warwickshire.

Thomas married **Evelyn Frances Carrington**, daughter of **Charles Carrington** and **Mary Hennet**, on 2 Oct 1912 in Duncan, British Columbia, Canada. Evelyn was born in 1875 in Paddington, London.

6-**Edith Gibbins**⁹⁷ was born on 10 Aug 1873 in Edgbaston, Birmingham, Warwickshire and died on 5 Aug 1951 at age 77.

Edith married **Ernest Augustus Salter Cotterell**,⁹⁷ son of **Frederick Fowler Cotterell**^{62,97,98} and **Eleanor Mary Isaac**,⁹⁷ Ernest was born on 12 Aug 1874.

6-**Lucy Gibbins**^{3,16,99,100,101,102,103} was born on 13 Oct 1874 in Edgbaston, Birmingham, Warwickshire and died on 24 Dec 1956 in Edgbaston, Birmingham, Warwickshire at age 82.

Lucy married **Wilson Henry Sturge**,^{3,16,99,100,101,102,103,104} son of **Wilson Sturge**^{3,16,41,42,93} and **Sarah Lloyd**,^{16,41,42,105} on 24 Apr 1906 in Edgbaston, Birmingham, Warwickshire.

Wilson was born on 12 Mar 1864 in Moseley, Birmingham, Warwickshire and died on 4 Mar 1935 in Edgbaston, Birmingham, Warwickshire at age 70. They had three children: **Monica Dorothea, Mary Teresa**, and **Wilson Waterhouse**.

Marriage Notes: STURGE- GIBBINS.-On the 24th April, 1906, at Birmingham, Wilson Henry Sturge (1875-81), of Birmingham, to Lucy Gibbins, of Edgbaston.

General Notes: STURGE.-On March 4th, 1934, Wilson Henry Sturge (1875-81), aged 70 years. [Is this a year out?]

WILSON HARRY STURGE died on March 4th, at the age of seventy, after a few months of illness. After six years at Bootham, he left with a deep loyalty to the School, and frequently came back to the Whitsuntide gatherings. He possessed in an unusual measure creative power, tenacity of purpose, and energy. In his business of electrical engineering (Sturge and Baker Ltd.) these qualities showed themselves in his inventiveness, which brought forth a number of new devices. Many of these, such as bowl fires, have been universally adopted. His personality found perhaps even greater scope in social work. He saw plainly the evils of " this sorry scheme of things "-its drabness and its waste, moral and material; and he also possessed the much rarer powers of seeing great possibilities in unpromising things, and of working tenaciously towards the ideal which he had seen. He felt deeply the dreariness of much of the Black Country, and laboured to win back some of that desert-by taking part in experimental schemes of tree-planting on slag-heaps, by helping to start the Midland Vacant Land Cultivation Society, by founding garden clubs, and by putting in hard manual work himself. From his early days he worked for the Adult School movement, giving unsparingly time, thought, and energy, and he took a house near Farm Street Adult School, in order that he might share the environment of those among whom he was working. He had a great gift for friendship, and many will miss his companionship and help - his friends in the Adult School, in the Society of Friends, in the causes for which he worked, in the business world, and not least in the O.Y.S.A. He was fond of games and of social life, founding the Swarthmoor Football Club and the Economic Reading Circle in Birmingham, planning and keenly enjoying musical evenings, at which he played the 'cello, river parties on Avon and Severn, and cycling excursions. He was a keen lover of flowers and birds, and in his younger days a good cricketer

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and oarsman. He was the originator of the O.Y.S.A. Branch Associations. In 1906 he married Lucy Gibbins, and he leaves two daughters and a son. " Service was the keynote of his full and active life. Truly it might be said that ' he went about doing good.' " *Bootham magazine - July 1935*

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1875-1881 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as a Managing Director of Sturge & Baker Ltd., Electrical accessories manufacturer.
- He resided at 35 Carpenter Road in 1935 in Edgbaston, Birmingham, Warwickshire.

7-**Monica Dorothea Sturge**¹⁰⁰ was born on 6 Jul 1908 in Handsworth, Birmingham, Warwickshire and died in May 2002 in Birmingham, Warwickshire at age 93.

General Notes: STURGE.-On the 6th July, 1908, at Handsworth, Birmingham, Lucy, wife of Wilson Henry Sturge (1875-1881), a daughter, who was named Monica Dorothea.

7-Mary Teresa Sturge

Mary married **Joseph Russell Elkington**, son of **Joseph Passmore Elkington** and **Mary Russell Bucknell**. They had four children: **Judith**, **Mary Gwynneth**, **Joseph John**, and **Joseph Sturge**.

8-Judith Elkington

8-Mary Gwynneth Elkington

8-Joseph John Elkington

8-Joseph Sturge Elkington

7-**Wilson Waterhouse Sturge**^{16,102,106,107,108,109,110,111,112} was born on 5 Jul 1911 in Edgbaston, Birmingham, Warwickshire and died on 10 Sep 1988 at age 77.

General Notes: STURGE.-On the 5th July, 1911, at Birmingham, Lucy, wife of Wilson Henry Sturge (1875-81), a son, who was named Wilson Waterhouse.

STURGE - on 10th September, 1988, Wilson W. Sturge (1925-29), aged 77.

WILSON W. STURGE (Bootham 1925-29) Wilson Sturge went from Bootham to Dalton Hall, Manchester University where he gained a first class honours degree in 1932. He then joined the family firm of electrical engineers in Birmingham with which he was associated for the whole of his working life. While a boy at Bootham he was a keen cricketer and played for the 1st XI, eventually graduating to the Falcons. He was also Bootham Fives Champion, and his name can be found on the championship plaque that now graces the walls of the lecture room since its creation from the lower level of the old fives court. He played a major role in the Birmingham OYSA branch over many years, and recently transferred its minute books to the Bootham Archives: he also negotiated the transfer of the Birmingham Scholarship Funds into the general OYSA Scholarship Amalgamated Funds. A faithful and regular attender at Whit Reunions, he died on 11th September, 1988, aged 77.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1925-1929 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as an Electrical Manufacturer.
- He had a residence in 90 Nursery Road, Edgbaston, Birmingham, Warwickshire.
- He was educated at University of Manchester in 1929-1932.

Wilson married **Catharine Mary Glaisyer**,^{106,107,108,109,110,113} daughter of **John Glaisyer**^{16,41,65,113,114,115,116,117} and **Anita Catharine Wilson**,^{16,41,65,113,114,115,116} on 3 Apr 1940 in FMH Bull Street, Birmingham. Catharine was born on 19 Jan 1914 in 20 Clarendon Road, Edgbaston, Birmingham, Warwickshire. They had three children: **Jillian Mary**, **Catharine Anita**, and **Michael Wilson**.

Marriage Notes: Sturge-Glaisyer.-On 3rd April, at the Friends' Meeting House, Bull Street, Birmingham, Wilson Waterhouse Sturge (1925-9), to Catharine Mary Glaisyer.

General Notes: GLAISYER.-On the 19th January, 1914, at 20 Clarendon Road, Edgbaston, Anita Catharine (Wilson), wife of John Glaisyer (1888-93), a daughter .

8-Jillian Mary Sturge

8-Catharine Anita Sturge

8-Michael Wilson Sturge

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Michael married **Lotti Gamler**, daughter of **Alfred Gamler** and **Margrit**. They had two children: **Nicholas Wilson** and **Christina Margrit**.

9-**Nicholas Wilson Sturge**

9-**Christina Margrit Sturge**

6-**George Gibbins** was born on 8 Dec 1877 in Edgbaston, Birmingham, Warwickshire and died in 1878 at age 1.

6-**Dorothea Margaret Gibbins** was born in 1879.

6-**Edward Theodore Gibbins** was born in 1883 and died in 1899 at age 16.

6-**Henry Chorley Gibbins** was born in 1888.

5-**Thomas Gibbins**³ was born in 1842 and died on 23 Jan 1908 at age 66.

5-**Richard Cadbury Gibbins**^{3,41,44} was born on 30 Jun 1846 in Birmingham, Warwickshire and died on 14 Feb 1928 in "Fayrestowe", Wellington Road, Edgbaston at age 81.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Metal Manufacturer in Birmingham, Warwickshire.

Richard married **Caroline Lloyd**,^{3,41,44} daughter of **Dr. William Lloyd**^{3,24,81,118,119} and **Caroline Ellis**,^{3,41,81,119} on 23 Mar 1877 in Farm, Sparkbrook, Birmingham. Caroline was born on 16 Jan 1854 in Kings Mills, Castle Donington, Derbyshire and died on 20 Jun 1920 in Edgbaston, Birmingham, Warwickshire at age 66. They had seven children: **Robert Lloyd, Hugh, George Maurice, David, Roland Bevington, Rachel Jane**, and **Marjorie Ellis**.

6-**Robert Lloyd Gibbins**^{3,16,120} was born on 12 Dec 1877 in Edgbaston, Birmingham, Warwickshire and died on 31 May 1948 in Wickenford, Worcestershire at age 70.

General Notes: Gibbins.-On 31st May, 1948, Robert Lloyd Gibbins (1892-95), aged 70 years.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1892-1895 in York, Yorkshire.
- He was educated at University of Heidelberg in 1898 in Heidelberg, Germany.
- He worked as a Managing Director of the Birmingham Battery & Metal Co. Ltd.

6-**Hugh Gibbins**^{16,41,65,114,121,122,123,124,125} was born on 17 Feb 1879 in Edgbaston, Birmingham, Warwickshire and died on 7 Feb 1942 in Birmingham, Warwickshire at age 62.

General Notes: HUGH GIBBINS (1893— 6) has obtained the M.Sc. degree of Victoria University, having gained Honours in Engineering. *Bootham magazine - September 1902*
HUGH GIBBINS (1893-96) is in Dorchester Prison. His present two-year sentence will be up in May. He is reported as very well, we are glad to say. *Bootham magazine - April 1919*
Gibbins.— On 7th February, Hugh Gibbins (1893-96), aged 62 years.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1893-1896 in York, Yorkshire.
- He was educated at Dalton Hall, Manchester.
- He worked as a Manufacturer of Lifting equipment in Birmingham, Warwickshire.
- He had a residence in 4 Pakenham Road, Edgbaston, Birmingham.
- He was a Quaker.
- Miscellaneous: imprisoned for 2 years, as a Conscientious objector in WWI.

Hugh married **Nora Beatrice Mennell**,^{16,41,65,114,122,123} daughter of **Henry Tuke Mennell**^{3,8,16,69,126,127,128,129,130,131,132} and **Maria Bradley Newman**,^{3,8,16,69,127,129} on 9 Sep 1909 in FMH Croydon.

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Nora was born on 9 Mar 1884 in Croydon, Surrey and died on 17 Aug 1961 in Seaford, East Sussex at age 77. They had three children: **Dearman Menzell, Margaret Caroline, and Peter Bevington.**

Marriage Notes: GIBBINS-MENNELL.-On the 9th September, 1909, at Croydon, Hugh Gibbins (1893-6), of Birmingham, to Nora Beatrice Menzell, of Croydon.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at The Mount School in Sep 1899-Dec 1901 in York, Yorkshire.

7-**Dearman Menzell Gibbins**^{41,114} was born on 27 Jul 1910 in 4 Pakenham Road, Edgbaston, Birmingham and died in 1963 in St. Neots, Cambridgeshire at age 53.

General Notes: GIBBINS.-On the 27th July, 1910, at Birmingham, Nora Beatrice (Menzell), wife of Hugh Gibbins (1893-6), a son, who was named Dearman Menzell.

Dearman married **Anne Margaret Aston**, daughter of **Hugh Cyrus Aston** and **Violet Maude Thomas**, on 14 May 1938 in Wylde Green. Anne was born on 14 Mar 1913 in Erdington, Warwickshire. They had three children: **Mary Patricia, Helen Margaret, and Catherine Anne.**

8-**Mary Patricia Gibbins**

8-**Helen Margaret Gibbins**

8-**Catherine Anne Gibbins**

7-**Margaret Caroline Gibbins**¹²² was born on 1 May 1912 in 4 Pakenham Road, Edgbaston, Birmingham, Warwickshire and died in 1981 in Richmond, Surrey at age 69.

General Notes: IBBINS.-On the 1st May, 1912, at 4 Pakenham Road, Edgbaston, Nora Beatrice (nee Menzell), the wife of Hugh Gibbins (1893-6), a daughter, who was named Margaret Caroline.

Margaret married **Walter Leonard**, son of **Henry Lewey** and **Charlotte Levy**, on 25 Jul 1942 in Birmingham, Warwickshire. Walter was born on 3 Dec 1912 in Dresden, Germany and died in Jun 1999 in Kingston upon Thames, Surrey at age 86. They had two children: **Roger Martin** and **Christina Ruth.**

8-**Roger Martin Leonard**

8-**Christina Ruth Leonard**

7-**Peter Bevington Gibbins**¹²³ was born on 30 Oct 1913 in 4 Pakenham Road, Edgbaston, Birmingham, Warwickshire. (13th given in Bootham) and died on 3 Sep 1930 in Edgbaston, Birmingham, Warwickshire. In an accident at age 16.

General Notes: GIBBINS.-On the 13th October, 1913, at 4 Pakenham Road, Edgbaston, Nora Beatrice (Menzell), wife of Hugh Gibbins (1893-6), a son, who was named Peter Bevington.

6-**George Maurice Gibbins**¹³³ was born on 11 May 1880 in Edgbaston, Birmingham, Warwickshire and died on 22 Apr 1933 in Luton, Bedfordshire at age 52.

General Notes: GIBBINS.'97On April 22nd, George Maurice Gibbins (1895-97), aged 52 years.

MAURICE GIBBINS (1895-7) was one of the most regular, loyal and helpful attenders at Whitsuntide. One felt instinctively that we had in him, a wise and understanding friend. He was a man of many quiet, unobtrusive acts of generosity. *Bootham magazine - July 1933*

Re GEORGE MAURICE GIBBINS, Deceased.

The Trustee Act, 1925.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of George Maurice Gibbins, late of Ludlow Avenue, Luton, in the county of Bedford, deceased (who died on the 22nd day of April, 1933, and whose Will was proved in the Birmingham District Probate Registry of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 20th day of July, 1933, by Robert Lloyd Gibbins, Hugh Gibbins and David Gibbins, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims to us, the undersigned, on or before the 16th day of October, 1933, after which date the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.'97Dated this 2nd day of August, 1933. MUSGROVE LEE and ARTHUR. SMITH, 18, Newhall Street, Birmingham 3, Solicitors for the Executors.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with BSc (Hons) in London.
- He was educated at Bootham School in 1895-1897 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as an apprenticed to the Oerlikon Electrical Works in Zurich, Switzerland.

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- He worked as a Managing Director of Hayward Tyler & Co. Ltd., Hydraulic Engineers.
- He worked as a Director of the Luton Water Co.

6-**David Gibbins**⁴¹ was born on 9 Dec 1882 in Edgbaston, Birmingham, Warwickshire and died on 9 May 1940 in Edgbaston, Birmingham, Warwickshire at age 57.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Sedbergh School in Sedbergh, Cumbria.
- He had a residence in 49 Stirling Road, Edgbaston, Birmingham.

David married **Ethel Emilie Rohrbach**,⁴¹ daughter of **Rev. Dr. Julius Rohrbach** and **Emma Bowman**, on 12 Apr 1909 in Charlottenburg, Berlin, Germany. Ethel was born on 4 Jun 1883 in Moabit, Berlin, Germany and died on 18 Dec 1965 at age 82. They had four children: **Richard Karl**, **Julius Bernard**, **Robert Ellis**, and **Wilfrid David**.

7-**Richard Karl Gibbins**^{16,134,135,136,137,138} was born on 4 Jan 1910 in 49 Stirling Road, Edgbaston, Birmingham and died on 8 Feb 1964 at age 54.

General Notes: GIBBINS.-On 8th February, 1964, Richard Karl Gibbins (1923-27), aged 53 years.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at The Downs School in 1920-1923 in Colwall, Malvern, Herefordshire.
- He was educated at Bootham School in 1923-1927 in York, Yorkshire.
- He was educated at King's College, Cambridge in 1928-1931.
- He worked as a member of the Birmingham Battery and Metal Co. Ltd. in Birmingham, Warwickshire.

Richard married **Olive Mary Hunter**, daughter of **Frank Hunter** and **Freda Olive Wilson**. They had three children: **Rosemary Caroline**, **John Richard Hunter**, and **Catherine Mary**.

8-Rosemary Caroline Gibbins

Rosemary married **Ernest Burden**.

8-John Richard Hunter Gibbins

John married **Carolyn W. Free**.

8-**Catherine Mary Gibbins**¹³⁸ was born on 27 May 1950 in Edgbaston, Birmingham, Warwickshire and died on 30 Jul 1957 in Edgbaston, Birmingham, Warwickshire at age 7.

General Notes: Gibbins.-On 27th May, 1950, to O. Mary and Richard K. Gibbins (1923-27), a daughter, Catherine Mary.

7-**Julius Bernard Gibbins**¹³⁹ was born on 18 Jun 1911 in 49 Stirling Road, Edgbaston, Birmingham and died in 1984 at age 73.

General Notes: Testimony of Thankfulness to the Grace of God for the life of

J. Bernard Gibbins 1911 - 1984

made by West Devon Monthly Meeting on 9th March 1985 was read [at Devon & Cornwall General Meeting held 15 June 1985 in St Austell and recorded as Minute 7].

Julius Bernard Gibbins (to be called Bernard) was the second son of David and Ettie Gibbins of Bull Street Meeting, Birmingham. His father's family were Quakers for generations past; his mother was the daughter of a Lutheran pastor; she joined Friends at Bull Street .

Bernard was educated at Downs School, Colwell, Malvern , where a third of the pupils came from Quaker families, and then at Sidcot School . Subsequently, he went to the Royal Agricultural College, Cirencester.

Bernard Gibbins' professional work was of much value to the West Country where he dealt, for over forty years, coming from Huntingdon where he had been Chief Executive Officer for that County .

He became a partner in the firm of Clutton and Drew of Exeter and was deeply involved with the management of the Church Commissioners agricultural estates in Devon , and, under Cluttons, Cornwall.

He was for some years the Secretary of the Devon & Cornwall Branch of the Chartered Land Agents' Society .

Before he retired, Bernard joined the partnership of Stratton & Holborough of Exeter and remained for the rest of his life the consultant land agent for the Menabilly Estates in Cornwall .

Bernard's detailed knowledge and wise decisions earned him great respect. He cared deeply for the conservation of the rural environment in which he lived and worked, and also for the many people from all walks of life who increasingly sought his advice and counsel.

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For Bernard was a man to be wholly relied upon, firm and decisive, unfailingly courteous and compassionate, drawing spiritual strength from his religious faith.

Bernard was a member of Newton Abbot Meeting; he supported the outreach that saw the beginnings of an allowed Meeting at Totnes. When Totnes became a Preparative Meeting, we were fortunate in the appointment of Bernard as an Elder, and later he became Treasurer. He made a steadfast commitment to any task he undertook and Totnes owes much to his quiet care, to his ministry and that life of prayer .

With his wife, Kathleen, and his family, growing up in the village of Staverton, the needs of the church and parish were also much a part of that commitment .

He had a sensitive understanding of the needs of the countryside and his keen appreciation of problems contained a gentle sense of humour that made divisions seem obsolete. Kathleen came to Meeting, he went to church, on occasion.

His beautiful garden and the fine craftsmanship of the furniture he made as a hobby were other facets of doing a task well for the God he tried to serve in his everyday life.

When Bernard died, a "Service of Thanksgiving for Grandad" was held in the village church at Staverton where we heard the grandchildren reading Bernard's favourite words of devotion and playing music he had encouraged them to achieve.

The quality of love that he brought to everyday life in his family, in the community and so out to the wider world was here made witness to the faith in God that he tried to serve, steadfastly and devotedly.

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1. Julius Bernard Gibbins was born 11/06/1911 Edgbaston, son of David and Ethel Emilie Gibbins, born Rohrbach. His parents married on 12 Apr 1909 at Charlottenburg, Berlin **Source:** Geneagraphie website. His mother's father was Julius Rohrbach. His parent's pictures are shown at <http://archive.org/stream/photographicpedi00bens#page/156/mode/1up> <<http://archive.org/stream/photographicpedi00bens>> page 157

2 Downs School = the Preparatory School for Malvern College Website: <<http://thedowns.malcol.org/>>

3.Sidcot School = a Quaker school in Somerset. Website <<http://www.sidcot.org.uk/>>

4.Huntingdonshire = a former Administrative County. In 1974, under the Local Government Act 1972, Huntingdon and Peterborough merged with Cambridgeshire and Isle of Ely to form the new county of Cambridgeshire.

5. In June 1970 the Chartered Land Agents' Society and the Chartered Auctioneers' and Estate Agents' Institute, amalgamated with the Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors.

6.Stratton & Holborough website <<http://www.stratton-holborow.co.uk/>>

7.The Menabilly Estate is the family seat of the Rashleighs. It was leased by the author, Daphne du Maurier between 1943 and 1969.

8. David Butler Quaker Meeting Houses of Britain p. 144 : Totnes: " . . . a new meeting was settled in 1967. An advantageous offer allowed Friends to buy premises in Ticklemore Street for a meeting house for £30,000, opened in 1986 . . . "

9. Staverton, Devon, village website <http://www.staverton.com/staverton_church.html>

With grateful appreciation to Vernon White.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at The Downs School.
- He was educated at Sidcot School.
- He was educated at Royal Agricultural College in Cirencester, Gloucestershire.
- He worked as a Land Agent.

Julius married **Kathleen Mary Phillips**, daughter of **Thomas Arthur Phillips** and **Evelyn Grundy**. They had three children: **Elizabeth Jane**, **David Phillips**, and **Richard Lloyd**.

8-Elizabeth Jane Gibbins

8-David Phillips Gibbins

8-Richard Lloyd Gibbins

7-Dr. Robert Ellis Gibbins^{16,138,140,141} was born on 29 Jul 1914 in Edgbaston, Birmingham, Warwickshire and died on 31 Jul 1995 at age 81.

General Notes: Robert Ellis Gibbins, Consultant surgeon, Kidderminster general Hospital, 1949-1979. (b. 1914. q. Birmingham 1938; FRCS 1947), died of heart failure on 31 July 1995. Starting his surgical training with the RAMC in Egypt and Italy, he founded the modern surgical services at both Kidderminster and Bromsgrove hospitals. At his retirement the surgical block was named after him, the wall plaque stating that "he devoted his energies to its advancement." After retirement from general surgery he provided an excellent service for rheumatoid hand surgery locally; he was also a skilful clock repairer. He leaves a wife, Pam, four children (two sons being GPs), and 11 grandchildren [Richard T Taylor].

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Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at West House School in 1923-1927 in Birmingham, Warwickshire.
- He was educated at Sidcot School in 1927-1929 in Sidcot, Somerset.
- He was educated at University of Birmingham.
- He was educated at Bootham School in 1929-1932 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as a Consultant General Surgeon, Kidderminster General Hospital in 1949-1979 in Kidderminster, Worcestershire.
- His obituary was published in the British Medical Journal on 7 Oct 1995.

Robert married **Dr. Pamela Mary Aviss**, daughter of **Llewellyn Aviss** and **Jeannie Margaret Price**. They had four children: **Philippa Ann**, **Robert Llewellyn**, **Stephen Roland**, and **Emma Louise**.

8-**Philippa Ann Gibbins**

8-**Dr. Robert Llewellyn Gibbins**

8-**Dr. Stephen Roland Gibbins**

8-**Emma Louise Gibbins**

7-**Wilfrid David Gibbins**^{16,138,142,143} was born on 28 Jan 1919 in Edgbaston, Birmingham, Warwickshire and died in 2009 at age 90.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1932-1937 in York, Yorkshire.

Wilfrid married **Mary Constance Wallace**, daughter of **Charles Galbraith Wallace** and **Kathleen Mary Grumitt**. They had two children: **Caroline Jane** and **Felicity Mary**.

8-**Caroline Jane Gibbins**

8-**Felicity Mary Gibbins**

6-**Capt. Roland Bevington Gibbins**⁴⁴ was born on 19 Oct 1885 in Edgbaston, Birmingham, Warwickshire, died on 3 Dec 1917 in Cambrai, France. Killed in action. (AM gives 4th; CWGC gives 3rd) at age 32, and was buried in Listed on the Cambrai memorial. Body not found.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as an officer of the Royal Warwickshire Regiment.

Roland married **Edith Grace Ritchie**, daughter of **Thomas Leitch Ritchie** and **Margaret Ann Rose**, on 16 May 1916 in Edinburgh, Midlothian, Scotland. Edith was born on 20 Dec 1887 in Brechin, Angus, Scotland.

6-**Rachel Jane Gibbins** was born on 22 Jul 1889 in Edgbaston, Birmingham, Warwickshire and died in 1981 at age 92.

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Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at The Mount School in Sep 1905-Jul 1907 in York, Yorkshire.

Rachel married **Leslie Arthur Smith**, son of **William Arthur Smith** and **Annie Jane Phillip**, on 27 Apr 1920 in Birmingham, Warwickshire. Leslie was born on 3 Oct 1878 in Edgbaston, Birmingham, Warwickshire and died on 5 May 1956 in Birmingham, Warwickshire at age 77. They had three children: **Geoffrey Arthur**, **Mary Caroline**, and **John Timothy Arthur**.

7-Lieut. Geoffrey Arthur Smith was born on 8 Feb 1922 in Edgbaston, Birmingham, Warwickshire, died on 2 Nov 1944 in Netherlands. Killed in action at age 22, and was buried in Mierlo War Cemetery, Noord-Brabant, Eindhoven, Netherlands. Grave V.F.2.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Rugby in 1935-1940.
- He worked as an Officer of the Royal Artillery.

7-Mary Caroline Smith

Mary married **Dr. Edward Paul Cadbury**, son of **Paul Strangman Cadbury** and **Rachel Evelyn Wilson**,⁴¹ on 26 Jun 1948 in Birmingham, Warwickshire. Edward was born on 10 Nov 1921 in Edgbaston, Birmingham, Warwickshire and died in Apr 2000 at age 78. They had four children: **Richard Geoffrey**, **James Edward**, **Philip Timothy**, and **Erica Rachel**.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with MB BCh.
- He worked as a Physician.
- He worked as a Liberal Parliamentary candidate in 1970 in Oswestry, Shropshire.

8-Richard Geoffrey Cadbury

8-James Edward Cadbury

8-Philip Timothy Cadbury^{144,145} was born on 16 Dec 1953 in Oswestry, Shropshire and died on 15 Aug 1981 at age 27.

General Notes: PHILIP T. CADBURY, 28 Hampton Road, Oswestry, Salop. Entered: September, 1965. 10 'O' Levels. 'A' Levels in History, French and Maths. Debating society, essay society, radio society. York Maths Association, Committee for Abolition of Compulsory Games. To do 1 year's voluntary service then to University College, London, to read Economics and Philosophy. CADBURY.— On 15th August, 1981, Philip Timothy Cadbury (1965-72), aged 27 years.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1965-1972 in York, Yorkshire.
- He was educated at University College, London.

8-Erica Rachel Cadbury

7-John Timothy Arthur Smith

John married **Elizabeth Howlett Waters**, daughter of **Thomas Richard Waters** and **Cecilie Bowyer Howlett**. They had four children: **Catherine Anna**, **Jane Elizabeth**, **Emma Judith**, and **Rebecca Mary**.

8-Catherine Anna Smith

8-Jane Elizabeth Smith

8-Emma Judith Smith

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8-Rebecca Mary Smith

6-**Marjorie Ellis Gibbins** was born on 28 Jan 1893 in Edgbaston, Birmingham, Warwickshire and died on 27 Mar 1981 at age 88.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at The Mount School in Sep 1908-Jul 1911 in York, Yorkshire.

Marjorie married **Julian Pease Fox**,⁴¹ son of **John Howard Fox**^{35,41} and **Marion Elizabeth Pease**,^{35,42} on 17 Jun 1920 in Birmingham, Warwickshire. Julian was born on 2 Sep 1894 in Wellington, Somerset and died on 22 May 1979 in Wellington, Somerset at age 84. They had two children: **Michael Pease** and **Ronald Howard**.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a member of the Friends' Ambulance Unit.
- He worked as a Woollen manufacturer. Fox Bros. In Wellington, Somerset.

7-**Michael Pease Fox** was born on 21 Aug 1921 in Wellington, Somerset, died on 10 Feb 2010 at age 88, and was buried in FBG Spiceland.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Chairman Fox Brothers & Co. Ltd.

Michael married **Yvonne Hotham Cadbury**, daughter of **Joel Hotham Cadbury**^{3,35,44} and **Margery Patching**,^{3,44} on 24 Jul 1948 in Birmingham, Warwickshire. Yvonne was born on 27 Jul 1921 in Northfield, Birmingham, Worcestershire, died on 21 Sep 2016 at age 95, and was buried in FBG Spiceland. They had four children: **Julian Hotham**, **Patricia Jean**, **Roger Cadbury**, and **Diana Frances**.

Noted events in their marriage were:

- They were Quakers.

General Notes: **Yvonne Hotham Fox obituary** Yvonne Fox, who has died aged 95, had a remarkable positive energy and optimism and spent her life joyfully serving others. She had a wonderful zest for life that she shared with others through her work as a physiotherapist and through her dedication to many community causes. Having trained and worked as a physiotherapist she went on to volunteer with St John Ambulance, Meals on Wheels, and Inner Wheel Club (part of Rotary International). She also served on the management committee at Tone Vale Psychiatric Hospital at Cotford St Luke, and she was a Governor at both Sidcot School and Wellington School. Yvonne was an early advocate of the natural childbirth movement, which went against the norm of the time. Instead of being made to lie flat on their backs with their feet in stirrups, as was the standard practice of the time, she believed that women deserved to have a more active role in giving birth to their children. She was able to combine her healthcare training with her ability to build confidence in others to empower more women to do this. She was greatly valued for her work with the Natural Childbirth Trust. As an enthusiastic member of St John Ambulance Brigade Yvonne regularly ran first aid courses, helped with home nursing and did lots of fundraising. Her concern for others led her to set up St John Car Outings, organising drivers to pick up lonely older people and take them to country houses for tea. Her open welcoming nature put others at ease and made these outings fun. The generosity of local people in opening their homes was rewarded by the heartfelt appreciation of people who were becoming side-lined by society. Yvonne was a committed member of Wellington Society of Friends (Quakers), playing an active role inspiring newer members. Her Christian faith was expressed practically in her love and care, and in seeing the best in everyone. It was not only what she did, it was how she did it that inspired those around her. Everything she undertook from the biggest endeavour to the smallest chore was carried out with joy, fun and a profound sense of gratitude. She was a source of wisdom and eternal optimism for her many friends and family. Yvonne was born at Selly Oak, Birmingham on 27th July 1921 into the Cadbury family of chocolate-making fame. Her own parents Margery and Joel Cadbury owned a button manufacturing company. Together with her three elder brothers she was brought up in a Quaker (Society of Friends) family. She attended the Friends schools at Sidcot near Bristol and the Mount School, York. When the second world war broke out she was studying English at Leeds University, but her contribution to the war effort was to train as a Physiotherapist at the Queen Elizabeth Hospital, Birmingham in order to be of practical assistance to those in need. She was happily married to Michael Pease Fox, director of Fox Brothers of Wellington, who she met through her school friend Angela Fox of Gerbestone Manor. Michael spent the war with the Friends Ambulance Unit in China before studying Engineering at Cambridge University, and then joining the family textile business. They married in 1948 and moved into Legglands on Wellington Hill, where they spent their whole married life together. They went on to have four children, seven grandchildren and ten great grandchildren to whom Yvonne was a source of love, inspiration and fun. Yvonne loved being outdoors, regularly ate her breakfast in the fresh air, and welcomed friends and family to share the fruit and veg from her garden. She and Michael enjoyed going on picnics, walks and mountaineering together until well into their 80s. Yvonne had an amazing ability to make everyone feel welcome and special. She was always really pleased to see you and shared her time and energy generously. She will be remembered by her family as someone who was perennially optimistic and whose presence could transform the most mundane occasion into something special. Her family are grateful for the loving care she received these last few months as a resident of Popham Court and for the friends and family who brightened her days with chats, visits and outings. A service in celebration of Yvonne's life will be held at 11am on Friday 7th October at Taunton Deane Crematorium. A reception will follow at Langford Budville Village Hall. All are warmly welcome to attend both parts of the day. Memorial gifts may be made in Yvonne Fox's name to St John Ambulance (give address and link to Granny's online donation site for St John Ambulance). *Emily Samways and Bryony Fox.*

8-Julian Hotham Fox

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Julian married **Susan Lamb**. They had three children: **Jethron Pease**, **Emily Jane Tamarin**, and **Bryony Claire**.

9-Jethron Pease Fox

9-Emily Jane Tamarin Fox

Emily married **Jeremy Malcolm Samways**. They had one son: **George Louis Fox**.

10-George Louis Fox Samways

9-Bryony Claire Fox

Julian next married **Louise Perrin**.

8-Patricia Jean Fox

Patricia married **Prof. Christopher Frank Dorrick**, son of **Prof. Frank Dorrick** and **(Mabel) Cherry (Barbara) Burberry**. They had two children: **Elizabeth Rachel** and **Clare Christine**.

9-Elizabeth Rachel Dorrick

Elizabeth married **Dr. Malcolm Philip Savage**. They had one daughter: **Hannah Joy**.

10-Hannah Joy Savage

9-Clare Christine Dorrick

8-Roger Cadbury Fox

Roger married **Gordana Milijasevic**. They had two children: **Alexandra Yvonne** and **Victor James**.

9-Alexandra Yvonne Fox

9-Victor James Fox was born on 3 Mar 1994, died on 12 May 2016 in Dharasu, Nalupani, Uttarakashi, India at age 22, and was buried on 23 May 2016 in Marylebone Crematorium, London. The cause of his death was in a tragic motorcycle accident.

General Notes: DEHRADUN: A 22-year-old British biker, who was with a four-member expedition team riding from Rishikesh to Gangotri, lost balance and fell into a deep gorge along with his bike in Nalupani area of Uttarakashi district. After a three-hour operation by the State Disaster Response Force (SDRF) and the local police, he was rescued but died on the way to hospital.

Ravindra Yadav, station officer, Dharasu, told TOI, "The four were on different motor-cycles. They had started the expedition from Rishikesh and were on their way to Gangotri Dham." Around 7.30pm on Thursday, Victor James Fox lost control of his two-wheeler and fell into a 200-metre-deep gorge near Dharasu bend in Nalupani, about 30km from Uttarakashi.

With no help in sight at the spot, his three friends went ahead and informed policemen at Chinayalisaund about the accident and sought their assistance. On receiving the information, a team from Dharasu police station and personnel of SDRF along with rescue equipment rushed to the spot.

"We heard his cries for help and despite the cover of darkness, a sincere effort was made to rescue the British national. We could not even see Fox and our team worked hard to find him in the deep gorge," Yadav said. After the rescue operation that lasted nearly three hours, the police personnel were successful in bringing him out of the gorge at about 10.30pm.

"Fox was rushed to the district hospital at Uttarakashi, where doctors declared him dead," Yadav added.

A post-mortem was conducted on Friday, after which the victim's body was brought to Himalayan Hospital at Jolly Grant, Dehradun. "On Saturday, Fox's family members are expected to arrive in the state capital. They will take a call on the location where his last rites will be performed," the police officer said.

The Times of India. 13 May 2016

I am sorry that my first post here for a long time has to be a sad one. I am writing to let the wider family know of the loss of Victor J Fox, son of Roger and Goga Fox and sister to Sasha, who live in North London. Roger is my first cousin and from the Wellington Foxes i.e. the third child of Michael (last Chairman of the family owned Fox Brothers; d.2010) and Yvonne Fox of Legglands.

Victor was 22 years old and "in the starting blocks" of a full and successful life when last Thursday, he suffered a dreadful and fatal accident as his motorbike plunged down a 200' ravine in Northern India.

He had gained a first class honours degree in Philosophy and then spent five months travelling and working on his own in Colombia. An experience which led some family to notice on his recent brief return to England, an increasing maturity in this already very likeable, able and serious young man. He then flew out to India to meet other friends who had been trekking further east and they

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explored Southern India before heading North. Here they hired motorbikes in order to visit the temple at the source of the Ganges.

Somehow he became separated from his friends and when they caught up with him, he was being tended by paramedics having fallen down the ravine.

It is unclear why this tragedy occurred but that it is a tragedy is in no doubt.

There will be a cremation at Marylebone Crematorium (small venue) on Monday 23rd May at 11.00 a.m. followed by a humanist service in the dining room at Highgate Junior School (Bishopswood Rd N6 4PP - entrance opposite Mallinsons sports centre) at 4.30 p.m. and then a wake at 6.30p.m. in The Wrestler Pub nearby.

Judy Fox (JudyFox@lds.co.uk) via Lordsmeade group. 20 May 2016

8-Diana Frances Fox

7-**Dr. Ronald Howard Fox** was born on 12 Feb 1923 in Wellington, Somerset and died on 9 Jul 2009 in Watford, Hertfordshire at age 86.

General Notes: Ph.D. MB. BS. MRCS. LRCP.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with DSC MRCS LRCP.
- He worked as a Physician.

Ronald married **Agatha Ann Pocock**. They had four children: **Marion Judith**, **Christine Joanna**, **Susan Rachel**, and **Jonathan Howard**.

8-Marion Judith Fox

Marion married **Nicholas Jefferson Charles**. They had three children: **Alyssa Mary Fox**, **Gemma Ann Fox**, and **Josie Jane**.

9-Alyssa Mary Fox Charles

9-Gemma Ann Fox Charles

9-Josie Jane Charles

8-Christine Joanna Fox

Christine married **Richard James William Hewlett**. They had two children: **James Anthony** and **Martin Jonathan**.

9-James Anthony Hewlett

9-Martin Jonathan Hewlett

8-Dr. Susan Rachel Fox

Susan married **Dr. Martin Joseph John Beckers**, son of **Huub Beckers** and **Truus Vanderpi**. They had four children: **Matthew Lloyd**, **Joshua Howard**, **Kristian Eliot Maurice**, and **Daniel George**.

9-Matthew Lloyd Beckers

9-Joshua Howard Beckers

9-Kristian Eliot Maurice Beckers

9-Daniel George Beckers

8-Jonathan Howard Fox

Jonathan married **Ruth Ann Blake**. They had three children: **Anna May**, **Thomas Howard**, and **Maisie Joanna**.

9-Anna May Fox

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9-Thomas Howard Fox

9-Maisie Joanna Fox

5-**John Gibbins**^{3,69,76} was born on 28 Apr 1848 in Digbeth, Birmingham and died on 22 Mar 1931 in Upwood, Barnt Green, Birmingham, Warwickshire at age 82.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Metal Manufacturer. The Birmingham Battery & Metal Co. In Birmingham, Warwickshire.

John married **Bertha Robinson**,^{3,76} daughter of **Martin Robinson**³ and **Maria Elgar**,³ in 1875 in Steyning, West Sussex. Bertha was born in 1852 in Newtimber, West Sussex and died on 23 Feb 1878 in Birmingham, Warwickshire at age 26. They had one daughter: **Ada**.

6-**Ada Gibbins**³ was born on 14 Apr 1876 in Birmingham, Warwickshire and died in 1956 in Bromsgrove, Worcestershire at age 80.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at The Mount School in Aug 1893 in York, Yorkshire.
- She had a residence in 1893 in Stratford House, 13 Arthur Road, Edgbaston, Birmingham, Warwickshire.

John next married **Martha Louise Welch**,⁶⁹ daughter of **William Welch**, in 1881. Martha was born in 1855 in Lancashire and died in 1938 in Bromsgrove, Worcestershire at age 83. They had five children: **Martha, John, Francis, (No Given Name)**, and **Roger**.

6-**Martha Gibbins**^{3,69} was born on 12 May 1883 in Birmingham, Warwickshire and died in 1967 in Bromsgrove, Worcestershire at age 84.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at The Mount School in Sep 1899 in York, Yorkshire.

6-**John Gibbins**^{3,16,146} was born on 9 May 1888 in Birmingham, Warwickshire and died on 13 Feb 1973 in Bromsgrove, Worcestershire at age 84.

General Notes: GIBBINS.-On 13th February, 1973, in hospital at Bromsgrove, John Gibbins (1901-05), aged 84 years.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1901-1905 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as an apprenticed to the Coalbrookdale Iron Co. In 1906-1909 in Coalbrookdale, Shropshire.
- He worked as an Engineer in 1909-1910 in United States.
- He worked as an Engineer with the Birmingham Battery & Metal Co. In 1910-1914 in Birmingham, Warwickshire.
- He worked as a member of the FWVRC building huts in 1914-1915 in France.
- He worked as a Garage proprietor and general engineer in 1919-1924 in Lewes, East Sussex.
- He worked as a Motor business proprietor in 1924-1926 in Pickering, Yorkshire.
- He worked as an engineer with United Automobile Services Ltd. In 1926-1931 in Scarborough, Yorkshire.
- He worked as an Engineer in 1931-1933 in Bradford, Yorkshire.
- He resided at Upwood in 1935 in Barnt Green, Birmingham, Warwickshire.

6-**Francis Gibbins**^{3,16,147,148} was born in 1890 in Edgbaston, Birmingham, Warwickshire and died on 18 Sep 1962 in Lewes, East Sussex at age 72.

General Notes: GIBBINS.-On 18th September, 1962, at his home at Lewes, Sussex, Francis Gibbins (1903-07), aged 73 years.

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Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1903-1907 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as a member of the FWVRC in both France and Serbia in 1914-1917.
- He worked as an Engineer.
- He resided at Grey Walls in Lewes, East Sussex.

Francis married **Ethel Ward**.

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6-**Roger Gibbins**^{3,16,147,149,150,151} was born in 1891 in Birmingham, Warwickshire and died on 4 Oct 1967 in Bromsgrove, Worcestershire at age 76.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1906-1909 in York, Yorkshire.
- He resided at Berryfield in 1935 in Hampton, Evesham, Worcestershire.
- He worked as a Fruit Grower in Evesham, Worcestershire.

Roger married **Hilda Mary Leather**^{16,149,150,151} on 26 Aug 1928 in Howgills, Letchworth, Hertfordshire. Hilda was born on 1 Aug 1893 in Burnley, Lancashire and died in Dec 1993 in Kingsbridge, Devon at age 100. They had two children: **Deborah Mary** and **Michael John**.

7-Deborah Mary Gibbins

7-Michael John Gibbins

5-**Benjamin Gibbins**³ was born in 1850, died in 1904 at age 54, and was buried in FBG Witton, Birmingham.

5-**Emma Gibbins**³ was born in 1852.

4-**Martha Gibbins**^{1,3,6,7,8,12,31,38,57,70,73,97,105,152} was born on 2 Jan 1798 in Prospect Row, Aston, Birmingham, died on 27 May 1882 in Banbury, Oxfordshire at age 84, and was buried on 2 Jun 1882 in FBG Banbury.

General Notes: Martha Gillett, 84 27 5 mo. 1882

Banbury. An Elder. Widow of J oseph Ashby Gillett.

Of a very humble and retiring disposition, this beloved Friend was little known beyond the immediate circle of her family and friends ; but her consistent daily walk through life gave evidence to those around her that she was a follower of the Lord Jesus Christ. In the diligent discharge of her domestic and social duties, and in the endearing relationship of a wife and mother, she was enabled truly to adorn the doctrine of Christ her Saviour, under the trial of losing several of her children in the prime of life, as well as when deprived by death of her beloved husband, she bowed in humble submission to the Divine will, not doubting that her Heavenly Father had done all things well.

Her last illness, which was of nearly five years' continuance, commenced with an attack of paralysis. Referring to this in her memoranda, written about a month afterwards, she says : - " My mind was sweetly sustained, and the text, ' Fear not, for I am with thee/ came consolingly before me. I felt I could rest in the full assurance that the Lord would order all things well ; and although my many sins and shortcomings presented themselves to my mind, I was enabled to look from them to the atoning blood of Jesus, and to rest in His all-sufficient atonement ; and this heavenly feeling has never for long been taken from me."

Through the long illness which followed this attack, the peace of God which passeth all understanding did indeed keep her heart and mind through Christ Jesus. Her end was perfect peace.

Noted events in her life were:

- She worked as a Quaker Elder.

Martha married **Joseph Ashby Gillett**^{1,3,6,7,8,12,31,38,57,70,73,97,105,152} son of **William Gillett**^{3,6,7,17} and **Hannah Ashby**^{3,6,7} on 29 Aug 1821 in Birmingham, Warwickshire. Joseph was born on 4 Sep 1795 in Brailes, Shipston On Stour and died on 11 Aug 1853 in Banbury, Oxfordshire at age 57. They had 13 children: **Martha, Joseph, Hannah Mary, Joseph, Charles, (No Given Name), (No Given Name), Alfred, Elizabeth, George, William, Catherine, and Isabella**.

General Notes: Joseph Ashby Gillett was one of the sons of William Gillett of Brailes, Warwickshire. Joseph Ashby Gillett founded Gillett's Bank of Banbury which was sold to Barclays Bank in 1919 by his grandson. Joseph Ashby married Martha Gibbins (1798-1882) in 1821. Martha was the daughter of Joseph Gibbins (1756-1811) and his wife Martha (1758-1827). Joseph and Martha Gibbins had at least three

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other children - Brueton (1783-1855), Mary (c.1785-1875) who married Henry Aggs (1780-1859), and Joseph (1787-1870).

In August 1821 Martha [Martha Gillett (1798– 1882)], a sister of the younger Joseph Gibbins, married Joseph Ashby Gillett (1795– 1853), Quaker shag and shalloon manufacturer of Neithrop, Banbury. Her husband, born on 4 September 1795, was the eldest son of William Gillett (1767– 1849), Quaker farmer, textile manufacturer, and semi-banker, of Upper Brailes, near Shipston-on-Stour. The couple had a daughter and four sons, including Charles Gillett (1830– 1895). On her marriage Martha received a settlement which allowed Joseph Ashby Gillett to purchase a partnership in Whiteheads Bank at Shipston-on-Stour. The settlement allowed him to borrow £5000 without interest. A part of this sum represented money to which his bride would become entitled on her mother's death. The trustees of this settlement were two of Martha's brothers, Joseph and Brueton Gibbins, and their cousin, Jeffery Bevington Lowe of Easington, who had married Margaret Whitehead and was a partner in Whiteheads Bank.

By 1822 Gillett's brother-in-law, Joseph Gibbins, had provided £6000 of capital towards the purchase of the Banbury New Bank (established 1784) from R. and C. Tawney. Although the brothers-in-law were co-partners in the bank, Joseph Gibbins continued to concentrate on his other banking interests, leaving Gillett to manage the Banbury bank. From this point, until its amalgamation with Barclays Bank Ltd in 1919, the Banbury bank always retained at least one Gillett as a partner and became known colloquially as Gilletts Bank. Joseph Ashby Gillett died in 1853, but his wife, Martha, survived him, and died on 27 May 1882 at 2 West Street, Banbury.

The story of the Banbury bank might have been different, since the bank was forced to close its doors for several weeks during the financial crisis of 1825– 6. Joseph Gibbins was, at least in part, responsible for the bank's vulnerability at this time. Gibbins had adopted the practice of discounting Birmingham and Swansea bills using the funds of the Banbury bank to do so. This practice was risky, since it was tantamount to rediscounting, and indeed brought down both the Birmingham and the Swansea banks in 1825 and also caused temporary suspension at Banbury. As a result of his actions Joseph Gibbins was compelled to retire as a partner in the Banbury bank when the firm underwent reconstruction after the crisis. Indeed, from the records of the Birmingham bank of Gibbins, Smith, and Goode, it appears that Gibbins was perhaps less cautious in his business activities than his Quaker religion advised. The bank is said to have had a note circulation which was in excess of its five rival banks put together and, according to the balance sheet at bankruptcy, even after the run on the bank in 1825 which led to its closure, over £52,000 remained in outstanding notes.

The financial fortunes of Joseph Gibbins had revived sufficiently by the late 1840s to allow him to recompense the Banbury bank for his earlier failing. The bank again faced serious financial difficulties during the crisis of 1847– 8. On this occasion, however, it was Joseph Gibbins who came to the rescue by depositing a special loan of £4285 with the bank. In 1866 Joseph again gave financial assistance to the Banbury branch of the family when he lent his nephew Charles Gillett £4000 to increase his capital in the Banbury bank where Charles was now a partner. Two years later Charles received a further £2000 as a gift from his uncle plus a legacy of nearly £1000 on Joseph's death on 24 March 1870 at Houndshill, near Stratford upon Avon.

The religious and kinship links by marriage between the Gillett and Gibbins families were further reinforced by the early joint business activities of the younger Joseph Gibbins and Joseph Ashby Gillett. This banking partnership between the brothers-in-law is illustrative of the close kinship network which typified the Quaker business world of the day. From this beginning Joseph Ashby Gillett went on to forge a successful career in the banking sector and he is undoubtedly an outstanding figure in the history of Gilletts Bank. While Joseph Gibbins held interests in manufacturing, he was most notable for his involvement in banking and in particular bank promotion. Indeed, Joseph Gibbins played a significant role in the establishment and growth of banking not only in Birmingham but also in south Wales.

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Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Shag & Shalloon Manufacturer in Shipston on Stour, Warwickshire.
- He worked as a Banker in Shipston on Stour, Warwickshire.
- He worked as a Banker in Banbury, Oxfordshire.

5-Martha Gillett^{1,3,6,7,8,38,41,72,105,152,153} was born on 15 Mar 1823 in Banbury, Oxfordshire, died on 27 Mar 1895 in 312 Camden Road, Islington, London at age 72, and was buried in FBG Winchmore Hill.

General Notes: On the 29th of 8th month, 1821, the much-beloved daughter, Martha, married Joseph Ashby Gillett. This seems a suitable place to give some details of her early life. When quite young she went to several day-schools in Birmingham, but at ten years of age was sent to a boarding school at Leicester, kept by Elizabeth Herrick. Here she remained about five years. Amongst her schoolfellows may be mentioned

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Rebecca, Hannah, Mary, and Jane Reynolds, Eliza Waterhouse, and some of the Gulsons. After Martha Gibbins left school, she devoted herself until her marriage to her widowed mother, tenderly sharing with her in many anxieties caused by the illness and death of several of her children. After her marriage she resided for about fifteen months at Shipston, where J. A. Gillett acted as agent for Cobb's Bank at Banbury. He was also partner with his father in the plush manufactory. On removing to Banbury he became partner with Joseph Gibbins and Henry Tawney in the Banbury Bank. The following extracts from a journal give evidence of the earnest, loving spirit which pervaded her life from youth to age.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at Ann and Eliza Rickman's School in Rochester, Kent.
- She worked as a Quaker Minister.

Martha married **Joseph Bevan Braithwaite**,^{1,3,6,7,8,9,38,41,72,105,128,152,153,154,155,156,157,158} son of **Isaac Braithwaite**^{3,6,8,38,39,41,42,57,105,155,158,159} and **Anna Lloyd**,^{3,6,8,38,39,41,42,57,105,128,155,159} on 27 Aug 1851 in FMH Banbury, Oxfordshire. Joseph was born on 21 Jun 1818 in Highgate, Kendal, Cumbria, died on 15 Nov 1905 in 312 Camden Road, Islington, London at age 87, and was buried in FBG Winchmore Hill. They had nine children: **Martha, Anna Lloyd, Joseph Bevan, Mary Caroline, Elizabeth, Rachel Barclay, George, William Charles, and Catherine Lydia.**

General Notes: Sun 17 June 1883 - Went to the new meeting house at Westminster. -had a sort of dedication service & a good sermon from Bevan (Braithwaite) - called on the Croppers in the afternoon & on my Father-in-laws with Nellie at Queen's Gate in the evening - went to Church at St. M Abbot
The Diaries of Sir Alfred Edward Pease Bt.

Joseph B. Braithwaite, 87 15 Ilmo. 1905 312, Camden Road, London. A Minister. Joseph Bevan Braithwaite was the youngest son of Isaac and Anna Braithwaite, of Kendal, Westmorland. He and his twin sister Caroline (afterwards Caroline Savory), are spoken of as lovely children. They continued through life devotedly attached to one another, and even when both surrounded by large families, would always, if possible, spend their birthday together. During their mother's long absences on her religious visits to America, her seven children were left under the care of a faithful friend of the family, who though thoroughly kind, was obliged to exercise strict economy, and they were allowed few pleasures or treats of any kind. J. B. Braithwaite often referred to his childhood as a "dreary period," and but for his "charming little sister Cary," who waited upon him and his brother Robert most lovingly, and carried sunshine wherever she went, his childhood must have lacked the tender influences that often make it so full of happy memories; one almost wonders, indeed, that after the experiences of those years he retained such a keen sense of humour, and such a bright cheerful nature as his characteristics throughout life. In writing of his childhood he says, "I did not enjoy vigorous health, the want of which was manifested in a tendency to stammer, and in several other ways, to my own great mortification. But through all I cannot remember a time when I was not sensible of the gracious visitations of the Holy Spirit of God, inclining my heart to His love and producing tenderness and contrition for disobedience or unfaithfulness. I remember learning many of Watts's hymns when I was very young; the simple presentation of christian truth contained in these made a sweet impression upon my mind, and was, I doubt not, a means of great blessing. I was about" eight years old when I first went, as a day scholar, to Samuel Marshall's school in Stramongate, Kendal, where I received a sound English education, with rudimentary instruction in French, Latin and Greek. ... I never went to any other school or college, and though often keenly sensible how much I might have gained by the advantages now open to Non-conformists, I shall always look back to S. Marshall's instruction, and especially to the lectures which he used to give in several departments of science and literature, with grateful appreciation. . . . Even as a boy I had a great thirst for learning, and rejoiced in every opportunity for self-improvement. I remember learning the rudiments of Hebrew very early, and used to enjoy going out on the Scaurs round Kendal in order to shout the strange-sounding words at the top of my voice, to get accustomed to the pronunciation. "I well remember the visits of various ministering Friends to Kendal as well as the ministry with which we were often favoured in that large meeting. This ministry often made a deep impression upon me. I especially recall the visit of Joseph John Gurney to the families of Friends in Kendal in 1830, when both the large meeting houses, thrown together, were so crowded that I was obliged to sit at his feet on a hassock. His text was 'As in Adam all die, even so in Christ shall all be made alive.' He was enabled to set forth the fulness and blessed-ness of redeeming love through Him who is the resurrection and the Life, with great clearness and power. I have a vivid recollection of his whispering to me after the meeting, 'Dost thou think that thou wilt ever have to speak for thy Lord and Saviour?' - and on my mentioning it to my dear mother, she told me that she believed I should, if I was only faithful to my Lord." I continued at S. Marshall's school until I was nearly sixteen years of age, the routine of life at Kendal being but little interrupted, except by visits from our large circle of relatives and friends. In the year 1834, on my leaving school, my dear parents kindly arranged for me to go to London to attend the Yearly Meeting. Up to that time I had never been further than Lancaster. The Yearly Meeting was one of deep interest. Samuel Tuke was the able Clerk; it proved a time of blessing to my susceptible mind. I went twice to dine at J. J. Gurney's lodgings. It was on one of these occasions that he said to me, with that delightful suavity of manner which so distinguished him, 'Canst thou execute a little commission for me at Arch's (his bookseller's)?' He gave me a little note, of the contents of which I was ignorant, and I left it without the least suspicion of what would follow. About six or eight weeks afterwards, towards the close of my visit to London, I was astonished to receive a very large parcel of books, containing the whole of the "Scholia" of Rosenmiiller, with the lexicons of Schleusner for the Greek Testament, and Simonis for the Hebrew. These were all for me, and formed the nucleus of what has since become a pretty extensive library." On his return to Kendal J. B. Braithwaite was articled to a solicitor of that town to study law, and remained with him for seven or eight years. These were years of much religious unsettlement amongst Friends, owing to what was called the Beacon controversy,* and very many of the young people, amongst them three of J. B. B.'s own brothers and his two sisters, and many of his first cousins and personal friends, left the Society. He was brought strongly under the same influence, and it was to him a time of deep proving; he thus speaks of it in his journal: - "During the years 1835 and 1836 I was closely involved in the controversy, writing one- or two letters which were published in The Patriot, then a leading Nonconformist paper; also a series of papers on the early literature of our Society, in a highly controversial spirit. The perusal of writings which this involved, issued under exceptional circumstances and in the heat of controversy, was not a very profitable occupation for a young man of eighteen, but it served to give me a very extended acquaintance with the literature of Friends, and even then I well remember being struck with the quiet dignity and excellent spirit of much that passed: under my review. . . . The Yearly Meeting * This controversy is fully explained in the Memoir of J. J. Gurney, 1st edition. -of 1836, at which I was present, was a time of great excitement, and it is marvellous to me, in looking back, that my little barque was not altogether cast adrift from the Society." In 1840 I went to London to complete my legal education, in the chambers of our beloved friend John Hodgkin. My eldest brother Isaac, and sister Anna were then settled in London, and were very anxious that I should take the 'decisive step of resigning my membership in the Society of Friends. They had both been baptised with water, my brother Forster and ^sister Caroline had also undergone the same 'Ceremony. I even went so far as to allow an interview to be arranged for me with Baptist Noel * for the same purpose; but, I thought it 'Only right (in fact there was the guiding hand of a loving Father gently to restrain), I thought it only right, to first attend the Yearly Meeting throughout, and form my own independent judgment. I remember sitting on the further upper forms to the left of the Clerk's table. . . . I listened with an

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open mind to what passed, -although I was, at the time, writing a pamphlet explaining my views in opposition to Friends. *A minister of the Church of England of a beautiful evangelical spirit. The attendance of the Yearly Meeting deeply impressed me ; and I was gradually brought to the conclusion that I must cast in my lot amongst Friends. I had been afraid that the Scriptural doctrine of justification by faith in the blood of Jesus, was not, in deed and in truth, recognised by the body of Friends ; but I heard the testimonies concerning deceased ministers, and was ashamed and self-condemned for my harsh judgment ; I felt constrained at the last sitting, just before the Clerk read the concluding minute, to say a few words to the effect that, having been involved in several publications during the late controversy, I wished thus publicly to testify, that, during the course of the Yearly Meeting I had had reason to see that I had been greatly mistaken in the conception which I had been led to form of the views of Friends, and that I wished to express my deep regret at having taken part in such publications, and my trust that I might be graciously guided for the time to come. Sweet was the peace that flowed into my soul." From this time, to the end of his long life, J. B. Braithwaite was a loyal and active member of the Society of Friends ; he threw all the energies of his cultivated mind and whole-hearted devotedness to Christ into the work of the Society. With deep humility, yet with a steadfast purpose for what he believed to be his duty, he was ever ready to take a share in the affairs of the Church, and was active on Committees and in visiting as a delegate from the Yearly Meeting with other Friends on important occasions : besides being always diligent in the attendance of Meetings for Worship and a faithful minister of the Word of Life. The few memoranda we find during the years of his early manhood and ministry show how earnest were his desires to be found faithful to the path of duty, and to cultivate and improve his mind so that he might be more fitted for his Master's use. 2 xi. 1840. " I am under no small sense of discouragement. My habits ^are not regular, my mind is not exertive, my studies are ill-conducted, and my time is consequently often wasted or mis-employed As to growth in grace, I am sometimes fearful, lest, after all my profession and experience of mercy, I am deceived ; my heart is a faithless monitor, variable as the waves of the ocean. In the quiet retirement of my chamber I flatter myself that I enjoy communion with my Heavenly Father ; but alas ! how soon is Heaven forgotten and the love of God in Christ Jesus dissipated among my books and companions. I need a constant stimulus ; my duties are forgotten or only half performed, and the remembrance of continued failures weakens my resolution for the future. Let me consider what I am by nature and by actual transgression. How much I have been forgiven. How many undeserved mercies I daily receive, and what a glorious hope is laid up for the believer in the Gospel of Christ. This will lead me to a strict watch over myself that I offend not in thought, or word or action or appearance. This will apply both ways ; let me fear doing too little as well as too much : and oh ! let me consider the duties of a Christian, as set forth in Romans xii. and in various other places of Scripture. Blessed and most merciful Saviour, do Thou visit me in Thy mercy and abundantly replenish me with Thy love and strengthen me with Thy Holy Spirit, that I may be a burning and a shining light to Thy glory, and honour Thee in all my ways." Again he writes : " How can I teach others when I am myself so slow to learn ? What shall I speak on behalf of my Saviour who have been so often ashamed of Him ? How can I testify against sin who have been so great a sinner, or recommend hohness who practise it so Httle ? Lord do Thou make me what Thou wouldst have me to be ; yea, if it be Thy will make me a faithful and an able minister of the New Coven- ant, not of the letter but of the spirit, a servant of Thee and of the Lord Jesus Christ, according to the spirit of holiness. Amen ! " And again; " Oh ! to realise that we are not our own ! that neither our bodies nor our minds are in our own power ; that He who created them, created them for His glory and can take them away at His pleasure. Let me live presently for the future, not of time, but eternity. May I more and more believe in and utilise the influences of the Holy Spirit, seek for them,, cherish them, and live according to them." " Beware lest any man spoil your Christianity; it should be a practical system of social order. We all find it difficult to bear up against the world, to stem the torrent of vice,, immorality or earthly -mindedness ; not a day passes but I have to mourn over my unfaithfulness. But that does not prove that we are to go out of the world. We are to be the salt of the earth, the lights of the world, the witnesses of Christ ! As the inanimate creation proves the •existence of a God, so the new creation in Jesus Christ evidences His love ! And what a charge is this ! what manner of persons ought we to be in all holy conversation and godliness ! Called upon to prove to a world, with all its present intellectual pretensions, as yet unbelieving, that divine influences are not cunningly devised fables, that the work of the Spirit is an un-doubted reality, and that God is yet able and willing to make the weak and despised of the world to confound the wisdom of the wise, and to bring to nought the understanding of the prudent." He planned out for himself a scheme of study, with a list of books on Church history and Biblical criticism for his reading. He was at times so deeply engrossed in these that he avoided his friends, and often ran back to his lodgings after meeting on First-day, and locked himself in so that he might escape being asked out to dinner. In the summer of 1851, J. B. Braithwaite -married Martha, eldest daughter of Joseph Ashby and Martha Gillett, of Banbury. Though of very different temperaments, their union was a very harmonious and happy one, Martha Braithwaite's quiet peaceful spirit adding strength to the character of her husband ; so much was this apparent that the one life seemed incomplete without the other. The long separations involved in his extensive religious engagements were a great trial to them both, but they were one in faith and purpose, and gladly gave up all for the Master's service. After his wife's decease, in 1895, J. B. Braithwaite thus writes in his journal, - " This . morning my precious wife peacefully fell asleep in Jesus. To me it is an inexpressible loss. Ours has been indeed a union of ever-deepening joy, hallowed by the presence and blessing of our faithful and covenant-keeping Lord. Our union of nearly forty-four years has been crowned with loving- kindness and tender mercies. It is a delight to trace her course of simple steadfast faithfulness and unwavering trust, and the many precious evidences of her tender love, the depth of which none can ever know. And, blessed be the Lord ! ours was a union which is undissolved by death. We are still one in Him who is the Resurrection and the Life. May I abide in Him, still resting in His love, rejoicing in His presence and salvation ; for we know (and she has now entered into the glorious- reality) we know that if the earthly house of this tabernacle be dissolved, we have a building of God, a house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens." J. B. Braithwaite was recorded a minister by Westminster Monthly Meeting in 1844, and almost from that time to within a few years of his death we find frequent mention on the books of the Monthly Meeting of his being liberated for religious service, in the British Isles, in America, or on the Continent of Europe. It is wonderful to notice how, with the heavy claims of business, and a large family and all his other interests, he found time to undertake so many religious engagements. The entries in his diary show how it was ever his earnest desire to give his Master's work the foremost place in his life ; and often amidst much discouragement and felt weakness, and sometimes under the burden of heavy bereavement, he was enabled to perform these services to the help and blessing of his friends and his own peace and comfort ; the refrain of his life of earnest and strenuous effort for the good of others seemed ever to be " I delight to do Thy will, oh my God ! " .Under date 11th of Seventh Month, 1858, -he writes : " I am often much discouraged under a sense of my unprofitableness. ... I long- to be more devoted to the Lord's service. . . . May I ever be found undertaking nothing- without His prompting and direction, and flinching from nothing into which He calls me. In the meantime let me remember that He is glorified in a course of patient continuance in well doing in the ordinary duties of life, no less, than in more public services, if the disciple is. only preserved in simple unreserved faithfulness. . . . My mind has been much occu- pied lately with the subject of pastoral care, the right, vigilant oversight of our members, the cherishing of the work of religion amongst them. Is there anything called for at my hands in this direction, and if so what is it ? It may not be permitted to me to have any part in the building of the House of the Lord ; but I may earnestly desire it, and pray for the peace of Jerusalem. I desire also to keep in view in my reading some really profitable object or permanent benefit to the church of God ; Oh ! if this might be the case, how I should rejoice and be prepared to lay down my head in peace, in the humble trust that through great mercy I had not lived in vain. . . . Oh ! that no carelessness or indolence of mine, no unwatchfulness or wandering may ever turn me aside from the path in which He would have me to walk." On his removal to his new home, 312, - Camden Road, where he continued to reside to the end of his life, the entry in his diary is very characteristic. 12th of Fifth Month, 1861. " I desire to Tecord my humble thankfulness for our peaceable removal to and settlement in our new habitation, feeling it no more than the house of our pilgrimage, another pitching of the tent. The removal has been accomplished in great quietness and almost with ease. My great desire is that it will please the Lord to dwell with us ; that here we may take no rest upon earth, but still lean on Him and rejoice only in His blessed service." Those who only saw J. B. Braithwaite at Meeting or in public did not really know him. He shone in his home or in the social circle, where his fine conversational powers could have full play, and his bright intellectual attainments rshowed to their best advantage. In

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his library or drawing-room with his friends around him, he could hold their interest for a whole evening, treating them to choice extracts from his beloved Cicero, or Clemens Alexandrinns ; or from some old Friend worthy, John Woolman, or Robert Barclay ; or again, giving a critical exposition of some passage from one of Paul's epistles, or the book of Isaiah, or the Psalms, often bringing out ancient books to illustrate his subject. Among his children too, in their young days, he relaxed and thoroughly enjoyed a romp, often going into the nursery just before bedtime, crawling on all fours ready to ride the little ones on his back, with his pockets full of good things to be despoiled amidst much shouting and fun. Later on, when his boys were cider, he would help them build and sail their toy boats, or give them delightful demonstrations with the electrical machine. At his evening meal his children gathered round him with their various employments, and one would read from " the Contributions of Q.Q.," or " Tales of a Grandfather," " Pilgrim's Progress," or Addison's " Spectator," which was made delightful by his racy comments and explanations ; and when they grew older he introduced them to the beauties of Milton, Wordsworth, Longfellow, or his favourite Cowper. The daily reading of the Scriptures in his family morning and evening was a marked feature of his life, and was almost always accompanied by fervent prayer, in which his deep concern for the spiritual welfare of all his family and household, as well as for his many interests and large circle of friends, was ever manifested, and will long be remembered by those who were present. When one and another of his sons and daughters married and had families of their own, he took a loving interest in all that concerned them, and always delighted to have his grand-children around him, and was deeply loved by them all. His large and interesting library had been gathered together little by little from the time of his first coming to London, and it is wonderful to notice what a wide range of thought and information the books cover. The section on Church History, for instance, comprises books upon all the various periods, from the first century to the twentieth, and covers all the varied sects and denominations ; and that on Biblical criticism and exposition embraces authors of all creeds and phases of thought. His large hearted, liberal views of Christian truth, and his charitable consideration for those who differed from him may be largely attributed to this fact of his wide range of reading. He was never satisfied to look at a truth only from the Quaker standpoint ; his convictions were the result of careful study and investigation. Another marked feature of his library is the ancient manuscripts or facsimiles of them which he had collected in connection with his Biblical study, and the Greek and Latin classical authors which he so delighted in. His books were like old friends to him, and up to the very last he knew just where each was placed, and could direct his daughters where to find it on the shelves, and then would turn at once to the passage he required. During his middle life J. B. Braithwaite's unwearying energy and strenuous, active work, were such that those who were only acquainted with him in later years can have little idea of it. As a rule he would rise at four or five o'clock, so as to ensure the quiet of the early morning for reading and prayer, and he would often speak of these times as " very precious." He worked like a man who knew no fatigue, and was the marvel of his friends. Wherever he went he carried about with him a bag full of carefully chosen books, which he diligently read at every available moment, utilising thus his omnibus or train journeys ; he used often to remark that he could not understand intelligent people being satisfied to spend so much of their valuable time reading newspapers or magazines. When engaged in religious service he planned out so much to be done in a short time that he usually tired out his companions. Just as an example we may refer to the occasion when he and his wife were visiting the Meetings of Friends in Ireland in 1869 ; they were absent there about six weeks. He records in his journal, " In the course of our visit we held twenty-one public meetings and attended about fifty other meetings, besides the visits to young men in Belfast and Dublin and the social meetings at Belfast Bessbrook, Cork and Dublin." He rarely had a day's illness, yet his sympathies were wonderfully drawn out to those who were suffering and distressed, and many times he was engaged with his wife in visiting the invalids of his own Monthly Meeting. This power of sympathy also specially qualified him for paying family visits, and often during his religious engagements he entered upon this work. He frequently addressed individuals visited in such close terms that they were ready to think some one ' must have revealed to him their circumstances or the state of their minds. Sometimes he felt called to administer rebuke or warning ; but he always did it in such a loving manner that the individual could not fail to recognise that it was no judging spirit that prompted him, but the love of Christ constraining. Whilst highly valuing the experience of the past, J. B. Braithwaite was always ready to consider progressive developments in connection with the Society. The following extract from his journal is expressive of his feelings in regard to the forward movement amongst Friends : - " I desire that we may more and more feel that our growth as a body depends upon our growth as individuals, and that our growth as individuals depends upon each being rooted in Christ, I fear that the tendency of the habit of looking so much to changes in external organisation is to produce a superficial state of things ; in looking so much to social gatherings, the individual work is apt to be overlooked. Oh that I may be preserved in deep abiding watchfulness and humility, stayed and resting upon Christ my Saviour. I feel more than a usual weight in the prospect of the Yearly Meeting, yet it is not the weight of alarm or anxious foreboding, but an earnest concern that all the religious interest and inquiry that is awakened amongst us may be rightly directed and turned to the best account." The interests of the Society of Friends ever claimed his most serious and prayerful attention. On at least two occasions he helped in the revision of the Book of Discipline, and was a member of several important deputations of the Yearly Meeting, besides serving as Clerk to the Morning Meeting and his own Monthly Meeting on Ministry and Oversight during a long course of years, and regularly attending the Meeting for Sufferings and taking active part in its business. He was a Trustee of the Flounders Institute for many years, and the Public Schools and other educational interests of the Society had his hearty sympathy and help. But although he was essentially a Friend, he was more essentially a minister of the Gospel, and his deep concern was that all might be brought to a knowledge of salvation, and by experimental acceptance of Christ's atoning sacrifice become living members of His body, taking each his share of the work and burden of the church. He was extremely careful of the reputation of others, and allowed nothing unkind or detrimental to another to be said in his hearing. Mere gossip he always discouraged and resented ; he consequently became the trusted and confidential friend of all. His regular attendance of Meetings . for Worship was a very marked feature of his life ; he allowed nothing to interfere with this, though it was sometimes at much inconvenience or sacrifice. He did his utmost to further the social interests of the Meeting ; taking much pleasure in making the acquaintance of the many young men Friends who came up to London for study or business. He would hurry down from his seat after meeting to shake hands with any whom he saw were strangers, and nearly always took home two or three to dinner on First-days. He delighted to open to them the treasures of his library, and to advise them as to their reading and study, and sometimes . would almost frighten them by the large armfuls of books he would bring for their perusal. For many years he held a Bible Class for young men at Devonshire House, and another at his . own house, open to all. Throughout his life J. B. Braithwaite's sympathies were strong towards mission work and evangelical effort of all sorts. Before he left Kendal, when still a very young man, he held cottage meetings, and a night school for the lads in his father's mill. When Moody was in London the first time, he took part in the house to house visitation, and helped in the inquiry room at the Agricultural Hall. In the earlier days of organised mission work amongst Friends in London he often visited the various meetings connected with the Bedford Institute and its branches, and did what he could to encourage and cheer the workers. He and his wife did much to help in the establishment of the, mission work at Bunhill Fields ; they were constantly at the meetings first held there in the Tent and the Iron room, and he rejoiced that members of his own family were led to take part in it, always encouraging them in every possible way. The Adult School movement had his hearty sympathy, and from the time it was first commenced in London to the time of his death it was a great pleasure to him to watch its development in and around the metropolis. When travelling about the country on his religious journeys., he took delight in encouraging the mission work and workers in the various places he visited ; for many years he was a member of the Friends' Home Mission Committee. Foreign Missionary work also shared his warm interest, and he rejoiced when Friends took it up as a Society. Many of our earlier missionaries were lovingly welcomed to his home, when they passed through London on their way to and from their fields of labour. He delighted to arrange farewell meetings for them and to cheer them on by prayer and sympathy. He was a member of the Friends' Foreign Mission Association Board for over thirty years. It is noticeable that most of J. B. Braithwaite's religious journeys were taken after he was fifty years of age. Up to that time although he was constantly engaged in ministerial work at home, he had been an active professional man ; having been called to the bar as a member of the Middle Temple when twenty-five years of age, he had acquired a large practice as a barrister, and was looked upon as one of the leading conveyancers of his day. But it is very evident that he felt it his duty more and more to engage in the

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religious work to which he was called by his Divine Master ; he frequently alludes to this in his journal. " 31st of Twelfth Month, 1869. . . . And now what do I need and what do I at times earnestly pray for, but renewed consecration. Guide me, O Lord, in my studies, in my pursuits, in the employment of my time, in my spiritual duties, in my business, in all my ways. Oh that my life may be to Thy honour and to the winning of many precious souls to Christ ! " 21st of Sixth Month, 1874, he writes : ' Fifty-six years of my life have now passed away and I am still mourning my unprofitableness ; little indeed is accomplished. O Lord, I desire in a renewed act of consecration to dedicate myself wholly to Thee. I am Thine, both by creation and redemption, purchased unto Thyself by the precious blood of Christ. Take Thyself the direction of my thoughts, words and actions ; possess me fully, and grant that I may fulfill all the purposes of Thy goodness, and finish my course according to Thy will.' Four of his American journeys, his Continental journeys and his work in connection with the British and Foreign Bible Society, all took place during the last thirty-five years of his life. He visited the Yearly Meetings of Friends on the American Continent three times with Certificate, and on two occasions as a member of a deputation from London Yearly Meeting ; the last time in company with his brother Geo; Gillett-, and others, he attended the Conference at Richmond, Indiana, and helped in the preparation of " the Declaration of Faith" then issued. These visits enabled him to become well acquainted with American Friends, and he entered into deep sympathy with them in their many interests and varied circumstances, and the complex difficulties they had to face in the rapid growth of their Society in the Western States. He never went amongst them in a judging spirit, but with true brotherly and Christian consideration that made him at once their confidential and trusted friend and helper. He was universally beloved and respected by those Friends with whom he came into contact in America, and delighted to welcome them to his home, and to do all that lay in his power to help them when any of them came to England on religious service. He was deeply concerned that a loving and brotherly relationship should be maintained between Friends in England and America. Whilst he ever felt it of vital importance for our Society to uphold the truths of the Gospel, his loving spirit dreaded all schisms and divisions, and he strove to encourage mutual forbearance and love. To some who only came into contact with the outside circle of his life it might have seemed that he was free from business anxieties, and the various difficulties and perplexities that usually attend a man with a large family; but it was not so ; the frequent absences from home that his religious work entailed called for much exercise of faith which he alludes to in his journal on many occasions. ** 2 mo. 15, 1863. I have much outward discouragement about business, and faith at times is brought to a very low ebb ; indeed, I hardly know what to think of it, and were it not that / am sure I am in the hands of a most merciful and bountiful Father in Heaven, I should be quite discouraged. But I desire humbly to thank Him for this also, and earnestly pray for the continuance and an increase of faith and patience. Tried as my faith has been, I have been sweetly supported in the trust that He knows all our needs and that He hath said ' I will never leave thee nor forsake thee.' " It is only possible in the limits of this notice to refer in passing to the many friends and acquaintances J. B. Braithwaite had amongst the men of note belonging both to the Church and the State, his large-hearted Christian charity enabling him to recognise in all the true servants the image of the Master ; in conversation with them he always avoided religious argument and controversy. but delighted to talk upon subjects in which they could agree. His zeal for the spread of Christ's kingdom kept him from being cynical or narrow-minded, and he was ever ready to give the right hand of fellowship to all who loved the Lord Jesus Christ in sincerity. His learning and breadth of thought, and his wonderful power of adaptability made him equally at home with the high dignitary of the Church, the Nonconformist minister, the statesman, the scholar, the judge, or the philanthropist, whilst his truly loving, sympathetic nature appealed to all and made him beloved by all. His connection with the British and Foreign Bible Society, which commenced in 1875 and continued uninterrupted to the end of his life, was a source of much real enjoyment to him. Although it entailed attendance at long committees and other fatiguing engagements, the work was most congenial to him, and he would often speak of it as among the greatest privileges of his life, bringing him as it did into close touch with so many highly-gifted large-hearted Christian men of all denominations. In a Minute issued by the Society after his decease the following tribute is borne to his memory. " Mr. Braithwaite's intimate knowledge of the Scriptures in Hebrew and Greek and Latin, and in the commentaries of the Early Christian Fathers, fitted him to give specially valuable help in connection with the Society's versions. From 1885 to the spring of 1905 he was Chairman of the Editorial Committee, an office which he very highly prized. Venerable in presence, gentle and benevolent in manner, devout in spirit, fervent in prayer, mighty in the Scriptures, his influence was great in the committee room, and his memory will be dear to all who worked by his side." J. B. Braithwaite twice accompanied the Society's Secretary in extensive journeys on the continent of Europe, on one of these occasions including Syria and Palestine, holding meetings with the colporteurs, and entering with Christian sympathy into all the details of the work in the various places. During one of these journeys he had a serious illness, which almost proved fatal, and laid him aside from active work for many months. On the subsequent occasion he visited the Friends' mission station at Brumana, and met with the little company at Constantinople, where afterwards, with his brother, Charles Gillett, he helped to establish the Friends' Meeting. On two occasions he paid religious visits to the Friends in the South of France, and in many places had public meetings in the Protestant temples (kindly lent for the purpose) : and he and his wife in company with Robert and Christine Alsop paid a visit to the Pastors in the Vaudois valleys, whose simple life and self-denying efforts, often in lonely, isolated places, appealed strongly to his sympathy. It will be easily understood that in these varied journeyings he made numerous friends and acquaintances. With many of these he kept up correspondence to the end of his life. The testimonies received after his death show how his letters were valued by them. These journeys, especially that in Syria and Palestine, were a great enjoyment to him, independently of the work undertaken ; his well-stored mind was ever ready to grasp the historical interests and associations of the places he visited ; yet it was very noticeable how he would never take time that was needed for the fulfilment of his religious work merely to go sight-seeing, and often would have to pass over places of deep interest, simply remarking in his bright way, " Thou shalt see greater things than these," If he knew of any Friends or Christian workers, he would often go out of his way to look them up, and was able thus to cheer and help some of the Lord's lonely and discouraged servants. His visit to Syria and Palestine in 1883 stirred his heart to its depths, as he trod the paths and looked upon scenes so familiar to him from his knowledge of Scripture. Whilst on this journey he wrote a long poem entitled " The Apostle Paul," which, whilst describing the journeyings and work of the great Apostle, also opens up to us many of the inmost feelings and yearnings of the writer himself. During his long life, as was only natural, J. B. Braithwaite was often called to pass through times of bereavement, which were keenly felt by his sensitive and affectionate nature ; but he knew well the source of help and comfort, and was enabled to rise above his own sorrows and throw his sympathies out to others in a wonderful manner. He always endeavoured to attend the funeral of any Friend who had been personally known to him, often travelling through the night in order to do so ; many have been the testimonies given to the help and comfort he brought to the mourners at such times ; his faith and hope in Christ's redeeming love was so bright and strong that he was ever able to speak the word in season. As life passed on and he was himself nearing the end of the journey, he loved to dwell on the blessedness of the eternal " Home," where the " redeemed would gather around the throne of God to go no more out for ever ; where sin, sorrow, disappointment and all earthly weakness and suffering would be no more ; and he would often say that it was the same family in earth and heaven, all washed and made white in the blood of the Lamb. Amongst his favourite hymns was " The Last Words of Samuel Rutherford," and another beginning " A pilgrim and a stranger I journey here below," as well as the old favourites " Jesus, lover of my soul " and " Rock of Ages " ; he much enjoyed having them sung or repeated. It was only very gradually that he gave up, one by one, his many duties and engagements, so that age seemed to creep almost imperceptibly upon him ; but he was never the same active, robust man after a serious carriage accident in Canada in 1884, as a result of which he lost the use of his right hand for nearly a year, and never altogether regained it. But though his bodily powers failed, his mind was bright and active and full of power to the last. He was always busy about something. During the last few years of his life he revised and abridged the Memoir of Joseph John Gurney, which he had written when a young man, and also prepared a memoir of his own mother, besides writing many short papers for the Friend and Quarterly Examiner. His correspondence, too, occupied a large share of his time. He was most earnest to be found faithful to the end, and would often quote the words of the apostle, '^ " That I may finish my course and the ministry that I have received of the Lord Jesus to testify the Gospel of the grace of God," always explaining that the word " finish " means in the original " to bring to its appointed and perfected end." Under date, 6 mo. 30, 1895, he writes, ** Grant me, O Lord, an increase of faith and true fervency of spirit.

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Life is passing on very swiftly, and my strength is becoming enfeebled. Lord, I am weak, undertake for me ! " Fourth Month, 12, 1896. " This evening has been spent in reading Dr. Edersheim's * Life of Christ,' a really valuable book, and his very interesting article on ' Josephus ' in Dr. Smith's ' Christian Biography," with some reference to Mill's excellent book on Strauss's theories, etc. ; all tend to a deeper realisation of ' the unspeakable riches of His grace ' ; may I become more and more taught of the Lord and prepared for an entrance into His rest." Twelfth Month, 31, 1902. " In approaching the end of another year, it is the prayer of my heart that all the good pleasure of Thy goodness, O Lord, and the work of faith with power may, in Thy great mercy in Jesus Christ, be fully accomplished ; that so, in the winding up of my earthly service, I may stand perfect and complete in all the will of God, accepted in the Beloved ! Amen ! and Amen ! " He had been in the habit of attending the whole of the Yearly Meeting, but he felt the strain every year increasingly, and, little by little, he gave up part of the meetings, only attending some of the more important ; but his earnest concern for the spiritual growth and welfare of the Society was constant and ever increasing, and was evidenced to the last by his frequent, fervent prayers on behalf of his friends at his family worship. When he found that it would be impossible for him to attend the Yearly Meeting at Leeds, he sent an affectionate letter to his " dear Friends gathered there," expressing his desires for their welfare and blessing. During the last months of his life, when almost too feeble to hold a pen, he prepared a letter to the members of his own Monthly Meeting, full of loving solicitude on their behalf. He took an active interest in all that was passing in the world around him, up to the last, as well as in all that concerned his large family circle of children and grand-children. The return to England for long visits of some of these from their distant fields of service, was a great enjoyment to him ; and though he was often debarred from attending meeting for months together during the latter years of his life, he frequently enjoyed gathering his family and friends around him for prayer and communion ; his constant concern was for the spiritual welfare and growth in grace of all connected with him. After the death of his dearly loved son-in-law, Dr. R. H. Thomas, when his daughter Anna, and granddaughter Henrietta Thomas had come over on a visit to him, he thus writes referring to it : 12 mo. 31, 1904 : " It is my prayer that their visit may be to our mutual help and growth in heavenly life and fruitfulness. May we be enabled, through the abiding presence of the Holy Spirit, to bring forth much fruit - precious fruit, unto holiness, to the glory and praise of God. There are times when my heart is filled with intense longing to depart and be with Christ, knowing that it is far better ; and yet it is my earnest prayer to be kept by the power of God, waiting in holy patience all the Lord's appointed time ; that I may be found in Him in peace : that my latest breath upon earth may be the first transport of perfected and never-ceasing praise in the never-to-be-interrupted communion with the spirits of the just made perfect." The testimony issued by his Monthly Meeting expresses the feeling of his friends respecting him : - " Advancing years brought with them inward growth to which his ministry and conversation bore witness. To some of those who knew him in later life only, it seemed as though the fervent faith of Paul had passed insensibly in him into the still higher experience which we think of as that of the old age of the ' beloved disciple.' As one listened to his words, or came under the influence of the un-Spoken ministry of his personality, it seemed as though one were in the presence of a living commentary upon the epistle of the Elder of Ephesus, whose love and thought went out alike to old and young. Filled as he thus was with loving thought and sympathy for others, his presence with us seemed to bring a benediction, and his whole life to show forth the meaning of the words, ' The path of the just is as a shining light, that shineth more and more unto the perfect day.' " His fervent love and loyalty to his Lord and Saviour made his life bright and joyous to the last ; even when very weak and suffering he was full of thankfulness and praise and so thoughtful for the comfort of others. During his last illness, he would frequently say, " Christ, none but Christ ; Him first. Him last. Him midst, and without end " ; and the prayer was often on his lips " Keep me and hold me fast in the embrace of Thy love." He seemed to live in an atmosphere of prayer ; those who visited him felt the holy calm of his spirit, and the joyful radiance of his happy confidence and faith in his Saviour's love. For the last week or two he seemed to have done with earth, and to be as he himself remarked, " Quietly waiting for the summons of the King." He passed peacefully away at his residence, 312, Camden Road, London, on the 15th of 11th mo., 1905, in the eighty-eighth year of his age. The unusually beautiful sunset on the afternoon of his funeral at Winchmore Hill, was remarked upon by many as very suggestive of the close of such a life : " An immortal man built up in righteousness, in whom the oracles of truth are deeply engraved ; he is a beautiful hymn of praise to God."*

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Friends' School Stramongate in Kendal, Cumbria.
- He worked as an Articled to a firm of Solicitors 1834 To 1840 in Kendal, Cumbria.
- He worked as a pupil to John Hodgkin (1800-1875). Conveyancing Barrister 1840 To 1843 in London.
- He worked as a Conveyancing Barrister, Middle Temple in 1843 in London.
- He worked as a Quaker Minister in 1844 in Westminster MM.
- He worked as a President of the Bible Society.

6-**Martha Braithwaite**^{7,41,51,105} was born on 26 Mar 1853 in 65 Mornington Road, London and died on 30 Mar 1932 in London at age 79.

Martha married **George Samuel Baker**,^{7,35,41,51} son of **Joseph Baker**⁴¹ and **Sarah Ann Brewer**,^{41,160} on 14 Apr 1886 in FMH Holloway, London. George was born on 6 Jul 1860 in Murray, Ontario, Canada and died on 27 Jul 1935 in Mersea Island, Essex at age 75. They had three children: **Sarah Martha**, **George Ralph**, and **Bevan Braithwaite**.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with MIME.
- He worked as a Mechanical Engineer.
- He had a residence in 1915 in Frontenac, Donnington Road, Willesden, London.

7-**Dr. Sarah Martha Baker**^{7,41,51} was born on 14 Jun 1887 in 7 Alwyne Square, Canonbury, London and died on 29 May 1917 in Willesden, London at age 29.

General Notes: Sarah Martha Baker, D.Sc., F.L.S 29 30 5 1917 Harlesden, London. Daughter of George Samuel and Martha Braithwaite Baker. Botanists especially learned with deep regret of the death of

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Dr. Sarah M. Baker at the early age of twenty-nine. As a child she had an intense love for flowers and other works of nature, a sentiment which always remained with her and coloured her whole life. Energetic, imaginative and thoughtful, her early ideals prompted the study of medicine, with a view to becoming a missionary in the South Sea Islands. Deferring to her parents' judgment, that particular scheme was abandoned, and instead she followed a course of study at University College, London, and in 1909 took an honours degree in chemistry. Until her matriculation her studies were chiefly at home, for a part of the time in close association with her two brothers, who were engaged on similar courses. After graduating, her attention was increasingly turned to problems of plant life, and in 1914 she was awarded the degree of D.Sc. for her original work in Botany, being elected a Fellow of the Linnsean Society the same year. For several years, and up to the time of her death, she was Quain Student and Lecturer in Botany at University College, and was shortly to have been appointed to a new lectureship specially created for her. The investigations which she completed in a relatively short period of activity tend to emphasise the loss which science has sustained. Her paper entitled " Quantitative Experiments on the Effect of Formaldehyde on Living Plants " (1913) shows her mastery of biochemical technique, and may serve as a model of what such an investigation should be. It was in connexion with this work that Dr. Baker devised the very ingenious automatic waterer, whereby the culture-plants could be raised from seed and grown on for long periods without interference of any kind with the progress of the experiment. This contribution was followed by researches on osmotic phenomena, with especial reference to the mechanism of entry and transport of water in plants, opening up the question along new lines which may possibly lead to a complete solution of the problem of the rise of sap in trees. In addition to these, there was a series of four papers on the ecology and biology of brown seaweeds, based on field investigations carried out at her father's country cottage at Mersea Island, and elsewhere. The drawings which illustrate some of these are fine examples of line work, deserving of the highest praise. It was characteristic of Dr. Baker to throw herself ardently into whatsoever she undertook. Thus for the purpose of a public lecture which she delivered on Vegetable Dyes, she worked through the whole chemical basis of the subject, and was not content until she had discovered a number of new dyes, by the employment of mordants not previously used. At the time of her death she was investigating critically the bread-making value of a number of substitutes for whole wheat flour. Her scientific work was marked by variety of subject and method, persistence in thought and endeavour, and care in experimental detail, characteristics which won for her the respect and admiration of all her colleagues ; and many were the students whom she inspired along her own paths. Apart from her University life, she rendered good service in lecturing to Adult Schools, study circles, &c, her lectures being always marked by clarity and simplicity. The children of her Sunday School recall her teaching that the universe is always singing, while only man is silent ; and that man must learn to listen, so that his heart may join the universal chorus. A Friend from her birth, she valued our meetings for worship and for discipline, taking a keen interest in Society business. Although not often speaking in the ministry, her occasional utterances showed how, through a stage of inquiring doubt, she had reached a constructive faith which was the essence of her being. From Nature and The Friend.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was awarded with FLS.
- She was educated at London University.
- She worked as a Botanist.
- She worked as a Lecturer in Botany in University College, London.

7-**George Ralph Baker**^{7,41} was born on 9 Aug 1888 in 7 Alwyne Square, Canonbury, London and died in 1963 at age 75.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Manufacturing & Designing Engineer.
- He was educated at London University.

George married **Isabelle Smith**,⁷ daughter of **Thomas Smith** and **Jane Whitehead**, on 16 Oct 1915 in London. Isabelle was born in 1876 and died on 15 Nov 1955 in Newton Abbot, Devon at age 79. They had two children: **Rosalie** and **George**.

8-Rosalie Baker

8-George Baker

7-**Prof. Bevan Braithwaite Bevan-Baker**^{7,35,41} was born on 10 May 1890 in 7 Alwyne Square, Canonbury, London and died on 1 Jul 1963 at age 73.

General Notes: BEVAN-BAKER, Bevan Braithwaite

MA, BSc (Lond.), DSc (Edin.); FRSE

Born 1890; s of George Samuel Baker, Willesden; m 1918, Margaret Stewart (d 1961), e d of Dr A. H. Freeland Barbour, Edinburgh; one s three d ; died 1 July 1963

Professor of Mathematics in the University of London, and Head of the Department of Mathematics, Royal Holloway College (University of London), 1924– 44

EDUCATION Sidcot School, Somerset; University College, London; University of München

CAREER Assistant in Mathematics, University College, London, 1918– 20; Lecturer in Mathematics, University of Edinburgh, 1920– 24. Secretary of the Edinburgh Mathematical Society, 1921– 24

PUBLICATIONS (with E. T. Copson) The Mathematical Theory of Huygens' Principle, 1939; various memoirs in the Philosophical Magazine and the publications of the Edinburgh Mathematical Society, etc

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Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with MA BSc DSc FRSE.
- He was educated at Sidcot.
- He was educated at London University.
- He was educated at University of Munich in Munich, Germany.
- He worked as a Professor of Mathematics, Royal Holloway, University of London.

Bevan married **Margaret Stewart Barbour**,^{7,35} daughter of **Dr. Alexander Hugh Freeland Barbour**¹⁶¹ and **Margaret Nelson Brown**, on 6 Sep 1918 in Edinburgh, Midlothian, Scotland. Margaret was born on 16 Jan 1893 in Edinburgh, Midlothian, Scotland and died on 13 Jul 1961 in Birmingham, Warwickshire at age 68. They had five children: **Sarah Margaret, Alexander Hugh, Davida Martha, Helena Nelson**, and **John Stewart**.

Noted events in her life were:

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

8-**Sarah Margaret Bevan-Baker** was born on 12 Aug 1919 in London and died on 31 Dec 1999 at age 80.

8-**Alexander Hugh Bevan-Baker** was born on 3 Jan 1921 in Edinburgh, Midlothian, Scotland and died on 11 Aug 1934 in Windsor at age 13.

8-**Davida Martha Bevan-Baker**

8-**Helena Nelson Bevan-Baker** was born on 7 Mar 1925 in Staines, Middlesex and died on 14 Oct 2000 at age 75.

Helena married **Kenneth John Hill**, son of **John Hill** and **Olive Mutters**. They had two children: **David John** and **Judith Margaret**.

9-**David John Hill**

David married **Susan Jane Rogers**. They had three children: **Nicholas John Edward**, **Kirsty Jane**, and **Daniel James**.

10-**Nicholas John Edward Hill**

10-**Kirsty Jane Hill**

10-**Daniel James Hill**

9-**Judith Margaret Hill**

Judith married **Malcolm Paul Lake**. They had two children: **Joanna Alexandra** and **Jamie Paul**.

10-**Joanna Alexandra Lake**

10-**Jamie Paul Lake**

8-**John Stewart Bevan-Baker** was born on 3 May 1926 in Staines, Middlesex and died on 24 Jun 1994 in Inverness, Scotland at age 68.

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Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at The Downs School.
- He was educated at Blundells.
- He was educated at The Royal College of Music in 1946.
- He worked as an Assistant to the Organist of Westminster Abbey in 1949-1951.
- He worked as a freelance Organist and Composer in 1951-1958.
- He worked as a City Carillonneur, Aberdeen in 1958-1960.
- He worked as a Teacher at Roberts Gordon's College.
- He worked as a Teacher, Fortrose Academy.

John married **Alice Erica Lillie Houen**, daughter of **Eric Houen** and **Anne Tennant Robertson**.

John next married **June Mary Findlay**. They had five children: **Sarah Margaret**, **Peter Stewart**, **Katherine Miriam**, **Janet Mary**, and **Rachel Anne**.

9-Sarah Margaret Bevan-Baker

Sarah married **William Conway**. They had two children: **Jessica Margaret** and **Alexander William**.

10-Jessica Margaret Conway

10-Alexander William Conway

9-Peter Stewart Bevan-Baker

Peter married **Ann Elizabeth Walters**. They had four children: **Kate Elizabeth**, **Alexander John**, **Samuel Joseph**, and **Daniel Richard**.

10-Kate Elizabeth Bevan-Baker

10-Alexander John Bevan-Baker

10-Samuel Joseph Bevan-Baker

10-Daniel Richard Bevan-Baker

9-Katherine Miriam Bevan-Baker

9-Janet Mary Bevan-Baker

Janet married **James Simon Spence**. They had two children: **James Findlay** and **Rachel Mary**.

10-James Findlay Spence

10-Rachel Mary Spence

9-Rachel Anne Bevan-Baker

Rachel married **James Daniel McBride**.

6-**Anna Lloyd Braithwaite**^{7,41,44,105} was born on 6 Aug 1854 in 65 Mornington Road, London and died on 10 Feb 1947 in Baltimore, Maryland, USA at age 92.

Anna married **Dr. Richard Henry Thomas**,^{7,41,44,72} son of **Prof. Richard Henry Thomas**⁴¹ and **Phoebe Clapp**, on 28 Mar 1878 in FMH Westminster, London. Richard was born on 26 Jan 1854 in Baltimore, Maryland, USA and died on 4 Oct 1904 in Baltimore, Maryland, USA at age 50. They had one daughter: **Henrietta Martha**.

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Marriage Notes: They travelled with Isaac Sharp in 1894, on his eighth and final visit to Norway.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Physician.
- He had a residence in 1718 North John Street, Baltimore, Maryland, USA.
- He worked as a Quaker minister.

7-**Dr. Henrietta Martha Thomas**^{7,41,44} was born on 24 May 1879 in Baltimore, Maryland, USA, died on 4 Aug 1919 in The Retreat, Heslington Road, York at age 40, and was buried in FBG Jordans, Chalfont St. Peter, Buckinghamshire.

General Notes: Henrietta Martha Thomas, MD (1879– 1919), was a graduate of the Woman's Medical College of Baltimore (1904), where she served as corresponding secretary of the Medical Society of the Woman's Medical College and as a staff member of the Thomas Wilson Sanatorium for Children (Mount Wilson, Baltimore County). Thomas went to England in 1914 and associated herself with the Society for the Relief of Destitute Aliens and gave pacifist service in Austria and Germany during the Great War .

6-**Joseph Bevan Braithwaite**^{3,7,8,41,92,93,105} was born on 5 Oct 1855 in 65 Mornington Road, London, died on 30 Nov 1934 in Blencathara, Sea View Road, Burnham on Sea, Somerset at age 79, and was buried on 4 Dec 1934 in FBG Winchmore Hill.

General Notes: Braithwaite, Joseph Bevan (1855-1934), stockbroker, was born on 5 October 1855 at 65 Mornington Road, Regent's Park, London, one of the three sons and six daughters of Joseph Bevan Braithwaite (1818-1905), barrister, and his wife, Martha Gillett (1823-1895), daughter of a Banbury banker. Both the Braithwaite and the Gillett families belonged to the Society of Friends which, over the century or so before Joseph's birth, had many members whose dedication to business enterprise, combined with marriages made almost exclusively within the group, gave them an influence far outweighing their numerical strength. Quaker families, to many of whom young Joseph was related, held dominant positions in financial institutions in the City of London, as well as in the banking, brewing, railway, iron and steel, and confectionery industries. Joseph Braithwaite was educated at Quaker schools in Kendal (the Braithwaites had long been established there) and at Grove House, Tottenham, in north London, and he then began to read for the bar. However, in 1876 he changed direction and joined the City stockbroking firm of Foster and Braithwaite. Founded by Quakers in 1825, it was by the 1870s largely owned by its senior partner, Joseph's uncle, Isaac Braithwaite (1810-1890). Isaac had provided for his succession within the firm, with the introduction of two of his sons, so that Joseph cannot have had great hopes of advancement when he joined; but the death of Alfred Braithwaite, one of Isaac's sons, created an opening in 1880 and Joseph became a partner at the age of twenty-five. In 1881 he married Anna Sophia Gillett, daughter of the banker Jonathon Gillett, a connection through his mother's family; they had two sons, Jonathon Frederick (1883-1962) and John Bevan Braithwaite (1884-1973). In the 1880s Isaac Braithwaite's plans for the future direction of Foster and Braithwaite were blighted by what the firm's historian has described as a 'concatenation of death and dereliction of duty' (Reader, *A House in the City*, 92)-that is, the premature death of Isaac's second son in the business in 1885 and the sudden departure of another partner, apparently guilty of embezzlement. As a result, when Isaac Braithwaite retired in 1888, Joseph Braithwaite succeeded him as senior partner. Braithwaite's principal interests did not lie in stockbroking; indeed his obituarist in the *Financial Times* noted that he 'seldom entered the Stock Exchange' (1 Dec 1934). His skills lay rather with finance and its provision, and these were applied particularly in the last two decades of the nineteenth century, to the advantage of the new and rapidly developing electricity industry. Braithwaite's interest in electricity reflected a strong technical bent and an enthusiasm for engineering and scientific matters which lasted all his life; he had an astronomical observatory built on his house at Muswell Hill in north London. It was on Braithwaite's recommendation that Foster and Braithwaite played a major part in the launch on the stock exchange in the early 1880s of the first electric-lighting companies, in the shape of the Anglo-American Brush Electric Light Corporation and its various satellite companies. Investing in electricity was at that time highly speculative, as the collapse after the stock market boom of 1882-and the drop in Foster and Braithwaite's profits-clearly evidenced. Joseph Braithwaite himself became chairman in 1882 of the Great Western Electric Power and Light Company, and he devoted considerable time to the development of generating stations at Bristol and Cardiff. In the 1890s as head of the firm Braithwaite, assisted by his two partner cousins, Cecil Braithwaite and Ronald Savory, led the firm into company promotion on a much larger scale than ever before. Prominent among the companies that the firm promoted on the stock exchange, either by placing their shares or by underwriting them, were electrical undertakings. Braithwaite became a director of several companies which were financially and contractually linked, and he formed a connection which lasted for the rest of his life with the Electric and General Investment Corporation (established in 1890) and the City of London Electric Lighting Company (established in 1891); he became chairman of both of these in 1906 and remained so until 1934. Braithwaite was elected a member of the Institution of Electrical Engineers in 1893 and he became a close associate of Emile Garcke (1856-1930), an electrical engineer who played a significant part in the creation of the electricity supply industry. Equally significant was the role played by Braithwaite in providing finance for the new industry, and his ability to do so was underpinned by his position in Foster and Braithwaite. The firm's activities in company promotion in other areas were less successful, and in the years leading up to 1914 unwise investments in such doubtful enterprises as the Piccadilly Hotel and the Kansas City, Mexico, and Orient Railway Company took Foster and Braithwaite close to disaster. Its survival was due to changes introduced by Braithwaite's younger son, John, who had become a partner in 1908, rather than to any initiative taken by the senior partner himself. Joseph Braithwaite remained the titular head of Foster and Braithwaite until he retired in 1922. He died on 30 November 1934 at his Somerset home, Burnham-on-Sea.

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Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Friends' School Stramongate in Kendal, Cumbria.
- He was educated at Grove House School in Tottenham, London.
- He worked as a Partner in Foster and Braithwaite, stockbrokers, London.
- He had a residence in 1915 in The Highlands, New Barnet, Hertfordshire.

Joseph married **Anna Sophia Gillett**,^{3,7,8,41,93} daughter of **Jonathan Gillett**^{3,7,73,162} and **Ann Rutter Padbury**,^{3,7,73} on 27 Jul 1881 in FMH Banbury, Oxfordshire. Anna was born on 21 Aug 1855 in Neithrop, Banbury, Oxfordshire, died on 10 Oct 1899 in New Barnet, Hertfordshire at age 44, and was buried in FBG Winchmore Hill. They had six children: **Jonathan Frederick, John Bevan, Alfred Lloyd, Dorothy Anna, Harold Wilson, and Joseph Gurney.**

7-Jonathan Frederick Braithwaite^{3,7} was born on 9 Aug 1883 in Camden Road, Islington, London and died on 29 Dec 1962 in Hertford, Hertfordshire at age 79.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Leighton Park.
- He was educated at Dalton Hall, Manchester.
- He worked as a Stockbroker. Partner in Foster & Braithwaite. In London.
- He had a residence in 1915 in Caerleon, Willenhall Park, New Barnet, Hertfordshire.

Jonathan married **Marjorie Susanna Midgley**,^{3,7,41} daughter of **Arthur Midgley**^{3,41,163} and **Mary Doncaster Cox**,^{3,41,163} on 22 Jul 1909 in FMH Saffron Walden. Marjorie was born on 3 Dec 1884 in Larchmount, Saffron Walden, Essex and died in 1974 in Hertford, Hertfordshire at age 90. They had four children: **Frederick Arthur Bevan, Marjorie Joan Midgley, Francis Lloyd Gibson, and Mary Haworth.**

8-Frederick Arthur Bevan Braithwaite^{3,41} was born on 16 Jan 1911 in Caerleon, Willenhall Park, New Barnet, Hertfordshire and died on 25 May 1977 in Welwyn Garden City, Hertfordshire at age 66.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Stockbroker. Partner in Foster & Braithwaite.

Frederick married **Magnhild Kathrine Dahl**, daughter of **Capt. Nils Dahl** and **Gunda Lyngass**, on 16 Jul 1938 in Horten, Norway. Magnhild was born on 30 Sep 1905 in Horten, Norway and died on 26 Apr 1946 in Hertford, Hertfordshire at age 40. They had three children: **Arthur Bevan Midgley, Jeremy Nils, and Magnhild Susan Elizabeth.**

9-Arthur Bevan Midgley Braithwaite¹⁶⁴ was born on 27 Jul 1939 in Broxbourne, Hertfordshire and died on 25 Apr 2008 at age 68.

General Notes: As chief executive of a thriving engineering institute and founding director of a science park in Cambridge, Bevan Braithwaite was an international figure in the field of metal-joining technology. But no achievement of his working life was more spectacular than the task he set himself in retirement, to be fully realised four months after his death at the age of 68, after a long illness. In 2004 Braithwaite became chairman of the Bressingham Steam Preservation Trust, at Bressingham, near Diss, Norfolk, and his enthusiasm and energy inspired many innovations at its steam museum. The greatest was the restoration of the locomotive Royal Scot, which had originally run on the west coast main line from London to Glasgow from 1927 to 1962. The locomotive was moved to Bressingham in 1969, having spent six years as an exhibit with Butlins holiday camp at Skegness. It ran regularly at Bressingham until 1992, when its boiler certificate expired.

It took 12 years to raise the £1m needed for restoration: the project was still in its early stages when Bevan joined the trust in 2004, after which he was constantly addressing the many problems of updating a piece of railway heritage to meet modern standards. The Royal Scot will be in steam again at Bressingham in August.

Bevan was born in Hoddesdon, Hertfordshire, into a renowned Quaker family. His father was a partner in the prominent stockbroking firm of Foster and Braithwaite, and his grandfather had led the development of the railway at Saffron Walden. His Norwegian mother died after the birth of Bevan's younger sister, Magnhild, in 1946, and Bevan was brought up by his stepmother Nora (nee Ford-Smith). Bevan got his passion for railways from the headmaster of the Downs school, Colwall, in Worcestershire, which has had its own light railway since the 1920s. He went from the Downs to Leighton Park school, a Quaker establishment near Reading. At Jesus College, Cambridge, he gained both an MA in engineering and a lifelong love of jazz - Bevan played the banjo, and his jazz band activities often took precedence over his studies. He had also qualified as a Class 1 welder, and his ability to put his knowledge into practice was the constant hallmark of his career.

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In 1961 he joined the British Welding Research Association, subsequently The Welding Institute and then TWI, and made his mark three years later with papers on the fatigue strength of structural steel and on friction welding. By the time he became the organisation's chief executive in 1988, he was a world authority on structural fatigue. He was appointed OBE in 1991, and eight years later made both president of the International Institute of Welding and fellow of the Royal Academy of Engineering.

In the 16 years that he led TWI, it grew to 3,500 members from more than 60 countries, fulfilling his vision of creating a global network in the vital area of joining materials. In 1997 he formed the idea of building Granta Park, Cambridge, where a number of leading British hi-tech companies could come together to enjoy access to the university's academic research. The main TWI building within the park bears his name and its 40-acre site is served by the narrow-gauge railway he built to carry staff to the restaurant, laying much of the track himself and building a locomotive and carriages. The railway also provided a test bed for the development of long-range ultrasonic testing.

Bevan was in demand as a speaker at conferences around the world. His other commitments included membership of the Engineering and Physical Sciences Research Council and being vice-president of the Transport Trust.

He loved to restore old houses, and the dust he inhaled over many years probably caused the lung cancer that killed him. He also loved to build steam engines, and working models adorned his house and office, with larger projects kept in the garage.

Not only was Bevan pragmatic, good-humoured and practical, but he always respected and showed his appreciation of other people's efforts. He is survived by his wife, Vanda, and a son and two daughters from his previous marriage.

Arthur Bevan Midgley Braithwaite, welding engineer, born July 27 1939; died April 25 2008

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with OBE FREng FWeldI.
- He was educated at The Downs School.
- He was educated at Leighton Park.
- He was educated at Jesus College, Cambridge.
- He worked as a Welding Engineer.
- He worked as a Chief Executive of The Welding Institute in 1988.
- He worked as a President of the International Institute of Welding in 1999.
- He worked as a Chairman of the Bressingham Steam Preservation Trust in 2004 in Bressingham, Diss, Norfolk.
- His obituary was published in The Guardian. By Howard Stephens on 27 May 2008.

Arthur married **Rosemary K. C. Cooke**. They had three children: **Belinda Caroline**, **Benedict Conrad Bevan**, and **Celesta Alice Katrine**.

10-Belinda Caroline Braithwaite

Belinda married **Athelstan Michael Whaley**. They had four children: **Thomas Arthur W.**, **Sophie Louise**, **George Frederick**, and **Alice Elizabeth**.

11-Thomas Arthur W. Whaley

11-Sophie Louise Whaley

11-George Frederick Whaley

11-Alice Elizabeth Whaley

10-Benedict Conrad Bevan Braithwaite

10-Celesta Alice Katrine Braithwaite

Celesta married **James E. F. Trainor**. They had two children: **Oliver James B.** and **Maximilian Conrad A.**

11-Oliver James B. Trainor

11-Maximilian Conrad A. Trainor

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Arthur next married **Vanda Jane Galer**.

9-Jeremy Nils Braithwaite

Jeremy married **Wendy E. Marsh**. They had two children: **Melissa Jane E.** and **Benjamin Luke**.

10-Melissa Jane E. Braithwaite

10-Benjamin Luke Braithwaite

9-Magnhild Susan Elizabeth Braithwaite

Magnhild married **William R. A. Osborne**.

Frederick next married **Norah Jenetta Ford Smith** on 11 Jul 1947 in Lyme Regis, Dorset. Norah was born on 28 Dec 1909 in Luton, Bedfordshire and died on 27 Dec 2004 at age 94.

8-Marjorie Joan Midgley Braithwaite⁴¹ was born on 18 Mar 1913 in Caerleon, Willenhall Park, New Barnet, Hertfordshire and died on 20 Jun 2004 in Gordon, New South Wales, Australia at age 91.

Marjorie married **Charles Arthur Palmer**, son of **Hubert Stanley Palmer** and **Lucy Elizabeth Poole**, on 22 Jun 1944 in Hoddesdon, Hertfordshire. Charles was born on 3 Jul 1915 in Lewisham, New South Wales, Australia. They had two children: **James Arthur Frederick** and **Mark Jonathan**.

9-James Arthur Frederick Palmer

James married **Angela Veronika Valentin**.

9-Mark Jonathan Palmer

Mark married **Pamela Fay Kohler**. They had two children: **John Henry Charles** and **Dylan James**.

10-John Henry Charles Palmer

10-Dylan James Palmer

8-Francis Lloyd Gibson Braithwaite⁴¹ was born on 17 Dec 1915 in Caerleon, Willenhall Park, New Barnet, Hertfordshire and died on 27 Apr 1997 at age 81.

Francis married **Elsie Kathleen Snelling**, daughter of **Albert James Snelling** and **Alice Ann Spiro**. They had two children: **Nigel Francis Jonathan Lloyd** and **Robin James Midgley**.

9-Nigel Francis Jonathan Lloyd Braithwaite

Nigel married **Diane Seager**. They had two children: **Rowan** and **Gurney**.

10-Rowan Braithwaite

10-Gurney Braithwaite

Nigel next married **Anne Randall**. They had two children: **Shona** and **Leisha**.

10-Shona Braithwaite

10-Leisha Braithwaite

9-Robin James Midgley Braithwaite

Robin married **Anne E. Dewar**. They had four children: **Amanda Jane**, **Ophelia Marianne K.**, **Sue Henrietta M.**, and **Oliver Robin J. D.**

10-Amanda Jane Braithwaite

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10-Ophelia Marianne K. Braithwaite

10-Sue Henrietta M. Braithwaite

10-Oliver Robin J. D. Braithwaite

8-Mary Haworth Braithwaite was born on 21 Jan 1921 in Broxbourne, Hertfordshire, died on 22 Jul 2005 in Burford, Oxfordshire at age 84, and was buried on 4 Aug 2005 in FBG Hoddesdon.

7-Sir John Bevan Braithwaite^{3,7,8,41} was born on 22 Nov 1884 in Camden Road, Islington, London and died on 5 Apr 1973 in 85 Hampstead Way, Hampstead, London at age 88.

General Notes: Braithwaite, Sir John Bevan (1884– 1973), stockbroker, was born on 22 November 1884 at Islington, London, the younger son of Joseph Bevan Braithwaite (1855– 1934), a stockbroker, and his wife, Anna Sophia Gillett. Both parents belonged to long-established and well-connected Quaker families. John was educated at Leighton Park School, Reading, and at Owens College, Manchester (later Manchester University). He then followed his elder brother into the stockbroking firm of Foster and Braithwaite, of which their father was, from 1888 until 1922, the senior partner. He became a member of the stock exchange in 1907, and in the following year he was made a partner in the firm.

Braithwaite married in 1908 Martha Janette Baker (d. 1972), the daughter of Joseph Allen Baker (1852– 1918), an engineer, a member of the London county council from 1895 to 1906, and Liberal MP for Eastern Finsbury from 1905 until his death. The couple had two sons and a daughter, and lived for most of their married life in Hampstead Garden Suburb.

Soon after Braithwaite became a partner in Foster and Braithwaite, it became apparent that the firm was facing severe financial problems. Losses had been made as a result of the firm's activities in company promotion and in trading on the stock exchange on its own account. Deeply shocked by these discoveries, Braithwaite told his father that he considered such activities to be 'nothing less than dangerous gambling' and inappropriate for a 'strong ancient & honoured & impregnable City House' (Reader, A House in the City, 126– 7). They had brought the firm, he said, close to 'the possibility of failure. ... it has been before my mind like a nightmare day & night more or less continually' (ibid., 127). The remedy he advocated was 'hard work & self-denial' (ibid., 131), which in the event contributed to the salvation of Foster and Braithwaite and provided Braithwaite with his own guideline through life.

During the First World War, Braithwaite served with the Friends' Ambulance Unit. Afterwards he returned to the firm, where, in the 1920s, the new direction in which its policy took it, eschewing speculation, met with the approval of his 'somewhat austere cast of mind' (Reader, A House in the City, 133). In the inter-war years he began to take a greater interest and participate in the affairs of the stock exchange. In 1937 he was elected to its governing body, the committee for general purposes.

Braithwaite's view of the role and function of the stock exchange, shaped by his formative experiences with Foster and Braithwaite, gained wider support, particularly after the Second World War. He considered that the stock exchange could not continue to act as a private club but that it had a public duty, and therefore should be publicly accountable. When the new council of the stock exchange was formed in 1949, Braithwaite was elected as its chairman, a post he held for ten years. During that time it was largely due to him that the visitors' gallery was opened, that the stock exchange employed an advertising agency, and that, in 1950, a compensation fund for members' clients was established. In all of these he faced considerable opposition, but his powerful personality won the day. He was knighted in 1953.

Sir John continued to press for wider shareholding among the public. Not untypical of his views was a speech he made in 1956: 'If only some of the hundreds of millions that are poured down the drain each year on betting on horses, dogs and football could be attracted into investment in British industry, what a fine start could be made' (Reader, A House in the City, 173).

Braithwaite was a director of the London Electric Lighting Company (the firm with which his father had had a long connection) from 1934 to 1948, and its chairman from 1943 to 1948. He was a governor of the London School of Economics from 1953 to 1964. Although his influence had long been paramount at Foster and Braithwaite, he did not become its senior partner in name until 1963. He held the office until he retired in 1971. Braithwaite's retirement, and the time to indulge more fully his lifetime interests in literature, music, and photography, was short. He died at his home, 85 Hampstead Way, Hampstead Garden Suburb, London, on 5 April 1973.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Leighton Park School.
- He was educated at Owens College, Manchester University.
- He worked as a Stockbroker. Partner in Foster & Braithwaite.
- He worked as a Chairman of the Stock Exchange 1949 To 1959 in London.
- He had a residence in Ferniehurst, Hampstead Way, Hampstead, London.

John married **Martha Janette Baker**,^{7,8,41} daughter of **Joseph Allen Baker**^{8,41,44,72,165} and **Elizabeth Balmer Moscrip**,⁴¹ on 30 Jul 1908 in Willesden, London. Martha was born on 22 Apr 1884 in Highbury, London and died in 1972 at age 88. They had three children: **Margaret Nora**, **John David Christopher**, and **Joseph Franklin Madders**.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at The Mount School in Sep 1899-Jul 1902 in York, Yorkshire.

8-Margaret Nora Braithwaite^{7,41} was born on 20 Nov 1909 in Ferniehurst, Hampstead Way, Hampstead, London.

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8-**John David Christopher Braithwaite**^{7,16,41,125,166} was born on 23 Jun 1911 in Ferniehurst, Hampstead Way, Hampstead, London and died on 2 Jul 1978 in Colchester, Essex at age 67.

General Notes: BRAITHWAITE.-On 2nd July, 1978, at Colchester, after a short illness, John David Christopher Braithwaite (1926-29), aged 67 years.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Sidcot School in 1923-1926 in Sidcot, Somerset.
- He was educated at Bootham School in 1926-1929 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as a Stockbroker in London.

John married **Olive Elizabeth Baker**,^{8,125} daughter of **Philip Barton Baker**^{153,167} and **Amy Elizabeth Dell**, on 6 Feb 1942 in Amersham, Buckinghamshire. Olive was born on 26 Sep 1902 in Brondersbury, London and died in 1990 at age 88.

Marriage Notes: Braithwaite-Gaskell.-On 6th February, 1942, at Amersham, John David Christopher Braithwaite (1926-29), to Olive Elizabeth Gaskell (nee Baker).

8-**Sir Joseph Franklin Madders Braithwaite**^{7,16,41,168,169,170} was born on 6 Apr 1917 in Ferniehurst, Hampstead Way, Hampstead, London and died on 12 Jun 2005 in 7 Rutland Terrace, Stamford, Lincolnshire at age 88.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Sidcot School in 1929-1932 in Sidcot, Somerset.
- He was educated at Bootham School in 1932-1935 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as an Engineer.
- He worked as a Chairman, Baker Perkins Holdings plc.
- He worked as a Chairman, Peterborough Independent Hospital plc.

Joseph married **Charlotte Isabel Baker**,^{168,169,170} daughter of **Robert Elma Baker** and **Selina Maud Odell**, on 5 Sep 1939 in Registry office, Burnt Oak. (18th September 1939 given in Bootham). Charlotte was born on 5 Jan 1917 in Bronxville, New York, USA and died on 24 Feb 2007 in Braceborough Hall Retirement Home at age 90. They had two children: **Virginia Louise** and **Peter Franklin**.

Marriage Notes: Braithwaite-Baker.-On 18th September, 1939, at the Register Office, Burnt Oak, J. Franklin M. Braithwaite (1932-35), to Charlotte Isabel Baker.

9-Virginia Louise Braithwaite

Virginia married **Comte Geoffroy Marie Francois Gilles D'Avaucourt**. They had two children: **Chantal Marie C. De Vitry** and **Sophie Marie C. De Vitry**.

10-Chantal Marie C. De Vitry D'avaucourt

10-Sophie Marie C. De Vitry D'avaucourt

9-Peter Franklin Braithwaite

Peter married **Patricia Neville O'Brien**. They had three children: **Joanna Mary**, **John Matthew**, and **Mark Franklin**.

10-Joanna Mary Braithwaite

Joanna married **George Anthony David Whittaker**. They had three children: **Benjamin Anthony**, **Matthew Peter**, and **Alice Anne Patricia**.

11-Benjamin Anthony Whittaker

11-Matthew Peter Whittaker

11-Alice Anne Patricia Whittaker

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10-John Matthew Braithwaite

John married **Ellen Joy Neale**. They had two children: **Samuel James** and **Joshua Simon**.

11-Samuel James Braithwaite

11-Joshua Simon Braithwaite

10-Mark Franklin Braithwaite

Mark married **Anna Lucy Hutchinson**. They had two children: **Isabel Katherine** and **Lucy May**.

11-Isabel Katherine Braithwaite

11-Lucy May Braithwaite

7-**Alfred Lloyd Braithwaite**^{7,41} was born on 5 Oct 1886 in 18 Highbury Park, Islington, London and died in 1967 in New Forest, Hampshire at age 81.

General Notes: **Gladys Joyce**, married "Taff" Braithwaite. He was a "Cape Horner" as a crewmember of a fully rigged sailing ship "Macquarie" and was in the Navy for both world wars. He trained on the HMS Worcester, the Thames Merchant Navy Training ship. They lived between the wars at Horning in Norfolk where Taff was a partner in a yacht-building firm. He left his wife for a younger woman because Joyce became religiously inclined and was constantly moralizing about the evils of the modern world.

www.shlhs.com/thefamilyofdrgeorgewelford.pdf

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Leighton Park in Reading, Berkshire.
- He worked as a Yacht Owner and Builder.

Alfred married **Gladys Joyce Welford**,⁷ daughter of **Robert Welford** and **Mary Susannah Lacey**, on 6 May 1915 in Castletown, Sunderland. Gladys was born on 29 Aug 1891 in Garrigill, Cumbria.

7-**Dorothy Anna Braithwaite**^{7,41} was born on 17 Apr 1889 in 18 Highbury Park, Islington, London.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at The Mount School in 1904-1907 in York, Yorkshire.

7-**Harold Wilson Braithwaite**^{7,16,41,171} was born on 11 Aug 1890 in 18 Highbury Park, Islington, London and died in 1990 in Hendon, Middlesex at age 100.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1907-1909 in York, Yorkshire.

Harold married **Katherine Braithwaite**,¹⁷¹ daughter of **Thomas Braithwaite** and **Margaret Storey**, on 21 Apr 1917 in Aynhoe, Northamptonshire. Katherine was born on 26 Nov 1894 in King's Sutton. They had one daughter: **Kathleen Barbara**.

Marriage Notes: BRAITHWAITE-BRAITHWAITE.-On the 21st April, 1917, at Aynho Parish Church, Harold Wilson Braithwaite (1907-9), of New Barnet, to Katherine Braithwaite, of Nell Bridge, Aynho.

8-Kathleen Barbara Braithwaite

Kathleen married **John De Fraine Enderby**, son of **Herbert Millson Enderby** and **Grace De Fraine Fox**. They had one daughter: **Susan Braithwaite**.

9-Susan Braithwaite Enderby

Susan married **Leslie J. Mercer**. They had one daughter: **Pamela Amanda**.

10-Pamela Amanda Mercer

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7-Lt. Cmdr. Sir Joseph Gurney Braithwaite 1st Bt.^{7,16,41,172,173,174} was born on 24 May 1895 in Blencathra, Burnham, Somerset and died on 25 Jun 1958 in Hampstead, London at age 63.

General Notes: SIR GURNEY BRAITHWAITE Sir Gurney Braithwaite died suddenly at his Hampstead home on 25th June, 1958. He was 63. The son of the late Joseph Bevan Braithwaite, he was at Bootham from 1907 to 1914. He was Head Reeve and was about to go up to Cambridge when World War I broke out. He made, for one whose family had quite deep Quaker roots, the difficult decision to join the navy. He served in the Gallipoli Campaign and later took part in the advance from Gaza to Jerusalem. At the end of the war he was Resident Naval Officer at Port Said. After the war he entered the City and, like his brother Sir John, became a Stockbroker. Entering politics as a vigorous Conservative, he was successively, Member for Sheffield (Hillsborough), Holderness and finally, N.W. Bristol. He was appointed Parliamentary Secretary to the Ministry of Transport in 1951, having special responsibility for Road Safety. He resigned through ill health in 1953 and was made a Baronet. In his later years he infused his forthright personality into broadcasting where he quickly acquired a wider audience with his outspoken contributions in programmes such as 'Any Questions.' But throughout his characteristically forceful political career he never faltered in his devoted loyalty to Bootham. A faithful attender of Whitsuntide Gatherings, he became over the years one of that small company of Whitsuntide 'characters.' His deep interest in the life of the school was reflected in many acts of kindness: long after the tradition of every boy having a 'host' for supper on Whit Monday evening had lapsed, Gurney could be seen entertaining boys to breakfast or lunch at the Station Hotel, boys who otherwise would have been on their own during the weekend. He became O.Y.S.A. President in 1954; his obvious enjoyment of the experience infected the whole gathering making it for all a particularly happy occasion. His Presidential Address powerfully reflected his political testimony as well as his deep affection for the York Schools. Through the years he has become a devout Anglican and at his funeral his Vicar paid a moving tribute to his devoted service to the Parish.
ERIC BELLINGHAM - Bootham Magazine. November 1958

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1907-1914 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as a Naval Officer in 1914-1918.
- He worked as a Stockbroker. Partner in Foster & Braithwaite in London.
- He worked as a Member of Parliament for Sheffield Hillsborough 1931 To 1935.
- He worked as a Member of Parliament for Holderness 1939 To 1950.
- He worked as a Member of Parliament for Bristol North West 1950 To 1955.

Joseph married **Emma Jeanne Louise Teissère**,^{7,172} daughter of **Frederic Teissère** and **Victoria Grima**, on 29 Sep 1919 in British Consulate, Port Tewfik, Egypt. Emma was born on 28 Aug 1898 in Ismailia, Egypt.

Marriage Notes: BRAITHWAITE-TEISSERE.-On the 29th September, 1919, at the British Consulate, Port Tewfik, Egypt, Joseph Gurney Braithwaite (1907-13) to Emma Teissere.

Joseph next married **Emily Victoria Lomax**,^{7,173} daughter of **Arthur Moreton Lomax** and **Agnes Mason**, on 31 Dec 1932 in London. Emily was born on 13 Jul 1897 in Edinburgh, Midlothian, Scotland.

Marriage Notes: BRAITHWAITE-LOMAX.-On December 31st, 1932, John Gurney Braithwaite {1907-14), to Emily V. Lomax.

Joseph next married **Margaret Grace Moscrip**,^{3,7,41} daughter of **Richard Moscrip** and **Mary Bulmer**, on 15 Jun 1901 in FMH Willesden, London. Margaret was born on 17 May 1866 in Morebattle, Kelso, Berwickshire and died on 29 Jul 1947 in Hendon, Middlesex at age 81.

6-Mary Caroline Braithwaite^{1,7,41,72,105} was born on 4 Apr 1857 in 65 Mornington Road, London and died on 4 Jul 1935 in Banbury, Oxfordshire at age 78.

Mary married **Dr. Willis Norton Whitney**,^{1,7,41,72,175} son of **William Cogswell Whitney** and **Anna Lavinia Mockridge**, on 29 Dec 1885 in FMH Holloway, London. Willis was born on 18 Oct 1855 in Newark, New Jersey, USA and died on 26 Oct 1918 in Banbury, Oxfordshire at age 63. They had seven children: **Willis Bevan, John Norton, Isaac Braithwaite, George Gillett, Joseph Rankin, Anna Braithwaite, and Charles Lloyd.**

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Medical Officer, Akasaka Hospital, Tokyo in Tokyo, Japan.
- He worked as a Member of the US Legation to Japan in Tokyo, Japan.
- He had a residence in 17 Hikawa Cho, Akasaka, Tokyo, Japan.

7-Dr. Willis Bevan Whitney^{7,72} was born on 21 Mar 1888 in Tokyo, Japan and died in 1971 in England at age 83.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with B.SC., Ph.D., M.I.E.E., M.I.C.E.

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Willis married **Edith Mina Williams**, daughter of **Alfred Kemp Brown**^{16,35,38,43} and **Emma Barratt**^{16,38} on 12 Feb 1913 in Jordans. Edith was born on 22 Feb 1884 in Stockton on Tees, County Durham and died on 18 Jun 1926 in Gerrards Cross, Buckinghamshire at age 42. They had one daughter: **Joyce Mary**.

8-**Joyce Mary Whitney**⁷ was born on 30 Jan 1915 in Pune, Maharashtra, India and died on 23 Jul 2002 in Henley on Thames, Oxfordshire at age 87.

Joyce married **Thomas Kennedy Butcher**, son of **Percy Austen Butcher** and **Winifred Elizabeth Kennedy**. They had one son: **Andrew Donald Whitney**.

9-**Andrew Donald Whitney Butcher**

Andrew married **Carolyn Susan Humphreys**. They had two children: **Peter Andrew** and **Susanna Carolyn**.

10-**Peter Andrew Butcher**

10-**Susanna Carolyn Butcher**

Willis next married **Dorothy Anne Robertson**, daughter of **Alexander Webster Robertson** and **Elsa Wood**, on 31 Aug 1927 in London. Dorothy was born on 10 Sep 1897 in Aberdeen, Scotland. They had two children: **Joseph Bevan Robertson** and **John Norton Braithwaite**.

8-**Joseph Bevan Robertson Whitney** was born on 8 Oct 1928 in London.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Schoolmaster.

Joseph married **Erica Erichsen**. They had one son: **Michael Alexander Erichsen**.

9-**Michael Alexander Erichsen Whitney**

8-**John Norton Braithwaite Whitney**

John married **Roma Elizabeth Cribbes Hodgson**, daughter of **Issac George Hodgson** and **Nancy Grierson Cribbes**. They had two children: **Fiona Elizabeth Caroline** and **Alexander John Braithwaite**.

9-**Fiona Elizabeth Caroline Whitney**

9-**Alexander John Braithwaite Whitney**

7-**John Norton Whitney**⁷ was born on 19 Mar 1889 in Tokyo, Japan and died on 26 Nov 1889 in Tokyo, Japan.

7-**Isaac Braithwaite Whitney**⁷ was born on 19 Mar 1889 in Tokyo, Japan and died on 21 Feb 1890 in Died At Sea.

7-**George Gillett Whitney**^{1,7} was born on 27 Dec 1890 in Tokyo, Japan.

General Notes: Data taken from hand written additions to Records of the Gibbins Family.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Teacher of Art.

George married **Janet Eleanor Lily Payne**,¹ daughter of **William Payne** and **Alice Elizabeth Amery Turner**, on 25 Jul 1917 in Jordans. Janet was born on 6 Sep 1894 in Chesham, Buckinghamshire. They had one son: **William Gillett**.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at The Mount School in Jan 1906-Jul 1907 in York, Yorkshire.

8-**William Gillett Whitney**

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7-**Joseph Rankin Whitney**⁷ was born on 15 Jul 1893 in Tokyo, Japan and died on 29 Jul 1960 in Collingwood, New Jersey, U.S.A. at age 67.

Joseph married **Dorothy Catherine Wallace Laing**, daughter of **George Black Laing** and **Catherine Wallace Govan**, on 25 Apr 1925 in Landsdown, Pennsylvania, U.S.A. Dorothy was born on 10 Jun 1899 in Edinburgh, Midlothian, Scotland. They had two children: **Mary Ann Laing** and **Barbara**.

8-**Mary Ann Laing Whitney**

8-**Barbara Whitney**

7-**Anna Braithwaite Whitney**⁷ was born on 30 Nov 1894 in Tokyo, Japan and died in Dublin, Ireland.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at The Mount School in Sep 1911-Jul 1913 in York, Yorkshire.

Anna married **Wilfred Harris Lamb**, son of **Charles Benjamin Lamb** and **Charlotte Gray**, on 16 May 1917 in FMH Jordans, Buckinghamshire. Wilfred was born on 21 Jan 1891 in Fruitfield, Richhill, County Armagh, Ireland. They had three children: **Joseph Bevan Braithwaite**, **Margaret Whitney**, and **Edith Mary**.

8-**Joseph Bevan Braithwaite Lamb**^{16,107,108,176,177,178} was born on 9 Jun 1918 in Inchicore, Dublin, Ireland and died on 20 Mar 2010 in Dublin, Ireland at age 91. Another name for Joseph was Bevan Lamb.

General Notes: Bevan Lamb, was born in 1918 in Dublin the only son of Wilfred and Anna (Whitney) Lamb. His father's family, originally from Oxfordshire, had been Quaker since the mid-17th century; his mother's parents had been medical-missionaries in Japan. His education at Rathgar Junior School, Newtown and Bootham School, York, left him with a lifelong interest in science and a love of Quakerism and walking in the hills. As a young man he played hockey and cricket, and sang in the Culwick Choir. After studying food-chemistry in Manchester, he entered the family business of fruit-growing and jam-manufacturing and settled in Rathfarnham with his wife, Marjorie Bottomley, whom he had met at university. They had four children Cathy, Peter, Jenny and Rachel. Bevan was an active Quaker who served on the committees of Rathgar and Newtown schools, but his longest service (over 40 years) was to Drogheda Grammar School which, with a small Quaker committee, he helped to save from extinction in the 1960s. This service was recognised by the school when the new sports building in 2005 was named the 'Bevan Lamb Hall'. Bevan's love of mountains and hills had been stimulated at Newtown by Wilson Strangman, who took him tramping in the Kerry mountains, and by Leslie Gilbert at Bootham who took him to the Alps. He became very good at painting and photographing the scenery. Family holidays for Bevan's children usually included ascents to the tops mountains from Kerry to Connemara. In middlelife, Bevan and Marjorie acquired a house in Co Wicklow, where they explored the local hills and valleys on foot, tended their garden and Bevan became a bee-keeper.

They spent their later holidays in Slovenia amid the flowering meadows of the Alps which they loved. All his life Bevan followed a spiritual path, with regular practice of quiet retirement and study. He was a deep thinker and regularly ministered in Rathfarnham Meeting, which he had helped to establish in the 1950s. In his later life he provided a valuable service at Ireland Yearly Meeting with his Quaker bookstall, making available a supply of Quaker literature most of which he had already read and was happy to discuss. This was an aspect of his personal out-reach in particular to new Friends. Bevan died peacefully in Dublin on 20th March 2010

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Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Rathgar Junior School in 1922-1928 in Rathgar, Dublin, Ireland.
- He was educated at Newtown School in 1928-1932 in Waterford, Ireland.
- He was educated at Bootham School in 1932-1936 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as a Director Lamb Bros. (Dublin) Ltd.
- He was educated at University of Manchester.

Joseph married **Marjorie Bottomley**, daughter of **Cyril Bottomley** and **Ella Yarker**. They had four children: **Catherine Marjorie**, **Peter Wilfred**, **Jennifer Margaret**, and **Rachel Elizabeth**.

9-**Catherine Marjorie Lamb**

9-**Peter Wilfred Lamb**

9-**Jennifer Margaret Lamb**

9-**Rachel Elizabeth Lamb**

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8-Margaret Whitney Lamb

Margaret married **Robert Desmond Magill**, son of **Walter Ephriam Magill** and **Anna Kathleen Simpson**. They had three children: **Rosemary Kathleen, Barbara Lesley, and Sylvia Heather**.

9-Rosemary Kathleen Magill

9-Barbara Lesley Magill

9-Sylvia Heather Magill

8-Edith Mary Lamb

Edith married **Rev. Herbert Macy Whitehead**, son of **Robert Charles Whitehead** and **Miriam Brayton Macy**. They had four children: **Deidre, Robert Harris, Heather Anna, and Thomas Macy**.

9-Deidre Whitehead

9-Robert Harris Whitehead

9-Heather Anna Whithead

9-Thomas Macy Whithead

7-Charles Lloyd Whitney⁷ was born on 23 Feb 1898 in Tokyo, Japan and died on 3 Jun 1993 in Sun City, Arizona at age 95.

Charles married **Nora Matthews**, daughter of **John Ernest Matthews** and **Marian Walpole**, on 28 Oct 1920 in Jordans. Nora was born on 19 May 1901 in London. They had four children: **Winifred Matthews, Thelma Lloyd, Sylvia Walpole, and Cosmo Braithwaite**.

8-Winifred Matthews Whitney

Winifred married **Harry Hamilton Rupp**, son of **Donald Z. Rupp** and **Ruby Redinger**. They had three children: **Joyce Anne, Wendy Sue, and Douglas Whitney**.

9-Joyce Anne Rupp

9-Wendy Sue Rupp

9-Douglas Whitney Rupp

8-Thelma Lloyd Whitney

Thelma married **Albert Deitz Rittmann**, son of **Albert Rittmann** and **Anita Stilwell**. They had four children: **Jean Victoria, Nancy Carol, Kenneth Whitney, and David Eliot**.

9-Jean Victoria Rittmann

9-Nancy Carol Rittmann

9-Kenneth Whitney Rittmann

9-David Eliot Rittmann

8-Sylvia Walpole Whitney

Sylvia married **Glenn Stuart**, son of **George Roy Stuart** and **Hazel J. Kennedy**.

8-Cosmo Braithwaite Whitney

Cosmo married **Barbara Jane Knapp**, daughter of **James C. Knapp** and **Kathren Daw**.

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6-**Elizabeth Braithwaite**^{7,38,41,105,153} was born on 24 Jul 1858 in 65 Mornington Road, London and died on 11 Jan 1946 in Reigate, Surrey at age 87.

Elizabeth married **Prof. George Henry Emmott**,^{7,38,41,153} son of **Thomas Emmott**^{3,153} and **Hannah Barlow**,^{3,153} on 24 Aug 1881 in London. George was born on 28 Sep 1855 in Oldham, Lancashire and died on 8 Mar 1916 in Birkenhead, Cheshire at age 60. They had five children: **Mary King**, **Hannah Elizabeth**, **George Bevan**, **John Barlow**, and **Margaret**.

Noted events in their marriage were:

- They were Quakers.

General Notes: George Henry Emmott 60 8 3 1916 Claughton, Birkenhead.

Professor Emmott was of Quaker parentage, and all his life intimately associated with the Society of Friends, and although his failing health in later years prevented him from attending many Meetings, he took a great interest in all matters affecting the Society, and always remained a true Friend. Born in 1855, he was the eldest son of the late Thomas and Hannah Emmott, of Brookfield, Oldham. He was educated at the Friends' School, Stramongate, Kendal, and afterwards at Owen's College, Manchester, and Trinity Hall, Cambridge, where he took a First-class in the Law Tripos in 1878. On completing his University course he read law in the chambers of the late Joseph Bevan Braithwaite, and was called to the Bar in 1879. Shortly afterwards he took chambers in Manchester, and was appointed Lecturer in English Law at Owen's College. In 1881 he married Elizabeth, daughter of the late Joseph Bevan and Martha Braithwaite, and for the next five years they made their home at Wilmslow. Then came a call to a professorship in the Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, U.S.A., and for ten years he held the chair there, entering with zest into all the activities of University life, his work being largely with post-graduate students in Roman Law and Comparative Jurisprudence. For five years also he was Lecturer on Civil Law in the Columbian University, Washington, D.C. The friendships formed during this time were a constant source of pleasure to him after his return to England, and he greatly enjoyed the letters which he received from his old colleague^, as well as from his students, many of whom are now holding professorships or other important positions all over the world. During the whole of his residence in America he made annual visits to England to see his parents, and in 1896, on being offered the Queen Victoria Chair of Law in University College, Liverpool (now the University of Liverpool) he decided to remain permanently. For the past twenty years he has held this professorship, and continued his work at the Law School up to the very end, delivering his last lecture the day before he died. Speaking of him at the University Senate, the Vice-Chancellor, Sir Alfred Dale, said :- "Since our last meeting we have lost our colleague and friend, Professor Emmott. He has held the Chair of Law for nearly twenty years; he has been Dean of his Faculty for nearly thirteen. And from first to last he has served College and University with a full and faithful devotion. Speaking of him to-day, I look back to what he was when we first met, now only a little less than forty years ago. He had the frankness, the simplicity, the dignity, that we knew so well ; and even then he had the gravity that raised the prosaic minutes of the Law Faculty to the dignity of a solemn service. How Emmott served us here we all know' ; the endless pains he took over his work ; the quiet ardour with which he spent himself in helping others ; how much more ready as a teacher he w'as to give than most pupils are to receive . . . We valued his opinion, trusted his judgment, and could always be sure of this, that the last thing he thought of was his own interest and himself. Vanity, display, self-seeking, he not only avoided but abhorred ... We shall always remember him as one who obeyed an inner law and followed an inner light. He knew the respect in which we held him ; I wish I could feel that he fully understood what affection he had won as well." During the last ten years he passed through deep sorrow in the loss of his two sons, the elder in 1906, whilst the younger, Sec.-Lieut. John B. Emmott, was killed in action in Gallipoli in June 1915. These troubles made him increasingly sympathetic and tender of the feelings of others, so that his " wonderful gentleness " is one of the qualities that seems most to have impressed those who knew him in his later years. He was a great lover of books and had a large and well-chosen library, delighting to spend his leisure hours among these never-failing te friends." Another characteristic was his love of hymns, which he liked to hear sung or recited. He was never a theologian, and disputes on abstract questions of doctrine or creed had no interest for him. His faith was that of a little child, and we may believe that he has passed into the life beyond in that simple trust in the divine love and forgiveness which was his comfort here. -From The Friend.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Friends' School Stramongate in Kendal, Cumbria.
- He was educated at Owens College, Manchester.
- He was educated at Trinity Hall, Cambridge.
- He worked as a Barrister, Inner Temple.
- He worked as a Professor of Logic & Jurisprudence. Johns Hopkins University 1885 To 1896 in Baltimore, Maryland, USA.
- He worked as a Lecturer. Columbia University 1892 To 1896 in Washington, USA..
- He worked as a Queen Victoria Professor of Law. Liverpool University in 1896 in Liverpool.
- He worked as a Dean of the Faculty of Law in 1903 in University of Liverpool.
- He had a residence in Oakdene, Park Road West, Birkenhead, Cheshire.

7-**Mary King Emmott**^{7,41} was born on 22 Oct 1882 in Holly Bank, Wilmslow, Cheshire and died on 7 Feb 1951 in Reigate, Surrey at age 68.

Noted events in her life were:

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

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Mary married **Herbert Crosfield**,^{16,51,86,179,180} son of **Joseph Crosfield**^{3,8,71,91,158,181,182,183,184,185,186,187,188} and **Sarah Swatridge Lowe**,^{3,8,71} on 17 Sep 1921 in Reigate, Surrey. Herbert was born on 26 Sep 1856 in Wray Park, Reigate, Surrey and died on 12 Jul 1938 in Falmouth, Cornwall at age 81.

General Notes: Crosfield.-On 12th July, at Falmouth, Herbert Crosfield (1869-73), aged 81 years.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1869-1873 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as an Underwriter.
- He worked as a Mayor of Reigate in 1919-1920 in Reigate, Surrey.
- He was awarded with Freeman of the Borough of Reigate.

7-**Hannah Elizabeth Emmott**^{7,41} was born on 30 Dec 1883 in Holly Bank, Wilmslow, Cheshire and died on 2 Sep 1962 at age 78.

7-**George Bevan Emmott**^{7,16,38,41,130,153} was born on 1 Jan 1885 in Holly Bank, Wilmslow, Cheshire and died on 22 Feb 1906 in Birkenhead, Cheshire at age 21.

General Notes: EMMOTT.-On the 22nd February, 1906, at Birkenhead, George Bevan Emmott (1896-1900), aged 21 years.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1896-1900 in York, Yorkshire.

7-**2nd Lieut. John Barlow Emmott**^{7,37,41,153} was born on 9 Aug 1888 in Nantucket, Massachusetts, USA and died on 4 Jun 1915 in The Dardanelles, Killed In Action. at age 26.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as an officer of the 1/10 Battalion, The Manchester Regiment.
- He worked as a member of Emmott & Wallshaw Ltd.

John married **Doris Lees Ascroft**,⁷ daughter of **James Henry Ascroft** and **Mabel Gertrude Lees**, on 27 Aug 1913 in Oldham, Lancashire. Doris was born on 28 Feb 1891 in Oldham, Lancashire.

7-**Margaret Emmott**^{7,41} was born on 20 Mar 1892 in Baltimore, Maryland, USA.

6-**Rachel Barclay Braithwaite**^{7,41,105} was born on 20 Nov 1859 in 65 Mornington Road, London and died on 27 Jul 1946 in Banbury, Oxfordshire at age 86.

6-**George Braithwaite**^{7,41,72,105,175} was born on 5 Mar 1861 in 65 Mornington Road, London, died on 18 Jun 1931 in Tokyo, Japan at age 70, and was buried in Ayoyama Cemetery, Tokyo, Japan.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Quaker missionary.
- He worked as an Agent of the British and Foreign Bible Society, Tokyo.
- He had a residence in 5 Hikawa Cho, Akasaka, Tokyo, Japan.

George married **Letitia Elizabeth Lesh**,^{7,41} daughter of **James Lesh** and **Agnes McBride**, on 14 Feb 1901 in Tokyo, Japan. Letitia was born on 17 Jan 1876 in Hollowmire, Ulverston, Cumbria, died on 21 Sep 1932 in Tokyo, Japan at age 56, and was buried in Ayoyama Cemetery, Tokyo, Japan. They had one son: **George Burnham**.

7-**George Burnham Braithwaite**⁷ was born on 5 Aug 1902 in Burnham, Somerset.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Grade B II GCHQ.
- He was awarded with OBE.

George married **Edith Lamb**, daughter of **Charles Benjamin Lamb** and **Charlotte Gray**, on 3 Jun 1924 in Tokyo, Japan. Edith was born on 12 Apr 1895 in Fruitfield, Richhill, County Armagh, Ireland.

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They had one daughter: **Edith Elizabeth**.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at The Mount School in Sep 1910-Jul 1913 in York, Yorkshire.

8-Edith Elizabeth Braithwaite

Edith married **Geoffrey Arthur Peters**, son of **Henry Robert Peters**. They had two children: **Timothy Bevan** and **Michael Jeremy**.

9-Timothy Bevan Peters

9-Michael Jeremy Peters

6-**William Charles Braithwaite**^{3,7,8,35,41,157,189,190} was born on 23 Dec 1862 in 312, Camden Road, London and died on 28 Jan 1922 in Castle House, Banbury, Oxfordshire at age 59.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Oliver's Mount School in Scarborough, Yorkshire.
- He was educated at University of London.
- He worked as a Conveyancing Barrister, Lincolns Inn.
- He worked as a President of Woodbrooke College in Selly Oak, Birmingham, Warwickshire.
- He worked as a JP for the Borough of Banbury in Banbury, Oxfordshire.
- He worked as a Quaker Historian.
- He had a residence in 1915 in Trafford, West Bar, Banbury, Oxfordshire.
- He worked as a Served on the committee of the Friends' Ambulance Unit in 1914-1919.

William married **Janet Morland**^{3,7,8,41} daughter of **Charles Coleby Morland**^{3,8,16,41,69,100,191,192} and **Jane Fryer**^{3,8,16,41,59,69,100,191} on 16 Oct 1896 in FMH Croydon. Janet was born on 24 May 1867 in Croydon, Surrey and died on 10 Oct 1936 in Croydon, Surrey at age 69. They had four children: **Richard Bevan**, **Alfred William**, **Constance**, and **Charles Morland**.

Noted events in her life were:

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

7-**Prof. Richard Bevan Braithwaite**^{7,8,16,41,47,173,193,194,195,196,197} was born on 15 Jan 1900 in 2 Dashwood Road, Banbury, Oxfordshire, died on 21 Apr 1990 in Bottisham, Cambridge at age 90, and was buried in King's College Chapel, Cambridge.

General Notes: Braithwaite, Richard Bevan (1900– 1990), philosopher, was born on 15 January 1900 in Banbury, Oxfordshire, the eldest in the family of three sons and one daughter of William Charles Braithwaite, of Banbury, barrister, banker, and historian of Quakerism, and his wife, Janet, daughter of Charles C. Morland, of Croydon. He was educated at Sidcot School, Somerset (1911– 14), Bootham School, York (1914– 18), and as a scholar at King's College, Cambridge (1919– 23), where he became a wrangler in part two of the mathematical tripos (1922), and gained a first class in part two of the moral sciences tripos (1923).

In 1924 Braithwaite was elected to a fellowship at King's College, which he retained until his death. He was successively a university lecturer in moral sciences (1928– 34), Sidgwick lecturer (1934– 53), and Knightbridge professor of moral philosophy (1953– 67). He did much to foster the philosophy of science in Cambridge, lecturing on it regularly for the philosophy tripos (his lectures on probability being particularly memorable). He also brought it into the natural sciences tripos, working with the historian Herbert Butterfield to found the department of history and philosophy of science. Braithwaite's own work was in the Cambridge tradition of scientifically informed philosophy exemplified by Bertrand Russell, J. M. Keynes, Frank Ramsey, and C. D. Broad. His mathematical training showed most clearly in his philosophy of science, notably in his explication of the concept of probability invoked in modern science. This culminated in *Scientific Explanation* (1953), the published version of his Trinity College Turner lectures of 1945– 6, a classic work whose influence ranks him as a methodologist of science with Sir Karl Popper and Carl Hempel. Braithwaite's philosophy ranged far wider than the philosophy of science. His 1955 inaugural lecture, *Theory of Games as a Tool for the Moral Philosopher*, showed the significance for moral and political philosophy of modern theories of games and decisions. His 1955 Eddington lecture, *An Empiricist's View of the Nature of Religious Belief*, showed his long-standing concern with religion. In this he was greatly influenced by his Quaker upbringing, as in the pacifism, later rejected, that made him serve in the Friends' Ambulance Unit in the First World War. He eventually joined the Church of England, being baptized and confirmed in King's College chapel in 1948.

Braithwaite took a keen interest in public affairs, and was active in college and university politics. He took especial satisfaction in helping to promote the grace admitting women to membership of

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Cambridge University, and thus to its degrees. His principal recreation was reading novels.

It was the way Braithwaite philosophized that most inspired his students, colleagues, and friends. In height and weight he may have resembled the average Englishman, but not in his intellectual exuberance. In discussion, even in old age, deaf, with spectacles and thinning hair, sometimes apparently asleep, his attention rarely flagged; and the intensity of his contributions— often prefaced with roars of 'Now look here, I'm sorry ...'— was a continual refutation of the popular dichotomy of reason and passion. His curiosity was boundless, his grasp of issues quick and complete, his comments clear, forceful, and original. No one could be more passionate in the rational pursuit of truth, nor less concerned to impress, dominate, preach, or be taken for a guru. He was a great scourge of the obscure, the portentous, the complacent, and the slapdash— diseases to which philosophy is always prone and to which his incisive irreverence was the perfect antidote.

Braithwaite received an honorary DLitt from Bristol University in 1963, and was visiting professor of philosophy at Johns Hopkins University in 1968, the University of Western Ontario in 1969, and the City University of New York in 1970. He was president of the Mind Association in 1946, and of the Aristotelian Society in 1946–7. In 1957 he became a fellow of the British Academy and in 1986 a foreign honorary member of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences. In 1948 he helped to found what later became the British Society for the Philosophy of Science, of which he was president from 1961 to 1963.

In 1925 Braithwaite married Dorothea Cotter, daughter of Sir Theodore Morison, principal of Armstrong College, Newcastle upon Tyne, which later became Newcastle University. She died in 1928, and in 1932 he married Margaret Mary (d. 1986), daughter of Charles Frederick Gurney Masterman, a noted Liberal MP and member of the 1914 cabinet. They had a son and a daughter. Braithwaite died of pneumonia on 21 April 1990 at The Grange, a nursing home in Bottisham, near Cambridge. His ashes were interred in King's College chapel, Cambridge.

D. H. Mellor, rev.

RICHARD B. BRAITHWAITE (1914-18) is making windows for huts at a delightful town in a small rocky valley in the Juras with the F.W.V.R.C. *Bootham magazine - December 1918*

RICHARD BEVAN BRAITHWAITE Richard Bevan Braithwaite was Professor of Moral Philosophy at Cambridge from 1953 to 1967 and Fellow of King's College from 1924. He was born in January 1900 and died aged 90 on 21 st April 1990. He was a mathematician both by training and by temperament, and he made important contributions to the understanding of the concept of probability that occurs in the statistical laws of modern physical and biological science. He had an abiding interest in religious belief, and although he grew up as a Member of the Society of Friends, he later joined the Church of England.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Sidcot School in 1911-1914 in Sidcot, Somerset.
- He was educated at Bootham School in 1914-1918 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as a Science master, Leighton Park School in 1918.
- He was educated at King's College, Cambridge.
- He worked as a Professor of Moral Philosophy, Cambridge.

Richard married **Dorothea Cotter Morison**,^{8,194} daughter of **Sir Theodore Morison** and **Margaret Cohen**, on 6 Oct 1925 in Newcastle upon Tyne, Northumberland. Dorothea was born on 14 Mar 1898 in India and died on 12 Aug 1928 in London at age 30.

Marriage Notes: BRAITHWAITE-MORISON.-On October 6th, at Newcastle-on- Tyne, Richard Bevan Braithwaite (1914-18), to Dorothea Cotter Morison, of Newcastle-on-Tyne.

Richard next married **Margaret Mary Masterman**,^{8,173,195,196} daughter of **Rt. Hon. Charles Frederick Gurney Masterman**⁸ and **Lucy Blanche Lyttelton**,⁸ on 13 Dec 1932 in Cambridge. Margaret was born on 4 May 1910 in London and died on 1 Apr 1986 at age 75. They had two children: **Lewis Charles** and **Catherine Lucy**.

Marriage Notes: BRAITHWAITE-MASTERMAN.— On December 13th, 1932, Richard Bevan Braithwaite (1914-18), to Margaret Mary Masterman.

Noted events in her life were:

- She worked as a Founder of the Cambridge Language Research Unit.
- She worked as an authority on Computational Linguistics.
- She worked as a Philosopher in Cambridge.
- She worked as a Co-founder and Vice President of the Lucy Cavendish College in 1965-1975.

8-Lewis Charles Braithwaite

Lewis married **Louissette Jane Barron**. They had four children: **Lucy Anne**, **Paul Richard**, **Nicholas Russell**, and **Alice Mary**.

9-Lucy Anne Braithwaite

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9-**Paul Richard Braithwaite**

9-**Nicholas Russell Braithwaite**

9-**Alice Mary Braithwaite**

8-**Catherine Lucy Braithwaite**

Catherine married **Raymond Charles Inchley** on 29 Aug 1976. Raymond was born on 29 Jun 1931 and died in Mar 1999 in Somerset at age 67.

7-**Alfred William Braithwaite**^{7,41} was born on 9 Sep 1901 in 2 Dashwood Road, Banbury, Oxfordshire, died on 19 Mar 1975 in Westminster, London at age 73, and was buried in FBG Jordans, Chalfont St. Peter, Buckinghamshire.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as an Accountant and Partner in Waterhouse & Co.

Alfred married **Mary Millior Barlow**,¹⁹⁸ daughter of **John Henry Barlow**^{3,198} and **Mabel Cash**,^{3,198} on 25 Mar 1939 in Malvern, Worcestershire. Mary was born on 13 Jul 1904 in Selly Oak, Birmingham, Warwickshire, died on 12 Jan 1993 in Hendon, Middlesex at age 88, and was buried in FBG Jordans, Chalfont St. Peter, Buckinghamshire. They had two children: **Anna Millior** and **Caroline May**.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at Edgbaston High School.

8-**Anna Millior Braithwaite**^{7,198} was born on 18 Oct 1942 in Birmingham, Warwickshire and died in Feb 2011 at age 68.

General Notes: My cousin Anna OHerlihy, who has died from cancer aged 68, was an outstanding social worker who had a talent for listening to people's problems, and later became a psychotherapist. Her two publications on the role of the guardian ad litem, published by Venture Press in the 1990s, have become standard practitioners' guides.

Anna was raised in Golders Green, north London, the older daughter of two distinguished Quakers, Alfred and Millior Braithwaite. There was a rebellious streak in her from earliest childhood. I remember her retorting to our grandmother on being told off yet again: "If you say that again, Granny, I'll kick you up the bum." Having been very happy at a local day school in London, Anna did not take kindly to being dispatched to the Mount school in York.

Undaunted, she went on to study at the London School of Economics and the Sorbonne in Paris. She completed her postgraduate studies in forensic social work at the Tavistock Clinic in Hampstead.

Many lifelong friendships were forged at this time.

Anna attended the Quaker summer school in Geneva, which gave students an introduction to the working of the United Nations and the World Health Organisation, whose dedicated work deeply impressed her. Although she ultimately lost her faith, Quaker beliefs remained a strong strand in her life.

She married a social worker, Jimmy Kerr, and they had two children, Abby and Jane. After the break-up of their marriage, Anna found great happiness with Callaghan OHerlihy, whom she wed in 1992. He brought not only calm wisdom and understanding to their union but also five stepchildren.

Anna managed to devote time to her clients right up until the day before she died. Abby died in 2008. Anna is survived by Callaghan, Jane, two grandchildren, Scarlet and Rosalie, her stepchildren and her sister, Carol

Antony Barlow

Noted events in her life were:

- Her obituary was published in The Guardian on 24 Feb 2011.
- She was educated at The Mount School in York, Yorkshire.
- She was educated at London School of Economics.
- She was educated at The Sorbonne.
- She worked as a Social worker and psychotherapist.

Anna married **James Gilmour Bair Kerr**. They had two children: **Abigail Mary M.** and **Jane Anna B.**

9-**Abigail Mary M. Kerr**^{7,198} was born in 1972 in Epping, Essex and died in 2008 at age 36.

Abigail married **Chris Rowell**. They had one daughter: **Rosalie Anna**.

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10-Rosalie Anna Rowell

9-Jane Anna B. Kerr

Jane married **Duncan Bewley**. They had one daughter: **Scarlett Abigail**.

10-Scarlett Abigail Bewley

Anna next married **Callaghan OHerlihy**.

8-Caroline May Braithwaite

Caroline married **David Terry**.

Caroline next married **Moussa Saker**. They had two children: **Adam** and **Sami**.

9-Adam Saker

9-Sami Saker

7-**Constance Braithwaite**^{7,41} was born on 30 Jul 1904 in 2 Dashwood Road, Banbury, Oxfordshire and died in 1985 at age 81.

General Notes: She stayed at some time with Francesca Wilson as a lodger in Edgbaston.

Nikolaus Pevsner, brutally called her, " A rather peculiar person, a masculine woman." as per *Nikolaus Pevsner - The Life* (2012 Ransom House) Susie Harries.

Noted events in her life were:

- She worked as an Assistant lecturer in Social economics, Department of Commerce in University of Birmingham.
- Miscellaneous: Author of "The Voluntary Citizen - An enquiry into the place of philanthropy in the community".
- She was a Quaker.

7-**Charles Morland Braithwaite**^{7,41} was born on 4 Jan 1907 in 2 Dashwood Road, Banbury, Oxfordshire and died in 1982 at age 75.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Sibford School.
- He worked as a Photographer and Cinematographer. Morland Braithwaite Ltd. In Birmingham, Warwickshire.
- He had a residence in 35 Middleton Hall Road, Birmingham, Warwickshire.

Charles married **Margaret Hope Doncaster**, daughter of **Charles Mallinson Doncaster**³ and **Hilda Priestman**,³ They had three children: **Geoffrey Doncaster**, **Janet Margaret**, and **Susan Rachel**.

8-Geoffrey Doncaster Braithwaite

Geoffrey married **Judith Campbell**, daughter of **Robert Stewart Campbell** and **Isabella Frances Nettleton**. They had two children: **Nigel** and **Colin**.

9-Nigel Braithwaite

9-Colin Braithwaite

8-Janet Margaret Braithwaite

8-Susan Rachel Braithwaite

Susan married **Peter Dunn**.

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6-**Catherine Lydia Braithwaite**^{7,41} was born on 30 Aug 1864 in 312 Camden Road, Islington, London and died on 25 Dec 1957 in Banbury, Oxfordshire at age 93.

5-**Joseph Gillett**⁷ was born on 24 Apr 1824 in Banbury, Oxfordshire and died on 14 Nov 1824 in Banbury, Oxfordshire.

5-**Hannah Mary Gillett**^{7,57} was born on 22 Aug 1825 in Banbury, Oxfordshire and died on 15 Jan 1862 in Banbury, Oxfordshire at age 36.

5-**Joseph Gillett**^{6,7,12} was born on 30 May 1828 in Banbury, Oxfordshire and died on 2 Mar 1850 in Banbury, Oxfordshire at age 21.

5-**Charles Gillett**^{7,72,73,199} was born on 18 Jan 1830 in Adderbury, Oxfordshire and died on 13 Dec 1895 in Wood Green, Banbury, Oxfordshire at age 65.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Banker in Banbury, Oxfordshire.
- He worked as a Quaker Elder in 1860.
- He worked as a Quaker Minister in 1877.
- He was educated at Thornbury in Thornbury, Gloucestershire.

Charles married **Gertrude Mary Tregelles**,^{7,73,199} daughter of **Edwin Octavius Tregelles**^{8,52,72,76,79,81,95,162,181} and **Jenepher Fisher**,^{8,52,79,81,162,181} on 13 Dec 1860 in Sunderland, County Durham. Gertrude was born on 27 Nov 1833 in Dorchester, Dorset and died on 31 Mar 1932 in Brookfield, Banbury, Oxfordshire at age 98. They had 11 children: **Charles Edwin, Gertrude Martha, Mary Catherine, Joseph Ashby, Margaret, Agnes Marion, Henry Tregelles, Edward, Richenda, Sarah Mabel, and Elizabeth Rachel.**

Marriage Notes: 1861 also given

General Notes: GILLETT.- On March 31st, 1932, at "Brookfield," Banbury, Gertrude Mary, widow of the late Charles Gillett, of "Wood Green," Banbury, aged 98 years.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at Sibford School.
- She worked as a Teacher at The Mount School in York, Yorkshire.

6-**Charles Edwin Gillett**^{7,44} was born on 13 Nov 1861 in Banbury, Oxfordshire and died on 17 Jul 1919 in Southlea, Worcestershire at age 57.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Banker.
- He worked as a Quaker Minister.

Charles married **Maria Caroline Howitt**,⁷ daughter of **Dr. Francis Howitt**^{3,24,167,192} and **Ann Adlington**,^{3,24} on 19 Jun 1900 in Nottingham, Nottinghamshire. Maria was born on 28 Mar 1868 in Nottingham, Nottinghamshire and died on 5 Apr 1953 in Birmingham, Warwickshire at age 85. They had three children: **Charles William, Francis Howitt, and Joseph Adlington.**

7-**Charles William Gillett**⁷ was born on 21 Apr 1901 in Oxfordshire and died on 25 Oct 1968 in Bromsgrove, Worcestershire at age 67.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Joint Managing Director of Cadbury's.

Charles married **Doreen Southall**,^{7,86} daughter of **Gilbert Southall**^{3,16,40,86,196,200} and **Eva Lucy Grubb**,^{3,16,40,86,200} on 16 Nov 1926 in Warwickshire. Doreen was born on 1 Jun 1905 in Birmingham, Warwickshire and died in 1975 in Birmingham, Warwickshire at age 70. They had four children: **Anne Jennifer, Charles Edward, Rosemary Doreen, and Lucy Caroline.**

General Notes: SOUTHALL.-On the 1st June, 1905, at Birmingham, Eva L. , wife of Gilbert Southall (1884-6), a daughter, who was named Doreen.

8-**Anne Jennifer Gillett**⁷ was born on 25 Feb 1929 in Birmingham, Warwickshire and died in Apr 2003 in Birmingham, Warwickshire at age 74.

Anne married **David Charles Yeoman Higgs**⁷ on 26 May 1956 in Birmingham, Warwickshire. David was born on 11 Jul 1927 in Warwickshire and died in Oct 2005 in Birmingham, Warwickshire at age 78. They had two children: **Clare Joanna and Stephen David.**

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9-Clare Joanna Higgs

Clare married **Andrew Christopher Gilkerson**. They had one son: **Danny Ronald**.

10-Danny Ronald Gilkerson

9-Stephen David Higgs

8-Charles Edward Gillett

Charles married **Penelope Ann Toms**. They had four children: **Gillian Patricia**, **Charles Robert**, **Philippa Sally**, and **Ann Belinda**.

9-Gillian Patricia Gillett

Gillian married **Robert H. S. Marriott**. They had three children: **David Michael S.**, **Patrick Charles S.**, and **Aimee Paige**.

10-David Michael S. Marriott

10-Patrick Charles S. Marriott

10-Aimee Paige Marriott

9-Charles Robert Gillett

Charles married **Julia E. Parker**. They had two children: **Charles James** and **Antonia Mary A.**

10-Charles James Gillett

10-Antonia Mary A. Gillett

9-Philippa Sally Gillett

Philippa married **Jonathan G. Ward**. They had two children: **Alexander John** and **Thomas Edward**.

10-Alexander John Ward

10-Thomas Edward Ward

9-Ann Belinda Gillett

8-Rosemary Doreen Gillett

Rosemary married **Michael Arthur Spittle**. They had three children: **Andrew Michael**, **Rosemary Jayne**, and **Susan Helen**.

9-Andrew Michael Spittle

Andrew married **Rosalind Berney**. They had two children: **Katherine Jill** and **Lucy Victoria**.

10-Katherine Jill Spittle

10-Lucy Victoria Spittle

9-Rosemary Jayne Spittle

Rosemary married **Peter G. Collier**. They had two children: **Cordelia Jayne** and **Henrietta Rosemary**.

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10-Cordelia Jayne Collier

10-Henrietta Rosemary Collier

9-Susan Helen Spittle

Susan married **John A. Hulme**. They had three children: **Elizabeth Susan**, **Charlotte Rebecca**, and **Rosemary Caroline**.

10-Elizabeth Susan Hulme

10-Charlotte Rebecca Hulme

10-Rosemary Caroline Hulme

8-Lucy Caroline Gillett

Lucy married **William H. Davies**. They had two children: **Esther Katharine** and **Luke Gwilym**.

9-Esther Katharine Davies

9-Luke Gwilym Davies

7-Francis Howitt Gillett⁷ was born on 17 Nov 1902 in Oxford and died on 21 Dec 1992 in Eastbourne at age 90.

Francis married **Maud Bevington-Smith**,²⁰¹ daughter of **Douglas Bevington Smith**^{16,166,201,202,203,204,205,206} and **Edith Maud Binyon**,^{16,201,202,203,205} on 27 Apr 1933 in Chelmsford, Essex. Maud was born on 19 Apr 1907 in Maldon, Essex and died on 16 Jun 1983 in Eastbourne, East Sussex at age 76. They had three children: **Dorothy Joy**, **Francis Michael**, and **Roger Howitt**.

General Notes: SMITH.-On the 19th of April, 1907, at Witham, Edith Maud, wife of Douglas Bevington Smith (1890-93), a daughter, who was named Maud Bevington.

8-Dorothy Joy Gillett

Dorothy married **John Seward Coe**. They had three children: **Jennifer**, **Robert John**, and **James William**.

9-Jennifer Coe

Jennifer married **Frederick P. Smith**. They had one son: **Daniel James P.**

10-Daniel James P. Smith

9-Robert John Coe

9-James William Coe

James married **Unnamed**.

8-Francis Michael Gillett

8-Roger Howitt Gillett

Roger married **Celia Beryl Drewry**. They had six children: **Alison Clare**, **Carolyn Mary**, **Lucy Katharine**, **Matthew Stephen**, **Nicola Louise**, and **Joanna Rachel**.

9-Alison Clare Gillett

Alison married **Peter Dominey**. They had two children: **Matthew James** and **Daniel Mark**.

10-Matthew James Dominey

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10-Daniel Mark Dominey

9-Carolyn Mary Gillett

Carolyn married **Dominic M. Couzens**. They had two children: **Emily Francesca** and **Samuel Jonathan**.

10-Emily Francesca Couzens

10-Samuel Jonathan Couzens

9-Lucy Katharine Gillett

Lucy married **Rohitkumar P. Khakhria**. They had three children: **Joshua Daniel**, **Andrew Nathaniel**, and **Timothy David**.

10-Joshua Daniel Khakhria

10-Andrew Nathaniel Khakhria

10-Timothy David Khakhria

9-Matthew Stephen Gillett

Matthew married **Rebecca Louise Dike**. They had three children: **Megan Sarah**, **Molly Carys**, and **Jasper William**.

10-Megan Sarah Gillett

10-Molly Carys Gillett

10-Jasper William Gillett

9-Nicola Louise Gillett

Nicola married **Benjamin Mark Elms**. They had two children: **Hannah Yasmin** and **Aimee Jessica R.**

10-Hannah Yasmin Elms

10-Aimee Jessica R. Elms

9-Joanna Rachel Gillett

Joanna married **Dominic Paul Guy**.

7-**Joseph Adlington Gillett**⁷ was born on 14 Nov 1907 in Whittington and died in Aug 1995 in Kidderminster at age 87.

Joseph married **Margaret Wans Hicks**. They had three children: **Richard**, **Elizabeth Susan**, and **Alison Margaret**.

8-Richard Gillett

Richard married **Jane Pauline Adams**. They had two children: **Mark Howard** and **Joanna**.

9-Mark Howard Gillett

Mark married **Caroline L. Preece**.

9-Joanna Gillett

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8-Elizabeth Susan Gillett

Elizabeth married **James Stanley Bateman**. They had three children: **David Tostiq**, **Clare Marie**, and **Benjamin Leo**.

9-David Tostiq Bateman

David married **Kirstie L. Briggs**.

9-Clare Marie Bateman

9-Benjamin Leo Bateman

8-Alison Margaret Gillett

6-**Gertrude Martha Gillett**^{7,72,119} was born on 8 May 1863 in Banbury, Oxfordshire and died on 18 Jun 1928 in Edmonton at age 65.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at The Mount School in Aug 1876-Dec 1878 in York, Yorkshire.

Gertrude married **Dr. Gabriel Sukias Dobrashian**,^{7,72,119} son of **Sukias Dobrashian**, on 9 Sep 1885 in Banbury, Oxfordshire. Gabriel was born on 18 Feb 1854 in Constantinople and died on 21 Dec 1921 in Willesden at age 67. They had eight children: **Gertrude Margaret**, **Charles Gabriel Dobrashian**, **Harold Martyn**, **George Rowland**, **Theodore Henry**, **Agnes Grace**, **Richenda Winifred**, and **Arnold Gillett**.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at University of London.
- He worked as a Surgeon.

7-**Dr. Gertrude Margaret Dobrashian**⁷ was born on 23 Jan 1887 in Constantinople, Turkey and died in 1975 in Brighton, East Sussex at age 88.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at Cambray House in Cheltenham, Gloucestershire.

7-**Charles Gabriel Dobrashian Gillett**⁷ was born on 10 Feb 1888 in Constantinople, Turkey and died in Canada.

General Notes: Chnaged his name back to Gillett

Charles married **Florence Wilson**⁷ in 1914 in Canada. Florence was born on 23 Oct 1883. They had one daughter: **Eleanor Dolbrashian**.

8-Eleanor Dolbrashian Gillett

Eleanor married **Arnold Baldwin Whiteley**.

7-**Harold Martyn Dobrashian**^{7,119} was born on 10 May 1889 in Constantinople, Turkey and died on 11 Jun 1891 in Constantinople, Turkey at age 2.

7-**Dr. George Rowland Dobrashian**^{7,16,113,137,207} was born on 11 Jun 1890 in Constantinople, Turkey and died on 28 Aug 1944 in Tadcaster, York, Yorkshire at age 54. The cause of his death was Colon cancer.

General Notes: Dobrashian.-On 28th August, George Rowland Dobrashian (1905-07), aged 54 years.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with MRCS LRCP MB BS.
- He was educated at Bootham School in 1905-1907 in York, Yorkshire.

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- He worked as a Captain in the RAMC in 1917-1918 in Malta.
- He worked as a Physician in London.
- He had a residence in 23 Blossom Street, York.

George married **Muriel Herbert**,^{7,16,113,207} daughter of **Sir Jesse Herbert**⁵¹ and **Eveline Warner**, on 29 Jan 1914 in Chelsea, London. Muriel was born on 14 Apr 1890 in Kings Norton, Birmingham, Warwickshire and died on 8 Jan 1976 in Altrincham, Cheshire at age 85. They had two children: **Rowland Mario** and **Peter Lawrence**.

Marriage Notes: DOBRASHIAN-HERBERT.— On the 29th January, 1914, at London, George Rowland Dobrashian (1905-7), of London, to Muriel Herbert , of Harrow

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at The Mount School in Jan 1906-Dec 1907 in York, Yorkshire.

8-Rowland Mario Dobrashian^{7,207} was born on 9 Mar 1915 in 36 Oakley Square, London and died in 1983 in Shrewsbury, Shropshire at age 68.

General Notes: DOBRASHIAN.-On the 9th March, 1915, at 36 Oakley Square, N.W. , Muriel (Herbert) , wife of G. Rowland Dobrashian (1905-7), a son, who was named Rowland Mario.

Rowland married **Margaret Taylor**⁷ on 8 Sep 1939 in Manchester. Margaret was born on 17 Oct 1912 in Darlington, County Durham and died on 6 Jun 2007 at age 94. They had two children: **Rowland Michael** and **Julia Margaret**.

9-Dr. Rowland Michael Dobrashian

Rowland married **Valerie Browning**. They had two children: **Caroline** and **Richard David**.

10-Caroline Dobrashian

Caroline married **Clive R. Ellerby**.

10-Dr. Richard David Dobrashian

Richard married **Susan Lesley Ramsbottom**. They had one daughter: **Hannah Lucy**.

11-Hannah Lucy Dobrashian

9-Julia Margaret Dobrashian

Julia married **John H. Bacon**. They had one son: **James Alexander**.

10-James Alexander Bacon

8-Peter Lawrence Dobrashian^{7,16} was born on 5 Apr 1917 in London and died on 19 May 1990 in Cambridge at age 73.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Saffron Walden School in 1928-1933 in Saffron Walden, Essex.
- He was educated at Bootham School in 1933-1937 in York, Yorkshire.

Peter married **Nancy Ethel Pitches**⁷ on 19 Aug 1939 in Cambridge. Nancy was born on 4 Feb 1915 in Hambledon and died in Jul 1991 in Camberwell, London at age 76. They had two children: **Anthony Julian Rowland** and **Diane C**.

9-Anthony Julian Rowland Dobrashian

Anthony married **Patricia Ann Keen**. They had three children: **Thomas**, **Lisa Ann**, and **Matthew Peter**.

10-Thomas Dobrashian

Thomas married **Kathryn A. Hall**. They had three children: **Joseph Thomas**, **Alexander Jack**, and **Zoe Isabelle**.

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11-**Joseph Thomas Dobrashian**

11-**Alexander Jack Dobrashian**

11-**Zoe Isabelle Dobrashian**

10-**Lisa Ann Dobrashian**

Lisa married **Christopher W. Yates**. They had four children: **Gabriel Wilson, Raphael Thomas, Ezekiel Christopher,** and **Emanuel Jesse**.

11-**Gabriel Wilson Yates**

11-**Raphael Thomas Yates**

11-**Ezekiel Christopher Yates**

11-**Emanuel Jesse Yates**

10-**Matthew Peter Dobrashian**

Matthew married **Denise Bolton**. They had two children: **Rosie Ellie** and **Albie Jake**.

11-**Rosie Ellie Dobrashian**

11-**Albie Jake Dobrashian**

9-**Diane C. Dobrashian**

Diane married **Peter Alan Willers**. They had two children: **Marc Lawrence George** and **Lucy**.

10-**Marc Lawrence George Willers**

10-**Lucy Willers**

Diane next married **John C. Waters**. They had three children: **Hugo Rowland John Clough, Suzannah Charlotte C.,** and **Anastasia Rose C.**

10-**Hugo Rowland John Clough Waters**

10-**Suzannah Charlotte C. Waters**

10-**Anastasia Rose C. Waters**

7-**Dr. Theodore Henry Dobrashian**^{7,16} was born on 11 Aug 1891 in Constantinople, Turkey and died on 13 Jan 1959 in Gosport, Hampshire at age 67.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with MRCS LRCP.
- He was educated at Bootham School in 1906-1908 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as a Bank clerk. Barclays Bank. In 1911 in Bridlington, Yorkshire.
- He was educated at University College in 1914-1917 in London.
- He worked as a Physician.

Theodore married **Daisy Jane Brothers**⁷ in 1922 in London. Daisy was born on 2 Apr 1889 in Poplar and died in 1969 in Newbury at age 80. They had two children: **Theodore Stanley** and **Olive Mabel**.

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8-**Theodore Stanley Dobrashian**⁷ was born on 7 Oct 1922 in London and died on 11 Jan 1997 in Ferndown, Dorset at age 74.

8-**Olive Mabel Dobrashian**⁷ was born on 14 Sep 1925 in London and died in 1973 in Hammersmith at age 48.

7-**Agnes Grace Dobrashian**^{7,16,193,208,209} was born on 25 Mar 1894 in Constantinople, Turkey and died in 1976 in Bromsgrove, Worcestershire at age 82.

Agnes married **Stephen Corder**,^{7,16,134,191,193,208,209} son of **Herbert Corder**^{3,191} and **Mary Grace Dymond**,^{3,191} on 8 Jul 1918 in FMH Harlesden. Stephen was born on 18 Mar 1895 in 10 Kensington Terrace, Sunderland and died on 24 Mar 1964 in Low Weasdale, Kirby Stephen, Cumbria at age 69. They had two children: **Richenda Grace** and **Herbert Alexander "Alec"**.

Marriage Notes: ORDER-DOBRASHIAN.-On 8th July, 1918, at the Friends' Meeting House, Harlesden, Stephen Corder (1909-11), of Sunderland, to Agnes Grace Dobrashian, of Harlesden.

General Notes: CORDER.-On 24th March, 1964, at his home at Low Weasdale, Kirby Stephen, Stephen Corder (1909-11), aged 69 years.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Ackworth School in 1905-1909 in Pontefract, Yorkshire.
- He was educated at Bootham School in 1909-1911 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as an Insurance Broker.

8-**Richenda Grace Corder**^{7,208} was born on 20 Mar 1923 in Sunderland, County Durham and died in Dec 2006 in Worcester, Worcestershire at age 83.

General Notes: CORDER.-On March 20th, Grace, wife of Stephen Corder (1909-11), a daughter, who was named Richenda Grace.

Richenda married **Charles S. Ferguson**⁷ on 29 Mar 1945 in Dumbarton. Charles died before 1950.

Richenda next married **Roger Brazier**. They had three children: **Rachel Richenda**, **Christine Ruth**, and **Vanessa**.

9-Rachel Richenda Brazier

Rachel married **Martin G. Wyatt**.

9-Christine Ruth Brazier

Christine married **Andrew A. Campbell**. They had two children: **Lucy Richenda** and **Grace Eleanor**.

10-Lucy Richenda Campbell

10-Grace Eleanor Campbell

9-Vanessa Brazier

8-**Herbert Alexander "Alec" Corder**^{144,209,210} was born on 3 May 1925 in Sunderland, County Durham, died in 1983 in Derwentwater, Cumbria at age 58, and was buried in St. Oswald's Church, Ravenstonedale, Cumbria.

General Notes: CORDER.-On May 3rd, Grace, wife of Stephen Corder (1909-11), a son, who was named Herbert Alexander.

HERBERT ALEXANDER (ALEC) CORDER

Died suddenly while walking on the fells above Derwentwater in July 1983. He was at Bootham from 1937 to 1941 and then went to study mechanical engineering at Loughborough. Although the early part of his professional life was occupied in engineering and insurance, he soon turned to his real love and in 1948 he started the Weasdale Nurseries near Kirkby Stephen. Here he grew hardy shrubs and trees at an altitude of 850 ft. , establishing a national reputation in this specialised field. He leaves a widow, Mary, and two children, David and Rosemary.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1937-1941 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as a Nurseryman and founder of the Weasdale Nurseries in Newbiggin on Lune, Cumbria.
- He had a residence in Newbiggin on Lune, Cumbria.

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Herbert married **Elizabeth Mary Beeley**. They had two children: **David Alexander** and **Rosemary Anne**.

9-**Dr. David Alexander Corder**

9-**Rosemary Anne Corder**

7-**Richenda Winifred Dobrashian**⁷ was born on 21 Jun 1895 in Constantinople, Turkey and died in 1974 in Witney, Oxfordshire at age 79.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at The Mount School in Jan 1911-Jul 1913 in York, Yorkshire.

Richenda married **William Clayton Minchin**⁷ on 2 Jul 1917 in Banbury, Oxfordshire. William was born on 24 Jan 1882 in Bournemouth, Dorset and died on 16 Nov 1950 in Worthing at age 68. They had two children: **Desmond Clayton** and **Deirdre Elaine**.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as an Architect.

8-**Desmond Clayton Minchin**

Desmond married **Anna M. Delellio**. They had two children: **Robert M. Henry** and **Anitra M.**

9-**Robert M. Henry Minchin**

9-**Anitra M. Minchin**

8-**Deirdre Elaine Minchin**

Deirdre married **Fl. Lt. Basil Demetrius Bonakis**,⁷ son of **Isidore Bonakis** and **Agnes Bridget**, on 24 Apr 1944 in Worthing. Basil was born in 1917 in Hendon, Middlesex, died on 7 Jan 1945 in Germany. Killed In Action. at age 28, and was buried in Durnbach War Cemetery. They had one daughter: **Diana Marie**.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a 169 Squadron Pilot.

9-**Diana Marie Bonakis**

Diana married **Leonard E. Cothrell**.

Deirdre next married **Roy Jasper Randolph**. They had one son: **Anthony James**.

9-**Anthony James Randolph**

Anthony married **Deborah S. J. Lucas**.

7-**Arnold Gillett Dobrashian**^{7,16,211} was born on 22 Nov 1898 in Willesden, London and died in 1985 in Ontario, Canada at age 87.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Ackworth School in 1908-1912 in Pontefract, Yorkshire.
- He was educated at Bootham School in 1912-1915 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as a 2nd Lieutenant RAF (RFC) in 1917-1918.
- He worked as a Private in the Royal West Regiment in 1917.
- He worked as a Poultry Farmer in 1924-1927 in Cheshunt, Hertfordshire.

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- He emigrated to Quebec, Canada on 23 Sep 1927 from Liverpool.
- He worked as a Farmer and Storekeeper in 1935 in Bronte, Ontario, Canada.

Arnold married **Elizabeth Helen Hewlett**^{7,16,211} on 22 Apr 1935 in Canada. Elizabeth was born on 5 May 1894 and died in Canada. They had one daughter: **Joan Ellen**.

8-Joan Ellen Dobrashian

Joan married **Richard Malcolm Lawrence**. They had three children: **Heather Luanne**, **Karen Lynn**, and **Beth Adrienne**.

9-Heather Luanne Lawrence

9-Karen Lynn Lawrence

9-Beth Adrienne Lawrence

6-**Mary Catherine Gillett**^{3,7} was born on 21 Aug 1866 in Banbury, Oxfordshire and died on 10 Apr 1952 in Banbury, Oxfordshire at age 85.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at The Mount School in Aug 1882-Dec 1883 in York, Yorkshire.

Mary married **John Padbury Gillett**,^{3,7} son of **Jonathan Gillett**^{3,7,73,162} and **Ann Rutter Padbury**,^{3,7,73} John was born on 16 Jan 1853 in Banbury, Oxfordshire and died on 18 Jan 1921 in Banbury, Oxfordshire at age 68. They had three children: **Muriel Mary**, **Evelyn Ashby**, and **John Bernard**.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Banker and Local Director of Barclays Bank.

7-**Muriel Mary Gillett**⁷ was born on 13 Nov 1888 in Banbury, Oxfordshire and died in 1974 in Bedford, Bedfordshire at age 86.

7-**Evelyn Ashby Gillett**⁷ was born on 29 May 1891 in Banbury, Oxfordshire and died in 1975 at age 84.

7-**John Bernard Gillett**⁷ was born on 31 Jan 1908 in Banbury, Oxfordshire and died in 1972 in Kensington at age 64.

John married **Cora Penlington**⁷ on 10 Dec 1946 in Hampstead. Cora was born on 20 Dec 1900 in Chester and died on 14 Nov 1949 in Watford, Hertfordshire at age 48. They had one son: **David**.

8-David Gillett

David married **Caroline Grantham**.

John next married **Edith Muriel Penlington**. They had three children: **Elizabeth Jane**, **Gisella Mary**, and **Simon Charles**.

8-Elizabeth Jane Gillett

8-Gisella Mary Gillett

8-Simon Charles Gillett

6-**Joseph Ashby Gillett**^{7,41} was born on 29 Dec 1867 in Woodgreen, Banbury, Oxfordshire and died on 24 Dec 1942 in Banbury, Oxfordshire at age 74.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Oliver's Mount school, Scarborough.
- He was educated at King's College, Cambridge.
- He worked as a Banker in Banbury, Oxfordshire.

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Joseph married **Sarah Beatrice Lowe**,^{7,41} daughter of **William Bevington Lowe**^{41,42} and **Rachel Jane Lloyd**,^{41,42} on 13 Jan 1897 in Ettington, Warwickshire. Sarah was born on 5 Mar 1864 in Ettington, Warwickshire and died on 17 Jun 1947 in Banbury, Oxfordshire at age 83.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at Cheltenham Ladies College.
- She was educated at Westfield College, University of London.
- She worked as a Poor Law Guardian. From 1900.

6-**Margaret Gillett**⁷ was born on 29 Dec 1867 in Neithrop, Banbury, Oxfordshire, died on 16 Jan 1948 in Leiston, Suffolk at age 80, and was buried in FBG Leiston Cum Sizewell, Suffolk.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at The Mount School in Aug 1883-Dec 1883 in York, Yorkshire.
- She worked as a Medical student 1891.

6-**Agnes Marion Gillett**^{7,73} was born on 25 May 1869 in Banbury, Oxfordshire and died on 28 Aug 1896 in Banbury, Oxfordshire at age 27.

Noted events in her life were:

- She worked as a Nurse at the Children's Hospital, London.
- She worked as a Nurse at the Temperance Hospital, Hampstead.
- Miscellaneous: Engagement to Alfred William Brown.

6-**Dr. Henry Tregelles Gillett**^{7,199} was born on 12 Nov 1870 in Banbury, Oxfordshire and died on 26 Jun 1955 in Oxford at age 84.

General Notes: Gillett trained as a doctor at St Bartholomew's Hospital in London, qualifying in 1895. He took a postgraduate course at the University of Edinburgh, and then came to Oxford, taking over a practice at 15 King Edward Street. His special interest was in preventative inoculation. By 1914 he had moved to 8 Charlbury Road, but kept on the same practice in central Oxford..

Gillett retired from practice in 1935, but continued for some time afterwards in a consulting capacity.

Gillett was an independent councillor for the South Ward from 1920 to 1942, and an alderman from 1942 to 1947. He was Chairman of the Slum Clearance Committee and of the Oxford Council of Social Service. The Oxford Refugee Committee was established when he was Mayor in 1938/9, and he helped to deal with refugees from Nazi Germany who came to Oxford. He also set up settlements for the unemployed of South Wales (a movement started by the Society of Friends to which he belonged). He was also a leading figure in the move for the Oxford Corporation to acquire electricity from the Oxford Electric Company.

He died on 26 June 1955 at his home at 14 Upland Park Road, at the age of 84. His funeral was held at Oxford Crematorium, followed by a Memorial at the Friends Meeting House in St Giles. He left two sons (both also doctors) and one daughter.

Henry married **Lucy Bancroft**,^{7,199} daughter of **William Poole Bancroft**^{3,199} and **Emma Cooper**,^{3,199} on 30 Mar 1908. Lucy was born on 5 Jul 1880 in Rockford, Wilmington, Delaware, U.S.A. and died on 12 Feb 1969 in Salford at age 88. They had five children: **James Cooper**, **Agnes**, **Jenepher**, **Esther**, and **Roger**.

7-**James Cooper Gillett**^{7,199} was born on 5 Mar 1910 in Oxford and died in Jan 2001 in South Pembrokeshire at age 90.

James married **Marcelle Yvonne Cheeke**. They had two children: **Wendy Karen** and **Raymond Tregelles**.

8-**Wendy Karen Gillett**⁷ was born on 1 Aug 1940 in Oxford and died in Nov 1991 in Surrey at age 51.

Wendy married **Barrie Shandon Guard**. They had three children: **David Sebastian**, **Jenepher Jane**, and **Lucy Karen**.

9-**David Sebastian Guard**

9-**Jenepher Jane Guard**

9-**Lucy Karen Guard**

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8-Raymond Tregelles Gillett

James next married **Gerladine Wendy Koop**.

7-**Agnes Gillett**⁷ was born on 19 Sep 1911 in Oxford and died in Oct 1998 in Cambridge at age 87.

Agnes married **Leslie Jacob Wolff**⁷ on 23 Jul 1934 in London. Leslie was born on 28 Dec 1912 and died in 1980 in Bath, Somerset at age 68. They had three children: **Jenepher, Christopher Bancroft,** and **James Gerard**.

8-Jenepher Wolff

Jenepher married **Ray Neal Moseley**. They had two children: **John Patrick** and **Ann Elizabeth**.

9-John Patrick Moseley

9-Ann Elizabeth Moseley

8-Christopher Bancroft Wolff

Christopher married **Frances Hyde**. They had three children: **Roger Charles, Elizabeth Patricia F.,** and **Stephen Donald**.

9-Roger Charles Wolff

Roger married **Cynthia E. Matthews**. They had one son: **Max David P.**

10-Max David P. Wolff

9-Elizabeth Patricia F. Wolff

9-Stephen Donald Wolff

8-James Gerard Wolff

James married **Jennifer Leese**. They had two children: **Daniel Joseph** and **Esther Lucy**.

9-Daniel Joseph Wolff

9-Esther Lucy Wolff

Esther married **Andrew P. Gouldson**.

7-**Jenepher Gillett**⁷ was born on 3 Oct 1915 in Oxford and died on 2 Apr 1938 in Oxford at age 22.

7-Esther Gillett

Esther married **Eric George Curtis**^{7,138,176} on 2 Jan 1940 in Amersham, Buckinghamshire. Eric was born on 26 Jul 1916. They had four children: **Emma Richenda, John Duncan, Roger Tregelles,** and **Caroline Bancroft**.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Teacher at Bootham School in 1940-1948 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as a Staff of Earlham College in 1950 in Richmond, Indiana, USA.

8-Emma Richenda Curtis

Emma married **John Edwin Zuck**. They had three children: **Christopher John, Jermey Bancroft,** and **Jonathan Andrew**.

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9-**Christopher John Zuck**

9-**Jermey Bancroft Zuck**

9-**Jonathan Andrew Zuck**

8-**John Duncan Curtis**

John married **Diana Mullen**.

8-**Roger Tregelles Curtis**

8-**Caroline Bancroft Curtis**

7-**Dr. Roger Gillett**⁷ was born on 4 Apr 1922 in Oxford and died on 9 Aug 2010 at age 88.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Leighton Park School.
- He worked as a Consultant Histopathologist.
- He worked as a Chairman and Governor of The Retreat 1958 onwards in York, Yorkshire.

Roger married **Patricia Mary Midgley**, daughter of **Dr. Patrick Howath Midgley**^{16,108,116,212,213,214,215,216,217,218} and **Ruth Isabel Holdsworth**,^{16,108,116,212,213,214,215,216} They had four children: **Martin Bancroft, Patrick Haworth, Donald Satterthwaite, and Godfrey Tregelles**.

8-**Dr. Martin Bancroft Gillett**

8-**Patrick Haworth Gillett**

Patrick married **Susan E. Armstrong**. They had one daughter: **Sarah Louise**.

9-**Sarah Louise Gillett**

8-**Donald Satterthwaite Gillett**

Donald married **Nicolette C. Kay**. They had two children: **Samuel Leonard** and **Hannah Jenepher**.

9-**Samuel Leonard Gillett**

9-**Hannah Jenepher Gillett**

8-**Godfrey Tregelles Gillett**

Godfrey married **Elizabeth A. M. Vandenbenghe**.

6-**Edward Gillett**⁷ was born on 28 Apr 1872 in Neithrop, Banbury, Oxfordshire, died on 6 Jan 1962 in Snape, Suffolk at age 89, and was buried in FBG Leiston Cum Sizewell, Suffolk.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Poultry Farmer in 1901.

Edward married **Edith Martha Arnold**⁷ on 25 Oct 1916 in FMH Woodbridge. Edith was born on 9 Apr 1866 in Leiston, Suffolk, died on 10 Sep 1966 in Ipswich, Suffolk at age 100, and was buried in FBG Leiston Cum Sizewell, Suffolk. They had two children: **Arnold Henry** and **Edith Daphne**.

7-**Arnold Henry Gillett**⁷ was born on 4 Dec 1917 in Headington, Oxford, Oxfordshire, died on 3 Jun 2010 in Aldringham, Suffolk at age 92, and was buried on 10 Jun 2010 in FBG Leiston Cum Sizewell,

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Suffolk.

Arnold married **Mary Elizabeth Heisch**⁷ on 5 Sep 1953 in Essex. Mary was born on 15 Apr 1918 in Chertsey, Surrey, died on 24 Mar 1992 in Felixstowe, Suffolk at age 73, and was buried in St. John The Baptist, Snape, Suffolk. They had three children: **Mary Margaret**, **Edward Robert**, and **John Arnold**.

8-Mary Margaret Gillett

Mary married **Jonathan Robin Trenchard Dorey**. They had two children: **Peter John** and **Robert Hugh**.

9-Peter John Dorey

9-Robert Hugh Dorey

8-Edward Robert Gillett

Edward married **Sally J. Smith**. They had two children: **Sarah Jane** and **Robert James**.

9-Sarah Jane Gillett

9-Robert James Gillett

8-John Arnold Gillett

John married **Dawn Adams**. They had three children: **Nathan John**, **Rebecca Mary**, and **Evangeline Joy**.

9-Nathan John Gillett

9-Rebecca Mary Gillett

9-Evangeline Joy Gillett

7-**Edith Daphne Gillett**⁷ was born on 18 May 1923 in Snape, Suffolk, died on 8 Jun 2006 in Ipswich, Suffolk at age 83, and was buried in FBG Leiston Cum Sizewell, Suffolk.

Edith married **Franklin Herbert Friend**⁷ on 23 Nov 1946 in FMH Leiston. Franklin was born on 23 Mar 1919 in Little Horkesley, Essex, died on 27 Feb 2007 in Ipswich, Suffolk at age 87, and was buried in FBG Leiston Cum Sizewell, Suffolk. They had two children: **Edward Franklin** and **Yvonne Daphne**.

8-Edward Franklin Friend

Edward married **Sheila Smith**. They had one son: **Alex Edward Michael**.

9-Alex Edward Michael Friend

8-Yvonne Daphne Friend

Yvonne married **Neal Entwistle**.

6-**Richenda Gillett**^{7,97} was born on 7 Oct 1873 in Banbury, Oxfordshire and died on 3 Nov 1953 in Oxford at age 80.

Noted events in her life were:

- She worked as a Medical Student at the time of her marriage.

Richenda married **Joseph Rowntree Gillett**,^{7,97} son of **George Gillett**^{3,7,41,70,72,97,219,220} and **Hannah Elizabeth Rowntree**,^{3,7,41,97,219} on 11 Jun 1901 in Banbury, Oxfordshire. Joseph was born on 25 Mar 1874 in 314 Camden Road, London and died on 17 Jun 1940 in Hampstead, London at age 66. They had five children: **David**, **Beatrice**, **Margaret**, **Joseph Rowntree**, and **Catherine Richenda**.

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Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Bill Discount Broker.

7-**David Gillett**^{7,97} was born on 19 Mar 1904 in St. Pancras and died in 1974 in Waveney, Wangford, Suffolk at age 70.

David married **Ruth Mary Beloe**^{7,97} on 26 Oct 1940. Ruth was born on 14 Jan 1913 and died in Jun 1997 in Waveney, Wangford, Suffolk at age 84. They had four children: **David Rowntree, Jan Arthur, Joan Richenda, and Anthony Michael.**

8-**David Rowntree Gillett**

8-**Jan Arthur Gillett**

8-**Joan Richenda Gillett**

8-**Anthony Michael Gillett**

7-**Beatrice Gillett**^{7,97} was born on 15 Dec 1905 in St. Pancras and died in 1980 in Hitchin, Hertfordshire at age 75.

Beatrice married **James E. Rowe.**

7-**Margaret Gillett**^{7,97} was born on 21 Jan 1907 in Highgate and died on 11 Mar 1979 in Carlisle, Cumbria at age 72.

Margaret married **Stephen Hubert Murray**^{7,97} on 17 Jan 1931 in Hendon, Middlesex. Stephen was born on 19 Feb 1908 in Headington, Oxford, Oxfordshire and died in Jul 1994 in Carlisle, Cumbria at age 86. They had four children: **Gilbert, Alexander, Robert, and Hubert.**

8-**Gilbert Murray**^{7,97} was born on 30 Sep 1931 in Hampstead and died on 7 Jan 1963 at age 31.

8-**Alexander Murray**

8-**Robert Murray**

Robert married **Frances R. Bellamy Herdman.** They had two children: **Marika Louise** and **Bethany Aurea.**

9-**Marika Louise Murray**

9-**Bethany Aurea Murray**

8-**Hubert Murray**

Hubert married **Nancy Lynn Uhlar.** They had two children: **Rebecca** and **Jessica Cora.**

9-**Rebecca Murray**

9-**Jessica Cora Murray**

7-**Joseph Rowntree Gillett**^{7,97} was born on 17 Feb 1912 in Hampstead and died in 1973 in York, Yorkshire at age 61.

7-**Catherine Richenda Gillett**^{7,97} was born on 8 Jul 1914 in Hampstead and died in Apr 1990 in Merthyr Tydfil, Glamorgan, Wales at age 75.

6-**Sarah Mabel Gillett**⁷ was born on 28 Feb 1875 in Banbury, Oxfordshire and died on 6 Aug 1968 in Lexden, Essex at age 93.

Sarah married **Malcolm Warner**,⁷ son of **Charles Warner** and **Amy E.,** on 9 Oct 1906 in Banbury, Oxfordshire. Malcolm was born on 5 Jan 1874 in Finchley, London and died on 1 Jun 1928 in Birkenhead, Cheshire at age 54.

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Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Metal broker in Cheshire.

6-**Elizabeth Rachel Gillett**⁷ was born on 24 Jan 1865 in Banbury, Oxfordshire and died on 9 Jul 1954 in Banbury, Oxfordshire at age 89.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at The Mount School in Aug 1880-Jun 1883 in York, Yorkshire.
- She worked as a Mission worker in 1891.

5-**Gillett**⁷ was born in 1831 in Banbury, Oxfordshire and died in 1831 in Banbury, Oxfordshire.

5-**Gillett**⁷ was born on 27 Oct 1832 in Banbury, Oxfordshire and died on 27 Oct 1832 in Banbury, Oxfordshire.

5-**Alfred Gillett**⁷ was born on 4 Jan 1834 in Banbury, Oxfordshire and died on 28 Aug 1894 in St. George's, Hanover Square, London at age 60.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Banker in Banbury, Oxfordshire.

Alfred married **Frederica Isabella Augusta Lort-Phillips**,⁷ daughter of **Richard Ilbert Lort-Phillips** and **Frederica Isabella de Rutzen**, on 27 Apr 1871 in St. George's, Hanover Square, London. Frederica was born on 10 Nov 1851 in Eastbrook, Pembroke and died on 27 Apr 1919 in Conway, Wales at age 67. They had four children: **Frederick William Alfred Herbert**, **Frederica Florence Elizabeth**, **Florence Emmeline Phillipa**, and **Ethel Frances**.

6-**Maj. Frederick William Alfred Herbert Lort-Phillips**⁷ was born on 21 Mar 1872 in Eaton Square, London and died on 6 Feb 1944 at age 71.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Albion House, Kent.
- He worked as a Banker. Partner with Samuel Seymour Grubb, George Masterman Gillett & Joseph Rowntree Gillett.

Frederick married **Cecily Mary Wickham**⁷ on 14 Sep 1897 in St. George's, Hanover Square, London. Cecily was born on 27 Jan 1876 in Tichborne, Hampshire and died on 22 Nov 1961 at age 85. They had four children: **Richard Cyril**, **Eira Teresa**, **Raymond**, and **Dorothy**.

7-**Richard Cyril Gillett**⁷ was born on 12 Jul 1898 in Cricklade, Wiltshire and died on 15 Aug 1898 in Kensington.

7-**Eira Teresa Lort-Phillips**⁷ was born on 1 Feb 1901 in Cuckfield, Haywards Heath, West Sussex and died on 20 Apr 1966 in Devon at age 65.

Eira married **Thomas Aveling**.

7-**Capt. Raymond Lort-Phillips**⁷ was born on 25 Sep 1903 in Beaufort Gardens, Kensington, London and died in 1980 at age 77.

Raymond married **Violet Susan May St. Aubyn**,⁷ daughter of **Col. Guy Stewart St. Aubyn** and **Florita Catherine Grenfell**, on 17 Oct 1929 in St. George's, Hanover Square, London. Violet was born on 24 Feb 1909 in Paddington, London and died on 20 Dec 2009 in Jersey, Channel Islands at age 100. They had three children: **Guy Stewart**, **Peregrine Edward Grenfell**, and **Anthony Frederick Fitzroy**.

8-**Capt. Guy Stewart Lort-Phillips**⁷ was born on 21 Oct 1930 in Paddington, London and died in Sep 2009 at age 78.

Guy married **Norah Eugeneie De Jenner**, daughter of **Hans Rodolphe De Jenner**, on 21 Sep 1956 in Chelsea. Norah died in 1986. They had three children: **Piers Wickham**, **Giles Raymond**, and **Edward St. Aubyn**.

9-**Piers Wickham Lort-Phillips**

Piers married **Virginia Hodgson**. They had one son: **Harry Burgess**.

10-**Harry Burgess Lort-Phillips**

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9-Giles Raymond Lort-Phillips

Giles married **Katleen Miles**. They had two children: **Guy Dylan** and **Ben Raymond**.

10-Guy Dylan Lort-Phillips

10-Ben Raymond Lort-Phillips

9-Edward St. Aubyn Lort-Phillips

Guy next married **Jennifer Mary Darlow**.

8-**Peregrine Edward Grenfell Lort-Phillips**⁷ was born on 12 Mar 1937 in Suffolk and died in 1988 at age 51.

Peregrine married **Carolyn Diana Brougham Docker**, daughter of **George Andrew Brougham Docker** and **Diana Mary Whitwell**. They had two children: **Penelope Samantha** and **Venetia Nike**.

9-Penelope Samantha Lort-Phillips

Penelope married **Campbell Gordon**. They had two children: **Edward Peregrine Lysander** and **Alexander George Campbell**.

10-Edward Peregrine Lysander Gordon

10-Alexander George Campbell Gordon

9-Venetia Nike Lort-Phillips

Venetia married **Andrew Robin Eliot**. They had one daughter: **Tabitha Florence**.

10-Tabitha Florence Eliot

Peregrine next married **Lamorna Alice St. Aubyn**, daughter of **Dr. Roger St. Aubyn** and **Baronin Sophie Helene Von Puthon**.

8-Anthony Frederick Fitzroy Lort-Phillips

Anthony married **Saranne Frances B. Alexander**,⁷ daughter of **James Harold Alexander**, in 1971 in Chelsea. Saranne died in 1984.

Anthony next married **Melanie Susan Clara Dargie**. They had one daughter: **Michaela Susan Alexandra**.

9-Michaela Susan Alexandra Lort-Phillips

7-Dorothy Lort-Phillips

Dorothy married **Aubrey John Graham-Wigan**⁷ on 23 Jun 1931 in Basingstoke, Hampshire. Aubrey was born in 1897 in Malling and died on 1 Jan 1963 at age 66. They had two children: **Anne M.** and **John A. F.**

8-Anne M. Graham-Wigan

Anne married **Martin M. Brock**. They had two children: **Simon M. J.** and **Teresa M.**

9-Simon M. J. Brock

9-Teresa M. Brock

8-John A. F. Graham-Wigan

John married **Caroline A. Letts**. They had one son: **Neil Dominic**.

9-Neil Dominic Graham-Wigan

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6-**Frederica Florence Elizabeth Gillett**⁷ was born on 9 Oct 1873 in Eaton Square, London and died on 15 Jul 1957 at age 83.

Frederica married **Ynyr Richard Patrick Burges**⁷ on 23 Oct 1895 in Haverfordwest, Pembrokeshire, Wales. Ynyr was born on 15 Mar 1866 in Neath, Glamorgan, Wales and died on 20 Dec 1905 in Pembroke at age 39. They had five children: **Winifred Edith, Ynyr Alfred, Richard Ynyr, Margaret Elizabeth, and Patrick Claud.**

7-**Winifred Edith Burges**⁷ was born on 22 Oct 1896 in Chelsea and died on 9 Jan 1897 in Newton Abbot, Devon.

7-**Capt. Ynyr Alfred Burges**⁷ was born on 16 Apr 1900 in Chelsea.

Ynyr married **Christine Poer-O'shea**. They had three children: **Michael Ynyr, Susan Elizabeth, and Patricia Anne.**

8-**Michael Ynyr Burges**

Michael married **Christine Dorothe Fairfax-Ross**. They had four children: **Annabelle Katherine, Caroline Sarah, Jessica Mary, and Lucy Ross.**

9-**Annabelle Katherine Burges**

Annabelle married **Timothy W. G. Dennis**. They had two children: **Charlotte Sophia** and **Edward Michael G.**

10-**Charlotte Sophia Dennis**

10-**Edward Michael G. Dennis**

9-**Caroline Sarah Burges**

Caroline married **Michael A. Paul**.

9-**Jessica Mary Burges**

Jessica married **Christopher J. Shepherd-Barron**. They had four children: **Jake Digby, Thomas Alfred, Benjamin Michael, and Anna Jemima.**

10-**Jake Digby Shepherd-Barron**

10-**Thomas Alfred Shepherd-Barron**

10-**Benjamin Michael Shepherd-Barron**

10-**Anna Jemima Shepherd-Barron**

9-**Lucy Ross Burges**

Lucy married **Julius J. M. Schoonhoven**.

8-**Susan Elizabeth Burges**

Susan married **Peter John Croft Phillips**. They had one son: **John James.**

9-**John James Phillips**

8-**Patricia Anne Burges**

Patricia married **Simon Hugh Ludovic Porter**. They had two children: **Alison Joan** and **Rosemary Anne.**

9-**Alison Joan Porter**

Alison married **Stephen R. Sadler**.

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9-Rosemary Anne Porter

7-**Richard Ynyr Burges**⁷ was born on 21 Aug 1901 in Kensington.

Richard married **Beryl Joan Wells**⁷ on 27 Jul 1940 in Barnet, London. Beryl was born in 1907 in Wokingham, Berkshire and died on 29 Jan 1962 in Chichester, West Sussex at age 55. They had two children: **Dinah Rose** and **Elizabeth Jane**.

8-Dinah Rose Burges

8-Elizabeth Jane Burges

Richard next married **Margaret Valerie Alethe Lyon Burke**.

7-**Margaret Elizabeth Burges**⁷ was born on 18 Sep 1903 in Kensington and died on 29 Jun 1956 at age 52.

7-**Patrick Claud Burges-Lumsden**⁷ was born on 14 Jun 1905 in Kensington.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Mine Surveyor.

Patrick married **Margaret Fitzgerald Lumsden**⁷ on 17 Sep 1935. Margaret was born on 22 Mar 1905 in Sheppey. They had two children: **Christopher Hugo Niall** and **Sonagh Margaret**.

8-Christopher Hugo Niall Burges-Lumsden

Christopher married **Pernille Marianne Westergaard**. They had two children: **James Benedict** and **Marina Elizabeth**.

9-James Benedict Burges-Lumsden

9-Marina Elizabeth Burges-Lumsden

8-Sonagh Margaret Burges-Lumsden

Sonagh married **Alexander Jonas Brett Adsplin**.

6-**Florence Emmeline Phillipa Gillett**⁷ was born on 29 Oct 1874 in Knightsbridge, London and died on 9 Feb 1953 in Kensington at age 78.

6-**Ethel Frances Gillett**⁷ was born on 9 Aug 1881 in St. George's, Hanover Square, London.

5-**Elizabeth Gillett**^{7,57} was born on 11 Sep 1835 in Banbury, Oxfordshire and died on 30 Apr 1862 at age 26.

5-**George Gillett**^{3,7,41,70,72,97,219,220} was born on 14 Aug 1837 in Banbury, Oxfordshire and died on 27 Nov 1893 in Banbury, Oxfordshire (AM gives 24th) at age 56.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Bill Broker & Banker.
- He had a residence in Camden Road, Islington, London.
- He was educated at Grove House School in Tottenham, London.
- He worked as a Quaker Minister.

George married **Hannah Elizabeth Rowntree**,^{3,7,41,97,219} daughter of **Joseph Rowntree**^{3,8,39,96,97,128,219,220,221,222} and **Sarah Stephenson**,^{3,8,96,97,219,220,222} on 16 Oct 1867 in York, Yorkshire. Hannah was born on 29 Dec 1840 in York, Yorkshire and died on 13 Jan 1931 in Headington, Oxford, Oxfordshire at age 90. They had five children: **Julia Hannah**, **George Masterman**, **Sarah Martha Beatrice**, **Joseph Rowntree**, and **Arthur Bevington**.

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Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at The Mount School (Castlegate) in Aug 1852-Dec 1857 in York, Yorkshire.

6-**Julia Hannah Gillett**^{7,97} was born on 13 Dec 1868 in Banbury, Oxfordshire and died on 26 Aug 1883 in Skipton at age 14.

6-**Sir George Masterman Gillett**^{7,97} was born on 22 Sep 1870 in 314 Camden Road, London and died on 10 Aug 1939 in Hitchin, Hertfordshire at age 68.

General Notes: Originally elected as a Labour MP; was a junior Minister in the Labour Government. Announced his support of the Government and was appointed to the National Government. Re-elected in the 1931 general election; defeated standing for re-election in 1935.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a MP.
- He worked as a Served on the committee of the Friends' Ambulance Unit in 1914-1919.

George married **Edith Mary Dixon**,^{7,97} daughter of **Dr. John Dixon**^{35,192,223} and **Harriet Edith Gurney**,^{35,192,223} on 22 Sep 1898 in Westminster. Edith was born on 14 Feb 1877 in Hackney and died on 8 Sep 1959 in Hampstead at age 82. They had five children: **George, John Gurney, Ronald Brodie, Eustace Stephenson, and Edith Winifred.**

7-**Dr. George Gillett**^{7,16,97,188,193,215,224,225} was born on 20 Aug 1899 in Islington, London and died on 27 Dec 1982 in Hendon, Middlesex at age 83.

General Notes: GEORGE GILLETT (1913-17) is working with the F.W.V.R. in a hospital at Sermaize, expecting to be moved up towards Verdun. *Bootham magazine - December 1918* GILLETT.-On 27th December, 1982. Dr. George Gillet (1913-17) aged 83 years.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with MRCS LRCP.
- He was educated at Bootham School in 1913-1917 in York, Yorkshire.
- He was educated at University College, London.
- He was educated at University College Hospital, London in 1919-1924 in London.
- He worked as a Clerk of Friends' House PM in 1926-1927.
- He worked as a Physician.

George married **Winifred Clare Bryan**^{7,97,188,215,224} on 22 Jan 1927 in Chelsea. Winifred was born on 9 Jan 1900 in Southwark, London and died in Sep 1999 in Coventry, Warwickshire at age 99. They had two children: **Monica Gurney** and **George Bryan.**

Marriage Notes: GILLETT-BRYAN.-On January 22nd, George Gillett (1913-7), to W. Clare Bryan.

8-Monica Gurney Gillett

Monica married **Christopher Michael Southall.** They had one daughter: **Angela Monica.**

9-Angela Monica Southall

8-George Bryan Gillett

George married **Margaret Adeline Bottoms.** They had two children: **Susan Adeline** and **Jane Elizabeth.**

9-Susan Adeline Gillett

9-Jane Elizabeth Gillett

7-**John Gurney Gillett**^{7,16,97,133,193,226,227,228} was born on 15 Apr 1901 in Islington, London and died on 19 Jan 1936 in Hampstead, London at age 34.

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General Notes: GILLETT.-On January 19th, in London, John Gurney Gillett (1914-17), aged 34 years.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1914-1917 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as a Farmer in Dec 1918 in Worcestershire.
- He was educated at University of Reading in 1923-1924.
- He worked as a Farmer in Minster Lovell, Oxfordshire.

John married **Frances Mary Gedge**^{7,16,133,226,227} on 9 Mar 1929 in Hendon, Middlesex. Frances was born in 1905 in York, Yorkshire and died in 1968 at age 63. They had two children: **Joan Frances C.** and **Christopher John Gurney**.

Marriage Notes: GILLETT-GEDGE.-On March 9th, in London, John Gurney Gillett (1914-18), to Frances Mary Gedge, of York.

8-Joan Frances C. Gillett^{7,97,227} was born on 7 Jun 1931 in Headington, Oxford, Oxfordshire and died in 1931.

General Notes: GILLETT.— On 7th June, to Mollie and John Gurney Gillett, a daughter.

8-Christopher John Gurney Gillett

Christopher married **Joan Mary Howling**. They had three children: **John Gurney**, **Roger Harwood**, and **Tamsen Louise**.

9-John Gurney Gillett

9-Roger Harwood Gillett

9-Tamsen Louise Gillett

Tamsen married **Dominic Sebastian Lush**.

7-Ronald Brodie Gillett^{66,97,229} was born on 5 Aug 1902 in Islington, London and died on 23 Nov 1965 in Marylebone, London at age 63.

General Notes: Old Scholars will be very sorry to hear of the death of Ronald Brodie Gillett on 23rd November, 1965. Those who were at Bootham during the First World War and in the years immediately after it will remember the big part which the four Gillett brothers, the sons of Sir George M. and Lady Gillett, took in the life of the School. The brothers were all together at Bootham in the summer term of 1917. Ronald, the third brother, was lively and gay, prominent in games and with considerable skill in the workshop. He gained his 1st XI colours in football and was a good swimmer, and was a great help in the Lads' Club. He was a Reeve during his last two terms. On leaving School, he entered his family's banking business in the City of London, Gillett Brothers Discount Company, Limited, and in 1936 married Hjördis Arvidson, of Sweden. He became the Secretary of the Company and in 1946 was appointed Chairman, a position which he held till his death. From 1963 to 1965 he was also Chairman of the London Discount Market Association, the channel through which the discount market maintains official contact with the Bank of England. One of his colleagues in the Company, C. J. B. Chalkley (1927-30) tells us that Ronald Gillett was 'unquestionably one of the best known and most popular figures in the City of London, and one of its most respected leaders', and, in a warm tribute, The Times said of him: 'He was one of the Market's most senior figures, and perhaps its most original and articulate mind. His ideas were all his own, and bore the mark of careful and continual thought. They seemed to owe something to his dissenting, Quaker background, and so, too, did his exceptional kindness and gentleness of manner.'

A.N.P. (Anthony Pim)

GILLETT.— On 23rd November, 1965, suddenly in a Nursing Home, Ronald Brodie Gillett (1916-20), aged 63 years.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at The Downs School in 1912-1916 in Colwall, Malvern, Herefordshire.
- He was educated at Bootham School in 1916-1920 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as a Chairman and Secretary, Gillett Brothers Discount Company Ltd., Bankers in London.
- He worked as a Chairman of the London Discount Market Association in 1963-1965.

Ronald married **Hjördis Otilia Arvidson**^{7,97,229} on 19 Dec 1936 in Swedish Church, Copenhagen, Denmark. Hjördis was born on 1 Aug 1915 and died in 1965 at age 50.

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Marriage Notes: GILLETT-ARVIDSON.-On December 19th, at the Swedish Church, Copenhagen, Ronald B. Gillett (1916-20), to Hjørdis Arvidson.

7-**Eustace Stephenson Gillett**^{7,97,145,230} was born on 5 Dec 1903 in Islington, London and died on 18 Jan 1981 in Henley on Thames, Oxfordshire at age 77.

General Notes: GILLETT.-On 18th January, 1981, at his home in Henley, Eustace S. Gillett (1917-21), aged 77 years.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1917-1921 in York, Yorkshire.
- He was educated at Queen's College, Oxford in 1926-1929.
- He worked as a Solicitor in London.
- He worked as an Assistant Clerk, Golders Green PM in 1933.

Eustace married **Doreen Margaret Catleugh**. They had two children: **Belinda Jane** and **Jonathan Andrew Gurney**.

8-Belinda Jane Gillett

Belinda married **Hugh Crawford Fitzwilliams**. They had two children: **Polly Alexandra** and **Benjamin Hugh**.

9-Polly Alexandra Fitzwilliams

9-Benjamin Hugh Fitzwilliams

8-Jonathan Andrew Gurney Gillett

7-Edith Winifred Gillett

Edith married **Oliver Massingham**,^{7,16,97,176,231,232,233} son of **Henry William Massingham** and **Nellie Snowden**, on 26 May 1934 in FMH Jordans, Buckinghamshire. Oliver was born on 9 Nov 1900 in London and died on 31 Mar 1947 at age 46. They had four children: **Dorothy**, **Gillian May**, **Anne Tessa**, and **Jane Elizabeth**.

General Notes: Massingham.— On 31st March, Oliver Massingham (1912-17), aged 46 years.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1912-1917 in York, Yorkshire.
- He worked as an officer of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police.
- He resided at Vale House in 1935 in Vale of Health, Hampshire.

8-Dorothy Massingham

Dorothy married **Christopher Edward Alfred Sweatman**. They had three children: **Peter**, **Richard**, and **David**.

9-Peter Sweatman

9-Richard Sweatman

9-David Sweatman

8-Gillian May Massingham

Gillian married **John Edmund Maltby Lawson**. They had three children: **Simon John**, **Judith Ann**, and **Sarah Jane**.

9-Simon John Lawson

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9-Judith Ann Lawson

9-Sarah Jane Lawson

8-Anne Tessa Massingham

Anne married **Claus Peter Karl Hans Overdyck**. They had two children: **Kim Adele** and **Caroline Anne**.

9-Kim Adele Overdyck

9-Caroline Anne Overdyck

8-Jane Elizabeth Massingham

6-Sarah Martha Beatrice Gillett^{7,97} was born on 20 Jul 1872 in 314 Camden Road, London, died on 6 Oct 1883 in York, Yorkshire at age 11, and was buried on 10 Oct 1883.

6-Joseph Rowntree Gillett^{7,97} was born on 25 Mar 1874 in 314 Camden Road, London and died on 17 Jun 1940 in Hampstead, London at age 66.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Bill Discount Broker.

7-David Gillett^{7,97} was born on 19 Mar 1904 in St. Pancras and died in 1974 in Waveney, Wangford, Suffolk at age 70.

8-David Rowntree Gillett

8-Jan Arthur Gillett

8-Joan Richenda Gillett

8-Anthony Michael Gillett

7-Beatrice Gillett^{7,97} was born on 15 Dec 1905 in St. Pancras and died in 1980 in Hitchin, Hertfordshire at age 75.

7-Margaret Gillett^{7,97} was born on 21 Jan 1907 in Highgate and died on 11 Mar 1979 in Carlisle, Cumbria at age 72.

8-Gilbert Murray^{7,97} was born on 30 Sep 1931 in Hampstead and died on 7 Jan 1963 at age 31.

8-Alexander Murray

8-Robert Murray

9-Marika Louise Murray

9-Bethany Aurea Murray

8-Hubert Murray

9-Rebecca Murray

9-Jessica Cora Murray

7-Joseph Rowntree Gillett^{7,97} was born on 17 Feb 1912 in Hampstead and died in 1973 in York, Yorkshire at age 61.

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7-**Catherine Richenda Gillett**^{7,97} was born on 8 Jul 1914 in Hampstead and died in Apr 1990 in Merthyr Tydfil, Glamorgan, Wales at age 75.

6-**Arthur Bevington Gillett**^{3,7,41,97} was born on 16 Dec 1875 in 314 Camden Road, London and died on 4 Jun 1954 in Street, Somerset at age 78.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Director of Barclays Bank.
- He had a residence in 102 Banbury Road, Oxford, Oxfordshire.

Arthur married **Margaret Clark**,^{3,7,41,97} daughter of **William Stephens Clark**^{3,8,16,41,43,45,199} and **Helen Priestman Bright**,^{3,8,16,41,45,199} on 11 May 1909 in FMH Street, Somerset. Margaret was born on 10 Feb 1878 in Greenbank, Street, Somerset and died on 24 Jan 1962 in Street, Somerset at age 83. They had four children: **Jan Bevington**, **Anthony Walter**, **Arthur Nicholas**, and **Helen Bright**.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at Newnham College, Cambridge.

7-**Jan Bevington Gillett**^{7,41,97} was born on 28 May 1911 in 102 Banbury Road, Headington, Oxford, Oxfordshire and died on 17 Mar 1995 in Kew, London at age 83.

General Notes: Jan Gillett was an outstanding personality in tropical African botany for over 60 years; he was a man of knowledge, curiosity, charm and unfailing kindness.

His father's family were bankers in Oxford and Banbury, his mother's shoe manufacturers in Street, Somerset. On both sides he was descended from Quaker businessmen and industrialists, with strong liberal and sometimes radical political views. His mother (a granddaughter of the Quaker statesman John Bright) was an ardent pro-Boer and accompanied Emily Hobhouse to South Africa in 1903 to undertake relief work among Boer families, which led to her meeting General Jan Smuts and his wife, who became lifelong friends. It was after Smuts that Jan was named.

He was educated at the Dragon School, in Oxford, and at Leighton Park School, Reading. He won a scholarship to King's College, Cambridge, in 1929, and took First Class honours in both parts of the Natural Sciences Tripos. After obtaining a diploma in Education at London University he taught at the Warehousemen & Clerks School, Cheadle Hulme, until he joined the Army in 1941.

Influenced by his mother, herself a keen amateur botanist, Jan Gillett was also inspired by his biology master at Leighton Park, F.W. Flattely (co-author of *The Biology of the Seashore*, 1922). In 1928 he joined John Hutchinson, a distinguished Kew botanist, on a collecting tour in South Africa. After assisting Hutchinson at Kew for a few weeks with the Flora of West Tropical Africa and a visit to Munich to learn German (when he also saw something of Nazism) he returned to South Africa in mid-1929. There, with his parents, Hutchinson and Smuts, he undertook a collecting expedition into the Rhodesias, as far north as Lake Tanganyika. The botanical results were substantial and fully described in Hutchinson's *A Botanist in Southern Africa* (1946).

In 1932, while still at Cambridge, he was invited to join the British Somaliland / Ethiopia Boundary Commission and made a fine collection of plants, accompanied by an astute survey of the vegetation, published in the *Kew Bulletin* for 1941.

Despite his keen interest in botany and blandishments from the Director of Kew, Gillett's political interests were keener still. He took up schoolmastering, feeling that research would take up more time than he felt able to spare from radical politics. He had joined the Communist Party in 1932 and remained a member until 1946, though his sympathy for its policies had virtually vanished in 1939.

Conscripted in 1941, he was commissioned into the Royal Armoured Corps and went to India in 1942 in the Reconnaissance Regiment of the 2nd (British) Division. After participating in the relief of Imphal and Kohima he transferred to "V" Force, a cadre of intelligence officers operating in the jungle and between the lines. He was mentioned in despatches and recommended for the MC. He returned to England after the Japanese surrender at the end of 1945.

In 1946, thanks to Smuts's influence at the Foreign Office, he was appointed botanist to the Iraq Department of Agriculture. He was based at the department's research station at Abu Ghraib, near Baghdad. He made extensive collections in remote parts of the country which later proved of great value for work done at Kew on the Flora of Iraq. He had married Gertrude Spector in 1937 and had three sons and a daughter. His wife being Jewish they found life in Iraq increasingly uncomfortable after the Arab-Israeli war of 1948 and in 1949 he returned to England to take up a job with the Colonial Office as a Principal Scientific Officer at Kew on the newly instigated Flora of Tropical East Africa.

He worked under Edgar Milne-Redhead and as the senior member of the research team he undertook revisionary work for a large part of the legumes, including not only the largest and most complex genera, but laying the foundation of a new classification for the subfamily of peaflowers, now universally accepted. He also did important work on indigo plants. His theoretical concepts, notably the effects of pest pressure as a factor in natural selection, were wide-ranging and well ahead of his time.

In 1952-53, he made an expedition to the hitherto little-known parts of the Kenya-Ethiopia border on a further Boundary Commission. He brought back not only an outstanding collection of plants, with numerous species new to science, but also the highest commendation of R.G. Turnbull, a future Governor of Tanganyika, with special interests in the development of arid zones. In 1963 he accompanied an ecological survey mission of Jordan at the invitation of King Hussein; this was organised by the ornithologist Guy Mountfort and the party included Sir Julian Huxley, Max Nicholson and the bird

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photographer Eric Hosking. The mission's achievements are racily described in Mountfort's Portrait of a Desert (1965).

In 1959 Gillett had been nominated as Botanist in Charge of the East African Herbarium, but the colonial authorities vetoed the appointment of an ex- Communist to a government job just as Kenya was coming out of the Mau Mau emergency. There were other small incidents to ruffle the authorities, such as his locally publicised arrest in Richmond Park in 1959, proving the ponds were safe to skate on in winter. However, Kenya became independent in 1963 and Bernard Verdcourt, successively Assistant Botanist and then Botanist in Charge since 1959, made way for him, shortly after appointing Christine Kabuye as his Assistant.

The next 20 years until 1971 were spent in East Africa as Botanist in Charge of the Herbarium, and thereafter adviser to his successor Christine Kabuye. He provided a major impetus to the Herbarium, seeing its transfer from the East African High Commission to the National Museums of Kenya, maintaining the high standards of the largest herbarium in tropical Africa, and training up a new generation of local botanists. It was a matter of great satisfaction to him that he was able to arrange for Christine Kabuye's nomination, as a Ugandan national, to what was now a Kenya government appointment.

Freed of administrative duties, and with support from the Overseas Development Administration, Gillett began to spend more time in the field, taking up an interest in commiphoras (the source of myrrh) in Kenya and undertaking surveys in Somalia. He made many contributions in a self-effacing way to the compilation of books on local plants and with the production of the Flora of Tropical East Africa. Overtaxed however by the demands put on him and with failing health he returned to England in 1984.

He was at once, somewhat to his family's concern, a daily visitor to Kew Gardens, becoming a much-loved father-figure of African botany in the Herbarium. He became a regular attender of the Friends meeting in Isleworth, and an elder. With the change of altitude his health improved and in 1989 he was given a new lease of life with a by-pass operation. He completed his landmark account of the commiphoras for the Flora of Tropical East Africa in 1991 and continued his studies of arid-land plants for the new Flora of Somalia. He helped his friend the distinguished settler leader Sir Michael Blundell with his Guide to the Wild Flowers of East Africa and also advised African protgs on their books.

In his last years he turned more to ideas about the role of diet, fire, speech and religion to their origins and spread of human culture and customs. His astuteness, his extraordinary breadth of reading left him unrivalled in any argument he liked to raise, even as he struggled with problems of a failing memory. His faith as a Quaker, his love of life and his social concern contributed greatly to the richness of Kew and even in his last days at home he rallied to talk to his botanical friends with all his old enthusiasm.

Roger Polhill

Jan Bevington Gillett, botanist: born 28 May 1911; married 1937 Gertrude Spector (three sons, one daughter); died Kew 17 March 1995.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Botanist in Royal Botanical Gardens, Kew.

Jan married **Gertrude Spector**,^{7,97} daughter of **Simon Spector** and **Sarah Lapsker**, on 30 Oct 1937 in Stepney, London. Gertrude was born on 24 May 1916 in London and died in Mar 2005 in Barnes Hospital, Barnes, London at age 88. They had four children: **Simon**, **Rachel Richenda**, **Mathew**, and **Peter Bevington**.

8-Simon Gillett

Simon married **Alice Boycott**. They had two children: **Mary Louisa** and **Margaret Atalanta**.

9-Mary Louisa Gillett

9-Margaret Atalanta Gillett

8-Rachel Richenda Gillett

Rachel married **Norman David Fruchter**. They had two children: **Lev Jacob** and **Chenda Sarah**.

9-Lev Jacob Fruchter

9-Chenda Sarah Fruchter

8-Mathew Gillett

Mathew married **Mary Patricia Heaphy**.

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8-Peter Bevington Gillett

7-**Anthony Walter Gillett**^{7,41,97} was born on 16 Jul 1912 in 102 Banbury Road, Headington, Oxford, Oxfordshire and died on 3 Dec 1992 in London at age 80.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as an Engineer.

Anthony married **Mary Diana Maltby**,⁹⁷ daughter of **Samuel Edwin Maltby**^{44,234} and **Marjorie Cooper**,⁴⁴ on 7 Dec 1935 in Blackburn, Lancashire. Mary was born on 27 Feb 1916 in Clifton, Bristol, Gloucestershire and died on 27 Aug 2003 in Cambridge at age 87. They had three children: **Anna Marjorie**, **Charles Thomas**, and **Jan**.

8-Anna Marjorie Gillett

8-**Charles Thomas Gillett**^{7,97} was born on 20 Feb 1942 in Morecambe, Lancashire and died on 17 Mar 2010 at age 68.

General Notes: Initially making his mark as the author of *The Sound of the City* (1970), which has been described as "the first comprehensive history of rock and roll", Gillett soon diversified into other areas of the music business. Through the record label and publishing company Oval Music, which he co-founded with Gordon Nelki in the mid-1970s, he was instrumental in launching the careers of acts such as Ian Dury, Lene Lovich and Paul Hardcastle.

He also realised his teenage dream of becoming a radio DJ, in a somewhat stop-start career which began and ended on BBC radio. At first his series of highly influential programmes concentrated principally on American roots and popular music; but from the mid-1980s until shortly before his death he turned his enthusiasm more and more towards world music.

Always forthright in his opinions, Gillett was a democratic on-air host, perhaps most fondly remembered in recent years for "radio ping-pong" sessions, in which guests would perform and/or alternate their records of choice in response to his.

He documented his own "discoveries" and listener favourites in a series of 10 double-CD compilations, beginning with *World 2000* and ending with *Otro Mundo* in 2009. To the end he maintained his sincerity and a passion for music often ignored by mainstream media, stating in the sleeve notes for the final compilation: "It is a scandal that all these artists are so completely and utterly sidelined and ignored by people who should know better... What else do these artists have to do, for their work to be rightfully acknowledged?"

In person, Gillett was warm, softly-spoken and generous with his time and advice, acting as a mentor to many young writers and musicians. In an interview with *fRoots* magazine in 2001 he explained how he had made his way in so ruthless a business: "When people ask me how do you get started in this game, it's my advice that you have to somehow see something that nobody's doing that you could uniquely do. That's almost my only philosophy."

Although most were charmed by his easy-going manner and openness, Gillett could be a shrewd businessman, as the British musician Jah Wobble (who was briefly signed to Oval) wryly noted in his recent book *Memoirs Of A Geezer*. Gillett would, however, have been the first to admit that he lacked the necessary ruthlessness to flourish as a businessman in a notoriously cut-throat environment. Charles Thomas Gillett was born on February 20 1942 at Morecambe, Lancashire. He first developed an interest in music as a teenager while growing up in Stockton-on-Tees. He took a degree in Economics at Cambridge, and in 1964 married Buffy Chessum, whom he had met some years earlier. They then moved to the United States, where Gillett attended New York's Columbia University and studied for an MA in popular music – this would eventually form the basis of *The Sound Of The City*.

On returning to England in 1966, he taught social studies and film-making at Kingsway College in London and in 1968 began writing a column in *Record Mirror*, after convincing the editor that the magazine was failing to cater for its fans of vintage rock and roll.

The praise which greeted *The Sound Of The City* transformed his fortunes, and he was soon being invited to appear on British television as a "music expert" and to make a series of artist profiles; but he turned down an offer to present *The Old Grey Whistle Test* in favour of a job with BBC Radio London, another position offered to him after he had identified a gap in their market.

From 1972 to 1978 he presented the show *Honky Tonk*, championing the latest releases by independent labels. He was the first to play demos by then unknown acts such as Elvis Costello and Dire Straits, effectively breaking the latter's first record, *Sultans of Swing*, through airplay.

Approached by Ian Dury to manage his band *Kilburn & The High Roads* through Oval, Gillett's initial attempts at landing them a deal foundered – although Gillett later benefited from publishing royalties when Dury's career took off at the end of the decade. Similar successes included Lene Lovich's *Lucky Number* and Paul Hardcastle's *19*.

Gillett published his second book, *Making Tracks: Atlantic Records and the Making of a Multi-billion-dollar Industry*, in 1974, but it was radio that eventually became his vocation.

In 1980 he started DJing on London's Capital Radio. He was fired three years later, but was reinstated after overwhelming public demand, and his new show, *A Foreign Affair*, signalled the beginning of his interest in what would soon be termed world music.

Gillett later credited the Senegalese artist Youssou N'Dour's debut show in Britain in 1984 as the main catalyst for this shift in direction.

He left Capital in 1990, and received a Sony Gold lifetime achievement award the following year. In 1995 he returned to work for BBC Radio, presenting a weekly round-up on the BBC World Service

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and a succession of two-hour shows on BBC London 94.9 FM (initially GLR).

Gillett was forced to retire from this in 2006 after contracting Churg-Strauss syndrome, a rare auto-immune disorder.

After treatment, he returned to broadcasting in a much reduced capacity with the weekly half-hour show Charlie Gillett's World of Music, and from mid-2007 as one of three DJs alternately hosting the weekly World On 3 show. However, ill-health finally curtailed his broadcasts two months ago.

Charlie Gillett died in London on March 17. His wife and three children survive him.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a British radio presenter, musicologist and writer.

Charles married **Buffy Chessum**. They had three children: **Suzy, Jody, and Ivan**.

9-**Suzy Gillett**

9-**Jody Gillett**

9-**Ivan Gillett**

8-**Jan Gillett**

Anthony next married **Jean Margaret Turner**, daughter of **Laurence Beddome Turner** and **Katharine Mary Morgan**. They had two children: **Timothy Laurence** and **Harriett Jane**.

8-**Timothy Laurence Gillett**

8-**Harriett Jane Gillett**

7-**Arthur Nicholas Gillett**^{7,97} was born on 14 Dec 1914 in 102 Banbury Road, Headington, Oxford, Oxfordshire and died on 23 Jun 2008 at age 93.

General Notes: Nicholas Gillett who died on 23 June was a worthy recipient of the International Gandhi Peace Award in 1999. In his acceptance speech he spoke about caterpillars, horse flies and bees to illustrate the need for fresh approaches to peace building. Had he been less self-effacing he might have spoken of his own background and achievements.

He was born into a Quaker family in 1915. His great grandfather on his mother's side was the radical, anti-war MP, John Bright. His mother went to South Africa in the aftermath of the Boer War to teach Boer women, confined in concentration camps set up by the British, to spin and weave wool and generate a small income. Later on in 1931 his mother was introduced to Gandhi but as it was Gandhi's day for not speaking, they communed in silence.

Nicholas's father owned and ran a private bank. His uncle was Joseph Rowntree, founder of the charities from which many peace organisations have benefited. Both parents were active supporters of the League of Nations, set up after the First World War.

Nicholas went to the Quaker school, Leighton Park, and then to Oxford where he studied philosophy, politics and economics. One of his first friends there, Chandra Mal, had worked for Gandhi as a secretary and was a committed devotee. During the vacations, Nicholas went to a variety of work camps in this country and overseas. He helped Corder Catchpool in Berlin in his work for reconciliation and was appalled as he watched Hitler address a youth rally in Innsbruck.

At a work camp in Salford, Manchester, he met Ruth Cadbury and they were married in 1938. Ruth's grandfather was George Cadbury who had established the Bournville chocolate factory and estate for the workers. Her parents, Henry and Lucy Cadbury, were wardens of the Quaker Study Centre, Woodbrooke, where Gandhi stayed in 1931.

After initial training to be a teacher of physical education, Nicholas grew increasingly interested in educational psychology. He, Ruth and their growing family of six children managed two farms during the Second World War and from 1945 onwards Nicholas lectured at Teacher Training Colleges at Saltley, Cheltenham and Dudley while studying for an MA in education at Birmingham University in his spare time. He helped to found the first Parent-Teacher Associations in the country and served UNESCO in the Philippines, Thailand and Iran. The family moved to Bristol in 1965 where Nicholas lectured at the University and gave generously of his time and money to various peace and development groups and especially the UNA.

During this time, Nicholas withheld the part of his tax payment which would have gone to the Ministry of Defence and he and Ruth had their more valuable furniture and other possessions seized by bailiffs

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to make up the deficit. Some of the property was bought at auction by members of the family and returned to them but it showed their commitment to the pacifist cause.

From 1975 to 1977 Nicholas and Ruth represented Quaker Peace and Service in Northern Ireland where they supported the Peace People led by Mairead Corrigan, Betty Williams and Ciaran McKeown. Ruth took the lead in setting up the means by which disaffected paramilitary men from both sides could disengage from their units, adopt new identities and live peaceful and useful lives.

Three years after their return to Bristol from Belfast, Nicholas and Ruth went off to serve QPS again in the Quaker UN office in Geneva. Ruth died suddenly two months after she and Nicholas had celebrated their golden wedding anniversary in Bristol in 1988.

Nicholas practised farming in his early adult life and he spent his last years helping his second wife, Mehr Fardoonji, manage an organic market garden near Chester. Mehr is a Parsee and had walked with Vinoba Bhave in the Land-Gift Movement. Nicholas continued to write and speak about peace, development and education.

Nicholas's parents had been close friends with Jan Christian Smuts who had been responsible for imprisoning Gandhi in South Africa. Each man had considerable respect for the other and while in prison, Gandhi made a pair of sandals as a present for Smuts. Later, Smuts gave them to Nicholas's mother. Nicholas found them in a cupboard one day and continued to wear them until they were worn out. He, more than most people, walked in the footsteps of Gandhi.

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Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Leighton Park.
- He was educated at Carnegie Physical Training College.
- He worked as a Peace worker.
- He was awarded with International Gandhi Peace Award in 1999.

Arthur married **Ruth Candia Cadbury**,^{7,97} daughter of **Henry Tylor Cadbury** and **Lucy Bellows**, on 20 Apr 1938 in Jordans. Ruth was born on 2 Oct 1915 in London and died in 1988 at age 73. They had six children: **David Bright**, **Martin Bevis**, **Jean Elizabeth**, **Katharine Jane**, **Candia Margaret**, and **Jonathan Nicholas**.

Noted events in her life were:

- She worked as a Peace worker.

8-David Bright Gillett

David married **Marion B. Groom**. They had two children: **Nathan Peter** and **Benjamin James**.

9-Nathan Peter Gillett

9-Benjamin James Gillett

8-Martin Bevis Gillett

8-Jean Elizabeth Gillett

Jean married **Michael Barlow**.

8-Katharine Jane Gillett

Katharine married **Malcolm Winter**.

8-Candia Margaret Gillett

Candia married **Philip Carolan**.

8-Jonathan Nicholas Gillett

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Arthur next married **Mehr Fardoonji**.

7-**Helen Bright Gillett**^{7,97} was born on 19 Mar 1917 in 102 Banbury Road, Headington, Oxford, Oxfordshire.

Helen married **Arthur Hugh Gordon**,⁷ son of **Capt. Cosmo Alexander Gordon Younger of Ellen** and **Frances Gertrude Graham**, on 27 Sep 1941 in Oxford. Arthur was born on 19 Apr 1916 in London. They had five children: **Jenephor**, **Margaret Penelope**, **Richard Ian Robert**, **Susan**, and **Alexander William**.

8-**Jenephor Gordon**

8-**Margaret Penelope Gordon**

8-**Richard Ian Robert Gordon**

8-**Susan Gordon**⁷ was born on 30 Jan 1953 in Mill Hill, London and died on 25 Feb 1953 in Mill Hill, London.

8-**Alexander William Gordon**

5-**William Gillett**⁷ was born on 28 Jan 1839 in Banbury, Oxfordshire and died on 5 Dec 1925 in St. George's, Hanover Square, London at age 86.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Chairman of the Bachelor's Club, 1881-84.

5-**Catherine Gillett**^{7,235} was born on 31 Aug 1840 in Banbury, Oxfordshire and died on 26 May 1914 in Banbury, Oxfordshire at age 73.

Noted events in her life were:

- She worked as a Quaker Elder.

5-**Isabella Gillett**⁶ was born on 4 Feb 1843 in Banbury, Oxfordshire, died on 10 Sep 1843 in Banbury, Oxfordshire, and was buried on 17 Sep 1843.

4-**George Gibbins**¹ was born on 28 Mar 1799 and died on 19 Apr 1843 at age 44.

George married **Ann Catherine Thompson**¹ on 15 Aug 1829 in Aston, Birmingham, Warwickshire. Ann was born on 29 Apr 1806 and died on 29 May 1857 at age 51. They had two children: **George Leonard** and **Anne Catherine**.

5-**George Leonard Gibbins** was born on 9 Oct 1830 in Birmingham, Warwickshire.

George married **Fanny Lane**, daughter of **William Lane**. They had two children: **Augustus Edward** and **Charles Leonard**.

6-**Augustus Edward Gibbins** was born on 15 Jun 1858 in Birmingham, Warwickshire, was christened on 13 Oct 1858 in Aston, Birmingham, Warwickshire, and died in 1867 in Aston, Birmingham, Warwickshire at age 9.

6-**Charles Leonard Gibbins** was born on 17 Jun 1857 in Birmingham, Warwickshire and was christened on 30 Apr 1858 in St. George's, Birmingham, Warwickshire.

5-**Anne Catherine Gibbins** was born on 23 Dec 1831 in Birmingham, Warwickshire.

Anne married **Thomas Bevington**, son of **Alfred Bevington** and **Mary Anne Wheeler**, on 7 May 1859 in Kings Norton, Birmingham, Warwickshire. Thomas was born on 7 May 1832 and died in 1881 in Tooting, London at age 49. They had one son: **Richard George**.

6-**Richard George Bevington** was born on 30 Jan 1860 and died on 23 Jul 1915 in Johannesburg, Transvaal, South Africa at age 55.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with IMM.

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- He worked as a Metallurgist and Gold Mill Manager. Illage Main Reef Gold Mining Co. In Johannesburg, South Africa.
- He worked as a Member of the Chemical, Metallurgical and Mining Society of South Africa in Johannesburg, South Africa.

Richard married **Alice Gertrude Taylor**, daughter of **Rev. Alfred Lee Taylor** and **Annie Bevington**, in Feb 1889 in Cape Town, South Africa. Alice was born in 1861 in Ruabon, Denbighshire, Wales and died in 1925 in Johannesburg, Transvaal, South Africa at age 64. They had one daughter: **Dorothy Gertrude**.

7-**Dorothy Gertrude Bevington** was born on 22 Mar 1890.

Dorothy married **Herzel Allen Adams**.

4-**Sarah Gibbins**¹ was born on 15 Jun 1800 and died on 13 Apr 1801.

4-**Gibbins**¹ was born on 1 Dec 1802 and died on 1 Dec 1802 in Still-born.

4-**Sophia Gibbins**¹ was born on 10 Dec 1804 and died on 2 Aug 1806 at age 1.

4-**Henry Gibbins**¹ was born on 12 Sep 1806 and died on 13 Dec 1806.

3-**Susannah Gibbins**¹ was born in 1757 and died on 15 Jun 1788 at age 31.

Susannah married **Cornelius Hands**, son of **William Hands** and **Mary**. They had two children: **William** and **Mary**.

4-**William Hands** was born in 1783 in Birmingham, Warwickshire, died on 15 Oct 1783 in Birmingham, Warwickshire, and was buried on 17 Oct 1783 in FBG Birmingham.

4-**Mary Hands** was born on 22 Apr 1785 in Birmingham, Warwickshire, died on 16 Feb 1787 in Birmingham, Warwickshire at age 1, and was buried on 19 Feb 1787 in FBG Birmingham.

Thomas next married **Mary Winter**,¹ daughter of **Henry Winter** and **Jane**, on 18 Dec 1764 in Stourbridge, Worcestershire. Mary was born on 17 Apr 1728 in Stourbridge, Worcestershire and died in 1788 at age 60. They had four children: **Thomas**, **Henry**, **Phoebe**, and **Mary**.

3-**Thomas Gibbins**¹ was born on 22 Oct 1765 and died in 1782 in Manchester. Drowned whilst swimming at age 17.

3-**Henry Gibbins**¹ was born on 10 Jan 1768.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a "Married-out, near Birmingham."

Henry married **Mary**.

3-**Phoebe Gibbins**¹ was born on 13 Jan 1770 and died on 27 Apr 1773 at age 3.

3-**Mary Gibbins**¹ was born on 27 Jun 1772 and died on 26 Apr 1773.

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