

GENEALOGY OF THE WELDING FAMILY



The Descendants of Job Welding Volume One

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PREFACE

I have always felt it important, as well as interesting, to learn about our ancestors and lineage. It not only increases the knowledge of one's family and where we came from, but also can bring many surprises with it. Forebears sometimes spring up in what seem to be the most unlikely places.

Much of the information put together in this work has been gleaned by me through the Ancestry.com, Lancashire Births Marriages & Deaths, and LDS FamilySearch websites, together with information from other relatives and recollections of conversations with my parents and with other family before I left England. However a huge and valuable amount of information has come from other people researching the family, and they must receive much credit for their contributions. In no particular order, my sincere thanks to Jean Griffiths, John Goodwin,

It was not possible to include a diagrammatic Family Tree Chart within this Genealogy, as it would be fragmented over many pages. However at the end of Part One of the document will be found a Descendants Chart illustrating the various branches of the family, together with an Index of Names that will assist in finding the entry for each family member. A small Tree Chart will be found at the beginning of each family section.

It is inevitable in a work like this that errors of omission and commission, and perhaps even principle, will occur. Where possible I have identified definite provenance for some of the information; in other cases the law of probability has been applied; in yet other cases educated guesswork has been used. When all else has failed, I have accepted information given to me on its face value and in good faith. If the reader disagrees with anything that appears, or can contribute further to the fund of knowledge, please, please let me know.

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PART ONE - THE FIRST DESCENDANCY



Welding is a name of ancient Norman origin. It arrived in England with the Norman Conquest of 1066. The original Welding family lived in Northamptonshire, where they were seated as Lords of the Manor at Weldon. They are conjecturally descended from Robert de Bucy, a Norman Baron who acquired Weldon, an ancient Roman villa, from King William as a reward for his assistance at the Battle of Hastings.

The Welding family, so far as I have been able to trace them back, have very much been centred on that part of central Lancashire around the cities of Wigan and Ormskirk. Indeed, in the first few generations of this Genealogy there is not one Welding born outside Lancashire, and the vast majority of them were born in the area mentioned. As will be seen later, the names Welding and Wilding are sometimes interchangeable, with a person born Welding sometimes becoming a Wilding in later records. The early generations of Weldings/Wildings have been very much of low social status, predominantly employed in the coal and stone quarrying industries located around the cities mentioned.



The first ancestor dealt with in this genealogy was one Job Welding, born in the little town of Windle, just outside the larger town of St Helens, and it is from this humble place that the modern Welding clan has sprung.

The most commonly accepted account of the origin of the name "Windle" is "*windy hill*", a rise of land buffeted by the winds blowing from the west off the North Irish Sea. The town of Windle was first recognized as a settlement in approximately 100 AD. There was a fort not far away at Newton on the Roman Road from Warrington to Wigan. In about 570 AD, an Anglican settlement at Billinge was started. Billinge means 'Place where family of BYLLA settled'. Circa 642 AD, the death of King Oswald of Northumbria in battle is recorded to have occurred at Winwick near Newton. In 1086 the Domesday Survey was done, the first written record of most local areas. The land consisting of the "Township of Windle" began as "Manor Windle" and is first recorded in legal documents in approximately 1200.



Nowadays Windle is virtually a suburb of the larger town of St Helens, lying just to the north east of it. Windle Hall was the ancestral home of the Pilkington family, famous as pioneers of glass making and

whose name is still synonymous with glass products. This area was once a part of Lancashire County, however with the rearrangement of counties in the 1980's it became a part of Merseyside County. The industries of the area are primarily collieries and chemical works. Glass foundries are the largest single industry with Pilkington Glass representing one the largest and oldest in the St. Helens area.

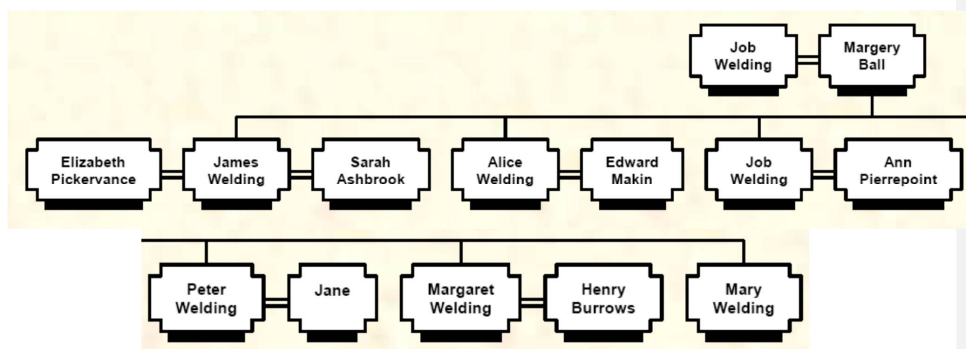
Several of the Welding family were baptised in Rainford, a village just to the north of Windle, and presumably this was where the family attended church at All Saints.



All Saints, Rainsford



Map of St Helens Area Showing the Various Towns and Villages Associated With The Welding Family



Job Welding

Job was born in Windle, Lancashire, ca 1760.

He married *Margery Ball* on 1 November 1784 in St Mary the Virgin Church, Prescott, Lancashire. Prescott lies between St Helens and Liverpool, while Windle is a short distance to the north east of Prescott. Nothing is known of Margery.

There are two possible death dates for Job. One is in the third quarter of 1840 at Prescott (reference Vol. 20 Page 671); the other is in the third quarter of 1845 at Prescott (reference Vol. 20 Page 519).

Job and Margery had six known children:

- Alice Welding, b 1792
- Job Welding, b. 1794
- Mary Welding, b. 1798
- Peter Welding, b. 1800
- James Welding, b. 1804
- Margaret Welding, b. 1806

However, a child Elizabeth (no surname given) appears in the Christening Records as being born on 23 July 1793 and christened on 18 August 1793 at Walton On The Hill, Liverpool, Lancashire, with the mother's name being Margery Ball. Walton is in Liverpool, whereas Windle is north of St Helens, so the two places are a little distance apart. One can only conjecture at this point as to whether this Elizabeth was in fact another child of the Job and Margery under notice.

Alice Welding

Alice was born on 13 February 1792 in Windle, the first child of Job and Margery Welding. She was baptised on 18 March of that year at All Saints Church, Rainford, Lancashire.

Evidence suggests that she married *Edward Makin* on 23 October 1815 in Rainford, Lancashire, according to an LDS FamilySearch record. This is further supported by the Census of 1841.

The children of Edward and Alice Makin (nee Welding) and their descendants are covered in Part Two of this Genealogy.

Job Welding

Job was born on 15 December 1794 in Windle, the second child of Job and Margery Welding, and baptised on 17 January 1795 at All Saints Church, Rainford.

He married *Ann Pierrepoint* on 25 October 1814 in Rainford. According to a later Census, Ann was born ca 1795 in Ashton, Lancashire (a later Census shows this as Ashton-in-the Willows.)

The children of Job and Ann Welding and their descendants are covered in Part Three of this Genealogy.

Mary Welding

Mary was born on 25 March 1798 in Windle and baptised in All Saints Church, Rainford on 15 April of that year, the third child of Job and Margery Welding.

There is no record of a Mary Welding marrying in the Prescott/Windle area before the year 1864, which would have made her 66 years of age at the time, so it is unlikely that any of those Marriage notices referred to her. However a Mary Welding married a Joseph Glover on 9 July 1821 in Wigan (LDS FamilySearch records), and this could possibly be her.

There are two possible Death dates for Mary Welding, both in Prescott. One is in the third quarter of 1841 (reference Vol. 20 Page 501), the other in the first quarter of 1858 (reference Vol. 8b Page 433). There is no certainty that either of them relate to the Mary under notice.

Peter Welding (Wilding)

Peter was born on 10 June 1800 in Windle and baptised at All Saints Church, Rainford on 29 June of that year, the fourth child of Job and Margery Welding.

The children of Peter and Jane Welding (Wilding) and their descendants are covered in Part Four of this Genealogy.

James Welding

James was born on 7 May 1803 in Windle, and baptised at All Saints Church, Rainford on 29 May of that year, the fifth child of Job and Margery Welding.

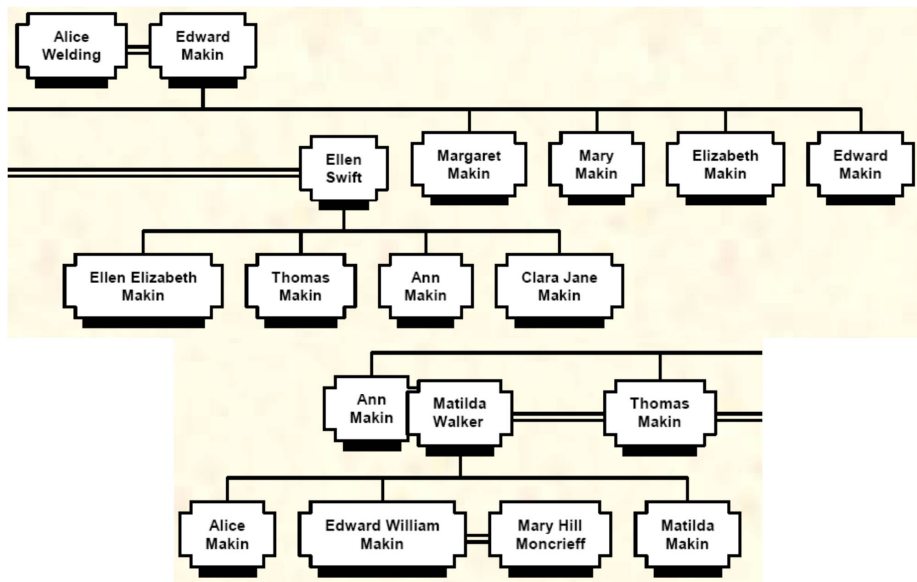
The children of James and Sarah Welding and their descendants are covered in Part Five of this Genealogy.

Margaret Welding

Margaret was born on 16 April 1806 in Windle and baptised on 18 May of that year at All Saints Church, Rainford, the sixth child of Job and Margery Welding.

The children of Margaret and Henry Burrows and their descendants are covered in Part Six of this Genealogy.

PART TWO – THE ALICE WELDING LINEAGE (THE MAKIN FAMILY)



Note: Modern maps show that many of the addresses shown in 19th Century Census records as being in Windle are in fact in St Helens itself. A map of the St Helens area appears in Part Six of this Genealogy.

Alice Welding

Alice was born on 13 February 1792 in Windle, the first child of Job and Margery Welding, nee Ball. She was baptised on 18 March of that year at All Saints Church, Rainford, Lancashire.

She married *Edward Makin* on 23 October 1815 in Rainford, Lancashire. **According to the Marriage Register he was a watchmaker.**

The 1841 Census shows Edward living at Smithy Brow, Windle. He is described as a Victualler, age 49. While there is no mention of a wife Alice, there are three children: Mary, age 17; Elizabeth, age 14; and Edward, age 10. There is also living there an Alice Welding, age 23, who is probably a cousin of the children, although elsewhere in this Genealogy there is no record of an Alice Welding born ca 1818. From this record it might be inferred that Edward's wife Alice has passed away, possibly in childbirth.

There are two possible Death dates for Alice Welding, both in Prescott in the second quarter of 1838 (reference Vol. 20 Pages 557 and 570). Either could relate to the Alice in question. **However the Eileen Ann Graham Tree on Ancestry.co suggests she died in 1840 in Prescott, but no matching Death Index record has been found.**

An Edward Makin died in the fourth quarter of 1843 (reference Prescott Volume 20 Page 561). This could well be the Edward under notice, as no further Census record of him has been found, **but conflicts with his death**

year in the Graham Tree. There are several other men of that name who died in Lancashire between 1838 and 1877, including one who died in the fourth quarter of 1865 in Prescot (reference Volume 8b Page 569). There is also a Probate record for an Edward Makin, who died on 20 June 1866 in Ravenhead within Sutton, Lancashire. One of his executors was Edward Makin of 80 Church Street, St Helens, a book-keeper. The estate totalled less than £450. Edward did have a son named Edward, so there is a possibility this was him. The Bates Tree in Ancestry.co does in fact attribute this record to him, but there is no certainty to it. His death date therefore remains unresolved.

Edward and Alice had six known children:

- Ann Makin, b. 1816
- Thomas Makin, b. 1818
- Margaret Makin, b. 1821
- Mary Makin, b. 1823
- Elizabeth Makin, b. 1825
- Edward Makin, b. 1830

Ann Makin

Ann was born on 14 January 1816, probably in Windle, and baptised in the New Chapel Independent, St Helens, the first child of Edward and Alice Makin, nee Welding.

She was not listed with her parents at the 1841 Census. However another 1841 Census record shows that elsewhere in Smithy Brow, Windle, where her parents and some siblings were living, four other Makins are listed: Anne, age 25; Margaret, age 20; Thomas, age 23; and Martha, age 24. The ages for Anne, Thomas and Margaret would tie them in as the three eldest children of Edward and Alice. Who Martha was is uncertain; perhaps she was a cousin, unless she was also a child of Edward and Alice, for which no record appears to exist. This would seem most unlikely.

The 1851 Census saw Ann living as Housekeeper, unmarried, with her younger brother Thomas at 21 Duke Street, Windle. Thomas is shown as a widower and Accountant, and has three young children. Ann's birthplace is shown as Rainhill, Lancashire. There is also a servant.

There is a conflict here, as the Eileen Ann Graham Tree on Ancestry.co suggests Ann married a John Huyton in 1842. There is certainly an 1851 Census record for Melling within Cunsough, Lancashire, which shows a John Huyton and his wife Ann, who is aged 34 and was born in Prescot, and their four children. However Prescot is the other side of St Helens from Windle, where it is believed Ann was born, and no Marriage Index record has been found in either name.

No other record of her as Ann Makin has been found.

The Eileen Ann Graham Tree on Ancestry.co suggests Ann died in 1878 and there is a Death Index record in that name of an Ann Huyton, born about 1815, dying in the first quarter of 1878 in Ormskirk, Lancashire (reference Volume 8b Page 519).

There is a Death Index record for a John Huyton, born about 1815, dying in the first quarter of 1876 in Prescot (reference Volume 8b Page 563).

The dilemma here, then, is whether to accept that the Ann Makin living with her brother Thomas in 1851 is the Ann Makin under reference, or else this was someone else and the marriage to John Huyton as advanced by the Graham Tree is correct. The fact that she appeared in the 1851 Census has been taken as the more likely true situation, and the information in the Graham Tree has been discounted as other errors have also been found in that Tree.

Thomas Makin

Thomas was born in January 1818, in Rainhill, Lancashire according to the 1851 Census, and baptised, probably on 25 January, in the New Chapel Independent, St Helens, the second child of Edward and Alice Makin.

As detailed under Ann Makin above, the 1841 Census saw him living with some of his siblings in Windy Brow, Windle, probably very close to his parents' home. His age was 23 and his occupation "Cl", which probably meant clerk.

Thomas married *Matilda Walker* on 17 October 1843 in Billinge, Lancashire (reference Wigan Volume 21 Page 567). There were many girls of that name born in Lancashire in the 1920s, and it is not possible to match a Birth Index record to her.

Tragically, the marriage did not last long and Matilda died on 12 April 1850 in St Helens, Lancashire (reference Prescott Volume 20 Page 581). Letters of Administration for her estate were not granted until 16 years later, which seems to be an interminable length of time, in Liverpool on 30 May 1966 to her husband Thomas Makin. The value of her effects was less than £100. A description of the town of Billinge will be found in Part Six of this Genealogy.

The 1851 Census found Thomas, an Accountant and now widowed, living at 21 Duke Street, Windle. He had three children: Edward W, age 6; Matilda, age 5; and Alice, age 3; all born in St Helens. His sister Ann was also living there as his housekeeper, and they had one servant.

Thomas did not remain a widower for very long and married *Ellen Swift* in the second quarter of 1851 (reference Prescott Volume 20 Page 799.) Ellen was born in the third quarter of 1826 in Prescott and baptised on 18 October of that year, the daughter of Richard and Jane Swift. According to the Eileen Ann Graham Tree on Ancestry she was the daughter of Henry Swift (1803-1871) and Elizabeth Dickinson (1804-1878), and this is patently wrong as the record that Tree relied on was for a baby named Ellen Makin, not Swift.

The 1861 Census saw Thomas and his new wife Ellen living at Peasley Cross, Sutton, Lancashire, on the outskirts of St Helens. His occupation is shown as Bookkeeper. His three children by the previous marriage, Edward, Matilda and Alice, are still with them, and they have four children of their own: Ellen E, age 8; Thomas, age 6; Ann, age 4; and Clara J, age 2. The first three were born in St Helens, Clara in Sutton.

Thomas died on 3 October 1864 in St Helens (reference Volume 8b Page 552). Letters of Administration of his estate were granted on 28 October in Liverpool to his widow Ellen, of 80 Liverpool Road, St Helens. His occupation was shown as book-keeper and his effects were less than £800.

The 1871 Census saw Ellen, now widowed and a teacher, living back in Windle at 22 Duke Street. With her were Ellen E age 18; Thomas, age 16 and a book-keeper; and Annie, age 14. There is no mention of Clara J. There was also a boarder, William J Morrow.

The 1881 Census record saw Ellen still at 22 Duke Street, aged 54 and with an illegible occupation. With her were her stepdaughter Matilda, age 35 and a housekeeper; Thomas, age 26 and a commercial clerk; Annie, age 24 and a milliner; Clara, age 22 and a dressmaker; and boarder William J Morrow.

The 1891 Census saw Ellen, now aged 64, and her daughters Ellen E, age 38 and no occupation, and Clara J, age 31 and a dressmaker, living at 20 Cooper Street, St Helens.

The 1901 Census found Ellen still living at 20 Cooper Street, St Helens with her stepdaughter Matilda, age 55, and her daughters Ellen Elizabeth, age 48; and Clara Jane, age 41 and a dressmaker.

Ellen died on 20 April 1903 in St Helens (reference Prescott Volume 8b Page 457). Probate of her estate was granted on 12 May in Liverpool to her daughter Ellen. Her address was still 20 Cooper Street, and her effects totalled £177 4s.

According to Census information Thomas and Matilda had three children; however the Eileen Ann Graham Tree on Ancestry indicates a fourth, George, born in 1848. No matching Birth Index record has been found; the only George Makin born in 1848 was in Salford, Manchester, so a fourth child has been discounted:

- Edward William Makin, b. 1844
- Matilda Makin, b. 1846
- Alice Makin, b. 1847

Thomas and Ellen had four known children:

- Ellen Elizabeth Makin, b. 1853
- Thomas Makin, b. 1854
- Ann Makin, b. 1857
- Clara Jane Makin, b. 1859

Edward William Makin

Edward was born in the third quarter of 1844, probably in Windle, the first child of Thomas and Matilda Makin, nee Walker (reference Prescott Volume 20 Page 745).

The 1851 Census found him living with his father and siblings at 21 Duke Street, Windle, his mother having died the previous year, and the 1861 Census saw him, aged 16, living with his father, stepmother and siblings in Peasley Cross, Sutton. His occupation was given as Clerk at Copper Works.

Edward married *Mary Hill Moncrieff* on 4 October 1869 in Prescott (reference Volume 8b Page 954). She was born in the second quarter of 1850 in the St Helens area (reference Prescott Volume 20 Page 904), the daughter of Robert Moncrieff (1816-1879) and Catherine Roughsedge (1819-1900).

The 1871 Census for Sutton, St Helens, listed at 13 Bold Road Edward, age 26 and a copper smelter agent; his wife Mary H, age 20; and their son, Arthur E, age eleven months. There was also a servant listed.

Edward died at the early age of 30 on 30 June 1875 in the Prescott area, probably Windle (reference Prescott Volume 8b Page 437). He was buried in a cemetery unknown, almost certainly in St Helens, but a photograph of his gravestone exists. Also buried in the same grave were his wife Mary and their daughter Minnie. Probate of his estate was granted on 6 August of that year in Liverpool to his widow Mary Hill Makin of 24 Duke Street, St Helens, the sole executrix. His occupation was shown as Manager of copper works, and his effects were less than £300.

The 1881 Census showed a Mary H Makin residing at 49 Church Street, Windle, a widow age 40 born in St Helens and a confectioner by occupation. With her are two children: Robert G, age 9, and Matilda, age 5, both born in St Helens. The address is obviously her place of business, as also living there were an Assistant Confectioner and two servants.

Also in the 1881 Census is a Catherine Moncrieff, age 62 and a retired confectioner, and her children living at 9 Windle St, Windle. This is undoubtedly Mary's mother and siblings, and it would seem that confectionery

was the family's trade. Also with her was Arthur E Makin, her grandson, age 10 and born in St Helens. This was the first child of Edward and Mary, who was either living with his grandmother or at least staying there on the day of the Census.

The 1891 Census for Windle shows Mary, age 40 and a confectioner, and the three children: **Arthur E, age 20 and a book-keeper; Robert G, age 19 and a baker; and Matilda, age 15 and a scholar**, together with staff, still living at 49 Church Street.

The 1901 Census for St Helens shows Mary, age 50 and a confectioner, and her children **Robert G, age 29 and a baker/bread maker; and Matilda, age 25 with no occupation**; still living at 49 Church Street. Arthur, the eldest child, has married and moved out. **There are also two staff members and two servants.**

The 1911 Census for Bowness on Windermere listed Mary, age 60, and her daughter Matilda, age 34 and a business assistant, residing with Richard and Margaret Elizabeth Rigg, hotel proprietors at. Mary was listed as the sister-in-law of Richard. Both Mary and Matilda were shown as assisting in the business.

According to the family gravestone Mary died on 24 September 1924. There is indeed a Death record for a Mary H Makin dying in the third quarter of that year, but it was in Kendal, in northern Lancashire (reference Volume 10b Page 671). While it is possible she may have gone there to live for some reason, there is no certainty it is the Mary under notice. **She was buried with her husband. Probate of her estate was granted on 31 October 1924 in Carlisle to Arthur Edward Makin, manufacturing chemist, her son. Her address was given as 6 Beresford Road, Bowness-on-Windermere, and her effects totalled £444 6s 8d.**



Edward and Mary had three children:

- Arthur Edward Makin, b. 1870
- Robert Gerald Makin, b. 1871
- Matilda (Minnie) Makin, b. 1875

Arthur Edward Makin

Arthur was born in the second quarter of 1870, probably in Windle, the first child of Edward and Mary Makin, nee Moncrieff (reference Prescott Volume 8b Page 66g).

The 1871 Census showed him, aged eleven months, living with his parents in Sutton, St Helens.

The 1881 Census shows him, age 10, in residence, either permanently or on that day, with his grandmother Catherine Moncrieff at 9 Windle Street, Windle. His mother and brother reside at 49 Windle Street.

The 1891 Census shows him, age 20 and a book-keeper, living with widowed his mother and siblings at 48 Windle Street, Windle. His occupation is shown as Book-keeper.

Arthur married *Edith Edmundson* in the fourth quarter of 1900 in St Helens (reference Prescott Volume 8b Page 1097). She was born on 27 May 1876 in St Helens, the daughter of John Edmundson (1834-1911) and Annie Shufflebotham (1839-) (reference Prescott Volume 8b Page 703). She was baptised on 20 May of the following year in St Thomas' Church, Eccleston

The 1901 Census shows Arthur, age 30, and Edith living at 155 Argyle Street, St Helens. His occupation is now "Manager, Patent Charges Co."

The 1911 Census found Arthur and Edith living at 212 Hard Lane, St Helens. His occupation is given as "Manufacturing Chemist Manager". They now have two daughters: Marjorie, age 8, and Evelyn Annie, age 6, both born in St Helens. They also have a servant.

Edith died on 8 May 1951 in St Helens (reference Volume 10f Page 359). Probate of her estate was granted on 18 October of that year in Liverpool to her husband, a retired manufacturing chemist. Her address was given as 23 Windle Street, and her effects totalled £842 18s 6d.

Arthur died on 28 January 1956 in St Helens (reference Volume 10f Page 505). Probate of his estate was granted on 11 July of that year in Liverpool to John Barnes Atkinson, senior lecturer, and his daughter Evelyn Ann Bickerstaffe, widow. His address was given as 23 Windle Street, St Helens and his effects totalled £14042 4s 10d.

Arthur and Edith had two known children:

- Marjorie Makin, b. 1903
- Evelyn Ann Makin, b. 1905

Marjorie Makin

Marjorie was born on 24 March 1903 in St Helens, the first child of Arthur and Edith Makin, nee Edmundson (reference Prescott Volume 8b Page 802).

The 1911 Census saw her living with her parents and sister at 212 Hard Lane, St Helens.

Marjorie married a John B Atkinson in the second quarter of 1926 in St Helens (reference Prescott Volume 8b Page 1141). There were many boys of that name born in the central Lancashire area in the 1890s-1900s and it is difficult to identify one with the John under notice. However the Atkinson Family Tree information on Ancestry.co gives the date of his birth as 8 June 1901 in Whitehaven, Cumberland (reference Volume 10b Page 720), his full name as *John Barnes Atkinson*, and his parents Thomas Walker Atkinson (1866-) and Lill (Lilla Barnes) (1877-1903). This has been accepted in good faith. They were married on 19 June 1926 in the Parish Church of St Mark, St Helens. Marjorie's sister Evelyn was one of the witnesses.

In 1926 they were living at 81 Hatfield Road, Birchfield, Birmingham, and in 1964 at 193 Erdington Hall Road, Erdington, Birmingham.

Marjorie died aged 84 in November 1987 in Birmingham (reference Volume 32 Page 40).

John died aged 86 on 27 December 1987 in Birmingham, Warwickshire (reference Volume 32 Page 562).

John and Marjorie are said to have had two children, a boy and a girl, but their names are not known and no definitive Birth Index records have been found.

Evelyn Ann(ie) Makin

Evelyn was born on 21 December 1904 in St Helens, the second child of Arthur and Edith Makin, nee Edmundson (reference Prescott Volume 8b Page 824).

The 1911 Census saw her living with her parents and sister at 212 Hard Lane, St Helens.

Evelyn married *Reginald Henry Bickerstaff* on 3 July 1934 in the Prescott area (reference Volume 8b Page 1591). He was born on 4 October 1904 in St Helens, the son of Henry Bickerstaff (1872-) and Helen Sutton (1870-) (reference Prescott Volume 8b Page 799). The 1911 Census indicated his father was private secretary to a baronet, and it could be implied that his was a well-educated background. He was apparently a sports reporter on the Warrington *Guardian* newspaper in 1930.

Reginald died at the early age of 35 in the second quarter of 1940 in the Royal Infirmary, Lancaster (reference Volume 8e Page 1566).

Evelyn died aged 87 in June 1992 in St Helens (reference Volume 37 Page 60). It would appear she never remarried.

Reginald and Evelyn are believed to have had a son, but his name is not known.

Robert Gerald Makin

Robert was born in the fourth quarter of 1871, probably in Windle, the second child of Edward and Mary Makin, nee Moncrieff (reference Prescott Volume 8b Page 615).

The 1881 Census for Windle listed him, age 9, living with his parents and sister at 49 Church Street.

The 1891 and 1901 Censuses show Robert living with his mother and sister at 49 Windle Street, Windle. His occupation was bread maker and from the Census record it is possible that he carried out his trade in the same building.

No 1911 Census record has been found.

According to the Eileen Ann Graham Family Tree information on Ancestry.co he died on active service on 30 June 1917 in France and Flanders. However no military records have been found in his name, much less a Killed in Action record. Other Family Trees give a possible death date of 1914, but no Death Index record has been found.

There are US Census records from 1910 in the name of Robert Makin, born in England about 1871, but that person appears to have migrated there in 1889, whereas the Robert in question was in the England Census in 1901.

There were many instances of a Robert Makin marrying in Lancashire, but it is not possible to definitely associate one with him.

Pending further research he remains a mystery.

Matilda Makin (the Second)

Matilda was born in the third quarter of 1875, probably in Windle, the third child of Edward and Mary Makin, nee Moncrieff (reference Prescott Volume 8b Page 655). **She was apparently known as Minnie.**

The 1881 Census for Windle listed her, age 5, living with heris parents and brother at 49 Church Street.

The 1891 and 1901 Censuses show her living with her mother and brother at 49 Windle Street, Windle.

The 1911 Census for Bowness on Windermere listed her, age 34 and a business assistant, residing with her mother, aunt and uncle, Richard and Margaret Rigg, hotel proprietors at an unspecified address.

Matilda died on 6 March 1930, probably in Bowness (reference Kendal Volume 10b Page 884). She was buried in the same grave as her parents.

Matilda Makin (the First)

Matilda was born in the first quarter of 1846 in St Helens, the second child of Thomas and Matilda Makin, nee Walker (reference Prescott Volume 20 Page 867).

The 1851 Census found her, age 5, living with her father and siblings at 21 Duke Street, Windle, her mother having died the previous year, and the 1861 Census saw her, age 15 and with no occupation shown, living with her father, stepmother and siblings in Peasley Cross, Sutton.

No Census record was found for 1871, **but the 1881 Census found her, age 35 and a housekeeper, living with her stepmother Ellen and step-siblings at 22 Duke Street.**

The 1891 Census for Bordesley, Birmingham, Warwickshire saw her, age 45 and with no occupation shown, residing with her sister Annie and Annie's husband James Sharples at 13 Dora Road. It is not clear whether she was living there or just visiting.

The 1901 Census found Matilda now living at 20 Cooper Street, St Helens with her stepmother Ellen and stepsisters Ellen and Clara. No occupation was given, and she was still single.

The 1911 Census found her still living at 20 Cooper Street, St Helens with her step-sisters Ellen and Clara.

A Matilda Makin died in the fourth quarter of 1930 in Birmingham aged 85 (Birmingham South Volume 6d Page 261). This would have made her birth year 1845-1846, which corresponds with the Matilda under notice. Although Birmingham is well removed from St Helens, it was possibly her. **She may have been staying with John and Marjorie Atkinson, nee Makin, her cousin.**

Alice Makin

Alice was born in the third quarter of 1847 in St Helens, the third child of Thomas and Matilda Makin, nee Walker (reference Prescott Volume 20 Page 785).

The 1851 Census found her living with her father and siblings at 21 Duke Street, Windle, her mother having died the previous year, and the 1861 Census saw her living with her father, stepmother and siblings in Peasley Cross, Sutton.

The 1871 Census found Alice, age 23, living at 120a Fishyale (?) Street, Preston, Lancashire. Head of the household was an Elizabeth Kent, Confectioner, and Alice was shown as a confectioner's assistant.

An Alice Makin died in Bury, Lancashire in the fourth quarter of 1872, aged 24 and born ca 1848 (reference Bury Volume 8c Page 320). This could have been the Alice under notice, as no further Census records have been found and she was obviously living away from the family home in 1871.

Ellen Elizabeth Makin

Ellen was born ca 1853 in St Helens, the first child of Thomas and Ellen Makin, nee Swift. **There is a Birth Index record for an Ellen Makin being born in Prescott, near St Helens, in the second quarter of 1852 (reference Volume 8b Page 444) and this was probably her.**

The 1861 Census saw her living with her parents and siblings at Peasley Cross, Sutton, St Helens.

The 1871 Census saw her living with her widowed mother and her brother and sister at 22 Duke Street, Windle. Her occupation is hard to read but appears to be a School Teacher like her mother.

No 1881 Census record has been found, but the 1891 Census saw her still with her mother and sister Clara, now living at 20 Cooper Street, St Helens,

The 1901 Census found Ellen still living at 20 Cooper Street, St Helens with her mother, sister Clara and stepsister Matilda. No occupation was given.

The 1911 Census found her still living at 20 Cooper Street, St Helens with her step-sister Matilda and sister Clara.

Ellen died in the fourth quarter of 1920, probably in St Helens (reference Prescott Volume 8b Page 857). She never married.

Thomas Makin

Thomas was born in 1854 in St Helens, the second child of Thomas and Ellen Makin, nee Swift (reference Prescott Volume 8b Page 489 or 497 – there were two Thomas Makins born in the first half of that year). **He was baptised on 4 May of that year in the Prescott Parish Church, St Helens.**

The 1861 Census saw him living with his parents and siblings at Peasley Cross, Sutton.

The 1871 Census saw him living with his widowed mother and sisters at 22 Duke Street, Windle.

The 1881 Census for Windle shows Thomas, age 26 and a commercial clerk, living with his mother and younger sisters at 22 Duke Street.

It appears Thomas may have married a Kate nee Unknown at some time between 1871 and 1891, as the 1891 Census shows a Thomas and Kate Makin living at 3 Gordon Place, Withington, Lancashire. His age is 36, he was born in St Helens and his occupation is listed as Metal Buyer. Kate is age 36 and born in Canada. No record of a marriage has been found, and as mentioned above there were two Thomas Makins born in 1854, so there is no certainty this was the Thomas in question. **The Eileen Ann Graham Family Tree on Ancestry.co does in fact indicate he married a *Kate Woodward* on 22 November 1882 in the Toxteth Park, Liverpool Registry Office (reference Toxteth Park Volume 8b Page 557). She was born on 17 October 1858 in Kimberworth, Yorkshire, the daughter of Mark Woodward (1829-1895) and Harriet Warnby (1831-1915). Although there have been errors found in the Graham Tree, it could be accepted in good faith that**

this was indeed the marriage of the Thomas in question. It also rules out the 1891 Census record, as the Kate in that record was born in Canada.

The 1891 Census for Huyton with Roby, Lancashire listed, at 1 Pennington Place, Thomas Makin, age 36 and a hotel manager born in Liverpool; his wife Kate, age 31; and their children: William, age 8; Thomas, age 7; George, age 5; and Harrys S, age 3; all born in Liverpool. There was also listed a barman and a servant. The birthplace of Liverpool, not St Helens, for Thomas throws doubt on whether this was in fact the Thomas in question.

The 1901 Census for Huyton with Roby, Lancashire listed Thomas, aged 46 and a hotel manager; his wife, Kate, age 41; and their children: William, age 18 and a book-keeper; Thomas, age 17 and a commercial clerk; George, age 16 and an apprentice (illegible); Harry, age 13; and Harriet E, age 9. The first four children were born in Liverpool, Harriet in Huyton. There was also listed a niece, Ann Woodward, and a servant, William Holland, barman. Thomas' birthplace was however again shown as being Liverpool, not St Helens, which reinforces the doubt that this was the Thomas in question..

The Thomas Makin referred to in the census records died on 16 May 1903, probably in Huyton (reference Prescott Volume 8b Page 418). Administration of his estate was granted to his wife Kate on 9 January of that year according to the National Probate Index, although how administration could be granted before his death is unknown. His address was given as the "Queen's Arms", Pennington Place, Huyton, and his effects totalled £310 10s.



Queen's Arms, Huyton

The 1911 Census for West Derby, Liverpool showed Kate, age 62 and a widow, residing at 19 Tunstall Street. She was shown as the mother of seven children, five surviving. With her are four of the children, all single: Thoamas, age 28 and a chauffeur; George, age 24 and an electrician; Harry, age 23 and a railway clerk; and Harriet, age 19 and no occupation given.

Kate died in the third quarter of 1920 in West Derby (reference Volume 8b Page 434).

Thomas and Kate seven known children, including a set of twins, but the names of only six are known:

William Makin, b. 1882 d 1963
Thomas Edward Makin, b. 1883 d 1954
George Makin, b. 1885
Harry Stanley Makin, b. 1888 d 1955
Harriet Makin, b. 1892
Harris E Makin, b. 1892

As said earlier, in good faith it could be accepted that Thomas Makin married Kate Woodward, and the above research has been carried out by the writer based on acceptance of that. However the fact that in two Census Thomas' birthplace was shown as Liverpool, not St Helens, cast some doubt in the writer's mind. Thomas Makin was a common name, and there are many Marriage and Death Index records for that name in Lancashire. For that reason, the writer had decided to let the facts stand as above, but not to proceed further with research on the children unless and until final proof emerges that the Thomas in question did indeed marry Kate Woodward.

Ann Makin

Ann was born in 1857 in St Helens, the third child of Thomas and Ellen Makin, nee Swift. The only matching Birth record for that year is for a Sarah Ann Makin born in the second quarter (reference Prescott Volume 8b Page 521), although girls by the name of Ann Makin were born in the Prescott area in 1855 and 1859. It is therefore possible that she was indeed born Sarah Ann but known thereafter simply as Ann.

The 1861 Census saw her living with her parents and siblings at Peasley Cross, Sutton.

The 1871 Census saw her living with her widowed mother and siblings at 22 Duke Street, Windle.

The 1881 Census for Windle saw her, age 24 and a milliner, still residing at 22 Duke Street with her mother and siblings.

No further definitive record of her has been found. The name Ann Makin was a not uncommon one.

Clara Jane Makin

Clara was born in the second quarter of 1859 in Sutton, the fourth child of Thomas and Ellen Makin (reference Prescott Volume 8b Page 604).

The 1861 Census saw her living with her parents and siblings at Peasley Cross, Sutton.

The 1871 Census saw her as a twelve year old staying with her uncle and aunt, Joseph and Margaret Roughsedge, and a cousin, Elizabeth Roughsedge, at Park Cottage, Eccleston, Lancashire. Possibly she only happened to be there on the day of the Census.

No 1881 Census record has been found for a Clara Jane Makin, but a Jane Makin was employed as a Domestic Servant at Sherdley House, Marshall Cross Lane, Sutton, which appears to be a school or similar. She was age 23 and born in St Helens, which corresponds with the Clara Jane under notice.

The 1891 and 1901 Censuses found Clara living at 20 Cooper Street, St Helens with her mother Ellen, sister Ellen and, in 1901, her stepsister Matilda. Her occupation was Dressmaker and she was still single.

The 1911 Census found her, age 51 and a dressmaker, still living at 20 Cooper Street, St Helens with her step-sister Matilda and sister Ellen.

No further record of her has been found. It is unlikely that she married, and while no Death Index for a Clara Jane Makin has been found, there are many for a Jane Makin. Without knowing a date or place it is not possible to definitely associate one with her.

Margaret Makin

Margaret was born on 3 February 1821, probably in Windle, and baptised on 10 February in the New Chapel Independent, St Helens, the third child of Edward and Alice Makin, nee Welding.

The 1841 Census saw her, age 20, living with some of her siblings in **Smithy** Brow, Windle, probably very close to her parents' home.

She may well have married, but without knowing her husband's name further research is not possible. Similarly Margaret Makin was a common name and there are many Marriage and Death Index records for that name.

Mary Makin

Mary was born in 1823, probably in Windle, and baptised on 27 September of that year in the New Chapel Independent, St Helens, the fourth child of Edward and Alice Makin, nee Welding.

The 1841 Census shows Mary living at Smithy Brow, Windle with her father and siblings, her mother already having passed away.

The 1851 Census saw Mary living at 10 Market Street, Windle. She is unmarried and a Dressmaker. Living with her is her brother Edward, an Apprentice Draper.

The 1861 Census found Mary living with her sister Elizabeth in Chapel Terrace, St Helens. She is still unmarried and her occupation is now Teacher. Her brother Edward and a cousin, Mary Ann, are also living there.

The 1871 Census found Mary residing at 5 Westfield Street, Windle. Her occupation is school teacher and her relationship is described as "sister". Also living with Mary is Mary Anne Makin, described as "niece". It is unclear as to whose sister and niece they refer to as no-one else is living there.

The 1881 Census shows Mary as a visitor to the home of a Peers Naylor at 17 Lugsmore Villas, Eccleston. She remains unmarried and her occupation is given as schoolmistress.

Mary died in the first quarter of 1882 in the Prescott area (reference Prescott Volume 8b Page 513).

Elizabeth Makin

Elizabeth was born on 1 December 1825, probably in Parr, St Helens, and baptised on 7 March 1826 in the New Chapel Independent, St Helens, the fifth child of Edward and Alice Makin, nee Welding.

The 1841 Census showed Elizabeth, age 14, living at Smithy Brow, Windle with her father and siblings, her mother already having passed away.

The 1851 Census for Billinge showed her, age 23 and a dressmaker, visiting with Richard Boardman and his family at 19 (?) Brow.

The 1861 Census found Elizabeth living in Chapel Terrace, St Helens. She was aged 34, unmarried and her occupation was Dressmaker. With her were her sister Mary, brother Edward and cousin Mary Ann.

The 1871 Census record for Billinge listed her as age 39 and a dressmaker, visiting with Mary Boardman in Derbyshire House.

The 1881 Census saw Elizabeth, age 52 and a dressmaker, and cousin Mary Ann living at 5 Westfield Street, Windle, the home of her now deceased sister Mary. Both were listed as dressmakers, and it is probable their business was conducted from that address.

The 1891 Census found Elizabeth, age 63 and still listed as a dressmaker, now living at 5 Croppers Hill, Eccleston. Mary Ann was still with her, and they had two boarders.

Elizabeth died in the second quarter of 1900 in the Prescott area (reference Prescott Volume 8b Page 548).

Edward Makin

Edward was born on 10 July 1830, probably in Windle, and baptised on 6 August of that year in the New Chapel Independent, St Helens, the sixth child of Edward and Alice Makin, nee Welding.

The 1841 Census shows Edward, age 10, living at Smithy Brow, Windle with his father and sisters, his mother already having passed away.

The 1851 Census saw Edward, age 20 living with his sister Mary at 10 Market Street, Windle. His occupation is given as apprentice draper.

The 1861 Census found Edward, age 30, living in Chapel Terrace, St Helens with his sister Elizabeth. He is unmarried and his occupation is now piano fork tuner (rather different from being a draper!). With him is his sister Mary and cousin Mary Ann.

Edward died either in the fourth quarter of 1863 or the first quarter of 1864 in St Helens (there were two Edward Makins who died in that period – references Prescott Volume 8b Pages 497 and 586).

Mary Ann Makin

The exact relationship of Mary Ann, who was seen living with Mary and Elizabeth Makin from 1851 to 1891, remains unknown. Records indicate she was born in Ravenhead, a locality within St Helens noted for its glassworks, in the third quarter of 1839 (reference Prescott Volume 20 Page 644). However the LDS FamilySearch website has a Mary Ann Makin being christened in St Helens earlier that year, on 7 April.

The 1841 Census shows a Mary Makin, age 2, living with her parents Edward and Mary Makin and brother Edward, age 10 months, at the Ravenhead Plate Glass Works, St Helens. This at least gives us her parents' names, but does not supply a tie-in with the other Makins in this Genealogy.

The 1861 Census for St Helens shows her as a cousin of Elizabeth Makin, with whom she is living in Chapel Terrace. Her age is 21, a dressmaker born in St Helens.

The 1881 Census for Windle shows her, age 40 and a dressmaker, again living with her cousin Elizabeth in Ormskirk Street.

The 1891 Census for Eccleston, St Helens shows her, age 51 and a dressmaker, once again living with Elizabeth at 5 Croppers Hill.

The 1901 Census has a Mary Makin living at 4 Dentons Green Lane, North Windle as a companion to a Jane Garnett. Her age is 60 and birthplace St Helens, which indicated she was the Mary Ann under notice.

The 1911 Census for St Helens lists Mary Ann Makin, age 71, single and born in Ravenhead, still living as a companion to Jane Garnett at 1 Dentons Green.

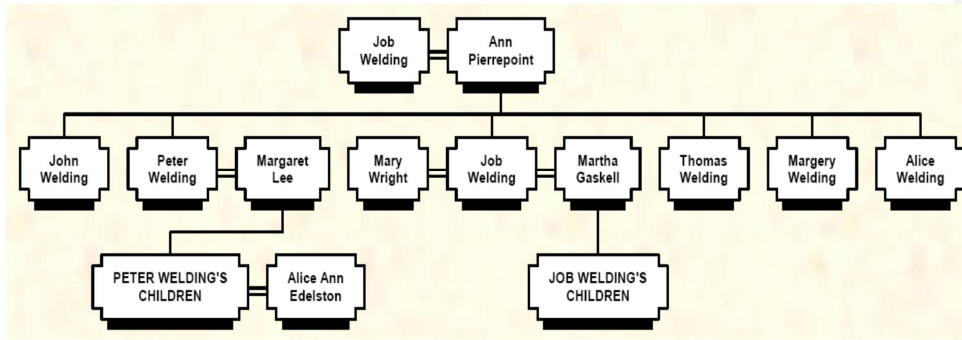
No Death Index record has been found for her.

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PART THREE – THE JOB WELDING LINEAGE



Job Welding

Job was born on 15 December 1794 in Windle, Lancashire, the second child of Job and Margery Welding, nee Ball, and baptised on 18 January 1795 at All Saints Church, Rainford.

He married *Ann Pierrepoint* on 25 October 1814 in Rainford. According to a later Census, Ann was born ca 1795 in Ashton, Lancashire (a later Census shows this as Ashton-in-the-Willows), the daughter of Henry Pierrepoint (1740-1792) and Janet Bamber (1776-1812).

The 1841 Census shows Job and Ann residing at "Mill Stone at Roby Mills", Upholland. With them are their six children: John, age 20, twins Job and Peter, age 15, Thomas, age 9, Margery, age 5; and Alice, age 2. Job and the three eldest sons had the occupation of "Delf Man"; the meaning of this is unclear but obviously refers to some job within a mill or a quarry. Upholland (sometimes shown as Up Holland) is a locality in Skelmersdale, Lancashire, lying between Ormskirk and Wigan.

Given that Job and Ann were married in 1814, and the eldest son shown in the Census was John, born ca 1821, there **would almost certainly** have been other children born between 1814 and 1821 that were no longer living with them, and there are gaps between children that suggest that others could have been born and died at birth or in infancy. However a search of Ancestry.co and LDS FamilySearch has failed to find any definite record of such. However Ancestry.co reveals the following three names, born to Job and Ann Wilding, not Welding, in Upholland and baptised on the dates shown: James (21 October 1821); Job (7 December 1823); and Thomas (24 June 1831). There are also Death records for a Robert Welding and a William Welding, presumably twins, who were born in 1817 in Upholland and were buried there on 14 December of that year. All these could possibly be other offspring of Job and Ann, but pending definite confirmation they have been omitted from this Genealogy.

The 1851 Census shows Job and Ann, both aged 56, still residing at Roby Mill. His occupation was now shown as "flag shifter". Thomas, age 19, and Alice, age 12, remain with them, Thomas being a quarry man and Alice a scholar.

The 1861 Census again showed Job and Ann, now 66, residing at Roby Mill. Thomas was still with them, and both he and Job were described as stone quarrymen.

Job died in October 1862 in Upholland (reference Wigan Vol. 8c Page 69) and was buried in the Upholland Parish Church on 2 November.

The 1871 Census shows Ann, age 76 and a washerwoman, living alone at the same address. Her son Peter, his wife Margaret and their children are living two doors away.

Ann died in Upholland in the fourth quarter of 1877 (reference Wigan Vol. 8c Page 78).

From Census information Job and Ann had six definitely known children, including a pair of twins:

- John Welding, b. 1819
- Peter Welding, b. 1826
- Job Welding, b. 1826
- Thomas Welding, b. 1832
- Margery Welding, b. 1836
- Alice Welding, b. 1839

John Welding (Wilding)

John was born in 1819 in Upholland, Lancashire, the first child of Job and Ann Welding, nee Pierrepont. He was baptised on 9 August of that year in the Wigan Parochial Chapel of Upholland. The Birth Index and Baptism records showed his surname as "Wilding".

The 1841 Census saw him, age 20 and occupation "delf man", living with his parents and siblings at Millstone in Roby Mills, Upholland.

No further definitive record of John has been found. It was a not uncommon name, and a John Welding born in Windle is certainly recorded in later Censuses, but his year of birth was 1817, not 1819.

Peter Welding (Wilding)

Peter was born on 6 April 1826 in Upholland, Lancashire, one of twins born to Job and Ann Welding, nee Pierrepont. He was baptised on 21 May of that year in the Douglas Chapel, Parish of Eccleston Lancashire, a village to the north of Upholland.

The 1841 Census saw him, age 15 and a "delf man", living with his parents and siblings at Millstone in Roby Mills, Upholland. No 1851 Census record has been found.

Thereafter lies an interesting situation. The Baptism record and all further Censuses and his Marriage and Death notices refer to him as Peter Wilding. The name Wilding has carried on to their children and grandchildren.

He married *Margaret Lee* in the fourth quarter of 1854 at All Saints Church, Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 107). According to a later Census, she was born ca 1830-31 in Upholland. Records show a Margaret Leigh was born in Upholland on 13 June 1830, the daughter of William and Mary Leigh. Despite the different spelling, there is every chance this was the Margaret under notice.

The 1861 Census showed Peter, age 35, and Margaret, age 32, like his parents, residing at Roby Mill Lane, Upholland. He was described as a Flagstone Dresser. They had three children: Samuel, age 6; Job, age 3; and Peter, age 1; all born in Upholland.

The 1871 Census found them still living at Roby Mill, with Peter's age shown as 43 and occupation now a quarryman. Samuel, age 16, was also a quarryman, as was Peter at the tender age of twelve! Also living in Roby Mill was his widowed mother Ann, a washerwoman.

The 1881 Census saw them still at Roby Mill with son Peter, now described as a mason, remaining with them.

The 1891 Census saw them at 36 Roby Mill, with Peter senior's occupation a flag squarer. Their son Peter remains with them, but there are also three grandchildren: Peter Wilding, age 11; Richard Wilding, age 9; and Alice Wilding, age 7; all born in Upholland. They were the children of their son Samuel, who together with his wife had met untimely deaths in 1888 and 1887 respectively.

Peter died in the third quarter of 1899, presumably in Upholland (reference Wigan Vol. 8c Page 118).

The 1901 Census saw Margaret, age 70, still living with her son Peter, age 41, still single and a stone quarryman, and her three grandchildren at 36 Roby Mill, Upholland. **The grandsons, aged 21 and 19 respectively, were both stonemasons.**

The 1911 Census saw Margaret, age 80, **now living at 17 Victoria Buildings, King Street, Wigan, Lancashire. With her is with son Peter, age 51, single and a "delver in stone quarry", and her granddaughter Alice Ann, age 26, single and a labourer in a glue factory. The house had four rooms excluding the bathroom.**

It is uncertain when Margaret died. A person by that name and of the same age died in East Preston, Lancashire, in 1919, but there is no certainty this was her.

Peter and Margaret had three known children:

- Samuel Wilding, b. ca 1855
- Job Wilding, b. ca 1858
- Peter Wilding, b. ca 1860

Samuel Wilding

Samuel was born in the first quarter of 1855 in Upholland, the first child of Peter and Margaret Welding (Wilding) (reference Wigan Vol. 8c Page 88).

He appeared in the 1861 and 1871 Censuses, living with his parents and brothers at Roby Mill, Upholland.

Samuel married ***Alice Ann Edelston*** (or ***Eddlestone***) in the second quarter of 1878 in the Wigan Registry Office (reference Wigan Vol. 8c Page 136). She was born on 15 September 1860 and baptised on 2 February 1861 in Great Harwood, Lancashire, the daughter of Simon and Agnes Eddlestone. The LDS FamilySearch Birth notice shows the longer form of the name, but the Marriage record shows the shorter form.

The 1881 Census saw him, age 26, living with his wife Alice Ann at Roby Mills Morris's Houses, Upholland. His occupation was coal miner. They had a son Peter, age 1 and born in Upholland.

Two other children were born to Samuel and Alice Ann: Richard, ca 1882, and Alice Ann, ca 1884. Both were born in Upholland.

Alice Ann died in the second quarter of 1887 at the early age of 27 (reference Wigan Vol. 8c Page 83). Given her tender years, this may well have been in childbirth.

Samuel died in the second quarter of 1888 at the equally early age of 33 (reference Wigan Vol. 8c Page 77). Given his occupation of coal miner, it could well have been through an industrial accident, but perhaps it could also have been associated with the early death of his wife.

On their deaths the three children went to live with their grandparents, Peter and Margaret Wilding, in Upholland.

Samuel and Alice Ann had three children:

- Peter Wilding, b. ca 1880
- Richard Wilding, b. ca 1882
- Alice Ann, b. ca 1884

Peter Wilding

Peter was born **ca 1880** in Upholland, the eldest child of Samuel and Alice Ann Wilding, nee Edelston.

He appeared in the 1881 Census, **age one year, with his parents at Morris's Houses, Roby Mill, Upholland**. Following their deaths, he and his siblings appeared in the 1891 Census living with their grandparents at **36 Roby Mill**, Upholland.

The 1901 Census saw Peter, **now aged 21 and a stonemason**, still living with his grandmother and his siblings at 36 Roby Mills, Upholland, his grandfather having died in 1899.

A Peter Wilding married an Elizabeth Yates in the second quarter of 1903. The Ancestry.co website gives this as being in Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 32), while the Lancashire Births, Marriages & Deaths website gives it as Christ Church, Douglas, Preston. Another Peter Wilding was married in Wigan in the third quarter of 1899 to either Elizabeth Finch or Ellen Sims (reference Volume 8c Page 140). As Peter Wilding is a common name, there can be no certainty that either of these were the Peter under notice.

The 1911 Census saw a Peter Wilding, age 31 and born in 1880 in Upholland, residing at **17 Victoria Buildings, Wigan**. **As this was also his grandmother's address, it is safe to assume this was the Peter in question**. His occupation was given as Police Constable. With him was his wife Elizabeth, age 30 and born 1881 in Wrightington, Lancashire. They had been married eight years, making the marriage year ca 1803. They had two children: Frank, age 6 and born in Wrightington, and Margaret, age 4 and born in Wigan. The change in occupation could easily be explained by his joining the police force. This would **confirm** Peter having married **Elizabeth Yates**. Several girls of that name were born in 1881 in central Lancashire but there is no record of one being born in Wrightington or adjacent areas, so the matter of her identity will remain unresolved. **Elizabeth was shown as being the mother of three children, two still living, so obviously they had lost a child between 1903 and 1911.**

It is not known when Peter or Elizabeth died, as there are many Death Index records for their names.

Peter and Elizabeth had two known surviving children, unless others were born after 1911:

- Frank Wilding, b. 1905
- Margaret Wilding, b. 1907

Frank Wilding

Frank was born in the fourth quarter of 1904 in Wrightington, Lancashire (reference Wigan 8c Page 4), the son of Peter and Elizabeth Wilding, nee Yates.

The 1911 Census showed him, age 6, living with his parents and sister at 17 Victoria Buildings, King Street, Wigan.

Frank Wilding was a not uncommon name and there were many men of that name who were married or died in Lancashire. It is not possible to positively associate any other record with him.

Margaret Wilding

Margaret was born in the first quarter of 1907 in Wigan, Lancashire (reference Volume 8c Page 44), the daughter of Peter and Elizabeth Wilding, nee Yates.

The 1911 Census showed her, age 4, living with her parents and sister at 17 Victoria Buildings, King Street, Wigan.

A Margaret Wilding married James Houghton in the second quarter of 1941 in Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 64), and this may have been the Margaret in question.

Richard Wilding

Richard was born in the second quarter of 1882 in Upholland, the second child of Samuel and Alice Ann Wilding, nee Edelston (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 5).

Following his parents' deaths he and his siblings appeared in the 1891 Census living with their grandparents at 36 Roby Mill, Upholland.

The 1901 Census saw Richard, now aged 19 and a stonemason, still living with his grandmother and his siblings at 36 Roby Mills, Upholland, his grandfather having died in 1899.

According to Ancestry.co a Richard Wilding married either Sarah Ann Bentham or Mary Elizabeth Counce in the second quarter of 1904 in Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 113). A 1911 Census record shows that it was a different Richard Wilding who married Mary Elizabeth. However Lancashire Births, Marriages & Deaths gives the marriage to Sarah Ann as being in Standish, which is near both Wigan and Upholland, and it gives the marriage to Mary Elizabeth Sheldon (NOT Counce) as being in Salford, near Manchester. It would seem more likely that Richard married Sarah Ann Bentham. A Sarah Ann Bentham was born in the fourth quarter of 1880 in Standish (reference Volume 8c Page 1), and although there were several others by that name born in Lancashire around the same time this was probably her. However the 1911 Census throws doubt on it being the Richard under notice who married Sarah Ann Bentham, as that record shows that Richard Wilding as being born in Standish in 1884. In the absence of definite evidence it is therefore assumed that the Richard under notice did not marry Sarah Ann Bentham.

A Richard Wilding enlisted in the Royal North Lancashire Corps on 14 September 1914. He was 31 years six months of age, a labourer, and gave his address as near Preston, Lancashire. This was most likely the same Richard who married Mary Elizabeth Counce and not the Richard under notice.

A Richard Wilding, born ca 1882, died in the first quarter of 1931 in the Wigan area (reference Wigan Volume 8c page 143). This was quite possibly the Richard under notice.

Alice Ann Wilding

Alice Ann was born ca 1884 in Upholland, the third child of Samuel and Alice Ann Wilding, nee Edelston.

Following her parents' deaths she and her brothers appeared in the 1891 Census living with their grandparents at 36 Roby Mill Upholland.

The 1901 Census saw her, now aged 17, still living with her grandmother and her siblings at 36 Roby Mills, Upholland, his grandfather having died in 1899.

The 1911 Census saw her still living with her grandmother and brother Peter at 17 Victoria Building, King Street, Wigan. She was age 26, single and a labourer at a glue works.

She married *William Winstanley* in the second quarter of 1913 (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 99.) His was a common name and it is not possible to identify him positively. Likewise the 1911 Census shows several families of that name living in the Wigan area.

William and Alice had one known child:

- Margaret A Winstanley, b. 1913

Margaret A Winstanley

Margaret was born in the fourth quarter of 1913 in the Wigan area (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 232), the daughter of William and Alice Ann Winstanley, nee Wilding.

There were many girls of that name married in Lancashire from 1930 onwards and it is not possible to identify one with the Margaret under notice.

Job Wilding

Job was born ca 1858 in Upholland, the second child of Peter and Margaret Welding (Wilding), nee Lee.

He appeared in the 1861 and 1871 Censuses, living with his parents and brothers at Roby Mill, Upholland.

No other records have been found.

Peter Wilding

Peter was born in the first quarter of 1860 in Upholland, the third child of Peter and Margaret Welding (Wilding), nee Lee (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 102).

He appeared in the 1861 and 1871 Censuses, living with his parents and brothers at Roby Mill, Upholland, and in the 1881 and 1891 Censuses with his parents at the same address. His occupation was shown as Stone Mason.

The 1901 Census saw him still living with his mother Margaret and nephews and nieces at 36 Roby Mill, Upholland. The 1911 Census saw him still there with Margaret and her grand-daughter Alice Ann.

Peter was still unmarried in 1911 and it is doubtful if he ever did "tie the knot".

Job Welding (Wilding)

Job was born in 1826 in Upholland, Lancashire, the second of twins born to Job and Ann Welding, nee Pierrepont.

There is a Christening record showing him being baptised on 7 December 1823, not 1826, but this is considered to be a transcription error.

The 1841 Census saw him living with his parents and siblings at Millstone in Roby Mills, Upholland.

He married *Martha Gaskell* in the fourth quarter of 1845, almost certainly in Upholland (reference Wigan Vol. 21 Page 665). She was born in the first quarter of 1825 and christened on 13 March of that year in Upholland, the daughter of James and Margaret Gaskell.

The 1851 Census saw Job and his wife Martha living in Roby Mill, Upholland. His occupation is given as Stone Dresser. Martha's age is give as 26 and her place of birth Upholland. With them are their children: Alice, age 4 ; James, age 2; and Margaret, age 7 months; all born in Upholland.

In the 1861 Census the Welding/Wilding dilemma raised itself again, as this time their surname was shown as Wilding! Their address is still Roby Mill, his occupation is Stone Quarrier. Their children are Alice, now age 14 and a Cotton Factory Worker; James, age 12 and at that tender age a Stone Quarrier like his father; Margaret; Martha, age 3; and Catherine, age 1 and born in Upholland.

Martha died in the third quarter of 1864, presumably in Upholland (reference Wigan Vol. 8c Page 63).

The 1871 Census again recorded the family name as Wilding. They are still at Roby Mill, but Job is now described as widower. The children are Margaret, now a House Keeper and obviously having taken her mother's place; Martha, also shown as "Housework"; Catherine and John, age 9 and born in Upholland.

The 1881 Census saw Job still at Roby Mill, accompanied by his daughter Catherine and son John, now a Quarryman.

Job was remarried in the third quarter of 1882 in Wigan to *Mary Wright*. According to the 1891 Census she was born ca 1830 in Pemberton, Lancashire, but no Birth record has been found. Pemberton lies between Upholland and Wigan.

The 1891 Census saw Job still at 26 Roby Mill, but now accompanied by his new wife Mary. Her age is 61 and her birthplace Pemberton, Lancashire.

Job died in **November 1899**, presumably in Upholland (reference Wigan Vol. 8c Page 71). **His address at the time of death was 3 Wharnccliffe Street and his occupation mason. He was buried in grave B4-509 in the Church of England Cemetery, Lancashire on 18 November.**

Mary died in the fourth quarter of 1896, also presumably in Upholland (reference Wigan Vol, 8c Page 89).

Job and Martha had six known children, although with a gap of eight years between the third and fourth child it is quite likely there were other children who were stillborn or died in infancy:

- Alice Wilding, b. 1846
- James Wilding, b. ca 1849
- Margaret Wilding, b. ca 1850
- Martha Wilding, b. ca 1858
- Catherine Wilding, b. ca 1860
- John Wilding, b. ca 1862

The following children and their descendants appear later in this Part of the Genealogy:

Margaret Wilding – the Margaret Wilding Line

Martha Wilding – The Martha Wilding Line

Of the other children:

Alice Wilding

Alice was born on **26 September 1846** and baptised on 26 September of the **following** year in Upholland, the first child of Job and Martha Wilding, nee Gaskell.

She appeared in the 1851 and 1861 Censuses, aged 4 and 14 respectively, living with her parents and siblings in Roby Mill, Upholland. In **1861 her occupation was already cotton factory worker.**

There were a number of women of that name married in Lancashire from 1860 onwards, including several in Wigan. However no subsequent Census record has been found that would tie any of them with the Alice in question.

James Wilding

James was born in the second quarter of **1848** in Upholland, the second child of Job and Martha Wilding, nee Gaskell (reference Wigan Volume 21 Page 91(358)).

He appeared in the 1851 and 1861 Censuses, aged 2 and 12 respectively, and living with his parents and siblings in Roby Mill, Upholland. **At the age of 12 he was already a stone quarrier!**

A James Wilding married a Mary Crawford in the first quarter of 1873 in Wigan (reference Volume 8uc Page 1020). However no further Census records have been found to substantiate whether this was the James under notice. **The name James Wilding was a common one.**

Catherine Wilding

Catherine was born in the first quarter of 1860 in Upholland, the fifth child of Job and Martha Wilding, nee Gaskell (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 102).

She appeared in the 1861, 1871 and 1881 Censuses, living with her parents and siblings in Roby Mill, Upholland.

Catherine married ***Thomas Eaton*** in the first quarter of 1889 in St Thomas' Church, Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 126). He was born in the first quarter of 1856 in Penn Head, Wolverhampton, Staffordshire, the son of James Eaton (1825-) and ***Sophia Hampton (1826-1867)*** (reference Volume 6b Page 360).

The 1891 Census saw Thomas, age 35, and Catherine, age 31, living at 4 Clarendon Street, Ince in Makerfield, Lancashire. His occupation was not shown. With them were two children: Maryann, age 12 and born in Wolverhampton, and Job W, age 1 and born in Ince in Makerfield. **Thomas had been married previously, to a Clara Bibb, and Maryann was a child of that previous marriage.**

The 1901 Census for Ince—in-Makerfield saw, living at 253 Ince Green Lane, Lower Ince, Thomas, age 44 and a signal fitter; his wife Catherine, age 40; and their children: Job W, age 11; Thomas H, age 9; James W, age 6; and Catherine, age 2; all born in Ince.

The 1911 Census saw Thomas and Catherine still living at 253 Ince Green Lane, Lower Ince, Lancashire. Thomas' occupation was again given as signal fitter on the railway, **while Catherine was shown as the mother of five, all living.** Their son Job Wilding was with them, and they have four other children: Thomas Henry, age 19 and a railway platelayer; James Wallace, age 16 and a coal miner "below ground"; Catherine, age 13; and Frank, age 9; all born in Ince. **The dwelling had four living rooms.**

Thomas died in the first quarter of 1926, probably in Ince in Makerfield (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 21).

Catherine died in the third quarter of 1937 in Ince in Makerfield (reference Ince Volume 8c Page 75).

Catherine and Thomas had five children:

- Job Wilding Eaton, b. 1889
- Thomas Henry Eaton, b. 1891
- James Wallace Eaton, b. 1896
- Catherine Eaton, b. 1898
- Frank Eaton, b.1902

Job Wilding Eaton

Job was born on **4 November** 1889 in Ince in Makerfield, Lancashire, the first child of Thomas and Catherine Eaton (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 110). He was baptised on 29 December of that year in St Mary's Church, Ince.

The 1891, **1901** and 1911 Censuses saw him living with his parents and step-sister (1891) and siblings (**1901 and 1911**) in Ince in Makerfield. The 1911 Census gave his occupation as coal miner "below ground".

He married *Ethel Baines* in the third quarter of 1913 in All Saints Church, Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 132). Ethel was born in the second quarter of 1891 in Leigh, Lancashire (reference Burnley Volume 8e Page 203), the daughter of Thomas Baines (1865-1937) and Catherine Ridings (1866-1944).

Job died on 16 December 1940 in Wigan, Lancashire (reference Volume 8c Page 26). Administration of his estate was granted on 14 January of the following year in Llandudno to his widow, Ethel. His address was shown as The Ship Hotel, Millgate, Wigan, and his effects totalled £277 17s 1d.

Ethel died on 30 December 1962 in Chorley, Lancashire (reference Volume 10c Page 29). Probate of her Will was granted on 7 March of the following year in Lancaster to James Kemp Lawson, solicitor, and her daughter Joan Poxon. Her address was given as 44 Park Road, Adlington, Chorley, and her effects totalled £2632 8s.

According to Family Tree information on Ancestry.co Job and Ethel had one known child. However Birth Index records indicate five children, including a set of twins, with surname Eaton and mother's maiden name Baines were born in Wigan between 1917 and 1925:

- Marjorie C Eaton, b. 1917
- Granville Eaton, b. 1919
- John Eaton, b. 1921
- Joan Eaton, b. 1921 d 2002
- Eric Eaton, b. 1928

Marjorie C Eaton

Marjorie was born in the fourth quarter of 1917 in the Wigan area (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 95), the daughter of Job and Ethel Eaton, nee Baines.

There were at least eleven girls of that name married in Lancashire from 1936, and without knowing her husband's name it is not possible to identify one with the Marjorie in question.

Granville Eaton

Granville was born in the fourth quarter of 1919 in the Wigan area (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 106), the presumed son of Job and Ethel Eaton, nee Baines.

He died aged six in the fourth quarter of 1925 in Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 67). He was buried in the Parish Church of All Saints, Elton on 4 November of that year. His address was shown as 14 Westwood Terrace, Lower Ince, Wigan. His surname appeared as "Heaton" in both the Death Index and Record of Burials.

John Eaton

John was born in the first quarter of 1921 in the Wigan area (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 84), the presumed twin son of Job and Ethel Eaton, nee Baines.

He married *Lillian Shields* in the third quarter of 1948 in Ince, Lancashire (reference Volume 10c Page 1474). There were numerous girls of her name born in Lancashire and England, and it is not possible to identify her.

John and Lilian had two known children, both born in Ince: *Ann Eaton*, born in the first quarter of 1949 (reference Volume 10c Page 546); and *Robert Eaton*, born in the fourth quarter of 1955 (reference Volume 10c Page 488).

Joan Eaton

Joan was born in the first quarter of 1921 in the Wigan area (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 84), the presumed twin daughter of Job and Ethel Eaton, nee Baines.

She married *Geoffrey Baxter* in the third quarter of 1940 in Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 113). A man of that name was born in the first quarter of 1918 in North Bierley, Yorkshire (reference Volume 9b Page 62), and it is probable that this was him. A Geoffrey Baxter, born about 1918, then died aged 32 in the first quarter of 1950 in Blackpool, Lancashire (reference Volume 10b Page 642). From a birth year point of view, and the fact that Joan remarried in 1954, this could well have been the Geoffrey in question.

Joan then married *Thomas Poxon* in the fourth quarter of 1954 in Chorley, Lancashire (reference Volume 10c Page 1). He was born on 11 March 1915 in Adlington, Lancashire (reference Chorley Volume 8e Page 780), the son of Henry Poxon (1877-1952) and Margaret Jane Walsh (1878-1950).

Thomas died in the fourth quarter of 1971 in Chorley (reference Volume 10c Page 28).

Joan died in 2002 in Chorley (Register # 85E 5831 Entry 109).

Joan does not appear to have had children by either husband.

Eric Eaton

Eric was born in the fourth quarter of 1925 in the Wigan area (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 60), the presumed son of Job and Ethel Eaton, nee Baines.

A man by that name married Dorothy M P Whiteside in the third quarter of 1945 in Ince, Lancashire (reference Volume 8c Page 270). This may have been the Eric under notice.

An Eric Eaton, born about 1925, died in December 1990 in Macclesfield, Cheshire (reference Volume 35 Page 821). Again this may have been the Eric under notice.

Thomas Henry Eaton

Thomas was born on 2 October 1891 in Ince in Makerfield, Lancashire, the second child of Thomas and Catherine Eaton, nee Wilding (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 108). He was baptised on 18 November of that year in St Mary's Church, Ince.

The 1901 and 1911 Censuses for Ince saw him, age 9 and 19 respectively, living with his parents and siblings at 253 Ince Green Lane, Lower Ince. The 1911 Census gave his occupation as Railway Plate Layer.

Thomas married *Elizabeth Ann Belshaw* in the second quarter of 1914 in the Wigan Registry Office (reference Volume 8c Page 267). She was born on 1 March 1890 at 33 Broom Street, Ince in Makerfield, the daughter of Leonard Belshaw (1871-1941) and Mary Agnes O'Donnell (1869-1936).

He enlisted in the British Army in 1916 and was assigned to the Border Regiment; his regimental Number was 11387. His age was stated as 25 years 306 days, his occupation collier and his address 26 Bolton Street, Higher Ince, Wigan.

Elizabeth died in the first quarter of 1949 in Ince (reference Volume 10c Page 633).

There are many Death Index records for a Thomas Eaton, although none for Thomas H Eaton, and it is not possible to link one of them with the Thomas in question.

Thomas and Elizabeth had two known children:

- Thomas Eaton, b. 1914
- John Eaton, b. 1918

Thomas Eaton

Thomas was born in the second quarter of 1914 in Ince (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 179), the first son of Thomas and Elizabeth Eaton, nee Belshaw.

Thomas Eaton was a not uncommon name and it is not possible to accurately identify him with Marriage and Death Index records. However a Thomas L Eaton, born about 1914, died aged 44 in the third quarter of 1958 in Ince (reference Volume 10c Page 401) and this may well have been him.

John Eaton

John was born in the fourth quarter of 1918 in Ince (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 155), the second son of Thomas and Elizabeth Eaton, nee Belshaw.

There were many other Marriage and Death Index records for a John Eaton and, as with his brother, it is not possible to positively identify him from them.

James Wallace Eaton

James was born in the first quarter of 1895 in Ince in Makerfield, Lancashire, the third child of Thomas and Catherine Eaton, nee Wilding (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 97).

The 1901 and 1911 Censuses for Ince saw him, age 6 and 16 respectively, living with his parents and siblings at 253 Ince Green Lane, Lower Ince. The 1911 Census gave his occupation as coal miner "below ground".

James married *Edith Thompson* in the fourth quarter of 1916 in All Saints Church, Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 91). There were a number of girls of that name born in the 1890s and it is not possible to identify one with the Edith under notice.

An Edith Eaton, born about 1896, died in the third quarter of 1938 in Ince (reference Volume 8c Page 74).

A James W Eaton married Mary Taylor in the second quarter of 1928 in Ashton, Lancashire (reference Volume 8d Page 1503). If this was the James in question he must have divorced Edith, as she would have been still alive then.

What is more certain is that James married *Winifred Carter* in the third quarter of 1938, probably in Ashton (reference Manchester North Volume 8d Page 1479). If he had indeed married Mary Taylor, then she must have either died or he must have divorced her too.

James died on 24 October 1962 in Ashton, Lancashire (reference Volume 10b Page 74). Probate of his estate was granted on 6 November in Manchester to Winifred Eaton, widow. His address was given as 38A Oldham Road, Failsworth, Lancashire and his effects totalled £1208 10s.

A Winifred Eaton, born about 1892, died in the third quarter of 1974 in Manchester (reference Volume 38 Page 1527.) This may well have been the Winifred under notice.

James and Edith had three known children, of whom two would tragically die in infancy:

- Harold Eaton, b. 1917
- Catherine Eaton, b.1919
- Frank Eaton, b. 1921

Harold Eaton

Harold was born in the first quarter of 1917 in Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 163), the son of Frank and Edith Eaton, nee Thompson.

Harold died aged one year in Wigan in the fourth quarter of 1918 (reference Volume 8c Page 139). Possibly he was a victim of the Spanish 'flu epidemic.

Catherine Eaton

Catherine was born in the fourth quarter of 1919 in Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 163), the daughter of Frank and Edith Eaton, nee Thompson.

Catherine died in the same quarter of that year, possibly at or shortly after birth (reference Wigan 8c Page 90).

Frank Eaton

Frank was born in the third quarter of 1921 in Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 163), the son of Frank and Edith Eaton, nee Thompson.

A Frank Eaton married Alice Orrell in the second quarter of 1949 in Ince, Lancashire (reference Volume 10c Page 1109). This could well have been the Frank under notice. However there were also marriages of a Frank Eaton in Ashton, Lancashire, where it is known his family once lived.

A Frank Eaton, born 15 June 1921, died aged 81 in April 2003. The place is unintelligible in the Death Index record, but the Registry # is OD49B 007/D Entry 95. Again, this is quite likely the Frank under notice.

Catherine Eaton

Catherine was born on 27 April 1898 in Ince in Makerfield, Lancashire, the fourth child of Thomas and Catherine Eaton, nee Wilding (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 113).

The 1901 and 1911 Censuses saw her living with her parents and siblings at 253 Ince Green Lane, Ince in Makerfield.

Catherine married *Frederick Hitchen* in the second quarter of 1919 in Saints Thomas and James Church, Poolstock, Lancashire (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 203). He was born in the fourth quarter of 1895 in **Pemberton**, Wigan (references Volume 8c Page 144), **the son of Samuel Hitchen and Sarah, nee Unknown**.

Frederick died on 12 December 1950 in The Hospital, Whelley, Wigan (reference Volume 10f Page 806). Probate of his estate was granted on 4 September 1951 in Liverpool to his widow Catherine. His address was given as 50 Greenough Street, Wigan, and his effects totalled £1300.

Catherine died aged 82 in the fourth quarter of 1980 in Wigan (reference Volume 39 Page 2408).

Frederick and Catherine had two known children:

- Frederick Gilbert Hitchen, b. 1920
- Roy Eaton Hitchen, b. 1924

Frederick Gilbert Hitchen

Frederick was born on 13 December 1920 in Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 120), the son of Frederick and Catherine Hitchen, nee Eaton.

He married *Elizabeth E Gibson* in the third quarter of 1943 in Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 50). Nothing is known of her.

He possibly married Doris Carey in the third quarter of 1957 in Wigan (reference Volume 10f Page 1118). However no likely Death Index record has been found for Elizabeth.

Frederick died aged 84 in July 2005 in Wigan (Register # B24B 018/1B Entry 234).

It is not known whether Frederick and Elizabeth had children.

Roy Eaton Hitchen

Roy was born on 31 October 1924 in Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 165), the son of Frederick and Catherine Hitchen, nee Eaton.

A Roy Hitchen married Margaret E Seddon in the third quarter of 1959 in Prescot, Lancashire (reference Volume 10f Page 403). This may have been the Roy Hitchen under notice.

Roy died in September 1969 in Caernarvon, Caernarvonshire, Wales (reference Volume 8a Page 432).

Frank Eaton

Frank was born on **4 April** 1902 in Ince in Makerfield, Lancashire, the fifth child of Thomas and Catherine Eaton, nee Wilding (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 95).

The **1911 Census** saw him living with his parents and siblings at **253 Ince Green Lane, Ince in Makerfield**.

Frank married **Mary Jane Gaskell** in the second quarter of 1930 in St Michael and All Angels Church, Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 161). There were a number of girls of that name born in Wigan between 1899 and 1910 and it **was not initially** possible to identify one with the Mary Jane under notice. **The name Gaskell appears elsewhere in the Welding/Wilding Family Tree and possibly she was distantly related to him.**

A **Mary Jane Gaskell**, born on **18 December 1899**, died in the second quarter of 1975 in Wigan (reference Volume 39 Page 2658). This would almost certainly have been the Mary Jane in question. This would suggest that she was the **Mary Jane Gaskell** born in the fourth quarter of 1899 in Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 46). Census records indicate she was born in Westhoughton, Lancashire, a town lying between Wigan and Bolton, the daughter of William Gaskell and Ann, nee Unknown.

Frank died aged 85 in January 1988 in Wigan (reference Volume 39 Page 2549).

Frank and Mary had one known child:

- **Margaret Eaton**

Margaret Eaton

Margaret was born in the second quarter of 1932 in Wigan, Lancashire (reference Volume 8c Page 95), the daughter of Frank and Jane Eaton, nee Gaskell.

There are two possible marriages for Margaret in Wigan: to Leslie Richardson in the third quarter of 1951 (reference Volume 10f Page 1806); or to Gordon Winstanley in the second quarter of 1961 (reference Volume 10f Page 1228).

John Wilding

John was born in the first quarter of 1862 in Upholland, the sixth child of Job and Martha Wilding (reference Wigan Volume 8c page 107). **He was baptised in St Thomas the Martyr Church, Upholland.**

He appeared in the 1871 and 1881 Censuses, living with his parents and siblings in Roby Mill, Upholland.

John married **Sarah Ann Brindley** on **11 October 1890** in St Peter's Church, Hindley (reference Volume 8c Page 121). She was probably born in the fourth quarter of 1866 in "New Invention", Staffordshire (probably reference Wolverhampton Volume 8d Page 535), the daughter of Abraham Brindley and Jane Pearson, a platelayer or locksmith. The birth was registered on **1 December 1866**. John was shown in error on the Marriage Certificate as Job Welding, and this was corrected at a later date. His occupation was given as stone mason and his address as Stoney Lane. He was illiterate and



signed the Certificate with a cross. Sarah's address was given as Ince. The marriage was conducted by Alex Smith and witnesses were William Ashcroft and Eliza Brindley.

"New Invention" or Newenvention" barely appears on modern maps but is a locality near Willenhall, Staffordshire, just west of the modern day M6 towards Wolverhampton.

The 1891 Census saw John, age 29,42 and his wife Sara, age 23 and born in Wolverhampton, Staffordshire, living at 4 Hill Street, Hindley. His occupation was given as Stone Mason. The Baptism Certificate of their daughter Agnes indicated that in 1897 they were living in Lord Street, Hindley.

The 1901 Census saw John, age 38, and Sarah, age 33 and born in Newenvention, Staffordshire, now living at 42 Wigan Road, Hindley. John's occupation was now Beer Seller, and obviously he had exchanged the hard labour of stone mason for a more convivial occupation. They now had three children: Job, age 8; Elizabeth, age 6; and Agnes, age 3; all born in Hindley. They also had a servant, Janey Jolly, so obviously this family had been able to raise themselves above the general low social status of that branch of the Welding/Wilding clan.

John died of "phsisis pulmonalis" at the relatively early age of 41 on 4 March 1902 at the Sir Robert Peel Inn, 42/44 Wigan Road, Hindley (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 67). He was buried with his father in Grave B 4-509 in Hindley Cemetery.

Sarah wasted no time in re-marrying, and married *Edward Tootill* on 5 November 1902 in St Peter's Church, Hindley (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 413). He was born in the third quarter of 1880 in Hindley, the son of James and Isabella Tootill (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 69) and was eleven years younger than Sarah. The marriage was performed by James Jacobs and the witnesses were John Foster and Margaret Tootill. Edward's address was given as 3 Wigan Road, and Sarah's as 44 Wigan Road.

The 1911 Census saw Sarah and her new husband living at 30 Wigan Road, Hindley. His occupation is given as Coal Miner Hewer. Her three children, Job, Elizabeth and Agnes are with them, and she and Edward have a child, James, age 6 and born in Hindley. Obviously it was a come-down for Sarah, who in 1901 had a husband in trade and a servant to help her.

Edward enlisted in the Army on 30 October 1915 in Chorley, Lancashire, during the Great War, serving as a Private with the 2/7th Battalion of the 11th Manchester Regiment. His regimental Number was 16463. He died in action during World War I, killed on 9 October 1917 in Flanders, Belgium. His name was listed on the Tyne Cot Memorial. He received the Victory Medal (posthumously) and the 1915 Star.

Sarah died of cardiac failure and asthma on 29 November 1930 at 95 Lyons Lane, Chorley, Lancashire (reference Volume 8e Page 541).

John and Sarah had four children:

- Martha Wilding, b. 1892
- Job Wilding, b. 1893
- Elizabeth Wilding, b. 1895
- Agnes Wilding, b. 1897

Edward and Sarah had **two** known children:

- James Edward Tootill, b. 1905
- Colin Tootill, b. 1912

Martha Wilding

According to family information Martha was born in 1892 in Hindley, Lancashire, the first child of John and Sarah Wilding. No Birth Index record has been found for her.

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She died in 1895 and was buried with her grandfather Job Welding in Grave B 4-509 in the Church of England Cemetery, Hindley.

Job Wilding

Job was born on 13 October 1892 at 95 Platt Lane, Hindley, the second child of John and Sara Wilding. He was christened on 8 January 1893 at All Saints Church, Hindley.

He appeared in the 1901 Census living with his parents and siblings in Hindley.

The 1911 Census saw him living with his mother, stepfather, siblings and half-brother in Hindley. His occupation was given as Coal Miner Hewer.

Job married *Margaret McMullen* in the fourth quarter of 1918 in St Peter's Church, Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 37). Several women by that name were born in the Wigan area in the 1890s and it is not possible to identify the one who married Job.

Elizabeth Wilding

Elizabeth was born on 3 March 1895 at 95 Platt Lane, Hindley, the third child of John and Sara Wilding. She was christened on 28 July of that year at All Saints Church, Hindley.

She appeared in the 1901 Census living with her parents and siblings in Hindley.

The 1911 Census saw her living with her mother, stepfather, siblings and half-brother in Hindley. Her occupation was given as "Doffer For Cotton Doubler".

Numerous Elizabeth Wildings were married in the 1920s in Lancashire. A possibility for the Elizabeth under notice was to a George Halsall in the first quarter of 1921 (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 242), but there is no certainty.

Agnes Wilding

Agnes was born on 5 June 1897 at 50 Atherton Road, Hindley, the fourth child of John and Sara Wilding. Her name was shown as Welding on the Birth Certificate, and her mother as Sarah Ann Brindley. She was baptised on 25 July 1897 in St Peter's Church, Hindley by Charles F Holt, Vicar.

She appeared in the 1901 Census living with her parents and siblings in Hindley.



The 1911 Census saw her living with her mother, stepfather, siblings and half-brother in Hindley.

Numerous Agnes Wildings were married in the 1920s in Lancashire. It is not possible to identify any one of them with the Agnes under notice.

Agnes died on 28 October 1969.

James Edward Tootill

James was born on 18 February 1905 in Hindley, the first son of Edward and Sarah Tootill (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 79).

The 1911 Census saw him living with his parents and half-siblings in Hindley.

In 1923, at the age of 18 years and nine months, he enlisted in the Lancashire Fusiliers. His regimental Number was 9762. He had previously been enlisted in an Army unit but its name was illegible on the Enlistment Form. At the time he was apparently living with his parents in Chorley.

James married *Hannah Harrison* in the third quarter of 1929 in St John the Divine Church, Coppull, Lancashire (reference Chorley Volume 8e Page 1300). She was born in the first quarter of 1910 in Charnock Richard, near Chorley, the daughter of Joseph and Ellen Harrison (reference Volume 8e Page 450).

A Hannah Tootill died in the second quarter of 1979 in Chorley (reference Volume 40 Page 1180). However her birth date was given as 22 October 1911, which does not correspond with the Hannah under notice.

James died in the second quarter of 1980 in Chorley (reference Volume 40 Page 1231).

Colin Tootill

Colin was born on 11 September 1912 in Hindley, Lancashire, the second son of Edward and Sarah Tootill (reference Wigan Volume 8e Page 801).

He was engaged to be married, but this did not eventuate.

During World War II he enlisted as a Private in the Loyal Regiment (North Lancashire). He died in action on 26 January 1942 in Malaya during the Japanese advance on Singapore and was buried in the Kranji War Cemetery, Singapore (Grave Ref.36 F20).

Upon the commencement of hostilities in 1939, the 2nd Loyals found themselves stationed in the Far East as part of Singapore Fortress's Malaya Brigade. After the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor, the 2nd Loyals fought in Malaya as part of the delaying action during the Battle of Malaya. Eventually, the 2nd Loyals surrendered along with the rest of the Singapore garrison on 15 February 1942. The survivors spent the rest of the war as POWs Japan. Unfortunately Colin was not among them.

Thomas Welding

Thomas was born in 1832 in **Roby Mill Lane, Upholland**, Lancashire, the fourth child of Job and Ann Welding, ne Pierrepoint.

The 1841, 1851 and 1861 Censuses saw him living with his parents and siblings at Millstone in Roby Mills, Upholland. **His occupation in 1861 was stone quarryman, and his surname shown as Wilding.**

No further definitive record of him can be found. The name Thomas Welding (and Wilding) was very common in Lancashire among the Marriage and Deaths listings.

Margery Welding

Margery was born in 1836 in Upholland, Lancashire, the fifth child of Job and Ann Welding, ne Pierrepoint.

The 1841 Census saw her living with her parents and siblings at Millstone in Roby Mills, Upholland.

No other definitive record of Margery has been found. There were two possible marriages that might have matched her (under surname Wilding). The first was to a William Mason at All Saints, Wigan in 1852; however she would only have been 16 at that time. The other was to a Robert Wane at St Thomas' Church, Upholland in 1859, when she would have been age 23. However no subsequent Census records of either of these gentlemen with a wife Margery have been found.

Alice Welding

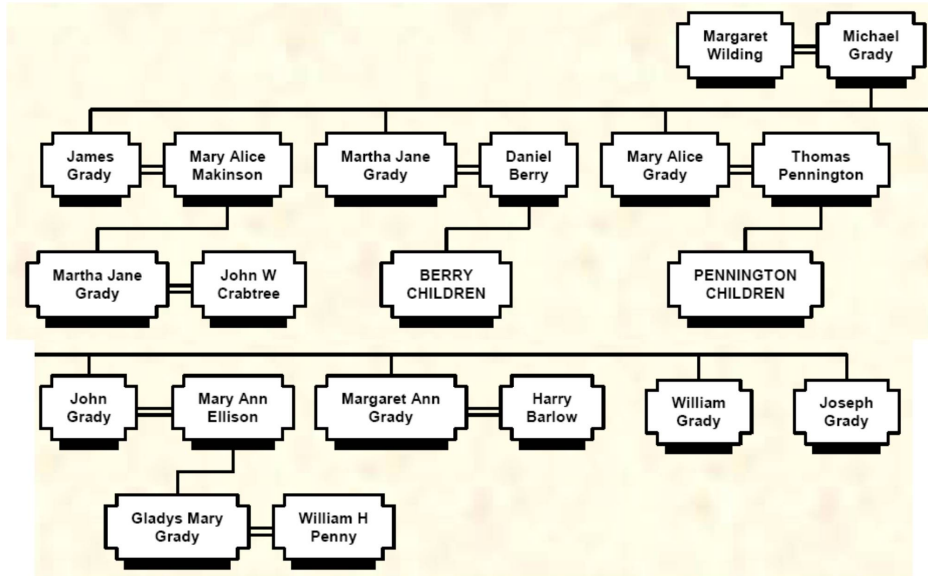
Alice was born in 1839 in Upholland, Lancashire, the sixth child of Job and Ann Welding, ne Pierrepoint.

The 1841 and 1851 Censuses saw her living with her parents and siblings at Millstone in Roby Mills, Upholland.

As with her sister Margery, no other definitive record of Alice has been found.

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THE MARGARET WILDING LINE



Margaret Wilding

Margaret was born in the first quarter of 1850 in Upholland, the third child of Job and Martha Wilding, nee Gaskell (reference Wigan Volume 21 Page 857).

She appeared in the 1851, 1861 and 1871 Censuses, living with her parents and siblings in Roby Mill, Upholland.

Margaret married *Michael Grady* in the fourth quarter of 1872 in Upholland (Reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 147). According to Family Tree information on Ancestry.co he was born ca 1849 in Westport, Ireland (reference Volume 4 Page 403), the son of Robert Grady (1813 -) and Bridget nee Unknown (1822 -). However Michael Grady was a common name and there remains some uncertainty as to whether the Index Record related to the Michael in question. There is an 1861 Census record for Hindley, Lancashire listing John and Bridget Grady and their family. John, Bridget and their eldest daughter Bridget are listed as born in Ireland, but the "ditto" against Michael's name has been crossed out and "England" substituted for him and the following children. Was this an error by the Census taker, and was Michael indeed born in Ireland? The matter is further compounded by Michael's age being shown as 8, which would make him born about 1853, not 1849. All this goes to prove that there is considerable uncertainty about Michael's history.

The 1881 Census shows Michael and Margaret living in Crowe Lane, Dalton. His occupation was given as coal miner and his birthplace Upholland, not Ireland! They had three children: James, age 7; Martha Jane, age 4; and Mary Alice, age 2. James was born in Standish, the others in Upholland.

The 1891 Census saw Michael and Margaret and their family living at 50 Lord Street, Hindley, Lancashire. Interestingly, Michael's birthplace was now given as Westport, Ireland. Their three children were with them, and they had another son, John, age 8, and another daughter, Margaret Ann, age 3, both born in Upholland.

The 1901 Census found Michael and Margaret now living at 22 Frances Street, Hindley. James and Martha had left home, but Mary Alice, John and Margaret were still there. There were two more children: Willie, age 9, and Joseph, age 7, both born in Hindley.

Michael died in the fourth quarter of 1906 (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 62).

The 1911 Census for Hindley listed, at 24 Francis Street, Margaret, a widow aged 60 and her three youngest children, all still single: Margaret, age 23 a winder in a cotton mill; William, age 19; and Joseph, age 17. Both boys were underground labourers in a colliery. The dwelling had four living rooms.

A Margaret Grady, born about 1851, died in the first quarter of 1925 in the Wigan area (reference Volume 8c Page 37). Despite the discrepancy of one year in the birth date, this was probably the Margaret in question.

Michael and Margaret had seven known children:

- James Grady, b. 1874
- Martha Jane Grady, b. 1876
- Mary Alice Grady, b. 1879
- John Grady, b. ca 1883
- Margaret Ann Grady, b. 1888
- William Grady, b. 1892
- Joseph Grady, b. ca 1894

James Grady

James was born in the first quarter of 1874 in Standish, Lancashire, the first child of Michael and Margaret Grady (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 1). Standish is a small town to the north east of Upholland and north of Wigan

He appeared in the 1881 and 1891 Censuses living with his parents and siblings

James married *Mary Alice Makinson* in the fourth quarter of 1895 in Bolton, Lancashire (reference Volume 8c Page 577). She was born in the fourth quarter of 1875 in Hindley (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 93).

The 1901 Census saw him living with his wife Mary at 28 Argyle Street, Hindley, with his wife Margaret A. His occupation was given as coal hewer. With them was a daughter, Martha J, age 5 and born in Hindley.

The 1911 Census found James and Mary living at 6 Lytton Street, Oldham, Lancashire. Their daughter Martha Jane was still with them and appeared to be their only child. Also living there was James' brother John, his wife Mary Ann and daughter Gladys Mary.

James died in the second quarter of 1934 in Oldham (reference Volume 8d Page 857).

Mary died aged 84 in the second quarter of 1960 in Oldham (reference Volume 10f Page 88).

James and Mary had one known child:

- Martha Jane Grady, b. 1895.

Martha Jane Grady (2)

Martha was born in the fourth quarter of 1895 in Hindley, the only known child of James and Mary Grady, nee Makinson (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 91).

The 1901 Census saw her, age 5, living with her parents at 28 Argyle Street, Hindley.

The 1911 Census saw her, age 15, living with her parents at 6 Lytton Street, Oldham, Lancashire. Her occupation was shown as cotton weaver.

Martha married *John W Crabtree* in the third quarter of 1919 in Oldham, Lancashire (reference Volume. 8d page 1431). There were many men of that name born in Lancashire and Yorkshire, and it is not possible to associate Birth or Index records with him.

No matching Death Index record has been found for Martha.

John and Martha had one known child:

- Winifred Crabtree, b. 1922

Winifred Crabtree

Winifred was born in the first quarter of 1922 in Oldham, Lancashire (reference Volume 8d Page 1102), the daughter of John and Martha Crabtree, nee Grady.

She died at or shortly after birth (reference Oldham Volume 8d Page 916).

Martha Jane Grady (1)

Martha was born in the fourth quarter of 1876 in Upholland, the second child of Michael and Margaret Grady, nee Wilding (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 133).

She appeared in the 1881 and 1891 Censuses living with her parents and siblings

Martha married *Daniel Berry* in the second quarter of 1900 in Hindley (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 48.) Daniel was born in the fourth quarter of 1874 in Hindley (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 106), the son of John Berry and Nancy nee Unknown.

The 1901 Census saw Daniel and Margaret living at 54 Chapel Green, Hindley. His occupation was coal hewer. They had two children: Leonard, age 4, and Jane, age one month, both born in Hindley.

The 1911 Census saw Daniel and Martha living at 3 Hutton Road, Skelmersdale. His occupation was shown as "datler above ground" (exactly what a "datler" did is unknown). John Leonard and Jane were with them, and there were four new children: Maggie, age 8; Joseph, age 6; Phyllis, age 3; and Ann, age ten months. Maggie and Joseph were born in Hindley, Phyllis in Leigh and Ann in Skelmersdale.

There are two possible Death Index records for a Martha J Berry, one born ca 1876 and the other ca 1875. One was in the first quarter of 1950 in Burnley, Lancashire (reference Volume 10b Page 794), the other in the fourth quarter of 1944 in Oldham, Lancashire (reference Volume 8d Page 857). Either of these could have been the Martha under notice.

A Daniel Berry, born ca 1874, died aged 81 in the fourth quarter of 1955 in Oldham (reference Volume 10f Page 72). This was likely the Daniel under notice.

Interestingly, the 1920 Census for School District 55, Musselhill, Montana USA shows a Daniel Berry, age 50, born in England, a coal miner who immigrated in 1917, and his daughter Maggie, age 17, also born in England and who immigrated in 1917. Daniel's age does not coincide with his birth year of 1874, but Maggie's does with hers. There is no mention of other family members, and no record has been found of their immigration. Is this just coincidence, and was this the Daniel and Maggie Berry under notice? If it was, had there been some sort of a family breakup and Daniel took one of his daughters to America with him; or were the rest of the family somewhere else on the night of the Census or back in England? The mystery remains.

Daniel and Martha had six known children, although there may have been others born after 1911. There are in fact Birth Index records for two children with surname Berry and mother's maiden name of Grady, but born in Oldham: William Berry and Mary E Berry. Oldham is some distance from Skelmersdale, but the family could well have moved. However the write has not included these two in the Genealogy:

- John Leonard Berry, b. ca 1897
- Jane Berry, b. 1901
- Maggie Berry, b. 1903
- Joseph Berry, b. 1904
- Phyllis Berry, b. 1907
- Ann Berry, b. 1910

John Leonard Berry

John was born ca 1897 in Hindley, Lancashire, the first child of Daniel and Martha Berry, nee Grady. There were numerous boys by the name of John Berry or Leonard Berry born in central Lancashire in 1896-97 and it is not possible to identify a particular record with him. The 1901 Census referred to him as Leonard, the 1911 Census as John Leonard.

He appeared in the 1901 and 1911 Censuses living with his parents and siblings in Hindley. At the latter his occupation was colliery top hand.

There were too many men by the name of John or Leonard Berry married in the years 1917-1930 to be able to identify one with the John Leonard under notice. Similarly, there were many men of that name recorded as dying in Lancashire.

Jane Berry

Jane was born in the second quarter of 1901 in Hindley, Lancashire, the second child of Daniel and Martha Berry, nee Grady (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 44).

She appeared in the 1901 and 1911 Censuses living with her parents and siblings in Hindley.

There were **at least** two possible marriages for Jane. One was to Edward Gee in the first quarter of 1923 in St Matthews Church, Highfield (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 34). The other was to Reuben Heyes in the third quarter of 1925 in the Wigan Registry Office (reference Volume 8c Page 202). It is noted that both those surnames occur in the Wigan area elsewhere in this Genealogy, suggesting they may have been a cousin of Jane.

A Jane Berry, born about 1900, died in the second quarter of 1949 in Wigan (reference Volume 10f Page 686). If she did not marry, this could possibly be the Jane Berry in question.

Maggie Berry

Maggie was born in the first quarter of 1903 in Hindley, Lancashire, the third child of Daniel and Martha Berry, nee Grady (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 90).

She appeared in the 1911 Census living with her parents and siblings in Hindley.

As mentioned in her father's entry earlier in this Genealogy, a Maggie Berry was found by the USA 1920 Census living with her father Daniel in School District 55, Musselshell, Montana USA. It is far from certain whether this was the Maggie under notice. However no Marriage record has been found for her in Wigan, although a couple of women of that name were married elsewhere in central Lancashire in the 1920s.

Joseph Berry

Joseph was born in the fourth quarter of 1904 in Hindley, the fourth child of Daniel and Martha Berry, nee Grady (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 105).

He appeared in the 1911 Census living with his parents and siblings in Hindley.

There were numerous men by that name married in Wigan in the 1920s-1930s and it is not possible to identify one with the Joseph under notice. **Similarly, there were many men of that name recorded as dying in Lancashire.**

Phyllis Berry

Phyllis was born in the fourth quarter of 1907 in Leigh, the fifth child of Daniel and Martha Berry, nee Grady (reference Volume 8c Page 281).

She appeared in the 1911 Census living with her parents and siblings in Hindley.

Phyllis married ***Richard Harold Harrison*** in the fourth quarter of 1931 in St Andrew's Church, Wigan (reference Volume 8c page 110). He was born on **3 September 1908** in Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 113).

A Phyllis Harrison, born 23 March 1907, died aged 97 in February 2005 in St Helens, Lancashire (Register B53C 0301B Entry 255). This may have been the Phyllis in question.

Richard died in the fourth quarter of 1976 in Wigan (reference Volume 39 Page 2472).

There are Birth Index records for four children with the surname Harrison and mother's maiden name of Berry. However one was born in the Chorley area, Lancashire earlier than their marriage so was

probably not theirs. One was born in the Burnley area in 1934, but Burnley is well away from Wigan so has been discounted. Two were born in 1935, one in Liverpool North and one in Wigan. The latter one has been accepted as the only probable child of theirs:

- Gordon Harrison, b. 1935

Gordon Harrison

Gordon was born in the second quarter of 1935 in Wigan, Lancashire (reference Volume 8c Page 118), the presumed son of Richard and Phyllis Harrison, nee Berry.

He married *Joan Mather* in the first quarter of 1958 in Wigan (reference Volume 10f Page 1661). There were many girls of that name born in Lancashire.

It is not certain whether Gordon and Joan had children. There were several with that surname and mother's maiden name of Mather born in Lancashire in the 1950s and 1960s, but none in Wigan.

Ann Berry

Ann was born in the third quarter of 1910 in Skelmersdale, the sixth child of Daniel and Martha Berry, nee Grady (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 879).

She appeared in the 1911 Census living with her parents and siblings in Hindley.

There are three possible marriages for Ann. One was to James Kearsley in the first quarter of 1931 in St James' Church Oldham (reference Volume 8d Page 935). A second was to Charles Woods in the third quarter of that year in the Oldham Registry Office (reference Volume 8d Page 2243). A third was to John William Lyon in the third quarter of 1935 in St Stephen's Church, Astley (reference Leigh Volume 8c 587). The latter one is considered the most likely of the three.

Mary Alice Grady

Mary was born in the second quarter of 1879 in Upholland, the third child of Michael and Margaret Grady, nee Wilding (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 143).

She appeared in the 1881, 1891 and 1901 Censuses living with her parents and siblings

Mary married *Thomas Pennington* in the second quarter of 1903 at All Saints Church, Hindley (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 41). He was born in Billinge in the first quarter of 1878, the son of Peter and Jane Pennington (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 164).

The 1911 Census found Thomas and Mary living at 63 George Street, Hindley. Thomas' occupation, predictably, was coal miner hewer. With them were three children: Stanley, age 4; Maggie, age 2; and Annie, age 3 months; all born in Hindley. There was also a boarder, Jane Walker, aged 71 and a widow, living with them. In his very neat handwriting, Thomas recorded that the house had three rooms including the kitchen so it must have been very crowded!

Mary died in the fourth quarter of 1938 in Ince, Lancashire (reference Volume 8c Page 69).

There are Death Index records for two men by the name of Thomas Pennington, both born about 1877 and both dying in Ince, in 1942 and 1958 respectively. Either of them could have been the Thomas under notice.

Thomas and Mary had four known children:

- Stanley Pennington, b. 1906
- Maggie Pennington, b. 1908
- Annie Pennington, b. 1911
- James Pennington, b. 1913

Stanley Pennington

Stanley was born in the third quarter of 1906 in Hindley, the first child of Thomas and Mary Pennington, nee Grady (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 83).

The 1911 Census saw him living with his parents and siblings in Hindley.

Stanley married *Alice Prescott* in the second quarter of 1933 in All Saints Church, Hindley (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 83). There were four girls of than name born in Wigan between 1895 and 1899 and it is not possible to determine which one would be the Alice under notice.

Stanley died in the fourth quarter of 1965 in Ince, Lancashire (reference Volume 10c Page 505).

There are numerous Death Index records for an Alice Prescott and without knowing her year and place of birth it is not possible to identify one with her.

Stanley and Alice had one known child:

- Sylvia M Pennington, b. 1939

Sylvia M Pennington

Sylvia was born in the first quarter of 1939 in Hindley, Lancashire (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 51), the daughter of Stanley and Alice Pennington nee Prescott.

There are two Marriage Index records for a woman of that name: to Brian P Morris in the fourth quarter of 1961 in Amounderness, Lancashire; and to Thomas Neely in the third quarter of 1969 in Liverpool. Either could relate to the Sylvia in question.

Maggie Pennington

Maggie was born on 23 December 1908 in Hindley, the second child of Thomas and Mary Pennington, nee Grady (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 90).

The 1911 Census saw her living with her parents and siblings in Hindley.

It seems likely that Maggie married *Thomas Hunt* in the second quarter of 1930 in the Prescott Registry Office (reference Volume 8b Page 1363). There were many boys of that name born in the years 1900-1915 in central Lancashire.

No further definitive record of them has been found.

Annie Pennington

Annie was born in the first quarter of 1911 in Hindley, the third child of Thomas and Mary Pennington, nee Grady (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 85).

The 1911 Census saw her living with her parents and siblings in Hindley.

There were a number of women by that name married in central Lancashire in the 1930s and it is not possible to identify one with the Annie under notice.

An Annie Pennington, born on 27 January 1911, died aged 91 in July 2002 in the Wigan area (Wigan & Leigh Register # D18B 0181D Entry 1). If Annie did not in fact marry, this could well have been her.

James Pennington

James was born in the fourth quarter of 1913 in Hindley, Lancashire (reference Wigan Volume 8c, Page 158) the son of Thomas and Mary Pennington, nee Grady.

There were several men of that name married in Lancashire in the 1930s and it is not possible to associate one with the James in question. Similarly there are numerous Death Index records in that name.

John Grady

John was born in the third quarter of 1882 in Upholland, the fourth child of Michael and Margaret Grady, nee Wilding (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 145).

He appeared in the 1891 and 1901 Censuses living with his parents and siblings.

John married *Mary Ann Ellison* in the third quarter of 1910 in All Saints Church, Hindley (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 46). She was born in the first quarter of 1876 in Hindley, Lancashire (reference Leigh Volume 8c Page 262).

The 1911 Census saw John and Mary living at 6 Lytton Street, Oldham, with his brother James and the latter's wife and daughter. John's occupation was given as coal miner hewer, and he and Mary had a daughter, Gladys Mary, age five months and born in Oldham.

John and Mary had two known children, with a third possibility:

- Gladys Mary Grady, b. 1910
- Joseph Grady, b. 1914
- Horace Grady, b. 1916

Gladys Mary Grady

Gladys was born in the fourth quarter of 1910 in Oldham, the first child of John and Mary Grady, nee Ellison (reference Volume 8d Page 559).

The 1911 Census saw her living with her parents in Oldham.

A Gladys M Grady married William H Penny in the third quarter of 1926 in Wrexham, Denbighshire, Wales (reference Volume 11b Page 395). The Gladys under notice would only have been fifteen at the time so there must be some doubt that it was her.

Joseph Grady

Joseph was born in the first quarter of 1914 in Oldham, Lancashire (reference Volume 8d Page 1250), the second child of John and Mary Grady, nee Ellison.

There were several men of that name married in Lancashire in the 1930s and it is not possible to associate one with the Joseph in question.

A Joseph Grady, born ca 1914, died in the first quarter of 1982 in Wigan (reference Volume 39 Page 2693). This was quite likely the Joseph under notice.

Horace Grady

Horace was born on 1 January 1916 in Wigan, Lancashire (reference Volume 8c Page 138), the presumed third child of John and Mary Grady, nee Ellison.

He married *Mary Tyler* in the third quarter of 1939 in Ince, Lancashire (reference Volume 8c Page 318). There were several girls of that name born in Lancashire in the 1910/1920 period.

Horace died in the third quarter of 1989 in Wigan (reference Volume 39 Page 1919).

Horace and Mary had three known children, all born in Ince: *Josephine M Grady*, born in the third quarter of 1940 (reference Volume 8c Page 194); *John Grady*, born in the fourth quarter of 1942 (reference Volume 8c Page 80); and *Lillian Grady*, born in the third quarter of 1944 (reference Volume 8c Page 130).

Margaret Ann Grady

Margaret (Maggie) was born in the first quarter of 1888 in Upholland, Lancashire (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 10), the fifth child of Michael and Margaret Grady, nee Wilding.

She appeared in the 1891 and 1901 Censuses living with her parents and siblings.

The 1911 Census saw her, age 23, single and a winder in a cotton mill, living with her widowed mother and brothers at 24 Francis Street, Hindley, Lancashire.

Margaret married *Harry Barlow* in the third quarter of 1913 in the Wigan Registry Office (reference Volume 8c Page 261). Several Harry Barlows were born in Lancashire in the likely timeframe and it is not possible to identify which of these would have been her spouse.

There are two possible Death Index records for Margaret: in the second quarter of 1951 in Leigh, Lancashire (reference Volume 10d Page 31); and in the second quarter of June 1963 in Manchester, Lancashire (reference Volume 10b Page 212). The Leigh record is the more likely one, as it is nearer to Wigan.

There are many Death Index records for a Harry Barlow, and without knowing his year and place of birth it is not possible to associate one with him.

It is not known whether Harry and Margaret had children.

William Grady

William was born in the first quarter of 1892 in Hindley, Lancashire, the sixth child of Michael and Margaret Grady (reference Wigan Volume 8c page 94). Hindley is a small town to the east of Wigan.

He appeared in the 1901 Censuses living with his parents and siblings.

The 1911 Census saw him, age 19, single and an underground labourer, living with his widowed mother and siblings at 24 Francis Street, Hindley, Lancashire.

A William Grady married a Lillian Holme in the second quarter of 1921 in the Registry Office, Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 218). A William Grady also married a Mary Hansbury in the third quarter of 1922 in the Registry Office, Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 236). Either of these could have been the William under notice.

William died in the fourth quarter of 1954 in Ince, Lancashire (reference Volume 10c Page 468).

Joseph Grady

Joseph was born in the first quarter of 1894 in Hindley, Lancashire, the seventh child of Michael and Margaret Grady (reference Wigan Volume 8c page 128).

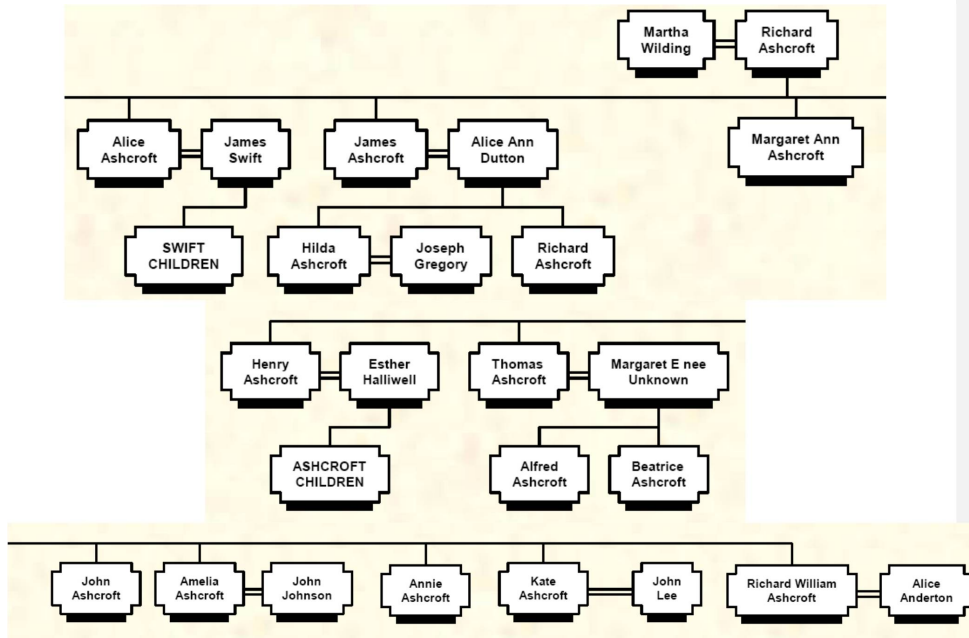
He appeared in the 1901 Censuses living with his parents and siblings.

The 1911 Census saw him, age 17, single and an underground labourer, living with his widowed mother and siblings at 24 Francis Street, Hindley, Lancashire.

There were several men of that name married in Lancashire and it is not possible to associate one with the Joseph in question. Similarly there are many Death Index records for a Joseph Grady, and without knowing his year and place of birth it is not possible to associate one with him.

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THE MARTHA WILDING LINE



Martha Wilding

Martha was born in the **second quarter of 1857** in Upholland, Lancashire (reference **Wigan Volume 8c Page 97**), the fourth child of Job and Martha Wilding, nee Gaskell.

She appeared in the 1861 and 1871 Censuses, living with her parents and siblings in Roby Mill, Upholland.

Martha married ***Richard Michael Ashcroft or Ascroft*** in the second quarter of 1877 in the Wigan Registry Office (reference Volume 8c page 136). The Marriage record gives his name as Ascroft, but later census records show Ashcroft. He was born on 16 April **1853 or 1854** in Upholland, the son of Henry (1829-) and Catherine Ashcroft, nee **Gaskell** (1836-1907). **The middle name of Michael appears only in one Family Tree on Ancestry.co and may not be correct. A Birth Index record suggest the year of birth was 1853, not 1854 as shown in most Family Trees on Ancestry.co (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 11), although this could be an error in extraction of the record.**

No 1881 Census record has been found, but the 1891 Census saw Richard and Martha residing at Bank Top, Upholland. His occupation was listed as coal miner, age 36 and born in Upholland. With them were their children: Henry, age 15 and a coal miner; Thomas, age 13 and also a coal miner; Alice, age 11; James, age 9; Margaret A, age 7; and John, age 3. All the children were born in Upholland. Also residing at the same address was a Catherine Gaskell and her family, who was presumably Martha's aunt.

It is a commentary on the grim days of the Industrial Revolution that children of 15 and 13 years of age were employed as coal miners!

The 1901 Census found Richard and Martha living at 50 Moss Lane, Hindley. With them were their sons James and John, and there was another son, Richard, age 1 and born in Platt Bridge, Lancashire,

just to the south west of Hindley. James' occupation was a coal hewer like his father, while John's was a core maker at an iron foundry. Then rather confusingly followed on the next page and at the same address four more children: Maggie, age 16, who may be the Margaret from the previous Census; Amelia, age 8; Annie, age 6; and Katy, age 4. The latter three children were born in Skelmersdale. It is most unusual for a census record to list the children of a family in other than descending order of age.

The 1911 Census for Skelmersdale, Lancashire listed at 7 Berry Street Richard, age 53 and a colliery hewer; Martha, age 51, married 34 years and mother of 10 children, eight still living; and their children: John, age 23 and a collier detailer underground; Amelia, age 18 and a cotton weaver; Katie, age 14 and a cotton weaver; and Richard, age 11. The dwelling had four living rooms so would have been cramped.

According to the Lancashire Births, Marriages & Deaths records a Richard Ashcroft died aged 75 in Skelmersdale in 1930 (registered at Preston, reference SKE/2/78). There is also a Death Index record for a Richard Ashcroft, born ca 1854, dying in the fourth quarter of 1930 in the Ormskirk area (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 955). Skelmersdale is equidistant from Wigan and Ormskirk, so the death could have been registered at either place. However Family Tree information on Ancestry.co suggests Richard died on 17 October 1947 in Bickerstaffe, Lancashire. No Death Index record has been found to support this. The 1930 date is confirmed by a burial record for the Parish of Skelmersdale, which shows Richard being buried on 3 December 1930, age 76 years, and his address as 7 Berry Street. Census records show the Richard who lived and died in Bickerstaffe was a different person entirely.

A Martha Ashcroft died in Ormskirk on 3 May 1939 age 81 (reference Volume 8b Page 810), which would tie in with the birth year of 1858 for the Martha under notice. She was buried on 8 May in the Parish of Skelmersdale, and her address was given as Dickett's Bridge, Lathom. This is confirmed by some of their children having that address.

Richard and Martha had ten children:

- Henry Ashcroft, b. 1877
- Thomas Ashcroft, b. 1878
- Alice Ashcroft, b. 1880
- James Ashcroft, b. 1882
- Margaret Ann Ashcroft, b. 1884
- John Ashcroft, b. 1888
- Amelia Ashcroft, b. 1892
- Annie Ashcroft, b. 1895
- Kate Ashcroft, b. 1897
- Richard William Ashcroft, b.1900

It is noted that the records for some of their children bear the surname Ascroft.

Henry Ashcroft

Henry was born in the second quarter of 1877 in Upholland, the first child of Richard and Martha Ashcroft, nee Wilding (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 72). The Birth record showed his surname as Ascroft.

The 1891 Census saw him living with his parents and siblings in Upholland.

Henry married an *Esther Halliwell* in the fourth quarter of 1895 in the Registry Office, Ormskirk (reference Volume 8b Page 1278). She was born in the second quarter of 1875 in Skelmersdale, the daughter of Edward and Alice Halliwell (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 784).

The 1901 Census saw Henry and Esther living at 93 Liverpool Road, Hindley. His occupation was given as colliery fireman (or foreman?) below ground. They had two children: Gilbert, age 5 and born in Skelmersdale; and Lilian E, age 6 months and born in Hindley.

The 1911 Census found Henry and Esther living at 8 Sutherland Street, Hindley. His occupation now appeared as general dealer, so apparently he escaped the grim coal mining industry. Gilbert and Lilian were with them, and there were two new children: Violet Isobel, age 4, and Margaret Ann, age seven months, both born in Hindley.

There are several Death Index records for a Henry Ashcroft, born ca 1875/1876 and dying in Lancashire, and it is not possible to attribute one to the Henry in question.

Esther died in the second quarter of 1942 in the Ince area of Lancashire (reference Ince Volume 8c Page 94).

Henry and Esther had four known children according to the 1911 Census. However six more children with surname Ashcroft and mother's maiden name Halliwell were born in Wigan in subsequent years: John E, born 3Q 1911; Catherine, born 1Q 1914; James, born 3Q 1914; Edward, born 3Q 1915; Francis L, born 2Q 1916; and William, born 4Q 1917. Obviously from the dates not all of these would have been born of the same parents, but some of them could well have been the children of Henry and Esther. In the absence of any Family Tree information on Ancestry.co on these six other children, they have been excluded from consideration in this Genealogy and only the four from the 1911 Census included:

- Gilbert Ashcroft, b. 1896
- Lilian Esther Ashcroft, b. 1900
- Violet Isobel Ashcroft, b. 1906
- Margaret Ann Ashcroft, b. 1910

Gilbert Ashcroft

Gilbert was born in the second quarter of 1896 in Skelmersdale, the first child of Henry and Esther Ashcroft, nee Halliwell (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 875).

The 1901 and 1911 Censuses saw him living with his parents and siblings in Hindley. At the latter his occupation was given as assistant to his father.

He married *Ellen Woodcock* in the fourth quarter of 1919 in All Saints Church, Hindley (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 53). Ellen was born on 2 March 1898 in Hindley (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 120).

Gilbert died on 20 December 1951 in Hindley (reference Ince Volume 10c Page 475). Probate of his Will was granted on 18 January 1952 in London to his widow Ellen. His address was given as 541 Atherton Road, Hindley Green and his effects totalled £1747 7s 5d.

Ellen died aged 88 in November 1986, probably in Hindley (reference Wigan Volume 39 Page 2273).

Gilbert and Ellen had one known child:

- Eric Ashcroft, b. 1920

Eric Ashcroft

Eric was born on 17 December 1920 in Hindley, Lancashire (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 166), the son of Henry and Ellen Ashcroft, nee Woodcock.

He married *Clarice Preston* in the second quarter of 1940 in Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 165). She was born in the third quarter of 1919 in the Ormskirk area (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 1436).

Eric died aged 81 in November 2002 in Wigan (Register # B18B 0181B Entry 27).

Several children with the surname Ashcroft and mother's maiden name of Preston were born in Lancashire in the 1940s, two of them in the Wigan area. These two were most likely the children of Eric and Clarice, viz *Rodney E Ashcroft*, born in the second quarter of 1941 (reference Ince Volume 8c Page 256); and *James E Ashcroft*, born in the fourth quarter of 1945 (reference Ince Volume 8c Page 123). In both cases the "E" probably stood for Eric.

Lilian Esther Ashcroft

Lilian was born in the fourth quarter of 1900 in Hindley, the second child of Henry and Esther Ashcroft, nee Halliwell (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 96).

The 1901 and 1911 Censuses saw her living with her parents and siblings in Hindley.

Lilian married *Robert A Pennington* in the third quarter of 1926 in the Emmanuel Methodist-United Reform Church, Ormskirk (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 1717). Several Robert Penningtons were born in the Wigan area in the 1890s/1900s. Two possible matches are a Robert Ashall Pennington, born in the first quarter of 1897 in Prescott (reference Volume 8b Page 804); and Robert Allan Pennington, born in the second quarter of 1901 in Ormskirk (reference Volume 8b Page 845). He was very likely a cousin of Lilian – see the [Margaret Wilding Lineage](#) earlier.

A Robert A Pennington, born ca 1898, died in the first quarter of 1963 in St Helens, Lancashire (reference Volume 10f Page 631). This was possibly the Robert under notice.

No matching Death Index record has been found for Lilian.

Robert and Lilian had two presumed children:

- Noel Pennington, b. 1926
- Thomas R Pennington, b. 1931

Noel Pennington

Noel was born in the fourth quarter of 1926 in the Ormskirk area, Lancashire (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 1324), the presumed son of Robert and Lilian Pennington, nee Ashcroft.

There are two possible marriages for Noel: to Annie Ryan in the third quarter of 1947 in Oldham, Lancashire (reference Volume 10f Page 246); or to Violet O Sharratt in the third quarter of 1945 in Ashton, Lancashire (reference Volume 8d Page 1757).

Thomas R Pennington

Thomas was born in the second quarter of 1931 in the Ormskirk area, Lancashire (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 1360), the presumed son of Robert and Lilian Pennington, nee Ashcroft.

There are three Marriage Index records for a Thomas R Pennington between 1953 and 1978, all in Oldham, Lancashire: to Mildred Fenton in the third quarter of 1953 (reference Volume 10f Page 122); to Geraldine I Young in the fourth quarter of 1967 (reference Volume 19f Page 126); or to Audrey M Wright in the second quarter of 1978 (reference Volume 39 Page 0134). Datewise, the 1953 record is the most likely match.

Violet Isobel Ashcroft

Violet was born in the third quarter of 1906 in Hindley, the third child of Henry and Esther Ashcroft, nee Halliwell (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 106).

The 1911 Census saw her living with her parents and siblings in Hindley.

Violet married *Fred Parr* in the fourth quarter of 1933 in the Wigan Registry Office (reference Volume 8c Page 180). There were many boys of that name born in central Lancashire in the 1900s.

Violet died on 1 November 1962 in the Whelley Hospital, Wigan (reference Volume 10f Page 756). Administration of her estate was granted on 20 November in London to her daughter Kathleen Winifred Rothwell. Her address was given as 28 Hereford Road, Hindley, and her effects totalled £230.

A Fred Parr, born 6 January 1902, died in the third quarter of 1979 in Leigh, Lancashire (reference Volume 39 Page 1866). This may well have been the Fred in question.

Fred and Violet had one definite child, with a second one unconfirmed:

- Kathleen Winifred Parr, b. 1934
- Valerie M Parr, b. 1938

Kathleen Winifred Parr

Kathleen was born in the third quarter of 1934 in Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 45), the daughter of Fred and Violet Parr, nee Ashcroft.

She married *John B Rothwell* in the second quarter of 1952 in the Wigan area (reference Ince Volume 10c Page 853). He was born in the first quarter of 1931 in Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 53) and his mother's maiden name was Topping.

John and Kathleen had one known child: *Glenn A Rothwell*, born in the fourth quarter of 1956 (reference Leigh Volume 10d Page 22).

Valerie M Parr

Valerie was born in the third quarter of 1938 in Bolton (reference Volume 8c Page 390), the presumed daughter of Fred and Violet Parr, nee Ashcroft. Certainly her mother's maiden name was Ashcroft, and the birth may well have been registered in Bolton instead of Wigan, or the family had moved there.

She married *Kevan Priestner* in the second quarter of 1960 in Bolton (reference Volume 10b Page 883). He was born in the first quarter of 1936 in Bolton (reference Volume 8c Page 383) and his mother's maiden name was Hope.

Kevan and Valerie had three children, all born in Bolton: *Sarah J Priestner*, born in the third quarter of 1961 (reference Volume 10b Page 772); *Lesley A Priestner*, born in the third quarter of 1962 (reference Volume 10b Page 866); and *Andrew C Priestner*, born in the third quarter of 1965 (reference Volume 10b Page 888).

Margaret Ann Ashcroft

Margaret was born in the third quarter of 1910 in Hindley, the fourth child of Henry and Esther Ashcroft, nee Halliwell (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 100).

The 1911 Census saw her living with her parents and siblings in Hindley.

There were numerous women of that name married in central Lancashire in the 1930s and it is not possible to associate one of them with the Margaret under notice.

Thomas Ashcroft

Thomas was born in 1878 in Upholland, the second child of Richard and Martha Ashcroft, nee Wilding. He was not the only Thomas Ashcroft born in Upholland at that time, however; according to the LDS FamilySearch another Thomas Ashcroft was born in 1878, the son of Michael Ashcroft. There were also two Thomas Ashcrofts registered in nearby Ormskirk in 1878. It therefore becomes impossible to identify with certainty which Birth record applies to the Thomas under notice.

The 1891 Census saw him living with his parents and siblings in Upholland.

Thomas married *Margaret Spencer* in the first quarter of 1898 in St George the Martyr Church, Bolton (reference Volume 8c Page 464). According to later Censuses she was born in 1879 in Skelmersdale. There were several girls of that name born in the area in that year and it is not possible to associate a Birth record with her.

The 1901 Census saw Thomas and Margaret living at 95 Platt Lane, Hindley. His occupation was given as coal hewer, while Margaret was age 23 and born in Skelmersdale. They had two children: Alfred, age 2 and born in Bolton; and Beatrice, age 1 and born in Hindley.

The 1911 Census saw Thomas and Margaret living at 207 Liverpool Road, Hindley. His occupation was shown as colliery screen labourer above ground. Alfred and Beatrice were still with them, and there appear to have been no other children since.

A Thomas Ashcroft, born ca 1878, died in the first quarter of 1952 in the Wigan area (reference Ince Volume 10c Page 573). This was probably the Thomas under notice.

There were several Death Index records for a Margaret Ashcroft and it is not possible to identify one with her.

Thomas and Margaret had two known children:

- Alfred J Ashcroft, b. 1898
- Beatrice Ashcroft, b. 1900

Alfred J Ashcroft

Alfred was born on 9 May 1898 in Bolton, the first child of Thomas and Margaret Ashcroft, nee Spencer (reference Volume 8c Page 377).

The 1901 and 1911 Censuses saw him living with his parents and sister in Hindley.

There are at least three possible marriages for Alfred in the Wigan area over ensuing years: to Margaret Molyneux in the third quarter of 1919 (reference Volume 8c Page 165); to Hannah Jackson in the second quarter of 1923 (reference Volume 8c Page 168); and to a Selby in the fourth quarter of 1926 (reference Volume 8c Page 4). *The Amos and Molyneux Family Trees on Ancestry.co show him marrying Margaret Molyneux*, and this has been accepted in good faith by the writer. She was born on 9 May 1899 in Pemberton, Lancashire (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 144), the daughter of James Molyneux (1863-1929) and Margaret Green (1864-1919).

Alfred died on 7 May 1973 in Wigan (reference Volume 10f Page 1885).

Margaret died in the second quarter of 1977 in Wigan (reference Volume 39 Page 2411).

According to Family Tree information on Ancestry.co Alfred and Margaret had three children, but the names of only two are known:

- Leslie Ashcroft, b. 1920
- Beatrice Ashcroft, b. 1922

Leslie Ashcroft

Leslie was born on 17 April 1920 in Wigan, Lancashire (reference Volume 8c Page 235), the son of Alfred and Margaret Ashcroft, nee Molyneux.

He married *Jessie Gilligan* in the second quarter of 1943 in Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 36). She was born in the first quarter of 1922 in Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 164) and her mother's maiden name was Jones.

Leslie died on 20 June 1979 in Wigan (reference Volume 39 Page 2462).

Jessie is believed to have died about 2000.

Leslie and Jessie had two children: *Alan Ashcroft*, born in the fourth quarter of 1945 in Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 52); and *Derek Ashcroft*, born in the fourth quarter of 1946 in Wigan (reference Volume 10f Page 1328), and said to have died in 2010.

Beatrice Ashcroft (2)

Beatrice was born in the fourth quarter of 1922 in Wigan, Lancashire (reference Volume 8c Page 97), the daughter of Alfred and Margaret Ashcroft, nee Molyneux.

There were several marriages of a Beatrice Ashcroft in Lancashire from 1940 and it is not possible to associate one with the Beatrice under notice.

Beatrice Ashcroft (1)

Beatrice was born in the first quarter of 1900 in Hindley, the second child of Thomas and Margaret Ashcroft, nee Spencer (reference Wigan Volume 8c page 139).

The 1901 and 1911 Census saw her living with her parents and brother in Hindley.

There are several possible marriages for Beatrice in the central Lancashire area over ensuing years. The most likely one is to a James Harrison in the fourth quarter of 1923 in St Catherine's Church, Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 105), but without more information it cannot be certain that this was the Beatrice under notice.

Alice Ashcroft

Alice was born in the first quarter of 1880 in Upholland, the third child of Richard and Martha Ashcroft, nee Wilding (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 108).

The 1891 Census saw her living with her parents and siblings in Upholland.

There are several marriages of an Alice Ashcroft in the Wigan area around 1900-1902, but the best match, supported by a census record, was to *James Swift* in the third quarter of 1900 at St Peter's Church, Hindley, where she would have been living with her parents at that time (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 53). James was born in 1878 in Lathom, Lancashire and baptised on 8 September of that year in the Parish Church, Skelmersdale. In 1891 he was living with his widowed father and grandparents in Lathom. At the age of 12 he was a pony driver in a coal mine!

The 1901 Census saw Alice and James living at 67 Summer Street, Skelmersdale. James' occupation was coal hewer, age 22 and born in Lathom, Lancashire.

James died in Lathom in the first quarter of 1910 at the early age of 31 (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 546). Perhaps the coal mining industry had claimed another victim!

The 1911 Census saw Alice, now widowed, living at 13 Berry Street, Skelmersdale. With her were her three sons: Richard, age 7; Stanley, age 5, and James Wilfred, age 2, all born in Skelmersdale.

Alice then married *William Barton* in the second quarter of 1913 in St Paul's Church, Skelmersdale (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 1279). He was born on 19 March 1882 in Skelmersdale, the son of Thomas Barton (1850-1908) and Ann Winstanley (1851-1925). He had previously been married to Florence Elizabeth Lawless in 1908, by whom he had two daughters.

William died on 18 March 1928 in Skelmersdale (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 1128). He was buried in the Skelmersdale Parish Churchyard. Administration of his estate was granted on 24 April in London to his widow Alice. His address was given as 12 Berry Street, Skelmersdale and his effects totalled £221 0s 3d.

Alice died in the third quarter of 1935 in Skelmersdale (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 710).

James and Alice had three children:

- Richard Swift, b. 1904
- Stanley Swift, b. 1905
- James Wilfred Swift, b. 1908

William and Alice had one child:

- Maggie Barton, b. 1913

Richard Swift

Richard was born on 1 January 1904 in Skelmersdale, the first child of James and Alice Swift, nee Ashcroft (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 934). The date has been supplied by the Taylor Family Tree on Ancestry.co.

The 1911 Census saw him living with his widowed mother and brothers in Skelmersdale.

Richard married *Edith Taylor* in February 1925 in St Paul's Church.



Skelmersdale (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 906). She was born on 30 December 1903 in Skelmersdale, the daughter of Albert Taylor and Hannah Hadfield (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 933). The Taylor family bible gave the date as 1 January 1928, but the 5 may have been mistaken for an 8.

Richard died on 10 July 1984 in Maghull, Lancashire (reference West Lancashire Volume 40 Page 2236). Edith died on 16 February 1992, probably also at Maghull (reference West Lancashire Volume 40 Page 2292). They were buried in the Skelmersdale Parish Churchyard.

Richard and Edith had two known children, but the name of only one is known:

- James Albert Swift, b. 1925



James Albert Swift

James was born on 21 April 1925, probably in Skelmersdale, the first child of Richard and Edith Swift, nee Taylor (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 1555).

He married *Muriel Joy Bannister* in the first quarter of 1954 in the Congregational Chapel, Rainford (reference Prescott Volume 10f Page 519). She was born in the first quarter of 1936 in St Helens, Lancashire (reference Volume 8b Page 1249) and her mother's maiden name was Williams.

Muriel died in the fourth quarter of 1982 in Liverpool (reference Volume 36 Page 0509).

James died in December 2001 in the Wigan area, possibly in Skelmersdale (reference Wigan & Leigh A17B 0181A 131).

James and Muriel are said to have had four children, but the names of only two are known: *Richard James Swift*, born in the third quarter of 1954 (reference Ormskirk Volume 10f Page 175) and who died aged 16 on 14 March 1971 (reference Volume 10d Page 777); and *Paul G Swift*, born in the fourth quarter of 1959 (reference Ormskirk Volume 10f Page 176). Richard was buried with his grandparents in the Skelmersdale Parish churchyard.

Stanley Swift

Stanley was born on 26 November 1905 in Skelmersdale, the second child of James and Alice Swift, nee Ashcroft (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 877).

The 1911 Census saw him living with his widowed mother and brothers in Skelmersdale.

Stanley married *Sarah Ann Moorfield* in the third quarter of 1927 in the Ormskirk Registry Office (reference Volume 8b Page 1766). She was born on 13 April 1907 in Ince, Lancashire (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 101).

Stanley died in the third quarter of 1969 in Skelmersdale (reference Ormskirk Volume 10f Page 334).

Sarah died aged 91 in the fourth quarter of 1998 in West Lancashire (Register # 10A 5901B Entry 13).

Stanley and Sarah had one known son:

- Clifford Swift, b. 1930

Clifford Swift

Clifford was born on 16 May 1930 in the Ormskirk area (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 1460), the son of Stanley and Sara Swift, nee Moorfield.

There were several men of that name married in Lancashire and it is not possible to positively identify him with one of them.

Clifford died in February 2003 in Sefton North, Merseyside (Register # 70A 034/1A Entry 146).

James Wilfred Swift

James was born on 4 August 1908 in Skelmersdale, the third child of James and Alice Swift, nee Ashcroft (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 930).

The 1911 Census saw him living with his widowed mother and brothers in Skelmersdale.

James married *Mary Elizabeth Snailham* in the second quarter of 1929 in St Paul's Church, Skelmersdale (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 1369). She was born in the Ormskirk area on 6 May 1907, the daughter of Thomas and Elizabeth Snailham (reference Volume 8b Page 935). The Marriage record used the spelling "Snaylam" but in the Birth record her name appeared as "Snailham", and the 1911 Census form, completed by her father, also used that spelling.

James died in the fourth quarter of 1986 in West Lancashire (reference Volume 40 Page 2262).

Mary died aged 90 in April 1998 in West Lancashire (Register # 8A 5901A Entry245).

According to Family Tree information on Ancestry.co James and Mary had one daughter; however Birth Index records indicate they had twin girls. As will be seen, one of the twins died at or shortly after birth, and this would account for her not being shown in the Family Trees:

- Lilian Swift, b. 1934
- Olive Swift, b. 1934

Lilian Swift

Lilian was born in the third quarter of 1934 in Ormskirk, Lancashire (reference Volume 8b Page 1285), the twin daughter of James and Mary Swift, nee Snailham.

She married *Thomas Hayton* in the first quarter of 1956 in Ormskirk (reference Volume 10f Page 340).

Olive Swift

Olive was born in the third quarter of 1934 in Ormskirk, Lancashire (reference Volume 8b Page 1285), the twin daughter of James and Mary Swift, nee Snailham.

She died at or shortly after birth (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 698).

Maggie Barton

Maggie was born on 4 October 1913 in Ormskirk, Lancashire (reference Volume 8b Page 1666), the daughter of William and Alice Barton, nee Swift.

She married *George Rawsthorne* in the third quarter of 1935 in Skelmersdale, Lancashire (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 1958). He was born on 20 March 1912 in Ormskirk (reference Volume 8b Page 1579).

George died in the second quarter of 1985 in Ormskirk (reference West Lancashire Volume 40 Page 2356).

Maggie died aged 90 in December 2003 in Ormskirk (West Lancashire Register # 22A 590/1A Entry 259).

George and Maggie had two children: *Gordon W Rawsthorne*, born in the first quarter of 1936 (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 1306); and *Gerald Rawsthorne*, born in the fourth quarter of 1939 (reference Prescott Volume 8b Page 1277).

James Ashcroft

James was born on 1 April 1882 and baptised on 21 April of that year in Upholland, the fourth child of Richard and Martha Ashcroft, nee Wilding (reference Wigan Volume 8c page 121). The LDS FamilySearch had the surname recorded as Ascroft.

The 1891 and 1901 Censuses saw him living with his parents and siblings in Upholland and Hindley respectively.

James married *Alice Ann Dutton* in the third quarter of 1905 in St Andrew's Church, Longton (reference Preston Volume 8c Page 1235). She was born in the second quarter of 1880 in Little Hoole, Lancashire, the daughter of Robert and Ellen Dutton, nee Walsh (reference Preston Volume 8e Page 545).

The 1911 Census saw James and Alice living at 12 Maudsley Street, Hindley. His occupation was given as collier hewer. They had two children: Hilda, age 8 and born in Welby, Wigan; and Richard, age 4 and born in Platt Bridge, Wigan. **Alice was the mother of three children, but one had since died.**

A James Ashcroft, born ca 1882, died in the third quarter of 1950 (reference Ormskirk Volume 10f Page 127). This may well have been the James in question, but as his was a common name there is no absolute certainty.

Alice died on 4 October 1952 in the Preston area (reference Amounderness Volume 10b Page 1). Probate of her Will was granted on 20 November in Lancaster to her sons Robert Dutton Ashcroft, railway timekeeper, and James Richard Ashcroft, fitter. Her address was shown as 8 Rawcliffe Row, Walmer Bridge via Longton, Lancashire, and her effects totalled £2871 0s 10d.

James and Alice had **four** known children, plus one other deceased, name unknown:

- Hilda Ashcroft, b. 1903
- Richard Ashcroft, b. 1907
- Robert Dutton Ashcroft, b. 1911 (?)
- James Richard Ashcroft, b. 1914

Hilda Ashcroft

Hilda was born ca 1903 in Welby, Wigan, according to the 1911 Census, the first child of James and Alice Ashcroft, nee Dutton. No definitive Birth record has been found. There were three children of that name born in the fourth quarter of 1904, two registered in Prescot and one in Rochdale, but none in Wigan in 1903 or 1904. As she was clearly born out of wedlock, her parents not marrying until 1905, possibly her birth went unrecorded at the time.

The 1911 Census saw her living with her parents and brother in Hindley.

Hilda married *Joseph Gregory* in the third quarter of 1923 in St Paul's Church, Goose Green, Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 39). There were a number of boys of that name born around 1900 and it is not possible to identify one of them with the Joseph under notice.

A Hilda Gregory, born 13 August 1902, died in the third quarter of 1980 in Wigan (reference Volume 39 Page 1925). This could possibly be the Hilda under notice. However there are Death Index for others of that name, born in 1903-1904.

There are numerous Death Index records for a Joseph Gregory.

There are Birth Index records for five children with surname Gregory and mother's maiden name of Ashcroft, two of them born in Wigan and three in Bolton. Some but not all of them could be the children of Joseph and Hilda, but in the absence of any other Family Tree information on Ancestry.co it is not possible to definitely establish this. However the names are listed for reference: David C Gregory, b. 4Q 1920 in Bolton; Beatrice E Gregory, b. 4Q 1923 in Bolton; Richard Gregory, born 1Q 1924 in Wigan; Lydia J Gregory, b. 4Q 1925 in Bolton; and Gladys Gregory, b. 3Q 1928 in Wigan

From examination of the dates it is clear that David would have been born three years before Joseph and Hilda married, and that Beatrice and Richard would not have been born in contiguous quarters. It therefore seems safe to omit the Bolton children and accept the two born in Wigan as belonging to Joseph and Hilda:

- Richard Gregory, b. 1924
- Gladys Gregory, b. 1928

Richard Gregory

Richard was born in the first quarter of 1924 in Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 190), the presumed son of Joseph and Hilda Gregory, nee Ashcroft.

He died in the fourth quarter of the same year in Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 117).

Gladys Gregory

Gladys was born in the third quarter of 1928 in Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 152), the presumed daughter of Joseph and Hilda Gregory, nee Ashcroft.

There are two possible Marriage Index records for Gladys, both in Wigan: to Charles Winnard in the second quarter of 1947 (reference Volume 10f Page 1801); or to a Mr Broadbridge in the second quarter of 1950 (reference Volume 10f Page 1332). However the latter appears to be an extraction error, as no reverse entry for Broadbridge-Gregory has been found. The marriage to Charles Winnard

might therefore be accepted, but the Death Index record for Gladys Winnard show her being born in 1924, not 1928, so doubt must remain about that marriage. There is also a Death Index record for a Gladys Gregory, born ca 1924, dying in April 1995 in Wigan.

The matter therefore remains unresolved as to whether Gladys married or died a spinster.

Richard Ashcroft

Richard was born in the fourth quarter of 1907 in Wigan, the second child of James and Alice Ashcroft, nee Dutton (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 111).

The 1911 Census saw him living with his parents and sister in Hindley.

There were several possible marriages for Richard in the late 1920s and the 1930's. The most likely one, and the only one in Wigan, was to Elizabeth Bennett in the third quarter of 1930 in St Thomas' Church, Upholland (reference Volume 8c page 130). However it is impossible to be certain of this.

Robert Dutton Ashcroft

Robert is believed to have been born in the second quarter of 1911 in the Prescott area (reference Prescott Volume 8b Page 747), presumably the son of James and Alice Ashcroft, nee Dutton. He did not appear in the Census for that year. Strangely, his Death Index record gives his birth date as 19 June 1906. It has been assumed that he was their son, as he was named as an executor of Alice's Will, but perhaps this was not the case and that he was a relative of some kind.

He married *Elizabeth Septon* in the second quarter of 1935 in Ormskirk, Lancashire (reference Volume 8b Page 1699). An Elizabeth M Septon was born in the second quarter of 1914 in Chorlton, Lancashire (reference Volume 8c Page 1513) and possibly this was her.

Robert died in the second quarter of 1995 in the Preston area (reference Volume 40 Page 1954).

It is not known whether Robert and Elizabeth had children.

James Richard Ashcroft

James was born on 2 December 1914 in the Preston area (reference Volume 8e Page 855), the son of James and Alice Ashcroft, nee Dutton.

He married *Alice Wareing* in the third quarter of 1942 in Ormskirk (reference Volume 8b Page 1697). There were several girls by that name born in Lancashire between 1911 and 1915.

James died in August 1988 in the Preston area (reference Volume 40 Page 1806).

James and Alice had two known children: *Kenneth R Ashcroft*, born in the fourth quarter of 1943 in Ormskirk (reference Volume 8b Page 1098); and *Dorothy Ashcroft*, born in the first quarter of 1946 in Southport, Lancashire (reference Volume 8b Page 1347).

Margaret Ann Ashcroft

Margaret was born on 3 November 1884 and baptised on 8 December of that year in Upholland, the fifth child of Richard and Martha Ashcroft, nee Wilding (reference Wigan Volume 8c page 132). The LDS FamilySearch had the surname recorded as Ascroft.

The 1891 and 1901 Censuses saw her living with her parents and siblings in Upholland and Hindley respectively.

There were many girls by the name of Margaret Ashcroft married in the Wigan area in the years 1905-1920. The closest two matches are of a Margaret Ann Ashcroft to a Thomas Richardson in the third quarter of 1906 in St Catherine's Church, Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 134); and a Margaret Ann Ascroft to a Charles Frederick Little in the second quarter of 1907 in St Thomas' Church, Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 153). Reference to the 1911 Census ruled out the latter, and there are too many Thomas Richardsons listed to make look-up possible.

A Margaret Ann Ashcroft, born about 1885, died aged 22 in the third quarter of 1907 in Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 61). This could well have been the Margaret under notice, and would account for her absence from the 1911 Census.

John Ashcroft

John was born in the fourth quarter of 1888 in Upholland, the sixth child of Richard and Martha Ashcroft, nee Wilding (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 145). The Births, Marriages & Deaths Index gave his surname as Ascroft.

The 1891, 1901 and 1911 Censuses saw him living with his parents and siblings in Upholland and Hindley respectively. At the latter his occupation was collier detailer underground.

There were many men by the name of John Ashcroft or Ascroft married in the Wigan area between 1907 and 1925, and none that seem a close match to the John under notice.

Amelia Ashcroft

Amelia was born on 30 July 1892 and baptised on 22 August of that year in Skelmersdale, the seventh child of Richard and Martha Ashcroft, nee Wilding (reference Ormskirk Volume 8 Page 864).

The 1901 and 1911 Censuses saw her living with her parents and siblings in Hindley.

Amelia married *John Johnson* in the fourth quarter of 1915 in St Paul's Church, Skelmersdale (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 1733). A John Johnson was born in Skelmersdale in 1882 to Thomas and Ellen Johnson, and this is quite likely him.

Amelia died aged 80 in the fourth quarter of 1972 in the Ormskirk area (reference Volume 10f Page 459).

There are Birth Index records for two children with surname Johnson and mother's maiden name Ashcroft, one born in Ormskirk and the other in Prescot, which is some distance away from Ormskirk. As other Family Trees on Ancestry.co only show Gladys, for the present at least William has been discounted as being their son:

- Gladys Johnson, b. 1916

Gladys Johnson

Gladys was born on 16 September 1916 in Westhead, near Ormskirk, Lancashire (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 1488), the daughter of John and Amelia Johnson, nee Ashcroft.

She married *John Hardman* on 22 April 1943 in Ormskirk (reference Volume 8b Page 1389). He was born on 11 January 1913 in Ormskirk (reference Volume 8b Page 1718), the son of Edward Hardman and Isabella Rimmer.

John died on 15 April 1977 in West Lancashire (reference Volume 40 Page 2382).

Gladys died on 12 October 1995 in Hereford Hospital, Herefordshire (Register # A10D 5161A Entry 240).

John and Gladys had two children:

- John Anthony Hardman, b. 1946
- Susan M Hardman, b. 1959

John Anthony Hardman

John was born on 12 April 1946 in Westhead, Lancashire (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 1437), the son of John and Gladys Hardman, nee Johnson.

He married *Ann Margaret Gilmour* in the third quarter of 1969 in Ormskirk (reference Volume 10f Page 322). She was born on 15 February 1947 in Liverpool North (reference Volume 10d Page 591a), the daughter of William Gilmour (1917-1995) and Elsie Marjorie nee Unknown (1918-1981).

John and Ann were divorced around 1995.

Ann died on 7 December 1998 in Bolton, Lancashire (Register # D67A 0021D Entry 181).

John and Ann had one child:

- Stephanie Kate Hardman, b. 1972

Stephanie Kate Hardman

Stephanie was born on 28 April 1972 in the Leigh area of Lancashire (reference Volume 10d Page 61), the daughter of John and Ann Hardman, nee Gilmour.





She married *Ralston M Wild* on 29 June 1996 in Bolton, Lancashire (reference Volume 2 Page 19 Register # C24 Entry 177).

Ralston and Stephanie were subsequently divorced and Stephanie then married *Name Unknown Hughes* on 24 July 2010 in Peckforton, Cheshire.

Ralston and Stephanie had two children: *Benjamin Wild*, born on 15 June 1998 in Bolton; and *Mia Jade Wild*, born on 1 March 2000 in Bolton.



Stephanie and her second husband have one known child: *Oliver Lawrence Hughes*, born on 23 April 2012 in Bolton.



Susan M Hardman

Susan was born in the second quarter of 1959 in the Ormskirk area of Lancashire (reference Volume 1 of Page 196), the daughter of John and Gladys Hardman, nee Johnson.

There were several women of that name married in Lancashire from 1976, but none in Ormskirk, and it is not possible to definitely associate one with the Susan in question.

Annie Ashcroft

Annie was born in the second quarter of 1895 in Skelmersdale, the eighth child of Richard and Martha Ashcroft, nee Wilding (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 886).

The 1901 Census saw her living with her parents and siblings in Hindley.

Annie died aged six in the second quarter of 1901 in Hindley (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 50). She was buried in Grave B 4-509 in the Church of England Cemetery, Hindley.

Kate Ashcroft

Kate was born in 1897 in Skelmersdale, Lancashire, the ninth child of Richard and Martha Ashcroft, nee Wilding. No matching Birth record has been found.

The 1901 and 1911 Censuses saw her living with her parents and siblings in Hindley.

Kate married *John Lee* in the third quarter of 1921 in the Methodist Church, Upholland (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 275). He was born on 4 December 1899 in Skelmersdale (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 871), the son of William and Mary Lee, nee Unknown, and was baptised on 4 February 1900 in the Skelmersdale Parish Church. The Baptism Register showed his surname as "Lea".

Kate died on 25 January 1948 in Skelmersdale (reference Ormskirk Volume 10f Page 167) and was buried on the 28th of that month in the Skelmersdale Parish Churchyard. Her address was shown as being Dalton Lees, Dicketts Bridge, Lathom. Probate of her Will was granted on 3 July in Liverpool to her brother Richard William Ashcroft, builder, and John Hardman, driver, her nephew. Her effects totalled £4,87 12s 10d.

John died in the fourth quarter of 1973 in the Ormskirk area (reference Volume 10f Page 456).

Both John and Kate were interred in the same grave as their daughter Mildred, who had predeceased them.

John and Kate had two known children:

- Martha Lee, b. 1922
- Mildred Lee, b. 1925

Martha Lee

Martha was born on 18 August 1922, probably in Upholland or Skelmersdale, Lancashire (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 232), the daughter of John and Kate Lee, nee Ashcroft.

She married *George Yates* in the third quarter of 1940 in Ormskirk (reference Volume 8b Page 2551). He was born on 22 December 1920 in Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 231), the son of Joseph Yates (1881-1955) and Margaret Alice Glover (1885-).

Martha died in November 1990 in Sefton North, Merseyside (reference Volume 37 Page 280).

George died aged 80 in March 2001 in Sefton North (Register # 64A 0341A Entry 256).

According to the Yates Family Tree on Ancestry.co George and Martha had three sons and four daughters. However only three related Birth Index records have been found, all in Ormskirk:

Pauline M Yates, born in the fourth quarter of 1942 (reference Volume 8b Page 1113); *David P Yates*, born in the third quarter of 1946 (reference Volume 10f Page 250); and *Rosemary*

Yates, born in the fourth quarter of 1947 (reference Volume 10f Page 219). There is also a Jeannie F Yates, mother's maiden name also shown as Yates, born in the first quarter of 1943 (reference Volume 8b Page 1253), who could also be their child. The identities of the remaining children, if they in fact exist, remain unknown.

Mildred Lee

Mildred was born in the second quarter of 1925, probably in Upholland or Skelmersdale, Lancashire (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 1557), the daughter of John and Kate Lee, nee Ashcroft.

Mildred died aged 19 on 15 December 1944 in Ormskirk (reference Volume 8b Page 758). She was buried on 19 December in the Skelmersdale Parish Churchyard (Rank 9 Grave 1049). Her address was shown as Dicketts Bridge, Lathom. Her parents would later join her in the same grave.

Richard William Ashcroft

Richard was born on 16 December 1899 in Platt Bridge, Lancashire, the tenth child of Richard and Martha Ashcroft, nee Wilding (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 103).

The 1901 and 1911 Censuses saw him living with his parents and siblings in Hindley.

Richard married *Alice Anderton* in the second quarter of 1925 in St Paul's Church, Skelmersdale (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 412). There are too many Alice Andertons listed as being born ca 1900 in Lancashire and it is not possible to identify her.

An Alice Ashcroft, born 1901, died in the first quarter of 1979 in West Lancashire (reference Volume 40 Page 2880). This could well have been the Alice under notice.

Richard died aged 81 in the first quarter of 1981 in West Lancashire (reference Volume 40 Page 2515).

Richard and Alice had two known children:

- Edna Ashcroft, b. 1925
- Ronald Ashcroft, b. 1930

Edna Ashcroft

Edna was born on 13 January 1925, probably in Skelmersdale, Lancashire (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 1433), the daughter of Richard and Alice Anderton, nee Ashcroft.

She married *George Lowe* in the first quarter of 1945 in Ormskirk (reference Volume 8b Page 1360). There were many men of that name born in Lancashire in the 1910s-1920s period and it is not possible to identify him.

Edna died in April 1999 in West Lancashire (Register # 11A 5901A Entry 276).

It is not known whether George and Edna had children.

Ronald Ashcroft

Ronald was born in the third quarter of 1930, probably in Skelmersdale, Lancashire (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 1421), the son of Richard and Alice Anderton, nee Ashcroft.

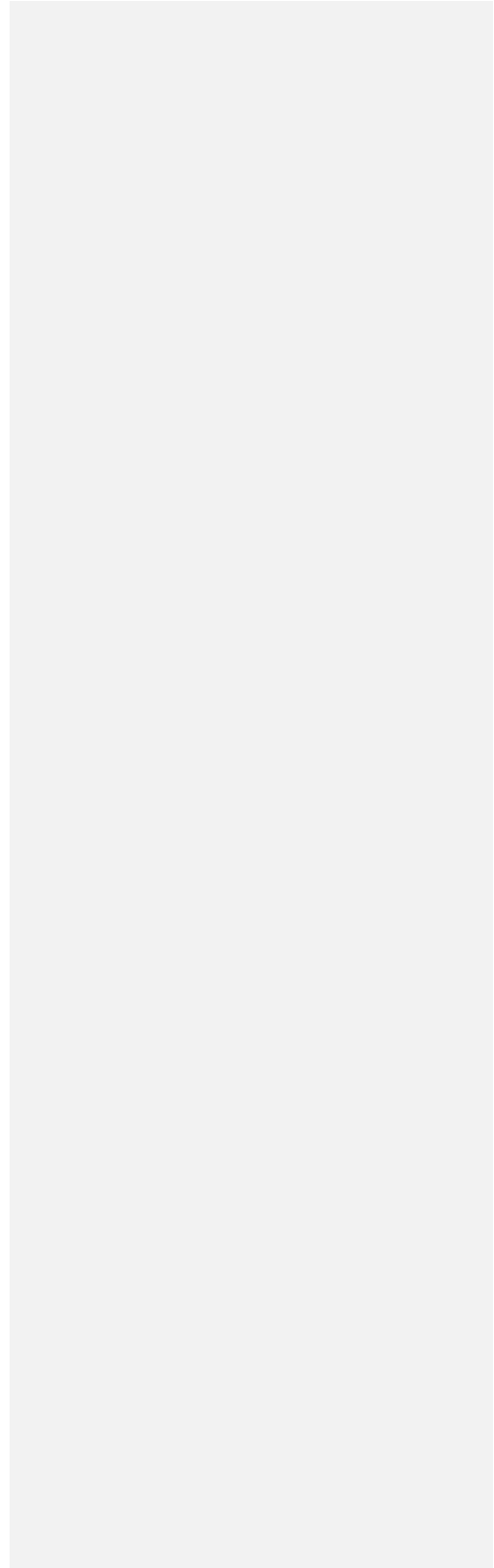
He married *Jean Fazakerley* in the fourth quarter of 1949 in Ormskirk (reference Volume 10f Page 255). She was born on 17 May 1930 in Ormskirk (reference Volume 8b Page 1380) and her mother's maiden name was Hesketh.

Jean died in the second quarter of 1998 in West Lancashire (Register # 9A 5902 Entry 164).

Ronald and Jean had one known child: *Christine A Ashcroft*, born in the second quarter of 1951 in Ormskirk (reference Volume 10f Page 202).

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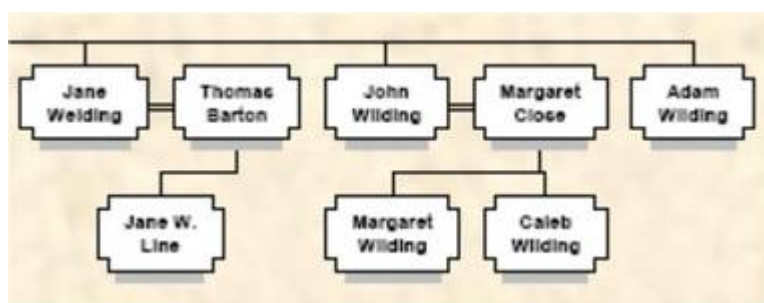
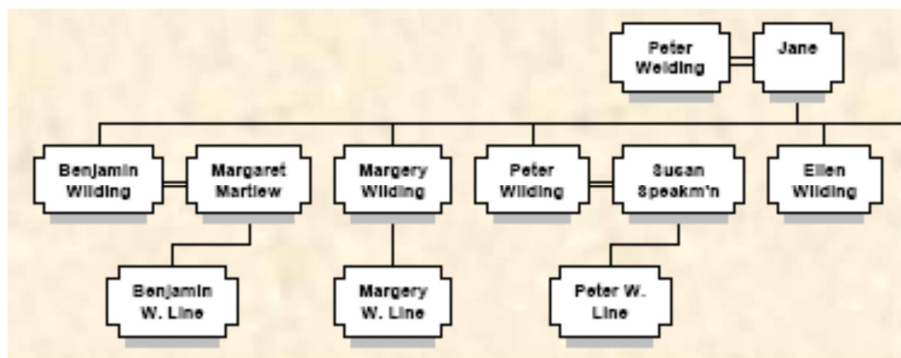
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PART FOUR – THE PETER WELDING (WILDING) LINEAGE

As was explained earlier, all the children of Peter and Jane Welding assumed the surname of Wilding.



Peter Welding (Wilding)

Peter was born on 10 June 1800 in Windle, the fourth child of Job and Margery Welding, nee Ball, and baptised at All Saints Church, Rainford or Windle on 29 June of that year (the Baptism Register shows Windle).

One line of research suggests that Peter Welding married an *Elizabeth*, nee unknown, ca 1838. Nothing is known of her. The 1841 Census shows a Peter and Elizabeth Welding living in Cloughton, Lancashire. With them are their daughters Catharine, age 2, and Margaret, age 6 months. There is no certainty that this is the Peter and Elizabeth under notice.

No other record has been found.

The other line of research is predicated on the fact that, like his nephew of the same name detailed earlier, all further Censuses and his Marriage and Death notices refer to him as Peter Wilding. Again, whether this was a deliberate name change on his part, or whether his name was misspelt once and he decided to leave it that way, is unknown. The name Wilding has similarly carried on to their children and grandchildren. Until proven otherwise, this line of research will be allowed to prevail.

This line of reasoning suggests he married a *Jane*, nee unknown, ca 1821. Later Censuses indicate she was born in Orrell, Lancashire ca 1801. [The Singleton Family Tree on Ancestry.co](#) suggests she was a *Jane Wilson*, and that he married her on 30 November 1818.

The 1841 Census saw Peter and Jane Wilding living in Back Lane, Dalton, Lancashire. His occupation was given as agricultural labourer and his age 40, making his birth year 1800 or 1801; his birthplace was not shown. With them were their children: Benjamin, age 20 and occupation a labourer in a stone quarry; Margery, age 14; Peter, age 9; Ellen, age 6; Jane, age 3; and John, age 8 months. With the knowledge that Census and other records may well show Wilding rather than Welding, and the fact that their eldest daughter bore her grandmother's name of Margery, it is believed this was almost certainly the Peter under notice. Dalton lies on the outskirts of Skelmersdale, not far from where Peter's brother Job lived.

Another son, Adam Wilding, was born in 1825 and christened on 3 July of that year in Upholland, the son of Peter and Jane Wilding. Obviously he had either left the family home or passed away by the 1841 Census, when he would have been about 16 years of age.

The 1851 Census saw Peter Wilding and wife Jane living in Chew Lane, Dalton, Lancashire. His occupation was shown as stone miner, his birth year 1800 and his birthplace Windle; further evidence that this was the Peter under notice. With them were their children Margery, Peter (also a stone miner), Ellen and John; the thirteen year old Jane was missing. Also listed was Enoch Wilding, a grandson age one month. Also in Chew Lane was the family of Benjamin and Margaret Wilding, Benjamin being their eldest son. Obviously Enoch was being looked after by his grandparents on the day of the Census.

Peter died in **October 1854** in Upholland (reference Wigan Vol. 8c Page 64), and was buried on **20 October in the Parochial Chapelry of Upholland**.

The 1861 Census saw Jane living in Chew Cottage, Dalton, described as a miner's widow. With her was daughter Ellen, described as a cripple; son John, a stone quarryman; and Enoch, her grandson. Still living next door was their son Benjamin and his family. Why Enoch was still living with his grandmother is unknown.

The 1871 Census saw Jane living at Fairclough, Dalton. With her were daughter Ellen and grandson Enoch, now a collier (i.e. miner). This time Jane's place of birth was given as Upholland, which was immediately adjacent to Orrell. Living next door was Margaret Wilding, widow of Benjamin, and her children.

Jane died in the third quarter of 1876 (reference Wigan Vol. 8c Page 65).

Peter and Jane had seven known children:

- Benjamin Wilding, b. ca 1821
- Adam Wilding, b. 1825
- Margery Wilding, b. ca 1827
- Peter Wilding, b. ca 1832
- Ellen Wilding, b. ca 1835
- Jane Wilding, b. ca 1838
- John Wilding, b. ca 1840



The rural parish of Dalton lies to the north of the larger town of Skelmersdale, which itself is roughly half way between Wigan and Ormskirk. The landscape is dominated by Ashurst Hill, 570 feet above sea level, which is crowned by a beacon tower re-erected in 1768 by Lord Skelmersdale when a French invasion was regarded as imminent. Watches were stationed at the beacon day and night to light the fire if the enemy landed.

From the Beacon and the surrounding fields there are extensive views across the West Lancashire plain and, on a clear day, the mountains of Wales and the Lake District can be seen. 'Dalton' was listed in the Domesday Survey when Uctred held a ploughland. Soon after the Norman Conquest, Dalton became part of the Barony of Manchester and was still held to be part of the Manchester fee as late as 1733.

The area must have been rich in coal, particularly in the 19th Century, as most of the Wilding men appear to have been coal miners.

The following children and their descendants appear later in this Part of the Genealogy:

Benjamin Wilding – the Benjamin Wilding Line

Margery Wilding – The Margery Wilding Line

Peter Wilding – The Peter Wilding Line

Jane Wilding – The Jane Wilding Line

Of the other children:

Adam Wilding

Adam was born in 1825 and baptised on 3 July of that year in Upholland, the second child of Peter and Jane Welding (Wilding), nee Wilson.

No further record of him has been found, and he was not included in the 1841 Census record for his parents, so it is possible he had either left home or passed away by that date. **LDS FamilySearch shows an Adam Welding, born about 1826, dying in Lancashire on 22 February 1832 and possibly this was him.**

Ellen Wilding

Ellen was born in 1835 in Windle, the fifth child of Peter and Jane Welding (Wilding).

She never married. A later Census indicated she was a cripple; whether this was from birth or the result of a later illness or injury is not known.

She appeared in the 1841 and 1851 Censuses living with her parents and siblings in Dalton, Lancashire.

The 1861 and 1871 Censuses saw her living with her mother in Chew Cottage, Dalton.

Following the death of her mother Jane in 1876, the 1881 and 1891 Censuses saw Ellen living with her nephew Enoch and his family in Dalton Lees, Dalton. Her occupation was shown as Seamstress.

No 1901 Census record of Ellen was found. She died in **the last quarter of 1907 or the first quarter of 1908**, presumably in **Parbold** (reference Wigan Vol. 8c Page 1). **She was buried on 3 January 1908 at St Peter's Church, Mawdesley.**

John Wilding

John was born in the fourth quarter of 1840 in Dalton, Lancashire, the seventh child of Peter and Jane Welding (Wilding) (reference Wigan Vol. 21 Page 714).

He appeared in the 1841 and 1851 Censuses living with his parents and siblings in Dalton, Lancashire.

The 1861 Census saw him living with his mother and sister Ellen at Chew Cottage, Dalton. His occupation was given as stone quarryman and local primitive preacher.

John married ***Margaret Close*** in the first quarter of 1864 in Wigan (reference Vol. 8c Page 70). Margaret was born in Burscough, near Ormskirk, Lancashire in the first quarter of 1843 (reference Ormskirk Vol. 21 Page 565), **the daughter of Jervis and Margaret Close, nee Kershaw. She was baptised on 16 March in St John's Chapel, Lathom.**

The 1871 Census saw John and his wife Margaret living at 44 High Street, Skelmersdale, Lancashire. His occupation appeared as local primitive preacher. Margaret was age 27 and her place of birth Burscough, Lancashire. They had two children: Margaret, age 3, and Caleb, age 1, both born in Skelmersdale.

A John Wilding, born about 1840, died aged 36 in the fourth quarter of 1876 in the Ormskirk district (reference Volume 8b Page 500). Skelmersdale being close to Ormskirk, this was probably the John in question. The Parish Register for Skelmersdale shows a John Wilding of that town being buried on 20 December 1876, which would seem to confirm that it was him.

The 1881 Census for Skelmersdale listed, at 81 High Street, a Margaret Welding, widow age 38, a grocer born in Burscough, with an eight year old daughter Ellen, born in Skelmersdale. This would match the Margaret in question, and obviously Ellen was born after the 1871 Census and before her father died in 1876. By this time her other daughter was in service elsewhere, and son Caleb had died in 1879. It had not been a happy decade for Margaret!

Margaret then remarried, to *Jacob Smith*, in the second quarter of 1883, probably in Skelmersdale (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 1147). He was obviously the owner of 81 High Street, where Margaret was living, and was thirteen years younger than her! There is a record of a man by that name being born in the first quarter of 1856 in the Wigan area (reference Volume 8c Page 90), and this was probably him. Census records suggest he was the son of William and Martha Smith, nee Unknown, and in his earlier years was a coal miner.

The 1891 Census for Skelmersdale listed, still at 81 High Street, Jacob Smith, age 35 and a baker born in Upholland, Lancashire; his wife Margaret, age 48, and Margaret's daughter Ellen, age 18 and also a baker.

The 1901 Census for Skelmersdale saw Jacob, Margaret and Ellen still residing at 81 High Street. Jacob was now shown as a grocer, while Margaret and Ellen, the latter 28 years old and still single, had "housework" as an occupation.

Jacob died on 31 January 1910, probably in Skelmersdale (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 543). Probate of his Will was granted on 26 April in Liverpool to his daughter Ellen and John Williams, check weigher. His address was given as 81 High Street, Skelmersdale, his occupation baker, and his estate totalled £741 14s.

The 1911 Census for Skelmersdale saw Margaret, now a widow and a grocer and bread baker, and Ellen, still single, still living at 81 High Street. The premises had three living rooms.

There were many Death Index records for a Margaret Smith, but the most likely one suggests she died in the first quarter of 1918, probably in Skelmersdale (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 95).

John and Margaret had three known children, while Jacob and Margaret apparently had none:

- Margaret Wilding b. 1868
- Caleb Wilding b. 1869
- Ellen Wilding, b. 1873

Margaret Wilding

Margaret was born in the fourth quarter of 1868 in Skelmersdale, the first child of John and Margaret Wilding, nee Close (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 704).

The 1871 Census saw her living with her parents and brother in Skelmersdale.

The 1881 Census found Margaret, at the tender age of 13, working as a general domestic servant in the home of Henry and Margaret Park and family at 22 Scarisbrick Street, North Meols, Lancashire.

There is information to suggest that ca 1864 she was working as a servant for the Forth family in North Mead, Southport, Lancashire.

The 1891 Census saw her, still as a general domestic servant, working for a Halbert and Emma Ferguson, a solicitor, in St George's Road, Lytham, Lancashire.

The 1901 Census for St Anne on the Sea, Lancashire saw Margaret, age 33 and single, still working as a cook domestic in the household of the now widowed Emma Ferguson at 2/27 Orchard Road.

No 1911 Census record has been found. She may well have finally married or even died, and as hers was a common name further research is difficult.

Caleb Wilding

Caleb was born in the fourth quarter of 1869 in Skelmersdale, the second child of John and Margaret Wilding, nee Close (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 705).

The 1871 Census saw him living with his parents and sister in Skelmersdale.

He died at the age of 9 in the second quarter of 1879 in Skelmersdale (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 562) and was buried on 28 June in the Skelmersdale Parish cemetery.

Ellen Wilding

Ellen was born in the third quarter of 1873 in Skelmersdale, Lancashire (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 722), the daughter of John and Margaret Wilding, nee Close.

The 1881 Census for Skelmersdale saw her living with her widowed mother at 81 High Street.

The 1891 Census for Skelmersdale saw her, age 18 and a baker, living with her mother and stepfather, Jacob Smith, at 81 High Street.

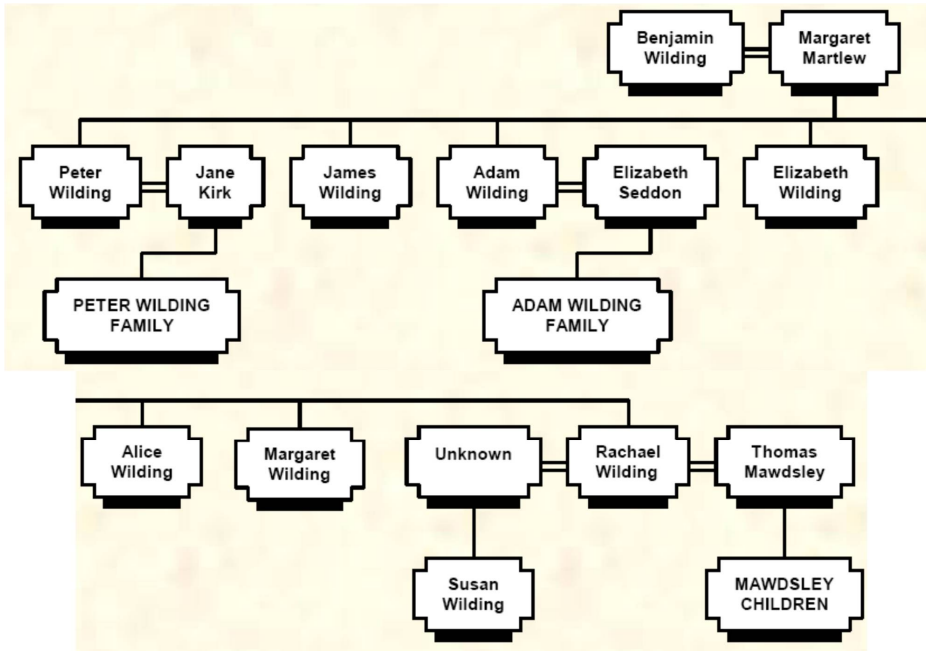
The 1901 Census for Skelmersdale saw her, age 28, still single and a house worker, living with her mother and stepfather Jacob Smith at 81 High Street.

The 1911 Census for Skelmersdale listed her still living with her now twice widowed mother at 81 High Street.

No further record of her has been found. She may well have finally married or even died, and as hers was a common name further research is difficult.

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THE BENJAMIN WILDING LINE



Benjamin Wilding

Benjamin was born in 1821, probably in Windle, Lancashire, the first child of Peter and Jane Welding (Wilding), nee Wilson.

He appeared in the 1841 Census living with his parents and siblings in Dalton, Lancashire.

Benjamin married *Margaret Martlew* in the second quarter of 1842 in All Saints Church, Wigan (reference Vol. 21 Page 461). Ensuing Censuses give her birthplace as Upholland and the year of her birth variously as 1822, 1823, 1824 and even 1827! However a child of that name was born on 18 April 1822 and christened on 14 July of that year to James and Ellen Martlew. The birth was registered at Wigan but probably took place at Upholland, and this will be taken as relating to the Margaret under notice.

The 1851 Census showed Benjamin and his wife Margaret living in Chew Lane, Dalton, next door to his parents. His occupation was shown as stone miner. His wife Margaret, age 27, was shown as being born in Upholland. They had three children: Peter, age 8; James age 3; and Adam, age 1; Peter was born in Upholland, the others in Dalton.

The 1861 Census saw the family still living in Dalton at Chew Cottage, presumably the same address as in 1851. With them were their children Peter, James and Adam, with the addition of Elizabeth, age 6; Alice, age 4; and Margaret, age 1; all born in Dalton.

Benjamin died aged 43 in **September 1863 in Dalton** (reference Wigan Vol. 8c Page 55). **He was buried on 30 September in the Parish of Upholland.**

The 1871 Census saw Margaret, now widowed, living at Fairclough, Dalton, with her sons James and Adam, both colliers, and a new daughter, Rachael, age 9 and born in Dalton.

The 1881 Census had Margaret now living at "Near Ashurst Beacon", Dalton. With her were son James and daughter Margaret, now a labourer at a colliery, and both unmarried. Also living there were her daughter Elizabeth and Elizabeth's coal miner husband Robert Houghton, **together with three grandchildren: Margaret Wilding, age 8; Ann Wilding, age 3; and James Houghton, age 11 months. Robert, age 26, was born in Wrightington, Lancashire, just north of Wigan, while the three grandchildren were all born in Dalton.**

This introduces a puzzling aspect. While James Houghton was clearly the child of Robert and Elizabeth, who did the two Wilding grandchildren belong to? Family Tree information on Ancestry.co suggests they were also the children of Elizabeth, and thus born out of wedlock, with Robert Houghton possibly the father. Equally they may have been the illegitimate or legitimate offspring of one or more of Benjamin and Margaret's children. Further research may eventually reveal the answer.

The 1891 Census saw Margaret living with her son James and his wife Jane at 3 Beacon Row, Dalton. Also living there was Margaret Martlew, her niece, a scholar age 5 and born in Skelmersdale, Lancashire.

The 1901 Census also saw Margaret living with James and his wife at the same address.

Margaret died in the fourth quarter of 1904, presumably in Dalton (reference Wigan Vol. 8c Page 86).

Most Family Trees on Ancestry.co state Benjamin and Margaret had seven known children; **however the Stringer 020909 Family Tree information on Ancestry.co also identifies two other children, both names William, one born on 22 April 1845 and the other on 5 December 1852:**

- Peter Wilding, b. 1842
- **William Wilding, b. 1845**
- James Wilding, b. 1847
- Adam Wilding, b. 1850
- **William Wilding, b. 1852**
- Elizabeth Wilding, b. 1854
- Alice Wilding, b. 1857
- Margaret Wilding, b. 1859
- Rachael Wilding, b. 1862

The following children and their descendants appear later in this Part of the Genealogy:

Peter Wilding – the Peter Wilding Family
Adam Wilding – The Adam Wilding Family

Of the other children:

William Wilding

William was born on 22 April 1845 in Dalton, Lancashire (reference Wigan Volume 21 Page 17), the second child of Benjamin and Margaret Wilding, nee Martlew. He was baptised on 13 July of that year in Upholland.

It is presumed that William died in infancy, as another son with the same name was born to Benjamin and Margaret in 1852. However no matching Death Index record has been found.

James Wilding

James was born on 22 April 1847 in Dalton and christened on 15 August of that year in Upholland, the third child of Benjamin and Margaret Wilding (reference Wigan Volume 21 Page 898). He was baptised on 15 August of that year in the Wigan and Parochial Chapelry, Upholland.

The 1851 and 1861 Censuses saw him living with his parents and siblings in Dalton, and in 1871 and 1881 with his widowed mother and siblings in Dalton. By then his occupation was coal miner.

James married *Jane Richardson* in the fourth quarter of 1887, probably in Dalton (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 27). She was born in the first quarter of 1846 in Dalton (reference Wigan Volume 21 Page 913).

The 1891 Census saw Peter and his wife Jane living at 3 Beacon Row, Dalton. His occupation is shown as collier, which equated with coal miner. Also living there were his mother Margaret and a niece Margaret Martland, daughter of James' sister Margaret.

The 1901 Census saw Peter, Jane and mother Margaret still at the same address.

No record has been found of a James Wilding death in the Dalton area, but it must have taken place between 1901 and 1911, as the 1911 Census saw Jane, now widowed, living at the same address, There are three boarders, one of whom is James Wilding, born 1869 in Dalton and a coal miner hewer, who was Jane's nephew. A James Wilding, born ca 1846, died in the first quarter of 1907 (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 79) and this could possibly have been the James under notice.

No definite record of Jane's death has been found. A Jane Wilding, born ca 1847, died in the third quarter of 1926 (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 103) and this might possibly have been her. She and James had no children.

William Wilding (2nd)

William was born on 5 December 1852 in Dalton, Lancashire (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 81), the fifth child of Benjamin and Margaret Wilding, nee Martlew. He was baptised on 27 March 1853 in the Wigan and Parochial Chapelry, Upholland. He was obviously named for an older brother who had since died.

There is a Death Index record for a William Wilding dying in the third quarter of 1856 (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 29). Possibly this was the William in question, as he did not appear with the family in the 1861 Census.

Elizabeth Wilding

Elizabeth was born on 7 September 1854 in Dalton and baptised on 20 October of that year in Upholland, the sixth child of Benjamin and Margaret Wilding, nee Martlew (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 71).

The 1861 Census saw her living with her parents and siblings in Dalton.

The 1871 Census found Elizabeth working as a general servant in the household of Margaret Marsden, Confectioner, in Lord Street, Orrell, Lancashire. Also working there as a servant was her ten year old sister Margaret.

She married **Robert Houghton** in the first quarter of 1877, probably in Dalton (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 102). Robert was born in 1855 in Wrightington, Lancashire, just north of Wigan.

The 1881 Census saw her living with her husband Robert and her widowed mother Margaret, her brother James and her sister Margaret in Dalton. With them was Robert and Elizabeth's child: James, age 11 months and born in Dalton. There were also two other grandchildren listed: Margaret Wilding, age 8; and Ann Wilding, age 3; both born in Dalton.

This introduces a puzzling aspect. While James Houghton was clearly the child of Robert and Elizabeth, who did the two Wilding grandchildren belong to? Family Tree information on Ancestry.co suggests they were also the children of Elizabeth, and thus born out of wedlock, with Robert Houghton possibly the father. Equally they may have been the illegitimate or legitimate offspring of one or more of Benjamin and Margaret's children. Further research may eventually reveal the answer.

No further record of Robert or Elizabeth has been found. A Robert Houghton died in the Wigan area in the first quarter of 1896 (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 55), and an Elizabeth Houghton died in the Prescott area in the first quarter of 1897 (reference Prescott Volume 8b Page 483), but Probate records indicate they were not the Robert or Elizabeth under notice.

Robert and Elizabeth had one known child; whether they subsequently had more, and whether the two Wilding grandchildren were also theirs, remains unresolved:

- James Houghton, b. 1880

James Houghton

James was born in 1880 in Dalton, Lancashire, the son of Robert and Elizabeth Houghton, nee Wilding. There are three possible Birth Index records for him, one in Ormskirk and two in Wigan. The Lancashire BMD records indicate he was recorded in the sub-district of Upholland (reference UPHL/24/496), so one of the Wigan records would be the most likely.

The 1881 Census for Dalton listed him living with his parents, grandmother Margaret Wilding and other relatives.

As with his parents, no other record of him has been found. James Houghton was a common name in Lancashire.

Alice Wilding

Alice was born on **7 March 1857** in Dalton, the seventh child of Benjamin and Margaret Wilding, nee Martlew (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 99). **She was baptised on 10 May of that year in Upholland.**

The 1861 Census saw her living with her parents and siblings in Dalton.

No further record of her has been found. It is possible she died as a child, although no Death Index record can be associated with her.

Margaret Wilding

Margaret was born on **4 December 1859** in Dalton, the eighth child of Benjamin and Margaret Wilding, nee Martlew (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 3 or Page 92 – there were two Margaret Wildings listed as being born in that quarter). **She was baptised on 15 April 1960 in Upholland.**

The 1861 Census saw her living with her parents and siblings in Dalton.

The 1871 Census found Margaret, at the age of ten, working as a general servant in the household of Margaret Marsden, Confectioner, in Lord Street, Orrell, Lancashire. Also working there as a servant was her sixteen year old sister Elizabeth. It is a striking indication of the hardships of the times when a ten year old was forced into service instead of being at school.

The 1881 Census saw her living with her mother in Dalton. At the latter time her occupation was a labourer at a colliery – again hardly the job for a woman and a harsh indictment of the times! Obviously the girl had received little if any formal education.

Margaret married ***William Edwin Martland*** in the fourth quarter of 1882 in the Ormskirk area (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 1210). **He was born in October 1861 in Shevington, Lancashire (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 518) and was baptised on 20 October of that year in St John's Church, Burscough Bridge, Ormskirk, the son of Thomas and Ann Martland.**

It was a very short marriage, as William died aged 24 in March 1886 in Skelmersdale (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 621). He was buried on 25 March in the Skelmersdale parish.

The 1891 Census found Margaret, now widowed, living at 23 High Street, Skelmersdale, with her sister Rachael. Her occupation was given as pit bank woman, so she obviously still worked as a manual labourer. **Her child Annie (born 1883) had died in 1884 but there was no mention of Margaret (born 1886).**

According to the Singleton Family Tree Margaret remarried, to ***Ralph Morris Aspinwall*** in the second quarter of 1896 (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 1289). While there are several Marriage Index records for a Margaret Martland in Ormskirk, it has been accepted in good faith that she did in fact marry Ralph. He was born in the third quarter of 1867 in Ormskirk (reference Volume 8b Page 699). He had previously been married to Margaret Webster in 1887, by whom he had three children, William, Mary Elizabeth and Ellen Aspinall. Margaret had died in 1895.

The 1901 Census for St Mark's Park, Lower Bebington, Cheshire listed, at 2 Poolbank Road, Ralph Aspinwall, age 33 and a boiler fireman born in Ormskirk; his wife Margaret, age 40 and born in Dalton;

Margaret's daughter Margaret from her previous marriage; and Ralph's children from his previous marriage: William M, age 12; Mary, age 10; and Ellen, age 9. William and Mary were born in Skelmersdale, Ellen in St Helens.

The 1911 Census for St Helens listed, at 48 Stanhope Street, Ralph, now a stock keeper at a glass works; Margaret, mother of 4 children, all living; and the two children: Margaret's stepdaughter Mary Elizabeth Aspinwall, age 20 and single; and her own daughter Elsie Aspinwall, age 3 and born in Ince. The dwelling had four living rooms.

No Death Index record has been found for Ralph. A Ralph Aspinall died in 1943 in Blackpool, but a Probate record showed it was not the Ralph in question.

No matching Death Index record has been found for Margaret. A woman by that name died in the first quarter of 1930 in the Ormskirk area, but her birth date was shown as ca 1863; however it could have been the Margaret under notice.

William and Margaret had two known children:

- Annie Martland, b. 1883 d 1884
- Margaret Ann Martland, b. 1886

Ralph and Margaret had one child:

- Elsie Aspinwall, b. 1908

Annie Martland

Annie was born in the fourth quarter of 1883 in Skelmersdale, Lancashire (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 831), the daughter of William and Margaret Martland, nee Wilding.

She died in infancy in the second quarter of 1884 in Skelmersdale (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 641) and was buried on 16 July of that year in the Skelmersdale Parish graveyard.

Margaret Ann Martland

Margaret was born in the fourth quarter of 1886 in Skelmersdale, Lancashire (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 901), the daughter of William and Margaret Martland, nee Wilding.

The 1891 Census for Dalton showed her living with her aunt and uncle James and Jane Wilding, her father having passed away and her mother living elsewhere.

No other definitive record of her has been found. A Margaret A Martland married Peter Hodge in the second quarter of 1915 in Ormskirk (reference Volume 8b Page 1528), and this could possibly have been her.

Elsie Aspinwall

According to the 1911 Census Elsie was born in 1908 in Ince, Lancashire, the daughter of Ralph and Margaret Aspinwall, nee Wilding/Martland. However no matching Birth Index record has been found on Ancestry.co or Lancashire BMD.

The 1911 Census for St Helens, Lancashire, listed her, age 3 and born in Ince, living with her parents and step-sister at 45 Stanhope Street.

A woman by that name married Ernest Berry in the second quarter of 1931 in Preston, Lancashire (reference Volume 8e Page 1253). There is a possibility this was the Elsie under notice.

Rachael Wilding

Rachael was born on 4 March 1862 in Dalton, Lancashire, the ninth child of Benjamin and Margaret Wilding, nee Martlew (reference Wigan Volume 8c page 111). Her name appears in records variously as Rachael and Rachel. She was baptised on 11 May of that year in the Parish of Upholland.

The 1871 Census saw her living with her widowed mother and siblings in Dalton.

The 1881 Census saw Rachael, like her sisters Elizabeth and Margaret before her, in service at the home of William and Harriet Chack and family at Moorland House, Aspull, Lancashire. She was described as a general domestic servant.

The 1891 Census found Rachael living at 23 High Street, Skelmersdale, with her sister Margaret Martland. Her occupation was still general servant domestic.

Rachael married ***Thomas Mawdsley*** in the first quarter of 1901, probably in Dalton (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 27). He was born in 1870 in Dalton, the son of Joseph and Ellen Mawdsley, nee Unknown, and was eight years younger than her.

The 1901 Census saw Thomas and Rachael living at Higher Road, Beacon Rows, Dalton. His occupation was collier coal hewer. With them was a daughter Susan Wilding, age 9 and born in Dalton, and presumably an illegitimate child of Rachael's. Whether Thomas was the biological father is not known, but being a servant girl, Rachael may well have had an affair while in service. Also in Higher Road was living Joseph and Ellen Mawdsley and family, farmers, who were probably Thomas' parents and siblings.

Thomas died in the third quarter of 1908 in Dalton (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 74).

The 1911 Census saw Rachael, now widowed, still at Beacon Rows. Her occupation was now farm servant, and she was probably working for her father-in-law. With her was daughter Susan, with the same occupation, and there were two more children, both born in Dalton: Margaret Ellen, age 9, and Joseph, age 8.

Rachel died in the second quarter of 1934 in the Wigan area (reference Volume 8c Page 118).

Rachael had an illegitimate child:

- Susan Wilding, b. 1891

Thomas and Rachael had two children:

- Margaret Ellen Mawdsley, b. 1901
- Joseph Mawdsley, b. 1903

Susan Wilding

Susan was born on **23 September** 1891 in Dalton and baptised on 4 October of that year in the Parish of Dalton, the illegitimate child of Rachael Wilding (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 163). The LDS FamilySearch record showed no father's name. The Baptism Register showed no father's name.

The 1901 and 1911 Censuses showed her living with her parents and siblings in Beacon Row, Dalton. At the latter her occupation was given as farm servant, and she was probably working for her step-uncle, Joseph Mawdsley.

No further record of her has been found. **She may well have married, although no likely Marriage Index record exists for her.**

Margaret Ellen Mawdsley

Margaret was born on 9 April 1901 in Dalton, the second child of Thomas and Rachael Mawdsley (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 160).

The 1911 Census shows her living with her parents and siblings in Beacon Row, Dalton.

She died in January 1984, still with her maiden name, so apparently never married (reference West Lancashire Volume 40 Page 2621).

Joseph Mawdsley

Joseph was born on 21 October 1903 in Dalton, the third child of Thomas and Rachael Mawdsley (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 853).

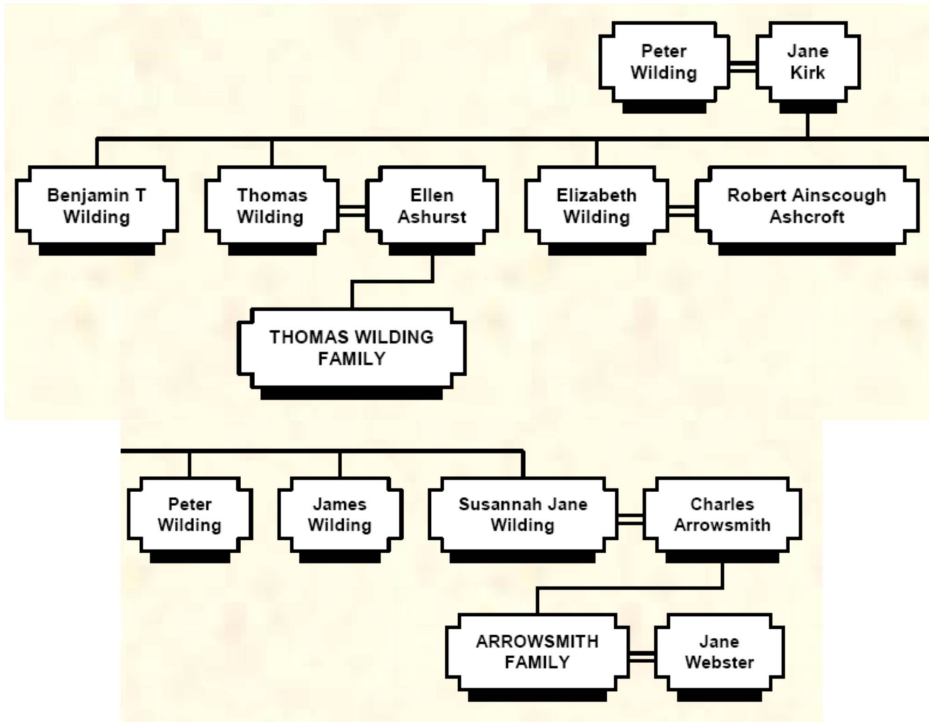
The 1911 Census shows him living with his parents and siblings in Beacon Row, Dalton.

There are two possible marriages for Joseph. One is in the third quarter of 1922 to a Miss White (reference Ormskirk Volume 6a Page 1693), when he would have been sixteen. The more likely one was in the third quarter of 1924 to a Helen Aindow (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 1782), when he would have been just short of nineteen.

Joseph died in the second quarter of 1975 in Southport, Merseyside (reference Volume 37 Page 0464).

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THE PETER WILDING FAMILY



Peter Wilding

Peter was born in the third quarter of 1842 in Upholland, Lancashire and christened in Upholland on 2 October of the same year, the first child of Benjamin and Margaret Wilding, nee Martlew (reference Wigan Volume 21 Page 707).

The 1851 and 1861 Censuses saw him living with his parents and siblings in Dalton.

He married *Jane Kirk* on 20 June 1864 in St Thomas the Martyr Church, Upholland (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 45). She was born on 28 November 1839 in Upholland, the daughter of Thomas Kirk and Elizabeth Taylor (reference Wigan Volume 21 Page 738). **Peter's occupation was shown as delfman, i.e. a quarry worker. Both Peter and Jane were illiterate and signed the Register with a cross.**

The 1871 Census saw Peter, a collier, and Jane living in Dalton. With them were their four children: Benjamin, age 7; Thomas, age 5; Elizabeth, age 2; and Peter, age 3 months. Peter was born in Dalton, the others in Upholland.

The marriage was tragically short, as Peter died at the early age of 36 in **November 1877**, probably in Dalton (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 76). **He was buried on 10 November in the Parish of Upholland.**

The 1881 Census found the widowed Jane living in Brewery Street, Upholland, with her children Benjamin, Thomas Elizabeth and Peter. There were two additional children: James, age 8, and Susannah J, age 3, both born in Upholland.

The 1891 Census indicates that Jane then married *James Roughley* in the third quarter of 1886 in the Wigan Registry Office (reference Volume 8c Page 137). James was born on 8 October 1843 in Upholland, the son of Peter Roughley and Mary Maria Morland (reference Wigan Volume 21 Page 759).

The 1891 Census saw Thomas and Jane living at 9 Dig Moor, Upholland. James' occupation was, predictably, coal miner. With them were three of Jane's children: Elizabeth, Peter and Susannah. Also living there were two of James' eight children from a previous marriage to a Jane Grayson: Thomas, age 12; and James, age 10, both born in Upholland. Living at No. 25 were Jane's other son, Thomas, and his wife and children.

The 1901 Census found James and Jane still at 9 Dig Moor, Upholland. With them still were James' two sons, Thomas and James.

Jane died in the fourth quarter of 1904, probably in Upholland (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 93).

James died on 9 October 1910, probably in Upholland (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 61).

Peter and Jane had six known children:

- Benjamin T Wilding, b. ca 1864
- Thomas Wilding, b. 1865
- Elizabeth Wilding, b. 1869
- Peter Wilding, b. 1871
- James Wilding, b. 1873
- Susannah Jane Wilding, b. 1877

The following children and their descendants appear later in this Part of the
Genealogy:
Thomas Wilding – the Thomas Wilding Family
Susannah Jane Wilding – The Arrowsmith Family

Of the other children:

Benjamin T Wilding

Benjamin was born ca 1864 in Upholland, Lancashire, the first child of Peter and Jane Wilding, nee Kirk, although no record of the Birth has been located. The "T" probably stood for Taylor, his maternal grandmother's maiden name.

The 1871 Census found him living with his parents and siblings in Dalton, and the 1881 Census with his widowed mother and siblings in Upholland.

A Benjamin T Wilding, born ca 1862, died in the first quarter of 1940 in Blackpool, Lancashire (reference Volume 8e Page 1796.) This was probably the Benjamin under notice.

Elizabeth Wilding

Elizabeth was born on **1 February** 1869 in Upholland, the third child of Peter and Jane Wilding, nee Kirk (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 121). **She was baptised on 14 March of that year in the Parish of Upholland.**

The 1871 Census found her living with her parents and siblings in Dalton, and the 1881 Census with her widowed mother and siblings in Upholland.

The 1891 Census found her living with her re-married mother Jane and step-father James Roughley at 9 Dig Moor, Upholland. Also living there were her brother Peter and sister Susannah.

Elizabeth married *Robert Ainscough Ashcroft* in the second quarter of 1893 in Upholland (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 105). He was born in Ormskirk in the third quarter of 1868 (reference Volume 8b Page 68o) **and baptised on 9 August of that year in St John's Church, Burscough Bridge.**

No further definitive record of them has been found.

Peter Wilding

Peter was born on **3 January** 1871 in Dalton, the fourth child of Peter and Jane Wilding, nee Kirk (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 118). **He was baptised on 26 March of that year in the Parish of Upholland.**

The 1871 Census found him living with his parents and siblings in Dalton, and the 1881 Census with his widowed mother and siblings in Upholland.

The 1891 Census found him, a coal miner, living with his re-married mother Jane and step-father James Roughley at 9 Dig Moor, Upholland. Also living there were his sisters Elizabeth and Susannah.

Peter married *Margaret Alice Beatty* in the first quarter of 1894 in St John's Church, Wingates, Westhoughton (reference Bolton Volume 8c Page 590). She was born on **16 January 1876** in Wigan, the daughter of William and Elizabeth Beatty, nee Barton (reference Volume 8c Page 50).

The 1901 Census showed Peter and Margaret living at 588 Chorley Road, Westhoughton, Lancashire with their three children. Peter's occupation was now striker spring maker (blacksmith), not coal miner. They had three children: George, age 4; Elizabeth Jane, age 2; and Ellen, age 8 weeks. Ellen was born in Westhoughton, the others in Upholland.

The 1911 Census found Peter, Margaret and family living at 617 Chorley Road, Westhoughton. Peter's occupation was shown as "spring smith in loco dept, Railway Company". George, Elizabeth and Ellen were with them, and there were three new children: Susannah age 7, Edith, age 5, and Margaret, age 2, all born in Westhoughton.

Peter died in the fourth quarter of 1938, probably in Westhoughton (reference Horwich Volume 8c Page 355).

Margaret died aged 82 in the third quarter of 1959, probably also in Westhoughton (reference Horwich Volume 19c Page 351).

Peter and Margaret had eight known children:

- George Wilding, b. 1897
- Elizabeth Jane Wilding, b. 1898
- Ellen Wilding, born 1900
- Susannah Wilding, b. 1903
- Edith Wilding, b. 1906
- Margaret Wilding, born 1908
- Peter Wilding, b. 1911
- Georgina M Wilding, b. 1916

George Wilding

George was born in the third quarter of 1897 in Upholland, the first child of Peter and Margaret Wilding, nee Beatty (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 882).

The 1901 and 1911 Censuses saw him living with his parents and siblings in Westhoughton. At the latter his occupation was given as haulage hand below ground.

George is believed to have married *Mary Brooks* in the fourth quarter of 1920 in the Bolton Registry Office (reference Volume 8c Page 773). She was born in the second quarter of 1899 in Bolton, the daughter of George and Mary Brooks (reference Volume 8c Page 372.)

There are two possible Death Index records for George; in the first quarter of 1983 in Liverpool (reference Volume 36 Page 1448); or in the second quarter of 1983 in Sefton, Lancashire (reference Volume 37 Page 0311). As the George who died in Liverpool was born on 7 September 1897 (ie the third quarter, this was the more likely one.

There were several Death Index records for a Mary Wilding and it is not possible to accurately identify one with her.

There are Birth Index records for four children born from 1917 with surname Wilding and mother's maiden name Brooks. Two of these would have been born before George and Mary married, and of the other two only one was born in Bolton:

- Joan Wilding, b. 1921

Joan Wilding

Joan was born in the second quarter of 1921 in Bolton (reference Volume 8c Page 944), the presumed daughter of George and Mary Wilding, nee Brooks.

Hers was a common name for which many Marriage and Death Index records exist, and it is not possible to further identify any with her.

Elizabeth Jane Wilding

Elizabeth was born in the third quarter of 1898 in Upholland, the second child of Peter and Margaret Wilding, nee Beatty (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 152).

The 1901 and 1911 Censuses saw her living with her parents and siblings in Westhoughton.

Elizabeth married *John Connolly* in the second quarter of 1924 in the Bolton Registry Office (reference Volume 8c Page 857). There were several boys of that name born in Bolton between 1894 and 1900 and it is not possible to associate one of them with the John in question.

Elizabeth died aged 91 in the third quarter of 1989 in Chorley, Lancashire (reference Volume 40 Page 1102.)

In the absence of his birth date it is not known when John died, as his was a very common name.

John and Elizabeth had two known children:

- Mary Connolly, b. 1926
- Jean Connolly, b. 1928

Mary Connolly

Mary was born in the second quarter of 1926 in Bolton, Lancashire (reference Volume 8c Page 611), the daughter of John and Elizabeth Connolly, nee Wilding.

There were three girls of that name married in Bolton in 1953-55 and it is not possible to associate one with the Mary in question.

Jean Connolly

Jean was born in the second quarter of 1928 in Bolton, Lancashire (reference Volume 8c Page 553), the daughter of John and Elizabeth Connolly, nee Wilding.

She married *Cyril Dean* in the second quarter of 1962 in Bolton (reference Volume 10b Page 794). There were many boys of that name born in Lancashire in the 1920s and it is not possible to associate one with the Cyril in question.

Cyril and Jean had two known children: *Lesley A Dean*, born in the first quarter of 1965 in Bolton (reference Volume 10b Page 885); and *Martin Peter Dean*, born in the fourth quarter of 1966 in Bolton (reference Volume 10b Page 829).

Ellen Wilding

Ellen was born in the first quarter of 1901 in Westhoughton, the third child of Peter and Margaret Wilding, nee Beatty (reference Bolton Volume 8c Page 428).

The 1901 and 1911 Censuses saw her living with her parents and siblings in Westhoughton.

There were three possible marriages in Bolton for Ellen. The first was to Joseph H Snape in the fourth quarter of 1924, the second to Jack Rangeley in the first quarter of 1927, and the third to Robert Elmer in the third quarter of 1929. While the 1924 marriage is the most likely one, it is not possible to confirm this.

Susannah Wilding

Susannah was born on 23 December 1903 in Westhoughton, the fourth child of Peter and Margaret Wilding, nee Beatty (reference Bolton Volume 8c Page 469).

The 1911 Census saw her living with her parents and siblings in Westhoughton.

It would appear that Susannah never married, as she died at the fine old age of 88 in the first quarter of 1991 in Bolton (reference Volume 38 Page 13).

Edith Wilding

Edith was born in the first quarter of 1906 in Westhoughton, the fifth child of Peter and Margaret Wilding, nee Beatty (reference Bolton Volume 8c Page 458).

The 1911 Census saw her living with her parents and siblings in Westhoughton.

Edith married *John Ratcliffe Carroll* in the second quarter of 1931 in Bolton (reference Volume 8c Page 845). He was born on 1 November 1905 in Horwich, Lancashire (reference Bolton Volume 8c Page 415), the son of John Carroll (1869-1952) and Mary Ratcliffe (1874-).

Edith died aged 95 in August 2001 in Bolton (Register # A68A 0021A Entry 45).

John died, also aged 95, two months later in October 2001 in Bolton (Register # A68A 0021A Entry 174).

John and Edith had one known child:

- Margaret Carroll, b. 1932

Margaret Carroll

Margaret was born in the second quarter of 1932 in Bolton, Lancashire (reference Volume 8c Page 515), the daughter of John and Edith Carroll, nee Wilding.

There were six women by the name of Margaret Carroll married in Bolton between 1953 and 1974, and it is not possible to identify one with the Margaret in question.

According to Family Tree information on Ancestry.co Margaret died in 2003.

Margaret Wilding

Margaret was born in the third quarter of 1908 in Westhoughton, the sixth child of Peter and Margaret Wilding, nee Beatty (reference Bolton Volume 8c Page 462).

The 1911 Census saw her living with her parents and siblings in Westhoughton.

No marriage record has been found for Margaret in Bolton, although there were many of that name married elsewhere in central Lancashire.

Peter Wilding

Peter was born in the third quarter of 1911 in Westhoughton, the seventh child of Peter and Margaret Wilding, nee Beatty (reference Bolton Volume 8c Page 746).

He died at or shortly after birth in the same quarter of the same year (reference Volume 8c Page 610).

Georgina M Wilding

Georgina was born in the second quarter of 1916 in Westhoughton, the seventh child of Peter and Margaret Wilding, nee Beatty (reference Bolton Volume 8c Page 693).

She died aged two in the fourth quarter of 1918 in Bolton (reference Volume 8c Page 651).

James Wilding

James was born on **10 October 1872** in Upholland, the fifth child of Peter and Jane Wilding, nee King (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 131. He was baptised on 9 February 1873 in the Parish of Upholland.

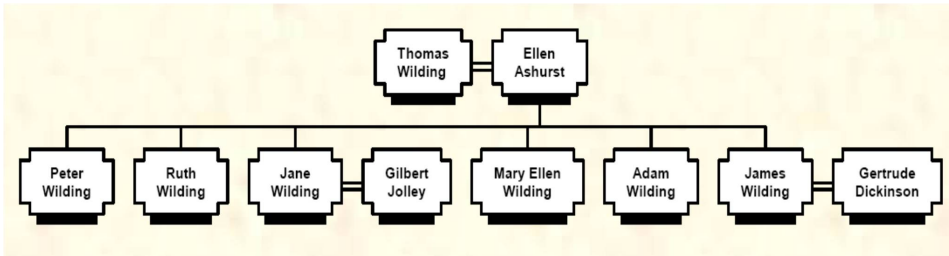
The 1881 Census found him living with his widowed mother and siblings in Upholland.

James died at the age of 15 in the third quarter of 1888, probably in Dalton or Upholland (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 65).

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THE THOMAS WILDING FAMILY



Thomas Wilding

Thomas was born on **9 November 1865** in Upholland, the second child of Peter and Jane Wilding (reference Wigan Volume 8c page 73). **He was baptised on 31 December of that year in the Parish of Upholland.**

The 1871 Census found him living with his parents and siblings in Dalton, and the 1881 Census with his widowed mother and siblings in Upholland.

Thomas married *Ellen Ashurst* on **12 November 1887** in **the Parish Church**, Upholland (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 92). She was born in the third quarter of 1868 in Upholland (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 47), **the daughter of Henry Ashurst (1829-1869) and Ellen Halliwell (1833-1892).**

The 1891 Census found Peter and Ellen living at 25 Dig Moor, Upholland. His occupation was given as coal miner and Ellen's as dressmaker. They had two children Peter, age 2, and Ruth, age 1, both born in Upholland.

The 1901 Census saw Thomas and Ellen living at 9 Spencer Lane, Upholland. Their son Peter was no longer shown, having died in 1897, but Ruth was there and they had four other children: Jane, age 7; Mary E, age 5; Adam, age 3; and James, age 1. James was born in Skelmersdale, the others in Upholland.

The 1911 Census found the family still at 9 Spencer Lane, Upholland. Thomas' occupation was still coal miner hewer. Jane, Adam and James were still with them, and Mary Ellen's name had been inserted and then crossed out, suggesting she was elsewhere on the night of the Census; a separate Census record was indeed found for her. There were four more children: Susannah, age 9, Martha, age 4, Tom, age 1, and Maggie, age four months; all born in Upholland. Their four room house, including kitchen, would have been crowded indeed!

Ellen died in the fourth quarter of 1925, probably in Upholland (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 105).

Thomas died aged 64 in the first quarter of 1929, also probably in Upholland (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 47).

Thomas and Ellen had ten known children:

- Peter Wilding, b. 1888
- Ruth Wilding, b. 1890
- Jane Wilding, b. 1894
- Mary Ellen Wilding, b. 1896
- Adam Wilding, b. 1897
- James Wilding, b. 1900

- Susannah Wilding, b. 1902
- Martha Wilding, b. 1906
- Tom Wilding, b. 1909
- Maggie Wilding, b. 1910

Peter Wilding

Peter was born in the first quarter of 1888 in Upholland, the first child of Thomas and Ellen Wilding, nee Ashurst (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 44).

The 1891 Census saw him living with his parents and sister in Upholland.

Peter died at the age of 9 in the second quarter of 1897 in Upholland (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 80).

Ruth Wilding

Ruth was born in the second quarter of 1890 in Upholland, the second child of Thomas and Ellen Wilding, nee Ashurst (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 145).

The 1891 and 1901 Censuses saw her living with her parents and siblings in Upholland.

A Ruth Wilding died age 18 in the fourth quarter of 1907 in Pemberton, which is very close to Upholland (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 89). It is highly probable this was the Ruth Wilding under notice.

Jane Wilding

Jane was born in the first quarter of 1894 in Upholland, the third child of Thomas and Ellen Wilding, nee Ashurst (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 169).

The 1901 and 1911 Censuses saw her living with her parents and siblings in Upholland.

Jane married *Gilbert Jolley* in the first quarter of 1916 in All Saints Church, Wigan (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 131). He was born in the second quarter of 1888 in Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 39), the son of Gilbert Jolley (1856-1898) and Hannah Mariah Gill (1859-1919). In 1911 Hannah was the licensee of the Old Dog Hotel, Market Place, Wigan. The same Census showed Gilbert as being an iron moulder.

Gilbert died on 21 June 1934 in Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 68). Administration of his estate was granted on 31 October of that year in Liverpool to Winifred Elsie Jolley and Kate Jolley, spinsters. His address was given as 8 Dicconsen Street, Wigan and his effects totalled £1020 2s.

A Jane A Jolley, born ca 1895, died in the fourth quarter of 1968 in Farnworth, Lancashire (reference Volume 10c Page 234). This was probably the Jane under notice.

Gilbert and Jane had one known child:

- Mabel Eveline Jolley, b. 1919

Mabel Eveline Jolley

Mabel was born on 5 November 1919 in Wigan, Lancashire (reference Volume 8c Page 98), the daughter of Gilbert and Jane Jolley, nee Wilding.

She married *Robert Frederick Grant* in the second quarter of 1946 in the Register Office, Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 109). He was born on 11 January 1922 in Haslingden, Lancashire (reference Volume 8e Page 154) and his mother's maiden name was Green.

Robert died in the first quarter of 1991 in Wigan (reference Volume 39 Page 2601).

Mabel died in October 1993 in Wigan (Register # A48A 0182A Entry 66).

Robert and Mabel had four children:

- Michael J Grant, b. 1948
- Peter C Grant, b. 1950
- Anne Grant, b. 1954
- Diana M Grant, b. 1956

Michael J Grant

Michael was born in the first quarter of 1948 in Wigan, Lancashire (reference Volume 10f Page 1116), the son of Robert and Mabel Grant, nee Jolley.

He married *Kathleen Iddon* in the first quarter of 1970 in Ince (reference Volume 10c Page 961). She was born in the second quarter of 1949 in Chorley, Lancashire and her mother's maiden name was Leadbetter.

Michael and Kathleen had three children, all born in the Wigan area: *Julie Grant*, born in the first quarter of 1971 (reference Ince Volume 10c Page 1303); *Mawreen Grant*, born in the first quarter of 1973 (reference Ince Volume 10c Page 1373); and *Vincent Grant*, born in the second quarter of 1976 (reference Wigan Volume 39 Page 2200);

Peter C Grant

Peter was born in the fourth quarter of 1950 in Wigan, Lancashire (reference Volume 10f Page 891), the son of Robert and Mabel Grant, nee Jolley.

No further matching record has been found for him.

Anne Grant

Anne was born in the first quarter of 1954 in Ince, Lancashire (reference Volume 10c Page 523), the daughter of Robert and Mabel Grant, nee Jolley.

No further matching record has been found for her.

Diana M Grant

Diana was born in the second quarter of 1956 in Ince, Lancashire (reference Volume 10c Page 579), the daughter of Robert and Mabel Grant, nee Jolley.

She married *John Hope* in the second quarter of 1985 in Wigan (reference Volume 39 Page 2028).

John and Diana had one known child: *Rachael Ann Hope*, born in August 1987 in Wigan (reference Volume 39 Page 2851).

Mary Ellen Wilding

Mary was born in the first quarter of 1896 in Upholland, the fourth child of Thomas and Ellen Wilding, nee Ashurst (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 173).

The 1901 Census saw her living with her parents and siblings in Upholland.

The 1911 Census saw her working as a domestic servant in the home of George and Martha Bowker, farmers at 3 Moss Side, Upholland.

There were several Mary Ellen and Mary Wildings married in the Wigan area in the 1915-1925 period and it is not possible to positively identify one as being the Mary Ellen under notice.

Adam Wilding

Adam was born in the fourth quarter of 1897 in Upholland, the fifth child of Thomas and Ellen Wilding, nee Ashurst (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 160).

The 1901 and 1911 Censuses saw him living with his parents and siblings in Upholland. In 1911 his occupation was given as farm labourer

An Adam Wilding married a Miss Twise in Warrington, Lancashire in the fourth quarter of 1923 (reference Volume 8c Page 256) but it is uncertain if this was the Adam under notice.

An Adam Wilding, born ca 1898, died in the first quarter of 1938 in Newton, Lancashire (presumably Newton-le-Willows, near St Helens) (reference Volume 8c Page 278). Again this might have been the Adam under notice.

James Wilding

James was born in the first quarter of 1900 (possibly 12 January according to a Death Index record) in Upholland, the sixth child of Thomas and Ellen Wilding, nee Ashurst (reference Wigan Volume 8e Page 573).

The 1901 and 1911 Censuses saw him living with his parents and siblings in Upholland.

James married *Gertrude Dickinson* in the second quarter of 1922 in St Thomas' Church, Upholland (reference Wigan Volume 8e Page 113). She was born on 26 April 1896 in Upholland (reference Wigan Volume 8c page 161) and baptised on 7 June of that year in the Parish of Upholland, the daughter of Samuel and Mary Elizabeth Dickinson, nee Unknown.

There are two possible Death Index records for a James Wilding, born ca 1900: in the fourth quarter of 1953 in Preston, Lancashire (reference Volume 10f Page 251); or in the third quarter of 1974 in West Lancashire (reference Volume 4o Page 2357). As the latter record gives a birth date of 12 January 1900 this is considered the more likely one.

A Gertrude Wilding, born ca 1896, died aged 89 in the first quarter of 1986 in Salford, Lancashire (reference Volume 39 Page 862). This may have been the Gertrude in question.

James and Gertrude had one known child:

- Ernest Wilding, b. 1923

Ernest Wilding

Ernest was born in the first quarter of 1923 in Wigan, Lancashire (reference Volume 8c Page 220), the son of James and Gertrude Wilding, nee Dickinson.

There were many men of that name married in Lancashire from 1942 on and it is not possible to identify one with the Ernest under notice.

An Ernest Wilding, born ca 1924, died in the first quarter of 1989 in Wigan (reference Volume 39 Page 2424) and this may have been the Ernest in question.

Susannah Wilding

Susannah was born on 22 September 1902 in Upholland, the seventh child of Thomas and Ellen Wilding (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 165).

The 1911 Census saw her living with her parents and siblings in Upholland.

She married *John Marsh* in the third quarter of 1936 in the Wigan area (reference Ince Volume 8c Page 276). His was a common name and no definitive Birth or Death Index record has been found.

Susannah died in the second quarter of 1975 in West Lancashire (reference Volume 40 Page 2436).

There are Birth Index records for six children with the surname Marsh and mother's maiden name of Wilding, all registered in Wigan or Ince. However two of them predate the marriage date of John and Susannah, and have been disregarded. Of the other four, some or indeed all of them may be the children of John and Susannah: Elizabeth E Marsh, born in the first quarter of 1937 (reference Ince Volume 8c Page 152); Thomas L Marsh, born in the fourth quarter of 1938 (reference Ince Volume 8c Page 136); Margaret S Marsh, born in the third quarter of 1939 (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 52); and Margaret R Marsh, born in the first quarter of 1941 (reference Ince Volume 8c Page 6). It is however unlikely that both Margarets were theirs.

Martha Wilding

Martha was born in the third quarter of 1906 in Upholland, the eighth child of Thomas and Ellen Wilding, nee Ashurst (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 142).

The 1911 Census saw her living with her parents and siblings in Upholland.

Martha married *Cyril Clifford Worthington* in the fourth quarter of 1926 in the Digmaor Methodist Church, Upholland (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 157). He was born in the second quarter of 1904 in Wigan, the son of William Worthington and Mary Matilda Laithwaite (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 36).

Martha died in the first quarter of 1963 in Preston, Lancashire (reference Volume 10f Page 445).

No matching Death Index record has been found for Cyril.

Cyril and Martha had one possible child: *Joyce Worthington*, born in the first quarter of 1927 in Preston (reference Volume 8e Page 621).

Tom Wilding

Tom was born in the third quarter of 1909 in Upholland (probably 21 July according to a Death Index record), the ninth child of Thomas and Ellen Wilding, nee Ashurst (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 120).

The 1911 Census saw him living with his parents and siblings in Upholland.

A Tom Wilding married *Elsie M Booth* in the first quarter of 1927 in Oldham, Lancashire (reference Volume 8d Page 1007). Although Oldham is some distance from Upholland and Wigan this was most likely the Tom in question.

Tom died in the first quarter of 1985 in Knowsley, Lancashire (reference Volume 36 Page 258).

No matching Death Index record has been found for Elsie.

Tom and Elsie had two children:

- Derek Frank Wilding, b. 1927
- Brenda Wilding, b. 1929

Derek Frank Wilding

David was born on 29 May 1927 in Oldham, Lancashire (reference Volume 8d Page 1124), the son of Tom and Elsie Wilding, nee Booth.

He married *Norma Taylor* in the first quarter of 1953 in Oldham (reference Volume 10f Page 113). She was born in the fourth quarter of 1928 in Oldham (reference Volume 8d Page 1012) and her mother's maiden name was Waples.

David died on 12 November 2004 in Oldham (Register # OC52B 007/1C Entry 35).

David and Norma had a daughter: *Julie Wilding*, born in the third quarter of 1956 in Oldham (reference Volume 10f Page 84).

Brenda Wilding

Brenda was born on 5 September 1929 in Oldham, Lancashire (reference Volume 8d Page 1038), the daughter of Tom and Elsie Wilding, nee Booth.

She died in September 2000 in Warrington, Cheshire (Register # A57C 3461A Entry 138).

It would seem she never married.

Maggie Wilding

Maggie was born on 9 December 1910 in Upholland, the tenth child of Thomas and Ellen Wilding, nee Ashurst (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 132).

The 1911 Census saw her living with her parents and siblings in Upholland.

Maggie married *Thomas McCulley* in the fourth quarter of 1938 in the Wigan area, Lancashire (reference Ince Volume 8c Page 195). He was born on 16 December 1909 in Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 161).

Maggie died in February 1989 in West Lancashire (reference Volume 40 Page 2312).

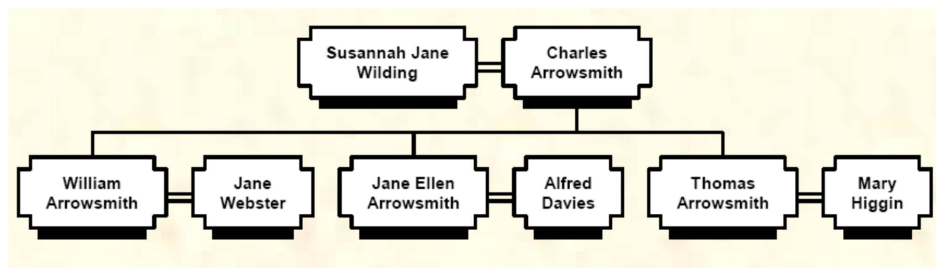
Thomas died in January 1990 in West Lancashire (reference Volume 40 Page 2510).

It is not known whether Thomas and Maggie had children.

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THE ARROWSMITH FAMILY



Susannah Jane Wilding

Susannah was born on **25 October 1877** in Upholland, the sixth child of Peter and Jane Wilding, nee Kirk (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 142). **She was baptised on 11 November of that year in the Parish of Upholland.**

The 1881 Census found her living with her widowed mother and siblings in Upholland.

The 1891 Census found her living with her re-married mother Jane and step-father James Roughley at 9 Dig Moor, Upholland. Also living there were her brother Peter and sister Elizabeth.

Susannah married *Charles Arrowsmith* on **13 February 1897** in St Thomas' Church, Upholland (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 92). **He was shown as age 29, a collier of 19 Daniels Lane, Upholland, and she as age 19 of 9 Digmoor.** Charles was born in the first quarter of 1869 in Skelmersdale, Lancashire (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 727), the son of William Arrowsmith (1836-1901) and Hannah Lyon (1846-1911), **and baptised on 21 February of that year in the Parish of Skelmersdale.**

The 1901 Census found Charles and Susannah living at 25 Dig Moor, Upholland, and a locality common to many of the Wilding family. His occupation was coal miner. They had three children: William, age 3; Jane age 1; and Thomas age 2 months; all born in Upholland.

Susannah died at the early age of 24 in the second quarter of 1902 in Upholland (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 101). There was every chance this may have been in childbirth, given the maternity mortality rates of the times.

The 1911 Census found Charles back living with his parents and sister at 19 & 21 Daniels Lane, Upholland. He was a widower and his occupation was still coal miner hewer. His children William, Jane and Thomas were with him.

Charles died aged 86 in the second quarter of 1955 in the Wigan area (reference Volume 10f Page 736). It is not known whether he ever remarried.

Charles and Susannah had three children:

- William Arrowsmith, b. 1897
- Jane Ellen Arrowsmith, b. 1899
- Thomas Arrowsmith, b. 1901

William Arrowsmith

William was born in the fourth quarter of 1897 (probably 1 December according to a Death Index record) in Upholland, the first child of Charles and Susannah Arrowsmith, nee Wilding (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 164).

The 1901 Census saw him living with his parents and siblings in Upholland, and the 1911 Census with his father, grandparents and siblings in Upholland.

William married *Jane Webster* in the second quarter of 1925 in the Methodist Church, Orrell (reference Wigan Vol. 8c Page 293). She was born in the Wigan area on 17 July 1901 (reference Volume 8c Page 146).

There are two possible Death Index records for William: in November 1988 in Bolton, Lancashire (reference Volume 39 Page 343); or in June 1973 in Ince (reference Volume 10c Page 1011). Ince being part of Wigan, that record is considered the more likely one.

Jane died aged 88 in the third quarter of 1989 in Wigan (reference Volume 39 Page 1916).

It is not known whether William and Jane had children. No Birth records have been found in their names.

Jane Ellen Arrowsmith

Jane was born on 5 June 1899 in Upholland, the second child of Charles and Susannah Arrowsmith, nee Wilding (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 66). She was baptised on 2 July of that year in the Parish of Upholland.

The 1901 Census saw her living with her parents and siblings in Upholland, and the 1911 Census with her father, grandparents and siblings in Upholland.

Jane married *Alfred Davies* in the third quarter of 1920 in Christ Church, Millgate, Wigan (reference Volume 8c page 34). There were two men by that name born in Wigan in the late 1890s, and it is not possible to definitely identify the Alfred Davies under notice.

No matching Death Index records have been found for Alfred and Jane.

Alfred and Jane had four known children, including a set of twins:

- Elizabeth Ann Davies, b. 1920
- Jane Davies, b. 1920
- Maggie Davies, b. 1922
- Edward Davies, b. 1924

Elizabeth Ann Davies

Elizabeth was born 4 August 1920 in Wigan, Lancashire (reference Volume 8c Page 89), the twin daughter of Alfred and Jane Davies, nee Arrowsmith.

There were several women of that name married in Lancashire from 1940, but the most likely marriage for Elizabeth was to *John Dermott* in the first quarter of 1940 in Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 74). A man by that name was born in Wigan in the third quarter of 1922 (reference Volume 8c Page 120), who may have been him.

A John Dermott, born ca 1922, died in the third quarter of 1977 in Wigan (reference Volume 39 Page 2164). Again this might have been the John in question.

Elizabeth died in the second quarter of 1993 in Warrington, Cheshire (Register # A41C 3461A Entry 57).

John and Elizabeth had two known children: *Jean Dermott*, born in the second quarter of 1941 (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 48); and *George G Dermott*, born in the second quarter of 1942 in Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 49).

Jane Davies

Jane was born in the fourth quarter of 1920 in Wigan, Lancashire (reference Volume 8c Page 89), the twin daughter of Alfred and Jane Davies, nee Arrowsmith.

She is believed to have married *Samuel Rowe* in the second quarter of 1943 in Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 3).

Samuel and Jane are believed to have had two children: *John Rowe*, born in the third quarter of 1944 (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 51); and *Kathleen A Rowe*, born in the third quarter of 1947 (reference Wigan Volume 10f Page 1245),

Maggie Davies

Maggie was born in the second quarter of 1922 in Wigan, Lancashire (reference Volume 8c Page 138), the daughter of Alfred and Jane Davies, nee Arrowsmith.

There were many women of that name married in Lancashire from 1942 and it is not possible to match one with the Maggie in question. In any case, she probably did not marry, considering her probable early death.

A Maggie Davies, born ca 1922, died aged 20 in the second quarter of 1942 in Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 53) and this was probably her.

Edward Davies

Edward was born on 7 October 1924 in Wigan, Lancashire (reference Volume 8c Page 119), the son of Alfred and Jane Davies, nee Arrowsmith.

There were several men of that name married in Wigan from 1945 and it is not possible to match one with the Edward in question.

An Edward Davies, born 7 October 1924, died in April 1985 in Wigan (reference Volume 39 page 2315) and this was probably him.

Thomas Arrowsmith

Thomas was born on 11 January 1901 in Upholland, the third child of Charles and Susannah Arrowsmith, nee Wilding (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 160).

The 1901 Census saw him living with his parents and siblings in Upholland, and the 1911 Census with his father, grandparents and siblings in Upholland.

Thomas married *Mary Higgin* in the second quarter of 1927 in the Methodist Church, Orrell (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 274). She was born on 29 May 1904 (reference Wigan Volume 8c page 123).

Thomas died in the third quarter of 1973 in the Wigan area (reference Ince Volume 10c Page 1047).

Mary died in the fourth quarter of 1980 in the Wigan area (reference Wigan Volume 39 Page 2428).

Thomas and Mary had one known child:

- Kathleen Arrowsmith, b. 1929

Kathleen Arrowsmith

Kathleen was born on 29 March 1929 in the Wigan area (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 159), the daughter of Thomas and Mary Arrowsmith, nee Higgin.

She is believed to have married *John Hilton* in the first quarter of 1954 in the Wigan area (reference Ince Volume 10c Page 1155). It was a common name and it is not possible to associate him with a Birth or Death Index record.

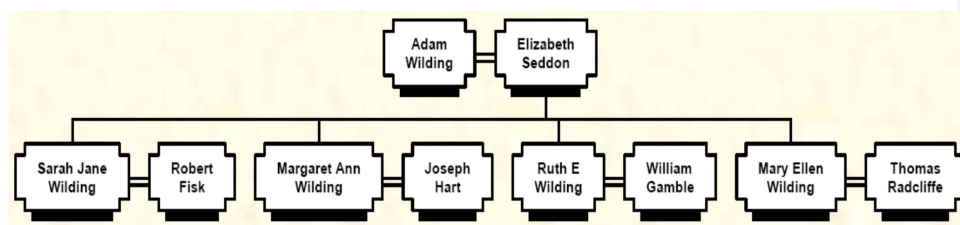
Kathleen died in September 1999 in the Wigan area (Wigan & Leigh Register D10B 0181D Entry 294).

John and Kathleen had one known child: *John C Hilton*, born in the second quarter of 1956 in Ince (reference Volume 10c Page 554).

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THE ADAM WILDING FAMILY



Adam Wilding

Adam was born on **26 January 1850** in Dalton, the fourth child of Benjamin and Margaret Wilding, nee Martlew (reference Wigan Volume 21 Page 832). **He was baptised on 4 August of that year in the Parochial Chapelry of Upholland.**

The 1851 and 1861 Censuses saw him living with his parents and siblings in Dalton, and in 1871 with his widowed mother and siblings.

Adam married *Elizabeth Seddon* in the fourth quarter of 1872, probably in Dalton (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 138). Elizabeth was born on 25 March 1853 in Hindley, Lancashire and baptised the next day (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 66).

The 1881 Census saw Adam, a coal miner, and his wife Elizabeth living in Spencers Lane, Upholland. They had three children, all born in Upholland: Sarah J, age 5; Margary A, age 4, and Ruth, age 1. Margary was obviously a mis-spelling, as her Birth record shows her as Margaret Ann

The 1891 Census found Adam and Elizabeth living at 1 Wigan Road, Dalton. Their three children were no longer listed, but there was a new child, Mary E, age 8 and born in Upholland. Also living there was Elizabeth's mother Jane Clarkson, formerly Jane Seddon, age 60.

The 1901 Census saw Adam and Elizabeth living "Near The Church", Dalton. Adam's age was given as 48, making his year of birth ca 1853, which was clearly wrong. His occupation was collier hewer. Elizabeth's occupation was given as school cleaner, Mary Ellen, their daughter and now a domestic servant, was still with them. Also living there was Mary E Wilding, a niece age 25 and born in Dalton, occupation domestic servant; Frances A Clarkson, a niece age 11 and born in Dalton; and Elizabeth's mother Jane, now shown as age 73.

The 1911 Census saw Adam and Elizabeth living at "Near Dalton School", Dalton Parbold, near Southport. Frances Clarkson, their niece and a servant, was still with them. The house had five rooms, including the kitchen, so was fairly commodious for a coal miner's residence.

Elizabeth died in the second quarter of 1919, probably in Bryn, Wigan (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 119).

Adam died on **15 October 1924** in Bryn (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 153). **Probate of his estate was granted on 22 December in London to his married daughters Sarah Jane Wrennall (wife of Ralph Wrennall) and Ruth Elizabeth Gamble (wife of William Gamble). His address was given as 579 Wigan Road, Bryn near Wigan, and his effects totalled £70.**

Adam and Elizabeth had four daughters:

- Sarah Jane Wilding, b. 1875
- Margaret Ann Wilding, b. 1877
- Ruth Elizabeth Wilding, b. 1879
- Mary Ellen Wilding, b. 1882

Sarah Jane Wilding

Sarah was born on **14 June 1875** in Upholland, the first child of Adam and Elizabeth Wilding, nee Seddon (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 137). **She was baptised on 8 August of that year in the Parish of Upholland.**

The 1881 Census saw her living with her parents in Upholland.

The 1891 and 1901 Censuses saw Sarah working as a servant in the home of Robert and Ellen Marsh at Hurst House Farm, Heskin, Lancashire. This was a small village a little north of Upholland.

She married ***Ralph Wrennall*** in the second quarter of 1904 in Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 33). He was born in the second quarter of 1876 in Coppull, Lancashire (reference Chorley Volume 8e Page 532), the son of Oliver and Elizabeth Wrennall, nee unknown.

The 1911 Census for Chorley, Lancashire listed, at Back Lane, Eccleston via Chorley, Ralph, age 35 and a stationary engineman in a pottery; his wife Sarah Jane, mother of four, all living; and their children: Elizabeth, age 5; Alice, age 4; Hannah, age 1; and Grace, age one month. Elizabeth and Alice were born in Dalton, the others in Eccleston. The dwelling had five living rooms.

Ralph died in the fourth quarter of 1926 in Chorley (reference Volume 8e Page 581).

Sarah died aged 92 in the third quarter of 1967 in Chorley (reference Volume 10c Page 38). Obviously she never remarried.

Ralph and Sarah had five known children:

- Elizabeth Wrennall, b. 1906
- Alice Wrennall, b. 1906
- Hannah Wrennall, born 1909
- Grace Wrennall, born 1911
- Ralph Wrennall, b. 1913

Elizabeth Wrennall

Elizabeth was born on 9 May 1905 in Dalton, Lancashire (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 148), the daughter of Ralph and Sarah Wrennall, nee Wilding.

The 1911 Census for Chorley, Lancashire listed her living with her parents and sisters at Back Lane, Eccleston via Chorley.

No matching Marriage Index has been found for her.

Elizabeth died age 84 in July 1989 in Chorley (reference Volume 40 Page 1034). Apparently she had never married.

Alice Wrennall

Alice was born in the fourth quarter of 1906 (on 14 October according to her Death Index record) in Dalton, Lancashire (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 136), the daughter of Ralph and Sarah Wrennall, nee Wilding.

The 1911 Census for Chorley, Lancashire listed her living with her parents and sisters at Back Lane, Eccleston via Chorley.

There are two possible marriages for Alice, both in Chorley: to Arthur H Randall in the third quarter of 1930 (reference Volume 8e Page 1293); or to John T Dalton in the third quarter of 1933 (reference Volume 8e Page 1335). Further research found no matching Birth or Death Index record for an Arthur Randall in the neighbourhood of Chorley. However a John Dalton, born ca 1905, died in 1955 in Chorley, and an Alice Dalton, born in 1906, also died there in 1996. It seems probable, therefore that Alice married *John Thomas Dalton* and a subsequent Probate record confirms the fact. Six men of that name were born in 1905, but only one in Lancashire, in Chorlton in the third quarter (reference Volume 8c Page 20).

John died on 18 November 1955 in Croston, Lancashire (reference Chorley Volume 10c Page 47). Administration of his estate was granted on 30 January 1956 to his widow Alice. His address was given as 19 Out Lane, Croston and his effects totalled £683.

Alice died aged 90 on 30 October 1996 in Chorley (Register # 64E 5831 Entry 201).

According to the Sephton Family Tree on Ancestry.co John and Alice had two children, a boy and a girl, but no Birth Index record has been found for the son:

- Audrey Dalton, b. 1935

Audrey Dalton

Audrey was born on 14 March 1935 in Chorley, Lancashire (reference Volume 8e Page 492) the daughter of John and Alice Dalton, nee Wrennall.

She married *James Thomas Sephton* in the first quarter of 1966 in Chorley (reference Volume 10c Page 41). He was born in the second quarter of 1932 in Preston, Lancashire (reference Volume 8e Page 565) and his mother's maiden name was Fiddler.

Audrey died in November 1996 in Blackpool & Fylde, Lancashire (Register # B45C 5811B Entry 103).

James died in May 2003 in Chorley (Register # 90E 583/1 Entry 274).

It is not known whether James and Audrey had children.

Hannah Wrennall

Hannah was born in the second quarter of 1909 in Eccleston, Lancashire (reference Chorley Volume 8e Page 493), the daughter of Ralph and Sarah Wrennall, nee Wilding.

The 1911 Census for Chorley, Lancashire listed her living with her parents and sisters at Back Lane, Eccleston via Chorley.

She married *William Robinson* in the first quarter of 1931 in Chorley (reference Volume 8e Page 629). This was a very common name and it is not possible to identify a Birth or Death Index record with him.

Hannah died aged 89 in May 1999 in Burnley & Pendle, Lancashire (Register # C3D 5821C Entry 173).

It is not known whether William and Hannah had children.

Grace Wrennall

Grace was born on 14 February 1911 in Eccleston, Lancashire (reference Chorley Volume 8e Page 463), the daughter of Ralph and Sarah Wrennall, nee Wilding.

The 1911 Census for Chorley, Lancashire listed her living with her parents and sisters at Back Lane, Eccleston via Chorley.

She married *James Hailwood* in the second quarter of 1936 in St Mary the Virgin Church, Towngate, Eccleston (reference Chorley Volume 8e Page 1193). He was born on 17 August 1910 in Chorley (reference Volume 8e Page 456).

James died on 5 November 1969 in Mawdesley, Lancashire (reference Ince Volume 10c Page 1237).

Grace is said to have died on 19 January 1992, but no Death Index record has been found.

James and Grace had two children:

- Graham Hailwood, b. 1939
- Roy Hailwood, b. 1941

Graham Hailwood

Graham was born in the first quarter of 1939 in Chorley, Lancashire (reference Volume 8e Page 465), the son of James and Grace Hailwood, nee Wrennall.

He married *Patricia Sharples* in the first quarter of 1959 in Chorley (reference Volume 10c Page 42). She was born in the first quarter of 1939 in Chorley (reference Volume 8e Page 415) and her mother's maiden name was Strangeways.

Graham and Patricia had one child: *Andrew M Hailwood*, born in the first quarter of 1963 in Chorley (reference Volume 10c Page 42).

Roy Hailwood

Roy was born in the third quarter of 1941 in Chorley, Lancashire (reference Volume 8e Page 757), the son of James and Grace Hailwood, nee Wrennall.

He married *Patricia R Highfield* in the third quarter of 1968 in Chorley (reference Volume 10c Page 45). She was born in the third quarter of 1948 in Preston, Lancashire (reference Volume 10f Page 4233) and her mother's maiden name was Duckworth.

Roy and Patricia had two children, both born in the Southport area: *Peter Hailwood*, born in the first quarter of 1970 (reference Volume 10r Page 2087); and *Anthony Hailwood*, born in the third quarter of 1973 (reference Volume 10f Page 1776).

Ralph Wrennall

Ralph was born in the first quarter of 1913 in Eccleston, Lancashire (reference Chorley Volume 8e Page 889), the son of Ralph and Sarah Wrennall, nee Wilding.

He married *Ethel Green* in the second quarter of 1955 in the Wigan area (reference Ince Volume 10c Page 877). This was a common name, and a Birth Index record cannot be matched to her with absolute certainty. However an Ethel Green was born in the third quarter of 1914 in Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 232) and in the light of a Death Index record this may well have been her.

Ralph died on 9 January 1963 in Chorley (reference Volume 10c Page 26). Administration of his estate was granted on 27 February in Manchester to his widow Ethel. His address was given as *Brooklands, Bannister Lane, Eccleston* and his effects totalled £1978.

An Ethel Wrennall, born 11 November 1914, died in June 1988 in Sefton North, Merseyside (reference Volume 37 Page 327). This was most likely the Ethel under notice.

It is not known whether Ralph and Ethel had children.

Margaret Ann Wilding

Margaret was born on 31 March 1877 in Upholland, the second child of Adam and Elizabeth Wilding, nee Seddon (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 145). She was baptised on 29 April of that year in the Parish of Upholland.

The 1881 Census saw her living with her parents in Upholland.

The 1891 Census for Eccleston, Lancashire saw Margaret, aged just 14, working as a domestic servant for James and Sarah Cotton at 66 Rook View.

The 1901 Census saw her working as a servant in the household of Samuel and Jane Hardman in Alder lane, Parbold, Wigan.

Margaret married *Joseph Hart* in the second quarter of 1905 in St Michael and All Angels Church, Dalton (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 33. He was born in the first quarter of 1876 in Parbold, just north of Dalton, the son of Joseph and Sarah Hart (reference Wigan Volume 8c page 6).

The 1911 Census saw Joseph and Margaret living at 2 Milgate Terrace, Parbold. His occupation was canal boat builder. They had two children: Joseph, age 4, and Harold, age 2, both born in Parbold.

Margaret died aged 86 on 16 March 1964 in Parbold (reference Ince Volume 10c Page 535). Administration of her estate was granted on 16 June of that year in London to her son Harold Hart, miller's labourer. Her address was given as 33 Mill Lane, Parbold and her estate totalled £294.

There are numerous Death Index records for a Joseph Hart and it is not possible to associate one with the Joseph in question. The most likely one is for a man of that name, born ca 1875, dying in the third quarter of September 1947 in the Wigan area (reference Chorley Volume 10c Page 32). Obviously he predeceased Margaret

Joseph and Margaret had **three** known children:

- Joseph Hart, b. 1906
- Harold Hart, b. 1908
- Dorothy Evelyn Hart, b. 1912

Joseph Hart

Joseph was born in the second quarter of 1906, **probably on 19 April according to a Death Index record**, in Parbold, the first child of Joseph and Margaret Hart, nee Wilding (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 7).

The 1911 Census saw him living with his parents and brother in Parbold.

There were several men of that name married in the Wigan area in the 1930s but it is not possible to identify one of them with the Joseph in question.

A Joseph Hart, born on 19 April 1906, died in the second quarter of 1970 in the Wigan area (reference Ince Volume 10c Page 1082). This would probably have been the Joseph in question. He was buried on 5 June in Douglas in Parbold, and his address was shown as 50 Appley Lane North, Appley Bridge.

Harold Hart

Harold was born in the second quarter of 1908 in Parbold, the second child of Joseph and Margaret Hart, nee Wilding (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 4).

The 1911 Census saw him living with his parents and brother in Parbold.

There were several men of that name married in central Lancashire in the 1930s but it is not possible to identify one of them with the Harold in question.

A Harold Hart, born ca 1908, died aged 19 in the fourth quarter of 1927 in Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 32). This was probably the Harold under notice.

Dorothy Evelyn Hart

Dorothy was born in the fourth quarter of 1912 in Parbold, the third child of Joseph and Margaret Hart, nee Wilding (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 14).

She married ***Richard Baldwin*** in the third quarter of 1942 in the Wigan area (reference Ince Volume 8c Page 182). There were several men of that name born in Wigan between 1906 and 914 and it is not possible to determine which of them was the Richard under notice.

Dorothy died in May 1967 in Ince (reference Volume 10c Page 420). She was buried on 29 May in Douglas in Parbold, and her address was given as 33 Mill Lane, Parbold.

A Richard Baldwin, born ca 1906, died in the first quarter of 1987 in Wigan (reference Volume 39 page 2380). This may well have been the Richard in question.

It is not known whether Richard and Dorothy had children. Two children with surname Baldwin and mother's maiden name Hart were born in Nelson, Lancashire, but that town was well away from Wigan; of course, they may have moved. They were Georgina Baldwin, born in the first quarter of 1941 (ie before Richard and Dorothy married), and George F Baldwin, born in the second quarter of 1946, but it is by no means certain that they were their children.

Ruth Elizabeth Wilding

Ruth was born on 10 May 1879 in Upholland, Lancashire (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 147), the third child of Adam and Elizabeth Wilding, nee Seddon. She was baptised on 8 June of that year in the Parish of Upholland.

The 1881 Census saw her living with her parents in Upholland.

The 1891 Census found her, at the tender age of eleven years, workings as a domestic servant for schoolmaster Thomas Wilson and his family at the Schoolhouse, Dalton. One hopes she was being educated at the same time!

Ruth married ***William Gamble*** on 1 January 1900 in St Michael and All Angels Church, Dalton (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 23). He was born in the second quarter of 1878 in Wolstanton, Staffordshire (reference Volume 6b Page 121), the son of William and Sarah Gamble, and baptised on 10 July of that year in May Bank, Staffordshire, near Newcastle-under-Lyme

The 1901 Census saw William, a coal hewer, and Ruth living at 20 Stephen Street, St Helens.

The 1911 Census for Ashton in Makerfield found William and Ruth residing at 579 Wigan Road, Bryn, near Wigan. His occupation had now changed to insurance agent, suggesting he escaped from the coal mining industry. They had a daughter, Gladys M, age 7 and born in St Helens.

William died in the first quarter of 1944 in Bryn (reference Ince Volume 8c Page 149).

Ruth died on 3 March 1949 in the Wigan area (reference Ince Volume 10c Page 658). Administration of her estate was granted on 23 May in Liverpool to her daughter Gladys May Sutton, wife of Frank Sutton. Her address was still 579 Wigan Road, and her effects totalled £227 16s 4d.

William and Ruth had one known child:

- Gladys May Gamble, b. 1903

Gladys May Gamble

Gladys was born on 20 October 1903 in St Helens, the daughter of William and Ruth Gamble (reference Prescott Volume 8b Page 772).

The 1911 Census saw her living with her parents at 579 Wigan Road, Bryn, near Wigan.

Gladys married *Frank Sutton* in the second quarter of 1929 in the Wigan area (reference Volume 8c Page 9). He was born in the fourth quarter of 1906 in Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 170).

Frank died on 18 July 1953 in The Royal Albert Edward Infirmary, Wigan (reference Volume 10f Page 563). Administration of his estate was granted on 2 September in Liverpool to his widow Gladys. His address was given as 255 Downall Green Road, Bryn, near Wigan, and his effects totalled £2335 5s 3d.

Gladys died aged 90 in September 1994 in Wigan (Register # A50A 0182A Entry 222).

Frank and Gladys had two known children:

- Eileen Sutton, b. 1930
- Frank Sutton, b. 1932

Eileen Sutton

Eileen was born in the third quarter of 1930 in the Wigan area (reference Volume 8c Page 185), the daughter of Frank and Gladys Sutton, nee Gamble.

She died as an infant in the fourth quarter of the following year in Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 145).

Frank Sutton

Frank was born in the third quarter of 1932 in the Wigan area (reference Volume 8c Page 187), the son of Frank and Gladys Sutton, nee Gamble.

He married *Dorothy Hefford* in the second quarter of 1957 in Wigan (reference Volume 10f Page 1109). There were two girls of that name born in Lancashire: in the fourth quarter of 1935 in Lancaster (reference Volume 8d page 748); of in the third quarter of 1936 in Preston (reference Volume 8e Page 543). Either could have been the Dorothy under notice.

Frank and Dorothy had two children: *Andrew J Sutton*, born in the fourth quarter of 1962 (reference Ince Volume 10c Page 577); and *Ian G Sutton*, born in the fourth quarter of 1963 (reference Ince Volume 10c Page 584).

Mary Ellen Wilding

Mary was born in the third quarter of 1882 in Upholland, the fourth child of Adam and Elizabeth Wilding, nee Seddon (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 146).

The 1891 and 1901 Censuses saw her living with her parents in Upholland. In the latter her occupation was given as servant domestic.

Mary married *Thomas Radcliffe* in the fourth quarter of 1908 in St Michael and All Angels church, Dalton (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 25). He was born ca 1880 in Dalton, **the son of Henry and Ellen Radcliffe, nee Unknown**.

The 1911 Census found Thomas and Mary living in Dalton. His occupation was given as insurance agent (Refuge Company).

Thomas died in the first quarter of March 1958 in Wigan (reference Volume 10f Page 949).

Mary died in the second quarter of 1961 in the Ince area (reference Volume 10c Page 483).

There were three children with the surname Radcliffe and mother's maiden name of Wilding born in Oldham, Lancashire. While Oldham is well away from the Dalton area, it is possible that the family moved by reason of Thomas' job. While it is uncertain that they were in fact the children of Thomas and Mary, they have been included on the presumption that they were:

- Daniel Radcliffe, b. 1912
- Sydney Radcliffe, b. 1914
- Kathleen M Radcliffe, b. 1916

Daniel Radcliffe

Daniel was born in the fourth quarter of 1912 in Oldham, Lancashire (reference Volume 8d Page 1207), the presumed son of Thomas and Mary Radcliffe, nee Wilding.

No matching Marriage Index record has been found for him.

A Daniel Radcliffe, born 3 October 1912, died in the third quarter of 1988 in London (reference Kensington & Chelsea Volume 13 Page 1418). This may well have been the Daniel in question.

Sydney Radcliffe

Sydney was born in the third quarter of 1914 in Oldham, Lancashire (reference Volume 8d Page 1323), the presumed son of Thomas and Mary Radcliffe, nee Wilding.

As with his brother Daniel, no matching Marriage Index record has been found for him.

A Sydney Radcliffe, born 31 May 1914, died in London in the second quarter of 1985 (reference Westminster Volume 15 Page 1481). This may well have been the Sydney in question, and suggests that both he and his brother might have moved from Lancashire to London.

Kathleen M Radcliffe

Kathleen was born in the first quarter of 1916 in Oldham, Lancashire (reference Volume 8d Page 1025), the presumed daughter of Thomas and Mary Radcliffe, nee Wilding.

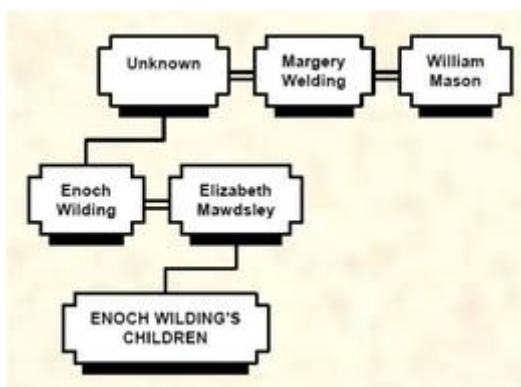
There are several Marriage Index records for a woman by that name, but none that are likely to match the Kathleen under notice.

A Kathleen M Radcliffe, born about 1916, died in the second quarter of 1944 in Birmingham, Warwickshire (reference Volume 6d Page 68). This could possibly have been the Kathleen under notice.

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THE MARGERY WILDING LINE



Margery Wilding

Margery was born ca 1827/28 in Windle and christened on 13 January 1828 in St Helens, the third child of Peter and Jane Welding (Wilding), nee Wilson. Her Baptism record suggests she was baptised as Welding.

She appeared in the 1841 Census living with her parents and siblings in Dalton, Lancashire.

Margery bore a son, Enoch, on 8 February 1851 in Dalton, obviously out of wedlock (reference Wigan Volume 21 Page 911). The LDS FamilySearch entry listed her as mother but the father's name was not given.

The 1851 Census showed her and Enoch living with her parents and siblings in Chew Lane, Dalton.

Margery married *William Mason* on 11 October 1852 in All Saints Church, Wigan (reference Vol. 8c Page 43). The name was a common one, and nothing is known of him, nor whether he was the biological father of Enoch.

The marriage appears to have been very short lived, as Margery died in the first quarter of the following year, 1853 (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 66).

No further definitive record of William has been found. There were several William Masons married in the Wigan area in 1854-55 and possibly he may have re-married.

While it is unknown whether Margaret and William had children, she had one child by an unknown father:

- Enoch Wilding, b. 1851

Enoch Wilding

Enoch was born on 8 February 1851 in Dalton and baptised on 27 April of that year in the Wigan and Parochial Chapelry, Upholland, the son of Margery Wilding (reference Wigan Volume 21 Page 911). He was apparently born out of wedlock, and although his mother subsequently married William Mason it is not known if William was in fact his biological father.

The 1851 Census saw Enoch, one month old, with his mother and living with her parents Peter and Jane Wilding and siblings at Chew Lane, Dalton.

The 1861 Census saw Enoch, with his name spelt "Peanock", living as a scholar with his widowed grandmother Jane at Chew Cottage, Dalton. His mother had passed away in 1853,

The 1871 Census found Enoch still living with his grandmother Jane, now at Fairclough (?) Drive, Dalton. His occupation was collier, ie coal miner.

Enoch married *Elizabeth Mawdsley* on 9 December 1876 in Dalton (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 21). She was born on 11 September 1857 in Wrightington, Lancashire (reference Chorley Volume 8e page 349), the daughter of James and Mary Mawdsley, a master blacksmith, and baptised on 25 October of that year in the Eccleston Chapel, Douglas in Parbold. Curiously, only her mother's name appeared in the Baptismal record, suggesting that her mother had not yet married her father. Whether she was related to the William Mawdsley who married Rachael Wilding has not been researched. The name Mawdsley sometimes appears as Mawdsley. The Marriage Register showed her as being a dressmaker. Enoch was obviously illiterate and signed his name with a cross.

The 1881 Census saw Enoch and Elizabeth residing at Dalton Lees, Dalton. They had three children: William, age 3; James, age 2; and Mary Jane, age four months; all were born in Dalton. Also living with them was Ellen Wilding, Enoch's aunt and his mother's sister.

The 1891 Census saw Enoch and Jane still living at 4 Dalton Lees, Dalton. Of their previous children, Mary Jane was still there but James had disappeared and there was an Adam, age 13, who presumably must be William; Adam appeared to have been his first given name? There was also now a John (possibly John Henry), age 7, and Margery E, age 1, both born in Dalton. Ellen Wilding was still living with them, but Annie, born in 1887, was missing from the Census.

The 1901 Census found the family residing at Dingle, Dalton. Elizabeth was there but Enoch himself did not appear and was elsewhere on the day of the Census. The children were listed as William; Annie, age 14; Nelly, age 11 (presumably Margery E from the previous Census); Robert, age 7; Frederick, age 4; and Arthur, age 2; the last three were all born in Dalton. Ellen was no longer with them. Enoch himself was found by the census taker at 3 Lower Ground, Standish with Laughton, Lancashire, together with their son John; both of them coal miners, it would seem work had taken them away from the family home.

The 1911 Census saw the family living at Old Delf, Back Lane, Dalton. Enoch was still described as a collier hewer. The children remaining with them were Marjorie E, Robert E, Frederick M and Arthur E.

Enoch died in the fourth quarter of 1917 in the Wigan area (reference Volume 8c Page 117).

An Elizabeth Wilding, born ca 1857, died in the second quarter of 1932 in Blackburn, Lancashire (reference Volume 8e Page 429). This was possibly the Elizabeth under notice.

Enoch and Elizabeth had nine known children:

- Adam William Wilding, b. 1877
- Thomas James Wilding, b. 1878
- Mary Jane Wilding, b. 1881
- John Henry Wilding, b. 1883
- Annie Elizabeth Wilding, b. 1887
- Margery Ellen Wilding, b. 1889
- Robert Enoch Wilding, b. 1894
- Moses Frederick Wilding, b. 1896

- Arthur Ernest Wilding, b 1898

Adam William Wilding

Adam was born in the second quarter of 1877 in Dalton, the first child of Enoch and Elizabeth Wilding, nee Mawdesley (reference Wigan Volume 8c page 151). **There is uncertainty as to the order of his given names.**

The 1881, 1891 and 1901 Censuses saw him living with his parents and siblings in Dalton. In the 1901 Census his occupation was given as coal miner contractor.

No definitive matching 1911 Census record has been found. However there is a record for a William Wilding, age 33 and therefore born ca 1877 in Dalton, residing at Minshull Cottages, Miles Lane, Shevington. That town is not far from Dalton and in the Wigan area. With him is his wife Elizabeth, age 30, born in Shevington and mother of two, both living. They had been married for eight years, ie ca 1903, and with them were their two children: James Wilding, age 7, and Joseph Wilding, age 5, both born in Shevington.

There is in fact a Marriage Index record for a William Wilding marrying *Elizabeth Ann Whitter* in the first quarter of 1903 in the Wigan area (reference Volume 8c Page 166). Absolute proof is lacking, but it is highly likely that William did in fact marry Elizabeth Whitter. The Grimes Family Tree on Ancestry.co gives Elizabeth's date of birth as 1 June 1881 and her parents as Joseph Witter and Mary Cowley, but has no other information recorded about her. The 1891 Census for Shevington, Lancashire, suggest she was born ca 1881 in Shevington (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 5).

A William A Wilding, born ca 1877, died in the second quarter of 1950 in Ince, Lancashire (reference Volume 10c Page 468). This may well have been the William in question, as often the given name were turned around in some records or depending on family usage. Indeed, in two Censuses he was referred to as William.

An Elizabeth A Wilding, born ca 1882, died in the first quarter on 1960 in Ince (reference Volume 10c Page 507). This was probably the Elizabeth in question.

It is not known whether William and Elizabeth had children.

Thomas James Wilding

Thomas was born in the fourth quarter of 1878 in Dalton, the second child of Enoch and Elizabeth Wilding, nee Mawdesley (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 57).

The 1881 Census saw him living with his parents and siblings in Dalton.

The 1891 Census found a James Wilding, age 12, living with his grandparents, James and Mary Mawdsley, in Appley Bridge, Wrightington. This could be accepted as the Thomas James under notice, except that also there is a Hannah Wilding, grand-daughter age 4. Unless they were the children of another child of James and Mary, Hannah would have to be Thomas' sister Annie Elizabeth; perhaps she was also known under that name, or perhaps the Census taker misheard it.

Thomas died aged 21 in the first quarter of 1899 in Dalton (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 57).

Mary Jane Wilding

Mary was born in the first quarter of 1881 in Dalton, the third child of Enoch and Elizabeth Wilding, nee Mawdesley (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 138).

The 1881 and 1891 Censuses saw her living with her parents and siblings in Dalton.

The 1901 Census found her working as a general servant at 15 New Hall Lane, Bolton, Lancashire, in the home of Frederick and Mary Witter and family. **There seems to be a connection with the Witter family here, as Mary's brother Adam William is believed to have married an Elizabeth Witter.**

Mary Jane married **Joseph Henry Seddon** in the second quarter of 1905 in St Michael & All Angels Church, Dalton (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 34). He was born in the second quarter of 1874 in Tottington, Lancashire, the son of Thomas Seddon and Esther Bromley (reference Bury Volume 8c Page 481). **There seems to be also a connection with the Seddon family, as Joseph's uncle Adam Wilding married an Elizabeth Seddon.**

The 1911 Census found Joseph and Mary living in Miles Lane, Shevington, Wigan. Joseph was a greengrocer by trade. They had three children: Thomas, age 5; Annie, age 3; and Alice, age 11 months. Alice was born in Shevington, the other two in Bolton.

Joseph died in the fourth quarter of 1920 in the Wigan area (reference Volume 8c Page 29).

There are three Death Index records for a Mary J Seddon, born ca 1880-1882, two of them in Bolton: in the third quarter of 1927 (reference Bolton Volume 8c Page 269); in the first quarter of 1933 (reference Bolton Volume 8c Page 434); and in the third quarter of 1960 (reference Heywood Volume 10c Page 336). Any one of these could relate to the Mary Jane under notice.

Joseph and Mary had **five** known children:

- Thomas Seddon, b. 1906
- Annie Seddon, b. 1908
- Alice Seddon, b. 1910
- **Henry Seddon, b. 1913**
- **Robert Seddon, b. 1915**

Thomas Seddon

Thomas was born in the second quarter of 1906 in Bolton, the first child of Joseph and Mary Seddon (reference Bolton Volume 8c Page 407). **According to the Crossley and Seddon Family Trees on Ancestry.co he was born on 27 November 1907 in Bolton, and there is indeed a Birth record for a Thomas in that year, but if he was five years old at the Census in April 2011 it would seem he must have been born in 1906. However his Death Index record confirms the 1907 date. The only Birth Index record that matches the name and year is for the second quarter of 1907, not the fourth (reference Volume 8c Page 349)!**

The 1911 Census found him, age 5, living with his parents and siblings in Miles Lane, Shevington, near Wigan.

There are many possible marriages for Thomas in central Lancashire between 1929 and 1936 and it is not possible to match a particular one to him. However, according to the Family Trees on Ancestry.co he married *Alice Crossley*, and certainly there is a record of such a marriage in the second quarter of 1931 in Bury, Lancashire (reference Volume 8c Page 1367). This has been accepted in good faith. Alice was born on 26 April 1904 in Bury (reference Volume 8c Page 644), the daughter of Levi and Mary Crossley, nee Tatlock, and was baptised on 22 May of that year in St Saviour's Parish Church, Ringley.

Alice died on 27 May 1983 in Farnham, Surrey (reference Surrey South Western Volume 17 Page 1122). She was buried on 9 June in St James churchyard, Rowledge, Hampshire. Her address was shown as 1 Swiss Close, Boundstone, Farnham.

Thomas died on 16 May 1987 in Farnham (reference Surrey South Western Volume 17 Page 1089). He was buried on 21 May in the St James churchyard with Alice.

As mentioned earlier, the information from the Family Trees has been accepted in good faith. However the inconsistencies in dates and the commonality of the name Thomas Seddon leaves the writer in some doubt as to the veracity of the information contained in those Trees.

Thomas and Alice had two children:

- Kathleen M Seddon, b. 1933
- Jesse Morris Seddon, b. 1935 d 1997

Kathleen M Seddon

Kathleen was born in the third quarter of 1933 in Bury, Lancashire (reference Volume 8c Page 653), the daughter of Thomas and Alice Seddon, nee Crossley.

There are four possible marriages for Kathleen between 1954 and 1969, and it is not possible to determine which of them relates to her.

Jesse Morris Seddon

Jesse was born on 5 November 1935 in Ringley, Bolton, Lancashire (reference Farnworth Volume 8c Page 488), the child of Thomas and Alice Seddon, nee Crossley. Both the Crossley and Seddon Family Trees on Ancestry.co show him as a male, but the Seddon Tree shows his name as "Jessie".

The Seddon Tree indicates Jesse or Jessie married, and that he and his wife had a son. However no matching Marriage Index record has been found.

Jesse died in March 1997 in Wokingham, Berkshire (reference Reading & Wokingham Register # D40A 3201D Entry 213).

Annie Seddon

Alice was born in the first quarter of 1908 in Bolton, Lancashire, the second child of Joseph and Mary Seddon, nee Wilding (reference Bolton Volume 8c Page 431).

The 1911 Census found her living with her parents and siblings in Shevington.

There were eight women of that name married in Bolton from 1927 and it is not possible to identify a particular one with her.

Alice Seddon

Alice was born in the second quarter of 1910 in Shevington, Lancashire, the third child of Joseph and Mary Seddon, nee Wilding (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 10).

The 1911 Census found her living with her parents and siblings in Shevington.

There were numerous women of that name married in central Lancashire in the 1930s and again it is not possible to identify a particular one with her. **The most likely one would be to James Latham in the third quarter of 1933 in Bolton (reference Volume 8c Page 392) but this cannot be established beyond doubt.**

Henry Seddon

Henry was born in the second quarter of 1913 in Shevington, Lancashire, the fourth child of Joseph and Mary Seddon, nee Wilding (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 9).

There were at least two possible marriages for Henry, both in the third quarter of 1934 in Wigan: to Hilda Dewhurst (reference Volume 8c Page 30); or to Elsie Merrill (reference Volume 8c Page 119).

A Henry Seddon, born on 25 April 1913, died aged 83 in July 1996 in Salford, Lancashire (Register # TA45 0111AEntry 79). This may well have been the Henry in question.

Robert Seddon

Robert was born in the fourth quarter of 1915 in Shevington, Lancashire, the fifth child of Joseph and Mary Seddon, nee Wilding (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 7).

There were four men of that name married in Bolton from 1944 and it is not possible to identify a particular one with him.

John Henry Wilding (Welding)

John was born in the second quarter of 1883 in Dalton, Lancashire, the fourth child of Enoch and Elizabeth Wilding, nee Mawdesley (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 152).

The 1891 Census saw him living with his parents and siblings in Dalton.

The 1901 Census found John at 3 Lower Ground, Standish with Laughton, Lancashire, together with his father Enoch; both of them coal miners; it would seem work had taken them away from the family home.

John married *Emily Walton* in the second quarter of 1909 in St John's Church, Pemberton (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 87). **She was born in the third quarter of 1884 in Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 47), the daughter of Thomas Walton and Annie Smith.** Interestingly, the Marriage record showed his surname as Welding, not Wilding.

The 1911 Census saw John and Emily residing at 21 Cannon Street, Atherton, Lancashire. His occupation was given as coal miner hewer. Emily's age was given as 26 and birthplace Wigan, and she was the mother of two, both living. With them were their two children: Thomas Enoch, age 1, and born in Pemberton; and John, age 5 months and born in Atherton. John signed the Census form as John Henry Welding, so obviously he had reverted to the old family name.

In 1912 and 1913 the family migrated to Australia. John went first, sailing on 30 September 1912 from Liverpool bound for Sydney aboard the SS *Ayrshire*, arriving there on 30 November, so it must have been a slow trip! It is noted that his name was shown as Wilding. Emily, accompanied by Thomas and John, sailed from London on 31 July 1913 aboard the P&O liner SS *Commonwealth*.

The Electoral Roll of 1930 for Woonona, NSW, a suburb of Wollongong, saw John, a miner, and Emily living in Hampen Street, Corrimal. By 1936 they had moved to 9 Hansen Street, Corrimal. John senior was a miner, and Emily home duties; their son Thomas Enoch was a pastrycook and son John junior was a shop assistant. There was also a Robert Walton Welding, a mine employee, and it is presumed that this was another son of Thomas and Emily, born in Australia. They appeared there together again in 1937, but by 1943 John junior had married and was living elsewhere in Corrimal.

By 1949 John and Emily had disappeared from the Roll and Thomas had moved in with his brother John and his wife.

Emily died on 22 July 1945 (Reg. # Bulli NSW 15063) and was buried in the Woronora Cemetery, Sutherland NSW.

John died a few weeks later, on 15 September 1945 (Reg. # Wollongong 21929) and was also buried in the Woronora Cemetery.

John and Emily had three known children:

- Thomas Enoch Welding, b. 1909
- John Welding, b. 1910
- Robert Walton Welding, b. ca 1915

Thomas Enoch Welding

Thomas was born in the third quarter of 1909 in Pemberton, Lancashire, the first child of John and Emily Welding, nee Walton (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 117).

The 1911 Census saw him living with his parents and brother in Atherton.

In 1912 and 1913 the family migrated to Australia. Thomas, accompanied by his mother and brother John, sailed from London on 31 July 1913 aboard the P&O liner SS *Commonwealth*. His father had migrated the previous year.

The 1936 through 1943 Electoral Rolls for Woonona NSW showed Thomas, a pastrycook, living at 9 Hansen Street, Corrimal with his parents and brothers. By 1949, his parents having died, he had moved in with his brother John and John's wife Alma at 12 Dick Street, Corrimal. He remained listed there in 1954 and 1958.

Thomas died on 29 March 1961 and was buried in the Woronora Cemetery, Sutherland NSW, possibly with his parents. It would appear he never married.

John Welding

John was born in the fourth quarter of 1910 in Atherton, Lancashire, the second child of John and Emily Welding, nee Walton (reference Leigh Volume 8c Page 303).

The 1911 Census saw him living with his parents and brother in Atherton.

In 1912 and 1913 the family migrated to Australia. John, accompanied by his mother and brother Thomas, sailed from London on 31 July 1913 aboard the P&O liner *SS Commonwealth*. His father had migrated the previous year.

The 1936 and 1937 Electoral Rolls for Woonona NSW showed John, a shop assistant, living at 9 Hansen Street, Corrimal with his parents and brothers.

John married *Alma Sophia Gill* in 1937 in Wollongong, NSW (Reg. # 20268).

The 1943 through 1980 Electoral Rolls for Corrimal showed John and Alma living at 12 Dick Street, Corrimal. In 1949 they were joined there by John's brother Thomas, who died in 1961.

It is not known whether John and Alma had children.

Robert Walton Welding

Robert was born ca 1915 in Wollongong NSW, the third child of John and Emily Welding, nee Walton. No Birth record has been found for him.

The 1936 through 1943 Electoral Rolls for Woonona NSW showed Robert, a mine employer, living at 9 Hansen Street, Corrimal with his parents and brothers.

He married *Nora Roberts* in 1945 in Wollongong (Reg. # 25039).

The Electoral Roll of 1949 for Keira NSW listed Robert, now a roadman, and Nora living in Hope Street, Reidtown. By 1954 Robert was joined there by *Eileen Ruth Welding*, home duties, but Nora's name had disappeared, suggesting she had either died or they had been divorced and Robert had remarried. However no Marriage record has been found. Robert and Eileen remained listed there in 1958 and 1963, the address being re-listed as 13 Hope Street. By 1968 Eileen's name had disappeared from the Roll, and by 1980 Robert's name had also disappeared.

The 1980 Roll showed a Robert David Welding, a chef, residing at 1/154 Charles Avenue, Minnamurra, near Wollongong. This was possibly a son of John or Robert.

Annie Elizabeth Wilding

Annie was born in the first quarter of 1887 and baptised on 27 March of that year in Dalton, Lancashire, the fifth child of Enoch and Elizabeth Wilding, nee Mawdesley (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 151).

As mentioned under James Wilding above, she was possibly living with her grandparents at the time of the 1891 Census, her name being recorded as Hannah Wilding.

The 1901 Census saw her living with her parents and siblings at Dingle, Dalton.

There were numerous Annie Wildings married in the Wigan and Ormskirk areas in the early 1900s and it is not possible to identify one with the Annie under notice. **However an Annie E Wilding married Arthur Topping in the fourth quarter of 1930 in Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 82). Although she would have been 43 years of age at the time, it is possible that this was the Annie in question.**

Margery Ellen Wilding

Margery was born on **9 August 1889** in Dalton, Lancashire, the sixth child of Enoch and Elizabeth Wilding, nee Mawdesley (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 148). She was baptised on **12 August 1889** in the Parish of Dalton.

The 1891, 1901 and 1911 Censuses saw her living with her parents and siblings in Dalton.

Margery never married, and died in the second quarter of 1971 in Chorley, Lancashire (reference Volume 10c Page 92).

Robert Enoch Wilding

Robert was born on **13 January 1894** in Dalton, Lancashire, the seventh child of Enoch and Elizabeth Wilding, nee Mawdesley (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 167). **He was baptised on 18 March of that year in the Parish of Dalton.**

The 1901 and 1911 Censuses saw him living with his parents and siblings in Dalton.

He served in the Royal Army Service Corp during World War I, with the rank of Private, and received the Victory Medal.

Robert married **Jane Evans** on 10 January 1925 in the Parish Church, Douglas-in-Parbold, Lancashire (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 25). He was shown as a labourer aged 30 of Dalton Lees, and she a spinster aged 28 of Canal Bank, Appley Bridge, the daughter of William Evans, quarryman, and Ellen nee Unknown. Thomas Seddon (see earlier) was one of the witnesses to the marriage. She was born in the fourth quarter of 1896 in Appley Bridge, near Wigan (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 4).

Robert died in the first quarter of 1964 in Ince (reference Volume 10c Page 533).

A Jane Wilding, born 20 September 1896, died aged 92 in October 1988 in Wigan (reference Volume 39 Page 2251). This was probably the Jane in question.

Robert and Jane had one known child:

- Ellen Wilding, b. 1925

Ellen Wilding

Ellen was born in the third quarter of 1925 in the Wigan area (reference Volume 8c Page 5), the daughter of Robert and Jane Wilding, nee Evans.

Hers was a common name and no further definitive record of her has been found.

Moses Frederick Wilding

Moses was born on 6 September 1896 in Dalton, the eighth child of Enoch and Elizabeth Wilding, nee Mawdesley (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 160). He was baptised on 1 January 1897 in the Parish of Longridge.

The 1901 and 1911 Censuses saw him living with his parents and siblings in Dalton. In the 1911 Census he appeared as Frederick M Wilding, age 15, with the occupation collier labourer underground.

Moses married *Mary Wilson* in the second quarter of 1939 at St Michael and All Angels Church, Dalton (reference Ince Volume 8c Page 175). Hers was a common name and no definitive Birth or Death Index records have been found for her; she may also have been married previously.

Moses died in the second quarter of 1975 in the Wigan area (reference Volume 39 Page 2415).

It is not known if Moses and Mary had children.

Arthur Ernest Wilding

Arthur was born on 15 August 1898 in Dalton, the ninth child of Enoch and Elizabeth Wilding, nee Mawdesley (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 155). He was baptised on 2 October of that year in the Parish of Longridge.

The 1901 and 1911 Censuses saw him living with his parents and siblings in Dalton.

He served in the Royal Fusiliers with the rank of Private during World War I and received the Victory Medal. His Regimental Number was GS79895.

He married *Florence Sharrock* in the second quarter of 1925 in St Michael and All Angels Church, Dalton (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 33). She was born in the Wigan area on 26 May 1901 (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 22), the daughter of Edwin and Ellen Sharrock, nee Unknown.

Arthur died in the first quarter of 1977 in Chorley, Lancashire (reference Volume 40 Page 1478).

Florence died in the first quarter of 1979 in Chorley (reference Volume 40 Page 1487).

Arthur and Florence had one known child:

- Elizabeth C Wilding, b. 1925

Elizabeth C Wilding

Elizabeth was born in the fourth quarter of 1925 in Wigan, Lancashire (reference Volume 8c Page 200), the daughter of Arthur and Florence Wilding, nee Sharrock.

She married *Lawrence Titherley* in the third quarter of 1950 in Ince (reference Volume 10c Page 1320). He was born on 2 December 1928 in Liverpool (reference West Derby Volume 8b Page 915).

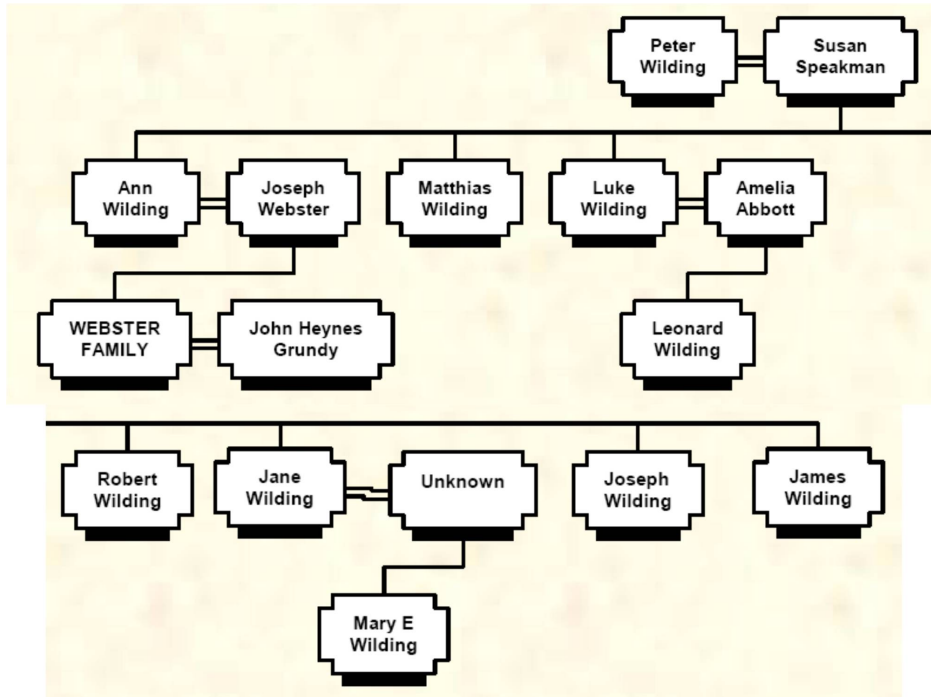
Lawrence died in January 2003 in Chorley, Lancashire (Register # 89E 5831 Page 72).

Lawrence and Elizabeth had one child: *David A Titherley*, born in the first quarter of 1956 in Ince (reference Volume 10c Page 573).

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THE PETER WILDING LINE



Peter Wilding

Peter was born in 1832 in Windle, Lancashire, the fourth child of Peter and Jane Welding (Wilding), nee Wilson.

He appeared in the 1841 and 1851 Censuses living with his parents and siblings in Dalton, Lancashire.

Peter married *Susannah Speakman* in the second quarter of 1856 in All Saints Church, Wigan (reference Vol. 8c Page 23). Her name in subsequent records appears variously as Susan or Susanah. She was born about 1831 in Standish, Lancashire, the daughter of Matthias Speakman (1793-1839) and Cicely Fairclough (1795-1853). The 1851 Census for Dalton showed her living with her mother and brother Joseph, who was described as "idiot".

The 1861 Census showed Peter and his wife Susanah (sic) living in Dalton. His occupation was stone quarryman. Susanah's age was given as 30 and she was born in Standish, Lancashire. With them were their children: Ann, age 7; Matthias, age 3; and Luke, age 1; all born in Dalton. Also listed was her brother Joseph Speakman, described as insane.

Peter died aged 39 in the third quarter of 1870, presumably in Dalton (reference Wigan Vol. 8c Page 82). One wonders whether his untimely death was due to an industrial accident, given his trade as a quarryman. He was buried on 3 September in the Parish of Upholland.

The 1871 Census showed the widowed Susan (or Susana) living in Dingle Lane, Dalton. With her were her children: Luke, now age 11; Robert, age 9; Jane, age 7; Joseph, age 5; and James, age 2. All the children were born in Dalton. Her brother Joseph Speakman was also still living with them.

The 1881 Census saw Susannah (sic) living "Near Stone Hall", Dalton. With her were her three sons Matthias, Luke and Robert, all unmarried and coal miners, together with James, now 12 and a scholar, and also a grand-daughter Harriet, age 8 and born in Dalton. Harriet was presumably the daughter of her eldest child, Ann. Joseph Speakman was still with them.

The 1891 Census showed Susan living in Wigan Road, Dalton, with her sons Matthias, Luke and Robert.

The 1901 Census showed Susan (misread as Simon during transcription) living at Rodgers Farm Cottage, Dalton. Her three sons Matthias, Robert and James were still with her, all single and all listed as collier hewers. The cottage was located on the farm of Thomas Speakman and his family, presumably a relative of Susan. On the same Census page was listed her son Luke, his wife Amelia and son Leonard.

Susan died in the second quarter of 1901, presumably in Dalton (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 86).

Peter and Susan had seven known children:

- Ann Wilding, b. 1854
- Matthias Wilding, b. 1857
- Luke Wilding, b. 1860
- Robert Wilding, b. 1862
- Jane Wilding, b. 1864
- Joseph Wilding, b. 1866
- James Wilding, b. 1868

Ann Wilding

Ann was born in the first quarter of 1854 in Dalton, the first child of Peter and Susannah Wilding, nee Speakman (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 3).

The 1861 Census showed her living with her parents and siblings in Dalton.

The 1871 Census found Ann working as a general servant for the family of Thomas and Hannah Speakman at Delph House, Parbold, Lancashire. Speakman was of course her mother's maiden name and it is highly likely Thomas was her uncle.

The 1871 Census found her working as a domestic servant for the family of John and Esther Laithwaite at Lawns Farm, Upholland.

Ann married *Joseph Webster* in the fourth quarter of 1882 at the Wigan Registry Office (reference Volume 8c Page 172). He was born in the third quarter of 1840 in Upholland (reference Wigan Volume 21 Page 679), the son of Joseph and Mary Webster, nee Unknown. It would appear that he had previously been married to a Mary, nee Unknown, as the 1881 Census for Upholland listed a Joseph Webster, age 42 and an agricultural labourer, and his wife Mary, age 42 and both born in Upholland. At the same address, Blackledge, was the family of James and Elizabeth Speakman, which again was the maiden name of Ann's mother. A Mary Webster, born ca 1839, did in fact die in the Wigan area in 1881 and this may have been Joseph's first wife.

The 1891 Census found Joseph and Ann living at Blackledge, Upholland. Joseph's occupation was given as agricultural labourer. With them were their three children: Ann, age 7; Ernest, age 5; and John, age 3; all born in Upholland. Living at the same address was a Henry and Mary Webster and family; Henry would appear to be Joseph's elder brother.

Joseph died in the first quarter of 1899, probably in Upholland or Dalton (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 89).

The 1901 Census saw Ann, now widowed and a charwoman, living at 172 Ormskirk Road, Upholland. With her were her sons Ernest and John, and there was another child: Alfred, age 8 and born in Dalton.

The 1911 Census found Ann living at 206 Ormskirk Road, Upholland. With her were her two sons Ernest and Alfred. The dwelling had three living rooms.

Ann died on 14 May 1923 in Upholland (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 138). Probate of her Will was granted on 22 August in London to her son Ernest, a collier, and her daughter Ann, wife of Henry Eccles. Her address was given as 2 Back Lane, Holland Moor, Upholland, and her effects totalled £185 6s 11d.

Joseph and Ann had four known children:

- Ann Webster, b. 1884
- Ernest Webster, b. 1885
- John Webster, b. 1888
- Alfred Webster, b. 1892

Ann Webster

Ann was born in the third quarter of 1884 in Upholland, the first child of Joseph and Ann Webster, nee Wilding (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 92).

The 1891 Census saw her living with her parents and siblings in Dalton.

The 1901 Census saw her working as a General Servant Domestic in the home of William and May Hampson at 70-72 Arden Street, Bolton.

Also in that year Ann married *John Heyes Grundy* in the second quarter of 1901 at St Thomas' Church, Upholland (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 121). There were several men of that name born in the Wigan area between 1869 and 1871 and it is not possible to identify him.

The marriage to John Grundy was short-lived, as he died aged 36 on 13 November 1906 (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 90). Administration of his estate was granted on 3 December in Liverpool to his widow Ann. His address was given as Ormskirk Road, Upholland Moor, Upholland, his occupation as colliery-labourer, and his effects a paltry £5. One wonders if his early death was due to an industrial accident.

There is some basis for believing that Ann then married a Henry Eccles, as she was shown as an executrix of her mother's Will as the wife of Henry Eccles. There is in fact a Marriage Index record for a Henry Eccles marrying an Ann Webster in the first quarter of 1905 in Bolton, Lancashire (reference Volume 8c Page 549), but Ann's first husband was still alive then so prima facie it seems unlikely that this was the couple in question.

A clue might lie in the 1911 Census for Marton, Blackpool, Lancashire. Visiting, or perhaps holidaying, at the home of Annie Parkinson were Henry Eccles, age 31 and a coal merchant born in Lytham, Lancashire; his wife Ann, age 27, born in Upholland and mother of three; and their children: Annie, age 5; Mary, age 3; and Lucy, age 1; all born in Bolton. They had been married for six years. This again points to the marriage in Bolton in 1905.

The mystery at this point remains unsolved. Did Ann in fact marry Henry Eccles in 1905 in Bolton? If so, had she divorced from John Grundy? Was it indeed the same Ann who married in Bolton? If not, why can no other marriage record be found between Ann and Henry? These questions remain unanswered.

It is not known whether John Grundy and Ann had children. Certainly there were children of the name Grundy born in Wigan between 1901 and 1906, but records at that time did not show the mother's maiden name.

Ernest Webster

Ernest was born in the fourth quarter of 1885 in Upholland, the second child of Joseph and Ann Webster, nee Wilding (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 112).

The 1891 and 1901 Censuses saw him living with his parents and siblings in Dalton.

The 1911 Census found him living with his mother and brother in Upholland. His occupation was shown as coal miner's haulier.

There were numerous men by that name married in the first two decades of the 20thC, but none that can be positively identified with the Ernest in question.

An Ernest Webster, born ca 1886, died in the second quarter of 1956 in Wigan (reference Volume 10f Page 711). This may well have been the Ernest in question.

John Webster

John was born in either the first or fourth quarter of 1888 in Upholland, Lancashire, the third child of Joseph and Ann Webster, nee Wilding; there were two children by that name born in the Wigan area that year – referenced Volume 8c Pages 147 and 158).

The 1891 and 1901 Censuses saw him living with his parents and siblings in Dalton.

John married *Susan Young Livingstone* in the fourth quarter of 1909 in the Registry Office, Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 120). She was born on 19 August 1887 in Maybole, Ayrshire, Scotland, the daughter of Robert Livingstone (1859-1934) and Mary Brown (1858-1934).

The 1911 Census saw John and Susan residing at 35 Nixons Lane, Upholland. His occupation was given as colliery labourer below ground. They had a daughter Mary, age eleven months and born in Upholland. The dwelling had four living rooms.

A John Webster, born on 6 January 1888, died aged 85 in the third quarter of 1973 in the Ormskirk area (reference Volume 10f Page 412). This was probably the John under notice.

Susan died aged 87 in the third quarter of 1974 in West Lancashire (reference Volume 40 Page 2357).

John and Susan had three known children:

- Mary Webster, b. 1910
- Jessie Webster, b. 1917
- Joseph Webster, b. 1921

Mary Webster

Mary was born in the second quarter of 1910 in Upholland, Lancashire, the first child of John and Susan Webster, nee Livingstone (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 129).

The 1911 Census saw her living with her parents in Upholland.

A Mary Webster, born 11 May 1910, died aged 92 in September 2002 in Wigan (reference Wigan & Leigh Register # C18B 0181C Entry 38). This was probably the Mary in question.

Jessie Webster

Jessie was born in the first quarter of 1917, probably in Upholland, Lancashire, the second child of John and Susan Webster, nee Livingstone (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 185).

A girl by that name married John England in the first quarter of 1933 in the Wigan area (reference Volume 8c Page 159). However the Jessie under notice would only just have turned 16 at the time. Furthermore there is a Death Index record for a Jessie England, born ca 1921, dying in the second quarter of 1954 in Leigh (reference Volume 10d Page 47). This casts doubt as to whether Jessie Webster did indeed marry John England.

A Jessie Webster, born on 11 October 1917, died in November 1995 in Liverpool (Register # I6D 02511 Entry 54). Although the Birth Date does not tie in, this could also be the Jessie in question.

Joseph Webster

Joseph was born on 3 June 1921, probably in Upholland, Lancashire, the third child of John and Susan Webster, nee Livingstone (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 277).

He married *Irene Thorpe* in the first quarter of 1948 in Wigan (reference Volume 10f Page 1538).

Joseph died on 15 January 1997 in Wigan (reference Wigan & Leigh Register # D4B 0181D Entry 55).

According to Family Tree information on Ancestry.co Joseph and Irene had two daughters, but the name of only one has been found: *Jennifer Webster*, born in the fourth quarter of 1950 in Manchester (reference Volume 10e Page 285).

Alfred Webster

Alfred was born in the third quarter of 1892 in Dalton, Lancashire, the fourth child of Joseph and Ann Webster, nee Wilding (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 164).

The 1901 Census saw him living with his parents and siblings at 206 Ormskirk Road, Upholland.

The 1911 Census found him living with his mother and brother in Upholland. His occupation was shown as boot repairer.

His name was a common one and no definitive Marriage or Death Index record has been found.

Matthias Wilding

Matthias was born in the fourth quarter of 1857 in Dalton, the second child of Peter and Susannah Wilding, nee Speakman (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 88).

The 1861, 1881, 1891 and 1901 Census shows him living with his parents and siblings in Dalton. The latter Census gave his occupation as collier, like his brothers. He was absent from the 1871 Census and no record could be found for him.

The 1911 Census found Matthias, still single and now retired at age 53, living alone in a two room dwelling at 180 Ormskirk Road, Upholland.

He apparently never married, and died aged 70 on 15 December 1927 in Upholland (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 115). Administration of his estate was granted on 25 January 1928 in Liverpool to Robert Wilding, retired collier, his younger brother. His address was still 180 Ormskirk Road, and his effects totalled £604 16s.

Luke Wilding

Luke was born in the first quarter of 1860 in Dalton, the third child of Peter and Susannah Wilding, nee Speakman (reference Wigan Volume 8c page 102).

The 1861, 1871, 1881 and 1891 Censuses show him living with his parents and siblings in Dalton.

He married *Amelia Abbott* on 31 December 1891 in St Michael & All Angels, Church, Dalton (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 33). She was born in the second quarter of 1865 in Dalton, the daughter of William Abbott (1832-1905) and *Mary Caterall (1831-1910)* (reference Wigan Vol. 8c Page 114). The Birth Index spelled her name as "Emilia".

The 1901 Census found Luke and Amelia living with Hiner (?) and Elizabeth Ball at Bell View Farm, Dalton. They have a son, Leonard, age 7 and born in Dalton. Next door, on Rodgers Farm, lives his sister Ann, her husband Thomas Speakman and their family. In a cottage on the same farm lives his mother and brothers.

Luke died in the first quarter of 1909, probably in Dalton or Upholland (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 664).

The 1911 Census found the widowed Amelia living with her son Leonard at 26 Brewery Street, Upholland.

Amelia died in the second quarter of 1920, probably in Upholland (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 168).

Luke and Amelia had one known child:

- Leonard Wilding, b. 1894

Leonard Wilding

Leonard was born in the third quarter of 1893 in Dalton, the only known child of Luke and Amelia Wilding (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 164).

The 1901 Census saw him living with his parents in Dalton.

The 1911 Census found him living with his widowed mother at 26 Brewery Street, Ormskirk Road, Upholland. His occupation was given as apprentice joiner.

A Leonard Wilding, born ca 1893, died aged 82 in the third quarter of 1975 in Birmingham, West Midlands (reference Volume 32 Page 0694). This was probably the Leonard in question.

He does not appear to have married, as no likely matching Marriage Index record has been found.

Robert Wilding

Robert was born in the second quarter of 1862 in Dalton, the fourth child of Peter and Susannah Wilding, nee Speakman (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 110).

The 1871, 1881, 1891 and 1901 Censuses shows him living with his parents and siblings in Dalton. The latter Census gave his occupation as collier, like his brothers

A Robert Wilding married a Teresa Wilding in the third quarter of 1906 in St Wilfred's Church, Standish (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 107). The only Teresa Wilding found on Ancestry.co was born in the third quarter of 1870 in Monmouth, Wales, the daughter of George and Mary A Wilding (reference Monmouth Volume 11a Page 40). Probably she was a distant cousin. The Singleton Family Tree on Ancestry.co also suggests Robert married Teresa.

However there must be **considerable** doubt as to whether this marriage was of the Robert in question, as the 1911 Census shows a Robert Wilding, a miner coal hewer, single, aged 49 and born in 1862 in Dalton, boarding with John and Elizabeth Hooton at 32 Doe Quarry Lane, Dinnington near Rotherham, Nottinghamshire.

No 1911 Census record or Death record has been found for a Teresa Wilding.

There are three possible Death Index records for a Robert Wilding, born ca 1861-62, dying in the Wigan area of Lancashire, and it is not possible to definitely attribute one to the Robert in question.

Jane Wilding

Jane was born in the first quarter of 1864 in Dalton, the fifth child of Peter and Susannah Wilding, nee Speakman (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 119).

The 1871 Census showed her living with her parents and siblings in Dalton.

The 1881 Census found a Jane Wilding working as a general domestic servant at 50 March Banks Road, Skelmersdale. Her age was 18, making her born ca 1863-64, and her birth place was given as Skelmersdale rather than Dalton. However as Dalton is part of Skelmersdale, this would not preclude her from being the Jane under notice. She was described as lodger and Head of household. With her was a daughter Mary E, age 9 months and born in Skelmersdale. There was no mention of a father. If the dates are correct Jane must have borne her daughter at age 13!

Interestingly, next door at 51 March Banks Road there is an Alice Wilding living with the family of Samuel and Ellen Holcroft and identified as their illegitimate daughter. So far it has not been possible to link this Alice to anyone in this Genealogy, but further research may provide such a link.

The question now arises as to whether Jane's daughter Mary E was also illegitimate. A Jane Wilding, born in Skelmersdale, did in fact marry a Daniel Holland in the second quarter of 1881 at the Wigan Registry Office (reference Volume 8c Page 151), but an 1891 Census record for them shows no sign of a Mary E, who would have only been about ten at that time, although they have two other young children. However a Mary Ellen Wilding, born about 1881, died in infancy in the first quarter of 1882 in the Ormskirk area (reference Volume 8b Page 583), and was buried on 6 February of that year aged one year and eight months in the Parish of Skelmersdale. This would explain why she did not appear in the 1891 Census. It therefore has been accepted that the Jane Wilding who married *Daniel Holland* was the Jane under notice. He was born about 1849 in St Helens, Lancashire.

The 1891 Census for Skelmersdale listed, at 3 Old Farm, Daniel, aged 32 and a coal miner; his wife Jane, aged 28; and their children: Daniel, age 7, and James, age 9 months; both born in Skelmersdale.

The 1901 Census for Skelmersdale listed, now at 3 Sherratt Street, Daniel, a coal miner hewer; his wife Jane; and their children: Daniel, age 17 and a coal miner drawer; James, age 10; and Clara, age 7 and born in Skelmersdale.

The 1911 Census for Skelmersdale listed, still at 3 Sherratt Street, Daniel, a coal miner hewer; his wife Jane; and their children: Daniel, James and Clara, all still single.

Daniel died on 20 June 1921 in Skelmersdale, but no Death Index record has been found. Administration of his estate was granted on 18 July in Liverpool to his son James, a council clerk. His address was still 3 Sherratt Street, his occupation retired coal miner, and his effects totalled £250 2s 8d.

A Jane Holland, born ca 1865, died in the second quarter of 1928 in the Wigan area (reference Volume 8c Page 35). This was probably the Jane under notice.

Jane had one illegitimate daughter, father unknown:

- Mary Ellen Wilding, b. 1880

Daniel and Jane had three known children:

- Daniel Holland, b. 1884
- James Holland, b. 1891
- Clara Holland, b. 1894

Mary Ellen Wilding

Mary Ellen was born in the fourth quarter of 1880 in Skelmersdale, Lancashire (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 830), the daughter of Jane Wilding and an unknown father.

The 1881 Census for Skelmersdale showed her living with her mother at 50 March Bank Road.

Mary Ellen died in infancy in the first quarter of 1882 in Skelmersdale (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 583), and was buried on 6 February of that year aged one year and eight months in the Parish of Skelmersdale.

Daniel Holland Jnr

Daniel was born in the fourth quarter of 1884 in Skelmersdale, Lancashire (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 873), the son of Daniel and Jane Holland, nee Wilding.

The 1891 Census for Skelmersdale listed him living with his parents and brother at 3 Old Farm.

The 1901 Census for Skelmersdale listed him now living at 3 Sherratt Street with his parents and siblings.

The 1911 Census for Skelmersdale listed him, age 27, single and a haulier coal miner, still at 3 Sherratt Street with his parents and siblings.

Daniel married *Margaret Davies* in the second quarter of 1911 in Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 18). She was born in 1889 and according to one Family Tree on Ancestry.co she had been previously married at the age of 16 in 1905 to a Daniel Davies. While a 1911 Wales Census record does show a Margaret Davies, born about 1887 in Glamorganshire, married to a Daniel Davies, there is no substantiation that this was the Margaret in question and has been rejected by the writer. The name was a common one, and no definitive Birth Index record has been found.

He enlisted as a Driver in the Royal Horse Artillery and Royal Field Artillery in Atherton, Manchester in World War I. His Regimental Number was W/3788. Unfortunately no military documentation has been found for him on Ancestry.co. He served in France during 1915

Daniel died on 30 May 1916, but no Death Index record has been found. The "Theatre of War" in which he died was given as "home", which suggests he died in his home as a result of war injuries, but equally he could have died on the battlefield or in hospital in England. His address at the time was 79 Avenue Road, New Village, Askern, Doncaster, Yorkshire. He received the Victory, 1915 Star and British War Medals.

Margaret remarried, to William Clamp in 1934 in Doncaster. She died in Askern in the fourth quarter of 1964 (reference Don Valley Volume 2b Page 449).

Daniel and Margaret had a daughter:

Ellen Holland, b. 1912

Ellen Holland

Ellen was born on 14 April 1912 in Wigan, Lancashire (reference Volume 8c Page 301), the daughter of Daniel and Margaret Holland, nee Davies.

She married *William Gascoigne* in the second quarter of 1935 in Doncaster, Yorkshire reference Volume 9c Page 2022). He was born on 4 May 1908 in Eccleshall Bierlow, Yorkshire West Riding (reference Volume 9c Page 427).

Ellen died in July 1989 in Doncaster (reference Volume 3 Page 485).

William died aged 82 in June 1990 in Doncaster (reference Volume 3 Page 434).

William and Ellen are believed to have had two known children, although the Birth Index record for the second child showed a mother's maiden name of "Hoyland":

- Irene Gascoigne, b. 1937
- Brian S Gascoigne, b. 1939

Irene Gascoigne

Irene was born in the first quarter of 1937 in Doncaster, Yorkshire (reference Volume 9c Page 1134), the daughter of William and Ellen Gascoigne, nee Holland.

She married *Thomas Gascoigne* in the first quarter of 1962 in Doncaster (reference Don Valley Volume 2b Page 857). It is assumed that he was a cousin of hers. A man of that name was born in the fourth quarter of 1933 in Doncaster (reference Volume 9c Page 1127), and this may well have been the Thomas in question.

Thomas and Irene had one known child: *Helen Gascoigne*, born in the first quarter of 1963 in Doncaster (reference Volume 2b Page 694).

Brian S Gascoigne

Brian was born in the second quarter of 1939 in Doncaster, Yorkshire (reference Don Valley Volume 9c Page 1257), the son of William and Ellen Gascoigne, nee Holland.

He married *Jacqueline Wood* in the third quarter of 1981 in Doncaster (reference Volume 3 Page 0714). A girl of that name was born in the first quarter of 1942 in Doncaster (reference Don Valley Volume 9c Page 1365) and this was probably her.

Brian and Jacqueline had two children, both born in Hillingdon, Surrey: *Stuart Philip Gascoigne*, born in the first quarter of 1979 (reference Volume 13 Page 799); and *Keith Thomas Gascoigne*, born in the third quarter of 1982 (reference Volume 13 Page 0828).

James Holland

James was born in the third quarter of 1891 in Skelmersdale, Lancashire (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 800), the son of Daniel and Jane Holland, nee Wilding.

The 1891 Census for Skelmersdale listed him living with his parents and brother at 3 Old Farm.

The 1901 Census for Skelmersdale listed him now living at 3 Sherratt Street with his parents and siblings.

The 1911 Census for Skelmersdale listed him, age 20, single and a clerk, still at 3 Sherratt Street with his parents and siblings.

James enlisted on 7 February 1916 during World War I and was appointed on 15 March 1917 to the in the 5th King's Royal Rifles in Seaforth, Lancashire. His address was given as 3 Sharrat Street (sic), Skelmersdale, his age 25, marital status single and occupation clerk. His Regimental Number was 205278.

James died in the fourth quarter of 1963, probably in Skelmersdale (reference Ormskirk Volume 10f Page 168). It is not known whether he married, as his was a common name and there are many Marriage Index records for it.

Clara Holland

Clara was born in the first quarter of 1894 in Skelmersdale, Lancashire (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 868), the daughter of Daniel and Jane Holland, nee Wilding.

The 1901 Census for Skelmersdale listed her living at 3 Sherratt Street with her parents and siblings.

The 1911 Census for Skelmersdale listed her still at 3 Sherratt Street with her parents and siblings.

She married *John Merry* in the fourth quarter of 1915 in Skelmersdale (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 1731).

Clara died aged 35 in May 1939 in Skelmersdale (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 904). She was buried on 31 May in the Skelmersdale Parish. Her address at the time was 5 Sherratt Street.

A John Merry, born about 1890, died on 16 December 1940 in Crosby, Lancashire. Limited administration of his estate was granted on 11 June 1941 in Llandudno to District Bank Ltd, His address was given as 15 Caithness Drive, Crosby and his effects totalled £2694 17s 1d. This may well have been the John under notice.

John and Clara had three known children including twin daughters:

- Clara I Merry, b. 1918
- Irene Merry, b. 1918
- Jane Holland Merry, b. 1920

Clara ? Merry

Clara was born in the second quarter of 1918, probably in Skelmersdale, Lancashire (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 1378), the daughter of John and Clara Merry, nee Holland. Her appearance on the Birth Index record was handwritten at the bottom of the page, as if as an afterthought.

No further record has been found of her.

Irene Merry

Irene was born in the second quarter of 1918, probably in Skelmersdale, Lancashire (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 1378), the daughter of John and Clara Merry, nee Holland.

An Irene M Merry married Philip J Ashcroft in the fourth quarter of 1952 in Blackpool, Lancashire (reference Volume 10b Page 603). As Blackpool is not far from Ormskirk this could have been the Irene in question, although she would have been 34 years old by then.

Other than that, and like her sister Clara, no further record has been found of her.

Jane Holland Merry

Jane was born on 24 October 1920, probably in Skelmersdale, Lancashire (reference Ormskirk Volume 8b Page 1650), the daughter of John and Clara Merry, nee Holland.

Jane married ***Kenneth E Nichols*** in the third quarter of 1941 in Ormskirk (reference Volume 8b Page 2047). He was born in the third quarter of 1919 in Liverpool (reference West Derby Volume 8b Page 711) and his mother's maiden name was Davies.

Kenneth died in the fourth quarter of 1967 in St Helens, Lancashire (reference Volume 10f Page 469).

Jane died in February 1999 in West Lancashire (Register # 11A 5901A Entry 151).

Kenneth and Jane had one known child: ***Michael A Nichols***, born in the fourth quarter of 1942 in Liverpool North (reference Volume 8b Page 696).

Joseph Wilding

Joseph was born in the second quarter of 1866 in Dalton, the sixth child of Peter and Susannah Wilding, nee Speakman (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 112).

The 1871 Census shows him living with his parents and siblings in Dalton.

Joseph died as a youngster aged 7 in the first quarter of 1874, probably in Dalton or Upholland (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 101).

James Wilding

James was born in either the second or third quarter of 1868 in Dalton, the seventh child of Peter and Susannah Wilding, nee Speakman. There were two James Wildings born in Dalton in that year (references Wigan Volume 8c Pages 9 and 120).

The 1871, 1881 and 1901 Censuses shows him living with his parents and siblings in Dalton. At the latter Census his occupation was shown as Collier, like his two brothers.

The 1891 Census found him working as an Agricultural Labourer with a Mary Speakman and family at Appley Lane Farm, Upholland. Mary was probably his aunt, the sister of his mother Susan.

The 1911 Census found a James Wilding, a Coal Miner Hewer Filler, aged 42 and born 1869 in Dalton, boarding with a Jane Wilding in Beacon Row, Dalton. Also there is a Martha Gaskell and a boarder, John Walsh. Jane does not correspond with any other Jane Wilding in this Genealogy, but is probably a cousin. This would almost certainly be the James under notice.

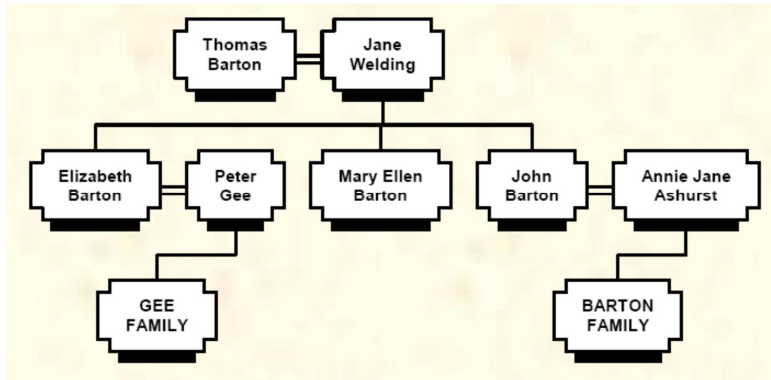
There were four James Wildings married in the Wigan area between 1911 and 1916, and it is not possible to positively identify one as being the James under notice.

No further definitive record has been found of him.

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THE JANE WILDING LINE



Jane Wilding (Welding)

Jane was born in 1837 in Windle and christened in St Helens on 20 October of that year, the sixth child of Peter and Jane Welding (Wilding), nee Wilson. The Baptism record shows her surname as Welding.

She appeared in the 1841 Census living with her parents and siblings in Dalton, Lancashire, but not in the 1851 Census.

A Jane Wilding married *Thomas Barton* in the second quarter of 1858 at St Mary's Church, Prescot (reference Wigan Vol. 8c Page 30). He was born in Orrell, near Pemberton, Lancashire in 1834, the son of Elizabeth Barton and her husband, deceased.

The 1861 Census shows Thomas and Jane Barton living in Pemberton, Lancashire. Jane's age was not clearly written but was given as 23, and her birthplace as Billinge. The age would match with a person born ca October 1837, and Billinge is not far from Windle, so there is a good chance that this might be the Jane under notice. Thomas was age 27, born in Pemberton and an engine winder. They had one child, Elizabeth, age 2 and born in Billinge.

Any doubt is virtually expunged by the 1871 Census, which showed Jane's birthplace as Windle and her age as 33! She and Thomas were living at Lamberhead Green, Pemberton, and his occupation was colliery engine winder. They now had three children: Elizabeth, age 12; Mary, age 6; and John, age 1; all born in Pemberton.

The 1881 Census saw Thomas and Jane living at 426 Ormskirk Road, Pemberton. Jane's place of birth was once again Billinge! Their children Elizabeth and John were still with them, but Mary had died in the third quarter of 1872 (reference Wigan Volume 8c page 63).

A Thomas Barton died in the first quarter of 1890 in Pemberton (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 95). **He was buried on 5 March 1890 in St John the Divine churchyard, Pemberton. His address was shown as Rose Hill, Pemberton. However it is now believed that this may have been another man of the same name, born in 1832 and who married a Jane Fear. Just when the Thomas in question died is therefore uncertain, but it must have been prior to the 1891 Census.**

The 1891 Census saw Jane living at 662 Ormskirk Road, Pemberton, with her son John, a colliery pay clerk, and a grand-daughter, Mary E B Gee.

The 1901 Census found Jane still living at 662 Ormskirk Rd, Pemberton. With her was her daughter Elizabeth, now married with the surname Gee, and the latter's five children.

Jane died in the first quarter of 1908, presumably in Pemberton (reference Wigan Vol. 8c Page 97).

Thomas and Jane are believed to have had five children, two of whom died in infancy. However there was another family by the name of Thomas and Jane Barton living in Pemberton at the same time, and it is possible that the children of either family could be confused as to which family they belonged to:

- Elizabeth Barton, b. 1859
- Peter Barton, b. 1861
- Mary Ellen Barton, b. 1864
- Margery Barton, b. 1866
- John Barton, b. 1869

Elizabeth Barton

Elizabeth was born in the first quarter of 1859 in Pemberton, the first child of Thomas and Jane Barton, nee Wilding (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 93).

The 1861, 1871 and 1881 Censuses showed her living with her parents in Pemberton. In the latter Census her occupation was given as cotton weaver.

She married *Peter Gee* in the second quarter of 1881 at St John's Church, Pemberton (reference Wigan Volume 8c pages 48 and 60 – she appeared twice!) He was born in the fourth quarter of 1855 in Upholland (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 85). At the time of his marriage he was living with his grandmother in Sandy Lane, Orrell, and his occupation was given as foreman porter on the railway. Census information showed he had in fact been living with his grandparents since the age of five, and his parents are therefore unknown. However a Baptism record for the Parish of Upholland indicated he was baptised on 7 December 1856, as the son of Ellen Gee, with no father's name shown, suggesting he was illegitimate.

The 1891 Census found Peter and Elizabeth living at 61 Mitchell Street, Clitheroe, Lancashire. By now Peter was a railway goods inspector. They had three children: Annie, age 7; Thomas, age 5; and Jane, age 2; all born in Pemberton.

The 1901 Census saw Elizabeth living back in Pemberton at 662 Ormskirk Road. Peter was not listed as he was elsewhere at the time of the Census. Living there also was Jane Barton, Jane's mother. Elizabeth's children were Mary E, age 19; Elizabeth A, age 17; Thomas; Jane; Fred, age 6; and Redvers V, age 1. Mary did not appear in the 1891 Census, although born before that date. All the children were born in Pemberton.

In the meantime the same Census saw Peter boarding with Thomas and Mary Cocker at 11 Hall Street, Southport, Lancashire. Thomas was a railway ticket collector, and another boarder was a railway porter; in fact, nearly everyone in adjacent houses seems to be employed by the railways. Obviously Peter had to be separated from the family for work reasons.

The 1911 Census saw Peter and Elizabeth now both at 662 Ormskirk Road. Peter had come down in the world, now being a colliery surface labourer; perhaps he had retired from the railways. Elizabeth's mother Jane was still with them, as were Elizabeth Annie, Thomas, Jane, Fred and Redvers Victor.

Peter died in the first quarter of 1915, probably in Pemberton (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 168).

An Elizabeth Gee, born ca 1859, died aged 86 in the first quarter of 1945 in the Wigan area (reference Volume 8c Page 51). This was very likely the Elizabeth in question.

Peter and Elizabeth had six known children. There could have been others who did not survive, as there were many Gee children born in Pemberton between 1882 and 1900:

- Mary Ellen Barton Gee, b. 1882
- Elizabeth Annie Gee, b. 1883
- Thomas Gee, b. 1886
- Jane Gee, b. 1888
- Fred Gee, b. 1894
- Redvers Victor Gee, b. 1900

Mary Ellen Barton Gee

Mary Ellen was born in the second quarter of 1882 in Pemberton, the first child of Peter and Elizabeth Gee, nee Barton (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 120).

She was not listed with her parents in the 1891 Census, as that Census found her living or staying with her grandmother, Jane Barton, at 662 Ormskirk Road, Pemberton. The 1901 Census saw her living with her parents and siblings in Pemberton.

No 1911 Census record has been found.

There are numerous records of a Mary or Mary E Gee marrying in Wigan in the years 1912-1925 and it is not possible to identify one as positively matching the Mary Ellen under notice. One possibility is a marriage of Mary Gee to John Ellison in the first quarter of 1918 in St John's Church, Pemberton (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 72), but there is no certainty this was her. Similarly, and assuming she did not marry, there are at least two Death Index records for a Mary E Gee, born ca 1882, dying in Lancashire in the 1960s.

Elizabeth Annie Gee

Elizabeth was born in the fourth quarter of 1883 in Pemberton, the second child of Peter and Elizabeth Gee, nee Barton (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 125).

The 1891, 1901 and 1911 Censuses saw her living with her parents and siblings in Pemberton. In the latter one her occupation was given as Cotton Mill Ruler.

Elizabeth married *John Gee* in the fourth quarter of 1911 in the Wigan Registry Office (reference Volume 8c page 168). There were many John Gees born in the Wigan area in the late 1800s, and probably he would have been a cousin of Elizabeth.

A John Gee, born ca 1881, died aged 41 in the fourth quarter of 1922 in Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 24). This was quite possibly the John in question.

Elizabeth died aged 87 in the first quarter of 1971 in the Wigan area (reference Ince Volume 10c Page 1371).

John and Elizabeth are believed to have had two known children:

- Henry J P Gee, b. 1912
- Ernest Pollard Gee, b. 1915

Henry J P Gee

Henry was born in the first quarter of 1912 in Salford, Lancashire (reference Volume 8d Page 338), the son of John and Elizabeth Gee, nee Gee.

A Henry Gee, born 22 January 1912, died in the second quarter of 1978 in Chelsea London (reference Volume 11 Page 1540). This may have been the Henry in question; otherwise no record has been found of him.

Ernest Pollard Gee

Ernest was born on 3 April 1915 in Salford, Lancashire (reference Volume 8d Page 253), the son of John and Elizabeth Gee, nee Gee.

He married *Elizabeth A Potter* in the third quarter of 1937 in Salford (reference Volume 8d Page 1069). There were several girls by the name of Elizabeth Potter born in Lancashire in the period around 1916.

Ernest died in April 1991 in Stockport, Cheshire (reference Volume 39 Page 1299).

An Elizabeth Ann Gee, born 16 October 1918, died aged 80 in March 1999 in Bolton, Lancashire (Register # A62A 0021A Entry 289). This might well have been the Elizabeth under notice.

Ernest and Elizabeth had two known children, both born in Salford: *Barbara A Gee*, born in the third quarter of 1938 (reference Volume 8d Page 466); and *Eileen Gee*, born in the second quarter of 1943 (reference Volume 8d Page 792).

Thomas Gee

Thomas was born in the second quarter of 1886 in Pemberton, the third child of Peter and Elizabeth Gee, nee Barton (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 124).

The 1891, 1901 and 1911 Censuses saw him living with his parents and siblings in Pemberton. At the latter his occupation as given as Cotton Mill Clerk.

Numerous Thomas Gees were married in the Wigan area between 1904 and 1920 and it is not possible to identify one as matching the Thomas under notice.

Jane Gee

Jane was born on **14 April** 1888 in Pemberton, the fourth child of Peter and Elizabeth Gee, nee Barton (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 126).

The 1891, 1901 and 1911 Censuses saw her living with her parents and siblings in Pemberton. At the latter one her occupation was given as Cotton Mill Ruler like her sister Elizabeth.

Jane married **James Gaskell** on **13 July** 1918 in St John's Church, Pemberton (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 65). He was born on **23 December** 1888 in Orrell, Lancashire (reference **Wigan Volume 8c Page 122**), the son of Edward Gaskell (1858-1939) and Rachel Turner (1861-1937).

James died on **15 May 1959** in the Wigan area (reference Volume 10f Page 697).

Jane died aged 91 in the second quarter of 1979 in the Wigan area (reference Volume 38 Page 2375).

According to Family Tree information on Ancestry.co James and Jane had one daughter; however there are Birth Index records for three girls born in Wigan between 1917 and 1920 with the surname Gaskell and mother's maiden name of Gee. Discounting one born in 1917, ie before their marriage year, the other two were born in 3Q 1919 and 1Q 1920 respectively, and therefore it is unlikely that both children had the same parents. It has therefore been assumed that the first born was the daughter of James and Jane:

- Marian Gaskell, b. 1919

Marian Gaskell

Marian was born on **11 July 1919** in Pemberton, Lancashire reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 183), the daughter of James and Jane Gaskell, nee Gee.

She married **Gerald Ellison** in the third quarter of 1941 in Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 14). A man of that name was born in the fourth quarter of 1909 in Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 46), the son of William Ellison (1869-) and Ellen Bolt (1870-).

Gerald died aged 95 in October 2004 in Sefton North, Merseyside (Register # 75A 034/1A Entry 62).

Marian died aged 88 in January 2007 in the Wigan area (Register # Wigan & Leigh B28B 018/1B Entry 129).

Gerald and Marian are believed to have had two children: **Jeffrey P Ellison**, born in the second quarter of 1942 in Ince (reference Volume 8c Page 208); and **Norma Ellison**, born in the third quarter of 1944 in St Helens (reference Volume 8b Page 1221).

Fred Gee

Fred was born on **8 May** 1894 in Pemberton, the fifth child of Peter and Elizabeth Gee, nee Barton (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 145).

The 1901 and 1911 Censuses saw him living with his parents and siblings in Pemberton.

Fred married *Lillie Gaskell* in the first quarter of 1923 in St John's Church, Pemberton (reference Wigan Volume 8c page 58. She was born in Orrell, Lancashire on 4 October 1889 (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 121), the daughter of Edward Gaskell and Rachel Turner, and the younger sister of James Gaskell, who had married Fred's sister Jane.

Fred died in the third quarter of 1969 in Wigan (reference Volume 10f Page 1730).

Lillie died aged 81 on 3 January 1971 in the Wigan area (reference Ince Volume 10c Page 1386).

Fred and Lillie had one known child:

- Harold Gee, b. 1925

Harold Gee

Harold was born on 9 June 1925, probably in Pemberton, Lancashire (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 182), the son of Fred and Lillie Gee, nee Gaskell.

He is believed to have married *Iris Johnson* in the second quarter of 1949 in Wigan (reference Volume 10f Page 1551).

An Iris Gee, born 23 September 1915, died in October 1992 in Stockport, Lancashire (reference Volume 39 Page 1176). This was possibly the Iris in question.

Harold died in January 2005 in the Wigan area (Register # Wigan & Leigh D24B 018/1D Entry 3).

Harold and Iris had one known child: *Susan E Gee*, born in the second quarter of 1952 in Manchester (reference Volume 10e Page 608). Sadly she died at or shortly after birth (reference Manchester Volume 10e Page 412).

Redvers Victor Gee

Redvers was born in the first quarter of 1900 in Pemberton, the sixth child of Peter and Elizabeth Gee, nee Barton (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 167). There is no apparent family connection to reflect his unusual given name.

The 1901 and 1911 Censuses saw him living with his parents and siblings in Pemberton.

Redvers married *Doris Mary Waterworth* on 12 September 1925 in St Mark's Church, Newtown, Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 106). She was born in the third quarter of 1896 in Pemberton, the daughter of James and Hannah Waterworth (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 139).

The marriage was tragically short, as Redvers died in the fourth quarter of the following year, 1926, in Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 48). There was no child from the marriage.

It would appear Doris never remarried, as she died in the fourth quarter of 1967 in Wigan (reference Volume 10f Page 950).

Peter Barton

Peter was born on 17 October 1861 in Pemberton, the son of Thomas and Jane Barton, nee Wilding (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 88). He was baptised on 12 January 1862 in Pemberton.

He is believed to have died in the second quarter of 1865 in Pemberton (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 64, as he did not appear with his family in the 1871 Census.

Mary Ellen Barton

Mary was born in the third quarter of 1864 in Pemberton, the daughter of Thomas and Jane Barton, nee Wilding (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 88).

The 1871 Census shows her living with her parents and siblings in Pemberton.

She died at the age of seven or eight in the third quarter of 1872 in Pemberton (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 63).

Margery Barton

Margery was born on 1 January 1866 at 12 Egerton Street, Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 25), the daughter of Thomas and Jane Barton, nee Wilding. She was baptised on 12 January of that year in Wigan.

She died at or shortly after birth (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 22).

John Barton

John was born on 13 October 1869 in Pemberton, Lancashire (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 107), the son of Thomas and Jane Barton, nee Wilding. He was baptised on 12 January 1862 in Pemberton.

The 1871 and 1881 Censuses showed him living with his parents and siblings in Pemberton.

The 1891 Census showed him living at 662 Ormskirk Road, Pemberton, with his mother and his niece, Mary Ellen Barton Gee. His occupation was given as colliery pay clerk.

John married *Annie Jane Ashurst* in the fourth quarter of 1892 in St John's Church, Pemberton (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 77). She was born in the first quarter of 1871 in Pemberton, the daughter of James Marsden Ashurst and Jane Ashurst (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 115).

The 1901 Census showed John and his wife Annie living at 219 Atherton Road, Hindley. He had obviously received promotion at work, as his occupation was now colliery foreman above ground. With them were their three children: Nellie W, age 4; James A; age 3; and John, age 1; all born in Hindley.

The 1911 Census found John and Annie residing at 633 Atherton Road, Hindley Green. John's occupation was clerk, colliery stores. Nellie, James and John were with them, and there were two new children: Alice Ann, age 9, and Hilda Evelyn, age 1; both born in Hindley.

There are numerous Death Index records for a John Barton, born ca 1869/70, and it is not possible to definitely tie one in with the John in question.

Annie died in the third quarter of 1935 in Crosby, Lancashire (reference Volume 8b Page 563).

John and Annie had five known children:

- Nellie Welding Barton, b. 1896
- James Ashurst Barton, b. 1898
- John Barton, b. 1900
- Alice Ann Barton, b. 1901
- Hilda Evelyn Barton, b. 1909

Nellie Welding Barton

Nellie was born on 28 June 1896 in Hindley, the first child of John and Annie Barton, nee Ashurst (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 86). It is very interesting that her second given name reverted to the original family name of Welding

The 1901 and 1911 Censuses saw her living with her parents and siblings at 633 Atherton Road, Hindley Green.

Nellie married *Frederick Makin* in the second quarter of 1922 in St John's Church, Hindley Green Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 63). He was born on 30 October 1896 in Hindley, the son of Abel Makin and Sarah Dawson (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 117). In the 1911 Census he was living with his parents and siblings at 816 Atherton Road, Hindley Green, and at the age of 14 was a pony driver underground.

Frederick and Nellie must at some time have moved to Kent, as he died in Etchinghill, Kent on 12 December 1980.

Nellie died in Dover on 20 March 1995 at the fine old age of 98 (reference Dover DD135 5631B 270).

Frederick and Nellie had one known child:

- Lilian Makin, b. 1924

Lilian Makin

Lilian was born in the second quarter of 1924, probably in Hindley Green, Lancashire (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 35), the daughter of Frederick and Nellie Makin, nee Barton.

Hers was a common name and there were several marriages of a Lilian Makin in Lancashire from 1941 onwards, although only one in Wigan. This was to Thomas H Wigan in the fourth quarter of 1968 (reference Wigan Volume 10f page 1539), when Lilian would have been 44 years of age, so there is only a possibility that this was her.

James Ashurst Barton

James was born on **26 February 1898** in Hindley, the second child of John and Annie Barton, nee Ashurst (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 153).

The 1901 and 1911 Censuses saw him living with his parents and siblings at 633 Atherton Road, Hindley Green.

James married *Nellie Gaskell* in the second quarter of 1922 in Sts James & Elizabeth Church, Bickershaw Street, Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 25). There were two Nellie Gaskells born in the Wigan area in 1897-98 and it is not possible to positively identify which of them might be the Nellie under notice. It is quite likely she was related to the Gaskells who married her cousins Fred and Jane Gee.

James died at the grand old age of 100 years in July 1998 in Leicester, Leicestershire (Registry # D4D 6001D Entry 38).

There are numerous Death Index records for a Nellie Barton and it is not possible to accurately associate one with the Nellie in question.

There were six children with the surname Barton and mother's maiden name of Gaskell born in Wigan between 1919 and 1928, so it would appear that there was probable multiple intermarriage between the Barton and Gaskell families. Two of the children were born before 1922, when James and Nellie were married, and can probably be discounted. Of the others, Edith Barton was born in the second quarter of 1926; James R Barton was born in the second quarter of 1927; and Annie and Elsie Barton were both born in the third quarter of 1928 and were probably twins. However it cannot be positively said whether some or all of these were the children of James and Nellie.

John Barton

John was born in the fourth quarter of 1900 in Hindley, the third child of John and Annie Barton, nee Ashurst (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 116 or 132 – there were two births by that name in that quarter).

The 1901 and 1911 Censuses saw him living with his parents and siblings at 633 Atherton Road, Hindley Green.

There were numerous marriages of a John Barton in Wigan in the 1920s and it is not possible to identify one with the John Barton under notice.

A man of that name, born ca 1900, died in the second quarter of 1967 in Wigan (reference Volume 10f Page 782). This may have been the John under notice.

Alice Ann Barton

Alice was born in the third quarter of 1901 in Hindley, the fourth child of John and Annie Barton, nee Ashurst (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 85).

The 1911 Census saw her living with her parents and siblings at 633 Atherton Road, Hindley Green.

Alice married *Wilfred Sumner* in the first quarter of 1925 in St John's Church, Hindley Green (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 45). He was born in the Wigan area in the second quarter of 1908 (reference Volume 8c Page 97).

An Alice Sumner, born 1901, died in the first quarter of 1979 in Liverpool (reference Volume 36 Page 0939). This may well have been the Alice under notice.

A Wilfred Sumner, born on 29 March 1908, died in the first quarter of 1980 in Wigan (reference Volume 39 Page 2572). This may well have been the Wilfred under notice.

There were three children with the surname Sumner and mother's maiden name of Barton born in Lancashire between 1926 and 1929. Only one of these was born in Wigan, and the others have been discounted for the purpose of this Genealogy:

- Wilfred A Sumner, b. 1929

Wilfred A Sumner

Wilfred was born in the second quarter of 1929 in Wigan (reference Volume 8c Page 86), the son of Wilfred and Alice Sumner, nee Barton. An educated guess would place his second name as "Ashurst".

A Wilfred Sumner married Lily M Bishop in the first quarter of 1947 in Wigan (reference Volume 10f Page 1285). This was possibly the Wilfred under notice.

No further record has been found of him.

Hilda Evelyn Barton

Hilda was born in the third quarter of 1909 in Hindley, the fifth child of John and Annie Barton, nee Ashurst (reference Wigan Volume 8c Page 82).

The 1911 Census saw her living with her parents and siblings at 633 Atherton Road, Hindley Green.

Hilda possibly married *James Martland* in the fourth quarter of 1933 in St Thomas' Church, Golborne, near Wigan (reference Leigh Volume 8c Page 457). There were many boys of that name born in Wigan and central Lancashire in the 1900s and it is not possible to identify one with the James in question.

No further record has been found for Hilda.

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DESCENDANTS OF JOB WELDING

- 1 Job Welding b: Abt. 1760 in Windle, Lancashire
- + Margery Ball m: 01 Nov 1784 in St Mary the Virgin Church, Prescot, Lancashire
- 2 James Welding b: 07 May 1803 in Windle, Lancashire UK, d: Bet. Jul–Sep 1877 in Prescot, Lancashire
- + Sarah Ashbrook b: 09 Jun 1808 in Halton, Cheshire UK, m: 31 Aug 1829 in All Saints Church, Rainford, Lancashire, d: Bet. Jul–Sep 1871 in Prescot, Lancashire UK
- 3 Joseph Welding b: Abt. 1852 in Farnworth, Lancashire UK, d: 23 Feb 1920 in 43 Delaware St Bootle, LancashireUK
- + Ann Gleave b: 20 Aug 1854 in Penketh, Cheshire UK, m: 1879, d: 06 Dec 1933 in 21 Sefton Rd, Litherland, Lancashire UK
- 4 Anne Elizabeth Welding d: Died in infancy
- 4 George Cecil Welding b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1902, d: Bet. Oct–Dec 1902 in Died in infancy
- 4 Joseph Welding d: Died in infancy
- 4 Sarah Annie Welding b: 20 Feb 1893 in Walton, Liverpool, Lancs, d: 01 Oct 1953 in Clatterbridge Hospital, Heswall, Cheshire
- + Alexander Davidson b: 18 Aug 1889 in Liverpool, Lancs, d: Abt. 1970
- 5 Kenneth Alexander Davidson b: 13 Aug 1917 in Woodbridge, Sussex UK, d: 02 Oct 1941 in Lost at sea
- 4 William Gleave Welding b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1893, d: 02 Apr 1968 in 20 Vermont Ave, Great Crosby, Lancashire UK
- + Kathleen Beaucock b: Abt. 1904, m: 1935, d: 16 Apr 1970
- 4 Alice Welding b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1881 in Bootle, Lancashire UK, d: 30 Jun 1937
- 4 Emily Welding b: 07 Feb 1883 in Bootle, Lancashire UK, d: Bet. Jan–Mar 1971 in West Kirby, Merseyside UK
- + William John Perry b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1878 in Rock Ferry, Cheshire, m: Bet. Jan–Mar 1906 in Registered at West Derby, Lancashire UK, d: 10 Mar 1962 in West Kirby, Merseyside UK
- 5 Ronald Krebs Perry b: 05 May 1907 in 18 Neville Rd, Waterloo, Lancashire UK, d: 01 Apr 1966 in Mona Vale Hospital, Mona Vale NSW, Australia
- + Doris Tod b: 31 Jul 1909 in 68 Penton St, Bootle, Lancashire UK, m: 10 Dec 1938 in St Matthews Church, Bootle, Lancashire UK, d: 14 Aug 1988 in Toongabbie NSW, Australia
- 6 Colin Stewart Perry b: 21 Apr 1940 in Bootle, Merseyside UK
- + Beryl Margaret Moad b: 06 Jul 1939 in District Hospital, Blayney NSW, m: 05 May 1962 in Methodist Church, Fairfield NSW
- 7 Graham David Perry b: 06 Feb 1963 in Fairfield District Hospital, Fairfield NSW
- + Michele Joanne Whitehouse b: 26 Jul 1964 in Eastwood NSW, m: 10 Dec 1986 in Baptist Church, Eastwood NSW
- 8 Lauren Esther Whitehouse Perry b: 26 Nov 1992 in KGV Hospital, Camperdown NSW
- 8 Michael Julian Wells Perry b: 22 Mar 1996 in KGV Hospital, Camperdown NSW
- 7 Russell Ian Perry b: 26 Nov 1965 in Fairfield District Hospital, Fairfield NSW
- 5 Dorothy Eileen Perry b: 09 Jun 1909 in (some doubt about the day), d: 14 May 1985 in West Kirby, Merseyside UK
- + Ernest Gordon Bolitho b: 01 Jan 1909 in Shanghai, China, m: 07 Apr 1936 in St Lukes, Great Crosby, Merseyside UK, d: Abt. 1990 in Pleurin, France
- 6 John Francis Bolitho b: 07 Apr 1939 in London UK, d: 04 Jun 2010 in West Kirby, Merseyside UK
- + Dorothy Elaine Roberts m: 24 Feb 1968
- 7 David Richard John Bolitho b: 30 Nov 1968
- 4 Gertrude Welding b: 23 Feb 1888 in Bootle, Lancashire UK, d: 28 Dec 1969 in Liverpool, Merseyside UK
- + Thomas Leyland Griffiths b: 05 Jul 1885 in Bootle, Merseyside UK, m: 1914, d: 12 Aug 1938 in Yokohama, Japan
- 5 Phyllis Doreen Griffiths b: 20 Dec 1915 in Bootle, Merseyside UK, d: 27 Oct 1997 in Liverpool, Merseyside UK

..... + James Leslie Jones b: 02 Nov 1908 in Kirkdale, Merseyside UK, m: 24 Aug 1940
in St John's Church, Walton, Merseyside UK, d: 23 Aug 1986 in Aigburth,
Merseyside UK

..... 6 Gillian Ann Jones b: 20 Feb 1944 in Aigburth, Merseyside UK

..... + Eric Sutherland b: 25 Aug 1942 in Huyton, Merseyside UK, m: 01 Oct 1966 in
Aigburth, Merseyside UK, d: 04 Aug 2006 in Morecambe, Lancs UK

..... 7 Lee Spencer Sutherland b: 08 Sep 1973 in Romford, Essex UK

..... + Debra Headley b: 01 Jul 1969, m: 21 Sep 2002

..... 7 Craig Spencer Sutherland b: 11 Jun 1975 in Romford, Essex UK

..... + Sara Wallbank

..... 8 Georgina Sutherland b: 18 Nov 1996

..... 8 Toni Sutherland b: 27 Oct 1998

..... 8 Terri Sutherland b: 19 Jun 2000

..... + Nicola Peasgood b: 19 May 1979 in Scunthorpe, Yorkshire, UK, m: Abt.
2003

..... 8 Morgan Rose Sutherland b: 18 Mar 2004

..... 5 Royce Leyland Griffiths b: 28 Jun 1920 in 22 Hornby Road, Bootle, Merseyside
UK

..... + Gertrude Elizabeth (Betty) Towers b: 07 Nov 1924 in Liverpool, Merseyside UK,
m: 09 Sep 1950 in St Andrew's Church, Maghull, Merseyside UK

..... 6 Stewart Graham Griffiths b: 25 Jul 1952 in Waterloo, Liverpool, Merseyside
UK

..... + Jean Halsall b: 12 Dec 1956 in Burscough, Lancashire UK, m: 09 Jul 1977 in
Methodist Chapel, Burscough, Lancashire UK

..... 6 Susan Alison Griffiths b: 07 Jan 1956 in Waterloo, Liverpool, Merseyside UK

..... 5 Derrick Griffiths b: 1 Jun 1928 in Liverpool d 4 Jun 1928

..... 4 Florence Ashbrooke Welding b: 30 Sep 1889 in Bootle, Lancashire UK, d: 22 May
1979 in Fazakerley Hospital, Liverpool, Merseyside UK

..... + John (Jack) Joseph Ernest Everett Bell b: 12 Oct 1891 in 38 Richmond St, Newcastle
upon Tyne UK, m: 07 Nov 1925 in Sts John and James Church, Bootle, Merseyside
UK, d: 22 Dec 1958 in Walton Hospital, Liverpool, Merseyside UK

..... 5 Edna Maureen Bell b: 25 Jun 1926 in Bootle, Lancashire UK, d: 30 Jun 1937 in
Liverpool, Lancashire

..... 5 Nona Vivien Bell b: 28 Dec 1927 in Balliol Rd Nursing Home, Bootle, Merseyside
UK, d: 26 Dec 2002 in 4 Barrowfield Road, Eccleston, Merseyside UK

..... + Victor Stuart (Bill) Leyland b: 02 Dec 1920 in 12 Seafield Rd, Orrell Park,
Liverpool, Merseyside UK, m: 26 Mar 1949 in St Luke's Church, Crosby,
Merseyside UK, d: 10 Jun 2001 in Crosby, Liverpool, Merseyside UK

..... 6 Christine Vivien Leyland b: 06 Jan 1950 in Walton Hospital, Liverpool,
Merseyside UK

..... + Thomas Alan Hugh Keenan b: 04 May 1944, m: 27 Jun 1970 in St Luke's
Church, Crosby, Merseyside UK

..... 7 Michael Andrew Keenan b: 30 Apr 1976 in Whiston Hospital, Whiston,
Merseyside UK

..... + Apryl Chantel Whittaker b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1978 in Hyndburn, Lancashire,
UK, m: 30 Apr 2009 in Eaves Hall, Clitheroe, Lancashire, UK

..... 8 Heath Keenan b: 26 Nov 2009 in Warrington Hospital, Cheshire

..... 7 Clare Dianne Keenan b: 11 Dec 1981 in Whiston Hospital, Merseyside UK

..... + Philip Swayne Pearce b: 24 Aug 1970 in Emsworth Hampshire UK

..... 6 Keith Stuart Leyland b: 30 Apr 1953 in 12 Seafield Rd, Orrell Park, Liverpool,
Merseyside UK

..... + Julie Ellison b: 22 Jan 1953 in Broadgreen Hospital, Liverpool, Lancashire UK,
m: 01 Jun 1974 in Brougham Terrace Registry Office, Liverpool UK

..... 7 Stuart Alexander Leyland b: 15 Nov 1974 in RAF Hospital, Halton,
Buckinghamshire UK

..... + Michelle Ann Canterbury b: 27 Dec 1969 in Warrington, Cheshire UK, m:
18 May 2002 in Warrington Register Office, Warrington, Cheshire UK

..... 7 Laura Anne Leyland b: 06 Dec 1978 in Doncaster Royal Infirmary, South
Yorkshire UK

..... 7 Richard Neil Leyland b: 31 Aug 1980 in Doncaster Royal Infirmary, South
Yorkshire UK

..... + Kaye wife of Richard Leyland

..... 8 Ellis Leyland b: 01 Mar 2004

..... 6 Ian Robin Leyland b: 22 Dec 1958 in Ormskirk Hospital, Lancashire UK

..... 6 Tony Christopher Leyland b: 17 Feb 1967 in Walton Hospital, Liverpool,
Merseyside UK

..... + Jayne Evelyn Mary Brough b: 12 Mar 1969, m: 03 Aug 2002 in Wallasey,
Merseyside UK

..... 7 Molly Elyn Leyland b: 25 Jul 2003 in Arrow Park Hospital, Birkenhead,
Merseyside UK

..... 7 Ellie May Leyland b: 10 Oct 2005 in Arrow Park Hospital, Birkenhead,
Merseyside UK

..... 5 Irene Florence Bell b: 23 Jun 1929 in Bootle, Lancashire UK, d: 23 Dec 1929 in
Bootle, Lancashire UK

..... 4 Lizzie (Bet) Welding b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1884 in Bootle, Lancashire UK, d: 01 Nov 1969
in West Kirby, Merseyside UK

..... + Douglas Hilton Snr b: 04 Nov 1884 in Liverpool, Merseyside UK, m: Bet. Jul–Sep
1911 in Liverpool, Lancashire UK, d: 30 Mar 1917 in Killed in action on the Somme

..... 5 Douglas Hilton b: 24 Apr 1917 in Bootle, Merseyside UK, d: 16 Jul 1968 in
Nedlands, Perth WA

..... + Mary Peat b: 11 Aug 1921 in Liverpool, Merseyside UK, m: 07 Jun 1941 in
Liverpool, Merseyside UK, d: 19 Oct 2003 in Nedlands, Perth WA

..... 6 Janet Hilton b: 07 Mar 1945 in Liverpool, Merseyside UK

..... + Michael Poole b: Perth WA, m: Perth WA

..... 7 Christopher Poole b: 11 Aug 1987 in Date uncertain

..... + Jenny Hewkes m:

..... 8 Nicholas Poole

..... 8 Timothy Poole

..... 8 Natalie Poole

..... 7 Alison Poole b: 31 Oct 1971

..... + Graham Hookway

..... 6 Ann Hilton b: 19 Feb 1951 in Katanning WA

..... + Michael Saunt b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1947 in Market Bosworth, Leicestershire UK,
m: Bet. Apr–Jun 1970 in Market Bosworth, Leicestershire UK

..... 7 Amanda Ann Saunt b: 15 Mar 1971 in Leicester UK

..... + Tihera Saleem

..... 8 Layla Saleem b: 14 Sep 2002 in Perth WA

..... 8 Aliyah Saleem b: 23 Jul 2005 in Perth WA

..... 7 Davinya Margaret Saunt b: 21 Jun 1973 in Subiaco WA

..... + Tony McPherguson

..... 8 Daughter One McPherguson

..... 8 Daughter Two McPherguson

..... 8 Cade McPherguson

..... 7 Gregory Michael Saunt b: 26 Sep 1980 in Perth WA

..... + Cvetin b: Not Certain If Married

..... + Thomas Darby

..... + Evans b: Not Certain If Married

..... 6 Ian Douglas Hilton b: 27 Nov 1959 in Katanning WA

..... + Robyn Ann Chambers b: 22 Dec 1964, m: 12 Jul 1986 in Perth WA

..... + Kirsten Lake

..... + John (Jack) Kendall b: Liverpool, Merseyside UK, m: 1942 in Liverpool, Merseyside
UK, d: Abt. 1953 in Liverpool, Merseyside UK

..... 4 Louisa May Welding b: 1897 in Bootle, Lancashire UK, d: 21 Apr 1934

..... 4 Albert Edward Welding b: 30 Sep 1900 in Bootle, Lancashire UK, d: 06 Nov 1980 in
Fazakerley Hospital, Liverpool UK

..... + Florence Elizabeth Rankin b: 12 May 1903 in 81 Brookhill Rd, Bootle, Merseyside UK,
m: 27 Aug 1927 in Parish Church of Christchurch, Bootle, Merseyside UK, d: 17 Sep
1998

..... 5 Geoffrey Gleave Welding b: 25 Nov 1942 in Waterloo, Liverpool, Merseyside UK

..... + Janet Claire Martel b: 24 Mar 1954 in Manchester UK, m: 29 Apr 1981 in St
Mary's Church, Cheadle, Greater Manchester UK

..... 4 Cyril Welding b: Stillborn

..... 3 William Welding b: Abt. 1840 in Windle, Lancashire

..... 3 Cecilia Welding b: 1849 in Farnworth, Lancashire

..... + Ephraim Glover b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1847 in Cronton, Lancashire, m: 27 Dec 1868 in
Farnworth, Lancashire

..... 4 Alice Ann Glover b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1869 in Farnworth, Lancashire

..... + John Draper b: Abt. 1860 in Liverpool, Lancashire, m: Bet. Jul–Sep 1899 in Liverpool, Lancashire

..... 5 Charles Francis Draper b: 23 May 1900 in Cronton, Lancashire, d: Oct 1989 in Manchester, Lancashire

..... 5 Cecilia Draper b: 01 Oct 1902 in Cronton, Lancashire, d: Dec 1985 in Knowsley, Lancashire, England

..... + Stuart Murray b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1898, m: Bet. Apr–Jun 1930

..... 5 Jack Draper b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1905 in Cronton, Lancashire

..... 5 Wilfred Draper b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1907 in Cronton, Lancashire, d: Bet. Jan–Mar 1929

..... + William Henry Bramley b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1852 in Stoke upon Trent, Staffordshire, m: Bet. Oct–Dec 1879 in St Peter, Liverpool, d: Bet. Jan–Mar 1916 in Probably Kirkdale, Lancashire

..... 3 Richard Welding b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1854 in Farnworth, Lancashire

..... + Amy Littler b: 1873 in Ince, Cheshire, m: Bet. Oct–Dec 1890 in Chester, Cheshire

..... 4 Thomas Welding b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1892

..... + Mary Alice Boughey b: 18 Mar 1891 in Ince, Cheshire, m: Bet. Jul–Sep 1919 in Chester, Cheshire, d: Bet. Jul–Oct 1989 in Halton, Cheshire

..... 4 Bertha Welding b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1893

..... 3 Ann Welding b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1842 in Penketh, Lancashire

..... 3 James Welding b: 07 Jan 1833 in Probably Windle, Lancashire, d: 06 Apr 1894 in Royal Infirmary, Liverpool, Lancashire

..... + Elizabeth Davey b: Abt. 1834 in Liverpool, Lancashire, m: 18 Apr 1854 in St George's Church, Walton, Liverpool, d: 15 Apr 1916 in Liscard, Cheshire

..... 4 George Davey Welding b: 21 Apr 1855 in Liverpool, Lancashire, d: 05 Jul 1912 in Kings Norton, Worcestershire

..... + Emily Wilmot Cave-Brown b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1855 in Sheffield, Yorkshire, m: 30 Jun 1877 in Registry Office, West Derby, Lancashire, d: 14 Jul 1912 in Kings Norton, Worcestershire

..... 5 Ethel Elizabeth Mottram Welding b: 1886

..... 4 Elizabeth Welding b: 27 Mar 1857 in Liverpool, Lancashire

..... + James Carswell McAdam b: 06 May 1855 in Paisley, Renfrew, Scotland, m: Bet. Apr–Jun 1878 in St George's Church, Everton, Lancashire, d: Bet. Apr–Jun 1898 in Walton, Lancashire

..... 5 James Victor McAdam b: 1880 in Liverpool, Lancashire, d: Bet. Jan–Mar 1904 in Liverpool, Lancashire

..... 5 Frank Carswell McAdam b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1878 in Liverpool, Lancashire, d: Bet. Apr–Jun 1886 in Liverpool, Lancashire

..... 5 Elizabeth McAdam b: 1884

..... + William Harrison Kelly b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1881 in Liverpool, Lancashire, m: Bet. Jan–Mar 1905 in St Philip's Church, Litherland, Lancashire

..... 6 John Horace Kelly b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1905 in Walton, Liverpool, Lancs

..... 6 Arthur Carswell Kelly b: 02 Dec 1909 in Walton, Liverpool, Lancs, d: Aug 1996 in Liverpool, Lancashire

..... + Muriel A Evans m: Bet. Jul–Sep 1940 in Liverpool, Lancashire

..... + Cornelius Howard Russell b: 02 Jun 1872 in Ashton under Lyne, Lancashire, m: Bet. Oct–Dec 1899 in West Derby, Lancashire

..... 4 Emily Ashbrook Welding b: 27 Jul 1859 in Liverpool, Lancashire, d: 21 Mar 1894 in Walton, Lancashire

..... + James Henry Pearson Goodwin b: 25 Sep 1852 in Tranmere, Cheshire, m: 05 Apr 1881 in Parish Church, Walton on the Hill, Lancashire, d: 13 May 1903 in West Derby, Lancashire

..... 5 Harold Earl Goodwin b: 30 Jan 1882 in Walton, Lancashire, d: 11 May 1971 in Levin, New Zealand

..... + Winifred Annie Mealor b: 20 Jul 1882 in Birkenhead, Cheshire, m: 10 Jun 1907 in St Peter's, Rock Ferry, Cheshire, d: 19 Jan 1957 in Wellington, New Zealand

..... 6 Ronald Sidney Goodwin b: 22 Apr 1909 in Liverpool, Lancashire, d: 20 Dec 1990 in Wellington, New Zealand

..... + Mary Brown b: 10 Jun 1912 in Wallsend-on-Tyne, Northumberland, m: 10 Feb 1934 in Wellington, New Zealand, d: 30 Apr 1998 in Wellington Hospital, Wellington New Zealand

..... 7 Cyrienne Mary Goodwin b: 1936 in Wellington, New Zealand

..... + Donald Jackson Robertson b: 1926 in Christchurch, New Zealand, m: 18
Jan 1958 in Wellington, New Zealand, d: 2004 in Lower Hutt, New Zealand
..... 8 Graeme Donald Robertson b: 1959 in Lower Hutt, New Zealand
..... + Joan Elizabeth Morrison b: Scotland, m: 2007 in England
..... 8 Hilary Ann Robertson b: 1963 in Lower Hutt, New Zealand
..... + Christopher John Penman b: 1960 in Lower Hutt, New Zealand, m:
1982 in Lower Hutt, New Zealand
..... 9 Stephen John Penman b: 1983 in Lower Hutt, New Zealand
..... 9 James Alexander Penman b: 1995 in Lower Hutt, New Zealand
..... 8 Adrian Hugh Robertson b: 1965 in Lower Hutt, New Zealand
..... 7 John Eldred Earl Goodwin b: 1939 in Wellington, New Zealand
..... + Judith Joyce Baker b: 1943 in Christchurch, New Zealand, m: 18 May
1963 in Wellington, New Zealand
..... 8 Philip John Goodwin b: 1964 in Wellington, New Zealand
..... + Michelle Joyce O'Leary b: 18 Jun 1968 in Porirua, New Zealand, m:
22 Oct 1990 in Plimmerton, New Zealand
..... + Nicola Frances Hopkinson b: 1958 in Huddersfield, Lancashire, m:
1997 in Hayman Island, Queensland, Australia
..... 8 Lance Jeffrey Goodwin b: 02 Jul 1966
..... + Sonia Ann Lane b: 1970 in Lower Hutt, New Zealand, m: 07 Feb 1993
in Wellington, New Zealand
..... 9 Curtis Jeffrey Goodwin b: 31 Dec 1993 in Wellington, New
Zealand
..... 9 Danielle Kaitlyn Goodwin b: 09 Jan 1996 in Wellington, New
Zealand
..... 9 Taylor Jay Goodwin b: 31 Mar 1999 in Wellington, New Zealand
..... 7 Denis Ronald Goodwin b: 06 Oct 1951 in Wellington, New Zealand
..... + Suzanne Katherine Young b: 27 May 1955, m: 06 Dec 1975 in Wellington,
New Zealand
..... 8 Jonathan William Goodwin b: 1980
..... 8 Katherine Mary Alice Goodwin b: 1983
..... 6 Eldred Harold Goodwin b: 05 Sep 1915 in Walton, Lancashire, d: 06 May
1980 in Wellington, New Zealand
..... + Thelma Joan Smith b: 02 Mar 1922 in Wellington, New Zealand, m: 22 Jan
1944 in Wellington, New Zealand, d: 11 Dec 1998 in Wellington, New Zealand
..... 7 Peter Eldred Goodwin b: 26 Aug 1946 in Wellington, New Zealand
..... + Judith Frances Gardner
..... + Patricia Ann Hawkins b: 1953 in Dunedin, New Zealand, m: 1973
..... 8 Phillip Andrew Goodwin b: 1978 in Wellington, New Zealand
..... 8 Allen John Goodwin b: 1981 in Wellington, New Zealand
..... 7 David Arthur Goodwin b: 16 Oct 1950
..... + Andrea Gene Cobb b: 1954 in Wellington, New Zealand, m: 09 Sep 1978
in Wellington, New Zealand
..... 8 Luke Elliot Cobb b: 1974 in Wellington, New Zealand
..... 5 Sidney Percival Goodwin b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1883 in Liverpool, Lancashire, d: 06 Jul
1913 in Southport, Lancashire
..... 5 Ethel Elizabeth Mottram Goodwin b: 09 Mar 1886 in Litherland, Lancashire, d: 16
Aug 1966 in Northfield, Birmingham, Warwickshire
..... 4 Annie Welding b: Dec 1861 in Liverpool, Lancashire
..... + Sidney Harry Crowe b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1875 in Liverpool, Lancashire, m: Bet. Oct–Dec
1895 in West Derby, Lancashire, d: Bet. Apr–Jun 1905 in Birkenhead, Cheshire
..... 5 Doris Louisa S Crowe b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1898 in Liverpool, Lancashire
..... 5 Alfred Bertram Crowe b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1905 in Liverpool, Lancashire
..... 4 James Ashbrook Welding b: 1866 in Liverpool, Lancashire, d: 08 Mar 1939 in
Liverpool, Lancashire
..... 4 Henry James Welding b: 1865 in Liverpool, Lancashire, d: Bet. Oct–Dec 1908 in
Sunderland, Durham
..... + Kate Leach b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1861 in Liskeard, Cornwall, m: 09 Dec 1886 in
Queensland, Australia
..... 5 George Leach Welding b: 11 Nov 1887 in Queensland, Australia
..... + Mary Isabella Neale b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1887 in Sunderland, Durham, m: Bet. Oct–
Dec 1914 in Sunderland, Durham
..... 6 George Neale Welding b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1920 in Sunderland, Durham, d: 15
Sep 1986 in Bath, Somerset

..... + Jean Baker b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1923 in Barton upon Irwell, Lancashire, m: Bet. Jan–Mar 1944 in Barton upon Irwell, Lancashire
 7 Hilary J Welding b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1945 in Manchester, Lancashire
 + David A James m: Bet. Jul–Sep 1971 in Stepney, Middlesex, England
 5 William Henry Welding b: 08 Aug 1892 in Queensland, Australia
 5 Lillian Welding b: 1895 in NSW, Australia
 5 Charles Frank Welding b: 21 Dec 1889 in Queensland, Australia, d: 19 Mar 1890 in Queensland, Australia
 4 Louisa Welding b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1874 in Liverpool, Lancashire
 + Fred C Meredith m: Bet. Oct–Dec 1911 in Kingston Heath, Worcestershire
 5 Walter J Meredith b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1914 in Wrexham, Wales
 5 Clara Meredith b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1919 in Wrexham, Wales
 + Edward Morgan m: Bet. Oct–Dec 1938 in Wrexham, Wales
 5 John C Meredith b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1922 in Wrexham, Wales
 3 Thomas Welding b: Abt. 1830 in Probably Windle, Lancashire, d: Bet. Jan–Mar 1903 in Widnes, Lancashire
 + Alice Cattarall b: 14 Jun 1829 in Farnworth, Lancashire, m: 11 Dec 1854 in St Helens, Lancashire, d: Bet. Oct–Dec 1887 in Widnes, Lancashire
 4 Frederick Welding b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1855 in Farnworth, Lancashire
 4 William Welding b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1858 in Ditton, Lancashire, d: Bet. Apr–Jun 1899 in Widnes, Lancashire
 + Betsy Proffitt b: Abt. 1863 in Cheshire, England, m: Bet. Jul–Sep 1885 in Widnes, Lancashire
 5 Frederick George Welding b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1886 in Widnes, Lancashire, d: Bet. Jan–Mar 1954 in Widnes, Lancashire
 + Catherine Walsh m: Bet. Jul–Sep 1927 in Widnes, Lancashire
 5 Thomas Welding b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1888 in Widnes, Lancashire, d: Bet. Apr–Jun 1943 in Widnes, Lancashire
 + Nellie Parker b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1891 in Widnes, Lancashire, m: Bet. Jan–Mar 1919 in Widnes, Lancashire, d: Bet. Jan–Mar 1939 in Widnes, Lancashire
 4 Martha Welding b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1862 in Widnes, Lancashire, d: Bet. Jul–Sep 1881 in Widnes, Lancashire
 4 Thomas Catterall Welding b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1866 in Widnes, Lancashire
 + Elizabeth Lewis b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1866 in Liverpool, Lancashire, m: Bet. Oct–Dec 1896 in St Paul, Toxteth Park, Lancashire
 5 Alice Elizabeth Welding b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1897 in Seacombe, Cheshire
 5 Florence Mary Welding b: 14 Sep 1899 in Seacombe, Cheshire, d: Bet. Jan–Mar 1977 in Birkenhead, Cheshire
 5 Emily Margaret Welding b: 08 Feb 1902 in Liscard, Cheshire, d: Bet. Apr–Jun 1987 in Birkenhead, Cheshire
 5 Henry Herbert Welding b: 29 Nov 1903 in Liscard, Cheshire, d: Bet. Apr–Jun 1978 in Birkenhead, Cheshire
 + Lillian M James m: Bet. Jul–Sep 1937 in Birkenhead, Cheshire
 3 Mary Welding b: Abt. 1832 in Probably Windle, Lancashire, d: Bet. 1832–1841
 3 Elizabeth Welding b: Abt. 1836, d: Bet. 1841–1844 in Penketh, Lancashire
 3 Sarah Welding b: Abt. 1838 in Probably Windle, Lancashire, d: Bet. 1841–1851 in Penketh, Lancashire
 3 Elizabeth Welding b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1844 in Penketh, Lancashire
 3 Catherine Welding b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1847 in Farnworth, Lancashire, d: Bet. Jul–Sep 1849 in Farnworth, Lancashire
 + Elizabeth Pickervance m: 05 Feb 1827 in All Saints Church, Rainford, Lancashire
 2 Alice Welding b: 13 Feb 1792 in Windle, Lancashire, d: Bet. Apr–Jun 1838 in Prescott, Lancashire
 + Edward Makin m: 23 Oct 1815 in Rainford, Lancashire, d: Bet. Oct–Dec 1843 in Prescott, Lancashire
 3 Ann Makin b: 14 Jan 1816 in Windle, Lancashire
 3 Thomas Makin b: 05 Jan 1818 in Windle, Lancashire, d: Bet. 1863–1964 in Sutton, Lancashire
 + Matilda Walker m: 17 Oct 1843 in Billinge, Lancashire, d: Bet. Apr–Jun 1850 in Prescott, Lancashire
 4 Alice Makin b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1847 in St Helens, Lancashire
 4 Edward William Makin b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1844 in Windle, Lancashire, d: Bet. Jul–Sep 1875 in Windle, Lancashire

..... + Mary Hill Moncrieff b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1850 in St Helens, Lancashire, m: Bet. Oct–Dec 1869 in Prescot, Lancashire
 5 Arthur Edward Makin b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1870 in Windle, Lancashire
 + Edith Edmundson b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1876 in St Helens, Lancashire, m: Bet. Oct–Dec 1900 in St Helens, Lancashire, d: Bet. Apr–Jun 1903 in St Helens, Lancashire
 6 Marjorie Makin b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1903 in St Helens, Lancashire
 + John B Atkinson m: Bet. Apr–Jun 1926 in Prescot, Lancashire
 6 Evelyn Annie Makin b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1905 in St Helens, Lancashire
 + Reginald Henry Bickerstaff b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1904 in St Helens, Lancashire, m: Bet. Jul–Sep 1934 in Prescot, Lancashire
 5 Robert Gerald Makin b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1871 in Windle, Lancashire
 5 Matilda Makin b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1875 in Windle, Lancashire
 4 Matilda Makin b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1846 in St Helens, Lancashire
 + Ellen Swift m: Bet. Apr–Jun 1851 in Prescot, Lancashire
 4 Ellen Elizabeth Makin b: 1853 in St Helens, Lancashire, d: Bet. Oct–Dec 1920 in Prescot, Lancashire
 4 Thomas Makin b: 04 May 1854 in St Helens, Lancashire
 4 Ann Makin b: 1857 in St Helens, Lancashire
 4 Clara Jane Makin b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1859 in Sutton, Lancashire
 3 Margaret Makin b: 03 Feb 1821 in Windle, Lancashire
 3 Mary Makin b: 1823 in Windle, Lancashire, d: Bet. Jan–Mar 1882 in Prescot, Lancashire
 3 Elizabeth Makin b: 01 Dec 1825 in Windle, Lancashire, d: Bet. Apr–Jun 1900 in Prescot, Lancashire
 3 Edward Makin b: 10 Jul 1830 in Windle, Lancashire, d: Bet. 1863–1864 in St Helens, Lancashire
 2 Job Welding b: 15 Dec 1794 in Windle, Lancashire, d: 1862
 + Ann Pierrepoint b: Abt. 1795 in Ashton-in-the Willows, Lancashire, m: Abt. 1820, d: Bet. Oct–Dec 1877 in Upholland, Lancashire
 3 John Welding b: 1821 in Upholland, Lancashire
 3 Peter Welding b: 1826 in Upholland, Lancashire, d: Bet. Jul–Sep 1899 in Wigan, Lancashire
 + Margaret Lee b: 1829 in Upholland, Lancashire, m: Bet. Apr–Jun 1845 in Ormskirk, Lancashire
 4 Samuel Wilding b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1855 in Upholland, Lancashire, d: Bet. Apr–Jun 1888 in Upholland, Lancashire
 + Alice Ann Edelston b: 15 Sep 1860 in Great Harwood, Lancashire, m: Bet. Apr–Jun 1878 in Wigan, Lancashire, d: Bet. Apr–Jun 1887 in Wigan, Lancashire
 5 Peter Wilding b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1880 in Upholland, Lancashire
 5 Richard Wilding b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1882 in Upholland, Lancashire
 5 Alice Ann Wilding b: Abt. 1884 in Upholland, Lancashire
 + William Winstanley m: Bet. Apr–Jun 1913 in Wigan, Lancashire
 4 Job Wilding b: Abt. 1858 in Upholland, Lancashire
 4 Peter Wilding b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1860 in Upholland, Lancashire
 3 Job Welding b: 1826 in Upholland, Lancashire, d: Bet. Sep–Dec 1899 in Wigan, Lancashire
 + Martha Gaskell b: 1825 in Upholland, Lancashire, m: Bet. Oct–Dec 1845 in Upholland, Lancashire, d: Bet. Jul–Sep 1864 in Upholland, Lancashire
 4 Alice Wilding b: 1846 in Upholland, Lancashire
 4 James Wilding b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1846 in Upholland, Lancashire
 4 Margaret Wilding b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1850 in Upholland, Lancashire
 + Michael Grady b: Abt. 1849 in Upholland, Lancashire, m: Bet. Oct–Dec 1872 in Upholland, Lancashire, d: Bet. Oct–Dec 1906 in Upholland, Lancashire
 5 James Grady b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1874 in Standish, Lancashire
 + Mary Alice Makinson b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1875 in Hindley, Lancashire, m: Bet. Oct–Dec 1895 in Bolton, Lancashire
 6 Martha Jane Grady b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1895 in Hindley, Lancashire
 + John W Crabtree m: Bet. Jul–Sep 1919 in Oldham, Lancashire
 5 Martha Jane Grady b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1876 in Upholland, Lancashire
 + Daniel Berry b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1874 in Hindley, Lancashire, m: Bet. Apr–Jun 1900 in Hindley, Lancashire
 6 John Leonard Berry b: Abt. 1897 in Hindley, Lancashire
 6 Jane Berry b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1901 in Hindley, Lancashire
 6 Maggie Berry b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1903 in Hindley, Lancashire
 6 Joseph Berry b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1904 in Hindley, Lancashire

..... 6 Phyllis Berry b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1907 in Leigh, Lancashire
 + Richard Harold Harrison b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1908 in Wigan, Lancashire, m: Bet.
 Oct–Dec 1931 in St Andrew's, Wigan, Lancashire
 6 Ann Berry b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1910 in Skelmersdale, Lancashire

 5 Mary Alice Grady b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1879 in Upholland, Lancashire
 + Thomas Pennington b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1878 in Billinge, Lancashire, m: Bet. Apr–
 Jun 1903 in All Saints, Hindley, Lancashire
 6 Stanley Pennington b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1906 in Hindley, Lancashire
 + Alice Prescott m: Bet. Apr–Jun 1933 in All Saints, Hindley, Lancashire
 6 Maggie Pennington b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1909 in Hindley, Lancashire
 + Thomas Hart m: Bet. Apr–Jun 1930 in Registry Office, Prescot, Lancashire
 6 Annie Pennington b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1911 in Hindley, Lancashire
 5 John Grady b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1882 in Upholland, Lancashire
 + Mary Ann Ellison b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1876 in Leigh, Lancashire, m: Bet. Jul–Sep
 1910 in All Saints, Hindley, Lancashire
 6 Gladys Mary Grady b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1910
 + William H Penny m: Bet. Jul–Sep 1926 in Wrexham, Denbighshire, Wales
 5 Margaret Ann Grady b: 1888 in Upholland, Lancashire
 + Harry Barlow m: Bet. Jul–Sep 1913 in Registry Office, Wigan, Lancashire
 5 William Grady b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1892 in Hindley, Lancashire
 5 Joseph Grady b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1894 in Hindley, Lancashire
 4 Martha Wilding b: Abt. 1858 in Upholland, Lancashire, d: 1939 in Ormskirk,
 Lancashire
 + Richard Ashcroft b: 16 Apr 1854 in Upholland, Lancashire, m: Bet. Apr–Jun 1877 in
 Registry Office, Wigan, Lancashire, d: 1939 in Skelmersdale, Lancashire
 5 Henry Ashcroft b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1877 in Upholland, Lancashire
 + Esther Halliwell b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1875 in Skelmersdale, Lancashire, m: Bet. Oct–
 Dec 1895 in Registry Office, Ormskirk, Lancashire
 6 Gilbert Ashcroft b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1896 in Skelmersdale, Lancashire
 + Ellen Woodcock b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1898 in Hindley, Lancashire, m: Bet. Oct–
 Dec 1919 in All Saints Church, Hindley, Lancashire
 6 Lilian Esther Ashcroft b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1900 in Hindley, Lancashire
 + Robert A Pennington m: Bet. Jul–Sep 1926 in Emmanuel Church, Ormskirk,
 Lancashire
 6 Violet Isobel Ashcroft b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1906 in Hindley, Lancashire
 + Fred Parr m: Bet. Oct–Dec 1933 in Registry Office, Wigan, Lancashire
 6 Margaret Ann Ashcroft b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1910 in Hindley, Lancashire
 5 Thomas Ashcroft b: 1878 in Upholland, Lancashire
 + Margaret Spencer b: Abt. 1879 in Skelmersdale, Lancashire, m: Bet. Jan–Mar
 1898 in St George the Martyr, Bolton, Lancashire
 6 Alfred Ashcroft b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1898 in Bolton, Lancashire
 6 Beatrice Ashcroft b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1900 in Hindley, Lancashire
 5 Alice Ashcroft b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1880 in Upholland, Lancashire
 + James Swift b: 1879 in Skelmersdale, Lancashire, m: Bet. Jul–Sep 1900 in St
 Peter's Church, Hindley, Lancashire, d: Bet. Jan–Mar 1910 in Lathom, Lancashire
 6 Richard Swift b: 01 Jan 1904 in Skelmersdale, Lancashire, d: Oct 1984 in
 Maghull, Lancashire
 + Edith Taylor b: 30 Dec 1903 in Skelmersdale, Lancashire, m: Bet. Jan–Mar
 1925 in St Paul's, Skelmersdale, Lancashire, d: Feb 1992 in Maghull,
 Lancashire
 7 James Albert Swift b: 21 Apr 1925 in Skelmersdale, Lancashire, d: Dec
 2001 in Skelmersdale, Lancashire
 + Gladys Pilling b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1927 in Skelmersdale, Lancashire, m: Bet.
 Oct–Dec 1947 in St Paul's, Skelmersdale, Lancashire
 7 Living Swift
 6 Stanley Swift b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1905 in Skelmersdale, Lancashire
 + Sarah Moorfield b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1907 in Wigan, Lancashire, m: Bet. Jul–Sep
 1927 in Registry Office, Ormskirk, Lancashire
 6 James Wilfred Swift b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1908 in Skelmersdale, Lancashire
 + Mary Elizabeth Snailham b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1907 in Ormskirk, Lancashire, m:
 Bet. Apr–Jun 1929 in St Paul's, Skelmersdale, Lancashire
 5 James Ashcroft b: 01 Apr 1882 in Upholland, Lancashire

..... + Alice Ann Dutton b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1880 in Little Hoole, Lancashire, m: Bet. Jul–
Sep 1905 in St Andrew's, Longton, Lancashire
..... 6 Hilda Ashcroft b: Abt. 1903 in Wigan, Lancashire
..... + Joseph Gregory m: Bet. Jul–Sep 1923 in St Paul's Goose Green, Wigan,
Lancashire
..... 6 Richard Ashcroft b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1907 in Wigan, Lancashire
..... 5 Margaret Ann Ashcroft b: 03 Nov 1884 in Upholland, Lancashire
..... 5 John Ashcroft b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1888 in Upholland, Lancashire
..... 5 Amelia Ashcroft b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1892 in Skelmersdale, Lancashire
..... + John Johnson m: Bet. Oct–Dec 1915 in St Paul's Church, Skelmersdale,
Lancashire
..... 5 Annie Ashcroft b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1895 in Skelmersdale, Lancashire, d: Bet. Apr–
Jun 1901 in Hindley, Lancashire
..... 5 Kate Ashcroft b: 1897 in Skelmersdale, Lancashire
..... + John Lee m: Bet. Jul–Sep 1921 in Methodist Church, Upholland, Lancashire
..... 5 Richard William Ashcroft b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1900 in Platt Bridge, Lancashire
..... + Alice Anderton m: Bet. Apr–Jun 1925 in St Paul's Church, Skelmersdale,
Lancashire
..... 4 Catherine Wilding b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1860 in Upholland, Lancashire, d: Bet. Jul–Sep
1937 in Ince-in-Makerfield, Lancashire
..... + Thomas Eaton b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1856 in Penn Head, Woverhampton, Staffordshire, m:
Bet. Jan–Mar 1889 in St Thomas's Church, Wigan, Lancashire, d: Bet. Jan–Mar
1926 in Ince-in-Makerfield, Lancashire
..... 5 Job Wilding Eaton b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1899 in Ince in Makerfield, Lancashire
..... + Ethel Baines b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1890 in Leigh, Lancashire, m: Bet. Jul–Sep 1913 in
All Saints Church, Wigan, Lancashire
..... 5 Thomas Henry Eaton b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1891 in Ince-in-Makerfield, Lancashire
..... + Elizabeth Ann Belshaw b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1890 in Wigan, Lancashire, m: Bet. Apr–
Jun 1914 in Registry Office, Wigan, Lancashire
..... 5 James Wallace Eaton b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1895 in Ince-in-Makerfield, Lancashire
..... + Edith Thompson m: Bet. Oct–Dec 1916 in All Saints, Wigan, Lancashire
..... 5 Catherine Eaton b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1898 in Ince-in-Makerfield, Lancashire
..... + Frederick Hitchen b: Bet. 1893–1895 in Wigan, Lancashire, m: Bet. Apr–Jun 1919
in Sts Thomas & James, Poolstock, Lancashire
..... 5 Frank Eaton b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1902 in Ince-in-Makerfield, Lancashire
..... + Mary Jane Gaskell m: Bet. Apr–Jun 1930 in St Michale & All Angels, Wigan,
Lancashire
..... 4 John Wilding b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1862 in Upholland, Lancashire
..... + Sarah Ann Sharrock Round b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1868 in Dudley, Staffordshire, m: Bet.
Oct–Dec 1895 in St Thomas's Church, Wigan, Lancashire
..... 5 Job Wilding b: 1893 in Hindley, Lancashire
..... + Margaret McMullen m: Bet. Oct–Dec 1918 in St Peter's Church, Wigan
..... 5 Elizabeth Wilding b: 1895 in Hindley, Lancashire
..... 5 Agnes Wilding b: 1897 in Hindley, Lancashire
..... + Mary Wright b: 1830 in Pemberton, Lancashire, d: Bet. Oct–Dec 1896 in Upholland,
Lancashire
..... 3 Thomas Welding b: 1832 in Upholland, Lancashire
..... 3 Margery Welding b: 1836 in Upholland, Lancashire
..... 3 Alice Welding b: 1839 in Upholland, Lancashire
..... 2 Peter Welding b: 10 Jun 1800 in Windle, Lancashire
..... + Jane b: 1801 in Orrell, Lancashire, d: 1876 in Wigan, Lancashire
..... 3 Benjamin Wilding b: Abt. 1821 in Windle, Lancashire, d: Bet. Jul–Sep 1863 in Upholland,
Lancashire
..... + Margaret Martlew b: 18 Apr 1822 in Upholland, Lancashire, m: Bet. Apr–Jun 1842 in All
Saints Church, Wigan, Lancashire, d: Bet. Oct–Dec 1904 in Dalton, Lancashire
..... 4 Peter Wilding b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1842 in Upholland, Lancashire
..... + Jane Kirk b: 28 Nov 1839 in Upholland, Lancashire, m: 20 Jun 1864 in St Thomas the
Martyr, Upholland, Lancashire
..... 5 Benjamin T Wilding b: Abt. 1864 in Upholland, Lancashire
..... 5 Thomas Wilding b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1865 in Upholland, Lancashire
..... + Ellen Ashurst b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1868 in Upholland, Lancashire, m: Bet. Oct–Dec
1887 in Probably Upholland, Lancashire
..... 6 Peter Wilding b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1888 in Upholland, Lancashire, d: Bet. Apr–Jun
1897 in Upholland, Lancashire

..... 6 Ruth Wilding b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1890 in Upholland, Lancashire, d: Bet. Oct–Dec 1907 in Pemberton, Lancashire
 6 Jane Wilding b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1894 in Upholland, Lancashire
 + Gilbert Jolley b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1888 in Wigan, Lancashire, m: Bet. Jan–Mar 1916 in All Saints, Wigan, Lancashire
 6 Mary Ellen Wilding b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1896 in Upholland, Lancashire
 6 Adam Wilding b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1897 in Upholland, Lancashire
 6 James Wilding b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1900 in Upholland, Lancashire
 + Gertrude Dickinson b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1896 in Upholland, Lancashire, m: Bet. Apr–Jun 1922 in St Thomas, Upholland, Lancashire
 6 Susannah Wilding b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1902 in Upholland, Lancashire
 6 Martha Wilding b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1906 in Upholland, Lancashire
 + Cyril Clifford Worthington b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1904 in Wigan, Lancashire, m: Bet. Oct–Dec 1926 in Digmoor Methodist Church, Upholland, Lancashire
 6 Tom Wilding b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1909 in Upholland, Lancashire
 6 Maggie Wilding b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1910 in Upholland, Lancashire
 5 Elizabeth Wilding b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1869 in Upholland, Lancashire
 + Robert Ainscough Ashcroft b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1868 in Ormskirk, Lancashire, m: Bet. Apr–Jun 1893 in Upholland, Lancashire
 5 Peter Wilding b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1871 in Dalton, Lancashire
 + Margaret Alice Beatty b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1876 in Wigan, Lancashire, m: Bet. Jan–Mar 1894 in St John's Wingates, Westhoughton, Lancashire
 6 George Wilding b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1897 in Upholland, Lancashire
 + Mary Brooks b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1899 in Bolton, Lancashire, m: Bet. Oct–Dec 1920 in Registry Office, Bolton, Lancashire
 6 Elizabeth Jane Wilding b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1898 in Upholland, Lancashire
 + John Connolly m: Bet. Apr–Jun 1924 in Registry Office, Bolton, Lancashire
 6 Ellen Wilding b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1901 in Westhoughton, Lancashire
 6 Susannah Wilding b: 23 Dec 1903 in Westhoughton, Lancashire, d: Bet. Jan–Mar 1991 in Bolton, Lancashire
 6 Edith Wilding b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1906 in Westhoughton, Lancashire
 6 Margaret Wilding b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1908 in Westhoughton, Lancashire
 5 James Wilding b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1873 in Upholland, Lancashire, d: Bet. Jul–Sep 1888 in Dalton or Upholland, Lancashire
 5 Susannah Jane Wilding b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1877 in Upholland, Lancashire
 + Charles Arrowsmith b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1869 in Upholland, Lancashire, m: Bet. Jan–Mar 1897 in St Thomas the Martyr, Upholland, Lancashire
 6 William Arrowsmith b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1897 in Upholland, Lancashire
 + Jane Webster b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1901 in Wigan, Lancashire, m: 1925 in Methodist Church, Orrell, Lancashire
 6 Jane Ellen Arrowsmith b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1900 in Upholland, Lancashire
 + Alfred Davies m: Bet. Jul–Sep 1920 in Christ Church, Millgate, Wigan, Lancashire
 6 Thomas Arrowsmith b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1901 in Upholland, Lancashire
 + Mary Higgin b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1904 in Wigan, Lancashire, m: Bet. Apr–Jun 1927 in Methodist Church, Orrell, Lancashire
 4 James Wilding b: 22 Apr 1847 in Dalton, Lancashire, d: Bet. 1901–1911 in Dalton, Lancashire
 + Jane Richardson b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1846 in Dalton, Lancashire, m: Bet. Oct–Dec 1887 in Dalton, Lancashire
 4 Adam Wilding b: 20 Jan 1850 in Dalton, Lancashire, d: Bet. Oct–Dec 1924 in Dalton, Lancashire
 + Elizabeth Seddon b: 25 Mar 1853 in Hindley, Lancashire, m: Bet. Oct–Dec 1872 in Dalton, Lancashire, d: Bet. Apr–Jun 1919 in Dalton, Lancashire
 5 Sarah Jane Wilding b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1875 in Upholland, Lancashire
 + Robert Fisk m: Bet. Jul–Sep 1911 in Salford, Lancashire
 5 Margaret Ann Wilding b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1877 in Upholland, Lancashire
 + Joseph Hart b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1876, m: Bet. Apr–Jun 1905 in St Michael's, Dalton, Lancashire
 6 Joseph Hart b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1906 in Parbold, Lancashire
 6 Harold Hart b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1908 in Parbold, Lancashire
 5 Ruth Elizabeth Wilding b: 10 May 1879 in Upholland, Lancashire
 + William Gamble b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1878 in May Bank, Staffordshire, m: Bet. Jan–Mar 1900 in St Michael's, Dalton, Lancashire

..... 6 Gladys May Gamble b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1903 in St Helens, Lancashire
 + Frank Sutton b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1906 in Wigan, Lancashire, m: Bet. Apr–Jun
 1929 in Wigan, Lancashire
 5 Mary Ellen Wilding b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1882 in Upholland, Lancashire
 + Thomas Radcliffe b: Abt. 1880 in Dalton, Lancashire, m: Bet. Oct–Dec 1908 in St
 Michael's, Dalton, Lancashire
 4 Elizabeth Wilding b: 07 Sep 1854 in Dalton, Lancashire
 + Robert Houghton b: 1855 in Wrightington, Lancashire, m: Bet. Jan–Mar 1877 in
 Probably Dalton, Lancashire
 4 Alice Wilding b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1857 in Dalton, Lancashire
 4 Margaret Wilding b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1860 in Dalton, Lancashire
 + William Edward Martland m: Bet. Oct–Dec 1882 in Ormskirk, Lancashire
 4 Rachael Wilding b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1862 in Dalton, Lancashire
 + Thomas Mawdsley b: 1870 in Dalton, Lancashire, m: Bet. Jan–Mar 1901 in Probably
 Dalton, Lancashire, d: Bet. Jul–Sep 1908 in Dalton, Lancashire
 5 Margaret Ellen Mawdsley b: 09 Apr 1901 in Dalton, Lancashire, d: Jan 1984 in
 Lancashire
 5 Joseph Mawdsley b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1903 in Dalton, Lancashire
 + Unknown
 5 Susan Wilding b: 1891 in Dalton, Lancashire
 3 Margery Welding b: Abt. 1827 in Windle, Lancashire, d: Bet. Jan–Mar 1853
 + William Mason m: 11 Oct 1852 in All Saints Church, Wigan, Lancashire
 + Unknown
 4 Enoch Wilding b: 08 Feb 1851 in Dalton, Lancashire
 + Elizabeth Mawdsley b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1856 in Wrightington, Lancashire, m: Bet. Oct–
 Dec 1876 in Dalton, Lancashire
 5 Adam William Wilding b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1877 in Dalton, Lancashire
 5 Thomas James Wilding b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1878 in Dalton, Lancashire, d: Bet. Jan–
 Mar 1899 in Dalton, Lancashire
 5 Mary Jane Wilding b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1881 in Dalton, Lancashire
 + Joseph Henry Seddon b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1874 in Tottington, Lancashire, m: Bet.
 Apr–Jun 1905 in St Michael's, Dalton, Lancashire
 6 Thomas Seddon b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1906 in Bolton, Lancashire
 6 Annie Seddon b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1908 in Bolton, Lancashire
 6 Alice Seddon b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1910 in Shevington, Lancashire
 5 John Henry Wilding b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1883 in Dalton, Lancashire
 + Emily Walton m: Bet. Apr–Jun 1909 in St John's, Pemberton, Lancashire
 6 Thomas Enoch Welding b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1909 in Pemberton, Lancashire
 6 John Welding
 5 Annie Elizabeth Wilding b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1887 in Dalton, Lancashire
 5 Margery Ellen Wilding b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1889 in Dalton, Lancashire
 5 Robert Enoch Wilding b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1894 in Dalton, Lancashire
 5 Moses Frederick Wilding b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1896 in Dalton, Lancashire
 + Mary Wilson m: Bet. Apr–Jun 1939 in St Michael's, Dalton, Lancashire
 5 Arthur Ernest Wilding b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1898 in Dalton, Lancashire
 + Florence Sharrock b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1901 in Dalton, Lancashire, m: Bet. Apr–Jun
 1925 in St Michael's, Dalton, Lancashire
 3 Peter Wilding b: Abt. 1832 in Windle, Lancashire, d: Bet. Jul–Sep 1870 in Dalton,
 Lancashire
 + Susan Speakman b: Abt. 1831 in Standish, Lancashire, m: Bet. Apr–Jun 1856 in All
 Saints Church, Wigan, Lancashire, d: Bet. Apr–Jun 1901 in Dalton, Lancashire
 4 Ann Wilding b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1854 in Dalton, Lancashire, d: Bet. Apr–Jun 1923 in
 Upholland, Lancashire
 + Joseph Webster b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1840 in Upholland, Lancashire, m: Bet. Oct–Dec
 1882 in Registry Office, Wigan, Lancashire, d: Bet. Jan–Mar 1899 in Probably
 Dalton or Upholland, Lancashire
 5 Ann Webster b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1884 in Upholland, Lancashire
 + John Heynes Grundy m: Bet. Apr–Jun 1901 in St Thomas the Martyr, Upholland,
 Lancashire
 5 Ernest Webster b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1885 in Upholland, Lancashire
 5 John Webster b: 1888 in Upholland, Lancashire
 + Susan T Livingstone b: 1888 in Maybole, Ayr, Scotland
 6 Mary Webster b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1910 in Upholland, Lancashire

..... + James Goulding m: Bet. Jan–Mar 1928 in St Paul's, Goose Green Wigan
 Lancashire
 5 Alfred Webster b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1892 in Dalton, Lancashire
 4 Matthias Wilding b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1857 in Dalton, Lancashire, d: Bet. Oct–Dec 1927 in
 Upholland, Lancashire
 4 Luke Wilding b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1860 in Dalton, Lancashire, d: Bet. Jan–Mar 1909 in
 Wigan, Lancashire
 + Amelia Abbott b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1865 in Dalton, Lancashire, m: Bet. Oct–Dec 1891 in
 St Michael's, Dalton, Lancashire, d: Bet. Apr–Jun 1920 in Upholland, Lancashire
 5 Leonard Wilding b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1893 in Dalton, Lancashire
 4 Robert Wilding b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1862 in Dalton, Lancashire
 + Teresa Wilding m: Bet. Jul–Sep 1906 in St Wilfred's, Standish, Lancashire
 4 Jane Wilding b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1864 in Dalton, Lancashire
 + Unknown
 5 Mary E Wilding b: Abt. 1872
 4 Joseph Wilding b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1866 in Dalton, Lancashire, d: Bet. Jan–Mar 1874 in
 Probably Dalton or Upholland, Lancashire
 4 James Wilding b: 1868 in Dalton, Lancashire
 3 Ellen Wilding b: Abt. 1835 in Windle, Lancashire, d: Bet. Jan–Mar 1908 in Dalton,
 Lancashire
 3 Jane Welding b: 1837 in Windle, Lancashire, d: Bet. Jan–Mar 1908 in Pemberton,
 Lancashire
 + Thomas Barton b: 1834 in Orrell, Lancashire, m: Bet. Apr–Jun 1858 in St Mary's Church,
 Prescot, Lancashire, d: Bet. Jan–Mar 1890 in Pemberton, Lancashire
 4 Elizabeth Barton b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1859 in Pemberton, Lancashire
 + Peter Gee b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1855 in Upholland, Lancashire, m: Bet. Apr–Jun 1881 in
 St John's, Pemberton, Lancashire, d: Bet. Jan–Mar 1915 in Pemberton, Lancashire
 5 Mary Ellen Barton Gee b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1882 in Pemberton, Lancashire
 5 Elizabeth Annie Gee b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1883 in Pemberton, Lancashire
 + John Gee m: Bet. Oct–Dec 1911 in Registry Office, Wigan, Lancashire
 5 Thomas Gee b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1886 in Pemberton, Lancashire
 5 Jane Gee b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1888 in Pemberton, Lancashire
 + James Gaskell b: 1888 in Orrell, Lancashire, m: Bet. Oct–Dec 1918 in St John's,
 Pemberton, Lancashire
 5 Fred Gee b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1894 in Pemberton, Lancashire
 + Lillie Gaskell b: 1890 in Orrell, Lancashire, m: Bet. Jan–Mar 1923 in St John's,
 Pemberton, Lancashire
 5 Redvers Victor Gee b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1900 in Pemberton, Lancashire
 + Doris Mary Waterworth b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1896 in Pemberton, Lancashire, m: Bet.
 Jul–Sep 1925 in St Mark's, Newtown, Wigan, Lancashire
 4 Mary Ellen Barton b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1864 in Pemberton, Lancashire, d: Bet. Jul–Sep
 1872 in Pemberton, Lancashire
 4 John Barton b: Bet. Jul–Dec 1870 in Pemberton, Lancashire
 + Annie Jane Ashurst b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1871 in Pemberton, Lancashire, m: Bet. Oct–
 Dec 1892 in St John's, Pemberton, Lancashire
 5 Nellie Welding Barton b: 28 Jun 1896 in Hindley, Lancashire, d: 20 Mar 1995 in
 Dover, Kent
 + Frederick Makin b: 30 Oct 1896 in Hindley, Lancashire, m: Bet. Apr–Jun 1922 in
 St John's, Hindley Green Wigan, Lancashire, d: 12 Dec 1980 in Etchinghill, Kent
 5 James Ashurst Barton b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1898 in Hindley, Lancashire
 + Nellie Gaskell m: Bet. Apr–Jun 1922 in Wigan, Lancashire
 5 John Barton b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1900 in Hindley, Lancashire
 5 Alice Ann Barton b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1901 in Hindley, Lancashire
 + Wilfred Sumner b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1908, m: Bet. Jan–Mar 1925 in St John's, Hindley
 Green, Lancashire
 5 Hilda Evelyn Barton b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1909 in Hindley, Lancashire
 + James Martland m: Bet. Oct–Dec 1933 in St Thomas, Golborne, Lancashire
 3 John Wilding b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1840 in Dalton, Lancashire
 + Margaret Close b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1843 in Burscough, Lancashire, m: Bet. Jan–Mar 1864 in
 Wigan, Lancashire
 4 Margaret Wilding b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1868 in Skelmersdale, Lancashire
 4 Caleb Wilding b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1869 in Skelmersdale, Lancashire, d: Bet. Apr–Jun
 1879 in Skelmersdale, Lancashire

..... 3 Adam Wilding b: 1825 in Windle, Lancashire
..... 2 Margaret Welding b: 16 Apr 1806 in Windle, Lancashire, d: Bet. Oct–Dec 1881 in Orrell,
Lancashire
..... + Henry Burrows b: 11 Feb 1811 in St Helens, Lancashire, m: 10 Jun 1832 in All Saints Church,
Rainford, Lancashire, d: Bet. Jul–Sep 1882 in Orrell, Lancashire

..... 3 Ellen Burrows b: 1836 in Billinge, Lancashire
..... + William Shaw b: Abt. 1835 in Billinge, Lancashire
..... 4 John Shaw b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1855 in Billinge, Lancashire, d: Bet. Apr–Jun 1908 in
Manchester, Lancashire
..... + Lilly Wilson b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1858 in Hunslet, Leeds, Yorkshire, m: Bet. Jul–Sep 1875
in All Saints, Wigan, Lancashire

..... 5 James Shaw b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1876 in Billinge, Lancashire
..... + Mary Ellen Henshaw b: 1878, m: Bet. Jul–Sep 1897 in Prestwich, Lancashire
..... 6 Wilfred Shaw b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1898 in Newton Heath, Lancashire
..... 6 George Alexander Shaw b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1900 in Heywood, Lancashire
..... 5 Mary Shaw b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1878 in Billinge, Lancashire, d: Bet. Oct–Dec 1941 in
Manchester, Lancashire
..... + Ernest Speakman b: 1855 in Manchester, Lancashire, m: 20 Apr 1907 in St
Stephen, Harpenhay, Manchester, Lancashire
..... 6 Ethel Speakman b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1907 in Manchester, Lancashire
..... + Thomas A Townley m: Bet. Jan–Mar 1926 in Manchester, Lancashire
..... 6 Elsie Speakman b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1908 in Manchester, Lancashire
..... 6 Nathaniel Speakman b: 14 Jan 1911 in Manchester, Lancashire, d: Bet. Oct–
Dec 1989 in Manchester, Lancashire
..... + Ethel Clara Seal m: Bet. Oct–Dec 1929 in St Jerome, Ardwick, Manchester,
Lancashire

..... 6 Lily Speakman b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1914 in Manchester, Lancashire, d: Bet. Oct–
Dec 1917 in Manchester, Lancashire

..... 6 Living Speakman
..... 5 Henry Shaw b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1880 in Billinge, Lancashire
..... + Harriet Ann Scott b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1880 in Manchester, Lancashire, m: Bet. Jan–
Mar 1902 in All Saints, Newton Heath, Lancashire
..... 5 Lilly Shaw b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1882 in Newton Heath, Lancashire
..... + Edward Shaughnessy m: Bet. Jul–Sep 1905 in St John's, Hulme, Manchester,
Lancashire

..... 5 Frank Shaw b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1884 in Newton Heath, Lancashire
..... + Ethel Morris m: Bet. Apr–Jun 1918 in Manchester, Lancashire
..... 5 William Shaw b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1886 in Newton Heath, Lancashire
..... + Josephine Wrigley b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1899 in Manchester, Lancashire, m: Bet. Jul–
Sep 1918 in Manchester, Lancashire

..... 5 John Shaw b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1888 in Newton Heath, Lancashire
..... 5 Annie Shaw b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1890 in Newton Heath, Lancashire
..... 5 Robert Shaw b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1895 in Newton Heath, Lancashire
..... 5 Fred Shaw b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1897 in Newton Heath, Lancashire
..... 4 Henry Shaw b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1860 in Billinge, Lancashire
..... 4 William Shaw b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1868 in Billinge, Lancashire
..... + Mary Ann Prescott b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1868 in St Helens, Lancashire, m: Bet. Apr–Jun
1888 in Prescott, Lancashire

..... 5 John William Shaw b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1888 in St Helens, Lancashire
..... 5 Ellen Shaw b: Abt. 1891 in Pemberton, Lancashire
..... 5 Jane Shaw b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1894 in Goose Green, Pemberton, Lancashire
..... 5 Frances Shaw b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1897 in Goose Green, Pemberton, Lancashire
..... + Thomas Stanley Banks b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1895 in Wigan, Lancashire, m: Bet. Jul–
Sep 1920 in St Mary's, Ince, Lancashire

..... 5 Florence Shaw b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1901 in Goose Green, Pemberton, Lancashire
..... 5 John William Warburton b: 1909 in Wigan, Lancashire

..... 3 Margaret Burrows b: 26 Dec 1840 in Billinge, Lancashire, d: Bet. Oct–Dec 1924 in Ashton
-in-Makerfield, Lancashire
..... + Joseph Latham b: 23 Mar 1841 in Haydock, Lancashire, m: Bet. Jul–Sep 1862 in Wigan,
Lancashire, d: 22 Nov 1922 in Ashton-in-Makerfield, Lancashire

..... 4 John Latham b: 19 Jan 1863 in Arch Lane, Ashton in Makerfield, Lancashire
..... + Catherine Simpkin b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1862 in Ashton in Makerfield, Lancashire, m: Bet.
Oct–Dec 1884 in Registry Office, Wigan, Lancashire

..... 5 Joseph Edward Latham b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1887 in St Helens, Lancashire
 + Doris Mary Benson b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1897 in St Helens, Lancashire, m: Bet. Jan–
 Mar 1924 in St Helens, Lancashire
 5 Charles Latham b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1888 in St Helens, Lancashire
 + Annie Morris b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1887 in Wigan, Lancashire, m: Bet. Jan–Mar 1910
 in Registry Office, Wigan, Lancashire
 5 Arthur Latham b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1890 in Ashton in Makerfield, Lancashire
 + Margaret Bradley m: Bet. Oct–Dec 1917 in Registry Office, Wigan, Lancashire
 5 Harold Latham b: 09 Jul 1899 in St Helens, Lancashire
 5 Frederick Latham b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1900 in Ashton in Makerfield, Lancashire
 4 Abraham Latham b: 15 Jun 1865 in Haydock, Lancashire, d: Oct 1942 in Earlestown,
 St Helens, Lancashire
 + Esther Makin b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1864 in Sutton, Lancashire, m: 04 May 1887 in St
 Nicholas, Sutton, Lancashire, d: Feb 1908 in Newton-le-Willows, Lancashire
 5 Joseph Valentine Latham b: 14 Feb 1888 in Sutton, Lancashire, d: 02 Oct 1973 in
 Fort William, Inverness, Scotland
 + Gertrude Clarkson b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1889 in Aspull, Wigan Lancashire, m: 15 Oct
 1920 in St Philip's Church, Southport, d: 17 Jul 1966 in Ripley, Derbyshire
 6 Ella M Latham b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1911 in Ripley, Derbyshire
 + Brian Keeling m: Bet. Oct–Dec 1951 in Ripley, Derbyshire
 6 Patricia Latham b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1923 in Ripley, Derbyshire
 + Walter Muir Whitehead b: 25 Nov 1919 in Portobello, Edinburgh, Midlothian,
 m: 24 Nov 1945 in Parish Church, Ripley, Derbyshire, d: 08 Nov 2006 in
 Belford Hospital, Fort William, Inverness
 7 Living Whitehead
 7 Living Whitehead
 7 Living Whitehead
 7 Living Whitehead
 7 Living Whitehead
 7 Patricia Ann Whitehead b: Jul 1946 in Elsie Inglis Hospital, Edinburgh,
 Midlothian, d: 09 Feb 1947 in City Hospital, Edinburgh, Midlothian
 5 James Latham b: Jan 1891 in Ecclestone, Lancashire
 5 Esther Latham b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1893
 + Elizabeth Leyland b: 1885 in Earlestown, St Helens, Lancashire, m: Bet. Jul–Sep
 1909 in Newton-le-Willows, Lancashire, d: Nov 1967 in Earlestown, St Helens,
 Lancashire
 5 Edna Latham b: 1910 in Earlestown, St Helens, Lancashire
 + Thomas Green m: Bet. Jul–Sep 1935 in Newton-le-Fields, Lancashire
 5 Living Latham
 4 Ellen Latham b: 12 Nov 1867 in Haydock, Lancashire, d: Bet. Jul–Sep 1926 in Ashton
 in Makerfield, Lancashire
 + John Thomas Crompton b: 1866 in Ashton in Makerfield, Lancashire, m: Bet. Jul–Sep
 1888 in Registry Office, Wigan, Lancashire
 5 Willie Crompton b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1889 in Ashton in Makerfield, Lancashire, d: Bet.
 Apr–Jun 1901 in Ashton in Makerfield, Lancashire
 5 George Crompton b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1893 in Ashton in Makerfield, Lancashire
 + Mary Ellen Hampson m: Bet. Oct–Dec 1916 in Registry Office, Wigan, Lancashire
 5 Jane Ethel Crompton b: Bet. 1896–1897 in Ashton in Makerfield, Lancashire
 5 Lillian Crompton b: 1898 in Ashton in Makerfield, Lancashire
 + Thomas Edward Blythen m: Bet. Jul–Sep 1920 in Registry Office, Wigan,
 Lancashire
 5 Margaret Crompton b: 1898 in Ashton in Makerfield, Lancashire, d: 1899 in
 Ashton in Makerfield, Lancashire
 5 Ethel Crompton b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1901 in Ashton in Makerfield, Lancashire
 + Frederick C Smith m: Bet. Oct–Dec 1927 in Wigan, Lancashire
 5 William Crompton b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1902 in Ashton in Makerfield, Lancashire
 + Esther Ashcroft m: Bet. Jul–Sep 1926 in Registry Office, Wigan, Lancashire
 5 Rachel Latham Crompton b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1904 in Ashton in Makerfield,
 Lancashire
 5 Eleanor Crompton b: 11 Jul 1908 in Ashton in Makerfield, Lancashire
 5 Maggie Crompton b: Bet. Oct 1894–Jun 1895 in Ashton in Makerfield, Lancashire
 + John Williams m: Bet. Oct–Dec 1916 in Registry Office, Wigan, Lancashire
 4 Turner Latham b: 20 Apr 1869 in Ashton in Makerfield, Lancashire
 + Jane Whittingham b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1873 in Rainford, Lancashire, m: Bet. Jan–Mar

1896 in Registry Office, Wigan, Lancashire
..... 5 Turner Latham b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1898 in Ashton in Makerfield, Lancashire
..... 4 William Latham b: 1871 in Ashton in Makerfield, Lancashire, d: 24 Nov 1918 in Ashton
in Makerfield, Lancashire

..... + Elizabeth Ann Monks b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1872 in Ashton in Makerfield, Lancashire, m:
Bet. Jan–Mar 1892 in Registry Office, Wigan, Lancashire, d: Bet. Oct–Dec 1921 in
Ashton in Makerfield, Lancashire
..... 5 Joseph Latham b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1897 in St Helens, Lancashire
..... 5 Sarah Alice Latham b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1899 in St Helens, Lancashire
..... + Michael Byrne b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1899 in Wigan, Lancashire, m: Bet. Oct–Dec 1922
in Registry Office, Wigan, Lancashire
..... 5 James Latham b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1903 in Ashton in Makerfield, Lancashire
..... + Catherine Hunter m: Bet. Jul–Sep 1929 in St Catherine's, Wigan, Lancashire
..... 5 John William Latham b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1906 in Ashton in Makerfield, Lancashire
..... 5 Evelyn Latham b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1908 in Ashton in Makerfield, Lancashire
..... + Thomas Hampson m: Bet. Jul–Sep 1928 in All Saints, Wigan, Lancashire
..... 5 Margaret Latham b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1910 in Ashton in Makerfield, Lancashire
..... 5 Ethel Latham b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1901 in St Helens, Lancashire
..... 4 Margaret Latham b: 25 Jan 1872 in Ashton in Makerfield, Lancashire, d: Bet. Jan–Mar
1936 in Earlestown, St Helens, Lancashire
..... + Frederick Hodgkinson b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1872 in Ashton in Makerfield, Lancashire, m:
Bet. Jan–Mar 1900 in Registry Office, Wigan, Lancashire, d: Bet. Apr–Jun 1929
..... 5 Eleanor Hodgkinson b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1900 in Ashton in Makerfield, Lancashire, d:
Bet. Jul–Sep 1906 in Ashton in Makerfield, Lancashire
..... 5 Hilda Elizabeth Hodgkinson b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1902 in Ashton in Makerfield,
Lancashire
..... + James Naylor m: Bet. Jul–Sep 1929 in St Thomas', Ashton in Makerfield,
Lancashire
..... 5 Rachel Hodgkinson b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1907 in Ashton in Makerfield, Lancashire
..... 4 Rachel Latham b: 16 Mar 1875 in Ashton in Makerfield, Lancashire, d: 27 Mar 1878 in
Ashton in Makerfield, Lancashire
..... 3 William Burrows b: Bet. Jan–Feb 1843 in Billinge, St Helens, Lancashire, d: Bet. Oct–Dec
1894 in Parr, St Helens, Lancashire
..... + Sarah Rowe b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1843 in Northwich, Cheshire, m: Bet. Oct–Dec 1864 in St
Helens, Lancashire
..... 4 Jane Ann Burrows b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1865 in St Helens, Lancashire
..... + William Joseph Robertson Parkes b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1863 in Manchester, Lancashire,
m: Bet. Jul–Sep 1886 in Registry Office, Prescott, Lancashire
..... 5 William Joseph Parkes b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1887 in St Helens, Lancashire
..... 5 Albert Parkes b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1890 in St Helens, Lancashire
..... 5 Arthur Parkes b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1891 in St Helens, Lancashire
..... 5 Ernest Parkes b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1894 in St Helens, Lancashire
..... 5 Florence Parkes b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1896 in St Helens, Lancashire
..... 5 Alice May Parkes b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1899 in St Helens, Lancashire, d: Bet. Apr–Jun
1902 in St Helens, Lancashire
..... 4 Alice Burrows b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1867 in St Helens, Lancashire
..... 4 Sarah Ellen Burrows b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1870 in St Helens, Lancashire
..... 4 Elizabeth Burrows b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1872 in St Helens, Lancashire
..... + James Mather b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1870 in Rainhill, Lancashire, m: Bet. Jul–Sep 1892 in
Registry Office, Prescott, Lancashire
..... 5 Annie Mather b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1894 in Thatto Heath, St Helens, Lancashire
..... 5 Joseph Mather b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1895 in Thatto Heath, St Helens, Lancashire
..... 5 Lily Mather b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1897 in Thatto Heath, St Helens, Lancashire
..... + Frank Maddocks Morton b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1895 in Thatto Heath, St Helens,
Lancashire, m: Bet. Apr–Jun 1922 in Wesleyan Chapel, St Helens, Lancashire
..... 5 Ethel Mather b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1898 in Thatto Heath, St Helens, Lancashire
..... + Albert F Hampson b: 16 May 1893 in St Helens, Lancashire, m: Bet. Apr–Jun
1921 in St Helens, Lancashire, d: Bet. Jan–Mar 1979 in Liverpool, Lancashire
..... 5 James Mather b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1900 in Thatto Heath, St Helens, Lancashire

..... 5 Eva Mather b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1903 in Thatto Heath, St Helens, Lancashire, d: Bet.
Apr–Jun 1918 in Thatto Heath, St Helens, Lancashire

..... 4 William Burrows b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1878 in St Helens, Lancashire
 + Martha Matheson b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1885 in Birkenhead, Cheshire, m: Bet. Apr–Jun
 1907 in Birkenhead, Cheshire
 5 Living Burrows
 4 Joseph Burrows b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1879 in Thatto Heath, St Helens, Lancashire
 + Mary Emily Leech b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1883 in Haydock, Lancashire, m: Bet. Jan–Mar
 1903 in Prescott, Lancashire
 4 Maud Burrows b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1883 in St Helens, Lancashire
 + Michael Connolly b: Abt. 1873 in Galway, Ireland, m: Bet. Apr–Jun 1907 in Registry
 Office, Prescott, Lancashire
 5 Mary Maud Connolly b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1909 in Leigh, Lancashire
 + James Lees m: Bet. Jul–Sep 1929 in Manchester, Lancashire
 5 Agnes Connolly b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1910 in Leigh, Lancashire
 4 Edward R Burrows b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1886 in St Helens, Lancashire
 + Margaret Cheney b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1889 in Prescott, Lancashire, m: Bet. Jan–Mar
 1914 in Prescott, Lancashire
 3 Rachel Burrows b: Jan 1845 in Billinge, Lancashire, d: Bet. Oct–Dec 1915 in Billinge,
 Lancashire
 + William Hayes b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1842 in Billinge, Lancashire, m: Bet. Apr–Jun 1863 in
 Billinge, Lancashire, d: Bet. Jul–Sep 1905 in Billinge, Lancashire
 4 Ellen Hayes b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1864 in Billinge, Lancashire
 4 Rachel Hayes b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1868 in Billinge, Lancashire
 4 Ann Hayes b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1874 in Ashton in Makerfield, Lancashire
 + George Clough b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1866 in Billinge, Lancashire, m: Bet. Jan–Mar 1891 in
 Wigan, Lancashire
 5 Annie Clough b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1895 in Billinge, Lancashire
 + William Atherton m: Bet. Oct–Dec 1920 in Wigan, Lancashire
 5 Rachel Clough b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1900 in Billinge, Lancashire, d: Bet. Jan–Mar 1904
 in Billinge, Lancashire
 5 Ella Clough b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1902 in Billinge, Lancashire
 + William Millington b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1892 in Prescott, Lancashire, m: Bet. Oct–Dec
 1924 in St Nicholas' Church, Whiston, Lancashire
 5 Doris Clough b: 06 Jul 1904 in Billinge, Lancashire, d: Bet. Jul–Sep 1982 in
 Wigan, Lancashire
 + Frederick Garner b: 19 Apr 1902 in Wigan, Lancashire, m: Bet. Jan–Mar 1929 in
 Wigan, Lancashire, d: 31 Dec 1985 in Wigan, Lancashire
 4 Elizabeth Heyes b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1878 in Billinge, Lancashire
 + William Isaac Lawrence Wells b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1878 in Ince-in-Makerfield, Lancashire,
 m: Bet. Jul–Sep 1902 in All Saints, Hindley, Lancashire, d: Bet. Jul–Sep 1903 in
 Wigan, Lancashire
 3 Joseph Burrows b: 1851 in Billinge, Lancashire
 + Sarah Tennant b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1853 in Sledgeby, Staffordshire, m: Bet. Jul–Sep 1871 in
 St John's, Pemberton, Lancashire
 4 Rachael Burrows b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1876 in Pemberton, Lancashire
 + Nicholas Corley b: Abt. 1866 in Lancashire, m: Bet. Apr–Jun 1896 in St John's,
 Wingate, Westhoughton, Lancashire, d: Bet. Apr–Jun 1900 in Bolton, Lancashire
 5 Annie Corley b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1896 in Westhoughton, Lancashire
 5 Nicholas Corley b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1899 in Westhoughton, Lancashire
 + Alice Yates m: Bet. Jan–Mar 1921 in St Paul's, Halliwell, Lancashire
 + John Dawson b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1870 in Banks, Lancashire, m: Bet. Oct–Dec 1902 in
 St Bartholomew's, Westhoughton, Lancashire
 5 Sarah Ellen Dawson b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1904 in Westhoughton, Lancashire
 + Kenneth G Tyldesley b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1909 in Barton upon Irwell, Lancashire, m:
 Bet. Apr–Jun 1931 in St Mary the Virgin, Deane, Lancashire
 5 George Dawson b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1905 in Westhoughton, Lancashire
 + Florence Wantling b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1926 in Bolton, Lancashire
 4 James Burrows b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1878 in Pemberton, Lancashire
 + Mary Yates b: 1876 in Wigan, Lancashire, m: Bet. Jan–Mar 1898 in St Mark's, Bolton,
 Lancashire
 5 James Burrows b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1899 in Westhoughton, Lancashire
 4 Mary Ann Burrows b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1880 in Orrell, Lancashire
 + William Arderton b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1882 in Wigan, Lancashire, m: Bet. Apr–Jun 1901
 in St Catherine's, Wigan, Lancashire, d: Bet. Jul–Sep 1965 in Bolton, Lancashire

..... 5 Selina Anderton b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1901 in Wigan, Lancashire, d: Bet. Apr–Jun
 1956 in Bury, Lancashire
 + James Moffitt b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1901 in Wigan, Lancashire, m: Bet. Oct–Dec 1922
 in St Catherine's, Wigan, Lancashire, d: Bet. Oct–Dec 1965 in Bury, Lancashire
 6 Selina Moffitt b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1923 in Bury, Lancashire
 6 James W Moffitt b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1924 in Bury, Lancashire
 5 Ann Anderton b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1903 in Wigan, Lancashire
 + John Fox b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1904, m: Bet. Jul–Sep 1926 in Bury, Lancashire
 5 Ellen Anderton b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1905 in Wigan, Lancashire
 + Edwin Turner b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1905 in Bury, Lancashire, m: Bet. Jul–Sep 1928 in
 Bury, Lancashire, d: 11 Feb 1942 in Bury, Lancashire
 6 Living Turner
 + Samuel S Harrop m: Bet. Jan–Mar 1948 in Bury, Lancashire
 + James W Stewart m: Bet. Jan–Mar 1969 in Amersham, Buckinghamshire
 5 Henry Anderton b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1908 in Wigan, Lancashire
 5 May Anderton b: 1910 in Bolton, Lancashire
 5 Robert Anderton b: 05 May 1919 in Chorley, Lancashire, d: 24 Aug 1973 in Rhyl,
 Denbighshire, Wales
 + Phyllis I Banham b: Bet. Oct–Dec 1921 in Morpeth, Northumberland, m: Bet. Apr–
 Jun 1943 in Lothingland, Suffolk
 6 Sandra J Anderton b: Bet. Apr–Jun 1948 in Lothingland, Suffolk
 6 Kerry S Anderton b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1960 in Lothingland, Suffolk
 6 Living Anderton
 5 Living Anderton
 5 Living Anderton
 5 Living Anderton
 4 George Burrows b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1882 in Pemberton, Lancashire
 + Elizabeth Tindall m: Bet. Jul–Sep 1904 in Methodist Church, Wigan, Lancashire
 4 Ellen Burrows b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1885 in Pemberton, Lancashire
 4 Henry Burrows b: Bet. Jul–Sep 1887 in Pemberton, Lancashire
 4 Sarah Burrows b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1891 in Westthoughton, Lancashire
 4 Joseph Burrows b: Bet. Jan–Mar 1893 in Westthoughton, Lancashire
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