# HALL and BYNG-HALL

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### Introduction

This generational description of this family history identifies as many of the ancestors of this branch of my wife's family on her maternal grandmother's side as possible. It is fundamentally a record of the Halls and subsequently Byng-Halls, and their descendants, wherever they may be in the world, and it is clear they have sometimes done well for themselves. It is as factually correct as I know it and will be updated as more information comes to light. There are some differences to handed down information, which unfortunately I have found may not be correct. A similar document has been prepared for the Byng side of the family.

I have always had an interest in history but unlike my wife's family, who can recount their family history very easily going back to the 16<sup>th</sup> century or even earlier; my immediate family were very uncommunicative by comparison. I started doing whatever research I could heavily based on "ancestry.co.uk" and "Google".

As well as normal genealogical websites, some useful information was obtained from http://www.werelate.org/wiki/Person:Charles Hall %2885%29.

If I have not quoted a reference, it generally means I have found the information on either ancestry.com or familysearch.org.

Appendix 1 has a simple history of the von Weichs family. They can also be traced further back to Charlemagne – **see Bovill history** if interested.

Appendix 2 contains the descendants of Frances Elizabeth Hall<sub>(14)</sub> predominantly Tayler's, Drury's, Courts and Coke's.

Appendix 3 contains the family and descendants of Emmeline Georgiana Hall<sub>(32)</sub> predominantly Fosbury's.

Appendix 4 identifies the ancestry of Rothesay Charles Stewart – my wife, Elizabeth's step-grandfather.

I have separated out the main sub-families in Appendices 2 and 3 basically to provide a cleaner document for the remainder of the family. The content is as previously identified in the main body of the text, which now includes additional information received from Mary Ann Dale-Bannister and her cousins in the Biedenstein family, for which many thanks.

I hope that this simple narrative, which with a bit of luck has everyone identified correctly, and includes additional information gleaned from the web, or from family sources, as to what they did for a living and where they lived. It is not necessarily complete, but any further information or corrections will be gratefully received and added. I have also made some supposition based on what I have found, which sometimes puts perceived family knowledge to the test.

On a point of order:

- This is written from the generational perspective of my grandchildren and is grouped by generation rather than by individual groups within the family. The text and opinion are generally mine based on what I have found. If it is not on Ancestry, or other well-known websites, a credit should have been identified.
- the sequence numbers before a name (or after a child) for the individual are based on the relationship sequence from the eldest child of that generation and follow the line through the male side of the family this seems to be how the data base systems operate to a degree. So, the numbering goes from 1 to ...; the children of a daughter would be 13.1 etc. This means that occasionally the sequence in the text appears to be out of sync.
- On the pages following is a family history from the earliest known Hall / Byng-Hall to the present day and includes as many relations as possible.
- A next to a person's name identifies their untimely death in WWI or WWII. It also may include those who died after the war, but as a direct consequence of it. High ranking medals, if substantiated, are shown in a similar manner.
- if a child's name is in bold then they should appear in more detail later in the narrative under the next generation. If not, that is due to likelihood of the people to be still living.
- the purple text indicates a relationship with a separate family history McNicoll's, Norbury's, Hazels, Smith's and Dunnachie's on my side, and Burrill's, Bovill's, Cook's, and Byng's on my wife's side of the family.
- a "C", "S", or "D" in lieu of a name of a child merely represents a child, son or daughter whose name is unknown to me at this time.
- Any text in italics is either a reference to a printed article or book or might be something I am not sure about which would also be identified by highlighted text thus. Similar highlighted text identifies known people but there is no published or contemporary information available at this time.
- Changes from the previous revision should be shown thus
- The document is paginated on the pretext of being printed on both sides of a sheet of paper, which is why there is the occasional blank page. It has a wider margin on the left.

I have not prepared a family tree in the traditional manner. However, I have prepared a simple tree which shows the basic relationship of all the main protagonists in the family, the most recent of which is our grandson. This is available if anyone would like a copy (it is in excel so no fancy software required).

I hope it proves of interest; it has kept me amused for quite a while and will no doubt continue, much to Liz's chagrin.

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### Our x10 Great Grandparent's Generation

#### **WILLIAM HALL**

He married ELIZABETH

#### Child of WILLIAM HALL and ELIZABETH is:

RICHARD HALL(2) was born in 1654 in Basingstoke, Hampshire (baptised 28 October 1654)

### Other Information

Here the trail goes cool. There are two William Halls born in 1632 and 1635, fathered by Richard Hall of Alton and John Hall of Weston Patrick (halfway between Alton and Basingstoke) respectively, who fit the bill but ......

Both are relatively near Basingstoke, which is where the Halls appear to come from (as also defined in the book that records the exploits of Frederick Byng-Hall<sub>(64)</sub> in Nigeria).

### Our x9 Great Grandparent's Generation

RICHARD HALL was born in 1654 in Basingstoke, Hampshire, England (baptised on 28 October 1654)

He married JOAN (Jean) BRADBURY

#### Children of RICHARD HALL and JOAN BRADBURY are:

- RICHARD HALL(3) was born in 1675 in Basingstoke (christened 26 May 1675)
- ELIZABETH HALL(4) was born in 1676 in Basingstoke (christened 13 October 1676)
- SUSANNAH HALL<sub>(5)</sub> was born in 1676/7 in Basingstoke (christened 27 January 1677)
- JOHN HALL<sub>(6)</sub> was born in about 1680 in Basingstoke
- MARGARET HALL<sub>(7)</sub> was born in 1685 (christened 9 June 1685)

### Other Information

There is a Richard Hall mentioned in relation to the Abbey at Sulhamstead in "British History online" which is west of Reading –

### Our x8 Great Grandparent's Generation

JOHN HALL was born in about 1680 and was christened on 4 April 1680 in Basingstoke, Hampshire. (son's testimonial confirms)

He married **ELIZABETH** 

### Child of JOHN HALL and ELIZABETH is:

- JOHN HALL(8) was born on 11 May 1714
- ELIZABETH HALL<sub>(9)</sub> was born on 6 June 1715 in Basingstoke, Hampshire.
- CHARLES HERBERT HALL(10) was born on 12 March 1717 in Basingstoke, Hampshire.

### Other Information

Information found from "williamsfamilytree.co.uk" and "familysearch.org".

### Our x7 Great Grandparent's Generation

The Rev. CHARLES HERBERT HALL was born on 12 March 1717 in Basingstoke and died on 6 September 1774 and is buried in the north cloister of Westminster Abbey, London.

He married **ELIZABETH CARSON** on 23 September 1762 at St. Mary's Lambeth, London. She was born in 1738 in Lambeth



Charles' Tomb courtesy https://www.westminster-. abbey.org/

### Child of CHARLES HALL and ELIZABETH CARSON is:

- CHARLES HENRY HALL(11) was born on 15 June 1763 (baptised on 23 July 1763 at Bocking, Essex)
- Lieutenant THOMAS HALL<sub>(12)</sub> who was born on 8 June 1764 and christened on 25 July 1764 in Bocking, Essex He is believed to have entered the Navy on 3 November 1790 and died in 1812 abroad (ex oldwestminsters.org.uk)
- JOHN ROBERT HALL<sub>(13)</sub> was born on 25 May 1765 FRANCES ELIZABETH HALL<sub>(14)</sub> was born in about 1767

### Other Information

He matriculated to Corpus Christi College, Oxford on 17 December 1733 aged fifteen and on 10 June 1737 was awarded a BA, followed by a MA on 14 February 1740-1, a BD on 22 April 1749, and DD on 24 November 1757 He was the Dean/Rector of Bocking, Essex from 20 November 1761 and in 1764 also the Rector of Southchurch, near Southend, Essex. He was also the chaplain to Archbishop Thomas Secker, the Archbishop of Canterbury from 1758 to 1768

Source: The marriage, baptismal, and burial registers of the collegiate church or abbey of St. Peter, Westminster, edited by Joseph Lemuel Chester, London, 1876

### Our x6 Great Grandparent's Generation

11 The Very Rev. CHARLES HENRY HALL was born on 15 June 1763 (baptised on 23 July 1763 at Bocking, Essex) and died on 16 February 1827 in Edinburgh. He married the Hon. ANNA MARIA BRIDGET BYNG on 29 August 1794 in Marylebone, Westminster, London. She was born on 18 August 1771, and died on 30 October 1852 in Hereford and was the daughter of Admiral Rt. Hon. George Viscount Byng of Torrington – see separate Byng history



Charles Henry Hall

### Children of CHARLES HALL and ANNA BYNG are:

- ANNA ELIZABETH HALL<sub>(15)</sub> was born in 1795 and christened on 31 July in Bolton Percy, West Riding of Yorkshire. She died on 4 August 1798 possibly in Purley, Berkshire, where there was a tablet in her memory inside St. Mary's church there.
- ELIZABETH HALL<sub>(16)</sub> was born in 1796 and christened 2 December at Bolton Percy, Yorkshire. She died on 25 February 1802 probably in Oxford, Oxfordshire.
- CHARLES HENRY HALL<sub>(17)</sub> was born in late 1798 and was christened on 6 January 1799 in Binfield, Berkshire
- CECILIA CHARLOTTE HALL(18) was probably born in late 1799, and was christened on 11 January 1800 in Binfield, Berkshire. She died on 25 April 1892 in Bath, Somerset and her will was left to Emmeline Fosbury. She married Rear Admiral THOMAS FRANCIS CHARLES MAINWARING on 14 December 1841; he was born in 1780 and died in 1858. They did not have children, but he did by his first wife. He entered the Royal Naval Academy in February 1793; and embarked on 5 November 1796, as a Volunteer, on board the Clyde(38) under Captain Charles Cunningham. After serving for three years on the Home station he proceeded as Midshipman of the Lancaster(64), the flagship of Sir Roger Curtis, to the Cape of Good Hope, where, having previously acted for several months as Lieutenant, he was confirmed to that rank on 11 July 1800, in the Adamant (50) under Captain William Hotham. On his return to England in about December 1801, he joined the Fishguard(38), under Captains Michael Seymour and James Wallis; the latter of whom, in September 1802, he accompanied into the Naiad(38), commanded subsequently by Captain Thomas Dundas, and employed as one of Lord Nelson's repeaters in the battle of Trafalgar. He was subsequently promoted again on 21 January 1806, he assumed command on 23 December that year of the Tartarus fire-ship; and in August 1807, he was charged with the landing of the troops under Sir Arthur Wellesley in Wibeck Bay, preparatory to the investment of Copenhagen. In the early part of 1808, he removed to the Vanguard(74), the first ship of her class that ever wintered in the Baltic. After he had commanded her for a period of six months he went back to the Tartarus, in which vessel in 1810, sank two French privateers off Pillau and then conveying Gustavus, the ex-King of Sweden, from Riga to England, under circumstances of a particularly difficult and singular nature. He was promoted for the latter service to the rank of Captain on 27 November 1810, and was intrusted, during the last two years of the war, with the command of the Royal George(100), on the Mediterranean station. He accepted his present rank on 1 October 1846
- **PERCY FRANCIS HALL** $_{\left(19\right)}$  was born on 20 March 1801 in Oxford, Oxfordshire.
- vi. EDMUND SCROPE HALL(20) was born on 13 August 1802 in Oxford, Oxfordshire and died there on 19 February
- vii. **JOHN CECIL HALL**<sub>(21)</sub> was born in about 1804 viii. **HERBERT BYNG HALL**<sub>(22)</sub> was born on 21 October 1805 at Oxford, Oxfordshire.
- ARTHUR HALL(23) was born on 25 November 1809
- GEORGE AUGUSTUS HALL<sub>(24)</sub> was born in December 1814 and died on 27 February 1815 in Oxford, Oxfordshire

### Other information

In 1851 she was living with their son Percy and his family at Holmer in Herefordshire.

### His Career (ex Wikipedia.de and Wikipedia.uk)

From 1773 to 1779, he attended Westminster School in London, after which he studied at Christ Church College in Oxford and matriculated on 3 June 1779, where he won several academic awards. In 1781 he won the chancellor's prize for Latin verse on 'Strages Indica Occidentalis,' and in 1784 the English essay on 'The Use of Medals.'

In 1783 he graduated with a Bachelor of Arts, and in 1786 with a Master of Arts, followed in 1794 with a Bachelor of Divinity in then in 1800 with a Doctor of Divinity.

The former Dean of Christ Church, Cyril Jackson (1746-1819), established very quickly that Hall could climb quickly within the ecclesiastical and academic hierarchy. After his ordination as a deacon (1786) and Priest in 1788, he was:

- In 1793 he was the Junior Proctor at All Souls College
- in 1794 chaplain to the Bishop of Bristol, and he was presented by his college to the vicarage of Broughton-in-Airedale, Yorkshire
- in 1798 Prebendary of Exeter (Devon)
- in June 1799 Rector of Kirk Bramwith (Yorkshire) and Canon of Christ Church (Oxford)
- in 1804 vicar of Luton (Bedfordshire).

At the University of Oxford, he served from 1792 to 1797 as a tutor and censor at Christ Church College (where Lord Liverpool was one of his students). In 1798, he gave the Bampton Lectures, which were an annual organized theological lecture series. In 1805 he was elected to be Christ Church Subdean and in 1807 – as a result of influence from the Prime Minister, Lord Grenville – he became the Regius Professor of Theology and moved to the fifth stall in Christ Church.

However, because of his "sterile and boring" lectures he soon lost Jackson's benevolence, so he tried for a different position through Lord Liverpool, and in 1809, on Liverpool's recommendation, he was

made Jackson's successor as the Dean of Christ Church. He resigned both offices in October 1809, on being nominated Dean of Christ Church. He was prolocutor of the lower house of convocation in 1812

Although he tried to imitate his authoritarian predecessor in gait and clothing, Hall proved to be a weak leader in his new office. Also, he forfeited the favour of Lord Liverpool by the end of 1809, when he was involved in the selection of the University Registrar. The promotors of the applicants were Lord Liverpool and Lord Grenville, and due to his conflict of loyalties he remained neutral. He further damaged his reputation by a financial scandal at Christ Church College, which involved his eldest son. He also suffered financially due to the extravagance of his wife, who brought him into greater debt. Hall asked Lord Liverpool (now prime minister) several times for a financially more profitable episcopate, but this was refused due to Hall's personal situation. In 1824 the position of Dean of Durham became available, and Hall was appointed by Lord Liverpool to this position. In 1827 Hall suffered an acute attack of fever and went for medical treatment to Edinburgh, where he died in a hotel at the age of 63 years. He apparently left behind a debt of £35,800 It was said he was a clever man but his contribution to some of the churches he served is debateable. His portrait by A.P. Newton is in the Old Lecture Room at Christ Church College – No. 103 His publications were:

- On the Use of Medals [1784]. The Oxford English Prize Essays, Bd. 1 (Oxford 1830)
- A Sermon, Preached in Lambeth Chapel, at the Consecration of Henry Reginald Lord Bishop of Bristol, on Sunday, May 11, 1794 (Oxford 1794)
- Sermons Preached before the University of Oxford, at St. Mary's Church, in the Year MDCCXCVIII, at the Lecture Founded by the Rev. John Bampton, M.A. (Oxford 1799)
- A Sermon Preached before the Honourable House of Commons at the Church of St. Margaret, Westminster, on Wednesday, February 20, 1805, Being the Day Appointed for a General Fast (London 1805)
- A Sermon Preached in the Cathedral Church of St. Paul, on Thursday, June 1, 1815, Being the Time of the Yearly Meeting of the Children Educated in the Charity Schools in and about the Cities of London and Westminster. The Annual Report of the Society for Promoting Christian Knowledge for the Year 1815 (London 1816)

There is other information out there if one tries hard enough, which puts a bit more flesh on these bones; e.g.

- Extract from Google Books Luton Church, Historical and Descriptive (Pages 242 to 244) By Henry Cobbe
- www.lincolnshire.gov.uk/.../PRESENTATIONDEEDS155164.pdf
- genealogy.links.org/links-cgi/lineage?/home/ben/...
- 13 Rev. JOHN ROBERT HALL was born on 25 May 1765 (baptised 30 July 1765 at St. Mary the Virgin, Bocking, Essex). He died on 18 October 1841 in Batsford Gloucestershire. He married FRANCES LONGLEY on 9 April 1807 at St. John's, Hampstead, London.

### Children of JOHN HALL and FRANCES LONGLEY are:

- i. JOHN ROBERT HALL<sub>(25)</sub> who was born on 4 January 1809 in Batsford, Gloucestershire
- ii. FRANCES HENRIETTÄ HALL<sub>(26)</sub> who was born on 19 February 1810 in Batsford and died on 22 April 1886 in Bath, Somerset
  - In 1851 she was staying with Sophia Davenport (her mother's sister) in Bath and is recorded as being her niece and a mortgagee. She left £2,204 to her brother John Robert in her will.
- ii. Rev. HENRY HALL<sub>(27)</sub> who was born on 24 January 1813 in Batsford. He died on 19 September 1878 at Semley, Warwickshire. He left between £2,000 and £3,000 to others.
- iv. GEORGE HALL<sub>(28)</sub> who was born 12 February 1814 in Batsford, Gloucestershire.

### Other Information

He was educated at Westminster and Christchurch College, Oxford where he obtained a BA in 1787 and a MA in 1790

He was made the Prebendary of Exeter on 10 July 1802, and on 31 May 1803 made the Perpetual Curate of Hawkhurst, Kent. On 14 May 1807 he was made the Rector of Batsford. (ex oldwestminsters.org.uk)

14 FRANCES ELIZABETH HALL was born in about 1767 and died on 7 February 1845.
She married ARCHDALE WILSON TAYLER on 3 January 1783 in Alexton, Leicestershire. He was born in 1758/9 (baptised on 22 January 1759 in Kings Lynn, Norfolk). He died on 11 April 1814 at Ceuta, Algeria.

For details of their family and subsequent descendants please refer to Appendix 2

### Our x5 Great Grandparent's Generation

**17 CHARLES HENRY HALL** was born in about 1798. He was baptised on 6 January 1799 in Binfield, Berkshire. He probably died before 1862 as he is not mentioned in his wife's obituary.

He married MARIA LEOPOLDINA, Baroness von WEICHS initially in Munich (then in the Kingdom of Bavaria), and then they remarried on 9 May 1826 at St. Mary South Bailey, Durham (Marriage License Bonds and Allegations (1821-37) held by Durham University). She was born in about 1800 and died on 30 November 1862 in Heidelberg, Germany. She was also a Canoness of the Royal Order of St. Anne (according to the Newcastle Magazine No. 6 1826). See Appendix 1 for her family history.



The Lady herself

#### Children of CHARLES HALL and MARIA von WEICHS are:

- i. ANNA MARIA THERESA HALL<sub>(29)</sub> was born in about 1826 and was baptised on 28 February 1827 in the British Chaplaincy, Geneva, Switzerland. She died on 10 June 1908 at 13 Bloomfield Street, Westbourne Square, Middlesex and is buried in Kensal Green Cemetery. Between 1891 and her death she lived in Paddington, London. Probate was granted to Colonel Charles H T Marshall (husband of her niece Marie Louise<sub>(59)</sub>) valued at £1,125
- ii. CHARLES HENRY BYNG HALL(30) was born on 22 June 1827 in Basingstoke, Hampshire
- iii. FREDERICK GEORGE HALL<sub>(31)</sub> was born on 30 October 1829 in Stuttgart, Germany.

  The **Hon. Frederick Byng** was one of his Godfathers. *I had previously identified a possibility of his emigration to the USA. I now think this is wrong as he probably died before 1862 as he was not mentioned in his mother's obituary.*

### Other information

He matriculated on the 27 October 1814 to Christ Church, Oxford where he was a student until 1817 He worked for the Foreign Office as the Secretary to the Legation at Wurttemberg in the 1830's, and there is evidence of papers that he wrote at this time, e.g.

- (1) The **British** Envoy to the. **Wurttemberg** Court and resident of Stuttgart, ..... translated by Mr. **Hall** His Majesty's Secretary of **Legation** and a portion by ...(journals.cambridge.org/production/action/cjoGetFulltext?fulltextid)
- (2) his recall, and that the Legation will in future be entrusted to a Charge ...... FO 82 / 21: Charles H. Hall to Earl of Dudley, No 2, Stuttgart, 11 ...(journals.cambridge.org/production/action/cjoGetFulltext?fulltextid)
  These are established by searching through goggle Wurttemberg, Legation, Hall
- 3) Various references in the Ex National Archives search Hall, Wurttemberg

He was also with the Legation in Bern (presumably) as Secretary as he was transferred from Confederated States of the Swiss Cantons to the same position in Stuttgart (London Gazette 28 December

1827). He may also have been with the Legation in Munich prior to that.

From other information see under  $Percy_{(65)}$ , it appears he lived in/around Basingstoke, Hampshire, when not in Germany. There is also a reference in the book (see Frederick $_{(64)}$ ) below that identifies the Hall family being in Basingstoke for some centuries.

According to family folklore, Baroness von Weichs came from an Austrian family, and there is the record of a marriage between Charles Hall and Maria Leopoldina Bavaria in Durham in May 1826

These records identify that she was Baroness Maria Leopoldina Weichs zu Glon. This is the same lady, whose father was Josef Maria Freiherr von und zu Weichs an der Glon (born on 21 February 1756) and mother was Anna von Ingenheim. She had a brother Clemens Freiherr von und zu Weichs an der Glon who was born on 16 March 1793 and died in 1838 See Appendix 1 for more details.

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Copy of Charles Henry Hall's appointment signed by King George IV and Prime Minister George Canning 22 January 1827.

19 PERCY FRANCIS HALL was born on 20 March 1801 in Oxford, Oxfordshire and died on 11 October 1884 at Weston-Super-Mare, Somerset.
He married AMELIA OURRY WOLFE in September 1828. She was born in 1804/5 in Northampton and died on 14 March 1890 at Dunrowan, Weston-super-Mare, Somerset and was the eldest daughter of Captain George Wolfe RN.

### Child of PERCY HALL and AMELIA WOLFE is:

 EMMELINE GEORGIANA HALL<sub>(32)</sub> who was born 17 January 1829 at Lympstone, Devon.



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### Other Information (courtesy of Wikipedia.de.)

He was a British naval officer and author. He was one of the founders of the Plymouth Brethren Movement. He went to Westminster School in London in 1811 but left in 1813 and probably went to Royal Navy as a First-Class Volunteer.

In 1815 he became a midshipman and was promoted in 1821 to Lieutenant. In 1821/22 he had a hiatus in his career because of a life-threatening illness when he was in Trincomalee (Ceylon). In 1825 he fell ill in Port Royal (Jamaica) again so badly that he had to be transported home, and for two full years remained on land. Thanks to the good relations between his father and Lord Melville, in 1827, he was appointed Commander, and at least until 1830 worked for the Coast Guard in Plymouth. Whilst in Plymouth, and through his friendship with the family of Naval Captain George Wolfe, Hall met with evangelical Christians such as William Wilberforce, Hannah More and William Jay and in the summer of 1827 experienced a conversion. He soon began to preach in the Society for Promoting Christianity near Plymouth and among the Society for the Promotion of Christian Knowledge on the Continent. No later than 1830, he met Benjamin Wills Newton and John Nelson Darby who supported him in his work.

In 1831 he met the wealthy Vicesimus George Wigram (1805 - 1879) who was added to his circle and purchased the vacant Providence Chapel in Plymouth. In January 1832 a United Brethren was founded, which became the largest of the whole movement (in 1845 there were approximately 700-800 members). Hall, was initially influenced by Edward Irving, was one of the most respected preachers of the congregation.

In 1833 Hall filed his resignation from the Royal Navy, as he had come to the view that he as a Christian ought not to continue in military service. He set forth his reasons in a tract entitled "Discipleship", which was favoured by some and condemned by others, although none questioned his sincerity and devotedness. Of a very independent temperament the Captain did nothing by halves. He sold all his valuable possessions, and had everything in common with the poorer brethren. He had been a "dandy" in his unregenerate days, and latterly, as the photo indicates, used to ruffle his hair and rumple his linen cuffs to show that he had no further love for such "vanity!"

He was also one of the principal speakers at the special gathering of guides at Bath in 1848, intervened in the interests of peace in the "Bethesda" trouble of 1849, and eventually adopted anything but "exclusive ground," for in his "Unity: a Fragment and a Dialogue," he declares, "I am satisfied that any Christian of the sundry parties around us. . . could say with a bold and free spirit, I meet with my fellow Christians in the Name of the Lord Jesus Christ."

In 1851 he was living in Holmer, Herefordshire. His mother was living with him and his family. In 1871, the family moved to Beaumont, Weston-super-Mare, Somerset, and their grandson Percy Fosbery was living with them.

In 1881, the family had moved to 6 Green Park, Walcot, near Bath, and had their other grandchildren Maude and Alice living with them. Maude was born in Lahore, India, and Alice in Reading. A number of other Fosberys (all young and born in Calcutta, India) lived in No. 5

When Amelia died, she was living with the Fosberys in Weston-super-Mare. She left £306 to Emmeline, who was the beneficiary of her fathers will (£1,000).

**21 Ven. JOHN CECIL HALL** was born on 29 September 1803 in Sonning, Berkshire and died on 8 February 1844 of typhoid (or similar) on the Isle of Man.

He married **FRANCES AMELIA WINGFIELD STRATFORD** on 21 July 1832 in Marylebone. She was born 9 January 1808, and died on 3 June 1888 on the Isle of Man.

### Child of JOHN HALL and FRANCES STRATFORD is:

 CECIL WINGFIELD HALL<sub>(33)</sub> was born in 1833, and was baptised on 10 November 1833 in Gt. Cressingham, Norfolk. He died in February 1834 at Gt. Cressingham and was buried there on 14 February 1834

#### Other Information

He matriculated on 17 May 1820 to Christ Church, Oxford, where he studied until 1831 He was presented to the Rectory of Great Cressingham with Bodney, Norfolk by the Lord Chancellor in 1832 He was apparently a man of lively, engaging manners, and was an amiable and sincere Christian. He was granted the Arch-Deaconry of the Isle of Man by Queen Victoria and presented to the rectory of Andreas on the Isle of Man in 1839 (London Gazette June 1839).

When he arrived at the Rectory, he found it in a state of dis-repair and invoked an Act of the Tynwald, which provided recompense to any person who invested in the property. He spent a considerable sum in the repair of the rectory house, by an Act of Tynwald, 20th December 1840, was enabled to mortgage the glebe lands to the extent of £700, to pay the annual interest of the same, and one-thirtieth part of the principal



lis memoria window at Andreas

money borrowed annually, to be a charge on the living.

A new font was presented by Mrs. Cecil Hall of Douglas (presumably the same lady?) at some point in time. She was the granddaughter of Richard Wingfield, 3rd Viscount Powerscourt and as a result possibly descended from Henry I of England according to some records.

- 22 Major HERBERT BYNG HALL was born on 21 October 1805 at Oxford, and died on 25 April 1883 in Weston, Bath, Somerset.
  - He married: (1) MARGARET who was born in about 1816 and died on 25 April 1856
    - (2) ELIZABETH KNOX who was born in about 1827/8; she died on 7 July 1862 as recorded on an alter tomb in Petersham Church, Surrey. .
    - (3) LYDIA BRADDOCK in 3rd Q 1880, who survived him. She was born in about 1839

#### Child of HERBERT HALL and ELIZABETH KNOX is:

WILLIAM HERBERT BYNG HALL(34) who was born during 3rd Q 1859 in Richmond on Thames

#### Other Information (courtesy of Wikipedia.de.)

Herbert Byng-Hall was a British army officer and author.

In 1824 Herbert Byng Hall was an Ensign in the 39th Infantry Regiment. In 1825 he was promoted to Lieutenant, in which rank he moved in 1826 to the 7th Infantry Regiment (Royal Fusiliers). In 1832 he was promoted to Captain. In 1833 he joined the 62nd Infantry regiment and 6 months later he sold his Officers commission and left the regular army service.

In 1835 he joined as adjutant of General De Lacy Evans, the British auxiliary forces in the First Carlist War in Spain. In early 1836 he returned to England for health reasons. For his war effort he was awarded the Ferdinand medal.

After a stint in the service of the General Post Office, in the late 1830s, (he was the Surveyor General), he moved back into private life and became a full-time writer. Until 1853, he published eight nonfiction books (mainly travel reports, sport and hunting books) and a three-volume novel.

In 1850 he belonged to the Royal Commission for the first world exhibition in London, and was living in Bathampton, Somerset. He gave a talk at the Town Hall on this matter on 9 July 1850 in Cheltenham, Gloucestershire.

From 1855 to 1858, Hall was an Extra Foreign Service Messenger in Constantinople, and from 1859 to 1882 he travelled the world as a Foreign Service Messenger (diplomatic courier). He published books on both and added another non-fiction as well as leisure and recreational issues.

According to the 1881 census he was living in Onslow Gardens, Richmond, Surrey.

On 14 April 1883, nine months after his retirement, Hall was declared insolvent. Eleven days later he died at the age of 77 years in Weston, a suburb of Bath, Somerset.

### His 16 published works were:

- Spain, and the Seat of War in Spain (1837)
- Scenes at Home and Abroad (1839)
- Highland Sports, and Highland Quarters (2 volumes, 1847, <sup>2</sup> 1848)
- Exmoor, or the Footsteps of St. Hubert in the West (1849)
- Scottish Sports and Pastimes (1850)
- Elzéar Jean Louis Joseph Blaze: The Sportsman and His Dog: or Hints on Sporting (1850)
- The West of England and the Exhibition, 1851 (1851)
- Brooklands, A Sporting Biography (2 vols, 1852)
- Mary, a Daughter of the English Peasantry. A Novel (3 volumes, 1853)

- Soldiers and Sailors in Peace as in War (1855 1869)
- Sayah or, the Courier to the East (1856)
- Sport and its Pleasures, Physical and Gastronomical (1859 -1868)
- The Queen's Messenger, or Travels on the high-ways and bye-ways of Europe (1865 - 1870)
- The Adventures of a Bric-a-brac Hunter (1868), expanded into a new edition: The Bric-a-brac hunter, or Chapters on China Mania (1875)
- The Pigskins Abroad (1870?)
- Lucullus. Or, Palatable essays, In Which are merged "The Oyster," "The Lobster," and "Sports and its Pleasures" (2 volumes, 1878)

#### He is mentioned in two literary works:

- John Foster Kirk: A Supplement to Allibone's Critical Dictionary of English Literature and British and American Authors JB Lippincott, Philadelphia, 1892. 2, pp. 744
- Frederic Boase: Modern English Biography, containing many thousand concise memoirs of persons who have died between the years of 1851-1900 with index of the most interesting matt Frank Cass, London in 1965. Vol 1, Sp 1285f.

**Major General ARTHUR HALL¹** was born on 25 November 1809, christened on 23 December 1809 in Oxford and died on 13 November 1879 at his residence, St. George's Manor, Guernsey. *He was buried at St. Mathews Church, Cobo, Guernsey.* 

He married<sup>2</sup> **ANNE (Annie) MacKENZIE** on 3 October 1842; she was the daughter of Colonel John MacKenzie of the 7th Regiment of Bengal Cavalry, who was for many years Superintendent of the Government breeding stud at Buxar, India. She was born in 1820 and died in 1891

#### Children of ARTHUR HALL and ANNE MacKENZIE are:

- CHARLES MacKENZIE HALL (35) was born on 1 September 1843 in Ghazeepore, Bengal, India.
- ii. ANNE ELIZABETH HALL(36) was born on 29 March 1845 in Dinapore, Bengal and presumably died before 1861
- iii. CECILIA JANE HALL<sub>(37)</sub> was born in 1847 in India.
- iv. ARTHUR GEORGE HALL (38) was born on 17 February 1849 in Mussoorie, Bengal in India
- v. HORATIO MOLYNEUX HALL(39) was baptised on 25 July 1851 in St. Mary's, Bathwick, Somerset.
- vi. FREDERICK HERBERT HALL<sub>(40)</sub> was born on 24 July 1853 in Lympstone, Devon and died on 20 July 1877 in Madras, India.
- vii. JOHN CECIL PERCY HALL(41) was baptised on 27 May 1857 at St Mary's, Cheltenham, Gloucestershire
- viii. LIONEL BYNG TAYLER HALL(42) was born in April 1859 in Cheltenham, Gloucestershire

#### Other information

Arthur was an Indian Army Officer who started out as a Clerk in the Office of the Indian Board in 1822 In 1827 he was a Cadet in the EICS (Bengal), then in 1829 promoted to a Cornet in the 5<sup>th</sup> Bengal Light cavalry. Subsequently he was promoted in 1836 to Lieutenant, in 1842 to Captain, in 1854 to Major and on 5 May 1856 to Lt. Colonel of the 3rd Bengal Light Cavalry. On 31 December 1861 he retired as a Major General. *The Belfast Newsletter* (21 November 1879) also has him as late the 21<sup>st</sup> Hussars.

In the 1851 census, they were living / staying at Bathwick in Somerset. In the 1861 census for the Isle of Man, Elizabeth MacKenzie (born in the "East Indies" in about 1829) is looking after all of her nephews except Charles. In 1871 they were living with their two youngest children in Llanfrynach, Breconshire. He left less than £200 in his will to his wife.

- **25 Rev. JOHN ROBERT HALL** who was born in 1809 in Batsford, Gloucestershire and died on 22 September 1892 at Spitzbrook, Marden, Kent.
  - He married (1) GRACE JANE CAMPBELL on 20 April 1844 in Frodsham, Cheshire. She died on 3 February 1856 in Frodsham.
    - (2) LOUISA CATHERINE FRANCES EDEN on 24 May 1859 in Swansea, Glamorgan. She was born in Ceylon in about 1819 and died on 26 November 1898 at Park View, Poole Road, Bournemouth, Dorset. She left £3,361 to their daughter

### Children of JOHN HALL and GRACE CAMPBELL are:

- i. JOHN ROBERT HALL<sub>(43)</sub> who was born on 20 February 1845 in Frodsham, Cheshire and died there on 7 June 1845
- ii. GEORGE STEWARD HALL<sub>(44)</sub> who was born on 21 June 1846 in Frodsham, Cheshire and died on 9 May 1860 in Boldon, Durham where he is buried
- iii. JANE SOPHIA HALL<sub>(45)</sub> who was born in 1847 in Frodsham, Cheshire and died there on 4 August 1857
- iv. JOHN ROBERT HALL(46) who was born in 1852 in Frodsham, Cheshire and died there on 10 December 1852
- v. LOUISA FRANCES AMÉLIA HALL<sub>(47)</sub> who was born in 1854 in Frodsham, Cheshire and died there on 26 April 1856 Child of JOHN HALL and LOUISA EDEN is:
  - vi. FRANCES CAROLINE HALL<sub>(48)</sub> who was born in about 1860 in Boldon, Durham.

### Other Information (courtesy Kent Archaeological Society and oldwestminsters.org.uk)

John was educated at Westminster School and Christchurch College, Oxford. He obtained his BA in 1830 followed by a MA in 1932, and whilst he was at university, he was the cox of the first Christchurch eight. His fellow students included William Gladstone and Dena Liddell among others. He was a nephew of Archbishop Longley and was ordained on 23 December 1832 and in 1833 was a Priest in Oxford. He was also curate of Bourton on the Hill near his father's rectory. In 1838, he was Vicar of St. Mary Magdalen, Oxford, and in 1844 he was appointed Vicar of Frodsham, Cheshire. From 1857 until 1863, he was Rector of Bolden, Durham. His uncle was Dr. Longley who on his appointment as the Bishop of Durham, made John his Chaplain, and from 1860 to 1863 he was a Prebendary of York. Dr. Longley subsequently was made Archbishop of Canterbury, and John followed him, first as Rector of Coulsden, Surrey from 1863 to 1865 and then to Hunton near Maidstone becoming Rural Dean. In 1866 he became the Hon. Canon of Canterbury. He restored the church and had a new rectory built. He retired after 26 years' service.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Family history (ex Cook information) has Arthur as a child of Charles<sub>(15)</sub> and the Baroness. He was also a General (presumably in the Indian Army) but there are no records of anyone born at around this time. The oldwestminsters identify him as I have recorded. He is not a child of Charles and the Baroness in other trees either.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The record of oldwestminsters has him marrying Mary Ann Rosa Chase on 23 August 1843 in Marylebone. She was born on 27 July 1824, and christened 15 November 1824 in Madras, India. I consider this to be incorrect.

28 GEORGE HALL was born 12 February 1814 in Batsford, Gloucestershire. He died before 1871 He married JULIA GAWLER on 21 September 1847 at St. John, Derby, Derbyshire, England. She was the eldest daughter of the late Colonel George Gawler, RN, at one time Governor of South Australia, and was born in about 1825 at New Brunswick, USA and died during 1901

### Children of GEOREGE HALL and JULIA GOWLER are:

- GEORGE GAWLER HALL(49) who was born in 1850 at Carisbrook, Isle of Wight, and died there during 1855
- JOHN ROBERT LONGLEY HALL(50) who was born in 1851 at Carisbrook, Isle of Wight. ii.
- iii. Rev. HENRY ARMSTRONG HALL(51) who was born on 2 June 1853 at Carisbrook, Isle of Wight and died on 12 May 1921 at The Rectory, Methley, Yorkshire.
  In 1871 whist still a Student for the Ministry he was with the Fitzpatrick family in Pendleton, Lancashire.

- HAMMOND FREDERIC OSWALD HALL(52) who was born on 11 April 1857 at Carisbrook, Isle of Wight and died on 17 October 1940 at Shanklin, Isle of Wight. He married GERTRUDE BLOXHAM in about 1909 and was a Hospital Nurse. She was born in 1866 so I doubt they had any children.
- FRANCES MARIA HALL<sub>(53)</sub> who was born before October 1859 at Carisbrook, Isle of Wight.
- CHARLES EDMUND STRODE HALL (54) who was born on 6 February 1861 at Carisbrook, Isle of Wight and died on 6 December 1912 in Fremantle, Western Australia.

He married FLORENCE AUGUSTA BICKLEY during 1897 in Fremantle, Western Australia. They do not appear to have had any children.

In 1890 he was a Merchant based in Penang, Malaysia. In 1910 she was living at Davilak, Fremantle, Western Australia, but no mention of him. In 1912 they were living at Preston Point Road, East Fremantle, Western Australia and he was an Agent. After he died, she moved to Mannings Estate, Davilak, Fremantle, Western Australia and was still there in 1943, and she must have died after that year.

- vii. JESSIE ANN HALL<sub>(65)</sub> who was born in about 1865 but presumably died before 1871 as not mentioned since
- GEORGE EDWARD W HALL<sub>(56)</sub> who was born in about 1867 at Bedford, Bedfordshire and baptised on 29 March 1867 at St. Cuthbert's, Bedford, Bedfordshire. He died after 1901 He may have married ADELE HARDYMAN as they are recorded as being lodgers and actors in a house in Chorley, Lancashire in 1901, along with others.

### Other Information

He was a Lieutenant in the 52nd Light Infantry, and in 1851 is recorded as being the Governor of the Juvenile Reformatory Prison, Parkhurst, Carisbrook on the Isle of Wight.

In 1871 she was a Schoolmistress in Lee, Kent, with Hammond, Frances and George living with her. In 1881 she had moved to Marlow, Buckinghamshire with George. Thereafter, no information.

### Our x4 Great Grandparent's Generation

General CHARLES HENRY BYNG-HALL was born on 22 June 1827 in Basingstoke, Hampshire. He was christened in Bayern, Germany on 7 August 1828 and he died on 24 August 1895 at Frieberg-in-Baden, Germany.

He married ELIZA ELEANORA GOODWYN GOLDNEY on 1 November 1854 in Sealkote, Bengal, India. She was born on 28 October 1837 in Berhampore, West Bengal, India and died on 19 July 1912 in Ealing, London. She was the daughter of Colonel (Philip) Charles Goldney and Mary Louisa Holbrow<sup>3</sup>. He was also in the Indian Army since 1821 and the Commissioner at Faizabad when he was killed during the Indian Mutiny.

### Children of CHARLES BYNG-HALL and ELIZA GOLDNEY are:

- CHARLES HENRY GOLDNEY BYNG-HALL(57) was born on 8 October 1855 in Ambala, Haryana, India and died on 7 June 1856 in Simla, West Bengal, India.
- PHILIP CECIL GOLDNEY BYNG-HALL (58) was born on 20 February 1857 in Hoshiapur, Punjab, India and was christened there, but died on 12 August 1858 in Ferozepur, Punjab, India.
- MARIE LOUISE BYNG-HALL(59) was born on 25 October 1858 in Ferozepore, Punjab / Bengal, India.
- ALEXIA CHARLOTTE BYNG-HALL(60) (aka Alix or Alice) was born on 27 December 1863 and christened in Lahore Punjab, India. She died on 22 June 1942 in Milford on Sea, Hampshire and is buried in Exbury, Hampshire.
  - She married: (1) Major ARTHUR MARK CROFTON on 7 November 1881 in Rawalpindi India. He died on 13 April 1887 at The Castle, Mohill, Leitrim, Ireland. He served with the 8th Hussars and was a JP.
    - (2) CHARLES WESTHEAD in 3rd Q 1891 in London. He died on 6 July 1932 in Victoria, British Columbia, Canada.

In 1891 she is recorded as being a widow and staying in Harrow, Middlesex with her sister Amy. It is unlikely to have been any children by either marriage as by 1901 according to censuses still did not have any.

She was the first female settler in Alberta, Western Canada and has a town, Alix, named after her. In 1920 she was running Inchmery Home Farm, a 150+ acre farm at, Lepe, Hampshire.



<sup>3</sup> A memoir, dated 9 June 1858, by Mary Louisa Goldney (b 1815), wife of Lt-Col Philip Goldney (1802-57), Bengal Army 1821, Commissioner at Faizabad, describing her experiences during the Sepoy Rebellion after escaping from Sultanpur, and compiled from her letters to her married daughters. Ref Mss Eur Photo Eur 187 and held by the British Library: Asian and African Studies.

- v. LILLIAN ALFRIEDA BYNG-HALL<sub>(61)</sub> was born on 6 April 1865 in Rawalpindi, India and died on 9 September 1927 at Lourdes, France.
  - She married Colonel ALAN CODDINGTON BATTEN of the 2nd Punjab Cavalry, on 8 September 1886 in Freiberg, Baden, Germany. They did not have any children. He was the brother of Felix's<sub>(64)</sub> first wife Kathleen.
- vi. CHARLES HENRY BYNG-HALL (62) was born on 10 April 1866 in Rawalpindi, India.
- vii. AMIE BYNG-HALL<sub>(63)</sub> was born on 14 July 1868 in Murree, Bengal, India and died on 5 August 1953 in Kensington, London.



She married Major General ARTHUR BINNY SCOTT KCB, DSO, DSC on 8 May 1894 in Agra, India. He was born in 1862 in Scotland and died on 2 June 1944 – see below.

She was educated (along with her sisters) at The Royal School for Daughters of Officers was a pioneering girls' schools offering a superior secondary education with a rather austere and formidable headmistress, Miss Julia Walker. Amy would have travelled frequently between school in England and home in India, but Eliza also kept a large house close to the school at 25 Grosvenor Place. Her father was clearly ahead of his time. Arthur and Amy settled in India for the first years of their marriage. However, Amy was not the typical white 'memsahib', living a pleasant, but fairly meaningless life, constrained by the strict social rituals of the British Raj. She was also a published writer. Initially she used a pseudonym, Alec Holmes. Whilst many women writers chose male names to improve their chances of being published, it is thought that Amy Scott's principal motivation was to hide her identity. Much of her writing was set in the claustrophobic, mannered world of British India, and some of her unflattering portrayals could have caused great offense. She wrote as Aimée Scott or Lady Scott after their return to England.

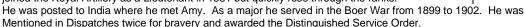
To begin with, she wrote short stories and poetry. Her stories were widely published in the Girls Own Paper and other publications such as The Grand Magazine of Fiction and The Bystander. As Alec Holmes, she also published 3 successful novels, Anglo-India (1904), The Emporium (1912) and The Song of the Stars (1917). This was reviewed as a "fascinating study, marked with delicate restraint, showing intimate knowledge of Indian life and scenery" by the Aberdeen Journal. The Edinburgh Evening news added "there is not a dull page, and the story swings onward to a denouement of rare unexpectedness". Under her own name she published 7 more novels between 1922 and 1936, one of which was her 1928 novel, A Prince in Chains.

Amy Scott also wrote a small number of plays. The Munition Worker by Alec Holmes was published in The Englishwoman magazine, Vol. 33, March 1917. This publication promoted women's rights and Suffrage. The play tapped into the suffragette struggles of the time and explored the role of women in the war. The protagonist, unable to fight on the Western Front was resolved to work herself to death, making bombs, as her contribution to the war effort. It was considered shocking at the time and probably first performed in 2016 when Fred Theatre toured 3 one act plays written during the war, "Friend or Foe, voices from WWI".

The poem July 1st 1916, was published in her book of poems, The Secret Night, and is included in the Virago book of Women's War Poetry and Verse and Scars Upon My Heart, the anthology of women's WWI poetry studied at A Level.

She was staying with Marie Louise at the time of the 1911 census, which also records she had no children. On 2 June 1944 Lady Amy Scott's house Red Leys, Chestnut Lane, Chesham Bois, Buckinghamshire took a direct hit from a doodlebug (a German V1 rocket). Her husband was killed. She was rescued from the wreckage and taken to hospital, but she escaped serious injury. The couple had just celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary. Somewhat ironically, they had moved out of London in 1939 to escape the Blitz.

He was the second of four children (three boys and one girl). His grandfather, James Scott had a small farm (60 acres) on the east coast of Scotland, north of Dundee, Angus. When he was born, his parents had recently returned from Colombo, Ceylon (now Sri Lanka) where his father had made his fortune as a merchant trading in East Indian goods. The family then settled in Lansdown Road, Cheltenham Gloucestershire in some luxury with a butler and five servants. Arthur was just 11 when his father died leaving him to be raised by his formidable mother, Isabella. He entered Cheltenham College with a mathematical scholarship before joining the Royal Military Academy at Woolwich. Like his brothers, Arthur was destined for the army. He joined the Royal Artillery as a Lieutenant in 1881 but quickly rose through the ranks.



Back in India more success followed and by 1911 he was in command of the Royal Artillery. In 1914 he was knighted by George V as a Companion of the Order of the Bath (CB) for exemplary military service. In India, the Scott's would have enjoyed all the privileges of the Raj with Indian servants, exclusive clubs, polo and elaborate hunting trips. Arthur was a member of Masonic lodges in Cawnpore (now Kanpur) and Meerut.

During WWI he served as Brigadier General of the Royal Artillery and the Indian Army Corps in France before becoming Divisional Commander of the 12th Division. He was mentioned in dispatches five times and in 1917 he was awarded the Croix de Commandeur of the Legion of Honour by the French President. The following year he was awarded Knight Commander of the Bath (KCB) by King George V before returning once again to India for his final posting.

Sir Arthur Scott's position as Divisional Commander in Lucknow would have been extremely challenging in 1918 India had played a significant part in WWI. Around 1.3 million Indian soldiers served in the war and were some of the first troops on the Western Front in 1914. The Indian Army Corps won 13,000 medals for gallantry including 12 Victoria Crosses. Scott was himself awarded for his Indian troops' bravery. Over 74,000 Indian soldiers died. In addition to men, India supplied food, ammunition and cash which was collected by taxation and donations from the nominally autonomous princely states.

India expected to be rewarded with a major move towards independence or at the least self-government, but it soon became obvious that this wasn't going to happen. With the economy pushed to near bankruptcy, high inflation and the flu epidemic claiming many more lives, India was wracked by mass political upheavals and the British imperial system seemed to be on the verge of collapse.

Limited political reform was introduced but repressive new laws gave the colonial government unprecedented powers, and any protests were ruthlessly crushed. The worst incident, which reverberated throughout the empire, was the Amritsar Massacre. On 13 April 1919 Brigadier-General Reginald Dyer ordered his troops to fire without warning on 20,000 unarmed men, women and children demonstrating peacefully in an enclosed garden, Jallianwala Bagh. As many as 1000 may have died that day (the number is disputed) but the youngest was six months old and the oldest in his eighties.

Back home opinion was completely divided. Widely denounced and criticised in parliament, Dyer was hailed a hero by the popular press and a huge sum was raised by public subscription when he lost his position and had to return to Britain. India felt betrayed and this event marked the final rupture between British imperialism and its Indian subjects. Nationalism was given a strong impetus and Mahatma Gandhi's successful campaign for India's independence started here. Whilst Sir Arthur Binny Scott's opinion of the massacre is not known, his love affair with India ended soon after. Within a year he decided to take early retirement, and in 1920 returned to Britain with his wife. (ex <a href="https://amershammuseum.org/history/people/20th-century/sir-arthur-binny-scott/">https://amershammuseum.org/history/people/20th-century/sir-arthur-binny-scott/</a>)

- viii. FREDERICK FELIX WEICHS BYNG-HALL<sub>(64)</sub> was born on 1 June 1870 in Bath, Somerset.
- ix. PERCY BYNG-HALL<sub>(65)</sub> was born on 29 June 1880 in Murree, India.

#### Other Information

Charles signed up in the Indian Army on 29 December 1844, and by 26 April 1845 was an Ensign in the 64 Bengal N.I.; then promoted successively to Lieutenant on 15 November 1853; Captain in the Bengal Staff Corps on 18 February 1861; Lieutenant Colonel on 29 December 1870 to 18 May 1886; he was placed on the unemployed supernumerary list on 2 July 1885, but was made up to General when he was appointed as the Commissioner in Lahore (see also under Percy<sub>(65)</sub> below). He had been (not continuously) the Deputy Commissioner in Amritsar from 1 August 1871 to 13 March 1877 (http://amritsar.nic.in/html/district\_administration.htm). This website also defines the significant responsibilities of this role. There is a gate in his memory in Amritsar according to his son Felix<sub>(54)</sub> which may well be the Hall Gate – see photos below, but his CV and achievements are not yet fully established – strange for someone who had this sort of profile! Perhaps his obituary (The Times on 28 August 1895 p.7) has more.



"Hall Gate" today



In 1873 a new gate was constructed, breaking the wall between the Ram Bagh and Shahzada Gates, to connect the Town Hall with the Railway Station and the Civil Lines. This was known as the Hall Gate, after the name of the Deputy Commissioner of Amritsar. On both sides of the road connecting this gate with the Town Hall, shops were opened by enterprising businessmen to cater to the European residents of the city and its rich gentry. The bazar came to be known as Hall Bazar.

His last appointment was Commissioner of Rawalpindi, in the foothills of the Himalayas. In 1871 she was living at 25 Grosvenor Place, Walcot, Somerset with all of her surviving children, her sister-in-law Anna and 4 servants.

On her death at 5 Mount Park Road, Ealing, she left £80 to her daughter Marie Louise. Charles had previously left her £704

- **32 EMMELINE GEORGIANA HALL** who was born on 17 January 1829 in Lympstone, Devon and died in 1<sup>st</sup> Q 1913
- She married **Lieutenant Colonel GEORGE VINCENT FOSBERY VC** in 1858; he was born on 11 April 1832 in Stert, Wiltshire and died on 8 May 1907 in Bath, Somerset. The Fosberys can trace their family back to Somerset in the time of Edward the Confessor in the 11th century.

For details of their family and subsequent descendants please refer to Appendix 3

**WILLIAM HERBERT BYNG-HALL** was born during the 3<sup>rd</sup> Q of 1859 in Richmond Surrey, and baptised on 10 October 1859 in Fulbourn, Cambridgeshire; he died during the 3<sup>rd</sup> Q of 1893 at 16 Fullerton Road, Wandsworth, London.

He married **MARY KIRBY** on 31 January 1884 in Wandsworth, London. She was born in 1860 and was a Housemaid to the family in 1881

### Children of WILLIAM HENRY BYNG-HALL and MARY KIRBY are:

- i. C BYNG-HALL<sub>(66)</sub> who may have been illegitimate.
- ii. WILLIAM BYNG-HALL<sub>(67)</sub> who was born during the 2<sup>nd</sup> Q of 1893 in Wandsworth, London and died in 1894 in Hillingdon, Middlesex.

### Other Information

In 1881 he is recorded as being a Civil Servant in the Census Office! In 1891 he was a Merchants Clerk living in Clapham, London.

**35 Colonel CHARLES MacKENZIE HALL** was born on 1 September 1843 in Ghazeepore, Bengal, India and died on 20 April 1896 in Tunbridge Wells, Kent, England.

He married **MARIA MEYRICK SELBY LOWNDES** on 5 November 1876 in Marylebone, London, and again on 9 November 1876 at Chelmarsh, Shropshire.

### Child of CHARLES HALL and MARIA SELBY LOWNDES is:

i. CHARLES ARTHUR MacKENZIE HALL(68) who was born in about 1873 and died within a year in India.

#### Other Information

In 1891 they were living at Laurel Lodge, Bungay Suffolk, and he was retired from the Bengal Army.

**37 CECILIA JANE HALL** was born during 1847 in India and died during 4<sup>th</sup> Q 1943 in Wandsworth, London.

She married **Captain WILLIAM SEYMOUR SELBY LOWNDES** on 22 June 1870 at Walcot, Somerset. He was born on 31 July 1838 and died on 22 January 1916 at 46 Alleyn Park, Dulwich, Surrey. He left £756 to Cecilia in his will.

#### Children of CECILIA HALL and WILLIAM SELBY-LOWNDES are:

- ANNIE ISABEL SELBY LOWNDES<sub>(37.1)</sub> who was born on 14 February 1872 at Paddington, London and died on 12 January 1955 in Kensington, London. Her will was in favour of Joan Monica Selby Lowndes<sub>(37.4)</sub> her niece.
- ii. EDWARD ARTHUR SELBY LOWNDES(37.2) who was born on 22 May 1873 at Paddington, London.
- iii. C SELBY LOWNDES<sub>(37.3)</sub> who died well before 1911 (census information)

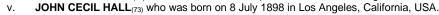
### Other Information

On Edward's birth he was a Captain late the 6<sup>th</sup> Regiment and they were living at Delamere Terrace, London. In 1881 they were still there, and he was a stockbroker. In 1901 and 1911, he was a Stockbroker living at Cheyne Court, London. She was living with her son in 1939

38 ARTHUR GEORGE HALL was born on 17 February 1849 in Mussoorie, Bengal, India and died on 10 January 1905 in Los Angeles, California, USA He married ELIZABETH MacKENZIE on 5 March 1889 in La Prairie, Manitoba, Canada. She was born on 17 June 1863 at Minnedosa, Manitoba, Canada and died on 26 June 1936 Los Angeles, California, USA

### Children of ARTHUR HALL and ELIZABETH MacKENZIE are:

- ANNIE MacKENZIE HALL<sub>(69)</sub> who was born on 2 January 1890 in Minnedosa, Manitoba. Canada.
- KENNETH CHARLES HALL<sub>(70)</sub> who was born on 27 October 1891 in Minnedosa, Manitoba, Canada.
- iii. ARTHUR HORATIO HALL<sub>(71)</sub> was born on 18 January 1894 in Minnedosa, Manitoba, Canada.
- iv. **JEAN ETHEL HALL**<sub>(72)</sub> who was born on 16 September 1896 in Los Angeles, California, USA





Elizabeth McKenzie, Arthur George Hall, his mother Ann, and her sister, Elizabeth. (courtesy Nick Hall)

### Other Information

According to *Nick Hall's* tree on *ancestry*, he served in the Royal Navy until 1868 and then ...... In 1891 he was a Farmer in Odanah, Marquette, Manitoba, Canada. In 1900 the US census has them in District 0041, Los Angeles, California, USA and he is a Warehouse Proprietor (*I think*). The 1910 US census has Elizabeth and the four youngest children still living in District 0188, Los Angeles, California, USA.

**39 HORATIO MOLYNEUX HALL** was baptised on 25 July 1851 in St. Mary's, Bathwick, Somerset and died on 8 December 1931 at Kotagiri, Madras, India.

He married EMILY BARNES on 9 March 1886 in Palghat, Madras, India.

### Children of HORATIO HALL and EMILY BARNES are:

- i. ELEANOR HALL<sub>(74)</sub> who was born and died during 1886 in India.
- ii. **ARTHUR HALL**<sub>(75)</sub> was born on 17 March 1887 near Palghaut, India.
- iii. HORACE ROBERT HALL<sub>(76)</sub> who was born on 11 June 1889 in Madras, India.
- iv. LIONEL ARCHER HALL<sub>(77)</sub> who was born on 19 October 1894 in Madras, India. In 1901 he was boarding at Avonstowe School, Orpington, Kent.
- v. GEORGE HERBERT HALL(78) who was born on 17 February 1906 in Madras, India and may have died during 1919

### Other Information

According to the record of his son Arthur's second marriage, he was a Planter.

**41 JOHN CECIL PERCY HALL** was baptised on 27 May 1857 at St Mary's, Cheltenham, Gloucestershire. He died on 17 October 1927 in West Bromwich, Staffordshire. He married **ALICE MAY JONES** during 1888 in West Bromwich, Staffordshire.

#### Children of JOHN HALL and ALICE JONES are:

- FREDERICK HERBERT HALL<sub>(79)</sub> who was born on 9 July 1889 at Coonoor, Madras, India. He died on 23 July 1912 at Purmaad, Madras, India.
- ii. CECIL BYNG HALL<sub>(80)</sub> who was born on 31 August 1890 in Bangalore, India. He died on 5 March 1955 in Hospital at Bethnal Green, London. His will records he was living at 15 Alipore Park Road, Alipore, Calcutta, and left £3,228 He married NORAGH PATRICIA? who was born on 20 November 1906 and died on 28 December 1983 in London. They did not have any children.
  - Noragh left England on 3 January 1930 on "Morea" for Bombay with Cecil (he was an Exchange Broker); left on 12 September 1930 on Kaiser-I-Hind for Bombay; left on 18 June 1937 on "SS Rajputana" for Bombay (their address for these three records was c/o Grindley's Bank, 54 Parliament Street, London W1. Presumably this is who Cecil worked for. They arrived in Liverpool on aboard the "SS Britannia" from Bombay on 9 December 1938 (he is still a broker but an address now at 21 Broughton Road, Handsworth, Birmingham). They then arrived from Lisbon on 24 April 1939 in Southampton on "Balocran" (address Parliament Street), but they left again on 27 January 1939 for India on the "MS Indrapoera" having been at a flat at 497 Mount Royal, Marble Arch, London. Norah is also recorded as leaving on 8 September 1939 on the "Staffordshire" having been staying at 1 The Woolpack, High Street, Barnet (perhaps she met my grandfather as the ship was owned by the Bibby Line, which is who he worked for, but I believe he was with the "Somersetshire" at that time). In the late 1950's she was living in Kensington. His will identifies his abode as being Alipore, Calcutta and he left £3,228
- He may be the Cecil B-H that was gazetted as a 2<sup>nd</sup> Lieutenant in the Suffolk Regiment on 4 August 1915 iii. **JOHN MacKENZIE HALL**<sub>(81)</sub> who was born on 11 October 1892, and was baptised on 17 November 1892 in
- Calicut, Madras, India.

  iv. CHARLES ERIC PERCY HALL<sub>(82)</sub> who was born on 7 December 1894 in Newton Abbot, Devon and baptised on 10 February 1895 Highweek, Devon. He died in 4<sup>th</sup> Q 1979 in Southampton, Hampshire.

  In March 1918 he was a Lieutenant(E) in the Royal Navy (presumably on active service). He had been promoted to Lieutenant Commander(E) in March 1926 and was still at that rank in July 1944

### Other Information

In 1901, Frederick and Cecil were being educated in Kings Norton, Worcestershire, whilst John and Charles were staying with their maternal grandfather, Alfred Jones, in Handsworth, Staffordshire. In 1911, Charles was at a school in Solihull, Warwickshire.

John Cecil was still in India when John Mackenzie signed up at the beginning of WWI, but by 1922 he was an Orchardist at Latrobe, Wilmot, Tasmania with Alice Mav.

In 1935 he was living at 6 St Peters Road, Edgbaston, Birmingham.

A solicitor in Latrobe, Tasmania identified him as a Coffee Planter once living at living at 21 Broughton Road, Handsworth, Birmingham (as recorded in the Launceston Examiner 4 August 1928 p.16 see extract above).

This address is also used on the form of Probate, and he left £1,718 to Alice May Hall, and his death is registered in West Bromwich some two miles from that address.

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42 LIONEL BYNG TAYLOR HALL was born in April 1859 in Cheltenham,
Gloucestershire (baptised there on 25 May 1859) and died on 2 February 1949 in
Kensington, London and was buried in Hampstead, London with his wife.
He married EDITH SUSANNAH FRY on 28 July 1882 in St. Pauls Church,
Clapham, London. She died on 10 July 1931 whilst living at Polperro, Lyncroft
Mansions, Hampstead, London and is buried in Hampstead, London.



### Child of LIONEL HALL and EDITH FRY is:

i. VALENTINA JOANNA HALL<sub>(83)</sub> who was born during 1887

### Other Information

He was a certified Second Mate in the Merchant Marine on 18 September 1878 and on their wedding certificate, identifies him as a Master Mariner. In 1887 they lived at 4 Victoria Place, Queens Road, Wandsworth, London and he was a Master Mariner. In 1901 they were living at 5 Dalmeny Avenue, Islington London and he was a Shipping Agent and subsequently moved to 5 Polperro, Lyncroft Mansions, Hampstead, London. He is subsequently recorded as being a Warehouse Manager. He left £5,802 to his daughter.

48 FRANCES CAROLINE HALL was born in about 1860 in Boldon, Durham. She died on 24 April 1930 at The Obelisk, Hunton, Maidstone, Kent, and left £5,488 to her husband in her will. She married FREDERICK THOMAS KING in 1899 at Branksome. Bournemouth. Dorset.

#### Children of FRANCES HALL and FREDERICK KING are:

- LOUIS FREDERICK EDEN KING-HALL<sub>(48.1)</sub> who was born in about 1901 in Branksome, Bournemouth, Dorset. He
  died and was buried there on 20 January1905
- DULCIBELLA FRANCES KING-HALL<sub>(48.2)</sub> who was born on 28 March 1902 in Branksome, Bournemouth, Dorset. She died on 8 June 2009 at Tunbridge Wells, Kent.
  - She was gazetted on 29 May 1942 as being commissioned as a 2nd Subs in the ATS, whatever that might mean. During the Second World War she tested a wide variety of vehicles commandeered from civilian use. Aged 106 she was driven around Brands Hatch racing circuit in a BMW M3 as fast as possible. (ex Evening Standard 29 March 2009)
- iii. DELÍA FREDERICA KING-HALL<sub>(48.3)</sub> who was born on 28 March 1905 in Branksome, Bournemouth, Dorset. She died in May 1996 at Tunbridge Wells, Kent

### Other Information

In WWI he signed up for the 2<sup>nd</sup> Norfolk Yeomanry in late 1918 but was discharged in December 1918 due to a previous injury making him unfit for service.

He changed his name after they were married. He left £8,217 to Dulcibella in his will (1960).

**50 Rev. JOHN ROBERT LONGLEY HALL** was born in 1851 at Carisbrook, Isle of Wight and died on 20 March 1921 at The Vicarage, Westleton, Suffolk, where he is buried.

He married **EMILY DENNIS** on 27 July 1876 at St. John the Baptist, Layer-de-la-Haye, Essex. She gave her age as 17, but in the 1911 census her age suggests she was born during 1843 at Tendring, Essex, but actually 2<sup>nd</sup> Q 1842, the daughter of Samuel Dennis.

#### Children of JOHN HALL and EMILY DENNIS are:

- JULIA FRANCES EMILY HALL<sub>(84)</sub> who was born in about 1878 in Jaffa, Palestine and died on 21 March 1929 at Tiverton, Devon.
- Rev. CHARLES THOMAS LONGLEY HALL<sub>(85)</sub> who was born in about 1881 in Jaffa, Palestine and died on 19 December 1955 at 40 St. Peter Street, Tiverton, Devon.
   In 1911 he was living at Southleigh, Budleigh Salterton, Devon.
- iii. FANNY CAROLINE HALL(86) who was born in about 1884 in Jaffa, Palestine.
- iv. SAMUEL GEORGE HALL(87) who was born on 30 December 1887 in Jaffa, Palestine. He died there 2 days later.
- v. JOHN ROBERT HENRY HALL<sub>(88)</sub> who was born on 30 December 1887 in Jaffa, Palestine and died during July 1888 in Jerusalem, Palestine. (as identified gawlwerhistory.com)<sup>4</sup>
- vi. Rev. GEORGE GORDON HALL<sub>(89)</sub> who was born in 1888 in Jaffa, Palestine, and died on 3 March 1969 at 227 Lutterworth Road, Nuneaton, Leicestershire.
  - He married JANE EVELEEN LOUISA ORR in September 1927 in Dublin, Ireland. She was born on 28 May 1880 at 70 Kenilworth Square, East Rathgar, Dublin, Ireland and died on 22 May 1971 at the same address as George. They did not have children.
  - In 1911 he was boarding at 29 St. Andrew Street, Tiverton, Devon. He was the executor of his brother's will. She left £17,763 in her will.

### Other Information

He was ordained in May 1875 by the Bishop of Rochester. He was a Chaplain serving as the secretary of the Christian Missionary Society and was appointed by the Archbishop of Canterbury to go to Palestine in light of the ecclesiastical difficulties there at that time. When he arrived, he made a call for about ten additional missionaries. Edith Eleanor Newton (google her) and Eliza Armstrong and Annie S. H. Vidal were the first to respond to this appeal. Others including one of Edith's sisters followed and addressed the medical facilities there too. In 1911 the census has them living with their two daughters at the Vicarage, Westleton, Suffolk.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> An interesting article relating to an Anglican Cemetery in Tel-Aviv has been provided by Samuel Giler - his correspondence (with minor edit by me) to Mayor Redman:

Dear Mayor, in a recent renovation of the old Anglican cemetery at Jaffa, Tel-Aviv, I uncovered underground a grave of a 2-day old baby, one of twins. He was Samuel George Hall, the son of Rev. John Robert Longley Hall and Emily Denis (nee Gawler), the daughter of George Gawler (I think this is incorrect). They were born on December 30 1887. His brother John Robert Henry Hall died 7 month later, and his grave was found in Jerusalem. Rev. Hall served as the secretary of the Christian Missionary Society. I am involved in the research of Jaffa in the late 19th century and would like to find out more about the Gawler family, and if there are any descendants whom I can get in touch with. I'll appreciate your assistance in referring me to those who can assist me. Sincerely, Samuel Giler, Architect Tel-Aviv.

**FRANCES MARIA HALL** was born before October 1859 at Carisbrook, Isle of Wight and died on 25 February 1931 in Manitoba, Canada

She married HENRY GIBBON on 8 July 1885 at Camberwell, Surrey.

### Children of FRANCES HALL and HENRY GIBBON are:

- i. SYBIL GIBBON<sub>(53.1)</sub> who was born in about 1885 at Camberwell, Surrey.
- ii. MURIEL BLACKWELL GIBBON<sub>(53.2)</sub> who was born on 26 June 1890 at Loudwater, High Wycombe, Buckinghamshire and died on 12 February 1987 in Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada. She married HUGH GRAY on 16 July 1927 in Victoria, Manitoba, Canada. No identified children.

#### Other Information

They emigrated in 1903 and in 1921 he was a Farmer in Macdonald, Manitoba, Canada.

### Our x3 Great Grandparent's Generation

59 MARIE LOUISE BYNG-HALL was born on 25 October 1858 in Ferozepore, Punjab / Bengal, and died in 1939

She married **CHARLES HENRY TILSON MARSHALL** on 12 November 1879 in Rawalpindi, Punjab. He was born in 1841 in Bridgenorth, Shropshire. This was his second marriage.

#### Child of MARIE BYNG-HALL and CHARLES MARSHALL is:

- CHARLES LAURIE TILSON MARSHALL<sub>(59.1)</sub> who was born on 28 August 1881 aboard the ship *Pashawur* en-route to England. It would appear he died the following day.
- ii. IDA HELEN GERALDINE MARSHALL (59.2) who was born on 27 May 1883 at Dalhouse, Bengal, India.

### Other Information

He matriculated to Christ Church, Oxford in October 1858 aged 17, but must have left shortly afterwards as in October 1859 he was a Cornet in the Indian Army, and by 1879 was a Major. His marriage record suggests he was the BSC Superintendent of the Champa State. He was promoted to Colonel in October 1889, and in 1896 retired.

He was an ornithologist, collecting birds of the Punjab and Himalayas in his spare time. The 1911 census has them at 6 Chester Place, Paddington, London.

He had a several children by his first wife; one of whom, Guy Anstruther Knox Marshall was an eminent entomologist



**Major CHARLES HENRY BYNG-HALL DSO** was born possibly on 10 April 1866 and possibly in Umballa, West Bengal, but it could have been Rawalpindee. He died on 7 December 1954 at his home at Maryland, Salisbury Road, New Arlesford, (but recorded at Winchester), Hampshire, England.

- He married (1) LOU-AGNES JONES in 1892, daughter of Day Jones and Lucretia Worden. She was born during 1859 in Brooklyn/Harlem, Michigan, USA, and died in her sleep on 9 September 1951 in Gerrards Cross, Buckinghamshire, where she is buried picture below. (known as Agnes to her UK descendants)
  - (2) MARY DRAKE who died on 16 August 1956 at 54 West Street, Arlesford, Hampshire.



Charles, Agnes,

#### Children of CHARLES BYNG-HALL and AGNES JONES are:

- LILLIAN ELENA ANNA BYNG-HALL<sub>(90)</sub> was born during September 1892 in New Orleans, America. (Mississippi according to the 1900 census)
- ii. MARTHA AGNES BYNG-HALL<sub>(91)</sub> was born on 22 February 1898 (she was 3 according to the 1900 census)

### Other Information

Not much appears to be known about his early life, but Charles Henry (Torrington) Byng-Hall appears to have entered the USA in 1885 from India and was subsequently naturalised. He obviously stayed in Canada too, as there is a record of a CH Byng-Hall being a private (in 1888) and a Lieutenant (in 1890) in the Canadian Volunteer Militia, which might account for who he served with during the First World War. In 1889 he is recorded as living in Ottawa, Canada and working for Wolff &Co. In 1892 he was working for the Weekly Times-Democrat of New Orleans, Louisiana and the edition of 18 November 1892 identifies his involvement during a strike by the printers of that publication. In November 1893 he was a witness in a libel case at Picayune, Louisiana (*The Times-Picayune (New Orleans, Louisiana) 17 November 1893 Page 3).* In 1896 he is recorded as being the Editor of the "Cycle Age "in Detroit, Michigan, USA. In the same year he was also living in North Harwood, San Jacinto, Dallas, Texas, USA, which is where Agnes was living and teaching Elocution and Physical at Dallas Culture Academy.

In 1900 he is listed in the US census as being a Journalist and there are copies of various articles by him on the web, e.g. the Indianapolis Times. The family were living at 675 East 137<sup>th</sup> Street in the Bronx, New York, USA. She had no profession identified but was probably a stage actress for a while in New York. (*source Andrew George Cook*). In 1903 they were obviously living in Detroit, Michigan, USA as the girls were noted as being allowed to stay in education there. (*Detroit Free Press (Detroit, Michigan) 23 Oct 1903, page 12*).

On 31 October 1904, the family arrived at Dover on Red Star Line SS *Vaderland* (New York to Antwerp) and lived in Rosedene, Amherst Road in Ealing until 1908, and he was still writing for several US newspapers, followed by 19 Mount Park Road, Ealing to 1913. In 1911, Agnes and Martha are recorded as being at a house on the South Circular Road in Limerick, Ireland – *why?* He also wrote an article about the Lakes of Killarney, Ireland which was published *in the Nebraska State Journal on 26 November 1911 – connection?* 

During the First World War, he was a Captain in the Canadian Services and having been promoted to Major in the 1<sup>st</sup> Battalion Motor Machine Gun Service, he received the DSO in 1916 as recorded in the London Gazette 14 January 1916; at this time, he would have been 55, which seems to be old, even for a volunteer. On 23 August 1921 he was awarded the Order of the Crown of Italy.

He subsequently lived at "Maryland" on Salisbury Road, Arlesford, Hampshire from at least 1939 (might have been earlier) until his death, which is recorded by a "widow Mary". His death certificate also identifies that he worked for the Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries.

He and Agnes must have separated, as she is recorded as living at 47c Leinster Square London W2 from 1926 for a considerable time; there was no mention of him until he appeared in Arlesford, Hampshire, England. She died whilst living with Lillian in Gerrards Cross and was buried at St. James, Gerrards Cross, Buckinghamshire.

However, George<sub>(90.8)</sub> has identified that Agnes worked as an actress under a stage name of Agnes Worden, in particular with an actor D W "Lawrence" Griffith and there is a photo to prove it. There are

few more references in the book "Stagestruck Filmmaker: D. W. Griffith and the American Theatre" by David Mayer. She was also in a travelling group of players called the "Worden Dramatic Company" who were recorded as touring Nebraska and Kansas in 1890. The Columbus Daily Telegram of 23 March 1890 notes her rendition of Mary Carroll in the drama "My Geraldine" was "pathetic and masterly".



Sgras Woodon (Aunt Sand) reproves the philasslesse Gay Humilson "Lawrence" (1983) for his caddink behavior to Agetha Reiser

George has also identified:

- Agnes' father was a Justice of the Peace, as well as a hotel owner, farmer, and blacksmith.
- Agnes' mother was descended from Roger Williams, an early settler in the USA who was the President
  of Rhode Island. Her descent from Surgeon John Greene (1597-1659) is clear but beyond that suffers
  from the usual Middle Ages' lack of records but could be to Alexander de Greene de Boketon (12<sup>th</sup>
  century).
- Charles' grandmother (see in part Appendix 1) was descended from Charlemagne and King Edward III if one delves hard enough, and as a result related to most of the royal houses of Europe.
- **FREDERICK FELIX WEICHS BYNG-HALL** was born on 1 June 1870 in Bath, Somerset. He died in 1942 in Annapolis, Nova Scotia.
  - He married (1) KATHLEEN ANNIE BATTEN on 30 June 1902; she was born in June 1878 in Teignmouth, Devon. They were divorced in 1912/13
    - (2) DOROTHY WHITE in 1931; she was born in Stanford-le-Hope, Essex.

Children of FREDERICK BYNG-HALL and KATHLEEN BATTEN are:

i. JOHN FELIX BYNG-HALL<sub>(92)</sub> was born on 3 May 1906 in England

Other Information (courtesy © "Berengario Cermenati - Among the Igbirra (Ebira) of Nigeria. a Study in Colonial, Missionary and Local Politics 1897 to 1925" by Edmund M Hogan" from which some of what follows is gleaned).

As a scion of the British Service, the ancestry of Captain Frederick Felix Weichs Byng-Hall (FB-H) was unusual. His paternal grandmother, Baroness Maria Weichs, was a member of the Bavarian nobility, whose castle dominated the small town of Weichs on the River Glon about 40 miles north of Munich. The Weichs family had lived in that area since the 8th century and had attained baronial rank. FB-H's paternal grandfather, Charles Henry Hall, came from Basingstoke in Hampshire and was the Charge d'Affairs to the King of Württemberg where he presumably met his wife. The Halls of Basingstoke had received the title "Guardians of the Holy Ghost" sometime in the 13th Century (almost certainly the Chapel & Gild of the Holy Ghost, Basingstoke (near the station), but British History online makes no reference to Halls but that is not to say that they weren't the Guardians). One ancestor failed to live up to his titular responsibilities and gambled the whole of the Basingstoke property away in one night, retaining only

the right to sell bread on Mondays. However, family fortunes were somewhat restored (debateable given his debts on his death) when FB-H's great grandfather, the first Charles Henry Hall, was made Dean of Durham Cathedral.

FB-H's paternal (great) grandmother was from the distinguished **Byng** family of Wrotham in Kent. Warriors and sailors, they appear frequently in the annals of British history. Robert Browning's poem about the Civil War contains a reference to 'Kentish Sir Byng who fought for the King' (that relationship is not immediately proven). Another **Byng** was an Admiral of the Fleet and was known as the "Scourge of the Mediterranean". His son was the unfortunate Admiral **Byng** who was shot on his own quarterdeck in 1757 for failing to take back Minorca from the French. Voltaire wrote about this episode in "Candide" translated as "to encourage the others"! A General **Byng** fought at Waterloo. Another General Byng was at Vimy Ridge in the First World War and was subsequently made Governor-General of Canada, and during this tenure created a constitutional crisis by refusing to accept the resignation of a conservative government.

Our knowledge of FB-H's early life is incomplete. He was born in Bath, Somerset on 1 June 1870, and his father, General Charles Henry Hall, served much of his active career in India – there is a gate to his memory in Amritsar – and it is possible that FB-H spent some time in India. It is more likely that he spent the greater part of his childhood with his grandparents in Bavaria. We know he received his early education from tutors and later attended Heidelberg University, going under the name Frederick Weichs-Hall. Later after returning to England, he joined the army. In 1891 he was a Corporal in Barracks with the1st Battalion of the Cameronian Scottish Rifles and later served as an officer with the 1st Battalion Suffolk Regiment in Malta, India, Sierra Leone and in the South African War. He is also recorded as being in the Lagos Battalion of the Nigerian Regiments between 1902-1906 and received a Campaign Medal for this period.

In 1907 he left the army and came to Northern Nigeria where he served under Lugard. FB-H retained the name Weichs (Weichs-Hall) – and sometimes used the name Baron Weichs – until the First World War when, perhaps judiciously, he changed it to Byng-Hall.

Within the family, he was known as "Bim" and was regarded as a 'sporting man'. FB-H married Kathleen Batten in July 1902, but it was an ill-fated union. Their only child, John Felix, was born on 3 May 1906. While FB-H was in West Africa, Kathleen left the family home in Suffolk to visit her brother in Canada, taking the child. There she fell in love with a Lieutenant Snow and returned to England expecting his child in 1913. She subsequently had two daughters from this relationship. FB-H returned from West Africa on leave in the same year and the marriage broke up. On FB-H's return to Nigeria, John was entrusted to the care of his aunt, Lillian Batten. Later in 1921, he was sent to his uncle Theo in New Zealand perhaps as a result of the telegram FB-H sent presumably to the headmaster of his sons at school on the Isle of Man

"Been shot by poisoned arrow in the arm. Send John to Theo in New Zealand."
FB-H survived! In 1924, John returned to England and subsequently settled in Kenya. FB-H was to marry again many years later, after he had retired from the Colonial Service and was living in Canada. Numerous incidents concerning his colourful career are recorded in family lore. On one occasion when he was at a party dressed in a white tuxedo, news came of an imminent raid on an outpost. He is said to have got on his horse and galloped to the scene. He then placed himself on a seat in front of the outpost, arms akimbo, so that at dawn there was a white ghostlike figure awaiting the onslaught. The attackers fled!

In Zaria Province FB-H had initially worked under Edward John Arnett, the Resident Officer, and took over as Resident in August 1920, when Arnett was promoted to acting Lieutenant-Governor. At this time, there was growing government disenchantment with the Leader of the Native Authority, Aliyu, Emir of Zaria, and on 9 November 1920, he was deposed and sent into exile. FB-H played a crucial role in these events, but his actions drew strong criticism from Nigeria's Governor General, Sir John Clifford, and his career suffered as a result.

Aliyu, was administering British rule since 1906, when he had been made Emir. Initially he was regarded as a ruler of rare ability by the British. However, as time passed, the government became aware of his involvement in extortion, maltreatment of sub-ordinates, the use of forced labour and even the employment of paid murderers. Clifford ordered Arnett to carry out a discrete investigation which was passed on to FB-H who concluded that a number of the allegations were true, and recommended Aliyu's deposition. Higher authority decided to administer a stern rebuke, but the interview that followed (with Arnett) Aliyu was less than contrite and was taken into indefinite detention. Subsequently a stream of complaints was received from members of his judicial council and the native administration. At a formal hearing, Aliyu was found guilty and deposed and deported to the remoteness of Ankpa in the Munshie Division of the Benue Province.

Prior to this hearing, rumours swept Kaduna that Aliyu attempted to poison both Arnett and FB-H, and indeed both men fell ill at this time. Whether or not this was the case, both men effectively denied they had been attacked in this manner.

As a result of other Emir's making a case to exonerate Alivu. Clifford ordered a review, the findings of which he did not accept and made his opinion known in January 1922, in the context of an appeal to Lagos by Arnett and FB-H on an unrelated matter. On this occasion FB-H had been accused of "expenditure in excess of approved estimates" and "excessive incidence of taxation". It seems that FB-H had committed the mortal sin of acting on his own initiative and not seeking sanction from higher authority, despite having put on record that it had been instructed when Arnett was Acting Lieutenant-Governor (but he lost the records and/or paperwork). This apparently outraged Clifford, who said that even if correct, the figures had exceeded those set by Arnett, and that as he had lost the paperwork and was therefore "due to gross carelessness on Captain Byng-Hall's part or to inexcusable ignorance of ordinary official procedure." Clifford then added "that in his study of the Aliyu case, he had seen ample evidence of Byng-Hall's casual and perfunctory methods." As a result, Lieutenant-Governor Palmer's strictures on FB-H's conduct were absolutely justified. Arnett was also censured for "lending himself to such a slack procedure". The resulting impact to both men's careers is difficult to estimate but based on what we now might suppose, it was probably a case of no further promotion. It has subsequently been established that Clifford did not agree with the methods of governing the Northern Provinces as set up by the previous Governor General Lugard, and he would be constantly sniping at these procedures through minutes and reports to the Colonial Office, quite without precedent in the annals of British Administration in Nigeria, so perhaps he in turn was "biased". It has been noted that Clifford effectively ruined the careers of several Administrators, but FB-H (and Arnett) were not on this

As a postscript, FB-H records in a letter to Arnett in February 1924 that he had heard from Aliyu who had been allowed to settle in Lokoja instead of Ankpa which will no doubt do him good as long as he contents himself with trading and does not interfere in administration. So presumably not too many hard feelings.

FB-H's appointment to Kabba Province followed a number of years as senior D.O. of Zaria Province, and as a result of the Aliyu case and what was reported above, may be seen as a posting to an administrative backwater. He already had some experience of the region, having led a military reconnaissance into Igbirra country in 1902. On that occasion the party had been attacked by the Igbirra with arrows and forced to march through the night to gain the safety of Kabba. This incident was used a year later by the British as a pretext for a full-scale assault on the Igbirra – in which FB-H participated, leading to the subjugation and pacification of the territory.

FB-H recorded in his diary that he had taken over the Ibirra Division of Kabba Province from Major Budgen, (one of those subsequently censured by Clifford) one week before the burning of the mission house at Okene.

FB-H may not always have abided by Clifford's high standards of administration, but at least in one respect he gave the Governor satisfaction. Clifford urged his political officers to study the customs and languages of the peoples they were appointed to administer. FB-H despite the demeanour of a bluff ex-soldier liked to study and to write. His notes on the Okpoto and Igara tribes and Notes on the Bassa Komo Tribe were published in the Journal of the Royal African Society, while his English-Okpoto Vocabulary, written while he was Assistant Resident of Lokoja Province, was issued by the Government Printing Office. When the legitimacy of the Igbirra's ruler was challenged by his opponents, FB-H demonstrated no mean skill in investigating the claims and counterclaims. When on leave in England, he frequently attended monthly dinners of the Royal African Society where guest speakers provided entertainment, and on one occasion on 10 June 1921 when Clifford gave the address. Presumably, given the nature of these sort of dinners and as they were attended by the upper echelons of the service, FB-H was not too much of an outcast.

Rex Niven, then a young cadet at the start of his career, gives a vivid description of FB-H, 'Resident of Kabba Province and Lord of all he surveyed' as he was in 1924:

An old regular solider, he had come to Northern Nigeria, like others, after the South African War; a short, rather plump man, slow in both movement and of speech, but very shrewd and understanding. He was never properly appreciated by his superiors, who looked for agility, forgetting that the battle does not always go to the swift. He usually wore a monocle in one of his watery pale blue eyes. He had a curious mannerism, holding one corner of his handkerchief between his teeth, clutching the other end with one hand. When he was not doing this, he was smoking a cigarette. Later, when I knew him better, he would spend hours telling remarkable stories, some of which I was told had been published in 'Blackwoods Magazine' under the name of Captain Felix (his actual Christian name).

He was living at 57 Cambridge Street, Paddington, London at the time of his first marriage. He was on leave in 1924 and spent time with his son who had travelled back from New Zealand at 6 Chester Place, Hyde Park Square.

After his second marriage, he retired to Annapolis Royal in Nova Scotia.

As well as travelling to and from India (see also Percy below), he travelled quite frequently across the Atlantic, as evidenced by immigration records on "Ancestry.co.uk", and included:

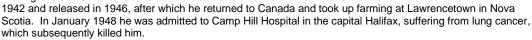
Kathleen arrived in New York aboard SS Minneapolis from London on 21 December 1903

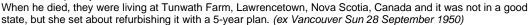
- Kathleen + son and nurse (Annie Abell) arrived in New Brunswick aboard the SS Empress of Britain from Liverpool on 20 March 1909
- He arrived in Liverpool aboard SS Zungeru from Calabar, Nigeria on 9 May 1910
- He arrived in Quebec aboard the SS Victoria from Liverpool on 20 May 1910
- He arrived in Liverpool aboard SS Akabo from Lagos Nigeria on 7 December 1918 He is recorded as being a Civil Servant and gave his address as 4 Park Place, London.
- He arrived in Halifax, Nova Scotia aboard SS Nova Scotia from Liverpool on 19 May 1929 He is recorded as being divorced and may have been travelling with others.
- He arrived in Liverpool aboard SS Nova Scotia from Boston, Mass on 21 October 1929
- He arrived in Halifax, Nova Scotia aboard SS Alaunia from Liverpool on 24 November 1929
- He and Dorothy arrived in Southampton aboard SS Westernland from New York on 6 August 1934
- He and Dorothy arrived in Halifax, Nova Scotia aboard the SS Westernland from Southampton on 13 October 1934
- **65** Lt. Colonel PERCY BYNG-HALL, DSO was born 29 June 1880 in Murree, in what was then India, now Pakistan. He died on 7 May 1964 in Ganges, British Columbia.
  - He married **MURIEL ANNIE O'CALLAGHAN<sup>5</sup>** on the 1 November 1905 in Lahore, India. She was born in Darjeeling, India in about 1880, and died on 25 April 1954 in Ganges. She is buried in Royal Oak Burial Park, Falaise Drive, Victoria, British Columbia, Canada.

### Children of PERCY BYNG-HALL and MURIEL O'CALLAGHAN are:

- Flight Lieutenant PERCY BYNG-HALL<sub>(93)</sub> was born in April 1907 in Guildford, England. He died 21 May 1948 in Lawrencetown, Nova Scotia. He married JACQUELINE ELLERIE MAY LEMMON daughter of Major CH Lemmon and Josephine Eliza Kimber on 13 September 1941 in Minchinhampton, Gloucestershire. She subsequently remarried Stanton Macrae Sandford.

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- ii. MAUREEN BYNG-HALL<sub>(94)</sub> was born on 27 May 1910 in Victoria, British Columbia, Canada.
- iii. **DESMOND O'CALLAGAHN BYNG-HALL**<sub>(95)</sub> was born during December 1912 in Victoria, British Columbia.

Other Information (as extracted from www.archive.org/stream/.../britishcolumbiaf04schouoft\_djvu.txt) and the book "Imperial Vancouver Island: Who Was Who, 1850-1950" By J. F. Bosher©

After attending Wellington College, Berkshire and RMC Sandhurst, he was commissioned aged 18 in the Derbyshire Regiment (6<sup>th</sup> Yeomanry Brigade) and became a Lieutenant on 16 October 1895. On 25 April 1901, he transferred as a Lieutenant to the 34<sup>th</sup> Sikh Pioneers and was stationed in the Punjab for 8½ years, with excursions such as a campaign in China in 1900 under General Sir Garret O'Moore Creagh, during which he was awarded the Distinguished Service Order (DSO) as recorded in the London Gazette 26 June 1903

for the capture of a band of brigands on 17 December 1901, in the district of Chum-ling-Chang". On 1 November 1905 he married Miss Muriel O'Callaghan, daughter of Sir Francis O'Callaghan. He retired to the Reserve of Officers in 1906, and in August of that year, he and his wife went to Canada in August 1906<sup>6</sup>, and ranched in Alix, Alberta for a year. (presumably near his sister) In 1907, they moved to Shawnigan Lake, but the next year settled in Victoria where he formed a partnership with Arthur Hereward Floyer to sell real estate and insurance, specialising in property at Port Edward, some 12 miles south of the mouth of the Skeena River, now the historic site of an early salmon cannery. The firm had its office at the corner of View and Douglas Streets, where they are supplied with all facilities for handling their extensive and growing business, having now a large clientele which they represent in real-estate transactions and in investments. He was also manager of the Anglo-British Columbian Securities Limited. He belongs to the Real Estate Exchange and to the Stock Exchange and does everything in his power to further business activity and promote the development of the northwest and was probably involved in other businesses too. He joined the Conservative Party and the Union Club. He liked hunting and boating, yet he never allows these to interfere with his business affairs. His success is due to conservative business methods, yet in safeguarding his interests he does not sacrifice the progressiveness essential to success in his particular line of business. He is gifted with that quality which for want of a better term

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> She was the daughter of Sir Francis O'Callaghan (1839-1909), who was a native of County Cork, Ireland. He was one of the world's renowned railway engineers, having built the Attock Bridge in India and the Khojak Tunnel in Baluchistan for strategic purposes, connecting India with Afghanistan. He also built the Uganda Railway and supervised the construction of many other large undertakings in different parts of these countries.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> Percy & Muriel arrived in Vancouver aboard the "SS Monteagle" from Yokahama, Japan on 11 August 1906. He is recorded as being ex Indian Army.

has been called personal magnetism and he inspires confidence in those with whom he comes in contact.

During the summer of 1911 he had led nineteen men in field manoeuvres and fought "a rear-guard action", as reported in the *Colonist*, "against the whole of the 72<sup>nd</sup> Highlanders along the side of Elk Lake (which is 8 miles north of Victoria) so successfully that they were obliged to choose another route for their advance on Victoria". On 16 September 1912 he became Captain in the 88th Foot (Victoria Fusiliers), British Columbia, in which he was promoted Major on 25 April 1914. He joined up with the Canadian Expeditionary Force on 23 September 1914, and was subsequently involved in the Battle of St. Julien (a part of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Battle of Ypres) in Flanders, where is was captured and nearly shot due to not putting his hands up in surrender by the Germans (two bullet holes in his overcoat) and sent to Bischofswerda, near Dresden, Germany *(The Province (Vancouver, British Columbia) 30 July 1915)*. He was later promoted to Lieutenant Colonel.

After the war, he farmed in New Zealand at Springfields, Pyes Pa Road, Touranga, Bay of Plenty where he was registered in 1922

In old age, they moved to Ganges on Salt Spring Island, where Muriel died on 25 April 1954 aged 74, and he died on 7 May 1964 aged 84

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- Army Lists:
- The Colonist 12 April 1914 p14.

The family travelled quite frequently across the Atlantic and Pacific, as evidenced by immigration records on "Ancestry.co.uk", and included:

- · Percy and Muriel arrived in Vancouver on the SS Monteagle in August 1906 and gave their address as Alix, Alberta.
- Muriel + son Percy & nurse (Mary Burroughs) arrived in New York aboard the SS Carania from Liverpool on 8 June 1908; travelling on to Shawnagan, Vancouver.
- Percy (apparently on his own) arrived in Montreal aboard the SS Virginian from Liverpool on 6 May 1911
- Muriel + Percy, Maureen & Desmond arrived in London aboard SS Sicilian from St. John, New Brunswick on 6 March 1915
- Muriel + Percy, Maureen and Desmond arrived in St. Johns, Newfoundland aboard the SS Metagama from Liverpool on 17 February 1919
- Something obviously happened, as the family left Canada in 1919 and returned later via separate passage to Canada as Percy[snr] (apparently on his own) arrived in St. John, New Brunswick aboard the SS Melita from Liverpool on 11 April 1924. He says he left in 1919 as "he needed a change of climate" and returned stating he had £1M! He is recorded as staying with his sister Marie Louise, who was Mrs. CHJ Marshall, in 6 Chester Place, Hyde Park Sq. London. John Byng-Hall also has this as an address when he came to Southampton from Wellington New Zealand on 27 April 1924 on the "SS Remuera".
- Muriel + Percy, Maureen and Desmond arrived in Vancouver "to join their father" aboard the "SS Niagra" from Auckland, New Zealand on 30 May 1924, having been staying with Muriel's nephew, a Mr. Hawkes of Christchurch.
- Mrs. Percy Byng-Hall [jnr] is recorded as travelling from Gourock to New York on the "Queen Elizabeth" arriving on 14 September 1942, travelling on to Anlaby.

Mrs. Hall is much interested in amateur theatricals and is a great lover of music. They lived on St. Patrick's Street in Oak Bay and were popular socially in the city.

Anne Cook $_{(90.2)}$  would refer to an Uncle Theo. This is Percy which according to Aidan Bucknall $_{(95.3)}$  was his family nickname. There was also reference to Ethel in the same context – as in Uncle Theo and Aunt Ethel, which is assumed by me to be Theo's wife i.e. Muriel, which may of course be erroneous or .......

37.2 Rev. EDWARD ARTHUR SELBY LOWNDES was born on 22 May 1873 at Paddington, London and died on 1 August 1959 in Folkstone, Kent. He was buried at Whaddon, Buckinghamshire. He married MARTHA VELLEDA GOBIN in 1914; she was born on 10 March 1892 in France and died on 24 November 1965 in Brighton, East Sussex.

### Child of EDWARD SELBY LOWNDES and MARTHA GOBIN is:

 JOAN MONICA SELBY LOWNDES<sub>(37.4)</sub> who was born on 29 September 1916 and died on 9 February 1997 and was buried with her father at Whaddon, Buckinghamshire.

### Other Information

He graduated from Exeter College, Oxford in 1892 with a BA(hons) in Hebrew Studies, having been previously apprenticed in 1888 for 7 years to a Merchant Taylor in London. In 1939 he was the Vicar at Winslow, Buckinghamshire, and was also the Vicar at Whaddon, Buckinghamshire for 25 years.

ANNIE MacKENZIE HALL who was born on 2 January 1890 at Minitonas, Manitoba, Canada and died on 30 August 1972 in Calgary, Alberta, Canada.

She married DAVID HARDISTY McDOUGALL on 23 September 1908 in Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada. He was born during 1879 in the Northwest Territories, Canada and died in 1960 at Calgary, Alberta, Canada.

### Children of ANNIE HALL and DAVID McDOUGALL are:

- DAVID ARTHUR McDOUGALL(69.1) was born on 18 May 1910 at Banff, Alberta, Canada and died on 10 September 1984 in Los Angeles, California, USA. He married MURIEL JOAN PYSER on 12 July 1946 at Calgary, Alberta, Canada. No known children.
- GEORGINA (Georgie) McDOUGALL $_{(69.2)}$  who was born on 17 May 1912 in Alberta, Canada. ELIZABETH McDOUGALL $_{(69.3)}$  who was born on 7 April 1915 in Alberta, Canada. ii.
- iii
- JEAN McDOUGALL<sub>(69.4)</sub> was born on 19 June 1917 in Alberta, Canada, and died on 11 June 1952 in Calgary, Alberta, Canada and is buried with her parents.
  - She married CLIFFORD NELMER SABIN after 1948 but no identified children.
- $\textbf{GWENDOLINE McDOUGALL}_{(69.5)} \ \textit{was born on about 2 July 1919 in Banff, Canada}.$
- VIRGINIA McDOUGALL(69.6) who was born on 18 June 1925 in Los Angeles, USA and died on 13 January 1985 in Las Vegas, Nevada, USA and is buried in Calgary, Alberta, Canada. She married Mr. DUTCHIK after 1948 but no identified children.

### Other Information

He was one of the original Homesteaders in Alberta. There is confusing information on the web about this family, but I consider what is written above is correct. My first attempt has been modified in that I do not think that Robert jnr previously recorded is correct and that Gwendoline may in fact be Wilmot as recorded in the 1921 census.

70 KENNETH CHARLES HALL was born on 27 October 1891 in Minnedosa, Manitoba, Canada, and died on 6 March 1989 at the Sherwood Guest Home, Matsqui, British Columbia, Canada. He married **GERTRUDE WILLAMINA REICH**. She was born on 5 February 1915 at Sehrow, Germany and died on 4 December 2001 in British Columbia, Canada.

### Children of KENNETH HALL and GERTRUDE REICH are:

- ARTHUR KENNETH HALL(96) who was born on 17 June 1934 at Dawson Creek, British Columbia, Canada and died on 8 November 2004 in British Columbia, Canada.
- JOHN HALL(97)
- ELIZABETH HALL(98)
  - She married Mr. WARREN but no further details available.

#### Other Information

His Attestation papers for WWI service dated 15 October 1918 has him living in Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada and he was a Rancher. He served in Siberia, Ontario, Canada, and was demobbed on 29 May 1919 His mother was living at 910 Wingfield Street, Los Angeles, California, USA. In 1921 he was a Farmer on his own land at Cariboo, British Columbia, Canada. His death record identifies he was a Merchant with his own Store in Minnedosa, Manitoba, Canada.

71 ARTHUR HORATIO HALL was born on 18 January 1894 in Minnedosa, Manitoba, Canada, and died in 1971 in Calgary, Alberta, Canada.

He married RUBY MAY BROWN on 24 April 1923 at Calgary, Alberta, Canada.

### Children of ARTHUR HALL and RUBY BROWN are:

- RUBY (Betty) ELIZABETH JEAN HALL<sub>(99)</sub> who was born on 26 February 1924 at Calgary, Alberta, Canada and died there on 2 February 2020 She was not married but lived with her partner THOMAS F. CAMPBELL.
- ARTHUR (Bud) GEORGE HALL(100) who was born on 26 October 1926 in Calgary, Alberta, Canada and died there on 19 January 2019

### Other Information

On 30 October 1914 he was recorded in a Canadian homestead record. His attestation papers dated 15 February 1915 identify he was a Rancher, and his mother was living at 910 Wingfield Street, Los Angeles, California, USA. He served with the Norfolk Regiment.

72 JEAN ETHEL HALL was born on 16 September 1896 in Los Angeles, and died on 28 August 1967 in Peralta Hospital, Alameda, California, United States after a prolonged illness. She married CARLISLE CAMERON CROSBY on 5 November 1921

### Children of JEAN HALL and CARLISLE CROSBY are:

CARLISLE CAMERON CROSBY<sub>(72.1)</sub> who was born on 28 February 1923 in Oakland, California, USA.

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ii. PATRICIA JEAN CROSBY<sub>(72.2)</sub> who was born on 18 November 1925 in Oakland, California, USA. She married EDWARD H ROWE on 6 August 1949 in her parent's home in Piedmont, California, USA but no identified children.

### Other Information

She graduated from Stanford University and was a member of the phi beta phi sorority. She was a member of the Claremont Country Club and Idylmont Group of Booth Memorial Hospital and also of St. Pauls Church.

They lived in Oakland / Piedmont area of California, USA and he was a Director of the Oakland Chamber of Commerce, a past President of the Alameda Bar Association, former Chairman of the Board of Bar Examiners, Vice President in charge of public relations and a member of the Board of Governors of the State Bar of California. (ex Oakland Tribune 30 August 1967)

**73 JOHN CECIL HALL** was born on 8 July 1898 in Los Angeles, USA and died on 18 July 1985 at White Rock, British Columbia, Canada.

He married **NELLIE NEWBY** on 1 August 1924 at Pouce Coupe, British Columbia, Canada. She was born in 1903

#### Children of JOHN HALL and NELLIE NEWBY are:

- i. **JEAN ELIZABETH HALL**(101) who was born in about 1925 at Pouce Coupe, British Columbia, Canada.
- ii. JOAN ANN HALL(102) who was born on 10 July 1928 at Pouce Coupe, British Columbia, Canada.
- iii. PATRICIA GRACE HALL(103) who was born on 10 July 1928 at Pouce Coupe, British Columbia, Canada.

### Other Information

In late 1915 his attestation papers for the Canadian Military in Edmonton, Canada records him as being 3 years older than he actually was, and that he was a Machinist and Farmer and his mother was living at 910 Winfield Street, Los Angeles, California, USA. He sailed for Europe in April 1916 and was serving with the 49th Battalion when reported missing on 19 September 1916 but was found having been wounded in his right arm and shoulder on 17 September 1916 from which he recovered quite well after hospitalisation. After a spell in a depot in Purfleet, Surrey, he was transferred to the 66th Battalion and was wounded again in his right leg in October 1918 but survives that and was discharged on 2 June 1919

- 75 ARTHUR HALL was born on 17 March 1887 near Palghaut, India and died on 8 May 1972 at Gipping, Suffolk.
  - He married (1) MARIANNE JOSEPHINE JENKINS in 2<sup>nd</sup> Q 1913 at West Bromwich, Staffordshire. She died on 14 October 1918 in Munnar, Madras, India.
    - (2) MAUDE ADELAIDE TYLER on 1 April 1921 at St. Marks, Woodcote, Purley Surrey; she was born in about 1885 and died on 18 September 1972 at 20a Roseberry Road, Felixstowe, Suffolk and left £10,574 in her will.

### Children of ARTHUR HALL and MARIANNE JENKINS are:

- JAMES ARTHUR HALL<sub>(104)</sub> who was born on 16 February 1914 in Madras India and baptised on 3 May 1914 at Munnar, Madras, India.
- ii. MAURICE CLINTON HALL<sub>(105)</sub> who was born on 22 October 1916 in India and baptised on 14 November 1916 at Palghat, Madras, India.
- iii. OLIVE MARIANNE HALL<sub>(106)</sub> who was born on 5 December 1917 in Madras, India and baptised on 6 December 1917 at Munnar, Madras, India. She died on 5 December 1993 at 40 Hansell Drive, Solihull, Warwickshire and left £133767 in her will.
  - She married ERIC H MIFFLIN in 1st Q 1947 at Horsham, Sussex and had a child but no further information.

### Child of ARTHUR HALL and MAUDE TYLER is:

iv. MURIEL HALL<sub>(107)</sub> who was born on 22 August 1924

### Other Information

Marianne's will left a small bequest to Olive Marianne Hall, a spinster who was Arthur's Attorney (is this actually her daughter?) and identifies they were living at the Parvithi Estate, Munner Travancore, India. He was a Planter living at 13 Hillcrest Road, Purley, Surrey on his second marriage. Maude left England on 11 September 1926 with an infant, aged 1, for Madras, India on SS *Dumana* and returned from India on SS *Manora* arriving on 6 April 1930 along with Muriel(now aged 5). Maude travelled to India along with her mother-in-law, Norah Frances Hall(30) [a housewife] and Muriel Hall(22) on SS *Dwarka* on 5 July 1947 (which suggests that Norah could have been James' wife from the 1st marriage [she also went to Penang, Malaysia in 1954).

He and Maude returned from India on SS *Madura* arriving 26 November 1948 in Plymouth Devon. Their address was given as Church Street, Bridgewater, Somerset, and they were traveling with his mother.

**81 JOHN MacKENZIE HALL** was born on 11 October 1892, and was baptised on 17 November 1892 at Calicut, Madras. He died on 18 September 1949 at the National Temperance Hospital, Hampstead Road, London.

He married GRACE LILLIAN EDWARDS in 1916 in Tasmania, Australia.



### Children of JOHN HALL and GRACE EDWARDS are:

- i. JOANNA YVONNE McKENZIE HALL<sub>(108)</sub> who was born in 1918 at Trichur, Madras, India.
- ii. JOHN EDWARDS M'KENZIE HALL(109) who was born on 7 June 1923 in Tasmania, Australia.

#### Other Information

In 1901 he was living at 157 Hamstead Road, Handsworth, Staffordshire.

When he travelled to Australia is not known, but in 1914 he was signed up to the 3rd Regiment Light Horse of Australian Army in Pontville, Tasmania and was quickly promoted to Corporal. He suffered head and spinal injuries at Gallipoli on 20 February 2015 and was discharged on 15 July 2015 to return to Australia as being medically unfit. He is recorded as travelling from Liverpool to Colombo, Ceylon leaving 26 September 1915 on the Bibby Line's "Gloucestershire", and he is identified as a Planter.

In 1919 they are recorded as being in transit through Nova Scotia, Canada from the "SS Minniedosa" from Liverpool on their way to Hobart, Tasmania. He received his war medals in 1923 It seems he was possibly a Tea Planter in India and a Rubber Planter in Malaya. In January 1953 there were letters written about his war injury being a cause of death and the effect on the widow's pension; the outcome is not clear. They were living at Meadway, Buckfast, Devon when he died, and he left £1.292 to his wife.

**VALENTINA JOANNA HALL** who was born on 20 February 1887 in Fulham, London and was baptised on 24 August 1887 at St. Philip's, Battersea, London. She died on 18 March 1970 in Hammersmith, London.

She married **HENRY WILLIAM GARRIDO BECKER** on 14 February 1910 in Hampstead, London. He was born in 1882 and died on 13 December 1959 at Melbury, Court, Kensington, London.

### Child of VALENTINA HALL and HENRY BECKER is:

ELSA BECKER<sub>(83.1)</sub> who was born on 26 December 1912 in Brentford, London and baptised on 25 January 1913 at Turnham Green, London.
 She married SAMUEL HOLMES JOHNSON on 20 July 1935 at St. Mark's, Audley Street, London and had 2 children but no further details.
 He was a Broker in 1935 but during WWII was a Major in the Indian Army and was a PoW of the Japanese. She was living in Calcutta, India at this time. In 1963 they were living in Bexley, Kent.

### Other Information

He was naturalised in 1889 along with his parents and siblings. When Elsa was baptised, they were living at 152 Sutton Court Road, Chiswick, London and he was a Produce Merchant. In 1938 they were living at 7 Bentinct Close, Prince Albert Road, London and had her father and Ethel Mary Taylor (a servant and/or possibly a distant cousin) living with them too. She was living at 63 Melbury Court, Kensington, London when she died, and left £43,630 in her will.

53.1 SYBIL GIBBON was born in about 1885 at Camberwell, Surrey and died on 24 June 1951 at 223 West Christina Street, Fort William, Thunder Bay, Ontario, Canada. She married THOMAS ZACHARY on 4 November 1914 in Victoria, Manitoba, Canada. It was his second marriage. By his first wife he had 4 children.

### Children of SYBIL GIBBON and THOMAS ZACHARY are:

- i. MURIEL DOROTHEA ZACHARY<sub>(53.1.1)</sub> who was born on 11 May 1917 in Manitoba and died on 20 July 2004
- ii. KATHARINA FRANCES ZACHARY<sub>(53,1,2)</sub> who was born on 10 January 1920 in Manitoba, Canada and died during 1978
- iii. ADELA RUTH ZACHARY<sub>(53.1.3)</sub> who was born on 13 April 1925

#### Other Information

In 1921 they were living on a Farm at North Norfolk, Neepawa, Manitoba, Canada with a son of his by his first marriage.

### Our Great Great Grandparent's Generation

**59.2 IDA HELEN GERALDINE MARSHALL** was born on 27 May 1883 at Dalhouse, Bengal, India. She died on 14 December 1960 in Tunbridge Wells, Kent.

She married **Lieutenant CYRIL CHARLES HAMILTON POTTER OBE** on 22 July 1903 in Kensington, London. He was with the Royal Hussars at the time of their marriage. He died in 1941 in a Nursing Home in Oxfordshire.

### Children of IDA MARSHALL and CYRIL POTTER are:

- BETTINE MARIE HAMILTON POTTER<sub>(59.2.1)</sub> who was born on 22 November 1904 at Hanover Square, London and died on 15 April 1983 at Gravenhage (The Hague, Netherlands).
   She married (1) JOHN M PEARSON in 2<sup>nd</sup> Q 1928 at Lymington, Hampshire
  - (2) ELISE WILLEM MAARTEN QUARLES van UFFORD on 13 March 1945 at Kensington, London. He was born in 1896 and died in 1957; this was his second marriage. They did not have any children (previously identified child was by his first marriage)
- ii. SHEILA MABEL ROSEMARY POTTER<sub>(59,2.2)</sub> who was born in 1<sup>st</sup> Q 1909 in the New Forest, Hampshire and may have died on 24 June 1992 in Fife, and was buried at Kinfauns Garden, Perthshire. She married ROBERT AUGUSTIS FELL on 28 April 1938 at Paddington, London and had possibly 3 children They lived in Scotland in the 1960's.
- iii. CYRIL PETER ANTHONY POTTER<sub>(59,2.3)</sub> who was born in about 1919 and died on 20 February 1980 He married ELSPETH SETON COCHRANE in 1946 but no identified children. She was a writer and actress, known for ITV Play of the Week (1955), Folio (1955) and Startime (1959)

He went to the USA in 1936 as a Student but obviously returned, as he was a 2nd Lieutenant in the Grenadier Guards from 23 March 1940, but where he may have served is not clear. His mother's will identifies him as a Theatre Producer.



Cyril and Elspeth

#### Other Information

In 1928 they were living at Throgmorton Street, London but they presumably separated sometime after this, as he was living with Joanna M Reid in 1939 in Cardiff.

**90 LILLIAN ELENA ANNA BYNG-HALL** was born during September 1892 in New Orleans, America, and died on 10 June 1952 in Gerrards Cross,

Buckinghamshire. She was buried at St. James Church, Gerrards Cross. She married (1) GEORGE HOME COOK on 16 December 1916 in St James

Church, Sussex Gardens, Paddington, London. He was born 15 October 1887 in Amoy, China, and died 5 August 1920 in St George, Hanover Square, London and was buried in Dean Cemetery, Edinburgh. The marriage was reported in the Singapore Straights Times on 10 January 1917 and refers to her grandfather as a General.



Lillian & children

(2) ROTHESAY CHARLES STEWART during 1930 in Eton, Berkshire. [courtesy Nancy Aldinger] He was born on 12 July 1854 in India and died during 4<sup>th</sup> Q 1947 (recorded in Eton, Berkshire) and was buried on 12 December 1947 at Kensington and Chelsea, London. He left £60,089 to Lillian in his will. [see also Appendix 4 for his family ancestry].

### Children of LILLIAN BYNG-HALL and GEORGE COOK are:

i. HENRY HOME COOK<sub>(90.1)</sub> was born on 24 January 1918 at Bowden, Altrincham, Cheshire and died on 23 September 2003 in Chalfont St. Peter, Buckinghamshire. He is buried in Horn Hill Churchyard, Chalfont St. Peter, Buckinghamshire.

He married **THEFFANIA** (**Fania**) **SAUNDERS** on 26 June 1943. She was born on 7 December 1920, and died on 10 September 2005 in Chalfont St. Peter, Buckinghamshire. She is buried with her husband.

They had 4 children who all married and produced 10 grandchildren who are also all married and have produced 21 great grandchildren between them.

Refer to the COOK family history for details of their families.

 ANNE MARY COOK<sub>(90.2)</sub> was born on 6 January 1920 at Bowden and died on 15 December 1995 in Northallerton, North Yorkshire. She is buried in Masham Churchyard, North Yorkshire.

She married JOHN EDWARD OTHER BURRILL on 21 March 1942 at St. James, Gerrards Cross, Buckinghamshire. He was born on 21 February 1917 at The Greens, Masham, North Yorkshire, and died on 17 September 1997 at home in Masham. He is buried with Anne. They had 3 children who all married but only one produced 3 grandchildren, one of whom is married and has produced 1 great grandchild.

Refer to the BURRILL family history for details of their families.



Harry & Fania (1968 St. Louis) [courtesy Nancy Aldinger]



John and Anne 21 March 1992 Celebrating their Golden wedding

### Other Information

She lived at the Elms, Gerrards Cross with her mother and left £45,352 to her children in her will. She is buried very close to her mother at St. James Church, Gerrards Cross. *cont'd* 

14.3.4.1

Rothesay was the Medical Superintendent of an Asylum at Narborough in Leicestershire for a considerable period 1891 to 1911 at least. He also travelled widely from shipping passenger lists.

MARTHA AGNES BYNG-HALL was born on 22 February 1898 (1897 according to her passport application and in Detroit) in St. Louis, Michigan, USA. She died on 25 July 1986 in St Louis, Missouri, USA and is buried with John Biedenstein. She married (1) CLIFFORD THOMPSON DOUTHITT7 who was born on 27

August 1891 in Vienna, Illinois, USA and died on 14 January 1952 at City Hospital, St. Louis, Missouri, USA and is buried at Valhalla Cemetery, St. Louis County, Missouri, USA. He married secondly Helen Louise Pall and they had five children (5 children -"findagrave")

(2) JOHN (Bud) VINCENT BIEDENSTEIN on 29 July 1929 in Martha in Rouen. Warren County, Missouri, USA. He was born on 1 February France in 1920's 1900 at Normandy, Missouri, USA. He died on 28 June 1980 and is buried in Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery, 2900 Sheridan Road, St. Louis, Missouri, USA.



John in 1941 (courtesy Nancy Aldinger)

### Children of MARTHA BYNG-HALL and CLIFFORD DOUTHITT are:

produced 19 great grandchildren between them.

- CLIFFORD THEODORE DOUTHITT(91.1) was born on 28 March 1919 in Bloomfield, Illinois, USA and died on 24 August 2016 in Dallas, Texas, USA. He is buried at Lakeview Cemetery in Waxahachie, Ellis County, Texas, USA
  - He married INEZ LOUISE SEE on 30 December 1939 who was born on 24 September 1920 in Omega, Marion County, Illinois, USA. She died on 7 April 2021 in Texas, USA. They had 3 children who all married and produced 8 children between them, who ae all married and
- PAUL WARDEN DOUTHITT (91.2) was born on 1 May 1922 at 4422 Evans Street, St. Louis, Missouri, USA and died on 7 March 1979 in St. Louis City, Missouri, USA. He married THERESA MARIE WICKLINE on 2 March 1946 in Normandy, Missouri, USA. She was born on 2 March 1924 in St. Louis County and died on 30 September 2008 in St. Louis City, Missouri,

They had 6 children all of whom are married and produced 17 children between them, who have in turn produced 18 great grandchildren.



- HELEN LOUISE BIEDENSTEIN (91.3) was born on 4 November 1930 in Missouri, USA and died on Christmas Day 2017 at Wentzville, St. Charles, Missouri, USA She married DALE FRANCIS MEDER on 22 May 1954 at St. Ann, Normandy, St Louis, Missouri, USA. He was born on 14 August 1930 and died on 19 July 2009 They had 4 children who all married and produced 7 grandchildren, two of whom have produced 2 great grandchildren.
- JOHN T (Pete) BIEDENSTEIN(91.4) was born on 13 September 1933 in Missouri, USA and died on 29 May 1972 in St. Louis, Missouri, USA. He married ZENOKLA YUVON HERREN on 5 July 1958 at Bel Ridge, St Louis, Missouri, USA and are presumed to have separated / divorced. She was born on 22 July 1939 in Arkansas, USA. They had 2 children.
- MARTHA ANNE BIEDENSTEIN (91.5) was born during 1937 and died on 13 May 2017 in St. Louis, Missouri, USA. She married ROBERT FRANCIS TIEMANN who died on 1 October 2005 in St. Louis, Missouri, USA
- They had 7 children all of whom are married and produced 8 grandchildren between them. ROBERT TILMAN BIEDENSTEIN(91.6) was born on 13 October 1938 in Carsonville, Missouri, USA and died on 3 March 2005 in St. Louis, Missouri. He is buried in the Calvary Cemetery and Mausoleum. He married CAROL ANN BOOTH on 14 September 1963 in Dardenne, Missouri, USA. She was born on 14 January 1937 in St. Louis City, Missouri, USA.
  - They had 7 children, 6 of whom are or have been married and have produced 8 grandchildren and there are 3 great grandchildren too.



and his 3 children 4 generations [courtesy Nancy Aldinger]



Agnes, Martha, Paul and Paul -4 generations

### Other Information

In 1909 she was at the Heidelberg College, Ealing, London and was awarded the Gymnastics prize for Form II. In the 1911 Irish census, Martha is recorded as being an International Exhibition Skater. From a Military Registration Card dated 6 May 1917 for Clifford Thompson Douthitt (same dob but not the same place as I had previously recorded nor second name either), he had a dependant wife (presumably Martha), was a Vaudeville Actor and lived at 4414 Evans Avenue, St. Louis, Missouri, USA. It is not clear whether he was called up or not. In 1920 they were living in Renny Place, St. Louis, Missouri, USA and he was a Travelling Salesman in Advertising. It would appear the upbringing of Clifford and Paul was not conventional, given they were brought up by different relatives. (see their notes) John Biedenstein served with the American Navy at the end of WWI enlisting on 7 August 1918 and

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> I have seen a reference from the U.S., Social Security Applications and Claims Index, 1936-2007 that he was registered as Clifford Thomas Douthit (note spelling) and born on 27 August 1894 in Crossville, Illinois, USA, which is 90 miles away from Vienna, Illinois, USA. The Douthitt's would appear to have emigrated from Ireland in the early 1700's.

was discharged on 15 October 1919, and in 1920 he was living with his parents at St. Anns Lane, Normandy, St. Louis, Missouri, USA but no occupation. When they married, he was living at 3815, St. Anns Street, St. Louis County and she at 5021 Wells Avenue, St. Louis City, Missouri, USA (4 miles apart). Why go to Warrenton, Warren County, Missouri, USA [52 miles away] to get married? In 1940 the Biedenstein's were living in 8900 Ramona Avenue, Normandy, St. Louis, Missouri, USA (2 miles from his old family home) and he was a Carpenter. Apparently, money was tight.

**92 JOHN FELIX BYNG-HALL CBE** was born on 3 May 1906 in Kingston, Surrey and died 13 January 1983 in Chichester, with an obituary in the Times (can't access it).

He married **JANET MARY MORAND BAINES** in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Q of 1962 in Hendon, Middlesex; she was born on 21 January 1906 in Headingly, Leeds and died on 28 April 1991 in Weymouth, Dorset.

#### Children of JOHN BYNG-HALL and JANET BAINES are:

- CAROLINE MARY BYNG-HALL<sub>(110)</sub> was born in about 1936 in Nakuru, which is in the Rift Valley of Kenya She married twice and had 3 children with her first husband
- ii. JOHN BYNG-HALL<sub>(111)</sub> was born in about 1938 in Nakuru, Kenya. He married
  - They had 3 children, two of whom are known to have married and one grandchild has been produced between them.

### Other Information

As a child he was brought up by his aunt Lillian Batten and on 17 September 1921 went to New Zealand on the "Orvieto", to be under the care of his Uncle Theo (this is a family nickname for Percy(65)). The shipping record identifies him living with his Aunt Marie-Louise in Chester Place. In 1923/4 he was back in England for a while before moving on to Kenya. He was ultimately a successful farmer and ran various companies in Kenya, having been mentioned in Elspeth Huxley's book "Out in the Midday Sun" as helping run a ranch at Soysambu in Kenya, run by the Dempster family.

He is recorded as travelling to Kenya with the family on the Llandaff Castle leaving London on 31 August 1939. They had been staying at 7 Wanstead Road, Bromley, Kent.

He was made CBE in the New Year's honours 1969 and was recorded in the *London Gazette* as the Managing Director, Kenya Co-operative Creameries (previously OBE in 1965).

**94 MAUREEN BYNG-HALL** was born on 27 May 1910 in Victoria, British Columbia, Canada. She died on 8 November 1994 at her home in Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada.

She married (1) WILLIAM PAUL FRASER NICHOLSON on 31 December 1932 in Vancouver, British Columbia. Canada

(2) ROBERT MAGGS before 1952 (according to her mother's death notice in the paper and other notices in the press)

### Children of MAUREEN BYNG-HALL and WILLIAM NICHOLSON are:

- DAVID BYNG NICHOLSON<sub>(94.1)</sub> and lived in Vancouver He married but no known children.
- ii. TIMOTHY FRASER NICHOLSON<sub>(94.2)</sub> who was born on 15 November 1936 at Sooke, British Columbia, Canada He married FLORENCE GARRIGAN before 1957 and had 2 children but no further details.

### Other Information

In 1948 she was recorded as being an Actress, and in 1972, she is recorded as being a clerk, living at 405 Raindance Crescent, Capilano, Vancouver (North).

95 DESMOND O'CALLAGAHN BYNG-HALL was born during December 1912 in Victoria, British Columbia, Canada, and died on 9 October 1995 in Ganges, British Columbia.

He married **ELIZABETH DICKSON (Betty) JACK** on 30 December 1939 in Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada.



### Children of DESMOND BYNG-HALL and ELIZABETH JACK are:

i. MICHAEL WILLIAM BYNG-HALL and ELIZABETH JACK are:

Betty on her engagement

MICHAEL WILLIAM BYNG-HALL(112) who was born 21 November 1940 and died 18 May 1961 and is buried in Capilano View, 3<sup>rd</sup> Street, Vancouver.

He was a Queen's Scout and awarded the Cornwall Scout Badge for his enthusiasm for Scout wok despite his suffering from muscular paralysis and provides a challenge and inspiration to those boys who come into contact with him. He was generally wheelchair bound but used crutches for his scouting activities. (The Vancouver Sun 30 June 1959)

 ROBERT DESMOND BYNG-HALL<sub>(113)</sub> who was born in 1946 in Canada. He married and had 4 children.

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### Other Information

He graduated from the University of British Columbia in 1933. Their marriage was reported in the University paper 1 May 1940, and they lived at 3758 43<sup>rd</sup> Avenue West, Vancouver (South) from 1949 until at least 1963. He was recorded as being an Engineer / Civil Servant.

In the London Gazette of 3 April 1934 there is reference to an Acting Pilot Officer D.O'C Byng-Hall in the General Duties Branch, but he resigned on the grounds of ill health in December that year. There are listings in RAF Notes and in the Legion Magazine recording this fact and his passing. However, "The Province" (Vancouver, British Columbia dated 30 December 1939) records he was a Lieutenant with the Irish Guards. In 1957 he was recorded as a Major in the 7th Field Engineer Regiment, and was obviously a good shot having won the Colonel Keen Trophy for best individual shot at the annual shoot at Blair Range (The Province (Vancouver, British Columbia) 11 June 1957).

In 1990, David<sub>(94.1)</sub> wrote to us advising of Desmond and Betty's health. Both had fallen and broken hips but were together, and being cared for in hospital.

69.2 GEORGINA (Georgie) McDOUGALL was born on 17 May 1912 in Alberta, Canada. She died on 29 January 1973 in Riverside County, California, USA, and appears to have been buried at Queens Park Cemetery and Mausoleum, Calgary, Alberta, Canada as was her husband in 1987 She married RICHARD FRANCIS (Frank) COPITHORNE. He was born in 1906 in Alberta, Canada and died in 1987 having possibly married again.

### Child of GEORGINA McDOUGALL and FRANK COPITHORNE is:

- RICHARD DAVID COPITHORNE<sub>(69.2.1)</sub> who was born on 22 July 1935 and died in 1994 in Calgary, Alberta. He married and had 2 children but no details available.
- ii. ANNE MARIE COPITHORNE<sub>(69.2.2)</sub> who was born on 19 August 1937 She married but no details available, *although "findagrave" has her dying on 3 January 2020 and her husband as DAVID GORDON CAMPBELL*.
- iii. TOM COPITHORNE(69.2.3)
- iv. JOAN COPITHORNE<sub>(69.2.4)</sub> She married Mr. WESTERSON
- v. KEN COPITHORNE(69,2,5)
- **69.3 ELIZABETH McDOUGALL** was born on 7 April 1915 in Alberta and died on 22 June 2014 in Calgary, Alberta, Canada.

She married WILFRED FRANCIS COSTELLO in May 1937

### Children of ELIZABETH McDOUGALL and WILFRED COSTELLO are:

- i. DAVID COSTELLO<sub>(69.3.1)</sub>
- ii. MARGARET COSTELLO<sub>(69.3.2)</sub>
- iii. CATHERINE COSTELLO(69.3.3)
- iv. MARY ELIZABETH COSTELLO<sub>(69.3.4)</sub>

### Other Information

He owned his own Real Estate Company in Calgary. They lived at 1101 Premier Way, Calgary, Alberta, Canada when he died in July 1955

**69.5 GWENDOLYNE McDOUGALL<sup>8</sup>** was born on about 2 July 1919 in Banff, Alberta, Canada and died on 28 March 2011 in Cochrane, Alberta, Canada.

She married WILLIAM McKENDRICK

### Children of GENDOLYNE McDOUGALL and WILLIAM McKENDRICK are:

- i. WILLIAM ALAN McKENDRICK<sub>(69.5.1)</sub> who was born on 3 September 1951 in Calgary, Alberta, Canada and died on 24 December 2014 at Cochrane, Alberta, Canada.
   He may have married and had 3 children but no details available.
- ii. PATRICIA JEAN McKENDRICK<sub>(69.5.2)</sub>
  - She married Mr. WIECHNIK
- iii. ANN MCDOUGALL McKENDRICK<sub>(69.5.3)</sub> She married Mr. McNABB.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> This information is taken from her death record which identifies her parents, but there are no other obvious records for her.

72.1 CARLISLE (Bud) CAMERON CROSBY was born on 28 February 1923 in Oakland, California, USA. He died on 21 February 2002 at Green Valley, Pima, Arizona, USA. He married VIRGINIA (Ginny) MORDY on April 1946 at Berkeley, Oakland, California, USA.

#### Child of CARLISLE CROSBY and VIRGINIA MORDY is:

- ROBERT CARLISLE CROSBY<sub>(72.3)</sub> who was born on 12 February 1951 in San Francisco, California, USA and died there on 13 March 1951
- ii. MEG CROSBY<sub>(72.4)</sub>
  - She married and had 3 children
- iii. BILL CROSBY<sub>(72.5)</sub>
- iv. TOM CROSBY (72.6)

He married and had 4 children

#### Other Information (ex San Francisco Examiner 13 May 1999)

He was a Lieutenant in the Army Air Corps.

Before they married, she attended UC Berkeley and was in the Pi chapter Kappa Kappa Gamma. After their marriage, they lived in Piedmont when the children were young but subsequently moved to San Marino, Newport Beach, Rancho Santa Fe and La Jolia (all in California, USA). They retired in 1986 to Sunriver, Oregon. USA. She enjoyed gardening and did a lot of volunteer work and actively supported various Sunriver activity groups. She is buried in Mt. View Cemetery, Oakland, California, USA.

101 JEAN ELIZABETH HALL was born in about 1925 at Pouce Coupe, British Columbia, Canada, and died on 1 November 2005 in Calgary, Alberta, Canada after a brief battle with cancer. She married GLEN POOLE who was born in 1925 and died in 1988

#### Children of JEAN HALL and GLEN POOLE are:

- i. LAIRD JAMESON POOLE(101.1) who was born in October 1950 and died on 3 April 1957 at Calgary, Alberta, Canada
- ii. SHELLEY POOLE(101.2)
  - She married and had 3 children.
- iii. CORY POOLE(101.3)
  - He may have married JENNIFER ESTRELA

### Other Information (ex a Calgary newspaper)

She worked as an Accountant for McTavish and McKay Construction for many years. She was an active member of the Parkdale United Church and Women's Christian Fellowship. She was a volunteer grandmother for over ten years with the Grandparents Programme at Ranchlands Community School. She also has an obit in the Calgary Record.

JOAN ANN HALL was born on 10 July 1928 at Pouce Coupe, British Columbia, Canada and died on 12 January 2005 at Prince George, British Columbia, Canada. She has an obit in "The Province" newspaper. She married (1) ARTHUR STANLEY TRENTHAM who was born on 15 January 1914 at Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada and died on 16 September 1963
(2) WOLFGANG LEINE

#### Children of JOAN HALL and ARTHUR TRENTHAM are:

- i. LARRY TRENTHAM<sub>(102.1)</sub>
- ii. NOREEN TRENTHAM<sub>(102.2)</sub>
- iii. SHIELA TRENTHAM<sub>(102.3)</sub>

### Other Information

He was ex-serviceman with the Seaforth Highlanders a Police Officer and (from social media accounts!) and was killed when he was struck by a vehicle while he was directing traffic in his capacity as a temporary inspector (ex "findagrave").

**103 PATRICIA GRACE HALL** was born on 10 July 1928 at Pouce Coupe, British Columbia, Canada. She died on 8 May 1999 in Los Angeles, California, USA.

She married BERNARD HARVEY MARRINGTON on 3 September 1953; they divorced in 1993

#### Children of PATRICIA HALL and BERNARD MARRINGTON are:

- i. JODY LYNN MARRINGTON<sub>(103.1)</sub>
  - He is a contractor in Orange County, California.
- ii. STACEY LEE MARRINGTON(103.2)
  - She married Mr. WIDASECK and is a director with Trump International Realty in New York City, USA.

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### Other Information (courtesy Oakland Newspaper)

Born in Canada in 1928, he served in World War II as a Canadian Naval Cadet from 1943 to 1945 on the HMCS *Captain Vancouver* and the HMCS *Malaspina*. He earned a Bachelor of Science in marketing management from Pacific Western University. He later completed coursework at Bethany College in West Virginia and the University of Pittsburgh. In his spare time, he enjoys rose gardening, citrus culture, golf, ocean sailing and yacht and ship precision navigation, and classical music. He is an active member of the Ventura Yacht Club.

In recognition of outstanding contributions to his profession and the Marquis Who's Who community, he has been featured on the Albert Nelson Marquis Lifetime Achievement website.

**105 Brigadier MAURICE CLINTON HALL MC** was born on 22 October 1916 in India and baptised on 14 November 1916 at Palghat, Madras, India. (Indian Birth records). He died on 18 May 2008 at Redhill Surrey.

He married **EVA HELEN KOPPEL** in August 1944 in Wales. She was born on 30 March 1921 at Dortmund, North Rhine-Westphalia, Germany and died on 13 April 2012 in West Sussex.

They had 2 children

### Other Information

He was commissioned from Sandhurst in 1936 into the Royal Artillery and served with the 116/118th Field Battery RA (Middle East) during WWII. He was awarded the Military Cross on 24 February 1942 for an action in the Middle East during which he was wounded. He was promoted to Brigadier on 18 October 1964 and retired from the Army on 1 February 1968

He and Eva travelled on RMS Queen Elizabeth arriving in New York, USA on 14 August 1947; he was recorded as being a British Army Officer.

108 JOANNA YVONNE McKENZIE HALL was born in 1918 at Trichur, Madras, India. She died on 17 November 2004 of chronic obstructive pulmonary heart disease in Honiton, Devon. She married PETER DENTON WEIGHT VOWDEN on 18 December 1943 in Kensington. Their marriage was later dissolved, and Joanna changed her name by deed poll to Pilgrim. Why is not known

They had 1 child who married

### Other Information

Joanna enlisted in the Military and served in the Auxiliary Territorial Service during WWII.

109 Squadron Leader JOHN EDWARDS M'KENZIE HALL was born on 7 June 1923 in Launceston, Tasmania, Australia. He died on 7 November 2018 He married JUNE STEELE (née Medhurst-Saul) in 1957

They had 1 child

### Other Information (ex Daily Telegraph Obituaries)

He was educated at Trinity Grammar School, Melbourne and volunteered for the RAF and trained as a pilot in the US. Assessed as above average, he was posted as a flying instructor to No 1 British Flying Training School at Terrell Air Force Base in Texas.

He returned to Britain in July 1944, transferred to the Fleet Air Arm and served on 891 Squadron, the first to be equipped with the US-built Hellcat night fighter. When he was demobilised in 1947, he spent a year in Africa before returning to join the RAF in 1948. For the next four years he was a flying instructor.

In 1952 he transferred to helicopters and was posted to 194 Squadron based at Kuala Lumpur and flying the Westland Dragonfly in support of army patrols operating against the communist terrorists in the jungle. Flying troops into remote jungle clearings and evacuating casualties was his main task. The helicopter force was in great demand and on 16 August 1954, M'Kenzie-Hall carried out 16 flights in seven hours. He also volunteered to command the Far East Jungle Rescue Team.

In October 1954 he joined the newly formed 155 Squadron, equipped with the more capable Westland



M'Kenzie-Hall's Whirlwind helicopter lifting troops out of thick jungle in Malaya

Whirlwind. The helicopter's primary role was as a troop carrier. To reach the deepest and most inaccessible areas, men of the SAS were parachuted into the jungle to select a site for a helicopter landing zone. Using explosives and heavy cutting tools, an area was cleared to create a "chimney" in an area where the trees could be 250 ft tall. M'Kenzie-Hall took his helicopter into these areas

and descended in the "chimney", with minimal clearance for the helicopter's rotor blades, to land troops before evacuating any injured soldiers. His logbook was annotated "exceptional pilot". In May 1956 he joined the Joint Experimental Helicopter Unit based at Middle Wallop. He was conducting trials in Cyprus in September when he was instructed to prepare to fly on to aircraft carriers. By 31 October M'Kenzie-Hall's and 11 other helicopters landed on Theseus and headed for Egypt. At 6am on 6 November he flew men of the Royal Marines in the first wave of the Suez invasion, landing a few yards from the De Lesseps statue at Port Said. During the day he made another six lifts during the three-hour assault. The unit then moved to Gamil Airfield and a few days later the Whirlwinds flew back to Cyprus.

In 1957 the Captain of the Queen's Flight, Air Vice-Marshal Sir Edward Fielden, asked M'Kenzie-Hall to set up and run a helicopter section, which was to completely change the pattern of travel for the Royal family, although early helicopters were regarded in certain quarters as slightly suspect where safety was concerned. At that time the Queen's Flight had no helicopters of its own and aircraft were supplied by the Royal Navy's 705 Squadron based at Lee-on-Solent. In the early months of his duties, M'Kenzie-Hall flew as navigator on all naval helicopter flights which carried members of the Royal family. One flight in November 1958 led to a near-catastrophe when a naval helicopter carrying the Duke of Edinburgh and some of his personal staff took off from RAF North Coates in Lincolnshire to cross the Humber estuary to RAF Partington. Over the water M'Kenzie-Hall noticed that the sliding cockpit window by his seat, which was also the escape hatch, was vibrating on its runner and had opened slightly. The restraining safety wire had snapped and there was a danger of the window jettisoning itself and hitting the tail rotor resulting in a catastrophic crash.

He grabbed hold of the loose window before it broke away, but the airflow exerted a strong pressure as it opened further and, despite being in considerable pain as he braced his arm and right leg, M'Kenzie-Hall managed to hold on to it until the helicopter could be landed. His right leg had been damaged during his efforts to retain the helicopter window during the flight across the Humber and he spent months having treatment and rehabilitation.

On his return to RAF Benson, he submitted a full report to Sir Edward Fielden, who decided to keep the whole incident confidential but determined that helicopters would be under his direct control in future

He immediately put M'Kenzie-Hall in charge of all future helicopter flight arrangements, which included overseeing the introduction to the Queen's Flight of two Whirlwinds.

From early 1960 the helicopters were able to provide lawn-to-lawn service to members of the Royal Family, landing at all the royal palaces and winching mail and passengers to the Royal Yacht Britannia during the Queen's Scottish Isles cruises. The helicopters were also used extensively for visits where airports were not available. M'Kenzie-Hall was in command of the helicopter fleet for a further seven years and on retirement was appointed MVO. His seven-year period with the Queen's Flight marked the end of his service career.

In 1964 he joined the National Federation of Housing Societies, becoming its deputy director. He spent the remainder of his working life helping the voluntary housing movement to establish housing associations and sheltered homes for the elderly, and his book Low-Cost Homes to Rent or Buy (1971) became a standard work of reference.

He also helped fellow pilots Johnnie Johnson and Douglas Bader to set up their own charitable foundations and served as a founding director of the Johnnie Johnson Housing Trust.

**53.1.3 ADELA RUTH ZACHARY** was born on 13 April 1925 and died on 1 January 1984 in Thunder Bay, Ontario, Canada.

She married **ALBERT MARTIN BROTHERTON** who was born on 5 February 1921 at Fort William, Thunder Bay District, Ontario, Canada and died there on 3 July 2011

### Children of ADELA ZACHARY and ALBERT BROTHERTON are:

- i. S BROTHERTON<sub>(53.1.3.1)</sub> who was born and died within 1 hour on 25 June 1946 in St. Joseph's Hospital, Thunder Bay. Ontario.
- ii. LAVILLA BROTHERTON<sub>(53.1.3.2)</sub> who was born in about 1948 in Canada and died during 1993 at Kelowna, British Columbia, Canada.
  - She appears to have married twice and had 2 children by each but no further information available.
- iii. They appear to have had at least 7 further children but no credible information available.

### Other Information

In 1946 they were living at 112 Simpson Street, Thunder Bay, Ontario, Canada.

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# HALL & BYNG-HALL FAMILY HISTORY

APPENDICES

### THE HALL and BYNG-HALL FAMILY HISTORY

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### Appendix 1 - The von Weichs Family

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This appendix identifies the family of Maria Leopoldina, Baroness von und zu WEICHS an der GLON who married an English Diplomat Charles Henry Hall in 1826. The first person is the furthest back in history that has been established from the web site below. How the current owners of Weichselboden relate to the individuals listed is not clear, but there are almost certainly more children than those listed on the <a href="https://www.geneall.net/D/per\_page.php?id=1671449">www.geneall.net/D/per\_page.php?id=1671449</a>) with English translation as necessary. Further research required. What follows are the people by generation.

1 KONRAD WEICHSER von WEICHS, Kt He married GUTTA von KAMMER

**Child of this marriage**PAUL WEICHSER

2 PAUL WEICHSER von WEICHS an der GLON, Kt

He married (1) KUNIGUNDE JUDMANN von STEINGRIFF

(2) ELSBETH von AHAM zu HAGENAU

Child of the second marriage

WIGULEUS I who was born in about 1425

3 WIGULEUS I von WEICHS an der GLON, Kt was born in about 1425 and died in 1492

He married (1) DOROTHEA von WEMDING

(2) MARIA von ESENBECK

Child of the first marriage

WOLF II von Weichs an der Glon

4 WOLF II von WEICHS an der GLON who died in 1531

He married (1) ELISABETH von STAIN zu RAMSPERG (RAMSPAU?)

(2) AGATHA URSULA von OW

Child of the first marriage

WOLF III von Weichs

5 WOLF III von WEICHS who died in Friedberg on 13 December 1538 He married ANNA VON SANDIZELL

Child of this marriage

WIGULEUS II von Weichs

6 WIGULEUS II von WEICHS who died in 1587

He married (1) EUPHROSINE MARSCHALLIN von OBERNDORF (DORNSPERG)

(2) URSULA NOTHAFT zu WERNBERG

(3) JAKOBA von GUMPPENBERG

Child of the third marriage

JOHANN CHRISTOPH who was born in about 1580

7 JOHANN CHRISTOPH, Baron von und zu WEICHS an der GLON was born in about 1580 and died on 3 October 1623

He married BARBARA von OW

Child of this marriage

JOHANN FERDINAND

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8 JOHANN FERDINAND, Baron von und zu WEICHS an der GLON who died on 22 November 1656

He married (1) MARIA SALOME von ROSENBUSCH

(2) MARIA BARBARA von HASLANG

Child of the second marriage

JOHANN JOSEPH WIGULEUS who was born on 8 April 1654

9 JOHANN JOSEPH WIGULEUS, Baron von und zu WEICHS an der GLON who was born on 8 April 1654 and died in Munich on 27 March 1718

He married (1) MARIA BARBARA FRANZISKA, Baroness von Spirink

- (2) MARIA KATHARINA THERESIA, Countess von Lodron
- (3) ANNA JUSTINA, Baroness von Pelkhofen

Child of the second marriage

JOHANN WILHELM JOACHIM FRANZ IGNAZ who was born on 27 April 1691

10 JOHANN WILHELM JOACHIM FRANZ IGNAZ, Baron von und zu WEICHS an der GLON who was born on 27 April 1691 and died on 16 February 1728
He married MARIA ANNA KATHARINA CONSTANTIA, Countess von Leiblfing who was born on 15 February 1700

Child of this marriage

JOSEF GEORG IGNAZ who was born on 29 March 1726

11 JOSEF GEORG IGNAZ, BARON von und zu WEICHS an der GLON was born on 29 March 1726 and died on 12 December 1786

He married MARIA ANNA JOSEPHA, Baroness von Gumppenberg

Child of this marriage

JOSEF MARIA who was born on 21 February 1756 in Straubing

12 JOSEF MARIA Baron von und zu WEICHS an der GLON was born on 21 February 1756 at Straubing (140km northeast of Munich) and died on 18 December 1819 He married ANNA von INGENHEIM

Children of this marriage

THERESE Freiin von WEICHS an der GLON who was born in 1787 and died in 1859

CLEMENS Freiherr von WEICHS an der GLON was born on 16 March 1793

CATHARINA Freiin von WEICHS an der GLON who was born in 1795 MARIA LEOPOLDINA Freiin von WEICHS an der GLON was born on 14 July 1800

Anna's Basic Lineage is: Ernst I, Landgraf von Hessen Rheinfels Rotenburg (1623-1693) – this is him!

Karl (1650-1711)



Louisa von H m Daniel v Ingenheim

Karl von Ingenheim

Franz Benno v Ingenheim

Anna von Ingenheim m Jos Maria v Weichs

Ernst is descended from The Kings of Poland and also the Hapsburgs of Austria, who are all descended from Charlemagne.

#### x5 Great Grandparent's Generation

13 CLEMENS, Baron von und zu WEICHS an der GLON was born on 16 March 1793 and died in Vienna during January 1838

He married (1) STEFANIE ENDRES

(2) DOROTHEA ENDRES

Child of the second marriage

KARL ANTON HEINRICH who was born on 24 May 1829

MARIA LEOPOLDINA, Baroness von und zu WEICHS an der GLON was born on 14 July 1800

She married **CHARLES HENRY HALL** initially in Munich, and then they remarried on 9 May 1826 at St. Mary South Bailey, Durham – see main text of this family history.



### Appendix I - The von Weichs Family

**14 KARL ANTON HEINRICH, Baron von und zu WEICHS an der GLON** was born on 24 May 1829 in Walchen, Austria and died there on 15 October 1872

He married GABRIELE, Baroness Zeßner von Spitzenberg who was born on 27 June 1831

#### Child of this marriage

FRIEDRICH KARL MARIA WIGULEUS who was born on 16 November 1858

15 FRIEDRICH KARL MARIA WIGULEUS, Baron von und zu WEICHS an der GLON was born on 16 November 1858 in Walchen and was buried/died on 21 April 1938 at Maria-Straßengel, Graz, Austria. (this is a church just north of Graz)

He married MATHILDE von LEITGEB who was born on 9 December 1862

#### Child of this marriage

FRIEDRICH MAX KARL GEORG MARIA WIGULEUS who was born on 21 November 1886

16 FRIEDRICH MAX KARL GEORG MARIA WIGULEUS, Baron von und zu WEICHS an der GLON was born on 21 November 1886 in Mattighofen (40km north of Salzburg, Austria) and died on 12 April 1968 in Linz, Austria

He married MARGARETHE von SKODA who was born on 13 October 1890

#### Children of this marriage

CLEMENS FRIEDRICH JAROMIR STANISLAUS MARIA WIGULÄUS who was born on 30 October 1917 MARIA ELISABETH ALOYSIA GISELA MATHILDE BERNARDINA WIGULEA who was born on 20 May 1922

17 CLEMENS FRIEDRICH JAROMIR STANISLAUS MARIA WIGULÄUS Baron von und zu Weichs an der Glon was born on 30 October 1917 in Linz and died there on 15 June 1989 He married EDITH ECKENBERG who was born on 21 August 1924

#### Child of this marriage

MARIE CAROLINE ANDREA MARGARETHE AGATHE EDITH WIGULEA Freiin von und zu WEICHS an der GLON who was born on 16 December 1965 in Düsseldorf, Germany.

She married Count Stephan von Ledebur-Wicheln in 2011 (his second wife. He is the son of the late Countess Vendeline von Bismarck-Schonhausen (1937-1968) & her husband, Count Christoph von Ledebur-

Wicheln.

MARIA ELISABETH ALOYSIA GISELA MATHILDE BERNARDINA WIGULEA, Baroness von und zu WEICHS an der GLON was born on 20 May 1922 in Linz She married LUDWIG BRANDNER who was born on 23 August 1925

#### Family Locations

If I understand German correctly, her title suggests she is "Weichs on the Glon" or "and from Weichs at the Glon". This suggests a river or other geographical feature. There are two Rivers Glonn in modern Germany; one flows through the town of Weichs, which is 40km northwest of Munich (also as defined in the book (see Frederick(64)) in the main text of this history); the second flows through the town of Glonn in Upper Bavaria which is some 30km southeast of Munich. There is nowhere called Glon in Austria; the nearest being Glan, which is west of Salzburg.



The Austrian Weichs, as known to the Cook cousins, have a castle in Weichselboden, which is about 120km north of Graz, half-way between Salzburg and Vienna (and well off the main road). When the family may have moved to Weichselboden, or their relationship to the German family, is not clear to me; but George Cook has visited the family, and advised it was as a result of having to sell their land and doing so twice for whatever reason.

Marie Caroline

### Appendix 1 - The von Weichs Family

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#### Appendix 2 - Descendants of Frances Hall/Tayler(14)

#### Our x6 Great Grandparent's Generation

**14 FRANCES ELIZABETH HALL** was born in about 1767 and died on 7 February 1845. She married **ARCHDALE WILSON TAYLER** on 3 January 1783 in Alexton Leicestershire. He was born in 1758/9 (baptised on 22 January 1759 in Kings Lynn, Norfolk). He died on 11 April 1814 at Ceuta, Algeria.

#### Children of FRANCES HALL and ARCHDALE TAYLER are:

- FRANCES TAYLER<sub>(14.1)</sub> who was born on 7 February 1784 in Morcott, Rutland. She died in 1862 at Marylebone, London.
- ii. ARCHDALE WILSON TAYLER(14.2) who was born in 1785 in Morcott, Rutland.
- iii. ANNE CAROLINE TAYLER<sub>(14.3)</sub> was born on 24 August 1786 in Morcott, Rutland.
- iv. **HENRY JOSEPH TAYLER**<sub>(14.4)</sub> who was born in 1787 at Broughton Poggs, Oxfordshire.
- v. ELISA TAYLER<sub>(14.5)</sub> who was born in 1789 (baptised 14 March 1789) at Broughton Poggs, Oxfordshire.
- vi. SARAH MARIA TAYLER<sub>(14.6)</sub> who was born in 1790 (baptised 17 August 1790) at Broughton Poggs, Oxfordshire.
- vii. SUSANNA MATILDA TAYLER<sub>(14.7)</sub> who was born on 3 September 1791 at Broughton Poggs, Oxfordshire. She died on 6 October 1833 in Eardsley, Hertfordshire.

She married FRANCIS HODGSON on 5 August 1815 who was the son of Rev. James Hodgson, Headmaster of Whitgift School. He was educated first at Whitgift School, before proceeding to Eton College as a King's Scholar, and then as a Scholar to King's College, Cambridge. In 1806 he was appointed assistant master at Eton, a post which he resigned after a year to become a resident tutor and Fellow at King's College, Cambridge. It was there that he met and formed a lifelong friendship with the poet Lord Byron, who was at that time an undergraduate at Trinity College. Their friendship is recorded in the many letters between them that have been published in biographies of Byron. In October 2009, fifteen letters to Hodgson from Byron sold for £277,350, a world record for a series of letters or a manuscript by a British romantic poet.

In 1813 Francis Hodgson wished to marry Susanna Tayler (sister-in-law of Henry Drury, master at Harrow School). However, Susanna's mother objected to her daughter marrying Hodgson, due to his association with the infamous Byron. Her objection was overcome by Byron himself, who drove with Hodgson in a post-chaise from London to Oxford to plead the cause of his friend with Susanna's uncle Charles Hall, Dean of Christ Church, Oxford. In March 1840 Hodgson returned to Eton, having been nominated to be Provost by the Queen on the advice of Prime Minister Lord Melbourne. Hodgson made many reforms to the college, intended to lessen the harshness of conditions for pupils.

Among other works, he made a translation of Juvenal (1808), and wrote *Lady Jane Grey, with Miscellaneous Poems in English and Latin* (1809); and *Sir Edgar, a Tale, in two Cantos* (1810).

- viii. JULIA TAYLER<sub>(14.8)</sub> who was born in 1793 (baptised on 31 March 1793 at Elstree, Hertfordshire.
- GEORGE ROBERT TAYLER<sub>(14.9)</sub> who was born in 1794/5 (baptised on 7 January 1795) at Borehamwood, Hertfordshire.
- x. CHARLES TAYLER<sub>(14.10)</sub> who was born in 1796 at Borehamwood, Hertfordshire.
- xi. **ANNA FRANCES TAYLER**<sub>(14.11)</sub> who was born in 1797 at Borehamwood, Hertfordshire (baptised 5 June 1797 at Elstree).
- xii. EMILY SUSAN TAYLER<sub>(14.12)</sub> who was born on 20 November 1798 at Borehamwood, Hertfordshire.
- xiii. THOMAS EDWARD TAYLER(14.13) who was born on 15 November 1799 at Borehamwood, Hertfordshire. He must have committed a crime as he was discharged from Marshalsea Prison on 21 July 1821
- xiv. JOHN FREDERICK TAYLER(14.14) who was born on 30 April 1802 at Borehamwood, Hertfordshire.
- xv. JOSEPH FRANCIS TAYLER<sub>(14.15)</sub> who was born in 1805 at Elstree, Hertfordshire. He probably died shortly afterwards given the Christian name of the child that follows.
- xvi. JOSEPH EDWARD TAYLER<sub>(14.16)</sub> who was born on 23 October 1806 in Borehamwood, Hertfordshire. He died there in 1834
- xvii. **WILLIAM TAYLER**<sub>(14,17)</sub> who was born on 8 April 1808 in Borehamwood, Hertfordshire. Depending on which document you read, they might have had an eighteenth child!

#### Other Information

His family adopted the Tayler spelling of the name early in the eighteenth century, to prevent confusion with a family of Taylor, also of King's Lynn. He was admitted at the Middle Temple on 15 November 1775 and migrated to the Inner Temple on 29 January 1781. He was made a Freeman of King's Lynn.

He inherited Knight Thorpe, Leicestershire from his maternal uncle, Archdale Wilson, but sold it in small parcels between 1797 and 1803. He lived variously at Morcott, Rutland between 1783 and 86; at Broughton-Poggs, Oxfordshire, and finally at Boreham House, Hertfordshire between 1792 and 1813.

He lost his fortune owing to the dishonesty of an agent, and became Paymaster to the 11th Regiment of Foot, in 1813. He died in Algeria leaving a widow and seventeen children, several of whom rose to a certain eminence in their careers. The family had influential friends and some clerical interest. All of the children were still living when the youngest was 21!! This must have been some feat of parentage and luck, especially as their father had died early.

#### Our x5 Great Grandparent's Generation

- **14.2 Rev. ARCHDALE WILSON TAYLER** was born in 1785 in Morcott, Rutland. He died on 11 October 1852 in Hackney, London.
  - He married: (1) KATHERINE GRACE BRIGGS in April 1815 at Wrexham, Denbighshire.
    - (2) MARTHA ANN WILSON on 23 January 1832 at St. Dunstan, Stepney, London.
    - (3) ELIZABETH HEATHFIELD on 3 October 1844 at St. Pancras Church, London.

#### Children of ARCHDALE TAYLER and KATHERINE BRIGGS are:

- i. **EMILY FRANCES TAYLER**(14.18) who was born on 14 July 1816 in Dacca, Bengal, India.
- ii. LOUISA MARIA TAYLER(14.19) who was born in 1818 in Dacca, Bengal. She died there on 7 July 1818
- iii. ADELAIDE DAVIDONA MARÍA TAYLER<sub>(14,20)</sub> who was born in 1822 in Dacca, Bengal. She died on 21 May 1850 in Edmonton, Middlesex.
- iv. ARCHDALE WILSON LEVITT TAYLER<sub>(14.21)</sub> who was born in 1826 in Italy. He died on 20 June 1859 in Leicestershire.

#### Other Information

He was educated at Christchurch College, Oxford between 1802 and 1815 obtaining his BA in 1806 and MA in 1808; what was he doing for the next seven years, but in 1815 he was appointed as Chaplain for the HEICS in Dacca, Bengal until 1825

He was subsequently appointed Rector at Stoke Newington in 1930 where he stayed until his death.

**14.3 ANNE CAROLINE TAYLER** was born on 24 August 1786 in Morcott, Rutland and died on 14 October 1868 in Torquay, Devon.

She married **Rev. HENRY JOSEPH THOMAS DRURY** on 23 December 1808 at St. Marys Parish Church, Marylebone, Middlesex. He was born in 1778 and died on 5 March 1841 at Hendon, Middlesex.



#### Children of ANNE TAYLER and HENRY DRURY are:

- ELIZABETH FRANCES DRURY<sub>(14.3.1)</sub> who was born on 20 November 1809 at Harrow, Middlesex and died in 1887 in Devon.
- ii. CAROLINE DRURY<sub>(14.3.2)</sub> who was born on 1 February 1811 at Harrow, Middlesex and died during 1891 in Torquay, Devon.
- iii. HENRY DRURY<sub>(14.3.3)</sub> who was born on 11 May 1812 at Harrow, Middlesex.
- iv. EMILY DRURY<sub>(14.3.4)</sub> who was born on 12 November 1813 at Harrow, Middlesex and died in 1851
- v. Admiral BYRON DRURY<sub>(14.3.5)</sub> who was born on 10 February 1815 at Harrow, Middlesex and died on 6 November 1888 at Cheltenham, Gloucestershire. He left £4,123 in his will to Lestock MacDonald Stewart, his nephew. He married HELEN STEWART MORRIS on 6 June 1846 in Largs, Scotland. No known children. Drury Inlet in the Queen Charlotte Strait region of the Central Coast of British Columbia, Canada, extending west from Wells Passage to the northwest of North Broughton Island, northwest of the town of Port Hardy is named after him. Drury, New Zealand is named after him. In 1853, as captain of HMS Pandora, he surveyed the nearby Manukau Harbour. There is a memorial to his death in St Mary's, Harrow on the Hill.
- vi. LOUISA DRURY(14.3.6) who was born on 30 July 1816 at Harrow, Middlesex and died in 1907 in Devon.
- vii. Rev. BENJAMIN HEATH DRURY<sub>(14.3.7)</sub> who was born on 6 November 1817 at Harrow, Middlesex and died on 10 September 1902 in Torquay, Devon.

  He was a Master at Harrow and left £74,328 in his will probated to Lestock MacDonald Stewart<sub>(14.3.4.4)</sub> his nephew.
- viii. HEBER DRURY(14.3.8) who was born in about May 1819 at Harrow, Middlesex.
- ix. **CECILIA DRURY**<sub>(14.3.9)</sub> who was born in about 1821/22 at Harrow, Middlesex.
- x. HELEN DRURY<sub>(14.3.10)</sub> who was born on 8 August 1822 at Harrow, Middlesex and died there on 25 February 1923
- xi. CHARLES CURTIS DRURY<sub>(14.3.11)</sub> who was born on 12 February 1824 at Harrow, Middlesex.
- xii. CLARA MARIA DRURY<sub>(14.3.12)</sub> who was born on 27 December 1825 at Harrow, Middlesex and died in 1893 at Paddington, London.
- xiii. FERDINAND MacGREGOR DRURY<sub>(14.3.13)</sub> who was born on 11 November 1828 at Harrow, Middlesex and died
- xiv. FLORA ELLEN DRURY<sub>(14.3.14)</sub> who was born on 1 December 1831 at Harrow, Middlesex and died there on 30 December 1831

#### Other Information

Henry was the son of Joseph Drury<sup>9</sup>, headmaster of Harrow School, and was educated at both Harrow and Eton, and at King's College, Cambridge obtaining his BA in 1801, and MA in 1804, and he was a Fellow in 1808

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> Joseph Drury (1751-1834) was one of the most distinguished and influential Headmasters of Harrow School between 1785 and 1805. He was the first of a dynasty of Drurys to teach at Harrow. Joseph married Louisa Heath. Her brother, Benjamin Heath, was Joseph's immediate predecessor as Head of Harrow. Another of Louisa's brothers, George Heath, was Headmaster of Eton College between 1792 and 1802.

Joseph's brother Mark Drury was Second Master at Harrow. He married Catherine Angelo, daughter of the fencing master at Eton, Domenico Angelo, and sister of the celebrated Eton Dame, Florella Angelo.

One of Ann's sisters Susanna<sub>(14.7)</sub> married Francis Hodgson, Provost of Eton College.

Another of Joseph's sons, Benjamin Heath Drury (1782-1835), became an Assistant-Master at Eton.

Drury became under-master, and afterwards master, of the lower school at Harrow, and among his pupils was Lord Byron (see a letter from Byron to Drury dated 18 October 1814 in Moore's Life of Lord Byron). In 1820 he was presented to the rectory of Fingert.

Drury had a great reputation in his day as a classical scholar but contented himself with editing selections from the classics for the use of Harrow School. He also formed a most valuable library of the Greek classics, both printed editions and manuscripts, which was sold after his death, two parts in 1827 for £8,917 13s, and the third in 1837 for £1,693. He was an original member of the Roxburgh Club, London, and contributed to their collection a reprint of 'Cock Lorell's Boat' (1817) and 'The Metrical Life of Saint Robert of Knaresborough' (1824), from a manuscript in his possession, which was deciphered and transcribed by Joseph Haslewood the bibliographer. Among Drury's numerous friends were Dr. Dibdin the bibliographer, who mentions him several times in 'The Bibliographical Decameron,' and Lord Byron. In Moore's 'Life of Lord Byron' are to be found several letters from the poet to his former tutor, written in affectionate terms and without much regard to the propriety usually preserved in some correspondence with a divine; e.g. just two years after their marriage, Byron wrote to Francis Hodgson (*Anne's sister, Susannah's husband*)

"Talking of marriage puts me in mind of Drury (who, I suppose, has a dozen children by this time, all fine, fretful brats); I will never forgive matrimony for having spoiled such an excellent bachelor."

**14.4 Rev. HENRY JOSEPH TAYLER** was born in 1787 at Broughton Poggs, Oxfordshire. He died on 5 January 1864

He married **JEMIMA MARIA FRASER** in 1820 at Windlesham, Surrey.

#### Children of HENRY TAYLER and JEMIMA FRASER are:

- i. MARIA ELIZABETH TAYLER(14.22) who was born in 1822 in Brighton, Sussex, and died during 1873 in Worcester.
- ii. ANNA ELIZA TAYLER(14.23) who was born in 1823 in Brighton and died there on 5 December 1823
- iii. HENRY CARR ARCHDALE TAYLER<sub>(14.24)</sub> who was born on 9 June 1826 in Brighton.
- iv. JEMIMA EVERILDA TAYLER<sub>(14.25)</sub> who was born in 1828 in Brighton and died on 14 January 1877 in Leamington Spa, Warwickshire.
- v. **KEITH TAYLER**<sub>(14.26)</sub> who was born in 1831 in Brighton, Sussex.

#### Other Information

He obtained his degree (BD) from Emmanuel College, Cambridge in June 1822 They were living at the Rectory, Upton upon Severn for nearly 30 years, which is where he died.

14.5 ELISA TAYLER was born in 1789 (baptised 14 March 1789) at Broughton Poggs, Oxfordshire. She died on 28 October 1867 at Brandenburgh House, Hammersmith, Middlesex (a lunatic asylum) having been registered in that establishment on 7 December 1866

She married **Rev. ROBERT BLAND** on 27 September 1813 in Hastings, Sussex. He was born in 1779 and died on 12 March 1825 at Learnington Warwickshire and was buried at Kenilworth, Warwickshire.

#### Children of ELISA TAYLER and ROBERT BLAND are:

- Rev. ROBERT JAMES BLAND<sub>(14.5.1)</sub> who was born in about 1814 at Wallington Hamlet, Beddington, Surrey (baptised there 18 August 1814).
- iii. ELIZA SOPHIA BLAND<sub>(14.5.2)</sub> who was born in 1816 at Kenilworth, Warwickshire (baptised at Bradden, Northamptonshire by Francis Hodgson on 22 April 1816) and died in 1896 at Paddington, London. She married GEORGE RATCLIFFE WOODWARD on 11 October 1856 St. John's, Preston, Lancashire his 3<sup>rd</sup> marriage. They did not have children but he had 5 children by his previous marriages. In 1861 they were visiting Tixall Hall, Staffordshire the home of the Tyrer's who were a relation of his first wife. He was a Corn Merchant. By 1871 he had retired and was living at Walton, Lancashire with his youngest daughter. In 1881 they had moved to Brixham, Devon and had 3 servants.
- iii. FRANCIŚ WILLIAM BLAND<sub>(14.5.3)</sub> who was born in 1817 at Kenilworth, Warwickshire (baptised there by his father on 20 August 1817).
- iv. CAROLINE MARIA BLAND<sub>(14,5,4)</sub> who was born in 1821 at Kenilworth, Warwickshire (baptised there by her father on 15 April 1821).
- v. EDWARD BLAND<sub>(14.5.5)</sub> identified from his mother's will but no other details found He was a Stockbroker of 3 Crown Court Threadneedle Street, London per his mother's will.
- vi. JULIA JUDITH BLAND<sub>(14.5.6)</sub> who was born in 1825 at Kenilworth, Warwickshire (baptised on 11 March 1825 at All Saints Leamington Priors, Warwickshire by Francis Hodgson the Vicar at Bakewell Derbyshire).

Other Information (ex Biography & Genealogy Master Index (BGMI) & Dictionary of National Biography, Volumes 1-22) His father also has a brief entry in the Dictionary of National Biography, (Volumes 1-22). He was educated at Harrow School and Pembroke College, Cambridge, graduating in 1802 with a BA. He was a Curate at Farningham, Kent in 1801 and was ordained as a Deacon on 20 December 1801 in London. He became a Priest on 12 November 1809; in between times (1802 to 1808) he was an Assistant Master at Harrow School. He was engaged as a reader and preacher in various London chapels. He was appointed Minister of the English Church at Amsterdam but returned to England, and

in 1813 was appointed Curate of Prittlewell, Essex. In 1816 he was appointed Curate of Kenilworth. Warwickshire, and prepared pupils for the University. He was a friend of Lord Byron, and was much esteemed in his day as a classical scholar and teacher, being well versed in French and Italian. He was also associated with John Herman Merivale, FSA, and others in a version of the Greek anthology. He was an author of works relating to the Greek classics. There is a detailed biography of him on https://lordbyron.org/doc.php?choose=FrHodgs.1825.Bland.xml

14.9 Lieutenant GEORGE ROBERT TAYLER RN was born in 1794/5 (baptised on 7 January 1795) at Borehamwood, Hertfordshire. He died on 28 January 1857 in Liverpool, Lancashire. He married HARRIET REBECCA WHITE on 27 October 1827 at St. George, Hanover Square, London. She was born in 1796 in Madras.

#### Children of GEORGE TAYLER and HARRIET WHITE are:

- HARRIET ELIZA TAYLER(14.27) who was born in 1829 in Bruges, Belgium and died in 1910 in Cheltenham,
- CAMPBELL ELLINOR TAYLER(14.28) who was born in 1832 in Hastings, Sussex.
- **JOHN CHARLES TAYLER**<sub>(14.29)</sub> who born on 1 June 1834 in Wendover, Buckinghamshire. Major RODERICK FREDERICK TAYLER<sub>(14.30)</sub> who was born in 1836 in Wendover. iii.
- He was in The Royal Marines according to his mother's will.

#### Other Information

He entered the Royal Navy in March 1805 as a Volunteer on board the frigate HMS Uranie and made a voyage to Quebec. Between 1806 and June 1807 he was with Minorca (18 guns) on the Cadiz station. In March 1808 he entered the Royal Naval College and having carried off a silver medal, in June 1810 he was with Astraea (42 guns and 271 men) under the command of Captain Charles Schomberg (he features in the Howard family (Cook) history). In 1811 he is a Midshipman at the successful battle off Madagascar with a number of French frigates. After that he was with Nisus off the coast of Brazil latterly serving on Valiant (74 guns) between 1814 and August 1815 as Second Master.

In 1815, he was commissioned and for the next three years or so served on Egeria (26 guns) on the Newfoundland station. In 1820 he was with Esk (20 guns) in the West Indies until 1823, followed by 3 years on Ramillies (74 guns). He was put on half pay in 1827 and that appears to have been his lot, as the 1851 census records him a living at 35 Canning Street, Liverpool and he was a Lieutenant RN (half pay). She was living at 72 Marland Place, Southampton when she died on 23 January 1883, and her will was in favour of her younger son Robert.

14.10 Rev. CHARLES TAYLER was born in 1796 in Borehamwood, Hertfordshire. He died on 24 July 1858 at Borehamwood.

He married MARY ANN RANDELL in 1819 at Christ Church, Southwark, London.

#### Children of CHARLES TAYLER and MARY RANDELL are:

- CHARLES WILLIAM TAYLER(14.31) who was born in 1819 in Lambeth, Surrey
- EMILY EDWARDINA FRANCES TAYLER<sub>(14.32)</sub> who was born in 1822 in Lambeth, Surrey ii.
- iii. ARCHDALE WILSON TAYLER(14.33) who was born in 1825 in Lambeth, Surrey
- JAMES TAYLER<sub>(14.34)</sub> who was born in 1827
- JANE TAYLER<sub>(14.35)</sub> who was born in 1831 on Guernsey
- JULIA TAYLER  $_{(14.36)}$  who was born in 1833 vi.
- FREDERICK THOMAS TAYLER(14.37) who was born in 1835 on Guernsey.
- JOHN TAYLER<sub>(14.38)</sub> who was born in about 1836 on Guernsey

#### Other Information

The 1841 census has them all at Halam, Southwell, Nottinghamshire with him being a Clerk at a Collegiate school. The 1851 census has him as a Curate with Emily, Jane and John living with them.

14.11 ANNA FRANCES TAYLER was born in 1797 at Borehamwood, Hertfordshire, (baptised 5 June 1797 at Elstree). She died on 12 December 1827 in Hastings, Sussex. She married Rev. WILLIAM JAMES JOSEPH DRURY on 11 December 1816; he was born on 23 May 1791 and died on 7 February 1878 in Brussels, Belgium.

#### Children of ANNA TAYLER and WILLIAM DRURY are:

- WILLIAM GEORGE DRURY(14.11.1) who was born on 24 December 1817 in Harrow, Middlesex and died in June 1839 in Brussels.
- ii CATHERINE FRANCES DRURY<sub>(14.11.2)</sub> who was born in 1819 in Harrow, Middlesex and died in 1895 in Newton Abbot, Devon
- ARTHUR JAMES DRURY<sub>(14.11.3)</sub> who was born on 8 June 1820 in Harrow, Middlesex and died on 29 January 1880 at Eastbourne, Sussex cont'd



- JANE EMILY DRURY<sub>(14,11.4)</sub> who was born on 2 February 1822 in Harrow, Middlesex and died in 1914 at Newton Abbot. Devon
- ANNA HARRIET DRURY<sub>(14.11.5)</sub> who was born in 1824 in Harrow, Middlesex and died in 1912 at Newton Abbot, Devon

Anna first met Frances Trollope in Brussels, with whose family the Drury's were friendly. By then Anna Drury knew Greek and some Hebrew and had begun writing as a child, and Anthony Trollope, helped her in her literary work. Drury's "conventional romances" and other works included *Annesley, and other poems* (1847), *Friends and Fortune, a moral tale* (1849), *Light and Shade: or the Young Artist. A tale* (1853), *Misrepresentation* (1859), *The Story of a Shower* (1872), *Gabriel's Appointment* (1877), *Called to the Rescue* (1879) and *In the Enemy's Country; or the Raven of Steinbrück. A story of 1813, etc.* (1891). Some are marked "for boys".

In *The Normans...*, the heroine pointedly asks her father,

"What becomes of clergymen's daughters when their fathers die, and their homes are broken up?"

After a period in London, Anna Drury moved to Torquay in 1866, where she became a close friend of Frances Mary Peard. The 1901 census return gives as her occupation "living by her own means (author)". She and her sisters, Jane Emily and Sarah Frances, were boarders in a house that may have belonged to Thomas and Jane Tothill.

vi. HENRIETTA JULIA DRURY<sub>(14,11.6)</sub> who was born on 29 October 1825 in Harrow, Middlesex and died on 24 January 1843 in Brussels.

#### Other Information

William, and his father, Rev. Mark Drury, taught at Harrow School, but they left sizeable debts when they withdrew in 1826. Through this Harrow connection, Drury became friends with Anthony Trollope. He later became chaplain to King Leopold I of Belgium.

**14.12 EMILY SUSAN TAYLER** was born on 20 November 1798 in Borehamwood, Hertfordshire. She died on 4 March 1880 at Castlemans, Bath Road, Wargrave, Berkshire.

She married **Major HENRY COURT** of the HEIC's Madras Artillery on 11 June 1819 at Hillingdon, Middlesex. He was born in 1783 and died in 1874 at his home in Wargrave.



#### Children of EMILY TAYLER and HENRY COURT are:

- i. **HENRY COURT**<sub>(14.12.1)</sub> who was born on 18 May 1822 in Ripley, Surrey.
- ii. EMILY FRANCES COURT(14.12.2) who was born on 11 March 1824 at Castlemans, Bath Road, Wargrave, Berkshire.
- iii. SOPHIA LOUISA COURT<sub>(14,12,3)</sub> who was born on 22 September 1825 at Castlemans, Bath Road, Wargrave, Berkshire. She died on 7 November 1916 at Folkestone, Kent.
- iv. **JAMES CHARLES LETT COURT**<sub>(14,12,4)</sub> who was born on 22 January 1827 at Castlemans, Bath Road, Wargrave, Berkshire
- DAVID ALEXANDER COURT<sub>(14.12.5)</sub> who was born on 25 September 1831 at Castlemans, Bath Road, Wargrave, Berkshire.
- vi. MARY ANNA GEORGINA COURT<sub>(14.12.6)</sub> who was born on 29 January 1833 at Castlemans, Bath Road, Wargrave, Berkshire.
- vii. LOUISA SARAH COURT<sub>(14.12.7)</sub> who was born on 7 April 1835 at Castlemans, Bath Road, Wargrave, Berkshire. She died on 20 October 1895 at Eastcliffe, Folkestone, Kent.
- viii. **ELIZABETH SARAH COURT**<sub>(14.12.8)</sub> who was born on 23 November 1837 at Castlemans, Bath Road, Wargrave, Berkshire. She died on 14 November 1917 at Bexhill, Sussex.

For details of her subsequent family please refer to 14.3.8 Colonel HEBER DRURY – see below.

Henry also had two children by a first marriage to an Indian girl in 1807

There are two further children, James and Frances, frequently attributed to Henry, in trees on "Ancestry" but unlikely to have been by Emily (she would have been in her mid-late 50's at the time of their birth). James could be the son of Henry<sub>(14.12.1)</sub> and Frances is almost certainly the daughter of James<sub>(14.12.5)</sub>.

#### Other Information (ex red1st.com/axholme/getperson.php?personID=I87988&tree=Axholme)

He was the youngest son of the late David Court Esq., (some time Secretary of the Trinity House, London). He was educated at the Royal Military Academy at Woolwich and entered the military service of the East Indian Company as a cadet in the Madras Artillery in 1799 and retired on 25 May 1819 with the rank of Major. After his retirement from the Madras service, took an active part in the transaction of public business in Berkshire, of which county he was a justice of the peace, and also a deputy-lieutenant. He was probably the oldest magistrate in the county, having qualified for the Commissioner of Peace in 1827.

In 1888, he wrote a book "the History of the Sikhs", but it could have been written by his son who had the same rank and name.

**14.14 JOHN FREDERICK TAYLER** was born on 30 April 1802 at Borehamwood, Hertfordshire, and died on 20 June 1889 in West Hampstead, London.

He married **JANE PARRATT** on 28 June 1837 at Stoke Newington, Middlesex. She was born in 1817 but no obvious relationship to the Baumgartner Parratt's.

#### Children of JOHN TAYLER and JANE PARRATT are:

 NORMAN TAYLER<sub>(14.39)</sub> who was born on 27 July 1841 in Lambeth, London. He died in 1895 in Fulham, London. He followed his father's profession and became an Associate of the Watercolour Society in 1878 cont'd

- CATHERINE LOUISA ADELAIDE TAYLER<sub>(14.40)</sub> who was born on 12 May 1843 in Kensington, London
- JESSIE FRANCES TAYLER(14.41) who was born in 1848 in Bayswater, London
- JANE ELIZA LILIAN TAYLER (14.42) who was born on 25 May 1853 in Bayswater, London

He was educated successively at Eton College and Harrow School, and destined for the church, no doubt under the watchful eye of his uncle. He soon, however, showed his strong artistic bent, and, in spite of domestic opposition, determined to become a painter.

After studying at Sass's school and at the Royal Academy he went to Paris, and worked for a time under Horace Vernet, also frequenting the studio of Vernet's son-in-law, Paul Delaroche. From France he passed into Italy, where he spent some time, chiefly in Rome. While still a lad he met Richard Parkes Bonington at Calais, and a friendship sprang up between the two painters, who for a time shared a studio in Paris.

His fondness for water-colour was no doubt encouraged by Bonington, and though he made his début in the academy of 1830 with an oil-picture, 'The Band of the 2nd Lifeguards,' he did not long hesitate in his choice of a medium. In mature life he occasionally turned his ambition towards oil, and even took some friendly lessons in Mr. W. P. Frith's studio (Frith, Autobiography). It was, however, as a painter of 'elegant' sporting and

pastoral scenes in watercolour that he achieved the popularity which was maintained throughout his long career. His sporting subjects were of two classes, souring with

scenery, many of them suggested by incidents in the 'Waverley Novels.'



the costumes and accessories of eighteenth-century stag-hunts, others with incidents of contemporary sport in the highlands of Scotland. Akin to these were his illustrative drawings of costume and In February 1831 Tayler was elected an associate of the Royal Watercolour Society (the called the Old

Watercolour' Society), and in June 1834 he became a full member. He contributed in all about five hundred drawings to the society's exhibitions, about half of which appeared during Copley Fielding's presidency (1831–1855). A dozen of these were painted in collaboration with the younger George Barret (d. 1842), and one, 'The Favourites,' with Thomas Miles Richardson. On the death of Fielding in 1855 Tayler, as senior member of the committee of management, was vice-president for the year, and discharged the duties of president during the interregnum of eight months which, out of respect for Fielding's memory, was allowed to pass before the election of his successor. In his official capacity Tayler became a member of the fine arts committee for the Paris Exhibition of 1855, as well as one of the jury. On his arrival in Paris, however, the hanging of the pictures was practically completed. He was nevertheless fiercely attacked in connection with some alleged unfairness, notably as regards the works of John Frederick Lewis. His distress at this affair brought on a serious illness, from the effects of which he did not finally recover until peace was restored in the society by the election of Lewis as

In February 1858 Lewis resigned office, and Tayler was unanimously elected president. He filled this position for over twelve years and retired in June 1871. He continued to send drawings to the society's exhibitions down to the time of his death. He was buried in Hampstead cemetery. His drawings and sketches were sold at Christie's on 15 February 1890.

Many of Tayler's best-known drawings, such as 'Weighing the Deer' and 'Crossing the Brook,' were engraved. He himself executed some two dozen 'lithotints,' which were published by T. McLean in 1844, under the title of 'Frederick Tayler's Portfolio.' A member of the 'Etching Club,' he etched a number of small plates for the various publications of that body (Goldsmith's 'The Deserted Village,' 'Songs of Shakespeare,' 'Etched Thoughts,' &c.), and also made drawings on wood for several popular classics, such as Thomson's 'Seasons,' 'Sir Roger de Coverley,' and Goldsmith's 'Works.' His art, though now somewhat old-fashioned, had a great vogue in his day, some of his drawings fetching over £351 at public auction in the 1900s. His powers were best displayed in rapid and suggestive sketches, in which, says Mr. Ruskin, 'the quantity of effect obtained is enormous in proportion to the apparent means'.

WILLIAM TAYLER was born on 8 April 1808 and died on 8 March 1892 at St. Leonards, Sussex.

He married CHARLOTTE BRYDGES PALMER in the Cathedral, Calcutta, Bengal on 17 July 1830; she was the daughter of John Palmer a merchant. She was underage when they were married but signed over by her father.

#### Children of WILLIAM TAYLER and CHARLOTTE PALMER are:

- **JESSIE PALMER TAYLER** $_{(14.43)}$  who was born in 1831 in Calcutta, Bengal
- SKIPWITH HENRY CHURCHILL TAYLER(14.44) who was born on 28 September 1832 in Calcutta,



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- iii. WILLIAM VANISTTART GRAHAM TAYLER(14.45) who was born on 14 December 1833 in Calcutta, Bengal.
- iv. CAROLINE PENELOPE TAYLER (14.46) who was born in 1835 in Calcutta, Bengal
- v. LILA BLENCOWE HALL TAYLER<sub>(14.47)</sub> who was born in 1837 in Bengal and died on 21 May 1863 at Burdwan, Bengal,
- vi. HELEN HODGSON TAYLER<sub>(14.48)</sub> who was born on 9 May 1838 in Calcutta, Bengal
- vii. MARY PALMER TAYLER<sub>(14.49)</sub> who was born on 14 August 1839 in Calcutta, Bengal
- viii. FANNY CHARLOTTE HOWARD TAYLER<sub>(14.50)</sub> who was born on 12 October 1840 in Bandel, Bengal.

#### Other information

William was educated at the Charterhouse, and spent a term at Christ Church, Oxford, matriculating on 16 Dec. 1828. On 30 April 1829 he was given a 'writership' in the East India Company's service. He arrived in India in October 1829, he was appointed in June 1830 assistant to the commissioner of Cuttack, after which he held various posts in Bengal, including that of postmaster-general for the province, and in 1855 was appointed commissioner of Patna. His official career had been uneventful, though he made friends in high quarters by his skill as a portrait-painter, and some enemies by a turn for caricature.

His conduct, immediately before and, during the earlier stage of the Indian Mutiny occasioned controversy. He foresaw the outbreak, and his warnings were neglected at headquarters. Nor were the precautionary measures which he adopted unwise. According to Kaye and Malleson's 'History of the Mutiny,' Tayler did as much as any man 'to save the North of India.' But when the crisis came his actions were condemned at the time by his superiors and that condemnation was never officially recalled. Lord Canning wrote,

'I believe that in the course of Mr. Tayler's proceedings men were condemned and executed on insufficient evidence.'

Of his action in arresting suspected persons, after inviting them to a friendly conference at his house, Kaye wrote that 'it was not only very like treachery, but treachery itself.'

Tayler's whole policy of defence was questioned. He ordered the officials in his division to abandon their posts and fall back on Dinapore. Two of them, Wake at Arrah and Alonzo Money, collector of Behar, disobeyed the order and held their posts successfully, though the hostility they had to face was largely increased by the abandonment of other stations in accordance with the commissioner's instructions. 'Had it not been,' the Lieutenant-Governor (Halliday) wrote at the time, 'for the spirited and judicious conduct of Mr. A. Money at Gya, this act of Mr. Tayler's would have entailed the certain loss of eight lakhs of rupees in the treasury besides other public and private property, the release of many hundred determined convicts, and the risk of the whole town and district being thrown into confusion.' To Vincent Eyre [q. v.], who was starting to relieve Arrah, where Wake was defending himself against heavy odds, Tayler wrote officially, ordering him not to advance. Eyre either never received the order or disregarded it. Had it been obeyed, Eyre and the relief force, as well as the garrison of Arrah, would most likely have perished to a man. In August 1857 the Lieutenant-Governor, with Canning's approval, transferred Tayler to a less responsible and less lucrative post, on the ground that his conduct had been injudicious, insubordinate, and at a critical time detrimental to the public safety. Believing that his removal from Patna was due to 'a contemptible cabal,' to 'covert machinations,' and to 'the intense political, perhaps personal, dislike' with which the Lieutenant-Governor regarded him, Tayler printed and published at Calcutta a pamphlet in which, besides expounding his own views concerning the mutiny, he virulently attacked the Lieutenant-Governor. This Lord Canning considered 'insufferably offensive, and on 26 January 1859 Tayler was suspended. At the Governor-General's suggestion he was given the option of a public inquiry, before a judicial court, into the charge that he had executed men on insufficient evidence; but this he declined, and on 29 March 1859 he resigned the service, after a fruitless appeal to Lord Derby, then Secretary of State for India, retiring with the customary pension of £1,000 a year.

For the remainder of his life, he regarded himself as the victim of official vindictiveness, and frequent attempts were made to convince the authorities that his services before and after the mutiny entitled him to public honours. His case was warmly championed by Colonel Malleson and other writers, by Sir R. Lethbridge and Sir Henry Havelock in the House of Commons, and by the *'Times*.'

Nevertheless, the Duke of Argyll refused to reopen the case on appeal being made to him after his appointment as Indian Secretary at the close of 1868.

After his retirement Tayler started a legal agency and practiced as an advocate in the law courts in Bengal, until 1867, when he returned to England. He published:

- 'Brief Narrative of Events connected with the Removal of William Tayler from the Commissionership of Patna,' Calcutta, 1857.
- 'Our Crisis, or Three Months of Patna during the Insurrection of 1857,' Calcutta, 1858.
- 'Justice in Excelsis,' London, 1870
- 'Indian Reform,' London, 1871
- 'Thirty-eight Years in India,' 2 vols. London, 1878–81. 6. 'Justice in the Nineteenth Century,' 1885

### Our x4 Great Grandparent's Generation

**14.18 EMILY FRANCES TAYLER** was born on 14 July 1816 in Dacca, Bengal, India. She died in 1888 in Richmond, Surrey

She married GEORGE WALLACE on 4 July 1839 at St. Mary, Stoke Newington, London.

#### Children of EMILY TAYLER and GEORGE WALLACE are:

- KATHERINE RUSSELL WALLACE<sub>(14.18.1)</sub> who was born on 28 April 1840 in Canterbury, Kent and died in 1915 in Hendon, Middlesex
- ii. EMILY FRANCES WALLACE (14.18.2) who was born in 1841 in Canterbury, Kent and died there on 8 February 1844
- iii. GEORGE ARCHDALE WALLACE<sub>(14.18.3)</sub> who was born in 1843 in Canterbury, Kent and died in 1905 in Chelsea, London
- iv. WILLIAM WALLACE (14.18.4) who was born on 12 May 1844 in Canterbury, Kent and died there on 8 January 1845
- v. ARCHDALE TODD WALLACE<sub>(14.18.5)</sub> who was born on 12 May 1844 in Canterbury, Kent and died there on 8 January 1845
- vi. EMILY CHARLOTTE WALLACE<sub>(14.18.6)</sub> who was born on 21 December 1845 in Canterbury, Kent and died in 1933 in Hendon Middlesex
- vii. JESSIE CAROLINE FRASER WALLACE<sub>(14.18.7)</sub> who was born in 1847 in Canterbury, Kent and died in 1925 in Hendon, Middlesex
- viii. WILLIAM WALLACE<sub>(14.18.8)</sub> who was born on 18 October in Canterbury, Kent
- ix. HERBERT WALLACE<sub>(14.18.9)</sub> who was born in 1852 in Canterbury, Kent
- **14.3.3 HENRY DRURY** was born on 11 May 1812 at Harrow, Middlesex and died on 5 January 1863 at Bremhill, Wiltshire after two days of illness.

He married AMELIA E. DAUBENY on 13 December 1843 at Lydland Tregoze, Wiltshire

#### Children of HENRY DRURY and AMELIA DAUBENY are:

- GERALD CHARLES DRURY<sub>(14.3.15)</sub> who was born in July 1848 at Bremhill, Wiltshire. He died on 6 November 1876 at "Cottage" East Molsey, Surrey. In 1871 he was an Articled Clerk and left £1,280 to his brother Francis.
- ii. **AMEY JOSEPHINE DRURY**(14.3.16) who was born in 1849 at Bremhill, Wiltshire.
- iii. MARIAN FRANCES DRURY<sub>(14.3.17)</sub> who was born in 1851 at Bremhill, Wiltshire. She died on 20 March 1937 at Newton Abbot, Devon, whilst living at The Haven Bovey Tracy, Devonshire. She left £5,582 to Helen <u>Waddington</u>
- iv. EMILY KATHERINE DRURY<sub>(14.3.18)</sub> who was born on 26 May 1852 at Bremhill, Wiltshire. She died on 13 February 1942 at St. Peters Home, Martimer Place, Kilburn, London, In 1891 she was a Nun (Nursing Sister) at St. Peter's Home (a Private Hospital & Home) at Mortimer Road, Kilburn, Hampstead, London, where she stayed until at least 1901 From 1911 unto 1939 she was at St, Peter's Home, Maybury Hill, Farnham, Surrey. She left £1,624 to Margery Becher.
- v. HENRY DRUE DRURY(14.3.19) who was born 1853 at Bremhill, Wiltshire. He died there on 5 April 1863
- vi. LILLIAN LOUISA DRURY (14.3.20) who was born on 4 May 1855 at Bremhill, Wiltshire. She died in 1926
- vii. ISABEL DRURY<sub>(14.3.21)</sub> who was born in April 1856 at Bremhill, Wiltshire. She died on 14 February 1926 at 3 Cambridge Road, Teddington, Middlesex, whilst living at Bremhill Vicarage, Calne, Wiltshire. She left £2,398 to her nephew Daubeny in her will. il
- viii. FRANCIS SEXTON ELWES DRURY (14.3.22) who was born on 15 June 1859 at Bremhill, Wiltshire.

#### Other Information (ex Dictionary of National Biography)

Henry was the Archdeacon of Wiltshire. He was educated at Harrow, followed by in 1831 at Caius College, Cambridge. In 1833 he won the Browne Medal for Odes and in 1835 that for the epigrams. He suffered from an eye complaint but took his BA in 1837, and in 1840 a MA. During 1838, he became a classical lecturer at Caius. Once ordained, he left Cambridge in 1839 and took sole charge of Alderley, Gloucestershire, which he exchanged for Bromham, Gloucestershire the following year. In 1841 he published with some friends 'Arundines Cami' a collection of translations into Greek and Latin verse by different Cambridge men, which was updated throughout his life. The last edition was published posthumously.

He became Rector of Alderley in 1843 and in 1845, Vicar of Bremhill with Foxham and Highway, Wiltshire a preferment which he received from Dr. Denison, Bishop of Salisbury. He was the examining chaplain to him and his successors.

In 1855 he was installed Prebendary of Shipton in Salisbury Cathedral. In 1857, he was appointed Chaplain to the House of Commons and in 1862 became Archdeacon of Wiltshire.

According to the Master of Caius, Mr. H J Hodgson, he proved to be a sound theologian and a valuable assistant to the Bishop of his diocese, and earnest preacher and active parish priest. As a friend and companion, he was most genial and affectionate, possessed of a lively wit and humour, full of anecdote and badinage but tempered with excellent tact and judgement, all combined with a modesty and absence of self-assertion.

In 1871 she was living at 14 Rollestone Street, St. Edmund, Wiltshire. In 1891 she was living at The Cottage, Wraxall, Somerset and in 1900 was at Knighstone, Cobham, Surrey, where she died on 10 December 1903, and left £782 to Francis Saxham Elwes Drury.

**14.3.4 EMILY DRURY** was born on 12 November 1813 at Harrow, Middlesex and died in 2<sup>nd</sup>Q 1902 in Paddington, London.

She married **LESTOCK WILSON STEWART** on 13 April 1852 in Walton, Madras, India. He was born on 8 February 1824 in Woolwich, Kent. He died on 4 May 1876 in Trichinopoly, India. [See <u>Appendix 4</u> for more details of his ancestry and the children.]

#### Children of EMILY DRURY and LESTOCK STEWART are:

- ROTHSAY CHARLES STEWART<sub>(14.3.4.1)</sub> who was born on 12 July 1854 in Cuttack, Orissa, India. He married LILLIAN ELENA ANNA COOK (nee Byng-Hall)<sub>(90)</sub> during 1930 at Eton, Berkshire.
- ii. LESTER GORDON STEWART<sub>(14.3.4.2)</sub> who was born on 9 June 1855 in Jubbulpore, Bengal, India.
- iii. ADA CAROLINE STEWART(14.3.4.3) who was born on 18 June 1856 in Jubbulpore, Bengal, India.
- LESTOCK McDONALD STEWART<sub>(14,3,4,4)</sub> who was born on 30 November 1857 in Secunderabad, Andhara Pradesh, India.
- v. DUDLEY STRATHEARN STEWART<sub>(14.3.4.5)</sub> who was born on 18 February 1859 in Secunderabad, Andhara Pradesh, India.
- **14.3.8** Colonel HEBER DRURY was born in about May 1819 at Harrow, Middlesex and died on 30 October 1905 in Uckfield, East Sussex. He left £531 in his will probated to his son Percival.
  - He married (1) ANNIE PLAYFAIR ROSS on 29 April 1852 at Trevandrum, Madras, India. She died on 28 February 1859 in Balghatty, Cochin, India.
  - (2) ELIZABETH SARAH COURT on 17 September 1861 at St. Marys, Wargrave, Berkshire. She died on 14 November 1917 at Bexhill, Sussex. They were cousins.

#### Children of HEBER DRURY and ANNIE ROSS are:

- DOUGLAS PLAYFAIR DRURY<sub>(14.3.23)</sub> who was born on 24 June 1856 in Trevandrum, Madras. He died in 1936 in Queensland, Australia.
- WALTER MERIVALE DRURY<sub>(14.3.24)</sub> who was born on 1 October 1857 in Trevandrum, Madras. He died on 6 December 1890 in Abergavenny Lunatic Asylum.
- iii. FLORENCE EMILY DRÜRY<sub>(14.3.25)</sub> who was born on 22 September 1858 in Naven, East Indies. She died on 29 August 1941 in Lewes, Sussex and left £4,101 in her will.

#### Children of HEBER DRURY and ELIZABETH COURT are:

- Rev. PERCIVAL COURT DRURY<sub>(14.3.26)</sub> who was born on 23 August 1862 in Trevandrum, Madras. He died on 14 May 1912 in Battle, Sussex and left £1,726 to his sister Adelaide.
- v. ADELAIDE ELLEN BYRON DRURY<sub>(14.3.27)</sub> who was born on 28 February 1865 in Ootacamund, Madras. She died on 18 December 1959 in Battle, Sussex, and left £3,795 to Edith Shepherd and Ivy Sims.
- vi. **ELIZABETH CONSTANCE DRURY**(14.3.28) who was born on 15 December 1866 in Folkestone, Kent.
- vii. KATHERINE ALICE MARY DRURY<sub>(14.3.29)</sub> who was born on 21 September 1868 in Monmouth, Monmouthshire. She died on 30 November 1928 at Farnham, Surrey. She left £2,257 to her sister Mabel.
- viii. MABEL FRANCES DRURY<sub>(14.3.30)</sub> who was born on 8 June 1870 in Monmouth, Monmouthshire. She died on 7 March 1963 in Worthing Hospital, whilst living at Pulborough, Sussex. She left £19,514 in her will.
- ix. MILDRED ETHEL DRURY<sub>(14.3.31)</sub> who was born on 6 October 1872 in Monmouth, Monmouthshire. She died on 25 February 1956 at Pulborough, Sussex and left £6,929 to Mabel.

#### Other Information

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In 1837 he was appointed to the 45th Regiment Native Infantry and in 1836 was promoted to Captain. In 1855 they were living at Travancore, Madras.

In 1861 he was staying at Hurst, Berkshire with John and Mary Morrison. Where the children were is not clear, but also there was Mary's sister Elizabeth Court who would become Heber's second wife. In 1864, he is now a Colonel, still in Travendrum, and has written and published a *'Handbook of the India Flora'*. In 1871 he is recorded being retired and they are living at Priory Street, Monmouth. By 1881 they had moved to Brighton, and in 1891 they were at Rotherfield, Sussex, and still there in 1901 with four of their daughters.

In 1890, he wrote and published 'Reminiscences of Life and Sport in Southern India'.

In 1911 she was living with their two youngest daughters in Bexhill and left £5,900 in her will.

**14.3.9 CECILIA DRURY** was born in about 1821/22 at Harrow, Middlesex and died on 17 November 1896 in Lewisham. Kent.

She married ROBERT BEAVAN on 19 March 1840 at Harrow on the Hill, Middlesex.

#### Children of CECILIA DRURY and ROBERT BEAVAN are:

i. REGINALD BEAVAN<sub>(14.3.9.1)</sub> who was born on 20 September 1843 at Landour, Bengal, India.

#### Other Information

In 1911 he was living in Llowes, Breconshire where he died in 1927, and left £11,237 to his daughter.

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**14.3.11 Major General CHARLES CURTIS DRURY** was born on 12 February 1824 at Harrow, Middlesex and died on 16 May 1900 in Torquay, Devon

He married **CHARLOTTE ANNE DYER** on 4 April 1868 at Chelsea, London.

#### Children of CHARLES DRURY and CHARLOTTE DYER are:

 KATHERINE ELIZABETH DRURY<sub>(14.3.32)</sub> who was born on 24 February 1869 in Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh, India. She died on 6 March 1940 at Eightacres, Playden, Sussex. She left £5,000 to her second husband having bee left £77,000 by her first.

She married (1) DENIS POTTS-CHATTO in January 1892 at St. Marychurch. He died in 1913 (2) GERARD BLAYTHWAYT HOLE in Wareham, Dorset in 4<sup>th</sup> Q 1915 No known children of either marriage.

- ii. Lieutenant BYRON H DRURY<sub>(14.3.33)</sub> who was born in about 1871 in Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh, India. He died on 11 November 1897 in Jamaica, West Indies. He was in the Army.
- iii. CHARLES JAMES DRURY<sub>(14.3.34)</sub> who was born on 1 January 1873 at Naini Tal, Uttaranchal, India.
- MADELAINE HELEN DRURY<sub>(14.3.35)</sub> who was born in June 1878 at Babbacombe, Devon. In 1911 she was a Violinist.

#### Other Information

In the 1881 census he is recorded as being a Colonel of HM Bengal Staff living at Kennilworth, St. Marychurch, Torquay, Devon. In 1891 he is now recorded as a General but the Gazette of 1882 records him as being a Major General transferred to the "Unemployed Supernumary List". He left £3.449 to his wife in his will.

**14.24 Rev. HENRY CARR ARCHDALE TAYLER** was born on 9 June 1826 in Brighton and died on 15 October 1895 in Caxton, Cambridgeshire.

He married LYDIA ELIZABETH BISHOP on 28 June 1860 at St Mary, Lewisham, Kent.

#### Children of HEBER DRURY and ANNIE ROSS are:

- i. **HENRY LATIMER TAYLER**<sub>(14.51)</sub> who was born on 1861 at Orwell, Cambridgeshire.
- ii. ARCHDALE DRURY TAYLER<sub>(14.52)</sub> who was born on 26 July 1863 at Orwell, Cambridgeshire. He died on 18 July 1890 in Cambridgeshire.
- iii. FRASER HUGH JOESPH TAYLER<sub>(14.53)</sub> who was born in 1865 at Orwell, Cambridgeshire. He died in September 1939 in Cheltenham. Gloucestershire.
- iv. FREDERICK ARCHDALE WILSON TAYLER(14.54) who was born in 1866 at Orwell, Cambridgeshire.
- v. LILY MARGARET TAYLER<sub>(14.55)</sub> who was born in 1869 at Orwell, Cambridgeshire. She died in December 1935 in London.

#### Other Information

He was educated at Shrewsbury where he was Head boy. He went to Trinity College Cambridge where he obtained his BA in Classics in 1849 and in 1851 his MA. In 1852 he was made a Fellow. He was a Junior Dean between 1855 and 1858 and a Senior Dean between 1858 and 1860 In between times he was ordained as a Deacon at Ely in 1853 and was a Priest at the Church of the Holy Trinity in Ely from 1853 to 1854, followed by being the Vicar at St. Mary the Great, Cambridge between 1854 to 1859

From 1859 to 1895 he was the Rector of Orwell in Cambridgeshire. He left £12,893 in his will.

**14.26 KEITH TAYLER** who was born in 1831 in Brighton, Sussex and died on 29 December 1884 in the Camberwell Asylum House, Surrey.

He married **CAROLINE REBECCA BAYLEY** on 15 Jun 1871 at St John the Evangelist, Notting Hill, London.

#### Children of KEITH TAYLER and CAROLINE BAYLEY are:

- EVA ANNA FRANCES TAYLER<sub>(14.56)</sub> who was born in about 1872 in Winchester Hampshire and died in July 1934 at Hailsham, Surrey
- ii. HENRY KEITH FRASER TAYLER<sub>(14.57)</sub> (aka Keith Frazer) who was born in July 1873 in Winchester, Hampshire. He may have died on 24 April 1915 in Rangoon, Burma (definately 1915 from his wife's biography on <a href="https://www.imdb.com/name/nm4644109/bio?ref">https://www.imdb.com/name/nm4644109/bio?ref</a> =nm ov bio sm He married LEAH JANE CODMAN (aka Leah Marlborough) in 4<sup>th</sup> Q 1904 in Westminster, London. Her second marriage (of 3) but they did not have any children (she had one child with her first husband who divorced her due to her adultery with Keith and others). If cost him £250! In 1891 he was a Clerk living with his Aunt Annie Malam (nee Bayley) in Rotherhithe, London. He was an later an Actor.

She was also an actress – known for The Madman's Fate (1906), The Thief (1912) and The Trials of a Merry Widow (1912).

She was the third daughter of Punch and Judy pioneer Richard Codman and older sister of film pioneer John Codman. She gave up acting in the late 1920s due to rheumatism brought on by an accident.

iii. MABEL EVERILDA TAYLER<sub>(14.58)</sub> who was born in about 1875 in Tooting, Surrey. She married Rev. W STANDEN in about 1898 according to a record of a marriage settlement (file:///C:/Users/imnda/Downloads/LewishamArchivesCatalogue1971To1980PublicIndexAH%20(1).pdf ) They were living at Seagers Cottages, Blackheath, Kent at the time.



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- iv. CHARLES HOWARD TAYLER(14.59) who was born on 23 November 1876 in Tooting, Surrey.
- v. NORMAN STANDEN TAYLER (14.60) who was born in about 1879 in Totting, Surrey.
- vi. FRANCIS JOSEPH HENRY TAYLER<sub>(14.61)</sub> who was born in about 1880 in Balham, Surrey. He married JULIA EMILY OGERSBY in 1905 at St Olave's, Bermondsey, London. No identified children. In 1911 he was an Insurance Agent and they lived in Clapham, London.

#### Other Information

In 1881 they were living at 30 Balham Grove, Streatham, London on Income from Dividends. He left £1,545 to his wife in his will.

**14.5.1 Rev. ROBERT JAMES BLAND** was born in about 1814 at Wallington Hamlet, Beddington, Surrey (baptised there 18 August 1814) and died before 1871 as not in that census.

He married **EMMELINE ADA ROBINSON** on 6 July 1859 at Gowhatty, Bengal, India.

#### Children of ROBERT BLAND and EMMELINE ROBINSON are:

- ROBERT JAMES BLAND<sub>(14.5.7)</sub> who was born on 6 July 1860 in Assam, India
  He married ADA SARAH SHEPHERD ROBINSON on 4 January 1900 at St Andrew, West Kensington, London.
  They did not have any children.
  - In 1901 and 1911 he was the Secretary at a Hospital in London; they lived in Hampstead and Kensington respectively.
- WILLIAM ARCHDALE BLAND<sub>(14.5.8)</sub> who was born on 10 March 1862 at Gowhatty, Bengal, India and died on 24 November 1934 at Caldey Island, Tenby, Pembrokeshire, Wales.
  - He married (1) CHARLOTTE LUCY THORNTON (nee Bradford) on 4 June 1888 at St Mary, Balham, Wandsworth, Surrey. It was her third marriage and she had 2 children in tow from the second (he had died before 1881). The first marriage was dissolved due to her alleged adultery

    She was 12 years older than him. They did not have any children of their own.
    - (2) WINNIFRED ELIZABETH 'Lizzie' BALL in 2<sup>nd</sup> Q 1919 at Fulham, London. No children.

He was a Civil Servant and in 1911 was the Principal at the War Office.

#### Other Information

He was educated at Charterhouse and Jesus College, Cambridge and graduated in 1837 with a BA. He was ordained Deacon at Ely, Cambridgeshire on 27 May 1838 and was Vicar of Tutbury, Staffordshire from 1839 to 1843 He then became the Chaplain to the Bengal Service, Assam, India from 1843 to 1865 when he resigned. He was instrumental in founding the Christ Church in the heart of Guwahati city inside Nehru Park at Panbazar in 1844 which was consecrated in 1850 by Rt Rev Daniel Wilson, Bishop of Calcutta. He was also an Author, and poet.

14.5.4 CAROLINE MARIA BLAND was born in 1821 at Kenilworth, Warwickshire (baptised there by her father on 15 April 1821) and died in 1909 at Billericay, Essex.
She married GEORGE FREDERICK GEMMER on 6 May 1839 at Richmond, Surrey.

#### Children of CAMPBELL TAYLER and JOSEPH BARTON are:

 FREDERICK WILLIAM GEMMER<sub>(14.5.4.1)</sub> who was born on 20 January 1840 (baptised 14 March 1840 at St. James, Sydney, New South Wales, Australia. There is a record on <a href="https://austcemindex.com/bdm-birth?bid=52815">https://austcemindex.com/bdm-birth?bid=52815</a> hat identifies he died that year.

Other information out there suggests otherwise, so perhaps an early identity theft as the 1871 census which also identifies a stage name of Frederic Bond has the right year and place of birth. All a bit strange / vague.

#### Other Information

In 1881 and 1891 she was living in Paddington, London and was a Widow. I'm not sure how much of this is correct.

**14.28 CAMPBELL ELLINOR TAYLER** was born in 1832 in Hastings, Sussex and died in July 1862 in Romsey, Hampshire

She married **Rev. JOSEPH BARTON** on 26 June 1856 in Liverpool. He was originally from Chichester, Sussex.

#### Children of CAMPBELL TAYLER and JOSEPH BARTON are:

- ELLINOR JOSEPHINE BARTON<sub>(14.28.1)</sub> who was born in about 1857 at Brighton, Sussex. She died on 28 August 1940 in Bath, Somerset.
- ii. JOHN CAMPBELL BARTON(14.28.2) who was born in about 1859 at Sherfield English, Hampshire.
- Major CHARLES GERARD BARTON DSO<sub>(14.28.3)</sub> who was born on 26 April 1860 at Sherfield English, Hampshire. He died on 3 November 1919 of heart failure at his home The Bury, Hatfield Peverel, Essex.
  - He was commissioned into the Royal Lancashire Regiment in 1860 and promoted to Major in 1900, and in 1905, he retired.

**14.29 Major General JOHN CHARLES TAYLER** was born on 1 June 1834 in Wendover, Buckinghamshire. He died on 2 April 1913 at "Wendover," Christchurch Road, Cheltenham, Gloucestershire. He married **LOUISA BARTON COOKE** on 1 June 1865 at East Tytherley, Hampshire.

#### Children of JOHN TAYLER and LOUISA COOKE are:

- i. LILLIE ANNA LETITIA TAYLER<sub>(14.62)</sub> who was born on 2 March 1866 at Kamptee, Bengal, India. She died on 15 July 1906 at 'Normansfield,' (a Licensed House for the Reception of Imbeciles) in Teddington, Middlesex. She left £1,259 to her father in her will.
- ii. WILLIAM F TAYLER<sub>(14.63)</sub> who was born on 1 March 1868 at Kamptee, Bengal, India.
- iii. GEORGE ROBERT TAYLER<sub>(14.64)</sub> who was born in about 1870 in India. He died on 27 August 1937 at Faher House, Sherborne, Dorset.
  - He married HANNAH LOUISE GREAVES HALL in 1926 in Cheltenham, Gloucestershire. No known children.
- iv. CHARLES FREDERICK RICKETS TAYLER<sub>(14.65)</sub> who was born in 1872 and died on 29 June 1872 in Bangalore, Madras, India.
- v. MABEL HELENA TAYLER(14.66) who was born in about 1874 in St. Thomas Mount, India
- vi. ARTHUR HERBERT TAYLER<sub>(14.67)</sub> who was born in about 1875 in Bangalore India. He died in 1882 in Cheltenham, Gloucestershire.
- vii. HELEN MURIEL TAYLER<sub>(14.68)</sub> who was born on 19 October 1879 in Bangalore India.

#### Other Information

He was in the Royal Artillery in India. He left £6,705 in his will which was probated to his elder son George.

14.31 Rev. CHARLES WILLIAM TAYLER was born in 1819 in Lambeth, Surrey and died on 23 June 1886 in Chicklade, Wiltshire

He married ISABELLA FRANCES FALKNER in July 1847 at Southwell, Nottinghamshire.

#### Children of CHARLES TAYLER and ISABELLA FALKNER are:

- MARY ISABELLA TAYLER<sub>(14.69)</sub> who was born in October 1848 in Marlborough, Wiltshire. She died in April 1915 at Southampton, Hampshire
- ii. KATHERINE ALICE TAYLER(14.70) who was born in January 1852 in Marlborough, Wiltshire. She died in 1926
- iii. EVELYN ADELAIDE TAYLER<sub>(14.71)</sub> who was born in 1854 in Marlborough, Wiltshire. She died in January 1875 at Marlborough.
- iv. CHARLES EVELYN TAYLER(14.72) who was born in 1856 in Preshute, Wiltshire.
- v. Rev. ARTHUR FREDERICK TAYLER<sub>(14.73)</sub> who was born in 1856 in Preshute, Wiltshire. He died in July 1914 at Bradford on Avon, Wiltshire.

#### Other Information

In 1851 they were living at in the parish St Peter and St Paul, of Marlborough, Wiltshire.

In 1881 he was at Chicklade Rectory, near Hinden, Wiltshire. His will valued at £615 was in favour of his eldest daughter.

**14.33 Rev. ARCHDALE WILSON TAYLER** was born in 1825 in Lambeth, Surrey and died on 1 November 1905 in Headingley, Yorkshire

He married (1) CATHERINE GRACE HARDWICK on 1 August 1854 at St. Nicholas, Great Bookham, Surrev.

(2) FRANCES BARNABY

#### Children of ARCHDALE TAYLER and CATHERINE HARDWICK are:

- i. ARCHDALE WILSON TAYLER<sub>(14.74)</sub> who was born in 1856 in Weybridge, Surrey.
- ii. ALFRED TAYLER<sub>(14.75)</sub> who was born in 1857 at Headingley, Yorkshire.
- iii. CATHERINE EDITH GRACE TAYLER(14.76) who was born on 2 June 1858 at Headingley, Yorkshire.
- v. Rev. ERNEST HOOPER TAYLER<sub>(14.77)</sub> who was born in 1860 in Headingley, Yorkshire and died on 21 May 1889 in Auckland, New Zealand.
- He graduated from Queens College, Oxford in 1884 with a BA and in 1887 with a MA.
- v. CHARLES TAYLER<sub>(14.78)</sub> who was born in 1863 and died that year in Headingley.

#### Other Information

In 1851 he was the Curate at Morwenstow, Cornwall.

In 1861 he was living on Victoria Road, Headingly and was recorded as being a Clergyman "without care of souls" and a Schoolmaster. In 1871 and 1881 he is still there with the same sobriquet, but in 1881 he has a boarder, Frances Barnaby, who appears to become his second wife.

By 1891 they were married and living in Potter Newton, Leeds, and he was now a Clerk in Holy Orders, and still there in 1901 He left £1,895 to Frances in his will.

**14.37 Rev. FREDERICK THOMAS TAYLER** was born in 1835 on Guernsey, and died in 1915 at Little Baddow, Essex.

He married **GEORGINA SANDFORD VICARS** on 15 July 1864 at All Saints, Terling, Essex. She died in 1882

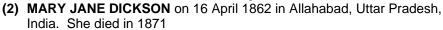
#### Children of FREDERICK TAYLER and GEORGINA VICARS are:

- i. EDWARD H P TAYLER<sub>(14.79)</sub> who was born in about 1863 in Bath, Somerset
- ii. HEDLEY VICARS TAYLER<sub>14.80)</sub> who was born in about 1866 in Perth, Western Australia. He may have married but there are clearly two people with this name and similar dates of birth (but not places) and different wives but insufficient information to be certain which is which. He may have died in South Africa.
- iii. GERALD BRINSLEY TAYLER(14.81) who was born in about 1868 in Australia and died there shortly afterwards.

#### Other Information

When they went to Australia and why they returned is not known. In 1871 he was the Curate at All Saints, Loughborough and had Hedley living with them. In 1881 he was the Curate at Langford, Essex and Edward was living with them (still a scholar) but not Hedley, who was at Forest School, Walthamstow, Essex. From 1891 he was the Rector at Little Baddow and was there until he died.

- **14.12.1 MAJOR HENRY COURT** was born on 18 May 1822 in Ripley, Surrey. He died on 30 May 1891 at Iver Heath, Buckinghamshire.
  - He married **(1) HELEN WILHELMINA VOS** on 25 February 1842 in Calcutta, Bengal. She died on 23 March 1861 in Uxbridge, Middlesex.





.(3) ANNE MARY MacDONALD on 23 March 1873 in Trinity Chapel, Edinburgh. She died on 21 December 1916 in Pembrey, Carmarthenshire, Wales

#### Children of HENRY COURT and HELEN VOS are:

- Lt. Colonel MAJOR HENRY COURT<sub>(14.12.11)</sub> who was born on 10 May 1843 in Dinapore, Bengal. He died on 3
  October 1892 at 35 Ashburbon Road, Addiscombe, Croydon, Surrey.
  He married MINNIE JANET COLQUHOUN. No known children
- ii. HELEN COURT<sub>(14.12.12)</sub> who was born and died in 1845
- iii. FREDERICK WALTER COURT<sub>(14.12.13)</sub> who was born on 18 September 1847 in Nain Tal, Bengal. He died on 6 August 1905 at Tiverton, Devon.
- iv. LOUISA EMILY COURT (14.12.14) who was born on 8 February 1850 in Bareilly, Bengal. She died on 1 July 1874 in Allahabad, Bengal.
- v. SOPHIA JANE CAMPBELL COURT<sub>(14.12.15)</sub> who was born on 23 March 1852 in Bareilly, Bengal. She died on 8 March 1906 at Tiverton, Devon
- vi. ALICE MARY DRURY COURT<sub>(14.12.16)</sub> who was born on 16 June 1854 in Cawnpore, Bengal. She died in January 1889 at Paddington, London.
- vii. EDWARD JAMES POWER COURT<sub>(14.12.17)</sub> who was born on 4 March 1856 in Allahabad and died on 4 September 1857 in Calcutta, Bengal.
- viii. JAMES SPRY COURT<sub>(14.12.18)</sub> who was born on 3 November 1857 in Calcutta, Bengal. He died in 1905 at Brighton, Victoria?
- ix. ELIZABETH COURT<sub>(14.12,19)</sub> who was born in June 1859 at Wargrave, Berkshire. She died in December 1931 at St Thomas, Devon

#### Children of HENRY COURT and MARY DICKSON are:

- x. HENRY CARNELL COURT<sub>(14.12.20)</sub> who was born on 24 September 1863 at Nynee Tal, Uttarakhandd, India.
- xi. MINNIE LILLIAN COURT<sub>(14.12.21)</sub> who was born on 22 June 1867 in London.

#### Other Information

Between 1840 and 1872 he was the Inspector General of Police/Commissioner of Meerut. He received his Annuity in 1872. He was also a Magistrate of Allahabad, a man loved and respected by all who knew him.

In 1881 they were living in Wargrave, Berkshire.

**14.12.2 EMILY FRANCES COURT** was born on 11 March 1824 at Castlemans, Bath Road, Wargrave, Berkshire. She died on 28 April 1858 in Brighton, Sussex. She married **JOHN WALTER** in 1842

#### Children of EMILY COURT and JOHN WALTER are:

- i. Rev. THOMAS WALTER<sub>(14.12.2.1)</sub> who died in about 1923
- ii. JOHN BALSTON WALTER<sub>(14.12,2.2)</sub> who was born on 25 March 1845 and died on 24 December 170
- iii. ARTHUR FRASER WALTER<sub>(14.12.2.3)</sub> who was born on 12 September 1846 and died on 22 August 1910
- iv. Major FREDERICK EDWARD WALTER (14.12.2.4) who was born in 1848 and died in 1931
- v. MARY EMILY WALTER<sub>(14.12.2.5)</sub> who was born in 1848 and died in about April 1922
- vi. Rev. HENRY MAJOR WALTER<sub>(14.12.2.6)</sub> who was born in 1850, and died in 1931
- vii. FRANCIS WALTER<sub>(14.12.2.7)</sub> who was born in 1858 and died in 1910

- 14.12.4 Rev. JAMES CHARLES LETT COURT was born on 22 January 1827 at Castlemans, Bath Road. Wargrave, Berkshire. He died on 16 September 1882 at Widdington, Essex.
  - He married (1) ROSA EMMA SPRY in April 1854 at Newport Pagnel, Bedfordshire. She died on 16 August 1865 in Saffron Walden.
    - (2) ELLEN WARNER in January 1866 at ST George, Hanover Square, London.

#### Children of JAMES COURT and ROSA SPRY are:

- ROSA SPRY COURT<sub>(14.12.22)</sub> who was born in April 1858 in Little Brickhill, Buckinghamshire. She died on 15 December 1897 at Margate, Kent. She left £550 to her brother James in her will.
- FRANCES ELIZABETH COURT (14.12.23) who was born in April 1859 in Little Brickhill, Buckinghamshire. She died on 1 April 1935 in Margate, Kent.
  - She was a Hospital Matron in 1911 at St. John the Baptist Hospital in Margate.
- Rev. JAMES WALTER COURT(14.12.24) who was born in January 1861 in Widdington, Essex. In 1881 he was an undergraduate at Cambridge.

#### Children of JAMES COURT and ELLEN WARNER are:

- CHARLES LOVER COURT<sub>(14.12.25)</sub> who was born in about 1867 in Germany.
- ELLEN M COURT<sub>(14.12.26)</sub> who was born in about 1869 in Widdington, Essex.
- EVA C COURT<sub>(14.12.27)</sub> who was born in about 1873 in Widdington, Essex. νi
- KATHLEEN H COURT<sub>(14.12.28)</sub> who was born in about 1874 in Widdington, Essex.
- EMILY G COURT(14.12.29) who was born in about 1876 in Widdington, Essex.
- JOHN A COURT<sub>(14.12.30)</sub> who was born in about 1877 in Widdington, Essex. ix.
- SYLVIA COURT<sub>(14.12.31)</sub> who was born in about 1879 in Widdington, Essex
- SOPHIA COURT<sub>(14.12.32)</sub> who was born in about 1879 in Widdington, Essex.
- FLORENCE A COURT<sub>(14.12.33)</sub> who was born in about 1882 in Widdington, Essex.

#### Other Information

He was the Vicar at Fenny Stratford from about 1851 to October 1860, and on departure was presented with an address and testimonial of esteem which consisted of a sum of £10 for the purchase of a silver inkstand.

He took up his next appointment as the Rector at Widdington, Essex, where he stayed until he died.

14.12.5 Rev. DAVID ALEXANDER COURT was born on 25 September 1831 at Castlemans, Bath Road, Wargrave, Berkshire. He died on 25 September 1888 at Southport, Queensland, Australia. He married HANNAH MARY BOLT on 16 May 1865 at St John's Church, Brisbane. She was born in Bath, Somerset and died at Wynnum in 1937

#### Children of DAVID COURT and HANNAH BOLT are:

- HENRY ALEXANDER COURT<sub>(14.12.34)</sub> who was born on 6 April 1866 in Queensland and died on 16 November 1866 and is buried in Paddington Cemetery, Brisbane.
- ii. ERNEST ALEXANDER COURT<sub>(14.12.35)</sub> who was born on 2 October 1867 in Queensland and died on 18 August 1868 and is buried in Paddington Cemetery, Brisbane.
- iii.
- MARY THEODORA COURT<sub>(14.12.36)</sub> who was born on 9 January 1869 in Brisbane, Queensland. REGINALD HEBER DRURY COURT<sub>(14.12.37)</sub> who was born on 8 February 1870 in Brisbane, Queensland. iv.
- LILLIAN FRANCES COURT (14.12.38) who was born on 25 March 1872 in Brisbane, Queensland
- LOUISE BERTHA COURT<sub>(14.12.39)</sub> who was born on 15 March 1874 in Brisbane, Queensland. She died 12 AUG 1951 Brisbane, Queensland. She was a Maternity Nurse.
- ANNIE CONSTANCE COURT (14.12.40) who was born 9 August 1875 at Kangaroo Valley, NSW. vii.
- ELIZABETH WINIFRED COURT(14.12.41) who was born on 20 June 1877 at Kangaroo Valley, NSW. She died there on 8 September 1883
- WILLIAM ALBERT LIDDON COURT<sub>(14.12.42)</sub> who was born on 20 December 1879 at Kangaroo Point, Queensland. ix.
- JAMES WALTER COURT<sub>(14.12.43)</sub> who was born on 23 May 1882 in Kangaroo Point, Queensland. He died 14 Apr 1890 • Southport, Queensland,
- DAVID EDWARD COURT<sub>(14.12.44)</sub> who was born on 21 February 1885 at Kangaroo Point, Queensland and died there xi. on 30 September 1885
- ISABEL MARION COURT<sub>(14.12.45)</sub> who was born on 5 July 1887 in Brisbane, but died on 11 October 1887 at Southport, Queensland

#### Other Information (ex The Sunday Mail Magazine dated 4th November 1973)

He graduated with a BA from St. Mary Hall. Oxford and he was ordained on 20 December 1857 by the Lord Bishop of Oxford, in the Cathedral of Christ Church.

He emigrated to Australia – when precisely not known and was appointed to St Mary's Church, Kangaroo Point, which was one of the early parishes in Brisbane, with the little wooden church built about 1847 standing on the banks of the river. In 1871 he persuaded his congregation to build a new church on the cliffs overlooking the river. It proved a wise move, as the church was above the level of the 1893 flood. The Reverend David Alexander Court, rector of St Mary's from 1870 to 1887 and during his time in office, the Rev. Court travelled extensively in his parish which extended from Toowoomba to Southport. Ill health forced him to resign, and the family moved to Southport where Rev. Court died on his 56th birthday in 1888 and left £500 to his wife in his will.

**14.12.6 MARY ANNA GEORGINA COURT** was born on 29 January 1833 at Castlemans, Bath Road, Wargrave, Berkshire. She died o 25 December 1920 at Eastcliff Lodge, Leonard Park, Kent. She married **JOHN WILLIAM MORISON** on 24 October 1854 at Wargrave, Berkshire. They separated in October 1872

#### Children of MARY COURT and JOHN MORISON are:

- i. MARY EVELYN MORISON<sub>(14.12.6.1)</sub> who was born on 30 December 1857 in London.
- ii. EMILY FRANCES LOUISA MORISON(14.12.6.2) who was born on 28 April 1858 in Brighton, Sussex.
- iii. FREDERICK WILLIAM MORISON<sub>(14.12.6.3)</sub> who was born on 28 July 1961 on Hurst, Berkshire.
- **14.43 JESSIE PALMER TAYLER** was born in 1831 in Calcutta, Bengal. She died on 28 August 1906 at 89 Via San-Niccolo, Florence, Italy

She married WILLIAM GORDON YOUNG on 11 June 1851 in Dinapore, Bengal, India.

#### Children of JESSIE TAYLER and WILLIAM YOUNG are:

- i. **PERCY GORDON RADSTOCK YOUNG**<sub>(14.43.1)</sub> who was born on 23 March 1852 in Calcutta, Bengal.
- ii. MARIAN FANNY YOUNG<sub>(14.43.2)</sub> who was born in 1854 in Calcutta, Bengal
- iii. STEWART YOUNG(14.43.3) who was born in January 1861, and probably died young given censuses, if correct

#### Other Information

William was a Civil Servant in the Bengal Treasury in India. They were living in Battersea, London during 1861 with Marion, but by 1871, Jessie and Marion were living in West Road, Kingston-on-Thames, Surrey. Jessie was on "an allowance from her husband", as they were divorced in July 1870 due to his adultery.

- **14.44 SKIPWITH HENRY CHURCHILL TAYLER** was born on 28 September 1832 in Cuttack, Odisha, India. He died on 4 August 1895 at St. Leonards, Sussex.
  - He married (1) CATHERINE HOLROYD on 14 December 1854 in Calcutta, Bengal. She died on 10 September 1857 at Patna, Bihar, India.
    - (2) HARRIET PHILIPPA EDMONDS
    - (3) MATHILDA GERTRUDE COCKBURN

#### Children of SKIPWITH TAYLER and CATHERINE HOLROYD are:

- i. HENRY GRAHAM HOLROYD TAYLER<sub>(14.82)</sub> who was born on 8 November 1855 in Calcutta, Bengal.
- ii. CHARLES HOLROYD TAYLER<sub>(14.83)</sub> who was born on 6 May 1857 and died later that month in Calcutta.
- Child of SKIPWITH TAYLER and HARRIET EDMONDS is:

  iii. HELEN CATHERINE TAYLER<sub>(14.84)</sub> who was born on 28 August 1859

#### Children of SKIPWITH TAYLER and MATHILDA COCKBURN are:

- iv. VIOLET ELIZA CAROLINE TAYLER(14.85) who was born on 11 November 1862 at Sylhet, (now) Bangladesh
- v. LILIA GERTRUDE TAYLER<sub>(14.86)</sub> who was born on 16 December 1863 at Sylhet
- vi. Major FRANCIS VILLIERS TAYLER<sub>(14.87)</sub> who was born in Paddington, Middlesex. He died on 1 September 1912 at the Hotel Terminus, Monte Carlo. He was with the North Western Railway Volunteer Rifles in the Indian Army. He lived at The Chestnuts, Needham Market, Suffolk. His will (£133) was probated to Percy Hayward, his sister Constance's husband.
- vii. SKIPWITH VANSITTART TAYLER<sub>(14.88)</sub> who was born on 23 April 1866 at Litcham, Norfolk. He died on 26 October 1892 at St. Leonards, Sussex. He was with the Bengal Police Force. He left £193 to his sister Constance.
- viii. WILLIAM EDWARD TAYLER<sub>(14.89)</sub> who was born in 2<sup>nd</sup> Q 1867 at Kensington, London.
- ix. CONSTANCE FANNY TAYLER(14.90) who was born in 3<sup>rd</sup>Q 1868 at Bayswater, Middlesex
- x. ETHEL LAVINIA TAYLER<sub>(14.91)</sub> who was born on 2 December 1872 at Raneegunge, Bengal.
- xi. FLORENCE MABEL TAYLER (14.92) who was born on 3 December 1875 at Baharampur, Bengal
- xii. MARGARET ELEANOR TAYLER (14.93) who was born in about 1878 in Bengal

#### Other Information

He was with the Indian Civil Service from 1853 to 1887 and left £295 to his wife in his will.

14.45 WILLIAM GRAHAM VANISTTART TAYLER was born on 14 December 1833 in Calcutta, Bengal. He died on 24 February 1908

He married Juliette Georgina Harington Palmer on 12 March 1857 at Calcutta, Bengal, Ind

#### Children of WILLIAM TAYLER and JULIETTE PALMER are:

- i. ETHEL TAYLER<sub>(14,94)</sub> who was born on 22 December 1860 in Jessore, Bengal. She died on 10 April 1862 in Barisal, Bengal, India
- ii. EDITH JANE TAYLER<sub>(14.95)</sub> who was born in 1864 at Mozaffarpore, Bengal. She died in 1943
- iii. **ELLEN THOMAS TAYLER**<sub>(14.96)</sub> who was born on 19 December 1869 in London. She died on 1 June 1903 in India.

#### Other Information

He was with the Indian Civil Service from 1856 to 1871

**14.48 HELEN HODGSON TAYLER** was born on 9 May 1838 in Calcutta, Bengal. She died on 24 June 1876 at Arrah Shahabad, Bengal

She married ARCHDALE VILLIERS PALMER. He was born in about 1833 in Nazeing, Essex.

#### Children of HELEN TAYLER and ARCHDALE PALMER are:

- i. HELEN MAUD PALMER<sub>(14.48.1)</sub> who was born on 17 December 1860 in Bengal, India
- MARY PALMER<sub>(14.48.2)</sub> who was born in about 1862 in Hooghly, India She married Sir CHARLES FORSTER 2<sup>nd</sup> Bt. on 18 November 1899 at St Stephens, Kensington. In 1901 they were living at Longdon, Staffordshire with many servants.
- iii. CHARLOTTE ELIZABETH PALMER<sub>(14.48.3)</sub> who was born in about 1864 in Hooghly, India.
- iv. ARCHDALE PALMER<sub>(14.48.4)</sub> who was born on 19 November 1865 at Nazeing, Essex.
   In 1881 he was at boarding school in Winchester and in 1891 was living with his parents in Nazeing.
- v. KATHLEEN PALMER<sub>(14.48.5)</sub> who was born in about 1868 in London.
  In 1871 she, along with Charlotte and Archdale, were staying with their Tayler grandparents in Kensington.

#### Other Information

In 1851 he was at the East India College with his future brother-in-law Skipwith. He was a Judge in the Indian Civil Service. In 1991 he was living at 10 Atherstone Terrace, Nazeing, Essex.

#### Our x3 Great Grandparent's Generation

**14.3.16 AMEY JOSEPHINE DRURY** was born in 1849 at Bremhill, Wiltshire. She died on 9 April 1925 at 33 Beaumont Street, Marylebone, London. She lived in Oxford.

She married HENRY J HODGSON on 3 September 1874 at East Molesey, Surrey.

#### Children of AMEY DRURY and HENRY HODGSON are:

- BERTRAM HENRY HODGSON<sub>(14.3.16.1)</sub> who was born on 23 January 1877 at Marylebone, London. He died on 17 September 1942 at "Two Trees" Offington Lane, Worthing, Sussex.
   He married WINIFRED EVA KEEN on 9 July 1915 at the Parish Church, Amesbury, Wiltshire. No known children He was a Civil Engineer, a Member of Lloyds and left £4.202 to Winifred in his will.
- ERNEST JOHN HODGSON<sub>(14.3.16.2)</sub> who was born on 10 August 1878 at Cranleigh Gardens, South Kensington. He died on 21 January 1902
   He married to JOSEPHINE according to his will, but no further details.
- iii. REGINALD DRURY HODGSON<sub>(14.3.16.3)</sub> who was born on 18 December 1879 at Cranleigh Gardens, South Kensington. He died on 21 March 1918 in France.
  - He was a Barrister in Canada according to his call up papers. In WWI he was a Captain with Royal Horse Artillery 82nd Brigade Royal Field Artillery, serving in Egypt, Serbia and Salonika before being sent to France in November 1917. He was killed in action at the battle between Arras and Le Fere. His death is recorded on the Poziers Memorial, Departement de la Somme, Picardie, France.

#### Other Information

Between 1880 and 1891, they were living at 85 Onslow Gardens, and he was recorded as being Master of the Supreme Court of Justice. In 1901 they were at 95 Ebury Square and in 1911 at 19 Earls Court Square, London. She left £33,245 in her will.

**14.3.20 LILLIAN LOUISA DRURY** was born on 4 May 1855 at Bremhill, Wiltshire. She died on 26 October 1926 at Mayford, Surrey. She left £1,027 in her will to their daughter. She married **ALEXANDER PAYNE** on 16 April 1884 at the Parish Church, Wraxall, Somerset.

#### Children of LILLIAN DRURY and ALEXANDER PAYNE are:

- DOROTHY LILLIAN MARY PAYNE<sub>(14.3.20.1)</sub> who was born in about 1885 at Walton-on-Thames, Surrey. She died on 21 February 1959 at the Radcliffe Infirmary, Oxford, whilst living at The Old Mill, Blewbury, Berkshire. She married ERNEST PENDARVES LEIGH-BENNETT in July 1909 in Penzance, Cornwall. He was a Civil Servant and authored a book 'The Errant Golfer'. She left £11,943 in her will.
- **14.3.22 FRANCIS SEXTON ELWES DRURY** was born on 15 June 1859 at Bremhill, Wiltshire. He died on 1 November 1942 at Newport, Rhode Island, United States

He married (1) MARY GERTRUDE PEAKE in January 1884 at St George, Hanover Square, London.

(2) MABEL GERRY on 21 October 1925 in Manhattan, New York, USA.

#### Children of FRANCIS DRURY and MARY PEAKE are:

- i. PHYLLIS HERMIONE DRURY<sub>(14.3.23)</sub> who was born on 20 August 1885 at Sydenham Hill, Surrey.
- ii. DAUBENY DRU DRURY<sub>(14.3.24)</sub> who was born in 1888 and died in 1943. He married ELAINE SQUIRES – no other details.

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- iii. VYVYAN DRU DRURY<sub>(14.3.25)</sub> who was born on 13 February 1893 at Nutfield, Surrey. He died on 24 April 1981 in Italy, and was buried at the English Cemetery in Florence, Italy. No known children.
  - He married (1) ESSEX LEILA HILARY FRENCH in September 1929 at St George Hanover Square, London.
    - (2) NINA HOPE LEHMANN (SOAMES?) in March 1938 at Westminster, Middlesex.
    - In 1939 they were living in the New Forest, Hampshire and he was in Shipyard Management (3) SYLVIA MARGARET KILROY and he arrived with her in the Bahamas in 1956
  - During WWI he was with the Intelligence Corps, and Royal Flying Corps.

14.3.28 ELIZABETH CONSTANCE DRURY was born on 15 December 1866 in Folkestone, Kent. She died

She married **CHARLES WATSON POWELL** on 19 August 1888 in Speldhurst, Kent. His great uncle was the Rev. Professor Baden Powell, the father of Lord Baden-Powell of Scouting fame.

#### Children of ELIZABETH DRURY and CHARLES POWELL are:

on 17 August 1961 in Tonbridge Kent. She left £59,747 in her will.

CHARLES BADEN DRURY POWELL<sub>(14.3.28.1)</sub> who was born on 15 September 1889 in Speldhurst, Kent. He was killed in action in August 1916. He is buried in plot 1 G 20 at the Maroc British Cemetery, Grenay, Departement du Pas-de-Calais, Nord-Pas-de-Calais, France.

He first attended a school called The Grange at Crowhurst in East Sussex and then, in September 1903 aged 14, went to Bedales in Steep where he remained until July 1905. Charles went to Wye Agricultural College for a year (1908 -1909) and then, according to The Bedales Roll, became a farmer. This is contradicted by The Speldhurst Roll of Honour which asserts Charles went from Wye to "The School of Dramatic Art" (RADA?) intending "to follow that profession".

As early as 1911 Gerald had joined The Kent Cyclist Battalion as a Territorial and by 1914 was already holding the rank of Captain. Any detailed evidence for Charles' date of volunteering after the outbreak of war was lost in air raids in WWII. However, it would seem that he followed his brother, as a private, into the Cyclist Battalion. On 18th May 1915 he transferred to the 21st (Service) Battalion of the Middlesex Regiment. For the next year or so the Battalion served on the Home Front, from October based at Aldershot and then from February 1916 at Witley. In June 1916 the Battalion moved across the Channel, presumably as part of the preparations for the Battle of the Somme: they were part of the 121st Brigade of the 40th Division. According to The Bedales Roll he was killed on 16th August. The Speldhurst Roll of Honour dates his death 13th August and the official CWGC Grave Memorial Register places it on 14th. It seems most likely that he was killed in an action that might have started late on 13th and concluded on 14th August.

- ii. Major GERALD FREDERICK POWELL<sub>(14.3.28.2)</sub> who was born on 24 April 1891 in Speldhurst, Kent and was killed in action 29 July 1917 at Vlaanderen, Belgium.
  - As a Territorial he had immediately become on active service in August 1914: he remained with the Kent Cyclists until early in 1917 he was transferred to the 8th Battalion of The Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment. In May 1917 he was promoted to the rank of Major. The battalion was heavily involved in all the major conflicts of 1917. Gerald was buried in plot II F 22 in the Dickebusch New Military Cemetery Extension.
- **14.3.9.1 REGINALD BEAVAN** was born on 20 September 1843 at Landour, Bengal, India. He died on 12 May 1927 at Kensington, London.

He married ANNE HENRIETTA HAUGHTON BIGNELL on 20 November 1873 at Ramptee, Bengal.

#### Child of REGINALD BEAVAN and ANNE BIGNELL is:

- CECILIA MABEL BEAVAN<sub>(14.3.9.2)</sub> who was born on 18 November 1874 at Umballa, Bengal, India and died on 2 August 1944 at Kensington, London. She left £12,9940 in her will to the Public Trustees.
- **14.3.34 CHARLES JAMES DRURY** was born on 1 January 1873 at Naini Tal, Uttaranchal, India. He appears to have died in Canada.

He married KATE COLLINGWOOD

#### Child of CHARLES DRURY and KATE COLLINGWOOD is:

i. D DRUR

She married J C MacKAY and they emigrated to Canada to Saskatchewan. No identified children or further details

#### Other Information

He and Katy went to Canada on "Regina" on 1 March 1922 on a 3rd class passage paid by overseas committee with the objective of joining their son in law and daughter. His profession was given as a Farmer and his mother was still living in South Kensington, London.

He had previously been to this area of Canada in 1905 after the Boer War and left for England in 1908. (ex the record of entry to Canada in 1922)

**14.51 HENRY LATIMER TAYLER** was born on 1861 at Orwell, Cambridgeshire. He died in 1943 He married **LOUISA HAZER** in 1903

#### Child of HENRY TAYLER and LOUISE HAZER is:

i. HENRY POWELL FRASER TAYLER<sub>(14.97)</sub> who was born in about 1911 in London.

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#### Other Information

He was a Potato Salesman and they lived at 2 Gilmore Road, Lewisham, London.

**14.54 FREDERICK ARCHDALE WILSON TAYLER** was born in 1866 at Orwell, Cambridgeshire. He died on 21 June 1942 in San Francisco.

He married **MARGARET JANE BLACKWELL** on 14 April 1898. She was the daughter of John Blackwell who own the Bryn Dyffryn Estate and Hendre House, Llanrwst, Wales. She was born in 1868 in Llanrwst and died in 1932 in San Francisco, California, USA.

#### Children of FREDERICK TAYLER and MARGARET BLACKWELL are:

- i. VIOLETTE LILIAN TAYLER (14.98) who was born on 22 March 1899 in Musselburgh, Midlothian, Scotland.
- ii. GLADYS MURIEL TAYLER<sub>(14.99)</sub> who was born on 21 April 1903 in Lausanne, Switzerland. She left Southampton in April 1930 on "SS Aquitania" for New York. She was recorded as being a Secretary and returned to the UK in May 1934 from California. She arrived via SS Aquitania to Halifax, Canada and Detroit, Michigan on 7 May 1968, having applied for permanent residency in Los Angeles on 17 January 1949

#### Other Information

He matriculated to Peterhouse College, Cambridge in 1885 graduating with a BA in 1888 and in 1892 a MA. He was an Assistant Master at Llanrwst Grammar School in 1891; at Locker's Park School, Hemel Hempstead in 1892; at Loretto School, Edinburgh in 1895; and in 1900 at the Ecole Closelet, Lausanne. He also held temporary posts at Harrow, Rugby and Charterhouse; was at Wellington College between 1907 and 1908 and at Dulwich College between 1909 and 1929. He taught Classics.

They went to California on 21 October 1930 from Antwerp on "SS Margaret Johnson".

**14.59 CHARLES HOWARD TAYLER** was born on 23 November 1876 in Tooting, Surrey. He died in December 1951 on the Isle of Wight.

He married **MIRIAM ADELAIDE O'HANLON** during 2<sup>nd</sup> Q 1904 at Stone, Staffordshire. They must have divorced as she re-married Charles Davison in 1934

#### Children of FREDERICK TAYLER and MARGARET BLACKWELL are:

- NORMAN HOWARD PALLISER TAYLER<sub>(14.100)</sub> who was born on 29 December 1904 at Kings Lynn, Norfolk and died during 1987
- He married MABEL E MEDLEN in July 1934 and was a Certified Accountant in 1939 living in Harrow, Middlesex.
- KEITH SPENCER TAYLER<sub>(14.101)</sub> who was born on 24 September 1907 at Sheringham, Norfolk and died during 1980
  - In 1939 he was a Schoolmaster in Burnley, Lancashire, and had married EDITH MARY PATTERSON in 1933 in London but no other details available.
- Flight Lieutenant CHARLES LATIMER TAYLER<sub>(14.102)</sub> who was born on 29 January 1912 in Ipswich Suffolk and died on 27 May 1993 at Kings Somborne, Hampshire.
   He married BETTY K MARTIN in January 1935 at Holborn, London but no identified children.
   In 1946 was living in Roehampton, London when he qualified as a Pilot in the RAF and RAF Cranwell. In the late 1950's he appears to have been a Sales Manager for DECCA Radar Inc.
- iv. MARGARET TAYLER<sub>(14,103)</sub> who was born on 28 June 1915 in London and died during 2013 She married JOHN MALCOLM WILLIAMS in January 1949 at Wandsworth, London but no identified children, but there is a photo in a Williams tree that suggests they had a daughter. In 1939 she and her brother Charles were living in Lambeth, London with their mother who was a Photography Assistant.

#### Other Information

In 1898 he was living at 33 Cavendish Street, Middlesex according to the marriage settlement of his sister, Mabel. In 1911 they were living with his mother-in-law at Kings Lynn, Norfolk and he was a Cinematograph Proprietor. He served in the RFC during WWI. In 1939 he was a Photographer living at Albert Street, St. Pancras, London but as noted above had separated from Miriam before 1934

**14.60** NORMAN STANDEN TAYLER was born in about 1879 in Totting, Surrey.

He married **CATHERINE VANSTON FERRIS** in 1909 in Sydney, New South Wales, Australia. She died in 1942

#### Children of NORMAN TAYLER and CATHERINE FERRIS are:

- MABEL ELIZABETH LESLIE TAYLER<sub>(14.104)</sub> who was born in 1913 at Sydney, New South Wales, Australia She married TOM CARDELL ELKINGTON ALLEN before 1949; he was an Engineer and lived at Milsons Point, North Sydney, New South Wales, Australia. No identified children.
- ii. MARY FRAZER TAYLER(14.105) who was born in 1927 at Newcastle Sydney New South Wales, Australia.

#### Other Information

On 14 October 1895 he was Apprenticed into the Merchant Navy. In 1900 he was living at Lewisham,

Kent according to a record of the marriage settlement of his sister. Mabel.

Sands Directories and Electoral Rolls have him living at Ryde between 1914 and 1919 and 1930 to 1949 at Milsons Point, North Sydney, New South Wales, Australia.

**14.63 WILLIAM F TAYLER** was born on 1 March 1868 at Kamptee, Bengal, India. He died on 19 January 1962 at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Victoria, British Columbia, Canada.

He married VIOLET MARGARET SOPHIE HERVEY on 30 April 1892 at Dera Ghazi Khan, Punjab.

#### Child of WILLIAM TAYLER and VIOLET HERVEY is:

i. VIOLET MINNIE ANDREWS TAYLER (14.106) who was born in November 1896 at Bannu, India

#### Other Information

He was educated at St. Kenelm's School in Oxford followed by the University in about 1885 and he was commissioned into the East Surrey Regiment on 30 January 1889 On 30 January 1900 he was promoted to Captain in the Indian Army. He must have retired soon afterwards, as in 1911 they were living in Nanaimo, British Columbia. He joined up for WWI (not sure what though) and in 1921 was teaching in a private school whilst living at Laurel Lane, Victoria, British Columbia, Canada.

**14.66 MABEL HELENA TAYLER** was born in about 1874 in St. Thomas Mount, India She married **ARTHUR FITZWILLIAM GRIMLEY** in 1893 in Cheltenham, Gloucestershire. He was born in Bragulpore, Bengal, India.

#### Children of MABEL TAYLER and ARTHUR GRIMLEY are:

- i. VIOLET MABEL GRIMLEY<sub>(14.66.1)</sub> who was born in about 1896 in Calcutta, India.
- ii. ARTHUR TAYLER GRIMLEY<sub>(14.66.2)</sub> who was born in about 1899 in Calcutta, India.
- iii. MURIEL ENID GRIMLEY<sub>(14.66.3)</sub> who was born in about 1905 in Darjeeling, India.

#### Other Information

In 1901 they were staying in Cheltenham, Gloucestershire.

He was a Solicitor and in 1911 they were living at St. Crispins, Sherborne, Dorset.

**14.68 HELEN MURIEL TAYLER** was born on 19 October 1879 in Bangalore India. She died on 13 January 1962 at No 35, Landguard Road, Southampton, Hampshire

She married **CHARLES EDWARD JENKINS** in about 1904 in Cheltenham, Gloucestershire. He was born in Umballa, India, and died in 1949 at Copythorne, Hampshire.

#### Children of HELEN TAYLER and CHARLES JENKINS are:

- GWLADYS MURIEL JENKINS<sub>(14,68.1)</sub> who was born on 30 May 1905 in Cruckton, Shropshire. She died on 15 March 1971 at 9, Rose Hill, Dorking, Surrey. She married GEORGE SINCLAIR FLETCHER on 20 August 1937 at St. Marys, Copythorne, Hampshire.
  - In 1939, they lived at Mount Park Cottage, Mount Park Road, Harrow. No known children
- ii. Lt. Colonel ROBERT VANBRUGH JENKINS<sub>(14.68.2)</sub> who was born on 3 May 1906 in Cruckton, Shropshire. He died on 21 September 1980 at "The Cockpit", Durley Road, Horton Heath, Eastleigh, Hampshire. He married (1) SUZANNE WENDY WINSTANLEY in 1939 at Romsey Registry Office, Hampshire
  - (2) AVIS MILDRED VERDON-ROE in 1967 at Winchester Registry Office, Hampshire. No children by either marriage.

#### Other Information

In 1911 they were living in Cruckton Cottage Shrewsbury and was recorded as an Employer but of what? He left £57,267 in his will to his family.

**14.70 KATHERINE ALICE TAYLER** was born in January 1852 in Marlborough, Wiltshire. She died on 23 March 1926 at Parkstone, Dorset. She left £922 to her son Elliot.

She married **Rev. ELLIOT KENWORTHY BROWNE** on 20 April 1876 at St. Peter & St. Paul, Marlborough, Wiltshire.

#### Children of KATHERINE TAYLER and ELLIOT BROWNE are:

- i. **ELLIOT KENWORTHY BROWNE**<sub>(14.70.1)</sub> who was born in about 1880
- ii. DOROTHY MARY KENWORTHY BROWNE<sub>(14.70.2)</sub> who was born in June 1881 at Bournemouth
- iii. FAITH ISABEL KENWORTHY BROWNE<sub>(14.70.3)</sub> who was born in 1883 at Bournemouth. She died in June 1973 in Surrey.
- iv. BERNARD EVELYN KENWORTHY BROWNE<sub>(14,70.4)</sub> who was born on 16 November 1889 at Bournemouth. He died in 1<sup>st</sup> Q 1979 at Highclere, Newbury, Berkshire.
- v. KATHERINE ELSIE KENWORTHY BROWNE<sub>(14.70.5)</sub> who was born in 1892 at Bournemouth.
- vi. MARGARET FRANCES KENWORTHY BROWNE<sub>(14,70.6)</sub> who was born in June 1881 at Bournemouth. She died in 1<sup>st</sup>Q 1976

**14.74 ARCHDALE WILSON TAYLER** was born on 11 May 1855 in Weybridge, Surrey. He died on 4 October 1916 in Auckland, New Zealand.

He married LILLIAS ELIZABETH CULPAN in 1887 in New Zealand.

#### Children of ARCHDALE TAYLER and LILLIAS CULPAN are:

- i. ARCHDALE WILSON TAYLER<sub>(14.107)</sub> who was born on 15 July 1888 in New Zealand and died during 1945
- ii Lieutenant ERIC HARDWICK TAYLER<sub>(14.108)</sub> who was born in 1893 at Auckland, New Zealand and died on 9 February 1915 whilst serving with the 1<sup>st</sup> Battalion York & Lancashire Regiment in France during WWI from double pneumonia as a result of being in the trenches.

He is buried at Hazebrouck Communal Cemetery, France, Plot III. A. 28

- MARJORIE EDITH MARION TAYLER<sub>(14.109)</sub> who was born in 1897 in Auckland, New Zealand and died on 10 December 1956 in New Zealand.
- iv. JOYCE FRANCES GRACE TAYLER<sub>(14.110)</sub> who was born on 8 December 1905 in Auckland, New Zealand and died during February 1979 in Auckland, New Zealand.
  She married HENRY CHARLES LUSCOMBE in 1927 in New Zealand but no identified children.

#### Other Information

He was an Accountant for Messrs Hancock & Co. for many years, previous to which he was with Messrs. McArthur & Co. He was well known in Auckland for his capabilities in Amateur Theatricals. He stage managed many productions and played a leading role too. He was also a member of the Choral Society and a founder of the Auckland Savage Club. (ex Auckland Press)

**14.12.20 HENRY CARNELL COURT** was born on 24 September 1863 at Nynee Tal, Uttarakhand, India. He died on 23 January 1934 in Launceston, Tasmania.

He married EDITH LOUISA GRAHAME

#### Children of HENRY COURT and EDITH GRAHAME are:

- i. MAJOR HENRY COURT<sub>(14,12,46)</sub> who was born on 5 August 1888 in Hobart, Tasmania, Australia.
- ii. FREDERICK CHARLES COURT<sub>(14.12.47)</sub> who was born on 16 February 1890 in Hobart, Tasmania, Australia.
- iii. **LILIAN MAY COURT**<sub>(14.12.48)</sub> who was born on 12 May 1892 on Hobart, Tasmania, Australia.
- iv. **EDITH CLARICE COURT**<sub>(14,12,49)</sub> who was born on 16 June 1898 in Westbury, Tasmania. She died on 31 October 1966 in Launceston, Tasmania, Australia.

#### Other Information

He was a police officer (Sergeant), who served for many years at Launceston, Tasmania, Australia and in various Tasmanian centres.

**14.12.21 MINNIE LILLIAN COURT** was born in June 1869 in London. She died on 7 June 1953 at the Manor House, Much Hadham, Hertfordshire, whilst living in Brecon, Wales.

She married **GERALD GARNONS-WILLIAMS** on 27 April 1892 at St. Stephens, Gloucester Road, Kensington, London.

#### Children of KATHERINE TAYLER and ELLIOT BROWNE are:

- GERALD AYLMER GARNONS-WILLIAMS<sub>(14,12,21,1)</sub> who was born on 24 January 1893 at St. Johns Mount, Brecon, Wales.
- ii. **HENRY FENTON GARNONS-WILLIAMS**<sub>(14.12.21.2)</sub> who was born in 1896 at St. Johns Mount, Brecon, Wales.
- iii. MILES HERBERT GARNONS WILLIAMS (14.12.21.3) who was born in 1901 at St. Johns Mount, Brecon, Wales.
- ANNABELLA GARNONS-WILLIAMS<sub>(14,12,21,4)</sub> who was born in 1905 at Salt Rock House, Pembrey, Carmarthenshire. She died in 1906 in Llanelli Carmarthenshire, Wales.
- v. **DOROTHY JOAN GARNONS-WILLIAMS**(14.12.21.5) who was born on 18 May 1907 at Salt Rock House, Pembrey, Carmarthenshire.
- vi. RICHARD PENRY GARNONS-WILLIAMS<sub>(14.12.21.6)</sub> who was born on 21 October 1909 at Salt Rock House, Pembrey, Carmarthenshire. He died on 30 July 1985 in South Glamorgan, Wales. He married MARGARET LOUISE CARTER on 26 September 1939 but no identified children. He served in the RAF from October 1929 presumably throughout WWII, as he was called up on 3 September 1939. In 1947 they were living in Ilkley, Yorkshire. In 1950 they were living at 7 Chester Place, Regents Park, London and he was a Civil Servant.

#### Other Information

She left £1,298 in her will to her two older sons

**14.12.2.3 ARTHUR FRASER WALTER** was born on 12 September 1846 and died on 22 August 1910 He married **HENRIETTA MARIA ANSON** on 15 October 1872

#### Child of ARTHUR WALTER and HENRIETTA ANSON is:

i. JOHN WALTER<sub>(14.12.2.8)</sub> who was born in about 1873

CHARLES LOVER COURT was born in about 1867 in Germany. He died on 7 April 1920 in 14.12.25 Rochford, Essex.

He married LAURA TOOLEY in July 1895

#### Child of CHARLES COURT and LAURA TOOLEY is:

- CHARLES LEONARD JAMES COURT<sub>(14.12.50)</sub> who was born in 1897 in Essex and died in March 1958 at High Wycombe, Buckinghamshire.
- **14.12.36** MARY THEODORA COURT who was born on 9 January 1869 in Brisbane, Queensland, Australia. She died on 10 August 1948 at Atherton, Queensland, Australia. She married HUGH SAUNDERSON HENRY SEABORN on 27 August 1898 at Southport,

Queensland, Australia.

#### Children of MARY COURT and HUGH SEABORN are:

- **DOROTHEA CATHERINE JANE SEABORN**<sub>(14.12.36.1)</sub> who was born on 7 February 1900 ERIC HUGH SEABORN<sub>(14.12.36.2)</sub> who was born on 17 September 1901 at Beaudesert, Queensland, Australia. He died on 15 October 1983 at Cooktown, Queensland, Australia. He married CLODAGH HARVEY PROVEN on 14 March 1933 in Queensland, Australia. No known children. In 1930, he was a Farmer at Malanda, Queensland, and had moved to Mareeba, Queensland, Australia by 1943 and then by 1954 had moved to Bowen, Queensland, Australia. He was in the Australian Military between 1939 and
- MARY VIVIEN SEABORN<sub>(14.12.36.3)</sub> who was born on 14 July 1904 in Maryborough, Queensland, Australia.
- REGINAL HENRY LIDDON SEABORN<sub>(14.12.36.4)</sub> who was born on 5 August 1906 in Australia. He died on 1 March 1930 at Hughendon, Queensland, Australia.
- ISABEL WINIFRED LINDSAY SEABORN(14.12.36.5) who was born on 4 May 1908 in Brisbane, Queensland, Australia. She died on 11 October 1999 at Roma, Queensland, Australia. She married ROBRT COPLAND KING LETHBRIDGE on 30 May 1932 at Werrington Station, Einasleigh, Queensland, Australia.
- LIDDON ROBERT LINDSAY SEABORN(14.12.36.6) who was born on 7 April 1910. He died on 7 November 1912 in Queensland, Australia.
- EDWIN ALEXANDER SEABORN(14.12.36.7) who was born on 13 March 1913 in Brisbane, Queensland, Australia. He died on 7 March 1973 in Cairns, Queensland, Australia.

He married EVELYN JOYCE BANKS on 14 November 1942 at Mareeba, Queensland, Australia. No known children.

In 1949, they were living at Reghurst, Mareeba, Queensland, Australia, where he was a Farmer. In 1954, they had moved into Cairns, Queensland, Australia and he was now a Labourer. In 1958, they were living at Hope Street, Cooktown, Queensland, Australia where he was Clerk at the Cooktown Shire Council.

#### Other Information

In 1905, they were living at Alpha, Queensland, Australia but by 1908, had moved to Baffle Creek Station, Gladstone Queensland, Australia. In 1909, they were living at Bunya Mountains, Dalby, Maranoa Queensland, Australia. After WWI they are at the Star Outstation, Dalrymple, Queensland, Australia and in 1924 had moved on to Wando Vale Station Queensland, Australia. In 1925, they were living at Beecroft, Atherton Queensland, Australia and in 1936 at Reghurst, Mareeba, Queensland, Australia.

REGINALD HEBER DRURY COURT was born on 8 February 1870 in Brisbane, Queensland, 14.12.37 Australia. He died on 14 April 1905 in Brisbane Hospital, Queensland, Australia. He married MARY ALEXA McLEOD on 13 September 1897 at Kangaroo Point, Brisbane Queensland, Australia.

#### Child of REGINALD COURT and MARY McLEOD is:

EVELYN ALEXA COURT<sub>(14.12.51)</sub> who was born on 17 December 1900 in Queensland, Australia.

#### Other Information

In 1903 they were living in Gympie, Queensland, Australia and he was a Bank Clerk.

LILLIAN FRANCES COURT was born on 25 March 1872 in Brisbane, Queensland, Australia. She 14.12.38 died on 15 February 1945 at Pilton, Queensland, Australia.

She married EDMOND FINLAY on 16 January 1901 at Kangaroo Point, Brisbane, Queensland, Australia.

#### Children of LILLIAN COURT and EDMOND FINLAY are:

EDMUND FRANCIS FINLAY(14.12.38.1) who was born on 10 April 1902 at Pilton, Queensland, Australia. He died on 21 October 1976 in Sydney, New South Wales, Australia.
He married LILY ANN STEVENS on 9 October 1928 in Brisbane, Queensland, Australia. No known children. In 1936 they were living at Clifton, Darling Downs, Queensland, Australia and he was a Grazier. In 1949 they we were living at Coorparoo, Bowman, Queensland, Australia. He served in the Australian Military between 1939 and 1948. cont'd

- ii. WILLIAM WARBURTON FINLAY<sub>(14.12.38.2)</sub> who was born on 26 November 1904 at Pilton, Queensland, Australia. He died on 24 December 1981 at the Glen, Darling Downs, Queensland, Australia. He married GRACE MARY KATHERINE JONES on 28 June 1933 at Westbrook, Queensland, Australia. He served in the Australian Military between 1939 and 1948, and appears to have lived at Clifton, Queensland, Australia most of his life.
- **14.12.40 ANNIE CONSTANCE COURT** was born 9 August 1875 at Kangaroo Valley, New South Wales, Australia. She died on 18 August 1963 in Brisbane, Queensland, Australia. She married **WILLIAM KERMODE** on 11 April 1905 in Brisbane, Queensland, Australia

#### **Child of ANNIE COURT is:**

i. EDWARD STUART COURT(14,12.52) who was born in 1903 in Queensland, Australia. He may have died in 1911

#### Other Information

In 1908, they were at Stephens, Oxley, Queensland, Australia and by 1913 had moved to Sherwood, Oxley, Queensland, Australia. In 1919 they were at Blackwood Road, Salisbury, Queensland, Australia and she was a Dairy Keeper.

**14.12.42 WILLIAM ALBERT LIDDON COURT** was born on 20 December 1879 at Kangaroo Point, Queensland, Australia. He died on 12 June 1966 at South Brisbane, Queensland, Australia. He married **VIOLET LAURA JUSTINA MONTEFIORE** on 20 February 1907 in South Brisbane, Queensland, Australia; Alexa Court<sub>(14.12.49)</sub> was a bridesmaid.

#### Children of WILLIAM COURT and VIOLET MONTEFIORE are:

- LIDDON LESLIE ALEXANDER PARRY COURT<sub>(14.12.53)</sub> who was born on 7 January 1911 and died on 30 October 1989 in Toowoomba, Queensland, Australia.
   He married NITA SCOTT GILMOUR on 10 July 1936 in Brisbane. No identified children.
   In 1937, they wee living at Clifton, Darling Downs, Queensland, Australia, and in 1943 at Sherwood, Moreton, Queensland, Australia. In 1949 they were living at Mackay, Dawson, Queensland, Australia.
- ii. AUDREY MONTEFIORE COURT (14.12.54) who was born on 6 February 1917 in Queensland, Australia.
- **14.12.6.1 MARY EVELYN MORISON** was born on 30 December 1857 in London. She died on 18 December 1944 in Kensington, Middlesex.

She married HENRY FIELDER on 31 March 1873 at Jullundur, Bengal, India.

#### Children of MARY MORISON and HENRY FIELDER are:

- i. THOMAS HENRY FIELDER<sub>(14.12.6.1.1)</sub> who was born on 5 June 1874 in Jullundur, Bengal.
- ii. **JAMES FIELDER**<sub>(14.12.6.1.2)</sub> who was born on 15 March 1878 in Salford, Lancashire.
- iii. SARAH ANN FIELDER<sub>(14.12.6.1.1)</sub> who was born in April 1880 in Salford, Lancashire She married ARTHUR TIMOTHY BARRINGTON MOSS on 26 April 1913 at Christ Church, Salford, Lancashire. No known children.
- **14.12.6.2 EMILY FRANCES LOUISA MORISON** was born on 28 April 1858 in Brighton, Sussex. She died 24 Mar 1932 in Paddington, London.

She married ARTHUR STANLEY GROVE in July 1880 at Marylebone, London.

#### Children of EMILY MORISON and ARTHUR GROVE are:

wife, so presumably they were separated.

- i. ARTHUR THOMAS MORRISON GROVE<sub>(14.12.6.2.1)</sub> who was born on 25 July 1890 at Marylebone, London. He died in April 1980 in Ipswich Suffolk.
   He married DORIS LOUISA UNDERWOOD in December 1924 at St. Pancras, London. No known children.
   He is recorded in the Auckland Police Gazette for not addressing the arrears (£323) he should have been paying his
- ii. GEORGE GROVE  $_{(14.12.6.2.2)}$  who was born in about 1894 at Paddington, London.

#### Other Information

He was an Electrical Engineer in 1901 and they lived at 2 Albion Street, Paddington, London. His father was a Chartered Civil Engineer.

- **14.12.6.3 FREDERICK WILLIAM MORISON** was born on 28 July 1861 on Hurst, Berkshire. He died on 28 September 1928 at the Hotel Spendide, Evian led Bains, France.
  - He married (1) MIRA AMELIA TURNER in October 1886 at St. Giles, London.
    - (2) VIOLET ISABELLE RICE in June 1926 at St. George, Hanover Square, London.

#### Child of FREDERICK MORISON and MIRA TURNER is:

i\_\_\_\_\_2<sup>nd</sup> Lieutenant GERALD PATRICK JOHN MORISON<sub>(14.12.6.4)</sub> who was born in July 1886 at St. Giles, London. He died on 13 October 1915 He is remembered on the Loos Memorial, Pas-de-Calais, France. cont'd

He was educated at Beaumont College, Windsor, and R.M.C., Sandhurst. He was killed in action during the Battle of Loos, whilst serving as a 2nd Lieutenant. He led a new draft of soldiers in a second assault during a large-scale British offensive, launched in support of a larger French attack, Third Battle of Artois. Despite shortages of shells and to poor quality of the ground, the attack was launched over the British forces saw some ground gained on the first day of the battle. The reserves had taken too long to arrive however, so the British were unable to capitalise on any successes, and the remainder of the battle saw heavy casualties and small gains. Loos is also noteworthy for seeing the first British use of poison gas during the war

ii. RONALD WILLIAM MÓRISON<sub>(14.12.6.5)</sub> who was born in July 1888 He married IDA CLAIRE GOUGH ALLEN in June 1921 in Kensington, London. No known children

**14.43.1 Surgeon Lt. Colonel PERCY GORDON RADSTOCK YOUNG** was born on 23 March 1852 in Calcutta, Bengal, India. He died on 20 October 1903 at Bulstrode House, Welbeck Street, London. He married **MARY PILGRIM** 

#### Child of PERCY YOUNG and MARY PILGRIM is:

 i. PERCY PILGRIM YOUNG<sub>(14.43.4)</sub> who was born on 23 August 1887 at 29 Lockington Road, Battersea, London. He presumably died young.

#### Other Information

He was with the 2<sup>nd</sup> Lifeguards and in Barracks in London in 1881, also in 1891 (Major and a widower) and in 1901 (Lt. Colonel and a widower). He left £2,924 to his mother and Robert Cowie of the Lifeguards.

**14.43.2** MARIAN FANNY YOUNG was born in 1854 on Calcutta, Bengal, India and died on 15 December 1903 in Oxfordshire.

She married **Rev**. **WILLIAM COLLINGWOOD CARTER** on 22 September 1892 on Cornwell, Oxfordshire.

#### Children of MARIAN YOUNG and WILLIAM CARTER are:

- i. HENRIETTA M CARTER<sub>(14.43.2.1)</sub> who was born in about 1894 at Cornwell, Oxfordshire
- ii. WILLIAM L C CARTER<sub>(14.43.2.2)</sub> who was born in about 1895 at Chipping Norton, Oxfordshire
- iii. CONSTANCE P C CARTER<sub>(14.43.2.3)</sub> who was born in about 1897 at Chipping Norton, Oxfordshire.

#### Other Information

In 1901 they were living at the Rectory in Shipton under Wychwood, Oxfordshire. She left £1,683 to her husband in her will.

**14.82 Major HENRY GRAHAM HOLROYD TAYLER** was born on 8 November 1855 in Calcutta, Bengal, India. He died on 13 January 1941 at Lindfield, Sussex. He left £1,808 to his wife He married **HELEN DOROTHEA WATSON** in 1883

#### Children of HENRY TAYLER and HELEN WATSON are:

- i. FRANCIS LIONEL TAYLER<sub>(14.111)</sub> who was born on 31 July 1883 in Bengal, India.
  - Lieutenant HENRY HOLROYD TAYLER MC<sub>(14.112)</sub> who was born on 9 November 1884 in Baghulpore, Bengal, India. He died on 26 April 1944 at Staines, Middlesex.



He joined the Indian Police Service in December 1903 and served as an Assistant Superintendent for many years and also several other capacities including Engineer and Harbour Master in the Andaman Islands, as well as the Army where he was commissioned as a 2<sup>nd</sup>. Lieutenant with the South Andaman Volunteer Rifles on 4 November 1910, followed by promotion on 13 September 1914 to Lieutenant. He was attached to the 1st/66th Punjabis depot at Jhelum on 12 October 1914, and the 66th Punjabis were mobilised in March 1915 for service in Mesopotamia and landed in Basra on 20 March. Tayler joined the battalion at Basra on 16 September 1915 where it was undertaking garrison duties. On 24 October 1915 the 66th Punjabis joined Major-General C. Townsend's 6th (Poona) Division for the advance on Baghdad; on 22 November the first major engagement on the advance to Baghdad took place at Ctesiphon. The 66th Punjabis were heavily engaged in the attack on the Turkish positions and suffered a total of 242 casualties. This included all 10 of the British officers with the battalion who were either killed or wounded, including Tayler. Only two of the wounded British officers were available for duty. Tayler was then evacuated with the other wounded soldiers and so avoided the later siege and fall of Kut-al-Amara. For his services he was Mentioned in Despatches.

Tayler was subsequently Gazetted with a Military Cross in 1920, and it is most likely that he was awarded the M.C. for his actions at Ctesiphon. The reason for the delay in the award was because it was awarded under the new provisions allowed for in Army Order 193 of 1919 which recognised that many acts of gallantry and devotion to duty during the Great War had previously gone unrecognised, because they were unwitnessed, or because those who had witnessed them were prisoners of war, it allowed rewards for these services in the Field, and in many cases (such as Tayler's) they were for acts of gallantry that had been performed some years previously.

iii. CATHERINE ANNABEL GERTRUDE TAYLER(14.113) who was born in about 1899 and died in 1954

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 $2^{nd}$ . Lieutenant JERVOISE GRAHAM TAYLER $_{(14.114)}$  who was born in about 1893 at Port Blair, Andaman & Nicobar Islands. He died on 15 May 1915 killed in action at Festubert, Pas-de-Calais, France.

He was educated Winchester from 1906 and in 1911 he was elected to a Scholarship at New College, Oxford and in 1913 was placed in the First Class in Classical Moderations. He afterwards made a special study of cultural anthropology and obtained distinction in that subject. An article of his on "The Shield of Achilles" was published in "The Classical Review" shortly before the war. He also possessed an unusually wide knowledge of military matters and of Oriental history and antiquities. Several members of his family had served in India, and it was his wish to follow them and to enter the Indian Civil Service.



At the outbreak of war, he was going through his training as a trooper with the Oxford Squadron of King Edward's Horse. In December 1914 he obtained a commission in 3rd Battalion, Leicestershire Regiment and went to France in March 1915 with his Battalion which then formed part of the Indian Army's Meerut Division. They moved into line north of the Rue du Bois on 10th May and were persistently shelled over the next few days. He fell during a night attack on 15th May 1915 in an area known as Chocolat Menier Corner, during the opening days of the Battle of Festubert. He lies in Le Touret Military Cemetery, Richebourg L'Avque: Grave I.G.20, and is also commemorated on the Lindfield War Memorial.(ex www.winchestercollegeatwar.com)



Lt. Colonel SKIPWITH EDWARD TAYLER DSO<sub>(14.115)</sub> who was born on 9 July 1899 on Viper Island, Andaman & Nicobar Islands. He died on 17 March 1941 at the Battle of Keren, Eritrea. He married FREDA FORTESCUE YOUNG on 19 September 1933 at St Peter's, Tandridge, Godstone, Surrey. They did not have any children.

He was commanding 3rd Battalion 18th Garhwal Rifles, Indian Army when he was killed in action in Eritrea. He had previously been Mentioned in Despatches. His body was exhumed and reburied at the Keren War Cemetery, Eritrea, plot 1.C.4

He attended Brunswick School, Haywards Heath, Sussex, followed by Sherborne School from 1912 to 1915 and the Cadet College at Quetta, India.

In WWI, he was a Lieutenant in the Royal Garhwal Rifles, and continued with the Regiment after the war in Waziristan and the North West Frontier of India.



During WW1 he was Commandant of Prisoners of War at Portsmouth. He was the Deputy Commissioner at Port Blair.

14.90 CONSTANCE FANNY TAYLER was born in 3rd Q 1868 at Bayswater, Middlesex. She married PERCY CHRISTOPHER GALLIMORE HAYWARD in 3rd Q 1900 at Samford, Suffolk.

#### Children of CONSTANCE TAYLER and PERCY HAYWARD are:

- BARBARA HAYWARD<sub>(14.90.1)</sub> who was born in 1<sup>st</sup>Q 1902 in Needham Market, Suffolk.
- TOM CHRISTOPHER HAYWARD(14.90.2) who was born on 25 November 1904 at Needham Market, Suffolk. He died in 2<sup>nd</sup> Q 1975 in Chichester, Sussex.

#### Other Information

In 1911, they lived in Needham Market.

During WWI he was promoted to Captain in the 2nd Volunteer Battalion, The Suffolk Regiment.

In 1919 he was awarded the MBE for his work as Assistant Director of National Service in Norwich, Norfolk.

14.91 ETHEL LAVINIA TAYLER was born on 2 December 1872 at Raneegunge, Bengal, India. She married Rev. CHRISTOPHER CAMPBELL SHARPE on 10 January 1897 at Samford. Suffolk

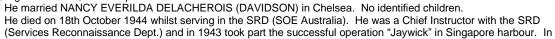
#### Children of ETHEL TAYLER and CHRISTOPHER SHARPE are:

- NANCY EVERLIDE SHARPE<sub>(14.91.1)</sub> who was born in 1stQ 1905 in Sproughton, Suffolk. She died in 1976
- MARJORIE CHATTERTON SHARPE<sub>(14.91.2)</sub> who was born on 7 February 1898 at Munsley, Kent.
- JOAN MONICA HARGRAVE SHARPE(14.91.3) who was born on 26 August 1900 in Bromley, Kent. She died in 3<sup>rd</sup>Q 2001 in Reading, Berkshire

#### 14.92 FLORENCE MABEL TAYLER was born on 3 December 1875 at Baharampur, Bengal, India. She married Rev. GERARD MARKBY DAVIDSON in 1900

#### Children of FLORENCE TAYLER and GERARD DAVIDSON are:

- MARY AGATHA NOEL DAVIDSON<sub>(14.92.1)</sub> who was born in 3<sup>rd</sup>Q 1903 in Higham Ferrers, Northamptonshire. She died in 1990 in Langholm, Dumfriesshire.
- ii. JEAN ELIZABETH NOEL DAVIDSON<sub>(14.92.2)</sub> who was born in 3<sup>rd</sup>Q 1906 in Higham Ferrers, Northamptonshire. She died in 1990 in Langholm, Dumfriesshire.
- DUNCAN IAN NOEL DAVIDSON(14,92.3) who was born on 30 January 1908 in Higham Ferrers, Northamptonshire. He was awarded the Colonial Police Medal in June 1949 for services in Malaya.
  - Lt. Commander DONALD MONTAGUE EDGAR NOEL DAVIDSON DSO(14.92.4) who was born on 30 January 1908 in Higham Ferrers, Northamptonshire.









1944, a repeat action, Operation "Rimau", was to be carried out but was totally unsuccessful (all members killed or executed). Donald was wounded in a firefight with the Japanese on Soreh Island, and either died of his wounds or committed suicide (cyanide) on Tapai Island, in the Riouw Archipelago, Indonesia. He is buried in Kranji War Cemetery, Singapore Sp. Mem. C23.D.20

#### Other Information

He obtained a MA from Clare College, Cambridge. From 1906, he had the living of Chelveston-cum-Caldecot, united to the vicarage of Higham Ferrers, joint net yearly value £200, in the gift of G C Wentworth-Fitzwilliam Esq. In 1912 his address was Woodford Rectory, Thrapston, Northamptonshire. In July 1917, he was called up as a Temporary Chaplain to the Forces.

**14.96 ELLEN THOMAS TAYLER** was born on 19 December 1869 in London. She died on 1 June 1903 in India.

She married WILLIAM McCORMICK BOYLE on 24 October 1894 in Darjeeling, Bengal, India.

#### Child of ELLEN TAYLER and WILLIAM BOYLE is:

- i. AILEEN JANE CHARTRES BOYLE<sub>(14.96.1)</sub> who was born on 13 August 1896 in Bengal, India.
- **14.47.3 CHARLOTTE ELIZABETH PALMER** was born in about 1864 in Hooghly, India. She died on 18 November 1905 in the wreck of the SS Hilda off St. Malo, with her husband. She married **HERBERT ARTHUR WELLESLEY** in January 1892 in Kensington, London.

#### Children of CHARLOTTE PALMER and HERBERT WELLESLEY are:

RONALD ARTHUR WELLESLEY<sub>(14.47.3.1)</sub> was born on 14 November 1894 in Westminster, London. He died on 19 September 1914 at the Military Hospital Quebec, Canada, and left his will in favour of his sister.

2<sup>nd</sup>. Lieutenant ERIC GEORGE WELLESLEY<sub>(14.47.3.2)</sub> who was born on 1 May 1896 in

Westminster, London.

He was educated at Winchester arriving from Mr W A Wheeler's school at Seaford. He served in the OTC at Winchester, and soon after the outbreak of war, he joined the army as Private Wellesley, of the 18th Service Battalion, Royal Fusiliers. He obtained his commission to the 8th Battalion, the Green Howards on 19th February 1915. His battalion reached France on 6th

21st December he was detailed to take a patrol out to examine some wire defences erected in front of the German trenches at La Housoie, near Armentieres, and having safely completed his task, returned to the enemy trenches to drop some grenades.

This provoked some rifle fire and grenades in reply, and Wellesley is presumed to have been killed at this time. He was reported missing at 6 a.m. and was still missing when his unit left the line at 5.30 the following day. His body was never found, and he is commemorated on panel 4 of the Ploegsteert Memorial Hainaut, Belgium He left £1,709 to his sister. (ex oldwinchestrians)

iii. VIOLET EVELYN WELLESLEY<sub>(14.47.3.3)</sub> who was born on 15 August 1897 in Fulham, London. She died in 1971 in Elkhart, Wisconsin.

In 1917, she was living at the Manor House, Froyle, Hampshire. She joined the ATS and contributed to both WWI and WWII and in 1946 was awarded the military MBE. She subsequently joined the WRAC and was gazetted in 1949 as follows:

"Hon. Junior Commander Violet Evelyn WELLESLEY, MBE (196395) late A.T.S. Emerg. Commn., to be Senior Commander on 6 September 1949, with seniority 22 July 1948."

She apparently taught HM The Queen to drive!

#### Other Information

In 1901 they were living in Nazeing, Essex. He was a distant cousin of the Duke of Wellington! After the death of their parents, the children's guardian was their uncle, Archdale Palmer of Gloucester Mansions, London.

#### Our x2 Great Grandparent's Generation

**14.3.23 PHYLLIS HERMIONE DRURY** was born on 20 August 1885 at Sydenham Hill, Surrey. She died on 22 September 1976 at Newbury, Berkshire.

She married (1) The Hon. ARTHUR GEORGE COKE on 10 May 1906 at St. George, Hanover Square London.

(2) Sir RICHARD GRANVILLE HYLTON HOWARD-VYSE on 15 October 1925 at St. George, Hanover Square, London.

#### Children of PHYLLIS DRURY and ARTHUR COKE are:

 DIANA MERIEL COKE<sub>(14.3.23.1)</sub> who was born on 7 November 1907 at Chelsea, Middlesex and died on 13 November 1996 in Buckinghamshire.

She married TREVOR MOORHOUSE on 30 July 1930, but they were divorced in 1938 They had 1 child who was married and produced 1 grandchild.

In 1939 she was living at Montagu Square, London and was a ARP Warden and Ambulance Driver during WWII.

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- Rt. Hon. ANTHONY LOVEL COKE, 6th Earl of Leicester of Holkham (14.3.23.2) who was born on 14 September 1909 and died on 12 August 1994 in South Africa
  - He married (1) MOYRA JOAN CROSSLEY on 11 September 1934; they divorced in 1947
    - (2) VERA HAIGH in 1947
    - (3) ELIZABETH HOPE SMITH JOHNSTONE in 1985

He had 3 children by his first wife, who all married and produced 10 children between them and 6 great grandchildren.

He fought in the Second World War, with the Royal Air Force. He inherited the Earldom from Thomas, his first cousin once removed in 1976 along with a substantial estate based on Holkham Hall in Norfolk, but remained living in South Africa, as his eldest son had already taken over the management of the estate.

In the late 1950s, he became a Land Development Officer (LDO) in Rhodesia, attached to what was then known as the Native Affairs Department (later renamed the Internal Affairs Department). He and his wife, Vera, were based in the Mondoro Reserve near Hartley, Rhodesia (now Zimbabwe) where he was responsible for educating and assisting African farmers.

#### Other Information

In 1911 they were living at Flaunden House, Flaunden, Hertfordshire. Arthur joined the Navy in 1897 and retired with the rank of Lieutenant in 1903. On the outbreak of WWI, he obtained a commission as 2nd. Lieutenant in the 2nd County of London Yeomanry Regiment but was almost immediately transferred to the Royal Horse Guards and served with that Regiment in Flanders including the 1st Battle of Ypres. He was transferred to the Armoured Car Division of the RNVR in January 1915 and was killed in action at the Dardanelles on 2 May 1915 and he is buried at Helles Memorial, Gallipoli, Çanakkale, Turkey. He left £1,486 in his will.

**14.98 VIOLETTE LILIAN TAYLER** was born on 22 March 1899 in Musselburgh, Midlothian. She died on 8 May 1981 at Chula Vista, San Diego, California, USA.

She married WENDELL LAFAYETTE FRITZ on 1 November 1921 in Los Angeles, California, USA

#### Child of VIOLETTE TAYLER and WENDELL FRITZ is:

VIOLET LORRAINE FRITZ<sub>(14.98.1)</sub> who was born on 29 October 1923 in Hayward, California USA and died on 8 October 1971 in Los Angeles.
 She married Mr. HANA possibly in Reno, Nevada, USA and had two children and they divorced – no details.

#### Other Information

He would appear to have been a Sergeant in the US Army Motor Corps according to his tombstone.

**14.105** MARY FRAZER TAYLER was born in 1927 at Newcastle Sydney New South Wales, Australia. She married RALPH LONGFIELD HARPER on 7 March 1942 in North Sydney, New South Wales

#### Children of MARY TAYLER and RALPH HARPER are:

- i. NANCY HARPER<sub>(14.105.1)</sub>
- ii. JANET LONGFIELD HARPER<sub>(14.105.2)</sub> who was born on 28 October 1951in Sydney, New South Wales, Australia and died there on 7 November 2017; she was a Clerk
- **14.106 VIOLET MINNIE ANDREWS TAYLER** was born in November 1896 at Bannu, India. She died on 2 Sep 1989 West Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada.

She married **VINCENT HOWARD ANDRE KNOX** on 18 April 1922 in Oak Bay, British Columbia, Canada.

#### Child of VIOLET TAYLER and VINCENT KNOX is:

Flt. Sergeant VINCENT COOKE LINDSAY KNOX<sub>(14.106.1)</sub> who was born on 5 April 1924 in Victoria British Columbia. He died on 20-21 December 1943 whilst on active service with the RAF during WWII.

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#### Other Information

According to Vincent Jnr's call up papers, his father was an Army Captain with the 3<sup>rd</sup> Division IRU Canadian Army Overseas. Whether this was WWI (he would have been just old enough) or WWII is not clear and there are no other records immediately available.

**14.70.1 ELLIOT KENWORTHY BROWNE** was born in about 1880 and died on 9 May 1950 in Salisbury, Wiltshire.

He married RUTH MARGARET ADDERLEY on 3 September 1907 in Fillongley, Warwickshire.

#### Child of ELLIOT BROWNE and RUTH ADDERLEY is:

i. STEPHEN ROBERT KENWORTHY BROWNE(14.69.7) who was born in about 1909 at Checkley, Staffordshire.

**14.107 ARCHDALE WILSON TAYLER** was born on 15 July 1888 in New Zealand and died on 25 October 1945 at 21a St Stephens Avenue, Parnell, Auckland, New Zealand.

He married ETHEL LAMONT MONTIETH during 1914 in New Zealand.

#### Children of ARCHDALE TAYLER and ETHEL MONTIETH are:

- i. **IAN ARCHDALE TAYLER**(14.116) who was born on 28 March 1918 in Auckland, New Zealand and died during 2010 He married JANET MARGARET MARCHANT and had 4 children who produced 8 grandchildren. He served as a footsoldier in WWII with the NZ Expeditionary Force but was captured and became a PoW at Stalag 344, Lamsdorf, Poland. Post war he was a Physiotherapist and they lived in Whangarei, Northland, New Zealaand.
- ii. **ERIC ARCHDALE TAYLER**<sub>(14.117)</sub> who was born on 5 September 1921 in Hastings, New Zealand He married MARGARET MARILYN (Lynn) JAMES in 1952 at Bristol, Gloucestershire.

They had 2 children who produced 3 grandchildren between them.

He had an extensive Obituary in the 26 August 1997 edition of the Sydney Morning Herald but in summary he was a pioneer of BBC drams and a noted director in what many consider British television's finest era. He served during WWII in Italy with a counter-intelligence unit and after demob, emigrated to Britain with intent of becoming an actor. He attended RADA where he met Margaret, his future wife, and then in the late 1950's, whilst working at the Bristol Old Vic company which included Peter O'Toole, joined the BBC to direct an adaptation of Nicholas Nickleby. He did not look back!

In the mid 1960's he was offered a 2 year contract as senior producer/director of ABC drama in Sydney, New South Wales, Australia. He never returned to Britain, for work, and having been shown an apartment at Balmoral Beach moved there and stayed for the rest of his life.

- He was not one to abide the fastidiousness of the bureaucracy and would tell them so. He was known as the "angry ant" due to his diminutive size as a result.
- iii. KENNETH ARCHDALE TAYLER<sub>(14.118)</sub> who was born on 2 April 1926 Auckland, New Zealand and died there on 22 March 2003
  - He married MRYTLE LOFGREN BEATTY but no further information available.

#### Other Information

He was a Bank Clerk when the were married and in 1919 they were living on Manuakau Road, Auckland, New Zealand. In 1935 he was still a Clerk and they lived at Station Terrace, Auckland, New Zealand.

- **14.12.46 MAJOR HENRY COURT** was born on 5 August 1888 in Hobart, Tasmania and died on 28 June 1958 in Sydney, New South Wales, Australia.
  - He married (1) JOSEPHINE ADA PALMROSE on 21 October 1909 at St. Mary Magdalene, Adelaide, South Australia. She died in 1941
    - (2) SYLVIA MARY PENWAY KNIGHT on 18 March 1943 in Launceston, Tasmania, Australia.

#### Children of MAJOR COURT and JOSEPHINE PALMROSE are:

i. MAJOR HENRY COURT<sub>(14.12.55)</sub> who was born on 21 October 1910 at Broken Hill, New South Wales, Australia.
 He married IDA EMILY McCORMACK on 25 April 1937 at Deloraine, Tasmania. They may have separated.
 They had 1 child but no readily available details.

He served in WWII but no details. In 1954 he was living in Lewisham, New South Wales, Australia and was a Salesman.

- JOSEPHINE PHYLLIS COURT<sub>(14.12.56)</sub> who was born on 21 October 1910 at Broken Hill, New South Wales, Australia.
  - She married CHARLES HAROLD ADOLPHUS KIDD on 18 December 1937 in Hobart, Tasmania. They had 4 children.
- iii. STEPHEN VICTOR COURT<sub>(14.12.57)</sub> who was born on 2 October 1911 at Broken Hill, New South Wales, Australia and died on 7 August 1974 in Hobart, Tasmania, Australia; sadly, he took his own life. He married LOLA JEAN BURROWS on 18 May 1946 at the Scots Church, Hobart, Tasmania, Australia. They had 3 children but no further details.
- JOHN MARCUS COURT<sub>(14.12.58)</sub> who was born on 22 June 1920 at Broken Hill, New South Wales, Australia. He died on 23 May 1968 at 16 Callcott Road, London.
   He served in WWII.
- v. MARY LAURA COURT<sub>(14.12.59)</sub> who was born on 10 November 1924 at Hobart, Tasmania, Australia. She married twice and had 2 children with her first husband.

#### Other Information

By 1922, they had moved to Moonah, Franklin, Tasmania, and in 1928 they were living in Denison, Tasmania, Australia. He was an Electrical Engineer.

**14.12.47 FREDERICK CHARLES COURT** was born on 16 February 1890 in Hobart, Tasmania. He died on 1 September 1951 on Whyalia, South Australia.

He married **FENELLA (Ella) MARIANNE MATHEWS** on 23 November 1912 at the Methodist Church, Parkside, South Australia.

#### Children of FREDERICK COURT and FENELLA MATTHEWS are:

FREDA HELEN MABEL COURT<sub>(14.12.60)</sub> who was born on 12 May 1915 at Frewville, South Australia.

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- ii. BERYL ELLA COURT<sub>(14.12.61)</sub> who was born on 11 April 1917 at Henley Beach, South Australia and died on 31 January 2005 in Snowtown, South Australia.
  - She married ALBERT GEORGE THURSTON on 30 April 1943 in Adelaide and had 1 child but no further details
- iii. FREDERICK HENRY COURT<sub>(14.12.62)</sub> who was born on 19 January 1920 in North Adelaide, South Australia. He died there in 1923
- iv. DOROTHY JOY COURT<sub>(14,12,63)</sub> who was born on 14 August 1922 in Evandale, South Australia. She died on 19 April 1923 in North Adelaide, South Australia.
- v. ERICA MAY COURT<sub>(14.12.642)</sub> who was born on 18 May 1925 in South Australia.
- vi. JOHN FREDERICK COURT<sub>(14.12.65)</sub> who was born on 30 November 1928 in Joslyn, South Australia and died on 11 January 2005 in Strathalbyn, South Australia.
  - He married CLAIRE PREWETT HUDD and had 1 child but no further details

#### Other Information

He was a Clerk in 1916 when called up for WWI and he also served in WWII. In 1920, he was a Police Officer and lived in a house called Nani Tahl.

**14.12.48 LILIAN MAY COURT** was born on 12 May 1892 on Hobart, Tasmania, Australia. She died on 6 June 1965 in Launceston, Tasmania, Australia.

She married FREDERICK BEAUMONT on 25 October 1916 in Launceston, Tasmania, Australia.

#### Children of LILIAN COURT and FREDERICK BEAUMONT are:

- i. LOIS ELIZABETH BEAUMONT<sub>(14,12,48,1)</sub> who was born on 10 February 1917 and died on 21 November 2107
- ii. DOROTHY MAY BEAUMONT<sub>(14.12.48.2)</sub> who was born on 31 March 1918 in Launceston, Tasmania, Australia and died on 6 September 2001
  - She married JAMES ROBERT ROBERTSON on 14 November 1945 at Chalmers Presbyterian Church, Launceston, Tasmania, Australia and they had 2 children but no further details available.
- **14.12.49 EDITH CLARICE COURT** was born on 16 June 1898 in Westbury, Tasmania, Australia. She died on 31 October 1966 in Launceston, Tasmania, Australia.

She married ELSON HARRY HUMPHREYS in November 1915 in Latrobe, Tasmania, Australia.

#### Children of EDITH COURT and ELSON HUMPHREYS are:

- i. JOHN ELSON HUMPHREYS<sub>(14.12.49.1)</sub> who was born on 2 November 1916 in Launceston, Tasmania, Australia and died on 21 August 1964 in Victoria, Australia.
   He married BERYL MARY GREEN on 20 November 1945 in Mowbray, Tasmania, Australia and had 2 children but
  - no further details.
- ii. JAMES JOSEPH NEIL HUMPHREYS<sub>(14.12.49.2)</sub> who was born on 13 May 1918 in Launceston, Tasmania, Australia and died on 8 October 1997
  - He married AGNES ROLFE on 12 March 1943 in Launceston, Tasmania, Australia and they had 2 children but no further details available.
  - He served in the Australian Military between 1939 and 1948 They lived in Launceston, Tasmania until at least 1949 and by 1954 were living in Wilmot, Tasmania, Australia.

#### Other Information

In 1936, they were living in Launceston Central, Tasmania, Australia.

**14.12.21.1 Captain GERALD AYLMER GARNONS-WILLIAMS DSO, DSC** was born on 24 January 1893 at St. Johns Mount, Brecon, Wales. He died on 3 November 1977 in Plas-y-Coed, Newcastle Emlyn, Dyfed, Wales.

He married ENID EILEEN TWEED LEWIS in 1917

#### Child of GERALD GARNONS-WILLIAMS and ENID LEWIS is:

i. PHILIP AYLMER JESTYN GARNONS-WILLIAMS<sub>(14.12.21.7)</sub> who was born on 17 July 1919 in Wandsworth, London. He married and had 1 child.

#### Other Information

Upon passing out of the training establishment in mid-January 1911, Garnons-Williams was appointed to the battleship *Queen* in the Atlantic. He served in *Zealandia* and *Druid* from mid-May 1912 through 13 January 1914 when he underwent examinations, obtaining a first-class certificate in gunnery, and second-class in torpedoes and engineering. On 6 February 1914, he was appointed to the dreadnought *Vanguard*. He was granted his watch-keeping certificate and promoted to the rank of Lieutenant on 30 July 1915 and re-appointed in *Vanguard*.

On 17 February 1915, he was appointed to *Canada*. He would be with her at the Battle of Jutland, his appointment ending on 31 May 1917. Having applied for service in submarines in mid-April, on 11 June, he was appointed to *Dolphin* for instruction in submarines. From here out, he would primarily serve in submarines. On 14 September 1917 he was appointed to his first submarine, *E 51* 

Garnons-Williams was awarded the Distinguished Service Cross for services in Minelaying Submarines from 1 July and 11 November 1918. The award was gazetted to him 20 February 1919. He was appointed in command of the submarine *L 71* on 9 August 1920, and on 30 July 1923 was promoted to the rank of Lieutenant-Commander. Also, that year, he was awarded the sum of 400 guineas for inventing an instrument to measure the speed of ships and other craft.

On 19 January 1926, Garnons-Williams was lent to the Chilean Navy, his appointment expected to last two years. Garnons-Williams was promoted to the rank of Commander on 30 June 1927, and he was re-appointed to Chile until January 1928, when he was also granted permission to study Spanish in his own time.

In 1929, he was faulted for an accident experienced in surfacing after conducting an inclining experiment off Malta, as it was deemed that on 1 May 1934, he was faulted when *Swordfish* was damaged because, as Commander, he had not chosen a suitable area for the exercise. However, it appears that after some consideration, the blame was shifted to Captain, Fifth Submarine Flotilla F. H. Taylor.

On 10 October 1940, he entered the basement of No. 21 Carlton House Terrace after it had been bombed and was in a "very precarious and perilous state" and was instrumental in the rescue of women who were trapped in the debris. He was subsequently Mentioned in Despatches for his efforts in the Norway campaign.

On 25 August 1942, he received the DSO for "bravery and enterprise in the successful operations which led to the surrender of the important base of Diego Suarez."

Garnons-Williams was placed on the Retired List on account of his age with the rank of Captain on 24 January 1943 and on 23 February, he received a Mention in Despatches for bravery and resource in operations in Madagascar. He was also wounded in 1943 and in 1944 (now a Captain) he was flown to Honolulu – what for, as the rest of the passengers were American?

He was reverted to the Retired List as being medically unfit on 7 July 1946, and on 13 August that year, the President of the United States bestowed upon Garnons-Williams the Legion of Merit, Degree of Officer for distinguished services to the Allied Cause during the War, and the Royal Navy granted him unrestricted permission to wear it. He left £12,741 in his will.

#### 14.12.21.2 Lt. Colonel HENRY FENTON GARNONS-WILLIAMS was born in 1896 at St.

Johns Mount, Brecon, Wales. He died on 10 November 1939 near Douai, Nord Pasde-Calais France.

He married KATHERINE PADERSON in December 1925 at Tiverton, Devon.

#### Children of HENRY GARNONS-WILLIAMS and KATHERINE PADERSON are:

- MARY GARNONS-WILLIAMS<sub>(14.12.21.8)</sub> who was born on 7 November 1926 and died in November 2000 in Brecon.
- She married CHARLES HILARY GILBERT ALLUM on 1 September 1949. No known children
- ANNE JOICE GARNONS-WILLIAMS<sub>(14.12.21.9)</sub> who was born in 1930 at Caernarvon, Wales. She died on 25 April 1952 in an accident.

#### Other Information

In 1915, he enlisted in the 3rd Battalion Royal Welsh Fusiliers. Where he served is not identified. In 1935, they were living at Overstrand Mansions in Battersea, London.

In 1939 he returned from Palestine as Lieutenant Colonel in 1st Battalion Royal Welch Fusiliers. He died in an air crash on 10 November 1939 and is buried at the Douai communal Cemetery Row K Grave 8, Douai, Departement du Nord, Nord-Pas-de-Calais, France. He left £1,584 in his will.

**14.12.21.3 MILES HERBERT GARNONS WILLIAMS** was born in 1901 at St. Johns Mount, Brecon, Wales. He died on 29 September 1952 at the War Memorial Hospital in Brecon, Breconshire, whilst living at Talybont-on-Usk, Breconshire. He left £2,151 in his will.

He married NORAH KATHERINE McINTYRE on 25 June 1924; she left £26,778 in her will in 1973

#### Child of MILES GARNONS-WILLIAMS and NORAH McINTYRE is:

i. C GARNONS-WILLIAMS<sub>(4.12.21.10)</sub>

#### Other Information

He was accepted for a Naval Cadetship after passing qualifying examinations for the Royal Naval College, Osborne term of September 1914, but his career after that is not clear. From the *London Gazette*, he was promoted to Flight Lieutenant in 1928 and was a Wing Commander in the RAF Technical Branch in 1940 – *very little information available* 



**14.12.21.5 DOROTHY JOAN GARNONS-WILLIAMS** was born on 18 May 1907 at Salt Rock House, Pembrey, Carmarthenshire. She died on 29 June 2004 at Brecknock, Breconshire.

She married **ROBERT HENRY CARY LYONS** on 19 April 1933 at Brecon, Breconshire. He was born on 20 April 1905

#### Children of DOROTHY GARNONS-WILLIAMS and ROBERT LYONS are:

- i. JULIA CAROLINE LYONS<sub>(14.12.21.5.1)</sub> who was born on 12 May 1934
- ii. THOMAS COLVILL HOLMES LYONS<sub>(14.12.21.5.2)</sub> who was born on 8 March 1937 He was educated at Harrow and was a 2nd Lieut. Royal Welch Fusiliers.
- iii. MARY ROSE LYONS<sub>(14.12.21.5.3)</sub> who was born on 22 May 1944

#### Other Information

Robert was educated at Malvern and Oriel College, Oxford, where he obtained a BA in 1927, and was subsequently admitted as a solicitor 1931. He was a partner in Taylor and Humbert, Gray's Inn. He was also a Director of British Law Insurance Co. Ltd.

In WWII between 1941 and 1944, he served as a Lieutenant in the South Wales Borderers.

They lived at The Manor House, Much Hadham, Hertfordshire.

### **14.12.36.1 DOROTHEA CATHERINE JANE SEABORN** was born on 7 February 1900 in Queensland, Australia.

She married BARRON ROBERT MURRAY on 27 December 1924 in Queensland, Australia.

#### Child of DOROTHEA SEABORN and BARRON MURRAY is:

i. DESMOND MURRAY (14.12.36.1.1)

#### Other Information

In 1925, they were living at Vanrook Station, Normanton, Queensland, Australia. In 1930 he was the Bookkeeper at Lyndhurst Station, Einasleigh, Queensland, Australia. In 1937 he was a Shire Clerk living in Croydon, Queensland but by 1943 they had moved to Duaringa, Queensland. In 1972 were living at Coolangatta, McPherson, Queensland, Australia.

**14.12.36.3 MARY VIVIEN SEABORN** was born on 14 July 1904 in Maryborough, Queensland, Australia. She died on 30 September 1987 in Australia.

She married NEIL McINNES on 2 March 1926 in Atherton, Queensland, Australia.

#### Children of MARY SEABORN and NEIL McINNES are:

- i. IAN McINNES<sub>(14,12,36,3.1)</sub> who was born on 7 December 1926 in Townsville, Queensland, Australia.
- ii. C McINNES<sub>(14.12.36.3.2)</sub>
- iii. C McINNES<sub>(14.12.36.3.2)</sub>

### **14.12.51 EVELYN ALEXA COURT** was born on 17 December 1900 in Queensland and died on 27 July 1997 in Perth, Western Australia.

She married ALAN MURRAY in 1931 in Victoria, Australia.

#### Child of EVELYN COURT and ALAN MURRAY is:

VEREKER ROBERT ROSS MURRAY<sub>(14.12.51.1)</sub> who was born on 26 February 1934.
 He was a Pastoralist and Grazier at Langley Vale, Via Kyneton, Victoria, Australia.

#### Other Information

In 1931 they were living at Langley, Taradale, Bendigo, Victoria, Australia. By 1937, they had moved to Castlemaine, Ballarat, Victoria, Australia.

**14.12.54 AUDREY MONTEFIORE COURT** was born on 6 February 1917 in Queensland, Australia. She died on 6 May 1996 and is buried at the Bribie Island Memorial Gardens, Caboolture, Queensland, Australia

She married ALFRED ARTHUR RIPPINGALE

#### Child of EVELYN COURT and ALAN MURRAY is:

i. C RIPPINGALE<sub>(14.12.54.1)</sub>

#### Other Information

In 1943, they were living at Toowong, Brisbane, Queensland, Australia. By 1977, they had moved to Caboolture, Fisher, Queensland, Australia.

**14.12.6.1.1 THOMAS HENRY FIELDER** was born on 5 June 1874 in Jullundur, Bengal. He died on 25 October 1941 at East Cowes, Isle of Wight.

He married BLANCHE EMILY GILL on 25 April 1896 at East Cowes, Isle of Wight.

#### Child of THOMAS FIELDER and BLANCHE GILL is:

 VERA DOROTHY FIELDER<sub>(14.2.5.6.1.4)</sub> who was born on 18 January 1897 at East Cowes, Isle of Wight. She married WILLIAM HENRY DEWEY in 1918 at St. James Church, East Cowes, Isle of Wight. No identified children.

#### Other Information

He appears to have lived on the Isle of Wight for most of his life and was a Foreman Fitter in the 1911 census.

14.12.6.1.2 JAMES FIELDER was born on 15 March 1878 in Salford, Lancashire.

He married MARGARITA ANNA FOLEY in June 1900 in Salford, Lancashire.

#### Child of JAMES FIELDER and MARGARITA FOLEY is:

 JAMES EDWARD FIELDER<sub>(14.12.6.1.5)</sub> who was born in 1900 in Salford, Lancashire. He married and had 1 child.

#### Other Information

He was an Insurance Agent, and she was a Cotton Spinner in1901 when they were staying with her mother in Salford. Lancashire.

- **14.111** Lt. Colonel FRANCIS LIONEL TAYLER DSO was born on 31 July 1883 in Bengal, India. He died on 26 November 1933 at Dalkey, Newnham Avenue, Bedford, Bedfordshire.
  - He married **KATHLEEN EDYTHE WILDEBLOOD** on 22 March 1911 at Christ Church, Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh.

#### Children of FRANCIS TAYLER and KATHLEEN WILDEBLOOD are:

- i. **Major LIONEL WILLIAM SKIPWITH TAYLER**(14.119) who was born on 22 April 1912 at Linfield, Sussex. He died on 13 October 1980 in Kerikeri, Northland, New Zealand.
  - He married (1) ELIZABETH DONA WHITEHEAD on 10 July 1939 at St. Johns, Eastbourne, Sussex. She died 22 August 1953 in Kisumi Hospital, Kenya.
    - (2) SARA ELINOR LEWIS on 10 July 1954 at St. Paul, Kiambu, Kenya.

He had 2 children by his first wife and 3 with his second wife.

In 1933 he was commissioned into the Royal Sussex Regiment and from 1935 to 1940 was employed under the Colonial Office (Royal West African Frontier Force) and between March 1939 and August 1940 he was the Adjutant. He was a Captain in 1941 and later that year promoted to Major. On 26 April 1945, he was Mentioned in Despatches (Burma), but his record *[ex unithistories.com]* notes he was a POW (no details), but difficult to see when from his promotions. From 1945 to 1946 he was an instructor at the Small Arms School (Hythe, Kent), and in 1949 he retired. In 1963, he moved to New Zealand as a result of the Mau Mau rebellion in Kenya. Group Captain THOMAS HENRY BRYAN TAYLER<sub>(14.120)</sub> who was born on 30 November 1914, and died in 4<sup>th</sup>Q

1995 in Bournemouth, Dorset.

He married JUNE PATRICIA de la BERE on 17 October 1940 at St. Stephens, Cheltenham, Gloucestershire. They did not have any children.

He joined the RAF in 1937 on a short service commission and retired on 25 August 1958 as a Group Captain. He completed training in Tiger Moths, Harts, Andaxes and Ansons at No 1 ETS Hatfield, No 10 FTS Tern Hill and No 5 ATC Penrhos, and of his postings to No 148 Squadron flying Wellesleys, Heyfords and Wellingtons while based at RAF Stradishall (March 1938 - September 1939) and RAF Harwell (September 1939 - April 1940) with No 15 OTU at Harwell (April 1940 - July 1941), with No 21 AFU at Wheaton Aston (September - November 1945) and briefly with No 15 Squadron at RAF Wyton (July 1941) until his Short Stirling Mk. I N6029 (LS-K) bomber ditched on 26 July 1941 in the North Sea while returning from a raid on Berlin; he was captured on the Dutch coast after four days in a dinghy and remained a PoW in German captivity (Stalag Luft III) until his release in May 1945. He was given a permanent commission in 1946. In 1941, he was Mentioned in Despatches.

iii. IAN A J TAYLER<sub>(14.121)</sub> who was born in 4<sup>th</sup> Q 1920 in Steyning, Sussex and died there in 1<sup>st</sup>Q 1921

#### Other Information

He was commissioned in October 1902 and in 1912 was a Captain in the Indian Army 42<sup>nd</sup> Regiment. During WWI he was with the 42nd Deoli Regiment, 44th Merwaras Regiment, and the Royal Flying Corps. He left £282 to his wife.

**14.91.2 MARJORIE CHATTERTON SHARPE** was born on 7 February 1898 at Munsley, Kent. She died on 7 April 1991 in Kirkaldy, Fife.

She married WILLIAM ROSE GREENSHIELDS on 6 June 1923 in Williton, Somerset.

#### Child of MARJORIE SHARPE and WILLIAM GREENSHIELDS is:

 ANN MARGARET GREENSHIELDS<sub>(14,91,2,1)</sub> who was born on 14 November 1924 in Pewsey, Wiltshire She married JOHN LINDSAY BOASE and they had 4 children but no further details available

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- JANE CAMPBELL GREENSHIELDS(14.91.2.2) who was born on 26 February 1933 in Holditch, Somerset. She died on 28 August 2019 at Shipton-under-Wynchwood, Oxfordshire. She was a Medical Secretary and went to the USA in 1933 returning in August 1956 on the "Queen Mary". Whether she was there all that time or there were two or more visits, is not identified.
- C GREENSHIELDS<sub>(14.91.2.3)</sub>
- C GREENSHIELDS(14.91.2.4)

#### Other Information

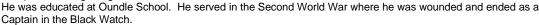
In 1939 they were living in Bladon, Witney, Oxfordshire and he was a retired Farmer and ARP Warden. She was with the Women's Voluntary Service.

14.96.1 AILEEN JANE CHARTRES BOYLE was born on 13 August 1896 in Bengal.

She died on 30 August 1977 in Warwick, Warwickshire.

She married Rt. Hon. Sir CHARLES DANIEL FINCH-KNIGHTLEY, 10th Earl of Aylesford on 7 February 1918 in Calcutta, Bengal.

Children of AILEEN BOYLE and CHARLES FINCH-KNIGHTLEY are:
i. Rt. Hon. CHARLES IAN FINCH KNIGHTLY, 11<sup>th</sup> Earl of Aylesford<sub>(14.96.1.1)</sub>, was born on 2 November 1918 He died on 19 February 2008who was born on 2 November 1918 He married and had 3 children who all married and had 9 grandchildren between them who produced 7 great grandchildren.



After the war he was appointed a Justice of the Peace for Warwickshire in 1948 and a Deputy Lieutenant of the county in 1954. He succeeded his father in the earldom in 1958

In 1974 he was appointed to the new post of Lord-Lieutenant of the West Midlands, a position he held until 1993 The growth of the waste industry in the 1980s was a boon to Lord Aylesford. His father had left the estate at Packington with huge death duties. To pay the bill the Earl and his son set about gravel pit recovery. The mining extraction created a huge hole in the estate: the decision made after the flurry of new legislation to fill it with landfill waste. The success of this project led by the agent on the site, helped a whole new industry begin. The Earl made a profit, as his agent created a new hill above the park covering a plateau of several acres. The consequence of this was for government re-cycling models in favour of landfill.

Hon. ANTHONY HENEAGE FINCH KNIGHTLY (14.96.1.2) who was born on 27 April 1920 in London. He died on 15 October 1995

He married and had 2 children who produced 4 grandchildren between them.

He was educated at Oundle School. He fought in the Second World War, where he was Mentioned in

Despatches. He gained the rank of Temporary Captain in the Black Watch.

He held the office of Justice of the Peace (JP) for Huntingdonshire and Peterborough in 1965

#### Other Information

He was given the name of Charles Daniel Finch at birth. In 1912 his name was legally changed to Charles Daniel Finch-Knightley. He gained the rank of Captain in the 7th Battalion, Rifle Brigade and the Canadian Forces. He fought in the First World War, where he was wounded. He was Military Secretary to the Governor-General of Australia between 1918 and 1920. He held the office of Justice of the Peace (JP) for Warwickshire.

#### Appendix 3 - Descendants of Emmeline Hall/Fosbery

#### Our x4 Great Grandparent's Generation

32 EMMELINE GEORGIANA HALL who was born on 17 January 1829 in Lympstone, Devon and died in 1st Q 1913

She married Lieutenant Colonel GEORGE VINCENT FOSBERY VC in 1858; he was born on 11 April 1832 in Stert, Wiltshire and died on 8 May 1907 in Bath. The Fosberys can trace their family back to Somerset in the time of Edward the Confessor in the 11th century.

#### Children of EMMELINE HALL and GEORGE FOSBERY are:

- PERCY GEORGE VINCENT WOLFE FOSBERY (32.1) was born in August 1859 (baptised on 13 September 1859 at Wigmore, Herefordshire).
- EVELYN FOSBERY(322) was born on 1 October 1860 in Dover, Kent and died on 11 May 1867 in Totnes, Devon.
- CECILIA MARY MARTIN MacKAY FOSBERY (32.3) was born on 15 October 1861 at Calcutta, West Bengal, India.
- BEATRICE FOSBERY(32.4) was born on 14 December 1862 in Meerut, India (baptised on 7 May 1864 at Fort William, Bengal, India) and died in January 1937 at Eastbourne, Sussex.
- GERTRUDE FOSBERY<sub>(32.5)</sub> was born on 13 January 1864 in Lahore, India and died in December 1940 in Tonbridge, Kent.
  - In 1911 she was staying with her sister Maude in Eastbourne, Sussex. In 1939 she was still in Eastbourne but in a "hotel" with many guests who were living on their own means. **GEORGE HUGH FOSBERY**<sub>(32.6)</sub> was born on 2 May 1865 in Marseilles, France.
- vii. MAUDE EMELIA FOSBERY<sub>(32.7)</sub> was born in about 1866 in Lahore
- viii. ALICE EMMA FOSBERY<sub>(32.8)</sub> was born in 1868 in Reading, Berkshire
- GEORGIANA EVELYN FOSBERY(32.9) was born on 9 July 1870 and died on 22 July 1870 in Samford, Suffolk.
- CECIL THOMAS VINCENT FOSBERY (32.10) was born on 9 December 1872 at Cawnpore, Bengal, India and died on 1 April 1906 in Petersham, New South Wales, Australia 1906

#### Other Information (ex https://www.smallcombegardencemetery.org/george-fosbery-bio)

George Fosbery was an Old Etonian and was a Lieutenant in the 4th Bengal European Regiment of the BIA, when he was awarded the VC during the Ambela Campaign (Umbeyla Campaign), in an area of Northwest India on 30 October 1863, (this is now the Chamla Valley, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Pakistan). At this time, he was leading a party of his regiment to recapture the Crag Picquet, after its garrison had been driven off by the enemy and 60 of them killed. The approach to the Crag was very narrow but the lieutenant led his party with great coolness and was the first man to gain the top of the Crag from his side of the attack. Subsequently, when the commanding officer was wounded, Lieutenant Fosbery assembled a party and pursued the routed enemy, inflicting on them further losses. He retired from the service in 1877.

In 1895 he patented a design for a self-cocking revolver, which was taken up by the Webley & Scott Revolver & Arms Company. The Webley-Fosbery Automatic Revolver was produced as a six-shot .455 caliber and an eight-shot .38 caliber. It was issued to airmen in the Royal Naval Air Service during the First World War. Sometime in the late 19th century he invented the Paradox gun. This was a gun made by Holland & Holland, so named because only the front two inches of the barrel were rifled; intended to be used as both rifle and shotgun, capable of firing both shot and conical bullets with

In 1997, Fosbery's Victoria Cross was sold at an Alberta auction for \$45,000. His medals are now on display in the Lord Ashcroft Gallery in the Imperial War Museum in London.

He was buried on 11th May 1907 here in Smallcombe. Alongside him are his wife, Emmeline Georgiana Fosbery who died in 1913 and his eldest son Percy. The decaying cross which marked their grave has been replaced by a marble monument and updated by family members. The cross was preserved and is now in the home of his great grandson, Texas Napier Fosbery, in Canada. The website thanks Jana Edwards and Angela MacPherson(32.3.4.1), both great, great grand-daughters.

#### Our x3 Great Grandparent's Generation

32.1 PERCY GEORGE VINCENT WOLFE FOSBERY was born in August 1859 (baptised on 13 September 1859 at Wigmore, Herefordshire). He died in June 1926 in Bristol, Somerset and was buried at St. Mary The Virgin Churchyard, Bathwick, Bath, Somerset.

He married MARIANNE STOCKDALE CHAMBERLAIN in April 1891 in Axbridge, Devon.

#### Children of PERCY FOSBERY and MARIANNE CHAMBERLAIN are:

- EVELYN GRACE VINCENT FOSBERY (32.11) who was born on 18 February 1893 in Bilton, Gloucestershire.
- ii. PERCY HENRY VINCENT FOSBERY(32,12) who was born on 16 December 1895 in Lapford, Devon

#### Other Information

In 1901 they were living at Lapford, Devon by his own means. In 1921 he was with his son on his farm at Big Creek, Clinton, British Columbia, Canada.

**32.3 CECILIA MARY MARTIN MacKAY FOSBERY** was born on 15 October 1861 at Calcutta, West Bengal, India and died in 1934 in France.

She married the **Viscomte ODET LOUIS MARIE JOSEPH du COS de la HITTE** on 20 August 1891 at 90 Rue de la Gompe, Paris (16ème), France.

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#### Children of CECILIA FOSBERY and ODET du COS de LAHITTE are:

- VIVIANE SAINTE MARIE AGNES NADYA HILDEGARDE LILIAS MARIE du COS de la HITTE<sub>(32,3,1)</sub> who
  was born on 22 September 1894 on Guernsey, Channel Islands. She died on 21 January 1926 in
  Toulouse. France.
- RODOLPHE VALERY PHILIPPE CHARLES EDOURD ODET MARIE du COS de la HITTE<sub>(32,3,2)</sub> who was born on 18 November 1895 at St. Mary in the Castle, Hastings, Sussex.
- iii. OTTO BORIS VLADIMIR RAÓUL FRANCOIS MARÍE du COS de la HITTE<sub>(32.3.3)</sub> who was born on 10 May 1898 in Toulouse, France. He died on 18 February 1919 at Sens, Saône-et-Loire, Bourgogne, France as a result of an illness contracted whilst on duty while he was a soldier with the 88th Regiment of Infantry
- **32.6 GEORGE HUGH FOSBERY** was born on 2 May 1865 in Marseilles, France. He died on 20 November 1947 at Kelowna, British Columbia.

He married **DORA SEDONIA DUNPHY** before 1902

#### Children of GEORGE FOSBERY and DORA DUNPHY are:

- i. BEATRICE FOSBERY<sub>(32.13)</sub> who was born on 20 November 1908 at Alix, Alberta, Canada and died during 1987 She may have married twice (1) JOSEF LOUIS SAUCIER and (2) ARTHUR BAMBRICK in 1933 (a Labourer for a Garbage Dump Operator) They may have had WILLIAM JOHN BAMBRICK who was born and died in 1934
- ii. WILLIAM RALPH FOSBÉRY<sub>(32.14)</sub> who was born on 2 September 1911 at Alix, Alberta, Canada and died on 4 February 1991 at Westbank, British Columbia Canada. A Fosbery tree has him marrying AGNES EMMELINE LINDLEY and having 10 children. In 1965 he was a Labourer living with Agnes and (a son?) Bruce who was a Logger in Westbank, British Columbia, Canada.
- iii. **DOROTHY GEORGINA FOSBERY**<sub>(32.15)</sub> who was born on 4 March 1913 at Alix, Alberta, Canada. There may have been two older children who both died before 1921

#### Other Information

In 1880 he had apparently sailed as an Apprentice from London to Sydney on the ship *Cairnbulg*. On 6 August 1908 he was a Farmer living at Tees, Alberta

In 1921 they were living in Kelowna, Yale, British Columbia. What his occupation was is not decipherable (possibly a Miner). He had been a naturalised Canadian since 1904

**32.7 MAUDE EMELIA FOSBERY** was born on 13 January 1864 at Fort William, Bengal, India and died in April 1915 in Sussex.

She married the Rev. JOSEPH COLLING PYPER in October 1891 at Brighton, Sussex

#### Children of MAUDE FOSBERY and JOSEPH PYPER are:

- i. JOSEPH RICHARD PYPER<sub>(32.7.1)</sub> who was born in 1892 in France
- ii. DOROTHY MAUDE PYPER<sub>(32.7.2)</sub> who was born in 1894 in France and died in 1963 She married DANIEL WILLIAM WHEELER. No known children
- iii. MARY GERTRUDE PYPER<sub>(32.7.3)</sub> who was born on 7 November 1897 in Nottingham, Nottinghamshire. She died in 1973

#### Other Information

They lived in Nottingham in 1901 where he was a Vicar and in 1911 he was a Work-house Chaplain in Eastbourne.

**32.8 ALICE EMMA FOSBERY** was born in 1868 in Reading, Berkshire. She died on 8 February 1956 in Victoria, British Columbia.

She married TRISTRAM WILLET in 1904 at Lacombe, Alberta, Canada

#### Children of ALICE FOSBERY and TRISTRAM WILLET are:

- i. **VERONIQUE BEATRICE EDWINA WILLETT**<sub>(32.8.1)</sub> who was born on 5 April 1905 in Calgary, Alberta, Canada. She married (1) DANIEL LEY-LAND LEE in about 1927 in Canada
  - (2) RODOLPHE VALERY PHILIPPE CHARLES EDOURD ODET MARIE du COS de LAHITTE (32.3.2)
- ii. GUY TRISTRAM CECIL THOMAS WILLETT<sub>(32.8.2)</sub> who was born in September 1909 in Alberta. He died in 1986 in Vancouver, British Columbia.
  - He married MARGARET MAE LAMBERT on 5 July 1939 in Seattle, Washington State, USA. No identified children. He was an Electrical Contractor.

#### Other Information

She had been staying with her sister Maude in Nottingham in 1901 before travelling to Canada in 1902 and by 1911 they were living at Yale and Cariboo, British Columbia. In 1921 they were living at

Sooke, Nanaimo, British Columbia. When her husband died on 26 January 1950, they were living at Saanich, British Columbia. He was a Farmer.

He was probably staying with Alexia Byng-Hall and her husband Charles Westhead in 1901 per the census.

#### Our x2 Great Grandparent's Generation

32.11 EVELYN GRACE VINCENT FOSBERY was born on 18 February 1893 in Bilton, Gloucestershire. She died on 17 April 1977 in Helston, Cornwall. She left £22,320 in her will. She married Flight Lieutenant ALEXANDER CHARLES HUTCHINSON DASHWOOD on 31 August 1918 at Bristol, Somerset.

#### Child of EVELYN FOSBERY and ALEXANDER DASHWOOD is:

i. PHILIP CHARLES FOSBERY DASHWOOD<sub>(32.11.1)</sub> who was born on 22 July 1919 at Lexden, Essex and died during 2005 in Devon.
 In 1939 he was a Driver with the Royal Army Service Corps.

#### Other Information

He was with the RFC during WWI. In 1939 he was selling office machinery and they lived at Sandhills Lane, Bromsgrove, Worcestershire. She was a ARP and First Aider.

**32.12 PERCY HENRY VINCENT FOSBERY** was born on 16 December 1895 in Lapford, Devon. He died on 9 September 1984 in Kelowna, British Columbia, Canada.

He married EVE MARY NAPIER on 22 June 1925 in Quesnel, British Columbia, Canada.

#### Children of PERCY FOSBERY and EVE NAPIER are:

- TEXAS (Tex) N FOSBERY<sub>(32.16)</sub> who was born on 27 April 1926 at Big Creek, British Columbia
  He married and had a child but no further details available.
  There is a biography of him "The Life and Times of Texas Fosbery: The Cariboo and Beyond by Karen Piffko"
  available in part in google books, which gives a good insight into the life in Canada at the time. It was a very "rough
  and ready" life.
- ii. **ANTONY WOLFE FOSBERY**(32.17) who was born on 22 December 1927 at Alexis Creek, British Columbia. He married twice and had 3 children with his first wife, one of whom died young, and the other two produced 4 grandchildren between them.

#### Other Information

He served in the Canadian Military in WWI, where he acquired respiratory problems from being in the trenches. In WWII he was with the Canadian Air Force. He had gone to Canada at the turn of the century and to work on a farm run by the Church family. In 1921 he was a Farmer according to the census.

32.3.2 RODOLPHE VALERY PHILIPPE CHARLES EDOURD ODET MARIE du COS de LAHITTE was born on 18 November 1895 at St. Mary in the Castle, Hastings, Sussex. He died on 27 June 1991 in Victoria, British Columbia, Canada.

He married (1) MARIE GEORGETTE EYCHENNE who died during 1929

(2) VERONIQUE BEATRICE EDWINNA WILLETT on 10 February 1934 in France. She was born on 5 April 1905 at Calgary, Alberta, Canada, and died on 2 August 1992 in Victoria, British Columbia.



#### Child of RODOLPHE du COSS de LAHITTE and VERONIQUE WILLET is:

i. HELENE AGNES GEORGETTE ALICE MARY du COS de LAHITTE<sub>(32.3.4)</sub> who was born on 10 December 1934 in Perigueux, Aquitaine, France. She married and had 3 children and one of them produced 2 grandchildren.

#### Other Information

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He left England on 15 January 1946 on SS *Mauretania* for Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada – she and Helene had already left on 7 January 1946 on SS *Stavangerfjord* (3<sup>rd</sup> Class) for the same destination. The 1962 electoral roll identifies he was an Engineer and they lived at Barkley Street, Victoria, British Columbia.

32.15 DOROTHY GEORGINA FOSBERY was born on 14 March 1913 in Alix, Alberta, Canada. She died on 4 December 2003 in Kelowna, British Columbia She married PHILIP VALENTINE CHAPLIN

#### Children of DOROTHY FOSBERY and PHILIP CHAPLIN are:

- i. C CHAPLIN<sub>(32.15.1)</sub>
- ii. C CHAPLIN<sub>(32.15.2)</sub>
- iii. C CHAPLIN<sub>(32.15.3)</sub>
- **32.7.1** Lieutenant JOSEPH RICHARD PYPER MC & Bar was born in 1892 in France and died on 10 February 1942 in Changi Hospital, Singapore. He is buried at Kranji, North, Singapore. He was with the Royal Army Service Corps in WWII.

He married **HELEN MARY ARMSTRONG** on 30 September 1919 at St. Lawrence's Church, Long Eaton, Derbyshire.

#### Children of JOSEPH PYPER and HELEN ARMSTRONG are:

- i. **HUGH RICHARD PYPER**<sub>(32,7,4)</sub> who was born on 23 July 1921 in Bungsar Hospital, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia. He married and had 1 child who is married but no known children.
- iii. JEFFREY MAURICE PYPER<sub>(32.7.5)</sub> who was born on 15 March 1924 and died on 20 June 1992 at Farnham, Surrey. He married PHILIPPA MARION SURREY DANE on 10 March 1945 at Shere, Surrey. They may have had 1 child according to a Fosbery tree but no information available. He was a Leading Radio Mechanic in the Royal Navy at the time of their marriage.

#### Other Information

He was educated at Eastbourne College and Jesus College, Cambridge. He had a distinguished record in WWI during which he was a Captain in the 4<sup>th</sup> London Battalion Royal Fusiliers and later attached to the Machine Gun Corps. He was wounded, Mentioned in Despatches and awarded the MC and Bar. He was involved in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Battle of Ypres and reading the "The fighting Territorials by Percy Hurd (pp40-43 in particular)" is grim reading.

He was serving as a Senior Superintendent of Excise with the Malayan Customs Service prior to WWII and was appointed JP for the Penang Settlement. In 1931 Helen and the children came back to the UK on the ship "*Rajputana*".

At the beginning of February 1942 after one or two refusals he persuaded the authorities to allow him to re-join the Army was commissioned into the RASC. Not long afterwards he was taken to hospital in Singapore suffering from pneumonia and he died just before the capitulation of Singapore. He left £1.372 to his wife.

### Appendix 4 - Ancestors of Rothesay Charles Stewart (14.3.4.1)

#### Our 8x Grandparent's Generation

S.1 ARCHIBALD STEWART was born in 1650 He married ALICE CAMPBELL in 1679

#### Children of ARCHIBALD STEWART and ALICE CAMPBELL are:

i. CHARLES STEWART(S.2) who was born in 1693 in Campbeltown, Argyllshire

#### Other Information

He appears to have been a Tacksman of the Drum and Ballergies in the parish of Killean, northwest of Campbeltown.

#### Our 7x Grandparent's Generation

S.2 Rev CHARLES STEWART was born in 1693 in Campbeltown, Argyllshire and died there in 1725 He married ANNABELLA CAMPBELL on 26 March 1717 in Argyllshire; the daughter of John Campbell and Elizabeth McNeil. She was born in about 1691 in Kildalloig, Campbelltown, Argyllshire, Scotland and died on 11 Mar 1779

#### Children of CHARLES STEWART and ANNABELLA CAMPBELL are:

- i. ANN STEWART(S.3) who was born in December 1717 in Campbeltown
- ii. Dr. ARCHIBALD STEWART<sub>(S.4)</sub> who was born in 1718 in Argyllshire He became a surgeon. He never married and he died at a relatively early age.
- iii. ELIZABETH STEWART<sub>(S.5)</sub> who was born in 1720 in Argyllshire She married Rev. ROBERT THOMSON.
  - They had one daughter, Margaret who married and had children but not followed up by me
- iv. ALICE STEWART<sub>(S.6)</sub> who was born in 1722 in Argyllshire
- MARY STEWART<sub>(S7)</sub> who was born in 1724 in Argyllshire She married Dr. GEORGE ROBERTSON on 20 Sep 1751. They had one daughter, Annabella
- vi. **PETER STEWART**<sub>(S.8)</sub> who was born in 1725 in Campbeltown
- vii. CHARLES STEWART<sub>(S.9)</sub> who was born on 28 March 1728 in Campbeltown
- viii. Lt. Colonel ROBERT STEWART<sub>(S.10)</sub> who was born in 1729 in Kintyre, Argyllshire. He died in 1809
  He saw service in America with the British Army during the Seven Years War (1755-1763) and retired with the rank
  of Lieutenant Colonel. In 1767, when grants of Townships and parts of Townships in St. John's Island were made by
  the British Government, Lt. Col. Stewart was granted one-half of Township No. 18. He may have visited the Island
  but did not live there. In 1774 he learned that John Duport, the first Chief Justice of St. John's Island, had died in
  January of that year, leaving vacant the office of Chief Justice. In December of the same year, through the Earl of
  Warwick, Lt. Col. Stewart petitioned the British Government to appoint his brother, Peter Stewart of Campbelltown,
  to the vacant office. This request was granted and early in 1775, Peter was appointed second Chief Justice of St.
  John's Island. On 21 Apr 1775, Robert conveyed one-third of his half Township 18 to his brother Peter. This was the
  only land held by Peter on the Island when he arrived. He was not an original grantee of any land on the Island.
- ix. Captain DUGALD STEWART<sub>(S.11)</sub> who was born on 29 October 1730 in Campbeltown. He died during 1791 from a stroke in London.
  - He married Miss STEWART who was born in 1740, and died on 28 May 1824 in Princetown, PE, CAN and was buried in Malpeque, PE, CAN
  - They had a daughter Barbara who married and had children *but not followed up be me*. He was a Ship Owner and Merchant.
- x. ANNABELLA STEWART<sub>(S.12)</sub> who was born in 1732 in Campbeltown. She died in 1818 in Nova Scotia, Canada She married Colonel ROBERT STEWART on 24 August 1754 in Campbeltown, Argyllshire, Scotland. He was the son of James Stewart and Janet McDonald and was born in 1731 in Isle of Bute, Scotland, died on 13 February 1787 in Princetown, Prince Edward Island, and was buried in Malpeque, PE, Canada. He was a leader of the initial British settlement in the Princetown area, and subsequently a Member of the Legislative Assembly and Speaker of the House of Assembly.

They had 7 children but not followed up by me

#### Our 6x Grandparent's Generation

- **S.8 Chief Justice PETER STEWART** was born in 1725 in Campbeltown and died on 10 October 1805 in Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island, Canada
  - He married (1) HELEN McKINNON in 1758; she died in 1770
    - (2) SARAH CAMPBELL-HAMILTON in about 1770 in Scotland, daughter of Captain James Hamilton. Sarah was born in 1746, and died on 11 July 1829, and was buried in Prince Edward Island, Canada.

#### Children of PETER STEWART and HELEN McKINNON are:

 JOHN (Hellfire Jack) STEWART<sub>(S.13)</sub> who was born in 1758 in Kintyre. He died on 22 June 1834 in Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island, Canada, and is buried in the Church of England Cemetery on Elm Ave in Charlottetown. He married three times and had two sons and two daughters but not followed up by me. cont'd

He was variously Deputy Paymaster General of His Majesty's Forces and Marshall of the Court of Vice Admiralty in the Island of Newfoundland, and for many years Speaker of the House of Assembly, and Receiver General of His Majesty's Quit Rents in the former Island.

He was the legal claimant to the ancient Title of the Earls of Orkney. He was closely allied to the Highland Chieftain George Ranald McDonald of the ancient and legitimate race of Clanranald and was grandson of the late Highland Chieftain Mackinnon of Mackinnon who rallied and fought under the banners of Prince Charles Stewart on the plains of Preston Pans and Culloden in1745. He came to Prince Edward Island in 1778. He was Speaker of The House of Assembly for a number of years and took a notable part in early affairs under British rule in Prince Edward Island and also Newfoundland. He was known by the well earned named "Hellfire Jack". He was also Paymaster to the Forces. Mount Stewart is named after him, and his home was there. Mount Stewart is situated on the top of the hill south of the river. In 1806 he published "An Account of Prince Edward Island".

- ii. CHARLES STEWART(S.14) who was born in 1759 in Kintyre, Scotland
- iii. MARGARET STEWART<sub>(S.15)</sub> who was born on 17 July 1762 in Campbeltown She married Rev. THEOPHILUS DESBRISAY on 12 August 1778 in Charlottetown, PEI, Canada. He was the son of Lt. Gov. Thomas de la Cour Debrisay and Ellen Landers, and was born on 9 October 1754 in Thurles, Tipperary, Ireland, and died on 14 March 1823 in Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island, Canada, and was buried there on 19
  - They had children but not followed up by me
- iv. ANNABELLA STEWART<sub>(S.16)</sub> who was born in 1763 in Scotland and died in 1844
- v. PENELOPE STEWART<sub>(S.17)</sub> who was born in about 1764

She married JAMES "Jamey" McNUTT in about 1783 in Prince Edward Island, Canada. He was born in 1760 in Ireland, died on 3 February 1835 in Darnley, Prince Edward Island, Canada, and was buried in Malpeque Lot 18, Prince Edward Island, Canada.

They had 11 children but not followed up by me.

- vi. FLORA STEWART<sub>(S.18)</sub> who was born in about 1766
  - She married WILLIAM TOWNSHEND in about 1790 and they had six sons and two daughters but not followed up by me.
- He became collector of customs and naval officer for St. John's, Prince Edward Island, Canada.
- vii. ROBERT STEWART<sub>(S.19)</sub> who was born in about 1768

He married MARGARET PENELOPE MacDONALD, the daughter of Captain Robert MacDonald and Elizabeth Henry. She was born about 1790 and died on 5 Oct 1859 in Rosebank, PEI, Canada.

## They had 4 children but not followed up by me Children of PETER STEWART and SARAH CAMPBELL-HAMILTON are:

- viii. PETER STEWART(S.20)
  - He was a career soldier and resided in Gaspé and Nova Scotia. He served in the Militia and left many descendants
- ix. Lieutenant JAMES STEWART<sub>(S.21)</sub> who died during 1803 in the West Indies from a snakebite.
- x. RALPH STEWART<sub>(S.22)</sub> who died before 1804 probably in the West Indies
- xi. MARY DUNDAS BISHOP STEWART<sub>(S.23)</sub> who was born in 1779, and died on 14 January 1872, and was buried in Prince Edward Island, Canada.
  - She married GEORGE IRVING but did not have any children

#### Other Information

The family sailed in the "Elizabeth" from Greenock, via Cork, late in July 1775. To add to their experiences, they were shipwrecked off Cascumpec, forty miles from Malpeque Bay, Prince Edward Island, and had to winter there under canvas sails for five months in the harsh Canadian winter but lost most of their possessions. Somehow, they all survived, with the help of the crew who kept fires going. This family subsequently played an important role in the legislature and development of the fledgling settlement.

#### Our 5x Grandparent's Generation

**13** Attorney General CHARLES STEWART was born in 1759 in Campbelltown, Argyllshire, Scotland. He died on 6 January 1813 in Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island, Canada

He married **MARY MAGDALEN DESBRISAY** between 1776 and 1780 at Chester, England. She was the daughter of Lt. Gov. Thomas de la Cour Desbrisay and Ellen Lander. Mary was born about 1764 in Thurles, Tipperary, Ireland, and died on 16 March 1847 in Charlottetown, PEI, Canada, and was buried there on 21 March 1847

#### Children of CHARLES STEWART and MARY DESBRISAY are:

- Lieutenant CHARLES STEWART<sub>(S.24)</sub> who was born in about 1780 in Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island, Canada and died during 1813
  - When his father died, he was on half pay from the Nova Scotia Fencibles in which he had served during the American Revolution.
- ii. **PETER DESBRISAY STEWART**<sub>(S.25)</sub> who was born on 20 February 1785 at Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island, Canada
- iii. ELLEN STEWART<sub>(S.26)</sub> who was born in about 1787 at Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island, Canada and died on 25 February 1868 in Charlottetown, PEI, Canada.
- iv. JOHN STEWART<sub>(8,27)</sub> who was born in about 1788 at Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island, Canada and died on 2 April 1841 at Charlotte Street, London.
  - He was formerly Collector of her Majesty's Customs for Prince Edward Island.
- Captain THOMAS W. STEWART<sub>(S.28)</sub> who was born in about 1790 at Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island, Canada and died on 13 June 1837 in Dublin, Ireland.
  - He was a career soldier and had retired from the 46th Regiment and had become one of the Captains of the Royal Hospital in Dublin.

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- vi. Lieutenant FREDERICK AUGUSTUS BOWES STEWART RN<sub>(S,29)</sub> who was born on 15 February 1793 at Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island, Canada and died during 1847 He married and had a son but no further details.
  - He was a career sailor serving the Royal Navy from 1807 to 1822 and was latterly with the Coastguard
- vii. MARY STEWART<sub>(S.30)</sub> who was born on 11 July 1794 at Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island, Canada and died on 13 August 1858 in Charlottetown, PEI, Canada where she was buried.
- viii. MAGDELEN STEWART<sub>(S.31)</sub> who was born on 20 April 1796 at Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island, Canada and died on 19 April 1827 in Woolwich, England.
- ix. ELIZABETH STEWART(s.32) who was born in about 1797 at Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island, Canada
- x. THEOPHILUS STEWART<sub>(S.33)</sub> who was born on 30 April 1798 at Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island, Canada and died on 7 February 1892 in Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island, Canada, and was buried in Brackley, Prince Edward Island, Canada.
  - He was a Lawyer and was for many years Indian commissioner, but since being injured in a railway accident here 12 years ago has been unable to perform his duties. He has led a secluded life, devoting himself to deeds of charity
- xi. ROBERT STEWART<sub>(S.34)</sub> who was born on 19 August 1800 at Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island, Canada and died on 18 July 1881 in Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island, Canada. He was a Lawyer.
- xii. GEORGE STÉWART<sub>(S,35)</sub> who was born on 6 June 1802 at Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island, Canada and died on 31 March 1824 in Woolwich, England. He was Officer Training with the Royal Artillery.
- xiii. EDMUND FANNING STEWART<sub>(S.36)</sub> who was born on 5 August 1804 at Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island, Canada and died during 1866
  - He married CATHERINE MORRIS on 23 October 1838, but they did not have any children.
  - He was with the Customs and Excise in Newfoundland.
- xiv. WILLIAM STEWART<sub>(S.37)</sub> who was born on 1 July 1805/6 at Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island, Canada and died during 1888
  - He married ANNIE ELIZA GREEN on 4 May 1844 in Pavenham, Bedfordshire; the daughter of Henry Green. She died on 9 March 1871 in Cambridge, England and had 2 children *but not followed up by me*
- xv. MARGARET STEWART<sub>(S.38)</sub> who was born on 22 June 1809 at Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island, Canada and died during 1899

#### Other Information

He was a collector of offices - frequently as a deputy doing the work of others - he received his first appointments in 1784, as deputy surveyor of pines for the Island and deputy muster master of the disbanded troops and loyalists both on the Island and Nova Scotia. That same year he assisted his father and his elder brother, John, in their successful opposition to Lieutenant Governor Walter Patterson in the House of Assembly elections and was admitted an attorney before his father's Supreme Court. He was subsequently the Attorney General.

#### Our 4x Grandparent's Generation

19 Lt. Colonel PETER DESBRISAY STEWART was born on 20 February 1785 at Charlottetown, Queens County, Prince Edward Island, Canada. He died there on 1 November 1867 He married DORCAS BAKER on 19 February 1810 in Marylebone, Middlesex. She was born in 1794 and died on 22 December 1841 in Demerara Mahalca, Guyana of Yellow Fever.

#### Children of PETER STEWART and DORCAS BAKER are:

- DORCAS OCTAVIA PEDDER STEWART<sub>(S.39)</sub> who was born on 18 March 1812 in Woolwich, Kent and died on 21 June 1909 in Charlottetown, PEI, Canada and was buried there
- Lieutenant CHARLES STEWART<sub>(S.40)</sub> who was born on 19 May 1813 in Woolwich, Kent. He died on 13 January 1842 in Gandamak, Afghanistan.
  - He married AMELIA DAVIES on 12 November 1849 in Charlottetown, PEI, Canada; the daughter of Nathan Davies and Amelia McNUTT. Amelia was born on 15 April 1812 in Charlottetown, PEI, Canada, and died on 16 October 1904 in Charlottetown, PEI, Canada, and was buried in Brackley, PEI, Canada. They had 4 children *but not followed up by me*
- iii. HUGH COSSART BAKER STEWART<sub>(S.41)</sub> who was born on 18 June 1815 in Woolwich, Kent. He died in a house fire in 1830 at their home on Prince Edward Island, trying to save his sister. The other members of the family escaped.
- iv. PETER DEBRISAY STEWART<sub>(S.42)</sub> who was born in 1816 in Woolwich, Kent. He died in 1829 in Middlesex.
- v. LOUISA COLBROOK STEWART<sub>(5,43)</sub> who was born in May 1821 in Woolwich, Kent. She died in a house fire in May 1830 at their home on Prince Edward Island.
- vi. THOMAS WILLIAM STEWART(S.44) who was born on 20 July 1822
- vii. LESTOCK WILSON STEWART (S.45) who was born on 8 February 1824 in Woolwich, Kent
- viii. DUNCAN McLEOD STEWART<sub>(S.46)</sub> who was born on 4 November 1825 in Woolwich, Kent
- x. MARY MAGDALENE STEWART<sub>(S.47)</sub> who was born during 1828 in Halifax, Nova Scotia. She died on 13 August 1882 in Charlottetown She married WILLIAM SOUTHEY on 18 November 1845 in London and is believed to have had children, but not followed up by me.
- x. FLORA McDONALD STEWART<sub>(S.48)</sub> who was born on 2 July 1833 and died during 1890 at Brackley, PEI, Canada.

#### Other Information

He entered the army at fourteen, in the Royal Artillery Woolwich, serving with distinction at Copenhagen, West Indies, North American Colonies, and Ireland, when having attained the rank of Lt. Colonel he retired from the service, and returned to Prince Edward Island, where he held the appointment of Adjutant General

of the Militia &Volunteers, applying himself with zeal and ability to the reconstruction of the defensive forces of his native land. He appears to have been declared bankrupt on 12 February 1831 in London. This record of departed worth is erected by his family as a tribute to the memory of an indulgent parent, an efficient and devoted officer, and a warm-hearted generous citizen. He will ever be remembered with affectionate regard.

#### Our 3x Grandparent's Generation

- **S.45 Dr. LESTOCK WILSON STEWART** was born on 8 February 1824 in Woolwich, Kent. He died on 4 May 1876 in Trichinopoly, Madras, India.
- **14.3.4** He married **EMILY DRURY** on 13 April 1852 in Walton, Madras. She was born in 1814 in Harrow, Middlesex and died in April 1902 in Paddington. [See Appendix 2 for her immediate family history]

#### Children of LESTOCK STEWART and EMILY DRURY are:

- ROTHESAY CHARLES STEWART<sub>(S.49)</sub> / <sub>(14.3.4.1)</sub> who was born on 12 July 1854 in Cuttack, Orissa, India. He died on 8 December 1947 at his home at The Elms in Gerrards Cross, Buckinghamshire.
   He married LILLIAN COOK (nee BYNG-HALL<sub>)(84)</sub> during 1930 in Gerrards Cross and left £60,089 2s 3d in his will to her. He was the Medical Superintendent of an Asylum at Narborough in Leicestershire for a considerable period, 1891 to 1911 at least. He also travelled widely from shipping passenger lists.
- i. LESTER GORDON STEWART<sub>(S.50)</sub> who was born on 9 June 1855 in Jubbulpore, Bengal, but died shortly thereafter.
- iii. ADA CAROLINE STEWART<sub>(S.51)</sub> who was born on 18 June 1856 in Jubbulpore, Bengal, and died on 6 November 1946 in Edinburgh.
- iv. LESTOCK McDONALD STEWART<sub>(S.52)</sub> who was born on 30 November 1857 in Secunderabad, Andhara Pradesh, India. He died on 29 November 1918 in Paddington, London. He lived in Paddington since 1881 when he was a Clerk to the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice. In 1911, he was recorded as being a Civil Servant.
- v. Colonel DUDLEY STRATHEARN STEWART CB<sub>(8.53)</sub> who was born on 18 February 1859 in Secunderabad, Andhara Pradesh, and died on 9 April 1933 in Edinburgh. He was commissioned into the 1st (Royal) Regiment of Foot as a second lieutenant on 11 May 1878, and quickly transferred to the 5th (Northumberland Fusiliers) Regiment of Foot on 23 July 1878. He advanced at a fairly steady pace, becoming lieutenant 1 January 1881; captain 27 January 1886. In 1888 the 2/Northumberland Fusiliers participated in the Black Mountain Expedition, which would likely have been Stewart's first taste of action. In 1893 Stewart was appointed adjutant of the 1st (Renfrewshire) Volunteer Battalion of the Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders. He reached the rank of major 23 September 1896. A few short years later Stewart was off to South Africa where he was in command of the 2nd Bn, Northumberland Fusiliers. from February to November 1900 in the Orange Free State, and Orange River Colony. He then took command of the 1st Bn. Northumberland Fusiliers from until May 1902 on operations in Cape Colony and the Orange River Colony, culminating at Vereeniging, where the Boers finally accepted British sovereignty.

He retired from the Army in 1909 but returned to the Northumberland Fusiliers in 1914 as commanding officer of the 10th Battalion until 1916 and appears to have retired (again!) in 1920.

Other Information (ex General Notes: Harts Army List corrected up to 1873 & Crawfords Roll of the Indian Medical Service)
On his paternal grandmother's side, he was a descendant of Captain Théophile de la Cour Desbrisay and Madeleine Boisrond de St. Léger; [see <a href="http://www.desbrisay.ca/DesBrisay6.pdf">http://www.desbrisay.ca/DesBrisay6.pdf</a>].

Having qualified as MRCS in 1847, he went to India in around May 1848 and on his way out to India he sailed with the Bell family who left the ship in Cape Town. Seemingly an affair had commenced, as on 1 July 1850, after a sensational ten-day trial the bonds of matrimony between Charles Davidson Bell, Surveyor-General of the Cape Colony, and his wife Martha Antoinetta Bell (nee Ebden), were dissolved. Bell's cause of action was "his wife's alleged adultery with a surgeon in the Honourable East India Company's Service, situated at Madras, one Lestock Wilson Stewart." Custody of the Bells' three children, John Alexander, Charles David Ebden and Catherine Marianne, was awarded to Bell, together with the costs of the action. In subsequent legal proceedings, Bell obtained judgement for £500 damages and costs against Stewart by reason of the latter's adultery.

All this is related in the excellent biography of Charles Bell published in 1998 which also refers in some detail to the unedifying wrangle which surrounded the baptism of a fourth child, Charlotte Margaret, born subsequent to the divorce, but clearly conceived during the marriage. Was she to bear Charles Bell's surname or not?

Stewart departed clandestinely from the Cape ten days after judgement in the divorce proceedings. Had his intention become known to Bell, he would doubtless have had Stewart arrested "respectus de fugo" pending trial of the damages action. So, Stewart probably never paid the £500 damages awarded against him. It is also likely that he did not set foot in Cape Town again or he would have run the risk of being arrested and imprisoned for non-payment of the judgement debt.

Stewart's escapade at the Cape apparently did not affect his subsequent career as from his arrival where he served on the D.I.G.'s Dept., Hyderabad Subsidiary Force as an Assistant Surgeon, Madras Presidency, and on 5 September 1863 was promoted to Surgeon. He was promoted again to Surgeon Major on 28 May 1868, and then to Deputy Surgeon General on 29 December 1875

He served in Burma, 1852-53, received the capture of Tongu (Medal), and was involved in the Indian Mutiny 1858, in Raichur Duab.