

The (mostly) 19c. Goddards of Somerset

And sometimes other counties and Wales

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The website below lists, I believe, all of the parishes in Somerset. Many of the parishes have transcribed parish registers that have been very helpful in my research.

<http://www.genuki.org.uk/big/eng/SOM/parishes.html>

Names of the fallen 1914-1918

The Somerset Genealogy Website.

From a book called, "The Somerset County War Memorial".

<u>Surname</u>	<u>Forename</u>	<u>Rank</u>	<u>Regiment</u>	<u>Address</u>
Goddard	Fredrick	Private	Somerset	East Cowes
Goddard	George	Gunner	R.G.A.	Frome
Goddard	Maurice	Private	R.M.L.I.	Saltford
Goddard	Sidney	Stoker	Royal Navy	Saltford
Goddard	Wallace John	Gunner	R.G.A.	Beckington
Goddard	William	Gunner	R.F.A.	Radstock
Goddard	William Thomas	Sapper	Royal Engineers	Brislington
Goddard	William	Leading Stoker	Royal Navy	Saltford

Ashbrittle

ASHBRITTLE, is a parish in the hundred of Milverton,
in the county of Somerset, 6 miles to the W. of Wellington

I was lucky enough to find some parish records for Ashbrittle on the Internet.

Marriages

1785 April 1st Elizabeth Goddard and George Smith
1794 June 15th Thomas Goddard and Elizabeth Rendle
1825 Jan. 6th Mary Goddard and James Hill. Witnesses John Goddard and Ann Vickery
1826 July 12th John Goddard and Ann Vickery Witnesses Ann Goddard and James Vickery

Baptisms

1771 Nov. 10th Thomas son of Thomas Goddard
1797 July 28th John son of Thomas and Elizabeth Goddard
1800 March 21st Mary daughter of Thomas and Elizabeth Goddard
1801 Feb. 28th Thomas son of Thomas and Elizabeth Goddard
1803 March 7th Ann daughter of Thomas and Mary Goddard
1806 Dec. 14th George son of Thomas and Elizabeth Goddard
1827 April 22nd Elizabeth daughter of John and Ann. Goddard Father a farmer
1832 Aug. 2nd Elizabeth daughter of Thomas and Mary Goddard. Father a farmer
1832 Dec 27th Edwin son of Thomas and Mary Goddard. Born, 1830 May 8th. Father a farmer
1833 Aug 11th Eliza daughter of Thomas and Mary Goddard. Father a farmer
1834 Sept. 19th George son of Thomas and Mary Goddard. Father a farmer

Burials

1770 July 18th Christopher son of Thomas Goddard
1771 Nov. 29th Martha Goddard
1772 May 15th Thomas Goddard
1827 Nov 10th Elizabeth Goddard aged 1 year
1832 Sept. 2nd Elizabeth Goddard aged 1 month
1834 Sept 26th George Goddard an infant
1836 June 3rd John Goddard aged 2 years x Clayhanger
1837 Feb. 8th Martha Goddard aged 41 years

The earliest baptisms and burials seem to tell a sad story. Christopher son of Thomas Goddard is buried 18th July 1770 followed by the baptism of Thomas son of Thomas Goddard on the 10th November 1771. Martha Goddard is buried soon after on 29th of November 1771 followed by Thomas, who is possibly her husband, on the 15th May 1772. This feels like one family and Thomas junior might have been orphaned. I wonder if this is the Thomas Goddard who married Elizabeth Rendle June 15th 1794.

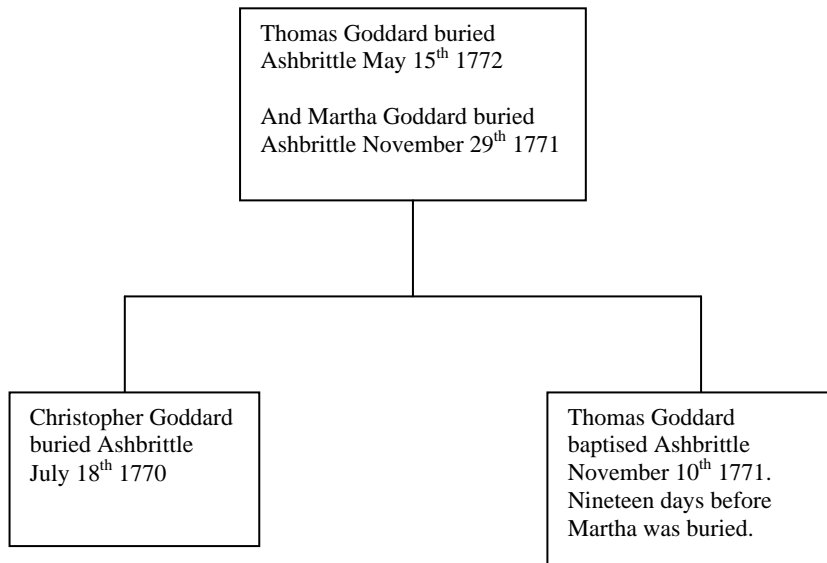
Two, possibly three children baptised above died

George Goddard baptised September 19th 1834 was buried September the 26th 1834 an infant.

Elizabeth daughter of Thomas and Mary Goddard baptised August 2nd 1832 was buried on 2nd September 1832 aged 1 month

Elizabeth daughter of John and Ann Goddard baptised April 22nd 1827 was possibly buried 10th November 1827 aged 1 year.

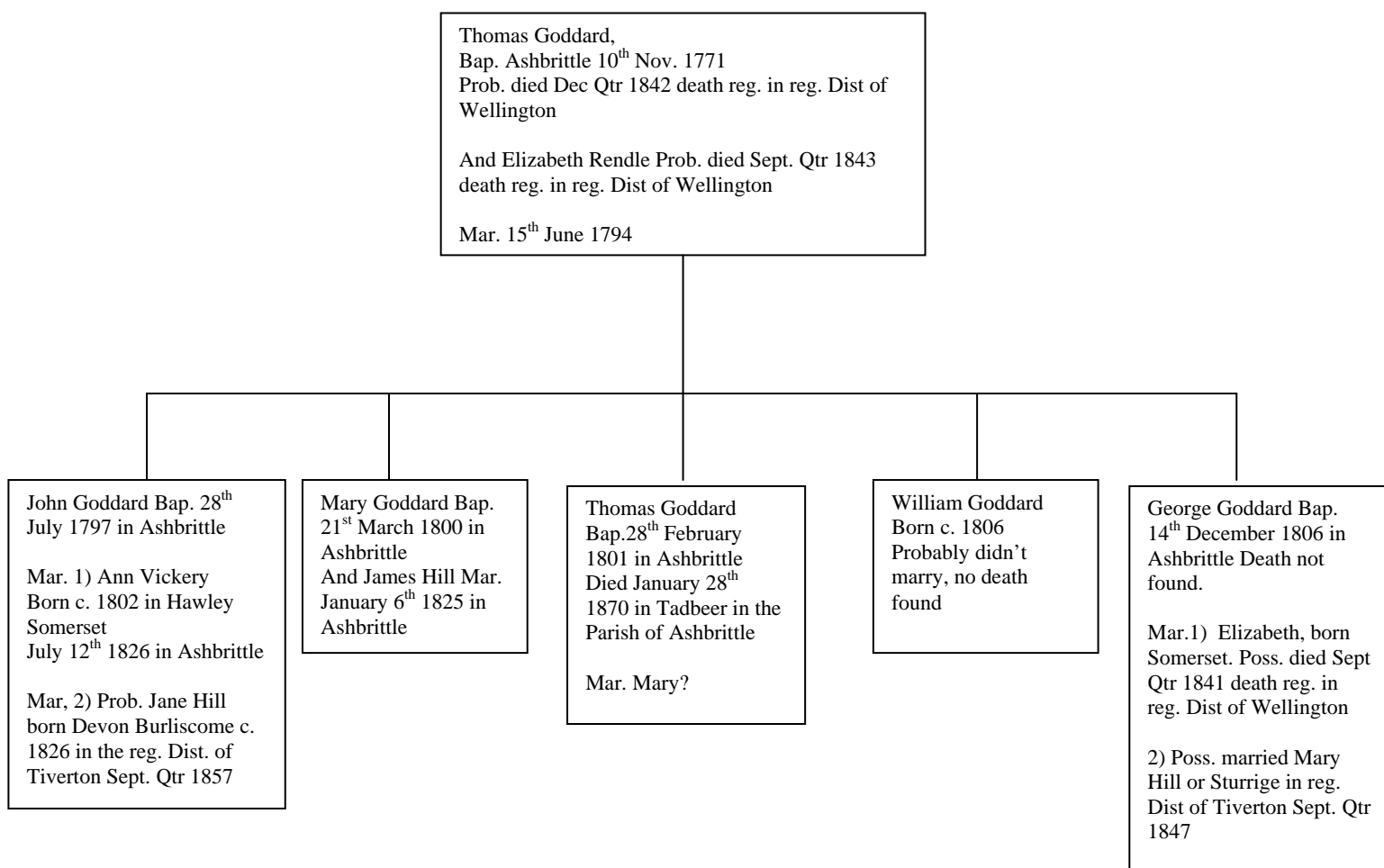
From information found in parish records I will tentatively start the family tree as follows. But of course I can't be absolutely sure that this is correct. If you think, when reading this, that these are your ancestors far more research has to done.



I believe that Thomas baptised in 1771 in Ashbrittle to be Thomas Goddard a farmer who I found in the 1841 census. He is married to Elizabeth so I am going with the marriage of Thomas Goddard and Elizabeth Rendle on June 15th 1794 in Ashbrittle.

I found there were 14 Goddards listed on the 1841 census living in Ashbrittle. We have Thomas a farmer with his wife Elizabeth and their son William aged 35 who we don't have a baptism for. Then we have Thomas and his wife Mary and their children and George and Elizabeth and family. I believe that Thomas and George, who were also farmers, are the sons of Thomas and his wife Elizabeth and we are dealing with one family in 1841. From the baptismal records I can see that John Goddard son of Thomas and Elizabeth baptised July 28th 1797 is not on the 1841 census for Ashbrittle, he was found in Clayhanger in Devon.

Thomas Goddard of Ashbrittle in Somerset



1841 Census for Ashbrittle

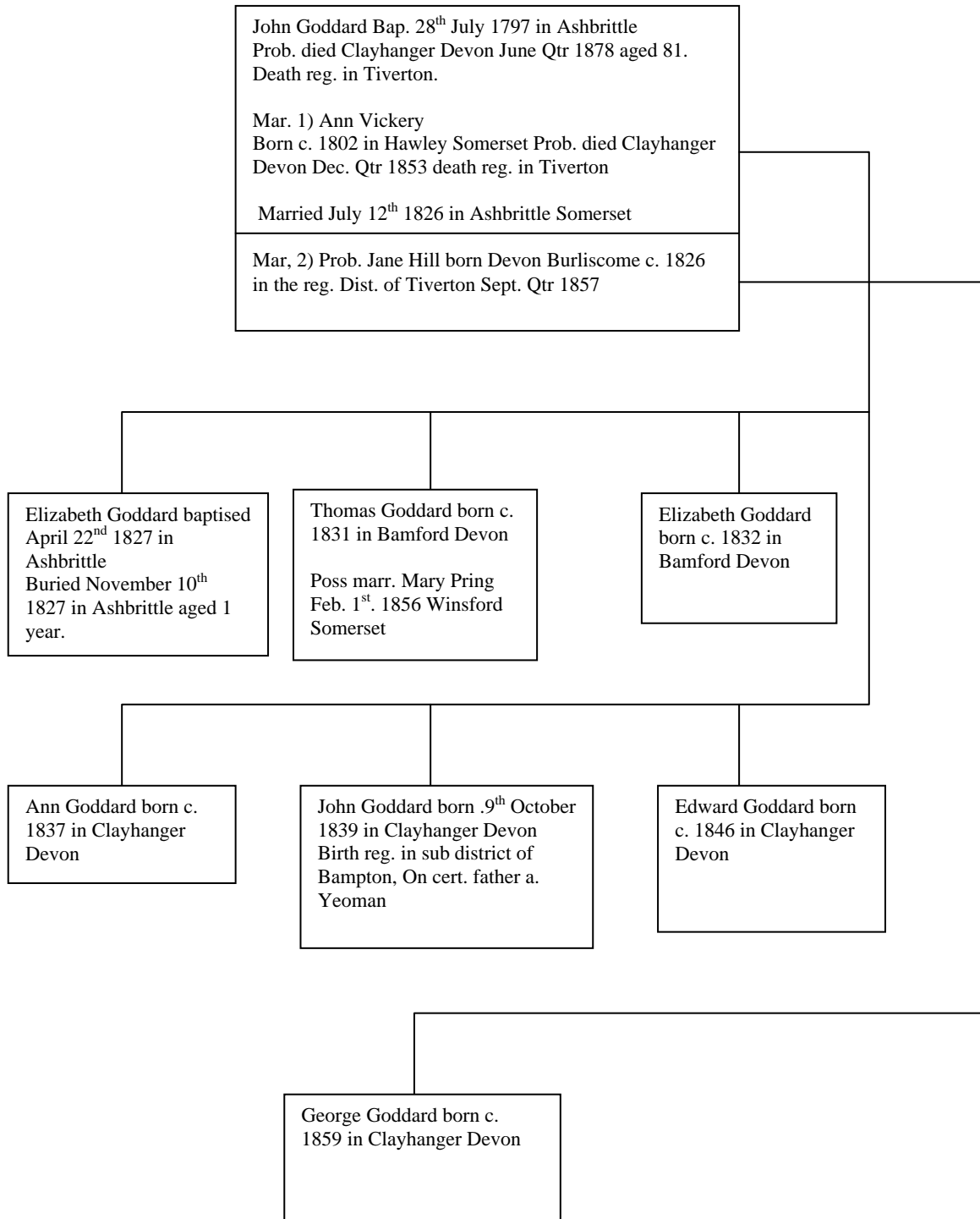
Thomas Goddard aged 68 Farmer
 Elizabeth Goddard 77
 William Goddard 35 Farmer

All born in the county of Somerset

Thomas and Elizabeth were not found in the 1851 census. There are likely deaths registered in the registration district of Wellington.

Thomas Goddard December quarter 1842
 Elizabeth Goddard September quarter 1843

John son of Thomas and Elizabeth Goddard of Ashbrittle



1841 Census for Devon Clayhanger

John Goddard aged 40 Farmer N
Ann Goddard aged 35 N
Thomas Goddard aged 10 Y
Elizabeth Goddard aged 9 Y
Ann Goddard aged 4 Y
John Goddard aged 1 Y
N not born in county
Y born in county

1851 Census for Devon Clayhanger

John Goddard Head M. aged 53 Farmer (of 215 acres) born Somerset Ashbrittle
Ann Goddard Wife M. aged 49 Farmer's wife born Somerset
Thomas Goddard Son U aged 21 Farmer's son born Devon Bamford
Elizabeth Goddard Daugh U aged 19 Farmer's daughter born Devon Bamford
Ann Goddard Daugh aged 14 Scholar born Devon Clayhanger
John Goddard Son aged 11 Scholar born Devon Clayhanger
Edward Goddard Son aged 5 born Devon Bamford
John Court Serv. U aged 23 Farm Labourer born Somerset Bishop Lydeard

In the 1861 census John has a new wife. There is a death registered in Tiverton for Ann Goddard December quarter 1853 and a marriage in Tiverton in the September quarter of John Goddard possibly to Jane Hill.

In the 1861 John's children from his marriage to Ann are not with him. I won't pursue them. This needs to be done in Devon.

I did however find the following marriage in Winsford in Somerset.

1856 1st February Thomas Goddard a Yeoman of Clayhanger, father John Goddard a Yeoman, to Mary Pring, father John a farmer. I think safe to say the family above.

1861 Census for Devon Clayhanger

John Goddard Head M. aged 64 farmer born Somerset Ashbrittle
Jane Goddard Wife M. aged 45 born Devon Burliscombe
George Goddard Son aged 2 born Devon Clayhanger

1871 Census for Devon Clayhanger

John Goddard Head M aged 73 Retired farmer born Somerset Ashbrittle
Jane Goddard Wife m aged 55 born Devon Burliscombe
George Goddard Son aged 12 Scholar born Devon Clayhanger

Jane is a widow by the time of the 1881 census. There is a death registered in Tiverton for John Goddard aged 81 years December quarter 1853

1881 Census for Devon Clayhanger

West Street

George Goddard Head M. (?) Corn and Provision merchant born Devon Clayhanger
Jane Goddard Mother Widow Aged 65 born Burliscombe

1891 Census for Somerset Wivelscombe

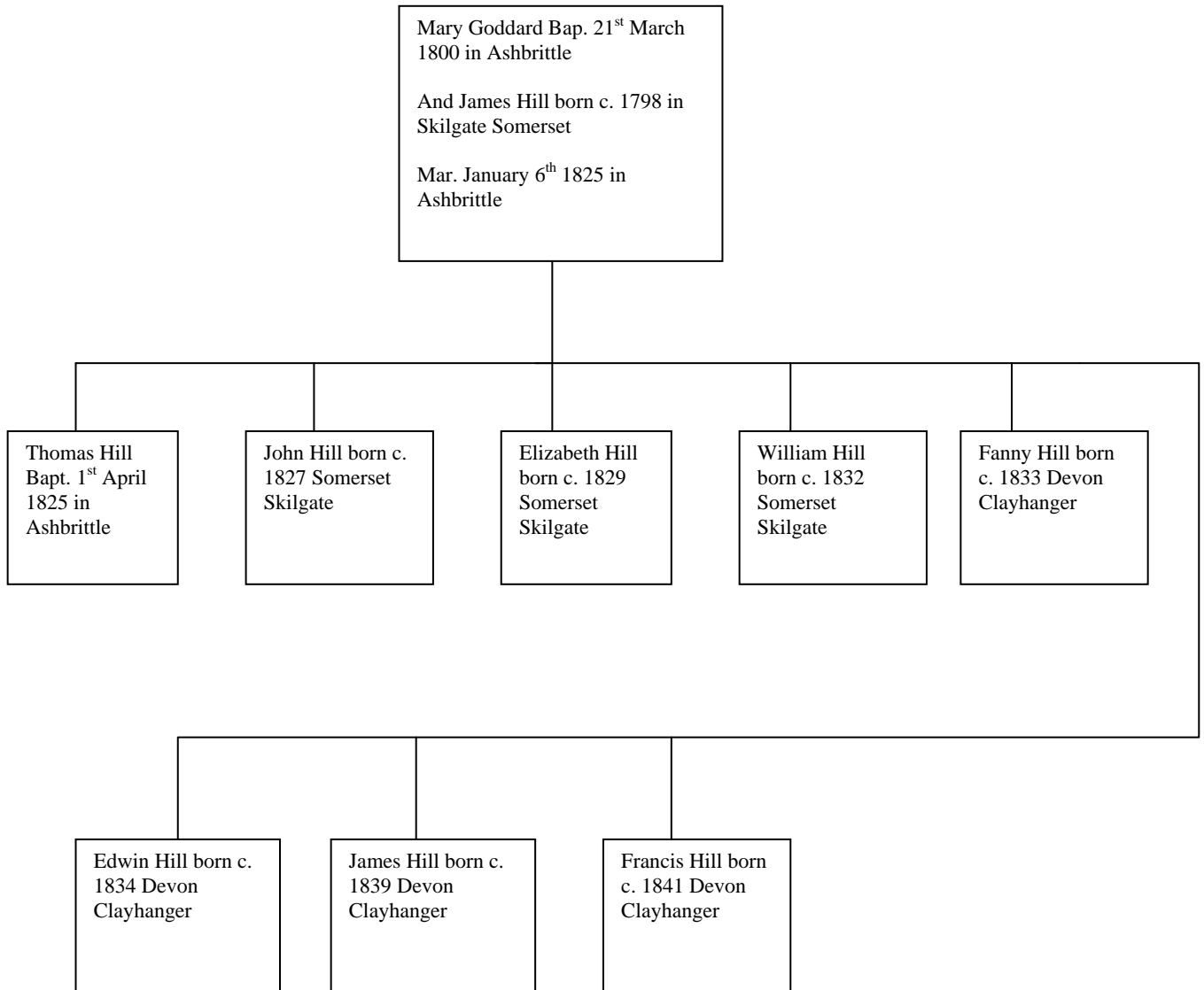
West Road

George Goddard Head M aged 32 Agent for Assurance Company born Devon Clayhanger

Jane Goddard Mother Widow aged 75 born Devon Burliscombe

Jane is not found in the 1901 census. There is a death registered in the registration district of Wellington of a Jane Goddard aged 80 March quarter 1897.

Mary Hill daughter of Thomas and Elizabeth Goddard of Ashbrittle



Mary Goddard married James Hill on the 6th January 1825. Their first four children were born in Somerset and by the time of the 1841 census the family were found to be in Clayhanger in Devon where James was farming.

1841 Census for Devon Clayhanger

James Hill Farmer aged 40 N
Mary Hill aged 40 N
Thomas Hill aged 16 N
John Hill aged 14 N
Elizabeth Hill aged 12 N
William Hill aged 10 N
Fanny Hill aged 8 Y
Edwin Hill aged 7 Y
Francis Hill aged 4 months Y

N not born in county
Y born in county

1851 Census for Clayhanger in Devon

James Hill Head M aged 53 Farmer of 129 acres born Somerset Skilgate
Mary Hill Wife M aged 51 born Somerset Ashbrittle
John Hill Son U aged 24 Wheelwright born Somerset Skilgate
Elizabeth Hill Daugh U aged 22 Farmer's daughter born Somerset Skilgate
William Hill Son U aged 19 Farmers son born Somerset Skilgate
Fanny Hill Daugh U aged 18 Farmer's daughter born Devon Clayhanger
Edwin Hill Son U aged 17 Farmer's son born Devon Clayhanger
James Jill Son aged 12 born Devon Clayhanger
Francis Hill Son aged 10 born Somerset Clayhanger

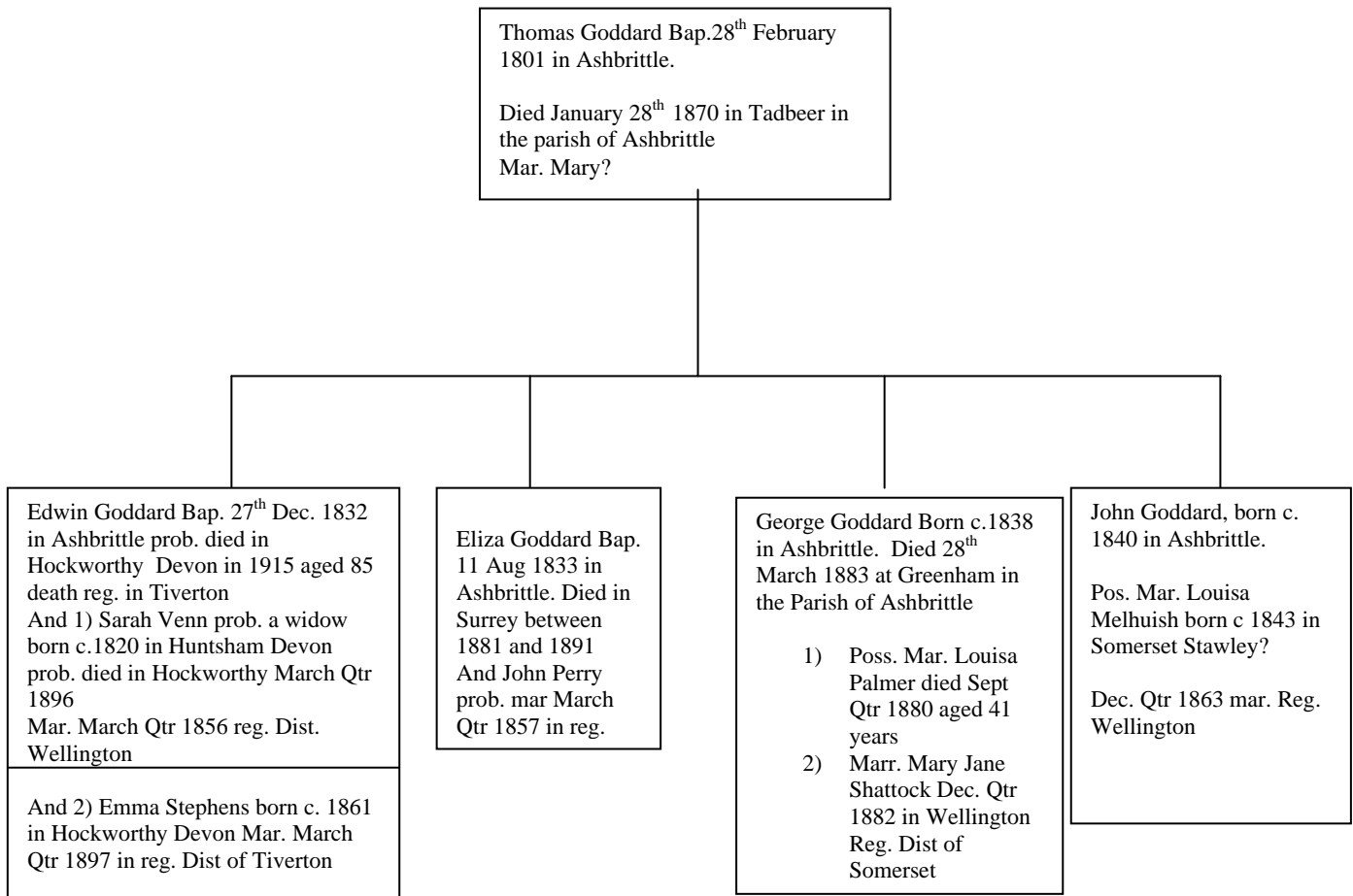
1861 Census for Devon Clayhanger

James Hill Head M aged 64 Farmer of 140 acres born Somerset Skilgate
Mary Hill Wife M aged 61 Farmer's wife born Somerset Ashbrittle
Elizabeth Hill Daugh U aged 32 Farmer's daughter born Somerset Skilgate
William Hill Son U aged 30 Farmer's son born Somerset Skilgate
Fanny Hill Daugh U aged 28 Farmer's daughter born Devon Clayhanger
Edwin Hill Son U aged 26 Farmer's son born Devon Clayhanger
James Hill Son U aged 22 Carpenter born Devon Clayhanger
Francis Hill Son U aged 20 Farmer's son born Devon Clayhanger

1871 Census for Devon Clayhanger.

James is a widow. There is a death registered in the registration district of Tiverton of Mary Hill aged 67 June quarter 1868.

Thomas son of Thomas and Elizabeth of Ashbrittle



In the parish records I can see two other children for Thomas and Mary. They did not survive so I haven't added them to the tree boxes.

Elizabeth Goddard daughter of Thomas and Mary baptised August 2nd 1832 and buried September 2nd 1832.

The following caused me a little confusion.

George Goddard son of Thomas and Mary baptised 19th September 1834.

September 26th 1834 George Goddard, an infant, buried. Parents not named.

Thomas had a son George who was executor to his will. In the 1881 census George's age is given as 43 which equates a to a birth year c. 1838. I think this is a first son that Thomas and Mary named George.

1841 census for Somerset Ashbrittle

Thomas Goddard 40 Y
Mary Goddard 40 Y
Edwin Goddard 11 Y
Eliza Goddard 8 Y
George Goddard 5 Y
John Goddard 10 months Y

Y denotes born in county.

1851 Census for Somerset Ashbrittle

Westcott Farm

Thomas Goddard Head M aged 51 Farmer of 160 acres born Somerset Ashbrittle

Mary Goddard Wife M aged 53 born Somerset Ashbrittle

Edwin Goddard Son U aged 20 farmer's son

Eliza Goddard Daugh U aged 17 Farmer's daughter born Somerset Ashbrittle

George Goddard Son U aged 15 Farmer's son born Somerset Ashbrittle

John Goddard Son aged 10 farmer's son born Somerset Ashbrittle

Thomas Hawkins Serv. U aged 21 Farm Servant born Somerset Ashbrittle

1861 Census for Somerset Ashbrittle

Derescombe Cottage

Thomas Goddard Head M aged 60 Retired farmer born Somerset Ashbrittle

Mary Goddard Wife M aged 64 Retired farmer's wife born Somerset Ashbrittle

George Goddard Son U aged 24 Farmer's son born Somerset Ashbrittle

Thomas Goddard Grandson aged 4 born Somerset Ashbrittle.

Thomas and Mary were not found in the 1871 census.

No death had been found for Mary.

Thomas Goddard made his will on the 20th January 1870, ten days before he died. There is no mention of his wife Mary so we must assume she pre deceased him

Thomas Goddard died on 28th January 1870 in Tadbeer in the Parish of Ashbrittle. Probate was granted on 10th June 1870.

Thomas Goddard affects under £1.500.00

When I received the copy of the will it confirmed what I had already found, Thomas's daughter did marry John Perry as she is named as Eliza Perry in the will.

The Will of Thomas Goddard of Tadbeer in the Parish of Ashbrittle in the County of Somerset

This is the last will and testament of me Thomas Goddard of Tadbeer in the parish of Ashbrittle in the County of Somerset Yeoman I give to my son Edwin Goddard absolutely the sum one hundred and ninety two ponds which with the sum of one hundred and eighteen pounds which I have already advanced to him will make up the sum of three hundred pounds I give to my said son Edwin Goddard the sum of one hundred and ninety pounds in trust for the sole and separate use of my daughter Eliza Perry free from the debts and control of her husband and to be disposed of as my said daughter Eliza Perry shall think fit And I direct that the above mentioned bequest shall be paid within three calendar months of my decease I give devise and bequeath all the rest residue and remainder of my Estate and Effects of every description and wheresoever situate Unto my sons George Goddard and John Goddard Executors of this my Will And lastly I revoke all former Wills by me made in witness whereof I have hereto set my hand this twentieth day of January in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy- The mark X of Thomas Goddard-Signed by the said Thomas Goddard at his Will in the presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our names as witnessed-Louisa Bourber –Thos Low?, Bampton, Devon.

Proved at Taunton the tenth day of June 1870 by the oath of George Goddard and John Goddard, the sons of the deceased, the Executors, to whom administration was granted- The testator Thomas Goddard was late of Tadbeer in the parish of Ashbrittle in the County of Somerset Yeoman and died on the twenty eighth of January 1870 at Tadbeer aforesaid

Under £1,500.00

Extracted by, Thos R Dunsham, Solicitor Bampton Devon

A note on the copy of the will says This agrees with the original.

10th June 1870

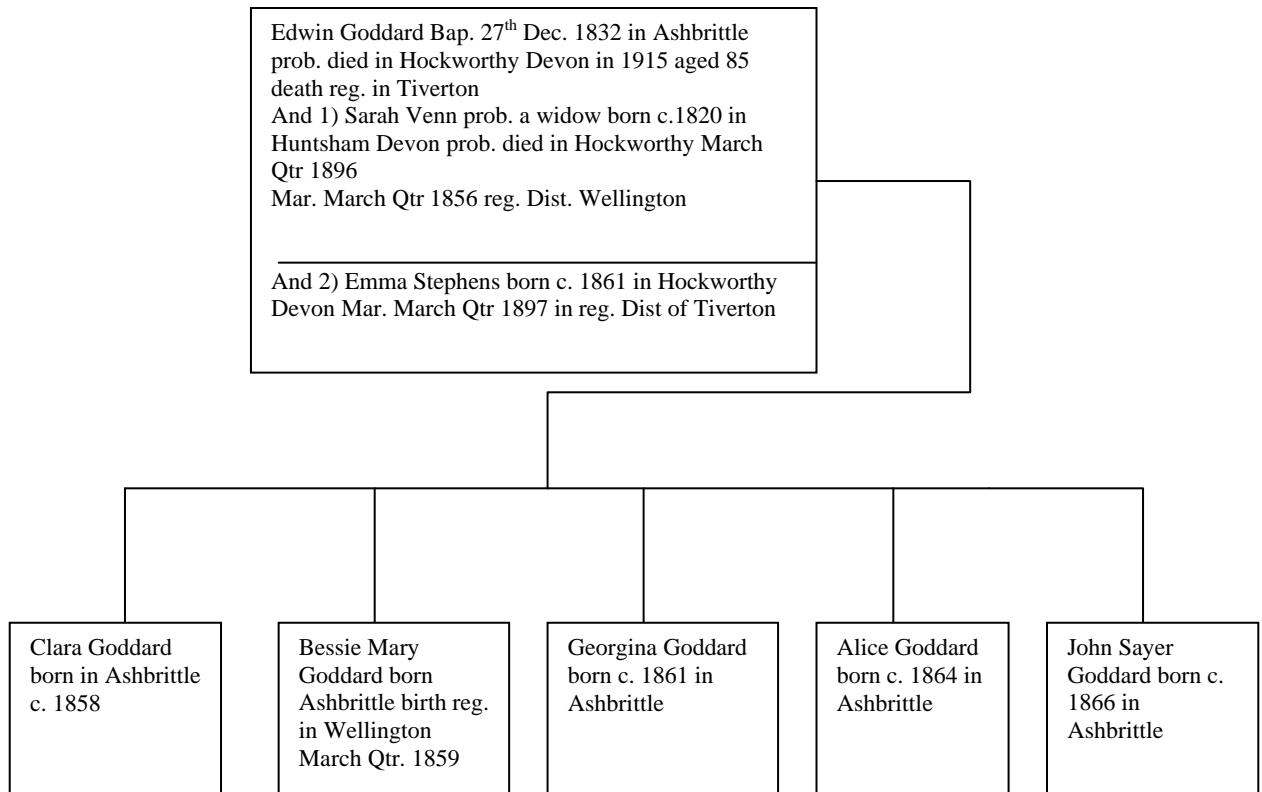
The will of Thomas Goddard late of Tadbeer in the Parish of Ashbrittle in the County of Somerset Yeoman deceased who died 28th January 1870 at Tadbeer aforesaid was proved at Taunton by the oaths of George Goddard of Tadbeer aforesaid Farmer and John Goddard aforesaid Farmer the sons the executors'

In 1871 their son George was found to be living in Ashbrittle with his younger brother John.

Effects under £1,500.00. No Leaseholds.

I will now expand on the children of Thomas and Mary.

Edwin son of Thomas and Mary Goddard of Ashbrittle



In his will of the 20th January 1870 Thomas leaves a bequest in his will to his son Edwin Goddard

Thomas leaves Edwin £182.00 which with the sum of £118.00 that he has already given him will make the sum of £300.00.

I first found Edwin as a married man in the 1861 census for Ashbrittle. His wife is Sarah and he has four children listed as son and daughter-in-law with the surname Venn. There is a marriage in the registration district of Wellington Somerset of Edwin Goddard to Sarah Venn. I think it is safe to assume that is they. It would seem highly likely that Sarah was a widow.

1861 Census for Somerset Ashbrittle

Tadbeer Farm

Edwin Goddard Head M. aged 30 Farmer 50 acres born Somerset Ashbrittle
 Sarah Goddard Wife M aged 41 Farmer's wife born Devon Huntsham
 William Venn Son-in-law aged 12 born Somerset Chipstable
 James Venn Son-in-law aged 9 born Somerset Ashbrittle
 Zillah Venn Daughter -in-law aged 7 born Somerset Ashbrittle
 Emma Venn Daughter-in-law aged 6 born Somerset Ashbrittle
 Clara Goddard Daugh aged 3 born Somerset Ashbrittle
 Bessie Mary Goddard aged 2 born Somerset Ashbrittle
 Georgina Goddard aged 4 months born Somerset Ashbrittle

1871 Census for Devon Hockworthy

Redwoods

Edwin Goddard Head M aged 41 Yeoman 130 acres 1 man 1 boy born Somerset Ashbrittle
Sarah Goddard Wife M aged 50 farmer's wife born Devon Huntsham
James Venn Step son U aged 20 Farmer's son born Somerset Ashbrittle
Clara Goddard Daugh aged 13 Farmer's daughter born Somerset Ashbrittle
Mary Bessie Goddard Daugh aged 12 Scholar born Somerset Ashbrittle
Georgina Goddard Daugh aged 10 Scholar born Somerset Ashbrittle
John Goddard Son aged 5 Farmer's daughter born Somerset Ashbrittle
John Sayer Goddard Son aged 5 Farmer's son born Somerset Ashbrittle

1881 Census for Devon Hockworthy Tiverton

Redwoods

Edwin Goddard Head M aged 50, farmer 160 acres 1 man 1 boy born Somerset Ashbrittle
Sarah Goddard Wife aged 60 born Devon Huntsham
Bessy Mary Goddard Daugh U aged 22 born Somerset Ashbrittle
Georgina Goddard Daugh U dressmaker born Somerset Ashbrittle
Alice Maud Goddard Daugh U aged 17 born Somerset Ashbrittle
John Sayer Goddard Son U 15 Farmer's son born Somerset Ashbrittle
John Darby Boarder aged 6 Scholar born Devon
Sydney Moon Serv aged 17 Farm servant indoors born Devon

1891 Census for Devon Hockworthy Tiverton

Edwin Head M aged 61 Farmer born Somerset Ashbrittle
Sarah Goddard Wife M aged 71 born Devon Huntsham
Alice M Goddard Daugh aged 27 Born Somerset Ashbrittle
John Sayer Goddard Son aged 25 born Somerset Ashbrittle
Eliza Woodberry Serv aged 17 Domestic Servant born Devon Hockworthy
Richard Marks Serv S aged 16 Agricultural Carter born Not Known
James Broomfield Serv S aged 14? Boy born Devon Bampton

By the 1901 census Edwin has a new wife. There is a death registered in Tiverton for a Sarah Goddard aged 76 in the March quarter 1896 and a marriage in Tiverton of Edwin Goddard to Emma Stephens in the March quarter 1897.

1901 Census for Devon Hockworthy

Redwoods

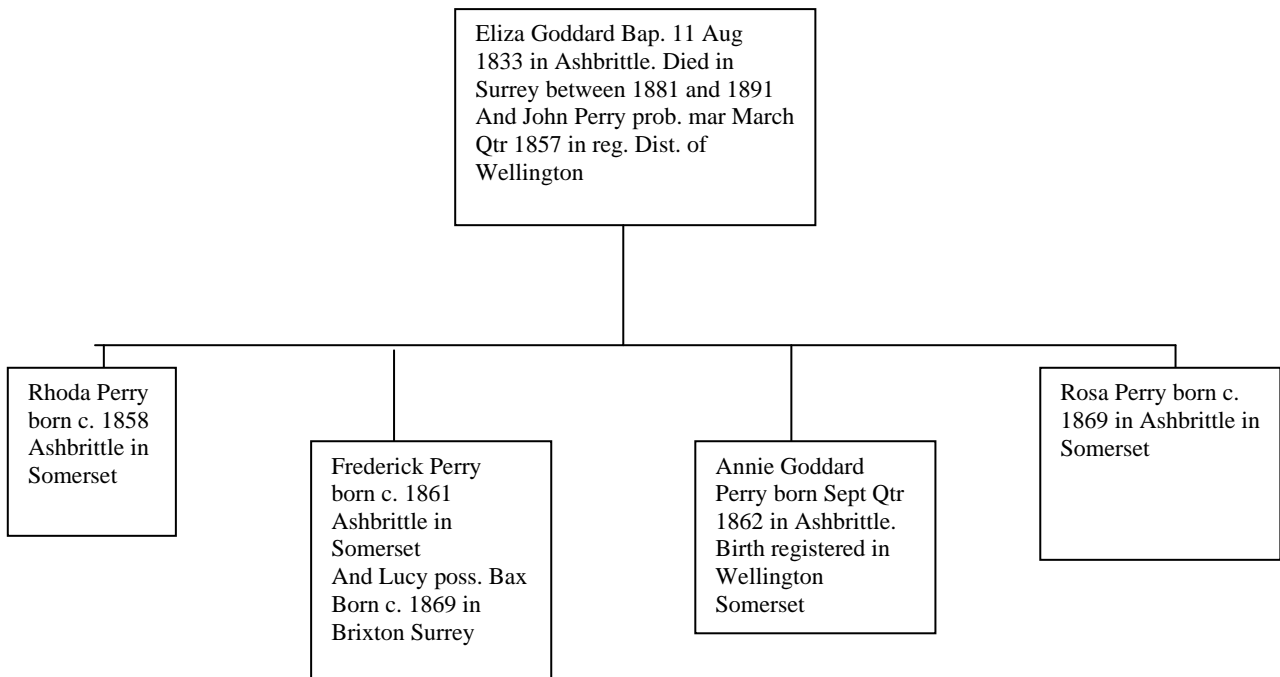
Edwin Goddard Head M aged 70 Farmer Employer born Somerset Ashbrittle
Emma Goddard Wife M aged 60 born Devon Hockworthy
John Goddard Nephew aged 27 Shepherd born Somerset Ashbrittle
Alice Follit Granddaughter aged 10 born Devon Rackinford?

There is a death in the registration district of Tiverton of Edwin Goddard aged 85 in the December quarter 1915

I won't pursue the children of Edwin as the family seemed settled in Devon.

Eliza Perry nee Goddard daughter of Thomas and Mary Goddard of Ashbrittle

I wasn't able to elaborate on Eliza until I saw in the will of her brother George a bequest of £6.0.0 each to his niece Rhoda Perry and her youngest sister who were living in Surrey. Then I was able to find them in the censuses.



The family weren't found in the 1861 census therefore I don't know when they moved to Surrey.

1871 Census for Surrey Tooting Graveney

High Street

John Perry Head M aged 33 Boot and Shoemaker Master born Somerset Ashbrittle
Eliza Perry Wife M aged 37 born Somerset Ashbrittle
Rhoda Perry Daugh aged 13 born Somerset Ashbrittle
Fredrick Perry Son aged 10 born Somerset Ashbrittle
Annie Perry Daugh aged 8 born Somerset Ashbrittle
Rosa Perry Daugh aged 2 born Somerset Ashbrittle

1881 Census for London Tooting Graveney

John Perry Head M aged 43 Boot Maker born Somerset Ashbrittle
Eliza Perry Wife M aged 47 born Somerset Ashbrittle
Rhoda Perry Daugh S aged 23 Dressmaker born Somerset Ashbrittle
Frederick Perry Son S aged 20 Tavern ? Asst born Somerset Ashbrittle
Annie Perry Daugh S aged 18 Dressmaker born Somerset Ashbrittle
Rosa Perry Daugh aged 12 Scholar born Somerset Ashbrittle

1891 Census for London Tooting

Eliza has died. I have been unable to find a death for her.

John Perry Head Widower aged 53 Pawnbroker born Somerset Ashbrittle
Annie Goddard Perry Daugh S aged 28 Housekeeper Domestic born Somerset Ashbrittle.

Frederick has married.

1891 Census for London Tooting Graveney

High Street

Frederick Percy Perry Head M aged 30 Pawn Broker born Somerset Ashbrittle
Lucy Perry Wife M aged 22 born Surrey Brixton
Thomas William Smith Serv age not stated Assistant Pawnbroker born Wandsworth

I have only been able to find Frederick in the 1901 census.

1901 Census for London Tooting Graveney

49 High Street

Frederick Perry Head M aged 40 Pawn Broker Employer at home born Somerset Ashbrittle
Lucy Perry Wife M aged 32 born Surrey Brixton
Frederick Perry Son aged 5 born Surrey Tooting
Gladys Perry Daugh aged 9 months born Surrey Tooting
Frederick ? Serv s aged 16 Pawn Broker's Assistant born Surrey Brixton
Emily J Preston Serv S aged 16 General Servant Worker born Hants Portsmouth

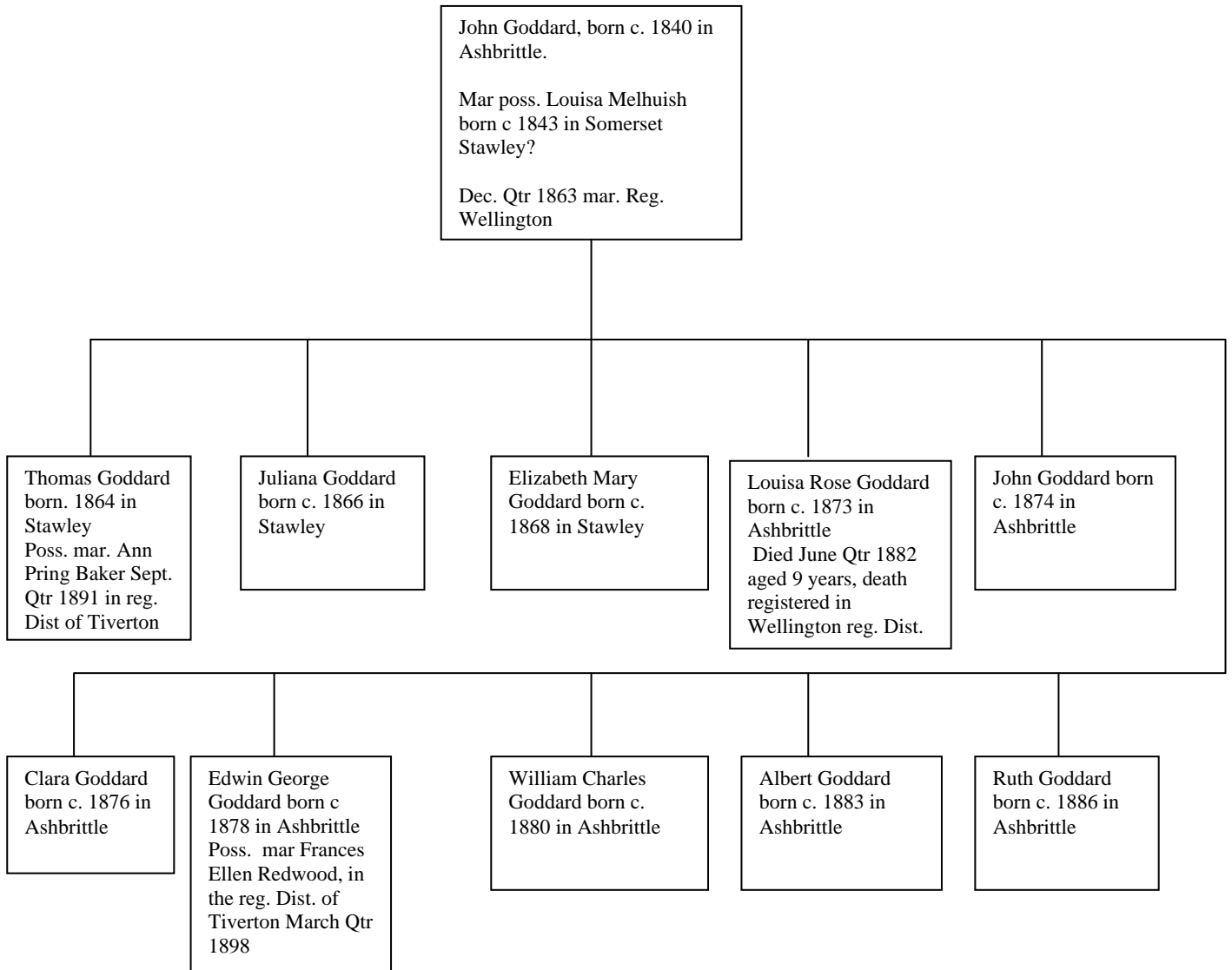
That concludes Eliza Perry nee Goddard

George son of Thomas and Mary of Ashbrittle

1871 census George Goddard was living with his brother John in Ashbrittle

George is not found in other censuses. My search is hampered by having another George in the equation of a similar age. George, son of George and Elizabeth Goddard of Ashbrittle, born c.1839. Far deeper research needed here to sort them out.

John son of Thomas and Mary Goddard of Ashbrittle



1861 Census John wasn't found

1871 Census for Somerset Ashbrittle

Great Tadbur

John Goddard Head M aged 30 Farmer of 100 acres born Somerset Ashbrittle
 Louisa Goddard Wife M aged 28 Farmer's wife born Somerset Stawley
 Thomas S Goddard Son aged 7 Scholar born Somerset Stawley
 Juliana Goddard Daugh aged 5 Scholar born Somerset Stawley
 Elizabeth Goddard Daugh aged 3 born Somerset Stawley
 George Goddard Brother U aged 33 Farm Servant born Somerset Ashbrittle
 Elizabeth Ellen Salter Serv U aged 15 General Servant born Somerset Ashbrittle

1881 Census for Somerset Ashbrittle

Doble Farm House

John Goddard Head M aged 40 farmer of 190 acres emp. 1 man 1 boy born Somerset Ashbrittle
Louisa Goddard Wife M aged 38 born Somerset Stawley
Thomas Goddard Son aged 17 Farmer's assistant born Somerset Stawley
Eliza Goddard Daugh aged 13 Domestic born Somerset Stawley
Elizabeth Mary Goddard Daugh aged 10 born Somerset Ashbrittle
Louisa Rosa Goddard Daugh aged 8 Scholar born Somerset Ashbrittle
John Goddard Son aged 7 Scholar born Somerset Ashbrittle
Clara Goddard Daugh aged 5 Scholar born Somerset Ashbrittle
Edwin George Goddard Son aged 3 Child born Somerset Ashbrittle
William Charles Goddard 5 months born Somerset Ashbrittle

1891 Census for Somerset Ashbrittle

Doble

John Goddard Head M aged 50 Farmer born Ashbrittle
Louisa Goddard Wife M aged 48 born Somerset Stawley
Thomas Goddard Son aged 27 Farmer's son born Somerset Stawley
Elizabeth Goddard Daugh aged 20 born Somerset Ashbrittle
John Goddard Son aged 17 Farmer's son born Somerset Ashbrittle
Clara Goddard Daugh aged 15 born Somerset Ashbrittle
Edwin Goddard Son aged 13 Scholar born Somerset Ashbrittle
William Goddard Son aged 10 Scholar born Somerset Ashbrittle
Albert Goddard Son aged 8 Scholar born Somerset Ashbrittle
Ruth Goddard Daugh aged 5 born Somerset Ashbrittle

Juliana is not found with the family in 1891. She is in Devon

1891 Census for Devon Tiverton

Richard Heard a Farmer aged 36 born Devon
Juliana Goddard aged 25 Housekeeper born Somerset Devon

There is a marriage in Somerset in 1891 for a Juliana Goddard but no spouses is name is given.

Louisa Goddard wasn't found in the 1891 census. There is a death registered in the June quarter 1882 in the registration district of Somerset for Louisa Rosa Goddard aged 9 years.

1901 Census for Somerset Ashbrittle

Great Tadbur

John Goddard Head M aged 60 Farmer Employer born Somerset Ashbrittle
Louisa Goddard Wife M aged 48 born Somerset Stawley
Albert Goddard Son aged 18 Farmer's son Worker born Somerset Ashbrittle
Ruth Goddard Daugh aged 15 born Somerset Ashbrittle
Louisa Herd Visitor aged 6 born Devon Tiverton
Richard E Herd Visitor aged 3 born Devon Tiverton

I found deaths in the registration district of Wellington for John Goddard aged 60 in the June quarter of 1901 and Louisa Goddard aged 66 in the September quarter of 1909.

Thomas is not with the family in 1901. There is a marriage in the registration district of Tiverton September quarter 1891. Thomas Sydenam Goddard to Ann Pring Baker.

1901 Census for Somerset Ashbrittle

Doble

Thomas S Goddard Head M aged 37 Farmer Employer born Somerset Stawley
Anne P Goddard Wife M aged 31 born Devon Collumpton
Albert J Goddard Son aged 6 born Ashbrittle
Frederick Goddard son aged 5 months born Somerset Ashbrittle
Florence Baker sister-in-law aged 14 born Somerset Ashbrittle.

I think it is safe to safe that this is Thomas son of John and Louisa Goddard.

1901 Census for Devon Hockworthy

John Goddard was found to be a Shepherd living in the home of his uncle Edwin Goddard.

1901 Census for Devon Tiverton

This census proved to be very interesting.

Clara Goddard. In the 1891 census Clara's sister, Juliana is a housekeeper in the home of Richard Heard, a farmer and in 1901 Richard is a widower and Clara is noted to be his sister in law.

Census

Richard Heard Head Widow aged 46 a farmer born in Devon
Florence Heard Daugh. aged 8 born Devon
John C Heard Son aged 4 born in Devon
Clara Goddard Sister-in-law S aged 25 Visitor born Somerset Ashbrittle
Amy Bowden Serv. aged 17 General Servant
William Hicks Serv. aged 15 Worker ? Servant

A marriage was found in the registration district of Wellington Somerset for a Juliana Goddard but no spouses name was given. I didn't find a death for Juliana Heard but it seems highly likely that she married Richard Heard as Clara is stated as his sister in law.

Edwin Goddard was not found with the family in 1901. He had married Frances Ellen Redwood, March quarter 1898 in the registration district of Tiverton. There is a birth registered in the June quarter 1898 in Tiverton of an Elsie Eva Goddard who is probably their daughter.

We have details on the Probate register of Wills for Edwin George Goddard died in Ashbrittle 1st January 1937 number 2286 GAE

Frances Ellen Goddard died 8th June 1850 in Ashbrittle number 3505 GAE

1901 Census for Somerset Ashbrittle

Little Tadbur

Edwin Goddard Head M aged 23 Farm Labourer born Somerset Ashbrittle
Frances Goddard Wife M aged 21 born Devon Hockworthy
Elsie Goddard Daugh. Aged 3 born Somerset Ashbrittle

1901 Census for Devon Holcombe Rogus.

William was not with the family in 1901 he was found to be at aged 20 a Farm Bailiff in the home of James Merson a farmer and grazier.

This completes the family of John and Louisa Goddard.

It also completes the family of Thomas and Mary Goddard of Ashbrittle.

William son of Thomas and Elizabeth Goddard of Ashbrittle

William appears not to have married. In 1841 he is at home with his parents. I think I have identified him correctly in the following censuses.

1851 Census for Somerset Ashbrittle

Westcott Farm

George Goddard Head M aged 40 Farmer of 180 acres born Somerset Ashbrittle
Mary Goddard Wife M aged 38 born Devon Clayhanger
William Goddard Son aged 14 Farmer's son born Somerset Ashbrittle
George Goddard Son aged 11 Farmer's son born Somerset Ashbrittle
? Goddard Daugh aged 2 Farmer's Daugh born Somerset Ashbrittle
William Goddard Brother U aged 44 Farmer ?, born Somerset Ashbrittle

1861 Census for Devon Clayhanger

Helcombe

John Carner Head U aged 50 Farmer 47 acres born Somerset
William Goddard Serv. Unmarried Carter born Somerset Ashbrittle

1871 Census for Devon Clayhanger

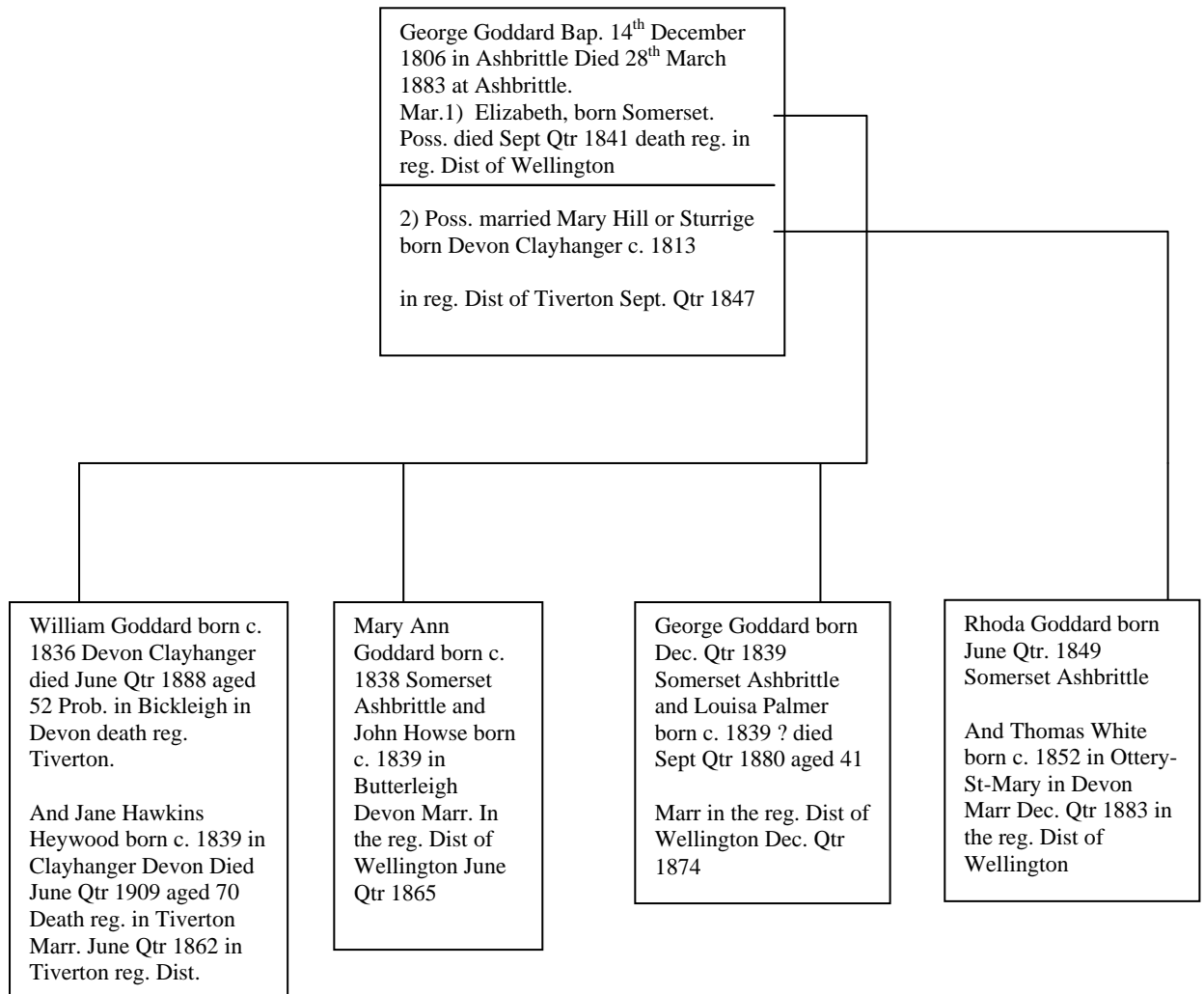
Bond horn?

Thomas Goddard Head M aged 40 Farmer of 210 acres born Devon Bamford
Mary Goddard Wife M aged 35 Farmer's wife born Devon Clayhanger
Lucy Goddard Daugh aged 12 Scholar born Devon Clayhanger
Mary Ann Goddard Daugh aged 8 Scholar born Devon Clayhanger
Tom Goddard Son aged 6 Scholar born Devon Clayhanger
Anna Pring Goddard Daugh aged 4 born Devon Clayhanger
Mark Goddard Son aged 2 born Devon Clayhanger
Infant Goddard Son aged 1 month born Devon Clayhanger
William Goddard Uncle Un aged 60 born Somerset Ashbrittle

William is not seen again in the censuses and no death has been found for him.

Thomas of the 1871 census is the son of John, William's brother. They are settled in Devon so will leave them for now.

George son of Thomas and Elizabeth Goddard of Ashbrittle



1841 Census for Somerset Ashbrittle

George Goddard 30 Farmer Y
Elizabeth Goddard aged 25 Y
William Goddard aged 5 Y
Mary Ann Goddard aged 3 Y
George Goddard aged 1 Y

Y denotes born in county.

In the 1851 census George appears to have a new wife. There is a death registered in Wellington for an Elizabeth Goddard in the September quarter 1841. There is a marriage in the registration district of Tiverton in the September quarter 1847 for a George Goddard and Mary, Hill or Surridge. This could be George Goddard above as in the 1851 census his new wife's place of birth is Devon, Clayhanger.

1851 Census for Somerset Ashbrittle

Westcott Farm

George Goddard Head M aged 40 Farmer of 180 acres born Somerset Ashbrittle
Mary Goddard Wife M aged 38 born Devon Clayhanger
William Goddard Son aged 14 Farmer's son born Somerset Ashbrittle
George Goddard Son aged 11 Farmer's son born Somerset Ashbrittle
? Goddard Daugh aged 2 Farmer's Daugh born Somerset Ashbrittle
William Goddard Brother U aged 44 Farmer?, born Somerset Ashbrittle

1861 Census for Somerset Ashbrittle

Westcott Farm

George Goddard Head M aged 54 Farmer of 190 Acres Emp. 3 Men and 2 Boys born Ashbrittle
Mary Goddard Wife M aged 48 Farmer's Wife born Devon Clayhanger
William Goddard Son U aged 25 Farmer's Son born Devon Clayhanger
Mary Ann Goddard Daugh U aged 23 Farmer's Daugh born Somerset Ashbrittle
George Goddard Son U aged 21 Farmer's Son born Somerset Ashbrittle
Rhoda Goddard Daugh aged 12 Scholar born Somerset Ashbrittle
Selena Comins Serv, aged 17 House Ser born Somerset
James Ferris Serv aged 12 Ag ? born Somerset
Thomas Willice Serv aged 17 Ag Carter of Horses born Somerset

1871 Census for Somerset Ashbrittle

George Goddard Head M aged 64 Farmer of 186 Acres born Somerset Ashbrittle
Mary Goddard Wife M aged 58 Farmer's Wife born Devon Clayhanger
George Goddard Son U aged 31 Farmer's Son born Somerset Ashbrittle
Rhoda Goddard Daugh U aged 22 Farmer's Daugh born Somerset Ashbrittle
Hannah Granger Serv aged 15 General Servant indoor born Somerset
John ? Serv aged 14 Farm Servant indoor born Somerset
John Bowden Serv aged 12 Farm Servant indoor born Somerset

1881 Census for Somerset Stawley

Winkley

George Goddard 71 Head M aged 71 retired farmer born Somerset Ashbrittle
Mary Goddard Wife M aged 64 born Devon Clayhanger
Rhoda Goddard Daugh aged 32 born Somerset Ashbrittle

George and Mary Goddard weren't found in the 1891 census. George died in Ashbrittle on the 28th March 1883

The Will of George Goddard

This is the last will and testament of me George Goddard of Greenham in the Parish of Ashbrittle Somerset after payment of all my just debts funeral expenses and testamentary expenses I give devise and bequeath all my estate and effects as follows that is to say I give to my brother John Goddard of Doble Farm in the Parish of Ashbrittle the sum of £50.00 which is now held by W. Thomas Palmer of Stawley also the whole of my wearing apparel my watch and six cane seat chairs and I give to my two nieces now residing at Tooting in the county of Surrey namely Rhoda Penny and her youngest sister each the sum of £6.0.0 I give devise and bequeath the whole of the residue of my estate wheresoever whatsoever and of what nature----whether in possession reversion or expectation unto my beloved wife Mary Jane Goddard for her own absolute use and benefit and I nominate appoint and constitute my said wife sole executrix of this my will I hereby revoke all former wills as any time herein fore made by me and declare this to be my last will and testament I witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand this twenty first day of March in the year of our lord one thousand eight hundred and eight three **George Goddard** signed published and declared by the testator George Goddard as and for his last will and testament in the presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our names as witness John Wyatt Pratt Surgeon Winchcombe Fras Shattock 3 the Terrace Chiswick London W

On the 18th May 1883 Probate of this will was granted to Mary Jane Goddard widow of the sole executrix.

Probate

Be it known that at the date hereunto written, the last will and testament of George Goddard of Greenham in the Parish of Ashbrittle in the County of Somerset deceased, who died on the 28th March 1883 at Greenham aforesaid was proved and registered in the Principal Registry of Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice and that Administration of the personal estate of the said deceased was granted to the aforesaid Court to Mary Jane Goddard of Greenham aforesaid widow of the Relict the sole executrix named in the said will having sworn well and faithfully the same.

Dated the 18th day of May 1883 Gross value of personal estate £283.7.0

William the son of the above George and his first wife Elizabeth was born in and later settled in Devon. He had a large family and probably died in Bickleigh, Devon in the June quarter 1888.

George and Elizabeth's daughter Mary Ann married John Howse in the June quarter 1865. The marriage was registered in the registration district of Wellington. They farmed in Ashbrittle and appear to have been childless.

Little was found about George the son of George and Elizabeth. There is a little/lot of confusion between him and his cousin George who is a similar age. More research needs to be done on these two Georges.

1881 census George seems to have married and been widowed between the two censuses

Registered in Wellington the marriage of George Goddard to Louisa Palmer December quarter 1874. Again in Wellington a death registered of Louisa Goddard aged 41 in the September quarter 1880

1881 Census for Somerset Ashbrittle

Vicarage (part of)

George Goddard Head widower aged 43 farmer's assistant born Somerset Ashbrittle
Mary Palmer Mother-in-law Wid aged 66 born Somerset Ashbrittle
Mary Sweet Palmer Daugh Un aged 27 Domestic born Somerset Ashbrittle

George and Mary's daughter, Rhoda married Thomas White a farmer in the December quarter 1883 in the registration district of Wellington. They were found in the 1891 census living in Tiverton in Devon with their 7 year old daughter Edith, who was born in Tiverton in Devon.

Batcombe

Batcombe is a few miles South East of Shepton Mallet. The 1871 census tells me that it is in the sub registration of Evercreech and the registration district of Shepton Mallet.

I found the following marriage in Evercreech which lead me to check the 1851 and then the 1841 census which led me to Batcombe.

Marriage 1846 James Goddard, widower, son of Thomas Goddard, to Elizabeth Ann Green.

The only likely James Goddard I could find in 1841 is the following.

1841 Census for Street in Somerset

James Goddard aged 30 Ag. Lab. y
Grace Goddard aged 25 y
Samuel aged 5 (looks like Goddard) y
Y denotes born in County.

I have no way of knowing if this is the same James Goddard who marries Elizabeth Green. There is a death on Free BMD for a Grace Goddard registered in the registration district of Wincanton in 1843 and James was a widower when he married Elizabeth.

Samuel was still in Street in 1851 and after that I wasn't able to find him in any other censuses so will note him here.

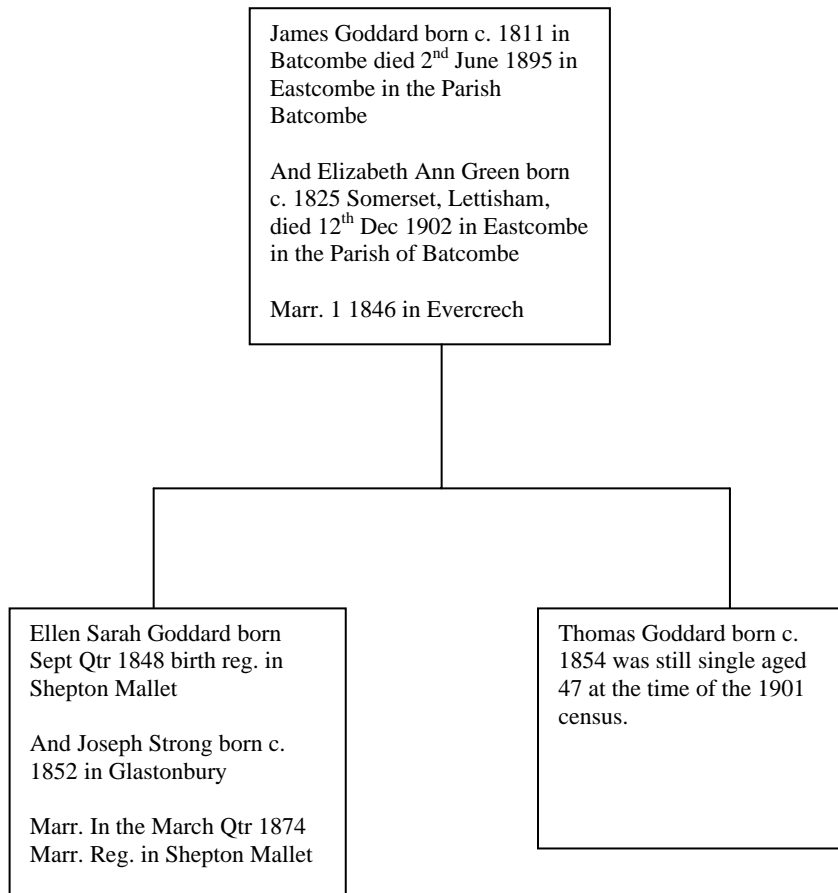
1851 Census for Street in Somerset

Samuel Goddard Un aged 15 a carter born Somerset Compton

Living in the home of Noah Summers a quarryman

So now for James Goddard who by 1851 is a farmer of 100 acres which makes the James above an, agricultural labourer, seem a bit unlikely to be one and the same. Far more research needed to see if this is the James Goddard on the following page.

James Goddard of Batcombe



Marriage 1846 James Goddard, widower, son of Thomas Goddard, to Elizabeth Ann Green.

From the details of the marriage we know that at the head of this family is Thomas Goddard. It didn't say in the Parish record of James' marriage that he was deceased but I could find no evidence of him in the censuses.

I found the correct James in Batcombe in the 1851 census. It would have helped if Samuel had been with him.

1851 Census for Somerset Batcombe

? Farm

James Goddard Head M aged 40 Farmer of 100 acres 2 Labourers born Somerset Batcombe
Elizabeth Ann Goddard Wife M aged 26 born Somerset Lettisham
Ellen Sarah Goddard Daugh aged 2 born West Pennard
Mary Ann Farmer Serv aged 20 Dairy Maid born Somerset Batcombe

1861 Census for Somerset Batcombe

Golledger? Farm

James Goddard Head M aged 51 Farmer of 84 acres 2 Labs born Somerset Batcombe
Elizabeth Goddard Wife M aged 37 born Somerset Lettisham
Thomas Goddard Son aged 6 born Batcombe

Ellen isn't with the family in 1861. I found her in Cheddar in what was a boarding school for young ladies.

1861 Census for Somerset Cheddar

Cliff Street School

Ellen Goddard aged 12 Pupil born Somerset Batcombe.

1871 Census for Somerset Batcombe

James Goddard Head M aged 61 Farmer 130 acres 3 men 1 boy born Somerset Batcombe
Elizabeth Goddard Wife M aged 47 born Somerset Lettisham
Ellen J Goddard Daugh aged 21 Un born Somerset Batcombe
Thomas Goddard Son Un aged 17 Farmer's son born Somerset Batcombe
Mary Ann Tanner Serv. Un aged 42 born Somerset Upton Noble

1881 Census for Somerset Batcombe

Eastcombe Lower Farm

James Goddard Head M aged 71 Farmer 100 acres 2 men 1 boy born Somerset Batcombe
Elizabeth Goddard Wife M aged 55 born Somerset Batcombe
Thomas Goddard Son Un aged 26 Farmer's son born Somerset Batcombe.

Ellen is not with them, she has married, more about her later.

1891 Census for Somerset Batcombe.

James Goddard Head M aged 81 Farmer born Somerset Batcombe
Elizabeth Goddard Wife M aged 66 born Somerset Lettisham
Thomas Goddard Son S aged 37 Farmer's son born Somerset Batcombe
Ernest Strong Grandson aged 10 born Somerset Cadbury
Mary A Tanner Serv S aged 60 General Servant Domestic born Somerset Upton Noble

Having their grandson Ernest Strong living with them in 1891 firmed up the marriage that I thought I had found for daughter Ellen.

Elizabeth is a widow by the time of the 1901 census. James died on the 2nd June 1895 aged 85 years. This information was gleaned from the Probate section of the GAE website. Probate Ref. 694.

GODDARD James of Eastcombe Batcombe Somerset yeoman died 2 June 1895 Probate LONDON 2 June to Elizabeth Ann Goddard widow effects £1131 15s 10d

The Will of James Goddard of Eastcombe in the Parish of Batcombe in Somerset

This is the last will and testament of me James Goddard of Eastcombe in the parish of Batcombe in the County of Somerset, Yeoman. I give devise and bequeath All my real and personal estate :of whatever nature of kind 'soever subject to the payment of any debts funeral and testamentary expenses unto Elizabeth Ann my dear wife to the use and intent that she shall enjoy the use and income thereof during her life and after her decease I give and bequeath the same to such uses and upon such trusts for the benefit of my two children and in such shares and proportions as my said dear wife shall by deed or will appoint give and devise the same And I appoint my said wife Executrix of this my will in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand this twenty fourth day of March one thousand eight hundred and seventy seven JAMES GODDARD SIGNED and acknowledged by the said James Goddard as and for his last will in the presence of us present at the same time and who in the presence and in the presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses – Henry Dyne Sclr. Bruton Somerset W. Muller Sclr. Bruton.

On the 2nd day of June 1896 Probate of this will was granted to Elizabeth Ann Goddard widow the sole Executrix.

Gross value of Personal Estate £1151-15-10

Net value of Personal Estate £615-10-1

1901 Census for Somerset Batcombe

Elizabeth Goddard Head Widow aged 77 Farmer. Employer born Somerset Bradley
Thomas Goddard Son S aged 47 Farmer's son Worker At Home born Somerset Batcombe
Mary Ann Tanner Serv S aged 70 General Domestic Servant born Somerset Upton Noble

Elizabeth Ann Goddard died on December the 12th 1902 aged 79 years. She also left a will GAE. Probate Ref. 895.

GODDARD Elizabeth Ann of Eastcombe Batcombe widow died 12th December 1902 Probate LONDON 8 May to Thomas Goddard Farmer Effects £4844 3s 6d.

The Will of Elizabeth Ann Goddard of Eastcombe in the Parish of Batcombe

I ELIZABETH ANN GODDARD of Eastcombe in the Parish of Batcombe in Somerset Widow hereby revoke all testamentary writings heretofore executed by me and declare this to be my last will and testament made and executed on the Tenth day of June one thousand nine hundred and two I devise and bequeath all my real and personal estate whatsoever and wheresoever subject to the payment of my mortgage and other debts and my funeral and testamentary expenses unto my son Thomas Goddard absolutely and I declare that the reasons I have not made any provision by my said will for my daughter Ellen Sarah Strong is that she has already been provided for having as I consider received on the occasion of her Marriage and by subsequent gifts her full share of my estate And I appoint the said Thomas Goddard my sole EXECUTOR of this my will IN WITNESS whereof I have hereunder set my hand –E GODDARD- Signed by the said Elizabeth Ann Goddard as her last will and testament in the presence of us present at the same time who at her request in her sight and presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as attesting witnesses-ROWLAND T.A.HUGHES Solr. Bruton-JAMES GOLLEDGE Clerk to Messrs Dyne Muller & Hughes Solrs Bruton.

On the 8th day of May 1903 Probate of this will was granted to Thomas Goddard the sole Executor.

Gross value of Estate £4844-3-6

Nett value of Estate &15-13-2

Thomas son of James and Elizabeth Goddard

At the age of 46 Thomas is still living at home with his mother and unmarried so no more on Thomas, sadly.

Ellen Sarah Strong nee Goddard daughter of James and Elizabeth Ann Goddard

Ellen Sarah Goddard born Sept Qtr 1848
birth reg. in Shepton Mallet

And Joseph Strong born c. 1852 in
Glastonbury

Marr. In the March Qtr 1874 Marr. Reg. in
Shepton Mallet

Ellen's birth is registered in the registration district of Shepton Mallet in the September quarter 1848.

She is found with her parents in the 1851 census in Batcombe. In 1861 she is at school in Cheddar, more than likely boarding and in 1871 she is back with her parents.

Her marriage was at first difficult to find but in 1891 her parent's have their ten year old grandson Ernest Strong living with them and in the 1881 census Ernest is 6 months old and the servant of her parents', Mary Ann Tanner is with Ellen's family noted as a visitor and her occupation is given as nurse. This information also firmed up the marriage that I thought was Ellen's.

March quarter 1874 in the registration district of Shepton Mallet, Ellen Sarah Goddard to Joseph Strong.

1881 Census for Somerset North Cadbury

Broadhampton

Joseph Strong Head M aged 29 Butcher born Somerset Glastonbury
Ellen Sarah Strong Wife M aged 31 born Somerset Glastonbury?
Mary Elizabeth Strong Daugh aged 6 Scholar born Somerset Weston Bamfield
Herbert John Strong Son aged 5 Scholar born Somerset Weston Bamfield
Arthur James Son aged 2 born Somerset Weston Bamfield
Percival Ernest Son aged 6 months born North Cadbury
Mary Ann Tanner Visitor S. aged 50 Nurse born Somerset
Kate Farthing Serv S aged 15 Servant Domestic born Somerset South Cadbury

1891 Census for Somerset Anstford

Farm

Joseph Strong Head M aged 39 Farmer born Somerset East Harptree

Ellen Strong Wife M aged 41 born Somerset Eastcombe

Herbert J Strong Son aged 15 born Somerset Westcombe

Arthur J Strong Son aged 12 born Somerset North Cadbury

Elsie M Strong Daugh aged 7 born Somerset Castle Cary

Samuel North Serv M aged 29 Working on farm born Somerset

1901 Census for Somerset East Lydford

5, Cary Road

Joseph Strong Head M aged 50 farmer and Cattle dealer Own Acc. Born Somerset East Harptree

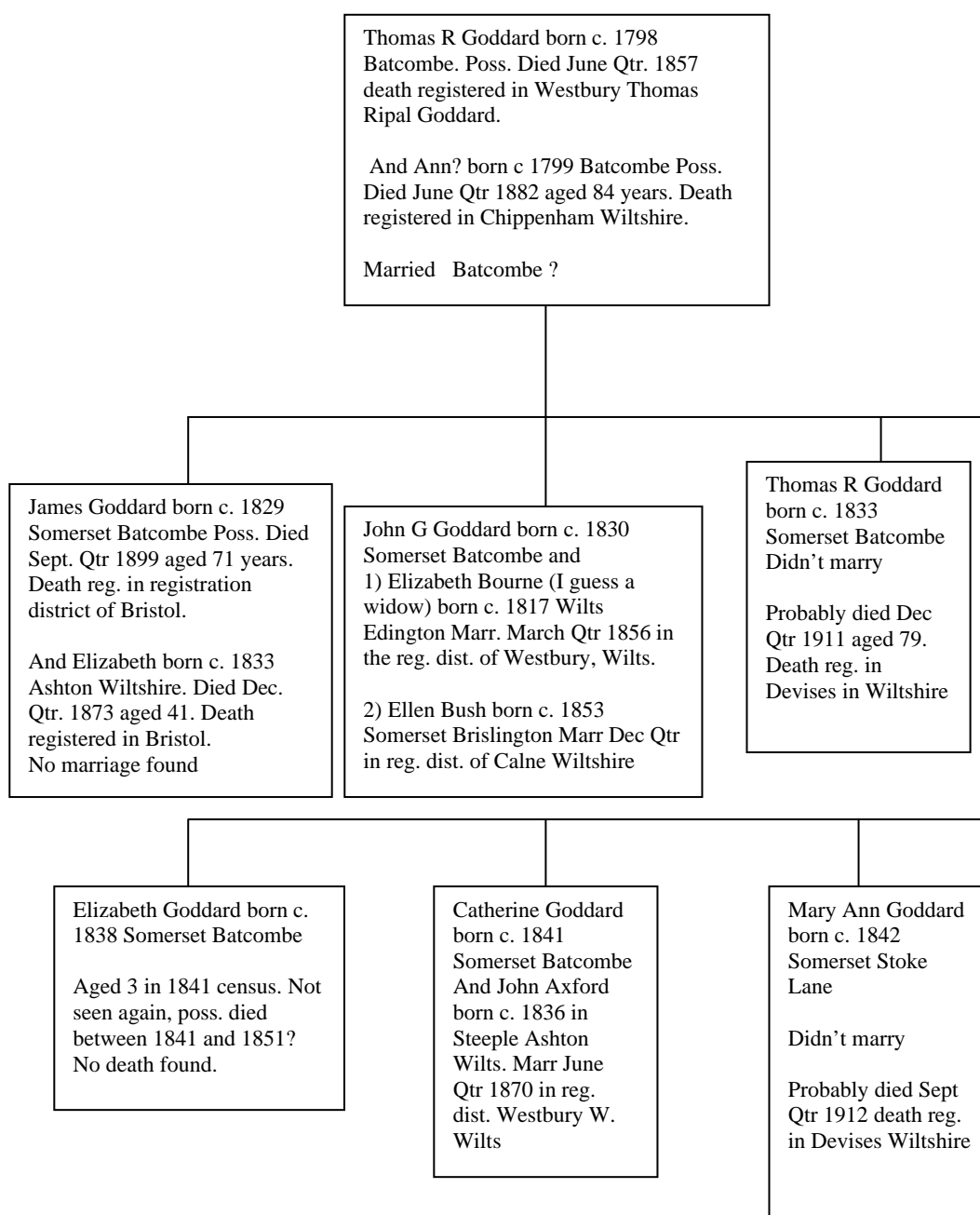
Ellen Sarah Strong Wife M aged 52 Housekeeper born Somerset Batcombe

Elsie Mary Strong Daugh S aged 17 Asst. in Housework born Somerset Castle Cary.

Ellen didn't benefit from the will of her mother. Elizabeth considering that she had had enough money previously.

Thomas Goddard born Batcombe parentage unknown

Thomas was first sighted, in the 1841 census living with his wife and children in Stoke Lane, Somerset. The 1851 census told me that he had been born in Batcombe. There is a twelve year age gap between him and James above but it is not impossible that they are brothers. Batcombe Parish registers need to be read to firm up this family. By 1851 the family are in Wiltshire but I feel it is well worth noting them here.



1841 Census for Somerset Stoke Lane

Batch? Farm

Thomas Goddard 40 Farmer y
Ann Goddard 40 y
James Goddard 13 y
John Goddard 11 y
Thomas Goddard 9 y
Elizabeth Goddard 3 y
Catherine Goddard 1 y
Ann Cullen 15 S y
Jane Rawlins 15 S y

By 1851 the family have left Somerset.

1851 Census for Wiltshire Westbury

Thomas R Goddard Head M aged 53 Farmer 168 acres Emp. 4 Lads born Somerset Batcombe
Ann Goddard Wife M aged 52 Farmer's wife born Somerset Batcombe
James Goddard Son aged 22 Farmer's son born Somerset Batcombe
John G Goddard Son aged 21 Farmer's son born Somerset Batcombe
Thomas R Goddard Son aged 18 Farmer's son born Somerset Batcombe
Catherine Goddard Daugh aged 10 Scholar born Somerset Batcombe
Mary Ann Goddard Daugh aged 9 Scholar born Somerset Stoke Lane
Elizabeth? Serv Un aged 23 Dairy Maid born Somerset.

By 1861 Ann is a widow. I found the following on the GRO. Thomas Ripal Goddard death registered in the registration district of Westbury Wiltshire, June quarter 1857.

1861 Census for Wiltshire Edington

Ann Goddard Head Un aged 63 farmer's widow retired born Somerset Batcombe
Mary Ann Goddard Daugh Un aged 19 born Somerset, Stoke Lane.

As you will see, from 1871 Ann lives the remainder her life with her son Thomas and daughter Mary Ann.

1871 Census for Wiltshire Edington

Dogland?.

Ann Goddard Head Wid. aged 63 aged 73 Annuitant born Somerset Batcombe
Thomas Goddard Son Un aged 39 Dairyman born Somerset Batcombe
Marianne Goddard Daugh Un aged 29 Dairy Maid Sister born Somerset Stoke Lane

1881 Census for Wiltshire Lee Delamere.

The family are together again. Thomas and Mary Ann are still unmarried and John is widowed.

Thomas R Goddard H Un aged 49 (of Sevington) Dairyman born Somerset Batcombe
Ann Goddard Mother Wid. aged 83 born Somerset Batcombe
Mary Ann Goddard Sister Un aged 39 born Somerset Stoke Lane
John G Goddard Brother Widr. Aged 51 born Somerset Batcombe.

1891 Census for Wiltshire Compton Bassett

Thomas R Goddard Head S aged 59 Dairyman born Somerset Batcombe
Mary A Goddard Sister S aged 49 born Somerset Stoke Lane.

Ann and her son John were not found in the 1891 census. I found no death for John but there is a death registered in the registration district of Chippenham in the June quarter 1882 of and Ann Goddard aged 84. This could be her.

1901 Census for Wiltshire Potterne

High Street

Thomas R Goddard Head S aged 69 Living on own means born Somerset Batcombe
Mary Ann Goddard Sister S aged 59 Living on own means born Somerset Stoke Lane

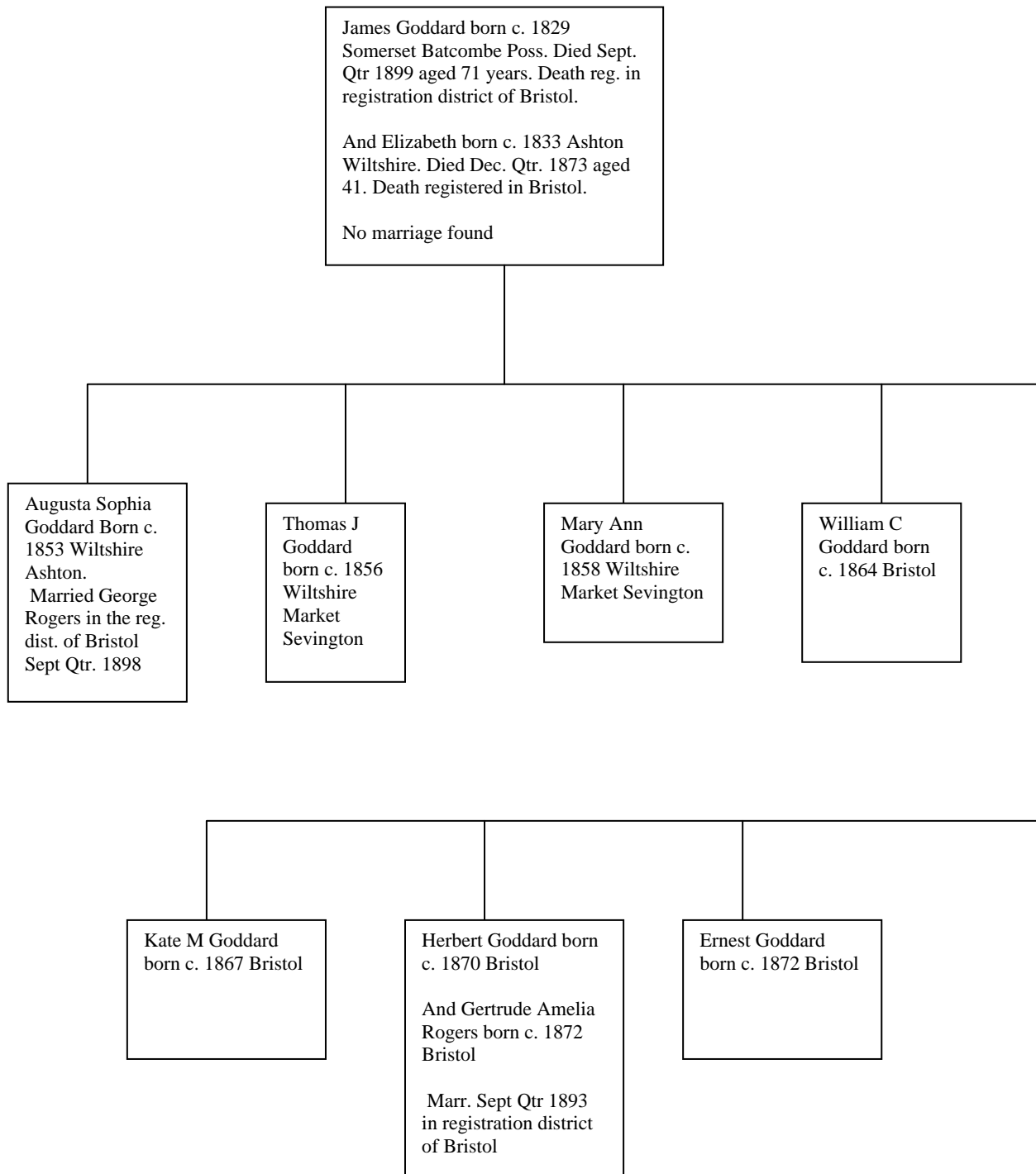
There are possible death registered in the registration district of Devises that could be Thomas and Mary Ann

Thomas R Goddard aged 79 years December quarter 1911

Mary A Goddard aged 70 years September quarter 1912.

Now I will expand on the other children of Thomas and Ann Goddard

James Goddard son of Thomas and Ann originally of Batcombe



The first time we see James Goddard away from his extended family he is living in Weston, Somerset. He is married to Elizabeth whose surname I don't know as I haven't found a marriage, he is an innkeeper.

1861 Census for Somerset Weston

King's Head

James Goddard Head M aged 32 Innkeeper born Somerset Batcombe
Elizabeth Goddard Wife M aged 28 Innkeeper's wife born Wiltshire Ashton
Augusta S Goddard Daugh aged 8 Scholar born Wiltshire Ashton
Thomas J Goddard Son aged 5 Scholar born Wiltshire Easterton ?
Mary A Goddard Daugh aged 3 born Wiltshire Easterton ?
Catherine Goddard Visitor Un aged 20 Farmer's daughter born Somerset Batcombe
Anne Carr Serv Un aged 19 House servant born Wiltshire Eddington

Catherine is James' sister.

1871 Census for Gloucestershire, St Michael St Augustine Bristol

3, Providence Place

James Goddard Head M aged 42 County Court Officer born Somerset Bristol
Elizabeth Goddard Wife M aged 38 born Wiltshire Steeple Ashton
Augusta Goddard Daugh aged 18 Ladies outfitter born Wiltshire Steeple Ashton
Thomas J Goddard Son aged 15 Carpenter apprentice born Wiltshire Market Sevington
Mary A Goddard Daugh aged 13 born Wiltshire Market Sevington
William C. Goddard Son aged 7 born Bristol
Herbert J Goddard Son aged 1 born Bristol.

Elizabeth is not found in the 1881 census. There is a death in the registration district of Bristol of Elizabeth Goddard aged 41 in 1873. I think this is probably her. In the 1881 census there is one more child which means that James was left with seven children to bring up on his own, one, Ernest being still a baby.

1881 Census for Gloucestershire St Michael

9, Park Place

James Goddard Head Widr. aged 52 Bailiff Bristol County Court born Somerset Batcombe
Sophia Goddard Daugh Un aged 28 Dressmaker born Wiltshire Steeple Ashton
Mary A Goddard Daugh Un aged 23 born Wiltshire Steeple Ashton
Kate M Goddard Daugh aged 14 Scholar born Bristol
Herbert J Goddard Son aged 11 Scholar born Bristol
Ernest Goddard Son aged 9 Scholar born Bristol.

1881 Census for Wiltshire Devises St Mary

Lodgers at 4 New Park Street and 1&2 Lemon Grove.

Thomas is in a lodging house.

Thomas Goddard S aged 25 Working Maltster born Wiltshire Market *Levington

*Looked like Sevington on other censuses

William wasn't found in 1881

1891 Census for Gloucestershire St Michael St Augustine

9 Park Place

James Goddard Head Widr. Aged 62 County Court Bailiff born Somerset Batcombe
Augusta S Goddard Daugh S aged 38 Dressmaker born Wiltshire Easterton
Mary A Goddard Daugh S aged 33 born Wiltshire Easterton
Herbert Goddard S aged 21 Watchmaker born Gloucestershire Bristol.

James is not found in the 1901 census. There is a death in the registration district of Bristol for James Goddard aged 71 years. I think this is him.

I was unable to find Thomas, William or Ernest in the 1881 and 1901 censuses.

1901 Census for Bristol St Mary Radcliffe

130 Victoria Street

Herbert Goddard Head M aged 32 Watchmaker and Jeweller born Bristol St Michael
Gertrude D Goddard Wife M aged 30 born Bristol St Stephen
Ivy E.R. Goddard Daugh aged 5 born Bristol Radcliffe
Doris Goddard Daugh aged 1 born Bristol Radcliffe
Florence Fear Serv S aged 15 Gen. Serv. Dom. Born Bedminster.

1901 Census for Bristol St Stephens.

47 Broad Quay

George Rogers Head M aged 63 Outfitter & Clothier Employer born Bristol
Augusta S Rogers Wife M aged 48 born Wiltshire K.N.
Emily I Webb Serv S aged 26 Gen. Serv. Dom. Born Bristol
Ellen N Thompson Serv aged 14 Gen. Serv. Dom born Warwick.

John Gibbons Goddard son of Thomas and Ann originally of Batcombe

1861 Census for Wiltshire Westbury Edington

Housecroft Farm

John Gibbons Goddard married Elizabeth Bourne in the registration district of Westbury, Wiltshire in the March quarter 1856. There are five stepchildren in the following census so safe to say that Elizabeth (Betsy) was a widow when she and John married.

Note that John's brother Thomas is living with him.

John G Goddard Head M aged 31 Farmer of 97 acres born Somerset Wiltshire
Betsy Goddard Wife M aged 44 Farmer's wife born Wiltshire Edington
Thomas Bourne Step Son aged 17 Farmer's son born Wiltshire Bratton
Richard Bourne Step Son aged 14 Farmer's son born Wiltshire Bratton
John Bourne Step Son aged 13 Farmer's Son born Wiltshire Bratton
William Bourne Step Son aged 11 Farmer's son born Wiltshire Bratton
Betsy Bourne Step Daughter aged 9 Farmer's daughter born Wiltshire Bratton
Thomas R Goddard Brother aged 29 Farmer's son born Somerset Batcombe
Jane Newman Serv. Un aged 20 dairy Maid born Wiltshire Bratton.

The 1871 census told me that John's second Christian name was Gibbons which helped me to find his marriage to Elizabeth Bourne. In 1871 his marital status is give as married but Elizabeth isn't with him. He is widowed by the 1881 census and I wonder if this is an enumeration error and she had died before 1871? I haven't found a death for her.

1871 Census for Wiltshire Melksham

Snailton? Lane

John Gibbons Goddard Head M aged 41 Farmer of 200 acres Emp. 3 men 2 boys born Somerset Batcombe
John Bourne Step Son Un aged 23 Farmer's son born Wilts Beatton
William Bourne step Son Un aged 22 Farmer's son born Wiltshire Beatton
Bessie Bourne Step daughter Un age 19 farmer's daughter born Wiltshire Beatton
Elizabeth Maslem? Serv Un aged 18 Domestic servant born Wiltshire Edington

1881 Census for Wiltshire Lee Delamere.

The family are together again. Thomas and Mary Ann are still unmarried and John is widowed.

Thomas R Goddard H Un aged 49 (of Sevington) Dairyman born Somerset Batcombe
Ann Goddard Mother Wid. aged 83 born Somerset Batcombe
Mary Ann Goddard Sister Un aged 39 born Somerset, Stoke Lane
John G Goddard Brother Widr. Aged 51 born Somerset Batcombe.

I didn't find John in the 1891 census and wrongly assumed that he had died. Checking the GAE probate index I found ref. 1352 John Gibbons Goddard died 27th November 1917 Batcombe Somerset. He appears to have come home to Somerset. His will, will give more information.

I had quite a surprise when I searched and found who I am sure is John in the 1901 census. He had remarried and had his first and only known child at about aged 67 years.

1901 Census for Wiltshire Calne

Hockley

John G Goddard Head M aged 71 Grocer & Draper Own acc. at home born Somerset BITCOMBE (Batcombe)?

Edith Goddard Wife M aged 48 born Somerset Brislington

Frances Goddard Daugh aged 4 born Wilts Stockley

Edith J Bush visitor aged 42 born Somerset Brislington

I found the following marriage in the registration district of Calne Wiltshire.

December quarter 1895, John Gibbons Goddard to either Ellen Hester M Bush of Ada Blanche Page.

Given that Edith J Bush is a visitor in John's home in the 1901 census I think it is safe to assume that he married Ellen Hester M Bush and his wife being named as Edith is an enumeration error. The visitor named Edith Bush must be his sister in law.

There is a birth on Free BMD for Frances Ann Goddard registered in the December quarter 1896 in Calne Wiltshire. I think safe to say this is John's daughter.

The 1911 census for Batcombe in Somerset totally firmed up the above.

1911 Census for Somerset, Batcombe, Evercreech.

There is a lot more information in the 1911 census.

John Gibbons Goddard Head aged 81 married Retired farmer born Somerset Batcombe

Ellen Goddard Wife aged 58 married 15 years. Total of children born alive 1, still living 1, Died 0.

Born Somerset Brislington

Frances A Goddard Daugh aged 14 at school born Wiltshire Calne.

Signature of, John Gibbons Goddard. Postal address Hockley, Batcombe, Evercreech. Number of rooms occupied 5.

So John Gibbons Goddard has gone home to Batcombe after leaving for Wiltshire with his entire family when he was just a child sometime after the 1841 census.

Catherine Axford daughter of Thomas and Ann Goddard originally of Batcombe

At the time of the 1861 census Catherine wasn't at home with her parents she was found to be with her brother James Goddard, an innkeeper, in Weston, Somerset. As you see she went on to marry an innkeeper.

Catherine Goddard married John Axford in the June quarter 1870 in the registration district of Westbury W in Wiltshire. I was able to track the family through the censuses until 1901.

1871 Census for Wiltshire Bulkington

Bulkington, Main Street

John Axford Head M aged 34 Innkeeper born Wiltshire Steeple Ashton
Catherine Axford Wife M aged 30 born Somerset Batcombe

1881 Census for Wiltshire Bulkington

Bell Inn

John Axford Head M aged 45 Farmer and Innkeeper born Wiltshire Steeple Ashton
Catherine Axford Wife M aged 40 born Somerset Batcombe
Kate Ellen Axford Daugh aged 9 Scholar born Wiltshire Bulkington
John Axford Son aged 7 Scholar born Wiltshire Bulkington
Thomas Percy Axford Son aged 2 born Wiltshire Bulkington
James W Axford Son aged 1 born Wiltshire Bulkington

I note that Catherine has named her sons after her brothers.

1891 Census for Wiltshire Bulkington Westbury West Wiltshire

Bell Inn

John Axford Head M aged 54 Innkeeper and Farmer born Wiltshire Steeple Ashton
Catherine Axford Wife M aged 50 born Somerset Batcombe
Kate E Daugh S aged 20 born Wiltshire Bulkington
John Axford S aged 19 Farmer's son born Wiltshire Bulkington
Thomas Axford Son aged 12 Farmer's son born Wiltshire Bulkington
James W Axford Son aged 11 born Wiltshire Bulkington

1901 Census for Wiltshire Bulkington

Bell Inn

John Axford Head M aged 64 Innkeeper and farmer Employer born Wiltshire Steeple Ashton
Catherine Axford Wife M aged 60 born Somerset Batcombe
John Axford Son S aged 27 Farmer's son Worker born Wiltshire Bulkington
Thomas P Axford Son S aged 22 Farmer's son Worker born Wiltshire Bulkington
James W Axford Son S aged 21 Farmer's son Worker born Wiltshire Bulkington

This completes the Goddards of Batcombe in Somerset

East Lambrook

I found the following baptism in East Lambrook.

August 3rd 1862 Elizabeth Ann Goddard, daughter of John and Phoebe Goddard. J.K.Fowler, Rector.

I found the following marriage which could be of the parents.

June quarter 1859 in the registration district of Sherbourne in Dorset. John Goddard to Phoebe Mogg.

I found in the 1871 census her parents had been born in Dorset but felt it worth noting the findings here as the family have moved in each census and the information may be of some use to a member who might be looking for them.

1861 Census for Somerset Kingsbury Episcopi

Hawthorn Hill

Jno Goddard Head M aged 25 Carter born Dorset Sturminster Newton
Phebie Goddard Wife M aged 27 born Dorset Kings Stag
Emma Goddard Daugh aged 1 born Dorset Kings Stag

1871 Census for Somerset Ditcheat

John Goddard Head M aged 35 Ag. Lab. born Dorset Sturminster Newton
Phoebe Goddard Wife M aged 36 born Dorset King Stag
Emma Goddard Daugh aged 11 Scholar born Dorset King Stag
Elizabeth A Goddard aged 8 Scholar born Somerset Lambrook

1881 Census for Somerset North Cadbury

Gallhampton

John Goddard Head M aged 45 Ag. Lab. born Dorset Sturminster Newton
Phoebe A Goddard Wife M aged 47 Needlewoman born Dorset King Stag Pulham
Emma Louise Goddard Daugh aged 21 Needlewoman born Dorset King Stag Pulham
Elizabeth Ann Goddard Daugh aged 18 Needlewoman born Somerset Lambrook

1891 Census for Hampshire Christchurch

Nea Farm Cottages

John Goddard Head M aged 52 Carter Ag. Lab. Farm born Dorset
Phoebe A Goddard Wife M aged 53 born Dorset
Harry Goddard Grandson aged 5 born Dorset Kinsow

This is the last sighting I have of the daughters. I have found neither death nor marriage for either of them. It would seem that one of them has had an illegitimate son and John and Phoebe have taken responsibility for him.

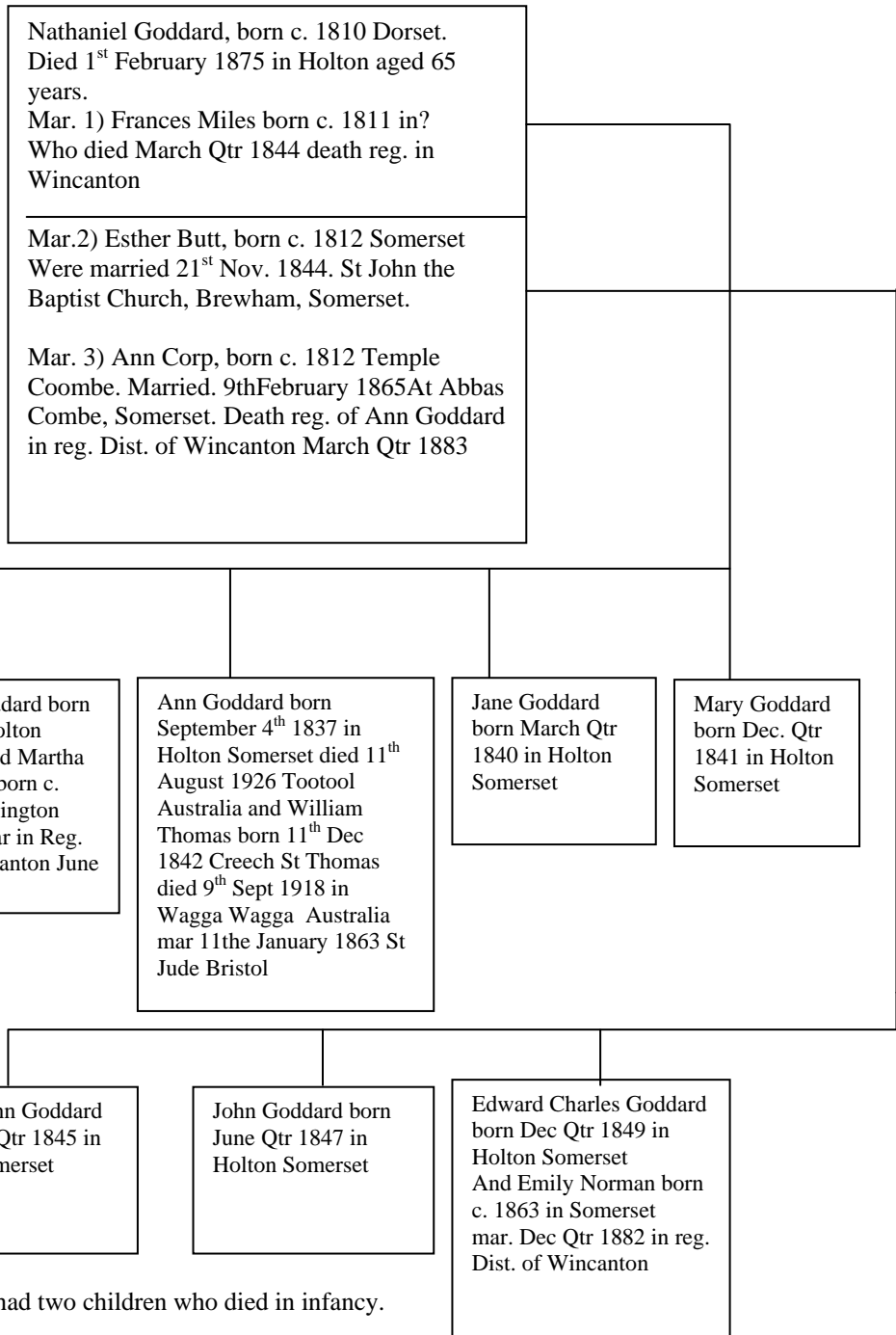
1901 Census for Surrey Newdigate

John Goddard Head M aged 62 Stockman Ag. Lab. Farm born Dorset Sturminster Newton
Phoebe A Goddard Wife M aged 65 born Dorset
Henry Goddard Grandson S aged 15 Carter boy on farm born Dorset Corfe Castle
On Free BMD I found the following death in the March quarter 1913 in the registration district of Dorking in Surrey. Phoebe A Goddard aged 76 years.
No death was found for John Goddard.

HOLTON

Holton, a parish in the hundred of Whitley, county Somerset, 2 miles S.W. of Wincanton

My research for Holton began with the birth certificate of Ann Goddard born Holton in Somerset on the 4th of September 1837. Ann was the Daughter of Nathaniel, a blacksmith born in Dorset, and his wife Frances (nee Miles) Goddard. With this information I was able to build the tree from the various censuses. I found that Frances died in 1844 and that Nathaniel remarried, was again widowed and remarried before he died on 1st February 1875 aged 65 years.



Nathaniel and Frances had two children who died in infancy.

Mary Elizabeth Goddard baptised 8 May 1836 buried 9th April 1837

John Goddard baptised 23rd February 1844 buried 25th April 1844

Note there is a death for Frances Goddard in the March Qtr 1844 death reg. in Wincanton

1841 Census for Holton in Somerset

Nathaniel Goddard 30 'Smith' not born in county
Frances Goddard 30 born in county
George Goddard 8 born in county
William Goddard 7 born in county
Ann Goddard 3 born in county
Jane Goddard 1 born in county

Frances Goddard died in 1844 and by the 1851 census Nathaniel has remarried and added another three children to the family. Touchingly, the first of the three is a girl named Frances after his late wife.

1851 Census for Holton in Somerset

Nathaniel Goddard Head M. aged 41 Blacksmith Master employing one man. Born Dorset Bowden?
Esther Goddard Wife M. aged 39 born Somerset Brenthouse?
George Goddard Son Un. aged 18 Carpenter born Somerset Holton
William Goddard Son Un. aged 17 Blacksmith born Somerset Holton
Ann Goddard Daugh. Un. aged 14 Employed at home born Somerset Holton
Jane Goddard Daugh. aged 11 Scholar born Somerset Holton
Mary Goddard Daugh. aged 9 Scholar born Somerset Holton
Frances Goddard Daugh. aged 9 Scholar born Somerset Holton
John Goddard Son aged 3 born Holton Somerset
Edward Charles Goddard Son aged 1 born Somerset Holton

1861 Census for Holton Somerset

Cottage House

Nathan Goddard Head M. aged 51 Blacksmith born Dorset Bourton?
Hester Goddard Wife M. aged 48 born Somerset
William Goddard Son Un. aged 27 Blacksmith born Somerset Holton
Jane Goddard Daugh. Un. aged 22 born Somerset Holton
Mary Goddard Daugh. Un. aged 19 Dressmaker born Somerset Holton
Frances Ann Goddard Daugh Un. aged 15 born Somerset Holton
John Goddard Son Un. aged 15 Blacksmith born Somerset Holton
Edward C. Goddard Son aged 11 born Somerset Holton

Esther probably died in the December quarter 1862. In the 1871 census we find that Nathaniel has remarried.

1871 Census for Holton Somerset

Nathaniel Goddard Head M. aged 61 Blacksmith employing two men born Dorset Bourton
Ann Goddard Wife M. aged 59 born Somerset Temple Coombe
Charles Goddard Son Un. aged 21 Blacksmith born Somerset Holton

Nathaniel is not found in the 1881 census. Ann Goddard is found to be a widow. Nathaniel died on the 1st February 1875 aged 65 years.

The Will of Nathaniel Goddard

This is the last will and testament of me Nathaniel Goddard of the Parish of Holton in the county of Somerset I hereby give and devise unto my wife Ann and my son Charles all my trade implements and stock in trade and joint share in the business during my wife's life and after her decease I devise the same to my son Charles absolutely I also give and devise to my wife and my son Charles my orchard at High Holton during the life of my said wife and also give and devise to my said wife during her life the interest in all my personal estate and effects monies securities for ----- household goods and furniture subject nevertheless to the payment of all my debts funeral costs expenses and charges of proving my will and after my wife's decease I give and devise to all my children my freehold estate and all my personal property to be divided equally between them share and share alike and I hereby revoke all other wills by me in my time ----- made and declare this to be my last will and testament and I do hereby nominate --- and appoint my son William and John Barnet Loader the executors of this my will on this third day of August 1869 Nathaniel Goddard signed published and declared by the said Nathaniel Goddard the testator as --- for his last will and testament in the presence of us who in his presence at his request and in the presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses Charles Plucknet-Gilmour Godfrey

Proved at Soubow? 15th May 1875 by the ----- of William Goddard the son and John Barnard (in the will called Barnet)) Loader the executors to who----- was granted.

On the 15th day of May 1875 the will of Nathaniel Goddard late of Holton county of Somerset Blacksmith deceased, who died on the 1st of February 1875 at Holton aforesaid was proved in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, by oath's of William Goddard of Stour Pain in the County of Dorset, Dairyman the son and John Barnard (in the will called Barnet) Loader of Wincanton in the said County of Somerset Linen Draper.

Effects under £800.00.

No Freeholds.

1881 Census for Holton Somerset

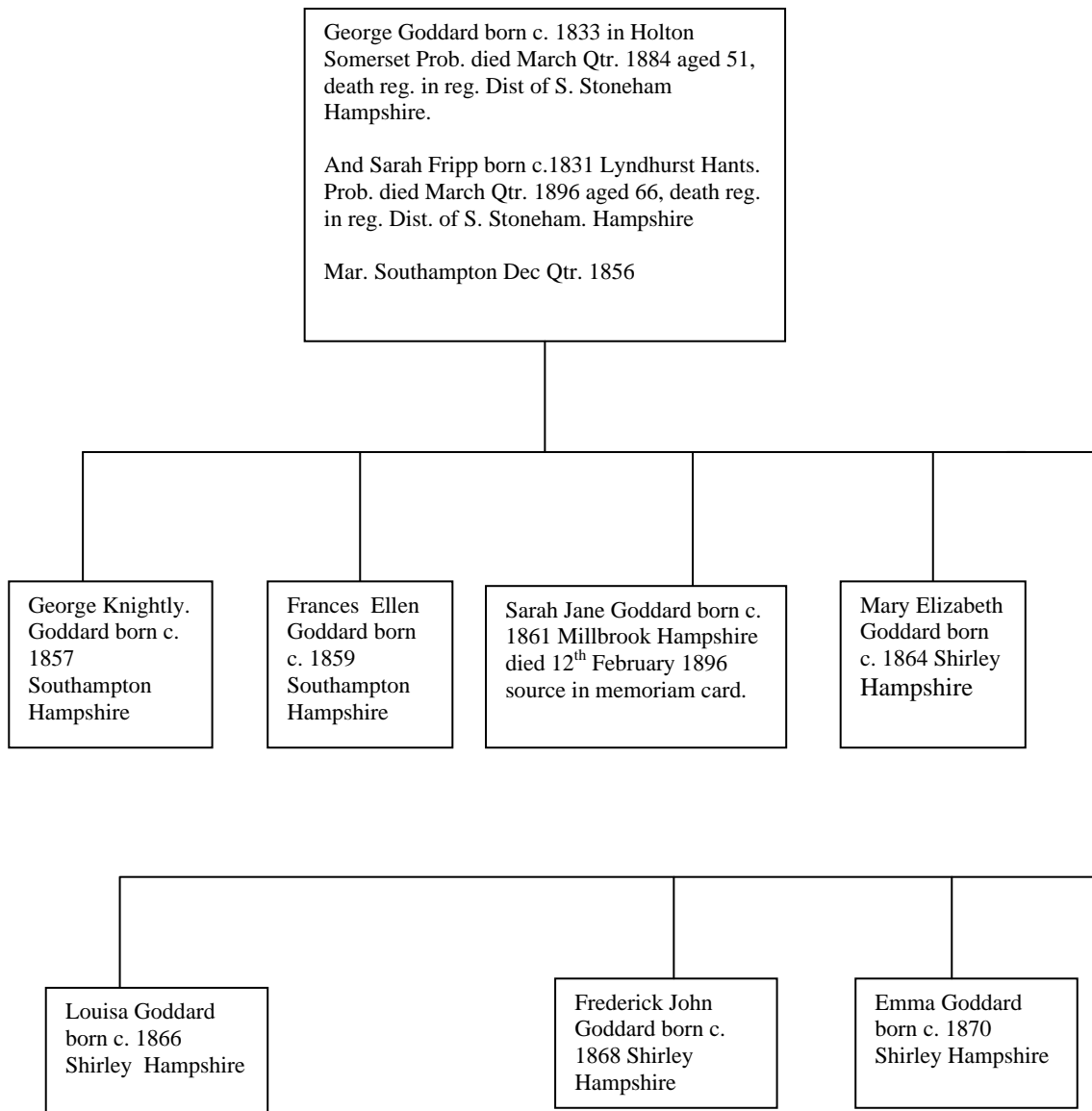
Blacksmith

Ann Goddard Head Wid. Aged 69 born Somerset Temple Coombe
Edward C. Goddard Son-in-Law (*stepson?*) Un. aged 31 Blacksmith, employing one man. Born Somerset Holton

Ann Goddard is not found in the 1891 census. There is a death for an Ann Goddard aged 71 registered in Wincanton in the March quarter 1883.

Now I will attempt to track Nathaniel's children through the various censuses.

George son of Nathaniel and Frances Goddard of Holton



By the time of the 1861 census we see that George has left Somerset and is a Carpenter living in Millbrook Hampshire. He married Sarah Fripp in 1856 in Southampton.

1861 Census for Hampshire Millbrook

Grove Terrace

George Goddard Head M. aged 28 Carpenter born Somerset Holton
 Sarah Goddard Wife M. aged 30 born Hants Lyndhurst
 George H. Goddard Son Un. aged 4 born Hants Southampton
 Frances Goddard Daugh. Un. aged 2 born Hants Southampton
 Sarah Goddard Daugh. aged 2 months born Hants Millbrook
 ? Fripp Visitor Wid. Aged 60 born Hants Lyndhurst.
 1871 Census for Hampshire Millbrook
 7, Station Road

1871 Census for Hampshire Millbrook

George Goddard Head M. aged 37 Carpenter born Somerset Holton
Sarah Goddard Wife M. aged 39 Carpenter's wife born Hants Lyndhurst
George Goddard Son Un. aged 14 born Hants Southampton
Ellen Goddard Daugh. aged 12 born Hants Southampton
Jane Goddard Daugh aged 10 born Hants Southampton
Mary Goddard Daugh. aged 7 born Hants Shirley
Louisa Goddard Daugh. aged 5 born Hants Shirley
Frederick Goddard Son aged 3 born Hants Shirley
Emma Goddard Daugh. aged 1 born Hants Shirley
Martin Mills Lodger Un. aged 29 Dairyman born Somerset Wilmington?

There is a little bit of confusion in this census. We have Ellen 12 and Jane 2 months. Their ages equate to them being Frances and Sarah on the 1861 census!

1881 Census for Hampshire Millbrook

1, Church Street

George Goddard Head M. aged 48 Carpenter born Somerset Holton
Sarah Goddard Wife M. aged 50 born Hants Lyndhurst
George Knightly Goddard Son Un. aged 24 Blacksmith born Hants Shirley
Emma Goddard Daugh. aged 13 Scholar born Hants Shirley

George Goddard senior was not found in the 1891 census, Sarah is a widow. There is a death registered in the registration district of South Stoneham for a George Goddard aged 51 in the March quarter 1884.

1891 Census for Hampshire Millbrook

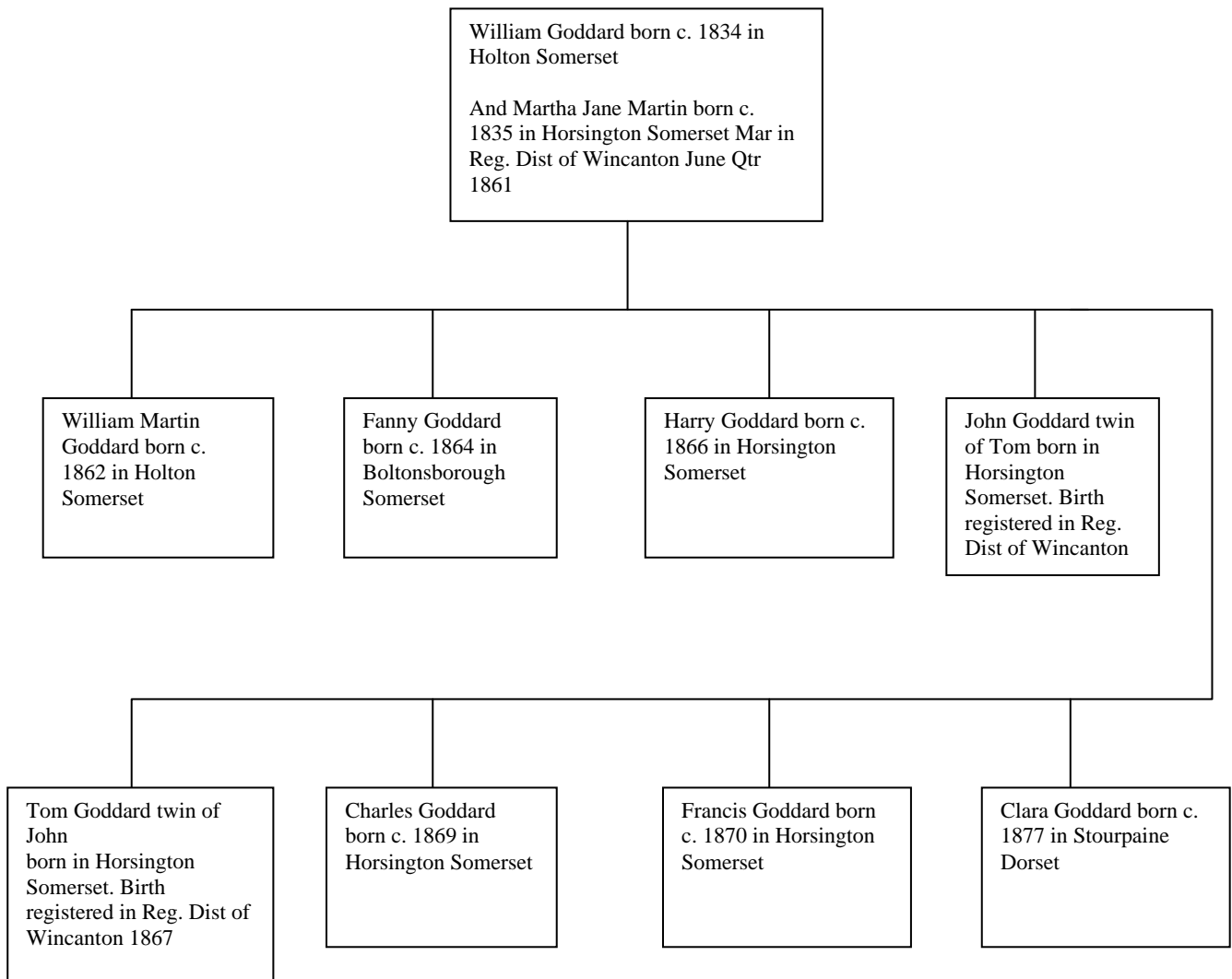
Sarah Goddard Head Wid. Aged 60 born Hants Shirley
Frederick J. Goddard Son S. aged 23 Cow keeper Dairyman born Hants Shirley
Emma Goddard Daugh. S. aged 21 Dressmaker born Hants Shirley

Sarah wasn't found in the 1901 census. There is a death registered in the registration district of South Stoneham for a Sarah Goddard aged 66 in March quarter 1896.

I won't expand here on the family of George and Sarah Goddard. This needs to be done in the county of Hampshire.

So that concludes George Goddard born in Holton.

William son of Nathaniel and Frances Goddard of Holton



By the time of the 1871 census William Goddard is a farmer of 31 acres of land and married to Martha Jane nee Martin who was born in Horsington in Somerset.

1871 Census for Somerset Horsington

Physic Well

William Goddard Head M. aged 37 Farmer of 31 acres born Somerset Holton
Jane Goddard Wife M. aged 36 Farmers wife born Somerset Horsington
Martin Goddard Son aged 9 Scholar born Somerset Holton
Fanny Goddard Daugh aged 7 Scholar born Somerset Boltonsborough
Harry Goddard Son aged 5 Scholar born Somerset Boltonsborough
John Goddard Son aged 3 born Somerset Horsington
Tom Goddard Son aged 3 born Somerset Horsington
Charles Goddard Son aged 2 born Somerset Horsington
Francis Goddard Son aged 9 months born Somerset Horsington
Charlotte Fox Visitor Mar. Poss. Aged? Annuitant born N.K.

1881 Census for Dorset Bryanstone

The Dairy House

William Goddard Head M. aged 47 Dairyman born Somerset Holton
Martha Goddard Wife M. aged 46 born Somerset Horsington
William M. Goddard Son Un. aged 19 born Somerset Holton
Fanny Goddard Daugh aged 17 born Somerset Boltonsborough
Harry Goddard Son Un aged 15 born Somerset Horsington?
John Goddard Son aged 13 Scholar born Somerset Horsington
Tom Goddard Son aged 13 Scholar born Somerset Horsington
Charles Goddard Son aged 12 Scholar born Somerset Horsington
Francis Goddard Son aged 10 Scholar born Horsington
Clara M. Goddard Daugh aged 4 born Dorset Stourpaine

1891 Census for Dorset Bryanstone

The Dairy

William Goddard Head M. aged 57 Dairyman born Somerset Holton
Martha J. Goddard Wife M. aged 56 born Somerset Horsington
Fanny Goddard Daugh S. aged 27 born Somerset Boltonsborough
Charles Goddard Son S. aged 22 Dairyman's son born Somerset Horsington
Frank Goddard Son S. aged 20 Dairyman's son born Somerset Horsington
Clara M. Goddard Daugh aged 14 Scholar born Dorset Stourpaine
Walter Upward Boarder S. aged 13 Dairyman's Labourer born Dorset

1901 Census for Somerset Shepton Montague

Stoney Stoke

William Goddard Head M aged 67 Farmer. Employer born Somerset Holton
Martha Goddard Wife M aged 66 born Somerset Horsington
Charles Goddard Son S aged 32 born Somerset Horsington
Francis C. Croom Grand son aged 6 born Somerset Hilmesden?
Charles Knight S. aged 16 Farm Labourer born Somerset North Bewham

Ann Daughter of Nathaniel and Rachel Goddard of Holton

Ann disappeared between the 1861 and 1871 census. Now I know why. I had the following in an email from Annette in Australia a descendent of Ann's. When I have more information on Ann I will expand her history.

Ann Goddard

Born 4th September 1837

in Holton Somerset

And William Thomas

Born 11th December 1842

in Creech St Michael Somerset

they married 11th January 1863 at St Jude's Bristol

and immigrated to Australia the same year arriving in Port Phillip Victoria aboard the ship called "Clara" in April 1863 their first two children were born in Victoria and the other seven children were born in New South Wales Australia.

William Thomas died on the 9th September 1918 at Wagga Wagga NSW Australia.

Ann died on the 11th August 1926 at Tootool they are both buried at the Wagga Wagga Cemetery.

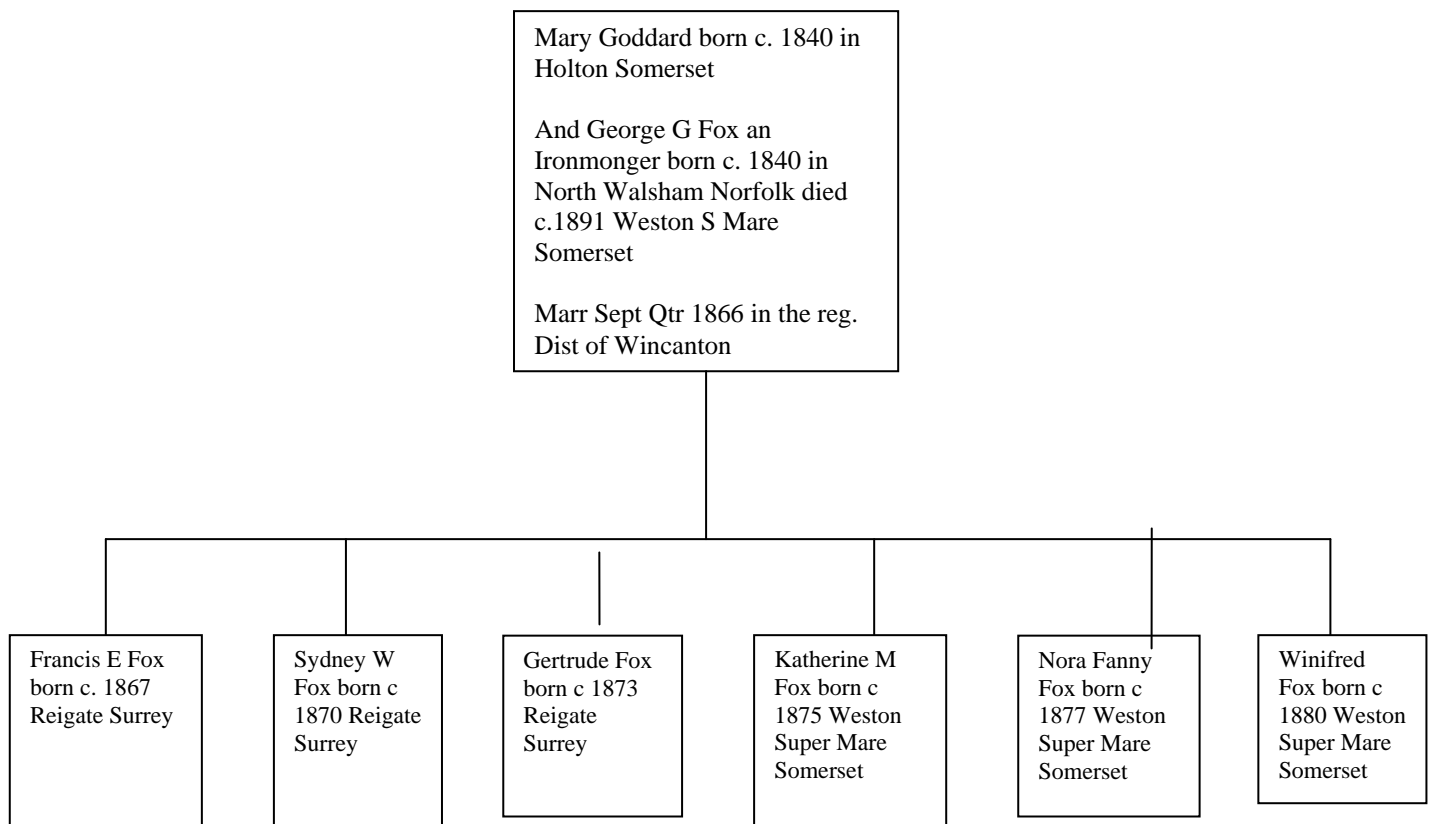


Ann Goddard, the girl in the middle of the photograph, with her father Nathaniel Goddard and her siblings. Kindly contributed by, Annette in Australia.

Jane daughter of Nathaniel and Rachel Goddard of Holton

Jane wasn't found in the 1871 census and I have been unable to find a marriage for her on Free BMD. Therefore I can't proceed any further with Jane.

Mary daughter of Nathaniel and Rachel Goddard



1871 Census for Reigate in Surrey

George Fox Head M aged 31 Ironmonger's Asst born Norfolk North Walsham
Mary Fox Wife M aged 27 born Somerset Holton
Francis E Fox Son aged 3 born Surrey Reigate
Sydney W Fox Son aged 1 born Surrey Reigate

1881 Census for Somerset Weston super Mare

George Fox Head M aged 42 Ironmonger Emp. 6 Men and 5 Boys born Norfolk North Walsham
Mary Fox Wife M aged 38 born Holton
Francis G Fox Son aged 13 Scholar born Surrey Reigate
Sydney W Fox Son aged 11 Scholar born Surrey Reigate
Gertrude Fox Daugh aged 8 Born Somerset Weston super Mare
Katherine M Fox Daugh aged 6 born Somerset Weston super Mare
Katherine M Fox Daugh, aged 6 born Somerset Weston super Mare
Nora F Fox Daugh aged 4 born Somerset Weston super Mare
Winifred I Fox Daugh aged 1 born Somerset Weston super Mare
Sarah Madge Serv. Aged 14 Gen. Serv. Born Somerset Uphill

1891 Census for Somerset Weston super Mare

Mary Fox Head Widow Ironmonger born Somerset Holton
Francis G Fox Son S aged 23 Ironmonger's Asst. born Surrey Reigate
Sydney W Fox Son S aged 21 Ironmonger's Asst born Surrey Reigate
Gertrude D Fox Daugh S aged 19 Draper's Asst. born Somerset Weston super Mare
Katherine M Fox Daugh S aged 16 Scholar born Somerset Weston super Mare
Fanny Norah Daugh aged 14 Scholar born Somerset Weston super Mare
Winifred I Fox Daugh aged 11 Scholar born Somerset Weston super Mare

1901 Census for Somerset Upton Noble

Mary has retired and is found living with two of her daughters

High Street

Mary Fox Head Widow aged 58 Retired Ironmonger born Somerset Holton
Katherine M Fox Daugh S aged 26 born Somerset Weston super Mare
Winifred Fox Daugh S aged 21 Draper's assistant Worker born Somerset Weston super Mare

1901 Census for Weston super Mare

Francis is now married and has possibly taken over the family business

Corner Villa

Francis G Fox Head M aged 33 Ironmonger Shop Keeper born Surrey Reigate
Alice Fox Wife M aged 30 born Derbyshire Ripley
George F Fox aged 2 born Somerset Weston super Mare
Alice J Rockley Serv S aged 4 Gen. Serv. Dom. Born Gloucestershire Moreton in the Marsh

1901 Census for St Pancras Grey's Inn Lane

16 Regent Square
Sydney is found living in one room in London
Sydney W Fox Head S aged 31 Ironmonger's Assistant born Surrey Reigate
This leaves Gertrude and Norah outstanding.
Gertrude wasn't found in the 1901 census and I have found no marriage or death for her.

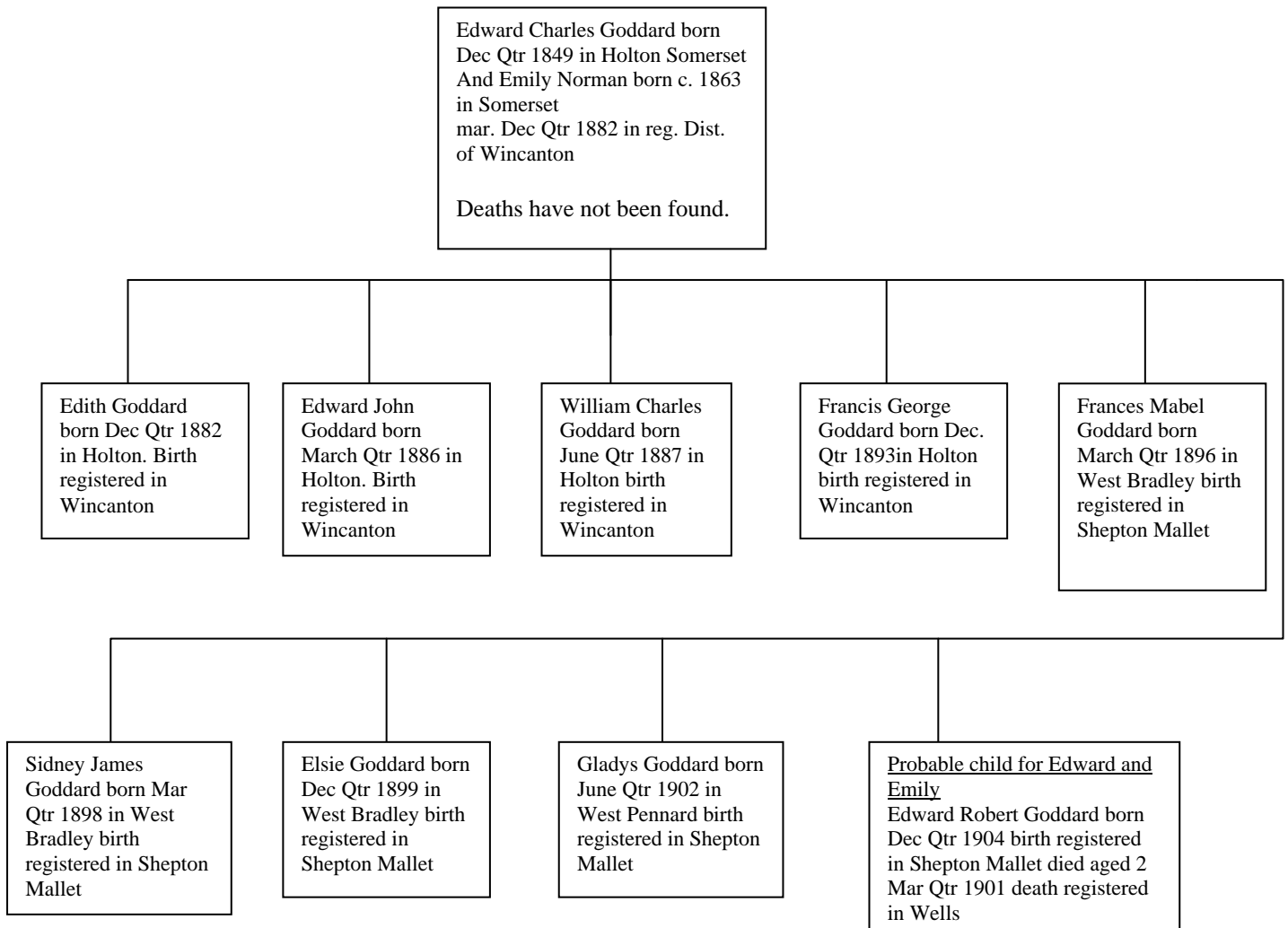
1901 Census for Wiltshire Chippenham

1 Market Place

Norah F Fox Boarder S aged 24 Draper's Cashier born Somerset Weston super Mare

Norah is a boarder in the home of Walter J Hiscock a? Dairyman

Edward Charles Goddard son of Nathaniel and Esther Goddard of Holton



When I had prepared this family for typing I checked Free BMD and found what I thought might be two more children born after the 1901 census. Births for Gladys and Edward registered in Shepton Mallet and a death for an Edward of the right age in Wells.

A check of the 1911 census proved that Edward and Emily did have a daughter Gladys born after the 1901 census but not a son Edward. The census also told me that they had had nine children and two had died, seven were living. In 1891 they had a son named Edward J. aged 5 who was not found in the 1901 census. In the future another member might want to research this more thoroughly.

In 1881 Edward Charles Goddard is still living at home with Ann his widowed stepmother.

1891 Census for Somerset Holton

Edward C. Goddard Head M. aged 41 Blacksmith born Somerset Holton
Emily Goddard Wife M. aged 28 born Somerset
Edith D. Goddard Daugh aged 8 Scholar born Somerset Holton
Edward J. Goddard Son aged 5 Scholar born Somerset Holton
William C. Goddard Son aged 3 born Somerset Holton

1901 Census for Somerset West Bradley

Edward Goddard Head M. aged 51 Blacksmith Worker born Somerset Holton
Emily Goddard Wife M aged 38 born Somerset Bratton St?
William Charles Goddard Son aged 13 born Somerset Holton
Francis George Roger Goddard Son aged 7 born Somerset Holton
Frances Mabel Goddard Daugh aged 5 born Somerset West Bradley
Sidney James Goddard Son aged 3 born Somerset West Bradley
Elsie Goddard Daugh aged 1 born Somerset West Bradley.

1911 Census for Somerset Glastonbury

Edward Charles Goddard Head aged 61 Blacksmith general cart and wagon maker Worker born Somerset Holton
Emily Goddard Wife aged 48 married 29 years. Total children born alive 9. Children still living 7. Children who have died 2. Born Somerset
Roger Goddard Son aged 17 Single Wheelwright cart and wagon maker. Worker born Somerset St Mar.
Sidney Goddard Son aged 13 School born Somerset West Pennard
Elsie Goddard Daughter aged 11 School born Somerset West Pennard
Gladys Goddard Daughter aged 8 born Somerset West Pennard.

I find that the family of Nathaniel Goddard (who came to the area from Dorset) is the only one in Holton during the census period 1841-1901. I did however find one marriage on the Holton Genealogy website.

1602 November the 1st John Goddard to Margery Noelle. Parish records need to be read in the future.

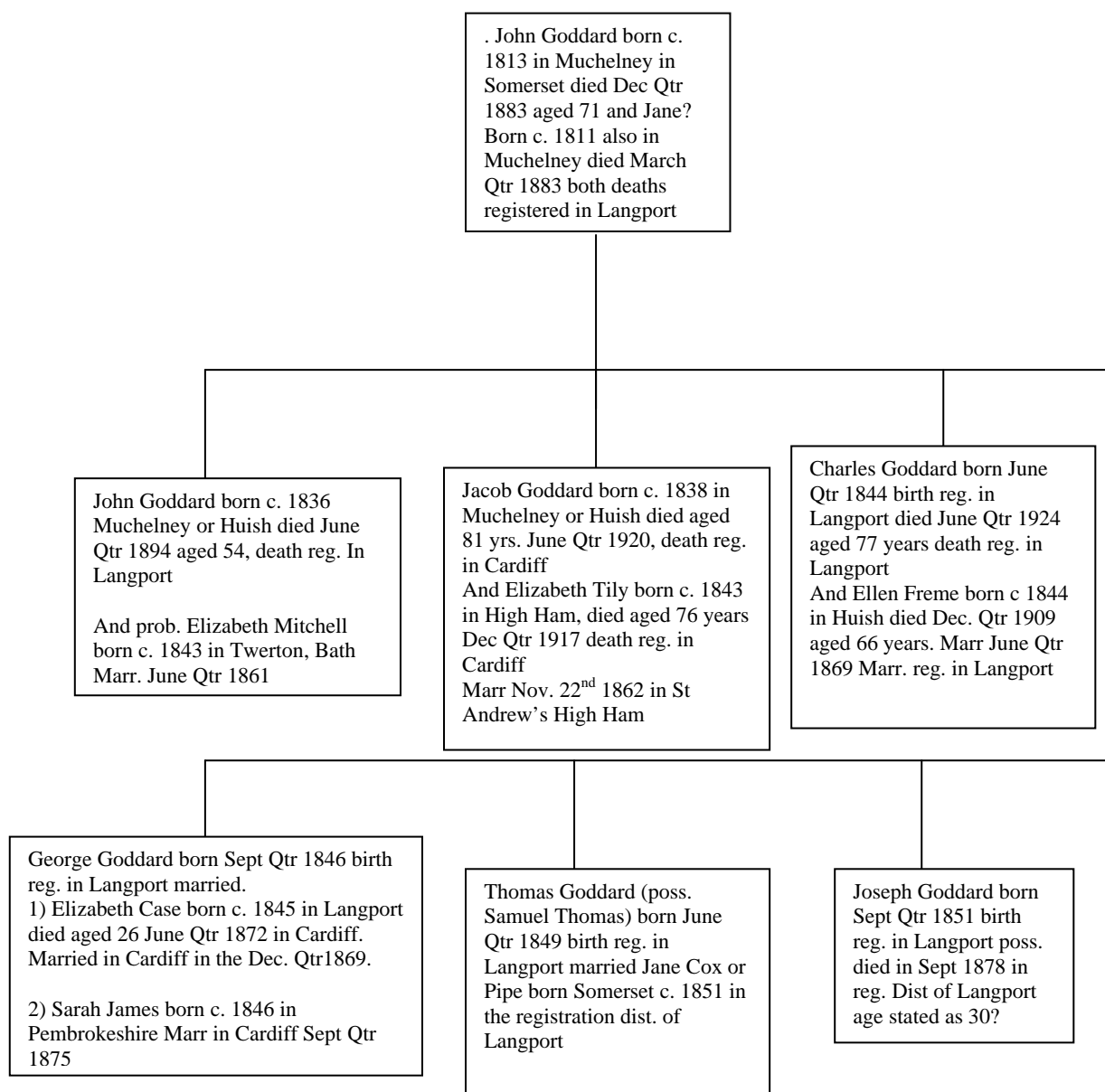
This completes Holton in Somerset

Huish Episcopi

HUIISH EPISCOPI, a parish in the E. division of the hundred of Kingsbury, county Somerset, half a mile E. of Langport, its post town, and 7½ miles S.E. of Bridgwater. It is situated at the confluence of the rivers Yeo and Parret, and on the high road from Crewkerne to Langport. It contains the villages of Langport, Westover, Coombe, Paradise, Pepsbury, and Wearne. The church, dedicated to St. Mary

I found John Goddard, born in Muchelney in Somerset, living in Huish Episcopi in the 1851 census. I was unable to find the family in 1841, although John would already have been married with at least one child, possibly two.

John Goddard of Huish Episcopi and Muchelney



6 Children have been found for John and Jane and I first found him in the 1851 census.

1851 Census for Somerset Huish Episcopi.

John Goddard Head M aged 36 Ag. Lab born Somerset Muchelney
Jane Goddard Wife M aged 40 Glover born Somerset Muchelney
John Goddard Son aged 15 born Somerset Muchelney
Jacob Goddard Son aged 13 born Somerset Muchelney
Charles Goddard Son aged 7 born Somerset Muchelney
George Goddard Son aged 5 born Somerset Muchelney
Thomas Goddard Son aged 2 born Somerset Muchelney

1861 Census for Somerset Huish Episcopi

John Goddard Head M aged 48 Ag Lab born Somerset Muchelney
Jane Goddard Wife M aged 50 born Somerset Muchelney
Thomas Goddard Son aged 12 Ag Lab born Somerset Huish
Joseph Goddard Son aged 10 Scholar born Somerset Huish

1871 Census for Somerset Huish Episcopi

John Goddard Head M aged 57 Ag Lab born Somerset Muchelney
Jane Goddard Wife M aged 59 born Somerset Muchelney
Joseph Goddard Son S Un aged 20 born Somerset Huish Episcopi

In the 1871 census Jane is entered as Ann who is then crossed out and Jane added.

Joseph wasn't found in the 1881 census. There is a death in the September quarter in the registration district of Langport of a Joseph Goddard aged 30. The age is not correct from the other information that I have but I have found only the one Joseph Goddard in the area.

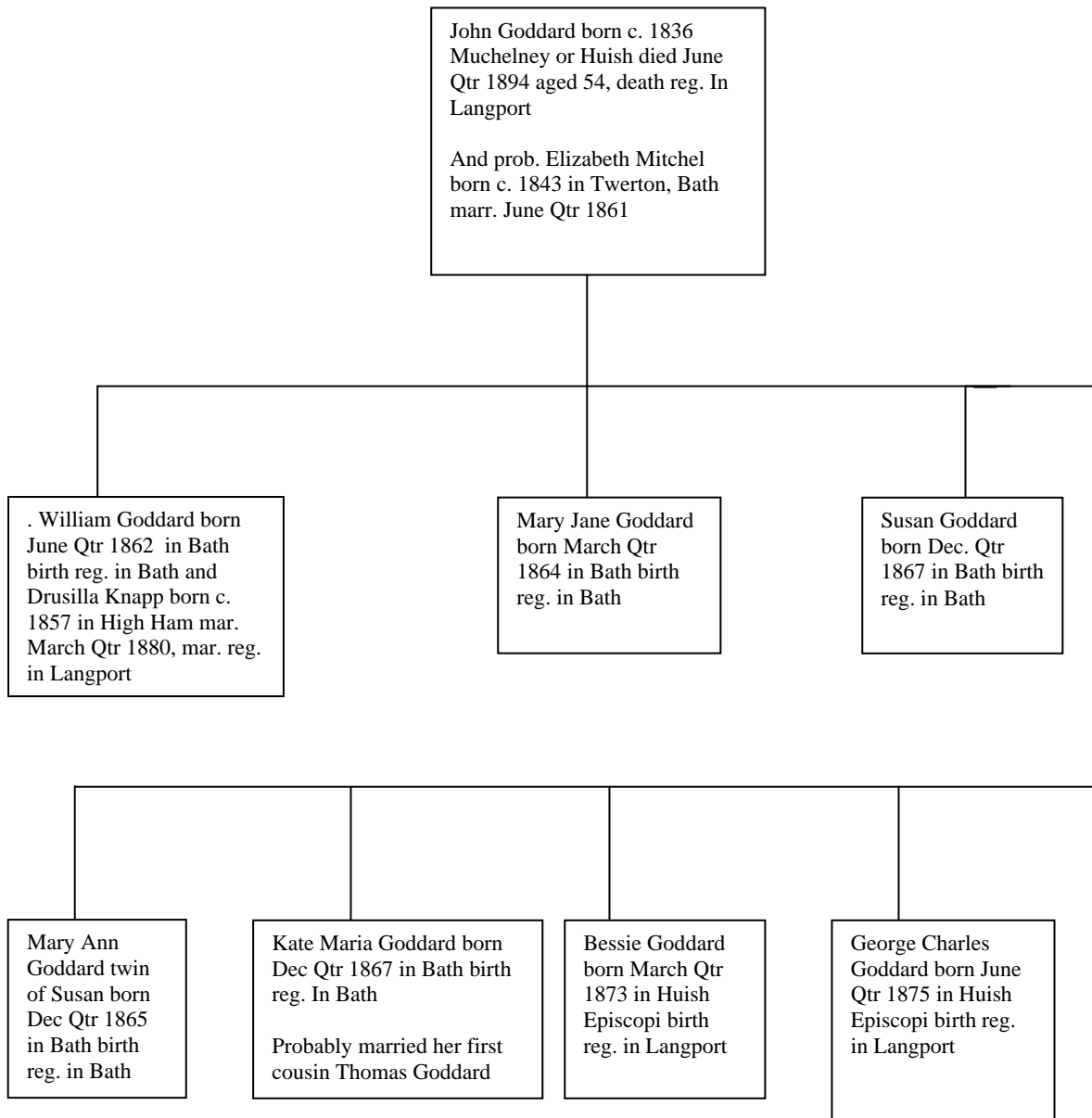
1881 Census for Somerset Huish Episcopi

John Goddard Head M aged 67 F. Lab born Somerset Muchelney
Ann Goddard Wife M aged 69 born Somerset Muchelney.

John and Jane both died in 1883 aged 71 and 73 years respectively. Their deaths were registered in Langport so they would have probably died in Huish Episcopi.

I will now attempt to expand on John and Jane's six sons.

John Son of John and Jane Goddard



John slipped through the net in the 1861 census.

In 1871 he is living in Lynchcombe and Widcombe is married to Elizabeth and has five children all born in Bath. They have a set of twins and two daughters named Mary which I found a little odd.

1871 Census for Somerset Lynchcombe and Widcombe

4 St David's Place

John Goddard Head M. aged 29 Masons Lab born Somerset Huish
Elizabeth Goddard Wife M aged 27 Laundress born Somerset Twerton
William Goddard Son aged 8 Scholar born Somerset Bath
Mary J Goddard Daugh aged 8 Scholar born Somerset Bath
Susan Goddard Daugh aged 5 Scholar born Somerset Bath
Mary A Goddard Daugh aged 5 scholar born Somerset Bath
Kate Goddard Daugh aged 3 born Somerset Bath

1881 Census for East Somerset Langport Eastover

North Street

John Goddard Head M aged 41 Gen. Lab. born Somerset Muchelney
Elizabeth Goddard Wife M aged 38 Emp.? Born Somerset Twerton
Mary A Goddard Daugh aged 15 Dom. Serv. Born Somerset Bath
R (Kate)? M Goddard Daugh aged 12 Scholar born Somerset Bath
Bessie Goddard Daugh aged 8 born Somerset Huish Episcopi
George Goddard Son aged 5 Scholar born Somerset Huish Episcopi

Kate is not found with the family in 1891. She probably married her first cousin Thomas Goddard in the December quarter 1889. The marriage was registered in Langport. Kate Maria had one and maybe two children before the marriage. See Thomas son of Charles and Ellen Goddard.

1891 Census for East Somerset Langport

North Street living in three rooms

John Goddard Head M aged 52 Gen. Lab. born Somerset Muchelney
Elizabeth Goddard Wife M aged 48 born Somerset Bath
Mary A Goddard S aged 26 born Somerset Bath
George Goddard S aged 15 Gen. Lab. born Somerset Huish
Alice Goddard granddaughter aged 3 born Somerset Langport

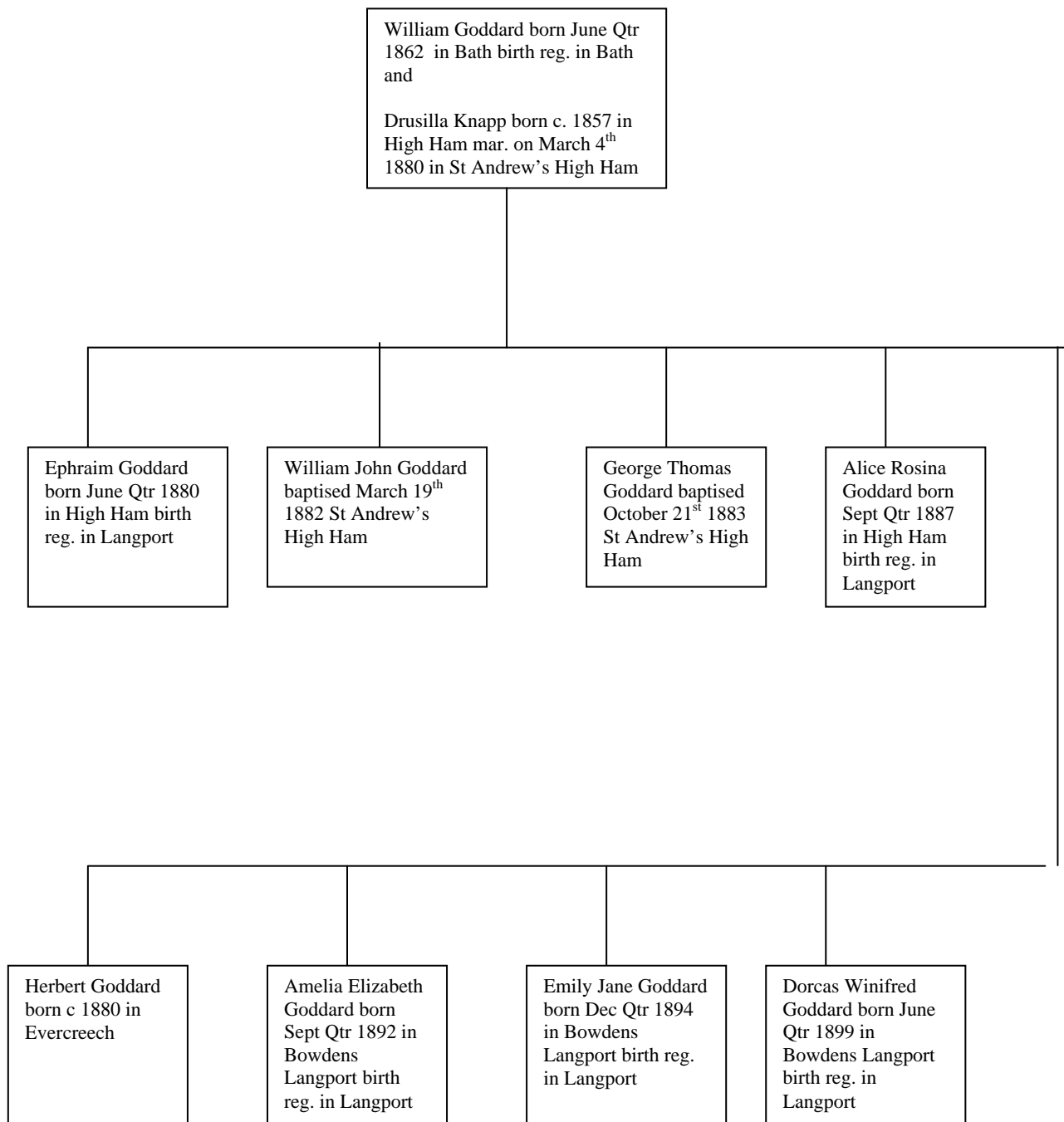
John wasn't found in the 1901 census and Elizabeth is a widow. There is a death in the registration district of Langport in the June quarter 1894 of John Goddard aged 54 years. I think it is safe to say this is the same John.

1901 Census for Somerset Huish Episcopi

Living in two rooms

Elizabeth Goddard Head widow aged 56 Laundress Worker At Home born Somerset Bath
Mary or May Goddard granddaughter aged 6 born Curry Rivel.

William son of John and Elizabeth Goddard



William married very young at around 19 years of age. He married Drusilla Knapp in the registration district of Langport in the March quarter 1880 the birth of their first son Ephraim followed very swiftly in the June quarter 1880. I was confident I had the right marriage when I found in the 1881 census that Henry Thomas Knap William's stepson was living with the young couple.

It threw me a little when in the 1881 census William's place of birth was given as Langport when he had been born in Bath and he is transcribed as William P Goddard. In the 1891 census he gives his place of birth as Bath.

1881 census for Somerset Huish Episcopi

Bowdens

William Thomas Goddard Head M aged 19 Ag. Lab. born Somerset Langport
Drusilla Goddard Wife M aged 24 born Somerset High Ham
Henry Thomas Knapp step-son aged 7 born Somerset High Ham
Ephraim Goddard Son aged 1 born Somerset High Ham

1891 Census for Somerset Huish Episcopi

William Goddard head M aged 28 Farm Carter born Somerset Bath
Lucilla Goddard Wife M aged 34 born Somerset High Ham
Ephraim Goddard Son aged 11 Scholar born Somerset High Ham
William Goddard Son aged 9 Scholar born Somerset High Ham
George Goddard Son aged 7 born Somerset High Ham
Alice Goddard Daugh aged 4 born Somerset?
Herbert Goddard Son aged 1 born Somerset Evercreech

1901 Census for Huish Episcopi

Thomas Goddard Head M aged 40 Carter on Farm born Somerset Bath
Drusilla Goddard Wife M aged 42 born Somerset High Ham
William Goddard Son S aged 19 born Somerset High Ham
Alice Goddard Daugh S aged 13 born Somerset Shepton Mallet
Herbert Goddard Son aged 11 born Somerset Shepton Mallet
Amelia Goddard Daugh aged 8 born Somerset Bowdens Langport
Emily Goddard Daugh aged 6 born Somerset Bowdens Langport
Winifred Goddard Daugh aged 1 born Somerset Bowdens Langport.

George isn't found with the family in the 1901 census. He was found in Wales, a boarder, living in the home of? Evans (female), who is head of the household. Her daughter Beatrice Purnell is married to Solomon Purnell who is from Kingsbury Episcopi.

1901 Census for Glamorgan Ystrydfodwg. **(A Coal mining area of Glamorgan)*

George Goddard Boarder S aged 18 Labourer born Somerset Langport.

*George's grandmother Elizabeth was born in Twerton as was my husband's great grandfather Isaac Clarke. Until I researched this branch of my husband's family I was unaware that coal was mined in the Bath area. The Clarke family moved to Wales to work in the mining industry.

Jacob son of John and Jane Goddard

Jacob wasn't found in the 1861 census. He married Elizabeth Tilly on the 22nd November 1862 in St Andrew's High Ham and sometime before 1871 the couple moved to Wales, living the rest of their lives in the Llandough/Cogan area which is just outside Cardiff. They had no children but brought up their nephew William Goddard who was born in Huish. Young William is three in the 1881 census so no way of knowing which of Jacob's siblings he was born to.

1871 Census for Glamorgan Cogan

Jacob Goddard Head M aged 31 Railway Platelayer born Somerset Muchelney
Elizabeth Goddard Wife M aged 28 Laundress born Somerset High Ham

1881 Census for Glamorgan Llandough Juxta Cogan

Jacob Goddard head M aged 42 Gen. Lab. born Somerset Huish
Elizabeth Goddard Wife M aged 37 born Somerset High Ham
William Goddard Nephew aged 3 born Somerset Huish
Richard Richards Boarder Un aged 34 Gen. Lab. born Pembrokeshire Narbeth

1891 Census for Llandough

Jacob Goddard Head M aged 53 Gen. Lab. born Somerset Langport
Elizabeth Goddard Wife M aged 50 born Somerset High Ham
William Goddard Nephew aged 13 Tailor's Apprentice born Somerset Huish
George Harley Lodger S aged 18 Railway? Born Somerset Clevedon

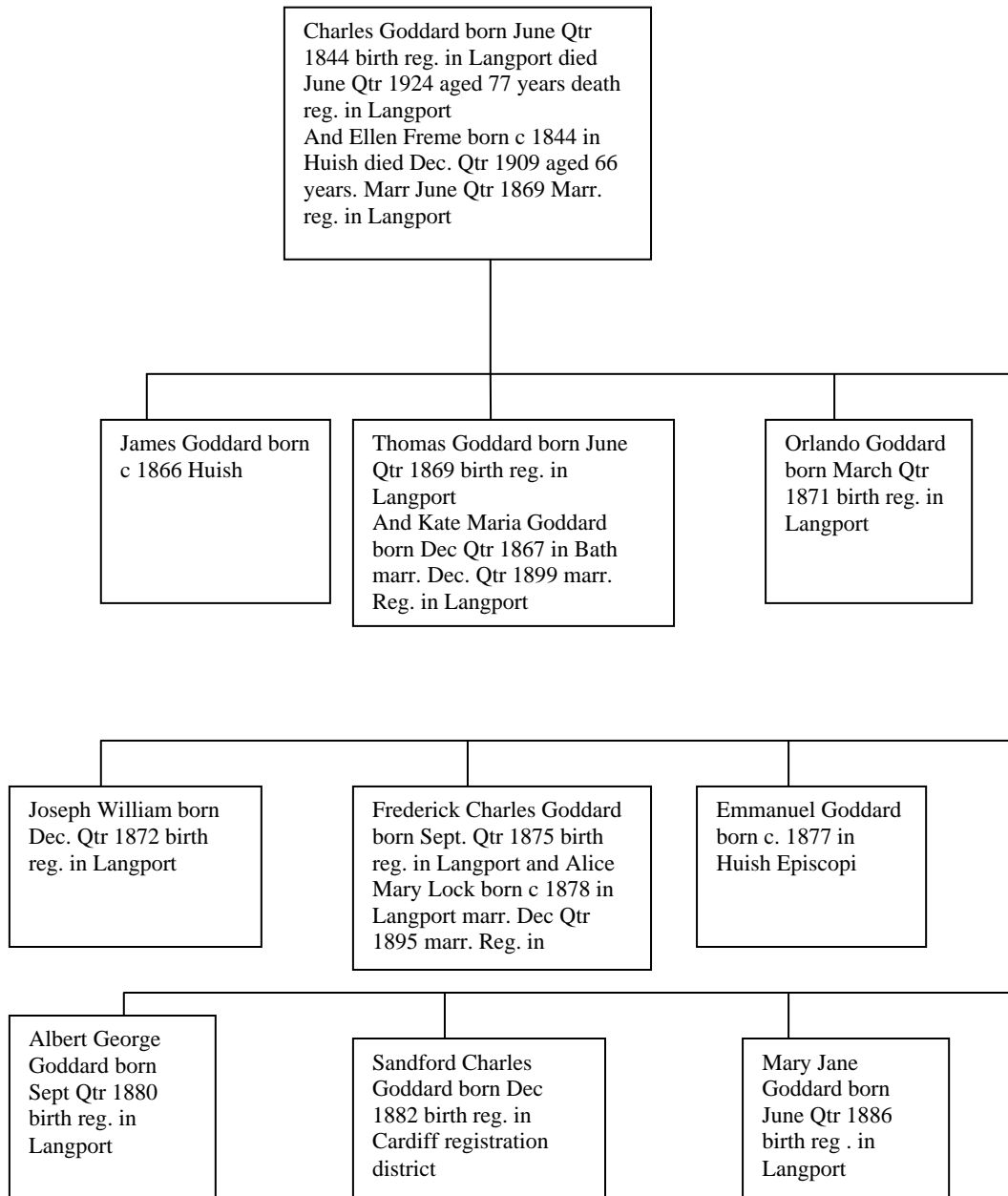
1901 Census for Glamorgan Cogan

Jacob Goddard Head M aged 63 Road Lab. PUDC born Somerset Muchelney
Elizabeth Goddard Wife M aged 61 born Somerset High Ham
John Lewis Boarder S aged 61 Docks Lab. born Brecon
William Goddard Nephew S aged 23 Tailor born Somerset Langport

Jacob died aged 81 years in the June Qtr 1920 the death was registered in the registration district of Cardiff

Elizabeth died aged 76 years in the Dec quarter 1917 her death was also registered in the registration district of Cardiff.

Charles son of John and Jane Goddard



Charles married Ellen Freme in 1869, probably in Huish Episcopi. They appear to have spent a little time in the Cardiff area, probably near to Charles's brother Jacob as in the 1891 census it is said that their son Emmanuel was born in Cogan Pill, Wales, Glamorgan. In the 1881 census it states that he was born in Huish Episcopi? I didn't find a birth registered for Emmanuel on Free BMD. In 1891 they have an 8 year old son Sandford Charles Goddard aged 8 years born in Huish Episcopi. I found a birth for a Sandford Charles Goddard in the Cardiff registration district born December quarter 1882. All very confusing.

1861 Census for Somerset Huish Episcopi

Charles is found in the home of George Tilly who is a farmer of 69 acres employing 1 man and 1 boy. Tilly is the surname of Charles's sister-in-law Elizabeth who is married to his brother Jacob. I couldn't find Elizabeth Tilly in the 1851 census so was unable to confirm that this was in fact her family.

Charles Goddard Serv. Un aged 17 Carter born Somerset Huish.

1871 Census for High Ham

Picts Hill

Charles Goddard Head M aged 27 Lab born Somerset Langport

Ellen Goddard Wife M aged 27 born Somerset Huish

James Goddard Son aged 5 born Somerset Huish

Thomas Goddard Son aged 1 born Somerset Huish

Orlando Goddard Son aged 3 months born Somerset Huish

James Landford Lodger S aged 14 Lab. born Somerset Muchelney

James Goddard wasn't found after the 1871 census.

Orlando is not seen again

1881 Census for Somerset Huish Episcopi

The hamlet of Wagg

Charles Goddard Head M aged 36 F. Lab born Somerset Huish Episcopi

Ellen Goddard Wife M aged 36 born Somerset Bridgewater

Thomas Goddard Son aged 11 born Somerset Huish Episcopi

Joseph William Goddard Son aged 8 born Somerset Huish Episcopi

Frederick Charles Goddard Son aged 5 born Somerset Huish Episcopi

Emmanuel J Goddard Son aged 4 born Somerset Huish Episcopi

Albert George Goddard Son aged 9 months born Somerset Huish Episcopi

Albert wasn't found after the 1881 census.

1891 Census for High Ham

Picts Hill part of. Living in 4 rooms

Charles Goddard Head M aged 46 Lab. Farm born Somerset Huish Episcopi

Ellen Goddard Wife M aged 47 born Not Known

Joseph William Son S aged 18 Lab. Farm born Somerset Huish Episcopi

Frederick Goddard Son S aged 16 Lab. Farm born Somerset Huish Episcopi

Emmanuel J Goddard Son S aged 14 Lab. Farm born Glam. Cogan Pill Wales

Mary Jane Goddard Daugh aged 5 Scholar born Somerset Huish Episcopi

Sandford Charles Goddard Son aged 8 Scholar born Somerset Huish Episcopi

Joseph wasn't found in the 1901 census

Emmanuel isn't with his family in 1901. He married Mary Jane Sams who was born in Somerton Somerset c.1880 in the March quarter 1901 and in the 1901 census they were living in 4 rooms in Huish Episcopi. Emmanuel's occupation was a Nurseryman's labourer.

1901 Census for Somerset High Ham

Living in 4 rooms

Charles Goddard Head M aged 56 Lab. born Somerset Huish
Ellen Goddard Wife M aged 57 born Not Known
Sandford Goddard Son aged 15 Labourer Nurseryman born Glam. Wales
Mary J Goddard Daugh aged 15 born Somerset High Ham

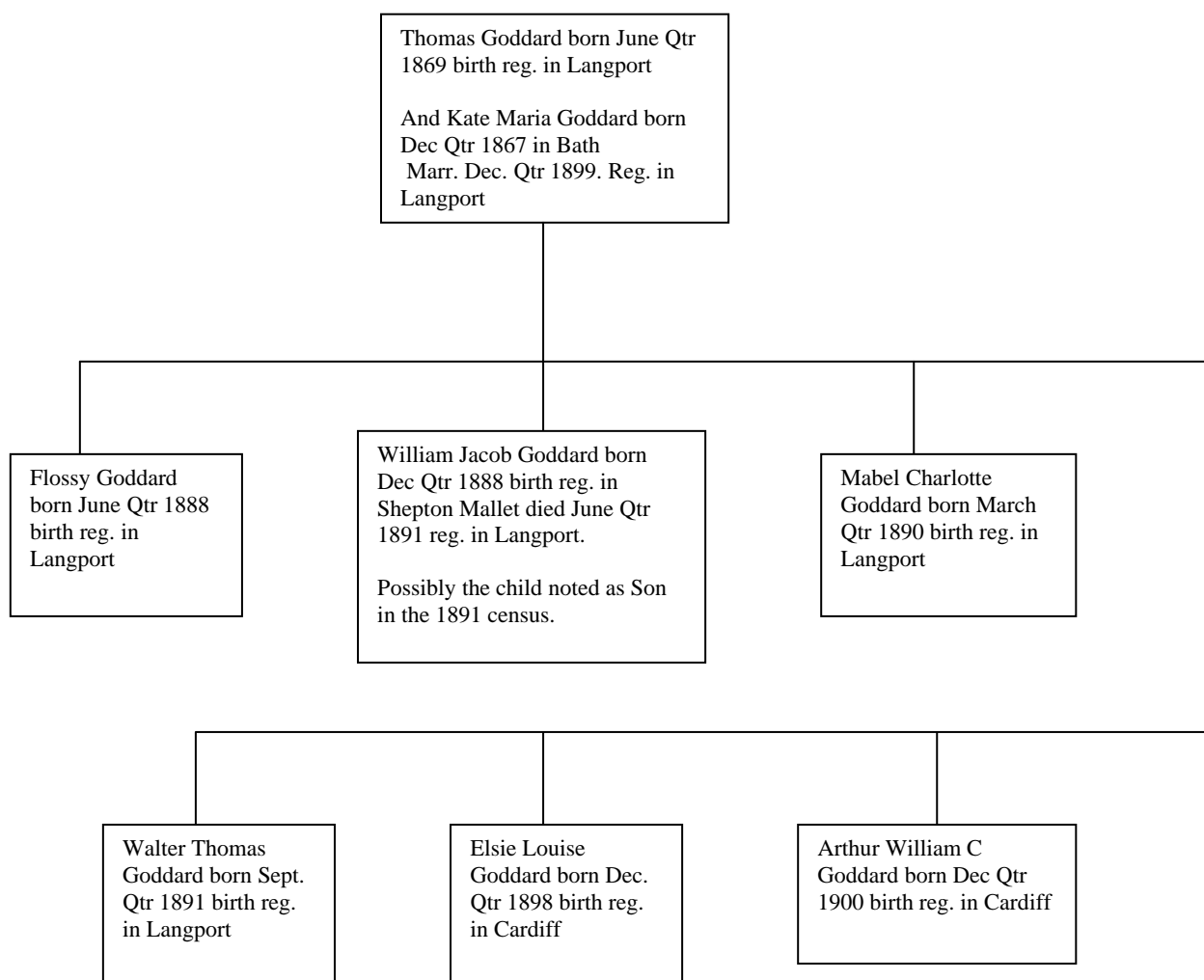
Frederick is not with his parents Charles and Ellen in the 1901 census. He married Alice Mary Lock in the December quarter 1895. They had two children Ernest Charles Goddard born September quarter 1897 and Ella Ellen Goddard born March quarter 1900. Both were born in Huish Episcopi and their births were registered in the registration district of Langport. In the 1901 census the young couple were living next door to Frederick's parents in three rooms.

There is a marriage in the September quarter 1905 in the registration district of Langport of Sandford Charles Goddard to Eliza Jane Squire.

There is also a marriage in Langport for Mary Goddard to Gilbert Newbury in the September quarter 1901. The 1911 census will confirm if this is Mary, above.

Thomas son of Charles and Ellen Goddard

There is a marriage on Free BMD in the Langport registration district of Thomas Goddard to Kate Goddard in the December quarter 1889. At first I felt this could be an inputting error but on thinking about it I referred back to the tree and realised that it was highly likely that Thomas had married his first cousin Kate Maria Goddard the daughter of John, brother of Thomas's father Charles Goddard. In the 1891 census Thomas and Kate have a daughter Flossy Goddard. I note that Flossy was born in the June quarter 1888 the birth being registered in Langport. This birth was more than a year before the marriage. Also in the 1891 census they have a son aged 2 whose name reads as Willie Jusket born in Shepton Mallet. The closest I can get to this is William Jacob born December quarter 1888 in Shepton Mallet. This child died aged 2 in the June quarter 1891, the death being registered in Langport. Again this child was born before Thomas and Maria married. If the birth I have found is their son he must have been born prematurely as Flossy was registered in same year. As you will see, by 1901 this branch of the family has also moved to Cardiff.



1891 Census for Somerset High Ham

Picts Hill part of

Thomas Goddard Head M aged 22 Farm Lab. born Somerset Huish Episcopi
Kate Maria Goddard Wife M aged 23 born Somerset Bath
Flossy Goddard Daugh aged 3 born Somerset Langport
Charlotte Mabel Goddard Daugh aged 1 born Somerset Huish
Willie Jusket Goddard Sin aged 2 born Somerset Shepton Mallet

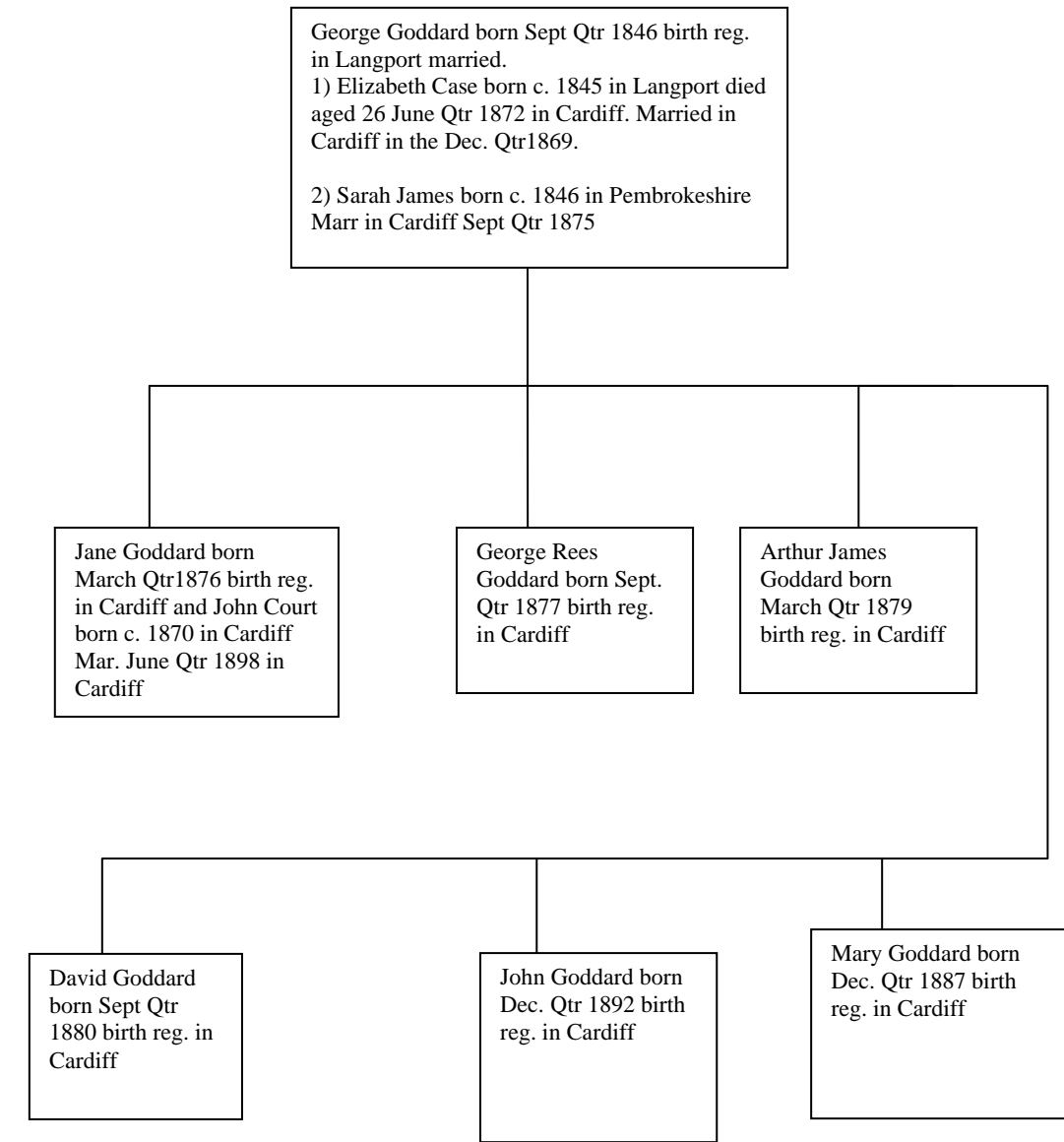
1901 Census for Glamorgan Whitchurch Cardiff

22 Old Radyr Road

Thomas Goddard Head M aged 33 Railway Lab. born Somerset Huish England
Kate M Goddard Wife M aged 34 born Bath England
Flossie Goddard Daugh aged 13 born Langport England
Elsie L Goddard Daugh aged 2 born Cogan Pill Penarth Glamorgan
Arthur W. Chas Goddard Son aged 5 months born Whitchurch Cardiff

Note to say they all speak English not Welsh.

George son of John and Jane Goddard



George married Elizabeth Case in Cardiff in the December quarter 1869. Elizabeth was from Langport in Somerset, the same area as George. We only see Elizabeth on one census in Cardiff and that is in 1871. In the 1881 census George has a new wife, Sarah and five children. There is a death in Cardiff of Elizabeth Goddard aged 26 years in the June quarter 1872. I think it is safe to assume this is George's wife.

George remarries to, Sarah James born c. 1846 in Pembrokeshire; they married in Cardiff in the September quarter 1875.

1861 Census for Somerset Swell

Western Farm

This might be George but the age is not right.

In the home of George Barnard a farmer of 136 acres born in Huish.

George Goddard Serv. Aged 12 Driver Plough born Somerset Huish

George has followed his brothers to Wales.

1871 Census for Glamorgan Cogan

Company Row.

George Goddard head M aged 24 Plate Layer born Somerset Huish

Elizabeth Goddard Wife M aged 26 born Somerset Langport

1881 Census for Glamorgan Llandough Juxta Cardiff

2 Cogan Pill Street

George Goddard head M aged 33 Coal Tipper born Somerset Hewish

Sarah Goddard Wife M aged 35 born Pembrokeshire Llanlirnach

Jane Goddard Daugh aged 5 born Glamorgan Penarth

George R Goddard Son aged 3 born Glamorgan Cogan

Arthur J Goddard Son aged 2 born Glamorgan Llandough

David Goddard Son aged 9 months born Glamorgan Llandough

1891 Census for Glamorgan Cogan

42 Hewell Street

George Goddard Head M aged 43 Coal Tipper born Somerset Huish

Sarah Goddard Wife M aged 45 born Pembrokeshire Llanfinach

Jane Goddard Daugh aged 15 born Glamorgan Penarth

George Goddard Son aged 13 Scholar born Glamorgan Cogan

Arthur J Goddard Son aged 12 Scholar born Glamorgan Cogan

David Goddard Son aged 10 Scholar born Glamorgan Cogan

John Goddard Son aged 8 Scholar born Glamorgan Cogan

Mary Goddard Daugh aged 3 born Glamorgan Cogan

1901 Census for Glamorgan Penarth

George Goddard Head M aged 54 Coal Tipper Worker born Somerset Hewish

Sarah Goddard Wife M aged 55 born Pembrokeshire

George R Goddard Son aged 23 Telegraphist Post Office. Worker born Glamorgan Cogan Pill

Arthur J Goddard Son aged 22 Lab. Lime? Works. Worker born Glamorgan Cogan Pill

David Goddard Son aged 20 House Painter Worker born Glamorgan Cogan Pill

John Goddard Son aged 18 Engineers Steward Worker born Glamorgan Cogan Pill

Mary Goddard Daugh aged 13 born Glamorgan Cogan Pill

Jane is not with the family in 1901. She married John Court in the June quarter 1898. The marriage was registered in the registration district of Cardiff.

1901 Census for Glamorgan Llandough

The Toll Gate Penarth Road

John Court Head M aged 31 Toll Collector born Glamorgan Penarth

Jane Court wife M aged 25 born Glamorgan Penarth

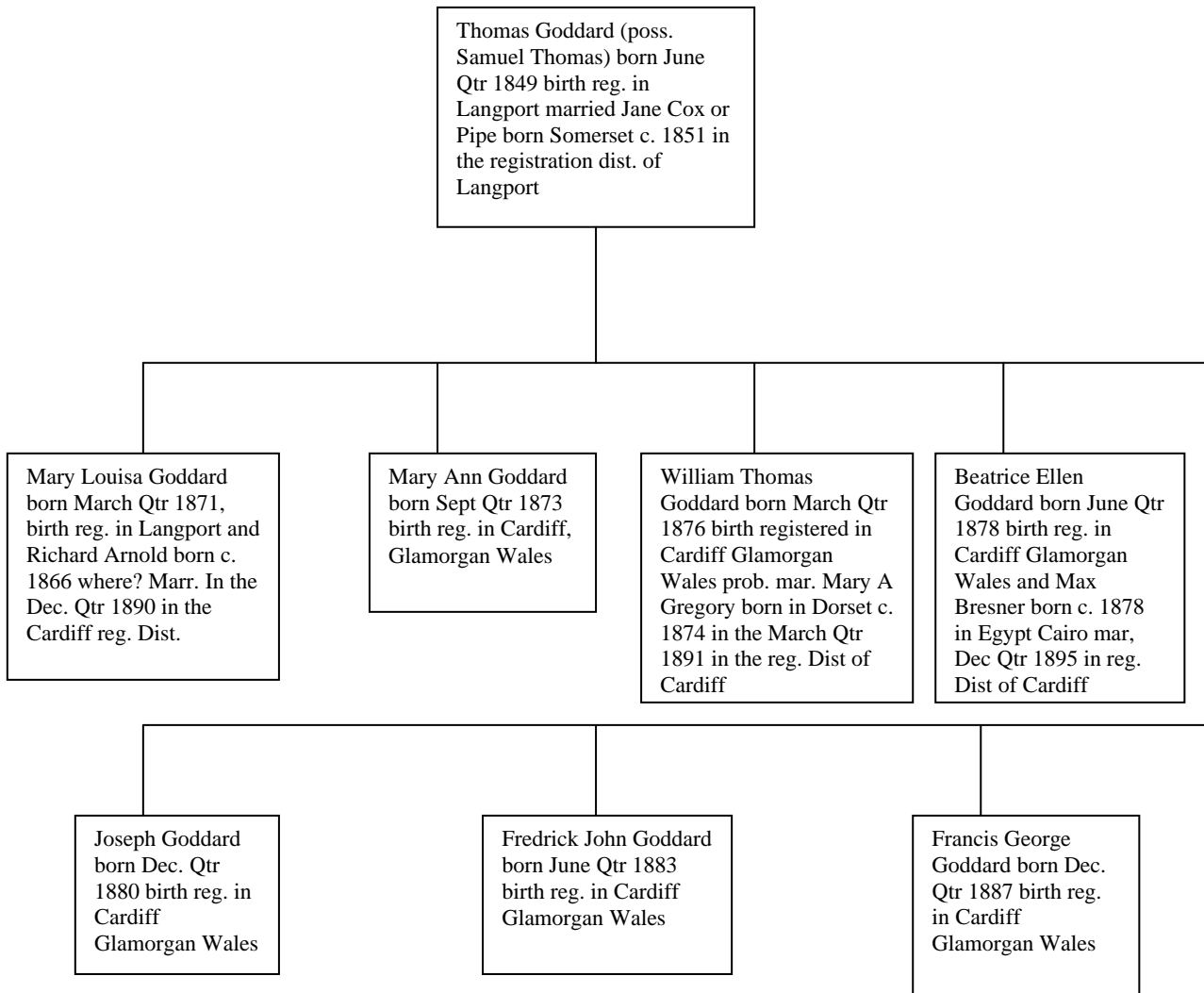
John R Court Son aged 2 born Glamorgan Penarth

Hilda M Court Daugh aged 4 months born Glamorgan Llandough

Annie L Cole Serv aged 14 Gen. Dom. Serv born Glamorgan Llandough.

Thomas son of John and Jane Goddard

Thomas Goddard (poss. Samuel Thomas) born June Qtr 1849 birth reg. in Langport married Jane Cox or Pipe born Somerset c. 1851, in the registration dist. of Langport in the March quarter 1870. By the time of the 1881 census Thomas and his family had followed his three older brothers to Cardiff. It must have been a cultural shock to them to move from a beautiful rural community to Ferry Road in Cardiff.



I note that Thomas called two of his daughters Mary as did his brother John.

1871 Census for Somerset Hush Episcopi

The Hamlet of Wag

Thomas Goddard Head M aged 22 Ag. Lab. born Somerset Huish Episcopi
Jane Goddard Wife M aged 20 Gluemaker? Born Somerset Tory Sutton?
Mary Goddard Daugh aged 3 months born Somerset Huish Episcopi

1881 Census for Glamorgan Cardiff Grangetown

3 Ferry Road

Thomas Goddard Head M aged 29 Gen. Lab. born Somerset Langport
Jane Goddard Wife M aged 27 born Somerset Langport
Mary Louisa Goddard Daugh aged 11 born Somerset Langport
Mary Ann Goddard Daugh aged 7 born Glamorgan Cardiff
Wm Thomas Goddard Son aged 5 born Glamorgan Cardiff
Beatrice Ellen Goddard Daugh aged 2 born Glamorgan Cardiff
Joseph Goddard Son aged 4 months born Glamorgan Cardiff

1891 Census for Glamorgan Grangetown Cardiff

212 Clive Street

Thomas Goddard Head M aged 40 Lab. born Somersetshire
Jane Goddard Wife M aged 40 born Somersetshire
Mary A Goddard Daugh S aged 16 born Glamorgan Cardiff
William Goddard Son S aged 15 Lab. born Glamorgan Cardiff
B. Ella Goddard Daugh aged 12 born Glamorgan Cardiff
Joseph Goddard Son aged 10 born Glamorgan Cardiff
Frederick Goddard Son aged 8 Son born Glamorgan Cardiff
Patrick Whitlaw Boarder S aged 28 Lab. born Glamorgan Cardiff
John ? Boarder S aged 36 Lab. born Somersetshire
Francis Goddard Son aged 3 born Glamorgan Cardiff

I can't proceed with Mary Ann Goddard. There are two marriages in Cardiff a couple of years apart. She could be either one of them.

1901 Census for Glamorgan Penarth

11, Paget Terrace

Thomas Goddard Head M aged 51 Waterman Barge Worker born Somerset Langport
Jane Goddard Wife M aged 51 born Somerset Langport
Frederick Goddard Son A aged 18 Railway ? Worker born Glamorgan Cardiff
Joseph Goddard S Son aged 21 Labourer .Worker born Glamorgan Cardiff
Frank Goddard Son aged 14 born Glamorgan Cardiff

I didn't find Mary Louisa in the 1881 census. She married Richard Arnold born c. 1866. I couldn't decipher where he was from in the census. They married in the December quarter 1890 in the registration district of Cardiff.

1901 Census for Glamorgan Penarth

36 Glebe Street

Richard Arnold Head M aged 35 Gen. Lab. Worker born ?
Mary L Arnold Wife M aged 30 born Somerset Langport
William Arnold Son aged 6 born Glamorgan Cardiff

William Thomas Goddard

I'm not entirely confident that this is William Thomas above but will note him here. He probably married Mary A Gregory in the March quarter 1891 in the registration district of Cardiff

1901 Census for Glamorgan West Penarth

24 Dock Road living in four rooms.

William T Goddard Head M aged 27 Fireman Stationery Engine Worker born Glamorgan Penarth
Mary A Goddard Wife M aged 29 born Dorset ?
Willis Goddard Son aged 2 born Glamorgan Cardiff

William's age is two years out and he states in this census 'born in Penarth'. While in the other censuses he is born in Cardiff and the family were living in Cardiff when he was born. I must add though that Penarth is on the outskirts of Cardiff.

Beatrice Ella Goddard

I felt a little more confident about William above when I noted in the 1901 census that his sister Beatrice also gave her place of birth as Penarth. Beatrice married Max Bresner, an Egyptian born in Cairo in the registration district of Cardiff in the December quarter 1878.

1901 Census for Glamorgan Canton in Cardiff

5 Redlaver Street

Max Bresner Head M aged 24 Lab. on Taff Vale Railway Worker born Egypt Cairo
Beatrice E Bresner Wife M aged 24 born Glamorgan Penarth
Joseph Hy Bresner Son aged 4 born Glamorgan Penarth
Alfred Max Bresner Son aged 3 born Glamorgan Penarth
Reuben Bresner Son aged 1 born Glamorgan Penarth

That completes the family of Thomas Goddard.

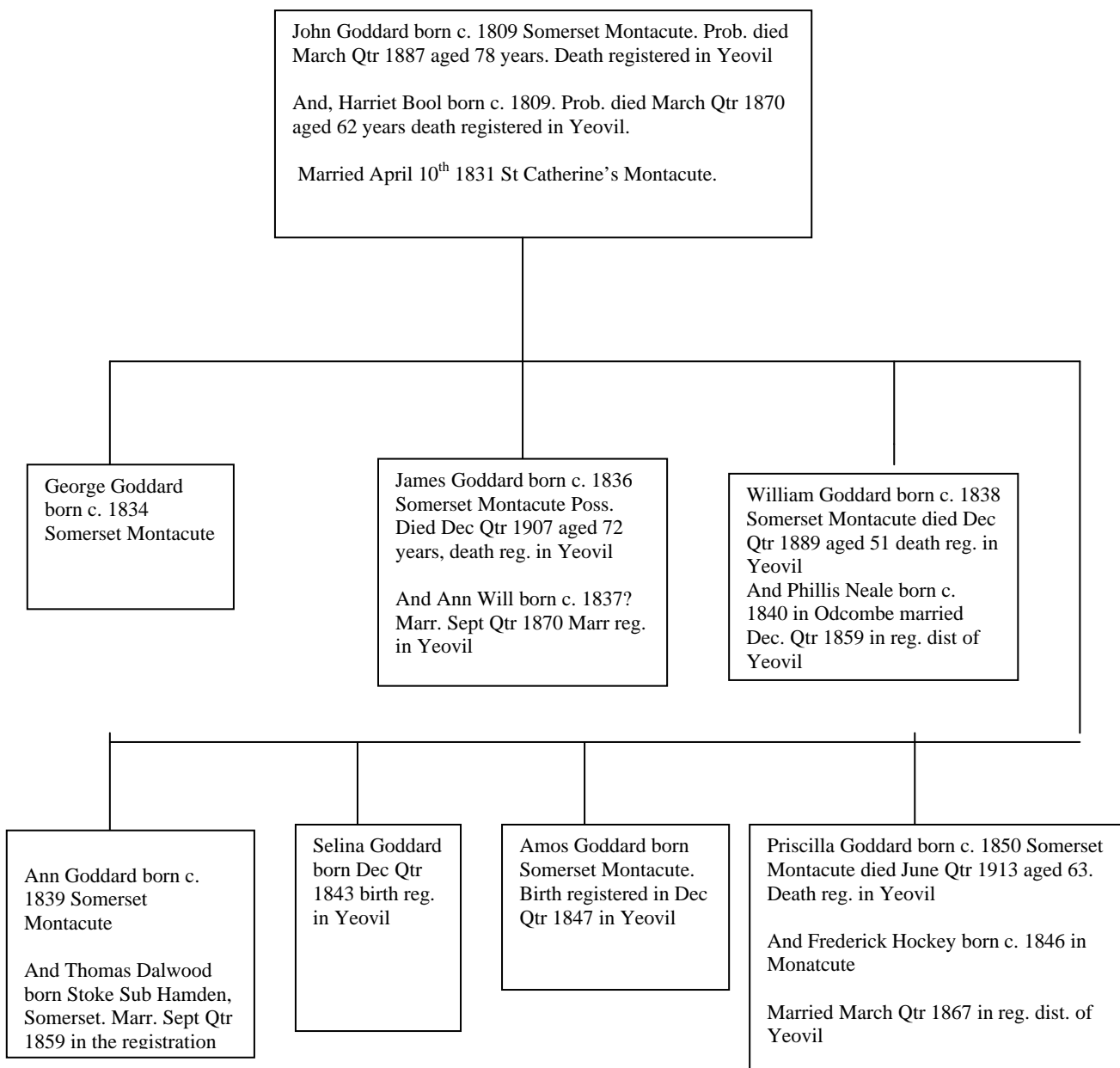
This completes Huish Episcopi

Montacute Somerset

Montacute, is a parish in the hundred of Tintinhull Somerset, 4 miles N.W. of the Yeovil. The village was chiefly agricultural and includes the hamlets of Bishopstone and Hyde. It was formerly called Logaresburch by the Saxons.

Sadly, I was unable to find any parish registers transcribe on the internet.

In the 1841 Census I found John Goddard and his family. They were all born in Montacute but settled later in Odcombe Somerset. John's parents are just possibly Amos and Hannah Goddard of Montacute. Parish registers need to be read.



While I was tracking John through the censuses I came across Hannah Goddard in the 1851 census, a widow born c. 1790 in Somerset Montacute. I thought to add her here as she is probably John's mother. Initially I didn't find Hannah in the 1841 census. Contact with a member of Genes Reunited who is of this family helped me out. The name is transcribed as Godd but on closer inspection I could just see it was Goddard.

I want to add an interesting note here. In the course of my research on Montacute I was in contact with, Cilla Doudney in Australia, the great granddaughter of Priscilla Goddard, more on her later. Cilla had in the past been in touch with a lady in America through Ancestry.com who had apparently done a lot of work on this family and Cilla was told that Amos had been born in America. I have listed here the lineage that Cilla was given. Far more in depth work needs to be done on this family in Montacute which I am unable to do.

Walter de Godervi 1231-1273
John Goddard 1270-1273
John 1340-1380 born Wiltshire
John 1340-1380 Wilts
John 1368-1451 Wilts
John 1393-1460? Wilts I wrote down 146 I won't go back to genes now
Walter 1425-1490 Wilts
John 1465-1545 Wilts
Thomas 1522-1597 Wilts
Richard 1554-1615 Wilts
Edward Wife Priscilla D. Oyley 1584-1647 Wilts
William 1627-1691 England
Joseph 1656-1728 USA
James 1682-1734 USA
James 1717-1806 USA
Robert 1759-1840 USA
Amos 1784-1840 born USA

1841 Census for Montacute

Amos Goddard aged 65
Hannah Goddard aged 50 y
May/Mary? Goddard aged 20 y
James Goddard aged 6 y

Amos died in the March quarter 1851. The death is registered in Yeovil. From the age given in 1841 he would have been about 75 years old when he died.

James, her grandson, is with Hannah in the 1841 and 1851 census. I wonder if he is the illegitimate child of May/Mary. More investigation needed

1851 census for Somerset Montacute

Hannah Goddard Head Wid. Aged 61 Glover born Somerset Montacute
James Goddard Grandson aged 14 Carpenter born Somerset Montacute
Edward Beer Visitor aged 65 Ag. Lab. born Devon

1861 Census for Somerset Odcombe

Hannah Goddard Head Wid. Aged 71 Glove Sewer born Montacute Somerset
Plus five unrelated lodgers.

1871 census for Somerset Odcombe

Hannah is a lodger in a house a few doors away from John Goddard below.

Hannah Goddard Lodger Wid. Aged 81 Glover born Somerset Montacute

There is a death registered in June 1879 in the registration district of Yeovil for Hannah Goddard aged 84 years which doesn't quite equate to Hannah's age.

Now for John Goddard

1841 Census for Somerset Montacute

John Goddard y
Harriet Goddard y
Ann Goddard aged 5 months y
George Goddard aged 7 y
James Goddard aged 5 y
William Goddard aged 3 y

1851 Census for Somerset Montacute

Bishopstone

John Goddard Head M aged 42 Ag. Lab. born Somerset Montacute
Harriet Goddard Wife M aged 42 Glover born Somerset Montacute
George Goddard Son Un aged 17 Ag. Lab. born Somerset Montacute
James Goddard Son Un aged 15 born Ag. Lab. Somerset Montacute
William Goddard Son aged 13 Ag. Lab. born Somerset Montacute
Ann Goddard Daugh aged 12 Glover born Somerset Montacute
Amos Goddard Son aged 3 Scholar born Somerset Montacute
Priscilla Goddard Daugh aged 1 born Montacute Somerset

1861 Census for Somerset Odcombe Reg. District of Yeovil

John Goddard Head M aged 52 Ag. Lab. born Somerset Montacute
Harriet Goddard Wife M aged 53 Glover born Somerset Montacute
*Susanna Goddard Daugh Un aged 17 Glover Born Somerset Montacute
Amos Goddard Son aged 13 Scholar born Somerset Montacute
Priscilla Goddard Daugh aged 11 Glover born Somerset Montacute

- *Susanna is a mystery. Ancestry.co.uk has transcribed the Christian name as Searanah, which seems a little unlikely. I checked back on the 1851 census. I couldn't find Susanna relating to this family. I wonder if this is Ann who should be 22 and it is an enumeration error. Or is it Selina in the 1871 census. It's a complete mystery!

Glove Making in Yeovil

The first glove makers in Yeovil were mentioned in the early 14th century. In the following centuries the glove making industry grew to be Yeovil's most important industry. In the 18 and 19 centuries the industry prospered and in the 1830s it was said that 3 million pairs of gloves were made each year in Yeovil.

John is a widow by the time of the 1871 census.

There is a death registered in the registration district of Yeovil for a Harriet Goddard aged 62 in the March quarter 1870. I think safe to say it is John's wife.

1871 Census for Somerset Odcombe

John Goddard, Head Widr. aged 61 Ag. Lab. born Somerset Montacute
Selina Goddard Daugh aged 28 born Somerset Montacute

In 1881 John is found to be in the home of his son William

1881 Census for Somerset Montacute

Wm Goddard Head M aged 43 Ag. Lab born Somerset Montacute
Phillis Goddard Wife M aged 41 Charwoman born Somerset Odcombe
Ellen Goddard Daugh Un aged 16 born Somerset Odcombe
Annette B Goddard Daugh Un aged 13 born Somerset Montacute
Selina Goddard Daugh aged 9 born Somerset Montacute
Jno Goddard Son aged 6 born Somerset Montacute
Bertha Goddard Daugh aged 4 born Somerset Montacute
Jno Goddard Father aged 72 born Somerset Montacute

There is a death registered in the registration district of Yeovil for a John Goddard aged 78 in the March quarter 1887. I think safe to say it is John.

Now I will expand on John and Harriet's children.

George Goddard wasn't found after the 1851 census.

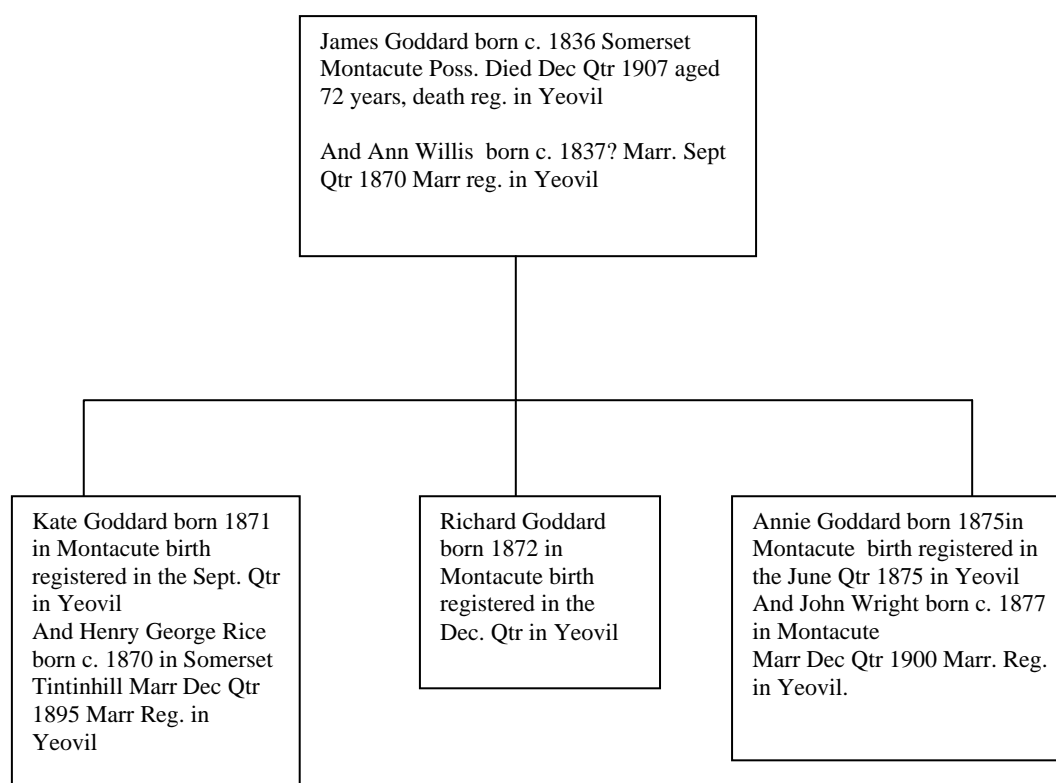
Amos Goddard wasn't found after the 1871 census.

1871 Census for Odcombe Somerset

Amos Goddard a lodger aged 23 a quarryman born in Somerset Montacute.

No death has been found.

James son of John and Harriet Goddard of Montacute



1861 Census for Somerset Montacute

James is a lodger in the home of Levi Geard a stone mason born in Montacute

James Goddard Lodger Un aged 25 Stone Cutter born Somerset Montacute

James married Ann Willis in the September quarter of 1870. The marriage was registered in Yeovil in Somerset.

1871 Census for Somerset Montacute

James Goddard Head M aged 35 Stone Mason born Somerset Montacute
Ann Goddard Wife M aged 34 Glover born Somerset?

Ann's place of birth changes with each census.

1881 Census for Somerset Montacute

Jas Goddard Head M aged 46 Quarryman born Somerset Montacute
Ann M Goddard Wife M aged 45 Glove born Dorset Sandford
Kate Goddard Daugh aged 9 Scholar born Somerset Montacute
Richard Goddard Son aged 8 Scholar born Somerset Montacute
Ann Goddard Daugh aged 6 born Somerset Montacute

1891 Census for Somerset Montacute

James Goddard Head M aged 56 Gen. Lab. born Somerset Montacute
Ann Goddard Wife M aged 54 born Somerset Montacute
Kate Goddard Daugh S aged 19 Glover born Somerset Montacute
Annie Goddard Daugh S aged 16 Glove born Somerset Montacute
Richard Goddard Son S aged 18 Stone Layer? Born Somerset Montacute

1901 Census for Somerset Montacute

James Goddard Head M aged 66 Occ. None born Somerset Montacute
Ann Goddard Wife M aged 65 born Somerset Montacute

There are possible deaths registered in Yeovil for James and Ann

Ann Goddard death registered in the June quarter 1901 aged 68

John Goddard Death registered in the December quarter aged 72

I didn't find Richard in the 1901 census.

Kate Goddard marries Henry George Rice in the December quarter 1895. The marriage is registered in Yeovil, Somerset.

1901 Census for Somerset Tintinhull

Henry George Rice Head M aged 30 Glove Cutter (Leather) Worker born Somerset Tintinhull
Kate Rice Wife M aged 29 Machinist of gloves Worker at home born Somerset Montacute
Frederick Chas Rice Son aged 4 born Somerset Tintinhull
Blanche May Rice Daugh aged 2 born Somerset Tintinhull

Annie Goddard married John Wright in the Dec quarter 1900. The marriage is registered in Yeovil, Somerset.

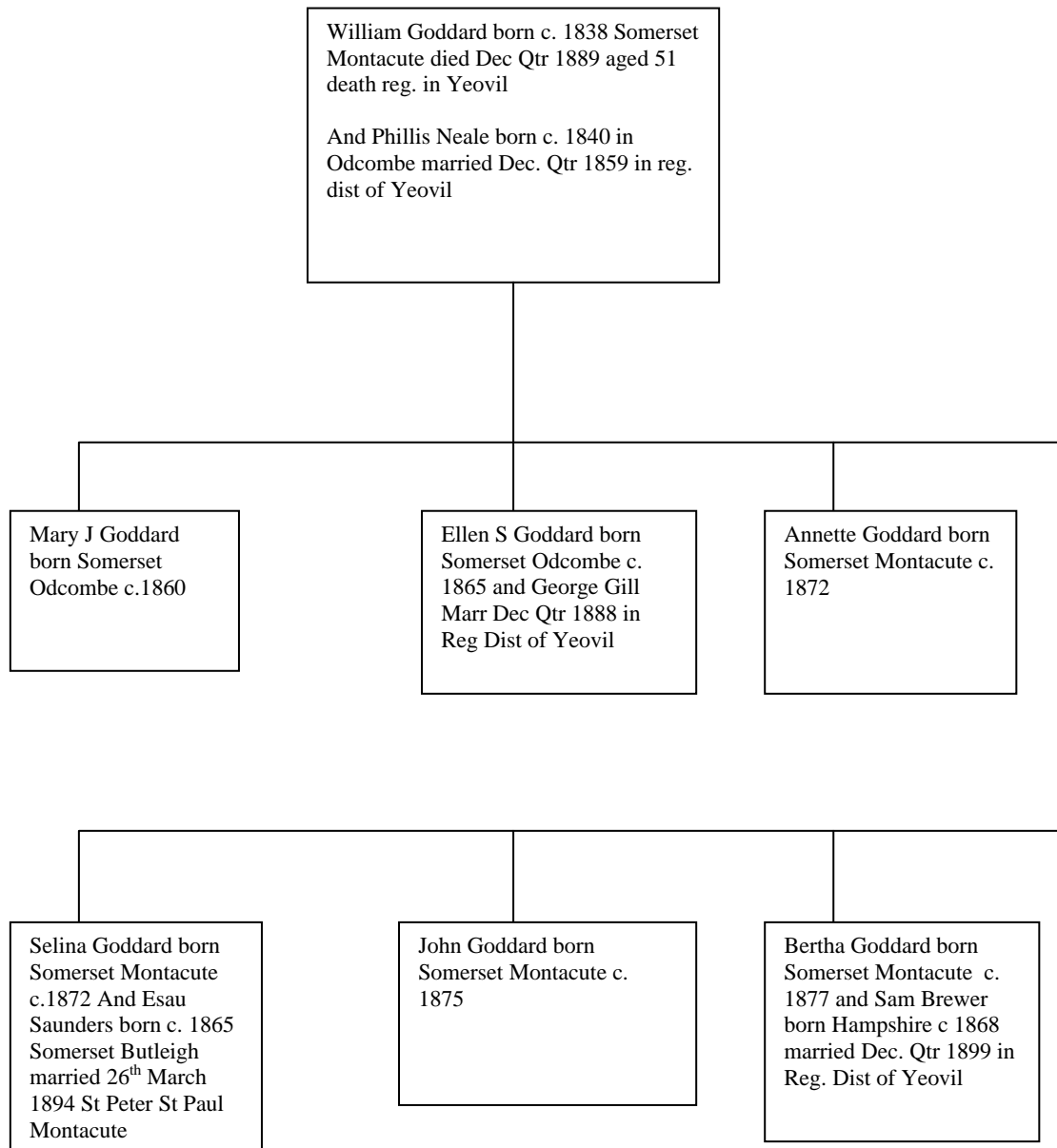
1901 Census for Somerset Odcombe

Montacute Road

Eliza Rogers Head Wid. Aged 42 Laundress Worker born Somerset Tintinhull
Ellen R Wright Daugh A aged 17 Glover Worker born Somerset Tintinhull
John Wright Brother M aged 24 Stone Mason Worker born Somerset Stoke under Ham
Annie Wright Sister in Law M aged 26 Glove Worker at home born Somerset Montacute
Charles I Wright Son aged 1 month born Somerset Odcombe.

That completes the family of James the son of John and Harriet Goddard of Montacute.

William son of John and Harriet Goddard of Montacute



At the time of the 1861 census William is newly married and has his first child.

1861 Census for Somerset Odcambe

William Goddard Head M aged 22 Sawyer born Somerset Montacute
 Phillis Goddard Wife M aged 20 Glover born Somerset Odcambe
 Mary J Goddard Daugh aged 1 born Somerset Odcambe

1871 Census for Somerset Montacute

Wash? Lane

Wm Goddard Head M aged 33 Woodcutter born Somerset Montacute
Phillis Goddard Wife M aged 31 Glover born Somerset Odcombe
M.J.Goddard Daugh aged 11 Scholar born Somerset Odcombe
Ellen Goddard Daugh aged 5 Scholar born Somerset Odcombe
A.P.Goddard Daugh aged 3 Scholar born Somerset Montacute

I have never seen initials instead of a Christian name in the censuses

1881 Census for Somerset Montacute.

William's father John is living with the family

1881 Census for Somerset Montacute

Wm Goddard Head M aged 43 Ag. Lab born Somerset Montacute
Phillis Goddard Wife M aged 41 Charwoman born Somerset Odcombe
Ellen Goddard Daugh Un aged 16 born Somerset Odcombe
Annette B Goddard Daugh Un aged 13 born Somerset Montacute
Selina Goddard Daugh aged 9 born Somerset Montacute
Jno Goddard Son aged 6 born Somerset Montacute
Bertha Goddard Daugh aged 4 born Somerset Montacute
Jno Goddard Father aged 72 born Somerset Montacute

There is a death registered in the registration district of Yeovil for a John Goddard aged 78 in the March quarter 1887. I think safe to say it is John.

Phillis is widowed in the 1891 census. There is a death in the registration district of Yeovil of William Goddard aged 51 years. This equates to William's age so I think safe to assume it is him.

1891 Census for Somerset Montacute

Phillis Goddard Head Wid. Aged 50 Laundress born Somerset Curland
Selina Goddard Daugh S aged 18 Glover born Somerset Curland
John Goddard Son S aged 16 Carpenter's Apprentice born Somerset Curland
Bertha Goddard Daugh S aged 14 born Somerset Curland

1901 Census for Somerset Montacute

Phillis is living alone

Phillis Goddard Head Wid. aged 60 Laundress Worker at home born Somerset Odcombe.

The children of William and Phillis Goddard of Montacute

Mary Goddard

I didn't find any more on Mary

Ellen Goddard

Ellen married George Gill in the December quarter 1888. The marriage was registered in the registration district of Yeovil,

1891 Census for Yeovil

1 Nelson Cottage

George Gill Head M aged 26 Glove Staking? born Somerset Yeovil
Ellen Gill Wife M aged 26 Glove Machinist born Somerset Odcombe
Donald Gill Son aged 1 born Somerset Yeovil
Matilda Gill Sister S aged Glove Machinist born Somerset Yeovil

1901 Census for *check*

George Gill Head M aged 36 Leather Slaker? Worker born Somerset Yeovil
Ellen Gill Wife H aged 36 Leather Glove Maker Worker born Somerset Odcombe
Donald George Gill aged 11 born Somerset Yeovil
Ralph William Gill Son aged 8 born Somerset Yeovil

Annette Goddard

I didn't find anymore on Annette

Selina Goddard

Selena married Esau Saunders on 26th March 1894 at St Peter St Paul Montacute.

1901 Census for Somerset Tintinhull

Welhams Mill

Esau Saunders Head M aged 36 Miller (grain) born Somerset Butleigh
Selina Saunders Wife M aged 29 born Somerset Montacute
Winifred Saunders Daugh aged 6 born Somerset Montacute
Gladys Saunders Daugh aged 3 born Montacute Somerset
William G Saunders Son aged 1 born Somerset Montacute

John Goddard

I didn't find John in the 1901 census.

Bertha Goddard

Bertha married Samuel Brewer in the December quarter 1899 in the registration district of Yeovil

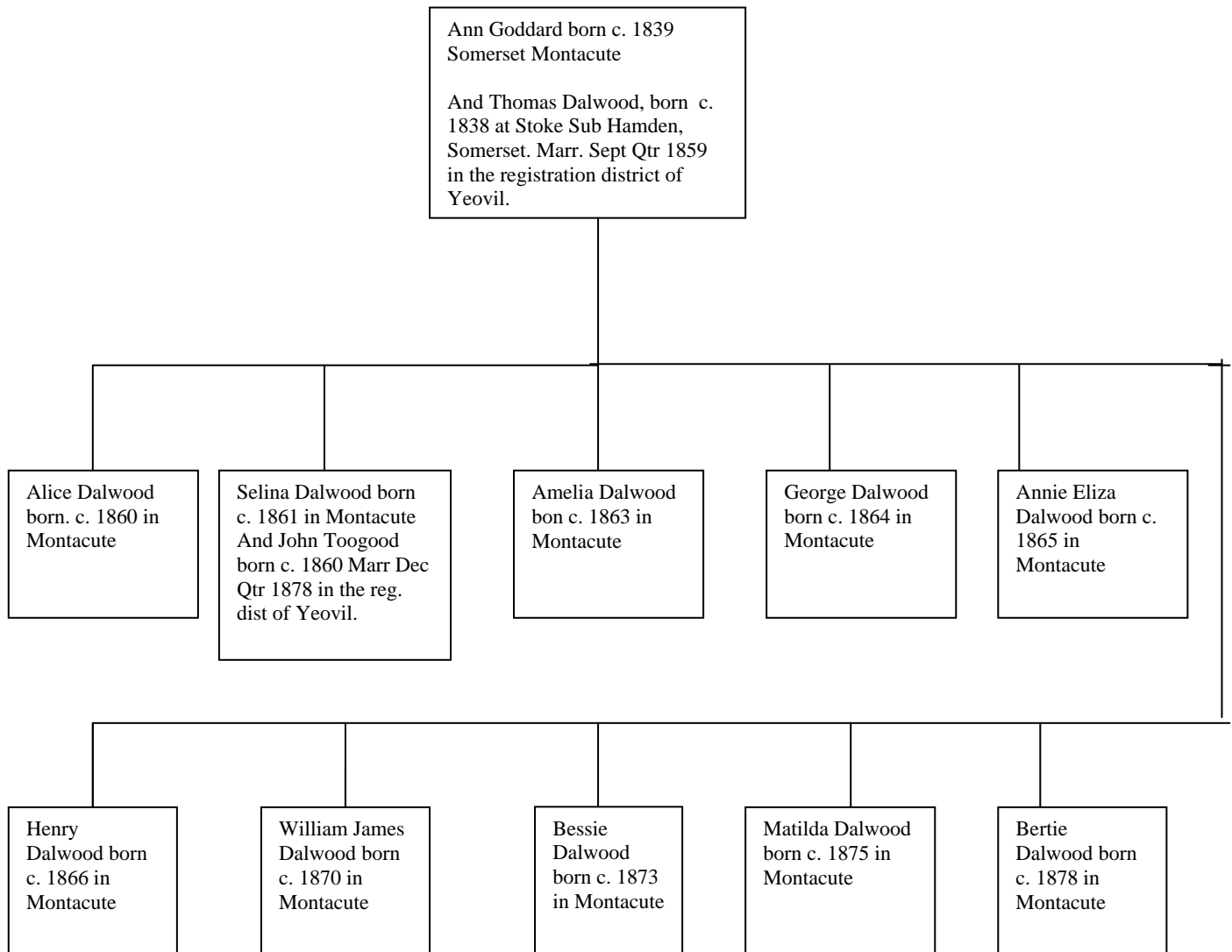
1901 Census for Hampshire Fordingbridge

Ashford Terrace

Samuel Brewer Head M aged 33 Coachman Domestic born Hants
Bertha Brewer Wife M aged 24 born Somerset Montacute
William Brewer Son aged? Months born Hants.

That completes the family of William the son of John and Harriet Goddard of Montacute.

Ann daughter of John and Harriet Goddard of Montacute



1861 Census for Montacute

Back Lane

Thos Dalwood Head M aged 20 Labourer born Somerset Stoke
 Ann Dalwood Wife M aged 20 Glover born Somerset Montacute
 Alice Dalwood Daugh aged 1 born Somerset Montacute
 Selina Dalwood Daugh aged 2 months born Somerset Montacute

1871 Census for Somerset Montacute

Thomas Dalwood Head M aged 31 Ag. Lab. born Somerset Stoke
Ann Dalwood Wife M aged 30 Glover born Somerset Montacute
Alice Dalwood Daugh aged 11 born Montacute Somerset
Selina Dalwood Daugh aged 10 born Somerset Montacute
Mehala Dalwood Daugh aged 8 born Somerset Montacute
Geo Dalwood Son aged 7 born Somerset Montacute
Ann Dalwood Daugh aged 5 born Somerset Montacute
Henry Dalwood Son aged 4 born Somerset Montacute
? Dalwood Son aged 11 months born Somerset Montacute

1881 Census for Somerset Montacute

Yeovil Road

Thomas Dalwood Head M aged 40 Ag. Lab. born Somerset Stoke under Ham
Ann Dalwood Wife M aged 40 born Somerset Montacute
Amelia Dalwood Daugh S aged 19 Gen. Dom. Serv. Born Somerset Montacute
George Dalwood Son aged 18 Ag. Lab. born Somerset Montacute
Annie Dalwood Daugh aged 15 born Somerset Montacute
Henry Dalwood Son aged 14 born Somerset Montacute
William Dalwood Son aged 10 born Somerset Montacute
Bessie Dalwood Daugh aged 8 born Somerset Montacute
Matilda Dalwood Daugh aged 5 born Somerset Montacute
Bertie Dalwood Son aged 3 born Somerset Montacute
Jane Toogood Visitor M aged 20 born Somerset Montacute

Alice wasn't with her family in the 1881 census. I found her in Royton in Lancashire working as a nurse in the home of John George Holden a cotton manufacturer employing 780 hands.

I wasn't able to find out anymore about Alice so, sadly I have to leave her here.

Amelia Dalwood is not with the family in 1891. I have not been able to find out anymore about her.

1891 Census for Somerset Montacute

Living in three rooms

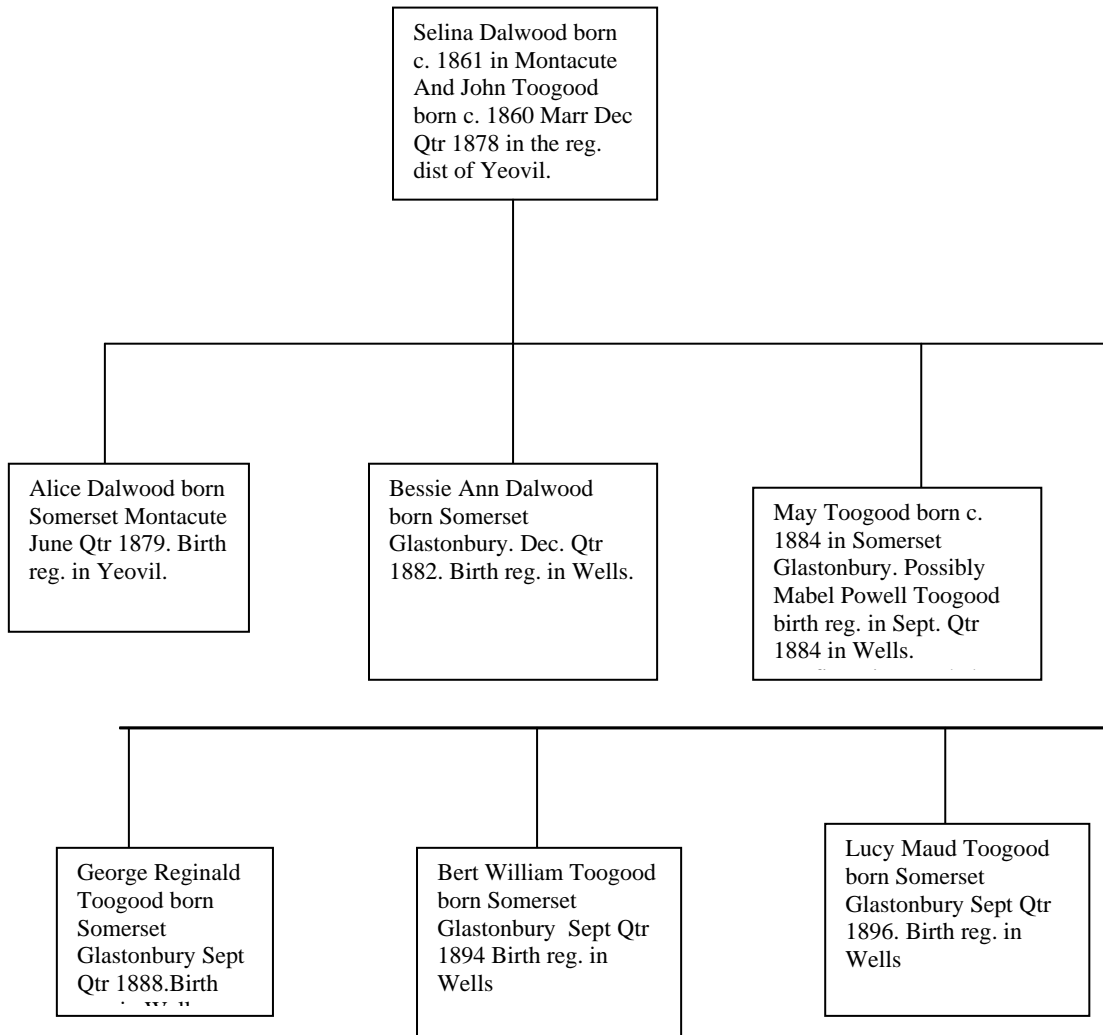
Thomas Dalwood Head M aged 50 Farm Lab. born Somerset Stoke under Ham
Ann Dalwood Wife M aged 49 Glover born Somerset Montacute
Annie Dalwood Daugh S aged 25 Laundress born Somerset Montacute
William Dalwood Son S aged 20 Farm Lab. born Somerset Montacute
Bessie Dalwood Daugh S aged 18 Glover born Somerset Montacute
Matilda Dalwood Daugh aged 14 Glover born Somerset Montacute
Bertie Dalwood Son aged 12 born Somerset Montacute

1901 Census for Somerset Montacute

South Street

Thomas Dalwood Head M aged 60 Lab. on Farm born Somerset Montacute
Ann Dalwood Wife M aged 60 sewer of gloved born Somerset Montacute
Annie Dalwood Daugh S aged 34 Laundress born Somerset Montacute
Bessie Dalwood Daugh S aged 28 Sewer of gloves born Somerset Montacute
Matilda Dalwood Daugh S aged 26 Sewer of gloves born Somerset Montacute
Bertie Dalwood Son S aged 22 Plasterer born Somerset Montacute
Beryl Chant G. daughter aged 7 born Somerset Montacute

Selina Toogood daughter of Thomas and Ann (nee Goddard) Dalwood





This photograph c1922 is of Selina Dalwood with her daughter Alice Andrews nee Toogood, grandson-Alfred Andrews (Alice's son) and great grandson Ronald. It was kindly donated by James Andrews the great, great grandson of Selina.

Selina Goddard married John Dalwood in the December quarter 1878 in the registration district of Yeovil so they probably married in Montacute. Six children have been found for the marriage.

1881 Census for Dorset. Nether Compton.

John Toogood Head M aged 22 Ag. Lab. born Somerset Montacute
Selina Dalwood Wife M aged 21 born Somerset Montacute
Alice Toogood Daugh aged 2 born Somerset Montacute

1891 Census for Somerset Glastonbury

8 George Lane

John Dalwood Head M aged 31 Railway Platelayer born Dorsetshire Nether Compton
Selina Dalwood Wife M aged 30 dressmaker born Somerset Montacute
Alice Dalwood Daugh aged 12 Scholar born Somerset Glastonbury
Bessie Dalwood Daugh aged 9 Scholar born Somerset Glastonbury
May Dalwood Daugh aged 7 Scholar born Glastonbury
Reginald Dalwood Son aged 2 born Somerset Glastonbury

1901 Census for Somerset Glastonbury

10 Grope Lane

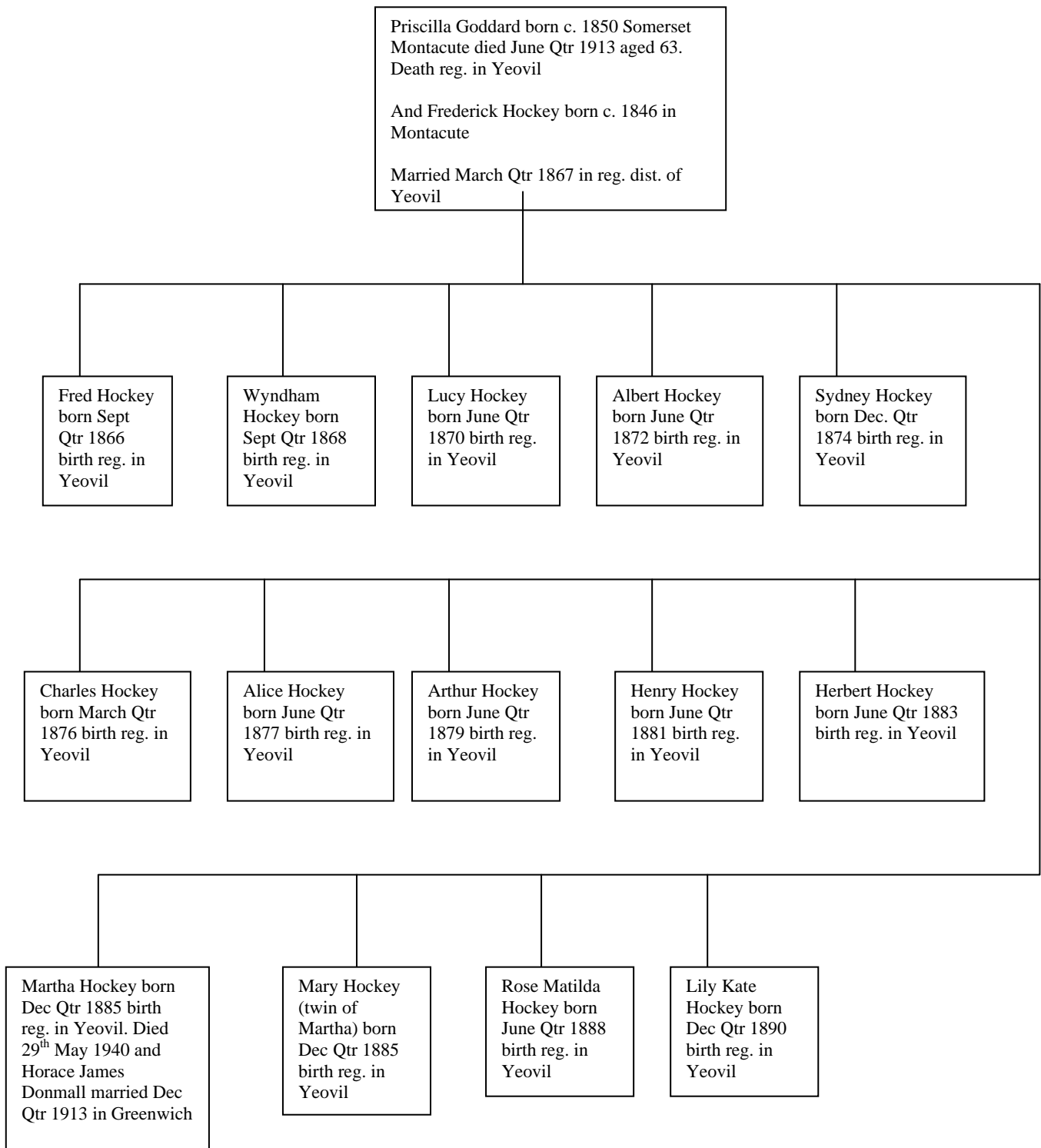
John Toogood Head M aged 42 Platelayer Worker born Dorset Nether Compton
Selina Toogood Wife M aged 40 born Somerset Montacute
George R Dalwood Son aged 12 born Somerset Glastonbury
Bert Wm Dalwood Son aged 6 born Somerset Glastonbury
Lucy M Dalwood Daugh aged 4 born Somerset Glastonbury.

Alice Dalwood aged 12 in the 1891 census isn't with the family in 1901. I have been unable to find out anymore about her.

Bessie Dalwood is not with the family in 1901 and I was unable to find out anymore about her.

May Dalwood is not with the family in 1901 and I have found no more about her either.

Priscilla Hockey daughter of John and Harriet Goddard



14 children are found for Priscilla and Frederick Hockey. They married in 1867 so the first census we see then is 1871.

1871 Census for Montacute

Fred Hockey Head M aged 24 sawyer born Somerset Montacute
Priscilla Hocket Wife M aged 21 Glove born Somerset Montacute
? Hockey Son aged 4 Scholar born Somerset Montacute
Wyndham Hockey Son aged 2 Scholar born Somerset Montacute
? Hockey Daugh aged 10 months born Somerset Montacute

The children's names were hard to read but the children were identified in the 1881 census.

1881 Census for Somerset Montacute

Frederick Hockey Head M aged 34 Stonemason born Somerset Montacute
Priscilla Hockey Wife M aged 31 Glove born Somerset Montacute
Fred Hockey Son aged 14 Ag. Lab. born Somerset Montacute
Wyndham Hockey Son aged 12 Scholar born Somerset Montacute
Lucy Hockey Daugh aged 10 Scholar born Somerset Montacute
Albert Hockey Son aged 9 Scholar born Somerset Montacute
Sydney Hockey Son aged 7 Scholar born Somerset Montacute
Chas Hockey Son aged 5 Scholar born Somerset Montacute
Alice Hockey Daugh aged 3 Scholar born Somerset Montacute
Arthur Hockey Son aged 2 Born Somerset Montacute
Henry Hockey Son aged 1 month born Somerset Montacute

1891 Census for Somerset Montacute

Frederick Hockey Head M aged 45 Mason's Labourer born Somerset Montacute
Priscilla Hockey wife M aged 42 born Somerset Montacute
Sydney Hockey Son S aged 17 Farm Lab. born Somerset Montacute
Charles Hockey Son S aged 15 Farm Lab born Somerset Montacute
Alice Hockey daughter S aged 14 born Somerset Montacute
Arthur Hockey Son aged 12 born Somerset Montacute
Henry Hockey Son aged 10 Scholar born Somerset Montacute
Herbert Hockey Son aged 8 Scholar born Somerset Montacute
Martha Hockey Daugh aged 5 born Somerset Montacute
Mary Hockey Daugh aged 5 born Somerset Montacute
Rose Hockey Daugh aged 2 born Somerset Montacute
Lilly K Hockey Daugh aged 9 months born Somerset Montacute

1901 Census for Somerset Montacute

Frederick Hockey Head M aged 54 gen. Lab. born Somerset Montacute
Priscilla Hockey Wife M aged 51 born Somerset Montacute
Arthur Hockey Son S aged 22 Carpenter born Somerset Montacute
Henry Hockey Son S aged 20 Gen. Lab. born Somerset Montacute
Rose Matilda Hockey Daugh aged 12 born Somerset Montacute
Lily Kate Hockey Daugh aged 10 born Somerset Montacute

The photograph of Priscilla was kindly donated by Cilla Doudney who lives in Australia. Cilla is the great granddaughter of Priscilla and the granddaughter of Martha. I was able to enlarge the photograph and could see the exquisite embroidery on Priscilla's jacket. I commented on this to Cilla and she sent the following in an email.

The twins were Martha & Mary. Martha was my Grandmother who married Horace James Donmall, she died of kidney failure on 29th May 1940.



Priscilla in the photo looks a very stern old lady, I think that the women in that family were very good at needlework my mum was an embroiderer when she was young & even did some work on the Queen mum's dresses.(just a bit of trivia).

This completes what is probably the family of Amos and Hannah Goddard of Montacute

Pitminster

Church St Mary and St Andrew

I found the following transcribed from Parish records and thought it worth adding them here as well as the Somerset BMD.

Baptisms

*1761 Feb. 12th Sarah daughter of Jacob and Sarah
1763 April 3rd Thomas son of Jacob and Peggy
1769 April 9th Jane daughter of Jacob and Peggy
1796 May 25th Betty daughter of Thomas and Jane

Marriages

1760 May 20th Jacob Goddard to Sarah Paviour. OTP/ In dweller
1762 April 11th Jacob Goddard to Margaret Culverwell. Both OTP (*Peggy?*)
1788 May 8th Samuel Goddard to Ann Price. Husbandman OTP/OTP
1789 May 26th Thomas Goddard to Jane Pursey. Both OTP
1817 June 10th Elizabeth Goddard to John Shepard
1824 December 23rd Thomas Goddard to Sarah Copp Widower/Widow.

Burials

*1761 February 12 Sarah Goddard
1782 July 5th John Goddard
1823 December 12th Jane Goddard aged 54 (*poss. Jane who was baptised in 1769*)

It seems highly likely that we are dealing with one Jacob Goddard. He married Sarah Paviour on 20th May 1760. There is a baptism and burial for Sarah Goddard on 12th February 1761. I read in to this that Jacob's wife Sarah died in childbirth and was buried on the same day that her daughter was baptised.

Jacob re married to Margaret Culverwell on 11th April 1762 and the two children baptised to Jacob and Peggy are theirs.

Reading further in to it, it would appear that Jacob and Peggy's daughter Jane died a spinster aged 54 and was buried on December the 12th 1823. Jacob and Peggy's son Thomas possibly married Jane Pursey on May 26th 1789 and on 25th May 1796 baptised a daughter named Betty.

All conjecture, but it fits.

This is as far as I have been able to go with the GODDARDS of Somerset.