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ABBAT, Robert, Sr., -1763.

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Established the first water supply in Preston, Lancs., Eng., 1729. Used wooded pipes bored from tree-trunks. The Corporation fined him for supplying water on Good Friday, he thereupon did not furnish water on Sixth-Days (Fridays), claiming that all Fridays were Good Fridays.

d. 1763.

J.F.H.S. 22, p. 11

The Friend, Phila., 99, p. 543.

ABBATT, Alice (1772?-1825) born Smith

Alice Smith, the daughter of Paul and Jane Smith of Preston in Lancashire, was born about the year 1772(1).

She was married in 1793 to Thomas Abbatt (1767-1836 qv), a tailor of Bolton in Lancashire and there were seven children(2).

Alice Abbatt of Bolton died on 7 February 1825 at the age of fifty three(3).

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Aged 53 at death. Her birth is not traced in Lancashire QM Births Digest
- 2 For marriage and children see ABBATT, Thomas (1767-1836)
- 3 Lancashire QM Burials Digest: she is described as the wife of Thomas

SEE ALSO:-

Annual Monitor 1826, p 1: 2 line entry for death

N.B. There is no reference to her in J Friends Hist Soc vols 1-45

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ABB~~P~~TT, Ann (1757-1828) after 1780 Tipping

[Ann Abb~~P~~tt, daughter of Robert Abb~~P~~tt (-) and
his wife Agnes (born) of
Preston in Lancashire, was married in 1780 to John Tipping
(1754-1805 qv).]

See TIPPING, Ann (1757-1828) born Abb~~P~~tt]

ABBATT, Benjamin (1799-1853)

Benjamin Abbatt, the son of Thomas Abbatt (1767-1836 qv) and his wife Alice (born Smith, 1772?-1825 qv) of Bolton in Lancashire, was born there on 21 May 1799(1).

He became a skip and basket manufacturer at Bolton(2) and was married in 1824 to Elizabeth Brown (1800-1873 qv) of Standish in Lancashire(3); there were nine children(4).

Benjamin Abbatt of Bolton died on 30 August 1853, at the age of fifty four(5).

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Lancashire QM Births Digest: his father is described as a tailor
- 2 He is so described in his marriage entry, note 3 and the birth entries of all his children
- 3 The wedding was at Standish on 10 June 1824: he is described as a skip and basket manufacturer of Bolton in Lancashire, the son of Thomas, a tailor and Alice Abbatt of Bolton; she is described as the daughter of Jonathan (deceased) and Ann Brown of Standish (Lancashire QM Marriages Digest)
- 4 Listed in Lancashire QM Births and Burials Digests and the Digests of Births and Marriages as follows:-

William	b 25 April 1825	m (1)1853 Maria Lucas (2)1857 Ann Mulliner
Thomas qv	b 23 March 1827	m 1853 Jane Haworth (1823?-1910 qv)
Jonathan	b 8 March 1829	m 1855 Mary Dilworth
James qv	b 1 Jan 1831	m (1)1860 Mary Hannah Lamb (2)1890 Anna Mary Knock
Jane	b 24 May 1833	m 1860 William Adair
Robert	b 4 April 1835	d 23 May 1835
Benjamin	b 16 May 1836	d 7 June 1836
*Alice Ann	b 25 Jan 1838	
*Elizabeth	b 19 Sept 1840	

*No marriages traced in the Digest of Marriages to 1903

- 5 Digest of Deaths: he is described as a skip and basket maker

SEE ALSO:- Annual Monitor 1854, p 1: 1 line entry for death

N.B. There is no reference to him in J Friends Hist Soc vols 1-45

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ABBATT, Dilworth (1861-1942)

Dilworth Abbatt, son of Jonathan and Mary Abbatt, was born at Preston on 19 December 1861 (1). He was at Ackworth School from 1874 to 1877. After leaving school he entered his father's business as a boot and shoe dealer (2). He married in 1894 Mary Ann Enock (3); they had two children (4). His wife died in 1921, and in 1925 he married Alice Maud Blackledge (5).

In early life he was a keen penny-farthing cyclist, and his interests included the Preston Scientific Society. He was particularly interested in local history and contributed articles to the local press. His Quaker researches found expression in his book, Quaker annals of Preston and the Fylde (1931).

Dilworth Abbatt retired from business in 1935. He died, after about a year's illness, on 17 September 1942, aged 80 years.

PRINCIPAL SOURCE:

Ackworth old scholars assoc. 62 rep.(1943) p.45

REFERENCES AND NOTES:

- 1 Digest of Birth Notes; a further entry of his birth under date 19 December 1862 is assumed to be in error
- 2 He is described as 'Boot & shoe dealer' or 'Shoe dealer' in the entries respecting his marriages (1894, 1925) and the births of his children (1895, 1898) and as 'Retired boot & shoe dealer' in Digest of Burial Notes
- 3 The wedding was a Sibford Gower on 10 July 1894; she is described as of Norton House, Sibford Gower, daughter of John Enock, gentleman
- 4 Listed in Digest of Birth Notes as follows :-

Mary Dilworth	born 27 Aug, 1895
Euth Enock	born 24 March 1898
- 5 The wedding was a Calder Bridge on 20 October 1925; she is described as of 42 Frenchwood Ave, Preston, daughter of Geoffrey Blackledge, collector

X ABBATT, Edward (1860-~~1939~~) 100

Edward Abbatt was born 2 March 1860 (1), the third son of William and Ann Abbatt, of Bolton, Lancashire. After leaving Bootham he entered his father's business of cane and skip manufacturer, and engaged in Sunday School and Temperance work. He and his wife presided over a Bible Class at the YWCA.

His first wife, Jane Baxter, died young, and left him three small children (2). During an extended illness, he learned to knit and made many articles for F.S.C. sales. In 1928, he retired from business and went to live at Colwyn Bay, where he engaged in Bible study, reading and country walks, and became an Elder in the Meeting. After injury while watching a cricket match, he died on 20 December 1939, at Colwyn Bay.

PRINCIPAL SOURCE:

The Friend, vol. 98 (1940), p.35

REFERENCES AND NOTES:

(1) ~~National~~ Digest of Marriage Birth & Deaths

(2)/^{see} Bootham School Register, (1935), p.11

ABBATT, Elizabeth (1800-1873) born Brown

Elizabeth Brown, the daughter of Jonathan and Ann Brown of Standish in Lancashire, was born there on 20 March 1800(1).

She was married in 1824 to Benjamin Abbatt (1799-1853 qv), a skip and basket manufacturer of Bolton in Lancashire and there were nine children(2).

Elizabeth Abbatt of Bolton died on 19 March 1873, the day before her seventy third birthday(3).

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Lancashire QM Births Digest: her father's occupation is not given
- 2 For marriage and children see ABBATT, Benjamin (1799-1853)
- 3 Annual Monitor 1874, p 1: 2 line entry for death; she is described as the widow of Benjamin Abbatt. Her death is not traced in the Digest of Deaths

N.B. There is no reference to her in J Friends Hist Soc vols 1-45

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ABBATT, George William (1858-1931)

George William Abbatt was born 23 September 1858 (1). 'For years he and his brother, Edward Abbatt, with their wives and families, formed the backbone of Bolton meeting, and in the passing of George William Abbatt the Society in general, and the League of Nations and Temperance causes in particular have lost an ardent worker.' He died 22 November 1931 (2).

PRINCIPAL SOURCE:

The Friend, vol. 71 (1931) p.1118

REFERENCES AND NOTES:

- (1) Digest of Births Notes
- (2) Digest of Burial Notes

SEE ALSO:

Bootham School Register (1935), p.11

ABBATT, James (1831-1895)

James Abbatt, the fourth son of Benjamin and Elizabeth Abbatt of Bolton in Lancashire, was born there on 1 January 1831(1). He was educated at Ackworth School from 1840 to 1845(2) and on leaving school he was for thirty years engaged in business as a woollen draper(3). He relinquished his business about the year 1875, believing that God had called him to devote his whole time to Christian work.

In 1860, during his business career, he married Mary Hannah Lamb of Sibford(4), but the marriage was childless(5). His wife proved a true helpmeet to him in many ways. With her assistance he took charge in 1880 of the newly formed Mission and School at the Pales in Radnorshire and while there he was recorded a minister of the Society in 1884. "His constant study and extensive knowledge of Scripture made him a valuable helper in Bible-class work, which he was always ready to aid, even beyond our own borders." He described the years spent in Radnorshire as being "a very isolated, but a joyous life." He afterwards went to St Ives in Huntingdonshire and later on to Newport in the Isle of Wight, but while at Newport his wife died in 1888(6).

He married again in 1890 Anna Mary Knock of Sibford(7) and lived there for his remaining years, becoming a member of Banbury Meeting. There were no children of his second marriage(8), but he endeared himself to all who came in contact with him and delighted in having his friends around him in his quiet home.

His health began to fail some months before his last illness and he died on 1 March 1895(9), at the age of sixty four.

PRINCIPAL SOURCE

Annual Monitor 1896 pp 1-3

Testimony of Banbury MM in Yearly Meeting Proceedings 1895, p 148

N.B. There is no reference to him in J Friends Hist Soc vols 1-45

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ABBATT, James (1831-1895)

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REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Lancashire QM Births Digest: his father is described as a basket maker
- 2 List of Boys and Girls admitted to Ackworth School, 1779-1879, p 140
- 3 He is so described in his marriage entry, note 4
- 4 The wedding was at Sibford Gower on 11 April 1860: he is described as a bachelor, a woollen draper of High Lancashire, the son of Benjamin Abbatt, a skip and basket maker; she is described as a spinster of Sibford, Oxfordshire, the daughter of John Lamb, a farmer (Digest of Marriages)
- 5 No children are recorded in the Digest of Births
- 6 Digest of Deaths: she died on 10 October 1888
- 7 The wedding was at Sibford Gower on 13 August 1890: he is described as a widower, a missionary of Newport, Isle of Wight, the son of Benjamin Abbatt, a basket maker; she is described as a spinster of Sibford Gower, the daughter of Ezra Knock, a watchmaker (Digest of Marriages)
- 8 No children are recorded in the Digest of Births
- 9 Digest of Deaths: he is described as a gentleman

ABBATT, Jane (1823?-1910) born Haworth

Jane Haworth, the daughter of Thomas Haworth of Leigh in Lancashire, was born about the year 1823(1).

She was married in 1853 to Thomas Abbatt (1827-1898 qv), a printer and stationer of Bolton in Lancashire and there were three children(2).

Jane Abbatt of Kirkhall Place, Chorley Road, Bolton died on 23 December 1910, at the age of eighty seven(3).

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Aged 87 at death. Her birth is not traced in Lancashire QM Births Digest
- 2 For marriage and children see ABBATT, Thomas (1827-1898)
- 3 Digest of Deaths: she is described as the widow of Thomas

N.B. There is no reference to her in J Friends Hist Soc vols 1-45

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ABBATT, John (1752-1813)

see ABBOTT, John (1752-1813)

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ABBATT, Mary (1833-1877)

Mary Abbatt, the daughter of Thomas Abbatt (1803-1844 qv) and his wife Sarah of Egerton in the parish of Bolton in Lancashire, was born there on 1 January 1833(1). She was educated at Ackworth School from 1845 to 1847(2). From early childhood she read her Bible regularly and at Ackworth School her teacher described her as the most conscientious girl she ever knew. She had a humble view of herself, but as she grew in years she grew in grace and soon began to exert an influence for good on those around her.

She was gentle, quiet and retiring but she could, if the occasion demanded, speak out with great boldness and her words, although few, were weighty. She was also a good listener and her loving sympathy gained the confidence of those who came to her for help. She had the most perfect confidence that her business and all belonging to her were in the hands of a loving father and always seemed to bear in mind that she was only a stewardess of the Lord's will.

She suffered for five years from a painful internal disease, which she bore with patience and fortitude. Mary Abbatt of Bolton died on 1 April 1877 at the age of forty four(3).

PRINCIPAL SOURCE

Annual Monitor 1878, p 1

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Lancashire QM Births Digest: her father is described as a book-keeper
- 2 List of Ackworth Scholars 1779-1879, p 149, entry 6706
- 3 Digest of Deaths: she is described as a brush and basket dealer.
Her age at death is wrongly given in the Annual Monitor as 45

N.B. There is no reference to her in J Friends Hist Soc vols 1-45

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ABBEATT, Richard, ca. 1800-1884.

b. ca. 1800, Preston, Lancs., Eng.

ed. Tutor at Tottenham; taught at Epping and at Stoke Newington.

m. Ann ~~1812~~

Classical Master, Publications: The Elements of Plane and Spherical Trigonometry, 1832, four editions; other mathematical works.

d. September 15, 1884, at Burgess Hill, near Hurstpierpoint Sussex, aged 84.

An. Mon. N.S., 43, p. 1. (121)

Smith (Sup.), p. 1.

The Friend, (London, 24, p. 28th)

ABBATT, Sarah (1759-1843) born Wilson

see ABBOTT, Sarah (1759-1843) born Wilson

ABBATT, Thomas (1767-1836)

Thomas Abbatt, the son of James and Ann Abbatt of Longridge in Lancashire, was born there on 3 May 1767(1).

He became a tailor at Bolton in Lancashire(2) and was married in 1793 to Alice Smith (1772?-1825 qv) of Preston in Lancashire(3); there were seven children(4).

Thomas Abbatt of Bolton died on 29 August 1836, at the age of sixty nine(5).

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Lancashire QM Births Digest: his father's occupation is not given
- 2 He is so described in the birth entries of all his children
- 3 The wedding was at Preston on 4 December 1793: he is described as of Bolton, the son of James, a nailor and Ann Abbatt of Alston, Lancashire; she is described as the daughter of Paul, a nailor and Jane Smith of Preston in Lancashire (Lancashire QM Marriages Digest)
- 4 Listed in Lancashire QM Births, Marriages and Burials Digests as follows:-

Jane	b 24 Sept 1794	d 15 Jan 1798
James	b 5 Nov 1796	m 1824 Elizabeth Abbatt
Benjamin qv	b 21 May 1799	m 1824 Elizabeth Brown (1800-1873 qv)
*Ann	b 8 June 1801	
Thomas qv	b 15 Aug 1803	m Sarah
*Jane	b 26 Oct 1806	
Paul	b 25 May 1809	d 15 Dec 1810 (given as Abbott)
- *No marriages are traced in Lancashire QM Marriages Digest or in the Digest of Marriages to 1870
- 5 Lancashire QM Burials Digest: he is described as a tailor

SEE ALSO:-

Annual Monitor 1837, p 3: 2 line entry for death 'in advanced age';'

N.B. There is no reference to him in J Friends Hist Soc vols 1-45

ABBATT, Thomas (1803-1844)

Thomas Abbatt, the son of Thomas Abbatt (1767-1836 qv) and his wife Alice (born Smith, 1772?-1825 qv) of Bolton in Lancashire, was born there on 15 August 1803(1).

He became a tailor at Bolton(2) and was married to Sarah(3); there were four children(4).

Thomas Abbatt of Bolton died on 6 February 1844, at the age of forty(5).

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Lancashire QM Births Digest: his father is described as a tailor
- 2 He is so described in the birth entries of his two eldest children and in his burial entry, but in the birth entries of his two youngest children he is described as first a book-keeper at Egerton and secondly as a dyer at Egerton
- 3 The marriage is not traced in any of the QM Marriage Digests of England and Wales
- 4 Listed in Lancashire QM Births and Burials Digests and the Digest of Deaths as follows:-

*Alice	b 13 May 1829	
Mary	b 28 April 1831	d 12 March 1832, aged 10 months
Mary qv	b 1 Jan 1833	d unmarried 1 April 1877, aged 44
*Sarah	b 19 April 1836	
- 5 *No marriages traced in the Digest of Marriages to 1903
- 5 Digest of Deaths: he is described as a tailor and draper

SEE ALSO:-

Annual Monitor 1845, p 1: 2 line entry for death

N.B. There is no reference to him in J Friends Hist Soc vols 1-45

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ABRATT, Thomas (1827-1898)

Thomas Abbatt, the son of Benjamin Abbatt (1799-1853 qv) and his wife Elizabeth (born Brown, 1800-1873 qv) of Bolton in Lancashire, was born there on 23 March 1827(1). He was educated at Ackworth School from 1836 to 1840 and on leaving school he was apprenticed to the printing trade.

On the completion of his apprenticeship he worked for a time for the firm of Bradshaw and Blacklock at Manchester. On 1 September 1851 he entered into partnership with R.Kenyon of Bolton as printers and stationers in Market Street and on the termination of the partnership agreement he went into business on his own account in the same street; he then built three shops and printing works in Corporation Street, to which he moved in 1871.

He was married in 1853 to Jane Haworth (1823?-1910 qv) of Leigh in Lancashire(2) and there were three children(3). He was of a genial and kindly disposition and was greatly respected by his fellow townsmen of whatever religion or politics.

His health had always been delicate and he was obliged to live a very careful and abstemious life. Thomas Abbatt of Bolton died on 27 February 1898, at the age of seventy one(4).

PRINCIPAL SOURCE

Ackworth Old Scholars Association Reports 17 (1898) p 66

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Lancashire QM Births Digest: his father is described as a basket maker
 - 2 The wedding was at West Houghton in the parish of Dean, Lancashire: he is described as a bachelor, a printer and bookseller of Devonport Street, Bolton, the son of Benjamin Abbatt, a skip and basket maker; she is described as a spinster of King Street, Leigh, the daughter of Thomas Haworth, a shop keeper (Digest of Marriages)
 - 3 Listed in the Digests of Births and Marriages as follows:-

Benjamin Haworth	b 10 Nov 1854	m 1878 Eliza Vickers
Emily	b 31 Dec 1856	m 1882 George King Bell NM
*Washington	b 6 Nov 1860	
 - 4 Digest of Deaths: he is described as a printer and stationer
- *No marriage traced in the Digest of Marriages to 1922

N.B. There is no reference to him in J Friends Hist Soc vols 1-45

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ABBATT, Walter (1862-1937)

Walter Abbatt was born at Bolton, Lancashire, on 21 December 1862(1) the fourth of five sons of William and Ann Abbatt. He spent two or three years at Ackworth and was at Bootham from 1875-79.

At Bristol, he was for about 25 years in the service of a firm of corn and flour merchants. He was a member of Meetings in Clevedon and Bristol, where in 1904 he married Maud Mary Green. In 1905 they removed to New Barnet and he became secretary and a director of a London firm of factors and shippers.

At New Barnet he and his wife joined with a group of Friends, at first holding occasional meetings at the house of the late Joseph Bevan Braithwaite; Walter Abbatt served as clerk for the minutes of the first Preparative Meeting, and he continued in this office till the end of 1926. For 21 years he was treasurer of Tottenham Monthly Meeting. He continued as Elder and Overseer for the New Barnet Meeting after his wife's death in 1931. 'The steadfast courage with which he faced adversity has been an inspiration to all who knew the circumstances, especially to certain of his Meeting who had somewhat similar (business) difficulties of their own.' He died after a street accident in London on 21 January 1937 (2).

PRINCIPAL SOURCE:

The Friend, vol.95 (1937) p.127

REFERENCES AND NOTES:

- (1) Digest of Births Notes
- (2) The Friend, vol.95(1937) p.104

SEE ALSO:

Bootham School Register, (1935) p.11

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ABBOT, Abigail, -1717

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Boles. in Ireland

m. Smith.

ca. 1675 convinced by William Bingley.

ca. 1683 Spoke as a minister. Travelled in Ireland and in England. She was an eloquent woman, of a majestic presence. Being much followed, praised and applauded, she lost her gift and fell to a low degree of contempt.

Was married to a man (not a Friend) by a priest. Repented and gave out a paper of condemnation concerning her miscarriages.

d. 1717, Moeg, near Charleville, Munster,
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R.P.Q.Ire., (Rutty)^{ed.} p.272. (1751 ed.)
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Additional Information

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ABBOT, John, 1753-1813.

Labored beyond the bounds of his own Society.

d. January, 1813,^{Bath, Eng.} aged 60, returning from a meeting of Friends in London.

An. Mon., 2, pp. 14-15, no. 11-12.

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ABBOTT, Ann (1762-1791) born King

Ann King was born 23 January 1762, the daughter of Josiah and Mary King of Earith, Huntingdonshire (1).

She came forth in the ministry about her twenty second year; She married on 9 September 1784 John Abbott, son of Samuel and Hannah Abbott of St.Ives Hunts (2), to whom she was a truly affectionate wife. She diligently attended and travelled in the meetings for worship of Huntingdonshire, and 'was frequently led in a short lively Testimony to the satisfaction and Edification of friends.' She was also very serviceable in exercising the discipline.

She /
She h Ann King was of weakly constitution, and died on 27 August 1791. She was interred at Friends Burying Ground, St.Ives on 1 September (3).

PRINCIPAL SOURCE :

Testimony of Huntingdon M.M. in TCMD, vol.4 p.1

NOTES AND REFERENCES :

1. Cambridge & Hunts QM Births Digest
2. Cambridge & Hunts QM Marriages Digest. He is described as 'baker' He was born 17 July 1752; his death is not in Cambs & Hunts QM Burials Digest

Children: Cambs & Hunts QM Births Digest

John born 12 December 1785

Hannah born 11 June 1787 died 22 January 1789

Samuel born 3 January 1789

Josiah born 25 March 1790 died 23 April 1790

3. Cambs & Hunts QM Burials Digest h

ABBOTT, Arthur Robert (1833-1892)

Arthur Robert Abbott, the son of Benjamin Abbott (-) and his wife Eliza Ann (born) of Grange Road, Croydon in Surrey, was born there on 25 October 1833(1).

He became a schoolmaster at Hitchin in Hertfordshire(2) and was married in 1858 to Ellen Bax (1835- qv) of Stockwell(3); there were six children(4).

In 1866 he graduated B.A. (London) and became for a time principal of the Friends' school at Grove House, Tottenham, but in later life he joined the Church of England and became a clergyman. He was vicar of Gorleston near Yarmouth, where he died on 27 December 1892(5).

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 London & Middlesex QM Births Digest: his father is described as a school-master
- 2 He is so described in his marriage entry, note 3
- 3 The wedding was at Winchmore Hill on 1 July 1858: he is described as a bachelor, a schoolmaster of Hitchin, Herts, the son of Benjamin Abbott, a schoolmaster; she is described as a spinster of Amherst Road, Stockwell, the daughter of Thomas Bax, a corn dealer (Digest of Marriages)
- 4 Listed in the Digests of Births and Deaths as follows:-

*Eleanor Maud	b 23 April 1861	
*Alice Edith	b 4 Aug 1862	
*Arthur Harold	b 1 June 1864	
Thomas Aston	b 20 Oct 1865	d 22 Jan 1872, aged 6
Francis Charles	b 28 May 1867	m 1901 Pauline Sara L'Estrange ** (in Ireland, not in <u>The Friend</u>)
Robert Crowther	b 19 Sept 1869	d unmarried 1927**
- 5 No marriages traced in the Digest of Marriages to 1941, or given in Bernard Thistletonwaite, The Bax Family, p 185
- ** Given in Bernard Thistletonwaite, loc cit
- 5 Bernard Thistletonwaite, loc cit

N.B. There is no reference to him in J Friends Hist Soc vols 1-53

ABBOTT, Benjamin (1793-1870)

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Benjamin Abbott, the son of Robert Abbott (fl 1789-1818 qv) and his wife Dinah (born Gallaway, 1755-1818 qv) of Bermondsey in Surrey, was born there on 12 March 1793, but he did not have a birthright membership of the Society of Friends(1).

He was married prior to 1832 to Eliza Ann (1804?-1896 qv)(2) and there were two children(3).

He and his wife and infant son were admitted into membership of the Society by Southwark Monthly Meeting on 10 February 1835(4).

Benjamin Abbott of Thornton Heath, Croydon in Surrey, died on 6 December 1870, at the age of seventy seven(5).

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 London & Middlesex QM Births Digest: he is described as NM and his father's occupation is not given
- 2 The marriage is not traced in London & Middlesex QM Marriages Digest
- 3 Listed in London & Middlesex QM Births and Burials Digests and in the Digest of Marriages as follows:-

Emma Dinah	b 1 Feb 1832 NM	d 2 Nov 1832, aged 9 months
Arthur Robert qv	b 25 Oct 1853 NM	m 1858 Ellen Bax (1835- qv)
- 4 Southwark MM minutes 16 Sept 1834, 1827-1838, p 325: application for membership. Admitted 10 Feb 1835, pp 349-350
- 5 Digest of Deaths: he is described as a gentleman

SEE ALSO:-

Annual Monitor 1872, p 1: 1 line entry for death

N.B. There is no reference to him in J Friends Hist Soc vols 1-53

ABBOTT, Dinah (1755-1818) born Gallaway

Dinah Gallaway, the daughter of Robert Gallaway (-) and his wife
Dinah (born), was born on 12 December 1755(1).

She was married prior to 1789 to Robert Abbott (fl 1789-1818 qv), who was not a member of the Society of Friends and there were three children(2). She was disowned by Chatteris & Wisbech Monthly Meeting for marriage with "a person not a member of our Society" and although she subsequently, on her removal to London, applied for reinstatement, her application was refused and she was never readmitted into membership(3).

Dinah Abbott of Long Lane in the parish of Bermondsey died on 21 February 1818, at the age of sixty two(4).

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Cambs & Hunts QM Births Digest: her place of birth and her father's occupation are not given
- 2 For information relating to her marriage and children see ABBOTT, Robert (fl 1789-1818)
- 3 Horsleydown MM minutes vol 14, 1791-1795, p 130, 18 September 1792:- minute from Chatteris Monthly Meeting. She was formerly a member of Chatteris & Wisbech MM and was disowned for marriage with "a person not a member of our Society." A letter enclosed requested reinstatement. Visitors were appointed and she was visited regularly over a period of two years. On 18 March 1794 (pp 253-254) the meeting was of the opinion that Dinah Abbott "is not at present deeply enough sensible of the inconsistency of her conduct to be reinstated in Membership."
- 4 London & Middlesex QM Burials Digest: she is described as NM, the wife of Robert

N.B. There is no reference to her in J Friends Hist Soc vols 1-53

ABBOTT, Eliza Ann (1804?-1896) born

Eliza Ann Abbott, details of whose birth and parentage are not at present (1983) traced, was born about the year 1804(1).

She was married prior to 1832 to Benjamin Abbott (1793-1870 qv) and there were two children(2). She was not at the time of her marriage a member of the Society of Friends and was admitted into membership, with her husband and infant son, by Southwark Monthly Meeting on 10 February 1835(3).

Eliza Ann Abbott died at The Retreat, York, on 23 January 1896, at the age of ninety two(4).

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Aged 92 at death
- 2 For information relating to her marriage and children see ABBOTT, Benjamin (1793-1870)
- 3 Southwark MM minutes, 1827-1838, pp 349-350
- 4 Digest of Deaths: she is described as the widow of Benjamin

SEE ALSO:-

Annual Monitor 1897, p 1: 3 line entry for death, of Walthamstow, the widow of Benjamin Abbott, formerly of Hitchin

N.B. There is no reference to her in J Friends Hist Soc vols 1-53

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ABBOTT, Ellen (1835-) born Bax

Ellen Bax, the daughter of Thomas Bax (1795-1878 qv) and his second wife Emily Sarah (born Littell, 1805?-1880 qv) of 143 Bishopsgate Street, London, was born there on 8 August 1835(1).

She was married in 1858 to Arthur Robert Abbott (1833-1892 qv), a schoolmaster of Hitchin in Hertfordshire and there were six children(2).

Her husband later joined the Church of England and became a clergyman; he was vicar of Gorleston near Yarmouth, where he died(3).

The date of her death is not at present (1983) traced(4).

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 London & Middlesex QM Births Digest: her father is described as a corn dealer
- 2 For marriage and children see ABBOTT, Arthur Robert (1833-1892)
- 3 See entry for ABBOTT, Arthur Robert (1833-1892)
- 4 Her death is not traced in the Digest of Deaths to 1935: it is not given in Bernard Thistletonwaite, The Bax Family, p 185

N.B. There is no reference to her in J Friends Hist Soc vols 1-53

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ABBOTT, Elizabeth (1801-1856) after 1850 Prideaux

[Elizabeth Abbott, daughter of John (1752-1813, qv)
and Sarah (1764-1802 born Tregelles, qv) Abbott,
was married in 1850 to Charles Prideaux

see PRIDEAUX, Elizabeth (1801-1856) born Abbott]

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ABBOTT, George, 1849-1915.

Salem, N.J.

b. September 11, 1849.^A son George and Ruth Smith Baker Abbott.

m. Elizabeth Eldridge Lippincott, 1872; five children.

As young man wanted to become a millionaire, but decided that he could not accomplish this honestly and abandoned the idea. Chose purveying a necessity rather than a luxury. Zest for business; high standards of quality and integrity. Sobriquets (nicknames): "The Quaker Orator," and "The Quaker Fighter"; originated in Trenton and Harrisburg as a result of his efforts for good milk ^{Founded Abbott's Alderney Dairies.} legislation. His appreciation of and respect for employees created reciprocal loyalty. Subtle humor; gift for solicitation. Promoter and first pres. of Pocono Manor Inn, 1902, a summer resort where "Friends of all income brackets might be bound together in harmony through recreation." Mem. Com. Moorestown Friends' Acad., Com. Westtown School, Rep. Mtg. Arch St. Phila. Y. Mtg.; founder Friends Meeting at Orlando, Fla. Instigated beautification of Orlando, Fla. through discovery and procuring of palms hardy in that climate.

d. December 18, 1915, Moorestown, N.J., aged 66.

The Friend, Phila., 82, p. 301, 314, 11.

WBE DQB Collection, letter from Elizabeth Abbott Christ.

ABBOTT, Hannah (1724?-1780) born

Hannah Abbott, details of whose birth and parentage are not at present (1983) traced, was born about the year 1724(1).

She was married prior to 1748 to Samuel Abbott (1717?-1783 qv), a baker of St Ives in Huntingdonshire and there were ten children, many of whom died in infancy(2).

Hannah Abbott of St Ives died on 9 September 1780, at the age of fifty six(3).

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Aged 56 at death
- 2 For information relating to her marriage and children see ABBOTT, Samuel (1717?-1783)
- 3 Cambs & Hunts QM Burials Digest: she is described as the wife of Samuel

N.B. There is no reference to her in J Friends Hist Soc vols 1-53

ABBOTT, John

There was, toward the close of the 18th cent., a John Abbott of Plymouth, to be distinguished from John Abbott of St Ives and later Falmouth,

Based on note by Norman Penney: Pen pictures (1930) p.7

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ABBOTT, John (1752-1813)

John Abbott was born on 17 July 1752, a son of Samuel and Hannah Abbott of St Ives in Huntingdonshire, a baker (1). In 1783 he was recorded a minister, and in 1784 he married Ann King, of Barith (1762-1791, qv) (2), and had 4 children (3). In 1785 John Abbott was visiting Friends in Scotland and he was in that country again in 1789. In 1794 he married ~~Sarah~~ Sarah Tregelles (1764-1802, qv), daughter of Joseph and Sarah Tregelles of Falmouth (4), to which place they moved soon after marriage and where one child was born before they took up their residence in Plymouth, where other children were born (5). John Abbott was in Ireland in 1795, and his wife, Sarah, and he in 1800. James Jenkins records that during this visit Sarah Abbott imbibed the rebellious doctrines of the Irish New-Lights. It was reported that John had also indulged in forbidden fruit, but of this charge he thought proper, to make the most public refutation that could be made among his friends'. A third marriage took place in 1806 - with Sarah Wilson (1759-1843, qv), daughter of Isaac and Rachel Wilson of Kendal (6), 'a valuable but eccentric Friend', - 'a beautiful life and saintly character'.

John Abbott travelled much in the ministry. He was particularly severe to those 'who were in the practice of profane swearing'. He paid a religious visit to London in 1812, and on his return ^{home}, he suddenly died at Bath, his remains being interred there (7).

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PRINCIPAL SOURCES

Testimony of West Devon MM in TGMD vol. 5 p.5
Note by Norman Penney in Pen pictures of London Yearly Meeting, 1930,
pp.119, 120, correcting a note on p.7 where he wrongly distinguished
'a John Abbott of Plymouth' from 'John Abbott of St Ives and later
Falmouth'. See also pp. 1,30,36, 47,59,62,88,90.

REFERENCES AND NOTES:

1 Cambs & Hunts QM Births Digest

2 Cambs & Hunts QM Marriages Digest. The marriage was on 9 September 1784.
He is described as a baker.

3 Listed in Cambs & Hunts QM Births Digest as follows:

John	born 12 Dec 1785
Hannah	born 11 June 1787 died 22 Jan 1789
Samuel	born 3 Jan 1789
Josiah	born 25 March 1790 died 23 April 1790

4 Cornwall QM Marriages Digest. The marriage was at Falmouth on
16 July 1794

5 Listed in Cornwall QM Births Digest as follows:
Francis born 3 May 1795 (Also entered by Devonshire QM)

and in Devonshire QM Births Digest:

Hannah	born 20 March 1799 (m. Benjamin Wills Newton 1832; d.c. 1846)
Elizabeth, qv	born 7 March 1801 aftw. Prideaux

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ABBOTT, John(1752-1813) continued

- 6 Westmorland QM Marriages Digest. The marriage was at Kendal on 10 March 1806
- 7 Devonshire QM Burials Digest: he died on 3 January 1813 aged about 59 years, and was buried at Bathford, - the entry describes him as shopkeeper

SEE ALSO:

- James Jenkins Records and recollections pp 525, 783, 820
Mary Waring A diary of the religious experience of Mary Waring 2nd ed. 1810
pp 173, 177, 179, 201
Ann Dymond, Some account of Ann Dymond, 1820, p. 105 [JA's death]
~~vol 21 p 77; vol 23 p 91~~
J. Friends hist soc vol 13 pp 12, 13; vol 15 pp 20, 58; vol 21 p 77; vol 23 p 91

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ABBOTT, John (1753-1813)

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John Abbott of Plymouth became a minister in 1783.
He travelled much in England, and was particularly severe
to those 'who were in the practice of profane swearing.'

He died in 1813 at the age of 60

Testimony of West Devon M.M. in MS Test. vol.5 p.3

see also previous sheet

ABBOTT, Robert (fl 1789-1818)

Robert Abbott, details of whose birth and parentage are not at present (1983) traced, was not a member of the Society of Friends(1).

He was married prior to 1789 to Dinah Gallaway (1755-1818 qv) of Chatteris & Wisbech Monthly Meeting(2) and there were three children(3).

There is at present (1983) no trace of his ever having become a member of the Society(4) and the date of his death is not traced(5).

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Horsleydown MM minutes vol 14, 1791-1795, p 130: his wife was disowned for marriage with a person not a member of the Society
- 2 The marriage is not traced in Cambs & Hunts QM Marriages Digest
- 3 Listed in London & Middlesex QM Births Digests as follows:-

*Sarah	b 28 May 1789 NM
Benjamin qv	b 12 March 1793 NM
*Dinah	b 24 March 1796 NM

*No marriages traced in London & Middlesex QM Marriages Digest
- 4 No application for membership appears in the minutes of Horsleydown MM
- 5 His death is not traced in London & Middlesex QM Burials Digest nor in the Digest of Deaths to 1857: in her burial entry Dinah Gallaway is described as the wife of Robert

N.B. There is no reference to him in J Friends Hist Soc vols 1-53

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ABBOTT, Samuel, 1712-1760.

b. 1712, Salem, N.J.

Father's early death left him in charge of family,

Became a minister, 1734, at 22. He gained a good report.

d. November 25, 1760, aged 48, of cancer of the face.

John Smith's Ms., 1, p. 2.

Gum. p. 591.

The Friend, Phila., 33, p. 45.

ABBOTT, Samuel (1717?-1783)

ABBOTT, Samuel (1717?-1783)
Samuel Abbott, details of whose birth and parentage are not at present (1983) traced, was born about the year 1717(1).
He was a Congregationalist minister in New Hampshire(2) and was married prior to

He became a baker at St Ives in Huntingdonshire(2) and was married prior to 1748 to Hannah (1724?-1780 qv)(3); there were ten children, many of whom died in infancy(4).
He died at the age of sixty six(5).

Samuel Abbott of St Ives died on 10 August 1783, at the age of sixty six(5).

REFERENCES AND NOTES

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 - 1 Aged 66 at death. His birth is not traced in Cambs & Hunts QM Births Digest
 - 2 He is so described in the birth entries for his children from 1752 to 1764 and in his burial entry, note 5
 - 3 The marriage is not traced in any of the QM Marriages Digests of England and Wales
 - 4 Listed in Cambs & Hunts QM Births, Marriages and Burials Digests as follows:-

Sarah	b 12 iv [June] 1748	d 1 Sept 1752
John	b 26 vii [Sept] 1749	buried 22 x [Dec] 1749
Mary	b 11 vi [Aug] 1750	d 10 v [July] 1751
John qv	b 17 July 1752	m (1) 1784 Ann King (1762-1791 qv) (2) 1794 Sarah Tregelles (1764-1802 qv) (3) Sarah Wilson (1759-1843 qv)
		d unmarried 5 Sept 1782, aged 29
		died
Sarah	b 1 Sept 1753	
Hannah	b 8 Jan 1758	
*Samuel	b 17 March 1759	d 17 Jan 1762
Hannah	b 9 Jan 1762	d 18 Jan 1763, aged 1 month
Hannah	b 19 Dec 1762	d 29 Dec 1764
Mary	b 21 Dec 1764	

*No marriage traced in Cambs & Hunts QM Marriages Digest

5 Cambs & Hunts QM Burials Digest: he is described as a baker

See also:- Incidental reference in J Friends Hist Soc vol 8, p 146: Sup 16 (Pen
Pictures) p 119

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ABBOTT, Sarah (1759-1843) born Wilson

Sarah Wilson, was daughter of Isaac (1714/5-1785, qv) and Rachel (1720-1775 born Wilson, qv) Wilson of Kendal, was born there on 15 June 1759 (1).

She was acknowledged a minister in 1794. She married John Abbott (1752-1813, qv) of Plymouth in 1806. (2) She was several times liberated by her monthly meeting with certificates to attend religious meetings in various parts of the country. 'Notwithstanding her eccentricities, she appears to have been a valuable Friend' (3).

She died at Plymouth on 1 July 1843, aged 84 years, a minister for about 40 years (4). Her body was interred in Friends' burial ground, Plymouth.

PRINCIPAL SOURCE:

Testimony of West Devon MM in Testimonies 1844 p 3

REFERENCES AND NOTES:

- 1 Westmorland QM Births Digest
- 2 Westmorland QM Marriages Digest. The marriage was at Kendal on 10 March 1806
- 3 Norman Penney Pen pictures of London Yearly Meeting, 1930, p 90, but see also p 119. Other references to her appear on pp 104, 184
- 4 Not in Digest of Burial Notes

SEE ALSO

- Friend, Phila, vol. 18 (1844) p.22 (Testimony)
Ball, Memorials, p.188
Edward Pease, pp. 51n, 196, 212
John Somervell, Isaac and Rachel Wilson, 1924

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Additional Information

ABBOTT, Sarah, 1759-1843.

b. June 11, 1759, Kendal, Eng. (London says June 15)

Love of the gospel appeared to be the major force in her life. Injured by a fall, 1830, left her home. Minister for ca. 49 years.

d. July 1, 1843 (London says July 18), aged 84.

Testimonies of Deceased Friends 9:3.

An. Mon. N.S., 2, p. 10, No. 1. (1843)

The Friend, Phila., 18, pp. 22-23.

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Sarah
ABBOTT, Ann (1764-1802) born Tregelles

{Norman Penney, Pen pictures of London Yearly Meeting, 1930, p.7
states that 'Ann Abbott was wife of John Abbott of St,Ives,
Hunts, and Falmouth. She was a daughter of Joseph Tregelles,
of Falmouth.' In this note he confuses her with the first
wife of John Abbott, viz: Ann King, daughter of Josiah and
Mary King of Barith. The second wife of John Abbott was
Sarah Tregelles, daughter of Joseph Tregelles of Falmouth.

^{Penney}
Norman [corrects the error in Pen pictures, 1930, pp.119-120]

James Jenkins states, that while on a religious
visit to Ireland she imbibed the teaching of the
New Lights. (Irish Friend 1839)

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ABBOTT, Sarah (1764-1802) born Tregelles

Sarah Tregelles, the daughter of Joseph (1727-1793, qv) and Sarah (1737-1811, born Kingston, qv) Tregelles, was born at Falmouth on 9 May 1764 (1).

She married John Abbott (1752-1813, qv) at Falmouth on 16 July 1794 (2); there were three children (3).

About 1800 she visited Ireland with her husband, and according to James Jenkins, while there she "imbibed the rebellious doctrines of the Irish New-Lights" (4).

She died on 3 May 1802 aged about 38 years, and was buried at Plymouth (5).

REFERENCES AND NOTES :

- 1 Cornwall QM Births Digest
- 2 Cornwall QM Marriages Digest. Norman Penney, Pen pictures, 1930 p.7 confusing her with John Abbott's first wife, describes her as Ann Abbott. He corrects this error in a note, op.cit., pp.119-120
- 3 For details see entry for ABBOTT, John (1752-1813)
- 4 James Jenkins, Records and recollections, p.821
- 5 Devonshire QM Burials Digest

SEE ALSO

Norman Penney, Pen pictures of London Yearly Meeting, 1930, pp.119,120

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ABBOTT, Thomas (1886?-1950)

Thomas Abbott was born in 1886? He had been an Attender at Friar Lane Meeting for about 10 years. 'For some reason which he never fully revealed he did not apply for membership, although he was well aware that Friends would have welcomed him wholeheartedly. When asked about it he would say that he was not good enough to be a Quaker, and in saying it he was doubtless quite serious.' Largely due to him the morning Meeting for Worship was kept alive during the war years when Sunday morning transport was non-existent. In Nottingham district he was much concerned with tribunal experiences. He attended Appellate Tribunals in London and Manchester on behalf of many men, collected funds for their maintenance, organised alternative work schemes for them, attended C.B.C.O. headquarters meetings as local representative, and was the mainspring of its activities in the East Midlands. He died 4 February 1950.

PRINCIPAL SOURCE:

The Friend, vol.108 (1950) p.152

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ABDELNOOR, Abdelnoor Abdullah el (1853?-1927)

Abdelnoor Abdullah el Abdelnoor was born in 1853? He entered the American University at Beyrouth (then the Syrian Protestant College) in 1867. He took his B.A. in 1871 along with Dr. Bechara J. Manasseh and Lotfallah Rizcallah. After his graduation he took service in the American United Presbyterian Mission at Assiut, Upper Egypt, and was there several years, assisting during the summer time in the language teaching of some of the Americans. Thence he went to Ramallah, Palestine, where his two eldest children were born. Then he came north to Lebanon, his home country, to live forty years.

'As a teacher...he has always been a marked man—one whom to know was to love. There were traits in his character which suggested that he had been impressed by and approximated to the simplicity and sterling worth of the early Friends whom he met in Syria. He had the esteem of all, and there was a touch of old-time Quakerism in the quaint English of his letters to us...There was a "sense of direction" about his life, which was evidently so "open-doored to God" that daily response to Divine guidance.' He died at Bsharri, Lebanon, on 8 November 1927.

PRINCIPAL SOURCE:

The Friend, vol. 67 (1927) p.1201

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ABELL, James, 1751-1818.

b. June 15, 1751, Cork, Ire. son Joseph and Mary Abell
Became an Elder ca. 1784. A tender friend to the young.
Early relinquished trade. Was moderate in his expenses, and
contributed liberally to good causes.

d. July 15, 1818, aged 67, in Cork, Ire.

Piety Promoted, London, 1829, p. 200.