

WBE:

ALLEY, Sarah

1798, was published An account of a trance or vision
of Sarah Alley. . .

Friends Hist. Lib., Swarthmore, Pa., BX 7616.

WBE:

ALLGOOD, Thomas, -1716.

Artisan.

m.

Devised a means of manufacturing copperas, also a process of extracting oil from cannel coal. He is chiefly remembered as the manufacturer of "Japanese ware." His son Edward improved upon his father's technique, and his grandson William Allgood made further advance. Works at Pontypool, Monmouth Co., Eng.

d. 1716.

J. F. H. S., 22:13.

The Friend (Phila.), 99:544.

ALLIN, Nathanael (1659-)

Nathanael Allin was the husband of Susanna Allin (1666-1739)
born Croxall, q.v. He was born at Nether Whitaker, Warwicks.
and was the son of Nathanael and Mary Allin

ALLIN, Susanna (1666-1739) born Croxall

Susanna Croxall was born 11.vi [August] 1666 at Nether Whitaker, Co.Warwick, the daughter of John and Mary Croxall (1). She married 29.vii [September] 1689, at Harbery, Nathanael Allin of Warwick, son of Nathanael and Mary Allin (2).

About 1714 she received a part in the ministry 'and had a few Words at times both in Exhortation & Supplication'. She was diligent in attending meeting, was a tender and affectionate wife and mother, and 'plain but very Clean & Decent in her Apparell, her best adorning being that of a meek & quiet Spirit' /

She died 15.v.[July] 1739, and was buried in Friends Burying Ground Warwick, 17.5 [July] (3).

PRINCIPAL SOURCE:

Testimony of Warwickshire QM, in TCMD vol.1 p.138

NOTES AND REFERENCES :

1. Warwicks Leicester & Rutland QM Births Digest
2. Warwicks, Leicester & Rutland QM Marriages Digest. [Nathanael Newson. Allin was born at the 'latter end' of vii [Sept] 1659, at Nether Whitaker, Warwicks

- Warwicks, Leicester & Rutland QM Births Digest / Children - : /

John	born 27.viii [Oct] 1690	
Mary	Born 18.iv [June] 1692	died 24/25 iv [June] 1692
Nathanael	born 1.v [July] 1693	
Susanna	born 8.vii [Sept] 1695	
Joseph	born 9.xii 1697 [i.e., Feb.1697/8)	
Samuel	born 13.i.1699 [i.e. March 1699/1700]	died 30/31 vi [Aug.] 1700

- Warwicks Leicester & Rutland QM Births Digest X
3. Not in Warwicks, Leicester & Rutland QM Burial Digest

WBE:

ALLINSON, David, ca. 1774-1858

Printer and publisher.

Lost his membership. Became a member of the Episcopal Church. Applied to be reinstated and was received at Burlington N. J.

m. Beulah Zane

d. Sept. 14, 1858 at Pemberton N. J.

Am. An. Mon., 2:10

968 Allinson Genealogy, Haverford College Quaker Manuscript Collection

WBE:

ALLINSON, Francis Greenleaf, 1856-1931. ^{IS}Classist, teacher.

b. 16 Dec., 1856, "Green Bank", Burlington, N.J.

s. William James and Rebecca W. (Hinchman) Allinson.

Entered Haverford 1873; A.B. 1876, A.M. 1879; Harvard
A.B. 1877; Johns Hopkins Ph.D. 1880. Also student at
Heidelberg, Bonn, Berlin, Rome, Athens.

m. Mary Irwin Cary (Baltimore) 1885. dau. Susanne.

m., 2nd, Anne Crosby Emery of Ellsworth, Me. Home Providence,
R. I.

Taught Latin and Greek at Haverford. Headmaster,
University School, Baltimore, Md. Williams College, Asst.
Prof. of Greek, 1882. Brown Univ. 1895, Athens, and
Univ. of Calif. Retired from active teaching 1928. Had
taught Anna Cox Brinton. Member of many classical and
educational associations.

Wrote Greek Lands and Letters (several editions).

His name, Greenleaf, inspired J. G. Whittier's poem,
"My Namesake".

d. 23 June 1931, Hancock Point, Me., in his 75th
year.

Dict. Am. Biog., Vol. 21: 24.

Mat. Cat. Hav. College, 172.

WBE:

ALLINSON, Samuel, 1739-1791.

Attorney and Surveyor-General of N.J.

b. 1739.

m. Elizabeth Smith, 1765, (2) children.
^{Cooper}

m. 2nd Martha, 1773, (5) children.
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Wrote, 1776, Acts of General Assembly of the
Province of New Jersey ... from 1702 to ... 1776.

d. 1791, age ca. 52.

Qu. Col. Hv. 975.

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WBE:

ALLINSON, Samuel, 1808-1883. Farmer.

b. 20 December 1808, New York, N.Y. s. James and Bernice (Chattin) Allinson. 1830 "Locust Hill", Yardville, N.J.

m. Elizabeth Alsop, 1839; 5 children.

m. 2nd Anne Tatum, 1855; 3 children.

A progressive farmer and public-spirited citizen.
1839 decided not to give liquor to hands at harvest time.
Helped establish reform schools for boys, and for girls,
1875.

Wrote, 1875, Extracts from an account of the New Jersey Indians ...; 1876, Fragmentary history of the New Jersey Indians.

d. 5 December 1883, Yardville, N.J., in his 75th year.

The Friend, Phila., 57: 160.

Memorial of Samuel Allinson, 1884, (Hageman)

Qu. Col. Hav. 962.

Hinshaw's Encycl., 2: 725.

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WBE:

ALLINSON, William, 1765?-1841.

Elder, Burlington Mo. Mtg., New Jersey.

Wrote in his Diary No. 2, Concerning meetings at
time of separation, 1827-1828.

d. 1841, Burlington, N. J., age 76?

Qu. Col. Hav., 975.

WBE:

ALLINSON, William James, 1810-1874.

Druggist at Burlington, N.J.

b. 31 Oct. 1810, Phila., Pa.. s. James and Bernice *Chase*)
Allinson. Lived next door to Rebecca Jones.

1825-31 apprenticed to William Scattergood.

m. Rebecca Webb Hinchman. Son named Francis Greenleaf Allinson inspired poem by John G. Whittier "My Namesake". W.J.A. a friend of Whittier. Home at Burlington, N.J. called "Greenbank".

Druggist at Burlington, N.J.

Published Memorials of Rebecca Jones. Memorials of the Life and Character of John Gummere. 1862, Right in the Abstract, 1873, Poems. 1863, The Early Church. 1867, Editor of Friends' Review. One baptism, Phila.

A sympathizer with Joseph John Gurney.

d. 11 June 1874, Burlington, N.J., age ca. 64.

Smith's Cat. 1: 25.

Smith, Suppl., p. 9.

Friends' Review 27: 769.

F.H.L. Swar. BX7616.

Qu. Col. Hav. 851 (portrait).

Charles S. Hinchman, following p. 50, portrait.

ALLIS, Martha (1755-1797) after 1780 Hartland

For references to Martha, daughter of John and Anna Allis of Southwark, who in 1780 married Nathaniel Hartland (1754?-1830 qv) of Tewkesbury, Gloucestershire

see HARTLAND, Martha (1755-1797) born Allis

WBE:

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ALLIS, Thomas, 1788-1875.

Hosier in Bristol and in Tewkesbury.

b. 1788, Tewkesbury, Eng., s. Jacob Allis, a hosier, from Burford.

One of the first teachers in Friends' First-day Schools.

At Tewkesbury experimented in a Lancastrian School. Was present in London, 1801, when the case of Hannah Barnard was decided. 1823, Supt. at The Retreat, York. 1842 removed to Osbaldwick, where a private asylum for the insane claimed his care. From 1853, took an active part in Friends' concerns.

Had a garden, fernery and an aviary. Too ^K interest in ornithological osteology. Married over 60 years.

d. 24 Sept. 1875, Osbaldwick, near York, age 87.

An. Mon., N.S., 34, 1876: 2.

Frds' Quar. Exam., 10, 1876: 75.

The Friend, London, 15, 1875: 280.

ALLOTT, Wilfred (1891 - 1972)

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Wilfred Allott was born on June 28, 1891.(1)

He went out to work with the F.S.C. in Madagascar and while there, at Tananarive, in 1916, he married Irene Geraldine Webb.(2) They stayed in Madagascar until about 1924 and then returned to England first to Warrington and then to Leeds where he was appointed as principal of the Swarthmore Adult Settlement.(3) There he gave good service to the community. He was capable of reaching a high academic place but he preferred to work with the deprived and underprivileged and the obituary in The Friend records that " he opened the windows for many at Swarthmore ".

In 1945 he gave the Swarthmore lecture at London Yearly Meeting on ' Worship and Social Progress '. He served on several central committees (4), but in later years found very much to deplore in the Society of Friends and in society generally.

He died at York on April 29, 1972, aged 80.

PRINCIPAL SOURCE The Friend Vol. 130 (1972) p. 698

REFERENCES AND NOTES

1. Typescript Committee Index - Friends Ho. Library gives this date of birth.
2. Silver wedding notice in The Friend - 1941 p. 526
3. Yorkshire QM printed lists of members for 1922 and 1924, under the heading of Barnsley meeting record them as living abroad at Tananarive. The 1926 list records them at Warrington and the 1928 list at Swarthmore, Leeds.
4. Typescript Committee Index - Friends Ho. Library. Membership as follows:-

Friends Service Council	1933 - 1936
Meeting for Sufferings	1964/5
Friends Education Council	1963 - 1966
Home Service Committee	

ALLOWAY, Jane (1701?-1776) after 1730 Lyddon

[Jane Alloway, details of whose parentage are not at present (1984) traced, was married in 1730 to Benjamin Lyddon (fl 1730-1739 qv).]

See LYDDON, Jane (1701?-1776) born Alloway]

WBE:

ALMOND, Richard
or
AMMON

1686, preached in London, when he was liable to prosecution for so doing.

1698, Kingston Mo. Mtg. desired that R. A. provide some wine for the refreshment of labouring Friends after meeting.

Short Journal of Geo. Fox, 349.

John Smith's MS., 43.

Besse, 1: 484.

WBE:*a*
~~(prepared by RB)~~

ALMY, William, ca. 1761-1836

b. ca. 1761



For many years an approved Friends minister

1787, 1798-1800, Clerk, New England Y. Mtg.

Excerpt from Friends Review:

"His mind, which ~~w~~as naturally discriminating and comprehensive, had been well-cultivated, and his opinions received attention and respect from all classes of the community."

d. 1836 in Providence, R.I., aged 75 yrs.

Elliott, Errol T., Qu. on the Am. Frontier, 394
The Friend, 9, (1836), 160

WBE:

ALSOP, Christiana, ca. 1799-1832.

b. 1798 or 1799, Phila. Pa., Pa. Dau. of Ruhamah John and Elizabeth Alsop.

Spoke in the ministry, ca. 1817. Felt a stop in speaking, ca. 1818. Was very abstemious in food and drink and simple in dress. 1830, felt it right again to speak in meetings. 1831, confined to her house with a trying rheumatic complaint and a tumour, all of which she wore with great patience.

d. 24 Feb. 1832, Phila. Pa., in her 34th year.

Smith Suppl., p. 9.

Frds' Misc., 4: 374, A short testimony

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ALSOP, Christine (1805-1879) born Majolier

Christine Majolier was a native of Congenies, South France, where her parents were members of a little company holding the views of Friends. In 1817 she came to England with William Allen on his return from a visit to this small community, and spent six years as a member of his household. On leaving England she returned to the South of France and spent some years teaching children in French families.

In 1846 she married Robert Alsop and returned to London and in 1854 was recorded as a minister by Westminster Monthly Meeting. Soon after this removal to Stoke Newington brought Robert and Christine Alsop into Devonshire House MM. She travelled widely in the service of the Society, including visits to Waldenses in the remote valleys of Piedmont, and during the Franco-German war she went with her husband to travel in France for some two years. Shortly after this service Robert Alsop died.

'Our Friend's gift in the ministry was one that mostly led to some vocal service where she was present, and many were the occasions on which a sense of peculiar fitness attended her loving exhortation and often was she enabled in much fervour and acceptance to approach the Throne of Grace in her offerings of prayer. Her knowledge of Holy Scripture was good and her quotations accurate.'

Christine Alsop died in 1879 whilst on a visit near Lewes.

Testimony of Devonshire House MM in YM Proc. 1880, p.x

WBE:

Additional Information

ALSOP, Christine (Majolier), 1805-1879.

b. 1805, Congenies, France, dau. of Louis Antoine and Marie (Brun) Majolier.

1816 brought to England, with William Allen.

1820, returned to Nimes to recover her health.

Tutor in families in Nimes and Congenies. Acted as interpreter for visiting Friends from England or America.

1822 went again to England.

1828 became member of London Y.Mtg. 1831 accompanied Thomas and Elizabeth Robson to France and Germany.

1847 sic m. Robert Alsop, Jr.* Both travelled extensively in Gospel Service. Following the Franco-Prussian war went with her husband to Paris, to distribute literature. C.A. had entree to the Royal Palace, London, where she was known as "la bonne dame".

1876 Robert Alsop died.

The illness terminating her own life lasted only a few days. d. 19 June 1879, "Wellington House", near Lewes, aged about 75; a minister ca. 25 years.

An. Mon., N.S., 38: 9.

Quaker Biog. Series 1, vol. 5: 149.

Liter Per. of Qu., 2: 831.

Memorials of C.M.A. (Braithwaite) 1882. (portrait).

Smith, Suppl., p. 10.

Qu. Col. Hav., 860. (portrait)

Biog. Cat., 17

The Friend, London, 1879, 19: 214.

Friends of Half a Century, p. 32. (portrait).

*see ALSOP, Robert, 1803-1876.

WBE:

ALSOP, Christina, 1805 or 1806-1886.

b. 1805 or 1806, Maldon, Eng., dau. Robert and
Phoebe (Tanner) Alsop.

Attended Ackworth 1817-1819.

Went to live, 1827, with a brother at Chelsea.

Suffered severe illness, 1830. Returned to Maldon, 1832.

Resided for a time at Croydon with Lydia Ann Barclay, 1833.

Returned 1841 to her brother at Chelsea. 1847 once more
at Maldon, where she cared for her parents.

A minister. Issued small tracts, of which ca. 50,000
went to Jamaica. Untiring in her efforts to do good.
Possessed small means, but was able to interest others
in good works.

d. 11 July 1886, Maldon, Eng., age 80.

The Friend, London, 1886, 26: 222.

An. Mon., N.S., 45: 16.

ALSOP, Mary (1812-1898) after 1833 Milner

[Mary Alsop, daughter of Robert Alsop (1777-1850 qv) and his wife Phebe (born Tanner, 1779-1856 qv) of Maldon in Essex, was married in 1833 to John Philip Milner (1804-1861 qv) of Warrington in Lancashire.

See MILNER, Mary (1812-1898) born Alsop]

WBE:

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ALSOP, Othniel, 1770-1836.

Manufacturer of vinegar.

b. ¹⁷⁷⁰ ~~1777~~, Colchester, Eng.; s. Scrivener and Mary
(Carter) Alsop.

Came to America.

m. Hannah Brown, 1806.

Minister of No. District Mo. Mtg. Opposed
Elias Hicks in Phila.

d. 8 Dec. 1836, Phila. Pa., in his 66th year.

Hinshaw's Encycl., 2: 452

Incidents, p. 643

J.F.H.S., 30: 62.

The Friend, Phila., 10:88; 63: 180.

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ALSOP, Phoebe (1779-1856) born Tanner

Phoebe Tanner, the daughter of Matthew and Phoebe Tanner of Oakham in Rutland, was born there 1 October 1779(1). Her parents were comparatively poor people, but they brought up their children to love and fear the Lord; their tender care was not lost on Phoebe, who even as a young child was sensitive to impressions of the love of God.

When she was about fifteen she went to live with an uncle and aunt in Birmingham, who kindly sent her to school. She lived with them for seven years and as she grew in years she grew in the grace of God. She subsequently lived for a short time near Leicester and when she was about twenty three received a proposal of marriage from Robert Alsop (1778-1850 qv); she accepted him, they were married in 1802 and there were four children(2).

Robert Alsop lived at Maldon in Essex, where he kept a small shop. It was a comfortable home and Robert and his wife were industrious and careful, so that they were able to meet their modest needs. They often entertained Friends travelling in the ministry and this was very comforting to Phoebe, who believed that she herself would be called to this service. After passing through much mental conflict she at length spoke in meeting for worship and was acknowledged a minister in 1820. She frequently joined her husband in ministerial journeys outside their own quarterly meeting and was a true helpmeet to him, both in the home and in his ministerial work.

After her husband's death in 1850 she continued her ministerial journeys in different parts of England. She was throughout her life a regular attender at meetings for worship and discipline, allowing no domestic cares and preoccupations to stand in her way.

She died at Maldon on 6 December 1856 at the age of seventy seven(3), a minister about 41 years.

PRINCIPAL SOURCES

Annual Monitor 1858 pp 26-37

Testimony of Witham MM in Testimonies 1857, p 13

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Warwick, Leicester & Rutland QM Births Digest: her father is described as a serge weaver
- 2 For marriage and children see ALSOP, Robert (1778-1850)
- 3 Digest of Deaths: she is described as the widow of Robert. There is a one-line entry of her death in The Friend vol 15 (*857) p 19
N.B. There is no reference to her in J Friends Hist Soc vols 1-45

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ALSOP, Phebe (1779-1856) born Tanner

Phebe Alsop daughter of Matthew and Phebe Tanner was born at Oakham on 1 October 1779.

At 15 she was placed for five years, with a relative in Birmingham, subsequently residing for a short time near Leicester. When about 23 she married Robert Alsop, becoming a member of Witham M.M.

In 1815 she first appeared in the ministry and was acknowledged as a minister about four years later. Before her husband died in 1850 they united in religious service in different parts of the country. This she continued to do during her widowhood.

She died on 6 December 1856, aged 78 years, a minister about 41 years. Her body was interred in Friends Burial Ground, Maldon.

Testimony of Witham M.M. in Testimonies 1857, p.18

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WBE:
Additional Information

ALSOP, Phoebe or Phebe, 1779-1856.

m. Robert Alsop, of Maldon Essex.

Entertained travelling Friends.

d. 6 Dec. 1856, age 77.

The Friend, London, 1857, 15: 19.

An. Mon., N.S., 1858, No. 16: 26.

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ALSOP, Robert (1778-1850)

Robert Alsop was born at Stratford, Suffolk, on 29 September 1778. His father died when he was about 8 years old, and his mother shortly after. He was placed at Friends School Clerkenwell, and on leaving it was apprenticed at Birmingham to learn the trade of a brush-maker. After this he became a journeyman in London, later entering business on a small scale at Maldon where he lived for the rest of his life. In 1802 he was married to Phebe Tanner of Birmingham.

After a period of much mental conflict he appeared in the ministry, being recorded by Witham M.M. in 1817. He was a diligent labourer in his own Q.M. and at times was liberated for service elsewhere in the country including, in 1833, a visit to families in London & Middlesex Q.M. Of later years he held many meetings with those of different religious denominations.

In the autumn of 1844 he had a slight paralytic seizure which gradually impaired his bodily and mental powers, frequently preventing his attendance at meetings for worship. For the last 11 months he was in a state of almost entire helplessness, and he died on 21 July 1850 aged 72 years. His body was interred at Maldon.

WBE:

Additional Information

ALSOP, Robert, 1778-1850.

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A minister ca. 35 years.

A Testimony of Witham Mo. Mtg.

The Friend, London, 8: 176.

An. Mon., N.S., 9: 2.

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ALSOP, Robert (1803-1876)

Robert Alsop was born at Maldon, Essex, in 1803, and was educated at home and at Ackworth School, after which he served as apprenticeship with John Bell & Co, of Oxford Street, and subsequently engaged in the business of a pharmaceutical chemist on his own account.

Living at Chelsea, it was as a member of Westminster Monthly Meeting that he was recorded a minister in 1852. In 1846 he married as his second wife Christine Majolier with whom his subsequent work was intimately associated.

In 1855 Robert Alsop retired from business to devote his full time to the service of his Lord and the benefit of his fellow-men, and at this time removed to Stoke Newington. He gave earnest and active support to Societies for the abolition of slavery, the promotion of temperance, peace, religious freedom and education. The affairs of the Society of Friends also occupied much of his time; he visited most parts of Europe in company with other ministers, and undertook more continued work in France, accompanied by his wife.

'To his friends these persistent and self-denying efforts seemed to flow as from an inner spring of a "life hid with Christ in God", rendering him humble as to himself, whilst firm in the cause of Him "who, his own self, bare our sins in his own body on the tree, that we, being dead unto sin, should live unto righteousness"; and in this source of strength our dear friend had so long been accustomed to trust that he admitted himself unable to remember the time when he did not feel love to his Saviour and a desire to serve Him.'

Robert Alsop died 11 January 1876.

Testimony of Devonshire House MM in YM Proc. 1876, p.xx

WBE:
Additional Information

ALSOP, Robert, 1803-1876.

Chemist.

b. 24 October, 1803. Both his parents ministers.

School at Islington, 1813. Ackworth School, 1816-1817.

m. Mary Ann Deane, 1832-or 1833.*

m(2) Christine Majolier 1846

Clerk of Mtg. for Sufferings. 1867, visited Norway
with John Henry Douglas. 1868, Denmark, with Joseph
Crosfield. After Franco-Prussian war the literature
he and his wife distributed was addresses issued by
London Y.Mtg.

1873, What is the Gospel, evoked some controversy.

Robert Alsop sympathized with Joseph John Gurney's doc-
trines in making the teachings, history and doctrines
of the New Testament to be the GOSPEL and in counting
the early Friends in error, who held that the GOSPEL
was God speaking within every man. R.A.'s tract was
replied to by Joseph Armfield in a tract, The Spiritu-
ality of the Gospel. 1873, London.

A tribute to the memory of R.A. 1879, London.

Biog. Cat., p. 14.

Minutes London Y.M. 76: xx.

Smith, Suppl., p. 9.

An. Mon., 1877, 35: 153.

Qu. Col. Hav. 869. (portrait).

* For information on second wife, see ALSOP, Christine
(Majolier), 1805-1879.

WBE:

ALSOP, Samuel, Sr., 1812 or 1813-1888.

mathematician, teacher; hotelman.

b. 1812 or 1813, Phila., Pa., s. Othniel and Hannah (Brown) Alsop. Removed to No. District Mo. Mtg., 1814.

m. Rachel Griscom, 1838.

Teacher at Westtown School, 1853-1860. Conducted a summer hotel near the Water Gap, Pa.

Wrote First lessons in algebra ... (new edition), 1853. A Treatise on surveying, etc., Reprinted, 1858.

A mathematician with considerable reputation. Somewhat austere and independent.

d. 27 May 1888, Ferndale, Trenton, N.J., in his 76th year.

Westtown through the years. Catalogue: 1799-1945 p 354.

Westtown through the years, 1799-1942, (Hole), p. 217.

F.H.L. Swar., BX7616.

The Friend, Phila., 61: 392; 12, (1838); 32.

Smith, Suppl., p. 11.

Qu. Col. Hav. 975.

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WBE:

ALSOP, Samuel, Jr., 1841 or 1842-1888.

Teacher.

b. 1841 or 1842. s. Samuel and Hannah (Brown)

Alsop.

1851, Westtown School.

m. Esther Kite. / children: WBE/

Assistant teacher at Westtown, 1857-1858. Teacher at Westtown School, Pa., 1859-1860. Librarian and Bookkeeper at Westtown, 1861-1963; again teacher 1863-1868. Professor and Superintendent at Haverford College, 1875-1878. Received Honorary Degree, A.M., 1875. A sympathetic and very successful teacher. Rather frail in health.

d. 31 May 1888, Denver, Colo., in his 47th year.

The Friend, Phila., 61: 392.

Westtown through the Years, Hole, p. 217.

Westtown through the Years, Cat., p. 354.

Qu. Col. Hav. 850, (portrait).

Mat. Cat. Haverford, 729.

ALTHAM, Jane (1847-1872)

Jane Altham, the daughter of Thomas and Mary Ann Altham of Penrith in Cumberland, was born there on 26 July 1847(1).

She was too young for her life to fulfil its early promise, but she was endowed with more than ordinary ability. From a child she was thoughtful and fond of reading and took great delight in natural beauty. She had a quick and impulsive temper and had frequently to struggle to overcome it. She was warmly attached to the Society, both from training and convincement and set great store by its principles of simplicity in dress and manner of life. She had a good mind and her views on the attitude of Friends to the rituals of the Established Church were clear and concise.

She attended London Yearly Meeting with her aunt in 1872 and accounted it a great privilege, but some time after her return she became seriously ill. She died at her home in Penrith on 20 October 1872, at the age of twenty five(2).

PRINCIPAL SOURCE

Annual Monitor 1873, pp 170-177

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Digest of Births: her father is described as an ironmonger
- 2 Digest of Deaths: she is described as the daughter of Thomas and Mary Ann

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

ALTON, Edwin Heaton (1908 ? - 1982)

Edwin Alton was born in about the year 1908.(1) We know nothing of his early life but he apparently joined Friends at Marsden, Nr. Nelsen, Lancs in about 1940. He began work as a pharmaceutical chemist but changed to teaching, he was an authority on English recorder music and he was able to impart his knowledge and love of music to his schoolchildren who loved him. For many years he served Marsden meeting as clerk (2) and also for twenty years researched in the history of Quakerism in Marsden and gave long service to Celne Historical Society. He also served on Friends central committees.(3)

On his retirement, at Danile Dolci's request he spent long periods teaching the recorder to children in Sicilian schools and helped to keep the musical culture of the island alive. He wrote of his experiences there in The Friend and was for some years chairman of the British Danile Dolci Trust.

He died in hospital on October 12, 1982 at the age of 74.

PRINCIPAL SOURCE

The Friend Vol. 140(1982) p. 1398

REFERENCES & NOTES

1. We have no date of birth, he was aged 74 at death.
2. Index of Clerks - Friends Ho. Library
Marsden PM 1954 - 1961, 1972 - 1978.
3. Typescript Committee Index - Friends House CLibrary.
Education Council 1970 - 1976
Home Service Committee

WBE:

AMBROSE, Alice, fl. 1660-1663.

Minister in Soc. of Friends.

Imprisoned in Lancashire, England, 1660. With Mary Tomkins, Ann Coleman and Edward Wharton went to Maine, 1662. Whipped in Mass. 1663, with Mary Tompkins came to Va. Beaten with a 9 cord whip, each given 32 stripes. Their goods were seized, and they were banished. In Virginia also they encountered Friends who, under the influence of John Perrot, had fallen into a careless state. This apostasy cost the women more suffering than all they received from the authorities.

The History of the Soc. of Friends in America, Bowden, p. 251.
The Quakers in the Am. Colonies, p. 103.
Jour. Frds' Hist. Soc., 10: 121.
New England Judged, p. 439.
Friends of the 17th Cent., p. 174, 253.

AMES, William (-1662)

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William Ames was born at Frampton Cotterell in Gloucestershire, near Bristol (Smith, Cata. 1867; Whiting, Cata. of Friends' Books, 1708, says 'of Somersetshire'). Croese, in a long account of his pre-Quaker life, states that Ames was 'ill educated in his Infancy and Youth, having applied himself to nothing that could be useful to humane Life... He serv'd in the King's Army... then became a Marine Soldier under Prince Rupert' (Hist. 1696, pt.i. pp.59-61). When serving in Ireland he attached himself to the Baptists, but became a convert to Quakerism in 1655 (Croese gives Waterford as the place, Smith, Cork, Sewel, Dublin). See his Declaration of the Witnes of God Manifested in me from my Youth, 1656, translated into Dutch, Swedish and French. Ames's religious service was principally devoted to the peoples inhabiting Western Europe. In 1657, he was at Amsterdam with Humble Thatcher (Swarth. MSS.iii.152) and in that and subsequent years he visited Germany, Poland, Bohemia, etc., in company with John Stubbs, William Caton, John Higgins, and others. He was the means of the convincement of the parents of Sewel, the historian and lexicographer. A tract, The Light upon the Candlestick, Dutch, 1662, English, 1663, has been ascribed to Ames because his name appears on the title-page, but Sewel thinks it was written by Adam Boreel (Hist. 1722, Preface and Appendix). He wrote numerous tracts in Dutch. Letters written by Ames while in foreign parts are in Friends House. He died at Amsterdam, being attended to the grave by William Caton who went direct to the funeral from the meeting at which he was married.

Tuke, Biog. Notices, 1815, ii
William Caton, 1839, pp.50,55,59,64,98,100,102,115
Evans's Friends' Library, 1847, xi
DNB
F.P.T.
Biog. Memoirs, ii.19

Note by N. Penney in Fox's Journal, Camb. ed. 1911 vol.2 p.476

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AMES, William (-1662)

William Ames was of Frampton Cotterell, near Chipping Sodbury, Glos. Baptist and soldier before convincement in Ireland in 1655. He and William Caton became 'the founders of Dutch Quakerism' (SPQ 452). Apparently not related to the more famous William Ames (DNB) an early seventeenth-century Puritan who also lived in Holland. d.1662. cf. DNB; CJ; ii. 476; Hull, Q.A., 18-89, with facsimile signature.

Note by G.F. Nuttall in Early quaker letters, 1952, p.50

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Additional Information

AMES, William, -1662.

Baptist teacher, officer in army of Cromwell in Ireland.

1655 convinced in Cork, Ireland, by E. Burrough and F. Howgill. Banished from city, 1657-visits to Amsterdam, returned to city. Visited Germany ca. 1659; later, to Poland and Bohemia; Rotterdam, where imprisoned in bedlam; again to Germany and to Holland.

1662 imprisoned in Bridewell, London, Eng. Did wool-combing to pay expenses, but was taken sick. Released. Returned to Amsterdam.

Bold and zealous, yet discreet.

d. 31 Oct. 1662, Amsterdam.

The Friend, Phila., 65: 131.

Friends' Library, 11:475.

Besse, 1: 368.

Sewel's Hist., 1: 206.

Friends of the 17th Cent., p. 228.

Smith's Cat., 1: 25.

The British Friend.

WBE:

AMMON, Richard

see ALMOND, Richard

AMOS, William, ca. 1717-1814

see AMOSS, William, ca. 1717-1814.

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AMOSS, William, ca. 1717-1814.

b. ca. 1 III 1717.

m. (d. 1814)

Member of Church of England.

1736, officer in the militia. Resigned his post.

Convinced without outward preaching. Waited upon the Lord; two others joined him and then others, until there were nine. Declined to swear in Court. Applied to Gunpowder Mo. Mtg. Little Falls Meeting established, and he became a member. Refused to pay tithes. Liberated his slaves. Became an able minister.

d. 26 Feb., 1814, in his 97th year, a minister about 70 years.

Baltimore Y. Mtg. Memorials (1833), p. 80.

Comly, Friends Misc., 1:27.

Friends Intelligencer 15:707-709

WBE:

~~ANDERSON, John, or Jonathan, ca. 1624-1684 or 5.~~

Lawyer.

b.

b. ca. 1624. Bridgewater, Eng. Established Church.

Well educated, bred a scholar and to the practice of law. Skilled in languages, especially in Latin and Greek.

Acted as secretary to General Desborough. Became goldsmith in Bridgewater and practised law.

ca. 1657 Convinced in London by Francis Howgill.

Prisoner at Ilchester nearly 20 years, but often having liberty to go to meetings. Watched the progress of the Duke of Monmouth. Active in Somerset.

1st m. issued in 1 dau. m. 2d Jane Bicknell, who survived him. Excommunicated.

Author 1659-1670 7 leaflets, including A Visitation in Love to those of the People called Baptists, 1660; Against Babylon and her merchants in England, etc., 1660; One blow at Babel ..., 1662, to confute followers of Jacob Behmen (Boehme).

Had a prophetic gift.

d. 20 March 1684 or 5, in prison at Ivelchester, Eng.

A brief narrative of the life ... of Elias Osborn, 31, 32, 33. Besse 1: 584, 587, 588, 592, 595, 597, 606, 611, 621, 641, 644. F.H.L. Swarth. BX 7614, A 54 A3.

The Friend, London, 1844, 2: 169.

2nd Per. of Q., p. 358.

Persecution exposed, Whiting, p. 130.

Smith's Cat., 1: 30.

ANDERSON, Ann (1701?-1773) after 1735 Ryley, after 1758 Stansfield

(Ann Anderson, the daughter of John Anderson, was married in 1735 to John Ryley or Rylay. He died in 1757 and in 1758 she married Caleb Stansfield.

See STANSFIELD, Ann (1701?-1773) formerly Ryley, born Anderson)

ANDERSON, Barbara X (1903? - 1979)

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Barbara Anderson was born in about the year 1903.(1) She trained in nursing and served as a nurse and sister at Guy's Hospital, London, later she worked as a health visitor in East London. She joined the Society of Friends in 1958 at Finchley (2) and served the meeting as clerk, elder, overseer, convenor of the children's committee and of the luncheon club. In the locality she served as secretary to the Finchley and Friern Barnet Peace Groups, she organised the Finchley contingents at the C.N.D. marches in the 60's, she was also a member of the Peace in Vietnam Committee. She was a prolific letter-writer to the local Press.

She was a member of the executive of the National Peace Council, she acted as organiser and chief steward of the 1965 Peace Pilgrimage to Canterbury, she protested against the presence in Britain of nuclear bombers (she was arrested at Swaffham) and she was an observer at the 1978 U.N. special session on disarmament in New York. She also served on Friends Peace and International Relations Committee (4) and on the committee of the Fellowship of Healing. With all this she was a woman of unassuming personality, a simple and straightforward way of life and a total commitment to the cause of peace.

She died after a short illness on September 30, 1979 aged 76.

PRINCIPAL SOURCE

The Friend Vol. 137 (1979) p. 1560.
Death notice for age p. 1276.

REFERENCES & NOTES

1. We have no date of birth she was aged 76 at death.
2. London & Middlesex Q.M. printed list of members for 1960 records her at Finchley for the first time.
3. Index of Clerks - Friends Ho. Library.
Clerk, Finchley Meeting - 1963 - 1967
4. Typescript Committee Index - Friends Ho. Library.
Peace & International Relations Cttee. 1973 -

ANDERSON, Christian (1781-1870) after 1851 Binns

[Christian Anderson, daughter of James Anderson (-)
and his wife Margaret (born
of Kelso in Scotland, was married in 1851 to Joseph Binns
(1769-1849 qv).]

See BINNS, Christian (1781-1870) born Anderson]

ANDERSON, Mary (1728?-1797) formerly Heifer born Moakes

Mary Moakes married William Heifer at Swavesey parish church in 1746. They had two children, Edward and Robert (1).

She married John Anderson of Swavesey on 12 October 1774 (2).

She died on 17 January 1797 aged 69 (3).

REFERENCES AND NOTES:

- 1 Information from H. Hepher of Cambridge, 1965
- 2 Cambridge and Huntingdonshire QM Marriages Digest
- 3 Cambridge and Huntingdonshire QM Burials Digest

Marie Andreae was born on November 21, 1889. She trained as a social worker and was a senior probation officer in the Sudetenland when through the refugee work of the Society of Friends she was able to come to England in 1939, her daughter was already in this country in nursing training. Her husband had been a professor of modern history at Breslau University. After the various difficulties attending upon refugees she obtained a post as housemistress at Penrhos College which had been evacuated from North Wales to Chatsworth House, Derbyshire, where she stayed for about eight years. Before this she had been befriended by various Friend families and had been attending meeting in various places including Eccles. Friends at Eccles put her in touch with Bakewell Meeting and at some point, but the Testimony is not clear upon this, she joined the Society. She was not strong physically and the duties of housemistress becoming too much for her she obtained other posts finally becoming warden of the YWCA hostel at Petersfield, Hants. There she entered fully into the life of the meeting and despite her poor health was a great support in the town to the Workers Educational Association and a devoted money raiser and publicist for Christian Aid.

Although in poor health and well past retiring age it seemed she would have to continue working for financial reasons but then her compensation came through from Germany and she was able to retire and to carry on her work in Petersfield on a voluntary basis. She served Petersfield Meeting as clerk for some years (1) and although her health deteriorated and her sight failed her mental powers were undiminished. She was a strong, to some a fearsome personality, her astringent comments sometimes hurt but to those who knew her she was an affectionate and immensely understanding woman, with reticence and tact which enabled her to advise and support from her own experience.

She died on May 30, 1979, aged 89.

PRINCIPAL SOURCETESTIMONY OF GUILDFORD & GODALMING MM

Y.M. Procs. 1981 pp 164/5.

REFERENCES & NOTES

1. Index of Clerks - Friends House Library.

Petersfield PM 1958 - 1964

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WBE:

ANDREASEN, Tonnes, fl. 1890.

George St., Docks, Cardiff.

Author: 1890, The famine: or, the state of the
Society of Friends at the present day ... Cardiff.

ANDREWS, Deborah (1753-1811) born Holmes

Deborah Holmes, the daughter of John Holmes (-) and his wife Frances (born) of Askwith in the parish of Weston in Yorkshire, was born there on 22 September 1753(1).

She was married in 1775 to George Andrews (1747-1824 qv), a woolcomber of Skipton in Yorkshire and there were nine children(2). In their early married life the family moved several times, finally settling at Farsley in the parish of Calverley in Yorkshire(3).

Deborah Andrews of Farsley died on 7 November 1811, at the age of forty eight(4).

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Yorkshire QM Births Digest: her father's occupation is not given
- 2 For marriage and children see ANDREWS, George (1747-1824)
- 3 See entry for ANDREWS, George (1747-1824)
- 4 Yorkshire QM Burials Digest: she is described as the wife of George

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

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ANDREWS, Edward, 1677-1716.

b. 1677. His parents faithful Friends.

His heart tender at times, when but 9 or 10 yrs. old.

Removed to a place remote from Friends. Delighted in mirth and vanity with a company of like-minded persons.

m. Sarah Ong (or Ongg).

1704, saw the bone of a man's leg; one which he had often handled before and flung to and fro. This now aroused serious considerations in his mind, and, having buried the bone, the pure Witness arose in him, testifying that it was time for to turn to the Lord. Felt condemned for engaging in rollicking society. At length took his musical instrument, broke it to pieces, and threw the pieces away. Wm. Cramer and E. Andrews used to meet with their families for waiting worship. Others were gathered, and E.A. became a minister. A Mo. Mtg. established, 1715, at Tuckerton, N.J.

d. 26 X 1716, Little Egg Harbour or Tuckerton, N.J.
age 39 years.

John Smiths MS, 48.

Friends' Misc., 8: 199.

A short account of ... E.A., 1804.

Smith's Cat., 1: 32.

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ANDREWS, Elizabeth ca. 1628-1718.

b. ca. 1628, Cound Lane End, 5 mi. from Shrewsbury,
Eng. Dau. John and ---- Farmer, Puritans.

ca. 1653, convinced.

1659, m. John Yardley.

m. 2d Roger Andrews.

m. 3rd Edward Mann.

1711, desired certificate to travel as a minister.

Kept a draper's shop, and had much of the goods
distrainted, inc. also the bed they lay on.

Was bold and generally successful in gaining
liberty for imprisoned Friends.

d. 1718, age ca. 90.

J.F.H.S., 26: 3.

Jour. Geo. Fox, 2: 422 (Cambridge).

ANDREWS, Elizabeth (1791?-1826) born Pallister

Elizabeth Pallister, the daughter of John and Elizabeth Pallister of Bishopwearmouth in county Durham, was born about the year 1791(1).

She was married in 1814 to Joseph Andrews (1785-1848 qv), a grocer of Sunderland in county Durham and there were six children(2).

Elizabeth Andrews of Sunderland died on 25 February 1826, at the age of thirty five(3).

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Aged 35 at death. Her birth is not traced in Durham QM Births Digest
- 2 For marriage and children see ANDREWS, Joseph (1785-1848)
- 3 Durham QM Burials Digest: she is described as the wife of Joseph, a grocer

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

Elsie Andrews was born in about the year 1904(1) at Basingstoke into a Methodist family. She attended the local high school and then gained a diploma in fine art at University College, Reading. In 1929 she was appointed the first full time teacher of art at Farnham Girls Grammar School. She stayed there until 1946 and during that period had attended Friends' meetings and had been one of the group to form the Farnham meeting in 1939, she actually joined the Society in 1943. She also spent one year of the period as an exchange teacher in America, a visit which made a great impression upon her life. Later on she paid two further visits to America, one of which she spent at Pendle Hill when she published two pamphlets, "American Experiment in Social Education" and "Facing and Fulfilling the Later Years". The other was spent painting in Vermont during the fall.

In 1946 she became programme adviser in creative work for the National Association of Girls' and Mixed Clubs, a post which she enjoyed very much and which took her all over Britain. After a break during which she nursed her mother during her last illness she became organising tutor for the National Council of Social Service, this time to work among the elderly. She was a talented artist, a founder member of the Quaker Fellowship of the Arts and also enjoyed the theatre, music, flowers, the countryside and the sea.

Her great service was as a Friend, in her local meeting of which she was clerk for four years (2) and in all local Quakerly activity, whether prayer groups or Christian Aid Lunches. She served her meeting as elder and overseer and representative on many occasions and was tireless in her goodwill and friendship. She relied upon the practice of the presence of God both in Quaker meetings and in solitude.

She died at her home in Farnham on December 10, 1981 aged 77.

PRINCIPAL SOURCEThe Friend Vol. 140 (1982) p. 58REFERENCES & NOTES

1. We have no date of birth, she was aged 77 at death.
2. Index of Clerks - Friends Bo. Library.

Farnham FM 1970 - 1974.

ANDREWS, Emma (1818-1868) after Grimshaw, after 1866 Binns

[Emma Andrews, daughter of Joseph Andrews (1785-1848 qv) and his wife Elizabeth (born Pallister, 1791?-1826 qv) of Bishopwearmouth in county Durham, was married some time prior to 1845 to John Grimshaw (1811-1854 qv). She married secondly in 1866 Henry Binns (1810-1880 qv).]

See BINNS, Emma (1818-1868) formerly Grimshaw, born Andrews]

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ANDREWS, Frank, DeWitte, 1847-

1914, Edited, A Quaker's visit to Hartford in the
year 1676. (From Wm. Edmundson's Journal.) Vineland,
N.J.

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ANDREWS, Frederick (1850-1922)

Frederick Andrews was born 22 January 1850. The greater part of his life was spent at Ackworth, to which he went when he was nine years old, and he returned there to teach as a young man. He became Headmaster at the age of 27; and remained there for 43 years exercising a great influence for good on School and scholars.

He took part in politics, local - national - and international, and worked also for the temperance cause, and in promotion of peace.

He was active in the affairs of the Society of Friends, and was a recorded minister.

Frederick Andrews died on 9 April 1922, at the age of 72

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ANDREWS, Frederick B.A., 1850-1922.

Educator.

b., Sunderland, Eng. s. John and Margaret (Binns) Andrews.

1864, went to Bootham, York. 1866, pupil and assistant teacher. Flaunders Institute. 1872, B.A. London.

m., 1877, Anna Maria Lean (died 1888). 4 children.

1877 became headmaster at Ackworth School. 43 yrs.

Justice of the Peace, 1906.

Liberal in politics.

A great cricketer. "He was companion to all."

d. at Ackworth Cottage, Cloughton, Yorks..

Frederick Andrews of Ackworth, 1924, (portrait).

Qu. Col. Hav. 850, (portrait).

The Wayfarer, 3: 84.

The Friend, Phila. 95: 518.

The Friend, London, 1922, 62: 263, 287 (portrait); 1898, 38: 437 (portrait); 1908, 48: 625 (portrait); 1920, 60: 691 (Portrait).

ANDREWS, Isaac (-1775)

Son of Edward and Sarah (Ong) Andrews, of Little Egg Harbor, N.J. He was brother of Peter and Jacob Andrews q.v. Isaac married 9mo. (November) 21, 1738, at 'Philadelphia Meeting House', 'Elizabeth, daughter of Jeremiah Elfreth, blacksmith,' and lived most of his life at Haddonfield N.J. (Phila. Records Book A, 159) Isaac Andrews was an active member of his meeting, and succeeded Ebenezer Hopkins of Salem, N.J. deceased, in the Meeting for Sufferings, Phila. 6mo. 28. 1757.

(Minutes p.85) He died 12 mo. 1775. An obituary notice by Samuel Ffoulke, of Richland, calls him one 'Whose clean and exemplary conduct through life had been agreeable to the sweetness of his ministry.'

The Andrews family was well connected and had not originally been Quaker. Edward the father of Isaac, born 1677 was a convert of Thomas Chalkley, and had been 'mightily reached' by the latter's preaching at a meeting held under the trees at Crosswicks, N.J. The Licence for the marriage of Edward Andrews and Sarah Ong is dated February 8th 1694. He removed from Mansfield to Little Egg Harbor until 1704, where he established a meeting, and continued to preach until his death of smallpox, 10mo. (December) 26, 1716, at the age of thirty nine. (See, 'Short Account of Edward Andrews', Phila. (8vo) 1801. 'Some Account of Edward Andrews', Manchester, (12mo.) No date. John Harrison, printer. 'The Friend' (Phila) xxviii. 166)

Samuel Andrews, (-1693) of "Springhill" Burlington Co. N.J. father of Edward Andrews, was a Proprietary of West Jersey. His wife Mary (Wright), when very young, accompanied Margaret Brewster in 1658 to Boston to remonstrate with the authorities against the treatment and persecution of the Quakers. They were both whipped at the cart's tail. She had two sisters, Lydia and Hannah, both of them also preachers. Their home was at Oyster Bay, Long Island.

Samuel Andrews, whom Mary Wright married in 1663, was a kinsman of the famous Governor, Sir Edmund Andros - or Andrews - of New York. The will of Samuel Andrews' daughter Mary,

dated 1761, among other bequests, leaves to her nephews Mordecai, Peter and Isaac, eleven hundred acres of land in Morris County, N.J. and 'to William Peters, the elder, and Mary his wife', a silver tankard marked 'E.A.' formerly belonging to Edmund Andrews (Andros) 'heretofore Governor of New York.' Jewelry is left to other relatives and friends, and to 'Mrs. Moore, of Moore Hall, my parrots Jacob and Africa!' [The Friend, Phila. xxxi. 268.] Edmund Andros, in 1686, petitioned the Crown for permission to use the arms and family crest of an ancestor, de Saumarez, stating that his great-grand-father's father was 'John Andros, alias Andrews, an English gentleman of Northamptonshire.' The London agent of the Colony of Massachusetts, John Collins in 1674, wrote Governor Leverett, 'New York being restored by the peace, one Mr Andrews is appointed Governor, a man I know not'. To this day the name of Andrews, not uncommon in New Jersey, is frequently pronounced Andros. (c.f. Bradford's 'History of New York', 'Notes and Queries', London, May 21, 1864.) The Andros, or Andrews, family were of the Island of Guernsey and during the early years of the Civil War, when Sir George Carteret was Governor of Jersey, we find two letters from Sir Peter Osborne, father-in-law of Sir William Temple, to his intimate friends Amias Andros, of Guernsey, and his wife. They occur in the recently published letters of his daughter Dorothy. For nine years, Sir Peter Osborne, a staunch Royalist under the Stuarts, withstood the siege in the defence of Castle Cornet, just off St. Peter's Port, Guernsey. Then an almost impregnable fortress, it is today but the termination of a large breakwater. Guernsey became Cromwellian, but Sir Peter remained loyal to the King. Amias Andros was then in the service in Jersey, and Sir Peter writes, in August, 1644, addressing him 'my loving friend, the Seigneur of Saumarez, at Jersey.' Over a year later he writes to the wife of Amias Andros, October 1645, addressing his letter to 'my Worthy friend, Mrs. Elizabeth Andrews Samares, at Jersey'. He calls her, 'good Mrs Samares' expresses gratitude at news she has recently sent him of his wife, and assures her, 'amongst your kindred in Jersey, I cannot doubt you will find assistance and courtesy..... Forbear, I pray, to look for an answer to the latter part of your letter, and have patience not to expect your husband yet.'

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This was the family of Sir Edmund Andros, famous in Colonial history, and the Quakers of the name of Andrews in New Jersey are of the same stock. The spelling was interchangeable in the seventeenth century.

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Additional Information

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ANDREWS, Isaac, d. 1775.

s. of Edward and Sarah (Ong or Ongg) Andrews.

Apprenticed to Jonathan Wright, near Burlington,
N.J.

Spent 2 years in lightness, gaiety and mirth. At Little Egg Harbor (Tuckerton, N.J.) on the meadows and sea-shore had an experience resembling Saul's on the Damascus road.

After marriage settled at Mt. Holly, N.J., for ca. 5 mos., then went to Haddonfield, N.J. Deeply tried with a feeling of desertion. 1740, a minister. 1746, travelled with John Woolman to Pa., Va., and Carolina. 1769, went with Ephraim Tomlinson to some meetings near Egg Harbour, N.J.

d. ca. 15 December, 1775, Haddonfield L?7, N.J. A minister ca. 35 yrs.

The Friend, Phila., 70: 141.

Friends' Misc., 4: 1; 3: 144.

The Journal of John Woolman, Gummere, p. 534.

ANDREWS, Jacob (-)

Son of Edward and Sarah Andrews, of Little Egg Harbor, and a brother of Isaac and Peter. Married, 1735, Ann Sykes, at Upper Springfield, N.J. In 1743 he bought a farm of one hundred and ninety acres and the mills at what is now Cookstown. These he sold in 1748 to Isaac Ivins, Jr. and founded the village of Jacobstown named for him. Here he opened the first 'country store' for general merchandise in the place, and built the first blacksmith and wheelwright shop. He traveled somewhat in the ministry.

His certificate of removal for himself and his wife from Little Egg Harbor to Burlington is dated 7mo, 4, 1758, and states that 'our Friend Jacob Andrews in his gift was serviceable and edifying.' He was appointed a member of the Meeting for Sufferings in Phila. in 1757. (Burlington Recs. Certificates. p.50)

Note in 'The Journal of John Woolman' 1922, p.576

Gummere, p. 576.

John Andrews was born at Didcot on August 14, 1899. He was educated at Wallingford Grammar School which he left in 1916 at the age of 17 and joined the army. He fought in France and was wounded. In 1919 he joined the navy in the writer branch and in 1926 he sailed around the world as a 'showing the flag' side of the Wembley Exhibition. In 1929 he married Gladys Northcott of Devonport and in 1931 became secretary to a firm of city lawyers in London. Later he spent ten years as secretary of the building department of the Northern Polytechnic. After this he took up a post with the National Institute of Dairying in which he was responsible for work in eight counties, including the Isle of Wight to reduce the wastage and souring of milk. During this time he studied for the examination of the Chartered Institute of Secretaries, becoming a fellow of that Institute.

Shortly before the second world war he and his wife were drawn to the Peace Pledge Union and into contact with the Society of Friends which they joined at New Barnet meeting in about 1939.(1) In about 1946 he became secretary of the National Institute of Agricultural Engineering, working from Wrest Park, Bedfordshire and he spent the remainder of his working life there. He and His wife became members of Hitchin meeting (2) and he acted as MM clerk for a time.(3) In Bedfordshire he also became a county councillor. In 1964 he retired and moved to Tavistok taking up part time work. At Plymouth Meeting as at Barnet~~y~~ and at Hitchin he was a great help to the meeting. A practical man, with organising ability, quietly hard working and with courtesy, he was greatly valued. In about 1975 he helped to found Tavistock meeting which again involved physical work and wisdom in negotiating with the authorities.

He developed cancer and after a long illness died at home on March 24, 1979, aged 79.

PRINCIPAL SOURCE

Testimony of West Devon MM

Y.M.Procs. 1980 p. 157

REFERENCES & NOTES

1. London & Middlesex QM printed list of members for 1940 first records them as members at New Barnet, with daughter Elizabeth Mary.
2. Bedfordshire QM printed lists of members record then at Hitchin in 1950.
3. Index of Clerks - Friends Ho. Library.
Hertford & Hitchin MM - 1963
4. Devon & Cornwall MM printed lists of members record then at Plymouth in 1965.

ANDREWS, Joseph (1785-1848)

Joseph Andrews, the son of George Andrews (1747-1824 qv) and his wife Deborah (born Holmes, 1753-1811 qv) of Farsley in the parish of Calverley in Yorkshire, was born there on 31 January 1785(1).

He became a grocer at Sunderland in county Durham(2) and was married in 1814 to Elizabeth Pallister (1791?-1826 qv) of Bishopwearmouth in county Durham(3); there were six children(4).

Joseph Andrews of Sunderland died on 29 December 1848, at the age of sixty three(5).

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Yorkshire QM Births Digest: his father is described as a woolcomber
His surname is spelt Andrew
 - 2 He is so described in his marriage entry, note 3
 - 3 The wedding was at Bishopwearmouth on 13 January 1814: he is described as a grocer of Sunderland in county Durham, the son of George and Deborah Andrews of Farsley in Yorkshire; she is described as the daughter of John and Elizabeth Pallister of Bishopwearmouth in county Durham (Durham QM Marriages Digest)
 - 4 Listed in Durham QM Births and Burials Digests and the Digest of Marriages as follows:-

*Elizabeth	b 26 Nov 1814		
Emma qv	b 17 Jan 1818	m (1)	John Grimshaw (1811-1854 qv)
			(2) 1866 Henry Binns (1810-1880 qv)
John qv	b 12 April 1819	m 1845 Margaret Binns	
Charles	b 4 Jan 1821	d 26 March 1822	
*Joseph Milburn	b 9 March 1823		
*Edward	b 29 Sept 1824		
 - 5 Digest of Deaths: he is described as a grocer
- *No marriages traced in the Digest of Marriages to 1880

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

SEE ALSO:-

Annual Monitor 1850, p 2: 1 line entry for death

Son of Edward and Sarah Andrews of Egg Harbor, N.J.
Born 9mo. (November) 20 1707. In 1728, married Esther,
daughter of Samuel and Silence Butcher. In 1742 he was
recommended for the ministry on the same day with John
Woolman, and was a minister the last fourteen years of
his life. In 1734 he removed to Northampton Township,
Burlington County, on the verge of Mount Holly, with
John Woolman for his neighbour. They became very close
friends, and he was Woolman's companion on the latter's
first preaching tour to New England, in 1747.
Like Woolman and Farrington, Peter Andrews died in
England. He went thither in the year 1755, and was
accompanied on his travels by the eminent Quaker preacher
Edmund Peckover. He was taken ill on his way north, and
reaching the house of John Oxley, at Norwich, died there
July 13, 1756, at the age of forty nine. 'After an awfull
meeting of worship (his corpse being attended by a very
large number of Friends and other sober people'), he was
interred in the Friends' burying ground at Norwich.
Edmund Peckover said of him, 'he lived beloved, and died
lamented.' His daughter Temperance died while he was in
England. His wife survived him but two years. A note
exists to John Smith, of Burlington, in John Woolman's
handwriting. (Devonshire House, London, Gibson II, 171),
regarding her burial:

'16 of 9mo. & first of the week 1758.

Belov'd Friend

John Smith Our Friend, Esther Andrews
departed this life about eight o'clock this morning.
They propose to bury her corps tomorrow in the afternoon,
to meet at the house where she lived at 2 o'clock. If
thou would please to mention it in your meeting this after-
noon, with a general invitation to friends, it will be
Acceptable to those who have the care of the burial.

thy loving frd.

John Woolman.'

see also previous sheet

ANDREWS, Peter (1707-1756)

Peter Andrews came from North America to England in 1755, reaching London in June and shortly after going to York for Quarterly Meeting there. He then visited many places in Yorkshire, Lincolnshire, and Norfolk and so back to London in January 1756 when he was of great service to Friends in connection with affairs relating to the Society in Pennsylvania at that time.

He travelled again through Oxfordshire, Gloucestershire and to the Yearly Meeting held at Bristol in May 1756, and thence, though in poor health, back to London for the Yearly Meeting in June. Following this he went to Norwich, where he became dangerously ill, and died in the house of John Oxley, at Woodbridge, on the 13 July, 1756.

'His service and exemplary deportment will remain as a lasting Testimony for him, and to the Truth he preached, in the Minds of many; and we have good reason to believe that he was made instrumental, in a very particular manner, to the Help and Furtherance of some amongst us, whom it had pleased the Lord to visit with a fresh Visitation of his Love'.

Testimony of Norwich MM in TCMD vol.1 p.438, printed in
A collection of testimonies, 1760, p.322

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ANDREWS, Peter (1707-1756) cont.

The Removal certificate for Peter and Esther Andrews is dated 1mo (March) 11, 1734. (Burlington Records, Certificates, p.51. See 'The Friend', Phila. Vol.XXI pp. 268, 277, 284.) John Smith, ('Lives of Ministers of the Gospel among the People called Quakers,' in Library of Haverford College) mentions a Journal kept by Peter Andrews. There is at present no clue to the whereabouts of any American Journal, or whether it still exists. A copy of his English Journal is in possession of J.J:Green, of Hastings, England.

Note in 'The Journal of John Woolman', 1922, pp.529-30

WBE:
Additional Information

ANDREWS, Peter, 1707-1756.

b. at Egg Harbor, (Tuckerton), N.J.

m. Esther Butcher (b. 1 June 1706, d. ca. 1758).

1 dau., Temperance.

1743, recorded a minister at same time as John Woolman. Acompanied J.W. to meetings along the N.J. Coast.

1744 with his brother Isaac Andrews visited Friends in eastern N.J. Kept Journal.

"Dearest Father! Thou has been pleased to open and to favor with thy goodness; my soul is thankful, and can say, thou art worthy of glory and praise for evermore." A minister ca. 14 years.

Piety Pro. 11: 399.

Collection of Memorials, Phila., p. 168, 169.

The Friend, Phila., 31: 268.

Qu. Col. Hav. 975.

John Smith's MS, 51.

Bull. Frds' Hist. Soc., 9: 100.

Collection of Testimonies, London, 1760, p. 322, accounts of travels in Eng.

WBE:

ANDREWS, Richard

At the age of 19 years taken from his master, Joseph Borden's, shop to the training ground, but steadfastly refused to bear arms. Tied "neck and heels" for an hour. Savagely struck by the captain. Lodged for a week on cold stones. Again tied^l. Taken with dysentery, and died.

d. Barbadoes, W. I., age 19.

2nd period of Qu., p. 619.

WBE:

Additional Information

ANDREWS, Samuel, -1693.

Same information under his grandson ANDREWS, Isaac,
d. 1775, London, plus: Signed testimony against George
Keith.

Jour. of J. Woolman, Gummere, p. 534.

The Friend, Phila., 28: 166.

WBE:za

ANDREWS, Sarah Bruff, 1870-1898.

b. 30 Dec. 1870, Pleasant Plain, Iowa, dau. of Benjamin C. and Mary Andrews.

Converted at the age of 5.

ed. at Penn College and the State Normal School.

A teacher.

A Junior Christian Endeavor Superintendent.

Member of Friends' Mtg. in Oskaloosa.

1896, went on a mission to Jamaica, W.I. Taught in the Amity Hall Day-School. Greatly improved it. Also managed classes in Bible Class in the Amity Hall Sabbath School and the East Indian Sabbath School at Golden Grove.

She cared for the sick and the little children.

A fever for 8 days.

d. 13 Aug. 1898, Jamaica, W.I., not yet 28 years.

Am. Frd., 5(1898):943-44, (portrait.)

ANDRIANAJA, Jonah (1910 - 1965)

Jonah Adrianaja was born in 1910 in Madagascar (1) the only surviving child of Jonah Rajemissa and Romaro. He was educated at the Ambohijatovo Boys' School in Tananarive, qualified as a teacher and went back there to teach. His ability for other work being recognised he went as a student for three years at the joint Friends Foreign Missionary Association/London Missionary Society Theological College at Tananarive and was then appointed to teach at the Bible College at Arivonimamo.

In 1950/51 he was a student at Lower Kingsmead and then returned to Arivonimamo College where he and his wife Hélène Ravaoarison remained for twenty five years in all.(2) During much of this time he served as minute secretary for Madagascar Yearly Meeting and also worked for the temperance and youth movements. When his period of service at the Bible College (later Madagascar Y.M.'s Pastoral Training College) ended in 1960 he remained pastor of a Friends' church some distance away from Tananarive.

He died suddenly from a heart attack on August 12, 1965, aged about 55 years (1)

PRINCIPAL SOURCE

The Friend Vol. 123 (1965) p. 1210

REFERENCES & NOTES

1. His exact date of birth in 1910 is not known.
2. This presumably includes his period of teaching at the college before going to Woodbrooke.

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Andrianaly-Ratavao was born on February 28, 1899, one of eight children of a malagasy who had been brought to Endland by William Johnson (1842-~(1895 qv) in 1881 to be educated. His name was Ratavao and after being educated in England he returned to Madagascar, to teach first in the Girls' School at Ampandrana and then for 37 years in the boys' school at Ambohijatovo, which became the largest Friends school in the world. Andrianaly followed in his father's steps as a teacher, being educated at Kingsmead, England and in France, he became in due course headmaster at Ambohijatovo, which was handed over in 1948 to an inter-church body the Town Schools Committee, and then of Ampandrana. He was a born teacher who loved children and who had the power to gain the interest and respect not only of children in his native country but of children in England and Ireland when he visited Friends schools in these countries, and also of Young Friends in Europe whom he was able to inspire with the sense of the world family of Friends and of the power of the gospel.

He was born when the French occupation of Madagascar was only 4 years old and he lived to see it end, through all the tensions and difficulties of those times and through the dwindling of the old missionary attitudes, and the growth of the Friends Church in Madagascar of which he became secretary/general, and the development through internationalism to church unity and an independent Malagasy government, with all the committees, discussion and negotiations with church men and political leaders which that entailed. He lectured, broadcast, made visits of inspection, visited Kenya, Europe and America, in 1958 he visited Germany, Denmark and France as well as England and Ireland, and in addition to all this he assumed added burdens after the devastating floods of 1959. He can literally be said to have worked himself to death. He was a cheerful, uncomplaining man, a wise leader, as at home in English ways or working and habits of thought as in his native culture, he inspired an absolute trust. He was married, his wife's name was Marcelline and he had three children, Mary, Roger and Charlotte.

He died on December 31, 1961 aged 62.

PRINCIPAL SOURCE The Friend Vol. 120 (1962) pp 106/7.

Dlegate to Swarth World Conf 1937 (?)

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ANDRIANARIVONY, Jean Marc (1921 ? - 1974)

Jean Marc Andrianarivony was the child of Christian parents in Madagascar. His parents were poor, and after his mother died when Jean Marc was only three years old, there were other children, (by his father's second wife) for whom Jean Marc had to care.

As the eldest he could not be spared to go to school until he was ten years old, but then he worked hard, was sent on by the Missionaries to a better school, after which he began teaching. He then married and he and his wife Esther, feeling that much more training was necessary, went together to the Friends Bible College at Arivonimamo. Studying there was hard, and conditions very primitive, and after leaving there, they were sent to a very primitive and lawless area, the Sakalava valley, with great heat and heavy rains. They endured this for a few years, they themselves were often ill, the children also were ill and several had died, and then they were sent to a better " civilised " area much nearer to the capital.

In the old Mission House, which had become their headquarters, Jean Marc not only taught Christianity, but better ways of terracing the ground and of composting and he and his wife did all they could for the well being of the people of their area. He was also called upon for service on the central committees of the church, where he made a considerable contribution and also served as treasurer for a large church area. During 1952/3 he was able to spend a time at Woodbrooke, when some Friends in this country were able to appreciate his quality.

He was honoured by the Malagasy government who gave him its " Worker's Medal ".

Jean Marc's sudden death at the early age of 53 (1) brought a great loss not only to the church in Madagascar but to many humble Christians in the rural areas.

Principal Source The Friend Vol 132 (1974) pp 700/1.

REFERENCES AND NOTES

1. He died sometime in 1974, which indicates a date of birth in 1921.

ANGUS, Kenneth Mortimer (1884-1962)

Angus /

Kenneth M. Angus was born on 26 November 1884, the son of Mortimer and Mabel S. (Harris). His father was at one time a professor at Aberystwyth University, and his mother was a sister of J. Rendel Harris. His upbringing was spent in a nonconformist Baptist home. Educated at Taunton Congregational College and Leighton Park, he trained in Manchester as an engineer and there came to know the Vipont Brown and Brayshaw families. These contacts in early manhood led him to join Friends. He married Amy Rowntree of Malton in Yorkshire in 1912 (1) moving to Plymouth shortly afterwards to join the Harris's family business(2) with which he remained until his retirement. There were three children of the marriage (3).

He worked untiringly for the League of Nations Union and other Peace movements, besides the Peace Committee of the Society of Friends in Plymouth. In 1941 he and his wife became wardens of the Friends Relief Service hostel for the evacuated school of deaf and dumb children situated at Brent Moor House, on the edge of Dartmoor.

Kenneth Angus was Clerk of Devon & Cornwall Quarterly Meeting for several years and an Elder and Clerk of West Devon Monthly Meeting. He conducted the choir in the early days of the Swarthmore Educational Settlement, and he had considerable talent in sketching and painting which was often exhibited in Plymouth Art Gallery.

He died on 29 November 1962.

PRINCIPAL SOURCE

Testimony of West Devon MM in YM Proc. 1963, p.60

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 The wedding was at Malton on 2 September 1912: she is described as of 5 Mount Terrace, Malton, daughter of William Rowntree, Grocer (Digest of Marriage Registers). For a newscutting on it see Friends House vol. PP/163

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ANGUS, Kenneth ~~X~~ (1884-1962)

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2 He is described as 'House decorator' in Digest of Birth Notes
recording his children (1915-1920)

3 Listed as follows in Digest of Birth Notes

Margaret Dell	born 18 Feb. 1915
Ralph Gurney	born 6 Oct. 1916
Mabyn Rowntree	born 8 Jan. 1920

ANSON, Lucretia (1777-1858) after 1799 Crouch

[Lucretia Anson, daughter of Edward and Lucretia Anson of Falmouth in Cornwall, was married in 1799 to William Crouch (1768?-1854 qv) of Falmouth.

See CROUCH, Lucretia (1777-1858) born Anson]

ANSON, Lucretia (1777-1858) aftw. Crouch

[Lucretia Anson, daughter of Edward Anson
of Falmouth and his wife Lucretia
(nee) was married
in ;799 to William Crouch

see CROUCH, Lucretia (1777-1858) born Anson]

ANTHONY (1697-1773)

A Delaware Indian from Tunkhannock, Pa. baptised by Bishop Cammerhoff in the Moravian church at Bethlehem, February 8, 1750. 'He was for many years a faithful native assistant, one of the most brilliant illustrations of the power of the Gospel among the Indians. Nature had made him an orator, and grace sanctified his eloquence.' His wife was baptized Joanna. (Bishop Edmund de Schweinitz; 'Life and Times of David Zeisberger.' p.267) Anthony was employed by Zeisberger as his guide and companion on the expedition to "yalusing in 1763. He settled at Goschgoschunk, and was a powerful preacher. His death occurred September 5, 1773, at the age of seventy six. 'With lips eloquent even in death, he exhorted his countrymen to remain steadfast in the faith and delivered a last testimony as bright as had been the daily testimony of his life. Zeisberger mourned for him as for a brother.' [Ibid. p.389. See also G.H. Loskiel: 'History of the Mission of the United Brethren among the Indians of North America' p.93, for an eloquent tribute to this Indian convert.]

Note in 'The Journal of John Woolman', 1922, pp. 551-2

WBE:

ANTHONY, Mary, 1749-1838.

b. 1749, Nansemond Co., Va. dau. Samuel and
Hannah Jordan. ca. 1767, she became plain. 1772,
an Elder. 1775, m. Christopher Anthony, a minister
(d. ca. 1805); parents of children.

Opposed slavery. Remained with "Orthodox"
Friends.

d. 16 June 1838, Cincinnati, Ohio, age 88.

Memorial

The Friend, Phila., 12: 165.

WBE:

ANTHONY, Patience, fl. 1708.

Rhode Island.

minister.

1708, visited Friends in the Southern provinces.

John Smith's MS 57.

WBE:

ANTHONY, Ruth, afterwards Spencer, 1769-c.1844

see

Spencer, Ruth, nee Anthony, 1769-c.1844

WBE:

ANTHONY, Susan Brownell, 1820-1906.

b. 15 February 1820, South Adams, Mass., dau.

Daniel and Lucy Read Anthony.

Learned to read and write when 3 years old.

1826, family moved to Battenville, N.Y.

Taught school for 15 years.

Active in Temperance and Woman suffrage movement,
1850. Founded, and edited for 3 years, The Revolution.

Lectured in America and England.

1872 was arrested & fined \$100 for voting in an
election. She never paid the fine.

Fearless, outspoken, and in the end she saw some
of her reforms enacted. Ridiculed and abused at first,
she was later treated with exceptional regard. A U.S.
stamp bears her likeness.

d. 13 March 1906, Rochester, N.Y., age 86.

? Quaker ??
No mtg?
Father deserted?

Dict. Am. Biog., 1: 318.

New Standard Encyl. 1: 436.

WBE:

ANTHONY, Susannah, d. 1791.

1803, Memoirs of Susannah Anthony.

d. 23 June 1791, Newport, R. I.

Smith, Suppl., p. 23.

WBE:

ANTHONY, Thomas, 1776-1854.

b. 27 Sept. 1776, North Providence, R. I., s.

Daniel and Mary Anthony.

1803, m. Anna Knowles (d. 1819). 1805 to No. Kingston, R.I.
1823, m. Lois Chace (d. 1843).

1817, acknowledged a minister; travelled. 1840,
was one of Com. appointed by N.E.Y.Mtg. to deal with
John Wilbur, (1840-1842).

1853, removed to Warwick, R. I.

Long and distressing illness.

d. 4 May 1854, East Greenwich, R. I., age 77.

The Friend, London, 1857, 15: 1.

Journal of John Wilbur, 279 et. seq.

Friends' Review, 7: 569. 1854.

WBE:

ANTHONY, William, fl. 1725.

1725, with John Wanton (sp.) of Rhode Island, visited
New Jersey, etc.

John Smith's ms., p. 39.

WBE:

ANTHONY, William Arnold, 1835-1908.

Teacher, physicist.

b. 17 Sept. 1835, Coventry, R. I. s. William
and Hannah (Arnold) Anthony.

Ed. at Friends' School. (later Moses Brown).
1854, Brown Univ. 1855, Yale. Given an honorary
Ph. D. in 1860.

m. Eliza Gervin, 1861. 3 children.

Principal of school at Crompton, R. I. Taught
at Franklin, N.Y.; Yellow Springs, Ohio; and at Ames,
Iowa. 1872, professor of physics at Cornell Univ.
1894, Prof. at Cooper Union, N. Y.

An unusually successful teacher, and able physicist.
Established illustrated lectureships. Explained the
greater efficiency of gas filled lamps.

d. 29 May 1908, New York /? in his 73rd year.

Dict. Am. Biog. 21: 30.

ANTROBUS, Benjamin (1645?-1715) [sometimes ANDROBUS]

Benjamin Antrobus was a member of Devonshire House Monthly Meeting. He was a linen draper and lived in Bishopsgate Without, moving to Cheapside in about 1680 (1).

There is no record of his birth in Quaker records; he married Mary Burrall of Greenwich in 1671 (2), and they had 7 or more children (3). Mary Antrobus died in 1705 (4).

Benjamin Antrobus was a minister, and a frequent attender at London meetings. His name figures often in the transactions of the Morning Meeting (5), and he was among those who attended early meetings of the Meeting for Sufferings (6).

Benjamin Antrobus died of "yellow jaundice and a fever" in 1715, aged 70 (7).

NOTES AND REFERENCES

- 1 Information about occupation and residence from London & Middlesex QM Digests of births and burials. Norman Penney, in a note to the 1911 edition of Fox's Journal (p 487), confirms that he lived at the Plough & Harrow, Cheapside.
- 2 London & Middx Digest of marriages gives the date of marriage variously as 6 ii [April] 1671 and 6 vii [September] 1671. The former is presumably correct.
- 3 Children recorded in London & Middx Digest of births as follows:

Benjamin	b. 21 xi [Jan] 1671/2	
Joseph	1 x [Dec] 1673	
Abigail	12 vi [Aug] 1677	
Samuell	14 xii [Feb] 1678/9	
Mary	25 v [July] 1681	(she d. of teething 7 months later)
Mary	11 xii [Feb] 1682/3	
Sarah	7 iii [May] 1690	

- 4 London & Middx Digest of burials gives the date of death as 28 v [July] 1705 and her age then as 55: she died in the parish of Olives Jury and was buried at Bunhill.
- 5 Penney, loc cit.

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ANTROBUS, Benajmin (1645?-1715) continued

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NOTES AND REFERENCES

- 6 "First settling of the Meeting for Sufferings" (Gibson MSS 3/1) shows him appointed a county correspondent at the meeting of 12 iv [June] 1676; and although he was not an appointed representative, the minutes show him attending the weekly meetings at least once during the first year.
- 7 London & Middx Digest of burials; estimated birth date is based on his age at death. The date of death is given as 6 vi [August] 1715.

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ANTROBUS, Benjamin (1645?-1715)

Benjamin Antrobus was a London Friend, a linendraper, living at the Plough and Harrow in Cheapside. He was a frequent visitor at London meetings, his name appearing many times on the 'Books of Ministering Friends' (Ms in Friends House). In 1686, with others, he wrote a Testimony respecting Anne Whitehead, and his name appears in the list of Friends who signed a Testimony to George Fox, from the Second Days Morning Meeting, 26.xi.1690/1 (Ell.edd.). He was active in the business affairs of the Church (Sundry Ancient Epistles, MS in Friends House; Minutes of Morning Meeting, i.ii.MS in Friends House). In 1684 a volume of verse appeared, entitled Buds and Blossoms of Piety... Collection of Several Papers, written by a young Man, some of them in the time of his Apprenticeship... some since and the latter part in his late confinement, etc., reprinted 1691, 1716, 1743, 1766- a curious book containing rhymes on a variety of subjects with little of Quaker interest about them, written partly by B. Antrobus.

Note by N. Penney in Fox's Journal, Camb. ed. 1911 vol.2 p.487

WBE:

Additional Information

ANTROBUS, Benjamin, ca. 1645-1715.

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Linen draper. Minister.

1683, imprisoned by a writ De Excommunicato
Capiendo in Wood-Street-Counter for 2 years, 6 mos.,
1 wk. and 5 days.

1684, preached in London, when it was a hazard to
do so.

d. 6 June 1715, London, Eng., age 70.

Jour. G. Fox (Cambridge), 2: 487

F.H.L. Sw. BX 7614 A63 B8.

Smith's Cat. 1: 122.

Besse, 1: 461, 477, 480, 484.

ANTROBUS, Mary (1650?-1705) born Burrall

The maiden name of Mary Antrobus was Mary Burrall and her home Greenwich. She married Benjamin Antrobus at Devonshire House in 1671.

Note by N. Penney in Fox's Journal, Camb. ed. 1911 vol.2 p.489

WBE:

APPEL, John C.

Author: Significance of the Quakers in public
education in Pennsylvania. . . 1801-1860, College Park,
Md., (?), 1943.

Friends Hist. Lib., Swarthmore, Pa., BX 7619.

APPLEBY, Louisa (1814-1900) aftw. Nodal, born Maw

[Louisa, the second daughter of John and Margaret Maw,
ma ried Joshua Appleby of Manchester in 1839. In 1875
she married John Nodal of Sale.]

see NODAL, Louisa (1814-1900) formerly Appleby, born Maw

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APPLEBY, Susanna (1754-1827)

Susanna Appleby was born 21 Sept. 1754, in Co. Durham, the daughter of Joshua and Ann Appleby (1). 'In early life' she removed into Shropshire.

About her 37th year she was acknowledged as a minister. With ~~the~~ the unity of her MM she at various times, and in company with various Friends, visited most of the meetings in the southern, northern and western counties of England, the meetings in Ireland, and those in Scotland twice, and in Wales repeatedly.

She died after a short but painful illness, at Shrewsbury, 16 July 1827, in her 73rd year (2).

PRINCIPAL SOURCE

Testimony of Shropshire MM in TCMD vol.5 p.301

NOTES AND REFERENCES

1 Durham QM Births digest. Her father died, aged 26, in 1754, and was buried 16 March/- G. Crosfield, Memoirs... of Samuel Fothergill &c (2nd ed. London 1857) p.119
Durham/ Darlington QM Burials digest.

2 Hereford Worcs & Wales QM Burials digest: Spinster. Her residence is given as Coalbrookdale, Co. of Salop.

APPLEGARTH, Anna (1667?-1744) born Barfoot

Anna Barfoot was born about 1667 (1).

She married in 1697 Robert Applegarth (1668?-1746/7 qv), a Basingstoke mealman: 5 children are recorded (2).

Anna Applegarth of Basingstoke died 16 ix [November] 1744, aged about 77 years (3).

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Aged 77 at death. Her birth is not in Dorset & Hants GM Births Digest and her parents' names are not given in the entry relating to her marriage
- 2 For details of the marriage and children, see APPLEGARTH, Robert (1668?-1746/7)
- 3 Dorset & Hants GM Burials Digest: she is described as wife of Robert senior

There is no reference to her in J Friends hist soc vol 1 - 45

APPLEGARTH, Anna (1698-1754) after 1728 Buy

[Anna Applegarth, daughter of Robert ()
and Anna (born) Applegarth of
Basingstoke, Hampshire, was married in 1728 to James
Buy (1705/6-1776 qv) of Reading.

see BUY, Anna (1698-1754) born Applegarth]

APPLEGARTH, Jane (1706/7-1771) born Sanger

Jane Sanger, daughter of Henry () and Elizabeth (born) Sanger of Warminster, Wilts, was born there on 20 xi [January] 1706/7 (1).

She married in 1728/9 Robert Applegarth (1701-1775 qv), a mealman of Swallowfield, near Reading, and later Basingstoke: 6 children are recorded (2).

Jane Applegarth of Basingstoke died 14 September 1771 (3).

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Gloucester & Wilts GM Births Digest: no occupation for her father is given
- 2 For particulars of the marriage and children, and of the move from Swallowfield to Basingstoke, see APPLEGARTH, Robert (1701-1775)
- 3 Dorset & Hants GM Burials Digest: she is described as wife of Robert, a malster; no age at death is given

There is no reference to her in J Friends hist soc vol 1 - 45

APPLEGARTH, Mabel (1786-1864) after 1810 Tuke

[Mabel Applegarth, daughter of John and Sarah Applegarth of Sledwick, Wharleton, Co Durham, was married in 1810 to Robert Tuke (1789-1846, qv).]

see TUKE, Mabel (1786-1864) born Applegarth]

APPLEGARTH, Mary (1744-1777) after 1770 Warner

[Mary Applegarth, daughter of Robert (1701-1775 qv)
and Jane (born Sanger, 1706/7-1771 qv) Applegarth
of Swallowfield, near Reading, and later Basing-
stoke, was married in 1770 to Tomson Warner (1738-
1816 qv) of London.

see WARNER, Mary (1744-1777) born Applegarth]

APPLEGARTH, Rachel (1709-1786) after 1731 Portsmouth

[Rachel Applegarth, daughter of Robert (1668?-1746/7 qv) and Anna (born Barfoot, 1667?-1744 qv) Apple-garth of Basingstoke, Hampshire, was married in 1731 to Henry Portsmouth (1703?-1780 qv) of Silchester, Hampshire, and later Basingstoke.

see PORTSMOUTH, Rachel (1709-1786) born Applegarth]

APPLEGARTH, Robert (1668?–1746/7)

Robert Applegarth was born about 1668 (1). He became a mealman in Basingstoke, Hampshire (2).

He married in 1697 Anna Barfoot (1667?–1744 qv) (3): 5 children are recorded (4).

He was a frequent representative of Hampshire GM at London Yearly Meeting (5).

Robert Applegarth of Basingstoke died 9 i [March] 1746/7, aged 78 years (6).

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Aged 78 at death. His birth is not in Dorset & Hants GM Births Digest and his parents' names are not given in the entry relating to his marriage
- 2 He is so described in the entry for his death; he is described as of Basingstoke in the entries for his marriage (1697) and the birth of his youngest child (1709). No occupation is given in the entries relating to his marriage or the births of his children
- 3 The marriage was at Basingstoke on 19 ix [November] 1697: he is described as of Basingstoke; she is described as of Basingstoke; no further information is given of either party (Dorset & Hants GM Marriages Digest)
- 4 Listed in Dorset & Hants GM Births, Marriages and Burials Digests as follows (the surname being variously spelt):-

Anna qv	b 22 viii [Oct] 1698	m 1728 James Buy (1705/6–1776 qv)
Mary	b 29 xi 1699 [Jan 1699/1700]	d 3 x [Dec] 1720
Robert qv	b 3 iv [June] 1701	m 1728 Jane Sanger (1706/7– 1771 qv)
Tabitha	b 11 vii [Sept] 1704	m 1728 William Heydon
Rachell qv	b 27 viii [Oct] 1709	m 1731 Henry Portsmouth (1703?– 1780 qv)
- 5 He was appointed in the years 1707, 1708, 1710, 1711, 1716, 1718–23, 1725, 1726, 1728, 1730, 1733, 1736, 1737 (YM representatives 1668–1861, typescript, Friends House Library)
- 6 Dorset & Hants GM Burials Digest: his name is given as RA senior and he is described as mealman

There is no reference to him in J Friends hist soc vol 1 – 45

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Betty	1735/4]	b 18 xi 1735 [Jan 1735/6]	d 3 v [July] 1741 (entered as Elizabeth; no age given)
Henry	b 1 vii [Sept] 1738		
Mary qv	b 14 ix [Nov] 1744	m 1770 Tomson Warner (1738–1816 qv) continued	

WBE: a
~~(prepared by RB)~~

APPLEGATE, A. Ward, 1893-1969

b. 1893^(?) near Cicero, Ind.

ed. Earlham College, A.B., 1929

m. (1st) Lena Gray Lorenz 2 children.

1918 recorded at Hinkle Creek Friends Mtg., near Cicero, Ind.

1934-58 pastor, Wilmington Friends Mtg. (Ohio)

1935-58 member of Executive Committee, Board of Missions

1945-50 member Executive Committee of Five Years Mtg.
of Friends; chairman, 1945.

1952 delegate and speaker at Friends World Conference, Oxford.

1954, Honorary Doctorate from Wilmington College.

Pastor Hinkle Creek Friends Mtg., near Cicero, Ind.

1961-67 member of FWCC, Chairman, American Section.

1967, m., (2nd) Amy Baliff

d. Nov. 6, 1969, Bradenton, Fla., aged 76 years.

Elliott Quakers on the American Frontier, 386.

Quaker Life, 10(1969), 21-389

APPLETON, Adah Emma (1868?-1954) born

Adah Emma Appleton, details of whose birth and parentage are not at present (1985) traced, was born about the year 1868(1).

She was married in 1903 to Henry Appleton (1870-1945 qv), an insurance agent of London, but the marriage was apparently childless(2).

She was not at the time of her marriage a member of the Society of Friends, but was received into membership about the year 1922(3).

Adah Emma Appleton of 68 Gretton Houses, Globe Road, London, died on 20 December 1954, at the age of eighty six(4).

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Aged 86 at death
- 2 For information relating to her marriage see APPLETON, Henry (1870-1945)
- 3 London & Middlesex QM printed lists of members: she is shown as a member in 1922
- 4 Digest of Deaths: she is described as a widow

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

[Constance Pegler Appleton, daughter of Leonard Pegler Appleton (1881-1955 qv) and his wife Norah Hurst (born Ingoldby, 1881?-1958 qv) of Birmingham, was married in 1939 to Peter Cranmer of Oxford.

See CRANMER, Constance Pegler [Peggy] (1912-1941) born Appleton]

APPLETON, Henry (1843-1906)

Henry Appleton, the son of John Appleton () and his wife Sophia (born) of Colchester in Essex, was born there on 19 October 1843(1).

He became a grocer at Westleton in Suffolk(2) and was married in 1869 to Mary Pegler (1843-1881 qv) of Scarborough(3); there were four children, born between 1870 and 1881(4).

About 1872 he moved his business to Scarborough(5).

Henry Appleton of 11 Thorn Road, Bournville near Birmingham, died on 10 July 1906, at the age of sixty two(6).

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Digest of Births: his father's occupation is not given
- 2 He is so described in his marriage entry, note 3 and in the birth entry for his eldest child
- 3 The wedding was at Scarborough on 25 August 1869: he is described as a bachelor, a grocer of Westleton in Suffolk, the son of John Appleton, a corn dealer; she is described as a spinster of Scarborough, the daughter of Leonard Hayward Pegler, a silk mercer (Digest of Marriages)
- 4 Listed in the Digests of Births and Marriages as follows:-

Henry qv	b 22 June 1870	m 1903
Letitia Mary qv	b 24 Feb 1872	(AOSA Reports 64 (1945) p 43) m 1897 Thomas Henry Hedges NM (1852?-1931 qv)
*Carlton Gowan	b 19 May 1879	
Leonard Pegler qv	b 7 May 1881	m 1905 Norah Hunt Ingoldby (1881?-1958 qv) <u>(The Friend</u> vol 45 (1905) p 304
- *No marriage traced in the Digest of Marriages to 1941
- 5 His eldest child was born at Westleton in 1870: his remaining children (1872-1881) were born at Scarborough, when he is described as a grocer
- 6 Digest of Deaths: he is described as out of business

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

APPLETON, Henry (1870-1945)

Henry Appleton, the eldest son of Henry Appleton (1843-1902 qv) and his wife Mary (born Pegler, 1843-1881 qv) of Westleton in Suffolk and Scarborough, was born at Westleton on 22 July 1870(1). During his early childhood the family moved to Scarborough and he was educated at Ackworth School from 1879 to 1885(2).

As a young man he worked as a clerk in a stockbroking firm in Ireland, but later he returned to England and entered the insurance business. He was married in 1903 to Adah Emma (born 1868?-1954 qv), who was not a member of the Society of Friends(3), but the marriage was apparently childless(4).

Henry Appleton was a quiet, reticent man of a very gentle disposition, but very concerned with his duty and conscious always of his responsibility and service to God and his fellow men. He was mentally very alert, a keen and observant man and as he travelled about the country in the course of his business he stored up a mass of information about the places he visited. He was upright and kindly and loved children and animals.

He was a lifelong member of the Society of Friends and a regular attender at meetings for worship and business.

Henry Appleton of 68 Gretton Houses, Globe Road, London, died on 11 January 1945, at the age of sixty four(5).

PRINCIPAL SOURCE

Ackworth Old Scholars Association Reports 64 (1945) p 43

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Digest of Births: his father is described as a grocer
- 2 List of Ackworth Scholars 1879-1930, p 2, entry 9501: from Scarborough
- 3 The marriage is not traced in the Digest of Marriages nor in The Friend for 1903
- 4 No children are traced in the Digest of Births nor given in London & Middlesex QM printed lists of members
- 5 Digest of Deaths: he is described as a cloakroom attendant

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

APPLETON, John (-1741)

John Appleton (date of borth and age not referred to in testimony) was 'an able Minister.... not forward, but frequently sat silent whole Meetings waiting for his Time, and then his appearance was with life & Authority'.

He died 30.ix [November] 1741, and was buried at Bridlington, E.R. Yorks,
2.x [December] (1).

PRINCIPAL SOURCE :

Testimony of Bridlington MM, in TCMD vol.1 p.176

NOTES AND REFERENCES :

1. Yorks QM Burials Digest, 1570-1776. He is described as 'Minister'

A John Appleton (no details given) married Martha Emmott (no details given) in 1733 (day & month not given)
Cert. from Knaresborough MM. Yorks Q.M.Marriages Digest
1720-1837

WBE:

Additional Information

APPLETON, John, -1741.

Bridlington, Yorks, Eng.

Later Lincolnshire.

1720-1723 visited America; including families in
Phila.

At North Wales prophesied that many (both men and women) would have a public testimony. Travelled much in Grt. Britain and Ireland.

d. 1741.

J.F.H.S. 10: 126.

Bowden, 2: 235.

Leonard Pegler Appleton, the younger son of Henry Appleton (1845-1902 qv) and his wife Mary (born Pegler, 1843-1881 qv) of Scarborough in Yorkshire, was born there on 7 May 1881(1). The family moved to Birmingham in 1886, but Leonard was educated at Ackworth School from 1892 to 1895(2) and the memory of his Yorkshire birth and schooldays was a great pleasure to him all his life.

He joined the staff of Bournville Village Trust in 1901, soon after its foundation and when he retired in 1945 it was said of him "that he was an integral part of the organisation . . . and became so engrossed as really to live for it." In 1902 he was appointed building manager and, as they were formed, secretary of the various housing societies and associated interests connected with the Trust. In 1929 he became secretary and general manager of the Trust and in the same year correspondent of Bournville School Managers. Thus he was intimately associated with all the developments and experiments carried out on the Trust estate and was in great measure responsible for its growth and expansion. He was a member of the council of the National Federation of Housing Societies, a Fellow of the Institute of Housing and a member of the Royal Sanitary Institute.

He was married in 1905 to Norah Hurst Ingoldby (1881?-1958 qv) of Weymouth(3) and there were three children(4). His wife was not a member of the Society of Friends at the time of the marriage.

During the first world war he served with the Royal Army Service Corps in France and from 1939 to 1945 he took an active part in the Civil Defence Service.

He loved gardening and on his retirement his beautiful garden was one of his great joys, shared by his family and friends.

Leonard Pegler Appleton of Bournville died on 20 October 1958, at the age of seventy seven(5), a few months after the death of his wife.

PRINCIPAL SOURCE

Ackworth Old Scholars Association Reports 78 (1959) pp 60-61

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Digest of Births: his father is described as a grocer
- 2 List of Ackworth Scholars 1879-1930, p 27, entry 10589: from Birmingham
- 3 The Friend vol 45 (1905) p 304: 26 April. At Christ Church, Weymouth, Leonard Pegler Appleton, youngest son of Henry and the late Mary Appleton, of Rednal, near Birmingham, to Norah Hurst Ingoldby, of Weymouth, third daughter of the late Edward John, and Margaret Mary Ingoldby, of Finsbury Park, London
- 4 Listed in the Digest of Births as follows:-
Constance Pegler b 24 Jan 1912 m 1939 Peter Cranmer
Warwick, Leicester & Stafford QM printed lists of members, 1913, gives also the following:-
Frank Whitcombe
Margaret Mary
- 5 Digest of Deaths: he is described as retired

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

APPLETON, Letitia Mary (1872-1942) after 1897 Hedges

[Letitia Mary Appleton, daughter of Henry Appleton (1843-1902 qv) and his wife Mary (born Pegler, 1843-1881 qv) of Scarborough, was married in 1897 to Thomas Henry Hedges (1852?-1931 qv) of York.

See HEDGES, Letitia Mary (1872-1942) born Appleton]

APPLETON, Lewis (1839-1912)

Lewis Appleton, the son of John Grigg and Eliza Appleton of Evesham in Worcestershire, was born there on 22 July 1839(1).

He was married in 1866 to Sophia Dell, the daughter of William Rawbonn Dell (1804-1874 qv) of Earl's Colne in Essex(2), but the marriage was apparently childless(3).

He and his wife were living in 1870 at Rowington Terrace, Handsworth, Birmingham(4); they continued to live there until 1883, when they moved to London(5).

[London]

Lewis Appleton of 15 Old Quebec Street, ~~West~~, died on 13 February 1912, at the age of seventy two(6).

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Digest of Births: his father's occupation is not given
- 2 The wedding was at Esher on 24 October 1866: he is described as a bachelor, a traveller of 19 New Broad Street, London, the son of John Grigg Appleton, a surgeon; she is described as a spinster of 2 Rose Terrace, Fulham Road, Brompton, the daughter of William R. Dell, a merchant (Digest of Marriages)
- 3 No children are traced in the Digest of Births
- 4 So shown in 1870 Warwick, Leicester & Stafford QM printed list of members
- 5 The 1883 QM printed list of members gives their address as Rowington Terrace, that for 1889 'London': they are not printed in the list for 1890
- 6 Digest of Deaths: he is described as a writer, a non-member

SEE ALSO:- Incidental reference in J Friends Hist Soc vol 7, p 38

PUBLICATIONS

Reminiscences of a visit to the battlefields of Sedan, Gravelotte, Spicheren and Wörth, and the bombarded towns of Thionville, Metz, Bitche, Strasburg, etc, with illustrations 1872

Jos. Smith's Catalogue, Supp. p 23

WBE:

APPLETON, Lewis, ca. 1839- .

Author: Reminiscences of a visit to the battle
fields of Sedan, Gravelotte, Spicheren, and Wörth, and
the bombarded towns of Thionville, Metz, Bitche, Strasburg,
etc., with illustrations, 1872.

d.

Birmingham (?)

Jos. Smith's Cat., suppl.:23.

APPLETON, Mary (1845-1881) born Pegler

Mary Pegler, the daughter of Leonard Hayward Pegler (1808-1873 qv) and his wife Letitia (born New, 1806?-1856 qv) of Leeds in Yorkshire, was born there on 7 March 1845(1).

She was educated at Ackworth School from 1856 to 1860(2).

She was married in 1869 to Henry Appleton (1843-1906 qv), a grocer of Westleton in Suffolk and there were four children, born between the years 1870 to 1881(3). Her husband moved his business to Scarborough in Yorkshire about 1872(4).

Mary Appleton of Scarborough died on 20 July 1881, at the age of thirty six(5).

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Digest of Births: her father is described as a silk mercer
- 2 List of Ackworth Scholars 1779-1879, p 170, entry 7679: from Leeds
- 3 For marriage and children see APPLETON, Henry (1843-1906)
- 4 See entry for APPLETON, Henry (1843-1906)
- 5 Digest of Deaths: she is described as the wife of Henry

SEE ALSO:-

Annual Monitor 1882, p 1: 2 line entry for death, the wife of Henry Appleton

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

APPLETON, Ruth (1713-1790) aftw. Seaman

[Ruth Appleton, the daughter of John Appleton and
his wife Mary (nee) was married
in 1744 to John Seaman.

see SEAMAN, Ruth (1713-1790) born Appleton]

APPLETON, Sarah (1702-1752) born Buck

Sarah Buck, the daughter of Francis Buck (1667-1728 qv) and his wife Anna (born Whitelock, -1754 qv) of Birthwith in the parish of Ripley in Yorkshire, was born on 21.iii.[May] 1702(1).

She was married in 1741 to William Appleton (1702?-1773 qv), but the marriage was apparently childless(2).

Sarah Appleton of Northfield in the parish of Brompton in Yorkshire died on 1 April 1752(3).

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Yorkshire QM Births Digest: her place of birth and her father's occupation are not given
- 2 For marriage see APPLETON, William (1702?-1773)
- 3 Yorkshire QM Burials Digest: she is described as the wife of William; the burial took place at Osmotherley.

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

APPLETON, William (1702?-1773)

William Appleton, details of whose birth and parentage are not at present (1985) traced, was born about the year 1702(1).

He was married in 1741 to Sarah Buck (1702-1752 qv)(2), but the marriage was apparently childless(3).

William Appleton of Northfield in the parish of Brompton in Yorkshire died on 19 September 1773, at the age of seventy one(4).

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Aged 71 at death: his birth is not traced in Yorkshire QM Births Digest
- 2 The wedding was at Knaresborough on 1.x.[December] 1741: he is described as of Thirsk MM; she is described as the daughter of Francis and Hannah Buck (Yorkshire QM Marriages Supplement)
- 3 No children are traced in Yorkshire QM Births Digest nor in Yorkshire QM Births Supplement
- 4 Yorkshire QM Burials Digest: he is described as a husbandman; the burial took place at Osmotherley.

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

WBE:a
~~(prepared by JB)~~

APPLETON, William Hyde, -1926

b.

ed. Harvard U., 1864, 1867, A.M degree; 1869, LLB degree

1872-1888, prof. of Greek and German at Swarthmore College.

1888, Swarthmore conferred honorary PhD degree and
Doctor of Laws.

1889-1891 pres. of Swarthmore College

1892-1905, prof. of Greek and English.

1905-1909 prof. of Greek and literature.

Noted for his fine translations of Greek poems, his
Shakespeare readings, his interest in athletics and the
Phi Beta Kappa Society.

d. Apr. 4, 1926, Phila., Pa.

Elliott, Errol T., Quakers on the American Frontier, 388
Friends' Intell. 83(1926):296.

APPLEYARD, Elizabeth (1665?-1753) aftw. Bowing, born

[Elizabeth daughter of
was married in to Appleyard.
In 1711 she married Edward Bowing of Boreham, Essex

see BOWING, Elizabeth (1665?-1753) formerly Appleyard, born

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ARCH, Rachel (1768-1797) born Beaven

Rachel Beaven, daughter of Thomas () and Elizabeth (born Clarke,) Beaven of Melksham, Wiltshire, was born 4 November 1768 (1).

She married in 1795 John Arch (1767-1853 qv) of London: there were no children (2).

Rachel Arch of Lombard Street, London, died of nervous fever on 14 February 1797, aged 28 years (3).

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Gloucester & Wilts QM Births Digest: no occupation for her father is given
- 2 For details of the marriage, see ARCH, John (1767-1853)
- 3 London & Middlesex QM Burials Digest: she is described as wife of John (entry from a register surrendered by Gracechurch Street MM)

There is no reference to her in J Friends hist soc vol 1 - 45

ARCH, Rachel (1817-1845) after 1844 Binyon

[Rachel Arch, daughter of Arthur Portsmouth (1768-1839 qv)
and Mary (born Binyon, 1782-1867 qv) Arch of London, was
married in 1844 to Thomas Binyon (1795-1865 qv) of
Manchester.

see BINYON, Rachel (1817-1845) born Arch.

WBE:

Additional Information

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ARCHDALE, John, 1642-1717.

Quaker "squire".

b. 5 May 1642, Buckinghamshire, Eng., s. Thomas Archdale and Mary (Nevill) Archdale.

m., 1673, Ann (Dobson) Cary, a widow. (4 children).

1664, agent for Gov. Gorges of Maine, on which account he visited Maine. 1682, accepted commission to collect rents in N. Car. Became a deputy proprietor of the Carolinas. 1695, sent from England, with full powers to settle grievances, especially those of S. Car. ca. 1696 returned to England.

Convinced in England under preaching of G. Fox. Enlightened and impartial in the local government; kindly and just to the Indians, and friendly with the Catholic Spaniards of Florida. Strove for naturalization for Huguenots.

1709, published a description of the Carolina Colony vindicating his administration.

d. 4 July 1717, age ca. 75.

The Friend, Phila., 3: 162.

Ency. Am., p. 165.

Dict. of Am. Biog. 1: 337.

Quakers in the American Colonies, 340-350.

New Standard Ency., 509.

Q/ Hist. of U., Emmott, p. 246.

The Friend, Phila., 3: 162.

So. Q. and Slavery, p. 52 et seq.

Add. MS. 22200 (1757-1800) vol. 1767 fol. 10

[Sarah Archer, daughter of James Archer, was married
ARCHDALE, John (d. post 1713) (1739-1797-av) of Hilton
under Buxton, in Derbyshire.]

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John Archdale was a Buckinghamshire Quaker squire. In 1680 he became one of the proprietors of the Carolinas and in 1695 he became governor of the colony. In this position he 'combined with singular felicity the firm requisites of the governor with the gentle and simple benevolence of the Quaker', quoted in an account at large of Archdale in *Quakeriana*, vol. i (1894), pp. 36-40. In 1698 he was elected to represent Wycombe in the House of Commons, but was not allowed to take his seat as his religious principles forbade the taking of the oath. There is now in the possession of E. Harold Marsh, of Tunbridge Wells, a letter, believed to be the original, written by John Archdale and presented to the Speaker, dated '9th 11 mo called Jan. 1698/9' explaining why he could not take the oath. Archdale's will is dated 1713 (copy in Friends House).

DNB

Jones: American Colonies, 1911
Braithwaite: Second period of Quakerism, 1919
Jnl. FHS, ii, viii, xiv, xix
Bulletin FHS Phila. iii, iv, vii
MSS in Friends House

Note by N. Penney in G. Fox, Short Journal, 1925 p. 294

[Emma Jemima Arkininstall, daughter of Francis Arkininstall
() and his wife Matty (born)
of Birmingham, was married in 1865 to Henry Brown
(1844-1926 qv) of Paris and Birmingham.

See BROWN, Emma Jemima (1839-1916) born Arkininstall]

WBE:

ARMATAGE, George, fl. 1866-1870.

Veterinarian ∠?/

1866, A Clinical Note Book, an aid in veterinary practice.

1867, Education of the Veterinary Surgeon.

1870, The Horse: How to Feed Him, &c. And other very numerous papers on kindred subjects.

Secretary of Bedford Institute, Spitalfields, London.

Smith, Suppl., p. 23.

ARMFIELD, Elizabeth (1826-1904) born Claridge

Elizabeth Claridge was born at Devonshire Street, Stepney, on 30 August 1826 (1): she was one of the large family of William and Elizabeth Claridge of Bromley-by-Bow, Middlesex. Although not the eldest in the family, she seems to have been the one looked to both in her father's business and in the domestic circle for active and reliable service. Later on, whenever illness occurred in the families of her relatives and near friends, Lizzie was sent for; she was the nurse of the family, and an experienced one too.

In 1853 she married John G. Armfield (1830-1917) of Bocking, Essex, a happy union which lasted nearly fifty-one years. She was an excellent wife and mother, training her children to lead useful lives of true discipleship. In 1857 the family moved to Tottenham where both husband and wife became active in the Total Abstinence movement. In 1899 they celebrated their Diamond Jubilee by a series of meetings for this cause. At the time of her death she was a member of the local executive of the British Women's Total Abstinence Union. She also held first the office of Overseer, and then of Elder in her Monthly Meeting of Tottenham, being most sympathetic and helpful in these capacities especially to younger Friends and to those struggling with the difficulties of daily life, since she had borne many trials in her own family life, and could enter into those of others.

Her last illness lasted many months, and she showed patience and faith through the time of being set aside from active life. She died at the age of 78 on 26 January 1904.

PRINCIPAL SOURCE

Annual monitor 1905 p.1

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 London & Middlesex QM Births Digest

ARMFIELD, John Gomersall (1830-1917)

John Gomersall Armfield, born at Reigate on 13 August 1830, was the son of George and Ann Armfield (1) He was educated at Friends School, Croydon, and on leaving school he joined his brother George in business as a coach builder and undertaker. When only eighteen he had to go into the City of London alone, when cholera was raging, to act as undertaker for Friends who had died. His older brother was too nervous to accompany him.

In 1853 he married a former schoolfellow, Elizabeth (1826-1904 qv) daughter of William and Elizabeth Claridge of Bromley, Kent (2) There were six children (3) He moved to Braintree, Essex, and later to Tottenham, where he remained for the rest of his life.

Both John Armfield and his wife were keen temperance workers, and for 45 years he served the Temperance and General Provident Institution. He was an active and faithful Friend, serving on various committees, and he was a recorded minister. He founded the Croydon and Saffron Walden Old Scholars' Association, never missed an annual gathering, and served continuously on the Committee. He was a staunch supporter of conscientious objectors. He died on 24 April 1917 at the advanced age of 86.

PRINCIPAL SOURCE :

Annual Monitor 1918, p.5

REFERENCES AND NOTES :

- 1 Sussex & Surrey QM Birth Notes. His father described as "tallow chandler"
- 2 The wedding was at Devonshire House on 15 March 1853. He is described as bachelor, warehouseman of Bocking, Essex, son of George Armfield, deceased. She is described as spinster, milliner of Cripplegate. daughter of William Claridge, butcher. (Digest of Marriage Registers)
- 3 Listed in Digest of Birth Notes as follows :-

Jane Mary	born 1 January 1854
Alice	born 30 March 1856
Elizabeth Ann	born 11 November 1857
John Henry	born 3 December 1859
Herbert	born 30 December 1860
Florence Rachel	born 13 February 1871

SEE ALSO: Croydon & Saffron Walden OSA Report, 1918, p.24

e | , , Memrnto of golden wedding, 1903 vol.V/189

ARMFIELD, Joseph (1821-1894)

Joseph Armfield was born in Lambeth on 3 January 1821, the second son of George and Ann Armfield and brother of John Gomersall Armfield (1830-1917, qv). Both of his parents were descended from established Quaker families. After five years at Croydon school he was apprenticed for seven years to his cousin Jacob Post of Islington - an ironmonger and corn-dealer - and lived with Jacob and Elizabeth Post, who treated him as a son.

At the age of 21 he joined his elder brother George in the latter's coach-building business in Croydon, returning to London three years later to undertake business journeys for his uncle John Hubbert, a manufacturer of mops, yarns, mats, etc. After nearly a year in this post he became confidential clerk to John Warner and Sons, brassfounders, of Jewin Crescent in the City of London, a position which he held for 10 years.

Joseph Armfield was married three times: in December 1847 to Julia Ashby (1813-1889, qv) of Brixton, who died in May 1889 after a long period of ill-health (1). There were 3 children (2). In the autumn of 1890 he married Louisa Dell, who died of apoplexy after less than two years (3); and in August 1893 he married Caroline Candler (4).

From the time of his first marriage he showed generous hospitality to Friends and others, and in 1857 he moved to South Place, Finsbury, where he and Julia Armfield opened a temperance boarding house. Following a serious illness suffered by his wife in 1873, they moved again in the following year to a country residence in Croham Mount, Croydon.

Joseph Armfield became a member of the then Peel Monthly Meeting during his apprenticeship to Jacob Post, and for a period of nearly 60 years attended Yearly Meeting, with the sole exception of some sittings in 1847. He first took a vocal part in meeting for worship at the age of 33, but it was not until October 1881 that he was recorded a Minister. He showed a particular concern for comforting those who had been bereaved. While always deeply attached to the distinctive character of the Society of Friends, he deprecated tendencies towards the formation of exclusive sections of the Society.

He took a wide interest in social matters, including the temperance movement (signing the pledge in 1839 at the age of 18), the direct veto question, the United Kingdom Alliance, International Arbitration, the Anti-Opium and Social Purity Associations, and the Anti-Slavery movement (although he felt unable to join the Anti-Slavery Committee as this did not as a body feel restrained from countenancing the suppression of the

ARMFIELD, Joseph (1821-1894) contd.

slave trade by warlike means). He also supported the Liberal Party. In the latter part of 1893 he spent three weeks in Ireland, where he interested himself in attitudes towards the Home Rule question.

While on his way to attend Yearly Meeting on 29 May 1894 he suffered an attack of angina pectoris, and in the evening of the same day he died. He was buried in the burial ground of Isleworth Meeting.

PRINCIPAL SOURCE

Annual monitor 1895 p.1

REFERENCES AND NOTES

1. The wedding was at Wandsworth on 30 December 1847: he is described as bachelor, commercial traveller of Brixton, son of George Armfield, tea dealer; she is described as spinster, daughter of John Ashby, deceased (Digest of Marriage Registers).
2. Listed in Digest of Birth and Burial Notes as follows:-

Julia Anne	born 21 October 1850	
Joseph John	" 15 May 1852	qv
Aaron Ashby	" 2 October 1854	
daughter not named	" 4 August 1856	died 15 August 1856
3. The wedding was at Devonshire House on 1 July 1890: he is described as widower, hotel proprietor of Croham Mount, Croydon, son of George Armfield, deceased; she is described as spinster of Croydon, daughter of William Rawbonn Dell, deceased (Digest of Marriage Registers).
4. The wedding was at Croydon on 15 August 1893: he is described as widower, hotel proprietor of Croham Mount, Croydon, son of George Armfield, teaman, deceased; she is described as spinster of Croydon, daughter of Benjamin Jesup Candler, grocer, (Digest of Marriage Registers).

WBE:

ARMFIELD, Joseph, 1821-1894.

b. 3 Jan. 1821, Chinc Walk, Lambeth, s. George 3
and Ann Armfield.

Croydon School. Apprenticed to Jacob Post.

m., 1847, Julia Ashby (issue). d. 1889.

m. 2nd Louisa Dell in 1890. d. 1892.

m. Caroline Candler, 1893.

A staunch advocate of prophetic ministry.

d. 29 May 1894 Croham Mount, Croydon, age 73.

Wrote The Spirituality of the Gospel Reasserted
and Defended, 1873, in reply to a printed Letter by
Robert Alsop entitled "What is the Gospel?". London.

Recorded as a minister, 1881.

d. 29 May 1894, Croham Mount, Croydon, age 73.

The Friend, London, 34: 384, 404.

An Mon., N.S., 53: 1

Smith Suppl., p. 26.

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JOSEPH JOHN ARMFIELD (1852-1935)

From 'The Friend', June 7 1935

The death on April 9, in his 83rd year, of Joseph John Armfield, of Ringwood, Hants, has been keenly felt by many of his friends. He was the elder son of Joseph Armfield, and was born at Jewin Crescent, London, in 1852. Brought up in the Society, Joseph John carried its principles all through his public business as well as in his private life.

For four years he was at the Friends' School, Croydon (now Saffron Walden), and then attended lectures at the London Institution and the Society of Arts, where he heard, amongst other lecturers, Huxley, Ruskin and Tyndall; but he was one whose education never finished, and who went on learning throughout his life.

He served a strenuous apprenticeship to engineering at John Smith's at Carshalton, and in 1876 bought a small millwright's and engineering business at Ringwood. The business grew, and gained a world-wide reputation for flour milling machinery and water turbines. His normal working day then was from 6 a.m. until well after midnight. Every one of his men regarded him as a personal friend, and there were few working mornings up to the very day when he was taken ill when he was not in the shops before breakfast, cheerily greeting the men as he supervised the work in hand.

In this strenuous life he found time for varied public work. He was J.P. for the County of Hampshire, and served on the Ringwood Rural District Council and Board of Guardians for over 20 years. He was also chairman of the managers of the Council school for the town, where his Empire Day addresses to the children will be long remembered.

But the two causes for which Joseph John Armfield worked with unlimited energy were Liberalism and Peace. He often said: "Liberalism, with me, is a Faith". He was for a number of years chairman of the New Forest Liberal Association, striving to make every election an enabling and educating influence. His efforts culminated in the triumph of 1906, when the New Forest at length returned a Liberal to the House of Commons.

His work for peace took many forms. He founded the local branch of the League of Nations Union, and was for many years its chairman. During the war he delivered a series of pacifist lectures to the Young People's Association, afterwards published under the title "War Time Essays". He followed closely the work of the local tribunal, and many C.O.'s owed their exemptions to his wise and careful presentation of their case.

For long during his middle life Joseph John Armfield had no opportunity of regularly attending Meetings for Worship, but latterly he attended a little Friends' Meeting that was started at Ringwood.

One who had for several years worked with him in the cause of peace writes: "I admired him as a man who spoke little of religion, but as one who sought to live out the highest ideals of the Christian life."

ARMFIELD, Maxwell n.m.

Maxwell Armfield was the son of Joseph John Armfield of Ringwood, Hants, who was a lifelong member of the Society, a J.P., keen pacifist, and politician.

He was educated at Sidcot and Leighton Park, later studying in Birmingham and Paris; some pictures of his were hung in the Salon in the Luxemburg, in 1916. He belonged to the pre-Raphaelite school.

Maxwell Armfield's mother was never a Friend, and he never joined the Society. Some years ago he became a Christian Scientist; he married Constance Smedley, a well-known writer. He left England, and settled in New York.

[Information received from his cousin Y. Isabel Armfield,
in December 1916]

ARMISTEAD, Eleanor (1799-) after 1825 Waithman

[Eleanor Armistead, daughter of John Armistead (1754-1805 qv) and his wife Sarah (born Sutcliffe, 1763-1841 qv) of Leeds, was married in 1825 to William Waithman (1799-1869 qv).]

See WAITHMAN, Eleanor (1799-) born Armistead]

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ARMISTEAD, John (1754-1805)

John Armistead, the son of John and Sarah Armistead of Leeds, was born there on 1 July 1754(1).

He was a brush manufacturer of Leeds(2) who subsequently became a mustard manufacturer(3) and he was married in 1788 to Sarah Sutcliffe (1763-1841 qv) of Stansfield in Yorkshire(4); there was one child(5).

John Armistead of Leeds died on 20 February 1805, at the age of fifty(6).

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Yorkshire QM Births Digest: his father's occupation is not given
- 2 He is so described in the marriage entry for his widow to John Stansfield (1767-1813 qv)
- 3 He is so described in his burial entry, note 6
- 4 The wedding was at Shewbread on 13 March 1788: he is described as of Leeds, Yorkshire, the son of John, a chinaman and Sarah of Leeds; she is described as the daughter of William, a shopkeeper and Sarah Sutcliffe (deceased) (Yorkshire QM Marriages Digest)
- 5 Listed in Yorkshire QM Births and Marriages Digests as follows:-
Eleanor qv b 5 Oct 1799 m 1825 William Waithman (1799- qv)
- 6 Yorkshire QM Burials Digest: he is described as a mustard manufacturer

N.B. There is no reference to him in J Friends Hist Soc vols 1-45
or in vols 46-53

ARMISTEAD, John (1795-1845)

John Armistead, the son of Joseph and Betty Armistead of Leeds in Yorkshire, was born there on 25 July 1795(1).

He was married in 1827 to Maria Morris(2) and there was one child who died in infancy(3).

Either this man or John Armistead (1795-1871 qv) may have served for a time on the Country Committee for Ackworth School(4).

John Armistead of Leeds died on 26 May 1845, at the age of forty nine(5).

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Yorkshire QM Births Digest: his father is described as a brush manufacturer
- 2 The wedding was at Leeds on 22 February 1827: he is described as a brush manufacturer of Leeds, the son of Joseph and Betty Armistead of Leeds, Yorkshire; she is described as the daughter of Joshua Morris, a merchant, and Susannah (deceased) (Yorkshire QM Marriages Digest)
- 3 Listed in Yorkshire QM Births and Burials Digests as follows:-
Susanna b 23 Oct 1830 who d 19 March 1831
- 4 Typescript Committee Lists, Friends House Library
- 5 Digest of Deaths: he is described as a leather dresser

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

ARMISTEAD, John (1795-1871)

John Armistead, the son of John and Sarah Armistead of Leeds in Yorkshire, was born there on 20 August 1795(1).

He was married to Mary(2) and there were two children(3).

Either this man or John Armistead (1795-1845 qv) may have served for some time on the Country Committee for Ackworth School(4).

John Armistead of St Leonards, Devonshire, died on 13 August 1871, in his seventy sixth year(5).

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Yorkshire QM Births Digest: his father is described as a mustard flour manufacturer
- 2 The marriage is not traced in any of the QM Marriages Digests in England and Wales
- 3 Listed in Yorkshire QM Births Digest as follows:-
 *John William b 9 Jan 1831
 *Edwin b 30 Aug 1835
- 4 Typescript Committee Lists, Friends House Library
- 5 Digest of Deaths: he is described as a gentleman; his age at death is given as 76

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

WBE:

ARMISTEAD, Joseph John, 1846-1929.

Manufacturer, Naturalist, Cultivator of fish.

b. 1846, Leeds, Eng., s. of Wilson Armistead, operator of factory businesses. Parents died early.

Took up study of fish-culture.

m. Sarah Hotham.

Carried on his father's factory businesses.

After 1896 took up mission work among the fishermen of Norway. 1902, sailed in a small craft to Norway. 1920, retired to the Southwest of England.

1906, author: Piloted, London, (portraits);
1913: Ten years near the Arctic Circle, (portraits).

d. 24 April 1929, Street, Somerset, age 85^{1/2}/

The Friend, London, 1929, 69: 416, 429, (portrait).

ARMISTEAD, Sarah (1763-1841) after 1811 Stansfield, born Sutcliffe

[Sarah Sutcliffe, daughter of William and Sarah Sutcliffe of Stansfield in Yorkshire, was married in 1788 to John Armistead (1754-1805 qv). After her husband's death she became in 1811 the second wife of John Stansfield (1767-1813 qv).]

See STANSFIELD, Sarah (1763-1841) formerly Armistead, born Sutcliffe]

ARMISTEAD, Sarah (1792-1859) after 1827 Stansfield

{ Sarah Armistead, daughter of Joseph Armistead ()
and his wife Betty (born
of Leeds, was married in 1827 to Samuel Stansfield
(1788-1850 qv) of Liverpool.

See STANSFIELD, Sarah (1792-1859) born Armistead]

WBE:

ARMISTEAD, William, ca. 1675-1731.

Yorkshire, Eng.

Minister of Settle Mo. Mtg. 1706, visited America
with John Fothergill, at time of war between France and
England. Also visited the West Indies.

Removed to London.

d. 1731, London(?), age ca. 56.

J.F.H.S., 10: 124.

Bowden's Hist. 2: 226.

John Smiths' MS., 17.

Account of the Lifeof John Fothergill.

WBE:

ARMISTEAD, Wilson, 1818 or 9-1868.

Businessman, writer, missionary.

b. 1818 or 9. fl. in Leeds, Eng.

See Joseph John Armistead, 1846-1929.

Factory businessman. Missionaries in Madagascar.

Author: 1840, Memoir of Paul Cuffe; 1848, A Tribute to the Negro ...; 1851, published Select Miscellanies 6 vols. Voluminous writer upon slavery; biography; including Journal of George Fox, 7th edition, in 2 vols. and a life of Anthony Benezet; Scriptural Instruction, the Christian Sabbath, Christian Doctrine, etc.

Much interested in Friends. Industrious in business.

Never robust in health.

d. 18 Feb. 1868, Virginia House, Leeds, age 49.

An. Mon. 2d Series, 27: 2.

Smith's Catalogue, 1: 124.

ARMITAGE, Celia Mary (1854-1943)

Celia Mary Armitage, the younger daughter of John Armitage (1827-1903 qv) and his wife Maria, born Bowman, of Nottingham, was born there on 8 April 1854(1). She was educated at Ackworth School* from 1866 to 1869(2), but nothing is at present (1975) traced of her early life until about the year 1890, when at about the age of thirty six she went as head matron of Dr Barnado's "Leopold House" branch home, of which her brother Herbert (1859-1925 qv) had been appointed superintendent.

This exacting but enjoyable work came to an end about 1896, when she and her brother offered themselves for service at the mission for freed slaves at Pemba. Their offer was accepted, Herbert sailed first in April 1897 and Celia followed him at the beginning of 1898. They lived at Chaki Chaki, superintending the boys' home and maintaining evangelical and educational work(3). Slavery was not at an end and much effort had to be made by attending court when slaves applied for freedom, seeing they had justice and submitting memoranda to the government in England.

Celia's health began to fail in 1903 and by 1904 she was forced to return home(4). Herbert followed her home in 1906 and the two rejoined the Barnardo organisation, going back to "Leopold House" for a few years, followed by a spell at "Dame Margaret's" home for boys and girls in the north of England and going finally to "Teignmore" in Jersey, from which home they retired in 1921. In 1922, in the course of a voyage home from Australia, they were able to meet their friends at Pemba and had a joyous six weeks' reunion with their fellow workers, seeing many of the boys and girls they had known as children now grown up with families of their own.

Celia M. Armitage had a long retirement in Jersey, keeping house first for her brother Herbert, who died in 1925, and after about 1926 for her brother William (1857-1941 qv)(5); the household was joined in 1924 by their elder sister Emily (1852-1930 qv)(6). Celia died in Jersey on 9 May 1943(7), at the age of eighty nine.

PRINCIPAL SOURCE

The Friend vol 65 (1925) p 840: Obituary of Herbert

* See School days at Ackworth, 1866-1869 by CMA
(typescript, Friends House Library)

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REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Digest of Births: her father is described as a woolstapler
- 2 List of Ackworth Scholars 1779-1879, p 187
- 3 YM Proceedings 1902-1906; 1904, p 160
- 4 op cit pp 160-161
- 5 See ARMITAGE, William (1857-1941)
- 6 See ARMITAGE, Emily (1852-1930)
- 7 Digest of Deaths: she is described as a spinster of Sunny Hill, Gorey, Jersey

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

ARMITAGE, Edith Maria (1874-1953) born Johnson

Edith Maria Johnson, the daughter of Francis and Susannah Maria Johnson of Islington, London, was born there on 6 April 1874(1). She was a pupil at Ackworth School from 1886 to 1889(2) and later served for many years on the school committee. She trained for the nursing profession before she married Thomas Watson Armitage of Wakefield in 1902(3); there were apparently five children of the marriage(4).

Her husband was a teacher in what was then a flourishing Adult School connected with Wakefield Meeting and she herself started a women's class there. Through the two war periods she gave considerable help to those who suffered for their pacifist convictions and many conscientious objectors imprisoned at Wakefield were grateful to the Armitages for their support. She was also active in the women's temperance movement, almshouse charters and many other causes.

She did not take much part in vocal ministry, but her devoted attendance at meetings for worship and monthly and quarterly meetings was a source of great strength. She gave many years of faithful service as clerk to the overseers and also represented Yorkshire Quarterly Meeting on the Friends Service Council from 1945 to 1953 and Meeting for Sufferings from 1930 to 1949/50(5).

She died at Wakefield, after many years of widowhood, on 11 February 1953(6), at the age of seventy eight.

PRINCIPAL SOURCE

The Friend, vol 111 (1953) p 475

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

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Digest of Births: her father is described as a tea dealer
- 2 Ackworth School List 1879-1930, p 16
- 3 The wedding was at Barith, Hunts, on 2 April 1902: he is described as a bachelor, an upholsterer of 21 Thornhill Street, Wakefield, the son of William Armitage, who had no occupation; she is described as a spinster of Amery, Ashford, Kent, the daughter of Francis Johnson, a tea merchant (Digest of Marriages)
- 4 Listed in the Digest of Births as follows:-
Dorothy Watson b 17 Dec 1903
Francis William b 12 June 1906
Yorkshire Quarterly Meeting List of Members for 1924 also includes the following additional children, of whom there is no record in the Digest of Births:-
Frances Emma
Lucy Ellen
Thomas Watson
- 5 Typescript Committee Index, Friends House Library
- 6 Digest of Deaths: she is described as the widow of Thomas Watson, of March Close, Heath, Wakefield

ARMITAGE, Edward (1867-1931)

Edward Armitage, the son of Samuel Fox Armitage (1830-1914 qv) and his second wife Joanna of Nottingham, was born there on 12 October 1867(1). He was educated at Bootham School from 1878 to 1884(2). Some time prior to the year 1898 he married Margaret Rainey Hazzledine (1869-1949 qv)(3), who was not then a member of the Society and details of whose birth and parentage are not at present (1975) traced; there were three children of the marriage(4). His wife was admitted into membership about the year 1911(5) and by 1925 they were both overseers(6).

From 1914 to 1926 Edward Armitage was secretary of the family business of Messrs Armitage Bros Ltd, which was run by a partnership consisting of his brothers Joseph John (1856-1945 qv), Wilson (1855-1913 qv) and Stephen. The firm was originally founded by William Fox in 1775 and passed through several hands before Samuel Fox Armitage assumed control in 1869. Before his connection with the firm Edward Armitage was a lace manufacturer and he continued to regard this as his principal occupation(7).

His health was indifferent and when he was fifty eight he left Nottingham and retired to Guildford in Surrey, to enjoy his leisure and play golf. He continued to be an active member of the Society and was treasurer of Guildford Meeting. He died on 11 August 1931(8), at the age of sixty three.

PRINCIPAL SOURCE

Appreciation in The Grocer, 15 August 1931

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REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Digest of Births: his father is described as a grocer
- 2 Bootham School Register 1935, p 24
- 3 There is no record of the marriage in the Digest of Marriages, but Derby, Lincs & Notts QM List of Members for 1898 shows his wife as Margaret, a non member and Bootham School Register 1935, p 24 gives her maiden name as Hazzledine
- 4 There is no record of the birth of any children in the Digest of Births, but Bootham School Register 1935, p 24 and Derby, Lincs & Notts QM List of Members for 1910 show them as follows:-
 - Eldwyth b 1898
 - Margaret b 1902
 - Jean Mary b 1904
- 5 In Derby Lincs & Notts QM List of Members for 1911 his wife is shown for the first time as a member

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REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 6 Derby, Lincs & Notts QM List of Members 1925
- 7 He is described as a retired lace manufacturer in the entry for his death, note 9
- 8 Bootham School Register 1935, p 24
- 9 Digest of Deaths: he is described as a retired lace manufacturer of Oak Cottage, Burpham, near Guildford

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

[Elizabeth Armitage, daughter of John Armitage (1783-1847 qv) and his wife Miriam (born Wilson, 1789-1868 qv) of Nottingham, was married in 1848 to William Bowman (1824-1916 qv) of One Ash Grange in Derbyshire.

See BOWMAN, Elizabeth (1825-1916) born Armitage]

ARMITAGE, Emily (1852-1930)

Emily Armitage, the eldest child of John Armitage (1827-1903 qv) and his wife Maria, born Bowman, of Nottingham, was born there on 2 August 1852(1). She went to Ackworth School in 1864, but her health while there was poor and she left early, in 1866; she continued her education at a day school in Nottingham. Later on, when the University Extension scheme was inaugurated, she was an enthusiastic attender of lectures.

In 1894 she went to keep house for her brother Henry Bowman Armitage (1855-1938 qv), whose wife Annis had died in 1890(2) and she lived with him for over thirty years. She was a great reader. Attracted at first to Swedenborgianism, she attended New Thought lectures and finally adopted Christian Science as a belief, resigning her membership of the Society. She was interested in various other activities, of which teaching in the Adult School and teaching her nephews and nieces to dance were but two.

In 1924 she went to Jersey to live with her brother and sister, Herbert (1859-1925 qv) and Celia Mary (1854-1943 qv), at Gorey. All her life she was very original and liked to choose her own line, but though this sometimes caused discomfort to those who differed from her, her tact and good humour usually smoothed over difficulties.

A few years before her death she was reinstated in the Society at her own request. She died at Gorey in Jersey on 16 November 1930(3), at the age of seventy eight.

PRINCIPAL SOURCE

Ackworth Old Scholars Association Report 1931-1932, 50, p 75

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Digest of Births: her father's occupation is not given
- 2 See ARMITAGE, Henry (1855-1938)
- 3 Her death is not recorded in the Digest of Deaths

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

ARMITAGE, Francis Henry (1884-1947)

Francis Henry Armitage, the second son of Henry Bowman Armitage (1855-1938 qv) and his wife Annis Adair, born Hartas, of Nottingham, was born there on 30 June 1884(1). He was a scholar at Ackworth School from 1895 to 1900 and on leaving school entered, at his father's wish, the family business of Armitage, Hopewell & Co., Grain & Seed Merchants of Nottingham. About four years later he went into flour milling at Chester, where he took an active part in Adult School work and the life of Chester Meeting.

In 1910 he accepted the offer of farm work in western Canada and after about two years' experience of the hardships to be endured, he "took up" a hundred and sixty acres of virgin prairie in Saskatchewan. This he partially cleared and turned into a productive farm, building his own log house which he was able later to enlarge to accommodate his family. During the first world war he lived a very varied and unsettled life, sometimes leaving his homestead for weeks on end; he had taken his stand as a conscientious objector and was liable to arrest at any time.

He visited England twice before he finally returned in 1931. During his second visit, in 1921, he met Sarah Taylor and they were married in 1922(2); there were apparently three daughters of the marriage(3). The family lived in Canada for nine years, taking a great interest in the community of which they were part, but Francis had to face a great slump in farming at the beginning of the 1930s and in 1931, after a hard struggle, he was forced to sell up and return to England.

He farmed in England for six years, but was then stricken with rheumatoid arthritis and was obliged to give up work. He tried many different cures and spent a great deal of time in hospital, but for the last six years of his life he was a complete invalid.

He died at Stapleford, Nottinghamshire, on 10 January 1947(4), at the age of sixty two.

PRINCIPAL SOURCE

Ackworth Old Scholars Association Reports 66 (1947-1948) p 60

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

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REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Digest of Births: his father is described as a corn dealer
- 2 The wedding was at Nottingham on 19 April 1922: he is described as a bachelor, a farmer, of 5 Derby Terrace, Nottingham, the son of Henry Bowman Armitage, a retired corn merchant; she is described as a spinster of The Fields, Stapleford, Notts, the daughter of Jonathan Taylor (deceased) a farmer (Digest of Marriages)
- 3 Listed in the Digest of Births as follows:-
Nancy Adair b 18 Oct 1923 at Saskatchewan, Canada
Celia Mary b 16 July 1927 " " "
N.B. Ackworth Old Scholars Association Report 66 (1947-1948) p 60 states that there were three daughters, but there is no record of a third in the Digest of Births and her name is not given in the Report.
- 4 Digest of Deaths: he is described as retired from business, of 6 West Avenue, Stapleford, Notts

ARMITAGE, George Frederick (1863-1897)

(1824⁷-1887, qv)

George Frederick Armitage, the son of William Armitage and his wife Martha Sophia of Leeds, was born there on 25 December 1863(1). He was an M.A. of the University of London and as an educationalist had a short but distinguished career.

He trained at the Flounders Institute, Ackworth, and served as a junior master at Ackworth School before becoming a student again to take his B.A. degree in 1887. In January 1888 he won a scholarship open to members of the Society of Friends to the value of £100 for two years and £150 for the third year and he utilised this by studying in Berlin under Professor Zupitza, an authority on the English language; he spent his long vacations in Geneva and Paris in order to make himself proficient in French. On his return to London he gained his M.A. degree in 1891, taking English and German as his special subjects and achieving second place in the list of successful candidates. In the same year he was appointed master of modern languages at Leeds Higher Grade School, where he worked until a few days before his death. A man of the highest culture and extremely conscientious in the discharge of his professional duties, he endeared himself to his pupils and colleagues, who lost and inspiring teacher and a personal friend.

He was a member of Leeds Meeting, in which he took a great interest.

He died on 3 April 1897(2), at the age of thirty three.

PRINCIPAL SOURCE

The Friend vol 37 (1897) p 246

REFERENCES AND NOTES

1 Digest of Births: his father is described as a clerk

2 Digest of Deaths: he is described as a Master of Arts, living at Leeds

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

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ARMITAGE, Harold ~~1865~~ (1865-1942)

Harold Adair Armitage, the youngest son of Henry Bowman Armitage (1855-1938 qv) and his wife Annis Adair, born Hartas, of Nottingham, was born there on 27 October 1865(1). He was educated at Ackworth School from 1897 to 1901(2) and at Nottingham University and served his apprenticeship with the British Westinghouse Engineering Company. He afterwards worked for the Thornton Pickard camera firm and was a keen photographer.

In 1916 he joined the Friends Ambulance Unit and served in France and in Flanders until the end of the first world war. He then entered the drawing offices of Christy Brothers of Chelmsford. He acted for a time as clerk to Chelmsford Preparative Meeting and was loved and esteemed by many. Among his many gifts was that of letter writing.

He was married in 1930 to Marjorie Mary Munnon(3), who was not then a Friend but was admitted into membership shortly after her marriage(4); there were two children(5).

He died at Bridgwater in Somerset on 8 September 1942(6), at the age of fifty seven.

PRINCIPAL SOURCE

The Friend, vol 100 (1942) p 563

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Digest of Births: his father is described as a corn merchant
 - 2 List of Ackworth Scholars 1879-1930, p 37
 - 3 The wedding was at Chelmsford on 29 November 1930: he is described as a bachelor, an engineer's draughtsman of 4 Jubilee Terrace, Broomfield Road, Chelmsford, the son of Henry Bowman Armitage, a corn merchant; she is described as not in membership, a typist of 12 Trinity Road Chelmsford, the daughter of Charles Alfred Munnon, a coach builder (Digest of Marriages)
 - 4 She is shown as a member in Essex & Suffolk QM List of Members, 1932
 - 5 Listed in the Digest of Births as follows:-
Ann b 29 July 1933
Martin Hartas b 24 July 1940
 - 6 Digest of Deaths: he is described as a retired draughtsman and electrical engineer of The Tutor House, Firhead, near Taunton
- N.B. There is no reference to him in J Friends Hist Soc vols 1-45

ARMITAGE, Henry Bowman (1855-1938)

Henry Bowman Armitage, the son of John Armitage (1827-1903 qv) and his wife Maria, born Bowman, of Nottingham, was born there on 9 December 1855(1). He was educated at Ackworth School from 1866 to 1870(2) and at Bootham School from 1871 to 1872(3).

On leaving school he was apprenticed in 1874 to the engineering firm of William Dent Priestman of Hull. Later, after serving a year with Marlowe, Alliott & Co., he entered his father's corn, seed and wool business in Nottingham. He was married in 1882 to Annis Adair Hartes(4), by whom he had three children(5); Annis Armitage died in 1890(6), her death was a great shock to him and there is no indication that he made a second marriage(7).

On his father's retirement in 1886 Henry Armitage continued the business in partnership with his brother William (1857-1941 qv) and with Tom E. Hopewell; when this partnership was dissolved Henry Armitage continued the town side of the business, while his brother took the country trade. He had been clerk to Nottingham & Mansfield Monthly Meeting from 1888 to 1893(8) and retired about 1908 in order to devote himself to work for the Society and for the Adult School. He was president of the Nottingham Adult School for twenty five years and for the same time president of the Nottingham Adult School Union.

He was a recorded minister, taking an active part in meetings for worship and in business meetings until the last few years of his life. Whenever possible he attended London Yearly Meeting and was a frequent visitor to Pritchley, where he had many friends. He was also a freeman of the city of Nottingham.

He died at Nottingham on 4 October 1938(9), at the age of eighty two.

PRINCIPAL SOURCE

The Friend, vol 96 (1938) p 934

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Digest of Births: his father is described as a woolstapler
- 2 Ackworth School List 1879, p 187
- 3 Bootham School Register 1935, p 24
- 4 The wedding was at Mansfield on 26 April 1882: he is described as a bachelor, a corn merchant of Nottingham, the son of John Armitage, a corn merchant; she is described as a spinster of Mansfield, the daughter of Thomas Hartas, a draper (Digest of Marriages)
- 5 Listed in Digest of Births as follows:-
 Norman Hartas qv b 31 March 1883
 Francis Henry qv b 30 June 1884
 Harold Adair qv b 27 Oct 1885
- 6 Digest of Deaths: she died on 21 November 1890, aged 35
- 7 There is no record of a second marriage in the Digest of Marriages
- 8 Administrative Guide to QMs and MMs, Friends House Library
- 9 Digest of Deaths: he is described as retired

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

ARMITAGE, Herbert (1859-1925)

Herbert Armitage, the youngest son of John Armitage (1827-1903 qv) and his wife Maria, born Bowman, of Nottingham, was born there on 1 September 1859(1). He was educated at Ackworth School from 1869 to 1872 and even while still at school he felt the desire to help others towards a knowledge of Christ. He undertook Sunday School work in Nottingham and Hull and at Hull had a class in the Friends' Adult School premises.

After his mother's death in 1883 he moved to Derby to be nearer home and became interested in the boys attending Sunday School in Agard Street. He was asked to take over the work and this he did with the help of members of the Friends' Meeting; the Sunday School was a collection of disorderly youngsters, but the work prospered and much good was done. He used also to read aloud to the young telegraph messenger boys who came to his sitting room for books and games and found that he had a unique capacity for influencing boys for good.

The year 1890 opened out another sphere of work. He applied for and was appointed to the post of Superintendent of the Porter Reformatory at the Cape, but before he could take up his duties there was a change of government and the arrangement fell through. He was offered and accepted the post of schoolmaster and chaplain, but from the outset there were difficulties which even Herbert Armitage's winning personality could not quite smooth over and finally his position became intolerable. He sent in his resignation and returned to England.

At home he applied for the position of superintendent of Dr Barnado's "Leopold House" branch home. As he was not married his sister Celia Mary Armitage (1854-1943 qv) agreed to join him as head matron; her offer was accepted and the brother and sister spent five happy and fruitful years at Leopold House. But in 1896 a powerful appeal appeared in The Friend to anyone who felt he could respond to the call for an advocate and protector of newly freed slaves in Zanzibar and Pemba and, after much heart searching for they loved their work with Dr Barnado's boys, Herbert and Celia offered their services. Herbert sailed for Pemba in April 1897, his sister following him at the beginning of 1898. Slavery was not at an end and much effort had to be made by attending the court when slaves applied for their freedom, seeing they had justice and submitting memoranda to the government in England; Herbert Armitage gave his love and service to the black boys as he had to the white and won their hearts as quickly. He lived with his sister at Chaki Chaki, superintending the boys and maintaining evangelistic and educational work(2).

But in 1903 Celia Armitage's health began to fail and in 1904 she was forced to return home(3). Herbert followed her in 1906 and they

returned to working for Dr Barnado's Homes, first at "Leopold House", then at "Dame Margaret's" in the north of England and finally at "Teighmore" in Jersey, from which they retired in 1921. In 1922 they were enabled to have a long reunion with their friends at Pemba, in the course of a voyage home from Australia; they spent six weeks at the station and had the pleasure of seeing many whom they had known as boys and girls now married with families of their own.

The voyage to Australia had been arranged for the purpose of taking out a party of Dr Barnado's boys and subsequently two more parties were taken out. Herbert was to have taken charge of his fourth party on 17 September 1925, but on Sunday 6 September he felt rather unwell and died quite suddenly on the following day, the 7 September 1925(4).

PRINCIPAL SOURCE

The Friend, vol 65 (1925) p 840

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Digest of Births: his father is described as a woolstapler
- 2 YM Proceedings 1902-1906; 1904, p 160
- 3 op cit, p 161
- 4 Digest of Deaths: he is described as being of Sunny Hill, Gorey, Jersey
See also The Friend, vol 65 (1925) p 830 for notice of death

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

ARMITAGE, John (1718/9-1800)

John Armitage was born 12.i.1718 [March 1718/9] the son of Samuel (a linen-weaver) and Sarah Armitage, of Methley, Yorks (1). He married on 9.viii [Octpber] 1743, at Selby, Sarah Webster, daughter of Matthew and Sarah Webster of Selby (2). He remained in Selby most of his life; he was a butcher.

About 1760 he became a minister, and his ministry was 'acceptable'

Some time before his death (probably after 1787) he removed to York, where he died on 2 December 1800, and was buried at York on 5 December (3).

PRINCIPAL SOURCE:

Brief minute of York QM in TCMD vol.4 p.146

NOTES AND REFERENCES :

1. Yorks QM Births Digest 1578-1776.
Sarah Armitage (wife of Samuel, of Methley) died 25.xi [Jan] 1746/7 aged 63. 'She was an example of Piety in her day' - Yorks QM Burials Digest 1570-1776
2. Yorks QM Marriages Digest, 1720-1833. He is described as of Oulton, Yorks
Sarah Webster was born 29.ix [Nov.] 1711. She died 5 Oct. 1787, and was buried at Selby 7 Oct. -
Yorks QM Births Digest 1578-1776, Yorks QM Burials Digest 1776-1837

Children:

Samuel	born 20.vi [Aug] 1744
Mary	born 7.xi.1745 [Jan.1745/6]
John	born 2.x [Dec] 1747; died 19.vi [Aug] 1749
John	born 20.vi [Aug] 1749
Matthew } Sarah }	born 7 February 1752
Joseph	born 20 November 1755

Yorks QM Births Digest 1578-1776

Yorks QM Burials Digest 1570-1776

3. Yorks QM Burials Digest 1776-1837

ARMITAGE, John (1749-1822)

John Armitage, the son of John Armitage (1718/9-1800 qv) and his wife Sarah, was born on 19.vi.(August)1749(1).

He was married in 1775 to Ann Mawson of Ripon in Yorkshire(2) and there were two children(3). Ann Armitage died in 1788(4) and in 1797 he married Mary Pickard of Chesterfield in Derbyshire(5), but this second marriage was apparently childless(6).

He served for a time on the Country Committee for Ackworth School(7).

John Armitage of Selby in Yorkshire died on 23 February 1822, at the age of seventy two(8).

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Yorkshire QM Births Digest: his place of birth and his father's occupation are not given
- 2 The wedding was at York on 11 July 1775: he is described as a cordwainer of York, the son of John, a butcher, and Sarah Armitage of Selby in Yorkshire; she is described as the daughter of Joseph, a saddle tree maker and Sarah Mawson of Ripon in Yorkshire (Yorkshire QM Marriages Digest)
- 3 Listed in Yorkshire QM Births and Burials Digests as follows:-
John b 11 July 1776 who d 15 Nov 1780
*Sarah b 1 May 1780
*No marriage traced in Yorkshire QM Marriages Digest or in the Digest of Marriages to 1850
- 4 Yorkshire QM Burials Digest: she died 2 Feb 1788, aged 39
- 5 The wedding was at Ackworth, Yorkshire, on 11 May 1797: he is described as a linen draper of York, the son of John, a butcher, and Sarah (deceased); she is described as the daughter of Joseph, a shoemaker, and Sarah Pickard, both deceased, of Chesterfield in Derbyshire (Yorkshire QM Marriages Digest)
- 6 No children are traced in Yorkshire QM Births Digest
- 7 Typescript Committee Lists, Friends House Library
- 8 Yorkshire QM Burials Digest: no description of him is given

SEE ALSO:-

Incidental reference in J Friends Hist Soc vol 22, p 45

ARMITAGE, John (1783-1847)

John Armitage, the son of Joseph and Mary Armitage of Nottingham, was born there on 6 June 1783(1). He was a butcher in Nottingham(2) and was married in 1823 to Miriam Wilson(3); there were five children of the marriage(4).

He died at Mansfield Road, Nottingham, on 3 November 1847(5), at the age of sixty four.

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Derby & Notts QM Births Digest: his father is described as a butcher
- 2 He is so described in his marriage entry, note 3
- 3 The wedding was at Blyth in Nottinghamshire on 11 June 1823: he is described as a butcher of Nottingham, the son of Joseph and Mary Armitage; she is described as the daughter of Benjamin and Judith Wilson of Blyth (Derby & Notts QM Marriages Digest)
- 4 Listed in Derby & Notts QM Births Digest as follows:-

Elizabeth	b 18 March 1825	who m 1848 William Bowman
John qv	b 18 Feb 1827	
Mary	b 23 July 1828	who m 1877 Thomas Hartas
Samuel Fox qv	b 28 May 1830	
Sarah Anne	b 7 April 1832	who m 1865 John Bayliff Bowman
- 5 Digest of Deaths: he is described as a butcher

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

ARMITAGE, John (1827-1903)

John Armitage, the son of John Armitage (1783-1847 qv) and his wife Miriam of Nottingham, was born there on 18 February 1827(1). He did not go into the family butchery business, but became a woolstapler(2) and continued to live in Nottingham. He was married in 1851 to Maria Bowman of Birmingham(3) and there were five children of the marriage(4).

He died at Hastings on 7 July 1903(5), at the age of seventy five.

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Derby & Notts QM Births Digest: his father is described as a butcher
- 2 He is so described in his marriage entry, note 3
- 3 The wedding was at Monyash on 7 October 1851: he is described as a bachelor, a woolstapler of Nottingham, the son of John Armitage deceased; she is described as a spinster of 11 Moseley Road, Birmingham, the daughter of Jeremiah Bowman, a varnish maker (Digest of Marriages)
- 4 Listed in Digest of Births as follows:-

Emily	b 2 August 1852
Celia Mary	b 8 April 1854
Henry Bowman qv	b 9 Dec 1855
William qv	b 6 Sept 1857
Herbert qv	b 1 Sept 1859
- 5 Digest of Deaths: he is described as a retired merchant

N.B. There is no specific reference to John Armitage (1827-1903) in J Friends Hist Soc vols 1-45, but there is in vol 13(1916) p 47 a reference to A History of the Armytage or Armitage Family by Bryan I'anson

ARMITAGE, John William (1853-1912)

(1824?-1887 av.)

John William Armitage, the eldest son of William and Martha S. Armitage, was born in Leeds in the year 1853(1). He was a scholar at Ackworth School from 1864 to 1868 and on leaving school was apprenticed to his uncle Henry Watson, in the grocery and provision business at Newcastle under Lyme; he remained there for forty years and became manager of the firm some years before his death. He was married at Hock in 1886 to Mary Ann(2), who died in 1899, leaving one son and two daughters(3). He was subsequently married to Alice Elizabeth Vigers(4), who survived him.

Although of a retiring disposition, he took an active interest in the affairs of his town and was for some time president of the Tradesmen's Association. He was also a useful member of Stoke Meeting and was assistant clerk and clerk of Staffordshire Monthly Meeting for fifteen years. He was quiet and unassuming, but many bore testimony to his consistent Christian life and his faithful discharge of his duties to the Society and to all with whom he came in contact.

He died very suddenly, after a heart attack, on 26 March 1912(5), in his fifty ninth year.

PRINCIPAL SOURCE

Ackworth Old Scholars Association Report, 31 (1912-1913) p 90

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 There is no record of his birth in the Digest of Births.
- 2 There is no record of the marriage in the Digest of Marriages
- 3 No children are recorded in the Digest of Births *
- 4 There is no record of the marriage in the Digest of Marriages +
- 5 Digest of Deaths: he is described as a grocer of Newcastle under Lyme

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

- * The following children are listed in the 1899 Warwick Leicester & Stafford QM printed list of members:-

Sophia Mary
James Watson
Constance Ann

- + There appear to have been no children of this marriage: none are listed in the Warwick Leicester & Staffird QM printed list of members to 1915

WEB:

ARMITAGE, Joseph, 1755 or 6-1843.

b. ca. 1756, Selby Eng., s. of Joseph and Sarah Armitage. See London, Note on reference 2.

m. Mary Fox, 1782. (large family). 1782, moved to Nottingham.

ca. 1804, Elder; for 39 years.

d. 16 March 1843, Nottingham, (?) England, age 87.

The Friend, London, 1843, 1: 103.

An. Mon. 1844, New Series, 2: 4.

ARMITAGE, Joseph (1755-1843)

(1718/9-1800, qv) (born Webster)

Joseph Armitage, the son of John and Sarah Armitage of Selby in Yorkshire, was born there on 20 November 1755(1). In 1782 he moved to Nottingham and married Mary Fox(2); there were eleven children(3).

His marriage was a happy one and he lived in great unity with his wife until he died. He was an affectionate parent, very careful of the religious welfare of his children, six of whom survived him. He was an elder of his meeting for thirty nine years.

He died at Nottingham on 16 March 1843(4), aged eighty seven.

PRINCIPAL SOURCE

Annual Monitor 1844 p 4

REFERENCES AND NOTES

1 Yorkshire QM Births Digest: his father's occupation is not given. He is described as the son of John and Sarah, but the Annual Monitor 1844 p 4 gives his father's name as Joseph

2 The wedding was at Nottingham on 17 July 1782: he is described as a butcher of Nottingham, the son of John and Sarah Armitage; she is described as the daughter of Samuel and Ann Fox of Nottingham (Derby & Notts QM Marriages Digest)

3 Listed in Derby & Notts QM Births Digest as follows:-

John	b 6 June 1783
Sarah	b 15 Jan 1785
Ann	b 15 Jan 1785
Joseph	b 29 June 1786
Mary	b 9 Jan 1788
Rachel	b 13 July 1789
Joseph	b 16 April 1791
Lucy	b 27 Sept 1792
Samuel	b 13 July 1794
William	b 1 June 1796
Elizabeth	b 14 July 1799

4 Digest of Deaths: he is described as a butcher and fell monger

SEE ALSO:-

J Friends Hist Soc vol 13 (1916) p 47: reference to the History of the Ammytage or Armitage Family. This book is not at present (1975) in Friends House Library
The Friend, London, 1843, vol 1, p 103

Joseph Armitage, the son of John Armitage (1718/9-1800 qv) and his wife Sarah (born Webster,) of Selby in Yorkshire, was born there on 20 November 1755(1).

In 1782 he moved to Nottingham, where he became a butcher(2). In the same year he married Mary Fox (1754-1845 qv) of Nottingham(3) and there were eleven children(4).

His marriage was a happy one and he lived in great unity with his wife until he died. He was an affectionate parent, very careful of the religious welfare of his children, six of whom survived him. He was an elder of his meeting for thirty nine years.

Joseph Armitage of Nottingham died on 16 March 1843, at the age of eighty seven(5).

PRINCIPAL SOURCE

Annual Monitor 1844, p 4

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Yorkshire QM Births Digest: his father's occupation is not given. He is described as the son of John and Sarah, but the Annual Monitor, loc cit, gives his father's name as Joseph
- 2 He is so described in his marriage entry, note 3
- 3 The wedding was at Nottingham on 17 July 1782: he is described as a butcher of Nottingham, the son of John and Sarah Armitage; she is described as the daughter of Samuel and Ann Fox of Nottingham (Derby & Notts QM Marriages Digest)
- 4 Listed in Derby & Notts QM Births, Marriages and Burials Digests as follows:-

John qv	b 6 June 1783	m 1823 Miriam Wilson (1789-1868 qv)
*Sarah	b 15 Jan 1785	
*Ann	b 15 Jan 1785	
Joseph	b 29 June 1786	d 27 Feb 1787, aged 8 months
*Mary	b 9 Jan 1788	
Rachel	b 13 July 1789	d 15 Aug 1825, aged 36
*Joseph	b 16 April 1791	
*Lucy	b 27 Sept 1792	
Samuel	b 13 July 1794	d 25 Aug 1811, aged 17
William	b 1 June 1796	d 23 July 1835, aged 39
Elizabeth	b 14 July 1799	d 21 July 1818, aged 19

*No marriages traced in Derby & Notts QM Marriages Digest nor in the Digest of Marriages to 1860

- 5 Digest of Deaths: he is described as a butcher and fellmonger

SEE ALSO:-

J Friends Hist Soc vol 13 (1916) p 47: reference to the History of the Armitage or Armitage Family. This book is not at present (1983) in Friends House Library
The Friend vol 1 (1843) p 103: notice of death

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ARMITAGE, Joseph John (1856-1945)

Joseph John Armitage, the younger son of Samuel Fox Armitage (1830-1914 qv) and his first wife Susanna, born Jarrett, of Nottingham, was born there on 16 November 1856(1). He was educated at Sidcot School from 1866 to 1870(2) and then joined his father in the business of Armitage Brothers, grocers and grain merchants, of which he became a director(3). He was married in 1880 to Mary Rebecca Smith of Douglas in the Isle of Man(4) and there were eight children of the marriage(5). Mary Rebecca Armitage died in 1914(6) and in 1917 he married Mary Elizabeth Clark(7); the marriage was without issue(8).

He died on 18 April 1945(9), at the age of eighty eight.

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Digest of Births: his father is described as a seedsman
- 2 Sidcot School Register 1808-1958, p 5
- 3 Ibid
- 4 The wedding was at Liverpool on 4 November 1880: he is described as a bachelor, a grocer of Victoria Street, Nottingham, the son of Samuel Fox Armitage, a grocer; she is described as a spinster of Douglas, Isle of Man, the daughter of Joseph Smith, a confectioner (Digest of Marriages)
- 5 Listed in the Digest of Births as follows:-

Mabel	b 23 Sept 1881	who m 1901 Edward Seaman Reynolds and d 20 May 1957
Wilfred	b 2 Dec 1882	who m 1912 Dorothy Lawrence
Sibyl	b 23 March 1884	who m 1908 Joseph Samuel Baker
Marian Fox qv	b 28 Jan 1887	who d unmarried 1968
Christine	b 17 Sept 1888	who m 1917 Henry Burtt
Dorothy	b 28 March 1890	who m 1916 Thomas Wright Waller and d 1952
Josephine Wilson	b 31 Jan 1892	who m 1923 Bevington Burtt
Isabel	b 31 Aug 1894	who m 1916 William Waterfall
- 6 Digest of Deaths: she died on 28 November 1914
- 7 op cit p 5. There is no record of this marriage in the Digest of Marriages
- 8 Ibid: There is no record of the birth of any children in the Digest of Births
- 9 Digest of Deaths: he is described as a company director

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

ARMITAGE, Margaret Rainey (1869-1949) born

Margaret R. Armitage was born 16 September 1869, and first came into contact with Friends on her marriage to Edward Armitage. On his retirement they moved to Guildford and attended Meeting there. When her husband died, Margaret Armitage moved to Cheam to live with one of her daughters, and attended the young Meeting at Sutton. Her home became the centre for committee meetings and study circles.

Margaret Armitage also opened her home to refugees from Germany and Austria and there they found friendship, kindness and understanding.

It was only under overpowering inward compulsion that Margaret Armitage ever spoke in Meeting for Worship, but when she did so her ministry was always heartfelt and to the point.

'Everything that concerned Sutton Meeting concerned Margaret Armitage and her loving interest and help extended to many movements of good will beyond our Society.'

She died on 2 April 1949

Testimony of Kingston MM in YM Proc. 1950 p.169

ARMITAGE, Maria (1825-1883) born Bowman

Maria Bowman, the daughter of Henry Bowman (1794-1870 qv) and his wife Mary (born Brantingham, 1796-1878 qv) of Summerhill, Bakewell in Derbyshire, was born there on 17 October 1825(1). She was educated at Ackworth School from 1836 to 1939(2).

She was married in 1851 to John Armitage (1827-1903 qv), a woolstapler of Nottingham and there were five children(3). She was an elder of her meeting(4).

Maria Armitage of Nottingham died on 14 January 1883, at the age of fifty seven(5).

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Derby & Notts QM Births Digest: her father is described as a farmer
- 2 List of Ackworth Scholars 1779-1879, p 131, entry 5900: from One Ash
- 3 For marriage and children see ARMITAGE, John (1827-1903)
- 4 Annual Monitor 1884, p 2: 3 line entry for death
- 5 Digest of Deaths: she is described as the wife of John

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

ARMITAGE, Marian Fox (1887-1968)

Marian Fox Armitage was born in Nottingham on 28 January 1887, one of eight children of Joseph John and Mary Rebecca (born Smith, 1855-1914, qv) Armitage. She was educated at Sidcot and Stramongate School, Kendal, finishing at Polam Hall, Darlington, where she trained in kindergarten teaching.

After one term at Woodbrooke in 1908 she became associated with the Young Friends movement, which started in 1909. She was an overseer and elder for over fifty years.

For the last forty years of her life she lived at Bridport. She died on 3 January 1968.

PRINCIPAL SOURCE:

Testimony of Shaftesbury & Sherborne MM in YM Proc.1968, p.178

ARMITAGE, Mary (1754-1845) born Fox

Mary Fox, the daughter of Samuel Fox (-) and his wife Ann (born) of Nottingham, was born there on 13 April 1754(1).

She was married in 1782 to Joseph Armitage (1755-1843 qv), a butcher of Nottingham and there were eleven children(2).

Mary Armitage of Trent Bridge in Nottinghamshire died on 13 June 1845, at the age of ninety one(3).

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Derby & Notts QM Births Digest: her father's occupation is not given
- 2 For marriage and children see ARMITAGE, Joseph (1755-1843)
- 3 Digest of Deaths: no description of her is given

SEE ALSO:-

Annual Monitor 1842, p 2: 2 line entry for death, the widow of Joseph

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

ARMITAGE, Mary (1828-1915) after 1877 Hartas

[Mary Armitage, daughter of John Armitage (-)
and his wife Miriam (born
of Nottingham, was married in 1877 to Thomas Hartas
(1824-1907 qv).]

See HARTAS, Mary (1828-1915) born Armitage]

ARMITAGE, Mary Rebecca (1855-1914) born Smith

Mary Rebecca Smith was born at Birkenhead on 30 November 1855, the eldest daughter of Joseph and Sarah Smith, a couple who were conspicuous in their rigid Quaker costume to the end of their lives, and who brought their children up on very strict lines.

Mary Rebecca was educated at Penketh School, and in 1880 married Joseph John Armitage of Nottingham. She had a family of seven daughters and one son to whom she was a most devoted mother. She was a fairly regular attender at Yearly Meeting and served on Ackworth School Committee, Meeting for Sufferings, and the Home Mission Committee, and also kept in close touch with Fritchley Friends, attending their General Meeting. Within her own Monthly Meeting she served as an Elder and as Clerk of the Ministry and Oversight Committee, and took very acceptable vocal part in Meetings for Worship. In a wider sphere, she was a regular visitor to some of the elementary schools in Nottingham and loyally supported the work of the local branch of the British Women's Temperance Association. During the last two or three years of her life she had serious heart trouble and was forced to curtail her activities. In March, 1914 she was very ill and though she recovered sufficiently to spend some happy months with her married daughter at Bridport, she died suddenly on 28 November 1914 aged 58 years.

PRINCIPAL SOURCE

Annual monitor 1916 p.1

SEE ALSO

Penketh old scholars assoc. rep; 1915 p.33

ARMITAGE, Miriam (1789-1868) born Wilson

Miriam Wilson, the daughter of Benjamin Wilson (-) and his wife Judith (born) of Blyth in Nottinghamshire, was born there on 25 December 1789(1).

She was married in 1823 to John Armitage (1783-1847 qv), a butcher of Nottingham and there were five children(2).

Miriam Armitage of Nottingham died on 25 December 1868, at the age of seventy nine(3).

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Derby & Notts QM Births Digest: her father is described as a yeoman
- 2 For marriage and children see ARMITAGE, John (1783-1847)
- 3 Digest of Deaths: she is described as the widow of John

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

ARMITAGE, Norman Hartas (1883-1966)

Norman Hartas Armitage, the eldest son of Henry Bowman Armitage (1855-1938 qv) and his wife Annis Adair, born Hartas, of Nottingham, was born there on 31 March 1883(1). He went to Harrogate College at the age of seven and was subsequently a scholar at Ackworth School from 1894 to 1898, where he showed gifts as an artist and a cabinet maker; he continued his education at University College, Nottingham. During the first World War he served with the Friends Ambulance Unit, making forty trips in a hospital ship up the Seine to Rouen.

After the war he married Daisy Franks(2), who bore him an only daughter(3). He took over a family drapery business in Mansfield and eventually he and his wife retired to live at Bournemouth. Daisy Armitage died in 1958(4) and after her death he made his home with his daughter and son-in-law Kenneth F. Nicholson at Robin's Acre, Saffron Walden. He was a happy man, whose obvious joy in life and manifest goodness made him many friends and gave his life a quiet quality and serenity.

He died peacefully in his sleep while on holiday in Dorset, on 24 August 1966, at the age of eighty three.

PRINCIPAL SOURCE

Ackworth Old Scholars Association Annual Report (1967-1968) no 86, p 67

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Digest of Births: his father is described as a corn merchant
- 2 The marriage is not recorded in the Digest of Marriages, but Derby, Lincs & Notts QM List of Members for 1923 shows her as a member
- 3 Listed in Digest of Births as follows:-
Annie Bowman qv b 15 April 1921 who m (1) 1943 Alan Noel Strong
(2) 1949 Kenneth Fletcher Nicholson
(3) 1975 Andre Desvergne
- N.B. In all subsequent records her name is given as Annie
- 4 Digest of Deaths: she died on 7 July 1958

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

ARMITAGE, Samuel (1691?-1778)

Samuel Armitage, the son of John Armitage of Wakefield in Yorkshire, was born about the year 1691(1). He became a linen weaver at Medley in Yorkshire(2) and was married in 1713/4 to Sarah Lupton, who was apparently a widow(3); there were five children of the marriage(4).

He died on 28 December 1778 at the age of eighty seven(5).

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Aged 87 at death. There is no entry in Yorkshire QM Births Digest
- 2 He is so described in his marriage entry, note 3
- 3 The wedding was at Meadow Lane, Leeds, on 3 xii 1713 (i.e. Feb 1713/4): he is described as a linen weaver of Medley, Yorkshire, the son of John Armitage (deceased) of Wakefield; she is described as the daughter of Henry Thompson of Garleton in Yorkshire (Yorkshire QM Marriages Digest)
- 4 Listed in Yorkshire QM Births, Marriages and Burials Digests as follows:-

Samuel	b 27 xi 1716 (i.e. Jan 1716/7)	no further trace in 1976
John qv	b 12 i 1718 (i.e. probably March 1717/8, but possibly March 1718/9)	who m 1743 Sarah Webster and d 1800
Henry	b 19 i (March) 1720/1	no further trace in 1976
Joseph	b 13 vi (Aug) 1723	who d 2 v (July) 1729
Sarah	b 8 ii (April) 1726	no further trace in 1976
- 5 Yorkshire QM Burials Digest: his name is given as ARMATAGE

SEE ALSO:- J Friends Hist Soc vol 13 (1916) p 47 for reference to a History of the Armytage or Armitage Family, compiled by Bryan I'Anson

ARMITAGE, Samuel Fox (1830-1914)

Samuel Fox Armitage, the younger son of John Armitage (1783-1847 qv) and his wife Miriam, born Wilson, of Nottingham, was born there on 28 May 1830(1). He did not join the family butchery business, but became a grocer in Nottingham(2) and in 1854 he married Susanna Jarrett of Nottingham(3); there were three children of the marriage(4). Susanna Armitage died in 1859(5) and he took as his second wife Joanna(6), details of whose birth and parentage are not at present (1975) traced. There were eleven children of this second marriage(7).

He died at Nottingham on 18 March 1914(8), at the age of eighty three.

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Derby & Notts QB Births Digest: his father is described as a butcher
- 2 He is so described in his marriage entry, note 3
- 3 The wedding was at Nottingham on 4 May 1854: he is described as a bachelor, a grocer of Nottingham, the son of John Armitage, gentleman; she is described as a spinster of Nottingham, the daughter of Stephen Jarrett (Digest of Marriages)
- 4 Listed in Digest of Births as follows:-

Wilson qv	b 21 May 1855
Joseph John qv	b 16 Nov 1856
Agnes	b 27 Aug 1858 who m 1883 William Henry Gripper
- 5 Digest of Deaths: she died on 25 April 1859
- 6 There is no record of the marriage in the Digest of Marriages
- 7 Listed in Digest of Births as follows:-

Edith	b 8 Sept 1862 who m Benjamin Townson (1845-1894 qv)
Stephen	b 24 April 1864
Frederick	b 5 July 1865
Edward	b 12 Oct 1867
Susan	b 27 March 1869 who d 14 March 1870
Mary	b 11 March 1870
Susan	b 29 March 1871
Lucy	b 21 March 1872
John	b 9 May 1874
Ethel	b 5 June 1875
Winifred	b 1 Nov 1876
- 8 Digest of Deaths: no description of him is given

N.B. There is no specific reference to Samuel Fox Armitage in J Friends Hist Soc vols 1-45, but in vol 13(1916) p 47 there is a reference to A History of the Armitage or Armitage Family by Bryan Lanson

ARMITAGE, Sarah (1711-1787) born Webster

Sarah Webster became the wife of John Armitage (1718/9-1800) q.v.

ARMITAGE, Sarah Ann (1832-1903) after 1865 Bowman

[Sarah Ann Armitage, daughter of John Armitage (1783-1847 qv) and his wife Miriam (born Wilson, 1789-1868 qv) of Nottingham, was married in 1865 to John Bayliff Bowman (1836-1911 qv) of Bakewell in Derbyshire.

See BOWMAN, Sarah Ann (1832-1903) born Armitage]

ARMITAGE, William (1824?-1887)

William Armitage, details of whose birth and parentage are not at present (1975) traced, was born about the year 1824(1). He was a commercial clerk(2) and was married about 1850 to Martha Sophia Watson (1825-1885 qv), the daughter of John and Martha Watson of Leeds(3); the marriage was not according to the Society's usage and Martha Sophia Armitage was disowned on 18 April 1850(4).

William Armitage first appears in the Society's records as an attender at Leeds Meeting, with his wife and a daughter, in 1858(5). He may have belonged to the Armitage family which originated in Gulton in the first half of the eighteenth century and from whom the Nottingham branch of the family are probably descended(6). He was admitted into membership with his wife and children Emily Catherine, John William (1853-1912 qv) and Thomas Watson on 14 August 1863(7); he had a family of seven children, two of whom were registered as born within the Society(8). In 1868 the family moved to Horsforth, near Leeds(9).

He died at Sheffield on 24 April 1887(10), at the age of sixty three.

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Aged 63 at death
- 2 Notes included in a letter from Jean Mortimer, 19 November 1975
- 3 The marriage is not recorded in the Digest of Marriages
- 4 Notes included in a letter from Jean Mortimer, 19 November 1975
- 5 List of members of Leeds Meeting 1858; Carlton Hill Leeds MSS 614
- 6 See letter from Jean Mortimer, 19 November 1975
- 7 Carlton Hill Leeds MSS R12 (Brighouse MM minutes) pp 177, 183, 189
- 8 Listed in the Digest of Births as follows:-

George Frederic (or Frederick) qv	b 25 Dec 1863
Albert Henry	b 25 Feb 1866
The following children are shewn in Lists of members of Leeds Meeting, 1858, 1861, 1866 and 1870: Carlton Hill Leeds MSS 014:-	
Emily Catherine	Ackworth School 1864-66, who d 11 May 1876
James Henry	who d 2 April 1861, aged 9 months
John William qv b 1853	who d 1912
Sophia Mary	who d 16 July 1861 aged 3½ years
Thomas Watson	Ackworth School 1865-71 who m 1902 Edith Maria Johnson (1874-1953 qv)

- 9 Notes included in a letter from Jean Mortimer, 19 November 1975
- 10 Digest of Deaths: he is described as a retired bookkeeper of Sheffield

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

ARMITAGE, William (1857-1941)

William Armitage, the son of John Armitage (1827-1903 qv) and his wife Maria, born Bowman, of Nottingham, was born there on 6 September 1857(1). He was educated at Ackworth School from 1868 to 1872(2) and on leaving school it is probable that he entered his father's grocery business. On his father's retirement in 1886 he carried on the business in partnership with his brother Henry Bowman Armitage (1855-1938 qv) and Tom E. Hopewell(3). When this partnership was dissolved he took over the country trade while his brother continued with the town side of the business(4).

By 1889 he had a wife, Annie Clara(5), but she was not in membership and details of her birth and parentage are not at present (1976) traced; by 1898 there were three children of the marriage(6).

He was Clerk to his Preparative Meeting in 1893(7) and lived in Nottingham until about 1908(8). He moved to Derby for a few years from 1910 to 1913(9), but was back in Nottingham by 1914, where he remained until 1923(10). At some time during these years his wife probably died(11) as he is shown during his last period in Nottingham as living with his daughter Violet Evelyn. He moved to London in 1924(12) and is still shown as a member of Westminster Monthly Meeting in 1930(13), although his address at that time was Gorey, Jersey, where he had moved to live with his sisters Celia Mary (1854-1943 qv) and Emily Armitage (1852-1930 qv), ~~and he was a member of Surrey, Sussex & Hants Quarterly Meetings(14)~~.

In the entry for his death he is described as an artist, but there is at present (1976) no information available to show whether he forsook grocery for painting as a means of earning his livelihood and there is no reference to him in reviews of artists' work in The Friend for the 1920s.

He died at Gorey on 19 March 1941(¹⁴5), at the age of eighty three.

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Digest of Births: his father is described as a woletapler
- 2 List of Ackworth Scholars 1779-1879, p 191
- 3 The Friend, vol 96 (1938) p 934
- 4 Ibid
- 5 Derby, Lincs & Notts QM printed list of members: the marriage is not recorded in the Digest of Marriages
- 6 Shown in Derby, Lincs & Notts QM printed list of members, 1898
 Bernard Francis
 Violet Evelyn
 Clara Phyllis
- 7 Administrative guide to QMs and MMs, Friends House Library

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REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 8 Derby, Lincs & Notts QM printed list of members for 1908 lists him as a member; he is not so listed in 1909
- 9 Derby, Lincs & Notts QM printed lists of members: he is shown as a member of Derby MM from 1910 to 1913
- 10 Derby, Lincs & Notts QM printed lists of members: he is shown as at Nottingham from 1914 to 1923
- 11 There is no entry in the Digest of Deaths for Annie Clara Armitage
- 12 Westminster & Longford MS list of members: his removal from Notts & Derby MM was accepted on 13 March 1924
- 13 London & Middlesex QM printed lists of members, 1930
- 14 Surrey, Sussex & Hants QM printed lists of members, 1926
- 15 Digest of Deaths: he is described as an artist of Gorey, Jersey

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

- 13 He is shown in the 1926 Sussex Surrey & Hants QM printed list of members as though he were a member of Alton Southampton & Poole MM and of Jersey meeting: his name does not appear in the list for 1925. He continues, however, to be printed in the London & Middlesex QM list of members, with the Gorey address, until the 1930 issue: he is not in that for 1931

ARMITAGE, Wilson (1855-1913)

Wilson Armitage, the elder son of Samuel Fox Armitage (1830-1914 qv) and his first wife Susanna, born Jarrett, of Nottingham, was born there on 21 May 1855(1). He attended Sidcot School, but nothing is at present (1975) traced of his later life and business interests. He married Mary Robinson at Burton-on-Trent(2) and there were two children of the marriage(3).

He died in 1913(4).

REFERENCES AND NOTES

- 1 Digest of Births: his father is described as a grocer
- 2 Sidcot School Register
- 3 op cit, listed as follows:-
Stanley Wilson b 31 Dec 1893 who was killed in action Sept 1915
Kathleen Mary b 3 March 1895 who d 6 July 1913
- 4 op cit

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