

KIDNER

The origins and history of a name



Simon Kidner

**APPENDIX 2 – Family groups constructed from the England &
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Census Dates

1841 Census	Sunday 6th June 1841
1851 Census	Sunday 30th March 1851
1861 Census	Sunday 7th April 1861
1871 Census	Sunday 2nd April 1871
1881 Census	Sunday 3rd April 1881
1891 Census	Sunday 5th April 1891
1901 Census	Sunday 31st March 1901
1911 Census	Sunday 2nd April 1911

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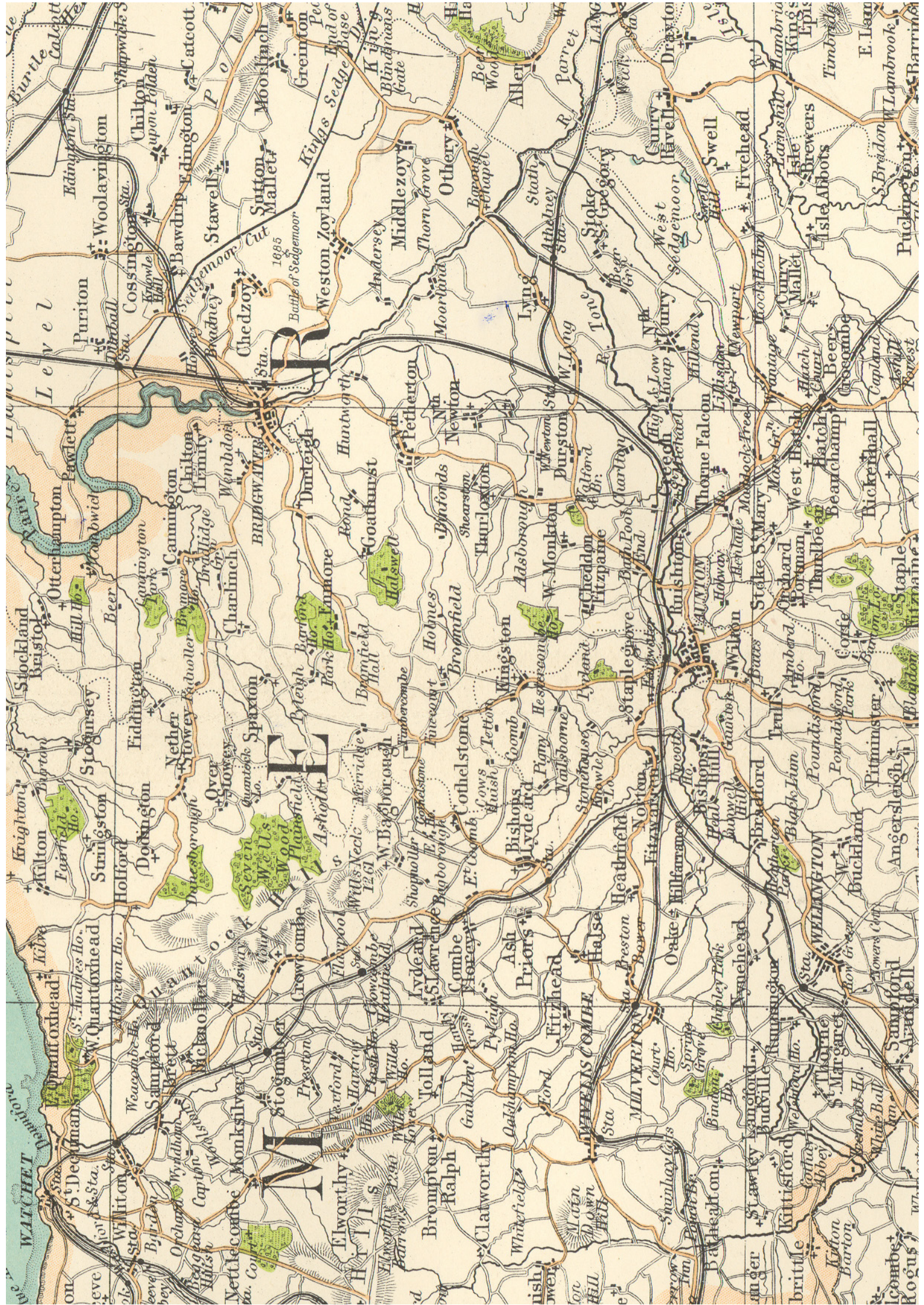
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1. Ann, George and Elizabeth Kidner of Broomfield and Sutton Mallet

Ann and George Kidner were the children of John Kidner and his wife Joan née Taylor. Ann was baptized at Broomfield on 25th January 1780, and George at Sutton Mallet on 8th December 1782.

In 1851, Ann is living with her niece, Mary Ann Lee née Stagg, the daughter of her sister Elizabeth, who had married William Stagg at Moorlinch in 1807.

Mary Ann Stagg had married Joseph Lee at Broomfield on 9th April 1835 (see the chart overleaf).

1.a Ann Kidner

1841 Shop, Broomfield (HO 107/930/1/5 p.2)

Ann	Kidner	60	Shopkeeper	born in Somerset
George	"	57	Ind[ependent]	born in Somerset

1841 Traveller's Rest, Broomfield

Joseph	Lee	30	Farmer	born in Somerset
Mary Ann	"	25		born in Somerset
Ann	"	5		born in Somerset
William	"	2		born in Somerset

1851 Traveller's Rest, Broomfield (HO 107/1924/218 p.13)

Joseph	Lee	Head	42	Labourer	Broomfield
Ann	"	Daur	15		Sutton Mallett
+ 3 children					
Ann	Kidner	Aunt	71	Widow, Pauper	Broomfield

1851 Sutton Mallett (the home of William Stagg, Carpenter)

Elizabeth	Stagg	Visitor	70	Nurse	Broomfield
Mary Ann	Lee	Visitor	35	Farmer's wife	Sutton Mallett
William	Lee	Visitor	10	Farmer's son	Broomfield
James	Lee	Visitor	17 ¹	Farmer's son	Broomfield

1861 Travellers Rest, Broomfield (RG9/1622/148 pp7-8) (household of Joseph Lee, labourer)

Joseph	Lee	Head	53	Labourer	Broomfield
Mary Ann	"	Wife	47		Sutton Malet
+ 7 children					
Ann	Kidner	Aunt	83	Infirm	Broomfield

Elizabeth Stagg née Kidner died in Q1 1868 in Bridgwater RD. Ann Kidner's death was recorded in Bridgwater RD in Q2 1861. Joseph Lee became the Broomfield Parish Clerk; he died in Q2 1880. Mary Ann Lee née Stagg died in Barton Regis in Q1 1883, aged 68.

¹ The transcription is accurate, but I suspect that James was 17 months old, not 17 years.

1.b George Kidner

George's marriage certificate of 1852 names his father as John Kidner, 'farmer', and his own occupation as 'Innkeeper'.

He was a widower when he married Lucy Barber. I do not know to whom he was first married.

1841 Shop, Broomfield (HO 107/930/1/5 p.2)

Ann	Kidner	60	Shopkeeper	born in Somerset
George	"	57	Ind[ependent]	born in Somerset

1851 Mill Cross Hamlet, Kingston St Mary (HO 107/1923/307)

Geo.	Kidner	Lodger	64	Widowed annuitant	Sutton Mallet
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George married Lucy Barber at Taunton on 13th May 1852

1861 White Hall, St James, Bath

George	Kidner	Head	77	Retired tradesman	Sutton, Somerset
Lucy	"	Wife	56		Chilhampton, Somerset ²

Subject to confirmation by checking the death certificates, George died in Taunton RD (RD = Registration District) in Q3 1864 and Lucy died in Q1 1870 at the stated age of 76 in Taunton RD.



² In 1851 Lucy Barber was working as a servant in Melcombe Regis. Her age is given as 40, and her birthplace as Chilcompton, Somerset.

2. Christopher Kidner of Broomfield

Christopher was baptised at Broomfield on 2nd September 1754, the son of John Kidner and Mary Yendle. (See Christopher's younger brother Jesse, of Oggshole Farm, at Section 9). Christopher married Mary Sidwick on 27th April 1784 at Broomfield, and they had (at least) the following children:

- George, baptised on 27 April 1785
- Joseph, baptised on 12th November 1786
- Mary, baptised on 25th August 1788
- Sarah, baptised on 8th March 1793
- Christopher, born on 25th March 1793 and baptised on 3rd July 1794.

2.1. Joseph Kidner of Llanfrechfa

Joseph, son of Christopher Kidner and Mary Sidwick, was baptised at Broomfield on 12th November 1786. In about 1810 he and his brother Christopher left Somerset to make a living in Monmouthshire. He married Frances Smart on 10th May 1815 at Bassaleg, Monmouthshire. His brother, Christopher, was a witness.

On 16th May 1840 their daughter Mary Anne married William Davies at Llantarnam.

1841 Gely Law Farm, Llantarnam, Monmouthshire (HO 107/749/15/24 p 12)

Jasper	Kidner	60	Farmer	born in Monmouthshire
Frances	"	50		"
Jane	"	25		"
George	"	20	Farmer	"
William	"	15	Ag Lab	"
Christopher	"	15	Ag Lab	"

1841 Malpas Village, Monmouthshire (home of a brewer)

Isabella	Kidner	20	FS	born in Monmouthshire
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Jane Kidner, daughter of Joseph and Frances, married David Jones on 17th June 1846. In 1851 they were living next door to her father and siblings at Gethley Law Farm. Frances died on 7th October 1848, aged 50, at 'Gellylas' and was buried at Llantarnam on 12th October 1848.

1851 Gethley Law, Llantarnam

Joseph	Kidner	Widower	67	Farmer of 100 acres emp 1 lab	Bromfield, Somersetshire
Isabella	"	Daur	28	Housekeeper	Basaleg, Monmouth
William	"	Son	26	Farmer's son	Basaleg, Monmouth
Christopher	"	Son	22	Farmer's son	Basaleg, Monmouth

Isabella married James Maslen, son of a gardener, on 8th March 1856 at Llantarnam.

Joseph died in January 1860 at 'Gelly Las', Llantarnam³, and was buried there on 8th January.

2.1.1 George Kidner of Llantarnam

George, eldest son of Joseph Kidner and Frances Smart, was born in Monmouthshire c. 1819. He married Hannah Evans in Q1 1853 at Newport.

1861 Oaklands Farm, Llantarnam, Monmouth

James	Maslen	Head	28	Farmer 130 acres emp 1 m 1b	Oystermouth, Glam
Isabella	"	Wife	38		Bassaleg
Mary M	"	Daur	4		Llantarnam
Sarah A	"	Daur	2		Llantarnam
John B	"	Son	5 months		Llantarnam
/					
William	Kidner	Head	35	Ag Lab	Llantarnam
Christopher	"	Brother	33	Ag Lab	Llantarnam
George	"	Brother	42	Ag Lab (married)	Llantarnam
Hannah	"	Sis in Law	50	Housekeeper (married)	Llantarnam

George died in June 1866 aged 48, and was buried at Llantarnam on 21st June.

³ place name is given in the parish register of Llantarnam



Extract from The Royal Atlas of England and Wales, published c. 1890

1871 Greenhouse, Llanvihangel Llantarnam, Monmouth (household of Edward Evans, Publican)

Hannah	Kidner	Sister	60	Widow	Llanfrehfa, Mon.
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1881 Greenhouse, Llanvihangel Llantarnam, Monmouth (household of Edward Evans, Publican)

Hannah	Kidner	Sister	70	Widow	Llandegveth
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Hannah died in Q3 1889 at Newport RD at the age of 82.

2.1.2 William Kidner and Emma Edmonds of Monmouth

William, son of Joseph Kidner and Frances Smart, was born c. 1824 at Bassaleg.

1841 Gely Law Farm, Llantarnam, Monmouthshire (HO 107/749/15/24 p 12)

Jasper	Kidner	60	Farmer	born in Monmouthshire
Frances	"	50		"
...	"		"	
William	"	15	Ag Lab	"
...				

1851 Gethley Law, Llantarnam

Joseph	Kidner	Widower	67	Farmer of 100 acres emp 1 lab	Bromfield, Somersetshire
...					
William	"	Son	26	Farmer's son	Basaleg, Monmouth
...					

1861 Oaklands Farm, Llantarnam, Monmouth

William	Kidner	Head	35	Ag Lab	Llantarnam
Christopher	"	Brother	33	Ag Lab	Llantarnam
George	"	Brother	42	Ag Lab (married)	Llantarnam
Hannah	"	Sis in Law	50	Housekeeper (married)	Llantarnam

William married Emma Edmonds on 1st April 1869 at St Woolos, Newport, Monmouth. I can find no record of William's death in the GRO indices, but his burial is recorded in the Henllys parish register on 9th February 1871 when he was aged 46.

1871 Pandy Bach, Henllys

Emma	Kidner	Widow	36	Annuitant	Trellick, Monmouthshire
William H.	"	Son	3		Llantarnam

Emma married Edmund Henry Lewis at Newport in Q1 1873.

1881 Two Locks, Llanvihangel Llantarnam, Monmouth

Edmund	Lewis	Head	30	Nut Cutter	Llanelly
Emma	"	Wife	45		Trelleck, Monmouth
Wm. H.	Kidner	Stepson	13	Scholar	Treforest, Glamorgan
E.J.	Lewis	Daur	6	Scholar	Llantarnam

1891 Yew Tree Row, Llantarnam, Monmouth

Edmund	Lewis	Head	45	Nut Cutter (Bilingual)	Brecon, Llanelly
Emma	"	Wife	55	(Bilingual)	Trelleck, Monmouth
Emma Jane	"	Daur	16	Teacher	Llantarnam

1901 Weir Cottage, Llanvihangel Llantarnam

Edmund	Lewis	Head	50	Nut Cutter Iron Works	Llanelly, Brecknocks
Emma	"	Wife	60		Trelleck, Monmouthshire
Eliza J	Miller	Daur	26		Cwmbran, Mon.
William	"	Son-in-law	30	Coal miner – hewer	Cwmbran, Mon.

Emma died in Q2 1903; Eliza Jane died in Q3 1905.

2.1.2.1 William Henry Kidner

William Henry Kidner, son of William Kidner and Emma Edmonds, was born c. 1867 and married Lucy May Thomas in Abergavenny on 16th October 1899.

1901 Roath, Glamorgan

William	Kidner	Head	34	Iron Founder	Treforest
Lucy	"		34		Abergavenny

1911 'Trinidad', Goytre, Nr Pontypool, Monmouthshire

William H.	Kidner	Head	43	Iron Moulder	Treforest, Glam.
Lucy M.	"	Wife	44		Abergavenny

William died in Q4 1915 aged 47. Lucy married James Evans in Q4 1921 at Abergavenny.

2.1.3 Christopher Kidner

Christopher, youngest son of Joseph Kidner and Frances Smart, was born at Bassaleg in about 1828.

1841 Gely Law Farm, Llantarnam, Monmouthshire (HO 107/749/15/24 p 12)

[Joseph]	Kidner	60	Farmer	born in Monmouthshire
Frances	"	50		"
...				
Christopher	"	15	Ag Lab	"

1851 Gethley Law, Llantarnam

Joseph	Kidner	Widower	67	Farmer of 100 acres emp 1 lab	Bromfield, Somersetshire
...					
Christopher	"	Son	22	Farmer's son	Basaleg, Monmouth

1861 Oaklands Farm, Llantarnam, Monmouth

William	Kidner	Head	35	Ag Lab	Llantarnam
Christopher	"	Brother	33	Ag Lab	Llantarnam
George	"	Brother	42	Ag Lab (married)	Llantarnam
Hannah	"	Sis in Law	50	Housekeeper (married)	Llantarnam

In 1871 he might be the "Christofer Lidney", aged 40, working as an Ag Lab at Great Garn, Tredunnoch.

Christopher's death was recorded in Q2 1880 in Pontypool RD.

2.2 Christopher Kidner, butcher, of Croesyceiliog

Christopher Kidner was born in Broomfield, Somerset, on 25th March 1793, the son of Christopher Kidner and Mary Sidwick. He was baptised on 3rd July 1794 at Broomfield. He married (1) Maria Andrews on 6th June 1819; and (2) Anne Thomas on 13th May 1827. He appeared in court in 1840, having been caught up in the Newport Riots of 1839, but was cleared.

1841 Croesyceiliog (HO107/749/17/10 p. 14)

Christopher	Kidner	45	Butcher	Not born in Monmouth
Anne	"	35		born in Monmouthshire
Elizabeth	"	11		born in Monmouthshire
Christopher	"	8		born in Monmouthshire
Jesse	"	5		born in Monmouthshire
Sarah	"	2		born in Monmouthshire

1851 Croesyceiliog

Christopher	Kidner	Head	60	Butcher	Bro[o]mfield, Somerset
Anne	"	Wife	47		Llantarnam, Mon
Christopher	"	Son	17		Llantarnam, Mon
Jessey	"	Son	14		Llantarnam, Mon
Sarah	"	Daur	12		Llantarnam, Mon
George	"	Son	8		Llantarnam, Mon
John	"	Son	6		Llantarnam, Mon

1851 Abersychan, Trevethin, Monmouth (household of Stephen Price, Baptist Minister)

Elizabeth	Kidner	Servant	20		Llanvrechva
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Christopher senior died in Q2 1851 in Pontypool RD.

2.2.1 Joseph Kidner

Joseph, son of Christopher Kidner and Anne Thomas, was baptised at Llanfrechfa on 6th July 1827. He married Catherine Price in Q4 1855 at Abergavenny (RD).

1841 Cross Ceilog (sic), Lower Llanfrechfa (household of James Jones, publican)

Joseph	Kidner	12	Male Servant	born in Monmouthshire
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1851 Western Valley Line, Aberystroth, Monmouthshire (household of Mary Lewis)

Joseph	Kidner	Lodger	22	Tin Plate Worker	Llanfrechfa
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1861 Chapel Rung, Aberystroth, Monmouthshire

Joseph	Kidner	Head	31	Tin plate shearer	Mon., Llanfrechfa
Catherine	"	Wife	22		Mon., Trevethin
John	"	Son	5	Scholar	Mon., Aberystroth
Arthur	"	Son	3	Scholar	Mon., Aberystroth
Tom Christopher	"	Son	1		Mon., Aberystroth
Sarah	"	Sister	21	Dress maker	Mon., Llanhearn
George	"	Brother	18	Tinplate Catcher	Mon., Llanhearn
John	"	Brother	15	Tinplate Drawer	Mon., Llanhearn

1871 5 The Terrace, Upper Llanfrechfa

Joseph	Kidner	Head	42	Shearer of Tin Plate	Mon., Llanfrechfa
Catherine	"	Wife	33		Mon., Trevethin
John	"	Son	18	Cold Roller	Mon., Aberystroth
Arthur	"	Son	13		Mon., Aberystroth
Windham	"	Son	7		Mon., Aberystroth
Frances	"	Daur	3		Mon., Llanfrechfa Upper
Kate	"	Daur	1		Mon., Llanfrechfa Upper

1881 21 Pontryhydyrun Terrace, Upper Llanvrechva

Joseph	Kidner	Head	51	Shearer of Tin Plate	Llanvrechva
Catherine	"	Wife	42		Trevethin
Arthur	"	Son	23	Shearer of Tin Plate	Aberystroth
Wyndham G.	"	Son	17	Catcher of Tin Plate	Aberystroth
Francis A.	"	Daur	13	Scholar	Llanvrechva
Kate F.	Kidner	Daur	11	Scholar	Llanvrechva
Ada A.	"	Daur	8	Scholar	Llanvrechva
Joseph H.	"	Son	5	Scholar	Llanvrechva

Francis Annie married John Jarrett, a tinplate annealer, in Pontypool RD in Q3 1889.

1891 Evanes Farm, Llanvrechva. Monmouth (RG12 / 4365f/ 93 p. 53)

Joseph	Kidner	Head	57	Tin worker	Llanvrechva
Catherine	"	Wife	52		Trevethin
Arthur	"	Son	33	Tin worker	Abertillery
Kate	"	Daur	18	Tin worker	Llanvrechva
Adaline	"	Daur	21	Tin worker	Llanvrechva
Joseph	"	Son	15	Tin worker	Llanvrechva

Joseph died in Q3 1897, Catherine in Q1 1899.

2.2.1.1 John Kidner of Mold, Flint

John, eldest son of Joseph Kidner and Catherine Price, was born in Q2 1856. He married Emma Murrey in Q4 1881 in Flintshire.

1871 5 The Terrace, Upper Llanfrechva

Joseph	Kidner	Head	42	Shearer of Tin Plate	Llanfrechfa
Catherine	"	Wife	33		Trevethin
John	"	Son	18	Cold Roller	Aberystwith
...					

1881 36 Maesy Dref, Mold, Flintshire

John	Kidner	Lodger	25	Tin Shearer	Abertillery
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1891 82 Maesy Dref, Mold, Flintshire

John	Kidner	Head	36	Tin Plate Shearer	Abertillery, Monmouth
Emma	"	Wife	46		Shrewsbury
Annie	"	Daur	8		Mold

1901 82 Maes-y-Dre, Mold, Flintshire

John	Kidner	Head	45	Black Plate Shearer	Abertillery, Monmouth
Emma	"	Wife	57		Shrewsbury
Annie	"	Daur	18		Mold

Emma died on 29th December 1905. Annie married Charles Osborne Taylor in Q3 1910.

1911 9 Norman Street, Caerleon, Monmouthshire (household of Sarah Brangham, widow)

John	Kidner	Boarder	55	Black plate shearer	Abertillery, Mon.
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John died in Q3 1919 in Bedwelty RD.

2.2.1.2 Arthur Kidner

Arthur's birth was registered in Q1 1858. He lived with his father, Joseph, until c. 1891 (see 3.2.1). By 1901 he has acquired a daughter, Annie Maud (b. Q3 1893) but I can find no record of the mother in the census (a birth certificate would no doubt identify her).

1901 Llanfrechfa Upper

Arthur	Kidner	Head	44	Roller Man in Tin Plate Works	Abertillery, Mon
Annie	"	Daur	7		Llanfrechfa Upper

1911 Wren's Nest, Pontrhydyrun, Monmouthshire

Arthur	Kidner	Head	52	Tin plate shearer	Abertillery
Lucy	George	Serv.	28	Housekeeper	Coleford, Glos
Eva	"	Daur	4		Blaina, Mon.

Arthur married Lucy George in Q1 1912.

1911 70 Glandwr Street, Abertillery, Monmouthshire
(household of Frances Annie Jarrett, widow) and her children

Annie	Kidner	Visitor	17	General Servant	Monmouthshire
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Annie married William J Howells at Newport in Q4 1914. Arthur died in Q1 1931 in Pontypool RD at the age of 73.

2.2.1.3 Wyndham Kidner

Wyndham Gilbert, son of Joseph and Catherine Kidner, was born in Q4 1863 in Bedwelty RD.

1881 21 Pontryhydyrun Terrace, Upper Llanvrechva

Joseph	Kidner	Head	51	Shearer of Tin Plate	Llanvrechva
Catherine	"	Wife	42		Trevethin
Arthur	"	Son	23	Shearer of Tin Plate	Aberystroth
Wyndham G.	"	Son	17	Catcher of Tin Plate	Aberystroth
...					

Wyndham was married in Q4 1890, to Annie Emanuel.

1891

Wildham	Kiddner	Head	27	Tin Worker	Abertillery
Annie	"	Wife	24		Mynyddyslyn

Annie died just two or so years later, in Q2 1893.

1901 44 Portland Street, Abertillery

Windham	Kidner	Boarder	37	Milk Vendor	Abertillery
Florence	"	Visitor	10		Ponhydryn, Mon

Wyndham married Mary Ludlow in Pontypool RD in Q4 1907.

1911 53 Lancaster Street, Blaina

Windham Gilbert	Kidner	Head	45	Colliery labourer	Abertillery
Mary	"	Wife	42		Worcs, Pinvin
Reginald George	"	Son	3		Mon., Blaina
Wilfred Joseph	"	Son	1		Mon., Blaina
Doris Mable	Noakes	Step-d	14		Wolverhampton
Ernest Thos.	Noakes	Step-s	12		Wolverhampton

Wyndham died in Q1 1915 in Bedwelty RD.

2.2.1.4 Joseph Herbert Kidner

1881 21 Pontryhydyrun Terrace, Upper Llanvrechva

Joseph	Kidner	Head	51	Shearer of Tin Plate	Llanvrechva
Catherine	"	Wife	42		Trevethin
...					
Joseph H.	"	Son	5	Scholar	Llanvrechva

1891 Evanes Farm, Llanvrechva. Monmouth (RG12 / 4365f/ 93 p. 53)

Joseph	Kidner	Head	57	Tin worker	Llanvrechva
Catherine	"	Wife	52		Trevethin
Joseph	"	Son	15	Tin worker	Llanvrechva

1901 ?

Joseph 'the younger' married Elizabeth Ann Morgan in Q4 1902 at Monmouth RD

1911 67 Alexander Street, Blaina, Monmouthshire

Joseph Herbert	Kidner	Head	35	Hostler	Pontyhydyrun
Elizabeth Ann	"	Wife	29		Penalt, Mon.
Catherine Elizabeth	"	Daur	7		Penalt, Mon.
Joseph Henry	"	Son	5		Abertillery
William Frederick	"	Son	3		Blaina
Edith Emily	"	Daur	1		Blaina
James	Pearce	Boarder	16	Coal Hower	Blaina
Henry	Morgan	B in Law	27	Blast furnace labourer	Penalt, Mon.
Richard	Riley	Boarder	30	Colliery Engineer	Bilston, Staffs

Joseph Herbert died in 1954.

2.2.2 Christopher Kidner

Christopher, son of Christopher Kidner and Ann Thomas, was born c. 1833. I cannot find him in the 1871-1881 censuses.

1841 Croesyceiliog

Christopher	Kidner	45	Butcher	Not born in Monmouth
Anne	"	35		born in Monmouthshire
...				
Christopher	"	8		born in Monmouthshire
...				

1851 Croesyceilog

Christopher	Kidner	Head	60	Butcher	Bromfield, Somerset
Anne	"	Wife	47		Llantarnam, Mon
Christopher	"	Son	17		Llantarnam, Mon
...					

Christopher married Edith Perrin in Q2 1856 in Pontypool RD. The marriage appears to have broken down, for in 1861 Edith is working in Gloucestershire, described as a widow:

1861 George Street, Stroud, Gloucestershire

Edith	Kidner	Serv.	25	Cook (Widow)	Winston, Gloucs
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and in Q2 1865 Edith married Edwin Tanner at Newport, Monmouth RD.

1891 Afon Llwyd House, Pontymoile, Llanvihangel, Monmouth

Chris	Kidner	Serv.	59	Farm Servant	Llanvrechva
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1901 40 Bridge Street, Abertillery, Monmouth (household of John Morris, haulier)

Christopher	Kidner	Boarder	67	Gardener	Cardingshire, Aberystroth
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Christopher died in Q2 1910 in the Workhouse at Griffithstown, Pontypool³.

2.2.3 Jesse Kidner of Llanfrechfa

Jesse, son of Christopher Kidner and Ann Thomas, was born c. 1835 at Croesyceiliog, and baptised at Llanfrechfa on 24th April 1836. He married Elizabeth Williams on 15th October 1866 at Llanhilleth⁴.

1841 Croesyceiliog

Christopher	Kidner	45	Butcher	Not born in Monmouth
Anne	"	35		Born in Monmouthshire
...				
Jesse	"	5		Born in Monmouthshire
...				

1851 Croesyceilog

Christopher	Kidner	Head	60	Butcher	Bromfield, Somerset
Anne	"	Wife	47		Llantarnam, Mon
...					
Jessey	"	Son	14		Llantarnam, Mon
...					

1861 Croesyceilog, Llanfrechva Lower

Jessey	Kidner	Boarder	24	Fireman in Tin Works	Llanfrechva Lower
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1871 Garrow, Lower Llanfrechva

Jesse	Kidner	Head	32	Doubler	Crossyceilog
Elizabeth	"	Wife	21		Crossyceilog
Edith	"	Daur	1		Crossyceilog

⁴ many thanks to Judith Seys for this information.

1881 Pontnewydd Row, Lower Llanvrechva

Jesse	Kidner	Head	43	Shearer in Tin Works	Llanvrechva
Elizabeth	"	Wife	31		Llanvrechva
Edith	"	Daur	11	Scholar	Llanvrechva
Thomas	"	Son	9	Scholar	Llanvrechva
Elizabeth	"	Daur	7	Scholar	Llanvrechva
Charles	"	Son	5	Scholar	Llanvrechva
Ann	"	Daur	3	Scholar	Llanvrechva
Celia	"	Daur	4 mo		Llanvrechva

1891 Pontnewydd, Llanvrechva Lower, Monmouth

Jesse	Kidner	Head	36	Shearer	Llanvrechva Lower
Elizabeth	"	Wife	43		Llanvrechva Lower
Thomas	"	Son	19	Tin Worker	Llanvrechva Lower
Elizabeth	"	Daur	17	Scourer	Llanvrechva Lower
Charles H	"	Son	15	Moulder	Llanvrechva Lower
Annie M	"	Daur	13		Llanvrechva Lower
Celia	"	Daur	11		Llanvrechva Lower
John Arthur	"	Son	9		Llanvrechva Lower
Wyndham	"	Son	7		Llanvrechva Lower
Louisa	"	Daur	4		Llanvrechva Lower

1901 Yew Tree Cottage, Llanfrefcha Lower

Jesse	Kidner	Head	65	Tin Plate Worker	Pontnewydd, Mon
Lizzie	"	Wife	53		Pontnewydd, Mon
Thomas	"	Son	28	Roller at Iron Works	Pontnewydd, Mon
Charles	"	Son	24	Iron Works	Pontnewydd, Mon
Celia	"	Daur	20		Pontnewydd, Mon
John	"	Son	18	Labourer at Iron Works	Pontnewydd, Mon
Louisa	"	Daur	13		Pontnewydd, Mon

1911 Yew Tree Cottage, Pontnewydd, near Newport, Monmouthshire

Jesse	Kidner	Head	74	Old Age Pensioner	Croesyceilog
Elizabeth	"	Wife	62		Llangibby
Thomas	"	Son	38	Iron Worker carter	Llanfrefcha
Charles	"	Son	34	Iron Worker	Llanfrefcha
Louisa	"	Daughter	23	School Teacher	Llanfrefcha
Hilda	Ward	Niece	7	School	Croesyceilog

Jesse died on 27th September 1911 aged 70. His wife Elizabeth died on 20th August 1917, aged 68. Both are buried at Llanfrefcha churchyard. Also commemorated there are their children Edith, died 1888; Annie, died 1892; and Wyndham died 1893.

2.2.4 George Kidner

George, son of Christopher Kidner and Ann Thomas, was born on 14th September 1841. He married Margaret Powell at Bedwelty on 25th July 1863.

1851 Croesyceilog

Christopher	Kidner	Head	60	Butcher	Bro[o]mfield, Somerset
Anne	"	Wife	47		Llantarnam, Mon
...					
George	"	Son	8		Llantarnam, Mon
John	"	Son	6		Llantarnam, Mon

1861 Chapel Rung, Aberystroth, Monmouthshire

Joseph	Kidner	Head	31	Tin plate shearer	Mon., Llanfrefcha
Catherine	"	Wife	22		Mon., Trevethin
...					
George	"	Brother	18	Tinplate Catcher	Mon., Llanhearn

1871 19 The Terrace, Upper Llanfrechfa

George	Kidner	Head	28	Tinplate Doubler	Llanfrechfa Lower
Margaret	"	Wife	28		Brecon
Elizabeth	"	Daur	6		Abertillery
Tom	"	Son	2		Llanfrechfa Lower

Margaret arrived in New York on the *SS Glamorgan*, having embarked as a steerage passenger at Cardiff, on 29th October 1874. She was accompanied by Lizzie, aged 9, Tom, aged 6, and Albert aged 3. Albert became a cigar store owner in Pittsburg, and married Annabelle Wiser. In 1920 George and Margaret were living in New Kensington, Westmoreland Co., Pennsylvania.

2.2.5 John Kidner of Aberystroth

John, son of Christopher Kidner and Ann Thomas, was born in Q1 1845 in Llanfrechfa, Monmouthshire. He married Louisa Morgan on Christmas Eve 1871 at Llantarnam, and Rachel Jones in Q4 1884.

1861 Chapel Rung, Aberystroth, Monmouthshire

Joseph	Kidner	Head	31	Tin plate shearer	Mon., Llanfrechfa
Catherine	"	Wife	22		Mon., Trevethin
...					
John	"	Brother	15	Tinplate Drawer	Mon., Llanhearn

Which of these two in 1871 was John Kidner of Aberystroth?

1871 44 Dock Street, St Woollos, Monmouthshire (household of James Price, Western Valley Innkeeper)

John	Kidner	Visitor	25	Millman Forge	Mon.
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1871 Aberystroth

John	Kidner	Boarder	23	Tin Plate worker	Llanfrechfa
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1881 Church Street, Aberystroth, Monmouth

John	Kidner	Head	34	Tinplate Worker	Pontypool
Louisa	"	Wife	35	Trevethin, Monmouth	
Christopher	"	Son	8		Abertillery
Reginald	"	Son	6		Abertillery
Leonard	"	Son	3		Abertillery
Ira J.	"	Son	6 mo		Abertillery

1891 36 Brynteg, Aberystroth, Monmouth

John	Kidner	Head	42	Tinman	Pontihydrun
Rachael	"	Wife	40		Pontihydrun
Christopher	"	Son	18	Catcher in Tinhouse	Abertillery
Reginald	"	Son	16	Catcher in Tinhouse	Abertillery
Leonard	"	Son	13	Scholar	Abertillery
Ira J.	"	Son	10	Scholar	Abertillery
Ernest	"	Son	5	Scholar	Abertillery
Florence	"	Daur	1		Abertillery

Ernest died in Q1 1895 at the age of 8.

1901 36 Gladstone Street, Abertillery

John	Kidner	Head	55	Park Keeper	Pontnewydd
Rachel	"	Wife	49		Pontnewydd
Ira John	"	Son	19	Collier Hower	Abertillery
Florence	"	Daur	11		Abertillery

1911 25 Gladstone Street, Brynteg, Abertillery

John	Kidner	Head	62	Lamp lighter (for U.D. Council)	Croesyceilog
Rachel	"	Wife	59		Croesyceilog
Ira John	"	Son	29	Coal Miner	Abertillery
Florence Theresa	"	Daur	21		Abertillery

3. Francis Kidner of Upper Halliford

Francis, son of Francis Kidner (1772-1836) and Catherine Waters, was baptised on 27 December 1815 at St Mary Magdalen, Bermondsey, and married Susannah Mason in September 1850.

1841 Sunbury, Middlesex (HO 107/718/15/44 p.14)

Catherine	Kidner	59	Independent	Not born in county
Francis	"	26	"	Not born in county
Martha	Waters	19	"	Not born in county

1851 Sunbury, Middlesex

Francis	Kidner	Head	35	Farmer 104 acres 5m 3w 3b	Bermondsey
Susanah	"	Wife	36		Hampton
Cathrine	"	Mother	70	Widow	Shropshire

1861 Farm House, Halliford, Sunbury, Middlesex

Francis	Kidner	Head	45	Farming 164 ac + 6m 2w 4b	Bermondsey
Susanah	"	Wife	42		Hampton
Cathrine Mason	"	Daur	9		Sunbury
George Augustus	"	Son	8		Sunbury
Susanah	"	Daur	6		Sunbury
Francis	"	Son	5		Sunbury
Emily	"	Daur	2		Sunbury
Mason	"	Son	10 mths		Sunbury

1871 4a Little Brook Mews, Paddington

Francis	Kidner	Head	58	Farmer and Job Master	Bermondsey
Susannah	"	Wife	52		Hampton
Katherine M.	"	Daur	19		Upper Halliford
Julia J.	"	Daur	7	Scholar	Upper Halliford
Mary	Stone	Cousin	68		Somersetshire

1871 Tangley Park Estate, Nightingale Road, Hampton

James	Mason	Wid'r	49	Mason employing 3 men	Hampton
Susannah	Kidner	Niece	16	House keeper	Halliford
Emily	"	Niece	12	Scholar	Halliford

1871 Stockwell Green Collegiate School, Lambeth

Francis	Kidner	15	Scholar	Halliford, Surrey
Mason	"	10	Scholar	Halliford, Surrey

1881 Elms Side, Hampton, Middlesex

James	Mason	Head	59	Annuitant	Hampton
Frances	Kidner	Head	65	Annuitant	Bermondsey
Susannah	"	Wife	62	Annuitant	Hampton

1891 "Elm Lawn", Broad Lane, Hampton, Middlesex

James	Mason	Head	69	Own Means (single)	Hampton
Francis	Kidner	B in L	75	Retired Farmer	Bermondsey
Susannah	"	Sister	72		Hampton
Emily	"	Sister	29		Sunbury
Julia	"	Niece	25		Sunbury

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On 10th Jan at Elm Lawn, Hampton-on-Thames (also of Lancaster-street, Hyde-park, W1) of bronchitis and influenza, Francis Kidner, aged 76. No flowers.

1901 Longford Lodge, London Road, Hampton

Susanna	Kidner	Widow	82	Own Means	Hampton
Julia J.	"	Daur	34	Single	Halliford

Susanna Kidner died on 31st March 1906 at Hampton.

1911 Longford Cottage, The Grove, Horsell, Woking, Surrey

Julia Jane	Kidner	Head	42	Private means	Halliford
Alice May	"	Visitor	23	Private means	Surbiton

Julia died on 6th April 1950 at Bournemouth.

3.1 George Augustus Kidner

George Augustus Kidner, son of Francis Kidner and Susannah Mason, was born in Q2 1853 at Upper Halliford, Middlesex. He married Edith Elizabeth Terry on 20th March 1890 at Christ Church Barnet.

1861 Farm House, Halliford, Sunbury, Middlesex

Francis	Kidner	Head	45	Farming 164 ac + 6m 2w 4b	Bermondsey
Susanah	"	Wife	42		Hampton
Cathrine Mason	"	Daur	9		Sunbury
George Augustus	"	Son	8		Sunbury
Susanah	"	Daur	6		Sunbury
Francis	"	Son	5		Sunbury
Emily	"	Daur	2		Sunbury
Mason	"	Son	10 mths		Sunbury

1871 Littleton (household of George Bravington, farmer of 400 acres)

George	Kidner	Serv.	18	Farmer's apprentice	Sunbury
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1881 15a Lancaster Street, Paddington

George A.	Kidner	Head	28	Jobmaster empl. 10 men	Halliford
Mason	"	Bro	20	Job Master	Halliford
Emily	"	Sister	22	Housekeeper	Halliford
Jeannie	"	Sister	17	Assistant	Halliford

1891 8 Greencroft Gardens, Hampstead

George A.	Kidner	Head	38	Job Master	Upper Halliford
Edith E.	"	Wife	34		Hackney

1901 16 Greencroft Gardens, Hampstead

George A.	Kidner	Head	48	Job Master	Upper Halliford
Edith E.	"	Wife	44		Hackney
Edith M.	"	Daur	8 ⁵		Hampstead
Elsie	"	Daur	4		Hampstead

1911 39 Hollycroft Avenue, Hampstead

George Augustin	Kidner	Head	58	Job Master	Haleford
Edith E.	"	Wife	54		Hackney
Edith M.	"	Daur	18		Hampstead
Elsie	"	Daur	14		Hampstead
Annie	Gadsby	Serv	34	Cook	Hampton
Clara	Afford	Serv	28	House Parlour Maid	Oundle, Northants

⁵ the census enumerator's mark makes her age appear as 18, and that of her sister as 14. Neither Edith Muriel nor Elsie Irene married, and they died in Eastbourne in 1991 and 1989 respectively.

3.2 Susannah Kidner

Susannah, daughter of Francis Kidner and Susannah Mason, was born in Q3 1854 at Upper Halliford. She died in Wembley on 3rd December 1923.

1871 Tangle Park Estate, Nightingale Road, Hampton

James	Mason	Wid'r	49	Mason employing 3 men	Hampton
Susannah	Kidner	Niece	16	House keeper	Halliford
Emily	"	Niece	12	Scholar	Halliford

1881 7 Upper Bridge Street, Canterbury

Francis	Kidner	Son	26	Corn Dealer	Halliford
Susanna	"	Daur ⁶	26		Halliford

1891 Springfield, Park Road, Beckenham (Private Lunatic Asylum)

Susan	Kidner	Visitor ⁷	35		Halliford
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1901 Upton Hall, Upton, Cheshire (home of Charlotte Elizabeth Beck)

Susan	Kidner	Visitor	44	Visitor	Halliford
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1911 Carlton Hotel, Western Parade, Southsea

Susan	Kidner	Visitor	52		Halliford
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Susannah died at Forty Farm, Wembley, in 1923.

⁶ Susanna was, of course, Francis's sister and not daughter

⁷ who was she visiting in the private lunatic asylum?

3.3 Francis Kidner

Francis, son of Francis Kidner and Susannah Mason, was born in Q1 1856 at Upper Halliford, Middlesex. He married Alice Anne Ducker at Kingston in Q1 1886.

1871 Stockwell Green Collegiate School, Lambeth

Francis	Kidner	15	Scholar	Halliford, Surrey
Mason	"	10	Scholar	Halliford, Surrey

1881 7 Upper Bridge Street, Canterbury

Francis	Kidner	Son	26	Corn Dealer	Halliford
Susanna	"	Daur ⁸	26		Halliford

1891 3 Hill Street, Trowbridge, Wiltshire

Francis	Kidner	Visitor	35	Commercial Traveller	Halliford, Middx.
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1891 Southboro' Rise, Kingston

Alice A	Kidner	Wife	40		Bognor, Sussex
Alice M	"	Daur	3		Surbiton
Dorothy F	"	Daur	1		Surbiton

1901 "Shillingford", Cotterill Road, Surbiton, Surrey

Francis	Kidner	Head	45	Commercial Traveller	Upper Halliford
Alice A	"	Wife	40		Bognor
Alice M.	"	Daur	13		Surbiton
Dorothy	"	Daur	11		Surbiton
Florence Esther	"	Daur	8		Surbiton
William W.	"	Son	5		Surbiton

Dorothy Frances died in Q3 1905 aged 15 in Westhampnett RD, Sussex.

1911 Halliford, Barnham, Bognor, Sussex

Francis	Kidner	Head	55	Traveller for Dog Biscuit Factory and Seed Merchants	Halliford, Middx.
Alice Annie	"	Wife	51		Bognor, Sussex
Lilian Winifred	"	Daur	15	School	Surbiton
Gertrude	Ide	Servant	26	General Serv. Domestic	Singleton

Does the census return instead say "...Dry Biscuit Factory..."? Alice died in 1935, and Francis in 1942.

⁸ Susanna was Francis's sister

3.4 Mason Kidner

Mason, youngest son of Francis and Susannah, was born in Q2 1860. He married Enid Willatts in Q2 1892 in Brentford.

1871 Stockwell Green Collegiate School, Lambeth

Francis	Kidner	15	Scholar	Halliford, Surrey
Mason	"	10	Scholar	Halliford, Surrey

1881 15a Lancaster Street, Paddington

George A.	Kidner	Head	28	Jobmaster empl. 10 men	Halliford
Mason	"	Bro	20	Job Master	Halliford
Emily	"	Sister	22	Housekeeper	Halliford
Jeannie	"	Sister	17	Assistant	Halliford

1891 23 Albany Road, Ealing

Mason	Kidner	Boarder	30	Job Master	Upper Halliford
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1901 Valley Farm, Kingsbury

Mason	Kidner	Head	39	Job Master's Foreman	Upper Halliford
Enid	"	Wife	30		Oxford
Phyllis Enid	"	Daur	7		Kingsbury
Marjory Susan	"	Daur	6		Kingsbury
Doris	"	Daur	4		Kingsbury

1911 18 Minster Road, Hampstead

Mason	Kidner	Head	50	Dir. & Sec. Engineering Co.	Upper Halliford
Enid	"	Wife	40		Marylebone
Phyllis Enid	"	Daur	17	Music Student Royal Academy	Kingsbury
Elaine Mason	"	"	5	Schoolgirl	Kingsbury

Mason died at Chichester in 1945, Enid in 1957.

4. George Kidner of Broomfield

George Kidner was responsible for no fewer than 15 children through his two wives. George was baptised at Broomfield on 10th March 1751, the third son of Thomas Kidner and Anne [?]. An agricultural labourer, George married Grace Taylor on 6th October 1783 at Broomfield.

Children with Grace Taylor:

- Richard (1784-1842), who married Sarah Cobb. See **Section 4.1**
- Thomas (1786- ?), who married Mary Miles of Spaxton
- Ann (1787 - ?)
- Sarah (1790 - ?), who married Joseph Child

George married Betty Waterman on 7th January 1794 at Broomfield. Their children included:

- George (1794-1872), who married Sarah Bailey. See **Section 4.2**
- Sarah (1796-)
- Mary (1796-1864), who married George Sweet
- Magdalene (1798-1875), who married William Knight
- Ann (1804-1867), who married cousin Simon Kidner of Blackmore Farm. See **Section 20.2**
- Elizabeth (1806-)
- Jane (1806-)
- John (1807-1870), who married Elizabeth Stacey in April 1828. See **Section 4.3**
- James (1809 -)
- Maria (1812-)
- Elizabeth (1816-)

4.1 Richard Kidner

Richard, the son of George Kidner and Grace Taylor, was baptised at Broomfield on 8th June 1784. He married Sarah Cobb at St Pancras Old Church on 3rd March 1824.

1841 No. 3, Bream's Buildings, Liberty of the Rolls, Finsbury, Middx. (HO 107/686/18/22 p. 2)

Richard	Kidner	55	Porter	born out of county
Anne	Vallence	65	Housekeeper	born out of county

Richard died aged 58 and was buried at St Dunstan-in-the-West on 30th October 1842.

4.1.1 John Kidner of St Pancras and Isle of Wight

John Kidner was the eldest son of Richard Kidner and Sarah Cobb. He was born in St Pancras on 12th November 1824 and baptised at St Pancras Old Church on 2nd January 1825. In Q1 1851 he married Mary Ann Varley in West London RD (ie City of London West).

1841 Bedford Row, St Andrew's Holborn. (HO 107/670/8/59 p. 11)

John	Kidner	15	M[ale] S[ervant]	born in Middx.
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1851 3 Breems Buildings, Liberty of the Rolls, Holborn (HO107/1512/445)

John	Kidner	Serv	26	Porter	St Pancras
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1861 14 Burnard Place, Holloway

John	Kidner	Head	36	General Clerk Solicitor's office	St Pancras
Mary A	"	Wife	36		Dorchester, Oxon

1871 19 Fleming Road, Walworth, Surrey

John	Kidner	Head	46	Solicitor's Clerk	St Pancras
Mary A.	"	Wife	41		Dorchester, Oxon
Sarah E.	"	Niece	16	Pupil Teacher	Holborn

1881 2 High Street, Broxborne, Shanklin, IoW

John	Kidner	Head	56	Retired Solicitor's Clerk	St Pancras
Mary Ann	"	Wife	51		Dorchester, Oxon

1891 Broxbourne Villa, Shanklin, IOW

John	Kidner	Head	66	Retired Clerk	St Pancras
Mary Ann	"	Wife	61		Dorchester, Oxon

Mary Ann died Q1 1899 aged 69. In 1911 John writes on the census form "Widower since 13th March 1899".

1901 Broxbourne, Shanklin, Isle of Wight

John	Kidner	Widr	76	Own means	St Pancras
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1911 Broxbourne Villa, High Street, Shanklin, Isle of Wight

John	Kidner	Widr	86	Retired law clerk. Broken down by poor eyesight for over 20 years	St Pancras
Maria	Gabb	Servt	55	Housekeeper	London, Bankside

John died on the Isle of Wight in Q2 1914 aged 89.

4.1.2 Sarah Kidner and George Smullen

Sarah, daughter of Richard Kidner and Sarah Cobb, was born on 6th August 1827 and baptised at St Pancras Old Church on 21st October 1827.

1841 St Pancras Female Charity School, Somers Town (HO 107/685/1/18 p.28)

Sarah	Kidner	13	Child of the School	Born in county
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1851 Gunton Hall, Gunton, Suffolk (Household of Robert C Fowler, retired East India Co. captain)

Sarah	Kidner	Servant	23	House maid	London
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Sarah married an Irish coachman, Dennis Smullen, in Q2 1859 in Kensington. They settled in Wimbledon and had 5 children.

1861 Church Lane, Wimbledon

Dennis	Smullen	Lodger	28	Servant	Ireland
Sarah	"	Wife	33		London, Middx.

Sarah died in 1891.

4.1.3 Richard Kidner, waiter

Richard, son of Richard Kidner and Sarah Cobb, was born in St Pancras on 27th August 1829, and baptised on 17th September 1829 at St Pancras Old Church.

1841 134 Long Acre, Covent Garden (living with a Mr Turner and family) (HO 107/740/5/38 p. 29)

Richd.	Kidner	11	born in Middx.
George	"	9	born in Middx.

1851 23 Chancery Lane (HO 107/1512/429)

Richard	Kidner	Serv	21	Waiter	Hampstead
George	"		21	Law Stationer	Hampstead

1861 The Coal Hole⁹, Fountain Court, off Strand

Richard	Kidner	Servant	30	Unmarried	London
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Richard died in Lambeth in Q4 1868 at the stated age of 40.

4.1.4 George William Kidner of St Pancras

George William, son of Richard Kidner and Sarah Cobb, was born in St Pancras on 26th March 1832, and baptised at St Pancras Old Church on 15th April 1832. He married Ellen Clark on 10 July 1854 at St John's, Waterloo, London.

1841 134 Long Acre, Covent Garden (living with a Mr Turner and family) (HO 107/740/5/38 p. 29)

Richd.	Kidner	11	born in Middx.
George	"	9	born in Middx.

1851 23 Chancery Lane (HO 107/1512/429)

Richard	Kidner	Serv	21	Waiter	Hampstead
George	"		21	Law Stationer	Hampstead

⁹ Next door to the Savoy Theatre, The Coal Hole was a favourite haunt of Gilbert and Sullivan.

1861 10, Took's Court, St Andrew Holborn (RG9/184/78 p.33)

George Wm	Kidner	Head	32	Law Stationer	St Pancras
Ellen	"	Wife	31	No occupation	Barrow, Suffolk
Sarah Ellen	"	Daur	5	Scholar	St Andrew Holborn
Emily	"	Daur	4	Scholar	St Andrew Holborn
Fanny	Clemence	S in L	43	Dressmaker	Suffolk, Wetheringsett
Alfred	"	S of "	13	Apprentice to Law Stationer	Suffolk, Pakenham

Ellen died aged 39 in Q1 1867 in Holborn, and George married Maria Lucy Ingram on 13th January 1869 at Wimbledon.

1871 261 Waterloo Road, Southwark

George William	Kidner	Head	45	Law Writer (Lodger)	St Pancras
Maria Lucy	"	Wife	39		Cornhill, London

George William died in Q4 1875 in Holborn RD, aged 45.

1881 85 Borough High Street, Southwark (household of Marianne Bratt, licensed victualler)

Maria	Kidner	Sister	48	Housekeeper	London
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1891 13 Evelyn Street, Deptford (Household of William Fawn, Photographer)

Maria Lucy	Kidner	Widow	53	Housekeeper	London Cornhill
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1901 39 Staunton Street, Deptford, Kent

Maria	Kidner	Wid	74		Cornhill
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Maria Lucy died in Q3 1901 at Deptford at the age of 75.

4.1.4.1 Sarah Ellen Kidner

Sarah Ellen, daughter of George William Kidner and Ellen Clark, was born on 17th July 1855 in Holborn.

1861 10, Took's Court, St Andrew Holborn (RG9/184/78 p.33)

George Wm	Kidner	Head	32	Law Stationer	St Pancras
Ellen	"	Wife	31	No occupation	Barrow, Suffolk
Sarah Ellen	"	Daur	5	Scholar	St Andrew Holborn
Emily	"	Daur	4	Scholar	St Andrew Holborn
Fanny	Clemence	S in L	43	Dressmaker	Suffolk, Wetheringsett
Alfred	"	S of "	13	Apprentice to Law Stationer	Suffolk, Pakenham

In 1871 she was staying with her uncle John and aunt Mary Ann (née Varley)

1871 19 Fleming Road Walworth

John	Kidner	Head	46	Solicitor's Clerk	St Pancras
Mary A.	"	Wife	41		Dorchester, Oxon
Sarah E.	"	Niece	16	Pupil Teacher	Holborn

1881 Street, Marlesford, Suffolk

Sarah E.	Kidner	Visitor	25	National Schoolmistress	London
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Sarah Ellen married Albert Edward Last in Kensington in Q3 1889.

1911 36 Brigstock Road, Thornton Heath Surrey

Albert Edward	Last	Head	43	Accountant, Insurance Co.	Horringer, Suffolk
Sarah Ellen	"	Wife	55	Teacher at LCC school	Lincoln's Inn
Stanley Edward	"	Son	20	Bank Clerk	Thornton Heath
Emily	Kidner	Visitor	54	Teacher Bournemouth Auth.	Lincoln's Inn

4.1.4.2 Emily Kidner

Emily, daughter of George William Kidner and Ellen Clark, was born on 24th September 1856 in Holborn.

1861 10, Tooks Court, St Andrew Holborn (RG9/184/78 p.33)

George Wm	Kidner	Head	32	Law Stationer	St Pancras
Ellen	"	Wife	31	No occupation	Barrow, Suffolk
Sarah Ellen	"	Daur	5	Scholar	St Andrew Holborn
Emily	"	Daur	4	Scholar	St Andrew Holborn
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1871 West Lockinge, Oxfordshire

Emily	Kidner	14	Boarder	Holborn
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1881 School House, Streatley, Berkshire

Emily	Kidner	Boarder	24	Certificated Assistant	London
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1891 School House, Streatley, Berkshire

Emily	Kidner	Boarder	34	National Schoolmistress	Holborn
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1901 Winton, Hampshire

Emily	Kidner	Head	44	Infants' School Teacher (single)	Lincoln's Inn
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In 1911 Emily was visiting her elder sister, who had married Albert Last in Q3 1899 at Kensington:

1911 36 Brigstock Road, Thornton Heath, Surrey

Albert Edward	Last	Head	43	Accountant, Insurance Co.	Horringer, Suffolk
Sarah Ellen	"	Wife	55	Teacher at LCC school	Lincoln's Inn
Stanley Edward	"	Son	20	Bank Clerk	Thornton Heath
Emily	Kidner	Visitor	54	Teacher Bournemouth Auth.	Lincoln's Inn

Emily died in 1916.

4.2 George Kidner, shepherd, of Broomfield

George was probably the son of George Kidner and Betty Waterman. If so, his birth date is unclear, as he was baptised both privately in 1801 and then in Broomfield on 7th September 1806. He married Sarah Bailey at Broomfield on 14 May 1826. Sarah had earlier given birth to two illegitimate children, Elizabeth in 1821 (fathered by James Poole, the parish register tells us) and Anthony in 1823 (father unknown). Who is the Jane Kidner living next door to George in 1841?

1841 Daw's Cottage, Broomfield (HO 107/930/1/18 p.6)

George	Kidner	35	Ag Lab	born in Somerset
Sarah	"	35		born in Somerset
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Samuel	Garde	70	Yeoman	born in Somerset
Jane	Kidner	65	F.S. (Female Servant)	born in Somerset

1851 Merridge, Spaxton (HO 107/1924/160 p.17)

George	Kidner	Head	54	Ag Lab	Broomfield
Sarah	"	Wife	49		Broomfield
Anthony	"	Son	26	Ag Lab	Broomfield

1861 Woods, Broomfield (RG9/1622/157 p.4) (situate between West Lea Farm and Willoughby's Farm)

George	Kidner	Head	68	Shepherd	Broomfield
Sarah	"	Wife	62		Spaxton

1871 Woods Cottage, Broomfield

George	Kidner	Head	78	Ag Lab	Broomfield
Sarah	"	Wife	70		Charlinch

George died in Q1 1872 at the age of 78. Sarah died in Q2 1879 aged 77.

4.2.1 Anthony Kidner, shepherd, of Broomfield¹⁰

Anthony, the son of Sarah Bailey but of unknown father, was baptised on 21 September 1823 at Broomfield in the name of Anthony Bailey. His sister Maria, the legitimate daughter of George Kidner and Sarah Bailey, was baptised at Broomfield on 3rd December 1826.

1841 Stream Farm, Broomfield (HO 107/930/1/19 p.7)

Anthony	Kidner	15	born in Somerset
Maria	"	14	born in Somerset

1851 Merridge, Spaxton (HO 107/1924/160 p.17)

George	Kidner	Head	54	Ag Lab	Broomfield
Sarah	"	Wife	49		Broomfield
Anthony	"	Son	26	Ag Lab	Broomfield

Anthony married Mary Ann Domaney of Thurlbear at St Mary's, Bridgwater, on 3rd April 1854.

1861 Patcombe (RG9/1622/158)

Anthony	Kidner	Head	36	Shepherd	Broomfield
Domaney	"	Wife	29		Thurlbear
Emma	"	Daur	6		Broomfield
Sarah	"	Daur	4		Broomfield
Jane	"	Daur	3		Broomfield
Mary A.	"	Daur	1		Broomfield

¹⁰ I am indebted to Trevor Kidner and to Ray Lewis for information about Anthony's family.

1871 Malt House, Broomfield

Anthony	Kidner	Head	48	Shepherd	Broomfield
Mary	"	Wife	38		Thurlbear
Jane	"	Daur	13		Broomfield
Mary A.	"	Daur	11		Broomfield
George	"	Son	9		Broomfield
Ann	"	Daur	7		Broomfield
Mariah	"	Daur	5		Broomfield
Ellen	"	Daur	3		Ash Priors
Clara	"	Daur	10 mths		Broomfield

1881 Combedown Tower, Combe Florey

Anthony	Kidner	Head	56	Ag Lab / Shepherd	Broomfield
Mary	"	Wife	48		Thurlbear
George	"	Son	19	Ag Lab	Broomfield
Ann	"	Daur	17	General Servant	Broomfield
Ellen	"	Daur	13	Scholar	Ashpriors
Clara	"	Daur	10	Scholar	Broomfield
Harry	"	Son	9	Scholar	Broomfield
Alice	"	Daur	7	Scholar	Broomfield
Louisa	"	Daur	5	Scholar	Broomfield

1881 Warpole, Pawlett, Somerset (household of James Willmont, Labourer)

Mary	Kidner	Visitor	20	Domestic Servant	Broomfield
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1881 Pixford Farm House Cottage, Combe Florey (household of Edward Buncombe)

Maria	Kidner	Servt.	14	General Servant	Broomfield
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Ann (or 'Annie') married Johan Isaksson, a marine fireman from Finland, at Cardiff in Q1 1899. In 1901 Annie was enjoying a spell in Cardiff Prison. In 1911 she was back with her family, living at 20, Eisteddfod Street, Cardiff.



Left: Combe Tower, Combe Florey, in which Anthony lived in 1881. The extension on the right hand side is modern, housing a means of escape.

1891 Woods Cottage, Broomfield, Somerset

Fred	Bishop	Head	28	Agricultural labourer	Bridport, Dorset
Sarah	"	Wife	34		Bridgwater
Henry	Kidner	Step son	9		Paddington
Anthony	"	F in L	64	Agricultural shepherd (widower)	Bridgwater

Sarah died on 17th October 1893.

In 1901 Anthony was living with his daughter Ellen and son in law John William Parsons, and with daughter Sarah's widower Fred Bishop.

1901 Backhouse, Broomfield

John W.	Parsons	Head	27	Carter on Farm	Broomfield
Ellen	"	Wife	32		Bishop's Lydeard
Anthony	Kidner	F in L	89	Widower	Broomfield
Alice	Parsons	Daur	4		Broomfield
Louisa	"	Daur	4		Broomfield
Lily	"	Daur	2		Broomfield
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Fred	Bishop	Wid'r	40	Ordinary Ag Lab	Dorsetshire
George	"	Son	13		Broomfield
Ernest	"	Son	9		Broomfield

Anthony died in Q3 1904 in Bridgwater RD.

4.2.1.1 Emma Kidner

Emma, the eldest child of Anthony Kidner and Mary Ann Domaney, was born in Q2 1855 in Broomfield.

1861 Patcombe (RG9/1622/158)

Anthony	Kidner	Head	36	Shepherd	Broomfield
Domaney	"	Wife	29		Thurlbear
Emma	"	Daur	6		Broomfield
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1871 Bishop's Lydeard (household of Robert King, Drainage Foreman)

Emma	Kidner	Serv	16	General Servant	Broomfield
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1881 Park Gate, Cheddon Fitzpaine, Somerset (household of Ann Gamblin, widow and Ag Lab)

Emma	Kidner	Boarder	26	Single	Cheddon
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Emma married Henry Lovell, an agricultural labourer, at Taunton RD in Q3 1881. In 1891 they were living with four children at Cheddon Fitzpaine.

4.2.1.2 Sarah Kidner

Sarah, the second child of Anthony and Mary Ann Domaney, was born in Q3 1856 at Broomfield.

1871 Whirligig Lane, Taunton St James (household of James Wills, Gardener)

Sarah	Kidner	Serv	14	Servant	Broomfield
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I cannot find Sarah in the 1881 census, although her sister Jane was working in Paddington:

1881 No. 4 Woodford Terrace, Paddington (household of William Lee, Surveyor)

Jane	Kidner	Serv	22		Bridgwater
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Sarah married Fred Bishop in Q2 1886 in Bridgwater RD. Was Henry Sarah's son or her sister Jane's?

1891 Woods Cottage, Broomfield, Somerset

Fred	Bishop	Head	28	Agricultural labourer	Bridport, Dorset
Sarah	"	Wife	34		Bridgwater
Henry	Kidner	Step son	9		Paddington
Anthony	"	F in L	64	Agricultural shepherd (widower)	Bridgwater

1901 30 Wyndham Street, Llandyfodwg (household of William Andrews)

Henry	Kidner	Boarder	20	Haulier Pit under ground	London
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Henry married Margaret Price in 1903. Their first child, Clifford, died at the age of 2 in 1905.

1911 35 High Street, Tonyrefail, nr. Llantrisant

Henry	Kidner	Head	29	Underground Haulier	Broomfield, Som.
Margaret	"	Wife	28		Gilfach Goch, Glam.
Idris	"	Son	3		Gilfach Goch, Glam.
Royden	"	Son	2		Gilfach Goch, Glam.

Henry died on 2nd January 1940.

4.2.1.3 George Kidner

George, the son of Anthony Kidner and Mary Ann Domaney, was born in Q1 1862 in Broomfield (Bridgwater RD).

1891 Cushuish Cottage, Cothelstone, Somerset

George	Kidner	Boarder	27	Farm Labourer	Broomfield
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1901 Cushuish, Cothelstone, Somerset

George	Kidner	Boarder	36	Shepherd	Patcombe
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George married Mary Ann Luxton in Taunton RD in Q2 1902.

1911 Cushuish, Kingston, Taunton, Somerset

George	Kidner	Head	49	Shepherd	Broomfield
Mary	"	Wife	50		

George died in 1932 at Taunton.

4.2.1.4 Alice Kidner

Alice, daughter of Anthony Kidner and Mary Ann Domaney, was born in Q3 1874 in Broomfield (Bridgwater RD).

1891 148 Gloucester Road, Horfield, Gloucestershire

Alice	Kidner	Serv.	16	Domestic Servant	Broomfield
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1901 5 Eastbourne Terrace, Taunton St James

Alice	Kidner	Lodger	26	Linen Collar Ironer	Broomfield
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Alice married Thomas Parsons in Q1 1904. In 1911 her sister Maria was a visitor.

1911 Park Gate, Enmore, Somerset

Thomas	Parsons	Head	34	Gardener, Domestic	Broomfield
Alice	"	Wife	35		Broomfield
Percy Thomas	"	Son	3		Broomfield
Maria	Andrews	Sist in L	46		Broomfield
Hilda Alice Mary	Parsons	Niece	14		Broomfield

4.2.1.5 **Louisa Kidner**

Louisa, youngest daughter of Anthony Kidner and Mary Ann Domaney, was born in Q2 1876 in Broomfield (Bridgwater RD).

1891 Kingston Street, Kingston, Somerset

Louisa	Kidner	Serv.	15		Broomfield
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1901 13 Eastbourne Road, Taunton St James (around the corner from sister Alice)

Louise	Kidner		25	Shirt Machinist	Broomfield
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Louisa married George Hurley at Taunton in 1904.

1911 Yarford, Kingston St Mary, Taunton

George	Hurley	Head	38	Farm labourer	Kingston, Somerset
Louisa	"	Wife	35		Broomfield, Som.
Ethel	"	Daur	5		Kingston, Somerset
Edith	"	Daur	3		Kingston, Somerset
Ernest	"	Son	1		Kingston, Somerset

Louisa died in Q4 1931 at Tuanton, aged 55.

4.3 John Kidner and Elizabeth Stacey

John, son of George Kidner and his second wife Betty Waterman, was baptised at Broomfield on 13th February 1807. John married Elizabeth Stacey on 17th April 1828.

1841 North Moor Corner, North Petherton

John	Kidner	40	Born in county
Elizabeth	"	40	Born in county

1851 Chead Mead, North Petherton (HO 107/1924/301 p.31)

John	Kidner	Head	53	Ag Lab	North Petherton
E	"	Wife	53	Ag Lab	North Petherton

1861 North Moor, North Petherton (RG9/1622/107)

John	Kidner	Head	66	Ag Lab	North Petherton
Elizabeth	"	Wife	64		North Petherton

1871 Union, St Mary's Bridgwater

Elizabeth	Kidner	Widow	73	North Petherton
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Subject to certificate confirmation, John died in Q1 1870, and Elizabeth in Q4 1872.

5. George Kidner of Middlesbrough

George was born on 14th December 1822 in Stepney, son of Thomas and Elizabeth Kidner née Copley, and baptised on 2nd March 1823 at 'New Road, Tonbridge Independent, St Pancras' (IGI). His father Thomas was an East India Company clerk and appears to have died before 1841. Elizabeth returned to her birthplace of Whitby and worked as a nurse.

1841 New Buildings, Ruswarp, Whitby (HO 107/1265/11/23 p.4)

Elizabeth	Kidner	50	F.S.	Born in Yorkshire
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1861 Darlington St Cuthbert's (household of John and Elizabeth Fowler) (RG9/3680/32 p.15.)

Elizabeth	Kinder	Monthly N 70	Monthly Nurse	Whitby, Yorkshire
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1871 4, St Hilda's Terrace, Ruswarp

Elizabeth	Kidner	Visitor	80	Nurse	Whitby, Yorkshire
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Elizabeth died on 4th October 1872 in Middlesbrough.

1841 Church Street, Whitby (HO 107/ 1265/14/20 p.2)

George	Kidner	18	Cabinet maker app.	Born in Yorkshire
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George married Jane King in Q3 1844 in Whitby.

1851 Stockton Street, Middlesbrough

George	Kidner	Head	27	Pattern maker for foundry	London Stepney
Jane	"	Wife	30		Whitby
Mary	"	Daur	6	Scholar	Whitby
Valentine	"	Son	4	Scholar	Whitby
George C	"	Son	1		Middlesbrough
[.....]	King	Wife's M	64	Widow	Whitby

1861 Albert Road, Middlesbrough

George	Kidner	Head	40	Pattern Maker Foundry	London, Middx.
Jane	"	Wife	42		Whitby
Mary	"	Daur	15		Whitby
Valentine	"	Son	14	Scholar	Whitby
George	"	Son	12	Scholar	Middlesbrough
Jane E.	"	Daur	9	Scholar	"
John	"	Son	6	Scholar	"
Ann	"	Daur	4	Scholar	"
William	"	Son	1		"

1871 40 Albert Road, Middlesbrough

George	Kidner	Head	49	Pattern Maker	London
Jane	"	Wife	51		Whitby
Geo.	"	Son	21	Engine Driver	Middlesbro'
Jane Elizabeth	"	Daur	17		Middlesbro'
John	"	Son	16	Pattern maker	Middlesbro'
Ann	"	Daur	14		Middlesbro'
William	"	Son	11	Scholar	Middlesbro'

1871 27 William Street, Stranton, West Hartlepool, Durham

Ann	Hawes	Head	24	Messenger's wife	Whitby
Fanny	Kidner	Visitor	7	Scholar	Middlesbro'

1881 40 Albert Road, Middlesbrough

George	Kidner	Head	59	Model Maker, Engine Works	Stepney Hill
Jane	"	Wife	61		Ruswarp, Yorks
George C.	"	Son	31	Steam Crane Driver	Middlesbro'
John	"	Son	26		Middlesbro'
Fanny	"	Daur	17	Model Maker (unempl.)	Middlesbro'

Fanny married Robert Scott in Q3 1882 in Middlesbrough.

1891 40 Albert Road, Middlesbrough

George	Kidner	Head	63	Pattern Maker	Stepney
Jane	"	Wife	71		Yorkshire, Whitby
George	"	Son	42	Stationary Engine man	
Amy	"	G daur	19		

Jane Kidner died in Q1 1892 at the age of 72 in Middlesbrough. Amy, daughter of Valentine Kidner, died in Q1 1893 at the age of 21 in Middlesbrough. George 'the elder' died in Q3 1895 in Middlesbrough.

5.1 Valentine Kidner of Middlesbrough

The son of George Kidner and Jane King, Valentine was born in Q1 1847 in Whitby. He married Elizabeth Stonehouse in Q4 1870 in Stockton. On the 1911 census form, Elizabeth records that she and Valentine had had 15 children and of those 9 had died.

1861 Albert Road, Middlesbrough

George	Kidner	Head	40	Pattern Maker Foundry	London, Middx.
Jane	"	Wife	42		Whitby
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Valentine	"	Son	14	Scholar	Whitby
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1871 38 Albert Road, Middlesbrough

Valentine	Kidner	Head	23	Pattern Maker	Whitby
Elizabeth	"	Wife	18		Middlesbro'

1881 30 Dundas Street, Middlesbrough

Valentine	Kidner	Head	34	Model Maker out of work	Whitby
Elizabeth	"	Wife	28		Middlesbro'
Amy	"	Daur	9	Scholar	Middlesbro'
Anne	"	Daur	7	Scholar	Middlesbro'
Elizabeth	"	Daur	5		Middlesbro'
Mary Jane	"	Daur	3		Middlesbro'
George C.	"	Son	2		Middlesbro'
Alice	"	Daur	4 mo		Middlesbro'

1891 30 Dundas Street, Middlesbrough

Valentine	Kidner	Head	44	Pattern Maker	Whitby
Elizabeth	"	Wife	38		Middlesbrough
Annie	"	Daur	17	Domestic Servant	"
Elizabeth	"	Daur	15	Domestic Servant	"
Mary Jane	"	Daur	14	Domestic Servant	"
George Copley	"	Son	12	Scholar	"
Alice	"	Daur	10		"
William	"	Son	9		"
Henry	"	Son	7		"
John	"	Son	5		"
James	"	Son	3		"
Nelly	"	Daur	11 mo		"

1901 21 Dundas Street Middlesbrough

Elizabeth	"	Wife	47		Middlesbrough
Jane	"	Daur	23		Middlesbrough
William	"	Son	19	Iron Works Labourer	Middlesbrough
Henry	"	Son	17	Apprentice Electrician	Middlesbrough
John	"	Son	15	Apprentice Brass Finisher	Middlesbrough
James	"	Son	14	Ironworks Labourer	Middlesbrough
Helen	"	Daur	10		Middlesbrough

1901 24 Stephenson Street, Ormesby, North Yorkshire

Valentine	Kidner	Boarder	54	Wood Pattern Maker	Whitby
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1901 3 Norton Street, Middlesbrough

Alice	Kidner	Serv.	20	General servant domestic	Middlesbrough
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By **1911** Valentine had fallen on hard times, and was living in the Middlesbrough Union Workhouse, Cemetery Road, Middlesbrough:

Valentine	Kidner		65	Engineer's Pattern Maker	Whitby
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While his wife Elizabeth had moved from Middlesbrough to be a neighbour of son George:

1911 7 New Row, Swainby, Nr Northallerton, N. Yorks.

Elizabeth	Kidner	Head	58		Middlesbrough
Amy	Bater	G-daur	11		Middlesbrough

Valentine died in Q1 1916.

5.1.1 George Copley Kidner

George Copley Kidner, son of Valentine and Elizabeth Kidner, was born in Q1 1879. He married Martha Jane Jones on 18th August 1903 at Middlesbrough. Where is George?

1911 11 New Row, Swainby, Nr Northallerton

Jennie	Kidner	Head	36		Stockton on Tees
Georgina	"	Daur	5	School	Middlesbrough
Jennie	"	Daur	3		Middlesbrough
John	"	B-in-law	25	General labourer, Iron Works	Middlesbrough
Hannah	"	S-in-law	22		Beaumont, Cumberland

Young Jennie was married three times: to Charles Burnett, to Charles Jones, and to Robert Grimwood.

5.1.2 James Kidner

James, son of Valentine and Elizabeth Kidner, was born in 1888. He married Georgina Roxburgh in 1907.

1911 26 Middlesbrough Road, South Bank

James	Kidner	Head	23	Window cleaner	Middlesbrough, Yorks
Georgina	"	Wife	20		Stockton, Durham
Georgina	"	Daur	6 weeks		Middlesbrough
Winifred	"	Daur	5 weeks		South Bank
Richard	Roxburgh	Son	4		Govan, Scotland

James misunderstood the census form, and included their deceased first child, Georgina Elizabeth, who had in fact died in 1908, 6 weeks after birth. Richard Roxburgh died a month or so after the census in 1911. James and Georgina had four more children. Winifred married George Duke in Q3 1930 and died aged 83.

5.2 George Copley Kidner

George Copley Kidner, son of George Kidner and Jane King, was born in Q4 1849 in Middlesbrough.

1891 40 Albert Road, Middlesbrough

George	Kidner	Head	63	Pattern Maker	Stepney
Jane	"	Wife	71		Yorkshire, Whitby
George	"	Son	42	Stationary Engine man	

1901 34 Dale Street, Middlesbrough

George	Kidner	Head	49	Craneman	Middlesbrough
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1911 25 Fletcher Street, Middlesbrough (household of George Hawes, Waterman)

George	Kidner	Boarder	60	Craneman (Bridge building wks)	Middlesbrough
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George died in Q3 1932 at Middlesbrough

5.3 John Kidner of Middlesbrough, Pattern Maker

John Kidner, son of George Kidner and Jane King, was born in Q4 1854. He married Alice Jane Wake in Middlesbrough in Q3 1883.

1891 6 Smith Street, Middlesbrough

John	Kidner	Head	36	Pattern Maker (Ironwork)	Middlesbrough
Alice Jane	"	Wife	30		Middlesbrough
Mary Ann	"	Daur	7		Middlesbrough
Matthew	"	Son	5		Middlesbrough
Alice J.	"	Daur	5		Middlesbrough
Amy	"	Daur	1		Middlesbrough

1901 19 St Bernard's Road, Stockton on Tees, Durham

John	Kidner	Head	46	Wood Pattern Maker	Middlesbrough
Alice Jane	"	Wife	40		Middlesbrough
Mary Ann	"	Daur	17		Middlesbrough
Matthew	"	Son	15	Moulder at Iron Foundry	Middlesbrough
Alice Jane	"	Daur	13		Middlesbrough
Amy	"	Daur	11		Middlesbrough
John	"	Son	9		Middlesbrough
George	"	Son	5		Stockton on Tees
Albert Edward	"	Son	3		Stockton on Tees
Ada Eleanor	"	Daur	1		Stockton on Tees

NB Young John, born in Q1 1892, was the only one of triplets to survive the first month or so of life. His siblings, Fanny and Mat, died in Q2 1892.

1911 2 Dixon Street, Stockton on Tees, Durham

John	Kidner	Head	56	Engineer's Pattern Maker	Middlesbro'
Alice Jane	"	Wife	50		Middlesbro'
Mary Ann	"	Daur	27	Cafe waitress	Middlesbro'
Matthew	"	Son	25	Engineer's Pattern Maker	Middlesbro'
Alice Jane	"	Daur	23		Middlesbro'
Amy	"	Daur	21		Middlesbro'
John	"	Son	19	Apprentice Eng. Fitter	Middlesbro'
George	"	Son	15	Iron Works clerk	Stockton
Albert	"	Son	13	School	Stockton
Ada Eleanor	"	Daur	11	School	Stockton

5.4 William Kidner, Shipwright

The son of George Kidner and Jane King, William was born in Q2 1859 in Middlesbrough. He married Maria Margaret Arnett in Q3 1888 in Middlesbrough.

1881 7 St Hilda Street, Hartlepool

William	Kidner	Lodger	22	Ship Carpenter	Middlesbro'
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1891 28 Birks Road, Middlesbrough

William	Kidner	Head	31	Shipwright	Middlesbrough
Maria M.	"	Wife	28		Poplar
George W.	"	Daur	3 mo		Middlesbrough

1901 14 Pollard Street, Middlesbrough

William	Kidner	Head	41	Ship Wright	Middlesbrough
Maria	"	Wife	38		Shadwell, London
George	"	Son	11		Middlesbrough
Edith	"	Daur	10		Middlesbrough
Albert	"	Son	7		Middlesbrough
Harry	"	Son	4		Middlesbrough

1911 8 Duke of York Street, Middlesbrough

William	Kidner	Head	50	Ship Wright	Middlesbrough
Maria Margaret	"	Wife	48		London
George William	"	Son	21	Shipwright	Middlesbrough
Edith	"	Daur	20	Cafe Waitress	Middlesbrough
Albert	"	Son	17	Office boy (Shipping Office)	Middlesbrough
Harry	"	Son	14	Office boy	Middlesbrough

6. Henry Kidney, cab driver, of Harrow

Henry Kidney is included in this document because his son assumed or reverted to the surname 'Kidner'. The consistency with which the elder Henry uses the surname Kidney suggests that that was the accurate, original surname. The reason for switching to 'Kidner' is unclear.

1841 Twyford Abbey, ex par. , Middlesex

Henry	Kidney	15	M.S.	Born in county
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1851 Harrow

Henry	Kidney	Head	27	Carrier empl. 1 lab	Harrow
Martha	"	Wife	26		Wales
Henry	"	Son	4 mths		Harrow

1861 Hogarth Lane, Harrow

Henry	Kidney	Head	37	Carrier	Harrow
Martha	"	Wife	36		Landaff, Wales
Henry	"	Son	10	Scholar	Harrow
William	"	Son	8	Scholar	Harrow
Esther	"	Daur	5	Scholar	Harrow
Mary Anne	"	Daur	3		Harrow
Charles	"	Son	1		Harrow

1871 6 Windsor Place, Paddington

Henry	Kidney	Head	47	Cab driver	Harrow
Martha	"	Wife	46		Landaff, Wales
William	"	Son	18	Baker	Harrow
Mary Anne	"	Daur	13	Scholar	Harrow
Charles	"	Son	10	Scholar	Harrow
Frederick	"	Son	7	Scholar	Paddington
Thomas	"	Son	5	"	Paddington
Martha	"	Daur	2		Paddington

1881 No. 42.....Chelsea

Henry	Kidney	Head	57	Hackney Carriage driver	Harrow
Martha	"	Wife	56		Landaff, Wales
William	"	Son	28	Hackney Carriage Driver	Harrow
Charles	"	Son	20	Hackney Carriage Driver	Harrow
Frederick	"	Son	17	Clerk	Paddington
Thomas	"	Son	15	"	Paddington
Martha	"	Daur	12	Scholar	Paddington

1881 8 Belsize Park, Camden

Esther	Kidner	Serv	25	Servant	Harrow
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1891 2 Carlton Terrace, Paddington

Henry	Kidney	Boarder	69	Cab Driver	Harrow
William	"	Boarder	38	Cab Driver	Harrow

1901 142 Coningham Road, Hammersmith

Henry	Kidner	Head	77	Cab Driver	Harrow
Martha	"	Wife	76		Wales
William	"	Son	47	Cab Driver & Proprietor	Harrow
Martha	"	Daur	30		Paddington

Henry 'Kidner' died in Q3 1905 in Brentford RD, aged 82, and Martha Kidney a month or so later in Q4 1905, also at Brentford.

6.1 Henry Kidner, Baptist Minister

Henry Kidner was the son of Henry and Martha Kidney (sic). He married Sarah Ratcliff on 24th November 1875 at the Henrietta Street Chapel, St Pancras.

1881 High Street, Minchinhampton

Henry	Kidner	Head	30	Baptist Minister	Harrow
Sarah	"	Wife	32		Chelmsford
Henry R.	"	Son	2		Mumbles, Glamorgan

1891 19 Vicarage Villa, Willesden

Henry	Kidner	Head	40	Baptist's Minister Sec. YWCA	Harrow on the Hill
Sarah	"	Wife	42		Chelmsford
Henry R.	"	Son	12		The Mumbles

1901 22 Langdon Park Road, Hornsey

Henry R	Kidner	Boarder	22	Student	Mumbles, Glamorgan
Henry	"	Widr	50	Secretary	Harrow

1911 Hadley Wood, Edmonton, Middx.

John Edwin	May	Head	45	Advertisement Agent	
...					
Henry	Kidner	Visitor	60	Retired Secretary	Harrow

Obituary in The Times, Friday 31 July 1925

"Mr Henry Kidner, F.G.S., who died suddenly at Bexhill recently at the age of 74, was formerly for about 25 years secretary of the London Y.W.C.A. Since his retirement he had devoted himself for some years to study and research in geology and archaeology, in which he was keen to the last. Only ten days before his death he conducted a local party to places of archaeological interest. He was particularly interested in the burrows¹¹ of the south of England and discovered one of peculiar interest in the New Forest."

6.1.1 Henry Ratcliff Kidner

1901 22 Langdon Park Road, Hornsey

Henry R	Kidner	Boarder	22	Student	Mumbles, Glamorgan
Henry	"	Widr	50	Secretary	Harrow

Henry married Edith Mary Eltham in Q3 1908 at Brentford.

1911 4 Rosemount, Wallington, Surrey

Henry Ratcliff	Kidner	Head	32	Asst. Education Medical Officer	Mumbles, Glamorgan
Edith Mary	"	Wife	31		Suffolk, Hadleigh
Henry Gerald	"	Son	1		Surrey, Wallington
Charles Eltham	"	Son	1		Surrey, Wallington
Ellen Laura	Way	Servt.	28	General servant (married)	Yorks, Wadsley

¹¹ I assume this was a misprint for 'barrows'.

7. James Kidner and Ann Ewings of Topsham, Devon

James Kidner married Ann Ewings at Topsham on 27 February 1796. His Admiralty pro-forma will, produced in 1797 when he was serving on HMS Orion as a midshipman, is preserved, and refers to his wife Ann. The Littleham parish registers record the burial of 'James Kidner of Topsham' on 20 July 1828, aged 65.

This is probably the widowed Ann in 1841, living with her daughter Ann and son in law William Newton, who had wed on 11th January 1827 at Topsham.

7.1 Ann Kidner

1841 Shapter Street, Topsham, Devon (HO 107/0265/12 p.19)

William	Newton	35	Ropemaker	Born in Devon
Ann	"	35		Born in Devon
Ann	Kidner	75		Born in Devon
John	Howard	5		Born in Devon

Ann Kidner died at Topsham in Q2 1849 (subject to certificate confirmation)

The Ann Kidner below may be a niece of James and Ann; but she seems to disappear after this census.

1841 Strand, Topsham, Devon (HO 107/265/21/6 p.5)

Ann	Kidner	20		Born in Devon
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1851 Shapter Street, Topsham

William	Newton	Head	49	Ropemaker	Topsham
Ann	"	Wife	48		Exmouth
William J	"	Son	8	Scholar	Topsham
Sarah Ann	"	Daur	5	Scholar	Topsham

1861 High Street, Topsham

William	Newton	Head	59	Sexton	Topsham
Ann	"	Wife	58	Sexton's wife	Topsham
William J	"	Son	18	Assistant at a school	Topsham
Sarah Ann	"	Daur	15	Sexton's daughter	Topsham

1871 Fore Street, Topsham

William	Newton	Head	69	Ropemaker	Topsham
Ann	"	Wife	68	Ropemaker's wife	Exmouth
Sarah Ann	"	Daur	26	Lace maker	Topsham

7.1.1 William James Kidner Newton

William James Kidner Newton married Elizabeth Pender at Topsham in Q2 1870, and set up home on the Isles of Scilly as a draper and grocer

1871 Hugh Street, St Mary's, Isles of Scilly

William J.K.	Newton	Head	28	Grocer and Draper	Topsham
Elizabeth	"	Wife	38		Cornwall, St Mary's
James	Pender	Step-son	14	Scholar	California, Br. Subj.
Elizabeth	"	Step-d	13	"	California, Br. Subj.
George	"	Step-son	12	"	California, Br. Subj.
Eva	"	Step-d	8	"	St Mary's

1911 Hugh Town Street, St Mary's, Scilly

Wm Jas K	Newton	Head	68	Grocer	Topsham, Devon
Elizabeth	"	Wife	78		Scilly Islands, Cornwall
Alice	"	Daur	39	Assisting in business	Scilly Islands, Cornwall

William Newton died on Scilly in Q4 1915 aged 72.

8. Jesse Kidner and Susannah Ellet of Oggshole Farm

Jesse, youngest son of John Kidner and Mary Yendle, was baptised at Broomfield on 15 May 1767. He was the uncle of Joseph and Christopher (Section 2) who went to South Wales in about 1810. Jesse died in January 1824, aged 56, but here is his widow Susannah in 1841 and 1851:

1841 Kingston Village (HO 107/959/11/9 p. 10)

George	Sully	48	Shopkeeper	born in Somerset
Sarah	Sully	45		born in Somerset
Susanna	Kidner	70	Ind	born in Somerset
Harriet	"	21	Dress maker	born in Somerset

1851 Kingston Village (HO 107/1923/312 p.16)

Sarah	Sully	Widow	57	Grocer	North Petherton
Susanna	Kidner	Mother	80	Retired	Broomfield
Susanna	Burge	Niece	16	Assistant	Broomfield

Susanna Kidner was buried at Broomfield on 26th April 1852.

8.1 Anthony Kidner of Goathurst

Anthony, son of Jesse Kidner and Susannah Ellet, was baptised on 20th July 1796 at Broomfield. He married Ann Martin on 5th May 1827 at Bridgwater.

1841 Goathurst (HO 107/930/5/6 p.6)

Anthony	Kidner	44	Gamekeeper	born in Somerset
Ann	"	42		born in Somerset

1851 Bridgwater Road, Enmore (HO 107/1924/192 p.10)

Anthony	Kidner	Head	54	Farmer	Broomfield
Ann	"	Wife	52		Weston Zoyland

Ann died the year after the census and was buried at Enmore on 13th April 1852; Anthony died the following year, being buried at Enmore also on 31st January 1854.

8.2 Jesse Kidner of Saffron Walden, Essex

Jesse Kidner, the son of Jesse Kidner of Higher Oggshole Farm and Susannah Ellet, was baptised on 2nd May 1800 at Broomfield, Somerset. He married Mary Ann Cowell on 12th February 1828 in Saffron Walden, Essex.

1841 Poplar Hall, Saffron Walden (HO 107/345/6/26 pp.16-17)

Jesse	Kidner	40	Gamekeeper	Not born in Essex
Mary A	"	40		born in Essex
Mary	"	7		born in Essex
Henry	"	8		born in Essex
Elizabeth	"	3		born in Essex
Sarah	"	2		born in Essex

Henry died in July 1849, aged 16, and was buried at St Mary the Virgin, Saffron Walden. Jesse is listed in the 1848 White's Directory as farming at Lane Farm, Heydon.

1851 Village, Heydon

Jesse	Kidner	Head	41	Farmer 200 acres emp 11 labs	Somerset, Brooffield ¹²
Mary	"	Wife	48		Essex, Walden
Mary Anne	"	Daur	20		Essex, Walden
Elizabeth	"	Daur	13	Scholar	Essex, Walden
Sarah	"	Daur	12	Scholar	Essex, Walden
James	Kidney	Daur' son	1		Essex, Heydon

Mary Ann died in Q2 1859 in Saffron Walden. Sarah died in February 1860, aged 20, and was buried on 20th February 1860 at Arkesden. In 1861 Jesse's sister Elizabeth's children (Tunwell) are staying with him.

¹² sic, suggesting perhaps a trace of a Somerset accent?

1861 Little Walden Road, Saffron Walden

Jesse	Kidner	Wid'r	57	Farmer 80 acres emp 1b	Broomfield
Elizabeth	"	Daur	22		Saffron Walden
Henry	Tunwell	Nephew	21	Builder's son	Saffron Walden
Susannah	"	Niece	17	Builder's daur	Saffron Walden
James	Kidner	G'son	11	Farmer's son	Saffron Walden

Jesse's daughter Elizabeth died in the autumn of 1863, aged 25, and was buried at St Mary the Virgin in Arkesden on 2nd October 1863. Jesse married Elizabeth Brewster in Marylebone in Q1 1866.

1871 New Almshouses, Saffron Walden

Jesse	Kidner	Head	65	Late farmer	Broomfield
Elizabeth	"	Wife	55		Essex, Harlow[?]

Jesse died in Q2 1875 at Saffron Walden aged '74'.

1881 New Almshouses, Saffron Walden

Elizabeth	Kidner	Widow	67	No occupation	Farstead, Essex
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1891 New Almshouses, Saffron Walden

Elizabeth	Kidner	Widow	76		Boreham
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Elizabeth died in Q1 1893 in Saffron Walden aged 80.

8.3 John Davis Kidner and Mary Ann Gunn of Great Dunmow

John Davis, the son of Jesse Kidner and Susannah Ellet, was born about 1805 in Broomfield, and married Mary Ann Gunn on 22nd October 1842 at Steeple Bumpstead. There is no record of his being baptised at Broomfield and, with no obvious explanation for the 'Davis' in his name, I wonder if he was adopted by Jesse and Susanna. His marriage certificate gives Jesse as his father, and identifies Mary Ann's father as John Gunn, a tailor. There is no trace of John Davis in the list of baptisms at Broomfield. I cannot trace John in the 1841 census, and the 1851 census returns have been lost.

1861 North Street, Great Dunmow, Essex

John	Kidner	Head	57	Currier	Broomfield, Somerset
Mary Ann	"	Wife	37		Bumpstead, Essex
Susannah	"	Daur	17		Thaxted
Mary Ann	"	Daur	15		Thaxted
Jesse	"	Son	14		Thaxted
Henry	"	Son	4	Scholar	Stebbing

John died in Q3 1868 in Great Dunmow aged 63 and his widow, Mary Ann, married Thomas Stock, a storeman, in Dunmow in Q1 1875. In 1881 they were living in Dunston, Derbyshire.

8.3.1 Jesse Kidner of Thaxted

Jesse, son of John Davis Kidner and Mary Ann Gunn, was born on 5th September 1846 at Thaxted. He married Sarah Amelia Putnam in Q2 1872 in St Pancras RD.

1871 Star Hill, Great Dunmow

Jessie	Kidner	Head	24	Master Currier	Thaxted, Essex
Mary Ann	"	Mother	49	Housekeeper	Steeple Banstead
Susannah	"	Sister	27	Teacher	Thaxted, Essex

1871 Springfield Hill (household of James Pennington, Master Butcher)

Henry	Kidner	Serv	14	Apprentice	Stebbing, Essex
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Jesse married Sarah Amelia Putnam in Q2 1872 in Pancras RD.

1881 29 Bullen Street, Battersea

Jessie	Kidner	Head	34	Leather Merchts Clerk (unemp'd)	Thaxted, Essex
Sarah A.	"	Wife	34	Domestic	Camden Town
Maud M.	"	Daur	6	Scholar	Tottenham West Grove
Lillian A.	"	Daur	5	Scholar	Northampton
Harry G.	"	Son	4		Northampton
Rose E.	"	Daur	4 mo		Battersea

Harry George died in Q3 1887 aged 10. Rose Emily died in infancy in Q3 1881.

1891 Standard Public House, Merton Road, Mitcham

Jesse	Kidner	Head	45	Bootmaker	Thaxted, Essex
Sarah A.	"	Wife	44		London, Camden
Maud A.	"	Daur	16	Dressmaker	London, Tottenham
Lillian A.	"	Daur	15	Scholar	Northampton
William J.	"	Son	5	Scholar	Battersea

Lillian Amelia Kidner married Henry James Stoneman in Q4 1897 in Croydon RD.

1901 The Royal Standard Public House, Mitcham

Jesse	Kidner	Head	54	Bootmaker	Thaxted, Essex
Sarah A.	"	Wife	54		Camden Town
Maud M.	"	Daur	26	Dressmaker	Tottenham
William J.	"	Son	15	Bootmaker's apprentice	Battersea

Jesse died in Q2 1908 in Croydon RD. William John married Winifred Boswell in Q2 1910 at Croydon.

1911 114 High Street, Tooting, Surrey

William John	Kidner	Head	25	Boot repairer	Battersea, Surrey
Winifred Constance Rosina K.		Wife	19		Grays, Essex
Leslie William Albert K.		Son	9 months		Colliers Wood

William John enlisted in the East Surrey Regiment on 26th September 1914 at Kingston on Thames, and lived until Q4 1952 when he died in Wandsworth RD.

8.3.2 Henry Davis Kidner

Harry, the son of John Davis Kidner and Mary Ann Gunn, was born on 24 April 1856 in Stebbing, Essex, and married Alice Maria Harris in Q1 1882.

1891 147 Victoria Street, Aston

Harry	Kidner	Head	34	Draper's Assistant	Stebbing, Essex
Alice M.	"	Wife	32		Tiffield, Northants
Dorothy A.	"	Daur	4		Aston
Gladys W.	"	Daur	3 mths		Aston

1891 West Oghwell, Newton Abbott, Devon (household of Elias and Mary Ann Bishop)

Hilda M.	Kidner	Lodger	5		Birmingham
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1901 The Limes, Greenwood Road, Acock's Green, Worcestershire

Henry	Kidner	Head	44	Draper's assistant	Stebbing, Sussex [sic]
Alice M	"	Wife	32		Tiffield, Northants
Hilda M	"	Daur	15		Birmingham
Gladys W.	"	Daur	10		Birmingham
Doris M	"	Daur	7		Acocks Green
Leslie H	"	Son	4		Acocks Green
Mary A	Bishop	Visitor	55		Hants, Gayton

1911 The Limes, Greenwood Road, Acock's Green, Worcestershire

Henry	Kidner	Head	54	Hosiery Buyer	Stebbing, Essex
Alice Maria	"	Wife	52		Tiffield, Northants
Gladys Winifred	"	Daur	20	Typist	Aston
Doris Mabel	"	Daur	17		Acock's Green

In 1911 Hilda visited George Cross and Victoria Cross ☺:

1911 Piddington Lodge Cottage, Hardingstone, Northampton

George William	Cross	Head	24	Cowman on farm	Gt. Houghton, Northants
Irene Victoria	Cross	Wife	23		Piddington, Northants
Hilda Mary	Kidner	Visitor	24	Elementary Teacher (C.C.)	Aston, Birmingham

8.4 James Kidner of West Monkton

James was the son of Jesse Kidner and Susanna née Ellet of 'Oxhole', that is Oggshole Farm to the south of Broomfield. He was baptised on 1st October 1813 at Broomfield. James married Sarah Tooze at St Thomas (outskirts of Exeter, Devon) in Q1 1851.

1841 Hill Farm, West Monkton (farmed by James Radford and Sarah Radford)

James	Kidner		25	M.S. Ag Lab	Y (born in Somerset)
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1851 Bathpool, West Monkton

James	Kidner	Head	38	Farmer's assistant	Broomfield
Sarah	"	Wife	39		Hadworth, Devon

James and Sarah had two children, James and Susannah, both of whom died in infancy and were buried on the same day, 29th January 1855. Sarah died in Q3 1858 at Taunton (subject to confirmation by certificate). James married Hannah at Enmore on 27 September 1860 (the only marriage at Enmore that year).

1861 Nappers, West Monkton

James	Kidner	Head	46	Farmer	Broomfield
Hannah	"	Wife	36		Charlinch

1871 Batchelors, West Monkton

James	Kidner	Head	57	Gardener	Broomfield
Hannah	"	Wife	46		Cannington
Mary	"	Daur	9	Scholar	West Monkton
Sarah	"	Daur	7	Scholar	West Monkton
William	"	Son	5	Scholar	West Monkton
Susana	"	Daur	4	Scholar	West Monkton

1881 Goosenford, West Monkton

James	Kidner	Head	65	Jobbing Gardener	Broomfield
Hannah	"	Wife	54		Charlinch
Mary Hannah	"	Daur	19	Pupil Teacher	West Monkton
William Jessie	"	Son	15	Butcher's Boy	West Monkton
Susannah	"	Daur	13	Dressmaker's apprentice	West Monkton

James is buried in West Monkton churchyard, with Hannah, and his gravestone records that he died on Boxing Day 1890, aged 77.

1891 Goosenford, West Monkton

Hannah	Kidner	Widow	65		Cannington
Susannah	"	Daur	23	Dressmaker	Monkton Heathfield

1901 Goosenford, West Monkton

Hannah	Kidner	Widow	75		Cannington
Susannah	"	Daur	31	Single	West Monkton

Hannah died in January 1907, aged 80. Susannah married Frederick Augustus Hawker in Q3 1907.

8.4.1 Mary Hannah Kidner

Mary Hannah, daughter of James Kidner and Hannah Isaacs, was born in Q1 1862 at West Monkton. She married John Henry Berry in Q2 1889 at Taunton.

8.4.2 Sarah Kidner

Sarah, daughter of James Kidner and Hannah Isaacs, was baptised at West Monkton on 22nd November 1863

1881 Hennel Farm, Enmore (household of Charles and Emily Isaacs)

Sarah	Kidner	Niece	17	Farmer's Daughter	West Monkton
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Sarah married Edward Nation in Q2 1897. Both are buried in West Monkton churchyard; Edward died on 19th June 1900, aged 46, and Sarah on 17th December 1937, aged 74.

8.4.3 William Jesse Kidner

William Jesse, son of James Kidner and Hannah Isaacs, was born in Q4 1865 in West Monkton. He married Emma Evans née White on 13th November 1892 in Pontypridd.

1891 200 High Street, Aston (household of Walter Grigg, butcher)

William	Kidner	Asst.	25	Butcher's Assistant	Monkton Heathfield
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1901 194 High Street, Ystradyfodwg

William Jesse	Kidner	Head	35	Butcher	Taunton
Emma	"	Wife	34		Briton Ferry, Glam
Arthur Willie	"	Son	11		Swansea

1911 194 High Street, Treorchy

W.J.	Kidner	Head	45	Butcher	Somerset, Monkton
Eva	"	Wife	44		Glam, Grants Grave
Willie	"	Adopted son	21	Butcher's assistant	Oxford
Constance	Bowen	Servt.	22	Servant (Domestic)	Glam., Treorchy

William Jesse died a matter of weeks after the census, in Q2 1911 in Pontypool RD aged 46. Emma re-married two years after William Jesse's death, to William S Poole.

Willie went out to Australia in February 1912 on SS Osterley, bound for Fremantle. He enlisted as a Private in 'B' Company of the 28th Battalion on 2nd March 1915. He returned to Australia shortly before Christmas in 1918 and produced a fine son, Bill Kidner, in 1925, who was to be a star of the North Cottesloe Life Saving Association.

Emma Poole lived at 173 Severn Road, Cantor, Cardiff, South Wales, England (!) according to Arthur William's enlistment papers.

8.4.4 Susannah Kidner

Susannah was the daughter of James Kidner and Hannah Isaacs, and born Q2 1867. She lived with her widowed mother until the latter's death in January 1907 (see above). She married Frederick Augustus Hawker in Q3 1907.

1911 Heathfield Villa, Monkton Heathfield, Nr Taunton, Somerset

Frederick Augustus Hawker	Head	29	Cattle Food manufacturer	West Monkton
Susanna	"	Wife	41	West Monkton

Frederick died in Q4 1938, aged 57. Susanna outlived him by 10 years, dying in Q2 1948, aged 81.

9. John Kidner, shoemaker of Blandford, Dorset

John, son of John Kidner and Betty née Carter, was baptised on 13th May 1775 at SS. Peter and Paul, Blandford. He married Susanna Strickland at Blandford on 19th April 1801. Susanna died in 1821 and was buried on 2nd April 1821 at Blandford. John married Elizabeth Keats on 4th December 1821

1841 Salisbury Street, Blandford

John	Kidner	67	Shoemaker	born in Dorset
Elizabeth	"	67		born in Dorset

1851 New Buildings, Blandford

John	Kidner	Widower	77	Cordwainer	Blandford
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John died in Q3 1852.

9.1 William Kidner and Ann Galton of Parkstone

William, son of John Kidner and Susanna Stickland, was baptised on 28th December 1802 in Blandford. He married Ann Galton on 15 May 1823 in Poole, Dorset. William died in Q1 1871.

1841 Hill Street, St James, Poole (HO107/294/11/12 p.19)

William	Kidner	30	Policeman	born in Dorset
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1841 Christchurch Road, Parkstone, Dorset (HO 107/287/6 p.6)

Ann	Kidner	40	Straw Bonnet M.	born in Dorset
Emma	"	15		born in Dorset
John	"	11		born in Dorset
Susanna	"	8		born in Dorset

1851 Rose Cottage, Christchurch Road, Parkstone, Dorset

William	Kidner	Head	47	Letter press printer	Blandford
Ann	"	Wife	53	Straw Hat maker	Poole
John E	"	Son	21	Boot & Shoe maker	Parkstone

1861 New Inn, Thames Street, Poole

William	Kidner	Lodger	60	Fishmonger (married)	Blandford
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1861 Hunger Hill, St James, Poole, Dorset

John	Mackrell	Head	32	Shoemaker jour[neyman]	Parkstone
Emma	"	Wife	35		Poole
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Ann	Kidner	M in L	63	House Servant	Poole

Ann died in Q1 1865 in Poole.

9.1.1 John Carter Kidner of Parkstone

John Carter, son of William Kidner and Ann Galton, was born on 6 March 1830 in Parkstone. He married Sarah Hordle in Q1 1854 in Poole, Dorset.

1861 Church Street, Parkstone, Dorset

John C	Kidner	Head	31	Pottery labourer	Parkstone
Sarah	"	Wife	27		Poole
John W	"	Son	6		Poole
Henry C	"	Son	5		Poole
Emma	"	Daur	3		Poole

1871 Ashley Cross Road, Parkstone, Dorset

John C.	Kidner	Head	41	Pottery Fireman	Parkstone
Sarah	"	Wife	37		Poole
John	"	Son	17	Butcher's Apprentice	Parkstone
Henry	"	Son	15	Butcher's Apprentice	Parkstone
Emma	"	Daur	13	Scholar	Parkstone
Mabel	"	Daur	6		Parkstone

1881 Nr Ashley Cross, Parkstone

Carter	Kidner	Head	50	Ag Lab	Parkstone
Sarah	"	Wife	46		Parkstone
Mabel	"	Daur	16		Parkstone

Sarah died in Q3 1886 at the age of 53, soon after the death of Emma, an infant child.

1891 7 Commercial Road, Parkstone

Carter	Kidner	Widr	61	Lime Burner	Parkstone
Mable	"	Daur	26	Laundress	Parkstone
Annie	"	G daur	6		Parkstone

1901 Poole & Bournemouth Road, Parkstone

Carter	Kidner	Wid'r	72	Retired brick burner	Parkstone
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John Carter Kidner died at Poole in Q4 1903 aged 74.

9.1.1.1 John William Kidner

John William, the son of John Carter Kidner and Sarah Hordle, was born on 8th September 1854. He married Sarah Hardy in Q3 1884. Sarah died in Q2 1901.

1881 Marwood Buildings, Parkstone

John	Randall	Head	25	Railroad platelayer	Wareham
Emma	"	Wife	23		Parkstone
Elizabeth	"	Daur	1		Parkstone
Carter	Kidner	B in Law	25	Butcher	Parkstone
John	"	B in Law	26	General Labourer	Parkstone

1891 1 Durnford Road, Holdenhurst, Hampshire

John	Kidner	Head	36	Labourer	Parkstone, Dorset
Sarah	"	Wife	35		Parkstone, Dorset
Carter	"	Son	5		Kerison, Dorset
Mabel	"	Daur	1		Kerison, Dorset

1901 14 Campbell Grove, Bournemouth, Hants

John W	Kinder	Head	46	Bricklayer	Parkstone, Dorset
Sarah	"	Wife	45		Parkstone, Dorset
Carter	"	Son	15		Kinston, Dorset
Mabel	"	Daur	11		Kinston, Dorset
Annie	"	Niece	15		Parkstone

Sarah née Hardy died in Q2 1901. John William married Sylvia Raymond, of Itchen Abbas, Hampshire, in Q3 1902

1911 Iford Flats 203, Christchurch, Hampshire

John W	Kidner	Head	56	Bricklayer	Dorset
Sylvia	"	Wife	55		Hampshire
John J	"	Son	6		Hampshire
Samuel R	"	Son	4		Hampshire
Albert W	"	Son	18 months		Hampshire
Frederick F	"	Son	4 months		Hampshire

9.1.1.1.1 Carter Kidner

Carter, son of John William and Sarah Kidner née Hardy, was born in Q 1885. He married Ellen Louisa Mickish at Christchurch in Q4 1906.

1911 7 Grantham Road, Springbourne, Boscombe

Carter	Kidner	Head	26	Draper's Porter	Upper Parkstone, Dorset
Ellen	"	Wife	27		City, London
Louisa Mabel	"	Daur	3y 5m	Goes to school	Springbourne
Winifred May	"	Daur	1y 10m		Springbourne

Carter died in 1963; Ellen in 1969; Louisa married Harry Craig in 1927; Winifred married Frederick Newman in 1930.

9.1.1.2 Henry Carter Kidner

Henry Carter, the son of John Carter Kidner and Sarah Hordle, was born in Q1 1856.

1881 Marwood Buildings, Parkstone

John	Randall	Head	25	Railroad platelayer	Wareham
Emma	"	Wife	23		Parkstone
Elizabeth	"	Daur	1		Parkstone
Carter	Kidner	B in Law	25	Butcher	Parkstone
John	"	B in Law	26	General Labourer	Parkstone

Henry married Martha Ann Hayward on 10th August 1885; she had a young son born at the end of 1881, Henry William Bertie Hayward who took Henry Carter's surname.

1891 Woking Road, Parkstone

Henry Carter	Kidner	Head	35	Plasterer's labourer	Parkstone
Martha	"	Wife	33		Marnhull
Bertie	"	Son	9		Parkstone
Lily	"	Daur	3		Parkstone

1901 93 St Olaf's Road, Fulham

Carter	Kidner	Head	46	Plasterer's labourer	Dorset, Poole
Martha	"	Wife	45		Dorset, Marnhull
Bertie	"	Son	19	Plasterer's labourer	Dorset, Poole
Lily	"	Daur	13		" "
Mabel	"	Daur	9		" "
Daisy	"	Daur	7		" "

Henry Carter died in Q1 1902 in Fulham, and the family returned to Bournemouth.

1911 'Wilton', Castle Road, Winton, Bournemouth

Martha	Kidner	Widow	54	None	Marnhull
Henry	"	Son	29	Plasterer	Parkstone
Lily	"	Daur	23	Dressmaker	Parkstone
Daisy	"	Daur	17	Dressmaker	Bournemouth

Martha died in 1944 at Bournemouth. Henry Bertie married Florence Nicholls in Q2 1914; Daisy married Lloyd Phillips in 1920; Lily married Percy Hunt in 1921; meanwhile Mabel May, working as a domestic in 1911, stayed single until her death at Bournemouth in 1978.

1911 19 Avenue Road, Bournemouth

Mary	Hill	Head	59	Apartment House Keeper	Exeter
Mabel	Kidner	Serv.	19	General Servant (domestic)	Parkstone

9.1.1.3 Mabel Sarah Susannah Kidner

Mabel Sarah Kidner, the daughter of John Carter Kidner and Sarah Hordle, was born in Q1 1865.

1901 "Gainford", Parkstone

Mabel Sarah	Kidner	Serv	29	Housemaid	Parkstone
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1911 Slade household, Parkstone on Sea

Mabel	Kidner	Cook	44	Cook	Parkstone
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Mabel died in 1919, aged 54.

10. John Kidner and Sarah Clapp of Creech St Michael

John, son of John Kidner and Mary Southey, was baptised at Creech St Michael on 9th March 1795. He married Mary Handole (or Handoll) on 23rd March 1826 at Creech, but Mary died just 4 months later aged 23 and was buried on 20 July 1826. John married Sarah Clapp on 3rd February 1831 at Creech St Michael.

1841 Creech St Michael (HO 107/930/2/17 p. 26)

John	Kidner	40	Ag Lab	born in Somerset
Sarah	"	40		born in Somerset
Anna	"	7		born in Somerset
George	"	5		born in Somerset

Sarah died on 2nd December 1846, and was buried on 16 December 1846 at Creech St Michael.

1851 Creech St Michael (HO107 piece 1922 folio 378 page 15)

John	Kidner	Wid'r	56	Ag Lab	Creech St Michael
Anna	"	Daur	17	House Keeper	Creech St Michael
George	"	Son	15	Ag Lab	Creech St Michael

John died at the age of 64 in 1859, and was buried at Creech St Michael on 27th February 1859.

10.1 Anna Kidner

Anna was baptised at Creech on 29th December 1833. She married William Marsh in Q3 1859 at Taunton, and they had two sons and a daughter. In 1891, William, Anna and daughter Elizabeth lived at Twerton, Bath, Somerset. William died in 1891. In 1901 Anna and Elizabeth were living at 6 Dorset Street, Twerton.

10.2 George William Kidner of Creech St Michael and Bridgwater

George, son of John Kidner and Sarah Clapp, was baptised on 20th December 1835 at Creech.

1841 Creech St Michael (HO 107/930/2/17 p. 26)

John	Kidner	40	Ag Lab	born in Somerset
Sarah	"	40		born in Somerset
Anna	"	7		born in Somerset
George	"	5		born in Somerset

1851 Creech St Michael

John	Kidner	Wid'r	56	Ag Lab	Creech St Michael
Anna	"	Daur	17	House Keeper	Creech St Michael
George	"	Son	15	Ag Lab	Creech St Michael

1861 Eastover, Bridgwater (household of George Pritchard, Shoemaker)

George	Kidner	Boarder	25	Miller	Creech St Michael
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George William Kidner married Elizabeth Chant on 23rd June 1862 in Eastover, near Bridgwater, Somerset.

1871 Bristol Road, Bridgwater

William G	Kidner	Head	36	Miller & Corn Factor	Creech
Elizabeth	"	Wife	33	Domestic	Bridgwater
Frederick G.	"	Son	6	Scholar	Bridgwater
Emily M	"	Daur	6	Scholar	Bridgwater
William J.	"	Son	1	Scholar	Bridgwater

Elizabeth Kidner née Chant died in Q2 1880 at Bridgwater, aged 42.

1881 1 Monmouth Street, Bridgwater

Joseph	Chant	Head	72	Miller & Corn Merchant emp. 1m	Stoke Sub Ham
Maria	"	Wife	69		Bridgwater
George W.	Kidner	S in Law	45	Miller & Corn Dealer (widower)	Creech St Michael
Frederick G.	"	G son	16	Learning above trade	Bridgwater
William J.	"	G son	11	Scholar	Bridgwater

1881 208 Adelaide Road, Hampstead

Thomas	Chant	Head	57	Member R.C. Surgeons	Bridgwater
Laura	"	Wife	36		Chepstow, Mon.
Emmeline	"	Daur	2		Lowestoft, Suffolk
Ethel	"	Daur	8 mths		Kingsclere, Hants
Emily M.	Kidner	Niece	16	Scholar	Bridgwater

George William Kidner married Kate Rich on 6 April 1882 at Isle Brewers, Somerset.
Emily Maria Kidner died in Q1 1884 in Bridgwater aged 19

1891 Hampton Villa, Taunton Road, Bridgwater

George W.	Kidner	Head	55	Corn merchant	Creech St Michael
Kate	"	Wife	42		Bridgwater
Frederick G.	"	Son	26	Miller's Assistant	Bridgwater
William John	"	Son	21	Miller's Assistant	Bridgwater
Mary E.	"	Daur	5		Bridgwater
Harry H.	"	Son	2		Bridgwater

George William Kidner died at Bridgwater in Q4 1892 aged 57

10.2.1 Frederick George Kidner

Frederick George Kidner married Kate Mary Irish at Bath in Q3 1893.

1901 118 Church Street, Bridgwater

Frederick G.	Kidner	Head	36	Miller & Corn Merchant	Bridgwater
Kate M.	"	Wife	36		Bridgwater

1911 5 Park Road, Bridgwater, Somerset

Frederick George Kidner		Head	46	Miller	Bridgwater
Kate Mary	"	Wife	46		Bridgwater
Alfred Johnson	Newman	Visitor	36	Engineering draughtsman	Cowes, IoW
Alice Maude Mary Thorne		Servt.	22	Servant	Bridgwater

Kate Mary died at Bridgwater in Q1 1922, aged 57. Frederick George enjoyed a long life, dying in Q4 1953 at Bristol.

10.2.2 William John Kidner

William John married Louisa Jemima Edwards at Taunton in Q2 1897.

1901 45 Church Street, Bridgwater

William	Kidner	Head	31	Miller & Corn Merchant	Bridgwater
Louisa	"	Wife	31		North Curry
Mary E.	"	Sister	15		Bridgwater
Harry H.	"	Brother	12		Bridgwater

Louisa died in Q2 1902, aged 32; William John in Q3 1907.

11. John Kidner and Sarah Ann Slape of Creech St Michael

John's parentage is unclear. From the 1841 census it appears that he was born about 1810, and his marriage register entry (he married Sarah Slape at Creech St Michael on 14th July 1835) that he was 'of this parish', ie from Creech St Michael. But there is no obvious candidate in the Broomfield, Creech or West Monkton Parish Registers. Suggestions, please!

1841 Creech St Michael (HO 107/930/2/15 p.22)

John	Kidner	30	Ag Lab	born in Somerset
Sarah	"	25		born in Somerset
William	"	4		born in Somerset
Charles	"	3		born in Somerset
Ann	"	1		born in Somerset

John died in Q3 1847.

1851 Creech St Michael

Sarah	Kidner	Widow	35	Pauper/Ag. Lab.	Creech St. Michael
Charles	"	Son	11	Ag. Lab.	Creech St. Michael
Ann	"	Daur	9	Scholar	Creech St. Michael
Emma	"	Daur	7	Scholar	Creech St. Michael
James	"	Son	6	Scholar	Creech St. Michael
George	"	Son	4		Creech St. Michael

1851 Creech St Michael (household of Jane Foster)

William	Kidner	Serv	15	Servant	Creech St Michael
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Sarah married James Hayman in Q1 1854. In 1851 James had been lodging next door to Sarah.

1861 Heathfield, Creech St Michael (RG9/1615/8 p.9)

James	Hayman	Head	36	Agricultural labourer	Creech
Sarah	"	Wife	46		Creech
Ann	Kiddner ¹³	Daur	23		Creech
George	"	Son	15		Creech
Eliza	"	Daur	6		Creech
Beadon	"	Son	5		Creech
Frederick	"	Son	3		Creech
Maryanna	"	Daur	5 mths		Creech

Sarah's elder children moved to Mark - just inland from Burnham-on-Sea - to find employment:

1861 Northwick Road, Mark

Charles	Kidner	Lodger	22	Ag Lab	Creech St Michael
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Mark Causeway (household of Thomas Mayne)

Ann	Kidner	Serv.	20	Housemaid	Creech St Michael
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Mark (farm of John Urch, yeoman)

James	Kidner	Serv.	18	Farm servant	Creech St Michael
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1871 Heathfield, Creech St Michael (RG10/1615/8 p.9)

James	Hayman	Head	49	Farm labourer	Creech
Sarah	"	Wife	52		Creech
Beadon	"	Son	14	Farm labourer	Creech
Frederick	"	Son	12	Farm labourer	Creech
Mary Anna	"	Daur	10	Scholar	Creech

Sarah Hayman née Slape, the mother of George Kidner of Queensland, died in Q3 1895 at the age of 82.

¹³ The census entry reads 'Kiddner'. Eliza and her younger siblings should of course be 'Hayman'

1871 West Newton (household of Benjamin Turner, Farmer)

Eliza	Kidner	Serv	18	General Servant	Creech St Michael
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11.1 William Kidner of Creech St Michael and Puriton

William, eldest son of John Kidner and Sarah Ann Slape, was baptised on 1st May 1836 at Creech.

1841 Creech St Michael (HO 107/930/2/15 p.22)

John	Kidner	30	Ag Lab	Y
Sarah	"	25		Y
William	"	4		Y
Charles	"	3		Y
Ann	"	1		Y

1851 Creech St Michael (household of Jane Foster)

William	Kidner	Serv	15	Servant	Creech St Michael
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1861 Paywell Farm, Blagdon (Farm of Thomas Dibble, 180 acres, 3 men)

William	Kidner	Serv.	22	Carter	Creech St Michael
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1871 Puriton (household of Joseph People)

William	Kidner	Lodger	28	Labourer in cement works	Taunton
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William married Emma Jane Purnell née Ware on 18th November 1876 at Puriton.

1881 2 Little Lane, Puriton

William	Kidner	Head	36	Labourer	Puriton
Emma	"	Wife	28		Puriton
Clara	Purnell	Daur	10	Scholar	Puriton
Florence (?)	"	Daur	8	Scholar	Puriton
Frances	Kidner	Daur	5	Scholar	Puriton
Thomas	"	Son	3		Puriton
Harry	"	Son	1		Puriton

1891 Puriton

William	Kidner	Head	50	Labourer in cement works	Creech St Michael
Emma J.	"	Wife	38		Puriton
Tom	"	Son	13	Farm labourer	Puriton
Harry	"	Son	11	Scholar	Puriton
William	"	Son	8	Scholar	Puriton
Walter	"	Son	6	Scholar	Puriton
Frank	"	Son	5	Scholar	Puriton

1901 Puriton

William	Kidner	Head	59	Cement works labourer	Creech St Michael
Emma J	"	Wife	48		Puriton
William	"	Son	18	Cement works labourer	Puriton
Walter	"	Son	15	Brick works labourer	Puriton
Frank	"	Son	15	Farm labourer (Gen)	Puriton

1911 Puriton

William	Kidner	Head	75	Old Age Pensioner	Creech St Michael
Emma J	"	Wife	58		Puriton
William	"	Son	29	Cement labourer	Puriton
Walter	"	Son	26	Quarryman	Puriton
Jacob	Ware	Bro in Law	66	Pauper	-

William died in Q2 1912 in Bridgwater RD at the age of 72. Emma died in Q2 1931, aged 78.

11.1.1. Tom Kidner and Florence Coles

Tom Kidner, son of William Kidner and Emma Jane Ware, was born in Q3 1877 and married Florence Coles at Cardiff in Q2 1901. For some reason he is recorded as 'John' in 1901

1891 Puriton

William	Kidner	Head	50	Labourer in cement works	Creech St Michael
Emma J.	"	Wife	38		Puriton
Tom	"	Son	13	Farm labourer	Puriton
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1901 45 Menelaus Street, Roath, Glamorgan

John	Kidner	Head	23	Labourer at iron works	Somerset, Dunball
Florence	"	Wife	25		" "

In 1911 Florence is staying with her sister and brother in law:

1911 15 Wyldsboro Terrace, Bristol Road, Bridgwater, Somerset

William	Crowden	Head	45	Concrete slab maker	Somerset, Bridgwater
Blanche	"	Wife	39		Somerset, Bridgwater
...					
Florence	Kidner	Relative	36		Somerset, Dunball
Florence	"	Relative	4		Blaenavon
Clifford	"	Relative	2		Blaenavon

...while Tom had stayed at home:

1911 17 Morgan Street, Blaenavon

Tom	Kidner	Head	33	Filler at hot blast furnace	Puriton
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Florence died at Blaenavon in Q3 1912. Tom married Margaret James in Q1 1913 at Abergavenny and had two further children.

11.1.2 Harry Kidner and Ellen Gilbert

1901 1 Bath Road, Bridgwater

Henry	Kidner	Head	22	Horse slaughterer	Puriton
Ellen	"	Wife	26		Bridgwater
Amy Florence	"	Daur	1		Cardiff

1911 34 Tyrfelin Street, Penrhiwceiber

Henry	Kidner	Head	37	Coal Miner (above ground)	Som., Bridgwater
Ellen	"	Wife	44		Som., Bridgwater
Amy Florence	"	Daur	14		Glam., Cardiff
Frances Mary	"	Daur	11		Glam., Mysbwl
Ada Dorothy	"	Daur	8		Glam., Mysbwl
William Harry	"	Son	6		Glam., Mysbwl
James Edward	"	Son	3		Glam., Mysbwl
Violet Maud	"	Daur	1		Glam. Llanwonno

11.2 James Kidner of Townsville, Queensland

James Kidner was born on 21st February 1844 in Creech St Michael, the son of John Kidner and Sarah Ann Slape. With his older brother Charles he sailed on the *Utopia* and arrived in Rockhampton, Queensland, on 11th November 1862. James spent many years in north Queensland in the tin mines and moved to Sydney in about 1926 when the extraction of tin at Stannary Hills was no longer viable. James died on 5th May 1908 and is buried in Westend Cemetery, Townsville, QLD.

11.3 George Kidner of Queensland

George, son of John Kidner and Sarah Ann Slape, was born in Creech St Michael in about 1847 (his birth was not registered). He married Mary Ann Stevens on 28th March 1870, at the Axbridge Register Office.

1851 Creech St Michael

Sarah	Kidner	Widow	35	Pauper/Ag. Lab.	Creech St. Michael
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George	"	Son	4		Creech St. Michael

1861 Heathfield, Creech St Michael (RG9/1615/8 p.9)

James	Hayman	Head	36	Agricultural labourer	Creech
Sarah	"	Wife	46		Creech
...					
George	"	Son	15		Creech
...					

1871 Berrow, Somerset

George	Kidner	Head	22	Ag Lab	Creech St Michael
Mary A.	"	Wife	20		South Brent
Sarah A.	"	Daur	9 mths		Berrow

George Kidner¹⁴ sailed from London on 19th August 1876 on the *Scottish Hero*, and arrived at Rockhampton, Queensland, on 28th November 1876. The family then comprised:

George	Kidner	28
Mary Anne	"	24
Sarah Ann	"	5
John	"	3
William	"	1

11.4 Alice Ann Kidner

Alice Ann, daughter of John Kidner, 'farm labourer', and Emma née Slade was born on 14th April 1863 at Friarn Street Bridgwater. As a niece of the Slapes I have included her at this point (and my failure to identify her parents who appear not to have married). Ann Slape from West Hatch was probably Ann Wall, who had married John Slape at Taunton in Q3 1848;

1871 Creech Heathfield

John	Slape	Head	53	Farm labourer	Creech
Ann	Slape	Wife	53	Laundress	West Hatch
Alice Ann	Kidner	Niece	8		Bridgwater

1881 16 Park Street, New Windsor, Berkshire (household of Charles Roberts, Grocer)

Alice	Kidner	Serv	17	Domestic Servant	Creech
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Alice Ann Kidner ('formerly Paull') and George Kidner of Friarn Street, Bridgwater, produced a son, Edward Russell Kidner on 7th November 1885 who lived only 6 weeks, and was buried at St Mary's Bridgwater on 23rd December 1885. Alice married Robert Poole on 12th June 1888 in Cheddon Fitzpaine, Somerset.

1891 Road, Cheddon Fitzpaine, Somerset

Robert	Poole	Head	28	Ag Lab	Cheddon Fitzpaine
Alice Ann	"	Wife	27		Bridgwater

1901 Stanfast Cottages, Church Road, Cheddon Fitzpaine, Somerset

Robert	Poole	Head	38	General labourer	Cheddon
Alice Ann	"	Wife	37		Bridgwater

next door to ...

Emma	Paull	Widow	58		Creech St Michael
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¹⁴ see Pennie Manderson's site at <http://maryborough.50megs.com/SH1876.htm>

12. John Kidner and Mary Bishop

John, son of Robert Kidner and Jane Pinn, was baptised on 11th May 1806 at Hutton, Somerset (but note his 1881 census entry where his place of birth is stated to be Yatton). He married Mary Bishop on 2nd October 1836 at Yatton, Somerset.

12.1 Sarah Ann Kidner and David Rowlands

Sarah Ann, daughter of John Kidner and Mary Bishop, was born in Q4 1837 at Yatton, Somerset.

1841 North End, Yatton

John	Kidner	30	Ag Lab	born in Somerset
Mary	"	25		born in Somerset
Sarah	"	3		born in Somerset
Jane	"	1		born in Somerset
Robert	"	2 months		born in Somerset

In 1851 Sarah was living with James Kidner and his wife Ann née Jones; James was the son of Thomas Kidner and Mary Kington

1851 1 Meadow Lane, Weston super Mare

James	Kidner	Head	25	Carpenter	Weston super Mare
Ann	"	Wife	25	Milliner	P. of St Philip, Gloster
Sarah	"	Serv	13	House servant	Yatton

Sarah married David Rowlands at Cardiff in Q2 1856.

1861 Canal Lane, Whitchurch, Glamorganshire

David	Rowland	Head	27	Labourer	Monmouthshire
Sarah	"	Wife	28		Somersetshire
Thomas	"	Son	2		Glamorganshire

1871 Trealaw, Ystradyfodwg, Glamorgan

David	Rowlands	Head	37	Colliery Labourer	Mon, Newport
Sarah	"	Wife	33		Somerset, Bristol
John	"	Son	12	Labourer, Colliery	
David	"	Son	9		
Mary A	"	Daur	6		
Rachel A	"	Daur	1 month		

1881 44 Rhys Street, Ystradyfodwg, Glamorgan

David	Rowlands	Head	47	Coaker	Newport, Mon
Sarah A.	"	Wife	43		Yatton
John	Kidner	Father	75	Invalid	Yatton

12.2 Robert Kidner of Ystradyfodwg

Robert, the son of John Kidner and Mary Bishop, was born in April 1841 in Yatton. He married Ellen Young in Q3 1870 in Bristol.

1841 North End, Yatton

John	Kidner	30	Ag Lab	born in Somerset
Mary	"	25		born in Somerset
Sarah	"	3		born in Somerset
Jane	"	1		born in Somerset
Robert	"	2 months		born in Somerset

1851 Axbridge Workhouse, Compton Bishop

Hannah	Kidner	7		Congresbury
Thomas	"	5		Congresbury
Robert	"	9		Congresbury

1861 Patchway, Almondsbury, Gloucestershire (RG9/1747/12 p.17)

Robert	Kidder ¹⁵	22	Rail labourer	Somerset
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1871 Trelaw, Ystradyfodwg

Robert	Kidner	Head	30	Colliery labourer	Bristol
Ellen	"	Wife	22		Henbury

1881 72 Miskin Road, Ystradyfodwg

Robert	Kidner	Head	40	Stoker on Colliery Locomotive	Yatton
Ellen	"	Wife	31		Henbury, Glos
John James	"	Son	9	Scholar	Ystradyfodwg
Henry Thomas	"	Son	8		Ystradyfodwg
Frederick Arthur	"	Son	1		Ystradyfodwg

1891 71 Miskin Road, Ystradyfodwg, Glamorgan

Robert	Kidner	Head	50	Railway Guard	Yatton
Ellen	"	Wife	42		Hanbury, Glos
John J.	"	Son	19	Coal Miner	Ystradyfodwg
Henry T.	"	Son	18	Coal Miner	Ystradyfodwg
Frederick A.	"	Son	11	Scholar	Ystradyfodwg
Albert G.	"	Son	8	Scholar	Ystradyfodwg

1901 36 Rhys Street, Ystradyfodwg

Robert	Kidner	Head	60	Colliery Eng. Man (ab. Grnd.)	Yatton, Somerset
Ellen	"	Wife	52		Henbury, Glos
Henry Thomas	"	Son	28	Coal Hower (married)	Trealaw
Lucy Tabitha	"	D in L	24		Ystradyfodwg
Fred Arthur	"	Son	21	Coal Hower	Trealaw
Albert George	"	Son	17	Coal Hower	Trealaw

Ellen died in 1907, and Robert

1911 36 Rhys Street, Trealaw, Rhondda

Albert	Kidner	Head	28	Coal Miner Hower	Trealaw, Glam.
Elizabeth Ann	"	Wife	27		Rhymney, Mon.
Robert	"	Father	70	Old age pensioner, gen. Lab.	Yatton, Somerset
Arthur	"	Son	1		Trealaw, Glam.

12.2.1 John James Kidner

John James, son of Robert Kidner and Ellen Young, was born in Q2 1871 and married Ellen Andrews of East Chinnock, Somerset, on 20th August 1895.

1901 45 Rhys, Street, Ystradyfodwg

James	Kidner	29	Coal Mine Hower	Ystradyfodwg
Ellen	"	31		Somerset E Ch Yeovil
Charles	"	2		Ystradyfodwg

John James died at Pontypridd in Q4 1904.

¹⁵ This identification may be wishful thinking!

13. John Kidner, shoemaker of Bridgwater

John, probably the son of James Kidner and Betty Dembury, was baptised at North Petherton on 25th May 1781. He married Jane Lollar in Wiveliscombe on 7 November 1814. His elder step-brother, Thomas, was transported on the First Fleet to Australia in 1787-88. His younger brother Robert is listed at section 20.

1841 Silver Street, Bridgwater (HO107/971/2/41 page 20)

John	Kidner	60	Shoem[aker]	Born in Somerset
Jane	"	70		Born in Somerset
Anna	"	20		Born in Somerset
Caroline	"	15		Born in Somerset

1851 Brick Lane, Bridgwater

John	Kidner	Head	71	Shoe Maker	North Petherton
Jane	"	Wife	62	Wife	Wiveliscombe
Caroline	"	Daur	26		Wiveliscombe
Hannah	Hurford	Sister	70	Widow, formerly baker's wife	Wiveliscombe

Hannah Hurford was Jane's sister. In 1861 Jane was living with daughter Caroline:

1861 Friarn Street, Bridgwater

John	Hill	Head	35	Shoemaker	Wembdon
Caroline	"	Wife	36		Wiveliscombe
Jane	Kidner	Boarder	72	Pauper	Wiveliscombe
Benjamin	Collard	G'son	9		Elworthy

Jane died in Q2 1863 at Bridgwater, and was buried on 18th May 1863 at St Mary Bridgwater, aged 75.

13.1 Caroline Kidner

Caroline, youngest daughter of John Kidner and Jane Lollar, was baptised on 24th March 1825 at Wiveliscombe. She married John Hill in Bridgwater in Q3 1858.

1861 Friarn Street, Bridgwater

John	Hill	Head	35	Shoemaker	Wembdon
Caroline	"	Wife	36		Wiveliscombe
Jane	Kidner	Boarder	72	Pauper	Wiveliscombe
Benjamin	Collard	G'son	9		Elworthy

1891 93 Friarn Street, Bridgwater

John	Hill	Head	65	Shoemaker	Wembdon
Caroline	"	Wife	65		Wiveliscombe

John died in Q3 1893 and Caroline a year later in Q3 1894.

14. Lyng

Richard Kidner and Mary

Richard Kidner (1740-1793) and his wife Mary née Lyng (c.1735-1800) had a number of children who played an important part in the spread of the Kidner family outside Somerset, and indeed across the world. Their children, and grandchildren, were:

- John of Durston (1761-1851) who married Betsy Payne in 1800. See **Section 15**
 - William of Bickley (1802-1855) who married Ann Smith
 - John of Thurloxtton (1804-1904) who married Eliza Phillips
 - Mary (1806-1857) who married Charles Spurway
 - Anna (1808-1885) who married John Lockyer
 - Samuel of Durston (1813-1889) who married Elizabeth Champion
 - Joseph (1814-1871) who married Mary Leige Clark and emigrated to Australia
- Richard of Monksilver (1763-1820) who married Elizabeth Bruford. See **Section 22**
 - Richard (1802-1891) who married Harriet Dibble
 - Anne (1802-187) who married James Babbage
 - George (1802-) who married Sarah Parsons and emigrated to Australia in 1853. He returned to England, unable to stand the heat
 - Francis (1809-) who married Jane Grace Parsons
- Joseph of Thurloxtton (1766-1844), who never married.
- Francis of Laleham (1772-1836) who married Catherine Waters in 1807. See **Section 3**
- Anne (1774-) who married William Martin in 1799
- George (1775-1837) who married Grace Barrington in 1810 but had no children
- Mary ((1779-) who married William Watts in 1812
- Samuel of Bermondsey (1780-c.1855) who married Alathea Lane in 1807. See **Section 25**. Their children included:
 - John of Brixton (1808-1873)
 - Samuel of South Australia (1809)-1883)
 - Job of Deptford (1810-1866)
 - Alathea
 - George (1813-1904)
 - James Frederick of Ontario (1816-1903)
 - Mary Ann (1817-)
 - Eliza (1828 -)
 - Francis of Queensland (1832-1899)

15. John Kidner of Durston and Betsy Payne

John Kidner, the eldest son of Richard Kidner and Mary Lyng of Thurloxton, was born in West Monkton in 1761. He married Betsy Payne in North Curry on 6 November 1800. After Betsy died in 1843, he lived with his daughter Anna and son in law John Lockyer. He died shortly after the 1851 census was taken. John and Betsy had 7 children:

- William, born 1802; married Ann Smith; died 1855
- John, born 1804; married Eliza Phillips; died 1904
- Mary, born 1806; married Charles Spurway; died 1857
- Anna, born 1808; married John Lockyer; died 1885
- Elizabeth, born 1810
- Samuel, born 1813; married Elizabeth Champion; died 1889
- Joseph; born 1814; married Mary Clarke; died []



*Betsy Payne
in a Calotype of c. 1840*

1841 Thurloxton

John	Kidner	75	Farmer	born in Somerset
Betty	"	65		born in Somerset
Anna	"	30		born in Somerset
Samuel	"	25		born in Somerset
Anne	Lockyer	15	Female Servant	born in Somerset
Richard	Spurway	5		born in Somerset

Betty died on 1 February 1843 at Thurloxton, and is buried there.

1851 Stoke St Gregory (HO 107/1922/312 p.14)

John	Lockyer	Head	38	Farmer 62 acres 2 lab.	Stoke
Anna	"	Wife	40	Wife	Durston
Edward	"	Son	5	Son	Stoke
William	"	Son	3	Son	Stoke
John	Kidner	F in Law	89	Independent	West Monkton

John Kidner died at Stoke St Gregory on 2nd May 1851 and is buried at Thurloxton.

15.1 William Kidner of Milverton and Ann Smith

The eldest son of John Kidner of Durston and Betsy Payne, William was born in Thurloxton in 1802. He married Ann Smith of West Monkton in 1837.

1841 Durston (HO 107/953/4 folio 4 p. 2)

William	Kidner	35	Farmer	Y
Anne	"	25		Y
John	"	3		Y
Elizabeth	"	1		Y
William	"	3 mo		Y

1851 Bickley Farm, Milverton (HO 107/1921/258 p.17)

William	Kidner	Head	48	Farmer 293 acres 12 labourers	Thurloxton
Ann	"	Wife	34	Farmer's wife	W. Monkton
John	"	Son	13	Scholar	Durston
Elizabeth	"	Daur	11	Scholar	Durston
William	"	Son	10	Scholar	Durston
James	"	Son	6	Scholar	Durston
Mary Lyng	"	Daur	4		Durston
Samuel	"	Son	2		Durston

1851 Paul Street, Taunton St Mary (School of Mrs Hannah Parsons Reeves, 12 pupils)
(HO107/1922/640 p.40)

Elizabeth	Kidner ¹⁶	Pupil	10		Thurloxton
Ann	"	Pupil	8		Durston

William died in 1855 at Milverton.

1861 4 Waterloo Road, Lambeth

Thomas	Robinson	Lodger	50		Ripon, Yorks
Charlotte ¹⁷	"	Lodger	51		Monckton, Somerset
Ann	Kidner	Visitor	45	Farmer's widow	Monckton, Somerset

1871 Bickley House, Milverton

Ann	Kidner	Widow	54	Farmer 150 acres 6 m, 3 w, 1 b	West Monkton
Samuel	"	Son	22	Farmer's son (single)	Durston

1881 Bickley Farm, Milverton

Samuel	Kidner	Head	32	Farmer 344 acres 12M 4B	Durston
Ann	"	Mother	64		West Monkton
Mary L.	"	Sister	34	Housekeeper	Durston

Ann Kidner née Smith died in 1886 at Weston-super-Mare and is buried at Milverton.



Ann Kidner, née Smith, in about 1870.

¹⁶ Elizabeth was the daughter of John Kidner of Thurloxton, Ann's cousin

¹⁷ Was Charlotte perhaps Ann's sister?

15.1.1 John Kidner of Nynehead and Dodhill

The eldest son of William Kidner and Ann Smith, John was born in 1838 at Durston. He married Emily Jane Elworthy in Q3 1880 at Alton St Pancras, Dorset.

1861 Bickley House, Milverton (RG9/1609/94 p.9)

John	Kidner	Head	23	Farmer's son	Milverton
Ann	"	Sister	18		Milverton

1871 Haywood Farm, Nynehead

John	Kidner	Head	33	Farmer 350 acres 10m 4w 4b	Durston
Mary Lyng	"	Sister	24		Durston

1881 Nynehead

John	Kidner	Head	43	Farmer 370 acres	Durston
E.J.	"	Wife	30		Wiveliscombe

1891 Heywood, Nynehead

John	Kidner	Head	53	Farmer	Durston
Emily	"	Wife	40		Wiveliscombe
Beatrice	"	Daur	9		Nynehead
Margaret	"	Daur	8		Nynehead
William E.	"	Son	6		Nynehead
Amy E.	"	Daur	4		Nynehead
Frederick E.	"	Son	2		Nynehead
Ruth E.	"	Daur	10 mths		Nynehead
Florence	Croad	Gov.	17	Governess	Broomfield
Hannah	Greedy	Serv.	21	Nursemaid	Brompton Ralph

1901 Heywood Farm, Nynehead

John	Kidner	Head	63	Farmer	Durston
Emily	"	Wife	50		Wiveliscombe
Margaret	"	Daur	18		Nynehead
Amy E.	"	Daur	14		Nynehead
Ruth E.	"	Daur	10		Nynehead
Sybil	"	Daur	9		Nynehead
Ethel E.	Cohen	Empl	25	Governess	St Peter's Port, Guernsey

In 1911, Thomas Kidner, who was farming at Halvergate in Norfolk, visited John's new farm at Dodhill:

1911 Dodhill Farm, Kingston St Mary, Taunton, Somerset

John	Kidner	Head	73	Farmer	Durston
Emily Jane	"	Wife	60		Wiveliscombe
Amy Elizabeth	"	Daur	24		Nynehead
Ruth Emily	"	Daur	20		Nynehead
Sybil	"	Daur	19		Nynehead
Thomas	"	Visitor	69	Farmer	Brixton, Surrey

15.1.1.1 William Elworthy Kidner

William, the son of John Kidner and Emily Jane Elworthy, was born in 1884.

1901 RMA Woolwich

William Elworthy	Kidner	16	Gent Cadet	Wellington, Somerset
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1911 East Ridge Barracks, Ahmednagar, India

Leslie Herbert	Queripel	Captain	29	33 Divl. Signal Co. S & M	Nutla Gali, India
Llewellyn	Griffiths	Lieut.	26	33 Divl. Signal Co. S & M	Poona, India
William E.	Kidner	Lieut.	26	33 Divl. Signal Co. S & M	Wellington, Somerset

15.1.2 William Kidner, FRIBA, of Shanghai

The son of William Kidner of Milverton and Ann Smith, he went to Shanghai in the early 1860s. He updated Gilbert Scott's design for Shanghai Cathedral and oversaw its construction. He was joined by his younger brother James who, after leaving China, died en route to Australia in January 1873.

1861 11 Bessborough Gardens, St John's, Westminster (RG09/51/163 p.11)

William	Kidner	Boarder	20	Builder's clerk	Somersetshire, Durston
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1881 13 Rudolph Road, Kensington

William	Kidner	Head	40	Architect	Durston
Jamesina N.	"	Wife	29		Scotland
Percy	"	Son	2		London
Ellen C.	"	Daur	5 m		London
Ann	"	Sister	38		Durston

1891 13 Randolph Road, Paddington

William	Kidner	Head	49	Architect FRIBA	Durston
Jamesina	"	Wife	41		Scotland
Helen Crosbie	"	Daur	10	Scholar	Paddington

1891 North Close, Tiverton (Mr George Spring, Head)

Percy Crosbie	Kidner	Boarder	12	Pupil	Paddington
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1901 13 Randolph Road, Paddington

Jamesina	Kidner	Widow	51		Scotland
Percy C	"	Son	22		Paddington
Helen C	"	Daur	20		Paddington

1911 19 Sussex Place, Regent's Park, London

Jamesina + 3 servants	Kidner	Widow	60		Scotland, Banff
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15.1.3 Ann Kidner of Durston

Ann Kidner, the daughter of William Kidner and Ann Smith, was born in 1843. She died in 1916.

1861 Bickley House, Milverton (RG9/1609/94 p.9)

John	Kidner	Head	23	Farmer's son	Milverton
Ann	"	Sister	18		Milverton

1871 Did she visit William in China?

1881 13 Rudolph Road, Kensington (household of her brother William, see above)

Ann	Kidner	Sister	38		Durston
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1891 26 Pembridge Gardens, Kensington (household of Francis Radford)

Anne	Kidner	Servt.	48	Lady House Keeper	Durston
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1901 1 Kilkenny Villas, Wellington, Somerset

Anne	Kidner	Head	58		Durston
Rhoda	Cowling	Servt.	21	Gen. servant	Durston, Somerset

1911 Pembridge, Cheddon Road, Taunton

Anne	Kidner	Head	60	Private means	Durston
Mary	Bailey	Visitor	56	Private means	Nynehead, Somerset
Bessie	Hayes	Servt.	24	Domestic	Hillfarrance, Somerset

15.1.4 James Kidner

1861 West Street (Private), Crewkerne
(Office of Henry Perry, 55, Builder and Surveyor emp. 20 men & 5 app.)

James	Kidner	Art. Clk	16	Articled pupil to Builders	Durston
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James went out to Shanghai in 1865 to work with his elder brother, William, an architect, who was building Holy Trinity Church. On his return to England he unexpectedly took the SS *Baroda* from Galle in Ceylon to Australia but became fatally ill, and was buried at sea on 12th January 1873.

15.1.5 Mary Lyng Kidner

Mary Lyng Kidner was born on 8th October 1846 at Durston. She died in 1894 in Marylebone.

1851 Bickley Farm, Milverton (HO 107/1921/258 p.17)

William	Kidner	Head	48	Farmer 293 acres 12 labourers	Thurloxton
Ann	"	Wife	34	Farmer's wife	W. Monkton
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Mary Lyng	"	Daur	4		Durston
Samuel	"	Son	2		Durston

1881 Bickley Farm, Milverton

Samuel	Kidner	Head	32	Farmer 344 acres 12M 4B	Durston
Ann	"	Mother	64		West Monkton
Mary L.	"	Sister	34	Housekeeper	Durston

1891 Bickley Farm, Milverton

Samuel	Kidner	Head	42	Farmer	Durston
Mary L.	"	Sister	44	Farmer's sister	Durston

15.1.6 Samuel Kidner of Bickley Farm

Samuel, youngest son of William Kidner and Ann née Smith, was born on 12th August 1848 at Durston.

1861 College School, Bishop's Hull

Francis ¹⁸	Kidner	Pupil	15		Thurloxton
Samuel	"	Pupil	12		Durston

1871 Bickley House, Milverton

Ann	Kidner	Widow	54	Farmer 150 acres 6 m, 3 w, 1 b	West Monkton
Samuel	"	Son	22	Farmer's son (single)	Durston

1881 Bickley Farm, Milverton

Samuel	Kidner	Head	32	Farmer 344 acres 12M 4B	Durston
Ann	"	Mother	64		West Monkton
Mary L.	"	Sister	34	Housekeeper	Durston

1891 Bickley Farm, Milverton

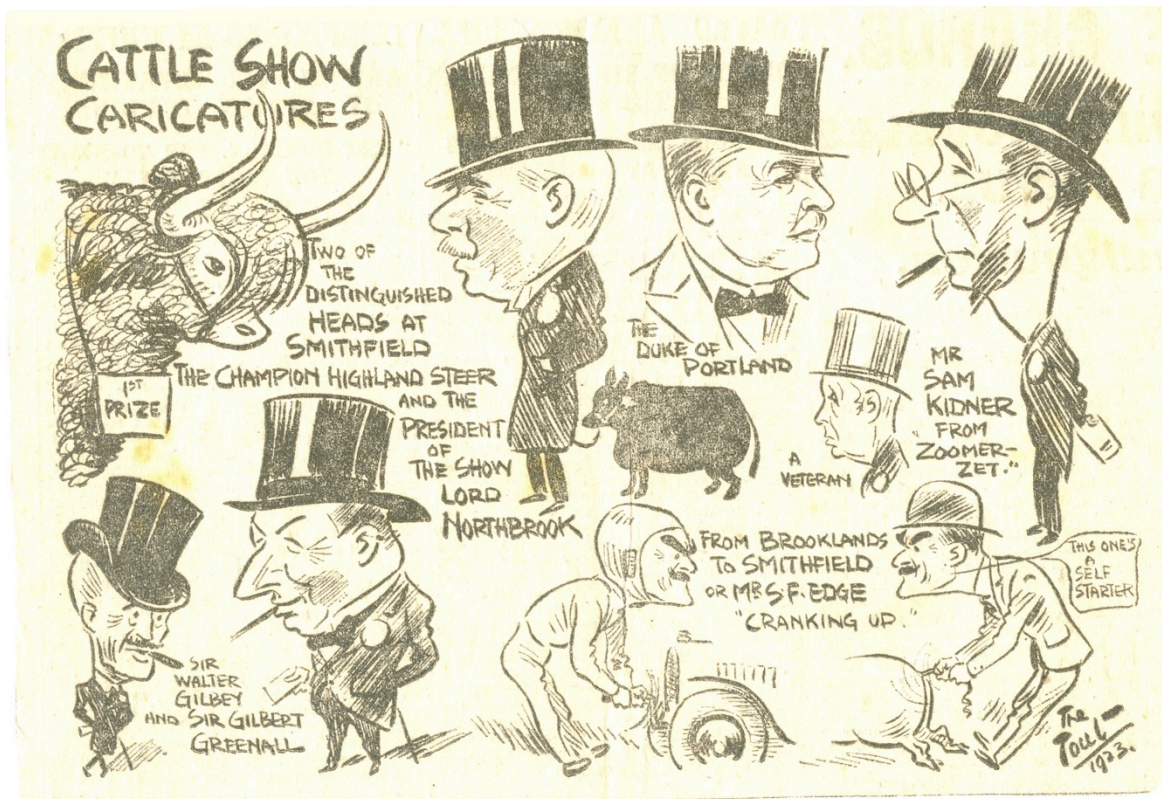
Samuel	Kidner	Head	42	Farmer	Durston
Mary L.	"	Sister	44	Farmer's sister	Durston

1901 Where is he?

1911 Bickley [Farm], Milverton, Somerset

Samuel	Kidner	Head	62	Farmer	Durston
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Samuel played a major role in the life of the county and of the country in agriculture. He died on 19th March 1935. Full accounts will be found elsewhere. The cartoon, *below*, is from 1923.



Samuel died in 1935, and is buried at Milverton.

¹⁸ Francis was Samuel's cousin, the son of John Kidner of Thurloxton

15.2 John Kidner of Thurloxtton and Eliza Phillips

John Kidner, the son of John Kidner and Betsy Payne, was born in 1804 at Durston. He married Eliza Phillips in 1835 at Durston. They had 11 children:

- Joseph, born 1838, died 1838
- George, born 1839, died 1845
- Elizabeth, born 1840, died 1922
- William, born 1842, died 1932
- John, born 1844, died 1917
- Francis, born 1846, died 1911
- Samuel, born 1850, died 1852
- Joseph, born 1851, died 1922
- Mary Phillips, born 1853, died 1941
- Anna, born 1854, died 1949
- Alatheia, born 1856, died 1858



Eliza Phillips

1841 Rectory House, Thurloxtton (HO 107/953/10/folio 8)

John	Kidner	35	Farmer	Y
Eliza	"	25		Y
George	"	1		Y
Elizabeth	"	5 mo		Y
Joseph	"	75		Y

Joseph, above, was John's uncle and third son of Richard Kidner and Mary Lyng; he died in 1844. George died on 25th September 1845, aged 6.

1851 Rectory House, Thurloxtton (HO 107/1924/233 p.1)

John	Kidner	Head	46	Farmer 110 acres emp. 5 men	Durston
Eliza	"	Wife	38		Thurloxtton
John	"	Son	6		Thurloxtton
Francis	"	Son	5		Thurloxtton
Samuel	"	Son	1		Thurloxtton

1851 Paul Street, Taunton St Mary (School of Mrs Hannah Parsons Reeves, 12 pupils)

Elizabeth	Kidner	Pupil	10	Thurloxtton
Ann ¹⁹	"	Pupil	8	Durston

1861 Manor Farm, Thurloxtton (RG9/1622/118 page 11)

John	Kidner ²⁰	Head	56	Farmer 440 ac. emp. 14m 7b 3w	Thurloxtton
Eliza	"	Wife	48		Thurloxtton
Elizabeth	"	Daur	20		Thurloxtton
William	"	Son	18		Thurloxtton
John	"	Son	16		Thurloxtton
Mary P.	"	Daur	8		Thurloxtton
Anna	"	Daur	6		Thurloxtton

1861 Tone Bridge House, West Monkton

Joseph	Kidner	Pupil	9	Pupil	Thurloxtton
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1871 Late Cross, Thurloxtton

John	Kidner	Head	66	Farmer 460 acres 14m 6w 4b	Durston
Eliza	"	Wife	58		Thurloxtton
Elizabeth	"	Daur	30		Thurloxtton
Francis	"	Son	25		Thurloxtton
Joseph	"	Son	19		Thurloxtton
Anna	"	Daur	16		Thurloxtton

Eliza Kidner née Phillips died on 28th April 1871 at Thurloxtton

¹⁹ Ann is the daughter of William Kidner of Milverton, Elizabeth's cousin

²⁰ indexed as 'Ridner' on ancestry.co.uk

1881 Thurloxtan Farm, Thurloxtan

John	Kidner	Wid'r	76	Farmer 404 acres 12M 3W 3B	Durston
Joseph	"	Son	29	Farmer's son	Thurloxtan
Anna	"	Daur	26	Farmer's daur	Thurloxtan

1891 North Street, Milverton

John	Kidner	Wid'r	86	Retired Farmer	Durston
Elizabeth	"	Daur	50	Living on own means	Thurloxtan
Anna	"	Daur	36	Living on own means	Thurloxtan

1901 North Street, Milverton

John	Kidner	Wid'r	96	Retired Farmer	Durston
Elizabeth	"	Daur	60	Own Means (single)	Thurloxtan
Mary Phillips	"	Daur	48	Own Means (single)	Thurloxtan
Anna	"	Daur	46	Own Means (single)	Thurloxtan

John Kidner died at Milverton on 8th July 1904 aged 99.

15.2.1 William Kidner of Fennington

Son of John Kidner of Thurloxtan and Eliza Phillips, William was born in Q4 1842 in Thurloxtan. He was the eldest child to survive into adulthood. He married Jessie Matilda Clatworthy in Q2 1870.

1851 Ruishton, School of Mrs Charlotte Grey (14 pupils)

William	Kidner	Pupil	8	Scholar	Not Known
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1861 Manor Farm, Thurloxtan (RG9/1622/118 page 11)

John	Kidner	Head	56	Farmer 440 ac. emp. 14m 7b 3w	Thurloxtan
Eliza	"	Wife	48		Thurloxtan
...					
William	"	Son	18		Thurloxtan
...					

1871 Fennington House, Cothelstone

William	Kidner	Head	28	Farmer 195 acres 6m 3w 2b	Thurloxtan
Jessie M.	"	Wife	23		Taunton
Mary P.	"	Visitor	20	Farmer's daughter	Thurloxtan

1881 Fennington Farm, Cothelstone

William	Kidner	Head	38	Farmer 193 acres 7M 3W 2B	Thurloxtan
Jessie Matilda	"	Wife	33		Taunton
Marcus John	"	Son	9	Scholar	Cothelstone
Winifred Jessie	"	Daur	5	Scholar	Cothelstone
Gilbert Henry	"	Son	4	Scholar	Cothelstone
Alfred William	"	Son	1		Cothelstone

1891 Fennington House, Kingston Road, Cothelstone

William	Kidner	Head	48	Farmer	Thurloxtan
Marcus John	"	Son	19		Cothelstone
Fanny G.	"	Daur	6		Cothelstone
Roger W.	"	Son	4		Cothelstone
Winifred M.	"	Daur	2		Cothelstone
Thomas C.	"	Son	11 mo		Cothelstone

1891 District Independent School, Taunton

Gilbert Henry	Kidner	Pupil	14		Kingston, Taunton
Alfred William	"	Pupil	11		Kingston, Taunton

1901 Fennington Farm, Cothelstone

William	Kidner	Head	57	Farmer	Thurloxtton
Jessie M	"	Wife	53		Taunton
Alfred W	"	Son	21	Farmer's son	Cothelstone
Kathleen	"	Daur	18		Cothelstone
Fanny G	"	Daur	16		Cothelstone
Roger W	"	Son	14		Cothelstone
Winifred M	"	Daur	12		Cothelstone
Thomas C	"	Son	10		Cothelstone

1901 Cutsey House, Trull

Marcus John	Kidner	Head	29	Farm Bailiff	Kingston
Amy Mary	"	Wife	22		Brompton Ralph

Jessie Matilda died on 16 July 1906 at Cothelstone. In 1911 William was visiting his son in law Norman William at Kettering:

1911 Merivale House, Bowling Green Road, Kettering, Northants

Norman	Kidner	Head	39	Gen Mgr Blast Furnace Ironstone & Limestone Working	Sheffield, Yorks
Kathleen	"	Wife	28		Cothelstone, Somerset
John	"	Son	1		Kettering
William	"	Visitor	68	Retired Farmer	Thurloxtton

William died on 14th January 1932, at Hale in Cheshire. His son, Thomas Clatworthy Kidner, a Captain in RAMC, was killed in action in France on 24th October 1916.

15.2.2 John Kidner of Thrapston

John Kidner was born in Q2 1844 in Thurloxtton, the son of John Kidner of Thurloxtton and Eliza Phillips. He married Fanny Richards in Q4 1869.

1871 21 Byron Road, Ecclesall, Sheffield

John	Kidner ²¹	Head	26	Public Accountant	Thurloxtton
Fanny	"	Wife	24		Sheffield
Ethel	"	Daur	6 mths		Sheffield

On 29th April 1881 the Times reported that the partnership of Allot, Hadfield, Kidner and Hawson, Chartered Accountants of Sheffield and London, was dissolved.

1881 49 Osborne Road, Ecclesall Bierlow, Yorkshire

John	Kidner	Head	36	Chartered Accountant emp 6	Thurloxtton
Fanny	"	Wife	34		Sheffield
Ethel	"	Daur	10	Scholar	Sheffield
Ida	"	Daur	8	Scholar	Sheffield
Mabel	"	Daur	5	Scholar	Sheffield
Harold	"	Son	3		Sheffield
Colin	"	Son	10 mo		Sheffield
Mary P.	"	Sister	28		Thurloxtton
Elizabeth	"	Sister	40	Visitor	Thurloxtton

1891 Islip House, Chapel Hill Road, Islip, Northamptonshire

John	Kidner	Head	46	Ironmaster	Thurloxtton
Fanny	"	Wife	41		Sheffield
Ethel	"	Daur	20		Eccleshall
Ida	"	Daur	18		Eccleshall
Mabel	"	Daur	15	Scholar	Eccleshall
Harold	"	Son	13	Scholar	Eccleshall
Colin	"	Son	10	Scholar	Eccleshall
Mary Ann	Davis	Visitor	78	Widow	Bermondsey
Kate Gertrude	Ridell	Visitor	22		London

²¹ indexed as 'Ridner' on ancestry.co.uk

1891 Mount Road, Brymbo, Denbighshire

Norman W	Kidner	Boarder	19	Steelworks Chemist	Sheffield
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1901 Islip House, Islip

John	Kidner	Head	56	Iron Master & Magistrate	Thurloxtton
Fanny	"	Wife	54		Sheffield
Ethel	"	Daur	30		Sheffield
Norman	"	Son	29	Manager of Iron Works	Sheffield
Mabel	Riddell	Daur	25	(married)	Sheffield
Colin	Kidner	Son	20	Electrical Engineering pupil	Sheffield

15.2.3 Francis Kidner of Thurloxtton (1846-1911)

Francis Kidner was the son of John Kidner of Thurloxtton and Eliza Phillips. He was born at Thurloxtton in 1846.

1851 Rectory House, Thurloxtton (HO 107/1924/233 p.1)

John	Kidner	Head	46	Farmer 110 acres emp. 5 men	Durston
Eliza	"	Wife	38		Thurloxtton
...					
Francis	"	Son	5		Thurloxtton
...					

1861 College School, Bishop's Hull

Francis	Kidner	Pupil	15		Thurloxtton
Samuel ²²	"	Pupil	12		Durston

1871 Late Cross, Thurloxtton

John	Kidner	Head	66	Farmer 460 acres 14m 6w 4b	Durston
Eliza	"	Wife	58		Thurloxtton
Elizabeth	"	Daur	30		Thurloxtton
Francis	"	Son	25		Thurloxtton
Joseph	"	Son	19		Thurloxtton
Anna	"	Daur	16		Thurloxtton

Francis married his cousin, Catherine Mason Kidner, in Q2 1880.

1881 Floods, Thurloxtton

Francis	Kidner	Head	35	Farmer 175 acres 5M 2B 1W	Thurloxtton
Catherine M.	"	Wife	29		Upper Halliford

1891 Haygrove House, Pitminster (hamlet of Eastbrook)

Francis	Kidner	Head	45	Farmer	Thurloxtton
Catherine M.	"	Wife	39		Sunbury
Alfred E.	"	Son	9		Thurloxtton
Frank	"	Son	8		Thurloxtton
Arnold M.	"	Son	4		Thurloxtton
Kate	"	Daur	3		Thurloxtton
Gladys	"	Daur	1 mo		Pitminster
Mary	"	Sister	38	Own Means	Thurloxtton

Catherine died in Q1 1898, her death being recorded in the Kingston registration district. She was presumably staying with her mother, Susannah

1901 Swang Farm, Charlinch

Francis	Kidner	Widr	55	Farmer	Thurloxtton
Alfred E.	"	Son	19	Mechanical Engineer	Thurloxtton
Arnold M.	"	Son	14		Thurloxtton
Kate	"	Daur	13		Thurloxtton
Gladys	"	Daur	10		Trull
Alick	"	Son	7		Charlinch

²² Samuel was Francis' cousin, the son of William Kidner of Milverton.

1901 4 Priory Road, Hampstead (household of Abigail Orchard, widow)

Frank	Kidner	Boarder	18	Office Clerk	Thurloxtton
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Francis died in Q1 1911, at Charlynch (Bridgwater RD 5c 247) aged 65.

15.2.4 Joseph Kidner of Blagroves Farm, Milverton

Joseph, the youngest son of John Kidner and Eliza Phillips, was born in Q4 1851. He married Esther Jane Milligan of Dean in Bedfordshire in Q3 1888 at Thrapston.

1861 Tone Bridge House, West Monkton

Joseph	Kidner	Pupil	9	Pupil	Thurloxtton
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1871 Late Cross, Thurloxtton

John	Kidner	Head	66	Farmer 460 acres 14m 6w 4b	Durston
Eliza	"	Wife	58		Thurloxtton
...					
Joseph	"	Son	19		Thurloxtton
...					

1881 Thurloxtton Farm, Thurloxtton

John	Kidner	Wid'r	76	Farmer 404 acres 12M 3W 3B	Durston
Joseph	"	Son	29	Farmer's son	Thurloxtton
Anna	"	Daur	26	Farmer's daur	Thurloxtton

1891 Blagroves Farm, Milverton

Joseph	Kidner	Head	39	Farmer	Thurloxtton
Esther	"	Wife	25		Bedford, Dean

1901 Blagroves House, Milverton

Joseph	Kidner	Head	49	Farmer	Thurloxtton
Esther J.	"	Wife	35		Dean, Bedfordshire

1911 Blagroves, Oake, Taunton

Joseph	Kidner	Head	59	Farmer	Thurloxtton
Esther Jessie	"	Wife	45		Dean, Bedfordshire

Joseph Kidner died in Milverton in 1922, Esther Jessie in Q4 1949 in Wandsworth RD.

15.3 Samuel Kidner of Durston

The son of John Kidner and Betsy Payne, Samuel was born in 1813 in Thurloxtton. He married Elizabeth Champion in Q3 1843 at East Brent, Somerset.

1841 Thurloxtton

John	Kidner	75	Farmer	Y
Betty	"	65		Y
Anna	"	30		Y
Samuel	"	25		Y
Anne	Lockyer			Y
Richard	Spurway	5		Y

1851 Durston (HO 107/1922/364 p.9)

Samuel	Kidner	Head	38	Thurloxtton
Elizabeth	"	Wife	38	East Brent
Anna	"	Daur	4	Thurloxtton
Mary Ann	"	Daur	2	Thurloxtton
John	"	Son	1	Durston

1861 Durston Lodge, Durston (RG9/1615/37 p.4)

Samuel	Kidner ²³	Head	48	Farmer 225 acres emp 7m 3b 2w	Thurloxtton
Elizabeth	"	Wife	49		Brent
Anna	"	Daur	14		Thurloxtton
Mary A	"	Daur	12		Thurloxtton
John	"	Son	11		Durston
George	"	Son	8		Durston
Benjamin	"	Son	6		Durston
Charles	"	Son	1		Durston

Anna and Mary Ann appear again in the 1861 census:

1861 School, Paul Street, St Mary Magdalene, Taunton

Anna	Kidner	Boarder	14	Scholar	Thurloxtton
Mary Ann	"	Boarder	12	Scholar	Thurloxtton

1871 Durston (RG10/2369/21 p.3)

Samuel	Kidner ²⁴	Head	58	Farmer 220 acres emp 6m 2b 2w	Thurloxtton
Elizabeth	"	Wife	58		East Brent
Anna	"	Daur	24		Thurloxtton
Mary Ann	"	Daur	22		Thurloxtton
John	"	Son	21		Durston
Annie	"	Niece	29		Durston

1871 Kingston House, Cosgrove, Northamptonshire

George	Kidner	Pupil	18	Mechanical Engineer	Durston
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1871 Fairwater House Independent College, Staplegrove, Somerset [which later became Taunton School]

Charles	Kidner	Pupil	11		Durston
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[I cannot find Charles in later records until his death in West Derby, Manchester, in Q4 1900]

1881 The Lodge, Durston

Samuel	Kidner	Head	67	Farmer 300 acres 6M 3W 2B	Thurloxtton
Elizabeth	"	Wife	68		Brent, Somerset
John C.	"	Son	31		Durston
Mary Ann	"	Daur	32		Thurloxtton
William S.	Tomkins	Boarder	57	Vicar of Durston	Abingdon

²³ indexed as 'Ridner' on ancestry.co.uk

²⁴ indexed as 'Samuel Riani' born in 'Denston' on ancestry.co.uk

Samuel died in Q3 1889 at Durston at the age of 76.

1891 Lower Durston

Elizabeth	Kidner	Widow	78	Living on own means	East Brent
Mary Ann	"	Daur	42	Living on own means	Thurloxton

Elizabeth died in Q4 1895 at the age of 83. John Champion Kidner, who took over Durston, moved first to Frilford in Berkshire, and thence to Essex.

1901 Woodcroft, Brislington

William	Bond ²⁵	Head	56	Farmer	Bishops Lydeard
Anne C.	"	Wife	54		Thurloxton
Jillian	"	Daur	22	Single	Durston
Hilda	"	Daur	21		Durston
Samuel G.	Kidner	B in L	48	Marine Engineer	Durston
Annie	"	S in L	38		Montreal, Canada

1901 5 Spencer Road, Bromley (household of Edward Jones, Tea Merchant)

Mary A.	Kidner	Serv	52	Housekeeper	Thurloxton
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Mary Ann died in Bromley in Q4 1915 at the age of 67.

²⁵ indexed as Band on ancestry.co.uk

15.3.1 John Champion Kidner

John Champion, son of Samuel Kidner and Elizabeth née Champion, was born in Q1 1850 at Durston. He married Sarah Ann Magarey from Hindmarsh, South Australia, in Q3 1883 at Southampton, perhaps when she was straight off the boat!

1881 The Lodge, Durston

Samuel	Kidner	Head	67	Farmer 300 acres 6M 3W 2B	Thurloxton
Elizabeth	"	Wife	68		Brent, Somerset
John C.	"	Son	31		Durston
...					

1891 The Lodge, Durston

John C	Kidner ²⁶	Head	41	Farmer	Durston
Sarah A.	"	Wife	42		Hindmarsh, S. Australia

1901 Frilford Village, Berkshire

John	Kidner	Head	51	Farmer	Durston
Sarah	"	Wife	52		Adelaide, South Australia

15.3.2 Anne Champion Kidner

Anne married William Bond in Q2 1871

15.4 Joseph Kidner

Joseph, youngest son of John Kidner and Betsy Payne, was born c. 1814 in Thurloxton. He married Mary Leige Clarke in Keynsham near Bristol in Q2 1841. They emigrated to Australia in 1850, arriving at Port Adelaide on board the *Stebonheath* on 15th September 1850. He and other passengers were relieved to have reached their destination safely, and expressed their gratitude to the ship's captain in a letter:

To Captain Zargent,

Ship ***Stebonheath***, Port Adelaide,

16th September, 1850.

Sir - Having completed our voyage from London to Adelaide, and being desirous, before separation, of acknowledging your uniform kindness, attention, and urbanity during the passage, we beg thus jointly to tender you our best thanks, which feeling we would, through you, convey also to your officers.

Expressing our unlimited confidence in your skill as a commander, and our admiration of the rectitude, combined with gentleness, by which you governed as a disciplinarian; and with our sincerest wishes for your future welfare and happiness,

We are, Sir
Your obliged servants,

[the passengers including] Joseph Kidner

²⁶ listed as 'Rudner' on ancestry.co.uk

16. John Russell Kidner, Master Mariner

John Russell, the son of Edward Kidner, master mariner, and [?Russell], was born at Southampton c. 1831, and married Emma Bradley on 8th March 1855 at St Nicholas, Newcastle upon Tyne. It may have been his father who died at South Shields in Q2 1859, as no birth of a child of that name is registered (death certificate needed). John was presumably at sea when the 1851 and 1861 censuses were taken.

1861 44 East Holborn, South Shields, Durham (household of Matthew Bradley, Tailor)
RG9/3794/73 p.39

Emma	Kidner	Daur	29	Seaman's wife	South Shields
Ann	"	G'daur	2		South Shields
Jane	"	G'daur	10 mths		South Shields

1871 Vessel 'Ben Lomand', Lancashire

John Russell	Kidner	39	Master Mariner	Southampton, Hants
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1871 2 Pier Terrace, Westoe, Durham

Emma R	Kidner	Head	36	Mariner's wife	South Shields
Jane R	"	Daur	11	Scholar	South Shields
Emma R	"	Daur	7	Scholar	South Shields
John R	"	Son	3		South Shields
Harry R	"	Son	4 months		South Shields
Jane	Bell	Niece	20	Dress maker	South Shields

Their daughter Emma died in Q2 1879 at the age of 15.

STRANGE FATALITY ON BOARD SHIP

The steamship, Ben Venn, Captain Kidner, of North Shields, has arrived at Shields from Bombay, and reports that while off Mangolin, Elias Eliason, boatswain, when engaged spreading awning, overbalanced himself and fell into the sea. The engines were reversed, life buoys thrown, and other efforts made to save Eliason, but he sank, and was drowned. While the steamer was proceeding, Giovanic Regnium, seaman, and Henry Davis, fireman, took suddenly ill, and died within a few hours, their bodies being buried at sea.

Aberdeen Weekly Journal
Friday August 2nd 1878

THE SCREW-STEAMER BEN MORE

We are glad to state that the screw-steamer, Ben More, Captain Kidner, of North Shields, arrived at Liverpool on Saturday. As the vessel was 35 days out of New Orleans, a good deal of anxiety had been manifested regarding her during the last few days. The cause of her delay was that she ran short of coals, and had to put into the Western Islands.

Newcastle Courant
Friday November 29th 1879

1881 6 Salmon Terrace, Westoe, Durham

John R.	Kidner	Head	48	Master Mariner	South Shields
Emma	"	Wife	46		South Shields
Jennie	"	Daur	20		South Shields
John R.	"	Son	12	Scholar	South Shields
Harry R.	"	Son	9	Scholar	South Shields
Rebecca	"	Daur	8	Scholar	South Shields

Harry Russell died in Q2 1884 at the age of 13

1891 6 Salmon Terrace, Westoe, Durham

John R.	Kidner	Head	59	Master Mariner	Southampton
Emma	"	Wife	55		South Shields
Rebecca R.	"	Daur	18		South Shields

Emma died in Q4 1892 in South Shields aged 58.

Rebecca married John Tom Bell in Q3 1893 in South Shields.

1901 46 St Aidan's Road, South Shields, Durham

John R	Kidner	Wid'r	69	Retired Master Mariner	Southampton
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John Russell Kidner the elder died Q1 1908 in South Shields

16.1 John Russell Kidner

John was born in Q3 1868 at South Shields; he married Margaret Ann Wards Muir on 18th August 1894²⁷ and died in Q1 1941 in Holywell, Flintshire. John, like his father, was a Master Mariner.

1901 46 Pollard Street, South Shields

Margaret	Kidner	Wife	33		South Shields
Harry	"	Son	5		South Shields
Margaret I.	"	Daur	2		South Shields

1911 81 Whitefield, Newcastle-upon-Tyne

Margaret Ann Wards Kidner	Wife	43		South Shields
Harry	Son	15	Apprentice Electric Engineer	South Shields
Margaret Isabella	Daughter	12	School	South Shields
Winnie Russell	Daughter	7	School	South Shields

²⁷ Many thanks to John Sheppard Fidler for information on the John Russell Kidners

17. William Kidner of Enmore

William Kidner married Susannah Pavey at Broomfield on 8th October 1794.

17.1 Mary Kidner

Mary, the daughter of William Kidner and Susanna Pavey, was baptised on 10th October 1797 at Enmore. The 1851 identification seems solid, less secure that of 1841.

1841 Churchill Street, Churchill

Mary	Kidner	40	F.S.	Born in Somerset
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1851 Forte House, Milverton (household of Mary A. Dymock, landowner)

Mary	Kidner	Serv.	53	Housemaid (unmarried)	Enmore
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17.2 John Kidner of Stoke St Gregory

John, the son of William Kidner and Susannah Pavey, was baptised on 25th June 1803 at Enmore. He married Leah Gent on 29th July 1828 at Stoke St Gregory. John and Leah, before they married, witnessed the marriage of Thomas Gent and Grace Lockyer on 3rd April 1828.

1841 Parks, Stoke St Gregory

John	Kidner	38	Farmer	born in Somerset
Leah	"	34		"
William	"	12		"
Mary	"	1		"

1851 Woodhill, Stoke St Gregory

John	Kidner	Head	48	Ag Lab & Shopkeeper	Enmore
Leah	"	Wife	45	Shopkeeper's wife	Stoke St Gregory

1861 Woodhill, Stoke St Gregory

John	Kidner	Head	58	Shopkeeper	Enmore
Sarah	"	Wife	55	Shopkeeper's wife	Stoke Gregory
Mary	"	Daur	21	Schoolmistress	Stoke Gregory

1871 15 Woodhill, Stoke St Gregory

Leah	Kidner	Widow	65	Shopkeeper	Stoke St Gregory
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Leah died in Q1 1881 at the age of 76.

18. John Kidner of Walcot, Bath

John, son of John Kidner²⁸, farmer, and [] was born c. 1788 in North Petherton, and married Winifred Whitcombe at Walcot on 10th August 1807. A son, James, was born in 1817 and baptised at the Countess of Huntingdon's Chapel in the Vineyards at Walcot. John and Winifred being the parents of William is a guess at this stage, but the fact that Winifred was living in Ballance Street in 1841, and William and Dinah lived there from 1851 suggests a close link. Where was John in 1841?

1841 Ballance Street, Walcot, Bath

Winifred	Kidner	60	born in Somerset
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Winifred died in Q1 1842 at Bath. John married Elizabeth Walker on 24 December 1842 in Bath.

1851 Rose Cottage, Prospect Place, Walcot, Bath

John	Kidner	Head	61	Retired Builder	North Petherton
Elizabeth	"	Wife	61		Gloucs, N. Badmington
Anne	Williams	Visitor	70	Visitor	Monmouth, Newport

1861 Rose Cottage, Prospect Place, Walcot, Bath

John	Kidner	Head	73	Retired Builder	North Petherton
Elizabeth	"	Wife	73		Badminton, Gloucs

1871 Rose Cottage, Prospect Place, Bath

John	Kidner	Head	83	Retired Builder	North Petherton
Elizabeth	"	Wife	85		Badminton, Gloucs

1881 Rose Cottage, Prospect Place, Walcot, Bath

John	Kidner	Wid'r	93	Dividends	North Petherton
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John Kidner died Q1 1886 at the age of 98.

18.1 William Kidner and Dinah Hobbs of Walcot, Bath

William, (probably) the son of John Kidner and Winifred Whitcombe, was born c. 1808 in Bath, and married Dinah Hobbs on 23rd June 1832. His first wife, Sophia [], by whom he had his first child, Sophia, had died in December 1831.

1841 Gay's Buildings, Walcot, Bath (HO 107/970/5/42 page 5) Born in Somerset?

William	Kidner	30	Carpenter	Y
Dinah	"	35		Y
Sophia	"	11		Y
Louisa	"	8		Y
Harriett	"	5		Y
Charles	"	3		Y

1851 5 Ballance Street, Landsdown Ward, Bath

William	Kidner	Head	42	Carpenter &c. emp 4m 2 apps	Bath
Dinah	"	Wife	47		Bath
Sophia	"	Daur	21		Bath
Louisa	"	Daur	17		Bath
Charles	"	Son	13	App	Bath

Louisa died in Q4 1853

²⁸ His father John is named on the John Kidner/Elizabeth Walker marriage certificate of 1842.

1861 5, Ballance Street, Walcot, Bath

William	Kidner	Head	52	Carpenter emp 1m	Walcot
Dinah	"	Wife	56		Bath

...while their daughter Harriett was living at No 6, 'Workshop' with the husband she had married in Q2 1857 at Yeovil:

William	Marrant	S in L	26	Carpenter	Portsmouth, Gosport
Harriett	"	Daur	25		Walcot
William G	"	G'son	2		Walcot

Dinah died in Q2 1866, Bath, vol. 5c page 504.

William Kidner died in, probably²⁹, Q1 1864, Bath, vol. 5c page 599

18.1.1 Charles Kidner

The son of William Kidner and Dinah Hobbs, Charles was born c. 1837. He married Elizabeth Scull in Q1 1861 in Bath.

1861 3 Thomas Street, Walcot, Bath

Charles	Kidner	Head	23	Carpenter and Joiner	Walcot
Elizabeth	"	Wife	26		Walcot

1871 21 Somerset Buildings, Walcot, Bath

Charles	Kidner	Head	33	Licensed Victualler	Bath
Elizabeth	"	Wife	35		Bath
Harry	"	Son	9		Bath
Annie	"	Daur	5		Bath
Ada	"	Daur	2		Bath
Clarie	"	Daur	2 mths		Bath

1881 Belmont Villa, Somerville Road, Bristol, Gloucestershire

Charles	Kidner	Head	43	Traveller Timber	Bath
Elizabeth	"	Wife	46		Bath
Henry	"	Son	19	Chemistry Dentist	Bath
Annie	"	Daur	15	Pupil Teacher	Bath
Ada	"	Daur	12	Scholar	Bath
Clare	"	Daur	10	Scholar	Bath

Charles appears to have abandoned Elizabeth and married Mary ...

1891 22 St Clements Street, Islington

Charles	Kidner	Head	53	Licensed Victualler	Bath
Mary	"	Wife	42		Taunton

... while Elizabeth raised the family. Or was Charles in hospital, for he died in Q2 1892 at Poplar at the age of 54.

1891 42 River Street, Walcot, Bath

Elizabeth	Kidner	Head	49	Own Means	Bath
Annie F.	"	Daur	23	School Mistress	Bath
Ada F.	"	Daur	21	Confectioner's Assistant	Bath
Clarie E.	"	Daur	18	School Mistress	Bath

1901 32 Lion Terrace, Portsmouth

William J	Watkins	Head	36	Medical Practitioner	Bryn Mawr, Brecon
Annie F.	"	Wife	35		Bath
Elizabeth	Kidner	Visitor	64	Widow, Mother in Law	Bath

²⁹ 'probably' means certificate needed to confirm identification

18.1.1.1 Henry Richard Charles Kidner, dentist, of Oswestry

Henry, the son of Charles and Elizabeth Kidner, was born in Q4 1861 at Bath. He married Ada Lucy Hewlett in Q3 1881 in Barton Regis RD.

1881 Belmont Villa, Somerville Road, Bristol, Gloucestershire

Charles	Kidner	Head	43	Traveller Timber	Bath
Elizabeth	"	Wife	46		Bath
Henry	"	Son	19	Chemistry Dentist	Bath
Annie	"	Daur	15	Pupil Teacher	Bath
Ada	"	Daur	12	Scholar	Bath
Clare	"	Daur	10	Scholar	Bath

1891 Fernbank House, Wells Road, Bedminster

Henry Rich Chas	Kidner	Head	29	Dentist	Bath
Ada Lucy	"	Wife	36		Bristol
Harry Hewlett	"	Son	6		Bristol
Percival Chas Hewlett	"	Son	4		Bristol
Arthur Hewlett	"	Son	3		Bristol

1901 97 City Road, Bristol

Ada L.	Kidner	Head	46	Dressmaker	Bristol
Harry H.	"	Son	16	Grocer's assistant	Bristol
Percival C.	"	Son	14	Grocer's assistant ap.	Bristol
Arthur H.	"	Son	13		Bristol

Ada Lucy died Q1 1903 in Bristol.

Henry married Georgiana Delia Lentow Crichton in Q1 1903 in Fulham.

Henry died Q4 1923 in Oswestry.

19. Joseph Kidner, mason, of Aston, Birmingham

Joseph, son of John and Jane Kidner (née Burge, married 5 November 1787 at Taunton St. James) was baptised at West Monkton on 2nd January 1803. He married Mary Burdges at Creech St Michael on 30th April 1829.

1841 Creech St Michael (HO 107/930/2/17 pp. 26-27)

Joseph	Kidner	40	Mason	Y
Mary	"	30		Y
James	"	11		Y
Emma	"	9		Y
Elizabeth	"	6		Y
Louisa	"	4		Y
Sophia	"	3		Y
Emily	"	9 mo		Y

1851 12 Fazeley Street, Birmingham (HO 107/2054/308 p.18)

Joseph	Kidner	Head	50	Bricklayer	Creech St Michael
Mary	"	Wife	46		"
James	"	Son	20	Mason	"
Elizabeth	"	Daur	16		"
Louisa	"	Daur	14		"
Sophie	"	Daur	12		"
Emily	"	Daur	10	Scholar	"

Elizabeth married Joseph Wesley Evans, a brass founder, at Aston in Q1 1856.

1851 7 Union Street, Birmingham
(house of Henry Moorley, hairdresser and perfumier) (HO 107/2055/36 p.21)

Emma	Kidner	Serv.	18	House servant	Creech St Michael
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Emma married Uriah Fackrell, a blacksmith from Taunton, in Q1 1853 in King's Norton RD.
Sophia died in Q2 1857 at Aston.

1861 59 Curzon Street, Aston, Birmingham

Joseph	Kidner	Head	60	Bricklayer	Monkton
Mary	"	Wife	57		Creech St Michael
Louisa	"	Daur	24	Hair worker	Creech St Michael
Emily	"	Daur	20	Waistcoat maker	Creech St Michael

Emily married Henry Hutchings, another refugee from Creech, and a carpenter, at King's Norton in Q2 1866.

1871 59 Curzon Street, Aston (RG10/3142/9 p.11)

Joseph	Kidner	Head	70	Mason	West Monkton
Mary	"	Wife	66		Creech St Michael
Louisa	"	Daur	34	Hair worker	Creech St Michael

1881 3, back of 60 Curzon Street, Aston³⁰

Joseph	Kidner	Head	80	Bricklayer	Somersetshire
Mary	"	Wife	75		Somersetshire
Louisa	"	Daur	42	Hair worker	Somersetshire

Joseph died in Q3 1881 at Aston aged 80.

1891 59 Curzon Street, Aston

Mary	"	Widow	86		Creech, Somerset
Louisa	"	Daur	49	Hair worker	Creech, Somerset

Mary died in Q4 1895, aged 90. Louisa died in Q4 1897, aged 60.

³⁰ Census return appears to say 'BK 69', but I suspect that this is an transcription error; previous households are back of 58 and 59.

19.1 James Kidner, mason, of Aston, Birmingham

James, son of Joseph Kidner and Mary Burdges of Creech St Michael, was baptised on 13th June 1830 at Creech St Michael. He married Harriet Compton in Q3 1856 at Aston.

1861 Court 1, Princess Street Aston, Birmingham

James	Kidner	Head	30	Stone Mason	Creech St Michael
Harriet	"	Wife	30		Angmering, Sussex
Emma	"	Daur	3		Birmingham
Joseph	"	Son	1		Birmingham

1871 3 Page's Buildings, Aston

James	Kidner	Head	40	Stone Mason	Creech St Michael
Harriet	"	Wife	40		Angmering, Sussex
Emma	"	Daur	13	Scholar	Birmingham
Joseph	"	Son	11	Scholar	Birmingham
Sophia	"	Daur	8		Birmingham
Dennis	"	Son	6		Birmingham
Walter	"	Son	3		Birmingham
Alexander	"	Son	2 mths		Birmingham

1881 4 Court 1 House Rupert Street, Aston

James	Kidner	Head	50	Stonemason	Creech
Harriet	"	Wife	50		Angmering, Sussex
Joseph	"	Son	21	Stonemason	Birmingham
Sophia	"	Daur	18	Waistcoat Maker	Birmingham
Dennis	"	Son	16	Brass Worker	Birmingham
Walter	"	Son	13	Errand Boy	Birmingham
Alexander	"	Son	10	Scholar	Birmingham
Henry	"	Son	7	Scholar	Birmingham

James Kidner died Q4 1890 in Birmingham

1891 39 Clarendon Street, Aston

Harriet	Kidner	Wid	60	Living on own means	Sussex
Sophia	"	Daur	28	Tailoress	Birmingham
Walter	"	Son	23	Brass Finisher	Birmingham
Alexander	"	Son	20	Wood Turner	Birmingham
Henry	"	Son	17	Brass Finisher	Birmingham

Sophia married Thomas Edwards in Q2 1898 (see 19.1.2 below).

1901 88 Trafalgar Road, Moseley

Harriet	Hinder (sic)	Wid	75	Nurse	Angmering
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Harriet married George Wheatley in Q3 1903 in Birmingham RD.

1911 1 Henley Place, Wynn Street, Birmingham

Thomas	Edwards	Head	43	Tile Fixer	Wales
Sophia	"	Wife	46	Vest maker	Birmingham
Harriet	Wheatly	M in Law	80	None	Amgmring, Sussex (sic)

19.1.1 Joseph Kidner

Joseph, son of James Kidner and Harriet Compton, was born in Q1 1860.

1881 4 Court 1 House Rupert Street, Aston

James	Kidner	Head	50	Stonemason	Creech
Harriet	"	Wife	50		Angmering, Sussex
Joseph	"	Son	21	Stonemason	Birmingham

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1891 Village, King's Norton, Worcestershire

Ellen	Locker	Widow	46	Marble and Stone worker	Willenhall
Emily	"	Daur	22	Chocolate Boxes grocer	Birmingham
Joseph	Kidner	Lodger	27	Marble and Stone mason	Birmingham

Joseph married Emily Locker in Q3 1892 in King's Norton RD.

1901 The Green, King's Norton

Ellen	Locker	Wid	56	Own Means	Willenhall
Joseph	Kidner	S in L	37	Stonemason	Birmingham
Emily	"	Daur	32		Birmingham
Lillian E.	"	GD	7		King's Norton
Florence E.	"	GD	6		King's Norton
Hilda	"	GD	4		King's Norton
Alice M.	"	GD	2		King's Norton
Laura D.	"	GD	8 mths		King's Norton
Elizabeth	Dutton	Sister	51		Willenhall

Joseph died in Q3 1908, leaving Emily, and her mother Ellen, to look after her seven daughters. The 1911 census return shows Ellen Locker as an 'employer', working from home. Was she managing the production of gravestones?

1911 Wyndcliffe, Pershore Road, King's Norton

Ellen	Locker	Wid	66	Monumental Works	Ullenhall, Warwickshire
Emily	Kidner	Daur	42	"	Nechells, Birmingham
Lillian Ellen	"	Daur	17	Cocoa packer	King's Norton
Florence Emily	"	Daur	16	Card Box Maker	King's Norton
Hilda May	"	Daur	14	Chocolate coverer	King's Norton
Alice Maud	"	Daur	12	School	King's Norton
Laura Dorothy	"	Daur	10	School	King's Norton
Elsie Henrietta	"	Daur	8	School	King's Norton
Clara Beatrice	"	Daur.	6	School	King's Norton

19.1.2 Sophia Kidner

Sophia, the daughter of James Kidner and Harriet Compton, was born in Q3 1862 in Birmingham, and married Thomas Edwards in Q2 1898 in King's Norton RD.

1871 3 Page's Buildings, Aston

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Sophia	"	Daur	8		Birmingham

1881 4 Court 1 House Rupert Street, Aston

...					
Sophia	"	Daur	18	Waistcoat Maker	Birmingham

1891 39 Clarendon Street, Aston

...					
Sophia	"	Daur	28	Tailoress	Birmingham

1901 3 Victoria Place (Edward Street) Balsall Heath

Thomas	Edwards	Head	34	Tile Fixer	Wales
Sophia	"	Wife	34		Birmingham
Dennis	Kidner ³¹	Adopted son	5		Birmingham

1911 1 Henley Place, Wynn Street, Birmingham

Thomas	Edwards	Head	43	Tile Fixer	Wales
Sophia	"	Wife	46	Vest maker	Birmingham
Harriet	Wheatly	M in Law	80	None	Amgmrng, Sussex

In the 1911 census, Thomas and Sophia record that they had been married 13 years, and that of their seven children, four have died.

³¹ The census return spells his surname 'Kidner'. He was the son of Dennis Henry (see below)

19.1.3 Dennis Henry Kidner

Dennis Henry Kidner, son of James Kidner and Harriet Compton, was born on 25th July 1864. He married Emily Tucker in Q4 1888 in Birmingham

1881 4 Court 1 House Rupert Street, Aston

James	Kidner	Head	50	Stonemason	Creech
Harriet	"	Wife	50		Angmering, Sussex
...					
Dennis	"	Son	16	Brass Worker	Birmingham

1891 36 Park Lane, No. 5 Court, Aston

Dennis	Kidner	Head	27	Brass Dresser	Birmingham
Emily	"	Wife	24		Birmingham
Alexander	"	Son	1.5		Birmingham
Walter	"	Son	6 mths		Birmingham

Dennis Henry Kidner died Q4 1899 in Birmingham. His son, also named Dennis Henry, was adopted by his aunt Sophia Edwards (see 19.1.2), although he is living with Emily and the rest of his family in 1911.

1901 Court 23 House 1, Clifton Road, Aston Manor, Birmingham

Emily	Kidner	Head	37	Charwoman	Birmingham
James	"	Son	8		Aston
Ada	"	Daur	6		Aston
Horace	"	Son	3		Aston
Phoebe	"	Daur	1		Aston

1901 District Blue Coat School

Alexander	Kidner	Inmate	11		Birmingham
Walter	"	"	10		Birmingham

1911 313 Aston Lane, Handsworth, Staffs

Emily	Kidner	Widow	44	Laundry Work	Birmingham
Alexander	"	Son	21	Brass Founder's clerk	Birmingham
Walter	"	Son	20	Acetylene welder	Aston
James	"	Son	18	Acetylene welder	Aston
Ada	"	Daur	16	Bottle labeller	Aston
Dennis Henry	"	Son	15	Pressworker	Aston
Horace	"	Son	13		Aston
Phoebe Emily	"	Daur	11		Aston

19.1.4 Walter Kidner

Walter, son of James Kidner and Harriet Compton, was born in Q1 1868. He married Fanny Matley at [] in [], although there is no marriage that I can find in the GRO index, so it may have been a common law arrangement.

1901 Court 5 House 5, Clifton Road, Aston Manor, Birmingham

Walter	Kidner	Head	34	Brass Dresser	Birmingham
Fanny	"	Wife	34		Redditch
Walter	"	Son	6		Aston
Maud	"	Daur	3		Aston
James	Matley	F in L	58	Metal Annealer	Manchester

1911 4 Back 9 New Street, Aston Manor, Aston

Walter	Kidner	Head	44	Brass Dresser	Birmingham
Fanny	"	Wife	43	Press Worker	Redditch
Walter Jas.	"	Son	15	Brass Dresser	Birmingham
Maud	"	Daur	13	School	Birmingham
Sidney	"	Son	9		Birmingham
Harold	"	Son	7		Birmingham
Dennis	"	Son	1		Birmingham

A son, Frederick, died early in 1911, aged 5.

19.1.5 Alexander Kidner

Alexander, the son of James Kidner and Harriet Compton, was born in Q1 1871. He married Amy Blanch Long in Q4 1895, but died just two years or so later in Q2 1898 in King's Norton RD.

1891 39 Clarendon Street, Aston

Harriet	Kidner	Wid	60	Living on own means	Sussex
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Alexander	"	Son	20	Wood Turner	Birmingham
...					

1901 1 Court 5, Park Street, Birmingham

Amy	Kidner	Widow	27	Press Worker	Birmingham
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Amy married Frederick Bennet at Dudley in Q1 1922.

19.1.6 Henry Kidner

Henry, the son of James Kidner and Harriet Compton, was born in Q4 1873, and married Ellen Smith in Q3 1897 in Birmingham.

1901 Court 43 Great Russell Street, Birmingham

Henry	Kidner	Head	27	Art Metal Worker	Birmingham
Ellen	"	Wife	28		Birmingham
Henry	"	Son	2		Birmingham
Ernest	"	Son	7 mths		Birmingham

1911 2 Back of 38 Tower Street Birmingham

Henry	Kidner	Head	37	Metal Worker	Birmingham
Helen	"	Wife	35		Birmingham
Henry	"	Son	13	School	
Earnest James	"	Son	10		
Helen Harreat	"	Daur	8		
Leonard	"	Son	6		
Edith May	"	Daur	3		
Dorice	"	Daur	1		

Both Henry and Ellen must have lived healthy lives, for Henry reached 92, and Ellen 98 years of age.

20. Matthew Kidner and Jane Govier

Matthew Kidner was born about 1760 at Broomfield. He was the son of Thomas Kidner and Anne []. He married Jane Govier on 23rd August 1764 at Taunton St Mary. They had (at least) 7 children:

- Thomas, born in 1797, died March 1860
- Luke, born c. 1799
- Simon, born 1801, died 1868
- Matthew, born c. 1803, died 1804
- Matthew, born c. 1804, died 1850
- Mary Anne, born 1807
- John, born 1812, died 1889

20.1 Thomas Kidner of Goathurst

Thomas was the eldest child of Matthew Kidner and Jane Govier. In 1841 he is working for his younger brother John:

1841 Upper Yalway, West Monkton

John	Kidner	25	Farmer	Y (born in Somerset)
Mary	"	25		Y
Thomas	"	40	Ag Lab	Y

1851 Andersfield, Goathurst, Somerset (HO 107/1924/205 p.11)

John	Kidner	Head	39	Farmer 400 acres emp. 16 men	Broomfield
Mary Ann	"	Wife	40		Devon Sanford
John	"	Son	5	Scholar	Broomfield
Edward	"	Son	11 mo		Goathurst
Thomas	"	Brother	54	Servant	Broomfield

Thomas was buried at Broomfield on 31st March 1860, aged 67.

20.2 Luke Kidner of Broomfield

I suspect that this Luke was the son of Matthew Kidner and Jane Govier, baptised on 9th April 1802 after a private baptism in 1799. At least one Luke died at Broomfield around this time, and so the identity cannot be certain. Phillis may have been Phillis Cull, baptised at Millbrook on 31st March 1799.

1841 Shirley Common, Millbrook, Hampshire (HO 107/402/17/13 p.20)

Phillis	Kidner	42	General servant	born in county
Mary Ann	"	13		born in county
Lucy	"	12		born in county

1851 Hill Lane, Millbrook, Hampshire

Phillis	Kidner	Head	52	General servant	Millbrook
Mary Ann	"	Daur	23	Dressmaker	Millbrook
Lucy	"	Daur	22	Dressmaker	Millbrook

Lucy married William Culverwell in Q4 1853 at South Stoneham RD.

1861 27 Marine Parade, Brighton, Sussex

Luke	Kidner	Married	57	Servant	Broomfield
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1861 Hill Lane Millbrook, Hampshire

Phillis	Kidner	Wife	62		Millbrook
Mary Ann	"	Daur	33	Dressmaker	Millbrook

Phillis died at Millbrook in Q4 1867 at the age of 68.

1871 3 Hill Lane Millbrook, Hampshire

Luke	Kidner	Widr	70	Retired Servant	Bridgwater
Mary Ann	"	Daur	42	House Keeper	Shirley, Hants
Lucy	Culverwell	Gdaur	16	Scholar	Shirley, Hants

Luke died in Q1 1877, aged 78, at Millbrook (South Stoneham RD).

20.2.1 Mary Ann Kidner

Mary Ann, the daughter of Luke and Phillis Kidner, was baptised on 20th May 1827 at Millbrook, Hampshire.

1881 Rose Cottage, Millbrook

Mary Ann	Kidner	Head	59	Dressmaker (unmarried)	Millbrook
Lucy	Culverwell	Niece	26	Dressmaker	Millbrook

1891 106 Hill Lane, Millbrook, Hampshire

Mary A.	Kidner	Head	59	Dressmaker	Millbrook
Lucy	Culverwell	Niece	30	Domestic Servant	Millbrook

1901 106 Hill Lane, Shirley, Hampshire

Mary A.	Kidner	Head	74	Charwoman	Millbrook
Lucy	Culverwell	Lodger	40	Charwoman	Shirley

Mary Ann died in Q4 1904.

20.2.2 Lucy Kidner and William Culverwell

Lucy, the daughter of Luke Kidner and Phillis Cull, was baptised at Millbrook on 7th December 1828.

1841 Shirley Common, Millbrook, Hampshire

Phillis	Kidner		40		born in county
Mary	"		13		born in county
Lucy	"		12		born in county

1851 Hill Lane, Millbrook, Hampshire

Phillis	Kidner	Head	52	General servant	Millbrook
Mary Ann	"	Daur	23	Dressmaker	Millbrook
Lucy	"	Daur	22	Dressmaker	Millbrook

Lucy married William Culverwell in Q4 1853 at South Stoneham RD.

1861 Station House Road, Millbrook, Hants

William	Culverwell	Head	33	Carpenter & joiner	Southampton
Lucy	"	Wife	33		Shirley
Lucy	"	Daur	6	Scholar	Shirley
William G	"	Son	4	Scholar	Shirley
Phillis	"	Daur	2		Shirley

1871 32, Ransoms Terrace, Southampton

William	Culverwell	Head	42	Carpenter & joiner	Southampton
Lucy	"	Wife	42		Shirley
William G	"	Son	14		Shirley
Phillis M	"	Daur	12	Scholar	Shirley
Mary K	"	Daur	8	Scholar	Shirley
Fanny K	"	Daur	6	Scholar	Shirley
Edward L	"	Son	5		Shirley
Hope	"	Daur	2		Southampton

Lucy died just after the census had been taken, in Q2 1871, aged 42, and William died aged 44 in Q2 1873, leaving the female children scattered across Hampshire working as domestic servants. Edward became a shipwright in Southampton.

20.3 Simon Kidner of Broomfield and Blackmore Farm

Simon, son of Matthew Kidner and Jane Govier, was born in 1801. He was baptised on the same day as his elder brother Luke, on the 9th April 1802, having had a private baptism in 1801. He married his cousin Ann Kidner, daughter of George Kidner and Betty Waterman (see section 4.2)

1841 Cannington Farm, Broomfield

Simon	Kidner	38	Farmer	born in Somerset
Ann	"	40		born in Somerset
Richard	"	11	[Nephew]	born in Somerset

1851 Whites, Broomfield (HO 107/1924/213 p.3)

Simon	Kidner	Head	49	Farmer 100 acres emp. 3 men	Broomfield
Ann	"	Wife	50		Broomfield
Richard	"	Nephew	22		Broomfield

1861 Blackmore Farm, Cannington

Simon	Kidner	Head	59	Farmer 150 acres emp 4m 2b	Broomfield
Anne	"	Wife	68		Broomfield

Ann died in Q2 1867 and is buried in Broomfield. Simon died in Q3 1868.

20.4 Matthew Kidner and Mary Gulliford of Woolavington

Matthew, the son of Matthew Kidner and Jane Govier, was born in Broomfield, and was baptised on 3rd April 1804. He married Mary Gulliford in 1827 in Broomfield.

1841 Puriton (HO107 piece 946 folio 18/7 page 8)

Matthew	Kidner	35	Farmer	born in Somerset
Mary	"	35		"
James	"	13		"
John	"	12		"
Benjamin	"	9		"

1851 Puriton

Mary	Kidner	Widow	44	Occupier of 150 acres emp. 2m	Broomfield
John	"	Son	22	Farmer of 60 acres	Broomfield
Benjamin	"	Son	19	Farmer's son emp. on farm	Puriton
Simon	"	Son	9		Puriton

20.4.1 James Kidner

James Kidner, the eldest son of Matthew Kidner and Mary Gulliford, was born in 1828 and married Mary Crossman on 27th February 1851.

1851 Puriton

James	Kidner	Head	28	Farmer of 100 acres	Broomfield
Mary	"	Wife	21		Woolavington

1861 13 Church Street, Puriton

James	Kidner	Head	33	Farmer of 139 acres emp. 2m	Broomfield
Mary	"	Wife	32		Woolavington

James died, aged 41, in March 1869 and was buried in Puriton on 27 March 1869.

1871 15 Wellington Road, Bridgwater

Mary	Kidner	Widow	41	Late Farmer's wife	Woolavington
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20.4.2 John Kidner of Puriton

John Kidner was the second son of Matthew Kidner and Mary Gulliford. He married Theresa Winter in Q1 1859 in Puriton, Somerset. They had four sons – Henry John and Abraham Matthew; Wilfrid who died in infancy; and Herbert.

1861 12 Church Street, Puriton

John	Kidner	Head	31	Farmer of 92 acres	Broomfield
Theresa	"	Wife	29		Puriton
Henry John	"	Son	10 mths		Puriton

1871 The Ham House, Llantwit Major

Theresa	Kidner	Widow	39	Housekeeper	Puriton
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1881 171 Fore Street, Exeter

Theresa	Kidner	Widow	47	Housekeeper	Puriton
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1891 Woodford House, Llantwit Major, Glamorgan

Theresa	Kidner	Widow	57	Housekeeper	Preston, Somerset
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1901 3 Greenhill Road, Harrow (household of George Nicholl, 28, auctioneer)

Theresa	Kidner	Widow	69	Housekeeper	Puriton, Somerset
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In 1911 Theresa was living with her eldest son Henry John - see below.

20.4.2.1 Henry John Kidner, Railway Clerk

1871 Colhugh Street, Llantwit Major (household of Thomas & Margaret Price, Grocer)

H.J.	Kidner	Boarder	10	Scholar	Puriton
A.M.	"	Boarder	9	Scholar	Puriton

1881 1 Ivy Cottage, South Molton, Devon (household of John Brown, Railway Porter)

Henry	Kidner	Lodger	20	Railway Clerk	Puriton
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Henry married Frances Emily Jordan in Q3 1890 in Lambeth

1891 42 Maud Road, West Ham

Henry J	Kidner	Head	34	Railway Clerk	Puriton
Frances E.	"	Wife	22		Bishopsbourne, Kent

1901 27 Sibley Grove, East Ham

Henry J.	Kidner	Head	40	Railway Clerk	Puriton, Somerset
Frances	"	Wife	32		Bridge, Kent

Frances died in Q2 1902.

1911 27 Sibley Grove, East Ham

Henry J.	Kidner	Head	50	Railway Clerk, widower	Somerset, Puriton
Theresa	"	Mother	79	Widow	Somerset, Puriton

Theresa died in Q3 1912; Henry in Q2 1917.

20.4.2.2 Abraham Matthew Kidner, Engineer

1871 Colhugh Street, Llantwit Major (household of Thomas & Margaret Price, Grocer)

H.J.	Kidner	Boarder	10	Scholar	Puriton
A.M.	"	Boarder	9	Scholar	Puriton

1881 11 Union Street, Exeter

Abraham	Kidner	Lodger	19	Brass Finisher	Puriton
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1891 18 Tidbury Street, Battersea

Abraham	Kidner	Boarder	29	Engineering Fitter (single)	Puriton
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Abraham married Alice Purchase in Q2 1897 at Wandsworth, who died as a result of producing Alice Theresa in Q4 1898. Abraham married Alice's sister, Jane Purchase, in Q3 1900 at Wandsworth.

1901 32 Dagnan Street, Balham, London SW

Abraham M	Kidner	Head	39	Engine Fitter	Puriton
Jane	"	Wife	26		Middx.
Alice	"	Daur	2		Clapham
Florence	"	Daur	5 mo		Clapham
Martha	Clayden	Aunt	65	Living on own means	Marylebone

1911 32 Dagnan Road, Balham

Abraham M	Kidner	Head	49	Engine Fitter	Puriton
Jane	"	Wife	35		Westminster
Alice T.	"	Daur	12	(by first wife)	Clapham
Florence	"	Daur	10		Balham
Mabel	"	Daur	8		Balham
Abraham M	"	Son	3 months		Balham

20.4.3 Benjamin Kidner of Woolavington

Benjamin Kidner was the son of Matthew Kidner and Mary Gulliford, and was born c. 1832 in Puriton, Somerset. He married Hester Small in 1855 in Curry Rivel.

1841 Puriton

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Benjamin Kidner Son 9 born in county

1851 Puriton

...
Benjamin " Son 19 Farmer's son emp. on farm Puriton
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1861 12 Queen Street, Puriton

Benjamin	Kidner	Head	29	Farmer 105 acres 1m 1b	Puriton
Hester	"	Wife	27		Curry Rivel
Benjamin Jno	"	Son	5		Puriton
James	"	Son	4		Puriton
Zepporah Vashti	"	Daur	2		Puriton
Mary Jane	"	Daur	8 mths		Puriton

Zepporah Vashti died in 1863. Hester died in Q3 1866.

1871 Knowle Lane, Woolavington

Benjamin	Kidner	Widr	48	Farmer of 48 acres	Woolavington
James	"	Son	14		Woolavington
Mary Jane	"	Daur	10		Woolavington
Thomas	"	Son	5		Woolavington
Mary	"	Mother	65	Housekeeper	Broomfield

Benjamin died in Q4 1880 aged 48.

20.4.3.1 Benjamin John Kidner

The son of Benjamin Kidner and Hester Small, he married Edith Meaher in Q2 1882 in Woolavington

1871 1 King's Square Bridgwater (School of James Russel)

Benjamin John Kidner Pupil 15 Boarder Puriton

1881 Knowle Lane, Woolavington

Benjamin	Kidner	Head	25	Farmer 4 acres 2M	Puriton
James	"	Brother	23	Ag Lab	Puriton
Adellaide	"	Sister	16		Puriton
Thomas	"	Brother	15		Puriton

1891 West Street, Woolavington

Benjamin	Kidner	Head	36	Farmer	Puriton
Edith	"	Wife	29		Woolavington
Ernest	"	Son	7		Woolavington
Clifford	"	Son	3		Woolavington

1901 Hurman's Farm, Woolavington

Benjamin	Kidner	Head	45	Farmer	Puriton
Edith	"	Wife	39		Bawdrip
Ernest	"	Son	17	Farmer's son	Woolavington
Clifford	"	Son	13	Farmer's son	Woolavington
Silas	"	Son	7	Farmer's son	Woolavington
Cecil	"	Son	6	Farmer's son	Woolavington
Ruscombe	"	Son	4	Farmer's son	Woolavington
Mabel	"	Daur	1		Woolavington

1911 Hurmans Farm, Woolavington

Benjamin	Kidner	Head	55	Farmer	Puriton
Edith Blanch	"	Wife	49		Bawdrip
Earnest Fred	"	Son	47	Farmer's son working on Farm	Woolavington
Clifford	"	Son	43	Farmer's son	Woolavington
Silas	"	Son	17	Farmer's son	Woolavington
Cecil Douglas	"	Son	16	Farmer's son	Woolavington
Ruscombe Leonard	"	Son	14	Farmer's son	Woolavington
Mabel	"	Daur	11	School	Woolavington

20.4.3.2 Thomas Kidner and Alice Tidball

Thomas, the son of Benjamin Kidner and Hester Small, was born on 2nd December 1865 in Puriton. He married Alice Tidball on 15th April 1890.

1881 Knowle Lane, Woolavington

Benjamin	Kidner	Head	25	Farmer 4 acres 2M	Puriton
James	"	Brother	23	Ag Lab	Puriton
Adellaide	"	Sister	16		Puriton
Thomas	"	Brother	15		Puriton

1891 3 Danygraig Terrace, Ystradyfodwg, Glamorgan

Thomas	Kidner	Head	25	Coal Miner	Woolavington
Alice	"	Wife	20		Puriton
Charles	Tidball	B in L	17	Colliery labourer	Woolavington

1901 88 Caerphilly Road, Eglwysilan, Glamorgan

Thomas	Kidner	Head	34	Coal Miner	Puriton
Alice	"	Wife	30		Cossington, Somerset
Richard A.	"	Son	7		Wattsown, Glam
Ada M.	"	Daur	3 weeks		Langhenith, Glam

1911 23 Cenydd Terrace, Senghenydd

Thomas	Kidner	Head	45	Miner	Puriton
Alice	"	Wife	41		Woolavington, Som.
Richard A	"	Son	17	Miner	Senghenydd
Ada M	"	Daur	10		Senghenydd
Thomas J	"	Son	6 months		Senghenydd
George	Tidball	Boarder	34	Miner (married)	Woolavington

Thomas and Richard left for British Columbia, via Maine, in 1912; Alice and the two youngest children left the following year.

20.4.4 Simon Kidner and Lucy Pitman of Woolavington

Simon Kidner, son of Matthew Kidner and Mary Gulliford, was born in Q4 1842 at Puriton. He married Lucy Pitman in Q2 1869 in Woolavington.

1861 11 Church Street, Puriton

Mary	Kidner	Head	55	Farmer 84 acres 1 labourer	Broomfield
Simon	"	Son	18		Puriton

1871 Cottage, West Street, Huntspill

Simon	Kidner	Head	29	Labourer	Puriton
Lucy	"	Wife	25		Woolavington
Matthew John	"	Son	1		Woolavington
Louisa	"	Daur	3 mths		Woolavington
Adalade	"	Niece	8	Visitor	Woolavington

1881 Church Street, Woolavington

Simon	Kidner	Head	38	Ag Lab	Puriton
Lucy	"	Wife	34	Ag Lab	Woolavington
Matthew J.	"	Son	11	Scholar	Woolavington
Sarah Ann	"	Daur	8	Scholar	Woolavington
Louisa	"	Daur	7	Scholar	Woolavington
Elizabeth	"	Daur	6	Scholar	Woolavington
Joseph	"	Son	4		Woolavington
Fanny	"	Daur	3		Woolavington
Simon	"	Son	2		Woolavington
Eva	"	Daur	10 mo		Woolavington

1891 Church Street, Woolavington

Simon	Kidner	Head	48	Ag Lab	Puriton
Elizabeth J.	"	Daur	16		Woolavington
Simon	"	Son	12		Woolavington
Charles	"	Son	9	Scholar	Woolavington
Harriet	"	Daur	5		Woolavington
Caroline	"	Daur	3		Woolavington

1891 Somerset and Bath Asylum

L. ³²	Kidner		46	None	Woolavington
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Simon died Q3 1891 in Woolavington

1891 "Witton Bank", Witton, Lancashire (household of Thomas Thompson, Cotton Spinner)

Ann	Kidner	Servant	27		Puriton
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1901 Moggs Cottage, Woolavington

Lucy	Kidner	Widow	54		Woolavington
Simon	"	Son	22	Farm labourer	Woolavington
Charlie	"	Son	19	Farm labourer	Woolavington
Carrie	"	Daur	13		Woolavington

1911 Woolavington

Simon	Kidner	Head	32	Labourer (for R.D. Council)	Woolavington
Lucy	"	Mother	65		Woolavington
Charles	"	Brother	29	Farmer	Woolavington
Sarah Ann	Pitman	Aunt	63		Woolavington

20.4.4.1 Louisa Jemima Kidner

Louisa, the daughter of Simon Kidner and Lucy Pitman, was born in 1871 and died in Q1 1902.

1891 27 High Street, Bridgwater

Louisa	Kidner	Serv	17	General Servant	Woolavington
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1901 Stolford Lodge, Bristol Road, Weston super Mare

Louisa	Kidner	Serv	27	Cook, Domestic	Woolavington
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³² presumably Lucy, who was back home in 1901.

20.4.4.2 Matthew John Kidner

Matthew John, the son of Simon Kidner and Lucy Pitman, was born in Q1 1871. He married Elizabeth Popham in Q4 1896.

1891 Church Street, Woolavington, Somerset

John	Kidner	Lodger	21	General Labourer	Woolavington
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1901 Church Road, Woolavington, Somerset

John	Kidner	Head	31	General Labourer	Woolavington
Elizabeth	"	Wife	25		Uphill

1911 Woolavington, Somerset

John	Kidner	Head	41	Gardener	Woolavington
Elizabeth	"	Wife	36		Uphill

20.4.4.3 Sarah Ann Kidner

Sarah Ann, the daughter of Simon Kidner and Lucy Pitman, was born in Q3 1872.

1891 The Woodlands, Livesey, Lancashire

Sarah	Kidner	Serv.	18	Servant "Domestic"	Woolavington
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Sarah Ann married John William Bury, a cattle dealer, in Q4 1891 in Blackburn, Lancashire.

1901 284 Livesey Brook Road, Blackburn, Lancashire

John W.	Bury	Head	35	Cattle Dealer	Blackburn
Sarah A	"	Wife	28		Wells, Somerset
Lucy	"	Daur	8		Blackburn
Polly	"	Daur	5		Blackburn

1911 17 Anglesey Street, Blackburn, Lancashire (RG14PN25091 RG78PN1436 RD474 SD5 ED31 SN227)

John William	Bury	Head	45	Cattle Dealer	Lancashire
Sarah Ann	"	Wife	39		Somerset
Helena	"	Daur	19	Dressmaker	Lancashire
Polly	"	Daur	15	Mill work (Cotton Weaver)	Lancashire

20.5 Mary Ann Kidner

Mary Ann was the daughter of Matthew Kidner and Jane Govier and was baptised on 28th May 1807 at Broomfield. Mary Ann had a 'base-born' child, Richard Govier Kidner, in 1827.

1861 Staddens, Broomfield

Mary Ann	Kidner	Head	55		Broomfield
Richard	"	Son	33	Farmer 60 acres emp. 2m	Broomfield
Hannah	"	D in L	26		Kingston
Mary Anne	"	Gdaur	6 mo		Broomfield

1871 Blackmore Farm, Cannington

John	Kidner	Head	25	Farmer 187 acres 5 m 1w 2b	Broomfield
Mary Ann	"	Aunt	64		Broomfield

Mary Ann died in Q4 1877 aged 71.

20.5.1 Richard Govier Kidner

Richard Govier Kidner was the 'base born' son of Mary Ann Kidner, daughter of Matthew Kidner and Jane Govier of Westleigh Farm, Broomfield. He was baptised on 11th January 1830 at Broomfield. Richard married Hannah Allercott Knight in Q2 1859 in Broomfield. Hannah, incidentally, was the daughter of William Knight and Magdalene Kidner, daughter of George Kidner and Betty Waterman.

1841 Cannington Farm, Broomfield

Simon	Kidner	38	Farmer	born in Somerset
Ann	"	40		born in Somerset
Richard	"	11		born in Somerset

1851 Whites, Broomfield (HO 107/1924/213 p.3)

Simon	Kidner	Head	49	Farmer 100 acres emp. 3 men	Broomfield
Ann	"	Wife	50		Broomfield
Richard	"	Nephew	22		Broomfield

1861 Staddens, Broomfield

Mary Ann	Kidner	Head	55		Broomfield
Richard	"	Son	33	Farmer 60 acres emp. 2m	Broomfield
Hannah	"	D in L	26		Kingston
Mary Anne	"	Gdaur	6 mo		Broomfield

1871 Galway Farm, West Monkton

Richard	Kidner	Head	43	Farmer 177 acres 3m 1b	Broomfield
Hannah	"	Wife	34		Kingston
Mary Ann	"	Daur	10		Broomfield
Simon	"	Son	9		Broomfield
John	"	Son	6		Monkton
Herbert C.	"	Son	4		Monkton
James	"	Son	2		Monkton
Hannah	"	Daur	9 mths		Monkton

1881 Staple Farm House, Staple Fitzpaine

Richard	Kidner	Head	53	Farmer 270 acres 3m 1b	Broomfield
Hanna	"	Wife	44		Broomfield
Mary Ann	"	Daur	20	Ag Assistant	Broomfield
Simon	"	Son	18	Farmer's son	Broomfield
Charles	"	Son	14	Scholar	Broomfield
James	"	Son	12	Scholar	Broomfield
Mark	"	Son	8	Scholar	Broomfield
Sarah	"	Daur	6	Scholar	Staple Fitzpaine
John	Crocker	Visitor	55	Malster & Brewer	Milverton

From 1891 Richard and Hannah were living apart:

1891 Manor Farm, Wembdon

James	Kidner	Head	43	Yeoman	Broomfield
Sylvia	"	Wife	38		Bridgwater
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Richard	"	Boarder	62	Farm Bailiff	Broomfield

1891 Bush Farm, Spaxton (household of William Galloway, farmer)

Hannah A.	Kidner	Serv.	55	Cook (married)	Taunton, Kingston
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Hannah Allercott Kidner née Knight died in Q1 1900 aged 63

1901 Park Cottage, North Petherton

Herbert C.	Kidner	Head	34	Farmer	West Monkton
Charlotte E.	"	Wife	30	Dressmaker	South Petherton
Richard	"	Father	73	Retired Farmer	Broomfield

Richard Govier Kidner died in Q2 1903 in Taunton RD aged 75.

20.5.1.1 Simon Richard Kidner of Doynton

Simon Richard, the son of Richard Govier Kidner and Hannah Allercott Knight, was born in Q3 1862, and married Emily Jane Pritchard in Q1 1886 in Bath.

1871 Galway Farm, West Monkton

Richard	Kidner	Head	43	Farmer 177 acres 3m 1b	Broomfield
Hannah	"	Wife	34		Kingston
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Simon	"	Son	9		Broomfield
...					

1881 Staple Farm House, Staple Fitzpaine

Richard	Kidner	Head	53	Farmer 270 acres 3m 1b	Broomfield
Hannah	"	Wife	44		Broomfield
...					
Simon	"	Son	18	Farmer's son	Broomfield
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1891 Lodge Farm, St Catherine's, Somerset

Simon Richard	Kidner	Head	28	Farmer	West Monkton
Emily J.	"	Wife	33		Marshfield, Glos
James E.	"	Son	4		St Catherine's
Emily H.	"	Daur	3		St Catherine's
Edith	"	Daur	1		St Catherine's
Ethel	"	Daur	8 days		St Catherine's

1901 Tracy Cottage, Doynton, Gloucestershire

Simeon Richard	Kidner	Head	38	Farmer	West Monkton
Emily Jane	"	Wife	42		Marshfield, Gloucs
James Elliot	"	Son	14		St Catherine's
Emily Hilda	"	Daur	13		St Catherine's
Edith Amy	"	Daur	12		St Catherine's
Florence Mary	"	Daur	8		St Catherine's
Elizabeth May	"	Daur	5		Doynton
Gladys Mable	"	Daur	11 mo		Doynton

1911 Tracy Cottage Farm, Doynton, Gloucestershire

Richard Simon	Kidner	Head	48	Farmer	West Monkton
Emily Jane	"	Wife	50		Marshfield
James	"	Son	24	Farmer Assistant	St Catherine's
Edith May	"	Daur	21	Assistant	St Catherine's
Elizabeth May	"	Daur	15	Assistant	Doynton
Gladys Mabel	"	Daur	10	School	Doynton
Albert Edward	"	Son	8	School	Doynton

20.5.1.2 John Kidner, butcher, of Bath

John William Kidner, the son of Richard Govier Kidner and Hannah Allercott Knight, was born in Q1 1865 at Broomfield. He married Susan Georgia Reames in Q2 1895.

1901 36 Southgate Street, Bath, Somerset

John	Kidner	Head	36	Butcher	Broomfield
Susan	"	Wife	26		Swindon
Leslie	"	Son	4		Bath

John William died in Q2 1906

1911 19 Deburgh Street, Swindon, Wiltshire

Susan	Kidner	Widow	35	Grocer	Swindon
Leslie	"	Son	14		Bath

20.5.1.3 Herbert Charles Kidner

Herbert Charles, the son of Richard Govier Kidner and Hannah Allercott Knight, was born in Q3 1866. He married Charlotte Elizabeth Clark in Yeovil RD in Q2 1898.

1891 Boomer Farm House, North Petherton (Francis James Merson head)

Charles	Kidner		24	Farmer's assistant	West Monkton
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1901 Park Cottage, North Petherton

Herbert C.	Kidner	Head	34	Farmer	West Monkton
Charlotte E.	"	Wife	30	Dressmaker	South Petherton
Richard	"	Father	73	Retired Farmer	Broomfield

1911 Knightcott Farm, Banwell, nr Weston super Mare

Herbert Charles	Kidner	Serv		Farm Bailiff	West Monkton
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Where is Charlotte in 1911? She died in Q1 1918.

20.5.1.4 James Kidner

James, son of Richard Govier Kidner and Hannah Allercott Knight, was born in Q3 1868.

1891 36 North Street, St Magdalene Within, Taunton

James	Kidner	Boarder	22		Broomfield
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1901 33 Portland Street, Taunton

James	Kidner	Boarder	32	Butcher	West Monkton
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James married Emma Irene Govier in Q2 1910 in Taunton. In 1901 her parents, John and Emily Govier, had been running the Clarence Inn at North Petherton.

1911 Raleigh Terrace, Nailsbourne, Somerset

James	Kidner	Head	42	Butcher	West Monkton
Emily	"	Wife	25		Taunton

James died in Q2 1914 aged 46 at Taunton. Emma married James Smith at Bridgwater in Q4 1914.

20.5.1.5 Mark Kidner

Mark, son of Richard Govier Kidner and Hannah Allercott Knight, was born in Q3 1872.

1891 53 Richmond Place, Walcot, Bath

Mark	Kidner	Boarder	18	Under gardener – Dom. serv.	Taunton
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1901 113 Wakeham Street, Portland, Dorset

Mark	Kidner	Head	28	General labourer	Broomfield
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Mark died at Sherborne in Q4 1909 at the age of 38.

20.5.1.6 Sarah Ann Kidner

Sarah Ann Kidner, born in Q4 1874, was baptised on 1st May 1875 at Staple Fitzpaine, and was the youngest child of Richard Govier Kidner and Hannah Allercott Knight.

1881 Staple Farm House, Staple Fitzpaine

Richard	Kidner	Head	53	Farmer 270 acres 3m 1b	Broomfield
Hanna	"	Wife	44		Broomfield
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Sarah	"	Daur	6	Scholar	Staple Fitzpaine

1891 5 Middle Street, Taunton St James

Annie	Kidner	Lodger	16	Milliner's apprentice	Staple Fitzpaine
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1901 Grand Hotel, Bournemouth (RG13 piece 1040 folio 120 page 3)

Sarah A.	Kidner	Serv.	27	Barmaid	Taunton
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Sarah married Owen Bodley Geake in Q2 1903 in Christchurch RD.

1911 48 Dudley Road, Tunbridge Wells, Kent

Owen B.	Geake	Head	33	Meat Salesman	Launceston Cornwall
Annie	"	Wife	36	Boarding House Keeper	Taunton, Somerset
Louise	"	Daur	5		Southampton
Winnifred	"	Daur	3		Tonbridge Wells

20.6 John Kidner of Andersfield and Enmore

John, the youngest child of Matthew Kidner and Jane Govier, was baptised on 12th April 1812 at Broomfield. He was a widower when he married Mary Ann James on 18 March 1841 at Burlescombe, Devon.

1841 Upper Yalway, West Monkton

John	Kidner	25	Farmer	Y (born in Somerset)
Mary	"	25		Y
Thomas	"	40	Ag Lab	Y

1851 Andersfield, Goathurst, Somerset (HO 107/1924/205 p.11)

John	Kidner	Head	39	Farmer 400 acres emp. 16 men	Broomfield
Mary Ann	"	Wife	40		Devon Sanford
John	"	Son	5	Scholar	Broomfield
Edward	"	Son	11 mo		Goathurst
Thomas	"	Brother	54	Servant	Broomfield

In 1851 their son James was staying with Mary Ann's sister Sarah at West Monkton:

1851 Gotton Farm, West Monkton

James	Radford	Head	52	Farmer 225 acres	West Monkton
Sarah	"	Wife	42		Burlescombe
James	Kidner	Nephew	4		Broomfield

1861 Andersfield, Goathurst

John	Kidner	Head	49	Farmer 433 acres 13m 6b	Broomfield
Mary A	"	Wife	50		Burliscombe, Devon
John	"	Son	15		Broomfield
Edwin	"	Son	10	Scholar	Goathurst

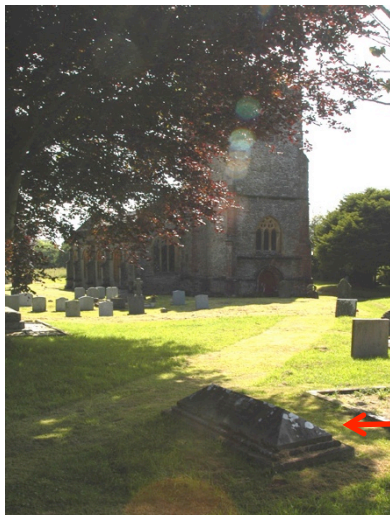
1871 Andersfield, Goathurst

John	Kidner	Head	59	Farmer 687 acres 15m 5b	Broomfield
Mary Ann	"	Wife	60		Devon Sandford Pevral
James	"	Son	23	Farmer's son	Broomfield
Edwin	"	Son	20	Farmer's son	Goathurst
Sarah A.	"	Daur	16	Scholar	Goathurst

1881 Castle House, Enmore

John	Kidner	Head	69	Farmer 400 acres 10M 4B	Broomfield
Mary A.	"	Wife	70	Farmer's Wife	Sanford, Devon

Sarah Ann Kidner, daughter of John Kidner and Mary Ann James, married Francis James Merson of Tiverton in Q3 1879. In 1881 they were living at Boomer, North Petherton. Mary Ann died on 15th March 1889 aged 78, and John just a week later on 23rd March 1889, aged 77.



The grave of Mary Ann and John Kidner lies in a shady spot in Broomfield churchyard. The elaborate gravestone reads:

IN AFFECTIONATE REMEMBRANCE OF
MARY ANN
The dearly beloved wife of JOHN KIDNER
of ENMORE
who fell asleep March 15th 1889
Aged 78 years
Christ will never leave thee. No never

And on the other side:

Also of the aforementioned
JOHN KIDNER
who fell asleep March 23rd 1889
Aged 77 years
In life united in death not divided.

20.6.1 John Kidner of Cannington and Ilchester

John Kidner, the son of John Kidner of Andersfield and Enmore, was born on 12th March 1846. Blackmore Farm had been occupied by Simon Kidner, John of Andersfield's elder brother, until his death in 1868. Blackmore is now a Grade 1 listed 14th Century Manor House.

1851 Andersfield, Goathurst, Somerset (HO 107/1924/205 p.11)

John	Kidner	Head	39	Farmer 400 acres emp. 16 men	Broomfield
Mary Ann	"	Wife	40		Devon Sanford
John	"	Son	5	Scholar	Broomfield
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1861 Andersfield, Goathurst

John	Kidner	Head	49	Farmer 433 acres 13m 6b	Broomfield
Mary A	"	Wife	50		Burliscombe, Devon
John	"	Son	15		Broomfield
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1871 Blackmore Farm, Cannington

John	Kidner	Head	25	Farmer 187 acres 5 m 1w 2b	Broomfield
Mary Ann	"	Aunt	64		Broomfield

1881 Blackmore Farm, Cannington

John	Kidner	Head	33	Farmer 160 acres emp. 6m 2b	Broomfield
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John Kidner married Mary Elizabeth Merson on 25th July 1883 at Bickleigh, Devon.

1891 Blackmore Farm, Cannington

John	Kidner	Head	45	Farmer	Broomfield
Mary Elizabeth	"	Wife	34		Bickleigh Court
Francis John	"	Son	5		Blackmore House
Ethel Mary	"	Daur	4		Blackmore House
Dora May	"	Daur	2		Blackmore House
Laura	Merson	Visitor	31	Living on own means	Bickleigh Court, Devon

1901 Castle Farm, Ilchester

John	Kidner	Head	55	Farmer	Broomfield
Mary E.	"	Wife	44		Bickleigh, Devon
Ethel M.	"	Daur	14		Cannington
Dora M.	"	Daur	12		Cannington
Simon	"	Son	9		Cannington
James M.	"	Son	7		Cannington
George	"	Son	4		Cannington
Edward	"	Son	3		Ilchester
Laura	Merson	S in L	36		Bickleigh, Devon

1901 West Somerset County School, Wellington

Francis	Kidner	Pupil	15	Boarder	Cannington
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1911 Castle Farm, Ilchester

John	Kidner	Head	65	Farmer	Broomfield
Mary E.	"	Wife	53		Bickleigh Court, Devon
Francis John	"	Son	25	Farmer's son working on farm	Cannington
Ethel Mary	"	Daur	24	House work	Cannington
Dora May	"	Daur	22	Dairy work	Cannington
Simon	"	Son	19	Working on farm	Cannington
James Merson	"	Son	17	Working on farm	Cannington
Edward	"	Son	13	School	Ilchester

1911 Fosters School, Hound Street, Sherborne, Dorset

George	Kidner	Boarder	14	School Boy	Blackmore
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James Merson Kidner enrolled on 5th October 1914 in the 2nd Expeditionary Force of the Australian Forces on October 1914. He died on 7th May 1915 in Alexandria from wounds received at Gallipoli.

John Kidner died in Q1 1912 in Yeovil RD at the age of 66.

20.6.2 James Kidner of Wembdon

James Kidner, the second son of John Kidner of Andersfield and Enmore and Mary Ann James, was born in Q4 1847. In 1851 and 1861 he was staying with his mother's sister, Sarah Radford née James.

1851 Gotton Farm, West Monkton

James	Radford	Head	52	Farmer 225 acres	West Monkton
Sarah	"	Wife	42		Burlescombe
James	Kidner	Nephew	4		Broomfield

1861 Bathpool Villa, West Monkton

James	Radford	Head	62	Farmer 72 acres emp. 3m	West Monkton
Sarah	"	Wife	52		Sampford Peverel
James	Kidner	Nephew	13		Broomfield
Sarah	"	Niece	8		Goathurst

1871 Andersfield, Goathurst

John	Kidner	Head	59	Farmer 687 acres 15m 5b	Broomfield
Mary Ann	"	Wife	60		Devon Sandford Pevral
James	"	Son	23	Farmer's son	Broomfield
Edwin	"	Son	20	Farmer's son	Goathurst
Sarah A.	"	Daur	16	Scholar	Goathurst

James married Mary [] in . I cannot trace this marriage in the GRO indices, although it may have been at Bromley in 1880. The bridal candidates in that case are Mary Murch and Mary Elizabeth Salter.

1881 Wembdon Farm, Wembdon

James	Kidner	Head	34	Farmer 319 acres emp. 6m 3b	Broomfield
Mary	"	Wife	34	Farmer's wife	Halberton, Devon

James married Sylvia Leaker in Q3 1886 in Bridgwater RD.

1891 Manor Farm, Wembdon

James	Kidner	Head	43	Yeoman	Broomfield
Sylvia	"	Wife	38		Bridgwater
Winifred M	"	Daur	9	Scholar	Wembdon
Constance S.	"	Daur	1		Wembdon
Richard	"	Boarder	62	Farm Bailiff	Broomfield

1901 Manor Farm, Wembdon

James	Kidner	Head	53	Farmer	Broomfield
Sylvia	"	Wife	47		Bridgwater
Winifred M.	"	Daur	19		Wembdon
Constance S.	"	Daur	11		Wembdon

1911 6 Severn Road, Weston Super Mare

James	Kidner	Head	63	Retired Farmer	Broomfield
Sylvia	"	Wife	58		Bridgwater
Constance Sylvia	"	Daur	21		Wembdon

James died in Q4 1925.

20.6.3 Edwin Kidner

Edwin Kidner, the third son of John Kidner of Andersfield and Mary Ann James, was born on 18th April 1850 at Andersfield. He married Eliza Bucknell in Wellington in Q3 1879, with whom he had two sons. He married Jane Harris Bale on 5th October 1887 at Exeter.

1881 Horsewell, Broadclyst (RG11 piece 2141 folio 5 page 3)

Edwin	Kidner	Head	30	Farmer 288 acres emp. 8 labs	Goathurst Bridgwater
Eliza	"	Wife	25	Farmer's wife	Willington (sic)
John	"	Son	9 mths		Newhall, Broadclyst

1891 Manor House Cottage, Cothelstone

Edwin	Kidner	Head	40	Farmer & Auctioneer	Goathurst
Jane	"	Wife	41		Exeter
Ernest	"	Son	2		Cothelstone
Muriel	"	Daur	1		Cothelstone
William	"	Son	1 mth		Cothelstone

1901 Park Farm, Cannington, Somerset

Edwin	Kidner	Head	50	Valuer and Farmer	Goathurst
Janie	"	Wife	51		Exeter
Muriel	"	Daur	10		Cothelstone
Arthur	"	Son	9		Cothelstone
Grace	"	Daur	5		Cothelstone

1911 201 London Road, Croydon, Surrey

Edwin	Kidner	Head	62	Estate Agent	Goathurst
Janie	"	Wife	63		Exeter
Muriel	"	Daur	21		Cothelstone
Arthur	"	Son	20		Cothelstone
Irene	"	Daur	15		Cothelstone

Edwin died in January 1932 in Paddington.

20.6.3.1 John Kidner

John, son of Edwin Kidner and Eliza Bucknell, was born in July 1880.

1891 District Independent College, Staplegrove

John	Kidner	Boarder	10	Pupil of Junior School	Broadclyst, near Exeter
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20.6.3.2 Rosa Gertrude Kidner

Rosa Gertrude, daughter of Edwin Kidner and Eliza Bucknell, was born in Q4 1882 in Devon, in the St Thomas RD.

1891 8 Packs, Minehead, Somerset

Gertrude R.	Kidner		9	Pupil	Bishops Lydeard
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1901 1 Carlton Hill, Littleham, Devon

Gert	Kidner	Pupil	18	Modern languages	Broadclyst
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Gertrude died in Q4 1902 in Taunton RD.

21. Matilda Kidner of Exmouth

Matilda was baptised on 24th August 1817 at Littleham, and according to the Littleham cum Exmouth parish Register, was the base child of one Catherine Kidner. I cannot trace either in 1841.

1851 Magdalen Street, Exeter, Devon

Matilda	Kidner	Serv.	34	House Servant	Exmouth
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1861 25 Magdalen Street, Holy Trinity, Exeter (household of George Drew, 70, retired Captain RN)

Matilda	Kidner	Serv.	44	House servant (unmarried)	Exmouth
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1871 1 Yorks Cottage, Topsham, Devon

Matilda	Kidner	Serv.	53	Domestic Servant (unmarried)	Exmouth
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1881 Higher Passage Lane No 5 Clara Place, Topsham, Devon (household of Louisa Serena)

Matilda	Kidner	Widow	63	General Servant	Exmouth
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1891 Monmouth Hill, Topsham

Matilda	Kidner	Head	73	Single, living on own means	Exmouth
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Matilda died in Q2 1895 in the St Thomas district of Exeter, aged 77.

22. Richard Kidner and Elizabeth Burford

Richard Kidner, son of Richard Kidner and Mary Lyng, was baptised on 24th August 1763 at West Monkton and married Elizabeth Burford on 23rd October 1799 at Cheddon Fitzpaine. Richard died on 12th November 1820 and was buried at Monksilver on 18th November 1820. He had been living at Woodford Farm. Elizabeth died in 1831 and was buried at Monksilver on 19th February 1831, aged 62.

22.1 Richard Kidner of Woodford Farm, Monksilver

Richard, son of Richard Kidner and Elizabeth Burford, was baptised on 17th November 1802 in West Monkton, at the same time as his sister Mary. In 1841 he was living with his younger sister Sarah.

1841 Woodford Farm, Monksilver

Richard	Kidner	35	Farmer	born in Somerset
Sarah	"	25		born in Somerset

Sarah died in September 1843 aged 31 and was buried in Monksilver All Saints. Richard married Harriet Dibble on 27th March 1845.

1851 Woodford, Monksilver (HO 107/1920/687 p.15)

Richard	Kidner	Head	48	Farmer 82 acres emp. 2 men	West Monkton
Harriet	"	Wife	51		Monksilver
Elizabeth	Dibble	S in L	43	Assistant housekeeper	Monksilver

Harriet died in January 1857.

1861 Woodford Farm House, Monksilver (RG09/1605/64 p. 13)

Richard	Kidner	Wid'r	59	Farmer of 12 acres	West Monkton
Mary	Dibble	S in L	60	Fundholder (widow)	Monksilver
Sophia	Brown	S in L	57	Fundholder (widow)	Monksilver
Elizabeth	Dibble	S in L	55	Housekeeper (single)	Monksilver
Amelia	"	Niece	13	Scholar	Monksilver
William	"	Nephew	23	Farmer 50 acres	Monksilver

1871 Woodford, Monksilver

Richard	Kidner	Widr	68	Farmer (of 12 acres of land)	West Monkton
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1881 Woodford, Monksilver

Richard	Kidner	Wid'r	78	Retired Farmer	West Monkton
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In 1891 Richard was living with his niece, Harriett Bruford née Babbage. :

1891 Lower Weacombe Farm, West Quantockhead

Samuel	Burford	Head	56	Living on own means	Cheddon Fitzpaine
Harriett	"	Wife	57		Nettlecombe
Mary A	"	Daur	14		
Richard	Kidner	Wid'r	89	Retired Farmer (Boarder)	West Monkton
Emma	Salway	Widow	53		Cheddon Fitzpaine

Richard died in June 1891, aged 89, and was buried on the 23rd of that month at St George's, Bicknoller. The parish register notes that "at time of death lodging Stogumber".

22.2 Mary Kidner

Mary, daughter of Richard Kidner and Elizabeth Burford, was born in West Monkton in c. 1802, and was baptised at Cheddon Fitzpaine on 26th December 1804. She married James Babbage of Nettlecombe at Curry Rivel on 15th July 1826.

1851 Woodford House, Nettlecombe

James	Babbage	Head	50	Land Agent	Nettlecombe
Mary	"	Wife	50		West Monkton
Sarah A	"	Daur	23		Monksilver
Thomas	"	Son	22		Monksilver
Harriet	"	Daur	15		Nettlecombe
Eliza	"	Daur	14		Nettlecombe
Mary	"	Daur	12		Nettlecombe
George	"	Son	8		Nettlecombe

1861 Woodford village

James	Babbage	Head	61	Land Steward	Nettlecombe
Mary	"	Wife	60		West Monkton
Thomas	"	Son	32	Farmer of 120 acres	Nettlecombe
Harriet	"	Daur	27		Nettlecombe
Eliza	"	Daur	23		Nettlecombe
Mary	"	Daur	21		Nettlecombe
George	"	Son	18	Farmer	Nettlecombe

1871 Private Residence, Nettlecombe

James	Babbage	Head	71	Land agent & Steward	Nettlecombe
Mary	"	Wife	70		West Monkton
Thomas	"	Son	42	Farmer	Nettlecombe
Harriet	"	Daur	32	Household duties	Nettlecombe
Eliza	"	Daur	30	Household duties	Nettlecombe
George	"	Son	28	Farmer	Nettlecombe

Harriet married Samuel Burford (a cousin, no doubt) in Q4 1872. Her mother, Mary Babbage nee Kidner, died in Q3 1877

1881 Woodford, Nettlecombe

James	Babbage	Widower	81	Land Steward	Nettlecombe
Thomas	"	Son	52	Farmer	Nettlecombe

James died in Q1 1890.

22.3 George Kidner of Australia

George, second son of Richard Kidner and Elizabeth Bruford, was born in West Monkton but baptised at Cheddon Fitzpaine on 26th December 1804. He married Sarah Parsons c. 1830, who died in Q3 1846 in Marylebone. A child, also named Sarah, died aged 3 and was buried at St Andrew, Holborn on 9th June 1839.

1841 Bedford Street, St Andrew's, Holborn (HO 107/670/8/55 p.4)

George	Kidner	35	Butcher	Not born in Middx.
Sarah	"	33		Not born in Middx.
George	"	9		Born in Middx.
Edward	"	5		Born in Middx.

1851 8 Dorset Street, Marylebone

George	Kidner	Widower	45	Victular (sic)	Somerset
George	"	Son	19	"	Middx
Edward	"	Son	15	"	Middx
Maria	"	Daur	7		Middx.

George and his family emigrated to Melbourne, Victoria. They travelled separately. Young George arrived on the *Agnes Blaikie* in July 1853; Edward arrived in December 1853 on board the Countess of Yarborough; and also in December 1853, Maria travelled on the *Anglesey* with her cousin George (b. 1813). George senior finally arrived at Port Philip, Melbourne, in February 1860 on the *Prince of Wales*.

22.4 Francis Kidner, coffee house keeper, of Islington

Francis, third son of Richard Kidner and Elizabeth Bruford, was born in c. 1810 in West Monkton, Somerset. Francis married Jane Grace Parsons on 24th October 1835 in St Bride's, Fleet Street, London.

1841 Capland Street, Lisson Grove, St Marylebone (HO 107/678/5/12 p. 16)

Francis	Kidner	30	Butcher	Not born in county
Jane	"	25		Not born in county
Jane	"	3		Born in county
Sarah	"	month		Born in county

1851 6 Red Lion Street, Holborn (HO 107/1513/431 pp. 2-3)

Francis	Kidner	Head	41	Butcher empl. 1 man	W. Monckton
Jane	"	Wife	36		Bawderip, Somerset
Jane	"	Daur	12	Scholar	Covent Garden
Sarah	"	Daur	10	Scholar	Covent Garden
Richard	"	Son	8	Scholar	St Andrew, Holborn
Louisa	"	Daur	5	Scholar	St Andrew, Holborn
Elizabeth	"	Daur	3	Scholar	St Andrew, Holborn
Emily	"	Daur	9 mths		St Andrew, Holborn

1861 23 Cross Street, Islington

Francis	Kidner	Head	51	Coffee House Keeper	Monckton, Somerset
Jane GB	"	Wife	46		Bridgwater
Jane	"	Daur	22	Envelope Folder	Covent Garden
Sarah	"	Daur	20	Assistant wholesale stationers	St Andrew Holborn
Richard	"	Son	18	Railway Clerk	St Andrew Holborn
Louisa	"	Daur	14	Scholar	St Andrew Holborn
Emily	"	Daur	10	Scholar	St Clements
George	"	Son	7	Scholar	St Clements
Francis	"	Son	7	Scholar	St Clements

1871 89 Bolsover Street, St Marylebone

James G ³³	Kidner	Head	56		Bridgwater
Jane	"	Daur	32	Fancy Stationer	St Paul's Covent Garden
Louisa	"	Daur	24		St Paul's Covent garden
Emily	"	Daur	20	Fancy Stationer	St Andrew's Holborn
George	"	Son	17	General Clerk Attorney's	St Clement Dane's
Francis	"	Son	17	General Clerk Attorney's	St Clement Dane's

³³ a mistake on the original census form; should read 'Jane G'

What is Francis up to? He appears to have deserted his family:

1871 5 Waverley Terrace, Paddington (RG10 piece 1 folio 80 page 72)

Frank	Kidner	Lodger	60	Cabman	Somerset, Bristol
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Francis died, in Kensington RD, in Q3 1877, aged 68.

1881 75 Charrington Street, Somers Town, St Pancras

Jane Grace	Kidner	Widow	66	Annuitant	Somerset
Jane	"	Daur	42	Stationer	Covent Garden
Emily	"	Daur	30	Stationer	Holborn
George	"	Son	27	Solicitor's Manager's Clerk	Lincoln's Inn

1891 91 Lady Margaret Road, Islington

Charles	Everall	Head	44	Admiralty Clerk 1st gr. 2 div.	St Marylebone
Emily	"	Wife	40		St Andrews Holborn
Emily	"	Daur	6	Scholar	St Pancras
Harriet V.	"	Daur	3		St Pancras
Jane G.	Kidner	M in L	76	Living on own means	Broadrip
Jane	"	Sis in L	52	Envelope Folder	St Martin in the Fields

Jane Grace Kidner died in Q2 1900 in Islington

1901 St Pancras Workhouse

Jane	Kidner	Single	62	Envelope Folder	Middlesex
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Jane died in the Workhouse in Q1 1909 aged 69.

22.4.1 Richard Kidner, railway clerk

Richard, the son of Francis Kidner and Jane Grace Parsons, was born on 6th March 1843 in Holborn.

1861 23 Cross Street, Islington

Francis	Kidner	Head	51	Coffee House Keeper	Monckton, Somerset
Jane GB	"	Wife	46		Bridgwater
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Richard	"	Son	18	Railway Clerk	St Andrew Holborn

1871 31 Moore Street, Chelsea

Richard	Kidner	Lodger	28	Railway Company Clerk	St Andrew's Holborn
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1881 14 Mayfield Road, Wimbledon

Richard	Kidner	Head	38	Railway Secretary	Holborn
Mary Ann	"	Wife	32		Westminster
Arthur R.	"	Son	1		Wimbledon
Beatrice	Daymond	S in L	16		Westminster

1891 139 Rosendale Road, Norwood

Richard	Kidner	Head	46	Company's Secretary	Middlesex
Mary A.	"	Wife	42		Westminster
Arthur R.	"	Son	11	Scholar	Wimbledon

Richard died in Q4 1900 in Norwood RD

1901 16 New Clive Road, Lambeth

Martha	Daymond	Head	78	Widow (living on own means)	Hoxton
Mary A	Kidner	Daur	52	Widow (living on own means)	Westminster
Annie	Daymond	Daur	39		Westminster
Beatrice	Daymond	Daur	36		Westminster
Arthur R.	Kidner	G Son	21	Undergraduate at Cambridge	Wimbledon

22.4.1.1 Arthur Richard Kidner

1911 Swinney Garth, Hatherley Crescent, Sidcup, Kent

Arthur Richard	Kidner	Head	31	Higher Grade Clerk, GPO	Wimbledon
Mabel	"	Wife	27		Camberwell
Mary Ann	"	Mother	62		Westminster

22.4.2 Louisa Kidner

Louisa, the daughter of Francis Kidner and Jane Grace Parsons, was born in Q2 1846.

1881 100 Piccadilly (home of the Badminton Club)

Louisa	Kidner	Serv	32	Domestic Servant Cook	Holborn
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1891 54 Grand Parade, East Parade, Sussex

Louisa	Kidner	Serv	40	Housekeeper	London
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1901 "Kintore", Dalton Road, Eastbourne, Sussex

Louisa	Kidner	Head	54	Boarding House Keeper (single)	Holborn
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In 1911 Louisa is boarding at the home of 29-year old railway porter Frederick Cooley and his family:

1911 35 Terminus Place, Eastbourne, Sussex

Louisa	Kidner	Boarder	64	Private Means	London, Oldham ³⁴
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22.4.3 George Kidner of Lincoln's Inn

George Kidner, the son of Francis Kidner and Jane Grace Parsons, was born in Q3 1853. He married Helen Jane Peddie in Q3 1885 in St Marylebone.

1891 78 Falkland Road, Kentish Town

George	Kidner	Head	37	Solicitor's Clerk	Lincoln's Inn
Helen J.	"	Wife	32		Marylebone
Gertrude H.	"	Daur	4		St Pancras
George M.	"	Son	3		St Pancras
Lillian A.	"	Daur	2		St Pancras
Harold J.	"	Son	11 mths		St Pancras
Amy M.	"	Niece	11		Marylebone

1901 35 Oseney Crescent, St Pancras, London

George	Kidner	Head	47	Solicitor's Clerk	Lincoln's Inn
Helen Jane	"	Wife	42		Marylebone
Gertrude Helen	"	Daur	14		Kentish Town
George Malcolm	"	Son	13		Kentish Town
Lillian Agnes	"	Daur	11		Kentish Town
Harold John	"	Son	10		Kentish Town
Maud Evelan	"	Daur	5		Kentish Town

1911 29 Ossian Road, Strand-on-the-Green

George	Kidner	Head	57	Solicitor's Clerk	Lincoln's Inn
Helen Jane	"	Wife	52		St Marylebone
Gertrude Helen	"	Daur	24		St Pancras
George Malcolm	"	Son	23	Mercantile Clerk	St Pancras
Lillian Agnes	"	Daur	22	Mercantile Clerk	St Pancras
Harold John	"	Son	20	Mercantile Clerk	St Pancras
Maud Eveleen	"	Daur	15		St Pancras

George Malcolm went to Australia; Lillian died in Ilford in 1951; Harold died in France in 1916.

³⁴ Presumably a misunderstanding by the head of the family who had never heard of Holborn!

22.4.4 Francis Kidner

Frank Kidner was the twin brother of George, above, born in Q3 1853.

1871 89 Bolsover Street, St Marylebone

James G ³⁵	Kidner	Head	56		Bridgwater
Jane	"	Daur	32	Fancy Stationer	St Paul's Covent Garden
Louisa	"	Daur	24		St Paul's Covent garden
Emily	"	Daur	20	Fancy Stationer	St Andrew's Holborn
George	"	Son	17	General Clerk Attorney's	St Clement Dane's
Francis	"	Son	17	General Clerk Attorney's	St Clement Dane's

1881 Waterloo House, Pall Mall East, St Martin in the Fields

Frank	Kidner	Serv	26	Porter to Linen Draper	Holborn
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I can find no trace of Francis in 1891 or 1901.

1911 43 Burghley Road, St Pancras

Francis	Kidner	Boarder	57	Government Messenger	St Clement Danes
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³⁵ a mistake on the original census form; should read 'Jane G'

23. Robert Kidner of North Petherton

Robert, the son of James Kidner and Betty Dembury, was baptised on 5th April 1789 in North Petherton. He married Elizabeth [] in [c. 1823] at [].

In 1838, one Mr Bowen had written a pamphlet that was highly critical of the workings of the new Poor Law Act, the Act under which the Poor Law Unions and associated workhouses had been set up, and had used the case of Robert and Elizabeth Kidner as an example of systemic failure. The House of Lords Select Committee were keen to discover if his criticisms were justified.

"In Page 78 of the papers submitted to this Committee you mention the case of "a wretched man, who escaped from the Bridgewater pesthouse without taking with him his wife and children, for whom he had no shelter of any description whatever, and was by the chairman and deputy-chairman of the board of guardians, in their magisterial capacity, consigned to prison and a treadmill." Who was that man? — His name was Robert Kidner." &c &c

1841 St Matthew's Field, Bridgwater (HO 107/971/1/26 page 43)

Robert	Kidner	50	Lab	born in Somerset
Elizabeth	"	48		born in Somerset
Robert	"	11		born in Somerset
John	"	8		born in Somerset

1851 St Matthew's Field, Bridgwater, Somerset

Robert	Kidner	Head	65	Brick yard labourer	North Petherton
Elizabeth	"	Wife	63		Durston
Robert	"	Son	22	Plasterer	Durston

Elizabeth died shortly before the 1861 census, in Q1 1861.

1861 West Street, Bridgwater

Robert	Kidner	Lodger	74	Widower, Labourer	North Petherton
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Robert junior died in November 1867, aged 34 (National Burial Index) or aged 38 (GRO) at Bridgwater RD. I can find no trace of him in the 1861 census.

1871 Bridgwater Union Workhouse

Robert	Kidner	Widower	72 (sic)	Labourer	North Petherton
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Robert died in January 1872 at the age of 83 at Bridgwater, and was buried at St Mary's, Bridgwater, on 26th January 1872.

23.1 Thomas Kidner

Thomas, son of Robert Kidner and Elizabeth [], was baptised at North Petherton on 15th February 1824.

1851 Clenchwarton, Wisbeach, Norfolk (HO 107 1767/92 p.37)

Thomas	Kidner	Lodger	24	Excavator	Bridgwater
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23.2 John Kidner, convict, of Western Australia

John was baptised at North Petherton on 7th April 1833, the son of Robert Kidner and Elizabeth [].

1841 St Matthew's Field, Bridgwater (HO 107/971/1/26 page 43)

Robert	Kidner	50	Lab	born in Somerset
Elizabeth	"	48		born in Somerset
Robert	"	11		born in Somerset
John	"	8		born in Somerset

1851 Portland Gaol, Dorset

Jno	Kidner	21	Labourer	Petherton
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John had been convicted at Wells Assizes Sessions at Taunton on 7th January 1850 for stealing sheep and sentenced to 10 years' transportation. He had had a previous conviction for stealing apples, so it was lucky he wasn't hanged. He left England on the 30th December 1853 aboard the *Sea Park*, and arrived at Fremantle on 5th April 1854. He was granted a ticket of leave immediately (see below). He received a conditional pardon on 10th May 1855, and married Maria Connell at Newcastle, WA, on 6th September 1862. Maria had reached Fremantle on 24th June 1862 aboard the *Mary Harrison*.

Wikipedia explains: A **ticket of leave** was a document issued to convicts transported from the UK who had served a period of probation, and had shown by their good behaviour that they could be allowed certain freedoms. Once granted a ticket of leave, a convict was permitted to seek employment within a specified district but could not leave the district without the permission of the government or the district's resident magistrate. Each change of employer or district was recorded on the ticket.

Ticket of leave men were permitted to marry or to bring their families from Britain, and to acquire property, but they were not permitted to carry firearms or board a ship. They were often required to repay the cost of their passage to the colony. A convict who observed the conditions of his ticket of leave until the completion of one half of his sentence was entitled to a conditional pardon, which removed all restrictions except the right to leave the colony.

24. Robert Kidner and Jane Pinn

Robert Kidner married Jane Pinn, both of the parish of Hutton, on 5th May 1787. Their children included:

- Elizabeth, baptised at Hutton on 5th May 1788
- Ann, baptised at Hutton on 8th February 1790
- Thomas, baptised at Hutton on 12th January 1792
- Sarah, baptised at Hutton on 16th March 1794
- Robert, baptised at Hutton on 13th March 1798
- Jane, baptised at Hutton on 26th July 1801 (died September 1802)
- John, baptised at Hutton on 11 May 1806
- James, baptised at Hutton on 26th March 1809

24.1 Thomas Kidner, mason, of Hutton, Somerset

Thomas, son of Robert Kidner and Jane Pinn, was born in Hutton in about 1792, and married Mary Kington on 23rd May 1823 in Hutton, (having apparently also married her at Worle on 10th May 1823).

1841 Weston super Mare (HO 107/968/8/12 p.16)

Thomas	Kidner	50	Stone Mason	born in Somerset
Mary	"	50		"
Ann	"	17		"
James	"	15	Mason	"
Elizabeth	"	13		"
Robert	"	11		"
Tho[mas]	"	8		"

1851 New Street, Weston super Mare

Thomas	Kidner	Head	59	Stonemason (journeyman)	Hutton
Elizabeth	"	Daur	23	Dressmaker	Weston super Mare
Robert	"	Son	21	Printer compositor	Weston super Mare
Thomas	"	Son	18	Printer's asst.	Weston super Mare

Both parents seem to have died before 1861. An Elizabeth Kidner died in Q1 1852, and the deaths of two Thomas's were recorded in Axbridge RD, in Q2 1853 and in Q1 1856.

24.1.1 Ann Kidner

Ann was the eldest child of Thomas Kidner and Mary Kington, and was born in 1824. She spent almost all her life living with her younger brother Robert and his family (see under Robert for Ann's later census details).

1851 2 Albert Buildings, Weston super Mare

Anne	Kidner	Serv.	26	Housemaid	Weston super Mare
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Ann died in Q4 1902 at Bristol aged 79.

24.1.2 James Kidner, carpenter, of Bristol

James, the eldest son of Thomas Kidner and Mary Kington, was born in Weston super Mare in c. 1826. He married [subject to confirmation] Ann Jones in Q3 1850 in Axbridge (vol 10 page 463).

1851 1 Meadow Lane, Weston super Mare

James	Kidner	Head	25	Carpenter	Weston super Mare
Ann	"	Wife	25	Milliner	P. of St Philip, Gloster
Sarah ³⁶	"	Serv	13	House servant	Yatton

1861 9 Charles Street, St James, Bristol

James	Kidner ³⁷	Head	36	Carpenter	Weston super Mare
Ann	"	Wife	36		Stapleton, Gloucester
Walter James	"	Son	9	Scholar	Weston super Mare
Edward T.	"	Son	7	Scholar	Pimlico
Robert S	"	Son	4	Scholar	St James, Bristol
Annie Mary	"	Daur	1		St James, Bristol

1871 Newton House, Newton Street, St Philip & St Jacob, Bristol

James	Kidner	Head	45	Carpenter	Weston Super Mare
Ann	"	Wife	46		Bristol
Walter J	"	Son	20	Accountant	Weston Super Mare
Edward	"	Son	17	Printer	London
Robert S.	"	Son	15	Clerk	Bristol
Annie M.	"	Daur	12	Scholar	Bristol

1881 1 Dean St, St Paul's, Bristol

James	Kidner	Head	55	Builder	Weston Super Mare
Anne	"	Wife	56		Bristol
Walter J.	"	Son	29	Professor of Music	Weston Super Mare
Edward T.	"	Son	27	Commercial Clerk	Pimlico
Robert S.	"	Son	24	Builder	Bristol
Annie M.	"	Daur	21		Bristol

1891 1 Dean Street, Bristol St Paul

James	Kidner	Head	65	Carpenter and Builder	Weston Super Mare
Ann	"	Wife	66		Bristol
Annie	"	Daur	31	Schoolmistress (single)	Bristol

James died in Q1 1897, aged 71, at Bristol.

1901 30, King Square, Bristol

Mary Ann	Kidner	Widow	69		Marlborough, Wilts
William Henry	Kidner	Son	32	Printer	Bristol
Ann	Kidner	S in Law	76		Weston Super Mare

Ann died at Bristol in Q4 1902, aged 79 (GRO)

³⁶ Sarah was the daughter of John Kidner and Mary Bishop, of Yatton

³⁷ indexed as 'Kidned' on ancestry.co.uk

24.1.2.1 Walter James Kidner

Walter James, the son of James Kidner and Ann Jones was born in about 1850 (although his birth is not in the GRO index), and he married Elizabeth Bradshaw in Q3 1883 in Bristol.

1891 Oakland, Waverley Road, Westbury

Walter J.	Kidner	Head	39	Teacher of Singing	Weston Super Mare
Elizabeth E.	"	Wife	29		Bristol
Herbert G.	Bradshaw	Son	9	Adopted son	Bristol

1901 37 Waverley Road, Weston Super Mare

Walter J.	Kidner	Head	49	Teacher of Singing	Weston Super Mare
Elizabeth	"	Wife	39		Bristol

1911 6 Hampton Park Redland, Bristol

Walter J	Kidner	Widower	59	Teacher of Singing, Sec Bristol Musical Festival	Weston Super Mare
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Walter died at the age of 60 in Bristol in Q4 1911.

24.1.2.2 Edward Thomas Kidner

Thomas, son of James and Anne Kidner née Jones, was born in Q4 1853 in St George's Hanover Square, London, and married Blanche Clevely in Q4 1882 in Bristol.

1891 50 Shadwell Road, Horfield, Gloucestershire

Edward T.	Kidner	Head	37	Manager Ag. Implement bus.	London
Blanche	"	Wife	32		Bristol St John

1901 39 Berkeley Road, Bristol

Edward T.	Kidner	Head	47	Manager Ag. Implement bus.	London
Blanche	"	Wife	42		Bristol
Reginald Edward		Son	9		Bristol

Edward died in Q2 1909 at Bristol, aged 55

1911 9 Claremont Road, Bishopston, Bristol

Blanche	Kidner	Widow	53	Private Means	St John's, Bristol
Reginald Edward	"	Son	19	Draughtsman, Rolling Stock	Bishopston, Bristol

24.1.2.3 Robert Samuel Kidner

The son of James and Anne Kidner née Jones, he was born in Q1 1857, and married Lily Stabbins in Q1 1884 in Bristol

1891 11 East Grove, Bristol St James & St Paul

Robert S.	Kidner	Head	34	Carpenter	Bristol
Lily	"	Wife	33		Bristol
Gwendolen	"	Daur	days		Bristol

1901 11 East Grove, Bristol

Robert S.	Kidner	Head	42	Builder & Carpenter	Bristol
Lillie	"	Wife	42		Bristol
Gwendolene ³⁸	"	Daur	1		Bristol

³⁸ Age should be '10', but is clearly written as '1' on the census return

24.1.2.4 Annie M. Kidner

Annie was the daughter of James and Ann Kidner née Jones and was born in Q1 1860 in Bristol.

1891 1 Dean Street, Bristol St Paul

James	Kidner	Head	65	Carpenter and Builder	Weston Super Mare
Ann	"	Wife	66		Bristol
Annie	"	Daur	31	Schoolmistress (single)	Bristol

1901 1 Dean Street, Bristol

Annie M.	Kidner	Head	41	Teacher	Bristol
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1911 1 Dean Street, St. Paul, Bristol

Annie Mary	Kidner	Head	51	Teacher Pianoforte & Swimming	Bristol
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Annie died in Q1 1938 at Bristol, aged 78.

24.1.3 Robert Kidner, newspaperman, of Bristol

Robert, son of Thomas Kidner, mason of Hutton, and Mary Kington, was born on 15th January 1830. He married Mary Ann Bessell in Q3 1865 in Bristol.

1861 New Street, Weston Super Mare

Robert	Kidner	Head	31	Printer & Shorthand reporter	Weston Super Mare
Ann	"	Sister	36	Housekeeper	Weston Super Mare

1871 Shop, Lead House Lane, St Philip, Bristol

Robert	Kidner	Head	40	Printer, Reader & Reporter	Weston Super Mare
Mary Ann	"	Wife	41		Marlborough, Wilts
Thomas	"	Son	4		Bristol
William H.	"	Son	2		Bristol
Ann	"	Sister	46		Weston Super Mare

1881 101 Grosvenor Road, Bristol

Robert	Kidner	Head	51	Letter Press Printer	Weston Super Mare
Mary Ann	"	Wife	47		Marlborough, Wilts
Thomas Bessell	"	Son	14	Clerk in Merchant's office	Bristol
William Henry	"	Son	12	Scholar	Bristol
Ann	"	Sister	56	Domestic Assistant	Weston Super Mare

1891 30 King Square, Bristol St James

Robert	Kidner	Head	61	Newspaper Compositor	Weston Super Mare
Mary Ann	"	Wife	57		Marlborough
William H.	"	Son	22	Newspaper Compositor (single)	Bristol
Ann	"	Sister	66		Weston Super Mare

Both Robert and Ann, Robert's sister, died at Bristol in Q4 1899 at the ages of 69 and 75. His widow, Mary Ann, took in James's widow, Ann née Jones.

1901 30 King's Square, Bristol

Mary Ann	Kidner	Wid	69	Own Means	Marlborough
William	"	Son	32	Printer	Bristol
Ann	"	S in L	76		Weston Super Mare

24.1.3.1 Thomas Bessell Kidner

Thomas Bessell Kidner married Emily Edith Allen on 9th November 1889 at Bristol.

1891 3 Oxford Street, Bristol St James & St Paul, Gloucestershire

Thomas B	Kidner	Head	24	Joiner	Bristol St Philip
Emily E.	"	Wife	24		Bristol St Paul
Arthur W.C.	"	Son	2 mths		Bristol St Barnabas

Thomas Bessell Kidner and his family emigrated from England to Canada and became a leading authority in the then new field of Occupational Therapy, and his influence and methods are still taught today.

24.1.3.2 William Henry Kidner

William Henry was the son of Robert Kidner and Mary Ann Bessell, and was born in Q2 1868

1891 30 King Square, Bristol St James

Robert	Kidner	Head	61	Newspaper Compositor	Weston Super Mare
Mary Ann	"	Wife	57		Marlborough
William H.	"	Son	22	Newspaper Compositor (single)	Bristol
Ann	"	Sister	66		Weston Super Mare

1901 30 King's Square, Bristol

Mary Ann	Kidner	Wid	69	Own Means	Marlborough
William	"	Son	32	Printer	Bristol
Ann	"	S in L	76		Weston Super Mare

In 1906 William is recorded in the census of Prairie Provinces, in the Calgary Region of Alberta, which notes that he immigrated to Canada in 1903. He was also at Calgary in the 1911 census.

24.2 Robert Kidner and Hannah Hole

Robert, son of Robert Kidner and Jane née Pinn, was baptised at Hutton on 13th March 1798. He married Hannah Hole, a widow who had been born Hannah Hawkins³⁹, on 19th March 1831 at North Petherton.

1841 Hutton, Somerset

Robert	Kidner	40	Ag Lab	Born in Somerset
Hannah	"	35		"
Henery	"	9		"
Sarah	"	8		"

1851 Bleadon, Somerset

Robert	Kidner	Head	52	Agricultural labourer	Hutton
Hannah	"	Wife	49		Berrow
Sarah	"	Daur	17		Hutton

Robert died at the age of 55 and was buried at St Peter & St Paul, Bleadon, on 2nd December 1853.

Sarah married William Radford, a shoemaker, in Q2 1852 and they left for South Australia in 1857 on the *Henry Moore*, arriving at Port Adelaide on 13th September of that year⁴⁰.

In **1861** Hannah was living with son Henry at Great Alford Street, Weston super Mare:

Henry	Kiden	Head	29	Mason	Hutton
Hannah	"	Wife	30	Laundress	Weston Super Mare
Walter C.	"	Son	3	Scholar	Weston Super Mare
Harry G	"	Son	11 mths		Weston super Mare
Hannah	"	M in Law	60		Weston super Mare

Hannah died in February 1867 at Weston Super Mare.

24.2.1 Henry Kidner, mason of Weston super Mare

Henry, son of Robert Kidner and Hannah Hole, was baptised at Hutton on 12th April 1832. He married Hannah Jones in Axbridge RD in Q2 1857

1841 Hutton, Somerset

Robert	Kidner	40	Ag Lab	Born in Somerset
Hannah	"	35		"
Henery	"	9		"
Sarah	"	8		"

1851 Ludhill, Hutton, Somerset (household of James Davis, farmer of 125 acres)

Henry	Kidner	Serv	19	Farm labourer	Somerset, Hutton
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1861 Great Alford Street, Weston super Mare

Henry	Kiden	Head	29	Mason	Hutton
Hannah	"	Wife	30	Laundress	Weston Super Mare
Walter C.	"	Son	3	Scholar	Weston Super Mare
Harry G	"	Son	11 mths		Weston super Mare
Hannah	"	M in Law	60		Weston super Mare

1871 3 Waterloo Cottages, Weston Super Mare

Henry	Kidney	Head	39	Mason	Hutton
Hannah	"	Wife	40	Laundress	Weston Super Mare
Walter C.	"	Son	13	Scholar	Weston Super Mare
Eliza	Kidner	Daur	7	Scholar	Weston Super Mare
Emily	"	Daur	5	Scholar	Weston Super Mare
Mary Jane	"	Daur	1		Weston Super Mare

³⁹ Thanks to Ian Redpath and Maxine Pitt for this information

⁴⁰ research by C. Scott Hooper of Prospect, SA.

1881 59 Palmer Street, Weston Super Mare

Henry	Kidner	Head	49	Stone mason	Hutton
Hannah	"	Wife	50	Laundress	Weston Super Mare
Eliza	Kidner	Daur	17		Weston Super Mare
Mary J.	"	Daur	11	Scholar	Weston Super Mare
William J.	Parsons	Nephew	22	Baker	Weston Super Mare

1881 12 Oriel Terrace, Weston Super Mare

Emily	Kidner	Serv	14	Domestic Servant	Weston Super Mare
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In 1889 Emily married James William Webb, a Police Constable.

1891 59 Palmer Street, Weston Super Mare

Henry	Kidner	Head	59	Mason	Hutton
Hannah	"	Wife	59		Weston Super Mare
Harriett	"	Gdaur	5		Cardiff

Henry died in Q3 1894, aged 63 at Weston Super Mare. He had fallen from a scaffold and was killed.

1901 59 Palmer Street, Weston Super Mare

Hannah	Kidner	Widow	69	Laundress	Weston Super Mare
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1911 52 Palmer Street, Weston Super Mare

Hannah	Kidner	Widow	79		Weston Super Mare
Emily	Webb	Daur	44	Widow	Weston Super Mare
Henry William	Webb	G'son	20	Insurance Agent (Pearl Co.)	Bath
Lizzie	Webb	G'daur	16		Taunton
Winifred	Webb	G'daur	11		Taunton
Alexandra May	Webb	G'daur	8		Taunton

Hannah died in Q3 1918.

24.2.1.1 Walter Charles Kidner

Walter Charles, son of Henry Kidner and Hannah Jones, was born in Q2 1858 at Weston-super-Mare.

1871 3 Waterloo Cottages, Weston Super Mare

Henry	Kidney	Head	39	Mason	Hutton
Hannah	"	Wife	40	Laundress	Weston Super Mare
Walter C.	"	Son	13	Scholar	Weston Super Mare
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1881 23 Arthur Street, Roath, Glamorgan

Walter C.	Kidner	Lodger	23	Mason	Weston-super-Mare
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Walter married Mary Ann Gadd in Q3 1884 in Bridgwater RD (vol. 5c, p. 569)

1891 30 Inverness Place, Roath, Glamorgan

Walter C.	Kidner	Head	33	Stone Mason	Weston Super Mare
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1891 Huntspill (household of Alfred Board and family)

Annie	Kidner	Married	30		Burnham (?)
Henry	"		2		Cardiff
Frank	"		5 mths		Cardiff

In 1891 Harriet was staying with her grandparents, Henry and Hannah Kidner, in Weston Super Mare (see above).

1901 56 Monthermer Street, Roath, Glamorgan

Walter C.	Kidner	Head	43	Stone Mason	Weston Super Mare
Annie	"	Wife	40		Highbridge
Harriet	"	Daur	15		Cardiff
Henry	"	Daur	12		Cardiff
Frank	"	Daur	10		Cardiff

1901 38 Somerset Street, Abertillery, Monmouth (home of Harriet Board, schoolteacher)

Florence H.	Kidner	Visitor	7		Cardiff
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Mary Ann's death was registered at Cardiff in Q3 1905. Walter was re-married in Q2 1907, to Mary Davies.

1911 6 Reforne, Portland, Dorset

Walter C	Kidner	Lodger	53	Stone Mason	Weston Super Mare
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His loyal wife, Mary, also records Walter as living in the family home:

1911 9 Flora Street, Cardiff

Walter C	Kidner	Head	52	Stone Mason	Weston Super Mare
Mary	"	Wife	42		Llanstephan, Carmarthen.
John	Dawkins	Boarder	40	Postman	Pembroke

Mary died at Cardiff in Q1 1936, aged 67. Walter reached the age of 78 – rare for a stone mason – and died at Cardiff a year later, in Q1 1937.

25. Samuel Kidner of Bermondsey

Samuel Kidner, the youngest son of Richard Kidner and Mary Lyng of West Monkton in Somerset, was born in 1780. He married Alatheia Lane on 7th January 1807 at St George's Hanover Square in London. He practised as a Master Butcher in Bermondsey, and had ten children:

- John, born 1808 in Southwark. Traded as a butcher and died 21 April 1873 in Lambeth
- Samuel, born March 1809 in Bermondsey. Ran a dyeworks and laundry in Hammersmith; took up interest in homeopathy and emigrated to South Australia
- Job, born 1810 in Bermondsey. Died Q4 1866. Butcher
- Alatheia, born Q2 1842 in Bermondsey
- George, born 1813 in Bermondsey. Traded as a butcher in Brixton and then in Market Lavington, Wiltshire.
- James Frederick, born 1816 in Bermondsey. Emigrated c. 1856 to Ontario. Died in 1903 in Hamilton, Ontario.
- Mary Ann, born 1817 in Bermondsey
- Francis, born and died in 1820 in Bermondsey
- Eliza, born in 1828 in Bermondsey
- Francis, born 1832 in Bermondsey. Emigrated to Queensland where he operated as a printer and publisher

1841 10 Millpond Street, Bermondsey (HO 107/1048/26)

Samuel	Kidner	60	Butcher	Not born in Surrey
Alatheia	"	55		Not born in Surrey
Eliza	"	14		Born in Surrey
Francis	"	8		Born in Surrey

Alatheia died in Q3 1849.

1851 High Street, Deptford (HO107/1584/433)

Samuel	Kidner	Widower	70	Butcher	Bridgwater
Job	"	Son	40	Butcher	Bermondsey
Mary Ann	"	Wife	38		Bermondsey
Edward	"	Gson	8	Scholar	Deptford
Frederick	"	Gson	5		Deptford
Alice	"	Gdaur	3		Deptford
Ernest	"	Gson	2		Deptford

Samuel died in Q2 1852 at Lambeth.

25.1 John Kidner, butcher, of Lambeth

John Kidner, the eldest son of Samuel Kidner and Alatheia Lane, was born in Bermondsey in about 1808. He married Jane Robson Blackburn at St Dunstan in the East on 30th December 1830.

1841 Bermondsey Wall

John	Kidner	33	Butcher	Born in Surrey
Jane	"	34		Not born in Surrey
Emma	"	5		Born in Surrey
Walter	"	2		Born in Surrey

1841 Ritchie's Place, Rotherhithe (household of Elizabeth Fowler)

William	Kidner	1		Born in Surrey
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William Robson Kidner died in Q2 1849 at the age of 9.

1851 21 Bermondsey Wall, Surrey

John	Kidner	Head	43	Master Butcher emp. 1 youth	Bermondsey
Jane R	"	Wife	44		Durham
Emma	"	Daur	15	Scholar	Bermondsey
Alatheia	"	Daur	8	Scholar	Bermondsey

1851 1 Buckingham Vale, Clifton, Gloucestershire

William	Jones	Head	34	Teacher of General Literature	Wales
Henry	Kidner	Visitor	13	Scholar	Brixton, Surrey
Walter	"	Visitor	12	Scholar	Bermondsey

1861 13 Commerce Place, Lambeth

John	Kidner	Head	53	Butcher emp. son and 2 boys	Bermondsey
Jane R	"	Wife	54		Durham, Barnard Castle
Walter	"	Son	22	Butcher	Bermondsey
Emma S.	"	Daur	25		Bermondsey
Alathea J	"	Daur	18		Bermondsey

1871 13 Commerce Place, Lambeth

John	Kidner	Head	63	Butcher (empl. 1 man & 1 boy)	Bermondsey
Jane R.	"	Wife	64		Barnard Castle
Emma S.	"	Daur	35		Bermondsey

John died on 21st April 1873 at 65 Brixton Road, aged 63.

1881 29 Peckham Rye, Camberwell (household of William and Emily Brook, Coffee Tavern Keeper)

Jane R.	Kidner	Widow	75	Boarder	Barnard Castle, Durham
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Jane Robson Kidner née Blackburn died in Q1 1887 at Lambeth RD aged 80.

25.1.1 Aleathea Janet Kidner

Aleathea, daughter of John Kidner and Jane Blackburn, was born in Q2 1842 in Bermondsey.

1851 21 Bermondsey Wall, Surrey

John	Kidner	Head	43	Master Butcher emp. 1 youth	Bermondsey
Jane R	"	Wife	44		Durham
Emma	"	Daur	15	Scholar	Bermondsey
Aleathea	"	Daur	8	Scholar	Bermondsey

1861 13 Commerce Place, Lambeth

John	Kidner	Head	53	Butcher emp. son and 2 boys	Bermondsey
Jane R	"	Wife	54		Durham, Barnard Castle
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Alathea J	"	Daur	18		Bermondsey

She married George Brook, a master tailor, at Lambeth in Q2 1865. In 1871 they lived with her parents:

1871 13 Commerce Place, Lambeth

George	Brook	Head	29	Master Tailor	Camberwell
Aleathea J	"	Wife	23		Bermondsey
Bertha J	"	Daur	2		Brixton

Bertha Jane married Arthur Williams Frisby, "manufacturer of Ladies Underskirts and Blouses" (1911 census) in Q2 1900 at Elham RD in Kent. They had a son named Clifford Brook Frisby, who wrote, inter alia, *Tests for Engineering Apprentices: A Validation Study*, published in 1959.

1911 Brookland, Woodcote Valley Road, Purley

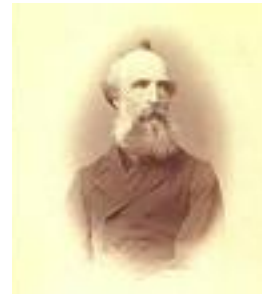
George	Brook	Head	69	Retired Tailor	Newington, London
Aleathea Janet	"	Wife	68		Bermondsey, Surrey

Aleathea Janet died in Croydon RD in Q2 1931 aged 89.

25.2 Samuel Kidner of South Australia

Second son of Samuel Kidner and Alatheia Lane, he was born in March 1809.

Samuel formed a partnership with a chap called Stokes to run a dyers' business in Hammersmith, a partnership which, The Times reported, on September 4th 1844 was dissolved. He married Amelia Hannah Holland in Q1 1841 in Kensington, but she died in Q4 1846 as a result of a difficult childbirth. By 1851 only the third of their three children, Albertina, had survived.



1841 Millpond Street, Bermondsey

Samuel	Kidner	30	Grocer	Born in Surrey
Amelia	"	20		Born in Surrey

1851 7 Angel Row, Hammersmith (HO 107/1470/183)

Samuel	Kidner	Widower	42	Dyer & Ironer 2m 1w 1b	Bermondsey
Hannah	Holland	M in L	53		Portsea
Deresa Pauline	Delugouttee			Shopwoman	Paris

1851 School House, Fletching, Sussex

Albertina	Kidner	Pupil	5	Scholar	Rotherhithe
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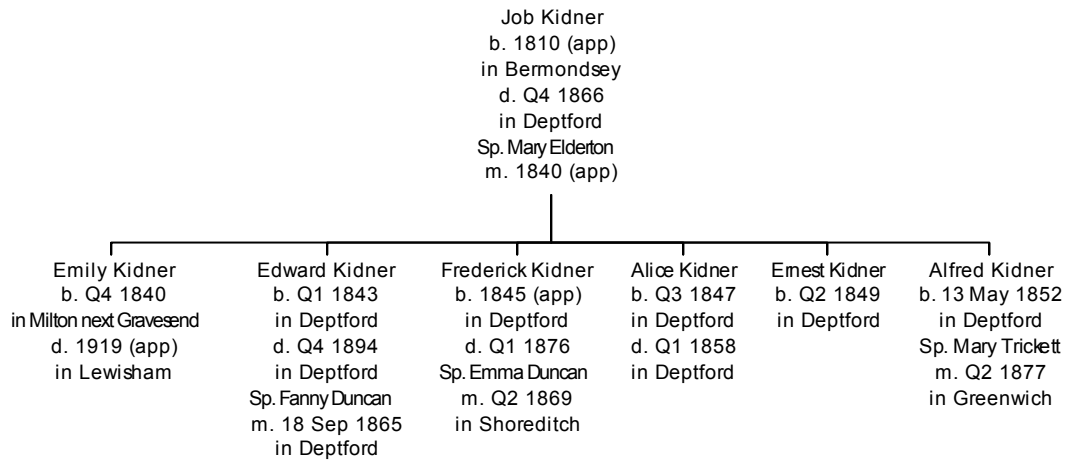
Samuel emigrated to South Australia in January 1857 with his daughter, Albertina. He is pictured, *above right*, in about 1870 (photo from the Australian Archives). He married Caroline Black in Adelaide in 1870. Samuel was an energetic member of the Church of Christ in Melbourne.

We condense the following from the Melbourne Medley of June 12, 1858:--

Mr. KIDNER is expected to lecture in the Mechanics' Institution, on Lord's day evening June 13th, at half-past six. As this is the first appearance of Mr. Kidner as an evening lecturer in Melbourne, we cordially invite the community.

Reprinted from *British Millennial Harbinger*, 1858, p. 507.

25.3 Job Kidner and Mary Ann Elderton



1841 Parrock Street, Milton, Gravesend, Kent (HO 107/460/11/32 p.10)

Job	Kidner	30	Butcher	Not born in Kent
Mary	"	28		Not born in Kent
Emily	"	7 months		Born in Kent

1851 High Street, Deptford (HO107/1584/433)

Samuel	Kidner	Widower	70	Butcher	Bridgwater
Job	"	Son	40	Butcher	Bermondsey
Mary Ann	"	Wife	38		Bermondsey
Edward	"	Gson	8	Scholar	Deptford
Frederick	"	Gson	5		Deptford
Alice	"	Gdaur	3		Deptford
Ernest	"	Gson	2		Deptford

The 1861 census records for No. 1 High Street, Deptford appear to have been lost (they exist for No. 3 onwards).

1871 1 High Street, Deptford

Mrs	Kidner	Widow	58	Butcher	Bermondsey
Emily	"	Daur	34		Gravesend
Ernest	"	Son	22	Butcher	Deptford
Alfred	"	Son	18		Deptford

1881 7 High Street Deptford

Mary Ann	Kidner	Widow	68	Butcher	Bermondsey
Emily Mary	"	Daur	40	Butcher	Gravesend
Eliza	Hatfall	Cousin	62	Butcher	Deptford
Edward	Lintott	Man	23	Butcher	Woolwich

25.3.1 Emily Mary Kidner

Emily, the daughter of Job Kidner and Mary Ann Elderton, was born in Q4 1840 in Milton next Gravesend. She never married.

1851 Greenwich (HO107/**6/295)

Emily Mary	Kidner	Pupil?	10		[Gravesend]
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1871 1 High Street, Deptford

Mrs	Kidner	Widow	58	Butcher	Bermondsey
Emily	"	Daur	34		Gravesend
Ernest	"	Son	22	Butcher	Deptford
Alfred	"	Son	18		Deptford

1881 7 High Street Deptford

Mary Ann	Kidner	Widow	68	Butcher	Bermondsey
Emily Mary	"	Daur	40	Butcher	Gravesend
Eliza	Hatfall	Cousin	62	Butcher	Deptford
Edward	Lintott	Man	23	Butcher	Woolwich

1901 402 New Cross Road, Deptford

Emily M.	Kidner	Head	62	Independent means	Milton next Gravesend
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25.3.2 Edward Roach Kidner

Edward Roach Kidner, the son of Job Kidner and Mary Ann Elderton, was born in Q1 1843 in Deptford. He married Fanny Duncan on 18th September 1865.

1871 18 Stanley Street, Deptford

Edward R.	Kidner	Head	28	Butcher	Deptford
Fanny	"	Wife	23		Sandwich
Fanny D	"	Daur	12 mths		Deptford
Henry	Duncan	B in L	23	Oilman's Assistant	Sandwich

1881 18 George Street, Deptford

Edward	Kidner	Head	38	Butcher	Deptford
Fanny	"	Wife	37	Sandwich	
Edward	"	Son	6	Scholar	Deptford
Alice	"	Daur	5	Scholar	Deptford
Florence	"	Daur	5 days		Deptford

1881 11 Brockley Road, Deptford, Kent (household of James Duncan)

Fanny D.	Kidner	G Daur	11	Scholar (visitor)	Deptford
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1891 1 High Street, Deptford

Edward R.	Kidner	Head	48	Butcher	Deptford
Fanny	"	Wife	46		Sandwich, Kent
Fanny D.	"	Daur	21		Deptford
Edward F.	"	Son	16	Cashier & Bookkeeper	Deptford
Alice M.	"	Daur	15		Deptford
Percy E.	"	Son	4		Deptford
Edith	"	Daur	2		Deptford

1891 Wolverton Road, Stony Stratford, Buckinghamshire (Household of Edward and Agnes Ann Slade)

Mary	Musgrave		18	Governess	Hull
Florence M.	Kidner	Pupil	10		London
Helen G.	"	Pupil	8		London

Edward Roach Kidner died in Q4 1894 in Deptford. Young Edith died in Q3 1899 aged 10. Fanny Duncan married a local undertaker, Frederick Thomas, in 1897, but was probably sick at home in 1901 for she died a week or so after the census was taken.

1901 40 Brockley Road, Deptford

Fanny	Kidner	Widow	56	Domestic Servant	Sandwich, Kent
Fanny D.	Thomas	Daur	31	Butcher's Manager	Deptford
Edward F.H.	Kidner	Son	26	Manager	Deptford
Florence M.	"	Daur	20	Draper's assistant	Deptford
Percy E.	"	Son	14	Butcher's Boy	Deptford
Walter	Duncan	Bro	48	Own Means (feeble-minded)	Sandwich

1901 No 1 Avenue Villas, St Lawrence, Ramsgate (Laura Bailey Principal of School)

Ellen	Kidner	Pupil	18		Deptford
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1911 40 Brockley Road, Deptford

Fanny	Kidner	Widow	66	Boarding House Keeper	Sandwich, Kent
Florence Mary	"	Daur	30		Deptford
Ellen Gertrude	"	Daur	28		Deptford
Andrew Ronald	Lee	Boarder	53	Collector	Dundee

25.3.3 Frederick George Kidner

Frederick, the son of Job Kidner and Mary Ann Elderton, was born in Q4 1845 in Deptford. In Q2 1869 he married Emma Duncan.

1871 18 Church Street, Greenwich

Frederick	Kidner	Head	25	Pork Butcher	Deptford
Emma	"	Wife	24		London

Frederick died in Q1 1876.

1881 15 Church Street, Greenwich

Emma	Kidner	Widow	34	Pork Butcher	London
Frederick	"	Son	9	Scholar	Greenwich
Emily	"	Daur	8		Greenwich
Arthur	"	Son	5		Greenwich

In Q4 1881 Emma married Carl Frederick Germer in Holborn RD.

1891 41 Jerningham Road, Deptford

Carl	Germer	Head	36	Baker & Confectioner	Germany
Emma	Germer	Wife	44		Westminster
Fred Louis	Kidner	Stepson	19	Assistant	Greenwich
Emily Harriett	Kidner	Stepdau	18		Greenwich

1901 41 Jerningham Street, Deptford

Charles	Germer	Head	46	Retired Master Baker	Germany (Nd Brit subj)
Emma	"	Wife	54		Holborn
Arthur	Kidner	Stepson	25	Ironmonger's assistant	Greenwich

1911 41 Jerningham Road, Deptford

Charles	Germer	Head	56	Gentleman	Germany (naturalised)
Emma	"	Wife	64		London

25.3.3.1 Frederick Louis Kidner

1901 49 Watney Street, St George in the East, London

Frederick	Kidner	Head	29	Baker shop keeper (single)	Greenwich
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Frederick Louis Kidner died in Q2 1907 at Greenwich.

25.3.3.2 Arthur Edward Kidner

1911 18 Albacore Crescent, Lewisham

Arthur Edward	Kidner	Head	35	Cutlery Agent	Greenwich
Ada	Kidner	Wife	30		Liverpool

25.3.4 Ernest Charles Kidner

Ernest Charles Kidner, son of Job Kidner and Mary Ann Elderton, was born in Q2 1849 in Deptford.

1871 1 High Street, Deptford

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Ernest	"	Son	22	Butcher	Deptford
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1881 ?

1891 3 Moor Lane, St Giles Cripplegate

Ernest	Kidner	Lodger	42	Constable City Police	Deptford
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1901 131 High Street, Lewisham

Alfred S.	Kidner	Head	48	Grocer & Wine Merchant	Deptford
Mary J.	"	Wife	56		Deptford
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Ernest Ch.	"	Bro	52	Own Means	Deptford

1911 131 High Street, Lewisham

Alfred S.	Kidner	Head	58	Grocer & Off-Licence Holder	Deptford
Mary J.	"	Wife	65		Deptford
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Ernest Charles	"	Boarder	62	Police Pensioner	Deptford

Ernest Charles died in Q2 1911 at Lewisham aged 62.

25.3.5 Alfred Samuel Kidner of Deptford

Alfred Samuel, son of Job Kidner and Mary Ann Elderton, was born on 13th May 1852. He married Mary Jane Trickett in Q2 1877.

1871 1 High Street, Deptford

Mrs	Kidner	Widow	58	Butcher	Bermondsey
Emily	"	Daur	34		Gravesend
Ernest	"	Son	22	Butcher	Deptford
Alfred	"	Son	18		Deptford

1881 131 High Street Lewisham

Alfred S.	Kidner	Head	29	Grocer	Deptford
Mary J.	"	Wife	36	Grocer's wife	Deptford
Ernest A.	"	Son	3		Lewisham
Walter E.	"	Son	1		Lewisham

1891 131 High Street Lewisham

Alfred S.	Kidner	Head	39	Grocer	Deptford
Mary J.	"	Wife	45		Deptford
Ernest A.	"	Son	13	Scholar	Lewisham
Walter E.	"	Son	11	Scholar	Lewisham
Margaret A.	"	Daur	5	Scholar	Lewisham

1901 131 High Street, Lewisham

Alfred S.	Kidner	Head	48	Grocer & Wine Merchant	Deptford
Mary J.	"	Wife	56		Deptford
Ernest A.	"	Son	23	Bank Clerk	Lewisham
Margaret A.	"	Daur	15		Lewisham
Ernest Ch.	"	Bro	52	Own Means	Deptford

1911 131 High Street, Lewisham

Alfred S.	Kidner	Head	58	Grocer & Off-Licence Holder	Deptford
Mary J.	"	Wife	65		Deptford
Ernest Alfred	"	Son	33	Bank Clerk	Lewisham
Margaret Alice	"	Daur	25		Lewisham
Ernest Charles	"	Boarder	62	Police Pensioner	Deptford
Clara Jane	Gregory		54	Mother's Help	Barking, Essex

25.4 Francis Kidner, publisher, of Queensland

Youngest son of Samuel Kidner and Alatheia Lane, he was born in 1832.

1841 10 Millpond Street, Bermondsey (HO 107/1048/26)

Samuel	Kidner	60	Butcher	Not born in Surrey
Alatheia	"	55		Not born in Surrey
Eliza	"	14		Born in Surrey
Francis	"	8		Born in Surrey

1851 5 Portland Terrace, Rotherhithe

Stuart	James	Head	38	Revenue Officer	Scotland
Mary Ann	"	Wife	33	Schoolmistress	Bermondsey
Francis	Kidner	B in L	18	Printer's apprentice	Bermondsey

After completing his apprenticeship Francis emigrated to Queensland, arriving at Moreton Bay near Brisbane aboard the Governor Moreton in 1857. He died in 1899. "One of the main aims of the Ipswich Herald was to promote Ipswich's claims to be capital city of the Moreton bay colony as separation from New South Wales loomed. It was bought in 1861 by Hugh Parkinson and two other north Australian employees, Hugh Bowring Sloman and Francis Kidner. They changed its name to The Queensland Times and said it "would undertake to speak as from the centre of authority, the capital, and would oppose centralization in Brisbane." (<http://www.qt.com.au/info/aboutthepaper/>)

25.5 George Kidner, butcher, of Brixton

George Kidner was the son of Samuel Kidner and Alatheia Lane. He married Celia Abel on 28 October 1835, who died in Q3 1845. He then married Caroline Elderton, who died in 1849 and then her sister Harriet Elderton in Q2 1850.

1841 Robert Street, Brixton

George	Kidner	27	Butcher	born in Surrey
Celia	"	30		not born in Surrey
George	"	4		born in Surrey
Henry	"	3		born in Surrey
Celia	"	1		born in Surrey

1851 Woodhall Place, Lambeth (HO 107/1574/442 page 35)

George	Kidner	Head	35	Butcher	Bermondsey
Harriett	"	Wife	35		Bermondsey
George	"	Son	14	Assistant	Brixton
Celia	"	Daur	11		Brixton
Thomas	"	Son	9		Brixton

1851 1 Buckingham Vale, Clifton, Gloucs

William	Jones	Head	34	Teacher of General Literature	Wales
Henry	Kidner	Visitor	13	Scholar	Brixton
Walter	"	Visitor	12	Scholar	Bermondsey

1861 10 Woodhall Place, Brixton, Surrey

George	Kidner	Head	46	Butcher	Bermondsey
Harriet	"	Wife	46		Bermondsey
George	"	Son	24	Cowkeeper	Brixton
Celia	"	Daur	21		Brixton
Thomas	"	Son	19	Butcher	Brixton
Edith C	"	Daur	4		Brixton

1871 10 Woodall Place, Lambeth, Surrey

George	Kidner	Head	55	Butcher	Bermondsey
Harriet	"	Wife	47		Bermondsey
Aleathea	"	Daur	27	Single	Brixton

1871 Willow House, Brixton Road, Kennington (household of Samuel Mann, Grocer & Wine Merchant)

Edith C.	Kidner	Visitor	14	Scholar	Brixton
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1881 High Street, Market Lavington, Wiltshire

George	Kidner	Head	67	Butcher	Bermondsey
Harriet	"	Wife	66		Bermondsey
Alatheia	"	Daur	37		Brixton
Ada	Mann	G Daur	9		Brixton

1891 High Street, Market Lavington

George	Kidner	Head	76	Butcher	Bermondsey
Harriet	"	Wife	75		Bermondsey
Alatheia	"	Daur	47	Single	Brixton
Mary	Mann	G Daur	24		Brixton

'Harriot' (as her name was registered) died in Q1 1894 at the age of 78.

1901 Butcher's shop, High Street, Market Lavington (next to Green Dragon Hotel)

George	Kidner ⁴¹	Wid	80	Butcher	Bermondsey
Aleatha	"	Daur	55		Brixton

George died Q2 1904 in Market Lavington.

⁴¹ listed as 'Kichier' on ancestry.co.uk, and 'Kichur' on TNA 1901 Census site

25.5.1 George Kidner, butcher, of Lambeth

George, son of George Kidner and Celia Abel, was born c. 1836 in Brixton. He married Mary Lamb in Q3 1863 in Kensington.

1861 10 Woodhall Place, Brixton, Surrey

George	Kidner	Head	46	Butcher	Bermondsey
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George	"	Son	24	Cowkeeper	Brixton
...					

1871 3 Brixton Place, Lambeth

George	Kidner	Head	34	Butcher	Brixton
Mary	"	Wife	31		Islington
George F.	"	Son	7		Brixton
Edith M.	"	Daur	5		Brixton
Charles T.	"	Son	4		Brixton
Annie C.	"	Daur	2		Brixton
Bertha H.	"	Daur	5 mo		Brixton

1881 393 Brixton Road, Lambeth

Mary	Kidner	Widow	41	Butcher	Islington
George	"	Son	17	Butcher's assistant	Brixton
Edith	"	Daur	15	Butcher's assistant	Brixton
Charley	"	Son	14	Scholar	Brixton
Annie	"	Daur	12	Scholar	Brixton
Bertha	"	Daur	10	Scholar	Brixton
Arthur	"	Son	3		Brixton
Sidney	"	Son	1		Brixton

In Q4 1887 Edith Mary Kidner married Herbert Hammond in Steyning, Sussex. They had at least 2 sons and 2 daughters and in 1901 were living in Merton, Surrey.

In Q1 1891 Bertha Harriet Kidner married Thomas Hogbin in Brighton, Sussex.

1891 46 York Terrace, Hove, Sussex

Mary	Kidner	Widow	51	Lodging House Keeper	Brixton
Annie	"	Daur	23		Brixton

1891 District Infant Orphan Asylum, Wanstead

Arthur Samuel	Kidner		13	Pupil	-
Sidney Herbert	Kidner		11	Pupil	-

In Q3 1896 Annie Celia Kidner married William Harold Knight in Wandsworth. They had at least 2 daughters.

Sidney Herbert went to New York in July 1897 on the ss *New York*. On the ship's manifest his age is given as 19 and his occupation as 'laborer'. He clearly didn't last long for a year or so later he was in trouble with the law in London (see overleaf). The report states that he was of 'weak intellect'. In fact he was only 16 when he went to New York, it should perhaps be seen as a case of running away from home more than a serious attempt at starting a new life.

1901 46 York Road, Hove, Sussex

Mary	Kidner	Widow	58	Housekeeper	Islington
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Mary died in Q3 1907 at Tunbridge

Sydney Herbert Kidner found himself in a Saskatchewan penitentiary 1910-1911. The penitentiary was authorized to receive offenders sentenced to terms of more than two years who mainly came from the provinces of Ontario and Quebec.

The Times, 17th January 1899 (p.15 col. a)

Police

AT BOW STREET, before Sir James Vaughan, Sidney Herbert Kidner, 18, porter, of Wych-street, was charged with breaking and entering three offices at New Inn, Strand. It appeared that the prisoner, who is stated to be of weak intellect, is a relation of the office cleaner employed at Nos. 2 and 13, New Inn, with whom he lodges, and who employs him to do odd jobs for her. About 5 o'clock on Thursday, January 5, he came to the office of Mr Fisher, Solicitor, 9, New Inn, and inquired for his relative. On being told that she was not in the building he went away, but the next morning Mr Fisher, on unlocking his cash drawer, found the cash-box, which had contained £7 6s in money and stamps, quite empty. None of the doors had been forced, and the prisoner, when arrested last Saturday in Wych-street by Detective-Sergeant Gough, and Detective Davis, admitted the theft, and explained that he had obtained admission to the office through a window, which he had reached from the porch by means of a ladder. He said, however, that he only took £1 from the cash-box, opening the drawer by removing a piece of wood, which he afterwards replaced, and made his exit as he had come. He said that he then went to Brighton, where he returned on the following Saturday evening, when a gentleman engaged him to take some boxes to No. 10. He did so, and then, finding no-one about, entered an office in No. 13, belonging to Mr W.B. SOMMER. He tried the cash drawer, but could not open it, and then went to No. 9, broke open a window with a chisel, and entering Messrs Page & Scorer's office, robbing the cash drawer of 5s. After this he went back to Brighton, returning to London on the day on which he was arrested. Sergeant Gough said that this appeared to be the prisoner's first offence. He came from a very respectable family, but of late had got into bad company. The prisoner was committed for trial.

25.5.1.1 George Frederick Kidner, butcher

George, son of George Kidner and Mary Lamb, was born in Q2 1864 in Brixton. George senior was himself the son of George Kidner, Master Butcher of Lambeth. He married Jessie Froud in Q1 1899 in Hackney.

1891 13 Shellgrove Road, Stoke Newington

George	Kidner	Boarder	28	Butcher	Camberwell
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1901 68 Balls Pond Road, Islington

George	Kidner	Head	30	Butcher shopkeeper	Camberwell
Jessie	"	Wife	26		Hampstead
George	"	Son	10 mo		Islington

1911 188 Barry Road, Camberwell

George	Kidner	Head	46	Butcher	Camberwell
Jessie	"	Wife	30		Hampstead
George Victor	"	Son	10		Islington
Charles Maxwell	"	Son	8		Islington
Jessie	"	Daur	5		Manor Park

25.5.1.2 Charles Thomas Kidner, butcher

Charles Thomas Kidner, the son of George Kidner and Mary Lamb, was born in Q4 1866.

1891 1 Weimar Road, Putney

Charles	Kidner	Head	24	Butcher	Brixton
Florence	"	Wife	24	Dressmaker	London
Harold	"	Son	1		Eastbourne

1901 36 Clapham Road, Brixton

Charles Thomas	Kidner	Head	34	Butcher	Brixton
Florence Catherine	"	Wife	34		Paddington
Harold Charles	"	Son	11		Eastbourne
Mabel Blanche	"	Daur	9		Putney
George William	"	Son	5		Putney
Winifred Alice	"	Daur	1.5		Kennington

1911 Beausite, Boyne Park, Tunbridge Wells

Charles Thomas	Kidner	Head	44	Meat Traveller	Brixton
Florence Catherine	"	Wife	44	Lodging House Keeper	Paddington
Winifred Alice	"	Daur	11	School	Lambeth

3 servants
5 boarders

1911 31 Park Street, Islington (household of Albert Pannell)

Harold Charles	"	Boarder	23	Motor Engineer	Eastbourne
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Harold died in Q3 1917 at Camberwell.

In 1911 Mabel was living in a student hostel while studying at Battersea Polytechnic:

1911 46 Northside, Clapham Common

Mabel B	Kidner	Boarder	19	Battersea Polytechnic	Putney
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Mabel married Laurence Drader in 1915.

George William left Southampton on 14th January 1911 on ss *Braemar Castle* bound for South Africa. He appears to have travelled alone. He returned with the 2nd Regiment South African Infantry, a Lance Corporal, and was killed in action in front the Butte de Warlencourt on the 12th October 1916. He has no marked grave but is honoured on the Thiepval Memorial.

25.5.2 Aleathea Charlotte Kidner

Aleathea Charlotte, the daughter of George Kidner and Celia Abel, was born in Q3 1843 in Lambeth. The spelling of her name wanders between the two forms.

1851 Brixton (HO 107/1575/375)

Alathea	Kidner	Pupil	7	Pupil
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1861 14 Woodhall Place, Lambeth

Alathea	Kidner	Visitor	17		Brixton
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1871 10 Woodall Place, Lambeth, Surrey

George	Kidner	Head	55	Butcher	Bermondsey
Harriet	"	Wife	47		Bermondsey
Aleathea	"	Daur	27	Single	Brixton

1881 High Street, Market Lavington, Wiltshire

George	Kidner	Head	67	Butcher	Bermondsey
Harriet	"	Wife	66		Bermondsey
Aleathea	"	Daur	37		Brixton

1891 High Street, Market Lavington

George	Kidner	Head	76	Butcher	Bermondsey
Harriet	"	Wife	75		Bermondsey
Aleathea	"	Daur	47	Single	Brixton

1901 Butcher's shop, High Street, Market Lavington (next to Green Dragon Hotel)

George	Kidner	Widower	80	Butcher	Bermondsey
Aleatha	"	Daur	55		Brixton

Aleathea Charlotte died in Q1 1928 in Norwich, aged 84.

25.5.3 Thomas Kidner, butcher, of Streatham and Norfolk

Thomas Kidner was the son of George Kidner and Celia Abel. He married Elizabeth Frank on 6th November 1867 at Walworth.

1871 10 Bedford Row, Streatham

Thomas	Kidner	Head	28	Butcher	Brixton
Eliza	"	Wife	30		March, Cambs
Thomas Frank	"	Son	2		Streatham
Mary Elizabeth	"	Daur	1		Streatham

I suspect that this is their eldest child Thomas Frank in 1881:

1881 Fairwater Junior School, Staplegrove, Somerset [now part of Taunton School]

Thomas	Kidner	Boarder	12	Scholar	Hastings
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1881 1 Streatham Row, London Road, Streatham, Surrey

Thomas	Kidner	Head	39	Butcher Master	Brixton
Elizabeth	"	Wife	40		March, Cambs
Mary	"	Daur	11		Streatham
Alice	"	Daur	9		Streatham
William	"	Son	3		Streatham
Stanley	"	Son	2		Streatham
Susan H	Jones	Asst	20	Bookkeeper	Herts
William	Snuggs	Asst	30	Butcher	Herts
George	Salin	Asst	19	Butcher	Catford, Kent
Henry	Knowles	Asst	19	Butcher	Aldershot
Emily	Radford	Serv	19	Domestic servant	Wells, Somerset
Fanny	Treadwell	Serv	19	Domestic servant	Greenwich, Kent

1891 10-11 High Street, Putney

Thomas	Kidner	Head	48	Butcher	Brixton
Elizabeth	"	Wife	49		March, Cambs
Alice	"	Daur	19		Streatham

1891 Upton Road School, Upton Cum Chalvey, Buckinghamshire (Mr George Fisher, Head)

William	Kidner	Boarder	13	Pupil	Streatham
Stanley	"	Boarder	12	Pupil	Streatham

1901 The Street, Halvergate, Norfolk

Thomas	Kidner	Head	59	Farmer, Grazier	Brixton
Elizabeth	"	Wife	61		March, Cambridgeshire
William G.	"	Son	23	Farmer's son	Streatham
Stanley	"	Son	22	Farmer's son	Streatham

1911 Halvergate Hall, Halvergate, Norfolk

Mrs Thomas	Kidner	Wife	72		March, Cambridgeshire
William George	"	Son	33	Working on Farm	Streatham, London
Mrs Susan Harriett Mann		Visitor	59		Herefordshire, Westmore

1911 Dodhill Farm, Kingston St Mary, Taunton, Somerset

John	Kidner	Head	73	Farmer	Durston
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Thomas	"	Visitor	69	Farmer	Brixton, Surrey

25.5.3.1 Mary Kidner, schoolteacher

Mary was the second child of Thomas Kidner and Elizabeth Frank, and was born in 1869

1891 High Street, Stonehouse, Gloucestershire

Mary	Kidner	Boarder	21	Teacher of English Music	London, Streatham
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1901 Attleborough, Norfolk

Mary E.	Kidner	Head	31	Principal of High School	Streatham
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25.5.3.2 Stanley Kidner, farmer of Norfolk

Stanley, son of Thomas Kidner and Elizabeth Frank, was born in 1878.

1901 The Street, Halvergate, Norfolk

Thomas	Kidner	Head	59	Farmer, Grazier	Brixton
Elizabeth	"	Wife	61		March, Cambridgeshire
William G.	"	Son	23	Farmer's son	Streatham
Stanley	"	Son	22	Farmer's son	Streatham

1911 Reedham Hall, Norfolk

Stanley	Kidner	Head	34	Farmer	Streatham, Surrey
Rose	"	Wife	37		Harlow, Essex
Henrietta Florence	Rose K.	Daur	2		Reedham, Norfolk
Louie Grace	Kidner	Daur	1		Reedham, Norfolk

25.6 Mary Ann Kidner

Mary Ann, the daughter of Samuel Kidner and Alatheia Lane, was born in 1817 in Bermondsey.

1841 Bermondsey, Surrey

Mary Ann	Kidner	20	Governess	Not born in Surrey
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Mary Ann married James Stewart (sic) in Q4 1846 at the Jamaica Row Chapel, Bermondsey.

1851 5 Portland Terrace, Rotherhithe

Stuart	James	Head	38	Revenue Officer	Scotland
Mary Ann	"	Wife	33	Schoolmistress	Bermondsey
Clara	Jackman	Governess	19	Assistant Governess	Hammersmith
Francis	Kidner	B in L	18	Printer's apprentice	Bermondsey

Clara Jackman may have been living at 5 Portland Terrace as a Boarder, as James and Mary Ann had no children at this time. Valerie Stewart informs me that Clara Jackman later married James's brother, John Stuart, in 1867. John Stewart had been an engineer with the Bombay Marines, which hints that James and Mary Ann may have gone to India, or stopped at Bombay en route to Australia. I have found no trace of James or Mary Ann (or of John and Clara) in the later censuses.

26. Thomas Kidner and Mary Cavill of Spaxton

Thomas Kidner married Mary Cavill at Goathurst on 15th September 1826. Thomas was buried at North Petherton on 16th December 1832, aged 39. In 1834,

1841 North Street, North Petherton

Mary	Kidner	34	Ag Lab	born in Somerset
James	"	14		born in Somerset
Sarah	"	10		born in Somerset
Louisa	"	6		born in Somerset

1851 North Street, North Petherton (HO 107/1924/367 p.13)

Mary	Kidner	Head	50	Washer woman	Spaxton
J-	"	Son	24	Ag Lab	North Petherton

1851 Clarence Hotel, High Street, Bridgwater

Sarah	Kidner	Serv	20	Housemaid	North Petherton
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Sarah married James Willmitt in Q4 1855 - see 26.2.

1861 Post Office/Reading Room, Fore Street, North Petherton (RG9/1622/57)
(household of John Ridge, retired Innkeeper)

Mary	Kidner	Widow	64	Laundress – servant	Spaxton
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1871 Pound Street, North Petherton (Mary is living with her daughter and son in law)

James	Willmitt	Head	39	Butcher	Bridgwater
Sarah	"	Wife	39		North Petherton
Louisa	"	Daur	13		North Petherton
Mary	Kidner	Boarder	77	Pauper Laundress	Spaxton

Mary died in Q2 1880, aged 77 and her death was registered in Bridgwater RD.

26.1 James Kidner and Emma Burge née Tunks of North Petherton

James, son of Thomas Kidner and Mary Cavill, was baptised on 15th April 1827 in North Petherton. James married Emma Burge in Q3 1859.

1861 Goldins Cottage, North Petherton (next to Balls Farm) (RG9/1622/42 page 6)

James	Kidner	Head	32	Ag Lab	North Petherton
Emma	"	Wife	39		Durston
Benjamin	Burge	S in L	8		North Petherton
Thomas	Kidner	Son	1		North Petherton

1871 Water Lane, North Petherton

James	Kidner	Head	45	Labourer	North Petherton
Emma	"	Wife	49		Durston
Benjamin	Burge	Stepson	18	Plumber	North Petherton
Thomas	Kidner	Son	11	Scholar	North Petherton

1881 Coombe, Creech St Michael

James	Kidner	Head	52	Ag Lab	North Petherton
Emma	"	Wife	60	Ag Lab	Durston

1881 HM County Gaol, Corn Hill, Shepton Mallet

Thomas	Kidner	Prisoner	20	Farm Labourer	North Petherton
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1891 Cottage, Shearston, Thurloxtton

James	Kidner	Head	60	Agricultural labourer	Durston
Emma	"	Wife	67		

1901 No. 67, Thurloxtton

James	Kidner	Widr	70	Agricultural labourer	Thurloxtton
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James's death is recorded in Q2 1903 at Bridgwater, aged 72.

26.2 Sarah Kidner and James Willmitt

Sarah married James Willmitt in Q4 1855 in Bridgwater RD

1861 First and Last Inn, Union Street, Bridgwater

James	Willmitt	Head	29	Butcher/Beerhousekeeper	Enmore
Sarah	"	Wife	28		North Petherton
Jeffery	"	Son	4	Scholar	Bridgwater
Louisa	"	Daur	3	Scholar	Bridgwater

1871 Pound Street, North Petherton

James	Willmitt	Head	39	Butcher	Bridgwater
Sarah	"	Wife	39		North Petherton
Louisa	"	Daur	13		North Petherton
Mary	Kidner	Boarder	77	Pauper Laundress	Spaxton

1881 Pound Street, North Petherton

James	Willmitt	Head	50	Butcher	Enmore
Sarah	"	Wife	50		North Petherton
Lois	"	Daur	22	Dressmaker	Bridgwater

26.3 Louisa Kidner

Louisa's baptism is recorded in the North Petherton parish register on 18th May 1834 as 'Louisa Kidner or Trott'.

1841 North Street, North Petherton

Mary	Kidner	34	Ag Lab	born in Somerset
James	"	14		born in Somerset
Sarah	"	10		born in Somerset
Louisa	"	6		born in Somerset

1851 The Rectory, Spaxton (James Galloway, b. Jamaica, rector) (HO 107/1924/177 p. 50)

Louisa	Kidner	Serv	18	Servant	N. Petherton
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1861 Holbrook House, Chislehurst, Kent (home of William Luke, retired Bengal civil servant)

Louisa N	Kidner	Serv	27	Domestic – Cook	North Petherton
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I cannot find Louisa after 1861.

27. Thomas Kidner, publican, of Deal, Kent

Thomas was probably the son of the Edward Kidner referred to in the box at the foot of the page. He married Mary Ann Bassett in Q1 1840 on the Isle of Thanet.

1841 Middle Street, Deal (HO 107/466/2/65 p.27)

Thomas	Kidner	30	Coachman	Born in Kent
Mary	"	30		Born in Kent
Sarah	Bassett	10		Born in Kent

1851 194 Lower Street, Deal, Kent

Thomas	Kidner	Head	43	Licensed Victualler	Ramsgate
Mary A	"	Wife	43		Sandwich
Sarah	Bassett	Daur	21	(Single)	Sandwich
Elizabeth M	Kidner	Daur	9	Scholar	Deal
Jane A	"	Daur	5	Scholar	Deal

1861 New Inn, 194 Lower Street, Deal, Kent

Thomas	Kidner	Head	53	Inn Keeper	Ramsgate
Mary	"	Wife	52		Sandwich
Elizabeth	"	Daur	18	Scholar	Deal
Jane Ann	"	Daur	16	Scholar	Deal

1871 "New Inn" Lower Street, Deal, Kent

Thomas	Kidner	Head	63	Innkeeper	Ramsgate
Mary Ann	"	Wife	62		Sandwich
Sarah Ann	"	Daur	35		Sandwich
Elizabeth Mary	Ferris	Daur	28	Visitor	Deal

Mary Ann died in Q2 1872 at the age of 64. Her daughter Jane Ann married Matthew Graham Bell in Q4 1876 and they managed the Tap Room at the Alexandra Hotel in St George's Place, Belgravia. Jane died in 1899 and Matthew in 1901.

1881 New Inn, High Street, Deal, Kent

Thomas	Kidner	Head	73	Licensed Victualler	Ramsgate
Elizabeth	Ferris	Daur	37	Housekeeper	Deal
Thomas Edward	"	Gson	14	Scholar	London

1891 203 Middle Street, Deal, Kent

Thomas	Kidner	Lodger	83	Retired Victualler	Ramsgate
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Thomas died in Q4 1896 in Eastry RD in Kent aged 89.

The Times October 15th 1833

RAMSGATE, Oct. 13.— INFANTICIDE. — FOUR PERSONS COMMITTED FOR MURDER.—A coroner's inquest was held here on Monday last, before — Bradley, Esq., Mayor of Sandwich, and continued by adjournment on Tuesday and Friday, on the body of a new-born infant, found on the bathing-sands on Sunday morning, Oct. 6, wrapped in a coarse towel. Two medical gentlemen, Messrs. Ayres and Lang, who examined the body, stated on oath, that they believed the child had been born alive, and had come to its death by strangulation or suffocation. Some evidence having been given touching the appearance of a single woman, named Mary Kidner, strong suspicion of her guilt was caused by her suddenly leaving the town. A warrant was therefore issued for her apprehension, and she was followed, brought back from London on Thursday, and the Inquest having been resumed on Friday, after a painful and protracted investigation, a verdict of "Wilful murder" was returned against Edward Kidner, the father, Mary Kidner, his wife, Jane Kidner, his daughter, and Mary Kidner, her sister, the supposed mother of the murdered infant, who were forthwith committed to Sandwich gaol for trial at the ensuing sessions.

28. William Kidner and Martha Critchfield of Chertsey

William Kidner, son of James Kidner and Joan Thomas of Enmore, was baptised at Goathurst, Somerset, on 28th December 1778. He married Martha Critchfield on 28th November 1802 in Goathurst. William was buried at St Peter, Chertsey, aged 51, on 17th January 1830. The 1841 census returns for Weybridge are lost.

1851 Weybridge, Surrey

Martha	Kidner	Widow	73	Annuitant	Chertsey
Eliza	"	Daur	25		Chertsey

1861 Thames Street, Weybridge, Surrey

Martha	Kidner	Widow	83	Formerly laundress	Chertsey
Jemima	Keene	Visitor	48		Weybridge
Jemima	Keene	Visitor	12	Scholar	Paddington

The two Jemimas were Martha's daughter and granddaughter (see 32.2). Martha died in 1862

28.1 William Kidner, builder of Bridgwater and Chertsey

William, son of William Kidner and Martha Critchfield, was born in about 1804 at Goathurst. He married Elizabeth Roake on 18th April 1824 at Chertsey.

1841 Windsor Street, Chertsey

William	Kidner	35	Carpenter	Not born in Surrey
Elizabeth	"	35		Born in Surrey

1851 Windsor Street, Chertsey, Surrey

William	Kidner	Head	47	Builder [emp.] 5 men	Bridgewater
Elizabeth	"	Wife	47		Chertsey

1861 Windsor Street, Chertsey, Surrey

William	Kidner	Head	57	Builder/master emp. 3 m 1 b	Goathurst
Elizabeth	"	Wife	58		Chertsey

Elizabeth died on 11 March 1862 at Chertsey, at the age of 59. She was buried at the (now destroyed) Alwyns Lane Non-Conformist cemetery in Chertsey.

1871 Windsor Street, Chertsey, Surrey

William	Kidner	Widr	67	Master Builder (retired)	Bridgwater
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William died in Q3 1874 at Chertsey at the age of 71.

28.2 John Kidner and Eliza Poulter

John, son of William Kidner and Mary Critchfield, was baptised at Goathurst on 26th February 1804. He married Eliza Poulter on 8th October 1829 at St George Hanover Square.

1851 Palmers Hill, Palmers Green, Edmonton

Eliza	Kidner	Widow	42	Lady's maid to visitor	Chertsey
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1861 Thames Street, Weybridge (RG09/421/124 p.25)

Eliza	Kidner	Widow	55	Housekeeper	Chertsey
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1871 Church Street, Weybridge

Eliza	Kidner	Widow	67	Lodger, ex-housekeeper	Chertsey
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Eliza died in Q1 1876 at Chertsey at the age of 75.

28.3 James Kidner and Jane Ann Poulter of St Pancras

James Kidner, the son of William Kidner and Martha Critchfield, was born in about 1807 in Chertsey. He married Jane Ann Poulter on 13th April 1829 in Chelsea.

1841 Wakefield Street, St Pancras

James	Kidner	32	Waiter	Not born in Middx
Jane	"	30		Not born in Middx
James	"	9		Not born in Middx
Eliza	"	9		Not born in Middx
Harriett	"	7		Born in Middx
Jane	"	6		Born in Middx
Francis	"	4		Born in Middx
Edward	"	2		Born in Middx

1851 41-42 Southampton Row, Bloomsbury

James	Kidner	Servant	44	Waiter	Chertsey
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1851 29 Little Clarendon Street, St Pancras (HO 107/1496/569 p.84)

Jane	Kidner	Head	45	Laundress	Chertsey
Jane	"	Daur	15		St Pancras
Francis	"	Son	13	Errand Boy	St Pancras
Edward	"	Son	11		St Pancras
Elizabeth	"	Daur	6		St Pancras

1851 30 Inverness Road, Paddington (HO 107/1467/839 p.51) (Household of Janette MacLean, landed proprietor)

Eliza	Kidner	Serv	20	Nurse	Chertsey
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Eliza Kidner married William Colyer, a wood turner, in Q3 1859 at Chertsey. In 1861 she is recorded as being 31 years old (ie born c. 1830), with a daughter Edith Mary aged 8 months. The death of an Eliza Collyer, aged 35, is recorded at Chertsey RD in Q1 1866.

James was playing 'away from home' in 1858, if not before (eg in 1851 when he was living away from Jane); he fathered a child, Alfred, who was born to Elizabeth Billson on 19th July 1859 at 53 Duke Street, Leicester. The child died in infancy.

1861 38 Duke Street, Leicester (RG09 piece 2293 folio 57 page 21)

Elizabeth	Billson	Head	36	Schoolmistress (single)	South Croxton, Leics
Tom	"	Son	4	School	Thurmaston, Leics
James	Kidnor	Visitor	54	Waiter	Chertsey, Surrey

Young Tom died in Q3 1864 (no claim to him being James's boy); James himself died in Q4 1864 in Leicester. Meanwhile, back in London:

1861 39 Princess Street, St Marylebone (RG09/86/51 p.23)

Jane A	Kidner	Head	52	[married] Washerwoman	Chertsey
Edward O	"	Son	22	Coffin maker	St Pancras

Edward Owen Kidner died in Q4 1866 and was, we hope, buried in one of his own.

1871 11 Southwick Mews, Paddington

Jane	Kidner	Widow	64		Chertsey
Frank	"	Son	34	Coachman	St Pancras

Jane died in Q2 1875 at the age of 67 in Kensington RD.

Francis, aka Frank, had married Emma Johnson on 25th May 1862, but she had died 2 years later in Q2 1864. He married again on 1st November 1875, this time to Harriet Burr. I can find no trace of either Francis or Harriet after their marriage. I suspect that Francis's death is the one recorded at Kensington RD in Q3 1886 of a Francis Kidner aged 41, although the age is quite wrong.

28.3.1 James William Henry Kidner

James, son of James Kidner and Jane Ann Poulter, was born on 1st May ... according to his seaman's record it was in 1829, and according to the IGI it was in 1831. He went to sea in 1845 as a steward at the age of 16 (which hints that he lied about his age in order to obtain his seaman's ticket). His seaman's record tells us that he was 5'1" tall, with light brown hair, a light complexion and grey eyes. His ticket was issued at Ipswich on 22nd October 1845.

1851 Crown & Anchor Inn, Westgate Street, Ipswich

James	Kidner	Serv	23	Waiter	Weybridge, Surrey
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He married Mary Webb on 24th December 1854 at St Pancras Old Church. Did he find Mary too much to handle and do a runner, or did he befall some awful fate? By 1861 Mary is described as a widow:

1861 24 Greville Street, Holborn

Jacob	Anspach	Head	26	Bootmaker	Prussia
Emily	"	Wife	21	Greengrocer	Middx. Enfield
Ernest Julius	"	Son	10 days		Middx St Andrews
Mary	Kidner	M in L	41 [Widow]		Bury St Edmunds

This family was hard to untangle. See foot of page for explanation. Emily Elizabeth Webb had married Jacob Anspach in Q3 1860 in W London (1c – 91).

1871 Waltham Cross, Cheshunt, Hertfordshire

Jacob	Anspach	Head	36	Bootmaker	Germany
Emily	"	Wife	30	Greengrocer	London
+ five children					
Mary	Kidner	Wife's m	51	[Widow]	Bury St Edmunds

1881 4, Pleasant Place, Forest Gate, West Ham

Jacob	Ausprach	Head	46	Bootmaker	Germany, Brit. subject
Emily	"	Wife	41	Boot rivetter	Clapton, Middx.
+ seven children					

Emily died at West Ham in Q3 1885.

In 1891 Mary is staying with her son George:

1891 149 Lancaster Road, Kensington

George E.	Webb	Head	47	Superintendent of Carriers	Enfield
Mary J.	"	Wife	43		Tottenham
Kate	"	Daur	19	Art Needleworker	Paddington
Mary	Kidner	Mother	73		Bury St Edmunds

Mary (subject to confirmation of identity) died in Kensington in Q4 1895

- Emily Elizabeth Martin was born on 20th December 1839 and baptised at Holy Trinity, Clapham on 19th January 1840, the daughter of Walter, a gardener, and his partner Mary, of Balham, Surrey.
- Walter Webb married Mary Martin on 19th October 1840 at St Leonard's Shoreditch.
- In 1841, Walter Webb aged 25, gardener, was living at Tanners End, Edmonton, with wife Mary, aged 20, and daughter Emily, aged 1.
- Marian Webb was baptised at All Saints Edmonton on 18th August 1841, daughter of Walter and Mary Webb of Tanners End, Edmonton.
- George Edwin Webb was born in Edmonton RD on 17th June 1843 (registered Q3 1843), and baptised August 18th 1843 at St. James, Enfield Highway. He was the son of Walter Webb, a gardener, and his wife Mary, living at Enfield Highway. One Walter Webb died in Edmonton in Q1 1845.
- On 24th December 1854 James William Henry Kidner married Mary Webb at St Pancras.

28.3.2 Harriet Kidner

Harriet Mary, the daughter of James Kidner and Jane Ann Poulter, was born in 1833 in St Pancras.

1861 24 Alfred Terrace, Bayswater (RG09/12/20 p.46) (Household of Thomas Henson, Outfitter)

Harriet	Kidner	Servt.	28	Nurse	London
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1871 2 Rodwell, Wyke Regis, nr Weymouth

Harriet	Kidner	Serv	36	Nurse	London
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1881 Westfield, Surrey Road, Holdenhurst (household of Matthew Devenish, Brewer)

Harriet M.	Kidner	Serv.	44	Housekeeper	St Pancras
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1891 24 Inverness Terrace, Broadstairs, Kent

Harriet M.	Kidner	Serv.	57	Housekeeper	Regent Street, London
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1901 Adelaide, Malvern, Worcestershire

Harriet M	Kidner	Boarder	67	Single, Domestic Maid	St Pancras
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1911 52, 5th Avenue, Queen's Park, Paddington

Harriet Mary	Kidner	Head	78	Private Means	St Pancras
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Harriet Mary died in Q2 1911 at Paddington

28.3.3 Maria Elizabeth Kidner

Maria Elizabeth, daughter of James Kidner and Jane Ann Poulter, was born on 13 May 1844 at St Pancras.

1851 29 Little Clarendon Street, St Pancras (HO 107/1496/569 p.84)

Jane	Kidner	Head	45	Laundress	Chertsey
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... Elizabeth	"	Daur	6		St Pancras
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1861 42 Spring Street, Paddington
(household of John Wright, Australian accountant for the Registrar of Births and Deaths)

Maria E	Kidner	Serv	18	Nursemaid	St Pancras
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28.4 Henry Kidner of Chertsey and Mary Ann Wild

Henry, son of William Kidner and Martha Critchfield was born on 12th August and baptised on 26th August 1810 at St Peter's, Chertsey, Surrey. William is described in the register as 'native of Hansmore, Somerset', which I take to be Enmore. Henry married Mary Ann Wild on 3rd November 1833 at St. George Hanover Square. They had at least three daughters – Mary Ann Martha (note that 'Martha'), Emma and Sophia.

Old Bailey Trial of Thomas Barnes 18th February 1830

530. THOMAS BARNES was indicted for stealing, on the 13th of February, 1 coat, value 5s; 1 memorandum-book, value 6d.; 1 handkerchief, value 4d., 3 pence, and 2 halfpence, the property of William Chaplin.

SAMUEL PHILLIPS. Mr. William Chaplin keeps a hotel at the bottom of Adam-street, Adelphi. Last Saturday morning, at twenty minutes before eight o'clock, I saw the prisoner jump out of his parlour window - the witness followed him, and cried Stop thief! I caught him at the corner of Robert-street; nothing was found on him.

HENRY KIDNER. I am a waiter at the hotel - Mr. William Chaplin keeps it. I was going into one of the parlours, and saw the prisoner getting out of the window with my master's coat - I ran, and snatched it from him - I then pursued him round the terrace, and he was taken; I am sure he is the man - this is the coat; this handkerchief and book were in the pocket of it.

Prisoner's Defence. I have been out of work a great part of the winter - I have a wife and two children, and had not a morsel of bread.

GUILTY. Aged 25. - Transported for Seven Years.

Old Bailey Proceedings Online (www.oldbaileyonline.org, 17 June 2003), Feb 1830, trial of Thomas Barnes (T18300218-33).

1841 Red Lion Passage, Holborn

Henry	Kidner	30	Waiter	Not born in Middx.
Marianne	"	30		Not born in Middx.
Marianne	"	6		Born in Middx.
Emma	"	2		Born in Middx.
Sophia	"	1		Born in Middx.

1851 Caledonian Hotel, Robert Street, St Martin in the Fields

Henry	Kidner	Serv.	33 [sic] Servant	Chertsey, Surrey
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1861 Workhouse, Ipswich

Henry	Kidner	Wid'r	54	Publican	Chertsey, Surrey
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Henry died at Ipswich in February 1869, aged 64, and was buried on 4th February.

28.4.1 Mary Ann Martha Kidner

The daughter of a Henry and Mary Ann Kidner, she was baptised at St Pancras Old Church on 2nd November 1834. Has father Henry abandoned his daughters? Perhaps he's sending money home to Suffolk? Is their mother Mary Ann in prison? She reappears in 1861.

1851 Woodbridge Road, Ipswich, Suffolk

Mary A	Kidner	Head	16	None	London
Emma	"	Sister	13		London
Sophy	"	Sister	11		London
Mary	Banyard	Serv	27	House Servant	Suffolk

1861 Western Hill, Croydon (household of Thomas and Elizabeth Smith)

Mary Ann	Kidner	Visitor	50	[married]	Ipswich, Suffolk
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1861 193-197 Regent Street, St James' Westminster

Mary Ann	Kidner	26	Dress maker	St Andrew Holborn
Sophia	"	21	Dress maker	St Andrew Holborn

1871 10-15 Vere St, Cavendish Square (Milliner's)

Jane	Kidner	31	Linen Draper's Assistant	London
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28.4.2 Emma Kidner

The daughter of Henry Kidner and Mary Ann Wild was born at Holborn on 7th February 1838, and baptised at St Andrew's Holborn on 25th February 1838.

1851 Woodbridge Road, Ipswich, Suffolk

Mary A	Kidner	Head	16	None	London
Emma	"	Sister	13		London
Sophy	"	Sister	11		London
Mary	Banyard	Serv	27	House Servant	Suffolk

1881 10-16 Vere Street, Cavendish Square, Marylebone

Emma	Kidner	Serv	40	Dressmaker	Holborn
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1891 10-20 Vere Street, Marylebone

Emma	Kidner	53	Dressmaker's assistant	Holborn
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1901 52 Bushey Hill, Camberwell, Surrey

Emma	Kidner	Head	63	Retired Draper's assistant	Holborn
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1911 86 Bushey Hill Road, Camberwell

Emma	Kidner	Boarder	73	Retired Draper's assistant	Holborn
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Emma died at Camberwell in Q4 1919, aged 84

28.4.3 Sophia Kidner

Sophia, daughter of Henry Kidner and Mary Ann Wild, was born on 26th January 1840 and baptised at St Andrew's Holborn on 8th March 1840.⁴²

1851 Woodbridge Road, Ipswich, Suffolk

Mary A	Kidner	Head	16	None	London
Emma	"	Sister	13		London
Sophy	"	Sister	11		London
Mary	Banyard	Serv	27	House Servant	Suffolk

⁴² IGI batch P020832

1861 193-197 Regent Street, St James' Westminster

Mary Ann	Kidner	26	Dress maker	St Andrew Holborn
Sophia	"	21	Dress maker	St Andrew Holborn

Sophia married James Watson in Q3 1869 in St. George, Hanover Square.

1871 13 Fearnley Road, St Giles, Camberwell

James	Watson	Head	28	Commercial Traveller (linen)	Scotland
Sophia	"	Wife	31		St Andrew Holborn
Charlie J	"	Son	6 months		Surrey, Camberwell
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1901 37 Talfourd Road, Camberwell

James	Watson	Head	57	Retired Traveller (Linen trades)	Scotland
Sophie	"	Wife	60		Holborn
+ 3 sons					

Sophia died in Q2 1903, aged 63. In 1911, James and two sons were living at 15 Knatchbull Road, Camberwell.

28.5 Jemima Kidner

Jemima, daughter of William Kidner and Martha Critchfield, was born on 17th June 1812 at Chertsey. She married James Keene, and in 1851 they were living in the household of Charles Saunders, Secretary to the Great Western Rail Company.

1851 Westbourne Lodge, Paddington

James	Keene	Inmate	40	Messenger to Rail	Surrey, Chertsey
Jemima	"	his wife	35	"	Surrey, Weybridge
Jemima A.	"	her daur	3		Middx., Paddington

1861 Thames Street, Weybridge, Surrey

Martha	Kidner	Widow	83	Formerly laundress	Chertsey
Jemima	Keene	Visitor	48	(Married)	Weybridge
Jemima	Keene	Visitor	12	Scholar	Paddington

Jemima née Kidner died in Q1 1867 at the age of 54.

28.6 George Kidner

George Kidner was the son of William Kidner and Martha Critchfield, and was baptized in Chertsey on Christmas Day 1814. He married Margaret Winterburn on 18th October 1841. George died in July 1849 and was buried at St Mary's Paddington Green on 18th July 1849. I cannot find them in the 1841 census, but their marriage certificate states that both were living at 21 Church Road, off Commercial Road. George is described as a 'coachman'. I can find no trace of Margaret in 1851, but by 1861 she has in the workhouse.

1861 Chertsey Union Workhouse, Surrey

Margaret	Kidner	Widow	43	Inmate - Domestic Servant	Brixton
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1871 Providence Cottages, Woking Road, Byfleet

Margaret	Kidner	Wid	56	Needlewoman (lodger)	Brixton
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1881 Byfleet

Margaret	Kidner	Widow	66	Nurse (SM)	Gray's Inn, Holborn
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1891 Streane Cottages, Byfleet

Ann	Kidner	Widow	76		Holborn, Middx.
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Margaret died in Q4 1897 at Chertsey aged 82.

29. William Kidner of Richmond, Surrey

William Kidner, the son of William Kidner and Elizabeth Sarah Mack, was baptised on 17th April 1786 at St Mary Magdalene, Richmond, Surrey. He married Ann Grant on 20th March 1820 at St Mary Magdalene, Richmond. Ann died at Richmond in April 183, and was buried at St Magdalen, Richmond on 8th April 1839, aged 53.

1841 White Cross Buildings, Richmond

Wm	Kidner	55	Lighterman	Born in Surrey
Ann	"	19		Born in Surrey
Henry	"	17	Lighterman	Born in Surrey
John	"	15		Born in Surrey
Lucy	"	12		Born in Surrey

1851 No. 1 White Cross Row, Richmond

William	Kidner	Wid'r	65	Lighterman emp. 2m and ...	Surrey, Richmond
Ann	"	Daur	29	[...Queen's Waterman]	Surrey, Richmond
Henry	"	Son	27	Lighterman	Surrey, Richmond
Lucy	"	Daur	23		Surrey, Richmond

Lucy married Alfred Hillier in Q4 1860 in Newington RD.

1861 1 White Cross Buildings, Richmond

Alfred	Hillier	Head	36	Barge Builder	Richmond, Surrey
Lucy	"	Wife	33		Richmond
Louise	"	Daur	2 m		Richmond
Anne	Kidner	Sister	36	[single]	Richmond
Henry	"	Bro	35	Formerly lighterman	Richmond

1871 95 Avery Street, Dartford, Kent

Alfred	Hillier	Head	51	Labourer	Berks, Hungerford
Lucey	"	Wife	41	Labourer's wife	Surrey, Richmond
Louise	"	Daur	10		Surrey, Richmond
William	"	Son	7		Surrey, Richmond
Alfred	"	Son	5		Surrey, Richmond
Henry	"	Son	2		Surrey, Bermondsey
Ann	Carter	Sister			Surrey, Richmond

1881 95 Avery Street, Dartford, Kent

Alfred	Hillier	Head	56	Wheelwright	Hungerford, Wilts
Lucy	"	Wife	52		Richmond, Surrey

Alfred died in 1905, Lucy in 1912.

29.1 Henry Kidner and Sarah Hammerton of Richmond

Henry Kidner married Sarah Hammerton in Richmond in Q4 1861 at Richmond, Surrey. Matilda was born in Q4 1864. Henry died in Wandsworth RD in Q1 1869 aged 45.

1871 3 Wellington Place, Richmond, Surrey

Sarah	Kidner	Widow	44	Dressmaker	Twickenham
Matilda	"	Daur	6	Scholar	Richmond

1881 2 Wellington Place, Richmond

Sarah	Kidner	Wid	55	Charwoman	Twickenham
Matilda	"	Daur	16	Domestic Servant	Richmond

1891 2 Wellington Place, Richmond

Sarah	Kidner	Wid	65	Charwoman	Richmond
Matilda	"	Daur	26	Domestic Servant	Richmond

1901 2 Wellington Road, Richmond

Sarah	Kidner	Wid	74	Mangling	Twickenham
Matilda	"	Daur	37	Mangling (single)	Richmond

Sarah died in Q4 1910 at the age of 84 in Richmond upon Thames.

1911 2, Wellington Place, Richmond

Matilda	Kinder	Head	46	Laundry work	Richmond
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Matilda did manage to sign her name as 'Kidner' even though she got in a muddle printing it. She died in Wandsworth in Q4 1933.

29.1.1 Emily Kidner

Sarah Hammerton had had three children before her marriage to Henry Kidner, Emily being the eldest.

1851 Water Lane, Richmond

Sarah	Hammerton	Daur	25	Servant (unmarried)	Richmond
Emily	Hammerton	G'daur	4		Richmond
Thomas J	"	G'son	1		Richmond
Louisa	"	G'daur	1 month		Richmond

1861 See entry under Lucy, below.

1871 1 Terrace House, St Mary's Richmond (household of Mary Bell, 54, Annuitant)

Emily	Kidner	Serv	24	Kitchen maid	Richmond
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29.1.2 Lucy Kidner

Lucy was the youngest of Sarah Hammerton's children and her birth was registered in Q2 1861 at Richmond. In 1861 she was staying with her grandmother at Water Lane:

1861 Water Lane, Richmond

Elizabeth	Hammerton	Widow	59	Sweet Shop Keeper	Middx, Twickenham
Emily	"	G'daur	15	Serv	Richmond
Lucy A	"	G'daur			Richmond

1871 7 Richmond Road, Twickenham

Lucy	Kidner	Visitor	20	Nurse	Richmond
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After 1871 I can find no trace of either Emily or Lucy.

The Times, 18 September 1823

Sailing Boat – to be sold, a beautiful sailing boat, clinker built, quite new, with every kind of stores necessary of the best quality, about 5 tons burden, Cowes built, of oak, and copper fastened; the property of an officer in the navy, who has no further use for her. To be seen at Richmond-bridge: and particulars to be obtained from W.Z. Kidner, waterman, Richmond.

30. William Kidner of Crowcombe

William Kidner married Mary Burge at Crowcombe on 26th October 1794.

1841 Slough, Crowcombe, Somerset

William	Kidner	80	Labourer	born in Somerset
Mary	"	65		born in Somerset

William died on 12th January 1842, "found dead in a field at Kerslake" according to the Crowcombe parish register. He was buried on 18th January 1842.

Mary died a year later, on 12th April 1843. She was buried at Crowcombe on 16th April 1843.

30.1 Elizabeth Kidner

1841 Rosemont Cottage, Bathwick, Bath

Elizth	Kidner	28	Female servant	Born in Somerset
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1861 27 Stall Street, St James, Bath (household of James Bottle, Shoemaker)

Elizabeth	Kidner	Boarder	40	Servant (single)	Crowcombe
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30.2 William Kidner

I presume this is the son of William and Mary, a William Kidner baptised at Crowcombe on 18th March 1811. His elder sister Elizabeth was baptised on 28th December 1806.

1841 Folly House, Bathwick, Bath

William	Kidner	25	Male Servant	born in Somerset
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1851 New Bower, Crowcombe (household of Thomas Hall) (HP 107/1920/617 p.10)

William	Kidner	Lodger	35	Ag Lab	Crowcombe
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1861 Crowcombe, Somerset

William	Kidner	Lodger	48	Ag Lab	Crowcombe
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William died in Q1 1865.

31. Waifs and Strays

1841	Mount Pleasant, Kenton, Devon (HO 107/220/6/6 p.6)				
Mary	Kidner		15	Female Servant	Born in Devon
1841	Russel Place, Bridgwater (HO107/971/3/8 page 10)				
Mary	Kidner		16		Born in Somerset
1841	High Street, Bridgwater (HO107/971/3/37 page 28)				
Henry	Williams		20	Cordwainer	Born in Somerset
James	Kidner		17	Ap[prentice]	Not born in Somerset
1841	Broomfield				
Mary	Kidner		20	F.S.	Born in Somerset
1841	Edgecott Cottage, Exford, Somerset				
Mary	Kidnor		15	F.S.	Born in Somerset
1841	Townsend, Kingston upon Thames (HO 107/1075/4/8 p.7)				
Sarah	Kidner		60	FS	not born in Surrey
	Sarah died at Kingston in Q4 1849.				
1851	New Street, Weston super Mare				
John	Kidner	Lodger	23	Tailor	Worle, Somerset
1851	6 Brunswick Square, Deptford, Kent (HO107/1584/617)				
John	Kidner	Head	40	Labourer	Ireland
Julian	"	Wife	30		Ireland
Cate	"	Daur	2		Deptford
Dan	"	Son	7 mo		Deptford
1851	Fore Street, North Petherton (HO 107/1924/329)				
M-	Kidner	Widow	48	Washer woman	North Petherton
1861	10 Little Earl Street, St Marylebone				
George	Kidner	Lodger	21	Omnibus Conductor	Middlesex
1871	Puriton (household of William Pridham)				
Mary Ann	Kidner	Visitor	4		Puriton
1881	19 John Street, Hampstead (household of Alice Thomfray, Lodging House Keeper) (RG11/0168/53 p.48)				
Sarah	Kiddner	Boarder	44	No occupation	Pimlico
1881	25 Thomas Street, Lambeth, Surrey (household of John Taylor, Painter)				
Margaret	Kidner	Lodger	41	Forewoman Book Binder (single)	Lambeth
1881	8 Ball Street, Sheffield, Yorkshire (household of James West, Furnace Labourer)				
James	Kidner	Boarder	21	Furnace Pot Maker	Sheffield
1891	Arethusa Training Vessel, Kent				
Frank	Kidner	Cadet	16	Boy under Training	Acton, Middx.

Hester A. Kidner - in the 1881 census but actually Esther Agnes KILNER.

1871 High Street, Brecon

Esther Agnes	Kilner	Gov.	29	Governess	Ceylon Island
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1881 Glanusk Park, Brecon (household of Sir Joseph Baily, Lord Lieutenant of Breconshire, MP for Herefordshire)

Hester A.	Kidner	Gov.	42	Governess	Ceylon
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Alice Kidner - in the 1901 census but actually Alice KERNER.

1901 32 Catherine Street, Covent Garden, London

Lyssie	Jordan	Widow	36	Domestic Servant	Kent
Edward	Lane	St'p son	19	Mason's labourer	London
Alice	Kidner	Daur	14	School	London
William	Jordan	St'p son	15	Shop Boy	London
George	Jordan	St'p son	17	Boot Maker	London

In 1911 Lizzie Mary Jordan was a patient at Charing Cross Hospital.

Alice Daisy Kerner married James Head at Lambeth in Q2 1914. She had two boys, Sidney and Edward. She died in Q3 1957, aged 89.