

Descendants of Ralph Leah

Generation 1

1. **RALPH¹ LEAH** . He married **MARY**. She died in Feb 1716 in Stockport, Cheshire.

Ralph Leah and Mary had the following child:

2.
 - i. **JOHN² LEAH** was born about 1716 in Stockport, Cheshire. He married Elizabeth Hulme on 28 Sep 1742 in St Mary's, Stockport, Cheshire.

Generation 2

2. **JOHN² LEAH** (Ralph¹) was born about 1716 in Stockport, Cheshire. He married Elizabeth Hulme on 28 Sep 1742 in St Mary's, Stockport, Cheshire.

Notes for John Leah:

prob burial 12.12.1773 St Mary's Stockport

John Leah and Elizabeth Hulme had the following children:

3.
 - i. **THOMAS³ LEAH** was born about 1743 in Hyde, Cheshire.
 - ii. **GEORGE LEAH** was born about 1746 in Hyde, Cheshire. He died in Jun 1799 in Hyde, Cheshire. He married Betty Smith, daughter of Nathan Smith on 20 Aug 1775 in St Mary's, Stockport, Cheshire. She was born about 1752 in Hyde, Cheshire, England. She died in Dec 1796 in Hyde, Cheshire.
 - iii. **JOHN LEAH** was born about 1748 in Hyde, Cheshire.
 - iv. **ANN LEAH** was born about 1751 in Hyde, Cheshire.
 - v. **SAMUEL LEAH** was born about 1755 in Hyde, Cheshire.

Generation 3

3. **GEORGE³ LEAH** (John², Ralph¹) was born about 1746 in Hyde, Cheshire. He died in Jun 1799 in Hyde, Cheshire. He married Betty Smith, daughter of Nathan Smith on 20 Aug 1775 in St Mary's, Stockport, Cheshire. She was born about 1752 in Hyde, Cheshire, England. She died in Dec 1796 in Hyde, Cheshire.

George Leah and Betty Smith had the following children:

4.
 - i. **MARY⁴ LEAH** was born about 1779 in Hyde, Cheshire. She died after 1841.
 - ii. **ANN LEAH** was born about 1783 in Hyde, Cheshire.
 - iii. **BETTY LEAH** was born about 1781 in Hyde, Cheshire.
 - iv. **JOHN LEAH** was born on 24 Aug 1784 in Hyde, Cheshire.
 - v. **JAMES LEAH** was born on 04 Mar 1787 in Hyde, Cheshire.
 - vi. **FANNY LEAH** was born on 15 Mar 1788 in Hyde, Cheshire.
 - vii. **SAMUEL LEAH** was born on 25 Nov 1789 in Hyde, Cheshire.

Generation 4

4. **MARY⁴ LEAH** (George³, John², Ralph¹) was born about 1779 in Hyde, Cheshire. She died after 1841.

Generation 4 (con't)

Notes for Mary Leah:

Possible death Ch BMD Mary Leah 1848 Hyde subdist age 73

Mary Leah had the following child:

5. i. JAMES⁵ LEAH was born on 15 Dec 1804 in Werneth, Cheshire, England. He died in Apr 1871 in Stockport dist, Cheshire. He married Jane Hall, daughter of Joseph Hall and Molly Sikes on 09 Jun 1825 in 9 Jun 1825 Cheshire. She was born on 11 Mar 1805 in Rowarth, Hayfield, Derbyshire. She died in Mar 1873 in Stockport dist, Cheshire.

Generation 5

5. JAMES⁵ LEAH (Mary⁴, George³, John², Ralph¹) was born on 15 Dec 1804 in Werneth, Cheshire, England. He died in Apr 1871 in Stockport dist, Cheshire. He married Jane Hall, daughter of Joseph Hall and Molly Sikes on 09 Jun 1825 in 9 Jun 1825 Cheshire. She was born on 11 Mar 1805 in Rowarth, Hayfield, Derbyshire. She died in Mar 1873 in Stockport dist, Cheshire.

James Leah and Jane Hall had the following children:

6. i. CHRISTOPHER HALL⁶ LEAH was born on 14 Jul 1826 in Werneth, Cheshire, England. He died on 05 Feb 1896 in ?Workhouse, Stockport dist, Cheshire. He married Hannah Wood, daughter of Robert Wood and Lydia Ann Shaw on 11 Apr 1847 in St Mary's Cheadle, Cheshire. She was born on 26 Sep 1821 in Gee Cross, Cheshire, England. She died on 02 Aug 1891 in 10 Bottom row, Godley, Cheshire.
- ii. JOHN LEAH was born on 26 Feb 1828 in Werneth, Cheshire, England. He died in 1864 in Stockport First sub dist, Cheshire.

Notes for John Leah:

The John Leah of this name may not be the one who is the son of Isaac and Mary

7. iii. MARY LEAH was born on 28 Feb 1830 in Werneth, Cheshire, England. She married Mark Oldfield on 10 Feb 1850 in Manchester Cathedral, Manchester, Lancashire. He was born about 1830 in Werneth, Cheshire, England.
- iv. ELIZABETH LEAH was born on 30 Sep 1832 in Werneth, Cheshire, England. She died on 11 Apr 1897 in ?Workhouse, Stockport First sub dist, Cheshire.

Notes for Elizabeth Leah:

1841 census as Betty

8. v. PHEBE LEAH was born on 22 Oct 1834 in Werneth, Cheshire, England. She died in Mar 1899 in Ashton-under-Lyne dist, Lancashire. She married (1) JOHN POWELL in 1865 in St Lawrence's, Denton, Lancashire. He was born about 1835 in Haughton, Lancashire, England. He died in Mar 1880 in Ashton-under-Lyne dist, Lancashire. She married (2) THOMAS ANDREW in Mar 1885 in St Paul's, Portwood, Cheshire. He was born about 1856 in Bredbury, Cheshire, England.
9. vi. WILLIAM LEAH was born on 03 Feb 1837 in Hyde, Cheshire. He died in Jun 1900 in Oldham, Lancashire. He married Ann Sophia Lee, daughter of James Lee on 20 Nov 1858 in St. Mary's, Stockport, Cheshire. She was born about 1833 in Hyde, Cheshire. She died in Mar 1899 in Oldham, Lancashire.
10. vii. SAMUEL LEAH was born in Apr 1839 in Werneth, Cheshire, England. He died in Jul 1891 in Stockport dist, Cheshire. He married Sarah Barker, daughter of Walter

Generation 5 (con't)

Barker on 26 Oct 1868 in St Paul's, Portwood, Stockport, Cheshire. She was born about 1847 in Slaithwaite, Yorkshire. She died in Apr 1898 in Stockport dist, Cheshire.

11. viii. ANN LEAH was born in Dec 1841 in Werneth, Cheshire, England. She died on 06 Jun 1912 in Hyde subdistrict. She married Fred Hampson, son of James Hampson on 23 Feb 1868 in St Paul's, Portwood, Stockport, Cheshire. He was born about 1845 in Werneth, Cheshire, England. He died in 1914 in Hyde subdistrict.
12. ix. JAMES LEAH was born in 1844 in Werneth, Cheshire, England. He died in 1919 in Stockport first subdistrict. He married Eliza Walker on 25 Apr 1869 in St Paul's, Portwood, Cheshire. She was born about 1844 in Poynton, Cheshire. She died in Jul 1880 in Stockport second subdistrict.

Generation 6

6. **CHRISTOPHER HALL⁶ LEAH** (James⁵, Mary⁴, George³, John², Ralph¹) was born on 14 Jul 1826 in Werneth, Cheshire, England. He died on 05 Feb 1896 in ?Workhouse, Stockport dist, Cheshire. He married Hannah Wood, daughter of Robert Wood and Lydia Ann Shaw on 11 Apr 1847 in St Mary's Cheadle, Cheshire. She was born on 26 Sep 1821 in Gee Cross, Cheshire, England. She died on 02 Aug 1891 in 10 Bottom row, Godley, Cheshire.

Christopher Hall Leah and Hannah Wood had the following children:

13. i. JANE⁷ LEAH was born in Mar 1850 in Gee Cross, Cheshire, England. She died on 12 May 1925 in Denton sub dist. She married Enoch Hill, son of George Hill and Betty Lomax on 04 Jun 1870 in St. Mark's, Bredbury, Stockport, Cheshire. He was born on 21 May 1848 in Bury, Lancashire, England. He died on 27 Mar 1910 in Godley, Cheshire.
 14. ii. ELIZA LEAH was born on 23 Nov 1851 in Gee Cross, Cheshire, England. She died on 01 Dec 1895 in Castleton Further, Rochdale, Lancs. She married Richard Bond Cocks, son of George Bowker Cock and Mary Bond on 27 Apr 1874 in St George's, Hyde, Cheshire. He was born on 08 Dec 1852 in Denton, Lancashire, England. He died on 26 Sep 1925 in The Infirmary, Gwendolen Road, Leicester.
7. **MARY⁶ LEAH** (James⁵, Mary⁴, George³, John², Ralph¹) was born on 28 Feb 1830 in Werneth, Cheshire, England. She married Mark Oldfield on 10 Feb 1850 in Manchester Cathedral, Manchester, Lancashire. He was born about 1830 in Werneth, Cheshire, England.

Notes for Mary Leah:

Poss marr to Isaac Barber 1854, cannot find after 1851

Mark Oldfield and Mary Leah had the following children:

- i. ELIZA⁷ OLDFIELD was born about 1854 in Werneth, Cheshire, England. She married William Baddeley in 1874 in St Mary's Stockport, Cheshire.
 - ii. ELIZABETH A OLDFIELD was born about 1857 in Werneth, Cheshire, England.
8. **PHEBE⁶ LEAH** (James⁵, Mary⁴, George³, John², Ralph¹) was born on 22 Oct 1834 in Werneth, Cheshire, England. She died in Mar 1899 in Ashton-under-Lyne dist, Lancashire. She married (1) **JOHN POWELL** in 1865 in St Lawrence's, Denton, Lancashire. He was born about 1835 in Haughton, Lancashire, England. He died in Mar 1880 in Ashton-under-Lyne dist, Lancashire. She married (2) **THOMAS ANDREW** in Mar 1885 in St Paul's, Portwood, Cheshire. He was born about 1856 in Bredbury, Cheshire, England.

Generation 6 (con't)

John Powell and Phebe Leah had the following children:

- i. MARY⁷ POWELL was born about 1864 in Gee Cross, Cheshire, England.
 - ii. JAMES WILLIAM POWELL was born about 1868 in Haughton, Lancashire, England.
 - iii. ARTHUR POWELL was born about 1872 in Haughton, Lancashire, England.
 15. iv. HARRY POWELL was born about 1876 in Haughton, Lancashire, England. He married ADA. She was born about 1877 in Denton, Lancashire, England.
9. **WILLIAM⁶ LEAH** (James⁵, Mary⁴, George³, John², Ralph¹) was born on 03 Feb 1837 in Hyde, Cheshire. He died in Jun 1900 in Oldham, Lancashire. He married Ann Sophia Lee, daughter of James Lee on 20 Nov 1858 in St. Mary's, Stockport, Cheshire. She was born about 1833 in Hyde, Cheshire. She died in Mar 1899 in Oldham, Lancashire.

William Leah and Ann Sophia Lee had the following children:

- i. LUCY JANE⁷ LEAH was born about 1859 in Tattenhall, Cheshire.
 - ii. FRED LEAH was born about 1862 in Tattenhall, Cheshire.
 16. iii. JAMES WILLIAM LEAH was born about 1864 in Astbury, Cheshire. He married ELIZA ANN. She was born about 1862 in Springhead, Yorkshire.
 - iv. ALBERT LEAH was born about 1867 in Middlewich, Cheshire.
 - v. ANN SOPHIA LEAH was born about 1869 in Middlewich, Cheshire.
 17. vi. JOSEPH HALL LEAH was born about 1873 in Middlewich, Cheshire. He married ELIZA H CHADWICK. She was born about 1873 in United States (British subject).
10. **SAMUEL⁶ LEAH** (James⁵, Mary⁴, George³, John², Ralph¹) was born in Apr 1839 in Werneth, Cheshire, England. He died in Jul 1891 in Stockport dist, Cheshire. He married Sarah Barker, daughter of Walter Barker on 26 Oct 1868 in St Paul's, Portwood, Stockport, Cheshire. She was born about 1847 in Slaithwaite, Yorkshire. She died in Apr 1898 in Stockport dist, Cheshire.

Notes for Samuel Leah:

Samuel and his family seem to disappear after 1881

Samuel Leah and Sarah Barker had the following children:

- i. JOHN SAMUEL⁷ LEAH was born between 01-02 Apr 1871 in Hyde, Cheshire. He married Louisa Underhill in Jun 1895 in St George's, Hyde, Cheshire.

Notes for John Samuel Leah:

res

- ii. MARY LEAH was born in 1875 in Hyde, Cheshire.

11. **ANN⁶ LEAH** (James⁵, Mary⁴, George³, John², Ralph¹) was born in Dec 1841 in Werneth, Cheshire, England. She died on 06 Jun 1912 in Hyde subdistrict. She married Fred Hampson, son of James Hampson on 23 Feb 1868 in St Paul's, Portwood, Stockport, Cheshire. He was born about 1845 in Werneth, Cheshire, England. He died in 1914 in Hyde subdistrict.

Fred Hampson and Ann Leah had the following children:

Generation 6 (con't)

- i. JAMES⁷ HAMPSON was born about 1869 in Werneth, Cheshire, England.
 - ii. WILLIAM EDWARD HAMPSON was born about 1872 in Gee Cross, Cheshire, England.
 - iii. MARY HAMPSON was born about 1884 in Gee Cross, Cheshire, England.
12. **JAMES⁶ LEAH** (James⁵, Mary⁴, George³, John², Ralph¹) was born in 1844 in Werneth, Cheshire, England. He died in 1919 in Stockport first subdistrict. He married Eliza Walker on 25 Apr 1869 in St Paul's, Portswood, Cheshire. She was born about 1844 in Poynton, Cheshire. She died in Jul 1880 in Stockport second sudistrict.

James Leah and Eliza Walker had the following children:

- i. JOSEPH⁷ LEAH was born about 1870 in Gee Cross, Cheshire, England.
- ii. WALTER LEAH was born about 1877 in Hyde, Cheshire.

Generation 7

13. **JANE⁷ LEAH** (Christopher Hall⁶, James⁵, Mary⁴, George³, John², Ralph¹) was born in Mar 1850 in Gee Cross, Cheshire, England. She died on 12 May 1925 in Denton sub dist. She married Enoch Hill, son of George Hill and Betty Lomax on 04 Jun 1870 in St. Mark's, Bredbury, Stockport, Cheshire. He was born on 21 May 1848 in Bury, Lancashire, England. He died on 27 Mar 1910 in Godley, Cheshire.

Enoch Hill and Jane Leah had the following children:

18. i. WILLIAM HENRY⁸ HILL was born in Mar 1872 in Gee Cross, Cheshire, England. He married Sarah Alice Dawson in 1895 in Ashton-under-Lyne Civil Marriage, Lancashire. She was born about 1871 in Bury, Lancashire, England.
- ii. SARAH ANN HILL was born in Jun 1874 in Gee Cross, Cheshire, England.
19. iii. WRIGHT HILL was born in Mar 1876 in Gee Cross, Cheshire, England. He died on 07 Jul 1953 in Blackpool dist. He married Hannah Driver in 1903 in St Michael's, Mottram in Longdendale, Tameside district. She was born about 1876.
- iv. HANNAH HILL was born in Jan 1880 in Gee Cross, Cheshire, England.
20. v. MARY ELIZABETH HILL was born on 31 Aug 1881 in Werneth, Cheshire, England. She died on 08 Sep 1960 in Gravesend Hospital, Kent. She married Wilfred Rowbottom, son of James Rowbottom and Eliza Thornley on 20 Mar 1907 in Methodist Church, Newton, Cheshire. He was born on 24 Jun 1878 in Hyde, Cheshire. He died on 06 Nov 1958 in Northfleet, Kent.
21. vi. GEORGE HILL was born in Oct 1883 in Godley, Cheshire. He married Margaret Annie Marland in Mar 1910 in Ashton District. She was born about 1885 in Hyde, Cheshire, England.
- vii. JANE HILL was born in Jan 1886 in Godley, Cheshire.
- viii. SAMUEL HILL was born in Jul 1890 in Godley, Cheshire.
- ix. ROWLAND HILL was born in 1892 in Godley, Cheshire.
- x. JAMES HILL was born about 1897 in Godley, Cheshire.

Generation 7 (con't)

14. **ELIZA⁷ LEAH** (Christopher Hall⁶, James⁵, Mary⁴, George³, John², Ralph¹) was born on 23 Nov 1851 in Gee Cross, Cheshire, England. She died on 01 Dec 1895 in Castleton Further, Rochdale, Lancs. She married Richard Bond Cocks, son of George Bowker Cock and Mary Bond on 27 Apr 1874 in St George's, Hyde, Cheshire. He was born on 08 Dec 1852 in Denton, Lancashire, England. He died on 26 Sep 1925 in The Infirmary, Gwendolen Road, Leicester.

Notes for Richard Bond Cocks:

Birth Oct qtr 1851 Ashton-under Lyne district Vol XX Page 45

Richard Bond Cock

Richard Bond Cocks and Eliza Leah had the following children:

22. i. **GEORGE⁸ COCKS** was born on 27 Jan 1875 in Bredbury, Cheshire, England. He died on 08 Aug 1918 in near Greassaire Wood, near Morlancourt, France. He met **EDITH ANNIE DREWERY**. She died on 07 Apr 1960 in Kingston General Hospital, Kingston upon Hull.
- ii. **ERNEST COCKS** was born in Oct 1876 in Dukinfield, Cheshire, England. He died on 07 Apr 1963 in St Thomas's Hospital, Stockport, Cheshire, England. He married Ethel Deaville, daughter of James Smith Deaville and Alice on 10 Aug 1908 in St Mark's Bredbury, Cheshire. She was born about 1883 in Salford, Lancashire. She died in Apr 1951 in Bredbury, Cheshire, England.

Notes for Ernest Cocks:

Was not in Army in the war- had a reserved occupation (in the mines)

- iii. **RICHARD BOND COCKS** was born in Jun 1879 in Dukinfield, Cheshire, England. He died on 17 Jun 1935 in 114 George Lane, Bredbury, Cheshire. He married Sarah Ann Cocks, daughter of William Cocks and Sarah on 20 Oct 1903 in St Mark's, Bredbury, Cheshire. She was born in Sep 1879 in Haughton, Lancs. She died on 12 Aug 1968 in Bredbury, Cheshire, England.

Notes for Richard Bond Cocks:

Had two hairdresser's shops, one in Bredbury, one in Chorlton-cum-Hardy

Was a staunch Conservative, used to go campaigning in a pony and trap. Would quite happily take down posters of the other parties.

Was a Manchester City supporter, went to matches with his brother George. Sometime when City scored, they would come home without their bowler hats, which they had thrown up in the air.

Caught trench fever in the war. Suffered from illness later.

Was Chairman of Bredbury and Woodley Conservative Club and donated furniture to them

- iv. **ANNIE BOND COCKS** was born in Oct 1882 in Dukinfield, Cheshire, England. She died on 21 Oct 1946 in The Angel Hotel, Silver Street, Edmonton, Middlesex, England. She married (1) **RICHARD LEAGAS**, son of John Leagas and Mary in Dec 1930 in West Ham district. He was born about 1897 in Walthamstow, London. He died on 13 Sep 1956 in Whipps Cross Hospital, London E11, England. She married (2) **ELI GOODWIN**, son of Francis Goodwin and Jane on 07 Aug 1905 in St Mark's Bredbury, Cheshire. He was born in 1880 in Duffield, Derbyshire.
23. v. **MARY BOND COCKS** was born on 23 Oct 1888 in 5 Bottom Street, Newton, Cheshire. She died on 22 Mar 1980 in Ashford, Middlesex. She married Harry Jackson, son of

Generation 7 (con't)

Edward Jackson and Ann Lee in Sep 1913 in Salford Register Office, Lancashire. He was born on 01 Mar 1890 in Wood End Lane, Hyde, Cheshire. He died on 01 Apr 1953 in St Peter's Hospital, Chertsey.

15. **HARRY⁷ POWELL** (Phebe⁶ Leah, James⁵ Leah, Mary⁴ Leah, George³ Leah, John² Leah, Ralph¹ Leah) was born about 1876 in Haughton, Lancashire, England. He married **ADA**. She was born about 1877 in Denton, Lancashire, England.

Harry Powell and Ada had the following child:

- i. **ALBERT⁸ POWELL** was born about 1900 in Denton, Lancashire, England.

16. **JAMES WILLIAM⁷ LEAH** (William⁶, James⁵, Mary⁴, George³, John², Ralph¹) was born about 1864 in Astbury, Cheshire. He married **ELIZA ANN**. She was born about 1862 in Springhead, Yorkshire.

James William Leah and Eliza Ann had the following children:

- i. **ETHEL⁸ LEAH** was born about 1884 in Oldham, Lancashire.

- ii. **ANNIE LEAH** was born about 1886 in Oldham, Lancashire.

17. **JOSEPH HALL⁷ LEAH** (William⁶, James⁵, Mary⁴, George³, John², Ralph¹) was born about 1873 in Middlewich, Cheshire. He married **ELIZA H CHADWICK**. She was born about 1873 in United States (British subject).

Joseph Hall Leah and Eliza H Chadwick had the following children:

- i. **ELSIE C⁸ LEAH** was born about 1895 in Oldham, Lancashire.

- ii. **NORA SOPHIA LEAH** was born about 1899 in Oldham, Lancashire.

Generation 8

18. **WILLIAM HENRY⁸ HILL** (Jane⁷ Leah, Christopher Hall⁶ Leah, James⁵ Leah, Mary⁴ Leah, George³ Leah, John² Leah, Ralph¹ Leah) was born in Mar 1872 in Gee Cross, Cheshire, England. He married Sarah Alice Dawson in 1895 in Ashton-under-Lyne Civil Marriage, Lancashire. She was born about 1871 in Bury, Lancashire, England.

William Henry Hill and Sarah Alice Dawson had the following child:

- i. **ALFRED⁹ HILL** was born about 1898 in Hyde, Cheshire.

19. **WRIGHT⁸ HILL** (Jane⁷ Leah, Christopher Hall⁶ Leah, James⁵ Leah, Mary⁴ Leah, George³ Leah, John² Leah, Ralph¹ Leah) was born in Mar 1876 in Gee Cross, Cheshire, England. He died on 07 Jul 1953 in Blackpool dist. He married Hannah Driver in 1903 in St Michael's, Mottram in Longdendale, Tameside district. She was born about 1876.

Wright Hill and Hannah Driver had the following child:

- i. **EMILY⁹ HILL** was born in Jun 1907 in Godley, Cheshire.

20. **MARY ELIZABETH⁸ HILL** (Jane⁷ Leah, Christopher Hall⁶ Leah, James⁵ Leah, Mary⁴ Leah, George³ Leah, John² Leah, Ralph¹ Leah) was born on 31 Aug 1881 in Werneth, Cheshire, England. She died on 08 Sep 1960 in Gravesend Hospital, Kent. She married Wilfred Rowbottom, son of James Rowbottom and Eliza Thornley on 20 Mar 1907 in Methodist Church, Newton, Cheshire. He was born on 24 Jun 1878 in Hyde, Cheshire. He died on 06 Nov 1958 in Northfleet, Kent.

Wilfred Rowbottom and Mary Elizabeth Hill had the following children:

- i. **WILFRED L⁹ ROWBOTTOM** was born on 15 Apr 1908 in Northfleet, Kent. He died on 04 Nov 1997 in Sittingbourne, Kent. He married (1) **MARGARET HONOR THILTHORPE**, daughter of George Samuel Thilthorpe and Honor Ada Martin in Wesleyan Mission Chapel, Portland Road, Northfleet, Kent. She was born on 23 Jun 1907 in

Generation 8 (con't)

Gravesend, Kent. She died on 11 Mar 1976 in 68 Colyer Road, Northfleet, Kent. He married (2) ANN HILL in Sittingbourne, Kent.

- ii. JAMES ROWBOTTOM was born on 20 Jan 1910 in Northfleet, Kent. He died in Apr 1978 in Dartford dist, Kent.
 - iii. THOMAS GORDON ROWBOTTOM was born about Feb 1912 in Northfleet, Kent. He died on 13 Aug 1912 in Northfleet, Kent.
 - iv. WILLIAM LAURENCE ROWBOTTOM was born on 16 Nov 1915 in Strood dist, Kent. He died in Oct 1989 in Gravesend dist, Kent.
21. **GEORGE⁸ HILL** (Jane⁷ Leah, Christopher Hall⁶ Leah, James⁵ Leah, Mary⁴ Leah, George³ Leah, John² Leah, Ralph¹ Leah) was born in Oct 1883 in Godley, Cheshire. He married Margaret Annie Marland in Mar 1910 in Ashton District. She was born about 1885 in Hyde, Cheshire, England.
- George Hill and Margaret Annie Marland had the following child:
- i. MARGARET WINIFRED⁹ HILL was born about 1910 in Stockport, Cheshire, England.
22. **GEORGE⁸ COCKS** (Eliza⁷ Leah, Christopher Hall⁶ Leah, James⁵ Leah, Mary⁴ Leah, George³ Leah, John² Leah, Ralph¹ Leah) was born on 27 Jan 1875 in Bredbury, Cheshire, England. He died on 08 Aug 1918 in near Greassaire Wood, near Morlancourt, France. He met **EDITH ANNIE DREWERY**. She died on 07 Apr 1960 in Kingston General Hospital, Kingston upon Hull.

Notes for George Cocks:

By 1898 he must have enlisted in the 9th Battalion Lancashire Fusiliers. At the time of his enlistment, he was living in Woodley, Cheshire. It is known he served in Borneo and South Africa. At some point during this period he contracted malaria.

At the outbreak of the First World War, he was a Sergeant at Penally, near Tenby, Glamorgan.

He was awarded the DCM on 03 Jun 1918 (as per London Gazette) as a Company Sergeant Major, acting Company Sergeant Major. The citation (issued later) read

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. As C.S.M.. his work has always been all that could be desired, and while acting as R.S.M. he rendered valuable service prior to and during an attack in the guiding and supervision of ration and ammunition parties.

In 1918 he transferred to the Essex Regiment 10th Battalion as a Warrant Officer 2nd class.

He was killed in action on the 8th August 1918 in an attack near Gressaire Wood, near the Bray-Corbie Road. Expected support from tanks was not able to arrive, and 80 men were reduced to 15. It is likely George Cocks died at this time..

An obituary from the Stockport Advertiser on 30th August 1918 read

"The War Office utilised his services for a long time in the training of men in Kitchener's Army and later armies. But he was anxious to be amongst the fighting and repeatedly volunteered for the front. He got in several drafts going out on active service but was fetched back. He offered to forfeit his rank if he could get out. At last he was allowed to go. He was gassed and, afterwards, returned to France".

George had been engaged and after his death, his fiancée gave birth to a girl, Edith.

George Cocks and Edith Annie Drewery had the following child:

- i. EDITH⁹ DREWERY was born in 1918 in West Sculcoates subdist, Hull. She married Jim Usher in Apr 1943 in Hull, Yorkshire.

Generation 8 (con't)

Notes for Edith Drewery:
Known as Babs

23. **MARY BOND⁸ COCKS** (Eliza⁷ Leah, Christopher Hall⁶ Leah, James⁵ Leah, Mary⁴ Leah, George³ Leah, John² Leah, Ralph¹ Leah) was born on 23 Oct 1888 in 5 Bottom Street, Newton, Cheshire. She died on 22 Mar 1980 in Ashford, Middlesex. She married Harry Jackson, son of Edward Jackson and Ann Lee in Sep 1913 in Salford Register Office, Lancashire. He was born on 01 Mar 1890 in Wood End Lane, Hyde, Cheshire. He died on 01 Apr 1953 in St Peter's Hospital, Chertsey.

Notes for Mary Bond Cocks:

After they moved south, they were not so well off. Mary used to clean out new houses after they were built (by Noah Swindells) to earn money.

Notes for Harry Jackson:

The reason Harry and family had to move south in approx 1924 was a mining accident, causing an injury to the head, which apparently left him unable to carry on with this work. They moved south with his sister Annie, and her husband Noah Swindells, also Ann Jackson (nee Lee)

1923-1929 24A Ethel Road Ashford

This house was shared with Noah and Annie Swindells, and Ann Jackson

1934-1939 Woodthorpe Cottages, Ashford (now part of Woodthorpe lane)

1934-1972 44 School Road, Ashford, which was built by Noah Swindells

Harry Jackson and Mary Bond Cocks had the following children:

- i. **KENNETH GEORGE⁹ JACKSON** was born on 03 Oct 1914 in Blackwell, Derbyshire. He died on 07 Aug 1991 in Whiteley Village, Surrey. He married Annie Markland, daughter of Fred Markland and Mary Foster on 12 Oct 1946 in St Chad's, Romiley, Cheshire. She was born on 11 Sep 1927 in Compstall, Cheshire. She died on 13 May 2009 in Southport, Lancashire.
- ii. **MURIEL MARY JACKSON** was born on 09 Dec 1917 in Nr Cannock Chase, Staffs. She died in Dec 1999 in Surrey Northern District. She married John Scott Wright in Jul 1938 in Battersea district. He was born on 15 Apr 1914. He died in Jan 1993 in Surrey North-Western dist.
- iii. **ENID BOND JACKSON** was born on 20 Jul 1920 in Stockport Road, Bredbury, Cheshire, England. She married Kenneth Hugh Douglas, son of Frederick Douglas and Ada Pullen on 11 Jun 1948 in St Matthew's, Ashford, Middlesex. He was born on 27 Jan 1922 in Egham, Surrey, England.
- iv. **SADIE ANNIE JACKSON** was born on 20 Oct 1924 in Chiswick, Middlesex, England (Gunnersbury). She married John Ronald Reason, son of George F Reason and Ethel Bounden on 05 Mar 1949 in St Matthew's, Ashford, Middlesex. He was born on 04 Mar 1924 in West Ham dist.
- v. **BETTY JACKSON** was born on 26 Oct 1926 in Ashford, Middlesex. She married Walter John Browning, son of Walter Browning and Rose E Hart on 11 Jun 1948 in St Matthew's, Ashford, Middlesex. He was born in Oct 1922 in Staines distr.