

## Family BZ

### The Jeffcoates of St Pancras

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#### Letters Received

Our knowledge of this family came initially from Nan Jeffcoate, the widow of Oscar Reginald Jeffcoate. She passed our letter to her late husband's sister Joan, who has done some research into the family tree. Joan says that her family can be traced back to 1830 in Surbiton, Surrey, although she had not managed to trace any further back than that.

In 1999, we received a few emails from Melissa Hunter of Kent, who descended from Amy Jeffcoate who had married William Briant.

The family tree on the following page was mainly compiled from Joan's research and added to by our own records. Letters 445, 450, 475, 476 and 496 refer.

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#### Further Research

This family tree is tantalisingly close to family BW details, with there having been another Richard of a similar age in Stony Stratford, Bucks, but who was a labourer, married to Elizabeth Stass.

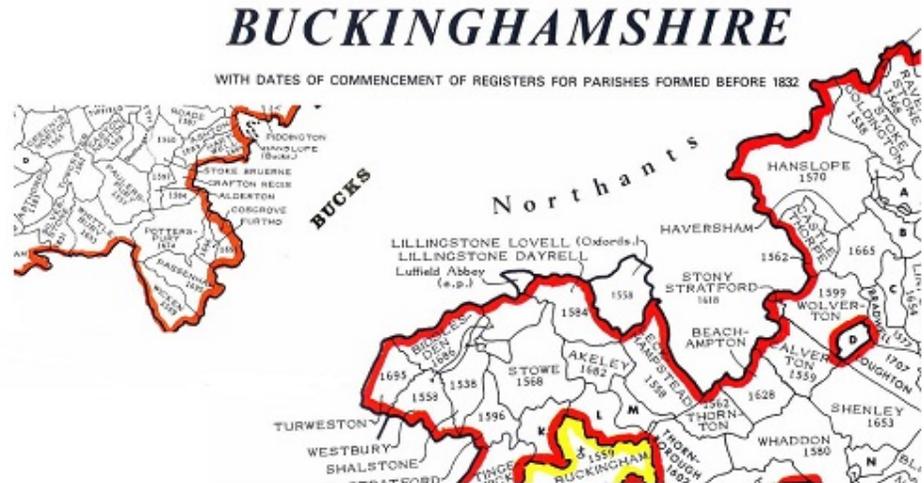
Our Richard was a blacksmith, married to Sarah Osborne, who was born in Stony Stratford. We know that there were two Richards, as they both appear in the 1861 census, one at home, and our one, in the workhouse, a widower, formerly a blacksmith. We cannot find him in the 1851 census.

To confound the identification problem we found yet another Richard, married to Ann, some 10 years older, who had their child Mary baptised at the same church in Cosgrove, Northampton. He was a farrier, and probably the same Richard who was listed as a veterinary surgeon in 1835, 1839 and 1841 in Stony Stratford. He was from family BW? Why the Cosgrove connection?

A farrier worked with horses, of course, whereas a blacksmith used similar processes but was very different to a farrier. So, surely the two cannot be confused. If this was uncle and nephew, then the connection to family BW would be there, as well as the professional similarity.

In 1870-72, John Marius Wilson's Imperial Gazetteer of England and Wales described Cosgrove like this:

COSGROVE, a village and a parish in Potterspury district, Northampton. The village stands near the Bucks boundary, Watling-street, the Buckingham and Grand Junction canals, and the confluence of the Tove and Ouse rivers, 1½ mile N of Stony Stratford, and 1¼ NW of Wolverton r. station; and has a post office under Stony Stratford. ...



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JEFFCOATE

Richard  
 b 1795 Northampton  
 d 1868  
 smith

= Sarah  
 | OSBORNE  
 | b 1787 Stony Stratford  
 | m 1821 Great Woolstone  
 | d

John  
 b 1830 Weedon, Northamptonshire  
 d 1908  
 tailor in Kingston upon Thames in 1881

= Esther  
 | BRIANT  
 | b 1834 Middx  
 | m 1854 Pan  
 | d 1911

Harry b 1856 KTo d	George b 1858 d 1862	Frederick b 1861 Lon d	Edward b 1863 d 1864	Minnie b 1865 Lon d	Albert b 1869 Sur d 1894	Walter b 1871 Sur d 1893	Frank b 1873 d 1893	Amy b 1874 Sur d	Percival b 1879 Kin d a shoemaker
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= Sarah  
 | E  
 | b 1855 Wis  
 | m  
 | d

= William  
 | BRIANT  
 | b  
 | m 1908  
 | d

= Lotton  
 | Marion  
 | WRIGHT  
 | b 1884 Nor  
 | m 1906  
 | d 1966

Harry Reginald b 1880 Nor	Percival Charles b 1907 Kin d 1932	Herbert John b 1910 Kin d 1980	Oscar Reginald b 1914 Kin d 1979	Marion Dorothy Lilian b 1921 Kin	Joan Mary b 1923 Kin
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Kin	Kingston	Nor	Norbiton
KTo	Kentish Town	Pan	St Pancras
Lam	Lambeth	Sur	Surbiton
Lon	London	Wis	Wissett