

## Extract from Kerswell & related family trees – private document

**JAMES KERSWELL** born c.1837: Crediton, Devon

Baptised 13 SEPT 1837: Crediton (FMP – Devon Baptisms: Son of **WILLIAM KERSWELL** (labourer) & **ELIZABETH**)

**JAMES KERSWELL** married c.1874

**FRANCES / FANNY LITTLE RICKARD** born 19 Nov 1856: St Martin's, Looe, Liskeard, Cornwall

Birth Regd: **FANNY LITTLE RICKARD**: DEC Qtr 1856: Liskeard: V5c.P89

Daughter of

**1891 census: RG12/1695/ED11/F34/P15/H112: HSU 6096805: JAMES KERSWELL** 53, gardener & wife **FANNY** 33 + 5 children: living at 5 Alexandra Place, Dawlish, Teignmouth, Newton Abbot, Devon

**1901 census: RG13/ : JAMES KERSWELL** 63, Naval Pensioner & wife **FANNY** 44 + 5 children: living at 4 Alexander Place, East Dawlish, (St Michael), Teignmouth, Newton Abbot, Devon

**JAMES KERSWELL** died aged 69: DEC Qtr 1908: Newton Abbot: V5c.P61

**1911 census: RG14/PN**

**FANNY KERSWELL (this?)** died aged 84: 23 OCT 1935: Oakford, Kingsteignton, Newton Abbot, Devon

Death Regd: DEC Qtr 1924: Newton Abbot: V5b.P164

### Children of **JAMES KERSWELL & FANNY LITTLE RICKARD**:

- A) **JAMES EDWIN KERSWELL** born c.1878: Ballycastle / Belding / Belderrig, County Mayo / Sligo, Ireland

**1891: EDWIN** 12: with parents

**1901 census: RG13/3796/ED29/F81/P34/H : JAS ED KERSWELL** 22 & his brother **FREDK CHAS** 17, both single & sorting clerks & telegraphists: boarding (2 of 4) with **EBENEZER THOMPSON** 47, boarding house keeper & wife **SUSANNAH** 47, assistant: living at 20 Mottram Road, Stalybridge, (Cheshire), (St Paul's), Ashton under Lyne, Lancashire

**1904 – 1910**: Enlisted in the Army Post Office Corps

**1911: JAMES EDWIN** 32, single, clerk (Post Office – SCI): with widowed mother

**25 OCT 1918: Sapper JAMES EDWIN KERSWELL** died at 33<sup>rd</sup> Clearing Hospital, Haifa, Palestine – having served in Egypt – WW1

Service No. 182777, Corps of Royal Engineers, Yeomanry Mounted Division Signal Squadron. No age or parentage shown

Remembered with Honour – A.15, Haifa War Cemetery, Israel / Palestine (via CWGC)

**Probate – 28 FEB 1919: JAMES EDWIN KERSWELL** of Penlee, Luscombe Terrace, Dawlish, Devon, Lance / Corporal, Royal Engineers, died 25 OCT 1918 at 33<sup>rd</sup> Clearing Hospital, Palestine. Administration (with Will) – Exeter: 28 FEB 1919 to **FANNY LITTLE KERSWELL**, widow, Effects £545 7s 7d

- B) **MINNIE KERSWELL** born c.1879: Belding / Belderrig, County Mayo, Ireland

**1891: MINNIE** 11: with parents

**1901 census: RG13/ : MINNIE KERSWELL**

**1911 census: RG14/PN : MINNIE KERSWELL**

- C) **AUGUSTA MAY KERSWELL** born c. : County Mayo, Ireland

**1891: AUGUSTA** 9: **1901: AUGUSTA** 19, draper's assistant: with parents

**1911 census: RG14/PN**

**AUGUSTA MAY KERSWELL** married JUNE 1913:

- Marriage Regd:** JUNE Qtr 1913: Newton Abbot: V5  
**VICTOR FRANK TAPPER** born 10 MAY 1887: Stubbampton, Tarrant Gunville, Blandford, Dorset
- D) **FREDERICK CHARLES KERSWELL** born 16 DEC 1883: Killala, County Mayo, Ireland  
**1891:** FREDERICK 7: with parents  
**1901:** FREDK CHAS KERSWELL 17, sorting clerk & telegraphist: boarding with brother **JAS ED KERSWELL** 22 at Stalybridge as above  
**FREDERICK CHARLES KERSWELL** married 1910: St Bartholomew, Wilmslow, Bucklow, Cheshire  
**Marriage Regd:** SEPT Qtr 1910: Bucklow: V8a.P472 & CheshireBMD Ref: 1097/4/167  
**JOSEPHINE HELEN / ELLEN HOLT** born 28 SEPT 1881: Stalybridge, Cheshire  
**Birth Regd:**  
Daughter of **DANIEL HOLT** (1854 - ) & **MARGRET EXTON** (1857-1883) – married  
**1911 census:** RG14/PN : **FREDERICK C KERSWELL** 27, sorting clerk & telegraphist (Post Office) & wife **JOSEPHINE H** 29 (married 1 years + 1 child) + 1 son: living in 5 rooms at 40 Edale Road, Leigh, Culcheth, Leigh, Lancashire  
**JOSEPHINE H KERSWELL** died aged : 8 DEC 1924: Exeter, Devon  
**Death Regd:**  
**FREDERICK C KERSWELL** died aged  
**Children of FREDERICK CHARLES KERSWELL & JOSEPHINE HELEN nee HOLT:**
- 1) **FREDERICK KERSWELL** born 5 NOV 1910: Leigh, Culcheth, Wigan & Leigh, Lancashire  
**Birth Regd:** DEC Qtr 1910:  
**1911:** FREDERICK KERSWELL 4 months: with parents  
**FREDERICK KERSWELL** married SEPT Qtr 1933: Exeter: V6b.P181  
**MYRTLE ELLEN FRANCES LAND** born 19 JUNE 1912: Plymouth, Devon, England  
**Birth Regd:** MYRTLE E F PAYNE (this?): SEPT Qtr 1912: Plymouth: V5b.P394 (PAYNE)  
**FREDERICK KERSWELL** died aged 30: JUNE Qtr 1941: Exeter: V5b.P193  
**Probate – 4 JULY 1941:** FREDERICK KERSWELL of 66 Blackboys Road, Exeter, Devon, died 2 APRIL 1941. Probate – Exeter: 4 JULY 1941 to **MYRTLE ELLEN FRANCIS KERSWELL**, widow. Effects £347 10s 5d  
**Children of FREDERICK KERSWELL & MYRTLE E F nee LAND (PAYNE):**
- a) **RODNEY F E KERSWELL** born 1934: Exeter area, Devon  
**Birth Regd:** JUNE Qtr 1934: Exeter: V5b.P91 (LAND)  
b) **JOSEPHINE H KERSWELL** born 1935: Exeter area, Devon  
**Birth Regd:** JUNE Qtr 1935: Exeter: V5b.P91 (LAND)
- 2) **SIDNEY HOLT KERSWELL**  
3) **DONALD RICKARD KERSWELL**
- E) **ISABELLA ANNIE KERSWELL** born 1888: Dawlish, Teignmouth, Newton Abbot, Devon  
**Birth Regd:** DEC Qtr 1888: Newton Abbot: V5b.P106  
**1891:** ISABELLA 2: **1901:** ISABELLA 12: with parents  
**1911:** ISABELLA 22, single, no occupation: with widowed mother  
**ISABELLA A KERSWELL** married JUNE Qtr 1918: Newton Abbot: V6b.P228  
**THOMAS E COLLINS** born  
**Birth Regd:**  
**Son of**
- F) **COLIN RICKARD KERSWELL** born 1891: Newton Abbot area, Devon  
**Birth Regd:** SEPT Qtr 1891: Newton Abbot: V5b.P108  
**COLIN RICKARD KERSWELL** died aged 1: MAR Qtr 1893: Newton Abbot: V5b.P79
- G) **SYDNEY HAROLD KERSWELL** born 1893/4: Dawlish, Teignmouth, Newton Abbot, Devon

**Birth Regd:** MAR Qtr 1894: Newton Abbot: V5b.P101

**1901:** SIDNEY 7: with parents

**1911:** SYDNEY HAROLD KERSWELL 17, apprentice (Grocery): with widowed mother

**Private SIDNEY HAROLD KERSWELL** (via Ancestry.com – enlisted at Edward Street, lived Dawlish) died WW1 – Gallipoli (Balkan Theatre): 14 OCT 1915. Service No. 3008, 3<sup>rd</sup> Battalion, London Regiment (Royal Fusiliers)

No age or parentage shown

Remembered with Honour: Grave / Memorial Ref: A.XIV.6: Pieta Military Cemetery, Malta (via CWGC)

H) **EDITH MAUD(E) KERSWELL** born 1896: Dawlish, Teignmouth, Newton Abbot, Devon

**Birth Regd: EDITH MAUD:** JUNE Qtr 1896: Newton Abbot: V5b.P96

**1901:** EDITH 5: with parents

I) **OLIVE EDNA KERSWELL** born 1898: Dawlish, Teignmouth, Newton Abbot, Devon

**Birth Regd:** JUNE Qtr 1898: Newton Abbot: V5b.P96

**1901:** EDNA 2: with parents

**1911:** OLIVE EDNA KERSWELL 12, schoolgirl: with widowed mother

**OLIVE E KERSWELL** married DEC Qtr 1921: Newton Abbot: V5b.P267

**GILBERT R POPE** born

**Birth Regd: (NOT GILBERT REGINALD – JUNE Qtr 1889: Faversham – son of EDWIN)**

**Son of**