

Hargrave Jennings

A report on John Hargrave Jennings personal life.

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Part I

The Jennings family

John Hargrave Jennings (1815-1890)

JOHN HARGRAVE JENNINGS was born in 1815 at what looks like “Burton Cxia” in St. Pancras, Middlesex, England. He was baptized on 9 April 1815 at the St. Pancras Old Church.

Father: John William Jennings

Mother: Elizabeth Alice Hargraves

~ 1815

From London Church of England Births and Baptisms:

St. Pancras

Baptisms 1815 – Page 219. No. 1745.

1815. April 9th. / John Hargraves Son of / John & Elizabeth / Jennings / [Burton?] Cxia / Plasterer / [----?----]

Image of the record:

BAPTISMS solemnized in the Parish of <u>St. Pancras</u>						
in the County of <u>Middlesex</u> in the Year 18 <u>15</u>						
When Baptized.	Child's Christian Name.	Parents Name.		Abode.	Quality, Trade, or Profession.	By whom the Ceremony was performed.
		Christian.	Surname.			
1815. April 9 th . No. 1745.	John	John	Jennings	Burton Cxia	Pastor	H. C. [Signature]

~ more about his parents

John William Jennings married **ELIZABETH ALICE HARGRAVES** on 21 May 1805 in St. Pancras parish church in Camden, London, England.

From Church of England Marriages and Banns:

Saint Pancras Parish Church

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The Year 1805

No 307 } John William Jennings of this Parish Bachelor and Elizabeth Alice Hargraves of this Parish Spinster were Married in this Church by Banns this Twenty first Day of May in the Year One Thousand Eight Hundred and five By me [W?] B Champneys Curate

This Marriage was solemnized between Us {

John William Jennings

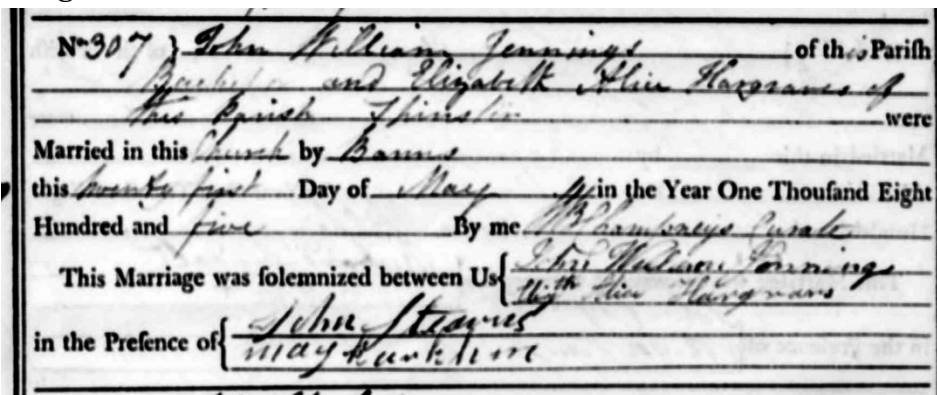
Elizabeth Alice Hargraves

in the Presence of {

John Stennes

May Parkham

Image of the record:



~ 1841

John and Fredk. Jennings were living at Harriet Kinsey's place at Edward Street in St. Marylebone, Middlesex.

John Jennings was listed as in Theatrical.

From the 1841 census of St. Marylebone:

Name / Age & Sex / Profession / Whether Born in same County

Edward St^t

Harriet Kinsey / 50 F / Lodging house keep^r / Y

Alica Kinsey / 26 F / Ind / [blank]

John Jennings / 26 M / Theatrical / Y

Fred^k Jennings / 24 M / Lord Chancellors Office / Y

Percy Paste / 50 M / Army H. P. / I

Francis Mosby / 40 M / Army H. P. / F

Image of the 1841 census:

~ 1850

Hargrave and Fredk. W. Jennings were living at 12 Nottingham Terrace in St. Marylebone, Middlesex.

Also Mrs. Jennings was living at 13 Nottingham Terrace.

From the London, England, City Directories:

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1850.] Post Office London Street Directory.

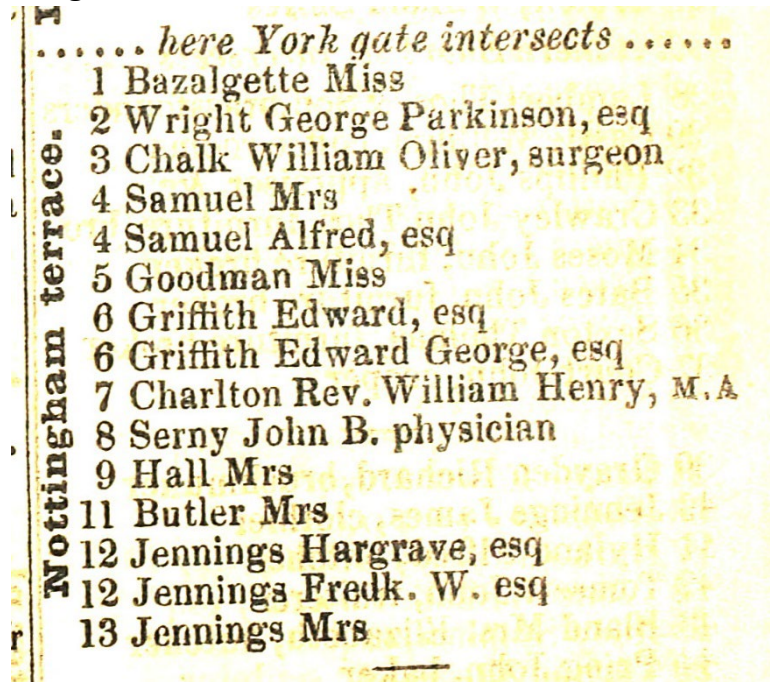
Nottingham Terrace.

12 Jennings Hargrave, esq

12 Jennings Fredk. W. esq

13 Jennings Mrs

Image of the record:



~ 1851

Hargrave Jennings, at age 29, was living with his mother, Elizabeth A. Jennings, at 12 Nottingham Terrace in St. Marylebone, Middlesex.

Hargrave was listed as a “[Medsten?] of Her Majestys [K-----? or Theatre?]”

From the 1854 census of St. Marylebone:

Name / Relationship / Marital status / Age & Sex / Profession / Where Born

12 Nottingham Terrace

Elizabeth A. Jennings / Head / Widow / 60 F / Proprietor of Houses / City of London

Hargrave Jennings / Son / U / 29 M / [Medsten?] of Her Majestys [K-----?] / St. Pancras Mdx

Eliza A Boyles / Dau / Widow / 30 F / ----- / D^o

Sarah Woodard / Vis^r / D^o / 32 F / Land Holder / Colchester Essex

Mary Quin / Serv^t / U / 19 F / Domestic Servant / Bristol Somersetshire

Image of part of the record:

Harriet Jennings	Widow	46	32	Housewife
Elizabeth Jennings	Widow	46	32	Housewife
Harriet Jennings	Serv	16	29	Widow of Her Majesty's Clerk
Elizabeth Jennings	Serv	16	30	Widow of Her Majesty's Clerk
John Woodard	Widow	16	32	Landholder
Mary Quinn	Serv	11	19	Domestic Servant

~ 1861

John Hargrave Jennings was living with his brother's family at 27 Blandford Square in St. Marylebone, Middlesex.

He was listed as an Author of Philosophy.

From the 1861 census of St. Marylebone:

Name / Relationship / Marital status / Age & Sex / Profession / Where Born

27 Blandford Sqr

Frederick W. Jennings / Head / Mar / 43 M / Her Majesty's [-----] Lord Chamberlain Office / Middlesex London

Elizabeth do / Wife / Mar / 38 F / ----- / Isle Man Douglas

Caroline F Gaine / Sister in Law / Un / 43 F / Fundholder / Shropshire Bridgenorth

John Hargrave Jennings / Brother / Un / 46 M / Author of Philosophy / Middlesex London

Edward L. F. do / Son / " / 11 M / Scholar / do do

Caroline L. C. do / Daur / " / 8 F / Scholar / Isle Wight Ryde

Mary Griggs / Serv / Un / 23 F / Serv / Hertfordshire Hertford

Margaret Farmer / Serv / Un / 20 F / Serv / South Wales Brecon

Image of part of the record:

Frederick W. Jennings	Head	Mar	43	Her Majesty's Lord Chamberlain Office
Elizabeth do	Wife	Mar	38	Isle Man Douglas
Caroline F Gaine	Sister in Law	Un	43	Fundholder
John Hargrave Jennings	Brother	Un	46	Author of Philosophy
Edward L. F. do	Son	"	11	Scholar
Caroline L. C. do	Daur	"	8	Scholar
Mary Griggs	Serv	Un	23	Serv
Margaret Farmer	Serv	Un	20	Serv

~ 1871

Hargrave Jennings was living with his brother's family at 36 Gloucester Street in St. George Hanover Square, London.

Hargrave was listed as an Author Philosophy and General Literature.

From the 1871 census of St. George Hanover Square:

Name / Relationship / Marital status / Age & Sex / Profession / Where Born

36 Gloucester St

Fred^c. W. Jennings / Head / Mar / 52 M / 1st Clk Ld Chambⁿ. Office [-----] [-----] / London

Elizth. " / Wife / " / 46 F / ----- / I. of Man Douglas

Constance " / daur / Unm / 18 F / ----- / " " Wight Ryde

Hargrave " / Brother / " / 54 M / Author Philosophy & Gen^l Literature / London

Elizth Skacey / Serv. / " / 25 F / Cook Dom. Serv. / "

Mary Ann Cull / " / " / 28 F / Housemaid " " / "

Image of part of the record:

Name	Relationship	Marital status	Age	Sex	Profession	Where Born
Fred ^c . W. Jennings	Head	Mar	52	M	1 st Clk Ld Chambn Office	London
Eliz th	wife	"	46	F	I. of Man Douglas	"
Constance	daur	Unm	18	F	Wight Ryde	"
Hargrave	Brother	"	54	M	Author Philosophy & Genl Literature	London
Eliz th Skacey	Serv.	"	25	F	Cook Dom. Serv.	"
Mary Ann Cull	"	"	28	F	Housemaid	"

~ 1881

Hargrave Jennings was living with his brother's family at St. James Palace in St. Martin in the Fields, London.

Hargrave was listed as an Author.

From the 1881 census of St. Martin in the Fields:

St James Palace

Fred^k W Jennings / Head / Mar / 60 M / Examiner of Accounts Lord Cham. Office / London

Elizabeth do / Wife / Mar / 55 F / ----- / Isle of Man

Edward L. F. do / Son / Unm / 30 M / Captain [Militia?] / London

Hargrave do / Brother / Unm / 62 M / Author / do

Louisa Stiff / Serv^t / Unm / 23 F / Cook / Essex Dagenham
 Alice Smith / do / Unm / 19 F / Housemaid / Do Barking

Image of part of the record:

<i>name</i>	<i>relation</i>	<i>sex</i>	<i>age</i>	<i>occupation</i>
<i>Fredk W Jennings</i>	<i>Head</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>60</i>	<i>Commissioner of accounts and Clerk</i>
<i>Elizabeth do</i>	<i>Wife</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>55</i>	<i>Office</i>
<i>Edmond L.F. do</i>	<i>Son</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>30</i>	<i>Captain Militia</i>
<i>Hargrave do</i>	<i>Brother</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>62</i>	<i>Author</i>
<i>Louisa Stiff</i>	<i>Serv^t</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>23</i>	<i>Cook</i>
<i>Alice Smith</i>	<i>do</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>Housemaid</i>

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