

William Harry BRASSETT aka Henry (1852-1941)

Henry was aged four when he migrated to Tasmania on the 'Trade Wind' with his parents: Henry (1829-1908) and Mary Ann nee Cook (1825-1864). Henry was born on 13 November 1852 at Stepney in London. A brother, Herbert, was born shortly after arrival in Tasmania. He was born on 25 June 1859 in Launceston. Both children accompanied their parents when they returned to England in about 1860. In the 1861 England Census for Shoreditch, St Leonard, Middlesex Henry was a scholar, aged eight and his brother Herbert was aged one.

William Harry Brassett, a commercial clerk, residing at Pembury Grove, Middlesex married Jane Fuller Richman (1834-1906), a widow on 21 February 1875.

1875. Marriage solemnized at <u>The Parish Church in the Parish of Hackney</u> in the County of <u>Middlesex</u>								
No.	When Married.	Name and Surname.	Age.	Condition.	Rank or Profession.	Residence at the time of Marriage.	Father's Name and Surname.	Rank or Profession of Father.
33	February 21 st 1875	William Harry Brassett	full age	Married	Commercial Clerk	Pembury Grove	Henry Brassett	Mill Sawyer
		Jane Fuller Richman	full age	Widow	—	Orchard Place	Richard Colvin	Ship Wright
Married in the <u>Parish Church</u> according to the Rites and Ceremonies of the Established Church, by <u>I. W. Newnham</u> or after <u>Banns</u> by me,								
This Marriage was solemnized between us,		{ <u>William Harry Brassett</u> <u>Jane Fuller Richman</u> }		in the Presence of us, { <u>Ed. Richards</u> <u>Elizabeth Goodwin</u> }				

Jane was the daughter of Richard Colvin (1798-1872) and Mary Ann nee Nunn (1795-1864), born on 17 November 1834 in Poplar, London. Jane had previously been married to Joseph Christopher Richman (1822-1870). They had two children: Jane (1865-1941) and Joseph Benjamin (1867-1949) Richman. The two children were raised in the Henry Brassett household after their father had died. A daughter, Beatrice (1873-1964) was born to Henry and Jane in 1873 in Poplar, Middlesex.

Henry passed away in 1941 at Maldon, Essex, aged 88. Jane also died in Essex in March 1906, aged 71.

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