

The lives of William Geep (1825) And Isabella Elizabeth Lye as told in Parish Records of England.

The Story of William Geep of Merriott, Somerset, England and Isabella Elizabeth Lye of South Petherton, Somerset England are told in the following parish records. These parishes were adjacent to each other, with the town center about 3 miles apart.

William Geep was born in the parish of Merriott, Somerset, England. Later in life his name was recorded as Gibb, Gibbs and Gabe as shown in the following records.

He was baptized in the Church of England. The following Digitized entry is from the C. of E. parish record of Merriott, Somerset, England. See the last entry on this page. The first two entries on the next image are for his brother Robert and his sister Ann.

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BAPTISMS solemnized in the Parish of <i>Merriott</i> in the County of <i>Somerset</i> in the Year 1825						
When Baptized.	Child's Christian Name.	Parents Name.		Abode.	Quality, Trade, or Profession.	By whom the Ceremony was performed.
		Christian	Surname.			
12 th May 1825 No. 473	<i>Robert</i> Daughter of	<i>Thomas</i> & <i>Ann</i>	<i>Cooper</i>	<i>Merriott</i>	<i>Labourer</i>	<i>Thos. Rice</i> vicar.
14 th May 1825 No. 474	<i>Anna</i> Daughter of	<i>Thomas</i> & <i>Leah</i>	<i>Rowell</i>	<i>Merriott</i>	<i>Wagoner</i>	<i>Thos. Rice</i> vicar.
16 th May 1825 No. 475	<i>Anna</i> Daughter of	<i>John</i> & <i>Jesse</i>	<i>Lane</i>	<i>Merriott</i>	<i>Labourer</i>	<i>Thos. Rice</i> vicar.
26 th May 1825 No. 476	<i>Anna</i> Daughter of	<i>Isabella</i> & <i>Shirley</i>	<i>B. C.</i>	<i>Merriott</i>	<i>Labourer</i>	<i>Thos. Rice</i> vicar.
26 th May 1825 No. 477	<i>Robert</i> Son of	<i>Charles</i> & <i>Ann</i>	<i>Lawrence</i>	<i>Merriott</i>	<i>Labourer</i>	<i>Thos. Rice</i> vicar.
27 th May 1825 No. 478	<i>Isabella</i> Daughter of	<i>Isabella</i> & <i>John</i>	<i>Lane</i>	<i>Merriott</i>	<i>Labourer</i>	<i>Thos. Rice</i> vicar.
27 th May 1825 No. 479	<i>William</i> Daughter of	<i>William</i> & <i>Isabella</i>	<i>Burdall</i>	<i>Merriott</i>	<i>Wagoner</i>	<i>Thos. Rice</i> vicar.
26 th June 1825 No. 480	<i>William</i> Son of	<i>William</i> & <i>Ann</i>	<i>Geep</i>	<i>Merriott</i>	<i>Labourer</i>	<i>Thos. Rice</i> vicar.

BAPTISMS solemnized in the Parish of <u>Merriott</u> in the County of <u>Somerset</u> in the Year 1825						
When Baptized.	Child's Christian Name	Parents Name.		Abode.	Quality, Trade, or Profession.	By whom the Ceremony was performed.
		Christian.	Surname.			
1825. 26 th No. 481.	Robert son of	William & Ann	Geep Age 63 years	Merriott	Labourer	Thos Price Vicar
26 th No. 482.	Ann Daughter of	William & Ann	Geep	Merriott	Labourer	Thos Price Vicar

William Geep of Merriott.

The following summer are the changes and progression of his name in the following events in his life, for details, see entries below this summary.

1825 Christening Geep in Merriott
 1841 Census Gibb Unm in Merriott,
 1847 Married Gibb in South Petherton,
 1851 Census Gibb in South Petherton,
 1861 Census Gibbs in Martock,
 1871 Census Gibb in Newport, Monmouth, Wales
 1881 Census Gibbs in Newport, Monmouth, Wales
 1895 Burial Gibb in Newport, Monmouth, Wales

Original sources for the temple work was a letter from Vicars of South Petherton (Phillip Main)

And the District of Newport Registrar
 Sheet Submitted by J. Robert Fisher 21217 99 the Ave S.E.
 Snohomish, Washington
 Christening are from IGI Batch# 2260219 Using the name Gibb.

The original Church of England Baptism records ,as recorded, is as follows.

Page 60 Entry #48 Bap in the C. of E. Parish of Merriott,
 Somerset, England FHL Film# 1526760
 Bap. Date : 26 Dec 1825 William son of William and Ann Geep .
 baptized on the same day were his brother Robert and sister Ann

The first Gibb Christening entry in the parish of Merriott was on the 2 Sep 1838, as follows
 Chr. 2 Sep 1838, Born 3 July 1838, Elizabeth Daug of John and Ann Gibb. Abode Boozer Pit Merriott, Weaver Signed Joseph Cross. Vicar.

The 1841 Census is the first time William and Ann were recorded as Gibb. Bottom entry, Right Side

PLACE		NAMES of each Person who shall dwell in the preceding Night.	AGE in YEARS	PROFESSION, TRADE, EMPLOYMENT, or of INDEPENDENT MEANS.	When Born in the Year
		James da	11		21
		Blender da	13		21
		Elizabeth da	11		21
		Anna da	10		21
		Arthur da	8		21
		James da	3		21
		Henry da	1		21
		James da	30	Widow	21
		Joseph Grant	25	Ag Lab	21
		Ann da	25		21
		Elizabeth da	15		21
		Robert Brown	15		21
		Thomas da	11		21
		Samuel Brack	35	Baker	21
		John da	11	50	21
		John da	11		21
		George da	9		21
		Henry da	7		21
		Henry da	5		21
		William da	1		21
		Elizabeth Pitt	10	Widow	21
		Henry Mitchell	35	Baker	21
		Charles da	16		21
		William da	9		21
		Arthur da	6		21
TOTAL in		4	13	12	2

PLACE		NAMES of each Person who shall dwell in the preceding Night.	AGE in YEARS	PROFESSION, TRADE, EMPLOYMENT, or of INDEPENDENT MEANS.	When Born in the Year
		James Faye	24	Business	21
		James da	22		21
		Elizabeth da	9		21
		Arthur da	5		21
		Henry da	2		21
		Joseph Coburn	18	Gardner	21
		Ann da	20		21
		Richard Coburn	62	Ag Lab	21
		Elizabeth da	26		21
		John da	22		21
		Elizabeth da	16		21
		Richard da	13		21
		James da	11		21
		Harriet da	9		21
		William Marshall	65	Taylor	21
		Arthur da	44		21
		Richard Brown	29	Ag Lab	21
		James da	20		21
		Richard da	17		21
		Ann Brindle	14	Widow	21
		James Pallemack	10		21
		William Gibb	30	Ag Lab	21
		Ann da	55		21
		James da	21		21
		William da	18		21
TOTAL in		6	118	118	12

1841 Census for Parish of Merriott County of Somerset,
 Registration Chard, Sub registration Crewkerne
 Name age occup. born in Somerset Est. Birth year
 note dates in the 1841 census were round to nearest 5 years
 William Gibb 50 Ag lab y 1791
 Ann Gibb 55 y 1786
 Samuel Gibb 24 Y 1817
 William Gibb 18 Y 1823

It should be noted that prior to 1837 the Ecclesiastical Parish Records of Merriott, Somerset, England does not have the name Gibb in it. All the dates used in the sheet submitted by John Robert Fisher match the entries in the parish of Merriott as "Geep". When the Civil records started the name as pronounced by the individual was written by the scribe as Geeb, Gibe, Gabe, Gibb, Gibbs depending on which Civil Parish you were in. The

only place the Geep name appears is in the Merriott Parish. And all of William's ancestors and family back to 1744 were Chr. under the Name Geep in the parish of Merriott. Gabe, Gibe, Geeb, Gibb and Gibbs in other parish.

William Geep(Chr.1825) in Merriott was married as William Gibb to Isabella Elizabeth Lye In South Petherton, in 25 Dec 1847. The name change occurred about the time He left Merriott. The following is a Digitized copy of their marriage.

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1847. Marriage solemnized *By Banns* in the Church of *South Petherton* in the County of *Somerset*

No.	Who 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.
161	<i>Gibb</i>	<i>William Gibb</i>	<i>25</i>	<i>Bachelor</i>	<i>Carpenter</i>	<i>South Petherton</i>	<i>William Gibb</i>	<i>Labourer</i>
	<i>Lye</i>	<i>Isabella Elizabeth Lye</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>Spinster</i>	<i>Labourer</i>	<i>South Petherton</i>	<i>Robert Lye</i>	<i>Labourer</i>

Married in the *Church* according to the Rites and Ceremonies of the *Church of England* by me, *Henry Bond*

This Marriage solemnized between us *William Gibb* and *Isabella Elizabeth Lye* in the Presence of us, *Samuel Gibb* and *Mary Gibb*

1847 Dec Marriage index gives: William Gibb Dist. Yeovil, Vol 10, page 890

1847 Marriage in Parish of South Petherton , Somerset, England is as follows.

FHL Film # 1426363

Marriage # 161 Date 25 Dec 1847

Groom William Gibb , Bachelor, Carpenter, abode South Petherton , Father William Gibb

Bride Isabella Elizabeth Lye, Spinster, Abode South Petherton, Father Robert Lye

Solemnize between us William Gibb and Isabella Elizabeth Lye

Witnesses X of Samuel Gibb and Mary Gibb

Isabella Elizabeth Lye's Christening is found in the parish of South Petherton, Somerset, England. Second entry from the top in the image below. Three other siblings were also christened the same day.

BAPTISMS solemnized in the Parish of <i>St. Andrew</i> in the County of <i>Down</i> in the Year 1821						
Year Registered	Child's Name	Parents Name		Atch.	Quality, Rank, or Profession	By whom the Baptism administered
		Christian	Surname			
1821 July 27 No. 325	<i>Harriet</i>	<i>John</i>	<i>Waller</i>	<i>St. Andrew</i>	<i>Labourer</i>	<i>James Coffey</i>
1821 July 29 No. 326	<i>Isabella</i>	<i>John</i>	<i>Waller</i>	<i>St. Andrew</i>	<i>Labourer</i>	<i>James Coffey</i>
1821 July 31 No. 327	<i>Isabella</i>	<i>John</i>	<i>Waller</i>	<i>St. Andrew</i>	<i>Labourer</i>	<i>James Coffey</i>
1821 Aug 1 No. 328	<i>Isabella</i>	<i>John</i>	<i>Waller</i>	<i>St. Andrew</i>	<i>Labourer</i>	<i>James Coffey</i>
1821 Aug 2 No. 329	<i>Isabella</i>	<i>John</i>	<i>Waller</i>	<i>St. Andrew</i>	<i>Labourer</i>	<i>James Coffey</i>
1821 Aug 3 No. 330	<i>Isabella</i>	<i>John</i>	<i>Waller</i>	<i>St. Andrew</i>	<i>Labourer</i>	<i>James Coffey</i>
1821 Aug 4 No. 331	<i>Isabella</i>	<i>John</i>	<i>Waller</i>	<i>St. Andrew</i>	<i>Labourer</i>	<i>James Coffey</i>
1821 Aug 5 No. 332	<i>Isabella</i>	<i>John</i>	<i>Waller</i>	<i>St. Andrew</i>	<i>Labourer</i>	<i>James Coffey</i>
1821 Aug 6 No. 333	<i>Isabella</i>	<i>John</i>	<i>Waller</i>	<i>St. Andrew</i>	<i>Labourer</i>	<i>James Coffey</i>

Isabella's first child was born and died before she married William in Dec 1847. The following is a digitize copy of His christening and Death. Chr. and Death are the last entries on each page.

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BAPTISMS administered in the Parish of *South Pelham*
in the County of *Essex* in the Year 1844.

No. of Baptism	Name of Child	Parents	Sex	Age	Minister	Place of Birth	Remarks
1141	John son of John & Mary	John son of John & Mary	Male	1	John Mason	Essex	1844
1142	John son of John & Mary	John son of John & Mary	Male	1	John Mason	Essex	1844
1143	John son of John & Mary	John son of John & Mary	Male	1	John Mason	Essex	1844
1144	John son of John & Mary	John son of John & Mary	Male	1	John Mason	Essex	1844
1145	John son of John & Mary	John son of John & Mary	Male	1	John Mason	Essex	1844
1146	John son of John & Mary	John son of John & Mary	Male	1	John Mason	Essex	1844
1147	John son of John & Mary	John son of John & Mary	Male	1	John Mason	Essex	1844
1148	John son of John & Mary	John son of John & Mary	Male	1	John Mason	Essex	1844
1149	John son of John & Mary	John son of John & Mary	Male	1	John Mason	Essex	1844
1150	John son of John & Mary	John son of John & Mary	Male	1	John Mason	Essex	1844

Robert Henry Lye Died Aug 1844. I have not found out who the father is.

BURIALS in the Parish of <i>South Petherton</i> in the County of <i>Somerset</i> in the Year 1846				
Name.	Abode.	When buried.	Age.	By whom the Ceremony was performed.
<i>George Bunton</i> No. 1329.	<i>South Petherton</i>	<i>June 20th</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>Henry Bond Vicar</i>
<i>John Lang</i> No. 1330.	<i>South Petherton</i>	<i>June 21st</i>	<i>60</i>	<i>Henry Bond Vicar</i>
<i>Mary Baker</i> No. 1331.	<i>South Petherton</i>	<i>June 20th</i>	<i>05</i>	<i>Henry Bond Vicar</i>
<i>Susan Prokes</i> No. 1332.	<i>South Petherton</i>	<i>July 21st</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>Henry Bond</i>
<i>Eliza Baker</i> No. 1333.	<i>South Petherton</i>	<i>July 21</i>	<i>50</i>	<i>Henry Bond Vicar</i>
<i>Robert Lye</i> No. 1334.	<i>South Petherton</i>	<i>August 17th</i>	<i>6 months</i>	<i>Henry Bond Vicar</i>

The next two children were born in 1848 and 1850 as shown in the 1851 Census.

1851 Census for Parish of South Petherton Ecclesiastical Dist of Ball and Wells, Somersetshire, England records the following Residence St. James Street.

Name Rel. Cond. age Occup. Where born est. Birth year
Will'm Gibb Head Mar. 26 Shoemaker Merriott, Somersetshire, 1824

Isabella Gibb Wife Mar. 29 Shoe builder South Petherton Somersetshire 1822

John L. Gibb Son 2 South Petherton, Somerset 1849

William Gibb Son 9 Month South Petherton, Somerset 1850

This is John Lye Gibb's Christianing

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BAPTISMS solemnized in the Parish of South Peterston
in the County of Leicestershire in the Year 1842

When Baptized.	Child's Christian Name.	Parents Names.		Abode.	Quality, Trade, or Profession.	By whom the Ceremony was performed.
		Christian.	Surname.			
1842. Decr 5 th No. 441.	John son of	John Lye	Gibb	South Peterston	Labourer	Henry Bond Vicar
1842. Decr 10 th No. 442.	Mary daughter of	George Francis	Widley	South Peterston	Labourer	Henry Bond Vicar
1842. Decr 10 th No. 443.	Ellen daughter of	Henry Mary	Widford	South Peterston	Labourer	Henry Bond Vicar
1842. Decr 10 th No. 444.	John Lye son of	William Isabella Agnes	Gibb	South Peterston	Shop Master	Henry Bond Vicar

This is Willaim James Gibb's Christening.

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BAPTISMS solemnized in the Parish of South Peterston
in the County of Leicestershire in the Year 1846

When Baptized.	Child's Christian Name.	Parents Names.		Abode.	Quality, Trade, or Profession.	By whom the Ceremony was performed.
		Christian.	Surname.			
1846. Apr 6 th 1846 No. 545.	John son of	William John	Dalton	South Peterston	Sawyer	Henry Bond Vicar
1846. June 5 th 1846 No. 546.	John Hillard son of	Eli Mary	Hillard	South Peterston	Labourer	Henry Bond Vicar
1846. June 5 th 1846 No. 547.	Mary Ann daughter of	James Ann	Churubule	South Peterston	Labourer	Henry Bond Vicar
1846. June 7 th 1846 No. 548.	William son of	William Isabella Agnes	Gibb	South Peterston	Shop Master	Henry Bond Vicar

Their 3rd Son, the 4th child of Isabelle's, was recorded as Robert Henry Gabe. He died at the age of 4 in the parish of Worle. See digitize entries below.

1851 Birth in the Civil Parish of South Petherton, Somerset, England FHL Film# 1526363

Born 19 Nov 1851(1850) , Bap 8 Feb 1851, Robert Henry son of William and Isabella Gabe,

Abode South Petherton, Shoemaker. signed James O Millar Curate.
Note the surname GABE

Also the Birth date is Given as 19 Nov 1851 but the Chr. was in Feb 1851. So the Birth must have be 1850 not 1851.

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BAPTISMS solemnized in the Parish of <u>South Petherton</u> in the County of _____ in the Year 1851						
When Baptized.	Child's Christian Name.	Parents Name.		Abode.	Quality, Trade, or Profession.	By whom the Ceremony was performed.
		Christian.	Surname.			
Born Dec 5 th 1851	1851. Dec 28 th No. 641.	Thomas Nispe son of	Thomas & Mary	Uwitt	South Petherton	Groom Henry Vicar
Born July 1849	July 19 th No. 642.	Jacob Ann daughter of	John & Wiza	Adams	South Petherton	Labourer Henry Vicar
Born 1 st Dec 1851	Jan 6 th No. 643.	Joseph Ann son of	James & Ann	Sabinin	South Petherton	Labourer Henry Vicar
Born 15 th Jan 1852	Jan 17 th No. 644.	Christie Ann daughter of	James & Ciza	Mite	South Petherton	Labourer James Vicar
Born 30 th Dec 1851	Feb 2 nd No. 645.	Mary Ann daughter of	Jane & Best	Best	South Petherton	Labourer James Vicar
Born 14 th Dec 1851	Jan 8 th No. 646.	William Ann son of	Edes & Betsey	Coller	South Petherton	Labourer James Vicar
Born 19 th Nov 1851	Jan 8 th No. 647.	Robert Henry son of	William & Isabella	Gabe	South Petherton	Shoemaker James Vicar

Note: I did not find a burial for Robert Henry Gabe in South Petherton between 1850 and 1860. and he was not with the family in the 1861 Census.

As this is the way he was Christened in the parish, I am leaving his name as Gabe. It also distinguishes him from Robert Henry Lye Isabelle's first child.

But I did find what I think is his Death in Worle.

Burial Parish of Worle Somerset, England

Date 25 Nov 1855 Robert Gibbs, Age 4 Years. EBY = 1851

Robert Henry's Death is found in the Digitize entry following. It is the second last entry on the page. The next entry is the death of his brother Thomas. Thomas's Chr. is show in the next image.

BURIALS in the Parish of <i>Worle</i> in the County of <i>Somerset</i> in the Year 1855				
Name	Abode	When buried	Age	By whom the Ceremony was performed
<i>George Sneyer</i> No. 689.	<i>Worle</i>	<i>Jan^{ry} 8th</i>	<i>86</i> years	<i>South Worle Church</i>
<i>George Toy</i> No. 690.	<i>Worle</i>	<i>Jan^{ry} 9th</i>	<i>4</i> months	<i>South Worle Church</i>
<i>Mary Jane Miller</i> No. 691.	<i>Worle</i>	<i>Oct^{br} 7th</i>	<i>3</i> years	<i>South Worle Church</i>
<i>Charles John Hall</i> No. 692.	<i>Worle</i>	<i>Oct^{br} 18th</i>	<i>7</i> months	<i>South Worle Church</i>
<i>Martha Jane Hunt</i> No. 693.	<i>Worle</i>	<i>Oct^{br} 28th</i>	<i>6</i> months	<i>South Worle Church</i>
<i>Ann Rogers</i> No. 694.	<i>Worle</i>	<i>Oct^{br} 30th</i>	<i>60</i> years	<i>R. C. Hutton The Minister</i>
<i>Robert Gibbs</i> No. 695.	<i>Worle</i>	<i>Nov^{br} 25th</i>	<i>4</i> years	<i>South Worle Church</i>
<i>Thomas Gibbs</i> No. 696.	<i>Worle</i>	<i>Jan^{ry} 2nd</i>	<i>20</i> years	<i>South Worle Church</i>

BAPTISMS solemnized in the Parish of <u>Worle</u> in the County of <u>Somerset</u> in the Year 18 <u>54</u>						
When Baptized.	Child's Christian Name.	Parent's Name.		Abode.	Quality, Trade, or Profession.	By whom the Ceremony was performed.
		Maternal.	Paternal.			
1854 Feb 22	Charles	John Mythell	Maister	Worle	Farmer	Rev. Mr. Woodcock
N. 241						
1854 Feb 26	John	John Mythell	Frog	Worle	Labourer	Rev. Mr. Woodcock
N. 242						
1854 Feb 26	Lucas	Thomas Kovine	Ford	Bassett	Railway Porter	Rev. Mr. Woodcock
N. 243						
1854 Mar 19	Charles	John Kovine	Kovine	Worle	Labourer	Rev. Mr. Woodcock
N. 244						
1854 Mar 19	Thomas	William Isabella	Gibbe	Worle	Shoemaker	Rev. Mr. Woodcock
N. 245						

Chr. in the Parish of Worle, Somerset, England FHL Film # 1526776 Item 18-30

Date 19 March 1854,

Note that William and Isabella have two children born to them while in Worle and Both of them died there along with Robert Henry Gabe.

Thomas Son of William and Isabella Gibbe, Abode Worle, Shoemaker.

Burial 1855 Parish of Worle, Somerset, England

Date 2 Dec 1855, Thomas Gibbs abode Worle, Age 20 Months. EBY March 1854

Chr: Parish of Worle, Somerset, England Film# 1526776

Date 5 Dec 1855, Edward(Edwin?), Son of William and Isabella Gibbe

Burial Parish of Worle, Somerset, England

Date Buried 9 Dec 1855, Edwin Gibbs Abode Worle Age 1 Day.

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BAPTISMS solemnized in the Parish of Wole
in the County of Somerset in the Year 1857

When Baptized.	Child's Christian Name.	Parent's Name.		Abode.	Quality, Trade, or Profession.	By whom the Ceremony was performed.
		Christian.	Surname.			
1857 Nov 4	Henry	Henry	Pearson	Wole	Laborer	Rev. W. Woodhouse
No. 200						
1857 Nov 10	John	John	Stoggs	Wole	Laborer	Rev. W. Woodhouse
No. 201						
1857 Nov 25	Henry	Henry	Burroughs	Wole	Laborer	Rev. W. Woodhouse
No. 202						
1857 Dec 5	William	William	Gibbs	Wole	Shoemaker	Rev. W. Woodhouse
No. 203						

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BURIALS in the Parish of Wole
in the County of Somerset in the Year 1857

Name.	Abode.	When buried.	Age.	By whom the Ceremony was performed.
Edwin Gibbs No. 697.	Wole	Dec 9 th	1 day	Rev. W. Woodhouse

William and Isabella Geep must have left South Petherton, sometime between 1851 and 1855 When Robert Dies in Worle. Then back to Ash / Martock area in 1856-57 as shown below.

Chr. Parish of Ash, Somerset, England. FHL Film# 1517680
Date 12 April 1857

Ada Ann Daug. of William and Isabella Elizabeth Gibbs, Abode Ash, Shoemaker.

BAPTISMS solemnized in the Parish of <i>Ash</i> In the County of <i>Somerset</i> in the Year 18 <i>61</i>						
When Baptized	Child's Christian Name	Parent's Name		Abode	Quality, Trade, or Profession	By whom the Ceremony was performed
		Christian	Surname			
1872 November 26	George son of	Harry Hannah	Miles	Ash	Wagon	W. H. Brown Incumbent
1876 December 25th	George son of	Thomas Elizabeth	Smithers	Ash	Labourer	W. H. Brown Incumbent
1877 February 10th	Ellie Daughter of	Joseph Mary	Worner	Milton Highway	Shepherd	W. H. Brown Incumbent
1877 February 19th	Henry son of	Joseph Elizabeth	Crom	Milton	Labourer	W. H. Brown Incumbent
1877 March 11th	Henry son of	William Mary	Gibb	Milton	Farmer	W. H. Brown Incumbent
1877 March 11th	Arthur son of	Joseph Sarah	Lock	Milton	Carters	W. H. Brown Incumbent
1877 April 12th	Ada daughter of	William Elizabeth	Gibb	Ash	Shoemaker	W. H. Brown Incumbent

I did not find Lucy's Chr. in the Parish of Ash. She is found in Martock.

1858 Birth Index Dec 1858 Gibb, Lucy Emma, Dist Yeovil, Vol. 5c, Page 501

Chr: Parish of Martock, Somerset, England. FHL Film# 1526678
Date: Born -, Baptized 14 November 1858,
Lucy Emma Daug. of William and Isabella Gibbs. abode Martock,
Shoemaker.

Note the surname Gibbs.

Chr: Parish of Ash Somerset, England FHL Film # 11517680

Date 25 January 1861

Henry James Gibbs, Son of William and Isabella Elizabeth Gibbs.
Abode Ash, Shoemaker.

BAPTISMS solemnized in the Parish of <i>Martock</i>						
in the County of <i>Somerset</i>				in the Year <i>1861</i>		
When Baptized.	Child's Christian Name.	Parent's Name.		Abode.	Quality, Trade, or Profession.	By whom the Ceremony was performed.
		Christian.	Surname.			
<i>Jan 20th</i>	<i>Henry James</i>	<i>William</i>	<i>Gibbs</i>	<i>Martock</i>	<i>Shoemaker</i>	<i>W. H. ...</i>
	<i>Isabella</i>	<i>Isabella</i>	<i>Gibbs</i>			<i>...</i>
	<i>John Lye</i>	<i>John Lye</i>	<i>Gibbs</i>			<i>...</i>

Under the name of Gibbs

1861 England Census for Parish of Martock, Regist. Dist. Yeovil, Somerset

Name Rel. Cond. age Occup. Where born est. Birth year
 William Gibbs Head Mar 37 shoemaker Somerset Merriott 1823
 Isabella Gibbs Wife Mar 39 Shoe binder Somerset South Petherton 1821

John Lye Gibbs Son Unm 13 Shoe binder Somerset Martock 1748,

Note: John was not born or Chr. in Martock.

Ada Gibbs Daug. 4 Somerset, Martock 1857

Note: Ada was not Chr: in Martock.

Lucy Gibbs Daug. 2 Somerset, Martock 1859

Henry James Gibbs Son 1 Somerset, Martock 1860

Note Henry was not chr. in Martock

Note the spelling of the last name were as shown above for this census is Gibbs.

Between 1861 and 1871 Census's the Family has moved from Somerset to Newport Monmouthshire Wales.

1871 Wales Census for Civil. Parish of Newport, Monmouth Wales, Eccl Parish of St. Woolas
 Resistance 9 Corn St.

Name Rel. Cond. age Occup. Where born, est. Birth year
 William Gibb Head Mar 48 Bookmaker South Petherton Somerset 1823
 Isabella L. Gibb Wife Mar 49 South Petherton Somerset 1822
 William James Gibb Son Unm. 20 Bookmaker South Petherton, Somerset 1851
 Ada Jane Gibb Daug. 14 Book closer Marlock, Somerset 1857
 Lucy Emma Gibb Daug. 12 scholar Marlock, Somerset 1859

Note: Henry James is missing in the 1971 census, and would have been 11.

Note: There are 2 Henry James Gibb Died in Newport Monmouth Wales in 1861 and 1875.

The 1875 Henry,

Death Index Jun 1875 Dist. Newport M. 11a Page 110 age 0

Note this is William James Gibb's son

The Henry James I was looking for would have been 15 in 1875.

The 1871 Henry, This looks like the one.

1871 March Death index, Gibbs Henry James , Newport Monmouth. , 11a, page 141, age 10 est. Birth year 1861

This next two census entries shows some of William and Isalbella's Grand Children. They were living or visiting with them.

1881 Wales Census Civil parish of Newport Monmouth Wales
Name Rel. Cond. age Occup. Where born est. Birth year
William Gibbs Head Mar. 58 Shoemaker Merriott Somerset 1823
Isabella Gibbs Wife Mar. 58 South Petherton Somerset 1823
Frederick Davies Son in Law Mar. 21 Engine fitter Newport, Monmouth 1860
Lucy Emma Davies Daug. Mar 22 Martock, Somerset 1859
Isabel Davies Grand Daug. 3 months Newport Monmouth 1880

1891 Census Civil Parish St Woollos, Eccles Parish St. Mark, Monmouthshire Wales.

Reg. dist Newport, Sub Reg. dist. Newport.

Name rel. cond. age occup. Where born, EBY

William Gibb Head mar 69, Shoemaker Merriott, Somerset Eng.

Isabella E. Gibb. Wife Mar 69 South Petherton, Somerset,

Next entry to the one above is of Isabelle's sister Emma: Note Emma is Isabella E. Lye Gibbs Sister.

John Adams Head mar 64 Main Layer Gasworks, Yeovill, Somerset, 1857

Emma Adams Head Mar 64 South Petherton, Somerset, 1857

Amy Adams Daug. S 23 Domestic Servant, Newport, Monmouth 1868

John E. Jones Grand son 7 Scholar, Newport, Monmouth 1884

Note: Amy is John Adam's Daug by his first wife who died in South Petherton.

1895 Mar Death Index, Gibb William Dist Newport Mommouth; 11a Page 142 Age 69 est birth year 1923

This next entry is of their Son William James Gibb.

1901 Wales Census Monmouthshire county, Civil Parish Newport,
Eccel parish St Pauls.
residence 23 Cardiff Rd.

Wm J. Gibb Head M 50 South Petherton, Somersetshire 1851
Sarah J. Gibb Wife M 46 Magor, Monmouthshire, Eng. 1855

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Stanley G. Gibb son S 5 Newport, Mon 1896
Isabella Gibb Mother Widow 79 South Petherton, Somersetshire
1822

1908 March Death Index, Gibb, Isabella Elizabeth age 83, Dist.
Newport M Vol. 11a Page 185,