

Blunden

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1. John Blunden

Baptised c1740 St. Faith's Havant, Hampshire

Died (date unknown)

Married 24/10/1765 at St. Faith's, Havant Hampshire, **Mary Leach** (baptised c1744 St. Faith's Havant)

Children:

i William 1767 Gosport, Hampshire

(2) ii **Benjamin** 1769 Gosport, Hampshire (married **Elizabeth Bettesworth**) died 1814. See below.

iii Sarah 1771 Portsea, Hampshire (married Barr?)

2. Benjamin Blunden

Baptised 16/4/1769 Holy Trinity Gosport, Hampshire

Buried 28/4/1814 at St. George's, Hanover Square, London

Married 17/7/1794 at Portsea, Hampshire **Elizabeth Bettesworth** (baptised 12/6/1774 St. Mary's Portsea, Hampshire, burial 27/1/1822 St. Marylebone, London)

See the [Bettesworth](#) chart for the ancestors of Elizabeth Bettesworth.

Children:

i Benjamin born & died 1796 Portsea, Hampshire

(3) ii **George** 1800 - 1886 (tailor, married **Emblin Curnow**) See below.

iii Benjamin Henry baptised 26/9/1802 St. Marylebone, London (master tailor, married 18/8/1824 at Clapham, Surrey, Esther Davis) 4 children.

iv Elizabeth baptised 8/1/1805 St. Marylebone, London buried 15/12/1824 at St Mary's Lambeth.

v Mary baptised 13/3/1807 St. Marylebone, London

vi Jane Ann 17/6/1809 St. Marylebone, London

vii Hannah 1813 St. Marylebone, London

3. George Blunden (tailor)

Baptised 23/2/1800 St. John's Portsea, Hampshire

Died 28/3/1886 Workhouse Infirmary Brook Street Lambeth, Surrey

Married 26/8/1822 at St. Mary's Lambeth **Emblin Curnow** (1793 - died 18/1/1841 York Street Lambeth buried 24/1/1841 St John the Evangelist, Lambeth)

Children:

i George baptised 28/11/1822 Lambeth, Surrey, buried 5/12/1822 St. Mary's Lambeth.

ii George Bettsworth baptised 14/10/1824 St. Mary's Lambeth (tailor)

iii Emblin 1827 (dressmaker, married 19/8/1850 at Kennington parish church Surrey, George Hughes, florist/gardener) 1 child.

iv Esseline c1827

v Georgina c1830 Clapham, London (servant)

(4) vi **Henry Cecil** 1832 - 1878 (baker married **Elizabeth Ellen Fowles**) See below.

4. Henry Cecil Blunden (miner/pro prospector, house painter, baker)

Born 1832 Brixton, Surrey

Died 19/1/1878 Cundletown, New South Wales, Australia

Married 3/9/1854 at St. Mary's Lambeth Surrey **Elizabeth Ellen Fowles** (baker, laundress born 1834 Brixton, Surrey, died 11/6/1914 Carnegie, Victoria, Australia)

Emigrated to Australia on the *Standard* arrived, Port Adelaide 17/12/1854

See the [Fowles](#) chart for the ancestors of Elizabeth Ellen Fowles

Children:

i George Henry 6/7/1855 Chilwell, Geelong, Victoria (baker, confectioner, married 1. 1878 at Daylesford Victoria, Amelia Biggin-Pitts died 18/10/1902 at Carlton Victoria 12 children. 2. 1908 Hannah McClymont) died 1947 Parkville, Victoria buried 15/11/1947 Springvale Cemetery, Victoria. [See my story Utopian Dreamer about his emigration to Paraguay.](#)

ii Alice Charlotte c1857 Kyneton, Victoria (married 26/10/1882 at St Matthew's Prahran Victoria, Charles Robinson Townley, brewer) died 20/10/1936 North Adelaide, South Australia. 5 children.

iii Mary Ann (Marion) 7/8/1859 Ararat, Victoria (married 21/1/1891 at Sydney, New South Wales, John Douglas Gibb, station overseer). 1 child.

iv Emblin Georgina c1861 Maryborough, Victoria (dressmaker, married 25/7/1888 at Kensington Road, South Yarra, Neil Henry Gibson, carter, clerk)

v Ellen Elizabeth c1863 Craigie, Victoria (dressmaker married 12/1/1887 at 22 Alexandra Street South Yarra, George Sidderfin Freat, carpenter) died 7/6/1941 Cheltenham, Victoria buried Cheltenham Pioneer Cemetery. 5 children.

vi Frederick William c1865 Majorca, Victoria (farmer married 13/1/1897 at Armadale, Victoria, Rose Beatrice Linda Simpson) died 1926 Toora, Victoria.

(5) vii **Frances Annie** 1867 - 1952 (dressmaker, married **Ernest Box**) See below.

viii Hester Jane c1869 Majorca, Victoria (dressmaker married 9/10/1890 at Alexandra Street South Yarra, Hugh Paul McConville, produce merchant)

ix Benjamin John c1873 Clunes, Victoria (carpenter, gardener, married 1905 at Victoria, Amelia Constance Shaw) died 1964 Maryborough, Victoria buried 18/11/1964 Amphitheatre/Glenlogie Cemetery Victoria.

5. Frances Annie Blunden (dressmaker)

Born 10/8/1867 McCallum's Creek, Victoria, Australia

Died 18/6/1952 34 Latrobe Street Mentone, Victoria buried 19/6/1952 St. Kilda Cemetery, Victoria.

Married 28/12/1889 at Alexandra Street, South Yarra Victoria, **Ernest George Henry Box** (painter and decorator 1868-1913)

Children:

(6) i **Marie Frances** 28/2/1891 Windsor, Victoria (saleswoman, dressmaker, married 1. 28/11/1914 at Mt Erica Methodist Church, Prahran Victoria, **Horace Leopold Hurley**, military clerk 1/5/1891-18/12/1927 5 children 2. 6/8/1940 at Murrumbeena Methodist Church Victoria, Herman Otto Hellwig died 1952) died 3/1/1973 East Malvern Victoria, cremated Springvale Cemetery. 2005 ashes scattered at Boyd Park Murrumbeena.

See the [Hurley](#) chart for her children by Horace Leopold Hurley.

See the [Box](#) chart for the ancestors of Marie Frances Box.

ii Edith Emmeline 20/1/1893 Prahran (milliner, married 1924 Lyall Jack Schneider, farmer) lived in Western Australia. 2 children.

iii Leonard Ernest 10/12/1896 Prahran (wood machinist) died 3/2/1977 Latrobe Street Mentone, Victoria cremated 7/2/1977 Springvale crematorium.

iv Alice Lillian 8/9/1904 Prahran, Victoria (shop assistant married 1926 James William Smith died 1992) buried 11/8/2001 Dromana Cemetery, Victoria. 1 child.

See my story **A Drowning in Cundletown** for more about the Blunden family.
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