

## Chapter 5e

William Wood the son of John Wood and Hannah Heath was born in 1867 Leek. William married Harriet Minnie Mountford (baptised on the 23<sup>rd</sup> April 1865 at Horton the daughter of Richard Mountford and Harriet Heath. Harriet was the niece of George Heath the Moorland Poet and James Heath the builder of All Saints Church Leek) in 1891 at Leek Civil Marriage. William died on the 19<sup>th</sup> April 1937 of Hall Gate Gratton.

### 1891 census Dams Lane Horton

Wood William	23	farmer	Horton	
Wood Minnie H	26	wife	Horton	
Heath James	69	grandfather retired farmer		Cheddleton
Heath Eliza	70	grandmother	Horton	
Aggas Frederick G	17	cousin	Horton	

### 1901 census Bradshaw Longsdon

Wood William	33	farmer	Horton	
Wood Minnie H	36	wife	Bagnall	
Wood James	9	son	Horton	
Wood Elsie	3	daughter	Endon	
Wood Jessie	3	months daughter	Longsdon	

### 1911 census Bradshaw Longsdon

Wood William	43	Farmer	Gratton Horton	
Wood Minnie Harriet	46	wife	Stockton Brook Endon	
Wood James William	19	son working on farm	Gratton Horton	
Wood Elsie	13	daughter just left school	Park Lane Endon	
Wood Jessie	10	daughter school	Bradshaw Longsdon	
Wood Alice	7	daughter school	Bradshaw Longsdon	

James William Wood the son of William Wood and Harriet Minnie Mountford was born on the 22<sup>nd</sup> November 1891. James married Ethel Hine in 1929 at Horton St Michael. James and Ethel were living at Shirley House Rudyard in 1939. Ethel died 1942 at London Road City General Hospital, Stoke-on-Trent. James remarried in 1947 to Mary Winifred Cotterill nee Winterton at Leek Civil Marriage. James died on the 15<sup>th</sup> May 1949 of Shirley House Rudyard.

Elsie Wood the daughter of William Wood and Harriet Minnie Heath was born the 26<sup>th</sup> February 1898 at Stanley and baptised on the 27<sup>th</sup> April 1898 at Endon Methodist. Elsie married Percy R Robinson in 1943 at Leek Civil Marriage.

Jessie Wood the daughter of William Wood and Harriet Minnie Heath was born in 1901. Jessie married William Myatt in 1932 at Horton St Michael to George J Myatt in 1928 at Horton St Michael.

Alice Wood the daughter of William Wood and Harriet Minnie Heath was born on the 22<sup>nd</sup> February 1904. Alice married George J Myatt in 1928 at Horton St Michael.

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### **Mrs A. Myatt**

The funeral service for Mrs Alice Myatt, of Close Gate Farm, Gratton, near Endon, who passed away in hospital on Saturday, October 12, aged 87, took place at St Michael's Church, Horton on the following Thursday when the Rev. B. Peel officiated and interment followed in the churchyard.

Mrs Myatt was born at Bradshaw Farm, Longsdon and had always worked there before moving to Close Gate Farm, Gratton in 1928.

She had a long association with Gratton Chapel and was predeceased by her husband Mr George James Myatt in 1970 and leaves two sons James and George, seven grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

Family mourners were: Mr and Mrs J. Myatt, Mr and Mrs G. Myatt (sons and daughters-in-law), Mr W. Myatt, Mr and Mrs P. Matthews, Miss C. Myatt, Miss J. Myatt, Mr J. Myatt, Mr and Mrs A. Myatt (also rep. Kerry and Daniel, great grandchildren), Mr G. Myatt (grandchildren), Miss M. Jones, Mr P. Large, Mr and Mrs K. Berrisford, Mr and Mrs J. Myatt (also rep. Sarah) (nephews and nieces).

Mrs D. Myatt (sister-in-law) was unable to attend.

Bearers were Messrs J. Myatt, A. Myatt, G. Myatt, W. Myatt (grandchildren).

Funeral arrangements were by Messrs. S. Sigley and Sons.

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