

## Henry Alfred BIGGS (1878-1960)

*Baptism Register Saint George's Church, Gravesend – Medway Archives & Local Studies Centre – City Ark website*  
 No.699 02 Feb 1879 Henry Alfred Biggs son of John Charles and Emily Biggs, West Street – Oil and colour man

### *1881 Census 9 West St, Gravesend, Kent*

John C. BIGGS	Head	32yrs	Oil and Colourman	b London
Emily BIGGS	Wife	31yrs	Oil and Colourman's wife	b Irensaca, Dorset
Emily F. BIGGS	Dau	5yrs	Scholar	b Gravesend, Kent
Charles W. BIGGS	Son	4yrs		b Gravesend, Kent
Henry A. BIGGS	Son	2yrs		b Gravesend, Kent
William S. BIGGS	Son	9 months		b Gravesend, Kent
Mary A. H. FORD	Sister-in-law	13yrs	Scholar	b Walditch, Dorset
Elizabeth MILLS		16yrs	Domestic servant	b Hunton, Kent

### *1891 Census 8 & 9 West St, Gravesend, Kent*

John C. BIGGS	Head	42yrs	Oil Colourman	b Kingsland, London
Emily BIGGS	Wife	41yrs		b Bridport, Dorset
Emily F. BIGGS	Dau	15yrs	Music teacher	b Gravesend, Kent
Charles W. BIGGS	Son	14yrs	Scholar	b Gravesend, Kent
Henry A. BIGGS	Son	12yrs	Scholar	b Gravesend, Kent
Alice M. BIGGS	Dau	6yrs	Scholar	b Gravesend, Kent
Elizabeth A. FRETTE		15yrs	General servant [single]	b Corringham, Essex

### *1901 Census 11 Stuart Road, Gravesend, Kent*

Emily BIGGS	Head	51yrs	Oil Colour Merchant on own account [widow]	b Bridport, Dorset
Emily F. BIGGS	Dau	25yrs	Pianoforte Music Teaching [single]	b Gravesend, Kent
Charles W. BIGGS	Son	24yrs	Oil Colour Merchant [single]	b Gravesend, Kent
Henry A. BIGGS	Son	22yrs	Gas Manufacturer Engineer [single]	b Gravesend, Kent
Alice M. BIGGS	Dau	16yrs	Cashier C. C.	b Gravesend, Kent

*Marriage Register Holy Trinity, Milton next Gravesend*

No.99 Henry Alfred Biggs, 26yrs, bachelor, gas manufacturer of 7 Stuart Road, Gravesend, son of John Charles Biggs deceased, oil & colourman and Ada Rhodes, 23yrs, spinster of 16 Terrace Street, Gravesend daughter of Richard Thomas Rhodes, Engineer were married after Banns 13 Sep 1905. Witnesses: Richard Charles Rhodes and William Richard Gates

*Baptism Register Holy Trinity, Milton next Gravesend*

No.611 Emily Ada Biggs born 13 Jun 1906 baptized 09 Sep 1906 dau of Henry Alfred & Ada Biggs of 39 Raphael Road, Gas Manufacturer  
No.118 Henry Clifford Biggs born 03 Jun 1909 baptized 11 Jul 1909 son of Henry & Ada Biggs of 39 Raphael Road, Gas Engineer

*1911 Census 9 St John's Road, Gravesend, Kent (5 rooms)*

Henry Alfred BIGGS	Head	31yrs	Carbonising Foreman's Gas Manufacturer	b Kent, Gravesend
Ada BIGGS	Wife	28yrs	Married 5yrs, 2 children	b Kent, Gravesend
Emily Ada BIGGS	Dau	4yrs		b Kent, Gravesend
Clifford Henry BIGGS	Son	1yr		b Kent, Gravesend

*1939 Register – 46 Waterton Avenue, Gravesend, Kent*

Alfred H. Biggs	born 10 Dec 1878	Leading Hand General Worker	
Ada Biggs	born 06 Aug 1882	Housewife	
Beatrice A. Mead	born 15 Jul 1892	Married	b Sep Qt 1892 Kingston, m 1911 Robert David Mead at Kingston
Emily Biggs	born 21 Jan 1849 [sic]	Married	

Two records officially closed

*FreeBMD*

1911 Mar Qt	Marriage Kingston, Surrey	Robert D. Mead	to Beatrice A. SPRINGER
1912 Dec Qt	Birth Kingston (mother's maiden surname: Springer)	Frances Alice Mead	m1 Mar Qt 1939 George H. J. ROWLSTONE (1910-1944) at Dartford m2 Mar Qt 1946 William C. MUTCH at Dartford m3 Jun Qt 1956 Arthur H. PLEDGER at Dartford
1930 Mar Qt	Birth Kingston (mother's maiden surname: Springer)	Beatrice E.	

*1939 Register – 40 Southill Road, Gravesend, Kent*

Henry C. Biggs	born 03 Jun 1909	Married
Florence H. Lukes	born 08 Sep 1895	Widowed, Domestic Cleaner
Minnie C. Biggs	born 29 Aug 1910	Married, Unpaid Domestic Duties

*1939 Register – 25 Dalmeny-road, Erith, Kent*

Robert D. Mead	born 17 Dec 1888	General labourer – heavy work
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*1939 Register – 10 Green Walk, Crayford, Kent*

George H. J. Rowstone	born 07 Jun 1910	Staff Male Mental Nurse	
Frances Alice Rowstone	born 10 Oct 1912	Unpaid Domestic Dutes	later married Mutch & Pledger
One officially closed record			

*National Probate Calendar 1944*

Beatrice Alice Mead of 25 Dalmeny-road Erith Kent (wife of Robert David Mead) died 1 October 1944 at St Lukes Hospital Paddington London Administration Llandudno 11 November to the said Robert David Mead crane tester. Effects £485 17s 8d.