

## William WOOD

Born	c1768	
Married		Margaret
Died	31 Jan 1837 Oakley Lodge, Fulham aged 69 years	
Buried	St Paul's Church, Covent Garden, London	
Brother	John Wood	

<i>Children</i>		
William	b c1794	d 23 Feb 1883 Oakley Villa, Fulham, Middlesex
John		bu 1797 St Giles Churchyard, Shrewsbury
Sheppard	b 04 Sep 1796 Westminster*	bu 1797 St Giles Churchyard, Shrewsbury
Samuel	b 10 Jun 1798 Westminster*	
Margaret Maria	b 23 Feb 1801 Westminster*	m 1852 William WOOD
Sarah	b 26 Jul 1803 Westminster*	d 31 Jan 1880 Kensington, Middlesex
Harriet Eliza	b 03 Jun 1806 Westminster*	m 1827 Cornelius MOGINIE
Helen Louisa	b 20 May 1811 Westminster*	m 1844 Edward STUNT
* Baptised St Paul's Church, Covent Garden		

*Baptism Register Saint Paul Covent Garden, Westminster, London – Ancestry Index Entry – FHL Film Number 845241*

Sheppard Wood	born 04 Sep 1796	baptised 12 Sep 1796	son of William and Margaret Wood
Samuel Wood	born 10 Jun 1798	baptised 24 Jun 1798	son of William and Margaret Wood
Margaret Maria Wood	born 23 Feb 1801	baptized 12 Apr 1801	daughter of William and Margaret Wood
Sarah Wood	born 26 Jul 1803	baptized 28 Aug 1803	daughter of William and Margaret Wood
Harriet Eliza Wood	born 03 Jun 1806	baptised 22 Jun 1806	daughter of William and Margaret Wood
Helen Louisa Wood	born 20 May 1811	baptized 03 Jan 1813	daughter of William and Margaret Wood

*A History of Shrewsbury Volume 2 The Church of St Giles – Stones in church-yard – p178*

82. – Mary, dau. Of Lancelot and Margaret Sheppard, 1785; infant, Sheppard Wood, s. of William and Margaret Wood of London, 1797; infant – Lancelot Sheppard, 1812.

*Fulham old and new: being an exhaustive history of the ancient parish of Fulham by Charles James Feret*

To the rear of Wentworth Cottage, many yards back from Crown Lane, was Oakley Lodge. Its grounds measured 1a 2r 29p. These were taken over by the builders about 1890. Oakley Lodge was pulled down in 1893. The site is now covered by portions of Brecon Road and Moylan Road. Just westwards of Wentworth Cottage was Oakley Villa, the residence for over sixty years (1821-1882), of its owner, Mr William Wood, a scholarly man of eccentric habits. Humbolt Road marks the western limit of the grounds of Oakley Villa.

*Marriage Register All Saints Fulham, Middlesex – Ancestry Index Entry – FHL Film Number 413275*

Cornelius Moginie, 21 yrs married Harriet Eliza Wood 06 Jun 1827

*The Registers of St Paul's Church, Covent Garden, London 1752-1853 – Burials 1837 page 327*

William Wood, Oakley Lodge, Fulham, January 31<sup>st</sup>, Aged 69. G. H. Bowers.

*Will of William Wood of Fulham, Middlesex 13 Feb 1837 – National Archives Reference PROB11/1873/534*

This is the last Will and Testament of me William Wood late of Bow Street Covent Garden but now of Oakley Lodge in the parish of Fulham, Middlesex made 20 Feb 1830... Wife, Brother John Wood; eldest son William Wood, other sons John Wood and Samuel Wood both of Bow Street; daughters Harriet Eliza Moginie, Margaret Maria, Sarah, Helen Louisa. Witnesses: Mary Lewis, Spinster, William Parker Hoare of Great Church Lane, Hammersmith and Francis Raper Hoare of Worcester College Oxford, student. Proved at London 13 Feb 1837 by the oaths of John Wood, Esq., the brother and William Wood and Samuel Wood the sons...

<i>1841 Census Brompton, Middlesex</i>			
Margaret WOOD	70yrs	Independent	born in the county
M. M. WOOD	40yrs	Independent	born in the county
H. L. WOOD	30yrs	Independent	born in the county
Mary KNOX	50yrs	Female servant	born Scotland
Ann LAMERTON	20yrs	Female servant	born in the county

*Marriage Register Holy Trinity Brompton, Kensington and Chelsea, London*  
 No.263 Edward Stunt, full age, bachelor, bootmaker of 57 Strand, London son of John Stunt, bootmaker married Helen Louisa Wood, full age, spinster of Brompton, daughter of William Wood, Gentleman by Licence 18 Jul 1844. Witnesses: John Wood, John Stunt, M. M. Wood, Samuel Wood, William Wood, H. A. Wood?, Mary Ann Stunt.

<i>1851 Census Oakley Lodge, Fulham, Middlesex</i>			
William WOOD	Head 57yrs	Carrier	b ..., Middlesex
Sarah WOOD	Wife 37yrs		b Meole, Salop
Harriett PEEL	Servt 25yrs	Cook [unmarried]	b Fulham, Middlesex
Sarah LOWTHIAN	Servt 19yrs	Domestic servant [unmarried]	b Ruislip, Middlesex

<i>1851 Census 12 Alexander Square, Brompton, Kensington, London</i>			
Margaret M. WOOD	Head 50yrs	Fund-holder [unmarried]	b Bow St. C. G., Middlesex
Sarah WOOD	Sister 47yrs	Fund-holder [unmarried]	b Covent Garden, Middlesex
Susan LEATHER	Servt 37yrs	Cook [unmarried]	b Fulham, Middlesex
Sarah WHITMEL	Servt 23yrs	Housemaid [unmarried]	b Thurlugh, Bedfordshire

*Marriage Register Holy Trinity Brompton, Kensington and Chelsea, London*  
 No.237 William Wood, 54yrs, bachelor, ironmonger of Saint Saviour Southwark, Surrey, son of Richard Wood, deceased, farmer married Margaret Maria Wood, 51yrs, spinster of Brompton, daughter of William Wood, deceased, Gentleman on 13 May 1852 by Licence by me John Lancelot Sheppard. Witnesses: William Wood, Samuel Wood, Mary Hemsted Hilhouse.

*1861 Census 12 Alexander Square, Brompton, Kensington, London*

William WOOD	Head	62yrs	Fund Holder	b Pleaby, Shropshire
Margaret M. WOOD	Wife	60yrs	Fund Holder	b Bow Street, Middlesex
Sarah WOOD	Sister	57yrs	Fund Holder [unmarried]	b Westminster, Middlesex
Harriet CROXTON	Servt	23yrs	Cook [unmarried]	b Worcester
Mary CROXTON	Servt	21yrs	Housemaid [unmarried]	b Chelsea, Middlesex

*1861 Census Oakley Villa, Richmond Road, Fulham, Middlesex*

William WOOD	Head	67yrs	Landed Proprietor	b London
Sarah WOOD	Wife	47yrs		b Brace Mile, Salop
Sarah WOOD	Dau	6yrs	Scholar	b Fulham, Middlesex
Harriet BRIDGE	Servt	31yrs	Domestic servant [unmarried]	b Kensington, Middlesex

*National Probate Calendar 1863*

27 February. The Will of William Wood late of High-street in the Borough of Southwark in the County of Surrey and of 12 Alexander-square Brompton in the County of Middlesex Ironmonger deceased who died 7 January 1863 at Alexander-square aforesaid was proved at the Principal Registry by the oaths of Margaret Maria Wood of 12 Alexander-square aforesaid Widow the Relict and William Wood of Oakley Lodge Fulham in the said County of Middlesex Gentleman the Executors. Effects under £6,000.

*1871 Census 12 Alexander Square, Brompton, Kensington, London*

M. Maria Wood	Head	70yrs	Land &c [widow]	b London
Ann BUFF	Servt	30yrs	Cook [unmarried]	b Whaplow, Lincoln
Sarah LEGGETT	Servt	23yrs	Housemaid [unmarried]	b Chelsea, Middlesex

*National Probate Calendar 1880*

25 February. The Will of Margaret Maria Wood late of 12 Alexander-square Kensington in the County of Middlesex Widow who died 31 January 1880 at 12 Alexander-square was proved at the Principal Registry by Edward Stunt of 7 Northwick-terrace Maida Hill in the said County Gentleman and William Moginie of 26 Lichfield-grove Finchley in the said County Gentleman the Nephew the Executors. Personal Estate under £7,000.

*London Gazette 16 Mar 1880 p2907*

Margaret Maria Wood, Deceased. Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22 and 23 Victoria, c.35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees." Notice is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against or upon the estate of Margaret Maria Wood, late of No.12, Alexander-square, Kensington, in the county of Middlesex, Widow (who died on the 31<sup>st</sup> day of January 1880, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 25<sup>th</sup> day of February 1880 by Edward Stunt, of No.7 Northwick-terrace, Maida Hill in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman and William Moginie of No.26 Lichfield-grove, Finchley, in the said county of Middlesex, Gentleman, the executors named in the said will) are hereby required to send the particulars of their claims or demands against or upon the estate of the said deceased to the said executors, directed to them at our offices, No.85, Gracechurch-street, in the City of London, on or before the 5<sup>th</sup> day of May 1880, at the expiration of which time the said executors will be at liberty to administer the estate and distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and the said executors will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice – Dated this 12<sup>th</sup> day of March, 1880. Simpson and Cullingford, 85 Gracechurch-street, London, E.C., Solicitors for the said Executors.

*1881 Census Oakley Villa, Fulham, London*

William WOOD	Head	87yrs	Retired Leather Factor	b Bow Street, Middlesex
Sarah WOOD	Wife	67yrs		b Shrewsbury, Shropshire
Hannah SLADE	Servt	20yrs	Domestic servant [unmarried]	b Whitley, Wiltshire
Emily THOROGOOD	Servt	17yrs	Domestic servant [unmarried]	b Shalford, Essex
Elizabeth SEIGEL	Nurse	31yrs	Domestic nurse [unmarried]	b Paddington, Middlesex

*National Probate Calendar 1883*

18 April. Administration (with the Will) of the Personal Estate of William Wood late of Oakley Villa Crown-road Fulham in the County of Middlesex Gentleman a Widower who died 23 February 1883 at Oakley Villa was granted at the Principal Registry to Helen Louisa Stunt of 9A Upper-Hamilton-terrace St. John's Wood in the said County Widow the Sister and one of the Next of Kin. Personal Estate £387 17s 4d.

*National Probate Calendar 1892*

Helen Louisa Stunt of 9A Upper Hamilton Terrace St. John's Wood Middlesex widow died 19 January 1892 Probate London 5 March to John Charles Ridge merchant and Mary Helen Moginie spinster. Effects £6,239 4s 4d.