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## **About Natstand family documents:**

A Natstand family document is intended to provide background information concerning the family of a deceased naturalist. It is hoped that such information will form a framework which will help interpret their surviving correspondence, specimens and records. In some cases it will also give an insight into the influences on their early lives and the family constraints within which they worked and collected. We have found that published family data concerning individuals rarely contain justification for dates and relationships and not infrequently contain errors which are then perpetuated. The emphasis in Natstand family documents will be on providing references to primary sources, whenever possible, which will be backed-up with transcriptions.

Although a Natstand biography page will always carry a link to a family document, in many cases these documents will be presented without any further biographical material. We anticipate that this will occur if the person is particularly well known or is someone we are actively researching or have only a peripheral interest in.

### **The following conventions are used:**

Any persons in the family tree with known natural history associations will be indicated in red type. Any relationships will be to the root naturalist unless otherwise stated.

Dates are presented Year – Month – Day

e.g. **1820 March 9** or **1820.3.9**  
**1820 March** or **1820.3**

Dates will be shown in bold type if a reliable reference is presented in the document. In cases where an exact year cannot be given (e.g. it is derived from an age at death), the date will be presented in normal type and preceded with "c" – e.g. c1798. There are some cases where a date is available from a secondary source only (e.g. a published obituary), in these cases it will be presented in italics – e.g. *1823.7.21*

### **Data sources:**

Census data have been used, whenever possible, to confirm relationships; they are not considered a reliable source of data concerning age. Contemporary newspaper family notices are considered as reliable sources of relationships and dates; reports and obituaries are treated more cautiously. Parish records generally provide a reliable source of data and digitised images have been used whenever possible. Any difficulties with transcription will be made clear. In some cases only transcripts have been available; errors here are usually confined to spelling. The most important source of this material is the International Genealogical Index compiled by The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, Utah. National Civil Registration Indexes are considered reliable, as are probate records.

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*James Robert Middleton*

## **Francis Alfred Hanbury (1839.7.18 – 1878.8.12)**

### *Biographical Notes:*

The earliest documented specimens, from 1861, demonstrate that he started collecting as a Cambridge undergraduate. Francis Alfred Hanbury is listed as a member of the Thirsk Natural History Society and Botanical Exchange Club in 1864. He then appears on most lists of the London Botanical Exchange Club until 1871 when his membership seems to have lapsed (although, confusingly, from 1875 **Frederick Janson Hanbury** FLS of 11 Warwick-road, Upper Clapton, was a member). From 1869 he is credited with FLS. Many sheets in BM show that specimens from the collection of F A Hanbury were incorporated into the herbarium of F J Hanbury, demonstrating a connection between these distantly related Hanburys. The bulk of his documented specimens are from the 1860s, although a specimen from the herbarium of J Harbord Lewis of Liverpool shows that FAH was still collecting in August of 1875.

He was born in Lowestoft, the eldest of the Rev Alfred Hanbury and Louisa Roe's family of six sons. Through his father he was distantly related to the better known Quaker botanists, Daniel Hanbury (1825 – 1875) and Frederick Janson Hanbury (1851 – 1938). He was educated at Christ's Hospital, Spitalfields, where in 1858 he was credited with composing the traditional "Psalm of Thanksgiving" at the "Spital Sermon" (1858.4.10 London City Press).

### **1858 September 25:** \*Cambridge Chronicle and Journal

*QUEENS' COLLEGE ...At Christ's Hospital on Tuesday last (St Matthew's Day), the English oration on the benefits of the Royal Hospital was delivered by Francis Alfred Hanbury, second Grecian Mathematical Medallist, 1858, who will proceed to Queens' College. Mr. Hanbury alluded to the war in India, and mentioned several members of Christ's Hospital who had distinguished themselves there...*

Francis then proceeded to Queen's College, Cambridge, graduating BA in 1862 and MA in 1867. He was called to the degree of Barrister-at-Law by Lincoln's Inn in November of 1867.

In July 1868 Francis married Louisa Townley, the younger sister of Mary Elizabeth Townley who had married one of his younger brothers, George Herbert Folliott Hanbury, the previous year. The relationship between these brothers was complex and George was frequently in trouble with the law. Just after his marriage his mother, Louisa, was declared bankrupt with debts exceeding £1000, the cause she gave was "Insufficiency of income; paying debts of my late husband; and pressure of creditors" (1868.10.10 Cambridge Independent Press). She had been living in Grantchester but now gave her address as 23 Union-grove – that of her son Francis Alfred.

Little seems to be published of his life and influences but it may be significant that in 1871 he was Hon. Sec. to the "Voysey Establishment Fund". This religious organisation included Charles Darwin FRS amongst its members. (see Appendix 1)

By early 1877 he was experiencing marital discord and early the following year his wife was granted a divorce and custody of their young daughter. At this time Blanche gives her address as 20 Washington-street, Liverpool. In September of 1875 their daughter Zoe, had been baptised at All Saints', Liverpool. He died two years late on 1878 August 12.

## ***The Hanburys of Sussex and Essex***

All relationships specified are relative to Francis Alfred Hanbury (1839 – 1878)

**Charles Hanbury** (c1766 – 1825.1.4) ← ← ← Paternal Grandfather  
\*\*\* married **Priscilla Bland** ( ) on 1790.3.17

*uncle* **John Bland Hanbury** (1791.4.5 - )

*uncle* **Charles Hanbury** (1792.2.26 – 1829.11.15)

*uncle* **Rev Barnard Hanbury** (1793.3.12 – 1833.1.26)

*uncle* **Richard Hanbury** (1794.3.28 – 1850.1.15) Coach Proprietor  
\*\*\* married **Olympia Wright** ( - 1859.2.5) on 1827.7.17

*cousin* **Mary Hanbury** (c1834 - )

*cousin* **Margaret Hanbury** (c1836 - )

*cousin* **Charles Hanbury** (1840 - )

*aunt* **Mary Hanbury** (1795.5.1 – 1812.5.29)

*aunt* **Priscilla Hanbury** (1797.2.24 – 1855.2.9)  
\*\*1 married **William Philip Honeywood MP** (c1790 – 1831.4.22) on 1820.9.11

*cousin* **William Philip Honeywood** (c1824 – 1859.2.20)  
\*\*\* married **Frances Emma Phelips** (c1822 - 1895.1.30) on 1847.4.8

*No Issue*

*cousin* **Robert Honeywood** (c1825 – 1870.12.25)  
*Unmarried?*

*cousin* **Priscilla Honeywood** (1829 - 1858.1.30)  
\*\*\* married **Rev. Stratford Leigh** (c1822 - 1866.8.26) on 1850.6.26

*No Issue?*

*cousin* **Walter Honeywood** (c1831 – 1876.1.31)  
\*\*\* married **Ellen Hodgson** ( ) on 1860.5.16

*No Issue*

\*\*2 married **Arthur Netterville Blake** ( ) on 1841.12.7 later separated

*No Issue*

*uncle* **Alfred Hanbury** (1798.11.22 – 1800.4.23)

*uncle* **David Hanbury** (1800.8.20 – 1836.8.12) Banker  
\*\*\* married **Louisa Emily Cobbold** (c1804 – 1889.11.17) on 1825.8.16

*cousin* **Louisa Emily Priscilla Hanbury** (1826 – 1893.6.28)  
*Unmarried*

*cousin* **David Hanbury** (1828.8.20 - )

*cousin* **Eleanor Hanbury (1829.10.15 - )**

*cousin* **David Hanbury (1834 - )**

*cousin* **Charles Hanbury (1836 - )**

*uncle* **Frederick Hanbury (1802.6.14 - 1821.5.12)**

**Rev Alfred Hanbury (1806.5.13 - 1859.3.18) ← ← ← Father**

\*\*\* married **Louisa Roe (1811.2.24 - 1880.1.19)** in **1837**

**Francis Alfred Hanbury FLS (1839.7.18 - 1878.8.12)**

\*\*\* married <sup>1</sup>**Blanche Townley (1850 - 1908.2.17)** on **1868.7.21**

\*\*\* divorced **1878**

*son* **Francis Arthur Townley Hanbury (1870 - 1872.2.14)**

*daughter* **Zoe Blanch Townley Hanbury (1872.10.28 - 1947.1.17)**

\*\*\* married **Alfred Frank Tredgold MD (c1870 - )** in **1899**

*Issue*

*brother* **Capt. Charles Edward Hanbury (1840.9.22 - <sup>2</sup>1872.5.12)**

*brother* **Barnard Bland Hanbury (1843.10.7 - after 1880)**

\*\*\* married **Marianne Allsebrook (c1839 - 1873.1.13)** on **1866.10.4**

*brother* **Phillip Osgood Hanbury (1846.10.15 - 1871.6.6)**

*Unmarried*

*brother* <sup>3</sup>**George Herbert Foliott Hanbury (1847.11.23 - 1883)**

\*\*\* married **Mary Elizabeth Townley (c1845)** on **1867.11.21**

*brother* <sup>4</sup>**Foliott Sandford Slater Hanbury (1849.7.6 - 1879.4.28)**

\*\*\* married <sup>5</sup>**Ellen Allday (1851 - ) 1871** Denver, Norfolk

*nephew* <sup>6</sup>**Curado Gurney Buxton Hanbury (1876 - 1906)**

*Unmarried?*

*neice* **Agatha Louisa Madeline Hanbury (1879 - 1958.9)**

\*\*\* married **John Thomas Ward (c1867 - )** on **1901.10.17**

*Issue*

*uncle* **Octavius Hanbury (1807.8.11 - 1839.4.15)**

\*\*\* married **Mary Armstrong Strettell (c1808 - 1835.8.18)**

*cousin* **Octavius Richard Hanbury (1830.2.16 - 1875.8.14)**

*uncle* **Edward Hanbury (1808.8.18 - 1850.2.8)** Bloomville Hall, Hackeston

\*\*\* married **Harriet Anne Cobbold ( )** on **1835.1.20**

*Issue?*

*aunt* **Elizabeth Hanbury (1810.1.8 - )**

\*\*\* married **Christopher Hewetson Barnes MD ( - 1875.2.25)** on **1832.3.20**

*cousin* **Colonel Christopher Hewitson Barnes (1833.2.7 - )**

- cousin*        **Frederick Barnes (1836 - )**
- cousin*        **Hanbury Barnes (1838 - 1910)**
- cousin*        **Elizabeth Agatha Mary Barnes (1842 - )**
- cousin*        **Jessie Georgiana Priscilla Barnes (1846 - )**
- cousin*        **Octavius Robert Barclay Barnes (1848 - )**
- aunt*        **Margaret Bland Hanbury (1811.9.6 – 1812.1.26)**
- aunt*        **Agatha Hanbury (1813.9.10 – 1867.11.18)**  
\*\*\* married **Rev Charles John Gooch (c1803 – 1876.6.25)** on **1832.7.17**
- cousin*        **Agatha Louisa Gooch (c1835 - )**        Toppesfield  
\*\*\* married **William Henry Lawrence ( )** on **1864.8.9**
- cousin*        **Emily Gooch (c1836 – 1855.5.15)**  
*Unmarried*
- cousin*        **Rev. Philip Sherlock Gooch (c1838 – 1909.4.29)**
- uncle*        **Decimus/Charles Hanbury (1814.9.17 – 1814.10)**

## Sources:

**1790 March 17:** Quaker Records, Quarterly Meeting of London & Middlesex

*The seventeenth day of the third month, one thousand seven hundred and ninety, Charles Hanbury of Tower Street, son of Osgood Hanbury, late of Tower Street, merchant, and Mary his wife, both deceased, and Priscilla Bland = daughter of John Bland late of Lombard Street, London, deceased and Margaret his wife, were married in a publick assembly of the people called QUAKERS near Grace Church Street in the City of London. John Ady Clerk to the Quarterly-Meeting.*

**1791 April 5:** Quaker Records, Quarterly Meeting of London & Middlesex, birth notes  
Birth of John Bland, son of Charles and Priscilla Hanbury of St George's Bloomsbury. Witnesses E Hickman and Margaret Bland.

**1792 February 26:** Quaker Records, Quarterly Meeting of London & Middlesex, birth notes  
Birth of Charles, son of Charles and Priscilla Hanbury of Halstead. Witnesses B Spinluff, E Hickman and Margaret Bland.

**1793 March 2:** Quaker Records, Monthly Meeting of Devonshire House, Houndsditch, London  
Birth of Barnard, son of Charles and Priscilla Hanbury of Halstead. Witnesses B Spinluff and Margaret Bland.

**1794 March 28:** Quaker Records, Monthly Meeting of Coggeshall, births  
Birth of Richard, son of Charles and Priscilla Hanbury of Halstead.

**1795 May 1:** Quaker Records, Monthly Meeting of Essex, birth notes  
Birth of Mary Daughter of Charles and Priscilla Hanbury of Halstead. Witnesses N Spinluff and C Hickman.

**1797 February 24:** Quaker Records, Monthly Meeting of Coggeshall, births  
Birth of Priscilla, daughter of Charles and Prisc. Hanbury Farmer of Halstead.

**1798 November 22:** Quaker Records, Monthly Meeting of Essex, birth notes  
Birth of Alfred, son of Charles and Priscilla Hanbury of Halstead. Witnesses B Gibson and Isa Bridgwater.

**1800 April 23:** Quaker Records, Coggeshall Quarterly Meeting, burial register  
Death of Alfred Hanbury, son of Charles and Priscilla Hanbury, Halstead.

**1800 August 20:** Quaker Records, Coggeshall Quarterly Meeting  
Birth of David, son of Charles and Priscilla Hanbury of Halstead, Essex. Not in Membership.  
[David was christened at Bures St Mary, Suffolk 1825 August 1]

**1802 June 14:** Quaker Records, Essex Quarterly Meeting  
Birth of Frederick, son of Charles and Priscilla Hanbury at Halstead, Essex. Witness William Seymour, surgeon. Not in Membership.

**1806 May 13:** Quaker Records, Essex Quarterly Meeting  
Birth of Alfred, son of Charles and Priscilla Hanbury at Halstead, Essex. Witness William Seymour, surgeon. Not in Membership.

**1807 August 11:** Quaker Records, Essex Quarterly Meeting  
Birth of Octavius, son of Charles and Priscilla Hanbury at Prittlewell, Essex. Witness Anne Probert.  
"NB the above not a member."

**1808 August 18:** Quaker Records, Essex Quarterly Meeting  
Birth of Edward, son of Charles and Priscilla Hanbury at Halstead, Essex. Witness Benjamin Gibson, surgeon. Not in Membership.

**1810 January 8:** Quaker Records, Essex Quarterly Meeting  
Birth of Elizabeth, daughter of Charles and Priscilla Hanbury at Halstead, Essex. Witness Benjamin Gibson, surgeon. Not in Membership.

**1811 February 24:** Lowestoft St Margaret's, Christenings Register  
Louisa daughter of Michael and Rebecca-Walker Roe. Child born February 24, mother's maiden name Chambers.

**1811 September 6:** Quaker Records, Coggeshall Quarterly Meeting, births register  
Birth of Margaret Bland, daughter of Charles and Priscilla Hanbury of Halsted, banker.

**1812 January 26:** Quaker Records, Coggeshall Quarterly Meeting, burial register  
Death of Margaret Hanbury (4 months), daughter of Charles and Priscilla Hanbury, Halstead.

**1812 May 29:** Quaker Records, Coggeshall Quarterly Meeting, burial register  
Death of Mary Hanbury (17), daughter of Charles and Priscilla Hanbury, Halstead.

**1813 September 10:** Quaker Records, Coggeshall Quarterly Meeting, births register  
Birth of Agatha, daughter of Charles and Priscilla Hanbury of Halsted, banker.

**1814 September 17:** Quaker Records, Coggeshall Quarterly Meeting, births register  
Birth of Decimus, son of Charles and Priscilla Hanbury of Halsted, banker.

**[This seems to be the same person as the following]**

**1814 October:** Quaker Records, Coggeshall Quarterly Meeting, burial register  
Death of Charles Hanbury (about 1 month), "an infant son of" Charles and Priscilla Hanbury, Halstead "not a member".

**1820 September 16:** \*The Ipswich Journal  
*CHELMSFORD – Monday was married at Halstead Church, by the Rev. Wm. Adams, D.D. William Philip Honeywood, Esq., M.P. of Meek's [Mark's] Hall, to Priscilla, eldest daughter of Charles Hanbury, esq. of Sloe farm, both in this county.*

**1821 May 12:** Quaker Records, Coggeshall Quarterly Meeting, burial register  
Death of Frederick Hanbury (19), son of Charles and Priscilla Hanbury, Halstead. Not a member.

**1825 January 9:** Quaker Records, Essex Quarterly Meeting, burials  
Instruction for the burial of Charles Hanbury (59) banker of Hanbury at Great Coggeshall. Notes that he is not a member and that he died in London on 1825 January 4.

**1825 August 16:** England, Marriages, 1538–1973. Salt Lake City, Utah  
Marriage of David Hanbury and Louisa Emily Cobbold, St Clement's, Ipswich.

**1825 August 20:** \*The Ipswich Journal  
*MARRIAGES. Tuesday last was married, at St Clement's Church, in this town, by the Rev. J. W. Wenn, David Hanbury, Esq., of Hawleigh, in this county, to Louisa Emily, second daughter of John Cobbold, jun. Esq. of the Cliff House, in this town.*

**1826 December 15:** England, Births and Christenings, 1538-1975. Salt Lake City, Utah  
Baptism of Louisa Emily Priscilla, daughter of David and Louisa Emily Hanbury, at Bures Saint Mary, Suffolk.

**1827 July 14:** \*London Evening Standard  
*MARRIAGES. July 13, at St George's, Hanover-square, Richard, fourth son of the late Charles Hanbury, esq., of Sloe Farm, Halstead, Essex, to Olympia, fourth daughter of Peter Wright, Esq., of Hatfield Priory, Essex.*

**1829 January 14:** England, Births and Christenings, 1538-1975. Salt Lake City, Utah  
Baptism of David, son of David and Louisa Emily Hanbury at St Peter's, Sudbury, Suffolk; child born 1828 August 20.

**1829 April 8:** Parish register, Cheltenham  
Baptism of Priscilla, daughter of William Philip and Priscilla of Mark's Hall, Essex, M.P.

**1829 December 1:** England, Births and Christenings, 1538-1975. Salt Lake City, Utah  
Baptism of Eleanor, daughter of David and Louisa Emily Hanbury at Sudbury, Suffolk. Child born 1829 October 15

**1829 November 11:** \*London Courier and Evening Gazette  
*DIED. On the 15<sup>th</sup> instant, at Bault, South Wales, Charles, second son of the late Charles Hanbury, Esq. of Sloe Farm, Halstead, Essex.*

**1830 April 13:** British Isles Vital Records Index, 2nd Edition. Salt Lake City, Utah  
Baptism of Octavius Richard, son of Octavius and Mary Armstrong, Hawleigh, Suffolk; child born  
**1830 February 16.**

**1831 April 26:** \*Morning Post  
*DIED – On the 22d instant, at Marks Hall, Essex, William Philip Honywood, Esq. aged 41.*  
[The Norfolk Chronicle of 30<sup>th</sup> added that he had been the Provincial Grand Master of the Masons for the county of Essex and MP for many years.]

**1832 March 21:** \*Morning Post  
*MARRIED – On Tuesday, the 20<sup>th</sup> instant, C. Hewetson Barnes, esq. of Orchard-street, Portman-square, to Elizabeth, second daughter of the late Charles Hanbury, esq. of Sloe Farm, Halstead, Essex.*

**1832 July 19:** \*Morning Post  
*MARRIED – On the 17<sup>th</sup> of this month, at Markshall Church, by the Rev. Barnard Hanbury, the Rev. Charles Gooch, Bart., to Agatha, youngest daughter of the late Charles Hanbury, Esq., of Sloe Farm, Halstead.*

**1833 January 30:** \*Morning Post  
*DIED – On the night of Saturday, the 26<sup>th</sup> inst., in London, the Rev. Barnard Hanbury, M.A., F.R.S., late Domestic Chaplain to his Royal Highness the Duke of Sussex, the Rector of Chigwell cum Mashbury, Essex, third son of the late Charles Hanbury, esq., of Halstead.*

**1833 March 6:** Baptisms register, St Mary-le-Bone  
Baptism of Christopher Hewitson, son of Christopher Hewitson and Elizabeth Barnes, Orchard street, Esq.; born **1833 February 7.**

**1834 April 29:** England, Births and Christenings, 1538-1975. Salt Lake City, Utah  
Baptism of David, son of David and Louisa Emily Hanbury at Sudbury, Suffolk.

**1835 January 28:** \*Bury and Norwich Post  
*MARRIED. Yesterday se'nnight, at St. Clement's Church, Ipswich, by the Rev. J. T. Nottidge, Edward Hanbury, Esq. of Hatcheston, near Woodbridge, to Harriet Anne, sixth daughter of John Cobbold, jun. Esq. of the Cliff.*

**1835 August 19:** \*Morning Post  
*DIED, On the 18<sup>th</sup> of August, in Seymour-street, Portman-square, in her 28<sup>th</sup> year, Mary Armstrong, the wife of Octavius Hanbury, Esq., second daughter of the late Edward Strettell, esq., Advocate-General to the East India Company, Calcutta.*

**1836 May 11:** England, Births and Christenings, 1538-1975. Salt Lake City, Utah  
Baptism of Charles, son of David and Louisa Emily Hanbury at Sudbury, Suffolk.



**1836 August 19:** \*Chelmsford Chronicle

*DIED. 12<sup>th</sup> inst. of an apoplectic fit, David Hanbury, Esq. of Sudbury, Suffolk, in the 37<sup>th</sup> year of his age, and fifth son of the late Charles Hanbury, of Halstead, in this county.*

**1836 August 19:** \*Essex Standard

*It has seldom been our lot to record a more awfully affecting instance of sudden death than that of David Hanbury, Esq. which occurred on Friday, August 12<sup>th</sup>. Mr. Hanbury left Sudbury on the Thursday evening previous, in perfect health, on a visit to his brother Edward Hanbury, Esq. at Hetcheston, Suffolk, where Mrs Hanbury had been staying for a short time. On the following morning he played with his friends a game of cricket, an amusement of which he was particularly fond, and at the close of the game he remarked that he expected to feel a little stiffness on the morrow from his exertions. At dinner he sat opposite Mrs. Hanbury, and was in the act of reaching a decanter to help himself to a glass of wine, when his head was observed to drop upon the table: he did not fall from his chair but was promptly supported by his brother; a slight rattling in the throat was heard, but not a struggle nor a groan evinced the moment of dissolution. - The medical gentlemen who immediately attended were divided in opinion as to the immediate cause of Mr. Hanbury's sudden death; but the prevailing idea was, that it was occasioned, not by an effusion of blood on the brain, but by the rupture of a blood vessel near the heart. The deceased was only in his 37th year! No event perhaps ever occurred in the neighbourhood of Sudbury, which occasioned so much regret. Mr. Hanbury was alike respected by men of every rank and class; the asperities of party were unknown to him - his kindness of heart and benevolence of spirit, made him the friend of every man who sought his aid; and those who had the happiness of his acquaintance, can alone appreciate his worth. His funeral took place on Thursday last, at Middleton, near Sudbury, and was attended by the principal inhabitants of the town and neighbourhood. The houses and shops, both in Ballingdon and Sudbury were closed, and every individual appeared to feel as if he himself had lost a friend. The burial service was very impressively read by the Rector, the Rev. O. Raymond, and the funeral conducted with an absence of ostentation and parade, which best comported with the wishes of the deceased, and the solemn stillness of the grave.*

[David and Edward's wives were sisters.]

**1836 November 13:** England, Births and Christenings, 1538-1975. Salt Lake City, Utah  
Baptism of Frederick, son of Xtopher Hewitson and Elizabeth Barnes at Great Waldingfield, Suffolk.

**1837 March 25:** \*Huntingdon, Bedford & Peterborough Gazette

*MARRIAGES. - At Lowestoft, the Rev Alfred Hanbury to Louisa, third daughter of Mr M. R. Roe, of that place.*

**1838 October 20:** England, Births and Christenings, 1538-1975. Salt Lake City, Utah  
Baptism of Hanbury, son of Xtopher Hewitson and Elizabeth Barnes at Great Waldingfield, Suffolk.

**1839 April 19:** \*Essex Standard

*DEATHS. 15<sup>th</sup> inst., at Herrings, near Coggeshall, Octavius Hanbury, Esq., aged 31, son of the late Charles Hanbury, esq., of Sloe farm, Halstead, in this county.*

**1839 September 1:** England, Births and Christenings, 1538-1975. Salt Lake City, Utah  
Baptism of Francis Alfred, son of Alfred and Louisa Hanbury at Lowestoft, Suffolk; child born 1839 July 18.

**1840 November 1:** Baptism register, Lowestoft, Suffolk

Baptism of Charles Edward, son of Alfred and Louisa Hanbury; child born **1840 September 22.**

**1841:** Census - Rose Cottage, Lowestoft

Alfred Hanbury	35	Clergyman	N
Louisa Hanbury	30		Y
Francis A Hanbury	1¾		Y
Charles Edwd Hanbury	8mo		Y

**1841 December 18:** \*West Kent Guardian

*MARRIED – On the 7<sup>th</sup> inst., at St. George's Hanover-square, by the Rev. Philip Scholfield, Arthur Netterville Blake, Esq., third son of Netterville Blake, Esq., of Newborough-house, in the county of Galway, Ireland, and nephew of the late Lord Viscount Netterville, to Priscilla Honeywood of Mark's-hall, Essex, relict of the late Philip Honeywood Esq., late Member for Kent.*

**1842 February 20:** England, Births and Christenings, 1538-1975. Salt Lake City, Utah  
Baptism of Elizabeth Agatha Mary, daughter of Christopher Hewitson and Elizabeth Barnes at Great Waldingfield, Suffolk.

**1843 November 12:** England, Births and Christenings, 1538-1975. Salt Lake City, Utah  
Baptism of Bernard Bland, son of Alfred and Louisa Hanbury at Hawkedon, Suffolk; child born  
**1843 October 7.**

**1846 June 10:** Baptisms register, St John's Notting Hill  
Baptism of Jessie Georgiana Priscilla, daughter of Christopher Hewitson and Elizabeth Barnes, Bell Vue House, Notting Hill, Surgeon.

**1846 December 20:** England, Births and Christenings, 1538-1975. Salt Lake City, Utah  
Baptism of Phillip Osgood, son of Alfred and Louisa Hanbury at Hawkedon, Suffolk; child born  
**1846 October 15.**

**1847 April 10:** \*Sherborne Mercury

*MARRIED. April 8, at Hunsdon, Herts, by the Rev. Philip James Honeywood, William Philip Honeywood, esq., of Marks-Hall, Essex, to Frances Emma, eldest daughter of Charles Phelips, Esq., of Briggins Park, Herts.*

[Rev P J Honeywood was his uncle.]

**1847 December 10:** England, Births and Christenings, 1538-1975. Salt Lake City, Utah  
Baptism of George Herbert, son of Alfred and Louisa Hanbury at Hawkedon, Suffolk; child born  
**1847 November 23.**

**1848 August 25:** Baptisms register, St John's Notting Hill

Baptism of Octavius Robert Barclay, son of Christopher Hewitson and Elizabeth Barnes, Bell Vue House, Notting Hill, Gentleman.

**1849 July 13:** \*Chelmsford Chronicle

*BIRTHS. 6<sup>th</sup> inst. at Stansfield rectory, near Clare, Suffolk, the wife of the Rev. Alfred Hanbury, of a son.*

**1850:** Civil Registration Index

Birth of Blanche Townley registered in Downham, Norfolk, first quarter.

**1850 January 25:** \*Chelmsford Chronicle

*DIED. 15<sup>th</sup> inst. at his residence, at Islington, Richard Hanbury Esq., son of the late Charles Hanbury esq., of Halstead.*

[11 Upper Copenhagen-street]

**1850 February 15:** \*Chelmsford Chronicle

*DIED. 8<sup>th</sup> inst. after a few days' illness, in London, in his 42<sup>nd</sup> year, Edward Hanbury esq. youngest son of the late Charles Hanbury; making the second death in the family within a short space of three weeks.*

**1850 July 7:** \*The Era

*MARRIAGES. 26<sup>th</sup>, at Copford, Essex, the rev. Stratford Leigh, vicar of Hatfield Peverel, to Priscilla, only daughter of the late W. P. Honeywood, Esq., of Marks-hall, for many years one of the representatives of the county of Kent.*



**1866 October 6:** \*Norfolk News

*MARRIAGES. HANBURY – ALLSEBROOK – On Thursday last, at Worthing, by the Rev. Edward Lombe, Barnard Bland, third son of the late Rev. Alfred Hanbury, vicar of Wickham Brook, to Marianne, second daughter of M. Allsebrook, of the former place.*

**1867 November 21:** \*London Evening Standard

*DEATHS. GOOCH. – 18<sup>th</sup>, Agatha, wife of the Rev. Charles Gooch, Toppesfield, Essex.*

**1867 November 21:** Parish Registers, Downham Market, Norfolk

Marriage of George Herbert Folliott Hanbury (bachelor, 20) gentleman of Stapleford, Cambridge, son of Alfred Hanbury, Priest of the Church of England, deceased, and Mary Elizabeth Hanbury (spinster 22) of Downham Market, daughter of William Townley, solicitor, deceased. Witnesses Thomas Townley, Blanche Townley, ? Hanbury, Kate Allanbrooke.

**1868 July 25:** \*Norfolk Chronicle

*HANBURY – TOWNLEY – On the 21<sup>st</sup> inst., at Downham Market, in this county, by the Rev. W. H. Henslowe, assisted by the Rev. E. C. K. Bearcroft, F. A. Hanbury, Esq., M.A., barrister-at-law, eldest son of the Rev. Alfred Hanbury, late vicar of Wickhambrook, Suffolk, to Blanche, youngest daughter of the late W. Townley, Esq., of Downham.*

[The Marriage Register of Downham Market show that Blanche's father was a solicitor. Among the witnesses were John Townley, W. P. Hirn, Mrs ?Louisa Henslowe & Louisa Coline? Henslowe. Henslowe was the incumbent of Tottenhill and Wormegay]

**1870 December 14:** Parish Register, St John's, Clapham

Baptism of Francis Arthur Townley, son of Francis Alfred and Blanche Hanbury. Father a Barrister-at-law of 23 Union Grove.

**1870 December 31:** \*Whitstable Times and Herne Bay Herald

*DEATHS. ESSEX – Dec. 25, Robert, second son of the late William Philip Honeywood, Esq., formerly M.P. for Kent, of Mark's Hall, Essex, aged 45.*

**1871:** Census – 23 Union-grove, Clapham, Surrey

Francis A Hanbury	head	mar	31	Practising Conveyancer and Tutor	Lowestoft
Blanche Hanbury	wife	mar	21	MA Cambridge	Downham Market
Francis A T Hanbury	son		6mo		
Frank R Tame	pupil	un	19	Student in London University	Cardiff
Fredrick W D Henshaw	pupil	un	18	Do	Totten Hill, Nork.
Jemima Vine	serv		44	General Servant	Denver?, Nork.
Jane Vine	serv.		16	Do	Do
John Vine	vis		38	Labourer	Do

**1871:** Civil Registration Index

Marriage of Folliott Sandford S Hanbury and Ellen AllDay registered in King's Lynn, second quarter.

**1871 October 6:** Probate Register

Records the death of Phillip Osgood Hanbury, bachelor, of 214 Southampton-street, Camberwell, on 1871 June 6, at Stockwell Fever Hospital. Administration of effects granted to his mother Louisa, the only next of kin.

**1872 February 20:** \*Morning Advertiser

*DEATHS. On the 14<sup>th</sup> inst., at Clapham, Francis Arthur Townley Hanbury, infant son of Francis Alfred and Blanche Hanbury, aged 16 months.*

**1873 January 25:** \*Cambridge Independent Press

*DEATHS. HANBURY – Jan 13, at Fordham Abbey, Downham Market, Norfolk, Marianne, the wife of R [sic] B. Hanbury Esq.*

*[Barnard Bland Hanbury was to become bankrupt this year]*

**1874 December 5:** \*Whitstable Times and Herne Bay Herald

*DEATHS. HALSTEAD – Nov. 19, at Wakes Colne Rectory, the Rev. P. J. Honywood, only surviving son of the late William Honywood, Esq., M.P., of Mark's Hall, Essex.*

[This was the brother of W J Honywood sen]

**1875 March 2:** \*Bury and Norwich Post

*DIED. On the 25<sup>th</sup> ult., at 6, Coleherne-terrace, South Kensington, aged 73, CHRISTOPHER HEWETSON BARNES, F.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., Ed., formerly of Babergh Hall, suffolk, and of Belle Vue House, Knotting-hill.*

[His will was proved by Archibald Hanbury and Philip Capel Hanbury.]

**1875 August 20:** \*Essex Standard

*DEATHS. HANBURY – Aug. 14<sup>th</sup>, at Barnet, Octavius Richard Hanbury, only son of the late Mr. Octavius Hanbury, aged 45.*

**1875 September 29:** Baptismal Register, All Saints', Liverpool

Baptism of Zoe Blanche Townley, daughter of Francis Alfred and Blanche Hanbury, barrister of 122 St Domingo Vale; child born 1872 October 18.

**1876 February 5:** \*Essex Newsman

*DEATHS. HONYWOOD. – 31<sup>st</sup> ult. At Colchester, Walter, youngest and last surviving child of the late William Honywood, Esq., of Marks Hall, Essex, aged 45.*

**1876:** Civil Registration Index

Birth of Corroda Gurney B Hanbury registered in Newark, third quarter.

**1876 July 8:** \*Bury Free Press

*DEATHS. GOOCH – 25<sup>th</sup> ult., at Toppesfield rectory, essex, aged 72, the Rev.Charles John Gooch, second son of Sir Thomas Sherlock Gooch, Bart.*

**1877 July 24:** \*Bury and Norwich Post

*DIVORCE COURT, Tuesday, July 17. (Before the Right Hon. the President.) HANBURY v. HANBURY. Mr. Bayford appeared for the petitioner. The parties were married on the 21st of July, 1868, at Downham Market, in Norfolk. In June, 1875, the petitioner was compelled to separate from the respondent in consequence of his drunken habits and cruelty. He had since committed adultery at Greenwich. Respondent is a barrister. Decree nisi, with costs and custody of the child of the marriage.*

**1878 January 22:** UK Civil Divorce Records

The Marriage of Francis Alfred Hanbury and Blanche Hanbury, formerley Townley, was dissolved on the grounds of adultery and cruelty by F A Hanbury. Their only surviving child is stated as Zoe Blanche Townley Hanbury, born **1872 October 28**.

**1878 August 24:** \*Cambridge Independent Press

*DEATHS. HANBURY – Aug 12, Francis Alfred Hanbury, M.A., formerly of Queen's College, Cambridge, eldest son of the late Alfred Hanbury, Vicar of Wickhambrook, aged 38.*

[The Probate Register shows that his affairs were managed by Blanche Hanbury, single woman "formerly wife of the said Alfred Hanbury) the Mother and Guardian of Zoe Blanche Townley Hanbury, spinster a minor the daughter the only next of kin."]

**1879:** Civil Registration Index

Birth of Agatha Louisa M Hanbury registered in Docking, Norfolk, second quarter.

**1879 May 17:** \*The Ipswich Journal

*DEATHS. HANBURY. – 25<sup>th</sup> ult., at Hunstanton, aged 29 years, Follriott S. S. Hanbury, youngest son of the late Rev. Alfred Hanbury, vicar of Wickhambrook.*

**1880 February 3:** probate Register

Records the death of Louisa Hanbury, late of Hunstanton, on **1880 January 19**. Administration granted to her son Barnard Bland Hanbury, one of the next of kin.

**1883:** Civil Registration Index

Death of George Herbert F Hanbury registered in St Saviour, Southwark, last quarter.

**1889 December 31:** Probate Register

Records the death of Louisa Emily Hanbury, late of Ipswich, on **1889 November 17**. Will proved by her son David Hanbury of Bournemouth.

**1893 October 12:** Probate Register

Records the death of Louisa Emily Priscilla Hanbury, spinster, on **1893 September 8**. Probate to Augustus John Chevallier Esq.

**1895 February 8:** \*Chelmsford Chronicle

*THE LATE MRS. HONYWOOD*

*UNINTERESTING PARTICULARS OF THE HONYWOOD FAMILY AND ESTATES*

*Mrs. Frances Emma Honeywood, who died at Marks Hall on Wednesday, January 30, at the age of 72, was a daughter of Mr. Chas. Phelps, of Briggins Park, Hunston, Herts, and was married to the late Mr. Honeywood in 1848. There were no children of the marriage ...*

**1899:** Civil Registration Index

Marriage of Zoe Blanche Townley Hanbury and Alfred Frank Tredgold registered in Camberwell, third quarter.

**1901 October 17:** Parish Church, Denver, Norfolk, Register

Marriage of John Thomas Ward (bachelor 34) miller of Gorefield, son of John Ward, miller, and Agatha Louisa Madeline Hanbury (spinster 22) of Denver, daughter of Follitt Sanford Slater Hanbury [sic], Clerk in Holy Orders. Witnesses John Thurlow Sutliff, ?Mary Ann Allday, Curado Gurney Buxtom Hanbury and Millie Seaman?

[This is very useful as it shows she was a niece of AFH, her brother was a witness, it gives a version of her father's full name and it gives him an unexpected profession. Her grandfather was a Rector but her father was a gentleman farmer.]

**1906:** Civil Registration Index

Death of Corrado Gurney B Hanbury (29) registered in Downham, Norfolk, second quarter.

**1908 March 25:** Probate Register

Records the death of Blanche Gardiner, wife of Bruce Hubert John Gardiner MD, on **1908 February 17**. Probate to Edward Lyon Lakin and George Edward Mackenzie Skues.

**1909 June 11:** Probate Register

Records the death of Rev Philip Sherlock Gooch of Benacre, Suffolk, on **1909 April 29**. Probate to his widow Mary Campbell Gooch [nee Jodrell].

**1947 April 24:** Probate Register

Records the death of Zoe Blanche Townley Tredgold of Guilford (wife of Dr Alfred Frank Tredgold) on **1947 January 17**.

**1958 September:** Civil Registration Index

Death of Agatha L. M. Ward (79) registered in Wisbech.

## Appendix 1: Voysey Establishment Fund

**1871 October 6:** \*London Evening Standard

*VOYSEY ESTABLISHMENT FUND. – A Committee has been appointed to establish Mr. Voysey in London, and so to enable him to promulgate there these higher views concerning God and God's relation to man, which the recent decision of the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council has debarred him from preaching as vicar of Healaugh [Near Tadcaster].*

*The principal points of Mr. Voysey's teachings are –*

*"1. That it is the right and duty of every man to exercise his private judgment in matters of religion.*

*"2. That the character and dealings of God are infinitely higher than the popular views represent them to be.*

*"3. That it is necessary to practice virtue and brotherly love in order to understand the love and goodness of God."*

*The General Committee, a full list of which will shortly be published, comprises already, amongst many others, the following names, and further influential adhesions continue to be received:-*

*The Right Rev. Bishop HINDS, D.D., late Bishop of Norwich, Chairman.*

*Sir W. R. Clayton, Bart.*

*Judge Stansfield*

*W. Shaen, Esq*

*Sir W. V. Guise, Bart., FGS, FRS*

*W. P. Price, Esq., M.P*

*General F. Schuler, R.A.*

*James Heywood, Esq. MA, FRS*

*Joseph Brown, Esq., Q.C. FGS*

*Rev. G. J. Wild, LL.D.*

*H. D. Drury, Esq.*

*Leon Benham, Esq.*

*Samuel Courtauld, Esq.*

*Rev. J. D. La Touche*

*Sir W. C. Trevelyan, Bart.*

*Hensley Wedgwood, Esq.*

*Charles Darwin, Esq., FRS*

*Sir John Bowring, LL.D.*

*Charles Mackay, Esq., LL.D.*

*Baboo Keshub Chunder Sen.*

*G. Buchanan, Esq. (Hon. Treasurer)*

*Thomas Scott Esq.*

*R. H. Campbell, Esq.*

*Henry Benham, Esq.*

*Regular services at St George's Hall, Langham-place, Every Sunday Morning, at Eleven.*

*The Committee feel that the time is now come for an APPEAL to the public at large for aid in carrying out their object.*

*Subscriptions amounting to upwards of 500l. have already been received, and the First Subscription List will shortly be published.*

*Subscriptions may be remitted to the Imperial Bank, Lothbury, E.C.; or to the Hon. Treasurer (pro tem.) James Turle, Esq., M.D., 36, Finchley-road, N.W.*

*(signed) F. A. HANBURY, M.A., Hon Sec., 24, Old-square, Lincoln's-inn.*

F. A. Hanbury sent Charles Darwin a letter on 1871 September 4 thanking him for his donation to the fund **DCP-LETT-7923**.

The movement was later supported by Right Rev. J. W. Colenso, Bishop of Natal. In 1880 it became the "Theistic Church".

## Notes:

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<sup>1</sup> Blanche married Bruce Hubert John Gardiner MD, a general practitioner, in Westminster, 1880. The couple had daughters, Audry Margaret Bruce Gardiner, in c1882; and Muriel Gladys Townley Gardiner in 1884.

<sup>2</sup> Spring, F. W. M. 2005. Bombay Artillery list of officers who have served in the regiment. The Naval & Military Press Ltd. Uckfield.

*499 Charles Edward Hanbury, b. 22 Sept. 1840 ... d. 12 May 1872 in the districts near Secunderabad.*

<sup>3</sup> George Herbert Follitt Hanbury was constantly in trouble and served prison sentences for various crimes.

**1870 December 29:** \*Morning Post

### WANDSWORTH

*George Herbert Follit Hanbury was charged with committing wilful damage. Mr. Francis A. H. Hanbury, of Union-grove, Clapham, said he was a barrister, and the prisoner was his brother. The previous night, while engaged with a pupil, he heard some talking with his servant, and recognised his brother's voice. Soon afterwards he heard a smash, and on going out into the hall he met his servant, who said, "It is Mr. Herbert again." He then found that the prisoner had broken a window with a basin which he had thrown at it. This was the second time the prisoner had broken his windows, and, as such conduct was calculated to destroy his domestic happiness and respectability, he sent for a constable and gave him in charge. The prisoner said he had to express his deep regret and sorrow, but at the same time he wished it to be understood that it was a family quarrel. Were he to enter into the particulars it would take him between two and three hours to do so. If he had done any harm he was willing to pay for it, and to place 5s. in the poor-box. The servant was called, and she stated that the prisoner wished to see her master, but she told him that he could not, as he was engaged. Witness did not think he was sober. Mr. Ingham said that as this was the second case, he could not pass it over without inflicting a fine; at the same time he gave the prisoner notice that any repetition would lead to his being sent to prison. He fined him 20s. in addition to the amount of damage, and in default ordered him to be imprisoned for seven days. The money was paid.*

**1880 July 17:** \*Cambridge Independent Press

### STEALING WEARING APPAREL

*George Herbert Follitt Hanbury (32). described as having no home, was brought up on a warrant, charged with stealing a bundle, containing a dress and other articles of wearing apparel, the property of Rebecca Wolfe, of Hardwick, from John Wheeler's carrier cart, at the Half Moon, Bridge-street, the 14th of October, 1876 Supt. Turrall explained to the bench that the prisoner was concerned with another man in stealing the bundle four years ago, but escaped the police at the time. The other man was captured, tried, and convicted. - The prisoner pleaded guilty, and begged for mercy, stating that he had just lost his mother, and his wife was seriously ill - in deep consumption. - The Bench sentenced him to three months' imprisonment Prisoner observed that he was grateful, and he hoped he should not appear before them again.*

<sup>4</sup> Follitt Hanbury (21), farmer, and Ellen Hanbury (20) appear on the passenger list of the Calabria when it left Liverpool on 1871 June 19 bound for New York.

<sup>5</sup> Ellen Allday was a servant at Irstead Rectory in the 1871 census. The Rector was Rev. William Haughton.

<sup>6</sup> In the 1896 Kelly's Directory this version of the name is given – he is a coal-dealer in Denver, Norfolk. He was born in Saxelby, Lincolnshire.