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This is a copy of
the note left by my
father (JCG) in the family
Bible. The A3 sheet is
a copy of the inner page of the
Bible, as updated by him.

TG.
Dec 2000

xx a President of
Wesleyan Conference

1834
Totfadden
arrears
1836

So that my great great grandfather would be
a youth of 44 years old in his sixteenth year of age

OBITUARY NOTICE - MR JOHN CLARK Jun Wesley died in 1791

1809 to 1890 Clergy licensed May 1818
of 81st General Assembly

MR JOHN CLARK On January 24th, Mr John Clark of Shorne, Ridgway, Rochester, passes to his rest. Shortly before his birth, in 1809, his father was converted at an open-air service held at Cobham by Mr Osborn, father of Dr Osborn. From that day he suffered for his attachment to Methodism. Persecuted, turned out of his small farm, he was obliged to take a small cottage, which he at once had licensed for Methodist preaching. Here John Clark was born in an atmosphere of self-denial for the Church's sake. His parents became very poor in consequence of persistent efforts used to prevent his father obtaining work in the neighbourhood. When seven years old he was expelled from the National school for being a little Methodist. Before he was twenty he was truly converted. In 1836 when most of the members of Shorne had joined the Association movement, he bought the ground for the chapel, and afterwards he bought the chapel itself; and in 1862 he presented it, free of debt, to the Wesleyan Conference. His life was a constant testimony for God, and its influence must continue. After his funeral sermon was preached there were many penitent seekers after salvation. So the great Head maintains his work.

(Notice in the Methodist Recorder, March 6th 1890)

April MARRIAGES. 1867

On Monday, the 22nd inst., in the Wesleyan Chapel, Penrith, by the Rev. T. T. Dilks, the Rev. HENRY GIBSON, Wesleyan Minister, Appleby, to Miss CAIN, Penrith.—No cards.

On the 22nd Inst., at the Wesleyan Chapel, Penrith (by license), by the Rev. T. T. Dilks, the Rev. H. Gibson, Wesleyan minister, Appleby, to Frances, youngest daughter of the late Mr. Thos. Cain, of Red Bow, Garrigill, Alston.

Feb 19

At Appleby, on the 24th ult., the wife of the Rev. Henry Gibson, Wesleyan Minister, of a son. Arthur Henry

1868

Eliza Frances born July 23. 1871

(Effie, d.)

Fred'k Thomas born Feb 9. 1873

Shorley

Henry Gibson, Wesleyan Minister, the wife of the Rev. Henry Gibson, Wesleyan Minister, of a son.

Dec. 31. 1874

Benjamin Edward

GIBSON.—Aug. 3, at Navenby, Frances, beloved wife of Henry Gibson, Wesleyan Minister.—Friends will please accept this intimation.

1876

GIBSON—CLARK.—On Tuesday, Oct. 30, at Shorne, by the Rev. William Joynes, the Rev. Henry Gibson, Wesleyan Minister, Sleaford, to Eliza Jane, eldest daughter of Mr. John Clark, of Shorne, Kent.

1877

Catherine Threadgold born Sept 30. 1878

* John Clark born Feb. 9. 1880

Chas. Herbert born Nov. 22. 1881

Frank Speeding born Apr. 2. 1883

Ella Mabel born Nov. 5. 1885

(my Grandfather) * John Clark died Jan 24. 1890

(my Grandmother) Eliza Clark died March 19. 1891

Henry Jno. Williams Gibson died Dec. 25. 1891

Emily Woods died Nov. 24. 1894

Cath & Daisy married May 22. 1897

*Arthur Henry Gibson and
Daisy Leighton married May 22. 1897
Arthur Leighton son of Arthur H. & Daisy Gibson born May 13. 1898

Eliza Gibson died August 25. 1898

Ernest Henry son of Arthur H. & Daisy Gibson born June 8. 1901
David Jeffrey son of Arthur H. & Daisy Gibson born May 14. 04

John Clark Gibson and Winifred Davey

Mrs. and Mrs. J. C. Gibson
Death Notice DEATHS. 5. 12. 1918

GIBSON.—December 1 (Sunday), at nursing home after week's illness following operation. Catherine Threadgold, daughter of Rev. Henry Gibson, sister of Rev. J. Clark Gibson. Friends please accept this (the only) intimation.

July 4th 1918

old Gibson died Sunday

Dec. 1. 1918

John Antony Clark Gibson born May 18. 1919

Rebekah Clark died June 2nd 1921

Henry
~~John Clark~~ Gibson died 5th March 1924
aged 70 years

Elova Jane Gibson died 26th Feb 1930

Jenifer Mary Dodge Gibson born Apr 13/1931

Barbara May b. Oct 16 daughter of C.H. Gibson
Charles son of Charles H. Gibson

John Anthony Clark Gibson & Christine Dudley

Judith Gibson, born 21.5. 1954. daughter of
John Clark Gibson born 27.11.35
DUDLEY son of above died 12.11.73

Edmund Giles Gibson born 5.3.60

Charles Herbert Gibson died son of above

Elova Frances Gibson (Effie) died

Wynfred Emily Davey d. June 1980