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Family AW

George Woodhead alias Audley of Sheffield and Liverpool

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Introduction

This family consists of a single person, who was born George William Woodhead in 1865 in Sheffield Yorkshire and Died as George Audley in 1951 in Liverpool.

- He is last recorded in Sheffield on the 3rd April 1881 (1881 Census of England)

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- He is first recorded in Liverpool on the 5th April 1891 (1891 Census of England). In this Census he is recorded as George Woodhead a 'French Polisher' which ties in with his Fathers occupation of Cabinet Maker in the 1871 and 1881 Censuses of Sheffield. His own occupation in the 1881 Census of Sheffield is recorded as an 'Apprentice Cabinet Maker'
- In the 1891 Census he is recorded as a Boarder at 67 Dorset Road, Liverpool, and the head of the household being {AA19} Mary Audley.
- In 1901 Census of England he is recorded as George Woodhead, a Lodger, at 75 Ullswater Street, Everton, Liverpool, and the head of the household being {AA19} Mary Audley.
- In 1901 Census his occupation has changed from Cabinet Maker/ French Polisher to Window Cleaner. His occupation remains as Window Cleaner from 1901 onwards.
- He marries on the 25th December 1906 as George Audley and gives his address as 75, Ullswater Street. This is the earliest record that he is Recorded as George Audley.
- {AA19} Mary Audley was recorded as living at 75 Ullswater Street in, Gores Liverpool Street Directories in 1901, 1902, 1904, 1905, 1906, 1907, 1908, 1909, 1910 & 1911. So she was living at 75, Ullswater Street at the time of the Marriage of George Audley (*alias Woodhead*) and he gives his address on the Marriage Certificate as 75 Ullswater Street (i.e the same address as where {AA19} was living
- In the 1911 Census of England he is living with his Wife Margaret, as George Audley at 35 Hornsey Road, Anfield, Liverpool.
- He is recorded as living at 80 Coniston Street Liverpool in the 1921 Census of England, the 1939 Registers, and the Gores Liverpool Street Directories of 1908, 1909, 1910, 1911, 1920, 1930, 1931, 1932 & 1940.

We believe that the above bullet points demonstrate that George William Woodhead and George Audley is the same person. As to why he changed his name we have no idea.

Simplified Family Tree

George Woodhead (???? - ????)

└ married ????

└ John Woodhead (???? - ????)

└ married Sarah Watkinson (???? - ????)

└ John Woodhead (1853 - ????)

└ Thomas H Woodwood (1855 - ????)

└ Albert Woodhead (1857 - ????)

└ Sarah Elizabeth Woodhead (1858 - ????)

└ Ellen Jane Woodhead (1861 - ????)

└ Rose Eleanor Woodhead (1863 - ????)

└ **{AW1} George William Woodhead alias Audley (1865 - 1951)**

└ married Margaret Smith (1861? - 1933)

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└ Walter Woodhead (1867 - ????)
└ Clara Woodhead (1870 - ????)

Detailed Family Trees

{AW1} **GEORGE WILLIAM WOODHEAD (ALIAS AUDLEY)** Born Q3 in 1865 in Sheffield (as *George William Woodhead*) His parents were John Woodhead and Sarah Woodhead nee Watkinson Of 38, Infirmary Road Sheffield in 1871 & 1881 (as *George W Woodhead*). In 1881 he is an apprentice Cabinet Maker. In 1891. He was of 67 Dorset Road, Liverpool, as George Woodhead, a French Polisher. He was a Boarder, in a house, the head of the house being {AA19} Mary Audley. Of 75 Ullswater Street, Everton, as George Woodhead, a Window Cleaner in 1901. Again he is described as a Lodger with the head of the house being {AA19} Mary Audley. He was living 35 Hornsey Road Anfield Road, as George Audley a Window Cleaner. The Gores Liverpool Street Directories show him living, as George Audley at 80 Coniston Street from 1908 to 1940. He was of 80, Coniston Street, Liverpool, as George Audley, a Window Cleaner in 1921. He Died, as George Audley aged 88 in Q1 1951 at Liverpool North. He married (as *George Audley*) on 25th December 1906 to MARGARET SMITH. On his Marriage Certificate he records his address as 75 Ullswater Street. This is the address he was living at in the in the 1901 Census. The street directories for Liverpool indicate that {AA19} Mary Audley was living at 75 Ullswater Road from at least 1901 to 1912. His Wife Died as Margaret Audley aged 72, Q1 in 1933 at 80, Coniston Street, West Derby, Liverpool. No reason has been identified for George Woodhead to Change his name to George Audley and no relationship has been identified between him and {AA19} Mary Audley.

Supporting Information

Births

Tag Ref	Date	Birth Details	Source
	Q1 1853	John Woodhead; mother Watkinson Sheffield 9c 226	GRO Index
	Q2 1855	Thomas Henry Woodhead; mother Watkinson; Sheffield 9c 272	GRO Index
	Q2 1857	Albert Woodhead; mother Watkinson; Eccleshall Bierlow 9c 199	GRO Index
	Q4 1858	Sarah Elizabeth Woodhead; mother Watkinson Ecclesall Bierlow 9c 194	GRO Index
	Q2 1861	Ellen Jane Woodhead; mother Watkinson; Eccleshall Bierlow 9c 219	GRO Index
	Q1 1863	Rose Helenor Woodhead mother Watkinson; Sheffield 9c 328	GRO Index
{AW1}	Q3 1865	George William Woodhead mother's maiden name	GRO Index

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Tag Ref	Date	Birth Details	Source
		Watkinson Sheffield 9c 294	
	Q1 1867	Walter Woodhead, mother Watkinson Sheffield 9c 347	GRO Index
	Q1 1870	Clara Woodhead , mother Watkinson, Sheffield 9c 373	GRO Index

Marriages

Tag Ref	Date	Marriage Details	Source
	Q2 1851	John Woodhead married Sarah Watkinson Sheffield 22 525	GRO Index
	12 th May 1851	In the Parish Church of Sheffield John Woodhead, aged 22, Bachelor, a Cabinet Maker, of West Street; Father George Woodhead, a Gentleman married Sarah Watkinson, aged 22, a Spinster, of West Street, Father, William Watkinson, a Fork Maker Wits William Cooper? & Eliza Challinor	Marriage Certificate
{AW1}	Q4 1906.	George Audley Married Margaret Smith West Derby Registry Office	GRO Index
	25 th December 1906	George Audley Married, aged 42 years a Bachelor and Window Cleaner, living at 75, Ullswater Street, Father, was a George Audley, deceased and a former Tram Driver. Married Margaret Smith aged 43 years, a Spinster Bread Dealers Assistant, living 40, Hamwell Street, Anfield, Father was a John Smith, a General Warehouseman	Marriage Certificate

Deaths

Tag Ref	Date	Death Details	Source
Wife of {AW1}	Q1 1933	Margaret Audley aged 72 West Derby 8b 844	GRO Index
{AW1}	Q1 1951	George Audley aged 88 Liverpool North 10d 265	GRO Index

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Gores Liverpool Street Directories

1901 Mary Audley at 75 Ullswater Street
1902 Mary Audley at 75 Ullswater Street
1903 Mary Audley at 75 Ullswater Street
1905 Mary Audley at 75 Ullswater Street
1906 Mrs Mary Audley at 75 Ullswater Street
1907 Mrs Mary Audley at 75 Ullswater Street
1908 Mrs Mary Audley at 75 Ullswater Street
1908 George Audley Window Cleaner 80 Coniston Street
1909 Mrs Mary Audley at 75 Ullswater Street
1910 Mrs Mary Audley at 75 Ullswater Street
1910 George Audley Window Cleaner 80 Coniston Street
1911 Mrs Mary Audley at 75 Ullswater Street
1911 George Audley Window Cleaner 80 Coniston Street
1912 Mrs Mary Audley at 75 Ullswater Street
1913 Reginald C Hill Packer at 75 Ullswater Street
1914 Reginald C Hill Packer at 75 Ullswater Street
1920 George William Audley Window Cleaner 80 Coniston Street
1930 George William Audley Window Cleaner 80 Coniston Street
1931 George William Audley Window Cleaner 80 Coniston Street
1932 George William Audley Window Cleaner 80 Coniston Street
1940 George William Audley Window Cleaner 80 Coniston Street

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1871 Census of England

The 1871 Census of England was taken on 2nd April 1871

1871 Census								
RG10//4680/114/9								
38, Infirmary Road, Sheffield								
Tag	Name	Relation	Marital Status	Gender	Age	Occupation	Birthplace	Disability
	John Woodhead	Head	Married	Male	40	Cabinet Maker Employing 3 Sons &1 Apprentice	Beighton Sheffield	
	Sarah Woodhead	Wife	Married	Female	43		Yorkshire Ecclesfield	
	John Woodhead	Son	Unm	Male	18	Cabinet Maker	Yorkshire Sheffield	
	Thomas H Woodhead	Son	Unm	Male	15	Cabinet Maker	Yorkshire Sheffield	
	Albert Woodhead	Son	Unm	Male	13	Cabinet Maker	Yorkshire Sheffield	
	Sarah E Woodhead	Dau	Unm	Dau	12	Scholar	Yorkshire Sheffield	
	Ellen Jane Woodhead	Dau	Unm	Dau	10	Scholar	Yorkshire Sheffield	
	Rose E Woodhead	Dau	Unm	Dau	8	Scholar	Yorkshire Sheffield	
{AW1}	George W Woodhead	Son	Unm	Male	5		Yorkshire Sheffield	
	Walter Woodhead	Son	Unm	Son	4		Yorkshire Sheffield	
	Clara Woodhead	Dau	Unm	Dau	1	Scholar	Yorkshire Sheffield	

1881 Census of England

The 1881 Census of England was taken on the 3rd April 1881

1881 Census								
RG11/4645/91/35								
38, Infirmary Road, Sheffield								
Tag	Name	Relation	Marital Status	Gender	Age	Occupation	Birthplace	Disability
	John Woodhead	Head	Married	Male	50	Cabinet Maker	Derbyshire Birley	
	Sarah Woodhead	Wife	Married	Female	50		Yorkshire Hirst	
	Albert Woodhead	Son	Unm	Male	23	Cabinet Maker	Yorkshire Sheffield	
{AW1}	George W Woodhead	Son	Unm	Male	14	Cabinet Maker Apprentice	Yorkshire Sheffield	
	Walter Woodhead	Son	Unm	Son	14	Scholar	Yorkshire Sheffield	
	Sarah E Woodhead	Dau	Unm	Dau	22		Yorkshire Sheffield	
	Ellen J Woodhead	Dau	Unm	Dau	19		Yorkshire Sheffield	
	Rose E Woodhead	Dau	Unm	Dau	18		Yorkshire Sheffield	
	Clara Woodhead	Dau	Unm	Dau	11	Scholar	Yorkshire Sheffield	

1891 Census of England

The 1891 Census of England was taken on the 5th April 1891

1891 Census								
RG 12/2998/43/80								
67 Dorset Road, Liverpool								
Tag	Name	Relation	Marital Status	Gender	Age	Occupation	Birthplace	Disability
{AA19}	Mary Hudley (<i>sic</i>) (Audley)	Head	Single	Female	44	Dressmaker	Lancs Liverpool	
	John Parkinson	Boarder	Single	Male	27	Florist	Lancs Liverpool	
{AW1}	George Woodhead	Boarder	Single	Male	25	French Polisher	Lancs Liverpool	
	Jommill Tighe	Visitor	Single	Female	17	General Servant	Lancs Liverpool	

1901 Census of England

The 1901 Census of England was taken on the 31st March 1901

1901 Census								
RG 13/ 3477/87/15								
75 Ullswater Street, Everton, Liverpool								
Tag	Name	Relation	Marital Status	Gender	Age	Occupation	Birthplace	Disability
{AA19}	Mary Audley	Head	Widow	Female	60	Dressmaker	Lancs Liverpool	
	John Parkinson	Lodger	Marr	Male	37	Florist	Lancs Liverpool	
	Richard Parkinson	Lodger	Single	Male	42	Shoemaker	Lancs Liverpool	
{AW1}	George Woodhead	Lodger	Single	Male	35	Window Cleaner	Yorks Sheffield	

1911 Census of England

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1911 Census												
RG14/22397												
35 Hornsey Road, Anfield Liverpool												
Tag	Name	Relation	Marital Status	Gender	Age	Years Married	Children Total	Children Alive	Children Dead	Occupation	Birthplace	Disability
{AW1}	George Audley	Head	Married	Male	47					Window Cleaner Working on own account	Sheffield Yorkshire	
Wife {AW1}	Margaret Audley	Wife	Married	Female	48	4	None				Lancashire, Everton England	

1921 Census of England

The 1921 Census of England was taken on the 19th June 1921.

In the tables below the column 'Occupation' covers three columns in the actual Census namely 'Personal Occupation', 'Employment (Employer)', and 'Place of Work'.

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1921 Census							RG15/17767/0211 & 0202		
Address; 80 Coniston Street, Liverpool, Lancashire									
Tag	Name	Relation	Age		Gender	Marital Status Parents	Birthplace Nationality	Occupation	Children under 16
			Yrs	Mo					
{AW1}	George Audley	Head	59	--	Male	Married	Sheffield	Window Cleaner Own Account Out Doors	
Wife of {AW1}	Margaret Audley	Wife	60	--	Female	Married	Liverpool	Home Duties, Own Account	
	George Henry Gescott?	Lodger	68	--	Male	Widowed	Nottingham	Painter (Out of work)	

1931 Census of England

The 1931 Census of England was taken 26th April 1931 but was destroyed during WWII

1939 Register of England

The 1939 Register was created in 1939 for the issue of registration documents and ration books shortly after the commencement of World War II. As they were produced after the start of the war they do not include people who were member of; conscripted into and volunteered for the Armed Services. Additionally after World War II this registers was used as the registration of people into the newly formed National Health Service. This register was 'updated' by the National Health Service until 1991 when the National Health Service Registration was computerised.

The updates made under the National Health Service typically include; changes of surname by Marriage, corrections to Christian names (for example changing initials to full names) and recording the Deaths of individuals listed in the registers. No changes of address are recorded are the Births of new individuals are not recorded.

The records of individuals are either open or closed. Open records can be viewed by the public and Closed records cannot be viewed by the public. Records are open if one of the following conditions applies:

* The record is open if the person was born more than 100 years ago. This is the 100 year rule and means that progressively more records will be opened each year until they all become open in 2040.

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* The record is open if the person is deceased and the person's Death is recorded in the registers. In theory this means that the record for anyone listed in the registers and Died before 1991 should be open. However not all deaths before 1991 were recorded in the registers, and people who were in the Armed Forces in 1939 are not listed in the registers.

Records that are not open are closed. However members of the public can make requests to the National Archive at Kew to open closed records. To do this they must be able to supply a copy of a Death Certificate and the National Archives must be able to relate this Death Certificate to a particular individual in the 1939 Registers. For example the Death Certificate has the address where the individual died and the 1939 Registers have the address where the individual was living in 1939 so not all requests may be successful

1939 Registers					
80, Coniston Street, Liverpool C B, Lancashire, England					
Tag	Name	Date of Birth	Marital Status	Occupation	Other
{AW1}	George Audley	7 th April 1863	Widowed	Retired Window Cleaner	

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