

Basil Nelson Tebbs

13 December 1872 - 29 June 1949

Basil Nelson Tebbs was born in Ashwick, Somerset, on 13th December 1872 and baptised on 12th January 1873.

His father Reverend William Tebbs, (1842-1891) was a clerk in Holy Orders. Basil's mother was Mary Anne Nelson (1848-1933).

In 1901 Basil is recorded on the census as a medical student, living with his family in Streatham.

He studied at Queen's College Cambridge and after graduation became a medical Doctor. On 14th June 1905 after finishing his studies he married Constance Marguerite Osgood at St, John the Divine, in Streatham.

The couple moved to Southampton to a large house with 11 rooms, as described in the census of 1911. The house was called St. Cronan's and was in The Avenue, Southampton. At some point, we are not sure when, Basil and Constance were living in the Parish of Blatchington, Seaford as they are recorded on the Electoral Register. In 1939 Basil and Constance are on holiday at The Cary Court Hotel in Torquay, Devon as recorded in the 1939 register.

After retirement Basil and Constance moved to Chelwood Gate where Basil died on 29th June 1949, at The Whim in Beaconsfield Road. He was 76 years old.

He left £23,659. 15s. 3d in his Will to his wife Constance and Horace Aubrey Nelson Tebbs, a solicitor.

Constance Marguerite Tebbs (nee Osgood)

7 June 1880 - 4 May 1972

Constance Marguerite Osgood was born in Wimbledon on 7th June 1880. Her father, William Henry Osgood (1848-1927) was described on her marriage certificate as a Gentleman. Her mother was Maria Kerley (1848-1929). Constance lived with her parents until her marriage to Basil in 1905.

One of Constance's brothers Sir Frederick Stanley Osgood, a solicitor, once lived at Child's House, Nutley. Perhaps that is why when Basil retired, they decided to move to Sussex.

Constance died at Chelwood Corner Nursing Home on 4th May 1972 aged 91 years.

**Basil and Constance Tebbs are
buried at Danehill cemetery**



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Jan^y 12th Basil William
Nelson & Mary Anne
Tebbs Oakhill, Clerk
Acolwick in Holy Orders
John Price
Officiating Minister
- for -
Mr. Tebbs, Vicar

No. 502.

1905. Marriage solemnized at *S. John the Divine* in the parish of *Strattham* in the County of *London*.

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| No. | When Married. | Name and Surname. | Age. | Condition. | Rank or Profession. | Residence at the time of Marriage. | Father's Name and Surname. | Rank or Profession of Father. |
| 1 | June 14 th 1905 | Basil Nelson Tebbs | 32 | Bachelor | Doctor of Medicine | 144 Portwood Rd. Southampton | (deceased) William Tebbs | Clerk in Holy Orders. |
| 2 | | Constance Marguerite Cogood | 25 | Spinster | - - - - | 145 Redford Hill | William Henry Cogood | Gentleman. |

Married in the Church of *S. John* according to the Rites and Ceremonies of the *established Church* by *Wm. Cogood* or after *ban* by me, *John Price* Vicar of the Chapel.

This Marriage was solemnized between us, *Basil Nelson Tebbs* in the Presence of us, *Constance Marguerite Cogood* *Mary Tebbs*

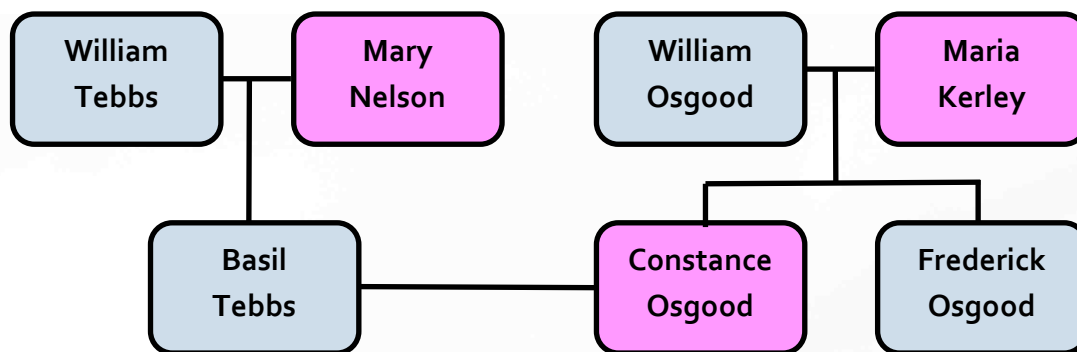
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| Basil Nelson Tebbs | The Whin Chelwood Gare | 29 th June 1949 | 76 years | P. G. P. Cornish |
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No. 1259

Top: Basil Tebbs' baptismal record. Middle: Basil and Constance's wedding certificate. Bottom: Basil's record of death



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