

# The Remaining children of William & Eliza

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**Eliza Ann Murrell (1843-1868)** was born on the 6<sup>th</sup> March 1843 in Wivenhoe to William and Eliza, she is recorded in the 1851 census with her parents on Bath Street and in the 1861 census as a boarder with her brother Joseph Henry on Southgate Street, Hartlepool. She died in Wivenhoe on the 9<sup>th</sup> September 1868.

**Edward Harvey Murrell (1844-1845)** born in Wivenhoe on the 24<sup>th</sup> October 1844 to William and Eliza and died in October 1845.

**Emma Sarah Murrell (1846-1922)** was born in Wivenhoe on the 28<sup>th</sup> August 1846 to William and Eliza, at the age of 6 she is recorded in the 1851 census as a visitor / seaman's daughter staying with a Richard and Mary Ann Cole in East Donyland/Rowhedge. In 1861 she is recorded as a scholar living with her mother on the High Street and in 1871 she is again recorded with her mother living on The Quay with her occupation showing as a Governess.

Emma married Arthur John Smith (1849-1927) a butcher by trade in April 1876. On the 1891 census they are recorded at 47 Leyton Road, Stratford, Essex with the occupation showing as a pork and tripe butcher. In the 1901 and 1911 census they have moved to 48 Lansdown Road, Leyton(stone) and shown as a butcher.

Emma died on the 14<sup>th</sup> January 1922 and Arthur on the 16<sup>th</sup> June 1927. They are buried together in the City of London Cemetery, Newham.

**William Edward (1848-1864)** Born in Wivenhoe on the 25<sup>th</sup> August 1848 to William and Eliza. William is recorded in both the 1851 and 1861 census as living at home with his parents in Wivenhoe. The family Bible then records that he accidentally drowned in Hamburg on 19<sup>th</sup> June 1864.

**Ellen Jane Murrell (1850-1941)** was born on the 18<sup>th</sup> July 1850 in Wivenhoe to William and Eliza, living with them on Bath Street, High Street and the Quay. She married George Wells (1853-1896) in October 1875. George's father was John William Wells (1821-) a baker and for many years the Parish Clerk of Alresford.

George was also a baker and in the 1881 census they are recorded as living on Colchester Road, Alresford where they remained on the 1891 census where George's occupation is recorded as a baker and corn merchant. They had 7 children before George died on 1<sup>st</sup> August 1896; he was buried in St Peter, Alresford on the 5<sup>th</sup> August. The children were George William (b1877), Maud Jane (1877-1904), Bessie Ella (1880-1959), Herbert John Murrell (b1882), Mary (b1885), Cecil Charles (1887-1925) and Lena E (b1888).

The family remained on Colchester Road with Ellen continuing the baking business; on the 1901 and 1911 census she is recorded as a baker, flour and corn dealer. By 1939 she was living at 'Summerville', Park Road, Wivenhoe with her daughter Bessie. Ellen died on 14<sup>th</sup> December 1941 in Wivenhoe and she is buried in St Peter, Alresford with George and their children Maud Jane and Cecil Charles.



*Wells family headstone in St Peter, Alresford*

**Alice Martha Murrell (1854-1925)** born on the 25<sup>th</sup> June 1854 was the last child of William and Eliza. She lived with her parents on the High Street and The Quay until her marriage to William Smith (b1856) on the 14<sup>th</sup> April 1879 in the Independent Chapel in Wivenhoe. They are recorded in the 1881 census in Great Oakley where William was a green grocer; by the 1891 census the family are shown as having moved to 72 Warwick Street, Deptford with Alice as the head of the family. In the 1901 census they are still at Warwick Street, William is listed as the head of the and as a grocers assistant and their 5 children, Clifford (1880-1952), Ella (b1887), Stanley (b1889), Frank (b1893) and Dora (b1897) are living with them.

The 1911 census shows that the family have moved to 50 Steele Road, Leytonstone where William is shown as a caterer. Stanley, Frank and Dora are still living at home. It is believed that Alice died in Jun 1925.