

Aspinwall Alfred

Item	Data	Reference	Notes
Person	Alfred Aspinwall		3,5
Date of birth	11 September 1824	1	
Location of birth	Manchester, Lancashire, England	2	
Fathers name	George Aspinwall	3	2
Mothers name			
Married to	Mary Isaac	1	
Marriage date	22 October 1849	1,3	
Marriage location	City and County of Bristol, England	1	1,4
Date of death	2 February 1893	1	
Death location			
Burial location			

Reference

1. Documents in Richard Fred Lanyon's possession.
2. 1861 census for Bradford, Yorkshire, England.
3. Marriage certificate

Notes

1. Per the marriage certificate, the marriage was performed in St. James Church in St. James Parish in Bristol. Per Wikipedia, the church dates from the 13th century.
2. Per the marriage certificate, Goerge was a dealer in cotton twist.
3. Per the marriage certificate, Alfred was a carver and guildler.
4. Per the marriage certificate, Alfred lived on Lower Maudlin Street in Bristol.
5. Per the 1881 census, was a painter and lived at 46 Hargreave Terrace, Darlington, England, located about 40 miles north of Bradford.

Aspinwall nee Isaac Mary

Item	Data	Reference	Notes	
Person	Mary Aspinwall nee Isaac			
Date of birth	24 October 1830	1		
Location of birth	Gloucester, Gloucestershire, England	2		
Fathers name	Richard Isaac	1	2	
Mothers name	MaryAnn Vickery	1		
Married to	Alfred Aspinwall	1		
Marriage date	22 October 1849	3		
Marriage location	City and County of Bristol, England	3	1,3	
Date of death	23 February 1874	1		
Death location				
Burial location				

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1. Per the marriage certificate, the marriage was performed in St. James Church in St. James Parish in Bristol, a church that dates from the 13th century.
2. Per the marriage certificate, Richard Isaac was a brewer.
3. Per the marriage certificate, Mary lived on Lower Maudlin Street in Bristol.

Mary Aspinwall's photograph is on the next page.



ALBERT SACHS

BRADFORD

Alfred and Mary nee Isaac Aspinwall's Life Together

Alfred and Mary were born in southwest England, Alfred in Bristol and Mary in Gloucester, about 24 miles apart. Their fathers were in businesses that didn't require travel. Richard Isaac was a brewer and George Aspinwall was in the cotton business. Cotton from the USA came through the port of Bristol for weaving in England. A year after their marriage in 1849, their first child was born in Leeds, Yorkshire, 200 miles north of Bristol.

First child, Alfred, was born 3 August 1850.

Second child, Mary Ann, was born 18 November 1851, in Leeds, Yorkshire, per page 7 letter.

The family relocated to Bradford, Yorkshire, between the births of Mary Ann and Emily.

Third child, Emily, was born 20 January 1854.

Fourth child, Frances Eliza, was born 28 January 1856.

Fifth child, Ellen, was born 24 October 1857.

Frances Eliza died on 2 December 1857.

Sixth child, Frances, was born 4 January 1859.

Seventh child, Fred, was born 17 March 1861.

The family was living in Bradford, Yorkshire, during the 1861 census.

Eighth child, Ann, was born 6 February 1864.

Ninth child, Frank, was born 25 August 1865, and died on 14 July 1866.

Tenth child, Eliza, was born 20 April 1867.

Eleventh child, Frank, was born 25 June 1868.

Twelfth child, George, was born 17 December 1870, and died 15 January 1871.

Thirteenth child, Kate, was born 4 January 1872, and died 19 October 1874.

Mary died 23 February 1874, age 43 years and 4 months, leaving Alfred a widower.

Alfred died February 23, 1893, age 68 years and 5 months. Alfred didn't have a second wife.

CERTIFIED COPY OF AN ENTRY OF MARRIAGE



GIVEN AT THE GENERAL REGISTER OFFICE, LONDON

Application Number 19646

1849. Marriage solemnized at the Parish Church in the Parish of St. James ^{City and} in the County of Bristol

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.
189	October 22 nd	Alfred Aspinwall	24	Bachelor	Carrier & Gilder	Green Mandlin Street	George Aspinwall	Dealer in Cotton Twist
		Mary Isaac	19	Spinster	—	G.	Richard Isaac	Brewer

Married in the Parish Church according to the Rites and Ceremonies of the Established Church, after Banns by me, H. G. Todd

This Marriage was solemnized between us, Alfred Aspinwall } In the Presence of us, James Hudson
Mary Isaac } Ann Hale

CERTIFIED to be a true copy of an entry in the certified copy of a register of Marriages in the Registration District of Bristol
 Given at the GENERAL REGISTER OFFICE, LONDON, under the Seal of the said Office, the 8th day of March 1983

MX 771340

This certificate is issued in pursuance of section 65 of the Marriage Act 1949. Sub-section 3 of that section provides that any certified copy of an entry purporting to be sealed or stamped with the seal of the General Register Office shall be received as evidence of the marriage to which it relates without any further or other proof of the entry, and no certified copy purporting to have been given in the said Office shall be of any force or effect unless it is sealed or stamped as aforesaid.

CAUTION:—Any person who (1) falsifies any of the particulars on this certificate, or (2) uses a falsified certificate as true, knowing it to be false, is liable to prosecution.



C.M.C

On old, yellowed paper 9 inches wide by 5.5 inches high found in family papers with family papers headed Aspinwall. All births assumed to have taken place in Yorkshire, UK.

Appears to Fred Aspinwall handwriting. Typed by Richard Fred Lanyon, November 2024.

Given name	Born	Died	Age
Alfred	Sept. 11, 1824	Feb. 2, 1893	68 years 5 months
Mary	Oct. 24, 1830	Feb. 23, 1874	43 years 4months
Alfred	Aug. 3 1850		
Mary Ann	Nov. 18, 1851		
Emily	Jan. 20, 1854		
Fanny Eliza	Jan. 28, 1856	Dec. 2, 1857	1 year 10 months
Ellen	Oct. 24, 1857		
Fanny	Jan, 4, 1859		
Fred	March 17, 1861	Dec. 23, 1933	72 years 3 months
Annie	Feb. 6, 1864		
Frank	Aug. 25, 1865	July 14, 1866	11 months
Eliza	Apr. 20, 1867		
Frank	Jun. 25, 1868		
George	Dec. 17, 1870	Jan. 15, 1871	5 weeks
Kate	Jan. 4, 1872	Oct. 19, 1874	2 years 9 months

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28th March 1983

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Dear Mr Lanyon,

Thank you for your letter of 21st February. I am sorry to have taken so long to reply, but I have managed to make some progress although quite a lot still needs to be sorted out.

Anyway, I started by checking the 1861 census for the Aspinwall family and found -

PRO RG9/3321 Bradford, Yorks 1861
Enumeration District 34, schedule 95, no 69 Jermyn Street.

Alfred	Aspinwall	Head Marr	36	Carver & guilder master no men (ie employees)	Born Lancs	Manchester
Mary	do	Wife	do 30		B.	Glos. Gloucester
Alfred	do	Son	Unmari10	Errand boy for shop	B.	Yorks Leeds
Mary(Ann ?)	do	Dau	do 9	Scholar	B.	do do
Emily	do	Dau	7	do	B.	do Bradford
Ellen	do	Dau	3	do	B.	do do
Fanny	do	Dau	2		B.	do do
Frederick	do	Son	1 month		B.	do do

I then checked for the marriage of Alfred and Mary and obtained the certificate (enclosed). As you will see, the event took place in Bristol, but perhaps this is not too surprising. His father was a dealer in cotton twist and Alfred born in Manchester, the main cotton city in the country. Bristol was one of the main ports importing cotton, mainly from the USA, so it all would seem to fit.

Anyway, thats the successful part of the search. I checked the death index for Elizabeth Buck Sept 1852: there were only two deaths under that name in that quarter, one in Islington (London) and the other in York. I checked several quarters either side, but none offered anything which fitted. There are several Walpoles, all in Norfolk bar one in Somerset.

As for the remainder of your queries, they all relate to events which took place before the start of civil registration in 1837. It might be useful to check the 1851/41 census for some of them if you have some firm locations to check: in the meantime I have checked the CFI index without finding any of them, including the births of Alfred Aspinwall and Mary Isaac.

So there is little alternative with any of these to going back to the parish registers. These - hopefully- will be deposited in the relevant county Record office. However, the county record offices will all be located in the county town, so a fair amount of travel would be involved: if you want these persued it might be better to contact a researcher in the relevant town.

A couple of points to finish: I found references to the Isaacs name in the CFI index for Gloster, though not the ones looked for. I found, also in the CFI for Lincs - 9 Feb 1796 John son John & Mary Buck bap. at Deeping St James.

Deeping St James is about three miles from and the next parish to Crowland. Stamford is about eight miles away.

Eliza - wife of Hartley Grunwell

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18th February 1982

Dear Mr. Lanyon,

Thank you very much for your letter of 27th January, it was nice to hear from you again. I am sorry that I have taken a little longer than usual to reply - some bad weather and a series of railway strikes have put me somewhat behind with my work.

Anyway, I enclose the certificate, of the birth of your grandfather Fred Aspinwall, that you wanted. The details on the certificate tie in with the information you sent.

I was not sure from your letter if you wanted me to obtain the two death certificates as well, so I thought I would just send the details from the GRO index and if you want me to obtain them you can let me know. Again the place is Bradford.

Deaths : full reference -
Alfred Aspinwall Age 68 Bradford Yks March 1893 9b 62
Mary Aspinwall 43 Bradford Yks March 1874 9b 57

Costs -

One certificate £4.00
Time 1 hours work 4.50
Postage .25

Total £8.75

Plus if you want the other
two certificates -
Two certificates @ £4.00 8.00
Postage .25

Overall total £17.00
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I trust that you find the above work to your satisfaction, and I look forward to hearing from you again.

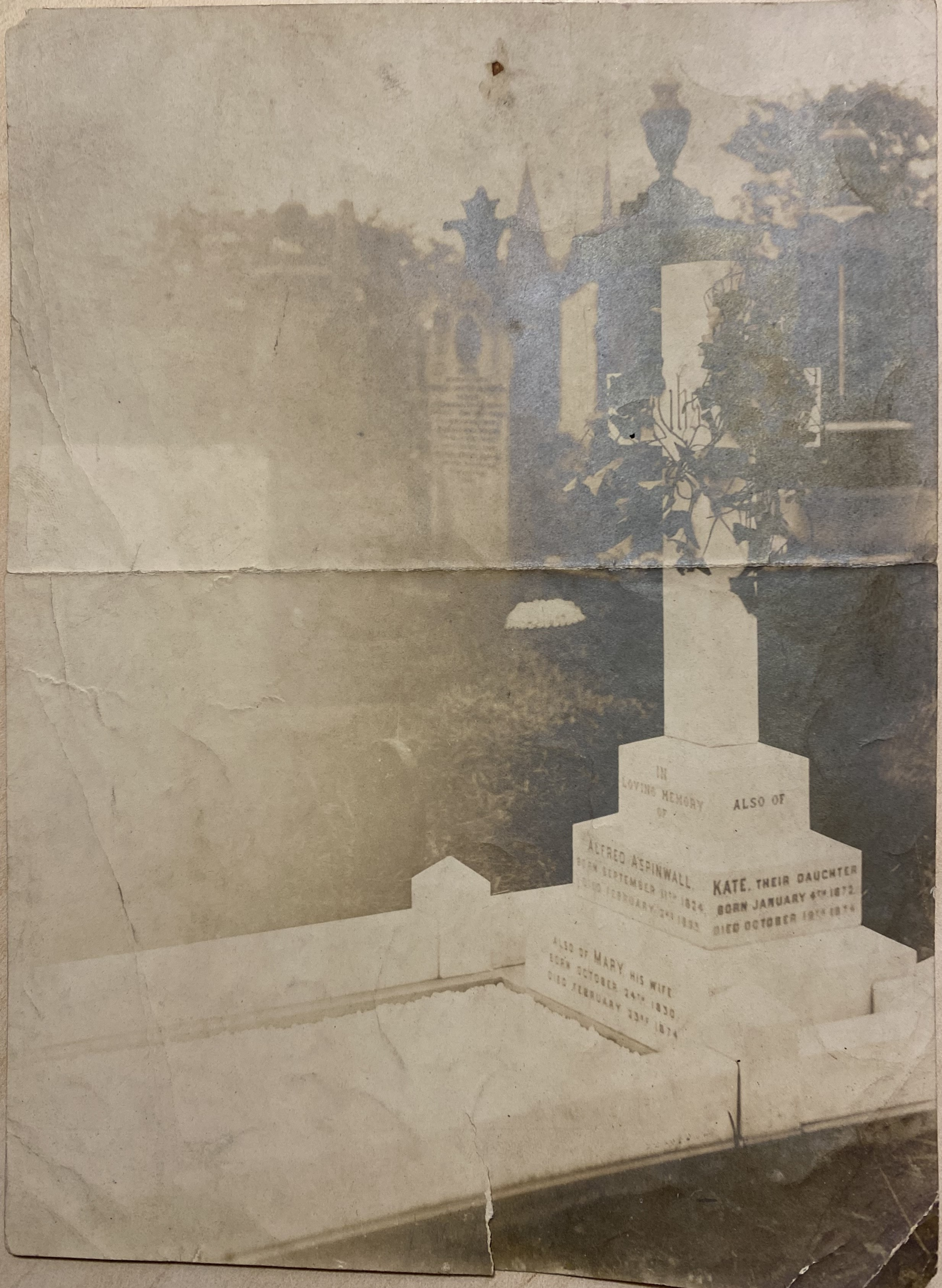
With best wishes,

Yours sincerely

Alan Hills

Photograph of burial monument

The location of this burial plot is unknown, but it may be in Bradford or Durham. The inscription on the cross is obscured by vegetation. The names at the base of the monument are readable and include Alfred Aspinwall with birth and death dates; Mary, his wife, with birth and death dates; and Kate, their daughter who died early in her life.



IN
LOVING MEMORY
OF

ALSO OF

ALFRED ASPINWALL
BORN SEPTEMBER 11TH 1824
DIED FEBRUARY 24TH 1893

KATE, THEIR DAUGHTER
BORN JANUARY 4TH 1872
DIED OCTOBER 19TH 1874

ALSO OF MARY, HIS WIFE
BORN OCTOBER 24TH 1830
DIED FEBRUARY 23RD 1874