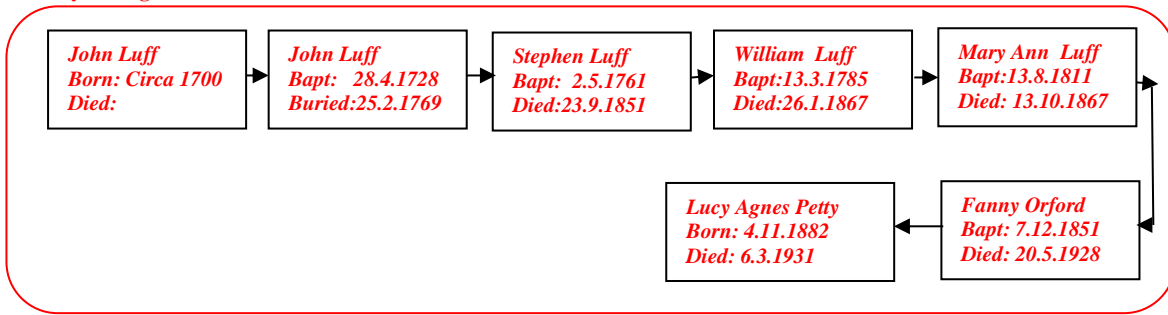


Herbert Charles Cranch 1916 - 1999

(The author's 3rd Cousin once removed)
web-site www.mike-jl.co.uk

Family Lineage:



Herbert Charles Cranch was baptised at All Saints Belvedere, Kent on 12th November, 1916. He is the son of Lucy and Frederick Cranch.

Baptisms

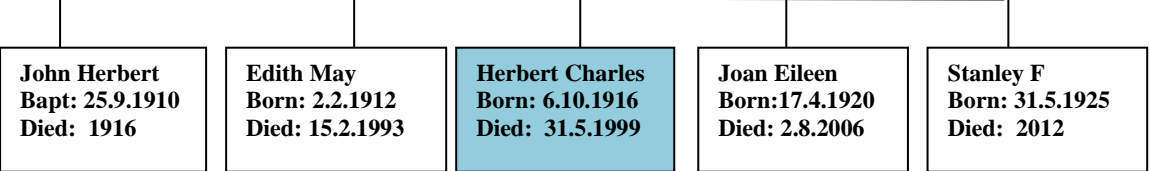
Mission District -
Solemnized in the Parish of St Augustine (Parish of All Saints, Belvedere) in the
County of Kent in the Year 1916.

| When Baptized | Child's Christian Name | PARENT'S NAME | | Abode. | Quality, Trade, or Profession. | By Whom the Ceremony performed. | Remarks. |
|---|-------------------------|--|----------|--|--|---------------------------------|----------|
| | | Christian. | Surname. | | | | |
| 8 th October 22 nd | Sidney | Sidney & Susan | Morris | 2. East Rd | Private in Sherwood Foresters | T. Clegg Whittle | |
| October 22 nd | John William | John & Edith | Clayton | 13. Parson Rd | Stable- man | T. Clegg Whittle | |
| October 22 nd | Leslie Mendenick | John Garwood & Mabel Preston | Jackson | 1. Fernlea Villas Opp: Abbey Rd | Labourer | T. Clegg Whittle | |
| October 25 th | Annie | Charles & Elizabeth | Fuller | 39. Upper Abbey Rd | Foreman at Vickers & Co | T. Clegg Whittle | |
| October 25 th | Mary Dorothy | John & Lizzie | Wickes | 56. Peardry Street | Filter | T. Clegg Whittle | |
| November 8 th | John William Hyde | William Isaac Albert & Mary Brockie Glasford | Clarke | 1. River View Larven Road | Commercial Clerk | T. Clegg Whittle | |
| November 12 th | Herbert Charles | Frederick George & Lucy Agnes | Cranch | 4. Kentish Rd | Hammer- Smith | T. Clegg Whittle | |



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Lucy Agnes Petty - married - Frederick George Cranch at All Saints Church, Belvedere 7.9.1907
Born: 4.11.1882 **Born: 1877**
Died: 6.3.1931 **Died: 9.12.1952**



The 1921 Census shows Herbert, aged 4, living with his family at 17 Stanmore Road, Belvedere, Kent. Herbert's mother Lucy was at home, the record shows that his father worked as a Hammerman for Callenders, but was out of work at this time.

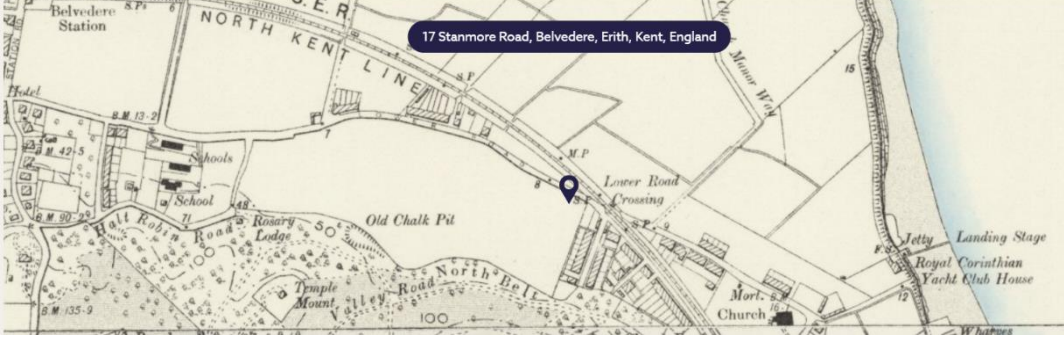
STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL. Please read the Instructions and Examples shown on the back, and then fill up the Schedule carefully and in full.

| NAME and RESIDENCE | RELATIONSHIP to Head of Household | AGE | SEX | MARRIAGE or SEPARATION | BIRTHPLACE and NATIONALITY | PERSONAL OCCUPATION | OCCUPATION and EMPLOYMENT | PLACE of WORK | INFORMATION RELATIVE TO THE PERSON'S SERVICE IN THE ARMY, NAVY, AIR FORCE, OR IN THE ROYAL AIR FORCE RESERVE |
|---------------------|-----------------------------------|-----|-----|------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------|---------------|--|
| Frederick G. Cranch | Head | 42 | M | Married | Plumstead | 1907 Hammerman (B) | Callenders | Out of work | |
| Lucy A. Cranch | Wife | 38 | F | Married | Belvedere, Kent | | At Home | | |
| Edith M. Cranch | Daughter | 9 | F | Part-time school | Belvedere, Kent | | | | |
| Herbert C. Cranch | Son | 4 | M | Part-time school | Belvedere, Kent | | | | |
| Joan J. Cranch | Daughter | 1 | F | | Belvedere, Kent | | | | |

I declare that this Schedule is correctly filled up to the best of my knowledge and belief.
 Signature: Frederick G. Cranch
 (Head of Household, Manager of Establishment or other person responsible for making the return.)

| First name(s) | Last name | Relationship to head | Sex | Birth year | Age in years | Birth place | Occupation | Employer |
|---------------|-----------|----------------------|--------|------------|--------------|--------------------------|---------------|--------------|
| Frederick G | Cranch | Head | Male | 1879 | 42 | Plumstead, Kent, England | Hammerman (B) | (Callenders) |
| Lucy A | Cranch | Wife | Female | 1882 | 38 | Belvedere, Kent, England | - | At Home |
| Edith M | Cranch | Daughter | Female | 1912 | 9 | Belvedere, Kent, England | - | - |
| Herbert C | Cranch | Son | Male | 1916 | 4 | Belvedere, Kent, England | - | - |
| Joan J | Cranch | Daughter | Female | 1920 | 1 | Belvedere, Kent, England | - | - |

Location of address in 1921

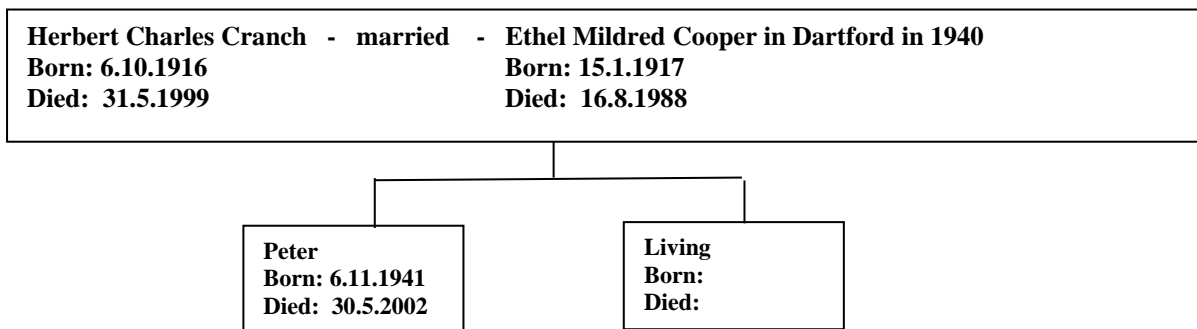


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The Electoral Register for Belvedere in 1938, shows Herbert living with father at 17 Stanmore Road.

| | | | | | |
|------|----|----|-------------------------------------|-----|-----------------|
| 3922 | Rw | Dw | Chipping, Esther | 52a | |
| 3923 | Rw | Ow | Double, Annie Louisa | 1 | STANMORE ROAD |
| 3924 | R | O | Eaglestone, Alfred | 3 | Belvedere, Kent |
| 3925 | Rw | Dw | Eaglestone, Hilda Eleanor | 3 | |
| 3926 | R | — | Eaglestone, Gilbert Alfred | 3 | |
| 3927 | R | O | Sears, Bertram Harry Desmond | 5 | |
| 3928 | Rw | Dw | Sears Daisy Caroline | 5 | |
| 3929 | Rw | Ow | Armstrong, Edith | 5 | |
| 3930 | R | O | Armstrong, John | 7 | |
| 3931 | Rw | Dw | Armstrong, Clara Ellen | 7 | |
| 3932 | Rw | Ow | Hartley, Emma Elizabeth | 9 | |
| 3933 | R | — | Hartley, Reginald | 9 | |
| 3934 | R | O | Harvey, William George | 11 | |
| 3935 | Rw | Dw | Harvey, Annie Ellen | 11 | |
| 3936 | Rw | — | Harvey, Amelia Rose | 11 | |
| 3937 | R | O | Garnham, William James | 13 | |
| 3938 | Rw | Dw | Garnham, Maud Minnie | 13 | |
| 3939 | R | — | Garnham, Robert | 13 | |
| 3940 | R | — | Dillon, Thomas | 13 | |
| 3941 | R | — | Harvey, Joseph James | 13 | |
| 3942 | Rw | — | Harvey, Amelia Rose | 13 | |
| 3943 | Rw | — | Smith, Ivy | 15 | |
| 3944 | R | O | Nancolas, Arthur Charles William | 15 | |
| 3945 | Rw | Dw | Nancolas, Violet Alice | 15 | |
| 3946 | R | — | Cranch, Herbert Charles | 17 | ← |
| 3947 | R | O | Cranch, Frederick George | 17 | |
| 3948 | R | O | Maddock, John Thomas | 19 | |
| 3949 | Rw | Dw | Maddock, Hannah Mactaffe | 19 | |

Herbert Charles Cranch married Ethel Mildred Cooper in Dartford, Kent in 1940.



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Herbert's father, Frederick George Cranch, died in 1952 and left a will of £1,077 to him and his sister's (Edith) husband, Henry William King.

CRANCH Frederick George of 17 Stanmore-road Belvedere Kent died 9 December 1952 Probate London 4 May to Herbert Charles Cranch machine driver and Henry William King local government officer. Effects £1077 0s. 6d.

The Electoral Register for Erith in 1964 shows Herbert living at 156 Avenue Road, Erith. His wife and son Peter were also living at that address.

| Parliamentary Constituency | | ERITH & CRAYFORD | |
|----------------------------|--|-------------------------|--|
| Electoral Division | | LONDON BOROUGH OF ERITH | |
| Polling District | | GRAMMAR (U) | |
| Ward | | ERITH TOWN | |

REGISTER OF ELECTORS

Qualifying date, 10th October, 1963.

In force 16th February, 1964 to 15th February, 1965

Note 1—

Y printed before a name indicates that the Elector will be entitled to vote only at Elections held after 1st October, 1964.

S printed before Elector's name indicates Service Voter.

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J printed after Elector's name indicates liability for service as Juror.

| TOWN HALL, ERITH, KENT. 15th February, 1964. | | E. M. BENNETT Elect | |
|---|---|------------------------|---|
| No. | Street, Name of Elector and No. in Street | No. | Street, Name of Elector and No. in Street |
| AVENUE ROAD | | AVENUE ROAD—cont. | |
| 1 | Brierley, Dorothy F. 141 | 50 | Brookshaw, Frederick T.—J 134 |
| 2 | Brierley, John W.—J 141 | 51 | Brookshaw, Phyllis L. 134 |
| 3 | Y—Brierley, Mary D. 141 | 52 | Roberts, Annie I. 136 |
| 4 | Billing, John R. 143 | 53 | Roberts, Morris R. 136 |
| 5 | Billing, Edward F.—J 143 | 54 | Sears, Nellie—J 138 |
| 6 | Billing, Phyllis M. 143 | 55 | Lee, Brenda J. 138 |
| 7 | Heath, Cyril W.—J 145 | 56 | Lee, Gordon T. 138 |
| 8 | Heath, Lillian E. 145 | 57 | Vousden, Edith D. 140 |
| 9 | Heath, John R. 145 | 58 | Y—Vousden, Eileen P. 140 |
| 10 | Goodenough, Violet P. M. 147 | 59 | Vousden, Percy F.—J 140 |
| 11 | Goodenough, William A. S.—J 147 | 60 | Guthrie, Elizabeth 142 |
| 12 | Harrington, Grace E. 149 | 61 | Y—Guthrie, Isabella C. 142 |
| 13 | Harrington, Ivan—J 149 | 62 | Guthrie, William R. 142 |
| 14 | Y—Harrington, Michael T. 149 | 63 | Campion, Albert R.—J 144 |
| 15 | Allo, Alfred 151 | 64 | Campion, Michael G. 144 |
| 16 | Allo, Audrey E. M. 151 | 65 | Campion, Vera V. 144 |
| 17 | Ash, Donald S.—J 153 | 66 | Auton, Henry—J 146 |
| 18 | Ash, Ethel M. 153 | 67 | Auton, Jean E. 146 |
| 19 | Ash, Jean P. 153 | 68 | Harris, Arthur H.—J 148 |
| 20 | Ash, William L. 153 | 69 | Harris, Gladys M. 148 |
| 21 | Thurston, James F.—J 153a | 70 | Mann, Doris A. 150 |
| 22 | Thurston, Joan E. 153a | 71 | Mann, Edgar—J 150 |
| 23 | Moore, Doreen M. 153b | 72 | Owens, Ethel 152 |
| 24 | Moore, Ronald F.—J 153b | 73 | Owens, Jack—J 152 |
| 25 | Hall, Henry P.—J 155 | 74 | King, John A. 154 |
| 26 | Hall, Pauline E. 155 | 75 | Willcocks, Bertha F. 154 |
| 27 | Hall, Robert W. 155 | 76 | Willcocks, John S. 154 |
| 28 | Smith, Lillian I. 155 | 77 | Willcocks, Stanley E.—J 154 |
| 29 | Sackman, Alfred—J 157 | 78 | Cranch, Ethel M. 156 |
| 30 | Sackman, Doris L. 157 | 79 | Cranch, Herbert C.—J 156 |
| 31 | McKeough, John—J 108 | 80 | Cranch, Peter 156 |
| 32 | McKeough, Margaret F. 108 | 81 | Prosser, Edna L.—J 158 |
| 33 | McKeough, Herbert—J 122 | 82 | Y—Johnson, Carol L. 160 |
| | | 83 | Johnson, Gladys M. J. F.—J 129 |

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Herbert's wife, Ethel, died in Bexley on 16th August, 1988 and was buried at Woolwich on 25th August, 1988.

Herbert died in Bexley on 31st May, 1999, and was buried at Greenwich on 14th June, 1999.