

RESEARCH NOTES – EBENEZER HASTWELL

25 MAY 1845 BIRTH, FAMILY REGISTER BIBLE

From a family register, copy held by Wendy Baker:

Ebenezer born 9 am 25 May 1845 at Hatfield Street Blackfriars Road London

9 APR 1871 MARRIAGE REGISTRATION

Digger - South Australian Marriages, Registrations 1842-1916 22 Oct 2009 gives:

Ebenezer HASTWELL, (Son of James HASTWELL) male, single, full age, married Eliza BROOKE, (Daughter of John BROOKE) female, single, full age on 1871-04-09 at the residence of J. Brooke, Adelaide. Reg. Dist. Ade, Bk.87; Pg.82.

19 APR 1871 MARRIAGE - ANNOUNCEMENT

Trove online (Wendy Baker (March 2012)

The South Australian Advertiser (Adelaide, SA : 1858 - 1889), Wednesday 19 April 1871, page 2

National Library of Australia <http://nla.gov.au/nla.news-article28600813>

MARRIED

HASTWELL- BROOKE - On the 9th April by licence, by the Rev. M. Earl BA, at the residence of the bride's parents, Ebenezer, second son of James Hastwell, Penfield, to Eliza, second daughter of John Brooke, South terrace.

1876 SANDS & MAC DIRECTORY

Ebenezer HASTWELL "Storekeeper, Mallala"

Trove online (Wendy Baker Jan 2012)

The Advertiser (Adelaide, SA : 1931 - 1954), Tuesday 15 October 1940, page 11

National Library of Australia <http://nla.gov.au/nla.news-article74451415>

“OUT AMONG THE PEOPLE

THEY KNOW PENFIELD

TWO former well-known Government surveyors, Messrs. Arthur and T. E. Day, called to tell me facts about the village of Penfield, which has come under public notice. *'In the early 1870's,'* Arthur said, *'my father, the late Edward Day, lived at Penfield, and travelled for the firm of JAMES HASTWELL & SONS. HASTWELL senior resided at Penfield, and visited the city when necessary to do the buying for their three stores at Penfield (managed by his son JOHN), Two Wells (JAMES jun.), and Mallala (EBENEZER, who also had a baker's business there).*

'My father travelled over a large area, and drove a van with four horses. My eldest sister and I attended Mr. Talbot's Peachey Belt school, and fellow pupils were Eliza Underwood, Edith Patterson, Mary Jane Warden, Will Blake, James and William Henry Thompson and Harry Rowland.

'Mr. Talbot transferred to Virginia, and a woman opened a school in Penfield Council Chamber. My sister and I and J. J. Virgo (general secretary of the Y.M.C.A.) attended there, but only for a day. John went to school at Glenelg, and I and other of Mr. Talbot's former pupils had to go to Virginia. My mother is buried in Penfield cemetery, and after her death in 1874 we moved to Adelaide, but father continued to travel for the old firm.'"

14 JAN 1877 NOTICE OF SALE

South Australian Chronicle and Weekly Mail (Adelaide, SA : 1868 - 1881), Saturday 27 January 1877, page 3

National Library of Australia <http://nla.gov.au/nla.news-article90881747>

“DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP
GREAT CLEARANCE SALE

As the Partnership at present existing between Jas. Hastwell & Sons, OF MALLALA, TWO WELLS, AND PENFIELD), Expires by effluxion of time on the 20th March next, Messrs. J. Hastwell & Sons have determined to hold a GREAT CLEARANCE SALE Of their LARGE AND VARIED STOCK, COMMENCING ON THE 15th JANUARY At each of their Establishments, when GREAT BARGAINS Will be offered in DRAPERY, MILLINERY, CLOTHING, HATS, GROCERY, GLASS AND EARTHENWARE, IRONMONGERY, BEDSTEADS, &c, &c., &c. This being a Genuine Sale, an early call will be advantageous.

Note the Date— 14th January, 1877

J. HASTWELL & SONS, MALLALA , TWO WELLS, AND PENFIELD.”

“20 MAR 1877 - 18 APR 1877 DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP

Trove online (Wendy Baker Feb 2012)

South Australian Register (Adelaide, SA: 1839 - 1900), Monday 23 April 1877, page 2, 3

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership hitherto existing between JAMES HASTWELL, Senior, JAMES HASTWELL, Junior, & EBENEZER HASTWELL, and JOHN HASTWELL, carrying on business as STOREKEEPERS, PENFIELD, TWO WELLS, and MALLALA, under the style or firm of James Hastwell & Sons, was DISSOLVED by mutual consent on the twentieth of March last past, so far as concerns John Hastwell. All Debts due to the firm at Penfield are to be paid to the said John Hastwell; those at Two Wells and Mallala are to be paid to James Hastwell, Senior, James Hastwell, Junior, and Ebenezer Hastwell, who will carry on business at the two last-named places under the firm of James Hastwell & Sons, and by whom all liabilities of the late firm will be discharged.

Dated this 18th day of April, 1877.

JAMES HASTWELL, Sen.

JAMES HASTWELL, Jnr.

EBENEZER HASTWELL.

JOHN HASTWELL.

Witness to the signatures of James Hastwell, Sen. James Hastwell, Jun., Ebenezer Hastwell, and John Hastwell - H. W. Phillips.”

SEP 1877 PARTNERSHIP INDENTURE

Source: Family heirloom in possession of Irvin Hastwell

28 OCT 1879 FOREMAN OF JURY

Trove online (Wendy Baker 2011-11-27) SA Advertiser Tuesday November 4th 1879:

Mr E. HASTWELL was foreman of the Jury at the inquest into a fire at the house of Mr George Collings at Mallala, the inquest being held on Tuesday October 28, 1879.

1881 SANDS & MAC DIRECTORY

Ebenezer HASTWELL "Storekeeper, Mallala"

1882-1883 SA COMMERCIAL & TRADES DIRECTORY

Alphabetical listing Page 157: Hastwell, Ebenezer, storekeeper, Mallala

1 MAY 1884 REGISTER NOTE

(From Trove Dec 2011) S.A. Register (Adelaide 1839-1900) Thursday 1 May 1884, Page 4 of 8: James HASTWELL, sen., of Enfield, James HASTWELL, jun. of Two Wells, and Ebenezer HASTWELL, of Mallala, trading as "J. Hastwell & Sons," Storekeepers

6 JUN 1884 HASTWELL & SONS AUCTION SALE

Trove online (Wendy Baker April 2012)

The South Australian Register, June 13th 1884

“AUCTION SALE.

Mr. James H. Pair reports having sold by auction On June 6, on the farm near Balaklava, in the estate of Hastwell & Sons, draught horses from £16 to £29, wagons, spring-carts, farm implements, harness, at satisfactory prices. The attendance was good, and the bidding brisk. Total amount of sale, £768 13s. 6d. The farm was passed.”

27 MAY 1885 ASSIGNED ESTATE

South Australian Register (Adelaide, SA : 1839 - 1900), Wednesday 27 May 1885, page 2 (4)

National Library of Australia <http://nla.gov.au/nla.news-article44525710>

IN the ASSIGNED ESTATES of JAMES HASTWELL THE ELDER, JAMES HASTWELL THE YOUNGER, and EBENEZER HASTWELL, of Two Wells and Mallala, Storekeeper trading under the style of 'J. Hastwell and Sons.' Preparatory to the Declaration of Final Dividends in the joint and individual Estates of the above, all CREDITORS NOT having SIGNED the DEED of ASSIGNMENT, or assented, thereto in writing, are required to do so prior to Monday, the 15th June 1885 otherwise they will be excluded from all participation in the Assets of the said Estates.

HARRY TURNER. THOMAS & CO., Agents for the Trustees, Cavendish Chambers Grenfell-street, Adelaide.

1893 NEWSPAPER ADVERTISEMENT

Burnside Historical Society email taken from Burnside - The Paddocks Beneath - Reproduction of advertisement in newspaper 1893:

"Burnside Post and Telephone Offices, General Stores and Bakery.

I wish to take this advantage of thanking my numerous patrons for their past favours. Also to inform the Public generally that I sell Groceries, Crockery, Ironmongery, etc. at Adelaide and Norwood Prices. If not convenient to call, write for Price list. Teas a speciality from 1s. per lb; 1-1/2d. allowed by taking 4 lbs. Bread and Small Goods of the very best quality. Try them. Tea Meetings and Picnics supplied on the Shortest Notice. Yours respectfully, E. HASTWELL."

4 JAN 1893 SHOP FIRE

Trove Online (2011-11-15) The Advertiser (Adelaide, SA: 1889-1931), Thursday 5 January 1893, page 7 "A SMALL FIRE

A fire occurred in the shop of Ebenezer HASTWELL, storekeeper, of Burnside at 8.30 on Wednesday morning. The fire, which originated through Hastwell accidentally overturning a kerosene lamp, caused damage to stock and fixtures amounting to about 8 pounds. The stock was insured in the offices of the New Zealand Insurance Company."

1903 SA POST OFFICE DIRECTORY

The 1885 SA Directory shows Ebenezer HASTWELL as a storekeeper at Mitcham under the "Mercantile" listing.

“The SA Post Office Directory 1903 lists:

HASTWELL, Ebenezer, baker, grocer & postmaster, High Street, Burnside.”
Source substantiated by Burnside Historical Society, March 2010.

1922 SA DIRECTORY

Alphabetical Page 982

HASTWELL Ebenezer, 9 Thornton st, off Dulwich av, Dulwich

20 FEB 1930 DEATH OF WIFE

The Register News-Pictorial (Adelaide, SA : 1929 - 1931), Friday 28 February 1930, page 8
DEATHS

HASTWELL - On the 20th February, at 26 Trevelyan street, Wayville, Eliza, dearly beloved wife of Ebenezer Hastwell. Aged 80 years.

5 MAR 1930 DEATH OF WIFE

Chronicle (Adelaide, SA : 1895 - 1954), Thursday 6 March 1930, page 58

National Library of Australia <http://nla.gov.au/nla.news-article90100077>

“MRS. E. HASTWELL Mrs. Eliza Hastwell, who died on Wednesday at Trevelyan-street, Wayville, was in her 81st year. She was born at Tynte Street, North Adelaide. After her marriage to Mr. Ebenezer Hastwell she went to live at Mallala where her husband owned a large store, with branches at Two Wells, Lower Light and Virginia. Later they went to Nairne, and for the past 20 years had resided in various suburbs. There are five sons- Messrs. R. C. Hastwell, of Myrtle Bank; H. H. Hastwell, of Toorak Gardens; J. S. Hastwell, of Tantanoola ; F. Hastwell, of Narracoorte and W. Hastwell, of Western Australia”

9 OCT 1932 DEATH REGISTRATION

Digger - South Australian Deaths, Registrations 1916 to 1972 SAGHS 5 Jan 2010 gives:

Ebenezer HASTWELL, M, died 1932-10-09, age 87y, married, Death Place Rose Park, Residence Rose Park, Dist. Norwood, Bk.542 Pg.383.

25 MAY 1845 LONDON - 9 OCT 1932 STH AUST - BIOG INDEX OF SA

He is listed in the Biographical Index of South Australians as:

“HASTWELL, Ebenezer, parents Jas & Mary Ann nee ADSHEAD, b.25-5-1845 Blackfriars London England d. 9/10/1932 Rose Park. Arr. 1853. Residences: Mallala, Nairne, Burnside. Religion: Lords New Church.”
