A Pendlebury Family

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PREFACE

This family was uncovered when looking for the ancestors of Robert Stanley Warburton whose grandfather was Benjamin Warburton born 1874. I have traced the family back two further generations to John who was born around 1807 and married Jane Ainsworth. John's first three children were born in Pendlebury before he moved to Manchester. However John does not seem to have been born in Pendlebury so his origins remain obscure.

Surnames

- **A** Ainsworth
- **D** Dale
- **H** Hartley
- S Shepherd, Sykes
- **V** Vaughan
- **W** Warburton, Wynne

Descendants of John Warburton & Jane Ainsworth

First Generation

1. John Warburton. John was born bef 1811. ■ Census for Manchester, Lancashire, in 1841. John (30) is an overlooker living at 10 Great Horr, opposite the baths, with Jane (30), Robt (15) a doubler, Benjm (12) occupation dying, John (10), Alice (4), James (1), Rebecca (20) a frame tenter, David (1), and Jane (14) a nurse. It is not clear how the last three are related to John and Jane.

Pendlebury lies west of Salford in Eccles parish. It didn't acquire its own chapels until the second half of the 19th century. There are very few Warburtons citing Pendlebury as their birthplace, with even fewer still living there. However there are entries that match John's sons Robert, and John, although the age of the latter is a little low.

John's age and place of birth are uncertain. His age was 30 in the 1841 census and he was born in Lancashire. As ages were rounded down he was born between 1806 and 1811, though he married in 1825 so it was unlikely to be after 1807. If he was born in Pendlebury he would have been baptised at Eccles, but there is no record of a John in this period at Eccles or nearby. Hi wife Jane was from Ramsbottom and it is possible John also arrived in Pendlebury from elsewhere.

The family are missing from the 1851 census. It is known the Manchester 1851 census was flood damaged, and although many records were recovered, it is possible John's entry is in an unrecovered, flood damaged record. By 1861 Jane is a widow, so there is no record of his place of birth.

His death must have occurred before 1861, but after the conception of his son Joseph who was born in the first quarter of 1852. There are no death registrations for a John of a similar age at Manchester in this period.

The fact there are no records for a number of John's sons suggests some may have emigrated, but this has not been investigated.

On 13 Feb 1825 when John was 14, he married **Jane Ainsworth** in Eccles, St Mary, Lancashire. John and Jane were both 'of this parish'. Jane was born in Ramsbottom, Lancashire, abt 1806. **Census for Salford**, Lancashire, in 1861. Jane (54) is a widowed cotton reeler living at 16 Ryland Street with Mary Jane (18) a cotton reeler, James (21) an iron mechanic, Sarah Ann (15) a cotton worker, and Joseph (8).

Jane hasn't been found in censuses after 1861, nor has a likely death registration been found. She possibly remarried.

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They had the following children:

i. Robert Warburton. Robert was born in Pendlebury, Lancashire, in 1826. He was christened in Swinton, St Peter, Lancashire, on 19 Oct 1826. ■ Census for Salford, Lancashire, in 1861. Robert (34) is a stripper in a mill living at 9 Birch Street with Jane (36) a winder. ■ Census for Salford, Lancashire, in 1871. Robert (44) is a manager (cotton balling) living at 14 Alexandra Street with Jane (44). ■ Census for Salford, Lancashire, in 1881. Robert (54) is a brewer living at 5 Birch Street with Jane (54). ■ Census for Salford, Lancashire, in 1891. Robert (65) is a brewer living at 5 Birch Street with Jane (66). Robert died in Salford, Lancashire, in 1899.

Robert's father was a spinner from Pendlebury on his baptism. His marriage is likely to be that to Jane Hartley at Bury, based on the fact Jane was from Accrington and there are no better candidates. His death is probably that registered in 4q 1899 Salford 8d 49, aged 71. Although the age is 2 years too low, is is the closest registered at Salford.

Robert and Jane had no children in the censuses, and no children were registered with a mother's maiden name of Hartley at Salford.

In 1852 when Robert was 26, he married **Jane Hartley** in Bury Register Office, or Registrar Attended. This marriage is shown on LancashireBMD but not FreeBMD. Jane was born in Church, Accrington, Lancashire, abt 1824. Jane died in Salford, Lancashire, in 1893.

Jane's death was probably that registered in 1q 1893 Salford 8d 69 aged 65. Although the age seems a little low when compared to censuses, it is the closest recorded at Salford.

ii. **Benjamin Warburton**. Benjamin was born in Pendlebury, Lancashire, in 1829. He was christened in Eccles, St Mary, Lancashire, on 15 Feb 1829.

Benjamin's father was a spinner from Pendlebury on his baptism. He has not been found in censuses after 1841, and no matching death registration has been found.

- **2** iii. **John Warburton** (1831-1885)
 - iv. Thomas Warburton. Thomas was born in Manchester, Lancashire, in 1835. He was christened in Eccles, St Mary, Lancashire, on 6 Sep 1835.

Thomas's father was a spinner from Manchester on his baptism. No census entry or death registration has been linked to Thomas. He probably died an infant before registration began.

v. **Alice Warburton**. Alice was born in Manchester, Lancashire, in 1837. She was christened in Eccles, St Mary, Lancashire, on 3 Sep 1837.

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- Alice's father was a looker over at factory from Pendlebury on her baptism.
- vi. **James Warburton**. James was born in Manchester, Lancashire, in 1840. He was christened in Eccles, St Mary, Lancashire, on 1 Mar 1840.
 - James's father was an overlooker from Manchester on his baptism. His birth was registered in 1q 1840 Chorlton 20 268, mother's maiden name Ainsworth. No census entry or death registration has been linked to James after 1861.
- vii. **Mary Jane Warburton**. Mary Jane was born in Manchester, Lancashire, in 1842. She was christened in Eccles, St Mary, Lancashire, on 15 May 1842.
 - Mary's father was an overlooker from Manchester on her baptism. Her birth was registered in 2g 1842 Manchester 20 719, mother's maiden name Ainsworth.
- viii. **Sarah Ann Warburton**. Sarah Ann was born in Manchester, Lancashire, in 1845. She was christened in Eccles, St Mary, Lancashire, on 31 Aug 1845.
 - Sarah's father was an overlooker from Manchester on her baptism. Her birth was registered in 3q 1845 Manchester 20 649, mother's maiden name Ainsworth.
- 3 ix. Joseph Simeon Warburton (1852-1936)

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2. John Warburton (*John*¹). John was born in Pendlebury, Lancashire, in 1831. He was christened in Swinton, St Peter, Lancashire, on 1 Jan 1832. ■ Census for Salford, Lancashire, in 1861. John (27) was a cotton factory worker living at 40 Durham Street with Susannah (25), Sarah J (6), and Joseph (3). Susannah would appear to be an error as it should be Sarah Ann. ■ Census for Manchester, Lancashire, in 1871. John (37) is a labourer living at 54 Silver Street with Sarah A (35), Sarah J (15) a reeler, Joseph (13), Henry (10), Mary (3) and Alice (1 week). ■ Census for Manchester, Lancashire, in 1881. John (45) is a general labourer living at 47 Ash Street, Ancoats with Sarah A (42), Joseph (22) a general labourer, Henry (20) a carrier, Mary (12), Alice (9), Benjamin (6), and Abraham (4). John died in Manchester, Lancashire, in 1885.

John's father was a spinner from Pendlebury on his baptism.

As well as the children found in censuses, a number of others were registered in Salford and Manchester, but they were clearly from multiple families. Some of these were possibly children of John and Sarah who died or left home before appearing in a census.

John is missing from the 1891 census though Sarah does not declare herself a widow until 1901. His death is probably that registered in 3q 1885 Chorlton 8c 400, aged 54. However as his age is so variable in censuses it is difficult to be sure.

The identification of the husband of Sarah Ann Wynne with the son of John and Jane nee Ainsworth is based on the following:

- 1. His place of birth is Pendlebury in the 1881 census. However his birthplace is Manchester, where he lived from at the age of 4 or younger, on the two previous censuses.
- 2. John named a number of his children after his siblings, including Benjamin, Joseph, Alice, Sarah, and Mary.
- 3. John's father is named John on his marriage record. However his father's occupation is doubler, whereas it was either spinner or overlooker on other records, up to and including the registration of his brother 18 months before his marriage.
- 4. John's age on the 1841 census, and on his death registration, assuming it has been correctly identified, is consistent with his baptism date. However he is 2 years too young on his marriage record and the 1861 and 1871 censuses, and 4 years too young in the 1881 census.
- 5. No alternative baptism has been found for Sarah's husband, and no alternative records found for the son of John and Jane.

On 12 Sep 1853 when John was 22, he married **Sarah Ann Wynne** in Manchester, St Matthew, Lancashire. John (19) was a mechanic from Salford, father John, a doubler. Sarah (18) was from

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Manchester, father William, a warehouseman. The marriage was registered in 3q 1853

Manchester 8d 554. Sarah Ann was born in Salford, Lancashire, abt 1835. ■ Census for

Manchester, Lancashire, in 1891. Sarah (51) is living at 2 Back St Nichols Bldg. with Joseph (33) a
general porter and head of household, Benjamin (16) a general labourer, and Abraham (14) an
errand boy. ■ Census for Manchester, Lancashire, in 1901. Sarah (60) is a widow living at 44
Richardson Street with Abraham (24) a blacksmith's labourer, and grandsons Alfred Dale (14) and
William Dale (9). Sarah Ann died in Manchester, Lancashire, in 1903.

Sarah's name is variously spelled Winn, Wynn, and Wynne on her marriage, and the registrations of her children. Her death was probably that registered in 3q 1903 Manchester 8d 185, aged 63. Although her age is low, her age was low in censuses, and the sub-district on LancashireBMD is St George, which matches the 1901 census.

They had the following children:

- Sarah Jane Warburton. Sarah Jane was born in Manchester, Lancashire, in 1856.
 Sarah's birth was registered in 1q 1856 Chorlton 8c 473, mother's maiden name Wynn.
- ii. **Joseph Warburton**. Joseph was born in Salford, Lancashire, in 1858. Joseph died in Manchester, Lancashire, in 1903.
 - Joseph's birth was registered in 3q 1858 Salford 8d 34, mother's maiden name Wynn. He is still single in the 1891 census and has not been identified in subsequent censuses. The best fit death registration is in 3q 1902 Manchester 8d 142, aged 43.
- iii. Henry Warburton. Henry was born in Salford, Lancashire, in 1861.
 - Henry's birth was registered in 4q 1861 Salford 8d 43, mother's maiden name Wynn. He has not been found in censuses after 1881, but there is no matching death registration.
- iv. **Mary Warburton**. Mary was born in Manchester, Lancashire, in 1868. She was christened in Manchester, St James, Lancashire, on 30 Aug 1868.
 - Mary's birth was registered in 3q 1868 Manchester 8d 34, mother's maiden name Wynn. Her father was an engineer from 46 Silver Street on her baptism record.
 - In 1886 when Mary was 18, she married **George A Dale** in Old Newton, St Mark. Lancashire. The marriage was registered in 2q 1886 Prestwich 8d 527. In the 1911 census George and Mary had had 10 children, 6 still living.
- v. **Alice Warburton**. Alice was born in Manchester, Lancashire, in 1871. She was christened in Manchester, St James, Lancashire, on 26 Jul 1871.
 - Alice's birth was registered in 2g 1871 Manchester 8d 217, mother's maiden name

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Winn. Her father was a labourer from 54 Silver Street on her baptism record.

- **4** vi. **Benjamin Warburton** (1874-1944)
 - vii. **Abraham Warburton**. Abraham was born in Manchester, Lancashire, on 27 Jun 1876. He was christened in Miles Platting, St John the Evangelist, Lancashire, on 6 Aug 1876. Abraham died in Manchester, Lancashire, in 1912.

Abraham's birth was registered in 3q 1876 Manchester 8d 192, mother's maiden name Wynne. His father was a labourer from Miles Platting on his baptism record. His death was registered in 1q 1912 Prestwich 8d 395, aged 36. As there is no marriage of an Abraham registered at Manchester between 1901 and 1912 it is presumed her never married.

viii. **Ellen Warburton**. Ellen was born in Miles Platting, Lancashire, on 7 Jun 1881. She was christened in Miles Platting, St John the Evangelist, Lancashire, on 24 Jul 1881.

Ellen's birth was registered in 3q 1881 Manchester 8d 191, mother's maiden name Wynne. Her father was a labourer from Miles Platting on her baptism record.

3. Joseph Simeon Warburton (*John*¹). Joseph Simeon was born in Manchester, Lancashire, on 26 Jan 1852. He was christened in Eccles, St Mary, Lancashire, on 21 Mar 1852. ■ Census for Manchester, Lancashire, in 1891. Joseph S (39) is a general labourer living at 87 Knightley Street with Rebecca (31), Rebecca J (7), Joseph S (5), John W (3), and Walter (8 mths). ■ Census for Manchester, Lancashire, in 1901. Joseph S (49) is a time keeper at a dye works living at 4 The Brow, Collyhurst Road with Rebecca (39), Joseph S (15) a labourer in dyer's house, John W (13) a telegraph messenger, Walter (11), Charlotte (7), and Albert (2). ■ Census for Manchester, Lancashire, in 1911. Joseph Simeon senior (59) is a time and store keeper for a Bleachers, Dyers and Finishers living at 440 Collyhurst Road (6 rooms) with Rebecca (52), Rebecca Jane (27), Joseph Simeon junior (25) a superintendent (of a) casual ward for Manchester Board of Guardians, John William (23) a warehouseman, Walter (20) a cloth finisher, Charlette (16) an apprentice dressmaker, Albert (12), and Alice (10). Joseph and Rebecca had been married 28 years and had 8 children, 7 still living. Joseph Simeon died in 1936.

Joseph's father was an overlooker from Manchester on his baptism. His birth was registered in 1q 1852 Manchester 8d 252, mother's maiden name Winstanley. The maiden name must be an error as the baptism record is exactly the same format as John and Jane's previous children, and Joseph is listed as Jane's son in the 1861 census.

Joseph's death was registered in 1q 1936 Bucklow 8a 258, aged 84. His family have not been investigated beyond 1911.

On 9 Jan 1883 when Joseph Simeon was 30, he married **Rebecca Vaughan** in Manchester, St Thomas, Lancashire. Joseph (31) was a Sergeant in the Royal Scotch Fusiliers living at 15

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Smedley Road, father John, an overlooker. Rebecca (23) was living at 3 Hargreaves Street, father William, a marine store keeper. The marriage was registered in 1q 1883 Manchester 8d 319. Rebecca was born in Manchester, Lancashire, in 1859. Rebecca died in Manchester, Lancashire, in 1918.

Rebecca's death was registered in 4q 1918 Manchester 8d 299, aged 58.

They had the following children:

- i. Rebecca Jane Warburton. Rebecca Jane was born in Dover, Kent, in 1883.
 - Rebecca's birth was registered in 4q 1883 Dover 2a 974, mother's maiden name Vaughan.
- ii. Joseph Simeon Warburton. Joseph Simeon was born in Portland, Dorset, in 1885.
 - Joseph's birth was registered in 3q 1885 Weymouth 5a 327, mother's maiden name Vaughn.
- iii. John William Warburton. John William was born in Ayr, Ayrshire, in 1887.
 - John's birth was registered in 1887 Ayr ref 578/792 (ScotlandsPeople).
- iv. Walter Warburton. Walter was born in Manchester, Lancashire, in 1890.
 - Walter's birth was registered in 3q 1890 Manchester 8d 296, mother's maiden name Vaughan.
- v. **Robert Warburton**. Robert was born in Manchester, Lancashire, in 1892. Robert died in Manchester, Lancashire, in 1893.
 - Robert's birth was registered in 4q 1892 Manchester 8d 268, mother's maiden name Vaughan. His death was registered in 1q 1893 Manchester 8d 228, aged 0.
- vi. Charlotte Warburton. Charlotte was born in Manchester, Lancashire, in 1894.
 - Charlotte's birth was registered in 2q 1894 Manchester 8d 257, mother's maiden name Vaughan.
- vii. Albert Warburton. Albert was born in Manchester, Lancashire, in 1898.
 - Albert's birth was registered in 2q 1898 Manchester 8d 311, mother's maiden name Vaughan.
- viii. Alice Warburton. Alice was born in Manchester, Lancashire, in 1901.
 - Alice's birth was registered in 4q 1901 Manchester 8d 288, mother's maiden name Vaughan.

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- **4.** Benjamin Warburton (*John*², *John*¹). Benjamin was born in Manchester, Lancashire, in 1874.
- Census for Manchester, Lancashire, in 1901. Benjamin (26) is a tool and machine fitter boarding at 19 Cromwell Street, Failsworth with his brother-in-law George Dale, a painter and paper hanger, his sister Mary, and two of their children.
 Census for Manchester, Lancashire, in 1911. Benjamin (36) is a motor car fitter. He and his family are visiting John Netherwood (51) a single printer, at 38 Crummuck Street, Cheetham. Also present are Emily Sykes (62) a widowed housekeeper, who is probably Benjamin's mother-in-law, and John Netherwood's sister, and Benjamin's family Alice Maud (32), Robert Arthur (6), Harold (3), and William Henry (2). Benjamin and Alice had been married 7 years and had 4 children, 3 still living. Benjamin died in 1944.

Benjamin's birth was registered in 2q 1874 Manchester 8d 202, mother's maiden name Wynne. His death was registered in 1q 1944 Manchester 8d 560, aged 69.

In 1903 when Benjamin was 29, he married **Alice Maud Sykes** in Prestwich Registrar Attended, Lancashire. The marriage was registered in 3q 1903 Prestwich 8d 752. No further children were registered in Manchester after 1911 with mother's maiden name Sykes. Alice Maud was born in Wakefield, Yorkshire, abt 1878. Alice Maud died in Stockport, Cheshire, in 1967.

Alice's death is probably that registered in 2q 1967 North East Cheashire 10a 407, aged 88, subdistrict Bredbury (CheshireBMD).

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They had the following children:

- John William Warburton. John William was born in Manchester, Lancashire, in 1904. John William died in Manchester, Lancashire, in 1904.
 - John's birth was registered in 1q 1904 Prestwich 8d 383, mother's maiden name Sykes. His death was registered in 2q 1904 Prestwich 8d 244, aged 0.
- Robert Arthur Warburton. Robert Arthur was born in Manchester, Lancashire, in 1905.
 - Robert's birth was registered in 1q 1905 Prestwich 8d 426, mother's maiden name Sykes. He has not been explored further.
- iii. Harold Warburton. Harold was born in Manchester, Lancashire, in 1907.
 - Harold's birth was registered in 2q 1907 Prestwich 8d 416, mother's maiden name Sykes. He has not been explored further.
- iv. William Henry Warburton. William Henry was born in Manchester, Lancashire, on 5 Apr 1908. Census for Denton, Lancashire, in 1939. William was a collector and salesman (furniture and cloth) living at 1 Gibraltar Lane with Eva, a handkerchief folder, and one other whose record is closed. William Henry died in Manchester, Lancashire, in 1965.

William's birth was registered in 2q 1908 Prestwich 8d 405, mother's maiden name Sykes. His death was registered in 4g 1965 Manchester 10e 134, aged 57.

In 1936 when William Henry was 27, he married **Eva Maude Shepherd** in Newton Heath, St Augustine, Lancashire. The marriage was registered in 3q 1936 Manchester North 8d 1513. Three children were registered with mother's maiden name Shepherd, a girl in Ashton in 1937, my contact Robert Stanley (born at Reddish) at Stockport in 1948, and a boy at Manchester in 1953. Eva Maude was born in Prestwich, Lancashire, on 1 Aug 1914. Eva Maude died in Stockport, Cheshire, in 1992.

Eva's birth was registered in 3q 1914 Prestwich 8d 885, mother's maiden name Holt. Her death was registered in June 1992 Stockport 39 1175, aged 77.

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