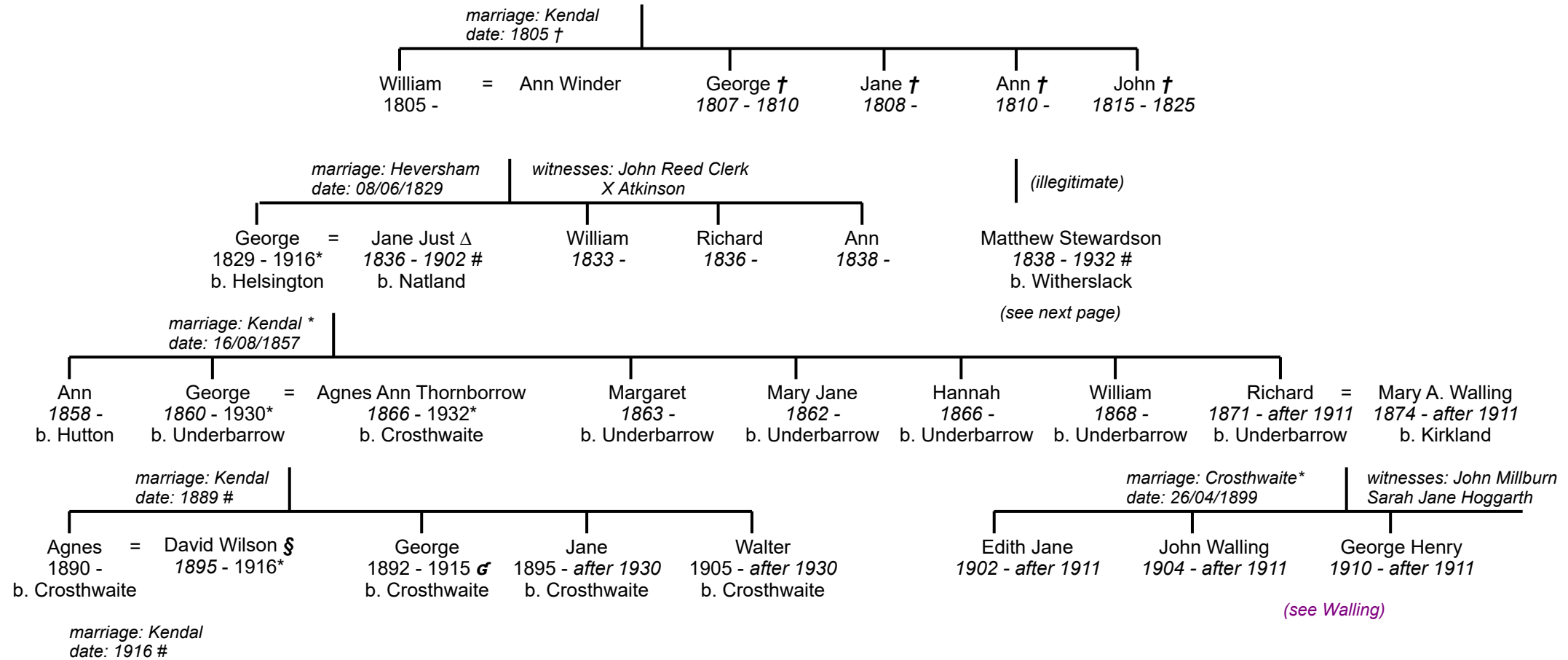


**Stewardsons of Witherslack**  
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**1861 & 1871** George is a blacksmith at Underbarrow  
**1911** George and Agnes had six children of whom two had died. George's widowed father was living with them at the Smithy, Town Yeat.. Their son, Corporal George Stewardson, Duke of Cornwall Light Infantry, was killed in action in 1915.

William Stewardson † = Jane Noble †



Δ sister of John Just who married Elizabeth Steele in 1863  
*see Ellwood*

§ Killed in action  
 "In affectionate remembrance of Lance Corporal D. Wilson, Border Regiment, beloved husband of Agnes Wilson (née Stewardson, of Crosthwaite) who was killed inaction in France on October 26th 1916."  
 Westmorland Gazette 25<sup>th</sup> November 1916

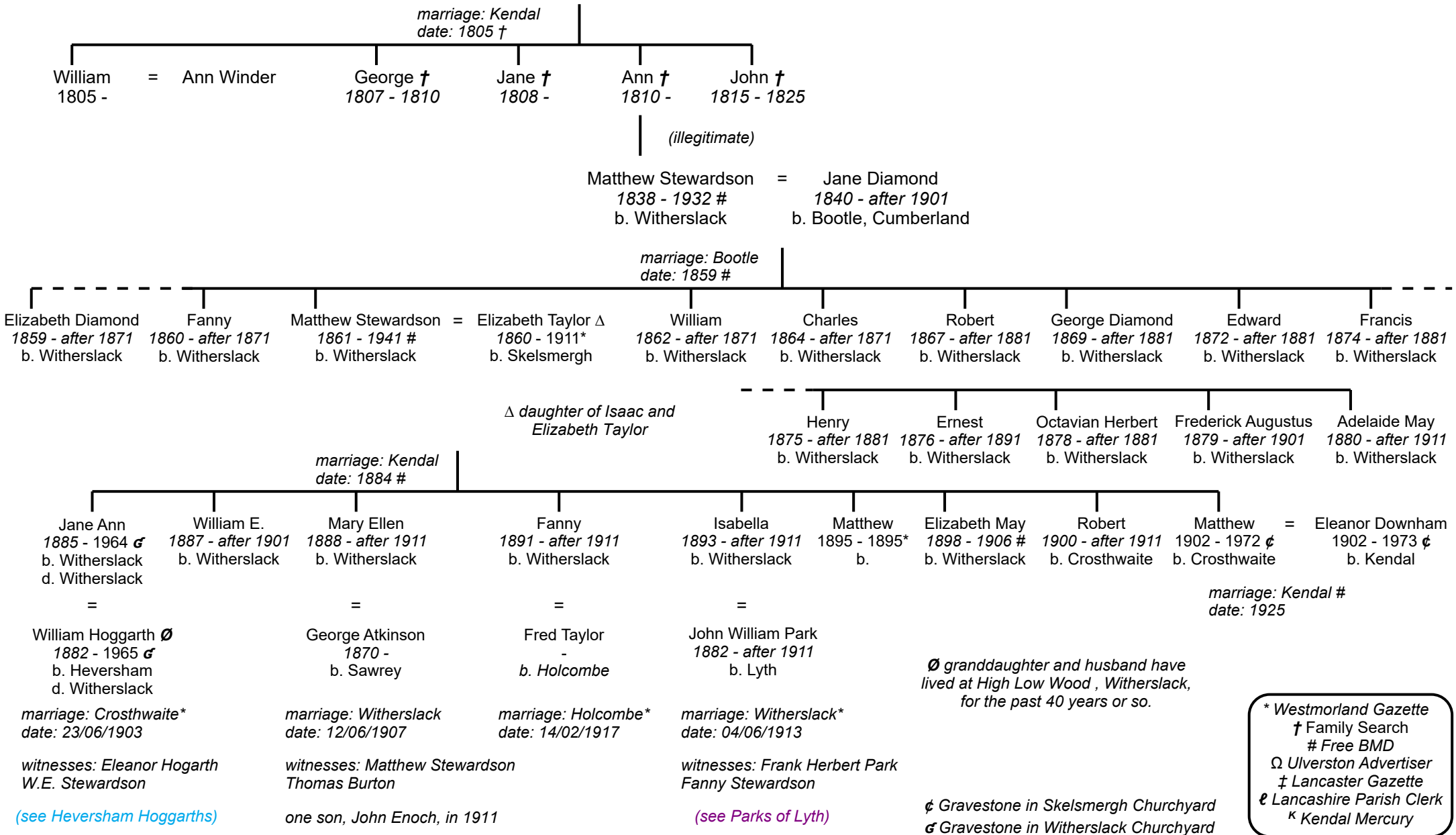
♂ Gravestone in Crosthwaite Churchyard

\* Westmorland Gazette  
 † Family Search  
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 ‡ Lancaster Gazette  
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Matthew senior is farming at Beck Head, Witherslack in 1891 then Rainors Farm, Gosforth in 1901. He is a widower in 1911 and his youngest daughter and son-in-law are running the farm. Matthew and Elizabeth are farming at Low Fell end, Witherslack in 1891. They are at Beck Head, Witherslack in 1901 & 1911. They had nine children of whom seven were still living. Matthew remarried in 1913 to Fanny Dickinson\*, the daughter of William Dickinson, born 1874.

William Stewardson † = Jane Noble †



(see Heversham Hoggarths)

♣ Gravestone in Skelsmergh Churchyard  
 ♂ Gravestone in Witherslack Churchyard

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*Westmorland Gazette 8th October 1927*

**Farrier's Retirement** - Mr. George Stewardson, farrier at Crosthwaite, has this week relinquished his business after practically half a century's sojourn in the valley. His father, the late George Stewardson, who died in harness some 11 years ago, at the age of 87, first started business at Underbarrow 70 years ago and remained there 22 years. When he left he took over the Crosthwaite Smithy, remaining there until his death. His son, who was in partnership with him, held this smithy for 48 years, the two between them have spent three-quarters of a century there, during which time they made all kinds of farming implements. Hooping was a speciality with them, and their clients covered a vast area, and came from far and near with their cart and carriage wheels. Mr. Stewardson reluctantly had to dispose of his business through ill health and age. He received many messages wishing him better health and happiness during his retirement. His successor, Mr. Jas Robinson, Holme, took over the house and smithy on Monday.

*From Probate Calendar:*

*George Stewardson of 2 Park-avenue Kendal Westmorland died 30 April  
1930 Probate Carlisle 2 June to Jane Stewardson spinster and Walter  
Stewardson bus conductor  
Effects £1031 4s. 11d. Resworn £1068 14s 11d.*

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