

John Addis Timeline

Year	Information	Source
1833	Birth of John Addis in Olveston, Gloucestershire	Link
1851	Went to Ballarat for a few years and then Tasmania	Link
1853	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Marriage to first wife, Ruth (Hall) Addis • Death of mother, Sarah (Smith) Addis 	Link
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1854	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Arrival of James Addis, step-brother – 38 years old in Victoria • Birth of first child, Mary Elizabeth Addis in Victoria, Australia 	Link
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1857	Mentioned in the list of directors of the Monarch Fire & Life Assurance Company.	Link
1863	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Death of father, James Addis, aged 72, in Gloucestershire • Shares for Great Eastern Gold Mining Company Limited – 5 units, John Addis, Daylesford. 	(1), (2)
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1864	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Shares for Daylesford Gold Mining Company Limited – 4 units, John Addis, Daylesford (Pg. 20) • Shares for Daylesford Gold Mining Company Limited – 20 units, John Addis, Daylesford (Pg. 20) • Shares for The Leviathan Gold Mining Company – 222 units, John Addis, Daylesford (Pg. 19) 	Link
1868	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Marriage to second wife, Charlotte Louisa (Bendall) Addis • Secretary of the Benevolent Asylum acknowledges the receipt of a cheque for £21 from the Accident Fund Association of the Albion Gold Mining Company, Sebastopol, by which donation Mr. John Addis, a member of the association is constituted a life-governor of the institution. 	(1), (2)
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1871	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Marriage to third wife, Elizabeth (Palmer) Addis • Report on the Cardigan Consols Gold Mining Co., Sago Hill written to the editor of The Ballarat Star by John Addis. 	Link
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1872	Birth of Clara Addis	Link
1874	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Death of Clara Addis – 6th of April, 1 year 5 months (In Memoriam section) • Granted a certificate by the Ballarat School of Mines, John Addis, second-class, underground manager alluvial mining. 	Link
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1881	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2nd Week of November – Addis takes over as manager of The Prince George Co. from Mr. J. Urquhart • Mentions of his experience in lode mining as well as managing mines in Cornwall (In an interview) 	Link
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1883	Takes over as manager of Wyniford Co. from Mr. Charles McGough	Link
1884	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Birth of Willie (William) Addis • Manager of The Red Hill G. M. Co, Mr. John Addis yielded a fair amount of tin 	Link
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1891	Spent the last 17 years of his life in Malaya, reported by The Age – Melbourne, Victoria / Friday, 31 st July 1908 / Page 5	Link
1893	Death of step-brother James Addis, Lilydale, Victoria Australia	Link
1894	Death of younger brother, Benjamin Addis, Ballarat, Victoria, Australia	Link

1895	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • First reported as Managing Director of Bukit Mas Mining Co. Ltd, Tapah 	Link
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Death of Willie (William) Addis, Carlton North, Victoria, aged 11 years 1 month 	Link
1897	Addis purchases one of Debble's Gold Extractor	Link
1897/1898	Started working with Foo Choo Choon, Tronoh mines	
1899	Memoriam for Clara Addis and Willie Addis, children of John Addis and E. (Elizabeth) Addis	Link
1908	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • John Addis, managing director joined the Sungei Raia Tin Mining Company (January) 	Link
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • John Addis returned to Ipoh after leaving for Australia to raise capital for the Sungei Raia Tin Mining Company (February) 	Link
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Death of John Addis 	Link

Additional Information

- According to one of our sources from Australia, John had a brother named Benjamin who also went to Australia and lived in Ballarat. 3 of Benjamin's sons were miners who she believes may have worked with John.
[Information on Benjamin Addis' family who lived in Ballarat.](#)
- Our source also mentioned of George Addis, believed to be one of John's son's, who worked with him in the mines and died in Ipoh as well, presumably before John died.
[We found one George Addis, born 1878 to John Addis and his third wife, Elizabeth \(Palmer\) Addis.](#)
- We also found another John Addis who lived in Daylesford and died at the age of 73 in 1880, he could have been an uncle of John's. [A report on his death.](#)
- We also found something on a John Addis, of Daylesford, a miner who was made an executor of Martha Chapman's will in 1866. We are unsure if this is Captain John Addis or the possible relation with the same name. [Link](#)
- More information on the Ballarat School of Mines can be found in the following link, https://bih.federation.edu.au/index.php/Ballarat_School_of_Mines