

Who Was Who

Sir William Job Colling, DL, JP, MD, MS, BSc (London), FRCS,  
knighted c. 1902, KCOVO c. 1914

Vice-Lieutenant of County of London 1925-45

MP St. Pancras West (Liberal) 1906-1910

MP Derby 1917-1918

Chairman LCC 1887-88

Vice-Chairman LCC 1896-97

Vice-Chancellor London University 1907-9, 1911-12

Senator " " " 1893-1927

Consulting Surgeon to Western Ophthalmic Hospital & Royal Eye Hospital

Chairman LEA 1904-6

Born London 9.5.1859, son of Dr. W.J. Colling and Mary Anne  
Francesca, dau. of E. Traacher, a member of the Huguenot family  
of Garnault. Married 1898 Jean (d. 1956), dau. of John  
Wilson, MP, DL. Educated at UNIVERSITY College School  
and Haris, where he was a gold Medallist and qualified with  
Honours.

Lived at 1, Albert Terrace, Regents Park, NW1 after marriage.

President of many societies (e.g. Huguenot Soc.), Chairman of  
many committees (e.g. Accidents to Railway Servants 1914-19,  
Hop Industry 1908). Attended many conferences, eg. on  
drug addiction, receiving thanks from Government for work at  
three Opium Conferences at The Hague 1911, 1913, 1914.

Wrote many books e.g. The Aetiology of the European Conflagration  
(1915), The Life's Work of Sir Edwin Chadwick (1924)