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Source Abbreviations	
GRO	Glamorgan Record Office
	Tithe, directories, census all in GRO

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Date	55 Eastgate, Cowbridge	Source
1843	Owner John Savours; occupier George Fletcher	Tithe 89
1851	Maria Stockwood, 53, annuitant (living on own means) from Monmouthshire, with daughters Margaret, 30, and Sarah, 15, no occupation	Census 208
1861	Cecilia Verity, 52, annuitant	Census 33
1871	Cecilia Verity, 62, annuitant, born Bristol (in an 1844 directory, Cecilia Verity had been a linen draper)	Census 38
1881	Cecilia Verity,72, annuitant	Census 203
1891	Richard Thomas, 29, mason born Llantwit Major, with wife Mary and sons Sidney and William, 6 and 1; also his brother in law Benjamin Maddy, coal miner from Talgarth, and two male lodgers, both masons	Census
1901	Richard Thomas, 39, mason, with wife Mary, grocer shopkeeper, sons Sydney and William, 16 and 11, and daughters Lucy, Georgina and Mabel, 8, 7 and 5	Census
1912	J Crowley, engine driver	Western Mail street directory
1926	William Aaron James, builder (of Stafford house) owned three dwelling houses/ cottages – No. 55, 57 and 59 Eastgate	Agreement with Mid Glamorgan Water Board
1947	William and Margaret Jenkins	Electoral register
2014	Keith & Eurion Brown, printers	