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Source Abbreviations	
GRO	Glamorgan Record Office
LTA	Land tax assessments (GRO)
D/D Tre	Trecastle papers (GRO)
	Tithe, census, directories – all in GRO

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	<i>A grade II listed building. The report from the Royal Commission states that this is a late 16th to early 17th century building. It has a chamfered square-headed fireplace on the first floor, and in 1959 David Muir discovered fragments of 17th century wall painting when he was altering the building to make a flat for his mother. Elizabethan items (e.g. a bowl) were also found. There is an extension at the rear which in the 19th century at least was used as a separate dwelling.</i>	
1783	Charles Bassett owned & occupied, one & three quarter burgages	BR Bute 112
1800	Thomas Jenkin owned and occ (2/-)	LTA
1815	Thomas Jenkin owned and occ (2/-)	LTA
1821	Isaiah Verity owned (2/-)	LTA
1827	'house of Isaiah Verity, Esq' (deeds re No 69	D/D Tre76/7
1830	Isaiah Verity owned; sundry tenants (2/-)	LTA
1843	Abraham Verity, o; Edward Morgan, occ	Tithe
1851	Edward Morgan, 76, born Cowbridge, master shoemaker employing one man, Mary, his wife aged 78, born Pyle, William their grandson, aged 17, born Coleford, Glos, shoemaker	Census #217
1861	Eliza Edwards, 37, widow born Glamorgan, fruiterer Daughter Ellen, 8, scholar, b.Glam., Elizabeth, 3 William Ellis, boarder, unmarried aged 43, b. Middlesex, painter journeyman Edward Rees 17, b.Glam., tailor	Census#41
1871	Richard Morris, 80, b. St Mary Church, confectioner Ann, his wife aged 54, born Canterbury Margaret Davies, unmarried, 41, b. Bridgend, confectioner	Census#45 Census #46
1874	Mrs Potts occupied, John Jones owned	Glamorgan county rate
1881	Ann Morris, widow, 65, b.Camberwell, confectioner (which seems to be linked with #213) Ann Barnes, lodger, 92, annuitant, b. Swindon Amelia Jennings, lodger, 50, nurse, b. London	Census#212 Census#213
1891	George Roberts, 30, mason, b. Southampton wife Alice, 28, b. Gloucester (2 rooms only) Ann Morris, widow b. London, 71, grocer Richard Morris, her brother-in-law, 74, widower, mason, b. St. Mary Church, Thos. Sellway, lodger, 25, general labourer, b. Devon	Census#209 Census #208
1912	C. Stanton, fish/fruit shop	Western Mail street directory
1914	Alice Chissell, shopkeeper	Kelly's directory

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1921	Alice Chissell, owner and occupier John Lippiatt, resident Walter Cornelius Chissell, resident	Electoral reg
1923	Miss Alice Chissell, shopkeeper	Kelly's
1947	Joseph and Winifred Hough, Arthur and Florence Blick	Register of electors
	During the war, used as Home Guard H.Q.	Royal Commission report
1959	Medieval wall painting found on internal plaster wall (David Muir)	Newspaper article
1967	Olwen Muir, hair	Wales Trades directory
1969 & 1972	Olwen Muir, hair stylist (Known as 'Theresa's' later in the 70s)	Wales Trades directory
1979-1984	Dennis Hair Studio (Mr DE and Mrs EE Bodey)	Mrs Bodey
1984 on	'Anthony Hair Care'	