

Dr Arthur Ffolliott William Denning  
M.B. B.S. LOND.

Dr Denning had 'Leyburn' built in 1927 , (listed in Kelly's by 1928) and now No: 14 Alpha Road. (The 4<sup>th</sup> house along on the S. side of the road.

In his last year in the house in 1937, he was sharing the surgery accommodation with two other doctors, but had probably already moved his family down to 28, St Mildred's Avenue during that year. He was listed in Kellys at St Mildred's by 1928 – and continues to be listed there until 1963.

By 1965 his wife (Mrs A. M .E. Denning) is listed on her own, and was still there in 1974, when the Kelly's Directories ceased production.

There is no record of his death in either our registers or under 'burials' in our Parish Magazines. However, in 1962 there is a small note of thanks to his family in the Church Magazine for a second donation of Service Books, donated in his memory. I could not trace the first half of the gift. So he must have died in either early 1962 or late 1961.

Talking to Elizabeth on one occasion, she mentioned how she once taught in a private school where Prince Doria's daughter was a pupil. His family used to come and stay in Minnis Bay for a holiday for a number of years.

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