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FUTURE PROGRAMME

Tuesday 13 Sept 1988

Coach Trip: London. Cost £5. Coach leaves Paternoster Row 7.30am. Home about 8.30pm. To Book: Telephone 402727 Sue Graves (Mon-Fri after 8pm) Cheques payable to 'Sheffield & District FHS', and sent to Sue Graves 57a Fircroft Ave, Sheffield S5 0SB.

Thursday 15 Sept 1988

Meeting: ARMY RECORDS, Dr.Watts.

Thursday 20 Oct 1988

Open Meeting with coffee, displays and short talks. Members are asked to bring any interesting materials from their own research. Sue Graves would like to hear from anyone who could give a short talk (5-10 mins) on some interesting aspect of their research (Tel: as above).

Thursday 17 Nov 1988

Two short talks by Roy Bullen (Canals) and Sue Graves (Art in Sheffield).

Thursday 19 Jan 1989

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Thursday 16 Feb 1989

) Meetings, speakers to be announced.

Thursday 16 Mar 1989

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Thursday 20 Apr 1989

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THE SHEFFIELD AND DISTRICT FAMILY HISTORY SOCIETY

The Society is open to anyone interested in the study of Genealogy and Family History. Monthly meetings are held at The Blind Institute, Mappin Street (off West Street), Sheffield on the 3rd Thursday of the month at 7.30pm during the winter months and excursions are held for the summer. Informal meetings are held at The Ancient Order of Foresters on Trippat Lane, Sheffield every Wednesday 1.30-4pm and on the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays in the month 7.30-9.30pm. The Society caters for those parts of South Yorkshire and North Derbyshire which are within convenient travelling distance of Sheffield. The annual subscription is £6 and £8 for joint membership (only 1 Journal).

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31 May
31 August
30 November

EDITORIAL

Members will, I am sure, be pleased to hear that John P. Perkins, a member of our committee and well known to everyone, has been co-opted for a year on to the Executive Committee of the Federation of Family History Societies to assist Penny Pattinson, the Projects Co-ordinator. To many people the Federation probably seems rather remote but I am sure, in future, we shall learn far more about its workings and its achievements. Our congratulations to John.

The Journal sees the start of a new way of recording members' interests. Instead of a booklet published at intervals, members' interests will, in future, be found on the centre pages of the Journal - so they can be removed easily if desired. In this way, after dealing with a small backlog, it is hoped that new members' interests can be published without a long delay.

There are further details herein of the 1881 census project. Since the transcription can be used to advantage by everyone, it is hoped that all members will volunteer to help.

The questionnaire included with some Journals is to enable the committee to learn more about and cater for the wishes of local members. Please, please give it careful thought, fill it in and either post it to the address given or bring it to the September meeting.

Members submitting copy are asked to write ALL names of both people and places in CAPITAL LETTERS. Although you are familiar with the names, it can sometimes be difficult to be sure we have read them correctly.

Thank you to all who have contributed in any way to this edition.

MEMBERSHIP LIST

The Society welcomes the following new members:

Mrs. J. Askham, 4 Burrows Drive, Bishopsholme, Sheffield S5 7JQ.
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Change of Address

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Overseas Members

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 Lesley Gosling, 28 Alice Street, Macquarie Fields, NSW, Australia 2564.

NEWS AND NOTES

1881 CENSUS - HELP!

The British Genealogical Record Users Committee have announced their intention of making the 1881 Census the object of a national indexing project. Microfilms or photocopies of the 1881 returns will be available for transcription onto the forms provided. After checking, the data will be transferred to a computer data base and will then be made available on microfiche both as a full transcript of the returns and as an index to them. Initially the index will be arranged by county and then by surname and given name.

Volunteers will, wherever possible, be able to carry out work on areas of interest, not just on the area in which they live. It is hoped that as many members as possible will volunteer to help - even if it only to transcribe just one enumeration district. Please make sure Sheffield is well represented in this national project. It will, when completed, be of great benefit to us all. For further information, please contact our 1881 Census Co-ordinator, Mrs. Mary Robson, Rock House, 126 Bawtry Road, Bramley, Rotherham, Tel. Rotherham 543829. Members who have already written to Mr. J. Perkins offering to take part in the 1881 Census Project have had their letters passed on to Mrs. Robson. As it may take some time yet for instructions to be received from the National Organiser, Mr. Richard Sowter, please accept this as an acknowledgement of letters received and any others to follow until there is information to pass on.

DURHAM FAMILIES DIRECTORY

Following the success of the Yorkshire Families Directories, the Cleveland F.H.S. has decided to compile a Directory of "Co. Durham" Surnames being researched by family historians in Britain and elsewhere. To qualify a SURNAME has to have been associated with places in the County of Durham. Non-Durham places will not be included. The publication will be self-financing. The following charges including postage and packing will be made: U.K. & Europe £1.50. Elsewhere £2 (U.S. \$4) Surface, £2.50 (U.S. \$5) Air. Dollar Bills or Sterling money orders preferable to bankers' cheques. Further details can be obtained from John P. Perkins, 24 Withens Ave, Sheffield S6 1WE.

THE HATTERSLEY BIBLE

Mrs. Cooper, 113 Cross Hill, Ecclesfield, Sheffield S30 3WS would be most grateful if the member who sent in the details of a Hattersley family found in a Bible (Vol.8 No. 3 Spring Edition of The Flowing Stream) would contact her.

LIFE IN A SHEFFIELD SCHOOL c1910

A misunderstanding has arisen over the authorship of the above article. Although it was contributed by Alan Walker, it was in fact written by Dr. Kathleen Bailey and was based upon a private interview she had with Mrs. Middleton. The article will form part of a book Dr. Bailey is writing on the education of women.

ALICE THOMPSON'S BIRTH CERTIFICATE

Mrs. Sheila Clark, 76 Coppermill Road, Wraysbury, Staines TW19 5NS has the following birth certificate which may be useful to someone in the Society:

Birth Certificate 1861 Reg. Dist. Ecclesall Bierlow. Birth in Sub. Dist. Ecclesall Bierlow.

29th April 1861	Alice Girl	John	Ann	Cab	Informant
Back of Broomhill		Henry	Thompson	Driver	Ann Thompson
Ecclesall Bierlow		Thompson	formerly		Mother
		father	Garside		
			mother		

THANK YOU

The Society thanks Mr. G. Nornable for the booklets given to the library. They were produced by the East Yorks FHS and contain the M.I.s of Lund and Middleton on the Wolds.

1851 STRAYS INDEX FROM THE 1851 CENSUS.

The company "Ages Ago of England" at 6 Mellesford, Matlock, Derbys DE4 3DZ has compiled a strays index for 1851 of all names of persons, living in Derbyshire at the time of the 1851 census, who were born outside the county or visiting on census night. A search is £1 per surname per county or £3 for total coverage, i.e. all counties. An S.A.E. is required and full information is given.

SURNAME INDEX TO SHROPSHIRE M.I.s

Mr. Michael J. Hulme, 19 Brook Road, Bomere Heath, Shrewsbury SY4 3PU, a member of the Shropshire FHS has compiled an index on computer of all the SURNAMES which appear in the transcripts of Monumental Inscriptions they have for Shropshire. The Index includes nearly 17,000 entries with over 4,600 unique surname spellings. For a fee of £1 to members of the Shropshire FHS (£2 to non-members) plus an S.A.E. he will provide a computer printout of all entries for up to FIVE SURNAMES with the following information: Surname, Name of each churchyard it appears in, Grave numbers for each.

AN INDEX OF ENTERTAINERS

See "Through the Letterbox".

THE CURE FOR MARY WILSON'S LOCKJAW

E.Rowley, 51 Littleworth, Mansfield, Notts has sent in a photocopy of an article describing the treatment given to Mrs.Mary Wilson, 31 Pinstone Street, Sheffield when she had lockjaw. The article is from "The Model Botanic Guide to Health" by William Fox MD, 21st Edition, 1916. The photocopy is deposited in the Society Library.

A REEVE'S TALE - THE HISTORY OF THE GREAVES FAMILY

The Society thanks Miss B.Greaves for the gift of a copy of her very detailed history of the Greaves family as well as various other documents.

BUSH FAMILY BIBLE

Mr.Duckett of Bradford Reference Library has given us a large family Bible with a very extensive family tree inside it of a BUSH family of Sheffield. Other surnames mentioned are Rhodes, Woollen, Hardy, Saville, Simpson, Batt, Skelton, Hartley, Pickering, Ibbotson, White, Lodge and Duckett. Anyone who would like any further information should contact our Secretary, Mrs.M.Dunn enclosing an S.A.E.

TRANSCRIPT OF BRADFIELD MARRIAGES 1723-1840

The Society thanks Mr.Fred Hobson for the gift of a copy of his transcript of Bradfield marriages 1723-1840. It can be consulted at The Foresters.

TRANSCRIPT OF ECKINGTON M.I.s

The Society thanks Professor Newton for his gifts of a transcript of Eckington M.I.s.

1841 CENSUS FOR GOLCAR

The Society also thanks Professor Newton for his gift of the 1841 Census Returns and index for Golcar (in Kirklees). This can be consulted at The Foresters.

ROSE FAMILY DETAILS

The Society thanks E.Rowley, 51 Littleworth, Mansfield, Notts for the gift of a number of documents giving information about a ROSE family. The documents have been deposited in the Library.

FAMILY HISTORY CHARTS

Five charts showing events, people, wars and inventions with a space for your own family events have been designed by and are available from Genealogical Research, 137 Gretna Road, Coventry CV3 6DS, West Midlands. The charts are A3 size and are 50p each + 20p postage (U.S. \$1.00 + \$2 airmail, Aust. & N.Z. \$1.50 + \$2.50 airmail). The sheets cover 1500-1580, 1580-1680, 1680-1780, 1780-1840, 1840-1900.

TRANSCRIPT OF ECCLESFIELD MARRIAGE REGISTERS 1622-1840

The Society thanks Mr.Fred Hobson for allowing the Society to photocopy his transcript of Ecclesfield Marriage Registers 1622-1840. It can be consulted at the Foresters.

RESIDENTIAL COURSES IN GENEALOGY in 1988

A weekend course 11-13 November 1988 in genealogy for those who have a basic knowledge of the sources for genealogical research but who wish to meet with others to learn more and refine their techniques is being held at Allington Castle, near Maidstone in Kent. Also a five day course from Monday 12th to Friday 16th September is being held for the absolute beginner or for those who have just begun to trace their family's history. The cost includes full board in the 13th century castle and wine with lunch and dinner. Details can be obtained from the Institute of Heraldic and Genealogical Studies, Northgate, Canterbury, Kent. (0227-68664).

MORDEN PRIZE

To celebrate the 400th anniversary of the Armada, a prize is being presented by the Institute of Heraldic and Genealogical Studies for the best family history which has a connection with this event in our history. Further details can be obtained from the Institute at the above address.

A MESSAGE FROM THE TREASURER

Please will those members who underpaid their subscriptions for 1988 forward the balance to Mrs. Allen as soon as possible.

INDEX OF WOOLWICH 1851 CENSUS

A surname index of the Woolwich 1851 Census HO 107/1588 and HO 107/1589 has been completed by some members of the Woolwich and District F.H.S. This represents some 32,000+ people. Many are from out of the County, particularly workers in the dockyards. Enquiries are welcomed in respect of ancestors thought to be in the area at the time. A list of up to 10 Folio numbers of a given surname will be supplied if requests are accompanied by an S.A.E. and a contribution of £1 to Woolwich and District F.H.S funds. Enquiries should be addressed to Mrs. E.R. Reynolds, 54 Parkhill Road, Bexley, Kent DA5 1HY.

INSTITUTE OF HERALDIC AND GENEALOGICAL STUDIES

Information about some of the indexes and genealogical finding aids available in the Institute's library has been deposited in the Society's library at the Foresters. There are also details about the courses in family history run by the Institute.

BAPTISMAL REGISTER FOR THE (DEFUNCT) CHERRY TREE HILL CHAPEL

The above registers from 1868-1924 have been found by Mrs. M. Brownhill at Psalter Lane Methodist Church. Please contact the property steward Mr. Peter Anderson of 8 Kenbourne Grove, Sheffield (Tel. 557717) for further details.

FORTHCOMING CONFERENCES

3rd September 1988 at Epworth, Isle of Axholme

A day conference organised by the Isle of Axholme F.H.S. has Dissenting Ancestors as its theme. The programme includes lectures on "Tracing Missing Persons", "Records of Methodist Ancestry" and "Quaker Records" and a guided walk or workshop session. Further details from Mrs. A. Turner, 294 Melton Road, Sprotbrough, Doncaster DN5 7NX.

1st October 1988 at High Melton, Doncaster

A day conference organised by the Doncaster F.H.S. on behalf of the N.E. Region deals with communications. The programme includes lectures on "Was your Grandfather a Railwayman?", Records of British Railways, Carriers Badgers and Jagers and Road Travel in the 18th Century. Further details from Mrs.M.Pepper, 8 Highbury Crescent, Doncaster DN4 6AL.

8th October 1988 at Bemrose School, Derby.

"The Lifestyle of our Ancestors" - a joint conference of Derbyshire, Nottinghamshire, Leicestershire and Lincolnshire Family History Societies. The programme includes lectures on "People and Occupations", "Victorian and Georgian Marriages", "The Lifestyle of our Ancestors" and "Educational Records". Further details from Mr & Mrs V.Brooksbank, 49 Riber Ave, Somercotes, Derbyshire DE55 4LL.

8th October 1988 at Marlborough, Wiltshire.

"More About your Non-Parochial Ancestor" - a day conference organised by Wiltshire F.H.S. has lectures on Dr.William's Library, Catholics and Methodist Ancestors. Further details from Mrs.M.R.Moore, 1 Cambridge Close, Lawn, Swindon, Wilts, SN3 1JQ.

22nd October 1988 at Lowestoft, Suffolk

A one day meeting of the Lowestoft Group of the Suffolk Genealogical Society. The programme includes lectures on Local Wills and Inventories 1561-1730, and Lowestoft Fishing Records and families and an archive film on fishing and agriculture. Further details from Mrs.P.King Gardiner, 195 St.Margaret's Road, Lowestoft.

29th October 1988 at Scarborough

"Talkabout Family History Again" a one day conference organised by the Scarborough Branch of the E.Yorks F.H.S. has lectures on "600 Years of Amateur Justice". Using the PRO and a genealogical miscellany plus various other activities. Further details from Mrs Sue Carsey, 81 Colyhill Lane, Newby, Scarborough.

31st March - 2nd April 1989 at Durham City

The AGM of the Federation and the Spring 1989 F.H.Conference. Further details from Mrs.C.McLee, 3 The Green, Kirklevington, Yarm, Cleveland TS15 9NW.

NOTE: Please send an S.A.E. when writing for details of the above conferences.

THROUGH THE LETTERBOX

359 Baslow Road,
Sheffield,
S17 3BH.

Dear Editor,

Index of Entertainers

I propose compiling a card index of all entertainers born before 1920 (similar to the Shoemakers Index). I intend to index both under the person's original name and under the stage name. I would like as many important details as possible - parents, please, dates, type of entertainer and whether or not a copy photograph and further details of career could be obtained. Eventually I would answer incoming enquiries but it will take a while for the index to get started. It would help if the information was written on a card 5" x 3" with the surname in the top left hand corner. These people were itinerant workers and often difficult to trace. Hopefully this index will be of help to many people. Many thanks for your help. (I would appreciate details of any entertainers found when indexing the 1881 Census).

Yours etc.

Marjorie P. Dunn (Mrs)

SOCIETY MEETINGS

Meeting on 17th March 1988

Lt.Col.I.S.Swinerton, the President of the Federation gave us a most entertaining and informative account of how heraldry came into being. He proved to us how colourful and artistic it is and how much it is a part of our English tradition. In simple terms he led us through the intricacies of Heraldry so that by the time we saw examples of modern coats of arms we all understood far more about their construction. The Society bookstall has copies of Lt.Col.I.S. Swinerton's book "Heraldry can be fun".

Meeting on 21st April 1988

Mr.Chris Johnson from Lincoln Record Office took us with the aid of slides around the Lincoln Record Office and behind the scenes to where archives are stored, repaired and catalogued. By the end of his talk we all felt we understood the workings of an archive department far better. Mr.Johnson included in his talk details of some of the holdings at Lincoln and how the indexes are organised to help record users. He described some of the modern techniques being used such as putting records on microfiche to enable easy access and yet safety for valuable documents. Lincoln now has a system of Readers' Tickets which can be used not only in Lincoln but also in a number of other record offices (but not Sheffield which has its own scheme.)Lincoln's Reader Ticket can be obtained, in person only from the Archive Office on production of 2 passport sized photographs and official proof of identification which must show name, signature and address (e.g. passport, driving licence etc.) Tickets are valid for 4 years from the date of issue.

Meeting on 19th May 1988

About 30 of our members had an enjoyable if damp eveing with members of the Castleton Historical Society. Mr.Peter Harrison gave the group a most interesting

and extensive tour of the village and then they joined Mrs.Hawkins in the Museum which is small but packed with fascinating information and memorabilia.

Contributed by Miss Sue Graves, 57a Fircroft Ave, Sheffield S5 0SB.

Meeting on 18th June 1988

The weather, warm and sunny, made the coach trip to Halifax and Shibden Hall very successful. Halifax has a lively complex of museums, arts, crafts and shops centred around the Piece Hall (1779) and the Calderdale Industrial Museum. Some members of the party visited the National Museum of the Working Horse. Sibden Hall overlooks Halifax. This well-preserved 15th century timber-framed house was the highlight of the day with its period atmosphere, terraced garden and views over the town and the nearby hills. A short visit to Bankfield Museum, with its fine collection of textiles, costumes, toys, stuffed and live animals, was followed by a scenic drive back to Sheffield in the evening sunshine.

St.Catherine's House 28th June 1988

On our second visit to London this year, the 33 Society members on this trip found St.Catherine's House quiet and easy to work in, unlike pervious visits which have been spoilt by overcrowding. Extra space has been made available for searching the registers, and the holiday season means that fewer people were researching.

N.B. the next trip to London is Tuesday 13th September (see inside front cover for details).

Contributed by Miss Sue Graves, address above.

OTHER PEOPLE'S PROBLEMS

SYKES

Mrs.M.F.Baker, 17 Gorse Hill, Fishponds, Bristol, BS16 4EG is seeking information about James and Mary Sykes of Wentworth. James was an architect and master mason on the Fitzwilliam estates in Wentworth and then after 1830 in Ireland. Their son John was born at Street, Wentworth Parish in 1820. James died in the mid 1850s at Shillelagh and Mary died in 1856/8. Information wanted:birth of James c1796 at Wentworth, his marriage c1817, newspapers notices of James' and Mary's deaths, the marriage of John to Martha 1845-50 - possibly at Wentworth and details of James' apprentice indentures.

SWIFT
BOLLAND
SMITH

Mrs.E.M.Braun, 1310 Edderton Ave, Winnipeg, Manitoba R3T 0X8, Canada is seeking information about her grandparents and their families. Kate Ellen Swift was born Feb 18 1861 at Crookes, Nether Hallam. Her parents were Samuel Newbould Swift and Charlotte Bolland born c1826 and 1828 respectively. Both Samuel and Charlotte were born in Sheffield. Other children of Samuel and Charlotte were William (b. c1850), Bertha (b. c1858), Maria (b. c 1860 and possibly May born after Kate, Harry (b. c1864)and Ernest (b. c1868). Kate Swift married Andrew Smith on 18 Dec 1881 at the Parish Church of Sheffield. Marriage Certificate shows Andrew resided in Crookes, his father's name and occupation - David Smith a Farm Bailiff. The 1881 census for Ecclesall did not include Andrew or David Smith. Kate and Andrew's first born was Albert born 14 April 1882 at 30 Brick St, Nether Hallam. Kate and Andrew emigrated

to Toronto, Ontario, Canada in 1882. Mrs. Braun would like to hear from anyone who may have information.

DUNN
CUTTS
OUTRAM

Mrs. J. Crellin, "The Laurels", 15 Infirmary Road, Workington, Cumbria CA14 2UG is seeking information on Albert Dunn, born 1870, the son of Samuel Dunn, a farmer (locality unknown). There were 3 sisters, Florrie who married a Geoff Cutts and went to New Zealand c1890s (later they may have bred race horses), Elizabeth (Libby) who married a George Outram, an excellent water colour painter from Sheffield and a sister called Anne.

SAVILLE
SCHWAB
WALSH

J. B. Raynor, 23 Carisbrooke Ave, Leicester LE2 3PA would like any information on the Saville family, owners of J. J. Saville & Co., Steel Manufacturers, Sheffield. He seeks the descendants of John James Saville (1849-1902) who had children Mary Louisa who married Frederick Charles Schwab; Edith Winnifred who married Walter John Walsh, George Henry Hawke. Saville and niece Teresa Mable Saville. Also details of Joseph Saville b. Barnsley 1817 and his descendants. Any information on any Joseph Saville of C19 or on any J. A. Saville would be appreciated. Also on Richard Saville b. 1835 and Charles Frederick Saville b. 1839, alive in 1902. Both these two were born in Longton, Staffs, their parents b. Barnsley. Also Harold Saville b c1880-90 probably Hull, died aged 21. Also Robert Saville buried in Barnsley c1780-1820.

HAWLEY

Is anyone researching or knowledgeable about the Hawleys who had potteries in Rawmarsh and Swinton?

JOHNSON
SIMONET
COLDWELL
COCKING
DUCKITT
SHEPHERD

Mrs. M. Fitzgerald, 23 Edison St, Dianella, Western Australia 6062 is seeking information on the following:

1. The baptism dates of her 4x great grandparents John Johnson and Ann Simonet married 9 June 1772 at the parish church in Anston, Yorkshire.
2. The marriage of John Johnson son of the above baptised 15 April 1776 Anston, married Sarah ? c1799 possible at Harthill where Sarah was born.
3. The marriage of Robert Coldwell and Esther ? c 1815 possibly Sheffield.
4. The baptism of Eliza Coldwell daughter of Robert and Esther born 1820/1 Attercliffe.
5. The marriage of James Cocking (b. Doncaster c1786) and Ann ? c1814.
6. The baptism of son James born 1818 Newton, Sprotborough. Married first Emma Shepherd 1842, children, Frederick 1843, John 1845, Charlotte 1848, second marriage to Elizabeth Duckitt 4 Feb 1850 (daughter of Thomas and Elizabeth Duckitt of Kirk Bramwith), children, Elizabeth b 1850, Ann b 1856, Thomas b 1858. There was a daughter Harriet between 1861 and 1864. The 1851 Census for Attercliffe shows James' occupation as miller, on the 1861 census James' occupation listed as victualler residing at the Queen's Head, Attercliffe.

Mrs. Fitzgerald would also appreciate any information from any descendants of the above families. Any cost for searches undertaken on her behalf to be reimbursed.

MELLUISH
MARSDEN
BRADBURY

Mrs.P.T.Grafton, 12 Dalesway, Kirk Ella, Hull HU10 7NE,
North Humberside is seeking information on the Melluish
family especially:

1. William who married Susannah Marsden 1794 London.
2. Son William Fortesque, born 1794 London, married twice and had 13 children.
3. Son William b 1818 London, who married Sarah Bradbury born Sheffield. They had a daughter born in London and 6 children born in Sheffield.

William Fortesque was buried in Louth, Lincs in 1870. His wife Susannah and daughters Harriet and Margaret were on the 1871 Census, and son Frederick was on 1861, 1871 and 1881 Sheffield Censuses. Susannah was buried at Louth in 1915. All were cordwainers or in the leather trade. Any information on this family particularly William (1) and his possible connection with James, born Bath 1819 son of William (4) and Mary is needed. James lived in Louth 1850-1890. Mrs.Grafton wonders if William (1) and William (4) are the same person.

HELP OFFERED

Bristol Record
Office

Mrs.M.P.Baker, 17 Gorse Hill, Fishponds, Bristol BS16 4EG
is willing to do research at Bristol Record Office and
Reference Library in return for work on the Fitzwilliam
Archives.

ADDITIONS TO THE LIBRARY

Recent publications from Family History Societies

Middleton on the Wolds M.I.s (East Yorks)

Lund M.I.s (East Yorks)

Family History Guides from Sheffield Record Office 1-6.

Members' Interests from other Family History Societies.

Transcript of M.I.s St.John the Evangelist, Ridgeway, Derbys, (Derbys FHS)

Transcript of M.I.s Ridgeway Methodist Church, Derbys (Derbys FHS)

A Reeve's Tale. Family History of Greaves from earliest times, Ecclesfield
district compiled by Miss B.Greaves of Ecclesfield.

Official Guide of South Yorkshire, given by Miss B.Greaves

Medieval England, Nigel Saul. Batsford companion. Given by Miss B.Greaves

Ordnance Survey of Chesterfield & Sheffield Reprint of 1st Ed. of 1" O.S.

Fairbank's map of Sheffield 1771. Given by Miss B.Greaves.

Lincolnshire Archives Office:-

Deposited Parish Registers

Deposited Non parochial registers

Poor Law Union Records. A list of records covering poor law admin.
for 1834-1930.

Convicts of Lincolnshire, History of

Convicts of Lincolnshire, Chronological list of names of convicts
transported to Australia 1789-1840.

Marriage Census and other indexes 3rd Ed. 1988 Gibson.

Coroners' Records. Gibson & Rogers, 1988.

The Scots Overseas. Selected bibliography, Donald Whyte 1988.

Tracing your Ancestors, British Tourish Authority leaflet.

USEFUL ARTICLES IN OTHER SOCIETIES' JOURNALS

Where did they really live?

By Eve McLaughlin, Origins Dec 1987 Vol.11 No. 4. How to locate the exact house in which our ancestors lived.

Around the Village Pump.

Adapted from a talk by Carl Boardman, Origins Sept 1987 Vol.11 No.3. Details of parish officials.

Except the Common People.

By Eve McLaughlin, Origins Sept 1987 Vol.11 No.3. The life of the common people through the ages.

Log Books - A Mirror on Life.

By Laszlo Grof, Origins March 1988 Vol.12 No.1.

Genealogical Records relating to the Napoleonic Wars

By D.J. Musk, Suffolk Roots, Vol.14 No.2 April 1988.

The adulteration of food in mid-Victorian England.

By G.E.K. Lawson, The Yorkshire Family Historian, Vol.14 No.1 Feb 1988.

"The Land Tax"

By Francis Howcutt, Footprints (Northants FHS), Vol.8 No.1 Oct 1986.

"HISTORY OF PENISTONE" (cont)

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12. Job. Bradbury, Bradshaw
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16. Joseph Broadhead, Whitewalls
17. Nathan Littlewood, Greengate
18. Joseph Tinker, Howood, 2 flks
19. John Woodcock, Howood
20. Joseph Broadhead, Cow Well
21. John Crossland, Stubbin
22. Joseph Crossland, Waterside
23. John Lockwood, Mossedge
24. Josh. Wood, Whitegate, & Josh Moorhouse, Nab
25. Joseph Wood, Whitegate
26. Joseph Bower, Highgate
27. Joseph Kay, Holmstyes
28. James Hinchliffe, Longley

29. Matthew Lockwood, Harrandon Laithe
30. John Booth, Woodhouse, 2 flocks
31. Jonas Hinchliffe, Longley
32. Joseph Heward, Greave
33. Thomas Earnshaw, Daisylee
34. Ebernezer Booth, Wickleden
35. John Hinchliffe, Bent
36. Joseph Kirk, Rounding
37. John Roebuck, Berrystal Head
38. Eli Hirst, Knowles
39. William Hirst, Knowles
40. John Wagstaff, Foxes
41. John Goddard, Raddlepit
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8. John Handforth, Matley Moor
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10. George Winterbottom, Blackshaw
11. Joseph Wyatt, Blackshaw
12. John Platt, Padfield.
13. John Rowbottom, Lane Head
14. Moses Hadfield, Sitorley
15. Joseph Newton, Torside
16. David Sykes, Torside
17. Joseph Roberts, Deepclough
18. Robert Robinson, Churnall

MR. JOSIAH WORDSWORTH

On the site of the buildings denominated "sheds" on the plan of Penistone 1749 (shown in the book) Mr. Josiah Wordsworth, the owner of Water Hall and other estates in the district, in 1763 erected what he called "The Market House". When the Wordsworth estates in Penistone, Hoylandswaine and Denby were sold in 1825, Lot 1 comprised the following premises, viz. The Market House consisting of a

Tenants

Dwelling house
Carpenter's shop
Chamber
Another chamber
Several butcher's stalls

John Hawsworth
Richard Scolefield
John Charlesworth
Joseph Hellewell
J. Beaumont & others

to be concluded

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DODDS	Sheffield WRY	18 & 19C
DODDS	Doncaster Yorks	18 & 19C

640-Mrs.M.P.Baker, 17 Gorse Hill, Hillfields Estate, Fishponds, Bristol, Avon,

DANBY	Beeford, Yorks	19C	<u>BS16 4EG</u>
DANBY	Kilham, Yorks	18C	
GILL	Western-Super-Mare, Som.	19C	
POYNTON	Longford, Ireland	18C & 19C	
SYKES	Wentworth, Yorks	19C	
SYKES	Shillelagh, Ireland	19C	
YANDALL	Taunton, Som.	19C	

631 Mrs.S.J.Mooney, 65 Beckhampton St, Swindon, Wilts. SN1 2JY.

STEWART	Barnsley & Darfield, Yorks	1880
POWELL & variants	Ecclesfield, Yorks	1880
PO(W)NER	Ecclesfield, Yorks	1880
PARKIN	Thorpe	1855

586 Mr.& Mrs.S.A.Furnish, 20 Lulworth Road, Burntwood, Walsall, WS7 8DN.

ALLEN	Sheffield, Yorks	pre 1891
ALLEN	Ughill (Bradfield), Yorks	1831-1842
ALLEN	Hathersage, Derbys	1812-1832
ALLEN	Eyam, Derbys	1774-1809
ALLEN	Birchover, Derbys	c1753
CUNDY	Bradfield, Yorks	pre 1831
FOULSTONE	Sheffield, Yorks	pre 1860
FOX	Sibthorpe, Notts	1816-1860
FOX	Newark, Notts	pre 1816
FURNISH	Lincs	1760-1789
FURNISH	Yorks	1760-1789
GREENWOOD	Nottingham	
MARTIN	Wellingmore, Lincs	pre 1850
MORTON & variants	Eyam, Derbys	pre 1792
MOTTERSHEAD	Macclesfield, Cheshire	c1885
MOTTERSHEAD	Bolton, Lancs	pre 1871
WOOD	Selston, Notts	pre 1900
BLACKBOURN	Sheffield, Yorks	c 1891

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FOULDS	Sheffield, Yorks	pre 1841
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BOURN(E)	East London, Middx	19C
DIXON	Dewsbury, Yorks	19C
FIRTH	Womersley, Yorks	18C
GLUNTZ	East London, Middx	1850
KELLY	Sligo, Ireland	1850
ROSE	Ecclesfield, Yorks	1870
TOLSON	Dewsbury, Yorks	1830

573 Mrs.P.Staniforth, Church Farm House, High St, Thornton Dale, Pickering, N.Yorks, YO18 7QW.

STANIFORTH	Sheffield, Yorks	pre 1850
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627 Mr.J.Webster, Oakgates, 53 Copperkins Lane, Amersham, Bucks HP6 5RA

CHARLESWORTH	Pleasley, Derbys	1720-1800
CHARLESWORTH	Upper Langwith, Derbys	18C-20C
DAY	Eastwood, Notts	1760-1860
FARNSWORTH	Eastwood, Notts	18C-19C
FARNSWORTH	Greasley, Notts	19C-20C
FARNSWORTH	Radford, Notts	1840-1880
FOX	Mosborough, Derbys	1800-1850
GOODMAN	Greasborough, WRY	19C
HOPEWELL	Newthorpe-Greasley, Notts	1800-1850
HOPEWELL	Radford, Notts	19C-20C
JOHNSON	Cuckney, Notts	1800-1850
JOHNSON	Whitwell, Derbys	1800-1850
JOHNSON	Newtown Horseleap, Kings County, Ire.	1880-1900
KERRIDGE	Anywhere, SEK	anytime
KEYNORTH	Bingham, NTF	1830-1880
LITTLEWOOD	Eckington, DBY	1800-1880
ROTHERHAM	Eckington, DBY	1800-1850
WEBSTER, William	Eckington, DBY	1825-1830
WEBSTER	Eckington, DBY	19C-20C
WILSON	Eckington, DBY	1800-1850

556 Mrs.A.E.Traill, 117 Longshots Close, Broomfield, Chelmsford, Essex CM1 5DU.

ASKHAM	Sheffield, WRY	19C
ATKINS	West Ham, LND	19C
ATKINSON	Sheffied, WRY	19C
BIRRELL	Perth, PER	18-19C
BROOKES	Alvaston, DBY	19C
CAMPBELL	Lewisham, KEN	19C
CLARKE	Sheffield, WRY	19C
HALL	Ruskington, LIN	19C
HUDSON	Castle Donnington, LEI	
IBBOTSON	Sheffield, WRY	19C
JUBB	Sheffield, WRY	19C
KAY	Sheffield, WRY	19C
MOTT	West Ham, LND	19C
PARKINSON	Bristol	19C
PATERSON	ABD	19C
ROWSTON	Ruckington, LIN	19C
SHAW	Sheffield, WRY	19C
TRAILL	Perth, PER	18-19C
YOUNG	Oakham, RUT	18-19C

567 Mr.D.C.Nutting MBE, 12 March Sqaure, Chichester PO19 4AN.

BYGOTT	Barton on Humber, Lincs	1550-1720
COLVER	Whiston, Yorks	pre 1668
NICHOLSON	Darlton, Lincs	pre 1700
NICHOLSON	Lincoln, Lincs	1720-1750
NUTTING	Wimbish, Essex	pre 1750
PORTER	Louth, Lincs	pre 1730

588 Mr.J.M.Wood, 34A, Eleanor Crescent, Newcastle, Staffordshire ST5 3SA.

ELLIS	Sheffield	16-18C
ELLIS	Brampton, DBY	18C
MACHIN	Bolsover, DBY	pre 1800
RIDAL	Stocksbridge, YKS	pre 1850

TRICKETT	Loxley, Yks	pre 1850
WOOD	Loxley & Sheffield, Yks	pre 1850

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GORDON	Sheffield	1850-present
JUMP	Sheffield	1850-present

576 Mr.C.Bennett, "Rovik", Brae, Shetland ZE2 9QJ.

BENNETT	Worsbrough, S.Yorks	18C & 19C
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560 Mr.J.S.Bentley, 49 Mason Lathe Road, Sheffield S5 0TL.

ASHMORE	Blythe & Styrrup, NTT	1850-1950
ASHMORE	Tickhill, WRY	1880-1950
BENTLEY	Sheffield & district	1700-1930
COBB	Blythe, Scrooby & Styrrup, NTT	1700-1900
FAZACKERLY & variants	Blythe & Worksop, NTT	1700-1950
FAZACKERLY	" Styrrup, NTT	1840-1950
FAZACKERLY	" Tickhill, WRY	1880-1950
FISHER	London Mdx	1800-1850
FITCH	Blythe & Worksop, NTT	1700-1950
FITCH	Styrrup NTT	1840-1950
FITCH	Tickhill WRY	1880-1950
FITZACHARY	Blythe & Worksop, NTT	1700-1950
FITZACHARY	Styrrup, NTT	1940-1950
FITZACHARY	Tickhill, WRY	1880-1950
GLOVER	Wirral, CHS	1800-1940
GRAHAM	Wirral CHS	1800-1940
KELK	Worksop, NTT	1700-1950
TRELFALL	Blackpool, Preston & Southport LAN	1700-1950

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BROADBENT	Wortley, Yorks	18-19C
DRABBLE	Ecclesfield WRY	19C
GREAVES	Bradfield & Hunshelf, WRY	pre 18C
GREAVES	Hope & Hathersage, DBY	17C
GREAVES	Midhope & Penistone WRY	pre 1850
IBBOTSON	Barnsley & Ecclesfield	19C
KAY	Midhope, WRY	18C
PEDLEY	Brampton, DBY	19C
PEDLEY	Ecclesfield, WRY	19C
SPOTSWOOD	Ecclesfield, WRY	19C

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HITCHEN	Sheffield	1850-1930
JORDAN	Sheffield	1850-1930

534 Mrs.C.Lodge, 57 Wetlands Road, Meltham, Nr,Huddersfield, W.Yorks, HD7 3HA.

SPOONER	Ecclesfield, WRY	pre 1900
CAUWOOD	Ecclesfield, WRY	pre 1900
PIGOTT	Ecclesfield, WRY	pre 1900

559 Mrs.M.A.Naylor, 11 Lodge Close, Marlow, Bucks SL7 1RB.

PINDER	Sheffield, WRY	18-19C
STEVENS	Ilfracombe, DEV	18-19C

557 Mrs.K.Coughlan, 53 Linton Walk, Erdington, Birmingham B23 7YJ.

BANKS	Sheffield WRY	pre 1875
CROSSLEY	Sheffield WRY	pre 1880
GRAY	Pickering NRY	pre 1850
GRAY	Sheffield WRY	1870+
HALL	Hull ERY	1869
HOTHAM	Pickering NRY	pre 1800
JONES	Sheffield WRY	pre 1880
SMITH	Pickering NRY	pre 1840
WATSON	Sheffield WRY	pre 1875

558 Mrs.M.E.Platts, 23 Coningsburgh Rd, Edenthorpe, Doncaster, DN3 2JT.

DAVIES	Oswestry SAL	pre 1882
ELMS	Sheffield WRY	pre 1897
KYNASTON	Hengoed SAL	pre 1882
REED	Doncaster Yorks	pre 1779
TEMPLEMAN	Anywhere Yorks	pre 1809

538 Mr & Mrs.J.G.Parker, 24 Warminster Road, Sheffield S8 9BN.

CHARLES	Sheffield WRY	1811-12
DIXON	Sheffield WRY	pre 1828
GOULD	Sheffield WRY	18-19C
GRIBBON	Scotland	c1833+
GRIBBON	Sheffield	c1880+
MADIN	Sheffield WRY	1819-20+
PEART	Sheffield WRY	1819-20+
SQUIRES	Sheffield WRY	19C
WESTWOOD	Worcs WOR	1838-9+

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BEALE	Malmsbury WIL	pre 1860
CLARK	Doncaster ERY	pre 1900
DAWSON	Sheffield WRY	pre 1870
FRY	Stroud GLS	pre 1860s
HODGSON	Sheffield WRY	1850
PRATT	Manchester LAN	1880
SAVAGE	Liverpool LAN	19C
SPARROW	Malmsbury WIL	pre 1860s
TURNER	Sheffield & Rotherham WRY	1800s

591 Mr.A.D.West, 59 Springfield Road, Sheffield S7 2GG.

WILKINSON	Louth, Lincs	pre 1900
HUBBARD	Louth, Lincs	pre 1900

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(H)IBBERSON & variants	Derbys	1600-1850
IBBOTSON	Derbys	1600-1850

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TYLER	Sheffield, WRY	1770-present
TYLER	Leeds, Yorks	1880-present
LONGLEY	Churwell, Yorks	1800-1860
BARRETT	Churwell, Yorks	1780-1840

RED HERRINGS AND WILD GOOSE CHASES

Grandma Bunting as she was affectionately known to me was causing me more trouble in my hobby of family history than ever she did in her life time. An invalid as a result of a stroke whilst on a trip to the U.S.A. many years ago pre-war she died after a fatal fall at her home in 1949. I have had moderate success in tracing all the other lines of my family by two or three generations. Living in the London area I had the advantage of being able to make quite a lot of use of the public records around Aldwych including Somerset House but I had reached the point where I was making very slow progress. The worst line being that of my paternal grandmother nee Robinson. In fact to be quite blunt I was stuck.

A visit to Derbyshire and Yorkshire was arranged for Autumn 1986 ending up in Sheffield and the Central Library. Here I gathered a great deal of useful family history information about the Robinson family, emigrants from Derbyshire via Rotherham.

The facts I was able to marshal at the beginning of the visit came from my grandparents' marriage certificate giving my grandmother's name, age, and thus an approximate date of birth as 1873 and, needless to say, her address at the marriage was not that of her family but where she and her new husband were about to live. Her father's name was Samuel and he was employed as a "Moulder" but he had died before the 1893 marriage at Christ Church, Attercliffe.

I decided to look through the parish records. My wife looked specifically for Samuel and Annie Robinson and that was where the breakthrough came. The search began to be successful through the use of the 1871 Burgess Rolls which listed three possible addresses, Upper Pearl Street, Mathew Street, St.Philip's as well as one in Dunn St, Attercliffe. The census for that year did not show anything else concrete at any of the locations. However, we concentrated on the Attercliffe address as my great grandfather was the owner of the Washford Arms at 380, Attercliffe Road at the time of the wedding. This Samuel's wife Sarah was apparently born in Yorks, West Ferry. I also had vague recollections of a brother, called Frank, of my grandmother, visiting her at the Park Hotel, Hillsborough and there was a boy of that name in this family. The use of poll books gave an address in Worthing Road in Attercliffe to search in the 1881 census. The results were a bit disconcerting as Samuel, in each census, was described as a "Fitter" not the "Moulder" I was looking for. Although the wife of the head of household was Sarah, the enumerator had written Ferry without a county. The children named were different too. However, one called Annie, was the correct age and encouragingly was born in Scotland. A piece of information I had but not used so far was that my family had Scottish connections through my grandmother.

It is probably obvious to you by this time that I haven't any living relatives who might have been able to support the drift of my search towards this last family. The name is correct as is the date of birth and the two recollections on the brother and the Scottish link hopefully make the connection valid.

The search turned towards the geographic location of Ferry or West Ferry. My $\frac{1}{2}$ " motoring maps gave no places with just Ferry, all were twinned with another word, Ferry Bridge, Broughty Ferry near Dundee, East Ferry on the Trent near Gainsborough. That must have a West part! Out came the Ordnance Survey 1" maps - nothing shown. I was doubtful about Ferry Bridge and favoured the Scottish venue. This looked more promising as I found a directory at the Society of Genealogists which described West Ferry as being on the other bank of the River Tay. Annie Robinsons are impossible to identify unless you have other evidence. St. Catherine's came to the rescue with the birth certificate of her brother, Frank, giving the mother's surname as Hoult. The bit was between the teeth at this

point and an attack launched on the S.O.G. Scottish Parish records only to come up with three Annies all in the Glasgow area. Choosing the most likely date at the head of the list, noting qualifying parents, plus a £15 cheque and sending the lot to the Scottish Record Office at Edinburgh I was rewarded with the right baby, the return of two thirds of the cheque and the date of the English marriage into the bargain. The search of the IGI for Hoults in West Ferry, Scotland proved fruitless and led to many months of frustration. The staff of the enquiry desk at St.Catherine's were not aware of the place and recommended that I try "Phillimore" - no luck again even after checking each county.

The Sheffield Burgess rolls had also led me to Samuel's father and his elder brother, Job, in particular, so in one of the subsequent "dry" times, I looked for Job's marriage and found that he had married Sarsh Hoults's sister some 10 years earlier in 1860 (St.Catherine had come up trumps again!) Once more bride and groom had the same address so I was beginning to think some of my luck wasn't all that good. Back to the Portugal St. copies of the 1861 census for Brightside Bierlow and Corby Street this time to discover that her birth place was West Ferry, Lincs. Ahh!!

So, why couldn't I find this place in "Phillimore" or anywhere else? The Public Record Office at Portugal Street has, apart from the eighty or so film readers, a reference section where you identify the film you require. This is achieved by going to the shelves beneath the year of interest and on the top one at the lefthand side are the Parish Books (several identical copies). I looked at first for Ferry and was referred to West Ferry which in turn was described as a hamlet by the village of Owston, Lincolnshire. At the righthand end of the same shelf are the copies of the reference books giving further details about the places visited by the enumerators (Population, size etc). I do not know if there are similar national reference books in Sheffield but if anyone coming to London is uncertain about a parish then the P.R.O. in Portugal Street is one of the places to visit if you can get there early!

A relatively quick search of the 1841 census pinpointed the family with the modified surname Holt and Sarah's birth certificate gave her mother's name as Ann Hoults, formerly Turtle.

The search for the Robinsons and Hoults will go on and I have now even turned Turtle!

Contributed by Michael Bunting, Firgrove, Horseshoe Lane, Ash Vale, Nr Aldershot, Hants. GU12 5LL.

CROOKESMOOR SCHOOL

1887 April 4.

Report received of Drawing Examination held on February 3rd 1887.

<u>Name</u>	<u>Scale</u>	<u>Freehd.</u>	<u>Geomt.</u>
Allen Hy. Jas	-	G	-
Bagnall Hy.	-	-	E
Bagnall Wm.F.	-	-	G
Baker Geo. Herbt.	-	-	G
Barlow Edward	-	-	E
Bellamy Herbt.	G	-	-
Booker Frank	G	-	-
Briggs Saml. L.	-	-	E
Burton Hy.	G	-	-

<u>Name</u>	<u>Scale</u>	<u>Freehd.</u>	<u>Geomt.</u>
Bywater Fredk.	G	G	-
Cooper Ernest	G	-	-
Coward Albt I.H.	G	-	-
Cutts Albt.	G	G	-
Dodworth Willis	G	-	-
Donoghue Jno.E.	-	G	-
Eaglesfield Geo.E.	G	-	-
Farnsworth Jno.Wm.	-	-	G
Farnsworth Herbt.	-	G	-
Froggatt Henry	G	G	-
Gambles Harry	G	G	-
Gregory Joseph	G	-	-
Hadfield Wm.Herbt.	G	-	-
Hancock Fras. Hy.	Gx	-	-
Hodges Arth. Jno.	G	-	-
Holroyd Jno	G	-	-
Horton Peter Edwin	G	-	-
Humphries Wm.	G	-	-
Hunt Wm.	-	-	G
Jackson Jesse	G	-	-
Jessop Geo.Ha.	-	G	-
Jessop Josh E.	-	G	E
Kedie Thos.Hy.	G	-	-
Kirkby Albt.	-	-	G
Kirkby Hy.Hbt.	-	-	E
Knott Albert	-	-	G
Line Harry	G	-	-
Llewellyn Hy	G	-	-
May Arth.	-	-	E
Morton Frank Hy.	-	-	E
Parr Harold	-	-	G
Petfield Geo.F.	-	G	-
Raynes Geo.	-	G	-
Spir Thos.W.E.	-	G	-
Tingle Frank E.	G	-	-
Torbet Harold	-	G	-
Walton Horace	G	-	-
Whitting Horace	G	-	-
Wilde Ernest	-	-	G
Wilson Benj.C.	-	-	G
Wright Jno.T.	Gx	-	-

Also in 2nd Grade Freehand

May Arth.	-	G	-
Wilson Wm.B.	-	G	-

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BOOK LIST

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THE LEVICK FAMILY

From Sheffield 1788 to Australia in 1987, some notes by Diana Crumpler

The year 1988 marks Australia's bicentenary year, and it is thus an appropriate time to look back and contemplate our family's own development in that time.

In 1788 Joseph Levick, my husband's great great grandfather, was just a baby, the infant son of Joseph and Mary Levick. Joseph Levick and Mary Thorp had been married in Sheffield on 10 February 1785. Joseph was a cutler, as was his father before him, and his father before him. The arrival of the First Fleet at Botany Bay on January 26 1788 would scarcely have caused any excitement in the Levick household in Sheffield, yet the die was now cast for a change in the direction of the family and its fortunes.

Successive generations of Levicks had been cutlers in Sheffield since at least the early 1700s, but because of the continual duplication of the same given names in each generation we have not yet sorted out Joseph's direct link to these earlier Levicks. Young Joseph was apprenticed as a cutler and became a Freeman of the Cutler's Company in 1810. On May 2 1811 he married Hannah Gregory daughter of James Gregory, and four children were born to them - Joseph (1813), James (1815), Lucinda (1820) and Henry (1823). In 1828 Joseph Levick & Son are at 83-84 Pond St. listed as merchants and manufacturers of table knives, forks, razors, pen, pocket, desk and fruit knives, pocket combs and magnets. Old Joseph died in 1840 aged 86 and the following year the family business is listed in White's Directory as Levick Brothers of 37 Pond St. i.e. Joseph Jnr. and James. Their father was by then retired and living at Sharrow House. We do not know much of what happened to the younger brother Henry except that he married Mary Ann Hovil, and they had eight children. Lucinda married Robert Sorby. We often see advertisements for Sorby's woodworking tools, and wonder if there is any link between this firm and Lucinda's husband.

England has now entered an era of rapid change and the repercussions were far reaching. The increased industrialization of industry changed forever the nature of traditional trades, the age of the railways had begun, and the expansion of the British Empire encouraged traders to look in new directions for markets. The Levick firm must have been prepared to meet this challenge.

Young Joseph Levick visited Sydney in 1832, & on 1 January 1838, James Levick sailed from the Isle of Wight as a passenger aboard the 'Mary Anne'. He arrived in Sydney on May 4. The N.S.W. colony was by this stage emerging from its penal beginnings - free enterprise was flourishing, the pastoral industry was firmly established, additional settlements had been founded and the free population was increasing rapidly. Thus there was an increasing demand for imported merchandise.

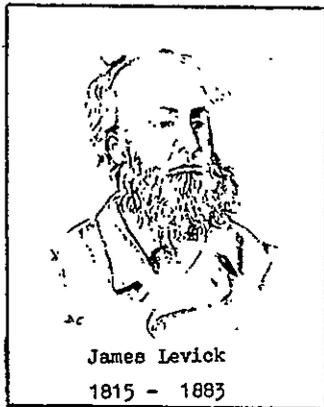
After these initial visits Joseph and James returned to Sheffield. Joseph married Susannah Elsworth at Leeds in 1836, and James married Averilda Newbold, daughter of Robert Newbold, and Ann, nee Rodgers. Two children were born to James and Averilda in Sheffield - Ann Helen (1843) and Herbert (1844). By later 1845 James and Averilda were back in Australia for their next two children were born in Sydney - Emmeline (1846) and Frederick (1847). We hypothesize that these early visits by the Levick brothers were to establish business enterprises in Sydney, but we have been unable to locate any early trade directories of that era. By 1851 the firm of 'Levicks and Piper' (James and Joseph Levick and Frederick Piper) was paying rates on premises at 546 George St. Sydney. During this time they continue to appear in both Sheffield and London directories. White's Directory of 1852 lists Levick Brothers still at 37 Pond St, Sheffield with John Gregory acting as their London agent. From 1863 - 1880 James Levick is listed in London trade publications as an Australian Merchant, at 9 King's Arms Yard with 'Levicks and Piper' and 'Levick and Sherman' at the same address.

Some time after his return from this Australian visit James left Sheffield and moved closer to London. On the 1851 census he is living at Clay Hill House, Epsom. His father Joseph resigned as a Town Trustee of Sheffield and moved to Epsom too, where he died early in 1855. James' business enterprises must have proved profitable for in the mid 1850s he had a large house built for him at Epsom: Hookfield Grove. Four more children were born there - Percy James (1850), Florence (1851), Frank (1853) and Sydney Bernard (1858). James continued to expand his business interests, becoming the director of mining enterprises in Cornwall and Devon, and 'Governor of the Credit Foncier and Mobilier of England' in which capacity he laid the foundation of the cornerstone of the City Offices Building at the corner of Gracechurch and Lombard Sts. London in 1866.

Averilda died, and by 1868 James had moved to Hill House, Streatham Common. On 23 April 1870 he married again, to Elizabeth Mary Burrup, Nee Tudway, and sailed for Australia again. The older children came too, with the exception of Frederick, who joined Joseph in the South African branch of the firm, and the two elder girls. Ann Helen had married Charles Hermann Goschen in 1864 and lived in Croyden, and Emmeline had become Mrs. Henry Willis of Epsom.

The gold rushes had produced widespread repercussions throughout every strata of Australian society. After the initial hysteria, when people from every walk of life deserted to try their luck on the diggings, society settled down again and the country entered a boom period. Melbourne's population increased rapidly, substantial new public buildings were erected and commerce flourished. 'Levicks and Piper' opened a branch in Melbourne, and in 1859 a new warehouse was built for them in King St. We were thrilled to discover recently that the building still stands and is classified by the National Trust. By 1863 they had a second shop in Little Collins St. Their Sheffield heritage persisted in their merchandising activities, for James is listed variously as an ironmonger, a hardware importer and an iron merchant. This time James had come to stay and settled in Hunter's Hill, a suburb of Sydney. Five more children were born - Lawrence Burrup, Lionel Tudway, Clement Tudway, Guy Hamilton Tudway and Evelyn Mary. James died on 12 November 1883 and Elizabeth Mary returned home to England with their three surviving children. She settled in Gloucester and it looked as though the Australian chapter has closed for our branch of the Levick family. Evelyn Mary married Rev. Morson. Lionel and Guy attended Oxford, and became a barrister and solicitor respectively. Both married and raised young families. Late in 1910 Guy went to a meeting to hear a representative of the Victorian Government speak on a ambitious project in Northern Victoria:- the Bamawm Irrigation Scheme. Northern Victoria was endowed by nature with a warm climate and the fertile soils but an absence of water. Early in the 20th century a plan was mooted to divert water from the snow-fed river systems and use it for irrigation purposes. The reference to the land of his birth must have struck a chord in Guy for he applied to settle at Bamawm. The family arrived in 1911, and Guy spent the rest of his life as an orchardist here in Victoria. But there-in lies another story.....

We often contemplate the scope of these three generations of Levicks. Joseph was born in 1787 in Sheffield into a world with expectations very little changed from that of previous generations. By the time James was born in 1815 the social, political and economic changes were already afoot which would point the family in a new direction and scatter Joseph's grandchildren around the world. Guy was born in Hunter's Hill in 1876, in



an era of change which was to escalate even more rapidly during his lifetime. There is a timespan of almost exactly 150 years between the birth of James Levick and the death of his youngest son. The Battle of Waterloo had been fought two weeks before James' birth, yet when Guy died on August 1 1965 men had already ventured into space and were preparing for a flight to the moon.

The family's links with Sheffield gradually became a dim memory, the only tangible reminder being a lovely little ivory handled knife, inscribed 'Levick's superior cutlery Sheffield'. For many years Guy used this knife as his budding knife when grafting fruit trees. We still have a long way to go with research into our Sheffield links, but have been very pleased to verify the family legend of cutlery connections.

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 DEWSNAP, J.S. 38 Upper Albert road.
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 DOBB, T. Jun. Riverdalé Grange, Ranmoor
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 ENGLAND, Jno. Wm. Old Mill Cottage,
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 EVERITT, F.E., 69 Havelock square.
 FELTRUP, Gilbert, Sheffield and Hallam-
 shire Bank, Woodseats
 FOWLER, C.A., 29 Church Street
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 FURNISS, W.H. 23 Brook Road.
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 GILLOTT, W., 12 Montrose road.
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 HANCOCK, J. 101 Banner Cross road.
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 HEMSOLL, G.H. 12 Burnside Avenue
 HETHERINGTON, W.W. 27 Albany road.
 HIRST, J.H. 9 Chantry road.
 HOBMAN, J.B. 24 Adelaide road.
 HOWE, T. 67 Carfield avenue
 HOWE, S.A. 24 Gatefield road.
 HUBBELL, J.E. 69 Hastings road
 Millhouses
 HUTCHINSON, E., 23 Lees Hall road.
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 IMRIE, J., 23 Horndean road, Firth Park
 JENNINGS, H.J. 95 Thirlwell road, Heeley
 JOHNSON, A., 319 Ecclesall road.
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 KIRKBY, H.W., 57 Brook road
 LAND, F.W., 16 Ecclesall Hall road.
 LARDER, J.W., 19 Upper Albert road.
 LEE, J. 461 Abbeydale road.
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 Broomhill
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 Wadsley
 MOUNTAIN, W.G. 10 Chelsea road.
 MUDFORD, Jas.G. 55 Exchange street
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 NEEDHAM, C.E. Bella Vista, Fulwood
 NEWBY, Ernest, 71 Hastings road,
 Millhouses
 NUNN, Frederick, 9 Norfolk row
 OGLESBY, G.F., Linden Avenue, Woodseats
 OLDALE, H., 129 Gell street.
 OSWALD, J.S. 67 Chesterfield road.
 PARKER, Geo.H., 52 Meadow Head,
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 PARKIN, Chas.S., 61 Havelock Square
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 via Totley Rise
 PARTON, A.E. Meadow Bank House,
 Cherrytree road.
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 PETTY, J.H. 29 Binfield road.
 PORTER, A. 176 Sharrow lane
 POTTS, F. 33 Carter Knowle road.
 PURDIE, Thos. 57 Cliffe Field road.
 REED, R.G., 36 Newlyn road, Soodseats
 REEVE, H.D. 22 Hoole road.
 RICHARDSON, C.E. 46 Cherry Bank road,
 Woodseats
 RICHARSON, W.E., 20 Burnside Avenue,
 Meersbrook
 RIDGE, A., 39 Priestley street.
 ROBERTSON, J.F. Linden Avenue, Woodseats
 ROBINSON, Geo. 20 Burnside Avenue,
 Meersbrook.
 ROBINSON, Samuel, Ladysmith avenue
 ROSE, W. 35 Tom Lane.
 SAMPSON, A., 134 Broomspring lane.
 SAMPSON, Geo.J. 135 Broomspring lane
 SAYER, H. 19 Brunswick street
 SAYER, J.G., 21 Rossington road.
 SAWTELL, G.H. 8 Burnside Avenue.
 SCHINDLER, S.M., 224 Carter Knowle road
 SEAGRAVE, H., 48 Montgomery road.
 SEFTON, P., 31 Havelock square
 SENIOR, C., 369 Abbeydale road.
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 SHEPHERD, A.E.B. 9 Norfolk row
 SHEPHARD, T., 10 Lees Hall place.
 SINCLAIR, W., 61 Upper Albert road.
 SMITH, John, 6 Lees Hall place
 SMITH, S. 99 Meersbrook Park road.

STEELE, Geo.E., 62 Holmhirst road.
 STYRING, W.T., 75 Meersbrook Park road
 SWIFT, W., 26 Lees Hall place.
 SWINDIN, F.A., 66 Ashland road.
 SWINSCOE, J.R., 7 Brentwood road.
 TALLENT, M.W., 100 Brincliffe Edge road
 TAYLOR, D.B. 226 Carter Knowle road.
 THRAVES, W., 446 London road.
 TRAVISS, H. 16 Botanical road.
 TRIPPETT, H.W., 42 Upper Albert road.
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 TOMLINSON, J.W. 2 Hawlock square
 TOOTHILL, P. 92 Sandford Grove road.
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TOPHAM, J.H., 161 Firth Park road.
 TURNER C.B. 21 Upper Albert road.
 UNITT, A.E., 252 Carter Knowle road
 VICARRY, P.H. c/o Hay & Son Ltd.
 Norfolk Street
 WATKINSON, A., 77 Sedan street
 WILD, F.D. Norton Grange
 WILLIAMSON, F.E. 104 Cowlshaw road
 WILSON, Chris, 47 Edge Hill road
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 WHITE, J. 150 London road.
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 BARKER, Mrs.T., 25 Lees Hall road.
 BARRON, Mrs.C.B. 115 South street, Moor
 BEARD, Miss B.E., 60, Kingfield road.
 BRIGHTMORE, Mrs.S., 16 Lees Hall road
 BURLAND, Miss A., 11 Summerfield,
 Broomhill
 CALLADINE, Miss F., 74 Brocco bank
 CHAMBERS, Mrs.49 Upper Albert road.
 CLARKE, Miss, Lees Hall.
 CLARKE, Miss Nellie, Lees Hall.
 CLARKE, Miss Muriel, Lees Hall.
 COOK, Mrs L.G.M., 48 Southgrove road
 COOK, Miss, 48 Southgrove road.
 CORBETT, Miss, 32 Carfield avenue
 DEWSNAP, Miss A., 38 Upper Albert road.
 DEWSNAP, Miss W.V., 38 Upper Albert road
 DICK, Miss M., 333 Barnsley road.
 EVANS, Miss E. 282 Western bank
 FIRTH, Miss Ethel, Brooklyn, Sharrow Head
 FURNISS, Miss, 23 Brook road.
 GASCOIGNE, Miss, Bishopthorpe House,
 Hemsworth road
 HABBIJAM, Mrs. 28 Upper Albert Road.
 HAMER, Miss L. 267 Chesterfield road
 HARDY, Mrs.W.R., 139 Meersbrook Park road
 HATFIELD, Mrs.W.H., 26 Meersbrook road
 HATFIELD, Miss 17 Upper Albert road.
 HAVENHAND, Miss Ida, 24 Meadowbank Avenue
 HOBBS, Miss M., 333 Barnsley road
 HUTCHINSON, Mrs.E., 23 Lees Hall place.
 HYDE, Mrs., 58 Upper Albert Road.
 JONES, Mrs., 12 Montgomery road, Sharrow
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 Ranmoor

MELLING, Miss E. 20 Oakbrook road
 MOUNTAIN, Mrs.W.G. 10 Chelsea road
 MOUNTAIN, Miss Dorothy, 10 Chelsea road
 NEWSAM, Mrs. Lees Hall.
 NOBLE, Miss M., 90 Everton road.
 PARKER, Mrs, G.H. 52 Meadow Head
 PARKIN, Mrs.J.E. Chatsworth road via
 Totley Rise
 PARKIN, Mrs.C.S.61 Havelock square
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 PRINGLE, Miss M., 90 Everton road,
 Brocco Bank.
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 road.
 RICHARDSON, Miss M., 20 Burnside Avenue
 SENIOR, Mrs.H., 801 Chesterfield road
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 SMITH, Mrs.J., 6 Lees Hall place.
 SMITH, Miss M. 6 Lees Hall place.
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 STACEY, Mrs. Lees Hall.
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 road.
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 Sharrow
 TURNER, Mrs C.B., 21 Upper Albert road
 WARD, Miss A., 60 Endcliffe Rise road
 WATTS, Miss W., Bank Cottage, Fox street
 WHARTON, Mrs., 84 Sandford Grove road
 WILSON, Miss, 47 Edge Hill road
 WILSON, Mrs.C. 47 Edge Hill road

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BELBIN, Harry L. 5 Argyle road	HYDE, E., 58 Upper Albert road
BURNELL, G. 37 Mearsbrook road	LAND, H.F., Devonshire road, Totley rise
HABBIJAM, Clifford, 28 Upper Albert road	LEESON, Alan, 56 Upper Albert road
HABBIJAM, Gordon, 28 Upper Albert road.	OLDALE, H., 129 Gell street
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Results of Competitions.

Monthly Stroke Competitions:

Thursday Winners: E.GRIFFITH, A.SAMPSON, H. SEAGRAVE, J.LEE, G.H.HEMSOLL, J.H.BARKER, E.HAINING, W.BURNELL, S.A.HOWE, J.G.MUDFORD, N.F.GREAVES, H.SENIOR.

Saturday Winners: L.MURRAY (2), G.H.HEMSOLL (2), E.GRIFFITH (2), H.SAYER (2) W.ANDERSON (2), T.SHEPARD, J.H.BARKER, P.TOOTHILL, H.W. BARNES, E.J.BARNES, C.SENIOR, H.SEAGRAVE, S.ROBINSON, J.H.BAGSHAW.

Gold Medal Finals:

Thursday:	L.MURRAY
1st class Saturday:	E.GRIFFITH
2nd " " "	J.H.BAGSHAW

Thursday Shield Final: J.S.OSWALD (7) beat G.E.STEEL (16)

Larder Cup Final: F.W.HARDY (18) beat E.V.BEARD (14)

President's Cup Final: E.V.BEARD (16) beat J.S.OSWALD (7)

Petty Foursomes Final: W.BURNELL (16) and S.A. HOWE (18) beat J.E.DEWSNAP (14) and H.W.BARNES (20)

Captain's Prizes:

For the lowest and next lowest net aggregate of six monthly medal cards, all Saturday or all Thursday. 17 players lodged the requisite six cards, the following being the best: H.SAYER (1st prize), J.S. OSWALD (2nd prize), E.GRIFFITH, G.H.HEMSOLL, C.SENIOR, H.W.BARNES, W.ANDERSON, L.MURRAY.

Professional: A.SHAW

Groundsman: J.HOLLAND

Stewardess: Mrs.Samuel SMITH

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THE LIFE AND TIMES OF HENRY GODDARD

Henry Goddard, my great great grandfather on my father's side was born in 1831, son of James Goddard and Jane (nee Swift). He died in 1912, aged 81 and yet his legend lives on in Stoney Middleton, even today. He was a large, well-built man, with a forceful personality. I picture him as described by my grandfather: he would stand with his thumbs locked in his belt, chest thrust forward, and his favourite phrase in this stance was "I could mount t'rostrum". He was known to stand up in church and contradict the preacher if he didn't agree with what was being said!

He followed a variety of professions during his lifetime: he is described on the 1881 census as "Farmer and Auctioneer": Limeburner emp. 4 men". An 1862 Directory lists him as "Shopkeeper", but adds that he also kept a Beerhouse. But his working life began in the lead mines following a family tradition.

The first record of my line of Goddards in Stoney Middleton is the marriage of Benjamin Goddard to Dorothy Thornhill in 1782: Benjamin was Henry's grandfather. There was a George Goddard living nearby in Grindleford Bridge earlier than that (and buried at Stoney Middleton), but Benjamin doesn't appear to have been one of his sons. Benjamin was buried in 1819 aged 66, and his burial register entry tells us he was a miner. If his father before him was a miner, it's unlikely it would have been George, as Grindleford Bridge was an area for farming.

As yet, I do not know where Benjamin came from: I'd like to think he came from one of the other lead-mining communities in the county. His son, James, Henry's father, was also a lead miner. In 1841, Henry was at home aged 11 with his parents but not yet employed. He may have started work aged 12 or 13; his sons James and Charles Henry are "employed at the Lead Mine", in 1861, but not his son George, then only 11.

Many of the men of the village were still working in the lead mines at this time, but the industry was in a state of decline during the latter part of the 19th century. The lead ore had been worked in the county since Roman times, but it became harder and harder to extract from the ground, as the veins close to the surface were exhausted, and access to those further down posed problems of drainage. In 1861, there were 2333 men employed in the county as a whole; in 1881 only 871. The decline is reflected on the 1881 census for Stoney Middleton; it records a total of 125 houses: 84 inhabited and 41 uninhabited. Many of the old leadminers must have left the village to find work elsewhere, perhaps in Sheffield.

The mineral veins of lead are contained in the limestone outcrops of the Peak District, and limeburning was practised in parallel with leadmining - although not as an only means of livelihood. Lime was in use by the farmers to improve the land. They would build their own kiln to burn the limestone in the field where it was needed to be spread on the land in its burnt form, the powder as "lime", selling only what was surplus to requirements. But all this changed with the advent of the Industrial Revolution: burnt limestone was needed to use in the steelmaking process as flux, and the broken rocks were used to make roads.

Henry did not leave the village: he moved into the growing limestone industry and the quarry that bears his name survives today in Stoney Middleton Dale - although it is no longer owned by the family. It stayed in the family until the early 1960s, the last working member of the family there being my father.

Working the lime kilns might have been seen as an improvement in working conditions compared with leadmining, but it was probably little better than working underground extracting lead. My father started work at the age of 14 spending his days shovelling coal into the kilns and shovelling the lime out,

working in tremendous heat. He would have come home bathed in sweat, and the palm of his hands were permanently cracked, dried out by exposure to lime and worn by constant use of the shovel. Added to that was the pain of seeing his workmates suffer injury and death. His cousin was killed in the quarry, trapped by his legs under a fall of rock. In that sort of environment one must begin to wonder when it is going to happen to you.

In spite of this way of life, many of the other Goddards lived long lives. Jane, Henry's mother lived to be 92 (1791-1893). Henry, as I said, lived to be 81; his sister Mary died aged 93. Henry's son James was 92 when he died; his son George was 85. James' son George Robert (my grandfather) was 82. My father died young by these standards: he was 63, but he was killed in a road accident.

It's not entirely clear whether Henry himself worked in the quarry, or just ran it. The stories told about him describe him as a successful business man, with an eye out for a deal, possibly a little less than honest! And indeed, his will shows his having owned a great deal of property: enough to leave each of his seven surviving children one or more houses each. Also, "the premises situate in Middleton Dale" is left to be "given absolutely to my four sons James - Charles Henry - George and Arthur...consisting of Lime Kilns Stabling Hay Chamber and Trap Shed together with the plant tools horses carts and traps". One wonders how they divided it up! His daughters "Louisa - Charlotte and Bertha" were to share "the Lodging House with furniture and appurtenances".

Henry and his wife Ellen had in all 17 known children: eight survived to adulthood (the above mentioned seven and son Ebenezer who died before his father aged 33). The other nine died in infancy: a M.I. to their infant son Mark also. commemorates another "eight of their children who died in infancy".

The will mentions Henry's Lodging House: his time as its proprietor has been remembered in his poetry:

This is Henry Goddard's House;
Free from either Bug or Louse;
All may stay except one Lady;
And her name is Mary Brady;
Four pence must this lady pay;
Before in Henry's bed she lay!

Did Henry run the place as a brothel? He is said to have had a "rule" that no unmarried couple could share a bed at his house as he was "a true man of God" and as such could not tolerate an unmarried couple sharing a bed. However, he was prepared to act on God's behalf: he would let them "jump the broomstick" and "marry" them for a fee! A practical man!

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DEATH RATHER THAN THE WORKHOUSE

Ref: Sheffield Local History Library ref. 352.95. Sheffield Union and Special Report and England's Shame 1902. A Special Report of the Classification Committee (for inmates of the workhouse) includes a pamphlet with newspaper extracts about the deaths of the following people rather than enter the workhouse.

JOHN SPENCER aged 74, gardener, was for thirty-six years gardener to a gentleman near Sheffield who removed to the South of England taking the old gardener with him. He became too old and infirm for the work, and returned to Sheffield, doing odd jobs in the gardening line. He was a steady respectable man. He got too old and infirm to do any work, and became very depressed, and said, "old men ought to be done away with." He was found dead, with his throat cut. - Verdict: "Temporary Insanity".

GEORGE BOTTOM, 60 years of age, labourer, was found drowned in the canal. He had no regular occupation, but obtained a living as well as he could. For some time he had been receiving parish relief, but a fortnight since it was stopped, and he was requested to enter the Workhouse. He was very low-spirited and told a man that he would sooner cut his head off than go into the Workhouse. - Verdict: "Temporary Insanity".

DANIAL HOWARTH, aged 68, had been in the Workhouse three months, he went out to pay a visit to his son, at Christmas, and remained out six weeks. He was told that he would have to go back to the Workhouse. He lay in bed all morning - apparently with a view to gain strength for the ordeal of entering the dreaded Workhouse, rather than which he cut a dreadful gash in his throat with an old knife.

MARY HEWITT, aged 78, was in very low circumstances and applied for Out-door relief and was refused. She had been in the Workhouse once, and had told the neighbours "rather than go in again she would commit suicide". Found hung by a thin cord. - Verdict: Temporarily Insane."

JOSEPH INGALL, age 51, saw maker, suffering from an abscess on his leg for some years, was unable to do much work, was very much depressed in spirits, and had to go short of food. His wife died, leaving him with a family of four children. His body was found in the canal. - Verdict: "Found drowned".

A middle-aged couple, named HUTTON, were found dead together in their bedroom, having apparently committed suicide with cyanide of potassium. Both bodies were much emaciated, and the cause of self-destruction was evidently poverty. In the room was a letter in a man's handwriting, which said: "We have poisoned ourselves so as to escape the Workhouse, as we have no money and nothing to make anything of. We owe two weeks' rent. Have been out of work seven months. May the Lord forgive us."

GEORGE HURST, aged 57, stove-grate worker, was found drowned in the canal. He had been out of work for several months, and had frequently tried to obtain employment but without success. This affected his mind, causing him to become low-spirited. - Verdict: "Found drowned".

GEORGE COCKING, a blacksmith, had been out of work for some time, which caused him to be very low-spirited. He was found with a terrible gash in his throat almost from ear to ear.

THOMAS MASON, over 80 years of age said, "he could not end his days in the Workhouse. He wanted to be somewhere where he could 'go about and do a bit'. He tried to drown himself, and the magistrate said "that he must go to the Workhouse or go to Prison."

DANIEL HILL, aged 85, a farm labourer, began work at five years of age and has worked ever since. He was given notice by his employer. "So I shall have to fall back on one loaf and two shillings a week" he said - meaning Out-relief - hoping to do temporary jobs, but determined not to enter the "House".

WILLIAM GRUNNILL, in his 85th year, had been a lifeboat crew man, and saved several lives at sea, for which he was presented with a silver medal. He was unable to work, and the Union would not grant him Out-door relief; he could not bear the thought of going to the Union and he was found drowned in an old brickyard near his house.

WILLIAM POTTER, aged 84, farm labourer, had been receiving Out-relief, and the Guardians insisted on his going into the House, rather than which he hung himself.

HENRY KNIGHTON, aged 67, joiner, was very low-spirited owing to his inability to follow his employment as regularly as he did formerly. He had frequently complained of feeling weak and exhausted. Found with his throat cut and a large carving knife beside him. - Verdict: "Temporary Insanity".

ROBERT BURTON, aged 62, wood turner, had always been a very steady man. He was destitute and starving, and was advised to go into the Workhouse, his answer was "No friends of mine have died within the walls of the Workhouse and I am not going to." Verdict: "Death from starvation and exposure".

WILLIAM WEBB, aged 78, silk weaver, had an order to go into the Workhouse, but begged to be allowed to stay out another day and was found with his throat cut, a razor clenched in his right hand.

THE SHEFFIELD VOLUNTEER INFANTRY 1803-1808 (cont)

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Waterfall	Charles X	2 Smithfield	Cutler
Johnson	Geo X	Coalpitlane	Labourer
Brown	Nathaniel X	Castle green	Cutler
Swan	Robt X	16 New Street	Chair maker
Fullelove	John X	17 Orchard Street	Taylor
Miller	Thomas	Attercliff	Cutler
Daniell	Edward	12 Castle Street	Cutler
Cutler	John	1 Far - Gate	File Smith
Pickslay	Chas	15 High Street	Ironmonger
Ellis	Jon ⁿ X	Lambert Street	Silver Smith
Handon	Thomas	4 Miln Sands	Saw Maker
Thompson	John	58 West Barr	Saw Maker
Norris	Thomas	55 Wes Bar	Merchant
Barnes	John X	Eyre Lane	Silversmith
Barnes	Thos X	9 Green Square	Silversmith
Bennett	Robert	Sheffield Moore	Edge Tool Maker
Mallinson	-hn X	Green Square	Cutler
Truelove	Charles	High Street	Joiner

Unwin	Luke X	High Street	Shoe Maker
Ledger	Geo X	16 Water Lane	Cutler
Rushuk	Joseph X	4 Gorden Street	Mason
Ingleby	John	Hay Market	Jodner
Spencer	Rob ^t X	Pond Street	Cutler
Brookfield	Cha	Parradise Square	Attorney
Mather	Sam ^l	11 Norfolkrow	Musician
(R/H?)othwell	Tho ^s	1 Angel Street	Draper
Corbett	- X	Greenlane	Hair Dresser
Roe(al)	-	Pond Street	Engraver
-field	- X	Westbargreen	Taylor

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Griffiths	Edward	Ovenforth Farm, near	Servant
Saynor	Jer ^h	Spring Street	Cutler
Baker	William	Campolane	Silversmith
Parkin	Rich ^d X	Court 41, Holley Street	Witemetalsmith
Lansdale?	Walter	6 Churchyard	Taylor
Machon	John X	Scotland Street	Silversmith
Johnson	James	Milnsands	Optician
Hancock	Geo X	22 Fargate	Butcher
Middletón	W ^m X	20 Green Lane	Cutler
Elgie	Henry	Angel Street	Draper
Brown	Joseph	Market Place	Watch Maker
Jeffcock	Paul	19 Copper Street	Cutler
Ardron	John	16 Castle Street	Grocer
Mosley	Thos X	Eyre Street	Edgetool Maker
Richardson	Will ^m X	Co ^t 19 Cross b urgesstreet	Cutler
Almond	John X	Castle Street	Cutler
Makin	Charles	Pickle	Cutler
Sellars	Geo X	122 Newfield Bridgehouses	Sawmaker
Paramour	Jo- X	21 Coalpitlane	Buttonmaker
Bales	George	Old Coal Yard Park	Collier
Sanderson	John	3 Westbar	Druggist
Jepson	Matt X	7 Edward Street	Cutler
Hartley	Will ^m X	Arundellane	Shear. Smith
Harriatt	George	35 Gibraltar Street	Cutler
Bates	Sam ^l	11 Spring Street	Filesmith
Fell	John X	23 Furnisshill	Shoe Maker
Bagshaw	John	30 Far Gate	Pawnbroker
Rushley	Geo ^e	Cherrytreehill	Farmer
Oakes	John	Atercliff Bridge	Scissor Smith
-	-	Sheffield Moore	Warehouseman

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Ba-nes	William	Scotland Street	Metalsmith
Dearden	W ^m X	5 Copper Street	Scissorsmith
Crooke	Jn ^o	23 Cheney Square	Silversmith
Healey	Heny	Haymarket	Silversmith
Richardson	John	70 Park School	School Master
Kennedy	Robt	Bright Street, Sheff ^d Moor	Silversmith
Armitage	Tho ^s	Bridgehouses	Sawsmith
Jenkinson	Tho ^s X	Church Street	White Smith
Darwin	- X	Trippit Lane	Cutler

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