

EDITED TRANSCRIPTION OF 1881 HAM CENSUS

Rural Sanitary District of Hungerford

NOTES

1. Total Population was 199: 101 male & 98 female in 48 households
136 adults and 63 children under 12

2. Summary of occupations:

farm carter/housekeeper/plough boy/gamekeeper/agricultural worker/farm labourer/basket maker/parish clerk/farm servant/invalid/invalid nurse/farm boy/grocer/blacksmith/grocers assistant/needlewoman/carpenter/wheelwright/independent lady/groom/engine driver on farm/school master/farmer/police officer/maltster/curate/cook domestic/sub postmistress/general servant/annuitant/general servant/laundress/housemaid

Ashley Drove

George Curtis	Head	48	Farm Carter		
Ann Maria	Daugh	18	Keeps her Fathers House	Linkenholt	Hamps
Charles William	Son	11	Plough Boy	Coombe	or Walter?
Mary	Daugh	9	Scholar	Coombe	
Charles Sheppard	Lodger	18		Ham	

Ashley Drove

George Sopp	Head	46	Gamekeeper	Ham	
Myrna	Wife	45	Works on farm	Vernham	Hamps
Jonah	Son	16	Ag Lab	Ham	
Charles	Son	13	Plough Boy	Ham	
Alfred	Son	11	Scholar	Ham	
Mary Anne	Daugh	5		Ham	
Emma Alice	Daugh	2		Ham	

Village

Ann Walter	Head	63W	farm Lab Widow	Chilton	Wilts
Louisa	Daugh	27	Domestic Servant	Ham	
Amos	Son	24	Ag Lab	Ham	
John Digwood	Head	53/68	Ag Lab	Ham	Digweed?
Harriet	Wife	59	Ag Lab Wife	Ham	Henrietta/Hannah?
Charles Bowley	Head	78	Ag Lab	Henley in	Buttermere
Esther	Wife	70	Ag Lab Wife	Inkpen	Berks
William Rolfe	Head	32	Basket Maker	Ham	
Elizabeth	Wife	41		Ham	
Thomas Harding	Head	70	Parish Clerk & AG Lab	Inkpen	
Eliza	Wife	63		Ham	
Albert E	Grandson		Farm Servant	Hungerford	
Jesse Haines /Haynes	Lodger	17	Farm Servant		

Copyhold

Mary Stockwell	Head	67W	Invalid	Ham
George	Son	44	Ag Lab	Ham
Elizabeth	Daugh	30	Dom Housekeeper	Shalbourne Wilts
Jesse	Son	26	Ag Lab	

Copyhold

Joseph Bowley	Head	43	Ag Lab	Ham
Eliza	Wife	42	Ag Lab Wife	Shalbourne Wilts
Ellen	Daugh	13	Scholar	Ham
Mark	Son	11	Farm Boy	Ham
Alfred	Son	6	Scholar	Ham
Kate	Daur	4		Ham
Alice	Daur	2months		Ham

Shepherds House

Charles Haynes	Head	60	Ag Lab	Ham	or Haines?
Eliza	Wife	61	Ag Lab Wife		
George	Son	20	Ag Lab	Ham	
Henry	Son	18	Ag Lab	Ham	

Village

George Hercombe	Head	57	Grocer & Blacksmith	Ham
Charles	Son	28	Carpenter	Ham
Alice	Daugh	24	Grocers Assis	Ham
Reuben	Son	20	Blacksmith	Ham
Emma	Daugh	18	Grocers Assis	

Henry Bowley	Head	40	Ag Lab	Ham
Lucy	Wife	31	Ag Lab Wife	Enborne, Berks
Arthur Thomas	Son	11	Plough Boy	Ramsbury
George	Son	9	Scholar	Ham
Emily	Daugh	7	Scholar	Ham
Mark	Son	5	Scholar	Ham
Esther	Daugh	3		Ham
Edward John	Son			Ham

Thomas Preston	Head	39	Ag Lab	Shalbourne
Frances	Wife	29	Ag Lab Wife	Ham
William John	Son	2		Ham
Charles	Son	3 months		Ham

Edmund Hercombe	Head	52	Blacksmith	Ham
Anne	Sister	55	Needlewoman	Ham
Emma	Sister	46	Needlewoman	Ham

Eastcourt

John Henry Bark	Head	25	Carpenter & Wheelwright	Ramsbury Wilts or Bush?
Annie	Wife	26	Carpenter's Wife	Froxfield Wilts

Thomas Henry	Son	1	Twins	Ham
Edith Mary	Daugh	1		Ham

Eastcourt

Esther Thickens	Nurse	56W	Invalid Nurse	
Annica S G Dartnell	Boarder	22	Clergymans daughter	Honiton Devon
Anne Holbrow	Visitor	66	Independent Lady	St Peters Marlboro

Village

George Collins	Head	39	Groom	Compton Berks
Jane	Wife	36		Chute, Wilts
Francis Ellen	Daugh	7	Scholar	Compton or Nancie?
Lucy Louisa	Daugh	5	Scholar	Compton
Thomas Chadley	Son	3		Ham
Elizabeth	Daugh	11 months		Ham

Abel Cummins	Head	35	Ag Lab	Ham
Anna	Wife	39	Ag Lab Wife	Shalbourne Wilts
Edith Priscilla	Daugh	3		Ham
Frank Henry	Son	2		Ham
Eli	Son	2 months		Ham

Charles Giles	Head	32	Engine Driver on Farm	Buttermere
Ellen	Wife	23		Ham
William	Son	4		Ham

John Walters	Head	66	Ag Lab	Ham
Jane	Wife	53	Ag Lab Wife	Ham
Charles	Son	17	Ag Lab	Ham
John Farrant	Son in Law/Visitor		Ag Lab	Wroughton Wilts

John Humphries	Head	49	Engine Driver on Farm	Ham
Jane	Wife	47		Shalbourne
Henry	Son	25	Labourer in Farm work	Ham
Thomas	Son	15	Plough Boy	Ham
John	Son	13	Plough Boy	Ham
Annie	Daugh	11	Scholar	Ham
Elizabeth	Daugh	9	Scholar	Ham
William	Son	6	Scholar	Ham
Kate	Daugh	4	Scholar	Ham
Edith	Daugh	2		Ham

School House

William Alexander	Head	62	School Master	Basingstoke Hants
Mary	Wife	64	Schoolmasters Wife & Asst	Tangley

National School

Village

John Cummins	Head	66	Ag Lab	Buttermere
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Rachael Wife 61 Ag Lab Wife Ham

Public House *no one staying on premises on April 3rd*

Rachel **Digweed** Head 59W Ag Lab Widow Ham
Joshua Son 19 Ag Lab Ham
Henry Haynes Lodger 21 Ag Lab Ham

Doves Farm

Thomas **Martin** Head 46 Farmer of 69 acres 2 labs Chew Stoke Somerset
Harriet Wife 52 Farmers Wife Chewton Mendip Somerset

Village

Joseph Walter **Martin** Head 33 Police Officer Ramsbury
Emma Sophia G Wife 26 Police Officers Wife Broughton Gifford
Walter Son 7 Ham

Malt House

George **Hopkins** Head 78 Maltster
Sarah Wife 71 Ham
Agnes Twitchin Daugh 43 Inkpen
Edward Twitchin Grandson 11 Scholar Inkpen

Ham Rectory

Edward M R **Edgall** Head 30 Curate in Charge Bromham Wilts
Eliza Stockwell Serv 39 Cook Dom Shalbourne Wilts
David Stockwell Serv 24 Ag Lab Shalbourne Wilts

Village

Charles **Sheppard** Head 67 Ag Lab Ham
Mary Wife 58 Ag Lab Wife Wickham

John **Haynes** Head 24 Ag Lab Ham or Haines?
Mary Wife 25 Ag Lab Wife Fosbury Wilts
Richard Son 6 months Ham

Joseph **Pettit** Head 59 Grocer Speen Berks
Prudence Wife 54 Grocers Wife Assist Speen Berks
Angelina Grand d 8 Scholar Ham

Spray Lodge

Jeremiah **Stockwell** Head 41 Ag Lab Ham
Ruth Wife 40 Ag Lab Wife Shalbourne
Arthur Son 16 Ag Lab Shalbourne
Talitha Daugh 13 Scholar Ham or Tabitha?
Albert William Son 11 Scholar Ham
Florence Ann Daugh 9 Scholar Ham
Earnest Charles Son 7 Scholar Ham
Mary Anne Daugh 5 Scholar Ham
Emma Elizabeth Daugh 3 Ham

Sarah Jane Daugh 9 Months Ham

Spray Cottage

James **Cummins** Head 46 Farm Carter Buttermere
Miriam Wife 45 Farm Carters Wife Aldbourne Wilts
Henry Son 19 Under Carter Ham
John Son 17 Plough Boy Ham
Elizabeth Ann Daugh 11 Scholar Ham
Charles Son 8 Scholar Ham
Thomas Annetts Lodger 16 Plough Boy Ham

Spray House To Let(?) no one slept on premises on Apr 3rd

Village

Charles **Cummins** Head 25 Ag Lab Ham
Emily Wife 26 Ag Lab Wife Buttermere
Mara? Daugh 9 Scholar Buttermere
Jane daugh 3 Ham
Albert Edwd Son 2 Ham
Charles John Son 1 month Ham

Jesse **Rolfe** Head 50 Farm Lab Ham
Anne Wife 43 Farm Lab Wife Shalbourne Wilts
Frances Ann Daugh 14 Scholar Ham
Isabella Daugh 11 Scholar Ham
Katherine Daugh 7 Scholar Ham
Emily Daugh 5 Scholar Ham
Helen Loes? Daugh 2 Ham

William **Digweed** Head 64 Ag Lab Ham
Anne Wife 60 Ag Lab Wife Buttermere
George Son 15 Plough Boy Ham

Carpenters Shop & House

George **Whale** Head 52 Carpenter Ham
George Son 14 Carpenters Apprentice Ham
John Son 8 Scholar Ham

Post Office

Julia **Whale** Wife 51 Sub Postmistress Severn Stoke, Worcs
Mary Daugh 12 Scholar Ham

Village

George **Rolfe** Head 56 Ag Labourer Ham
Mary Anne Wife 54 Ag Lab Wife Shalbourne

Jonah **Sopp** Head 53 Ag Lab Ham or James?
Elizabeth Wife 53 Ag Lab Wife Great Bedwyn

Henry **Willoughby** Head 62 Ag Lab Ham

Anne	Wife	60	Ag Lab Wife	Fyfield Wilts
Henry Blundy	Head	65	Ag Lab	Ham
Martha	Wife	59	Ag Lab Wife	East Woodhay
Sarah E Bartlett	Serv	15	General Serv	Islington Middlesex

George Sheppard	Head	70	Ag Lab	Ham
Caleb	Son	25	Ag Lab	Ham
Anne	Sister	61		Ham

Doves House

Martha Woodman	Head	74	Annuitant	Aldbourne Wilts
Elizabeth Harding	Serv	29	General Serv	Ham

Village

James Digweed	Head	68	Ag Lab	Inkpen Berks
Jane Anne	Wife	65	Ag Lab Wife	Shalbourne

Henrietta Rolfe	Head	45	Worker on Farm	
George	Son	12	Farm Servant	Ham
Mary Elizabeth	Daugh	10	Scholar	Ham
Jesse	Son	8	Scholar	Ham
Alfred	Son	5	Scholar	Ham
David	Son	3		Ham

Henry Vivash	Head	39	Farm Carter	Ham
Eliza	Mother	79W	Laundress	Shalbourne Wilts

William Walter	Head	33	Ag Lab	Ham
Emma	Wife	29	Works on Farm	Ham
Charles Vivash	Son	8	Scholar	Hungerford
Alice ?	Daugh	5	Scholar	Hungerford
George	Son	4	Scholar	Hungerford
Elizabeth Ann	Daugh	1		Hungerford
Frank	Son	6	Scholar	Hungerford

The Manor House

Henry Deacon Woodman	Head	52	Farmer 2523 acres	45 men 23 boys	Aldbourne
Mary Geator	Wife	51	Farmers Wife		or Glaten
Julia	Daugh	23	Farmers Daur		Ham
Annie	Daugh	21	Farmers Daur		Ham
Emily	Daugh	17	Farmers Daur		Ham
Annie Annetts	Serv	18	Housemaid		Hungerford
Anne Ashton	Serv	21	Cook Dom		Froxfield

Parish Church

End of the Civil Parish of Ham including Village & Ham Spray