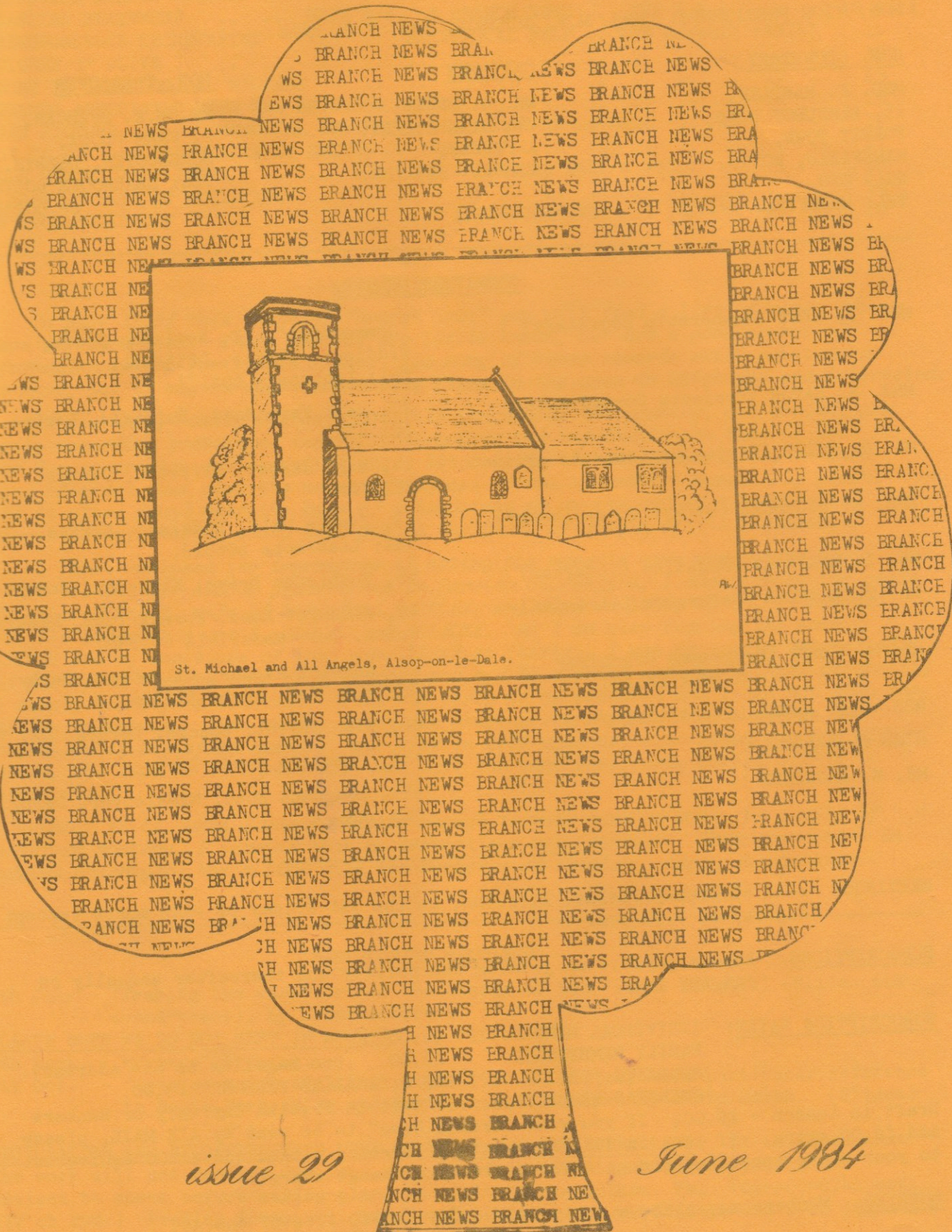


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EDITORIAL

On page 17 of this issue of "Branch News" you will find a list of names from a mason's record book. These records are little known, but are a good source of information to the family historian. How many of these records still exist we do not know, but it may be worth contacting firms in the area in which you are interested.

As you know, Family History Societies throughout the country, and abroad, are busily recording gravestone inscriptions before the information on them is lost forever due to erosion and vandalism etc. Not only is the full inscription on each stone recorded, but also the name and address of the monumental mason. If given, this is often found near the base of a headstone or on the end of a kerb. This snippet of information could lead you to the place of origin of the deceased.

I first realised the importance of noting the mason's name some years ago. Whilst looking for ALLSOP gravestones in Parwich churchyard, I came across the grave of Esther MASKEERY, wife of Berisford MASKERY, who died in 1906, aged 27. I noted that the stonemason was S. GOODALL of SHIRLEY. As I am also tracing the name MASKEERY and my ancestors of that name lived at Shirley, I was extremely interested. Did Berisford Maskery come from Shirley and did he appoint someone he knew personally to supply his wife's memorial? This was early in my research and I had not seen the Shirley registers. Some months later, in Shirley churchyard, I came across the gravestone of Berisford Maskery, who died in 1966 aged 89, also named was his wife, Reumah, who died in 1950 aged 63. Was this the same Berisford, buried with a second wife?

Later still, when I was fortunate enough to make contact with the family of Berisford Maskery, I learned that my assumptions were correct. That gravestone in Parwich churchyard has a link with the Maskerys of Shirley. Happy Researching.

Winifred.

FORTHCOMING MEETINGS

6th July - 'Tracing the survivors of the charge of the 'Light Brigade' (Slides and sound-tract), by Kenneth Horton.

PLEASE NOTE WE DO NOT MEET IN AUGUST

7th Sept. - Members' Evening.

5th Oct. - 'Gypsies and travelling people' (their history with particular reference to South Derbyshire and North Leicestershire) by David Smith. (Slides)

RESTORATION AND RECONSTRUCTION WORK AT THE P.R.O. CHANCERY LANE: It is hoped that the work will not require complete closure of the Reading Rooms. Readers are advised to check before making plans to visit Chancery Lane. Tel. (01-405-0741 ext. 277 or 298.) Reading Rooms will be closed on Saturdays and Sundays and 27th August; 1-12 October (stocktaking); 24-26th December.

CLOSURE OF THE P.R.O., KEW: This office was closed on 21st March due to defective air conditioning and it is regretted that the records here will be unavailable for a while. The P.R.O. is doing all it can to see that Kew can re-open quickly.

We welcome the following new members who have joined the Society by April 20th.

810. Mr. W. YOUNG, 40, Pacific Highway, Kariong 2251 Australia. Searching - BLACKSHAW of SCROPTON; SLATER of SCROPTON; JACKSON of HANBURY, Staffs.; BANISTER of HANBURY, Staffs. all early 19th cent.
811. Mrs. Claire Jackson KEMP, Nonantum de Santa Fe, 1909 Conejo Drive, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501 U.S.A. Searching - JACKSON (Charles) of WOLVERHAMPTON, Staffs. bn. 1809; BAGNALD of ASHBOURNE 1770; SWINDELL (Syth) of ASHBOURNE 1765; HURD Edmund/Wm. of ASHBOURNE d. 1738.
812. Miss S. BALDWIN, 112, Glencairn Rd., Regina, Saskatchewan, Canada. Searching - BALDWIN of BRETBY; HEAPE of NEWHALL; HILL of ANSLOW, Staffs. and MATTHEWS of ANSLOW, Staffs. all 1850.
813. Mrs. Betty SHEEHAN, P.O.B. 2123, Largo, Fl. 34294 U.S.A. Searching - CHOYCE/CHOICE anywhere, any date. Have thousands of CHOYCE/CHOICE births, marr. deaths, worldwide. Willing to exchange info. Have info. on families in ENGLAND, U.S.A., AUSTRALIA, SOUTH AFRICA from early 1700's. To eventually publish.
814. Mrs. W. KIDD, 47, Kendall St., Pymble, N.S.W. Australia. 2073. Searching - COOPER (Robert) of CHESTERFIELD/NEWBOLD 1759; STEPHENSON/STEVENSON of CHESTERFIELD 1700's; COOPER of LONGFORD 1700's.
815. Mr. & Mrs. Bill F. TRAMMELL, 869, Whispering Cliffs, Pocatello, Idaho 83202 U.S.A. Searching - CROXALL (William) of WALTON on TRENT b. 1795; GREGORY (Mary) of HUCKLOW b. 1812; MITCHELL (Hazekiah) of SIMONDLY b. 1810; SHELTON (Alice) of LULLINGTON b. 1785; TAYLOR (Ann) of COTTON in the ELMS b. 1817; SCATTERGOOD (Elizabeth) of BURTON on TRENT, Staffs. b. 1782.
816. Mrs. Mary HAMANN, RR* McKinley Rd., Kelowna, B.C. Canada V1Y 7P9. Searching - CHAMBERS (Charles); COOPER (Hannah Maria and Isaac); CHAMBERS (Charles and Annie); HAIGH (Mary Elizabeth) all of GLOSSOP 1800's.
817. Mrs. Sherri CLEMENS, 4560 W. Fifth St., Santa Ana, Ca., 92703 U.S.A. Searching - RIDGWAY 1840 and FOX 1842 both of LUDWORTH; RIDGWAY of SPRINGS BURY, Lancaster 1863; RIDGWAY of LEAMINGTON, Wars. 1886; AINGE of TYSOE, LEAMINGTON? Wars. 1800; STYLES also of TYSOE, Wars. 1700.
818. Mrs. Diana DREDGE, 38, Newman Ave., Camp Hill, Queensland 4152 Australia. Searching - ALSOP of DARLEY DALE 1840; EVANS of BELPER and DUFFIELD 1830.
819. Mrs. Sheila BAGGALEY, 218, Elgar Park, Nun's Island, Verdun, Quebec H3E 1C8 Canada. Searching - JAMES of DERBY 1830; MASKREY/MASKERY of ASHBOURNE and OSMASTON 1800; APPLEBY/APPERBY of the WINSTER area 1730; BRITTON of DERBY 1780; CARDIN of DERBYSHIRE 1750; STALEY of WINSTER and MATLOCK 1670.
876. Mr. Stewart ROBINSON, 45 Oakfield Gardens, London N18 1NY. Searching - FROST (Isaac) of MORLEY PARK, late 1700's; MATHER (Anne, wife of Isaac) of Dale, late 1700's; MATHER (Joseph, miner) of WIRKSWORTH d. 1775; VALLANCE (Elizabeth, wife of Joseph) d. 1792; VALLANCE (Edmund, late 1600's).
898. Miss S.V. HARVEY, 6 Park Hill Drive, Normanton, Derby. DE3 8AA. Searching - BIRD of REPTON (William marr. Rebecca Bennett, Repton 1791); GASKIN of WILLINGTON (John bn. 1772).
899. Mrs. Rose KERMUDE, Staplewood, Nether Wallop, Stockbridge, Hants. SO20 8EQ. Searching - ROBERTS of ALFRETON (Oswald bn. c. 1881) His father, (poss. THEOPHILUS) was a doctor in Alfreton & died about 1900. May have marr. Alfreton or Chesterfield.
900. Mr. and Mrs. T. DILLOW, Staaton House, 6 Kinescroft, Allestree, Derbys. Searching - CLAMP and SPENCER of DUFFIELD 1884; BULLOCK of BELPER; DILLOW of BLAKENALL, Staffs. 1900; ALDRIDGE of WOLVERHAMPTON, Staffs. 1890; GREGORY of KETLY Salop, 1840.
901. Mr. Donald MATTINSON, 15 Bourne Gardens, Porton, Salisbury SP4 ONU. Searching - MATTINSON of DERBY & LEEDS 1860; WALKER of DERBY 1800.
902. Mrs. J.E. JORDAN, 3 Glenwell Gardens, Newtownabbey, Co. Antrim, N. Ireland BT36 7SZ. Searching - CHAPLIN & GARNER of KEGWORTH, Leics. 1750; GARNER & BENNETT of MILFORD, Derbys. & EAST LEAKE, Notts. 1800; HIRST & RAMSDEN of

902. Cont.. HORBURY & HUDDERSFIELD, Yorks. 1790; KITCHEN & COPLEY of HORSFORTH & HORTON, Yorks. 1800; MOSS, ATKIN, BEATTIE & DAVIS of MANCHESTER, Lancs. 1800; GILL of COWLING & KEIGHLEY, Yorks. 1770.
903. Mr. Ronald TOOTH, 11 Kimberley Close, Spring Hill, Kimberley, Notts. Searching - TOOTH of DERBY & COVENTRY 1860; WEILD of DERBY & DUMFRIES 1850.
904. Mr. R. STARBUCK, "Salcombe", Cumberhills Rd., Duffield, Derbys. DE6 4MA. Searching - STARBUCK of DERBYS/LEICS/LANCS.
905. Sir Harold SMEDLEY, Sherwood, Oak End Way, Woodham, Weybridge, Surrey KT15 3DX. Searching - SMEDLEY of SHOTTLE & BONSALE, Derbys. 17th cent.
906. Mr. R.B. SNOWDON, 207 Hardhorn Rd., Poulton-le-Fylde, Blackpool, FY6 8DW. Searching - BARNSELY of HOPE 1735; WOODROOFE of HOPE 1670; BAGSHAW of CHAPEL-en-le-FRITH/HOPE 1750; OATES of WINSTER 1690; STALEY of WINSTER 1700; STEEPLE of BRADBOURNE/WIRKSWORTH 1700.
907. Mr. Stanley WHIBBERLEY, 9 Ashclose, Biscovey, Par, Cornwall. Searching - WIBBERLEY/WHIBBERLEY of ASHFORD-in-the-WATER, BAKEWELL, 1807-1869; (Samuel WIBBERLEY marr. Ellen MYCOCK).
908. Miss Margaret SPRING, 13 Robert Rd., Sheffield, S8 7TL. Searching - BOOTH of WOODHOUSE (formerly Derbys.) 1823, also of HACKENTHORPE 1823; DERBYSHIRE of DARLEY 1782; BARKER of DARLEY 1839; BUTLER of DARLEY 1852; SPRING of SOUTH KYME, WEST ASHBY & SWINESHEAD, Lincs. 1790.
909. Mr. S.F. BRAMWELL, 24 Bittell Close, Moseley Meadow, Bushbury, Wolverhampton, WV10 8UZ. Searching - BRAMWELL of OVER HADDON 1780's; MARSDEN of BIRCHOVER, nr. BAKEWELL c. 1810; WILDGOOSE of MATLOCK 1790's.
910. Mr. K.S. GREEN, 37 Charles Ave., Scotter, Gainsborough, Lincs. DN21 3RP. Searching - GREEN of NOTTS. & DERBYS. 1740; SWAIN of NOTTS. & DERBYS. 1805; SHELTON of NOTTS. 1782; WAITE of NOTTS. 1782.
911. Mr. J.D. HALL, 73 Windsor Rd., Denton, Manchester M34 2HB Lancs. Searching - MORTON (Anthony) of FOOLOW 1790; FURNISS (Edward) of EYAM 1819 also of MANCHESTER, Lancs.; CHILTON of STAFFS 1875.
912. Mr. & Mrs. Eileen & K.R. BAYLEY, 44 The Avenue, Bengoe, Herts. SG14 3DT. Searching - BEASTALL/BESTALL of LEICS. NOTTS. & DERBYS. John bn. c. 1804, place unknown, marr. Leics. 1834. Thomas, marr. Alfreton 1826, went to U.S.A. 1830.
913. Prof. Eric RADFORD, One Glen Close, Walsall, SW4 2EL. Searching - RADFORD of SOMERCOTES & COTES PARK; MANTAHNE, (ITALIAN? BALTIC?).
914. Mr. Gordon GALLADINE, "Coppins", Langthwaite Rd., Quernmore, Lancs. LA2 9EF. Searching - CALLADINE of ASHOVER, PINXTON & ALSOP-en-le-DALE 1807; MELLOW poss. of DERBYS. 19th cent.
915. Mrs. E.A. FLETCHER, 77 William Way, Letchworth, Herts. Searching - HEWITT of ALFRETON & CHESTERFIELD 1806; WEST of UTTOXETER & DERBY 1770; BOWNE of CRICH, PENTRICH & CODNOR 1821.
916. Miss Jill TOMLINSON, 10 Askerfield Avenue, Allestree, Derby DE3 2ST. Searching - TOMLINSON of DERBY 1820, also of BREEDON-on-the-HILL, Leics. 1750; CALLADINE of LITTLE CHESTER, DERBY 1840; STEATHAM of DERBY 1870; GREEN of BIRSTALL, Leics. 1700; SMITHSON of CHESTERFIELD 1850.
917. Mrs. Jeannette Roylance COURT, Atlowtop House, Atlow, Derbys. Searching - STONIER of STAFFORD, Staffs. 1796; OTTEY of KING'S BROMLEY, Staffs. 1766; McVEAN of DUNAMUCK, ARGYLL c. 1850; SWINBOURNE of BIRMINGHAM, Warks. 1750; FREAKLEY of ECCLESHALL, Staffs. 1688; CLOWES/CLEWES of STAFFORD, Staffs. 1584.
918. Mr. John Laurence BAKEWELL, 21 Lodge Drive, Belper, Derbys. DE5 2TP. Searching - BAKEWELL (John) of Leics. (John BAKEWELL of Brook St., WYMESWOLD, Leics. d. 1937 aged 85 years.)
919. Mr. and Mrs. B. PARKER, 2 Ormsby Road, Chesterfield, Derbys. S41 8SA. Searching - PARKER of CHESTERFIELD (Sutton-on-the-Hill, viz Sutton Scarsdale) app. 1688.

920. Mrs. J. PLUMMER, 12 Cedar Rd., Chilwell, Beeston, Nottingham NG9 4DB. Searching - BOTHAM of RADBOURNE, ETWELL & MACKWORTH 1751; MARSHALL of WESSINGTON, CODNOR & HEANOR 1823.
921. Mr. and Mrs. A. HOWE, "Carrigrohane", Great Churchway, Plymstock, Plymouth, PL9 8LB. Searching - THRALL (Lucy) of BAKEWELL & CHESTERFIELD 1866 (Believed to have been a servant at Chatsworth House); COOPER of CHESTERFIELD 1850 (John, engine smith, who was working at Markham Colliery c. 1860 when there was some major disaster).
922. Mr. A.F.C. SLEIGH, 84 Hulbert Rd., Bedhampton, Havant, Hants. PO9 3TG. Searching - SLEIGH of DERBYS., STAFFS., LONDON & IRELAND (Cork) 1600-1680.
923. Mrs. M.E. PEARCE, 85 High Street, Chellaston, Derbys. DE7 1TG.
924. Mrs. J. GREENGRASS, Welches Farm, Chisbon Heath, Weeley, Essex. Searching - MADDOCKS of BURTON-on-TRENT 1850's.
925. Mr. Michael A. PEEL, 150 Langer Lane, Chesterfield, Derbys. S40 2JJ. Searching - PEEL of GREAT SHELFORD, Cambs. 1873; VARDY of BARROW HILL, CHESTERFIELD 1890; COOK of BRIMINGTON, CHESTERFIELD, 1813; HIGGINBOTTOM of WINGERWORTH (Derby Rd.) nr. CHESTERFIELD 1880's; GOODALL of BURTON-on-TRENT, Staffs. 1880's; RODWELL of CAMBRIDGESHIRE 1870's.
926. Mrs. Val. WHITWORTH, 7 Peterdale Rd., Brimington, Chesterfield, Derbys. S43 1JA. Searching - YOUDE of PRESTON, Lancs. 1906, of SOUTHPORT, MERSEYSIDE 1852 and of PHILADELPHIA, U.S.A. 1885; COUNSELL of PRESTON 1852; BOWMAN of CUMBRIA & of SUSSEX 1869; CLARK of CUMBRIA 1896.
927. Mr. K.W. BOND, 8 Alexandra Rd., Burton-on-Trent, Staffs. DE15 0JE. Searching - BOND of ORMSKIRK, Lancs. 1800-1860; STEWART of LEIGH, Lancs. 1800-1860; GREENOUGH of HOWEBRIDGE, ATHERTON, Lancs. 1800-1850; BULL of BOSTON, Lincs. 1800-1860; BURGE of WIGAN, Lancs. 1800-1870; PRIESTLEY of WIGAN, Lancs. and of YORKSHIRE 1800-1870.
928. Mr. Melville MALTBY, 76, Birchwood Rd., Alfreton, Derbys. DE5 7QB. Searching - MALTBY of SELSTON, Notts. 1700; LEIVERS of SELSTON, Notts. 1730; WATSON also of SELSTON 1750; DEXTER of CODNOR PARK and of SELSTON, 1730; HEALEY of WESTMEATH, S. IRELAND 1700; WILSON of ABERDEEN, 1750.
929. Mr. & Mrs. H. PARKER, Estate House, Shottle, Belper, Derbys. DE5 2DS. Searching - PARKER (Harry) of NEWHALL 1887; BRADFORD (Gwendoline) of ASHBY-de-la-ZOUCH 1894; LEE (John) of ATLOW, nr. ASHBOURNE 1889; BUXTON (Mary) of STRAMSHALL, Staffs. 1885.
930. Mrs. M. PEARCE, 85, High Street, Chellaston, Derby DE7 1TG. Searching - NASH (John Richard) of GLOUCESTERSHIRE 1851 also FORST OF DEAN (poss. ELLWOOD); CALE (John) of PEMBROKESHIRE (COSHERSTON/LAMPHEY), 1890; PEARCE (Harry) of GWENT, (CWMCARN) 1920's.
931. Mrs. B. HEALY, 9a, Wall Hill Cottages, Dobcross, Nr. Oldham, Lancs. Searching - SHEPHERDSON (John) and REEVE (Emma) both of CASTLETON, 1870-1880.
932. Mr. J.M.E. HAYES, 18, Heol Fair, Porthcawl, Mid-Glamorgan, CF36 5LA. Searching - HAYES of PINXTON, Notts. 1772, also of FARNDON, NEWARK, Notts. and Lincs. borders. BECKETT of MANSFIELD & NEWARK, Notts. 1933.
933. Mrs. K. BINTLIFF, 23, Firs Ave., Ashton-u-Lyne, Lancs. OL6 8PC. Searching - SMETHURST of LANCS. 1791; MORRIS of BRISTOL 1792 and of DERBYS. 1824.
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936. Mr. D.A. WALKER, 8, Prospect Dr., Sheriff Fields, Matlock, DE4 3TA. Searching - WALKER of N.E. DERBYSHIRE 18th cent.; CARNAL of N.E. DERBYS. and of S. YORKS. 18th cent.; WOODHOUSE of N.E. DERBYS. and of S. YORKS. 18th cent.

937. Mrs. LOWES, 52, Lancaster Terrace, Chester-le-Street, Co. Durham. Searching - MILLINGTON (John) of MONYASH c. 1763; HANCOCK (Ann) of TIDESWELL c. 1884.
938. Mr. E. CRAPPER, 76, Elmfield Ave., Birmingham B24 0QF. Searching - CRAPPER of BRADFIELD 1780.
939. Mr. Charles Arthur Eyre ALLSEBROOK, 41, Derbyshire Lane, Hucknall, Notts. NG15 7JX. Searching - EYRE or AYRES (John 1842/1869), (Sarah 1842-49), (David 1856), (Arthur 1876), all of WESTWOOD, SELSTON and PINXTON. (Notts/ Derbys.)
940. Mr. D.E. CHANTRILL, 25, Royal Oak Rd., Halesowen, West Midlands B62 ODY. Searching - CHANTRILL of DERBY and COVENTRY 1800; MOSS of UTTOXTER, Staffs. 1750; HODGKINSON of DERBYS. 1825; HASKEY of DERBYS. 1825.
941. Mrs. Jane Ottway WARRINGTON, The Beeches, Plough Lane, Christleton, Chester CH3 7BA. Searching - RICHARDSON 1854; SHACKLETON 1856; FULLER 1899; BAKER 1896, all of DERBYSHIRE.
942. Mrs. Doreen ADAMSON, 106, Weston Rd., Aston-on-Trent, Derbys. DE7 2BA. Searching - ADAMSON (James) of DERBY and HULL 1870; EVANS (Walter) of DERBY 1870; HEWSON (John) of BREEDON-on-the-HILL 1837; TWILLEY (Amos Bennett of LINCS. 1836; BAKER (Joe) of DERBY 1873.
943. Mrs. C.M. GRIFFITHS, 7, Wharfedale Ave., Preston, Birkenhead, Merseyside L42 9PP. Searching - MEAKIN of SPONDON, CHELLASTON 1796; LEGG of CHIDDINGSTONE, Kent. and SWANSEA, Glam. 1734, also of BRIGHTON, Sussex 1833; LULY of SWANSEA, Glam. 1839; EVANS of LLANGWG, Glam. 1858; JENKINS of LLANGWG, Glam. 1858; MOSS of MANCHESTER, SALFORD, Lancs. 1826.
944. Mr. B.V. POWNEY, 60, Finchmoor, Harlow, Essex. Searching - WALL of MATLOCK, ASHOVER and DARLEY 1900-1700; FOOT(E) of MATLOCK 1950-1900; SHURLEY of MARYLEBONE, LONDON, 1900-1700; POWNEY of BROMHAM, Wilts. 1900-1600; SHARP of GREENWICH area, LONDON 1900-1700; JONES of EAST END area, LONDON 1900-1800.
945. Mr. J.T. GIBBONS, 27, Thornway, Bramhall, Stockport, Cheshire SK7 2AF. Searching - GIBBON(S) of ROWSLEY, BEELEY & DARLEY DALE 1558; PHILLIPSON of BENTHAM, Yorks. 1831; LEE of LITTLE STONHAM, Suffolk c. 1836; MANSFIELD of LINCS. & CAMBS. c. 1839; EASTWOOD of ASHTON-u-LYNE, Lancs. 1805; BROWN of KIRKHAM, Lancs. c.1836.
946. Mrs. U.R. TUXFORD, 105, Mere Rd., Wigston, Leics. LE8 1RN. Searching - POPLÉ of DERBY & poss. DUFFIELD 1861; TUXFORD (Zia marr. Sarah Elizabeth SHAW at Christchurch, par. of St. Werburgh, 1867. Lived in Abbey St.); SIMMONS (Thomas Glover marr. Harriet WHITTINGHAM at St. Werburgh, 1868. Lived in South St.). All DERBY.
947. Mr. & Mrs. A.W. ELSE, 3, Fishlands Close, Sutton-in-Ashfield, Notts. Searching - ELSE of Sutton-in-Ashfield, Notts., WEST of South Normanton.
948. Mrs. C.A. MÜLLER, 680, Osmaston Rd., Derby. Searching - WHILDEN or WELDON, FURNISS, of CHESTERFIELD, SHEFFIELD and of CHEADLE HULME, MANCHESTER. 1790-1800's.
949. Mr. CLAY, 30, Mill St., Mansfield, Notts. NG18 2PQ. Searching - CLAY of WENSLEY/DARLEY.
950. Mrs. K. EAGERS, 282, Duffield Rd., Darley Abbey, Derby. Searching - DEAN of BRIDPORT, Dorset c. 1820; HOARE of SOMERSET & DORSET 1752; PURDY of HAMPSHIRE (ROMSEY) c. 1820; OLIVER of LUTON & DUNSTABLE, Beds. 1830; WATSON of CHESTERFIELD & MEXBOROUGH 1707; MINION of TICKNALL 1757.
951. Mrs. P. PRIDDLE, 120, Olivers Battery Rd., Winchester, Hants. SO22 4HB. Searching - CLAYTON of DERBYS./CHESHIRE border 1802; WILD of MELLOR, NEW MILLS and TAXAL 1773; DAVIDSON of N. DERBYS. 1900.
952. Mrs. R.J. MAWER, The Golden Lion, Market Place, Northallerton, N. Yorks. DL7 8PP. Searching - SMEDLEY of MELBOURNE and of NOTTINGHAM 1808/9; MELLOWS of STAPLEFORD, Notts. 1874; BARTON of STAPLEFORD, Notts. 1877; MAWER of GRIMSBY 1920; HANCOX of STAPLEFORD, Notts. 1870.

953. Mrs. Carol BEADLE, 5, Marshall Hill Drive, Mapperley, Notts. NG3 6FY. Searching - LOWE of RADBOURNE 1780; MASKERY of CHESTERFIELD area 1850's; PARNHAM of CRICH 1870's; POUNDALL of CRICH 1870's; LOVE of EYE, Nr. PETERBOROUGH 1850's; NOTTINGHAM of DERBYSHIRE 1880's.
954. Mrs. L.I. BULL, 17, Benrhyn Ave., Littleover, Derbys. DE3 6LB. Searching - MOSEDALE of DERBY and of HANBURY, Staffs. 1791.
955. Mr. C.W. ROWLEY, 99, Senneleys Park Rd., Northfield, Birmingham, B31 1AF. Searching - SHIMWELL of YOULGREAVE 1776; SMITH of YOULGREAVE and GRINDLEFORD BRIDGE 1808; ROWLEY of WOLVEY and BULKINGTON, Warks. 1744; RANGER of CHESTERFIELD 1850; CHELL of NEWHALL 1870.
956. Mr. J.O.L. BRASS, Ridgeway, Windmill Lane, Ashbourne, Derbys. DE6 1JA. Searching - BRASS(E) worldwide, all dates.
957. Miss M.I. WILLIAMS, 12, Spean Court, Wollaton Rd., Nottingham NG8 1GL. Searching - WILLIAMS of WILSTSHIRE and of CARDIGAN, Wales 1700; POTTER of ASHBOURNE 1750; MELLOR of BAKEWELL 1700; BAGSHAW of BAKEWELL 1700.
- Miss N.R. ROBERTS, 56, Union Street, East Brighton, Victoria, Australia 3187. Searching - GLOVER of HARTSHORNE, 1800.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

881. Mrs. B. HALL, 33, Merton Ave., Fulwood, Preston, Lancs.

Alison ENGLEFIELD, 23, Wheatley Lane, Ben Rhydding, Ilkley, West Yorkshire.

THE SOCIETY OF GENEALOGISTS MOVE TO NEW PREMISES. The Library at 37, Harrington Gardens will close at 6 p.m. on Saturday, 7th July 1984 and open again at:-

14, CHARTERHOUSE BUILDINGS, LONDON EC1M 7BA at 10 a.m. on Wednesday 1st August 1984.

CORRECTIONS: The following addresses were incorrectly given in "Branch News" no. 28.

631. Mrs. C. UNSWORTH, Spurs Lodge, Sagars Rd., Styal, Cheshire, SK9 4HE.

871. Mrs. D. FLOWERS, 2, Early Bank, Stalybridge, Cheshire, KS15 2RU.

HELP WANTED!

SIMPSON
BROCKSOPP
JEPSON

Rumah "Ruby" SIMPSON bn. c. 1705, marr. John BROCKSOP, jnr. 24 Dec. 1793 at CRICH, Derbys. Resided at AULT HUCKNALL, where she died 1817 aged 54. Who were her parents, siblings? John was son of John Brocksop, snr. and Rebecca JEPSON of Ault Hucknall. Mrs. N.C. ZINTZ, S-5245 Bay View Rd., Hamburg, New York, 14075 U.S.A. (Memb. no. 36.)

WHITTAKER
BIRKS

ARTHUR of the FRIARY HOTEL, DERBY. Marr. either CAROLINE, JANE or ELIZABETH BIRKS, daus. of BENJAMIN and MARY (nee SLINN). Benjamin and Mary had a younger son HENRY (1858-1943). Arthur Whittaker is supposed to have died at the age of 100. Would be pleased to receive any info. on the marr. of Arthur Whittaker. Mrs. B. PARRY, 13, Albert Rd., Bunny, Nottingham NG11 6QE. (Memb. no. 429.)

PARKIN
HOLLOWAY
CRESSWELL

Help needed to find the bapt. of MARY PARKIN bn. c. 1832. Place of birth given as WIRKSWORTH on 1861/1871 census, but RIPLEY on the 1881 census. Mary marr. WILLIAM PARKIN at Riddings in Dec. 1849. They were both then living at GREENHILL LANE. WILLIAM HOLLOWAY gives his place of birth as NOTTINGHAM on the 1871/1881 census, but ARNOLD, Notts. on the 1861. They were probably non-conformists. Mary's father was ISAAC PARKIN. William's father was WILLIAM HOLLOWAY. Isaac PARKIN marr. Dorothy CRESSWELL at ALFRETON 1822. The 1841 census gives their ages as 35 yrs. & 40 yrs. Unable to find them on the 1851 census, but the 1861 of RIPLEY finds Isaac, widowed, aged 60. Any info. on the bapt. of MARY PARKIN and that of WILLIAM HOLLOWAY will be very much appreciated, also info. on the bapt. of DOROTHY CRESSWELL and her death, probably at RIPLEY. WILLIAM & MARY HOLLOWAY had a son, first name unknown, who was sent to Canada or Australia in disgrace, most likely later than 1865. Mrs. P. PINKNEY, 2, Old Common, Furneux Pelham, Buntingford, Herts. SG9 0LQ. (Memb. no. 485.)

AULT/ALLT
MILNER

Would like info. re. marr. of SAMUEL AULT(ALLT) to ELIZABETH, c.1772. Although their dau. ANN was bept. at YOXALL in Jan. 1773 and bur. in YOXALL in 1824, there is no bapt. or marr. of SAMUEL AULT there. ANN marr. JOHN MILNER in 1801 at YOXALL. Where did JOHN MILNER come from and where did he die? Their 4 children all moved to Derby. Mrs. H. LOMAS, 28, Berrow Court, Gardens Walk, Upton-upon-Severn, Worcester WR8 OJP. (Memb. no. 579.)

STATHAM

Info. needed on the parents of RICHARD STATHAM, born c.1807 in Derbyshire. Lived mostly at HEAGE. Also marr. of GEORGE STATHAM and MARY ----? c.1807. Lived in parish of BELPER. Mr. D. STATHAM, 27, Belper Rd., Holbrook Moor, Derbys. Tel. Derby 881095. (Memb. no. 638.)

WRIGHT

George, bn. 1801. Living in CHESTERFIELD 1840-1850. Info. is needed on GEORGE WRIGHT, and especially his descendants. His parents were WILLIAM and CATHERINE (nee BENNETT), both of whom were bn. in or near DERBY. According to the 1851 census, GEORGE was a Banker's Clerk in Chesterfield, marr. to ELIZ. aged 41, who was bn. in Chesterfield. They had three children at that time, all bn. in Chesterfield: Eliz aged 5, Francis T. aged 4 and John Edward aged 3 mths. The family lived on the West Side of Glumans Gate in Chesterfield. Mrs. M. MEADOWS, 18, Chapman Street, BRADDON, A.C.T. 2601, Australia. (Memb. no. 682.)

SAXTON

Any info. on a WILLIAM SAXTON bn. c. 1882 in the ILKESTON area. William was a farm lab. at HALL FARM, STANTON-by-DALE and had a 'natural' dau. by his cousin ELIZA ALICE SAXTON (my gr.grandmother) in 1911. Miss L. HARDY, Flat 8, 27, Lansdown Place, Cheltenham, Glos. GL50 2HX. (Memb. no. 837.)

ROWLAND
BROOKS
FAIRESS
PANARIO

Any info. on ROWLAND of WINSTER beginning with JOHN ROWLAND bn. there 1777. BROOKS of WATSON STREET, DERBY c. 1860. Also FAIRESS of BOW, LONDON c. 1855. Also PANARIO of anywhere in SOUTHER ENGLAND, esp. LONDON. Mr. A. ROWLAND, 7, Beechwood Close, Whitfield, Dover, Kent. CT16 3JZ. (Memb. no. 863.)

HEWITT
WEST
BOWNE
BOOTH

Info. needed on ROBERT HEWITT marr. HANNAH WEST 27 Aug. 1806 at ALFRETON. Eldest son THOMAS was colliery bailiff and lived at Alfreton. Also info. on PETER WILLIAM BOWNE of CODNOR PARK who marr. DOROTHY BOOTH of CONEYGREY HOUSE. Their first son PETER WILLIAM BOWNE was bn. 29 May 1821 at CODNOR (d. 23 Mar. 1885). He was owner of Stone Quarries in CRICH. His wife was MARY (STALEY) of RIPLEY, who d. 13 July 1866 at BULL BRIDGE and was interred at PENTRICH. The father of Peter William Bowne snr. is thought to have been JOHN BOWNE. Mrs. E. FLETCHER, 77, William Way, Letchworth, Herts. (Memb. no. 915.)

CRAPPER

Info. is needed on JOSHUA CRAPPER bn. 1780 at STANNINGTON and bapt. at BRADFIELD. He is poss. the father of ELIAS CRAPPER bapt. 18th Oct. 1807 at CHINLEY WESLEYAN chapel, son of Joshua and Elizabeth CRAPPER. A dau. Elizabeth was bapt. at CHINLEY INDEPENDENT chapel 9 July 1825. Was Elias the first child of Joshua and Elizabeth Crapper? In the 1851 census of the hamlet of BUTTS the birth-place of Elias (farmer and Lime Master) is given as GLOSSOP and that of his wife MARTHA (aged 35) as BRADFIELD, Yorks., although in 1861 it is given as BRADFORD. Proof is needed that the above JOSHUA CRAPPER bn. 1780 is the father of Elias. Mr. E. CRAPPER, 76, Elmfield Ave., Birmingham B24 0QF. (Memb. no. 939.)

DENCE
ROE
COLLARD

Laura Jannette (known as Janet or Jeanette) who marr. James ROE on 9.4.1898 at St. Peter's, Derby; bn. c.1875. Any info. on her father WILLIAM DENCE who was a lab. Also any info on EMILY COLLARD, who marr. JAMES ROE on Christmas Eve 1855 and was bn. c.1836. Her father was WILLIAM COLLARD a silk hand. Any info. on these would be welcome if anyone has come across these names. The DENCES may be of Leics. origin, but the COLLARDS I haven't a clue about. Mrs. A. Englefield, 'Nether Orchard', 2, Holloway Road, Duffield, Derbys. (Memb. no. 545.)

HELP OFFERED!

LOFTHOUSE

Someone recently left in one of the exchange magazines, two sheets of details relating to the LOFTHOUSE family of MIDDLETON-on-the-WOLDS, Yorkshire. Pauline Marples kindly sent them to me, as I was the only member she knew to have stated LOFTHOUSE interests. These sheets are not mine, and I shall be glad to return them to their owner on request. It so happens that I have been working on this branch of my Lofthouse ancestry and can add details concerning at least three previous generations. I shall be pleased to make contact with a present day descendant of this family. Mr. Arthur MOORE, 43, Central Boulevard, Doncaster, S. Yorks. Tel. 0302 49998. (Memb. no. 164.)

WAGSTAFF

Mrs. B. KENT, 17 Red Hill, Stourbridge, West Midlands DY8 1NA is willing to help anyone who is tracing WAGSTAFF or GLOSSOP.

CHESTERFIELD

Mrs. Barbara BESTALL, 6, Storth Avenue, Sheffield S10 3HL has a NAME INDEX for the CHESTERFIELD PARISH REGISTERS (bapt./marr./bur.) for c.1550-1811. Mrs. Bestall also has a Will Index and info. on BRAMPTON to 1700. She is willing to search the index for members for £1 per enquiry. Please print your request clearly in block capitals.

DERBY LIBRARY

Mrs. K. MARVILL is willing to check anything for MEMBERS in DERBY LIBRARY in return for expenses. Address, 87, Derby Rd., Chellaston, Derbys. DE7 1SB.

AUSTRALIA & NEW ZEALAND MEMBERS:

Mrs. D. SELLORS, 48, Rebecca Street, Mount Isa, Queensland, Australia 4825. (Memb. no. 520) is indexing family names (LOMAS, SELLORS, MYCOCK, WOOD, HEATHCOTE, BRAMHALL) from the births, marriages, obituaries of the BUXTON ADVERTISER which is sent out to her through the year. Any Australian and New Zealand members who are interested in the CHELMORTON, TADDINGTON, CHAPEL-en-le-FRITH, NEW MILLS areas can write to her with a stamped, addressed envelope and she will copy any names there are or photocopy a piece for 30 cent stamp. Mrs. Sellors also has the Monumental Inscriptions for KING EDWARD (ABERDEEN) and ALVAH (MORAY) churchyards. She is willing to send Australian and New Zealand members information from these.

NOTES FROM THE SECRETARY

EXHIBITIONS:

It's all been happening - the Society's Exhibition in Derby and the One Day joint event at Harlaxton. Did you go? I hope we had the pleasure of meeting you.

To the members in the Heanor area - I hope you visited the local Library and saw our Exhibition as part of Heanor Library's 25 year Jubilee Event.

SUCCESS STORIES:

It has been rewarding during the past few months to hear of success stories; in most cases because of a name appearing in "Branch News". Sometimes we are able to put members in touch with others when they make their first enquiry. We have a member in Wales who is now keenly corresponding with an overseas member because of a common ancestor called HAYES.

DIALECTS:

Many thanks to those who wrote to me regarding dialects - how many variations do you find on place names? Is it PLEASLY or PLESSLY? or NEW HOUGHTON or NEW HUFFON? What did the Census Enumerator write it down as? "Hey up it's no woner wiv lost our ancestors."

CORRESPONDENCE SECRETARIES: *At the A.G.M. I made a request for more Correspondence Secretaries to relieve some of us who are already committed to other Society activities. It was pleasing to get a response to this and a new list is to be found elsewhere in this issue. Do check who you should now contact if necessary.*

Can I ask you all to be patient when awaiting a reply to your letter. You have only written one; we are often inundated with them and we only have so many hours available to check indexes, write letters etc. We all have the Genealogy Bug, but our present day family still needs feeding, their clothes need washing and we need to earn the

money to pay for all the mod. cons. You would never get a reply if we still had a dolly tub and ponch or a black lead range - now would you?!!

Pauline.

DERBYSHIRE STRAYS

What is a 'Stray'? Not a lovable little dog as the cover of our booklet implies, but possibly one of your missing ancestors who has wondered over the border, and as far as you, the researcher is concerned, is lost and playing havoc with your research.

Many members from our Society and others spare a minute during their own research to record a 'stray', i.e. Sheffield Census 1881:- Harriet MARPLES born CHESTERFIELD. This would be sent to our 'Strays Co-ordinator' who keeps a slip index of these, (now numbering thousands) which are eventually printed in booklet form.

Our first 'Strays Booklet' has just been published and may contain the name you have been searching for. Have You Bought Yours Yet?

Price £1.75 members; £2.00 non members, plus 35p p & p. Overseas £1.00 surface.

From Mr. M. Pratt, address inside front cover.

MEETINGS REPORTS

January 1984 started with a well attended meeting. Members made full use of the Society Reference Section. The Exchange Magazine Section is always popular and the Sales Table attracts many customers.

February - We were pleased to welcome David Barton who spoke to us on 'Religious Nonconformity in Derbyshire'. David's talk was very informative and he brought along many items of interest to show us, giving members an insight into other areas of research.

March - The Derbyshire County Archivist, Miss Joan Sinar, was the speaker at this meeting. She mentioned some of the many records at the Record Office, some of which, are little used by family historians. Have you looked in the Quarter Session Records? Settlement Certificates? Removal Orders? Bastardy Papers? Did you know of the Register of men required for Jury Service? (1770-1870). Did you know of the Register of late 18th century Bargee Captains? Also mentioned were the Land Tax Assessments and the Electoral Registers. Do make full use of the records and documents available at the County Record Office.

Just a reminder. Do ring and book a place before you visit the Record Office. Space is rather limited in the search room and viewers may already be booked.

April A.G.M. Report - Both the Chairman and Secretary reported on the growth and progress of the Society. Membership is still increasing. The magazine has grown in size and number published. We continue to exchange "Branch News" with many other Societies. The Reference Library is expanding rapidly as more project work is completed and more items are donated or purchased by the Society. Our Sales department has more items for sale than ever before and it is especially pleasing to have our own publications for sale; the 1851 Census Name Index (Duffield), Derbyshire Strays, Members' Interests Supplements and Library Contents.

Correspondence Secretaries continue to help distant members and House Groups have proved of value to those who have attended in 1983. (Two seem to have faded away this year and need reviving - Derby and Chesterfield.)

Heather gave a very rewarding report on projects undertaken during the past year. Many have been completed and many are at various stages of transcribing, indexing, checking and typing. This was a pleasing report especially when we hear how many members are participating in this work. We must remember that the bulk of the work falls on Heather as Co-ordinator and the Chairman gave special thank to her. In his report, the Chairman thanked everyone on the committee for their support during the past year.

All members of the committee were re-elected and the place which has been vacant for some time has been filled by Mr. Mike Bagworth who was elected onto the committee.

Pauline.

THIRD BRITISH FAMILY HISTORY CONFERENCE: Dauntsey's School, West Lavington, Wiltshire.
 19th-23rd April 1985: Hosted by the Wiltshire Family History Society, the theme of
 the Conference will be MIGRATION. Details from W.F.H.S. 1985 Conference,
 17, Baskerville Road, Swindon, SN3 5DB. Please include S.A.E.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT - YEAR ENDING 31st DECEMBER 1983

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| Total receipts from Membership dues, Booksales, Donations, interest etc. | £2367 . 31 | Bank balance at 31st Dec. 1983 | |
| | | Current Account | £198 . 04 |
| | | Deposit Account | £841 . 00 |
| Less total expenses inc. postages, stationery, duplicating, donations, affiliation fees, producing "Branch News" and Census Book. | £2306 . 75 | | £1039 . 04 |
| | | Cash in hand | 106 . 60 |
| Credit balance for year | 60 . 56 | | £1145 . 64 |
| Add bank balance and cash in hand at 31st December 1982 | 1085 . 08 | | ===== |
| Credit Balance | £1145 . 64 | signed M.K. Spencer | |
| | ===== | Audited by, I.W. Manifold G. Smith. | |



BIRTH CONGRATULATIONS

A little twig to their tree.
 Mrs. Stumbles, our 'Strays' co-ordinator, is now a
 gr. grandmother.
 Christopher William Wicks was born 10th September 1983.
 Grandchild of Peter William and Barbara (nee Stumbles) Wicks.
 Son of Paul and Diana (nee Simmonds) Wicks. CONGRATULATIONS
 to all.

Also to Ann and Martin BUCK on the birth of their son Richard in January 1984.

OBITUARY. We were sorry to hear of the sudden death of member Mr. Kenneth BURDEKIN
 at his home on Tuesday 24th April 1984. We extend our sympathies to his
 family.

BACK NUMBERS OF 'BRANCH NEWS': Back numbers containing the following articles can be
 obtained from Mr. Martyn Pratt, address inside front cover.
 (Price each - 50p; by post U.K. 70p; Overseas surface £1.00.)

- 6. (Sept. '78) The Pallot index of London parish registers.
 Transcript of monumental inscriptions in Heanor church.
 Names from Heanor war memorial.
 Pursgloves of Sussex.
- 7. (Dec. '78) Silcock of Marston Montgomery and Ashbourne.
 Transcript of monumental inscriptions in Heanor church, cont.
 Shipley Hall.
- 8. (Mar. '79) Foundlings.
 Jepson of Blackburn.
 Codnor and Loscoe - brief history.
 Codnor churchyard monumental inscriptions.
 Codnor and Loscoe - names from 1825 directory.
- 14. (Sept. '80) Explanation of family relationships.
 Interesting items from Smalley and Morley parish registers.
 Memorial inscriptions in Quarndon old churchyard.
 South Normanton 1851 census - list of surnames.

Nos. 16 - 23 are also available - details in 'Branch News' no. 28. See also 'Strays'
 Booklet, page 8 and Transcripts for sale, page 16.

I.G.I. NOTTINGHAM LIBRARY, Angel Row, (Arts Section, first floor) have the I.G.I. for all counties. There are three microfilm readers, but there is no appointment system. Use is limited to 2 hours at a time. The Library is open from 9.30 a.m. until 8.00 p.m. Tel: Nott. 412121. Information from Beth Meese, Trenarren, 3 New Street, Ockbrook, Derby DE7 3RA.

CORRESPONDENCE SECRETARIES

Who are they? What do they do?

They are a willing band of members who are prepared to spend a little of their time to help distant members. They try to help these members by checking our own Reference Section for them. They try to advise on areas of research that are open researches.

Please remember they cannot do research in Libraries or Record Offices specially on your behalf. Many people go out to work or have family commitments, therefore it is not easy for us to visit these places. The County Record Office at Matlock is not an easy place to visit even if you have a day off work, and there are no late evening or Saturday opening hours.

When writing to your Correspondence Secretaries, please remember they will try to help, but their research resources are limited. They do need a stamped, addressed envelope if you expect a reply and please give your membership number.

To gain special help, place a request under "Help Wanted" (free to members of the Society) or offer help yourself, if you can visit a Library easily. We do expect everyone to cover any cost incurred, either for bus fares or photocopying.

IF YOUR SURNAME BEGINS WITH:- YOUR Correspondence Secretary is:-

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| DEFL _____ | Winifred Waterall | address inside front cover. |
| GR _____ | Maude Stumbles | " " " " |
| WTYZ _____ | Garry Smith | " " " " |
| MN _____ | Ian Manifold | " " " " |
| AC _____ | Mike Bagworth | " " " " |
| B _____ | Fred Hall, 188, Nottingham Road, Alfreton, Derbys. | |
| S _____ | John Hill, 30, High Street, Linton, Burton-on-Trent, Staffs. | |
| I J O P Q U V X _____ | Steve Burley, 10, Coppice Drive, Eastwood, Notts. | |
| HK _____ | Kathleen Marvill, 87, Derby Road, Chellaston, Derbys. | |

RECIPROCAL HELP: Mrs. B. HALL, 33, Merton Avenue, Fulwood, Preston, Lancs. is willing to do research in Preston in exchange for help with research in the Ilkeston area.

Mrs. U.R. TUXFORD, 105, Mere Rd., Wigston, Leics. LE8 1RN. is willing to help with research in Leicester in return for help with her research in Derby.

The METCALFFE Society: Offer help to anyone researching the surname METCALF(E). Write with a S.A.E. to the Secretary, Mrs. N.E. Benson, 5, Coxwold View South, Wetherby, LS22 4PU, West Yorks. (Membership not obligatory.)

The HOWARTH family: Australian member Mrs. Dorothy Sellors writes to say that she knows of two paperback books on the HOWARTH family of Kit's Hill, Nick of Garth, Lancs. written by Jean Stubbs who was born in Denton, Manchester. These books cover areas apart from Lancs. - namely York, Cheshire and Scotland.

The story beginning on the eve of the Industrial Revolution tells of the life of Edward Howarth (Ned) and Dorcas (nee Wilde) his wife and their children.

The books - Kit's Hill (11 November 1760 - March 1793) Pan Books 1980.
The Ironmaster (1785 - July 1812) Pan Books 1981.

ERRORS IN GENEALOGICAL RECORDS.

(Contributed by Mr. S.W. Clives. Memb. no. 480)

Searchers of Records must not expect too much when it comes to accuracy of information. Whilst in general it is often fairly easy to see some of the obvious errors of transcription which occur - such as in the Mormon Fiche Index - an example being where a name such as 'Harriet' is entered wrongly as 'Harrot', some other errors encountered cast grave doubt on some of our past Researchers.

To someone just starting out to search into his or her ancestry a warning should be sounded loud and clear - you cannot always believe what you read - certainly you should not take any short cut by making any hasty assumption.

A very early experience of the writer was to be led along the wrong path due to the very simple error of picking out the wrong Benjamin of two which were born at almost the same time. This wasted a few years of direct effort although the indirect results did provide a great deal of other information.

It is however of particular alarm when one finds some printed pedigree in some publication of repute and indeed many such journals exist for the periods in which many of us are most interested. Only with caution and some experience can we expect to match such information with other material in order to establish if it is true.

After many years of patient and diligent searching the practised Genealogist will already have at his finger tips, much information on a particular name, especially if that name has been the subject of a mainstream project. In such an event it becomes reasonably easy to spot the occasional error. It is however not at all easy for the lesser skilled and the result may well be a completely erroneous Family Tree and possible personal humiliation when someone else finds out.

One of the greatest examples of error which I have met leaves me simply with amazement. One can only conclude that the 'professional' who was responsible for this outrage of truth had personal reasons for taking such liberty.

'The Reliquary' is a multi Volume journal of one of the Antiquarian Societies which flourished across the 19th century. It is, or should be, one of those useful references for matters relating to some family histories or interests.

It was in the Reliquary when searching for those shreds and patches which we all need to illuminate our Histories, that I came across a summation of the Baschurch Parish registers, recorded duly as a family History of Clive. The offending Volume was number 6 which covered proceedings of 1865-6. As Clive was a family dear to us we immediately pursued and indeed extracted this apparent gem of further information. To the lesser trusting mortal this find would be like striking gold. Unfortunately as I transcribed the detail for study, I almost concurrently spotted an alarming contradiction.

The article written and which was stated to be based on the registers of Baschurch in Shropshire purported to show that Robert, the Lord Clive, Primus in Indus - that 'Heaven Born General' of which so much has been written, is descended from Ralph Clive of Walford and through Edward Clive also of Walford.

What stuff and nonsense is all this, was my quick reaction, and more thorough checking showed many severe errors on this family tree.

The pedigree given in the Reliquary is especially unique as around that time there would have been a number of easily obtainable reference sources which if consulted could show the true pedigree of Clive of Huxley and Styche from which Clive of India followed. Also in that time would be the accredited pedigree at the College of Arms.

The father of Clive who did so much to bring India unto Empire for England at a time when the American Colonies were being lost, was the Country squire of Styche in Salop - Richard Clive (1693-1771) who married Rebecca Gaskell of Manchester about 1721. The Reliquary article tells us nothing of Richard and Rebecca yet it says quite a bit about many of the other proposed members of the Family ancestry - this is the first clue to the tragedy of errors:-

Richard Clive had nothing to do with Walford or Baschurch, the Walford Estates had been sold out of the Clive family much earlier leaving the Family seat only as Styche, the Hall there being a decaying home which Clive of India had rebuilt later

- this home still remains although the farmland around has been dispersed completely to the local owners.

We quickly see then error number one - Richard Clive is not even entered into any Register of Baschurch - indeed it is Moreton Say, in the adjoining County of Shropshire, who Parish registers are so full of the mortal entries of this great County Family.

Quickly now we move to the next error - the Reliquary shows the parents of Richard Clive to have been Thomas of Walford with his wife Elizabeth nee Amplett. First we see a clue to an error here, as Elizabeth Amplett (more correctly Amphlett) is shown as buried at Moreton Say - not Baschurch? Of course, she was not the wife of Thomas Clive at all. It should be obvious also, as how could Richard, profession of Lawyer and for many years M.P. for Montgomery, make it through from the decaying branch of the Clive of Huxley. No the wife of Thomas Clive of Walford as shown here is wrong.

Elizabeth Amphlett was the daughter of Richard Amphlett of Hadzor, Co. Worcs., and she was buried at Moreton Say simply because she was in fact the wife of the earlier Robert Clive (1661-1716) who was the actual father of Richard Clive M.P. for Montgomery. This Robert Clive married at Clent and shared his wives inheritance there until he moved into the family home of Styche on the Death of his Grandfather, another Robert of Styche (St. John's College, Cambridge 1629/30., Member Parliamentary Committee the Long Parliament; M.P. for Bridgenorth circa 1646. Colonel in Parliamentary Forces, Sheriff of Shropshire 1671; Bur. Moreton Say 1697).

Thus we pass over at least three mistakes within the Reliquary deposition.

Before we pass forward further, we should pause to observe another error in so far as another sone of the Thomas of Walford is shown as George Clive married to Mary Hardville at Shrewsbury St. Alkmunds on October 6th 1720. - Heaven forgive this further sacrilage - this George is also not related to Thomas, our George here is the son of Robert of Styche and brother to Richard already discussed, he is of Market Drayton and he married indeed on the date shown but his wife was Mary Grant daughter of Thomas Grant of Shrewsbury. This branch of the Clive family probably died out in the next generation.

We now move back up the tree another generation to see what I count as the 6th tragic mistake. We see Thomas Clive of Walford (more correct if we said of Baschurch) who married Christian Waring, whose family came from Woodcut, as having 3 sons and 4 daughters. We shall only be concerned with one which is a blatant error again. The son Edward bap. 1650 is shown to have married Susanna Phillips of Berrington, Co. Hereford; once more a pitiful mix up of families - Susanna Phillips is shown in the Berrington Parish registers as having married one Edward for sure on May 26th 1677 but isn't it a pity that the Reliquary spoils it all by mixing matters in showing the son of this marriage as Sir Edward Clive, of Wormbridge, Knight.

Sir Edward Clive of Wormbridge; Knight, Justice of Common Pleas (1703-1771) must turn in his vault at being listed as from such a more lowly father. Sir Edward of Lincolns Inn, called to the Bar 1725, Sergeant at Law, M.P. for Hereford, Baron Exchequer 1745, Knighted 1753 is well known to some of us. He - just another Clive great, - was not - no way - the son of this Edward, he was baptised, and in this instance we can reply on the Mormon Index, on 23rd July 1703 at London being the son of Edward Clive (1672-1745) of Wormbridge who married - wait for it - not a Susanna Phillips but one Sarah Key the daughter of Bright Key, Merchant of Bristol. Sir Edward's Grandfather was George Clive (1641-1677) and he inherited Wormbridge by marriage to Mary the daughter and heir of Martin Husbands of Wormbridge.

To further shorten this sorry tale we will skip one or two other errors across the middle of the tree and go to the top where Richard Clive Lord of Huxley and Styche (ABT.1495-1562) married Margaret the daughter of Sir Richard Corbett of Moreton Corbett and Elizabeth daughter of Walter Lord Ferrers of Chartley, Staffs. Apart from the dates which I have added and the other substantive detail, this statement in the Reliquary is basically correct.

Dorothy Clive said to be of Walford however, I am unable to verify as one of this Richards kin. If she was of Walford she could be hardly related to the direct Styche branch as most of the Baschurch Clives descended from Ralph Clive the son of Richard this Ralph or Radus having settled at the Walford seat probably after his father died in 1561.

In the same generation and as shown on the Reliquary story we see also the following daughters of Richard Clive given:-

| | | |
|---------------|---------------|--|
| Sussana Clive | | mar. Anthony Hamner 1582, Bettisfield |
| Mary | ob. inf. | |
| Margery | | mar. George Mornington of Layton, Hereford |
| Sarah | ob. inf. 1596 | |
| Margaret | | mar. Thos. Tomkiss of Eyton, Salop. |
| Winifred | | mar. Wm. Hamner of Bettisfield (bur. 1620) |
| | 2ndly. | mar. Robert Lloyd of Bryn, Flint 1620 |

I have reason to doubt all of these as they appear in this relationship as none of them can yet be shown as being of the Styche line. Instead I would say that the daughters of Richard Clive that appear authentic are as follows:-

| | | |
|-----------|--------|---------------------------------------|
| Elizabeth | 1a | |
| Dorothy | 2a | mar. James Barker |
| Alice | 3a | mar. Rich. Lee |
| | 2ndly. | mar. Rich. Harcourt |
| Jane | 4a | mar. John Cresswell of Wolverhampton. |

By way of substantiating my views on these girls is a pedigree at the Society of Genealogists which shows Susanna, Mary, Margery, Sarah, Margaret and Winifred to be the daughters of Ralph Clive and not his father Richard.

We thus arrive at a very definite conclusion that the Clive pedigree written in Vol. 6 of the Reliquary series is absolutely discredited being a thoroughly bad mix up and complete distortion of a number of family relationships of at least 13 in number.

So many errors is disconcerting for any researcher to say the least and we have to take warning that this might occur more often than not. Careful scrutiny and as much cross checking of fact with the matching of dates where no actual record can be found is of utmost importance.

A Family tree is worthless unless it is 95% correct and even the 5% of doubt should be notated for any future reader, likewise a Family History based on any such possible mistatement of facts is absolutely worthless except that it be pure fiction.

I am left with simply one moral to pass on to all of us who seek to establish a Family Ancestry - Be sure it is Fact not Fiction, you may be recording for posterity.

Some other Surnames associated with the BROWNSON Family of Derbyshire and Staffordshire from Marriages which took place between 1682 and 1863.

(Contributed by Jane Brownson. Member no. 599)

| | | | |
|-------------------|--------------------|--------------------|------------------|
| ADAMS Mary | BARNES | HUNT Hannah | SWINDELL John |
| APPLEBY Catherine | BRENTNALL Ellen | KEETON Samuel | SWINDELLS Mary |
| APPLEBY Margaret | BAKEWELL Sarah | LONGFORD Edward | SWINDELLS Hannah |
| ASHMORE Ellen | COX Ann | LOMAS Mary | SOWTER John |
| ASHMORE Sarah | COXON Jane | LEES Hannah | TURNER Luke |
| BALL William | CHAMBERS Thomas | MEARS Ann | TURNER Ann |
| BARNS William | DOWNING Thomas | NORMAN Millicent | TATLER |
| BASS Michael | DRURY George | PEGG John | WARD George |
| BATKIN Thomas | EDWARDS Samuel | PHILLIPS Richard | WILSON James |
| BATKIN John | FROST Mary | RIDGEWAY Elizabeth | WRAY Ellen |
| BRITLAND William | GOODALL Daniel | RUDYARD Francis | WALKER Elizabeth |
| BRITLAND Lydia | GOULD William | REDFEARN Anne | WOOD Anne |
| BUXTON Sarah | GOODWIN Elizabeth | SAINT Elizabeth | WOWEN Ann |
| BROWN Sarah | GREAVES Mary | SMITH Eliza | WARNER Lydia |
| BODEN Sarah | HEATHCOTT Mary Ann | SMITH Louisa | WALLIS Frederick |
| BARNFORD Hannah | HITCHCOCK Grace | SMITH Mary | WATERS Augustus |

Alsop-en-le-Dale was one of three chapelries of St. Oswald's Church Ashbourne, and the date of its first foundation in the twelfth-century, down to comparatively recent times was a dependency of the mother church. In post reformation days it obtained the dignity of a parochial chapelry, and the appointment of the minister was then vested in the freeholders in consequence of their augmenting the stipend.

The frequency of chapels and churches in this part of Derbyshire, all showing twelfth or perhaps late eleventh century work is remarkable and points to the comparatively large population that once inhabited it, at a time when mineral resources were being developed. The most interesting feature of this church is the Norman doorway on the south side. In 1883 the church was restored.

The Alsop family held the manor here for seventeen generations from the time of King John until it was sold by Anthony Alsop in 1688, to Sir Philip Gell. Afterwards the Beresfords held the manor and later passed it by marriage to the Milwards, since when there have been numerous changes.

Thomas Becon, born 1511, ordained 1538, visited Alsop during his wanderings after he was deprived of his benefice for his outspoken writings. It was John Alsop who gave Becon shelter for about a year and many details of Becon's life are recorded in his book 'The Jewel of Joy', a lengthy religious dialogue, dedicated to the Princess (afterwards Queen) Elizabeth.

The parish registers begin only in 1701, previous events being entered in the registers of the mother church. The registers have now been deposited at the County Record Office, Matlock; baptisms and burials to 1812, and marriages to 1982, although these are also on microfilm for baptisms, marriages and burials to 1880.

MEMORIAL INSCRIPTIONS - LIST OF SURNAMES

| | | | |
|-----------|------------|------------------|-----------|
| ABRAHAM | DALE | JOHNSON | SHERRATT |
| ADAMS | DAWSON | MART | SINGLETON |
| ARCHER | DERRICOURT | MAY | SMITH |
| BAGSHAW | EDENSOR | MILLWARD | SPENCER |
| BONSALL | EDGE | MYCOCK | STUBBS |
| BOWLER | FURNAS | OAKDEN | STYLES |
| BRADBURY | BERESFORD | ODINGSSELLO-LEEK | SUTTON |
| BROWNSON | GARLICK | PHILIPS | TICKLE |
| BUNTING | GARNER | PRINCE | TITTERTON |
| CLEWS | GOODWIN | REDFERN | WAGSTAFF |
| COTTERILL | GOULD | RILEY | WARING |
| CRITCHLOW | GRINDEY | SALT | WILD |
| DAKIN | HARDY | SHELDON | WRIGHT |

Heather Heaton, Projects Co-ordinator

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See also 'Strays' booklet page 8, and Back Nos. of "Branch News" page 10.

List of Burials undertaken by SMITHS, builders of Rock House, Tibshelf, Derbys.
1920-35.

| Name of deceased | date | age | | date | age |
|------------------------|---------------|---------|--------------------|-------------|---------|
| ASHMORE Eliza | 1922 Jul 5 | 67 | RAYNES Jack | 1924 Dec 31 | 23 |
| ASHMORE Martha | 1921 Dec 3 | 53 | RAYNES John | 1925 Oct 15 | 58 |
| ASHMORE Mary | 1921 Aug 23 | 60 | RAYNES Ruth | 1923 Dec 9 | - |
| AUSTIN Alice Amelia | 1920 Apr 15 | 30 | REYNOLDS Emma | 1927 Nov 28 | 71 |
| AYRE Emma | 1920 Jun 25 | 75 | RICHARDS George | 1921 Jun 28 | 55 |
| AYRE John | 1920 Oct 18 | 83 | RILEY Gervase | 1920 Apr 28 | 17 dys. |
| BAILEY Annie Elizabeth | 1927 Jul 29 | 79 | SELLORS Sarah Ann | 1927 Apr 24 | - |
| BATTISON William | 1929 Nov 6 | 63 | SHAW Albert | 1935 May 22 | - |
| BROOKS Richard | 1923 Jan 3 | 42 | SHELTON Frank | 1931 Feb 27 | 47 |
| CARBURY Emma | 1921 Feb 8 | 63 | SHELTON Mrs. Frank | 1928 Sep 13 | 42 |
| CLARKE Alice | 1921 Oct 23 | 70 | SHELTON James | 1928 Mar 18 | 65 |
| CLAY Louisa | 1921 May 3 | 5 mth. | SHOOTER George | 1927 Jun 4 | 76 |
| CLOWS Annie | 1935 Oct 2 | - | SMITH Elizabeth | | |
| COOK Joseph | 1925 Dec 5 | - | (bn. 1858 May 24) | 1922 Oct 13 | - |
| DRAYCOTT John | 1932 Mar 2 | 72 | SMITH Maggie | | |
| GRATION Hannah | 1928 Feb 27 | 74 | nee GOODALL | 1927 Mar 25 | 31 |
| GRATION Herbert | 1922 Apr 8 | 72 | SMITH Mary Louisa | 1920 Nov 15 | 30 |
| HALLAM Emma | 1921 Sep 4 | 46 | SPENCER Elizabeth | 1921 Feb 1 | 49 |
| HAYWOOD William | 1922 Oct 13 | 82 | SPENCER Esther | 1920 Oct 18 | 22 |
| HILL George | 1920 Apr 18 | 65 | SWALES Margaret | | |
| HOLMES Charles | 1921 Dec 27 | 76 | Ellen | 1934 Feb 6 | 77 |
| HOLMES Samuel | c.1931 - 1932 | - | TOPLISS Elijah | 1920 Apr 27 | 44 |
| HUGHES Edgar | 1931 Dec 17 | - | TOTTY Harriet | 1934 Feb 20 | 71 |
| HUGHES Mary Ann | 1932 Dec 14 | 61 | TRUSWELL Kate | 1920 Dec 11 | 6yr 4m. |
| HUNTHOUSE Rose Emma | 1931 Oct 27 | - | WASS Charles | 1926 Nov 3 | 67 |
| JONES George | 1920 Nov 29 | 7m 2wk. | WEBSTER Ethel | 1929 Oct 4 | 32 |
| MATTHEWS Mary | | | and baby | 1929 Oct 1 | - |
| nee GOODALL | 1921 Mar 16/8 | 28 | WHITE Thirza | 1922 May 16 | 79 |
| NIX Rebecca | 1920 May 2 | 62 | WOOD Jean | 1926 Dec 26 | 5 wk. |
| PEAT Harold | 1921 Nov 9 | 2½ | WOOD John Else | 1927 Sep 3 | 85 |
| RADFORD Sarah | 1920 Jul 29 | 70 | WOOD John William | 1927 Apr 28 | 38 |
| RAYNES Betsy | 1922 Jul 22 | 17 | WOODLAND Mary | 1929 Oct 27 | 81 |
| RAYNES Charlotte | 1924 Apr 10 | - | WOODLAND William | 1920 Dec 24 | 75 |
| | | | WRAY Levi | 1926 Nov 27 | - |
| | | | YOUNG Betty | 1926 Oct 19 | 4 |

From a book in the possession of Mr. William Tempest Smith. Originally a material costing book started by John Smith about 1879 and used by George Smith 1920-1935 as a record of burials.

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WILLS BENEFICIARY INDEX

This index relating to all names mentioned in Wills, Probate Documents and Inventories is being compiled by Alison Englefield who wishes to thank everyone who has already contributed information. She would especially like to thank Mr. & Mrs. Bowler, who have sent in a massive wad of Bowler Will details, but of course all contributions are very valuable indeed. Well done everyone!

As a reminder, and especially for new members, here is the format again.

| | | |
|---|--|------------|
| 5" | <u>EXAMPLE</u> (fictitious) | 5" |
| SURNAME | WHITE | DERBYSHIRE |
| COUNTY of RESIDENCE | | |
| 3" Details of all persons of that surname | JOHN (nephew) E. of RIPLEY | 3" |
| Testator's name, residence & occupation. | MARY (niece) B. of RIPLEY | |
| Probate details | Testator - JOB BROWN of BELPER, FARMER | |
| | Probate dated 10th Oct. 1790 at Lichfield | |

There should be one slip per name per county. If no residence is given, then it is usual to assume that it is the same as the testator. The sort of details to note for each person of the same surname are as follows: relationship to testator, occupation and residence.

The following abbreviations may be used:

- | | | | |
|------------------|--------------|--------------|------------|
| A. Administrator | D. Debtor | O. Overseer | T. Tenant |
| B. Beneficiary | E. Executor | P. Appraisor | W. Witness |
| C. Creditor | M. Mentioned | S. Servant | |

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