

EARL, Mary

- 1783 To relieve Earl's girl 2s 6d.
1784 To widow Hayward for keeping Earl's girl 8s.
1784 To John Ingram for keeping Earl's girl £1-5s. To Mary Earl 17s.
1785 For making a gown for Earl's girl 1s. To John Ingram for keeping Mary Earl £2-15s.
1788 Paid for knitting stockings for the poor 1s.

EASTWARD, William. Wife Martha. or EASTWOOD Living at Wallingham.

- 1790 Married Martha Waters.
1795 Daughter Mary.
1796-97 Small sums of relief
1800-21 Received annual relief payments. 1812 He and his family were at Wallingham. 1812 Shoes £1. His daughter mentioned.

EASTWOOD, James

- 1784 Relief 9s.
1787 Thomas Hoadley paid 12s 3d for a sack of barley for James Eastwood.
1788-93 His rent paid by the parish, to William Marchant £2-5s a year.
1791 Mr Joseph Potter senior paid 13s for 63 faggots for James Eastwood. The names James Eastwood and widow Ellis were linked 10s.
1792 Dame Eastwood was paid 2s for nursing Nevil Robinson's wife.
1793 For carrying James Eastwood's goods to the workhouse 5s.
1794 (pauper) Death. For carrying him to church 4s. Burial fees 4s 6d.
1796-1801 Widow Eastwood received substantial relief.
1799 To Mr Cox for keeping the widow Eastwood 48 weeks £2-8s.

EASTWOOD, Elizabeth

- 1791 Married Richard Gasson. Witnesses: Edward Mitchell, Maria Kent.

EDMUNDS, John, of Hatton Garden, Holborn

- 1796 Bought Pollbrooks Farm from James Harbrow.
1801 Sold it to William Weeks.

EMMONDS, Levy ?

- 1805 Expenses sending him to Maidstone as a substitute. 10s 6d.
1805 Parish received of him £5.

EDWARDS, Mary

- 1783 Base daughter Bell.
1784-94 Regular maintenance by parish of Mary Edwards and her daughter.
1792 Joseph Edwards was paid £1-19s for keeping his daughter's child.
1794-96 Relief for Bell Edwards.

EDWARDS, George, bricklayer. Wife Elizabeth

- 1809-1824 Occupied a cottage at Rendsley Hoath TA 156 rates £1-10s.
1820 Examination of his son James.
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EDWARDS, James, born c. 1790, son of George (above). Wife Susan

- 1820 Examination. Son of George Edwards, born in Cowden. At age 14 he was apprenticed to Henry Luck of Hartfield who later moved to East Grinstead. From 1818 to 1820 he hired himself to his father George Edwards in Chiddingstone. In 1820 married Susan Proudley.
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EDWARDS, George, bricklayer, born c. 1795, son of George (above). Wife Jane

1811 Witness marriage of Richard Marchant and Elizabeth Lucas.

1817 Prosecuted for impregnating Charlotte Nye. (Quarter Sessions) James Denton was paid 12s 6d for expenses concerning George Edwards at Tonbridge. More expense on account of him and John Smith £3-11s. Journey and expense to parish officers at Sevenoaks 9s 8d. Court fees 18s.

1819 Son George. George Edwards paid £4-14s-6d to the parish on account of Charlotte Nye's child.

1820 Examination. Born in Cowden where his parents were legally settled. Now residing in Chiddingstone. He had been committed to the House of Correction at Maidstone for three months. No order made. A few days later he appears to have been ordered to Cowden.

EDWARDS, Sarah

1816 Married John Parker. Witnesses: Richard Chatfield, Sarah Chatfield.

EDWARDS, Mr

1818 Provided clothes for Mary Hider 10s.

ELFICK See ELPHICK

ELLIOT, Sarah

1796 Death.

ELLIOT, Mary, widow

1797 Married Samuel Obee. Witnesses: Stephen Wickham, Elizabeth Smith.

ELLIOTT, Ann

1797 Married James Eves of Chiddingstone at Penshurst.

ELLIOTT, Thomas

1795 He was paid £4-9s- 6d, the expenses of John Cox and himself who were lodgers at Stephen Wickham's.

ELLIS, William, tailor Wife Sarah See Edenbridge

1785 Jane Mills of Cowden left £28 to Sarah, wife of William Ellis of Chiddingstone, tailor.

1786-88 Substantial relief.

1789 Death in Edenbridge.

1789-95 Regular relief for widow Ellis. 1790 A cord of wood 18s. 1791 Her name was linked with that of James Eastwood 10s.

1792 Relief for widow Ellis and son 14s.

1795 Death of Sarah Ellis. To Nicholas Smeed for "doing" for her 6s. Expenses of her burial 11s. Burial fee 4s 6d.

ELLIS, Edward, son of William and Sarah Ellis (above) , born 1765. Wife Ann. See Edenbridge.

1792 Relief 2s.

1800-13 Parish helped him towards his rent and as relief on a regular basis.

1810 Parish contributed £1-1s for the burial of his wife. *[Not recorded in Chiddingstone]* She died in Edenbridge.

1811 He was ill.

1813 To relieve him towards his poor assessment £1-10s. This was repeated in 1814 and 1815. 1814-17 Relief diminished.

1815 To Mr Jerry Bassett £2-12s for keeping Ann Ellis (child) one year.

1816 To Edward Nicholson £1-19s for keeping Ann Ellis nine months.

1817 To Mr Fuller £2-12s for keeping his daughter one year (child)
1818 Received relief. Also 1821.

ELLIS, John

1812 Death. Burial 5s. For carrying him to the church 4s. Coffin 18s.
1813 The parish received £1-16s on account of John Ellis.

ELLIS,

1809 Bailiff at Hever Castle and Lodge Farms. Sale of timber.

ELLIS, William

1818 Some relief.

ELLSEY, Elizabeth

1804 Married William Shoemith. Witness: William Marchant.

ELPHICK, Sarah

1790 Married Nicholas Still. Witness: Elizabeth French.

ELFICK, Sarah

1809 Base daughter Elizabeth to Sarah Elfick.. For Elizabeth Elfick's lying in £4.
1809-17 Regular payments for the support of the child. [*Initially described as Elizabeth Elphick's child but this could be a mistake*].
1813 To dame Jenner for relieving Sarah Elphick's child 8s.

ELWOOD See AYLWARD

EMBURY, David Wife Elizabeth or EMERY

1790 Relief 2s. 1792 Sack of peas 18s 6d.
1797 Death of David Embury.
1797 Relief for widow Embury.
1797 Death of Elizabeth Embury. Parish paid £1-1s towards the burial of widow Embury.

EREWOOD, Judith, a traveller

1800 Death. Parish paid her burial fees 4s 6d. For carrying her to the church 4s.

ERIDGE, Philly

1809 Married William Hodges of Chiddingstone at Penshurst.

EVANS, Robert

1795 Expenses going to Mereworth on account of Robert Evans £1-10s-8d.
1796 Upon the complaint of Chiddingstone he was adjudged the father of a female bastard child born of Sarah Mason, singlewoman, in Chiddingstone. Order made. (Quarter Sessions).
Chiddingstone overseers paid Mr Highfield for Quarter Sessions order and all expenses attending the Sessions on account of Robert Evans £5-18s-6d. From this time until at least 1808 Robert Evans paid to Chiddingstone various sums, usually £5-4s a year
1802 Pais 2s to a man that brought Evans's money.
1807 Parish expended on account of Robert Evans 2s 2d. 1808 Ditto 2s 6d. To relieve his child 8s.

EVANS, Richard

1812 A substitute in the local militia. Chiddingstone paid him £2-2s and later 11s 9d, a quarter of a substitute.

EVEREST, John, yeoman Wife Susan

1779 Death. Will (PCC) He left Little Buckhurst (Walnuttree Cross) half to his wife Susanna and half to his nephew John Everest.

1779-1797 Susan Everest, widow, for Pilbeams, Hobbs Hill and (occupied) Little Frienden. She also owned a half share of Little Buckhurst.

1785 John Everest who held Hobbs Hill Farm (2s) and part of Pilbeams late Thomas Pearch of Chiddingstone (5d) is dead (Sundridge Weald).

(1794) Thomas, Moses, Sarah and Richard Turner being seized of a messuage and lands call Buckhurst in Chiddingstone [Walnuttree Cross] occupied by Thomas Corke alienated the same to John Everest. John Everest is now dead and by will he devised the same to his widow Susan for life, remainder to his daughter Ann, wife of William Camfield (Chiddingstone-Burgherst 1s3d).

1790 John Everest aliened his half share of Lower Buckhurst to Susanna Everest, widow

1792 Ann Everest, daughter of John and Susanna, married William Camfield of Speldhurst. Witness: Edward Wills.

1793 Susan reimbursed for conveying army baggage by wagon and team from Broadwater Camp to Ashdown Camp (Quarter Sessions).

1817 Death of Susan, aged 68.

EVEREST, John

1785-86 To John Everest for keeping Benjamin Baker £2-12s

1790 John Saxby being seized of a messuage and diverse lands called Prinkham occupied by John Everest (7s8d) has died. His son John is heir. (Sundridge Weald). Also 1806.

[However the records show that Saxby occupied the land himself and so this may be an anachronism].

EVEREST, William, of Otford, yeoman

1785 William Everest who held lands late Burgiss and wife and Saxby and wife (6s1½d), occupied by William Peerless is dead. William Everest is his son and heir. *[This land is Bassetts].*

1785 Will of William Everest of Otford (PCC). He left to his son William all his real estate in the parishes of Cowden, Chiddingstone and Chevening.

EVEREST, William, son of William Everest (above)

1785-1832 William Everest owned part of Bassetts Farm, bequeathed to him by his father..

1782-1832 William Everest owned Bassetts Farm (mainly in Cowden), occupied by William Pearless (1782-1791), Mrs Pearless (1791-1794) and William Pearless (1797-1811). Obed Williams (1812-1815), William Ray (1817-1829).

1794 William Everest for a parcel of land called Black Green, 3 acres, late Bassett occupied by William Pearless (2½d). More for other lands late Bassett called Deans and Westfield, occupied by William Pearless (1s). (Chiddingstone-Burgherst Rental).

1806 William Everest of Otford for land late Burgiss and wife and Saxby and wife, occupied by William Pearless (Sundridge Weald 6s1½d).

1812 William Everest of Otford for land late Burgiss and wife and Saxby and wife, occupied by William Pearless (Sundridge Weald 6s1½d). However, in a document William Everest of Otford now of Kingston, miller.

1815 Bassetts farmhouse was being rebuilt. Timber belonging to Mr William Everest of Kingston, Surrey, was stolen. (Quarter Sessions).

1817-18 William Everest mentioned in a list of quitrents.

1836 William Everest who held land formerly belonging to Burgess and wife afterwards Saxby and wife formerly in the occupation of William Peerless at the yearly rent of 6s1½d hath since the last court alienated the same to Richard Price esq.

1778 William Everest for Stonelake (8d) and Crutchfields (5d) late Mr John Hayward late John Braiser in the occupation of Simon Medhurst. [in margin Richard Hodsden paid by

William Everest]. More for a messuage and orchard late John Brasier in the occupation of Medhurst (2d).

1806 Heirs of Richard Hodsden for Stonelake (8d). For Crutchfield formerly John Hayward's late Brasier, since William Everest, occupied by Thomas Medhurst of Charcott (5d). For a messuage and orchard formerly John Brasier's, since William Everest, occupied by Thomas Medhurst (2d). Richard Hodsden probably acquired the properties in 1778.

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EVEREST, John. Wife Ann

1780 Son John

1782 Son Peter who died in 1788.

1784 Son William

1786 Daughter Sarah.

1787 (of Stanford Borough). Served on Petty Jury.

EVEREST, Thomas, thatcher Wife Mary See Hever. The Hever records are incompatible with the Chiddingstone records.

1795 Married Mary Adhams. Witness: James Jenner.

1796 Son William.

1797 For thatching paid £1-5s-2d.

1798 Parish paid 10s 6d towards the burial of his child. Death of William Everest.

1798 Son Thomas (qv). Parish paid Elizabeth Smith 7s 6d for nursing his wife.

1799 Parish supplied him with a sack of hog fatting feed £1.

1799-1805 Parish supported him with relief, payment of his rent, supply of faggots. In 1805 Mr Burfield supplied him with wood (14s).

1800 Daughter Jane.

1802 Son Richard who died in 1805 (infant).

1804 Daughter Susanna. ? Married John Hood (Head) about 1830, not at Chiddingstone.

1806 Daughter Mary. Dame Barnett paid 5s for laying his wife. Nurse 7s.

1808 One year's rent paid to Mr Burfield £3.

1808 Death. Burial fees £1-1s.

1808-17 Widow Everest continued to be supported by the parish with her children. Rent.

Faggots.

1813 She was suffering from smallpox.

1815 Robert Burfield paid £3-15s for keeping Susan Everest.

1817 To Robert Keeys £2-18s for keeping dame Everest's girl. "To Robert Keeys £1 part of Susanna Everest's wages".

1817 To Robert Burfield £1-14s 6d for keeping Susanna Everest.

1818-19 Parish support for widow Everest and her girl.

EVEREST, Thomas, son of Thomas Everest (above), born 1798

1811-12 John Burfield paid £10-11s for keeping Thomas Everest 211 weeks

1815 Relief 12s.

1821 Some relief while ill.

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EVEREST, Abraham, born about 1798.

1813 John Burfield paid £2-12s for keeping Abraham Everest.

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EVEREST, Richard

1817 To John Burfield for keeping Richard Everest (child) 52 weeks £2-12s.

EVEREST, Sarah

1818 John Burfield was paid £3-3s for keeping Sarah Everest and John White.

EVEREST, Jane, born 1778

1803 Relief 3s.

1807 Base son Samuel

1809 (widow) Married James Jenner widower. Witness: John Miller.

EVEREST, Sarah, born 1799 ? daughter of John Everest of Hever

1816 Married William Coulstick. Witness Thomas Hollamby, Sarah Simmons, John Welfare, Elizabeth Piggott.

EVEREST, Widow

1786 Relief for widow Everest and children £1-12s. The overseers paid for liquor etc on the occasion of bringing widow Everest and family home.

£1-12

1787 To John Humphrey for keeping widow Everest's son 83 weeks £4-3s.

EVEREST, Richard

1801-12 Regular relief for his wife and child. Sometimes they were relieved separately. In

1805 the child was identified as a boy.

1804 To Richard Collins for taking care of Richard's wife during illness £1-5s. To Mary Gibb for nursing dame Everest 2s.

1804 To Mr Faulkner his bill on account of Richard Everest's wife 14s 6d.

EVEREST, James

1788 Mr Maynard was paid £7-2s-6 for taking James Everest apprentice.

EVEREST, William

1808-09 Substantial relief for William Everest and family.

EVEREST, John

1808-09 Mr Woodhams paid £5-19s-6d for keeping John Everest for 97 weeks.

1809 Parish provided clothes for John Everest who was at service at Somerden 8s.

EVERTON, John

1820-29 Occupied Henden, tenant of Master.

EVES, James

1797 (of Chiddingstone) Married Ann Elliot at Penshurst.

EW RIDGE, Anne

See URIDGE

1791 Married John Shoebridge. Witness: Joseph Bridges.

FARMER, Anne

1791 Married George Chapman. Witnesses: James Farmer, William Farmer.

FARMER, James

1791 Witnessed marriage of George Chapman and Anne Farmer.

FARMER, William

1791 Witnessed marriage of George Chapman and Anne Farmer.

FARMER, Amelia (3)

1810 Married John Baldwin of Hartfield. Witness: William Divall.

FARMER, Mary

1810 Married James Hawes. Witnesses: George Piper, Ann Piper.

FARNABY, Sir Charles Farnaby Radcliffe, bart. See Hever.

MP for East Grinstead, later Kent and then Hythe. Took the additional name of Radcliffe.

Succeeded by his brother Sir John.

1760-1797 Owner of Ivy House. Also owner of Sharps Place, occupied by Boakes.

1795 Owner of Intenden, Chittenden, and Chillenden, occupied by Joseph Potter (Hever Brocas 19s 2d) = Ivyhouse.

1777 Sir Thomas Farnaby bart who lately held a messuage called Sharps Place and diverse lands called Piggots and Fowkes in Chiddingstone and Sevenoaks and now occupied by John Boakes is dead. Sir Charles Farnaby is his son and heir. {Bowzell 3s 4d).

1797 Death.

FARNABY, Sir John, bart

1797-1802 Owner of Ivy House in succession to his brother Sir Charles Farnaby Radcliffe.

1797 Lease of Ivy House to Joseph Potter for 11 years.

1797-1802 Owner of Sharpe's Place.

1802 Death [*not in Chiddingstone*]

FARNABY, Sir Charles Francis, bart. See Hever

1802-1824 Owner of Ivy House in succession to his father Sir John. Sir Charles came of age in 1808.

1802-1816 Owner of Sharpe's Place which he sold in 1816 to Christopher Cooke, occupied by Boakes.

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FARRAR, Samuel, late of Bromley, then of Croydon, esq.

1804-1811 Owned Hale Farm, which he had inherited from Edward Currey, esq.

1811 He had sold Hale Farm to William Wells, esq.

FAUKS, James

1809 He was paid £3-14s for 74 weeks rent for widow Deadman.

FAULKNER, John

1793 Witnessed marriage of Robert Steer and Sarah Bellingham.

FAULKNER, Phebe

1797 Married Robert Hills.

FAULKNER, Ann

1799 Witnessed marriage of Thomas Nightingale and Mercy Padgham.

FAULKNER, Mr

1803 Sent in High Constable's bill £1-19s-6d.

1804 To Mr Faulkner on account of Richard Everest's wife.

FEAST, Thomas, labourer. Wife Elizabeth

1801 Married Elizabeth Warren of Leigh. Witnesses: Thomas Foster, Charles Barrell

1802 Son William (qv).

1805 Daughter Charlotte

1807 Son Edward, baptized in 1810.

1810 Daughter Sarah.

1814 Son Thomas who died in 1816 aged 2.

FEAST, John

1818 Occupied a cottage in Chiddingstone North (3s 9d).

FENNELL, Elizabeth

1794 Married Robert Turley. Witness: William Luck.

FENNER, Elizabeth

1812 Death (child)

FENNER, William, blacksmith. Wife Margaret, Mary, Ann

1810 Married Margaret, daughter of James Denton.

1812 Relief for his wife 6s.

1812 Death of his wife Margaret, aged 20, leaving issue her son James and her daughter Mary, born in Penshurst Mary later died.

William then married Mary, daughter of William Potter of Chiddingstone, yeoman.

1813 Relief for William's child 6s.

1815 Blacksmith's bill to overseers 7s 1d.

1816 Daughter Mary Ann.

1816 Death of Margaret Fenner of Horseshoes, Penshurst, aged 25. *[This could be a mistake for Mary].*

1817 (widower) Married Ann Bristy. Witnesses: John Payne, Mary Anne Payne.

1818 Bill to overseers 8s 6d. 1818 Bill £3-2s-9d. 1819 £2-0s-6d.

1818 He received on account of his child from the parish £8-10s

1820 Death, late of Hever. He left two children, James (8) and Mary(5). James Denton applied to the Petty Sessions to determine the parish of settlement of the children. They were living in Chiddingstone at the time of their father's death.

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FIELD, Richard. Wife Sarah.

1800 Relief £2

1802 Son John.

1802 Relief £2-2s.

1808 Relief and burial £8. Relief for his boy £2. *[Not buried in Chiddingstone]*

1809 Relief for widow Field's boy one year £5-4s.

1810 To Mr Pettit for keeping Richard Field's boy ten weeks £3-6s.

FIELD, John, labourer

1809-1821 Occupied a cottage in Chiddingstone South (£2).

1815 Accused of stealing some wheat from John Woodgate. He had a particular manner of fetching his breath and a particular catch in his voice and so John Jenner thought that he recognised him. Not guilty. (Quarter Sessions). Also accused of stealing corn from the barns of Charles Saxby of Penshurst and John Saxby, and from a mill in Ashurst belonging to Edward Everest.. Guilty on the last count.

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FIELD, Michael,

1800 Relief 5s. Carrying his goods 5s.

1801 Substantial relief £3-6s-8d. For fetching the midwife 6d.

1803 Supplied with 50 faggots and 7s relief.

1804-05 His rent paid £3.

FIELDER, William. Wife Ann

1795 (of Chiddingstone). Married Ann Waters of Penshurst.

1801 William and Ann witnessed the marriage of John Jenner widower and Ann Pearch.

1802 Parish paid him £10 on account of Thomas Smith's indentures. A further 18s 6d in

1803.

1809 Occupied a cottage in Chiddingstone South.
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FIELDER, Harriet

1815 Witnessed marriage of John Best and Anne May.
1815 Witnessed marriage of Benjamin Humphrey widower and Sarah Jones widow.
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FIELDER, Joseph

1807 Part of Thomas Smith's indentures, as by agreement.

FINCH, John Ford. Wife Elizabeth

1786 Daughter Ann.
1788 Son George.
1789 Witnessed marriage of James Winter and Martha Denton.
1794 Son John Ford
1800 Paid by parish for going to John(?) Luke's papers.

FINN, John. Wife Sarah

1815 (of Beckenham) Married Sarah May. Witnesses: John Best, Ann May.
1822 Sarah, wife of John Finn of Marylebone, died of scarlet fever aged 32. Daughter Harriet (1815-1822) also died.

FISHER, John

1819 His stallion "Worthy" offered to service mares. He circulated in Islington, Mitcham, Reigate, Godstone, Westerham, East Grinstead, Chiddingstone, Tonbridge, Sevenoaks, Islington, Woodford Bridge.
1819 His stallion "Worthy" beat "Jupiter" in a race at Godstone. (Maidstone Journal).

FITCH, George. Wife Margaret

1807 Overseer of Chiddingstone.
1808-1821 Occupied Brownings Farm, tenant of Hall.
1808 To George Fitch for keeping Stephen Hider for a year £2-12s.
1811-1821 Occupied Camphill Farm.
1811 Provided wood for the poor £2. 1812 Faggots for the poor £3-8s.
1812 Surveyor (Chiddingstone North). 1812-13 Churchwarden. 1812 To Richard Young going to Camphill with a letter 6d.
1812 Went to Maidstone with John Potter on parish business £2.
1812 Supplied 400 faggots to the workhouse £6-16s. Supplied two loads of straw to thatch the house at the Causeway £4.
1813 Gave evidence that he had seen Edward Wickenden living in Westminster having deserted his wife (Petty Sessions).
1813 Expense going to London with William Taylor on parish business £2-15s.
1816 Overseer.
1816 Death of his wife Margaret, aged 51 (monument).
1818 The parish received from him £25-15s on account of the mistake of Joseph Potter and £1 on account of the mistake on the account of Carey Huntley.
1819 Unable to pay his rates £16-12s-6d.
1821 Bankrupt. His property sold up.
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FLOYD, Sarah

1797 She was the sister and heiress of James Fremlin of Eynsford who owned an interest in Wilderness. Her heirs sold her interest to Henry Streattfeild.

FOORD, Sophie

1794 (pauper) Death.

FOURT, Philip. Wife Dorothy. or FORTE

1798 (of Penshurst) Married Dorothy Ingrams. Witness: Nicholas Wickenden.
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FOORD, Thomas

1814-1817 Occupied Bradley Island, tenant of Saxby.
1817 Master Foord sold 10 stone 4lb of beef to the workhouse £2-2s.

FORBES, David. Wife Elizabeth. Scottish travellers.

1788 Son William.

FOSSETT, Ann

1813 To Mr Nightingale, shoemaker, for keeping Ann Fossett and Harriot Kent 52 weeks £3-18s. To Thomas (?) Wells £1-10s for keeping Ann Fossett as per agreement.

FOSSETT, Mary

1814 Coach hire for her 7s.

FOSTER, Thomas. Wife Anne

1801 (of Penshurst) Married Anne Brooks. Witnesses: W Crandall, Hester Brook, Richard Foster.

1801 Witnessed marriage of Thomas Feast and Elizabeth Warren of Leigh.

1802 Witnessed marriage of Richard Foster of Brasted and Hester Brook.

FOSTER, Richard

1801 Witnessed marriage of Thomas Foster of Penshurst and Anne Brooks.

1802 (of Brasted) Married Hester Brook. Witness Thomas Foster.

FOSTER, William

1818-1851 Occupied Doubletons Farm, tenant of Wells

1817 To Mr Foster for a hog weighing 38 stone for the workhouse £8-5s-8d

1817 For fetching a fat hog from Mr Foster's 6s.

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