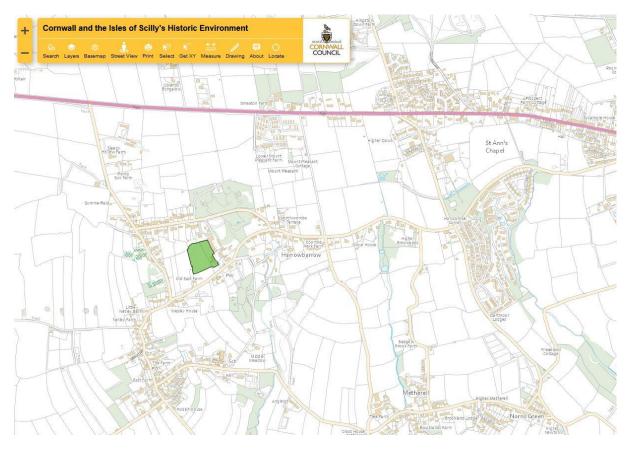
# Mine Worker: Richard Halls

**Plot Location (1839-40 Tithe):** Cold East, Harrowbarrow. Dwelling on Tithe Map located at "Cold East" on Cornwall Council's Historic Environment interactive map (2022).

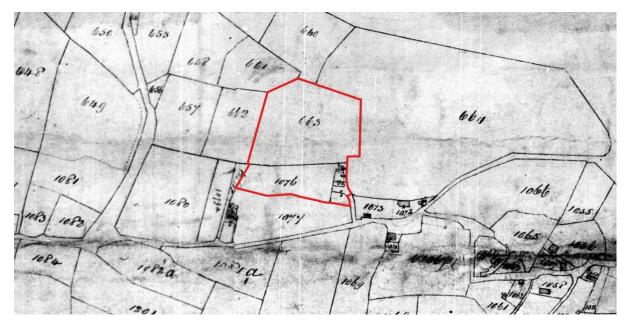
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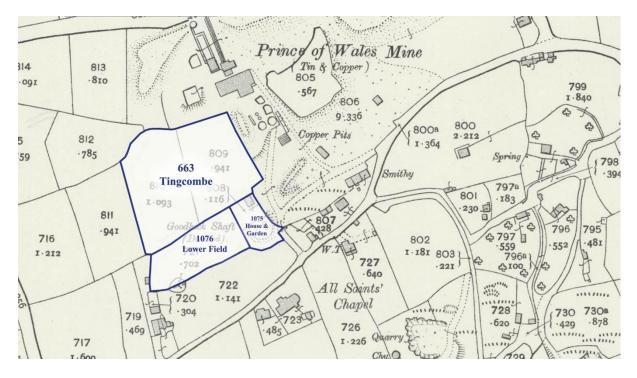
# Occupier: Richard Halls (Miner)

# Landowner: Himself

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1075	House and Garden	Garden			22			
1076	Lower Field	Arable		2	39			
			2	3	22	0	4	0



References : The National Archives, Kew. IR/29/6/24 - Tithe apportionment of Calstock (parish), Cornwall. IR/30/6/24 - Tithe map of Calstock (parish), Cornwall.



Reference: OS 25 Inch Map 1892-1914 Source: National Library of Scotland (Map Images) https://maps.nls.uk/geo/explore/#zoom=18&lat=50.51098&lon=-4.25580&layers=168&b=1



# **Richard Halls**

Richard Halls appears on the 1841 Calstock Census at Cold East, Harrowbarrow. Richard is listed as a copper miner aged 40, in the same household are Nancy (40), James (13), Elizabeth (11), Mary (6), Merina (4) and Richard (1), all born in Cornwall.<sup>1</sup>

The Calstock registers of baptisms record seven children born to the couple between 1828 and 1842. The baptism for their first child born in the parish, James Halls, indicates that the family were living at "Coldeast" as early as 1828.<sup>2</sup>

Richard was born at St Agnes and baptised in the parish church on 2nd October 1796  $^3$ , one of at least eight children born to Daniel Hall(s) and Grace (née Nicholls) who were married at Kenwyn Church, Truro on 18th August 1787.<sup>4</sup>

At least two of Richard's brothers had also moved east to Tamar Valley parishes (probably three, see the section on William Halls). John Halls (born at St Agnes in 1793) was farming at Harrowbarrow in 1841<sup>5</sup>, and by 1851 lived at Kelly Bray in neighbouring Stoke Climsland.<sup>6</sup> The 1839 Tithe shows that land adjoining Richard's at Cold East was owned and farmed by Daniel Halls (born at St Agnes in 1791, he also owned a house and gardens which he rented to copper miner William Cole). Daniel Halls was a yeoman farmer who in 1841 (aged 50) lived at Corneal just over a mile to the south of Cold East in the parish of St Dominick.<sup>7</sup>

Richard Halls married Ann Hocking at Callington on 10 April 1823.<sup>8</sup> Both were described as "sojourners of this parish" and the 1851 Census confirms that she was born in another parish - Laneast, west of Launceston. Ann was baptised at Laneast on 20th July 1800 the daughter of John and Elizabeth Hockin(g) (née Venning)<sup>9</sup>, who were married at Laneast in 1794.<sup>10</sup>

By 1844 the family had relocated to the Caradon area about seven miles or so to the west, where the opportunities for a copper miner were even greater than those available in Gunnislake.

However, this move would end in tragedy - on 15th June 1844 he was killed when a charge he was setting exploded prematurely.<sup>11</sup>

### CORNWALL ROYAL GAZETTE, FRIDAY, JUNE 21, 1844.

LISKEARD.—On Saturday last, at South Caradon Mine, Richard Halls, a miner, was dreadfully injured by the premature explosion of a hole. He survived the accident only for about eight hours. He has left a widow and six children to lament his loss.

CORONER'S INQUESTS .-

- On the 17th, an inquest was held before Joseph Hamley, Esq., at St. Ive, on view of the body of Richard Halls, a miner, who was killed by the explosion of the powder, whilst tamping a rock at Tokenbury mine. Verdict, accidental death.

Richard's body was brought back to his "home" parish of Calstock, where he was buried on 18 June 1844, his residence was noted as Linkinhorne.<sup>12</sup>

The 1851 Linkinhorne Census lists the widowed Ann and family at Rilla Mill. Ann (48) is listed as a mine labourer's widow, with daughters Mary A (16), Marina (14) and sons Richard (12) & John (8).<sup>13</sup>

Notes:

1. 1841 Cornwall Census, Calstock. Ref: HO107 PN133 BN2 FN44 PN13.

2. Calstock Register of baptisms, 1813-1830. Ref: KK P26/1/6.

3. St Agnes Register of baptisms and burials, 1791-1812. Ref: KK P2/1/7.

4. Kenwyn Register of marriages, 1784-1811. Ref: KK P98/1/7.

5. 1841 Cornwall Census, Calstock. Ref: HO107 PN133 BN2 FN43 PN10.

6. 1851 Cornwall Census, Stoke Climsland. Ref: HO107 PN1899 FN590 PN29.

7. 1841 Cornwall Census, St Dominick. Ref: HO107 PN133 BN3 FN25 PN13.

8. Cornwall Marriages - Callington. (findmypast.co.uk) CFHS Transcriptions. It is noted that the clerk

recorded Ann's surname as Hawking, Ann signed the register as Hocking. 9. Laneast Register of baptisms, 1789-1812. Ref: KK P108/1/2.

9. Laneast Register of Daptisms, 1789-1812. Ref. KK P108/1/2.

10. Laneast Register of marriages, 1755-1812. Ref: KK P108/1/3.

11. Royal Cornwall Gazette (Truro), June 21st 1844, Number 4105, pg.3, col.1.

12. Calstock Register of burials, 1813-1848. Ref: KK P26/1/18.

13. 1851 Cornwall Census, Linkinhorne. Ref: HO107 PN1901 FN307 PN32.

# Mine Worker: William Halls

**Plot Location (1839-40 Tithe):** Harrowbarrow. Dwelling on Tithe Map located at Butterfly Cottage on Cornwall Council's Historic Environment interactive map (2022).

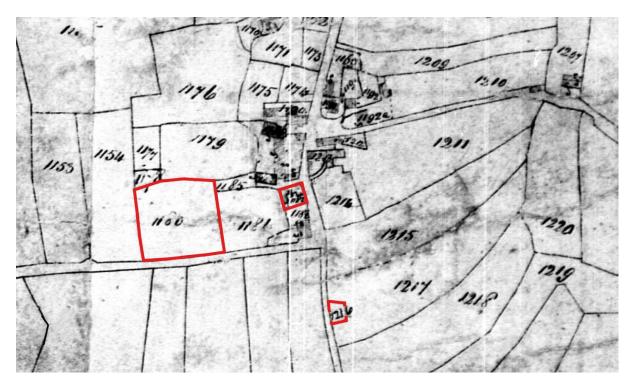
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# Occupier: William Halls (Miner)

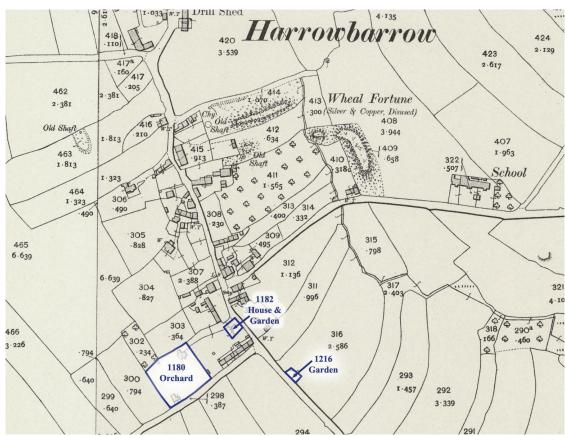
### Landowner: John Monk

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1182	House and Garden				16				
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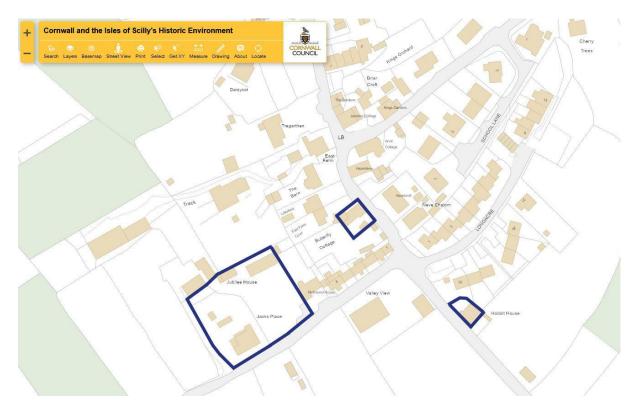


Note that Tithe Plan No. 1186 (Garden) does not appear to be marked on the map. The digital link on the National Archives copy of the Calstock Tithe Apportionment Book (available on www.thegenealogist.co.uk) also fails to link with the map location of the plot.

References : The National Archives, Kew. IR/29/6/24 - Tithe apportionment of Calstock (parish), Cornwall. IR/30/6/24 - Tithe map of Calstock (parish), Cornwall.



Reference: OS 25 Inch Map 1892-1914 Source: National Library of Scotland (Map Images) https://maps.nls.uk/geo/explore/#zoom=17&lat=50.50641&lon=-4.25916&layers=168&b=1



# William Halls

William Halls appears on the 1841 Calstock Census at Harrowbarrow. He is listed as a copper miner aged 30, in the same household are Mary (30), James (15), William (12), John (8), Grace (7), Mary Ann (4), Susannah (2) and Elizabeth Ann (3 mths), all born in Cornwall.<sup>1</sup>

It has not been possible to identify William Halls with certainty, particularly as there does not seem to be any mention of the family in later Census Returns, it is highly likely that they emigrated before 1851.

However, the registration of the birth of Susanna Halls in 1839 (Liskeard Registration District) the only person registered as such (including variants), indicates that her mother's maiden name was Coombe.<sup>2</sup> From this information the marriage of her parents can be found - William Hales (sojourner) married Mary Ann Coumbe (minor, of this parish) at Altarnun on 2nd December 1823.<sup>3</sup>

William was always a miner and through the baptisms of his children it is possible to trace the family in a number of parishes before their arrival at Harrowbarrow. Eldest son James was baptised at Altarnun in 1825<sup>4</sup>, William at St Minver in 1829<sup>5</sup>, John born at Milltown, Lanlivery in 1832 (baptised in the St Austell Primitive Methodist Circuit, a note adding that Mary Ann's maiden name was "Cumb")<sup>6</sup>, Grace at Lanlivery in 1834<sup>7</sup> and Mary Ann at Withiel in 1837<sup>8</sup>, in all of these William was noted as a miner.

Mary Ann Coumbe was born at Altarnun in 1805, the daughter of Richard and Martha Coumbe.<sup>9</sup>

William Halls origins are not quite so clear. His age in the 1841 Census of 30 has clearly been rounded down as per the instructions given to the enumerators. At the time of his marriage in 1823 his wife Mary is described as a minor (i.e. under 21) and her baptism confirms that she was 18. So William must be at least 21 but of a broadly similar age, as both of them had their ages rounded down to 30 in the 1841 Census.

So it is likely that William was around 21 at the time of his marriage in 1823. With this in mind it is very likely that William was another sibling of Richard Halls a copper miner and smallholder who lived at Cold East, Harrowbarrow from the late 1820s to the early 1840s (see the section on Richard Halls for more details).

If this is the case then William was the William Hall(s), born on 10th March 1802 at St Agnes and baptised in the parish church on 19th September 1802<sup>10</sup>, one of at least eight children born to Daniel Hall(s) and Grace (née Nicholls) who were married at Kenwyn Church, Truro on 18th August 1787.<sup>11</sup>

#### Notes:

1. 1841 Cornwall Census, Calstock. Ref: HO107 PN133 BN2 FN45 PN14.

2. England & Wales Births 1837-2006 - Civil Births - Susanna Halls - 1st Q of 1839 - Mother's maiden name Coombe - Liskeard Registration District - Volume 9 - Page 170. (findmypast.co.uk).

3. Altarnun Register of marriages, 1813-1837. Ref: KK P4/1/7.

4. Altarnun Register of baptisms, 1813-1836. Ref: KK P4/1/5.

5. St Minver Register of baptisms, 1812-1833. Ref: KK P154/1/11.

6. Primitive Methodist Baptisms - St Austell District - John Hales (born 23 Jan 1832) - Baptised 24 Feb 1832 - Father William (a miner) - Mother Mary Ann (formerly Cumb) - Residence Milton, Landlivery (sic). Source - Cornwall OPC Database.

7. Lanlivery Register of baptisms, 1833-1854. Ref: KK P111/1/4.

8. Withiel Register of baptisms, 1813-1879. Ref: KK P254/1/4.

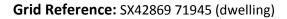
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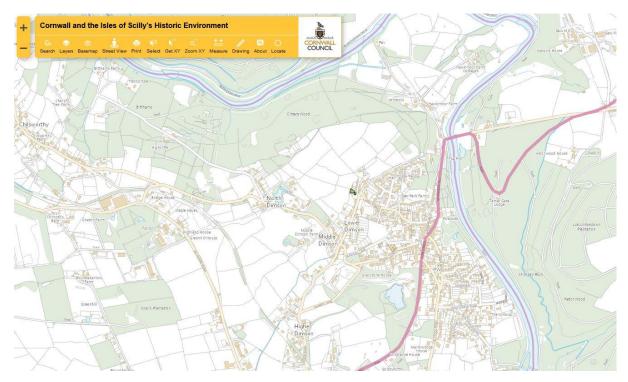
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11. Kenwyn Register of marriages, 1784-1811. Ref: KK P98/1/7.

### Mine Worker: William Honeycombe

**Plot Locations (1839-40 Tithe):** Dimson, Gunnislake. Dwelling on Tithe Map located at "The Firs" on Cornwall Council's Historic Environment interactive map (2022).

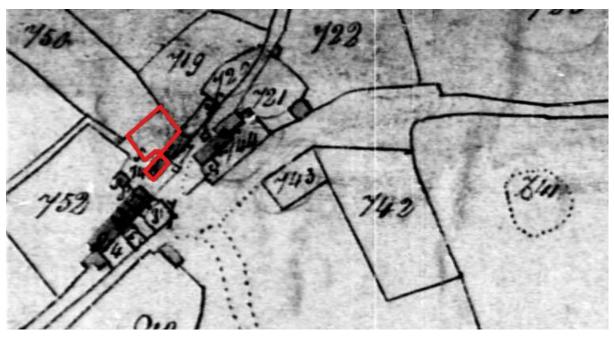


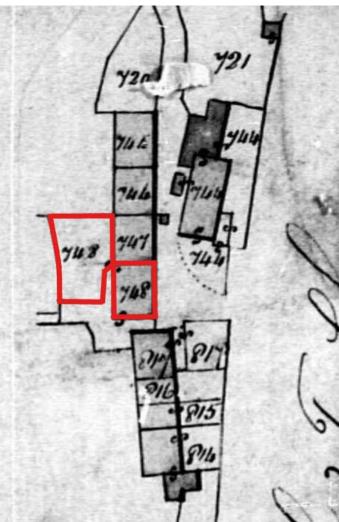


# Occupier: William Honeycombe (Miner)

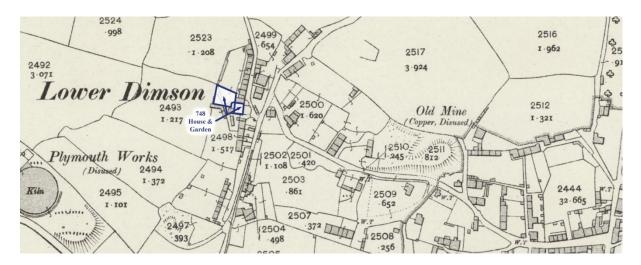
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References : The National Archives, Kew. IR/29/6/24 - Tithe apportionment of Calstock (parish), Cornwall. IR/30/6/24 - Tithe map of Calstock (parish), Cornwall.



Reference: OS 25 Inch Map 1892-1914 Source: National Library of Scotland (Map Images) https://maps.nls.uk/geo/explore/#zoom=17.8&lat=50.52578&lon=-4.21787&layers=168&b=1



### William Honeycombe

William Honeycombe appears on the 1841 Calstock Census at Gunnislake. He is listed as a copper miner aged 42, in the same household are Ann (35), Elizabeth (14), William (8), Ann (4) and Hannah (2), all born in Cornwall.<sup>1</sup>

William Honeycombe married Ann Williams at Calstock on 24th April 1827, both were noted as "of this parish".<sup>2</sup>

The Calstock registers of baptisms together with the Census Returns 1841-61 record the names of eleven children born to William and Ann at Dimson between 1827 and 1847. From Elizabeth Hannah Honeycombe baptised at on 15th July 1827 to Samuel Honeycombe baptised on 19th July 1847.<sup>3</sup>

William Honeycombe was born in the parish of Calstock and baptised on 25th March 1798<sup>4</sup>, son of William and Hannah Honeycombe (née Jope), who were married at Calstock on 22nd October 1793, William's occupation was fisherman and the couple were both noted as "of this parish".<sup>5</sup>

William Honeycombe senior died in 1806 and the widowed Hannah married miner James Richards at Calstock in 1809, see separate entries for James Richards senior and junior for further details.

William's wife Ann Williams was yet another mining related settler from the western half of Cornwall. Ann was born at St Agnes on 7th January 1806, and baptised in the parish church on 6th April of that year, the daughter of Samuel Hicks Williams and Elizabeth (née Snell).<sup>6</sup>

Interestingly however, there were earlier Calstock parish connections - Samuel Hicks Williams and Elizabeth Snell were married at Calstock on 22nd January 1803, Samuel noted as a "sojourner" with Elizabeth "of this parish".<sup>7</sup> Samuel was a native of St Agnes, baptised there on 8th March 1777, the son of James and Elizabeth Williams (née Hicks)<sup>8</sup>, who were married there on 3rd August 1776.<sup>9</sup>

Elizabeth was almost certainly the Elizabeth Snell baptised at Calstock on 26th March 1786, the daughter of William (a miner) and Mary Snell (née Bate)<sup>10</sup>, who were married at Callington on 21st February 1777.<sup>11</sup>

The 1851 Calstock Census lists the family at Middle Dimson, Gunnislake. Note that the address given as Middle Dimson, probably still refers to the dwelling from the 1839 Tithe. Willam Honeycombe (52) is listed as a mine labourer born Calstock, wife Ann (45) born St Agnes and children - William (17) and Ann (14) both mine labourers, Hannah (11), Eliza (9), Louisa (7), Samuel (3) and Harriett (2), all born Calstock.<sup>12</sup>

The 1861 Census again finds the family at Middle Dimson, with (Ann excepted) all of the family engaged in the mining industry. William Honeycombe (62) copper miner born Calstock, Ann (55) born St Agnes, Ann (24), Hannah (21), Eliza (19), Louisa (17) all copper dressers, Samuel (13) copper miner and Harriet (12) copper dresser, all born Calstock.<sup>13</sup>

The 1871 Census listed the family at Lower Dimson, William Honeycombe (now a widower) aged 73 and still a miner, and in the same household daughters Hannah (31) and Harriet (21) all born Calstock.<sup>14</sup>

William Honeycombe died at Dimson in 1874 and was buried at Calstock on 22nd November.<sup>15</sup>

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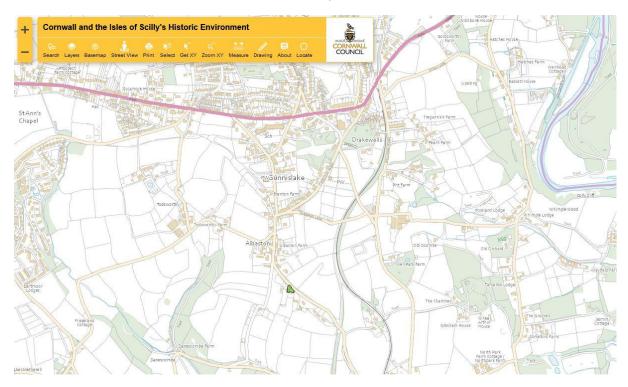
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- 2. Calstock Register of marriages, 1813-1837. Ref: KK P26/1/12.
- 3. Calstock Registers of baptisms, 1813-1830 & 1830-1851. Refs: KK P26/1/6 & KK P26/1/7.
- 4. Calstock Register of baptisms, marriages and burials, 1716-1807. Ref: KK P26/1/2.
- 5. Calstock Register of marriages, 1754-1805. Ref: KK P26/1/4.
- 6. St Agnes Register of baptisms and burials, 1791-1812. Ref: KK P2/1/7.

- 7. Calstock Register of marriages, 1754-1805. Ref: KK P26/1/4.
- 8. St Agnes Register of baptisms and burials 1741-1788. Ref:KK P2/1/3.
- 9. St Agnes Register of marriages and banns, 1754-1778. Ref: KK P2/1/4.
- 10. Calstock Register of baptisms, marriages and burials, 1716-1807. Ref: KK P26/1/2.
- 11. Cornwall Marriages Callington. (findmypast.co.uk) CFHS Transcriptions.
- 12. 1851 Cornwall Census, Calstock. Ref: HO107 PN1901 FN147 PN25.
- 13. 1861 Cornwall Census, Calstock. Ref: RG09 PN1462 FN62 PN16.
- 14. 1871 Cornwall Census, Calstock. Ref: RG10 PN2145 FN142 PN11.
- 15. Calstock Register of burials, 1848-1878. Ref: KK P26/1/19.

### Mine Worker: James Hooper

**Plot Location (1839-40 Tithe):** Trainer, Albaston. Dwelling and garden on Tithe Map located at Lanes Cottage/Apple Tree Cottage, Albaston on Cornwall Council's Historic Environment interactive map (2022).

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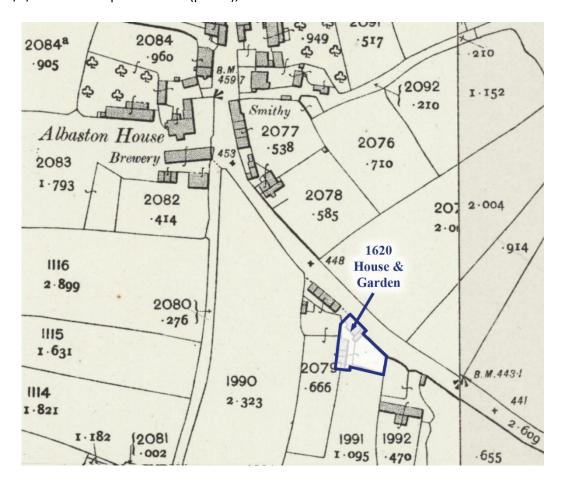
### Occupier: James Hooper (Miner)

Landowner: Margaret Bowhay

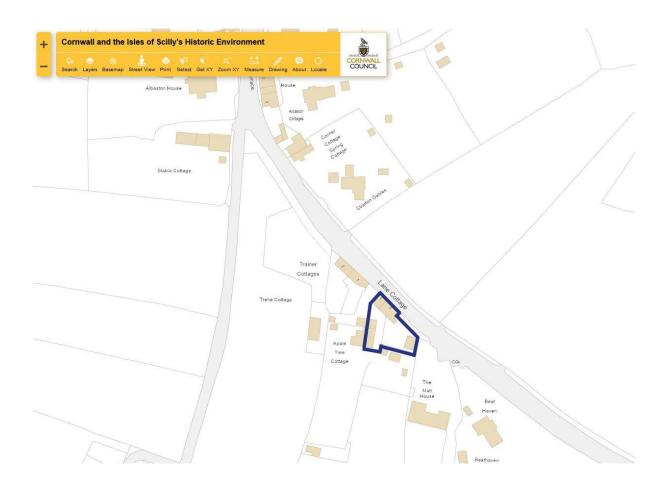
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References : The National Archives, Kew. IR/29/6/24 - Tithe apportionment of Calstock (parish), Cornwall. IR/30/6/24 - Tithe map of Calstock (parish), Cornwall.



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### James Hooper

James Hooper appears on the 1841 Calstock Census at Trainer, Albaston. He is listed as a mine labourer aged 35, in the same household are Mary (35), Mary Ann (14), James (12), John (8), Richard (5), Mary (3) and Joseph (4 mths) all born in Cornwall.<sup>1</sup>

James was born in the parish of Linkinhorne and baptised there on 22nd July 1804, the son of Francis and Jane Hooper (née Moon).<sup>2</sup> Francis Hooper and Jane Moon were both from Calstock, where they were married on 27th June 1788.<sup>3</sup>

James Hooper married Peggy Tom at Calstock on 6th June 1827, both noted as of Calstock.<sup>4</sup> Peggy was baptised at Calstock on 8th June 1806, the daughter of John and Mary Tom.<sup>5</sup>

The couple had five children born at Albaston and baptised at Calstock Parish Church between 1827 and 1842 - Maryanne (1827), James (1828), Maria (1830), and John Thomas & Phillippa (twins?) in 1832.<sup>6</sup>

Sadly, Peggy Hooper died (aged 25) at Albaston at the end of July 1832, almost certainly as a result of childbirth, Peggy was buried at Calstock on 31st July <sup>7</sup>, just four days after the baptisms of her twins (?).

On 25th July 1835 at Calstock, James Hooper married Mary Moon.<sup>8</sup> Mary was baptised at Calstock on 3rd December 1805 the daughter of Richard and Epiphany Moon (née Stephens).<sup>9</sup> For further

information regarding Epiphany Moon see the separate entry for miner David Cock (who was married to Mary's sister Grace) and Epiphany Moon.

James and Mary Hooper had seven children born at Albaston and baptised at Calstock between 1836 and 1852 - Richard Moon (1836), Mary Epiphany (1838), Joseph (1841) Elizabeth Jane (1843), Maria Grace (1846), James Richard Moon (1848) and Ellen Grace (1852).<sup>10</sup>

The 1851 Calstock Census finds the family still at Albaston. James Hooper (45) copper miner, born Calstock (note should be Linkinhorne), Mary (45), John (17) copper miner, Mary (12), Joseph (10), Elizabeth (8) and James (2) all born Calstock.<sup>11</sup>

The 1861 Census at Albaston confirms James Hooper's parish of birth. James Hooper (54) copper miner, born Linkinhorne, Mary (55), (Mary) Epiphany (22) dress maker, Joseph (20) miner, Elizabeth (17), James (12) and Ellen (9) all born Calstock. The family also had a boarder, Francis Redcliff (22) a miner born at Mary Tavy.<sup>12</sup>

The family remained at Albaston, James having spent his whole life mining. The 1871 Census lists James Hooper (64) miner, born Linkinhorne, Mary (65), Epiphany (31) schoolmistress, Ellen (19) and Mary (15) all born Calstock.<sup>13</sup>

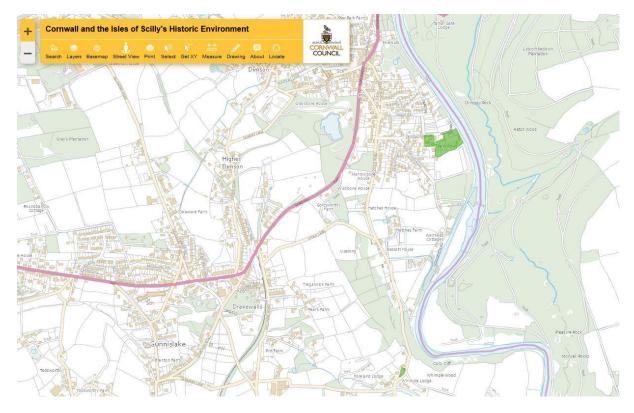
James Hooper died at Albaston on 11th February 1878 and was buried at Calstock on the 15th.<sup>14</sup> James was still recorded as a miner in his Probate (dated 20th August 1878), and it is also interesting to note that his Executor was son James Richard Moon Hooper of Stoke Fleming, Devon, Schoolmaster.<sup>15</sup>

Notes:

- 1. 1841 Cornwall Census, Calstock. Ref: HO107 PN133 BN2 FN57 PN1.
- 2. Linkinhorne Register of baptisms, marriages and burials, 1725-1812. Ref: KK P125/1/3.
- 3. Calstock Register of marriages, 1754-1805. Ref: KK P26/1/4.
- 4. Calstock Register of marriages, 1813-1837. Ref: KK P26/1/12.
- 5. Calstock Register of baptisms, marriages and burials, 1716-1807. Ref: KK P26/1/2.
- 6. Calstock Registers of baptisms, 1813-1830 & 1830-1851. Refs: KK P26/1/6 & KK P26/1/7.
- 7. Calstock Register of burials, 1813-1848. Ref: KK P26/1/18.
- 8. Calstock Register of marriages, 1813-1837. Ref: KK P26/1/12.
- 9. Calstock Register of baptisms, marriages and burials, 1716-1807. Ref: KK P26/1/2.
- 10. Calstock Register of baptisms, 1830-1851 & 1851-1865. Ref: KK P26/1/7 & KK P26/1/8.
- 11. 1851 Cornwall Census, Calstock. Ref: HO107 PN1901 FN109 PN38.
- 12. 1861 Cornwall Census, Calstock. Ref: RG09 PN1461 FN110 PN11.
- 13. 1871 Cornwall Census, Calstock. Ref: RG10 PN2145 FN74 PN30.
- 14. Calstock Register of burials, 1848-1878. Ref: KK P26/1/19.
- 15. National Probate Calendar (Index of Wills and Administrations), 1858-1995. www.ancestry.co.uk

# Mine Worker: John Hoskin

**Plot Locations (1839-40 Tithe):** Colley Cliff. The Tithe Map lacks clarity and it is difficult to determine the exact boundaries of both the house & garden (1531) and adjoining garden (1531a). "Colly Cliff Cottage" on Cornwall Council's Historic Environment interactive map (2022) appears to be the closest building to the site of the 1839 dwelling today. The OS map 1892-1914 shows what appear to be a terrace of cottages (no longer there) and this was the likely location for plan no: 1531.



Grid References: SX43364 70420 (probable dwelling location) & SX43361 70402 (Garden)

Occupier: John Hoskin (Miner)

Landowner: (1531) Nathaniel Smith

Landowner: (1531A) John Michael Williams and William Williams

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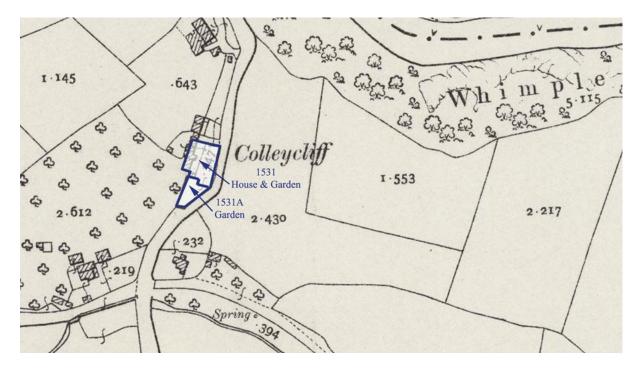


Possible boundaries of Tithe Plan Numbers 1531 & 1531A.

References : The National Archives, Kew.

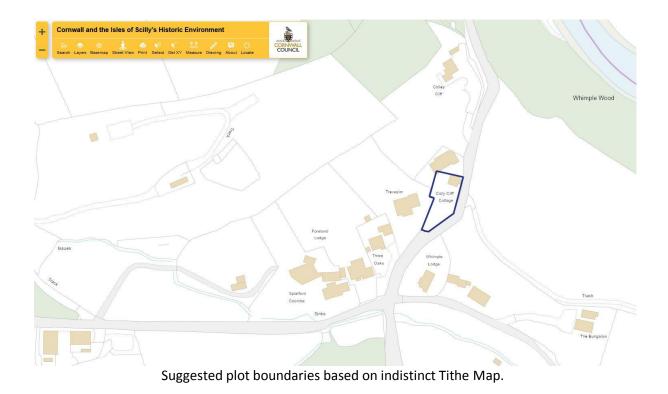
IR/29/6/24 - Tithe apportionment of Calstock (parish), Cornwall.

IR/30/6/24 - Tithe map of Calstock (parish), Cornwall.



Suggested plot boundaries based on indistinct Tithe Map.

Reference: OS 25 Inch Map 1892-1914 Source: National Library of Scotland (Map Images) https://maps.nls.uk/geo/explore/#zoom=18&lat=50.51260&lon=-4.21015&layers=168&b=1



**Plot Location (1839-40 Tithe):** Gunnislake, Kingswood Road. Plan no: 971A (Garden) on Tithe Map located where "Four Winds" and "Pine Lodge" are on Cornwall Council's Historic Environment interactive map (2022), and Plan no: 1520 (Field) where "The Willows" and "South View" are shown on the same map.

Grid Reference: SX43481 71409 (centre of 971A (Garden))

Occupier: John Hoskin (Miner)

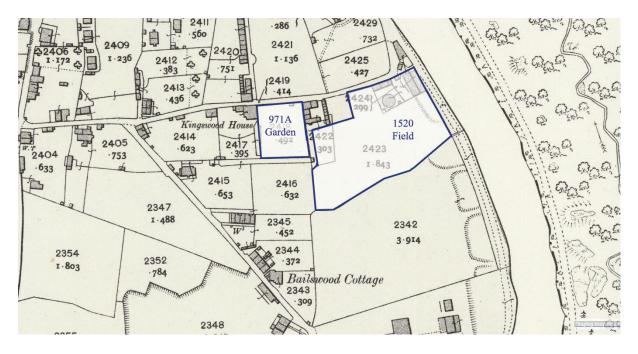
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1520	Field	Arable	1	3	9			
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References : The National Archives, Kew.

IR/29/6/24 - Tithe apportionment of Calstock (parish), Cornwall. IR/30/6/24 - Tithe map of Calstock (parish), Cornwall.



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# <u>John Hoskin</u>

John Hoskin appears on the 1841 Calstock Census at Colley Cliff, Gunnislake. John is listed as a miner aged 30, in the same household are Maria (25), John (4) and Harriott (1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>), all born in Cornwall.<sup>1</sup>

The Calstock registers of baptisms record four children born to the couple between 1836 and 1844. The baptisms for Samuel John (1836), Harriett (1839) and Maria (1841) record the family's residence as Colley Cliff, but by the baptism of George William Hoskin in 1844 the family had moved to Hatches Green.<sup>2</sup>

John Hoskin was born in the parish of Calstock in 1806, and was baptised in the parish church on 9th November of that year, the son of John and Elizabeth (Betty) Hoskin (née Thomas)<sup>3</sup>, who were married at Calstock on 29th August 1794.<sup>4</sup>

John Hoskin married Maria Southey at East Stonehouse, Plymouth on 22nd February 1836.<sup>5</sup> Maria was also a native of Calstock, born at Well Park and baptised at Calstock church on 6 February 1814, the daughter of Samuel (a yeoman farmer and latterly a gardener) and Dorothy Moon Southey (née Williams)<sup>6</sup>, who were married at Calstock in 1796.<sup>7</sup>

The 1851 Census lists the family at Hatches Green, unfortunately Maria (36) is listed as a widow, with her occupation noted as pauper. In the same household are children John (14) now working as a copper dresser, Maria and George (both incorrectly stated as age 8). There are also five lodgers, a female (65), two tin miners (both 25), an agricultural labourer (22) and a blacksmith (35).<sup>8</sup>

A check of the Calstock burial register shows the burial of John Hoskin (aged 39) of Hatches Green, on 15 April 1845.<sup>9</sup>

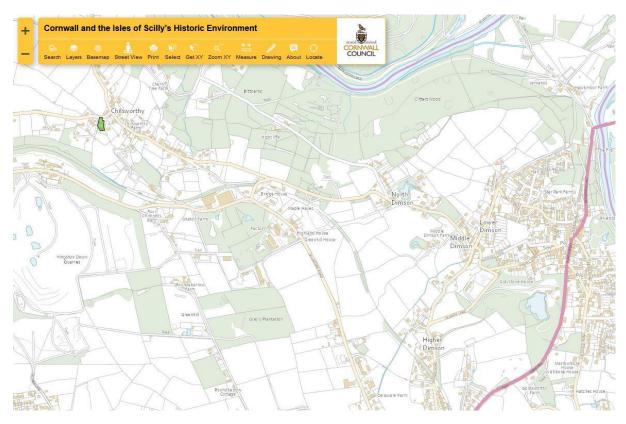
Notes:

- 1. 1841 Cornwall Census, Calstock. Ref: HO107 PN133 BN2 FN28 PN13.
- 2. Calstock Register of baptisms, 1830-1851. Ref: KK P26/1/7.
- 3. Calstock Register of baptisms, 1716-1807. Ref: KK P26/1/2.
- 4. Calstock Register of marriages, 1754-1805. Ref: KK P26/1/4.
- 5. Devon Marriages & Banns East Stonehouse (findmypast.co.uk) Transcript DFHS.
- 6. Calstock Register of baptisms, 1813-1830. Ref: KK P26/1/6.
- 7. Calstock Register of marriages, 1754-1805. Ref: KK P26/1/4.
- 8. 1851 Cornwall Census, Calstock. Ref: HO107 PN1901 FN35 PN1.
- 9. Calstock Register of burials, 1813-1848. Ref: KK P26/1/18.

Mine Worker: George Jewells

**Plot Location (1839-40 Tithe):** Chilsworthy. Dwelling on Tithe Map located at "Rosedene", Chilsworthy on Cornwall Council's Historic Environment interactive map (2022).

Grid Reference: SX41273 72228 (dwelling).



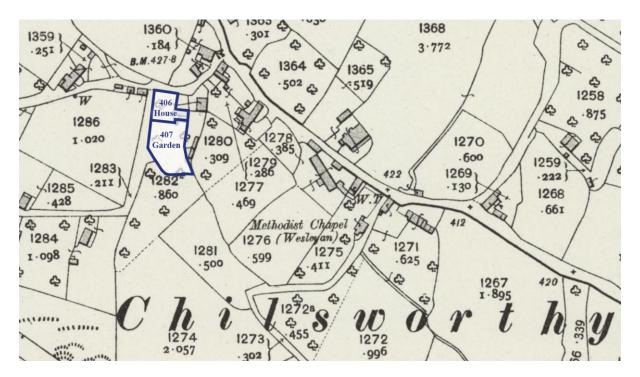
### **Occupier:** George Jewells (Miner)

Landowner: Thomas Opie (Hopey in Tithe Apportionment book)

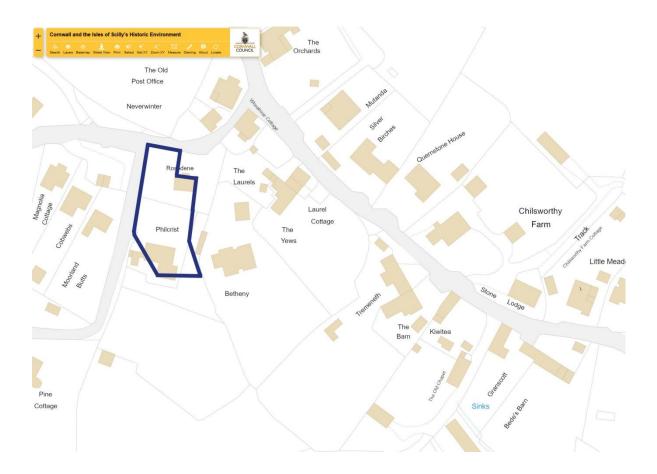
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406	House				6			
407	Garden	Garden	26 <b>32</b>		26			
					32			

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References : The National Archives, Kew. IR/29/6/24 - Tithe apportionment of Calstock (parish), Cornwall. IR/30/6/24 - Tithe map of Calstock (parish), Cornwall.



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### **George Jewells**

George Jewells appears on the 1841 Calstock Census at Chilsworthy. He is listed as a copper miner aged 30, in the same household are Ann (30), George (4), Elizabeth (2) and Mary (1), all born in Cornwall.<sup>1</sup>

George Jewell(s) was baptised at Calstock on 20th Jamuary 1811, the son of John and Elizabeth Jewell (née Harris)<sup>2</sup>, who were married at Calstock on 21st August 1797.<sup>3</sup>

George Jewells married Ann Penhey at East Stonehouse, Plymouth on 29th December 1835.<sup>4</sup> Ann was born in the parish of Stoke Climsland on 24th May 1811 and was baptised (as Ann Pennay) in the parish church on 7th July of that year  $^5$ , the daughter of James and Ann Pennay (or Penny) (née Wearing) who were married at Stoke Climsland on 31st December 1810.<sup>6</sup>

George and Ann had at least eight children born in the parish of Calstock between 1836 and 1853 -George (1836), Elizabeth Ann (1838), Mary Maria (1840) all born at Chilsworthy, William (1842), James (1843), John (1845), Ann Maria (1848) all born at Latchley <sup>7</sup> and John (1853) born at Chilsworthy.<sup>8</sup>

George Jewells remained a miner for the rest of his life and died aged 67 at Cox Park, Chilsworthy on 11th March 1877 and was buried at Calstock on 15th March.<sup>9</sup> His widow Ann, also a resident at Cox Park, died aged 69 on 21st March 1879 and was buried at Calstock on 23rd March.<sup>10</sup>

Notes:

1. 1841 Cornwall Census, Calstock. Ref: HO107 PN133 BN2 FN11 PN15.

2. Calstock Register of baptisms and burials, 1807-1812. Ref: KK P26/1/3.

3. Calstock Register of marriages, 1754-1805. Ref: KK P26/1/4.

4. Devon Marriages & Banns, East Stonehouse - Archive - Plymouth & West Devon Record Office, Transcription DFHS (findmypast.co.uk).

5. Stoke Climsland Register of marriages, 1754-1812. Ref: KK P215/1/6.

6. Stoke Climsland Register of baptisms and burials, 1804-1812. Ref: KK P215/1/5.

7. Calstock Register of baptisms, 1830-1851. Ref: KK P26/1/7.

8. Gunnislake & neighbourhood Wesleyan Methodist. John Jewells, son of George & Ann Jewells of Chilsworthy, born 9th October 1853, baptised at Chilsworthy 16th February 1854. Cornwall OPC Database.

9. Calstock Register of burials, 1848-1878. Ref: KK P26/1/19.

10. Calstock Register of burials, 1878-1892. Ref: KK P26/1/39.

# Mine Worker: Henry Kellaway

**Plot Locations (1839-40 Tithe):** Sand Hill, Drakewalls. Dwelling on Tithe Map located at Sandhill Cottages on Cornwall Council's Historic Environment interactive map (2022).

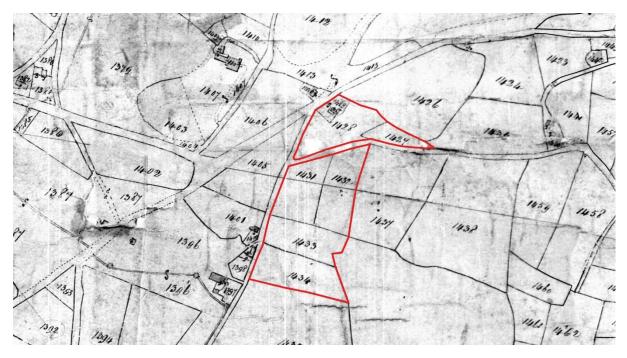
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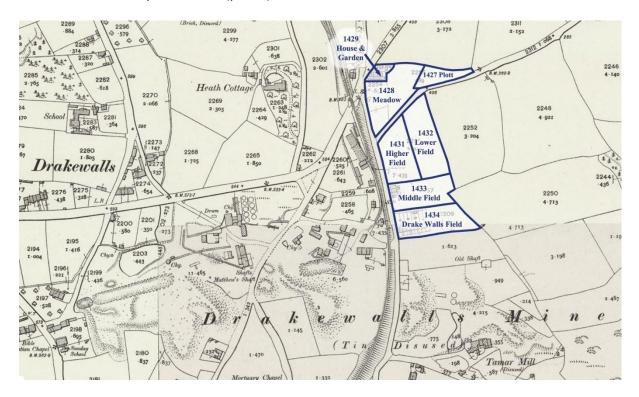
### Occupier: Henry Kellaway (Miner)

# Landowner: Himself

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1428	Meadow	Arable	1	0	6			
1427	Plott	Arable		1	15			
1431	Higher Field	Arable		3	35			
1432	Lower Field	Arable	1	0	12			
1433	Middle Field	Arable		3	33			
1434	Drake Walls Field	Arable	1	0	38			
			5	3	8	0	9	0



References : The National Archives, Kew. IR/29/6/24 - Tithe apportionment of Calstock (parish), Cornwall. IR/30/6/24 - Tithe map of Calstock (parish), Cornwall.



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### <u>Henry Kellaway</u>

Henry Kellaway appears on the 1841 Calstock Census at Outer Sand Hill, Drakewalls. Henry is listed as a miner aged 40, in the same household are Sarah (42), Henry (16) a miner, Elizabeth (14), Samuel (8), William (5) and John (1) all born in Cornwall.<sup>1</sup>

The Calstock registers of baptisms record six children born to Henry and Sarah between 1825 and  $1840.^2$ 

Henry was born in the parish of Calstock and baptised on 5th January 1803  $^3$ , the son of Matthew and Ann Kellaway (née Harris), who were married at Lamerton in 1794. $^4$ 

Henry Harris Kellaway married Sarah Grills at Laneast on 3rd June 1823, Henry noted as of the parish of Egloskerry and Sarah of Laneast.<sup>5</sup> Sarah Grills was born in the parish of Stoke Climsland on 24th April 1799, the daughter of John (a farmer) and Elizabeth Grills.<sup>6</sup>

Sarah's residence at Laneast was probably due to her sister Tabitha Knill Grills living there, following her marriage to farmer Thomas Adams (from Lidcott in Laneast) in the neighbouring parish of Egloskerry in 1818.<sup>7</sup> Thomas and Tabitha Adams eldest son - John Couch Adams (born at Lidcott in 1819) would become an eminent Mathematician and Astronomer, discovering the planet Neptune in 1845. It is interesting to note that Sarah and Henry Kellaway were the aunt and uncle of such a prominent and well known Cornish luminary.

Henry and Sarah's eldest child Henry, was evidently born just before their marriage in June 1823. On 27th April of that year, the Laneast Parish Registers record the baptism of Henry Harris Calloway Grills, "base child" of Sarah Grills.<sup>8</sup>

The 1851 Calstock Census lists the family still at Drakewalls. Henry (50) is a copper miner, Sarah (52) born Stoke Climsland, Samuel (19) and William (14) were copper miners and John (11) had an occupation noted as "work to copper mine", this meant he was working at the mine at surface as he was too young to go underground.<sup>9</sup> Eldest son Henry Kellaway (28) born Laneast, was also still working as a copper miner, lodging with blacksmith Jasper Bate and family at Albaston.<sup>10</sup>

Henry Kellaway continued working in the mining industry, and was recorded on the 1861 Census at Drakewalls, aged 61, working as a tin miner.<sup>11</sup> The 1871 Census gives a more precise address, Sandhill Cottages, which confirms the family were still living in the same residence as given in the 1839 Tithe - Henry was listed as aged 70 and now working at surface as a tin dresser.<sup>12</sup>

Henry and Sarah are not listed on the 1881 UK Census, and it appears that they had emigrated to Victoria, Australia to join sons Henry and Samuel and daughter Elizabeth Dunn (Elizabeth Kellaway had married miner John Dunn (also of Sandhill) at Calstock in 1849, the marriage witnessed by both Henry Kellaway senior and junior), who were already settled in the colony.<sup>13</sup>

Sarah died and was buried at Maldon, Mount Alexander Shire, Victoria, Australia in 1882 and Henry likewise in 1885.<sup>14</sup>

Notes:

1. 1841 Cornwall Census, Calstock. Ref: HO107 PN133 BN2 FN32 PN21.

2. Calstock Registers of baptisms, 1813-1830 & 1830-1851. Refs: KK P26/1/6 & KK P26/1/7.

3. Calstock Register of baptisms, marriages and burials, 1716-1807. Ref: KK P26/1/2.

4. Devon Marriages & Banns - Lamerton - (findmypast.co.uk) - Archive 889/8 - Plymouth & West Devon Record Office (original image).

5. Laneast Register of marriages, 1813-1837. Ref: KK P108/1/4.

6. Stoke Climsland Register of baptisms, marriages & burials, 1745-1803. Ref: KK P215/1/4.

7. Egloskerry Register of marriages, 1813-1837. Ref: KK P53/1/10.

8. Cornwall Baptisms - Laneast. (findmypast.co.uk) CFHS Transcriptions.

9. 1851 Cornwall Census, Calstock. Ref: HO107 PN1901 FN111 PN43.

10. 1851 Cornwall Census, Calstock. Ref: HO107 PN1901 FN110 PN40.

11. 1861 Cornwall Census, Calstock. Ref: RG09 PN1462 FN7 PN8.

12. 1871 Cornwall Census, Calstock. Ref: RG10 PN2145 FN86 PN3.

13. Calstock Register of marriages, 1837-1858. Ref: KK P26/1/13.

14. Ancestry.com. Australia and New Zealand, Find a Grave Index, 1800s-Current.

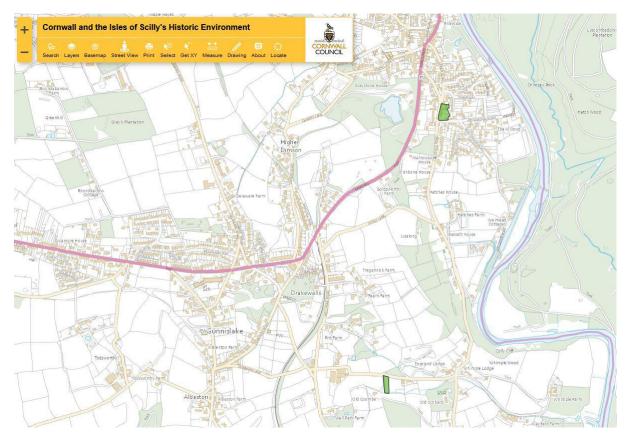
See: https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/97717064/henry-harris-kellaway

Mine Worker: Alexander Lathlean

**Plot Locations (1839-40 Tithe):** Gunnislake, Calstock Road. Dwelling on Tithe Map located at Lion Cottages on Cornwall Council's Historic Environment interactive map (2022).

Strip of land noted as Garden on Tithe. Nominal centre of plot immediately to the east of the driveway to Old Coombe on Cornwall Council's Historic Environment interactive map (2022).

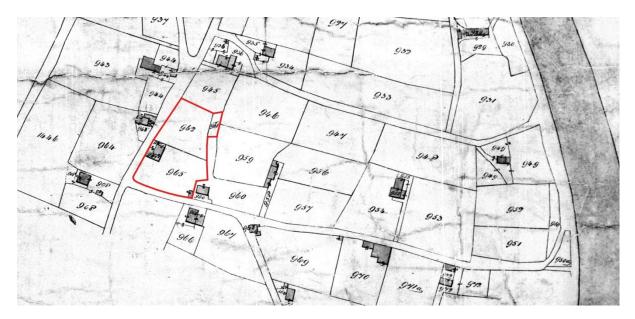
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# Occupier: Alexander Lathlean (Miner)

### Landowner: Himself

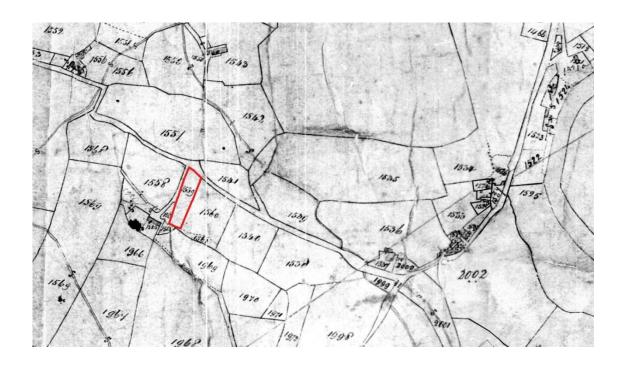
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961	Nursery	Orchard			6			
965	House Field	Garden		1	15			
962	Little Plot	Arable		1	8			
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# Occupier: Alexander Lathlean (Miner)

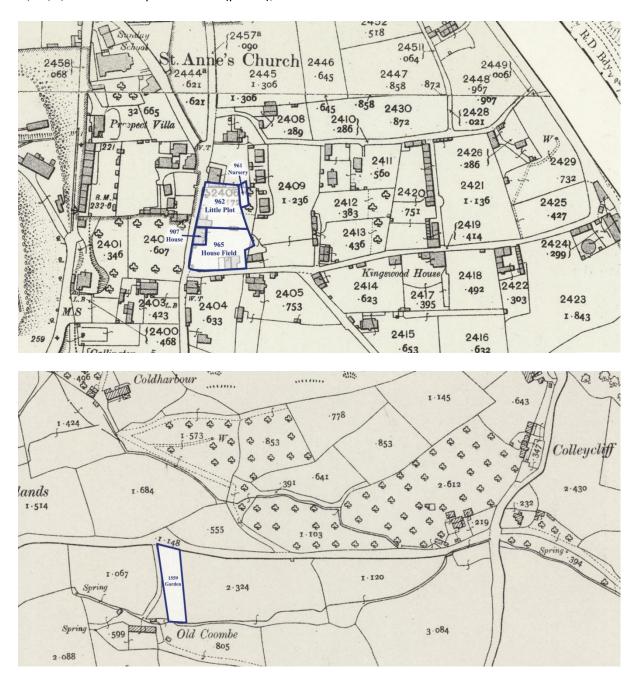
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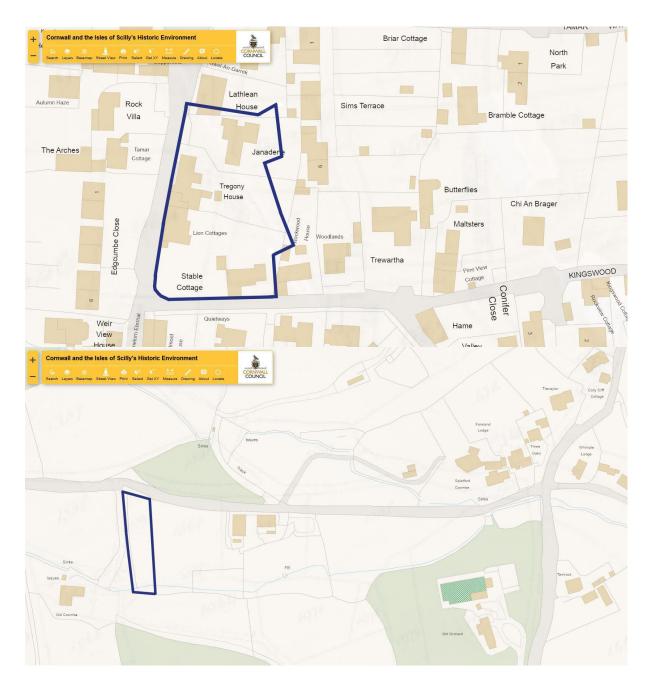


References : The National Archives, Kew.

IR/29/6/24 - Tithe apportionment of Calstock (parish), Cornwall. IR/30/6/24 - Tithe map of Calstock (parish), Cornwall.



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# Alexander Lathlean

Alexander Lathlean appears on the 1841 Calstock Census at Gunnislake. Alexander is listed as a miner aged 35, in the same household are Mary (37), Ann (9), Mary (4) and Alexander (1), all born in Cornwall.<sup>1</sup>

The Calstock registers of baptisms record five children born to Alexander and Mary between 1832 and 1843.  $^{\rm 2}$ 

Alexander was born in the parish of Calstock in 1805, and baptised on 28th July, the son of William and Ann Lathlean (née Cross).<sup>3</sup> William Lathlean and Ann Cross were married at Widecombe-in-the-Moor on Dartmoor in 1783.<sup>4</sup>

The Lathleans were another example of an eighteenth century mining family from the west of Cornwall settling in the burgeoning Tamar Valley mining district, William Lathlean was born in Camborne in 1754.<sup>5</sup>

Alexander Lathlean married Mary Ferrett at Plymouth Charles the Martyr on 5th July 1831.<sup>6</sup> Mary Ferrett was born in the rural parish of Treneglos (between Camelford and Launceston) in late 1802 or early 1803, and was baptised there on 9th January 1803, daughter of Henry and Mary Ferrett (née Cowling).<sup>7</sup>

The 1851 Calstock Census lists the family at Gunnislake. Alexander (45) is a copper miner, Mary (47), Ann (18), Mary (14), Alexander (11) and Henry (7) all born at Calstock (although this is incorrect for Mary snr.). Also listed in the property were Alexander's sister Betsy Lathlean (48) born Calstock, and a house servant and three lodgers.<sup>8</sup>

The dwelling was clearly large enough to accommodate lodgers, this was also the case in 1861. The Census for that year has Alexander (55) a mining labourer, Mary (58) (listed as born at "Ternegloss"), together Alexander (21) and Henry (17) who apparently did not follow in the established family profession of mining, both were stone masons. Again listed at the address was Alexander's sister Elizabeth (Betsy) Lathlean (58) a copper dresser, and also a house servant and a lodger.<sup>9</sup>

Alexander Lathlean died in 1863, and was buried at Calstock on 8th November.<sup>10</sup> Mary died in 1884, at the age of 81 and was buried at Calstock on 1st June.<sup>11</sup>

#### Notes:

1. 1841 Cornwall Census, Calstock. Ref: HO107 PN133 BN2 FN26 PN9.

2. Calstock Register of baptisms, 1830-1851. Ref: KK P26/1/7.

3. Calstock Register of baptisms, marriages and burials, 1716-1807. Ref: KK P26/1/2.

4. Devon Marriages and Banns - Widecombe in the Moor - Ref: 2955A/PR/1/5 - South West Heritage Trust (original image on findmypast.co.uk).

5. Cornwall Baptisms - Camborne. (findmypast.co.uk) CFHS Transcriptions.

6. Devon Marriages & Banns - Plymouth, Charles the Martyr - Plymouth & West Devon Record Office (original image on findmypast.co.uk) DFHS Transcriptions. Note that Mary's surname is incorrectly recorded by the clerk as Farrett rather than Ferrett.

7. Treneglos Register of baptisms, marriages and burials, 1686-1812. Ref: KK P230/1/1.

8. 1851 Cornwall Census, Calstock. Ref: HO107 PN1901 FN84 PN93.

9. 1861 Cornwall Census, Calstock. Ref: RG09 PN1462 FN11 PN16.

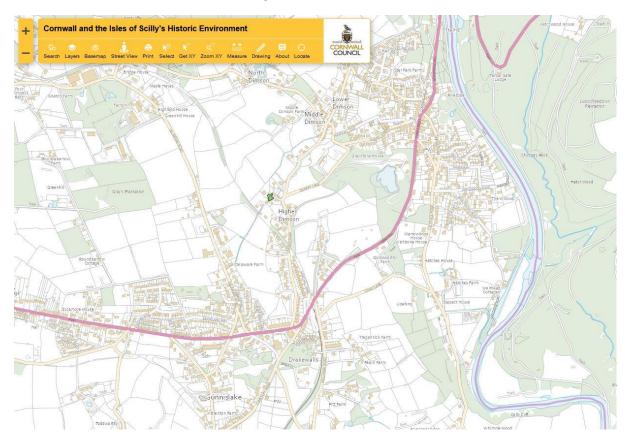
10. Calstock Register of burials, 1848-1878. Ref: KK P26/1/19.

11. Calstock Register of burials, 1878-1892. Ref: KK P26/1/39.

### Mine Worker: John Lentern

**Plot Location (1839-40 Tithe):** Higher Dimson. Dwelling (Plan no. 778) on the Tithe Map located at house marked no.4 (approximately 40 metres west of Coombe Farm House) on Cornwall Council's Historic Environment interactive map (2022).

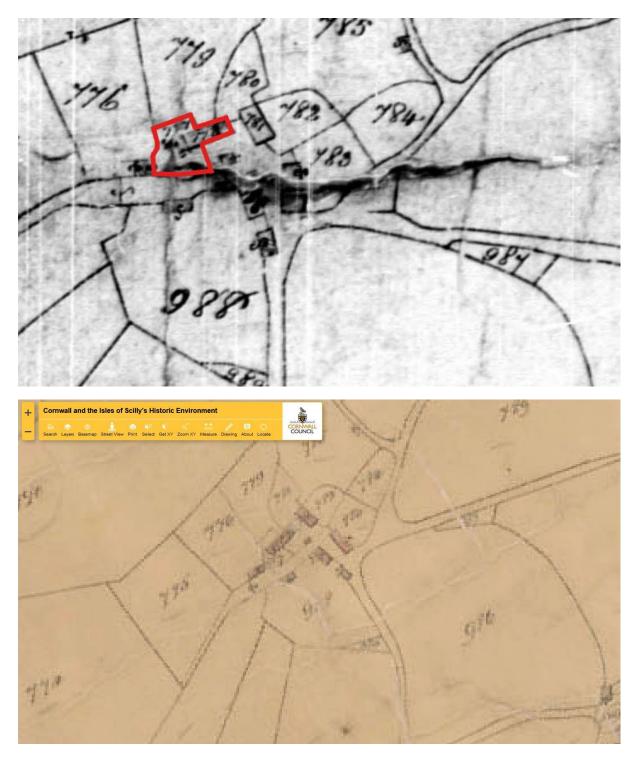
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### Occupier: John Lentern (Miner)

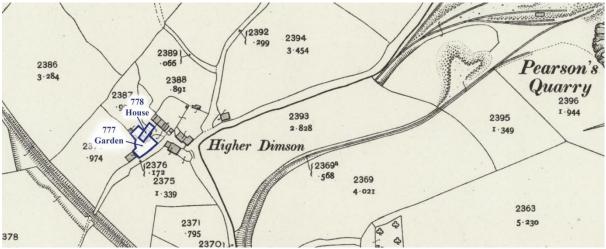
# Landowner: Robert Fox

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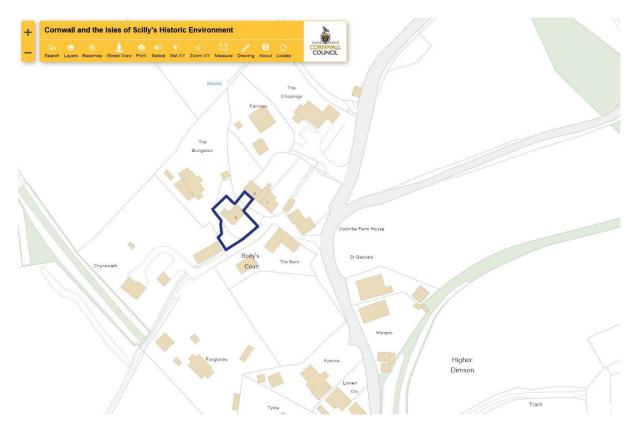


The National Archives copy of the Tithe Map appears to have some damage and lacks clarity, it is difficult to determine the exact boundaries of the Garden (Plan no. 777), perhaps slightly clearer on Kresen Kernow's lower resolution copy (KK TM/26) from Cornwall Council's Historic Environment interactive map (2022).

References : The National Archives, Kew. IR/29/6/24 - Tithe apportionment of Calstock (parish), Cornwall. IR/30/6/24 - Tithe map of Calstock (parish), Cornwall.



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#### John Lentern

John Lentern appears on the 1841 Calstock Census at Dimson. He is listed as a copper miner aged 35, in the same household are Alice (34), Elizabeth (10), John (8) and William (1), all born in Cornwall.<sup>1</sup>

John Lentern was born in the parish of St Ewe (just south west of St Austell) and baptised in the parish church on 6th April 1806, the son of William and Joanna Lentern<sup>2</sup> (née Testick), who were married at St Ewe on 25th September 1798.<sup>3</sup> The Lentern/Lintern/Lenten family had a mining background and had arrived in Calstock circa 1807, three of John's siblings were born in the parish between 1808 and 1813.<sup>4</sup> John's sister Jane Lintern married miner John Seccombe at Calstock in 1820, and were also residents of Dimson, for further information see separate entry for John Seccombe.

John Lentern (as Lenten) married Alice Menadue at East Stonehouse, Plymouth on 28th April 1828.<sup>5</sup>

Alice Thomas Menadue (as Minnidew) was baptised at Calstock on 17th May 1807, the daughter of Gilbert and Allice Minnidew (sic) (née Carter)<sup>6</sup>, who were married at Calstock on 22nd September 1800, both noted as sojourners.<sup>7</sup> Gilbert Menadue was born at St Keverne on the Lizard and baptised there on 9th February 1777, son of William and Mary Menadue (née Thomas)<sup>8</sup>, who were married at Sithney on 22nd November 1760.<sup>9</sup>

John and Alice Lentern had four children baptised at Calstock between 1830 and 1836, Maryann (1830 (Feb)), Elizabeth (1830 )Nov)), John Minnidew (1833) and Jane (1836).<sup>10</sup> There does not appear to be a baptism for son William Lentern, who was born in 1840 or a second daughter named Elizabeth born c.1843.

The 1851 Census finds the family living at Gunnislake, John Lenten (44) copper miner, born St Austell, Alice (43), John (18) copper miner, William (11) copper dresser and Elizabeth (8), all born Calstock.<sup>11</sup>

John Lentern died aged 51 at Gunnislake in 1857, and was buried at Calstock on 23rd September.<sup>12</sup>

Notes:

1. 1841 Cornwall Census, Calstock. Ref: HO107 PN133 BN2 FN7 PN6.

2. St Ewe Register of baptisms and burials, 1760-1812. Ref: KK P62/1/3.

3. St Ewe Register of marriages and banns, 1754-1812. Ref: KK P62/1/5.

4. Calstock Registers of baptisms and burials, 1807-1812 & 1813-1830. Refs: KK P26/1/3. & KK P26/1/6.

5. Devon Marriages & Banns - East Stonehouse. Plymouth & West Devon Record Office (findmypast.co.uk).

6. Calstock Register of baptisms, 1807-1812. Ref: KK P26/1/3.

7. Calstock Register of marriages, 1754-1805. Ref: KK P26/1/4.

8. St Keverne Register of baptisms, marriages and burials, 1667-1777. Ref: KK P99/1/2.

9. Sithney Register of marriages and banns, 1754-1812. Ref: KK P209/1/5.

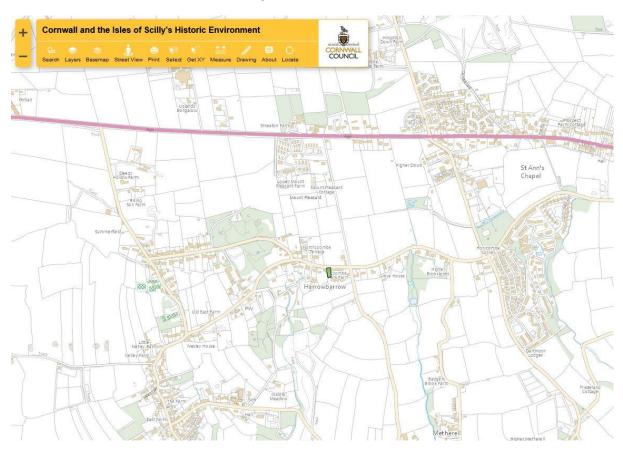
10. Calstock Registers of baptisms, 1813-1830 & 1830-1851. Refs: KK P26/1/6 & KK P26/1/7.

11. 1851 Cornwall Census, Calstock. Ref: HO107 PN1901 FN82 PN88.

12. Calstock Register of burials, 1848-1878. Ref: KK P26/1/19.

# Mine Worker: Joseph Lobb

**Plot Locations (1839-40 Tithe):** Coombe, Harrowbarrow. Dwelling on Tithe Map located at Willow Tree Cottage on Cornwall Council's Historic Environment interactive map (2022).



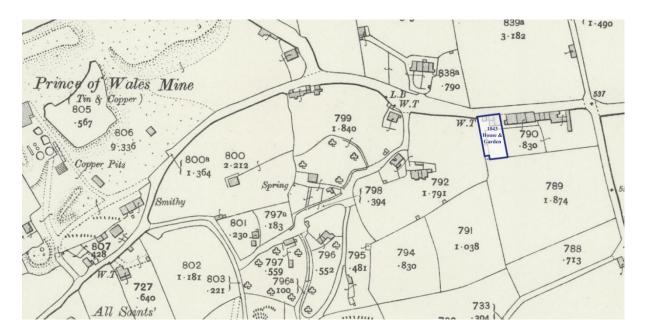
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# Occupier: Joseph Lobb (Miner)

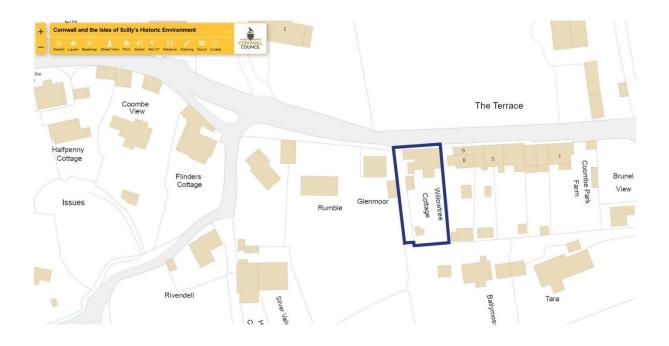
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References : The National Archives, Kew. IR/29/6/24 - Tithe apportionment of Calstock (parish), Cornwall. IR/30/6/24 - Tithe map of Calstock (parish), Cornwall.



Reference: OS 25 Inch Map 1892-1914 Source: National Library of Scotland (Map Images) https://maps.nls.uk/geo/explore/#zoom=18&lat=50.51124&lon=-4.25249&layers=168&b=1



# Joseph Lobb

Between the 1839 Tithe and the 1841 Census, Joseph Lobb and family had left the parish of Calstock and were living at Oldmill (about three miles or so to the north west) in the neighbouring parish of Stoke Climsland. The 1841 Census lists Joseph as a copper miner aged 38, in the same household are Eliza (36), Nathaniel (17), Joseph (14), Eliza (11), William (9), Ann (7), Catherine (5), Grace (2) and Nicholas (3 mths), all born in Cornwall.<sup>1</sup>

Joseph Lobb was born in the parish of St Endellion and baptised on 1st July 1800<sup>2</sup>, son of Nathan (a miller) and Grace Lobb (née Wotton), who were married at St Endellion in 1789.<sup>3</sup> Although St Endellion is not what might be considered a traditional mining parish, it is evident that Joseph was a miner at the time of his eldest son Nathaniel's baptism in the parish church in 1824, Joseph described as a miner of Port Isaac.<sup>4</sup> It is probable that Joseph worked in Wheal Boys otherwise Old Trewetha Mine an antimony mine near Port Isaac.<sup>5</sup>

Joseph Lobb married Eliza Brown at St Endellion on 28th February 1824, both "of this parish".<sup>6</sup> Eliza was baptised at St Endellion on Christmas Day 1803, the daughter of Glanville and Catharine Brown (née Hains)<sup>7</sup> who were married at Endellion in February 1803.<sup>8</sup>

The baptisms and birth parishes of Joseph and Eliza's children indicate that the family arrived in the parish of Calstock between September 28th 1834 (daughter Ann Weymouth Lobb's baptism at Endellion)<sup>9</sup> and 29th January 1837 (baptism of daughter Catherine at Calstock) when Joseph is described as a miner of Metherell.<sup>10</sup>

The 1851 Stoke Climsland Census shows the family still at Oldmill. Joseph (52) a miner, Eliza (49), William (19) a miner, all born at Endellion, Catherine (14), Grace (12) and Nicholas (10) all born at Calstock and Granville (sic) should be Glanville (8), Betsy (5) and Edward (2) all born at Stoke Climsland.<sup>11</sup>

Joseph and Eliza died within two weeks of each other at Oldmill, Joseph was buried at Stoke Climsland on 2nd January 1870 and Eliza just eleven days later on the 13th.<sup>12</sup>



The Cottage of Joseph Lobb and family at Coombe, Harrowbarrow. (Image: Ainsley Cocks)

Notes:

- 1. 1841 Cornwall Census, Stoke Climsland. Ref: HO107 PN134 BN10 FN33 PN11.
- 2. Endellion Register of baptisms and marriages, 1732-1806. Ref: KK P55/1/1.
- 3. Endellion Register of marriages and banns, 1755-1812. Ref: KK P55/1/6.
- 4. Endellion Register of baptisms, 1813-1827. Ref: KK P55/1/4.
- 5. Mines and Miners of Cornwall XVI. Wadebridge, Camelford and Bude, A.K. Hamilton Jenkin,

Federation of Old Cornwall Societies, 1969, pgs. 28-32.

- 6. Endellion Register of marriages, 1813-1837. Ref: KK P55/1/7.
- 7. Endellion Register of baptisms and marriages, 1732-1806. Ref: KK P55/1/1.
- 8. Endellion Register of marriages and banns, 1755-1812. Ref: KK P55/1/6.
- 9. Endellion Register of baptisms, 1828-1967. Ref: KK P55/1/5.
- 10. Calstock Register of baptisms, 1830-1851. Ref: KK P26/1/7.
- 11. 1851 Cornwall Census, Stoke Climsland. Ref: HO107 PN1899 FN580 PN9.
- 12. Stoke Climsland Register of burials, 1864-1950. Ref: KK P215/1/10.