

The Class of March 1872

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On the 4th of March 1872, the first entry in the Head Teacher's Log Book was made by Mrs Mary Seaman, first Head Teacher. On that day, seventy-seven children, ranging in age from three to thirteen, were enrolled. They were divided into two classes - one being taken by Mrs Seaman and the other by her husband Walter, her assistant. They were all taught in one room, the room now used as the dining room in the oldest part of the school. Below are the children and their families based on the 1871 census.

F = Father

M= Mother

U = Uncle

A = Aunt

AGL = Agricultural Labourer

SP = Straw platter

C = Carter

BH = Brazilian Hat weaver

RF Railway Flagman

FA = Farmer

JC = Jobbing Carpenter

M = Miller

S = Shepherd

P = Publican

FB = farmers Baliff

PL = Ploughman

WA = Washer Woman

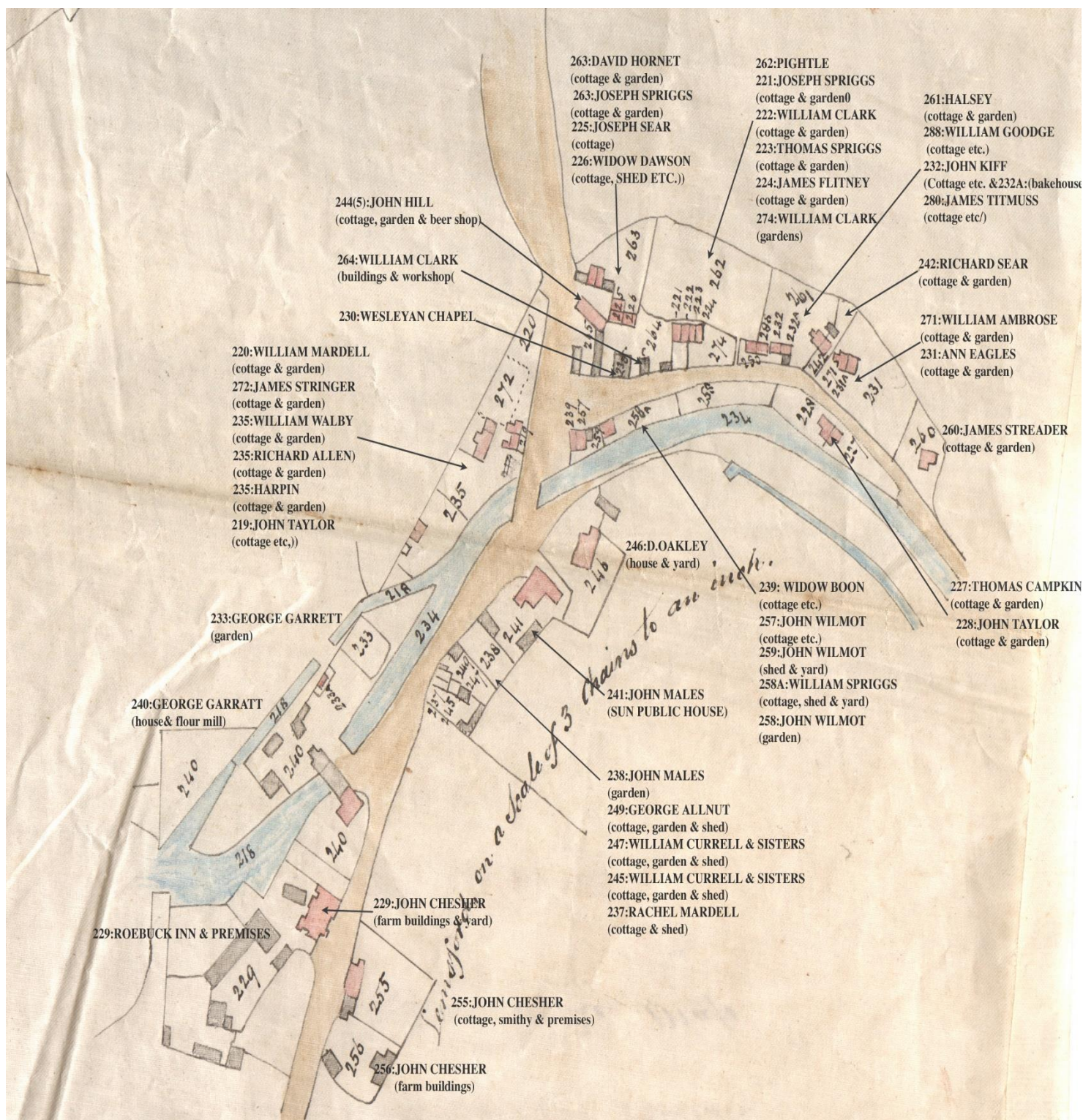
DM = Dress Maker

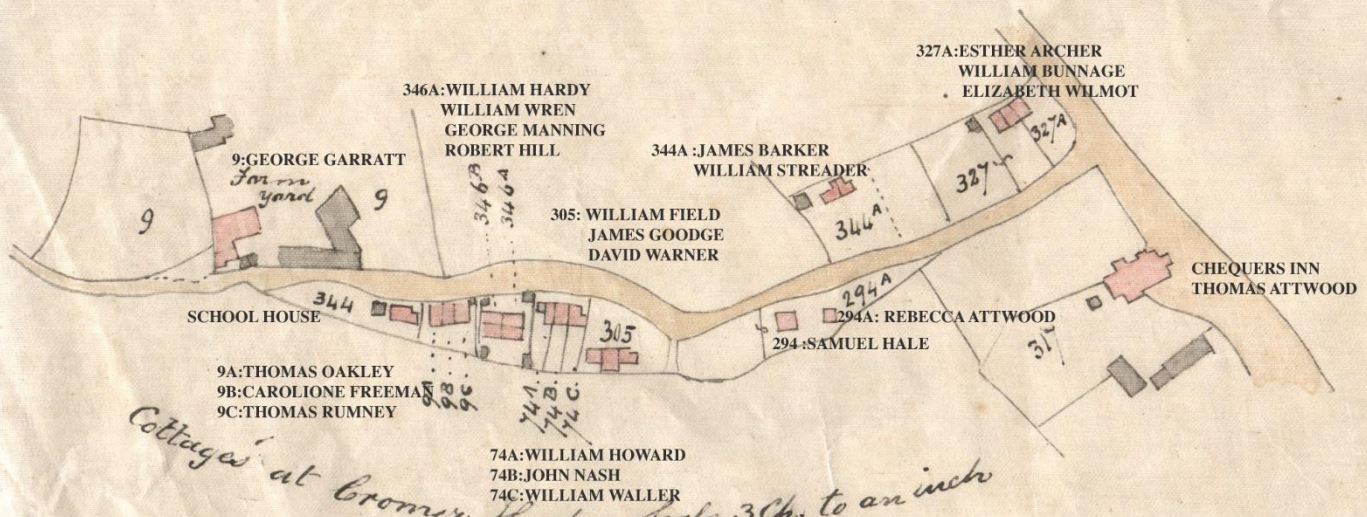
SM = Shoe Maker

1. Susannah Bracey 12 – F James 61 AGL
2. Elizabeth Bunnage 11 – F Dead M Emma 50 SP
3. William Bunnage 4 – F William 27 AGL
4. Mary Campkin 13 – F Thomas 41 AGL M Hannah 29
5. Sarah Campkin 10 – As above
6. Thomas Channer 9 F John 57 Groom M Ann 37
7. James Channer 6 – As above
8. Walter Dawson 6 Neph U James 59 Land Steward A Lizzie 67
9. Charles Drapper 12 F William 44 C M Mary 46
10. Mary Draper 6 – As above
11. Eliza Flitney 10 F Henry 33 AGL M Eliza 32 BH
12. Ebenezer Fowler 7 F Alfred 22 AGL M Mary 23 SP
13. Ebenezer Fox 5 F Henry 26 RF M Mary 30
14. John Freeman 11 F Dead M Caroline 45 SP
15. John Garret 5 F George 35 Miller/farmer M Mary 37
16. Walter Goodge 8 F William 30 AGL M Sarah 32
17. Alfred Goodge 5 – as above
18. Emma Hill 12 F George 38 AGL M Amelia 37
19. Ann Hill 10 – As Above
20. James Hill 8 – As Above
21. Thomas Horn 9 F William 33 FA M Sarah 34
22. Susan Horn 7 – As Above
23. Elizabeth Horn 5 – As Above
24. George Lawrence 12 F James 39 AGL (beer) M Mary 40
25. Thomas Lawrence 6 – As Above
26. Emily Lines 12 F George 42 JC M Isabella 44
27. Elizabeth Lines 9 – As Above
28. Elizabeth Manning 10 F George 58 AGL M Ann 42
29. Mary Manning 8 – As Above
30. Sarah Mumford 8 F William 29 M M Sarah 27
31. William Mumford 6 – As Above

32. Charles Munt 11 F William 48 S M dead
33. Isabella munt 8 – As Above
34. Walter Munt 6 – As above
35. Louisa Munt Niece – As Above
36. Peter Nash 12 F John 50 AGL M Dead
37. Solomon 9 – As Above
38. George Redd 12 F William 48 FB M Mary 45
39. Alfred Redd 11 – As Above
40. Annie Redd 9 – As Above
41. Arthur Redd 7 – As Above
42. Ada Redd 5 – As Above
43. Frederick Reynolds 11 F David 30 PL M Emma 37
44. Elizabeth Reynolds 9 – As Above
45. Reuben Sear 9 F Joseph 30 AGL M Elizabeth 38
46. Frank Sear 8 - As Above
47. Bertha Sear 6 – As Above
48. James Sear 9 F John 41 AGL M Jane 38
49. Frederick 7 – As Above
50. Issac Sear 6 – As Above
51. William Sear 10 F Richard 45 AGL M dead
52. Sarah Spriggs 5 F Joseph 39 AGL M Martha 44
53. Arthur Spriggs 12 F Thomas 55 AGL M Ann 55 DM
54. Ellen Stringer 8 F James Stringer 56 SM M Annette 44
55. Lizzie Taylor 8 F James 34 AGL M Eliza 28
56. Thomas Taylor 7 – As Above
57. George Taylor 5 – As Above
58. Ann taylor 7 F John 29 AGL M lizzie 29 SP
59. William Titmuss 9 F George 30 AGL M Sarah 29
60. Sarah Titmuss 8 – As Above
61. Emily Titmuss 6 – as Above
62. Charles Tyler 11 F John 41 AGL M Mary 31 WA
63. Walter Tyler 9 – As Above
64. Alfred Tyler 6 – As Above
65. Elizabeth Walby 11 F William 43 AGL M Harriet 39 SP
66. James Walby 8 – As Above
67. Annie Warner 11 F David 37 AGL M Ann 36
68. David Warner 8 – As Above
69. James Warner 6 – As above
70. Thomas Warner 5 – As Above
71. Charles Wilmot 9 F John 46 S M Caroline 42

- 72. Frederick Wilmot 8 – As Above
- 73. William Wilmot 6 – As above
- 74. Emma Wright 12 F George 50 F M Dead
- 75. Annie Wright 10
- 76. Frederick Wright 8 – As Above
- 77. Harry Wright 5





Cottages at Bromer Hyde. Scale 3 Ch. to an inch