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Generation No. 1

1. JOHN⁶ SYMONS (*JOHN⁵, RALPH⁴, RALPH³, RALPH², JOHN¹*) was born 19 February 1811 in Rockbeare, and died April 1873 in Rockbeare. He married ELIZABETH PRATT, daughter of WILLIAM PRATT and SARAH SYMONS.

Notes for JOHN SYMONS:

Butcher in Rockbeare, 1830's.

1851 census (F545a) Address: Tanners Farm, St Thomas - Woodbury Census Place: Rockbeare St Thomas - Woodbury, Devonshire

John SYMONS Head M 40 M Farmer 176 Acres 6 Lab Rockbeare-Dev

Elizabeth SYMONS Wife M 39 F --- Rockbeare-Dev

William SYMONS Son U 17 M --- Rockbeare-Dev

John SYMONS Son - 10 M --- Rockbeare-Dev

Mary SYMONS Daur - 5 F --- Rockbeare-Dev

Elizabeth SYMONS Daur - 2 F --- Rockbeare-Dev

Rhoda SYMONS Daur - 5m F --- Rockbeare-Dev

William FRY Serv M 49 M Farm Lab Crediton-Dev

Charlotte MORRISH Serv U 15 F House Serv Rockbeare-Dev

Billing's Directory of Devon 1857; farmer at Tanner's

More About JOHN SYMONS:

Burial: 29 April 1873, Rockbeare

Notes for ELIZABETH PRATT:

1851 census (F545a) Tanner's Farm, Rockbeare

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Elizabeth, wife, married, age 39

William, son, unmarried, age 17

John, son, age 10

Mary, dau, age 3

Elizabeth, dau, age 2

Rhoda, dau, age 5mos

1881 census Dwelling: Tanners Farm Census Place: Rockbeare, Devon, England

John SYMONS U 40 M Rockbeare, Devon, England Rel: Head

Occ: Farmer (142 Acres) 2 Men

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Elizabeth SYMONS U 32 F Rockbeare, Devon, England Rel: Sister Occ: Housekeeper

George H. SYMONS U 27 M Rockbeare, Devon, England Rel: Brother Occ: Assistant (Ag Lb)

John KNOWLES U 60 M Broadclist, Devon, England Rel: Servant Occ: Farm Servant

Children of JOHN SYMONS and ELIZABETH PRATT are:

- i. WILLIAM⁷ SYMONS, b. September 1833, Rockbeare; m. ELLEN TUTTLE, 5 August 1861, Ballarat Registry Office.

Notes for WILLIAM SYMONS:

1851 census (F545a) Tanner's Farm, Rockbeare

John Symons, head, married, age 40, Farmer 176 acres, 5 labourers

Elizabeth, wife, married, age 39

William, son, unmarried, age 17

John, son, age 10

Mary, dau, age 3

Elizabeth, dau, age 2

Rhoda, dau, age 5mos

More About WILLIAM SYMONS:

Baptism: 14 September 1833, Rockbeare Parish Register

- ii. SARAH ANN SYMONS, b. June 1835, Rockbeare; d. 22 April 1889.

Notes for SARAH ANN SYMONS:

Possible 1851 census - Rockbeare

Sarah Symons, servant, unmarried, age 14, nursemaid, born Rockbeare

1881 census Dwelling: Nt Pt Of Vialage Census Place: Exminster, Devon, England

Henry BASKERVILLE U 28 M Ashwater, Devon, England Rel: Head Occ: Domestic Ser In Charge

Sarah SYMONS U 47 F Broadclyst, Devon, England Rel: Fellow Ser Occ: Cook (Dom)

More About SARAH ANN SYMONS:

Baptism: 3 June 1835, Rockbeare Parish Register

iii. PRISCILLA SYMONS, b. April 1838, Rockbeare.

Notes for PRISCILLA SYMONS:

1851 census: Address: Cottage, South Moulton Census Place: Witheridge South Moulton, Devonshire

William SYMONS Head M 37 M School Master Sidbury-Dev

Elizabeth SYMONS Wife M 30 F --- Sidmouth-Dev

William SYMONS Son - 8 M Schl Exeter-Dev

Hermon SYMONS Son - 6 M Schl Exeter-Dev

Harry SYMONS Son - 5 M Schl Exeter-Dev

Rose Emma SYMONS Daur - 3 F --- Witheridge-Dev

Priscilla SYMONS Niec U 13 F Schl Rockbeare-Dev

More About PRISCILLA SYMONS:

Baptism: 18 April 1838, Rockbeare Parish Register

iv. JOHN SYMONS, b. June 1840, Rockbeare; m. JANE LOOSEMORE TRIPE, 1884, Chulmleigh.

Notes for JOHN SYMONS:

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Elizabeth, dau, age 2

Rhoda, dau, age 5mos

Listed in Harrod's Royal County Directory of Devonshire 1878: farmer

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George H. SYMONS U 27 M Rockbeare, Devon, England Rel: Brother Occ: Assistant (Ag Lb)

John KNOWLES U 60 M Broadclist, Devon, England Rel: Servant Occ: Farm Servant

1891 census - Rockbeare - Lower Southwood

John Symons, head, married, age 50, farmer, born Rockbeare

Jane L., wife, married, age 45, born Sidbury

John L., son, age 5, born Rockbeare

Louis T., son, age 3, born Rockbeare

Sarah Tripe, sister in law, single, age 57, living on her own means, born Sidbury

More About JOHN SYMONS:

Baptism: 6 June 1839, Rockbeare Parish Register

Burial: Heavitree Churchyard, Exeter

Notes for JANE LOOSEMORE TRIPE:

1851 census: Address: High St, Tiverton Census Place: Cullompton Tiverton, Devonshire

Elizabeth LOOSEMORE Head W 70 F --- Molland-Dev

Jane L. TRIPE Vist - 8 F --- Sidbury-Dev

Jane L. TRIPE Vist - 4 F --- ---Dev

1861 census - Chulmleigh - Parsonage

John Tripe, head, married, age 66, farmer of 320 acres, employing 4 labourers & 4 boys, born Dawlish

Ann, wife, age 50, farmers wife, born Broadclyst

Sarah, dau, unmarried, age 27, farmers dau, born Sidbury

James, son, unmm, age 25, farmers son, born, Sidbury

Ann, dau, unnm, age 21, farmers dau, born Sidbury
George, son, unnm, age 17, farmers son, born Sidbury
Jane, dau, unnm, age 15, scholar, born Sidbury
Elizabeth, dau, age 13, scholar, born Sidbury
William, son, age 9, scholar, born Sidbury

1881 census Dwelling: Myrtle Cottage Leigh Road Census Place: Chulmleigh, Devon, England
John J. TRIPE M88 MDawlish, Devon, England Rel: Head Occ: Farmer (Retired)
Ann TRIPEM68 FBroadclist, Devon, England Rel: Wife Occ: Farmers Wife
Jane TRIPEU 34 FSidbury, Devon, England Rel: Daur Occ: Farmers Daughter
John DENDLE U 34 MBarnstaple, Devon, England Rel: Son In Law Occ: Grocer Master

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At sister Ann's funeral, 1914. Living in Exeter.

At sister Ann's husbands funeral 1937.

More About JANE LOOSEMORE TRIPE:
Burial: Heavitree Churchyard, Exeter

- v. MARY SYMONS, b. July 1842, Rockbeare; d. 1845.

More About MARY SYMONS:
Baptism: 20 July 1842, Rockbeare Parish Register

- vi. MARY PRATT SYMONS, b. 25 February 1846, Rockbeare; m. WILLIAM GLANVILLE.

Notes for MARY PRATT SYMONS:
1851 census (F545a) Tanner's Farm, Rockbeare
John Symons, head, married, age 40, Farmer 176 acres, 5 labourers
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John, son, age 10
Mary, dau, age 3
Elizabeth, dau, age 2
Rhoda, dau, age 5mos

1881 census Dwelling: 12 Temple St Census Place: Whitefriars Precinct, London, Middlesex, England
William J. GLANVILLE M39 MWhimble, Devon, England Rel: Head Occ: Tavern Keeper
Mary P. GLANVILLE M35 FRockbeare, Devon, England Rel: Wife
May GLANVILLE 5 FPimlico, Middlesex, England Rel: Daur Occ: Scholar
Prisada KIMPU 42 FRockbeare, Devon, England Rel: ServOcc: Assistant (Inn)
Herbert WHITTON U 14 MExminster, Devon, England Rel: ServOcc: Barman
Martha GOULLEE U 15 FLondon City Of, London, Middlesex Rel: ServOcc: General Serv

1891 census - Rockbeare - Enumerator 01 Folio 4 Page 1 Sched. 4 - Rew Farm
GLANVILLE William J Head M M 49 y Farmer (Em'er) DEV Whimble
GLANVILLE Mary Platt Wife M F 45 y DEV Rockbeare
GLANVILLE May Dau S F 15 y Scholar LND Pimlico
SYMONS Elizabeth Sislaw S F 42 y Assistant (Em'ee) DEV Rockbeare

Notes for WILLIAM GLANVILLE:
1851 census possible: b. 1840 in Yealmpton, or 1844 in Poltimore

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- vii. ELIZABETH SYMONS, b. 21 March 1849, Rockbeare; d. Aft. 1891.

Notes for ELIZABETH SYMONS:
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viii. RHODA SYMONS, b. 27 October 1850, Rockbeare.

Notes for RHODA SYMONS:
1851 census (F545a) Tanner's Farm, Rockbeare
John Symons, head, married, age 40, Farmer 176 acres, 5 labourers
Elizabeth, wife, married, age 39
William, son, unmarried, age 17
John, son, age 10
Mary, dau, age 3
Elizabeth, dau, age 2
Rhoda, dau, age 5mos

ix. GEORGE HENRY SYMONS, b. 26 February 1854, Rockbeare, Devon; d. 22 February 1893; m. AMELIA ?, Abt. 1881.

Notes for GEORGE HENRY SYMONS:
1881 census Dwelling: Tanners Farm Census Place: Rockbeare, Devon, England
John SYMONS U 40 M Rockbeare, Devon, England Rel: Head
Occ:Farmer (142 Acres) 2 Men
Elizabeth SYMONS W69 F Rockbeare, Devon, England Rel: Mother Occ: Independant & Boarder
Elizabeth SYMONS U 32 F Rockbeare, Devon, England Rel: Sister Occ:Housekeeper
George H. SYMONS U 27 M Rockbeare, Devon, England Rel: Brother Occ: Assistant (Ag Lb)
John KNOWLES U 60 M Broadclist, Devon, England Rel: Servant Occ:Farm Servant

1891 census - Rockbeare Enumerator 01 Folio 4 Page 1 Sched. 3 - Tanners Farm
SYMONDS George M Head M M 37 y Farmer (Em'er) DEV Rockbeare
SYMONDS Amelia Wife M F 34 y DEV Whimble
SYMONDS Myra Dau - F 9 y DEV Rockbeare
SYMONDS William Roy Son - M 7 y DEV Whimble
SYMONDS Dorothea Mary Dau - F 3 y DEV Rockbeare
SYMONDS Norman G Son - M 2 y DEV Rockbeare

Notes for AMELIA ?:
1891 census - Rockbeare Enumerator 01 Folio 4 Page 1 Sched. 3 - Tanners Farm
SYMONDS George M Head M M 37 y Farmer (Em'er) DEV Rockbeare
SYMONDS Amelia Wife M F 34 y DEV Whimble
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