

Church Broughton Apprentices

1715 - 1820

Introduction

This typescript brings together the pertinent Apprenticeship information from the surviving apprenticeship documents for the parish of Church Broughton, which are deposited in the Derbyshire Record Office. They comprise:

D854 A/PO 120 - 129 Apprenticeship Indentures 1715 - 1820
D854 A/PZ 2 Apprenticeship Indenture 1716

The documents D854 A/PO 120 - 129 have been microfilmed and are available in that form (Ref: XM 1/36 Item 4).

In most cases the apprentices were poor or pauper children who qualified because of their circumstances to have their apprenticeships arranged and paid for by the Overseers of the Poor of the parish. This even applied in cases of qualified children who had moved from the parish, as it was the parish of settlement of the pauper child that was responsible for their apprenticing.

The information given in the documents varies considerably, as though most of the indentures are pre-printed forms, their format varies in the information that had to be added by hand.

At the back of this typescript there are both surname and location indices.

Church Broughton Apprentices 1715 - 1820

1715

Thomas Morecroft, aged 11, is apprenticed to Edward Prattle of Church Broughton, yeoman, until he attains the age of 24. Indenture dated 8th August 1715.

D854 A/PO 120

1716

John Harrison, son of Samuel Harrison of Church Broughton, husbandman, is apprenticed to John Smedley of Burton upon Trent in the county of Staffordshire, tailor, for 7 years, commencing 24th June 1716. Premium £4. Indenture dated 21st June 1716.

D854 A/PZ 2

1727

Robert Siddall, son of George Siddall of Church Broughton, is apprenticed to Caleb Vernon Smith of Uttoxeter in the county of Staffordshire, cordwainer, for 7 years. Premium £6. Indenture dated 4th February 1726/7.

D854 A/PO 121

1767

William Harrison, aged 13 on 30th September 1766, is apprenticed to Slater Shepherd of Church Broughton to learn the art of husbandry until he attains the age of 24. Indenture dated 4th May 1767.

D854 A/PO 122

1793

Joseph Dilks, aged 14, is apprenticed to Richard Barker of the parish of St Mary's in Nottingham in the county of Nottinghamshire, framework knitter, until he attains the age of 21. Indenture dated 6th April 1793.

D854 A/PO 123

1801

William Upton, aged 9, is apprenticed to Robert Potter of Church Broughton, whittawer, to learn the arts of whittawer, saddler & whipmaker until he attains the age of 21. Premium £7 7s. Indenture dated 21st May 1801.

D854 A/PO 124

1811

Lewis Jackson, aged 12, son of William & Elizabeth Jackson of Church Broughton, is apprenticed to John Eason of Tutbury in the county of Staffordshire, cordwainer, until he attains the age of 21. Indenture dated 5th July 1811.

D854 A/PO 125

1812

John Shaw, aged 11, son of Mary Shaw of Burton upon Trent in the county of Staffordshire, is apprenticed to Joseph Leedham of Burton upon Trent, cordwainer, until he attains the age of 21. Premium £10. Indenture dated 28th May 1812.

D854 A/PO 126

1814

Charles Jackson, aged 11, son of William & Elizabeth (deceased) Jackson of Church Broughton, is apprenticed to William Barrett of St Werburgh's parish in Derby, framework knitter, until he attains the age of 21. Premium £10. Indenture dated 14th January 1814.

D854 A/PO 127

Joseph Bentley, aged 9, son of Thomas Bentley, soldier, & Elizabeth Bentley, his wife, of Church Broughton, is apprenticed to William Barrett of St Werburgh's parish in Derby, framework knitter, until he attains the age of 21. Premium £10. Indenture dated 14th January 1814.

D854 A/PO 128

1820

Thomas Shaw, aged 14, the son of Mary Wheeldon, widow of the late Edward Shaw, is apprenticed to Thomas Bill of St Mary's parish in Stafford in the county of Staffordshire, cordwainer, until he attains the age of 21. Premium £10. Indenture dated 15th May 1820.

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Surname Index

A = Apprentice, F = Father, M = Master, Mo = Mother

Barker	Richard 1793M,
Barrett	William 1814M(2),
Bentley	Joseph 1814A, Rebecca 1814Mo, Thomas 1814F,
Bill	Thomas 1820M,
Dilks	Joseph 1793A,
Eason	John 1811M,
Harrison	John 1716A, Samuel 1716F, William 1767A,
Jackson	Charles 1814A, Elizabeth 1811Mo, 1814Mo, Lewis 1811A, William 1811F, 1814F,
Leedham	Joseph 1812M,
Morecroft	Thomas 1715A,
Potter	Robert 1801M,
Prattle	Edward 1715M,
Shaw	Edward 1820F, John 1812A, Mary 1812Mo, Thomas 1820A,
Shepherd	Slater 1767M,
Siddall	Robert 1727A,
Smedley	John 1716M,
Smith	Caleb Vernon 1727M,
Upton	William 1801A,
Wheeldon	Mary 1820Mo,

Locations Index

Burton upon Trent STS	Leedham 1812M, Shaw 1812Mo, Smedley 1716M,
Church Broughton	Bentley 1814A, 1814F, 1814Mo, Dilks 1793A, Harrison 1716A, 1716F, 1767A, Jackson 1811A, 1811F, 1811Mo, 1814A, 1814F, 1814Mo, Morecroft 1715A, Potter 1801M, Prattle 1715M, Shaw 1812A, 1820A, Shepherd 1767M, Siddall 1727A, 1727F, Upton 1801A,
Derby St Werburgh's	Barrett 1814M(2),
Nottingham St Mary's NTT	Barker 1793M,
Stafford St Mary's STS	Bill 1820M,
Tutbury STS	Eason 1811M,
Uttoxeter STS	Smith 1727M,