John BLIGH and Mary TOOLEY **Chart 232-233**

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John BLIGH

B about 1771 Norfolk England D 14 April 1841 North Pickenham Norfolk England M 10 October 1797 Brandon Parva Norfolk England

Mary TOOLEY

B about 1770 Norfolk England D about 30 November 1826 Ashill Norfolk England

Children:

- 1. William BLIGH born 14 November 1797 Ashill Norfolk England
- 2. Charlotte BLIGH born 26 April 1800 Ashill Norfolk England
- 3. Robert BLYTH born 17 September 1803 Ashill Norfolk England

The family history of John BLIGH and Mary TOOLEY

John BLIGH was born about 1771 Norfolk England

Mary TOOLEY was born about 1770 England

It is possible that Mary's parents were Timothy TOOLEY and Elizabeth ARTHURTON and that Mary was baptised on 01 January 1767 at East Tuddenham in Norfolk and that Sarah TOOLEY was an unmarried Aunt of Mary's not her mother.

ORDER (Reference FHC LDS microfilm 2034703 Norfolk)

Mary's parents Timothy TOOLEY and Elizabeth ARTHURTON were married on 27 February 1759 in East Tuddenham. The father Timothy was baptised on 09 December 1733 in Mattishall Burgh and Timothy's parents and Mary's grandparents were John and Rebecca TOOLEY.

John BLYE of this parish single man and Mary TOOLEY of the same single were married in this church by banns 10 October 1797 Brandon Parva Norfolk England. (Reference FHC Film 1526810 Brandon Parish Records Norfolk)

John and Mary had a son William BLIGH who was born on 14 November 1797 Ashill and baptised on 13 September 1801 St Nicholas Church Ashill Norfolk England. (Reference FHC Film 1596157 Ashill Parish Records)

John and Mary had a daughter Charlotte BLIGH who was born on 26 April 1800 Ashill and baptised on 13 September 1801 Ashill Norfolk England. (Reference FHC Film 1596157 Ashill Parish Records)

John and Mary had a son Robert BLYTH who was born 17 September 1803 Ashill and baptised on 25 September 1803 Ashill Parish Church Norfolk England (Reference FHC Film 1596157 Ashill Parish Records)

Mary BLIGH formerly TOOLEY age 56 died 1826 and was buried on 30 November 1826 Ashill Parish Church Norfolk England.

(Reference FHC Film 1596157 Church records and Norwich Records Office National Burial Index)

SEARCH 1841 Census John BLYTH

John BLYTH age 72 occupation Labourer died on 14 April 1841 North Pickenham Norfolk England. Cause of death was natural death. The informant was Dan CALVER Coroner.

(Reference RGO UK death registration 1841 June quarter Swaffham Volume 13 page 215)

John BLIGH aged 70 from North Pickenham was buried on 16 April 1841.

(Reference FHC Film 1596157 Church Records and Ashill Parish Records Norfolk Records Office National Burial Index England)

John & Mary BLIGH their children and descendants

- 1- William BLIGH born 14 November 1797 Ashill Norfolk England died 02 November 1880 Swaffham Lynn Road Norfolk England married 02 December 1817 Ashill Parish Church Norfolk England Rose HAYLETT born 1798 died England
- 1-1- William BLIGH born about 1818 Ashill Norfolk England
- 1-2- Charlotte BLIGH born about 1821 Ashill Norfolk England
- 1-3- Robert BLIGH born about 1822 Ashill Norfolk England
- 1-4- John BLIGH born about 1825 Ashill Norfolk England married Susannah surname unknown born died
- 1-4-1- Alfred BLIGH born about 1859 Ashill Norfolk England
- 1-4-2- Agnes BLIGH born about 1862 Ashill Norfolk England
- 1-4-3- George BLIGH born about 1864 Ashill Norfolk England
- 1-4-4- Arthur BLIGH born about 1866 Ashill Norfolk England
- 1-4-5- William BLIGH born about 1871 Ashill Norfolk England
- 1-5- James BLIGH born about 1827 Ashill Norfolk England
- 1-6- Henry BLIGH born about 1829 Ashill Norfolk England
- 1-7- George BLIGH born about 1833 Ashill Norfolk England
- 1-8- Isaac BLIGH born about 1835 Ashill Norfolk England 1-9- Charles BLIGH born about 1838 Ashill Norfolk England
- 1-10- Christopher BLIGH born about 1841 Ashill Norfolk England

William BLIGH son of John and Mary his wife (late TOOLER spinster) born on 14 November 1797 Ashill and baptised on 13 September 1801 St Nicholas Church Ashill Norfolk England.

(Reference FHC Film 1596157 Ashill Parish Records)

Rose HAYLETT was born about 1798 Great Dunham England **SEARCH** (Reference FHC LDS microfilm parish records Great Dunham England

William BLYTH of this parish single man and Rose HAYLETT of this parish single women were married in this Church by Banns with consent this 2nd day of December 1817. William and Rose both made their X mark. The witnesses were James HAYLETT and Martha HYLETT who both made their X mark. (Reference FHC Film 1596157 Ashill Parish Records)

1841 Census Ashill

- William BLIGH head age 45 Ag Lab born in County
- Rose BLIGH wife age 43 born in County
- William BLIGH age 23 born in County

- Charlotte BLIGH age 20 born in County
- Robert BLIGH age 19 born in County
- John BLIGH age 16 born in County
- James BLIGH age 14 born in County
- Henry BLIGH age 12 born in County
- George BLIGH age 8 born in County
- Isaac BLIGH age 6 born in County
- Charles BLIGH age 3 born in County
- Christopher BLIGH age 1 month born in County

SEARCH (Reference National Library Ancestry 1841 Census Ashill census HO 107 785)

1851 Census Ashill

- William BLIGH head married age 54 Ag Labourer born Ashill
- Rose BLIGH wife married age 54 born Great Dunham
- John BLIGH son age 26 born Ashill
- George BLIGH son age 18 born Ashill
- Isaac BLIGH son age 15 born Ashill
- Charles BLIGH son age 12 born Ashill
- Christopher BLIGH son age 8 born Ashill

SEARCH (Reference National Library of NZ Ancestry 1851 Census Ashill

Rose BLIGH formerly HAYLETT died between 1851 and 1861 in England. **SEARCH** (Reference RGO UK death registration

1861 Census Ashill

 William BLIGH head widower age 61 team man born Ashill William was recorded as living on his own.

SEARCH (Reference National Library of NZ Ancestry 1861 Census Ashill

1871 Census Busealls Corner Ashill

- John BLIGH head married age 46 labourer born Ashill
- Susannah BLIGH wife married age 44 born Saham
- Alfred BLIGH son age 12 Scholar born Ashill
- Agnes BLIGH daughter age 9 Scholar born Ashill
- George BLIGH son age 7 Scholar born Ashill
- Arthur BLIGH son age 5 Scholar born Ashill
- William BLIGH son age 2 months born Ashill
- Elizabeth HARTT age 82 born Hepworth Suffolk
- William BLIGH widower age 72 Labourer born Brandon

SEARCH (Reference National Library of NZ Ancestry 1871 census Ashill & Ashill Census RG10/1871)

William BLIGH age 85 occupation Farm Labourer died on 02 November 1880 Lynn Road Swaffham. Cause of death decay of nature. The informant was Sarah SCASE present at the death Lynn Road Swaffham who made her X mark. He was buried on 08 November 1880 at St Nicholas Church Ashill Norfolk England. (Reference FHC Film 1596157 Ashill Parish Records)

2- Charlotte BLIGH born 26 April 1800 Ashill Norfolk England died 02 February 1878 North Pickenham Norfolk England married 04 October 1833 Ashill Parish Church Norfolk England Robert SCULPER born about 1807, 1809 or 1814 Castleacre England died England Charlotte BLIGH daughter of John and Mary his wife (late TOOLER Spinster) was born on 26 April 1800 Ashill Norfolk England. She was received into the church (baptised) on 13 September 1801 Ashill Norfolk England.

(Reference FHC Film 1596157 Ashill Parish Records)

Charlotte BLIGH of this parish single woman and Robert SCULPER of this parish single man were married in this church by Banns with consent this 4th day of October 1833 Ashill Parish Church Norfolk England. Witnesses were Robert BLIGH and Mary ANTHONY. All parties made their X mark on the register. Robert BLIGH was Charlotte's brother and Mary ANTHONY was his future wife (located on chart 116-117). (Reference FHC Film 1596157 Ashill Parish Records)

1851 Census North Pickenham England

- Robert SCULPER head age 42 Ag Lab born Castleacre
- Charlotte SCULPER wife age 46 born Ashill

SEARCH (Reference National Library of NZ Ancestry 1851 Census

1861 Census North Pickenham England

- Robert SCULPER head age 47 Vermin destroyer born Castleacre
- Charlotte SCULPER wife age 53 born Ashill
- Robert BLIGHT boarder married age 52 Ag Lab born Ashill (Charlotte's brother)
 SEARCH (Reference National Library of NZ Ancestry 1861 Census

1871 Census North Pickenham England

- Robert SCULPER head age 64 Ag Lab born Castleacre
- Charlotte SCULPER wife age 66 born Ashill
- Robert BLIGHT boarder married age 63/65 Ag Lab born Ashill (Charlotte's brother)
 Note that Robert BLIGH was Charlotte's brother his wife Mary Ann was living next door
 SEARCH (Reference National Library of NZ Ancestry 1861 Census

Charlotte SCULPER formerly BLIGH aged 77 years died 1878 and was buried on 02 February 1878 North Pickenham Norfolk England.

SEARCH (Reference RGO UK death registration 1878 North Pickenham Norfolk England & North Pickenham Parish Records Norwich Records Office)

3 Robert BLYTH born 17 September 1803 Ashill Norfolk England died 21 October 1880 North Pickenham Norfolk England married 26 September 1841 North Pickenham Norfolk England Mary Ann ANTHONY refer chart 116-117

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BLIGHT & TOOLEY miscellaneous information