

Anger Genealogy

of Bishopstone, Wilts near Shrivenham

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Introduction

Anger is a name of ancient Norman origin and arrived in England with the Norman Conquest. They lived in the area of Angers, France.

The Pope link to the Anger family was through two marriages; that of John Pope (1700-1770) to Elizabeth Anger (1724-1788) in 1744; and later Charles Pope (1786- ??) to Susannah Anger (1784-1844) in 1808.

LW&T's were used as an initial source, and have concentrated on the Robert Anger stem and John Anger stems only.

Depending on records, Anger also spelt as Ainger, Aingel, Angel, Angell, Ayngell and Angers.

Thanks to Nicola for providing Shrivenham parish information and other items.

Two useful websites I have come across [St. Thomas, Watchfield Parish Registers](#) and [Watchfield in the 17th Century](#) by Neil Maw.

I have been unable to trace the burial of Charles Pope, who I suspect died between 1820 and 1833.

Please contact me you have any corrections, omissions or additional information on the people I have highlighted.

John Pope

PS. In 1882 a Thomas Anger was Waywarden for the parish of Little Hinton.

St. Andrew's, Shrivenham Parish Registers

Baptisms				
Year	Date	Forename	Surname	Notes
1575	28 Oct	Thomas	ANGER	s/o Anthony
1577	30 Nov	Jane	ANGER	d/o Anthony
1579	16 Feb	Elynor	ANGER	d/o Anthony
1581	6 Feb	Robert	ANGER	s/o Anthony
1583	16 Feb	William	ANGER	s/o Anthony
1586	27 Dec	Elizabeth	ANGER	d/o ?
1601	Apr	Alice	ANGER	of Watchfield
1610	28 Jan	Anthony	ANGER	s/o Thomas of Watchfield
1612	4 Oct	Roberte	ANGER	s/o Thomas of Watchfield
1613	29 Dec	Thomas	ANGER	s/o Thomas of Watchinfielde
1615	4 Dec	Henry	ANGER	s/o Robberte of Watchfeilde
1616	11 Aug	Anne	ANGER	d/o Thomas of Watchfield
1618	23 Aug	Thomas	ANGER	s/o Thomas of Watchfeild
1618	31 Aug	Margaret	ANGER	d/o Robert of Watchfielde
1620	18 Feb	Roberte	ANGER	s/o Roberte of Watchfielde
1622	3 Jul	Arthure	ANGER	s/o Thomas of Watchfield
1623	6 Jul	Katharine	ANGER	d/o Robert of Watchfield
1625	26 Dec	Anne	ANGER	d/o Robert of Watchfield
1627	8 Jul	William	ANGER	s/o Robert of Watchfielde
1631	27 Mar	Anthony	ANGER	s/o Robert of Watchfielde
1632	15 Nov	Anthony	ANGER	s/o Richard of Watchfielde
1635	27 Jun	John	ANGER	s/o Robert of Watchfield
1638	22 Jul	Margarett	ANGER	d/o Anthony
1638	13 Dec	Mary	ANGER	d/o Thomas
1640	13 Feb	Anne	ANGELL	d/o Thomas & Elizabeth, Bourton
1640	13 Sep	Mary	ANGELL	d/o Anthony & Ales of Watchfeild
1641	15 Jan	Thomas	ANGELL	s/o Anne
1642	22 Jan	Grace	ANGER	d/o Anthony & Alce of Watchfeild
1643	13 Aug	Elizabeth	ANGELL	d/o Thomas & Elizabeth
1645	7 Dec	Thomas	ANGELL	s/o Thomas, Bourton
1645	15 Mar	Anthony	ANGELL	s/o Anthony, Watchfeild
1646	2 Aug	Sibill	ANGELL	d/o Thomas
1649	26 May	Mary	ANGELL	d/o Anthony, Watchfeild
1649	17 Jun	William	ANGELL	s/o Thomas & Alce
1658	9 Aug	Elizabeth	ANGELL	d/o Anthony the younger, smith, b. 10 Jul
1660	6 Sep	Robert	ANGELL	s.o John, Watchfeild, b. 28 Jul
1660	20 Dec	Anthony	ANGELL	s/o Anthony, smith, Watchfeild, b Nov. 22.
1661	9 Jan	John	ANGER	s/o John of Watchefeilde

1663	2 Feb	Mary	ANGER	s/o Anthony of Watchfeild
1667	16 Jun	Henry	ANGER	s/o John & Alice, Watch.
1669	12 Feb	Sarah	ANGER	s/o John & Elizabeth of Watchfeild
1672	7 Jan	William	AINGER	s/o John & Elizabeth
1675	4 Jul	Elizabeth	ANGER	d/o John
1688	4 Jan	Thomas	ANGER	s/o Anthony & Mary of Watchfeild
1689	31 Oct	Robartt	AINGER	s/o Robert & Anne of Watchfeild
1689	23 Nov	Bridgett	AINGER	d/o Anthony & Marion
1691	19 Jul	John	AINGER	s/o Robert & Anne of Watchfeild
1693	27 Jun	Mary	AINGER	d/o Anthony & Mary of Watchfeild
1694	8 Apr	Thomas	ANGER	s/o Robert & Anne e
1696	30 Jan	Anthony	ANGER	s/o Robert & Anne of Watchfield
1700	27 Jul	Henry	ANGER	s/o Robert & Anne of Watchfeild
1712	10 Jan	William	ANGER	s/o William & Anne
1714	28 Jan	Anne	ANGER	s/o William & Anne
1717	7 Apr	Mary	ANGEL	d/o William & Anne
1719	10 Sep	Thomas	ANGER	d/o William & Anne of Stainswick
1722	26 Sep	John	ANGER	s/o William & Anne of Stainswick
1722	7 Oct	John	ANGER	s/o Thomas & Sarah of Watchfeild
1724	12 Dec	Elizabeth	ANGER	s/o Thomas & Sarah of Watchfeild
1726	25 Jan	Anne	ANGER	d/o Thomas & Mary of Farington
1727	14 May	Thomas	ANGER	d/o Thomas & Sarah of Watchfeild
1729	17 Aug	Henry	ANGER	s/o John & Anne of Watchfeild
1729	22 Mar	Thomas	ANGER	s/o Thomas & Mary of Faringdon
1732	22 Nov	Mary	ANGER	d/o Thomas & Mary of Farington
1735	14 Mar	Elizabeth	ANGER	d/o Thomas & Mary
1737	17 May	Ady	ANGER	s/o William & Elizabeth of Grunden, Wilts
1738	25 Dec	Joseph	ANGER	s/o Thomas & Mary
1757	15 Apr	Sarah	ANGEL	d/o John & Eliz., Watchfeild
1761	7 Feb	Betty	ANGELL	d/o Anthony & Martha
1762	21 Mar	Thomas	ANGER	s/o Anthony & Mary Martha
1762	7 Nov	Mary	ANGEL	d/o Jn. & Philadelphia
1765	15 Jun	Sarah	ANGEL	d/o John & Philadelphia
1766	3 Mar	Thos.	ANGEL	s/o Anthony & Martha
1766	6 Jul	Ann	ANGEL	d/o John & Ann, Watchfield
1771	2 Jun	Betty	ANGER	d/o John & Mary
1782	7 Jul	Elizabeth	STONE	d/o John (a Farmer) & Elizabeth (né Anger)
1784	25 Sep	Elizabeth	GERRING	aged 20 days, d/o Henry & Elizabeth (né Anger)
1786	19 Mar	John	STONE	aged 4 weeks, s/o John & Sarah (né Anger)
1792	19 Aug	Anthony	ANGER	aged 10 days, s/o John & Mary (né Carter)
1796	6 Mar	Thomas	ANGER	aged 12 days, s/o John & Mary (né Carter)
1799	8 Sep	Richard	ANGER	aged 3 weeks, s/o John & Mary

1809	26 Mar	John	ANGER	aged 3 weeks, s/o Anne of Watchfield
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Marriages

Year	Date	Groom	Bride
1598	25 May	Henry Ayers	Joanne ANGER
1600	7 Apr	Willis ANGER	Agnis Joyner
1602	- Feb	Thomas Greeinge	Elizabeth ANGER
1608	10 Nov	Mary ANGELL	William Rimse
1615	21 Nov	William ANGER	Elizabeth White of Ashburn
1625	24 Jun	William Weston of Hannington	Joan ANGER of Shalingford
1641	3 Feb	Richard Greeneaway of Stanford	Anne ANGER of Watchfield
1649	31 Dec	Richard Peane of Uffington	Ann ANGER of Watchfield
1657	2 Apr	Henry ANGER of Watchfield	Marrian Stewart d/o Edmund of Collsill, Berks
1657	11 May	Anthony ANGER of Watchfield	Bridgett Gardian of Charnly, Berks
1659	7 Nov	John ANGELL	Elizabeth Younge, Watchfield
1666	23 Apr	Thomas Wilson of Bourton	Sarah ANGER of Bourton
1666	17 May	Henry Restall	Margaret ANGER of Watchfield
1687	5 May	Anthony ANGER	Marrin Young of Watchfield and at Watchfield
1721	1 Jun	Thomas ANGER of Watchfield	Sarah Farr of Watchfield
1727	2 Nov	John ANGER of Watchfield	Anne Hammond of Watchfield
1736	27 Sep	William ANGER	Elizabeth Aires, by licence
1737	2 Jul	John Rogerson of Wantage	Anne ANGER, by licence
1760	7 Sep	Anthony ANGELL, bachelor, o.t.p.	Martha Smith, spinster, Highworth
1761	1 Nov	Adye Ayers ANGER, age 24 yrs	Betty Sansom, age 27 yrs, by licence
1762	11 Jan	John ANGEL, age 35, b	Philadelphia Lester, age 33, sp. Witnesses William Horn and Thomas Ainger
1778	19 Jun	Henry Gerring, by licence	Elizabeth ANGER. Witnesses Mary & John Foard
1781	15 Sep	John Stone, by licence	Sarah ANGER. Witnesses Henry Gearing & Robert Clarage
1784	18 Feb	George Green, Gi. Coxwell, Berks.	Elizabeth ANGEL, sp., Witness John Foard
1790	25 Aug	John ANGEL, jun., b.	Mary Carter, sp. By licence. Witnesses Henry Gearing and Wm. Lawrence
1820	20 Sep	Anthony ANGEL (otherwise ANGER), bachelor	Martha Chandler, spinster, b.o.t.p.
		Richard ANGEL (otherwise ANGER)	Elizabeth Chandler
1827	25 Aug	Richard ANGEL	Keziah Beechey

Just a few I am aware of

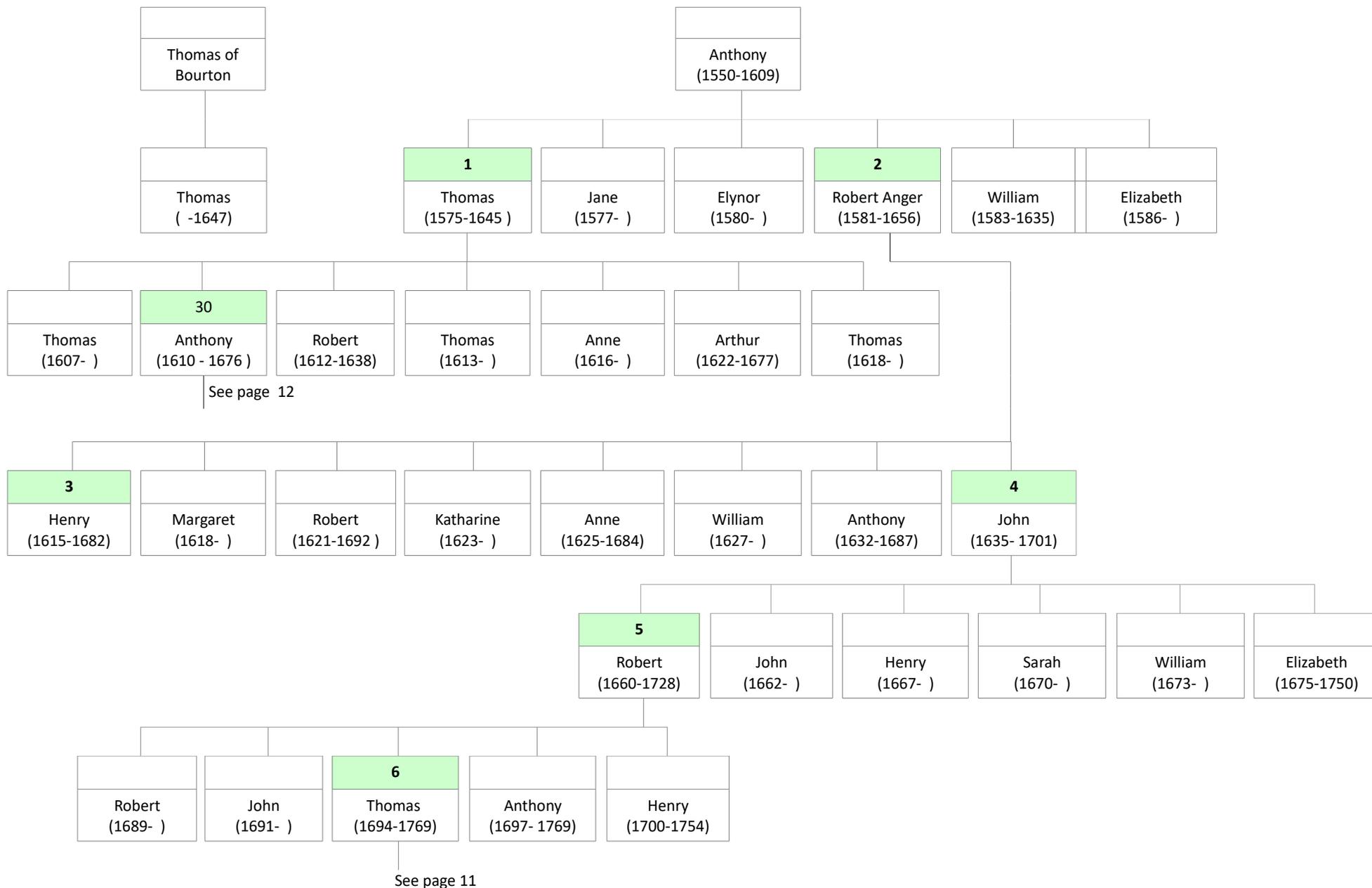
Burials				
Year	Date	Forname	Surname	Notes
1644	18 Feb	Marie	ANGELL	d/o Anthony of Watchfeild
1645	7 Apr	Thoman	ANGELL	of Watchfeild
1645	10 Nov	Thomas	ANGELL	of Bourton
1647	3 Jan	Thomas	ANGER	of Bourton, s/o Thomas, deceased
1648	10 Feb	Elizabeth	ANGELL	widow of Bourton
1651	7 Sep	Anne	ANGER	widow
1654	12 Apr	Thomas	ANGER	s/o Thomas
1655	18 Aug	Robert	ANGER	of Watchfeild
1658	29 Apr	Margaret	ANGER	widow of Watchfeild
1661	6 Aug	Elyzabeth	AINGER	of Bourton, daughter of Thomas
1661	5 Oct	Margaret	AINGER	of Watchfeild
1663	19 May	Alice	AINGER	
1664	2 Feb	Bridget	ANGER	of Watchfeild, w/o Anthony
1671	20 Jun	Mary	AINGER	
1676	15 May	Anthony	AYNGELL	of Watchfeild Mill
1677	13 Feb	Arter	ANGER	of Wachfild
1686	3 Oct	Thomas	ANGER	
1687	23 Sep	Anthony	ANGER	of Watchfeild
1688	22 Feb	Marrin	ANGER	of Watchfeild
1692	1 May	Robert	AINGER	
1694	8 Mar	Mary	ANGELL	of Watchfield
1694	12 Jul	Alice	ANGER	of this parish
1701	22 Jul	John	ANGER	of Watchfeild
1702	1 Jun	Anne	ANGER	w/o Robert, of Watchfield
1722	8 Nov	Anthony	ANGER	of Watchfield
1724	8 Sep	Anthony	ANGER	of Watchfield
1728	11 Aug	Robert	ANGER	of Watchfield
1737	24 Nov	Mary	ANGER	of this parish
1750	18 Jun	Elizabeth	ANGELL	of this parish
1750	1 Nov	Mary	ANGELL	widow of Watchfield
1754	29 Apr	Henry	ANGEL	
1757	24 Apr	Thos.	ANGEL	
1758	4 Sep	Sarah	ANGEL	of Bishopstone
1769	22 Feb	Anne	ANGER	
1769	30 Jun	Anthony	ANGEL	of Bourton
1769	14 Dec	Thos.	ANGER	
1771	5 Mar	Thos.	ANGER	of Watchfield
1771	4 Dec	Mary	ANGER	

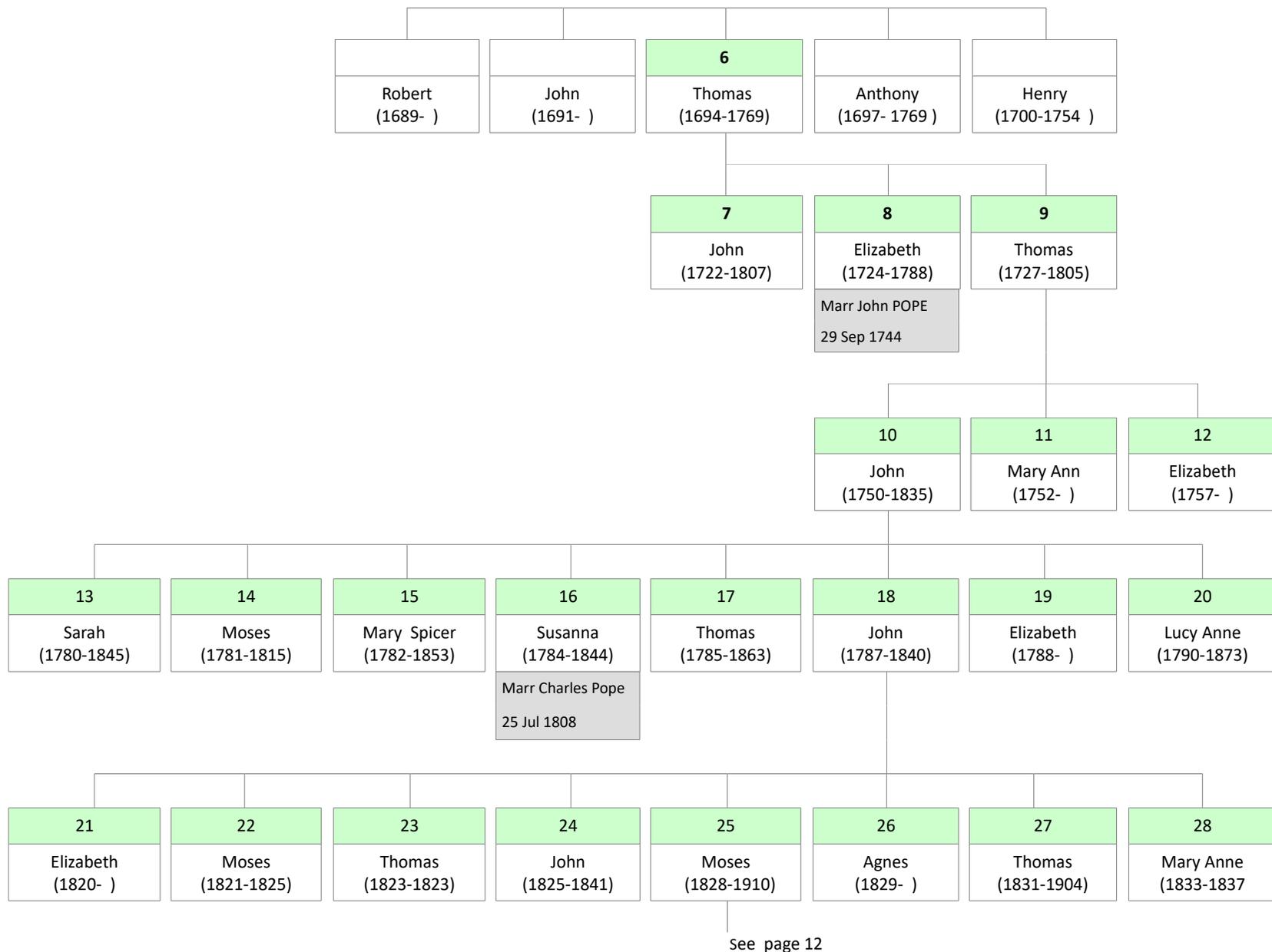
1777	28 Oct	Ann	ANGEL	
1786	18 Jun	Betty	ANGER	age 56 yrs
1797	29 Nov	Ady	ANGER	age 66 yrs, relation John Rowe, daughter, died of consumption
1804	12 Apr	John	ANGER	age 71 yrs
1807	15 Feb	Phillis	ANGER	age 75 yrs, relict of John
1807	5 Mar	John	ANGER	age 84 yrs

St. Mary's, Ashbury Parish Registers

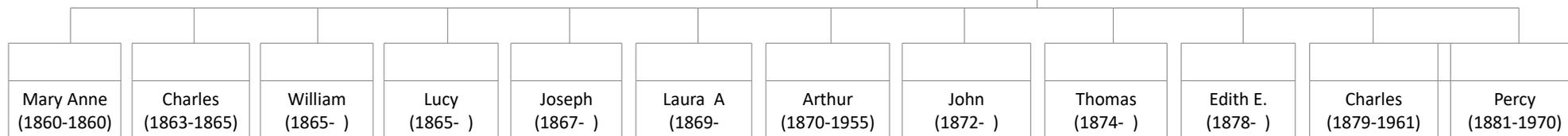
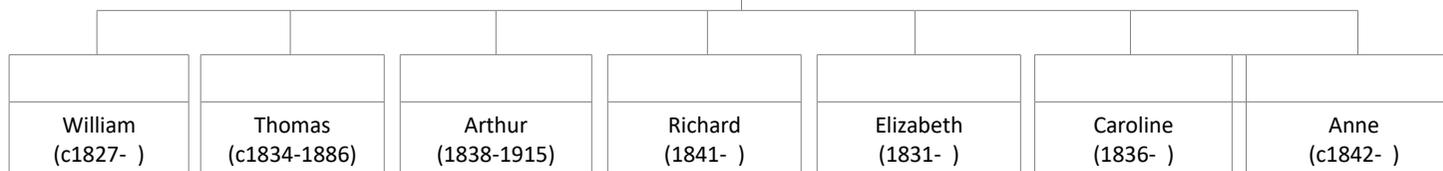
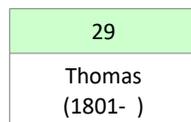
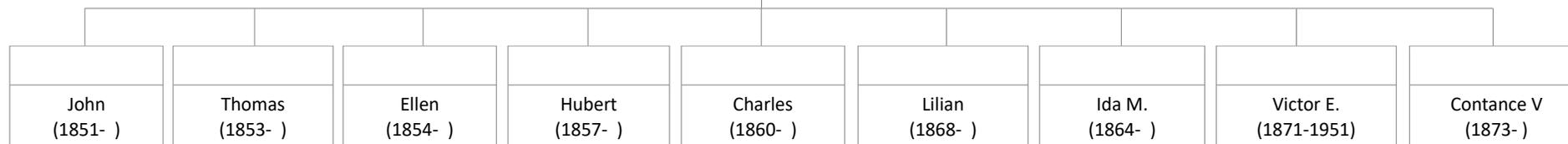
Baptisms				
Year	Date	Forename	Surname	Notes
1617	1 Feb	Jane	ANGER	
1623	25 May	Anne	ANGER	
1628	16 Mar	Elizabeth	ANGER	d/o William & Elizabeth
1659	18 Dec	William	ANGER	
1689	6 Jul	Jane	ANGER	d/o William & Ruth
1695	24 Apr	Mary	ANGER	d/o William & Ruth
1835	3 Dec	Mary Anne	ANGER	d/o John (a farmer) & Elizabeth

Burials				
Year	Date	Forname	Surname	Notes
1837	30 Apr	Mary Ann	ANGER	age 1 yr
1839	30 Nov	John	ANGER	age 53 yrs
1841	20 Jul	John	ANGER	age 16 yrs
1851	29 Mar	Elizabeth	ANGER	age 57 yrs
1856	19 Apr	Elizabeth	ANGER	age 3 mths
1862	13 Aug	Thomas	ANGER	age 77 yrs (died at Reading?)
1866	2 Apr	Thomas	ANGER	age 14 yrs
1876	26 Oct	Lilian Anne	ANGER	age 8 yrs



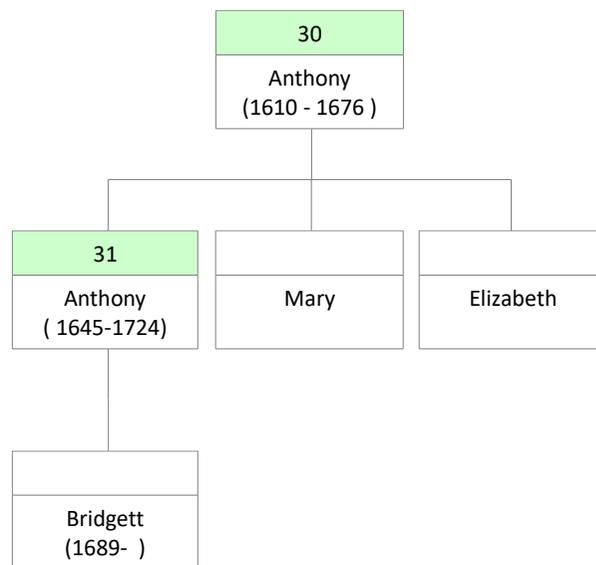


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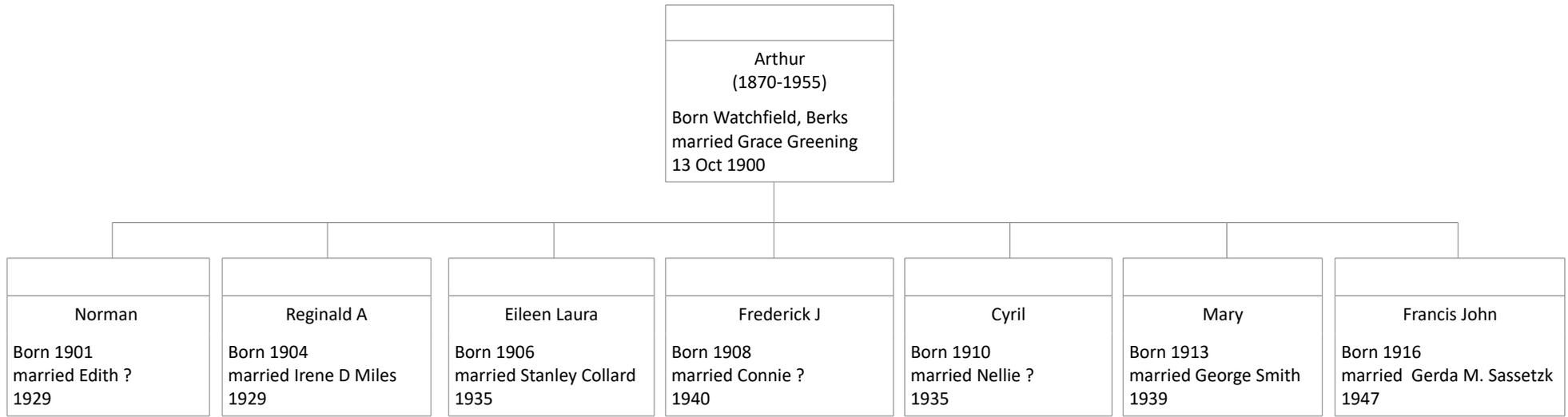


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With thanks to Maurice Anger for details of the Arthur Anger stem.



1. Thomas Anger

Thomas Anger of Watchfield, Berks, buried 7 Apr 1645 at St Andrew's, Shrivenham.

Last will and testament was attested 10 May 1644, witnesses were William Blagrove and Thomas Femer, jun.,
Proved 19 Mar 1647.

Executor was his son Thomas with the overseers being Robert Anger (brother) and Thomas Gearing (cousin).
Beneficiaries: Ann (wife), Thomas (son), Arthur (son), Anne Grenoway (dau), Richard Grenoway (grandchild), two daur's of Anthony, Chapel of Watchfield, parish Church of Shrivenham.

He married **Anne ?**

She, as widow, was buried 7 Sep 1651 at St Andrew's, Shrivenham.

Known children: Thomas (bap 1607 ??), Anthony, Robert, Thomas, Anne, Arthur.

2. Robert Anger

Robert Anger of Watchfield, Berks was baptised 6 Feb 1581/82 and buried at St Andrew's, Shrivenham 18 Aug 1655.
A Yeoman.

Son of Anthony Anger (1550-1609).

Last will and testament was attested 25 July 1655, witnesses were Thomas Blagden, Thomas Gearing, Anthony.
Anger. Proved 20 May 1656.

Executor was his son Henry with the overseers being Thomas Blagden and Anthony Anger.

Beneficiaries: poor people of Shrivenham, poor people of Watchfield, Margaret (wife), Robert (son), Anthony (son),
John (youngest son), Margaret (dau), Katherine (dau and wife of Andrew Hathaware), Anne (dau, wife of Richard
Deane), Anne Deane (granddau), Henry (eldest son).

He married **Margaret Hughes?**

A widow of Watchfield, she was buried at St Andrew's, Shrivenham 29 Apr 1658.

Known children: Henry, Margaret, Robert, Katharine, Anne, William, Anthony, John and Margaret.

3. Henry Anger

Henry Anger of Watchfield was baptised 4 Dec 1615 at St Andrew's, Shrivenham and buried 1682.
A Yeoman.

Last will and testament was attested 20 Mar 1681/2, witnesses were Tho. Perry John Stibbs and Mathei Neale.
Executrix was his wife Marrian with the overseers being his friends Isaac Young the elder and John Colins, both of
Watchfield.

Beneficiaries: Marrian Anger (wife), John Anger (brother), Henry Anger (son of John Anger), Robert Anger (son of
John Anger), Elizabeth Huse (wife of William), Mary Anger (sister of Elizabeth), Anne Deane (sister), Richard Deane
(son of Anne), Mary Anne and Elizabeth Deane (daur's of Anne), Robert, William, John the younger, Sarah and
Elizabeth Anger (sons and daughters of John, his brother), John Young (son of Samuel Young of Westmill), Anthony
Anger the smyth (kinsman).

He married **Marrian Stewart** of Coleshill, Berks 11 May 1657.

She was of Watchfield and buried 22 Feb 1688 at St Andrew's, Shrivenham.

Daughter of Edmund Stewart.

4. John Anger

John Anger of Watchfield was baptised 27 Jun 1635 and buried 22 Jul 1701, at St Andrew's, Shrivenham.
A Yeoman.

Last will and testament was attested 12 Jan 1698, witnesses were John Day and Thomas Cartwright.

Sole Executor: William (son)

Beneficiaries: William (son), Sarah (dau), Elizabeth (dau), Elizabeth (granddau), Robert (son), John (son)

Married **Elizabeth Younge** on 7 Nov 1659, at St Andrew's, Shrivenham.

She was buried 27 Apr 1681 at St. Mary's, Ashbury, Berks.

Known children: Robert, William , Henry, John, Sarah and Elizabeth.

5. Robert Anger

Robert Anger was baptised 28 Jul 1660 and baptised 6 Sep 1660 and buried 11 Aug 1728 at St Andrew's, Shrivenham.

Of Watchfield.

Married possibly married **Anne Butt** in Highworth on 25 Nov 1688 (Robert as recorded as Angel).

She was buried 1 Jun 1702 at St Andrew's, Shrivenham.

Known children: John, Robert, Thomas, Anthony and Henry.

6. Thomas Anger

Thomas Anger was baptised 8 Apr 1694 and buried 14 Sep 1769 at St Andrew's, Shrivenham.

Of Watchfield and possibly yeoman of Bishopstone.

I am not sure what copyhold lands he held in Bishopstone.

Married **Sarah Farre** 1 Jun 1721 at St Andrew's, Shrivenham.

She was baptised 14 Aug 1696 and buried 14 Sep 1758 at at St Andrew's, Shrivenham.

Parents were Henry and Elizabeth Farre of Beckett, in the parish of Shrivenham

Died Intestate

Administration Bond dated 16 Apr 1765

Present at signing: Thomas Anger the elder, lawful Husband of Bishopstone, Yeoman; John Eyles of Wanbrough, Gentleman; Henry Percy of Bishopstone.

Known children: John, Elizabeth and Thomas.

7. John Anger

John Anger was baptised 7 Oct 1722 and buried 5 Mar 1807, aged 84 yrs, at St Andrew's, Shrivenham.
Yeoman.

Entry from the Bishopstone Survey of 1758 and 1778,

 2 August 1745 - Thos. Anger, holds by Copy 4 Yard Lands, Aged about 16 and in reversion to John his brother, aged 22 and Eliz: Pope his sister aged 21.

 2 Aug 1745 Tho. Taylor & Penelope his Wife Surrender the lives of said piece and Wm Restal & Tho. Anger

takes for his own Jno. his Brother & Eliz. Pope his sister.

Married Betty Stone 30 Oct 1748 at St. Mary's, Bishopstone, Wilts..
Bondsman was Thomas Jacobs, Labourer of Rodbourne Cheney, Wilts.
She was buried 18 Jun 1786, aged 56 yrs, at St Andrew's, Shrivenham.

8. Elizabeth Anger

Elizabeth Anger was baptised 12 Dec 1724 at St Andrew's, Shrivenham, and buried 22 Dec 1788 at St Mary the Virgin, Bishopstone.

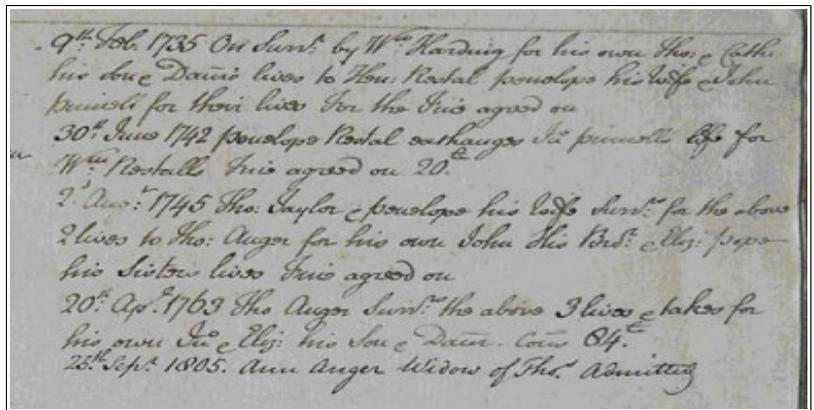
Parents: Thomas and Sarah Anger (neè Farre).



According to the Parish Records Elizabeth Angel married John Pope on 29 Sep 1744, St Swithun's Little Hinton, by Licence.

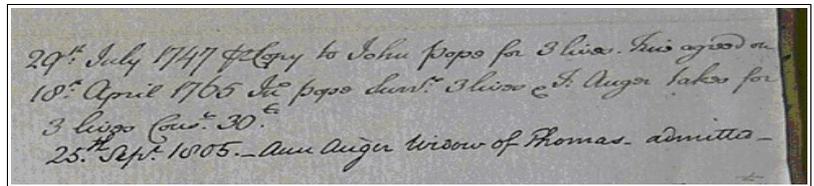
Witness Noah Wilson of Bishopstone.

The surname entry in the Parish Register was incorrect, it should have read Elizabeth Anger - it was common for Angel and Anger surname - to be intertwined.



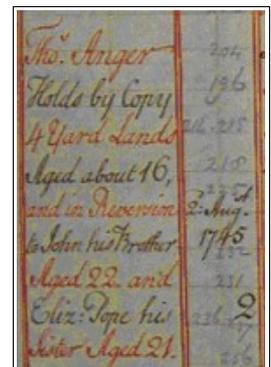
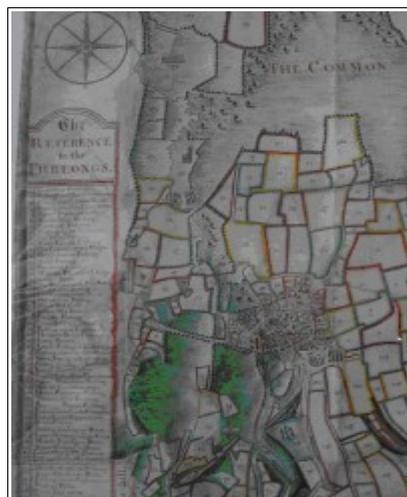
John was born 7 Jan 1699/00 and baptised 12 Jan 1699/00, St Swithun's, Little Hinton, Wilts and buried 27 Mar 1770 at St Swithun's, Little Hinton.

With reference to the Bishopstone Survey and Rental of 1778, No.3., it records that on 2 August 1745 Elizabeth Pope (nee Anger) was Thomas Anger's sister and through marriage Thomas Anger was eventually entitled to a number of Pope copyholds that later became amalgamated into Forty Farm.



Two extracts from the 1778 survey.

Henry Fox, by Leasehold, was Lord of the Manor of Bishopstone. When Henry Fox acquired the lease in 1758 he had a colourful map [small segment on the right] and detailed survey made. Five years later he was to become Lord Holland, Baron of Foxley.



It showed that John Pope had many copyholds (yardlands/closes), presumably most of which were inherited from his father but appear to been surrendered or sold by the end of the 19th century.

Bishopstone 1793 Poor Rate £3 3s 9d, the Tithes of Pope and Baker 18s 7½d and with Daniel Browning 14s 4½d and 1793 Land Tax £6 3s 0d and with William Spicer £2 14s 5d.

From the Little Hinton "Apportionment of Rent Charge in lieu of Tithes" dated 1840 John Pope had at least four yardlands: Pope's Upper Marsh, Pope's Lower Marsh, Pope's Long Ground and Pope's Close.

The landlord of these lands by 1840 was Thomas Anger.

Again on referring to the Bishopstone Survey and Rental of 1758, it states Elizabeth Pope was 21 years of age and the sister of Thomas Anger aged 16 yrs and John aged 22 yrs, dated as at 2 August 1745.

They had 8 Children: Mary, John, William, John, Mary, Sarah, Elizabeth and Robert Pope.

9. Thomas Anger

Thomas Anger was baptised 14 May 1727 at St Andrew's, Shrivensham, died 2 Jul 1805 and was buried 5 Jul 1805, aged 78 yrs of Bishopstone, at St. Swithun's, Little Hinton.

Headstone exists as of 2015. Thomas Anger, died 2 Jul 1805, age 78 yrs.

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20 April 1763. The above The Estate was surrendered and a new one granted for the lives of Thos. Anger 32,

John Anger his Son 6, and Eliz. Anger his daughter aged 8 years.

One Close of pasture in Eastbrook called Hitchen Close cont half an Close part of two Yard Lands and four mefs's. & four Yard Lands with the Appurtenances lying in Eastbrook formerly in the tenure of Henry Phillips the

Elder & late of Tho Taylor Clerk in right of Penelope his wife (formerly Penelope

Restall) And also one Close of Meadow called Townsend Ground adjoining to Sharplands heretofore in the tenure of Sus. Hull Widow and late of the sd. Tho Taylor.

2 Aug 1745 Tho. Taylor & Penelope his wife surrenders for he above 2 lives to Tho Anger for his own John his Brother. And Eliza. Pope his sisters lives Fine agreed on.

20 Apr 1763 Tho Anger surrenders the above 3 lives and takes for his own Jno & Eliz. his son & daughter. Cons £84.

25 Sept 1805 Ann Anger Widow admitted.

29 Jul 1747 PCopy to John Pope for 3 lives. This agreed on.

18 April 1785 Jno Pope surrenders 3 lives and J Anger takes for 3 lives cons. 30 G.

25 Sept 1805 Ann Anger Widow of Thomas admitted.

One Mefsuage and three Yard Lands within the Apports in Westbrook formerly Townsends afterwards Hulls and late Parrs .

12 Jan 1741 Geo Townsend surrenders. his possession for life and Margaret. Porter (formerly Hull) her Re[?] for her life and Jno Farr an takes for his own Lawrence his brother and Tho. Anger lives Cons 120 G."

23 Sept 1778 Tho. Anger surrenders. his own life and with Jno his son as joint purchasers take for their own lives and Jno Kent son of Jno Kent of Bourton.

25 Sept 1805 Ann Anger, widow of Thos. Admitted."

2 May 1769 Edmd. Norris surrenders. his own life aged 67 yrs and Tho. Anger takes for 3 lives Cons, 240 G.

29 Apr 1770 Thos. Anger Junr these premises to the use of John Anger his son.

Thos. Widow therefore not entitled to her widowhood as in the forgoing Estate.



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Bishopstone Poor Rate and Land Tax 1793, "Thomas Anger 6s 3d, and for Sybella Taylors 8s 9d."

Died Intestate.

Administration Bond dated 21 Jun 1806. Administratrix Anne relict of Thomas.

Commission executed at Newbury, Berks on 21 Jun 1806.

Beneficiary was his wife Ann.

Present at signing: Ann Anger (widow, Relict of Speen, Berks), William Gooden (Corn Chandler, of Speenhamland, Berks), John Goatley (Breeches Maker, of Speenhamland, Berks).

Married **Anne Gooding** on 1 Jul 1753 at Sunningwell, Berks.

She was baptised about 1735 and was buried 27 Dec 1820, age 85 yrs at St. Mary's, Speenhamland, Berks.

Bishopstone Enclosure Awards of 1813, Ann Anger recorded.

Last will and testament was attested 3 April 1816, Codcil of 1 Mar 1819, widow of Speenhamland in the Parish of Speen, Berks but removing to the village of Preston near Aldbourne in the County of Wilts

Testament witnesses were Benjamin Hawkins, Ann Hawkins and Benjamin Hawkins jnr.

Codicil Sealed and Published in presence (witnesses) of Ann Gooden and Benjamin Hawkins.

Joint Executors: John (son), William Hillier (son in law).

Proved at London 7 Feb 1821.

Beneficiaries: Grandchildren, sons and daughters of John Anger of Little Hinton, farmer (son) named as Sarah, Mary, Thomas, John, Elizabeth, Susannah and Lucy, Sarah (granddau), James Hillier (grandson) and Sarah Hillier (granddau) the son and dau of William Hiller of Foald Farm near Aldbourn, Elizabeth (wife of John, son), Martha Hillier (wife of William), Ann Gooden of Speenhamland (sister in law), Sarah Gooden of Speenhamland (niece)

Known children Elizabeth, John and Mary Anne.

10. John Anger

John Anger was baptised 26 Jun 1750, died 15 Oct 1835 at Little Hinton and buried 19 Oct 1835, age 79 yrs at St. Mary the Virgin, Bishopstone.

Some part entries from the Bishopstone Survey of 1758:

2 August 1745 - Thos. Anger, holds by Copy 4 Yard Lands, Aged about 16 and in reversion to John his brother, aged 22 and Eliz: Pope his sister aged 21.

20 April 1763. The above estate was surrendered and a new one granted for the lives of Thos. Anger 32, John Anger his son 6, and Eliz. Anger his daughter aged 8 years

Wanborough 1832 Voters List John is entitled to vote as he holds freehold land in this parish, Thomas Anger, his son as tenant.

Last Will and Testament of 16 Dec 1833, Codicil of 14 Feb 1834, Gentleman of Little Hinton.

Signed Sealed and Published in presence (witnesses) of John Spicer (Bishopstone), Thomas Collins (Ashbury, Berks), James Haines solr (Faringdon, Berks).

Codicil Sealed and Published in presence (witnesses) of John Spicer (Bishopstone), Thomas Collins (Ashbury, Berks), James Haines solr (Faringdon, Berks).

Sole Executor was John Anger and the Will was proved 18 Apr 1837.

Beneficiaries were Thomas (son), John (son), Elizabeth (dau and wife of John (Thomas?) Minty), Sarah (dau and wife of John Milsam), Susannah Pope (dau and widow) Mary Belcher (dau), Lucy Litton (dau).

Others mentioned were William Smith, John Smith (son of William), Robert Smith.

Estate mentioned in Will: Freehold closes in the Parish of Wanborough, Copyhold meadow or pasture ground being by the Brook, Bishopstone.

Married **Elizabeth Spicer** on 10 Jan 1779 at St. Mary the Virgin, Bishopstone.

She was of Little Hinton when buried 28 Aug 1824, age 72 yrs., at St. Mary the Virgin, Bishopstone.

Double headstone still existed as of 2015. John Anger, died 15 Oct 1835, age 79 yrs and Elizabeth, d 2? Aug 1824, age 72 yrs.

Known children: Sarah, Moses, Mary Spicer, Thomas, John, Elizabeth, Susannah and Lucy.

11. Mary Anger

Mary Anger was baptised 19 Jan 1752 at St. Mary the Virgin, Bishopstone.

Presumably deceased by 1816 as not a beneficiary to her grandmother's will.

12. Elizabeth Anger

Elizabeth Anger was baptised 3 Aug 1755 at St. Mary the Virgin, Bishopstone.

Some part entries from the Bishopstone Survey of 1758:

2 August 1745 - Thos. Anger, holds by Copy 4 Yard Lands, Aged about 16 and in reversion to John his brother, aged 22 and Eliz: Pope his sister aged 21.

20 April 1763. The above estate was surrendered and a new one granted for the lives of Thos. Anger 32, John Anger his son 6, and Eliz. Anger his daughter aged 8 years

Presumably deceased by 1816 as not a beneficiary to her grandmother's will.

13. Sarah Anger

Sarah Anger was baptised 29 Jan 1780 at St. Swithun's, Little Hinton and buried 7 Apr 1845, aged 65 yrs at St. Denys, Stanford in the Vale, Berks. Resident of Goosey.

Married **John Milsam** (or Milsum) on 5 May 1814 at St. Swithun's, Little Hinton. Witnesses were Mary Anger, M. George and John Anger.

John Milsam was of West Challow, Berks.

14. Moses Anger

Moses Anger was baptised 17 Apr 1781 at St. Swithun's, Little Hinton and died 9 Jul 1815 and buried 14 Jul 1815, age 35 yrs, at St. Mary the Virgin, Bishopstone.
A yeoman of Bishopstone.

An entry from the Bishopstone Survey of 1778:

23 Sep 1783 Jno Mills Surrender his own life in the whole & takes the Cott & Garden for his own John & Wm his Sons and Jno Anger takes the Cow Commons for the lives of Jno Anger his Son & Moses and Sarah his Son & Daur Cons. 5.15.6

Allot at Hinton Brook for the 2 Cow Commons granted to Thomas Anger 11 April 1833 for his life 48 Mary Anger 53 4 John Anger the father.

Headstone still existed as of 2015. Moses Anger died 9 Jul 1815 age 34 yrs.

Married **Mary Anne Tyrell** on 4 May 1809 at West Challow, Berks.

15. Mary Spicer Anger

Mary Spicer Anger was baptised 3 Jul 1782 at St. Swithun's, Little Hinton and buried 12 Oct 1853, age 71 yrs at St. Denys, Stanford in the Vale, Berks. Resident of Goosey.

1841 Census: Goosey, Stanford in the Vale.

1851 Census: Stanford in the Vale, Faringdon, Berks (widow and annuitant).

Married **Richard Belcher** of Goosey, Berks. on 23 May 1816 at St. Swithun's, Little Hinton. Witnesses were John Anger and another.

He died between 1841 and 1851.

Known children: Richard, Joseph, Thomas, Moses, Mary Spicer, Elizabeth and Edwin.

16. Susannah Anger

Susanna Anger was born 2 Jul and baptised 11 Aug 1784 at St. Swithun's, Little Hinton and died 20 Nov and buried 25 Nov 1844 at St Mary the Virgin, Bishopstone. Aged 60 years.

Census 1841: West Brook, Bishopstone (John Smith household).

Headstone still existed as of 2015. Susannah Pope died 20 Nov 1844 age 60 yrs, wife of Charles.

Married Charles Pope 25 Jul 1808 25 Jul 1808 at St. Swithun's, Little Hinton (By Licence). Bondsman Moses Anger, Yeoman of Bishopstone.



Charles was baptised 23 Apr 1786 in St Mary the Virgin, Bishopstone, Wilts. I am unable to trace his death but between 1820 and 1835.

13 Aug 1808 - Mr John Pope of Bishopstone gives Mr Charles Pope, Yeoman of Bishopstone six yardlands of arable meadow and pasture in Bishopstone with Twelve Horse Common and 180 Sloop Common (yardlands) and appurtenances for one year. Except dwelling house, two closes of ground called Stable Close and Broad Close and an acre of meadow ground at Blacklands now occupied by John Pope. Beneficiary of John Pope (father) Last Will and Testament dated 13 Jan 1809.

10 April 1820 - Deeds state that he would become the tenant, after his mother Mary's decease, of the copyhold, messuages, lands and premises in the manor of Bishopstone.

Half yardlands with appurtenances in Westbrook (John Pope from 1 April 1803), currently held for the lives of Abraham Edmonds, deceased, Abraham Edmonds the younger and Richard Hopkins Edmonds.

The "Apportionment of the rent-charge in the lieu of tithes in the Parish of Little Hinton", dated 21 Jan 1841. Mary Pope is the Landlord and John Norris the tenant. 4 fields called Cow Tail field, Lower Meadow, Further Doctors, Field and Hither Doctors Field.

Water Meadow and premises taken over by James William Puzey as tenant.

17. Thomas Anger

Thomas Anger was born 10 Sep and baptised 18 Nov 1785 at St. Swithun's, Little Hinton and died 9 Aug 1863, age 77 yrs and buried at St Mary the Virgin, Bishopstone.

Headstone exists 2015, Thomas Ager died 9 August 1863, age 77 years.

Wanborough 1832 Voters List John is entitled to vote as he holds freehold land in this parish, Thomas Anger, his son as tenant.

Little Hinton 1832 voters list.

1841 Census: East Hinton, Little Hinton.

1851 Census: Little Hinton, Hinton Parva (retired farmer, Thomas Anger household, no. 27).

1861 Census: 1, Ashley Terrace, St Lawrence, Reading, Berks (retired farmer).

4 Sep 1863 The Will of Thomas Anger formerly of Little Hinton in the County of Wilts but late of 1, Ashley Terrace, Reading, in the county of Berks Gentleman deceased who died 9 August 1863 at Reading aforesaid was proved at Oxford by the oaths of James Fereman of Watchfield in the said County of Berks Gentleman and Thomas Anger of Little Hinton aforesaid Gentleman the Nephews the Executors.

Effects under £14,000. Resworn at the Stamp Office January 1865 under £16,000.

NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS – ESTATE OF THOMAS ANGER, Deceased

ALL PERSONS having any DEMAND on the Estate of THOMAS ANGER, formerly of Little Hinton, in the county of Wilts, but late of 1, Ashley Terrace, Reading, in the county of Berks, gentleman, deceased, are desired forthwith to forward the particulars thereof either to Mr. Thomas Anger, of Little Hinton aforesaid, one of the Executors of the deceased, or to me; and all persons indebted to the estate are requested to make immediate payment to the said Thomas Anger, or myself, of the amount of such debts.

GEORGE J HAINES

Solicitor to the Executors

Faringdon, 5th November 1863.

Reading Mercury 7 November 1863

Married to Mary Anne Redford in 1851.

She was baptised 3 Sep 1804 at St Mary the Virgin, Bishopstone and died 1892 in Highworth District.

Parents: Richard and Ann Redford.

A footstone existed 2015, just M. A.

1841 Census: East Brook, Bishopstone (parents household).

1851 Census: Little Hinton, Hinton Parva (Dressmaker, Charlotte Pope household).

1861 Census: 1, Ashley Terrace, St Lawrence, Reading, Berks (retired farmer).

1871 Census: Southampton Street, St Giles, Reading.

1881 Census: Shrivenham, Berks (widow & annuitant, Susannah Sayer, sister, also recorded)

1891 Census: Forty, Bishopstone (widow, living on own means).

18. John Anger

John Anger was baptised 25 Apr 1787 at St. Swithun's, Little Hinton and died 25 Nov 1840, age 53 yrs and buried at St Mary the Virgin, Bishopstone.

Last Will and Testament of 18 Nov 1840, proved in London 2 April 1841

Yeoman of Ashbury, Berks.

Signed Sealed and Published in presence (witnesses) of James Haines, Solr of Faringdon and George Jas Haines, his clerk.

Beneficiaries were Elizabeth (wife), Moses (son), John (eldest son), Thomas (yeoman, brother of Little Hinton) [*obliterated in the 21 line of first sheet*], Elizabeth (w/o Thomas, brother of Little Hinton), Thomas (son), Elizabeth (dau), Agnes (dau).

Estate mentioned was copyhold land and premises situated in Bishopstone, Wilts, freehold lands in Wanborough (incl late Smiths), James Freeman the younger (of Great Coxwell, Berks), James Lawrence (yeoman of Idstone, Berks).

Codicil Sealed and Published in presence (witnesses) George Jas Haines and Randal Jos Cadel, clerks to Mr Haines, solr of Faringdon, dated 19 Nov 1840.

Beneficiaries: changed legacy to Elizabeth (dau), Agnes (dau).

Executors & Trustees of the will were Thomas (brother), James Freeman, James Lawrence.

Double headstone exists 2015. John Anger died 23 Nov 1840 age 53 yrs; Elizabeth died 26 Mar 1851, age 57, relict of John; Mary Ann born 14 Nov 1833 and died 17 Apr 1837, daughter of John and Elizabeth.

Married **Elizabeth Tyrell** on 21 Apr 1819 at Hanwell, Berks. (see also no. 14 Moses Anger). She died 26 Mar 1851 age 57 and buried at St Mary the Virgin, Bishopstone.

1841 Census: Ashbury, Faringdon, Berks.

Known children were Elizabeth, Moses, Thomas, John, Moses, Agnes, Thomas and Mary Ann.

19. Elizabeth Anger

Elizabeth Anger was baptised 27 Oct 1788 at St. Swithun's, Little Hinton.

Married John Minty before 1833.

20. Lucy Anne Anger

Lucy Anne Anger was baptised 1 Apr 1790 at St. Swithun's, Little Hinton, died 15 Mar and was buried 21 Mar 1873 at St. Mary, Greenham, Berks.

1841 Census: Enbourne Farm, Enborne, Berks.

1851 Census: Little Hinton, Hinton Parva (Thomas Anger household, no. 27)

1861 Census: Enborne Farm House, Enborne Skinners Green, Enborne.

1871 Census: Brickstone Farm, Faringdon, Berks.

12 May 1873 the Will of Lucy Ann Litten at of Faringdon in the County of Berks. widow who died 15 Mar 1873 at Faringdon was proved OXFORD by Thomas Litten of Sandleford near Newbury in the said county Gentleman and Joihn Little of Sandleford farmer the Sons the Executors. Effects under £600.

Married **Thomas Litten** of Broad Blunsdon on 14 May 1812 at St. Swithun's, Little Hinton.

Witnesses were Elizabeth Tyrell (see also nos. 14 & 18) and Moses Anger.

He was baptised 12 Jan 1792 at South Marston, Wilts. And was buried 29 Dec 1866 at St. Mary, Greenham, Berks. Parents were Thomas and Ann Litten.

1841 Census: Enbourne Farm, Enborne, Berks.

1851 Census: Little Hinton, Hinton Parva (Farmer, Thomas Anger household, no. 27).

1861 Census: Enborne Farm House, Enborne Skinners Green, Enborne (Farmer Of 291 Acres Employing 6 Men 3 Boys).

Known children: Elizabeth, Mary, Thomas, John, Moses, Lucy, Sarah and Alfred Litten.

21. Elizabeth Anger

Elizabeth Anger was baptised 9 May 1820 at St Mary the Virgin, Bishopstone.

1841 Census: Ashbury, Faringdon, Berks.

22. Moses Anger

Moses Anger was born 27 Feb and baptised 27 Nov 1821 at St Mary the Virgin, Bishopstone. He died 17 Jul and was buried 20 Jul 1825, age 3 yrs at St Mary the Virgin, Bishopstone.

Headstone exists 2015: Moses born 27 Feb 1821 died 17 Jul 1825, Thomas, born 26 Feb 1823 died 14 Sep 1823, two children of John and Elizabeth Anger.

23. Thomas Anger

Thomas Anger was born 26 Feb and baptised 3 Apr 1823 at St Mary the Virgin, Bishopstone. He died 14 Sep and was buried 17 Sep 1823, age 7 mths. at St Mary the Virgin, Bishopstone.

Headstone exists 2015: Moses born 27 Feb 1821 died 17 Jul 1825, Thomas, born 26 Feb 1823 died 14 Sep 1823, two children of John and Elizabeth Anger.

24. John Anger

John Anger was baptised 10 Feb 1825, died 13 Jul 1841 and buried at St Mary the Virgin, Bishopstone.

1841 Census: Ashbury, Faringdon, Berks.

Headstone exists 2015: John Anger died 13 Jul 1841, age 16 yrs.

FATAL ACCIDENT – We are sorry to have to report an accident from firearms, which caused the death of Mr. John Anger, who met with his death under the following distressing circumstances:- It appears from the evidence taken on the inquest before Francis Crowdy Esq. , coroner, which was held at Odstone, near Ashbury, in this county, that the deceased had been out rabbit shooting with Mr. Humfrey jun., of Odstone Farm, and that he had been found in a dying state at a little distance from Mr. Humfrey, and that the cause appeared to be a severe wound in the chest occasioned by the accidental discharge of his own gun. The deceased only lived about an hour. It seemed from the evidence that the deceased had been leaning on the muzzle of his loaded gun, watching the rabbits, and the explosion must have been occasioned accidentally from a twig touching the trigger. He was only 17 years of age. Verdict accordingly.

Berkshire Chronicle 14 August 1841

25. Moses Anger

Moses Anger was baptised 31 Jan 1828 at St Mary the Virgin, Bishopstone and died 11 May 1910 at Wallingford.

1841 Census: High Street, Marlborough St Peter, Wilts.

1851 Census: Ashbury, Faringdon, Berks (Farmer of 611 acres, emp 12m 4b 12w).

1861 Census: Ashbury, Faringdon (Farmer of 611 acres, emp 10m 6b).

1871 Census: The Manor House, Ashbury.

1881 Census: Grove House, Bourton, Faringdon, Berks (Farmer of 147ac emp 3m).

1891 Census: The Filberts, Aston Street, Aston Tirrold, Wallingford, Berks (living on his own means).

1901 Census: The Filberts, Aston Street, Aston Tirrold, Wallingford, Berks (retired farmer).

Mr Moses Anger, of the Filberts, Aston Tirrold, near Wallingford, whose death took place on the 11th day of May, has left property totalling to the gross sum of £21,310, including net personalty of £20,043. Probate of his will, with a codicil attached (extracted by Messrs Bradford and Co., Solicitors, Swindon), has been granted to Mr John Alfred Parker, of 10 Springfield Road, West Hill, Portishead, accountant, the sole executor.

Western Daily Press 6 July 1910

Married Ellen Humpfrey in 1850 at Odstone, Ashbury, Berks.

Born Ashbury in 1828 and died at Wallingford in 1910.

1851 Census: Ashbury, Faringdon, Berks (Farmers wife).

1861 Census: Ashbury, Faringdon, Berks (Farmers wife).

1871 Census: The Manor House, Ashbury.

1881 Census: Grove House, Bourton, Faringdon, Berks.

1891 Census: The Filberts, Aston Street, Aston Tirrold, Wallingford, Berks.

1901 Census: The Filberts, Aston Street, Aston Tirrold, Wallingford, Berks.

SUDDEN DEATH :- Mr. Bromley Challenger, junr. Held an inquest at Aston Tirrold on Monday evening on the body of Ellen Anger, aged 82 years, the widow of Moses Anger, a gentleman of the village. Deceased, who resided with her daughter, had not been attended by a medical man for years. She was not well on Thursday, and on Saturday complained of pains in her chest, but it was thought to be only a bilious attack and no doctor was sent for. On Saturday morning her daughter gave her a brandy and soda, which appeared to relieve her, and she went to sleep. About 11 o'clock the daughter visited the room and found deceased dead. Mr W. R. Langmore, surgeon, of Aston, who was called in attributed death to cardiac due to the exertion of vomiting, and the jury returned a verdict accordingly.

Faringdon Advertiser and Vale of the White Horse Gazette 23 July 1910

Known children were John, Thomas, Hubert, Charles, Ellen, Ida M, Lilian, Victor Emanuel and Constance V.

26. Agnes Anger

Agnes Anger was baptised 5 Feb 1829 at St Mary the Virgin, Bishopstone.

Married either James Ferris James Ferreman Lonsley Asher or Robert Warner in Faringdon District 1840.

27. Thomas Anger

Thomas Anger was baptised 13 Oct 1831 at St Mary the Virgin, Bishopstone, died 11 Jul 1904, age 72 yrs, and buried at St. Swithun's, Little Hinton

1841 Census: Ashbury, Faringdon, Berks.

1851 Census: Little Hinton, Hinton Parva, Wilts (Farmer of 260 acres emp 10 labs).

1861 Census: Farm House, East Hinton, Hinton Parva (Farmer of 416 acres emp 16 lab 6b).

1871 Census: East Hinton, Hinton Parva.

1881 Census: Church Farm, Little Hinton (Farmer of 510 acres emp 12m 5b).

1891 Census: East Hinton, Hinton Parva (Widower and Farmer).

1901 Census: East Hinton, Little Hinton (Widower and Farmer).

Headstone with double kerb; Thomas Anger died 11 Jul 1904, aged 72 yrs, Mary Spicer died 23 Feb 1887, aged 65 yrs wife of Thomas.

Will of Thomas Anger of Little Hinton gentleman died 11 July 1904 Probate SALISBURY 1 September to James Lawrence and Aaron Frogley farmers. Effects £14814 15s 5d.

Married **Mary Spicer Belcher** in 1870.

She was baptised 3 Jan 1822 at Stanford in the Vale parish, of Goosey. Berks and died 23 Feb 1887, age 65 yrs, of Little Hinton, and buried at Little Hinton Cemetery.

Parents were Richard and Mary Spicer Belcher.

1841 Census: Goosey, Stanford in the Vale, Berks.

1851 Census: Little Hinton, Hinton Parva, Wilts (in Thomas Anger household, a cousin).

1861 Census: Farm House, East Hinton, Hinton Parva (House Keeper).

1871 Census: East Hinton, Hinton Parva.

1881 Census: Church Farm, Little Hinton (Farmers wife).



28. Mary Ann Anger

Mary Ann Anger was baptised 14 Nov 1833, died 17 Apr and buried 20 Apr 1837, of Ashbury, at St Mary the Virgin, Bishopstone.

Double headstone exists 2015. John Anger died 23 Nov 1840 age 53 yrs; Elizabeth died 26 Mar 1851, age 57, relict of John; Mary Ann born 14 Nov 1833 and died 17 Apr 1837, daughter of John and Elizabeth.

29. Thomas Anger

Thomas Anger was born c1801, Berkshire

1841 Census: Watchfield, Shrivenham, Berks.

Married **Elizabeth Stevens**

1841 Census: Watchfield, Shrivenham, Berks.

1851 Census: Watchfield, Faringdon (widow, landed proprietor, in Richard Stevens household).

Known children were William, Thomas, Arthur, Richard, Elizabeth, Caroline and Anne.

30. Anthony Anger

Anthony Anger was baptised 28 Jan 1610 at St Thomas, Watchfield Chapel ?, in the Parish of Shrivenham, Berkshire. Buried 15 May 1676 at St. Andrew, Shrivenham (surname recorded as Ayngell).

Of Watchfield Mill at death.

Son of Thomas (1575-1645) and Ann Anger.

In the middle 17th century there was strong religious beliefs, and the Chapel Wardens were obliged to submit papers to their governing body, the Archdeaconry, which were known as Chapel Presentments. These Presentments formed part of the '*Visitation*' whereby part of the Archdeacon's duty was to visit persons and places with a view to maintaining faith and discipline.

From the Presentment from Watchfield Chapel in the Parish of Shrivenham, Anthony was a Chapel Warden, along with William Avenill and Thomas Joyner. Anthony Anger and Thomas Gerring.

From the Presentment from Watchfield Chapel, in 1675 Anthony was the only Chapel Warden, and he reports on 22 April; 'John Haynes and his wife Judith for not coming to Church and not receiving the Sacrement, and not baptising his child. Also Miss Rebecca Blagrove and (illegible) for not coming to Church.'

Last Will and Testament of 11 May 1676.

Blacksmith of Watchfield, Berks.

Signed Sealed and Published in presence (witnesses) of Ja. Blagrove and John Blagrove..

Beneficiaries: Anthony (son), Mary (dau), Thomas Jenner (neighbour), Thomas Stratton (neighbour).

Full and whole Executrix : Elizabeth (dau).

Overseers: Thomas Jenner and Tomas Stratton.

Inventory dated 23 May 1676 by Thos. Blagrove, Thomas Jenner and Edwd Fairthorne. Valued at £30 6s 4d.

Married Bridgett Gardian of Charnly, Berks on 11 May 1657 (does not tie up with son Anthony?).

Known Children: Anthony, Mary and Elizabeth.

31. Anthony Anger

Anthony Anger was baptised 15 Mar 1645? at St. Thomas, Watchfield Chapel ?, in the Parish of Shrivenham, Berkshire. Buried 8 Sep 1724 at St. Andrew, Shrivenham.

Son of Anthony (1610-1676) and ? Anger.

I assume that Anthony has taken over as Church/Chapel Warden role from his father.

In the middle 17th century there was strong religious beliefs, and the Chapel Wardens were obliged to submit papers to their governing body, the Archdeaconry, which were known as Chapel Presentments. These Presentments formed part of the '*Visitation*' whereby part of the Archdeacon's duty was to visit persons and places with a view to maintaining faith and discipline.

In 1700, Anthony Anger notes; 'John Haynes and his wife Judith for not coming to Divine Service for 6 months and John Haynes also for not paying his rate to our Chapel being one shilling.' Even after her husband's death, Judith Haynes continues to misbehave as Church Wardens, Henry Gearing and William Young report on 8 April, 1700; 'Judith Haynes, Widow, for not paying her Church tax.'

Last Will and Testament of 17 Aug 1721

Blacksmith of Watchfield, Berks.

Signed Sealed and Published in presence (witnesses) Joseph Killmister and Nathaniel Ebrals ?.

On 10 Aug 1723, Marrian renounces her right of Executrixship to Oliver Lockey

Beneficiaries: Three grandchildren John Oliver and Marrian Lockey with child of his daughter Bridget Lockey (w/o

Oliver), Luwey (sister) plus another sister (unclear).

Joint Executors : Marrian (wife), Oliver Lockey of Moor Mill in Parish of Uffington (son in law).

Married **Marrin Young** of Watchfield and at Watchfield 5 May 1687.

Known children: Bridgett.