

Marriage Certificate - Lavinia Jane Knee & Henry John Coombe 1876

(Page 87) Certificate of Registry of Marriage.

Pursuant to the Acts Anno Sexto et Septimo Gulielmi IV. Regis, Cap. lxxvii., et Anno Primo Victoriae Reginae, cap. xxiii.

18⁷⁶ MARRIAGE solemnized at the Congregational Church, in the District of Highworth, in the County of Wilts & Berks.

Victoria Street Swindon

No.	When Married	Name and Surname.	Age.	Condition.	Rank or Profession.	Residence at the time of Marriage.	Father's Name and Surname.	Rank or Profession of Father.
	Thirteenth	Henry John Coombe.	28. Years	Bachelor.	Painter	5. Cromwell Street New Swindon	Joseph Croombe (deceased)	Watch maker
173	April 1876.	Lavinia Jane Knee	26. Years	Spinster		21. Brunel Street New Swindon	Edward Noel	Baker

Married in the Congregational Church according to the Rites and Ceremonies of the Independents by Certificate by me, J. Sambert Minister.

This Marriage was solemnized between us, Henry John Coombe and Lavinia Jane Knee in the Presence of us, Albert Coombe, Mary Coombe, Edward Francis Avenell Registrar.

I hereby Certify the above to be a True Copy of the Marriage Register, Entry No. 173 extracted from the Marriage Register Book No. 4 for the District of Highworth Given under my Hand this Thirteenth day of April in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy six Edward Francis Avenell, Registrar.

By the Statute 6 & 7 Will. IV., c. 86, s. 35, it is enacted, "That every RECTOR, VICAR, or CURATE, and every REGISTRAR, REGISTERING OFFICER, and SECRETARY, who shall have the keeping for the time being of any REGISTER BOOK OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, or MARRIAGES, shall at all reasonable Times allow Searches to be made of any Register Book in his keeping, and shall give a COPY CERTIFIED under his Hand of any ENTRY or ENTRIES in the same, on payment of the Fee hereinafter mentioned, (that is to say,) for every Search extending over a period of not more than One Year the sum of One Shilling, and Sixpence additional for every additional Year, and the sum of Two Shillings and Sixpence for every single CERTIFICATE." (not including the Stamp, 23 Vic. c. 15.)

By the Statute 14 & 15 Vict. c. 99, sec. 14, "A Copy of any Book, which is of such a Public nature as to be admissible in evidence on its mere production from the proper custody, is made admissible in evidence in any Court of Justice, provided it purport to be Signed and Certified as a True Copy by the Officer in whose Custody the Original is intrusted." In re Hall's Estate, 23 L. J., ch. 177, and re Porter's Trusts, 25 L. J. ch. 88.

By the 23 Vict. c. 15, "The stamp (one penny) is to be obliterated by the person signing his name or initials thereon, together with the date of the day and year on which he shall write the same."