

*Wroughton in Elstub Hundred*  
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Elcombe manor in Wroughton and Uffcott tithing in Broad Hinton

Commissioners	John Redgold of Chilbolton, Hants., Richard Davis of Lewknor, Oxon., John Gale of Stert.
Surveyors	William Church and Edward Kelsey of Lewkor.
Rector	Ednund Ferrers (entitled to the great tithes on that part of the parish in Elstub).
Vicar	James Merrest or Merest.
Lessee	Of both rectory and vicarage, William Codrington.
Area	2.097 a. [2, 062 a.] Great and Little Upper Fields, Further and Hither Walley., Crow bridge, Cow Common, West Field, Prior's Hill, Lot Meadow, Marsh Common, Bodge Field, Market Hill, Brook Lains, Wanshot, Denby's Linches, Ladder Hill Field.

Allotments 37.

[There is no reference in the award to the Lord of the Manor, no allotment for rights of the soil, and although there are references to copy and leasehold tenure there is nothing in the award to say under whom they were held].

Rector of Wroughton (glebe and tithes)	578 a.	John Evans; lease	392 a.
Samuel Austin junior	69 a.	Elizabeth Franklin	18 a.
John Dore Bendry	41 a.	William Hill	25 a.
Mary Bendry	19 a.	Morris King	50 a.
Walter Brind	28 a.	John Martin	44 a.
Edward Brown	18 a.	Elizabeth Phelps	38 a.
Mary Buckland	25 a.	Jacob Picket (copy and free)	144 a.
Stephen Buckland; copy	64 a.	Richard Read	51 a.
James Buckner	23 a.	John Seymour	45 a.
William Codrington	26 a.	Mary Seymour	21 a.
Daniel Dick	39 a.	vicar of Wroughton	29 a.
John Duck	60 a.		

Other names mentioned in document.

Anne Picket, John Austin, Richard Austin, Samuel Austin senior, William Austin, John Bedford, George Carpenter, Merriam Cook, Joseph Matthews, John Mills, William Sadler, William Shortland, Edward Tarrant, Isaac White, surveyor of highways.

Fencing	By allottees including the rector.
Tithes	Extinguished by deduction from allotments, the rest chargeable and some tithable.
Roads	5 public roads, 3 public bridle ways and private roads, 6 private roads, 1 public bridle way, 3 public footpaths, 6 private footpaths.
Map	R. Davis of Lewknor 1795. Allotments numbered and allottees shown. Area shown: Wroughton excl. Overtown,
Finance	Elcombe and Westlecot. Village shown and some field names. Schedule with proprietor, freehold, copyhold, total and exchanges.
Notes	Trees planted near the roads not to be closer than 50 yards apart, Watercourse from Alexander's Hedge to Duck Pools and Westlecot to be kept scoured by neighbours allottees.