

“Javascript Endnotes” demonstration

“JavaScript Endnotes” allow the user to create an HTML document containing endnotes which are dynamically renumbered as new notes are added, in a similar manner to the <NOTE> tag supported in many WIKI applications. The document may be divided into as many sections as desired, each with its own independently-numbered set of notes. Notice that the present document contains two such sections.

This demo has intentionally been kept plain in order to show clearly how the notes will look in their default state. However, every detail of the display can be easily altered by anyone with a little knowledge of HTML. No knowledge of JavaScript is required. A selection of code from this demo is analysed in the [How they work](#) section of the instructions page.

The content from this demo is taken from my pages [The Baxter family](#) and [The Jarratt family](#). It is used here for purposes of illustration only.

Thomas Baxter, of Mansfield, Nottinghamshire, was b. 1784-85 (aged 56 in 1841, 66 in 1851) in Nottinghamshire, and was still alive in 1851. He m. by 1807, **Anne _____**, b. 1790-91 (aged 50 in 1841, 60 in 1851) in Nottinghamshire, still alive in 1851. They are enumerated with their sons John, William, and Samuel in the 1841 census of Mansfield, in which Thomas is called a wood sawyer.^[1]

			born in county?
Thomas Baxter	56	wood sawyer	y
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Ann Baxter	50	----	y
John	"	26 brush m [sic]	y
William	"	17 wood sawyer	y
Samuel	"	14 stone mason	y

They are enumerated with their son Samuel (and the latter's wife and child) in the 1851 census, in which he is called a labourer, and it is mentioned that he was deaf, and blind in one eye.^[2] We have not found either of them in the 1861 or 1871 censuses. Thomas Baxter and his wife baptized the following children in the parish church of Mansfield (per IGI unless otherwise stated; the record of the eldest children is probably not complete):

- i. Mary Baxter, bapt. 6 Nov. 1807, d. by 1817, when another daughter was given the same name.
- ii. Isaac Baxter, bapt. 5 Nov. 1811.^[3]
- iii. John Baxter, bapt. 24 May 1815, still living unmarried with his parents in 1841, when his occupation is given as “brush m_____” (*sic*).
- iv. Mary Baxter, bapt. 24 Aug. 1817. We presume her to have been the one of this name who m. 27 April 1835 in the Cathedral of SS Peter and Paul, Sheffield, following

publication of banns (neither the ages of the parties, nor their fathers' names, being stated in the record), [John Jarratt](#), of Brightside, Ecclesall Bierlow (a suburb of Sheffield), in the West Riding of Yorkshire, b. probably in 1813, between April and November, at Birmingham, co. Warwick (now in the modern county of West Midlands), d. 2 Nov. 1885, aged 72 years, at Buckenham Street, Brightside, Ecclesall Bierlow, of "senile decay [and] paralysis, 14 days,"^[4] and buried 5 Nov. following in St. Thomas Anglican churchyard, Brightside, Sheffield.^[5] At the time of their marriage they were evidently residing at Sheffield. Neither could write their name, and both made a mark in lieu of a signature in the register; the witnesses were George Smedley and Rebecca Smedley, who have not been further identified. This connection is at least chronologically likely, because the Mary Baxter who married John Jarratt was b. *ca.* 1817 (she was aged 35 in 1851, 43 in 1861, 63 in 1881, 73 in 1891, and 83 at her death and burial in 1900) at Mansfield, Nottinghamshire; this woman d. 20 Sept. 1900 at no. 4 Buckenham Street, East Brightside, of "senile decay,"^[6] and was buried 24 Sept. following in St. Thomas Anglican churchyard, Brightside, Sheffield.^[7] See JARRATT for further details.

- v. James Baxter, bapt. 25 April 1819, of whom no further record has been found.
- vi. Sarah Baxter, bapt. 27 June 1821, of whom no further record has been found.
- vii. Henry Baxter, bapt. 20 April 1823, of whom no further record has been found.
- viii. William Baxter, bapt. 9 June 1824, living with his parents in 1841, when he was a wood sawyer like his father.
- ix. Samuel Baxter, bapt. 20 Sept. 1826, living with his parents in 1841, when he was a stone mason (at the age of only 14!), and still living with them in 1851, when he was a labourer. He m. by 1851, Mary _____, b. 1823-24 (aged 27 in 1851) in Nottinghamshire. Only known child:
 - 1. Eliza Baxter, b. around Nov. 1850 (aged 4 months at the taking of the census on 30 March 1851) at Ald... (place-name illegible), Nottinghamshire.

NOTES

1. 1841 Census of England, Nottinghamshire, registration district: Mansfield, subdistrict: Mansfield, enumeration district 3, pp. 21-22; PRO HO107/859/2, folios 14v, 15r [Family History Library microfilm no. 438,905]). The entry reads:
2. 1851 Census of England, Nottinghamshire, registration district: Mansfield, subdistrict: Mansfield, enumeration district 1j, p. 27; PRO HO107, piece 2124, folio 212 [Family History Library microfilm no. 87,754].

Thomas Baxter*	head	66	labourer	Notts.: Mansfield
Ann Baxter	wife	60		Notts.: Mansfield
Samuel Baxter	son	24	labourer	Notts.: Mansfield
Mary Baxter	wife**	27		Notts.: Mansfield Woodham
Eliza Baxter	g.dau.	4mo.		Notts.: Ald... [illegible]

* deaf; blind [in] 1 eye

** This should evidently read "son's wife"

3. Mansfield parish register, Bishops's transcripts, 1761-1812 [Family History Library microfilm no. 503,790].
 4. Death certificate; registered at Sheffield in 4th quarter, 1885, vol. 9c, p. 279.
 5. National Burial Index.
 6. Death certificate.
 7. National Burial Index.
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John Jarratt, of Brightside, Ecclesall Bierlow (a suburb of Sheffield), in the West Riding of Yorkshire, b. probably in 1813, between April and November,^[1]

1. Aged 37 years at taking of census in March 1851; hence b. March 1813 - March 1814;
2. Aged 47 years at taking of census in April 1861; hence b. April 1813 - April 1814;
3. Aged 57 years at taking of census in April 1871; hence b. April 1813 - April 1814;
4. Aged 67 years at taking of census in April 1881; hence b. April 1813 - April 1814;
5. Aged 72 years at his death in Nov. 1885; hence b. Nov. 1812 - Nov. 1813.

at Birmingham, co. Warwick (now in the modern county of West Midlands), d. 2 Nov. 1885, aged 72 years, at Buckenham Street, Brightside, Ecclesall Bierlow, of "senile decay [and] paralysis, 14 days,"^[2] and buried 5 Nov. following in St. Thomas Anglican churchyard, Brightside, Sheffield.^[3] He m. 27 April 1835 in the Cathedral of SS Peter and Paul, Sheffield, following publication of banns (neither the ages of the parties, nor their fathers' names, being stated in the record), **Mary Baxter**, b. *ca.* 1817 (aged 35 in 1851, 43 in 1861, 63 in 1881, 73 in 1891, and 83 at her death and burial in 1900) at Mansfield, Nottinghamshire, d. 20 Sept. 1900 at no. 4 Buckenham Street, East Brightside, of "senile decay,"^[4] and buried 24 Sept. following in St. Thomas Anglican churchyard, Brightside, Sheffield.^[5] whom we presume to be identical with the [Mary Baxter](#) bapt. 24 Aug. 1817 in Mansfield parish church, daughter of Thomas and Anne (____) Baxter, of Mansfield. At the time of their marriage they were evidently resident in Sheffield, in the West Riding of Yorkshire. Neither could write their name, and both made a mark in lieu of a signature in the register; the witnesses were George Smedley and Rebecca Smedley, who have not been further identified. They were living at Hoyle Street, Sheffield, at the taking of the 1841 census, in which he is called a brickmaker.^[6] They were living at Railway Terrace, Sheffield, at the taking of the 1851 census, in which he is again called a brickmaker; at the time, his widowed mother, Mary Flemming, was living with them.^[7] They are found at Carlisle Street East, Railway Terrace, in the 1861 census of Brightside, Sheffield, in which he is called a brickmaker; living in his household at the time was a "relative," Ann Jarratt, aged 73 years.^[8] In 1868 "Mary Jarratt ... [of] 146 Grimesthorpe Road, Brightside Bierlow," witnessed (with a mark in lieu of a signature) the death of Mary (____) (Jarratt) Flemming, who died in her presence in her house. By 1870 they were living at no. 3 Ditchingham Street, Brightside, which is given as the address of their daughter Martha at her marriage in 1870, and where they appear in the 1871 census, which gives John's occupation as "brick manufacturer." At this time their married daughter Martha and the latter's husband were still living with them, as well as their unmarried daughter Elizabeth.^[9] They were enumerated at no. 4 Buckenham Street in the 1881 census, in which John is called a retired brick manufacturer; living with them was their granddaughter, Elizabeth Purcell

(daughter of their daughter Mary).^[10] At the time, their son James Jarratt was living at most two houses away, at no. 8 on the same street. John's death certificate calls him a "brick manufacturer" (although he was perhaps retired by then), and names the informant as "Benjamin Sockett, son-in-law, 24 Verdon Street, Brightside Bierlow." His widow, then described as "living on her own means," was still residing at no. 4 Buckenham Street, with her grandchildren Henry and Annie Blythe, children of her daughter Martha (Jarratt) Blythe, in 1891.^[11] At the time, John and Martha (Jarratt) Blythe were living at no. 8 on the same street.^[12] In the certificate of her death, which was reported by "Anne Sockett, daughter, present at death" she is called "Mary Jarratt, widow of John Jarratt, brick manufacturer."

NOTES

1. The various reports of John Jaratt's age we have found are consistent with one another, and taken together, imply a date of birth between April 1813 and Nov. 1813:
2. Death certificate; registered at Sheffield in 4th quarter, 1885, vol. 9c, p. 279.
3. National Burial Index.
4. Death certificate.
5. National Burial Index.
6. 1841 Census of England, Yorkshire, registration district: Sheffield, subdistrict: Sheffield North, enumeration district 18, p. 180 HO107/1335/8/, folio 35. The entry reads:

				born in county?
Garrtt* John	25[-29]	Brick Maker	Yes	
Garrtt Mary	20[-24]	----	Yes	
Garrtt James	4	----	Yes	
Garrtt William	2	----	Yes	

* sic

7. 1851 Census of Yorkshire, registration district: Sheffield, subdistrict: Brightside, enumeration district 14, p. 4; HO107/2342, folio 356 [FHL microfilm nos. 87598-87600]. The entry reads:

John Jarratt	head mar.	37	brickmaker	Warwick - Birmingham
Mary	" wife mar.	35		Notts. - Mansfield
James	" son ---	14		Yorkshire - Sheffield
William	" son ---	12	scholar	"
Ann	" dau. ---	9	scholar	"
Mary	" dau. ---	6	scholar	"
Martha E.	" dau. ---	1	----	"
Mary Flemming	mother widow	56	----	Lancashire - St. Ellens

8. 1861 Census of England, Yorkshire, registration district: Sheffield, subdistrict: Brightside, enumeration district 28, p. 11; RG9/3499, folio 68 [Family History Library microfilm number 543,142]. The entry reads:

John	Jarratt	head	mar.	47	brickmaker	Warwick – Birmingham
Mary	"	wife	mar.	43	----	Notts. – Mansfield
Ann	"	dau.	---	19	dressmaker	Yorks. – Sheffield
Mary	"	dau.	---	16	----	"
Martha Ellen	"	dau.	---	11	scholar	"
Elizabeth	"	dau.	---	4	----	"
Ann	"	relative widow	73	----		Derbyshire – Crich

9. 1871 census of England, Yorkshire, registration district: Sheffield, subdistrict: Brightside, enumeration district 30, p. 14; RG10/4694, folio 99 [Family History Library film no. 847,237]. This source erroneously calls Martha Ellen "Mary Ellen," but she is recognizable nonetheless. The entry reads:

John	Jarratt	head	mar.	57	brick	Warwick: Birmingham
					manufacturer	
Mary	"	wife	mar.	54	----	Notts.: Mansfield
Elizabeth	"	dau.	---	14	scholar	Yorks.: Sheffield
John	Blythe	son in law	mar.	23	forgeman	Yorks.: Low Moor
Mary Ellen	"	dau.	mar.	21	----	Yorks.: Sheffield

This extract was originally obtained for me by my friend George W. Glenn, a professional genealogist.

10. 1881 Census of England, Yorkshire, registration district: Sheffield, subdistrict: Brightside, enumeration district 35, p. 1; PRO RG11/4661, folio 94. In the LDS and Ancestry.com's transcriptions the name is misread as "Jarrerd."
11. 1891 Census of England, Yorkshire, Brightside Bierlow, parish of All Saints, Enumeration District 40, piece RG12/3833, folio 50, p. 11.
12. 1891 Census of England, Yorkshire, Brightside Bierlow, parish of All Saints, Enumeration District 40, piece RG12/3833, folio 50, p. 12.