

Family DS

The family of Samuel Jeffcote b 1793 in Nuneaton, and Frances, née Taylor.

This family started in the ‘Stockingford Circle’, as so many others in our collection here do. However, they migrated into Leicestershire, to the Hinckley area, just across the border. We have Samuel Jeffcutt (according to the 1851 census extract below) born in the 1790s, marrying Frances from Hinckley. He was an agricultural labourer, a common profession at that time.

1851 England Census for Samuel Jeffcott
Leicestershire > Hinckley > 2e

	Samuel do	Wife			Scholar	do	do
	Ann Gilbert	Wife		24	Seaman of Hoastings	do	Burkings
25 Castle Street	Samuel Jeffcott	Head	Mar	26	Agricultural Labourer	Warwickshire	Nuneaton
	Frances do	Wife	do	27	Working Mother	do	do
	Josiah do	Wife	do	14	do do do	do	do
	Eliza Bolsworth	Wife	do	6	Scholar	do	do
25 Castle Street	Frederick Bolsworth	Head	Mar	27	Working Mother	do	do
	Sam do	Wife	do	24	do do do	do	do
Total of Houses	I	U	B		Total of Persons	70	48

We can follow the trail of one of Samuel’s grandsons, with the rather feminine sounding name of Andrew Hyacinth Jeffcote, who became a bricklayer, as did Andrew’s son Ernest, who perhaps worked for his father. This 1901 census extract shows the family as it was then. Note the un-named, under one month old child who was later named Percy.

1901 England Census for Andrew Jeffcote
Leicestershire > Hinckley > District 06

				Prother do	Wife	M	23			do	do
				Alice do	Wife		2			do	do
116b	do	1		Andrew Jeffcote	Head	M	34	1	Bricklayer	Employer	do
				Mary Ann do	Wife	M	34				do
				Ernest do	Son	S	14	1	Bricklayer	Maker	do
				Mary do	Son		7				do
				Matth do	Son		5				do
				Matth do	Son		3				do
				Matth do	Son		under 1 year				do
				Matth Gilbert	Sister	S	21	1	Child & Pauper	Maker	do

Andrew Hyacinth died in 1935, leaving a sizeable (for the time) value of assets, with two of his sons, builders, named on the Administration documents. There were three generations of Andrew Jeffcotes.

JEFFCOTE Andrew Hyacinth of 94 Druid-street Hinckley
Leicestershire died 16 April 1935 Administration **Leicester** 15
June to Ernest Jeffcote and Bert Jeffcote builders.
Effects £24853 0s. 7d.

Here follows a perfect example of the 1939 Register that was created by the government to find out who was where, just at the beginning of WWII, who could fight, who were reserved occupations, who needed ration books, who were aliens, etc. Frustrating too as the redacted line hides a person’s identity, as they would be still alive when this copy was taken by us. After the war, this register was used by the newly created National Health Service to see who was eligible for health care, which is why women’s names are crossed out and their married names added. In this extract, we have the head of the household, Andrew, son of Andrew Hyacinth, and Andrew’s son Andrew, his wife Alicia, other children, a sister, dates of birth, professions, etc. ‘Unpaid domestic duties’ was an oft used phrase for the true head of the household! It would be good to add more people and stories of their lives, to this branch of the family.

The Jephcott Family – Chapter 6 – Family DS

1939 England and Wales Register for Andrew Jeffcote
Leicestershire > Hinckley UD > RFFQ

E.D. Letter Code R 97R Borough, U.D. or R.D. Hinckley Registration District and Sub-district 40 2/2

ADDRESS	SCHEDULE		SURNAME'S AND OTHER NAMES	O. V. S. P. or I.	M. or F.	BIRTH		S. M. W. or D.	PERSONAL OCCUPATION
	No	Sub. No.				Day	Year		
13 John St	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	3357	1	Jeffcote Andrew (J)		M	13.7.	03	H	Plumber.
		2	Alicia F.		F	25.1.	03	H	(Paris D.)
		3	Andrew (J)		M	16.8.	23	S	Teacher.
		4	John		M	22.5.	28	S	at school
		5	WARRNER Rita.		F	11.3.	32	S	" "
			* SHIPLEY		F	15.2.	37	S	" "

Handwritten notes in green: 7213 13 6751 19 2 58 CR 233 6D

This record is officially closed.

A copy of the six generation gedcom family tree that we have created. It is all we know at the moment.

