

A customary Assessment for the relief of the
 poor in the Township of Saultland: Year 1849.

Ayton Will ^{ms}	Willow-tree	/
Ayton Tho ^o	Rigg-head	/
Armistead M ^{rs}	Browside	/
d ^o	Butterfield-gaps	/
Banks John	Hill-top	/
Banks Chas ^r	Thrustle-nest	/
Barker Rob ^t		/
Bradley John	Eldroth	/
d ^o	Cate-briggs	/
Burton James		/
Biggerstaff Roger		/
Baynes Rich ^d		/
Cockshott Tho ^o		/
Clapham Tho ^o Sn ^r		/
Clapham Tho ^o Jn ^r		/
Clapham Hugh		/
Clapham Geo	Kuus	/
d ^o	Saultland.	/
Clapham Rich ^d		/
Carr Thomas		/
Coulthurst Jn ^r Esq ^r	Eldroth	/
d ^o	Liles's	/
Curate of Tofside		/
Catholic Chapel		/
Clapham Rev ^d Jn ^r	Feizon	/
d ^o	Routster	/
d ^o	Hobson-gill	/
d ^o	Bikes	/
Fawcett Marg ^r		/
Foster John Esq ^r	Armistead	/
d ^o	Linethwaite	/
d ^o	Blackwaite	/

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Fawcett Marg^t /

Foster John Esq^r Amistead

d^o Linethwaite /

d^o Blathwaite /

Farrer Oliver Es: High-grain
do. High-billes
do. Lanchaw

Geldard Mill^{us}

Howson Geo.

Howarth Hugh

Ingleby J. R. Esq^r

Ingleby M^r. Cha^r.

Jackson John Feizor

Jackson James

Jackson M^r. Alice

Jaques Rich^d.

Lupton James

Leech Chrs^t.

Maudsley Hen^r.

Nicholson John

Peark In^r. Esq^r

Parker John

Preston Tho^s. Esq^r Avel-hall

do. Riggs

Robinson Geo. Lawson

Slinger Francis

Stackhouse Rob^t.

Stackhouse Mill^{us}

Stackhouse Anth^r.

Somlinson M^r

Fowler Thomas

Vicar of Clapham

Maddington Rob^t. Es:

Moods Tho^s.

Milkinson Mill^{us}

Wilson Mary Dovenauter

The Account of John Shackleton
 Overseer of the Poor for the year 1819
 ending April 6th 1820

His receipts have been by ²⁸ Assessments	£ 351 16 9
By rents of Lands & Premises belonging to the township - - - - -	4 18 1
Total - - - - -	356 14 10

His disbursements have been including Law & other expences. 341 14 6	}	348 16 11 3/4
Balance due to the Overseer on settlement of last years Account. 7 2 5 3/4		7 17 10 1/4
Balance due to the Township - - -		7 17 10 1/4

Examined & approved by us.

Thos. Ingleby
 Robert. Barker

The Account of John Shackleton
 Constable for the year 1819 ending 6th Apr^l
 1820

Paid for the County Rates - - - - -	£ 74 1 8	
Rec ^d by Assessments - - - - -	70 10 6	
Balance due to the Town on Settlement of last years acc ^t }	}	73 18 7
3 8 1		3 1
Balance due to the Overseer - - -	3 1	

Examined and allowed by us

Thos. Ingleby
 Robert. Barker

1820

At a Meeting held this 22nd day of Sept^r at the Stocks
House in Lawkland of which due notice has been given
it is unanimously agreed that a Division of the Houses
and Lands of Feizor shall take place betwixt the town-
ships of Lawkland & Feizor if the said Township of
Stainforth should agree thereto & that the following
Persons be appointed a Committee to carry the same
into effect. John Shackleton. W^m Brown. Tho^s Ingleby.
W^m Stackhouse. Henry Maudslay. Rob^t Barker. and W^m Ayton

John Shackleton } Surveor of the Parr
and Constable

Tho^s Ingleby
Rob^t Stackhouse
Robert Barker
Thos Clapham

Copy

Proposals made this 24th day of March 1821
for letting the Offices of Overseer & Constable for
the Township of Lawkland for the term of
7 Years.

The undertaker to attend at a Meeting held
at the Stocks Houses in Lawkland on the last
Saturday in every Calendar Month and produce
the Overseers Accounts, he is to have 1s pence a Mile
for ordinary Journeys and to have his expences borne
when he shall have occasion to attend at the Sessions
or any extraordinary Journeys which he shall have
to go by order and with the consent of the Township
He shall also be returned as Assessor & Collector
of the Assessed Taxes and also Surveyor of the
High Ways within the said Township
John Shackleton of Lawkland agrees to do the
above Offices on the foregoing conditions for the
sum of fifteen guineas a year which a Meeting
of the said Township agrees to give.

Signed Tho. Ingleby

John Watkinson Junr

Robt. Barker

Rich. Clapham

Henry Mandsley

Robt. Stackhouse

Tho. Duckett

L. Clapham

John Shackleton do agree to the conditions
above written as witness my Hand.

John Shackleton

20th April 1821. At a meeting held this day to examine the state of the ^{new} cottage houses belonging to the Township.

Resolved that is the opinion of this meeting; the whole of the above mentioned Houses are in very bad repair.

Resolved that this meeting stand adjourned to Saturday the 26th day of May next and that Mr. Stackhouse be requested to produce a plan and specification of a range of new Houses proposed to be erected near the public Road and across the East-end of the Garden now belonging to the Township.

Resolved that such plan and specification shall be laid before the next meeting for the consideration of such parties as shall be then present.

Thos. Ingleby
W^m Syntony
Robert Barker
Rob^t Ingleby
Thos^t Carr
James Jackson
W^m Stackhouse
John Shackleton

A Copy of the Land-tax at
 4^s in the pound as originally laid.

Land-tax exonerated.

			£	s	d
6 1 ³ / ₄	Ayton Will ^{ms}	Willow-vice	1	1	4 4 ¹ / ₂
2 9	d.	Rigg-head	1	0	11 0
2 0 ³ / ₄	Banks Chrs ^s	Hill-top	1	0	0 3 ¹ / ₂
1 9	d.	Thornclere	1	0	7 0
6 3	Barker Rob ^s		1	1	5 0
5 3 ¹ / ₂	Biggerstaff Roger		1	1	1 2
3 1 ¹ / ₄	Bradley Eliz th		1	0	12 5
0 7 ¹ / ₄	Clapham Rev ^o jr ^o	Feizor	1	0	2 5
0 2 ¹ / ₄	d.	Routster	1	0	0 9
1 6 ¹ / ₄	d.	Hobson-gill	1	0	6 1
4 9 ¹ / ₄	d.	Birks	1	0	19 1
5 6 ¹ / ₄	Farrer Oliver Es ^r	High-grain	1	1	2 1
11 7 ³ / ₄	Farrer Tho ^s	Will-Birks	1	2	6 7
12 4 ¹ / ₂	Farrer Oliver Es ^r	Lambrow	1	2	9 6
1 11 ³ / ₄	Foster Rev ^o jr ^o		1	0	7 11
4 9 ³ / ₄	Fawcett Marg ^s		1	0	19 3
12 3 ³ / ₄	Foster John Esq ^r		1	2	9 3
1 11 ³ / ₄	Geldard Will ^{ms}		1	0	7 11
1 7 ³ / ₄	Halton Rev ^o jr ^o		1	0	6 7
2 11 ¹ / ₄	Houison Eliz th		1	0	11 9
1 14 6 ¹ / ₄	Ingleby J. A. Esq ^r		6	10	1 ¹ / ₄
5 0	Ingleby Tho ^s		1	1	0 0
2	Ingleby Cha ^s Esq ^r		1	0	0 0
2 9 ¹ / ₄	Jackson James		1	0	11 1
0 4	Jagues Trustees		1	0	2 9
2 2 ³ / ₄	Lupton Ja ^s		1	0	0 11
7 9	Maudsley Hen ^y		1	1	11 0
2 7 ¹ / ₂	Nicholson John		1	0	10 6
2 4 ¹ / ₂	Parker John		1	0	9 6
2 0 ³ / ₄	Preston Tho ^s Esq ^r		1	0	0 2 ¹ / ₂
7 9 9 ³ / ₄					29 19 1 ³ / ₄

2			29 19 1 ³ / ₄
7 9 9 ³ / ₄			18 9
4 8 4	Stackhouse Rob ^r		7 3
1 9 4	Stackhouse Mill ^{ms}		19 3
4 9 4	Slinger Fra ^s		1 2 2
5 6 2	Tythes The Township		3 9 7
17 4 2	Maskinson J ^r : Esq ^r		11 8
2 11	Milkinson Mill ^{ms}		1 6
4 1/2	Woods Thomas		3 5
10 4	Wilson Mary		<u>37 12 8³/₄</u>
9 8 2 ³ / ₄		Total	

Land-tax not exonerated.

6 9 2	Amistead Mary. Butterfield-gaps		1 7 2
5 1 8	d ^o . Brouside		1 0 5 ¹ / ₂
2 2 4	Baynes Rich ^d		8 9
1 1/2	Clapham Tho ^r J ^r		6
1 4 2	Carr Tho ^r		5 6
3 1	Cockshott M ^r J.		12 4
10 1 4	Coulhurst J ^r : Esq ^r Eldroth		2 0 5
3 4 8	d ^o . Gyles		13 5 ³ / ₄
1 4 2	Clapham Geo.		5 6
1 7	d ^o . Rimes		6 4
2 2 4	Clapham John		11
6 3 4	Clapham Tho ^r Trustees of Carr		2 3
9 3 4	Fisher Rob ^d R		3 3
1 4 0	Howarth Hugh		5 4 ¹ / ₂
2 10 2	Ingleby J ^r : Esq ^r		11 6
1 9 3 4	Leech Chis ^r		7 3
6 2	Peacock Saw ^o Trustees of		1 4 8
2 11 0	Robinson G ^r L:		11 8 ¹ / ₂
1 2 4	Stackhouse Anth ^s		4 9
2	Somlinson M ^r		8 4
4 7	Towler Tho ^r & John		18 4
			<u>11 18 5¹/₄</u>
2 19 7 4			<u>49 11 2</u>

This sum agrees with the Com^{rs} A/c.

12 7 1³/₄

26th May 1821. At a meeting held this day by adjournment to re-consider the propriety of erecting new Houses at Launkland.

Resolved that the whole of the old Houses shall be taken down and new ones erected on the site of the same according to the plans & Specification now produced.

Resolved that public notice shall be given without delay and the work shall be let upon the place on Saturday the 16th day of June next at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. The plans and specification shall remain with the Overseers.

Tho. Ingleby
John Watkinson
William Ayton
Mr Stackhouse
John Nicholson
Robt Stackhouse

16th June 1821 At a meeting held to let the rebuilding of Cottages; the lowest proposal for completing the same was made by Tho Barley at £200. which sum is considered an extravagant price.

Resolved that this meeting stand adjourned to Saturday the 30th inst.

Tho. Ingleby
Richd Clapham
Robert Barker
Mr Stackhouse

Population of the Township of Lawkland taken May 28th 1821

Males

Females

under 5	5 to 10	10 to 15	15 to 20	20 to 30	30 to 40	40 to 50	50 to 60	60 to 70	70 to 80	80 to 90	90 to 100	100 upwards	Total	under 5	5 to 10	10 to 15	15 to 20	20 to 30	30 to 40	40 to 50	50 to 60	60 to 70	70 to 80	80 to 90	90 to 100	100 upwards	Total
24	17	18	22	28	18	12	24	7	5	1	-	-	176	18	28	20	17	28	18	11	19	7	8	1	-	-	175

Total Number 351

Inhabited houses 69

Uninhabited Houses - 2

30th June 1821. At a meeting held by adjournment to let the building of cottages.

Resolved that John Shackleton be requested to employ some labourers to prepare the foundation according to the ground plan; to take off the thatch, slate and timber from the old buildings; and to get stones, corners, throughs, lime and sand in such quantities as may be considered sufficient for carrying the plans into effect as soon as may be convenient.

Resolved that this meeting stand adjourned to Saturday the 20th July next.

Thos. Ingleby
Henry Maudsley
Jos. Jackson
J. Shackleton

20th July 1821. At a meeting held by adjournment to complete the letting of works.

Resolved that Francis Nicholson is the contractor for the joiners and carpenters' work as specified under the heads of wood glass and paint and to furnish the masons with ladders &c for the sum of one hundred and twenty-eight pounds.

128. - Resolved that John Wilson & Henry Wilson are the contractors for the masons' work according to the specification (excepting rigging stones) for the sum of thirty-seven pounds.

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177 - Resolved that Thomas Slater is the contractor for the slaters and plasterers work according to the specification including the level.

ing of the floors and laying on the rigging
stones for the sum of twelve pounds.

It is reported to this meeting
that Rob^t. Stackhouse has paid the Sher^{iff}:
burne money 90^l into the hands of the
overseers; the same having been in his hands
from the 14th Feb^r. last to the 14th inst.

Resolved that the above mentioned
money shall be laid out in this work and
that the Overseers and Churchwardens from
time to time shall be subject to and pay an
annual interest for the same at the rate of
4¹/₂ per cent: which interest shall commence
from the 14th inst; and be applied in such
manner and as it has been heretofore.

Resolved that 70^l part of the
aforesaid sum of 90^l shall be now paid
to Fraⁿ: Nicholson on account of his contract
to purchase timber and that the remainder
20^l shall be made use of in paying for pre:
paring the foundation, taking off the thatch
and other work directed to be done at the
last meeting.

Resolved that this meeting stand
adjourned to Saturday the 29th September next.

Tho^s. Ingleby } Overseers
John Shackleton }
Jos^{ph}. Jackson Churchwarden
Rob^t. Stackhouse
John Watkinson Sr
W^m. Ayton

29th Sept. 1821 At a Meeting held by adjournment from the 28th July 1821, it is resolved that this Meeting be further adjourned to the 27th of October 1821.

Tho. Ingleby
John Shackleton
J^r. Jackson

27th October 1821. At a meeting held this day by adjournment to examine the state of the New poor Houses.

Resolved that the workmen employed shall be allowed the sum of Two guineas to be expended at the rearing.

Resolved that John Shackleton the Overseer be requested to borrow the sum of Fifty-pounds altogether or in smaller sums not less than Ten pounds each; for which 5 per cent interest shall be allowed.

Resolved that the above sum of Fifty-pounds shall be re-paid by annual Instalments of 10 £ each.

Jane Wife of John Shackleton offers to lend the Churchwardens & overseers of the Township the sum of Ten pounds, subject to the above proposal & agreeably to the same; which is this day accepted.

Resolved that this meeting stand ad-
journed to Saturday the 24th Novem^r next

Jas Jackson Churchwarden
John Shackleton - overseer

Tho. Ingleby

Wm Stackhouse

24th Novem^r: 1821. At a meeting held this day by
adjournment to see the state of work at the
new poor Houses and on other business.

It appears that the new Houses
are now erected and the workmen are covering
them with slate.

John Shackleton the overseer
reports that James Calverley of Feijor is as
willing to furnish the Township with the
sum of Forty pounds subject and under the
conditions entered at the last meeting.

Resolved that the above men-
tioned sum of Forty pounds shall be ac-
cepted and that James Calverley be desired
to pay the same into the Hands of the afoe-
said overseer on the first of January 1822
and to bear Interest from that time at the
Rate of 5 percent.

Resolved that this meeting be
adjourned to Saturday 29th Decem^r: next

Jas Jackson Churchwarden

John Shackleton } Overseers

Tho. Ingleby }
Robt Stackhouse }

Wm Hyrton

Wm Stackhouse

29th Dec: 1821

At a Meeting held this day by adjournment to see the state of the Work at the new Poor Houses & for other purposes relating thereto

It appears that the out Houses are erected & that the Poor Houses are covered with Slate & the flagging is in progress.

At this Meeting James Calverley brought the sum of forty Pounds for which the Church Warden & Overseers have given him a Note dated 1st Jan^y 1822 subject to the conditions resolved upon at the last Meeting

Resolved that this Meeting be adjourned to Saturday 26th Jan^y 1822

Thos. Angley } Overseer
John Shackleton }
Jas. Jackson Churchwarden
Robert Barker

26th January 1822. At a meeting held this day by adjournment to see the state of the poor Houses and for other purposes

It is reported that the Trustees for Dawson's Charity have paid into the hands of the Overseers the sum of £50, and that Mr. J. W. Watkinson has paid the sum of £30 into the Overseers' Hands, to be laid out in this work.

Resolved that the Churchwardens and Overseers for the time being shall pay Interest for the above written sums

at the rate of $4\frac{1}{2}$ per cent to be applied as heretofore - such Interest to be payable from the 21st Decem^r. 1821.

Resolved that this meeting stand adjourned to Saturday 30th March next.

Tho^s. Ingleby } Overseers
John Shackleton }
James Jackson — Churchwarden
Robert Barker —
W^m Stackhouse

30th March 1822. At a meeting held this day to see the state of work at the new poor-houses and on other business.

The plasterers work is nearly finished and it appears certain that the houses will be ready for occupation at May-day next.

It is reported to this meeting that James Colverley of Seizer has lent the Township the additional sum of £20 for which the churchwarden and overseers have given him a promissory note dated 26th Jan^y last; to bear interest and subject to the conditions entered on the 21st Novem^r.

Resolved that this meeting stand adjourned to the 27th April next!

James Jackson Churchwarden
Tho^s. Ingleby —
John Shackleton
Rich^d. Clapham —
W^m Stackhouse

27th April 1822 At a meeting held this day
to inspect the new poor Houses and on other
Business.

The workmanship at the new
Houses ^{is finished} and the contractors are now paid
off.

James Calverley of Tevior has re-
lent the Township of Lanckland the addi-
tional sum of Twenty-pounds and Mill-
Stackhouse of Gigglerwick has furnished
the Township with the sum of Twenty-pounds
to bear interest and subject to the condi-
tions entered on the 24th Novem^r last.

Resolved that Jane Mandaley
be appointed Housekeeper of the Work
house; and to have for her trouble 3^s per
week. That is, two shillings a week for her
child and one shilling a week for the Town-
ship's work.

Tho. Ingleby
Andrew Dawson
Robert Barker -
Robert Dawson
Matthew Jackson
W^m Burton
M^r Stackhouse

25th May 1822. At a Meeting held this Day, for inspecting the Overseers Accounts & on other Business relating to the Poor.

Resolved that the Coals for the use of the Poor house be let to lead & Roger Kidd hath agreed to lead the same at $1\frac{1}{4}$ ^d per load from this time to the 1st of April 1823. Roger Childs

Resolved that Stephen Nelson shall supply the Poor house with as much Milk as shall be required at the rate of $0\frac{1}{2}$ ^d per quart from this time to the 1st April 1823 & which the said Stephen Nelson doth agree to. Stephen Nelson

We the undersigned Inhabitants of the township of Lankland present at this Meeting do agree to the above resolutions

Thos. Ingley } Overseers
John Shackleton }
Geo Jackson Churchwarden
Robt Parker
Andrew Dawson
Jas Lupton

It was also agreed that Mr Robinson of Settle Surgeon shall attend & render medical assistance to all the paupers belonging to the said township and that he shall attend the Poor house once at least in every month

signed Geo Jackson in behalf of W. Robinson