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**WOMENSWOOLD** (or Wymynswold) is a small village and parish, three quarters of a mile to the north of the Dover road, 2½ miles south from Adisham station on the Canterbury and Dover line of the South Eastern and Chatham railway, 1½ miles north-east from Barham station on the Canterbury and Dover section of the same railway, 7 south-east from Canterbury, 10½ west from Deal, and 8½ north-west from Dover, in the Eastern division of the county, Wingham hundred and petty sessional division, lathe of St Augustine, Bridge union, Canterbury county court district, and in the rural deanery of East Bridge and archdeaconry of Canterbury. The parish church of St. Margaret is of flint and stone, chiefly in the Early English style, and has a tower containing one bell: there are several memorial windows, and ancient monuments of the Winchester, Nethersole and other families: the church was restored in 1870, and has 151 sittings. The register dates from the year 1574. The living is a vicarage, net income £178, including 2 acres of glebe and residence, in the gift of the Archbishop of Canterbury, and held since 1900 by the Rev. Gabriel Stokes B.A. of Pembroke College, Cambridge. Here is a Baptist chapel, erected in 1887. Basil Heneage Dixwell Dixwell-Oxenden esq. is lord of the manor. The principal landowners are Henry Western Plumtre esq. of Fredville, Nonington, Henry Fitzwalter Plumtre esq. of Goodnestone Park,

Allen John Edward J.P. Denne Hill  
Stokes Rev. Gabriel B.A. Vicarage

Castle George, Halfway House P.H  
Fox James, beer retailer, Woolwich  
Groombridge & Harlow, farmers,  
Woodend farm

Hume Thos. farmer, Nethersole farm  
Mascall Charles, farm bailiff to J. E.  
Allen esq. J.P. Denne Hill farm  
Roberts Sidney, farmer, Aylesham frm

COMMERCIAL.

Ayers Geo. pork butcher, Woolwich

Hawkins Thomas, beer retailer

**WOODCHURCH** is an ancient village and large parish, 6 miles north-west from Appledore, 4½ west from Ham Street and 7½ south-west from Ashford stations, on the South Eastern and Chatham railway, 4½ east from Tenterden and 55 from London, in the Southern division of the county, hundreds of Blackborne and Alosbridge, in the liberty of Romney Marsh, lathe of Scray, Ashford petty sessional division, Tenterden union and county court district, and in the rural deanery of South Lympe and archdeaconry of Canterbury. The church of All Saints is of stone, chiefly in the Early English style, and has a tower with spire containing a clock and 6 bells: there are many ancient monuments to the Woodchurches, Clarkes, Harlakyndens and others, a fine tomb to Sir Edward Waterhouse, Chancellor of the Exchequer in Ireland, 1591, several brasses, including one dated 1320 and bearing a Flemish-Latin inscription in memory of Nicholas de Goré, and two memorial windows: the church was restored in 1846, and has 350 sittings. The register of baptisms dates from the year 1539; marriages and burials from 1538. The living is a rectory, net yearly value £400, with residence, in the gift of the Archbishop of Canterbury, and held since 1911 by the Rev. Seymour Henry Rendall M.A. of Hertford College, Oxford. There are Wesleyan and United Methodist chapels. The local charities amount to £31 yearly. Traces of a Roman road have been met with in the parish. Hengherst, the residence of Capt. Somerset Edw. Deane Webb J.P. is pleasantly seated in a park of 140 acres, surrounded by woods and plantations, and has tastefully-laid-out grounds. Charles Evans Thomas-Medhurst esq. is lord of the manor, and there are several landowners. The soil is heavy; sub-

PRIVATE RESIDENTS.

Bourne Mrs. John, Chestnut house  
Case Misses, Redbrook house  
Doughty William, Bachelor's hall  
Doughty Wm. Cape, Townland house  
Gape Misses, The Firs  
Hyland Mrs  
Joy Thomas, Myrtle house  
Marchant Mrs. Boldshaves  
Markwick Mrs  
Medhurst-Thomas Harry Edward,  
Great Engham manor  
Rendall Rev. Seymour Henry M.A.  
(rector), Rectory  
Spaul Barnard Alfred, 2 High view  
Swanger Mrs. Victoria terrace  
Webb Capt. Somerset Edward Deane  
J.P., Hengherst

Arthur John, carrier & pig dealer  
Banks James, grazier, Small Profits  
Banks Stephen, farmer, Diamond  
farm, Brook street  
Banks Stephen George, carrier  
Barham Richard, baker  
Barton Thomas, shopkeeper  
Bear Jacob Geo. farmr. Yewhurst fm  
Bell Henry, farmer, High oak  
Beslee David & Wm. farmers, Redbrook  
Biddles Thomas, farmer, The Limes  
Biddles Thomas, jun. frmr. Orange fm  
Boorman Thos. beer retrlr. Stonebrdg  
Bourne William H. & Son, builders  
Bright Sarah (Miss), apartments  
Bunn Geo. Wicks, grazier, The Cot  
Chacksfield Wm. farmer, Robhurst  
Chapling Charles Ernest, farmer,  
Goldblow farm  
Chapling David, insurance agent  
Chapling Wm. Orms, frmr. May wood  
Chasmar Agnes (Mrs.), farmer,  
Brook Street

Chasmar John Thomas, brick & tile  
manufacturer, assistant overseer &  
clerk to the Parish Council,  
Spring place  
Chasmar Mande (Mrs.), private  
school for girls & boys  
Child Marion (Miss), district nurse,  
Hendon place  
Collick Hy. Holladay, farmr. 1 High vw  
Coveney William John, boot maker  
Doughty William L.R.C.P. & L.R.C.S.  
Edin. physician & surgeon, Bache-  
lor's hall  
Doughty William Cape L.R.C.P. &  
L.R.C.S. Edin., L.R.F.P. & S. Glas.  
physician & surgeon, & medical  
officer & public vaccinator for  
Woodchurch district, Tenterden  
union, Townland house  
Drury John, farmer, May shaves  
Duncan Lewis Sydney, frmr. Malthouse  
Dunk Harry, farmer, Bourne farm  
Dunster John A. farmer, The Mount

COMMERCIAL.

Early closing day, Wednesday.  
Alcock George, farmer, Weeks farm  
Arthur James, grazier

and J. Edward Allen esq. J.P. The soil is chalky; sub-soil, chalk. The chief crops are wheat, oats and barley. The area is 1,722 acres; rateable value, £1,459; the population in 1911 was 271 in the civil and 232 in the ecclesiastical parish.

By Local Government Board Order 23,641, dated 24 March, 1889, a detached part of this parish, including Denne Hill Mansion and grounds, were transferred from Kingstone to this parish; the house known as Denne Hill is now the property and residence of J. Edward Allen esq. J.P.

Sexton, Thomas Kemp.

Clerk to the Parish Council, Percy Allen, Barham, near Canterbury.

Post Office.—James Pysden, sub-postmaster. Letters arrive through Canterbury at 7 a.m. & dispatched at 7.20 p.m.; no Sunday delivery of letters. The nearest money order & telegraph office is at Barham, 2 miles distant

Wall Letter Box, Woolwich Green, cleared 6 p.m. week days only

Non-provided Elementary School (mixed), erected in 1860, for 100 children; average attendance, 35; Miss Annie Priscilla Todd, mistress

soil, clayey. The chief crops are wheat, beans and oats, and there are about 60 acres of hops. The area is 6,997 acres of land and 4 of water; rateable value, £6,667; the population in 1911 was 1,059.

Parish Clerk, George Dunster.

HARLACKENDEN and Plurrenden are 2 miles north; Brook Street, 1 mile south-west; Redbrook Street, 1 mile north.

Post, M. O. & T. Office.—Gordon Gibbs, sub-postmaster. Letters received through Ashford at 5.55 a.m. & 1.10 p.m.; dispatched at 9.45 a.m. & 8.35 p.m.; sundays, arrive at 5.55 a.m.; dispatched, 8.35 p.m.

Pillar Letter Boxes.—Stonebridge, cleared at 8.30 a.m. & 7.40 p.m.; sundays, 10.35 a.m. Susan's Hill, cleared at 8.45 a.m. & 7.30 p.m.; sundays, 8.45 a.m. Near Shirkoak farm, cleared at 9.55 a.m. & 8.40 p.m.; sundays, 8.40 p.m. & Cherry Orchard, cleared at 7 a.m. & 7.15 p.m.; sundays, 9 a.m.

Public Elementary School (mixed), erected in 1844 & enlarged in 1872 & in 1896, for 204 children; average attendance, 140; Thomas Charles Kenward, master; Miss Cotter, infants' mistress; Miss Hannah Russell & Miss Kenward, assistant mistresses

Carriers.

Mrs. George Tanton, to Ashford, every day, Sunday excepted, at 8.45 a.m. returning same day  
Stephen George Banks, to Tenterden, Mon. & Fri. at 1 p.m.  
John Arthur, to Rye, Mon. & Fri

Fullagar Thomas, butcher  
 Gander Henry, apartments  
 Gates William, farmer  
 George John, farmer, Ditton farm  
 George Richard, farmer, Hillside  
 Gibbs Gordon, stationer & sub-postmstr  
 Gold Henry, farmer, Westwell  
 Haffenden George, farmer, Berridge  
 Hall Richard, blacksmith  
 Harden John, boot maker  
 Hart Frederick, farmer, Shirkoak  
 Hayhurst Fras. J. farmer, Plurrenden  
 Hook Frank, farmer & hop grower,  
 Stonebridge farm  
 Hook William Henry, grazier  
 Howard William, farmer  
 Howe Warwick, gamekeeper to Capt.  
 Somerset Webb J.P.  
 Institute (William Henry Hook, sec)  
 Jarvis Horace, farmer  
 King Ernest Thos. frmr. Cherry grdn  
 King Reuben, farm bailiff to John  
 Pellett esq  
 Kingsnorth George, farmer, Beacon

Knott Joseph, farmer  
 Lindridge Charles, butcher  
 Lindridge Edwin, grocer  
 Long John Richard, farmer  
 Markwick Thos. farmer, Frights brdg  
 Marshall Geo. Chas. grocer & draper  
 Marshall William, carpenter  
 Martin Albert, farmer, Brook Street  
 Maylam Thomas, farmer, Balcony frm  
 Medhurst-Thomas Harry Edward,  
 farmer, Great Engham manor  
 Millen Reginald, frmr. Little Engham  
 Millen Stephen Sharwood, land  
 steward to Capt. Somerset E. D  
 Webb J.P. Newhurst  
 Milton Fredk. Jn. Bonny Cravat inn  
 Mitchell William, gardener to Capt.  
 Somerset Webb J.P.  
 Orpin Chas. frmr. Brick Wall farm  
 Orpin Chas. jun. frmr. Harlackenden  
 Orpin Ernest, farmer, Court Lo. frm  
 Parsons George, farmer, May farm  
 Pearson Alfred, grazier, Redbrook  
 Pearson Alfred Frederick, cycle repi

Prior Frederick, grazier  
 Prior Henry, farm bailiff to Mrs.  
 Marchant  
 Reeves James, farmer, The Elms,  
 Redbrook street  
 Reeves Jas. jun. farmer, King farm.  
 Reeves John, farmer, Susan's hill  
 Reeves John, jun. farmer, Oakhurst  
 Russell & Sons, grocers & drapers  
 Sherwood William, farmer, Grove  
 Tanton Albert, corn dlr. & miller (wnd  
 Tanton George (Mrs.), carrier  
 Terry Celia (Mrs.), Six Bells P.H  
 Trowell George Thomas, farmer  
 Turk Arthur Robert, grocer  
 Watts Geo. & Albt. farmers. Place farm  
 Watts Charles, farmer  
 Widger James Henry, farmer, Great  
 Robhurst farm  
 Wilkinson Herbert, farmer, Hadle-  
 more Oak farm  
 Woodgate Elizabeth S. (Mrs.),  
 farmer, Hornbrook farm  
 Young John, tailor

**WOODLANDS** is an ecclesiastical parish, formed from the civil parishes of Wrotham and Shoreham in 1850, 2½ miles north of Kemsing and 2¼ from Otford stations on the Maidstone branch of the South Eastern and Chatham railway, and 6 north-east from Sevenoaks, in the Medway division of the county, lathe of Sutton-at-Hone, hundred of Codsheath, petty sessional division of Malling, union of Malling, county court district of Sevenoaks, and in the rural deanery of Shoreham, archdeaconry of Tonbridge and diocese of Rochester. The parish is supplied with water by the Mid-Kent Water Co. The church of St. Mary, a building of flint in the Early English style, stands on the site of a former church; it was restored in 1910, and has a belfry containing one bell: there are 100 sittings. The register dates from the year 1850. The living is a vicarage, net

Marked thus \* receive their letters through Shoreham, Sevenoaks.  
 Marked thus † through Otford, Sevenoaks.  
 Boden Rev. James Waugh (vicar), Vicarage

**WOODNESBOROUGH**, a parish and village, deriving its name from Woden, is on a Roman road, at the foot of a spur of a chain of hills which command an extensive view of the surrounding country; it is a mile and a half south-west from Sandwich station, on the Dover and Margate section of the South Eastern and Chatham railway, in the Eastern division of the county, lower half hundred and union of Eastry, lathe of St. Augustine, Wingham petty sessional division, Sandwich county court district, and in the rural deanery of Sandwich and archdeaconry of Canterbury. The waterworks of the Sandwich Corporation are in this parish, and include a reservoir with a capacity of over 150,000 gallons. The ancient church of St. Mary the Virgin, dating from 1180, is of stone in the Early English and Perpendicular styles, and has a tower containing 5 bells: in the chancel are two brasses: the church was partially restored in 1884, but the work was completed in 1909, and it has 258 sittings: in the churchyard is a sun dial dated 1738. The register dates from the year 1561. The living is a vicarage, net yearly value £270, including 2 acres of glebe, with residence, in the gift of the Dean and Chapter of Rochester, and held since 1881 by the Rev. Francis Savage M.A. of St. John's College, Cambridge. There is a small Congregational chapel. Mrs. Sarah Stewart, of Woodnesborough, by will dated Feb. 6th, 1835, left the sum of £700, now in 2½ per Cent. Consols, the interest of which is distributed annually amongst the most deserving and necessitous poor of this parish, professing the religion of the Established Church.

The Polders, on the borders of the marshes to the north-east, received their name from the Flemish settlers at Sandwich in the reign of Queen Elizabeth, "Polders" being the name which is still applied to the rich marshy meadows of the Netherlands; these settlers introduced the manufacture of baize and other woollen stuffs, and the cultivation of vegetables, flax and canary seed. On Woodnesborough Hill great quantities of Saxon antiquities have been found at different periods. Poulton House, in this parish, is an extremely fine

(Marked thus \* receive their letters via Ash, Canterbury.)  
 Buley George, Marshborough

**COMMERCIAL.**  
 Bensted Eliza (Mrs.), beer retailer  
 Clark Samuel, farmer, Manor farm  
 †Golby Henry, farmer, Weike farm  
 \*Hollands Horace, Fox & Hounds P.H.  
 Romney street

yearly value £196, with residence and 2 acres of glebe, in the gift of the Bishop of Rochester, and held since 1907 by the Rev. James Waugh Boden. The principal landowners are Lady Dunsany, of Dunstall Priory, Sevenoaks, Mrs. Vincent, Sir Mark Collet bart. of St. Clere, Kemsing, and C. A. Morris-Field esq. of Ashurst Park, Tunbridge Wells. The soil is chalk and clay; subsoil, chalk. The chief crops are barley, oats and cereals; the population in 1911 was 115. Letters through Sevenoaks arrive at 9.30 & 11.30 a.m. The nearest money order & telegraph office is at Kemsing. Letter Boxes.—Woodlands, cleared 11.45 a.m. & 6.30 p.m.; sundays, 10.45 a.m.; Romney Street, cleared 8.15 a.m. & 1.30 p.m.; sun: 9.35 a.m. The children of this place attend the schools at Kemsing, Kingsdown & Otford

\*Mulrenan John, farmer, Romney Street farm  
 Semark Ernest, farmer, Goodberry fm  
 †Smith William, farmer, Shore hill  
 †Terry Wm. Saml. farmr. Potter's fm

specimen of 17th century architecture, having been built by Col. Kean in 1629; and this date and a coat of arms still remain on one of the walls; portions of the original building are still in good preservation, and include a secret hiding place. The house was formerly surrounded by a moat with a drawbridge. Lord Northbourne is lord of the manor of Grove and Shelving Court, and Mr. Horace Armstrong is lord of the Parsonage manor; the great tithes are held by the Ecclesiastical Commissioners. Lord Northbourne is the chief landowner. The soil is sandy loam; subsoil, sand and chalk. The chief crops are wheat, barley, oats, hops, fruit and general garden produce. The area is 2,938 acres of land, 2 of inland and 1 of tidal water and 1 of foreshore; rateable value, £6,656; the population in 1911 was 970. Woodnesborough and Marshborough seem to have been Roman towns or villages.

**MARSHBOROUGH**, half a mile north; Combe, 1 mile north-west; Hammill, 2 miles south-west, and Summerfield, 2½ miles west, are hamlets in this parish.

Sexton, John Dilnot Smith, Beacon lane.  
 Post & M. O. Office &c.—Horace Pettman, sub-postmaster. Letters received from Eastry, Kent, are delivered at 7 a.m. & 3 p.m.; sundays, 7 a.m.; dispatched at 9.5 a.m. & 1.20 & 8.35 p.m.; sundays, 8.25 p.m. The nearest telegraph office is at Sandwich, 2 miles distant  
 Wall Letter Boxes.—Marshborough, cleared 9.15 a.m. & 8 p.m.; sundays, 6.30 a.m.; Fleming, cleared 7.30 a.m. & 7.30 p.m.; sundays, 7.30 a.m.  
 Pillar Letter Box, Drainless Drive, cleared 8.15 a.m. & 7.45 p.m.; sundays, 8.15 a.m.  
 County Constabulary, Frederick Dockett, constable  
 Public Elementary School (mixed), built in 1849, for 100 children; average attendance, 100; Frederick Neame-Roff, master; Miss Dorothy Jarvis, infants' mistress  
 The school is within the area of the Eastry Rural School Attendance Committee

Collett Mrs. Ringleton  
 Grimshaw Miss, Christian court  
 Laslett Thomas Knight, Marshboro'

Long Mrs. Wm. Elliott, The Grange  
 Maple George, Laurel lo. Marshboro'  
 Savage Rev. Francis M.A. Vicarage