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John S. Appleby FRHistS
presents:
Apple Bites.....



a) **John Appleby**, schoolmaster, Lexden, Colchester, Essex.

John's will was proved on 30th January 1879. His personal estate was under £200. He died on 18th January 1879 at Lexden. His son and one of the executors, **Edward Joseph Appleby** of Argyle Street, City of Bath, Chemist, proved the will at the Principal Registry.

b) **George Appleby** of 21 Winsley Square, Colchester died 19 September 1925. Probate was granted at London on 6th November 1925 to **Dorothy Phyllis Isabel Appleby** spinster and Leonard Neep, decorator (of Colchester). His effects were worth £176-3s-0d.

Winsley Square was, and still is, a charitable collection of dwellings for the aged.

c) **Frederick Appleby** of North Station Road, Colchester, died 22 July 1926. Probate was granted at Ipswich on 7th September 1926 to **Isabel Emma Appleby**, his widow. His effects were valued at £531-19s-6d.

Papua New Guinea War Cemetery.

Port Moresby (Bomana) War Cemetery.

Lieutenant Reginald Applebee SX 3400 A. LF. 2/27 Bn.
Australian Infantry died 23rd November 1942. Age 26.
ARO/Doc/620.

Roll of Honour. Cambridgeshire.

On a memorial cross in the Churchyard of little Gransden there are listed a number of names including: **Thomas Gaufrey Wearmouth (Godfrey) Appleby**. Flight Lieutenant 37 squadron R.A.F., died 20th December 1939 Son of John Stanley and Norah Appleby. (Also commemorated at the Runnymede Memorial, Surrey)

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Swincombe, Oxfordshire.

*Extracts from the Will of Thomas Cottrell 1836 and Codicil 1842: "To my eldest son Thomas Cottrell freehold close of arable formerly two closes called Bishop's Close and Appleby's Close containing 8 acres at Swincombe with cottage built on it; freehold double cottage with garden and appurtenances at Russells Water, Swincombe now held by Hightam Cook and **John Appleby**.*

To son John Cottrell: close of freehold arable land called Upper Branches, Swincombe containing double freehold cottage held by Ann Munday, Grace Wise, **Hannah Appleby** and Charles Blake with appurtenances; two freehold cottages at Russells Water, now held by **William Appleby** and Charles Blake"

ARO/Doc/596

Searchline...

I am looking for any information on **James Appleby (Comedian)** of full age (Father William - warehouseman) who married Emma Brown - minor (Father William - no profession given) at St Michaels Church, Coventry on June 18th 1844. He was dead by 1881.

Lesley Hammond ARO/AW81



Grand Larceny 4 Dec 1755.

James Blunt, James Pottle and **Thomas Appleby** were indicted on 4 December 1755, for that they, together with Randolph Banks, not yet taken, did steal one cloth coat, value 3 shillings and one pocketbook, value six pence the property of Joseph Steward.

Joseph Steward stated "I live at the Coach and Horses in Grays Inn Lane. The coat and pocketbook were taken out of my house on the 20th November. Justice Fielding sent for me some time after. He asked me if I knew any of the prisoners that were there; I said I never saw them in my life. He asked me if I would swear to the pocketbook; I said I would. He asked the prisoners what they had done with the coat? Blunt own'd that he went into my kitchen and took it out. They had pawn'd it: Blunt pawn'd it for five shillings. I never saw it after that."

Blunt & Pottle were found guilty and transported. Thomas Appleby was acquitted.
ARO/Doc/586.

Kelly's Suffolk Directory 1912.



BRANDON. Schools. High Street (boys, girls & infants, erected in 1878 at a cost of £3,350 for 300 children; average attendance 121 boys; 110 girls and 107 infants. **William Cooper Appleby, master; Mrs Fanny Arabella Appleby, mistress; Mary Jane Lingwood, infants mistress.** *Doc/616*

Admiralty Records.

John Appleby, born Sunderland, rank boatswain. Age at entry 26. Dates served 9 January 1800 - 28 July 1830.

Abraham Appleby born (not given); age at entry (not given) rank gunner; dates served 27 March 1806 - 31 October 1807.

ARO/Doc/617

US Military Heros.1950-1976

Rickey Eugene Appleby born 27 May 1945 California. US marine corps. Lance corporal 2015529. Death date 9 March 1968 Quang Nam, South Vietnam.

Billy Roy Appleby born 20 Oct 1929 Texas. US Marine Corps. Rank PFC 1117924. Death date: 1 November 1950 Korea.

Ivan Dale Appleby born 13 September 1930 California. U S Air Force. Rank Col. 522347605. Death date: 1 December 1976 North Vietnam. *ARO/Doc/618*

Charge of Embezzlement against a Bank Manager. 1856.

Article extracted from The News of the World 3 August 1856.

“ Mr. Theodore Evans, late manager of the Tewkesbury branch of the Gloucester Bank, appeared before the magistrates, on remand, to answer charges of embezzlement of sums amounting to £3,250. The accused had been manager of the Tewkesbury branch for the last seven years, and was removed on the 2nd April last, when he was succeeded by **Mr. Appleby** the present manager. When Mr. Appleby came to look over the assets at Midsummer, he discovered a deficiency of £3,250, and applied to the late manager for an explanation, when Mr Evans stated that he had lent Mr Humphrey Brown, M.P. £1,000 and offered **Mr. Appleby** two cheques for £500 each dated April 2nd 1856, in payment of that amount, asking to have them charged to him on June 30th last. He also said that there was no entry in the books, and that he had also lent £500 to Mr. Allen and £250 to Mr Isaac Nind which money he offered to pay to Mr Appleby. Mr Evans refused to give any explanation for the loss of the remainder.

The accused had no authority to lend money to parties without entering it in the bank books. The case was adjourned, and the bail enlarged.

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South Wales Directory 1830.

Extract from Pigot & Co South Wales Directory for St David's & Solva. “Academies & Schools - Mary Appleby”

Durham Directory 1850

Extract from "Ward's Northumberland and Durham Directory of 1850."

Durham County Magistrates, Officers etc. Under the sub-heading of Deputy Lieutenants we found the name of **Robert Appleby** of Roseville, Stockton.

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Directory of Warwickshire 1830.

From the above mentioned directory we found the name of **Ezra Appleby** a shopkeeper at 29 Coleshill Street, Birmingham

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Sidney Appleby and

and **D. Appleby**. Among the successful pupils in the JMB school certificate examinations in Liverpool, Lancashire, England in 1925 we found the name of **Sidney Appleby**. Congratulations Sidney!

Also **D. Appleby** was awarded a prize certificate for Art in 1932 in Manchester, Lancashire, as reported in the LCM Prize Presentation Programme of 1933. Well done!

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