

ALL SAINTS CHURCH  
THURCASTON  
LEICESTERSHIRE

## **GRAVEYARD SURVEY**



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# Introduction

## All Saints Graveyard, Thurcaston, Leicestershire

All Saints Church serves both the villages of Thurcaston and Cropston. A Saxon church on the site was first recorded in the Domesday Book of 1086 but soon afterwards a new church was built, of which now only the Norman South door is still visible. The rest of the building has been renovated and extended throughout the centuries up to the latest extension on the north side, the Harrison Room, which was completed in 2008. The work required the removal of some headstones and, when building was complete, these were realigned along the new footpath.

The Womens Institute had undertaken the first survey in 1964. It was merely a list of names, ages and death dates on four pages of A4 paper. The second survey of 1981 was far superior as it recorded inscriptions on all the stones, the mason's name, if shown, and a drawing of the shape of the gravestone. A map showing the location of each stone had also been included.

The Thurcaston & Cropston Local History Society, founded in 1999, decided to update this survey in 2005. It revealed that three stones had disappeared, but seven more were discovered. Some had been moved, others broken and inscriptions rendered illegible due to the action of the weather. The 1981 survey was amended where necessary, but by 2007 the Society had decided that it would like this new survey to be printed, and include photographs of every memorial in the yard. A grant was sought to finance this work.

The **Francis Coales Charitable Foundation** decided that it was a most worthy project and awarded a discretionary grant of £250 to the Society. We offer them our sincere thanks for their generosity.

## Gravestone Epitaphs

<p>1.</p>	<p>In Affectionate remembrance of Amelia, wife of John Weston and fourth daughter of John and Francis Astill who departed this life July 13<sup>th</sup> 1849 aged 45 years</p> <p>By slow degrees her power decay'd which kept her long in pain But now released we trust she lives where joys immortal reign</p> <p>Slate: horizontal Mason: Birchnell, Leicester</p>
<p>2.</p>	<p>Sacred to the memory of Mary-Ann daughter of John and Amelia Weston who departed this life the 16<sup>th</sup> of Oct. 1838 aged 2 years &amp; 6 months</p> <p>Parents and friends be ye content for unto you I was but lent My debt is paid my grave you see, wait but a while you'll follow me.</p> <p>Slate: horizontal Mason: Pollard</p>

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<p><b>3.</b></p>	<p>Sacred to the memory of Thomas Nathaniel the younger son of Joseph and Eliza Potterton who departed this life November 14<sup>th</sup> 1846 aged 4 years</p> <p>With footstone T.N.P. 1846</p> <p>Slate: horizontal, below ground level Mason: Broadbent &amp; Hawley L'ester</p>
<p><b>4.</b></p>	<p>In affectionate remembrance of Joseph Potterton formerly of Boughton in Northamptonshire and late of Broombriggs Woodhouse in this county who died the 31<sup>st</sup> of January 1844 in the 42<sup>nd</sup> year of his age</p> <p>With footstone J.P. 1844</p> <p>Slate: horizontal Mason: Broadbent &amp; Hawley, Le'ester</p>

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<p><b>5.</b></p>	<p>In affectionate remembrance of James Willby formerly of East Langton and late of Leicester who died March 2<sup>nd</sup> 1844 in the 84<sup>th</sup> year of his age. Also of Ann wife of the above who died April 22<sup>nd</sup> 1847 in the 73<sup>rd</sup> year of her age</p> <p>Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: Broadbent &amp; Hawley, Leicester.</p>
<p><b>6.</b></p>	<p>Sacred to the memory of Samuel Weston youngest son of William and Mary Weston who died 15<sup>th</sup> June 1852 aged 39 years</p> <p>And God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes; and there shall be no more death neither sorrow, nor crying, neither shall there be any more pain; for the former things are passed away. Rev. C21, v.4.</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: Lindley &amp; Firn, Leicester.</p>

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<p><b>7.</b></p>	<p>Sacred to the memory of William Weston who died 9th Oct.1852 aged 76 years</p> <p>Mary, wife of William Weston who died 18th Feby.1832 aged 54 years</p> <p>“Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord” Hear what the voice of heaven proclaims, for all the Pious dead Sweet is the savour of their names and soft their dying bed.</p> <p>Slate: upright, double Mason: Lindley &amp; Firn, Leicester.</p>
<p><b>8.</b></p>	<p>Sacred to the memory of Thomas Weston, Surgeon eldest son of William and Mary Weston who died 26<sup>th</sup> Feby. 1826 aged 26 years.</p> <p>Be ye therefore ready also; for the Son of Man cometh at an hour when ye think not. Luke c.12 v. 40</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: Lindley &amp; Firn, Leicester.</p>

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<b>9.</b>	<p style="text-align: center;">An affectionate memorial of Joseph Pickering Weston son of William &amp; Mary Weston who died on the 5<sup>th</sup> day of March 1816 in the third year of his age Also of Mary, daughter of the above William and Mary Weston She died, July 2<sup>nd</sup> 1816 aged 8 years.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Sudden alas the stroke that brought him here Spectator pause, the solemn stroke rever While lingering pains, her corp'ral powers decay'd and gently brought her to death's peaceful shade Yet now we trust their souls above unite in yon blessed mansions of eternal light</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Slate: upright Mason: Pollard, Swithland.</p>
<b>10.</b>	<p style="text-align: center;">To the Memory of Thomas Weston son of John and Mary Weston who departed this life June 19<sup>th</sup> 1770 aged 2 Yrs and 1 month</p>



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<p><b>11 &amp; 12.</b></p>	<p>S. W. 1852</p> <p>Slate: upright, footstone to No. 6. Mason: unknown</p> <p>W.W. 1852 M.W. 1832</p> <p>Slate: upright, footstone to No. 7 Mason: unknown</p>
<p><b>13.</b></p>	<p>In memory of John Weston son of Thos. &amp; Margaret Weston, late of Slawston but formerly of Swepstone in this county, who departed this life February 7<sup>th</sup> 1781 aged 45 years.</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: unknown.</p>
<p><b>14</b></p>	<p>Here rest in peaceful slumbers the mortal remains of Mary, relict of John Weston She departed this life on the 27<sup>th</sup> May 1821 in the 80<sup>th</sup> year of her age</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: J. Pollard</p>

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<b>15.</b>	<p>Beneath are deposited the earthly remains of</p> <table style="width: 100%; border: none;"> <tr> <td style="width: 50%;">John Ballard</td> <td style="width: 50%;">Mary Ballard</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Schoolmaster and</td> <td>his wife</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Clerk of this Parish</td> <td>who died suddenly</td> </tr> <tr> <td>He died August 11th 1793</td> <td>on the 7th Sept. 1792</td> </tr> <tr> <td>in the 60th year of his age.</td> <td>in the 52nd year of her age</td> </tr> </table> <p>Sudden alas the stroke that brought her here Spectator pause – this solemn stroke revere While ling'ring pains his corp'ral pow'rs decay'd And gently brought him to Death's silent shade Yet now we trust their souls above unite In yon blest Mansions of eternal light.</p> <p>Slate: upright double Mason: Pollard, Quorndon</p>	John Ballard	Mary Ballard	Schoolmaster and	his wife	Clerk of this Parish	who died suddenly	He died August 11th 1793	on the 7th Sept. 1792	in the 60th year of his age.	in the 52nd year of her age
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<b>16.</b>	<p>In affectionate remembrance of Gertrude Emily only daughter of Edwin and Emily Astill who departed this life April 24<sup>th</sup> 1876 aged 4 years and 3 months God is Love</p> <p>Stone: upright, worn lettering Mason: Osborne Bros. Le'ster</p>										
<b>17.</b>	<p>Here lies the body of John Archer who departed this life September 21<sup>st</sup> 1751 aged 75 years</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: unknown</p>										

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<p><b>18.</b></p>	<p>Here lies the body of Elizabeth wife of Samuel Stone who departed this life the 8th day of October 1721 in the 55th year of her age</p> <p>Here lies the body of Samuel Stone who departed this life the 12th day of May 1742 in the 79th year of his age.</p> <p>Slate: upright, double Mason: unknown</p>
<p><b>19.</b></p>	<p>In memory of Elizabeth wife of Benjn. Spencer and daughter of Samuel &amp; Sarah Stone She departed this life December 6<sup>th</sup> 1778 aged 49 years.</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: unknown</p>

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<b>20.</b>	<p style="text-align: center;">Sacred Sacred</p> <table style="width: 100%; border: none;"> <tr> <td style="width: 50%; border: none; vertical-align: top;"> <p>to the memory of Samuel Stone late of this parish who departed this life May 4th 1758 aged 63 years</p> </td> <td style="width: 50%; border: none; vertical-align: top;"> <p>to the memory of Sarah the wife of Samuel Stone who departed this life December 16th 1765 aged 73</p> </td> </tr> </table> <p style="text-align: center;">Beneath the verdure of this earthen chest Are laid the garments of two souls undressed; Two souls, that, borne on angels wings, are gone To put immortal life and vigour on, Yes, 'tis decreed! They for a while must lie, Amongst these hillocks of mortality; Till the great saviour models them afresh And frame these tatter'd garbs of flesh; After his own or that's the heavenly mode And fit t'enrobe the favourites of God</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Slate: upright, double Mason: unknown.</p>	<p>to the memory of Samuel Stone late of this parish who departed this life May 4th 1758 aged 63 years</p>	<p>to the memory of Sarah the wife of Samuel Stone who departed this life December 16th 1765 aged 73</p>
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<b>21.</b>	<p style="text-align: center;">Here lyeth the body of William Pickard who departed this life June the 16<sup>th</sup> Anno. Dom. 1709 in the 46<sup>th</sup> year of his age.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Slate: upright Mason: unknown</p>		
<b>22.</b>	<p style="text-align: center;">In the memory of Ann and Fanney daughters of William and Ann Tyers who changed this transitory state for felicity Ann August 9<sup>th</sup> 1770.....2 years Fanney Nov. 23<sup>rd</sup> ?aged 2? 1771 Ann.....</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Slate: horizontal, much below ground level Mason: unknown</p>		

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<p><b>23.</b></p>	<p>Here lyeth ye body of Rebekah wife of Edward Seell who died May 4 1712</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: unknown</p>
<p><b>24.</b></p>	<p>Here lyeth ye body of Thomas Callis sen who departed this life December 9 1724 aged abt. 53</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: unknown</p>
<p><b>25.</b></p>	<p>Here lyeth the body of Katherine wife of Edw Seell, who died June 17, 1717.</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: unknown</p>
<p><b>26.</b></p>	<p>Here lyeth the body of Edwd. Seell who departed this life April 22<sup>nd</sup> 1722 in the 67<sup>th</sup> year of his age</p> <p>As time &amp; hours pass away So doth ye life of man decay.</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: unknown</p>

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<p><b>27.</b></p>	<p>Here lyeth the body of Joseph son of Edward Seell who died July ye 29 1710</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: unknown</p>
<p><b>28.</b></p>	<p>Here lyeth ye body of Joseph Ballard late husband to Barbara Ballard who died May ye 22<sup>nd</sup> 1706 in ye 41<sup>st</sup> yr of his age.</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: unknown</p>
<p><b>29.</b></p>	<p>Here lyeth the earthly remains of William Tyers an industrious and indulgent husband and father a sincere friend and peaceable neighbour who by divine appointment fell a sudden victim to stern death April 3<sup>rd</sup> 1781</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: unknown</p>
<p><b>30.</b></p>	<p>Here lyeth ye body of Martha Ward widow of Robt. Ward who departed this life February 18 1726/7 age about 80</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: unknown</p>

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<b>31.</b>	<p>Here lieth interr'd the body of John Ward son of Robert Ward and Martha his wife He departed this life February the 5<sup>th</sup> 1742/3 in the 62<sup>nd</sup> year of his age.</p>
<b>32.</b>	<p>Here lie ye children of John Ward and Elizabeth his wife Joseph died March the 25<sup>th</sup> 1746 Thomas died Decemr the 1<sup>st</sup> 1757 Joseph died Jany. the 16<sup>th</sup> 1758 All in their minority.</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: unknown</p>
<b>33.</b>	<p>Beneath are interred the remains of Joseph Cragg No inscription Who departed this life the 31st of March 1801 aged 76 Also of Joseph son of Jos h. and Ann Cragg He died the 12<sup>th</sup> of June 1770 aged 7 years</p> <p>Death cannot make our souls afraid if God be with us there We walk thro' its darkest shade and never yield to fear.</p> <p>Slate: upright, double Mason: Hind</p>
<b>34.</b>	<p>No inscription</p> <p>Slate: upright, footstone Mason: unknown</p>





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<b>39.</b>	<p>Here lieth the          Body of Tho. Tomkins          Who departed this life          January 6<sup>th</sup> 1727/.8          In the 58 year of his age          And near to him his son          Jonathon who died          Jan 24<sup>th</sup> 1721 Aged 18.</p> <p>Slate: upright          Mason: unknown</p>
<b>40.</b>	<p>Here lieth ye body of          Elizabeth late wife of          Tho. Tomkins she departed this life ye          8<sup>th</sup> day of May 1711 in          ye 41<sup>st</sup> year of her age</p> <p>Slate: upright          Mason: unknown</p>
<b>41.</b>	<p>Sacred          to          the memory of          Benjamin Hacket          (late of Leicester)          who departed this life          the 10<sup>th</sup> of June 1826          aged 35 years</p> <p>O Thou, or Friend or Stranger          Who shall tread          These peaceful mansions          Of the silent dead          Oh pause – reflect – repent          Resolve – amend –          Life has no length          Eternity no end.</p> <p>Slate: upright, with matching footstone          B.H./ 1826          Mason: Hull &amp; Pollard, Le'ster</p>

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<p><b>42.</b></p>	<p>Beneath this stone rest the remains of Elizabeth wife of the late Mr. Hacket of Leicester and mother of the late Mr. Benjamin Hacket who lies buried in the adjoining grave She departed this life May 11<sup>th</sup> 1830 aged 80 years.</p> <p>Slate: upright, with matching footstone E.H./ 1830 Masons, Hull &amp; Pollard, Leicester</p>
<p><b>43.</b></p>	<p>Here lieth ye bodyes of Sam Tomkins and of Hannah his wife he departed this life ye 25<sup>th</sup> day of March 1691 in ye 50<sup>th</sup> year of his age and she departed this life ye 11<sup>th</sup> day of June 1705 in ye 73<sup>d</sup> year of her age</p> <p>and nere to them 3 of their grandchildren</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: unknown</p>

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<b>44.</b>	<p>In memory of  William Burchnall  who died  Nov. 5<sup>th</sup> 1870 aged 53 years  Also of Anne  daughter of the above who died  Oct. 9<sup>th</sup> 1871 aged 15 years  Both interred in this grave.</p> <p>Slate: upright  Mason: C. Wesley, Groby</p>
<b>45.</b>	<p>J.B.  1859</p> <p>Slate: upright, footstone to 49</p>
<b>46.</b>	<p>In memory of  Samuel Whattass  who departed this life  the 17<sup>th</sup> of August 1781  aged 86 years  and of Elizabeth his wife  She died Dec. 27<sup>th</sup> 1770  Aged 68</p> <p>Thou too must join the dead – become as they  Sleep through the night wake to an awful day  ---- he for pause let worldly cares make room  -----</p> <p>Slate: upright  Mason: unknown</p>
<b>47.</b>	<p>E.B.  1866  E.B.  1888</p> <p>Slate: upright, footstone to No. 50</p>

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<p><b>48.</b></p>	<p>Sacred to the memory of Hannah daughter of Richard and Ann Burchnall of Cropston who departed this life on the 24<sup>th</sup> of February 1849 aged 32 years</p> <p>Be ye also ready: for in such An hour as ye think not the Son Of man cometh</p> <p>Matt.XXIV. C. 44.V</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: Hull, Loughboro'</p>
<p><b>49.</b></p>	<p>Sacred to the memory of John Burchnall (of Holgate Lodge) son of Richard and Ann Burchnall (late of Cropston) who died on the 10<sup>th</sup> day of April 1859 aged 49 years.</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: Groby Quarry.</p>

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<p><b>50.</b></p>	<p>Sacred to the memory of Charles Burchnall (of Cropston) who died April 12<sup>th</sup> 1866 aged 43 years also Emma relict of the above who died April 17<sup>th</sup> 1888 in her 62<sup>nd</sup> year</p> <p>In hope of Eternal Life</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: Groby Quarry.</p>
<p><b>51.</b></p>	<p>---- Allen ----</p> <p>inscription obscured by No. 49</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: unknown</p>
<p><b>52.</b></p>	<p>Here lieth the body of Daniel Allen son of Ralph Allen by Elizabeth his wife, he departed this life the 9<sup>th</sup> day of April Anno Domi 1724 aged 65 years.</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: unknown</p>

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<b>53.</b>	<p>Here lieth the body of George Allen son of Ralph Allen he departed this life March 26<sup>th</sup> 1715 in the 46 year of his age</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: unknown</p>
<b>54.</b>	<p>A.B. 1852</p> <p>Slate: upright, footstone to No.58. Mason: unknown, probably Hull, Loughborough.</p>
<b>55.</b>	<p>Here rests the body of George Allen he died May 8<sup>th</sup> 1714 aged 4 months</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: unknown</p> <p>Relocated on south wall between Nos. 170 &amp; 171</p>
<b>56.</b>	<p>To the memory of Samuel son of George and Eleanor Allen who departed this life July the 2<sup>nd</sup> 1740 in the 9<sup>th</sup> year of his age</p> <p>He is not dead but sleepeth</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: unknown</p>

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<p><b>57.</b></p>	<p>To the memory of Daniel the 4<sup>th</sup> son of George and Eleanor Allen who departed this life October the 19<sup>th</sup> 1763 aged 40 years</p> <p>Slate: upright. Top inscribed with faint W 5 Mason: unknown</p>
<p><b>58.</b></p>	<p>Sacred to the memory of Ann relict of Richard Burchnall who departed this life the 13<sup>th</sup> of December 1852 aged 70 years</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: Hull, Loughborough.</p>
<p><b>59.</b></p>	<p>Sacred to the memory of Richard Burchnall late of Cropston who departed this life on the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of April 1841 aged 57 years</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: J. Pollard.</p>

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<b>60.</b>	<p>In  affectionate remembrance of  Sarah daughter of  William &amp; Alice Tolley  who departed this life  29<sup>th</sup> October 1847  in the 27<sup>th</sup> year  of her age.</p> <p>“Watch, therefore, for ye know not  what hour your Lord doth come”</p> <p>Slate: upright  Mason: Birtchnell, Leicester.</p>
<b>61.</b>	<p>In memory of  George and Eleanor Allen  who after living many years  together in conjugal felicity  &amp; bringing up a numerous issue  departed this life  in hopes of a better</p> <p>He ) 9<sup>th</sup> 1757 ( 68 )  ) Oct. (Aged ) years  She ) 6<sup>th</sup> 1771 ( 76 )</p> <p>“No epitaph need make the just man fam’d  the good are praised when they’re only named”</p> <p>Slate: upright  Mason: unknown.</p>



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<p><b>62.</b></p>	<p>Sacred to the memory of Alice wife of Mr. W. Tolley late of Defford in the county of Worcester who departed this life July 30<sup>th</sup> 1822 in the 28<sup>th</sup> year of her age.</p> <p>Let me die the death of the righteous And let my last end be like his. Numr. Chap. 23rd. Verse 10.</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: unknown</p>
<p><b>63.</b></p>	<p>Sacred to the memory of Richard Burchnall late of Ansty who departed this life on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of June 1838 in the 80<sup>th</sup> year of his age.</p> <p>Slate: upright, set in concrete by churchwall Mason: unknown.</p>

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<p><b>64.</b></p>	<p>Sacred to the memory of Sarah relict of Richard Burchnall late of Ansty who departed this life on the 5<sup>th</sup> day of April 1848 in the 85<sup>th</sup> year of her age also Elizabeth daughter of Richard and Sarah Burchnall who died 26<sup>th</sup> April 1826 aged 23 years.</p> <p>“These are they which came out of great tribulation and have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb.”</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: Birtchnell, Leicester.</p>
<p><b>65.</b></p>	<p>Here lyeth ye body of Hester the daughter of Daniel Burchnall &amp; Elizabeth his wife who died June 23<sup>rd</sup> 1727. aged 4 years and 10 weeks.</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: unknown</p>

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<b>66.</b>	<p>This          Monument of human instability is erected to the memory of          Elizabeth          the daughter of          Richard and Sarah Burchnall          who in the midst of Health          Youth and Innocence was          suddenly called into eternity          July 29<sup>th</sup> 1799          in the 14<sup>th</sup> year of her age.</p> <p>Slate: upright          Mason: unknown.</p>
<b>67.</b>	<p>In memory of          Richard Burchnall          late of Cropston in this parish          and of Elizabeth his wife          who departed this life in hopes of better          He ) Nov. 28<sup>th</sup> 1783) ( 56 )          ) ) Aged ( ) years          She ) May 4<sup>th</sup> 1764 ) ( 35 )</p> <p>And near to them lieth also 4 of their          children who died in their infancy</p> <p>Slate: upright          Mason: unknown</p>

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<p><b>68.</b></p>	<p>Here lieth the body of Mary Thornton who departed this life September 2<sup>nd</sup> 1774 in the 19<sup>th</sup> year of her age</p> <p>Stop Mortal, stop take home these lines ----- (rest of inscription below ground.)</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: unknown</p>
<p><b>69.</b></p>	<p>Sacred to the memory of Sarah Hind wife of Thomas Hind of Whetstone in this county who resigned this mortal life on the 30<sup>th</sup> day of March 1818 in the 29<sup>th</sup> year of her age.</p> <p>Blessings attend thee, dear departed shade, I loved thee living and lament thee dead, Though thou art gone, thy memory shall remain My loss I trust, is thy eternal gain.</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: Pollard, Swithland.</p>

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<b>70.</b>	<p>Sacred to the memory of William Thornton who died November 23<sup>rd</sup> 1820 aged 66 and Sarah his wife who died September 5<sup>th</sup> 1839 aged 81 Also six of their daughters Three of whom died in infancy Martha in 1801 aged 11 Jane in 1817 aged 19 Catherine in 1818 aged 23.</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: S. Hull, Leicester.</p>
<b>71.</b>	<p>Isabel ye daughter of Tho: and Isabel Porter died July 15 1710</p> <p>Slate: upright, half buried Mason: unknown</p>
<b>72.</b>	<p>Here lieth the body of Thomas Porter who departed this life August 23<sup>rd</sup> 1715 aged 49 years</p> <p>Slate: upright, (note skull &amp; crossbones) Mason: unknown.</p>
<b>73.</b>	<p>Here lyeth ye body of Mary the wife of Tho: Porter who died ye 10<sup>th</sup> March 1705/6.</p>

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<b>74.</b>	<p>J.B. 1890 S.B. 1896</p> <p>Footstone to No. 119 Slate: leaning against church wall. Mason: unknown</p> <p>(This footstone now leans against the west wall of the graveyard.)</p>
<b>75.</b>	<p>Here lieth the body of William Armstrong who departed this life October 6<sup>th</sup> 1754 aged 23 years Consider on't &amp; take home These lines The grave that next is made May chance be thine.</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: unknown</p>
<b>75a.</b>	<p>No inscription</p> <p>Stone: Rose bowl to rear of No. 75 Mason: unknown</p>
<b>76.</b>	<p>Here lyeth ye body of Richard Goddard who departed this life Feb. 20<sup>th</sup> 1717/8 aged abt. 70</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: unknown</p>

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<b>77.</b>	<p>To the memory of Mary the wife of George Cooke She was born April 10<sup>th</sup> 1701</p> <p>Slate: upright, half buried Mason: unknown</p>
<b>78.</b>	<p>Here lieth the body of Sarah ye daughter of Tho: and Mary Porter who died Feb: ye first 1703</p> <p>Slate: upright, half buried Mason: unknown</p>
<b>79</b>	<p>(No transcription)</p>
<b>80.</b>	<p>Sacred to the memory of Dorothy Simpkin formerly of Hemington in this county and 27 years servant to the Revd. W.R.Tyson Rector of this place She departed this life the 6<sup>th</sup> of August 1831 Aged 72 years</p> <p>“Let me die the death of the righteous and let my last end be like his.”</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: Hull &amp; Pollard, Le’ster.</p>

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<b>81.</b>	<p>Here lie the children of John Goodwin and Anne his wife David died April 8 1717 Anne died June 27 1717 John died Decemr. 27 1721</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: unknown</p>
<b>82.</b>	<p>Inscription worn away</p> <p>Stone: upright Mason: unknown</p>
<b>83.</b>	<p>In affectionate remembrance Of Benjamin Graves of Thurcaston who died August 16<sup>th</sup> 1875 aged 66 years Also Ann Wife of the above Born Oct. 29<sup>th</sup> 1804 Died Oct. 28<sup>th</sup> 1886 Thy will be done.</p> <p>Stone: upright, (inscription almost worn away) Mason: J. Yates, Lester.</p>



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<b>84.</b>	<p>I.H.S.          In          loving memory of          Thomas Dexter          who died March 9<sup>th</sup> 1859          aged 70 years          Also of          Priscilla          wife of the above          who died June 3<sup>rd</sup> 1858          aged 54 years          “Thy will be done”.</p> <p>Slate: upright          Mason: W.T. Jee, Rutland St.</p>
<b>85.</b>	<p>Sacred          to the memory of          Maria daughter of          Will and Maria Griffin          who departed this life          June the 12<sup>th</sup> 1841          in the 7<sup>th</sup> year          of her age          Snatch'd from the bosom of thy parents love          Fair child, how we lament thy quick remove! Yet why lament          since thou'rt completely blessed          In yon bright mansions of eternal rest          .....          (remainder buried)</p> <p>Slate: upright          Mason: unknown.</p>

<p><b>86.</b></p>	<p>Erected to the memory of John, James &amp; George the children of William &amp; Ann Dexter</p> <p>Jno died Jany. 8<sup>th</sup> 1788 aged 40 days Jas died Augt. 19<sup>th</sup> 1798 aged 22 weeks &amp; 6 days Geo died June 10<sup>th</sup> 1802 aged 7 years</p> <p>Nor youth, nor age, nor beauty can Evade the sentence past on man Then parents dear from grief refrain For we thro' Christ shall live again.</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: unknown</p>
<p><b>87.</b></p>	<p>Sacred to the memory of Richd. Newbold formerly of Billingborough in the county of Lincoln and late of this place who departed this life the 8<sup>th</sup> day of April 1814 in the 45<sup>th</sup> year of his age Angels attend thee dear Departed shade I loved thee living and Lament thee dead Altho' thou'rt dead thy mem'ry Doth remain My loss I hope is thy eternal gain.</p> <p>Slate: upright double, (Inscribed on left hand side only) Mason: Hind.</p>

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<b>88.</b>	<p>In loving memory of Annie M. Toone the beloved daughter of George &amp; Sarah Jane Toone who died June 19<sup>th</sup> 1918 aged 50 years</p> <p>Marble: upright, with kerbstone. Mason: unknown</p>
<b>88a.</b>	<p><i>Face 1.</i> In loving memory of <i>Face 2.</i> Eric Garner 1906 – 1981 Edith Garner 1904 – 1991 <i>Face 3.</i> Wilfred Garner 1909 – 1977 Irene Garner 1914 – 1994 <i>Face 4.</i> Hilda Garner 1905 – 1906 Herbert Garner 1903 – 1922</p> <p>Black marble: cube Mason: unknown</p>

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<b>89.</b>	<p>Sacred to the memory of Sarah wife of Henry Toone who departed this life May 18<sup>th</sup> 1885 in the 86<sup>th</sup> year of her age.</p> <p>Slate: moved, leaning on rear of No.90 Mason: Warrington, Ansty.</p>
<b>90.</b>	<p>In loving memory of Lydia Raddle who died April 10<sup>th</sup> 1892 aged 82 “Her sure anchorage survived her latest storm” also Joseph Toone her husband who died Aug. 29, 1846 aged 46 and of Thomas Raddle her second husband who died May 16, 1873 Aged 67</p> <p>“Trusting in Him who is the resurrection and the Life”</p> <p>Slate: Upright, severe angle of lean Mason: P. Smith, Bel’ve Gate, Lester.</p>
<b>91.</b>	<p>In loving memory of Amy the beloved wife of Isaac Seal who departed this life Nov. 22<sup>nd</sup> 1900 aged 35 years “Having made peace through the blood of his cross.</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: R. Smith, Bel’ve Gate.</p>

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<b>92.</b>	<p>In loving memory of Frederick Thurston Born August 17<sup>th</sup> 1836 Died December 30<sup>th</sup> 1904 “Thy will be done”</p> <p>Marble: upright cross Mason: unknown.</p>
<b>93.</b>	<p>In loving memory Of Jane Ann Laidler (late of Darlington) who died Nov. 1<sup>st</sup> 1904 aged 61 years “Blessed are the pure in heart for they shall see God”</p> <p>Marble: upright cross with kerbstone Mason: Poyner &amp; Son, Le’ster</p>
<b>94.</b>	<p>In loving memory of Samuel Sibson died March 4<sup>th</sup> 1890 aged 41 years Also Sarah wife of the above died April 29<sup>th</sup> 1917 aged 64 years “Thy will be done”.</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: W.T.Gee. Lester.</p>

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<b>95.</b>	<p>In  loving memory of  Mary Tippler  who passed away  Feb. 7<sup>th</sup>  1916. Aged 49  Peace, perfect peace.</p> <p>Marble: upright cross  Mason; unknown</p>
<b>95a.</b>	<p>In loving  memory of  William  Ernest  Tippler  Feb. 1902 June 1992</p> <p>Slate: horizontal tablet  Mason: unknown</p>
<b>96.</b>	<p>In  L. M.  of W. Bell  died May 3<sup>rd</sup> 1923  aged 39  R.I.P.</p> <p>Slate: horizontal  Mason: unknown</p>
<b>97.</b>	<p>Also Arthur  aged 27  Killed in Action Oct.23<sup>rd</sup> 1918</p> <p>Marble: horizontal  Mason: unknown</p>

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<p><b>98.</b></p>	<p>In loving memory of our dear father Joseph Henry Bowler Died Nov. 15<sup>th</sup> 1902 aged 48</p> <p>Marble: horizontal Mason: unknown (missing, 2005)</p>
<p><b>99.</b></p>	<p>In affectionate remembrance of Elizabeth only daughter of Joseph and Mary Pickering who died 17<sup>th</sup> October 1847 aged 25 years Her end was peace.</p> <p>With patience to the end she did submit, She murmured not at what the Lord saw fit: But with true Christian faith she did resign Her soul to God at his appointed time.</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: Birtchnell, Leicester.</p>
<p><b>100.</b></p>	<p>Sacred to the memory of Joseph Pickering late of Melton Mowbray who died Sepr. 24<sup>th</sup> 1850 aged 95 years.</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: Weaver, Melton.</p>

<p><b>101.</b></p>	<p>This stone is erected to the Me- mory, and to keep sacred the remains of Joseph Pickering Butcher, late of Cropston in this Parish who departed this life May the 25<sup>th</sup> 1798 in the 82<sup>nd</sup> year of his age And also of Mary and Ann his wives Mary, married April the 13<sup>th</sup> 1748: died the 8<sup>th</sup> of September 1759; aged 37 years Ann married Feby the 20<sup>th</sup> 1764: died June the 25<sup>th</sup> 1798: aged 79 years</p> <p>To youth, nor age, or Neighbour's love The tyrant death no respect pays Then from this world to God above Your thoughts exalt till life decays.</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: Weight.</p>
<p><b>102.</b></p>	<p>Here lie the bodies of Thomas Skertchley and Mary his wife He died June 6<sup>th</sup> 1754 aged 75 She died June 25<sup>th</sup> 1754 aged 79</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: unknown</p>



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<b>103.</b>	<p>Here lies the Body of Robt. Smith Son of Robt. &amp; Eliz. Smith, who died July 5. 1723 aged 13</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: unknown</p>
<b>104.</b>	<p>Mary Wife of Plowright Died in 1788</p> <p>Slate: sloping to right Mason: unknown</p>
<b>105.</b>	<p>Here lieth interr'd the body of Margaret the wife of John Clarke who departed this life October the 5<sup>th</sup> 1744 aged 59 years Here also lies interr'd ye body of Mary, daughter of the above named John Clarke. ----- (rest below ground)</p> <p>Slate: broken, top sunk in ground, 2 more pieces behind. Mason: unknown</p>

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<p><b>106.</b></p>	<p>In affectionate remembrance of William Reynolds who died March 1<sup>st</sup> MDCCCLV; aged LXXXI years Also Ann wife of the above who died February II nd MDCCCXLVIII; aged LXXII years</p> <p>The sweet remembrance of the just Shall flourish when thay sleep in dust.</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: T. Bonshor</p>
<p><b>107.</b></p>	<p>Here lyeth the body of William O'arton of Stony- Stanton who departed this life September 25<sup>th</sup> 1717. Aged 27 years.</p> <p>Slate: sunken, sloping to the right Mason: unknown</p>
<p><b>108.</b></p>	<p>Here lyes ye body of Joyce Kellem widow who departed this life January 3. 1726/7 in the 70<sup>th</sup> year of her age.</p> <p>Slate: upright, chipped on top Mason: unknown.</p>

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<p><b>109.</b></p>	<p>In loving memory of Ellen the beloved wife of Frank Varnam who departed this life Nov. 1<sup>st</sup> 1921 aged 35 years</p> <p>Marble: slighty sunk in ground, Leaning to left Mason: unknown, lead letters showing wear.</p>
<p><b>110.</b></p>	<p>In loving memory of George Toone who died June 8<sup>th</sup> 1921 aged 81 years Also Sarah Hane his beloved wife who died Oct. 24<sup>th</sup> 1920 aged 79 years.</p> <p>Marble: upright, repaired transverse crack Mason: unknown.</p>
<p><b>111.</b></p>	<p>In loving memory of Ellenor Lane who passed away July 3<sup>rd</sup> 1919 after a long painful illness aged 67 years Also William husband of the above who died April 28<sup>th</sup> 1928 aged 78</p> <p>Marble: upright, detached base to rear of stone. Mason: unknown</p>

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<b>112.</b>	<p>In loving memory of Rosella the beloved wife of William Dale who died Dec. 27<sup>th</sup> 1914 aged 56 years "At rest" Also George beloved son of the above who died May 22<sup>nd</sup> 1915 aged 22 years.</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: Poyner, Belgrave</p>
<b>113.</b>	<p>1702 E.N. IVLY24</p> <p>Slate: leaning against church wall Mason: unknown</p>
<b>114.</b>	<p>I.H.S. In loving memory of William Reynolds who died May 15<sup>th</sup> 1885 aged 71 Also of Anne wife of the above who died March 19<sup>th</sup> 1909 aged 78</p> <p>Marble: cross upright, double With sinking kerbstone Mason: unknown</p>

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<b>115.</b>	<p>I.H.S.          In          loving memory          of William Reynolds          Born April 20<sup>th</sup> 1864          Died March 17<sup>th</sup> 1927          Also Annie Reynolds sister of the above          Died Jany 1<sup>st</sup> 1937 aged 82</p> <p>Marble: cross, upright with kerbstone          Mason: unknown</p>
<b>116.</b>	<p>In loving memory of          Arthur Dexter          who entered into rest          July 26<sup>th</sup>          1895          aged 60 years          also Sarah          wife of the above          died March 9<sup>th</sup> 1918 aged 83 years</p> <p>Mark the perfect man, and behold the upright, for the end of          that man is peace.</p> <p>Slate: upright          Mason: R. Smith, Le'ster.</p>
<b>117.</b>	<p>548 Gunner          F. Seal          Royal Horse Artillery          25<sup>th</sup> January 1915 age 18          Until the day dawns.</p> <p>Stone: upright, military style          Mason: unknown</p>

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<p><b>118.</b></p>	<p>In loving memory of William Dexter Born July 2<sup>nd</sup> 1825 Died Nov. 26<sup>th</sup> 1902 Also of Elizabeth wife of the above Born April 5<sup>th</sup> 1826 Died July 25<sup>th</sup> 1902</p> <p>“Make them to be numbered with thy saints in glory everlasting”</p> <p>Slate: upright, leaning forward. Mason: W.T.Jee, Le’ster.</p>
<p><b>119.</b></p>	<p>Sacred to the memory of Jane Burchnall who died March 3<sup>rd</sup> 1890 in the 60<sup>th</sup> years of age Also of Sarah sister of the above who departed this life January 10<sup>th</sup> 1896 aged 77 years.</p> <p>Our flesh shall slumber in the ground Till the last trumpet’s joyful sound Then burst the grave in sweet surprise And in our Saviour’s image rise.</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: unknown</p>

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<b>120.</b>	<p>In affectionate remembrance of Ann second wife of Edward Astill late of Cropston who departed this life March 11<sup>th</sup> 1852 aged 73 years</p> <p>She that rests here was good to all And left this world when God did call Her life was one of peace and love In hopes to live with Christ above.</p> <p>Slate: upright. Mason: Birtchnell, Leicester.</p>
<b>121.</b>	<p>Sacred to the memory of John Branson who departed this life April 18<sup>th</sup> 1824 aged 68 years Also of Philippi, wife of the above who died May 7<sup>th</sup> 1872 aged 77 years</p> <p>Thou shalt come to thy grave in a full age Like as a shock of corn cometh in his season. Job 5<sup>th</sup> Chap. 26<sup>th</sup> Ver.</p> <p>Slate: upright, chipped, top right Mason: Birtchnell, Leicester.</p>
<b>121a.</b>	<p>George Alfred Allen Died 4<sup>th</sup> August 2007 aged 88 years</p> <p>Wooden: small cross Brass plate</p>

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<p><b>122.</b></p>	<p>Sacred to the memory of John Billings of the Thurcaston House who died December 11<sup>th</sup> 1867 Keturah Billings who died June 12<sup>th</sup> 1877 Aged 87 years</p> <p>“He giveth his beloved sleep</p> <p>Sandstone: upright, double, sharing brick foundations with No. 123 for lost kerbstone. Badly eroded lettering. Mason: C. Firm, Leicester.</p>
<p><b>123.</b></p>	<p>In memory of Emma Keturah second daughter of John and Keturah Billings who died October 3<sup>rd</sup> 1846 aged 22 years</p> <p>Stone, upright Mason: Neale &amp; Sons, Le’ster</p>



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<p><b>124.</b></p>	<p>In affectionate remembrance of Jane the beloved wife of Henry Balls who died May 31 1856 aged 34 years</p> <p>Remember Man as you pass by As you are now so once was I As I am now so you must be Therefore prepare to follow me.</p> <p>Stone: broken off at ground level, horizontal in front of No. 126. Mason: unknown</p>
<p><b>125.</b></p>	<p>Here lieth the body of William Tilly First master of the Charity School here, he departed this life 12<sup>th</sup> October 1759 aged 74 years</p> <p>Remember now thy Creator in The days of thy youth. Eccl.12 v.1.</p> <p>Slate: upright, leaning to the left. Mason: unknown</p>

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<p><b>126.</b></p>	<p>Here lieth interr'd the body of Elizabeth Tilly wife of William Tilly School Master She departed this life the 7<sup>th</sup> day of December 1739 aged 59 years</p> <p>Afflictions sore long time I bore Physicians were in vain Till death gave ease as God did please To heal me of my pain.</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: W. Tilly, sculp.....</p>
<p><b>127.</b></p>	<p>Here lie the remains of William Wade Clerk of this Parish who died Jany the 22<sup>nd</sup> 1763, aged 74 The remains also of Amy his wife who died April 13<sup>th</sup> 1756, aged 68</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: unknown</p>

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<b>128.</b>	<p>Dedicated to the memory of Mary Webster who after a life of industry and virtue was called into the world of spirits on the 7<sup>th</sup> of August 1799 Aged 22 years</p> <p>Oh! Fatal stroke alas she is gone See how revers'd the scene Time saw the closing nuptial bonds And struck his scythe between.</p> <p>Slate: sloping forward and to the right Mason: Pollard, Quorndon.</p>
<b>129.</b>	<p>In memory of John and Ann Buttery for 30 years one of Her Majesty's Dockyard School Masters Born at Thurcaston April 18<sup>th</sup> 1821 ..... Nov .....</p> <p>Stone: broken off plinth, leaning against base. Totally illegible. Mason: unknown</p>

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<p><b>130.</b></p>	<p>In loving memory of Josiah son of Thomas and Sarah Jane Smith Born Feb. 9. 1885 Died November 12. 1885</p> <p>When thou passest through the Waters I will be with thee; and.....</p> <p>Stone: cross, upright, lower portion now below ground Mason: unknown</p>
<p><b>131.</b></p>	<p>In remembrance of Jane Sparks who died Dec. 6<sup>th</sup> 1884 aged 55 years</p> <p>When the Lord giveth quietness Who then can make trouble</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: J. Baum</p>
<p><b>132.</b></p>	<p>Ann Malon Widow died Jan. 10. 1715 Aged abt. 69 yrs.</p> <p>Slate: horizontal against church wall Below ground level Mason: unknown</p>

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<b>133.</b>	<p>Here lyeth y Body of William Tilly son of Willm Tilly who died February 11 1716/17</p> <p>Slate: leaning horizontally against Church wall Mason: unknown</p>
<b>134.</b>	<p>Here lies ye bodies of John Cramp &amp; Mary his wife died Febry 2 1689 aged 54 she died June 24.1714 aged 66</p> <p>Slate: leaning against Church wall, crude engraving of skull &amp; crossbones. Mason: unknown</p> <p>(Missing, 2005)</p>
<b>135.</b>	<p>In memory of the infant children of Charles &amp; Elizabeth Linley Harry Hanson Born 11<sup>th</sup> May 1879 Died 30<sup>th</sup> April 1880 and of Mary Born 31<sup>st</sup> July and died August 26<sup>th</sup> 1880</p> <p>Stone: cross, upright Mason: unknown</p>

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<p><b>136.</b></p>	<p>In loving memory of Mary Ann the beloved wife of William Hartley who died May 8<sup>th</sup> 1884 aged 59 years</p> <p>Come unto me, all ye that Labour and are heavy laden And I will give you rest.</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: unknown</p>
<p><b>137.</b></p>	<p>Sacred to the memory of Mary, widow of the late Edward Astill of Groby Parks who died July 27<sup>th</sup> 1880 aged 86 years Also of Ann Slater sister of the above and widow of John Slater of Leicester who died February 28<sup>th</sup> 1882 aged 83 years</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: Groby Quarry</p>

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<p><b>138.</b></p>	<p>In affectionate remembrance of Anne beloved wife of John Bradley Born Dec. 24<sup>th</sup> 1849 Died August 4<sup>th</sup> 1884 Also of Annie the beloved daughter of the above who died July 14<sup>th</sup> 1901 aged 21 years</p> <p>Slate: upright with kerbing. Mason: Matthews, Wigston</p>
<p><b>139.</b></p>	<p>Elizabeth daughter of George Cooke and Mary his wife who died Jany. the 27<sup>th</sup> 1758 aged 23 years.</p> <p>Slate: leaning against boundary wall. Mason: unknown</p>
<p><b>140.</b></p>	<p>Here lieth the body of Mary Cooke daughter of George Cooke by Mary his wife She died August 29<sup>th</sup> 1760 aged 29 years.</p> <p>Slate: leaning against boundary wall Mason: unknown</p>

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<b>141.</b>	Joanna Fuller Born and died Jan. 1 <sup>st</sup> 1867  Slate: upright, leaning against boundary wall Mason: unknown
<b>142.</b>	In Loving memory Of Eliza Graves Who died May 17 <sup>th</sup> 1884 Aged 42 years  Blessed are the dead which Die in the Lord  Stone: horizontal J. Baum
<b>143.</b>	No inscription Possibly late 19 <sup>th</sup> , early 20 <sup>th</sup> century.  Stone: horizontal Mason: unknown
<b>144.</b>	Here lyeth interred the body of Elisabeth wife of Richard Heich She departed this life July 6, 1714 aged 73.  Slate: upright Mason: unknown



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<b>145.</b>	<p>Here lieth interred the body of Richard Heich who departed this life March the 30<sup>th</sup> Anno Dom. 1703 in the 70<sup>th</sup> year of his age</p> <p style="text-align: center;">.</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: unknown</p>
<b>146.</b>	<p>Sacred to the memory of Ann wife of Saml. Weight and daughter of Henry Hulse (of this Parish) she died 5<sup>th</sup> Apri; 1795 in the 25<sup>th</sup> year of her age</p> <p>A loving wife, a mother kind Few did her here excel; To peace inclin'd this life resign'd In hopes with Christ to dwell.</p> <p>Slate: Hull &amp; Pollard, Le'ster</p>
<b>147.</b>	<p>Here lieth the body of Rebecca Heich wife of Richard who departed this life June 6<sup>th</sup> 1768 in the 42<sup>nd</sup> year of her age.</p> <p>Slate: leaning Mason: unknown.</p>

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<b>148.</b>	<p style="text-align: center;">Here    Here</p> <p style="text-align: center;">lieth the body of Elizabeth the wife of John Cooke of Ansty who departed this life April 17, 1771 aged 83 years</p> <p style="text-align: center;">lieth the body of John Cooke of Ansty who departed this life Jany. The 8<sup>th</sup> 1746/47 aged 65 years</p> <p style="text-align: center;">(Under left inscription.) Life is uncertain, death to All is sure Sin gave the wound which Christ alone can cure</p> <p style="text-align: center;">(Under right inscription) Disease and pain did in me reign Here was sore oppressed But God above did me remove unto his joyful rest</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Slate: upright double, leaning Mason: unknown</p>
<b>149.</b>	<p style="text-align: center;">Here lyeth the bodies of the children of John Cooke of Ansty &amp; Eliz. His wife daughter of Robert While. Robert Cooke departed this life Jan. the 22<sup>nd</sup> 1725 aged 14 years John departed this life Novemr. 20<sup>th</sup> 1723 aged 4 years Eliz. departed this life April the 28<sup>th</sup> 1731 aged 5 years</p> <p style="text-align: center;">The shorter was our time, the longer is Our rest. God took us in our youth Because it pleased him best.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Slate: upright, double leaning. Mason: unknown</p>

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<p><b>150.</b></p>	<p>In loving memory of Jonathan Yeomans died July 26<sup>th</sup> 1908 aged 60 years</p> <p>The time is short</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason W.T.Jee, Le'ster</p>
<p><b>151.</b></p>	<p>In loving memory of Elizabeth the beloved wife of Jonathan Yeomans died April 27<sup>th</sup> 1889 aged 39 years</p> <p>So soon passeth it away And we are gone.</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: W.T. Jee, Le'ster</p>
<p><b>152.</b></p>	<p>In loving memory of William Roland Edward Stibbe Born April 12<sup>th</sup> Died May 5<sup>th</sup> 1915</p> <p>Marble: upright Mason: unknown.</p>

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<b>153</b>	<p>H.B.          .....          1849          possibly Hannah Burchnall</p> <p>Slate: leaning against boundary wall          Mason: unknown.</p>
<b>154.</b>	<p>John son of          George &amp; Mary          Cooke of Cropston          Died Dec: 19          1731          aged 7 years.          (On reverse in 1964)          John their 4<sup>th</sup> son          22 May 1754          13 years</p> <p>Slate: leaning against boundary wall          Mason: unknown.</p>
<b>155.</b>	<p>In          loving memory          of          Mary Leeson          who died          March 20<sup>th</sup> 1909          aged 31.</p> <p>Marble: Cross (now missing) on simulated          rock, with kerbstone          Mason: unknown.</p>

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<p><b>156.</b></p>	<p>In loving memory of Thomas Newbold who died Jany. 4<sup>th</sup> 1911 aged 49 And of Sarah his beloved wife who died March 17<sup>th</sup> 1951 aged 92</p> <p>Marble: Upright, with kerbstone Mason: C. Southorn, Woodgate, Le'ster</p>
<p><b>157.</b></p>	<p>In loving memory of Noel Hamilton beloved son of George &amp; Eliza Barwell Born Dec. 25<sup>th</sup> 1918 Died Oct. 31<sup>st</sup> 1920</p> <p>Jesus takes the hand of this little child And leads him into heaven.</p> <p>Marble: Cross with Granite kerbstone Mason: unknown.</p>

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<p><b>158.</b></p>	<p>In ever loving memory of John Bradley beloved husband of the late Ann Bradley of Thurcaston who died May 16<sup>th</sup> 1918 aged 73 years Also of Sarah the beloved daughter of the above who died Feb. 28<sup>th</sup> 1901 Aged 8 years</p> <p>Peace, perfect peace.</p> <p>Slate: upright with kerbstone Mason: A. Fisher, Le'ster</p>
<p><b>159.</b></p>	<p>In Loving memory of Thomas Barwell Died 26 June 1927 Aged 56 years Also Ellen Barwell Died 4<sup>th</sup> Jan. 1957 Aged 86 years</p> <p>Loved and remembered Not only today, but always.</p> <p>Marble: horizontal with kerbstones Mason: unknown</p>

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<b>160.</b>	<p>In Memory of John Bowes Late Master of the Thurcaston National School Who died May the 20<sup>th</sup> 1877 Aged 23 years</p> <p>His end was Peace.</p> <p>Stone: upright, badly eroded Mason: F. Yates, Le'ster.</p>		
<b>161.</b>	<p>Sacred to the memory of</p> <table style="width: 100%; border: none;"> <tr> <td style="width: 50%; vertical-align: top;"> <p>Ann, the wife of Daniel Glover who departed this life 27th Dec 1828 aged 65 years</p> </td> <td style="width: 50%; vertical-align: top;"> <p>Daniel Glover of Cropston who departed this life on the 13th Augt. 1832 aged 83 years</p> </td> </tr> </table> <p>When we put off this fleshy load We're from a thousand mischiefs free Forever present with our God Where we have longed and wished to be.</p> <p>Slate: upright, double Mason: Pollard, Swithland.</p>	<p>Ann, the wife of Daniel Glover who departed this life 27th Dec 1828 aged 65 years</p>	<p>Daniel Glover of Cropston who departed this life on the 13th Augt. 1832 aged 83 years</p>
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<b>162.</b>	<p>Sacred to the memory of Samuel Simpkin who died December 14<sup>th</sup> 1844 aged 87 years Also of Jane his wife who died April 3<sup>rd</sup> 1844 aged 91 years Also Benjamin Simpkin son of the above who died August 10<sup>th</sup> 1837 aged 55 years</p> <p>Slate: leaning forwards Mason: J. Yates, Le'ster.</p>
<b>163.</b>	<p>Here lyeth ye body of Benjamin Simpkin who departed this life March 5<sup>th</sup> 1723/4 aged 49</p> <p>A loving husband, a father dear a faithful friend lies buried here My time is past, my glass is run My children dear prepare to come.</p> <p>Slate: upright. Mason: unknown.</p>
<b>164.</b>	<p>In loving memory of Ellen beloved wife of Henry Graves who – died Oct. 13<sup>th</sup> 1928 aged 68 years. Also of John Victor Lygo, younger son of Henry &amp; Ellen Graves, killed in action, aged 21 years.</p> <p>For so He give His beloved sleep.</p> <p>Marble: inscribed kerbstone, (some sides lying face down) Mason: unknown.</p>



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<p><b>165.</b></p>	<p>In loving memory of Jessie wife of Frederick Marshall Died Oct. 1<sup>st</sup> 1927</p> <p>Granite: cross outside inscribed kerbstone. Mason: unknown.</p>
<p><b>166.</b></p>	<p>In memorium William Hugh Warburton Died March 5<sup>th</sup> 1917 aged 45 years</p> <p>“Requiescat in Pace”</p> <p>and his wife Mary Rebecca Died Oct. 6<sup>th</sup> 1963 aged 90 years</p> <p>Granite: upright, with kerbstones. (sinking)</p>
<p><b>167.</b></p>	<p>In loving memory of Ellen Ayre (of Cropston) died July 6<sup>th</sup> 1915 aged 74 years</p> <p>The memory of the just is blessed.</p> <p>Marble: upright, leaning. Lower inscription illegible Mason: unknown</p>

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<b>168.</b>	<p>Frances Alice Fuller Born May 9<sup>th</sup> 1872 died January 22<sup>nd</sup> 1873.</p> <p>Slate: against boundary wall Mason: unknown</p>
<b>169.</b>	<p>Sacred to the memory of Mary Ann daughter of Thos. &amp; Mary Southernwood She departed this life on the 11<sup>th</sup> of April 1826 aged 1 year and 8 months.</p> <p>Slate, upright, against boundary wall (J 6 inscribed bottom right.) Mason: J. Pollard</p>
<b>170.</b>	<p>Here lyes body of Francis, the son of Francis &amp; Mary Burdon who died March 25<sup>th</sup> 1718 aged 1 year.</p> <p>Slate: upright against boundary wall Chipped r.h. corner. Mason: unknown.</p>

<p><b>171.</b></p>	<p>In          loving memory of          Sarah the beloved wife of          Samuel Sharp          who died October 14<sup>th</sup> 1902          aged 64 years</p> <p>“Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord.”</p> <p>Also of          Samuel Sharp          who died May 9<sup>th</sup> 1905          aged 68 years</p> <p>“He that overcometh shall inherit all things          and I will be his God”</p> <p>“And God shall wipe away all tears”</p> <p>Slate: upright          Mason: Lindley Bros., Loughborough.</p>
<p><b>172.</b></p>	<p>In loving memory of          William Thomas Wigston          died May 8<sup>th</sup> 1904          aged 65 years          Also Wolston          brother of the above          died Feby. 11<sup>th</sup> 1906          aged 55 years</p> <p>“Thy will oh Lord be one”</p> <p>Slate: upright          Mason: W.T. Jee, Leicester.</p>

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<b>173.</b>	<p>Annie E. Verity Passed to her rest Sept. 4<sup>th</sup> 1904</p> <p>“She hath done what she could”</p> <p>Marble: kerbstone inscription. Mason: unknown.</p>
<b>174.</b>	<p>In loving memory of Henry Graves who died Feb. 25<sup>th</sup> 1924, - in his 90<sup>th</sup> year Also Sarah, his wife, who died Aug. 20<sup>th</sup> - 1880, aged 47 years.</p> <p>Marble: inscribed kerbstone Mason: unknown.</p>
<b>175.</b>	<p>I.H.S. In loving memory of Herbert Stanyon</p> <p>Stone: cross, upright (Inscription on plinth below ground) Mason: unknown.</p>

176.

In loving memory of  
George Padmore  
of Cropston (formerly of Leicester)  
who departed this life March 4<sup>th</sup> 1905, -  
aged 74 years

Also Emma Maria Padmore  
wife of the above  
who departed this life Dec. 29<sup>th</sup> 1922 -  
aged 92 years

William Padmore  
the dearly beloved son of the above  
who entered into rest Nov. 23<sup>rd</sup> 1905 –  
aged 36 years

Also of – George Son of George Padmore  
of Cropston

died May 28<sup>th</sup> 1944 aged 81 years

In loving memory of - Edith Padmore  
who departed this life July 9<sup>th</sup> 1909 –  
aged 50 years

Also John Thomas Padmore  
died Dec. 28<sup>th</sup> 1928 aged 57 years

Also of John Kenneth - Padmore  
died Oct. 6<sup>th</sup> 1970 aged 70 years

Lastly of Nancy Wilson Padmore  
widow of John Kenneth Padmore  
died 7<sup>th</sup> October 2003 aged 97 years

Marble: tomb  
Mason: W.T. Jee.

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<b>177.</b>	<p>In loving memory of Benjamin Henry Graves who died June 15<sup>th</sup> 1903 aged 24 years John Victor Lygo Graves R.C.A. Died of wounds in France Apr. 24<sup>th</sup> 1918 Buried in British Cemetery, Querrieu, Aged 21 years.</p> <p>Marble: upright cross Mason: J. Hilton</p>
<b>178.</b>	<p>In loving memory of Joseph Griffin Ward Born July 6<sup>th</sup> 1868 Died August 20<sup>th</sup> 1096</p> <p>“He is not dead but only lieth sleeping The sweet refuge of His Saviour’s breast And far away from sorrow, toil and weeping He is not dead but only taking rest”</p> <p>Marble: cross broken at junction with plinth Mason: unknown</p>
<b>179.</b>	<p>In loving memory of Thomas Arthur Preston for nearly 20 years Rector of Thurcaston who passed to his rest Feb. 6<sup>th</sup> 1905 aged 71 years</p> <p>“He being dead yet speaketh forever with the Lord”</p> <p>Marble: upright with kerbstone. Mason: unknown.</p>

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<b>180.</b>	<p>In loving memory of Ernest youngest son of the late Revd. George Preston of Little Dean's Yard, Westminster, died Oct. 10<sup>th</sup> 1894, aged 54 years.</p> <p>Marble: upright with kerbstone Mason: J. Hilton, Le'ster</p>
<b>181.</b>	<p>In loving memory of William Arthur Watts The Cedars, Thurcaston who died June 18<sup>th</sup> 1914 aged 47 years.</p> <p>Marble: upright cross with kerbstone Plinth partially buried Mason: unknown.</p>

<p><b>182.</b></p>	<p>In loving memory of Harold eldest son of John Tom &amp; Mary E. Nichols of Elmfield, Cropston who passed away March 20<sup>th</sup> 1905 aged 23 years “To live in the hearts of those we love – is not to die” Also in memory of John Tom Nichols formerly of Elmfield, Cropston who passed away at 31 Western Park Road, Leicester On September 6<sup>th</sup> 1915 Aged 58 years “The memory of the upright liveth” Also of Evelyn Mary Frearson formerly of Elmfield, Cropston who passed away on March 13<sup>th</sup> 1956 aged 67 years R.I.P. Also of Mary E. Nichols Of Elmfield, Cropston Who passed away on April 6<sup>th</sup> 1933 Aged 75 years R.I.P.</p> <p>Marble: cross, upright with kerbstone Mason: unknown</p>
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<p><b>183.</b></p>	<p>In loving memory of Thomas Wright (late of Wa.....) died 2<sup>nd</sup> Sep. 1885 aged 70 years Also of Maria wife of the above died 2<sup>nd</sup> Decr. 18... dged 71 years “For so he giveth his beloved sleep”</p> <p>Stone: leaning to right, standing on face down gravestone Mason: unknown</p>
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<p><b>184.</b></p>	<p>Beneath are interred the remains of (L.H. side) William Peet of Cropstone who departed this transitory life on the 5<sup>th</sup> day of November in the year of our Lord 1811 and in the 59<sup>th</sup> year of his age Join'd we were in mutual love And so we did remain Till parted were by God above In Heaven to meet again (R.H. side) Barbara, wife of William Peet, of Cropston She resigned this Life in hope of a better the 7<sup>th</sup> of February 1801 aged 45 years "Afflictions sore long time I bore Physicians were in vain Till death did seize as God did please And eased me of my pain."</p> <p>Slate: upright double Mason: unknown</p>
<p><b>185.</b></p>	<p>Arthur William Taylor, M.A. Rector of Thurcaston for 29 years died 1948 aged 93 Also His beloved wife, Edith Bardwell died 1948 aged 89 "Emmanuel"</p> <p>Marble: upright Mason: Collin Bros.</p>

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<b>186.</b>	<p>In loving memory of Edward beloved husband of Fanny Spencer Died 11<sup>th</sup> July 1934 aged 71 years</p> <p>Slate: upright with kerbstone Mason: Hancock, Rothley</p>
<b>187.</b>	<p>In loving memory of my beloved wife Sarah Ellen Spencer at rest 24<sup>th</sup> Decr. 1933 Also of Sam. husband of the above who fell asleep 8<sup>th</sup> Feby. 1939</p> <p>“Re-united”</p> <p>Marble: upright with kerbstone Mason: G. Collin, Regent St., Le’ster.</p>
<b>188.</b>	<p>In loving memory of Charles Fox died 13<sup>th</sup> Novr. 1930 aged 68 years “at rest”</p> <p>Marble: upright cross with kerbstone Mason: unknown</p>

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<b>189.</b>	<p style="text-align: center;">             In loving memory of              Joseph Arthur Hilton              Who passed away              February 6<sup>th</sup> 1927              Aged 55 years              “called to higher service”              Also Emma              Beloved wife of              Joseph Arthur Hilton              Died September 18<sup>th</sup> 1950              Also Winifred Hilton-Smith              Beloved daughter of              Joseph and Emma Hilton              Died March 6<sup>th</sup> 1959              Aged 65 years              Also              Sydney Rayner Hilton              Beloved son of              Joseph and Emma Hilton              Died February 7<sup>th</sup> 1955              Aged 58 years           </p> <p style="text-align: center;">             Pink Marble: upright cross with kerbstone              Mason: Fisher Ltd. Le’ster.           </p>
<b>190.</b>	<p style="text-align: center;">             In loving memory of              Jane              Beloved wife of              Charles Fox              Died Jan. 16<sup>th</sup> 1916              Aged 61 years           </p> <p style="text-align: center;">             Marble: upright with kerbing              Mason: S. Ward, Le’ster           </p>

<p><b>191.</b></p>	<p>In loving memory of Edward Atkinson who died March 12<sup>th</sup> 1915 aged 78 years Also of Mary wife of the above who died March 6<sup>th</sup> 1919 aged 82 years And William son of Edward &amp; Mary Atkinson who died April 3<sup>rd</sup> 1900 aged 33 years Also of Lydia Ann their eldest daughter who died January 13<sup>th</sup> 1914 Aged 53 years M.A. / L.A. / W.A. / E.A.</p> <p>Marble: upright with kerbstone around Plot c.15ft x 7ft. Mason: Agar Bros., Syston</p>
<p><b>192.</b></p>	<p>In loving memory of William Leake who died 18<sup>th</sup> August 1926 aged 65 years Also his beloved wife Sarah Jane who died 2<sup>nd</sup> April 1922 aged 60 years</p> <p>“Peace”</p> <p>I.L.M.O. our dear sister Margaret Simpson Aged 48 years R.I.P.</p> <p>Marble: upright with kerbstone Mason: unknown.</p>

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<p><b>193.</b></p>	<p>In loving memory of John Leake who died August 29<sup>th</sup> 1917 aged 72 years 30 years Sexton of this Church Also Elizabeth his wife who died December 27<sup>th</sup> 1916 aged 71 years Also Ernest their son killed in France April 9<sup>th</sup> 1917 Aged 41 years</p> <p>“At rest”</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: W.T. Jee, Rutland St.</p>
<p><b>194.</b></p>	<p>In loving memory of William Edward Bailey Born at Berhampore, Orissa, India, March 19 1860 Died Oct. 15 1918</p> <p>“In manum tuam”</p> <p>Also Mary Lizzie His wife Died June 17<sup>th</sup> 1946 Aged 85 years</p> <p>Granite: upright block with kerbstone Mason: unknown</p>

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<p><b>195.</b></p>	<p>In loving memory of Jane widow of John Spencer died 16<sup>th</sup> September 1915 aged 87 Also of Henry Spencer died 11<sup>th</sup> September 1913 aged 57 Sarah Anne Spencer died 20<sup>th</sup> August 1919 aged 59 Mary Jane Spencer died 14<sup>th</sup> November 1926 aged 62 Children of the above John and Jane Spencer</p> <p>Stone: upright with kerbstone Mason: unknown</p>
<p><b>196.</b></p>	<p>No inscription</p> <p>Granite: upright cross with kerbstone Mason: unknown</p>

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<b>197.</b>	<p>In loving memory of Mary Walker who passed away Nov. 28<sup>th</sup> 1928 aged 85 years</p> <p>“Abide with me”</p> <p>Also Martha Blackburn who died Feb. 7<sup>th</sup> 1926 aged 57 years</p> <p>Marble: upright flower vase Mason: unknown.</p>
<b>198.</b>	<p>In loving memory of Arthur Daykin Died Novr. 22 1932 aged 5 years</p> <p>“He shall give his angels charge over thee”</p> <p>Marble: upright flower vase Mason: unknown.</p>
<b>199.</b>	<p>In affectionate memory of Elizabeth daughter of the late Joseph &amp; Eliza Reynolds of Arnesby who died March 9<sup>th</sup> 1930 aged 71 years</p> <p>Christ is Risen</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: unknown</p>



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<b>200.</b>	<p>In loving memory of  William Lowe  of Glenfield  died Feb.28<sup>th</sup> 1915 aged 70 years  Also of his wife  Mary Anne  died April 15<sup>th</sup> 1919 aged 76 years</p> <p>“Rest eternal grant unto them Lord  and may light perpetual shine upon them”</p> <p>Granite: upright cross with kerbstone  Mason: unknown.</p>
<b>201.</b>	<p>In  loving memory of  Kate Rollet  who died Mar. 29<sup>th</sup> 1928  aged 65 years  “Be thou faithful until death and  I will give thee a crown of life”  Also of Walter  beloved husband of the above  who died August 2<sup>nd</sup> 1935  aged 67 years  “Re-united”  Also  Their daughter  Kathleen A. Rollet  died November 12<sup>th</sup> 1968  aged 79 years  Constance H. Rollet  died October 14<sup>th</sup> 1991 aged 88 years  Alfred W. Rollet  died March 1<sup>st</sup> 1975  aged 83 years  also Isabella  dear wife of the above  died Sept. 25<sup>th</sup> 1989  aged 87 years</p> <p>Marble: upright cross  Mason: unknown</p>

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<p><b>202.</b></p>	<p>In loving memory of Florence Mary Wood who died May 7 1926 aged 46 years</p> <p>“One of the best and sadly missed”</p> <p>Also her husband Walter died November 17<sup>th</sup> 1950 Aged 75 years</p> <p>Marble: upright with marble Flower vase within kerbstone Mason: unknown.</p>
<p><b>203.</b></p>	<p>To the memory of James Wallace Muston. M.A. Head Master of Alderman Newton’s School 1891 – 1923 who died 26<sup>th</sup> of November 1923 aged 65 years</p> <p>“Requiescat in pace”</p> <p>Also Cedric Arthur Kingsley Muston son of the above died 7<sup>th</sup> June 1969</p> <p>Granite: leaning column, grave sinking Mason: unknown</p>

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<b>204.</b>	<p>In loving memory of Samuel Parker McConnell who died December 11<sup>th</sup> 1921</p> <p>Granite: upright with kerbstone Mason: unknown</p>
<b>205.</b>	<p>In ever loving memory of Alfred Wilson Emms. M.D., J.P. died Christmas Day 1920 in his 71<sup>st</sup> year “Write me as one that loves his fellowmen”</p> <p>Ada, beloved wife of the above died August 6<sup>th</sup> 1924 in her 90<sup>th</sup> year. “I shall go to Him” 2 Samuel 12 v.23</p> <p>Ada Frances Eva Bowmer beloved daughter of Alfred &amp; Ada Emms died July 16<sup>th</sup> 1956 in her 81<sup>st</sup> year “Now with her loved ones at journeys end”</p> <p>Red Marble: cross, leaning forwards With kerbstone Mason: unknown</p>

<p><b>206.</b></p>	<p>In loving memory Of James Edward Potts Rector of Thurcaston 1905 – 1919 Born Jan. 2<sup>nd</sup> 1856 Died Oct. 13<sup>th</sup> 1919 “His servants shall serve him and they shall see His face” Also his wife Annie Grace Born March 14<sup>th</sup> 1861 Died July 26<sup>th</sup> 1943 Katherine Grace Potts second daughter of James Edward &amp; Annie Grace Born 25<sup>th</sup> November 1894 Died 30<sup>th</sup> Dec. 1965</p> <p>Stone: sinking &amp; tipping forward Mason: unknown</p>
<p><b>207.</b></p>	<p>R.I.P. Joseph Potts Vicar of Aubourn, Lincolnshire 1890 – 1911 born 3 June 1841 died 2 October 1911 and Jane, his wife born June 4 1840 died August 21 1927 buried at Reading.</p> <p>Marble: upright cross Mason: unknown</p>

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<b>208.</b>	<p>Sacred to the memory of John Hughes who departed this life March 1<sup>st</sup> 1853 in the 57<sup>th</sup> year of his age Also of Sarah, his wife who departed this life Nov. 18<sup>th</sup> 1866 in the 71<sup>st</sup> year of her age</p> <p>“Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord”</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: Broadbent, Lester.</p>
<b>209.</b>	<p>In loving memory of John Edward Harrison passed away 1<sup>st</sup> April 1930 aged 60 years</p> <p>Also Edith Emily passed away 12<sup>th</sup> April 1933 aged 55 years</p> <p>“Rest in Peace”</p> <p>Marble: inscribed kerbstone Mason: G. Collin Regent St. Le’ster.</p>
<b>210.</b>	<p>Charles Johnson died April 20<sup>th</sup> 1926 A token of respect from his fellow workers</p> <p>Marble: flower vase, lead lettering disappearing Mason: unknown</p>

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<p><b>211.</b></p>	<p>In Loving memory of Hannah Kirkby Beloved wife of James Kirkby Who departed this life Oct. 24<sup>th</sup> 1931 Aged 62 years</p> <p>“at rest”</p> <p>Marble: upright Mason: unknown</p>
<p><b>212.</b></p>	<p>In loving memory of Harriet Carr Died Jan. 7<sup>th</sup> 1932 aged 78</p> <p>“Peace, perfect peace”</p> <p>Marble: flower vase, lettering eroded Mason: unknown</p>
<p><b>213.</b></p>	<p>In loving memory of Fanny beloved wife of Edward Spencer died 13<sup>th</sup> January 1932 aged 65 years</p> <p>Slate, upright, resting against graveyard wall Mason: Hancock, Rothley</p>

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<p><b>214.</b></p>	<p>In loving memory of Wilhemina Billson died January 19<sup>th</sup> 1933 aged 72 years “At rest” Also of Robert Ernest Billson her beloved husband died June 18<sup>th</sup> 1939 aged 76 years  “Re-united”  Grey Marble: upright cross with square flower container block within kerbstone. Mason: Fishers, Le’ster.</p>
<p><b>215.</b></p>	<p>In loving memory of John Henry Sarson Sills died 21<sup>st</sup> March 1933 aged 65 years Also Florence Elsie wife of the above died 28<sup>th</sup> June 1952 aged 83 years  Marble: upright Mason: unknown.</p>

<p><b>216.</b></p>	<p>In loving memory of  Thomas Herbert Orme  died 4<sup>th</sup> Jan. 1934  aged 53 years</p> <p>“Peace, perfect peace”</p> <p>(inscription on plinth for flower vase  now missing)</p> <p>In loving memory  of  Thomas. H. Orme  died Jany. 4<sup>th</sup> 1934  aged 53 years  Late of Nigeria  West Africa</p> <p>Granite: upright with kerbstone, lead lettering  Falling out of peg holes  Mason: unknown</p>
<p><b>217.</b></p>	<p>Charlotte Anne  wife of Alfred Smith  Born 25<sup>th</sup> Dec. 1874  Died 12<sup>th</sup> May 1934  Alfred Smith  Born 19 March 1876  Died 1 May 1956  “Rest in Peace”  Percy Walter Neale 1900 – 1980</p> <p>(engraved on stone with flower container within kerbstone)</p> <p>In loving memory of  Percy Neale                      Edith Neale  died 1<sup>st</sup> July 1989              died 21<sup>st</sup> February 1991  aged 89 years                      aged 85 years  Together in everlasting love</p> <p>Slate: upright with kerbstone  Mason: unknown</p>



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<b>218</b>	<p>Aged.....</p> <p>Slate: leaning against boundary wall With top of stone missing. Mason: unknown</p>
<b>219.</b>	<p>Here lieth ye body of Henry Lakin who died June ye 11<sup>th</sup> Anno Dom 1703 aged 65 years</p>
<b>220.</b>	<p>In affectionate remembrance of Ellen the wife of Joseph Reeves of Bradgate Park who died December 10<sup>th</sup> 1868 aged 58 years Also of Joseph Reeves husband of the above died November 9<sup>th</sup> 1882 aged 73 years</p> <p>Slate: leaning on north-west boundary wall Repositioned when Harrison Room built. Mason: unknown</p>

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<b>221.</b>	<p>In memory of William third son of Joseph &amp; Ellen Reeves (of Bradgate Park) who died August 21<sup>st</sup> 1875 aged 27 years.</p> <p>Slate: upright Mason: unknown</p>
<b>222.</b>	<p>In affectionate remembrance of Henry Sykes who died July 29<sup>th</sup> 1868 aged 89 years Also of Mary his first wife who died Nov.2<sup>nd</sup> 1831 and was buried at Rothley aged 37 years also Ann his second wife who died June 21<sup>st</sup> 1875 and was buried in Leicester Cemetery Aged 77 years</p> <p>Blessed are the dead which Die in the Lord</p> <p>Slate: horizontal Mason: W.T. Jee</p>

IN PROUD AND GRATEFUL MEMORY  
OF THOSE FROM  
THURCASTON AND CROPSTON  
WHO LAID DOWN THEIR LIVES  
IN THE GREAT WARS  
1914 – 1918                      1939 – 1945

## Additional Memorials

<p><b>A.</b></p>	<p>In L M Of Thomas Lee D...</p> <p>Top section of a cross Ceramic: horizontal under south wall of Churchyard Mason: unknown</p>
<p><b>B.</b></p>	<p>... Of Hannah Lee Died. Feb.11. 1914 Age. 89</p> <p>Bottom section of a cross Ceramic: horizontal under south wall of Churchyard Mason: unknown</p>
<p><b>C.</b></p>	<p>Gone but not forgotten</p> <p>Concrete: small cross under south wall of Churchyard Mason: unknown</p>
<p><b>D.</b></p>	<p>Close by Stone 116</p> <p>Stone: circular, horizontal Engraved with 3 flowers and the word 'Poppy' Mason: unknown</p>

## Additional Memorials

<b>E.</b>	Close by stone 174 Rosebowl, detached from its base Mason: unknown
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