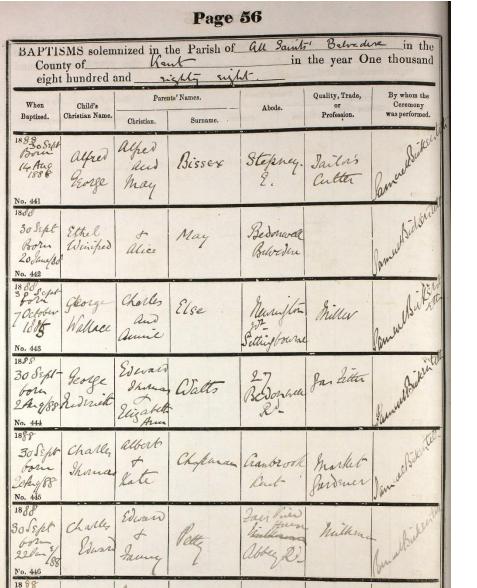
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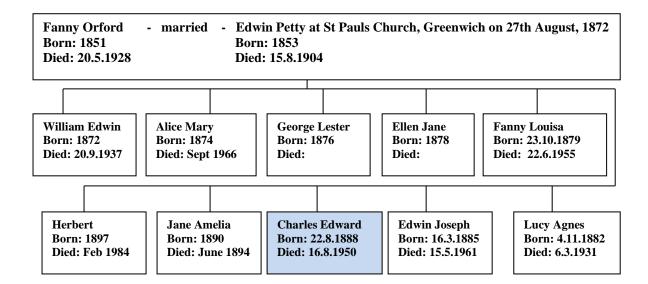
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Family Lineage: William Luff John Luff John Luff Mary Ann Luff Stephen Luff Bapt:13.8.1811 Born: Circa 1700 Bapt: 28.4.1728 Bapt: 2.5.1761 Bapt:13.3.1785 Buried:25.2.1769 Died:26.1.1867 Died: 13.10.1867 Died: Died:23.9.1851 Fanny Orford Bapt: 7.12.1851 Died: 20.5.1928

Charles Edward Petty was born in Belvedere, Kent on 22nd August,1888. He is the son of Fanny & Edwin Petty. Charles was baptised at All Saints Church, Belvedere on 30th September, 1888.







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The 1891 Census shows Charles, aged 2, living with his family at Fair View, Abbey Road, Belvedere, Kent

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George T Petty	Son		14 Male		Chelsea, Middx
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Lucy Petty	Daughter		7 F/male	!	Belvedere, Kent
Edwin Petty	Son		6 Male		Belvedere, Kent
Charles Petty	Son		2 Male		Belvedere, Kent
Jane Petty	Daughter		1 F/male	2	Belvedere, Kent

When the 1891 census was taken on April 5th, the total population of England, Wales and Scotland was recorded as 33,015,701.

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Lucy Petty	Daughter		17 F/male	•	Belvedere, Kent
Edwin Petty	Son		16 Male	Dairyman	Belvedere, Kent
Charles Petty	Son		13 Male		Belvedere, Kent
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When the 1901 census was taken on 31 March 1901, the total population of England, Wales and Scotland was recorded as 36,999,946. From 1801 the population had nearly quadrupled.

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The 1911 Census shows Charles, aged 23 and single, still living at 15, Upper Abbey Road, Belvedere. His occupation is a milk seller.

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The 1911 census for England and Wales was taken on the night of Sunday 2 April, 1911. The count included all individual households, plus institutions such as prisons, workhouses, naval vessels and merchant vessels, and it also attempted to make an approximate count of the homeless. The census also includes records for the Channel Islands, the Isle of Man, Royal Navy ships at sea, and overseas military establishments.

The 1911 census documents

Prior to 1911, the household schedules were destroyed once the details had been transferred into the enumerators' summary books. But for the 1911 census both sets of records have been preserved, which means you can see the census documents filled out in householders own hand (complete with mistakes and additional comments). The household schedules, plus their transcription, are available to view.

Fertility in marriage and occupational data

In response to government concerns the 1911 census also asked additional, more specific questions to each household, about fertility in marriage and occupational data. At the time there were falling birth rates, large numbers of people emigrating, and the nation was in reportedly poor health across the demographic spectrum. This was coupled with the rise (and fall) of businesses during what were rapidly advancing industrial and technological times, so the government felt it necessary to understand more about the health of the nation, and which industries were in general growth or decline.

The 1911 census and the suffragettes

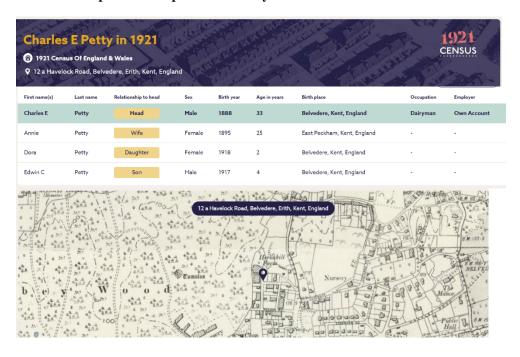
Frustrated with the government's refusal to grant women the vote, a large number of women boycotted the 1911 census by refusing to be counted. There were two forms of protest. In the first, the women (or their husbands) refused to fill in the form, often recording their protest on the household schedule. In the second, women evaded the census by staying away from their home for the whole night, and so did not lodge their protest on the household schedule. In both cases, any details relating to individual women in the households will be missing from the census. For the family historian, a refusal to fill in the form (accompanied by a protest statement) at least registers the presence of a woman, or women, in the household. But the women who evaded the count by leaving their home for the night are entirely untraceable via the census. The exact number of women who boycotted the census is not known, though some people have estimated that it may be as many as several thousand.

Charles Edward Petty married Annie Barton on 17th March, 1917 at All Saints Church, Belvedere, Kent.

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Charles Edward Petty - married - Annie Barton on 17.3.1917 at Belvedere, Kent Born: 22.8.1888 Born: 3.10.1894 Died: 16.8.1950 Died: 1.4.1960 **Edwin Charles** Dora **Charles George** Living Born: 1917 Born: 1918 Born: 1922 Born: Died: 1992 Died: 2009 Died: 1982 Died:

The 1921 Census shows Charles, now aged 33, living with his family at 12a Havelock Road, Belvedere, Kent. Charles puts his occupation as a Dairyman.



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The 1939 Registration record shows Charles living with his family at 65 Fendyke Road, Erith, Kent. Charles is a dairy Farmer.

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In December 1938 it was announced in the House of Commons that in the event of war, a National Register would be taken that listed the personal details of every civilian in Great Britain and Northern Ireland. This Register was to be a critical tool in coordinating the war effort at home. It would be used to issue identity cards, organise rationing and more.

On September 1st, 1939 Germany invaded Poland, putting the wheels in motion for Britain to declare war on the 3rd. On September 5th, the National Registration Act received royal assent and Registrar General Sir Sylvanus Vivian announced that National Registration Day would be September 29th. Having issued forms to more than 41 million people, the enumerators were charged with the task of visiting every household in Great Britain and Northern Ireland to collect the names, addresses, martial statuses and other key details of every civilian in the country, issuing identity cards on the spot.

The identity cards issued were essential items from the point the Register was taken right up until 1952, when the legal requirement to carry them ceased. Until that point, every member of the civilian population had to be able to present their card upon request by an official (children's cards were looked after by parents), or bring them to a police station within 48 hours. The reasons were numerous – it was essential to know who everyone was, of course, and to track their movements as they moved house, as well as to keep track of the population as babies were born and people passed away. The 1939 Register, then, represents one of the most important documents in 20th century Britain. The information it contains not only helped toward the war effort, it was also used in the founding of the NHS.

In addition, the 1931 census was destroyed during an air raid on London and the 1941 census was never taken. The 1939 Register is therefore the only surviving overview of the civil population of England and Wales spanning the period 1921-1951. It bridges a census gap that risked losing an entire generation, and is a fascinating resource for anyone interested in understanding 20th century Britain and its people.

Charles Edward Petty died on 16th August, 1950 and left £2,359 to his widow Annie Petty.

PETTY Charles Edward of 32 New-road Abbey Wood London died 16 August 1950 at St. Nicholas Hospital Plumstead London Probate London 2 November to Annie Petty widow. Effects £2359 9s. 1d.

Annie Petty died on 1st April. 1960.