

1807 Inclosure Claims List				
Surname	Forename	Claim No. (LC = Late claim)	Notes	1812 Status
Bane	James	54	Grocer and landowner.	
Barber	Elizabeth	LC	Her marital status is uncertain.	Uncertain
Benslin	Rebecca	57	She was a spinster and the sister of Mary Boulton. Claim No57 was in their joint names.	Spinster
Benslin	Rebecca	71	She was a spinster and the sister of Mary Boulton. Claim No71 was in her sole name.	Spinster
Beverley	John	68	Died in 1835 aged 61	
Boulton	Mary	57	Nee Benslin. Wife of William Boulton and sister of Rebecca Benslin. Claim No57 was in their joint names.	Married. Held land in own name.
Boutell	Charles	LC	Reverend. Baptist Priest.	
Brunson	William	85	Died 1847 aged 91	
Bushell	William	30	Died in 1823 aged 55	
Carrier	John	63	He moved to Great Yarmouth soon after 1812 where he died in 1826.	
Chapman	Robert	78	Died in 1841 aged 83	
Church	John & Robert	48	It is not clear if they were brothers or father & son.	
Church Wardens		16	They claimed ownership of a double cottage called the Town House at Cess that was let.	
Cobb	John	25	He claimed a single cottage in 1807 but had sold it to William Wells by 1812.	
Cockrill	Daniel	82	He lived all his life at Reedham but owned land at Martham.	

Conyard	Lucy	4	Wife of Benjamin Conyard, nee Mileham. Despite being married, she owned land in her own name that was inherited from her family.	Married. Held land in own name.
Cookson	Elizabeth	8	Nee Creasey. She was the widow of Jospeh Cookson. She inherited the Manor of Moregrave & Knightley at Martham from her own family	Widow
Crane	Thomas (Jnr)	39	Lived with his parents at what is now Oaklands, Cranes Green, Martham.	
Crane	Thomas, Snr	75	Died in 1812 during the Inclosure process. Lived at Oakland, Cranes Green, Martham.	
Creasey	Diana	9	Spinster. Inherited a substantial amount of land from her father.	Spinster
Creasey	William	10	(1717-1797). Even though William had died 10 years earlier his Executor, Thomas Wall was still administering his estate and in 1807 claimed ownership of a house, with barns, stables and other buildings plus 75 acres of land that was let to Benjamin Rising. The copyhold land etc must have been disposed of before November 1807 because the Commissioners did not list any land in their final summary of claims in respect of William Creasey dec'd or his Executors	
Creasey	William	21	Born in 1776. In 1807 the Commissioners assessed his claim as being 12 acres, one rood and 37 perches of land that was off Pratt's Loke, Martham.	
Davey	William	83	He lived almost all his life at Ormesby St Margaret but owned some land in Martham.	
Deary	Sarah	29	Widow of John Deary. Nee Whitaker.	Widow
Ditcham	Samuel	87	Died in 1822 aged 71	
Dixon	Thomas	36	He was a shoemaker who lived at the Island Site at Martham.	
Docking	George	14	He claimed land in 1807 but was not allotted any in 1812.	
Drake	Eleanor	80	Widow of Daniel Drake. Maiden name unknown.	Widow

Dunt	Aaron	46	Died in 1834.	
English	Elizabeth	40	Nee Annison. Widow of William English who died in 1791.	Widow
Ensor	John	LC	Inherited land from his father-in-law at Rollesby and became Lord of the Manor there.	
Fairweather	William	32	He was a carpenter and lived at Damgate. He died in 1811 aged 77.	
Faulkner	John	77	He lived at Damgate Corner. He sold the land he claimed in 1807 to John Littleboy before 1812.	
Francis	Thomas (Jnr.)	51	Thomas (1771-1820) & his brother-in-law William Rising made a joint claim in 1807 for the Vicarage and glebe land they held on lease from the Dean & Chapter of Norwich.	
Francis	Thomas (Snr.)	60	(1743-1837) Gentleman landowner of Grange Farm, Martham.	
Gallant	Robert	5	He lived on a tiny plot near Common Road, Cess but little else is known about him.	
Garnham	William John	74	Very successful shopkeeper at Martham.	
Gedge	William	LC	William lived at Gibbet Hill on a plot of just over an acre.	
Goose	John	3	John was a brickmaker and owned land at Cess where he lived.	
Gray	Elizabeth	43	Nee Creasey. Second wife of Jonathan Gray.	Married. Held land in own name.
Greenacre	John	LC	He owned a plot of just over one acre near Common Road, Cess.	
Grimson	Aaron	13	Aaron's 1807 claim for land at Damgate was confirmed in 1812 in joint names with his wife Lydia.	
Grove	Thomas	45	Lord of the Manor of Martham.	
Harrison	William	65	In 1807 he owned the windmill at Hemsby Road. By 1812 it was owned by his son-in-law William Wells.	
Hill	Robert	LC	He owned a plot of just over one acre near Common Road, Cess.	
Hindle	Nathaniel	33	He owned a tiny freehold plot of only 20 perches near the junction of White Street and The Green.	
Huggins	William	20	He lived with his wife on a small plot of land just north of Common Road, Cess.	

Huntingdon	John Barker	90	Major landowner who lived at Burnley Hall, East Somerton.	
Jeffrey	John Gifford	23	He was a surgeon from Great Yarmouth who invested in land and property.	
Ledgett	Mary	LC	Nee Myhill. Widow of John Leggett. Lived at Cess.	Widow
LeNain	John	38	He owned a semi-detached cottage that today is 17a The Green.	
Linford	The brothers	42	The brothers Robert, Crispin, Francis, William, James & George claimed and were allotted land off Cess Lane, Cess.	
Linford	William	26	William and his wife Sarah are believed to have lived where Oak Tree Close is today. He is not related to the Linford brothers shown above.	
Littleboy	Sarah	76	Nee Fairweather. Widow of Robert Littleboy. The land she claimed in 1807 was allotted to her son, Robert, in 1812.	Widow
Lusher	Thomas	19	Thomas was a tailor and lived near the junction of what is now White Street and Portobella Drive.	
Manship	John	47	He owned freehold land near Church Cottages, White Street and on the boundary of Martham & Somerton.	
Manship	William	69	(1742-1807). Lived at West Somerton. He was not allotted land in 1812 because he died before then.	
Mapes	Edmund	31	Lord of the Manor of Rollesby. Claimed a substantial amount of land in Martham in 1807 but he died in 1811 when the land was inherited by his son-in-law, John Ensor.	
Mitchells	John	17	He lived on a two acre plot of land at Damgate, Martham.	
Moore	John	34	John claimed ownership of a tiny 14 perches of land in the occupation of Thomas MORTAR so he may not have even lived in Martham. Nothing more is known about him.	
Moore	William	35	Like John Moore, William, also claimed ownership of a tiny 14 perches of land. Nothing more is known about him. There may be some confusion about their names and they could be the same person.	
Moxon	John	81	John was born in Great Yarmouth and there is no record of him living in Martham but he invested in land and property there.	
Parker	Alexander	64	Alexander owned/occupied about 41 acres of land in the area of Ferrygate & Thunder Hill.	

Petingell	Harber	24	Harber was the brother of William despite their surnames being recorded differently in 1807 - actually Pettingal. He owned land in the centre of the village.	
Pettigal	William	88	William was the brother of Harber despite their surnames being recorded differently in 1807 - actually Pettingal. He claimed land on the boundary between Martham and West Somerton.	
Pollard	Charles	89	(1767-1841). Charles came from a major land-owning family from Filby that also spread their wings to land ownership in Martham. Brother of John & William. He claimed ownership/occupation of about 102 aces of land in Martham in 1807.	
Pollard	John	72	(1759-1814). John came from a major land-owning family from Filby that also spread their wings to land ownership in Martham. Brother of Charles & William. He claimed ownership/occupation of about 106 aces of land in Martham in 1807.	
Pollard	Mary	LC	(1742-1824). Mary, nee Markham was the wife of William Pollard (1750-1812) and he was the brother of Charles & John shown above. He had claimed 83 acres in Martham in 1807 and Mary pursued his claim after he died in 1812.	Widow
Pollard	William	79	1750-1812). William came from a major land-owning family from Filby that also spread their wings to land ownership in Martham. Brother of Charles & John. He claimed ownership/occupation of about 83 aces of land in Martham in 1807 but died in 1812 after which his wife, Mary, took over the claim.	
Porter	Robert	22	Robert claimed just over three acres of land in Martham in 1807 but is better known as the author of a book called 'The Strangers Guide to the Polite Village of Martham' published in 1830.	
Powles	Robert	44	Robert was a shoemaker living at the junction of Repps Road and Rollesby Road in 1807.	
Powley	Christmas	73	He claimed a semi-detached cottage in about a rood of land in 1807. He died 1828 aged 72.	

Proctor	Francis	37	Francis was the son of the Lord of the Manor of Martham from 1741 to 1778 so came from a farming background. He lived at Cess and died in 1810 aged 72. His land was allotted as 'The heirs of Francis Proctor deceased' in 1812.	
Ransome	Robert	28	Very little is known about Robert. In 1807 he claimed ownership/occupation of a semi-detached cottage and one acre of land. He lived in one cottage and the other was let. They were situated between Common Road and Low Road, Cess.	
Rector of Burgh		52	Dr. Ord was the Rector of Borough St Margaret.	
Reynolds	Francis Ridell	50	Francis was a solicitor from Great Yarmouth who signed the 1807 claim for Lacons Brewers, the owners of the Kings Arms PH in Martham.	
Rising	Benjamin	11	(1775-1835). Benjamin was a major landowner in both Martham and the surrounding area. Between 1807 and 1812 he farmed just over 101 acres of land in Martham alone. He was a member of the Rising landowning and farming family dynasty.	
Rising	Robert	7	In 1807 he claimed copyhold ownership of six acres & two roods of land in Martham in the occupation of William Rising. However he was not listed in the Commissioner's summary of 1807 claimants so he may have disposed of the land before then, i.e. November 1807.	
Rising	Thomas	62	(1777-1824). Thomas was a major landowner in both Martham and the surrounding area. Between 1807 and 1812 he farmed just over 112 acres of land in Martham alone. He was a member of the Rising landowning and farming family dynasty.	
Rising	Thomas Sutfield	2	(1774-1855). He was the freehold owner of about 14 acres of land in Martham in 1807 & 1812.	
Rising	William	56	(1769-1846). William lived at West Somerton Hall and Moregrove Manor at various times. He was a major landowner in the district and a member of the Rising landowning and farming family dynasty. In 1807 he farmed about 206 acres of land in Martham alone.	

Rogers	William	6	(1743-1841). William was a wheelwright. In 1807 he claimed freehold ownership of a house, shop, yard and garden near The Green.	
Savoury	Anthony	86	Anthony claimed ownership of a cottage and two roods of land in 1807 but died later that year.	
Sowells	Daniel	58	Daniel lived at Rollesby. He claimed freehold ownership of three acres of land to the south of the Parish measuring three acres, one rood & eighteen perches.	
Thorton	Sarah	84	Her marital status is uncertain. She claimed ownership of just over one acre of land near Gibbet Hill that was let so she may not have lived at Martham. She died and was buried at Great Yarmouth in 1817.	Uncertain
Tice	John	12	Surname Tice or Tyce. In 1807 John claimed ownership of two freehold plots of land between Low Road and Common Road. He was not allotted any land in 1812.	
Trustees of Martham School		55	They claimed ownership of a house, stable and garden in five acres of land.	
Vale	Henry	1	Henry claimed freehold ownership of plot No96 in 1807 that is where the medical centre is today. He was not allotted any land in 1812.	
Vincent	Richard	67	In 1807 Richard claimed ownership/occupation of seven acres & one rood of land near where he lived at Common Road, Cess.	
Ward	Robert	18	Robert was a blacksmith and in 1807 lived where Norwich House, The Green stands today. The property was freehold.	
Warner	Mary	41	Nee Plummer. As the widow of John Warner in 1807 she claimed ownership of a barn that was let to Charles Carrier. Despite making the claim she was not subsequently listed by the Commissioner's in their summary of claims. We don't know the reason for them rejecting her claim unless she sold the barn soon after making it or it was inherited by someone else after her husband's death.	Not listed in 1812.

Warner	Richard	70	Little is known about Richard and even his birthplace is unknown. In 1807 he claimed occupation of just over six acres of land and the information indicated that he was a baker working from a property on The Green. He died in 1814 aged 73.	
Watson	Clement	59	(1745-1817). Clement was one of the Watson family who lived at Mustard Hyrn for several generations. In 1807 he claimed a plot of land there measuring one acre.	
Watson	John	LC	(1778-1858). John was one of the Watson family who lived at Mustard Hyrn for several generations. In 1807 he claimed ownership of just over three acres of land there.	
Watson	William	53	(1742-1817). William was one of the Watson family who lived at Mustard Hyrn for several generations. In 1807 he claimed land there measuring three acres.	
Wells	William	LC	(1771-1846). William made a late claim as the occupier of land opposite the windmill at Hemsby Road that he also occupied as the miller and which was owned by William Harrison.	
Whitacer	William	61	In 1807 he claimed freehold ownership of plot No180 with a house, stable, yard and barn on it.	
Whittingham	Paul	66	Reverend. Lived at the Vicarage, Black Street. He was entitled to the vicarial tithes associated with his post.	
Wilson	George	27	In 1807 he claimed seven plots totalling 13 acres, 3 roods & 37 perches that included a messuage, barn, yards and a garden in his own occupation.	
Womack	Susan	49	Nee Lindoe. Also known as Susanna. Her husband, Arthur did not die until 3.8.1812 but in 1807 she claimed a house and nine acres of land in Martham in her own name. In 1812 these were allotted to her son William.	Not listed in 1812.
Woods	William	15	In 1807 William was a blacksmith working from home at Black Street near the church on land that he owned freehold.	