Farming Families - The Trewhitt family

(pictures kindly contributed by Cathy Trewhitt)



This family portrait shows Cathy's Gt Gt Uncle William Trewhitt who was born in Appleton Wiske in 1829. William is shown here outside Harrowgate House Farm Brompton with his wife Mary and some of their children. He farmed at Appleton Wiske and Welbury before moving to Harrowgate House.

The Trewhitt families still farm locally in the Brompton, Rounton and Appleton Wiske areas. The memorial pays tribute to William Trewhitt who died in 1902 aged 73 years



Trewhitt family at Shop End Brompton



This delightful picture was taken at Shop End in Brompton. It shows one of the Trewhitt family with his horse and cart, it looks like the horse is about to share the apple core in Mr Trewhitt's hand. It is likely, judging from the fact that the

horse is "done up" and "decorated" to be an entry in the judging of best horse and cart at our annual Whitsuntide Carnival, Fair and Sports day which now takes place on the late Spring Bank holiday at the end of May each year. Cathy is not sure which member of the family it is?

The Crown Inn is on the left with a group of "customers" outside and the Three Horse Shoes (unfortunately now closed with it's future unsure –July 2008) is over the crossroads on the right. A car negotiates the crossroad which is a little quieter then than it is now, other than that, surprisingly little change.