

The following notes describe part of the Jarvis (or Jervis) family of Shropshire and Staffordshire. To see other documents about the family, go to [http://www.bhsproject.co.uk/x\\_jarvis.shtml](http://www.bhsproject.co.uk/x_jarvis.shtml)

### Jervis of Winnington area



Winnington is a Mucklestone township on the north western side of Mucklestone centre, in Staffordshire. Nearby places include Napley (or Napeley) Heath, Bearstone, Winnington Forge and Norton Forge. It is around 1½ miles north of Bloreale and a little further from Bloorheath where there were several Jervis families.

All of the citations for Jervis of Winnington were in Mucklestone PRs with the exception of one burial at Ashley, ESE of Mucklestone (shown on map above). See MucklestonePRs.pdf for the PR entries.

The first reference found to Jervis of Winnington is in 1741, suggesting a move of the family into the area; this is followed by entries throughout the 18<sup>th</sup> century which thin out in the 19<sup>th</sup> century.

### Andrew and Ellen Jervis of Winnington (M2)

Andrew and Ellen baptised six children at Mucklestone between 1741 and 1757, in all entries their home recorded as Winnington.

Forenames: William, Edward, Mary (1), Thomas, Mary and James

All appear to have survived childhood except Mary (1) who was buried at Mucklestone 29 Nov 1745 five months after baptism.

The parents remained at Winnington and were buried at Mucklestone in 1789 (Ellen) and 1793 (Andrew): they saw all five children well into adulthood.

As to the origins of Andrew, he was buried in 1793 and baptised his first child in 1741: he may have been born between 1700 and 1723 but most likely 1710-1720.

There is one local Andrew baptism in this timeframe, at Drayton, Andrew son of William Jervis of Bloor, 5 Nov 1714 (D10). This Andrew was the youngest of four sons and it is feasible that he moved from the family home to Winnington. See EarlyMucklestone.pdf for more about his parents and siblings.

Whilst there is no proof that the Andrew baptised at Drayton is the individual who lived in Winnington, circumstantial evidences points to it being the same individual:

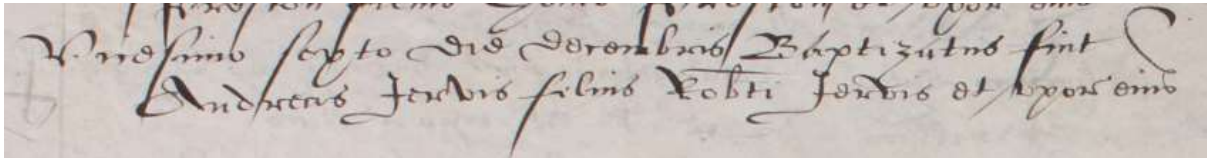
- there is no evidence that the Drayton-born Andrew remained in Drayton (no marriage or burial);
- the 1714 Andrew was at a typical age to become a father: around 27 in 1741;

- he named his first son William, the same name as the father of the Drayton-born Andrew

Andrew's marriage has not been found but presumably took place 1735-1741. Searches for the marriage of Andrew (Anything) to Ellen in the period 1735-1741 within a 20-mile radius of Mucklestone found just one: Andrew Bold to Eleanor Grant 21 Sep 1740 at Sheriffhales, Shropshire. The original entry has no detail to suggest it is relevant and there were Bold baptisms to Andrew and Eleanor at Sheriffhales after the marriage.

### Forename Andrew

Andrew was not the first local Jervis with this given name: there are baptisms at Drayton in this name in 1573 (son of Robert D13), see below, and 1618 (son of Robert D14). Later, an Andrew son of William was baptised and buried at Mucklestone, 1691/2 (M31). It seems likely that the four individuals named Andrew were from the same branch of the family.



Vicesimo sexto die decembris Baptizatus fuit  
Andreas Jervis filius Robti Jervis et uxoris eius

As well as the citations noted in the remainder of this report there are two later ones:

- Andrew Jervis of Mucklestone married Sarah Draycot 1766 at Hinstock (H1);
- Andrew son of Thomas & Hannah of Hinstock, labourer bap. 1836 (H4).

Oddly, the name does not appear to have been used in the descendants of James and Ellen Jervis (M8). The name Andrew is not used in Louise's line.

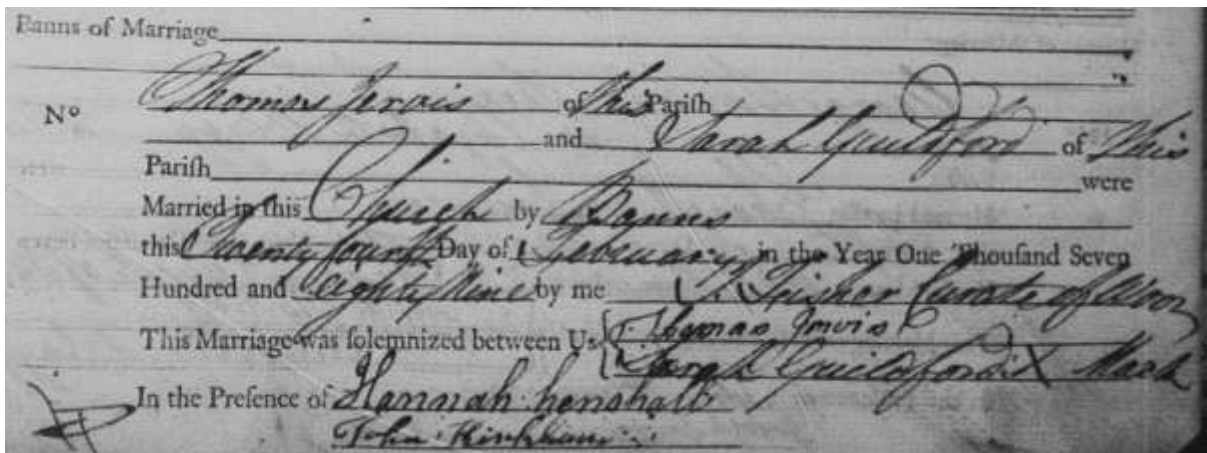
### Andrew and Ellen's four sons:

**William** (bap 1741) is difficult to trace with certainty; there are William marriages at Mucklestone in 1763, Drayton in 1772, 1777 and 1781. A burial of an 81-year-old William of the Poorhouse, Mucklestone, 1820 is a reasonable match to the baptism. William may have married Elizabeth Martin in 1763 at Mucklestone (**KK**) as they were of Winnington Forge when they baptised John 9 Nov 1766. Winnington Forge is to the north east of Winnington. There were no other baptisms to this couple at Mucklestone.

More notes at Mucklestone.pdf.

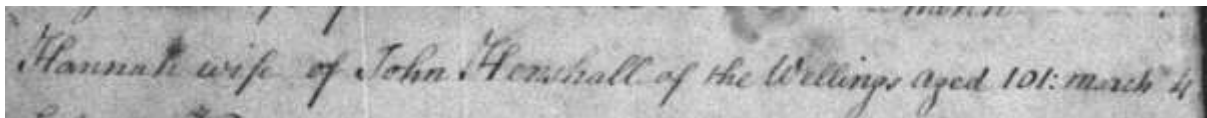
**Edward** (bap 1743) stayed at Winnington and in 1767 baptised a son William in May, buried his wife Ann in early June and then his son William 13 June, all at Mucklestone: (**ME**). No known heirs. More notes at Mucklestone.pdf.

**Thomas** (bap 1747): a TJ married Sarah Guildford 1789 at Mucklestone.



This may be him although the marriage offers no indication he was of Winnington and he was above the average age to marry at 42. He signed the register and the marriage was witnessed by Hannah Henshall and John Kirkham; neither witnessed other marriages at around this time (from a check of a couple of pages of preceding and following marriages) so either or both may have been related to the groom or bride.

Henshall aside: Hannah Henshall, witness, may be the individual buried at Ashley, Staffordshire, in 1805 at the age of 101:



John Henshall was buried at Ashley in 1799 with a note to say he was formerly of the parish.

No baptisms to Thomas and Sarah Jervis followed at Mucklestone. A baptism at Mucklestone in 1770 to Thomas and Jane may be him but no marriage (to Jane) has been found (perhaps she was 'Sarah Jane?').

**James** (bap 1757) stayed in Winnington and baptised children at Mucklestone; his wife was Ellen (**M8**). James&MaryJ.pdf has more details of them and their descendants.

Forenames: John, Jane, Elizabeth, William, James.

James died and was buried on the same day as his son James was baptised 9 Dec 1799. James's wife Ellen remarried John Bruckshaw at Mucklestone in 1804 and details of the Jervis - Bruckshaw family is described in EllenBruckshaw.pdf.

Descendants of James's family remained in Winnington and Napley Heath, found there in 1841 and later, trade shoemaking.

James (1757-1799) = Ellen (Turner?)

William (1797-1869) = Hannah Wildig 1821 (5 children incl 2 sons) (**M7**)

James (bap 1827) = Louisa Maddox 1852 (**M4**); shoemaker of Napley Heath / Winnington; children incl sons William, James, John; family trees on Ancestry show 11 children

William (bap 1832) = Ann Shaw 1866 Mu; shoemaker of Napley Heath / Winnington; 6 children incl sons William & John; death registered at Drayton Jan-Mar 1888, age 64 is around 10 years too old; widow Ann married John Hughes 1889 (**MC**)

James (1799-1865) = Mary Martin 1833 (9 children incl 2 sons, William Martin and Peter) (**M3**)

The 1838 tithe records for Mucklestone show William and James lived near to each other as tenants of properties in the Napeley Heath area, township of Winnington. See Tithe map of Mucklestone.pdf

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One burial outside Mucklestone is of a member of the Winnington family: William Jervis of Winnington at Ashley, around 4 miles east of Mucklestone, 14 Mar 1750/1. The working assumption is that this is the father of Andrew. The will of Andrew Jervis (XX2) of the previous generation 1750 points to William being his elderly brother (D10). More details in ProbatesDrayton.pdf.

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