

13 Birtwhistle Street

From the time they were built (in 17xx) until 1947, all the properties on the north side of Birtwhistle Street were under single ownership. The owner did change from time to time, but ownership covered all the houses on that side of the street.

The censuses alone do not provide sufficient information to be sure of who lived in what house before the 1881 census.

Ownership up to 1947 is contained in a separate file ("Birtwhistle St.N to 1947"), and all recorded occupants of Birtwhistle Street in the first 4 censuses are also listed separately ("Birtwhistle St.N census 1841" to Birtwhistle St.N census 1871")..



The door at bottom right, with the slightly-arched lintel, is now the entrance to 11 Birtwhistle Street, but we are told that this was once a right-of-way entrance which led to a well at the far end of the garden.

◀ Ownership and Occupancy of 13 Birtwhistle Street ▶

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<u>Surname</u>	<u>Forename(s)</u>	<u>Rel.</u>	<u>Mar.</u>	<u>Sex</u>	<u>Age</u>	<u>Occupation</u>	<u>Birthplace</u>
Sinclar	Elizabeth	head	m	f	22	shepherd's wife	Kbts, Anwoth
Sinclar	Mary	dau.		f	2m		Kbts, Girthon
Montgomery	Maggie	niece		f	14	scholar	Kbts, Girthon

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<u>Surname</u>	<u>Forename(s)</u>	<u>Rel.</u>	<u>Mar.</u>	<u>Sex</u>	<u>Age</u>	<u>Occupation</u>	<u>Birthplace</u>
McQuarrie	Lochina	head	s	f	62	supported by family	Ireland
Reid	Agnes	dau.	s	f	40	general servant unemployed	Kbts, Girthon
Oliver	Mary	g-dau.		f	12	scholar	Kbts, Girthon
McWilliam	John	g-son		m	12	scholar	Kbts, Girthon
Straiton	Agnes	g-dau.		f	10	scholar	Kbts, Girthon
Gilliand	William	g-son		m	8	scholar	Kbts, Girthon
Baird	Maggie Jessie	g-dau.		f	3		Kbts, Girthon

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<u>Surname</u>	<u>Forename(s)</u>	<u>Rel.</u>	<u>Mar.</u>	<u>Sex</u>	<u>Age</u>	<u>Occupation</u>	<u>Birthplace</u>
Patterson	John	head	m	m	42	tailor	England, Liverpool
Patterson	Mary	wife	m	f	31		Renfrew, Greenock
Patterson	John William	son		m	16	tailor apprentice	Kbts, Gatehouse
Patterson	Robert	son		m	12	scholar	Kbts, Gatehouse
Patterson	Thomas B H	son		m	10	scholar	England
Patterson	James	son		m	8	scholar	Kbts, Gatehouse
Patterson	David	son		m	3		Kbts, Gatehouse
Patterson	Henry	son		m	1		Kbts, Gatehouse
Patterson	Donald H	son		m	2m		Kbts, Gatehouse

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<u>Surname</u>	<u>Forename(s)</u>	<u>Rel.</u>	<u>Mar.</u>	<u>Sex</u>	<u>Age</u>	<u>Occupation</u>	<u>Birthplace</u>
Patterson	John	head	m	m	53	tailor (coat maker)	England
Patterson	Mary	wife	m	f	39		Renfrew, Greenock
Patterson	David	son		m	13	school	Kbts, Anwoth
Patterson	Henry	son		m	11	school	Kbts, Anwoth
Patterson	Donald	son		m	9	school	Kbts, Girthon
Patterson	Douglas	son		m	7	school	Kbts, Girthon
Patterson	Edward	son		m	5	school	Kbts, Girthon

1921-22 Valuation Roll: James Dalrymple owned all the houses on the north side of Birtwhistle Street. The tenant of No.13 was Samuel Pitt, labourer.

1930-31 Valuation Roll : All the houses on the north side of Birtwhistle Street are owned by James Dalrymple, Glasgow. No.13 is occupied by Samuel B Pitt, labourer.

1940-41 Valuation Roll : All the houses on the north side of Birtwhistle Street except East View are owned by John & Catherine Miller. No.13 is occupied by Mrs Pitt.

1950-51 Valuation Roll : House numbers 3 to 21 Birtwhistle Street (except 15) are all owned by James B Clark, Clauchan. No.13 is occupied by James Hope, railway worker.

1960-61 Valuation Roll : House numbers 3 to 17 Birtwhistle Street are all owned by James B Clark, Clauchan. No.13 is occupied by James Hope, railway worker.

1974-75 Valuation Roll : No.13 Birtwhistle Street is owned by James B Clark, Clauchan and occupied by James Hope.

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