

15 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")..



This house is now a hoilday let named "Galloway Cottage".

◀ Ownership and Occupancy of 15 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>
Chesney	Maria	head	m	f	40	wife of labourer	Kbts, Anwoth
Chesney	Mary	dau		f	14	scholar	England
Chesney	Agnes	dau		f	12	scholar	Kbts, Girthon
Chesney	Annie	dau		f	10	scholar	Kbts, Girthon
Chesney	Jane	dau		f	8	scholar	Kbts, Girthon
Chesney	John	son		m	7	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>
Chesney	Robert	head	m	m	50	general labourer	Kbts, Kirkmabreck
Chesney	Maria	wife	m	f	49		Kbts, Anwoth
Chesney	Mary	dau.	s	f	22	general servant dom. (unemp)	Kbts, Girthon
Chesney	Annie	dau.	s	f	19	general servant dom. (unemp)	Kbts, Girthon
Chesney	John	son		m	16	mill worker, bobbin turner	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>
Chesney	Robert	head	m	m	60	agricultural labourer	Kbts, Kirkmabreck
Chesney	Maria	wife	m	f	60		Kbts, Gatehouse
Chesney	Mary	dau.		f	34	general servant	England
Chesney	John	son		m	26	agricultural labourer	Kbts, Gatehouse
Chesney	Annie	g-dau.		f	3		Roxburgh, Hawick
Chesney	Jane	g-dau.		f	2		Kbts, Gatehouse
Chesney	John	g-son		m	1		Kbts, Gatehouse

1911 Girthon Census - Enumeration District 2 Page 4 **Birtwhistle Street 12**

<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>
Chesney	Robert	head	wr	m	71	general labourer	Kbts, Kirkmabreck
Chesney	John	son	s	m	37	millworker	Kbts, Girthon
Chesney	Annie	dau.	s	f	39		Kbts, Girthon
Chesney	Annie	g-dau		f	13	school	Roxburgh, Hawick
Chesney	John	g-son		m	11	school	Kbts, Girthon
Chesney	William	g-son		m	6	school	Kbts, Girthon
Chesney	Jane	g-dau		f	12	school	Kbts, Girthon
Johnstone	Robert Chesney	g-son		m	9	school	Dumbarton, Dalmuir

1921-22 Valuation Roll: James Dalrymple owned all the houses on the north side of Birtwhistle Street. The tenant of No.15 was Annie Chesney, spinster.

1930-31 Valuation Roll : All the houses on the north side of Birtwhistle Street are owned by James Dalrymple, Glasgow. No.15 is occupied by Thomas McKenna.

1940-41 Valuation Roll : All the houses on the north side of Birtwhistle Street except East View are owned by John & Catherine Miller. No.15 is occupied by J Ballantyne, baker.

1950-51 Valuation Roll : House numbers 3 to 21 Birtwhistle Street (except 15) are all owned by James B Clark, Clachan. No.15 is owned and occupied by Mrs Marion Johnstone.

1960-61 Valuation Roll : House numbers 3 to 17 Birtwhistle Street are all owned by James B Clark, Clachan. No.15 is occupied by Mrs Marion Johnstone.

1974-75 Valuation Roll : No.15 Birtwhistle Street is owned by Mrs Patricia M Hodgeson, Burgh-by-Sands, Carlisle and is occupied by Robert S Craig.

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