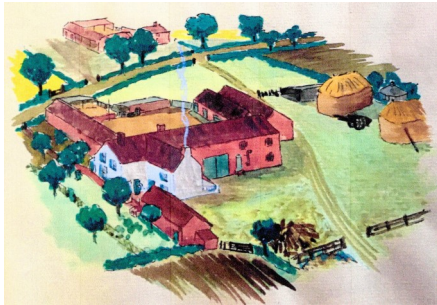


The Walter Family-Part 5

Sutton Grange

-The Beginning-

After 5 years at Sutton Grange, August Walter built himself a bungalow on Sutton Road and retired there with his wife and daughter.



Ernest Walter decided he did not want to farm. He married Hilda Ward of Mattersey and started a grocery business in Sheffield. Fredrick gave him £400 of his own savings and paid him half the valuation and the rest of his share he paid in an annual sum.

In July 1926 Fredrick Walter married me, Hilda (Peggy) and we lived at Sutton Grange Farm.

On returning from our honeymoon, we were brought back to earth with a bump.

The very next morning my new husband, Fredrick, went out early to cut the hay. It was turned to dry and raked into swaths ready for forking into 'cocks' which were subsequently loaded onto haycarts (haywain or wagon) and were drawn by teams of horses. Other local farmers with horse teams also helped to bring the hay into the farm stackyard.

As for myself, that first day was a lesson from my mother in making butter. Thereafter, Thursday became butter making.

Each day of the week had a particular task, starting on Monday which was washing day.

Extracts from 'The Walter Family' by Hilda (Peggy) Walter



Mid 19th century haywain scene by artist Myles Birket Foster

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Happy Valentine's Day



Village Hall Update

The Village Hall remains closed as per Government Guidance, the only exemptions being the Post Office and the weekly cleaning.



The Post Office weekly session has been a real asset for the village during this difficult time.

The Committee is still meeting and we are looking forward to being able to put on events and activities again for the village.

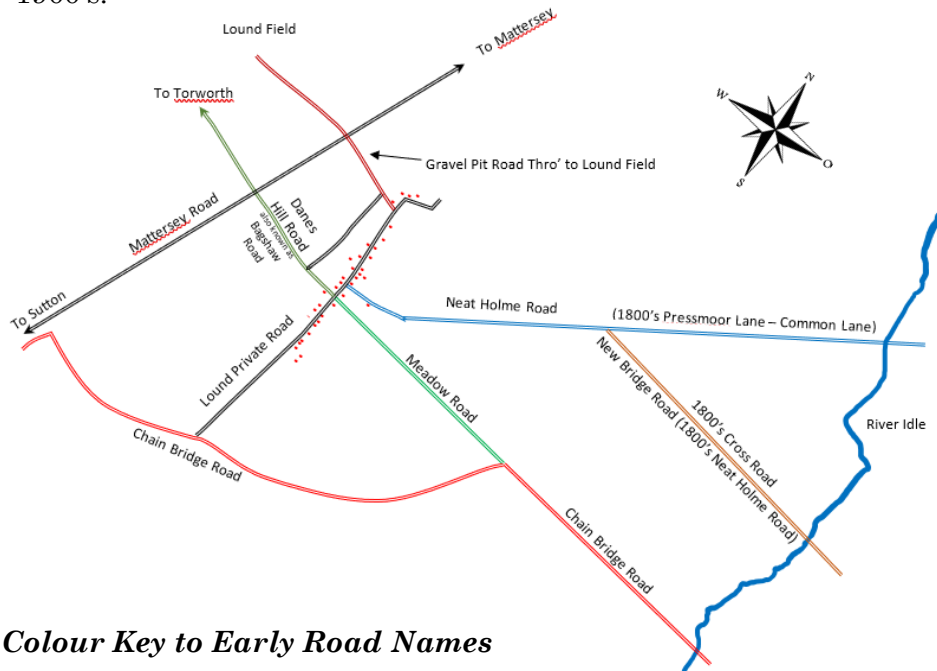
It has been such a challenging year and we would like to plan some fun events to help our community emerge from this difficult time. Our hope is that if restrictions permit, we may be able to put an outdoor socially distanced event on in the late summer.

We currently have a vacancy for treasurer on the committee. We have a vibrant and supportive committee, so anyone taking on this role would have plenty of help. If anyone is interested please give Tim (Chair) a call on Tel: 816930, or Lorraine (Secretary) on Tel: 07811493301

Lound Road Name Changes

Over time road names change or are re-routed, this is true here in Lound. Below is a map drawing of Lound and the surrounding area copied from maps dating 1778 to the 1800's. As we can see there have been some changes, however, there is no name reference for 'Little Top Lane' although shown on maps.

'New Bridge Road', 'Neat Holme Road' and 'Cross Road' are all the same road to the River Idle. The track we know today between 'Pressmoor Lane' and 'Chain Bridge Road' is not shown on maps so possibly was made during sand and gravel workings in the mid 1900's.



Colour Key to Early Road Names

- >**Chain Bridge Road** – Sutton-cum-Lound to the River Idle
- >**Meadow Road** – Village to meet up with Chain Bridge Road
- >**Lound Private Road** – To Lound Village from Chain Bridge Road
- >**Neat Holme Road** – Village to the River Idle
- >**1800's Pressmoor Lane - Common Lane** – Village to the River Idle
- >**New Bridge Road** – Neat Holme Road to the River Idle
- >**1800's Neat Holme Road/Cross Road** – Neat Holme Rd. to the River Idle
- >**Danes Hill Road** – Village to Torworth (often referred as Bagshaw Road)
- >**Gravel Pit Road** - Village through to Lound Field

Village Green



Well done to all those avid readers who spotted the date error last month?

The Village Green is 12 years old this year 2021, not 2121 as indicated...

Parish Council

Charcon Construction-

The Parish Council has learnt from Charcon that the site is due to be closed by Aggregate Industries within the next few months. No detail if permanent closure or temporary due to the pandemic situation.

Danes Hill Planning Update-

The application for the Asbestos Picking Operation continues together with preparation of an Environmental Impact Assessment for NNC. Local village representative are holding meetings to express concerns.

Playing Field Tree Work-

Tree maintenance around the playing field is being arranged to remove dead wood, hanging branches and to ensure they are all safe.

Vacancy Reminder-

Following the announcement last November, your Parish Council still has a vacancy. Should you be interested please contact the Clerk for details at:

loundparish@outlook.com

Litter Pick-

Arrangements are being made between Sutton and Torworth Parish Councils for a litter pick. These will be on Lound Low Road and Danes Hill Road.

Contact Helen O'Donoghue for further information:

helen@greenroomteam.co.uk

Crazy Paving

Crazy paving stone slabs for sale. Many different sizes to suit paving, or for creating a rockery.

Please ring Gordon for details on Tel: 01777 817557