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An Assessment made on the Occupiers of Houses in the Parish of Chelsfield in the County of Kent according to the Number of Lights for the Year 1766

Upper Division

[Page one]	No of Lights		Duty se and ow Du	b	New Duty		Last Duty			Total of all			
The Revd. Mr	32	1	14	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	2	11	0
Meetkerke													
Late Wm. Child Empty													
Thos. Judd	30	1	12	0	0	16	0	0	0	0	2	8	0
James Aynscomb	17	0	14	9	0	9	6	0	4	3	1	8	6
Wm. Warren	14	0	9	0	0	1	0	0	14	0	1	4	0
Susn. Ringer	7	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
Wm. Chapman	11	0	7	6	0	1	0	0	5	6	0	14	0
Mrs Buster	7	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
Mrs Allen	19	0	16	3	0	10	6	0	4	9	1	11	6
John Graves	7	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
Thos. Bartholomew	7	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
Wm. Hills	9	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	9	0	0	12	0
Francis Phelps	11	0	7	6	0	1	0	0	5	6	0	14	0
John Day	9	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	9	0	0	12	0
Thos. Peake	10	0	7	0	0	1	0	0	5	0	0	13	0
Thos. Know	7	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
Thos. Anderson	6	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
John Wallas	10	0	7	0	0	1	0	0	5	0	0	13	0
John Round	9	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	9	0	0	12	0
Nicholas Saker	7	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
John Weller	7	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
John Hammond	7	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
Richd. Croucher	7	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
Thos. Edmonds	7	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
John Bartholomew	7	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
Widow Martin	7	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
Mary Randal	7	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
Thos. Warren	7	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
Robt. Dunmall	7	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0

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Mrs Brooks	7	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0		
Carried over		8	15	0	3	18	0	9	11	0	16	4	0		
[Page two]	No of Lights	Old Duty House and Window Duty		New Duty		ıty Las		Duty Last Duty Tot		Last Duty		t Duty T		otal of all	
Brought up		8	15	0	3	18	0	9	11	0	16	4	0		
Wm. Child	10	0	7	0	0	1	0	0	5	0	0	13	0		
Wm. Barton	7	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0		
John Palter	7	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0		
Solomon Judd	7	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0		
Richd. Chapman	7	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0		
Richd. Outred	7	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0		
Richd. Johnson	7	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0		
John Lane	7	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0		
Geo. Killick	7	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0		
Mrs Hadsall	7	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0		
Henry Burchel	7	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0		
Geo. Goodhew	7	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0		
		10	4	0	4	10	0	3	16	0	18	10	0		

Poor

Thos. Hollands Widow Wright Widow Insle? Widow Johnson Saml. Overy Widow Goodhew Richd. Hall Widow Buster

Empty

Mrs Mace? Richd. Relph

Lower Division

[Page three]	No of Lights	Ho Wind	d Dut use a dow E	nd Duty		ew Du	-	Last Duty			Total of all		
Brought up		10	4	0	4	10	0	3	16	0	18	10	0
Thos. Skeggs	35	1	17	0	0	18	6	0	0	0	2	15	6
Thos. Whiffin	14	0	9	0	0	1	0	0	14	0	1	4	0
Thos. Hall	26	1	8	0	0	14	0	0	0	0	2	2	0
Joseph Osborne	20	1	2	0	0	11	0	0	0	0	1	13	0
James Ebbutt	16	0	14	0	0	9	0	0	4	0	1	7	0
Do for Geare & Verralls	10	0	7	0	0	1	0	0	5	0	0	13	0
Edwd. Everest	11	0	7	6	0	1	0	0	5	6	0	14	0
Henry Whitehead	7	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
John Cox	9	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	9	0	0	12	0
John Ledger	7	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
Thos. Brasel	7	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
Richd. Jackson for Cacketts	7	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
Do. For Washness	7	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
James Clifford	7	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
Wm. Bassett	7	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
James Edwards	7	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
Thos. Shewbridg	7	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
Wm. Green	7	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
Thos. Smith	7	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
Henry Dutson	7	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
Wm. Witest	7	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
Francis Edwards	7	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
John Smaile	7	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
John Ward	9	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	9	0	0	12	0
Do. For Robt. Durlings	5	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
George Cope	7	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
Thos. Blunden	7	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
Total assess		18	10	6	8	6	6	6	2	6	32	19	6
		9	5	3	4	3	3	3	1	3	16	9	9
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John Skinner Geo Goodhew

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John Budgon Edwd. Bowen Henry Pinson Willm. Goodhew

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Rent to witt[.] We whose Hands and Seals are here unto subscribed and set? Commissioners of the aforesaid Dutys do allow of and confirm the before written Assessment This 23rd Day of June 1766.

J Raymond

Thomas Wilson

P? Burrell

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An Assessment made on the Parish of Chelsfield in the County of Kent for granting to his Majesty an Aid of four Shillings in the pound to be Raised by a Land – Tax for the Service of the year 1766.

Upper Division	R	ents			
Rev Mr Meetkerke	95	0	19	0	0
Mr Maud for his Manour	10	0	2	0	0
Do for the Court Lodg	75	0	15	0	0
Thos Judd for Lillies	25	0	5	0	0
Do for Mr Coopers	7	0	1	8	0
James Aynscomb	33	0	6	12	0
Willm Chapman for his Own	13	0	2	12	0
Do for Mrs Mayhew?	28	0	5	12	0
Do for Stylemans	3	0	0	12	0
Mrs Allen for Hewett	5	0	1	0	0
Do for Mr Petleys	3	0	0	12	0
Wm Warren	26	0	15	4	0
Mrs Buster	22	0	4	8	0
Susn Ringer	8	0	1	12	0
John Graves	7	0	1	8	0
Mrs Fuller for part of Skeethill	9	0	1	16	0
Do for two Cottages	3	0	0	12	0
Geo Mace for the Five Bells	9	0	1	16	0
Thos Whiffin for Wallnutts	1	10	0	6	0
Henry Burchell	4	0	0	16	0
Mrs Cox	3	0	0	12	0
Geo Killick	2	0	0	8	0
Thos Miles	1	10	0	6	0
George Day	1	10	0	6	0
Richd Hall	1	0	0	4	0
Francis Phelps	3	0	0	12	0
John Day	3	0	0	12	0
Nicholas Saker	2	0	0	8	0
Thos Warren	1	0	0	4	0
Mary Randal	1	10	0	6	0
James Allen for part of Broke	8	0	1	12	0
John Hammond	1	0	0	4	0
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John Ebbutt for part of Tripes	1	10	0	6	0
Rich Croucher	1	10	0	6	0
Thos Edmunds for Mr Wakerells?	1	10	0	6	0

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Widow Buster	1	10	0	6	0
John Wallis	2	10	0	10	0
Thos Peake	2	10	0	10	0
Thos Bartholomew	1	0	0	4	0
Robt Dunmall	1	10	0	6	0
John Round	4	0	0	16	0
Thos Mace for Chelsfield Hills	14	0	2	16	0
Do for Mr Wynnes	2	0	0	8	0
Mrs Brooks for Barrington?	9	0	1	16	0
Do for a Field	0	10	0	2	0
Do for late Poulters	1	0	0	4	0
Mr Relph for Holthropes?	4	10	0	18	0
Thos Know	2	0	0	8	0
Solomon Judd	1	10	0	6	0
Richd Chapman	1	10	0	6	0
Mrs Hadsall	1	10	0	6	0
John Bartholomew	1	0	0	4	0
Willm Barton	1	10	0	6	0
John Jackson	1	0	0	4	0
Robt Eves	1	10	0	6	0
Richd Outred	1	0	0	4	0
Mr Hayes for Richd Johnson	1	10	0	6	0
Mrs Martin for late Richd Relphs	2	0	0	8	0
Saml Overy	1	0	0	4	0
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Lower Division					
Thos Skeggs for Norsted	39	0	7	16	0
Do for Hempstalls	6	0	1	4	0
Do for Newyears Wood Gate	1	0	0	4	0
Robt Eyles	5	0	1	0	0
Do for Coopers	4	0	0	16	0
Joseph Osborne for Richmore Hill	10	0	2	0	0
Do for Charmwoods	13	0	2	12	0
Lord Vere for his Woods	4	0	0	16	0
Thos Whiffin for Fairhough?	25	0	5	0	0
Do for Shotts	6	0	1	4	0
Richd Jackson for Cacketts	17	0	3	8	0
Do for Washness?	16	[0]	3	4	0
James Ebbutt for his Own	22	0	4	8	0
Do for Mr Smiths	10	0	2	0	0
Edwd Everest	20	0	4	0	0
Andrew Bath for Simmons Haw	7	0	1	8	0

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Thos Brasel for Mr Holts	7	0	1	8	0
Do for Chapmans	6	0	1	4	0
Henry Whitehead	6	10	1	6	0
Thos Hall	11	0	2	4	0
Thos Barton	5	0	1	0	0
Wm Bassett	1	0	0	4	0
John Ward	3	0	0	12	0
John Cox	1	10	0	6	0
Thos Alwen	2	0	0	8	0
Wm Alwen Norwoods	2	0	0	8	0
John Day	1	10	0	6	0
John Ledger	1	10	0	6	0
Thos Smith	1	0	0	4	0
John Whiffin Cudham	4	0	0	16	0
Wm Alwen Cudham	2	0	0	8	0
Wm Stevens	2	0	0	8	0
Mr Holt for Late Frs Greens?	1	0	0	4	0
Thos Packman	12	0	2	8	0
Mr Mullins	5	0	1	0	0
Mr Holt and Thos Hall	1	0	0	4	0
Wm Child	2	0	0	8	0
			152	18	0

Assessors

Thos Skeggs Jas Aynscomb

Collectors

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