

THE PARKINSON LINE

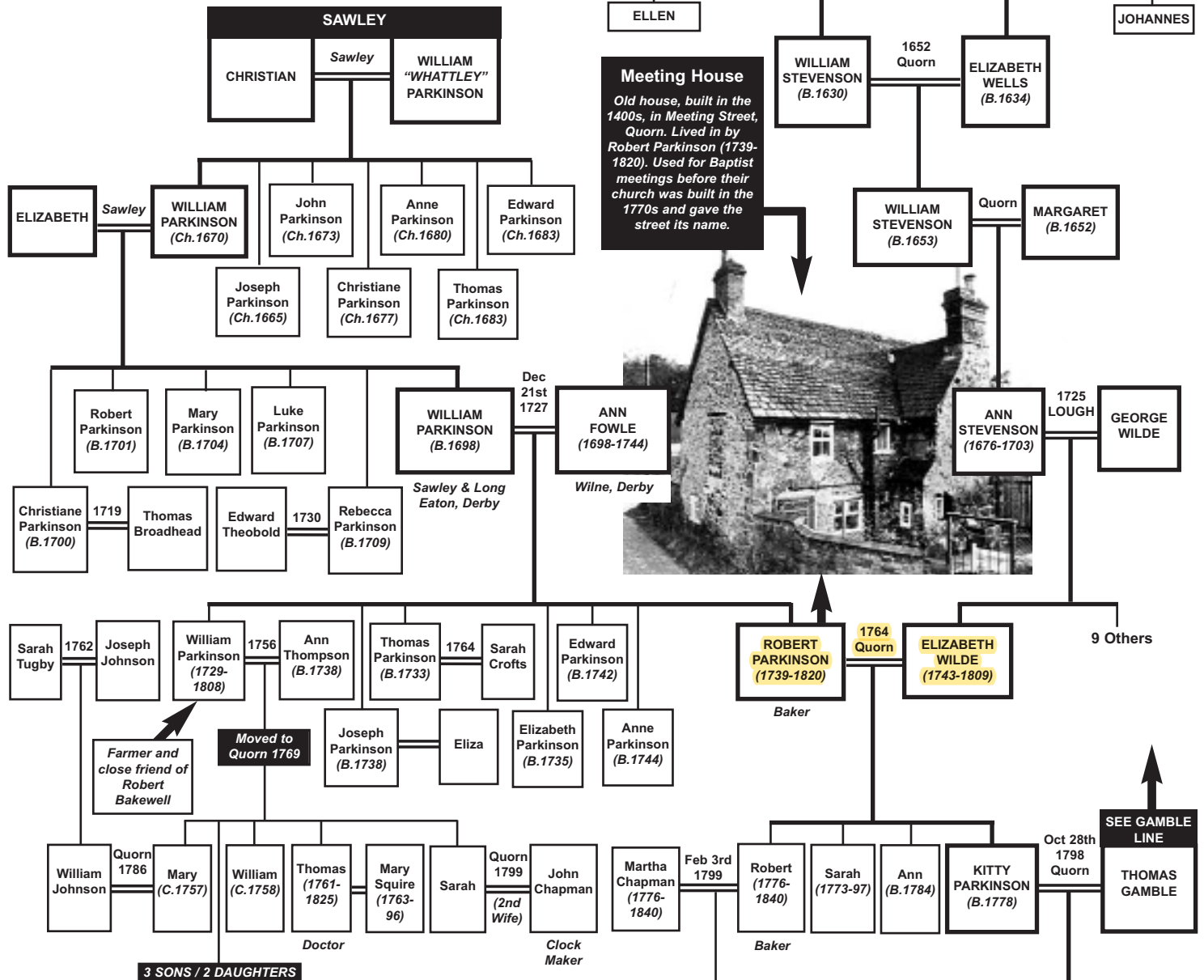
SAWLEY BAPTIST CHURCH, WILNE ROAD,
LONG EATON, DERBYSHIRE

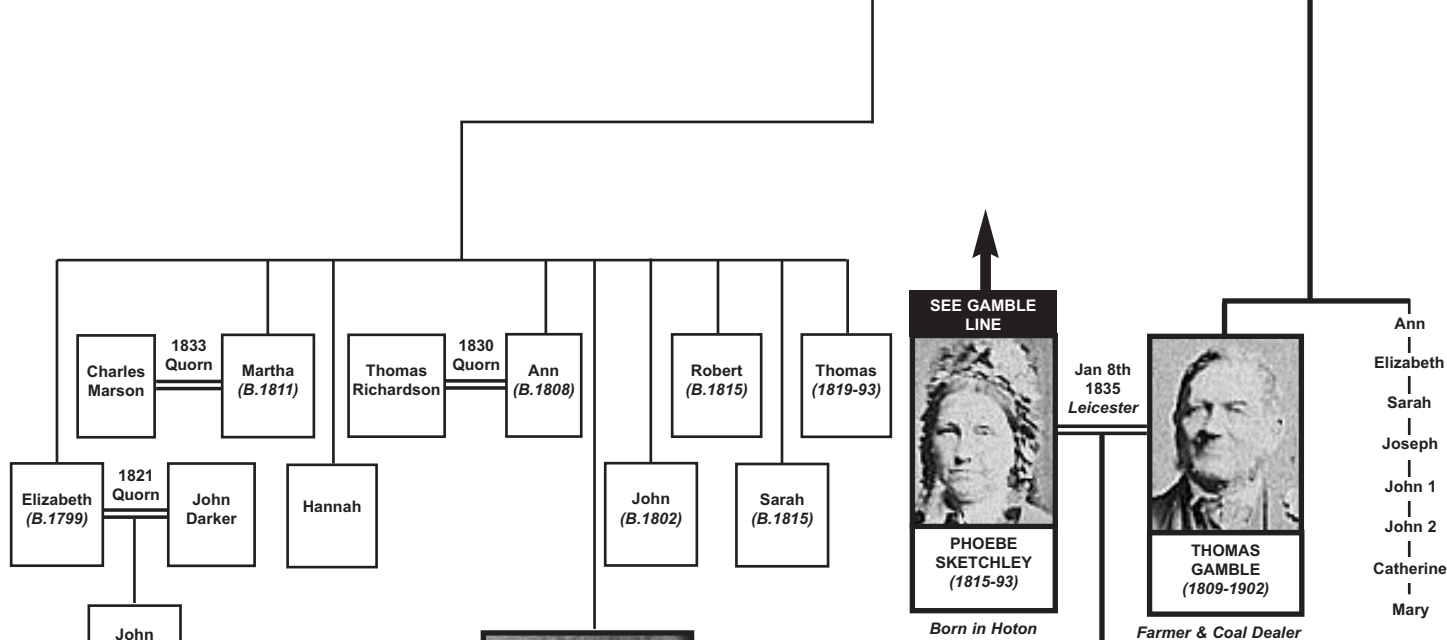


The Baptist Church at Sawley dates back to 1766, when meetings were held in a thatched house on Wilne Road.

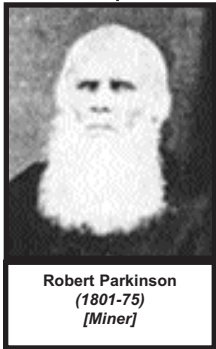
These early Baptists suffered much persecution, but in 1783 Joseph Parkinson provided a larger building and Mr John Stenson provided the seating.

In 1800 the larger part of the present chapel was built at a cost of £300.





Transported to Tasmania in 1821 on the "Richmond" for stealing 80 pounds of tea from the house of Robert Freer. Sentenced to death, then reprieved and became a policeman and respected landowner. Lived in Bothwell.



Robert Parkinson (1801-75) [Miner]

1838 Hobart

Jane Jones (1817-1864) Greenponds-Brighton, Tasmania

Free settler from Birmingham. Arrived in Tasmania in 1823

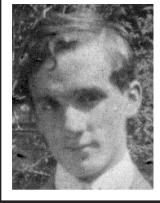


CATHERINE GAMBLE (1851-1930)

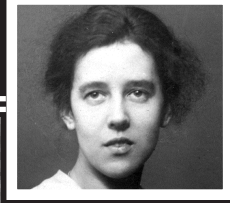


THOMAS WILLIAM UNDERHILL (1851-1938) [Cabinet Maker]

Dec 17th 1876 Warwick



WILFRID ERNEST MEE (1892-1964)

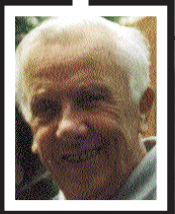


AGATHA EMILY MARY UNDERHILL "MAY" (1892-1977)

Jan 8th 1919 Quorn



Francis Wilfrid



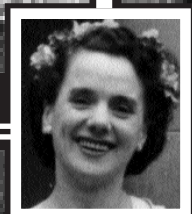
Eric Lewis



Charles William



JOHN HENRY ALLEN "JACK" (1920-2002)



ENID MARGARET (B.1925)

Donald (1930)

Sept 9th 1950 Quorn