

Unmarried women above 40	-	-	-	49	Scholars at the parochial school, viz.	
Widowers	-	-	-	29	Learning Latin, at 2 s.	
Widows	-	-	-	77	6 d. <i>per</i> quarter	- 4
Under 10	-	-	-	249	— arithmetic	at
From 10 to 20	-	-	-	291	ditto	- - 20
From 20 to 50	-	-	-	627	— English	at 1 s.
From 50 to 80	-	-	-	248	6 d. <i>per</i> ditto	- 52
From 80 to 90	-	-	-	23	Total	- - - 76
Above 90	-	-	-	4	Income of the school-	
Shoemakers	-	-	-	21	master, exclusive of	
Tanner	-	-	-	1	fees	- L. 18 : 7 : 6 $\frac{1}{4}$
Weavers	-	-	-	72	Scholars at the private	
Tailors	-	-	-	9	schools	- - 48
Carpenters and wrights	-	-	-	17	In 1788, marriages	- 12
Masons	-	-	-	16	— births, males	26
Bakers	-	-	-	7	— — females	24
Smiths	-	-	-	6	— deaths	- 16
Butchers	-	-	-	3	In 1789, marriages	- 11
Brewer	-	-	-	1	— births, males†	25
Licensed alehouses	-	-	-	11	— — females	18
Schoolmaster, parochial	-	-	-	1	— deaths	- 20
Ditto, private *	-	-	-	2	In 1790, marriages	- 14
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* Besides these, a well accomplished female (Miss Farquharson) teaches, with success, English, French, writing, (an uncommonly fine hand), arithmetic, geography, and needle-work. She has 7 boarders, at 20 l. each *per annum*; and 5 day-scholars, at 10 s. 6 d. *per* quarter.

† The diminution of births in 1789 is to be attributed to a number of colliers having left the place, by a stop being put to the coalworks; and the increase of deaths in 1790, to the ravages of the small-pox. The practice of inoculation now begins to take place among all ranks in this parish and neighbourhood.

15 s. and 10 s. according to the quality, situation, and improvement of the ground.

Statistical Table.

For crop 1791.		Farmers above 50 l. per annum	
Acres in wheat	181	-	17
barley	280	Ditto under 50 l.	18
oats *	799	Valued rent, Scotch	
pease & beans	168½	L. 3623 : 18 : 3	
potatoes	67	Real rent, Sterling, a-	
turnips	11	bout	L. 3000
flax	22	Population in 1755	1695
fown grafs	552	in 1791	1442
fallow	169	Males	655
gardens and		Females	787
orchards	70	In the country	373
arable land in		In the town, and in the	
pasture	939	villages of Blairburn	
Total arable land, acres	3308½	and Laigh Valley-	
Plantations, ditto	1101	field, adjacent thereto	1069
Preparing for planting,		Houfes in the country	72
ditto	200	in the town	
Natural wood, ditto	100	and fuburbs	203
Ploughs	59	Married men and wo-	
Horfes	164	men	505
Black cattle	590	Unmarried men above	
Sheep	350	50	12
		Unmarried	

* Late oats are now given up by the judicious farmer, and the early fort almost univerfally fubftituted in their ftead, particularly the Blainsley, which feems peculiarly adapted to the foil of the parifh.