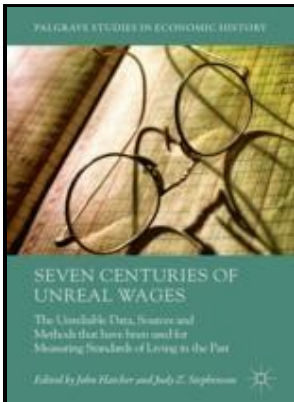


Dorset agricultural labourer 1750-1850

Dorset Natural History and Archaeological Society - 18th and 19th century Dorset



Description: -

-Dorset agricultural labourer 1750-1850

-Dorset agricultural labourer 1750-1850

Notes: Reprinted from the proceedings of the Dorset Natural History and Archaeological Society, vol. 84.

This edition was published in 1963



Filesize: 52.71 MB

Tags: #Swing #Riots

Publications

In some parishes a large labouring family could not survive without parish pay added regularly to the man's wage. Absolute tenant right to unexhausted improvements only became a substitute for long leases at the very end of the period. In the 1790s dung, highly prized, was applied to fallows or root ground at 10 cu.

Wessex Tales: Pastoral Histories

Water-meadows have been abandoned for economic, not technical, reasons.

Agriculture 1793

The fortunes of the Clay Vale, dairy Wiltshire, illustrate clearly the limitations of the meteorological interpretation.

Swing Riots

In 1786—7 Sir Robert Leighton was putting up new farm buildings in Alberbury and Cardeston. In 1790, for example, one farm of 75 acres had 89 separate parcels of land scattered throughout the six great fields, that is, on an average, in pieces of less than 1 acre each. By parliamentary methods almost 7½ per cent 63,775 a.

18th and 19th century Dorset

Some of the bare statistics of change may be deceptive.

Life of an agricultural labourer

It was precisely for this reason, because as very large estates they included poor as well as good land, that the reductions at Wilton and Savernake may well have been typical of the whole area. Rent reductions of this order were patently not sufficient to protect all farmers from distress, loss, and bankruptcy.

Dorset

Most notable of all was the rebuilding campaign of 1811—22 on the marquess of Stafford's Lilleshall estate, directed by James Loch and financed by the Bridgwater fortune.

Related Books

- [International financial organizations](#)
- [Angel pavement.](#)
- [Pearl](#)
- [Vilniuje ir Vilniaus krašte 1915-1939 metais](#)
- [Men of the moss-hags - being a history of adventure taken from the papers of William Gordon of Earls](#)