



1911 England Census

Name:	Charles Bowers												
Age in 1911:	34												
Estimated Birth Year:	abt 1877												
Relation to Head:	Boarder												
Gender:	Male												
Birth Place:	Hitchin, Hertfordshire, England												
Civil Parish:	Benson												
County/Island:	Berkshire												
Country:	England												
Street address:	Roke Lane, Roke, Benson, Nr Wallingford, Berkshire												
Marital Status:	Single												
Occupation:	Gardener Market												
Registration district:	Wallingford												
Registration District Number:	119												
Sub-registration district:	Wallingford												
ED, institution, or vessel:	7												
Household schedule number:	155												
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Description:

This database includes householders' forms from the 1911 Census of England. Information found on the householders forms include: name, relationship to head of family, age at last birthday, sex, marriage details (including number of children), occupation, birthplace, nationality, and postal address.

NAME AND SURNAME		To Head of Family	Last Birthday and SEX.	PARTICULARS as to MARRIAGE.					PROFESSION or OCCUPATION of Persons aged ten years and upwards.				BIRTHPLACE of every person.		of every person born in a Foreign Country.	INFIRMITY.
of every Person, whether Member of Family, Visitor, Boarder, or Servant, who (1) passed the night of Sunday, April 2nd, 1911, in this dwelling and was alive at midnight, or (2) arrived in this dwelling on the morning of Monday, April 3rd, not having been enumerated elsewhere. No one else must be included. (For order of entries, please see Examples on back of Schedule.)		State whether "Head," or "Wife," "Son," "Daughter," or other Relative, "Visitor," "Boarder," or "Servant."	For Infants under one year state the age in months as "one month," etc.	Write "Single," "Married," "Widower," or "Widow," opposite the name of all persons aged 15 years and upwards.	State, for each Married Woman entered on this Schedule, the number of:- Children born alive to present Marriage. (If no children born alive write "None" in Column 7.) Completed years the present Marriage has lasted. If less than one year write "under one."				Personal Occupation. The reply should show the precise branch of Profession, Trade, Manufacture, &c. If engaged in any Trade or Manufacture, the particular kind of work done, and the Article made or Material worked or dealt in should be clearly indicated. (See Instructions 1 to 8 and Examples on back of Schedule.)	Industry or Service with which worker is connected. This question should generally be answered by stating the business carried on by the employer. If this is clearly shown in Col. 10 the question need not be answered here. So enter under Domestic Services in previous employment. If employed by a public body (Government, Municipal, etc.) state what body. (See Instructions 5 and Examples on back of Schedule.)	Whether Employer, Worker, or Working on Own Account. Write opposite the name of each person engaged in any Trade or Industry: (1) "Employer" (that is employing persons other than domestic servants), or (2) "Worker" (that is working for an employer), or (3) "Own Account" (that is neither employing others nor working for a sole employer).	Whether Working at Home. Write the words "At Home" opposite the name of each person carrying on Trade or Industry at home.	(1) If born in the United Kingdom, write the name of the County, and Town or Parish. (2) If born in any other part of the British Empire, write the name of the Dependency, Colony, etc., and of the Province or State. (3) If born in a Foreign Country, write the name of the Country. (4) If born at sea, write "At Sea." NOTE.—In the case of persons born elsewhere than in England or Wales, state whether "Resident" or "Visitor" in this Country.		State whether— (1) "British subject by parentage," (2) "Naturalised British subject," giving year of naturalisation. (3) If of foreign nationality, state whether "French," "German," "Russian," etc. (4) "Lunatic," or "Feeble-minded," state the infirmity opposite that person's name, and the age at which he or she became afflicted.	If any person included in this Schedule is— (1) "Totally Deaf," or "Deaf and Dumb," (2) "Totally Blind," (3) "Lunatic," or "Feeble-minded," state the infirmity opposite that person's name, and the age at which he or she became afflicted.
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1	Esther Champion	Head	59	Widow	11	7	4						Harborough Oxon			
2	Eliza Champion	Daughter	29	Single					Housekeeper				Littleport Devon			
3	Walter Champion	Son	21	Single					London (N. City)				Littleport Devon			
4	Frank Champion	Son	25	Single					Printer (Glasgow)	Printer			Littleport Devon			
5	Charles Bowers	Boarder	24	Single					Carduus 500 (N. City)				Littleport Devon	310		
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 Transferred to Division, Co., 1914.

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1. What is your Name?	1. <u>Charles Bowers</u>
2. In or near what Parish or Town were you born?	2. In the Parish of <u>Kitchi</u> in or near the Town of
	in the County of <u>Hertfordshire</u>
3. Are you a British Subject?	3. <u>Yes</u>
4. What is your Date of Birth?	4. <u>14 July 1874</u> Age— <u>3</u> yrs., <u>3</u> mos., <u>—</u> dys.
What is your Trade or Calling?	5. <u>Landscape gardener</u>
6. Have you resided out of your Father's house for three years continuously in the same place or occupied a house or land of the	a) <u>Yes</u> (2) <u>No</u>

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and July, it being argued that such a step would save labour, transport, coal, and gaslight. The Government replied that a Departmental Committee had reported that altering the clock two hours was unsuitable in this country. Very considerable difficulties would be caused in agriculture, many industrial workers who had to get up very early would have to go to bed in daylight, and the change would cause considerable resentment in Ireland. Confusion would arise on the battle-front if British time differed from the French. Therefore, the Government did not see their way to making any further alteration. On the question of artificial light there is to be a new order by which householders shall receive a definite quantity of coal in proportion to their needs, or its equivalent in gas or electricity. This means that a household whose coal is fixed at, say, four tons a year, may take two tons, and the balance in gas or electricity.

TATLER.

The TANK is coming on THURSDAY, 30th May, and SATURDAY, 1st June. Be on time, and bring your money with you for a Tank Certificate.

INKPEN.

THE FUNERAL of the late Pte. Charles Bowers, 1st Royal Warwicks, who died of wounds at the Lord Derby Hospital, Warrington, Lancaster, took place on Tuesday, May 7th, at St. Michael's Church. The mourners were widow and daughter Ethel; mother, brothers (Joe, Jack, and Willie); sisters Sue and Beattie; mother and father-in-law; Mr. and Mrs. J. Josey; brothers-in-law Will, Ern., and Mont.; sisters-in-law Maria, Nellie, Rose, Louie, and Mabel; Jack Rutherford (nephew), and Mr. White, of Penwood. Wreaths from the widow and child; Messrs. Josey and Bowers' family; Sue, Ede, Kathie; Nurse Loveridge (cousin); Aunt Lizzie; Geoff, Pats, and Norman; Mr. and Mrs. Boughton; Knight Downton Castle, Ludlow; Miss Hunter; Miss Bird and Miss Stephens, Downton; and Miss Homer, Inkpen. The inscription on the coffin was:—"Private Charles Bowers, 1st Royal Warwicks, died May 2d, 1918, aged 40 years."

FRANK RIVERS FOR BOOT REPAIRS

while undergoing an operation. The fourth son, Lee Corp aged 20 (M.M.), Post Office (ner) was killed in action 23; was awarded the Military very vital corner with his officer writes to say what a and that no man in the plai assistance in the great battl he would have been recoml decoration. Two other sons Air Mechanic Arthur V. Berkeley-road, Newbury; Vockins, of Hungerford, R. seventh son has been med times.

A former member of th who is now in Salonica, w Berkshire lanes, highways, which I used to travel on Buoyancy one felt in plung paradise of beauty. Wha present buccannering rougi sojourning amidst the diam wondering at the strange f caught up in the cogs of controllable (b) war machifi of the fellows, ready to stiel "N.W.N." however, enab pleasant hours over its pag to a fellow who has enjoyed better days at Highclere. loaned to a Reading man, appointment on finding no our County Town"; still passed on to a late Bradfiel 1918 "N.W.N." calendar, cut out, is a useful adorn wall in which I am writin the poetry "Sacred to the 1643," a worthy appeal for the soldiers' graves—the n First Battle of Newbury.

Private Robert Bentley, s of 13, Berkeley-road, has July 13, 1917, and up to 1 whatever has been received the Berkshire Regiment