The Brentham Society Archive

The 1911 Census

The data presented here has been extracted from the 1911 census records accessed through www.1911census.co.uk and www.findmypast.co.uk

At the time of the census, Sunday 2nd April 1911, Brentham was still under construction. It is estimated that there were in the region of 360 completed houses. The census recorded just under 330 households. While some households would have been absent on the night of the census and hence not recorded, some houses would have been built but not yet occupied.

There was nothing built in Denison Road, Fowlers Walk, Holyoake Walk or North View and only 3 houses in Brentham Way. Meadvale Road was only partially complete.

The following pages give an analysis of people and households recorded.

Further information can be made available (including individual returns) if additional analysis is required.

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Brentham Society
February 2015

Number of addresses in total	361
Number with census return	329
Number no return (absent)	32
Number of residents	1221 people
Average household size	3.7 people

Household size analysis

No in Household	No of Households	%
1	7	2.1%
2	69	21.0%
3	83	25.2%
4	80	24.3%
5	54	16.4%
6	23	7.0%
7	5	1.5%
8	8	2.4%
All	**329**	100.0%

Households by Size

Number in Household
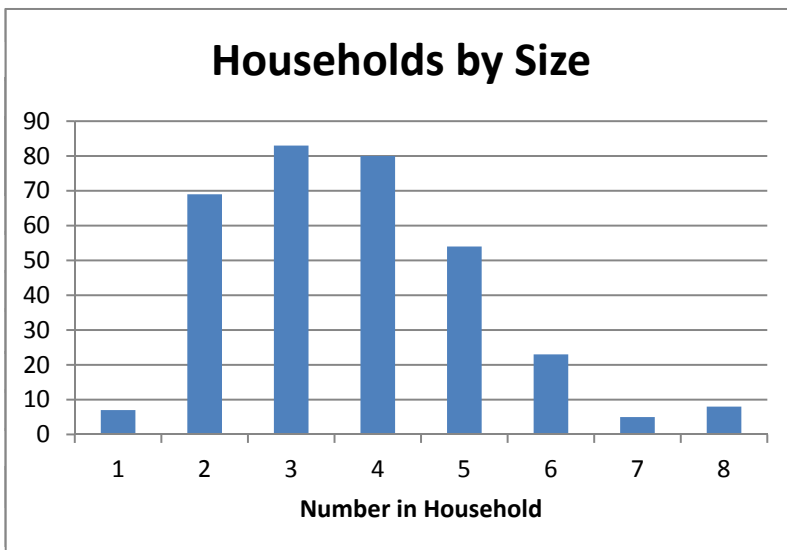
Gender	No. of people	%
FEMALE	668	54.7%
MALE	553	45.3%
Grand Total	**1221**	100.0%

Average Age All Residents   25.6 years

Age Band	No. of people	%
0-4	193	15.8%
5-9	121	9.9%
10-14	59	4.8%
15-19	66	5.4%
20-24	75	6.1%
25-29	169	13.8%
30-34	195	16.0%
35-39	105	8.6%
40-44	79	6.5%
45-49	51	4.2%
50-54	46	3.8%
55-59	29	2.4%
60-64	14	1.1%
65-69	9	0.7%
70-74	7	0.6%
75-79	2	0.2%
80-84	1	0.1%
Total	**1221**	100.0%

Residents by Age Band

5 Year Ageband
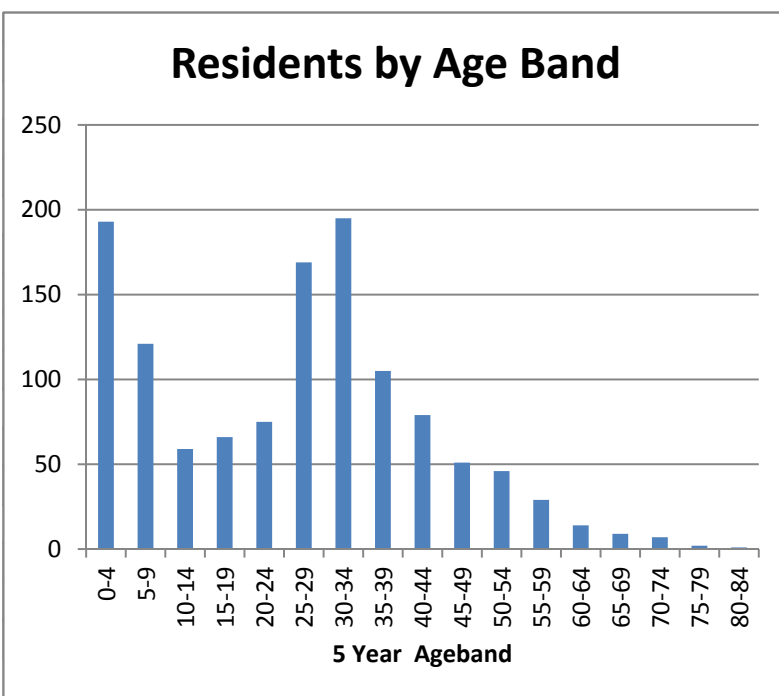
Place of Birth	Count
Abroad - Australia	2
Abroad - France	1
Abroad - Germany	3
Abroad - India	2
Abroad - Ireland	6
Abroad - New Zealand	1
Berkshire	6
Buckinghamshire	3
Cambridgeshire	3
Cheshire	8
Cornwall	2
Derbyshire	1
Devon	8
Durham	3
Essex	8
Glamorganshire	1
Gloucestershire	5
Hampshire	13
Hertfordshire	4
Huntingdonshire	1
Kent	11
Lancashire	7
Leicestershire	2
Lincolnshire	3
London	114
Middlesex	8
Middlesex/Acton	1
Middlesex/Ealing	6
Middlesex/Hanwell	2
N/K	2
Norfolk	6
Northamptonshire	1
Northumberland	3
Nottinghamshire	2
Oxfordshire	3
Shropshire	1
Somerset	10
Staffordshire	5
Suffolk	5
Surrey	11
Sussex	3
UK - Scotland	9
UK - Wales	7
Warwickshire	9
Wiltshire	5
Worcestershire	2
Yorkshire	10
Grand Total	**329**

Age Band	Count	%
20-24	3	0.9%
25-29	64	19.5%
30-34	87	26.4%
35-39	59	17.9%
40-44	36	10.9%
45-49	21	6.4%
50-54	27	8.2%
55-59	16	4.9%
60-64	9	2.7%
65-69	4	1.2%
70-74	3	0.9%
Grand Total	**329**	100.0%

Average Age of
Head of Household   38.3 years

Gender of HoH	HEAD

Gender	Count	%
FEMALE	28	8.5%
MALE	301	91.5%
Grand Total	**329**	100.0%

Marital Status	Count	%
MARRIED	296	90.0%
SINGLE	19	5.8%
WIDOW	9	2.7%
WIDOWER	5	1.5%
Grand Total	**329**	100.0%

Main Description	Count	With Secondary Description	Count
Accountant	4	**Accountant**	**4**
Architect	2	Chartered	1
Architectural assistant	1	heating & Lighting Engineers	1
Artist	6	Photographer	1
Assistant Examiner	1	Tobacco manufacturer	1
Assistant Manager	1	**Architect**	**2**
Assistant Secretary	2	Architect	1
Boiler Inspector	2	Architect and Surveyor	1
Bookkeeper	1	**Architectural assistant**	**1**
Bricklayer	3	(blank)	1
Builder	1	**Artist**	**6**
Butcher	1	Black & White Engraving	1
Buyer	3	Cromolithiographic / printing	1
Cabinet Maker	2	Fine Art	1
Canvasser	1	Lithiographic	1
Carpenter	8	Photography	1
Cashier	3	(blank)	1
Chemist	1	**Assistant Examiner**	**1**
Civil Engineer	2	(blank)	1
Clerk	79	**Assistant Manager**	**1**
Clothiers Assistant	1	Map printing Works	1
Color Merchant	1	**Assistant Secretary**	**2**
Commercial Traveller	12	Charitable Institution	1
Company Secretary	2	Insurance	1
Compositor & Reader	1	**Boiler Inspector**	**2**
Consulting Engineer	1	(blank)	2
Costume (Ladies) Manufacturer	1	**Bookkeeper**	**1**
County Council Officer	1	(blank)	1
Cycle & Motor Engineer	1	**Bricklayer**	**3**
Dentist	1	(blank)	3
Dentist's attendant	1	**Builder**	**1**
Designer	2	Jobbing	1
Director	1	**Butcher**	**1**
Dispatch ? (Caterers)	1	(blank)	1
Domestic	1	**Buyer**	**3**
Draughtsman	6	Clothing Outfitter	1
Electrician	3	Silk Warehouse	1
Engineer	3	Wine & Spirit Merchant	1
Engineer's fitter	1	**Cabinet Maker**	**2**
Engraver	5	Foreman	1
Gaoler	1	(blank)	1
Gardener	5	**Canvasser**	**1**
General Manager	1	(blank)	1
Gilder	1	**Carpenter**	**8**
Hairdresser	2	Ealing Tenants Ltd	3
House Painter	6	(blank)	5
Housewife	13	**Cashier**	**3**
Lecturer	2	(blank)	3
Manager	7	**Chemist**	**1**
Masseur	1	(blank)	1

Merchant	1	**Civil Engineer**		**2**
Motor Driver	1	Construction		1
Musical Instrument Polisher	1	(blank)		1
N/K	2	**Clerk**		**79**
Night Attendant	1	Bank		3
Not employed	2	Book Publisher		1
Nurseryman	1	Bookkeeping		1
Optician	2	Bookstall		1
Overseer	1	Civil Engineer		1
Packer (General Stores)	1	Civil Service (2nd Division)		2
Partner Window Cleaning Firm	1	Commercial		2
Pensioner	1	Crown Agents		1
Photographer	1	CS - Admiralty		1
Photographic retoucher	1	CS - Assistant		1
Piano Tuner	1	CS - Board of Education		1
Plasterer	3	CS - PO Savings Bank		1
Plumber	2	CS - Post Office		3
Printer	4	CS - War Office		1
Private Means	8	CS(1st) - Inland Revenu		1
Process Prover	1	CS(2nd) - Board of Education		1
Reader	1	CS(2nd) - Board of Trade		2
Retired	7	CS(2nd) - GPO		1
Salesman	9	CS(2nd) - Home Office		1
Secondhand bookseller	1	CS(2nd) - Other		4
Secretary	3	CS(2nd) - PO Savings Bank		2
Shop Assistant	2	CS(3rd) Post Office		1
Signal Engineer	1	Drapers		1
Signalman	1	Estate Agent		1
Sorter	20	Gas Corporation		1
Sub Engineer (Electrical)	1	House Furnishers		1
Superintendant of Machinery	1	Insurance		3
Surveyor	1	King's Counsel		1
Table Stationery Manufacturer	1	Law		1
Tailor's cutter	1	LCC		1
Tailor's marker	2	LCC - Education		1
Taxi driver	1	LCC(2nd)		1
Teacher	13	Lloyds Insurance		1
Teacher's assistant	4	Mercantile		1
Telegraph Operator	1	Merchants		2
Telegraphist	3	Metropolitan Asylum Board		1
Telephone Engineer	1	Motor Engineers		1
Test Clerk (Telephones)	1	Motor Manufacturer		1
Waiter (GWR Hotel)	1	Opticians		1
Warehouseman	4	Pianoforte Manufacturer		1
Warehouseman's Assistant	1	Private Club		1
Weight Adjuster	1	Railway		8
Works manager	1	Railway (underground)		1
Grand Total	**329**	Royal Horticultural Society		1
		Sanitary Engineers		1
		Shipping		2
		Solicitors		7

Stock Exchange	1
Timber Agents	1
Town Council	1
Westminter City Council	1
Clothiers Assistant	**1**
(blank)	1
Color Merchant	**1**
(blank)	1
Commercial Traveller	**12**
Bookseller	1
Coal Trade	1
Electrical trade	1
Grocery	1
Irish Butter	1
Iron and Metal Trade	1
Lace & Silks	1
Publishers	1
Sanitary Goods	1
Silks	1
Stationery	1
Tailor	1
Company Secretary	**2**
Drapery	1
Ealing Tenants	1
Compositor & Reader	**1**
(blank)	1
Consulting Engineer	**1**
(blank)	1
Costume (Ladies) Manufacturer	**1**
(blank)	1
County Council Officer	**1**
(blank)	1
Cycle & Motor Engineer	**1**
(blank)	1
Dentist	**1**
(blank)	1
Dentist's attendant	**1**
(blank)	1
Designer	**2**
and Engraver	1
Black & White	1
Director	**1**
Civil Service	1
Dispatch ? (Caterers)	**1**
(blank)	1
Domestic	**1**
Coachman	1
Draughtsman	**6**
LCC (Drawing Master)	1
Ordnance	1
Tube manufacturer	1

War Office	3
Electrician	**3**
Fitter	1
Wireman	1
(blank)	1
Engineer	**3**
CS(2nd) - Post office	1
Postal Telegraph	1
(blank)	1
Engineer's fitter	**1**
Fitter	1
Engraver	**5**
and Printer	1
Gold and Silver	1
Half Tone	1
Photography	1
Royal Mint	1
Gaoler	**1**
(blank)	1
Gardener	**5**
Domestic	2
Jobbing	2
Lanscape	1
General Manager	**1**
Fine Art Publisher	1
Gilder	**1**
Picture Framer	1
Hairdresser	**2**
(blank)	2
House Painter	**6**
and Sign Writer	1
(blank)	5
Housewife	**13**
(blank)	13
Lecturer	**2**
German	1
Moral Education League	1
Manager	**7**
Braille Publishing	1
Business Enquiry Office	1
Jute Trade	1
Ladies Costume Manufacturer	1
Office Furniture	1
Polishes Manufacturer	1
Tank Makers	1
Masseur	**1**
(blank)	1
Merchant	**1**
General Engineering	1
Motor Driver	**1**
(blank)	1

Musical Instrument Polisher		**1**
	(blank)	1
N/K		**2**
	(blank)	2
Night Attendant		**1**
	(blank)	1
Not employed		**2**
	(blank)	2
Nurseryman		**1**
	(blank)	1
Optician		**2**
	(blank)	2
Overseer		**1**
	Post Office	1
Packer (General Stores)		**1**
	(blank)	1
Partner Window Cleaning Firm		**1**
	(blank)	1
Pensioner		**1**
	(blank)	1
Photographer		**1**
	(blank)	1
Photographic retoucher		**1**
	(blank)	1
Piano Tuner		**1**
	(blank)	1
Plasterer		**3**
	(blank)	3
Plumber		**2**
	(blank)	2
Printer		**4**
	Letterpress	1
	Lithiographic	1
	(blank)	2
Private Means		**8**
	(blank)	8
Process Prover		**1**
	(blank)	1
Reader		**1**
	Printers	1
Retired		**7**
	Accountant	1
	Boarding House Keeper	1
	Engineer	1
	Laundryman	1
	Police	1
	PRU	1
	(blank)	1
Salesman		**9**
	Carpets	1
	China & Glass	1

	Cigars	1
	Drapery	2
	Fancy Goods	1
	Furniture	1
	Jewellry	1
	Tailor	1
Secondhand bookseller		**1**
	(blank)	1
Secretary		**3**
	Motor Car Engineers	1
	Photographic	1
	Tailor	1
Shop Assistant		**2**
	Gent's Outfitter	1
	(blank)	1
Signal Engineer		**1**
	(blank)	1
Signalman		**1**
	(blank)	1
Sorter		**20**
	GPO	15
	London Postal Service	5
Sub Engineer (Electrical)		**1**
	(blank)	1
Superintendant of Machinery		**1**
	(blank)	1
Surveyor		**1**
	Surveyor	1
Table Stationery Manufacturer		**1**
	(blank)	1
Tailor's cutter		**1**
	(blank)	1
Tailor's marker		**2**
	(blank)	2
Taxi driver		**1**
	(blank)	1
Teacher		**13**
	Certificated	1
	College - accountancy	1
	Handicrafts	1
	Head	1
	LCC - assistant	1
	private families	1
	Private school	1
	Secondary School	1
	Town Council (Elementary)	1
	Urban District Council	2
	Urban District Council - assistant	1
	(blank)	1
Teacher's assistant		**4**
	County Council	1

Elementary	1
Urban District Council	1
(blank)	1
Telegraph Operator	**1**
(blank)	1
Telegraphist	**3**
(blank)	3
Telephone Engineer	**1**
(blank)	1
Test Clerk (Telephones)	**1**
(blank)	1
Waiter (GWR Hotel)	**1**
(blank)	1
Warehouseman	**4**
Carpets	1
Drapers	1
Drapery	1
Furniture Removals	1
Warehouseman's Assistant	**1**
Woolen Warehouse	1
Weight Adjuster	**1**
(blank)	1
Works manager	**1**
(blank)	1
Grand Total	**329**

Relationship to HEAD	No. of people
HEAD	329
WIFE	282
DAUGHTER	252
SON	205
VISITOR	42
SERVANT	25
SISTER	14
BOARDER	12
SISTER-IN-LAW	9
MOTHER-IN-LAW	7
MOTHER	7
NEICE	7
NEPHEW	6
BROTHER-IN-LAW	5
BROTHER	4
FRIEND	4
GRANDDAUGHTER	2
ADOPTED SON	2
ADOPTED DAUGHTER	2
STEP DAUGHTER	1
SON-IN-LAW	1
FATHER-IN-LAW	1
NURSE	1
STEPSON	1
Grand Total	**1221**