

Francis Canham = Elizabeth ....

From various sources, Francis and Elizabeth appear to have been born between 1813 and 1816. No record of their marriage has been found. A parish record which may record Francis's birth is:

14 October 1814, Francis, son of Thomas (a bricklayer) and Sarah Canham baptised at Banningham.

They appear in the 1841 census at Walsham Road, Banningham, Aylsham, Norfolk. (6th June 1841)

Francis Canham, m, 25, Y

Elizabeth Canham, f, 25, Y

John Canham, m, 1, Y

Again in 1851 census at Banningham, Aylsham, Norfolk

Francis Canham, head, mar, 36, Farm labourer, Banningham, Norfolk

Elizabeth Canham, wife, mar, 38, Blickling, Norfolk.

John Canham, son, 11, scholar, Banningham, Norfolk.

In December 1859 the son John William Canham joined the Devonshire Regiment - 11th foot as private.

His service number was 1142 but his complete service papers have not been found although discharge papers are shown separately.