ADAM, William (1751-1839), politician. Lord Chief Commissioner of Scottish jury court, 1816. Lived at Sheen Cottage, Richmond Park, 1787-1816, where he was succeeded by his son William George, Accountant-General to the Court of Chancery, who died in 1834 and was buried at Mortlake.

ADAM, Sir Charles (1780-1853), Admiral, First Sea Lord, and ADAM, Sir Frederick (1781-1853), General Governor of Madras. Sons of William Adam, both of whom used Sheen Cottage as a residence after the death of William George.


AGUTTER, William (1758-1835), preacher. Noted for his sermons, many of which were published. Lived at White Lodge (south of Milbourne House), Barnes. His widow died there, 1849. Both buried at Barnes.

ALLOM, Thomas (1804-1872), architect and artist. Designed Holy Trinity Church, Castelnau, 1868. Lived at 1 Barnes Villas (80 Lonsdale Road), Barnes, from 1860 till his death.

ANSTIS, John, the elder (1669-1744), Garter King of Arms, 1718. A man of great learning and industry, whose manuscripts are now at British Museum. Lived and died at Mortlake at house between Thames Street and river.

ANSTIS, John, the younger (1708-1754), joint Garter King of Arms, 1727, with his father. Succeeded to his father's house at Mortlake where he died.

ARMIN, Robert (c1565 - c1610), actor and dramatist. Author of "The History of the Two Maids of Moreclacke" published 1609. Member of the Lord Chamberlain's Company of Players with Augustine Phillips, who lived by the river at Mortlake.

ASTLEY, John (1730-1787), portrait painter and architect. In his last years lived at Elm Bank, Barnes Terrace, which he improved and to which his son Francis Dukinfield Astley succeeded. Also constructed saloon and conservatory for house nearby, occupied by Lady Archer.


BACON, Sir James (1798-1895), judge. Last of the 19th century Vice-Chancellors, 1870-86. Lived at Fairfax House, Mortlake, 1851-60.

BANKES, George (1788-1856), last of cursitor barons of exchequer, 1824. Judge-advocate-general, 1852. Married Georgina Nugent, niece of Mrs. Elizabeth Taylor of West Park, Mortlake. Lived at Sheen Elms 1832-45, and inherited the property from Miss E. Taylor, 1837.


BARKER, Mathew (1619-1698), Nonconformist divine. Lecturer or preacher at Mortlake, 1646-8. Published religious works.


BAYNARD, Edward (1641-1719), physician, and BAYNARD, Ann (1672-1697), his only child, noted for her learning and piety. Edward is known to have been at Chiswick in 1665. Ann is said to have spent her last two years in meditation in Barnes Churchyard, and was buried there. Edward and his wife Phoebe were both buried at Barnes in 1719.

BEALE, Dorothea (1831-1906), principal of Cheltenham Ladies' College. In 1858 she assisted Miss M. F. Elwall in her school at Hillersdon House, Barnes, which was later carried on by her sister Eliza Ann Beale.

BEALE, Robert (1541-1601), diplomatist and antiquary. Secretary to Sir Francis Walsingham. Married sister of Lady Walsingham. His manuscripts now at British Museum. Lived at Milbourne House, Barnes, where he died.


BLATCHFORD, Robert Peel Glanville (1851-1943), journalist, author and Socialist. On taking up professional journalism moved to London from Cheshire. Lived at 22 Thorne Street, Barnes, 1885-7, and then returned to Manchester.


BLIZARD, Sir William (1743-1835), surgeon. Born at house next to Sun Inn, Barnes, son of William Blizard, auctioneer. Apprenticed to Mr. Besley, surgeon at Mortlake. President of Royal College of Surgeons.

BLOMFIELD, Sir Arthur William (1829-1899), architect. Designed and built The Cottage, East Sheen where he lived 1863-8. Designed Christ Church, East Sheen, where he was churchwarden 1867-8. Designed chancel of Mortlake Church, 1885.

BLUNT, William Scawen (1840-1922), traveller, politician and poet. His mother went to live at Suthrey House, Mortlake, with her family early in 1853. His sister attended the convent school of the Sacred Heart at Roehampton.

BOADDINGTON, Henry John (1811-1865), landscape painter. Second son of Edward Williams. Adopted his wife's name to avoid confusion. After living at Fulham and Hammersmith moved to 1 Lonsdale Villas (62 Lonsdale Road), Barnes, where he lived from 1854 till his death. Buried Barnes Cemetery.

BOILEAU, Sir John Peter (1794-1869), archaeologist. Eldest son of John Peter Boileau, who lived at Castelnau House, Mortlake, from 1804 till his death in 1837. Created baronet 1838.

BOUCICAULT, Dion (1820-1890), actor and dramatist. Lived at The Larches, East Sheen, 1860, for about a year.


BRADLEY, Katharine Harris (1848-1914) with her niece, COOPER, Edith Emma (1862-1913), poets. Wrote together under pseudonym Michael Field some thirty volumes of poems and dramatic plays, with lyrics of a
high order, 1884-1913. Lived at 1 The Paragon, Richmond, from 1899. Buried Mortlake Roman Catholic Cemetery.

BRYSON, Alexander (1802-1869), medical writer and director-general of medical department of Navy. Was living at Hermitage Villa, Barnes, in 1860 and died there.


BURTON, Isabel, Lady (1831-1896), wife of Sir R. F. Burton. As Miss Arundell regularly visited her aunt Lady Gerard who lived at Portobello House, Mortlake, 1854-65. She lived at 65 North Worples Way from 1891 till her death, when she was buried with her husband.

BURTON, Sir Richard Francis (1821-1890), explorer and scholar. Went to school at Richmond, 1829, when living at Maids of Honour Row. Buried Mortlake Roman Catholic Cemetery.


BYFIELD, Richard (1598-1664), puritan divine. Rector of Long Ditton for over thirty years until ejected in 1662, when he retired to Mortlake, where he died and was buried. Monument. Owned extensive land in Mortlake. His wife was Sarah daughter of John Juxon, Lord of the Manor of East Sheen and Westhall.