

MEMBERS OF HOUSEHOLD

Christian name  
for reference only

Inft.	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th
HENRY JOHN.	REBECCA Y.	ALISON GWINNERA	TIMOTHY GEORGE	CERIDWEN.					
65-66	65-66	65-66	65-66	65-66	65-66				
5	4	2	2	6	9				

Age last birthday

2/11

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QUESTIONNAIRE ON HOUSEHOLD RESOURCES  
&  
STANDARDS OF LIVING IN THE UNITED KINGDOM  
1967-68

- I Housing and Living Facilities
- II Employment
- III Occupational Facilities and Fringe Benefits
- IV Current Monetary Income
- V Assets and Savings
- VI Health and Disability
- VII Social Services
- VIII Private Income in Kind
- IX Style of Living

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1 SBC1	T31 AH	FP	BP
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ASK CHIEF WAGE EARNER/H.O.H. CODE C.W.E./H.O.H. ONLY  
 23. Do you think you could GENUINELY say you are poor now?  
 X Does Not Apply SKIP TO Q.24  
 Y all the time } ASK Q.23(a)  
 0 sometimes }  
 1 never } SKIP TO Q.24  
 2 DK }  
 PROMPT AND CODE ONE ONLY

(a) Do you feel poor at any of these times or in any of these situations?  
 3 at weekends  
 4 mid-week  
 5 at Christmas  
 6 with some of your friends  
 7 with some of your relatives  
 8 with some of the people round here  
 9 other (SPECIFY)  
 PROMPT AND CODE ALL THAT APPLY

FOR CHIEF WAGE EARNER/H.O.H. CODE C.W.E./H.O.H. ONLY  
 24. (a) There's been a lot of talk about poverty. Do you think there's such a thing as REAL poverty these days? \*  
 yes  
 no  
 DK  
 (b) What would you describe as poverty?  
 WRITE IN ANSWER  
 People in need are difficult to find. Can remember the depression in Wales, the people were eating potatoes & bread all the time, also he used to go over with his father trying to reclaim debt for his father  
 (c) Would you say that if people are in poverty its mainly  
 X - their own fault?  
 Y - the Government's fault?  
 0 - the fault of their education?  
 1 - the fault of industry not providing the right jobs?  
 2 - anything else? (SPECIFY)  
 3 - a combination of (some of) these?  
 4 - none of these?  
 5 DK

ASK CHIEF WAGE EARNER AND HOUSEWIFE ABOUT ALL AGED 23 AND OVER CODE ALL AGED 23 & OVER  
 25. Do you mind telling me if you voted in the last General Election (I don't mean who you voted for, just whether you voted)? \*  
 yes, voted  
 no  
 DK  
 DNA

ASK CHIEF WAGE EARNER/H.O.H. CODE C.W.E./H.O.H. ONLY  
 26. If there is poverty what do you think can be done about it?  
 nothing  
 DK  
 WRITE IN ANSWER  
 The Govt does provide for everyone. The Church helps, but it is always there. And it will be there when Christ returns to earth. The 2nd coming is very soon, the way things are going.

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**QUESTION 23 Poor now**

Stress genuinely and try to avoid facetiousness at this point. Question 23 (a) explores what the informant understands by feeling "poor". If the word "poor" seems inappropriate use the alternative "very hard up".

**QUESTION 24 Poverty**

Stress the word "poverty". Do not explain what you think it means if you are asked. Seek from the informant his definition and write it in the box as clearly as you can.

**QUESTION 25 Voting**

Ask for those old enough to have voted in the last election (March 1965). We are not concerned who they voted for (although they will probably say) but would like to know if they are sufficiently involved to vote at all. Be careful to reassure people that this is confidential and as far as you are concerned non-voting is blameless—many people consider that voting is legally compulsory or morally obligatory and so voting figures are over-estimated. Try to get a clear recollection by fixing the incident (time of day, who they went with) if necessary. Stress **National**, not local elections.

**QUESTION 26 Action on poverty**

We are interested in what the informant thinks can be done. Give as full an answer as possible.

Please write in any additional notes.

*Handwritten notes:*  
"very hard up"  
"poor"  
"very hard up"  
"poor"  
"very hard up"  
"poor"

FOR CHIEF WAGE  
23. How do you  
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(a) Do you feel  
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FOR CHIEF WAGE  
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AND CODE 1 - the  
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4 - none o  
5 - O

FOR CHIEF WAGE EARNER AND  
25. Do you mind tell I live in  
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FOR CHIEF WAGE EARNER AND  
26. Is there is poverty what  
can be done about it?

WRITE IN ANSWER  
The Pitt does  
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And it will be  
return to earn  
very soon he is