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William Henry Nelson of Biggin Hill was a professional photographer who took hundreds of pictures of this area between 1903 and 1926.

His grandson, John Nelson, donated his collection of Tatsfield photographs to the Tatsfield History Project in 2008.



The White House, Westmore Green





The Village Centre showing the original Ship and few trees





The Village Centre (2)



The Village Centre (3)





The Parade, the original site of Tatsfield Working Men's Club





Mr Potter's Tea Room , baker & confectioner, refreshments



The Old Ship



The Old Ship. The hunt assemblies (1)





The Old Ship. The hunt assembles (2)



The Old Ship. The hunt assemblies (3)



The Old Ship in 1906





Ship Hill then, an unmade road (1)



Ship Hill then, an unmade road (2)





Tatsfield Church, before the porch was built (1)





Tatsfield Church, before the porch was built (2)



Tatsfield Church Inside





The junction of Church Hill, Chestnut Avenue and Clarks Lane, all unmade  
(note the board advertising development on Chestnut Avenue)





Chestnut Avenue





Clarks Lane towards Westerham



'School Corner' and Old Lane with Hitchcock's Yard





'School Corner' and Tatsfield Green with few trees



Park Farm, the original farmhouse





Sunny Bank, Old Lane (1)



Sunny Bank, Old Lane (2)





The Woods





The Manor House seen across the valley from Paynesfield Road





The Manor House



John's Road visible from Ricketts Hill Road





View from Ricketts Hill Road of Ninehams and Paynesfield Road



Maybe another view of John's Road but a note from someone suggested  
It's a view of Ricketts taken from Polesteeple Hill





The northern end of Paynesfield Road looking up to where it joins with Ricketts Hill Road



This could either be a view of John's Road or perhaps  
Ricketts Hill taken from Polesteeple Hill?





View from Ricketts Hill



Kemsley Road (1)



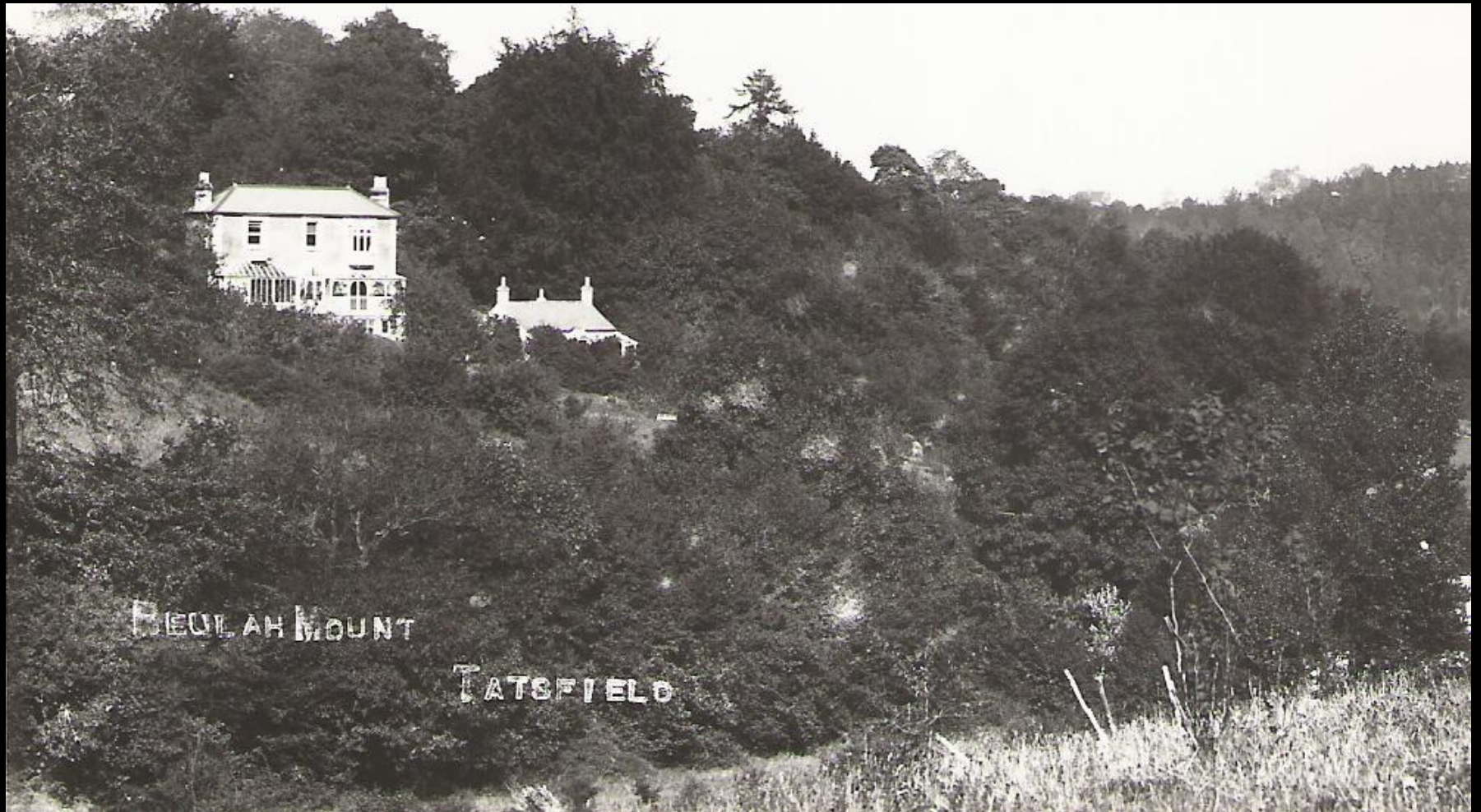


Kemsley Road (2)



Kemsley Road (3)





Kemsley Road, Beulah Mount



Oaklands, 81 Paynesfield Road





Tatsfield from Maesmaur Road



Junction of Titsey Hill and Pilgrims Way. St James' Church behind the trees





The original Hillview House, Paynesfield Road



The Red House, Ricketts Hill Road





The Red House, Ricketts Hill Road, from the rear





The Briars, Ninehams Road





Mrs Jones at But An Ben, Ricketts Hill Road (1)





Mrs Jones at But An Ben, Ricketts Hill Road (2)





Mrs Jones at But An Ben, Ricketts Hill Road (3)

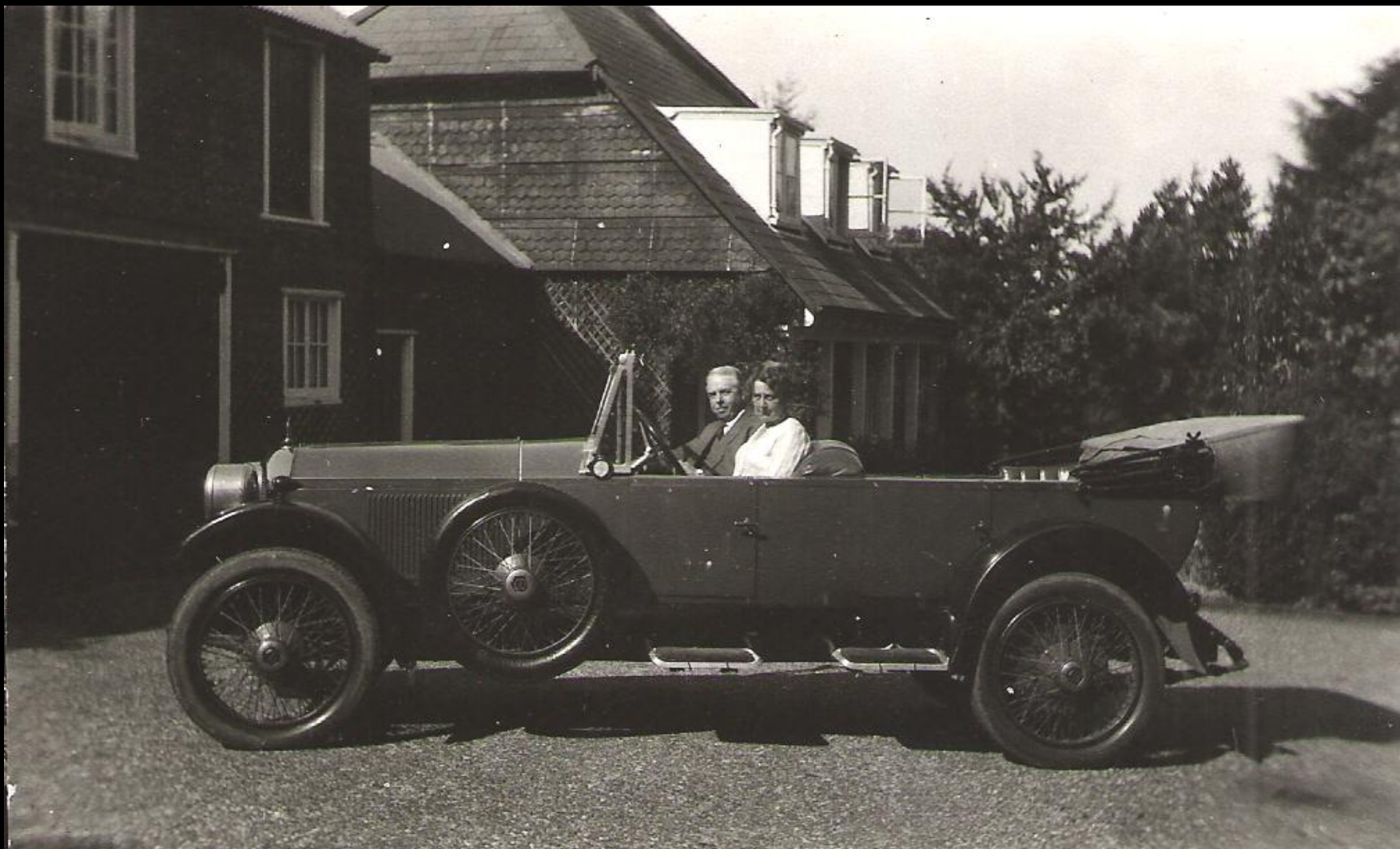


Mrs Jones





Etheldene School, Ricketts Hill Road . Miss King & Miss Horsey



Fir Tree Farm or Firs Farm, Ricketts Hill Road. Paige family? (1)





Fir Tree Farm or Firs Farm, Ricketts Hill Road. Paige family? (2)



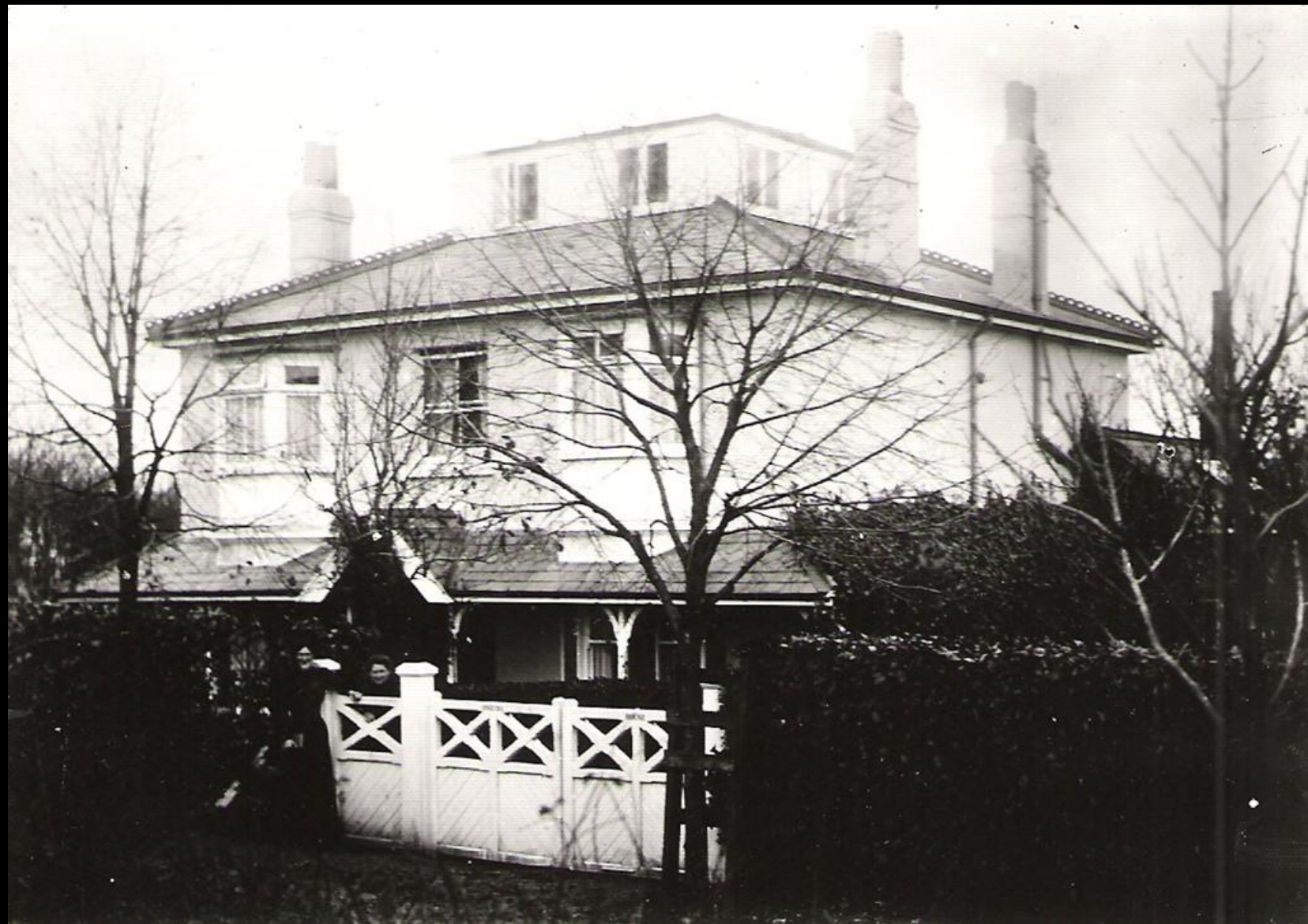


Fir Tree Farm or Firs Farm, Ricketts Hill Road. Paige family? (3)





Fir Tree Farm or Firs Farm, Ricketts Hill Road. Paige family? (4)



Oneida House, Hillside Road





Tatsfield Cottage, Ricketts Hill Road



Beech View, Ricketts Hill Road





Unknown cottage. Ricketts Hill Road perhaps?



Barnfield Road. Possibly Holly Cottage but it doesn't match what's there now





Possibly the Field family who ran a shop in Emily, now Westmore Road





The Wendy House, Paynesfield Road (1)





The Wendy House, Paynesfield Road (2)





The Wendy House garden, Paynesfield Road





The Wendy House pond, Paynesfield Road



A cat at Etheldene, Ricketts Hill Road





Moore was recorded as a stationer and photographer in directories in 1905 and 1907. There's a copy postmarked 1905 and it appears that the same picture was taken before the Bakery was built.



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