

Marriages at Lezant,

1539 to 1812.

NOTE.—The Lezant record of Baptisms, Marriages and Burials is one of the most complete in the county of Cornwall. It is practically unbroken from 1539 up to the present time. The handwriting of the first volume discloses the fact that the earlier entries in that volume are a transcript made about the middle of the seventeenth century. This volume gives Baptisms, Marriages and Burials from 1539 to 1688. Some of the later entries are badly written and rather difficult to decipher. Volume II supplies besides Burials and Baptisms from 1689 to 1791, the Marriages from 1689 to 1754. In a separate volume are contained the Marriages from 1754 to 1812. When Mrs. Glencross extracted the Marriages for the present volume she was not aware that the work had been already performed by the Rev. T. Taylor. A comparison of the extracts revealed only one trifling omission. It is safe therefore to conclude that the entries hereunder given are as complete and accurate as possible. The Rev. R. Cardwell, M.A., has kindly given permission for them to be printed.

There are no transcripts at Bodmin for Lezant.

VOLUME I.

“The names of all them that are maryed in the pishe of Lezant made according to the Injunctions, and the same beginne the first day of January, in the yeer of our Lord God 1539.”

Thomas Harper & Johan Combe	...	...	19 Jan.	1539
William Isaacke & Johan Adicote	...	...	27 Apr.	”
Robert Bourne & Margaret Heathman	...	...	8 June	”
William Walkey & Earthe Badlam	...	...	13 July	”
John Olliver & Johan, dau. of John Forte	...	...	14 July	”
Roger Stanton & Elizabeth Rowse	...	...	5 Oct.	”
William Lawence, of Dunterton, & Johan Blackemoore	...	...	12 Oct.	”
Harry Wayren & Johan, dau. of John Adam	...	...	12 Oct.	”
John Litcote & Johan Forte the younger	...	...	19 Oct.	”
Harry Speare & Alice Bourne	...	...	24 Nov.	1540
John Weavell & Wilmote Baker	...	...	16 Jan.	1541