

MEMBERS OF HOUSEHOLD

Inft.	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th
Malcolm	Mayme	Bonny							
65-66	65-66	65-66	65-66	65-66	65-66				

Age last birthday

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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

A Survey carried out from the University of Essex
and the University of London (L.S.E.)

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ASK CHIEF WAGER 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

PROMPT AND CODE Y all the time } ASK Q.23(a)
ONE ONLY 0 sometimes }
1 never } SKIP TO Q.24

(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 WAGER 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? *

Does Not Apply SKIP TO Q.25

yes

no

DK

(b) What would you describe as poverty?

WRITE IN ANSWER
Tuff Clothes off other people ; scrapping for food ; low wages (£9) — agriculture ; with others and low wages

(c) Would you say that if people are in poverty its mainly
X - their own fault? (Any one can get on)
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)
ONE ONLY
3 - a combination of (some of) these?
4 - none of these?
5 DK

ASK CHIEF WAGER AND HOUSEWIFE ABOUT ALL AGED 23 AND OVER
25. Do you mind telling me if you voted in the last CODE
General Election (I don't mean who you voted for, ALL AGED
just whether you voted)? *

yes, voted
no
DK
DNA

ASK CHIEF WAGER EARNER/H.O.H. CODE C.W.E./H.O.H. ONLY
26. If there is poverty what do you think nothing
can be done about it? DK

WRITE IN ANSWER
Tuff Pull down shuns, build new houses
raise wages
and Raise Wages

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7	8	9	10
71	71	71	71	71	71	71	71	71	71
X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
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X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
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5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5
74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74
X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
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1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

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.

Re - poverty Mentioned scenes in the
back streets of Cardiff

"Never seen anything like it
— terrible". "No clothes in some
cases, woman wrapped in blanket
— maybe 15 miles outside Cardiff.