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Dear Mr Stublely,

Thank you for your letter requesting a copy from the Camberwell marriage register for John Henry Beecher and Margaret Ann Rogers. I'm afraid there was no marriage recorded for the 6th January of 1802 (as the enclosed pages show), nor any sign of those names in the register around this date.

Not wishing to give up, I searched the London parish records as a whole on Ancestry.co.uk, but the names do not turn up anywhere. I think the pairing might have originated in a family tree that has been compiled on Ancestry, but which has some disparate records that don't seem to match up. (Please see the screenshot overleaf.) The main details match those that you gave in your original email (John Henry Beecher born 1770 died GA), but the records cited do not relate to this person.

There is a John *Thomas* Beecher married to a Mary Beecher in Southwell, Nottinghamshire on 6th January of 1802 and a separate marriage in Camberwell in 1849 between Mary Anne Rogers and someone called John Baker. I've followed the links to the records and pasted them overleaf so that you can see the details.

It may be that there is no connection between this family and Camberwell, but if it turns out that there is, please feel free to get in touch again. I have enclosed a guide to our main family history resources for reference.

Yours sincerely,


Lucy Tann
Heritage officer

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John Henry Beecher

BIRTH 1770 , , , England
DEATH , , Georgia, USA

LIFESTORY **FACTS** GALLERY

FACTS

Name and gender ▾

1770 (AGE) Birth
1770 , , , England

1802 Marriage
6 Jan 1802 • Female Southwell
1 Source

1849 (79) Marriage
7 Feb 1849 • Emmanuel, Camberwell, England
Mary Ann Rogers
1 Source

Death
, , Georgia, USA

Sources

Ancestry Sources

- Ancestry Family Trees
- England, Pallot's Marriage Index, 1780-1837
- Georgia, Property Tax Digests, 1793-1892
- London, England, Church of England Marriages and Banns, 1754-1921

Family

Parents

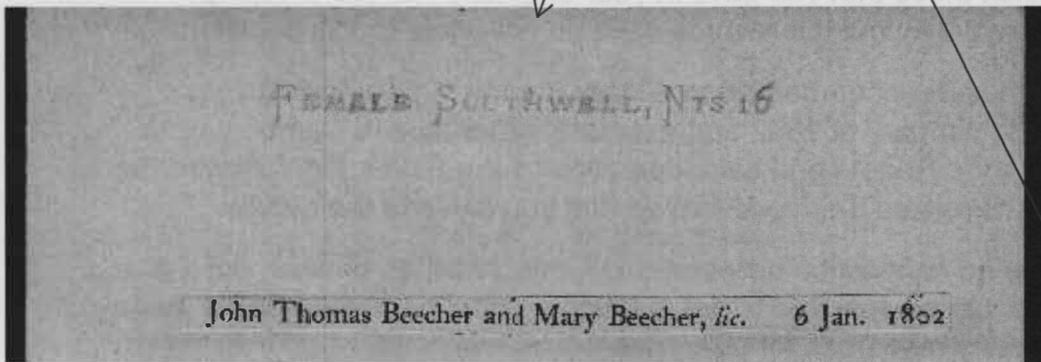
- Unknown Father
- Unknown Mother

Spouse

- Mary Ann Rogers

Spouse & Children

- Margaret Ann Rogers 1790-
- Harriet Beecher 1811-
- Henry Ward BEECHER 1812-1908



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1849. Marriage solemnized at Emmanuel in the Parish of Camberwell in the County of Surrey

No.	When Married.	Name and Surname.	Age.	Condition.	Rank or Profession.	Residence at the Time of Marriage.	Father's Name and Surname.	Rank or Profession.
95	Feb 7 th	John Baker	full age	Widower	Organist	Wickham C. of Camberwell	John Baker	Organist
		Mary Ann Rogers	age	Spinster		High Street Camberwell	John Rogers	Widow

Married in the Suburb Parish Church according to the Rites and Ceremonies of the Established Church, by Richard Taylor Minister

This Marriage was solemnized between us, John Baker in the Presence of us, George Isaac Baker & Joseph
Mary Ann Rogers Henry James Lyman Beaumont Pratt

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