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## What is a Croft?

A piece of paradise surrounded by views, flowers, animals, birds and aquatic life that people would die for, AND DID.

Not as some people say a small piece of land

smothered by legislation

#### HERE ARE SOME CROFTERS

#### Below:

- Robbie Lee feeding da hens
- Top left:
- Kevin Hay clippin on da banks
- brew in a peerrie isle
- Bottom left:
- An auld crofter enjoyin a smoke o da pipe efter turning his hay

Grandad Leask.j

## CROFTING

## Times Past

#### 'Kye tied at rig baaks'

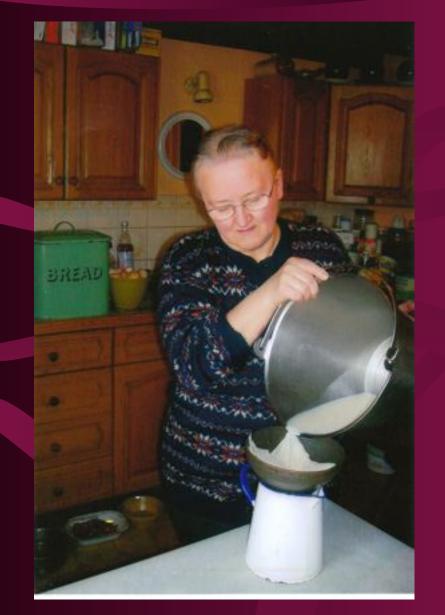


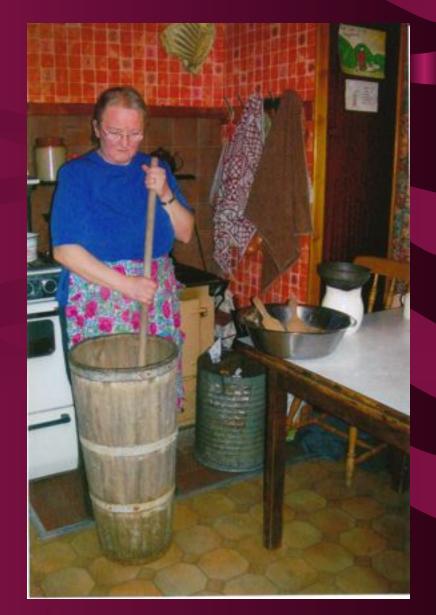
#### Shetland Bere Milking 'da coo'



### Straining Milk

#### Making Butter





#### Replanting best 'stocks' for next years seed



How Wisdom **Beyond Education**, A Young **Shetland Animal** and A Shetland Cabbage Plant SAVED THE WORLD

#### John the ideas man's memorial

JOHN WILLIAMSON HAMNAVOE ESHANESS 1740 – 1803 PIONEER INDCULATOR AGAINST SMALLPOX WHO BECAME KNOWN AS JOHNNIE NOTIONS

#### Blue Hearts Ness Kidney

#### Foula Red Shetland Black









#### Jim Smith – the inventor



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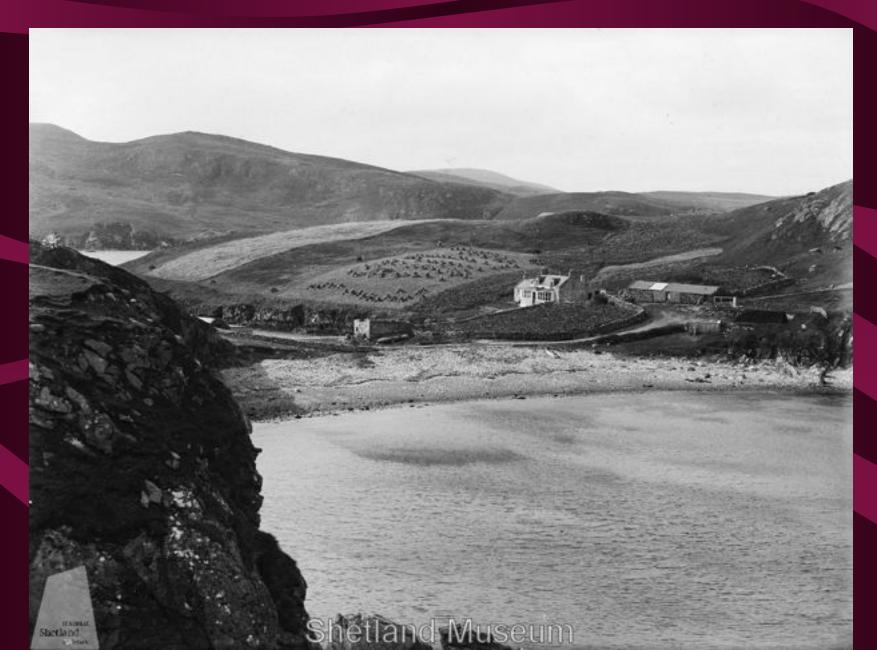




### Engamoor



#### Snarraness - 1932



### Snarraness - 2000



# LOCAL FOOD

#### Sea Eagle – near home



#### Puffin – May be away 2 days



#### Shetland Sheep grazing on seaweed



#### Shetland Stot ready for slaughter



#### Where is Crofting?



#### Shetland Heifers presented to HRH Prince Charles



#### Snarraness Today



# SUCCESS

## ONA PLATE