

RINGMORE is a village and parish in the Kingsbridge union, containing, by the census of 1861, 271 inhabitants, and 1128 acres; in the deanery of Woodleigh, archdeaconry of Totnes, diocese of Exeter, hundred of Ermington, South Devonshire; 4 miles south from Modbury, on the sea coast, overlooking Bigbury Bay, the scenery along the coast being very beautiful and varied. The rectory, with the chapelry of Okenbury attached, in the incumbency and patronage of the Rev. Francis Charles Hingeston-Randolph, M.A., domestic chaplain to Viscountess Falmouth Baroness Le Despencen, had the tithes commuted at £235 per annum, and has residence and 101 acres of glebe land. The church is an ancient edifice, dedicated to All Saints, chiefly of the architecture of the 13th century, except the north transept, which is of Early Norman or Saxon; the whole was restored in 1864. There is a school for children of both sexes, and the Baptists have a place of worship here. There is a Coast Guard Station at *Challacombe*, also a seine for catching mackerel and pilchards.

<i>Clergy and Gentry.</i>	
Forbes Mr. Thomas, The Cross	Randle Robert, farmer, Ringmore cottage
Hingeston Mrs.	Randle Robert W., coaldealer and shopkeeper
Hingeston-Randolph Rev. Francis Chas., M.A., The Rectory	Randle Thomas, "New Inn," grocer and carrier
<i>Trades and Professions.</i>	
Coaker James, carpenter	Sparrow Benjamin William, farmer, South Langston
Crimp John, farmer, Lower farm	Taylor Gilbert, farmer, Marwell
Crimp John Garland, assessor and collector of Income and Land Taxes, Lower farm	Triggs James, mason
Dunn Samuel P., "Rising Sun" and shopkeeper	Ward Miss Mary, milliner and dressmaker
Farley James, thatcher	White John, farmer, Okenbury Barton
Kells Mrs. Jane, farmer, Middle farm	~
Luscombe William, farmer, Penton	Letters through Ivybridge. Modbury is the nearest money order office
Mountstephens John, chief boatman of Coast Guard, Challaborough Station	~
Patterson Edward, shoemaker	<i>Carrier</i> - Thomas Randle, to Plymouth, Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday
Prowse Robert, shopkeeper	~
Randle Mrs. Betsy, farmer, Higher farm	<i>Coast Guard Station</i> , Challaborough - John Mountstephens, chief boatman
Randle Peter, coal merchant	