

**Agricultural Labourers and Farming in the early 19<sup>th</sup> Century**



Farm workers near Worthing, using pitchforks to gather and sort hay in a field. Watercolour by Mrs W.E. Partridge. Dated 1841.  
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Farm workers harvesting corn or similar crop, using scythes and a sharpening-stone. Watercolour by Mrs W.E. Partridge. Dated 1841. West Sussex County Council Library Service ref.no. PP/WSL/WA000464 (original at West Sussex Record Office)



Messrs. J.O. Lugg & Son of Billingshurst, using a threshing machine in the Petworth area, 1931  
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