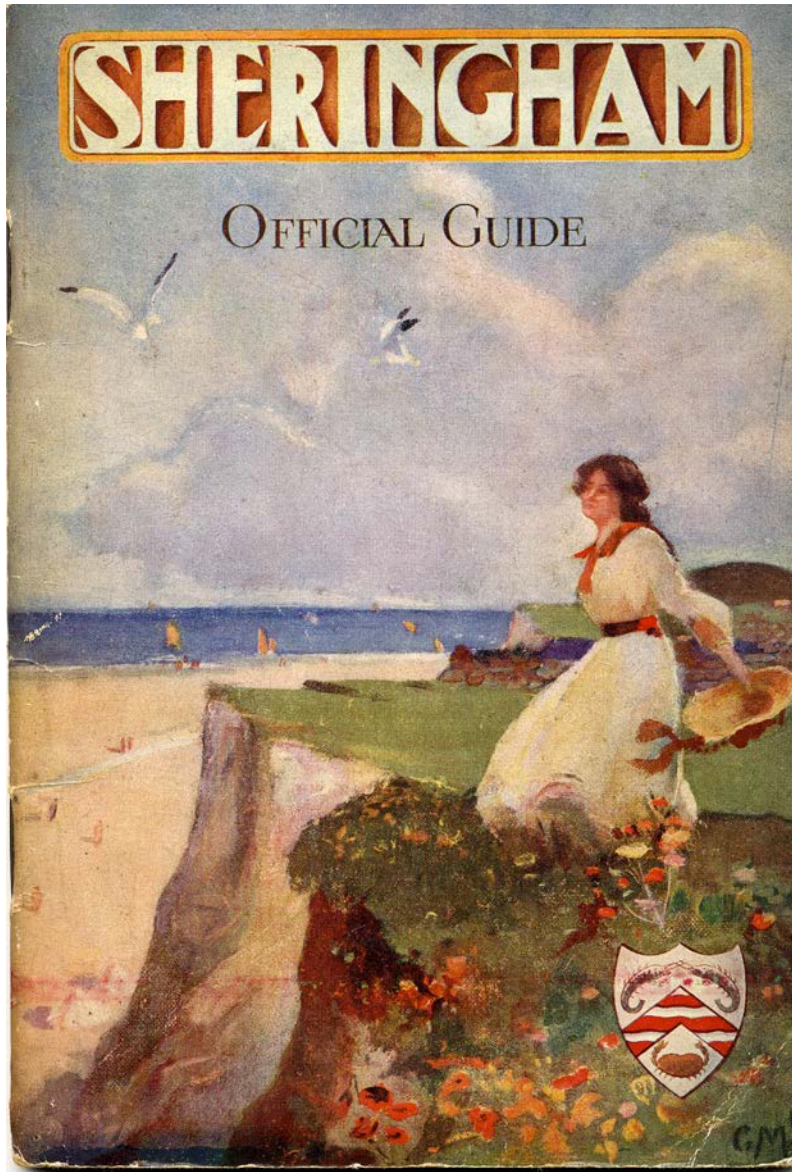


Welcome To Sheringham

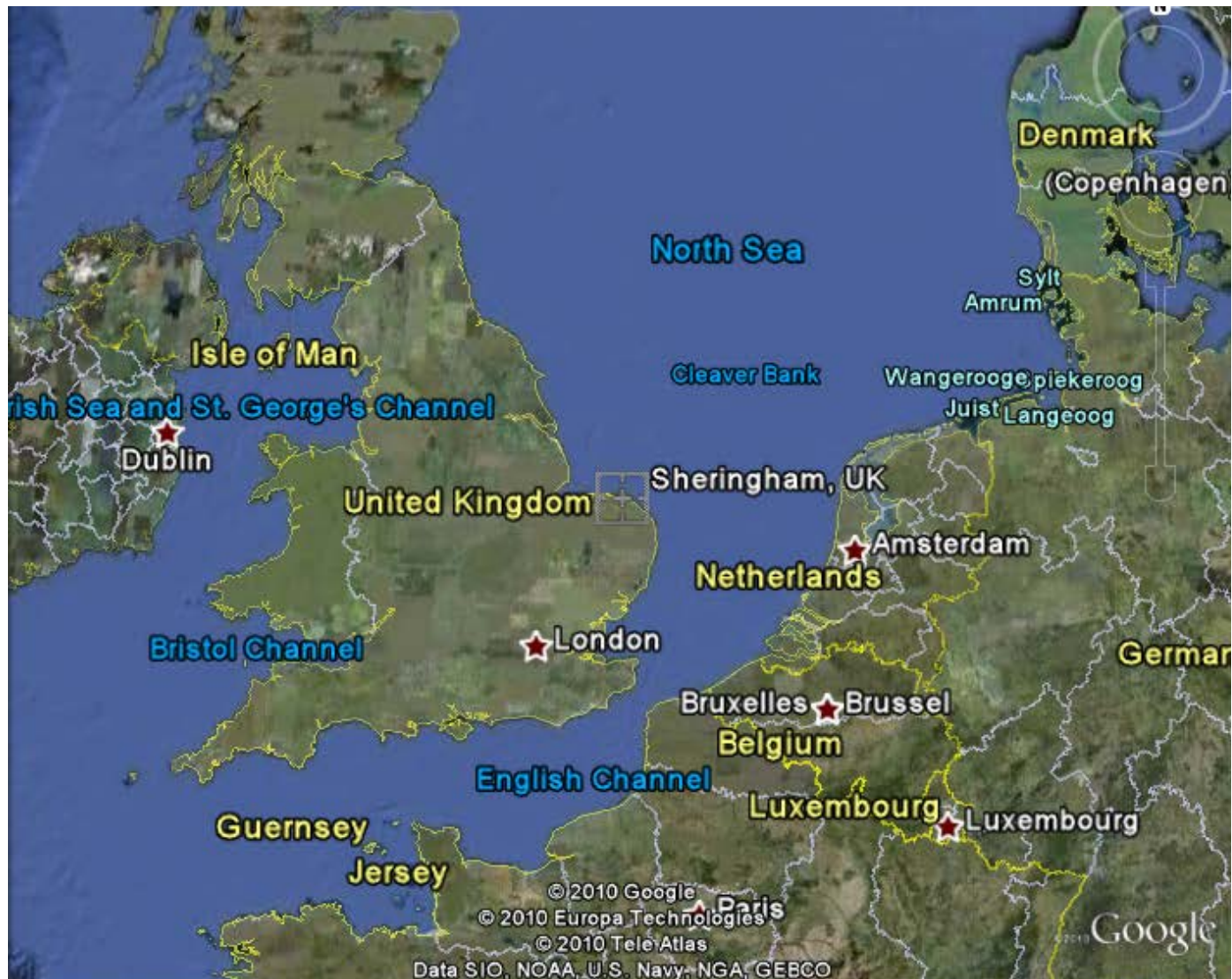


The Development of a Town

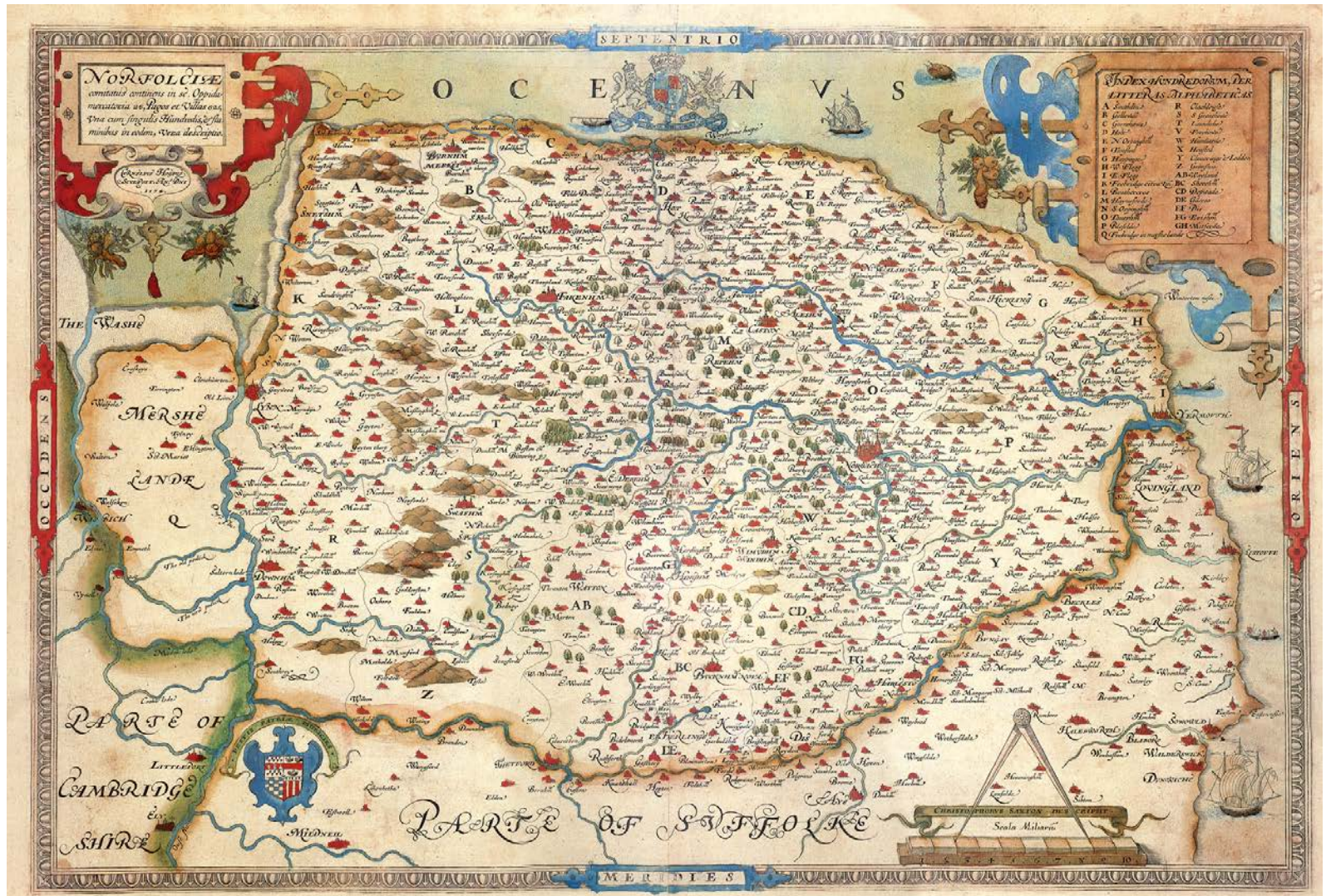


Twixt Pine & Sea

Where is Sheringham ?



Maps





Domesday 1086 The first record of the Village
Silingham



Evidence

Vikings

Street Furniture

Dates on Buildings

Archaeology

Names of Roads &
Streets

Flint Tools

Scira's People

Churches & Chapels

Roman Evidence-Pottery Kiln Find

Sheringham: From Fishing Village To Seaside Town

I understand why Sheringham first developed as a settlement

I can explain how & why the railway changed Sheringham

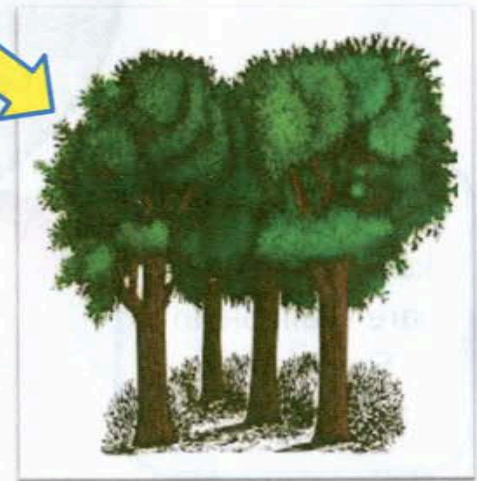
I can identify key facilities that are available in Sheringham today

I can use different types of evidence to reach conclusions





What **RESOURCES** made
Upper Sheringham a
good place for a
settlement?

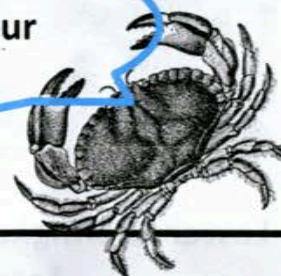




Fishing Folk

This fantastic art work showing local fishermen was created by Colin Seal. It is located outside the museum and forms part of the Sheringham Art Trail.

Choose a fishing
nickname that suits your
personality!



Sheringham's population in 1801 was 392, & was mainly fishing families such as the Wests & Peggs. It was common for fathers & sons to share the same names. To have their own identity, they used nicknames like **'Teapot', 'Bouncer' & 'Joyful'**.

Many fishermen were also on the **lifeboat crew** for Sheringham, risking their lives in all weathers to save others.

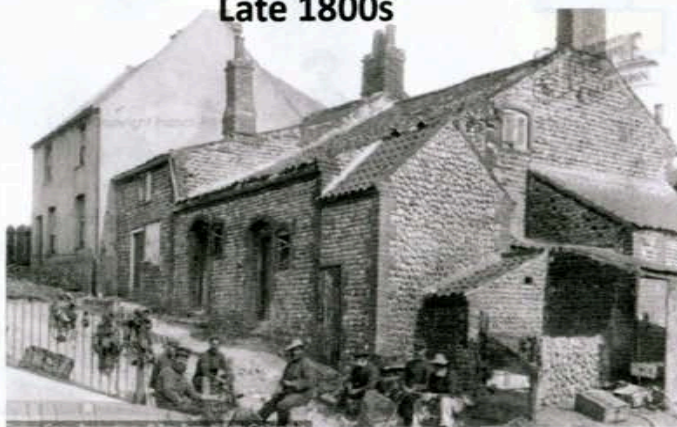
Have a look at our fishermen's **GANSEYS** & try on some of the lifejackets & clothing in our boat gallery. How does it feel?



**Sheringham beach & fishing boats:
Late 1800s**



**Lower Sheringham fishing cottages:
Late 1800s**



**What happened
to change
Sheringham ?**



**Sheringham High Street & shops
during the 1920s**



I am not very happy about the railway. There are too many visitors in Sheringham & they are trying to change my town!

I love the seaside. Sheringham has a lot to offer, but some things still need improving!

1897



I am excited by the railway!
All these holiday makers will want deckchairs & beach tents. I can make money from them. I can also get my fish to market much faster.



What
people
think
about
the
railway?





Visitors also needed shops to buy food, newspapers and souvenirs.



The railway first arrived in Sheringham in 1897. By 1907 you could be in London within 3 hours. Lots of visitors came to Sheringham because it was by the sea.

Holiday makers needed somewhere to stay. Large guest houses & hotels were built. This shows the **Burlington**.



The beach was the main attraction for visitors. People started to rent out beach tents & deckchairs.

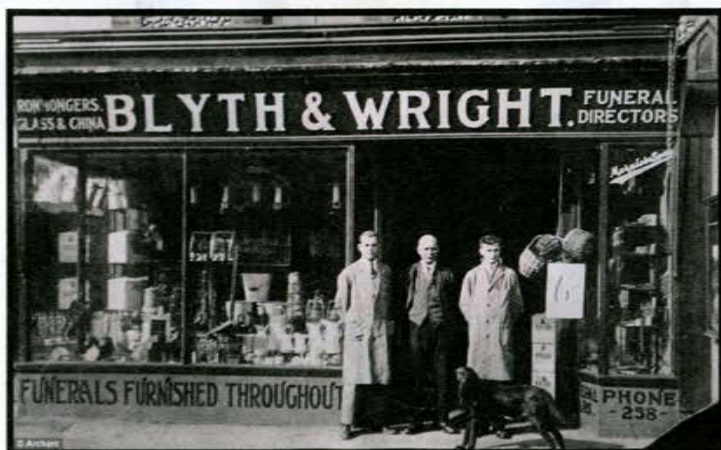


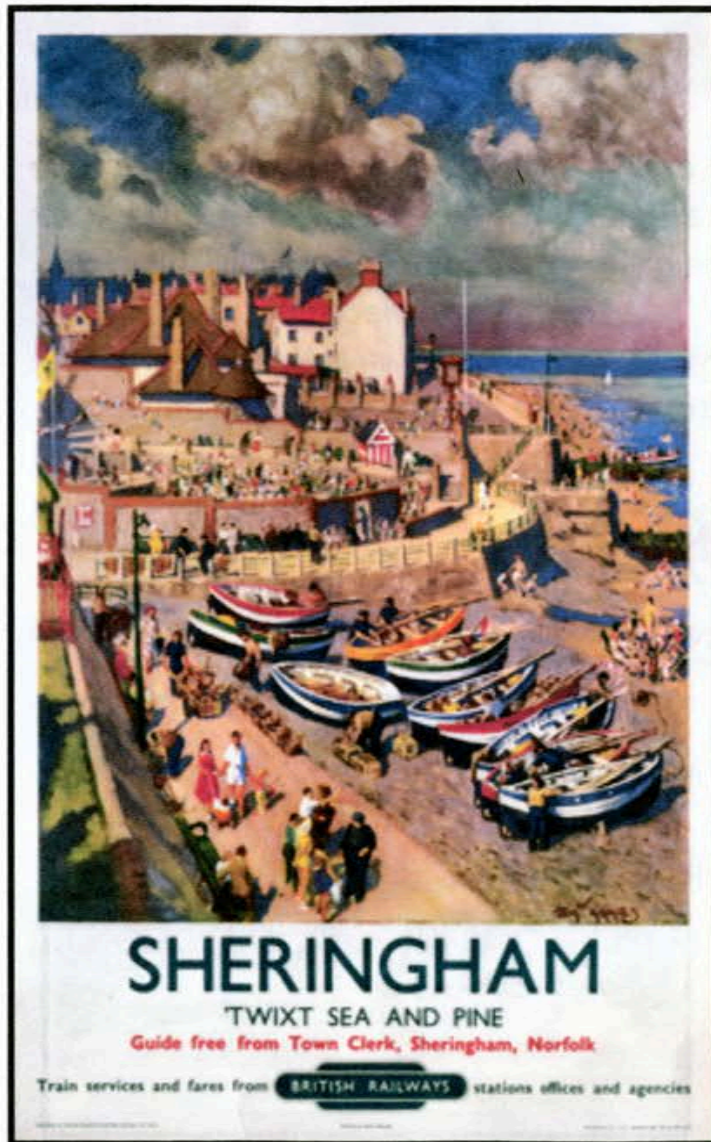


Shops Past & Present

Some of Sheringham's shops & businesses have been around since the 1800s. Sometimes, their name has changed, but the shop is still in the same place.

Can you spot different ways that Sheringham town centre has changed over time?





The railway and coach companies designed colourful posters to make people want to visit Sheringham.





**What facilities and activities
are available in Sheringham
today?**

