



Hamon Cadby Private 1900, 21st Foot, Royal Scots Fusiliers

Hamon Cadby was born in Semington in 1820, the son of Hamon and Susannah Cadby (Nee Chapman). His parents had married after banns in Semington on 12th February 1807

Hamon was baptised in St. James Church, Trowbridge on the 6th August 1820. His father is recorded as being a farmer at Steeple Ashton.

According to the 1841 Census Hamon is working as a servant at Hare Stock Farm, Bremhill

Ten years later he is listed as being a Private in the army based at the Infantry Barracks, St. John's. Glasgow, Scotland

Records show that Haman had two older brothers, John and James who were transported to Van Diemens Land in 1841 and 1855 respectively. He also had a sister Matilda.

Hamon Cadby died at Scutari during the Crimean War on 31st December 1854. He was awarded the Crimean Medal with Clasps for Inkerman and Balaclava



21st Royal Scots Fusiliers attacking at the Battle of Inkerman on 5th November 1854