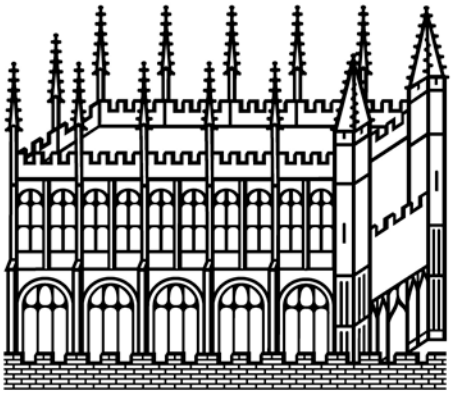


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*The Year* 1869 *is the first after Leap Year.*

## Eclipses in 1869.

Jan. 27.—A partial eclipse of the MOON, *visible* at Greenwich. First contact with the penumbra at 11h. 18·2m. p.m., mean time at Greenwich; first contact with the shadow the 28th at 0h. 29·2m. a.m.; middle of the eclipse at 1h. 38·2m. a.m.: last contact with the shadow at 2h. 47·2m. a.m.; last contact with the penumbra at 3h. 58·2m. a.m.

Feb. 11.—An annular eclipse of the SUN, *invisible* at Greenwich.

July 23.—A partial eclipse of the MOON, *invisible* at Greenwich.

Aug. 7.—A total eclipse of the SUN, *invisible* at Greenwich.

## Year's Quarters, 1869.

| | |
|---|---|
| Spring Quarter, March 20, 1h.32m. after. | Autumnal Qr., Sept. 23, 0h. 28m. morn. |
| Summer „ June 21, 10h. 4m. morn. | Winter „ Dec. 21, 6h. 23m. after. |

## Law Terms, 1869.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| HILARY TERM | Begins Jan. 11 | Ends Feb. 1 |
| EASTER TERM | „ Apr. 15 | „ May 8 |
| TRINITY TERM | „ May 22 | „ June 12 |
| MICHAELMAS TERM | „ Nov. 2 | „ Nov. 25 |

## University Terms, 1869.

| TERMS. | OXFORD. | | CAMBRIDGE. | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | BEGINS. | ENDS. | BEGINS. | DIVIDES. | ENDS. |
| Lent | Jan. 14. | March 20. | Jan. 13. | Feb. 14, midnight | March 19. |
| Easter | March 31. | May 14. | April 2. | May 14, noon | June 25. |
| Trinity | May 15. | July 10. | ... | ..... | ... |
| Michaelmas | Oct. 11. | Dec. 17. | Oct. 1. | Nov. 8, noon. | Dec. 16. |
| | THE ACT, July 6. | | THE COMMENCEMENT, June 22. | | |

## Moveable Feasts for 1869.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Septuagesima Sunday | Jan. 24 | Low Sunday | Apr. 4 |
| Quinquagesima, Shrove Sunday | Feb. 7 | Rogation Sunday | May 2 |
| Ash Wednesday | „ 10 | Ascension Day—Holy Thursday | „ 6 |
| Quadragesima, 1st Sunday in Lent | „ 14 | Whit Sunday | „ 16 |
| Palm Sunday | Mar. 21 | Trinity Sunday | „ 23 |
| Good Friday | „ 26 | Corpus Christi | „ 27 |
| Easter Sunday | „ 28 | Advent Sunday | Nov. 28 |

## Transfer Days.

The Transfer Days are now Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays. Dividends are due at the following dates after an interval of three days, or if a Sunday intervenes, of four days.

AT THE BANK.

| | |
|---|---|
| Bank Stock | April 5 and Oct. 10. |
| 3 per Cent. Consols | Jan. 5 and July 5. |
| 3 per Cent. Reduced | Apr. 5, and Oct. 10. |
| New 3 per Cent. Annuities | |
| New 5 per Cent. Annuities | Jan. 5 and July 5. |
| New 2½ per Cent. | |
| New 3½ per Cent. Annuities | |
| East India Stock | |
| East India Bonds | March 31 & Sept. 30. |
| India 5 per Cent. Stock | Jan. 5 and July 5. |
| India 4 per Cent. Stock | April 5 and Oct. 10. |
| India 4 per Cent. Transfer Loan | April 25 & Oct. 25. |
| Annuities for terms of years | Jan. 5, July 5. / April 5, Oct. 10. |
| Red Sea Telegraph Annuities | Feb. 4 and Aug. 4. |
| Annuities for 30 years, 1885 | April 5 and Oct. 10. |

# JANUARY.

MOON'S PHASES.

| | D. | H. | M. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Last Quarter | 5 | 6 | 22 | Morning. |
| New Moon | 12 | 6 | 53 | Afternoon. |
| First Quarter | 21 | 0 | 26 | Morning. |
| Full Moon | 28 | 1 | 30 | Morning. |

| M. | W. | FESTIVALS, &c. | Sun Rises. | Sun Sets. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | H.M. | H.M. |
| 1 | F | Circumcision. | 8 8 | 4 0 |
| 2 | S | | 8 8 | 4 1 |
| 3 | S | 2 S. Aft. Christmas. | 8 8 | 4 2 |
| 4 | M | | 8 8 | 4 3 |
| 5 | T | | 8 8 | 4 4 |
| 6 | W | Epiphany. Old | 8 7 | 4 6 |
| 7 | T | [Christ. Day. | 8 7 | 4 7 |
| 8 | F | Prince Albert Victor | 8 6 | 4 8 |
| 9 | S | [of Wales b. 1864. | 8 6 | 4 10 |
| 10 | S | 1 S. Aft. Epiphany. | 8 5 | 4 11 |
| 11 | M | Hilary Term beg. | 8 5 | 4 12 |
| 12 | T | | 8 4 | 4 14 |
| 13 | W | Camb. Lt. Term beg. | 8 3 | 4 15 |
| 14 | T | Oxford Lt. Term beg. | 8 2 | 4 17 |
| 15 | F | | 8 2 | 4 18 |
| 16 | S | | 8 1 | 4 20 |
| 17 | S | 2 S. Aft. Epiphany | 8 0 | 4 22 |
| 18 | M | | 7 59 | 4 23 |
| 19 | T | | 7 58 | 4 25 |
| 20 | W | | 7 57 | 4 27 |
| 21 | T | | 7 56 | 4 28 |
| 22 | F | | 7 54 | 4 30 |
| 23 | S | | 7 53 | 4 32 |
| 24 | S | Septuagesima Sun. | 7 52 | 4 33 |
| 25 | M | Convers. of St. Paul. | 7 51 | 4 35 |
| 26 | T | | 7 49 | 4 37 |
| 27 | W | Eclipse of Moon. | 7 48 | 4 39 |
| 28 | T | | 7 47 | 4 40 |
| 29 | F | | 7 45 | 4 42 |
| 30 | S | | 7 44 | 4 44 |
| 31 | S | Sexagesima Sun. | 7 42 | 4 46 |

MEMORANDA FOR THE MONTH.

1. British Museum closes.

1. Leipzig fair.

4. Quarter Sessions.

5. Half-yearly dividends on some species of Stock become due. *See Transfer Days.*

9. British Museum opens, 10 till 4. Reading Room, 9 till 4.

9. Fire Insurance due at Christmas must be paid by this day.

26. Brunswick Fair.

31. Hawkers' licences to be renewed.

Registration. — Persons should cause their children to be registered within 42 days after birth, by giving personal notice to the registrar of their district. No fee is charged.

Deaths.—Information of deaths should be given to the registrar of the district immediately they occur. The undertaker must have a certificate to give to the minister who reads the funeral service, or he may refuse to bury the body.

# FEBRUARY.

MOON'S PHASES.

| | D. | H. | M. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Last Quarter | 3 | 4 | 56 | Afternoon. |
| New Moon | 11 | 1 | 54 | Afternoon. |
| First Quarter | 19 | 5 | 6 | Afternoon. |
| Full Moon | 26 | 0 | 5 | Afternoon. |

| M. | W. | FESTIVALS, &c. | Sun Rises. | Sun Sets. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | H.M. | H.M. |
| 1 | M | Hilary Term ends. Salmon-fish. begin. | 7 41 | 4 48 |
| 2 | T | Purific. of B.V. Mary | 7 39 | 4 50 |
| 3 | W | [Candlemas. | 7 38 | 4 51 |
| 4 | T | | 7 36 | 4 53 |
| 5 | F | | 7 34 | 4 55 |
| 6 | S | | 7 33 | 4 57 |
| 7 | S | Quinquagesima Sun. | 7 31 | 4 59 |
| 8 | M | Half-quarter. | 7 29 | 5 0 |
| 9 | T | Shrove Tuesday. | 7 27 | 5 2 |
| 10 | W | Ash Wednesday. | 7 26 | 5 4 |
| 11 | T | | 7 24 | 5 6 |
| 12 | F | | 7 22 | 5 8 |
| 13 | S | 1 Sunday in Lent. | 7 20 | 5 10 |
| 14 | S | Camb. Lent T. div. | 7 18 | 5 12 |
| 15 | M | St. Valentine. | 7 16 | 5 13 |
| 16 | T | | 7 14 | 5 15 |
| 17 | W | Ember Week. | 7 12 | 5 17 |
| 18 | T | | 7 10 | 5 19 |
| 19 | F | [Wales, born 1867. | 7 8 | 5 21 |
| 20 | S | Princess Louise of | 7 6 | 5 22 |
| 21 | S | 2 Sunday in Lent. | 7 4 | 5 24 |
| 22 | M | | 7 2 | 5 26 |
| 23 | T | | 7 0 | 5 28 |
| 24 | W | St. Matthias. | 6 58 | 5 30 |
| 25 | T | | 6 56 | 5 31 |
| 26 | F | | 6 54 | 5 33 |
| 27 | S | | 6 52 | 5 35 |
| 28 | S | 3 Sunday in Lent. | 6 50 | 5 37 |

MEMORANDA FOR THE MONTH.

2. Candlemas-day. Scotch Qr.-day.

15. Last day for objecting to owners' votes for Guardians.

*Wills.*—After Jan. 1838, all wills made in England came under the provisions of the new Wills Act. By it, all property may be disposed of by will; all wills must be in *writing*, and each must be signed at the bottom or end by the testator, or, if he is unable, by some person on his behalf, by his direction, and in his presence; and two or more attesting witnesses (who must be present at the same time) must also sign the will. If the testator wishes to acknowledge or reward the attesting witnesses, he must do it in some other way than by bequeathing them anything; for legacies to attesting witnesses, or to the wife or husband of an attesting witness, are void. No person under twenty-one can make a valid will. Wills are revoked by subsequent marriage; otherwise, a will can only be revoked by destruction, or by the making of a new one; and alterations in wills must be made in the same manner as a will is made. Wills are to be construed as if made immediately

# MARCH.

## MOON'S PHASES.

| | D. | H. | M. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Last Quarter | 5 | 5 | 43 | Morning. |
| New Moon | 13 | 8 | 46 | Morning. |
| First Quarter | 21 | 5 | 54 | Morning. |
| Full Moon | 27 | 9 | 33 | Afternoon. |

| M. | W. | FESTIVALS, &c. | Sun Rises | Sun Sets. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | H.M. | H.M. |
| 1 | M | St. David. | 6 47 | 5 39 |
| 2 | T | | 6 45 | 5 40 |
| 3 | W | | 6 43 | 5 42 |
| 4 | T | | 6 41 | 5 44 |
| 5 | F | | 6 39 | 5 46 |
| 6 | S | | 6 36 | 5 47 |
| 7 | ☉ | 4 SUNDAY IN LENT. | 6 34 | 5 49 |
| 8 | M | | 6 32 | 5 51 |
| 9 | T | | 6 29 | 5 53 |
| 10 | W | | 6 28 | 5 54 |
| 11 | T | | 6 25 | 5 56 |
| 12 | F | | 6 23 | 5 58 |
| 13 | S | | 6 21 | 5 59 |
| 14 | ☉ | 5 SUNDAY IN LENT. | 6 19 | 6 1 |
| 15 | M | | 6 16 | 6 3 |
| 16 | T | | 6 14 | 6 4 |
| 17 | W | St. Patrick. | 6 12 | 6 6 |
| 18 | T | PrincessLouisa b 1848 | 6 9 | 6 8 |
| 19 | F | | 6 7 | 6 10 |
| 20 | S | Spring Quartr. begins | 6 5 | 6 11 |
| 21 | ☉ | PALM SUNDAY. | 6 3 | 6 13 |
| 22 | M | | 6 0 | 6 15 |
| 23 | T | | 5 58 | 6 16 |
| 24 | W | | 5 56 | 6 18 |
| 25 | T | LADY-DAY. | 5 53 | 6 20 |
| 26 | F | GOOD FRIDAY. | 5 51 | 6 21 |
| 27 | S | | 5 49 | 6 23 |
| 28 | ☉ | EASTER SUNDAY. | 5 47 | 6 25 |
| 29 | M | | 5 44 | 6 26 |
| 30 | T | | 5 42 | 6 28 |
| 31 | W | Oxford East.Term be. | 5 40 | 6 30 |

## MEMORANDA FOR THE MONTH.

*(Continued from previous page)*,

before the death of the testator, unless a contrary intention is expressed; and properties bequeathed in general terms include all proerty in the possession of testator at his decease, whether acquired before or after the will was made.

1. Auditors & Assessors of Boroughs to be elected under Municipal Reform Act.

15. Last day for publishing notice of election of Guardians.

25. OVERSEERS and SURVEYORS are to be appointed, or within fourteen days thereafter. Surveyors whose year has expired must verify their accounts by oath before one Justice, within fourteen days, to be delivered to their successors after the appointment of such successors. Constables, head-boroughs, and tithing-men, are to deliver their accounts every three months, and within fourteen days after they leave office, to the overseers, who are, within the following fourteen days, to lay them before the inhabitants. If not allowed, the constables, &c., may appeal to a Justice.

27. Last day for sending nominations of Guardians to Clerk.

# APRIL.

## MOON'S PHASES.

| | D. | H. | M. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Last Quarter | 3 | 8 | 48 | Afternoon. |
| New Moon | 12 | 1 | 47 | Morning. |
| First Quarter | 19 | 3 | 6 | Afternoon. |
| Full Moon | 26 | 6 | 21 | Morning. |

| M. | W. | FESTIVALS, &c. | Sun Rises. | Sun Sets. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | H.M. | H.M. |
| 1 | T | | 5 38 | 6 31 |
| 2 | F | Camb. East. Term b. | 5 35 | 6 33 |
| 3 | S | | 5 33 | 6 35 |
| 4 | ☉ | LOW SUNDAY. | 5 31 | 6 36 |
| 5 | M | | 5 28 | 6 38 |
| 6 | T | Old Lady Day. | 5 26 | 6 40 |
| 7 | W | Pr. Leopold b.1853. | 5 24 | 6 41 |
| 8 | T | | 5 22 | 6 43 |
| 9 | F | | 5 20 | 6 45 |
| 10 | S | | 5 17 | 6 46 |
| 11 | ☉ | 2 SUN. AFT. EASTER. | 5 15 | 6 48 |
| 12 | M | | 5 13 | 6 50 |
| 13 | T | Mahom.year,1286,b. | 5 11 | 6 51 |
| 14 | W | Prin.Beatrice b.1857. | 5 9 | 6 53 |
| 15 | T | Easter Term begins. | 5 6 | 6 55 |
| 16 | F | | 5 4 | 6 56 |
| 17 | S | | 5 2 | 6 58 |
| 18 | ☉ | 3 SUN. AFT. EASTER. | 5 0 | 7 0 |
| 19 | M | | 4 58 | 7 1 |
| 20 | T | | 4 56 | 7 3 |
| 21 | W | | 4 54 | 7 5 |
| 22 | T | | 4 52 | 7 6 |
| 23 | F | St. George. | 4 50 | 7 8 |
| 24 | S | 4 SUN.AFT.EASTER. | 4 48 | 7 9 |
| 25 | ☉ | St. Mark. | 4 46 | 7 11 |
| 26 | M | Princ. Alice b. 1843 | 4 44 | 7 13 |
| 27 | T | | 4 42 | 7 14 |
| 28 | W | | 4 40 | 7 16 |
| 29 | T | | 4 38 | 7 18 |
| 30 | F | | 4 36 | 7 19 |

## MEMORANDA FOR THE MONTH.

1. Refreshment-house licences to be renewed.

5. Quarter Sessions.

5. The returns for making the assessment of direct taxes are delivered very soon after this day. The person making the return, rates himself for the persons and articles subject to taxes kept and used by him between the 5th April, 1868, and 5th April, 1869. If he wishes to give up keeping any servant or other matter assessed, he should do so on the 4th April, or he will be liable to another year's tax.

6. Voting Papers for Guardians to be delivered.

8. Voting Papers for Guardians to be collected.

9. Fire Insurance due at Lady Day must be paid on or before this day.

9. Uncollected voting papers for Guardians may be delivered till noon.

10. Clerk to ascertain the numbers and validity of the votes, and make return of persons elected.

# MAY.

MOON'S PHASES.

| | D. | H. | M. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Last Quarter ..... | 3 | 1 | 40 | Afternoon. |
| New Moon ..... | 11 | 4 | 7 | Afternoon. |
| First Quarter ..... | 18 | 9 | 30 | Afternoon. |
| Full Moon ..... | 25 | 8 | 23 | Afternoon. |

| M. | W. | FESTIVALS, &c. | Sun Rises. | Sun Sets. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | H.M. | H.M. |
| 1 | S | St. Philip & St. James Prnc. Arthur b. 1850 | 4 34 | 7 21 |
| 2 | ☉ | ROGATION SUNDAY. | 4 32 | 7 23 |
| 3 | M | | 4 30 | 7 24 |
| 4 | T | | 4 28 | 7 26 |
| 5 | W | | 4 27 | 7 27 |
| 6 | T | ASCEN. D. Holy Thur | 4 25 | 7 29 |
| 7 | F | | 4 23 | 7 31 |
| 8 | S | Easter Term ends. | 4 21 | 7 32 |
| 9 | ☉ | SUN. AFT. ASCENS. | 4 20 | 7 34 |
| 10 | M | [Half-Quarter Day. | 4 18 | 7 35 |
| 11 | T | | 4 17 | 7 37 |
| 12 | W | | 4 15 | 7 38 |
| 13 | T | Old May Day. | 4 13 | 7 40 |
| 14 | F | Oxfd. Easter Tm. end | 4 12 | 7 41 |
| 15 | S | Oxfd. Trin. Trm. b. | 4 10 | 7 43 |
| 16 | ☉ | WHIT SUNDAY. | 4 9 | 7 44 |
| 17 | M | | 4 7 | 7 46 |
| 18 | T | | 4 6 | 7 47 |
| 19 | W | Ember Week. | 4 5 | 7 49 |
| 20 | T | | 4 3 | 7 50 |
| 21 | F | | 4 2 | 7 52 |
| 22 | S | Trinity Term begins. | 4 1 | 7 53 |
| 23 | ☉ | TRINITY SUNDAY. | 3 59 | 7 54 |
| 24 | M | Q. Victoria b. 1819. | 3 58 | 7 56 |
| 25 | T | Prin. Helena b. 1846. | 3 57 | 7 57 |
| 26 | W | | 3 56 | 7 58 |
| 27 | T | Corpus Christi | 3 55 | 7 59 |
| 28 | F | | 3 54 | 8 1 |
| 29 | S | | 3 53 | 8 2 |
| 30 | ☉ | 1 SUN. AFT. TRINITY. | 3 52 | 8 3 |
| 31 | M | | 3 51 | 8 4 |

MEMORANDA FOR THE MONTH.

1. British Museum closes.

1. Reading fair—horses and cattle.

1 and 15. Carnarvon fair—cattle.

2. Coventry fair—horses.

3. Royal Academy Exhibition opens.

6. Lewes fair—cattle.

8. British Museum opens, from 10 till 6: Reading Room, 9 till 6.

12. Leicester fair—horses, cattle, &c.

15. Hereford fair—horses and cattle.

15. Scotch Quarter Day.

19. General Meeting of Society of Friends begins in London.

# JUNE.

MOON'S PHASES.

| | D. | H. | M. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Last Quarter ..... | 2 | 7 | 21 | Morning. |
| New Moon ..... | 10 | 3 | 52 | Morning. |
| First Quarter ..... | 17 | 2 | 15 | Morning. |
| Full Moon ..... | 24 | 1 | 39 | Morning. |

| M. | W. | FESTIVALS, &c. | Sun Rises. | Sun Sets. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | H.M. | H.M. |
| 1 | T | | 3 51 | 8 5 |
| 2 | W | | 3 50 | 8 6 |
| 3 | T | Pr. Geo. of Wales [born, 1865. | 3 49 | 8 7 |
| 4 | F | | 3 48 | 8 8 |
| 5 | S | | 3 48 | 8 9 |
| 6 | ☉ | 2 SUN. AFT. TRINITY. | 3 47 | 8 10 |
| 7 | M | | 3 47 | 8 11 |
| 8 | T | | 3 46 | 8 12 |
| 9 | W | | 3 46 | 8 12 |
| 10 | T | | 3 45 | 8 13 |
| 11 | F | | 3 45 | 8 14 |
| 12 | S | Trinity Term ends. | 3 45 | 8 15 |
| 13 | ☉ | 3 SUN. AFT. TRINITY. | 3 44 | 8 15 |
| 14 | M | | 3 44 | 8 16 |
| 15 | T | | 3 44 | 8 16 |
| 16 | W | | 3 44 | 8 17 |
| 17 | T | | 3 44 | 8 17 |
| 18 | F | | 3 44 | 8 18 |
| 19 | S | [Acces. of Q. Vic., 1837 | 3 44 | 8 18 |
| 20 | ☉ | 4 SUN. AFT. TRINITY | 3 44 | 8 18 |
| 21 | M | Longest Day. | 3 44 | 8 18 |
| 22 | T | Cambridge commt. | 3 45 | 8 19 |
| 23 | W | [Nat. S. John Bap. | 3 45 | 8 19 |
| 24 | T | Midsummer Day. | 3 45 | 8 19 |
| 25 | F | Camb. East. Trm. en. | 3 46 | 8 19 |
| 26 | S | | 3 46 | 8 19 |
| 27 | ☉ | 5 SUN. AFT. TRINITY. | 3 47 | 8 19 |
| 28 | M | | 3 47 | 8 19 |
| 29 | T | St. Peter. | 3 48 | 8 18 |
| 30 | W | | 3 48 | 8 18 |

MEMORANDA FOR THE MONTH.

3. Worcester fair—horses, cows, and sheep.

10. Clerk of the Peace to deliver list of County voters to overseers.

13. Whittlesea fair—horses & cattle.

20. Overseers of Parishes not within Boroughs to fix on church doors, for two Sundays, lists of voters (otherwise than as occupiers), and notices to persons qualified (except as occupiers) to make claims. Persons on Register need make no new claim, unless they have changed abode or qualification.

20. Overseers of Parishes within Boroughs to give notice to ratepayers to pay on or before 20th July all rates made before 5th Jan. and not paid on June 1st.

21. Horncastle fair—horses.

28. Quarter Sessions.

Notices of application for victualler's licenses (in Herts.) must be posted on church doors on some three Sundays during the months of June and July; —in Middlesex and Surrey, during February.

# JULY.

MOON'S PHASES.

| | D. | H. | M. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Last Quarter | 2 | 0 | 46 | Morning. |
| New Moon | 9 | 1 | 38 | Afternoon. |
| First Quarter | 16 | 6 | 48 | Morning, |
| Full Moon | 23 | 1 | 54 | Afternoon. |
| Last Quarter | 31 | 5 | 6 | Afternoon. |

| M. | W. | FESTIVALS, &c. | Sun Rises. | Sun Sets. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | H.M. | H.M. |
| 1 | T | | 3 49 | 8 18 |
| 2 | F | | 3 50 | 8 17 |
| 3 | S | | 3 50 | 8 17 |
| 4 | S | 6 SUN. AFT. TRINITY. | 3 51 | 8 17 |
| 5 | M | [Oxford Act. | 3 52 | 8 16 |
| 6 | T | Old Midsummer Day. | 3 53 | 8 16 |
| 7 | W | Thomas à Becket. | 3 54 | 8 15 |
| 8 | T | | 3 54 | 8 14 |
| 9 | F | | 3 55 | 8 14 |
| 10 | S | Oxfd. Trin. Tm. ends. | 3 56 | 8 13 |
| 11 | S | 7 SUN. AFT. TRINITY. | 3 57 | 8 12 |
| 12 | M | | 3 59 | 8 11 |
| 13 | T | | 4 0 | 8 10 |
| 14 | W | | 4 1 | 8 10 |
| 15 | T | St. Swithin. | 4 2 | 8 9 |
| 16 | F | | 4 3 | 8 8 |
| 17 | S | | 4 4 | 8 7 |
| 18 | S | 8 SUN. AFT. TRINITY. | 4 6 | 8 5 |
| 19 | M | | 4 7 | 8 4 |
| 20 | T | | 4 8 | 8 3 |
| 21 | W | | 4 9 | 8 2 |
| 22 | T | | 4 11 | 8 1 |
| 23 | F | | 4 12 | 7 59 |
| 24 | S | | 4 13 | 7 58 |
| 25 | S | 9 SUN. AFT. TRINITY. | 4 15 | 7 57 |
| 26 | M | [St. James. | 4 16 | 7 55 |
| 27 | T | | 4 18 | 7 54 |
| 28 | W | | 4 19 | 7 52 |
| 29 | T | | 4 21 | 7 51 |
| 30 | F | | 4 22 | 7 49 |
| 31 | S | | 4 24 | 7 48 |

MEMORANDA FOR THE MONTH.

5. Dividends on several descriptions of Stock become due. *See Transfer Days.*

6. Annual licence to be taken out by Pawnbrokers, and Appraisers who are not Auctioneers.

9. Fire Insurance due at Midsummer must be paid on or before this day.

20. Voters in respect of occupation in Counties must pay all poor rates, and voters as occupiers in Boroughs must pay all assessed taxes and poor rates due before 5th January.

20. Last day for sending in claims for voting (except as occupiers) in counties.

22. Overseers of parishes within Boroughs to make a list of persons not having paid poor rates due before 5th January, such list to be kept for *free* inspection for 14 days.

31. Overseers to make out lists of county and borough electors, and also claims for county, except as to occupiers, to be published by Aug. 1.

# AUGUST.

MOON'S PHASES.

| | D. | H. | M. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| New Moon | 7 | 10 | 8 | Afternoon. |
| First Quarter | 14 | 0 | 41 | Afternoon. |
| Full Moon | 22 | 4 | 24 | Morning. |
| Last Quarter | 30 | 7 | 58 | Morning. |

| M. | W. | FESTIVALS, &c. | Sun Rises. | Sun Sets. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | H.M. | H.M. |
| 1 | S | 10 SUN. AFT. TRINITY. | 4 25 | 7 46 |
| 2 | M | [Lammas. | 4 27 | 7 44 |
| 3 | T | | 4 28 | 7 43 |
| 4 | W | | 4 30 | 7 41 |
| 5 | T | | 4 31 | 7 39 |
| 6 | F | Duke of Edin. b. 1844. | 4 33 | 7 38 |
| 7 | S | | 4 34 | 7 36 |
| 8 | S | 11 SUN. AFT. TRINITY. | 4 36 | 7 34 |
| 9 | M | | 4 37 | 7 32 |
| 10 | T | | 4 39 | 7 30 |
| 11 | W | Half-Quarter Day. | 4 40 | 7 28 |
| 12 | T | Grouse Shooting beg. | 4 42 | 7 26 |
| 13 | F | | 4 44 | 7 24 |
| 14 | S | | 4 45 | 7 23 |
| 15 | S | 12 SUN. AFT. TRINITY. | 4 47 | 7 21 |
| 16 | M | | 4 48 | 7 19 |
| 17 | T | | 4 50 | 7 17 |
| 18 | W | | 4 52 | 7 15 |
| 19 | T | | 4 53 | 7 13 |
| 20 | F | Black-cock shooting | 4 55 | 7 11 |
| 21 | S | [begins. | 4 56 | 7 8 |
| 22 | S | 13 SUN. AFT. TRINITY. | 4 58 | 7 6 |
| 23 | M | | 5 0 | 7 4 |
| 24 | T | St. Bartholomew. | 5 1 | 7 2 |
| 25 | W | | 5 3 | 7 0 |
| 26 | T | | 5 4 | 6 58 |
| 27 | F | | 5 6 | 6 56 |
| 28 | S | | 5 7 | 6 54 |
| 29 | S | 14 SUN. AFT. TRINITY. | 5 9 | 6 51 |
| 30 | M | | 5 10 | 6 49 |
| 31 | T | | 5 12 | 6 47 |

MEMORANDA FOR THE MONTH.

1. Borough and County Lists to be affixed to church doors for 14 days.

1. Claims of lodgers in towns to be sent in between this day and the 25th.

20. Last day for service of objections on electors and overseers in counties.

25. Last day for service of claims and objections in boroughs.

29. Last day to send lists of electors, and of claims and objections, to the Town Clerk, in cities or boroughs.

31. Poor and Borough rates payable on March 1st must be paid on or before this day by persons claiming to be enrolled as Municipal Burgesses.

British Association for the Advancement of Science meets at Exeter in this month.

# SEPTEMBER.

### MOON'S PHASES.

| | D. | H. | M. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| New Moon | 6 | 6 | 7 | Morning. |
| First Quarter | 12 | 9 | 23 | Afternoon. |
| Full Moon | 20 | 8 | 41 | Afternoon. |
| Last Quarter | 28 | 9 | 10 | Afternoon. |

| M. | W. | FESTIVALS, &c. | Sun Rises. | Sun Sets. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | H.M. | H.M. |
| 1 | W | Salmon Close-time b. | 5 14 | 6 45 |
| 2 | T | [Partridge Shoot. b. | 5 15 | 6 43 |
| 3 | F | | 5 17 | 6 40 |
| 4 | S | | 5 19 | 6 38 |
| 5 | S | 15 SUN. AFT. TRINITY. | 5 20 | 6 36 |
| 6 | M | Jewish year 5630 be. | 5 22 | 6 34 |
| 7 | T | | 5 23 | 6 31 |
| 8 | W | | 5 25 | 6 29 |
| 9 | T | | 5 27 | 6 27 |
| 10 | F | | 5 28 | 6 24 |
| 11 | S | | 5 30 | 6 22 |
| 12 | S | 16 SUN. AFT. TRINITY. | 5 31 | 6 20 |
| 13 | M | | 5 33 | 6 17 |
| 14 | T | | 5 35 | 6 15 |
| 15 | W | EMBER WEEK. | 5 36 | 6 13 |
| 16 | T | | 5 38 | 6 11 |
| 17 | F | | 5 39 | 6 8 |
| 18 | S | | 5 41 | 6 6 |
| 19 | S | 17 SUN. AFT. TRIN. | 5 43 | 6 4 |
| 20 | M | | 5 44 | 6 1 |
| 21 | T | St. Matthew. | 5 46 | 5 59 |
| 22 | W | | 5 47 | 5 57 |
| 23 | T | Autumnal Qr. beg. | 5 49 | 5 54 |
| 24 | F | | 5 51 | 5 52 |
| 25 | S | | 5 52 | 5 50 |
| 26 | S | 18 SUN. AFT. TRINITY. | 5 54 | 5 48 |
| 27 | M | | 5 56 | 5 45 |
| 28 | T | | 5 57 | 5 43 |
| 29 | W | Michaelmas Day. | 5 59 | 5 41 |
| 30 | T | | 6 0 | 5 38 |

### MEMORANDA FOR THE MONTH.

1. Overseers to make out *Burgess Lists*, to be delivered to Town Clerk.

1. Overseers to send lists of electors and lists of claims and objections to the Clerk of the Peace for the county.

1. Lists of objections to county electors, and claims and objections in boroughs, to be affixed to church doors.

4, 6, 7. Barnet fair—sheep, Welsh cattle.

8. Town-Clerk to cause *Burgess Lists* to be fixed in some public place till 15th.

15. Claims of persons omitted in *Burgess Lists*, and objections to persons inserted therein, to be given to Town Clerk and to person objected to.

23. Lists of claimants, and of persons objected to, to be fixed by Town Clerk in some public place till Oct. 1.

# OCTOBER.

### MOON'S PHASES.

| | D. | H. | M. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| New Moon | 5 | 2 | 19 | Afternoon. |
| First Quarter | 12 | 10 | 2 | Morning. |
| Full Moon | 20 | 1 | 57 | Afternoon. |
| Last Quarter | 28 | 8 | 34 | Morning. |

| M. | W. | FESTIVALS, &c. | Sun Rises. | Sun Sets. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | H.M. | H.M. |
| 1 | F | Camb. Mich. T. b. | 6 2 | 5 36 |
| 2 | S | Pheasant Shoot. b. | 6 4 | 5 34 |
| 3 | S | 19 SUN. AFT. TRINITY. | 6 5 | 5 32 |
| 4 | M | | 6 7 | 5 29 |
| 5 | T | | 6 9 | 5 27 |
| 6 | W | | 6 10 | 5 25 |
| 7 | T | | 6 12 | 5 23 |
| 8 | F | | 6 14 | 5 20 |
| 9 | S | | 6 15 | 5 18 |
| 10 | S | 20 SUN. AFT. TRINITY. | 6 17 | 5 16 |
| 11 | M | Oxford Mich. Tm. b. | 6 19 | 5 14 |
| 12 | T | [Old Michaelmas Day | 6 21 | 5 12 |
| 13 | W | | 6 22 | 5 9 |
| 14 | T | | 6 24 | 5 7 |
| 15 | F | | 6 26 | 5 5 |
| 16 | S | | 6 27 | 5 3 |
| 17 | S | 21 SUN. AFT. TRINITY. | 6 29 | 5 1 |
| 18 | M | St. Luke. | 6 31 | 4 59 |
| 19 | T | | 6 33 | 4 57 |
| 20 | W | | 6 34 | 4 55 |
| 21 | T | | 6 36 | 4 53 |
| 22 | F | | 6 38 | 4 51 |
| 23 | S | | 6 40 | 4 49 |
| 24 | S | 22 SUN. AFT. TRINITY. | 6 41 | 4 47 |
| 25 | M | | 6 43 | 4 45 |
| 26 | T | | 6 45 | 4 43 |
| 27 | W | | 6 47 | 4 41 |
| 28 | T | St. Simon & St. Jude | 6 48 | 4 39 |
| 29 | F | | 6 50 | 4 37 |
| 30 | S | | 6 52 | 4 35 |
| 31 | S | 23 SUN. AFT. TRINITY. | 6 54 | 4 33 |

### MEMORANDA FOR THE MONTH.

1 to 15. Mayor and assessors to hold an open court to Revise the *Burgess Lists* some time between the 1st and 15th Oct.; three clear days' notice of such court being given. The revised list to be kept by the Town Clerk, and persons therein entered to be entitled to vote, according to the Act, from the 1st of November.

9. Bankers to take out licence.

14. Fire Insurance due at Michaelmas must be paid by this day.

18. Quarter Sessions.

29. Names of persons nominated as Municipal Councillors to be sent to Town Clerk.

30. Town Clerk must publish lists of persons nominated as Municipal Councillors.

# NOVEMBER.

MOON'S PHASES.

| | D. | H. | M. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| New Moon | 3 | 11 | 35 | Afternoon. |
| First Quarter | 11 | 2 | 56 | Morning. |
| Full Moon | 19 | 7 | 18 | Morning. |
| Last Quarter | 26 | 6 | 14 | Afternoon. |

| M. | W. | FESTIVALS, &c. | Sun Rises. | Sun Sets. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | H.M. | H.M. |
| 1 | M | All Saints. | 6 55 | 4 31 |
| 2 | T | All Souls. Mich. T. b. | 6 57 | 4 29 |
| 3 | W | | 6 59 | 4 28 |
| 4 | T | | 7 1 | 4 26 |
| 5 | F | | 7 3 | 4 24 |
| 6 | S | | 7 4 | 4 22 |
| 7 | S | 24 SUN. AFT. TRINITY. | 7 6 | 4 21 |
| 8 | M | Camb. Mich. Term div. | 7 8 | 4 19 |
| 9 | T | Pr. of Wales b. 1841. | 7 10 | 4 18 |
| 10 | W | [Lord Mayor's Day. | 7 12 | 4 16 |
| 11 | T | St. Martin. Half Qr. | 7 13 | 4 14 |
| 12 | F | | 7 15 | 4 13 |
| 13 | S | | 7 17 | 4 12 |
| 14 | S | 25 SUN. AFT. TRINITY. | 7 19 | 4 10 |
| 15 | M | | 7 20 | 4 9 |
| 16 | T | | 7 22 | 4 7 |
| 17 | W | | 7 24 | 4 6 |
| 18 | T | | 7 25 | 4 5 |
| 19 | F | | 7 27 | 4 4 |
| 20 | S | [Prs. Royal b. 1840. | 7 29 | 4 2 |
| 21 | S | 26 SUN. AFT. TRINITY. | 7 30 | 4 1 |
| 22 | M | St. Cecilia. | 7 32 | 4 0 |
| 23 | T | | 7 34 | 3 59 |
| 24 | W | | 7 35 | 3 58 |
| 25 | T | Mich. Term ends. | 7 37 | 3 57 |
| 26 | F | | 7 38 | 3 56 |
| 27 | S | | 7 40 | 3 55 |
| 28 | S | ADVENT SUNDAY. | 7 41 | 3 55 |
| 29 | M | | 7 43 | 3 54 |
| 30 | T | St. Andrew. | 7 44 | 3 53 |

MEMORANDA FOR THE MONTH.

1. Borough Councillors to be elected.

1. Cirencester fair—cattle.

9. Mayor and Aldermen of Cities and Boroughs to be elected.

13. Loughborough fair—horses.

13. Kingston fair (Surrey)—horses.

15. *Certificate* to be taken out yearly by any person admitted as an attorney or solicitor, or as a proctor or writer to the signet, or admitted and enrolled as a notary public, and by every sworn clerk, clerks in court, &c.; by any member of an inn of court in England, acting as conveyancer, special pleader, draftsman in equity, not being at the bar.

18. Boston fair (three days)—horses.

22. Guildford fair—horses, cattle, etc.

# DECEMBER.

MOON'S PHASES.

| | D. | H. | M. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| New Moon | 3 | 10 | 41 | Morning. |
| First Quarter | 10 | 11 | 12 | Afternoon. |
| Full Moon | 18 | 11 | 50 | Afternoon. |
| Last Quarter | 26 | 2 | 33 | Morning. |

| M. | W. | FESTIVALS, &c. | Sun Rises. | Sun Sets. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | H.M. | H.M. |
| 1 | W | Prs. Wales b. 1844 | 7 46 | 3 52 |
| 2 | T | | 7 47 | 3 52 |
| 3 | F | | 7 49 | 3 51 |
| 4 | S | | 7 50 | 3 51 |
| 5 | S | 2 SUN. IN ADVENT. | 7 51 | 3 50 |
| 6 | M | | 7 52 | 3 50 |
| 7 | T | | 7 54 | 3 50 |
| 8 | W | | 7 55 | 3 49 |
| 9 | T | | 7 56 | 3 49 |
| 10 | F | | 7 57 | 3 49 |
| 11 | S | | 7 58 | 3 49 |
| 12 | S | 3 SUN. IN ADVENT. | 7 59 | 3 49 |
| 13 | M | | 8 0 | 3 49 |
| 14 | T | | 8 1 | 3 49 |
| 15 | W | EMBER WEEK. | 8 2 | 3 49 |
| 16 | T | Camb. Mich. T. ends. | 8 3 | 3 49 |
| 17 | F | Oxfd. Mich. T. ends. | 8 3 | 3 49 |
| 18 | S | | 8 4 | 3 50 |
| 19 | S | 4 SUN. IN ADVENT. | 8 5 | 3 50 |
| 20 | M | | 8 6 | 3 50 |
| 21 | T | ST. THOMAS. Sht. Day. | 8 6 | 3 51 |
| 22 | W | [Winter Quar. beg. | 8 7 | 3 51 |
| 23 | T | | 8 7 | 3 52 |
| 24 | F | | 8 7 | 3 53 |
| 25 | S | CHRISTMAS DAY. | 8 8 | 3 53 |
| 26 | S | 1SUN. AFT. CHRISTMAS | 8 8 | 3 54 |
| 27 | M | St. John. | 8 8 | 3 55 |
| 28 | T | Innocents. | 8 8 | 3 56 |
| 29 | W | | 8 8 | 3 57 |
| 30 | T | | 8 9 | 3 57 |
| 31 | F | | 8 9 | 3 58 |

MEMORANDA FOR THE MONTH.

1. Stamford fair—cattle.

1. Bridgewater—cattle.

6. Higham Ferrars—horses, horned cattle, and sheep.

11. Boston fair—cattle.

11. 13. Bewdley fair—cattle.

17. Hornsea fair—horses, etc.

TENANCY. A yearly tenant must give notice to quit his premises half a year before the time of the expiration of the current year of his tenancy. If by agreement a quarter's notice is to be sufficient, the notice must expire with the tenancy, if that be yearly.

A LEGAL certificate of any birth, death, or marriage registered in England or Wales since July 1, 1837, may be obtained at the General Register-office, Somerset-house.

# STAMP DUTIES.

| RECEIPTS. | d. |
|---|---|
| For 2*l.* or upwards | 1 |
| Scrip certificates | 1 |

| BILLS, PROMISSORY NOTES, &c. | d. |
|---|---|
| Cheques on Bankers | 1 |
| Draft or Order on demand | 1 |
| Bills not on demand, and Notes both on demand and not on demand, not exceeding £25 | 1 |
| Exceeding £5 and not exceeding 10 | 2 |
| " 10 " 25 | 3 |

And 3*d.* for every 25*l.* additional up to 100*l.*, after which, 1*s.* for every 100*l.*

DUTIES ON SUCCESSIONS & LEGACIES

*Of the value of* 20*l. or upwards, out of Personal Estate, or charged upon Real Estate, &c.; and upon every share of Residue:*

To a child or parent, or any lineal descendant or ancestor of the deceased 1*l.* per cent.—To a brother or sister, or their descendants, 3*l.* per cent.—To an uncle or aunt, or their descendants, 5*l.* per cent.—To a great uncle or great aunt, or their descendants, 6*l.* per cent. — To any other relation, or any stranger in blood, 10*l.* per cent.—Legacy to husband or wife, exempt.

CONVEYANCES.

| When the purchase or consideration money shall not exceed | £ | s. | d. |
|---|---|---|---|
| £5 | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| If £5, and not exceeding 10 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| 10 " 15 | 0 | 1 | 6 |
| 15 " 20 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| 20 " 25 | 0 | 2 | 6 |
| 25 " 50 | 0 | 5 | 0 |
| 50 " 57 | 0 | 7 | 6 |

Increasing by 2*s.* 6*d.* on every 25*l.* to 300*l.* beyond which it is 5*s.* for every 50*l.*

Where the consideration is an annual sum payable in perpetuity or for an indefinite period, the duty is the same as on a lease for a term exceeding 100 years.

INSURANCES.

Policy of Insurance made upon any life, or upon any event or contingency depending upon any life:—

| Where the amount named shall not exceed 25*l.* | s. | d. |
|---|---|---|
| | 0 | 3 |
| Exceeding 25*l.*, and not exceeding 500*l.*, for every 50*l.* | 0 | 6 |
| Exceeding 500*l.*, and not exceeding 1,000*l.*, for every 100*l.* | 1 | 0 |
| Exceeding 1,000*l.*, for every 1,000 | 10 | 0 |
| Policy of Insurance from loss or damage by Fire | 0 | 1 |
| And for every 100*l.* insured for a year, and for any fractional part | 1 | 6 |

| BONDS AND MORTGAGES. | s. | d. |
|---|---|---|
| Not exceeding 50*l.* | 1 | 3 |
| For every 50*l.*, or fractional part thereof, to 300*l.* | 1 | 3 |

And where the same shall exceed 300*l.*, then for every 100*l.*, and also for any fractional part of 100*l.*, two shillings and sixpence. With a progressive duty on words, for every entire 1080 words above the first 1080.

| APPRENTICES' INDENTURES. | £ | s. | d. |
|---|---|---|---|
| When the premium is under 30*l.* | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| If 30*l.* and under 50*l.* | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| 50*l.* " 100*l.* | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| 100*l.* " 200*l.* | 6 | 0 | 0 |
| If no premium | 0 | 0 | 6 |

# ASSESSED TAXES.

INHABITED HOUSE TAX.

Houses *worth* the yearly rental of 20*l.* or upwards are charged:—

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Private dwellings | 9*d.* | in the pound |
| Ditto, with shops or warehouses attached | 6*d.* | " |
| Inns | 6*d.* | " |
| Farm-houses | 6*d.* | " |

INCOME AND PROPERTY TAX.

The duty is now 6*d.* in the pound; and for occupiers of farms 3*d.* in the pound on the rent. Persons whose whole income from every source is under 100*l.* a year are exempt. A deduction of 60*l.* a year to be allowed from Incomes below 200*l.* a year, and balance taxed at 6*d.* in 1*l.* The tax is only imposed for one year. [The additional duty of 1*d.* was levied for the expenses of the Abyssinian expedition.]

| DUTIES ON HORSES AND CARRIAGES LET FOR HIRE. | £ | s. | d |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 horse or 1 carriage only | 7 | 10 | 0 |
| 2 horses or 2 carriages | 12 | 10 | 0 |
| 4 horses or 3 carriages | 20 | 0 | 0 |
| 8 horses or 6 carriages | 30 | 0 | 0 |
| 12 horses or 9 carriages | 40 | 0 | 0 |
| 16 horses or 12 carriages | 50 | 0 | 0 |
| 20 horses or 15 carriages | 60 | 0 | 0 |
| Exceeding 15 carriages | 70 | 0 | 0 |
| Exceeding 20 horses, for every additional 10 horses | 10 | 0 | 0 |

These licenses are in lieu of mileage duty.

DUTIES ON MALE SERVANTS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Age 18 years or upwards, each | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Under 18 years, for each | 0 | 10 | 6 |
| Under Gardeners and Gamekeepers | 0 | 10 | 6 |

EXEMPTIONS.—Persons employed in the room of others serving in the Militia; ostlers to inn-keepers; servants employed to carry out beer, &c., where only one such person is employed; or as grooms, helpers, and drivers, by livery stable keepers, horse dealers, &c.; and servants employed by stable keepers to take care of horses intended for racing.

DUTIES ON CARRIAGES.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| For every carriage with four wheels: Drawn by 2 or more horses | £3 | 10 | 0 |
| By 1 horse | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| For carriages with four wheels, of less diameter than 30 inches: drawn by | | | |

| | £ | s. | d. |
|---|---|---|---|
| two or more ponies, not exceeding 13 hands | 1 | 15 | 0 |
| By 1 pony | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Two-wheeled carriages: | | | |
| Drawn by 2 or more horses | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| By 1 horse | 0 | 15 | 0 |
| By 1 pony less than 13 hands | 0 | 10 | 0 |
| Where such carriage shall be kept and used solely for the purpose of being let for hire — One-half of the above duties. | | | |

EXEMPTION.—Any wagon, cart, van. &c., kept in trade or husbandry, and whereon Christian and surname and abode of owner are legibly painted, provided such carriage is not used otherwise, except for conveying the owner or his family to Divine worship.

## DUTIES ON HORSES.

| | £ | s. | d. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Every other horse and mule exceeding 13 hands, kept for riding, or drawing any carriage chargeable with duty | £1 | 1 | 0 |
| Every horse and mule exceeding 13 hands, used by farmers, clergymen, dissenting ministers, physicians, surgeons, where only one horse is kept | 0 | 10 | 6 |
| Every pony not exceeding 13 hands | 0 | 10 | 6 |
| Every pony kept for any other purpose | 0 | 5 | 3 |

## DUTIES ON DOGS.

| | £ | s. | d |
|---|---|---|---|
| For every dog, of whatever description or denomination the same may be, per year | 0 | 5 | 0 |

EXEMPTIONS.—Dogs kept in the care of sheep or cattle, except greyhounds, pointers, setters, spaniels, terriers. &c.

## GAME CERTIFICATES.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| If taken out after April 5, and before Nov. 1. to expire on April 5 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| To expire on Oct. 31 in the same year... | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| If taken out on or after Nov. 1, to expire on April 5 following | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Licence to Deal in Game in England, Scotland, or Ireland | 2 | 0 | 0 |

## REFRESHMENT HOUSES.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| If under the value of 30*l.* a year | 0 | 10 | 6 |
| If 30*l.* a year or upwards | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Licence to Licensed Refreshment House to sell Foreign Wine retail to be consumed on the premises— If under the value of 50*l.* a year | 3 | 3 | 0 |
| Not to be consumed on the premises | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| *Penalty* for keeping a Refreshment House without a Licence | 20 | 0 | 0 |

## DISCOUNT ON TWENTY SHILLINGS.

| | s. | d. | | s. | d. | | s. | d. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 2½ per cent. is | 0 | 6 | 12½ per cent. is | 2 | 6 | 22½ per cent. is | 4 | 6 |
| 5 „ | 1 | 0 | 15 „ | 3 | 0 | 25 „ | 5 | 0 |
| 7½ „ | 1 | 6 | 17½ „ | 3 | 6 | 30 „ | 6 | 0 |
| 10 „ | 2 | 0 | 20 „ | 4 | 0 | 35 „ | 7 | 0 |

## RULE FOR CALCULATING INTEREST, at 5 per Cent.

**Multiply the Pounds by the Days, and divide the Product by 365. The Quotient gives the Interest at 5 per Cent., in Shillings.**

## CALCULATION OF SALARIES, &c., FROM 1*l.* to 150*l.* PER ANNUM.

| Yr. | Mont. | Week | Day. | Year. | Month. | Week | Day. | Year. | Month. | Week. | Day. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| £ | s. d. | s. d. | s. d. | £ | £ s. d. | s. d. | s. d. | £ | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | s. d. |
| 1 | 1 8 | 0 4½ | 0 0¾ | 11 | 0 18 4 | 4 2¾ | 0 7¼ | 30 | 2 10 0 | 0 11 6 | 1 7¾ |
| 2 | 3 4 | 0 9¼ | 0 1¼ | 12 | 1 0 0 | 4 7¼ | 0 8 | 40 | 3 6 8 | 0 15 4 | 2 2¼ |
| 3 | 5 0 | 1 1¾ | 0 2 | 13 | 1 1 8 | 4 11¾ | 0 8½ | 50 | 4 3 4 | 0 19 2¼ | 2 9 |
| 4 | 6 8 | 1 6½ | 0 2¾ | 14 | 1 3 4 | 5 4½ | 0 9¼ | 60 | 5 0 0 | 1 3 0¼ | 3 3½ |
| 5 | 8 4 | 1 11 | 0 3¼ | 15 | 1 5 0 | 5 9 | 0 10 | 70 | 5 16 8 | 1 6 10¼ | 3 10 |
| 6 | 10 0 | 2 3½ | 0 4 | 16 | 1 6 8 | 6 1¾ | 0 10½ | 80 | 6 13 4 | 1 10 9 | 4 4½ |
| 7 | 11 8 | 2 8¼ | 0 4½ | 17 | 1 8 4 | 6 6¼ | 0 11¼ | 90 | 7 10 0 | 1 14 6¼ | 4 11¼ |
| 8 | 13 4 | 3 0¾ | 0 5¼ | 18 | 1 10 0 | 6 10¾ | 0 11¾ | 100 | 8 6 8 | 1 18 4¼ | 5 5¾ |
| 9 | 15 0 | 3 5½ | 0 6 | 19 | 1 11 8 | 7 3½ | 1 0½ | 125 | 10 8 4 | 2 7 11½ | 6 10¼ |
| 10 | 16 8 | 3 10 | 0 6½ | 20 | 1 13 4 | 7 8 | 1 1¼ | 150 | 12 10 0 | 2 17 6½ | 8 2¾ |

HINTS ON MEASUREMENT.—Square measure is used to measure all kinds of superfices, such as land, paving, flooring, roofing, tiling, slating, plastering, painting, etc., and anything having length and breadth only. Flooring, roofing, thatching, etc., are measured by the square of 100 feet, and bricklayers work by the rod of 16½ feet, the square of which is 272¼ feet, though this is partly a cubic measure, as the brickwork is reckoned to be one and a half bricks thick.

## GRAIN TABLES.

*Giving the Price of Bushels, Pecks, Gallons, and Quarts, at various prices between One Shilling and Sixty Shillings per Quarter.*

| | 1*s.* | 5*s.* | 10*s.* | 12*s.* | 13*s.* | 14*s.* | 15*s.* | 17*s.* | 18*s.* | 20*s.* |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Bushels 7 | 0 10½ | 4 4½ | 8 9 | 10 6 | 11 4½ | 12 3 | 13 1½ | 14 10½ | 15 9 | 17 6 |
| 6 | 0 9 | 3 9 | 7 6 | 9 0 | 9 9 | 10 6 | 11 3 | 12 9 | 13 6 | 15 0 |
| 5 | 0 7½ | 3 1½ | 6 3 | 7 6 | 8 1½ | 8 9 | 9 4½ | 10 7½ | 11 3 | 12 6 |
| 4 | 0 6 | 2 6 | 5 0 | 6 0 | 6 6 | 7 0 | 7 6 | 8 6 | 9 0 | 10 0 |
| 3 | 0 4½ | 1 10½ | 3 9 | 4 6 | 4 10½ | 5 3 | 5 7½ | 6 4½ | 6 9 | 7 6 |
| 2 | 0 3 | 1 3 | 2 6 | 3 0 | 3 3 | 3 6 | 3 9 | 4 3 | 4 6 | 5 0 |
| 1 | 0 1½ | 0 7½ | 1 3 | 1 6 | 1 7½ | 1 9 | 1 10½ | 2 1½ | 2 3 | 2 6 |
| Pecks 3 | 0 1 | 0 5½ | 0 11½ | 1 1½ | 1 2½ | 1 3¾ | 1 4¾ | 1 7 | 1 8¼ | 1 10½ |
| 2 | 0 0¾ | 0 3¾ | 0 7½ | 0 9 | 0 9¾ | 0 10½ | 0 11¼ | 1 0¾ | 1 1½ | 1 3 |
| 1 | 0 0¼ | 0 1¾ | 0 3¾ | 0 4½ | 0 4¾ | 0 5¼ | 0 5½ | 0 6¼ | 0 6¾ | 0 7½ |
| Gallons 1 | 0 0¼ | 0 1 | 0 1¾ | 0 2¼ | 0 2½ | 0 2½ | 0 2¾ | 0 3¼ | 0 3½ | 0 3¾ |
| Quarts 3 | 0 0¼ | 0 0¾ | 0 1½ | 0 1¾ | 0 1¾ | 0 2 | 0 2 | 0 2½ | 0 2½ | 0 2¾ |
| 2 | 0 0 | 0 0½ | 0 1 | 0 1 | 0 1¼ | 0 1¼ | 0 1½ | 0 1¾ | 0 1¾ | 0 1¾ |
| 1 | 0 0 | 0 0¼ | 0 0½ | 0 0½ | 0 0½ | 0 0¾ | 0 0¾ | 0 0¾ | 0 0¾ | 0 1 |

| | 25*s.* | 27*s.* | 29*s.* | 30*s.* | 35*s.* | 40*s.* | 45*s.* | 50*s.* | 55*s.* | 60*s.* |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Bushels 7 | 21 10½ | 23 7½ | 25 4½ | 26 3 | 30 7½ | 35 0 | 39 4½ | 43 9 | 48 1½ | 52 6 |
| 6 | 18 9 | 20 3 | 21 9 | 22 6 | 26 3 | 30 0 | 33 9 | 37 6 | 41 3 | 45 0 |
| 5 | 15 7½ | 16 10½ | 18 1½ | 18 9 | 21 10½ | 25 0 | 28 1½ | 31 3 | 34 4½ | 37 6 |
| 4 | 12 6 | 13 6 | 14 6 | 15 0 | 17 6 | 20 0 | 22 6 | 25 0 | 27 6 | 30 0 |
| 3 | 9 4½ | 10 1½ | 10 10½ | 11 3 | 13 1½ | 15 0 | 16 10½ | 18 9 | 20 7½ | 22 6 |
| 2 | 6 3 | 6 9 | 7 3 | 7 6 | 8 9 | 10 0 | 11 3 | 12 6 | 13 9 | 15 0 |
| 1 | 3 1½ | 3 4½ | 3 7½ | 3 9 | 4 4½ | 5 0 | 5 7½ | 6 3 | 6 10½ | 7 6 |
| Pecks 3 | 2 4 | 2 6¼ | 2 8½ | 2 9¾ | 3 3¼ | 3 9 | 4 2½ | 4 8¼ | 5 1¾ | 5 7½ |
| 2 | 1 6¾ | 1 8¼ | 1 9¾ | 1 10½ | 2 2¼ | 2 6 | 2 9¾ | 3 1½ | 3 5¼ | 3 9 |
| 1 | 0 9½ | 0 10¾ | 0 11¼ | 1 1 | 1 3 | 1 4¾ | 1 6¾ | 1 8½ | 1 10½ | |
| Gallons 1 | 0 4¾ | 0 5 | 0 5½ | 0 5½ | 0 6½ | 7½ | 0 8½ | 0 9¼ | 0 10¼ | 0 11¼ |
| Quarts 3 | 0 3½ | 0 3¾ | 0 4 | 0 4¼ | 0 5 | 0 5¼ | 0 6¼ | 0 7 | 0 7¾ | 0 8½ |
| 2 | 0 2¼ | 0 2½ | 0 2¾ | 0 2¾ | 0 3¼ | 0 3¾ | 0 4¼ | 0 4¾ | 0 5½ | 0 5½ |
| 1 | 0 1¼ | 0 1¼ | 0 1½ | 0 1½ | 0 1¾ | 0 1¾ | 0 2 | 0 2¼ | 0 2¼ | 0 2¾ |

## RIGHT OF VOTING FOR PARLIAMENTARY REPRESENTATIVES.

(30*th and* 31*st Victoriæ, cap.* 102.—*August* 15*th*, 1867).

### COUNTIES.

FREEHOLDERS.—Of 40*s.* per annum above rents and charges. COPYHOLDERS.—For life or larger estate of the yearly value of 5*l.* above rents and charges. LEASEHOLDERS.—Lessee of 5*l.* clear yearly value for not less than sixty years, occupied or not. OCCUPIERS of land or tenements of the rateable value of 12*l.* or upwards. Joint occupiers of premises in Counties may vote, when the aggregate rateable value of the premises is such as would, if divided among the several occupiers, confer on each of them a vote. Not more than *two* persons may, however, be registered in respect of such joint occupation, unless they are *bonâ fide* engaged as partners carrying on trade or business thereon; or have derived the same by descent succession, marriage, marriage settlement, or devise.

Purchasers of Freehold or Copyhold property must obtain complete possession on or before January 31st to entitle them to be registered in July next as county voters.

### CITIES AND BOROUGHS.

HOUSEHOLDERS.—Inhabitant occupiers of any dwelling, rated to the relief of the poor.

LODGERS.—Occupiers of lodgings, as sole tenants, of a clear yearly value (if let unfurnished) of 10*l.* or upwards.

*Householders* must have occupied and been rated for a twelemonth before the last day of July; and must have paid on or before the 20th July, all rates due on the 5th of January previous.—*Lodgers* must have occupied for the same period, and must have claimed to be registered as voters.

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The franchises conferred by the Act are in addition to, and not in substitution for any existing franchises.

Owners of dwelling-houses in boroughs are not in future to be rated, but the occupiers. Any candidate or other person, either directly or indirectly paying a rate on behalf of any voter, for the purpose of inducing him to vote or refrain from voting, and any person corruptly paying a rate for any other person, thereby to influence his vote, shall be guilty of bribery.

Paid agents, canvassers, clerks, messengers, etc. are not entitled to vote.

REGISTRATION.—See Memoranda for the Month, pp. 6-11.

## MARKET PRICES.

*CORN.—Average Price of WHEAT per qr. for last week of each Month of* 1853-68.

| Years. | Jan. | Feb. | March | April. | May. | June. | July, | Aug. | Sept. | Oct. | Nov. | Dec. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | *s. d.* | *s. d.* | *s. d.* | *s. d.* | *s. d.* | *s. d.* | *s. d.* | *s. d.* | *s. d.* | *s. d.* | *s. d.* | *s. d.* |
| 1853 ..... | 46 0 | 45 2 | 44 9 | 44 4 | 43 9 | 46 11 | 52 7 | 48 6 | 56 7 | 68 11 | 72 7 | 70 2 |
| 1854 ..... | 82 4 | 80 0 | 78 4 | 79 11 | 78 2 | 77 11 | 71 10 | 64 0 | 53 2 | 60 7 | 57 6 | 72 11 |
| 1855 ..... | 72 2 | 70 3 | 66 6 | 68 8 | 76 1 | 76 7 | 76 4 | 73 7 | 77 3 | 78 4 | 82 1 | 77 0 |
| 1856 ..... | 76 11 | 69 2 | 69 10 | 67 11 | 68 2 | 72 6 | 77 5 | 70 8 | 64 4 | 66 4 | 61 11 | 59 1 |
| 1857 ..... | 57 11 | 55 5 | 55 6 | 53 2 | 57 8 | 61 6 | 62 7 | 60 4 | 57 6 | 53 11 | 49 8 | 47 5 |
| 1858 ..... | 47 6 | 45 0 | 45 2 | 44 5 | 44 8 | 43 0 | 45 8 | 42 6 | 44 2 | 42 10 | 41 2 | 40 0 |
| 1859 ..... | 41 7 | 40 5 | 40 0 | 42 6 | 53 6 | 48 3 | 43 0 | 44 5 | 41 10 | 42 10 | 43 1 | 43 6 |
| 1860 ..... | 43 11 | 43 11 | 45 6 | 49 6 | 52 1 | 57 0 | 56 6 | 60 1 | 58 3 | 60 6 | 56 3 | 52 6 |
| 1861 ..... | 57 3 | 54 9 | 54 0 | 56 9 | 55 3 | 52 8 | 50 7 | 50 3 | 53 11 | 57 9 | 60 3 | 61 4 |
| 1862 ..... | 60 3 | 59 6 | 58 11 | 58 2 | 55 2 | 55 4 | 57 6 | 58 4 | 53 2 | 48 7 | 47 8 | 45 7 |
| 1863 ..... | 48 4 | 46 7 | 45 0 | 45 9 | 46 5 | 46 5 | 45 11 | 45 9 | 43 9 | 41 2 | 42 0 | 42 3 |
| 1864 ..... | 43 0 | 43 3 | 43 5 | 41 5 | 41 9 | 43 8 | 46 7 | 43 6 | 42 0 | 38 0 | 38 9 | 38 0 |
| 1865 ..... | 38 10 | 38 4 | 38 6 | 40 0 | 42 0 | 41 6 | 43 0 | 45 0 | 43 0 | 42 4 | 46 10 | 46 8 |
| 1866 ..... | 45 6 | 45 5 | 45 3 | 44 9 | 47 4 | 48 5 | 52 0 | 50 10 | 49 8 | 52 6 | 60 0 | 60 2 |
| 1867 ..... | 62 2 | 59 8 | 60 11 | 62 11 | 65 3 | 64 10 | 65 8 | 66 7 | 64 1 | 67 6 | 68 5 | 67 4 |
| 1868 ..... | 72 6 | 73 4 | 72 10 | 72 2 | 72 3 | 66 1 | 61 1 | 55 3 | 53 7 | 52 11 | 51 1 | |

*MEAT.—Prices per 8lb., at the Metropolitan Cattle Market, during the last week of each Month of* 1859-68.

BEEF.—The highest price of prime Oxen.

| Years. | Jan. | Feb. | Mar. | April | May. | June. | July. | Aug. | Sept. | Oct. | Nov. | Dec. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | *s. d.* | *s. d.* | *s. d.* | *s. d.* | *s. d.* | *s. d.* | *s. d.* | *s. d.* | *s. d.* | *s. d.* | *s. d.* | *s. d.* |
| 1859 ..... | 4 6 | 4 0 | 4 8 | 4 6 | 4 4 | 4 2 | 4 2 | 4 4 | 4 2 | 4 6 | 4 6 | 4 6 |
| 1860 ..... | 4 6 | 4 6 | 4 6 | 4 6 | 5 0 | 5 4 | 5 0 | 5 0 | 4 8 | 4 2 | 4 4 | 4 10 |
| 1861 ..... | 4 6 | 4 8 | 4 6 | 5 0 | 4 8 | 4 8 | 4 10 | 4 2 | 4 2 | 4 10 | 4 8 | 4 6 |
| 1862 ..... | 4 4 | 4 2 | 4 0 | 4 0 | 4 0 | 4 4 | 4 8 | 4 6 | 4 6 | 4 4 | 4 8 | 4 6 |
| 1863 ..... | 4 6 | 4 4 | 4 4 | 4 4 | 4 6 | 4 8 | 4 8 | 4 8 | 4 6 | 4 8 | 4 10 | 5 0 |
| 1864 ..... | 4 10 | 4 8 | 4 6 | 4 8 | 4 6 | 4 8 | 4 8 | 4 10 | 5 0 | 5 0 | 5 6 | 5 8 |
| 1865 ..... | 5 4 | 5 4 | 4 10 | 4 6 | 5 0 | 4 8 | 5 2 | 5 2 | 4 10 | 5 4 | 5 0 | 5 2 |
| 1866 ..... | 4 8 | 5 2 | 4 8 | 4 6 | 4 10 | 5 4 | 5 4 | 5 2 | 5 0 | 5 0 | 5 0 | 5 6 |
| 1867 ..... | 5 0 | 5 0 | 4 10 | 4 8 | 4 8 | 5 0 | 5 0 | 4 8 | 4 4 | 4 6 | 4 8 | 4 6 |
| 1868 ..... | 4 6 | 4 6 | 4 8 | 4 6 | 4 8 | 4 8 | 4 6 | 5 2 | 4 8 | 5 0 | 5 2 | |

MUTTON.—The highest price of prime Southdown.

| Years. | Jan. | Feb. | Mar. | April | May. | June | July. | Aug. | Sept. | Oct. | Nov. | Dec. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | *s. d.* | *s. d.* | *s. d.* | *s. d.* | *s. d.* | *s. d.* | *s. d.* | *s. d.* | *s. d.* | *s. d.* | *s. d.* | *s. d.* |
| 1859 ..... | 5 0 | 5 8 | 5 10 | 5 8 | 5 0 | 4 10 | 4 10 | 5 2 | 5 0 | 5 4 | 5 2 | 5 4 |
| 1860 ..... | 5 6 | 5 8 | 5 8 | 6 0 | 6 2 | 5 6 | 5 6 | 5 6 | 5 2 | 5 2 | 5 4 | 5 10 |
| 1861 ..... | 6 0 | 6 0 | 5 10 | 5 10 | 5 4 | 5 4 | 5 4 | 5 4 | 5 4 | 5 4 | 5 6 | 5 6 |
| 1862 ..... | 5 6 | 5 6 | 5 6 | 5 6 | 4 10 | 5 0 | 5 0 | 5 4 | 5 2 | 5 8 | 5 8 | 5 10 |
| 1863 ..... | 5 10 | 6 0 | 5 10 | 5 8 | 4 10 | 5 2 | 5 0 | 5 2 | 5 2 | 5 2 | 5 8 | 6 0 |
| 1864 ..... | 6 0 | 6 0 | 6 0 | 6 2 | 5 4 | 5 2 | 5 4 | 5 4 | 5 8 | 5 6 | 5 10 | 6 0 |
| 1865 ..... | 6 0 | 6 4 | 6 8 | 6 0 | 6 0 | 5 10 | 6 4 | 6 8 | 6 6 | 6 4 | 6 6 | 6 8 |
| 1866 ..... | 6 6 | 6 10 | 6 8 | 7 0 | 6 0 | 6 0 | 6 0 | 6 0 | 6 0 | 6 4 | 6 0 | 6 4 |
| 1867 ..... | 6 0 | 6 4 | 6 2 | 5 0 | 5 0 | 5 4 | 5 2 | 5 4 | 5 0 | 4 10 | 5 0 | 4 10 |
| 1868 ..... | 5 0 | 5 0 | 5 4 | 5 4 | 5 0 | 5 0 | 4 10 | 5 4 | 5 0 | 5 4 | 5 2 | |

PORK.—The highest price of neat small Porkers.

| Years. | Jan. | Feb. | Mar. | April | May. | June. | July. | Aug. | Sept. | Oct. | Nov. | Dec. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | *s. d.* | *s. d.* | *s. d.* | *s. d.* | *s. d.* | *s. d.* | *s. d.* | *s. d.* | *s. d.* | *s. d.* | *s. d.* | *s. d.* |
| 1859 ..... | 4 2 | 4 2 | 4 4 | 4 2 | 4 2 | 4 2 | 4 6 | 4 6 | 4 6 | 4 8 | 4 0 | 4 8 |
| 1860 ..... | 4 10 | 4 10 | 4 10 | 4 10 | 5 0 | 5 0 | 5 0 | 5 0 | 5 4 | 5 4 | 5 0 | 5 2 |
| 1861 ..... | 5 2 | 4 10 | 4 10 | 5 0 | 5 0 | 4 10 | 4 10 | 4 8 | 5 0 | 5 0 | 5 0 | 4 8 |
| 1862 ..... | 4 8 | 4 8 | 4 8 | 4 8 | 5 0 | 4 8 | 4 8 | 4 8 | 4 10 | 5 0 | 4 8 | 4 8 |
| 1863 ..... | 4 8 | 4 8 | 4 8 | 4 6 | 4 6 | 4 8 | 4 6 | 4 6 | 4 8 | 4 4 | 4 10 | 4 4 |
| 1864 ..... | 4 8 | 4 6 | 4 6 | 4 6 | 4 6 | 4 6 | 4 6 | 4 6 | 4 10 | 4 10 | 4 2 | 5 0 |
| 1865 ..... | 5 0 | 5 0 | 4 10 | 4 10 | 4 8 | 4 8 | 4 10 | 5 2 | 5 8 | 5 10 | 5 0 | 5 0 |
| 1866 ..... | 5 2 | 5 0 | 5 0 | 4 10 | 5 0 | 5 0 | 4 10 | 5 0 | 5 4 | 5 2 | 5 0 | 4 8 |
| 1867 ..... | 4 4 | 4 4 | 4 2 | 4 2 | 4 2 | 4 6 | 4 4 | 4 4 | 4 4 | 4 0 | 4 2 | 4 2 |
| 1868 ..... | 4 2 | 4 2 | 4 2 | 4 4 | 4 4 | 4 2 | 4 2 | 4 4 | 4 4 | 4 4 | 4 6 | |

## PRINCIPAL BANKERS IN LONDON.

[The transactions of the Bankers marked thus (*) are chiefly with Salesmen.

Albion Bank (Limited), 2, Bank Buildings, Lothbury; 16, West Smithfield; 12, Bank-buildings, Cattle Market, Islington
Alexanders, Cunliffes & Co., 30, Lombard-st.
Alliance (Limited), Bartholomew-lane, and 266, High-street, Borough
Bank of Australasia, 4, Threadneedle-street
Bank of British North America, 24, Bishopsgate, Within
Barclay and Co., 54, Lombard-street
Barnett and Co., 60 and 62, Lombard-street
Bosanquet and Co., 73, Lombard-street
Child and Co., 1, Fleet-street
City Bank, Threadneedle-street; 25, Ludgate-hill: 34, Old Bond-street; and 159, Tottenham Court-road.
Colonial Bank, 13, Bishopsgate Within
Cocks, Biddulph & Co., 43, Charing-cross
Consolidated, 52, Threadneedle-street; and 450, West Strand
Coutts and Co., 59, Strand
Cunliffe, Roger, Sons & Co., 6, Prince's-street
Dimsdale and Co., 50, Cornhill
Drummonds, 49, Charing-cross
Fuller and Co., 77, Lombard-street
Glyn and Co., 67, Lombard-street
Goslings and Co., 19, Fleet-street
Herries and Co., 16, St. James-street
Hoare and Co., 37, Fleet-street
Hopkinsons, C. & Co., 3, Regent-street
Imperial Bank, 6, Lothbury; Victoria-street, Westminster.
London Joint Stock Bank, 5, Princes-street, Bank; 69, Pall-mall, and 124, Chancery-lane,
London and Westminster Bank, Lothbury; 1, St. James's-square; 3, Wellington-street, Borough; 4, Stratford-place, Oxford-street; 130, High-street, Whitechapel; 214, High Holborn; 217, Strand; 91, Westminster-bridge-road; and 130, High-street, Whitechapel.
London and County Bank, 21, Lombard-st. E.C.; 324, High Holborn, W.C.; 441, Oxford-st., W.C.; 6, Henrietta-st., Covent-garden, W.C.; 21, Hanover-sq., W.; Albert-gate, Knightsbridge, S.W.; 6, Berkeley-pl., Edgeware-rd., W.; High-st., Kensington, W.; Westbourne-grove, W.; High-st., Southwark, S.; Newington Butts; High-st., Islington; 187, Shoreditch, N.E.; 77, Westminster-bridge-road, S.; Deptford, S.E.; Limehouse, Hackney; 165, Westminster-bridge-road; 21, Hanover-square; Henrietta-street, Covent Garden; 3, Victoria-st., Westminster; 193, Caledonian-road; and Stratford Broadway
Martin and Co., 68, Lombard-street
Metropolitan and Provincial, 75, Cornhill
National Bank, 13, Old Broad-street
Oriental Bank, Threadneedle-street
Praeds and Co., 189, Fleet-street
Prescott and Co., 62, Threadneedle-street
Provincial Bank of Ireland, 142, Old Broad-street
Ransom and Co., 1, Pall-mall East
Robarts and Co., 15, Lombard-street
Scott and Co., 1, Cavendish-square
Smith, Payne, and Co., 1, Lombard-st.
Smith, Elder & Co., 45, Pall-mall
Twinings, Messrs., 215, Strand
Union Bank of London, 2, Princes-st., Bank; 14, Argyll-place, Regent-street; 4, Pall-mall East; and Chancery Lane
Williams, Deacon, and Co., 20, Birchin-lane
Willis, Percival, and Co., 76, Lombard-street

*Biggerstaff, W. & J., Cattle Market, Islington
*Lacy and Son, Cattle Market, Islington
*Stride, Messrs., Cattle Market, Islington
Hill and Sons, Cattle Market, Islington

## POSTAGE OF LETTERS.

All letters must be pre-paid by being stamped, as no money is received in payment of postages. Letters not stamped are charged double when delivered

RATES OF POSTAGE.—Inland letters not exceeding half-an-ounce, 1*d.* Exceeding half-an-ounce, but not exceeding 1 ounce, 2*d.* Exceeding 1 ounce, but not exceeding 1½ ounces, 3*d.* Exceeding 1½ ounces, but not exceeding 2 ounces, 4*d.* Exceeding 2 ounces, but not exceeding 2½ ounces, 5*d.* Exceeding 2½ ounces, but not exceeding 3 ounces, 6*d.* And so on, an additional 1*d.* for every additional half-ounce.

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## THE ROYAL FAMILY.

| | Born. | Age in 1869 |
|---|---|---|
| The Queen (Alexandrina Victoria) (Married Feb. 10, 1840, H. R. H. Prince Albert of Saxe Coburg Gotha, born Aug. 26, 1819, died Dec. 14, 1861) ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | May 24, 1819 | 50 years. |
| Prince of Wales (Albert Edward) (Married March 10, 1863, to the Princess Alexandra of Denmark, born Dec. 1, 1844), (Issue—Albert Victor Christian Edward, born Jan. 8, 1864, George Frederick Ernest Albert, born June 3, 1865, Louise Victoria Alexandra Dagmar, born Feb, 20, 1867, and Victoria Alexandra Olga Mary, born July 6, 1868) ... ... ... ... ... ... | Nov. 9, 1841 | 28 ,, |
| Prince Alfred Ernest Albert ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | Aug. 6, 1844 | 25 ,, |
| Prince Arthur William Patrick Albert ... ... ... ... ... | May 1, 1850 | 19 ,, |
| Prince Leopold George Duncan Albert ... ... ... ... ... | April 7, 1853 | 16 ,, |
| Princess (Royal of England and Prussia) Victoria Adelaide Mary Louisa (Married Jan. 25, 1858). ... ... ... ... ... ... | Nov. 21, 1840 | 29 ,, |
| Princess Alice Maud Mary (Married July 1, 1862, to Prince Frederick Louis of Hesse-Darmstadt) ... ... ... ... ... | April 25, 1843 | 26 ,, |
| Princess Helena Augusta Victoria (Married July 5, 1866, Prince Christian, of Schleswig-Holstein-Sonderberg-Augstenberg) ... | May 25, 1846 | 23 ,, |
| Princess Louisa Carolina Alberta ... ... ... ... ... ... | March 18, 1848 | 21 ,, |
| Princess Beatrice Mary Victoria Feodore ... ... ... ... ... | April 14, 1857 | 12 ,, |
| George Fredk., D. of Cumberland (late King of Hanover) ... ... | May 27, 1819 | 50 ,, |
| George William, Duke of Cambridge ... ... ... ... ... ... | March 26, 1819 | 50 ,, |
| Princess Augusta Caroline (Married June 28, 1843, the Hereditary Grand Duke of Mecklenburg-Strelitz)... ... ... ... ... | July 19, 1822 | 47 ,, |
| Princess Mary Adelaide (Married the Prince of Teck, June 12, 1866) | Nov. 27, 1833 | 36 ,, |

## HER MAJESTY'S JUDGES.

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| *Lord High Chancellor* ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | Right Hon. Lord Hatherley |
| *Master of the Rolls* ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | Right Hon. Lord Romilly |
| *Lords Justices of the Court of Appeal* ... ... ... ... ... | Hon. Sir G. M. Giffard.<br>Sir C. J. Selwyn |
| *Vice-Chancellors* ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | Hon. Sir John Stuart<br>Hon. Sir R. Malins. |
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| *Judges of the Court of Queen's Bench* ... ... ... ... ... | Hon. Sir Colin Blackburn<br>Hon. Sir John Mellor.<br>Hon. Sir Robert Lush<br>Hon. Sir James Hannen<br>Hon. Sir George Hayes |
| *Lord Chief Justice of Common Pleas* ... ... ... ... ... | Right Hon. Sir Wm. Bovill |
| *Judges of the Court of Common Pleas* ... ... ... ... ... | Hon. Sir J. S. Willes<br>Hon. Sir J. B. Byles<br>Hon. Sir H. S. Keating<br>Hon. Sir Montagu E. Smith<br>Hon. Sir W. B. Brett |
| *Lord Chief Baron of Exchequer* ... ... ... ... ... ... | Right Hon. Sir Fitzroy Kelly |
| *Judges of the Court of Exchequer* ... ... ... ... ... ... | Hon. Sir Samuel Martin<br>Hon. Sir G. W. W. Bramwell<br>Hon. Sir W. F. Channell<br>Hon. Sir Gillery Pigott<br>Hon. Sir Anthony Cleasby |
| *Judge of the Court of Probate and Divorce* ... ... ... ... | Hon. Sir J. P. Wilde |
| *Official Principal of Court of Arches* ... ... ... ... ... | Sir R. J. Phillimore |

## ENGLISH ARCHBISHOPS AND BISHOPS.

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|---|---|---|---|
| 1868 | Canterbury ... ... | A. C. Tait, D.D. | |
| 1862 | York ... ... ... | W. Thomson, D.D. | |
| 1868 | London ... ... ... | J. Jackson, D.D. | |
| 1827 | Winchester ... ... | C. R. Sumner, D.D. | |
| 1860 | Carlisle ... ... | Hon. S. Waldegrave, D.D | |
| 1867 | Rochester ... ... | T. Claughton, D.D. | |
| 1859 | Bangor ... ... ... | J. C. Campbell, D.D. | |
| 1862 | Glo'ster & Brist. ... | C. J. Ellicott, D.D. | |
| 1830 | Exeter ... ... ... | H. Phillpotts, D.D. | |
| 1861 | Durham ... ... ... | C. Baring, D.D. | |
| 1856 | Ripon ... ... ... | R. Bickersteth, D.D. | |
| 1868 | Peterborough.. ... | Wm. C. Magee, D.D. | |
| 1840 | St. David's ... ... | C. Thirlwall, D.D. | |
| 1861 | Worcester ... ... | Henry Philpott D.D. | |
| 1842 | Chichester ... ... | A. T. Gilbert, D.D. | |
| 1867 | Lichfield ... ... | G. A. Selwyn, D.D. | |
| 1864 | Ely ... ... ... | E. H. Browne, D.D. | |
| 1845 | Oxford ... ... ... | S. Wilberforce, D.D. | |
| 1846 | St. Asaph ... ... | T. V. Short, D.D. | |
| 1847 | Manchester ... ... | J. Prince Lee, D.D. | |
| 1868 | Hereford... ... ... | James Atley, D.D. | |
| 1865 | Chester ... ... ... | W. Jacobson, D.D. | |
| 1857 | Norwich ... | Hon J. T. Pelham, D.D. | |
| 1849 | Llandaff ... ... ... | Alfrd. Ollivant, D.D. | |
| 1868 | Lincoln ... ... ... | C. Wordsworth, D.D. | |
| 1854 | Salisbury ... ... | W. K. Hamilton, D.D. | |
| 1854 | Bath & Wells... ... | Lord Auckland, D.D. | |
| 1854 | Sodor and Man ... | Hon. H. Powys, D.D. | |

The Bishop of Lincoln (being the junior Bishop) has no seat in the House of Lords.

# THE NEW PARLIAMENT.

ELECTED NOVEMBER, 1868.

New Members are distinguished by an asterisk (*), and Members who have changed their seats by a dagger (†), prefixed to their names. The new constituencies are indicated by an asterisk (*) :—

SPEAKER—THE RIGHT HON. J. E. DENISON.

*Abingdon.* Hon. C. Lindsay (C).
*Andover.* Hon. D. Fortescue (L).
*Anglesey.* *Mr. R. Davies (L).
*Ashton-under-Lyne.* *Mr. T. Mellor (C).
*Aylesbury.* Mr. N. M. de Rothschild (L); Mr. S. G. Smith (C).
*Banbury.* Mr. B. Samuelson (L).
*Barnstaple.* Mr. T. Cave (L); *Mr. Williams (C).
*Bath.* Mr. W. Tite (L); *Dr. Dalrymple (L).
*Beaumaris.* Hon. W. O. Stanley (L).
*Bedford.* Mr. Whitbread (L); *Mr. J. Howard (L).
*Bedfordshire.* Mr. F. C. H. Russell (L); Col. Gilpin (C).
*Berkshire.* Mr. R. Benyon (C); Col. L. Lindsay (C); *Mr. J. Walter (L).
*Berwick.* *Viscount Bury (L); *Mr. J. Stapleton (L).
*Beverley.* Sir H. Edwards (C); *Capt. Kennard (C).
**Bewdley.* *Sir R. A. Glass (C).
*Birkenhead.* Mr. J. Laird (C).
*Birmingham.* Mr. J. Bright (L); Mr. G. Dixon (L); *Mr. P. H. Muntz (L).
*Blackburn.* Mr. W. H. Hornby (C); Mr. J. Feilden (C).
*Bodmin.* Hon. F. Leveson-Gower (L).
*Bolton.* *Mr. J. Hick (C); Lieut.-Col. Gray (C).
*Boston.* Mr. Malcolm (C); *Mr. T. Collins (C).
*Bradford.* Mr. W. E. Forster (L); *Mr. H. Ripley (L).
*Brecknock.* Mr. H. Gwyn (C).
*Brecknockshire.* Major Morgan (C).
*Bridgnorth.* Mr. H. Whitmore (C).
*Bridgwater.* Mr. A. W. Kinglake (L); Mr. P. Vanderbyl (L).
*Bridport.* Mr. T. A. Mitchell (L).
*Brighton.* Mr. White (L); Prof. Fawcett (L).
*Bristol.* Hon. F. H. F. Berkeley (L); *Mr. S. Morley (L).
*Buckingham.* Sir H. Verney (L).
*Bucks.* Right Hon. B. Disraeli (C); Mr. C. G. Dupre (C); *Mr. N. G. Lambert (L).
**Burnley.* *Mr. R. Shaw (L).
*Bury (Lancashire).* Mr. R. N. Phillips (L).
*Bury St. Edmund's.* Mr. E. Greene (C); Mr. J. A. Hardcastle (L).
*Calne.* *Lord E. Fitzmaurice (L).
*Cambridge.* *Col. Torrens (L); *Mr. Fowler (L).
*Cambridgeshire.* Lord George Manners (C); Viscount Royston (C); †Right Hon. H. Brand (L).
*Cambridge University.* Right Hon. S. H. Walpole (C); Mr. Beresford Hope (C).
*Canterbury.* Mr. Butler-Johnstone (L); †Col. Brinckman (L).
*Cardiff.* Col. C. Stuart (L).
*Cardigan.* †Sir T. Lloyd (L).
*Cardiganshire.* *Mr. E. M. Richards (L).
*Carlisle.* *Sir W. Lawson (L); Mr. E. Potter (L).
*Carmarthen.* *Col. C. Stepney (L).
*Carmarthenshire.* *Mr. Sartoris (L); *Mr. John Jones (C).
*Carnarvon.* Mr. W. B. Hughes (L).
*Carnarvonshire.* *Capt. Parry (L).
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*Cheltenham.* Mr. H. B. Samuelson (L).
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**Cheshire, West.* †Sir P. Egerton (C); †Mr. J. Tollemache (C).
**Cheshire, Mid.* †Hon. Wilbraham Egerton (C); †Mr. G. C. Legh (C).
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*Chippenham.* Mr. G. Goldney (C).
*Christchurch.* *Mr. E. H. Burke (L).
*Cirencester.* Hon. A. A. Bathurst (C).
*Clitheroe.* *Mr. R. Assheton (C).
*Cockermouth.* *Mr. Isaac Fletcher (L).
*Colchester.* Mr. J. Gurdon-Rebow (L); *Dr. Brewer (L).
*Cornwall, East.* *Sir J. Trelawny (L); *Mr. E. Brydges Willyams (L).
*Cornwall, West.* Mr. St. Aubyn (L); *Mr. P. Vivian (L).
*Coventry.* Mr. H. W. Eaton (C); *Mr. S. Hill (C).
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*Cumberland, East.* †Mr. W. N. Hodgson (C); Hon. C. W. G. Howard (L).
*Cumberland, West.* Col. Lowther (C); Mr. Percy Wyndham (C).
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*Derbyshire, North.* Lord George Cavendish (L); *Mr. H. R. Arkwright (C).
*Derbyshire, South.* *Sir T. Gresley (C); *Mr R. Smith (C).
**Derbyshire, East.* *Hon. Capt. Egerton (L); *Hon. H. Strutt (L).

*Devizes.* Sir T. Bateson (C).
*Devonport.* Mr. M. Chambers (L); *Mr. J. D. Lewis (L).
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*Devonshire, North.* Sir Stafford Northcote (C); Mr. T. D. Acland (L).
*Devonshire, South.* Sir Massey Lopes (C); Mr. S. T. Kekewich (C).
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*Dorchester.* Col. Sturt (C).
*Dorsetshire.* Hon. W. H. Portman (L); Mr. Floyer (C); Mr. Sturt (C).
*Dover.* Major Dickson (C); *Mr. Jessel Q.C. (L).
*Droitwich.* Sir J. Pakington (C).
*Dudley.* Mr. H. B. Sheridan (L).
*Durham.* Mr. J. Henderson (L); *Mr. Davison (L).
*Durham, North.* *Mr. Elliot (C); Sir Hedworth Williamson (L).
*Durham, South.* Mr. J. W. Pease (L); *Capt. Beaumont (L).
**Essex, East.* *Mr. James Round (C); *Col. Ruggles-Brise (C).
**Essex, West.* †Lord Eustace Cecil (C); †Mr. Selwyn-Ibbetson (C).
*Essex, South.* *Mr. W. Baker (L); *Mr. A. Johnstone (L).
*Evesham.* Col. Bourne (C).
*Exeter.* Sir J. D. Coleridge (L); *Mr. E. Bowring (L).
*Eye.* Viscount Barrington (C).
*Finsbury.* Mr. Torrens (L); Alderman Lusk (L).
*Flint.* Sir J. Hanmer (L).
*Flintshire.* Lord R. Grosvenor (L).
*Frome.* †Mr. T. Hughes (L).
*Gateshead.* Right Hon. Sir W. Hutt (L).
*Glamorganshire.* Mr. C. R. M. Talbot (L); Mr. Hussey Vivian (L).
*Gloucester.* Mr. C. J. Monk (L); Mr. W. P. Price (L).
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*Gloucestershire, West.* Col. Kingscote (L); *Mr. S. Marling (L).
*Grantham.* *Mr. Tollemache (L): *Capt. Cholmeley (L).
**Gravesend.* *Sir C. J. Wingfield (L).
*Great Grimsby.* *Capt. Tomline (C).
*Great Marlow.* *Mr. T. O. Wethered (C).
*Greenwich.* Alderman Salmons (L); †Mr. W. E. Gladstone (L).
*Guildford.* Mr. G. Onslow (L).
**Hackney.* *Mr. C. Reed (L); Mr. J. Holms (L).
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*Hants. South.* †Right Hon. W. F. Cowper (L); *Lord Henry Scott (C).
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*Hull.* Mr. C. M. Norwood (L); Mr. J. Clay (L).
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*Huntingdonshire.* Mr. E. Fellowes (C); Lord R. Montagu (C).
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*Ipswich.* Mr. H. E. Adair (L); *Mr. H. W. West, Q.C. (L).
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*Kent, East.* Mr. L. Pemberton (C); *Hon. G. W. Milles (C).
**Kent, Mid.* †Viscount Holmesdale (C); †Mr. Dyke (C).
*Kent, West.* *Mr. C. H. Mills (C); *Mr. J. G. Talbot (C).
*Kidderminster.* *Mr. T. Lea (L).
*King's Lynn.* Lord Stanley (C); *Mr. Bourke (C).
*Knaresborough.* *Mr. A. Illingworth (L).
*Lambeth.* *The Lord Mayor (L); *Mr. M'Arthur (L).
*Lancashire, North.* *Hon. F. A. Stanley (C); Col. Wilson Patten (C).
**Lancashire, North-East.* *Mr. J. M. Holt (C); *Mr. C. Starkie (C).
**Lancashire, South-East.* †Hon. A. F. Egerton (C); *Mr. S. Henry (C).
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*Maldon.* *Mr. E. H. Bentall (L).
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*Marylebone.* Mr. H. Lewis (L); Mr. T. Chambers (L).
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*Merthyr Tydvil.* *Mr. H. Richard (L); *Mr. Fothergill (L).
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*Monmouthshire.* Mr. C. O. S. Morgan (C); Col. Somerset (C).
*Montgomery.* Hon. C. Hanbury-Tracy (L).
*Montgomeryshire.* Mr. C. W. Wynn (C).
*Morpeth.* Sir G. Grey (L).
*Newark.* Mr. G. Hodgkinson (L); Mr. E. Denison (L).
*Newcastle-on-Tyne.* Mr. Cowen (L); Mr. Headlam (L).
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*Norfolk, South.* †Mr. C. S. Read (C); †Mr. E. Howes (C).
*Norfolk, West.* Hon. T. De Grey (C); Sir W. Bagge (C).
*Northallerton.* *Mr. J. Hutton (C).
*Northampton.* Lord Henley (L); Mr. Gilpin (L).
*Northampton, North.* Mr. Ward Hunt (C); Mr. Stopford (C).
*Northampton, South.* Sir R. Knightley (C); *Major Cartwright (C).
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*Northumberland, South.* Mr. W. B. Beaumont (L); the Hon. G. Liddell (C).
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*Staffordshire, West.* *Mr. Smith-Child (C); *Mr. Meynell Ingram (C).
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*Stamford.* Sir J. D. C. Hay (C).

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*Suffolk, West.* Major W. Parker (C); Lord A. Hervey (C).
*Sunderland.* Mr. Candlish (L); *Mr. Gourley (L).
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*Surrey, West.* Mr. G. Cubitt (C); Mr. I. Briscoe (C).
*Sussex, East.* Mr. J. G. Dodson (L); *Mr. Gregory (C).
*Sussex, West.* Colonel Barttelot (C); Capt. Hon. H. Wyndham (C).
*Swansea.* Mr. L. L. Dillwyn (L).
*Tamworth.* Sir R. Peel (L); *Sir Henry Bulwer (L).
*Taunton.* Mr. Barclay (L); *Serjt. Cox (C).
*Tavistock.* Mr. A. J. E. Russell (L).
*Tewkesbury.* *Mr. W. E. Price (L).
*Thirsk.* Sir W. P. Gallwey (C).
*Tiverton.* Hon. G. Denman (L); *Mr. Amory (L).
*Tower Hamlets.* Mr. Ayrton (L); †Mr. Samuda (L).
*Truro.* Mr. Williams (C); Capt. Vivian (L).
*Tynemouth.* *Mr. E. T. Smith (L).
*Wakefield.* *Mr. S. A. Beaumont (L).
*Wallingford.* *Mr. S. Vickers (C).
*Walsall.* Mr. C. Forster (L).
*Wareham.* Mr. Calcraft (L).
*Warrington.* *Mr. Rylands (L).
*Warwick.* Mr. A. Peel (L); *Mr. E. Greaves (C).
*Warwickshire, North.* Mr. Newdgate (C); Mr. Bromley Davenport (C).
*Warwickshire, South.* Mr. H. C. Wise (C); †Mr. John Hardy (C).
**Wednesbury.* *Mr. A. Brogden (L).
*Wenlock.* Right Hon. Gen. Forester (C); *Mr. A. H. Brown (L).
*Westbury.* *Mr. J. L. Phipps (C).
*Westminster.* *Mr. W. H. Smith (C); Capt. Grosvenor (L).
*Westmoreland.* Earl of Bective (C); Mr. W. Lowther (C). [(L).
*Weymouth.* *Mr. Hambro (C); Mr. Edwards
*Whitby.* †Mr. W. H. Gladstone (L).
*Whitehaven.* Mr. G. C. Bentinck (C).
*Wigan.* Mr. H. Woods (L); *Mr. J. Lancaster (L).
*White, Isle of.* Sir John Simeon (L).
*Wilton.* Mr. E. Antrobus (L).
*Wilts, North.* Lord C. Bruce (L); *Sir G. Jenkinson (C).
*Wilts, South.* Lord H. F. Thynne (C); Mr. T. F. Grove (L).
*Winchester.* Mr. W. B. Simonds (C); Mr. Bonham-Carter (L).
*Windsor.* Mr. R. Eykyn (L).
*Wolverhampton.* Right Hon. C. P. Villiers (L); Mr. T. M. Weguelin (L).
*Woodstock.* Mr. H. Barnett (C).
*Worcester.* *Mr. Laslett (C); Mr. A. Sherriff (L).
*Worcestershire, East.* *Mr. R. P. Amphlett (C); *Hon. C. Lyttelton (L).
*Worcestershire, West.* Mr. Knight (C); Mr. Dowdeswell (C).
*Wycombe.* Hon. W. H. Carington (L).
*York.* Mr. J. Lowther (C); *Mr. B. Westhead (L).
*Yorkshire, East Riding.* Mr. Christopher Sykes (C); *Mr. W. H. Broadley (C).
*Yorkshire, North Riding.* Mr. F. A. Millbank (L); Colonel Hon. O. Duncombe (C).
**Yorkshire, West Riding* (Eastern Division). *Mr. B. Denison (C); *Mr. J. Fielden (C).
*Yorkshire, West Riding* (Northern Division). Sir F. Crossley (L); Lord F. Cavendish (L).
*Yorkshire, West Riding* (Southern Division). Viscount Milton (L); Mr. H. F. Beaumont (L).

## SCOTLAND.

*Aberdeen.* Colonel Sykes (L).
**Aberdeenshire, East.* †Mr. W. D. Fordyce (L).
**Aberdeenshire, West.* *Mr. McCombie (L).
*Argyleshire.* Marquis of Lorne (L).
*Ayr District.* Mr. Craufurd (L).
**Ayrshire, North.* *Mr. Finnie (L).
**Ayrshire, South.* *Sir D. Wedderburn (L).
*Banffshire.* Mr. R. W. Duff (L).
*Berwickshire.* Mr. D. Robertson (L).
*Buteshire.* *Mr. Dalrymple (C).
*Caithness-shire.* Mr. G. Traill (L).
*Clackmannanshire and Kinross-shire.* Mr. W. P. Adam (L).
*Dumbartonshire.* *Mr. Orr-Ewing (C).
*Dumfries.* *Mr. Jardine (L).
*Dumfriesshire.* *Sir S. Waterlow (L).
*Dundee.* *Mr. Armistead (L); Sir J. Ogilvy (L).
*Edinburgh.* Mr. M'Laren (L); *Mr. Miller (L).
*Edinburghshire.* *Sir Alex. G. Maitland (L).
*Edinburgh and St. Andrew's Universities,* Professor Playfair (L).
*Elgin Burghs.* Mr. G. Duff (L).
*Elgin and Nairnshire.* *Mr. Grant (C).
*Falkirk.* Mr. Merry (L).
*Fifeshire.* Sir R. Anstruther (L).
*Forfarshire.* Hon. C. Carnegie (L).
*Glasgow.* Mr. W. Graham (L); Mr. Dalglish (L); *Mr. Anderson (L).
*Glasgow and Aberdeen Universities.* Right Hon. J. Moncrieff (L).
*Greenock.* *Mr. Grieve (L).
*Haddington.* Sir H. Davie (L).
*Haddingtonshire.* Lord Elcho (C).
**Hawick District.* †Mr. Trevelyan (L).
*Inverness.* *Mr. Mackintosh (L).
*Inverness-shire.* *Mr. Cameron (C).
*Kilmarnock.* Mr. Bouverie (L).

*Kincardineshire.* Mr. Nicol (L).
*Kirkcaldy.* Mr. R. S. Aytoun (L).
*Kirkcudbrightshire.* *Mr. W. H. Maxwell (L).
**Lanarkshire, North.* †Sir T. E. Colebrooke (L).
**Lanarkshire, South.* *Major Hamilton (L).
*Leith Burghs.* *Mr. Macfie (L).
*Linlithgowshire.* Mr. M'Lagan (L).
*Montrose District.* Mr. Baxter (L).
*Orkney and Shetland.* Mr. F. Dundas (L).
*Paisley.* Mr. Crum-Ewing (L).
**Peebles & Selkirk.* †Sir G. Montgomery (C).
*Perth.* Hon. A. Kinnaird (L).
*Perthshire.* *Mr. C. S. Parker (L).
*Renfrewshire.* Mr. Speirs (L).
*Ross and Cromarty.* Sir J. Matheson (L).
*Roxburghshire.* Sir W. Scott (L).
*St. Andrew's District.* Mr. Ellice (L).
*Stirlingshire.* Admiral Erskine (L).
*Stirling District.* *Mr. J. S. Campbell (L).
*Sutherlandshire.* Lord R. Leveson Gower (L).
*Wick Burghs.* *Mr. George Loch (L).
*Wigton.* Mr. G. Young (L).
*Wigtonshire.* *Lord Garlies (C).

## IRELAND.

*Antrim Co.* Adm. Seymour (C); Hon. E. O'Neil (C).
*Armagh.* Mr. Vance (C).
*Armagh Co.* Sir J. Stronge (C); *Mr. Verner (C).
*Athlone.* *Sir J. Ennis (L).
*Bandon.* *Mr. Shaw (L).
*Belfast.* *Mr. Johnstone (C); *Mr. M'Clure (L).
*Carlow.* *Capt. Fagan (L).
*Carlow Co.* Mr. Bruen (C); †Mr. Kavanagh (C).
*Carrickfergus.* *Mr. Dalway (L).
*Cashel.* Mr. O'Beirne (L).
*Cavan Co.* Hon. Hugh Annesley (C); Mr. E. J. Saunderson (L).
*Clare Co.* Sir C. O'Loghlen (L); Col. Vandeleur (C).
*Clonmel.* Mr. Bagwell (L).
*Coleraine.* Sir H. Bruce (C).
*Cork City.* Mr. Maguire (L); Mr. Murphy (L).
*Cork Co.* *Mr. M'Carthy Downing (L); Mr. Smith Barry (L).
*Donegal Co.* Marquis Hamilton (C); Mr. Thomas Connolly (C).
*Down Co.* Lord A. E. Hill-Trevor (C); Colonel W. B. Forde (C).
*Downpatrick.* Mr. Keown (C).
*Drogheda.* Mr. Whitworth (L).
*Dublin.* Mr. Pim (L); Sir. A. Guiness (C).
*Dublin Co.* Mr. Hamilton (C); Colonel Taylor (C).
*Dublin University.* Mr. Lefroy (C); *Dr. Ball (C).
*Dundalk.* *Mr. Callan (L).
*Dungannon.* Colonel W. S. Knox (C).
*Dungarvan.* *Mr. Matthews (L).
*Ennis.* Capt. Stacpoole (L).
*Enniskillen.* *Viscount Crichton (C).
*Fermanagh Co.* Capt. Mervyn Archdall (C). Hon. H. A. Cole (C).
*Galway.* Lord Canning Burke (L); Mr. W. H. Gregory (L).
*Galway Borough.* *Lord St. Lawrence (L); Sir R. Blennerhassett (L).
*Kerry Co.* Lord Castlerosse (L); Mr. Herbert (L).
*Kildare Co.* Mr. Cogan (L); Lord O. Fitzgerald (L).
*Kilkenny.* Sir J. Gray (L).
*Kilkenny Co.* Mr. Bryan (L); Mr. Agar-Ellis (L).
*King's Co.* Sir P. O'Brien (L); *Mr. Sherlock (L).
*Kinsale.* Sir G. Colthurst (L).
*Leitrim Co.* Mr. W. R. Ormsby-Gore (C); Dr. Brady (L).
*Limerick City.* Major Gavin (L); Mr. F. W. Russell (L).
*Limerick Co.* Right Hon. W. Monsell (L); Mr. Synan (L).
*Lisburn.* Mr. Verner (C).
*Londonderry.* *Mr. Dowse (L).
*Londonderry Co.* Sir F. Heygate (C); Mr; Peel Dawson (C).
*Longford Co.* Colonel Greville Nugent (L); Mr. M. W. O'Reilly (L).
*Louth Co.* Right Hon C. S. Fortescue (L); *Mr. Dease (L).
*Mallow.* Mr. Serjeant Sullivan (L).
*Mayo Co.* Lord Bingham (C); *Mr. Moore (L).
*Meath Co.* Mr. Corbally (L); Mr. McEvoy (L),
*Monaghan Co.* Colonel Leslie (C); *Mr. Shirley (C).
*New Ross.* *Mr. McMahon (L).
*Newry.* *Mr. Kirk (L).
*Portarlington.* *CaptainDawsonDamer(C).
*Queens Co.* Right Hon. J. W. Fitzpatrick (L); *Mr. Digby (L).
*Roscommon Co.* The O'Connor Don (L); Colonel French (L).
*Sligo.* *Major L. E. Knox (C).
*Sligo Co.* Sir R. G. Booth (C); *Mr. O'Conor (L).
*Tipperary Co.* Capt. White (L).; Mr. C. Moore (L).
*Tralee.* The O'Donoghue (L).
*Tyrone Co.* Right Hon. H. T. L. Corry (C); Lord Claud Hamilton (C).
*Waterford.* Mr. Blake (L); *Mr. Delahunty (L).
*Waterford Co.* Mr. Esmonde (L); Mr. De La Poer (L).
*Westmeath.* Mr. Pollard-Urquhart (L); Mr. A. Greville-Nugent (L).
*Wexford.* Mr. Devereux (L).
*Wexford Co.* Sir James Power (L); *Mr. D'Arcy (L).
*Wicklow Co.* Mr. Fitzwilliam Dick (C); *Hon. H. Fitzwilliam (L).
*Youghal.* *Mr. C. Weguelin (L).

# COUNTY DIRECTORY.

## PEERAGE OF HERTFORDSHIRE.

ALFORD, Viscountess (by courtesy).—MARIAN MARGARET, daughter of the 2nd Marquess of Northampton, born 1817, married 1841, Viscount Alford, (son of the 1st Earl Brownlow), who died 1851.

*Residence*—Ashridge, Great Berkhampstead.

BRAYBROOKE, BARON. (NEVILLE).—CHARLES CORNWALLIS NEVILLE, 5th Baron. Born Aug. 29th, 1823; succeeded his brother in 1861; was educated at Eton and Magdelen College, Cambridge, of which he is Hereditary Visitor; was appointed Capt. of the 17th Essex Rifle Volunteers, 1860; a Deputy-Lieut. of Essex, 1845, and Vice-Lieut. 1861: married (1849) the Hon. Florence Maude, 3rd daughter of 3rd Viscount Hawarden, and has issue living,—

*Daughter*—Augusta, born 1860.

*Brother Living*—The Hon. and Rev. Latimer, *heir presumptive*, born 1827; was educated at Eton and Magdalen College, Cambridge (M.A.), of which he was appointed Master in 1854; has been Rector of Heydon and Little Chishall, Essex, since 1851; married (1853) Lucy Frances, eldest daughter of John Le Marchant Thomas, Esq., and has, with other issue, Henry, born 1855. *Residence*—Magdalen College, Cambridge.

*Sisters Living*—Mirabel Jane, born 1821.—Louisa Anne, born 1822, married (1853) Sir Henry Vavasour, Bart.—Georgiana, born 1828, married 1852, (Savile).

Patron of seven livings—Aborfield, R. Waltham St. Lawrence, V. Wargrave, V. Berkshire; Shadingfield, R. Suffolk; Saffron Walden, V.; Heydon, R. Littlebury, V. Essex.

Creation—Baron Braybrooke, in the Peerage of Great Britain, 1788.

*Seats*—Audley End, Saffron Walden, Essex; Heydon House, Royston, Herts.; Billingbear, Wokingham, Berkshire. *Town Residence*—42, Upper Brook-street, W.

*Club*—Travellers'.

BROWNLOW, EARL. (EGERTON-CUST).—ADELBERT WELLINGTON BROWNLOW, 3rd Earl, 4th Baron, and a Baronet, son of Viscount Alford, who was eldest son of the 1st Earl. Born 1844; succeeded his brother in 1866; was educated at Eton; entered the Grenadier Guards as Ensign and Lieut. 1863; retired 1866; was returned for North Shropshire, 1866; married 1868 to the Lady Adelaide Talbot, youngest daughter of the late (18th) Earl of Shrewsbury and 3rd Earl of Talbot.

Patron of nineteen livings—Aldbury, R. Little Gaddesden, R., Hertfordshire. Belton, R. Manthorpe, I. with Londonthorpe, Grantham; Willoughby, Scott, R. Lincolnshire. Cheddington, R. Eddlesborough, V. Nettleden, I. Pitstone, I. Wingrave, V. Buckinghamshire. Dunnington, R. Settrington, R. Yorkshire. Dunton, V. Totternhoe, V. Bedfordshire. Ellesmere, V. Middle, R. Whitchurch, R. with Marbury, R. Shropshire. Little Billing, R. Sewell, R. Northamptonshire, and with Sir R. Bromley and G. White, Esq., Carlton-Scroop, R. Lincolnshire.

Creations—Baron Brownlow, 1776; Earl Brownlow and Viscount Alford, in the Peerage of the United Kingdom, 1815. A Baronet, 1677.

*Seats*—Ashridge, Berkhampstead; Belton House, Grantham, Lincolnshire; *Town Residence*—11, Prince's Gate, W.

*Clubs*—Carlton, Guards.

CALEDON, COUNTESS OF.—JANE FREDERICA HARRIOT MARY GRIMSTON, daughter of the 1st Earl of Verulam, married (1845) the 3rd Earl of Caledon, who died 1855.

Patron of two livings—Colney, D., Ridge, V., Hertfordshire.

*Residences*—Tittenhanger Park, Herts.; 5, Carlton House Terrace, S.W.

CLARENDON, EARL OF. (VILLIERS).—GEORGE WILLIAM FREDERICK VILLIERS, K.G., G.C.B., P.C., D.C.L. 4th Earl, son of the Hon. George Villiers, 3rd son of the 1st Earl. Born Jan. 12th, 1800; succeeded his uncle in 1838; entered the diplomatic service as Attaché at St. Petersburg, 1820; was subsequently a Commissioner of Customs; Envoy at Madrid, 1838-9; Lord Privy Seal, 1840-1; President of the Board of Trade, 1846-7; Lord-Lieut. of Ireland, 1847-52; Secretary for Foreign Affairs, 1853-8, and 1865-6; is Chancellor of the Queen's University in Ireland; a Governor of Harrow School, and Wellington College; was created Honorary D.C.L. of Oxford, 1856; married (1839) Lady Katherine Grimston, eldest daughter of the 1st Earl of Verulam (widow of John Barham, Esq.), and has issue, living—

*Sons*—Edward Hyde, Lord Hyde, born 1846; was educated at Harrow, and at Trinity College, Cambridge.—George Patrick Hyde, born 1847.—Francis Hyde, born 1852.
*Daughters*—Constance, born 1840, married 1864 (Stanley).—Alice, born 1841, married (1860) the 2nd Baron Skelmersdale.—Emily Theresa, born 1843, married (1868) O. Russell, Esq.
*Brother living*—Charles Pelham, P.C., M.P., born 1802.
Created Baron Hyde, 1756; Earl of Clarendon in the Peerage of Great Britain, 1776.
*Seat*—The Grove, Watford. *Town Residence*—1, Grosvenor-crescent, S.W.
*Clubs*—Reform, Athenæum, Travellers', Brooks's.

COWPER, EARL. (COWPER).—FRANCIS THOMAS DE GREY COWPER, K.G., 7th Earl, a Baronet, and a Prince of the Holy Roman Empire; Lord-Lieut. of Bedfordshire. Born June 11th, 1834; succeeded his father in 1856; was educated at Christchurch, Oxford (B.A. as 1st class in Law and Modern History, 1855); is Lieut.-Col. commanding the 2nd Administrative Battalion of the Hertfordshire Rifles.

*Brother living*—The Hon. Henry Frederick, born 1836, *heir presumptive*, M.P. for Hertfordshire; is a Deputy-Lieut. of Hertfordshire, and was first returned for that county in 1865. *Residence*—4, St. James's Square, S.W.
*Sisters living*—Florence Amabel, born 1840.—Amabel, born 1846.
Creations—Baron Cowper, 1706; Viscount Fordwich, and Earl Cowper, in the Peerage of Great Britain, 1718; a Baronet, 1642.
*Seat*—Panshanger. *Town Residence*—4, St. James's-square, S.W.
*Clubs*—Travellers', St. James's, White's, Brooks's.

COWPER, Dowager Countess.—ANNE FLORENCE, Baroness Lucas (see that title), born 1806, married (1833) the 6th Earl Cowper, who died 1856.
Patroness of eighteen livings—Aldfield, I. St. Olive, I. Yorkshire. Aston Flanville, R. Leire, R. Leicestershire. Blunham, R. Clophill, R. Harrold, V. Pulloxhill, V. Silsoe, I. Bedfordshire. Great Horkesley, R. Myland, R. Shenfield, R. Essex. Lemsford, I. Hertfordshire.
*Residence*—Wrest Park, Bedfordshire.

DACRE, BARON. (BRAND).—THOMAS CROSBIE WILLIAM BRAND-TREVOR, 22nd Baron; Lord-Lieut. and Custos Rotulorum of Essex. Born Dec. 5th, 1808; succeeded his father in 1853; was educated at Christchurch, Oxford; was M.P. for Hertfordshire 1847-52; is a Deputy-Lieut. of Hertfordshire, and is co-heir to the Barony of Fitzhugh: married (1837) the Hon. Susan Sophia Cavendish, eldest daughter of the 1st Baron Chesham, Bedchamberwoman to the Queen, 1837-53.

*Brother living*—The Rt. Hon. Henry Bouverie William, P.C., M.P., for Cambridgeshire, *heir presumptive*, born 1814; is a Deputy-Lieut. of Sussex; was Parliamentary Secretary to the Treasury 1859-66, and has been Private Secretary to Sir George Grey; a Lord of the Treasury 1855—8, and Keeper of the Privy Seal to the Prince of Wales 1858; was first returned for Lewes 1852, and Returned for Cambridgeshire 1868; married (1838) Eliza, daughter of Gen. Robert Ellice, and has, with other issue, Henry Robert, born 1841, elected M.P. for Hertfordshire 1868; late of the Coldstream Guards. *Residences*—Glynde, Lewes, Sussex, and 2, Upper Belgrave-street, S.W.
*Sisters living*—Pyne Jessy, married 1st 1828, 2nd 1845 (Vernon).—Gertrude, married (1831) the Right Hon. Sir George Hamilton Seymour, G.C.B., G.C.H.

Patron of two livings—Royston, V. Kimpton, V. Hertfordshire.
Creation—Baron Dacre, in the Peerage of Great Britain, by tenure, in 1307; by summons in 1321 and 1459; and again in 1604.
*Seat*—The Hoo, Welwyn. *Town Residence*—9, Hereford-street, W.
*Club*—Boodle's.

EBURY, BARON. (GROSVENOR).—ROBERT GROSVENOR, P.C., 1st Baron, son of the 1st Marquess of Westminster. Born 24th April, 1801; was educated at Westminster and Christchurch, Oxford (B.A. 1822); was M.P. for Shaftesbury 1822-6; for Chester 1826-47; and for Middlesex 1847-57; was Treasurer and Comptroller of the Household, and Groom of the Stole to the Prince Consort; is a Deputy-Lieut. of Cheshire and Middlesex; married (1831) the Hon. Charlotte Arbuthnot Wellesley, only daughter of the 1st Baron Cowley, and sister of the 1st Earl Cowley, K.G., and has issue, living—

*Sons*—Robert Wellesley, M.P. for Westminster, born 1832.—Thomas George, born 1842.—Norman de l'Aigle, born 1845.—Algernon Henry, born 1846.—Richard Cecil, born 1848.
*Daughters*—Victoria Charlotte, born 1832.—Albertine Frances Elizabeth, born 1840.
Patron of one living—Northwood, I. Middlesex.
His Lordship is 3rd son of the 1st Marquess of Westminster, and brother of the present Marquess, and of the Earl of Wilton.
Creation—Baron Ebury, in the Peerage of the United Kingdom. 1857.
*Seat*—Moor Park, Rickmansworth. *Town Residence*—35, Park-street, Grosvenor-square, W.
*Clubs*—Reform, Brooks's, Travellers'.

ESSEX, EARL OF. (CAPEL).—ARTHUR ALGERNON CAPEL, 6th Earl, and 7th Baron, son of the Hon. John Thomas Capel, 2nd son of the 4th Earl of Essex. Born 28th Jan. 1803; succeeded his uncle George in 1839; married 1st (1825) Caroline Jeannetta Beauclerk, 3rd daughter of William, 8th Duke of St. Alban's, and 2ndly (1863) Lady Louisa Boyle, daughter of Vicountess Dungarvan, sister of the Earl of Cork, and has issue, living—

*Sons*—Arthur de Vere, Viscount Malden, Lieut.-Col. in the South Herts. Yeomanry, born 1826, married (1853) the daughter of the 1st Sir Henry Meux, Bart., and has, with other issue, George Devereux de Vere, born 1857. Reginald Algernon, born 1830, married 1858.—Arthur Algernon, born 1864.
*Brothers living*—Algernon Henry Champagne, born 1807, married 1834.—Adolphus Frederic Charles Molyneux, born 1813, married 1834.
*Sisters living*—Mary, born 1808.—Amelia, born 1811, married 1857 (Blackwood).
Patron of three livings—Watford, V. Hertfordshire. Rayne, R. Essex. Shuttington, I. Warwickshire.
Creations—Baron Capel of Hadham, 1641. Viscount Malden and Earl of Essex, 1661.
*Seat*—Cashiobury Park, Watford. *Town Residence*—21, Chesham-street, S.W.
*Club*—Travellers'.

HARDWICKE, EARL OF. (YORKE).—CHARLES PHILIP YORKE, P.C., D.C.L., 4th Earl, Lord-Lieutenant of Cambridgeshire. Son of Sir Joseph Sydney Yorke, K.C.B., Born 2nd April, 1799; succeeded his uncle in 1834; was educated at Harrow; was M.P. for Reigate, 1831, for Cambridgeshire 1831-4; is an Admiral in the Navy; Postmaster-General, 1852, and Lord Privy Seal 1858-9; married (1833) the Hon. Susan Liddell, 6th daughter of the 1st Baron Ravensworth, and has issue, living—

*Sons*—Charles Philip, Viscount Royston, born 1836, married (1863) Lady Sophia Georgina Wellesley, 2nd daughter of the 1st Earl Cowley.—John Manners, born 1840.—Victor Alexander, born 1842, died 1867.—Eliot Constantine, born 1843.—Alexander Grantham, born 1847.
*Daughters*—Elizabeth Philippa, born 1834, married 1860 (Adeane).—Mary Catherine, born 1837, married 1857 (Craven).—Agneta Harriet, born 1838, married (Montagu).
*Brothers living*—Venerable Henry Reginald, born 1803, married 1833.—Eliot Thomas, born 1805, married 1833.—The Rev. Grantham Munton, born 1809, married 1830.
Patron of two livings—Wimpole, R. and Foulmire, R., Cambs.

Creations—Baron Hardwicke, 1733. Earl of Hardwicke and Viscount Royston, in the Peerage of Great Britain, 1754.

*Seats*—Wimpole Hall, Cambridgeshire; Sydney Lodge, Hampshire. *Town Residence*—44, Portman-square, W.

*Clubs*—Carlton, United Service, White's.

LUCAS, BARONESS. (COWPER).—ANNE FLORENCE COWPER, Baroness Lucas. Born 8th June, 1806; succeeded her father, the 5th Baron, and 2nd Earl de Grey, who died without surviving male issue, in 1859, when the Earldom devolved on the present Earl de Grey and Ripon, and the Barony of Lucas on her ladyship; married (1833) George Augustus, 6th Earl Cowper. (See Cowper, Dowager Countess.)

*Heir presumptive*—her ladyship's eldest son, Francis Thomas De Grey, Earl Cowper.

Creations—Baron Lucas of Cardwell, in the Peerage of England, 1666.

*Seat*—Wrest Park, Ampthill, Bedfordshire. *Town Residence*—4, St. James's-square, S.W.

LYTTON, BARON. (BULWER-LYTTON).—EDWARD GEORGE EARLE LYTTON BULWER-LYTTON, P.C., D.C.L., LL.D. 1st Baron, and a Baronet, son of General William Earle Bulwer, of Heyden Hall, Norfolk, by Elizabeth, daughter of Richard Warburton Lytton, Esq., of Knebworth, Hertfordshire. Born 1805; was educated at Trinity Hall, Cambridge, (Chancellor's Medal-list for the English Poem on Sculpture, B.A. 1826, M.A. 1835, LL.D. 1863); was Secretary for the Colonies 1858-9; was M.P. for St. Ive's, 1831, for Lincoln, 1832-41; and for Hertfordshire, 1852-66; and is a Deputy-Lieut. of that county; was created Hon. D.C.L. of Oxford in 1853, and LL.D. of Cambridge 1863; and was Lord Rector of the University of Glasgow 1856 and 1858; married (1827) Rosina, daughter of Francis Massey Wheeler, Esq., and has issue, living—

*Son*—Edward Robert, born 1834; was educated at Harrow and Bonn; attached to the diplomatic service; married (1864) Edith, daughter of the Hon. E. Villiers, and has, with other issue, a son, born 1865.

Patron of one living—Knebworth, R. Herts.

Creation—Baron Lytton, of Knebworth, Hertfordshire, in the Peerage of the United Kingdom, 1866. A Baronet, 1838.

*Seats*—Knebworth Park, Stevenage; Copped Hall, Totteridge.

*Clubs*—Athenæum, Carlton.

PALMERSTON, Viscountess.—EMILY MARY, eldest daughter of the 1st Viscount Melbourne, married (1st, 1805) the 5th Earl Cowper, who died 1837; and (2ndly, 1839) the 3rd Viscount Palmerston, K.G., G.C.B., P.C.; M.P. for Tiverton, who died First Lord of the Treasury, 1865, when his title became extinct.

*Seats*—Broadlands, near Romsey, Hants; Brockett Hall, near Hertford. *Town Residence*—21, Park-lane, W.

RODEN, EARL OF. (JOCELYN.) Sits as BARON CLANBRASSIL.—ROBERT JOCELYN, K.P., P.C., 3rd Earl, and a Baronet. Born 27th of Oct. 1788; succeeded his father in 1820; married (1813) the Hon. Maria Frances Catherine Stapleton, 2nd daughter of the 22nd Lord Le Despencer (this lady died 1861), and 2ndly (1862) Clementina Janet, daughter of Thomas Andrews, Esq., and has issue living, by the first marriage—

*Sons*—Lieut.-Col. John Strange, born 1823, Knt. of the Medjidie and of the Legion of Honour; married (1851) the Hon. Sophia Hobhouse, daughter of Lord Broughton.—William Nassau, born 1832.

*Daughters*—Elizabeth Frances Charlotte, born 1813, married (1846) the Marquess of Londonderry.—Frances, born 1814, married (1833) the Earl of Gainsborough.—Maria, born 1824, married 1848 (Forester).

*Heir presumptive*—his grandson, Robert, Viscount Jocelyn, born 1846.

*Brothers living*—John, born 1805, married 1839, and (2ndly) 1855. Augustus George Frederick, born 1811, married 1845, and (2ndly) 1851.

Patron of two livings—High Roding, R. Essex, and Dundalk, Louth.

Creations—Baron Newport of Newport, Tipperary, 1743. Viscount Jocelyn, 1755. Earl of Roden, 1771, in the Peerage of Ireland; and Baron Clanbrassil, of Hyde Hall, Herts., in the Peerage of the United Kingdom, 1821. A Baronet, 1865.

*Seat*—Hyde Hall.

*Club*—United Service.

ROKEBY, BARON. (Robinson Montagu).—Henry Robinson Montagu, K.C.B., and Knt. of the Medjidie, 6th Baron in the Peerage of Ireland, and a Baronet. Born 2nd Feb., 1798; succeeded his brother in 1847; is Colonel of the 77th Foot, a General in the Army, and a Lieut.-General in the Turkish Army; served at Quatre-Bras and at Waterloo, and commanded a division in the Crimea; married (1826) Magdalen, eldest daughter of Lieut.-Col. Thomas Huxley, who died 1868, and has issue, living—

*Daughters*—Mary, born 1828, married (1855) the 14th Marquess of Winchester.—Harriet Lydia, born 1829, married 1855 (Damer). Magdalen, born 1831, married 1856 (Wellesley). Elizabeth, born 1840.

*Brother living*—Spencer Dudley, *heir presumptive*, born 1807, married (1842) Anna Louisa, widow of Joseph Jekyll, Esq., of Wargrave, Berkshire.

*Sisters living*—Elizabeth, married 1815 (Bowles).

Caroline, married 1843 (Osborne).—Mary, married 1820 (Ellison).

Patron of one living—Coveney, R. Cambridgeshire.

Creations—Baron Rokeby of Armagh, in the Peerage of Ireland, 1777; a Baronet, 1730.

*Seats*—Denton Hall, Newcastle-on-Tyne; Hazlewood, Herts. *Town Residence*—22, Portman-square, W.

SALISBURY, MARQUESS OF. (Cecil).—Robert Arthur Talbot Cecil, 3rd Marquess. Born 1830; suceeeded his father in 1868; was Secretary of State for India in 1866; is Chairman of the Hertfordshire Quarter Sessions; married (1857) Georgiana, daughter of the late Baron Alderson.

*Sons*—James Edward Hubert, born 1861.—Rupert Ernest William, born 1863.—Edgar Algernon Robert, born 1864.—Edward, born 1867.

*Brothers*—Eustace Brownlow Henry, M.P., born 1834, married 1860.—Sackville Arthur, born 1848.—Arthur, born 1851.—Lionel, born 1853.

*Sisters*—Mildred Arabella Charlotte Henrietta, born 1822, married 1842 (Beresford Hope).—Blanche Mary Harriet, born 1825, married 1843 (Balfour).—Mary Arabella, born 1850.—Margaret Elizabeth, born 1854.

Patron of eight livings—Hatfield, R. Essendon, R. Cheshunt, V. Clothall, R. Bygrave, R. Little Berkhamstead, R. Hertfordshire. Cranborne, V. Dorsetshire. St. Mary's, Ilford, I. Essex.

Creations—Baron Cecil of Essendine, in the county of Rutland, 1603. Viscount Cranborne, in the county of Dorset, 1604. Earl of Salisbury, 1605, and Marquess of Salisbury, 1789, all in the Peerage of Great Britain.

*Seat*—Hatfield House. *Town Residence*—20, Arlington-street, W.

*Clubs*—Carlton, Travellers', Athenæum.

STRAFFORD, EARL OF. (Byng).—George Stevens Byng, P.C., F.R.S., 2nd Earl. Born 8th June, 1806; was summoned to the House of Peers, as Baron Strafford, in his father's lifetime; and succeeded to the Earldom in 1860; Colonel of the Royal Middlesex Militia Rifles; was M.P. for Milborne Port, 1831, for Poole, 1835-7, for Chatham, 1837-52; Comptroller and Treasurer of the Household, 1841, and Secretary of the Board of Control 1846-7; married (1829) Lady Agnes Paget, 5th daughter of the 1st Marquess of Anglesey (this lady died 1845), and 2ndly, (1848) the Hon. Harriet Elizabeth Cavendish, 2nd daughter of the 1st Baron Chesham, and has issue, living—

*Sons*—George Henry Charles, Viscount Enfield, M.P. for Middlesex; born 1839; was educated at Eton, and Christchurch, Oxford; is a Deputy-Lieut. of Middlesex, and Hon. Col. 29th North Middlesex Rifles, and Lieut.-Col. of the Royal Middlesex Militia Rifles; married (1854) Lady Alice Harriet Frederica Egerton, daughter of the 1st Earl of Ellesmere.—Lieut.-Col. Henry William John, born 1831, married 1863.—The Rev. Francis Edmund Cecil, born 1835, married 1866.—Charles Cavendish George, born 1849.—Alfred John George, born 1851.—Lionel Francis George, born 1858.—Julian Hedworth George, born 1862.

*Daughters*—Agnes Mary Georgiana, born 1833, married 1858 (Joliffe).—Mary Caroline Charlotte, born 1838, married 1862 (Arkwright).—Victoria Alexandrina Anna Maria, born 1842.—Susan Catherine Harriet, born 1854.—Elizabeth Henrietta Alice, born 1855.—Margaret Florence Lucy, born 1860.
*Brother living*—William Frederick, married 1861.
*Sisters living*—Harriet Frances, born 1809, married 1821 (Ramsden).—Caroline Frances, born 1811; married (1835) Sir Walter Stirling, Bart.

Creations—the 1st Earl was youngest son of George Byng, Esq., M.P. for Middlesex, and was raised to the Peerage for the military services he rendered in the Peninsula and at the battle of Waterloo. He was created Baron Strafford in 1835, and Earl of Strafford and Viscount Enfield, of Enfield, Middlesex, 1847, all in the Peerage of the United Kingdom.

*Seats*—Wrotham Park, Barnet, and Mount Lebanon, Twickenham, Middlesex. *Town Residence*—5, St. James's-square, S.W.
*Clubs*—Travellers', Boodle's.

TOWNSHEND, MARQUESS. (TOWNSHEND).—JOHN VILLIERS STUART TOWNSHEND, 5th Marquess, and a Baronet. Born April 10th, 1831; succeeded his father in 1863; educated at Eton; was a Clerk in the Foreign Office, 1850-4; and has been Lieut. Queen's Own Royal Staffordshire Yeomanry Cavalry since 1865; was M.P. for Tamworth 1856-63; married (1865) Lady Anne Elizabeth Clementina Duff, eldest daughter of the 5th Earl of Fife, and has issue, living—

*Son*—John Frederic Dudley Stuart, Viscount Raynham, born 1866.
*Sisters living*—Anne Maria, born 1826, married 1854 (Sherson).—Elizabeth Clementina, born 1834, married 1856 (St. Aubyn).—Audrey Jane Charlotte, born 1844.

Creations—Baron Townshend, of Lynn Regis, in the county of Norfolk, 1661. Viscount Townshend, of Raynham, in the same county, 1682. Marquess Townshend, 1786, all in the Peerage of Great Britain. A Baronet, 1617.

Patron of ten livings—South Creake, V. Helhoughton, V. East Raynham, R. East Rudham, V. Shereford, R. Toft-trees, V. Stiff-key, R. Colkirk, R. St. Mary Coslany, Norwich, I. Norfolk; and, with the Lord Chancellor, All Saints, V. Hertford.

*Seats*—Balls Park, Hertford; Raynham Hall, Norfolk; Tamworth Castle, Staffordshire. *Town Residence*—39, Dover-street, Piccadilly, W.

TOWNSHEND, Dowager Marchioness.—ELIZABETH JANE, daughter of Lord George Stuart, born 1803, married (1825) the 4th Marquess Townshend, who died 1863.

VERULAM, EARL OF. (GRIMSTON).—JAMES WALTER GRIMSTON, 2nd Earl, and a Baronet; Lord-Lieut. of Hertfordshire. Born 22nd Feb., 1809; succeeded his father in 1845; was educated at Christchurch, Oxford (B.A. 1830); was M.P. for St. Alban's, 1830; for Newport, 1831; for Hertfordshire, 1832-45; has been twice a Lord-in-Waiting to the Queen; married (1844) Elizabeth Joanna, daughter of Richard Weyland, Esq., of Woodeaton, and has issue, living—

*Sons*—James Walter, Viscount Grimston, born 1852.—William, born 1855.—Robert, born 1859.
*Daughters*—Harriot Elizabeth, born 1845.—Jane, born 1848.—Maud, born 1857.
*Brothers living*—the Rev. Edward Harbottle, born 1812, married 1842,—Robert, born 1816.
*Sisters living*—Katherine, born 1810, married (1839) the 4th Earl of Clarendon, K.G., G.C.B.—Emily Mary, born 1815, married (1835) the 2nd Earl of Craven.—Mary Augusta Frederica, born 1820, married (1840) Viscount Folkestone.—Jane Frederica Harriot Mary, born 1825, married (1845) 3rd Earl of Caledon.

Patron of seven livings—Great Henney, R. Messing, V. Pebmarsh, R. Colne Wake, R. Essex. Redbourne, V. Leverstock Green, I. St. Michael s, V. St. Alban's, Hertfordshire.

Creations—Baron Forrester, of Costorphin, in the Peerage of Scotland, 1633. Viscount Grimston and Baron Dunboyne, county of Meath, in the Peerage of Ireland, 1719. Baron Verulam, of Gorhambury, Herts., 1790, and Earl of Verulam and Viscount Grimston, 1815, in the Peerage of the United Kingdom. A Baronet, 1628.
*Seat*—Gorhambury, St. Alban's. *Town Residence*—14, Great Stanhope-street, W.
*Club*—Carlton.

# BARONETAGE OF HERTFORDSHIRE.

COOPER, of Gadesbridge, Hertfordshire. Creation 1821. SIR ASTLEY PASTON COOPER, 3rd Baronet. Born 1824; succeeded his father 1866; appointed Captain 66th Foot in 1848; is a Magistrate for Hertfordshire; married (1855) Etheldreda Julia, daughter of the late G. Newton, Esq., of Croxton Park, Huntingdonshire, and has issue, living—

*Sons*—Astley, born 1861.—Another, born 1863.

*Brothers living*—The Rev. William Rickford Astley, born 1829, married (1861) Elizabeth, daughter of Admiral Evan Nepean (she died 1864).—The Rev. Samuel Lovick Astley, born 1827; married (1855) Margaretta, daughter of F. Lukis, Esq., of The Grange, Guernsey.—Thomas Henry Astley, born 1833.—Herbert Astley Paston, born 1836, married Caroline Mary, daughter of the Rev. Joseph Goodall, of Dinton Hall, Bucks.—Loftus Lewis Astley, born 1840.—Albert Beauchamp Astley, born 1841.—Clement Astley Paston, born 1845.

*Sisters living*—Elizabeth Harriette Astley, married (1854) the Rev. J. C. Wharton.—Augusta Fanny Astley, married (1865) the Rev. F. E. Horn.—Alice Louisa Astley.

*Seat*—Gadesbridge Park, Hemel Hempstead.

*Clubs*—Athenæum, Windham.

The first baronet was the eminent surgeon, Sir Astley Cooper.

COOPER, Dowager Lady.—CATHERINE, daughter of John Jones, Esq., married (1828), as his second wife, Sir Astley Paston Cooper, 1st Baronet, who died 1841.

*Residence*—Marchmont House, Hemel Hempstead.

COOPER, Dowager Lady.—ELIZABETH HARRIET, daughter of the late William Rickford, Esq., married (1821) Sir Astley Paston Cooper, F.R.S., 2nd Baronet, who died 1866.

EARDLEY, of Hadley, Middlesex. Creation 1802.—SIR EARDLEY GIDEON CULLING EARDLEY, 4th Baronet. Born 1838; succeeded his father 1863; was educated at Trinity College, Cambridge; married (1859) Florence, daughter of J. Magee, Esq., of Mobile.

*Sisters living*—Frances Selena, married (1865) the late R. Culling-Hanbury, Esq., M.P. for Middlesex.—Isabella Maria, married (1863) the Rev. W. H. Fremantle, Rector of St. Mary's, Marylebone.

LUSHINGTON, of Aspenden Hall, Hertfordshire. Creation 1791.—SIR HENRY LUSHINGTON, 3rd Baronet. Born 1802; succeeded his father 1863; was educated at Haileybury, and was in the Bengal Civil Service; married (1825) Eliza Louisa, daughter of W. Trower, Esq. (she died 1862), and has issue, living—

*Son*—Henry, born 1826.

*Daughters*—Louisa Fanny Mary, married (1849) R. Thornton, Esq.—Laura, married (1850) Lieut.-Col. Henry Ramsay, C.B.

Sir Henry married 2ndly (1863) Eliza Hannah, daughter of John Shelley, Esq., and has issue, living—

*Daughter*—Geraldine.

*Brothers living*—Sir Stephen, G.C.B., born 1803, married (1841) Henrietta, daughter of Admiral Sir H. Prescott, K.C.B.—The Rev. Charles, born 1805; married (1835) Rose, daughter of Captain J. Tweedale.—Franklin, C.B., born 1811, married (1861) Anne Dobree, daughter of General Sir Phillip Bainbrigge, K.C.B.—Frederic Astell, born 1815, married (1846) Lady Margaret Hay, daughter of the 16th Earl of Erroll.

*Sisters living*—Louisa, married (1826) Sir Charles Barrard, 2nd Baronet.—Sophia.

*Seat*—Aspenden Hall, Herts.

The first Baronet, Sir Stephen Lushington, was Chairman of the East India Company.

MEUX, of Theobald's Park, Hertfordshire. Creation 1831. SIR HENRY MEUX, 2nd Baronet. Born 1817; succeeded his father 1841; was educated at Eton, and Christ Church, Oxford (B.A. 1838); is a Magistrate for Hertfordshire; was M.P. for Hertfordshire 1847-59; and has been Captain in the South Herts. Yeomanry; married (1856) Louisa Caroline, daughter of Lord Ernest Bruce, P.C., M.P., and has issue, living—

*Son*—Henry Bruce, born 1856.

*Sisters living*—Elizabeth, married (1839) R. Arabin, Esq. (he died 1865). Marianna Frances, married (1839) Sir William Bowyer Smijth, 11th Baronet.—Emma Martha, married (1853) Viscount Malden, eldest son of the Earl of Essex.

*Seat*—Theobald's Park, Cheshunt. *Town Residence*—18, Belgrave-square, S.W.

PRESCOTT, Lady.—ELIZA, daughter of Henry Hillier, Esq., married, as his second wife, Sir George William Prescott, 3rd Baronet (who died 1850). *Residences*, Waltham Cross, Herts., and 17, Grafton-street, W.

SEBRIGHT, of Besford, Worcestershire. Creation 1626.—SIR JOHN GAGE SAUNDERS SEBRIGHT, 9th Baronet. Born 1843: succeeded his father 1864; was educated at Christ Church, Oxford; is Ensign of the 4th Herts. Rifle Corps; married (1865) Oliva Amy Douglas, daughter of the Right Hon. J. W. Fitzpatrick, M.P. for Queen's County.

*Half-brothers living*—Edgar Reginald Saunders (*heir presumptive*), born 1854.—Guy Thomas Saunders, born 1856.—Arthur Edward Saunders born 1859.

Patron of two livings—Chelmarsh V., Shropshire. Roundham V., Norfolk.

*Seats*—Besford Court, Worcestershire; Beechwood, Herts.

*Club*—Windham.

The first Baronet, Sir E. Sebright, was High Sheriff of Worcestershire in the reign of James I.

SEYMOUR, of Highmont and Friery Park, Devonshire. Creation 1809.—The Rev. SIR JOHN HOBART CULME-SEYMOUR, 2nd Baronet. Born 1800; succeeded his father 1834; was educated at Exeter College, Oxford (B.A. 1821, M.A. 1824); is a Canon of Gloucester (1829); a Prebendary of Lincoln (1827); Chaplain to Her Majesty, and Rector of Northchurch, Berkhamstead (1830) married (1st, 1833) Elizabeth, daughter of the late Rev. Thomas Culme (she died 1844), and has issue, living—

*Sons*—Michael Culme, Captain R.N., born 1836, married (1866) Mary Georgiana, daughter of the late Hon. Richard Watson.—John Hobart Culme, Captain in the 68th Light Infantry. born 1837.

*Daughter*—Elizabeth Culme.

The Rev. Sir John married (2ndly, 1844) Maria Louisa, daughter of Charles Smith, Esq., of Suttons, Essex, and sister of the late Sir Charles J. Smith, Bart. (of Suttons), and has issue, living—

*Son*—Henry Hobart, born 1847.

*Daughters*—Lauria Maria, married (1867) George Lewis Watson, Esq., of Rockingham Castle, eldest son of the late Hon. Richard Watson, M.P.—Jane Eliza.—Charlotte Augusta Mary.

*Brothers living*—Sir Michael, G.C.B., Admiral R.N., born 1802, married (1829) Dora, daughter of Sir William Knighton, Bart., G.C.H.—The Rev. Richard, Hon. Canon of Worcester, born 1806, married (1834) Frances, third daughter of Charles Smith, Esq.

*Sisters living*—Frances Ann, married (1836) Spencer Smith, Esq, of Brooklands, Hampshire.—Dora, married (1st, 1837) the Rev. William H. Clinton-Chester; (2ndly, 1845) Arthur, Currie, Esq.—Mary, married (1830) Captain Orlando Gunning Sutton, R.N.—Elizabeth married (1839) Lieut.-Col. Howard Vyse.—Ellen, married (1841) the Rev. Henry B. Forster

*Seat*—Tothill, Plymouth. *Residences*—The Cloisters, Gloucester; Northchurch Rectory, Great Berkhamstead, Herts.

The first Baronet, Sir Michael Seymour, K.C.B., was a distinguished Admiral.

## MODES OF ADDRESSING PERSONS OF TITLE.

DUKES.—"His Grace the Duke of ——." Letters commence, "My Lord Duke."

MARQUESSES.—"The Most Hon. the Marquess of ——." Letters commence, "My Lord Marquess."

EARLS.—"The Right Hon. the Earl of ——." Letters commence, "My Lord."

VISCOUNTS.—"The Right Hon. Lord Viscount ——." Letters commence, "My Lord."

BISHOPS.—"The Right Rev. the Lord Bishop of ——." Letters commence, "My Lord."

BARONS.—"The Right Hon. Lord ——." Letters commence, "My Lord."

BARONETS.—"Sir John ——." Letters commence, "Sir."

At the commencement of letters, Duchesses, Marchionesses, Countesses, etc., are addressed "Madam."

The eldest sons of Dukes, Marquesses, and Earls are addressed, by courtesy, by the second title of their fathers. Viscounts' and Barons' sons are addressed "The Hon. Robert ——."

The daughters of Dukes, Marquesses, and Earls are addressed as "The Right Hon. Lady ——." The daughters of Viscounts and Barons are addressed "The Hon. Miss ——."

## PARLIAMENTARY REPRESENTATION.

The County of Hertford sends three Members to Parliament; and the Borough of Hertford one.

### MEMBERS FOR THE COUNTY.

The Hon. Henry Frederick Cowper. Born 1836. Educated at Harrow, and at Christ Church, Oxford. A Liberal. First returned at the General Election, July, 1865, and re-elected at the General Election in November, 1868. *Residence:* Panshanger, Hertford.

Henry Robert Brand, Esq. Born 1841. Educated at Rugby. Was a Lieutenant and Captain in the Coldstream Guards. A Liberal. First returned at the General Election, November, 1868.—*Residences:* The Hoo, Welwyn; 70, Prince's-gate, S.W.

Abel Smith, Esq. Born December 30, 1829. A Conservative. First returned for the county in May, 1854. Retired in 1857, and was again returned at the General Election, May 2, 1859. Defeated at the General Election, July, 1865, Re-elected July 23, 1866, on the elevation of Sir E. B. Lytton to the Peerage, and again at the General Election, in November, 1868.—*Residences:* Watton Woodhall; 35, Chesham-place, S.W.

### MEMBER FOR THE BOROUGH.

Robert Dimsdale, Esq. Born 1828. Educated at Eton, and Corpus Christi College, Oxford. A Conservative. First returned for Hertford, June 30, 1866. *Residence:* Essendon Place, Hertford.

## CHIEF OFFICERS OF THE COUNTY.

Lord-Lieutenant: The Right Hon. the Earl of Verulam.

High Sheriff (from Feb., 1868 to Feb., 1869): Robert Pryor, Esq., High Elms, Watford.

High Sheriff (from Feb. 1869 to Feb. 1870): Robert Smith, Esq., Goldings, Hertford.

Chairman of Quarter Sessions: The Marquess of Salisbury. (Elected 1868.)
Deputy-Chairman: William Parker, Esq.

### LIBERTY OF ST. ALBAN'S.

Custos Rotulorum: The Earl of Verulam.

Chairman of the Quarter Sessions: Robert Pryor, Esq.

*Clerk of the Peace*—Richard Nicholson, Esq.
*Under-Sheriff*—P. Longmore, Esq., The Castle, Hertford.
*County Treasurer*—P. Longmore, Esq.
*Deputy Clerks of the Peace*—J. A. Dorant, Esq., Clerk of the Peace's Office, St. Alban's; W. M. Armstrong, Esq., Hertford.
*Coroners*—Hertford, T. Sworder, Esq.; Deputy-Coroner, M. S. Longmore, Esq.—St. Alban's, R. G. Lowe, Esq.—Hitchin, C. Times, Esq.—Hemel Hempstead, H. Day, Esq.
*County Surveyor*—T. Smith, Esq., Hertford.

# ACTING MAGISTRATES FOR HERTFORDSHIRE.

*Corrected for* 1869.

*** Those Magistrates before whose names asterisks (*) are placed are also Magistrates for the Liberty of St. Alban. D.L. signifies that the Magistrate to whose name it is affixed is a Deputy-Lieutenant of the County. The names of the Magistrates usually acting for Petty Sessional Divisions will be found under the heading "County Appointments."

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| Abdy, John Thomas, Esq. ..... ... | Welwyn |
| *Acworth, Nathaniel Brindley, Esq. ... | The Hook, Northaw |
| *Adey, Daniel Goodson, Esq. (D.L.) ... | Markyate Cell, near Dunstable |
| Adey, Rev. Francis William ..... | Markyate Cell, Dunstable |
| Adams, Rev. William..... .. | Throcking Rectory, Buntingford |
| *Ames, Lionel, Esq..... | The Hyde, St. Alban's |
| *Arden, Joseph, Esq. ..... | Rickmansworth Park |
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| *Bagnall, Thomas, Esq. ..... | Newberries Park, Watford |
| Baker, W. R. Esq. (Sheriff 1835)..... | Bayfordbury, Hertford |
| Baker, W. C. Esq. ..... | Bayfordbury, Hertford |
| *Barclay, Thomas George, Esq. ..... | Lower Woodside, Hatfield |
| Barclay, J. G. Esq..... | Wheathamstead |
| *Barnes, Charles A. Esq..... | Chorley Wood, Rickmansworth |
| *Barnes, J. H., Esq. ..... | Rickmansworth |
| *Barker, Rev. Alleyne Higgs ..... | Rickmansworth |
| *Baxendale, Joseph, Esq..... | Woodside, Whetstone, Middlesex |
| *Baxendale, Lloyd, Esq. ..... | Totteridge |
| Bayliff, Rev. Thos. Timothy Lane..... | Albury Vicarage, Ware |
| Beldam, E., Esq ..... | Royston, and 1, Stone Buildings, Lincoln's-inn, London |
| Bellamy, Rev. George, D.C.L. ..... | Effingham-place, Cheshunt |
| Bentley, J., Esq. (D.L., Sheriff 1860) | Woodgreen Park, Cheshunt |
| Bingham, Rev. John Batt ..... | Great Gaddesden, Hemel Hempstead |
| *Blake, W. J., Esq., F.R.S. (D.L.)..... | Danesbury, Welwyn |
| Blomfield, Rev. Canon ..... | Rectory, Stevenage |
| Bourchier, Rev. Charles Spencer ..... | Hallingbury, near Bishop Stortford |
| Bright, Richard, Esq..... | Stocks, near Tring |
| *Brown, Charles Foreman, Esq..... | |
| Brown, Henry, Esq. (D.L.)..... | Stratfieldsaye, Hertford Bridge, Hants. |
| Brown, Henry J., Esq. ..... | |
| Buxton, Thomas Fowell, Esq. ..... | Stanstead Abbotts, Ware |
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| Calvert, William, Esq. ..... | |
| *Capel, William, Esq. ..... | Kites, near Watford |
| *Carew, Robert Russell, Esq. ..... | Carpender's Park, Watford |
| *Carnegie, David, Esq. .. ..... | Eastbury, Watford |
| Carter, John Moses, Esq. (D.L.)..... | Springfield, near Abingdon, Berks |
| *Cattley, John Garratt, Esq. ..... | Penshurst, Kent |
| Cavendish, Lieut.-Colonel..... | West Stoke, Chichester |
| Chamier, Frederick, Capt. R.N. ..... | |
| *Cherry, Benjamin, Esq. (D.L.) ..... | Brickendon Grange, Hertford |
| Church, John, Esq. (D.L.)..... | Woodside, Hatfield |

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| *Clarendon, Earl of, K.G. | The Grove, Watford |
| *Clutterbuck, Robert, Esq. (D.L.) | 8, Great Cumberland-place, Hyde Park |
| *Copeland, W. F. M., Esq. | Russell Farm, Watford |
| Cooper, Sir A. P., Bart. | Gadebridge, Hemel Hempsted |
| Cowper, Earl, K.G. | Panshanger, Hertford |
| *Cowper, Right Hon. W. F., M.P. | 17, Curzon-street, Mayfair |
| Cowper, Hon. Charles Spencer | 17, Curzon-street, Mayfair |
| Cowper, Hon. Henry, M.P. | 4, St. James'-square, London |
| *Crawley, J. S. Esq. | Stockwood, Luton |
| Currie, John, Esq. (D.L.) | |
| *Currie, Arthur, Esq. | 14, Connaught-place |
| *Cust, Hon. Peregrine Francis | 73, South Audley-street |
| *Campbell, Alexander Henry, Esq. | East Barnet |
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| Dacre, Lord (D.L.) | The Hoo, near Welwyn |
| Daniell, Edward Thomas, Esq. | Little Berkhamstead |
| Dashwood, T. A., Esq. | Walsworth, Hitchin |
| *Dickinson, John, Esq., F.R.S. | Abbot's Hill, Hemel Hempstead |
| *Dimsdale, Hon. Baron (D.L. Sheriff 1843) | Essendon Place, Hertford |
| *Dimsdale, Robert, Esq., M.P. | Essendon Place, Hertford |
| Draffen, W. P., Esq. | College-road, Cheshunt. |
| *Dorrien, Lieut.-Col. R. A. Smith | Haresfoot, Great Berkhamstead |
| Dupré, James, Esq. | Wilton Park, Beaconsfield, Bucks. |
| *Durant, Richard, Esq. | Sharpham, Totnes |
| *Durant, Richard, jun., Esq. | High Canons, Barnet |
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| *Ebury, Lord | Moor Park, Rickmansworth |
| Eden, Robert, Esq. | 16, Warwick-square, Pimlico |
| Ellis, Wynn, Esq. (Sheriff 1852) | Ponsbourne Park, Hertford |
| Ellis, E. H. B. Heaton- | Wyddial Hall, Buntingford |
| *Enfield, Viscount, M.P. | Wrotham Park, Barnet |
| *Essex, Earl of | Cassiobury, Watford |
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| *Faber, Charles Wilson, Esq. | Northaw House, Barnet |
| *Falconer, Rev. William | Rectory, Bushey |
| *Finch, Henry Charles, Esq. | Redheath, Watford |
| Fordham, John George, Esq. | The Priory, Royston |
| Fordham, Henry, Esq. | The Priory, Royston |
| Fordham, E. K., Esq. | Ashwell Bury, near Baldock |
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during their residence at one of the universities. Every subscriber of *5s.* is a member of the charity, may attend the courts, and give his advice and vote in the distribution of its funds. There is a steward of the charity in every rural deanery, who receives subscriptions. The Secretary is Mr. S. W. Maryon, of Chelmsford.

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| Baldock | Wells, Hogge, and Lindsell | Barnetts, Hoare, and Co. |
| Berkhamstead, Great | Thomas Butcher and Sons | Dimsdale, Drewitt, and Co. |
| | Branch of London and County | 21, Lombard-street |
| Bishop Stortford | Sparrow, Tuffnell, and Co. | Barclay and Co. |
| | Gibsons and Co. | Dimsdale, Drewitt, and Co. |
| | Branch of London and County | 21, Lombard-street |
| Hertford | Branch of London and County | 21, Lombard-street |
| | Sharples, Tuke, Lucas, and Co. | Barclay and Co. |
| Hemel Hempstead | Bucks and Oxon Union Bank | Jones & Co., 43, Lothbury |
| | Branch of London and County | 21, Lombard-street |
| | The Aylesbury Old Bank | |
| Hitchin | Sharples and Co. | Barclay and Co. |
| | Branch of London and County | 21, Lombard-street |
| | Wells, Hogge, and Lindsell | Barnetts, Hoare, and Co. |
| Rickmansworth | Branch of London and County | 21, Lombard-street |
| Royston | J. G. Fordham and Sons | Barclay and Co. |
| | C. F. Foster and G. E. Foster | Prescott and Co. |
| St. Alban's | Branch of London and County | 21, Lombard-street |
| | Smith, Marten, and Co. | Smith, Payne, and Co. |
| Tring | Thomas Butcher and Sons | Dimsdale, Drewett, and Co. |
| Ware | Branch of London and County | 21, Lombard-street |
| | Sharples, Tuke, Lucas, and Co. | Barclay and Co. |
| Watford | Branch of London and County | 21, Lombard-street |

## SOUTH HERTS. ARCHERY CLUB.

Four meetings in the year, at which prizes are given, are held in the months of June, July, and August, at various seats in the county, which are lent for the purpose by members or their friends. The Lady Patroness is elected annually at the first meeting. *Hon. Sec.:* Henry Chetwynd Stapylton, Esq., Shenley Lodge, Barnet.

# AGRICULTURAL SOCIETIES.

## HERTS. AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.

Established for the purpose of improving the cultivation of the soil, and encouraging the skill and industry of the peasantry, by the offer of prizes. The last annual meeting was held at Hertford, under the presidency of the Hon. Henry Cowper, M.P. *Treasurer:* Mr. J. B. Brandram. *Secretary:* Mr. Passingham.

## TRING AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.

The last annual meeting was held under the presidency of F. J. Moore, Esq. *Secretary:* Mr. W. Brown.

## WEST HERTS. AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.

The meetings of this Society, established in 1865, are held at Watford. *Hon. Sec.:* Mr. Alfred O. Sedgwick, of Watford. *Treasurer:* Mr. John Linton, London and County Bank, Watford.

# COUNTY INSURANCE COMPANIES.

## COUNTY HAIL-STORM INSURANCE COMPANY.

Established in the year 1847. Wheat, Barley, Oats, Beans, Peas, and every description of corn insured until harvested. Compensation for damage made upon the most equitable principles. The advantages of this Association have already been experienced by many farmers in Hertfordshire and the neighbouring counties, whose crops have been partially destroyed by hail-storms. The company is managed by directors, most of whom are farmers, and who are therefore interested, not only in the pecuniary success of the undertaking, but in the fair dealing of the company to insurers. The Head Office being locally situate, is also advantageous to the shareholders and insurers resident in Hertfordshire.

*Managing Director:* J. W. Chesshyre, Esq. Head Office, Fore-street, Hertford.

## COUNTY CATTLE INSURANCE COMPANY (LIMITED).

Established September, 1865, for insurance of every description of Live Stock against death by disease or accident. Ordinary rates of premium, 4½ per cent. on the value of the stock insured. Compensation, three-fourths of value, and one-fourth of salvage. The company is managed by a board of directors, of which the Marquess of Salisbury is chairman. The business of the company is not confined to the county of Hertford, and the institution is intended to be a permanent one. Amongst the list of shareholders we find the names of the Marquess of Salisbury, Earl Cowper, Earl Brownlow, the Marquess Townshend, Lord Dacre, Abel Smith, Esq., M.P., Robert Smith, Esq., Robert Hanbury, Esq., and other landed proprietors, all holders of a large amount of the capital of the company.

*Secretary:* John C. Chesshyre, Esq. Head Office, Market-place, Hertford.

# RACES.

The Races in Hertfordshire are the Harpenden, Barnet, the South Herts. and the North Herts. Yeomanry Races. Harpenden Races are held in May. Barnet Races are held on the third day of the September fair. The South Herts. Yeomanry Races take place in Hatfield Park, but the time is not fixed. The North Herts. Yeomanry Races are held at Royston.

## COUNTY GAOL AND HOUSE OF CORRECTION AT HERTFORD.

*Governor:* Mr. S. Hatchard—salary 380*l.*

*Surgeon*:—Dr. Davies—salary, 105*l.*

*Chaplain:* Rev. Henry Demain—salary, 250*l.*, and residence.

*Clerk and Schoolmaster:* Mr. J. Castle—salary, 100*l.*

The other officers of the Gaol are a Matron (Mrs. Bray), with an assistant; Chief Warder (Mr. John J. Austin), and seven other Warders. The prison is conducted on the separate system.

## ST. ALBAN'S LIBERTY GAOL.

*Governor:* Mr. J. Deayton—salary, 180*l.*

*Chaplain:* Rev. P. U. Browne—salary, 130*l.*

*Surgeon:* J. T. Lipscomb, Esq.—salary 40*l.*

The other officers of the Gaol are a Matron, Chief Warder, and four Warders.

The Parishes within the Liberty Jurisdiction are:—

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| Abbott's Langley | Hexton | Redbourn | St. Michael |
| Aldenham | Elstree | Rickmansworth | St. Peter |
| Bramfield | Newnham | Ridge | St. Stephen |
| Codicote | Northaw | Sarratt | St. Alban (Abbey |
| Chipping Barnet | Norton | Sandridge | Parish) |
| East Barnet | Paul's Walden | Shephall | Watford. |

[The Liberty of St. Alban's contributes to the general Police Rate of the County.]

## REFORMATORY INSTITUTION.

The Reformatory School for the County of Hertford, opened in 1857, is situate on the road between Hertford and Wadesmill, near Chapmore End, in the parish of Bengeo. The building is large and well arranged, and is designed for the reception of 50 boys and youths, convicted of felony; who, on being sent here for various terms of detention, are instructed and trained to habits of industry, with a view to their becoming honest and respectable members of society. Attached to the establishment are 40 acres of arable land, which the inmates are employed in cultivating. On Sunday morning and evening the boys attend Divine Service at Tonwell, in a Chapel of Ease, erected by the late Mr. Abel Smith.

*Superintendent:* Mr. James Fish, who has two assistants to superintend the labour department. *Matron:* Mrs. Fish. The Managing Committee are—Mr. Abel Smith, M.P., Mr. R. Hanbury, the Rev. C. Deedes (vicar of Bengeo); the Rev. T. T. L. Bayliff (vicar of Albury); Mr. J. B. Brandram, of Chapmore-end, and the Rev. W. H. Oliver (rector of Stapleford). *Chaplain:* The Rev. G. Lingham (curate of Bengeo). *Treasurer:* Robert Smith, Esq, No. of inmates, 48.

The building and land are rented of Mr. Abel Smith; and the expenses of maintaining the Institution are defrayed by voluntary subscriptions, with the assistance of a capitation grant from Government.

Persons wishing to aid the Reformatory movement by giving employment to these lads on their discharge, or taking them *on trial before* their term of detention has come to an end, may apply to the Rev. W. H. Oliver, Stapleford Rectory, Hertford, who will be glad to give every information in his power.

## COUNTY POLICE FORCE.

*Chief Constable for Hertfordshire:* Lieut.-Col. A. Robertson, Hertford.

The force consists of a Chief Constable; four Superintendents, at 104*l.* per annum, with 5*l.* additional for every five years' service as Superintendents; nine Inspectors, at 81*l.* 18*s.* per annum; three sergeants; fifty first-class constables, at 23*s.* per week; thirty second-class constables, at 21*s.* per week; and eighteen third-class constables, at 18*s.* per week.

*Superintendents:* Henry John Coulter, Great Berkhamstead; George Cocksedge, Royston; J. Hilsden, Watford; James Hawkes, Stevenage.

*Inspectors:* W. Isgate, Hatfield; Richard Oliver, Buntingford; Thomas Bygrave, Ware; W. E. Ryder, Bishop Stortford; Jehu Bourne, Hemel Hempstead; Henry Hunt, Hertford; G. Young, Hitchin.

*Sergeants:* Goodyear, Hemel Hempstead; Chapman, Hatfield; R. Dunn, Watford.

## THREE COUNTIES' LUNATIC ASYLUM.

This Asylum is erected on a spot in the parishes of Arlesey and Stotfold, in the County of Bedford, on the borders of Hertfordshire, and near to the Arlesey Station of the Great Northern Railway. The land attached to the Asylum consists of about 250 acres; and the building is designed for the accommodation of upwards of 500 inmates. The Asylum is for the use of the counties of Hertford, Bedford, and Huntingdon, and is called "The Three Counties' Asylum."

The following Magistrates constitute the Hertfordshire Committee of Visitors: Marlborough Pryor, Esq., (chairman); H. E. C. Stapylton, Esq.; F. A. M'Geachy, Esq.; Rev. G. B. Blomfield; W. Franks, Esq.; Lieutenant-Colonel Wilkinson; and T. A. Dashwood, Esq.

## HIGH CONSTABLES OF HUNDREDS.

*Hertford*—R. Allen, Broxbourne; Thomas Knight, Hertford. *Braughin*—Francis Machon, Ware. *Odsey*—J. Porter, Buckland. *Broadwater*—S. Thody, Baldock; J. Waller, Digswell. *Hitchin*—(Vacant). *Dacorum*—Thomas House. *Edwinstree*—Charles Nicholls, Buntingford. *Cashio*—Thomas House, John Gomme, James Hill.

## SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Warrants on all processes from the Superior Courts are granted as follows (at the Sheriff's Office, Hertford, and by Messrs. Hawkins & Co., 40, Chancery Lane, London);—*In term:* Daily, from 10 to 5. *In Vacation:* Daily, from 10 to 3. Between 10th August and 24th of October, warrants are not granted after 2 o'clock.

*Sheriff's Officer*—Mr. J. Orridge, Hertford.

## HERTFORDSHIRE RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

*Patron:* The Lord-Lieutenant (the Earl of Verulam). *Secretary:* Major Gape. *Treasurer:* J. W. Chesshyre, Esq.

The object of this Association is to assist in giving permanence to the Volunteer Corps, and to promote Rifle Shooting throughout the County. The funds are expended in offering prizes for competition at the annual meetings for rifle shooting, and in defraying the general expenses of these meetings, etc.

# COUNTY COURTS.

## CIRCUIT 35.

(Part of Herts., Beds., Cambs., Essex, Hunts., and Suffolk.)

*Judge:* John Collyer, Esq., Hackford Hall, Rheepham, Norfolk.

*Treasurer:* Thomas Gripper, Esq., the Knowle, Hoddesdon.

*High Bailiff:* H. J. Jenour, 2, Field Court, Gray's Inn (for Hitchin).

| *Courts in Herts.* | *Where held.* | *Registrars.* | *Sub-Bailiffs.* |
|---|---|---|---|
| HITCHIN ..... | Town Hall..... | C. Times, Esq..... | S. Impey |
| ROYSTON ..... | Court House ... | E. Eagles, Esq. ..... | P. Smith |
| *Court in Beds.* | | | |
| BIGGLESWADE ..... | Town Hall..... | T. J. Hooper, Esq. ... | W. Goodship. |

[Amongst the Courts included in this Circuit, are those of Bedford and Cambridge.]

## CIRCUIT 38.

(Parts of Herts., Beds., Bucks., Berks., and Middlesex.)

*Judge:* J. Whigham, Esq., 4, Craven Terrace, Ealing, W.

*Treasurer:* T. Gripper, Esq. *High Bailiff:* H. J. Jenour, Esq.

| *Courts in Herts.* | *Where held.* | *Registrars.* | *Sub-Bailiffs.* |
|---|---|---|---|
| BARNET..... | Court House ... | Stanley Harris, Esq... | T. Boutel |
| ST. ALBAN'S ..... | Town Hall..... | T. W. Blagg, Esq. ... | C. Dinn |
| WATFORD ..... | Court House ... | R. Pugh, Esq. ..... | C. King |
| *Court in Beds.* | | | |
| LUTON ..... | Town Hall..... | C. A. Austin, Esq. ... | S. Impey, jun. |

[Amongst the other Courts included in this Circuit, are those of Aylesbury, Chesham, High Wycombe, Uxbridge, Henley, Wallingford, Leighton Buzzard, and Windsor.]

## CIRCUIT 37.

(Part of Herts., Essex, Middlesex, and Suffolk.)

*Judge:* Wm. Gurdon, Esq., Brantham Court, near Manningtree, Essex.

*Treasurer:* T. Gripper, Esq. *High Bailiff:* H. J. Jenour, Esq.

| *Courts in Herts.* | *Where held.* | *Registrars.* | *Sub-Bailiffs.* |
|---|---|---|---|
| HERTFORD ..... | Shire Hall..... | E. R. Spence, Esq. ... | C. H. Hucks |
| STORTFORD ..... | Court House ... | T. Unwin, Esq..... | Wm. Scales |
| *Courts in Essex.* | | | |
| WALTHAM ABBEY.. ... | Court House... | W. T. Bruty, Esq. ... | G. Eversfield |
| DUNMOW ..... | Town Hall..... | G. W. Harris, Esq. ... | J. Gaffney |
| BRAINTREE ..... | Court House... | A. Cunnington, Esq. . | J. Holland |
| CHELMSFORD ..... | Shire Hall..... | T. M. Gepp, Esq..... | B. Bacon |
| *Court in Middlesex.* | | | |
| EDMONTON ..... | Court House... | W. Pulley, Esq. ..... | W. J. Hoppitt |

[Amongst the other Courts in this Circuit are those of Brentwood, Colchester, Romford, Halstead, Harwich, Maldon, Rochford, Hadleigh, and Sudbury.]

# HERTFORDSHIRE VOLUNTEER RIFLES.

## 1st Administrative Battalion.

*Major-Commandant*—J. J. Gape, March 14th, 1865.
*Adjutant*—Major B. Granville (late 23rd Regt.), 23rd August, 1865.
*Hon. Chaplain*— Rev. J. Williams, 2nd March, 1861.
*Hon. Surgeon*—A. T. Brett, M.D., 20th February, 1861.
*Battalion Sergeant-Major*—Sergeant-Major J. Ballam.

This Battalion consists of the Ashridge, Berkhampstead and Tring, Hemel Hempstead, Watford, and St. Alban's Companies.

## 2nd Administrative Battalion.

*Lieut.-Colonel*—The Right Hon. Earl Cowper, K.G., 24th Oct., 1860.
*Majors*—H. E. Surtees (late Lieut. 10th Hussars).
H. R. Brand, M.P. (late Capt. Coldstream Guards), Dec. 15, 1868.
*Adjutant*—Captain John Wynter James Gifford (late Captain 18th Hussars and 21st Fusiliers), 26th June, 1861.
*Hon. Chaplain*—(Vacant).
*Hon. Surgeon*—G. Elin, M.D., 22nd Jan. 1861.
*Battalion Sergeant-Major*—E. Cousins (late of 2nd Batt. Rifle Brigade).

Head Quarters at Hertford. This Battalion consists of the Hertford, Ware, Cheshunt, Stortford, Royston and Baldock, Watton, and Waltham Abbey Companies.

We give a list of the companies in the order of their enrolment:—

### 1st HERTS. (HERTFORD)—2nd Battalion.—(Two Companies).

*Hon. Assistant-Surgeon*—J. Woodhouse, M.D., Dec. 8th, 1860.
*Hon. Secretary*—W. White. *Treasurer*—J. W. Chesshyre.
*Sergeant Instructor*—Sergeant Nelson (late of the 1st Batt. 60th Rifles).

No. 1 Company, enrolled Nov. 22, 1859.
*Captain*—Henry J. D. Horne, 13th December, 1867.
*Lieutenant*—William Clinton Baker, 13th December, 1867.
*Ensign*—Arthur C. Cherry, 22nd April, 1868.

*Colour Sergeant*—(Vacant). *Sergeants*—O. H. McMullen, James Kember, J. R. Cocks. *Corporals*—A. P. McMullen, A. J. Wenham, W. C. Riley, and S. Neale, jun.

No. 2 Company, enrolled October, 1860.

*Captain*—Jasper Gripper, 22nd May, 1861.
*Lieutenant*—Augustus Hawks, 15th June, 1861.
*Ensign*—T. J. Sworder, April 8th, 1868.

*Colour-Sergeant*—J. Castle. *Sergeants*— A. Fisher, C. Godfrey, and S. Harry. *Lance-Sergeant*—George Hawkins. *Corporals*—C. J. Tyler, P. E. Bunyan, W. Starr, J. Patmore.

The armoury is in Castle-street, Hertford, at the house of Sergeant Nelson. The practice ground is in Panshanger Park, where Earl Cowper has provided rifle ranges to the extent of 900 yards. Both Companies drill at the Corn Exchange on Wednesday evenings during the winter months. Every member is supplied with uniform and accoutrements out of the funds of the corps.

### 2ND HERTS. (WATFORD).—1ST BATTALION.

Enrolled January, 1860.

*Captain*—Hon. Reginald A. Capel, 23rd Feb., 1861.
*Lieutenant and Paymaster*—Charles Francis Humbert, 23rd Feb., 1861.
*Ensign*—J. Blenkinsop.
*Hon. Assistant-Surgeon*—H. W. Iles, 23rd Feb., 1861.
*Sergeants*—Edward Ellis, J. Longman, H. Williams, J. Yorke. *Corporals*—T. Lichfield, R. Arnold, T. Mullett, — Lancaster.

The armoury is at the Corn Exchange. The members pay 30*s.* as soon as they get their uniform, 10*s.* of which is annually returned if they have a certificate of efficiency, until the whole is repaid, when the uniform becomes their own.

### 3RD HERTS. (ST. ALBAN'S).—1ST BATTALION.

Enrolled March 5, 1860.

*Captain*—J. J. Gape, 5th Jan., 1861.
*Lieutenant*—H. R. Howard, 9th June, 1865.
*Ensign*—F. N. Searancke, 6th Aug., 1865.
*Hon. Assistant-Surgeon*—W. A. Russell, M.D.
*Sergeants*—H. F. Schröeder, H. S. Rumball, C. Miskin, F. Norman. *Corporals*—A. Rumball, J. Wells, J. Payne.

The Corps meets once a week for drill. Subscription, 10*s.* 6*d.* per year.

### 4TH HERTS. (ASHRIDGE).—1ST BATTALION.

Enrolled March 14th, 1860. Enrolled strength, 66.

*Hon. Secretary and Treasurer*—William Paxton.
*Captain*—The Right Hon. Earl Brownlow, 13th June, 1866.
*Lieutenant*—Benjamin Hamilton, R.N., Oct. 1863.
*Ensign*—Sir John G. S. Sebright, Bart., 24th July, 1860.
*Drill-Sergeant and Armourer*—Sergeant-Major J. Ballam.
*Colour-Sergeant*—T. Mead. *Sergeants*—A. Nicholson, G. Sage, George Young. *Bugler*—John Little.

The practice ground is in Ashridge Park; and the armoury at Little Gaddesden.

### 5TH HERTS. (HEMEL HEMPSTEAD)—1ST BATTALION.

Enrolled March, 1860. Enrolled strength, 78.

*Captain*—Dudley Henry Ryder, Dec. 7th, 1860.
*Lieutenant*—Henry Day, April 12th, 1860.
*Ensign*—(Vacant).
*Hon. Surgeon*—Septimus Briggs Farr. *Paymaster*—T. Woodman, jun.
*Sergeant-Instructor*—Sergeant William Bullen (late Colour-Sergeant of the 49th Regiment of Foot). *Colour-Sergeant*—W. Clarke. *Sergeants*—E. J. Jones, W. Brond, W. Sutton.

The armoury is in the Bury-road; and the practice ground at the Handpost Farm. The corps has a good brass band of twelve members, and an excellent drill-shed.

### 6TH HERTS. (BISHOP STORTFORD).—2ND BATTALION.

Enrolled March, 1860.

*Captain*—Frederick Woodham Nash, 6th January, 1862.
*Lieutenant*—P. W. Taylor, Nov. 1868.
*Ensign*—E. Taylor, Nov. 1868.

*Hon. Assistant-Surgeon*—Frederick M. Smith, M.D., 27th July, 1860.
*Hon. Secretary*—Henry Baker.
*Colour-Sergeant*—G. N. Skipp. *Sergeants*—Goldsmith, Young, Rattray, Willson. *Corporals*—Morris, Coote, Sidebotham, and Joice.

Members, on entrance, pay 1*l.*, and are supplied with uniform, etc.; after the first year efficient members pay nothing; non-efficient members 1*l.* per annum.

7TH HERTS. (GREAT BERKHAMPSTEAD & TRING).—1ST BATTALION.
Enrolled March 13th, 1860. Amalgamated May 3rd, 1866.
*Captain*—Arthur Hampton Longman.
*Lieutenant*—Edwin Pope. *Ensign*—Frederick W. Longman.
*Paymaster*—Alex. T. Parkes.
*Sergeant-Instructor*—Job Seabrook (late Rifle Brigade).

9TH HERTS. (WARE).—2ND BATTALION.
Enrolled June 13th, 1860.
*Captain*—Charles Cass, 18th May, 1861.
*Lieutenant*—Joseph Chuck, July, 1865.
*Hon. Assistant Surgeon*—F. H. Bate, 26th August, 1861.
*Sergeants*—G. Price, C. Randall, H. Wells. *Corporals*—H. Beningfield, G. Heasler, jun., W. Campbell, — Watson.

The armoury is at the Corn Exchange. Effective members pay a subscription of 10*s.* per annum, and are furnished with uniform and accoutrements at the cost of the corps, the funds of which are assisted by donations and annual subscriptions from non-effective members. The corps assembles for drill on Tuesdays and Thursdays. The rifle practice ground—the private ground of Mr. A. Giles-Puller, at Youngsbury.

WATTON—(SUBDIVISION).

This corps is a subdivision of the 9th Herts. but without officers at present.

10TH HERTS. (ROYSTON AND BALDOCK).—2ND BATTALION.
Enrolled June, 1860. Enrolled strength, 66.
*Captain*—John Phillips, March, 1866.
*Lieutenant*—D. Balding, October, 1867. *Ensign*—E. F. Bally, October, 1867.
*Hon. Chaplain.*—Rev. W. W. Harvey, 23rd February, 1861.
*Sergeants*—Thomas Emerson, F. C. Carver, W. Whitehead, J. Putt, J. Campkin, and J. Warren.

The armouries are at Royston and Baldock. The members do not pay any subscription, but partly purchase their own uniform.

WALTHAM ABBEY—(22ND ESSEX).
Enrolled strength, 122.
*Captain Commandant*—William Leask, 27th Nov., 1860.
*Captain*—E. S. Bulmer, 16th May, 1865.
*Lieutenants*—(Vacant). *Ensign*—(Vacant).
*Hon. Chaplain*—Rev. J. Francis, 1861. *Assist.-Surgeon*—Dr. P. W. Jones, 1865.
*Sergeants*—J. S. Knowler, W. Foottit, W. Oram, F. Wells, J. Carr, C. W. Wiggs, C. Pryor, G. Blount, E. Jones. *Corporals*—W. Harper, E. Sanders, J. Russell, H. Boyes, C. Phillips, R. Maguire, Thomas O'Brien, and J. C. Yates.
*Sergeant-Instructor*—Z. Stammers (late Coldstream Guards).

Subscriptions for efficient members, 8*s.* per annum; uniform and accoutrements are found. The Head Quarters are at Waltham Abbey.

## SOUTH HERTS. YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

The Yeomanry for South Herts. consists of four troops, comprising 49 men each. The Head Quarters are at Hatfield.

STAFF.

*Lieutenant-Colonel*—Viscount Malden (late R. H. Guards.)
*Major*—G. F. Whittingstall (late 12th Lancers).
*Adjutant*—Lieut. C. T. Murdoch (late Rifle Brigade).
*Surgeon*—C. Drage, M.D.
*Regimental Sergeant-Major*—W. G. Roberts (late 1st Life Guards).
*Hon. Veterinary Surgeon*—Harrison Procter, Hertford.

OFFICERS OF THE TROOPS.—TROOP A. (HODDESDON).

*Captain*—Sir George Prescott (late 2nd Life Guards).
*Lieutenant*—Henry E. Eaton. *Cornet*—J. Goff.
*Quarter-Master*—(Vacant).

TROOP B. (HATFIELD).

*Captain*—H. J. Toulmin (late 13th Light Dragoons).
*Lieutenant*—J. Bishop. *Cornet*—Sidney Wilson.
*Quarter-Master*—Sir Henry Pelly, Bart. (late Scots Greys).

TROOP C. (HERTFORD).

*Captain*—Abel Smith, M.P. *Lieutenant*—R. Smith.
*Cornet*—W. H. O'Shea (late Dragoons). *Quarter-Master*—C. W. Giles-Puller.

TROOP D. (CASHIO).

*Captain*—T. F. Halsey. *Lieutenant*—A. T. Binney.
*Cornet*—W. E. Grimston. *Quarter-Master*—Lord Hyde.

## NORTH HERTS. YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

This Corps comprises about 60 men. The Head Quarters are at the Rose and Crown Inn, Baldock.

*Captain*—Thomas Frederick Halsey.* *Lieutenant*—James Smyth.
*Cornet*—(Vacant). *Quartermaster*—F. G. Hobson.

* [Mr. Halsey has resigned, and only holds his appointment until his successor is appointed.]

## 1ST HERTS. LIGHT HORSE VOLUNTEERS.

*Captain Commandant*—John D. Fairman. *Captain*—James Odams.
*Lieutenants*—H. Jennings, John S. Taylor.
*Cornets*—W. Gilbey, C. P. Phillips. *Cornet and Adjutant*—Benj. Lancelotte.
*Hon. Chaplain*—Rev. F. Vander Meulen.
*Veterinary Surgeon*—A. Rushall. *Assistant Surgeon*—Henry Cribb.

## 2ND MIDDLESEX MILITIA (EDMONTON RIFLES).

The Barracks and Depôt of the Second or Edmonton Royal Rifle Regiment of Middlesex Militia are at Barnet.

*Lieutenant Colonel Commandant*—Viscount Enfield.
*Major*—C. W. Hamilton Sotheby. *Adjutant*—Capt. Adair.

## HERTFORDSHIRE MILITIA.

(Disembodied June 10th, 1856.—No. of Regiment, 30.)

| | Date of Commission. |
|---|---|
| *Hon. Colonel*—The Most Hon. the Marquess of Salisbury ..... | 11th June, 1868 |
| *Lieut.-Colonel*—R. A. Smith-Dorrien (late Capt. 16th Lancers) | 2nd Dec., 1854 |
| *Major*—J. Foskett (late Capt. 50th Foot) ..... | 16th Dec., 1854 |
| *Captains*—B. V. Douglas Vernon (late Lieut. 60th Rifles) ..... | 1st May, 1854 |
| James J. Gape ..... | 16th Dec., 1854 |
| Thomas Borron Myers ..... | 23rd Oct., 1858 |
| Robert Bruce Fellowes..... | 28th April, 1860 |
| Ernest Ibbetson (Acting Instructor of Musketry)..... | 1st Sept., 1861 |
| H. F. H. Burchell-Herne ..... | 3rd May, 1864 |
| George Nisbet Marten ..... | 27th March, 1866 |
| W. F. C. Britton ..... | 11th July, 1867 |
| *Lieutenants*—Arthur H. Longman ..... | 10th May, 1865 |
| Vincent Bailey ..... | 30th Oct., 1865 |
| Viscount Grimston ..... | 12th Feb., 1868 |
| Henry Bagnall ..... ..... | 13th Feb., 1868 |
| *Captain and Adjutant*—Henry Grimston Hale (late Lieut. 11th Light Dragoons) ..... | 21st Feb., 1863 |
| *Quarter Master*—John Austin, Lieut. (late Coldstream Guards). | 27th Nov., 1860 |
| *Surgeon*—Lyttleton F. Osbaldeston ..... | 17th April, 1868 |
| *Assistant-Surgeon*—J. Tasker Evans, M.D. ..... | 25th April, 1868 |

*Station of Regiment*—Head Quarters, Hatfield.

## FOXHOUNDS.

| Name of Hunt. | Cpls. | Hunting Days. | Master. | Huntsman. | Whips. |
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| BERKELEY, OLD (Watford) ..... | 35 | ... Tues. Th. Sat. ..... | Mr. C. Barnes ..... | Job Dyer..... | R. Fridlington<br>G. Gilson. |
| CAMBRIDGESHIRE Croxton, St. Neots | 40 | ... Mon. Tues. Fri..... | Mr. S. C. Newton ..... | T. Champion | R. Jennings<br>T. Jordan |
| ESSEX (Chipping Ongar) ..... | 50 | ... Three days a week... | Mr. L. W. Arkwright. | S. Dobson ... | R. Christian<br>R. Masterman<br>W. Crawley |
| Mr. LEIGH (Luton) | 52 | ... Mon. Wed. Fri..... | Mr. J. Gerard Leigh... | C. Ward ..... | T. Tuffs<br>R. Scrivener |
| OAKLEY (Bedford) | 50 | ... Mon. Thur. Sat. ..... | Mr. R. W. Arkwright. | The Master | J. Cockayne<br>George Day |
| PUCKERIDGE (Bp. Stortford)..... | 51 | ... Mon. Wed. Sat..... | Mr. N. Parry ..... | A. Hedges... | W. Enever<br>Tom Jordan |
| Mr. SCRATTON'S (Chelmsford) Brentwood ..... | 51 | ... Tu. Wed. Fri. Sat..... | Mr. D. R. Scratton. ... | H. H. Lees..... | J. Bailey. |

KENNELS.—*Berkeley, Old*—Charley Wood Common, Rickmansworth. *Cambridgeshire*—Croxton, St. Neot's. *Essex*—Harlow. *Mr. Leigh's*—Kingsbourne Green, Harpenden. *Oakley*—Milton Ernest, Bedford. *Puckeridge*—Albury, near Ware. *Mr. Scratton's*—The Priory, Prittlewell, Essex.

## HARRIERS.

| Name of Hunt and Hght of Hounds. | Cpls. | Hunting Days, | Master. | Huntsman. | Whips. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| BERKHAMSTEAD, 19 to 20 in..... | 20 | ... Mon. Fri. ..... | Captain Tower ..... | B. N. Rawle ... | W. Rawle. |
| BIGGLESWADE, 18 to 19 in ..... | 15 | ... Tues. Thur. Sat. ..... | Mr. G. Race ..... | The Master ... | R. King. |
| CAMBRIDGESHIRE, 18 to 19 in..... | 17 | ... Mon. and other days | Mr. James Flack ..... | The Master ... | J. Lambley |

KENNELS.—*Berkhamstead*—Berkhamstead Common. *Biggleswade*—Road Farm, Biggleswade *Cambridgeshire*—Chesterton, near Cambridge.

# COUNTY POSTAL DIRECTORY.

*** Money Orders are granted and paid, and Savings' Bank Business carried on in all the Post Towns in the following list. Letters intended to be registered must be posted half an hour before the closing of the box. Letters must be stamped, or sent unpaid. Postmasters are not required to weigh letters, or to give change. Letters intended to be registered should be presented duly stamped with postage and registration fees, as money is not taken for registration.

A money order granted upon London, without specifying any particular office in London can only be paid at the General Post Office in St. Martin's-le-Grand. Where personal attendance is inconvenient, payment may be obtained by receipting the order, and giving the bearer information as to the Christian name (the initial of the Christian name is sufficient), surname, and occupation of the person who obtained it.

The money-order system is also extended to Canada, Victoria, and Western Australia, Southern Australia, Gibraltar, and Malta, at an increased charge.

NOTE.—(*s*) means summer and (*w*) winter. (*N*) indicates that letters are to be posted for the north, (*S*) for the south, and (*C*) for the country, viz., for places in the route of the cross posts.

## GOVERNMENT LIFE INSURANCE AND ANNUITIES.

Government Insurance and Annuity Offices have been opened at the Post Offices in the following list, before the names of which an asterisk [*] appears. At these offices persons of either sex, between the age of 16 and 60, may insure their lives for not less than 20*l.* or more than 100*l.*; or obtain immediate or deferred annuities, or monthly allowances, with direct Government security. Tables of the premiums charged may be obtained at the Post Offices.

| POST TOWNS. | POSTMASTER. | DELIVERY. | BOX CLOSES. |
|---|---|---|---|
| *HERTFORD | A. J. Wenham | 7.30 a.m. 10.30 a.m. | 10.45 a.m. 10 p.m. |
| *ST. ALBAN'S | George Ward... | 7 & 11 a.m. 6 p.m. | 8.20 a.m. 7.0 a.m. (*N*) 1.50, 3.15 & 8.30 p.m. |
| BALDOCK | G. C. Davies ... | 7 a m 9.10 a.m. | 10.35 a.m. 9.30 p.m. |
| *BARNET | J. Evans | 7 a.m. 9.0 a.m. 7.30 p.m. | 9.10 a.m. 12 10 p.m. 4.10, 6.30 (*N*) & 8.45 p.m |
| *BERKHAMSTEAD, GT... | T. Thomas | 7(*s*) 7.30 (*w*) 9 a.m. 5.10p.m. | 7.30 (*N*) 10.50 a.m, 3.45, &10 pm. (*S*) 8.15 p.m, (*N* 10.15 a.m., 10 p.m. 5.30 p.m. |
| BUNTINGFORD | Chas. Nicholls | 7.0 a.m. 11.0 a.m. | |
| HADHAM, GREAT | H. C. Trutch ... | 7.0 a.m. | |
| HATFIELD | Mark Powell... | 7.0 a.m. 10 a.m. | 12 a.m. 6.40 p.m. (*N*). 9.30 p.m. |
| *HEMEL HEMPSTEAD... | Henry Salter | 7 a.m. (*s*) 7.30 a.m. (*w*) 9.15 a.m. 5.30 p.m. | 8.0 a.m. 12.15 p.m 8 p.m. 9.30 p.m. |
| *HITCHIN | J. Beaver | 7 a.m. 10.15 a.m. | 11.15am 3.30, 4.10, 5.0, 9.45 p.m |
| *HODDESDON | C. W. Allen | 7.30 (*w*) 7 a.m. (*s*) 10.0 a.m | 11 a.m. 2 & 10 p.m. 9 p.m |
| PUCKERIDGE | J. Judd | 7.30 a.m. | 6.43 p.m. |
| *ROYSTON | C. Henderson . | 7 a.m. (*s*) 7.30 (*w*) 11a.m. | 10.0 p.m. |
| *RICKMANSWORTH | T. P. Tracy | 7 a.m. 1.30 p.m. | 11.20 a.m. 7.25 p.m. |
| STANSTEAD / ST. MARGARET'S | H. Blackaby ... | 7.0 a.m. | 7.0. p.m. |
| *STEVENAGE | Thos. Smith ... | 7 a.m. 8.45 a.m. | 11.45 a.m. 10 p.m. |
| *STORTFORD | J. B. Millard.... | 7.15 a.m. 10.0 a.m. | 10.45 a.m, 2, & 5.15p.m. 9.45 p.m. (*N*) 10 p.m. |
| *SAWBRIDGEWORTH ... | Charles Norris | 7 a.m. 1 p.m. | 10.30 a.m 10 p.m. |
| *TRING | H.M.Nicholson | 7 a.m. 9.20 a.m. | 6.0 7.10 a.m. 11.35 a.m. 8.20 p.m (*N*) 9.30 10.0 p.m |
| WARE | G. Price | 7 a.m. 9.45 p.m. | 10.45 a.m 10 p.m. |
| *WATFORD | J. Morley | 7 & 10.30 a.m. 5.30 p.m. | 8.40 a.m. 12.35 & 4 p.m 7.10am. 8.5pm (*N*) 10pm |
| *WALTHAM CROSS | E. Richardson. | 6.30 a.m. 9.15 a.m. 2.20 p.m. 7.20 p.m. | 9 a.m 12 noon, 3.30, 8.45 p.m. 10 p.m. |
| *WELWYN | C. Freshwater | 7 a.m. (*s*) 7.30 (*w*) 10.15a.m | 11.25 a.m. 9 p.m. |
| LUTON | W. T. Pledge ... | 7 a.m. (*s*) 7.50 (*w*) 11.30a.m 5.0 p.m. | 6.40 8.30.am. 12.20. 4.5.p.m 6 45 8.30 p.m. |
| DUNSTABLE | G. F. Scroggs... | 7 a.m. (*s*) 7.30 (*w*) 11.20 a.m. | 7.0 & 9.45 a.m., 1.45, 7.35 & 9.20 p.m. |

# ROUTE OF MAIL CARTS.

*Mail Carts run to and from the Post Offices, at the hours specified.*

HERTFORD.—To Ware, at 11 p.m. To Hatfield and Welwyn, at 2.40 a.m.

ST. ALBAN'S.—To Watford Railway Station, at 7.45 p.m.

BUNTINGFORD.—For London, Ware, Hoddesdon, and Hertford at 12.30 a.m. To Royston Cambridge, Stevenage, Hitchin, Baldock, and Biggleswade at 1 a.m.

BALDOCK.—To Stevenage at 10.40 p.m., and to Biggleswade at 3.20 a.m.

BARNET.—All bags from Barnet are now sent by rail.

HATFIELD.—To St. Alban's and Watford, at 7 p.m. To Hertford and Ware, at 10.5 p.m.

HITCHIN.—To Stevenage and Buntingford at 10.20 p.m., returning to Hitchin at 3.5 a.m.

HODDESDON.—To Ware, Buntingford, Royston, &c., at 10 p.m., returning at 2.30 a.m.

ROYSTON.—To Cambridge, at 2 a.m., returning at 11.25 p.m. To Arrington and Caxton, at 5 a.m., returning at 10.30. p.m. To Buntingford, Ware, Hoddesdon, and Broxbourne, at 11.30 p.m., returning at 1.45 a.m.

RICKMANSWORTH.—To Watford, 11.30 a.m. and 7.40 p.m.

STEVENAGE.—To Buntingford, at 11 p.m. To Biggleswade at 2.30 a.m., returning to Stevenage at 10.55 p.m. To Hitchin, 2.30 a.m., returning at 10.55 p.m.

STORTFORD.—To Hadham and Ware, 5.30; and to Dunmow and Chelmsford, 5.20. To Newport, Quendon, and Stanstead, at 6 a.m.

TRING.—To Aylesbury 4.20 a.m.; and to Aston Clinton, Wendover, Weston Turville, Butler's Cross and Princes Risborough, every morning at 5 a.m.

WARE.—To Buntingford, Royston, Cambridge, Stevenage, Baldock, and Biggleswade, at 11.30 p.m., returning at 2 a.m. To Waltham, Hoddesdon and London, at 2 a.m. To Hertford, Hatfield, and Welwyn, at 2.15 a.m. To Stanstead, Hunsdon, Widford, the Hadhams and Bishop Stortford, at 3 a.m., returning at 7.30 p.m. To Braughing, Puckeridge, Standon, Wadesmill, and Old Hall Green at 6 a.m., returning at 8 p.m. To the Mundens at 6 a.m., returning at 8 p.m.

WATFORD.—To Rickmansworth twice daily.

WALTHAM CROSS.—From Waltham Cross to the office in Cheshunt-street (kept by William May), at 6.16 and 9.16 a.m, and 2.16 p.m.

WELWYN.—To Hatfield, Hertford, and Ware, for Cambridge, Hitchin, London, &c., every night.

LUTON.—To Dunstable, Hockliffe, and Leighton Buzzard, every evening at 9.5., returning at 3.41 a.m.

DUNSTABLE.—To Leighton Buzzard at 9.45 in the evening.

## LOCAL DISTANCE TABLE.

| From | to Baldock | | | | | | | | | | | | From London | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Barnet, Chipping | 26 | | | | | | | | | | | | Barnet, Chipping | 11 |
| Berkhampstead | 26 | 18 | | | | | | | | | | | Berkhampstead | 20 |
| Bishop Stortford | 18 | 24 | 36 | | | | | | | | | | Bishop Stortford | 32 |
| Hatfield | 19 | 8 | 16 | 19 | | | | | | | | | Hatfield | 19 |
| Hemel Hempstead | 23 | 15 | 4 | 38 | 11 | | | | | | | | Hemel Hempstead | 23 |
| Hertford | 17 | 12 | 24 | 12 | 7 | 20 | | | | | | | Hertford | 21 |
| Hitchin | 5 | 23 | 21 | 21 | 15 | 16 | 16 | | | | | | Hitchin | 34 |
| Hoddesdon | 20 | 12 | 27 | 12 | 10 | 23 | 4 | 20 | | | | | Hoddesdon | 17 |
| Rickmansworth | 29 | 12 | 10 | 35 | 15 | 9 | 26 | 26 | 23 | | | | Rickmansworth | 18 |
| St. Alban's | 19 | 10 | 10 | 25 | 6 | 6 | 13 | 15 | 16 | 10 | | | St. Alban's | 21 |
| Stevenage | 6 | 20 | 20 | 18 | 12 | 17 | 13 | 5 | 17 | 24 | 13 | | Stevenage | 31 |
| Tring | 29 | 24 | 5 | 30 | 22 | 9 | 29 | 22 | 30 | 15 | 15 | 23 | Tring | 31 |
| Ware | 16 | 14 | 26 | 10 | 9 | 22 | 2 | 15 | 4 | 23 | 15 | 11 | 29 | Ware | 20 |
| Watford | 27 | 9 | 11 | 32 | 12 | 8 | 18 | 24 | 20 | 3 | 7 | 19 | 15 | 22 | Watford | 15 |
| Chelmsford | 37 | 33 | 51 | 19 | 33 | 45 | 32 | 40 | 25 | 46 | 39 | 35 | 55 | 25 | 42 | Chelmsford | 29 |
| Cambridge | 22 | 45 | 48 | 25 | 37 | 44 | 34 | 27 | 36 | 52 | 41 | 28 | 49 | 31 | 42 | 40 | Cambridge | 51 |
| Bedford | 17 | 40 | 29 | 37 | 33 | 28 | 34 | 16 | 36 | 38 | 31 | 20 | 28 | 33 | 37 | 56 | 31 | Bedford | 50 |
| Aylesbury | 33 | 33 | 11 | 48 | 30 | 16 | 36 | 27 | 39 | 22 | 23 | 30 | 7 | 38 | 24 | 63 | 55 | 30 | Aylesbury | 41 |

## POOR-LAW UNIONS.

*District Auditor*—D. G. Adey, Esq. *For Royston*—E. B. Prest, Esq.

[The figures between ( ) represent the number of Parishes in each Union.]

| *Unions.* | *Chairman and Vice-Chairman.* | *Clerk.* |
|---|---|---|
| BARNET (10) | J. Trotter, Esq.<br>H. E. C. Staplyton, Esq. | S. Harris, Esq.<br>Salary, 100*l.* |
| BUNTINGFORD (17) | Rev. C. Maxwell<br>J. W. Leader, Esq. | A. R. Bore, Esq.<br>Salary, 70*l.* |
| BERKHAMSTED (10) | F. J. Moore, Esq.<br>J. M. Shugar, Esq. | S. Stallon, Esq.<br>Salary, 80*l.* |
| HATFIELD (4) | The Hon. and Rev. W. C. Talbot<br>R. W. Gaussen, Esq. | Jas. B. Dunham, Esq.<br>Salary, 45*l.* |
| HERTFORD (18) | Abel Smith, Esq., M.P.<br>H. Squire, Esq. | T. Sworder, Esq.<br>Salary, 100*l.* |
| HITCHIN (28) | Rev. F. Sullivan<br>W. Lucas, Esq. | G. A. Passingham, Esq.<br>Salary, 105*l.* |
| H. HEMPSTEAD (6) | H. N. Heale, Esq.<br>S. Godwin, Esq. | C. E. Grover, Esq.<br>Salary, 60*l.* |
| ROYSTON (29) | O. Wedd, Esq.<br>H. Perkins, Esq. | H. Thurnall, Esq.<br>Salary, 100*l.* |
| ST. ALBAN'S (8) | J. Bennett, Esq.<br>Robert Sibley, Esq.<br>Jonathan Cox, Esq. | R. G. Lowe, Esq.<br>Salary, 60*l.* |
| STORTFORD (20) | T. Unwin, Esq.<br>Mr. Charles Hicks. | J. D. Taylor, Esq.<br>Salary, 100*l.* |
| WATFORD (6) | Robert Pryor, Esq.<br>W. Smith, Esq. | R. Pugh, Esq.<br>Salary, 105*l.* |
| WARE (15) | H. E. Surtees, Esq.<br>Rev. R. W. Morice, and A. Giles-Puller, Esq. | G. Gisby, Esq.<br>Salary, 100*l.* |
| WELWYN (4) | W. J. Blake, Esq. | Mr. Hitchcock.<br>Salary, 25*l.* |
| LUTON (14) | C. S. Benning, Esq.<br>W. Shepheard, Esq. | T. E. Austin, Esq.<br>Salary, 120*l.* |

## SUPERINTENDENT REGISTRARS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Buntingford ..... H. Thurnall, Royston | Royston ..... H. Thurnall, Royston |
| Barnet ..... G. W. Acason, Barnet | Royston ..... T. Pickering (Dep. Sup.) |
| Berkhamstead, G. ..... T. Thomas, Berkham. | St. Alban's ..... R. G. Lowe, St. Alban's |
| Hatfield & Welwyn. ... J. B. Dunham, Hatfield | Stortford ..... G. Welch, Stanstead, Essex |
| Hertford ..... T. Sworder, Hertford | Watford ..... R. Pugh, Watford |
| Hitchin ..... G. A. Passingham, Hitchin | Ware ..... G. Gisby, Ware |
| Hemel Hempsted ..... S. Stallon, H. Hempsted | Luton ..... T. E. Austin, Luton |

## REGISTRARS OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, ETC.

| *Bishop Stortford*— | *Residence.* |
|---|---|
| G. Ewans (*Marriages*) | Stortford |
| C. Norris | Sawbridgeworth |
| G. Barker | Albury |
| H. Hockley, | Stanstead, Essex |
| *Barnet*— | |
| W. Baldock (*Marriages*) | Barnet |
| W. Cutbush | Barnet |
| James Legg | Finchley |
| *Berkhamstead, Great*— | |
| Thomas Holloway | Berkhamstead |
| M. Young | Tring |
| *Buntingford*— | |
| H. G. Macklin | Buntingford |
| *Hitchin*—W. French | Hitchin |
| W. Strickland | Stevenage |
| J. Palmer (*Marriages*) | Hitchin |
| J. Matthews (*ditto*) | Stevenage |
| *Hemel Hempstead*— | |
| W. Frowd | Hempstead |
| G. Young | Flamstead |
| Jos. Bunyan, ) | King's Langley |
| G. Daniels (*Marriages* | Hempstead |
| *Hertford*—F. Roberts | Hertford |
| David Peck | Watton |
| *Hatfield*—W. Sandon (*Marriages*) | Hatfield |
| *Royston*— | |
| S. Roast | Therfield |
| J. Campkin | Meldreth |
| *St. Alban's*—G. Ivory | St. Alban's |
| G. Gifkins | Harpenden |
| *Watford*—G. Poulton | Watford |
| W. Plaistowe | Rickmansworth |
| J. Bonaker | Abbott's Langley |
| H. Beeson | Bushey Heath |
| W. Adcock (*Marriages*) | Watford |
| *Ware*—G. Price | Ware |
| C. Smith | Standon |
| C. W. Perkins | Stanstead |
| J Mason | Hoddesdon |
| *Welwyn*—H. Bullard | Welwyn |
| *Luton*—C. Maffey | Luton |
| J. Hawkes (*Marriages*) | Luton |
| G. Derbyshire | Dunstable |
| W Southam. (*Marriages*) | Dunstable |

# TOWNS' DIRECTORY.

## HERTFORD.

COUNTY TOWN AND PARLIAMENTARY AND MUNICIPAL BOROUGH.

THE CORPORATION.

LORD HIGH STEWARD—The Right Hon. Earl Cowper, K.G.

MAYOR—Thomas Smith, Esq., elected Nov. 9, 1868.

ALDERMEN—Jasper Gripper (elected 1865); Henry Gilbertson* (elected 1866); Charles Adams, George Ludlow, elected 1868.

COUNCILLORS.

| *Elected* 1866. | *Elected* 1867. | *Elected* 1868. |
|---|---|---|
| W. M. Armstrong, solicitor | W. P. Willson, wine merchant | J. Hancock, plumber |
| W. Baker, brewer | W. Pollard, gentleman | E. Marks, silversmith |
| R. Cocks, draper | S. Neale, draper | E. A. Simson, printer |
| T. Smith, architect | | W. Pollard, newspaper proprietor |

*Town Clerk*—M. S. Longmore, Esq. *Treasurer*—Mr. T. Judd.

*Assessors*—Mr. Charles Tween and Mr. B. C. Mortlock.

*Auditors*—Mr. J. Kember and Mr. H. Procter.

*Borough Magistrates.*

THE MAYOR (Thomas Smith, Esq.).
THE EX-MAYOR (Robert Cocks, Esq.).

*Appointed by the Crown.*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Joseph Lawrence, Esq. | H. Gilbertson, Esq. | Jasper Gripper, Esq. |
| John Davies, Esq., M.D. | W. Pollard, Esq. | Edward Manser, Esq. |
| James Hancock, Esq. | H. Squire, Esq. | G. Ludlow, Esq. |
| J. Smitheman, Esq. | | |

*Watch Committee.*—The Mayor; Aldermen Gripper, Adams, and Ludlow; Councillors Armstrong, Baker, Cocks, Hancock, Pollard, and Willson.

*General Committee.*— All the members of the Council except Alderman Gilbertson.

*Water Supply Committee* —The Mayor: Aldermen Gripper, Gilbertson, Adams, and Ludlow; Councillors Pollard, Armstrong, Baker, Marks, Pollard (*Herts. Guardian*), and Simson.

The Council Meetings are as follows:—January 1, February 22, May 24, August 23, at 11 a.m., and November 9, at 12 at noon.

The Police Force consists of one Superintendent, one Sergeant, an Acting-Sergeant, and three Constables. Superintendent Alfred H. Jarrett; Sergeant Blyth; Acting-Sergeant Wray; First-class Constables, Harvey and Taylor; Second-class Rayment.

*Commissioners for Paving and Lighting.*

*All Saints' Parish*—Stephen Austin, J. Hancock, C. Young, C. Westrope, G. S. Whiston, F. C. Dear, S. Neale, R. Ginn, and John Harrington.

*St. John's.*—B. Young, G. Ludlow, M. S. Longmore, A. Hawks, E. Jackson, T. D. Medcalf.

* Elected in the room of Mr. S. Andrews, deceased (elected 1865).

*St Andrew's.*—P. Longmore, B. C. Mortlock, F. Haggar, Jasper Gripper, P. McMullen, A. E. McMullen, W. South, W. Pollard (*Herts. Guardian*).

The following are commissioners by virtue of being members of the Corporation: Alderman C. Adams; Councillors W. Pollard, W. Baker, W. M. Armstrong, R. Cocks, W. P. Willson, and E. Simson. *Treasurer*—Mr. M. S. Longmore. *Surveyor*—Mr. W. Wilds. *Clerk*—Mr. C. Drummond.

*Commissioners for the Liberty of Brickendon.*—T. Sworder, Y. Crawley, G. Hancock, T. Odell, C. Bridgeman, C. H. Metivier, W. H. Nicholls. *Treasurer*—Mr. T. Sworder. *Clerk*—Mr. W. Hill.

[The staple trade of the town is in corn. There are two Flour Mills, the "Town Mill," in the Wash, near the Police-station, occupied by Mr. Ilott, and the Sele Mill, in the North-road, near the Infirmary, belonging to Mr. Garratt. There are also two Oil Mills, viz., the "Dicker Mill," occupied by Messrs. Manser and Co., in Hartham, and the "Horns Mill," occupied by Mr. Haggar on the Essendon-road. In these Mills steam power and hydraulic presses are employed. A siding on the Hertford and Welwyn Branch of the Great Northern Railway connects the Dicker Mill with the Great Eastern and Great Northern Railways. A siding also connects the Horns' Mill with the Hertford and Welwyn Branch of the Great Northern Railway. The River Lee is navigable for barges from London to Hertford. The Great Eastern Railway has a branch line from Broxbourne, with its terminus at Hertford, and the Great Northern Railway has a station on its branch line (which joins the main line between Hatfield and Welwyn) at Cowbridge. A new Church for that portion of the parish of Bengeo within the boundaries of the Muncipal borough of Hertford, is in course of erection in Port Vale. The village of Bengeo is included by a recent Act of Parliament within the Parliamentary borough of Hertford.]

MARKET DAY—Saturday.

SAVINGS' BANK.—Meeting at the Town Hall, Hertford, every Wednesday from 12 till 2. Actuary, Mr. James Poulton. Treasurer, W. R. Baker, Esq. *Penny Bank.*—Open every Monday evening, from 7 to 8 o'clock. Hon. Sec. Mr. E. S. Burton.

GAS WORKS.—The town is supplied with gas by a Company, known as the "Hertford Gas Company," established under the authority of an Act of Parliament obtained in 1864. Price of gas 5*s.* per 1,000 feet. There are upwards of 100 public gas lights which are charged by meter at 4*s.* per 1,000 feet. The dividend paid to the shareholders during the past year has been 5*l.* per cent.

WATER WORKS.—The whole of the town is now supplied with water, pumped up, by steam power, from a well erected on the slope of Port Hill. There is a reservoir for storing the water at the top of the hill, and a stand pipe for the supply of the houses on the estate of the Villa Residence Company at Bengeo. Water is also supplied to other houses at Bengeo, by contract with the owner, W. Parker, Esq. The works are the property of the Corporation, who charge a water rent to consumers.

### PLACES OF WORSHIP.

*All Saints' Church.*—Vicar, the Rev. J. W. Birch. Curate in charge, the Rev. T. Lingley.

*Little Amwell Trinity Church.*—Incumbent, Rev. D. Barclay Bevan. Curate, Rev. T. Pitts.

*St. Andrew's.*—Rector, Rev. C. N. Williams.

*Bengeo.*—Rector, Rev. C. Deedes. Curates, Revs. G. Lingham and R. Rutland.

*Port Vale Chapel.*—Minister, the Rev. B. Gilpin.

*Society of Friends.*—Meeting House in Railway-street.

*Congregational* (or Independent) *Chapel*, Cowbridge.—Minister, Rev. W. Manchee.
*Baptist Chapel.*—St. Andrew's-street. Minister, Rev. R. Bowles.
*Wesleyan Chapel.*—Ware-road. Superintendent Minister, the Rev. W. Aldom.
*Primitive Methodist Chapel*—Railway-street. Minister, Rev. R. W. R. Trenwith.
*Roman Catholic Church.*—St. John's-road. Officiating Priest, Rev. F. Stanfield.
*Town Missionary Society.*—Treasurer, W. Pollard, Esq.; Superintendent, Mr. J. T. Hannum; Secretary, Mr. E. Jackson; Missionary, Mr. Thomas Smith, Townshend-road.

### LITERARY INSTITUTIONS.

*Local Board in Union with the Society of Arts.*—Chairman, R. Dimsdale, Esq., M.P. Hon. Secretary, Rev. J. Davey. Treasurer, Mr. Grove. (See Educational Establishments).

*The Public Library*, open without charge to all the inhabitants of, and visitors to, the town. The Reading-room and Library is at the Corn Exchange. The Public Library is under the management of a committee, consisting of the Mayor, Aldermen and Councillors, and other gentlemen appointed by the Town Council. Secretary and Librarian, Mr. A. Wenham. The Library is supported by a rate, aided by voluntary subscriptions.

*Literary and Scientific Institution*, Bull Plain. Subscription, 3*l.* 3*s.* per annum, or to shareholders of 5*l.* each, 2*l.* 2*s.* per annum. There is a large Library, and the Society also subscribes to Mudie's Circulating Library. Reading-room, supplied with the daily papers, and quarterly, monthly, and weekly periodicals. President, the Right Hon. Earl Cowper. Vice-Presidents, the Right Hon. W. F. Cowper, M.P., and Thomas Chambers, Esq., M.P. Secretary, Mr. Y. Crawley. Librarian, Mr. R. Silversides.

*Young Men's Christian Association.*—President, R. Hanbury, Esq. Secretary, Mr. E. Munnings. The Association is of an unsectarian character.

*Choral Class.*—A class for instruction in choral singing meets every Tuesday evening at the Town Hall. Hon. Secretary, Rev. R. P. Davies. Treasurer, H. Gilbertson, Esq. Choirmaster, Mr. Williams, organist of St. Mary's, Hatfield. The class has seventy members.

### BENEVOLENT SOCIETIES.

*The Hertford Building Company (Limited).*—The object which this Company seeks to promote is the improvement of the condition of the labouring classes, by the erection of model cottages and dwellings, in the town and county of Hertford. Capital, 5000*l.*, in 1000 shares of 5*l.* each. Offices at Mr. Simson's, Market-place. Managing Director, R. Dimsdale, Esq., M.P. The Company has 26 houses in Hertford, which it has purchased and improved. The Directors have erected in Butcherly-green, three new model cottages, of three rooms each, which were completed at a cost of 300*l.* At the public offices of the Company 37 plans of cottages, with estimates of cost, are always on view, including some plans which recently obtained a prize.

*The Hertford Labourers' Friend Soceity.*—President, Marquis Townshend. Hon. Secretaries, R. Dimsdale, Esq., M.P., Rev. R. P. Davies, and J. W. Chesshyre, Esq. The Hertford Labourers' Friend Society was established for the purpose of improving the condition of the labouring classes in the town and neighbourhood of Hertford, by awarding prizes for the best cultivated allotment and other gardens, and for the best produce grown therein; also for the diffusion of information with regard to the improvement of cottage dwellings, and for otherwise benefiting the poor. Prizes are also given for the best cultivated gardens. Two exhibitions of cottage garden produce take place in each year at Hertford, in July and September. A subscription of 10*s.* annually, or a donation of £5 or up-

wards, constitutes the subscriber or donor a member of the Society. Meetings of the Committee are held on the first Saturday in each month, at the Office of the Hertford Building Company (Limited), at 2 p.m., when loans without interest are granted to necessitous and deserving applicants, and other business transacted. The public meetings of subscribers always takes place on the first Monday in February, at 3 p.m.

### PROVIDENT SOCIETIES.

*Hertfordshire Permanent Benefit Building Society.*—Established 1851. Enrolled. Subscription 10*s.* per month. Shares 100*l.* each. Advances are made to members on the security of freehold, leasehold, and other real property, repayable by monthly instalments. Solicitor, Mr. J. L. Foster. Secretary, Mr. C. Drummond.

*Hertford Provident Society.*—Established 1837. Enrolled. Members admitted at from fifteen to fifty years of age. Sums varying from 10*s.* to 20*s.* per week in sickness may be insured for. Members free in six months. The Committee meetings are held at the Town Hall, on the second Monday in every month. Clerk, Mr. William Farrow, No. 7, George-street. Number of members, 120. Medical officer, Mr. T. Odell.

*Little Berkhamstead Provident Society.*—Established in 1828. Enrolled. Scale of payments similar to that adopted by the Hertford Society. Insurances may be effected for relief in sickness for sums varying from 7*s.* to 17*s.* 6*d.* Medical officers (Hertford), J. Woodhouse, M.D.; (Hatfield) C. Drage, M.D. Clerks, Mr. Worman, Little Berkhamstead; Mr. H. Hankin, Hatfield; Mr. V. F. Quelch, Hertford.

*Branch of the Mutual Provident Alliance.*—Secretary, Mr. W. H. Hucks. Medical officer, Mr. T. Odell.

*Ancient Order of Foresters.*—Enrolled. Court "Hertford." Members admitted at from 18 to 40 years of age. Secretary, Mr. E. Oram. Surgeon, Mr. T. Odell. Meetings at the Green Dragon Inn on the second and fourth Tuesday in each month.

There are several other Benefit Societies in the town.

### SCHOOLS.

*Hale's Grammar School.*—Endowed in 1617 by Richard Hale, Esq., of King's Walden. Patron, the Viscountess Palmerston. Visitor, the Right Rev. the Bishop of the Diocese. Head Master, the Rev. J. Davey, B.A. (late Scholar of Queen's College, Cambridge). The statutes of this excellent school have been revised, and a sound commercial and classical education is provided on the following terms: Day pupils, under 14, 3*l.* 4*s.* per annum; above 14, 5*l.* per annum. Boys resident without the borough, 1*l.* a year extra. French and Drawing, 2 guineas a year each; Drilling, 1 guinea. The Head Master receives boarders at 40*l.* a year.

*The Green Coat School.*—Established 1760, by Mr. Gabriel Newton, an Alderman of Leicester. Master, Mr. J. W. Grove, C.M. Boys presented by the Trustees are clothed and educated gratuitously. Treasurer, P. Longmore, Esq. The school-house is in the London-road, at the entrance from Hoddesdon into the town, near the Cowper Testimonial School.

*The Brown School or School of Industry* (for Girls).—Established in 1793, by some ladies of the Society of Friends. The School-house is in a field adjoining All Saints' Churchyard. Treasurer, Mrs. Ludlow.

*The Cowper Testimonial* (or National) *School* (for Boys).—Head Master, Mr. C. A. Blackwell, C.M. Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. G. Ludlow.

*The Abel Smith Memorial School* (for Girls).—Mistress, Miss E. Abbott, C. M.

Trustees, the Vicar and Churchwardens of All Saints.' The committee of managers the same as the Cowper School. Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. George Ludlow.

*Infant School.*—Established 1846. The School-house adjoins the Brown School. Treasurer, Mr. J. Hancock. Mistress, Miss Mary M. Swaine. Supported by voluntary subscriptions.

*The British School* (for Boys, Girls, and Infants) at Cowbridge.—Chairman, Mr. W. Pollard; Treasurer, Mr. Bettinson; Hon. Sec., Mr. J. Rose. Master, John F. Cavill, C.M. Mistress of Infant School, Miss Snowden.

*The Ragged School*, held in a building erected in 1859, in Butcherly-green, by Mr. Pollard, of Hertford. Treasurer, Sarah M. Jenkins, Hertford.

There are also *National Schools* for the parish of Bengeo.

*Adult Evening Classes* are held at the Green Coat School. Instruction is given in reading, writing, arithmetic, geography, history, English grammar, etc., and special assistance is given to persons preparing for the Previous Examinations before the Local Board in union with the Society of Arts. There are also French classes.

### CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS.

*The Hertford Lying-in Institution*, for the relief of poor married women. Annual subscription, 12*s*. Treasurer, Mrs. Chesshyre.

*Samaritan Society*, for the assistance of sick poor persons. This Society is connected with the Cowbridge Independent Chapel. Subscriptions, 5*s*. per year and upwards.

*Hertford Coal Fund.*—Secretary, Mr. Ludlow. This Society provides poor persons with coal at a reduced price during the winter months. The recipients are required to contribute a small weekly sum.

*The Clothing Club.*—Established 1818. Subscribers present tickets of a certain value to poor persons who wish to join the club, and who, when admitted, contribute 1*d*. or 1½*d*. per week, and receive the whole, with the value represented by the ticket, in clothing at Christmas. Treasurer, Mrs. Allen, West-street.

*All Saints' District Visiting Society.*—Superintendent, Rev. Thomas Lingley. Treasurer, Mrs. Chesshyre.

*The Grass-Money Charity.*—In 1627, King Charles I. granted 29 acres and 1 rood of land, called the King's Meads, to the chief burgesses and commonality of the borough. The rent for the use of the land prior to Lammas, or the money obtained for the first mow (together with the proceeds of estates in lands and houses belonging to the poor, the whole producing more than 300*l*. a year), is distributed the first week in January in every year, among the poor residing within the Corporate Borough as defined by the Charter of King Charles II. The Charity is administered by 17 trustees. The Corporation appoints five of the trustees, the parish of St. Andrew six, and All Saints' and the other parishes united with it six. Vacancies in the number of the parochial trustees are filled up by the trustees themselves. The parochial trustees are as follows: *All Saints' and St. John:* Messrs. W. Pollard, J. Hancock, H. Squire, E. Manser, A. J. Small, and E. Marks. *St. Andrew's*: Messrs. P. Longmore, F. Haggar, S. Randall, W. Wilds, E. P. Francis, and C. B. Mortlock. Treasurer, Mr. E. Marks.

Hertford Villa Residence Company (Limited).—This Company has been formed for the purpose of erecting Villa Residences at Hertford. The Chairman of the Board of Directors is Mr. Henry Gilbertson. The authorized capital of the Company is £10,000; of which between £6,000 and £7,000 has been subscribed. In the year 1866, the Company purchased a freehold estate of 21 acres on Port Hill, at the entrance to Bengeo, on which four semi-detatched villas have been erected. Plots on the estate have also been sold, and one of the purchasers

(Mr. Jasper Gripper) has erected a large and handsome residence. A parsonage for the new church, in course of erection in Port Vale, is also being built upon the estate.

South Herts. Athletic Club.—Two meetings are held in the year; in May and September, at which there are prize competitions in running, jumping, and other athletic exercises. A committee of management, consisting of five members, is elected annually. *Hon. Sec.:* C. E. Phillips, Hertford.

Solicitors.—Messrs. Longmore, Sworder, and Longmore; Messrs. Spence and Hawks; Mr. J. L. Foster; Mr. W. M. Armstrong.

Physicians, Surgeons, etc.—J. Davies, M.D.; J. Woodhouse, M.D.; J. T. Evans, M.D.; J. Tasker Evans, M.D.; G. Elin, M.D.; Mr. T. Odell; and Dr. Warrener.

Architects and Surveyors—Mr. T. Smith; Mr. W. Wilds; Mr. R. T. Andrews.

Auctioneers.—Messrs. Jackson and Son; Messrs. Medcalf.

Inns.—Salisbury Arms, E. M. Davis; Dimsdale Arms, S. Halestrap; White Hart, John Staples; Railway Tavern, H. Wilmott; Green Dragon, J. Smith; Ram Inn, and Sheep Market, R. Mulley; Cold Bath, Jas. Gosling; Great Northern Railway Tavern, E. Hart; Black Swan, E. Mabbett; Plough, Solomon Baxter.

*Office of the "Hertford Mercury,"* Fore Street.

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## ST. ALBAN'S.

### Municipal Borough and Chief Town of Liberty.

*Mayor*—William Bradley, Esq., elected Nov. 9, 1868.

*Aldermen*—J. T. Lipscomb, Esq., R. G. Lowe, Esq., T. W. Kent, Esq., H. Parsons, Esq.

*Councillors*—J. Gulston, W. Bradley, B. Amsden, H. G. Martin, T. Hart, S. Cherry, G. Edwards, Francis Syrett, E. S. Wiles, P. I. Page, J. Wells, and E. Palin.

*Auditors*—Mr. J. Cherry and Mr. B. Agutter, with one of the Council.

*Assessors*—Mr. G. Pitkin and Mr. G. Sanders.

*Town Clerk*—T. W. Blagg, Esq. *Treasurer*—I. N. Edwards, Esq.

*Watch Committee—Market Committee—Paving and Lighting Committee*—The Mayor, Messrs. S. Cherry, G. Edwards, J. Gulston, T. Hart, T. W. Kent, J. T. Lipscomb, R. G. Lowe, H. G. Martin, H. Parsons, E. S. Wiles, E. Palin.

*Finance Committee.*—The Mayor, Messrs. Gulston, Kent, Lewis, Richardson, and Bowman.

*Sanitary Committee.*—The Mayor, Messrs. Lowe, Parsons, Kent, Martin, and Cherry.—*Clerk:* T. W. Blagg, Esq.—*Inspector of Nuisances:* Mr. Superintendent Pike.

*Magistrates appointed by the Crown*—T. Kinder, Esq., J. T. Lipscomb, Esq., J. T. N. Lipscomb, M.D., P. I. Page, Esq., and F. R. Silvester, Esq.—*Clerk to the Magistrates:* T. W. Blagg, Esq.

*Borough Police.*—Mr. J. W. Pike (Superintendent); Sergeants Bryson and Pellant; Constables Gazely, T. Morley, Sharp, and Howell. Eighteen special constables are appointed for the year, and are only paid when called out on duty.

[The principal trade of the town is that known as "The Straw Trade." Several thousand hands are employed in the manufacture of straw hats and bonnets, and of Brazilian hats, etc. There is a steam and water silk mill close to the town. Mr. J. Woollam, the proprietor, has also a steam manufactory at Redbourn. The

town is situate five miles from the Hatfield Station on the Great Northern Railway, and seven from the Watford Station of the London and North-Western Railway. There is a branch railway from Watford to St. Alban's, and a railway from St. Alban's to Hatfield. The Midland Extension Line from Bedford to London, passes through St. Alban's. There is a Corn Exchange on the site of the old Market-place].

MARKET DAY.—Saturday. The straw-plait market is held in St. Peter's Street, from 9 to 11 o'clock. The corn market commences at twelve and closes at five o'clock.

LIGHTING, ETC.—There are 92 public gas lamps, which are lighted from September 1st till May 1st. The charge for the public lights and to private consumers is *5s.* per 1000 feet. The Gas Works are the property of a Consumers' Company. Manager, Mr. Phillips; Treasurer, Mr. R. Gibbs; Secretary, Mr. G. H. Pitkin.

ST. ALBAN'S WATERWORKS COMPANY.—The works are situate at Snatchup's End. Manager, Mr. W. Langley, High-street.

PLACES OF WORSHIP.—*Abbey Church.* Rector, Rev. W. J. Lawrance.—*St. Michael's.* Vicar, Rev. B. Hutchinson. Curate, Rev. F. Poole.—*St. Peter's.* Vicar, Rev. H. N. Dudding.—District Church for St. Michael's, *Christ Church,* Rev. H. Smith, Incumbent.—*St. Stephen's,* Vicar, Rev. M. R. Southwell. Curate, Rev. P. U. Brown.—*Baptist.* Rev. T. Watts, Minister.—*Independent.* Rev. H. Kernahan, M.A., Minister.—*Wesleyan.* Rev. J. Bowman, Superintendent Minister.—*Primitive Methodist.* Rev. J. Russell, Superintendent Minister.

TOWN MISSIONARY.—Mr. Clough.

ARCHÆOLOGICAL AND ARCHITECTURAL SOCIETY.—President, the Earl of Verulam. Secretary, Mr. T. Hill.

BENEFIT SOCIETIES.—The *Old Abbey Friendly Society.* Established in 1842. Secretary, Mr. John Fowler. The subscription is *8d.* per week: *12s.* a week in sickness, and *20l.* at a member's death.—The *St. Alban's Friendly Society.* Secretary, Mr. W. Langley, High-street.—*Court of Foresters,* held at the King's Head Tavern on the fourth Monday in every month.

DISPENSARY.—Situated at Holywell-hill. Supported by subscriptions. Treasurer, H. J. Toulmin, Esq., Childwick. Secretary, Rev. P. U. Brown. Open on Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays, from 9 till 11 in the morning.

TELEGRAPH STATION.—The Station of the British and Irish Magnetic Telegraph Company is at the Clock Tower, Market Cross. A message of twenty words can be forwarded to London (exclusive of names and addresses) for one shilling; or to any part of Great Britain, or to the Continent, at very moderate charges.

ST. ALBAN'S READING ROOM AND GENERAL INSTITUTE, VERULAM STREET.—The two societies formerly existing are merged in this Society. Reading-room open daily. Library of 1,000 volumes. Discussion and other classes. Hon. Secretary, Mr. Kelsey.

THE ABBEY HARMONIC SOCIETY has rehearsals of Sacred Music every Tuesday evening, in the Abbey; and for Secular Music in the Council Chamber; Secretary. Mr. Wroot; conductor, Mr. J. S. Booth.

CHURCH CHORAL UNION.—The Union, composed of nearly all the Church Choirs in the West of Hertfordshire, meets in the Abbey annually. Secretary, the Rev. O. W. Davys, rector of Wheathampsted; Organist, Mr. J. S. Booth; Conductor, Mr. Willing.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS.—*King Edward the Sixth's Grammar School.* Head Master, Rev. H. Stretton, M.A. Second Master, Rev. H. Fowler, M.A. Terms, *1l.* per

quarter for boys whose parents reside within the borough, and 1*l.* 10*s.* per quarter for others.—*Blue Coat School.* The boys, 15 in number, are educated and clothed. The school is supported by the interest of 550*l.* stock, subscriptions, and by an annual collection at the Abbey Church. Treasurer, J. T. Lipscomb, Esq. —There are *National and Sunday Schools* in the Abbey, St. Michael's and St. Peter's parishes.—*Infant Schools* at the Abbey, St. Peter's, and St. Michael's parishes; and a *British School.* Master, Mr. Brash.

Charitable Institutions.—The *St. Alban's Lying-in Charity.* Under the management of a committee of ladies.—The *St. Alban's Clothing Society.* Established 1829, for distributing clothing half-yearly to poor persons who subscribe 2*d.* per week. A proportionate addition from voluntary contributions is made to the amount subscribed by each depositor. Treasurer, Mrs. Woollam. The *Abbey Coal Fund.* Established 1836. The poor pay 6*d.* per week, to which is added the subscriptions in aid. The coals are delivered at Christmas.—*St. Peter's Coal and Clothing Fund.* Treasurer, Miss Hope. There are Loan Blanket Societies in St. Peter's and the Abbey parishes. There are also Coal Clubs and Dorcas Societies, connected with the Baptist and Independent Chapels.

Solicitors.—Messrs. Blagg and Edwards; Mr. R. G. Lowe; Messrs. Thompson and Debenham; Mr. G. Annesley; Mr. J. A. Dorant (Deputy-Clerk of the Peace).

Surgeons.—Dr. J. T. N. Lipscomb; Mr. J. T. Lipscomb; Mr. W. A. Russell; Mr. R. Clark; Mr. F. T. Webster; Mr. Hutchinson.

Auctioneers.—Messrs. Page, Harding, and Eve; Mr. Rumball; Mr. F Gough; Mr. Stainer.

Architect and Surveyor.—Mr. T. Hill.

Inns.—Peahen, Mrs. Marks; George, H. Barrance; Queen's Hotel; Bell, Stewart; Great Red Lion Inn; King's Head, Elliot; Cock, Wilson.

*Agent for the "Hertford Mercury,"* Mr. Langley, Bookseller.

## BALDOCK.

[In the Diocese of Rochester, Archdeaconry of St. Alban's, and Deanery of Baldock. It is a neat and well-built town. Malting and brewing are the staple trades of the place. Several coursing meetings are held here during the season. The Church of the Virgin Mary is a large and handsome building of the fourteenth century, on the site of a Church of the Knights Templars. It has a nave, chancel, aisles, porches, and at the west end is a lofty tower with six bells, surmounted by a spire. The interior has been restored, new paved, and beautified at a great expense, the two windows in the chancel and the west window being filled with fine specimens of stained glass, while the organ has been considerably enlarged. The exterior of the edifice is in course of substantial restoration. The branch railway from Hitchin to Cambridge passes close to the town, with a station.]

Market Day.—Friday, principally for the sale of straw plait.

Lighting.—The streets are lighted with gas, which is supplied to private consumers at 6*s.* 3*d.* per 1000 feet. The gas is supplied by the Baldock Gas Company. Manager, Mr. J. G. Dear. Secretary, Mr. S. Thody.

Places of Worship.—*Baldock Church,* Rev. John Smith, Rector.—*Independent.* Rev. C. G. Haymes.—*Wesleyan.* Rev. Mr. Snow.—*Primitive Methodist.* Rev. W. Moore. There is also a Meeting House belonging to the Society of Friends.

Charities.—The Almshouses for poor widows, in High-street, founded by Mr. John Wynne, in 1621; and others, for poor old couples, founded by the late Mr.

H. O. Roe. The "*Fifteen Houses*," for repairing the Church and other parochial objects. There are also some minor charities.

BENEFIT SOCIETIES.—*Provident*, *Old George*, and *Royal Oak*.

SCHOOLS.—*National* and *British*, and three Private Schools.

SOLICITORS.—Mr. S. Veasey; Mr. T. Veasey; Mr. William Stocken.

SURGEONS.—William Jenner, M.D.; R. Hicks, M.D.; and Mr. C. Tipple.

INNS.—Rose and Crown, James T. Edwards; George, John Roslyn; White Lion, Charles Mellum; Railway Inn, Thos. Newman.

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## BARNET.

[Barnet is 12 miles from London, and the sixth station on the Great Northern Railway. The parishes of Chipping Barnet and East Barnet are separate Rectories, and are both in Hertfordshire; but the town of Barnet consists of part of the parish of Chipping Barnet, Herts., and parts of the parishes of Hadley and South Mimms, Middlesex. Under the Local Government Act of 1858, these parts of the three parishes were united, and the district thus joined is called the Barnet district. New Barnet, which the district round the Great Northern Railway is called, is not in the Local Board district; but so rapid has been the erection of villa residences and other houses and shops that it is rapidly becoming an important place. There are already three public places of worship, and a Temperance-hall and assembly-room, erected for the convenience of residents in the neighbourhood. Proceedings have been taken to have the district of New Barnet named "Lyonsdown" (the name of the estate on which the principal houses have been built), so that in future it may become a separate town.]

LOCAL BOARD.—Mr. Duckworth (chairman); Messrs. J. Jennings, Paterson, Nunnelly, Emm, J. Farrington, Cornwell, H. Sharp, T. Bailey, Sutton, Duke, and Pooley.

SAVINGS' BANK.—The Post-office Savings' Bank, which has a large number of depositors.

LIGHTING, ETC.—Gas is supplied at *5s.* per 1000 feet by the Barnet Gas Company. The streets in the Local Board district are well lighted. Barnet is situated within the Metropolitan Police district. The station-house is in High-street. Inspector, Mr. Richards.

PLACES OF WORSHIP.—*Chipping Barnet Church.* Rector, Rev. R. R. Hutton. *East Barnet Church.* Rector, Rev. C. E. Hadow.—*Hadley Church.* Rector, Rev. F. C. Cass.—*Christ Church.* Incumbent, Rev. F. Sullivan; Curate, Rev. P. Dowe.—*Arkley Chapel*, Barnet Common. Curate in Charge, Rev. H. Corrance.—*Holy Trinity Church*, Lyonsdown (New Barnet). Incumbent, Rev. G. Yeats.—*Independent.* Minister, Rev. J. Renney.—*Wesleyan.* Rev. J. Cox.—*Catholic Church*, the Rev. G. Bamfield.

LITERARY INSTITUTES.—*Barnet Institute.* President, C. T. Carter, Esq., Hon. Secretaries, Messrs. Miller and G. Cowing. Lectures or entertainments are given every Tuesday evening during the winter, at the Town Hall, Union-street. Reading-room open every evening in the week from 7 to 9 o'clock. Supplied with newspapers and periodicals.—*Working Men's Club.*

SCHOOLS.—*Queen Elizabeth's Grammar School.* Head Master, Mr. Presdee.—*Brunswick House.* Rev. J. D. Bell.—There are many *Ladies' Boarding Schools* in Barnet and the vicinity, and *National Schools*, and *Day* and *Infant Schools*, in connection with the various churches and chapels in the town. There is an

establishment or home for the orphan children of soldiers and sailors killed during the Crimean war, and other soldiers' ophan children.

CHARITIES.—There are several almshouses for indigent towns-people in and about Barnet, together with a number of parochial charities, the principal of which are those known as "Ravenscroft's" and "Jesus Hospital." These charities, whose funds are partly devoted to repairing the parish church, and partly to support one of the sets of almshouses, are very valuable, and will become more so as leases fall in. An "Investigation Committee" was appointed last year with a view of getting all the Barnet Charities into better working order than they have been. After the Committee had completed their labours, a memorial was sent to the Charity Commissioners who sent down an official inspector to Barnet, and it is expected that a new "scheme" founded on his report will shortly be issued for the better administration of the whole of the charities. During the winter, Associations are usually formed to supply the poor with food and firing, both free and at a trifling charge. There are several almshouses belonging to the Leathersellers' Company.

BENEFIT SOCIETIES.—*Barnet Friendly Society.* Clerk, Mr. George William Acason. The scale of payment varies according to age.—*St. Mary's Lodge of Old Friends.* Secretary, Mr. Henry Sweetman.—*Wrotham Lodge of Odd Fellows.* Secretary, Mr. James Wagstaff.—*Ancient Order of Foresters. Courts* are held at the Cat Inn, East Barnet; at the Bull Inn, and at the Green Dragon Inn, Barnet. Members admitted at from 18 to 40 years of age. The scale of payment varies according to age.

BOARD OF GUARDIANS.—The meetings of the Board are held every alternate Thursday, at 11 a.m., at the Union-house.

SOLICITORS.—Mr. Stanley Harris, Mr. T. George, and Mr. Hembury.

SURGEONS.—Mr. C. Godson, Mr. E. Jotham, Mr. E. M. Baines, and Mr. C. T. Carter, and Messrs. Berry and Son (New Barnet).

AUCTIONEERS.—Mr. John Duckworth, and Messrs. Clayton and Son. Messrs. Dowsett and Chattell, Mr. Tewson (New Barnet).

INNS.—Red Lion Inn and Posting House, C. Bryant; King of Prussia, J. Tilburn; The Salisbury Arms, N. Rippengill; Two Brewers, J. Buckland; Crown and Anchor, R. W. Jewison. (New Barnet) Railway Hotel and Posting House, Mr. Cox; Railway Tavern, W. Fenn; Railway Bell, Mr. McBride; Warwick Tavern, G. Walton.

*Agent for the "Hertford Mercury,"* Mrs. Cowing.

## BERKHAMSTEAD (GREAT).

[A station on the London and North-Western Railway. There is a new and commodious Market House, with Assembly-rooms, and rooms for the Mechanics' Institute, fronting the High-street. There is a manufactory, in which most of the tent-pegs, etc., for the use of the army, are made; and Chemical Works, where "Sheep Dipping Powders" and "Wheat Dressing" are manufactured.]

MARKET DAY.—Wednesday. *Plait Market* on Thursday.

LIGHTING.—The town is lighted with gas by a Joint-Stock Company.—Private consumers supplied at 5*s.* per 1000 feet. Secretary, Mr. T. Thomas.

WATERWORKS AND BATHS.—Waterworks have been lately erected by a Joint-Stock Company, the shareholders in which are resident in the town and neighbourhood. Baths and wash-houses have also been established in connection with the works. There are vapour, warm, tepid, cold and shower baths for both sexes, under proper superintendence.

PLACES OF WORSHIP.—*St. Mary's Church*, Northchurch. Rector, Rev. Sir J. H. C. Seymour, Bart. Curate, Rev. W. Crass.—*Great Berkhamstead.* Rector, Rev. James Hutchinson.—*Independent.* Rev. T. Snell.—*Baptist.* Minister, Rev. J. Lawton.

MECHANICS' INSTITUTE.—A reading-room, furnished with daily and weekly papers and periodicals, and an extensive library for circulation.

PROVIDENT SOCIETIES.—*Masonic Lodge*, held at the King's Arms Inn. There are an *Odd Fellows Lodge*, and a *Benefit Society*, meeting at the Crown and the Goat.

SCHOOLS.—*Royal Free Grammar School.* Founded by Dean Incent, under Letters Patent of King Henry VIII., and established by Act of Parliament, 2 and 3 Edward VI. Master, Rev. E. Bartrum, M.A.; Usher, Rev. F. B. Harvey, S.C.L.; Assistant Master, Mr. E. Lewis, B.A.; Modern Languages, M. Bonnertz; Drawing, Mr. N. O. Lupton, Gold Medallist of the Royal Academy. Under the Scheme recently sanctioned by the Court of Chancery, four exhibitions of £60 a year each, tenable at any University or Educational Institution, have been established; the Court has also authorised the governors to expend £4000 in providing additional accommodation for boarders.—*Bourne's Charity School.* Founded in the year 1727, by Thomas Bourne, Esq., for the purpose of educating and clothing 20 boys and 10 girls, children of the inhabitants, who also receive 1*s.* each weekly. Receiver, W. Claridge, Esq. Master, Mr. S. Timson.—*Commercial Boarding School.* Master, Mr. Samuel Crewe, M.C.P. There are *National and Infant Schools* in the town, and *Infant Schools* at Frithsden and Potten End.

SURGEONS.—Mr. G. Whately, Mr. H. Hilder, and Mr. W. H. Hobson.

INNS.—The King's Arms, G. Foster; Swan, J. E. Lane; Crown, J. King; Goat, W. Rance; Railway Tavern, C. Hall; Castle Inn, W. Bartlett.

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## BISHOP STORTFORD.

[The staple trade of the town is malting. The Great Eastern Railway to Cambridge has a station near the town. A branch line of railway to Dunmow and Braintree has been completed. There is a commodious Corn Exchange, containing rooms used by the Literary Institution, the Savings' Bank, and the Magistrates. (See Petty Sessional Divisions). The County Court and Parish Meetings are also held here. The Local Government Act (1858) has been adopted. The town was before under the management of a Highway Board. The Wesleyans have erected a new and elegant chapel in South-street. A Waterworks Company is in course of formation. A commodious reading-room, with smoking-room, etc., for the Hockerill district, has just been completed.

CORN EXCHANGE.—Built in 1828 by a Market Company. *Directors*, Messrs. R. Cole (chairman), J. Clayden, E. Emson, J. Lawrence, C. Hicks, J. G. Nash, A. Taylor, M. Taylor, J. S. Taylor, and W. N. Woodham. *Treasurer*, A. Taylor, Esq. *Clerk*, J. D. Taylor, Esq. *Superintendent and Collector*, Mr. Thos. Coote.

LOCAL BOARD.—*Members*, Messrs. J. G. Nash (chairman), J. A. Ashwell, J. B. Bowker, R. Cole, J. D. Fairman, W. R. Hawkes, W. Hughes, T. N. Miller, J. A. Nockolds, J. Odams, C. Portway, G. E. Sworder, J. Slater, C. Stacey, and M. Taylor. *Treasurer*, A. Taylor, Esq.; *Clerk*, Mr. W. Gee; *Surveyor and In-*

*spector of Nuisances*, Mr. W. R. Stow; *Rate Collector*, Mr. John Pratt. The meetings are held in the Corn Exchange every alternate Saturday at 9.30 a.m. Five members retire annually, but are eligible for re-election.

MARKET DAY.—Thursday.

SAVINGS' BANK.—At the Corn Exchange. Open every Thursday from eleven till one. Secretary, Mr. Thomas Coote. When the law was passed establishing Post Office Savings' Banks, a Bank was opened in connection with the Post Office in Potter-street.

LIGHTING.—The town is supplied with gas by a Joint-Stock Company. The street lamps are charged 3*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* each per annum. Gas is supplied to private consumers at 5*s.* per 1000 feet. The Town is now lit throughout the year, but the Company reserves twelve days for repairs, etc.

BATHS.—A public bath has been erected on the banks of the Stort. It is open during the summer season at a low charge. On Thursday evening and Saturday afternoon, the working classes are admitted at a charge of one penny each.

BURIAL BOARD.—Clerk and Registrar, J. D. Taylor, Esq. Lodgekeeper, H. W. Tucker.

PLACES OF WORSHIP.—*Parish Church.* Vicar, Rev. F. W. Rhodes, M.A. Curates, Revds. C. R. J. Pearson and A. H. Blunt.—*All Saints'*, Hockerill. Vicar, Rev. John Menet. Curate, Rev. H. H. Coddington.—*Holy Trinity*, South-street. Vicar, Rev. D. Macaulay. Curate, Rev. E. W. Sandys Reed. —*Independent Chapel.* Minister, Rev. W. Cuthbertson, B.A.—*Baptist.* Rev. B. Hodgkins.—*Wesleyan.* Rev. J. Johnson.

COUNTY CONSTABULARY.—Inspector, W. E. Ryder.

REGISTRAR OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, ETC.—Mr. J. Ewans, who is also relieving officer.

LITERARY INSTITUTION AND NEWS-ROOMS—At the Corn Exchange. Open from 9 a.m. to 10 p.m. to subscribers of 6*s.* per annum. President, Dr. Starling. Hon. Secretary, Mr. W. Newman. Librarian, Mr. H. Frith.—There is a public library, comprising upwards of 6000 volumes, at Mr. Boardman's, in North-street, established in 1827. Annual subscription, 25*s.* Also a Book Society of 60 years' standing, with 26 members.

SCHOOLS.—*The High School.* Head Master, Rev. Godfrey Goodman, D.D., Theological Associate, King's Coll., London; Principal Assistant Masters, Rev. R. J. Tomes, M.A., Rev. W. Sandys Reed, M.A., and Rev. D. B. R. Banham, M.A., French Master, Mr. Francis Dickins, B.A. At the residence of the Head Master there is accommodation for sixty boarders. A large cricket-field and extensive gravelled and covered play-grounds adjoin the house.—*East of England Non-conformist Grammar School.* Head Master, Rev. R. Alliott, B.A. Local Secretary, Mr. Boardman. The number of pupils is about forty.—*The Diocesan Training College School* for Essex and Herts., for training Governesses, is situate at Hockerill. (See *Educational Establishments*).—*Infant School*, in South-street. Mistress, Miss Goats.—There are also a *National School* for boys and girls, a *British School*, and a *Church School* for boys at Hockerill.

1ST HERTS. LIGHT HORSE VOLUNTEERS.—A corps under the above name has been formed, composed of the gentry and principal inhabitants of the town and neighbourhood. (See *Volunteer Corps.*)

A STARR-BOWKETT BUILDING SOCIETY (the 105th) has been formed, and subscriptions, 1*s.* per week for £250, and 1*s.* 3*d.* per week for £300 appropriations, which are ballotted for, are payable every Monday night between 8 and 9.30 at the British School-room. J. L. Glasscock, Treasurer. W. Newman (British Schoolmaster), Secretary.

BENEFIT SOCIETIES.—*The Stortford Friendly Society.* Established 1839. Treasurer, Mr. Alfred Taylor. Secretary, Mr. Thos. Coote. There is also a *Masonic Lodge*, an *Odd Fellows' Lodge*, three *Courts of Foresters*, a *Sanctuary of Shepherds*, and many minor *Benefit Societies.*

SOLICITORS.—Mr. J. D. Taylor, Mr. T. Unwin, Mr. J. B. Bowker, Mr. W. Gee and H. Baker.

PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS.—Dr. Starling; Dr. M. O'Reilly; Mr. Henry Cribb, Mr. C. F. Hodson, Mr. R. T. Scarr, Mr. S. C. Hawkes.

AUCTIONEERS.—Mr. G. E. Sworder, Mr. A. Nockolds, and Messrs. Jackson and Son.

INNS.—George, J. Miller; Chequers, W. Bush (Inland Revenue Office); Boar's Head, Mrs. A. Clarke; Currier's Arms, Mrs. E. Clark; Cock, J. Oakley; Coach and Horses, J. Moore; Half Moon, Henry Parish; Cherry Tree, V. C. Dixon; Black Lion, T. Kettley; Bell, J. Wells; Plume of Feathers, Jas. Woolston; Reindeer, Wm. Woolston; Dog and Pot, J. Carter; Star, W. Phipp; Blue Anchor, S. Miller; Castle, W. Salmon; Swan, C. Brewster; Red Lion, R. Stewart; Railway Inn, James Patmore; White Horse, J. Waterman; Bull, Mrs. Streeter.

*Agent for the "Hertford Mercury,"* Mr. Boardman, Stamp Distributor.

## BUNTINGFORD.

[This town is situated in four parishes, viz., Aspeden, Layston, Wyddiall, and Throcking. It is connected with the Great Eastern Railway by a branch line from St. Margaret's. The principal trades here are malting and tanning. There is also an old-established Grammar School, founded about 1620, and endowed with exhibitions for four scholars at Christ College, Cambridge. These exhibitions were the benefaction of Seth Ward, who was educated at this school, and died Bishop of Salisbury in 1689. The Rev. G. D. Bishop is the present master.]

PLACES OF WORSHIP.—*Chapel of Ease.* Minister, the Vicar of Layston, Rev. J. H. Butt.—*Independent Chapel.* The Rev. A. Warmington.—*Puckeridge and Braughin Independent Chapels.* Minister, Rev. W. Murray.

RAILWAY.—Ware, Hadham, and Buntingford Railway: Office at the corner of East-lane.

BENEFIT SOCIETIES.—*Buntingford Union Association.* Enrolled. Secretary, the Rev. H. Say.—*Tradesmens' Benefit Society.* Registered. Meeting at the George Inn.—*Earl of Durham Lodge of Odd Fellows.* Registered. Established 1839. Meetings at the George Inn.

LIGHTING, ETC.—The town is lighted during the winter months with gas, supplied by a Joint Stock Company. The charge to private consumers is 6*s.* 8*d.* per 1000. For the last two years the dividend to the shareholders has been 5 per cent. Secretary and Manager, Mr. Bray.

SURGEONS.—Mr. D. Smith; Mr. B. Cox.

AUCTIONEERS.—Mr. Nash, Royston.

INNS.—George and Dragon, Valentine Carter (Inland Revenue Office). Railway Inn, B. Ballard.

STAMP OFFICE.—Mr. C. Nicholls.

*Agent for the "Hertford Mercury,"* Mr. C. Nicholls.

## CHESHUNT.

[This parish is intersected by the New River, the River Lee, and the Great Eastern Railway, on which there are two stations in the parish, at Waltham and at Cheshunt. It is within the Metropolitan Police District, and is included in the London Postal District, having two Money Order Offices, one at Waltham Cross and the other in Cheshunt-street, both of which have been opened as Post-office Savings' Banks. Petty Sessions, and Sessions under the Criminal Justice Act, are held at the Green Dragon Inn. J. F. Jessopp, Esq., clerk.]

PLACES OF WORSHIP.—*St. Mary's Church.* Vicar, Rev. J. G. Faithfull (Rural Dean). Curates, Rev. W. R. P. Waudby and Rev. W. C. Nicholson.—*Trinity Church, Waltham Cross.* Rev. M. Barker, Vicar.—*St. James' Church.* Rev. J. T. Greenway, Curate in charge.—*Cheshunt College Chapel.*—*Independent Chapels,* Cheshunt-street and Wormley. Minister, the Rev. H. R. Reynolds, B.A., assisted by the students of the College.—*Crossbrook Congregational Chapel.* Minister, Rev. J. W. Walker.—*Roman Catholic Chapel,* Eleanor-road, Waltham Cross.

THE LOCAL BOARD OF HEALTH meet on the first Tuesday in the month. John Sharpe, Esq., Chairman; Mr. James Death, Clerk; Mr. J. L. Meyers, Surveyor and Inspector.

THE BURIAL BOARD meets on the first Thursday in the month. Mr. James Death, Clerk and Registrar.

VESTRY CLERK.—Mr. James Death.

LITERARY SOCIETY.—*Working Men's Association,* at St. Mary's Hall. Reading-room and Library; Lectures and Penny Readings, at St. Mary's Hall, College-road. Subscription 1*s.* per quarter.—*St. James' Working Men's Association.*

NEW BOOK SUBSCRIPTION LIBRARY—In Connection with Mudie's Select Library. Subscription, one guinea per annum. Librarian, Mr. T. Buck, Turner's Hill.

SCHOOLS.—There are several private Schools (boarding and day) for ladies and gentlemen.—*British School,* College-road. Master, Mr. H. Hay.—*Vicarage Girls' and Infants' School.*—*Dewhurst's School,* under the superintendence of Trustees. Master, Mr. Gray.—*Trinity School.* Mr. C. Reach, Master.—There are also Night Schools held at St. Mary's Hall, College-road, Trinity School-rooms, and Goff's Oak, for men and lads; and Sunday Schools in connection with the same, as well as with most of the others.

BUILDING SOCIETY.—*The Cheshunt Permanent Benefit Building Society.* Established 1861. Treasurer, J. Crawter, Esq. Secretary, Mr. J. B. Chaplin. Surveyor, Mr. James Death. Meetings are held on the first Monday in the month at Cheshunt Hall. Subscriptions, 10*s.* per month.

BENEFIT SOCIETIES.—*The Cheshunt Provident Club,* established on the same principles as the Hertford Provident Society [see Hertford].—The "*Theobalds*" *Court of Foresters,* meeting at the George; and the "*Queen Eleanor*" *Lodge of Odd Fellows,* meeting at the Great Eastern.

BENEVOLENT SOCIETIES.—The *Cheshunt Friendly Clothing Society.* Established 1827, to supply ready-made articles of clothing, sheets, and blankets to the poor, at half the cost price of the material. The *Waltham Cross* and *Cheshunt Coal Clubs,* to supply the poor with coals at reduced prices.

SOLICITOR.—Mr. H. E. Cole.

PHYSICIANS.—N. Evans, M.D., G. W. H. Coward, M.D.; J. Hendrie, M.D.; and J. Savage, M.D.

SURGEONS.—Messrs. Sharp and Evans; Mr. John Beaumont; Mr. Bisshopp.

AUCTIONEERS.—Messrs. Crawter and Death.

INNS.—Great Eastern (formerly Falcon) Posting House, W. Bradstock; Four Swans, S. H. Hunt; Queen Eleanor, C. Bradstock; Bird-cage, J. Baker; White Hart, Jas. Browning; Coach and Horses, W. Spinks; Roman Urn, J. J. Barber; Rose and Crown, J. Clifton; George, J. Price; Green Dragon, Chas. Smith; Haunch of Venison, R. Sadd; Ship, H. Harvey; Woolpack, W. Farr; Red Lion, Sarah Taylor; White Horse, Henry Job; Woodman, W. W. Wheaton; Goff's Oak, J. Sherras; Britannia (Waltham Lane), John Sheldon.

*Agent for the "Hertford Mercury,"* Mr. T. Buck, Turner's-hill.

## MUCH HADHAM.

[Five miles west of Bishop Stortford, and seven north-east from the St. Margaret's Station, on the Great Eastern Railway. Malting, to a small extent, is carried on. The Ware, Hadham, and Buntingford Railway has a station within a short distance of the village. Petty Sessions are held fortnightly at the office of Messrs. Mott, Gayton, and Mott.]

BENEFIT SOCIETIES.—*Trades' Union; Great Hadham United Friends' Society; Labourers' Friendly Society.* There are also Clothing and Coal Clubs.

PLACES OF WORSHIP.—*Parish Church.* Rector, Rev. T. Randolph. Curates, Rev. J. W. Browne, M.A., and Rev. J. C. Parsons, M.A.—*Chapel of Ease,* Perry-green.—A service is conducted every Sunday evening in a large room at Hadham Cross, by the Rev. T. M. Newnes, Independent minister of Little Hadham.

SCHOOLS.—*Boys' National.* Endowed for 12 boys, who are educated free, and appenticed. Master, Mr. J. Olney.—*Girls' National.* Mistress, Miss Roome, and one Pupil Teacher. Under Government inspection.

MUTUAL IMPROVEMENT SOCIETY, consisting of about sixty members. The reading-room is supplied with a daily newspaper, and with several weekly papers and periodicals. There is also a Lending Library of 420 volumes.

PENNY BANK.—There are 150 depositors in this bank.

FREE LENDING LIBRARY, at Mr. Luck's, Hadham Cross. The Library belongs to Miss H. Anthony, of Wynches.

SURGEON.—Mr. F. Moore, M.D.

SOLICITORS.—Messrs. Mott, Gayton, and Mott; Mr. J. M. Richardson.

INNS.—Red Lion (Postal and Commercial Inn), C. Tilcock; Bull, Samuel Archer; Bell, Henry Topcott.

POST OFFICE, at Mr. H. C. Trutch's. Box closes at 6 p.m., and 10 p.m. There is a pillar letter-box at Hadham Cross, which is cleared at 5·15 p.m.

CONVEYANCE FOR GOODS.—Trigg, carrier to London.

GAS COMPANY.—A Limited Liability Company has been formed for supplying the town with gas. The capital is £1,500, in 300 shares of £5 each. Secretary, G. F. Foxwell, Esq. The works are in operation, and the streets are now lighted from dusk till 11 o'clock. Private consumers are charged 7*s.* 6*d.* per 1000.

NURSERY.—J. T. Wilkinson, seedsman and florist.

[The Kennels of the Puckeridge Hounds are situate at Albury-end, Albury, near Little Hadham.]

*Agent for the "Hertford Mercury,"* Mr. Luck.

## HATFIELD.

[The Great Northern Railway, with branches to Hertford, St. Alban's, and Luton, passes close to the town, with a station.]

PLACES OF WORSHIP.—*Parish Church.* Rector, Hon. and Rev. W. C. Talbot.—*St. Mark's*, Woodhill.—*St. Mary's*, Newgate-street. Incumbent, Rev. R. P. Davies.—*St. John's*, Lemsford. Rev. A. Locock.—*School Chapel*, Hatfield Hyde.——*Baptist Chapel.* Rev. J. Joy.

LITERARY INSTITUTION.—*Rural Circulating Library.* Subscription, 1*s.* per year, 1*d.* per month each volume. Mr. J. B. Dunham, Secretary.

BENEFIT SOCIETY.—*Market House Provident Society.* Mr. Henry Hankin, Clerk.

SCHOOLS.—*National School*, for boys.—*Evening School*, for the Marquess of Salisbury's working boys.—*National School*, for girls.—*School of Industry*, in which about 20 girls are educated, supported by the Marchioness of Salisbury.—*Infant School.*—There are also *Sunday Schools* in connection with the Established Church and Baptist Chapel.

At Essendon, near Hatfield, there is a School, known as the "West House School," especially intended for preparing Pupils for the Professions or Commerce. The terms are 30 to 35 guineas per annum, with the usual extras. The age of admission is from seven to fourteen. The Principal is Mr. J. B. Dashwood, A.C.P.

PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS.—Dr. Drage, Mr. Osbaldeston, Mr. Lyttleton Osbaldeston, Mr. Burke.

INNS.—Salisbury Arms, C. Townsend; Red Lion, Mrs. Webb.

*Agent for the "Hertford Mercury,"* Mr. S. Cox.

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## HEMEL HEMPSTEAD.

[The London and North-Western Railway, with a station at Boxmoor, passes a mile and a half from the town.]

MARKET DAY.—Thursday.

CORPORATION.—Bailiff, S. Stallon, Esq.; Recorder, Mr. S. C. Harrison; Under-Bailiff, Solomon Willis.

PLACES OF WORSHIP.—*Parish Church.* Vicar, Rev. J. B. Pugh. Curate, Rev. M. C. Barton.—*Boxmoor Church.* Incumbent, Rev. A. C. Richings. Curate, Rev. C. Veale.—*Frogmore District Church.* Minister, Rev. D. Ingles.—*A New Church* is in the course of erection at the top of Queen-street.—*Baptist Chapel*, Marlowes. Minister, Rev. W. B. Bliss.—*Independent Chapel.* Minister, Rev. T. R. Potter.—*Wesleyan Chapel.* Minister, Rev. E. Burton.—At Boxmoor: *Baptist Chapel.* Minister, Rev. W. B. Bliss.—*Independent Chapel*, Box-lane. Rev. W. Sturgess.—*Wesleyan Chapel* at Two Waters.—*Primitive Methodist Chapel*, Marlowes.

LITERARY SOCIETIES.—*Mechanics' Institute.* Established 1839. There is a Reading-room at the Town Hall, belonging to this Institution, with a Library of upwards of 600 volumes. Hon. Secretary, Mr. Hales; Treasurer, Mr. Cranstone; Librarian, Mr. Clark.

ASSOCIATION FOR THE PROTECTION OF PROPERTY.—Solicitor and Secretary, Mr. H. Day; Treasurer, Mr. G. A. Smith.

FLORAL, HORTICULTURAL, AND COTTAGE GARDEN SOCIETY.

FIRE BRIGADE.—Volunteers, Mr. Joseph Cranstone, general superintendent; Mr. George Groom, foreman; Mr. Josiah Hales, sergeant. There are also twelve paid men, appointed by the superintendent. There are two fire engines, one belonging to the parish, and the other to the Phœnix Fire Office.

SCHOOLS.—*National School for Boys* and an *Infant School* in George-street, supported by the Church. Erected in 1855. Master of the Boys' School, Mr. Francis. Mistress, Miss Ayre.—*The Royal British School* in Queen-street, supported by Dissenters. Erected 1833. Mistress, Mrs. Jenkins.—*School of Industry for Girls*, at Marlowes. Mistress, Miss Bonaker.—*Infant School* at Boxmoor; Mistress, Miss Tavener; and a *School for Boys and Girls* at Frogmore End, supported by the Church.

BENEFIT SOCIETIES.—Odd Fellows' Lodges: *The Philanthropic Lodge*, at the Sun Inn; and the *Old Manor Lodge*, at the Bell Inn, Two Waters.—There are also Benefit Clubs at most of the Inns in the town; and a *Court of Foresters*, held at the Compasses Inn.—*The West Herts. Burial Society*, consisting of more than 1500 members. Secretary, John Exley, Hemel Hempstead.

SOLICITORS.—Messrs. Grover, Son, and Stocken; Mr. H. Day, and Mr. I. Espinasse.

SURGEONS.—Messrs. R. Merry and Son; Mr. E. H. Ambler; Mr. Septimus B. Farr.

AUCTIONEERS AND SURVEYORS.—G. A. Smith, T. Woodman and Son, and S. C. Harrison.

INNS.—King's Arms, Mrs. Laker; Bell, John Greaves; Swan, J. Taylor; Rose and Crown, T. Jeffery; White Hart, G. Saunders; Sun, W. Raggett; Railway Tavern, at Boxmoor, T. Dunning; Heath Park Hotel, Boxmoor, Richd. Branscombe.—Agent for the London and North-Western Railway, Mr. I. E. Jones.

*Agents for the "Hertford Mercury,"* Mr. Beale and Mrs. Lawrance.

## HITCHIN.

[The Great Northern Railway has a first-class station here. The Royston and Hitchin Railway (running to and from Cambridge, now worked under the Great Northern system); the Leicester and Hitchin branch of the Midland Railway. There are maltings in the town, belonging to Messrs. Lucas, Buck, and Hill.]

MARKET DAY—Tuesday, for corn, cattle, and plait. Mr. George Jackson, and Messrs. Page, Harding, and Eve, hold large sales of stock on market days.

GAS WORKS.—The town is supplied from works at Starlings-bridge. Manager, Mr. J. Fells. The shareholders have latterly received 10 per cent. The streets are lighted under the supervision of a Board of Inspectors. Private consumers are supplied at 5s. per 1000 feet, with 10 per cent. discount on all accounts paid within one month after becoming due.

COURT LEET.—John Hawkins, Esq., Steward of the Manor. James Ellard, Foreman.

BURIAL BOARD.—Clerk and Registrar, C. Times, Esq. Lodgekeeper, T. Fells.

FIRE BRIGADE.—Superintendent, Mr. James Lewin. Hon. Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. E. Logsdon.

PLACES OF WORSHIP.—*Parish Church.* Vicar, Rev. L. Hensley, M.A.—*St. Saviour's Church.* Incumbent, the Rev. G. Gainsford.——*Independent.* Minister, (Vacant).—*Baptist.* Rev. John Aldis.—*Wesleyan.* Revs. R. Wray and S. Dixon.—*Mount Zion Chapel.* Rev. W. Tucker.—*Bethel Chapel.*—*Friends'*

*Meeting House,—The Mission Hall* (recently opened) supplied by students from the Dissenting Colleges, and others. There is a Town Missionary (Mr. Nash) employed to visit the homes of the poor.

BANKS.—*Post Office Savings' Bank.—Savings' Bank.* Managers meet every Tuesday at 10 o'clock, at the Town Hall. Secretary, Mr. J. Whiting.—*Penny Bank.* Managers meet every Saturday evening at the Working Men's Reading-room, Back-street. Hon. Sec., Mr. Joshua Whiting. Treasurer, J. H. Tuke.—*Sharples, Lucas, Tuke, and Lucas' Bank.—Branch of the London and County Bank.* Manager, Mr. Neale.—*Branch of Hogg and Lindsell's Bank.*

LITERARY SOCIETIES.—*Mechanics' Institution and Public Library.* Reading and Lecture-rooms at the Town Hall. President, the Rev. L. Hensley, M.A. Treasurer, J. Pollard, Esq. Secretary, Mr. Edward West. Librarian, Mr. H. Worsley. *Working Men's Reading Room*, Back-street, kept by Mrs. Hayball, open from nine in the morning till nine at night. *Working Men's Hall.* Erected in Brand-street. Adjoining the street is a coffee-house for Working Men, where provisions are supplied at a reasonable charge. There is also a bagatelle-room, where smoking is allowed; and, in the rear, a lecture-hall, with class-room over. The coffee-house and hall-keeper is Mr. Henry Aylott.

CLOTHING CLUBS.—There are several in this town, and are chiefly conducted by the clergy and ministers at the different places of worship.

HITCHIN COAL CLUB.—Secretary, Mr. Geo. Beaver. The poor are supplied with coal at a reduced price.

BENEFIT SOCIETIES.—*Hitchin Friendly Institution.* Established May, 1827. Sums assured from 2*s.* to 20*s.* per week in sickness to the age of 65; weekly pensions for the remainder of life, etc. There are 279 members, and the accumulated capital of 13,269*l.* 1*s.*, which is invested in the Bank of England. Secretary, Mr. A. Jeeves.—*Hitchin Friendly Society.* Established 1818. Treasurer, J. Sharples, Esq. Secretary, Mr. L. Thompson. The Society grants relief in sickness, sums at death, and annuities at the age of 65.—*Friends of Labour Loan Association*, held at the Swan Inn. Secretary, Mr. W. Gage.—*Amicable Provident Society*, held at the Working Men's Reading-room, Back-street. Secretary, Mr. H. Worsley.—*Benefit Society*, held at the Bricklayers' Arms, Railway-street. Secretary, Mr. William Huckle.—*Odd Fellows' Lodge* of the Manchester Unity. Meetings are held at the Working Men's Hall. Secretary, Mr. W. Griggs.—*Ancient Order of Foresters, Court "Future King,"* held at the Swan Inn, Market-place. Secretary, Mr. Jas. Day.—The *Benefit Society*, held at the Two Brewers, Railway-street. Secretary, Thomas Spencer.—*Odd Fellows' Lodge*, of the London Independent Order. Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. J. Gascoigne.—*Society for Bettering the Condition of the Poor.* Secretary, Mr. S. Lucas, jun.—*Order of Free Gardeners*, held at the Crown Inn. Secretary, John Smith.

DISTRICT VISITING SOCIETY.—Secretary, Mrs. O. Foster.

ADULT SCHOOL.—A school for male adults is held at the British School every Sunday. Upwards of 250 males attend. In connection with this school there are singing classes and elocution classes. The members give concerts and readings during the winter.—There is also a school for females, which is held at the Working Men's Hall, every Sunday. Upwards of 200 attend.

HITCHIN COTTAGE IMPROVEMENT SOCIETY.—Architect and Collector, Mr. James Shilcock.

PUBLIC SWIMMING BATH COMPANY.—Secretary, Mr. W. Lucas.

MARKET COMPANY.—Secretary, Mr. John Malden.

TOWN HALL COMPANY.—Secretary, Mr. W. Carling. Hall Keeper, H. Worsley.

SCHOOLS.—*Ladies' Seminary, Boarding School.* Miss Geard.—*Young Ladies' School.* Miss Hudson.—*School for Young Ladies.* Mrs. Dennis.—*Commercial Academies.* Mr. Goodwin; Rev. J. Comfort.—The *Free Grammar School.* Master, Mr. J. Shugars.—*British and Foreign School* (for boys and girls). Master, Mr. Fitch. Mistress, Miss Cornock,—*Infant School.* Mistress, Miss Cornish.—*St. Mary's National School* (for boys, girls, and infants). Master, Mr. Baldrey. Mistress, Miss Vincent.—*Infant School.* Mistress, Miss Mizen.—*St. Andrew's School* (for boys and girls), chiefly for plaiting. Mistress, Mrs. Allen.—*Sunnyside Charity School.* Mistress, Mrs. Bulpit.

HITCHIN INFIRMARY (see *Benevolent Institutions*).

HITCHIN CHARITIES, amounting to about £ 600 per annum. The business of these charities is conducted by the trustees at quarterly meetings, held the first Monday in January, April, July, and October. Agent, Mr. J. Shilcock, Auctioneer.

BOWLING GREEN CLUB.—Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. C. Bishop.

READING ROOM AND LIBRARY, at Paternoster's, Sun-street. A Subscriber of one guinea per auuum is entitled to the use of the Reading-room and Library, which are open from nine in the morning until nine in the evening.

HITCHIN BRANCH S. P. C. K. DEPÔT, at Paternoster's, Sun-street.

HITCHIN AUXILIARY BIBLE SOCIETY.—Treasurer, S. Lucas, Esq. Depository, Mr. J. Thompson.—*Hitchin Ladies' Bible Society.* Treasurer, Mrs. W. Lucas. Secretary, Mrs. Oswald Foster.

BOARD OF GUARDIANS.—(see *Poor Law Unions*). The meetings are held every Tuesday, at 11 o'clock, at the Town Hall. Mr. G. A. Passingham, Clerk.

POSTMASTER—Mr. J. Beaver.

STAMP OFFICE.—High-street, Mr. J. Palmer.

SOLICITORS.—Messrs. Hawkins & Co., S. Wright, C. Times, and T. G. Pierson.

SURGEONS.—Mr. O. Foster; Mr. R. R. Shillitoe; Mr. W. J. Harris; Mr. R. Holt.

ARCHITECT.—Mr. James Shilcock.

SURVEYOR.—Mr. G. Beaver.

AUCTIONEERS.—Mr. G. Jackson, Mr. J. Shilcock, and Messrs. Page, Harding, and Eve.

REGISTRAR OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS.—Mr. Wm. French.—*Marriages,* Mr. J. Palmer.—*Superintendent Registrar.*—Mr. G. A. Passingham.

INSPECTORS OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.—Inspector Young.

CORN INSPECTOR.—Mr. J. Barham.

INNS.—Sun Posting House, W. Hill; Swan Commercial Inn, W. Lewin; Cock, J. Evans; Angel, W. Lowden; Red Hart, William Williams; Railway Commercial Inn, M. Peck; Crown, Jas. Harpin.

The Refreshment Rooms at the Railway Station are kept by Mr. W. Hill.

*Agent for the "Hertford Mercury,"* Mr. Paternoster, Sun-street.

## HODDESDON AND BROXBOURNE.

[There is a first-class station on the Great Eastern Railway to Cambridge at Broxbourne.]

LIGHTING.—The town is lighted with gas. Private consumers are charged 6*s.* 8*d.* per 1000 feet. The public lamps are lighted from sunset till 12 o'clock at night, at an annual charge of 2*l.* 5*s.* each lamp. Secretary to Gas Company, Mr. C. Prior.

PLACES OF WORSHIP.—*Broxbourne Church.* Vicar, the Rev. T. B. G. Moore.—*Hoddesdon Church.* Vicar, the Rev. R. W. Morice.—*Independent.* Minister, Rev. S. T. Williams.—*Society of Friends.* Meeting-house in Lord-street.—*A Young Men's Christian Association* meets every Thursday evening in a room at the corner of Lord-street, and, for worship, in the old Congregational Chapel every Sunday. Established 1862.

LITERARY INSTITUTIONS.—*Mutual Improvement Society*, held at the National Infant School-room. There is a reading-room, and a circulating library. Lectures are occasionally given. President, Rev. R. W. Morice. Vice-Presidents, R. I. Stevens, Esq., and S. Warner, Esq. Terms, 1*s.* 6*d.* per quarter.—*A Working Men's Club*, held in the old Girl's National School-room, for the benefit of labourers and mechanics. The London and local papers, and various periodicals are taken in. Games of various kinds are provided, and smoking is allowed.

PENNY BANK.—Established 1858. Treasurer, W. T. Hooper, Esq.; Secretary, Mr. Pink. The Managers meet every Monday evening to receive deposits.

BENEFIT SOCIETIES.—*Provident Society.* Established and enrolled in 1838. The meetings of the committee of honorary members (who conduct the affairs of the society) are held monthly at the Town Hall, to receive subscriptions, etc.—There is also an *Odd Fellows' Lodge*, meeting at the Salisbury Arms every alternate Monday.

SCHOOLS.—*Hoddesdon Grammar and Scientific School.* Established 1845. Master, Mr. Haselwood.—*The Herts. County Commercial School.* Master, Mr. A. Norris.—*Ladies' School*, by Miss Teale.—*School for Young Ladies*, High-street. Conducted by Miss Allen.—*Boys' British School.* Master, Mr. Elliot.—*Boys' National School.* Master, Mr. Pink.—There are also *National and British Schools* for girls, and *Infant Schools*, and an *Industrial Home* for training young girls for service under the superintendence of a committee of ladies. Matron, Mrs. Draper.

CHORAL SOCIETY—A Choral Society, conducted by Herr A. H. Scheibe, meets on Monday evenings in the Boys' National School-room.

COTTAGE GARDENING.—There is a Society established here, called the *Hoddesdon, Broxbourne, and Amwell Cottage Garden Society*, which offers prizes for the best vegetables, fruits, and flowers, twice a year, viz., on the third Fridays in July and September. The exhibitors are cottagers and labourers, who cultivate their own gardens, and also tradesmen's and gentlemen's gardeners. Subscriptions 2*s.* 6*d.* and upwards. Treasurer, S. Warner, Esq. Secretary, Mr. A. Norris.

PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS.—Mr. R. I. Stevens; Mr. W. Horley; Mr. C. J. Asbury, Broxbourne.

AUCTIONEER AND SURVEYOR.—Mr. Alex. McKenzie.

REGISTRAR OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS.—Mr. J. Mason.

RELIEVING OFFICER.—Mr. W. Brewster.

POSTMASTER.—Mr. C. Allen.

INNS.—Bull Posting House, S. Girling; Salisbury Arms, Wm. Standingford; Golden Lion, Henry Burcham; the Rye House (a summer house of entertainment), W. H. Teale; Railway Hotel, Broxbourne Station, Mrs. Bartens. At Broxbourne Bridge there is also a pleasant summer house of entertainment, kept by Mr. Beningfield. The gardens are extremely beautiful.

*Agent for the "Hertford Mercury,"* the Misses Coulson.

## RICKMANSWORTH.

[This town is situate about four miles north-west of Watford, and is connected with the London and North-Western Railway by a branch line from the Watford Station. There are seven trains daily each way between Watford and Rickmansworth, except on Sunday. The line is worked by the London and North-Western Railway Company; and Mr. John Parkhouse, of Frogmore Wharf, Rickmansworth, is the Company's agent for the delivery of goods from the station. Private conveyances to meet the trains can be obtained of Mr. W. A. Cudworth, of the Swan Inn, Rickmansworth, or of Mr. Barnes, Rickmansworth. In the neighbourhood there are many paper mills—at Batchworth and Croxley are two very extensive mills belonging to Messrs. Dickinson and Longman; and at Loudwater and Scott's Bridge are the mills of Mr. McMurray. The Grand Junction Canal runs near the town, and goods are landed therefrom by Mr. Parkhouse, at Frogmore Wharf.]

PLACES OF WORSHIP.—*Parish Church.* Vicar, Rev. A. H. Barker. Curate, Rev. — Kay.—*Baptist Chapel.* Rev. R. Bayne.—*Wesleyan Chapel.* Revs. — Handcock and C. Winspear.

LIGHTING.—The town is lighted with gas by the Rickmansworth Gas Company. Private consumers are charged 6*s.* 3*d.* per 1000 feet.

RICKMANSWORTH COTTAGE GARDEN SOCIETY.—This society was established under the presidency of Lord Ebury, for encouraging the proper management of cottage gardens. It is well supported by subscriptions from the gentry and inhabitants. A show of vegetables and flowers is held yearly in the month of September, when prizes are distributed, and the cottagers are addressed by Lord Ebury.

*The Chorleywood Association for Promoting Industrious and Provident Habits among the Labouring Classes.* President, Lord Ebury. The association, which was formed by William Longman, E-q., provides allotment gardens for the labouring population. Prizes are offered to those who grow the best vegetables and show the most care in the management of their allotments. Lectures are also given in the winter evenings, and prizes are offered for the best brief reports of the lectures so given. Once a year the labouring members of the association, with their wives, meet together and take supper with the clergy and gentry of the neighbourhood.

SCHOOLS.—*National School* for boys and girls. Master, Mr. Brown; Mistress, Miss Aymer.—*Infant School.* Mistress, Miss Bailey.

SOLICITORS.—Mr. H. W. Fellows; Mr. W. Rowell.

SURGEONS.—Mr. Codd; Mr. Henderson.

CONVEYANCES.—An omnibus runs in the morning from Chesham to the Rickmansworth Station in time for the 9.0 train to London, and leaves Rickmansworth in the evening at 6 o'clock for Chesham.

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## ROYSTON.

[There is a Branch Railway, with a Station, through this place from Cambridge to Hitchin, where it joins the Great Northern.]

MARKET DAY.—Wednesday.

LIGHTING, ETC.—The town is lighted with gas. The cost of the public lamps and of the fire engines and brigade is about 100*l.* a year. Gas supplied to private consumers at 6*s.* 4*d.* per 1000 feet, and 5 per cent discount. The town is

supplied with water by a Company. Consumers are charged 1*s.* in the £ on the rateable value. Secretary, Mr. E. Nash.

PLACES OF WORSHIP.—*Church.* Vicar, Rev. J. Whiting.—*Congregational Chapel*, John-street. Minister, Rev. J. Medway.—*Congregational Chapel*, Kneesworth-street. Minister, (Vacant.)—*Unitarian Chapel*, Back-street. Minister, Rev. R. Shaen.

LITERARY INSTITUTIONS, ETC.—*Royston Institute.* This building includes a lecture hall, a museum, reading and class-rooms. There is a library of above 1000 volumes. Reading-room supplied with London and County newspapers, magazines, etc. Open every evening. Lectures occasionally. Subscriptions for gentlemen, 10*s.* and 6*s.* yearly; ladies, 8*s.* and 4*s.*; children, 4*s.* and 2*s.* Secretary, Mr. John Warren.—*Royston Subscription Library*, established 1816, and containing 5000 volumes, with supplies of new books from Mudie's Library; and *Reading Room*, supplied with daily morning newspapers and the principal periodicals, and open daily from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m., in John Street. Secretary and Librarian, Mr. Pickering.—*Circulating Library.* Proprietor, Mr. John Warren. —*Amateur Musical Society.* Conductor, Dr. G. M. Garrett. Secretary, Mr. J. Warren.

BENEFIT SOCIETIES, ETC.—*Royston Friendly Society.* This Society was established in 1836. President, the Earl of Hardwicke; Lord Dacre is one of the vice-presidents. The contributions and payments are in accordance with the tables of Mr. F. G. P. Neison. Number of members, 206. Secretary, Mr. Ernest Matthews.—*Tradesmen's Benefit Society.* Meetings held at the White Lion. Number of members, 336. Monthly contributions, 1*s.* 9*d.*, and a levy of 6*d.* on the death of a member, or a member's wife. Benefits, 12*s.* per week in sickness; 10*l.* at death; and 5*l.* at death of member's wife. Secretary, Mr. R. R. Gosling.—There is also a *Lodge of Odd Fellows*, and a *Court of Foresters.*

HERTS., CAMBS., AND ESSEX ASSOCIATION FOR PROSECUTION OF FELONS, ETC.—Solicitor, Mr. Hale Wortham.

SCHOOLS.—*Infant School.*—*National Schools*, for boys and girls.—*British Schools*, for boys and girls.

STAMP DISTRIBUTOR.—Mr. John Warren.

SOLICITORS.—Messrs. Thurnall and Nash; Mr. Hale Wortham; and Mr. W. H. Carver.

SURGEONS.—Messrs. R. Pyne; D. B. Balding.

AUCTIONEERS.—Messrs. Nash and Son; Messrs. Abbott and Son.

INNS.—Bull Posting and Commercial Inn, Mrs. Luck; Old Crown Commercial Inn, W. G. Gordon; Green Man Inn, J. Thompson; Railway Inn, J. Pullé.

*Agents for the "Hertford Mercury,"* Mr. Warren; Mr. Pickering.

## SAWBRIDGEWORTH.

[Derived from Sayes-Bridge, and Worth, or Manor—a small country town 25 miles from London, and the same distance from Cambridge, in the Diocese of Rochester, Archdeaconry of St. Alban's, and Deanery of Braughin. There is a station on the Great Eastern Railway conveniently situated. The parish contains nearly 7,000 acres; the population is 2,700. It is in the Union of Bishop's Stortford. The Town is pleasantly situated on a hill, looking down on the valley of the Stort. It is lighted with gas, from the works at Harlow, supplied to private consumers at 5*s.* 8*d.* per 1000 feet. The chief trade of the place is in malt. The nurseries of Messrs. Thomas Rivers and Sons are here.]

PLACES OF WORSHIP.—*Sawbridgeworth Parish Church.* Vicar, Rev. S. Pryer Field, M.A.—*St. James'*, High Wych. Vicar, Rev. H. Frank Johnson, LL.B. —*Congregational.* Minister, Rev. J. Wood.

SCHOOLS.—*National School.* Master and Mistress, Mr. and Mrs. Fidge.—*Endowed School.* Trustees, Mr. W. Barnard and others. Master, Mr. J. Green Smith.

THE WORKING MAN'S CLUB, established chiefly by the exertions of Mrs. Bischoffsheim, of Hyde Hall, is a flourishing institution, and seems well appreciated by the classes for which it was founded.

CHARITABLE SOCIETIES.—*Clothing Club.*—*Work Society* for providing needlework during the winter months.—*Coal Club* and *School Club* for the benefit of the children. Besides these, there are three almshouses for aged widows of the Church, and some old bequests for the repairs of the Parish Church, and for the relief of the aged and helpless.

CHURCH CLERK.—Mr. J. Reddington.

GUARDIANS.—Messrs. T. Unwin, J. Clarke, and G. Housden.

POSTMASTER.—Mr. C. Norris.

SUPERVISOR OF EXCISE.—J. Williams, Esq.

SOLICITOR AND COMMISSIONER IN CHANCERY.—T. Unwin, Esq.

SURGEONS.—J. Brickwell, Esq.; F. Beck, Esq.

INNS.—Bell and Feathers, J. Silcock; Old Bell, T. Cooper; and King of Prussia, C. Glyn.

SURROGATE FOR GRANTING MARRIAGE LICENSES.—Rev. S. Pryer Field, M.A.

Objects of interest in this parish are the Church, designated in old records as Great S. Mary's—a fine specimen of the Edwardian period of architecture, containing several good brasses, and sumptuous monuments of the Leventhorpe, Hewitt, Mildmay, and Jocelyn families. The chancel is of later period, belonging to the Dean and Canons of Westminster, who are the appropriators, receiving as such the great tithes, etc., of the value in gross of about £2,000 per annum.

In the district of High Wych, taken out of the parish in 1860 for ecclesiastical purposes, St. James' Church, schools, and parsonage, form a striking group in the landscape, and were erected chiefly at the expense and by the exertions of the present vicar, the Rev. H. F. Johnson.

The Congregational Chapel is a neat structure of a Gothic character, interesting as showing the increasing architectural taste among Nonconformists.

Hyde Hall, the mansion of the Right Hon. the Earl of Roden, standing on a commanding eminence on the north-east of the town, is at present occupied by H. L. Bischoffsheim, Esq. Pishobury, the seat of A. Caldecott, Esq., is a commodious house, in an extensive park ornamented with stately timber.

## STEVENAGE.

[A second-class Railway Station on the Great Northern Railway. The female portion of the labouring classes are extensively employed in plaiting straw.]

MARKET DAY.—Saturday, for plait, etc.

PLACES OF WORSHIP.—*Old Church.* Rector, the Rev. Canon Blomfield; Curate, Rev. R. P. Uniacke.—*New Church* (Trinity).—*Baptist Chapel.* Minister, Rev. — Fraser.

LIGHTING.—The town is lighted with gas by a Joint-Stock Company. Private consumers are supplied at 7*s.* per 1000 feet.

BIBLE AND DOMESTIC FEMALE MISSION.—The object of this Mission is the circulation of the Bible among the cottagers; visiting and reading to the poor in

their own homes; giving them general advice in all their difficulties; and inviting them to attend the "Mothers' Meetings" held by the lady superintendent once a week for further Scriptural information. The Honorary Secretary of this Mission is Miss Chapman, Southend, Stevenage. A Bible woman is also employed by Miss Knocke.

READING-ROOM AND LIBRARY.—Hon. Sec., Mr. John Clark.

SCHOOLS.—*Endowed Grammar School.* Master (Vacant).—A new School-house is being erected by Trinity College, Cambridge, and it is expected it will be opened at Midsummer.—*National School.* Master, Mr. Elliott; Mistress, Miss Nicholson.

BENEFIT SOCIETIES.—*Provident Society*, meets at the National School-room.—*Benefit Club*, at the Red Lion.—*Hope Benefit Club*, at the Old Castle.—*Lodge of Odd Fellows*, at the White Horse.

SURGEONS.—Mr. G. H. Smith; Mr. G. Dunn.

SOLICITOR.—G. W. Fitzjohn, Esq.

INNS.—Railway Inn, J. Hedger; White Horse, E. Flack; Old Castle, Tucker; White Lion, R. Cooper.

STAMP OFFICE.—L. F. Fresson, sub-distributor.

*Agent for the "Hertford Mercury,"* Mr. Fresson, chemist.

## TRING.

[There is a first-class Station on the London and North-Western Railway, about a mile and a half from the town. The Grand Junction Canal also passes through the parish of Tring. An omnibus runs from the Rose and Crown Inn to the Tring Station several times during the day. The staple trades of the town are canvas-weaving and the manufacture of straw-plait. There is also a large silk-throwing mill, belonging to Messrs. David Evans and Co., of Wood-street, Cheapside, London, employing between 300 or 400 people. Messrs. Evans have also lately opened, on a small scale, a factory for weaving silk goods.]

MARKET DAY.—Friday. The straw-plait market commences at 9 a.m., and the corn market at 2 p.m. throughout the year. There is also a large meat and general market.

FAIRS.—There are two stock and general fairs held annually, viz., on Easter Monday and on Old Michaelmas-day.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT BOARD.—The Local Government Act of 1858 has been adopted. Clerk to the Board, Mr. J. M. Shugar. Vestry Clerk, Mr. A. T. Parkes.

LIGHTING.—The town is lighted with gas from 1st October to 1st April. The lighting is under the management of Inspectors. Price of gas, 6*s.* 8*d.* per 1000 feet. The Gasworks belong to a registered Joint-Stock Company. Secretary, Mr. John Amsden.

PLACES OF WORSHIP.—*Parish Church.* Rev. H. A. Harvey, M.A., incumbent; Rev. E. T. Vaughan, B.A., curate. *Longmarstone Chapel* and *Wilstone School-room.* Rev. H. G. Wilson, M.A., curate.——*Baptist Chapel*, Akeman-street. Rev. John Bennett; at New Mill, Rev. Mr. Bradford; at Frogmore-street; Rev. W. Sexton.

MECHANICS' INSTITUTE AND READING-ROOM.—Secretary, Mr. Henry Dawe. Librarian, Mr. Henry C. Pope. President, Rev. H. A. Harvey, M.A. Vice-President, E. Pope, Esq.

BENEFIT SOCIETIES.—*Tring United Benefit Society*, held at the Plough Inn. Established 1830. Clerk, Mr. Edmund Edwin.—*Hand-in-Hand Benefit Club*, held at the Rose and Crown Inn.—There is a Lodge of the *Manchester Unity of*

*Odd Fellows*, held at the George Inn. There is also a *Court of Foresters* held at the Castle. There are also two minor Benefit Societies held at Longmarstone.

DISTRIBUTOR OF STAMPS.—Mr. E. C. Bird.

ASSOCIATION.—*Tring Association for Prosecuting Felons.* Secretary, Mr. A. T. Parkes. Solicitor, Mr. J. M. Shugar.

NATIONAL SCHOOLS.—*Day School.* Master, Mr. E. T. Baines; Mistress, Miss Sparrow.—*Sunday Schools*, attended by about 200 children and adults, chiefly from the silk factory. Supported by voluntary subscriptions.—There are also *Sunday* and *Day Schools* at Longmarstone and Wilstone.

CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS. — *Dorcas Society* and a *Lying-in Institution.* Both managed by committees of the Ladies of the town.—*Coal Club* and a *District Visiting (Relief) Society*, supported by voluntary contributions.—There are also charities, left by different people, for the distribution of coals and bread at Christmas.

SOLICITOR.—Mr. J. M. Shugar.

SURGEONS.—Mr. E. Pope, Mr. Richard N. Lipscomb.

AUCTIONEERS.—Mr. W. Brown; Mr. A. T. Parkes.

INNS.—Rose and Crown, Caroline Morgan; Green Man, John Meager; Plough, John Woodman; George, Job Seabrook; Bell, Joseph Norris; the Royal Hotel, Tring Station, Samuel Brown.

*Agent for the "Hertford Mercury,"* Mr. E. C. Bird.

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## WARE.

[This is the largest malting town in the kingdom. The River Lee runs through the town, and the Great Eastern Railway passes by, with a station near the town. The New River Head is within half a mile of the town. A Corn and Cattle Market has been established in the town, and a handsome Corn Exchange with a commodious Cattle Market in the rear of it, was opened in 1867.]

MARKET DAY.—Tuesday.

PLACES OF WORSHIP.—*St. Mary's.* Vicar, Rev. Canon Blakesley. Curate, Rev. F. Sleap.—*Christ Church.* Minister, Rev. D. B. Hankin. Curate, Rev. W. R. Carr. — *Congregational Chapel*, High-street. Minister, (Vacant).—*Congregational Chapel*, Church-street. Minister, Rev. G. Burgess.—*Wesleyan Chapel*, New-road.—*Catholic Apostolic Church*, New-road.—*Baptist Chapel*, New-road.—*Friends' Meeting House*, Kibe's-lane.

THE LOCAL BOARD OF HEALTH.—J. Harrison, Esq., Chairman; J. W. Chesshyre, Esq., London and County Bank, Treasurer; N. Cobham, Esq., Clerk; Mr. G. Hitch, Surveyor; Mr. Albany Bond, Inspector. The meetings of the Board are held on alternate Thursdays.

BURIAL BOARD.—The Board meets monthly, on Tuesdays, at the Offices of the Board of Health. Mr. N. Cobham, Clerk and Registrar. J. W. Chesshyre, Esq., Treasurer.

LIGHTING.—The town is lighted with gas, supplied by a limited liability company, called the Ware Gas Company. Charge to private consumers, *5s.* 10*d.* per 1000 feet.

LITERARY SOCIETIES.—*Ware Institute.* President, Mr. F. H. Bate. Managed by a committee. Leading daily and weekly newspapers taken.—*Poor Aged Men's Friendly Society*, Baldock-street.—*Amateur Choral Society.* The members meet every Friday evening at the Church, under the direction of the organist,

Mr. Bishop, of Hertford. A Choral Class, under Mr. W. Williams, meet every Wednesday at the Corn Exchange.

SCHOOLS.—*Free Grammar School.* This school is under the superintendance of Feoffees. Head Master, Rev. C. Lilley.—The *Chuck Memorial School.* This is a Grammar School. The school house is situate on the high ground at the top of the New-road. Head Master, Rev. C. Lilley. There are a limited number of boys on both foundations.—*National and Infant Schools.* Master, Mr. Bannister. There are also two properly trained mistresses. The schools are supported by voluntary contributions.—*Christ Church Schools.* New-road. Supported by R. Hanbury, Esq. Master, Mr. Christopher.—*British Schools,* in Star-lane. Master, Mr. Salmon. Supported by voluntary contributions.

BENEVOLENT SOCIETIES.—There is a *Clothing Club,* similar to that established at Hertford; and various other Charitable Societies.—*Penny Provident Bank.*

BENEFIT SOCIETIES.—*Ancient Order of Foresters, Court "Pride of Ware,"* held at the French Horn Inn. Secretary, Mr. Sudell.—*Lord Brougham Lodge of Odd Fellows,* meets at the Clarendon, High-street. Secretary, Mr. H. Terry, Hoddesdon.

SOLICITORS.—Mr. N. Cobham, Mr. G. Gisby, Mr. J. F. Green, Mr. J. L. Foster.

SURGEONS.—Mr. Butcher, Dr. J. O'Reilly, Mr. F. H. Bate.

AUCTIONEERS.—Messrs. Beningfield and Chetwood.

STAMP DISTRIBUTOR.—G. Price, jun.

INNS.—Saracen's Head, Mrs. Brown; Railway Tavern, Mr. Chesterton; French Horn, G. Ingold; White Lion and Wheatsheaf, G. Powter; White Swan, M. Pugh; Wagon and Horses.

*Agent for the "Hertford Mercury,"* Mr. Price.

## WATFORD.

[There is a station on the London and North-Western Railway, near the town, with a branch line to St. Alban's, and another station in the town on the Rickmansworth Branch. There is a silk mill near the town, employing between two and three hundred hands. There are also two paper mills in the neighbourhood —the Hamper Mill and Croxley Mill. The most attractive and ornamental buildings in the parish of Watford are the Drysalters' Almshouses, lately built near St. Andrew's. There are also almshouses in Church-road, in the gift of the Earl of Essex; others in the Vicarage-road, and four built by the late D. Salter, Esq. There is a cemetery on the road leading to the Union House.]

MARKET DAY.—Tuesday.

BOARD OF HEALTH.—Chairman of the Local Board, Mr. C. W. Moore. Clerk, Mr. John Sedgwick.

BURIAL BOARD.—Clerk, Mr. Pugh.

LIGHTING.—The town is lighted (under the superintendence of the Local Board) with gas, supplied by a company. Private consumers are charged at the rate of *5s.* 6*d.* per 1000 feet.

WATFORD VOLUNTEER FIRE BRIGADE.—President, the Earl of Essex; Secretary, F. J. Bayly.

PLACES OF WORSHIP.—*Parish Church,* Vicar, Rev. R. L. James.—*St. Andrews,* Rev. F. Cox. *Baptist Chapel.* Rev. J. Peters.—*Wesleyan Chapel.* Rev. E. Day. Town Missionary, Mr. Palmer.

WEST HERTS. AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.—Hon. Sec., Mr. Alfred O. Sedgwick, Elmcote, Watford.

LITERARY INSTITUTION.—Held in a room adjoining the old County Court.

BENEFIT SOCIETIES, ETC.—The Watford *Lodge of Freemasons.*—The *Phœnix Lodge of Odd Fellows*, M.U., held at the Green Man Inn.—*Foresters' Court*, "The Star of Hertfordshire," held at the Wheatsheaf.

SOLICITORS.—Mr. R. Pugh, Mr. John Sedgwick, Mr. Rowell, and Mr. S. Camp.

AUCTIONEERS AND SURVEYORS.—Messrs. Humbert and Cox; Messrs. Sedgwick and Son; T. Lavender; C. Moore; and T. Dracott.

DISTRIBUTOR OF STAMPS.—Mr. D. Downer.

INNS.—Clarendon Hotel (Watford Railway Station), R. Morgan; Essex Arms, C. J. Morgan; the George, J. Hillier; the Green Man, T. Scott; Rose and Crown, J. Read; Verulam Arms, David Plumb; Queen's Arms, J. Kilby.

*Agent for the "Hertford Mercury,"* Mr. Downer.

## WELWYN.

SCHOOLS.—*National School* (endowed). Master, Mr. Roberts.—*Girls' School.* Mistress, Miss Burt.—There is also an *Infant School* in the town, and an *Infant School* at Woolmer-green, the mistress of which is Miss Payne.

BENEFIT SOCIETIES, ETC.—*Wesleyan Provident Society* (enrolled 1832). Allowance during sickness, from 7*s.* to 21*s.* per week, according to class. Meeting at the National School. Number of members, 210.—*Loyal Melbourne Lodge of Odd Fellows*, held at the Rose and Crown. Contributions, 2*s.* 6*d* per month; 12*s.* per week allowed during sickness; £12 on the death of a member, and £6 on the death of a member's wife.—There are other benefit clubs, held at the Rose and Crown and at the Chequers.

SURGEONS.—Mr. Webb, Mr. E. J. Morris.

INNS.—White Hart Posting Inn, T. P. Hutchins; Wellington, H. Ambrose; Rose and Crown, H. Brand; Vine, G. Brand; Chequers, R. Deards; Red Lion (Digswell-hill), A. Puttick; Red Lion (Woolmer-green), H. Williams; Chequers (Woolmer-green), R. Beechener; Cowper Arms (Digswell Railway Station). E. Morton.

*Agent for the "Hertford Mercury*, Mr. Lawrence.

## HARLOW.

[Harlow, in Essex, on the border of this county, with its interesting church, the beautiful mansion and park of Moor Hall, the seat of J. W. Perry Watlington, Esq., a mile to the eastward, and the Reformatory School, has attractions for the lover of the picturesque and the philanthropist. Bush Common, at Potter-street, where the great cattle fairs are held, is a hamlet two miles and a half from the town.]

PLACES OF WORSHIP.—*St. Mary's.* Vicar, Rev. C. Miller.—*St. John the Baptist's.* Perpetual Curate, Rev. C. M. M'Leod.—*St. Mary Magdalene's*, Potter-street. Perpetual Curate, Rev. J. N. Smith.—*Baptist Chapels*, Fore-street and Potter-street. Ministers, Rev. F. Edwards and Rev. J. Gipps.

AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATION, Established 1852. Treasurer, Mr. George Hart. Hon. Sec., Mr. H. G. Wentworth.

SOLICITORS.—Messrs. Everingham and Cane, and Messrs. Windus and Amys.

SURGEON.—Mr. Day.

POST OFFICE.—C. Whittaker, High-street.

# ADJOINING COUNTIES.

## MIDDLESEX.

*Members for the County*—Viscount Enfield; Lord G. F. Hamilton.

SESSIONS.—General or adjourned Sessions are held at least twice a month at the Sessions House, Clerkenwell, usually on alternate Tuesdays; and adjourned Sessions are also held at Westminster (Broad Sanctuary).

## BEDFORDSHIRE.

*Lord-Lieutenant*—Earl Cowper, K.G.

*Members for the County*—Colonel R. T. Gilpin and F. C. H. Russell, Esq.

DATES OF QUARTER SESSIONS FOR 1869.—*County Business:* Tuesday, Jan. 5, April 6, June 29, Oct. 19.—*Trials of Prisoners:* Wednesday, Jan. 6, April 7, June 30, Oct. 20.

### BEDFORD (PARLIAMENTARY AND MUNICIPAL BOROUGH).

*Parliamentary Representatives*—S. Whitbread, Esq.; J. Howard, Esq.

### LUTON.

LOCAL BOARD OF HEALTH.—E. O. Williams, Esq., Chairman; G. Bailey, Esq., Clerk; Mr. Sandoe, Surveyor and Superintendent of Fire Brigade.

MARKET DAY.—Monday. The plait market is held at 9 a.m., at the Plait Hall, in Cheapside. The corn market is held at the Corn Exchange, Market-hill.

LIGHTING.—The town is lighted with gas. The price of gas, both for the public lamps and private consumers, is 4*s.* 6*d.* per 1000 feet.

CHURCHES.—*St. Mary's Parish Church.* Vicar, Rev. James O'Neill.—*An Iron Church*, the gift of his Grace the Duke of Bedford, has been opened at High Town, in connection with St. Mary's. Curate, Rev. H. Tite.—*Christ Church*, erected 1857. Vicar, Rev. T. J. Lee. Service daily at 8 p.m.—*East Hyde Church*, erected 1840. Incumbent, Rev. W. H. Iggulden.—There is a *Sunday and Day School* attached, supported by L. Ames, Esq.—*St. Thomas*, Stopsley, erected 1858. Incumbent, Rev. S. Cumming. Acting Curate, Rev. — Hutchins.—*Holy Trinity*, Biscott, built by J. S. Crawley, Esq., 1867. Incumbent, Rev. E. R. Adams.

DISSENTING COMMUNITIES.—*New Baptist*, Wellington-street. Minister, Rev. A. C. Gray.—*Old Baptist*, Park-street. Minister, Rev. T. Hands.—*Particular Baptist—Ebenezer Chapel*, Hastings-street. Minister, Mr. Cook.—*Union Chapel*, London-road. Minister, Rev. T. R. Stevenson.—*Wesleyan Methodist Chapels*, in Chapel-street, Waller-street, and Albert-road. Ministers, Revs. R. Bond, J. E. Cooke, N. Kelynack, and J. Kilvington.—*Primitive Methodist Chapels* in High Town and Brown Brick. Ministers, Revs. J. Tubb, and J. Pilling.—*Congregational Chapel*, King-street. Minister, Rev. J. Hiles Hitchens, F.R.S.L. *Meeting*, Castle-street.

CEMETERIES.—*Church Burial Ground*, Crawley Green Road.—*Luton General Cemetery Company*, Cemetery-road, Stuart-street.—*Friends' Cemetery*, Crawley Green Road.

LUTON WATERWORKS COMPANY.—Works (now erecting) at Hitchin-road. Reservoir on Hart Hill. Contractors, Messrs. Whieldon, Leeky, and Lucas. Secretary, Mr. W. Wood. Solicitor, C. A. Austin, Esq.

PETTY SESSIONS.—The Petty Sessions for the division of Luton are held every

Monday at 11 o'clock, at the Court-house in Stuart-street. *Magistrates:* Lionel Ames, Esq.; D. G. Adey, Esq.; R. Oakley, Esq.; Rev. F. W. Adey; J. S. Crawley, Esq.; A. Macnamara, Esq.; J. G. Leigh, Esq.; Rev. H. B. Smyth; G. W. Lydekker, Esq.; Capt. F. W. Sullivan. *Clerk to the Magistrates:* Charles Addington Austin, Esq.

LITERARY INSTITUTIONS.—*Literary Institution and News Room*, at the Town Hall. Secretary, Mr. W. Higgins.—*Working Men's Club and Institute*, King-street. President, J. Everitt, Esq. Secretary, Mr. J. A. Walker.—*Young Women's Reading Room and Institute*, George-street.

FRIENDLY SOCIETIES.—*The Sons of Britain United*, held at the Cock Inn.—*The Union*, held at the Crown.—*Luton Wesleyan Benefit Club.*—*Luton Equitable Benefit Society*, held at the Black Swan.—There are also three *Lodges of Odd Fellows*, and three *Courts of Foresters.*

BUILDING SOCIETY.—*Luton Permanent Benefit Building Society*, held at the Town Hall. Mr. G. Sell, Secretary.

LOAN SOCIETY.—*Luton Mutual Loan Society*, held at the Working Men's Club and Institute.

SAVINGS' BANK, at the Town Hall. Open every Monday from 3 to 4 p.m. Actuary, Mr. T. Erskine Austin.

SCHOOLS.—*New National Schools*, Queen-square. Master, Mr. C. Powell.—*Christ Church Day and Sunday Schools*, New Hall, Wellington-street. Schoolmistress, Miss Conditt.—*British School* and *Infant School*, in Langley-street, and a *National School* at Stopsley and Biscott.—*Wesleyan Day School*, Chapel-street. Mr. S. Bennett, Master.

SOLICITORS.—Mr. C. A. Austin, Mr. G. Bailey, Mr. J. G. Shepherd, Mr. F. C. Scargill, Mr. R. T. Cooke, Mr. A. Nicholson.

SURGEONS.—E. Woakes, M.D., James Benson, M.D., Mr. P. Benson, Mr. A. Heale, Mr. F. J. Clarke, Mr. Kitt Tomson, Mr. J. G. Appleton, Mr. M. Grover, Dr. Pauli.

BANKERS.—Sharples, Tuke, Lucas, and Lucas, Market-place, open daily from 10 to 4, except Monday, 10 to 5, and Thursday, 10 to 1; Branch of London and County, same hours. Manager, W. Bigg, Esq.

AUCTIONEERS.—Mr. H. Holyoak, Mr. J. Cumberland.

INNS.—George Hotel, W. Wadsworth; Red Lion, C. Edridge; Crown, J. Burge; Cock, — Funnell; Bell, Mrs. Puddephatt; Queen's Hotel, J. Newman; Sugar Loaf, T. C. Johnson; Midland Hotel, J. Pugh.

*Agent for the "Hertford Mercury,"* Miss S. A. Hill, Market-square.

## DUNSTABLE (MUNICIPAL BOROUGH.)

*Mayor*—Samuel Burges, Esq. (Alderman).

*Aldermen*—J. Gutteridge, S. Burges, W. Jardine, W. Milligan.

*Councillors*—John Limbrey, H. Cheshire, R. Walton, J. Chambers, E. W. Brown, B. Bennett, jun., Josh. Darby, W. P. Freeman, E. Johnson, W. Hopcroft, W. H. Derbyshire, W. Marshall.

*Town Clerk*—Mr. C. S. Benning.

*Auditors*—Mr. E. C. George and Mr. W. P. R. Southam.

*Assessors*—Mr. W. Cheshire and Mr. Harry White.

MARKET DAY.—Wednesday.

LIGHTING.—The town is lighted with gas. Private consumers are charged 5*s.* 6*d.* per 1000 feet.

BENEFIT SOCIETIES.—*Provident Institution.* Between 400 and 500 members.

—*Tradesmen's Friendly Society.* Established in 1813.—*Odd Fellows Lodge.*—*Poor Man's Club.*—*Teetotal Benefit Society.*

SCHOOLS.—*National School,* for boys.—*British School,* for boys.—*Charity School,* for boys.—*Wesleyan School,* for boys and girls.

PLACES OF WORSHIP.—*Parish Church.* Rector, Rev. F. Hose.——*Baptist Chapels.* Ministers, the Rev. D. Gould, and the Rev. J. Inward.—*Independent.* Rev. R. Dixon.—*Wesleyan.* Revs. — Seccomb, and J. Evans.—*Primitive Methodist.* Revs. — Waddy, and J. Ashworth.

BANKERS.—London and County; Bassett, Son, and Harris.

SOLICITORS.—Mr. Benning; Mr. Middleton.

PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS.—Mr. Farr; Dr. Hicks; Dr. Laurie.

AUCTIONEERS.—Mr. W. P. R. Southam; Mr. Derbyshire.

CHIEF INNS.—Sugar Loaf; Red Lion; Saracen's Head.

PETTY SESSIONS.—The Borough Petty Sessions are held every Wednesday, at 11 o'clock, at the Town Hall. Magistrates: The Mayor (Mr. S. Burges); the ex-Mayor (J. Gutteridge, Esq.); E. Lockhart, Esq.; R. Howes, Esq.; W. Jardine, Esq. Mr. S. Burges, the Mayor, is also a magistrate appointed by the Crown.

## BUCKINGHAMSHIRE.

*Parliamentary Representatives.—For the County.* C. G. Dupré, Esq.; the Right Hon. B. Disraeli; N. G. Lambert, Esq.—*Buckingham.* Sir H. Verney, Bart.—*Aylesbury.* N. M. de Rothschild, Esq., and S. G. Smith, Esq.—*Great Marlow.* T. O. Wethered, Esq.—*Wycombe.* Hon. W. H. Carington.

QUARTER SESSIONS.—Monday, Jan. 4, April 5, June 28, Oct. 18.

## CAMBRIDGESHIRE.

*Lord Lieutenant* .....Earl of Hardwicke.

*Parliamentary Representatives.—For the County.* Viscount Royston; Lord G. J. Manners; Right Hon. H. B. Brand. *Borough.* Colonel Torrens, — Fowler, Esq. *University.* Right Hon. S. H. Walpole; Beresford Hope, Esq.

QUARTER SESSIONS.—Friday, Jan. 9, April 9, July 2, October 22.

## HUNTINGDONSHIRE.

*Parliamentary Representatives.—For the County.* E. Fellowes, Esq.; Lord R. Montagu.—*Huntingdon.* T. Baring, Esq.

QUARTER SESSIONS.—Tuesday, Jan. 5, April 6, June 29, October 19.

## ESSEX.

*Lord Lieutenant* .....Lord Dacre.

*Parliamentary Representatives.—East.* James Round, Esq.; Colonel Ruggles-Brise.—*West.* Henry J. Selwyn-Ibbetson, Esq.; Lord Eustace Cecil.—*South.* W. Baker, Esq.; A. Johnstone, Esq.—*Colchester.* J. Gurdon-Rebow, Esq.; Dr. Brewer.—*Harwich.* Col. H. J. Jervis.—*Maldon.* E. H. Bentall, Esq.

QUARTER SESSIONS.—Tuesday, Jan. 5, April 6, June 29, Oct. 19.

YEOMANRY CAVALRY AND ARTILLERY.—Lieut.-Colonel Palmer, Commandant; Capt. W. Cartwright, Adjutant.

# COUNTY APPOINTMENTS FOR 1869.

## THE ASSIZES.

The Assize and General Gaol Delivery for this County occurs twice in the year. The Spring Assize is generally held the last week in February, or the first week in March; and the Summer Assize in the second week in July. There is sometimes a Winter Assize in December, when only prisoners committed to the Assizes are tried.

## QUARTER SESSIONS.

By the Act 1 William IV., cap. 70, it is enacted that "in the year 1831, and afterwards, the Justices of the Peace in every county, riding, or division, for which Quarter Sessions of the Peace by law ought to be held, shall hold their General Quarter Sessions of Peace in the first week after the 11th of October; in the first week after the 28th December; in the first week after the 31st of March, and in the first week after the 24th of June.

The Act 4 and 5 William IV., c. 47, allows a discretionary power to the Justices as to the time of holding the Spring Quarter Sessions, which may be held not earlier than the 7th March, not later than the 22nd April.

[*Note.*—The General Quarter Sessions for the Trials of Prisoners are held on *Monday*, in the County of Hertford, at 10 a.m.; and the Quarter Sessions for County Business (by resolution of the Court at the Michaelmas Sessions, 1867), on the next day, Tuesday, at 12 o'clock. The *Police* Committee meet on the *Wednesday* before each General Quarter Sessions, at 1 p.m.; and the *Finance* Committee on the *Saturday* before each Quarter Sessions, at 2 p.m. The *Gaol* Committee (or Visiting Justices) meet on the *Saturday* previous to each Quarter Sessions, *and on other Saturdays not fixed.*

The following are the dates on which the Sessions will be holden, and other business connected therewith transacted, in the year 1869:—

1869.
JAN. 2. Finance Committee at 2 p.m.
4. General Quarter Sessions—Appeals—Trials of Prisoners.
5. Quarter Sessions.—County Business at 12 o'clock
MAR. 31. Police Committee, at 1 p.m.
APRIL 3. Finance Committee, at 2 p.m.—Gaol Committee, at 11 a.m.
5. General Quarter Sessions—Appeals—Trials of Prisoners.
6. Quarter Sessions—County Business at 12 o'clock.
JUNE 23. Police Committee at 1 p.m.
JUNE 26. Finance Committee at 2 p.m. Gaol Committee, at 11 a.m.
28. General Quarter Sessions—Appeals—Trials of Prisoners.
29. Quarter Sessions—County Business at 12 o'clock.
OCT. 13. Police Committee, at 1 p.m.
16. Finance Committee at 2 p.m. Gaol Committee, at 11 a.m.
18. General Quarter Sessions—Appeals—Trials of Prisoners.
19. Quarter Sessions—County Business at 12 o'clock.
29. Police Committee at 1 p.m.

## LIBERTY OF SAINT ALBAN.

The Liberty Quarter Sessions for the Trials of Prisoners are held on Thursday in the same week as the Quarter Sessions for the County. The dates for 1869 are—

January 7 | April 8 | July 1 | October 21

The Adjourned Sessions for Liberty business are held on the Saturday week following the ordinary Sessions, at 12 o'clock. The dates are—

January 16 | April 17 | July 10 | October 30

# PETTY SESSIONAL DIVISIONS.

## HERTFORD COUNTY.

These Petty Sessions are held *every Saturday*, at 12 o'clock *precisely*, at the Shire Hall, Hertford.

MAGISTRATES: *Chairman*, W. R. Baker, Esq. Baron Dimsdale; B. Cherry, Esq.; Wynn Ellis, Esq.; W. H. Wodehouse, Esq.; Abel Smith, Esq., M.P.; R. W. Gaussen, Esq.; R. Dimsdale, Esq., M.P.; W. Franks, Esq.; W. C. Baker, Esq.; Viscount Malden.

*Clerk to the Magistrates:* Messrs. P. and M. S. Longmore.

DATES OF MEETING OF SPECIAL SESSIONS FOR 1869.

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|---|---|---|
| January 9 | May 1 and 15 | Aug. 7 and 28 |
| March 6 | June 5 and 12 | October 9 |
| April 3 and 17 | July 3 | December 18 |

*Licensing Sessions*—Transfer Days:
March 6 | April 3 | May 15 | July 3 | August 7 | Oct. 16.
*Annual Licensing Meeting*—August 28.

## HERTFORD BOROUGH PETTY SESSIONS.

These Sessions are held *every Monday*, at 10 a.m., at the Town Hall.
*Clerk to the Magistrates:* M. S. Longmore, Esq.

## SAINT ALBAN'S LIBERTY.

These Sessions are held *every Saturday*, at the Court-house, St. Alban's at 1 p.m.

MAGISTRATES: Earl Verulam; G. R. Marten, Esq.; W. H. Solly, Esq.; Rev. M. R. Southwell; F. A. McGeachy, Esq.; T. Kinder, Esq.; G. W. Lydekker, Esq.; H. H. Toulmin, Esq.; Rev. W. S. Wade; H. E. C. Stapylton, Esq.; H. J. Toulmin, Esq.; H. Oddie, Esq.; W. H. Smith, Esq., M.P.; E. F. Whittingstall, Esq.

*Clerk to the Magistrates:* R. G. Lowe, Esq.

## SAINT ALBAN'S BOROUGH PETTY SESSIONS.

These Sessions are held *every Wednesday*, at the Town Hall. (See Municipal Boroughs).

*Clerk to the Magistrates:* T. W. Blagg, Esq.

## CHIPPING BARNET.

These Sessions are held *every Monday*, at the County Court, Union-street, Barnet, at 11 o'clock.

MAGISTRATES: N. B. Acworth, Esq.; Joseph Baxendale, Esq.; Lloyd Baxendale, Esq.; Viscount Enfield; F. A. M'Geachy, Esq.; H. E. C. Stapylton, Esq.; S. O. Percival, Esq.; C. W. Faber, Esq.; C. A. Hanbury, Esq.; R. Durant, jun., Esq.; T. B. Myers, Esq.; Earl Strafford; John Trotter, Esq.; William Müller, Esq.

*Clerk to the Magistrates:* Stanley Harris, Esq.

## SOUTH MIMS.

[This division is formed of the parishes of South Mims and Hadley, and comprises a large portion of the town of Barnet.]

MAGISTRATES: Joseph Baxendale, Esq.; S. O. Percival, Esq.; F. A. M'Geachy, Esq.; R. Durant, jun., Esq.; C. W. Faber, Esq.; C. A. Hanbury, Esq.; H. E. C. Stapylton, Esq.; N. B. Acworth, Esq.; Earl Strafford; Viscount Enfield; T. B. Myers, Esq.

*Clerk to the Magistrates:* Stanley Harris, Esq.

The ordinary Petty Sessional business is transacted at the Barnet Sessions.

## SHENLEY PETTY SESSIONAL DIVISION.

[This division, formed in April, 1867, comprises the parishes of Shenley and Totteridge. Special Sessions are held at the White Horse, Shenley.]

MAGISTRATES: F. A. M'Geachy, Esq.; T. B. Myers, Esq.; R. Durant, jun., Esq.; H. E. C. Stapylton, Esq.; H. H. Oddie, Esq.; L. Baxendale, Esq.

*Clerk to the Magistrates:* Stanley Harris, Esq.

## BERKHAMSTEAD (GREAT).

The Petty Sessions are held on the *first* and *third Tuesdays* in each month, at the Town Hall, Berkhamstead St. Peter, at 12 o'clock at noon.

MAGISTRATES: *Chairman*, F. J. Moore, Esq.; Hon. G. D. Ryder; Rev. J. B. Bingham; R. A. Smith-Dorrien, Esq.; Rev. James Williams; R. Bright, Esq.; Dudley H. Ryder, Esq.; Charles Longman, Esq.; H. N. Heale, Esq.; T. F. Halsey, Esq.; Sir John Sebright, Bart.; Charles S. Hadden, Esq.

*Clerk to the Magistrates:* C. E. Grover, Esq.

DAYS OF MEETING FOR 1869.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Jan. | 5 & 19 | April | 6 & 20 | July | 6 & 20 | October | 5 & 19 |
| Feb. | 2 & 16 | May | 4 & 18 | August | 3 & 17 | Nov. | 2 & 16 |
| March | 2 & 16 | June | 1 & 15 | Sept. | 7 & 21 | Dec. | 7 & 21 |

## BISHOP STORTFORD.

The Petty Sessions, and also the Petty Sessions for the purposes of the Criminal Justice Act, are held in the Corn Exchange Building fortnightly, on *Thursdays*, at 12 o'clock.

MAGISTRATES: *Chairman:* J. A. Houblon, Esq. *Vice-Chairman*, Rev. T. T. L. Bayliff. Rev. C. S. Bourchier; Rev. F. Vander Meulen; G. Alan Lowndes, Esq.; R. Gosling, Esq.

*Clerk to the Magistrates:* J. D. Taylor, Esq.

## BUNTINGFORD.

The Petty Sessions are held usually on the *second* and *last Friday* in the month, at the George Inn, Buntingford, at 12 at noon.

MAGISTRATES: *Chairman*, Rev. W. Adams. C. Soames, J. W. Leader, and E. H. Brabazon Heaton-Ellis, Esq.; Revs. W. W. Harvey, J. Harding, and G. R. Tuck.

*Clerk to the Magistrates:* George Gisby, Esq., Ware.

DATES OF MEETING FOR 1869.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| January | 8 & 29 | April | 2 & 30 | July | 9 & 23 | October | 8 & 29 |
| February | 12 & 26 | May | 7 & 21 | August | 13 & 27 | November | 12 & 26 |
| March | 12 & 19 | June | 11 & 25 | September | 10 & 24 | December | 3 & 17 |

*Transfer of Alehouse Licenses:*

Jan. 8 | March 12 | May 7 | June 11 | July 23 | Sept. 10 | Oct. 29 | Dec. 3

*General Licensing Meeting*, August 27.

## CHESHUNT.

The Sessions are held on *Mondays*, at 11 a.m., at the Green Dragon Inn.

MAGISTRATES: *Chairman*, J. Bentley, Esq.; Captain J. H. Sanders, R.N.; J. Thomson, Esq.; W. Stobart, Esq.; the Rev. J. Jessopp; H. J. Smith-Bosanquet, Esq.; J. Goff, jun., Esq.; J. Levick, Esq.; the Rev. G. Bellamy; J. Fort, Esq.; Captain W. P. Draffen.

*Clerk to the Magistrates:* J. F. Jessopp, Esq., Waltham Abbey.

## MUCH HADHAM (ALBURY).

Petty Sessions for the Division of Albury are held (as a rule, but not invariably), on the *second* and *last Tuesdays* in every month, at the offices of Messrs. Mott, Gayton, and Mott, at Much Hadham.

MAGISTRATES: *Chairman*, C. Phelips, Esq.; Rev. T. T. L. Bayliff; A. Giles-Puller, Esq.; Rev. F. Vandermeulen; Colonel Tower.

*Clerk to the Magistrates:* G. Gayton, Esq.

## HEMEL HEMPSTEAD.

The Petty Sessions are held on the *second* and *fourth Wednesdays* in every month, except when the first day of the month falls on a Wednesday, in which case the meetings are held on the *third* and *fifth Wednesdays*. If, however, this occur in the month of February, there is only one meeting—on the *third Wednesday*. The Magistrates attending are the same as at Great Berkhamstead. *Chairman*, F. J. Moore, Esq.

*Clerk to the Magistrates:* C. E. Grover, Esq.

DATES OF MEETING FOR 1869.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Jan. | 13 & 27 | April | 14 & 28 | July | 14 & 28 | Oct. | 13 & 27 |
| Feb. | 10 & 24 | May | 12 & 26 | August | 11 & 25 | Nov. | 10 & 24 |
| March | 10 & 24 | June | 9 & 23 | Sept. | 15 & 29 | Dec. | 10 & 24 |

## HITCHIN.

The Sessions are held at the Town Hall *every Tuesday*, at 12 o'clock.

MAGISTRATES: F. P. Delmé Radcliffe, Esq.; Rev. G. B. Blomfield; Rev. F. Sullivan; Marlborough Pryor, Esq.; R. Oakley, Esq.; Morris Pryor, Esq.; E. C. Prime, Esq.; Lieut.-Col. Wilkinson; G. E. Hughes, Esq.; F. Lucas, Esq.; F. W. Sullivan, Esq.; T. A. Dashwood, Esq.; C. C. Hale, Esq.

*Clerk to the Magistrates:* William Hawkins, Esq.

## ODSEY (ROYSTON).

The Sessions are held usually, but not always, on the *first* and *third Wednesdays* in every month, at the Bull Inn, Royston.

MAGISTRATES: *Chairman*, Henry Fordham, Esq. J. G. Fordham, Esq.; Rev. W. W. Harvey; J. Phillips, Esq.; J. W. Leader. Esq.; Edward Beldam, Esq.; Rev. G. R. Tuck; John Phillips, jun., Esq.; Rev. G. R. Turner; and E. K. Fordham, Esq.

*Clerk to the Magistrates:* H. Wortham, Esq.

## STEVENAGE.

The Petty Sessional Division of Stevenage comprises eighteen parishes, viz., Aston, Baldock, Bennington, Datchworth, Gravely, Knebworth, Letchworth, Great Munden, Little Munden, Radwell, Sacombe, Stevenage, Walkern, Watton, Weston, Willian, Great Wymondley, and Little Wymondley. The Sessions are

held at the National School-room on the *second* and *last* Thursdays in every month, at noon.

MAGISTRATES: *Chairman*, Marlborough Pryor, Esq.; Rev. G. B. Blomfield; Rev. John Harding; Morris Pryor, Esq.; Lieut.-Col. Wilkinson; T. A. Dashwood, Esq.

*Clerk to the Magistrates:* Samuel Veasey, Esq., Baldock.

DAYS OF MEETING FOR 1869.

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|---|---|---|---|
| January 14 & 28 | April 8 & 29 | July 8 & 29 | October 14 & 28 |
| February 11 & 25 | May 13 & 27 | August 12 & 26 | November 11 & 25 |
| March 11 & 25 | June 10 & 24 | Sept. 9 & 30 | December 9 & 30 |

*General Annual Licensing Meeting*—August 26.

## WARE.

The Petty Sessions are held on *every alternate Tuesday*, at the Town Hall, at Ware, at 12 o'clock.

MAGISTRATES: W. Parker, Esq.; R. Hanbury, Esq.; C. Phelips, Esq.; H. E. Surtees, Esq.; A. Giles-Puller, Esq.; D. J. H. O'Brien, Esq.; J. S. Walker, Esq.; Henry Wilkinson, Esq.; Colonel Harvey Tower; J. F. Buxton, Esq.; H. J. Brown, Esq.

*Clerk to the Magistrates:* N. Cobham, Esq.

DAYS OF MEETING FOR 1869.

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|---|---|---|---|
| Jan. 5 & 19 | April 13 & 27 | July 6 & 20 | Oct. 12 & 26 |
| Feb. 2 & 16 | May 11 & 25 | Aug. 3, 17 & 31 | Nov. 9 & 23 |
| Mar. 2, 16 & 30 | June 8 & 22 | Sept. 14 & 28 | Dec. 7 & 21 |

*General Annual Licensing Meeting*—August 31 at 11 a.m.

A Petty Session for the purposes of the Criminal Justices Act is held every *Tuesday*, at 12 o'clock at noon.

## WATFORD.

The Petty Sessions are held *every Tuesday*, at the Court House, at 12 o'clock.

MAGISTRATES: The Earl of Essex; The Earl of Clarendon; Lord Ebury; Viscount Malden; H. F. H. Burchell-Herne, Esq.; W. Capel, Esq.; W. Stuart, Esq.; W. Stuart, jun., Esq.; Rev. Canon Gee; J. Foskett, Esq.; Rev. A. H. Barker; J. Arden, Esq.; W. F. M. Copeland, Esq.; Rev. W. Falconer; D. Carnegie, Esq.; T. Bagnall, Esq.; R. Pryor, Esq.; H. C. Finch, Esq.; R. R. Carew, Esq.; W. Jones-Loyd, Esq.; C. A. Barnes, Esq.; J. Dickinson, Esq.; W. H. Smith, Esq., M.P.; Kirkman D. Hodgson, Esq.; J. S. Gilliat, Esq.

*Clerk to the Magistrates:* T. W. Blagg, Esq., St. Alban's.

*General Annual Licensing Meeting*—August 20.

## WELWYN.

The Sessions are held at the White Hart Inn, Welwyn, (as a rule) on the *second Monday* in every month, at 11 a.m.

MAGISTRATES: *Chairman*, W. J. Blake, Esq.; Rev. E. Prodgers; J. T. Abdy, Esq.; C. W. Wilshere, Esq.

*Clerks to the Magistrates:* Messrs. P. and M. S. Longmore.

DAYS OF MEETING FOR 1869.

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| January 11 | March 8 | May 10 | July 12 | Sept. 13 | Nov. 8 |
| February 8 | April 12 | June 14 | August 9 | October 11 | Dec. 13 |

*General Annual Licensing Meeting*—September 13.

## RIVER LEE TRUST.

*Chairman*, H. E. Surtees, Esq.; *Deputy-Chairman*, J. Meyer, Esq.; *Clerk*, (Vacant). The dates at present fixed for meetings are:—Saturday, January 9, at Hertford; Thursday, February 4, at the London Tavern; and Thursday, March 11, at 30, Great George-street, Westminster. In April, the new Conservancy Board, constituted under a recent Act of Parliament, will be elected.

## CHESHUNT TURNPIKE TRUST.

The Trustees meet on the *first Thursday* in February, May, and November, at the Salisbury Arms Inn, Hoddesdon. The dates of the meetings for 1869 are as follows:—

February 4 | May 6 | August 5 | November 4.

*Clerk to the Trust:* T. Sworder, Esq., Hertford.

*Surveyor:* Mr. J. Harding, Wormley. *Assistant Surveyor:* Mr. John R. Harding, Barkway.

## HERTS. CHAMBER OF AGRICULTURE.

ESTABLISHED 1868.

*Chairman*, J. B. Brandram, Esq. *Vice-Chairman*, C. H. Lattimore, Esq. *Treasurer*, J. Bettinson, Esq., Hertford. *Hon. Secretary* (Vacant).

The Herts. Chamber of Agriculture, which enrols among its members many of the landowners and a large number of farmers of the county, was established for the purpose of considering and taking action upon all questions directly affecting the interests of the agricultural community. At a recent meeting, the question of "Tenant Right" was the subject of discussion.

## HERTFORDSHIRE HIGHWAY BOARDS.

HERTFORD.—*Chairman*, Right. Hon. Earl Cowper, K.G. *Vice-Chairman*, Mr. G. Passingham. *Clerk*, W. M. Armstrong, Esq. *Surveyor:* Mr. Chalmers, Chapmore End.

HATFIELD.—*Chairman*, the Most Hon. the Marquess of Salisbury. *Vice-Chairman*, C. Soames, Esq. *Clerk*, W. M. Armstrong, Esq. *Surveyor*, Mr. T. Waller, Welwyn.

HADHAM.—*Chairman*, R. Hunt, Esq. *Vice-Chairman*, Mr. Chamberlayne Mole. *Clerk*, J. M. Richardson, Esq. *Surveyor*, Mr. George Young, Little Hadham.

HITCHIN.—*Chairman*, J. Smyth, Esq. *Vice-Chairman*, Mr. A. Marsh. *Clerk*, Mr. G. A. Passingham.

BUNTINGFORD.—*Chairman*, J. W. Leader, Esq. *Vice-Chairman*, Mr. Hugh Rayner. *Clerk*, H. Thurnall, Esq., Royston. *Surveyor*, Mr. Robert Blue.

WATFORD.—*Chairman*, the Right Hon. the Earl of Essex. *Clerk*, Harvey Fellows, Esq. *Surveyor*, Mr. Simmonds.

ST. ALBAN'S.—*Chairman*, F. A. M'Geachy, Esq. *Clerk*, I. N. Edwards, Esq.

# FAIRS IN HERTFORDSHIRE.

[The rule for holding the Fairs, and the DATE on which they will be held IN THE YEAR 1869, are given. When the fixed day falls on a Sunday, the date on which the fair will actually be held is given with the word Monday between parentheses, thus (Monday).—

ALBAN'S, ST.—March 25; October 11 (Monday), and 12, for horses, etc.

ASHWELL.—July 8 (second Thursday in July), wool and stock; November 4 (first Thursday in November), stock.

BALDOCK.—March 8 (Monday); May 27 (last Thursday in May); August 5; October 2 and 4 (Monday); December 11.

BARNET.—April 8, 9, 10; September 4, 6 (Monday), 7, sheep; November 22 (Monday), Welsh cattle and horses, pigs, etc.

BENNINGTON.—July 10.

BERKHAMSTEAD (GREAT).—Feb. 9 (Shrove Tuesday); May 17 (Whit-Monday), cattle; October 11, statute.

BISHOP STORTFORD.—May 6 (Holy Thursday); May 17 (Thursday after Trinity Sunday); October 11.

BUNTINGFORD.—June 29 and 30.

CHESHUNT.—September 20 (Monday after 16th of September),

HATFIELD.—April 23; October 18.

HEMEL HEMPSTEAD.—May 6 (Holy Thursday), cattle; September 20 (third Monday in September), statute.

HERTFORD.—March 13, Mid-Lent Fair (Saturday fortnight before Easter); May 12; July 6; November 8, for cattle, etc.

HITCHIN.—March 30 (Easter Tuesday); May 18 (Whit-Tuesday), sheep, etc.

HODDESDON.—June 29 and 30.

LITTLE HADHAM, BURY GREEN.—July 15.

MUCH HADHAM.—June 24.

PRESTON.—October 27 (last Wednesday in October), for sheep.

REDBOURN.—January 6 (first Wednesday after January 1); March 31 (Wednesday in Easter week): May 19 (Wednesday in Whit-week), sheep.

RICKMANSWORTH.—July 20; September 18 (Saturday before third Monday in September), hiring servants; November 24, horses, etc.

ROYSTON.—Feb. 10 (Ash Wednesday); March 31 (Wednesday in Easter week); May 19 (Wednesday in Whit-week); July 7 (first Wednesday in July); October 13 (Wednesday after October 11), for cattle of all sorts, cheese, etc.

SAWBRIDGEWORTH.—April 22; October 20, for horses.

STANDON.—April 26 (Monday).

STEVENAGE.—September 22 and 23.

TRING,—March 29 (Easter Monday); October 11, for hiring servants.

WARE.—April 27 (last Tuesday in April); September 21 (Tuesday before September 24).

WATFORD.—May 25 (second Tuesday after Whit-Sunday); Sept. 9, statute.

# PRINCIPAL FAIRS IN ADJOINING COUNTIES.

[*When the day falls on Sunday, the fair will be held the next day.*]

## ESSEX.

*Braintree*—May 8 and 9; October 2 and 3, cattle, etc.
*Chelmsford*—May 12; November 12, cattle.
*Dunmow*—May 6; November 8, cattle.
*Epping*—Whit-Tuesday; November 13, cattle.
*Harlow*—September 9; November 28, cattle.
*Newport*—November 17 and 18, cattle.
*Romford*—June 24, cattle and horses.
*Stanstead*—May 1 and 2, cattle, etc.
*Saffron Walden*—Saturday before Mid-Lent-Sunday, horses and cattle; Nov. 1, horned cattle.
*Thaxted*—Monday before Whit-Monday; August 10, horses.
*Waltham Abbey*—May 14; September 25 and 26, hiring servants and cattle fair.

## BEDFORDSHIRE.

*Ampthill*—May 4; November 20, cattle.
*Bedford*—First Tuesday in Lent; April 21; July 5; August 21; October 11; November 17; December 19, for cattle.
*Biggleswade*—February 14; Saturday in Easter week; Whit-Monday; Aug. 2; November 8, cattle.
*Dunstable*—Ash-Wednesday; May 22; August 12; Nov. 12, cattle.
*Leighton Buzzard*—February 5; Second Tuesday in April; Whit-Tuesday; July 26; October 24; First Tuesday after December 10, cattle.
*Luton*—Third Monday in April; Third Monday in October, cattle; First Friday after third Monday in September, statute fair.
*Shefford*—January 23; Old Lady-day; May 19; October 11, cattle.
*Woburn*—January 1, horses, cattle, sheep, and hogs; March 23; July 13; September 25, cattle.

## MIDDLESEX.

*Enfield*—November 30, horses, etc. *Uxbridge*—October 10, cattle.

## BUCKINGHAMSHIRE.

*Aylesbury*—Friday after January 18; Saturday before Palm Sunday; May 8; June 14; September 25: October 12, for cattle.
*Chesham*—April 21; July 22; September 28, cattle.
*Newport Pagnell*—February 22; March 21; April 22; June 22; August 29; October 22; December 27, cattle.

## CAMBRIDGESHIRE.

*Cambridge*—June 24; September 25; November 12.
*Ely*—Holy Thursday; Monday before Whit-Sunday; October 29, horses, etc.
*Linton*—July 30, horses and lambs.
*Newmarket*—Whit-Tuesday; November 8. *Soham*—May 9.
*Whittlesea*—January 25; June 13; October 26, horses and cattle.

# LOCAL CHRONOLOGY.

## 1867.

DEC. 31.—The Hertford Court of Quarter Sesions made a Provisional Order for dividing the county into Highway districts, according to the provisions of the Highway Acts, 25 and 26 Vict. cap. 61, and 27 and 28 Vict. cap. 101. The motion was carried by a majority of 34 to 15.

## 1868.

JAN. 2.—A Testimonial (a handsome drawing-room clock), presented to the Rev. H. J. Desborough, curate of Therfield, on leaving the parish. The testimonial was presented at a public meeting of the parishioners, by the Rev. Canon Dale, the rector.

9.—The committee appointed to arrange a memorial to perpetuate the memory of the late Robert Culling-Hanbury, Esq., M.P., closed their labours. The amount contributed was 435*l*., received from 415 subscribers of a guinea each. Of this sum, 300*l*. had been permanently invested, as a fund for the distribution of prizes and rewards, under the name of "the Hanbury Prizes," to the inmates of the "Home for Little Boys," on leaving that institution; and the sum of 100*l*. had been invested for the benefit of the Boys' Refuge, Commercial-street, Whitechapel. Mr. Hanbury was a most liberal and active supporter of both these institutions. The balance of the subscription was directed to be applied to the erection of a commemorative tablet in the Home for Little Boys.

9.—The foundation stone of a new Corn Exchange at Luton was laid by Mr. Lionel Ames, on the site of the old Market-place.

14.—New Church at Potten End, Great Berkhamstead, consecrated by the Bishop of Rochester.

21.—Albury Church re-opened, after being restored and repaired.

MARCH.—The Boundary Commissioners (appointed in 1867) reported to Parliament in favour of extending the Parliamentary Borough of Hertford by including a district in the parish of Bengeo, outside the present borough, containing 132 inhabited houses, and an estimated population of 660. Parliament subsequently passed an Act extending the borough in the direction recommended, and so including in it the whole village of Bengeo.

18.—A testimonial, consisting of a silver gilt claret jug and salver, presented to Mr. Alfred Healey, of Great Berkhamstead, on his leaving the neighbourhood for South Wales.

28.—Great meeting of members of both Houses of Parliament at Willis's Rooms to present a testimonial to the Right Hon. H. B. Brand, on his retirement from the office of Liberal "Whip." A sum of about 2000*l*. had been subscribed by 387 present and past M.P.'s. The testimonial, which was presented by Mr. Gladstone, consisted of a richly-chased silver plateau, about five feet in length, in the Queen Anne style, with lion crest supports; in the centre a circle of medallion portraits of Hampden, Pym, Somers, Walpole, Chatham, Burke, Fox, Grey, Grattan, Macaulay, Cobden, and Palmerston, surmounted by a figure of her Majesty, and on either side a dish to hold flowers; also two richly-chased candelabra in the same style.

MARCH 28.—A meeting was held at the Dimsdale Arms, Hertford, for the purpose of forming a Chamber of Agriculture for the County of Hertford. Mr. J. B. Brandram was appointed president; Mr. C. H. Lattimore, vice-president; Mr. Bettinson, treasurer; and Mr. George Chambers, of Standon (since deceased), hon. secretary.

APRIL 7.—The Hertfordshire Quarter Sessions confirmed the Order made at the previous Sessions for dividing the county into Highway Districts by a majority of 31 to 10.

18.—The Quarter Sessions for the Liberty of St. Alban's confirmed an order made at the previous Sessions, adopting the Highway Acts.

20.—Presentation of a testimonial to the Rev. T. L. Lingham, curate of Hertingfordbury, on the occasion of his removing to Fordham, in Essex, to the rectory of which parish he had recently been presented by the Countess Cowper. The testimonial consisted of a handsome silver tea and coffee service and salver. The address accompanying the testimonial was signed by 182 parishioners.

MAY 2.—County meeting, under the presidency of the High Sheriff (R. Pryor, Esq.), to express the general regret at the death of the late Marquess of Salisbury. A resolution expresing sympathy and condolence was directed to be conveyed to the Dowager Marchioness and to the Marquess of Salisbury.

JUNE 1.—Volunteer Field-day in Panshanger-park. The companies of the 2nd Herts. Battalion of Rifle Volunteers were brigaded with various London Companies. Colonel Colville was the inspecting officer. Amongst the guests of Earl Cowper present on the ground was the Right Hon. W. E. Gladstone.

4.—The corner stone of a new church for the parish of Bengeo, now in course of erection in Port Vale, Hertford, was laid by Lady Susan Smith, in the presence of the Bishop of Rochester, who conducted the service. The church is to be erected at the sole cost of Mr. Abel Smith, M.P.

25.—Centenary of the Countess of Huntingdon's Theological College at Cheshunt. The sermon on the occasion was preached by the Rev. Thomas Binney, the well known Nonconformist minister, and the Dean of Canterbury (Dr. Alford) presided at the dinner which followed, and gave away the prizes. Archdeacon Sandford and other clergymen of the Church of England took part in the proceedings.

29.—The Marquess of Salisbury elected to the chairmanship of the Herts. Quarter Sessions, which had become vacant by the death of his father, the late Marquess.

JULY 21.—Inauguration of the Palmerston Memorials, at Romsey. The memorials were a bronze statue erected in the market-place, and a stained window of singular beauty inserted in the west end of Romsey Abbey.

23.—Wareside Church re-opened, after being enlarged and restored.

AUGUST 7.—Annual meeting for prize rifle shooting at Ashridge. The Ladies' Challenge Cup was won by Private Cordell, of the 22nd Essex, for a score of 42—five shots at 200, 500, and 600 yards.

12.—Charlton Mill, Hoddesdon, the property of Messrs. Manser, destroyed by fire.

SEPT. 12.—A time-piece presented as a testimonial to Mr. J. L. Glasscock, builder, of Bishop Stortford, by his workmen.

23.—Inauguration of the East of England Nonconformist Grammar School, at Bishop Stortford.

27.—Great damage done in the neighbourhood of Hertford by a whirlwind, which passed over the North Crescent and Cowbridge, and on to Bengeo, Chapmore End, Tonwell, Sacombe Park, Sacombe Bury, and Munden.

Oct.—A silver inkstand presented as a memorial from the farmers of Anstey, to the Rev. G. Porter, M.A., on giving up the curacy of the parish.

8.—The Parish Church of All Saints, Little Munden, was re-opened for public worship, after being restored and repaired.

31.—A testimonial, consisting of a silver tea-service, presented to the Rev. J. T. and Mrs. Barker, by the parishioners of High Cross, Standon, on the occasion of Mr. Barker giving up the incumbency of High Cross to accept the living of Rushden, Northamptonshire. The testimonial was presented by Arthur Giles-Puller, Esq., of Youngsbury.

Nov. 17.—Hertford Borough Election. The Reform Act of 1867, having deprived the Borough of one representatative, and the Right. Hon. W. F. Cowper, who had represented it for 33 years, having gone to South Hants, the contest for the single seat was between Mr. R. Dimsdale, the former Conservative member, and Mr. Frederick Waymouth Gibbs, a barrister, and formerly tutor to the Prince of Wales, who came forward in the Liberal interest. The numbers polled were: Mr. Dimsdale, 434; Mr. Gibbs, 345.

19.—Hertford County Election. There were four candidates for the three seats. The numbers polled were as follows: The Hon. H. F. Cowper, 3693; H. R. Brand, Esq., 3625; Abel Smith, Esq., 3396; H. E. Surtees, Esq., 3356. The old members were—Mr. Cowper (Liberal) and Mr. Smith and Mr. Surtees (Conservative). Mr. Brand came forward as a second Liberal and was elected with Mr. Cowper.

Dec. 22.—A thunderstorm in the nighbourhood of Hertford.

# NECROLOGY.

## 1867.

Dec. 27.—At Ramsgate, in the 82nd year of his age, the Rev. Miles Bland D.D., rector of Lilley, and a justice of the peace for the county of Hertford. Dr. Bland, who graduated at Cambridge University as long back as 1808, was second Wrangler and second Smith's Prizeman, the Venerable Professor Sedgwick being fifth Wrangler in the same year. A fellowship at his college (St. John's) was soon conferred upon Mr. Bland, who also undertook the more responsible office of tutor. He was well known in the mathematical world for his publications — Algebraical Problems, &c.— which had a most extensive sale and wide reputation in their day. With regard to the University, Dr. Bland was one of the Moderators in the years 1814, 1815, and 1816. In 1823 he retired from college life, accepting the rectory of Lilley, Hertfordshire, in the gift of the college, which he held until his death. He took his M.A. degree in due course, became B.D. in 1818, and proceeded to the superior degree of Doctor in Divinity in 1826. Dr. Bland was a fellow of the Royal and Astronomical Societies, and of the Society of Antiquaries, London. He was also a Prebend of Wells Cathedral, to which preferment he was appointed in 1826.

## 1868.

JAN. 2.—At Ware, after a protracted illness, at the age of 60, Henry Butcher, Esq., M.D. Dr. Butcher was a man of great ability, and the oldest medical practitioner in the neighbourhood of Ware. Out of his profession he was a man of considerable intelligence, and, some years ago he used to take great interest in public affairs. Most of the tradesmen of the town attended the funeral, which took place at the cemetery.

14.—In the 92nd year of his age, Mr. Richard Cheffins, late of Hailey Hall, Great Amwell.

19.—At Ford's Grove, Winchmore Hill, in the 63rd year of his age, Edward Thomas Busk, Esq., a justice of the peace for the county of Hertford.

FEB. 26.—In the 77th year of his age, Francis Wigg, Esq., a justice of the peace for the county of Hertford.

28.—At Hertford, Edward Lawrence, Esq., in his 80th year. The deceased was formerly a corn and coal merchant, carrying on an extensive business at Hertford. For many years before his death, he had carried on the business of a corn merchant in London, but had latterly resided in Hertford.

MARCH 4.—Archibald John, Earl of Rosebery, K.T., aged 84.

9.—In the 91st year of her age, Elizabeth Sarah Reeve, of Hertford.

31.—At Abbot's Langley, in the 89th year of his age, Mr. James Sedgwick, formerly of Woodwick's Farm, Rickmansworth.

APRIL 8.—At Albury Hall, near Ware, Richard Dawson, Esq., a justice of the peace for the county of Hertford.

12.—At Hatfield House, in the 77th year of his age, the Most Noble James Brownlow William Gascoyne Cecil, K.G., 2nd Marquess of Salisbury. The death of the noble lord was quite unexpected. On the previous Tuesday he had presided over the Hertfordshire Quarter Sessions, being at the time in his usual state of health. On the afternoon of Saturday, the 11th inst., the noble lord came down from London to Hatfield. Lady Salisbury had gone to Knole, on a visit to her father and mother, the Earl and Countess Delawarr, early on the same day, and no members of the family were at Hatfield. Mr. Strike, the valet of the noble Marquess, left him late at night, apparently as well as usual, but on going to him at seven o'clock on Sunday morning, found him ill. He had had diarrhœa during the night, and was, to some extent, prostrated. Mr. Strike at once sent for Dr. Drage, of Hatfield, and despatched a messenger to Lady Salisbury, at Knole. Dr. Drage remained in close attendance upon the noble lord throughout the day, doing everything that medical skill and knowledge could suggest to prevent the fatal exhaustion that followed. But every effort was in vain. His lordship gradually sunk, and died at half-past six o'clock on Sunday evening. He was conscious to the last, and was happily able to converse with Lady Salisbury and her son Lord Sackville Cecil, who arrived at Hatfield an hour before he died. The deceased Lord Salisbury was born on the 17th of April, 1791, and succeeded to the family honours at the death of his father, on the 13th of June, 1823. He was twice married—first, on the 2nd of February, 1821, to Frances Mary, only daughter and heir of Mr. Bamber Gascoyne, who died on the 15th of October, 1839; and, secondly, on the 29th of April, 1847, to Lady Mary Catherine Sackville-West, second daughter of the Earl Delawarr. By his first marriage, he left surviving issue Lady Mildred, married to Mr. Alexander J. Beresford Hope, M.P.; Lady Blanche, widow of Mr. James Maitland Balfour, of Whittinghame; Viscount Cranborne, M.P. for Stamford (who has succeeded to the Marquisate); and Lord Eustace Cecil, M.P., for West Essex. By his second

marriage his lordship left three sons, viz., Lord Sackville, Lord Arthur, and Lord Lionel Cecil; and two daughters—the Ladies Mary Arabella and Margaret Elizabeth Cecil. The Marquess of Salisbury was appointed Lord-Lieutenant of the county of Middlesex on the resignation of the late Duke of Portland; was made D.C.L. at Oxford in 1834; and was created a Knight of the Garter in 1842. He had been colonel of the Herts. Militia since 1815, and was major of the South Herts. Yeomanry Cavalry from 1847 to 1854. On the resignation of the late Lord Dacre, in December, 1841, he was elected chairman of the Herts. Quarter Sessions. The late Marquess of Salisbury held office in the Earl of Derby's first Administration, in 1852, as Lord Privy Seal, and again in Lord Derby's Government from February, 1858, to June, 1859, as Lord President of the Council. He was a staunch and consistent Conservative, and supported the late Sir Robert Peel's Government up to the proposition to repeal the Corn Laws. The late Lord Salisbury rendered great public services in connection with the River Lee Navigation. He had been an active member of the Trust ever since 1844, and was appointed chairman in 1851, after which time he gave the most devoted attention to the affairs of the Navigation. Under his management the river was converted from a 40-ton to an 80-ton navigation; several lock and other obstructions were permanently removed; the river was straightened and widened in many parts; old wooden locks and other works were replaced by brick and stone structures; and the tolls upon certain commodities carried upon the river were reduced one-half, while the income derived from the tolls was nearly doubled. When the Royal Commissioners, appointed "to inquire into the best means of preventing the pollution of rivers," visited this county in the prosecution of their investigation, they were evidently struck by the evidence given of the great things done in the improvement of the Navigation; and in their report to Parliament the following words occur:—"In their (the Trustees) hands the undertaking has been a commercial success. The Navigation is well maintained. Altogether they seem to have administered their trust well."—The *Hertford Mercury*, a newspaper opposed to his lordship in politics, has written of him as follows:—"The influence which a nobleman in Lord Salisbury's position was able to exercise over borough and county politics was enormous; and it must be admitted that, when he thought it necessary to exercise that influence, he did not withhold his hand. He was, perhaps, chiefly remarkable for the firmness with which he adhered to his convictions, and the resolution with which he sought to carry them out in the face of opposition.....He rendered considerable service to the public by his activity and energy and business habits, as Chairman of Quarter Sessions; but he sometimes obstructed measures to which he was opposed in a manner that tired the patience of those who best understood his good qualities, and who most respected him.....His lordship showed great zeal and energy in almost all matters connected with the Herts. Regiment of Militia, of which he was Colonel. He was exact, punctual, but considerate, and was liked by officers and men. The excellence of the band—one of the best in the kingdom, and which has sent some of the first musicians into the household and line regiments—was entirely due to his unsparing liberality and fostering care. We may mention as an illustration of the esteem in which he was held by the officers of the regiment, and of their appreciation of his services, that on the 9th of May, 1864, while the regiment was out for training at Hertford, at a mess dinner at the Shire Hall, Lieut.-Col. Smith-Dorrien, in the name of the officers of the regiment, presented to his lordship, as a testimonial of their respect, gratitude, and regard, with a piece of plate, representing a rustic scene, prominent in which is the figure of a stag at gaze, and standing upon a pedestal of ebony, on which

there is the following inscription:—'Presented to James Brownlow William Gascoyne Cecil, Marquess of Salisbury, K.G., fifty years Colonel of the Harts. Militia, May 9, 1865, by the officers who have served under him since the re-establishment of the Regiment in 1852.'—In private life Lord Salisbury exhibited the virtues, affections, and demeanour which grace a noble name. He was courteous and kind—always a gentleman; eminently social, delighting to gather troops of friends around him to share the splendid hospitalities of Hatfield House. He had many old servants, and he never lost sight of or neglected them when they became too old to serve him. Those who were not intimately acquainted with him can have but little notion of the many kind acts done by him to those who sought his assistance. He was, as one who knew him well says—'a powerful friend.' He was pertinacious in everything, and when he undertook to help a man, he would go through with it to the end. But Lord Salisbury exacted deference to his own views. He was not a man who could tolerate resistance to his will—certainly not in matters political. Lord Salisbury had one great sorrow in his life. Thirty-three years ago, on the 27th of November, 1835, the west wing of Hatfield House, in which were the apartments of his mother, the Dowager Marchioness of Salisbury, caught fire, and her ladyship was burnt to death. When the alarm was given, his lordship rushed to his mother's room for the purpose of saving her, and though the smoke and flames which came from it forbade approach, and showed the danger and uselessness of it, he kept on his way, and was only prevented by force from entering to meet his death. Foiled at this point, he attempted to reach the room by another staircase, and had again to be prevented from risking his life. In this incident we may trace that force and eagerness of will which was at once the source of much that was excellent and defective in the character of the noble lord. Of so prominent a man the whole truth should be spoken; and, regarding his life as a whole, we think it must be conceded that he was not unworthy the high position which he occupied. His death will be lamented as a misfortune by many, and regretted by all who remember him for his courtesy, his consistency, and his services."

12.—At Russell Farm, Watford, in the 71st year of his age, William Taylor Copeland, Esq., a justice of the peace for the county of Hertford, and for upwards of thirty-nine years an alderman of the city of London.

MAY 5.—At Bushey Grange, in the 73rd year of his age, Humphrey Harper Burchell-Herne, Esq., of the Middle Temple. He was the eldest son of the late Basil Burchell, Esq., of Bushey Grange (who died 1838), by Sarah, daughter of Lieut.-Col. Humphrey Harper, of the Madras Army, and grand-nephew and heir of the late Sir William Herne, whose name he assumed by royal sign manual. He was born in the year 1796 (Sept. 2), and was educated at Eton, under Dr. Keate, and at Trinity College, Cambridge, where he graduated B.A. in 1818, and proceeded to his M.A. in 1821. He was called to the bar at the Middle Temple in 1819. He was a magistrate and deputy-lieutenant for the county of Hertford, and served as high-sheriff of the county in 1847. He was also a magistrate for Middlesex. For twenty-six years he was chairman of the Watford Board of Guardians, which he only resigned in April last, through failing health. Mr. Burchell-Herne married in 1837 Harriet, younger daughter of Richard Miles, Esq., of Phillimore-place, Kensington; and by her, who died in 1863, he has left, with other issue, an only son—Humphrey Frederick Herne, who was born in 1843, and married, in 1865, Mary Anne Elizabeth, second daughter of the late Samuel Hall Egginton, Esq., of North Ferriby, Yorkshire.

9.—George Sowerby, Esq., of Putteridge Bury, a justice of the peace for the counties of Herts. and Beds., and the North Riding of Yorkshire, and deputy-

lieutenant of Yorkshire. Mr. Sowerby was educated at Trinity College, Cambridge, and for some years practised at the bar on the Northern Circuit. He succeeded to the Putteridge estates on the death of his brother, the late Colonel Sowerby, about four years ago.

16.—At Broxbourne-bury, Cecilia, widow of the late George Jacob Bosanquet, Esq., in her 80th year.

16.—At Codicote Lodge, Welwyn, aged 62, Joseph Busk, Esq., a justice of the peace for the county of Hertford.

JUNE 4.—At Newbattle Abbey, Dalkeith, aged 64, the Earl of Shrewsbury and Talbot. The deceased nobleman (as Lord Ingestre) formerly represented the Borough of Hertford in Parliament.

27.—At Shanghae, Thomas Hercy, fourth surviving son of the late Sir Astley P. Cooper, Bart.

JULY 14.—John Marchant, jun., Esq., solicitor, and clerk to the River Lee Trust, in the 38th year of his age. Mr. Marchant succeeded to the important office long held by his father, who survives him, rather more than two years before his death; and the Lee Conservancy Bill, the object of which was to supersede the present Trust by one in some respects differently constituted, engaged a great deal of his attention, and required his daily attendance in Parliament. The anxiety and labour which the duty of watching the measure imposed upon him, sorely tried a constitution which was never vigorous, and revived a special weakness which years ago caused much alarm. A few days before his death, Mr. Marchant was talking in the lobby of the House of Lords to Mr. Surtees and Mr. Dimsdale, when he became conscious that he had ruptured a blood-vessel. He immediately proceeded to his offices in Great George-street, where he received medical attention, but on the next day the symptoms assumed a dangerous character, the bleeding from the lungs being excessive, and all hope of recovery was abandoned. By the death of Mr. Marchant the River Lee Trust have lost a most valuable and conscientious officer, and the town of Hertford a useful and public-spirited citizen. As Secretary to the Literary and Scientific Institution, as member of the Local Board of Education, and in other offices, Mr. Marchant did good service, and won the good will of his neighbours. He has left a widow (a daughter of Mr. P. Longmore) and seven children.

20.—At Hadley, Captain Edward Missenden Love, adjutant of the 2nd Middlesex Militia, and a magistrate of the Barnet Petty Sessional Division.

22.—Priscilla, widow of General Gosselin, late of Mount Ospringe, near Faversham, Kent, and daughter of the late John Dimsdale, Esq., formerly of Hertford, aged 88.

AUGUST 10.—At Great Berkhampstead, John Hyde, Esq., in his 88th year.

SEPT. 3.—At Bognor, the Rev. Richard Parkinson, M.A., formerly incumbent of Northaw, aged 60.

17.—Edward Marjoribanks, Esq., fourth son of the late Edward Marjoribanks, Esq., of Lees, Berwickshire, in the 93rd year of his age.

25.—At Cheltenham, aged 65, James Matthias Gilbertson, a former mayor of Hertford, and in the commission of the peace for the borough,

29.—At Lichfield, in the 84th year of his age, William Smith, Esq., solicitor, formerly of Hemel Hempstead.

OCTOBER 5.—Harry Chester, Esq., aged 62. Mr. Chester was formerly in the Privy Council Office, and it was probably his connection with the educational department of that office which first directed his attention to the question of education, and especially of art education, in the promotion of which he did good service. He was connected by family with the county of Hertford, and for some-

time resided in the neighbourhood of Hertford, where he interested himself in promoting local examinations for the certificates of the Society of Arts, and in measures to improve the condition of the labouring poor in the district where he lived. Mr. Chester was the youngest and last-surviving son of the the late Sir Robert Chester, many years Master of the Ceremonies to King George III., George IV., and William IV. He received his early education at the Charter House and Westminster Schools, whence he passed to Trinity College, Cambridge. In 1826, before he had time to take his degree, he became a clerk in the Privy Council Office, and was for a short time attached to the British Embassy at Lisbon. The important period of his life, however, was that which he spent between the years 1840 and 1858, as assistant secretary to the Committee of the Privy Council on Education—a post in which his great courtesy and indefatigable industry gained for him not a few friends and admirers. Mr. Chester, who was a magistrate for Middlesex, was twice married, and has left a widow.

8.—At the Priory, Ware, in the 56th year of his age, Martin Hadsley Gosselin, Esq. Mr. Gosselin was a justice of the peace for the county of Hertford, and served the office of Sheriff in 1859. He was a son of the late Admiral Gosselin, who for many years resided at Bengeo. The late Mr. Gosselin was a man of considerable culture, and amiable and just in all the relations of life. He took a warm interest in the improvement of the cottages of labourers, and was chairman of the Hertford Building Company, established for that purpose..

20.—At Richmond House, Wimbledon, the Lady Adine Fane, daughter of the Countess Cowper and sister of the present Earl, aged 25. Lady Adine Fane married, in September, 1866, the Hon. Julian Fane, and leaves two children, the youngest of whom is an infant. She was much loved by all who knew her, and on the occasion of her marriage there was a very remarkable expression of the good will of the inhabitants of Hertford and the neighbourhood, inspired by her gentleness and goodness.

Nov.—Mr. Thomas Wenham, in the 93rd year of his age. Mr. Wenham had been throughout life a man of extremely temperate habits, and was in the habit of taking long walks in the country up to within a few years of his death. Latterly he had been compelled to shorten his daily walks, but he did not discontinue them until very recently. He retained the use of his faculties until his last illness. Mr. Wenham had lived in Hertford all his life, and formerly carried on business in the town. His family had lived in the neighbourhood for centuries.

18.—At Turner's Hill, Cheshunt, John Francis Chapman, Esq., aged 86.

Dec 7.—At Nice, suddenly, the Lady Rokeby.

7.—At Much Hadham, Ann, widow of the late William Gorsuch Times, Esq., solicitor, in the 97th year of her age.

## CORRECTIONS.

Page 24.—*Peerage of Hertfordshire.* The name of the son of the Marquess Townshend should be "John James Dudley Stuart."

Page 34.—*Clergy List.* The Rev. C. W. Harvey is curate of Buckland.—Page 36. Mr. Squibb is curate at Totteridge, and Mr. Bishop curate of Walkern. Mr. Watson and Mr. Vaughan are curates of Tring. The printer has misplaced the names in correcting the proof.

Page 52.—*County Postal Directory.* The deliveries of letters at *Welwyn* are at 7 and 9.15 a.m., winter and summer, and the box closes at 11·35 a.m. and 9 p.m.

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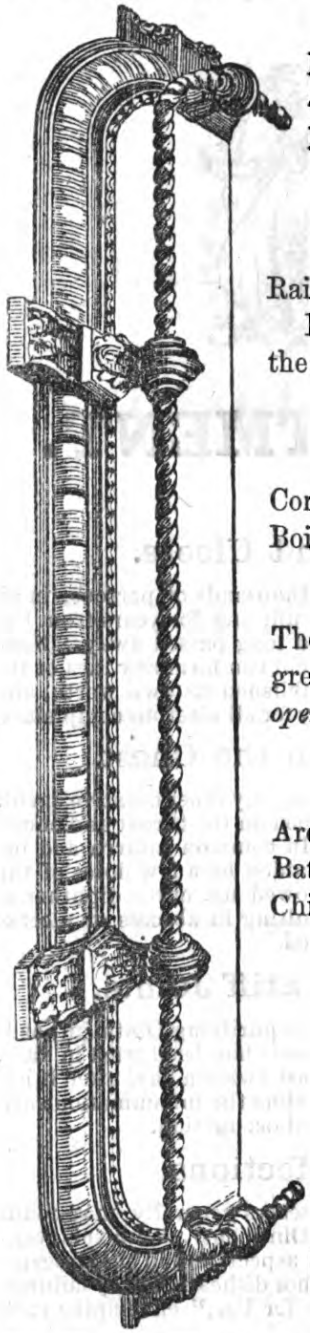
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