

Lewer Edward, farmer  
Luck James, grocer, Hadham cross  
Martin George, farmer  
Moore & Smith, surgeons  
Mott, Gayton & Mott, solicitors  
Page Frederick (Mrs.), blacksmith  
Pickett John, farmer  
Prior George, farmer  
Prior Philip, farmer  
Prior Robert, farmer  
Randle Henry, baker

M.  
Richardson John Mott, solicitor, &  
commissioner for taking affidavits in  
chancery & the common law courts,  
& agent for Phoenix Fire Insurance &  
County Hailstorm Assurance Offices  
Smith John, farmer, Old hall  
Speller William & Joseph, plumbers &  
glaziers  
Stalley Henry, grocer & draper  
Stracey Joseph, baker & grocer  
Thurgood James, bricklayer

POST OFFICE

Thurgood George, *grocer & draper*  
Tilcock Charles, *Red Lion*  
Topcott William, *beer retailer*  
Trutch Henry Charles, *stationer, &  
berlin wool & fancy repository*  
Turner William, *saddler*  
Uncle Maria, *Bull*  
Venn Julia, *beer retailer*  
Wilkinson John, *nursery & seedsman*  
Wilson James, *Old Bell*  
Wilson John, *saddler & harness maker*

**LITTLE HADHAM** is a parish, in the Edwinstree hundred, and in the union, rural deanery and county court district of Bishop Stortford, St. Albans archdeaconry, and Rochester diocese, 2 miles north from Great Hadham. The church of St. Edmund is a neat edifice, in the Early English style of architecture: it has a nave, aisle, porch, transept, chancel, and square embattled tower containing 5 bells. The living is a rectory, consolidated with that of Great Hadham; the Rev. Francis Randolph, M.A., of St. John's College, Cambridge, is the curate. A National school for the education of both sexes was erected in 1861. The parish comprises 3,068 acres, and the population in 1861 was 864.

Godfrey David, esq  
Parry Nicholas, esq  
Randolph Rev. Francis, M.A. [curate]  
Turner Mrs

COMMERCIAL.  
Betts Samuel, farmer, Hadham hall  
Chapman John, farmer, Bury farm  
Chapman William, farmer  
Chipperfield Thomas, butcher

Cundall Susannah (Mrs.), *Angel*, &  
postmistress  
Ellock Daniel, jun. shopkeeper  
Ellock Daniel, sen. carpenter  
Garland John, farmer  
Gillett David, grocer & beer retailer  
Gillett Fredk. wheelwright & blacksmith  
Gillett Susannah (Mrs.), *For*  
Glasscock Thomas, farmer

Harvey George, saddler  
Hoare Richard, farmer  
Linsell Hen. Jas. grocer & watch maker  
Mason George, farmer  
Morris James, farmer  
Pritchett Wm. Delabere, farmer & brick  
& drain pipe manufact. Hadham park  
Smith Thomas, cattle dealer  
Tanner Edward, maltster & farmer

**HARPENDEN** is a large village and parish, in Dacorum hundred, St. Albans union, county court district, rural deanery and archdeaconry, and diocese of Rochester, situated on the Bedford road, 5 miles south from Luton, 5 north from St. Albans, and 25½ from London, with railway station one mile distant from the town, on a branch of the Great Northern from Hatfield to Luton, opened October, 1865. There are two extensive breweries, and the straw plaiting and bleaching businesses employ a considerable number of people. Here is a large ancient parish church (dedication unknown): it has a square tower with 5 bells. The parish was separated from the adjoining one of Wheathampstead by an Order in Council, and formed into a distinct ecclesiastical parish. The living is a perpetual curacy, annual value £710, with residence, in the gift of the Bishop of Peterborough, and held by the Rev. Edward Thomas Vaughan, M.A., of Christ's College, Cambridge; the Rev. Joseph Simpson, B.A., is curate. There are chapels for Independents and Wesleyans; also new British and Foreign schools, erected by subscription; a National and Infant school, and a literary institute. A chemical laboratory was erected by public contributions, from the designs of Mr. J. Gilbert, architect, of Nottingham, as a memorial to John Bennet Lawes, Esq., for his valuable services rendered to agricultural science. A gas company has recently been formed in this parish. Rothamsted Hall, the residence of John Bennet Lawes, Esq., is pleasantly situated in a park, all studded with lofty trees and plantations: the house is in the Early English style of architecture: the principal entrance, under a clock tower, faces the east, and commands extensive and beautiful views. Races are held on common on the Friday before Epsom races. John Bennet Lawes, Esq., is lord of the manor, with the Dean of Ely as patron.

Anscombe Mr. Allen  
Gilbert Joseph Henry, esq  
Johnson Rev. George T. [Independent]  
Kingston Francis, esq  
Lawes John Bennet, esq. Rothamsted  
hall

Lawes Mrs. Mary, Rothamsted lodge  
 Lydekker Gerrard Wolfe, esq. J.P.  
 The Lodge  
 Miller Miss Mary  
 Missenden Mrs. Susan  
 Rumball Auther, esq. The Hall  
 Rumball James Quilter, esq. The Limes  
 Simpson Rev. Joseph, B.A [curate]  
 Spackman Frederick Robert, esq  
 Vaughan Rev. Edward Thomas, M.A  
 Warde Mrs  
 West Henry Reginald, esq  
 Wilson Miss  
 Wilson Misses

COMMERCIAL.

Anscombe Allen, linen draper, hosier &  
haberdasher  
Archer John, boot & shoe maker  
Archer Sarah (Mrs.), milliner  
Bailey George, leather seller  
Bassil Samuel, beer retailer  
Batchelor Richard, baker  
Biggs William, wheelwright  
Borders William, beer retailer  
Boulton Charles, tinman & brazier  
Brash Helen (Mrs.), grocer  
Bruton Wm. beer retailer, Cold harbour  
Burchmore George, farmer, Hatching grn  
Cheshire George, *Marquis of Granby*  
Child William, tailor  
Cook John, farmer, Kinsman green  
Cooper Robert, baker  
Cox Henry, farmer  
Davis George, farmer, Top street

and Chapter of Westminster, and has appropriated several acres of land near the village for the benefit of the parish labourers, who farm the same in allotments. The soil is light, and yields good crops of wheat, oats and barley. The area is 5,061 acres, and the population in 1861 was 2,164. The TOP STREET and Bowling Alley are to the south-east; PIGOTT'S HILL is a mile and a half east; ROTHAMSTED is one mile south-west; HARPENDEN BURY is one mile west; COOTER'S END is one mile north-west; HATCHING GREEN is half a mile south; HAMMOND'S END is 2½ miles south-west; COLD HARBOUR is one mile north-east. Batford and Pickford corn mills are on the Lea.

*Parish Clerk, George Gifkins.*

POST & MONEY ORDER OFFICE & POST OFFICE SAVINGS BANK.—Thomas Irons, receiver. Letters arrive from St. Albans at 8 a.m.; dispatched at 5.45 p.m.

INSURANCE AGENTS:—  
*British Empire Mutual Life*, L. Whitehouse  
*Leeds & Yorkshire*, William Irons  
*Manchester Fire*, Thomas Simons  
*Royal*, Thomas Dawson; William Robinson  
*Royal Farmers'*, William Robinson

Registrar of Births & Deaths, George Gifkins

**SCHOOLS:—**  
*British*, John Henshaw, master; Miss Lydia Walker, mistress; Miss Ann Atthowe, infants' mistress  
*National*, John Gilbert, master; Mrs. Susan Gilbert, mistress; Miss Ann Grey, infants' mistress

CARRIER TO LONDON—John Congreve, to 'White Horse,' Cripplegate, daily

Davis William, farmer, Lower Top street  
Dickinson Joshua, beer retailer  
Doggett Joseph, saddler  
Dudmesh William, saddler  
Dunham Daniel, shoe maker  
Elmer James, *George*  
Eyles John, tailor  
Farnell John, butcher  
Farr Edward, beer retailer  
Farr Sarah (Mrs.), farmer, Scout farm  
Field & Sons, straw hat manufacturers  
Fowler William, plumber & glazier  
Fuller Rachel (Mrs.), *Bull*  
Gardner George, plumber  
Gifkins Geo. registrar of births & deaths  
Gilbert Joseph Henry, prof. of chemistry  
Guess Ephraim, farmer, New farm  
Hale William, shopkeeper  
*Harpenden Hall Asylum (Author*  
*Rumball, proprietor)*