

Hawkins Ann (Mrs.), beer retailer
Healey Elizabeth Whittingstall (Mrs.),
brewer & maltster, Harpenden
brewery
Henson William, boot & shoe maker
Hester Charles, farmer, Turner's hall
House John Isaac & Thomas, brewers
How William, farmer, Hammond's end
Humphrey David, beer retailer
Hunt William, blacksmith
Huson Thomas, boot & shoe maker
Irons Thomas, ironmonger
Ivory Samuel, beer retailer
Lawrence George, fishmonger
Leedham Henry Joseph, rope maker
Lewin Sarah (Mrs.), grocer

Lines Henry, blacksmith
Martin Joseph, beer retailer
Matthews Joseph, beer retailer
Mimms George, beer retailer
Nott Charles, farmer
Nott George, cattle dealer & farmer
Nott Mary (Mrs.), shopkeeper
Olney William, farmer, Byelands
Osborne William, beer retailer
Patmore Joseph, Red Lion
Robinson John, carpenter
Robinson William, beer retailer
Robinson William, grocer
Saunders John, grocer
Seabrook George, beer retailer
Sibley Robert, farmer, Anobles farm

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Silshy Mary (Mrs.), straw plait manuf.
Simons Thomas, grocer
Skillman Henry, butcher
Spackman Frederick Robert, surgeon
Stebbing John, butcher
Swain Thomas, blacksmith
Trustram Joseph, Cock
Trustram William, beer retailer
Vine Thomas, beer retailer
Walker William, straw plait dealer
Wells William, bricklayer
West Henry Reginald, surgeon
Willmott Henry, farmer
Willmott Henry, jun. corn dealer
Willmott Joseph, farmer, Cooter's end
Winterborn James, grocer

HATFIELD (or **BISHOPS HATFIELD**) is a small and ancient market, union and railway town, and polling place for the county, in the hundred of Broadwater, county court district and archdeaconry of St. Albans, rural deanery of Hertford, and diocese of Rochester, situated on the declivity of a hill on the line of the Great Northern Railway and road; it is also a telegraphic station; distant 20 miles from London, 7 west from Hertford, 8½ from Barnet, 4½ from Welwyn, 10½ from Stevenage, 14½ from Hitchin, and 5 east from St. Albans, not far from the river Lea. The Union Workhouse contains about 90 inmates. The union comprises the following parishes:—Bishops Hatfield, Essendon, Northaw, and the Lea and the Colne. The fairs are held on April 23rd and October 18th. The church of St. Ethelreda consists of a nave, chancel, aisles, and embattled tower, enriched with a handsome new spire, erected through the munificence of the Marquis of Salisbury; with a chapel of the family of Cecil—Earls and Marquises of Salisbury: on the north side is a hand-cut, and supported by figures representing the four cardinal virtues. The register dates from 1653. The living is a rectory, with the chapelry of Totteridge annexed, joint annual value about £2,000, with residence, in the gift of the Marquis of Salisbury, and held by the Hon. and Rev. William Whitworth Chetwynd Talbot, M.A., of Christ Church, Oxford, rural dean. St. Mark's church, at Wood Hill, was built by the Marquis of Salisbury. St. John's, at Lemsford Mills, was erected by Lady Cowper. The living is a perpetual curacy, annual value £200, in the gift of Lady Cowper, and held by the Rev. Alfred Henry Locock, B.A., of Trinity College, Cambridge. There is also a new church and school combined, recently erected at Hatfield Hyde, at the expense of the Marquis of Salisbury. Here are Church of England schools for boys, girls, and infants, and a girls' school, endowed by one of the Salisbury family; also a National school (mixed), by William Franks, Esq., at Wood Hill, and a mixed school at Cromer Hyde; Thomas Mills, Esq., also erected a school at Newgate Street for the children of that district. Here are an Independent and a Baptist chapel. There are several small charities. A public library has been established, militia barracks built, and the place lighted with gas. On the Lea are several mills. The Great Northern Railway passes through the skirts of the town. Half a mile west of the town, on the St. Albans road, a great many new houses have been erected, which are called Hatfield New Town. Brocket Hall, the seat of Viscountess Palmerston, at which the late Viscount Melbourne was favoured by a visit from Her Majesty Queen Victoria, is close to the Great North road: the park contains about 500 acres, in which the river Lea forms a fine sheet of water: the mansion contains some fine pictures, and the grounds are well laid out. The Marquis of Salisbury is lord of the manor and principal landowner. Hatfield House, the seat of the Marquis of Salisbury, is a large Elizabethan brick building, with enrichments of stone, and is considered one of the finest specimens of English architecture of that age: near this spot an ancient palace of the Bishop of Ely stood, which was rebuilt by Sir Robert Cecil, afterwards Earl of Salisbury, in the fifth year of the reign of James I.: the park, which is beautifully undulated and wooded, is bounded on the north by the river Lea, and on the west, for about two miles, by the Great North road from Barnet, and is the largest in the shire: there is standing in the park the oak tree, now fenced in, under which Elizabeth sat, awaiting the arrival of her troops to escort her to London to be proclaimed Queen;

she had resided here several years before she ascended the throne. Charles I. was kept in custody here for some time. Queen Victoria was a visitor to Hatfield House in October, 1846. The soil is various, partly light, and the lation in 1861 was 3,871.

NEWGATE STREET is a hamlet in Hatfield parish, 6½ miles south-east, and 4 north-east from Cheshunt. St. Mary's church is a cruciform structure, built of Bath stone, the interior is equally well finished: it has a nave, chancel, and transept, an organ, and a finely carved stone pulpit: all the windows are of stained glass, and those in the transepts and east and west ends are very handsome. The living is a perpetual curacy, annual value £100, in the gift of Miss Mills, and held by the Rev. Robert Prichard Davies, M.A. At **WOODHILL**, about 4 miles south-east, is a large chapel of ease.

ROE (or **ROW**) **GREEN** is a mile and a half south-west; **WOODSIDE**, 2 miles south-east; **GRUB'S LANE** is 3 miles south-east, where there is a National school for boys and girls; **WOODHALL**, a mile and a half north; **STANBOROUGH**, one mile north-west; **CROMER HYDE**, 3 miles north-west; **SYMOND'S HYDE**, 3 miles north-west; **HANSIDE**, 3 miles north; **ASTWICK**, 2 miles north-west; **LEMSFORD MILLS**, 3 miles north. **MILL GREEN** is on the Lea.

Parish Clerk, Henry Hankin.

POST & MONEY ORDER OFFICE & POST OFFICE SAVINGS BANK & GOVERNMENT ANNUITY & INSURANCE OFFICE.—Mark Powell, postmaster, Fore street. Box closes at 9.30 p.m.; letters received until 9.55 by paying a fee of 1d. Two deliveries each day at 7.30 a.m. & 10.15 a.m. Box closes at 12; dispatched at 12.30. The North post closes at 6.30 p.m.; dispatched at 7 p.m.

INSURANCE AGENTS:—

Life Association of Scotland, William Sandon
Liverpool, London & Globe, Stephen Cox, Fore street
Norwich Union, Mark Powell, Fore street
Phoenix Fire, Henry Hankin, Park street
Royal Exchange, Charles Townsend, Fore street
Sun, James Chapman, North road

PUBLIC ESTABLISHMENTS:—

Hatfield Gas Works, William Hardy, manager
Hatfield Rural Library, London road, James Benjamin Dunham, librarian
Police Station, French Horn lane, Wm. Isgate, inspector
Union House, New town (the board meets alternate thursdays, at 12 in winter & 2 in summer); Marquis of Salisbury, chairman; Robert William Gausson, vice-chairman; Charles Drage, surgeon; John H. Binyon, clerk; Edward Kite, master; Mrs. M. Kite, matron; George Harris, relieving officer
Excise Office, 'Red Lion'

PUBLIC OFFICERS:—

Distributor of Stamps, Mark Powell, Fore street
Registrar of Births & Deaths, Wm. Sandon, Spring villa
Station Master, Edmund Cooter

SCHOOLS:—

Church of England (boys), Hatfield, Robt. Stroud, master
Church of England (girls), Hatfield, Miss Charlotte Jones, mistress
Infant, Hatfield, Miss Mary Ann Farr, mistress

POSTING HOUSES:—

Salisbury Arms hotel, Charles Townsend, Fore street
Lion, Mrs. Harriet Webb, North road

PRIVATE RESIDENTS.

Barclay Thos. Geo. esq. Lower Woodside
Beavis George, esq. Symonds hyde
Burke John, M.D. Fore street
Butler Charles, esq. Warren wood
Church John, esq. D.L. Woodside

Clarke Seymour, esq. North place
Dagg John Ross, esq. Lawn house
Drage Charles, M.D.
Ellis Wynn, esq. J.P. Ponsbourne park
English Mr. Abraham, New town
Franks William, esq. J.P. Wood hill

Greenhill George, esq. Bell bar
Hale Henry Grimstone, esq. Fore street
Harford Charles R. esq. Bush hall
Hollingsworth William, esq. New town
Kewley Rev. Thos. Rigby, M.A. Wood hill
Langton Mrs. Stanborough