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HERTS. & ESSEX OBSERVER

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## NATIONAL REGISTER OF ARCHIVES

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#### INTRODUCTION TO CORRESPONDENCE

The Herts. & Essex Observer was founded in 1861, less than a decade after the repeal of the tax on newspaper advertising (1853) gave a great stimulus to the local press. The material dealt with in this list falls into two categories: (1) letters concerning advertisements, including the texts of the advertisements themselves, and letters to the Editor, during the first decade or so of the paper's existence; and (2) printing specimens (posters, cards, etc.) from the office of H. Collings & Co., printers, and publishers of the Observer, during the same period.

It was handed to the Local History Society for preservation in recent years, and was sorted and listed, 1968-9 by two Committee members, Mrs. W. E. B. Ewbank, B.A., and Mr. G. Stew, under the supervision of Mr. R. A. Storey, of the staff of the Historical Manuscripts Commission and a member of the Society. The papers were in poor physical condition, due to long exposure to the atmosphere and to dust, and to the high acid content of much of the paper, and many of the original bundles of correspondence had broken up. Those that remained were retained, and loose MSS. have, where possible, been grouped by month.

Most of the information in the correspondence will presumably appear in the contemporary columns of the Observer, but the methods of insertion (often through local or national agents) are of some interest, and the letters (some with informative letter-headings or illustrations; and others in illiterate hands) have a certain intrinsic interest. Their subjects reflect the economic and social life of a small agricultural market and service centre, coming within the ambit of the capital, particularly following the construction of the railway from London to Cambridge via Bishop's Stortford in the 1840's.Of greatest individual interest are the items relating to the local architect, G. E. Pritchett, whose work included the striking church and school at High Wych. (Pritchett carried out work on otherlocal churches, and material for this will be found in the Diocesan Records in Essex Record Office.)

A selective subject index to the correspondence has been drawn up to enable some of the more important items to be identified.

NON-ORIGINAL BUNDLE : 1864 March

- /1 Wm.Rand : Fat Stock Sale, Saff.Wald.
- /2 Nicholls, 'Rising Sun', B.S.: stock-kpr. wanted for farm.
- /3 B.S. Friendly Soc. (Jn.Coots, Sec.): A.G.M.

#### ORIGINAL BUNDLE: 12th March 1864

- /1 Poster: G.E. Sworder: auction of chestnut gelding. Paper embrittled.
- /2 G.E. Sworder: auction of estates of T. Easton of Great Hadham.
- /3 Saffron Walden Fat Stock Sale.
- /4 Mrs. Wiseman, Widford : residence & brewhouse to let.
- /5 Mr. Wm. Maud, auctioneer: hsehold furn. & effects at the Green Man, Heydon, nr. Royston.
- 76 Baptist Chapel, Epping: anniversary celebrations.
- /7 J. Hayden, Lancaster's Farm, Hatfield Broad Oak : post as miller wanted.
- /8 Observer Office : lad for horse wanted.
- /9 Printed letter-head: Henry Hart, Saffron Walden: cook & housemaid wanted.
- /10 Pencilled note of names & addresses : no explanation.
- /11 Mrs. C. Holmes, Moor Hall Farm, Harlow: dairymaid & cook wanted.
- /12 N.C., Post Office, Harlow : drileman (sic) &ploughman wanted.
- /13 Printed: Charles Barker & Sons, General Advertising
  Agents, 8 Birchin Lane, London, E.C. Paper pinned to
  second piece: The Bankruptcy Act 1861: Alfred
  Thomas Byford, High St., Epping, discharged as bankrupt.
- /14 H. Perry, Little Hyde Hall, Sawbridgeworth: horse at stud.
- /15 J.E. Greenhill: Union Brass Band Concert at the Corn Exchange B/S.
- /16 Frederick Watson, Church St. B/S.: pump manufacturer. Ink drawings of pumps.
- /17 Printed: The Conservative Land Soc.: development of building estate at B/S. [New Town]
- /18 Printed: meeting at Saffron Walden to discuss the Malt Tax: text of 4 resolutions & petition to Parlt. verso part of report of discussion at meeting.
- /19i-ii Manuscript (pencil) version of /18 (resolutions & petition)
- /20 Poster: Mr. B. Thurgood, auctioneer: contents of the Hall, Sampford, Essex. Very much fragmented due to embrittlement.

## ORIGINAL BUNDLE : 1864 Aug 6

- /1 Richardson v. Goodson, et al.: creditors of late Eliz.

  Meredith of Lt. Hadham to appear before Master of the Rolls.
- /2 Chopping, farmer, Cheshunt: ploughman wanted. [On note-paper of H.Collings & Co., printers, publrs.of the H.& E.O.]
- /3 Girl wanted to clean schoolroom.
- /4 Post as companion, etc., wanted. [Miss Sanderson, Apton Cott.]
- /5 Post for couple as gardener/laundress wanted : Wright, Epping.
- /6 Wm.Pain, bldr., Hatfield Broad Oak : lost Australian paper.
- /7 Hawkes & Co., The Brewery, B.S.: Thos. Thornwood, collector, has left employ.
- /8 M.Jordan, Albury Kennel: post as housemaid wanted.
- /9 Sam. Emson, late of B.S. : notice to creditors.
- /10 Note of subscriptions [to ?].
- /11 Jn.Stubbings, grocer, B.S.: apprentice wanted.
- /12 Messrs.Prescott & Co., land agents, Parliament St., London.
- /13 Webb's Coffee & Pating Ho., Cambridge : advert.card.

## NON-ORIGINAL BUNDLE: 1865 Jan

- /1 Littlebury School: sale of schoolho., room, etc. as bldg. material.
- /2 Fawbert & Barnard Boys School, Harlow: Concert.
- /3 Mr Hoblyn, The Views, Rickling: housemaid and gardener/handyman wanted.
- /4 J.T.Highgate: Musical Entertainment of Songs of Scotland at B.S. Corn Exchange.
- /5 St. John W. Thorpe, Manuden Vicarage : gen. svt. wanted.
- /6 Mr L.Bing : outside tuition. [Piano]
- /7 'H.M.', P.O., B.S.: post as housemaid wanted.
- /8 Sarah Savill, Hazle End, Farnham: post as plain cook or gen. svt. wanted.
- /9 Mr Silcocks, Epping: ploughman wanted.
- /10 Day, Son & Hewitt, 22 Dorset Ho., Baker St., London: ask how they may forward pamphlets.
  On reverse: advt. of Ed. Shorter, chimney sweep, Rye St., B.S.
- /11 S.Morley: pr. notice [with MS. alteration]: move to Rosebank, Hadham Rd., from North St.
- /12 Harvey, Turnpike Gate, Potter St. : dog for sale.
- /13 M.A. Boast, Tudor House, Stansted : young ladies school.
- /14 Misses Langdon & Wallis, Buntfield End Ho., Stansted: beginning of their school term.
- /15 A.Legg, Printing & Stationery Wareho., Epping: requests insertion of bill sent by same post.
- /16 Jas. Harris, administrator of estate of late Geo. & Harriet Self, coachbldrs., Saff.Wald.: notice to creditors & debtors.
- /17 Wm.Rand : Fat Stock Sale, Saff. Wald.

## ORIGINAL BUNDLE [part only] : 1865 Feb

- /1 Hy.Parish, 'Half Moon', North St., B.S.: complains of exaggerated claims at Highway Bd.mtg. about smell from his premises at bottom of North St.
- /2 Jn.Gadsby, B.S.: above matter is his tenant's responsibility, but writer was not aware of any nuisance.
- Geo.Briggs, Medical Hall, B.S.: advert.for Briggs'
  Family Pills, w.text of testimonial from Fredk.Bennett,
  Hackney Rd.
  - /4 B.S.Mutual Improvement Soc. : lecture to be given by Elihu Burritt.[American advocate of internatl.peace.]
  - /5 Mrs Thorpe, Manuden Vicarage : advert.for gen.svt.to be repeated.
  - /6 'Alpha', P.O., B.S.: seeks post as grocer's hand.
  - /7 'XYZ', P.O., B.S.: experienced grocer's hand from London seeks post [same as /6 above].
- /8 'Townsman', B.S.: proposes illumination of Corn Exchange clock by gas.

NON-ORIGINAL BUNDLE : 1865 Feb

- /1 [Wm.Rand] : S.W. Fat Stock Sale.
- /2 A.Lynes, 193 Shoreditch : proforma re advert.
- /3 Hy.Baker, solr., B.S.: notice to creditors of late Geo.Wildbore Stafford, innkpr., B.S.
- /4 Entertainmt.in aid of B.S. Lity. Instn.

## ORIGINAL BUNDLE : 1 Apr 1865

- /1 Inspector Ryder, B.S. : advert. for lost dog.
- /2 B.S.Friendly Soc. : pr. cutting, w. MS.date : A.G.M.
- /3 W.Livermore, Elsenham : farm foreman wanted.
- /4 Mr Clarence, Takeley : married man wanted for gen.work.
- /5 R.Aplin, Pipers Steam Mill, Harlow: storeman wanted.
- 76 T.M., Mr Oigers, Mount St., Ware: young man wishes to article himself as mason or bricklayer.
- /7 Smith, Rose Cottage, Hornsey: amendmt.of previous advert. for gen.svt. [Cutting of original verso.]
- /8 Mr Green, Registry Office, B.S.: maid wanted.
- /9 Mrs Spencer, Norman Ho., Stansted : gen.svt. wanted.
- /10 Curriers Arms, B.S. : ostler wanted.
- /11 L.Y., P.O., Farnham : post as housekpr. wanted.
- /12 Mrs Cundall, Standon : repeat of advert. to clock & watch-makers.
- /13 Messrs.Joseph Thorley, Thornhill Bridge, King's Cross: pr. proforma re advert. Verso :detailed engraving of spice mills,&c.
- /14 A.B., P.O., Harlow : housemaid wanted.
- /15 Mr Toole, B.S.: house & shop to let.
- /16 G.B., c/o Mr Wright, Epping : post as groom wanted.
- /17 Jas. Holmes, auctioneer & surveyor, Barking : advert. for timber.
- /18 Epping Harmonic Soc. : change of date of Concert.
- /19 -, P.O., Quendon : post wanted as comman.
- /20-3 W.Savill, Clavering, auditor of Saff.Wald.Bldg.Soc. : long ltr. defending Soc. against published criticism.
- /24 G.E. Sworder: auction of standing timber at Gt. Hadham.
- /25-6 Jas. Hogg & Sons : pr.advert.for Churchman's Family Magazine.
- /27 W.C. Venn & E.R. Scruby, Epping: 1tr. re practical joke over kettle.
- /28 G.M.Fenn: auction of stock-in-trade of Mr Pegrum, bldr., Sawb.
- /29 Cutting from Observer: installation by Mr Conisbee, London, of new 'Main's Printing Machine'.
- /30 T.G.Webb, M.R.C.V.S. : Ltr. praising remedy 'Neurotom [?]
- /31 G.Duke, Saff.Wald. : repeat of advert.
- /32 Saff.Wald. Fat Stock Sale announcemt.
- /33 E.R. Scruby, Epping: 2 temperance poems, w.covering ltr.
- /34 Messrs.Colman & East, 26 Cannon St. : re insertion of weekly advert.
- /35 Pr.Notice: move of printing, etc., business of H.Collings & Co. to Mr T.B.May's prems., North St.
- /36 Pr.Poster: B.T.Thurgood: auction at Red Lion Inn, Ickleton: effects of late Mr Ellis.
- /37 As above : auction of 2 freehold mechanics' houses, Alpha Place, Saff. Wald. [Fragile]

ORIGINAL BUNDLE : April 8th 1865

- 11 Printed: Messrs. Ansons, 25 Gt. James St., Bedford Row, London : loans & mortgages.
- 12 W.L., Obs. Office, B.S.: furn. apartments to let.
- /3 J. Watts, B.S. : married couple wtd. for farm & poultry.
- 14 W. Anson: ltr. re advert.
- /5 Mrs. Pyne, Windhill, B.S. : cook wtd.
- 16 Mrs. John Parris, Farnham, B.S. : hsemaid wtd.
- The Garratt, Hunsdon Mill, Ware: ltr. re Teetotallers [use, but not abuse].
  Mrs. Seabrook, Berden Priory, B.S.: nursemaid wtd. /7
- /8
- James Patmore, Bishop's Fm., B.S. : notice re Easter 19 Dinner at the Railway Inn.
- /10 R. Franklin & Son : ltr, re Pitley Farm.
- Mr. Garratt, Hunsdon Mills, Ware : ltr. to <u>Observer</u> : orders copies [Repeal Malt Tax' letter head].
  Wm. Liles Hayden, Tailor & Woollen Draper, Hockerill : /11
- /12 advert. of stock.
- /13 E. Sainsbury : millinery advert.
- /14 Mrs. Collis, South St., B.S.: millinery.
- /15 The Bankruptcy Act 1861 : order of discharge : Arthur Savill, of Elsenham, Publican & Dealer in Cattle, Pigs & Poultry.
- /16 Mr. Mitchell, News Agent, Hoddesdon : gen. svt. wtd.
- Mr. George Nichols, Bourdeaux Fm., Littlebury, Saffron /17 Walden : shepherd wtd.
- /18 J.W. Perry Watlington, 37 Loundes St., S.W. : ltr. re insertion of address in paper.
- John Marten, S. Walden: ltr. to inquire name of writer of article on S. Walden Building Society. /19 draft ltr. by John Wise for H. Collings & Co. verso Ltd. in reply. verso John Wise : ltr. to Mr. C.Guy : asking permission to disclose his name as correspondent.
- /20 John Marten : ltr. re article on S.W. Building Soc.
- 'A Correspondent', S. Walden : ltr. re Mr. Savill's /21 defence of the S.W. Building Soc.
- /22 J.W. Perry Watlington, 37 Loundes St., S.W. : ltr.to insert mr. Branston's adoress also.
- /23 Abraham Crabb, Milkman, Little Havers, B.S. : testimonial to Mr. Caldwell's Corn Cure.
- I. Thomson, T. Bonar & Co.,  $57\frac{1}{2}$  Old Broad St., London E.C.: agents for Peruvian Govt. Guano. Advert. Uffice 124 51 Threadneedle St., London.
- /25 Mr. Wm. Rand, Auctioneer, Audley End & S, Walden: family residence to let at Littlebury.
- Sam. Andrews, Hertford : ltr. re advert. 126 verso Sam. Andrews, Timber & Bark Mcht., Hertford: Oak Bark bought.
- /27 R. Clark, Advert. Uffice, 51 Threadneedle St., London: Peruvian Govt. Guano. [see 24 above].
- John Osborne, Parish Constable & Toll Collector : notice /28 to stall holders at Stansted Fair.
- mr. Wm. Rand, Auctioneer : Whitley Farm, Birdbrook, 129 Haverhill & Halstead, Essex : standing timber.
- /30 mr. Wm. Kand : S. Walden Fat Stock Sale.

- 731 Thomas Cubbin, Mount Pleasant, Roydon: ltr. requesting insertion of few lines in answer to Mr. Garrett.
- /32 Four names & addresses & respective number of corns cured.
- 733 D. Davies, Stanstead Independent Chapel: ltr. re landslip near the Chapel.
- /34 R.D. Stringer, S. Walden: ltr. re notice of N.E. Election.
- /35 N. White : ltr. re insertion in paper.
- /36 J. Spooner, North St., B.S. : millinery.
- /37 Poster: G.E. Sworder, B.S.: auction of timber, Culver Wood, Gt. Hadham: paper embrittled.
- /38 Poster: G.E. Sworder: auction of premises in South St., B.S.: paper in fragments. [Not preserved.]

ORIGINAL BUNDLE [part only] : 1865 May

/1-2	J.W.Savill,	printer,	etc.,	Dunmow	:	sends	advert.re
	Dunmow Bldg	_					

- /3 Notices of B.M.D.
- /4 T.Caldwell [corn cures], Cambridge: asks for address to be deleted from advert.
- /5 G.E.Pritchett [archt.]: invites tenders for erection of new malting at B.S. for Jn.Carter Cornwell.

  Verso: G.E.P. seeks old oak panelling & carving.
- /6 'M.A.', The Cottage, Hockerill : seeks post as hsekpr.
- /7 T.Caldwell, Northampton : sends correct address [see /4 above].
- /8-9 C.Whittaker, P.O., Harlow: sends advert.for hsemaid.
- /10 Mr Scott, Saff.Wald. re advert.
- /11 R.Franklin & Son : auction of property of late Mr Oiger at Berden & Clavering.
- /12 Mrs Chapman, Hadham Mill Farm : gen.svt.wanted.

## NON-ORIGINAL BUNDLES : 1865 May

- /1 J.Scott, Mkt. Pl., Saff. Wald. : summer show of millinery, etc.
- /2 L.L., P.O., Henham : wants post as maid.
- /3 D.French, High Wych : offers instruction upon organ or piano.
- /4 Hatfield Broad Oak Choral Soc. : pr.handbill of performance of 'The Messiah', altered for insertion in press.
- /5 Wm.Rand : Fat stock sale, Saff. Wald.
- /6 Wm.Dawson, & Sons, London & Country Advertising & Newspaper Offices, 74 Cannon St.: request repeat of Leifchild & Cheffins adverts.
- /7 O.E. Ratcliff, Thaxted : 2 painters wanted.
- /8 Mrs Clarke, Parsonage Farm, Stebbing : gen. svt. wanted.
- /9 Stephen Pamphilon, Lea Hall, Hatfield Broad Oak: ploughman wanted.
- /10 'A Subscriber': long ltr. querying certain aspects of costs of new bridge at B.S., giving details of property affected by approaches to it.

ORIGINAL BUNDLE : 1865 May 13

- /1 'G.G.', Observer office : country grocer's business wanted.
- /2 H.Collings : advert.for sports equipment. [For sale.]
- /3 J.Rush, Thaxted.
- /4 J.A.Beasly, Gt.Parndon: sends advert.from Jn.Jarvis, 'Crown Inn', Harlow: fields of tares for sale.
- /5 R.Franklin & Son : sale of furniture & effects of Miss Yates, Takeley, who has moved.
- /6 J.Savill : house to let at Gt.Hallingbury.
- /7 Wm.Richardson, Hatfd.Bd.Oak : bitch for sale.
- /8 [Mrs Harrison, Birchanger] : good plain cook wanted.
- /9 R.Lambert, P.O., Takeley: 2 cotts. to let.
- /10 , Tottenham : gen.svt. wanted.
- /11 Wood's Mowing Machines: cutting w.MS. addition of dealership of J.T.Cole, bldr., Thaxted.
- /12 R.Franklin & Sons: auction of 3 recently erected tenemts.,
  Burton End.
- /13 Mr Hoblyn : groom & gdnr. wanted.
- /14 Sun Fire Off. : pr.advert. w.MS. addition of Sworders' agency.
- /15 'C.R.', c/o Mr Frost, Quendon : post as odd boy wanted.
- /16 'M.P.', P.O., Harlow : post as laundress wanted.
- /17 J.Davis, agent to Stort Navige: defends his employers attitude to New Bridge [writer same as C.10/10 & C.34/2-3 ?].
- /18 Nevill, nr.Ashdown : young turkeys wanted.
- /19 Wm. Rand : Saff. Wald. Fat Stock Sale.
- /20 Note re 2 adverts.
- /21 'F.M.', P.O., Harlow: post as hsemaid.wanted.
- /22 [H.]Baker, solr.: furnished hse.to let.
- /23-4 Wm.Douglas, bldr., Saff.Wald.: his agency for Queen Insurance Co. [1 sheet on pr.leaflet of Co.].
- /25 Ltr.poss.accompanying above.
- /26 C.Whittaker, P.O., Harlow.
- /27 Mr Hoblyn : discontinuance of advert.for mansvt.
- /28-9 Wm.Dawson & Sons, City: Leifchild & Cheffins' sale advts.
- /30 Alf.Savill, City & Chigwell: details of forthcoming sales of property at Matching Green.
- /31 B.S. School Athletic Sports.

## ORIGINAL BUNDLE: 1865 Jul 1

- /1 R.D.Wright, Saff.Wald. : spokes [for sale].
- /2 Thos. Hutton & Josiah Ward : have taken over veterinary business at Thaxted.
- /3 Wm.Rand : Saff.Wald. Fat Stock Sale.
- /4 T.Wright : coal prices at Epping Station.
- /5 Churchman's Family Magazine : pr.advert.
- /6 Manor Farm, Waltham Holy X : strayed cob.
- /7 G.M.Fenn : quarterly auction, B.S.
- /8 Jn. Hudson, Parndon.
- /9 W.S.Whitnall, Wheelers Farm, Sheering: svt.wanted, apply to Mrs Martin, Matching Tye.
- /10 C.Whittaker, Harlow.
- /11 Mrs Portway, B.S. : good plain cook wanted.
- /12 'L.L.', P.O., Harlow : gen.svt.wanted.
- /13 Mrs Emson, Sen., Saff. Wald .: cook wanted.
- /14 'E.R.', P.O., Harlow : post as plain cook wanted.
- /15 'G.H.', ibid.: hsemaid.wanted.
- /16 Mrs Patrick, 'White Hart', Tottenham Hale : hsemaid.wanted.
- /17 C.Smith, Potter Street : jobbing hand & shoeing smith wanted.
- /18 [Wm.Alderton] : stable post wanted.
- /19 Nicholls, 'Rising Sun', B.S.:pointer bitch for sale.
- /20 'A.B.C.' : bailiff/dairywoman post wanted by couple.

## ORIGINAL BUNDLE (part only) : Sept. 1865

- /1 Note re continuation & correction of advt. for farm bailiff.
- /2 Mrs. Smith, Obs. Office : gen. svt. wtd.
- /3 mrs, Hodgson : note re advt.
- /4 Mr. J.A. Ashwell, B.S. Park : advt. for seed wheat.
- /5 B.T. Thurgood, Land Agency, Saffron Walden: ltr. re advts.
- /6 ditto
- /7 ditto
- /8 ditto
- /9 E.C. Bambridge, Green Man, Harlow: ltr. re insertion of advt.
- /10 Mr. Parris, Moscall Bury, White Roding: residence to let at White Roding.
- /11 rrs. Gosling, Wicken Hall, Newport : gen. svt. wtd.
- /12 Mrs. Barnard, Newport : gen. svt. wtd.
- /13/1-2 Notes re various advts.

## NON-ORIGINAL BUNDLE: 1865 Sep

- /1 Mrs Spencer: furnd. apartmts. to let: note re repeat of this [on back of part of ltr. from H. Collings & Co., on pr.paper].
- /2 G.E.R. : London Excursion advert.
- /3 Hy.Phillips [corn mcht.], Windhill, B.S. : farm labr. wanted.
- /4 Harlow Agric.Assoc. & Labourers' Friendly Soc. : notice of 13th Ann.Exhibn. & Ploughing Match. (C.L. Corfield, Hon.Sec.)
- /5 Jn. Hoare, Bury Grn., Lt. Hadham : sale of 5 ac. of mangold wurzel.
- /6 Cutting: advert. of Messrs. Leifchild & Cheffins: sale of live & dead stock, Easton Manor.
- /7 'A.B.', c/o Messrs.Boardman, B.S.: room wanted to hire for dancing class.
- /8 Messrs.Slater & Sons, drapers, B.S.: advert. as insurance agents.
- /9 Mr Spicer : repeat of advert. for svt.
- /10 Mrs Fenn, Hockerill: gen.svt. wanted. [1d.red stamp & London & B.S. cancellations.]
- /11 J.Chopping, Cheshunt : cowman wanted.
- /12 Mr Truswell, Sawb. : groom wanted.
- /13 Mr Hawkins, Hatfield Heath/Truswell, Sawb.: ploughmen wanted.
  [On back of pr. advert. for Book Society prize packets.]
- /14 Wm. Rand : notice of Saff.Wald. fat stock sale.
- /15 'B.C.', P.O., Quendon: post as under-groom wanted; Mrs C. Mickley, Elmdon Lea, Littlebury: good plain cook wanted; Mr Nicholls' advert. for manures to be stopped.
- /16 Pull of var. adverts., to be inserted en bloc.
- /17 Mrs Bush, 'Chequers' Inn, B.S.: gen.svt. wanted; Mr Bush, ibid.: post as working farm bailiff wanted.
- /18 Mrs Bainbridge, 'Green Man', Harlow : gen.svt. wanted.
- /19 W.R.Jeffrey, Saff.Wald. : as above.
- /20 Pr. advert. : Saffron Walden Year Book [top half of advert. only, w. MS. instructns.].
- /21 G.E.Sworder: sale of properties of late Col.Owen & Jas.Wilcox, Gt.Hormead & Layston.
- /22 Messrs.W. Barron & Son, Hare St.: discontinuance of advert. for smith.
- /23 H.Collings & Co., 25/9/1865, to Messrs.Leifchild & Cheffins: soliciting advert. for sale at Lt.Easton [/6 above ?]; endorsed with consent.
- /24 J. Heath, B.S. : ho. in occ. of Miss Hall, Market St., to let.
- /25 Pull of advert.: Messrs. Beadel, 25 Gresham St., E.C.: sale of contents of ho., Bush Hill, Enfield.
- /26 B.Perry/Jn.Slater, B.S.: Apton Cottage to let.
- /27 G.E.R ; memo, re advert.

## NON-ORIGINAL BUNDLE : 1865 Oct.

- /1 Mrs Browning, Mkt. Place, Saff. Wald. : gen. svt. wanted.
- /2 Wicken Hall, Newport : as above.
- /3 Mr Smitheman [?], Hertford : brougham driver wanted.
- /4 G.E. Sworder: cutting of advert. of sale of estates at Gt. Hormead & Layston.
- /5 Wm. Rand : Fat stock sale, Saff. Wald.
- Justices of Walden Petty Sessions : notice of exclusion of stock from Newport Cole Fair.
- /7 Mr Miller, 'George Hotel', B.S. : coach-house wanted.
- /8 Mrs Haynes, Stansted : nursemaid wanted.
- /9 W.Newman, Chrishill: sends notice for Mr J. Downham, Mannor (sic) Farm, Chrishall (sic) that persons found in march of game on his lands will be prosecuted.
- /10 Singleton [?], Saff. Wald. : note accompanying advert.
- /11 Benningfield, Estate Agency, Ware: sends rough notes re the opening of the Corn & Cattle Mct. of the town.
- /12 Simson & Groombridge, Newspaper & Gen. Advertising Off., Mkt. Pl., Hertford: proforma accompanying advert.
- /13 Mrs Wiseman, Sawb. : gen. svt. wanted.
- /14 Mrs Baker, Windhill, B.S.: cook wanted.
- /15 Notice of sale by Mr Crawley of effects of late Mrs Brickwell, Knight St., Sawb.
- /16 Wm. Rand : Fat stock sale, Saff. Wald.
- /17 Mr Scott, Mkt. Pl., Saff. Wald.: requests repeat of advert. for improvers & apprentices.
- /18 Mrs Wyman, Hatfield Broad Oak : cook wanted.
- /19 Jas. Tucker, Town Mill, B.S.: man wanted to undertake managemt. of water mill w. 2 prs. of stones.
- /20 Messrs. Norton & Trist. 62 Old Broad St.: memo. enclosing advert.
- /21 Cattle Plague, Harlow Dist. : Harlow Cattle Club ready to receive new members.
- /22 C.Bocock, Saff. Wald. : sends advert. and asks for quarterly terms.
- /23 Mrs Jos. Porter, Buckland : cook wanted.
- /24 Notice of sale by G.E.Sworder of tower mill and other bldgs., Hadham road, Standon.
- /25 Wm.R.D.Thurgood, Saff.Wald. : sends advert.
- /26 Mr Clark, Ringers, Newport : working farm foreman wanted.
- /27 Mr Truswell : secondhand pianoforte wanted.
- /28 Birth of son to Mrs T.R. Warren, Albion Grove, Barnsbury.
- /29 Mervyn Patterson, M.D., Saff.Wald.: treatment for 'Indian Plague' (Asiatic Cholera) which is now rife; spread by contagion.
- /30 -, Cottage opp. Vicarage, Manuden : chandelier for sale.

NON-ORIGINAL BUNDLE : 1865 Dec

Bundle No. C.16

- /1 J.B.Glasscock : under-cowman wanted.
- /2 'O.P.Q.', P.O., Harlow : gen.svt.wanted.
- W.D.Pritchett, Lt.Hadham : ltr.re care of cattle in time of cattle plague.
- /4 Rev.R.Parrott, Vicar of Gt.Amwell: ltr.advocating
  Nat.Assoc.for Promoting Freedom of Worship [of which
  he is Organising Sec. for Rochester Dioc.Assoc.].
- J.A.Bentley, House Agency, etc., Gt.Parndon: ltr.re discontinuance of advert.

## NON-ORIGINAL BUNDLE 1866 Jan

Bundle No. C.17

/1 Wm.Rand : sales at Horseheath & Ickleton, Cambs.

## ORIGINAL BUNDLE: 13 Nov 1869

- /1 Poster: Messrs.Jackson & Son, Whitwell, Hrt.: sale of tan yard (residence, business, 28ac., 6 cotts.). [Not preserved.]
- /2 Messrs.Richards & Hine, Chingford: sale of hay & farm animals, Chingford HallFarm [not preserved].
- /3 Messrs.Jackson & Son, land & estate agency, Hertford: ltr. re advert.
- /4 As above : sale adverts.
- /5 Ditto.
- /6 Ditto. : horse sales, B.S.
- /7 Ditto. : furn., B.S.
- /8 Marriage : Charlotte Rolfe Alf. Harris, Takeley.
- /9 Ltr. 'Longevity and the Drainage Scheme' re aged inhabitants of High Beach, w.ref.to recent death of Mr Crawford, nurseryman.
  [Written on pr.bill of MacNaghton, Hollis & Co., mchts., 17
  Bishopsgate St. Without. Fragmented due to embrittlement.]
- /10 Birth : dau.to Mrs Jn. Serjeant, B.S.
- /11 Death : Wm.Spicer, Lt.Bardfield.
- /12 Geo.Porter : ltr. re Book of Common Prayer.
- /13 'A' : query re qualificatns.of med. practitioners.
- /14 H.W. Young, Asst. Overseer, B.S.: ltr. re Poor Rate.
- /15 Death : Jeffery Newman, B.S., a.23yrs.
- /16 Birth : dau. to Mrs Bertram Scott Judd, Mayfair.
- /17 Herbert Taylor (Essex Rifle Vols.), Saff.Wald.: alteratn. to advert. of Ball.
- /18 Pull of adverts. for continued insertion.
- /19 J.Hardy: terminatn. of advert.
- /20 Pencil note re repeat of Hardy's advert. re trees & shrubs.
- /21 Saff.Wald. Fat.Stock Sale.
- /22 Economical Cooking Range: advert. Verso: traveller's pr. notice of Edward Rigby & Co.
- /23 Miller, George Hotel, B.S. : sale of gelding.
- /24 M.A.C., Strutsbury Farm, Waltham X: post as housemaid wanted.
- /25 A.B., c/o Mrs Wm.Saunders, Takeley: post as parlourmaid wanted [verso: pr. notice re Pleasant Hours].
- /26 M.A., c/o Mrs Waterman's Eating Ho., B.S.: post as cook wanted.
- /27 J.Thompson, B.S.: advert. for tailoring business.
- /28 Cole Bros., Thaxted : joiners & bricklayers wanted.
- /29 C.R. ('lad'): post as under-footman wanted. Verso: half of ltr. from Wimshurst & Co., Engrs., Stepney (works)re Mr Eugene Sweny joining as partner. Illus.ltr.head shows Chaplin's Patent Portable Steam Engines, locos, etc.
- /30 O.P.: post as housekpr. wanted.
- /31 Mrs Matthews, Champions, Harlow: housemaid wanted. [Bottom half of 29 verso, signed by Alex.Chaplin.]
- /32 Mrs March, B.S.: gen.svt. wanted for family in London.
- /33 Thos. Dorrington, Spelbrook : hay & straw for sale.
- /34 Mrs J.J.Green, Todds Brook Farm, Gt.Parndon : cook wanted.
- /35 Mr Savill : alteratn. to advert. for potatoes.

## ORIGINAL BUNDLE: 13 Nov 1869 (cont.)

- /36 Chas. Smith, Braughing : grinding stones for sale.
- /37 Mrs Cooper, Hatfield Heath : cottage to let.
- /38 Hart, stationer, Saff.Wald.: nurse to 3 little boys wanted.
- /39 J.Thompson, tailor, B.S. : addition to block.
- /40 Memo. from Hy.Hart: W.Piper, P.O., Barley: grocer's & draper's business for sale.
- /41 Pull of advert. for Powell's Balsam of Aniseed.
- /42 Bottom part of above : pr. instructns. from W.J.Clarke, jun., Gracechurch St.
- /43 R.Thurgood, Myddylton Ho., Saff. Wald. : advert.for cook.
- /44 Mrs Thurgood, The Grove, Saff. Wald. : cook wanted.
- /45 Incomplete.
- /46 A.Legg, stationer, Epping : memo. encl.advert.
- /47 Joshua Miller & Sons, B.S. : coal advert.
- /48 Geo.Palmer, Waltham X.: Ltr.to J.P.Davis, accompanying ltr. for publication, proposing address to Sir Geo.Duckett on centenary of Stort Navign.
- /49 Linnell's cheese advert. to be discontinued. Note re paper bags.
- /50 Mitchell, Hoddesdon : re payment.
- /51 Susan Snow, Henham : post as housemaid wanted.
- /52 M.A.C., Stutsbury Farm : post as under housemaid wanted.
- /53 Mr Judd, P.O., Puckeridge : poem for insertion.
- /54 J.Tuck, Much Hadham : advert.to be discontinued.
- /55 Jas.Bullen, North Hall, Melbourn, Cambs. : ho.at Lt.Chishill to let.
- /56 S.M.: post as housekpr.: advert.to be continued.
- /57 Mrs J.L.Glasscock, Westfield Lodge, B.S.: gen.svt.wanted.
- /58 Mrs A.Hicks, Grove Hill, Stansted : gen.svt.wanted.
- /59 J.Tullin [?], Quick Bury, Sawb. : ploughman wanted.
- /60 H.Hart : note re adverts.
- /61 Geo. Hare [?]: note re advertising sale of stock at Chingford.
- /62 Poster: Amateur Vocal Charitable Concert, Epping.

## NON-ORIGINAL BUNDLE : 1869 Nov

- /1 Marriage at Hunsdon: Rbt. Hammond, Castle Hedingham, to Mary Ann Smith, Hunsdon.
- /2 Death of Jn. Ricketts, Goldings Farm, Netteswell.
- /3 Death of Geo. Jas. Prior, Hockerill.
- /4 Marriage at Berden: Thos. Cowell, Berden, to Mary Lanham, Wimbish.
- /5 Barry, Old Jewry: agent for Rees & Co.'s Biphosphated Peruvian Guano [wet-copy advert.; centre missing due to embrittlemt.].
- /6 Wm. Hart, Saff. Wald.: re paymt. for Mr Lovell's advert. [on back of half of pr. advert. for Hy.Hart's Almanack.]
- /7 Wm. Rand : notice of Saff. Wald. Fat Stock Sale.
- /8 Hy. Hart, printer, etc., Saff. Wald. : enclosing advert.
- /9 Death of Mrs Jane Dorrington, B.S.
- /10 H. Carlake, Radwinter: rpt. of inquest on Sarah Ann Willis, Hempsted, choked by a pea.
- /11 Mr Miller: discontinuance of advert. for sale of hunter. [Calcs. verso.]
- /12 C.H.May, Gen. Advertising Off., 78 Gracechurch St.: proforma.
- /13 Thos. Holloway [pill mfr.] : order for insertn. of ads.
- /14 A.B., c/o Mrs Knight, Standon : post as cook wanted.
- /15 Mrs Skeet, Wind Hill Ho., B.S. : cook wanted.

URIGINAL BUNDLE: 20 Nov. 1869 (poster used as wrapper disintegrated).

- /1 Jackson & Son, Hertford : alteration of advt.
- /2 Thos. Halloway, 533 Oxford St., W.C. : ltr. re advt.
- /3 Mrs. J.J. Green, Todds Brook Fm., Parndon, Essex: cook wtd.
- /4 Herbert Taylor, Saffron Walden: ltr. re patrons of Essex Rifle Volunteers Ball.
- /5 Y.Z., Obs. office : apartments to let.
- /6 Mrs. Gifford, Shingle Hall, Sawbridgeworth : gen. svt. wtd.
- /7 Post Office, Takely: 2 advts.: JourneymTailor wtd. Hse. to let.
- /8 James Carr, Rose Cottage, Waltham Rd, Waltham X: ltr. re advt.
- /9 Pencilled note re advt.
- /10 Herbert Taylor. Saffron Walden: ltr. re insertion of notice. [See 4above.]
- /11 J.A. James : discontinue advt.
- /12 Printed notice: postponement of 17th Essex Rifle Volunteer Ball. [Sudden death of Ed.Frost, Taylor's fa.-in-
- /13 Printed handbill: Thurton's entertainment at the Corn Exchange [w. MS. amendmts.].
- /14 Franklin & Son, Auctionneers, : property at Fulbourne and Linton
- /15 E.C., Duddenhoe , Saffron Walden : post as cook wtd.
- /16 J.H., Post Office, B.S.: post as hsemaid wtd.
- /17 Wm. Hughes, Ironfounder, B.S.: 2 h.p. engine for sale.
- /18 Pencilled note : discontinue Mr. Ave's advt.
- /19 Mrs. Wm. Thurgood, Saffron Walden: ltr. re advt. verso cook wtd.
- /20 Boars Head Inn : ostler wtd.

  verso part of wine list with prices.
- /21 H. Hencher, 40 Chancery Lane: ltr. re insertion of notice.

  verso Legal notice to debtors & creditors of Mary Wilson, decd., of Gt. Hallingbury.
- /22 G.E. Sworder : sale of hse. & pasture in Windhill
- /23 mrsx miss Fairman, Windhill, B.S. : svt. wtd.
- /24 A.C., Post Office, Braughing: post as gamekeeper or rabbit-catcher wtd.
- /25 M.A.Frost, Worthington, nr. Soham, Suffolk: post as cook wtd.
- /26 Messrs. Jackson & Son, Buntingford : Fat Stock Sale.
- /27 M.A., Post Office, Sawbridgeworth : post as nursemaid wtd.
- /28 B, 7 Parliament Rd., Hampstead : small fm. wtd. to rent.
- /29 Mr. Wm. Rand, Saffron Walden : Fat Stock Sale.
- /30 mrs. Herring, Stansted : cook wtd.

ORIGINAL BUNDLE : 20 Nov. 1869

- /31 J.W., Post Office, Takely : post for married couple wtd.
- /32 E.J., Post office, Manuden : post as gen. svt. wtd.
- /33 Poster: Franklin & Son: auction of cart-horses & carriers' wagons at Wimbish. Paper embrittled.
- /34 Henry Hart, Saffron Walden : ltr. re advt.
- /35 Mr. Wm. Rand : Fat Stock Sale, Saffron Walden.
- /36 Death : Mrs. Patmore, B.S., a. 86.
- /37 G.H. Barnard, Coal Office, Newport, B.S.: hsekeeper & ploughman wtd. at Lodge Fm., Elmdon.
- /38 Visiting card of Mr. T. Seaman, Vet. Surgeon, Priory House, Saffron Walden
- /39 C. Mitchell & Co., General Advertising & Newspaper
  Press Directory Office, Red Lion Court, Fleet St.,
  London: ltr. re insertion of advt. for Imperial
  Austrian Guaranteed State Loans.
- /40 Printed cutting : list of births of daughters.
- /41 Mr. John Clark, Post Office, Braughing : post as fm. foreman wtd.
- /42/1-2 Franklin & Son : auction of Park Mansion, Shudy Camps.
- /43 Mrs. Carr, Rose Cottage, Waltham Rd., Waltham X : gen. svt. wtd.
- /44 H.W. Young, Builder, Hadham Rd., B.S.: plots of land for sale.

  verso manuscript report of court case.
- /45 Giles Coe, Epping: ltr. re Longevity & Sanitary Conditions in Epping.
- /46 Fr. R. Thompson, New House Fm., Sawbridgeworth: agent for Liverpool & London & Globe Insurance Co.
- /47 E.Dyne, builder, New Town, B.S. : cott. to let; also new cotts.
- /48 H.Collings & Co., B.S.: hse. to let near the Corn Exchange, B.S. verso printed: amendment to advt. for B.S. Water
- /49-54 Letter, unsigned. Note on verso of /49: Letters to Sir Arthur Peel, Secretary to the Poor Law no. 8, on Benefit Societies, the Elizabethan Poor Law and the Offertory,

  verso 49, 50, 51, 52: prospectus dated 1847 for the College of St. Philip, Harlow.

  verso 53, 54: advts. for Saintsbury's Medieval Alphabets.
- /55 Mr. Seaman, Saffron Walden: ltr. re criticisms of him made by members of S.W. Council, especially re outbreak of foot & mouth disease.
  - \* ? From [Rev.] Chas. Miller, Harlow Vicarage : see embrittled conclusion to p.6.

## NON-ORIGINAL BUNDLE : 1871 Aug

- /1 W.H.Teale, Rye House [Pleasure Gardens] : ltr. re insertion of adverts. [see /2 below].
- /2 Mounted cutting, w.MS. amendmts. : Rbt.J.Teale's fete at Rye House.

## ORIGINAL BUNDLE : July 1872 (part only?)

- C.22/1 M, Post Office, Saffron Walden: gen. svt. wtd.
  Mrs. King, Littlebury: note re advt.
- U.22/2 Miss Scott, Market Place, Saffron Walden: gen. svt. wtd.
- C.22/3 Franklin & Son : sale of furn. of Pigot's Fm., B.S., for the late Mr. J.B. Glascock.
- C.22/4 Mrs. Stubbing, Harlow: gen. svt. wtd.

  verso R.Clayden, Grocer, Tea Dealer, Cheesemonger.
- C.22/5 E, Post Office, B.S.: post as gen. svt. wtd. P.P., Post Office, B.S.: post as hsemaid wtd.
- verso R. Clayden, Grocer etc.
- U.22/7 Mrs. W. Gee, B.S. : cook wtd.
- C.22/8 "P", Mr. Richardson, Gt. Hadham: unfurn. hse. to let.
- C.22/9 Announcement re services at Stansted Mountfitchet Parish Church.
- C.22/10 Mr. E. Heath, Market Place, B.S.: billiard table for sale.
- C.22/11 J. Cottage : notice re date of Linton Fair.
- U.22/12 W. Richardson, Linton: ltr. re advt.
- C.22/13 Mrs. J.J.Thurgood, Scotland Green, Ponders End: gen. svt. wtd.
- C.22/14 L.J., Mr. Mitchell's, Newsagent, Hoddesdon: gen. svt. wtd.
- C.22/15 Mrs. Hughes, The Causeway: ltr. to repeat advt.
- C.22/16 Mrs. Bird, Windhill, B.S. : gen. svt. wtd.
- C.22/17 Mr. Mitchell, Hoddesdon: note re advt. [see 14 above].
- C.22/18 A.B., Post Office, B.S.: post as second hsemaid wtd.
- C.22/19 H.Silcock, Sawbridgeworth : lad wtd. for saddle & harness trade.
- C.22/20 Mr. Vargnot, Amalgamated Dairies, Star & Garter Yard, Upper North St., Caledonian Rd. London: milk wtd. to contract.
- C.22/21 M. Richardson, Gt. Hadham : ltr. re advt.
- C.22/22 Death : Mr. Wm. Smith at Northampton a. 66.
- C.22/23 Death: Hannah Wise at B.S. a. 29.
- C.22/24 Wedding: Walter Tofts to Ruth Waterman at St. Dunstans, Stepney.
- C.22/25 C, Little Hadham : Poem "Fleeting Away".
- C.22/26 Death: Sarah Smith, at New Town, B.S., a.47.
- C.22/27 H.M., Post Office, B.S. : post as cook wtd.

<sup>\*</sup> Builder

ORIGINAL BUNDLE : July 1872 (part only?)

- C.22/28 Mrs. Porter, Corney Bury, Buntingford, Herts. gardener wtd.
- C.22/29 A.B., Post Office, Harlow : post as hsemaid wtd.
- C.22/30 Pencilled note re King's Liver Pills.
- C.22/31 Mrs. André, 9 Tottenham Terrace, Tottenham, Middx : gen. svt. & nurse wtd.
- C.22/32 Octavius Batt, Auctioneer: sale of heehold furn. of Mrs. Lock, Dunmow Rd., Hockerill.
- C.22/33 E.M., Clapton Hall, Dunmow: Retriever Dog for sale.
- C.22/34 Hy. Hart, Saffron Walden: repeat advt. for waggonette.
- C.22/35 Chas. Chapman\*: ltr. re advt.

  verso advt. for tenders to build New School Room

  Outbuilding at Wareside, Herts.
- C.22/36 Marriages at Saffron Walden: Mr. Hill to Miss Arnold; Mr. Parsonage to Miss Simmons.
- C.22/37 Wm. Rand, Auctioneer: S.W. Fat Stock Sale.
  90 Oak Timber Trees, Albury.
- C.22/38 Pencilled notes: billiard table & lease of room market Place, B.S.
- C.22/ 39 D.P. Hendy : note re aunt's advt.
- C.22/40 Miss Patmore, Manuden Hall, nr. B.S.: gen. svt. wtd. for clergyman's family in London.
- C.22/41 Postcard : note re advts.
- C.22/42 Pull of advts. for cont. insertion.
- C.22/43 Mrs. Wm. Starling, High St., S.W. : gen. svt.wtd.
- C.22/44 Messrs. Clear & Cheffins: auction of growing crops on the Glebe Land, Little Easton.
- U.22/45 E.B., Post Office, Sawbridgeworth : gen. svt. wtd.
- U.22/46 Pencilled note re advts.
- C.22/47 Mrs. Speechly, Chymisty Stansted North St., B.S.: kitchen svt. wtd.
- Geo. Spalding, Chymist, Stansted: advt. for garden tent & Bigg's Sheep Dip (manuscript), and general advt. (printed).
- C.22/49 Messrs. Clear & Cheffins, Ethelburga Hse., 70 & 71
  Bishopsgate St. Within, London: ltr. re advt. [see 44 above].
- C.22/50 Jas. Carruthers, Draper, B.S.: gen. svt. wtd.
- C.22/51 J.A.Bentley, Gt. Parndon, Harlow: White Horse' beer hse., Roydon, to let.
- C.22/52 [Hy. White, 7 Southampton st., Bloomsbury : advt. for Creditors of Wm. Newton decd.]

  verso Auction of estates in Ware by Mr. Sworder, pursuant to a decree in Chancery.
- G.22/53 Handbill: Geo. H. Innes, Market Hill, Royston: advt. for Samuelson's Self-Raking Reapers & Hornsby's Progress Self-Raker. Good illustrations of both machines.

<sup>\*</sup> Archt.

<sup>\*\*</sup> Valuer

<sup>†</sup> Dickinson v. Dickinson

ORIGINAL BUNDLE : July 1872 (part only? )

Bundle No. C. 23.

- C.23/1 Mrs. Collett, Twyford Mill: gen. svt. wtd.
- C.23/2 G.E.Sworder: sale of growing crops at Twyford.
- C23/3 Miss Yeo, Great Hadham: Board Education in her house.
- C.23/4 Mr. Chalkley, Braughing: youth wtd. for bakery.
- C.23/5 G. Horsnell, Brewers End, Takely: man wtd. as smith.
- C.23/6 G.E.Sworder: sale of growing crops at Brooks Fm., Gt. Canfield.
- C.23/7 G. Runnacles, Little Canfield: post as under-gardener wtd.
- C.23/8 G.H., c/o Mrs. Wigg, Acle, nr. Norwich: unfurn. cott. wtd. to rent.
- C.23/9 Note re alteration of order. [H.Hart.]
- C23/10 H.P., Obs. Office: post as heekeeper wtd.
- C.23/11 G.E.Sworder: sale of growing crops on South Mill Fm., owner Mr. James Patmore.
- C.23/12 G.E.Sworder: sale of live & dead stock of Mr. J.Patmore at South Mill Fm.
- C.23/13 J. Brittain Pash, Agric. Implement Warehse, next the Corn Exchange, Chelmsford: ltr. re advert.
- C.23/14 J.B.Pash : advt. for Reaping Machines.
- C.23/15 Birth: dau. to wife of G. Wilks, B.S.
- C.23/16 Alf. Cass, Sec., & Fred. Miller, Hon. Treas.: ltr. re balance sheet of Grand Cricket Match, B.S.
- C.23/17 Birth : dau. to wife of Rev. H. Couchman, Haileybury Coll., Herts.
- C.23/18 James Tucker, B.S.: ltr. re advt. for man as baker.
- C.23/19 Birth : dau. to wife of G.C. Warren, B.S.
- C.23/20 Gt. Eastern Railway : memo. re advt.
- Gt. Eastern Railway : cheap excursion train to Yarmouth.
- C,23/22 Gt. Eastern Railway: excursion to London for the Great remperance Fete at the Crystal Palace.

  The last 3 items are very embrittled and fragile.

<sup>\*</sup> on notepaper of Collegiate Commercial School

## NON-ORIGINAL BUNDLE : 1872 July

- /1 Mrs Brickwell, Sawbridgeworth : gen. svt.
- /2 'Respectable middle aged person', P.O., Sawb. : post as housekpr.
- /3 S.A.Cockerell, N.Weald : Ann. Show of Essex & Herts. Hortic. Soc.
- /4 Postcard : 'S. Walden Fat Stock Sale As usual'; with details.
- /5 Unsigned note : similar to above.
- /6 'Young man, 21 years of age', E.W., Oakley Vicarage: post as under groom.
- /7 Geo.F.Foxwell, Clerk's Off., Hadham Highway Dist.: alterations to advertisement of house.
- /8 Thos. Holloway [pill mfr.], 533 Oxford St.: Pr. ltr. sending paymt. for insertion of adverts.
- /9 Y.L., P.O., Buntingford : nurse wanted for 6-mth.old child.
- /10 H.Cottee, Chapel Hill, Stansted: post as storeman or gen. miller.
- /11 C.Straker, S.Straker & Sons, printers, London: housemaid & nurse wanted, Ravensbourne Park.
- /12 Mrs Augusta Boast, Western Ho., Stansted: vacancies at her school for young ladies.
- /13 S.Sibley, 'The Swan', Clavering : birth of son.
- /14 Edmund Robins, auctor., 5 Waterloo Place, Pall Mall: addition to auction advert.
- /15 Edward Brand, Manuden: loss of chaise umbrella from trap 'supposed from the pony shieing at the Comet'. [Written on
  back of part of description of court proceedings.]
- /16 Miss Bull, Denmark Villas, Cemetery Rd., [B.S.]: furn. apartmts. with attendance wanted.
- /17 Note on bill of R.Clayden, grocer, etc., B.S.: Mr C.Hawke's advert. for svt. to be discontinued.
- /18 Mrs Tebbit, Hatfield Broad Oak : gen. svt. & 2 labourers wanted.
- /19 Mrs T.Bush, P.O., Manuden : gen. svt. wanted.
- /20 Mrs E.W.Petts, Stock Hall, Matching : gen. svt. wanted.
- /21 'E', c/o J.M. Youngman, bookseller, Saffron Walden: undergardener wanted.
- /22 H.G. Cooper, plumber, B.S. : 2 house-painters wanted.
- /23 G.E. Sworder : sale of growing crops, Hatfield Broad Oak.
- /24 Same : sale of crops, by order of Bd. of Gdns.
- /25 Mrs A.M. Conisbee, P.O., Ponders End : gen. svt. wanted.
- J.A.Bentley, Furniture, etc., Wareho., Gt. Parndon: withdraws advert. for Beer House, Roydon, which is let.
- /27 Mrs Christy, Bridge St., [B.S.]: strong active girl for suburbs of London wanted. [On reverse of pr. card of Jas. Barnes, carrier, B.S. to Bull Inn Yard, Whitechapel.]
- /28 G.H.Barnard, coal off., Newport : Parsonage Cott., Newport to let.
- /29 Thurgood & Gills, 123 Chancery Lane : advert. for Buckhurst Hill sale being sent separately.
- /30 Situation as cook wanted [written on reverse of bill-form of R.Clayden].
- /31 W.Sworder: pr. notice of sale of live & dead farming stock, Spurrier's Farm, Norton Heath, High Ongar.
- /32 J. Brittain Pash, agric. implement wareho., Chelmsford: advert. for side delivery reapers by Hornsby & Samuelson, [Banbury].

## NON-ORIGINAL BUNDLE : 1872 July

- /33 F.Reddale, 'Three Tuns', Gt. Hormead : birth of daughter.
- /34 G.O.Gooday, Stansted : advert. to be discontinued.
- /35 Geo.Porter, Anstey Rectory: Ltr. criticising rpt. of Matching v. B.S. Grammar School cricket match. [Embrittled, portion of centre missing.]
- /36 Jn. Hibberd: intention to apply for transfer of licence from the 'Wheatsheaf', Rye St., to prems. in Nursery Rd., New Town.
- /37 Notice re Bank Holiday closing arrangemts., Sawbridgeworth.
- /38 Balance sheet of 'late Grand Cricket Match', B.S.
- /39 Jas. Lillywhite, Brunswick Hotel, Manchester: acks. receipt of cheque and thanks Mr Miller. Weather dreadful in Mancr., ground under water.
- /40 R.Iddison, Hon.Sec., United North of England Eleven, York, to A.Casey: thanks for cheque and for his able management. Thanks also to Mr Miller.
- /41 G.E.Sworder: sale of live & dead stock & growing crops at Bulls & Bears Farms, Gt. & Lt. Hormead, on order of exors. of late Thos. Cousins.
- /42 Same : sale of growing crops & stacks, Blounts & Sweetdews Farms, Sawb..
- /43 T.Haiden : cottage to let, Basbow Lane, B.S.
- /44 Pr. conclusion to 42 above [?]
- /45 Mr Hart, bookseller, Saffron Walden : cook wanted.
- /46 'S.J.', Observer Off.: unfurn. apartmts. wanted by young man [on reverse: part of rpt. of court procs. involving farm bailiff].
- /47 Mrs Cornwell, Plantation Ho., B.S.: housemaid wanted.
- /48 'A.B.', P.O., Much Hadham : cook wanted.
- /49 H.W.Nicholls, North End, B.S. : shoe-maker wanted.
- /50 Pr. notice: Jos. Giblin's 13th Ann. Ram Sale, Lt. Bardfield, to be conducted by Wm. Rand.
- /51 Notice of marriage: Mr Hanley, builder of Camberwell, to Ellen Hardwick, at Saffron Walden.
- /52 As above [in different hand].
- /53 Walter Wm. Parish, Pantheon, Oxford St.: birth of daughter in Kentish Town.
- /54 Notice of auction of trees at Linton, Cambs., by Wm.Rand.
- /55 C.Houghton, grocer & draper, Potters St., Harlow: vacancy for young man [on pr. memo.; embrittled, part of edge missing].
- /56 J.Giblin, Bardfield : covering ltr. to 50 above.
- /57 Hy.Silcock [? part of sig. missing], Sawb. : cancels advert.
- /58 Notice of B.S. Baptist Chapel anniv. : Rev. C.B.Sawdray of Vernon Chapel, London, to preach.
- /59 R.A. Evans : notice of Harlow College Athletic Sports.
- /60 Telegram : S.J.Cheffins, Ethelburga Ho., London : instructns. to copy advert. of growing crops, Lt. Easton from other papers.
- /61 Cutting of advert. referred to above...

## NON-ORIGINAL BUNDLE : 1872 July

- /62 Godfrey Goodman, The Schoolho., B.S.: alteration to advert.
- /63 Note on bill of R. Clayden : to stop Harvey's exors.' advert.
- /64 G.E.R. : proforma re adverts.
- /65 G.E.R. : as above.
- /66 Edmund Robins [see 14] : proforma re adverts.
- /67 Eastern Counties' Asylum for Idiots & Imbeciles, Essex Hall, Colchester: proforma re advert.
- /68 W.Acres, Plashey Farm, Standon: man & wife wanted. [On Clayden's bill.]
- /69 Wm. Hasler, Loughton: situation as groom wanted.
- /70 'A.W.', Gt. Chishill : smith wanted.
- /71 Notice of death of 10 yr.old son of Arthur Willett at Gadds Farm, Gt. Sampford, of scarlatina. Complaint of non-delivery of paper by post.
- /72 Rbt. Lock, draper, B.S.: note [on bill form] accompanying advert.
- /73 E.S.Hosley, Prospect Cottage : sends paymt.
- /74 'A.B.', P.O., SAFFRON WALDEN : girl wanted for house-work.
- /75 Hy.Hart, printer, etc., Saff.Wald. : memo. re adverts.
- /76 Edward W. Lys, Maidenhead : sends advert.
- /77 'A.B.', P.O., Buntingford : gen. svt. for farm-ho. wanted.
- /78 P.c. re Saff. Wald. Fat Stock Sale.
- /79 Unsigned note from Buntingford : accompanying advert.
- /80 Cutting: advert. of A.Bradbury, money-lender, 27 Richmond Terr., Clapham Rd.
- /81 F.Reddall, Gt. Hormead : birth of dau.
- /82 Geo. Hine : sale of hay stacks nr. Epping [proof].
- /83 Messrs. Franklin & Son : auction of growing crops, Littlebury.

# HERTS. & ESSEX OBSERVER ORIGINAL BUNDLE : 2 Aug 1872 Bundle No. C.25

- Messrs. Benningfield, Auctioneers, of Ware and Waltham Abbey, building materials to be viewed at the 'Red Lion', [Hockerill].
- 2 Two advertisements general servant wanted A.B. Post Office, Sawbridgeworth; general servant wanted Mrs. Truswell, Sawbridgeworth.
- 3 Mrs. J.J.Robson, F alcon Grove, Saffron Walden- nursemaid wanted.
- 4 6th Herts. R.V. The Armoury, North Street- boys wanted for the band.
- Printed cutting stuck to paper legal notice concerning creditors of deceased James Henry Crawford of Buntingford. Paper stamped Reynell and Son, 44 Chancery Lane.
- 6 Mrs. March, Bridge Street, B/S. general servant wanted.
  - J.S. Post Office, B/S. lad wanted for horse.

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- L. Mole, Clay Hill, Tottenham, Middlesex girl wanted.
- Death announcement hand-written on black-edged paper Mrs. Edith Griggs of Hatfield Heath.
- 10 John G. Garrard, B/S. 2 page letter concerning a dishonoured cheque.
- 11 Birth announcement son born to the wife of S. Halestrop.
- 12 Mrs. Wragg, Little Canfield housemaid wanted.
  - A.B., Hailey Lane, Hertford situation as housemaid wanted.
  - L.S., Observer Office nursemaid wanted.
- 15 G.L.S., Old Park Farm, Great Hadham -announcement of auction sale of clover, trefoil and meadow hay. [On stock-sale form.]
  - Mr. Taylor, Farmadine, Saffron Walden letter requesting insertion of advertisement.
- 17 Mr. Taylor, Farmadine, Saffron Walden servant and needlewoman wanted.
- 18 Mrs. Holmes, Hamels Park Farm, Puckeridge general servant wanted.
- 19 Incomplete draft of advertisement of auction sale by Messrs. Benningfield at the 'Red Lion' Hockerill. [Part of 1 above.]
- 20 A.B., Post Office, Buntingford, Herts. general servant wanted.
- 21 M.A.R., Post Office, B/S. girl wanted.
  - Cutting printed advertisement G.S., Post Office, B/S. -situation as second housemaid wanted.
- J. Hayden, Henham, Essex letter concerning advertisement (on reverse ) Shoeing and Jobbing Smith required by J. Hayden.
- 24 A.C. B/S. nursemaid wanted.
- 25 B.Perry, B/S. 2 house painters wanted.
  - E.R., Spellbrook near B/S. situation as upper nurse required.
- 27 Mrs. W.S. Spencer, Bursfield Bower, Stansted nurse required.
- 28 R.Lock, Family Draper, South Street, B/S announcement of sale of Summer Fancy Stock.
- 29 Mr. Collings, Stationer, North Street youth required as house boy.
- 30 J.L.T., Observer Office housemaid wanted.
- 31 Charles Perry, House Painter & Decorator, Apton Field, B/S announcement of start of business and solicitation of support.
- 32 Geo. H. Innes, Agricultural and Furnishing Ironmonger, Market Hill, Royston advertisement of sale of reaping machines.
- 33 J.Blackmore, Creat Chesterford men wanted for harvest work.
- 34 W. Clark, Salisbury Arms, Hoddesdon announcement of birth of son.
- 35 Memorandum from Henry Hart, Saffron Walden about insertion of advertisement.
- 36 Jackson and Son, Hertford letter amending advertisement.

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- 37 Mrs. Clayden, B/S plain cook wanted.
- 38 B.T.T. note concerning payment for advertisement.
- 39 Benjamin T. Thurgood, Saffron Walden announcement of readiness to receive consignments for auction. [Top part of 38.]
- 40 Note concerning a fur advertisement.
- 41,42 Sheet of paper torn in two M.W., Mr. Start, Saffron Walden letter and advertisement for cook.
- 43 Anonymous advertisement ( "Personal Column" type ).
- 44 Envelope with good stamp and postmark note written on back to link envelope with 43.
- 45 Postcard Saffron Walden Fat Stock Sale advertisement.
- 46 H.Baker, B/S letter to Mr. Bray about money due from estate of Jabez Traylen of Braughing.
- 47 W.Bray, Buntingford letter to editor requesting collection of above money and use in his account.
- N.B. 46 and 47 are one double sheet of notepaper.

## NON-ORIGINAL BUNDLE : 1872 August

- /1 Eliza Whiston, Bassingbourne : sends notice of death.
- /2 J.W. Truswell, Sawb. : gen. svt. wanted.
- /3 C.G.Whitaker, draper, Royston : advert. for apprentice.
- /4 Accompanying note to above.
- /5 Note re discontinuance of 2 above.
- /6 Jos. Francis, Smith's Grn., Takeley : blacksmith's shop to let .
- /7 Mr Hart, Saff. Wald. : talking parrot for sale.
- /8 'M.A.', P.O., Littlebury : post wanted as cook.
- /9 Pr. advert. for Strange's A 1 Crystal Oil [local agents' added in MS. Stamped 'S.Deacon, Advertisement Agent, 154 Leadenhall St., London']. [see C.27/22]
- /10 Mrs M.Porter, Gold St., Saff. Wald. : gen. svt. wanted.
- /11 Franklin & Son : live & dead stock auctions : Yardley Hall Farm, Thaxted, & Moor Hall Farm, Thorley.
- /12 G.E.Pritchett , Oak Hall, B.S. : long ltr., critical of new sewage system.
- /13 P.c. re Saff. Wald. Fat Stock Sale.
- /14 Mrs S.Johnson, Hockerill : cook for boarding sch. wanted.
- /15 Hy. Hart, Saff. Wald. : p.c. altering price of parrot [see 7].
- /16 Hooper & Cull, gen.advertisers, 1 George St., Mansion Ho.: auction by Alf. Savill of property at Harlow, on orders of trustees of late Jas. Jackson.
- /17 Mrs Gifford, Shingle Hall, Sawb. : gen. svt. wanted.
- /18 'M.M.', The Cottage, Hockerill : post as housekpr. wanted.
- /19 'T.C.', Collin's Cross, Hockerill: youth wants post as page, or light work in shop.
- /20 Mrs Rbt. Gray, Stansted: loss of shawl [on Clayden's bill].
- /21 'O.P.', P.O., Harlow : man & wife seek domestic posts.
- /22 Chas. Skipp, resident dentist, Market Place, B.S. : advert.
- /23 Note: discontinuance of Heath's billiard table advert.
  [on reverse of part of advert. for H.Collings & Co.'s
  B.S. YEAR BOOK & AIMANACK].
- /24 Mr Mitchell: 'Pyrgo Arms' inn & Brewery, Eastwick.
- /25 Miss Scott, Mkt.Pl., Saff. Wald. : gen. svt. wanted.
- /26 Mr Newton, jun., Mulberry Grn., Harlow: youth wanted for light carpentering apprenticeship. [On Clayden's bill.]
- /27 Mrs Rayner, South St., B.S. : gen. svt. wanted.
- /28 Card of Mr B.Cornell, draper, grocer & stock valuer, Thaxted.
- /29 Messrs. Bevan, money-lenders, 10 Lincoln's Inn Fields: advert.
- /30 H.C. Trutch, 9 Oxford Terr., Clapham Rd.: notice of marr.of Edward Newland to Mary Anne Mills, at Kennington.
- /31 Notice of death: Thos. Whitehead, aged 29, stone-mason, at Aylesbury.
- /32 Wm. Fuller, Hockerill : notice of birth of dau.
- /33 B.Cornell, Thaxted: ltr. accompanying 28 above.
- /34 Rev.C.F.Forster, Hinxton Vicarage : cook wanted.
- /35 W.Thornton, p.p. Jos. Warren, Imp[eria]l Manufactory, Maldon:
  p.c. discontinuing advert. of horse rake.

## NON-ORIGINAL BUNDLE : 1872 August

- /36 Messrs. Thurgood & Giles [auctioneers], 123 Chancery Lane : sending list of sales & hoping the terms mentioned in their last ltr. will be agreed to.
- /37 Same : notice of sale of model farm nr. Sevenoaks.
- /38 Same : notice of sale of un-named farm in Surrey.
- /39 Notices of death (J.Smyth, Bygrave Ho.; Col.P.D. Otley, Hoddesdon); of birth (son to Mrs Wm. Webb, P.O., Chippenham Terr., Paddington). [On reverse of part of pr.ltr.fr. Chas. H.May.]
- /40 Mr Scarfe : cottage to let, King St., B.S. [on Clayden's bill].
- /41 Mrs Walter Gilbey, Hargrave Park, Stansted: under-housemaid wanted.
- /42 Chas. H.May, 78 Gracechurch St.: requests editorial notice for Half-yearly Rpt. of London & County Bank. [Pr.ltr.]
- /43 Anon. : advert. of lodgings to let.
- /44 2 adverts. for young person to take charge of little boy : Ivy Bank, Snaresbrook; 'S.M.', P.O., Wanstead.
- /45 'A.B.', P.O., Ware : situation as coachman wanted.
- /46 Jos. Le C. Taylor, Farmadine, Saff. Wald. : cook wanted.
- /47 A.W. Clapham, Buckhurst Hill: groom wanted.
- /48 Mr Scott, Mkt.Pl., Saff. Wald.: outdoor apprentices for millinery & mantle-making wanted.
- /49 Diamond-shaped advert. of R.Lock, draper, South St., B.S.
- /50 Thos. Unwin, Sawb. : ltr. accompanying advert.
- /51 Emily Radley, Spellbrook: post as nurse wanted [on part of Clayden's bill].
- /52 B.S. Gas Co.Ltd.: notice of rise in gas & coke prices, due to great advance in cost of coal. By order, G.Perry.
- /53 Mrs E.Clark, 'Curriers Arms', B.S. : girl wanted.
- /54 Mr Millard, P.O., B.S. : boy wanted for household work.
- /55 [Illegible] : laundress wanted.
- /56 Mrs March, Bridge St., B.S. : gen. svt. wanted.
- /57 Mrs Laugher, High St., B.S. : young active girl wanted.
- /58 Mrs Stewart, Chilton Ho., Rosherville, Kent : gen. svt. wanted.
- /59 Hy. Hart, Saff. Wald. : gen. svt. wanted by 'A.B.'
- /60 H.Ashman, G.& H. Beningfield [?], estate agents, Ware: 2 maltings at Ware Park Mill to let.
- /61 Benj. T.Thurgood: notice of sale of live & dead stock at 'The Hyde', Lt. Bardfield, by order of Walter Mills.
- /62 G.E.R. : 2 covering proforma & 2 handbills [with fares &
- /65 times] : excursions to Hunstanton & to Gt. Yarmouth.
- /66 Wm. Rand: alteration of date of sale of furniture of late Mr Clayden at Littlebury Farm.
- /67 J.L.Glasscock's Steam Sawing Mills, B.S.: price rise, due to increase in coal costs. [On reverse of notice of 5th Annual Drawing [lottery] of Norwich Art Union.]
- /68 Note from 'A Parishioner of Gt. Hallingbury' re notice.

# NON-ORIGINAL BUNDLE : 1872 August

- /69 Mrs Sydney Haybret [?[, Stansted : housemaid wanted.
- /70 Messrs. Carter, Jonas & Wm. Rand: notice of sale of live & dead stock of late Jn. Clayden, Littlebury, Radwinter & Saff. Wald.
- /71 Wm. Rand : notice of Saff. Wald. Fat Stock Sale & of Mich. Sales.
- /72 C.H.May, gen. advertising off., 78 Gracechurch St.: proforma.
- /73 London & County Banking Co.: pr. rpt. of half-yearly gen. mtg. [in four parts. See 42 above].
- /74 Pr. copy of column of small ads., with instructns. for insertion [from agency ?].
- /75 Thos. Unwin, solr., Sawb. : notice to creditors of late Reg. Jennings, gent.
- /76 , Riwy. Hotel, Harlow: p.c.re addtl.agents.

ORIGINAL BUNDLE : AUG. 1872

- /1 Marriage : Rev. Goodwyn Archer to Kate Browne, Kirkley.
- /2 E.L., Post Office, Takeley : post as housemaid wanted.
- /3 Birth: dau. to Mrs. J. Millington, Theydon Bois verso: part of broadsheet re B/S Year Book 1871.
- /4 Death : Anne Cocke, Apton Field B/S. a. 60 yrs.
- /5 Printed: Summary of Results of exams. for Pupil-Teachers verso: part of list of names of above.
- /6 Death: Wm. Monk, Stebbing, a. 58 yrs.

  verso: printed advert. for H.Collings & Co. Steam

  Printing Works.
- /7 Death : John Whisson, Bassingbourne, a. 62 yrs.
- /8 Death : Jane Hayden, Quendon, a. 75 yrs.
- Obituary Notice: Rev. Charles Spencer Bourchier of Great Hallingbury.
- /10 Birth : dau. to Mrs. H.J.Clark, Montreal, Canada.
- /11 Ltr. re " The Nuisance commotion at Gt. Hadham "
  verso: printed ltr.-head Commercial School, The Ford,
  Little Hadham.
- /12 E.B. Post Office, B/S.: post as nursemaid wanted.
- /13 Mrs. Lotter, Matching Green, Harlow : gen. svt. wanted.
- /14 W., Observer Office. B/S: nursemaid wanted. [Mrs. Westwood]
- /15 C.Whittaker, Harlow : ltr. re advert.
- /16 Octavius Batt, Auctioneer, High St., B/S.: details of house & workshop to let at Stansted.
- /17 G.E.Pritchett: to let shop & premises Potter St. B/S to let house & garden Pleasant Rd.B/S.
- /18 Printed ltr.- head: H.G. Cooper, Windhill, B/S:painters wanted.
- /19 R.S., Post Office, Sawbridgeworth : post as housemaid wtd.
- /20 I. Pasfield, North St., B/S. : sale of sheetings, calicoes etc.
- /21 I. Barker, Little Hadham.
- /22 Printed ltr. head: Samuel Deacon & Co., General Advertising Agents, 154 Leadenhall St.: readvert.
- /23 W. A. Boorman, Cromer Mill, Cottered: miller wanted.
- /24 Poster red & blue : B/S. Horticultural Soc. Show much fragmented due to embrittlement.
- /25 Poster: Thurgood's Horse & Cattle Food, Railway Depot, Harlow. Fragmented due to embrittlement.
- /26 Note re /25 : list of local agents.

ORIGINAL BUNDLE : 10th Aug. 1872

- /1 Poster: Messrs. Thurgood and Giles, 123 Chancery
  Lane, Auctioneers: leasehold properties in Seven
  Sisters Rd. & Holloway Rd., London.
  Paper embrittled but not fragmented.
- /2 Poster: Messrs. Thurgood & Giles: villa residence in Kew. Partially fragmented.
- /3 Poster: Messrs. Thurgood & Giles: freehold Cott.
  in Greenwich. manuscript alteration of name of solicitor
  Paper embrittled & fragmented.
- /4 Poster: Messrs. Thurgood & Giles: freehold residences at Battersea Rise. Paper embrittled & fragmented.

#### ORIGINAL BUNDLE : 17 Aug. 1872

- /1 Mrs. Martin, Clay Pond Farm, Hockerill, B.S.: gen. svt. wtd. for London family.
- /2 Post Office Telegram : J.W. & J.B. Taylor, Saffron Walden : re James Hall's application for liquor licence
- /3 Ivy Brink, Snaresbrook : housemaid wtd.
- /4 Mrs. Chas. Laird, Rickling, Essex : gen. svt. wtd.
- /5 Mrs. Chas. Laird, Rickling, Essex : laundry woman wtd.
- Aspeden Church, Buntingford: announcement of fund for restoration: list of 35 subscribers & amounts.
- /7 Aspeden Church : 4 more names of subscribers
- /8 Kingsbury & Co., Advertising Agents, 11 Clements Lane E.C repeat advert. Guiness Stout
- /9 Mrs. Penn, Sawston, Cambridge : cook & housemaid wtd.
- /10 Mrs. Cornecle, Rye St. B.S. : gen. svt. wtd.
- /11 Pencilled note: continue Mr. Pavitt's advert verso printed letter-head R. Clayden, Grocer, Tea pealer, Cheesemonger
- /12 Printed: Mr. John Thornton, Auctioneer: sale of Harlowbury Herd of Shorthorns, property of the late Mr. Charles Barnard.
- /13 C.Hasltre, Windhill : gen. svt. & boy wtd.
- /14 Mrs. Warren, Little Horm ead Bury, Buntingford: gen. svt.wtd.
- /15 The coachman, W.Gilbey Esq., Hargrave Park, Stansted groom wtd.
- /16 J.Deirth, Grove Lodge, Sawbridgeworth: meadow abutting on Roydon Mill
- /17 Frederick Gillett, deceased, Little Hadham : notice to creditors
- /18 M.F.P., Observer Office B.S.: under-svt. in business house wtd.
- /19 Henry Gillett, Little Hadham Ford : shoeing & jobbing smith wtd.
- /20 Mrs. Collins, Henham Parsonage, B.S.: cook wtd.
- /21 Miss Price, The Manse B.S.: girl wtd.
- /22 Mrs. Eliza Whitehead, late of Beldams Farm, Gt.
  Hallingbury: notice to subscribers of the Royal
  Agricultural Society: thanks & request for continuance
  of support at next election.
- /23 Postcard: printed heading Henry Hart, Saffron Walden: Mrs. Porter, Gold St. Saffron Walden: gen. svt. wtd.
- /24 I.T.Watts, Hadham Rd. B.S.: wheelwright wtd.
- /25 Miss Scott, Saffron Walden or Miss Scott, Apton Field B.S.: gen. svt. wtd.
- /26 Mr. Scott, Market Place, Saffron Walden: out-door apprentices to millinery & mantle-making wtd.
- /27 Mrs. King, Littlebury Common, Saffron Walden: hives of bees for sale.
- /28 Mr. Wm. Rand, auctioneer : Saffron Walden Sale Yard : cob, brougham & harness.
- /29 Messrs. Thurgood & Giles, 123 Chancery Lane, London W.C. repeat advertisements.

#### URIGINAL BUNDLE: 17 Aug. 1872 contd. C. 29

- /30 Printed letter-head: Alf. Legg, Printer, High St., Epping: W.S., ventry Farm, Epping: engine-driver wtd. for steam cultivating.
- /31 Note re advert. of G.E. Sworder.
- /32 Printed letter-head : Alf. Legg, Epping : villa residence to let.
- /33 Geo. Spalding, Analytical & General Chymist, Stansted: agent for Lipscombe's Water Filters, Spratt's Dog Biscuit Cattle Medicines, etc.
- /34 Geo. Spalding: ltr. amending advert.
- /35 Printed handbill: Great Eastern Railway: excursion train to Bishopsgate for the Foresters' Fete, Crystal Palace.
- /36 B., Post Office, B.S.: post as plain cook wtd.
- /37 Mr. N.Rayner, B.S. : man wtd. to drive horse & cart [for grocer].
- /38 Mrs. J.J. Mortlock, Hadham Rd., B.S. : nursemaid wtd.
- /39 A.B., Post office, matfield Broad Oak : gen. svt.wtd.
- /40 Legal Notice: James Hall, of Saffron Walden, Licensed Victualler: notice of application to sell Exciseable Liquors at premises in Hill St., Saffron Walden.
- /41 Messrs. Clear & Cheffins, Ethelburga House, 70 & 71 Bishopsgate St. Within, London: ltr. re advert.
- /42 P. Herbert Rogers, 24 Trinity Sq., London S.E.: wedding: Edward Ingram to Selina Hall in Paddington.
- /43 Death : James Wright at Epping.
- /44 Wedding : Edward Hart to Mary Ann Overy at Thorley.
- /45 Death : Rev. John Barr, Vicar of Elmdon, Essex, a.70.
- /46 Wedding: Joseph Wiseman to Martha Ruse at Helions Bumpstead.
- /47 Weddings: Chas. Harding to Susan Turner at the Register
  Office, Saffron Walden.
  Mr. E. Mizen to Hannah Lucking at Radwinter
  Death: Rosamond Eliz. Freeman, Gadds' Farm, Great
  Sampford, a. 7 yrs.
- /48 Birth: son to Mrs. E.Ireland, Linton, Cambs.
  Death: Mr. Samuel Johnson, Three Tuns Inn, Hertford,
  a. 66 yrs.

  verso Printed: Hockerill Training College B.S.:
  Application for Schoolmistress: form to be completed
  by school needing a schoolmistress.
- /49 Wedding: Mr. Chas. Debman to Miss Emma Whittaker at the Independent Chapel, B.S.
- /50 John Barker, Commercial School, The Ford, Little Hadham: request to publish enclosed letter anonymously.
- /51 "Justice & Common Sense": ltr. re The Nuisance commotion at Gt. Hadham: protest at unnecessary complaints at nuisances allegedly committed by tradesmen
- /52 Birth : son to mrs. E. Taylor, B.S.
- /53 E.L., Messrs. Collings & Co., North St., B.S.: gen. svt. wtd.
- /54 C. Allcock, Furn. & Gen. Ironmonger, Sawbridgeworth : advert. & details of stock.
- /55 Printed letter-head: Rye House, Hoddesdon: hotel & garden: ltr. to add time of last train from Rye Hse. Station.
- /56 Stamped envelope containing note concerning list of Aspeden Church subscribers written on visiting card of Mr. George Mickley.

#### ORIGINAL BUNDLE: 17 Aug. 1872 contd. C. 29

- /57 J.W. Truswell, Sawbridgeworth : waggon for sale .
- /58 Printed advert, cut into 3 pieces : Messrs. Clear &
- /59 Cheffins : land & cottage property at Dunmow
- 160
- /61 Gt. Eastern Railway: ttr. re excursion to Harwich & London
- /62 Small Poster: Gt. Eastern Railway: excursion to Harwich & Walton-on -the-Naze.
  Paper embrittled.
- Mr. B. Thurgood, Auctioneer: at the Rose & Crown Hotel,
  Saffron Walden: hse. with front shop. Manuscript
  alterations on poster. Paper embrittled but not fragmented.

  verso Particulars & Conditions of Sale: Messrs. Probert
  & Wade, Solicitors, Saffron Walden.
- /64 L.B., Pr. Hart's, Saffron Walden: Geo.Bazalgette, 114 Lancaster Rd., Nottinghill, London: shooting ground & hse. wtd.
- /65 Poster: Messrs. Jackson & Son: auction of Easeney Lodge, Stanstead with 25 ricks of hay & shorthorn heifers. Paper very embrittled & fragmented.

ORIGINAL BUNDLE : Aug. 24th 1872

- /1 Poster: Mr. B.T. Thurgood, Auctioneer: live & dead farm stock. Paper in fragments.
- /2 Printed: information re the Clergy Orphan Schools.
  Manuscript note re the Offering at All Saints,
  Hockerill on Aug. 25th.
- /3 Birth: son to Mrs. Daniel Fordham, Puckeridge. son to Mrs. John Whitaker, Braughing.
- /4 marriage : J.T. Vokins to Ellen Maria Polley, Stansted
- /5 W Le C. Taylor, Farmadine, Saffron Walden: ltr. re advert.
- /6 Pencilled note re miss Barber's adverts.
- /7 Birth : dau. to Mrs. Martin Nockold, Saffron Walden.
- /8 Death : Hon. Evan Lloyd Vaughan, son of Ld. Mostyn, in London, a. 36.
- /9 George Hine, Auctioneer: prelim. notice of sale of Wilding Tree Fm., North Weald, Essex.
- /10 Printed cutting: death of Thomas Clayden, Kirtling, Cambs., a. 82.
- /11 Mrs. Wm. Starling, High St., Saffron Walden: gen. svt.wtd.
- /12 A.B.C., Mr. King's, B.S.: cook wtd.
  Obs. Office, B.S.: nursemaid wtd.
  verso Printed: H.Collings & Co.: Year Book &
  Almanack 1872.
- /13 E.H.E., Obs. Office : post as working haekeeper wtd.
- /14 F.J. Kornwall: prelim. notice of formation of The Essex Hunters' Mutual Accommodation Company Ltd.
- /15 The Principal, Mr. Geo. Wilds, Collegiate & Commercial School, B.S.: notice of competition for scholarships.
- /16 J. Pasfield: sale of flood-damaged sheetings, calicoes etc.
- /17 Mr. H.W. Young, Hadham Rd, B.S.: sale of 3 cottages in Basbow St. and hse. in Devoil's Lane.
- /18 T.L., Post Office, Buntingford : gen. svt.wtd.
- /19 G.H.Barnard, Parsonage Fm., Newport : repeat advert. of hse. to let.
- /20 Mrs. Hooker, Rye St., B.S. : girl wtd.
- /21 Mrs. Abbott, Papmore House, Gt. Parndon, Harlow: hsemaid wtd.
- /22 Apply Observer : shop to let in Hadham.
- /23 J. Hayden, Ugley : jobbing & shoeing smith wtd.
- /24 Mr. Wm. Rand, Auctioneer: various Michaelmas Sales.
- /25 Thomas Lee, Gen. & furn. Ironmonger, B.S.: guns etc.
- /26 Wood House, Stansted : pianoforte for sale.
- /27 A Ratepayer, Much Hadham: ltr. re the nuisance question at Much Hadham.
- /28 Mrs. Gifford, Shingle Hall: discontinue advert.
- /29 Edw. Hicks & Sons, Stansted: 2 maltsters wtd.
- /30 A.B. Post Office, Takeley : post as cook wtd.
- /31 Stamped envelope : postmark Rhyl : empty.

- /32 Gt. Eastern Hailway : memo. re advert.
- /33 Printed handbill: Gt. Eastern mailway: excursion train to London.
- /34 Miss Scott, Saffron Walden or Miss Scott, Apson Place, B.S.: gen. svt. wtd.
- /35 Establishment for Young Ladies, Douro House, Standon, Herts.: conducted by Miss Barber: terms on application.
- /36 J.B., Douro House, Standon : gen. svt. wtd.
- /37 Mrs. Rous, South St., B.S.: gen. svt.wtd.for family in London.
- /38 Post Office Telegram : Mr. Ben Thurgood : 2 working farm foremen wtd.
- /39 Printed letter-head: Iron Works, Stanstead. G.O. Gooday: ltr. re advert. Picture of G.O. Gooday's Multiple Needle Sewing Machine for Making Thatch. verso for sale: workshop with tools, etc.
- /40 Jackson & Son, Hertford : alteration of advert.
- /41 E. Hadley, Gt. Hallingbury : post as hsemaid wtd.
- /42 Mrs. Clark & Miss Kelsey, Principals, Ladies' College North St., B.S.: French lessons.
- /43 Saffron Walden Fat Stock Sale.
- /44 mr. Wm. Barktrop, Epping Green, Essex : wheelwright wtd.
- /45 W.A.Boorman, Cromer Mill, nr. Cottered, : miller wtd.
- /46 Mr. Geo. Hine : sale of clover & meadow hay, Epping.
- /47 S.C.B.: 5 page letter re A Trip to Jersey & parts of Normandy & Brittany.
- /48 Card : signature of Revd. H.S. Mott.
- /49 Mrs. John D. Taylor, Windhill, B.S.: hsemaid wtd.
- /50 R. Lambert, Post Office, Takeley: ltr. re advert.
- /51 Pencilled note: repeat Mr. Rayner's adverts.

  verso Printed letter-head: R.Clayden, Grocer, TeaDealer & Cheesemonger.
- /52 Death : Mr. Treadle, Waddock Wood, Brenchley, a. 38.
- /53 Printed letter-head: Hy. Hart, Printer, Saffron Walden ltr. re advert.
- /54 Stamped envelope: note re advert on inside of envelope.
- /55 Visiting card : Mr. Stanley C. Boulter, Saffron Walden.
- /56 Stanley C.Boulter: ltr. re 47
- /57 Mrs. Bush, 5 Elm Place, South Ken., London: upper hsemaid wtd. for Training College, B.S. Ltr. written from 19 Tamar Terrace, Stoke Devonport.
- /58 Death : Mr. Fredk. Mullinger, Surgeon, at Brixton.
- /59 E. & C. Joscelyne, Printers, Braintree: ltr. re advert.

  verso Rayne Foundry, Braintree: announcement by

  James Peene of disposal of business & solicitation of

  cont. support by Fredk. C. Lake & Geo. O. Gooday.
- /60 G.E. Pritchett, Oak Hall, B.S.: ltr. re prevention of fermentation in sewage with ref. to Annual Assembly of The British Association & enclosing cutting from the "Times".
- /61 Printed cutting: Mr. W.J.Cooper: paper on " Proposed /62 Method of Preventing the Fermentation of Sewage and

Formation of Sewer Gases " : introduction of chloride of calcium into sewers.

#### ORIGINAL BUNDLE: 21 Sept. 1872

- /1 Mrs. Pemberton, Little Hallingbury Rectory : cook wtd.
- /2 Mrs. Kirby, Braughing, Ware : gen. svt. wtd.
- /3 Mrs. Mole, Clay Hill Fm., Tottenham, Middx.: gen. svt. wtd.
- /4 Mrs. Patmore, Pinchpools, Manuden : gen. svt. wtd.
- /5 H.S.G., Anchor Cottage, B.S.: gen. svt. & nursemaid wtd.
- /6 Mrs. Jones, Clavering : gen. svt. wtd.
- /7 Mrs. Beard, North Hall, Quendon : gen. svt. wtd.
- /8 Printed cutting pinned to paper: Mrs. Stubbing, Shows House, Harlow: gen. svt. wtd.
- /9 Pencilled note : repeat Mr. Savill's advert.
- /10 Pencilled note re advert. for hsekeeper.
- /11 Mr. Mace, Accountant, Gt. Bardfield, Essex : residence to let or to sell, baker's premises to let.
- /12 Miss Walbey, Nuthampstead Bury, Royston, Herts. : cook wtd.
- /13 Ed. Ames, Swan St., Sible Hedingham : ltr. re advert.
- /14 Printed cutting stuck to paper: Miller, Post Office, Bottisham, cambs.: post as miller wtd.
- /15 A.C., Obs. Office, B.S.: hsemaid & cook wtd.
- /16 Mrs. Branch: ltr. re advert. & advert.: G.L., Post Office, Kimpston, nr. Welwyn: gen.svt. wtd.
- /17 Printed: appeal for funds for the Royal London
- /18 Opthalmic Hosp. Manuscript note on 17 re collection
- /19 next Sunday at All Saints, Hockerill.

  verso 17, 18, 19 list of Donations, Annual Subscriptions

  & Bequests etc.
- /20 J. Collis, Draper, B.S.: autumn show of millinery.
- /21 Messrs. Clear & Cheffins, Ethelburga Hse., 70 &71
  Bishopsgate St. Within, London E.C.: ltr. re advert.
  verso Third half-yearly sale of stock, Dunmow.
- /22 Dr. Moore, Much Hadham : ltr. re advert.
- /23 Messrs. Thurgood & Giles: auction at the Rugby Hotel,
  Gt. James St., Bedford Row, W.C. of lease with possession
  of 15 Leigh St., Burton Crescent.

  verso description of premises.
- /24 0.P., Harlow : hsemaid & cook wtd.
- /25 M.B., Post Office, Sawbridgeworth : gen. svt. & nursemaid wtd.
- /26 A.B., Post Office, Codicote nr. Welwyn : svt. wtd.
- /27 Trustees of the Coach & Horses Benefit Soc., Hockerill: 2 cott. for sale in Chapel Lane, New Town, B.S.
- /28 Mr. Carter, Stationer, Dunmow : lad wtd. for bakers.
- /29 Mrs. Wilks: ltr. & advert: C.J., Obs. Office, B.S.: gen. svt. & nurse wtd. [on Coll.Comml.Sch.paper].
- /30 Printed letter-head: The Harlow & Sawbridgeworth Gas Light & Coke Co. Ltd. 1862: Geo. Print Prior Sec.: ltr. & advert re increase in prices.

#### ORIGINAL BUNDLE: 21 Sept. 1872 contd. C.31

- /31 In 2 pieces : G.E. Sworder : auction of furn., Hockerill
- /32 B.S. verso both pieces: printed: details of the Sun Life Assurance Soc.
- /33 Henry Haddock, 69 Mark Lane, London E.C.: ltr. re advert verso Henry Haddock: best Rape Cake.
- /34 Postcard: Mrs. Ben. Thurgood, The Grove, S. Walden: cook wtd.
- /35 Printed: Down & Co., Woburn, Beds.: ltr. re advert. Manuscript note.
- /36 Printed: Down's Farmer's Friend for preventing smut in wheat. List of agents & towns. Manuscript note: B.S. agents: G. Speechly & J. Hardy, Chemists.
- /37 John Wilson, S.Walden : ltr. re advert.
- /38 E.J. Walbey, Nuthampstead Bury : ltr. re advert.
- /39 Note re Repository advert.
- /40 Printed letter-head: Saffron Walden Union, Clerk Wm. Thurgood, S. Walden. manuscript: Wm. Thurgood: ltr. re Clavering Chapel.
- /41 Printed: block of various adverts. for further insertion
- /42 H. Waters, Thorley, B.S.: post as hsemaid wtd.
- /43 Wm. Thurgood, Clerk, S. Walden Union: further ltr. re Clavering Chapel notice.
- /44 Franklin & Son : auction of Duddenhoe Grange Fm., Elmdon, & live &dead stock.
- /45 Printed: Royal London Opthalmic Hosp.: names of President, Vice-Presidents, Board of Management & Medical Officers etc. Paper much embrittled.
- J. Pasfield: sale prices to be contd.
  verso printed letter-head: Jos. Pasfield, North St.
  B.S., Gen. Draper, Hosier, Glover etc.
- /47 A.B., Obs. Office, B.S.: gen. svt. wtd. Letters to be sent to Mrs. Holmes, Hamels Park Fm., nr. Puckeridge.
- /48 Dr. Moore, Much Hadham : hse. to let.
- /49 Mrs. Westwood, Obs. Office : gen. svt.wtd.
- /50 Messrs. Jackson & Son, Auctioneers: the 'Red Lion'
  Beer House, 5 cott. in Standon St., 3 cott. & gardens
  at Old Hall Green.
- /51 Small Poster: S. Walden Gas Co., John Wilson, Sec.: increase in prices.
- /52 Lady Principal, East Anglian Girl College Co. Ltd. B.S.: Housekeeper wtd.
- /53 Miss Goats, New Town School, B.S.: gen. svt. wtd. for London.
- /54 Mr. Joseph Tipler, Harps, Hallingbury, Essex: man wtd. as hsekeeper.
- /55 Miss Fuller, Rye St., B.S. : gen. svt. wtd.
- /56 J. Mynott, Trout Hall, Wenden, S. Walden: ltr. re advert. verso A.B., Post Office, S. Walden: post as heekeeper wtd.
- /57 A., Post Office, Kimpton, Welwyn: man wtd. as shepherd & wife for hse. & poultry.
- /58 N.W., Mrs. J. Haynes, Standon, Essex : post as cook wtd.
- /59 Marriage : John Brown to Sarah Cousins at Runwell.
- /60 Joseph Lines, Whitehouse Fm., Potter St., Harlow: 2 stray pigs found.
- /61 E.A.H., Post Office, Sible Hedingham, Essex : clerkship wtd.

- /62 Births: dau. to mrs. P.W. Taylor, Westfield Lodge, B.S. dau. to mrs. J. Hunt, Ware.
- /63 Death : Steuart Hankin, infant, at Amwell, Herts.
- /64 H.J.L., Post Office, S. Walden: girl wtd.
- /65 Death : Charles Chapman, Abbey Fm., Waltham a. 24
- /66 Death : Christopher Roads at Malton, Cambs. a. 77
- /67 Mr. weston, Baker, Puckeridge : lad wtd. Also query re ltr. sent previously.
- V. Carr, North End, Sawbridgeworth: inquiry re contributions to paper.
- An Observer : ltr. re local improvements & complaint re B.S. Post Office premises.
- /70 Wm. Thurgood, Superintendent Registrar: Legal Notice:
  Clavering Independent Chapel licensed for Marriages. [see 40, 43
  above]
- /71 Printed letter-head : T. Mace, Gt. Bardfield, Essex : ltr. re advert.
- /72 A.B., hr. Hart's, Bookseller, S. Walden: hsemaid wtd.
- /73 Stamped envelope with visiting card of Mr. Charles Bedell, 28 Argyll Rd., Kensington W.
- /74 'A Visitor', B.S. : ltr. re Practical Joking.
- /75 C.S.: Poem re the Westmill Harvest Home.
- /76 S. Walden Fat Stock Sales etc.
- /77 mr. Benet, Hockerill, B.S.: ltr. re insertion in paper.
- /78 Mr. Wm. Rand: auction of live & dead Farming Stock at Horseheath, Cambs.
- /79 Mr. Wm. Rand: auction of live & dead Farming Stock at the Cock rm., Elmdon.
- /80 Mr. Wm. Rand: auction of hsehold furniture at Prior's Hall, Widdington, Essex.
- /81 Messrs. Carter Jonas & Wm. Rand: auction of hsehold furn. at the Rectory Fm., Littlebury, Essex.
- /82 Mrs. Fairman, Windhill, B.S.: kitchenmaid wtd.
- /83 W. Ben. Thurgood: auction of heehold effects of Broom Wood Cottage, Oakley.
- /84 Messrs. Thurgood & Giles (?), 123 Chancery Lane, London: ltr. re Burton Crescent advert. Ltr. unsigned but see 23
- /85 Poster: Franklin & Son, Auctioneers: live & dead Stock of moor Hall Fm., Thorley. Very embrittled.
- /86 Poster: G.E. Sworder: auction: stock-in-trade of the late Mr. Gillett, Hadham Ford. In fragments.

### NON-ORIGINAL BUNDLE : 1872 Sep

- /1 Mrs Chas. Land, Rickling Hall : gen. svt. wanted.
- /2 Messrs. Hooper & Cull, Gen. Advertisers, 1 George St., Mansion Ho.: note att. to notice of auction of cotts. & blacksmith's shop, High St., Epping.
- /3 G.E.R.: pr. handbill for Excursion to Yarmo., 6 Sep., w. MS. alteratns. for insertion in paper.
- /4 As above : to London, 2 Sep. [/3 & /4 badly embrittled.]
- /5 A 'Subscriber': anon. ltr. complaining about practical joke of advert. in recent issue.
- /6 -: Notice of sale of livestock & crops, etc. [Part only.]
- /7 Messrs. Ratliffe & Jeffery, Albion Steam Brewery, Northampton: advert. for working maltster as foreman.
- /8 Mrs Polley, Stone Hall, Matching : gen. svt. wanted.
- /9 I.Pasfield, North St., B.S.: advert. for display of fabrics, etc.
- /10 Top portion of /6 above : Sale by Messrs.J. Carter Jonas & Wm. Rand, at Radwinter, on orders of exors.of late Jn. Clayden.
- /11 F.E. Bray, Furneux Pelham [from Sudbury] : advert for sale of mare.
- /12 Mr Young : lost umbrella.
- /13 Mrs Beard, Waterloo Ho., B.S. : gen. svt. wanted.
- /14 A.B., Wm.Luck's, Hadham X: young man requires post in stable.
- /15 J. Luck, Hadham X : ltr. accompanying above.
- /16 Edw. Hicks & Sons, Stansted : malt maker wanted.
- /17 Wm. Rand : 6 fos. of sale notices and instructns. re same.
- /18 Notice of marr.: Lewis Wigram to Mary Deedes, at Bramfield; also d. of Jas. Hancock, J.P., Hertford.
- /19 Notice of d. in London of Mrs Margaret Bird.
- /20 Mrs E.Cowell, Henham Lodge : nursery maid wanted.
- /21 J.M. : post as coachman wanted, wife to do laundry.
- /22 Mr Scarfe : cott. to let advert. to be discontinued.
- /23 Notice of birth of son to Mrs S. Deards, Harlow.
- /24 Notice of d. of Mrs Mary Mumford, Quendon.
- /25 Do. : Mrs Eliz. Burnett, Puckeridge.
- /26 Mrs B. Perry, South St., B.S.: gen. svt. wanted.
- /27 J.Prime, Clavering : housekpr. & ploughman wanted.
- /28 Porter, Corney Bury : shepherd wanted.
- /29 Miller, P.O., Bottisham : post as master miller wanted.
- /30 Notice of b. of dau. to Mrs F. Burroughs, Alpha Place, B.S.
- /31 Messrs. Jackson & Son, Bridge St., B.S.: Notices of sales.
- /32 Miss Howard, Potter St.: news, toy & stationery business to let.
- /33 Cutting: Notice of sale of Harlowbury Herd of Shorthorns by Jn. Thornton, Langham Place.
- /34 Mrs Thos. Green, Thorley Wash : gen. svt. wanted.
- /35 Westwood, butcher, B.S. : asst. wanted.
- /36 R.Lock, draper, B.S.: notice of stocks of Manchester & cotton goods, purchased during depression in cotton market.

#### NON-ORIGINAL BUNDLE : 1872 Sep (cont.)

- /37 P/c from Sawb. w. var. adverts.
- /38 Note re repeats of Forest Hall Farm & More Hall Farm, Thorley.
- /39 Thurgood, land agent, Saff.Wald.: auction of Walden Hall will not take place, the owner, E.B.Ray, having taken it into his own hands.
- /40-1 2 adverts. to be inserted for Miss Mackenzie: gen. svt. for Mrs Denness, Bennington's Farm, Hatfd. Br. Oak; groom/gdnr. for Mr Ross, Grange Farm, ibid.
- /42 Messrs. Thurgood & Giles, 123 Chancery Lane : sending posters.
- /43 G.E.Sworder: sale of effects, stock-in-trade of Jas. Nicholls, [stone-mason].
- /44 Geo. Hine, Epping: sale of stock & implements from Cherry Tree Farm, N. Weald, as Mr Pyne is leaving.
- /45 Wm. Rand : sale of furn., Priors Hall.
- /46 Jas. Purkiss, Harlow: wants post as butcher [on Clayden's bill].
- /47 G.E. Sworder: sale of crops, stock, etc., Thorley House Farm, as Wm. Nottage is leaving.
- /48 Messrs. Wm. & R.D. Thurgood, Saff. Wald.: notice re settling debts with Mrs Ezra Deards, Clavering, executrix of Thos. Halls, shopkpr., Clavering.
- /49 Mr Green : advert. for nursery governess to be repeated.
- /50 Messrs. Linnell & Tunes, grocers & drapers, North St., B.S.: detailed advert.
- /51 [Messrs. Thurgood & Giles] : details of sale of wines.
- /52 G.E.R.: covering proforma to excursions adverts.
- /53 Miss Bayford, Windhill, B.S.: pt. of ltr. re notice of death.
- /54-5 2 notes re additions to advert. of further agents for commodity [both corn mchts].
- /56 Notice of death of Ernest Wilkinson, 4 months, South St., B.S.
- /57-9 G.E.Sworder: notices of sale: late Jas.Nicholls' stonemason's yd., Chantry Rd., B.S., etc.; estate of Mr Campbell, Lt. Hallingbury; estate of late Jas.Sapsford, Widdington.

BUNDLE : Sept. 1872

- /1 C., Little Hadham : poem about swallows.
- /2 'An Essex Incumbent': ltr. re the Secular Position of the Church of England.
- /3 Visiting card of Rev. T.G. Postlethwaite (writer of /2 ?)
- /4 Visiting card of Francis Broughton, 48 Finsbury Sq. E.C.
- /5 Death : Mr. Whittaker. B.S.
- /6 "One of Your Subscribers" : ltr. re a Practical Joke.
- /7 Marriage : James King to Emma Jane Gosling.
- /8 Mrs. Westwood, B.S. : gen. svt. wtd.
- /9 Mrs. Thos. Green, Thorley: ltr. re advt.
- /10 Saffron Walden Fat Stock Sales : series of advts. [of W. Rand].
- /11 R. Lock : millinery display
- /12 Printed: Mrs. Taylor, Windhill: hsemaid wtd.
- /13 Printed: Geo. Spalding: analytical & gen. chymist, Stansted. Essex.
- /14 Geo. Spalding: advt. for Bovinospedica (remedy for foot & mouth disease).
- /15 Thos. Mascall, Newport : gen. svt. wtd.
- /16 Mrs. Hughes, Cemetery Rd. B.S.: ltr. re advt. for svt.
- /17 Miss Walbey, Nuthampstead Bury, Royston, Herts.: ltr. re insertion of advt. [cutting att.].
- /18 Messrs. Clear & Cheffins, Ethelburga House, 70 & 71
  Bishopsgate Street Within, London E.C.: ltr. re advt.
  verso Sale of Farm Stock at the Saracen's Head Inn,
  Dunmow.
- /19 Jos. Pasfield, Hsehold Linen Warehouse, North St. B.S. termination of advt.
- /20 Messrs. Jackson & Son, Hertford : postponement of sale at Standon.
- /21 J. Carter Jonas, Land Agent, Cambridge: memo. re advt. of sale at Ickleton.
- /22 Bromley, Kelday and Seward, 114 Fenchurch St., London: ltr. re advt.
- /23 Bromley, Kelday & Seward, Auctioneers: contents of the "Old Brick House" Dunmow.
- /24 Duplicate copies : Gt. Eastern Railway : Superintendent's
- /25 Office, Bishopsgate Station, E.: memo. re advt. for Excursion to London.
- /26 Mrs. Ward, London Rd., Saffron Walden : gen. svt. wtd.
- /27 J. Carter Jonas: auction of Live & Dead Stock at Valance Farm, Ickleton.
- /28 Legal Notice to Debtors & Creditors of Rev. Chas.
  Spencer Bourchier, deceased, of Gt. Hallingbury Rectory.
- /29 John Thos. Smith, North Weald, nr. Epping: auction of Live & Dead Farming Stock of White's Fm.
- /30 T.S., Mr. Hart's, Saffron Walden: lad wants post in stable.
- /31 Robt. Lock, Family Draper, B.S.: dressmakers wtd.

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- /32 L.A.L., Post Office, Buntingford, Herts. : cook & hsemaid wtd. near London.
- /33 Preparatory School for Young Gentlemen, Windhill, B.S. announcement of beginning of next quarter.
- /34 Mr. G. Tisoe, Windhill, B.S.: pasture & garden to let.
- /35 D.S., 14 Princes St., Finsbury Sq., London E.C. :cowman wtd.
- /36 Mrs. Barnard, The Chestnuts, Grove Lane, Stamford Hill, London: gen. svt. & nurse wtd.
- /37 Mr. Cole, B.S.: hsemaid wtd.
- /38 C. Wayne, Treasurer & Secretary of Hatfield Broad Oak Agricultural & Labourers' Friend Society: Annual Ploughing Match & Vegetable Show.
- /39 C., Post Office, Harlow : post as heekeeper wtd.
- /40 M.A.E., Post Office, Little Hadham : post as cook wtd.
- /41 Mr. C., B.S.: housekeeper.
- /42 Mrs. Edridge, Quendon : gen. svt. wtd.
- /43 W. P., Post Office, Quendon : gen. svt. wtd.
- /44 Mrs. Gifford, Shingle Hall, Sawbridgeworth: gen. svt. & hsemaid wtd.
- /45 Mrs. Patmore, Pinchpools, Manuden : gen. svt. wtd.
- /46 Mrs. Cross, Market St., B.S. : gen.svt. wtd.
- /47 Mrs. Jones, Clavering : gen. svt. wtd.
- /48 Mrs. Robinson, Takely Hall, B.S.: nurse for baby wtd.
- /49 B.F. Waters, Thorley, B.S.; post as underhousemaid or nursemaid wtd.
- /50 Mrs. Mumford, Faggoters, nr. Harlow: governess wtd.
- /51 Pencilled note : repeat Mrs. Tebbit's advt.
- /52 A.B., Post Office, Harlow : hsemaid wtd.
- /53 A., Post Office, Sawbridgeworth : post as farm foreman wtd.
- /54 Mrs. Singleton, The Manse, Hatfield Heath: nursemaid & gen. svt. wtd.
- /55 E. Ingram, J. Drinkwell Esq., Sawbridgeworth: post as hsemaid wtd.
- /56 Mrs. Collin, Henham : cook wtd.
- /57 The Parsonage, Henham: nine acres of land & two cottages to let.
- /58 Mrs. Harvey, Apton Villa, B.S.: children's nurse, cook & hsemaid wtd.
- /59 Miss Paternoster, Upwick Green, nr. albury : pony & chaise for sale.
- /60 The Brewery, Hatfield Heath: hand wtd. for blacksmith's shop.
- /61 Account of case at Borough Petty Sessions, Hertford:
  drunkenness.

  verso G.E. Sworder, B,S.: auction of heehold furn.
  at Puckeridge.

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- /62 Arthur Cook, Secretary, Victoria Assurance Soc., 49 Fleet St., London: ltr. re insertion of advt. & re publication of extract from article.
- /63 Mrs. Hardy, B.S.: nursemaid wtd.
- /64 G., Office of Herts. & Essex Obs. : gen. svt. wtd.
- /65 Prelim. notice of Ball in aid of Saffron Walden Hosp.
- /66 Memo. from C. Houghton, Family Grocer & Draper, Potter St., Harlow.
- /67 H. Baker, Clerk to the Guardians of B.S. Union, to
  Mr. G. Martin, Gt. Hadham: notice of meeting.

  verso Mr. G. Martin: acquisition of Steam Thrg. Machine
  & request for patronage.
- /68 Mr. Barnard, 14 Princes St., Finsbury Sq. : ltr. re advt.
- /69 E. Saggers, Broxbourne : gen. svt. wtd. (written on Gt. Eastern Hailway notepaper)
- /70 G. Houghton, Family Grocer & Draper, Potter St., Harlow: sale of calico, etc.
- /71 Stephen Austin & Sons: ltr. re advt. concerning transfer of business. [Chas F. Green, engr., archt., etc., to Smith & Austin, Hrtfd.]
- /72 J. Luck, Hadham Cross: ltr. re advt.

  verso A.B., Mr. Luck, Hadham Cross: lad wants post
  in stable.
- /73 Mr. Hall : for sale : Sociable & 3 h.p. Chaff-cutter.
- /74 Mrs. Kirby, Braughing, Ware : svt. wtd.
- /75 X, Obs. Office, B.S.: groom & gardener wtd.
- /76 Mrs. Thos. Green, Thorley Wash : gen. svt. wtd.
- /77 Firs. Chapman : gen. svt. wtd. Apply Mr. Luck, Hadham X.
- /78 Miss Fairman, Windhill, B.S.: hsemaid & laundry-woman wtd
- /79 Iwo advts. : C.M., Mr. King, North St., B.S. : cook wtd. Apply Mr. King, B.S. : post as hsemaid wtd.
- /80 L.L., Hatfield Broad Oak : hsemaid wtd.
- /81 Ellen Wright, Quendon : post as gen. svt. wtd.
- /82 4, Essex Villa, High Rd., Lee, Kent: svt. wtd.
- /83 Thos. Wayre, Hatfield : ltr. re advt.
- /84 Alfred Jones, Saffron Walden : ltr. re advt.
- /85 W.C., B.S. : post as groom or coachman wtd.
- /86 Small Poster: re-opening of Sawbridgeworth Parish Church;
  verso S.P.J.: ltr. re insertion of poster as advt.
- /87 Handbill : Gt. Eastern Hailway : cheap excursion to London.
- /88 Handbill: Gt. Eastern Railway: special excursion to Hunstanton.
- /89 Incomplete account of proceedings before a magistrate.
- \*/90 A.C. Sparen, Brooklands, Birchanger B.S.: to let: property nr. the Causeway, B.S., & Farm House at Upwick Green, Albury.
  - /91 Mr. roungman, Saffron Walden: death of Robt. Cottingham Gt. Chesterford.
  - /92 Sam. Deacon & Co., Leadenhall St., London: advt. for Stranges Crystal Oil.
- /93 the Lodge Fm, Saffron Walden: sale of 2 x £10 shares in the Saffron Walden Railway Company. [Benj. Thurgood.]

#### NON-ORIGINAL BUNDLE : Undated

#### Bundle No. 34

#### Contents include :

- /1 Anon.ltr. re unjust treatment of Rbt.Moule & his wife of Sewers End, S.W. by the Guardians.
- /2-3 'A Looker on', 'A Subscriber' [same ?] : ltrs.re : slow progress on B.S. Bridge; G.E.R.Goods Rates.
- /4-6 R.Lock & Co., drapers, B.S.: adverts. [detailed].
- /7 R.Butcher & Son, Outfitting Wareho., B.S.: successors to Mr Morley.
- /8 Appointmt.of T.F.Singleton, ironmonger, S.W., as agent for Mr Lipscombe's Patent Water Filter.
- /9 Pull of advert. : Corn Cure of T.Caldwell, Northampton & Cambridge.
- /10 Newport Gas Co.: reward for info. leading to conviction of person who turned on pipe.
- /11 'Common Sense': 'Epping & the Cholera': ltr. countering bad impression of local state of health.
- /12 All England Eleven Cricket Match, B.S. : bal. sheet.

#### Remaining items not numbered.

# HERTS. & ESSEX OBSERVER : ADDENDA

C.35	Misc. corres. similar to preceding bundles, found
8 5	amongst other papers of the Bishop's Stortford & Dist. Local History Society, listed and deposited in Herts. R.O., June 1972.

	B	1.0., June 1972.	
C.3	5/1	1864 Mar	R.S., Bishop's Stortford: baker's & grocer's business in neighbourhood of B.S. to be disposed of.
	/2	do.	[? Collis, B.S.]: senior draper's assistant wanted.
	/3	do.	A.G., c/o Hart, Saff. Wald.: gen. svt. wanted in farm hse.
	/4	[1864]	W.J. Attkins, B.S., agent, City & County Assurance Co. Ltd.: rates.
	/5	1865 May 18	J.G. Hall, Auction Office, Derby Place, Old Ford Rd., N.E.: sale of new bldg. materials, 'Neville Arms', Audley End.
	/6	1866 Jan	W.Wederell: sale of furn. at Lt. Gregories, Theydon Bois (adminrs. of late Wm. Groombridge).
	<b>/7-</b> 8	1869 Nov	Messrs. Rivingtons, publrs., Waterloo Pl.: advert. for Charge delivered by Bp. of Rochester.
	/9	n.d.	W.B., c/o Hart, Saff. Wald.: man & wife wanted for farm.
	/10	n.d.	A. Fielding, mcht., 32 Poultry: local rep. wanted for sale of Louis de Rene brandy. [Ltr. torn in two.]
	/11	n.d.	A.B., Mr. J. Wright's, Epping: post wanted as threshing engine driver.
	/12	n.d.	Mrs. G. Miller, B.S.: gen. svt. wanted.
	/13	n.d.	Mrs. Alf. Hicks, Stansted: as above.
	/14	n.d.	W. Cornwell, brick & lime mcht., Rye St., B.S.: price rise, due to rise in coal price.
	/15	n.d.	Anon.: nursery governess wanted.

N.B. Most of the above are severely embrittled.

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Facilities for Students Apply in writing to County Archivist

### INTRODUCTION

The introduction to the first part of this list should be consulted for the general background to these papers and their listing. The second part of the list deals principally with specimens of items printed by the Observer office, such as posters and business stationery. Most of these are annotated with date, customer and quantity ordered. A few items, however, appear to be strays from the small Glasscock group deposited at the same time, and some may have been intended as copy for advertisements in the Observer.

Many of the posters are embrittled and very fragile, largely owing to the high acid content of their paper. However, a number of items are in fair to good condition and would furnish useful illustrations for local history publications.

Among the more important subjects covered in Part 2 are the following:

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R.A.Storey, H.M.C., March 1970.

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# SAMPLES OF ORDERS

P.1				
Pl. 1	1862	Feb	2	Holy Trinity Ch., B.S. : 2 sermons by Rev. F.G. Hughes.
P1.2	1862	Feb	10	Chinese Entertainmt.from Drury Lane Theatre at B.S.Corn Exch.
Pl 3-4	1862	Feb	17	Hockerill Choral Soc. : Poster & Programme of Concert.
Pl. 5	1862	Aug	27	Wm.Montague's Theatre, Corn Exch., B.S.
Pl.6	1862	Apr	24	B.S.Lity.Instn.: lecture by Geo. Dawson.
n.7	1862	Sep	25	All England Cricket 11 v. 22 of B.S.
P1.8	do	•		Card re above.
P1.9	do	•		'Cherry Tree Inn' advert.in conn.w.above.
P110	1862	Aug	26	Wm.Montague's Theatre, Corn Exch., B.S.
P1.11	n.d.			Stansted Park Cricket Club rules.
P112	1862	Mar	13	B.S.Lity.Instn.:Penny Readings.
Pl. 13	1862	Sep		Circ.ltr.re Cricket Match refd.to above.
Pl• 14	1861	Apr	21	Central Hall, Stansted : Concert by W.A.Boast & family.
Pl. 15	1862	Мау	12	Opening of B.S.Baths.
P-16	1862	May	27	Hatfield Broad Oak Choral Soc.concert.
Pl. 17	1862	Sep		Sub.list for Cricket Match refd.to above.
Pl 18	1862			B.S.Cricket Club: proforma notice of match [to be completed in MS.; w.woodcut of match].
Pl-19	1862	Jul	16	B.S.Indep.Chapel : Lecture by Benj.Scott.
Pi•20	1862	Jul	29	Hatfield Broad Oak 'Cock Inn': dinner tkt.
Pi 21	1862	Aug	19	Foresters' Excursion to Crystal Pal.
P <sub>1</sub> , 22	-	Aug	30	Incomplete poster : Wm.Montague's Theatre, Town Hall, ware.
P.23	1862	Aug	26	Wm.Montague's Theatre, B.S.Corn Exch.
PL 24	1862	Sep	26	Howe's Great American Circus at BS.
P <sub>1</sub> 25	1862	Oct	5	Harlow Baptist Chapel: Discourse by Rev.T.R.Stevenson.
Pl• 26	1862	Sep	etc.	Ticket to Prof.Gardner's lectures at High School. [See P2.146.]
P <sub>1</sub> 27	1862	Oct		Edward Dale's Drawing Room Sketches at B.S.Corn Exch.
P <sub>1•</sub> 28	1862	Nov	19	Hockerill Choral Soc.in aid of Lancashire Distress Fund.
P1 29	1864	Apr	4	Cambridge Choral Socs. : 'Messiah'.
P <sub>b</sub> 30	1864	Mar	30	Hatfield Broad Oak Choral Soc.
P <sub>1</sub> •31	1865	Oct		Exclusion of cattle, etc., from November Fair, Saff.Wald.
P1 32-8	1872			G.E.R. : Excursion notices.
P <sub>1•</sub> 39	1862	Aug		Card of Thos.Cooper, 'Old Bell Inn', Sawb.: horses & carriages to let.
P <sub>b</sub> 40	1862	Sep		Card of Chas. Tipler, Lt. Hallingbury: Burrell Thrashing Machine for hire.
P1.41	1862	Jun		Joshua Miller & Sons, B.S., coal & agric.mchts. : bill form.

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P1.42	1862 Apr	B.S.Highway Bd. : sale of road scrapings.
P1.43	1870 Aug	Notice of B.S. Year Book & Almanack; verso advert of J. Challis, New Town, B.S., milk seller: milk wanted.
P1.44	1862 Aug	[E.& R.Lock] : notice re reopening of shop.
P1.45-6	do.	do. : Clearance Sale.
P1.47	do.	B.S.Market Co. : circ.ltr.re Spec.Gen.Mtg. re altering & repairing Corn Exch.
P1.48-9	do.	As 45-6.
P1.50	1862 Oct	Harlow & Sawb.Gas-Light & Coke Co.Ltd. (Chas.Barnard, Chmn.): notice re inspection of fittings.
P1.51		Brown Alexander, B.S., piano tuner.
P1.52	1862 Jan 14	B.S., Dunmow & Braintree Rlwy. (Geo.Perry, Sec.pro tem): circ. ltr.re First Ord.Mtg.
P1.53		As 42.
P1.54-5	1862 May	S.Mary's Coll., Harlow: Inauguration of new bldgs.: card; circ.ltr.w. aerial perspective view of bldgs. des.by R.I.Withers, archt.
P1.56	1862 Mar 28	P.Cleary, Kingsdon Ho., Harlow: circ.ltr.re discharge of his Asst. Writing Master, Mr Thomas.
P1.57-8	1862 Jul 15	B.S.High School : Ann.Festival.
P1.59	1862 Jan	do. : Prospectus.
P1.60-1	1862 Oct	Sawb.Work Soc.[for needy needlewomen]: Rules; Regulations for those recvg.wk.
P1.62	1862 Sep	Gt.Hallingbury : voters' list proforma.
P1.63	1862 Mar 1	B.S.Union : tenders invited for supplies.
P1.64	1862 Aug	B.S. : Jurors' Return.
P1.65	do.	Geo.Ingold, bankrupt : assignee's a/c.
P1.66	1862 Jun 9	B.S.Union: tenders invited for bread.
P1.67	1862 Sep	Gt.Hallingbury : list of voters.
P1.68-9	1862 Feb/Mar	G.E.Pritchett, archt.: circ.ltr. soliciting support for Surveyorship of Cambs.[w.MS.note by GEP re layout]; pr.booklet cont.48 testimonials, giving details of work carried out by GEP].
P1.70-1	1862 Jun/Jul	In memoriam cards : Jas.Miller, Benj.Moxon.
P1.72	1862 Jun	Card of Insp.W.E.Ryder.
P1.73	1862 Apr	Card soliciting support for fam.of late Alex.Pardon, of Middleton & Pardon, wholesale warehousemen, Cheapside.
P1.74	1862 Aug	Reward for missing spaniel.
P1.75	1862 Sep	1st Herts.Light Horse Vols.: drill.
P1.76	1862 Feb	Reward for lost cape.
P1.77	1862 Jul 28	Sawb.farmers : notice re gleaning.
P1.78	1862 May 21	P.O.Savings Bank, B.S.:notice re withdrawals from Old Savings Bank.

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P.2		
P2.1	1862 Dec 22	Sale of effects of Ric. Sanders, Stansted by A. Nockolds.
P2.2	1862 Nov 27	Sale partics. : property at Hadham Rd./North St., B.S. (Arthur Nockolds).
P2.3	do.	Poster re above.
P2.4	do.	Freehold tenmt., Church St., B.S.
P2.5	1862 Dec 6	Wm.Glasscock's trustees: property at Clavering & Saff.Wald.(Nockolds).
P2.6	1862 Feb	J.G.Bond's Cheap Clothing Wareho., Takeley.
P2.7	1862 Feb 12	G.E.Pritchett, archt.: circ.ltr.to Acting Magistrates for Cambs. [See P1.68-9]
P2.8	1862 Jan	Proforma notice of Public Vestry mtg., B.S.
P2.9	do.	B.S.Union: proforma re examination of applicants [used specimen].
P2.10	1862 Feb 20	Stansted Parish : reward for Jas. Taylor, absconded agric.labr.
P2.11	1862 Mar	B.S.Union: tender form.
P2.12	do.	B.S.Par. : notice of Vestry mtg.
P2.13	1862 Apr	B.S.Union : Poor Rate receipt.
P2.14	1862 May 23	Geo.Ingold, bankrupt : abstract of statemt.of a/cs. [See also P1.65.]
P2.15	1862 Jun	Henham Tithe Rent Charge : circ.re collection.
P2.16	1862 Jul	Sawb.Work Soc.: recommendation slip [see also P1.60-1].
P2.17	do.	Dan.Cakebread, bankrupt : abstract of statemt.of a/cs.
P2.18/1-3	1862 Aug 27	B.S.Union: Circ.re resignation of Mr Moor, Med.Offr.of Braughing Dist. [MS., corrected proof & final version.]
P2.19	1862 Sep 25	Thos.Collis, bankrupt : abstract of statemt.of a/cs.
P2.20	1862 Sep	B.S.Union: Workho.admittance proforma.
P2.21	1862 Oct	A.Nockolds : circ.re colln.of Parndon tithe rent charge.
P2.22	1862 Nov 11	B.S.Highway Bd.: notice re measures against obstruction.
P2.23	1862 Nov	Manor of Clopton Hall: Quit rent receipt.
P2.24	do.	A.Nockolds : circ.re colln.of Birchanger tithe rent charge.
P2.25	do.	B.S.Highway Bd.: notice of mtg. proforma.
P2.26	1862 Dec	B.S.Union: proforma to incumbents re pauper burials.
P2.27	1862 Nov.	B.S.Union : corrected proof of circ.ltr.re assessmt.of rateable values.
P2.28	do.	B.S.Union: proforma questions to Overseers re above.
P2.29	1862 Dec 3	Thos.Collis, bankrupt : official assignee's a/c [see P2.19 above].
P2.30	1872 Sep 9	B.S.Union: invitation of tenders.

P2.31	1862 Jan	Orphans' Friend Lodge M.U. 3155 Contribn.card.
P2.32	do.	'Green Man' Mutual Benefit Soc., Harlow: arts.of agreemt.booklet.
P2.33	1862 Feb 17	Sawb. Reading Rm.: lecture by Mrs Inglis.
P2.34	1862 Feb	Reward for info.re circulation of obscene ltrs., Harlow.
P2.35	do.	Mr Parry's Hounds : meet card.
P2.36	1862 Mar 13	Sawb.Rdg.Rm.: lecture by Rev. F.Edwards.
P2.37	1862 Mar	B.S.Church Visiting & Relieving Assoc. Rpt.
P2.38	1862 Apr	British Day Schools, Hertford: 'A Voice to Sunday School Teachers' by LWP.
P2.39	1862 May 14	Manr.Unity of Odd Fellows Orphans' Friend Lodge 3155, B.S.: circ.ltr. re 20th anniv.mtg. [See 31 above.]
P2.40	1862 May	B.S.Bathing Assoc. season tkt.
P2.41	1862 Jun	Orphans' Friend Lodge : paymt. proforma [see 31 above].
P2.42-3	1862 Jul	As P1.57-8; also admittance tkt.
P2.44	do.	E.Counties' Asylum Bazaar.
P2.45-6	do.	See 42-3 above : Tkt.to dinner.
P2.47	1862 Jul 9	The College, Harlow : circ.re Commem.Festival.
P2.48-50	1872 Sep	G.E.R. : excursion handbills.
P2.51	1862 Sep	All England Cricket Match : tkt.
P2.52		Miss Peskett's Benefit : tkt.
P2.53	1862	Hadham Mutual Improvement & Recreation Soc. : booklet of Rules & catal.of Library.
P2.54	1862 Sep	1st Herts Light Horse Vols. : receipt form.
P2.55	1862 Oct	do. : Dinner tkt.
P2.56	1862 Oct 13	do. : presentation of prize swords.
P2.57	1862 Oct	Sawb. & High Wych Cricket Club: new Rules.
P2.58	do.	B.S.Friendly Soc. : arrears ltr.
P2.59	1862 Nov 9	Harlow Baptist Chapel : Rev.T.R.Stevenson.
P2.60	1862 Nov	Booklet : List of Mr Parry's Hounds.
P2.61	1862 Nov 23	Harlow Baptist Chapel : discourse by Rev.F.Edwards.
P2.62	1862 Nov	Concert programme.
P2.63	1862 Nov 30	Harlow Baptist Chapel: Rev.T.R. Stevenson.
P2.64	1862 Dec	Prince of Wales Soc., 'Anchor Inn', B.S.: contribn.card.
P2.65	1862 Nov	Harlow Reading Soc.: loan form.
P2.66	1862 Dec	The College, Harlow: proforma re holidays, w.train times.
P2.67	1862 Dec 22	Hockerill Choral Soc. : Dramatic Concert.
P2.68	1862 Dec 9	Sawb.Reading Room : lecture by Rev.T.R.Stevenson.
P2.69	1862 Dec	'Queens of England' by Mrs Moreton Brookes & Miss Marion Talfourd.

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P2.70	1862 Dec	Mr Lee : dinner invitation proforma.
P2.71	1862 Jan	B.S. Natl. & New Town Schools: A/cs & Attendances.
P2.72	1862 Apr	Mourning card: 4 children of Thos. & Eliza Redington.
P2.73	1862 Dec	'Red Lion' Much Hadham : Ball tkt.
P2.74	do.	do. : circ.re.
P2.75	do.	Hatfield Heath Par.Lending Lib. book plate.
P2.76-7	1862 Dec	Wm.Montague's Theatrical Enter- tainmt., B.S.: proof & revised version.
P2.78	do.	Small poster in conn.w.above.
P2.79	do.	Montague : further programme.
P2.80		Bookplate of Thos.Brunton.
P2.81	1862 Jan	Joshua Miller, agent for J.Cor- bett's Salt Wks. : proforma re prices at stations.
P2.82		Billhead of G.Green, hairdresser, B.S. [stray from Glasscock Colln.?]
P2.83		Billform of R.Clayden, w.note re advert verso.
P2.84		Card of Mr Broughton, solr., Finsbury Sq., in envel., p/m 1872.
P2.85	1862 Jul	Card : catal.of growing crops, Upper Farm, Hazel End, Farnham.
P2.86		Pound & Co.'s British Ammoniacal Guano (Agent, A.J.Mansfield, Hill Farm, Farnham): torn advert., w.testimonials verso.
P2.87		Braintree Bank : envel.to Barclay, Beavn & Co., remitting cheques.
P2.88		B.S.Gas Co. : delivery note.
P2.89	1862 Nov	Joshua Miller & Sons : delivery forms.
P2.90-1	do.	Jn.Dobede Fairman, maltster: malthouse instruction note.
P2.92	do.	B.S.Gas Co. : final demand.
P2.93	do.	E.Hicks, Steam Mill, Stansted : invoice.
P2.94	1862 Oct	Mr Rayment : weekly farm a/c form.
P2.95	do.	J.Miller & Sons : delivery note.
P2.96	do.	W. & S.Deards, plumbers, etc., Harlow: notice re gasfitting. [Secalso P2.127.]
P2.97	1862 Sep	T.W.Brand, Bentfield Mill: delivery notes.
P2.98	do.	B.S.Drug Establishment (Humphries): traveller's note.
P2.99		As P1.40.
P2.100	1862 Jul	Card of W.Goodwin, saddle maker, B.S.
P2.101	do.	David Scott, draper, etc., B.S. : bill form.
P2.102	do.	Joshua Miller & Sons : bill form.
P2.003	do.	Jos.Silcock,.'Bell & Feathers', Sawb.: flys & open carriages to hire.
P2.104		As 101 above.
P2.105	1862 Jun	Sparrow, Round & Co. : receipt.

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P2.106	1863 Dec 7	Thos.Hatton Ward, R.C.V.S., has taken over business of Thos.Bill-ington, Henham [amended circ.of TB taking over from J.M.Axe, 21 Jun 1862].
P2.107-8	1862 Jun	Eliza Collis, milliner, B.S.: bill forms.
P2.109-10	do.	T.N.Miller & Co., wine mchts., B.S.: bill form.
P2.111		J.E.Bond's Gen.Grocery & Drapery Wareho., Takeley : MS.copy of advert.
P2.112	1862 May	T.W.Brand, Benfield Mill: delivery notes [cf. 97 above].
P2.113	1862 Apr	T.Humphries, wholesale druggist, B.S.: traveller's card.
P2.114	do.	Thos.Mumford, Peyton Hall, Manu- den : card re stallion 'Young Fireaway'.
P2.115	do.	S.Thurgood, B.S.: resumption of dressmaking business.
P2.116	do.	Wm.Hy.Harris, Sawb.: commencemt. of bakery business.
P2.117	do.	Stort Navigatn. : order form.
P2.118		As 113 above.
P2.119-20	do.	Wm.Lawrance's Assignment : circ. re dividend (Jn.Mott Richardson, solr., Much Hadham) & receipt.
P2.121	1862 Mar	B.S.Gas Co.: receipt.
P2.122	1862 Apr	Messrs.Perry, Lt.Hyde Hall: card re stallion 'Albert'.
P2.123	do.	Geo.Parish, Henham : card re stallion 'Fire King'.
P2.124	1862 Mar	W.Waylett, Parsonage Mill, B.S.: delivery note.
P2.125	do.	A.Nockolds : Lot labels.
P2.126	do.	Mary H.Ratcliff, plumber, etc., Stansted : card.
P2.127	do.	Eliz.Deards, Harlow: thanks for support of late husband's business, to be carried on by sons, Wm. & Sam.
P2.128-9	do.	Eliza Collis, B.S.: taking over Mr Portway's millinery business.
P2.130	1862 Feb 22	Jos.Reed, Quendon: has taken over Rbt.Burgoyne's business.
P2.131	1862 Feb 11	Harlow Gas-Light & Coke Co.(proposed): decision to employ consultg.engr. to report on Mr Bowers plans and superintend works.
P2.132	1862 Jan	A. Haselgrove, late Jas. Nicholls, stone mason, B.S.: bill form.
P2.133	1862 Feb 11	W.Merriman, B.S.: circ.ltr.re collecting debts due to Messrs. Jessopp & Co., late chemists, B.S.
P2.134	1862 Feb	Stort Navigation : barge cargo declaration note.
P2.135	1862 Jan	Harlow: notice of mtg.to consider gas lighting [see 131 above].

P2.136	1862 Jan	Joshua Miller : coal delivery note.
P2.13?	do.	Jos. Reed, carpenter, Manuden : commencement of business.
P2.138		As P2.90-1 above.
P2.139		As P2.97 above.
P2.140	do.	Wm.Rayment's Furneux Pelham Brewery: delivery note.
P2.141	1872 Jul 2	East Anglian Girls' College: inauguration address by Rev. Thos.Binney [DNB].
P2.142	1865 Feb	B.S.Collegiate School: establishmt. of Scholarships.
P2.143	1862 Nov	Tkt.to lecture on chemistry.
P2.144	do.	Geo.Briggs: lecture on General & Elementary Chemistry, at B.S.; proceeds to Lancs.Relief Fund.
P2.145	do.	Poster for above.
P2.146	1862 Sep	B.S.High School: lectures by Prof.E.V.Gardner on Thermology and Analysis.
P2.147	1862 Oct	B.S.High School : report form.
P2.148	do.	Mrs Clayden, Potter St., Harlow: young ladies' bdg.school.
P2.149	i.	Pr.version of 135 above.
P2.150	182-	[B.S.]Churchwarden's Rate receipt form, printed by Mullinger [stray from Glasscock Colln.?]

#### POSTERS

- Bundle Number : P 3.
- P3/1 Residence to let at Manuden. 1862.
- P3/2 Mr. B.T. Thurgood: auction of Underwood, Croney Wood, Wimbish. 1865.
- P3/3 Mr. A. Nockolds: auction of furn. at Stansted, including list of furn. 1862.
- P3/4 G.E. Sworder: auc. of corn crops at Gt. Hadham. 1872.
- P3/5 P.H. Perring: auc. of furn at Saffron Walden.
- (Mrs Prior, furn.dlr., 1865.)
  P3/6 Mr. B.T. Thurgood: auc. of 2 wooden sheds at Rickling, Essex. 1872.
- P3/7 Mr. A. Nockold : auc. of live & dead stock of Mill Fm., Birchanger, Essex. 1862.
- P3/8 G.E. Sworder: auc. of horses nr. Corn Exchange, B.S. Paper embrittled. 1862.
- P3/9 Mr. A. Nockolds: auc. of timber trees at East End Wood, Elsenham. Embrittled. 1862.
- P3/10 Franklin & Son : auc. of live & dead stock of Forest Hall Fm., Hatfield Broad Oak. Embrittled. 1872.
- P3/11 G.M. Fenn: auc. of furn. & stock of woollen cloths at Stansted. (Jos. Wallace, draper.)
- P3/12 Messrs. Medcalf: auc. of steam engines, thrashing & reaping machines at Dudwick (?), Hall Fm., Hatfield Hyde. Paper fragmentary. 1865.
- P3/13 2 pieces of poster : Mr. B.T.Thurgood : auc. 14 of road sand & sewage matter, Saffron Walden. 1872.
- P3/15 Envelope: manuscript note: 100 copies 6th Aug. 1862 Mr. Canning. (Braintree Bank.)
- P3/16 Gunters Fm., Wimbish: poster stuck to itself where folded, so impossible to read all.
- P3/17 A. Nockolds: auc. of corn crops at Upper Fm., Hazel End, Farnham. 1δ62.
- P3/18 Mr. Crawley\*: catalogue of auc. of stock & furn. at Stocking Pelham, due to bankruptcy. 1862.
- P3/19 Mr. Crawley: poster advertising (18).
- P3/20 Messrs. Jackson & Son : live & dead stock of Chapmore End, nr. Bengeo. 1872.
- P3/21 Messrs. Jackson & Son : live & dead stock of Priory Fm., Widford. Fragmented. 1572.
- P3/22 Messrs. Thurgood & Giles: sale of 12 cott. & 2 shops, King's Place, Buckhurst Hill, Chigwell, Essex. Embrittled. 1872.

<sup>\*</sup> Wheelwright

P3.23	Mr Crawley: auctn.of furn.at Sawb. 1862.
P3.24	Un-named prems. to be sold.
P3.25	A.Nockolds: auctn.of 2 stacks of hay, Manuden. 1862.
P3.26	Same: auctn.of estates in B.S., Jul 1862, incl. residence occupied by Rev.F.W.Rhodes.
P3.27	Partics. & Conditus.of above sale.
P3.28	A.Nockolds : auctn.of oak timber, Stansted. 1862.
P3.29	Mr Gower's City Repository, Barbican : Ed.Parsons Fowler, exporter, Jersey : auctn.of Channel Is.

Misc. correspondence similar to preceding bundles, found

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		Record Office, June	1972.
(	2,35/1	1864 Mar	R.S., Bishop's Stortford: baker's & grocer's business in neighbourhood of B.S. to be disposed of.
	/2	do	[? Collis, B.S.]: senior draper's assistant wanted.
	/3	do	A.G., c/o Hart, Saff. Wald.: gen. svt. wanted in farm hse.
	/4	[1864]	W.J. Attkins, B.S., agent, City & County Assurance Co. Ltd.: rates.
	/5	1865 May 18	J.G. Hall, Auction Office, Derby Place, Old Ford Rd., N.E.: sale of new bldg. materials, 'Neville Arms', Audley End.
	/6	1866 Jan	W. Wederell: sale of furn. at Lt. Gregories, Theydon Bois (adminrs. of late Wm. Groombridge).
	/7-8	1869 Nov	Messrs. Rivingtons, publrs., Waterloo Pl.: advert. for Charge delivered by Bp. of Rochester.

wanted for farm.

W.B., c/o Hart, Saff. Wald.: man & wife

A. Fielding, mcht., 32 Poultry: local

rep. wanted for sale of Louis de Rene

Mrs. G. Miller, B, S.: gen. svt. wanted.

Mrs. Alf. Hicks, Stansted: as above.

W. Cornwell, brick & lime mcht., Rye

St., B.S.: price rise, due to rise in

A.B. Mr. J. Wright's Epping: post

wanted as threshing engine driver.

brandy. [Ltr. torn in two]

/15 n.d. Anon.: nursery governess wanted.

N.B. Most of the above are severely embrittled.