## ≈ Pigot & Co. Directory for Kent 1826-27 ≈

## **MARGATE**

IS a sea-port town, seventy-two miles east by south of London, fourteen miles north of Deal, and seventeen from Canterbury. It is situated at the northern extremity of the Isle of Thanet, and is a member of the port of Dover. Not many years since it was an unimportant fishing-town, but latterly it has rapidly risen to its present celebrity, as a fashionable sea-bathing place. The waters are limpid, the shore level, and the air very salubrious. In 1821, the number of visitors, during the high season, was estimated at above 60,000. The present buildings are found insufficient for this vast influx of persons, new ones are therefore erecting, and the town is still rising higher in importance. The new pier, the plan of the late Mr. Rennie, built of Whitby stone, is 901 feet long, 60 feet wide in the broadest part, and 26 feet high, with a parapet of four feet six inches. The promenade, and fashionable evening lounge of the summer visitants, is 856 feet long and 18 feet wide, elevated seven feet and a half above the level of the pier, over it are canvass awnings, a band of music attends, and the whole is brilliantly illuminated with gas. From the difficulty found in landing passengers from the steam boats, at low water, a wooden pier was erected in 1824, which is carried 1,062 feet into the sea, it is 18 feet wide, and well adapted to the purpose of its erection; it is called Jarvis's landing place, in compliment to Mr. Jarvis, a resident gentleman of Margate, at whose suggestion it was projected. The parish church, situated on a hill, was built about the year 1050, and is dedicated to St. John the Baptist, it was made parochial about the year 1220, and is a commodious building of flint, (roughcast.)— From the great population, during the summer months, and the increase of actual residents, the old church has been found too small, and much to the credit of the inhabitants, a new one is now building, which promises to become a great ornament to the town. The site is well chosen, and the situation commanding. The order of architecture is Gothic: the architect is Mr. Wm.Edmunds. The length of the church is 143 feet, its breadth 71, and the height of the tower 130 feet. Towards erecting this edifice the commissioners for building churches gave £10,000, the pier joint stock company £2,000, the parish, by rates, £6,000, and £8,000. was raised by voluntary subscription, to complete the sum of £26,000. the estimate cost. The organ, the velvet draperies, and the communion plate, are the gifts of some highly

respectable individuals. Here are also two chapels for dissenters, one for baptists, and Roman catholics, and a friend's meeting-house. Margate can boast of several charitable establishments; the national school gratuitously educates 230 boys and 170 girls. The royal sea-bathing infirmary, at Westbrook, established under the patronage of his present Majesty, is well deserving of commendation; a new wing has lately been added, for the better accommodation of female patients, and it now stands a monument of the liberality of Thanet Isle. The new market was planned in 1820, over which is the town-hall, of the Tuscan order, supported by cast iron pillars; the market is entered by porticos, and closed by iron gates: the whole is executed with a design to neatness and utility. The assembly-rooms, theatre and museum, are all worthy of being visited by the stranger; the several reading rooms are well conducted and supplied; the libraries and baths possess every convenience and comfort that can attach to such establishments. A considerable quantity of corn is exported from hence to London every week by hoys. Steam packets also go daily to London during the season. Well supplied markets are held on Wednesday and Saturday; and the population is now near 10,000.

**POST OFFICE**, High-st.—Daniel Valder, *Post Master*. The London, Canterbury and Sandwich mail arrives at seven in the morning, and is dispatched at half-past six in the evening. Ramsgate by-mail arrives at nine in the morning, and dispatched at half-past four in the afternoon.

#### GENTRY AND CLERGY.

Baker Mrs. Hawley square
Barrow Rev. F. Union crescent
Bayley Rev. Fredk. Cecil square
Belsey Thos. esq. High st
Boys Edward, esq. Hengrove
Boys John, esq. High st
Brasier Miss, Hawley square
Brooks Robert, esq. Hawley st
Browne Mrs. Turner, Union cresct

Brydges Mrs. St. Nicholas
Burrell Mrs. Union crescent
Burton Richd. Sacket's hill
Calder Rev. Fred. Union crescent
Chalie Mrs. Upper Marine Terrace
Chapman Miss, Dane st
Cobb Wm. esq. Hawley square
Croft Mrs. Cecil st
Crookshanks J. esq. Hawley sq
De Costa Morrice, esq. Lausanne House

Dodgson Mrs. High st Easter Captain, Belle vue house Edwards Captain, Prospect place French Mrs. Hawley st Friend John, esq. Birchington Friend John, esq. Brook's end Garrett Major, Updown Gaskell Geo. esq. St. James's sq. Gaskell John, esq. St. James's sq. Gaskell Wm. esq. Hawlev square Gillow John & Brydges, esquires, St. Nicholas Gillow Mrs. & Misses. St. Nicholas Gore John, esq. Up Marine terrace Hammond Mrs. Marine terrace Hays Daniel, esq. Chapel hill Headows —, esq. Royal hotel Heighington —,esq. Up Marine ter Hinton Rev. —, St. Nicholas Howell John, esq. Dane hill Hunter Roden, esq. Jarvis Daniel, esq. Up Marine ter Kemble Mrs. Hawley square Lahoome —, esq. High st Malon —, esq. Fort crescent Marsh John, esq. Garlinge Morwick Wm. esq. Prospect place Munns P. S. esq. Peircy lodge Osborn Latham, esq. High st Paine John, esq. Birchington

Plummer Jno. esq. M.P Fort lodge Powell John P. esq. Quex house Rammel Gibbon, esq. Street farm Rex Mrs. Buenos Ayres Row Miss. Flint manor Sackett John, esq. Hawley square Salisbury Mrs. Hawley square Selby Ralph, esq. Dane st Silver Samuel, esq. Cecil square Skip John, esq. Hawley square Slater John, esq. Cecil square Smith Thos. esq. High st Staines Sir Thos. Dent de Lion Taddy Edward, esq. Dane Taddy James, esq. Hartsdown Taddy James, jun. esq. Dane Taylor John, esq. Hawley square Tomlin Robt. esq. Northdown Toone Wm. esq. Union crescent Trowerd Miss, High st Walker Mrs. Hawley square Whale Major, Northdown Wood Lieut. Wm. Rt. Prospect pl Wood Mrs. Cecil st. Young Rev. Thos. Union crescent

Peirce John, esq. Hawley square

#### ACADEMIES.

(BOARDING AND DAY.)

Austen Misses, 6 Union crescent
Baker Miss, 43 Cecil st
Brasier John, Brook house
Lewis Chas. S. Churchfield house
Mickleburgh Jas. Thanet house
Mickleburgh Jno. Dane hill house
Oldfield Mrs. 12 Cecil square
Peacock Mrs. 11 Union crescent
Percival Mrs. (preparatory) 17 Union crescent
Reynolds Miss, Cecil st
Russell Charlotte, Hawley square
Stanley Wm. Dane house
Want Mrs. & Miss, Union crescent

## **ATTORNEYS**

Boys John, (& registrar to the commissioners of Salvage) 2 St. James's st Cobb Ths. (& notary) 17 Union st Dering Edward, (and registrar to the commissioners of Salvage) Cecil square Wright James Edwd. Hawley sq

#### **AUCTIONEERS**

Jenkins Richd. 52 Cecil st Marsh Wm. 47 High st Shew George, Cecil st, & 14 Gate st, Lincoln's-Inn fields, London

#### BAKERS.

Adams Henry, 1 Bankside Barton Thos. 1 Crescent place Bristow Wm. Cranbourne alley Cayley Thos. 4 Hawley square Chancellor John, King st Chancellor Stephen Sackett, 70 High st Crofts Robert, 4 Broad st Freebody John, 18 High st Hare Frederick, Zion place Kidman Charles, 5 Queen st Pegden Henry, Dane hill Saunders Thos. Church square Simmons Aratus, Hawley square Staner George, 118 High st Strand John, 17 High st Taylor John, Dane hill Thyme Samuel, Churchfield place White Thos. New Cross st.

#### BANKERS.

Cobb & Son, (general ship agents and agents to Lloyd's) King st

## BASKET MAKERS.

Austen Richard, 6 Market st Packer Wm. Bedford row

## **BATHS**

## (WARM, COLD AND SHOWER)

Beale J. 151 High st Hubbard Mrs. (& shampooing medicated vapour) 152 High st Hughes Samuel, 59 High st [should this be 159?] Phillpott George, (& en Douche) 150 High st

## **BOARDING HOUSES.**

Burrows & Millhouse, Cecil st Farmer Mrs. 5 Union crescent Haim Mrs. Cecil square Lewis Mrs. Fort house Phillips Mrs. 6 Union crescent Stewart Mrs. Hawley square Surflen Mrs. 13 Cecil square Willmott Mrs. 7 Marine terrace

# BOOKSELLERS, STATIONERS AND LIBRARIES

Bettison Samuel, Hawley square Bettison Wm. G. High st Denne Jas. (& printer) 4 Queen st New H. M. 147 High st Siddall Paul, New road Witherden George, (& printer) Marine parade

## **BOOT AND SHOE MAKERS**

Carthew Thos. 139 High st

Castle Wm. 1 High st
Chapman John, 115 High st
Cock Susannah, 2 King st
Grant Robert, Crescent place
Harrison Ann, 11 Queen st
Harrison Moses, 145 High st
Knott James, 30 High st
Munns Stephen, Broad st
Rogers James, 126 High st
Rowe Abraham, 3 Market place
Rowe Wm. Broad st
Simmon John, opposite Zion place

## **BRAZIERS**

Crow Garton, Market place Foat & Brook, Market place Paine Wm. Bridge st

#### BREWERS.

Cobb Francis & Son, King st Hunter Wm. High st Stride John Henry, Dane Brewery

#### BRICKLAYERS.

Bayley Richard, Prince's crescent Bushell Stephen, Rope walk Paramor James, Fort Winch Charles, Parade Winch Wm. Princes st

## **BROKERS.**

Carroway Jesse, nr Union crescent Sinnock Henry, Cranbourne alley Wetherilt John, Charlotte place

#### **BUILDERS**

Arnold Thos. Church square Bayley Richard, Cliff terrace Bundock Martin, Mill lane Bundock Wm. Dane hill Drayson John, Dane hill Foat Robert, New Inn yard Fox Thomas, King st Fuller Wm. Princes st. Jenkins Richard, Cecil st Knowler John, High st Mercer Samuel, 66 High st Merrall Richd. Addington square Munns Thomas, Garlinge Orpin Edward, High st Page Vincent, Dane place Pointon Samuel, Addington square White Edwd. (& surveyor) New Inn yard

## **BUTCHERS.**

Cornwell Thos. (pork) Broad st Foat Richard, 56 High st Foat Stephen, High st Lamperd John, New Cross st Macnally Henry, 14 Market place Maxted Thos. Lombard st
Peete James, High st
Peete Thomas, Hawley st
Penn George, Broad st
Penn George, jun. Market st
Read Thomas, Charlotte place
Tring Mrs. Market place

## CABINET MAKERS.

Carroway Jesse, nr Union crescent Hammond Hen. 5 Cranbourn alley

#### COAL MERCHANTS.

Boncey, Cutten & Co. King st Foster Charles Francis, Hawley st Newby Thomas, Market place Winter George, Hawley square

## **CONFECTIONERS**

Brasier Robert, 7 High st Dixon James, 22 High st Watson John, 7 Bridge st

#### **CORN FACTORS**

Osborn Latham, King st Swinford John, Lombard st

## DRUGGISTS, &c.

Cramp Thomas, 136 High st Pickering James, 13 High st Quested Charles, Lombard st Young Thos. 9 Queen st

## FIRE. &c. OFFICE AGENTS

ATLAS, G. Witherden, Marine pard
BEACON, Wm. Marsh, 47 High st
COUNTY, Ann Gore, Cecil square
EAGLE, John Chancellor, King st
GUARDIAN, Fredk. Ingmire, 144 High st
KENT, Thos. Lansell, Market pl
NORWICH UNION, Thomas Knott,
Churchfields
PELICAN & PHOENIX, Ed. Jenkins, Cecil st
ROYAL EXCHANGE, Daniel Valder, Post
Office
SUN Francis Cobb, Bank

#### FRUITERERS.

Ingmire Wm. Queen st Mussard John N. Lone lane Smith George, (& fruit merchant) 4 Cecil st

## GLASS, CHINA & EARTHENWARE DEALERS.

Potter John, Market place Robinson Wm. (& hardwareman) 148 High st

## **GROCERS.**

Cork Samuel, Wellington place

Dadd Jones, 35 King st Draper Benj. New Cross st Dunkin Chas. 4 Market st Fagg John, 1 Broad st Gore Ann, Cecil square Grant Richard, 16 Sion place Hays John, 6 Marine parade Ladd Wm. 11 Market place Lansell —, 16 Market place Leman John, 1 King st Maxted Robert, Hawley st Mercer Saml. jun. 64 High st Mummery Richard, Oueen st Mummery Sarah, Marine parade Parkinson Robert, 16 Charlotte pl Read James, Hawley st Salter Robert, Market place Wells Robert, 134 High st

## **HABERDASHERS**

Sayer Mary, 20 High st Smith John, 155 High st

### HAIR DRESSERS.

Akhurst James, King st Bing John, Market place Brown Samuel, 10 Queen street, and 47 King st Ingmire Wm. jun. 140 High st Moore Wm. 10 Bank side Rowe Richard, Broad st

#### HATTERS.

Brasher Henry, 2 High st Womersley Henry, 28 High st

## HOTELS AND INNS.

Bull's Head Tavern, Eliz. Francklin, Market place
Duke's Head Tavern, Jas. Adams, opposite the
Pier
Fountain Inn, (commercial) Wm. Reed, King st
King's Head, Rd. Crofts, High st
Liverpool Arms Tavern, John Boncey,
Charlotte place
London Hotel, Charles Boncey, Hawley square
Royal Hotel, (& assembly rooms) Francis Howe,
Cecil square
Walmer Castle, John Brooke, Church fields

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## IRONMONGERS.

Crow Garton, Market place Paine Wm. (and ironfounder) Bridge st

## JEWELLERY AND FANCY REPOSITORY

Huntington John, 12 High street, and 27 Harbour st, Ramsgate

## LEATHER CUTTERS.

Carthew Thomas, 139 High st Reynolds Richard, Lombard st

## LINEN, &c. DRAPERS.

Atkinson Charles, 2 Queen st Dixon James, 23 High st Jolly Thomas, 26 High st Newby Abhm. R. 8 High st Read Ely, corner of New road Rybot Robert, 3 Cecil st Simcock Wm. Duke st Thomas John, 31 High st

## **MALTSTERS**

Hunter Wm. High st Jenkins John, Bridge st & King st

#### MILLINERS.

Roberts Mary, High st Sawkins Miss, 3 Cecil st Stead Miss, 4 King st Webster E. 2 Market st

## PAINTERS, PLUMBERS. &c.

Adams Wm. 2 Bridge st Cooper John, Hawley st Dadd John, Zion place Foat John, 3 Market place Godsoll James I. Princes st Knott Robert, 4 Hawley st Rowe Thos. Smith, Bridge st Simmons John, 57 High st Tadhunter Robt. 5 Lwr Marine ter Waters Richd. Pleasant place

## PILOTS.

Gibbs Edmund, Holliday court
Gibbs James, King st
Pain John, Zion st
Reynolds John, King st
Swinniard John, Northumberland row

## **READING ROOMS**

Bettison Saml. Hawley square Bettison Wm. J. High st Siddall Paul, (Thanet marine library) New road

#### SADDLERS &c.

Johnson Solomon, 107 High st Mathew John, New Cross st Reete John, 55 High st Sager John, High st

## **SAIL MAKERS**

Hubbard Ezekiel, Neptune square Rowe George, Union square

## SHIPWRIGHTS AND BOAT BUILDERS.

Gore William, Fort

Grant Robert, Fort Solley John & Son, Fort

## SMITHS.

Bentley William, High st Chapman Wm. King st Petty George, New st Rooff Wm.. Dane st Witherden John, High st

## STONE MASONS.

Duckett John, 6 St. John st Hadlow George, New st Wood Wm. Prospect place

## STRAW HAT MAKERS

Aylward Mary Ann, 28 High st Carlton Mary, 12 St. John's place Cayley Sarah & Han. 1 Bedford rw Marsh Lydia, Cecil st Maybourn & Burg, 138 High st Parker C. Dane place Wareham M. & A. 4 Lombard st Webster Harriet, 2 Market place

## **SURGEONS**

Hoffman & Miller, 1 Cecil st Hunter Chas. Yates, Charlotte st Jarvis & Waddington, Cecil square Matthews Jas. M.D. 8 Princes st Miller & Hoffman, High st Neame John, 16 Cecil square Salter Jn. Cove, Cecil st, Austins rw. Scudamore Edwd. M.D. Cecil sq

## TAILORS AND DRAPERS.

Bamford Wm. King st
Bone Clare, 8 Queen st
Bradshaw Wm. 141 High st
Broome John, 21 High st
Falkner Nathaniel, Bankside
Hobbs Joseph, Hawley st
Hollams Joseph, (& undertaker) 137 High st
Hunter John, Duke st
Ingmire Frederick, 144 High st
Lord James, Lombard st
Newby Thos. Market place
Pickering John, Parade
Sutton Wm. 3 Cecil square
Wright Wm. 5 Charlotte place

## TALLOW CHANDLERS.

Ladd Wm. Market place Lausell Thos. Market place Robason John, (& soap boiler) Bankside Salter Robert, Market place

## **TAVERNS AND PUBLIC HOUSES**

Bell, Thos. Foster, High st Britannia, Jno. Hubbard, East cliff Cinque Port Arms, Jno. Carthew, Marine terrace Crown, John Bartlett, Broad st
Crown & Anchor, Chas. Spicer, Zion place
Foy Boat, Wm. Hudson, Bankside
George, James Read, King st
Hoy, Wm. White, Bankside
Jolly Sailor, Geo. Kidman, High st
King's Arms, Thomas Linger, Shady grove
New Inn, Thos. Robinson, New Inn yard
Prospect, Wm. Cannaby, Dane hill
Queen's Arms, John Hay, Duke st
Ship, John Mussared, Bankside
Six Bells, Thos. Young, High st

## TIMBER MERCHANTS

Cobb Wm. (& rope manf) High st Valder Wm, Henry, 7 King st

#### WATCH & CLOCK MAKERS

Collins Richard, Angle place Dowsett Chas. (& toy warehouse) 135 High st Fagg John, 1 Broad st Peroune Robert, Cranbourn alley Prebble Js. (& engraver) 142 High st

## WINE AND SPIRIT MERCHANTS

Brook John, 38 Hawley square White John, Cecil square

## MISCELLANEOUS.

Austen Rd. basket mkr, Market pl Chancellor Stephen Sackett, droit collector, Pier Clark Pet. Pawnbroker, St. Johns pl Cooke & Hodges. dyers & scourers, 21 Charlotte place Dowcett Chs. optician, 135 High st Draper John, block mkr, Duke st Finnis Jer. Carver & gilder, Dane hill Goldfinch Wm. musical instrument maker Hubbard Eliz. stay mkr, 3 Broad st Ingmire Frederick, tobacconist and snuff dealer, 144 High st Kerby Wm. coach master, Parade Levey Emanuel, temple of fancy, 25 High st Mutton Smith, wheelwright, the Dane Parker John, pipe maker, King St. Quested Henry, cooper, High st Riches Geo. plasterer, Charlotte pl Surflen Ed. poulterer, 1 Hawley st Vaux John, coach maker, Mill lane & Hawley square

### COACHES.

To LONDON, the mail, from Kirby's office, Marine parade at half-past six in the evening, and a coach at eight and nine in the morning.—The Union, from Johnson's office,

- High street, at eight in the morning, and six in the evening,
- To DOVER, from Kirby's office, at eight in the morning, and four in the afternoon.—The Union, from Johnson's office, at eight in the morning, and four in the afternoon.— Wil liam's coach, from the Bull's Head, at eight in the morning.
- To RAMSGATE, from Kirby's office. every half hour; and to Ramsgate, Sandwich, and Dover, from the pier every evening after the steam parkets arrive..

#### **CARRIERS**

- To BROADSTAIRS. Robert Fox, from the Bull's Head, daily.
- To CANTERBURY, Isaac Francklyn. from Six Bells, Tuesday & Friday.
- To RAMSGATE, George Read, from the George Inn, daily.

### WATER CONVEYANCE.

To LONDON, every Saturday, Latham Osborn's vessel; Office, King street.—Jno..Swinford's vessel, office Lombard street, every other Saturday, and in the Summer, steam packets daily; offices, Parade and Duke st.