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TO THE PARISHIONERS
OF
WINGHAM,
AND THOSE BORN IN THE PARISH
ALTHOUGH NOW LIVING ELSEWHERE
THIS HISTORY OF THEIR PARISH
IS DEDICATED.

PREFACE.

"There is hardly a town or village in the land" (says Dr. Augustus Jessop in one of his many interesting and instructive papers) "that does not contain some interesting record of a remote past, some historic monument worth looking at, some unique specimen of ancient art, or some spot where great deeds have been done, or some great man whose name is a household word, has lived and toiled and played the hero's part, or been laid to rest at last with some monument to indicate the place of his sepulchre."

When the writer of this history, came to reside at Wingham in the year 1890, he was told various traditions about a College, and residence of the Archbishops, etc. Not being able to obtain any definite particulars, search was therefore made for further information in the County Histories, Volumes of the Kent Archaeological Society, etc., etc., and a few papers about the parish were printed in the "Kentish Express and Ashford News" during the year 1891. Since that time however, further information has been found, which is now printed with the hope that it may be as interesting to the readers, as the search for the information has been to the writer.

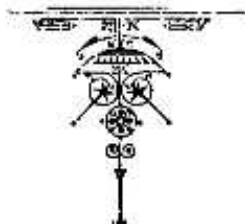
This History only claims to be original, in the sense of being first published in a collected form, derived from numerous works most of which are mentioned, and is but a contribution towards a better history in the future, of one of the many interesting parishes in the County of Kent. In giving the history of the Manor House of the Archbishops, it was thought advisable, that some particulars should be given of those who visited the house,

The writer wishes to acknowledge the kindness of the Dean and Chapter of Canterbury for allowing him to have access to the Cathedral Library, which is so readily granted to all who apply.

The librarian and his assistant at the Canterbury Municipal Library for opportunity to frequently consult that most excellent work the "Dictionary of National Biography;" a friend at New Romney for supplying me with the references to Wingham in the various reports of the Historical Manuscripts Commission, and a copy of the pedigree of the Palmer family from Berry's Visitation of Kent, which pedigree however makes the children (according to the monument in the church erected by his fourth son Roger) to be the brothers and sisters of their own father—Sir Thomas Palmer who died in 1625. Also to thank the Rev. J. M. Fox and the churchwardens (Mr. Thomas H. Lovell, and Mr. George Ohandler) for allowing access to the ancient parish-books; the many unknown friends who have so kindly answered my enquiries in "Notes and Queries"; and finally all those who so readily offered to take copies, and thus enabled this History of Wingham to be printed.

Perhaps an apology is due to the more learned readers, that the writer was unable to consult the treasures of the British Museum, Rolls Office, and the Lambeth Library, with reference to the Parish. An additional note about the name Wingham, will be found in Chapter XIV., being supplied after the first part of the work was printed.

Wingham,
Easter, 1896.



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ERRATA.

- P. 25, line 8, after "village of Winga" leave out the words "or Winc," see page 199.
- P. 67, line 19, for "Edward VI," read "Edward IV."
- P. 94, line 17, for "mortie" read "mortise."
- P. 134, line 20, for "Witsun" read "Whitsunday."
- P. 199, line 30, for "Country" read "County."