

NY	ND	Mr [Magister/ Master] Henricus Hargraves. Rcor. [Rector]
1325	ND	18 Ed 2. AOD: B173 No 5 Roger Beler gets the manor of Stretton
1398	ND	Gaol Del. Rolls 177. On Mond [Monday] next bef [before] Feast of the Decoll of St Joh Bapt [Saint John the Baptist] 21 Rich 2 [21 st year in the reign of Richard II] Alicia wife of John Brakle was brought before Wm Thinging & Thomas Frysby for that she broke the dore of John Pole of Stretton super le Strete [?] on Mond [Monday] next after the feast of St Swythun 20 Rich 2 [20 th year in the reign of Richard II] & stole one chalon [blanket] & two linen sheets (lintheavena [?]) worth 10d - The Jury found her not guilty
1550	Aug	Court Proc. B6p11 [?] cure Wm Money & al [and other] tenants of the **d of S [Stretton] vers [versus] Hy [Henry] Sleaford re#d Overton, Westhowe: Thomas [?]
1552	ND	Stav Ch. Ed. 6 Sir Wm Hussey vers [versus] Thos [Thomas] Greves, clerk. (? R [Rector] of Mark Orton [Market Overton]) Laurence Longland cl [clerk] (? V [Vicar] of Greetham) John Milyngton Wm Cobley & al [and others]: forcible dispute as to use of estover [necessaries allowed by law] in the manor of Stretton (B3 No 77)
1560/1590		Sir Herbert Ffloyd R. [Rector] 1560 - 90 - a non grad [non-graduate]
1562	ND	du[s] [dominus] Harbard [Herbert] Fliud. Rcor [Rector], exht.
1570		Visitat omnia bene [Visitation - all well]
1570	ND	Harberd [Herbert] **[?] [Fliud], rect [Rector]
1575	Aug	Thomas Lenne refuseth to help and succor his owne naturall mother.
1576	***	Exch. K. R. B**** 16 R** Thos [Thomas] Cornwallies v**s Joh Harrington mil; [Sir John Harington]
1577	Apr 23	Richard Skellington & Johanna Gates have had carnall copylacon together and that the said Jone is got with childe by the said Richard being single persons.
1581		They lacke a booke namely Jewells' Booke, and the paraphrase of Erasmus
1581	May	They lacke a booke vis: Jewells booke & the paraprache of Erasmus
1582	Oct	Sence [?] Deane is gott with childe by John Rogerson: 11 Dec a 3 manu purg
1585	Oct 2	The Rect. [Rector] is non resident. - Elis. The wife of John Tailer was with childe before she was married. [duplicated 1586 above]
1585/1586		Rector non resident [NB Henry Hargreaves Chaplain to Sir John Harington]
1586	Feb 11	The Rector is not resident - Elizabeth the wife of Joh: Tailer was with child before she was married.
1586	Jun 4	As May 3
1586	May 3	Borrow & Agnes Burrytt suspected to lyve in sin: admitted to a 5 manu purg [blows of the hand?]: on 2 June a 4 manu purg.
1586	May 3	Hugh Woods hath not communicated this xii month - belongs to Ryall)
1587		Herbt Ffluyd R. [Rector] went with his cart to fetch a load of corn on the Sab. [Sabbath] Day
1587	Jun 13	John Skillington for goinge to cart the Sondaie before Michelmas daie
1587	Jun 15	Herbert Floyd R [Rector] of Stretton: He went with his cart to fetch a load of corn on the Sab. [Sabbath] daie: & [?] 5 Dec. [December].

1587	ND	John Clerke: that his cart went forth of the towne with his cart on the Sab. [Sabbath] daie, aboute soune settinge, he not knowing of it. <u>Note</u> that he wishes his man to go when his neighbours cart went, & [?] 5 Dec. [December]. <u>Note</u> that the carts went the Sondaie after the first [?] Ladie Daye John Naylor: likewise, with his cart. Thos. [Thomas] Bull, likewise, & he confesseth that he was not at Evg.Pr. [Evening Prayer] **** likewise [Copy: Stretton. Thos. [Thomas] Bull, Jo: [John] Clerke, Jo: [John] Naylor gard [Churchwardens]: et Jure: ibui putant John Skellington for going to Cart on the Sondaie before the first [?] Ladie (day) in harvest Thomas Bull sig XX Clerk sig + Naylor]
1589	ND	cure Herbert Roydd [Fluid] R [Rector] ibui null grad Ecc val vii ^{li} x ^s [£7 10s]
1590	Jun 16	Adam Barrow begott his wife with chyld before mariage. (Aug 28)
1590	Nov 26	Henricus Hargreves on being presented to S. [Stretton] states 1 ^o 2 ^o 3 ^o That he hath byn chaplain unto Sr [Sir] James Harrington the patron for the space of these 8 yeares & that he hathe the same benefice bestowed upon him for the good likinge he hathe of him
1591	ND	The Church porch is in decaye, they are to certifie of the repaire thee next day after midsomer next
1607	July 17	Ther bells be oute of order & one of them broken [NB Stretton had only 2 bells + Sanctus bell]
1607	May 22	Bell broken
1612	Mar 11	John Phraitin [?] and Jane Baxter presented for incontincy: they were fined 18 ^d and 9 ^s 8 ^d
1613	Mar 29	J. P. John Phraitin [?] ordered to pay 40 ^s to the parish of S [Stretton] and on 17 June there is a certificate returned of the doing thereof.
1613	Oct 15	Rich [Richard] Smith for incontincy with Lauarentia Miller.
1613/4	Jan 14	Rich [Richard] Ward, a Gard. [Churchwarden], admits that upon Advent Sunday last he was present in the parish church of Stretton at the solempnization of the marriage of the sd [said] Naylor & his wife.
1613/4	Jan 29	Henric [Henricus/Henry] Hargreaves R [Rector] upon Advent Sunday last he maryed together Thos. [Thomas] Naylor & one Isabel [space left] was his wife in the parishe churche of S. [Stretton] beinge a tyme by lawe forbidden. H [Hargreaves] attested that upon the sd [said] day he maryed the sd [said] parties but did not know it to be a tyme forbidden by law.
1614	Jul 28	Dor [Dorothy] Browne ordered to certify her pen: perf [penance performed]
1615	May 11	There churche is oute of repair in slateing.
1615	Oct 17	Robt [Robinson] & Suzan Barlyman for incont. [incontincy] as the common fame [?] saeth
1617	Oct 8	The churchyard walls are in decay and so are the bels.
1617/8	Feb 25	Dorothy Brown & William Suckling incont. [incontinent] [cf page 1, 1614/1618!]
1618	April 29	The font wanteth a cover & the same will not hold any water but they do use to sett a bason or a bowle in the font when any childe is christened [still do!!] They have 3 bells & but one rope. The glass windowes are not In good repair. (Inform p[?] Joh [John] Ashwell of Thistleton)
1618	Jun 30	Dorothy Browne pd [paid] 3 ^s fine: ordered on July 10 to certify the perform [performance] of her penance.
1618	Jun 4	Walter Winckley: W ordered that they have a sufficient cover for their font: ordered to certify that this has been provided on June 30.

1618	ND	H [Henricus/Henry] Hargreves R [Rector] is presented that for 16 yeres last past he the said Mr [Master] H [Hargreves] hath used to christen in a bason the same being set in the bottom of the font: Mr [Master] H [Hargreves] admits that he hath done as is above stated and is suspended accordingly from the performance of his clerical office: Suspension removed on June 30.
1618	ND	Wm [William] Suteley pd [paid] 3 ^d and is to certify regarding his penance
1620	July 28	They have a new Bible - 4 he [?] (Walt Winckley, Gard [Churchwarden]) have the Bible then stay they cover [?]. Henry Bacon for leaving of his own pish. Ch. [parish church] t evg pr. [Evening Prayer] tyme & going to Cottesmore
1620	Oct 25	Thos. [Thomas] Browne for ffotheringe [Foddering] of a drove of beastes in eveninge prayer time upon the Sabathe daye
1621	May 7	Ana Bacon wife of Wm [William] Bacon for gyving backe when the Minister woulde have signed the childe with the signe of the crosse & not suffering it to be signed at all. On being cited before the Archdeacon it was alleged that the said Bacon was so sick that she cannot come to (Oundle) church this day without danger of health: & May 18: & Jan [June ?] 6: to s/chif [show/give?] pen [penance]: June 26: (NB Puritan Bacon family emigrated to New England in the 1630s)
1622	May 8	Thos. [Thomas] Browne, Ale house keper, to certify penances.
1627	Jan 24	Mr Whitacres [Jeremiah Whittaker] R. [Rector] & John Paine of S. [Stretton]: also the Gard [Churchwarden]: Paine's child being at the font to be baptised & when the Minister was to use the signe of the crosse, the sd [said] Payne snatcht it away And the churchwardens knowing hereof would not present yt. Payne stated he did request Mr Whitacres to omit the sign of the crosse at whose request Mr W [Whittaker] did omit yt. Mr W [Whittaker] stated that at the request of the sd Paine he did omit to sign the sd child with the signe of the crosse, W [Whittaker] monished [admonished] that from henceforth he doth use the sign of the cross in baptism.
1627	Oct10	John Pane his child was baptised at S [Stretton] by the parson there or his Curate aboute six weeks since & when that the minister should have signed it with the signe of the Crosse he snatcht it away
1630	July 5	Mr Whitacer R. of S. [Rector of Stretton] hath taken & hedged in part of the chyd [churchyard] into his own custody.
1631	ND	Horsman of Stretton (farmer [?] of the) R [Rectory] of Pickworth, to pay proe:
1632	Oct 30	Same as at Greetham under same date.
1646	ND	cure Luke or Lake (Stretton) driven from his living: family reduced to such extremities that it was assisted by Corporation for Ministers' Widows.
1662	ND	(Bps Visit [Bishop's Visitation]) Whitaker co & exht bras Ord. Inst: Mandat et null induct du Archd
1699	Oct 2	To certifie a surplice.
1784	ND	Joseph Plumptre Rect [Rector] of Newton in the I[Isle] of Ely presented to the R [Rectory] of Stretton (value £90): 29 ½ miles dist [distant].
1811	Oct 16	John Lambe R of S. [Rector of Stretton] obtains faculty. The Ry ho [Rectory house] & pew [?] are very ruinous & delapidated & he wishes to build a new & commodious Ry [Rectory]: & to exchange Wood Close 8 ^A 1 ^R 30 ^P [8 acres 1 rood 30 perches] of poor land for part of a close 3 ^A 1 ^R of good land called Cart Run relq. to Sr [Sir] Gilbert Heathcote who promises to contribute considerable [?] sum to new Ry [Rectory]. Ed [Edward] Jones V. [Vicar] of Greetham, Stephen Eaton & Wm Gillson of Stam. [Stamford] ,Gentl. [gentlemen] recommend

1883

Jan 23

T.O. Hall inst[instituted] by Arch [Archdeacon] T.H. Thickmere [?] as Comm [Commissioner ?] of B [Bishop] of Pet [Peterborough].

4° Frely [freely]

5° (No bond has been made)

6° That ibui[?] in the Q. B. [?] 7^{li} [£7]17^s 1^d.

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