



*East Harnham*  
**1850-1899**

**1877**

Local man dies in unusual circumstances. George Bowns, junior born in 1842 died at the young age of 35. He was assistant to his father who was the Innkeeper at the Swan Inn (now called the Greyfisher). It is reported in June 1877, he accidentally drowned by falling headlong into a cask of beer, by over-reaching himself. He left a widow and 3 young children. **(Source Unknown)**

**1890**

May 28, at the Vicarage, Downton, the wife of the Rev. C. Druitt, of Harnham [possibly West Harnham], a daughter. **The Western Gazette, Friday, 6 June 1890**