



## *Bastardy Examination*

*Calne*

*At Calne Town Hall 19th October 1863*

*Eliza Henly v Henry Horton*

Eliza Henly swore and saith:-

I live in Kew Lane in parish of Calne, single woman. I was confined on 21st August 1862 of a male bastard child. I charge Henry Horton with being the father of the child. I have known him nearly 8 years. He first had connexion with me 7 years ago last March. I have kept his company that time. He has been in the habit of giving me money. He has given me some before a witness since the birth. He never wrote to me.

James Webb swore and saith:-

I am a labourer. I heard Henry Horton offer Henly a sovereign and 1/6 per week at my house last Saturday night.

Order made.

**Source:- B10/100/2 - Justices Minute Books, Calne County Division 1851-1883**