

Shoe Street

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THE HERITAGE of FLEET STREET

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This list is taken from the Post Office London Directory for 1847 (the first of an annual series), and illustrates the wide variety of businesses and occupations of those living here.

- 1 – John Cleave, publisher & bookseller
- 2 – T Mothersole, oil & Italian warehouse
- 2 – James Lake, engraver and printer
- 2 – John Mason, butcher
- 2 – Edward Goodwin, bookseller
- 3 – William Hardin, Ben Johnson
- 3 – Charles Collis, hairdresser
- 3 – Mrs. Frances Small, fruiterer
- 4 – Henry Pameller, undertaker
- 5 – Chapman and Elcote, printers
- 5 – Francis Witty, newsvendor
- 10 – George Walter, Blue Post
- 11 – Henry Knight, bookbinders tool cutter
- 12 – Henry Ingle, locksmith, bellhanger
- 13 – J Fellowes, tobacconist and bookseller

HERE HARP ALLEY INTERSECTS

- 14 – W Pegg, stationer and rag merchant
- 15 – John Randall, French polisher
- 16 & 82 – John Huxham, dairyman
- 17 – James Proviss, Noah's Ark
- 18 – Mrs Sophie Lee, fruiterer
- 19 – Martin Tuckwell, grocer
- 20 – Thomas Ashwell, Red Hart

HERE STONECUTTER STREET INTERSECTS

- 46 – Samuel Green, brace and belt maker
- 47 – S Lescube, glass & china warehouse
- 49 – Mrs Sarah Martino, grocer
- 51 – Richard Dawson, Red Lion
- 54 – Pontifex, coppersmiths & millwrights
- 59 – Mrs. Elizabeth Proctor, Plumber
- 59 – Charles Canti, glass blower
- 60 – Joseph Barrett, metal warehouse
- 61 – Harton & Watts, wholesale pewterers
- 62 & 63 – John Payne, brass foundry
- 63 – Robert Wathey, metal warehouse
- 64 & 65 – Bentley, Wilson & Fley, printers
- 66 – Mark Rawlinson, van proprietor

HERE ROBIN HOOD COURT INTERSECTS

- 68 – John Waterdale, van proprietor
- 69 – Thomas Weston, bricklayer
- 70 – Stephen Millen, chemist
- 71 – Henry Walden, basketmaker & turner
- 72 – G Acton & sons, emery, putty, etc.
- 73 – J Stanton, telescope maker
- 74 – Thomas Hayward, Two Brewers
- 75 – Richard Hooke, Baker
- 76 – Mrs Elizabeth Casbard, butcher
- 77 – J Beckwith, Clarendon coffee rooms
- 78 – Joseph Stribblehill, coppersmith
- 80 – W. Richardson, coal and coke merchant
- 80 – W Richardson, toy manufacturer
- 81 – Philip Pike, Baker
- 83 – Thomas Ashwell, Back Dog

HERE LITTLE NEW STREET INTERSECTS

- 89 – George Green, cheesemonger
- 90 – John Chuck, cabinetmaker
- 91 – Peter Macdonald, oil and colourman

HERE GUNPOWDER ALLEY INTERSECTS

- 93 – Thomas Cotterell, pawnbroker
- 100 – Peter Jackson, furniture broker
- 101 – J Shelley leather dyer and seller
- 102 – John Wood, currier and leather cutter
- 103 – Morning Herald newspaper
- 103 & 104 – English Chronicle and Whitehall Evening News
- 105 – Mrs M Summers, gold and silver beater
- 106 – Adolphus Warren, solicitor
- 106 – George Woolf, accountant
- 107 – R Hughes, copper & brass manufacturer
- 108 – George Conquest, seal engraver
- 108 – John Watts, cooper
- 109 – Joseph Clark, tailor
- 110 – William Darling, pork butcher
- 111 – John Mason, dining rooms
- 112 – George Brett, baker
- 113 – George Botterill, coffee rooms