

## Sources for LOPPINGTON

This guide gives a brief introduction to the variety of sources available for the parish of **Loppington** at Shropshire Archives.

### Printed books:.

**General works** - These may also be available at Wem library

- Eyton, *Antiquities of Shropshire*
- *Transactions of the Shropshire Archaeological Society*
- *Shropshire Magazine*
- Trade Directories which give a history of the town, main occupants and businesses, 1828-1941
- Victoria County History of Shropshire
- Parish Packs
- Monumental Inscriptions

**Small selection of more specific books (search [www.shropshirearchives.org.uk](http://www.shropshirearchives.org.uk) for a more comprehensive list)**

- **C61 Reading Room** Extracts from the parish registers of Loppington – *In Transactions of the Shropshire Archaeological Society, 1<sup>st</sup> series, vol. VIII, 1885, pp71-87*
- **IL64** Burlton Village, its history



From 1632 Survey of the manor of Wem 972/7/1/49/

## Sources on microfiche or film:

### Parish and non-conformist church registers

	Baptisms	Marriages / Banns	Burials
St Michael's church	1654-2008	1654-1739, 1755-1990 / 1755-1815, 1841-2008	1654-1992
Methodist records - see Methodist Circuit Records (Reader's Ticket needed)			

Up to 1900, registers are on [www.findmypast.co.uk](http://www.findmypast.co.uk)

### Census returns

1841, 1851(indexed), 1861, 1871, 1881, 1891, 1901

Census returns for the whole country to 1911 can be looked at on the Ancestry website

### Maps

Ordnance Survey maps 25" to the mile and 6 "to the mile, c1880, c1901

(OS reference: old series XIV.13 new series SJ 4529

Tithe map and apportionment, 1838

### Newspapers

*Shrewsbury Chronicle*, 1772 onwards (NB from 1950 as originals only – Reader's Ticket required)

*Shropshire Star*, 1964 onwards

## Archives:

To see these sources you need a Shropshire Archives Reader's Ticket.

Many catalogues now online at [www.shropshirearchives.org.uk](http://www.shropshirearchives.org.uk)

### P173 Loppington Parish Records

#### School Records

ED1564/186-188 Plans of school and master's residence 1851

ED2699/40/26 Manager's minutes

ED4407/1/1 Log books 1874-1981

ED4407/1/4-16 Admissions registers 1874-1981; Summary registers, punishment book

ED4541/12 Attendance committee records 1888

*These may be subject to viewing restrictions due to data protection – please check with staff*

#### Records of Local Authorities and Institutions

PL15 Wem Union Workhouse records

Q Quarter Sessions records

DA27 Wem Rural District Council records *nb held offsite so need to be requested in advance.*

#### Estate records

D3651/B/37 – The Broughton Villa Estate 1578-1892, Dickin family of Loppington

P256/F/1/1/2/14 – 1832 Copy of survey of an estate in Loppington of Wm. Griffiths of Woodgate, gent taken in 1776

731 Hill of Hawksone (Bygott Solicitors) Collection

See [www.nationalarchives.gov.uk/mdr](http://www.nationalarchives.gov.uk/mdr) for manorial records

#### Other records

Wills for Shropshire post 1858 (pre 1858 – see Lichfield Diocesan Record Office)

Photographs and Postcards

And much much more!

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