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Cogenhoe and Whiston Heritage Society

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Highlights of this Month's Magazine

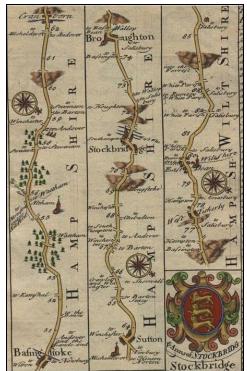
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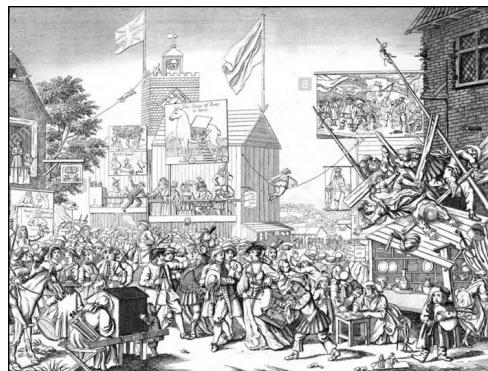
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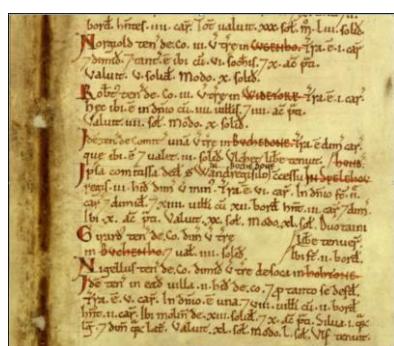
The Drolls of Southwark Fair



History of Steel Drums



Extract from the Domesday Book for Cogenhoe



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If anyone has anything, they think would be of interest to our members either that they can create or would be interested in, then do let the chairman know as below. We would also really like a few extra helpers – you don't have to be on the Committee – to especially help with research to help produce this newsletter! Contact Peter Alexander (the Society Chairman) at chairman@cogenhoeheritage.org.uk or enquiries@cogenhoeheritage.org.uk

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Society Meetings

Open to all: non-members just £4 including refreshments and members £3. The full programme can be found on our website www.cogenhoeheritage.org.uk Planned meetings are listed on page 19