HATHORN is a parish in the Loughborough division (Nid Leicestershire), West Gynge hundreds, union and County Court district of Loughborough, rural deanery of East Akeley, and diocese of Peterborough, on the borders of Notts, from which it is separated by the river Soar. It is 14 miles from Nottingham, 3 N.W. from Loughborough, on the road from that town to Derby, from which it is 14 miles distant, 113 from London. It is also a little over a mile from the Hathern station, which is in the parish of Sutton Bonington. Hathern Manor was purchased in 1883 by Sir A. Phillips, Bart, and now belongs with part of the soil to Everard March Phillips de Lisle, Esq. The remainder belongs mainly to Christ's College, Cambridge, Wigginton's Hospital, Leicester, and the Rectors. St. Peter's Church is a curious and substantial stone edifice, dating from Norman and Early English times, comprising chancel, clerestoryed nave, aisles, north transept, south porch and embattled tower, with clock and five bells. It was restored and almost re-builtchiefly in the Late Decorated style in 1861-2, principally as a memorial to the late rector, the Rev. E. T. Phillips, who laboured faithfully here for more than a half century. Both aisles are new, the clerestory was re-built, the chancel cased internally with Ancaster stone, the old windows restored, and the east window replaced by one of stained glass, the gift of the late Mr. E. C. Middleton, of Loughborough, in memory of his parents. The roof was boarded and panelled in the inside, the floor relaid with encaustic tiles, and the tower and west windows opened to the body of the church. The transept was erected as a memorial chapel to the late rector, at the cost of his children. The living is a rectory of the gross yearly value of £473, derived from 261 acres of glebe, allotted in 1777, in lieu of tithes, and is in the patronage of the present rector, who has a good residence, and was instituted in 1850. The Baptists, Wesleyans, Primitive and Free church Methodists have each a chapel, and the Salvation Army meet in the Temperance Hall, which was built in 1865, and will hold nearly 200 persons. The National school was erected in 1860, at a cost of £256, upon land given by the late Mr. C. M. Phillips. The Charity Estate consists of three cottages, some gardens, 26a. 1r. 19p. of land in Hathern, and a small allotment in Carseworth wood, the whole producing about £70 a year. Of this £20 is given to the school, £15 expended in exhibitions, and the remainder divided amongst the poor, who have also some other annual doles. Hothery is still manufactured here, and a small steam factory has been built during the last year (1887). Area about 1293 acres; rateable value £4152 10s. The feast is on the Sunday between July 9 and 16.


Markets and Fairs in Sutton Bonington.
- Beastall John Byn, coal merchant, Hathorn station, and Normanston.
- Burrows John, jur & wheelwright, Coldington Mrs. Sarah, drug dealer & grocer, Mr. John Burges, 2 Goodacre John, gypsy worker, Zouch.
- Harriman Henry, framinsmith, Hallam Station Brick Co. J. Osme, manager.
- Ironmonger Samuel, corn and oats merchant, Zouch.
- Lammas Jas. Hy. & Mrs. Elizabeth, mstr and mistress National school.
- Laskar Club, J. E. Tollington, see Mackier Sml, parish clerk & sexton.
- Pits Tho., station master Hathorn station. Sowle James, blacksmith.
- Shepherd Fld, coal merchant, Station.
- Simpkin Henry, rate collector and assistant overseer.
- Twells Miss Elizabeth, Wakefield Charles, bootmaker.

Chapels.—Baptist: Services, Sunday 10-45 and 6; Senior Deacon, T. Wilde. Methodist Free Church: 3 and 6; Steward, John Spencer. Wesleyan: 3 and 6; William Pollard. Primitive: 3 and 6; John Tollington. The Salvation Army meet at irregular times in the Temperance Hall.

Post Office, George Randon, sub-postmaster. Letters through Loughborough delivered at 7-50 a.m. Box cleared at 5-30 on week-days only. Money order and Telegraph Offices at Loughborough and Shepshed.

Graziets.
- Harriman Henry, and framsmith, Wilde Edward, and bootmaker.
- Grocers and Shopkeepers.
- Hunt Miss Sarah, Randon George, and bag hoister and sub-postmaster.
- Smith George, Vickers Isaac Hoseley, and baker and butcher.
- Wilde Thomas, Publican.
- Bell Thomas, v. Three Crowns.
- Betts Jas. v. King's Arms, Hathorn.
- Cooper John, v. Anchor.
- Whittle Hy, tailor & bhs, Deodrop.
- Carrier to Loughborough through Belton, Osgathorpe, Kegworth, Long Whatton & Daiswell, Th. S.