

REGENT PLACE FACTS

This page shows some of the buildings, businesses and people who have been here in the past.

Victoria Street

COFFEE HOUSE

Run by Mary Ann Smith in 1903



16 REGENT PLACE

Built in 1910 for jeweller EL Gyde and home to many businesses including Allison Chains Ltd who were gold chain makers.



HOUSES

A row of four houses built in the 1820s.



SQUIRREL WORKS

A factory built for SJ Levi around 1910. They made silver things for hotels and homes, and their trademark was a squirrel.



60-70 REGENT PLACE

A large factory built around 1850, with offices and display rooms. Many businesses worked from here including John Goode who made gold chains, and Hassett & Harper who made different silver items.



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NEW STANDARD WORKS

A factory built in 1879. Lots of businesses worked here including Adie & Lovekin who made different things, including animal shaped pin cushions.



DEAKIN & FRANCIS

Originally two houses and later changed to a factory for Deakin and Francis who make jewellery and cufflinks, and still work from the same building today!



CHARLES COXON

Brush maker, lived with his family in 1901



53 REGENT PLACE

In 1921 the Holland Brothers who were printers, were based at number 53 Regent Place.



EDWARD DODD

Shopkeeper & Grocer was here in 1903