

## **BANK OPENING**

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The inhabitants of this thriving place will be pleased to learn that Messrs. Cobb & Co. have opened a branch of their bank in the Square. Birchington is rapidly developing into a popular seaside resort; the number of its buildings has lately rapidly increased, and as a consequence of commercial activity, the bank will be found a useful and necessary institution.

[The bank was opened in the left hand side of the building which now houses Lloyd's Bank in the Square. The right hand side of the building housed a confectionary and general shop and tea-room, run by Brooks in 1895.]