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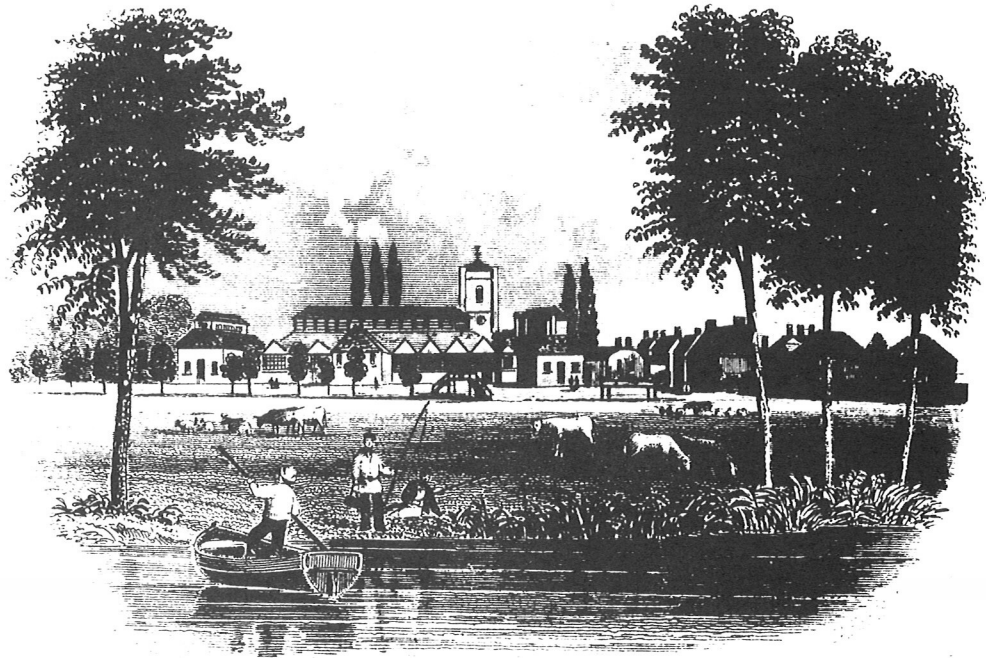
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Powder Mills Waltham Abbey

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With Best Wishes
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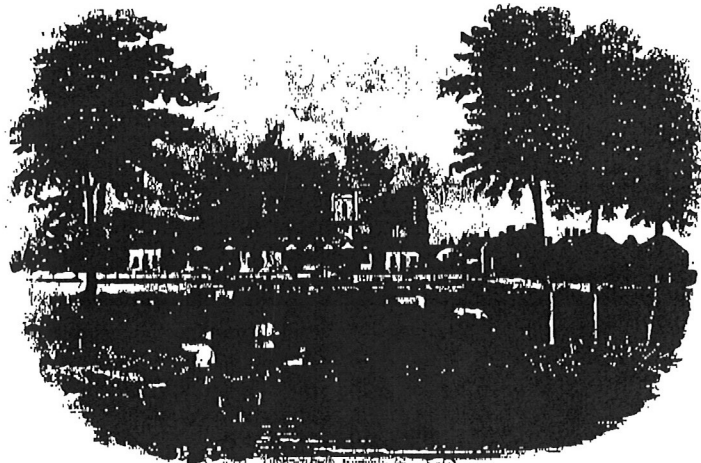
Powder Mills, Waltham Abbey.
An engraving of the Saltpetre Refinery, 1861.

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Powder Mills Waltham Abbey

Above: An 1861 engraving of the Saltpetre refinery at the Waltham Abbey Royal Gunpowder Mills site, with the Abbey church in the background.

Below: The second Baron Congreve developed his famous rocket at the site. The Congreve rocket was first used in the Battle of Copenhagen in 1801, and a reference to its "red glare" appears in the national anthem of the United States of America.



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