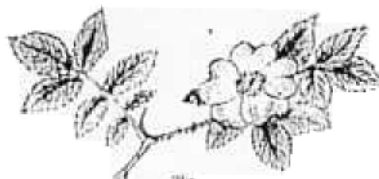


From the car park, go along the HIGH STREET towards the town centre, and turn left into AKEMAN STREET. Continue out of the town, passing the WALTER ROTHSCHILD MUSEUM on your left. Outside the Museum the road bends into Park Road. Follow the road round and take the left turn into Hastoe Lane (signposted Chesham). Continue along this road and after passing under the by-pass bridge, take the footpath on the right signposted to Hastoe. The path climbs beside the bypass for a short distance until it reaches a stile. Bear left in the direction of a hedgerow, passing a disused water trough. At the top of the rise where the hedge ends pause to admire the view.

You can see from left to right  
 Aston Hill,  
 The Vale of Aylesbury  
 Mentmore Towers  
 Ivinghoe Beacon  
 Pitstone Hill  
 Aldbury Nowers  
 The Bridgewater Monument and below  
 you to the right  
 Tring Park



Walk on across the field and the path lies beside the Blackthorn edge of Tring Woods. The path enters the wood. Here bear left and follow it through a thicket of Holly bushes beneath towering Ash trees.



As the Holly thins out, the path divides. Go to the right slightly. Eventually the path reaches a HOLLOWAY, one of the ancient DROVERS' LANES that climb up from the Vale.

Turn right and go down hill, stopping to look across the valley to DANCERS END.

The bridleway curves to the right to rejoin the first holloway at the 'bottom of the woods' at WEST LEITH.

Take the footpath that skirts the woods, beneath many fine Beeches. The path emerges from the trees close to the by-pass and climbs steeply up beside a field.

Carry on and Hastoe Lane is required. Return to the car park maybe taking time to visit the interesting museum.