

There are records of individuals in the thirteenth century who bore this name. In the Parish of Caldecote, about five miles from Great Wymondley, in about the year 1300, there was a rector by the name of Thomas de Wymondeham, or literally, Thomas from Wimonds home. In the year 1290, in Little Wymondley, there was also a rector of the name of John de Wymundele; that is, John of Wymonds lands. There are others also, but the names as spelled are not quite as apparent of being derived from that of Wimond.

Later, probably, as the population increased and rules of spelling began to be formed, the variations in the spelling of the name were gradually altered to the way that it is now spelled, in common with other names of similar derivations.

A familiar instance of such changes of spelling is seen in the name of