



# Post Office Directory Extract 1855

## Alderton



**Alderton** - A township, village and parish, in Chippenham Hundred and Malmesbury Union, North Wilts, 9 miles north-west from Chippenham and 7½ south-west from Malmesbury. The living is a perpetual curacy, valued at £80, in the diocese of Gloucester and Bristol, and the presentation of Joseph Neeld Esq., who is lord of the manor; The Rev. Francis Goddard M.A., is the incumbent. The church, dedicated to St. Giles, underwent considerable repairs about 1845, and a spire has been added. Here is a school for boys and girls, supported by J. Neeld, Esq. The area of the parish is 1,600 acres, and the population 182.

Dunley is 1½ miles south-east.

Letters through Chippenham. The nearest money order office is at Malmesbury.

Surname	Given Names	Title	Industry/Occupation	Place/Parish
Goddard	Francis	Rev. M.A.		

### TRADERS

Surname	Given Names	Title	Industry/Occupation	Place/Parish
Allpass	William		Beer retailer	
Bristow	Mary	Mrs.	Beer retailer & shopkeeper	
Hulance	Isaac		Stonemason	
Kington	John		Farmer	
Kington	John Beard		Farmer	
Sargent	Daniel		Farmer	
Spetticer	William		Farmer	
Tanner	William		Blacksmith	
Weller	John		Farmer	
White	Jane		Charity school mistress	