



Post Office Directory Extract 1859



Alton Barnes

ALTON BARNES is a township, parish, and small village, adjoining Alton Priors, in the Swanborough hundred, union, division and county court district of Devizes, South Wilts, diocese of Sarum, archdeaconry of Wilts, and deanery of Avebury, situate near the Kennet and Avon canal, 7 miles east of Devizes, 7 south-west of Marlborough, containing 1,053 acres of land, and a population of 175. The living is a rectory, value £320, with 40 acres of glebe land, and residence, in the gift of the warden and fellows of New College, Oxford. The incumbent is the Rev. David Williams, B.C.L.; the Rev. Wm. Sladen is the curate. The church of St. Mary, repaired in 1842, is a small and ancient structure, having a nave and chancel, but no tower; there are 2 bells. Here is a Parochial school. The lordship of the manor is vested in the authorities of New College, Oxon.

Gentry/Private Residents

Surname	Given Names	Title	Industry/Occupation	Place/Parish
Sladen	William	Rev.	Curate	
Williams	David B. C. L.	Rev.	Rector	

Traders

Surname	Given Names	Title	Industry/Occupation	Place/Parish
Huntley	Elizabeth	Miss	Mistress of Parochial School	
Huntley	William		Carpenter & Wheelwright	
Smith	Gideon		Parish Clerk	
Young	James		Farmer	