



# Post Office Directory Extract 1855



## Baydon

**Baydon** is an agricultural parish, in the Hundred of Ramsbury, Hungerford Union, North Wilts, 9 miles north-east of Marlborough, 9 north-west from Hungerford, 70 from London, and 4½ north of Ramsbury, containing 370 inhabitants, and 2,019 acres of land. The church is a small plain structure, dedicated to St. Nicholas. The living is a perpetual curacy, value £110, in the patronage of the Bishop of Salisbury; the incumbent is the Rev. Allen Broderick. The Wesleyans and Baptists have places of worship here.

BAILEY HILL is half a mile north; Short Grove, 1½ south; Goor Lane, 1½ miles north-west; Russley, 2 mile north-west. Appleford is a hamlet

POST OFFICE - William Brind, receiver. Letters arrive by mail cart from Hungerford at ½ past 7 a.m. & dispatched at ¼ to 6 p.m. The nearest money order offices are at Hungerford & Marlborough.

CHURCH – Rev. Allen Broderick, perpetual curate; William Appleford, clerk.

Surname	Given Names	Title	Industry/Occupation	Place/Parish
Alder	Ambrose		Carpenter	
Aldridge	John		Blacksmith	
Appleford	Ann	Mrs.	Mistress of Free School	
Appleford	William		Parish Clerk	
Belcher	Richard		Publican	Red Lion
Brind	William		Shopkeeper, Beer Retailer & Postmaster	
Broderick	Allen	Rev.	Incumbent	
Bye	William		Shoemaker	
Grist	John		Farmer	
Hutchins	Edward		Farmer	
Lawrence	Eliza	Mrs.	Shopkeeper	
Spicer	Thomas		Carpenter	
Tubb	William		Farmer	
Waldron	Joseph		Farm Bailiff	
Wilkes	Benjamin John		Farmer	
Williams	John Allen		Farmer	