



Swindon & District Directory Extract 1928



Bremhill

With the hamlets of Charlcote, Spirthill, east Tytherton, Foxham, Avon and Wick, Bremhill is a large parish in the Chippenham Division of Wilts, Union, Petty Sessional Division and County Court District of Calne, and Diocese of Salisbury, and is distant 2 miles from Calne and 4 from Chippenham. The register of the Church of St. Martin dates from 1590, and that of St. Peter, Highway, from 1742. The living, a vicarage, with the rectory of Highway annexed, net joint yearly value £450, with residence, is in the gift of the Bishop of Salisbury. In Bremhill, Charlcote and Foxham there are free libraries, the gift of Lord Fitzmaurice, and commodious and convenient reading rooms, supplied with daily and weekly papers. The principal landowners are the Marquis of Lansdowne (who is Lord of the Manor) and the Earl of Crewe. Area, 6,439 acres; rateable value, £1,785; population in 1921, 915. Letters arrive from Calne, which is the nearest Telegraph Office. Postal and money orders are issued and paid here. FOXHAM 4 miles; where there are a Church (St. John the Baptist), seating 200, and a Chapel. SPIRTHILL tithing is 2 miles north; here is a Wesleyan Chapel. EAST TYTHERTON tithing is 2 miles north west, where there is a Moravian settlement, founded in 1745. Letters arrive from Chippenham. The nearest Telegraph Office is Chippenham. Postal orders are issued and paid here. WICK tithing is 1 mile north west.

VICAR – Rev. A. E. G. Peters

POSTMASTER – J. H. Palmer

SCHOOLMISTRESS – Mrs. Pickett

Gentry/Private Residents

Surname	Given Names	Title	Industry/Occupation	Place/Parish
		Poulton Bros.		Godleys Farm, Avon
Baker	R. S.			The Grove, East Tytherton
Ball	G.			
Bicknell				West End Farm, Foxham
Bryning	E. A.			Cadenham Manor
Cleverly	C.	Mrs.		Chesterman's Farm, East Tytherton
Crossley	J. C.			East Tytherton
Elliott		Mrs.		School, Foxham
Eyles	J.			Bencroft Hill Farm, Bremhill
Fox		Miss		Dumb Post, Bremhill
Goodman	H.			Hanger Park Farm
Hayward	F.			Upper Cadenham Farm, Foxham
Hillier	A.			Field Farm, Bremhill
Hillier	P.			Monument Farm, Wick
Huntley	S.			Park Farm, Foxham
James	A. C.		Secretary of the Free Library & Reading Room, Charlcote	
Long		Mrs.		Ivy House, Spirthill
Long	E. C.		Secretary of the Free Library & Reading Room, Bremhill	Glebe Farm
Long	W. J.			East Tytherton
Minty	J. F.			Hare Street Farm
Palmer	J. H.		Librarian of the Free Library & Reading Room	

Pegler	H.	Mrs.		Elm Farm, Foxham
Pegler	T.			Gotshill Farm, Foxham
Peters	A. E. G.	Rev.		The Vicarage, Bremhill
Pocock	A. W.			Lower Hanger Farm
Reeves			Parish Clerk	Foxham
Salmondson		Mrs.		East Tytherton
Smith	C.			Hazeland Farm
Smith	E.			Leek's Hedge Farm, East Spirthill
Smith	W. C.			Naish House Farm, Spirthill
Stickler	J.			Lowbridge
Stooke	G. A.	Rev.	Moravian Minister	East Tytherton
Thomas	R. W.			Gate Farm, Foxham
Tonge		Capt.		Manor House, Highway
Vines	H.			Manor Farm
Way	F.		Gamekeeper	Hazeland Lodge, Bremhill
Willis		Mr.	Librarian of the Free Library & Reading Room, Charlccote	
Zippell		Miss	Ladies Moravian School	East Tytherton

Traders

Surname	Given Names	Title	Industry/Occupation	Place/Parish
		Free Library & Reading Room		Bremhill
		Free Library & Reading Room		Charlcote
Bailey	S.		Farmer	East Tytherton
Balch		Mrs. & Sons	Farmers	Highway
Broomfield	J.		Grocer and Baker	East Tytherton
Broomfield	R. S.		Baker	East Tytherton
Brown	W.	Sergt.	Smallholder	Foxham
Church	T.		Smallholder	Ratford Hill, Bremhill
Cole	G.		Farmer	Foxham
Eatwell	D. M.		Farmer	Wick
Freeguard	F.		Farmer	Bencroft Farm, Bremhill
Fry	A.	Mrs.	Baker	Bremhill
Fry	F.		Farmer	Bremhill
Gale	A.		Farmer	Bridge Farm
Glass	E.		Farmer	Stockham Marsh Farm
Hammond	R.		Farmer	Underdown
Hazell	W.		Shopkeeper	Charlcote
Hillier	B.		Farmer	Stockham Marsh
Hillier	C.		Smallholder	Foxham
Hillier	G.		Farmer	Tuck's Farm, Charlcote
Hillier	J.		Smallholder	Avon
James	A. C.		Farmer	Spirthill
Jefferys	S.		Farmer	Naish Farm, Spirthill
Knapp	C.		Mason	Charlcote
Lovel	C.		Blacksmith	Tytherton
Matthews	F.			The Beerhouse, Foxham
Matthews	W.		Blacksmith	Foxham
Miller	J.		Farmer	Charlcote Hill, Charlcote
Palmer	J. H.		Carpenter	Post Office
Pavy	F.		Miller	Hazeland
Pegler	R.		Farmer.	Foxham
Pocock	A. L.		Farmer	Spirthill Farm
Rowse	A.		Farmer	Bremhill (Lowbridge)
Seymour	C.		Smallholder	Foxham
Simper		Miss		Council School, East

				Tytherton
Swindon	J.		Farmer	Stanley, Bremhill
Twine	J.		Farmer	Charlcutt
Vines	C. P.		Farmer	Charlcutt Farm