



# Kellys Directory Extract 1915

## Nunton with Bodenham



**NUNTON with BODENHAM** forms a parish, 3 miles south-east-by-south from Salisbury, in the Southern division of the county, hundred of Downton, petty sessional division of Salisbury and Amesbury, Salisbury union and county court district, rural deanery of Wilton, archdeaconry of Sarum, and diocese of Salisbury. The river Chalke here falls into the Avon. The church of St Andrew is an edifice of flint and stone in mixed styles, but almost wholly rebuilt in 1855, and consists of chancel, nave of four bays, south aisle, south porch, and a low embattled tower containing 3 bells; there are 150 sittings. The register dates from the year 1620. Nunton is a chapelry of the vicarage of Downton. There is a Baptist chapel erected in 1860, in Bodenham. The Radnor Hall reading rooms were built in 1893 at the expense of the 5<sup>th</sup> Earl of Radnor, for the benefit of the workmen on the estate. The Earl of Radnor, who is lord of the manor, and Major Buckley, are the principal landowners. The soil is gravel and chalk; subsoil chalk. The chief crops are wheat and barley and some land in pasture. The area is 1215 acres; rateable value £1434: the population in 1911 was 285.

**Parish Clerk:** Frank Smith

**Post, T & Telephone Express Delivery Office, Bodenham:** Mrs Augusta Dowding, sub-postmistress. Letters received from Salisbury at 4am; delivered at 6.45am & 2pm and dispatched at 1.45 & 8.45pm; Sundays, 7.50pm. St Ann's Street, Salisbury, is the nearest money order office.

**Wall Letter Box, Nunton:** cleared at 5pm; Sundays at 10.30am.

**Elementary School** with residence, for 52 children. Miss A L Smith, mistress.

**County Police:** Thomas Dudman, constable in charge.

### Gentry/Private Residents - Nunton

Surname	Given Names	Title	Industry/Occupation	Place/Parish
Buckley	Edward	Major, JP		New Hall
Buckley		Miss		Nunton House
Macan		Mrs		Nunton Cottage
Overton	Francis Edward	Reverend MA		Rectory

### Traders - Nunton

Surname	Given Names	Title	Industry/Occupation	Place/Parish
Fray	George		Farmer	
Haskell	George		Baker & Grocer	
Haskell	William		Farmer	
Maple	George		Caretaker	Radnor Hall Reading Rooms

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Hulbert	Charles Kenelm			
New	Joseph		House Steward to Earl of Radnor	
Stephenson		Lady		Bodenham House