



Post Office Directory Extract 1855

Stanton St. Quintin



Stanton St. Quintin and Lower Stanton is a township, parish and village in the Hundred and Union and County court district of Chippenham, Cricklade parliamentary borough, bishopric of Gloucester and Bristol, distant 99 miles from London, 5 miles south-west from Malmesbury and 5 miles north-by-west of Chippenham station. The living is a rectory of the value of £312 in the gift of Earl Radnor; the Rev. Charles Grey Cotes, M.A., the present rector was appointed to the living in 1826. The church is a very ancient Saxon structure with a square tower rising from the middle and containing three beautiful Saxon arches. Here is a Free school for boys and girls supported by the Earl Radnor and the Rev. C. G. Cotes. The parish, including Stanton St. Quintin Park of 300 acres, contains about 1800 acres of land and in 1851 there were 68 houses and a population of 346. Avil is a farm.

Rev. Charles Grey Cotes M.A. (rector)

Letters received through Chippenham. The nearest money order offices are at Chippenham and Malmesbury.

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Traders

Surname	Given Names	Title	Industry/Occupation	Place/Parish
Fry	John		Basket Maker	
Hibberd	James		Farmer	
Hull	Joseph		Parish Clerk	
Lessiter	Mary	Miss	Farmer	Avil Farm
Miles	Stephen		Shopkeeper	
Reed	John		Park Keeper	
Woodman	James		Carpenter & Wheelwright	

Lower Stanton

Traders

Surname	Given Names	Title	Industry/Occupation	Place/Parish
Cole	John		Beer Retailer	
Miles	Edmund		Farmer	
Miles	James		Farmer	
Scott	Richard		Shoemaker	
Smith	James		Brewer	
Thomas	Isaac		Carpenter & Wheelwright	
Wright	Susannah	Mrs.	Shopkeeper	