



Kellys Directory Extract 1889

Calstone Wellington



CALSTONE WELLINGTON (or CALSTONE WILLINGTON) is a parish, situated near an old Roman road, 3 miles south-east from Calne, in the North Western division of the county, hundred, petty sessional division, county court district and union of Calne, rural deanery of Avebury, Avebury portion, archdeaconry of Wilts and diocese of Salisbury. The church of St. Mary is very ancient and built of Bath stone, partly in the style prevalent in the latter half of the 15th century and partly Tudor, consisting of chancel, nave, north porch and an embattled western tower containing one bell: it was thoroughly restored at a cost of £1,300 in 1885 : there are 100 sittings. The register dates from the year 1760. The living is a rectory (annexed to Blackland, November 2nd, 1880), gross joint yearly value £420, including 70 acres of glebe, net £320, with residence, in the alternate patronage of the Marquess of Lansdowne and the trustees of the late Mrs. Macdonald, and held since 1880 by the Rev. George Randolph Hadow M.A. of Jesus College, Cambridge. A reading room was built in 1883 by Lord Edmond G. Petty-Fitzmaurice, M.A., J.P. to which is attached a free lending library, and is supported by the Marquess of Lansdowne, Lord Edmond G. Petty-Fitzmaurice, the rector and farmers of the neighbourhood. The Marquess of Lansdowne G.C.M.G. is lord of the manor and principal landowner. The soil is a rich loam; subsoil, chalk. The chief crops are wheat and oats. The area is 275 acres; rateable value, £352; the population in 1881 was 45.

POST OFFICE.- Philip White, receiver. Letters arrive from Calne at 7 a. m. & 6.40 p.m. to callers only; dispatched at 7.45 a.m. & 7 p.m. ; no mail on Sundays. The nearest money order & telegraph office is at Calne.

National School, built in 1870, for 50 children; average attendance, 43; Miss Sarah E. Scarlett, mistress.

Surname	Given Names	Title	Industry/Occupation	Place/Parish
Burnett	Francis Gilbert		Miller (Water & Steam)	
Edwards	John		Mop Manufacturer	Spray's Mill
Edwards	John Wesley		Secretary & Librarian, Reading Room &	
Green	Edwin		Whiting Maker	
Hadow	George Randolph	Rev., M.A.		Rectory
Maundrell	Joseph		Farmer	Manor Farm