



## Post Office Directory Extract 1855 Charlton, Pewsey



**CHARLTON, near Pewsey**, in the Hundred of Swanborough, Pewsey Union, is a small village on the river Avon, 4 miles south-west from Pewsey, and 8 south-east from Devizes. The church is an ancient structure with a square tower, and is a vicarage in the gift of Christ Church College, Oxford; the Rev. Arthur Baynham, M.A. is the present incumbent. Besides a National school, there is a small annual charity for the benefit of the poor. The Earl of Normanton is Lord of the Manor. The area is 1,706 acres, and the population 219.

On the downs are barrows.

**CARRIER** - Gregory, to Devizes, Tuesday, Thursday & Saturday.

Letters are received through Pewsey, which is also the nearest money order office.

### GENTRY

Surname	Given Names	Title	Industry/Occupation	Place/Parish
Baynham	Arthur	Rev.; M. A.	Vicar	
Ferris	Thomas	Mr.		
Wansborough	Henry	Esq.		

### TRADERS

Surname	Given Names	Title	Industry/Occupation	Place/Parish
Blackman	William		Parish Clerk	
Chamberlain	Stephen		Carpenter & Wheelwright	
Chamberlain	William		Carpenter & Wheelwright	
Gregory	Joseph		Carrier	
Pike	William		Farmer	
Wansborough	John		Publican	Poor Arms
Witchell	Henry		Farmer	Lipe Farm