



Kellys Directory Extract 1898



Cholderton

Cholderton (West) (formerly Chaldrington) is a parish and village on the Hampshire border, 2½ miles west from Grateley station on the London and South Western railway, 5 east from Amesbury and 11 north east from Salisbury, in the Southern division of the county, hundred and union of Amesbury, petty sessional division of Salisbury and Amesbury, Salisbury County Court district, rural deanery of Amesbury (Amesbury portion), archdeaconry of Sarum and diocese of Salisbury. The church of St. Nicholas, erected and consecrated in 1850, in place of a former edifice, is a structure of flint and stone in the Perpendicular style, consisting of nave only, with a turret at the north west angle containing one bell. The seats are of oak, beautifully carved with birds, fruit and flowers, and all the windows are stained. The font of the old church stands in the churchyard. There are 122 sittings. The register dates from the year 1652. The living is a rectory, value £280, with 5 acres of glebe and residence, in the gift of Oriel College Oxford and held since 1892 by the Rev. Gustav Adolph Bienemann M.A., of that college. A charity £12 a year, founded by Anthony Cracherode Esq in 1753 is assigned as follows: £7 16s for the free education of 12 poor children, £1 1s for books for their use, and the balance to be distributed at Christmas in alms; there is also a charity of £10 a year, founded by Bishop Fraser, for the purchase of warm clothing for 10 poor inhabitants. Cholderton Lodge is the residence of Henry Charles Stephens Esq M.P., J.P. who is lord of the manor and chief landowner. The soil is alluvial in the valley; subsoil, chalk. The chief crops are wheat, barley and oats. The area is 1,661 acres, rateable value £819. The population in 1891 was 175.

Post, M.O. & T.O., T.M.O., Express Delivery, Parcel Post, S.U. & Annuity & Insurance Office. Thomas Razey, Sub Postmaster. Letters arrive from Salisbury at 8.30 a.m.; dispatched at 4.55 p.m., Sundays 9.55 a.m.

National School (mixed) built in 1851 out of the materials of the old church, for 40 children; average attendance 40 Mrs. Penny, Mistress

Carrier - Thomas. Bundy, to and from Salisbury, Tues. & Sat.

Residents

Surname	Given Names	Title	Industry/Occupation	Place/Parish
Berwicke	Percy Wentworth	Capt.		Manor House
Bienemann	Gustav Adolph	Rev. M.A.		
Stephens	Henry Charles	M.P., J.P.		Cholderton Lodge & Carlton & Junior Carlton Clubs, London S.W.

Commercial

Surname	Given Names	Title	Industry/Occupation	Place/Parish
Armstead	John		Blacksmith	
Brieant	Ernest Dennis		Farm Steward to H. C. Stephens, Esq., M.P.	
Bundy	Thomas		Carrier	
Dear	Christopher		Farmer	
Frith	William		Executors of	Crown Public House
Kimber	Maria	Mrs.	Manageress of Cholderton Co-operative Stores Ltd	
Razey	Thomas		Post Office	
Sellwood	Fanny	Mrs	Carpenter	