



Post Office Directory Extract 1898



Bowood

BOWOOD, a liberty, in the Hundred and Union of Calne, North Wilts., from which it is distant m miles south-west, and 3½ south-east-by-east of Chippenham. The Marquis of Lansdowne has a noble mansion here, with extensive park and pleasure grounds, richly ornamented with plantations, commanding a prospect of the town of Calne, and over a rich and lovely country; the pleasure-grounds cover about 70 acres, laid out with considerable taste. On the grounds is a Mausoleum, consecrated to the memory of |John, Earl of Shelburne. The population, in 1851, was 140, with 69 acres.

Gentry/Private Residents

Surname	Given Names	Title	Industry/Occupation	Place/Parish
Flower	William		Farmer	
Lansdowne		Right Honorable	The Marquis of	Lansdowne House