



Kellys Directory Extract 1915

Homington



HOMINGTON is a parish on the river Chalke, or Ebbel, 3 miles south-west-by-south from Salisbury, in the Southern division of the county, hundred of Cawden and Cadworth, Salisbury union and county court district, Salisbury and Amesbury petty sessional division, rural deanery of Chalke, (Chalke portion), archdeaconry of Sarum and diocese of Salisbury. The church of St Mary the Virgin, is a building of flint and stone, chiefly in the Early English style, and consisting of chancel, nave of 3 bays, aisles, and a tower on the south side containing one bell: in the chancel is a marble slab with an inscription to George Stanley, who died in 1719, aged 151 years: the church was restored in 1860 and affords about 200 sittings. The register dates from 1675. The living is a perpetual curacy united to the vicarage of Coombe Bissett. The Earl of Radnor is lord of the manor and principal landowner. The soil is chalk and gravel, sub-soil chalk. The chief crops are wheat, barley and turnips. The area is 1265 acres of land and 5 of water; rateable value £912; the population in 1911 was 186.

By Local Government Board Order 18149 dated March 25th 1885 a detached part of Stratford Tomy was amalgamated with this parish.

Sexton, Thomas Dimmer

Letters from Salisbury, via Coombe Bissett arrive at 7am. Salisbury is the nearest money order and telegraph office. Wall Letter Box cleared at 3 & 7.30pm, Sundays, 9am.

The children of the parish attend the school at Coombe Bissett.

Gentry/Private Residents

Surname	Given Names	Title	Industry/Occupation	Place/Parish
Coleridge	Francis Randall Cyril			Homington House

Traders

Surname	Given Names	Title	Industry/Occupation	Place/Parish
Dean	George Leslie		Farmer	
Morrice	David William		Road Surveyor	
Morris	George		Carpenter	
Street	Thomas		Shopkeeper	