



Kellys Directory Extract 1915

Long Newton



LONG NEWTON is a village and parish, divided from the parish of Shipton Moyne in Gloucestershire, by a small stream, 1.5 miles from Tetbury terminal station on a branch of the Great Western railway, in the North Western division of the county, Malmesbury hundred, petty sessional division, county court district, Tetbury union, Malmesbury rural deanery, North Wilts archdeaconry, and Bristol diocese. The church of the Holy Trinity is a building of stone in the Early English style, consisting of chancel, nave of 5 bays, two aisles, south porch and a western tower containing 6 bells: it was restored and partly rebuilt, with the addition of the north aisle, in 1870 and has a stained east window, and memorial windows to a former rector and others: there are sittings for 270 persons. The register dates from the year 1648. The living is a rectory, net yearly value £280, including 15 acres of glebe, with residence, in the gift of the Rev. Edmund W Estcourt MA, and held since 1901 by the Rev Francis Wrangham MA of Selwyn College, Cambridge. The charities amount to £61 yearly, £41 of which is applied to education and apprenticing. There is a cottage hospital, built by the late Rt Hon T H Sotheron-Estcourt, and supported by voluntary contributions. The Rev Edmund W Estcourt is lord of the manor and chief landowner. The soil is various, subsoil, clay and stone. The chief crops are wheat, barley and roots. The area is 2319 acres; rateable value £2317; population in 1911, 301.

Great and Little Larkhill are 1.5 miles north.

Sexton: Joseph Smart

Post Office: Edward Griffin Brown, sub-postmaster. Letters through Tetbury arrive at 6.55am & 3.30pm; dispatched at 8.45am & 4.30 & 6.20pm; Sundays, 9.35am & 6.40pm. Tetbury, 1.5 miles distant, is the nearest money order and telegraph office.

Letter Box cleared at 6.40pm.

Elementary School (mixed) erected in 1863, for 75 children; Frederick Harborne, master; Miss Isabelle Harborne, infants' mistress.

Constable in charge: Drew

Gentry/Private Residents

Surname	Given Names	Title	Industry/Occupation	Place/Parish
Forestier-Walker	R	Major		Newton House
Stapylton		Miss		Newnton Cottage
Taylor	Pierce Thomas Henry	Colonel (late RA)		The Priory
Wrangham	Francis	Reverend MA	Rector	Rectory

Traders

Surname	Given Names	Title	Industry/Occupation	Place/Parish
Branston	John		Farmer	Merchants Farm
Brown	Edward Griffin		Beer Retailer & Post Office	
Brown	Henry		Farmer	Slads Farm
Brown	James	Mrs	Farmer & Smith	
Gardener	Alice	Miss	Dressmaker	

Glastonbury	Eliza	Mrs	Haulier	
Hinder	Frederick		Head Keeper to Rev Estcourt MA	
Liddington	Joseph		Head Gardener to Miss Stapylton	
Plummer	Ernest Edward		Farmer	Folly Farm
Rich	George		Farmer	Lark Hill
Smart	Joseph		Farmer	
Stafford Mellish	J	MRCS Eng		Cottage Hospital
Steer	Henry		Head Gardener to Col Taylor	
Tucker	George		Farmer	Church Farm
West	William		Head Gardener to Maj. Forestier-Walker	
Witchell	Arthur		Farmer	