



Kellys Directory Extract 1915

Milton Lilborne



MILTON LILBORNE is a parish 2.5 miles east from Pewsey station on the Great Western railway, and 7 south from Marlborough, in the Eastern of the county, hundred of Kinwardstone, Ludgershall and Pewsey petty sessional division, union of Pewsey, Marlborough county court district, rural deanery of Marlborough, (Pewsey portion), archdeaconry of Wilts, and diocese of Salisbury. The Kennet and Avon canal passes through the northern portion of the parish at New Mill. The church of St Peter is an ancient building of stone, and dating originally from the 11th century, but now chiefly in the Early English style, and consisting of chancel, nave of four bays, north aisle, south porch, and an embattled western tower, with pinnacles, containing 6 bells. The chancel was restored in 1864, and the whole church in 1875 at a cost of £845, under the direction of the late Mr J L Pearson RA when the founder's tomb was discovered in the north aisle; the church has 300 sittings. The register dates from the year 1686. The living is a vicarage, net yearly value £350, including 18 acres of glebe land and residence in the gift of Mrs Gale, of Weston, Bath, and held since 1908 by the Rev. John Irwin Browne Cockin MA of Queen's College, Oxford. Here is a Wesleyan chapel, built about 1854 and seating 50 persons. Near Milton hill is a large tumulus. Fyfield Manor House, the property of Charles Penruddocke esq is an ancient mansion in the Elizabethan style: Charles I once stayed at this house one night on his way to Newbury. Charles Penruddocke esq JP, who is the owner of Fyfield Manor, the Marquess of Ailesbury, the trustees of the Somerset Hospital, Froxfield, Sir Francis E G Astley-Corbett bart DL JP, Mark Jeans, Edward Baverstock Merriman, James Smith Haines, and George Ferris esqrs are the principal landowners. The soil is sand and clay, subsoil chalk and gravel; the chief crops are corn and roots, and some land in pasture. The area is 3502 acres, rateable value £3994: the population in 1911 was 538.

Clench is a tithing, 2 miles north; **Fyfield** is a tithing 1 mile west; the hamlet of **New Mill** is 1 mile north; the hamlet of **Little Salisbury** half a mile west.

Parish Clerk: Charles Stag

Post M O & T Office: James Day, sub-postmaster. Letters through Pewsey, Wilts arrive at 7.10am & 2.45pm, Sundays, 8.30am; dispatched at 8am & 11.25 & 6.10pm. Sundays, 11.20am.

Wall Letter Box, Little Ann: cleared at 7.30 & 11.45am & 6.30pm, Sundays, 11.45am.

Wall Letter Box, New Mill: cleared at 7.25am & 6.30pm, Sundays, 11.30am

The School Board, formed in 1876, was dissolved by the Education Act 1902, and the school is now controlled by a board of managers.

Elementary School (mixed) built in 1876 for 92 children; Misses Pickin, mistresses.

Carrier to Marlborough: Edward Spackman, Tues., Thurs. & Sat.

Gentry/Private Residents

Surname	Given Names	Title	Industry/Occupation	Place/Parish
Chandler		Miss		Fyfield Lodge
Cockin	John Irwin Browne	Reverend MA	Vicar	Vicarage
Cradock	William Joseph			Roseland
Curtis		Miss		Havering House
Ferris	George			Manor House
Gilbert		Mrs		Cumberland Cottage
Jeans	Mark			King Hall, Pewsey

Jeeves	Albert Edward			The Lawn
Lane	John			Eastleigh
Learoyd		Mrs		
Pinnegar	Henry Crook			Priory Cottage
Puckridge	Percival M			The Grange
Richardson		Miss		Avenue Lodge
Vaughan	Mathew	MA		Sunnylands

Traders

Surname	Given Names	Title	Industry/Occupation	Place/Parish
		Jeeves Bros	Farmers	The Lawn
		Ferris & Puckridge	Land & Estate Agents, Auctioneers	
Bishop	Horace Stanley Charles		Valuer for Inland Revenue	Clench House
Cole	Herbert D		Farmer	Broomsgrove
Dew	H D	Hon Sec	National Farmers Union	Broomsgrove
Dew	Herbert Henry		Farmer	Milton Hill Farm
Ford	Henry John		Farmer	Abbey Farm
Gilbert	Sophia	Mrs	Grocer	
Gilford	Alfred		Farmer	Fyfield
Head	William		Thatcher	
Martin	Charles		Farmer	Severals
Martin	Edward		Farmer	Littleworth
Mercer	Albert		Blacksmith	
Rawlins	David		Farmer	Clench
Reynolds	Albert Alfred		Castrator & Rate Collector	Upper Farm
Reynolds	Charles		Baker & Grocer	
Spackman	Edward		Carrier	
Spackman	Henry		Carpenter	Littleworth
Stagg	Frederick C		Harness Maker	
Stagg	Marie Amor	Miss	Midwife	
Tucker	Charles		Beer Retailer	
Vaughan	Emma	Mrs		New Inn, New Mill
Wells	Edwin		Farmer	Totteridge
Wells	William Bristow		Miller (water & steam)	New Mill