



Extracts from Newton Toney Parish Register

Note by Cooke Cheife Justice That the keeping of the Church book, for the age of theses that should be born & christened in the parish, began in thirtieth year of Henry ye eighth by the advice of the Lord Cromwell.

1678

This Register was bought according to ye Order of the Act of Parliament for Burying in Woollen: July the 15 in the 30th year of the Reign of King Charles ye 2nd.

1678

Ann Jones How: 25

Martha Edwards of ye Close of Sarum in the County of Wilts Spinster maketh Oath, That Anne Jones of the Close of Sarum afoegd. late deceased, was not wrapd wound up or buryed in any shirt, shift, sheet or shroud made or mingled wth. fflax, Hempe, Silke, haire, gold or silver, or other they wl is made of sheepes wooll only. Nor putt into any coffin lined or faced wth any cloath or stuff, or any other thing wt soever made or mingled wth fflax, hempe, silke, haire, gold or silver, or any other materiall but sheepes wooll onely, according to ye directon of a late Act of Parliament, in that behalfe made or provided. Dated ye 27 of November Ano Dui 1678.

Martha Edwards

Signed & Sealed by us who were witneses att ye making the above mentioned Affidavit.

Jo: Gough, Joanne Grayley

I Willm Swanton, Efqr one of his Majies Justies of the peace of ye Countie aforso, doe verify that the above mentioned Affidavit was made before me the day & year above sd.

Wm. Swanton, Justice

1679

Rich. Perrin Rec'd (April 12.-19) The Affidavit of Dorothy Jud that Ric: Perrin was buyed according to ye Act of Parl: for burying in Woollen.

Wm. Swanton, Justice

Witneses: Willm Bevis? John Cozens

1679

Ann Michel April 17 1679 Rec'd (April 18. - 79) The Affidavit of Eliz: Beer That An Michel was buryed according to ye Act of Parl: for burying in Woollen.

Rich. Chandler, Justice.

Witneses: Mary Chandler, Rich: Healy.

1762

The Revd. Jno Price, Rector of this Parish died the tenth of April 1762.

1775

Was succeeded in the same year by Mr. Ricd. Keble B.D. On the Presentation of Queens College – Mr John Cant B.D. by the presentation of ye sd college succeeded Mr. Keble April 10 1775.

1776

Mr Cant was succeeded June 3rd 1776 by Mr John Ekins A.M. On presentation of ye sd college & by exchange for the Living of Knaptoff in Leicestershire, belonging to the Duke of Rutland to which Jno Cant was presented to the Duke.

1778

Jno Ekins pulled down an old & bad Parsonage House which stood in the village, & built a new one, where it now stands, in the year 1778. Also offices adjoining to the House, a six stalled stables Coach House, & sheds betwixt the stable & old barn – This House was built according to the Act of Parliament for promoting Parochial Residence among the Cleys. The Deeds relating to it are in the hands of Mr Bowles Registrar to the Bishop. The money raised for Building it, with interest of the same is paid off. June 27 1801.

1809

Mr Hugh Price A.M. Was presented by the college on the decease of Mr. John Ekins 1809.

1853

Mr John Newton Peill B.D. Was presented by the college on the decease of Mr Hugh Price, May 1853.

1879

The Rev George Whitaker M.A. Was presented by his college on the decease of the Rev. J.N. Peill in June 1879.

1882

The Rev John Rowlands B.D. Was presented by his college, Queen's, Camb. on the decease of the Rev G. Whitaker in August 1882 & was instituted on the 27th Feb 1883.

1888

The Rev George Phillips M.A. was presented by his college on the decease of the Rev. John Rowland in October 1883.

He resigned the benefice on 1 Oct 1914 and died at Branksome on 17 Dec 1916 on the eve of his 90th birthday.

1915

The Rev Benjamin Wright was instituted on 23 Feb 1915 on the presentation of Queen's College.

Source: Parish Registers.