



Post Office Directory Extract 1867



Nunton & Bodenham

NUNTON is a parish, in the Southern division of the county, hundred of Downton, Alderbury union, Salisbury county court district, diocese and archdeaconry of Salisbury, and rural deanery of Wilton, distant 3 miles south-east-by-south from Salisbury, and 87 from London. The church (name unknown) is of the Early Decorated style; it was almost wholly rebuilt in 1835, and has nave, chancel and south aisle, with low square embattled tower and 3 bells. The chancel and aisle are built adjoining to, but under separate roofs from the nave. The living is a vicarage, annexed to the vicarage of Downton, yearly value £80, in the gift of Winchester College, and held by the Rev. Richard Payne B.C.L. of New College, Oxford. Here is a small National school, and a place of worship for Baptists. New Hall, in this parish, is the seat of General Buckley, J.P. Viscount Folkestone (who is lord of the manor) and General Buckley, are the principal landowners. The soil is gravel and chalk; subsoil, chalk. The chief crops are wheat, barley and hay. The population in 1861 was 282. The acreage is included with the parish of Downton.

BODENHAM is united with Nunton township.

Parish Clerk, William Maple.

POST OFFICE - Mrs. Mary Ann Cookman, receiver. Letters received from Salisbury at 4.30 a.m. delivered at 7 a. m. in summer, and 7.30 a. m. in winter, and dispatched at 9 p.m. The nearest money order office is at Salisbury.

National School, Miss Agnes Norris, mistress

Residents & Traders

Surname	Given Names	Title	Occupation/Trade	Abode
Ahern	William		Farm Steward to General Buckley	
Ayten		Miss		
Buckley	Edward Pery	General, J.P.		New Hall
King	John	Mr.		Bodenham
Montgomery		Mrs.		Nunton House
Newham	James		Beer Retailer	
Read	Josiah		Farmer	
Stratton	John	Mr.		