



Post Office Directory Extract 1855



North Tidworth

North Tidworth is a township, parish, and small agricultural village, in Amesbury Hundred, Andover Union, South Wilts, pleasantly situated 2 miles south-west from the ancient town of Ludgershall, 15 from Salisbury, 9 from Andover station, and 75 from London. The population is now 385, and comprises 3,120 acres of land.

The church is a small neat structure, with square tower and 5 bells. The living is a vicarage, annual value of £324, in the presentation of the Lord Chancellor; the incumbent is the Rev. Francis Dyson, M.A.

A National School has been erected for popular education.

CLEARINGTON HILL is half a mile west; Sidbury, a large round camp, 2 miles north-west, There is a large group of barrows.

POST OFFICE – George Moore, receiver. Letters arrive by mail from Swindon at 6 a.m.; dispatched at 7 p.m. The nearest money order office is at Andover.

CARRIERS – John Cooper, to Salisbury, on Tuesday; to Andover, Saturday.

- William Lovelock, to Andover, on Tuesday & Saturday.

Assessor – Henry Sweetapple

Residents

Surname	Given Names	Title	Industry/Occupation	Place/Parish
Dyson	Francis	Rev. M.A.	Rector	North Tidworth

Traders

Surname	Given Names	Title	Industry/Occupation	Place/Parish
Lansley	John		Blacksmith	North Tidworth
Lovelock	William		Shopkeeper	North Tidworth
Moore	Mary Ann	Mrs	'Ram'	North Tidworth
Northeast	Thomas Barnes		Farmer	North Tidworth
Silwood	Richard		Boot & Shoemaker	North Tidworth
Sweetapple	Henry		Farmer	North Tidworth
Taylor	Simon Pile		Farmer	North Tidworth