



# Post Office Directory Extract 1855



## West Dean

WEST DEAN, a township, parish, village, and railway station, on the Salisbury railway and canal, in Alderbury Hundred, Stockbridge Union, South Wilts, and partly in Hampshire, 88 miles from London, 7 east from Salisbury and 7 ½ north-west from Romsey; the living is a rectory, in the archdeaconry and diocese of Salisbury, and in the patronage and incumbency of the Rev. Francis Glossop, M.A. The church, which is a small structure, is dedicated to the Virgin Mary. In the chancel are several monuments to the Evelyn family. Here is a small Parochial school for boys and girls. The population, in 1851, was West Dean, 308 (183 in Wilts and 125 in Hants); East Grimstead, 125.

EAST GRIMSTEAD is a chapelry.

POST OFFICE - Charles Miller, receiver. Letters from Romsey arrive at ½ past 9 a.m.; dispatched at ¼ past 4 p.m. The nearest money order offices are at Salisbury & Romsey.

CARRIER TO SALISBURY- Pragnell, passes through Wednesdays & Saturdays.

### West Dean

#### Gentry

Surname	Given Names	Title	Industry/Occupation	Place/Parish
Baring	Thomas	Esq.		Norman Court
D'Evelyn	Charles J.	Rev.		
Glossop	Francis	Rev., M.A.		

#### Traders

Surname	Given Names	Title	Industry/Occupation	Place/Parish
Beauchamp	William Thomas		Publican	Lion
Chandler	Kenelm		Station Master	
Cool	Sarah	Mrs.	Shopkeeper	
Crook	John		Carpenter	
Fulford	William		Boot & Shoemaker	
Lawrence	Henry		Clothes Dealer	
Miller	Charles		Postmaster	
Sargent	Ann	Miss	Shopkeeper	
Sutton	Job		Farmer	
Wansborough	Edward		Farmer	
Wilson	George Henry		Baker, Boot & Shoemaker	

### East Grimstead

#### Traders

Surname	Given Names	Title	Industry/Occupation	Place/Parish
Gray	Samuel		Shopkeeper	
Hinwood	John		Shopkeeper	
Tubb	Caroline	Miss	Schoolmistress	