

## Post Office Directory Extract 1875

## **Fisherton Delamere**



**Fisherton De La Mere** is a parish and village, situated on the Wylye, in the Southern division of the county, Wilton union, Warminster hundred, Salisbury county court district, diocese and archdeaconry, and Wylye rural deanery, 4 miles south-east from Heytesbury, 12 west from Salisbury and 106 from London by road.

The church of St Nicholas, except the tower and chancel, was rebuilt in 1833, and a chancel, in the Early English style, was added, in place of the original, in 1862. It has a square tower, with pinnacles at the angles, containing 5 bells. The register dates from the year 1561. The living is a vicarage, yearly value about £130, with 22 acres of glebe land, in the gift of John Davis, esq., and held by the Rev. William George Nisbett Fenwick, M.A., of Trinity College, Dublin.

John Davis, esq., is lord of the manor of Fisherton, and with Joseph D Willis, esq., the principal landowners.

The soil is light loam; subsoil, chalk and flint. The chief crops are wheat, oats and barley.

The area is 2,861 acres; gross estimated rental, £2,813; rateable value, £2,516; and the population in 1871 was 324.

**Bapton** is a hamlet, 1 mile south-west.

PARISH CLERK John Collins

LETTERS through Bath. Codford St Mary is the nearest money order & telegraph office.

PAROCHIAL SCHOOL Miss Emily Mansfield Mistress

## **Private Residents**

Surname	Given Names	Title	Industry/Occupation	Place/Parish
Birch	Lawrence			
Fenwick	William George Nisbett	Rev., M.A.	Vicar	
Parry	John			
Parry	William			

## Commercial

Surname	Given Names	Title	Industry/Occupation	Place/Parish
Doughty	Samuel		Bricklayer	Bapton
Dyer	Mary Ann	Mrs	Shopkeeper	Bapton
Parry	William & John		Farmers	
Pickford	Henry		Shopkeeper	
Ranger	James		Wood dealer	
Shephard	George		Shopkeeper	Bapton
Willis	Joseph Deans		Farmer	Bapton

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