



Post Office Directory Extract 1855

Baverstock



Baverstock - with the hamlet of Hurdcott, is a township, parish and village, 8 miles west from Salisbury, 5 miles west of Wilton, and 100 from London, in the Hundred of Branch and Dale, and Wilton Union, South Wilts, and is bounded on the south side by the river Nadder. The living is a rectory, value £300, with 70 acres of glebe land, occupied by the Ven. Archdeacon Hony, B.D. The church, which was thoroughly repaired about 1845, is in the decorated style, with a square tower at the west end of the building, and 3 bells. The population at the last census, including Hurdcott, was 160. Charles Penruddock, Esq., is lord of the manor of Baverstock; Alexander Powell, Esq., lord of that of Hurdcott.

Letters through Salisbury, which is also the nearest money order office.

Coaches - Three pass to Salisbury and three to Warminster daily.

Carriers - Passing daily.

Surname	Given Names	Title	Industry/Occupation	Place/Parish
Hony		Venerable	Archdeacon	
Powell	Alexander	Esq.		Hurdcote House
Smith	Herbert		Farmer	