



Listed Buildings/ Monuments

In

Compton Chamberlayne



Orchard Cottage & Post Office

Location – High Street, Compton Chamberlayne (near to Commonwealth War Graves Cemetery)

Grade II - Listed 17 December 1986

Pair of cottages. Mid C17. Dressed limestone, timber-framed first floor with brick nogging, tiled roof with stone or rendered stacks. Through passage to rear of stack. Two-storey, 4-window. Post Office has half-glazed door with flat wooden hood on brackets and bow-fronted shop window to left, 3-light recessed chamfered mullioned casement with hoodmould to right; Orchard Cottage has planked door and 3-light mullioned casement with hoodmould. First floor has three 3-light leaded casements and one single-light leaded casement. Left return has single-light casement to first floor. Rear has lean-to extensions, 2-light leaded casements to first floor. Right return has C20 casements to ground and first floors.

Interior-of Orchard Cottage not accessible at time of survey (March 1986), Post Office has deeply chamfered beams with bar and stepped stops, planked doors, blocked open fireplace with stairs to one side.

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The Old Post Office Cottage on left & Orchard Cottage on right