



Kellys Directory Extract 1867

Great Wishford



Wishford (or Great Wishford) is a parish, village, and railway station, on the Great Western line, on the Wiley stream, in the Southern division of the county, Branch and Dole hundred, Wilton union, and parliamentary borough, Salisbury county court district, diocese and archdeaconry of Salisbury, and rural deanery of Wyllye, 3 miles north from Wilton, 6 north-west from Salisbury, and 102 from London. The church of St. Giles is an ancient Gothic structure, completely restored in 1864: it consists of nave, chancel, north and south aisle, and has a square embattled tower with eight pinnacles and 5 bells: the interior contains a very handsome monument to Sir Richard Grobham. The earliest register bears date 1558. The living is a rectory, gross annual value £430, with residence and 13 acres of glebe land, in the gift of the Earl of Pembroke, and held by the Rev. Thomas Boughton Buchanan, M.A., of Exeter College, Oxford. Sir Richard Grobham, formerly a lord of the manor, bequeathed, in 1628, four almshouses, allowing 6s. 6d. per week to each inmate. There is £250 bequeathed by Daniel Oland, the interest of which is applied to binding poor apprentices and purchasing them tools, with a present to ten poor people at Christmas Eve. The late rector (Rev. F. Williams) has also bequeathed £250, the interest to be bestowed upon ten poor people on Christmas Eve. The Earl of Pembroke is lord of the manor, and owns the entire parish. The soil is clay, gravel, and chalk; subsoil, chalk. The chief crops are wheat, barley, and oats. The area is 1,610 acres, and the population in 1861 was 381.

Post Office – Richard Scamell, receiver. Letters arrive from Wilton at 7.30 a.m.; delivered at 8 a.m.; dispatched at 5.20 p.m. The nearest money order office is at Wilton.

Endowed School - James Goulden, master; Mrs. Ann Goulden, mistress.

Carriers to Salisbury – Elias Cannings and Frederick Goodfellow, Tuesday and Saturday.

Gentry/Private Residents

Surname	Given Names	Title	Industry/Occupation	Place/Parish
Buchanan	Thomas Boughton	Rev., M A.	Rector	
Cooper	James	Mr.		
Webb	Robert	Mr.		

Traders

Surname	Given Names	Title	Industry/Occupation	Place/Parish
Andrews	Thomas		Farmer	Also At South Newton
Cannings	Elias		Baker & Carrier	
Cooper	William		Bricklayer	
Ewence	Josiah		Smith	
Ford	Frederick		Farmer	Little Wishford
Goodfellow	Frederick		Shopkeeper & Carrier	
Goulden	George		Coal Merchant	
Hayter	William		Blacksmith	
Higgins	Joseph		Farmer	
Plowman	John		Bricklayer	
Saunders	Robert		Farmer & Maltster	
Scammell	Joseph		Carpenter & Wheelwright	
Scammell	Richard		Shopkeeper & Post Office	
Shergold	Frederick		Publican & Farmer	Royal Oak
Spender	Emma Amelia	Miss	Farmer	
Trubridge	John		Farmer & Maltster	
Young	Reuben		Baker & Farmer	