



## Kellys Directory Extract 1915

### Burbage



**BURBAGE** is a village and parish on the road from Marlborough to Salisbury; 5.5 miles east from Pewsey, 6 south-east from Marlborough, 70 from London and 1 mile south-east from Savernake Junction Station on the Great Western railway, and 2 miles west from Grafton & Burbage station on the Midland & South Western Junction railway, in the Eastern division of the county, Kinwardstone hundred, petty sessional division and county court district of Marlborough, Pewsey union, rural deanery of Marlborough (Pewsey Portion), archdeaconry of Wilts, and diocese of Salisbury. The church of All Saints is a building of stone and flint, in the Early English and Perpendicular styles, and consists of chancel, nave of 5 bays with clerestory, aisles, south porch, and an embattled western tower, containing a clock and 5 bells: there are 8 stained windows, one of which is a memorial to the Rt. Rev Edward Denison DD, Bishop of Salisbury 1837-54: in 1876 a south aisle was added to the chancel, and has since been converted to a side chapel and dedicated to St Thomas a Becket: in the same year, the interior of the church was restored, as a memorial to the Ven. Thomas Stanton, archdeacon of Wilts for 23 years, vicar of the parish, who died 24<sup>th</sup> March 1875: the church was rebuilt, with the exception of the tower, in 1854, and affords 450 sittings: the churchyard was extended by the addition of half an acre of land in The register dates from the year 1561. The living is a vicarage, net yearly value £300, including 5.5 acres of glebe, with residence, in the gift of the Bishop of Salisbury, and held since 1913 by the Rev Hubert Sands MA of Oriel College, Oxford. Here is a Wesleyan chapel, built in 1907 at a cost of £900 and seating 150 persons. There are charities of the yearly value of £72 17s 6d. In 1805, Philip Pearce bequeathed the sum of £2000, the interest of which, after deducting the sum of £10 for educational purposes, is given annually, about Christmas to the second poor. Robert Highett left by will in 1873 the sum of £500, the interest of which is expended in coals for the poor, and for educational purposes. In 1875 the late Archdeacon Stanton bequeathed £200, the interest of which is spent in gifts of clothing to the poor. The Kennet & Avon canal passes under the railway station, by a tunnel, a quarter of a mile in length: on the canal are two locks, wharfs and a goods station. The Marquess of Ailesbury is lord of the manor and the principal landowner. The soil is green sand, sub-soil chalk. The chief crops are wheat, barley oats and roots. The area is 4013 acres; rateable value £5404; the population in 1911 was 1127 in the civil parish and 954 in the ecclesiastical parish.

Parish Clerk: Henry Stephen Spreadbury

Post M O & T Office: John William Hilliard, sub-postmaster. Letters arrive from Marlborough and are delivered at 6.20am & 4.40pm, Sundays 6.55am; dispatched at 10.5am, 12.35 and 7.25pm, Sundays, 7.20pm. Savernake railway station: (on platform) cleared at 10.15am & 7.10pm, Sundays 7pm. Stibb Green: cleared at 10.10am, 4.45 & 7.40pm, Sundays, 7.25pm East Sands: cleared at 7.35am, 12.30 & 7.5pm, Sundays 11.45am

Elementary School (mixed), built in 1856 for 132 children, Ernest S Webb, master. Elementary Infants: built in 1861 by George, Marquess of Ailesbury for 120 children, Miss Agnes Hibberd, mistress

Railway Stations - Savernake Junction: W Barnby, stationmaster. Savernake Station: Francis Brown, stationmaster. Burbage (goods only): Henry Hood, stationmaster

Carriers to Marlborough pass through on sat.

<b>Surname</b>	<b>Given Names</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Industry/Occupation</b>	<b>Place/Parish</b>
Clark-Jones	Edwin			
Maurice	George Thelwall Kindersely	Major	Royal Army Medical Corps	The Elms
Rowley	Frank	Reverend	Wesleyan Minister	
Sands	Hubert	Reverend, MA.	Vicar	Vicarage
Walker	Charles Evan			The Laurels

#### Commercial

<b>Surname</b>	<b>Given Names</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Industry/Occupation</b>	<b>Place/Parish</b>
Bailey	Henry Charles		Builder	
Bain	Henry Richard		Hotel & Refreshment Rooms	Savernake Forest
Banning	John		Blacksmith	
Blanchard	Thomas George		Farmer	Manor House
Blundy	William		Shopkeeper	Ram Alley
Braine	Herbert		Race Horse Trainer	
Briant	Mary Ann	Mrs.	Farmer	
Brooke	Mary	Mrs.	Coal Merchant	Westcott
Buerner	Ann	Mrs.	Beer Retailer	
Burton	Henry			White Hart Inn
Burrough	John		Boot & Shoe Maker	
Burrough	William Henry		Carpenter & Shopkeeper	
Chandler	John William		Farmer	
Clark-Jones	Edwin	MRCS Eng., LRCP Lond.	Physician & Surgeon	
Cox	George Francis		Beer Retailer	Stibb Green
Crosby	James		Shopkeeper	
Dew	Arthur		Farmer	

Fall	George Mason		Commission Agent	The Wharf
Fell	John Ward		Threshing Machine Owner & Assistant Overseer	
Gauntlett	William B.		Farmer	South Grove Farm
Green	Reuben		Farmer	Westcott
Grist	Oliver		Bootmaker	
Hilliard	John William		Groce & Post Office	
Hillier	Arthur William		Farmer	Bath Farm
Hoare	Oliver		Baker & Shopkeeper	
Hope	Joseph		Market Gardener	Marr Green
Horton	Robert		Butcher	
Johnson	Edward Francis		Grocer & Baker	
		Lampard & Sons	Cycle Agents	
Maidstone	Thomas		Grocer & Baker	
Mann	James	Jnr.	Shoemaker	
May	Joshua J.		Farmer	Golden Lands Farm
Neale	James		Market Gardener	
New	Charles		Carpenter	
Norris	Henry Charles			New Inn
Noyes	James	Mrs.	Grocer	
Nutley	Oliver		Farmer	Eastcote
Perry	Albert		Farmer	
Prior	Joseph		Farmer	
Ruddle	Oliver		Farmer	
Skittral	George		Hurdle Maker	
Smith	Frederick Thomas		China & C. Dealer	
Smith	Herbert Francis		Grocer	
Spreadbury	Henry Stephen		Baker	East Sands
Vines	William		Farmer	Hare Path