



# Kellys Directory Extract 1915



## Hankerton

Hankerton is a village and parish 4 miles west from Minety station on the Swindon and Gloucester section and 4 north-east from Malmesbury terminal station on a branch of the Great Western railway. It is in the North Western division of the county, Malmesbury union, hundred, petty sessional division and county court district, and in the rural deanery of Malmesbury, archdeaconry of North Wilts and diocese of Bristol.

The church of the Holy Cross is an ancient fabric of stone, in the Early English style, consisting of chancel, added in 1906, nave, south porch and a fine and lofty western tower containing 4 bells. There are sittings for 100 persons. The register dates from the year 1699. The living is a vicarage, net income £135, with residence and 10 acres of glebe, in the gift of Mrs Adkin, and held by the Rev Gilbert Lee Hankey, M.A. of Selwyn College, Cambridge.

The charities amount to £12 yearly.

The Earl of Suffolk and Berkshire, who is lord of the manor, J R Randolph, esq., M.A., K.C., and A J L Murray-Shirreff, esq., are the principal landowners.

The soil is sandy and loamy; subsoil, clay and flints. The parish consists chiefly of pasture lands.

The area is 2,203 acres; rateable value, £2,232; population in 1911, 240

**Cloatley** is a tithing half a mile east. **Bishoper** 2 miles west

SEXTON Charles Woodward

POST OFFICE Mrs Fanny Maria Woodward, sub-postmistress.  
Letters arrive from Malmesbury at 6.45 am. & 1.45 pm.; dispatched at 7 pm; no Sunday delivery.  
Charlton, Wilts, 2 miles distant, is the nearest money order & telegraph office.

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL (mixed), built in 1860, with house for mistress, for 60 children.  
Miss Matilda Shepherd, Mistress.

CARRIERS to Cirencester, Mon & Fri, Charles Pennell & Charles Cooper  
to Stroud, Wed, Charles Cooper  
to Swindon, Sat, George Pennell.

### Private Residents

Surname	Given Names	Title	Industry/Occupation	Place/Parish
Hankey	Gilbert Lee	Rev M.A.	Vicar	The Vicarage
Worthington	Frank			The Priory

### Commercial

Surname	Given Names	Title	Industry/Occupation	Place/Parish
Blizzard	Jacob		Overseer	
Branston	George		Farmer	Hankerton Field Farm
Chamberlain	Maurice John		Farmer	
Chivers	Joseph		Farmer	
Cooper	Charles		Carrier	

Hislop	Arthur		Farmer	Cloatley Manor Farm
Law	Alfred		Haulier	
Law	Thomas		Cowkeeper	
Major	Henry		Market Gardener	
Marshall	Isaac		Farmer	Laurel Farm
Mathews	Henry Bryant		Farmer	
Pennell	Charles		Farmer & Carrier	
Plummer	Harry		Farmer	Dolmans Farm
Shewring	Henry		Farmer	
Tugwell	Charles		Cowkeeper	
Vincent	John		Haulier	
Vincent	Lewin		Blacksmith	
Woodward	Mark		Carpenter	
Woodward	Mary	Mrs	Farmer	