

Swindon & District Directory Extract 1928 Winterbourne Monkton



THIS village is in the Devizes Division of Wilts, Marlborough Petty Sessional Division and Union and County Court District, and Diocese of Salisbury, and is 7 miles from Marlborough, the nearest railway station. Wootton Bassett and Calne Stations are both 8 miles distant, and Swindon and Devizes 10 miles. The register of the Church of St. Mary Magdalen dates from 1656. The living, a vicarage annexed to Berwick Bassett, joint yearly value £320, is in the gift of the Bishop of Salisbury. Letters arrive through Swindon. The nearest Money Order and telegraph Office is at Avebury. Area, 1,879 acres; rateable value, £1.525; population, 194. The Post Office opens as follows: 8 a.m. to 11.30 a.m., 3.30 p.m. to 6.30 p.m., weekdays; 5.15 p.m. Sundays for despatch.

MONKTON PENNING is one mile east.

VICAR - Rev. R. S. Weallens (Berwick Bassett)

POSTMASTER – V. Spackman.

SCHOOLMISTRESS - Mrs. Escott.

Bus service from Swindon to Devizes passes through the village.

Gentry/Private Residents/Traders

Surname	Given Names	Title	Industry/Occupation	Place/Parish
Angliss			Fish & Fruit Salesman	
Ball	E.		Thatcher & Sheep Trimmer	
Buckingham	G.		Gamekeeper	
Bull	T.		Sheep Shearer & Trimmer	
Greader	H.		Farmer	Middle Farm
Heath	F. J.		Farmer	East Farm
Green	F.		Licensed Victualler	New Inn
Scott	F.			Brookside
Smyth	F. G.		Farmer	
Spackman	V. L.		Postmaster, Shopkeeper & Beer Retailer	
Tucker	W. A.		Churchwarden	The Manor
Tucker	W. A.		Farmer	