

## Kellys Directory Extract 1903

## Winterbourne Stoke



WINTERBOURNE STOKE is a township, parish and village, 4 miles north from Wishford station on the Salisbury branch of the Great Western railway, 5 west from Amesbury and 9 north from Salisbury, in the Southern division of the county, union of Amesbury, hundred of Branch and Dole, petty sessional division of Salisbury and Amesbury, county court district of Salisbury, rural deanery of Wylye (Wylye portion), archdeaconry of Sarum and diocese of Salisbury. Winterbourne stream flows through the parish. The church of St. Peter is an ancient structure of flint and stone, in the Early English style and consists of chancel, nave, transepts, north porch and a central embattled tower, containing 4 bells: there are two fine Norman doorways in the nave: the arch leading into the south transept is pure Early English: in the chancel is a good piscina and an aumbry, both of Early Decorated character the south transept also retains a piscina: the east window and two others are stained: the pulpit of carved oak is dated 1621: there are 120 sittings. The register dates from the year 1558. The living is a vicarage, net income £173, with residence and two acres of glebe land, in the gift of Sir Christopher Furness M.P. of West Hartlepool, and held since 1891 by the Rev. Sidney William Wayet. Sir Christopher Furness M.P. is lord of the manor and chief landowner. The soil is light loam on chalk. The chief crops are wheat, barley and oats. The area is 3,564 acres of land and 8 of water; rateable value, £1,334; in 1901 the population was 224.

The Conegarth (or Coneygore, i.e. rabbit warren) is an earthwork, three-quarters of a mile north. There are many barrows and earthworks, among which is Long Barrow.

Parish Clerk, Frank West

Post Office. - Mrs. Louisa Grant, sub-postmistress.

Letters arrive from Salisbury at 7.40 a.m. & 3.50 p.m.; Sundays, 7.40 a.m.; dispatched at 10.30 a.m. & 5 p.m. in summer; 4 p.m. in winter; Sundays, 10.15 a.m. Postal Orders are issued and paid here. The nearest money order & telegraph office is at Shrewton, 3 miles distant.

Elementary School (mixed), built in 1875, for 80 children; average attendance, 40; Mrs. Edith Louisa Dyer, mistress.

Carrier. - F. Grant, to Salisbury, Tuesday & Saturday

Surname	Given Names	Title	Industry/Occupation	Place/Parish
Wayet	Sidney William	Rev.	Vicar	Vicarage

## Commercial

Surname	Given Names	Title	Industry/Occupation	Place/Parish
Adlam	James		Bee Keeper	
Coles	Cary		Farmer	Manor House
Dean	William Henry		Farmer	Hill Farm
Dyer	Alfred		Blacksmith	
Dyer	Edith Louisa	Mrs.	Schoolmistress	
Elliot	Alice	Miss	Dress Maker	
Eyears	Edward		Carpenter	
Gay	Alice	Mrs.	Farmer	Scotland Farm
Grant	Frank		Carrier & Farmer	
Grant	Louisa	Mrs.	Grocer & Post Office	
Hill	Freeld		Farm Bailiff To Cary	
	Frank		Coles, Esq.	
Lockyer			Publican & Assistant	Bell P.H.
	Hugo James		Overseer	Bell P.H.
West	Frank		Parish Clerk	

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