Kelly's Directory 1848

SEDGHILL, a parish situated 20 miles south west of Salisbury and 3 north of Shaftesbury, bounded on the west by Mere and on the east by Semley, in the Hundred of Dunworth, Union of Mere, diocese of Sarum and Hindon Division; it contains 198 inhabitants and 1,171 acres of corn and pasture land.

John Grove Esq. of Ferne House is lord of the manor.

The church, excepting the tower, was rebuilt in 1844; the latter stands at the west end of the church and contains 3 bells.

The living is a rectory incorporated with Berwick St. Leonard, valued at £374 in the patronage of the Marquis of Westminster.

The Rev. Charles Henry Grove MA is the present incumbent.

There is a Parochial and also an Infant school supported by the Rector.

Letters have to be sent for to Shaftesbury

Gentry/Private Residents/Traders

Surname	Given Name	Industry/Occupation
Hellyer	William	Sedghill House
Bracher	James	Farmer
Bracher	Stephen	Farmer
Bracher	William	Farmer
Grove, Rev	Charles Henry	Rector
Holloway	John	Farmer
Parsons	Stephen	Parish Clerk
Scammell	James	Farmer
Scammell	William	Farmer
Sharp	James	Farmer
Tanswell, Mrs	Lydia	School Mistress