

Station Road and Brooke Street cottages

These cottages are replicas of a pair that still stand on Station Road, Old Hill. Their earliest record dates from 1848, but they could well have been built earlier, in the 1820s. The date of the display for both houses is 1910.

No. 138, also called Middle Cottage, has been fitted out as a domestic dwelling.

The front of No.136, Granny Newton's, has been converted to a shoe repairer's shop, while the back room is set up as the kitchen.

Originally each house consisted of a single room and pantry downstairs with a single bedroom upstairs but they were both extended later on to give an additional bedroom each on the upper floors. Both cottages were occupied by two branches of the Newton family and are typical examples of Black Country worker's housing.