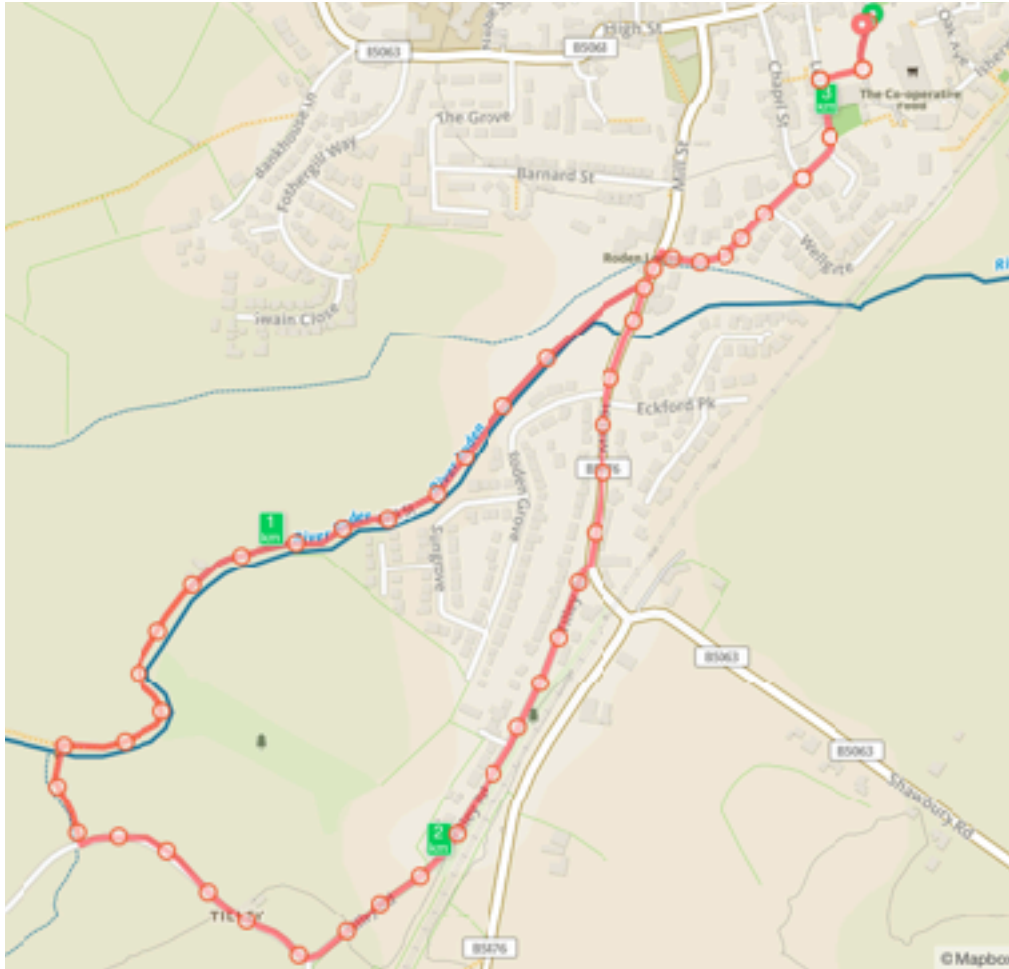


# NORTH SHROPSHIRE STORY WALKS

## TILLEY - 3.1 km

Toilets: Wem Car Park  
Shops and cafes: Various Wem  
Parking: Co-op car park



### Suggested story on walk:

#### Nelly of Wem

Every market day old Nelly would come into Wem town to sell her wares. When the day was over she would go to pubs and spend her money on more than a few drinks.

One evening after doing particularly well at market, Nelly spent more money than usual in the pubs. She was certainly in no fit state to walk home.

Stumbling through the churchyard she found a warm safe place to have a nap.

Some time later... just a minute before midnight, several young men were also passing through the churchyard, with several ales in hand. Sitting down next to a freshly dug grave, they began loudly telling each other scary stories.

As the clock struck 12... the men were met by a horrific sight. Out of the grave, a bony hand started to claw its way out... followed by a sunken gaunt face moaning unintelligibly. Squealing like pigs, the men fled the churchyard, stumbling over each other and didn't stop running until they reached their homes and safely tucked up in their beds.

Back at the churchyard, Nelly pulled herself fully out of the grave and brushed herself down. Chuckling to herself he decided it was now time to go home.