



Church Matters

Alderbury
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On Wednesday last died at Salisbury the Rev. Mr James Forster, domestic Chaplin to the Right Hon. The Earl of Radnor, master of the free grammar-school in that city, Vicar of Britford, Alderbury, Pitton, and Farley, all in that neighbourhood. Britford is in the presentation of the dean and Chapter of Sarum; Alderbury, Pitton, and Farley, in the gift of the Rev. Mr. Francis Dodsworth, of Doddington, near Feversham, Kent, Treasurer of the Cathedral City. **Oxford Journal, Saturday, 3 October 1772**

1788

We are sorry to hear, that the Rev. Mr. Burch, of the Close, was suddenly struck with a violent paralytic stroke, as he was doing the duty of his church, at Alderbury, on Christmas-day, and that he still lies dangerously ill. **Salisbury and Winchester Journal, Monday, 29 December 1788**