



Parish Church News

Alderbury
1800-1849

1811

On Friday the Rev Hugh Stevens, of this city, was inducted, as Proctor to the Rev. E. Dawkins, into the Vicarage of Alderbury cum Pitton and Farley. **Salisbury and Winchester Journal, Monday, 29 April 1811**

1814

The Rev. Hugh Stephens, Vicar of Alderbury, Pitton and Farley, has given a benefaction of twenty guineas, to be distributed among the deserving and distressed inhabitants of the said villages, in addition to other helps, during the severities of the present most trying season. (*Late heavy falls of snow...It has now lain on the ground three weeks... most of the public roads have been absolutely impassable...*) **Salisbury and Winchester Journal, Monday, 24 January 1814**

1832

After the service at Alderbury, on the Fast-day, the sum of four pounds seven shillings and seven pence was collected at the church door. **Salisbury and Winchester Journal, Monday, 2 April 1832**

1839

The Wesleyan chapel at Alderbury, near this city, having been rebuilt, the same was opened for Divine worship on Thursday sen'night, when sermons were preached by the Rev Messrs Knowles and Walker; but, from the wetness of the day, which prevented many persons from attending, the collections after the services were but small. **Salisbury and Winchester Journal, Monday, 4 November 1839**

1843

We hear that the Rev. Newton Smart, M.A., Master of Farley Hospital, is about to be collated by the Lord Bishop of Salisbury, to the Vicarage of Alderbury, with the Chapel of Pitton and Farley, annexed, void by the death of the Rev. Hugh Stevens. **Hampshire Telegraph, 24 April 1843**

1847

Ecclesiastical Intelligence At an Ordination held by the Lord Bishop of Salisbury in the Cathedral Church of Sarum, on Sunday the 19th September inst., the following persons were admitted to Holy Orders:- Deacons Gerard Mann, B.A., Caius College, Cambridge - licensed to the Curacy of Alderbury. **Devizes and Wiltshire Gazette, 23 September 1847**