

Hortícultural Tales Alderbury 1800-1849

1821

An apple measuring 13³/₄ inches in circumference, and weighing 1lb and 1oz has been gathered from a tree belonging to Mrs. Collins, of Alderbury, near this city. The apple is of the sort called the Prophet, and the tree was grafted only three years ago. All the fruit on the tree (about half a sack full) was very large, some nearly the size of the above. **Salisbury and Winchester Journal Monday 22 October 1821**

1825

In the garden of Mr. Doughty, of Alderbury, a barley-corn has produced 95 ears, with 2172 grains. Salisbury and Winchester Journal Monday 19 September 1825

1837

Erratum. In our report, last week, of the proceedings of the West Avon Agricultural Society, it should have been stated that an extra prize, for rice-making, had been adjudged to James Lucas, in the employ of Mr. Herriot, of Alderbury, and not of Mr. Kervil, as there mentioned. **Salisbury and Winchester Journal Monday 16 October 1837**