



CORONERS INQUESTS



Donhead St. Mary

1800-1849

1821

An inquest was on Saturday the 29th ult. held by Mr. Whitmarsh at Donhead St. Mary, on the body of Mr. Robert Foot, who was found drowned in a pond near his own house. It was supposed that the deceased must accidentally have fallen in, as a great portion of the bank on which he had been walking, had given way. Verdict "Accidentally drowned." **Salisbury and Winchester Journal, Monday, 8 October 1821**

1827

Mr. Whitmarsh has held the following inquests during the last week: On Friday, at Donhead St. Mary, on the body of James Coward, who, whilst driving a wagon in the public road in that parish, fell down, when the near fore-wheel pressed so heavily near the body of the deceased as to occasion his death in a few hours. Verdict, "Accidentally killed." **Salisbury and Winchester Journal, 23 April 1827**