



Hankerton

Newspaper Reports relating to Vicars of Holy Cross Church

- 1763** On Friday a dispensation passed the seal to enable the Rev. James Gyles, M.A. of Christchurch College, Oxford, Chaplain to the Earl of Hardwick, to hold the vicarage of Hankerton, worth £260 per annum, void by the death of the Right Hon. and Rev. Lord Viscount Irwyn, to which he was lately presented; with the rectory of Crudwell, both in this County and diocese.

(OPC Note---The Rev Lord Viscount Irwyn mentioned, was George Ingram)

Salisbury and Winchester Journal Monday 17 October 1763

- 1827** The King has granted unto William Lyde Wiggett, of the Middle Temple, London, Esq. 2d son of the Rev James Wiggett, Vicar of Crudwell and Rector of Hankerton, both in the county of Wilts, His Royal licence and authority, that he, the said William Lyde Wiggett, and his issue may (in compliance with a condition contained in the last will of his cousin, the Rev Thomas Vere Chute, late of South Pickenham, Norfolk,) take and use the surname of Chute, in addition to that of Wiggett, and that he and they may bear the arms of Chute quarterly.

(OPC Note--- I believe "Vicar of Crudwell and Rector of Hankerton" should have read "Rector of Crudwell and Vicar of Hankerton")

The London Gazette Friday 02 March 1827

- 1839** On Tuesday the 16th instant, the Rev William Maskelyne, M.A., Domestic Chaplain to the Right Hon. Earl de Grey, was instituted to the vicarage of Hankerton, on his own petition as rector of Crudwell.

Sherbourne Mercury Monday 29 July 1839

- 1862** On the 26th inst., at the parish church, St Mary's, South Hayling, by the Rev G Staunton Simcocks, vicar of Hankerton, assisted by the Rev C Hardy, vicar of Hayling, Captain J G Sandeman, late of the 1st Royal Dragoons, eldest son of G G Sandeman, esq., of Hyde Park Gardens, and Westfield Hayling, to Eliza Victoire Cormick, eldest daughter of the late Captain Henry Cormick Lynch, of Leigh Park, Havant

Morning Post Friday 29 August 1862

- 1865** Married May 4, at St Luke's Church, Cheltenham, by the Rev Geo Roberts, assisted by the Rev W J Buckland, vicar of Hankerton, Wilts, John, son of the late J Bubb, esq., of Lansdown Villas, to Ellen, only child of Geo N Dangerfield, esq., of Moreton House.

Bath Chronicle and Western Gazette Thursday 11 May 1865

- 1890** The Rev G S Simcockes, of Bath, has just died in London from the effects of a fall downstairs. The rev gentleman, who was well known as a powerful reciter, was an old member of the Athenaeum Club, London, was a graduate of Trinity College, Cambridge, and

took his degree in 1844. In 1849 he was ordained by the Bishop of Rochester, his first curacy being Birdbrook, Essex. He was vicar of Hankerton, Wilts, from 1855 to 1864, and chaplain to the Bishop of Moray and Ross 1867-69. For the last few years he had resided in Bath.

Taunton Courier and Western Advertiser Wednesday 9 July 1890

1910 The Rev H K Knight-Adkin, B.A., Vicar of Hankerton, Malmesbury, and late of Cheltenham, has accepted the Rectorship of Horfield, Bristol.

Cheltenham Looker-On Saturday 9 April 1910

The Rev G L Hankey, curate of St Aidan, Leeds, has been appointed to the vicarage of Hankerton, Malmesbury.

Bath Chronicle and Weekly Gazette Thursday 12 May 1910