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- 1872 Vacant Living. The rectory of Ludgershall, Wilts, in the diocese of Salisbury, worth £427 a year, and in the patronage of Sir S Graham, Bart., has become vacant by the death of the Rev J Pannell; population 595. (via Salisbury Journal May 25)  
Hampshire Advertiser 25 May 1872
- 1876 Castle Farm, Ludgershall, on the 23<sup>rd</sup> Inst.  
This sale brought together a very large and highly respectable concourse of agriculturists and others. The sale commenced with the dead stock, which was not of a very moderate character, although with the persuasive powers of the young auctioneers, every lot sold, when the company, between two and three hundred, adjourned to a large marquee to partake of a most excellent luncheon provided by Mr Weeks. The chair was taken by Mr J P Fowler, of Kimpton. The luncheon being over, Mr Ellen led the way to the sale ground, when the auction was resumed with a flock of sheep which were of a very useful character, and only in common stock order.
- The Wherwell sheep fair being held on the following Monday, purchasers were doubtful how the trade may be; consequently the dealers were not conspicuous amongst the list of purchasers. All the two-tooths were secured by Mr Galpin, averaging upwards of 18s; four-tooths as high as 52s; six-tooths and full-mouths reached 59s; at which price Mr Rawlins was the fortunate purchaser. Ewe lambs not in good condition, and the same remark applies as the Northington Sale, did not bring high prices, 37s being the top. The one hundred ewe lambs belonging to Mr Piper were sold in one lot and brought 40s.
- The great attraction of the day was the sale of the stable of horses, which was considered to be, without doubt, the best that has been offered this season in the neighbourhood, reaching 61, 62, 66, 70 and 77, and even as high as 92 guineas. The sale as usual brought to a close with the horned cattle, swine and poultry, which elicited the most spirited competition, every lot being disposed of, and the sale brought to a close soon after five.  
Hampshire Advertiser 30 September 1876
- 1885 Situations Wanted  
Staid single man wanted immediately, to milk about 9 cows. Must understand the weaning of calves. Also to attend to pigs and do general farm work. Apply T at Mr Berry's Ludgershall, Andover, Hants  
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- Gamekeeper wants situation, single-handed or beat to himself. Single age 30. Well up in hand-rearing, management of dogs, destroying vermin, and all the duties of a keeper. Good character. Address A Evans, Gamekeeper, Ludgershall, Andover, Hants.  
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- 1887 Pewsey Petty Sessions  
Henry Hunt, of Ludgershall, was summoned for the non-payment of one poor rate. The Bench directed a distress warrant to be issued.  
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- 1888 Pewsey Petty Sessions  
Renewal of Licenses: Martha Weeks of the Prince of Wales, Ludgershall, as executrix of her late husband, Stephen Weeks.  
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- Everley Petty Sessions  
Alfred Blackmore summoned Thomas Spicer for stealing cabbage at Ludgershall. Fined 20s and 8s costs, or three weeks' imprisonment.  
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