



CORONERS INQUESTS



Susan Stevens

An inquest was held by Mr. Wilson at the Salisbury Infirmary on Friday last on the body of Susan Stevens, the wife of a shepherd at Hanging Langford, in this county, who was so dreadfully burnt by her clothes accidentally taking fire whilst peeling potatoes by her fireside, that she only survived a few hours.

At her own urgent wish she was brought to the Infirmary, but expired four hours afterwards. She has left five young children.

Verdict, "Accidental death."

Salisbury and Winchester Journal, Saturday, 8 March 1845