

CORONERS INQUESTS



Kingsdown, Stratton St. Margaret Inquest Reports 1850-1899

1850

Inquests Taken Before Mr. Whitmarsh. At Kingsdown, in the parish of Stratton St. Margaret, on new-born male child of Mrs. Burridge, who on awakening in the morning, found her infant dead by her side. Verdict - Accidental overlain. Devizes & Wiltshire Gazette, 26 September 1850

1864

Inquests Taken Before Mr. Whitmarsh. At Kingsdown, in the parish of Stratton St. Margaret, on the body of James Fowler, carter, 52 years of age. Deceased came home in the evening from his employment, took his supper, and retired to rest without complaining. As he did not arise the next morning so early as usual, his sister-in-law, at whose house he lodged, went to his door at six o'clock and called him, but having no answer she went into his room and found him dead in bed. It appearing, that the cause of death was from disease of the heart, a verdict was returned accordingly. **Devizes & Wiltshire Gazette, 18 February 1864**