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Dear Peter,

Just a hurried letter to say that I took the bus last Wednesday to do some work in the Salisbury Diocesan Record office for a DFHS member who had helped me, & in the process of looking through the Bishop's Transcripts I found a couple of Whitlock marriages. I don't know if they will tie in with any of your Whitlocks or not - but I thought they'd be worth sending.

NETHERBURY (DORSET)

Marriage Sept 18 1716

Benjamin Whitlox and Mary Abbott

Dec 28 1716 Richard ^{Whitlox} ~~Whitlox~~ & Esther Travers

Netherbury is near Beaminster, Dorset so it's all in the Wiltshire & Devon areas;

Salisbury was crowded with tourists doing the city & the cathedral - it's

a marvellously historical place as you probably know - it gives one a new think & relook at it all with different eyes at times. My husband met me at Marlborough & took me out to dinner to a village pub at Oxford - so I had a rather enjoyable day - except that it poured all day (a typical English summer day!)

Yours sincerely

Jean

Aug 19th

P.S. I hadn't posted this letter off as I was going up to the Local History Room & I never know what I'll find in my searches and I found a Whitlock & Elston reference today, so am enclosing it for you - it may come in handy at sometime.

~~Jean~~