

Taken from James Roe Rector of Derby
from History of Derby by
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James Roe, M.A. Brasenose
College, Oxford, instituted
January 31st 1494, by presentation
of King George 3rd, He was son of
Rev James Roe of Macclesfield
co. Chester, and matriculated
at Oxford 1444, age 18. Took his
degree as B. A. 1481. and M. A. in
1493. His father who had
been Member of Parley
in Cheshire was appointed
Minister of Macclesfield
in 1456. and held both livings
till his death 1765. He was
of St John's College Cambridge
The son James afterwards
of Derby was baptised
at Macclesfield 1458. His
mother was Elizabeth
Harper of Macclesfield
and his parents were married
at Sutton near Macclesfield
1453. James Roe (your
great great grandfather)

Parson

The father of the Rev. Dr. Row
was son of the Rev. Thomas Row,
Vicar of Castleton co Derby.
Christ Church, Macclesfield
was erected in 1775, at the
sole cost of Charles
Row Esqr., uncle of Rector
Hesbury, who endowed
it with £100 per annum
for the minister. Mr. Row
who was a wealthy
~~merchant~~ manufacturer
at Macclesfield, died 1781;
and on the south side of
the chancel of Christ Church
Macclesfield, in that town,
there is a handsome
monument, by Bacon,
erected to the memory
of Mr. Charles Row the
founder of the church.
The monument is ornamented
with devices emblematic
of his mathematical

genius, and bears a
inscription commemorative
of his acquaintance with
the mineral strata of
the county, of his having
discovered the valuable
mine in the Isle of Anglesey,
and established the copper
works in the neighbourhood
of Macclesfield.

The Rev^d Jones was called "Parson
Pye" died July 9th 1838 aged 80
and was the last Rector of
Newbury constituted by a Bishop
of Salisbury. At the time
Rev^d Pye was presented to the
living of Burcester + Othon
(near Throfford & Wallingford)
and he retained this
appointment until his
death - for the long period 53 years.
In 1866 restoration of Newbury
Church a faculty was obtained
to remove tombs, (poffins) in church

Person Boe's being one of them
 Mr. Davis thinks we should find had
 been removed to outside church
 just under East window.

Capt the Hon G. S. Roe P. P.
 Surveyor-General of Western
 Australia, son of the Rev James
 Roe Rector of Herbury. He died
 in May 1848, aged 81, and as a
 mark of the appreciation in which
 he was held by his brother
 Colonists, the Governor-General
 directed that his remains should
 be honoured by a ~~public~~ public
 funeral, he was buried in
 Perth Cemetery, Australia.

Another son of the Rev James Roe
 Herbury, was a ~~book~~
 his shop on —
 The Bridge where you
 looked at the water from
 in Herbury.