

# Research our canal history

IF G Scott had bothered to research the history of the Wilts & Berks Canal he would have found out the reason why the canal failed.

The canal had water problems due to the Stanley Aqueduct collapsing. A 4ft sq section simply collapsed out of the roof of one of the arches which acted like a bath plug and the water just ran out, leaving the canal above Lacock high and dry.

Go to the Wilts & Berks Canal Trust website at [wbct.org.uk](http://wbct.org.uk), and learn the history of the canal and what we, the trust volunteers, are doing to reopen it.

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