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1700-1799

1737 County Assizes

Rich. Small, of Tisbury, a lad about 17 years old, was indicted for a rape committed on the body of Mary Chiverell of Hindon, a child of about four years old, whom he used in a barbarous and cruel manner, was convicted only of a misdemeanour, and fined one shilling; to be discharged.
Derby Mercury Wednesday 23 March 1737

1738 Wanted Immediately

For the Workhouse of the parish of Tisbury, a Master and Mistress. The Churchwardens and Overseers being desirous and giving every encouragement to real merit and industry, expect that such persons, who may be inclined to offer their services, bring with them exceptional integrity and diligence.
Salisbury & Winchester Journal January 27 1738

1762 Stolen or Strayed

The 14th of September Inst. from James Alford, of Tisbury, in the County of Wiltshire, Farmer. Two riding mares, each about fourteen hands and an inch high; one all black, a close, set, well moulded mare; the other a dark brown, somewhat lighter grown, with a large star in her forehead, four feet which fetlock high, and a cut nick tail. Whoever will give intelligence of the aforesaid mares, so that they may be had again, to the person above mentioned, shall receive a very handsome reward, and all reasonable charges allowed.
Salisbury Journal, 20 September 1762

1783 Committed to Fisherton Gaol

On Tuesday last was committed to Fisherton gaol, Daniel Bell, charged with stealing fowls and various articles in iron, the property of Mrs Alford of Tisbury in the county.
Salisbury & Winchester Journal January 20 1783

1788 To be Sold

By auction at the Boot Inn in the parish of Tisbury on Friday the 13th day of this instant April, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, an estate called Brookman's situate at Tisbury aforesaid, consisting of two dwelling houses, orchard and garden, and above 19 acres of land, held under the Right Hon Lord Arundell for three young lives. For particulars apply to Mr South of Donhead.
Salisbury & Winchester Journal April 14 1788

1796 Drowned

Two brothers were lately drowned at Tisbury, Wiltshire, in the following manner: they were the sons of a poor man of the name of Odbury, in Tisbury, and one of them had been confined some time on account of his being disordered in his senses: the father at length thinking him better, set him at liberty, when he ran out of the house, and threw himself into the river Nadder, which runs near it.

The father, jumping in to save his son, was near drowning, when his other son, a young man aged twenty-two, ran to his father's assistance, but jumping in too precipitately, was the first drowned. Two men at a distance saw the transaction, and came to the spot just in time to save the father, who was with difficulty prevented from jumping in again to share the fate of his sons.

Salisbury & Winchester Journal May 14 1796

Notice is Hereby Given

That the stock of the Whit-Monday's Society at Tisbury will be divided between the Members, at the Boot Inn, on Tuesday the 13th day of August next, where each member will be expected to attend in person, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

Salisbury & Winchester Journal Monday 29 July 1799

Guilty of Injurious Words

Whereas I John Turner have been guilty of speaking words injurious to the character of Rachel, wife of Henry Spencer; I do hereby declare and publicly ask pardon for the same and that, whatever I have said, I never knew nor had reason to suspect any thing in any way injurious to the character of the said Rachel; as witness my hand, this 23rd day of August 1799. John Turner. Witness Wm Phillips.

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