

Crime Reports

Burbage *1700-1799*



1771

At the Quarter Sessions of the Peace for this county holden this week at Devizes, John Hillier, for stealing a silver pepper box from Mr. Edgerly of Burbage, and Walter Gastrell, for stealing a pair of spurs and a pair of sugar cutters from Mr. Reeves, of Malmesbury, were found guilty, and sentenced to be publically whipped; the former in this town, and the latter in Devizes. **Marlborough Journal, Saturday 13 April 1771**