



The Royal Oak, where Frederick Shergold was Landlord

Nuisance on the Highway

Mr. Frederick Shergold, innkeeper of Wishford, was summoned by Edward Whinnerah, surveyor to the highway board for the Salisbury district, for allowing the refuse from his brewery to flow across the road.

Mr. Whinnerah said the nuisance was offensive to the public. He had spoken to defendant about it three times, and he had promised to remedy it. The Bench imposed a penalty of 20s. and costs, or in default, 21 days' imprisonment. In taking these proceedings, it was stated that the Highway Board wished it to act as a caution to other persons in this district.

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