

# *Crime Reports*

*Melksham*

*1700-1799*



**1789**

Committed to Fisherton Gaol by Lord William Seymour. John Poulsum, of Melksham, labourer, for breaking open a house, and stealing one cloth coat, the property of John Fillis of Melksham, cloth worker; also for stealing a shirt, pair of stockings, and some bread and butter, the property of John Ruddle.

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