



Crime and Punishment

Minety

Court Case

Walter Titcumb

On Saturday, Walter Titcumb, of Minety, was brought up in custody before T Luce, Esq., and was charged with stealing a hive of bees, the property of his master, Mr Charles Brown, on the 29th March.

The prosecutor having stated the circumstances under which the hive was taken (and which it would appear from his statement was done for a “lark” by one of the villagers), applied for a release of the prisoner, as he believed him to be wholly innocent of the affair, and expressed his determination to offer a reward for the detection of the actual offender.

The prisoner was discharged accordingly.

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