



Crime and Punishment

Oaksey

Court Case

Grace Anslow Sole

Tuesday, before Sir R H Pollen (chairman), Col W W Turner, and Mr C J H Pollen.

Grace Anslow Sole, widow, of Oaksey, was summoned by Joseph William Haine, excise officer for the Tetbury district, for neglecting to take out a licence in respect of a male servant on March 10th.

Mr Haine deposed to Mrs Sole occupying premises, which included a large kitchen garden, with greenhouse, lawn, stabling etc, and on March 10th he saw working on the premises a male servant. The defendant kept a horse and trap, and witness saw no other employee on the place.

Mrs Sole told him the servant was an old one; she paid him no wages, and his duties were nominal.

The bench fined defendant £2, to include costs.

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