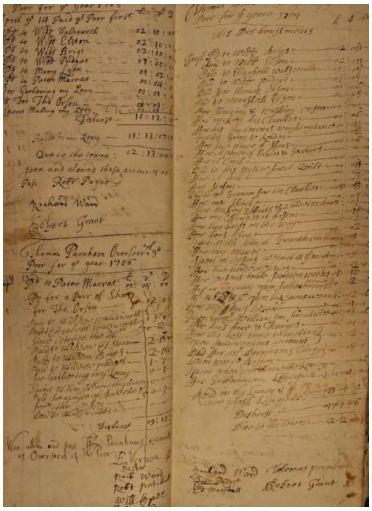

Embezzlement Charges

Wiltshire Quarter Sessions

The Quarter Session for Wiltshire was held at Warminster, yesterday, before Lord Bath (chairman) and other magistrates.

Several hours were occupied in hearing the charge against Charles William Cook, assistant overseer, of Avebury, for embezzling a sum of £23 12s. 6d. whilst employed as assistant overseer for the parish of Avebury. Mr. T. H. Parr appeared to prosecute, and it was shown that accused had collected various sums of money from ratepayers, but had neglected to pay them into the bank as he should have done. Prisoner received six months in the second division.

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