

# Crime and Punishment

## ***Baverstock***



### Penalty - Fine Incurred for Crimes Committed

The following offenders were given a fine in lieu of prison for their criminal offences.

| <b>Surname</b> | <b>Given Names</b> | <b>Crime</b>  | <b>Newspaper report</b>                                      |
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| Rowden<br>(?)  | Thomas             | A labourer of Steeple Langford, was summoned for using a wire to take a hare at Baverstock on the 21 <sup>st</sup> ult.<br>Fined - 50s. including costs or 6 weeks imprisonment.<br><i>Outcome:</i> The fine was not paid.                      | <i>Salisbury and Winchester Journal</i><br>5 October, 1850   |
| Targett        | William            | Charged with trespassing in pursuit of conies, on lands belonging to the Earl of Pembroke, at Baverstock, on the 23 <sup>rd</sup> inst.<br>Fined – 10s. and expenses (in default 21 days imprisonment)  | <i>Salisbury and Winchester Journal</i><br>1 November, 1851  |
| Stevens        | James              | Charged with using a gin to take a pheasant in the parish of Baverstock, on the 8 <sup>th</sup> inst. The case was proved – defendant had been twice previously convicted.<br>Fined – 5 £. and costs (and in default 2 months imprisonment)     | <i>Salisbury and Winchester Journal</i><br>24 January, 1852  |
| Lever          | James & Daniel     | Along with George Pretty, charged with trespassing in pursuit of game, on land in the occupation of Mr Herbert Smith, at Baverstock, on Sunday Nov. 9. Case proved.<br>Fined 40s. each and costs. (or in default, 2 months imprisonment)        | <i>Salisbury and Winchester Journal</i><br>22 November, 1856 |
| Pretty         | George             | Along with James & Daniel Lever, charged with trespassing in pursuit of game, on land in the occupation of Mr Herbert Smith, at Baverstock, on Sunday Nov. 9. Case proved.<br>Fined 40s. each and costs. (or in default, 2 months imprisonment) | <i>Salisbury and Winchester Journal</i><br>22 November, 1856 |
| Viney          | Samuel             | Game Law Offence – for using a gin to take hares on land belonging to C. Penruddocke, Esq., at Baverstock.<br>Fined – 10s. and costs.   | <i>Salisbury and Winchester Journal</i><br>15 June, 1861     |

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| Read           | James              | Charged with stealing turnips, the property of Mr H. Smith, from a field at Baverstock.<br>Fined – 5s. and costs.                           | <i>Salisbury and Winchester Journal</i><br>21 September, 1861 |
| Hibberd        | William & Job      | Father & son labourers from Barford St. Martin, summoned for using a wire to take a hare at Baverstock.<br>Fined – 10s. each and the costs. | <i>Salisbury and Winchester Journal</i><br>22 April, 1871     |

### Other Consequences for Crimes Committed

| <b>Surname</b> | <b>Given Names</b> | <b>Crime</b>   | <b>Newspaper report</b>                                 |
|----------------|--------------------|--|---|
|                |                    | Eight persons pleaded guilty to an assault arising out of a disputed watercourse at Baverstock and entered into their own recognizances to keep the peace. | <i>Salisbury and Winchester Journal</i><br>1 July, 1843 |