



Inquest Report on George Body

INQUEST TAKEN BEFORE MR. WHITMARSH

At Grittleton, on the body of George Body, 14 years of age. Deceased had been at work in a quarry with others, and left the spot about half an hour, when upon their finding that he did not return, search was made for him, and he was found to have fallen from the top of the quarry into the bottom a short distance off. He was taken up insensible, and received immediately the assistance of Mr. Spence, surgeon of Castle Combe, but he expired in the evening of the same day from the injuries he sustained. Verdict – Accidentally killed.

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