

Stolen Puppy

From Chute, near Ludgershall Wilts, on the 20th November a large black puppy dog of the mongrel kind, between three and four months old, one part of his head white and the other black, with a mouse-coloured spot above his right eye, part of one of his ears white, the top of his tail cut off, both fore legs white, the hind legs of a mouse colour, and white feet, and answers to the name of Lion.

And whereas there is great reason to suspect that Thomas Rawlins of Collingbourne stole him, as both were missed at the same time; whoever will discover the person who stole him, or give notice where he is, so that he may be had again, shall receive Half a Guinea reward. William Rose.

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