



CORONERS INQUESTS



William Taylor

Mr. Whitmarsh held an inquest on Monday last at Ludgershall, on the body of William Taylor, 47 years of age.

Deceased was on the previous Saturday afternoon returning from Burbage, with a waggon load of coal, riding on the fore part of the waggon. Within half a mile of Ludgershall, a gentleman came behind on horseback; and the deceased, with the view of allowing him more room to pass, gave his horses a slight cut to draw in, when they immediately started off in a trot.

In endeavouring to get down to stop them, he fell; and the wheels passing over his body, killed him on the spot.

Verdict Accidental. Deodand 1s.

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