



CORONERS INQUESTS



Inquest Report on Richard Brennard

Suicide of Richard Brennard

An inquest was held by Mr. Whitmarsh on Saturday the 3rd inst., at Mere upon the body of Richard Brennard, who was discovered suspended from a beam in Mr. Jupp's factory at Mere. It appeared that the wretched man, previously to hanging himself had cut himself, his head being nearly severed from his body.

Various proofs of the mental derangement of the deceased being adduced before the jury, a verdict of his insanity was accordingly returned by them.

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