



Suicides *1700-1999*

1787

Wednesday was found hanging in a stable at the Catherine Wheel Inn, Milford Street, a lad of about 13 years old. Medical aid was immediately procured, but too late to restore him to life. The deceased had been employed in menial offices of the house and reprimanded by the cook for neglecting his business, whereupon he conceived and executed the fatal project of putting a period to his existence.
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