



# CORONERS INQUESTS



## **Inquest on John White**

On Monday last, a carter, named John White, who had been nearly twenty years in the service of the family of Mr Martin, of Odstock, near this city, fell backwards from a horse, on which he was riding sideways, while driving loaded wagon, and a wheel passing over his body, killed him on the spot. It is be hoped that this fatal accident will operate as a caution to carters, among whom this dangerous mode of driving too prevalent. White was a very honest and sober man. Mr Whitmarsh held an inquest on his body, and verdict of accidentally killed was returned.

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