



Jacob's Ladder Public House

Pickpocketing Charge

Wilts Assizes at Salisbury

Nisi Prius Court - Tuesday before Sir William Bolland

James Titchener, 27, and George Naish, 21, were found guilty of having, on the evening of the 24th of February, stolen from the person of John Barrett, a canvass purse, containing between £4 and £5. The robbery took place at a public-house, called the Jacob's Ladder, at Stratton St. Margaret, where the prisoners were seen to put their hands into the pockets of the prosecutor, who was tipsy at the time.

Seven years transportation.

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