



## Crime Reports

### Swindon

1800-1849

#### 1828

James Blizzard, of Box, George Smith and Stephen Wootton, both of Corsham, Young Choules, of Swindon, and William Trowbridge, of Alderbury, all for three months each, for breaches of the game laws; John Mason, of Little Bedwyn, for four months for destroying fish, the property of E. W. L. Popham esq at Chilton Foliatt. **Bath Chronicle and Weekly Gazette, Thursday, 31 January 1828**

#### 1830

William Day of Stratton St. Margaret, and J. Garlick of the parish of Swindon, were on Thursday last, convicted before the Magistrates of Swindon, in penalties and costs of £1 1s. 6d. each for going over certain lands and grounds, not being a public highway, for the purpose of defrauding the Rushey Platt Turnpike toll gate. **Devizes and Wiltshire Gazette, 15 July 1830**

#### 1833

Committed to Fisherton Gaol. Thomas Edmonds with having committed an abominable crime at Swindon. **Bath Chronicle & Weekly Gazette, 21 November 1833**

Committed to the House of Correction, Devizes William Harding, for three months, for vagrancy in the parish of Swindon. **Bath Chronicle & Weekly Gazette, 21 November 1833**

#### 1838

Committed to the New Prison, Devizes Cornelius Watkin, for three weeks, for a misdemeanor in the Union Workhouse, at Swindon. **Wiltshire Independent, Thursday, 22 February 1838**

#### 1843

Wilts Epiphany Sessions Thomas Carter, charged with having stolen a piece of beef, the property of Robert Blackford, at Swindon. Guilty: 3 months imprisonment. **Wiltshire Independent, 12 January 1843**

#### 1846

Wilts Easter Sessions Sentences of the Prisoners Imprisonment, with hard labour - 12 months: Mary Pearce, stealing a watch at Swindon; 3 months - Richard Wells, stealing brass at Swindon **Devizes & Wiltshire Gazette, Thursday, 16 April 1846**

#### 1847

William Wiltshire, thrice tried, to be imprisoned one month for stealing a quantity of brass, the property of Robert Buddulph and Lionel Walter, esqrs., at Slaughterford, one month for stealing brass, the property of Thomas Wiltshire, at Slaughterford, and to be transported for seven years, for stealing gun-metal, the property of the Great Western Railway Company, at Swindon. **Devizes and Wiltshire Gazette, Thursday, 28 October 1847**