

Charles Blow

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NEWPORT

CORONER'S INQUEST. – On Monday afternoon E.F. Blake, Esq., the Deputy Coroner for the Isle of Wight, held an inquest at the Blacksmith's Arms, near Carisbrooke, on the body of Charles Blow, aged 27 years, a carter to Mr. Rice of Pole Close Farm. From the evidence of several witnesses, it appeared that the deceased was proceeding along the Forest-road in charge of a wagon drawn by two horses. Deceased was sitting on the wagon, when the horses started and he jumped down and laid hold of the leading animal, when he was knocked down and run over. Two men who saw the accident placed him in the wagon and conveyed him to Pole Close Farm. – Dr. Coombs said he was sent for to see the deceased, and found that all his ribs were broken and penetrated the lungs. He died the same evening. – The jury found a verdict of "Accidental death."

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