

COUNTY PETTY SESSIONS Monday.

William ILES, of Stratton Green, was charged with stealing a side of bacon, value £2, the property of Messrs A. and E. Haynes, of Stratton St. Margaret, on Sept 14th. – Prisoner pleaded guilty, - Joseph Tegg, butcher, of Stratton St Margaret, employed in Messrs Haye's Bacon Factory, said that on going to the factory on Sunday morning he observed that certain things had been disturbed. He informed Mr Haynes and returning to the premises noticed that a window had been broken and a side of bacon taken away. – Mr Haynes said that he traced a trail of salt over the fields across the railway lines to lles' house. – P.C. Bullock said that when he went to the prisoner's house, he found a side of bacon cut into three portions. When witness told him, he should arrest him he said he had it given to him. – Prisoner was committed to gaol for one month, with hard labour.

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