



Accident & Recovery

Wishford Accident

On Monday a boy, named Vernon Crouch, aged 7 years, met with an accident whilst swinging on a tree. He fell off the limb and fractured his left leg. He was admitted to the Infirmary, where he is doing well.

Salisbury Times, Friday, 4 August 1899

OPC Note:

Vernon made a good recovery, and was reported in 1902 to have won a three-legged race at the Coronation Celebration!

“Three-legged race in boys: 1. H. Diaper and Vernon Crouch;”

Salisbury Times, Friday, 18 July 1902