

Glamorgan Quarter Sessions (G.R.O.)

Volume 1

1731

Presentation – the several persons undernamed for selling ale, gingerbread and cakes in or near the churchyard of Peterston super Montem on the Lords Day commonly called Sunday being the 4<sup>th</sup> day of July 1731;

John Morris of Cowbridge

Richard William of The same

Thomas Robert of the same

Wenllian the wife of John Rytherch of the same,

Etc

Thomas Rosser of Ystradowen

David John of Penlline all ale drapers

(and Joan Oats of Cowb, gingerbread and cake seller)

January 1736

Indictment v Edward Seys otherwise Hierwick otherwise Lewelin late of Cowbridge, barber for an assault v Thos Morgan, and assault v David John saddler

April 1737

Presentment of Thos William of C, labourer, for keeping a common tippling house without a licence (Gone out of the country, not to be found)

April QS1740

Indict. Richard David of C, cordwainer, assault on Wm Davies

July QS 1742

Presentment, Robt Clement of C cordwainer, assault on Thos Morgan

Easter QS 1743

Presentment of inhabs of psh of Llanblethian for not filling up a quarry on LH of road from C to Llysworney near TylyRosser....

Epiphany QS 1743

Indictment v John David of C saddler and Scudamore Morgan of C, victualler, assault on Jenkin Morgan

Easter QS 1744

Ind v Thos Morgan of C blacksmith for assault on Catherine the wife of Evan Thomas with intent to ravish her

January 1747

V Lodowick Wilkin of Llb and Mary his wife and Anne Wilkin of the same for assaulting David Richard Cordwainer

V Dd Richard of Llb cordwainer for assault on Mary wife of Lodowick Wilkin

Oct 1748

V Anne Miles of C, spr, for taking 1 duck and 1 drake, ppty of Henry Pearson

V Anne Miles, for taking 2 ducks and 1 hen, ppty of William Harry, blacksmith July

1753 Indictment v James Galher of C, peruke maker, assault on Thos David

Sept 1751 Ind v Jos Butler of Llanblethian, labourer, assault on Edward Rees

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## Volume 2

Michaelmas 1766

Ind v William Juckx of C, assault on Thos David

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Epiphany 1767

Ind v Margaret Stradling of C, widow, for disturbing Catherine Williams in a certain kitchen which she was possessed of, part of a dw ho sit in C, and continuing there for a space of 1 hour

From Easter 1767 (unclear dates, but 1770 and 1781 in margin) Jn Jenkins carpenter, Jn Tanner perriwigmaker, David Richard cordwainer, Jn David glazier and Thos Richard victualler, all of Cowbridge, for forcible entry into the dwelling house of Leyson Morgan at Cadoxton nr Neath (Jn Jenkins and David Richard crossed out).

Also - Mgt, wife of John David, late of C., for stealing one gilded earthenware teapot, one enamelled earthen basin and one enamelled earthen cream pot, value 10? pence, belonging to David ?Beynon.

1770/1796 Henry Hayes, late of Llb miller, for forestalling the Market of Cowbridge - Jn Tanner prosecuting.

## Volume 3

Epiphany 1777 Wm Ovens of C. currier for assaulting Wm George of Bridgend. Hannah, wife of David William, otherwise David, of Llb parish, for stealing one canvas bag, value 2d, property of David Hugh - found not guilty

Epiphany 1779 Richard Picton Turberville, otherwise Richard Turberville Picton, late of C. for assaulting Thos Harris gent. - pleaded guilty

July 1782 Thos Williams of C. gent for assaulting Thos ? of Cowbridge

Michaelmas 1782 Thos William of C. gent for an assault on Wm Robert (discharged)

July 1789 Phillip Thomas, late of Llb parish, labourer for stealing 7 mahogany planks belonging to Hezekiah Hopkins at St Mary in Cardiff on 1st April - plea not guilty, found guilty and sentenced to be transported to Africa for 7 years.

Epiphany 1785 Thos Edward late of Llb, labourer, for stealing one cord of cordwood belonging to James Harford, John Partridge the elder, Richard James, Philip Crocker, Truman? Harford, Jn Partridge the younger and Thos Pritchard ironmaster at Llb - found guilty and sentenced to be whipped

Epiphany 1787 Benjamin Thomas of C. shopkeeper for an assault on Robert Lougher - dead (ie presumably B.T.)

## Volume 4

July 1789 Hester Thomas, late of psh of Llb, spr, for feloniously stealing 1 drab greatcoat of the goods and chattels of Thos David (acquitted)

Michaelmas 1789 Ind v Wm Meredith of C, yeoman, (re John Bevan, Esq) - 2pp (Pp64-5) Thomas Lewis and Thos Williams also mentioned

Easter 1792 (541) Christopher Bradley of C, innkeeper, Edward Marment of Newton Nottage, innkeeper, Thos Thomas of Pyle and Kenfig, carpenter, Morgan William, do. labourer, for a forcible entry into house of William baker innkeeper in Cowbridge, 30/3/1792

Epiphany 1793 (583) Rowland William of C, innkeeper, for assaulting George William at Cowbridge

Michaelmas 1793 (613) Edward Thomas of C, victualler for not repairing road opposite dw ho of Edward Thomas commonly called and known by sign of the Half Moon - 6yds 1ft, in breadth 4 yds

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- (614)Rowland william, victualler, for not repairing road in front of  
White Hart, 14yds 2ft x 4yds
- (615)Joseph Kayes, shoemaker....14yds 2ft x 4yds
- Epiphany 1795 (668)Wm Abraham, Robert Thomas, Wm Day and Edward Robert,  
constables of C, for neglecting to convey Richard Richard to Bridewell under warrant  
of John Bevan Esq and Wm Williams clerk
- Easter 1795 (672)John Thomas of C, labourer, assault on Mary Jenkins at Llb on  
10/4/1795
- July 1795 (675)Gwenlian Griffith wife od David als Lewis Griffith of Llb, lab,  
for assaulting Mary Jenkins at Llb 7/5/1795
- (676)Anne Hitchcock wife of Jas Hitchcock of Llb, lab, for assaulting  
Mary Jenkins at Llb, 7/5/1795
- Michaelmas 1796 (725)Wm Bowen of C, lab, and Wm Davies of Llancarfan for stealing  
at Llb 2 hogs, 2 boars, 1 sow, ppty of Thos Wms
- Easter 1800 (833)Morgan Morgan of Llb, lab, for stealing 10 ½ feet of square ash  
timber, 1 piece of ash timber value 1/- of John Francis Gwyn at Llansannor (Guilty:  
imprisoned 6 weeks and whipped once at Cowbridge on a market day)
- Michaelmas 1801 (885)Hannah David of C for stealing a quantity of corn value 3d, wheat  
3d, barley 3d of Christopher Bradley in Llb.
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## Volume 5

- Easter 1802 - mention of a pump nr. the Bear Inn  
October 1805 Edward Rowland, carpenter, late of Llb parish, for an assault on Jenkin Rees of Llb.  
October 1808 John Barton late of C., shoemaker for assault on Evan Meredith, tailor at Cowbridge  
1810 Various "evil disposed persons" including Wm Meredith late of C., yeoman did with force and arms at the parish of Newton Nottage unlawfully and injuriously enter a dwelling house of Evan Simmons and remove him, causing him great damage.  
April 1811 Henry Verity of C. yeo, for an assault on Richard Ottley of Cowbridge  
Jan 1812 David Thomas of the parish of St Mary Hill for an assault on John Rees of C.

## Volume 6

- Epiphany 1819 (1485) Josiah Deere of C, gent, assault on John Jenkins at Coity, 13/11/1818  
Easter 1819 (1494) John Thomas of Llb - stealing 1 cock fowl value 6d, 4 hens 6d, 4 fowls 6d, 4 chickens 6d 4 capons 6d 4 pullets 6d, of Edward Perkins at Llantrithyd 4/3/1819 (convicted)  
(1495) John Thomas of Llb - stealing 1 cock fowl, 6d, 6 hens 6d, 6 fowls 6d, 6 chickens 6d, 6 capons 6d, 6 pullets 6d, of Christopher Morgan at Llantrithyd 1/2/1819 (acquitted)  
Epiphany 1824 (1659) Juan Baptiste Buzette of Neath - stealing 1 brown woollen cloth coat value 1/- of Samuel Jones at Cowbridge 7/11/1824  
Easter 1824 (1679) Elizabeth David of C, spr, stealing 1 linen pillow case value 3d and 1 woollen blanket, 6d, from Elizabeth Bradley at C, 1/3/1824  
Easter 1827 (1767) David John the younger of C, assault on Wm Thomas at C
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## Volume 7

- 14 Dec 1832 Mgt John late of the parish of Llb spinster for stealing 2 geese value 2/- each and one gander worth 2/- belonging to Moses Mathew of St Mary Hill parish  
14 Dec 1832 Same Mgt John stealing 3 geese, one gander and 3 capes and 2 shirts belonging to Wm David of St Mary Hill - acquitted of both charges  
Nov 1834 David Lewis late of Cowbridge, shoemaker, for stealing one silver watch, value 20/-, and one other watch, 20/-, belonging to Edwd Thomas.  
25 May 1839 Samuel Marks the younger, late of C., labourer for stealing one silk handkerchief, value 1/-, and one other handkerchief, value 1/-, property of Sam. Marks the elder of Cowbridge. (the same S.M. the younger was charged in Cardiff around the same date for other similar offences)

## Volume 8

- October 1840 Wm Wardell of C, lab, for stealing  
4 pieces of current gold coin of the realm called sovereigns  
2 cloth coats value 20/- each  
2 other coats value 20/- each  
2 waistcoats value 5/- each  
1 kerseymere trousers value 20/-  
1 hat value 10/-  
of David Preece at his house at Cowbridge
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*Extracts from Quarter Sessions*

Quarter Sessions - Cardiff 1810 - Michaelmas  
relating to Cowbridge/Llanblethian

556	12 March 1816	Robert Hillier of Cowbridge - hawker Condition for his appearance to and in the meantime to prefer a Bill of Indictment against Anne Bater for felony	£20
703	8 July 1817	Thomas Thomas of Cowbridge - weaver David John of Cowbridge - weaver John Jenkins of Cowbridge - weaver Condition for the said Thomas Thomas's appearance ..... etc., to keep the peace towards William Bowen	£40 £20 £20
754	21 Nov 1818	John Deere of town of Cowbridge Condition for Josiah Deere's appearance .....etc. to keep the peace towards John Jenkins	£20
958	4 Dec 1821	Rev. William Williams John Thomas of Llanblethian - weaver Sonnall Richards of Lysworney - carpenter Hopkin Hopkins of Lysworney - farmer Condition that John Thomas's appearance ....etc. to keep the peace towards David John	£10 £5 £3
1123	2 Dec 1825	William Jane of Cowbridge - nailer William Edward of Newport William Jane of Newport - nailer for the said William Jane of Cowbridge for bastardy	£40 £20 £20
1150	16 Sept 1826	William Lewis of Cowbridge - cordwainer Thomas Thomas of Cowbridge - weaver For the said William Lewis's bastardy	£20 £20
1193	22 June 1827	Thomas Griffiths of Aburthin - servant James Tanner of Cowbridge - chaise driver Thomas Griffiths for bastardy	£20 £20
1197		John David the younger of Cowbridge - labourer David Jones of the same place - whitesmith Thomas David of Penmark - labourer Condition for the said John David to keep the peace and be of good behaviour towards John Bowen of Cowbridge - blacksmith for the space of twelve calendar months	£40 £20 £20
2095	18 Nov 1828	James Hiscock the younger of Cowbridge - grocer Edward Ballard junr of Cowbridge - ironmonger William Lewis of Bridgend - solicitor James Hiscock for bastardy	£20 £10 £10
2155	1 Dec 1829	Lewis Morgan of Cowbridge - waggoner John Thomas of Cowbridge - carrier William Lewis of Cowbridge - schoolmaster Lewis Morgan for bastardy	£20 £10 £10
2248	24 May 1831	Llewellyn Miles of Pendoylan - farmer Edward Ballard of Cowbridge - ironmonger John Miles of Llanblethian - mason Condition that Llewellyn Miles keep the peace towards Edmd Horck for twelve months	£20 £10 £10
2253	3 June 1831	John Morgan of Cowbridge William Morgan of Langan Condition for John Morgan to keep the peace towards John Lewis	£20 £20
	31 March 1832	Samuel Marks of Cowbridge - jeweller Condition for the appearance ..... etc of the said Samuel Marks to prefer a Bill of Indictment and give evidence against Ann Evans for felony	£10
2367	17 July 1832	David Edwards of Llanblethian - farmer	£80



		Thomas Jones of Cowbridge - publican	£40
		John Lewis of Pendoylan - labourer	£40
		Condition for the appearance ... etc. of the said David Edwards to an indictment at the prosecution of William Dunn for felony	
2368	9 Aug 1832	Charles Black - one of the coachmen driving the mail from Swansea to Cowbridge	£40
		Thomas Stockwood of Cowbridge - publican	£20
		Thomas Griffiths of Cowbridge - publican	£20
		Condition for the appearance ...etc of the said Charles Black to keep the peace towards Isaac David of Swansea - hawker	
2369	17 July 1832	William Dunn of Llanblethian - victualler	£20
		condition for appearance ... etc. to give evidence against David Edwards for felony	
2396	16 Oct 1832	Thomas Thomas of Llansannor - labourer	£40
		David Phillip of Llanblethian - farmer	£40
		William John of Llanblethian - labourer	£40
		Thomas Thomas for bastardy	
2402	1 Dec 1832	John Thomas of Cowbridge - carrier	£20
		Condition for the appearance of John Thomas to prefer a Bill of Indictment and to give evidence thereon against Ann Evans for felony	
2425	14 March 1833	Thomas Jenkins of Llanmihangel - labourer	£20
		William Thomas of Llanblethian - cordwainer	£20
		Thomas Jenkins for bastardy	
2427	29 April 1833	William Harding of Llanblethian - victualler	£20
		Richard John of Llantrisant - collier	£10
		William Harding for bastardy	