

ISLE OF WIGHT OBSERVER Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> June 1860

**CORONER'S INQUEST.**---An inquest was held at Binstead on Thursday, before F. BLAKE, esq., coroner, on the body of a person named James THOMPSON, a labouring man, who had expired suddenly in his bed on the Sunday morning previous. From the evidence of the deceased's wife, it appeared that the poor man awoke at about his usual hour and made the observation, "there's the blessed sun rising;" that he then dozed off, and his wife shortly afterwards heard a strange noise. When it had ceased she looked at him, and found him to be dead. The jury returned a verdict, "Died by the visitation of God."

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