

## **Attacked When Returning from Westborough to Brookfield, 1764**

Thursday Evening last being very dark, as Mr. Johnson of Brookfield, was returning to his House from Westborough, he was attacked by two Fellows, who ordered him to delivered his Money, but giving one of them a Blow on his Hand with the But End of his Whip, got off clear. It is thought they knew of his having just received a Sum of Money for a Piece of Land he had been selling that Afternoon, and waylaid him.

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