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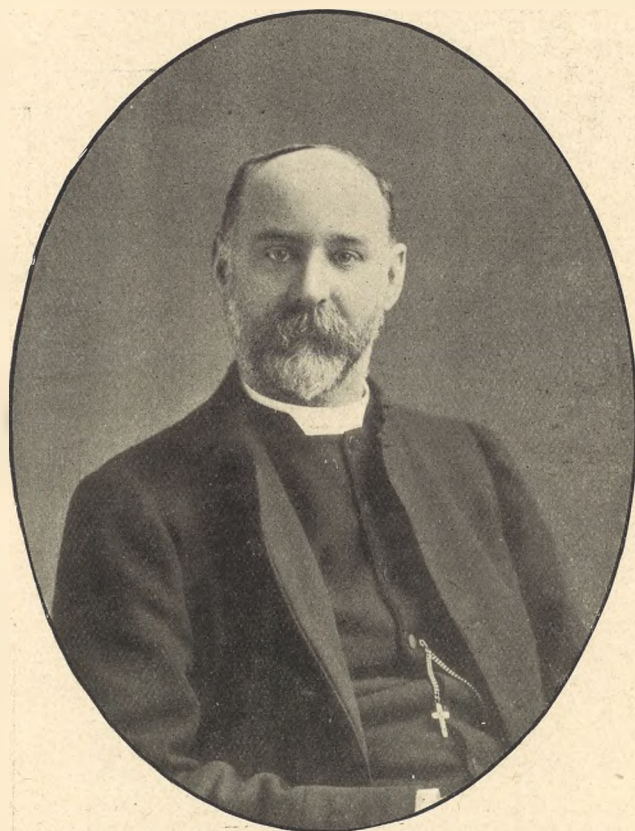


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REV. FRANCIS L'ESTRANGE FAWCETT, M.A.,
 NEW RECTOR OF CHELTENHAM.



WORKERS AT FOSS CROSS STATION.

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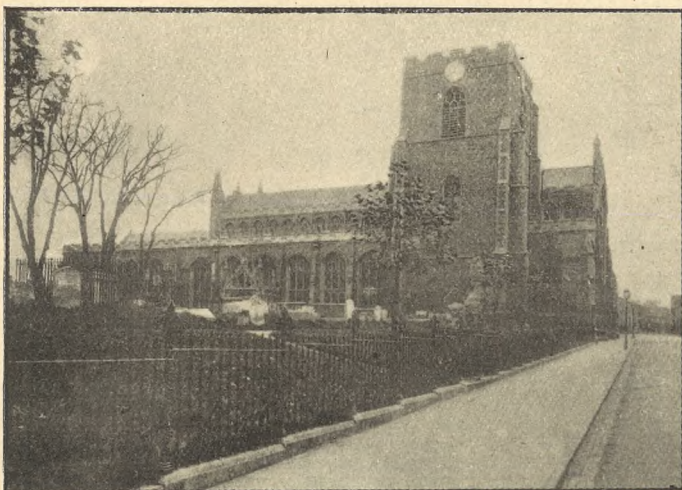


FOSS CROSS STATION, M. AND S.W.J. RAILWAY.
(14 Miles from Cheltenham).



STORES AND OFFICES.—MID-DAY EXPRESS.

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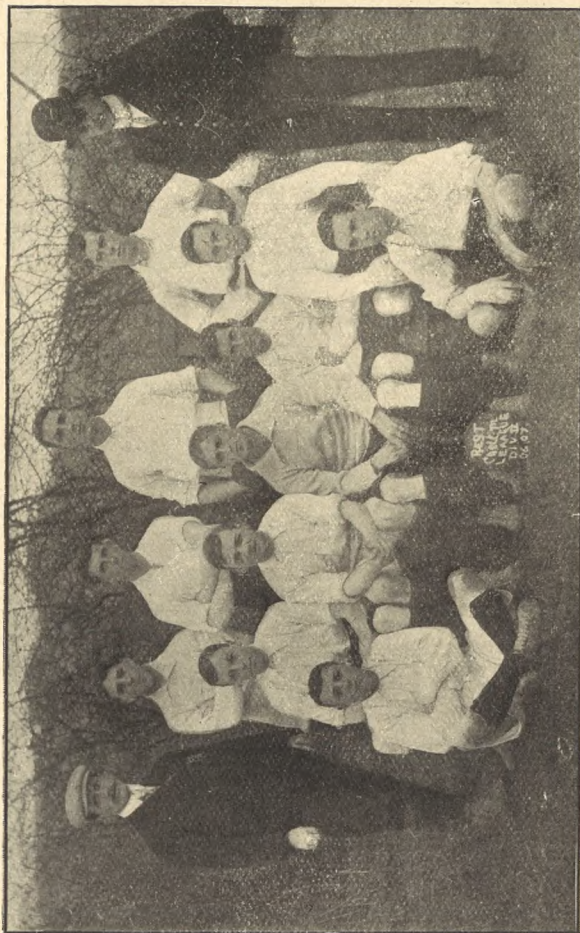
ST. MARY'S, BURY ST. EDMUNDS.
(Present Church of Cheltenham's New Rector).





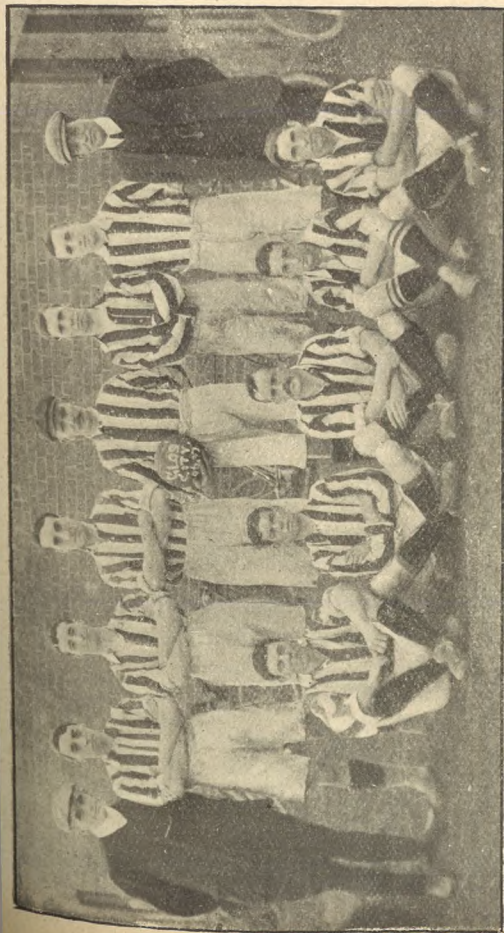
GAS WORKS (WINNERS, DIV. II.)

Back row.—R. Cossier, E. J. Millichamp, R. Skeen, A. Little, W. Page, C. A. W. Price, A. Jones, A. Webb, A. James, W. Galloway, D. Motley, Parris.
Front row.—D. Sexton, W. Tanner, G. E. H. Scarlett (capt.), F. Brewster, J. Critchley.



REST OF THE LEAGUE (DIV. II.)

Back row.—E. J. Millichamp (referee), G. Cima (Town II.), Lance (Charlton), B. Denchfield (Martyn's), B. Compton (Cavendish), W. J. Lawrence.
Middle row.—Fisher (St. Paul's College II.), S. Fisher (Martyn's), J. Phillips (St. Paul's United II.), W. Vicary (Charlton), Scott (Crosby).
Sitting on ground.—L. Betteridge (St. Paul's United II.), G. E. Wright (St. Paul's U. II.).



GLOUCESTER CITY (WINNERS).

Back row.—G. A. Vinson, E. F. Davy, B. Boughton, W. Willetts, A. H. Smith, F. E. Quixley.
Front row.—C. H. Haddon, H. Smith, A. Carter, A. E. Kent, W. Smith.



REST OF THE LEAGUE.

Back row.—Manning (Tewkesbury), F. Challenger, R. F. Minnett (secretary, St. Paul's United), A. Oakley (Cheltenham Town), H. Bradshaw (St. Paul's United), A. Prust (St. Paul's United).
Front row.—W. T. Blakey (Cheltenham Town), E. Matthews (Winchcombe), T. Norris (Cheltenham Town), W. Williams (Cheltenham Town), L. Bathurst (Fewkesbury), W. Averiss (St. Paul's United).

FASHIONABLE CIRENCESTER WEDDING,

CIRENCESTER PARISH CHURCH, APRIL 29, 1907.



Photo by Dennis Moss, Cirencester.

MISS WINIFRED FORSYTH FORREST.



Photo by Maull and Fox, Piccadilly.

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LEAVING CHURCH.



THE WEDDING PARTY.

Standing behind bride and bridegroom :—Master Bob Forrest, Mr. T. Kingscote, M.V.O., Mr. Maurice Kingscote, Mr. Dick Forrest, Miss Dorothy Forrest, Miss Marjorie Forrest, Miss Eleanor Forrest, Mr. T. Forsyth Forrest and Mrs. Forrest (father and mother of bride).

Centre :—Bridegroom and bride.

Front row :—Master Phil Forrest, Miss Guendolen Forrest, Miss Evelyn Forrest (in front of bride), Miss Chris. Forrest, Master John Forrest (in front of Mrs. Forrest).

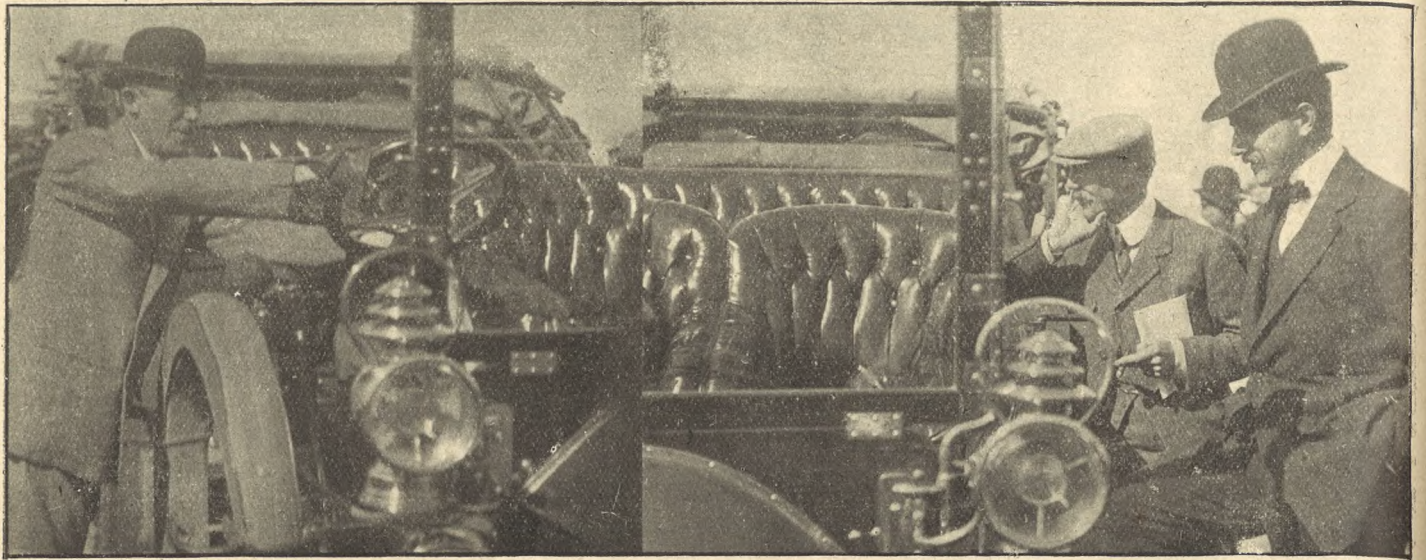


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HEYTHROP HUNT KEEPERS' AND EARTHSTOPPERS' ANNUAL FEAST, APRIL 26, 1907, AT BOURTON.

LECHLADE & V.W.H. HORSE SHOW,

APRIL 24, 1907.



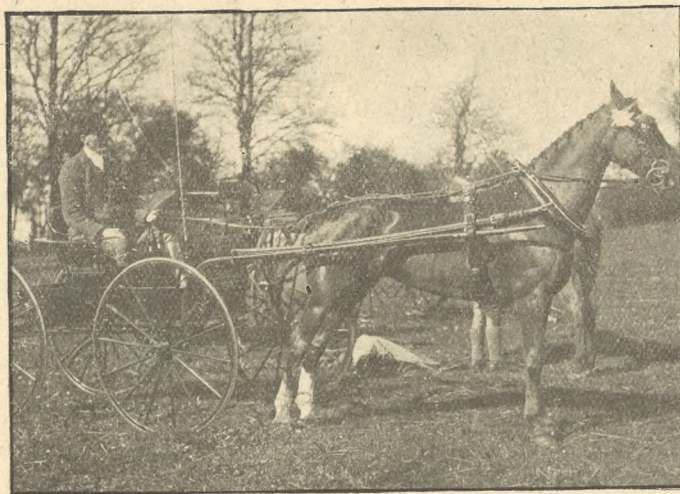
MR. BUTT MILLER TRIES TO START HIS MERCEDES. HON. B. BATHURST AND MAJOR HENDERSON INTERESTED SPECTATORS.



PECULIAR SNAP OF HORSE JUMPING FIRST FENCE.



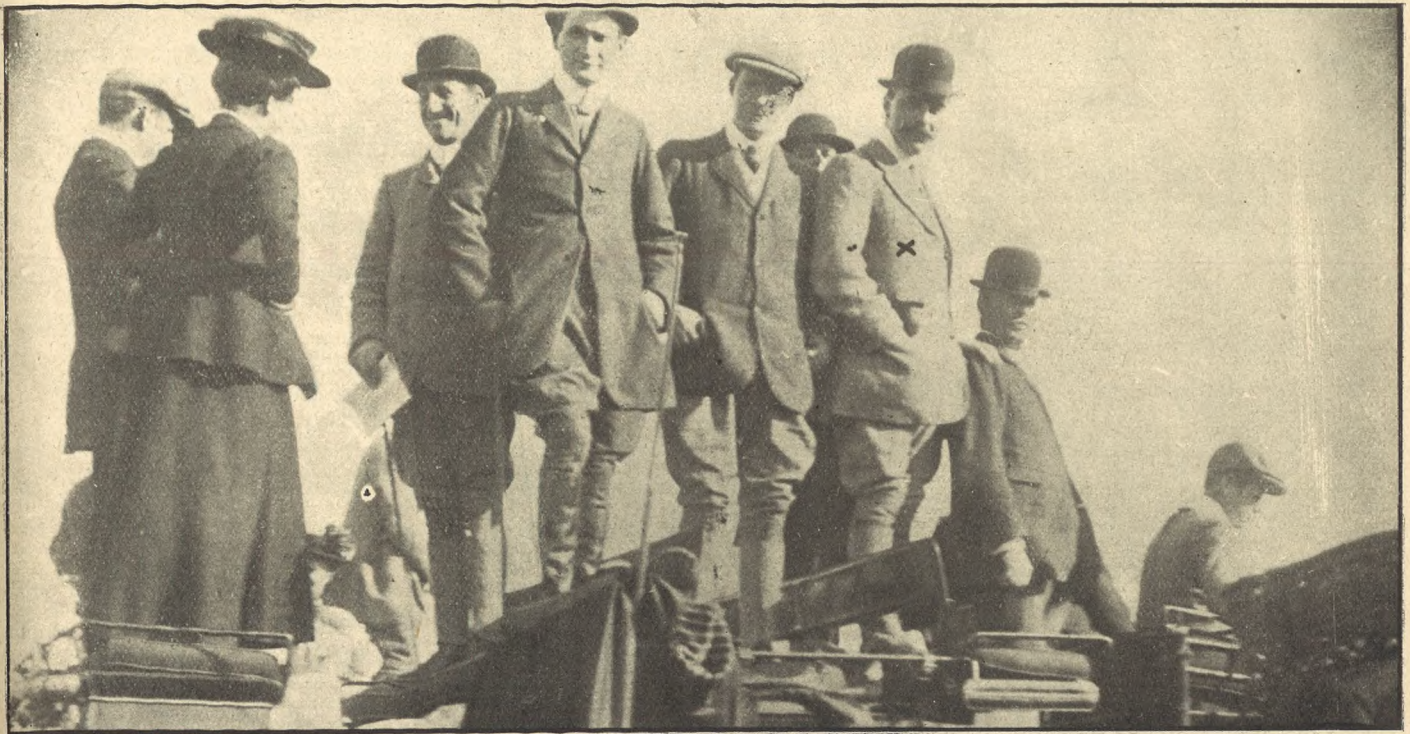
MR. HEWER (STANDING), HON. SECRETARY, AND MR. ALEX. ILES (ON HORSEBACK), STARTER.



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A mouse caused great amusement by appearing during service in the aisle of Christ Church, Sunderland. When it made for some of the pews a few ladies hurriedly left the building. Eventually the mouse was seized by a man and carried outside.

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There is a horse at the Woolwich riding establishment which, if turned loose in the riding school, says the "Cavalry Journal," will walk, trot, canter, charge, and jump when told to do so without the aid of either whip or signal, besides coming to his owner when called.

PRIZE COMPETITION.

The Proprietors of the "CHELTENHAM CHRONICLE & GLOUCESTERSHIRE GRAPHIC" offer a Weekly Prize of Half-a-Guinea for the Best Summary of a Sermon preached in any church or chapel or other place of worship in the county not earlier than the Sunday preceding the award.

The first prize has been awarded to Mr. Frank Koveren, Stoke Villa, Charlton Kings, for his report of a sermon by the Rev. Carey Bonner at Salem Baptist Church on Sunday. Entries close on Tuesday morning. The summary will be found in the "Chronicle."



CURIOUS NESTING PLACE.

Another instance of a peculiar nesting-place and apparent familiarity with human beings of wild birds is shown in our illustrations. On a scaffold round a new house now being built in Shaw Green-lane, Prestbury, by Mr. Mealing, a pair of thrushes commenced to build their nest on Good Friday. The nest is placed on a plank against a wall on which the men have been working ever since—within a few inches of the birds; in fact, the men leant a board over the nest to prevent mortar, etc., falling on it. Here the birds have reared their family of four; and when our representative photographed them, although the camera was placed within two yards of the nest and he stood by the side of it, entirely unprotected from their view, the hen bird kept flying to and fro with supplies of worms, apportioning them out to her family, while the cock bird sat a couple of feet away and watched the nest. In the one illustration he can be seen sitting on the plank, with the hen on the nest; in the other, the hen bird has just arrived with another worm.



Photo by H. J. Comley, Stroud.



**MR. THOMAS WILLIAM GARDNER,
DIED APRIL 24, 1907, AGED 66 YEARS**

He had been honorary captain of Stroud Volunteer Fire Brigade since 1893, when he retired from the captaincy of the brigade after twenty-five years' service. He was buried at Stroud on Monday afternoon with full honours and amidst a scene of universal regret on the part of his fellow townsmen.

Gloucestershire Gossip.

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I was particularly interested when I read a certain passage in the speech of General Louis Botha at the National Liberal Club banquet. It was that in which he jocularly referred to how during the war he "always managed to effect an escape, however closely surrounded by Englishmen." My interest was excited because I remember that he was nearly captured by a Gloucesterian—Lieut. Leonard Friday Haine, intelligence officer of the Natal Volunteer Composite Co. That was when this gallant officer, as a scout, caught the Boer General Cherry Emmett, but Louis Botha, under cover of darkness, managed to slip away in the nick of time.

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Travelling as I have done for years past several thousand miles annually on the railways, anything that crops up relating to our iron roads and the better working of the traffic thereon always appeals to my understanding. And that is why I venture a suggestion in reference to the recent ploughing up of 1½ miles of the permanent way of the Honeybourne-Cheltenham Railway by the derailed brake-van of a ballast train. I suggest that in future each guard be provided with a loud sounding horn or rocket or fog signal, which he could use immediately in order to attract the driver's attention in the event of the brake failing or a van leaving the metals. Perhaps the guard of the train in question (who was jolted off the footboard and received injuries to his face in endeavouring to attract the attention of the driver) could have got the train stopped earlier than it was, and thus prevented a portion of the damage, if he had had recourse to some such ready-to-hand expedient as I have indicated. I hear that the official enquiry elicited that the driver of the train was travelling at a pace well within his regulation limit of speed.

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"Name this child!" Even in my limited experience of the public baptism of infants I have heard a child named after a baronet, a duke, and a clergyman, many years ago, and I am glad to know the bearer is a splendid specimen of manhood. But I have heard and read of more remarkable instances of nomenclature than that in our own county during the present century. For instance, there was "Ginevra Ladysmith Transvaal" at Painswick; also many more names of batties and generals in the Boer War that were requisitioned for baptismal purposes. Politicians, too, have been favourite founts of inspiration. The latest, and best, can be found in the Kingsholm Ward of Gloucester, that has been brought into such prominence recently. There two "True Blue" parents each had a boy christened at St. Mark's Church, one "Lionel Madge" and the other "Lionel," names of the candidates at the top of the poll.

GLEENER.

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THIS YEAR'S LEADING COLOUR.

Without question, the leading colour of the year is Earth of Egypt, a sort of delicate heartstone tint, which is really lovely in marquisette voile and Shantung. For the two first-named fabrics several modistes are providing wide chène ribbons of suitable harmony, these to contrive Bretelles, sashes, vests, and even, at the moment, skirt panels. The Bystander."



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PRIZE COMPETITION.

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The 232nd sermon prize is divided between Mr. Arthur L. Drinkwater, of 4 Clare-place, Bath-road, Cheltenham, and Mr. C. A. Probert, 58 Brighton-road, Cheltenham, for reports of sermons respectively by the Rev. D. Austin Fisher at Emmanuel Church and the Rev. W. Fairlie Clarke at St. John's.

Entries close on Tuesday morning. The sermons will be found in the "Chronicle."

Gloucestershire Gossip.

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To Sheepscombe, which, curiously enough, is within the region of the reputed "cuckoo-penners" of yore, belongs the distinction of being the place at which the first recorded appearance of the cuckoo this year happened. This was on April 19th, or six days later than when the feathered poacher made his advent at Twigworth on Good Friday last year.

The foxhunting season of 1906-7 is at an end now that the Duke of Beaufort's Hounds have killed their May fox. Happily in this country there was no fatality in the field, though one follower of the Duke's (a London solicitor) died from the effects of a fall. The only casualties with the Cotswold were a broken leg sustained by Mr. Walter Unwin and Mr. Dudley Hill, and a bad shaking up by the first whip. The numbers of foxes killed were:—Duke of Beaufort's, 132½ brace, against 128½ last year, and 151½ the year before; Lord Fitzhardinge's, 94—102; the Heythrop, 66½, or six above the record; the V.W.H. (Mr. T. Butt Miller's), 46 brace; the Croome, 50—57½; the Cotswold, 40—35; the V.W.H. (Earl Bathurst's), 36—43; and the Ledbury, 21—36. I have not the return for the North Cotswold, but I should say that it was considerably short of the record (48½) of Mr. McNeill's last season. The only packs that broke their records were the Heythrop and Cotswold, which fact speaks volumes for sport on the hills. And it must be remembered that all the packs were stopped by frost, varying from 14 to 28 days.

The recurrence of May Day reminds me of the interesting fact that the stipend of the rector of Slimbridge has for centuries been hypothecated to the extent of £10 as remuneration for the musicians who sing the eucharistic Latin hymn on the tower top of Magdalen College, Oxford, on May 1st. The sum is not missed, for the living (which is in the gift of the College) is one of the richest in this diocese. Bishop Benson made this entry in his notebook referring to Slimbridge:—"Rector pays £10 to M. Col. for musick on ye steeple on May Day."

The model of the memorial to Bishop Ellicott, which is to be executed by Mr. W. S. Frith and placed in our Cathedral, and a photograph of which has already appeared in the "Graphic," is now in the Royal Academy. The Bishop's recumbent effigy is to be of white marble, resting on an alabaster base. An art critic, referring to the model of Mr. Pomeroy's statue of the late Bishop Ridding, also in the Academy, says:—"It is based upon the rather doubtful precedent of the monument to Archbishop Temple—an ecstatic, praying figure. It we are to desert the old recumbent effigy, let us have a Bishop represented in some kind of relation to his people and his diocese, as, for instance, in the attitude of benediction."

Worcester has got out of the financial liability in respect of the Royal Commission into her Parliamentary elections much better than I thought she would. The total demand was £2,797, out of which the three Commissioners drew £461 each, and not bad pay, either. The amount represents a 3½d. rate, but the citizens of the Faithful City will be spared an increase in the calls, owing to a set-off in economies made by the Corporation. The electoral inquisition at Gloucester in 1880 salted that city to the tune of £4,161, which was met by rates ranging from 2s. 6d. to 4d. in the £ in her then 2 parishes. Ratepayers can now regard with equanimity the costs of the recent municipal petition, for the parties to it will have to pay I hear that the costs will approximate to Worcester amount if the bills stand as presented. But there are rumours of having been taxed off one for £1,100.

GLENER.



Photo by Harold Stokes, Cheltenham.

ASTON RANGERS, WINNERS OF SIX-A-SIDE FOOTBALL TOURNAMENT (Second Division).

Back row:—W. Edwards, R. Birt, J. Phillips.

Front row:—F. Hall, L. P. Prosser (captain), S. J. Byrd.



Photo by George Stone, London-road, Stroud.

STROUD SCHOOLS' CUP COMPETITION.

WINNERS OF CUP, 1907, RODBOROUGH COUNCIL SCHOOL.

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AN ANCIENT INDUSTRY.

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“Who first invented baskets?”

“It was only a child’s question, but it must ever remain unanswered. To birds, the weaving of an egg-basket comes as an instinct. Is this same power instinctive in the human race, or did primitive woman get her ideas from her little feathered neighbours and endeavour to produce the same shape with more easily managed materials? In either case, we have distinct proof that uncivilised women made baskets for food, for wood, and even for water, a kind of gum being used to render the weaving watertight. The very cooking utensils were basket-work covered with clay, which the heat transformed into a kind of pottery.

“Basket-work has a distinctly interesting history. Its position in the world of industries is unique. It is probably the oldest of all handicrafts, and is certainly the most universal. It has not followed in the train of civilisation, for civilisation has again and again found it already firmly established, and has had to stand in impotent admiration at its results. Roots, rushes, twigs, seeds, and leaves were among the natural products pressed into its service, and indirectly its influence may lie at the root of all textile art and manufacture.

“Its earliest records are found in the dream of Pharaoh’s baker, and the ark of bulrushes in which the Hebrew mother preserved the life of her little son. It is a well-known fact that the ancient Britons made their boats, or coracles, of wickerwork, covering them with skins. They also used it for the huts of the common people, and even for the palaces of their rulers.”—“The Possibilities of Cane Basket-work,” in the “Windsor Magazine.”

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MAY DAY AT NAUNTON.



SOME OF THE COUNCIL SCHOOL CHILDREN, WITH THE RECTOR (REV. F. E. EALES) AND MISS EALES, WHO TRAINED THE CHILDREN.



QUEEN AND MAIDS OF HONOUR.



QUEEN, MAIDS OF HONOUR, AND BODYGUARD.



LIBERAL BAZAAR AT TOWN HALL, CHELTENHAM,

MAY 8, 9, 10, 1907.

1. CHILDREN'S ENTERTAINMENT PARTY.

2. GROUP OF WAITRESSES.

3. GROUP OF STALLHOLDERS.



BRITISH SCHOOLS GIRLS' MANDOLINE BAND AT BAZAAR.

Top row:—Hilda Mills, Mary Willis, May Burrows, Constance Burdock, Dorothy Ryan, Dorothy Harding, Miss Browne (conductor and teacher).

Second row:—Vera Browning, Kathleen Doogood, Maude Morris, Gladys Eves, Constance Skey, Clara Cox, Katie Bryan, Daisy Ames, Elsie Tandy, Daisy Harding, Ella Jones.

First row sitting:—Dorothy Hayman, Eva Poulston, Florence Viles, Ada Cousins, Gladys Evans, Alice Wells.

Second row sitting:—Winnie Wilkins, Amy Probert, Marjory Burton, Louie Blackmore, Violet Bliss, Dorothy Vale, Irene Willis.

Front row:—May Bliss, Lily Pearse, Maude Lush, Lily Critchley, Vera Hooper, Alice Willis, Nora Fisher.



LADY HARCOURT,
WHO OPENED THE BAZAAR.



THE ZIG ZAGS.



COTSWOLD HUNT KEEPERS AND EARTHSTOPPERS.

THE MASTER (MR. H. O. LORD) IN CENTRE, WITH CHARLES TRAVESS SEATED ON HIS LEFT AND CHARLES BEECHAM ON RIGHT.



Photo by Charles F. Nichols, Stow-on-the-Wold.

SHERBORNE AMBULANCE CLASS.

Sherborne Ambulance Class is held under the auspices of the Gloucestershire Education Committee, and is conducted by Dr. Hugh Miller and Mr. F. C. Baber, of Stow-on-the-Wold. Dr. Miller is not in the group, but Mr. Baber is shown sitting in the middle of the second row, with ambulance badge on arm. A good deal of interest has been taken in this work by the men of Sherborne, and considering the smallness of the village, a large number have attended the classes. The examiner, a doctor from Banbury, was very pleased with the way in which the students did their work, and all passed the examination.

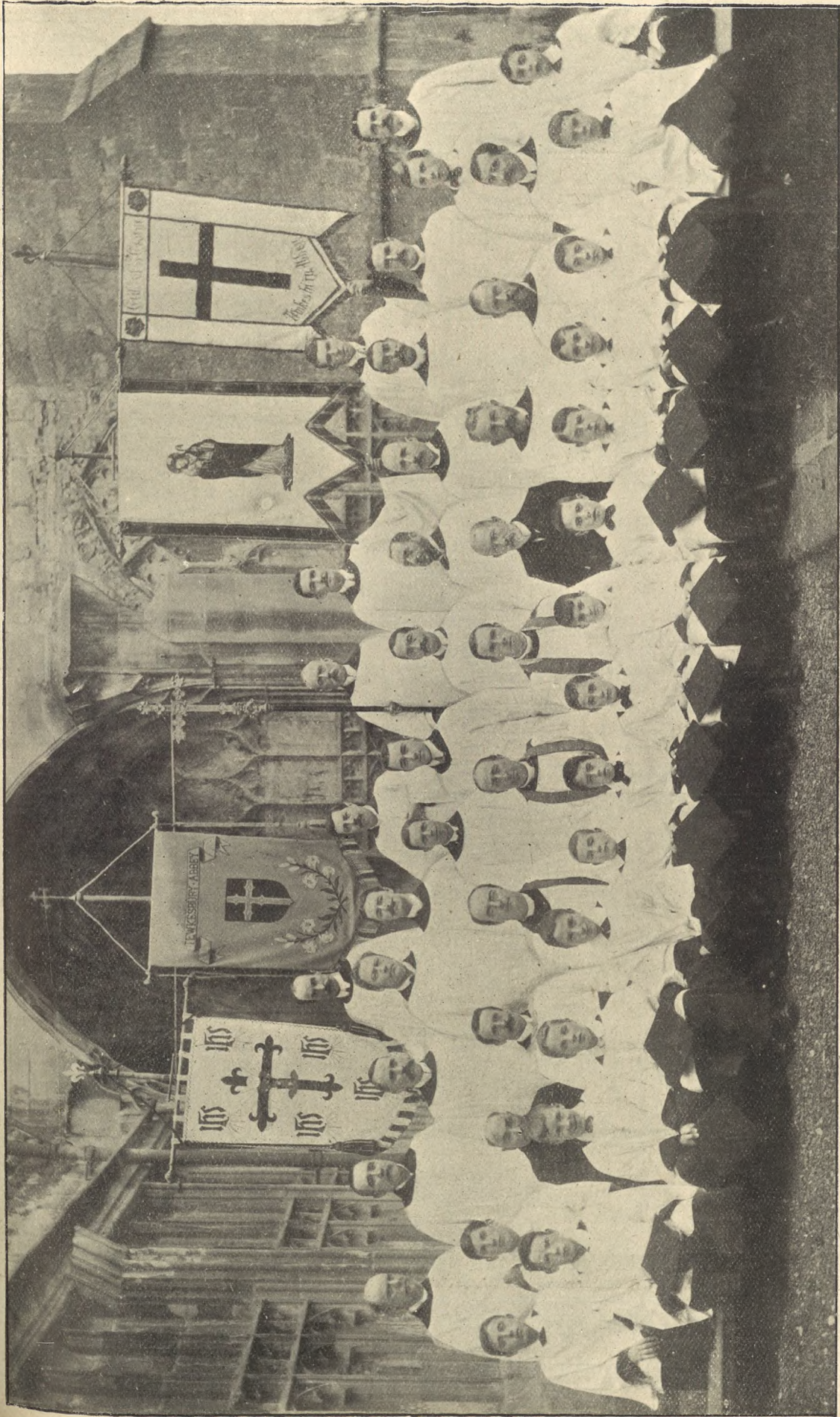


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TEWKESBURY ABBEY CHOIR,

WHO SANG THE FESTIVAL SERVICE AT CHARLTON KINGS ON THURSDAY, MAY 4TH.



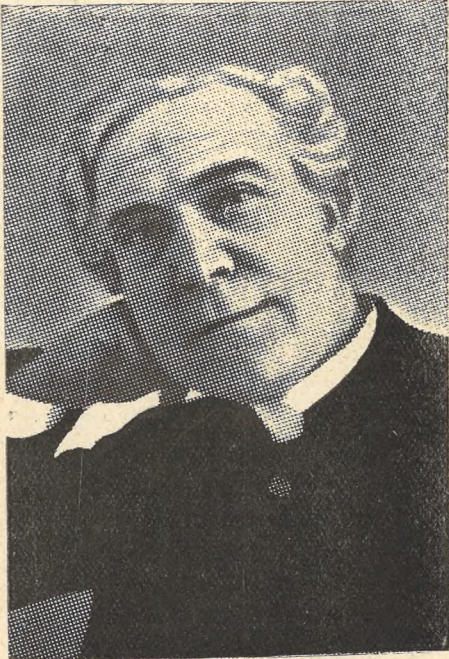
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 BRIDE AND BRIDEGROOM.

THE HATED JEWS.

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SHUNTING AND PACKING STAFF, M.R. GOODS YARD, CHELTENHAM.



COLLAPSE OF A CELLAR IN ST. PAUL'S STREET SOUTH, CHELTENHAM, ON MAY 11, 1907, AND FALL OF A STEAM ROLLER INTO THE HOLE.



M.R. CARTAGE STAFF, CHELTENHAM.

Starting with their trolleys last Monday morning. Two trolleys are loaded with reels of "Echo" paper.



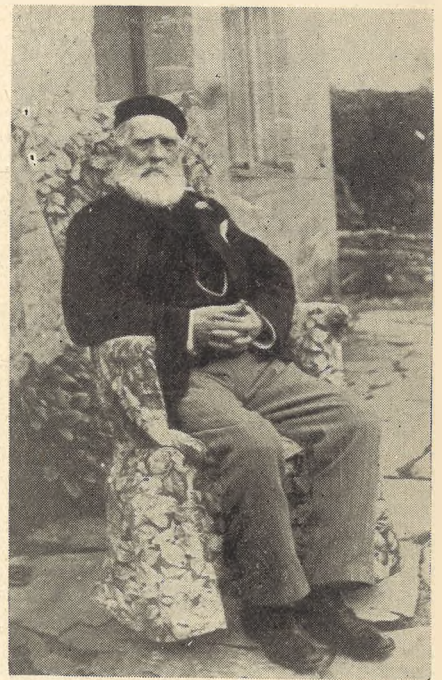
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Middle row:—C. Griffin, E. Matthews (captain), J. Mayson.
Front row:—J. King, F. Roberts.



**MR. JOHN GREENING,
WHITTINGTON'S OLDEST
INHABITANT,**

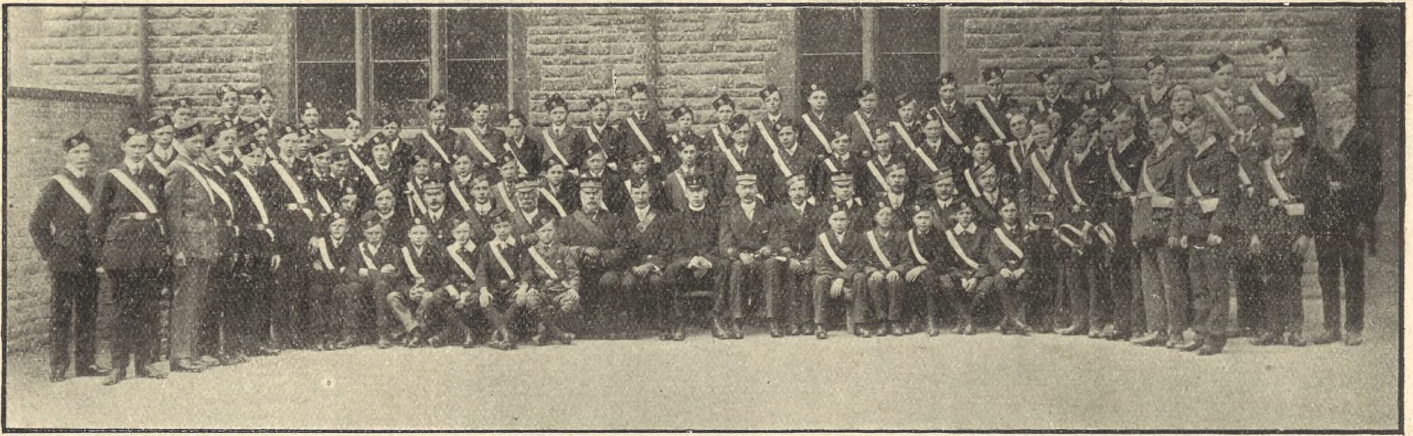
DIED MAY 11, 1907, AGED 81 YEARS.

He was for over sixty years a member of the Church Choir, and died in the house in which he was born and in which his father and grandfather died.

HOW OUR ANCESTORS ATE.

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A careful examination of the early wooden trenchers will reveal many knife-cuts, but no perforation. If no other proof were available, this would enable us to place their date anterior to the use of forks. These, if I am not at fault, were an introduction of the reign of Elizabeth. During the centuries that preceded her advent to the throne, knives were the only "implements" used at table.—Antonio de Navarro, in "Country Life."



MR. A. LABOUCHERE'S ALLEGED ASSAILANTS.



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The second picture shows the return march from Parish Church, headed by the M. and S.W.J.R. Band.

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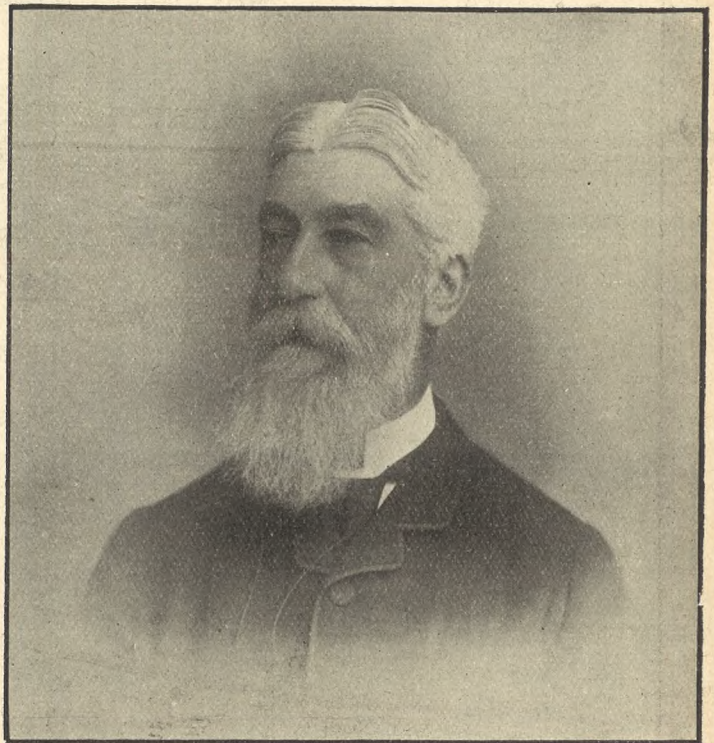
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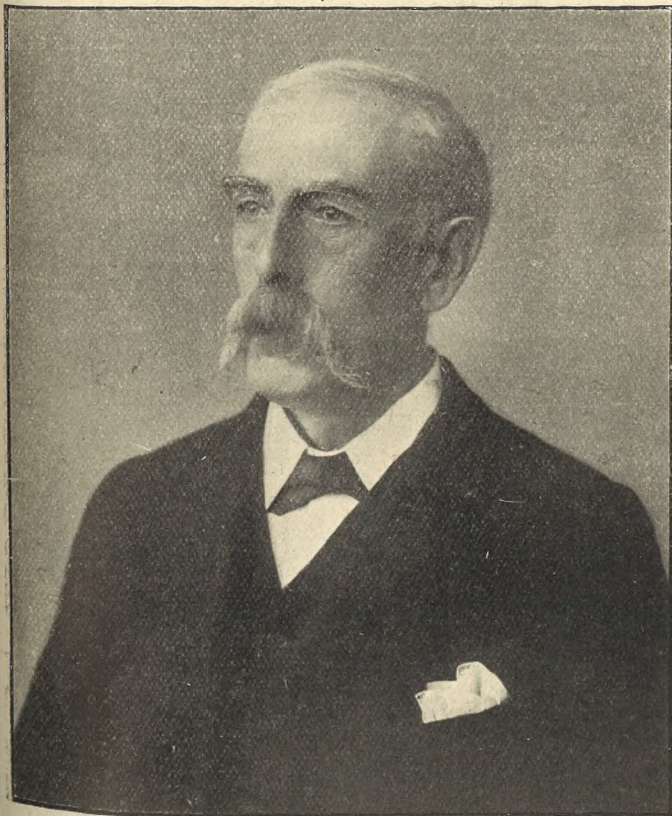
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CAPT. WELCH, R.N., J.P.,
OF ARLE HOUSE, CHELTENHAM.
DIED MAY 13, 1907, AGED 77 YEARS.



REV. WALTER LLOYD,
UNITARIAN MINISTER AT GLOUCESTER SINCE 1891.
DIED MAY 13, 1907, AGED 62 YEARS.



MR. HENRY WILKINS,
OF BOURTON-ON-THE-WATER.
DIED MAY 13, 1907, AGED 66 YEARS.



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BODDINGTON HOCKEY CLUB.

Last Season's Record: Played 16, Won 11, Drawn 2, Lost 3.

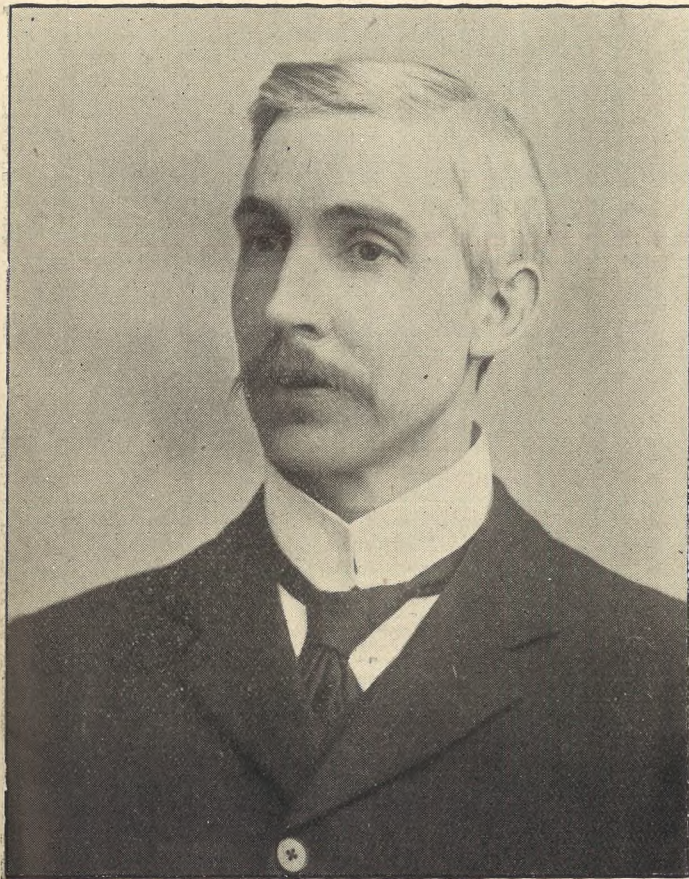
Back row:—A. Lance, E. Lance, L. Bick, A. Yeend, P. Drew, R. Arkell, D. Sharp, M. Arkell, H. Arkell.
Front row:—O. Orviss, M. Yeend, D. Arkell (captain), D. Pratley, G. Drew.
Sitting:—F. Sharp, F. Davies.



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**JOINT FRIENDLY SOCIETIES (I.O.O.F. & A.O.F.) FETE AT TEWKESBURY.
COMMITTEE.**

Top row (reading from left to right):—W. Hewlett, H. Baldwin, W. Pendry, H. Haines, J. Osborne, T. Surman, A. Brookes, W. Lane, C. Hobbs.
Bottom row (sitting):—S. Goode, H. Green (vice-chairman), C. Davis (sports secretary), F. Gregory (joint hon. sec.), C. Taylor (chairman), A. Macdonald (joint hon. sec.), C. Mellor, F. Morris, and W. Pitts.



REV. W. G. JACKSON,
PASTOR OF FAIRFORD BAPTIST CHURCH.

Mr. Jackson is a son of the late Rev. W. Jackson, formerly of Cambray Chapel, Cheltenham, and is a nephew of the late C. H. Spurgeon. During his pastorate of Fairford he has renovated the interior of the chapel and added exterior buildings and improvements, and also renovated the schoolroom at Kempford Chapel, all of which work is complete and paid for. This is the fourth chapel and the second schoolroom that have been restored under his auspices.



Photos by J. W. Gardner, Fairford.

FAIRFORD BAPTIST CHURCH,

RECENTLY RESTORED AND REOPENED AFTER AN OUTLAY OF £120.

The Ipswich Corporation has decided to allow dogs to be carried as paying passengers in the electric trams. The fare for dogs will be a penny all the way.

Record net profits amounting to over £5,000 have been earned by the Coventry Corporation's electricity department during the past year.



MR. PERCY JAMES,
THE BARITONE WHO IS APPEARING WITH
ADELER'S ARCADIAN AT MONTPELLIER
NEXT WEEK.



MR. OLIVER SKELTON,
OF OLD CHAPEL HOUSE, STROUD,
DIED MAY 6, AGED 68 YEARS.

He was in the employ of Messrs. Holloway Brothers, Ltd., for over forty years, and had been an office-bearer in Stroud Conservative Benefit Society.

PRIZE COMPETITION.

The Proprietors of the "CHELTENHAM CHRONICLE & GLOUCESTERSHIRE GRAPHIC" offer a Weekly Prize of Half-a-Guinea for the Best Summary of a Sermon preached in any church or chapel or other place of worship in the county not earlier than the Sunday preceding the award.

The 233rd prize has been awarded to Mr. T. T. Beckerlegge, 2 St. Margaret's-terrace, Cheltenham, for his report of a sermon by the Rev. J. Lloyd Davies at Highbury Congregational Church, Cheltenham.

Entries close on Tuesday morning. The sermons will be found in the "Chronicle."

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PRETTY WEDDING AT BIBURY. WIGGINS-PRITCHETT. WEDDING PARTY.

Photo by W. Dennis Moss, Cirencester.

Pictures of Gloucester railway men's procession, Yeomanry entraining for camp, Indian Mutiny Memorial at Cawnpore, etc., are held over owing to want of space.

A verger, who was showing a large church to a stranger, pointed out another man, and remarked "That is the other verger." The visitor, a little surprised, said "I did not

know there were two of you." "Oh, sir," replied the official, "he werges up side of the church and I werges up other."

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PRIZE COMPETITION.

The 234th prize has been divided between
Mr. Arthur L. Drinkwater, 4 Clare-place,
Bath-road, Cheltenham, and Mr. Frank
Reveren, Stoke Villa, Charlton Kings, for
reports respectively of sermons by the Rev.
D. Austin Fisher at Emmanuel Church and
Rev. C. E. Stone at Salem Baptist Church,
Cheltenham.

A GREAT WAR INSTRUMENT.

There is no doubt that the bagpipe is a
magnificent incentive to battle. "There is
no sound," said a distinguished general,
speaking soon after the thunder and smoke of
Waterloo had passed away, "which the im-
mortal Wellington hears with more delight,



MR. JAMES WALKER,
OF GUITING VILLA, GUITING.
DIED MAY 9, 1907, AGED 80 YEARS.

or the marshals of France with more dismay,
than the notes of a Highland Pibroch." The
upper notes of the bagpipe call boldly to
action; the lower notes have a curious and
searching pathos which suggest that at the
last step of the dancer will fail, the face
of the hero be in the dust: "Here you have

the sadness and the sorrow: the sadness that
looks out at you from quiet grey eyes in the
Highlands to-day as then, the sadness that
broods over the lonely Highland glen
the sorrow that clutches with icy fingers at
the breaking heart when death has taken
some loved one hence."—"T.P.'s Weekly."

Justice and Love.

[BY JAMES ALLEN, IN "BIBBY'S ANNUAL."]

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One frequently hears justice referred to as being opposed to love. Such an error arises out of a lack of understanding of the profound and comprehensive significance of these two principles; for two divine laws cannot stand in opposition or contradiction to each other. Two basic laws, both admittedly good, must harmonise, otherwise one would be evil, for good cannot oppose good. The antagonism which men place between justice and love does not exist in reality; it is an error arising from ignorance of the true nature and right application of the principles involved.

The element of kindness is never absent from justice; if it were, it would be cruelty and not justice. The element of severity is never absent from love; if it were, it would be weak emotionalism and not love. There is often more love in a severe reproof than in a yielding acquiescence. The father who has little love for his child, though he may not treat it cruelly, will not take pains to train it properly; but the father who has great love for his child, will train it with a firm yet gentle hand. He will be just to his child because he loves it. He will administer correction and reproof when necessary, that his child may profit thereby.

Justice is not separate from love; love is not separate from justice. The essential oneness of the two principles is simply expressed in the divine edict—"Whatsoever a man soweth, that shall he also reap." It is in accordance both with perfect love and perfect justice that man should reap the good results of his good deeds, and the bad results of his bad deeds. All men admit this theoretically, though the majority refuse to recognise the operation of such a law in the universe, arguing, when overtaken with trouble, that in their case they are not reaping what they have sown, as they have never done anything to call for such misfortune, but are suffering innocently (unjustly), or are afflicted through the wrong-doing of others.

Such a law, however, obtains, and those who will search long enough, and look deep below the surface of things, will find it and be able to trace with precision its faultless working. Nor would a right-minded man wish it to be otherwise. He would know that the kindest thing that could be done to him would be that he should suffer the full penalty of all his mistakes and wrong-doing, so that he might thereby grow more rapidly in virtue and wisdom. Petitions to Deity to abrogate the just punishment of sins committed are without avail, and can only spring from an immature moral sense. Woe indeed would descend upon man if the law of justice could thus be set aside.

Self-afflicted and torn with sorrow as he now is, there is hope in the law which bestows no special favours and is unflinchingly just; but if man, by offering up a prayer could escape the effects of his bad deeds, then justice would be non-existent, and as for love, where would it be? for if one could thus be deprived of his bad earnings, what assurance could he have of not being robbed of his good earnings? Thus the ground of salvation would be cut away, and caprice and despotism would take the place of love and justice.

As a coin, which is one, has two distinct sides, so love and justice are two aspects of the same thing. Men do not perceive the love that is hidden in justice, nor the justice that is hidden in love, because they perceive only one side, and do not take pains to turn

OUR INDIAN EMPIRE.

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Sergt. A. P. Daniels, 32nd Battery R.F.A., now stationed in India, but whose home is at Churchdown, has sent us some more photographs, this time from Ferozepore.

CAWNPORE MASSACRE, 28TH JUNE, 1857.

MONUMENT OVER WELL AT CAWNPORE DOWN WHICH VICTIMS WERE THROWN.



INTERIOR.

these principles round, as it were, and see them in their completion.

Justice, being a divine principle, cannot contain any element of cruelty. All its apparent harshness is the chastening fire of love. Man himself, and not the law per se, has brought about all the affliction which is working for his ultimate happiness and good. Love reigns supreme in the universe because justice is supreme. A tender and loving hand administers the rod of chastisement. Man is protected, even against himself. Love and justice are one.

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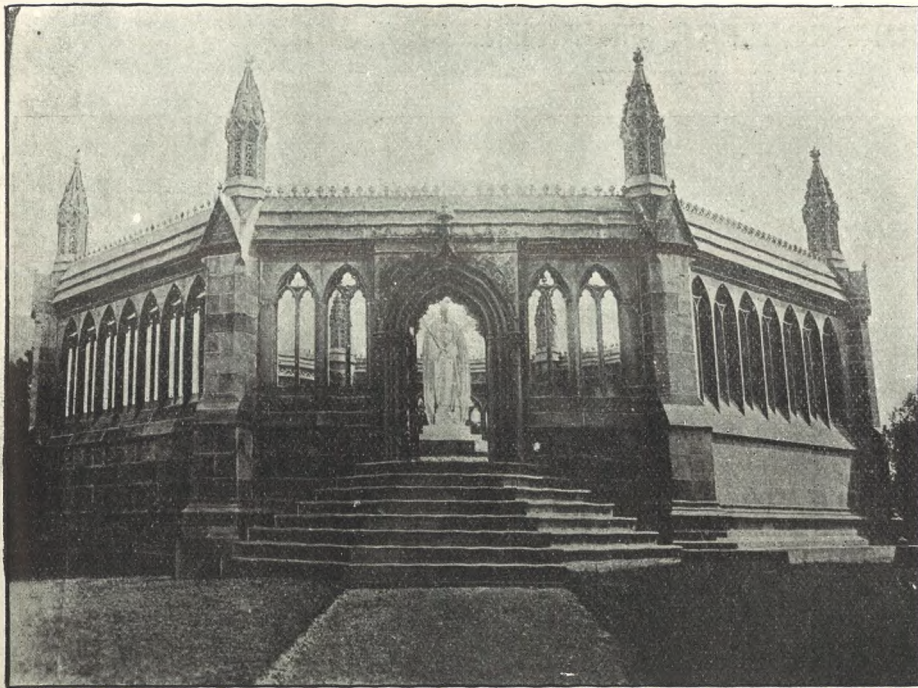
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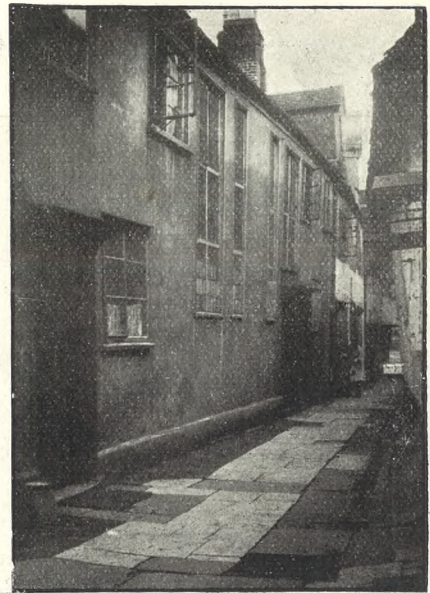
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CHELTENHAM.

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EXTERIOR.



OLD BAPTIST CHAPEL COURT,
CHURCH STREET, TEWKESBURY.
1655—1805.

(The chapel is that in the foreground with the long windows.)

Gloucestershire Gossip.

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Invariably the first among the Volunteers of this county to take the field annually by going into camp are the Yeomanry. This year the regiment again broke new ground, and this month saw them encamped in Piercefield Park, a charming place situated amid the woods on the Monmouthshire bank of the winding Wye, just outside Chepstow. Ever since Cheltenham lost the periodical trainings of the gallant Hussars, and, strange to say, made no serious effort to get them back, the regiment has been migratory, Ross, Badminton, Wells, and Cirencester having in turn been favoured with visits. And just as I believe the camp in Cirencester Park last year gave a much-needed impetus to the formation of a Cotswold troop, so I imagine the location of the Yeomanry on Monmouthshire ground will assist recruiting in that county for a force which has always provided a strong contingent for the Royal Gloucestershire Hussars, mainly by reason of the close personal association of the Dukes of Beaufort with them and their Graces' territorial influence properly and beneficially exercised. That association is still in an indirect measure continued, but while there is now no Somerset on active duty, it is very satisfactory to find that for the first time for many years the regiment has more than a full complement of officers.

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I cannot remember that the Yeomanry ever had a chaplain until the present Bishop of Gloucester kindly consented to act in that capacity. His lordship, as most of us know, is thorough in his duties, and therefore it is with no surprise that I find that the Bishop presided at his martial flock at a church parade at Chepstow on Whit Sunday. I can recall that in 1905, even after he was called to the See of Gloucester, Dr. Gibson, chaplain of the Leeds Rifle Volunteers, spent a week-end with them in camp on Salisbury Plain and conducted a service and delivered a sermon to them on the Sunday.

Ever since, in the autumn of 1903, the Great Western Railway Company inaugurated on the Stroud Valley section of their vast system a rail-motor-train service, that experiment, which so quickly obtained success beyond their most sanguine expectations, has been largely extended on the G. W. R., and other railway companies have followed suit. A week or two ago a great Australian railway magnate paid a special visit, accompanied by a few of the chief officials of the pioneer company, to Stroud and saw the easy working of the traffic by these "revolutionary" trains, with the view to the introduction of similar services at the Antipodes. I am in a position to state that August 1st next will see the commencement of the rail-motor service on the Bullo branch of the Great Western Railway between Newnham and a halte beyond Cinderford. The whole length of the line to be thus covered, up to Drybrook, will not be ready to be brought into use before October. It will be interesting to note whether the tradesmen of Cinderford or those of Newnham will reap the material benefit by the two towns being brought into easier railway communication. In such cases the larger towns generally reap the shopping advantages. But I take it that a successful development of the gold reef that is alleged to exist in the Cinderford district would have a much more important bearing on the extent of the railway facilities necessary. GLEANER.

OUR ROADS.

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The maintenance of the roads should be handed over to a central authority. This would naturally mean that the upkeep of the highway road should cease to be a local charge at all, but an imperial tax. This, too, is desirable from many points of view, because the roads of to-day are used in a less degree by the people of the locality in which they happen to be situated than used to be the case. An increasingly large proportion of traffic over a district comes from a distance, and it is only right that those who use the roads most should pay for their maintenance.—"Country Life."

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LIFE'S RACE.

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Waking, smiling, starting, creeping—
The Race of Life begun;
Walking, running, joying, weeping—
The Race of Life half done;
Faltering, resting, fainting, sleeping—
The Race of Life 's done

ST. PAUL'S TRAINING COLLEGE (CHELTENHAM) REUNION,

MAY 18, 19, 20, 1907.



MASTERS AND PRESENT STUDENTS.



MASTERS AND PAST STUDENTS.



Photo by Mrs. Parker, Charlton Kings.

A CHARLTON WEDDING.

On Whit Monday, May, 20, 1907, at St. Mary's Parish Church, Charlton Kings, Charles Camden, of Ferndale, South Wales, to Alice Maria Mason, of Bafford Farm, Charlton Kings, Cheltenham.

PEN PORTRAIT OF THE OFFICER.

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Until the financier usurped his position in fiction the soldier was alternatively credited with every virtue as the eligible young man, or loaded with every vice as the wrecker of

homes. In real life he is a man with a uniform—in which he is rarely seen after one o'clock in the day—who has been brought up to disregard things commercial, to consider regimental guests as blood-brothers, and to realise the importance of the male in country places.—London Opinion."

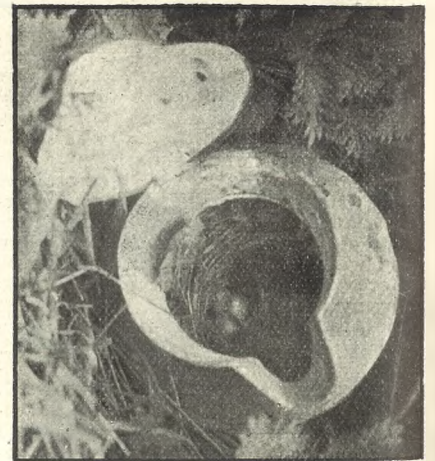


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ROBIN'S NEST IN DISCARDED HOT-WATER JUG IN A FIELD AT ARLINGTON, NEAR BIBURY.

THE PRICE OF FREEDOM.

Those who have been apt to denounce some of the episodes in the passing Russian Revolution as mere foolish waste of human life may be recommended to study the history of the earlier episodes of that long movement which led to the final freedom of Italy. We have grown impatient. We forget how slow is the process of freeing a nation. We have lost the larger vision which led even the early Christians to perceive that the "blood of the martyrs" was the "seed of the Church." Even Garibaldi found it difficult to persuade many of his supporters in those early years that they were not risking life and liberty in vain.—"The Academy."

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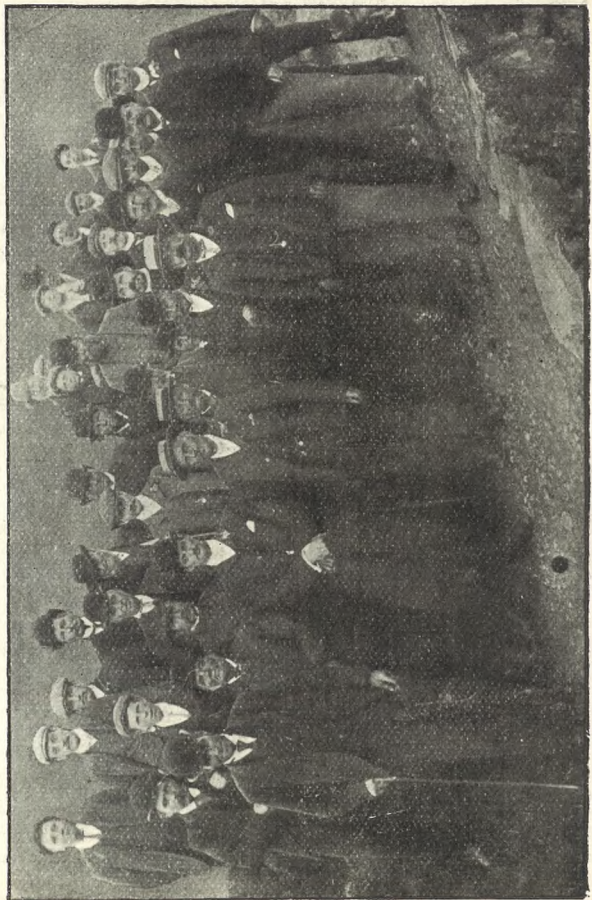
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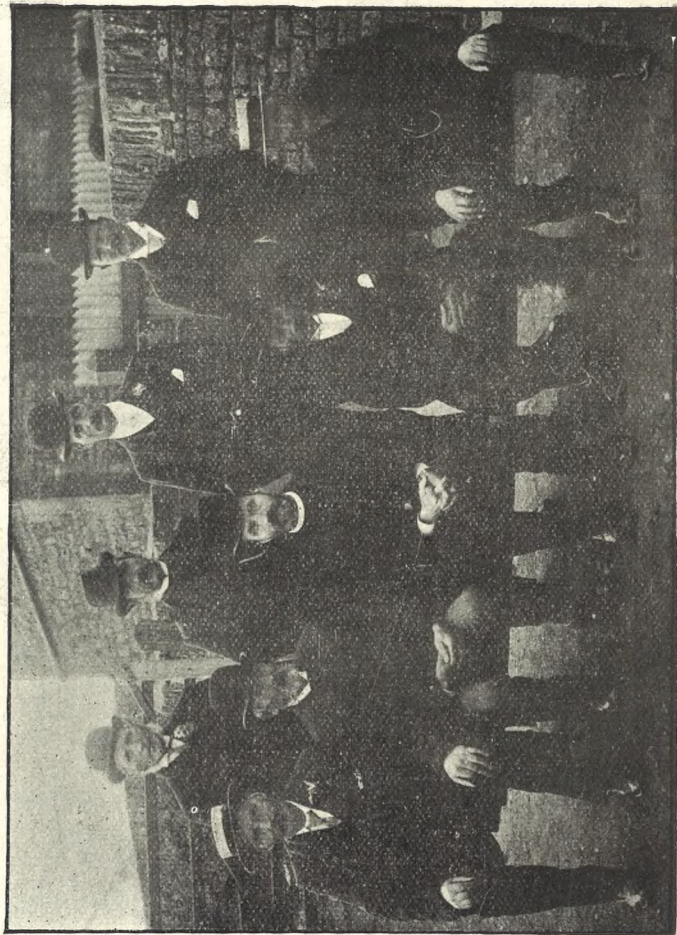
NAUNTON CLUB FESTIVITIES,

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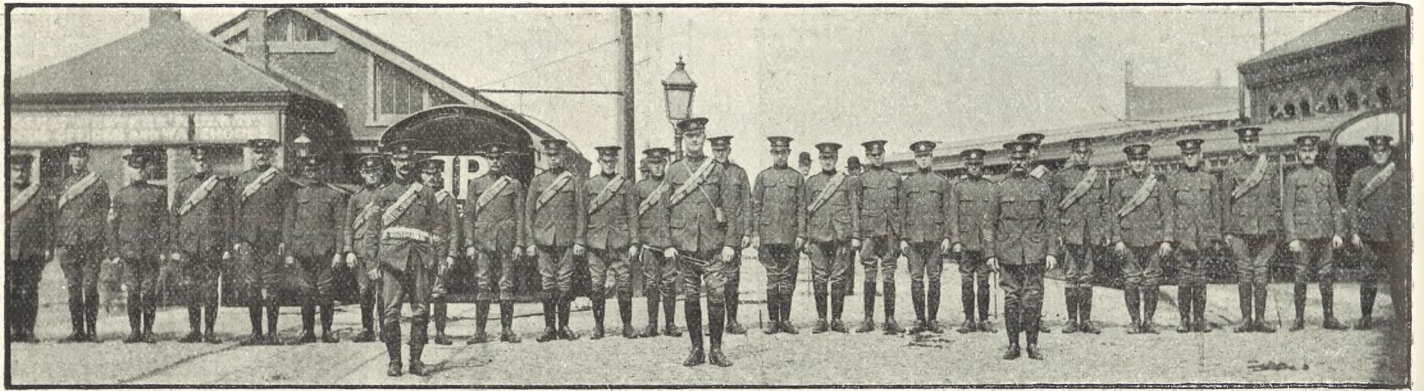


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MEMBERS.



THE COMMITTEE.



R.G.H.I.Y. OFF TO CAMP.

ROLL CALL OF CHELTENHAM TROOP AT G.W. STATION, PREPARATORY TO ENTRAINING FOR CHEPSTOW, MAY 15, 1907.

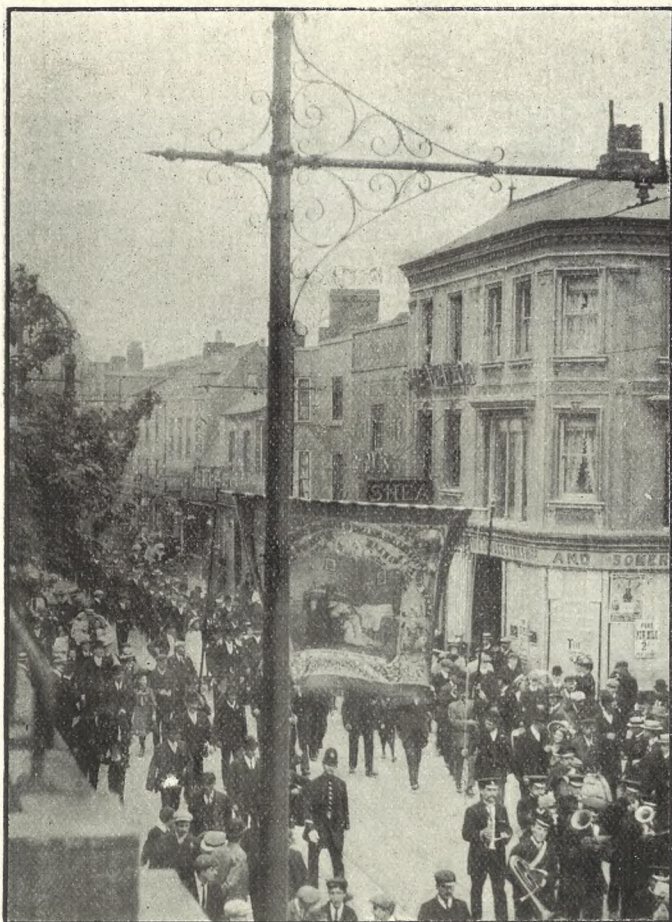


Photo by F. E. Herbert, Gloucester.
RAILWAY SERVANTS' PROCESSION IN BARTON-STREET, GLOUCESTER, MAY 12, 1907.



CHELTENHAM YEOMANRY ENTRAINING.
LADY FRIENDS TO SAY "GOOD-BYE."

THE FROCK-COAT.

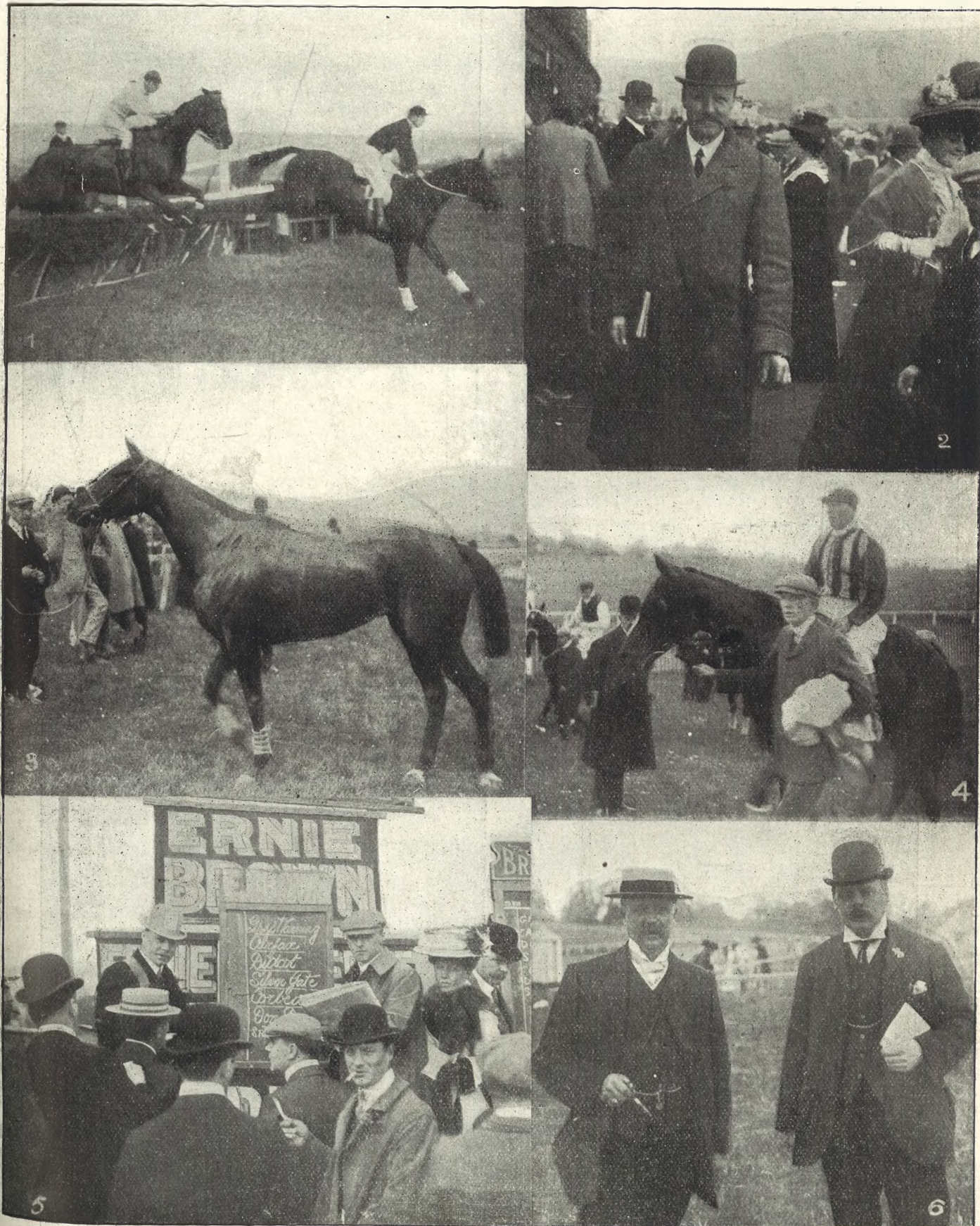
The other day I read in the papers that the frock-coat was likely to be disestablished. I am very glad to hear it, but I am afraid the news is too good to be true. There is something to be said in favour of the buttoned frock-coat for those who still have figures, but the open frock-coat is an absolute abomination, and the sooner it is suppressed the better. It is both uncomfortable and unbecoming, and unless you have half a dozen of these garments, and those well looked after by a skilful valet, they never look nice. The frock-coat is a pretentious garment. It is supposed to give an air of smartness and style to its wearer, whereas it only bestows on him a suspicion of counter-jumperian swagger. I should think a final blow had been given to the reign of this unsatisfactory gabardine by a procession of sandwichmen I saw the other day in Regent street. They were all clad in top hats, very high collars, white slip waistcoats, and frock-coats. Some of them were smoking cigars, others flourishing silk umbrellas. And, after all, what do we want with a frock-coat? A suit of dittoes for morning wear and dress clothes for the evening is all we really require. The intermediate garment is altogether unnecessary.—J. Ashby-Sterry
"The Graphic."

RELIGIONS IN THE GERMAN PARLIAMENT.

The new Reichstag contains 220 Protestants, as compared with 179 in the previous House. There are 141 Roman Catholics, 3 Jews, 2 Old Catholics, 1 Memnonite, and 28 deputies who have declared that they do not belong to any religious body. Of the last-named 27 sit on the Socialist benches, where the three Jews also sit, besides two Roman Catholics and 11 Protestants.—"The Sunday at Home."

TRAMPS.

The habitual tramp is one who shirks work and prefers the lazy and irresponsible role of a beggar who lives on the charity of others. If there were such institutions as labour colonies in Great Britain, and the recommendation of the Poor-Law Commission was practically one for their establishment, it would certainly be a public benefit to consign to their care those who are found going about without any visible means of subsistence on several occasions.—"Country Life."



CHELTENHAM SPRING STEEPLECHASES.

SNAPSHOTS ON OPENING DAY.

- 1 Mr. F. P. Gilbert's "Carfax" winning Southam Hurdle Race.
- 2 In the Paddock. Mr. A. E. Hancock (judge) in centre.
- 3 Miss Geraldine Glazebrook's "Refinement," winner of Open Hunters' Steeplechase, in which there were 21 runners.
- 4 Savage coming in on "Leon," after winning Seven Springs Steeplechase.
- 5 A local "bookie" paying out over Carfax.
- 6 Mr. F. G. Page (clerk of course), in straw hat, and Mr. Charles Castle (secretary and auctioneer).

SHERBORNE AND WINDRUSH CLUBS' FESTIVITIES,
MAY 21, 1907.



COMMITTEE.

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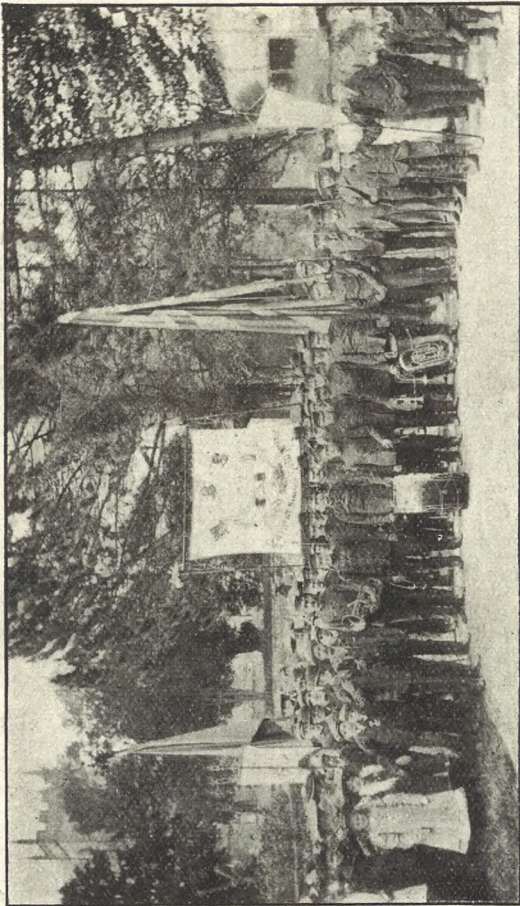
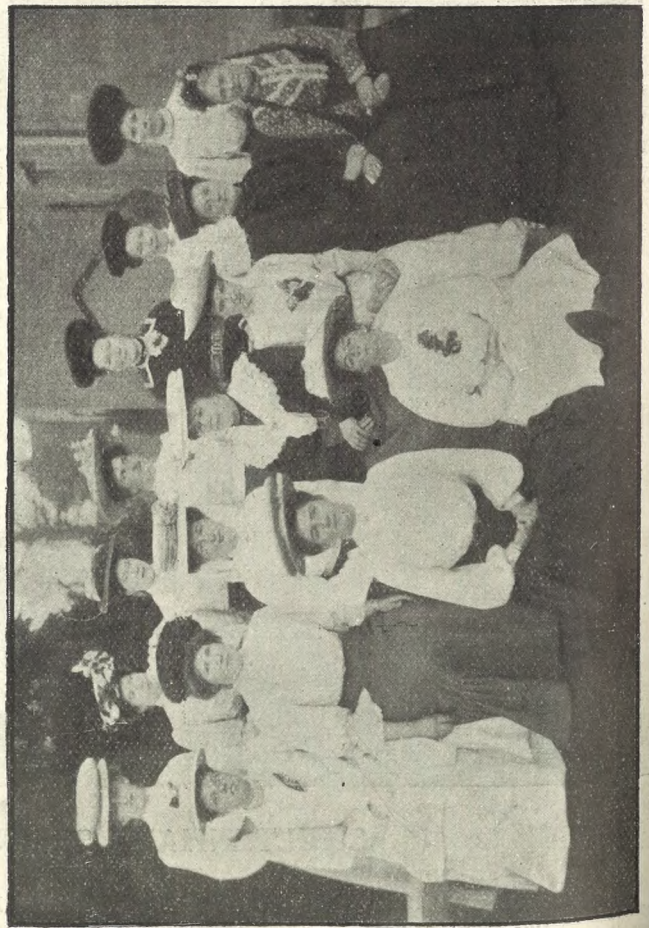


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RETURN FROM CHURCH.



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YOUNG COTSWOLDIANS AT SHERBORNE.