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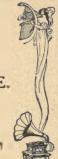




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Marriage of the Member for Cirencester's Daughter.

HOLLOWAY—ESSEX.

METHODIST CHURCH, STREATHAM, JULY 2, 1907.

At the Methodist Church, Riggindale-road, Streatham, on Tuesday afternoon, the wedding took place of Miss Mabel Marie Chinchen Essex, daughter of Mr. R. W. Essex, M.P. for the Circnester Division of Gloucestershire, of Dixcot, Streatham Park, and Mr. Roland Eveleigh Holloway, son of Mr. Henry Holloway, J.P., of Burntwood Grange, Wandsworth.

£8,364 FOR FAMOUS MSS.

The remarkable craze that exists at present for original manuscripts of famous authors was well examplified at Sotheby's rooms on Monday, when the library of Mr. Stuart M. Samuel, M.P., which included manuscripts in the autograph of Burns,

Byron, Pope, Tennyson, Dryden, Lamb, and Shelley, came up for sale. High prices were the order of the day all through the sale, and for the 199 lots sold no less than £8,364 was obtained. The chief lot was Pope's original manuscript of his famous "Essay on Man," which from an opening bid of £100 was eventually secured by Mr. Sabin for £895.



BRISTOL AND GLOUCESTERSHIRE AUTOMOBILE CLUB.

HILL CLIMBING COMPETITIONS AT BIRDLIP, JUNE 29, 1907.

- 1. Superintendent Biggs and police who superintended traffic, etc., on hill, in the official Daimler car.
- Officials and spectators at finishing point.
 Spectators at the top bend.
 Mr. Leslie Young coming up hill in his
 Mr. George Young in his Daimler, coming Daimler.

 - up in the fastest time of the day.



Central Counties Branch of the British Dental Association.

CONFERENCE IN CHELTENHAM, JUNE 28, 1907.

Back row:—S. H. Roe (Birmingham), W. G. Owen (Wolverhampton), G. K. Mallory (Kidderminster), A. Britten (Birmingham).

Second row:—A. E. Apperson (Handsworth), D. Amphlett (Edgbaston), C. H. Howkins (Birmingham), C. Hale Jessop (Oxford), A. W. Wellings (Birmingham), H. P. Pickerill (Birmingham), M. Knott (Birmingham), W. Bowater (Birmingham). A. N. Other (Birmingham), R. Wilcox (Clifton).

Front row:—H. R. F. Brooks (Banbury), F. W. Richards (Birmingham), J. C. Oliver (Cardiff), F. W. Hands President (Cheltenham), A. T. Hilder (Birmingham), T. St. Johnson (Sutton Coldfield).



CUCKOO IN HEDGE-SPARROW'S NEST ON LAWN AT DOWDESWELL RESERVOIR.

The sparrow's egg and young bird were ejected by the sparrow herself to make way for the intruder.

PRIZE COMPETITION.

The 240th prize has been divided between Corke, Wilsford Lodge, St. Tark's, Cheltenham, and Miss Annie

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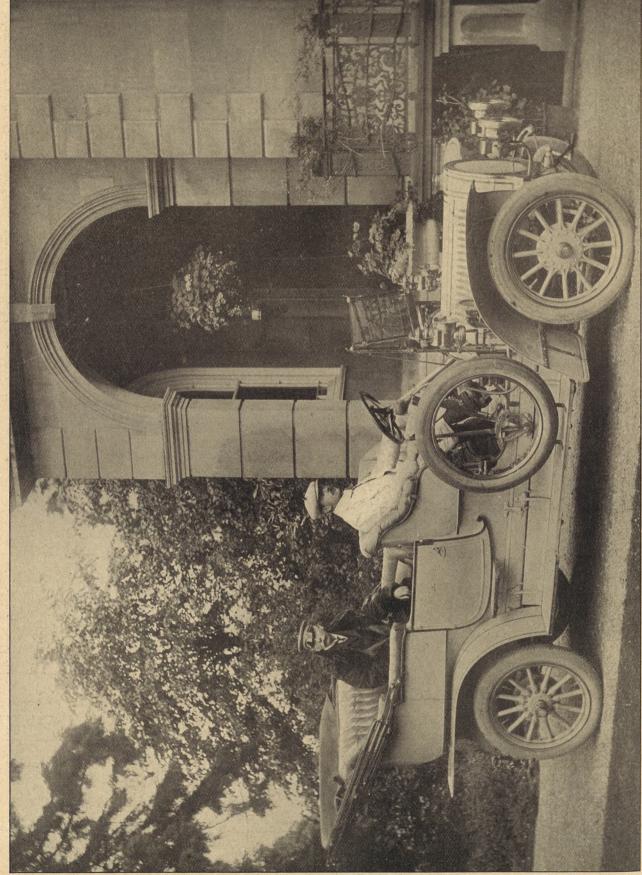
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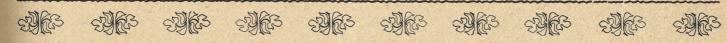


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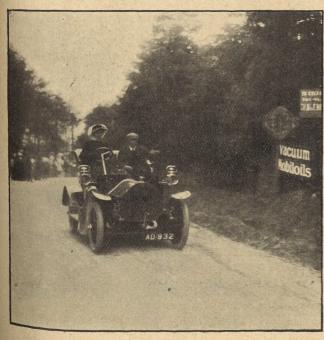
MISS PHYLLIS DARE IN CHELTENHAM at the wheel of a 15 h.p. Humber, supplied by NORTON & Co., Cheltenham.





Competitors ascending Birdlip Hill on Saturday last in Hill Climbing Competition.

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MISS S. M. RATCLIFF ON 10-12 H.P. HUMBER.



MR. C. J. RATCLIFF ON 15 H.P. HUMBER.



COTSWOLD HUNT PUPPY SHOW, June 27th, 1907.

- Judging the puppies.
 C. Beacham carrying in rejected puppies.
 Group of well-known puppy walkers.

- Mrs. C. MacNeill talking to Major P. Shewell.
 Sir Frederick Carrington, Mr. Horlick, and his youngest son are the three foremost figures in group watching judging.
- 6. Mr. T. Moon, with the first prize not puppy, which he walked. Prize on bench behind.

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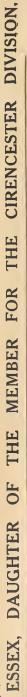
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Gloucestershire Gossin.

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The late General Sir Edward Stanton was a man of whom Gloucestershire folk had a special right to be proud, for he was "native and to the manner born, though, fortunately, he went abroad for his country's good." His distinguished military and diplomatic career was dealt with in an appreciative manner in the "Chronicle," but there was manifestable to be a considerable to the control of the country of the country of the country is a life to the country of the coun one incident in his life missing, and this, I think, deserves to be recalled by reason of the great historic interest and importance the great historic interest and importance attached to it. That incident is thus well described by Mr. Lucien Wolf in an article on "The Story of the Khedive's Shares," which appeared in the "Times" some time ago:—"It was on the 25th of Nov., 1875, in the Khedivial Palace in Cairo, General (now Sir Edward) Stanton, the British Consul-General, and the unhappy Ismail Sadyk Pasha, nicknamed the 'Muffettish,' signed the contract by which the Viceroy's shares in the Suez Canal passed into the possession of Great Britain. As a mere matter of business this transaction has proved remarkbusiness this transaction has proved remarkably, though not unprecedentedly, profitable for this country, and for that reason alone it deserves to be gratefully remembered by the taxpayer, to whom windfalls of any kind are rare, but it is not on that account that it commends itself to the serious attention of the historian. The purchase of the shares was a political act, and it has had tremendous political consequences."

The news just to hand that considerable astonishment has been created in Whitby by the fact that Mr. John Lawson, master of the workhouse there for twenty years, has assumed the title of Sir John Lawson, Bart., which baronetage (said to have become extinct in 1834) he claims was conferred upon his ancestor by King Charles II. in 1665, will probably have a more than passing interest for the Committee of Baronets, which is keeping a watchful eye upon the status and privileges of that body. At all events, the announcement reminds me of a curious incident in connection with Sir Morville Nathaniel Wraxall, 5th baronet, who had somewhat unexpectedly succeeded his brother in the title, and lived in Gloucester about twenty years ago in very unpretentious style, following his avocation as a temperance society's agent. He was described in a "Baronetage" (evidently from particulars supplied and authorised by himself) as having been employed for several years as a pawnbroker's assistant prior to 1882, when he enlisted and served in the Nile expedition and afterwards in the Egyptian service. Candour such as this is not often forthcoming about the antecedents of many of those who have handles to their names.

Writing of names jogs my memory that a riend has called my attention to a remarkable and appropriate conjunction of surnames among four office-bearers at St. Luke's Church, Cheltenham. This conjunction is—Messrs. Cooke and Butler, churchwardens; and Gaiter and Knee, sides churchwardens; and Gaiter and Knee, sidesmen. My readers may remember that I have from time to time referred to some local curiosities in nomenclature, and I venture to think that the above-mentioned examples are not without interest. While on the fitness of names, I should like to mention that, when in Marlborough a few days ago, I noticed the signboard "Bane, chemist," at one shop, and I have not the slightest doubt but what the antidote could be obtained there as well. GLEANER.



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THE LATE MR. WALTER JAMES LIFTON. CHIEF CLERK IN GLOUCESTER DIOCESAN REGISTRY, AN ABLE ARTIST, AND A ZEALOUS FREEMASON. DIED JULY 5, 1907, AGED 59 YEARS.

He is depicted about to give the finishing touches to the portrait of the Right Worshipful Viscount St. Aldwyn, Provincial Grand Master of the Gloucestershire Freemasons.



PRESENTED BY EAST GLOUCESTER LIBERALS TO MISS ESSEX, DAUGHTER OF MR. ESSEX, M.P. FOR THE CIRENCESTER DIVISION, ON THE OCCASION OF HER MARRIAGE.

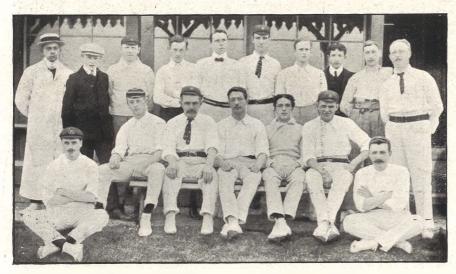


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CHELTENHAM WEDNESDAY EARLY CLOSING C.C.

Standing:-F. King (umpire), A. Phipps (scorer), A. N. Cole (president), R. Taylor, B. Goulding, W. E. Hart, E. James, W. Saunders, S. Harper, H. F. Comely.

Sitting:-W. G. Barrett, M. Pearman, A. Hinkley, G. E. Lane (captain), A. Gibbon, E. Zebedee (secretary), W. Zebedee.

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The 241st prize has been divided between Mr. C. Probert, 58 Brighton-road, and Mr. J. W. Hawling, jun., 1 Mona-place, Hale's-road, for reports of sermons by the Rev. W. Fairlie Clarke at St. John's and the Rev. J. Lloyd Davies at Highbury, Cheltenham.

The sermons will be found in the main



REV. E. ASTON,

three years Superintendent Minister of the Primitive Methodist Church in Cheltenham. Removed to Withernsea, near Hull.



CHARLES AVERISS,

the carter who was killed at Bishop's Cleeve on June 22, 1907, by a fall from his cart.

A MILLION STATE EMPLOYEES.

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The public, through the Executive Government, are by far the biggest employer of labour in the country. The Army, Navy, Civil Service, Post-office, and so on account in round numbers for say 1,000,000 persons, whose wages are paid by the State. Now the State is you and I and the rest of us, a piece of machinery to do our work, so that, getting down to bedrock, we are responsible for this crowd; responsible if they are ill-paid, ill-treated; responsible also if, on the other hand, they do not give a fair return for the money they are paid.—"London Opinion."



Present and Past Huntsmen at Earl Bathurst's Puppy Judging,

JULY 6, 1907.





Standing — Will Rawle (ex-huntsman Lord Fitzhardinge's), Will Dale (Duke of Beaufert's), Nimrod Long (ex-huntsman), Charles Travess (Cotswold), Jim Cooper (Earl Bathurst's), and Ben Wilkinson (South Staffordshire).

Sitting:—G. Whitmore (Atherstone), Will Gilbert (Lord Fitzhardinge's), E. Judd (Mr. Butt Miller's), and Sid Dale (First whip Tedworth).





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MISS M. J. OSBORNE, GLOUCESTER-ROAD INFANTS' SCHOOL.

FACTS IN RESPECT OF ALCOHOL.

It is a fact that an appalling array of diseases is caused by immoderate drinkingacute poisoning, insanity, epileptoid seizures and paralysis; and it is a fact that crime, immorality, and every horror, physical and moral, attend the drunkard on his way through the world; but we are as yet without exact information to show that the really moderate use of alcohol conduces to any of these things, or causes other pathological conditions, or exaggerates such conditions when they arise from independent origin.— "The Academy." and paralysis; and it is a fact that crime,

THE MILLIONAIRE & HIS WEALTH.

It is the favourite boast of the sentimental millionaire that he holds his wealth in trust for humanity—in other words, that he has been chosen by an all-wise Providence to be the universal almsgiver of mankind. The arrogance of this boast is unsurpassable. To be rich is within the compass of any man gifted or cursed with an acquisitive temperament. No one may give to another save in humbleness of spirit. And there is not a millionaire in America who does not think that he is fit to perform a delicate duty which has eluded the wise of all ages.—"Blackwood's Magazine." the universal almsgiver of mankind.

Gloucestershire Gossip.

Nowhere more than in this county was the victory acclaimed of Capt. Willie Darell in carrying off the Diamond Challenge Sculls at carrying off the Diamond Challenge Sculls at Henley. For the gallant captain is really one of us as the second of the three sons of Sir Lionel Darell, the genial baronet of Fretherne Court, all of whom he has consecrated to the service of his Sovereign and country in the Army. Capt. Willie was brought up by the waterside, twixt Severn and canal, and from his earliest infancy he was among rowing people, and at the annual regatta held for many years past at Framilode-on-Severn, quite close to his home, and of which his worthy father is chief patron. He is also an old Wykehamist, and for two years was president of the Winchester Colyears was president of the Winchester College Boat Club. And from the time that he joined the Brigade of Guards he was a regular competitor at various regattas on the Thames, with a good amount of success, too. His winning of the Diamonds has firmly set the seal to Capt. Darell's high reputation as an amateur oarsman.

It seems peculiarly appropriate that a man so much at home and invincible on the water should belong to the Coldstreams, for that is should belong to the Coldstreams, for that is Capt. Darell's regiment of the Guards. One of the tallest of officers in the Army, the gallant captain 'served with distinction throughout the Boer War, and, happily, came out unscathed from that terrible campaign. He was engaged in Lord Methuen's first battles in the advance on Kimberley; in fact, he was in no fewer than thirteen engagements, including, curiously enough, ments including, curiously enough, "Diamond" Hill. As signalling officer for a long time to mobile columns after the Boers, he did most useful and excellent work. wonder there were great rejoicings at Fretherne in August, 1902, when this brave officer returned home safe and sound. He was then presented with a congratulatory address and several handsome presents, in cluding a gold watch from Sir Lionel Darell's tenantry and the parishioners. I have no doubt but that they would like to give him a "Diamond" gift now. At all events, it goes without saying that there will be a present freely forthcoming on the occasion of his marriage, when that event for "pairs" comes oil in the not far distant future.

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I think it is as good as settled that Gloucester will be the locale of the exhibition of the Royal Agricultural Society in 1909. The Mayor and Corporation of the city have moved to present to the society the formal invitation, which there is good reason to believe will be cordially accepted, as this great agricultural combination is anyious to believe will be cordially accepted, as this great agricultural combination is anxious to pitch its tents in the West; and Gloucester, by reason of its splendid geographical position on two main trunk railways, is regarded as the ideal place. It would not be the first visit of the R.A.S.E. to the ancient city, for it was there in 1853, and would have gone there in 1892 if the claims of Warwick and the influence exerted in its behalf had not the influence exerted in its behalf had not prevailed. Gloucester, as the county town, is wise in seeking the support of the County Council and the Corporations of Cheltenham and Tewkesbury.

GLEANER.

THE LAVISH LIFE.

It may be all very well to listen to the doctrine of the Simple Life preached on every side, but apparently, though all believe in the theory, no one dreams of ever putting it into practice; the one idea of the moment being to outshine all previous efforts and to best all presents of attentions. beat all records of extravagance and lavish entertaining.—"London Opinion."

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CHURCH OF ENGLAND MEN'S SOCIETY.—CONFERENCE AT CIRENCESTER, JULY 6, 1907. SIX SNAPSHOTS.



MR. THOMAS KINGSCOTE, M.V.O., of The Abbey, where the reception was held.



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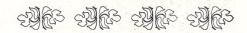
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ARCHDEACON SCOBELL.



MEMBERS FROM ST. JOHN'S, CHELTENHAM.



JULY WEATHER.

July, God send thee calm and fayre, That happy harvest we may see: With quyet time and healthsome ayre, And man to God may thankful bee.

No tempest, good July!
Lest the corn look ruely.

* * *
Tall rain, more or less, forty days together.

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S. Swithin's Day, if thou dost rain, For forty days it will remain.
S. Swithin's Day, if thou be'est fair, For forty days 'twill rain nae mair.

KITES AS WEATHER PROPHETS.

In past years meteorologists have been handicapped by their lack of knowledge concerning what may be going on in the upper air. In recent years they have however, learnt much from observations made by means of kites. This problem is to be still further pursued at the end of the present month, when the meteorological offices of Europe and America are proposing to fly kites for a whole week. Balloons also will play a prominent part in this international aerial picnic. Meteorological kites are nowadays sent to great heights, four or five miles above the ground level having already been

THEIR SPEEDS COMPARED.

As the result of experiments (says a writer in "Cassell's Saturday Journal'") it has been found that the greyhound is the fastest of all gallop it can cover twenty yards a second, or about a mile in a minute and twenty-eight seconds—a speed that comes very near that of a carrier pigeon. There are few thoroughfour-footed animals. When going at full bred horses that can exceed nineteen yards a second. Foxhounds have a record of four miles in six and a half minutes, or about eighteen yards a second

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CIRENCESTER CARNIVAL, JULY 4, 1907.



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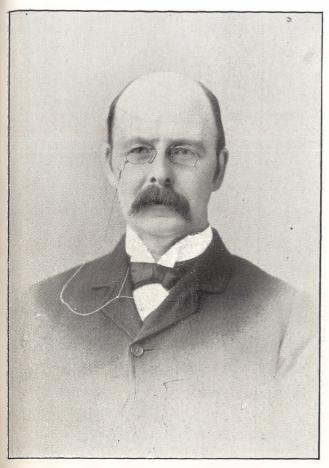


THE BROTHERS REYNOLDS in their quaint get-up, for which they received third prize.

A RECIPE.

The best recipe for melodrama: Take your villain and soak him for at least ten minutes in dreams of a romantic marriage, with or without money alternately, then mix with desperate subordinate and allow both to stew into crime. Introduce Wicked Woman who hates Good, and thicken with comic

element, after which apply hero as dressing, firmly moulded so as to present the fine outer crust of heroine, by whole is made digestible. Given this crecipe and an expert will accomplish ful things, because human nature is wonderful if only it will let itself so "P.T.O."



MR. A. E. SMITH, OF NAILSWORTH, NEW PRESIDENT WILTS AND GLOUCESTERSHIRE INCORPORATED LAW SOCIETY.





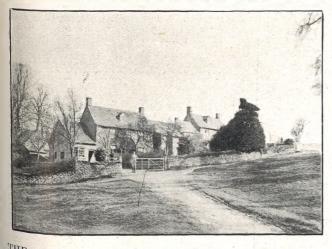








GOLDEN WEDDING. MR. AND MRS. FLETCHER, OF BRIGHTON-ROAD, CHELTENHAM. Married at Cambray Chapel, Cheltenham, July 2, 1857.



THE PEACOCK ARBOUR AT GREAT RISSINGTON.



















THE RECTOR OF GREAT RISSINGTON (REV. H. MADAN PRATT) AT THE WELL.

OUR LAW SYSTEM WRONG.

as criminal jurisdiction is consays Mr. Atherley-Jones, K.C.,
in "Cassell's Saturday Journal," I give larger jurisdiction to Quarter

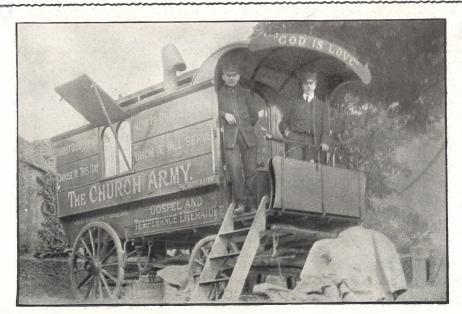
Sessions, and I suggest that all chairmen of Quarter Sessions should be qualified barristers. With the institution of this reform the work at Assizes would not be scamped—unavoidably scamped—as it is now.

I am not making any reflections on the Courts, please remember. I am criticising the system, under which a judge has more than he can do in one town and nothing to do in another.



NAVAL WEDDING IN CHELTENHAM, JULY 6, 1907. LIEUT. R. C. HALAHAN AND MISS G. W. GWATKIN-WILLIAMS.

This beautiful and unique wedding cake was designed, modelled, and executed by Mr. A. T. Cox, the well-known high-class confectioner, and is the first model of a submarine that has been supplied at a naval wedding. The model of a fort blockhouse, together with some thirty lifebuoys suspended round the cake, were named after the various ships the gallant officer has served on.



GLOUCESTER DIOCESAN CHURCH ARMY VAN AT GREAT RISSINGTON. CAPTAIN A. E. WELCH AND MR. H. H. PRITCHARD.

A WIFE'S APPEAL.

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Couldst thou but know that Death would come and take me
In one short year,
How newly, strangely sweet the thought would make me,
How doubly dear!
How tenderly they hand in mine would linger
At each good-bye,
Hadst thou but seen, by Fear's forewarningfinger,
That I should die!

If but these hands of mine, now ever plying Some wifely task,
Instead lay crossed in that long rest the Dying Alone may ask,
How many tests and kisses would caress them—
Poor hands grown chill!
Ah, if but one such tender touch would bless them
Ere they lie still!

I know thy heart is true; I know it holds me
Dearest and best;
But never now thy sheltering arm enfolds me
Bidding me rest.
Never we pause to sit and count together
Love's wealth unpriced,
As when of old, in life's first golden weather,
Our hearts kept tryst.

Ah, wait not till the grass grown green above me Where yew-trees sway,
To show and prove at last how thou canst love me—
Show me to-day!
Leave not the flower of life for Death to gather With roses rife
Crown not the lifeless clay, dear heart, but rather The living wife.

Bournemouth.

S. GERTRUDE FORD

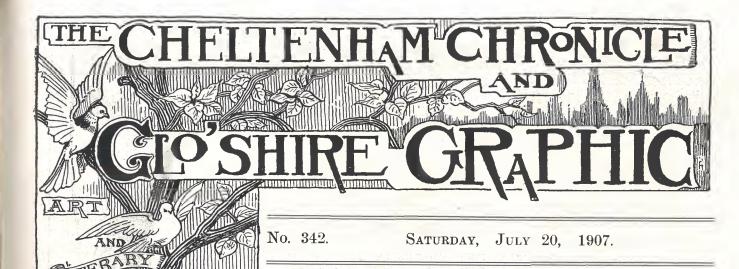
GUARDED BY CROCODILES.

Iron safes being difficult to obtain, and his subjects being in many cases adroit thieves, the King of Annam (says "Cassell's Saturday Journal") some time, ago resorted to an ingenius method of safeguarding his treasures. In the interior of his palace the King caused the construction of a large tank, which he kept constantly filled with water. Then he took several teak logs, which he had had bored with holes, and into these holes he packed his valuables. The holes were then closed and the logs put into the tank. Next a number of large and fierce crocodiles were placed in the tank and kept on short rations. placed in the tank and kept on short rations, so that any thief who attempted to get at the treasure would prove a tempting meal for the reptiles. Between the water and the croco-diles the King's treasures are safe from both fire and thieves.

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A CELEBRATED CASE OF LONGEVITY.

One of the most celebrated cases longevity is that of the fifteenth-cen under Venetian, Luigi Cornaro, who at forty a physical wreck, but yet lived to hundred and three. Cornaro, up to lived the life of the wealthy and unempitalian of his period; he ate and dran much, rested too little, and consequent became seriously ill. Then he was industred to his physicians, a lie methods and results of the simple embodied in four pamphlets writterspective ages of eighty-three, ninety-one, and ninety-five. Noth seriously intelligent veteran, noting down by which he had built up his body it. His first step was to confine such foods as invalids might ear, the end of a year he found himself "How to Become a Centen ian".



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BEAUTY'S DANGERS.

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I am prepared to admit that girls on the stage are confronted with greater temptations than are their sisters in other callings. In no other profession are good looks regarded as such an important asset as in the theatre, and it seems to me but a natural and perfectly logical consequence that, since physical allurements are common among theatrical women, pestering attentions from the opposite sex should also be common. Beauty was ever tempted, whatever the walk in life—the plain clever girl has the best time after all.—"London Opinion."

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A fraction over half a crown, said Mr. Asquith in the House of Commons on Wednesday, was the average sum paid in tea-duty by every person in the kingdom.

A rural postman named Brick, who has retired at Penybont, Radnorshire, has walked 180,000 miles in the performance of his duties during thirty-four years. For twenty-three years he had to walk to and from Llanbadarn-Fynydd, a distance of twenty-four miles.

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Gloucestershire Gossip.

Churchdown Parish Council keeps pegging away at the two railway companies to put in a siding at the station there, but it does not get "much forrarder" in its object. For I hear that a recent renewal of its application has been again met by a non possumus on the part of the companies. The attitude main-tained by the latter is certainly a strong and reasonable one. They do not see why they should spend at least five thousand pounds to make a safe interlocked station-yard (a to make a safe interlocked station-yard (a mere siding would stand no chance of being allowed by the Board of Trade), in order that the Chosen people may get their goods delivered almost at their doors, and thus save the cost of hauling them from Cheltenham or Gloucester, at which places the companies now receive the bulk of the goods traffic for this intermediate station. If in the not improbable event of one or other or both of the companies deciding at some future time to quadruple the double line between Lansdown Junction and Gloucester to take the down Junction and Gloucester to take the ever increasing traffic upon it, I should say that then, and not till then, Churchdown will that then, and not till then, Churchdown will get its good yard. I understand it is provisionally arranged to open the Great Western passenger station at Malvern-road, Cheltenham, on October 1st next, so as to be available for the new service of fast trains between Birmingham, via the Honeybourne branch, and Bristol and South Wales. Then the relaid T loop at Gloucester will come into full play for Bristol trains, and it will be necessary for the Great Western to connect at Standish Junction with the Midland nect at Standish Junction with the Midland Railway, over which they have running powers to Bristol. The station at Chequers' Bridge will follow, and until that is ready I suppose Gloucester passengers will have to change at Malvern-road.

A Stroud journalist was so bewildered at seeing the train de luxe that the Great Western Railway Co. provides for the use of the Royal Family rush through his station en route to Cardiff on the 12th inst. that he actually wrote: "There was a knot of people on the platform, but the blinds of the special saloon were drawn and only a few caught a glimpse of his Majesty." I must say that imagination went a long way there. If they had only taken an intelligent interest beforehand in the King's movements they would have seen by the newspapers that his Majesty was on the sea at the time they believed they saw him. I have seen the instructions issued by the G.W.R. Co. as to the working of the royal train from Cardiff to Paddington, via the Severn Tunnel, on the 13th inst. They cover four pages of print and show the elaborate precautions taken to safeguard this patch is a conversed their Majesties, not train, which conveyed their Majesties, not through Stroud though.

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The passage through this county of Lady Arthur Grosvenor, masquerading as a basket-selling gipsy ("Syeira Lee") with a living van, duly noted by the "Echo, reminds me that that omniscient paper was the first to discover just seven years ago in "Eric Leith," who had died in an elegant van containing, among other things, automatic pictures and a musical box, which he had been showing in a remote village in the north-eastern corner of this county, none other than the Hon. Eric James Lascelles, the eccentric half-brother of the present Earl the eccentric half-brother of the present Earl This case caused considerof Harewood. GLEANER. able sensation.

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SOUTH AFRICAN WAR MEMORIAL CHELTENHAM PROMENADE.

UNVEILED BY GEN. SIR IAN HAMILTON JULY 17, 1907.

CROMWELL'S BOOTS SOLD.

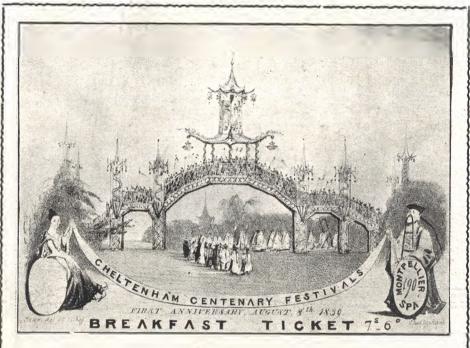
Discovered during excavations at Canon-bury Tower, Islington, about thirty years ago, a pair of riding boots, said to have been worn by Oliver Cromwell, were on Tuesday sold at Mr. J. C. Stevens's rooms for eight and a half gnineas.

An elderly lady, before kissing the Testament at Wandsworth County Court, covered it with a dainty cambric handkerchief.

Having invited applications for positions as teachers in two new schools, Willesden Ditrict Council have received 11,789 replies.

A pair of sparrows have built a nest in the plume of the helmet of Sir Hugh Rose equestrian statue at Knightsbridge.

* Miss Marie Corelli, in a preface to her latest volume, writes in scathing terms of marriages made in certain sections of society



CHELTENHAM SPA CENTENARY CELEBRATIONS.

[This is a facsimile of a ticket issued in 1839, and lent us by a Birdlip gentleman.]



SHIPTON OLIFFE FORESTERS' CHURCH PARADE, SUNDAY, JULY 7, 1907.

Back row:—Bros. Geo. Kilbey, J.W.; E. E. Rogers, P.D.C.R. (secretary of Court Pride of Shipton); C. Webb, P.C. (trustee of Court); J. Claridge, S.B.; John Wyatt, P.S.C.R.

Sitting:—Bros. T. Wood, C.R. (chairman of Court); Andrew Walker, P.C.R. (a trustee); G. C. Pratley (district secretary); Joseph Kilbey, P.C.R. (treasurer).



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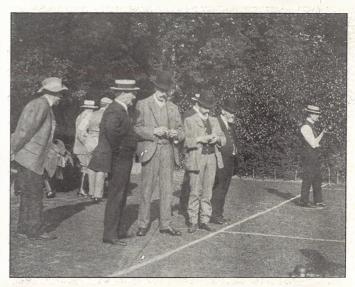
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SOUTH AFRICAN WAR MEMORIAL IN CHELTENHAM PROMENADE.



BOWLS.—COUNTY CUP AT TEWKESBURY BELL HOTEL GREEN, JULY 11, 1907.

EXMOUTH (CHELTENHAM) v. LONGFORD (GLOUCESTER). Longford won by 22 points.



GUARDIAN BARTON AND MR. GUNNING IN FOREGROUND.



COUNCILLOR GREEN IN FOREGROUND.



DECIDING THE POINTS.
(COUNCILLOR MARGRETT IN BACKGROUND).



EAST GLOUCESTERSHIRE LAWN TENNIS TOURNAMENT FINALS, JULY 13, 1907. Spectators watching play. Finalists in Men's Open Doubles (reading left to right): E. Marsden, G. A. Thomas (winners), Capt. Gresson, G. T. Unwin. B. Harrison winning Men's Singles Handicap. AMR. H. C. Manners scoring. S. Messrs. H. and W. Carter, of Gloucester, knocked out in semi-final of Men's Doubles. Doubles. Doubles. B. Miss Hogarth playing in one of the final she figured in three.

- Spectators watching play.
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FAIRFORD CARNIVAL, JULY 11, 1907.



MR. GANTLETT'S CAR-"DANCING ROUND THE MAYPOLE."



MR. A. K. ILES WITH DONKEY FOUR-IN-HAND.

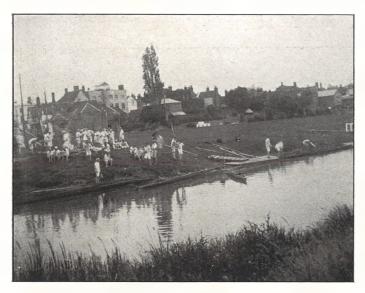


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MISS COBEN'S CAR-MISSES TURNER, MAY, NASH, AND COBEN AS PORTUGUESE LADIES. MR. F. KEYLOCK DRIVING. "CINDERELLA AND CLASS SLIPPER" CAR.





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GETTING AFLOAT FOR THE ANNUAL BUMPING RACES
ON THE SEVERN AT TEWKESBURY, JULY 13, 1907.



MOTOR AND CYCLE COLLISION NEAR TEWKESBURY,
JULY 14, 1907.
SIMMONDS'S MACHINE AFTER THE SMASH.



GENERAL SIR IAN HAMILTON, K.C.B., D.S.O., who unveiled the Cheltenham War Memorial, July 17, 1907.



Photo by J. Holloway, Cheltenham.

REV. JOHN EVANS, B.A.,

OF CHELTENHAM.

DIED JULY 13, 1907, AGED 83 YEARS.



an old member of the Cheltenham Company 2nd V.B.G.R., who went out to the South African War in 1900, and is now a sergeantmajor in Baden-Powell's Police,



COLN ST. DENYS CLUB FEAST.
OLN VALLEY BENEFIT SOCIETY

(COLN VALLEY BENEFIT SOCIETY), OFFICIALS, MEMBERS, AND FRIENDS.

Mr. Aubrey Handy (president) seated in centre with hat off. Mr. M. G. Randall (secretary) seated on ground on right with hat off.

Photo by Barry Burge, Northleach.

PRIZE COMPETITION.

The 242nd prize has been awarded to Miss-Dorothy R. Griffin, of St. Margaret's Villa, North-place; Cheltenham, for her report of sermon by the Rev. A. P. Cox at Christ Church, Cheltenham.

The sermons will be found in the main sheet.

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SATURDAY, JULY 27, 1907.

MONTPELLIER BARDENS, CHELTENHAM.

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REV. J. G. DERRICK, B.A.,
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A BLIND POULTRY FARMER.

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Captain Peirson Webber, a retired Army officer, who is absolutely blind, has accomplished a remarkable feat in going through a three months' course in poultry farming at University College, Reading. In competition with large numbers of students in full possession of their sight he has secured a high place in the final list. Capt. Webber when he became blind devoted himself to poultry farm-

ing on a farm at Stockton, near Rugby, and rapidly made it a success. Despite his affliction he fed the fowls himself, collected the eggs, attended to sitting hens, and did the miscellaneous work. He devised many improvements in methods and has invented ingenious appliances.

A box containing 1,006 sovereigns was accidentally dropped overboard from the steamer Fiona, when in Suva Harbour (Fiji), and is considered irrecoverable.

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Gloucestershire Gossip.

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I am fully aware that considerable trouble was taken by the persons responsible in preparing the list of Cheltenham men to be recorded on the War Memorial that was so successfully unveiled on the 17th inst. They had a difficult task in tracing names and then deciding which of them to include in this category, and, therefore, I am not surprised that a few errors occurred in inclusions and exclusions. They succeeded in tabulating sixty men who, either as Regulars or Volunteers, died in their country's service, and some 108 who volunteered and served in the war. On casually comparing the names of the deceased with those on the tablets of the County Memorial window in the Chapter House of the Cathedral to the Gloucestershire men (469) who fell, I see that some of them, but not all, figure in both records. I notice that the names of Col. E. C. Knox, 18th Hussars; Col. W. H. Dick-Cunyngham, the Gordons; and Lieut. G. C. D. Fergusson, Rifle Brigade (the omission of which, among others, from the County Memorial I pointed out at the time) are duly recorded on the Cheltenham scroll of fame. But I cannot understand the absence from the latter (although it is on the College monument) of the name of Lieut. Stanley Reay Theobald, 9th Lancers, which appears on the Cathedral window. Still, there is yet time to remedy this omission, and I have no doubt but what it will be done, together with the correction of mistakes that come to light, including the removal from the dead to the living scroll of the name of ex-Sergt. W. E. Tanner, who writes to the "Echo' a sarcastic letter, stating that he finds to his amazement that he is dead! I only hope that others may be found thus resurrected.



A recent visit to the Cathedral enables me to report that the north and east faces of the tower are fully "poled, to enable the masons to carry on the work of renovation; that the costly memorial clock to Canon "Bat" Price is now keeping fairly good time; and that non-choral services have been the order for the last fortnight, as the choir is holidaying and some of the organ parts have been sent to London for renewal. The question of a Kinetic blower is still in abeyance, but I believe that and an experimental installation of electricity for lighting purposes will be forthcoming before the Musical Festival:

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My belief in the coming of the Royal Agricultural Society to Gloucester in 1909 has been strongly strengthened by the favourable impressions that the Site Committee formed during their recent visit to the city. When a leading man like Sir Gilbert Greenall says, as he did at the Mayor's Greenall says, as he did at the Mayor's luncheon, "I feel certain that everybody who has seen the site this morning is of but one opinion, and that is, all things taken into consideration, that we shall come to Gloucester in 1909," the visit is practically assured. That particular site is part of the Wotton Court Estate, the only one that the committee inspected, so satisfied were they with it. It is situated on the Cheltenham side of Gloucester and is also within easy reach of the Garden Town by road, should Cheltonians care to drive or motor there; or by rail, either from Churchdown or Gloucester. The visit of the society to the county town should be a benefit to the county at large, and as there will not be sufficient hotel accommodation at Gloucester for the expected visitors, Cheltenham, Stroud, and other adjacent towns will doubtless get the overflow.



"CAMBRIDGE" DIVIDEND AND SICK BENEFIT SOCIETY, CHELTENHAM, SEVENTH ANNUAL OUTING.

Top row:—E. Jones, T. Bradley, H. Cook, S. Such, W. Coates.
Second row:—F. Kear, M. O'Hagan, W. Wollett, J. Such, G. Richards, C. Bishop, C. James, A. Crowther, G. Pratt, T. Mills.
Third row:—W. Williams, J. Baldwin, W. H. Sparrow, C. H. Pyke, F. James, J. H. Bullock, C. J. Ireland.
Fourth row:—Z. Morgan, A. C. Pyke, H. Clifton, —. Mills, F. B. Bludward.



MR. FRED. STEPHENS,
THE WELL-KNOWN LONDON HUMORIST,
WHO IS APPEARING AT MONTPELLIER GARDEN NEXT WEEK.

Captain Willie Darell, the able amateur oarsman, was educated at Eton, and not at Winchester as stated, and thence he proceeded to the Royal Military College, where he took the sword of honour and passed out with honours into the Brigade of Guards. He has continued his conquering career.

GLEANER.

PRIZE COMPETITION.

The 243rd prize has been divided between Miss F. E. Gregory, Norwood House, Cheltenham, and Mr. J. W. Howling, jun., of Mona-place, Hale's-road, Cheltenham, for reports of sermons by the Rev. Dr. Flecke at St. James's and Rev. J. Lloyd Davies a Highbury Congregational Church, Chelte ham.



CROQUET WEEK AT EAST GLOUCESTERSHIRE GROUND,

JULY 15 TO 20, 1907.

Spectators watching Singles final between
 Miss Coote and R. S. G. Butson.
 Four well-known players at tea—(reading left to right) Miss Coote, who won Open Singles Challenge Cup, Miss Bramwell,

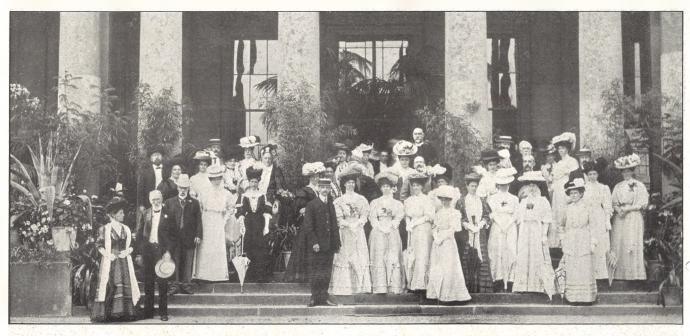
Miss Lousada, and Mr. R. S. G. Butson, who was defeated by Miss Coote in final. 3. Miss Barry, who with her brother won the

Doubles.

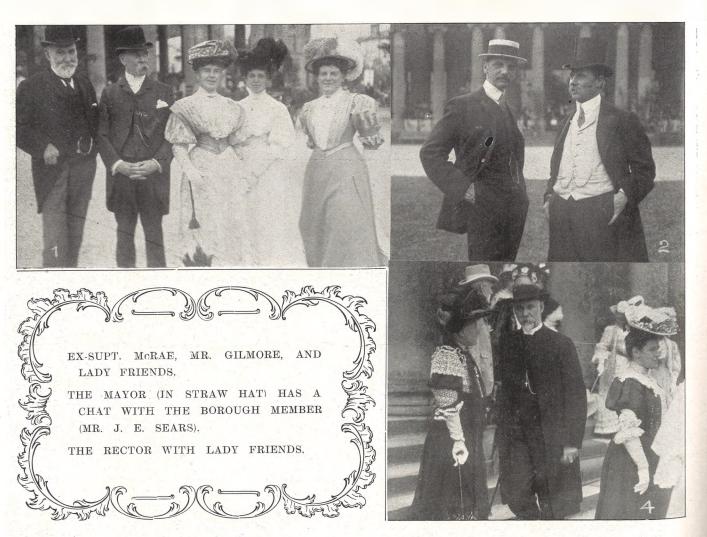
Mr. W. N. Unwin taking tea with lady friends.
 Mr. M. Barry, ex-holder of Championship Cup, seated in front. Capt. J. L. Locke, manager of tournament, walking in front.

CHELTENHAM CHRONICLE AND GLOUCESTERSHIRE GRAPHIC, JULY 27, 1907.

THE MAYOR OF CHELTENHAM'S GARDEN PARTY, PITTVILLE PARK, JULY 18, 1907.



THE MAYOR AND MAYORESS RECEIVED THEIR GUESTS ON THE PUMP-ROOM STEPS. THE MAYOR (ALD. W. N. SKILLICORNE) AND HIS TWO SISTERS ARE IN CENTRE OF PICTURE. THE NEW RECTOR IS ALSO STANDING IN CENTRE, AT THE BACK.





GUESTS AT TEA.



VIEW TAKEN FROM PUMP-ROOM DOME WHILE PARTY WAS IN PROGRESS.



Photo by W. H. Harding, Winchcombe.

STANWAY CHOIR.

Stanway Big House in Background.



FORTHCOMING WINCHCOMBE FETE AND CARNIVAL, AUGUST BANK HOLIDAY, 1907.—GENERAL ORGANISING COMMITTEE, Back row:—F. Fawdry, G. C. Davis, J. Taylor, W. J. Edwards.
Second row:—J. C. Clapton, A. Day, W. Wilkes, H. Hall, H. White, G. Sinton, G. Jeffries, C. Hall, D. Drinkwater.
Front row:—G. Tovey, E. E. Allen (joint hon. secretary), H. Mason (president), S. G. Pearson (treasurer), B. Phelps (joint honsecretary), and E. J. James.

Photo by W. H. Harding, Winchcombe.



FUNERAL OF REV. JAMES OWEN AT LECKHAMPTON,

JULY 19, 1907.

- Scene at graveside.
 Children from Rutland-street Sunday School round grave.
 School round grave.
 Crowd passing grave after funeral.
 Part of procession to churchyard.
- 5. Choir boys from Cheltenham College going to churchyard.



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one of the most successful competitors at Bisley. He was fourth in the King's Prize Competition, winning the N.R.A. gold badge and £30. Among his other successes he won the Donegal Cup, value £500; won outright the Imperial Tobacco Co's Trophy, value 50 gns.; and divided the prize money in the St.George's Challenge Vase Competition. Altogether he won over £100 in money 6



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INSECTS AND PESTS. A NEW LAW IN OPERATION.

The Destructive Insects and Pests Act, 1907, came into force on Monday by virtue of an Order of the Board of Agriculture relatan Order of the Board of Agriculture relating to gooseberry mildew. By this Act the Orders and operations made under what is popularly known as the Colorado Potato Beetle Act are extended to all injurious insects and pests. The Board of Agriculture can make such Orders as they think expedient for preventing the introduction of any such pest; they can also prohibit or regulate the importation of any vegetable substance or other article likely to introduce the pest; and can direct or authorise the substance or other article likely to introduce the pest; and can direct or authorise the destruction of such articles, if landed. Any articles landed illegally, and in contradic-tion of such Orders, can be seized by the Customs and forfeited. Orders may be made, as the Board (or Department) think expe-dient, for preventing the spreading of the pest, and in this connection the powers given are very comprehensive. Power is given to are very comprehensive. Power is given to direct or authorise the removal or destruction of any crop, trees, or bushes, or other substance on which the pest in any state of existence is found, or to or by means of which the pest may appear likely to spread; and to enter on any lands for the purpose of such destruction or removal, or for examina-tion or inquiry, or any other purpose. The sale of specimens of the pest can be prohibited, while penalties for offences against any of the Orders can be imposed.

The Order just made in relation to gooseberry mildew applies to Gloucestershire and

Worcestershire.

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Father Vaughan, in reply to a protest by the Drapers' Chamber of Trade against re-marks attributed to him, said that he did not criticise young women in drapery establishments, but said that he would rather put a girl behind a bar where a living wage is paid than behind the counter of some shops where a starvation wage is paid.

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