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A NORTHLEACH WEDDING.



SERGT. DOWDING (1st LEICESTER REGIMENT) AND MISS ANNIE (NANCY) GILLETT.

Standing:—Miss Beatrice Gillett (bridesmaid), Miss Emma Gillett, Sergeant Wannop (Scots Guards), Mrs. Jenkins, Mr. Dowding (father of bridegroom), Miss Emily Gillett.

Sitting:—Mrs. Gillett (mother of bride), the Bridegroom, the Bride, Mr. Gillett (father of bride).

Photo by Barry Burge, Northleach.

THE BELATED LONDONER.

The loiterer in town, after the mode has issued its decree of departure, experiences a strange sensation of elbow-room. That sensation is both physical and, so to say, social. Does our belated Londoner desire to lunch or dine at a restaurant? Instead of having to fight for a seat, and to dispute the attention of an over-worked waiter with a dozen equally hungry and thirsty clients, he finds himself the object of an amiable empressment; the best seat in the corner, out of the draught, is reserved for him; the best dish on

the carte du jour is suggested to him; his wine is not over-iced; his cutlets are not cold. In short, instead of being anybody—or nobody—he is somebody. And that very practical distinction follows him everywhere—to the exhibitions, to the theatre, and even to divine service on Sundays. Added to which he can wear what he pleases, and nobody will stare superciliously at his costume. Yes, for the man who likes to take his ease, London in the "dead" season has a subtle charm, an aftermath of quiet enjoyment, only known to those who have tasted its sober sweetness.—"The Graphic."



MISS KATHLEEN TAYLER,
COALYARD FARM, NORTHLEACH,
winner of first prize in fancy bicycle parade
at Northleach Flower Show.
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Sermon Summary Competition.

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Big Fire at Tewkesbury. Walker's Works Burnt Down.

September 2nd, 1908.



1.—SCENE AT NIGHT, WITH FIRE BURNING FIERCELY.
2.—THE GUTTED PREMISES, WITH FIREMEN STILL PLAYING ON FIRE.
Photos by Mallett, Tewkesbury.

MAN'S INCONSISTENCY.

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Man is a curiously inconsistent creature. He rears droves of cattle and sheep, surrounds them with comforts, feeds, educates, even amuses them, so that in the end their flesh may be sweet upon his tongue. He does the same with poultry. Man who does all this can yet weep sentimental tears over the cruel fate of stray cats and vivisectioned dogs, and publish appeal after appeal to femininity to refrain from the osprey in the hat and to the small boy not to rob birds' nests or stone the winged dwellers therein.—"Irish Homestead," Dublin.

IRISH CENTENARIANS.

Seven hundred of the persons who died in Ireland last year were stated to be ninety-five years of age or upwards, and no fewer than 145 (71 males and 74 females) were reported to be a hundred or upwards. In the absence of public records for remote periods (says the Registrar-General) absolute verification of the ages of very old persons is not obtainable, but secondary enquiries having been made as regards persons returned during some recent years as centenarians it was found that the age was correctly stated in almost every instance, so far as the registrars could ascertain.

NORTH CERNEY FLOWER SHOW, AUGUST 27, 1908.



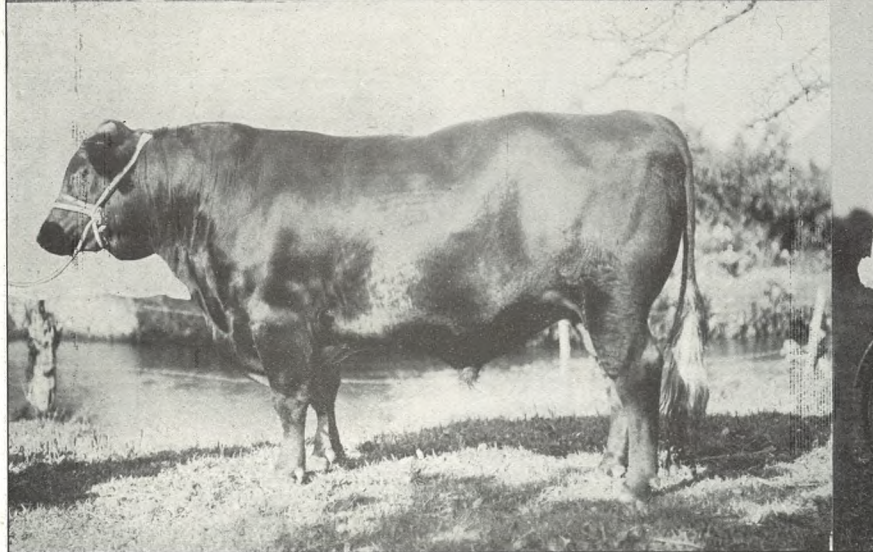
COMMITTEE AND JUDGES.

Back row:—C. Habgood, H. J. Mason, G. Orpet (Cirencester, judge), H. R. Saunders, C. Williams, F. Hands, J. Maddocks (Cowley Manor, judge), J. Mason, W. Gegg.

Front row:—C. Mason, A. W. Loveday, B. Haywood, J. Loveday (hon. secretary), G. Hayward, A. J. Wyatt.

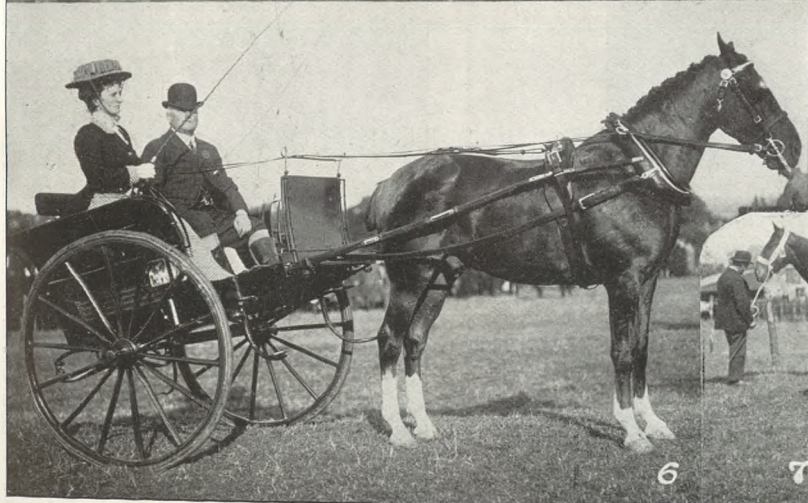
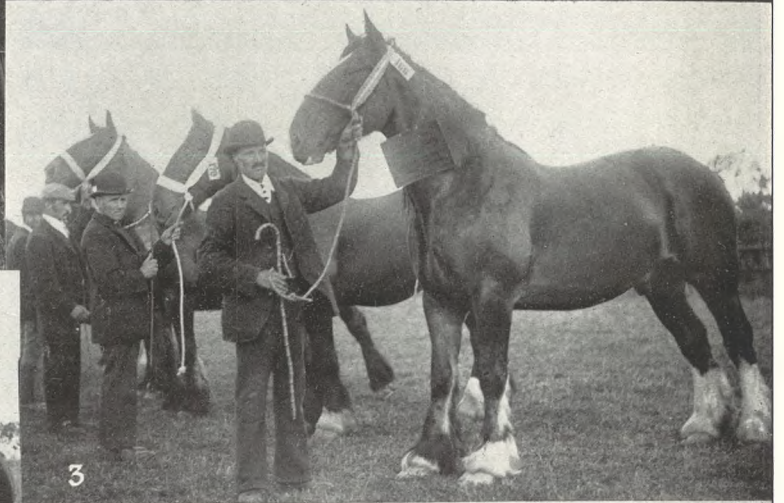
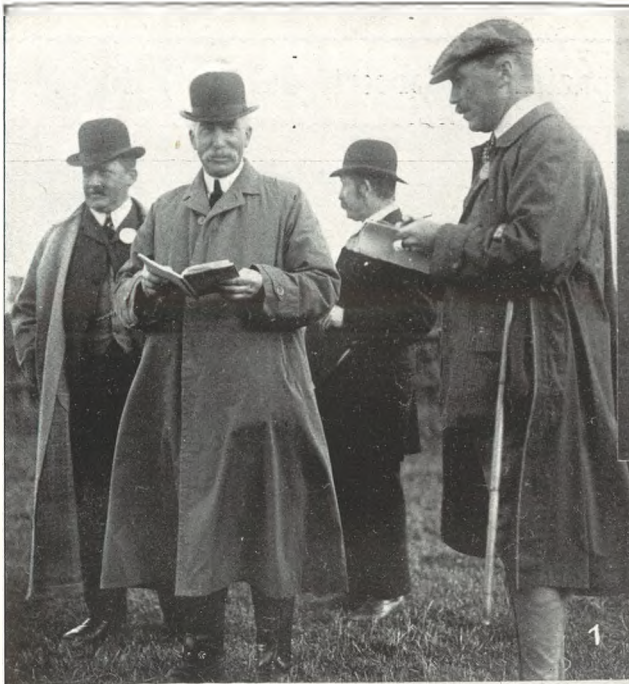


VIEW OF GROUND. TUG-OF-WAR (MARRIED v. SINGLE) IN PROGRESS.



COTSWOLD AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY'S SHOW, BOURTON-ON-THE-WATER, AUGUST 28, 1908.

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| <p>1. Hon. A. B. Bathurst, Rev. H. Madan Pratt, Mr. W. A. Rixon, Mr. G. F. Moore, and Mr. J. Yearp (local sec.).</p> <p>2. Mr. F. Merrett's grey jumper "Attica" wins Mr. Arnott's silver cup.</p> | <p>3. Mr. C. Williams's (Little Rollwright) first and second prize ponies, ridden by Miss and Master Hedderley.</p> <p>4. Mr. Walker's (Hawling) first prize yearling Cotswold ram.</p> | <p>5. Mr. Phillips's (Shipton Sollars) first prize old shorthorn bull.</p> <p>6. Mr. W. B. Margetts's (Bourton) first prize decorated bicycle, "Cotswold Gleanings."</p> |
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COTSWOLD AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY'S SHOW.

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| 1. Judges of cart horses: Messrs. J. B. Stevens and E. B. Wynn, with F. E. Bee and R. Gray, C.C. | 3. Judging championship cart horses. Mr. W. R. Scantlebury's first prize gelding in foreground. | 5. Spectators. |
| 2. Mr. E. Yearp's first prize chestnut gelding "Gay Lad." | 4. Judging hunters. | 6. Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Taylor (Northleach), who took second prize for horses driven by owner. |
| | | 7. Judging carthorses. |

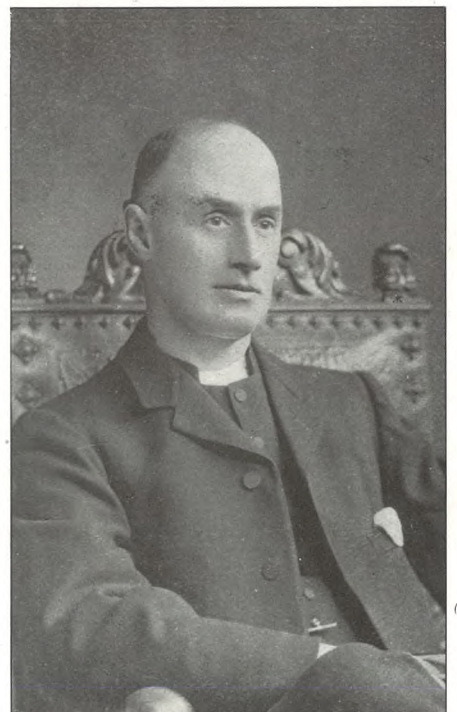
Gloucester Road Council School. Girls' Department Concert, July 24, 1908.



THE CHOIR, WITH QUEEN AND MAIDS OF HONOUR.



ROSE QUEEN (EVELYN COOMBE) AND HER MAIDS OF HONOUR.



REV. WM. WORDSWORTH HOYLAND, who has been curate-in-charge of Twynning Church for 10½ years, and is leaving at end of September.



✽ **COUNCILLOR STROUD AND HIS BRIDE.** ✽

AT ALL SOULS', LANGHAM-PLACE, LONDON, W., ON SEPTEMBER 1, 1908, MR. HERBERT STROUD, A MEMBER OF THE CHELTENHAM TOWN COUNCIL AND SON OF MR. FREDERICK STROUD, RECORDER OF TEWKESBURY, WAS MARRIED TO MISS M. E. ANNAKIN-ROBERTSON, OF CLEMENTHORPE HOUSE, YORK.

MAGISTRATE'S POWER FOR GOOD.

A police magistrate may, in the performance of his duties, wield a great power for good among those, especially the young, who are brought before him. Helpful advice; grave judicial censure for wrongs committed; tempered in special cases by clemency, has oftentimes proved the turning-point for good in careers which had leaned in the direction from which our jails are filled.—Mr. Curtis Bennett in "The Throne and Country."

PRACTISE MAKING SACRIFICES.

Before you undertake to make the sacrifices your wife will demand of you if you are to make her happy, Lord Lytton, the novelist, suggested to a friend, "don't you think it would be very well to try a few sacrifices on yourself first—just to contract the habit?" It was not a bad suggestion. The man who feels sure he will sacrifice to the woman he makes his wife the bad habits he cannot sacrifice to his duties in life and his success in business, turns out a sadly deficient creature when the matrimonial necessity for sacrifice is laid upon him.—"Penny Magazine."

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During the cutting of a twelve-acre field of grass at Brinklow, Warwickshire, a party of five guns in less than two hours made a "bag" of a fox, a hedgehog, a cornerake, three hares, five rats, and 137 rabbits.

AFTER ALL.

We take our share of fretting,
Of grieving and forgetting;
The paths are often rough and steep, and
heedless feet may fall;
But yet the days are cheery,
And night brings rest when weary;
And somehow this old planet is a good world
after all.

Though sharp may be our trouble,
The joys are more than double.
The brave surpass the cowards, and the leal
are like a wall
To guard their dearest ever,
To fail the feeblest never;
And somehow this old earth remains a
bright world, after all

There's always love that's caring,
And shielding and forbearing,
Dear woman's love to hold us close and keep
our hearts in thrall;
There's home to share together
In calm or stormy weather;
And while the hearth-flame burns, it is a
good world, after all.

The lisp of children's voices,
The chance of happy choices,
The bugle-sounds of hope and faith, through
fogs and mists that call;
The heaven that stretches o'er us,
The better days before us—
They all combine to make this earth a good
world, after all

—MARGARET E. SANGSTER.

A BOOKMAKER'S FORTUNE.

The late Mr. George Cooper, of Ashton-on-Mersey, Chester, bookmaker and owner of racehorses, left estate valued at over £228,000.

GAVE AWAY ALL HIS WEALTH.

Mr. William Aronsberg, formerly in business in Manchester as an optician, and one of the most prominent philanthropists of the district, has left property of the gross value of £100. Mr. Aronsberg during his lifetime made considerable gifts to various art collections in Manchester and Salford, founded several scholarships, and distributed 25,000 pairs of spectacles to poor scholars and workhouse and hospital inmates.

A young man named Hoffman in Vienna broke off his engagement when he learnt that his fiancee wore false hair. She discovered that he had a glass eye, and threatened to reveal the fact, with the result that the marriage will now take place.

Last year out of a total delivery of 417,057 tons of meat at the London Central Markets, 1,038 tons were condemned as unfit for human food. Of that quantity 174 tons were imported frozen and chilled meat. Upwards of 89 tons of the seizures were on account of tuberculosis, these including 2,309 pigs. The total seizures represented one ton in every 401 tons delivered.

SALEM INSTITUTE CRICKET CLUB, 1908.

GERMANS AT PLAY.



SATURDAY TEAM.



WEDNESDAY TEAM.

Pictos by H. Stokes.

GOOD COMPLEXIONS.

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One of the best preservatives of the complexion is the taking a day "off" every now and then, and spending it entirely in rest; either in bed, with windows widely open, or, better still, out of doors in the country, but in perfect idleness both of body and mind. A veil should always be worn in London, as the skin accumulates so much dust that constant washing and the use of soap is a necessity. People who have always used cold water have, as a rule, much better complexions than those who are accustomed to the use of warm. In all cases where not absolutely necessary the use of cosmetics should be avoided but when they are used care should be taken in their choice. Regular exercise, simple food, and only three meals a day, are the best means of reducing the figure.—"The Throne and Country."

THE WICKEDEST CITY.

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Which is the wickedest city in the world? The editor of "The Young Man," Rev. W. Kingscote Greenland, seems to have little doubt on the subject. I wish—he says, in the September number of his magazine—that people, especially men, would cease to speak of Paris as the capital of sensual vice. Man for man, the Englishman is more immoral than the Frenchman, and the wickedest city on earth, without a doubt, is London. For pleasure, for wastefulness, for contempt of humanity, for sensual sin, and for selfishness and individualism, no city can compete with our metropolis. No man need cross the Straits of Dover to break God's laws. There is no city that offers more facilities for breaking them than the city on the Thames.

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Undeniably, Germans are not good-looking. The women could be, if intense placidity combined with good appetites and constant beer-drinking did not make double chins and broad ungraceful figures the rule. Their complexions are usually excellent. The lack of spiritual and sensitive turmoils leaves them smooth and un wrinkled; while undoubtedly the constant drinking of "Munich" or "lager," if it tends to coarsen outlines, also tends, by accumulation of fatty matter, to soothe nervous agitations. The German wife and mother reveals herself in reality a very wise creature. It is true, she dresses disgracefully—is, in fact, a terror to the eye, with her complete absence of all sense of colour, combination, arrangement—but seen in the midst of her household she is the embodiment of content and common sense. The English demand for complete companionship between husband and wife does not appear in the relations of middle-class Teutons. Nevertheless, the marital relationship is to all appearances quite satisfactory. The German wife—still genuinely interested in housewifery, in needlework, in feminine gossip—gets as much, in most cases, as she would feel inclined to ask for. One has only to look at the seaside groups of women working and talking together to be assured that they are not fretting after the unattainable.—"T. P.'s Weekly."

Poetry.

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IF YOU'VE ANYTHING GOOD TO SAY.

If you've anything good to say of a man,
Don't wait till he's laid to rest,
For the eulogy spoken when hearts are broken
Is an empty thing at best.
Ah! the blighted flower now drooping lonely
Would perfume the mountain-side,—
If the sun's glad ray had but shone to-day
And the pretty bud espied.

If you've any alms to give to the poor,
Don't wait till you hear the cry
Of wan distress in this wilderness,
Lest the one forsaken die.
Oh, harken to poverty's sad lament!
Be swift her wants to allay;
Don't spurn God's poor from the favoured door,
As you hope for mercy one day.

Don't wait for another to bear the burden
Of sorrow's irksome load;
Let your hand extend to a stricken friend
As he totters adown life's road.
And if you've anything good to say of a man,
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—Anon.

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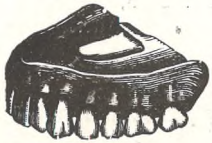
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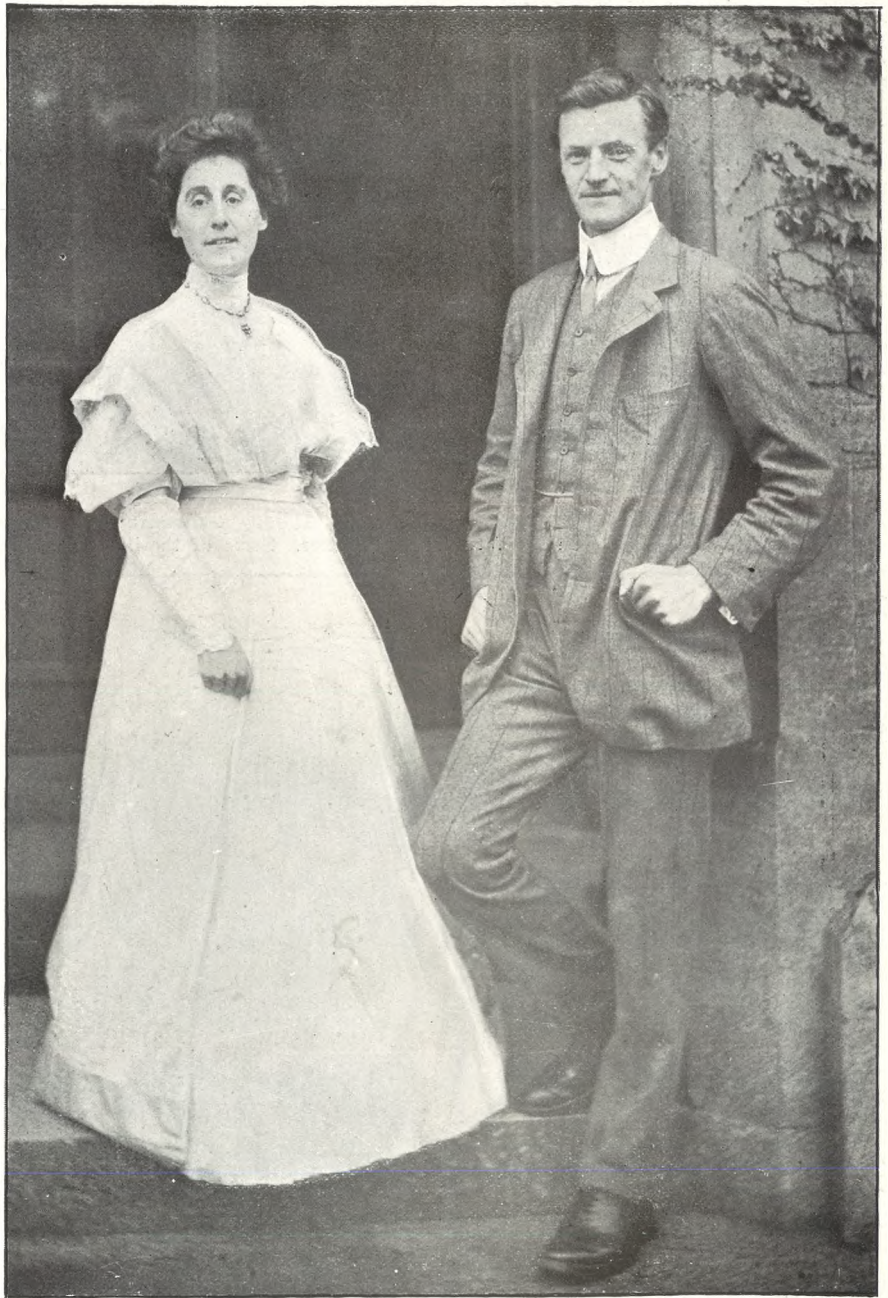
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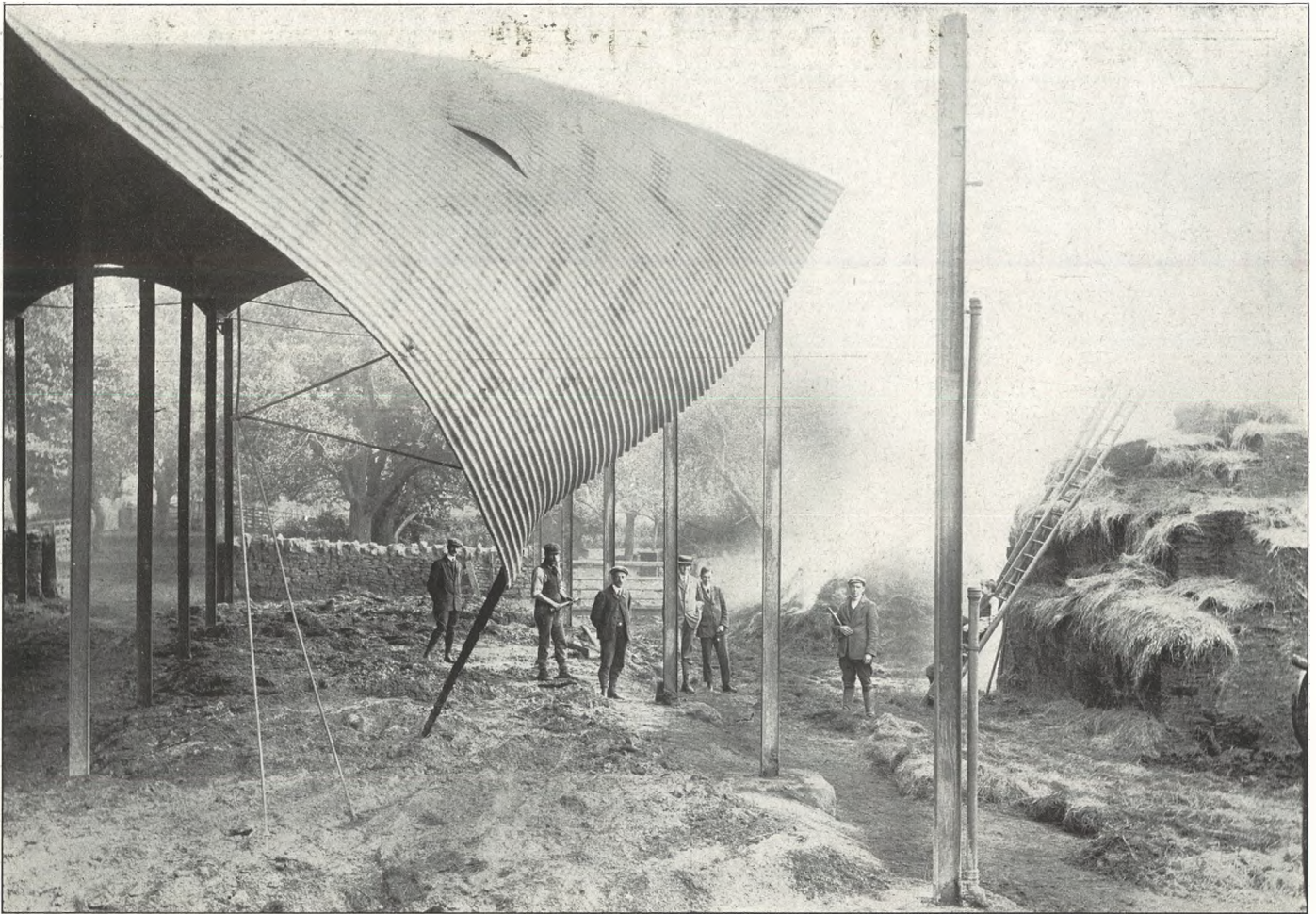
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MR. & MRS. A. W. CLIFFORD, of Chestal, Dursley,
AT WHOSE RESIDENCE ON SATURDAY LAST THE STROUD DIVISION
CONSERVATIVE ASSOCIATION WERE ENTERTAINED AT A RECEPTION.



FARM FIRE AT KEMERTON, SEPT. 4th & 5th, 1908.—A disastrous fire destroyed the contents of a Dutch barn, besides two hayricks adjoining, on the farm of Mr Barnes. Some of the hay is seen burning in photograph.



Wedded at St. Stephen's, Cheltenham, on Thursday, Sept. 10th.
 MISS NORA PARKER,
 of Bicknor, Cheltenham. REV. A. W. R. CHEALES,
 curate of Bibury.

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MRS. EMMA ARCHER,

widow of the late William Archer, the well-known Cheltenham jockey and trainer, and mother of England's greatest jockey. Died Sept. 7, 1908, at Withington, Andoversford, in her 80th year.



THE LATE FRED ARCHER,

the famous jockey; a native of Cheltenham, and son of the lady whose death has just taken place. With him is his young wife, who died in 1884, about eighteen months after their marriage.



Witcombe and Brockworth Flower Show, Sept. 2, 1908. Committee.

Standing:—Mr. Fox, Mr. Green, Mr. Lulham, Mr. Palmer.
Sitting:—Mr. Abell, Mr. Coopy, Mr. Witcomb, Rev. J. H. Seabrook.

THE SUMMER HEROINE.

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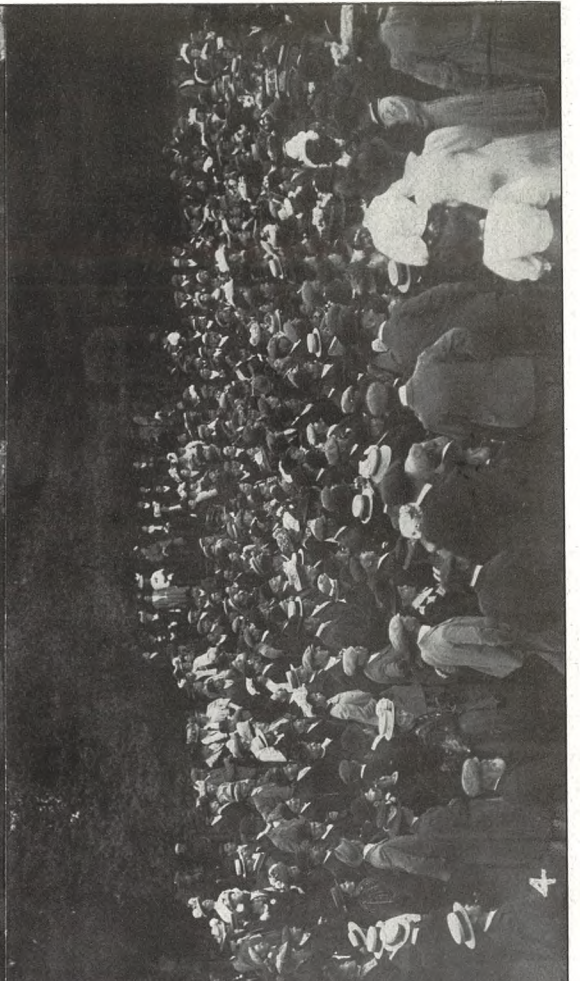
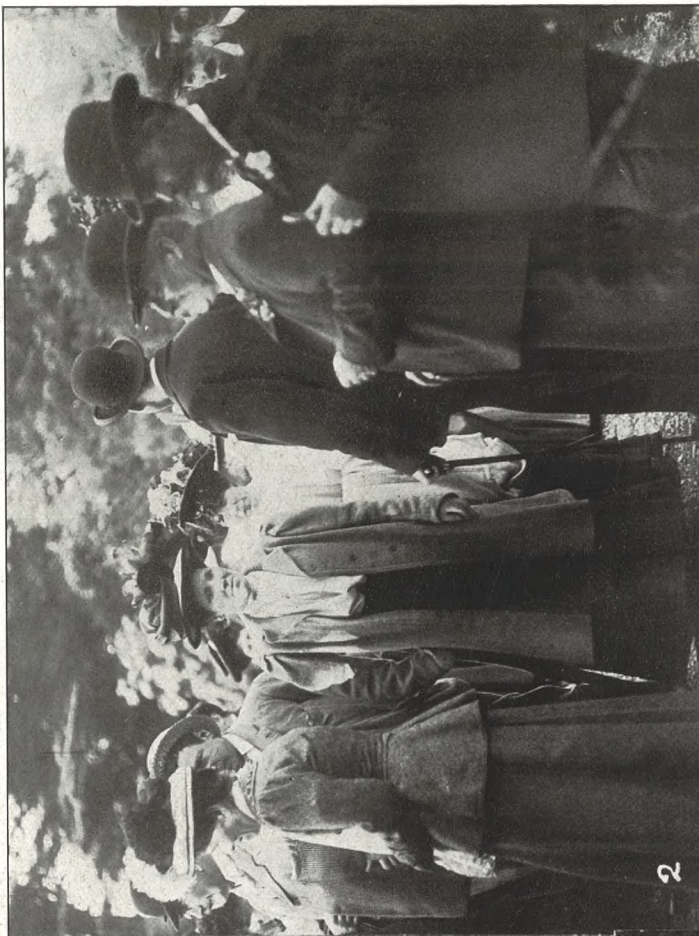
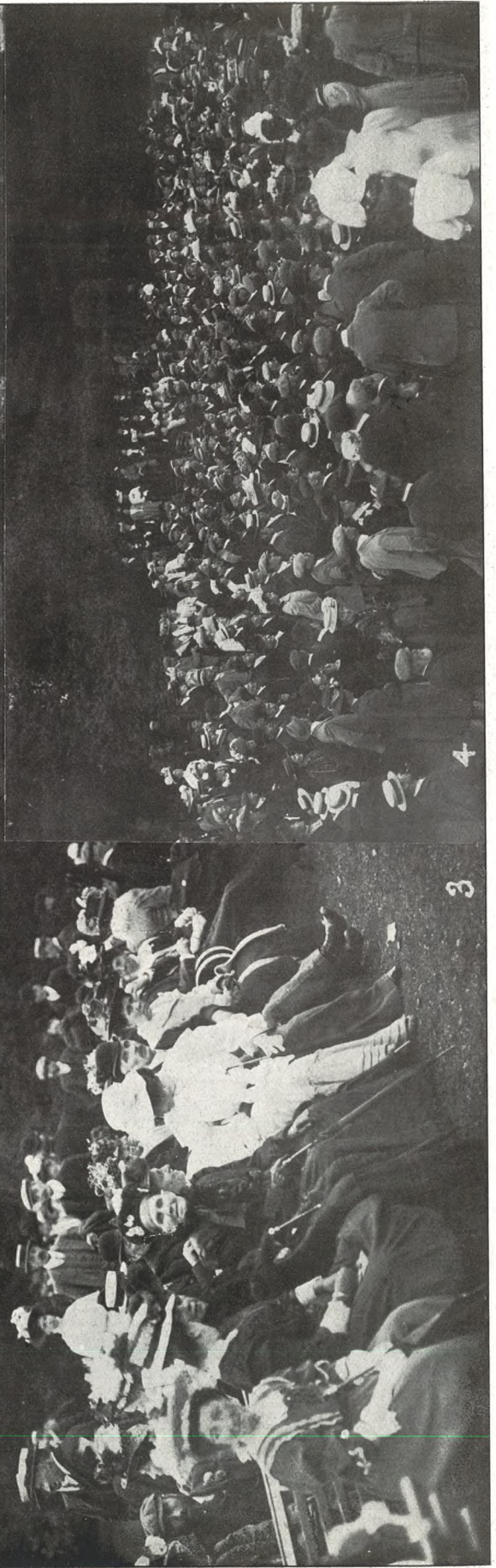
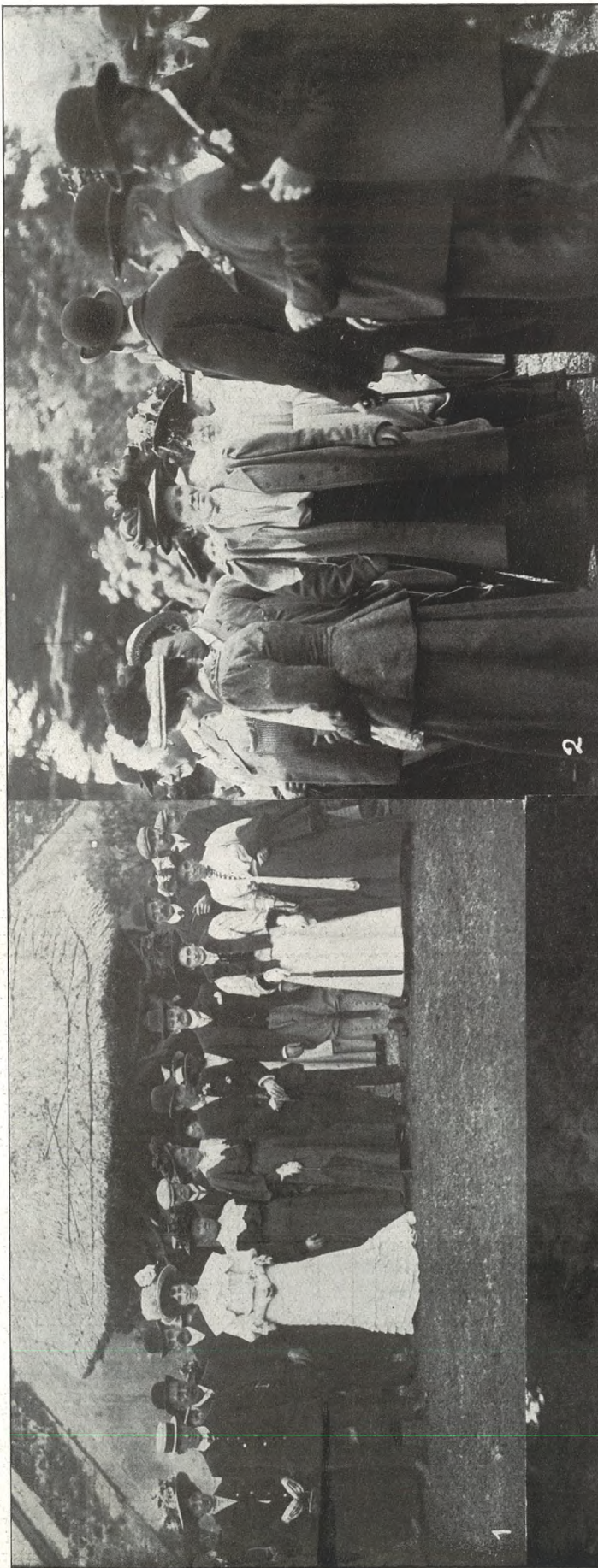
There is, as we all know, a summer girl of real life and of various types. Similarly in current fiction there is always a summer girl, what we may call a summer heroine. You will also find her—in the pages of novels—in the town, in the country, or at the seaside, and that she likewise varies in character and in clothes.—“Book Monthly.”



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Stroud Division Conservative Association. Reception at Chestal, Dursley, by Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Clifford.



1. A few of the visitors on the lawn.

2. Guests arriving, awaiting presentation.

3. Forming up on lawn for meeting.

4. The meeting in progress.



1. Mr. Clifford speaking from the terrace.

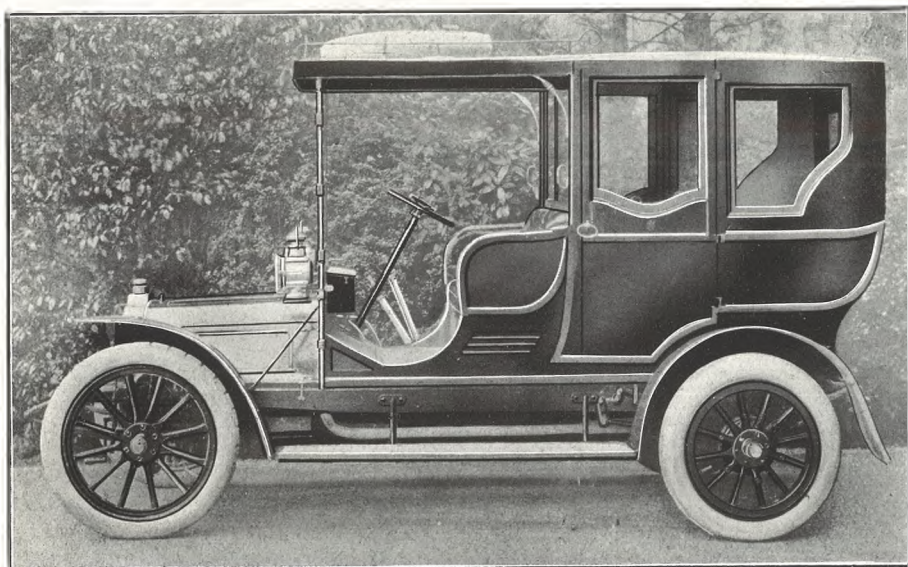
2. Mr., Mrs., and Miss Jenner Davies (of Stonehouse), with a friend (centre lady)

3. Mr. and Mrs. Clifford receiving their guests.

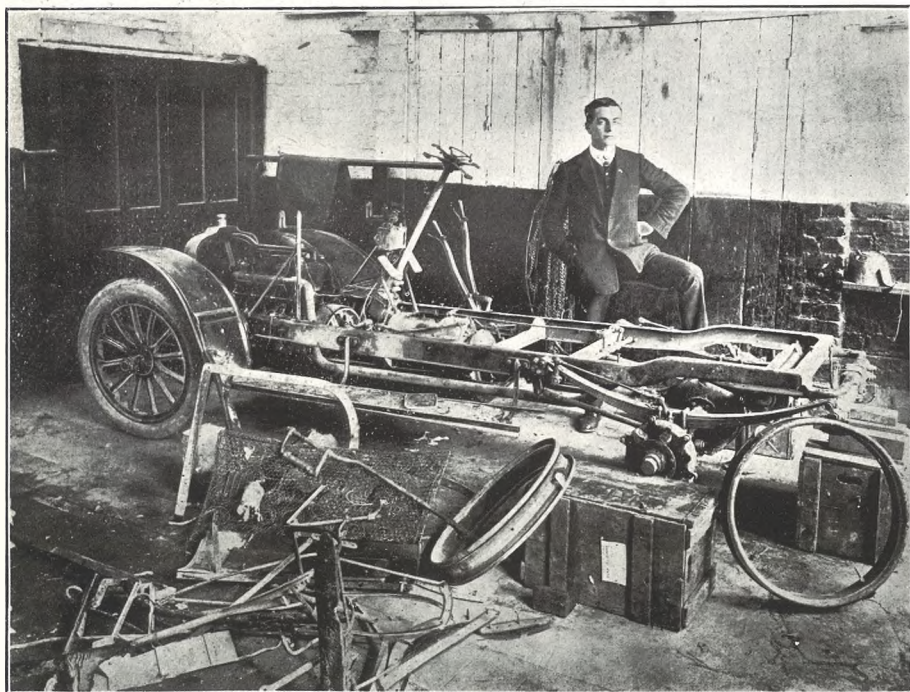
4. Waiting for the speeches.

MOTOR CAR ON FIRE.

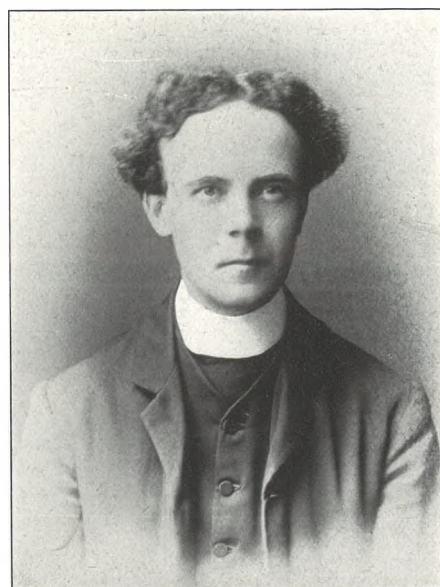
A LARGE CAR, WITH LIMONSINE BODY, BELONGING TO MESSRS. STRETTON, OF CHELTENHAM, WAS COMPLETELY BURNT NEAR THE PUESDOWN INN ON THE NIGHT OF SEPT. 4TH, 1908.



CAR BEFORE FIRE.



REMAINS OF CAR AFTER FIRE.



REV. EDGAR T. BUTLER,

late of Highgate Park, Birmingham, and son of Mr. Frederick J. Butler, M.A., of the Jessamines, St. Mark's, Cheltenham. He began his ministry at Mill-road Baptist Church, Cambridge, on August 30. He is a brother of the Rev. F. W. Butler, a Congregational minister who was preaching at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church last Sunday.

SCHOOL LIFE.

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There is little doubt that much of modern school life is unhygienic. Seats and desks are often constructed rather with a view to their convenient place in the school building than with any recognition of the fact that they make the scholar round-shouldered. The type is some of the text-books is far too small, even for strong young eyes. The punishments are often absurd; to keep a child in after school-hours is to deprive it of fresh air and play, possibly of a meal, for no useful purpose; corporal punishment, bewailed by some faddists as "degrading," is far more effectual, and less harmful.—"Globe."

MANNERS IN THE HOUSE.

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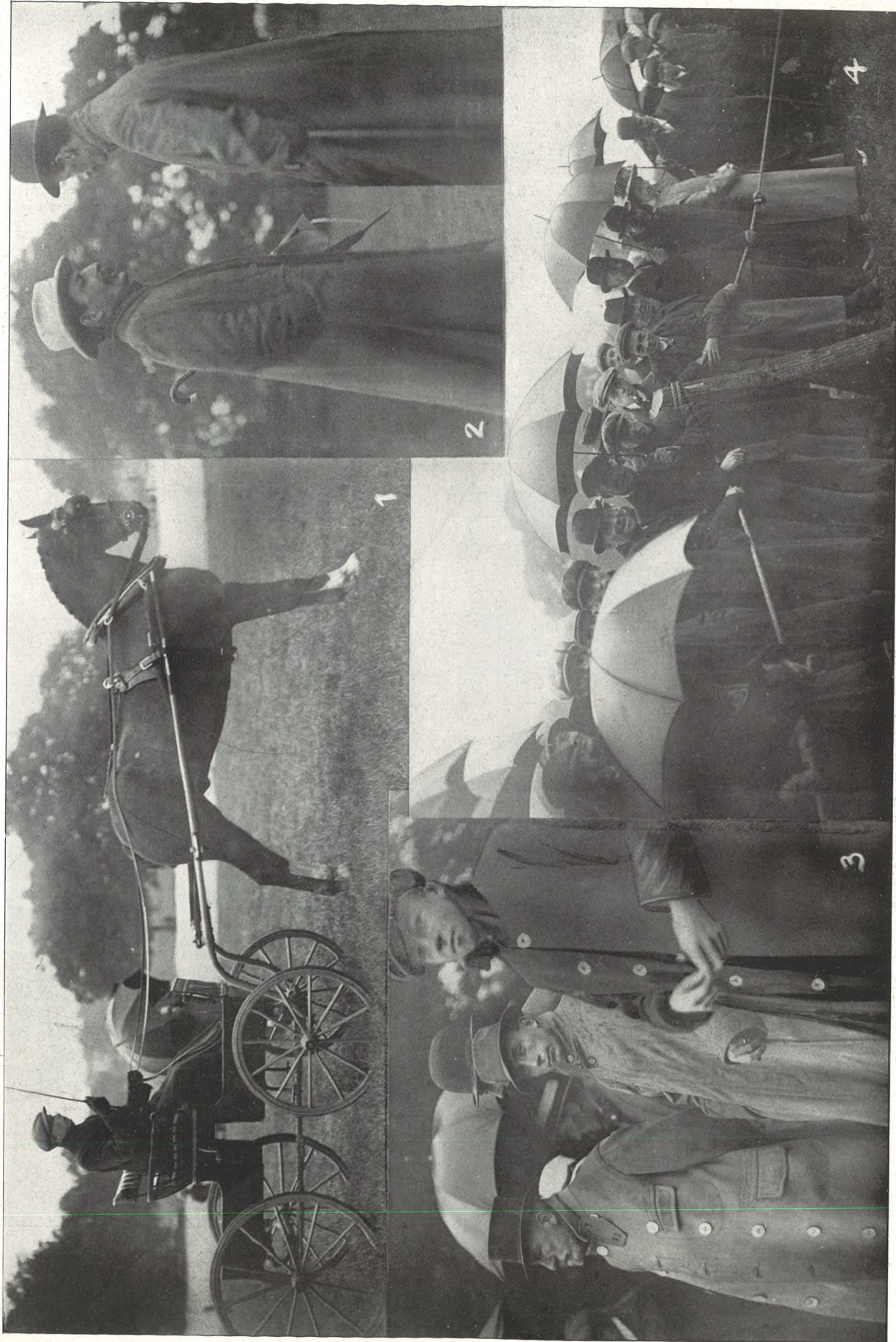
The manners of Parliament are becoming steadily better as the basis of representation widens, instead of worse as used so frequently to be prophesied, says "Cassell's Saturday Journal." This is shown by the trifling words and phrases for which one member pulls up another. Mr. Asquith's predecessor as Prime Minister, the late Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, one of the most courteous and good-tempered leaders the House has ever possessed, aroused the apparent white

wrath of Mr. Balfour by his now famous remark in the course of discussion: "Let's have no more of this foolery." But you have to take all political indignation of this sort with a grain of salt. If the gleam of anger is in the eye, the laugh may be up the sleeve; and after an exchange of opinions about each other's atrocious manners, it is not an infrequent thing to find the two members concerned walking arm-in-arm to the smoke-room, where they may be seen taking refreshment together as if nothing had occurred to disturb the beautiful harmonies of life.



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Agricultural Show at Hartpury Court, the Residence of Mr. Gordon Canning, September 3, 1908.

1. Messrs. L. and P. Smith's (Stroud) first-prize horse "Connaught King."



2. Mr. Crewdson (who is going to marry Miss Hicks Beach) and the Hon. Michael Hicks Beach, to whom a presentation was made at the show.



3. The veterinary surgeon to the show (Mr. George Holtham) and his son.

4. How the spectators enjoyed (?) themselves in the pitiless rain watching jumping.



Felling a High Chimney Stack (140 feet) in Gloucester, September 5, 1908.

1. Cutting away the base of the chimney. Note how the bricks were completely separated.
2. Crowd round chimney after it had fallen.
3. The chimney actually falling
4. Mr. C. D. Phillips, Mr. Larkins (steeple-jack, of Bow), and Mr. Reggie Phillips.

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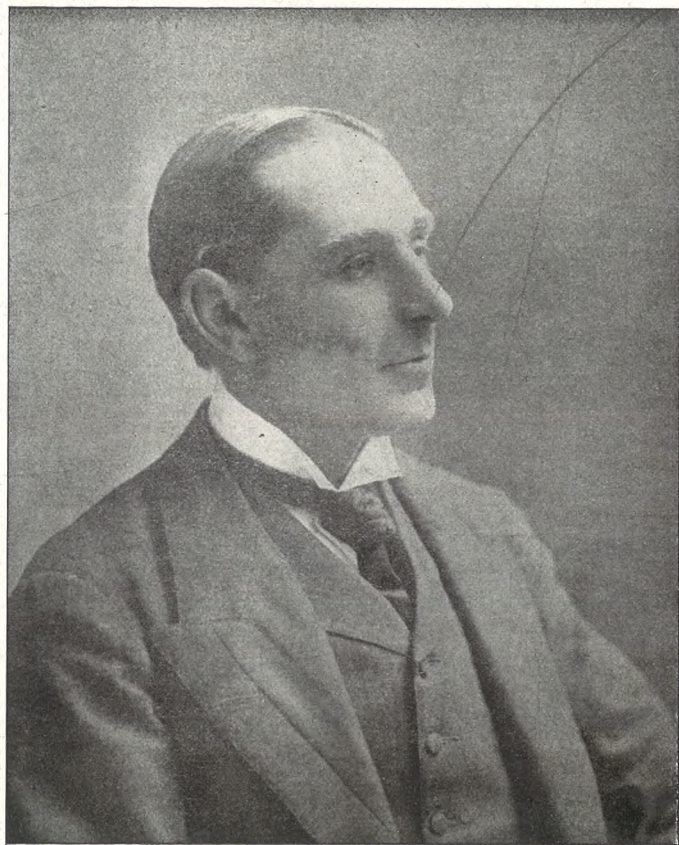
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Mr. Charles Algernon Whitmore, M.A., J.P.,
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 WHO DIED SUDDENLY AT LOWER SLAUGHTER MANOR,
 SEPT. 10, 1908.

Last year 51,604 sightseers ascended the Monument at London Bridge.

Butchers throughout the country have determined to purchase no live cattle in future without an express warranty from the vendor that the animal is free from disease.

Maintenance of certain open spaces cost the City of London Corporation £11,832 last year.

The Act for the reformation of habitual offenders and vagrants in Siam has received the royal sanction.



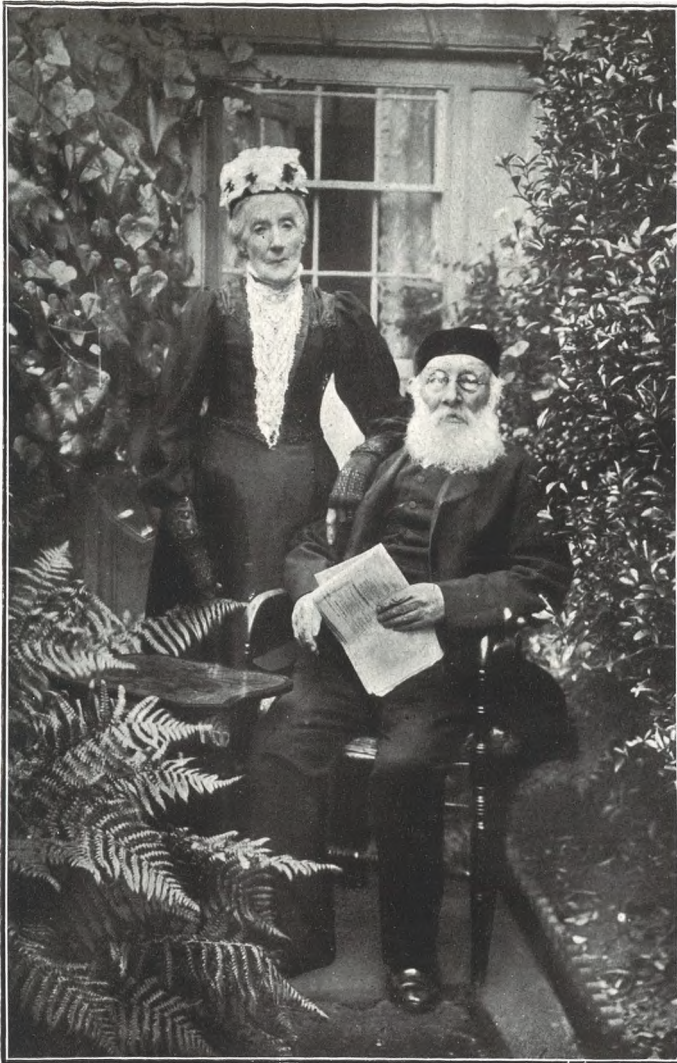
1. Jessop's team. Back row: — Tysoe, Langdon, Dennett, H. R. Ford, A. Willoughby, F. H. B. Champain. Front row: Mills, Huggins, G. L. Jessop, R. T. Godsell, and L. P. Dighton.

2. Grand stand during progress of match.
3. Enthusiastic outsiders on the bank of the Swilgate.

CRICKET AT TEWKESBURY.

Jessop's County XI. v. Tewkesbury's unbeaten Team, Sept. 15 & 16, 1908.

4. Tewkesbury team (champions of the county). Back row: A. Barnett (umpire), Parker, T. B. K. Deavall, F. Manning, Hill, S. N. Priestley, D. L. Priestley, W. Heath (umpire). Front row: C. S. Barnett, J. Willis, F. H. Healing (capt.), A. E. Dipper, and W. W. Jackson.



Mr. & Mrs. J. H. Papps, of Tewkesbury. Diamond Wedding,
Photo by Mallett, Tewkesbury. **Sept. 12, 1908.**



Mr. & Mrs. W. H. Dix, of Dursley. Golden Wedding,
Sept. 7th, 1908.

Married at Dursley Parish Church on Sept. 7th, 1858. Mr. Dix was born at the London-road Nurseries, Cheltenham (of which his father was manager for 57 years) in 1836.



**Tewkesbury Foresters' Jubilee
Celebration, Sept. 12, 1908.**

**Dinner Committee with Jubilee Banner
Presented to the Court.**

Bros. C. E. Hobbs, C.R., F. Gregory, S.C.R., H. Haines, P.C.R., W. G. Pitts, P.C.R., C. H. Taylor, P.C.A., W. J. Lane, P.C.R., T. Surman, P.C.R., W. T. Hodges, P.C.R., F. C. Morris, P.C.R., W. J. Cresswell, J.W., M. Coopey, P.C.M., J. Rice, P.C.M., J. E. Lewis, P.C.T.J.T., J. Hale, P.C.R. and Treasurer, and A. Macdonald, P.D.C.R. and Secretary.

BOYS AND DANCING.

A few years ago dancing was a branch of education which was almost entirely neglected in the case of boys, but things are now fortunately very different. There are few things which will bring them, directly and indirectly, more pleasure than a love of it. Apart from the enjoyment of the actual dancing, they get to know people, which is bound to help them, whatever their life may be, and to make friends, and, above all, friends of the opposite sex.—“National Review.”



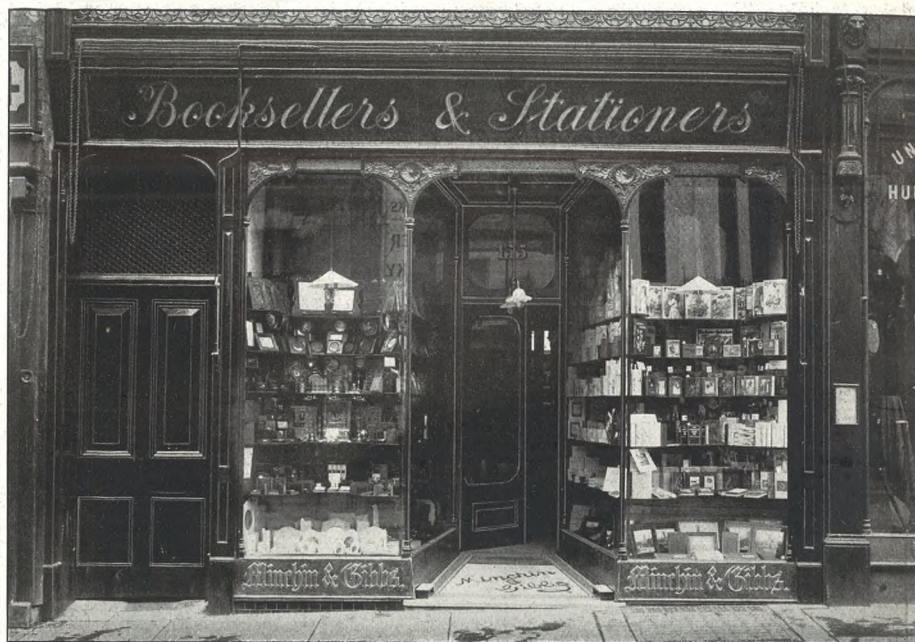
1. Spectators.
2. Mr. James U. Godsell and Supt. J. B. Biggs.
3. Mr. E. S. Godsell (the host) marked with a x welcoming his guests.

**Garden Party at Mr. E. S. Godsell's
House, Cainscross, Sept. 10, 1908.**

4. Well-known Stroud sporting men: Messrs. W. J. Williams, J. Drinkwater, Joe Mills, and G. Lendon.
5. P.C. Owen Neale, captain of the Police team, and a capital cricketer.
6. Another line of spectators.

:: :: MODERN SHOP IMPROVEMENTS IN GLOUCESTER CITY. :: ::

Here we give an illustration of a notable shop improvement just carried out in Gloucester at the Westgate Library of Messrs. Minchin and Gibbs, who are the official publishers of the "Diocesan Magazine" and the "Diocesan Calendar." Those of our readers who are acquainted with the business thoroughfares of the Cathedral city will not fail to note the great improvement that has transformed the old-fashioned style of shop, with its limited display, into this latest and up-to-date form of business establishment, where the arrangement admits of a far larger and easier inspected window display for modern requirements than was hitherto possible under the old conditions. The distinctive character of the improvement is very apparent, and the handsome character of the work is evidence of the enterprise of Messrs. Minchin and Gibbs, who keep a first-class stock of books, fancy goods, and stationery. The stall plates are a special feature, these being in oxidised beaten copper, with door fittings en suite, and the general wood-work of polished teak. Some at least of Gloucester's citizens are moving ahead.



:: :: The New Diocesan Book Store of Messrs. MINCHIN & GIBBS. :: ::

THE JOY OF HARVEST.

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It is good sometimes to pause in the midst of labour and count over the harvest. If days of golden sunshine and visions of ripe sheaves ready to be garnered fail to bring fresh hope and energy to tired minds as to tired bodies, they have but accomplished half their task. They are the great object lesson of the year, which witness to the fact that life is indeed worth living, for in the conflict with the adverse forces around him man has learned to get the upper hand, and can turn even the adverse circumstances to good account. The harvest of renewed health for which the nurse is principally concerned to labour is gathered, it is true, at no particular

season, and appeals in no forcible way to her imagination as an achievement. The district nurse who treads her monotonous way year in year out amidst a rank crop of negligences and ignorances, seldom tastes the sensation of accomplishment. It is for others to estimate by comparison of one decade with another the weight of corn gathered in through her patient husbandry. A gleam of light falls upon the harvest field occasionally from the pages of some Blue-book or sanitary report witnessing to progress, and at such times she may become aware with a thankful heart that others will enter into her labours. But always it requires an effort of mind and of faith to discern the ripening grain. In institutions this is perhaps pre-eminently the

case. The outgoing stream of the cured or alleviated is lost sight of in the ever-flowing tide of new sufferers. It is always sickness, never health, which is present to the hospital nurse, and the pressure on beds often bars the way to any enjoyment in the convalescence of those who have received most benefit from their treatment. Too often the thanksgiving over restoration to health is forgotten. The nurse whose attention has been strained to the utmost over some critical case forgets to lift up her heart when the crisis is favourably over; the sheaf is there, and she has had her part in reaping it, but it gives her no joy, for she has already hurried away, intent on the next thing.—"The Nursing Mirror."



Funeral of Mrs. Archer (mother of Fred Archer) at Prestbury Churchyard, September 11th, 1908.

1. Funeral cortege proceeding to grave.
2. Taking a last look at coffin. On extreme right is Mr. Charles Archer, deceased's only surviving son; the lady next him is Miss Archer, Fred Archer's only child; while behind her stands Mr. Pratt, the trainee.



1. Village schoolchildren lined up as funeral procession passed.
2. Coffin being taken from church to grave.
3. Service at graveside.
4. Mourners passing down village street.

**Funeral of Mr. C. A. Whitmore
At Lower Slaughter, :: September 14th, 1908.**

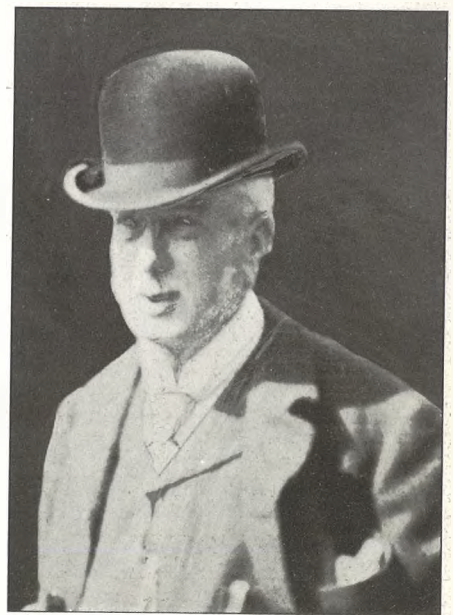
5. Mr. E. Francis (Stow), Hon. A. B. Bathurst, Capt. Becher, and Mr. Egerton Leigh talking after funeral.
6. Hon. A. B. Bathurst, Mr. _____, Archdeacon Sinclair, and Mr. de Sansmarez outside church gate.



GARDEN PARTY AT MR. E. S. GODSELL'S HOUSE, CAINSCROSS, SEPT. 10, 1908.



MR. GEORGE GRIFFITHS PRUETT, Assistant-Master of Cheltenham College for thirty-three years, and head of Leconfield Boarding-house, who is believed to have been drowned at Shrewsbury, Sept. 10th, 1908. His body has not yet been found.



MR. ARTHUR SPRY HELPS, Solicitor, of Gloucester, who was killed on the line at Churchdown on Monday morning, Sept. 14, 1908.

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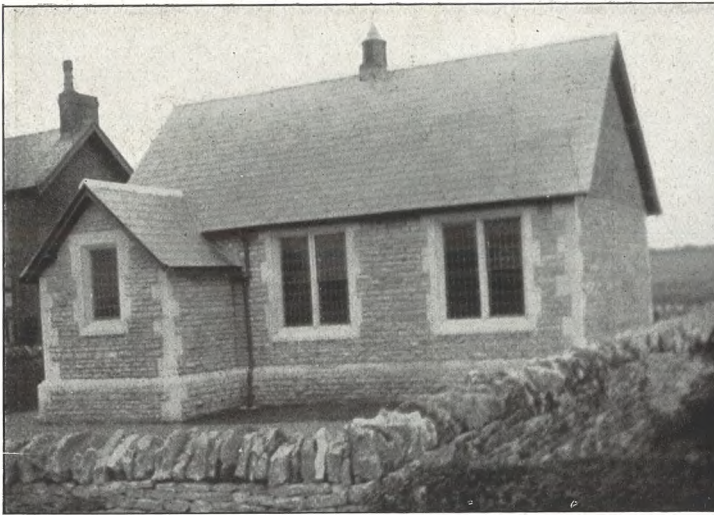
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CLAPTON'S NEW BAPTIST CHAPEL. Opened Wednesday, Sept. 9th, 1908.

1. View of new Chapel. 2. Rev. H. Wyatt, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Reynolds (staunch Clapton workers), Mrs. R. W. Essex, Rev. G. A. Ambrose, Mr. E. Gilbert (secretary of Building Fund).



Photos by W. J. Butt, Bourton.
MRS. R. W. ESSEX UNLOCKING NEW CHAPEL DOOR AT CLAPTON.

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Witcombe Flower Show, Sept. 2, 1908. Group of Helpers and Visitors.

Sermon Summary Competition.

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The 293rd prize is awarded to Mr. Frank H. Keveren, of Stoke Villa, Charlton Kings, for report of a sermon by Rev. C. E. Stone at Salem Chapel, Cheltenham.

Paris rag-pickers have formed a trade union, with the object of abolishing middlemen.

In the desert lands in Chili, about 350 miles north of Valparaiso, rain has not fallen for ages, says an American Consular report. The few streams are fed by the melting snow on the west slopes of the Andes.



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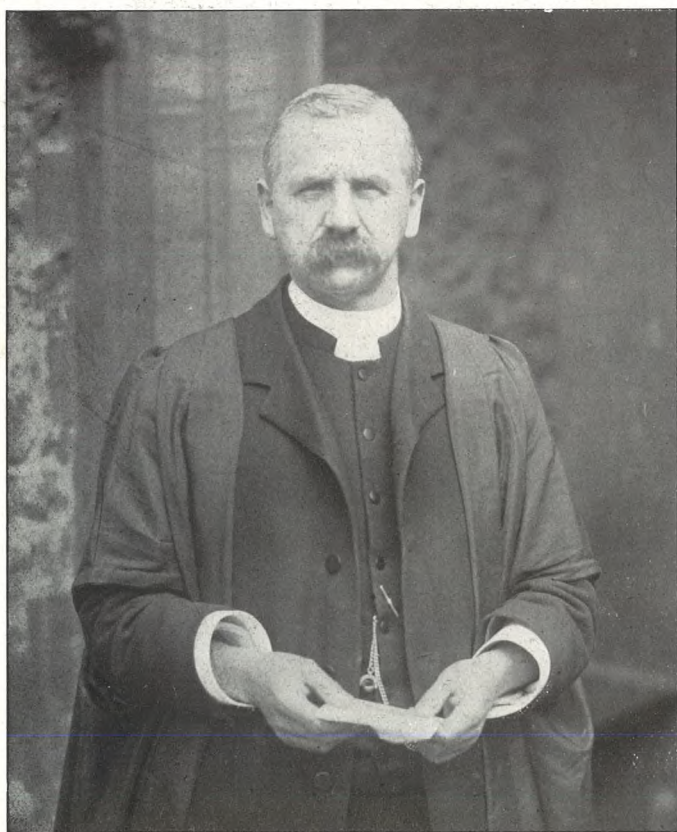
Clerical Wedding at Icomb. Lewis—Lewis.

ICOMB PARISH CHURCH, STOW-ON-THE-WOLD, SEPTEMBER 22, 1908.

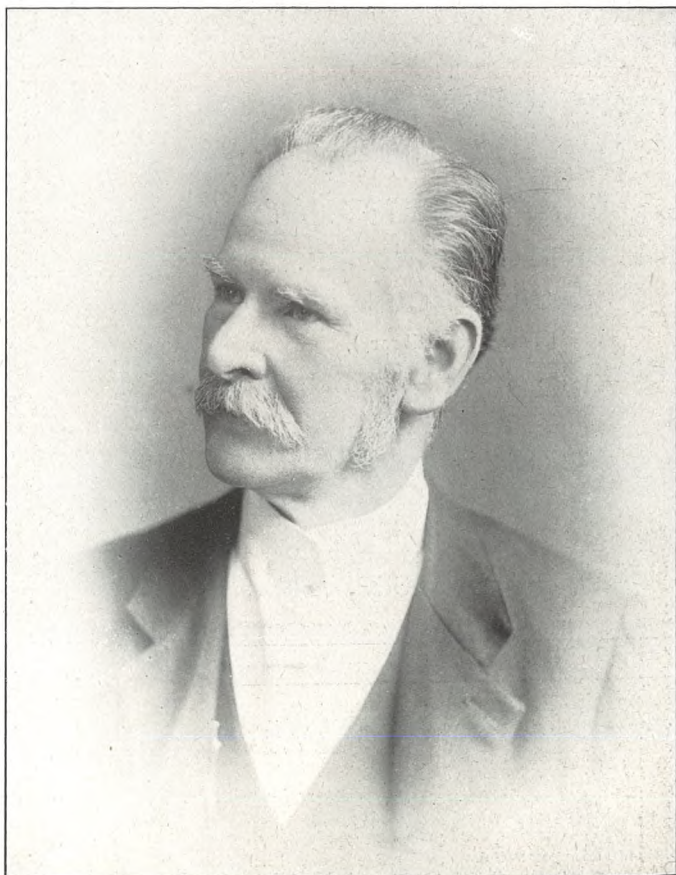


CLERICAL WEDDING AT ICOB.

Standing:—Miss Lewis (sister of bridegroom), Rev. H. A. Richings (best man), Bride and Bridegroom, Miss Corser (Bourton), Miss Kempthorne (Wyck Rissington). Sitting:—Mrs. Marston, Rev. George Lewis, M.A. (father of bride), Mrs. Lewis (mother of bridegroom), Rev. P. H. Kempthorne (rector of Wyck Rissington).



REV. SAMUEL JACKSON, M.A.,
New Vice-Principal of St. Paul's Training College.



MR. GEORGE HEATHER WILLIAMS, of Cheltenham,
Died Sept. 20, 1908, aged 72 years.



A KEMERTON-ASHTON WEDDING.



COL. SIR NIGEL KINGSCOTE,
Died Sept. 22, 1908, aged 78.



MISS ELLEN E. WESTON,
of Ashton.



MR. CHARLES NIND,
of Kemerton.

Married at Ashton-under-Hill on Tuesday, Sept. 22, 1908.



MR. FRANK TREASURE,
Gloucester's New Magistrates' Clerk.



BOODLES' TEETH



THE REV. THOMAS W. FENN, R.D., D.D.,
for 45 years Priest-in-Charge of the Roman Catholic Mission
at Tewkesbury.
Died in Cheltenham September 23, 1908, aged 78 years.

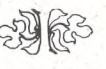
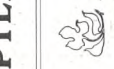
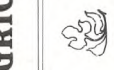


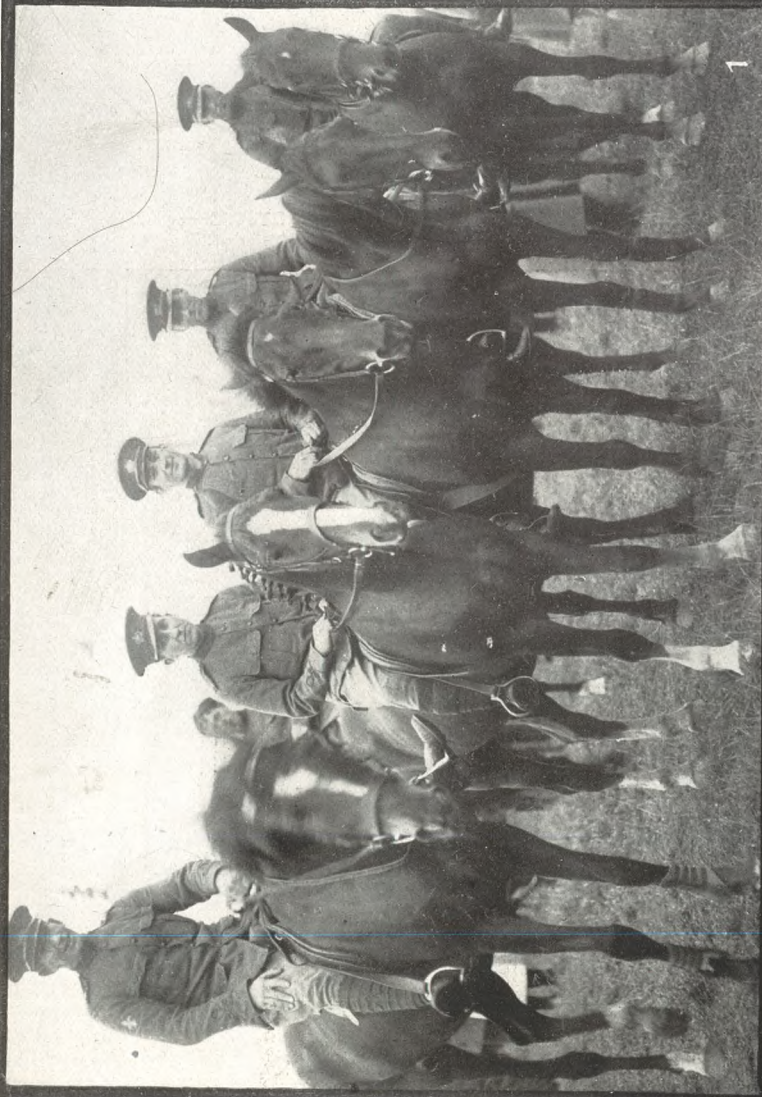
WINCHCOMBE AGRICULTURAL SHOW, SEPTEMBER 16, 1908.

1. Hunters being judged in open class.
2. Mr. Fairfax Rhodes's famous bull, which easily took champion prize.

3. Watching jumping.

4. "Harlequin," Colonel Heyworth-Savage's hunter, which took first prize in open class.





1. Start for Victoria Cross race for Yeomanry.
2. Mr. F. J. Peacey's bull which took first prize for young bulls.
3. Watching hunters being judged.
4. Mr. Isaac Wilson, in the employ of executors of the late Mr. Thomas Fawcety, Gretton, who had been 43 years on the farm, and took the prize for long service.



WINCHCOMBE AGRICULTURAL SHOW, SEPTEMBER 16, 1908.





Fashionable Wedding at Stonehouse Parish Church, Sept. 23, 1908. Farran—Jenner Davies.



THE BRIDAL PARTY.—Standing: Mrs. Graham-Clarke, Mrs. Jenner Davies, Mr. Jenner Davies, Bride and Bridegroom (Miss Dorothy Helen Jenner Davies and Mr. Edward Darley Farran), Lady Farran, Mr. Wilkinson, Miss E. Farran. Sitting: Mr. C. E. Farran, Miss M. Farran, Miss G. Farran, Miss W. Grafton, Miss K. Jenner Davies, Miss J. Jenner Davies, Mr. T. K. Farran.



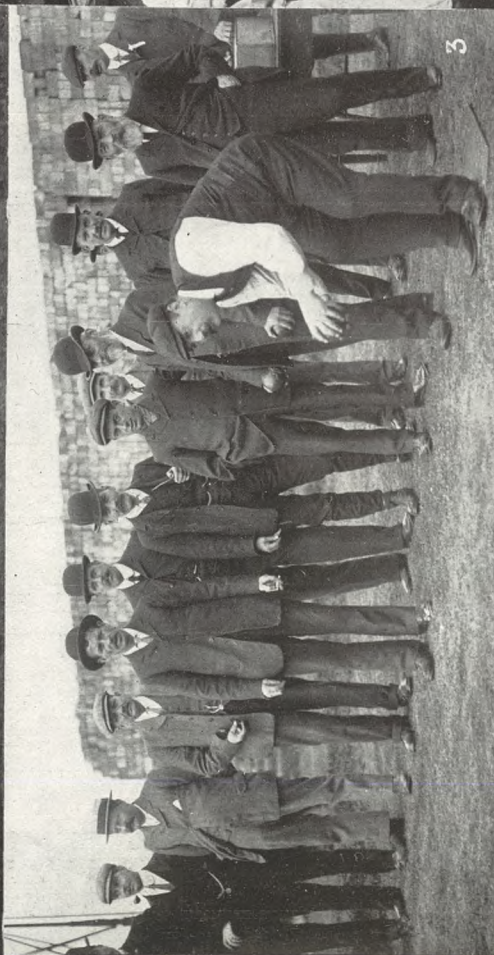
FASHIONABLE WEDDING AT STONEHOUSE. FARRAN—JENNER DAVIES.

1. Bride and Bridegroom.
2. Leaving church.

3. Some of the many spectators lining church path.

4. Mr. E. Jenner Davies leads his daughter into church.





CHELTENHAM GAS WORKS EMPLOYEES' SPORTS,

Saturday, September 12th, 1908.

1. Crowd watching sports.

2. Judges and officials.

3. Bowling for live pig.

4. The enclosure.