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No. 427.

SATURDAY, MARCH 6, 1909.

## OUR PORTRAIT GALLERY.

### New Officers of the Gloucester Conservative Benefit Society.



COUNCILLOR THOMAS COX,  
D.G.M., of Gloucester, elected Grand  
Master for 1909 at Thursday's meeting.



MR. W. DARBYSHIRE,  
Secretary of the Tewkesbury Lodge, and  
a member of the Central Committee,  
elected Deputy Grand Master.

## TODDLES.

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**Gloucester's New Magistrates.**



MR. W. P. CULLIS.

**STOW SUNFLOWER MINSTRELS,**

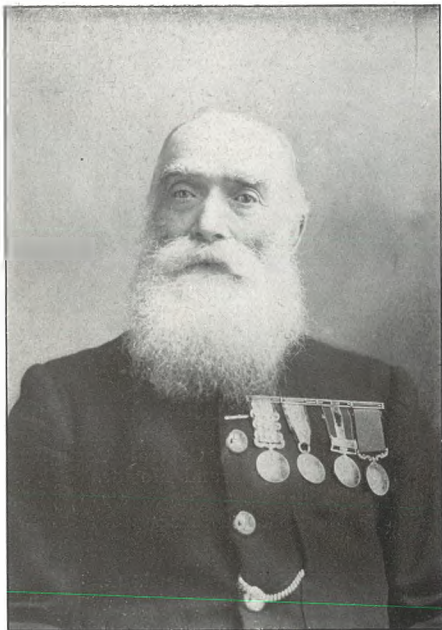
WHO TOOK PART IN A SUCCESSFUL CONCERT AT ST. EDWARD'S-HALL, STOW-ON-THE-WOLD, ON FEBRUARY 22nd, 1909.



Back row:—H. Webb, T. Bartlett, J. Oughton, C. Smith (interlocutor), W. King, C. Oughton, A. Arthurs.  
Second row:—W. Beacham, F. Hoare, J. Woodward, H. Oughton, F. Fisher, S. Price, C. Clifford, C. Hoare, P. Hoare, C. King.  
Sitting:—C. Lucas, W. Webb, H. Woodward, L. Heathcote, S. Hyde.  
Kneeling:—R. Wilkins, L. Turner.  
Photo by W. E. Wilkins, Stow-on-the-Wold.

**Stow Sunflower Minstrels,**

WHO AT ST. EDWARD'S-HALL, STOW, PERFORMED IN THE SKETCH, "JIGGERS, OR LUCY'S LOVERS."



MR. THOMAS STONE,

Died on March 1st, aged 80 years. He served in the 13th Light Infantry and fought in the Crimean War, and was a dock constable at Gloucester for thirty years.



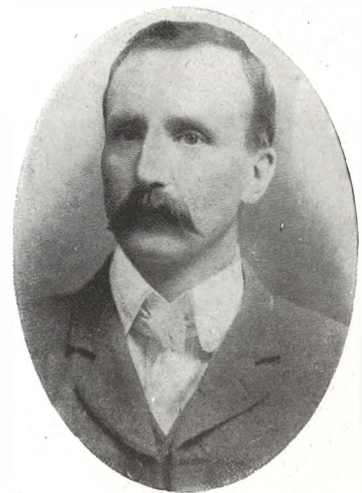
Standing: H. Woodward (Lucy Fergus), W. Beacham (Pickles and Britannia), J. Woodward (Zachery).  
Sitting:—F. Hoare (Jiggers), C. Smith (Hold Fergus).  
Photo by W. E. Wilkins, Stow-on-the-Wold.



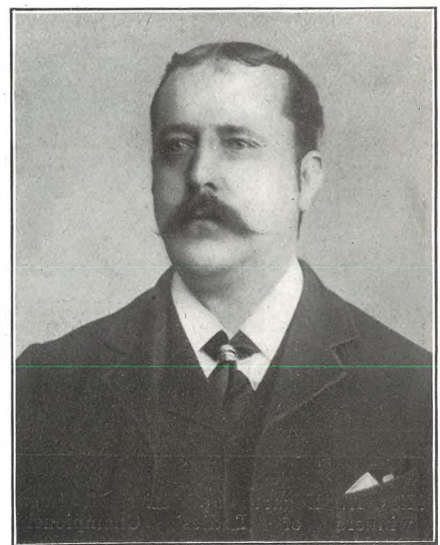
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LIEUT.-COL. F. K. S. METFORD  
(Gloucestershire R.F.A.).

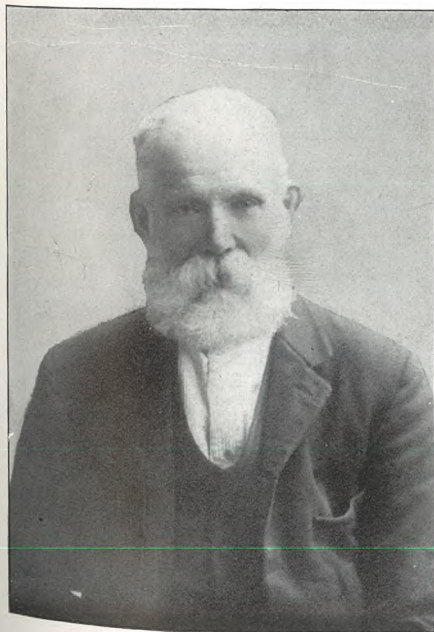


MR. CHARLES E BROWN.



MR. JAMES B. KARN.

HIS HIGHNESS SIR CHARLES JOHNSON BROOKE, G.C.M.G.,  
Rajah of Sarawak, who to-morrow (Sunday) leaves Chesterton House for London, en  
route for Sarawak, via Marseilles. His Highness is a member of the V.W.H. (Earl  
Bathurst's) Hunt, and during the season hunts with his Lordship's and the Cotswold  
Hounds.  
Photo by Dennis Moss, Cirencester.

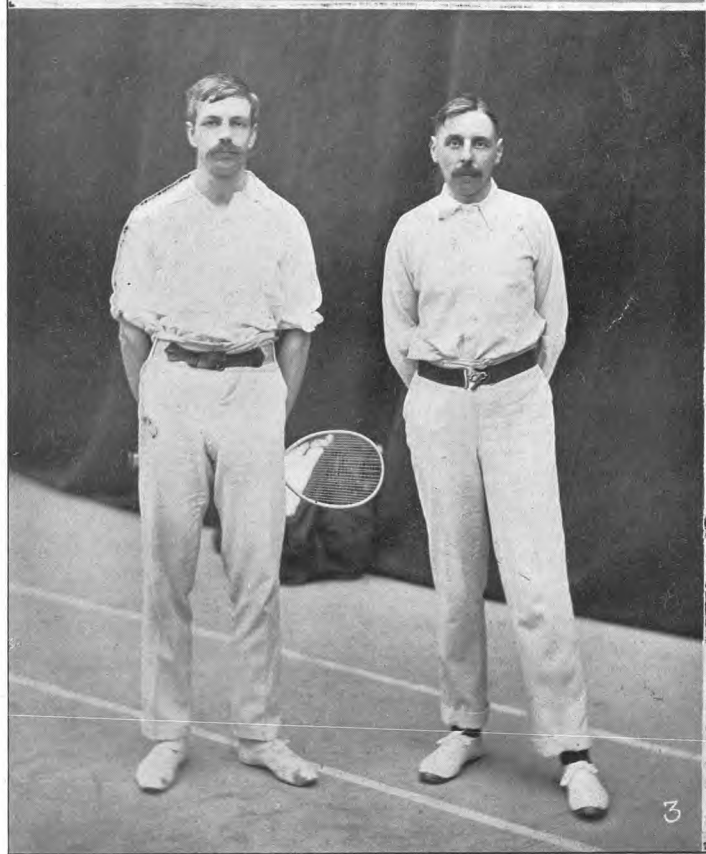


MR. WILLIAM POLLARD,  
who died at Gloucester on Feb. 26, aged 76  
years. He was a native of Burnley, and a  
printer by trade. He settled in Gloucester in  
1855. He was a pioneer of the C-operative  
and Industrial Society.



M. GEORGE WATSON.  
who died at Tewkesbury on Monday at the  
age of 61 years. He was Borough Chamber-  
lain and conductor of the Philharmonic  
Society.

**Cheltenham Open Badminton Tournament, Winter Garden, Feb. 25 & 26, 1909.**



1. Miss H. Hogarth and Miss M. Lucas, winners of Ladies' Championship Doubles.  
2. Messrs. E. R. and C. G. Allen (scratch),

winners of Men's Doubles Handicap.  
3. Messrs. G. A. Thomas and J. C. Llewellyn (-4), runners up in Men's Doubles Handicap. Mr. G. A. Thomas and Miss H.

Hogarth won the Mixed Doubles Championship.  
4. Col. W. Barrington-Piers and Mr. G. G. Brodie, winners of Veterans' Doubles.

**Gloucestershire Schools County Cup Competition.**

SEMI-FINAL: CHELTENHAM v. GLOUCESTER.

At Athletic Ground, Cheltenham, Feb. 27, when Cheltenham boys won by 10pts. to 8pts.



**CHELTENHAM TEAM.**

Back row:—†H. J. Marsh, F. W. Bloodworth, H. G. Poole, \*A. P. Hayling, J. E. Whitney, \*A. J. Cherrington.  
 Second row:—W. T. Jeffery (hon. sec. C.S.R.U.), C. W. Statham, E. S. Bostock-Smith (president Gloucestershire R.U.), J. Houghton, J. Donovan, W. J. Moore (president C.S.R.U.).  
 Third row:—\*W. H. Weaving, H. Craddock (captain), A. J. Hince, E. A. Taylor.  
 Seated in front:—G. Leacey, D. F. Driscoll.  
 \* Selected for West of England Team. † First reserve for ditto.



**GLOUCESTER TEAM.**

Top row:—Trenfield (St. Mark's), Blakemore (Linden), Voyce (Deacon), Rigby (Deacon), Groome (National), Powel (National), Gough (Linden).  
 Second row:—Mr. Eric Keys (hon. sec.), \*Nelmes (National), King (Northgate), Mr. Syd Carter (referee), King (Linden), \*Reeves (National), Mr. A. George (president).  
 Front row:—\*Burden (Linden), \*Webb (Northgate), O'Neill (National), Gladwin (Linden).



**A SUCCESSFUL RAILWAY ENGINEER.**

Mr. C. J. Bowen Cooke, assistant superintendent of the running department of the London and North-Western Railway Company, has been appointed chief mechanical engineer of the company. This is considered the "blue ribbon" of the profession. Mr. Bowen Cooke is the eldest son of the Rev. C. J. Rashleigh Cooke, of Cheltenham.

It may be interesting also to note that Mr. Bowen Cooke went when quite a lad as a premium apprentice to the late Mr. Webb, of Crewe, who was also a clergyman's son, and then held the post to which Mr. Cooke has just been appointed, so that he has worked steadily up from the bottom round of his profession to the very top. Mr. Cooke was the author sometime ago of a text-book on locomotives, and also wrote the first of a series of articles on the various railways of the country, which appeared in the "English Illustrated Magazine" some years ago.



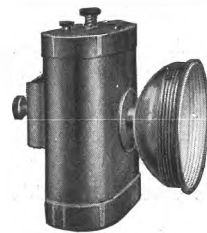
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**Girls' Gymnasium Classes in Cheltenham—Engineers' Drill Hall, Feb. 26, 1909.**



PARISH CHURCH SENIOR GIRLS' CLASS (CONDUCTED BY MISS PATERSON).

Back row:—Miss Paterson, Miss W. M. Ticehurst, B. Stanton, A. Byard, G. Plumbridge, N. Beames (reserve), F. James, L. Hodgkinson, N. Caudle, M. Pearce, Miss M. Goldsmith, E. Carter (reserve).  
 Second row:—A. Turner (reserve), N. Guppy, B. Millington, G. Bird, M. Cowley, M. Brace, F. Jenkins, V. Hamlin.  
 Front row:—A. Harm, S. Hoskins.



**FIFTY-ONE YEARS A LANDLADY.**

The above portrait is that of Mr. and Mrs. James Fisher, of the Queen's Head Inn, Stow-on-the-Wold. As soon as they were married, in December, 1857, they became licensees of the Queen's Head Inn, which they held up to the time of death. Mr. Fisher died in January, 1901, and Mrs. Fisher died March 1, 1909, aged 75 years. In the case of Mrs. Fisher she was landlady of the Queen's Head Inn for over fifty-one years.



ST. PETER'S GIRLS' CLASS.

Miss Coombs, who teaches the class, is on left; Miss Nott, who plays, on right.

**SOLAR ELECTRICITY.**

**AN AMERICAN'S INVENTION.**

A remarkable apparatus has been perfected by an inventor of Boston, Mr. G. S. Cove, who claims that with its aid electricity in practical quantities may be generated from the sun's rays. The generator consists of a light steel framework, in the interior of which are ranged a number of metal plugs, all connected up by wires. One end of each plug is placed in contact with a sheet of thick glass, while the other is exposed to a strong current of air. The glass already mentioned is so disposed that it absorbs heat from the solar rays, and imparts a portion thereof to the ends of the plugs in contact. The other ends,

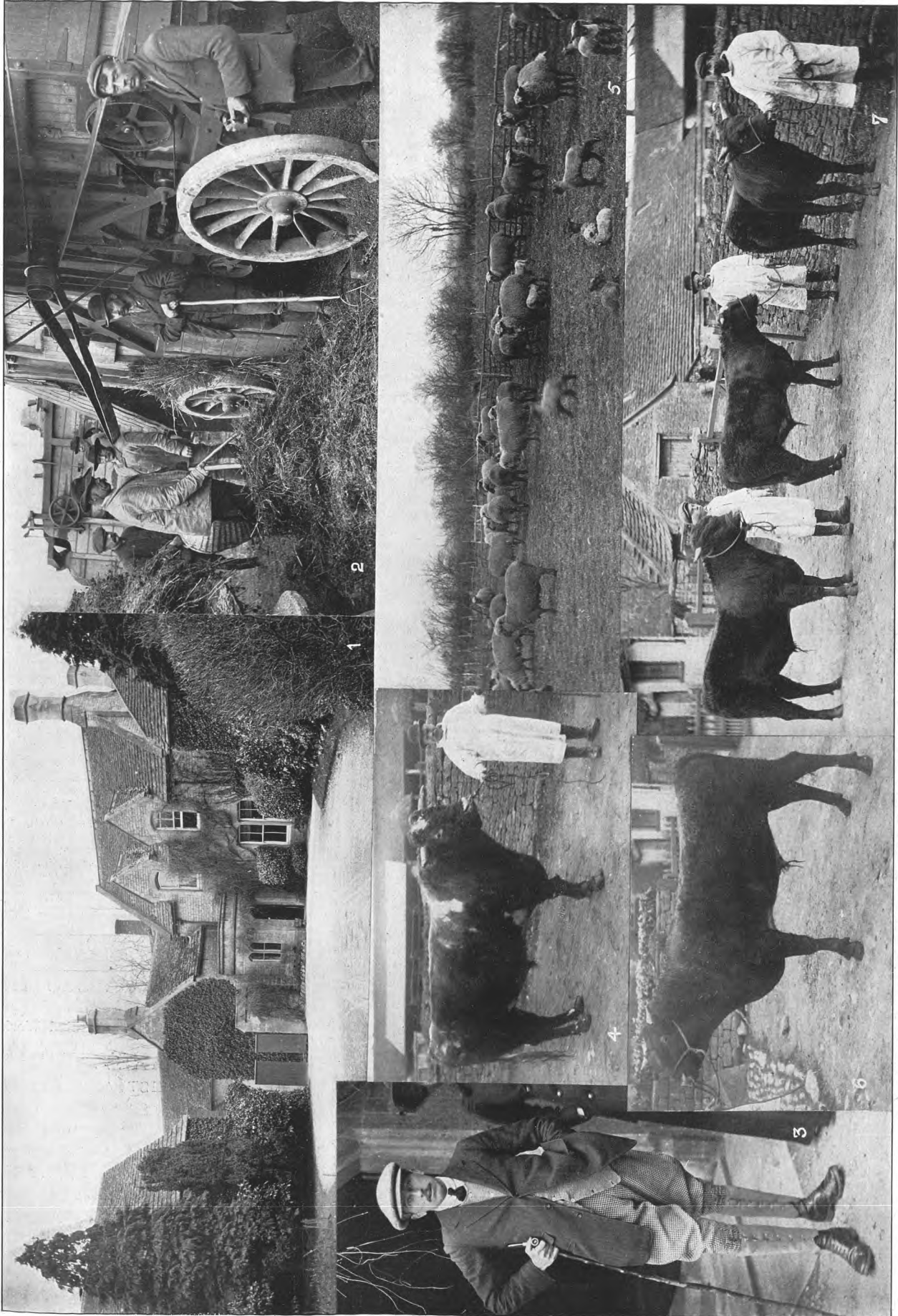
however, remain cool, owing to the air current, and the difference in temperature between the extremities, according to Mr. Cove, generates an electrical current of a strength in proportion to the number of plugs and the area of glass. The apparatus is said to have given satisfactory results when tested.

By a majority of four to one Chester-le-Street Golf Club has decided in favour of Sunday play.

The case of small-pox—the first in London since August 1907—which has occurred in Camberwell has drawn attention to the comparative immunity from this disease which the whole country now enjoys.

**GLOUCESTERSHIRE FARMS AND FARMERS.**

MR. J. A. ATTWATER AND DRYLEAZE FARM, SIDDINGTON, NEAR CIRENCESTER (see article in main sheet, page 2).

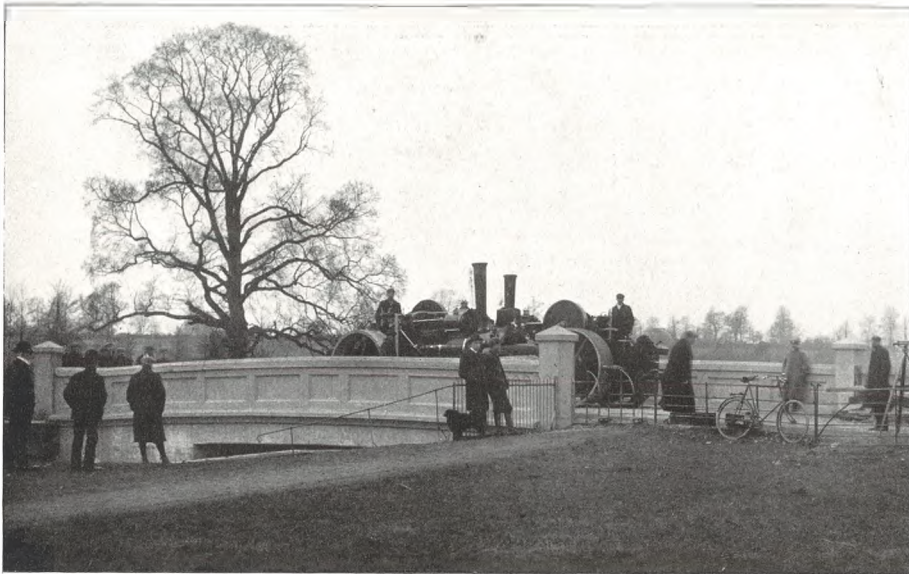


1. Front view of farmhouse.  
2. Threshing and milling clover.  
3. Mr. J. A. Attwater.

4. Old shorthorn bull (Lord Blanche XV.)  
5. In lambing fold. Pedigree Oxford Down ewes with doubles.

6. Young pedigree shorthorn bull (Sir Rafe III.)

7. Three fine young pedigree shorthorn bulls, to compete at the Bull Fair at Gloucester on March 19.



**GLOUCESTERSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL. NEW FERRO-CONCRETE BRIDGES.**

The three re-inforced concrete highway bridges which have been constructed on the Hennebique system from the designs and under the supervision of Mr. E. S. Sinnott, M.Inst.C.E., County Surveyor, have now been tested with the specified load of two road rollers of about 35 tons weight, standing side by side. At the Meadow Bridge at Eastington, with a span of 28ft., the maximum deflection on the centre of the bridge with the full load was three-thirty-seconds of an inch only, the deck returning to its former level on removal of the load. At the Churchend Bridge, also at Eastington, with a span of 12ft., the same load produced no deflection at all. At Rockstowes Bridge, near Dursley, with a span of 12ft., the maximum deflection with the two rollers side by side was one-fiftieth of an inch; with one roller standing and the other moving across the bridge at ordinary speed, the same deflection was registered; with one roller moving across the bridge and the other off, the deflection was one-hundredth of an inch.

The tests were made under the direction of the County Surveyor, in the presence of Mr. R. A. Lister, County Councillor; Mr. E. J. Cullis, representing the patentees; Messrs. T. B. Cooper and Co., of Bristol, the contractors; Messrs. Ractliff and Hall, District Surveyors; and Mr. Howells, the Clerk of Works.

The foundations, abutments, deck, and parapets are all of ferro-concrete. The cost compares very favourably with masonry abutments and steel girder decking, and the ferro-concrete has the additional advantage of not requiring painting or maintenance.

The above illustration is from a photograph taken during the test of the Meadow Bridge, Eastington.



**MISS MARIA COX,**  
of St. Edward's House, Stow-on-the-Wold.  
Died Feb. 26, 1909, aged 77 years. She was a Sunday School teacher at Stow for nearly a quarter of a century.



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**CHELTENHAM CONSERVATIVE CLUB AIR-GUN TEAM.** Season 1908-9.  
Back row :—W. J. Moore, H. Evenden, R. Cundell, C. N. Pearce, S. J. Oliver, H. Such.  
Middle row :—A. A. Page, W. G. Eaton, H. W. Bennett, F. G. Beale, J. Sharp.  
Sitting :—H. Harris, J. Hambling, E. R. Cole, C. J. Ireland, H. Millington.

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Three wills amounting together to more than a million pounds were sworn for probate on Saturday.



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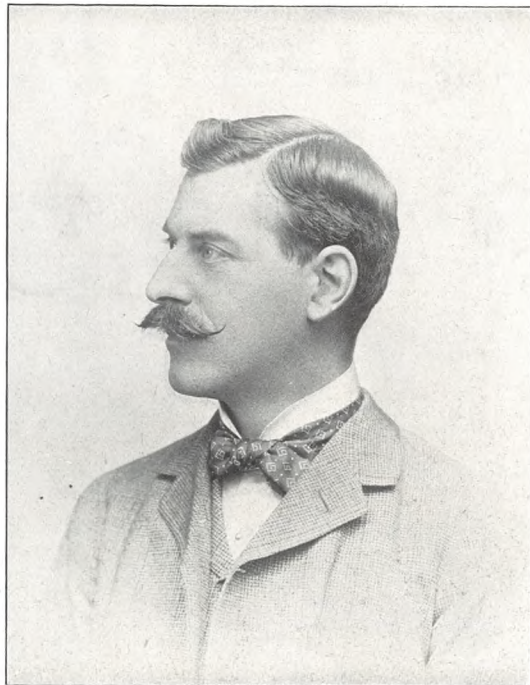
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Potatoes were selling retail on Monday in London streets and small shops at 6lbs. for 1d.

The tanning of snakes' skins for women's belts has become a lucrative industry in Madras.

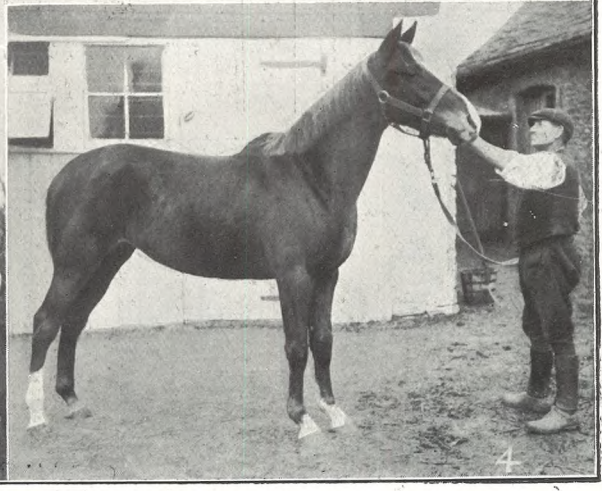
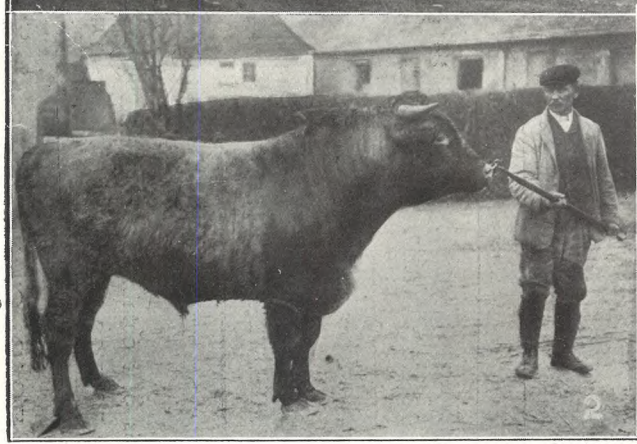
A fine organ, to be worked by six high-pressure hydraulic engines, is to be installed in Westminster Cathedral, at a cost of £8,000.

# GLOUCESTERSHIRE FARMS AND FARMERS.

MR. A. ILES AND PARK FARM, FAIRFORD (see special article in main sheet page 2).



Mr A. Iles,  
Fairford.



1. Farmhouse from garden.

2. Pedigree shorthorn bull (Latton Lad).

3. Photographing sheep from high road (or the snapper snapped).

4. Beautiful chestnut filly, winner at Lechlade and Gloucestershire shows, and will probably be shown at Gloucester in June.

Circular photo is that of Mr. A. Iles on his favourite nag.

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1. Mr. A. K. Iles, junr., and Messrs. C. E. Martin, A. H. Brown, and D. S. G. Burton, pupils on farm.

2. Mr. and Mrs. Iles and daughters.  
3. The shepherd (J. Butler) and his assistant with ewe tegs in lamb.

4. Threshing party.  
5. Fine show of fat sheep.

**Farm-Yard Skating Carnival at Winter Garden, Cheltenham, March 5, 1909.**



**SOME OF THE QUAINTEST DRESSES.**

1. Miss Mouat-Biggs (Milkmaid).—2. Mr. A. Arbathnot (Scarecrow).—3. Miss Bruce (Butterfly).—4. Miss Hadden (Milkmaid).  
—5. Mr. H. R. Townshend (Dutch Peasant).—6. Miss H. Mouat-Biggs (Gleaner).

Photos by Photo Enlarging Co., 463 High-street, Cheltenham (taken specially for "Graphic").

**Farm Yard Skating Carnival at Winter Garden, Cheltenham, March 5, 1909.**



**PRIZE WINNERS AND SOME OF THE MORE ORIGINAL COSTUMES.**

i. First prize, driving team—Miss Violet Turner-Miller, Miss G. Miller, Miss Farren, and Miss E. Gardner.—2. The donkey was a feature of the farm yard. Miss I. Bruce and Mr. F. Cook (instructor).—3. Second prize, team driving—Mr. J. Annesley, Miss E. Willoughby, Miss Thom, and Miss D. Willoughby. Miss D. Willoughby also won first prize in balloon race.—4. Miss G. Hornsby and Mr. R. Harrison (M.C.), winners of pairs competition.

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**Farm Yard Skating Carnival at Winter Garden, Cheltenham, March 5, 1909.**



FLASHLIGHT PHOTO OF SKATERS. FARMYARD IN BACKGROUND.



MISS LOUIE TEALL,  
eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Teall,  
of Northleach, who died Feb. 24th, 1909,  
aged 27 years.

Photo by Holloway, Cheltenham.

**CHELTENHAM PARISH CHURCH  
JUNIOR GIRLS' GYMNASIIC CLASS.**

Who assisted in exhibition of drill at  
Engineers' Drill-hall, Feb. 26, 1909.

Back row:—Miss Stroud, N. Eggleton, F.  
Maxfield, Hilda Harvey, E. Wright, D. Prior,  
J. Seager, Miss Paterson.

Middle row:—D. Clifford, D. Jones, L.  
Stanton, A. Jones.

Front row:—M. Cresham, N. Harm, G.  
Carpenter, A. Godsell.

Teachers: Miss Paterson and Miss Stroud.

**ALL SAINTS' GIRLS' GYMNASIIC  
CLASS.**

Who assisted in exhibition of drill at  
Engineers' Drill-hall, Feb. 26, 1909.

Back row:—Miss E. Williams, Ida Spar-  
row, Nellie Day, Violet Iliffe, Grace Yeend,  
Dorothy Fieldhouse.

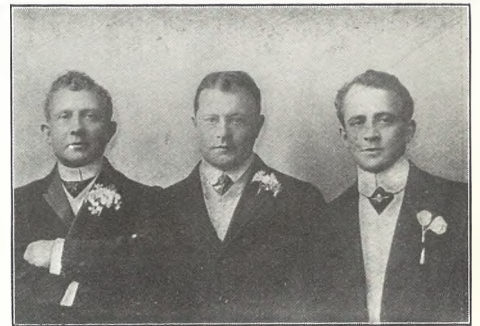
Front row:—Gwen Mayall, Doris Long,  
Gertie Walter, Nellie Davis, Lily Davis.



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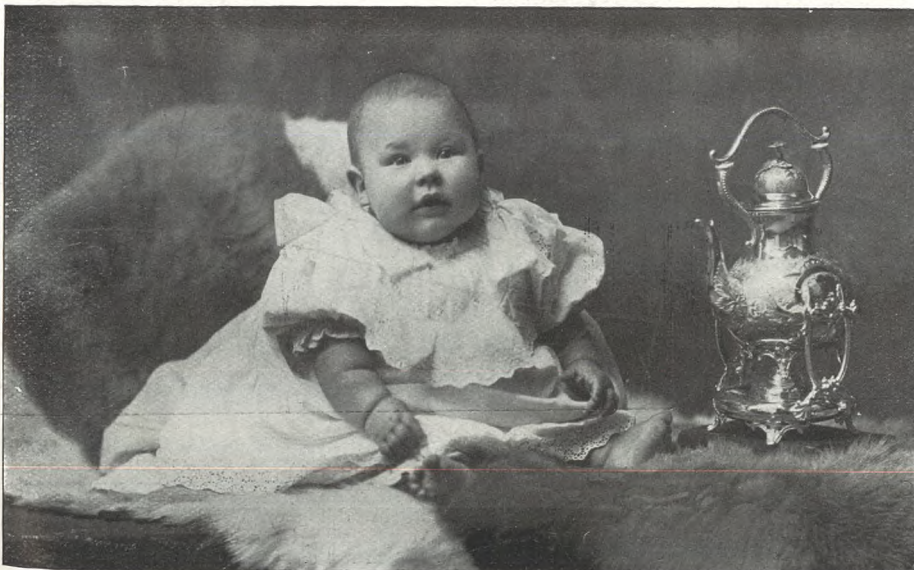
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**A Prize Baby,**

Winner of first prize in Baby Competition at Victoria Rooms, Cheltenham, on March 5. The baby is the child of Mrs. Johnson, of 6 Granville-street, Cheltenham, was aged six months, and weighed 23lbs. 11oz. Photo by E. and F. Baldwin, Cheltenham.

The War Office has notified that the standard of height for recruits for the Infantry of the Special Reserve has been raised to 5ft. 3in.

**School Concert at Broadwell, near Stow.**



**"MERRY LITTLE SOLDIERS."**

Sitting:—F. Phillips, G. Wyatt, W. Brooks, W. Adams, and J. Stevens.  
Back:—Corporal H. Alder.

**HOOP DRILL.**

Standing:—May Adams, S. Illes, G. Illes, A. Cairus.  
Kneeling:—R. Smart, J. Radburn, E. Phillips.  
Sitting:—Dor. Veck Daisy Roberts, Dolly Adams, D. Bishop.

**THE JAPS.**

Standing:—G. Illes, E. Phillips, A. Cairus.  
Sitting:—Miss N. L. Narborough, S. Illes, R. Smart, J. Radburn  
Miss L. Timms.  
Photos by L. H. King.



CLIFFORD MANOR.



**MR. AND MRS. ROBERT WELCH,  
OF RUTLEY VILLA, GOTHERINGTON, NEAR  
CHELTENHAM.**

who celebrated their golden wedding on Monday, March 8, 1909, having been married at the Parish Church, Cheltenham, March 8, 1859. Mr. and Mrs. Welch are old inhabitants of Cheltenham, Mr. Welch coming here from Gravesend in 1857. He carried on business as a shoemaker in Lower High-street for over twenty-five years, afterwards migrating to Bath-road. Eleven years ago he retired to Gotherington, buying some land there and building himself a house, having transferred his business to his son. He has three sons and three daughters living.



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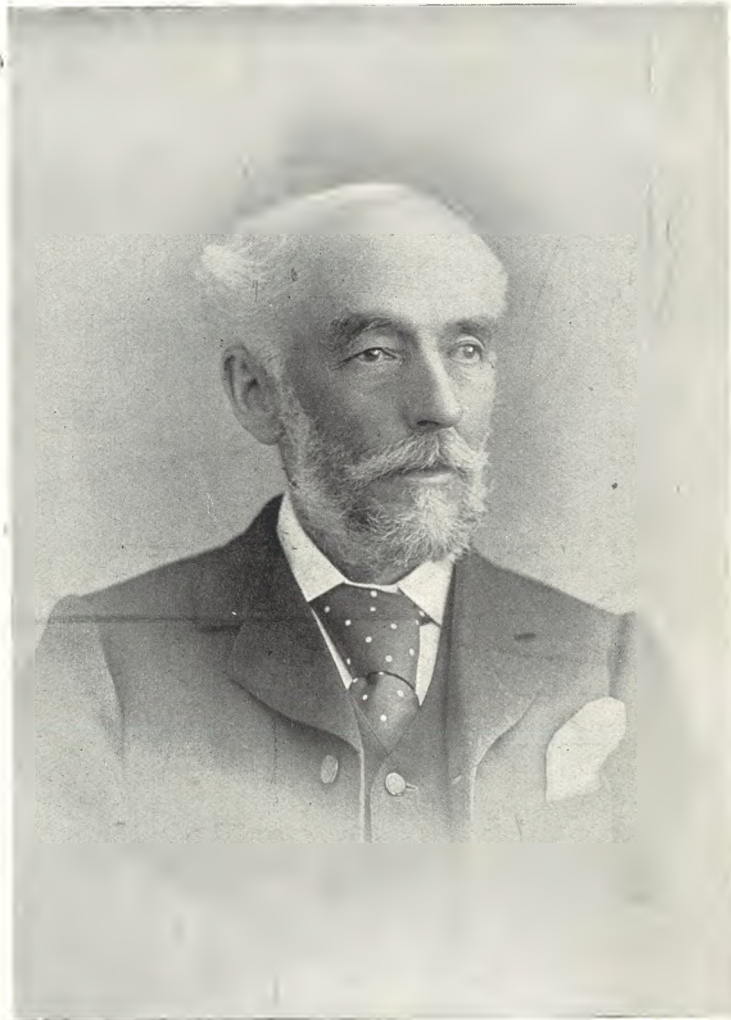
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BROCKWORTH COURT

1. The Court with farm buildings, Brockworth Church in background.



2. Feeding Shropshire ewes and lambs.  
3. Lambs at play.  
4. Fat stock in yard.



5. Beautiful half-timbered part of old monastery of which the Court forms part.

North Cotswold Hunt Point-to-Point Races at Beckford, March 17, 1909.



1. Taking the second fence in Open Race. Newington II. nearest, with Sir J. Hume-Campbell's Fable behind.
2. Newington II. winning.
3. Group of local sportsmen and women in paddock.

4. D. Reid, kennel huntsman, in centre, with first and second whips.
5. Mr. C. T. Scott on Fair Play, astride a hedge in Open Race.

6. Mr. Stowe, of Snowhill, chats with Reid.
7. Sir J. Hume-Campbell winning on Investment.
8. Lord Lifford (in bowler hat) and friends in paddock.



1. Miss Wiliams (Milkmaid).—2. Mr. H. Box (Gipsy Poacher, first prize for costume).—3. Mr. Charlie Turk as a Milkmaid.—  
4. Miss E. Clee (Mary the Gleaner, first prize costume for ladies).—5. Mr. H. E. Steel, Mrs. Steel, Miss Slader, and Mrs. Cooper  
(first prize for team).—6. Mr. Harold Cook as a Slavey (first prize for backward skating).

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Grand Public Farm Yard Skating Carnival at Cheltenham Winter Garden, March 10, 1909.



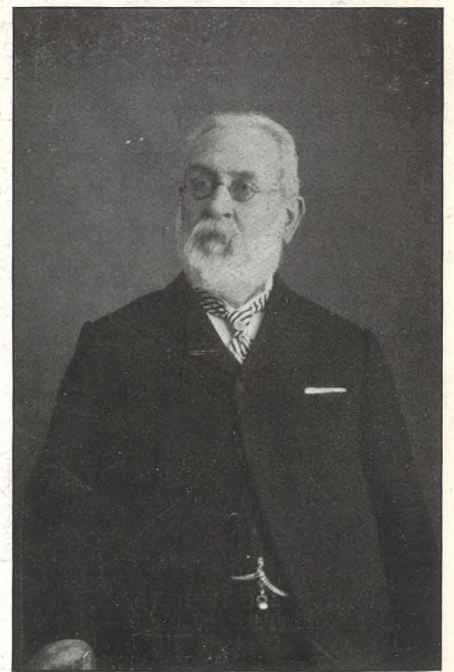
SOME OF THE CHARACTERS.

1. Miss N. Smith (Dairymaid) and Miss Browning (Georgian Shepherdess).—2. Mr. H. Cornish Barnett (Claude Duval).—3. Miss Hornsby and Mr. G. Leaver (first prize for pair skating).  
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A Cheltenham Naval Wedding—St. James's Church, March 1, 1909.

STOKER WILLIAM WINSTONE AND MISS MABEL MILVERTON,  
Miss May Wakefield, Miss Dorothy Winstone (bridesmaid), Mrs. Winstone, the  
Bridegroom, the Bride, Mr. Winstone (bridegroom's father), Miss Emily Hook (brides-  
maid, cousin of the bride), Mrs. Hook (aunt), Stoker Davis, R.N. (best man).  
In front:—Miss Gladys Woodward (cousin of bride) and Miss Jessie Hill (bridesmaids).  
Photo by Mr. E. M. Bailey.



MR. JOHN ELLAM,

of Crewe, a familiar figure at the annual  
Easter festival of the Cheltenham Athletic  
Club, who has recently died, aged 80 years.

Performance at Bishop's Cleeve in aid of Cricket Club, February 12, 1909.



Children in Nursery Rhymes at Bishops Cleeve.

1.—Ride a Cock Horse (H. Harvey). 2.—Wee Willie Winkie (A. Tarling). 3.—Little Boy Blue (S. Smith). 4.—Little Jack Horner (T. Jeynes). 5.—Flower Song. 6.—Humpty Dumpty (E. Aldridge). 7.—Little Miss Muffett (D. Larner). 8.—Mary, Mary, Quite Contrary (P. Kent, E. Kent, M. Colman, V. Shipway, I. Stanton, F. Morton). 9.—Little Bo-Peep (C. Cox). 10.—Rock-a-Bye, Baby (V. Aldridge). 11.—Sing a Song of Sixpence (C. Cox, A. Aldridge, W. Oakey). 12.—Old Mother Hubbard (A. Aldridge).  
Photos by H. B. Stanley, Cleeve Hill.

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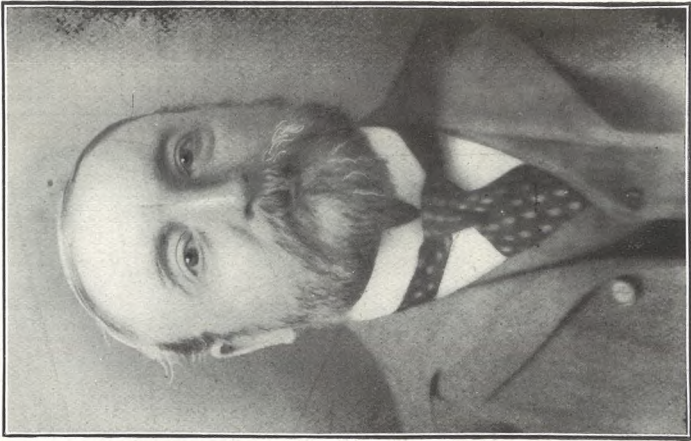
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Farm Yard Roller Skating Carnival, Cheltenham Winter Garden, March 10, 1909. :: Flashlight Photograph of Skaters.



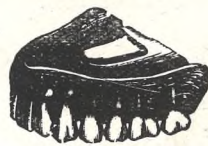
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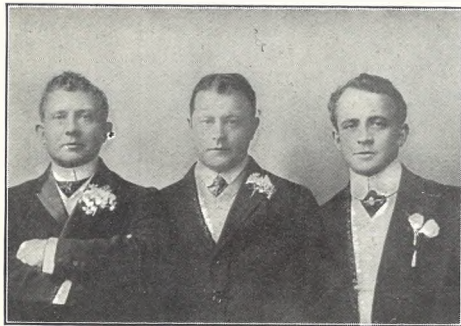
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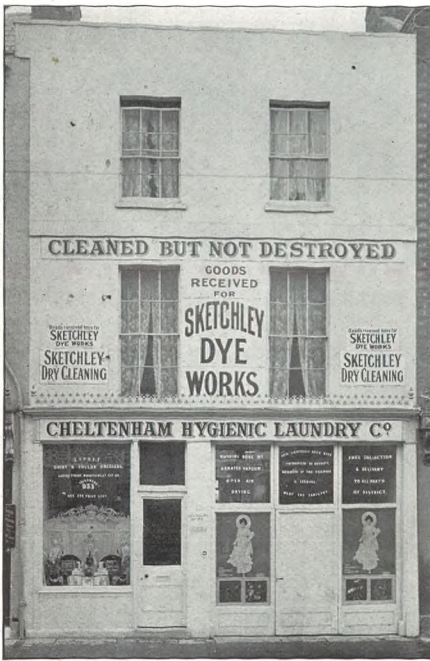
Great Bull Fair at Gloucester Market, March 19, 1909.



1. Mr. Norman, of Maisemore, and Mr. Blackwell, of Frocester Court (both stewards) examining the bulls.  
2. Part of grand stand round bull ring.  
3. Mr. H. T. Bruton, jun., selling.

4. Mr. Godsell's bull calf, which took first and champion prizes and sold for 100gs.  
5. Mr. Benjamin Read, of Church Farm, Cam (steward), and Mr. Bevan, of Gloucester (secretary Farmers' Associa-

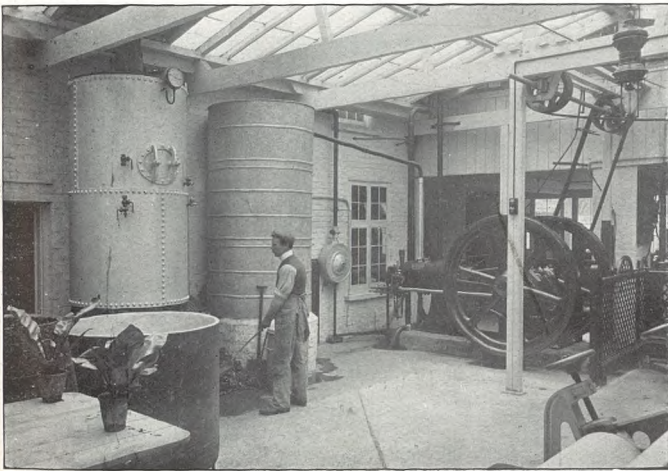
tion).  
6. Mr. Bellamy, a well-known dealer.  
7. Mr. James Godsell and Mr. E. Godsell, of Stroud, talking to Mr. Stratton, of The Duffryn, Newport, one of the judges.



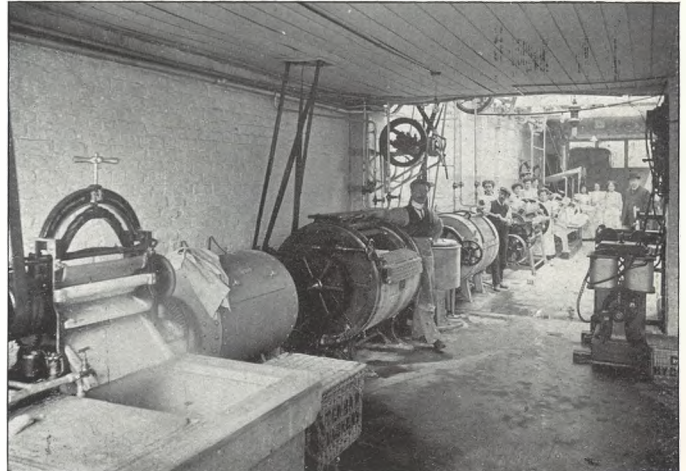
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# GLoucestershire Farms and Farmers.

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1. The fine old Cotswold farmhouse.
2. Mr. Brain, manager of farm for eight years.
3. Very fine shorthorn heifer ("Shipton Pimpernel").



4. The old shepherd (Henry Holland), who has worked on farm nearly sixty years.
5. Famous stock bull ("Newton Comet"), which cost Mr. Phillips 700gs. as a calf.



6. Beautiful shorthorn cow ("Sweet Pansy"), for which 200gs. has been refused.
7. Mrs. Brain and Jack on his pony.
8. General view of farmstead, with little church behind.

HOCKEY AT CHELTENHAM COLLEGE.



1. Teams taking field.  
2. Spectators arriving. There was a large crowd present, notwithstanding heavy rain.

3. Run down field by Marlborough forwards.  
4. Marlborough attacking.  
5. Hot work in front of Cheltenham goal.

6. Dribble in mid-field.  
7. Marlborough shoot a goal, despite Onslow's attempt at defence.

Cheltenham College  
v. Marlborough College



**HOCKEY—Cheltenham College v. Marlborough College, March 20, 1909. The Teams.**

Back row:—C. A. Saville (M), J. A. Pym (C), H. S. King (M), C. E. G. M. Kennedy (M), L. G. Pocock (C), C. J. R. Turner (M), G. A. Rhodes (M), G. D. H. Alston (M), J. C. Wynne Edwards (C), G. D. Wood (C), E. A. Shaw (M), C. K. James (C), W. E. Harris (C), G. H. Atkinson (M), G. S. L. Kemp (C).  
 Sitting:—E. L. Armitage (C), A. H. Scott (M), B. W. Onslow (C), W. M. Peacock (M, captain), J. G. Reid (C, captain), A. K. Loyd (M), F. V. C. Periera (C).



**Serious Fire in Cheltenham, March 20, 1909.**  
 THE COOPERS' ARMS, HIGH STREET, BURNT OUT.  
 THE GUTTED PREMISES SHORTLY AFTER FIRE.



**Miss Barnard's Leckhampton Girls' Gymnastic Class,**  
 WHO PERFORMED RECENTLY AT THE DISPLAY IN  
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**A Hatherop Golden Wedding.**

MR. AND MRS. THOS. BETTERTON, of Hatherop, near Fairford, who recently celebrated their golden wedding. The group includes their five sons (Albert, William, Thomas, George, and Joseph) and four daughters (Fanny, Louisa, Anne, and Harriet).



**Gloucestershire Farms and Farmers.**

MR. F. PHILLIPS, J.P., OF SHIPTON SOLLARS MANOR.

[See photos page 4 and Special Article in Main Sheet.]



**Home for Friendless Girls': Gymnastic Class, Cambray, Cheltenham, WHO RECENTLY PERFORMED AT THE DISPLAY IN CHELTENHAM ENGINEERS' DRILL-HALL.**

Back row: Miss Byard (teacher), M. Baldwin, G. Ford, G. Bacon, E. Lightfoot, E. Light, Sister Hearne.—Middle row: I. Massie, L. Collins, M. Burgess, F. Dines, M. Richardson.—Front row: H. Sumpton, B. Jennings, F. Ballam, E. Spillett, V. Martin.



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