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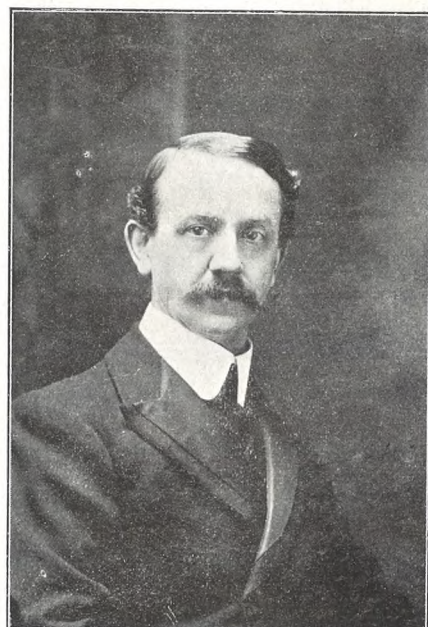
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MR. H. S. WHITTUCK,

Who left the National Provincial Bank,
Cheltenham, on Saturday, March 30, 1912,
after 45 years' service, about 34 years of
which have been spent in Cheltenham.
Mr. Whittuck entered the service at
Bristol in 1867. He was chief cashier at
Cheltenham, and was very much respected.
He is retiring to live in Kensington.

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MR. E. GASCOIGNE CLARE,

Of Cheltenham, who, after six years honorary
service as superintendent of the Gloucester
Railway Mission, has relinquished that
position and has taken over the duties of
sacristan of the Parish Church. Mr.
Clare bade farewell to the congregation at
the Mission Hall at Gloucester last Sunday.

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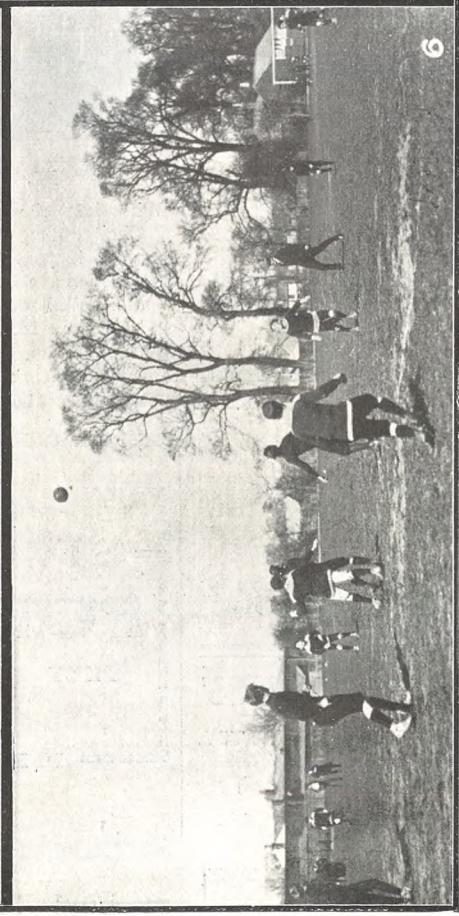
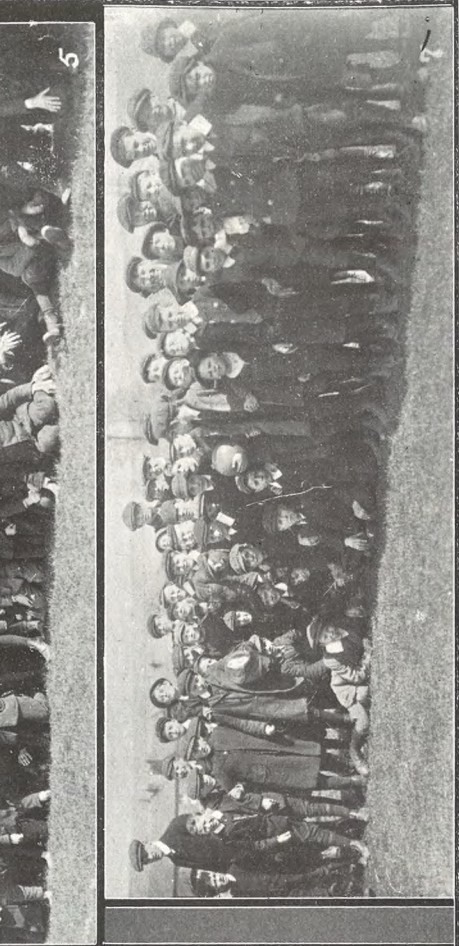
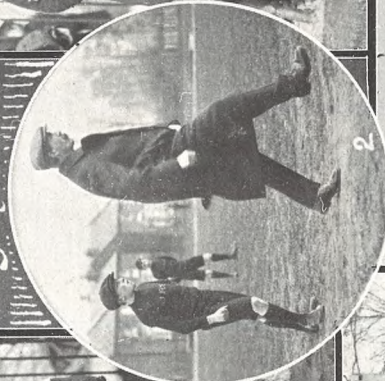
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SCHOOL FOOTBALL IN CHELTENHAM.—Final for the Schools' Association Football Shield.

Played at the Whaddon-lane Recreation Ground, Saturday morning, March 30, 1912, between St. Paul's Practising School and the Gloucester-road School. Practising School were vastly superior, and won by 7 goals to nil.

- 1.—Practising School Team.—Back row: V. Walkley, R. Phillips, J. Franklin, G. Huxford, V. Cooke; front row: D. Webber, S. Grenow, H. Woodrow (capt.), J. Eager, F. Grinnell, H. Dean.
- 2.—Mr. Boone, president of league, kicking off.
- 3.—Gloucester-road Team.—Back row: A. Ryder, H. Wakefield, R. Sims, H. Millard, E. Grinnell, A. Abbott; front row: E. Johnstone, T. Brown, S. Phipps, N. Abbott, A. Hill.
- 4.—A melee in front of Gloucester-road School goal.
- 5.—A number of excited partisans who were onlookers, mostly with Practising School sympathies.
- 6.—Mid-field play.
- 7.—Another lot of spectators.

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CHELTENHAM LADIES' RIFLE CLUB,

WHO HAVE HAD A VERY SUCCESSFUL SEASON, HAVING SHOT 18 MATCHES, WINNING 13, LOSING 4, WITH ONE LEFT UNDECIDED.

Back row.—Col. Sergt. Chapman, Miss Wheeler, Miss Goodeve, Miss Smith, Miss Ticehurst, Miss Bretherton, Miss Manners, Mrs. Muspratt Williams.

Front row.—Miss Sturges (hon. sec.), Miss St. Barbe, Miss Wishaw, Miss Bruce (capt.), Mrs. Holroyd Morgan, Miss Cockshott.

The six ladies in front row constitute the committee of the club.

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CHELTONIAN EMIGRANTS FOR CANADA.

ON APRIL 17th, 1912, NEARLY 20 CHELTONIANS ARE SAILING ON THE ROYAL GEORGE, FROM AVONMOUTH, FOR VARIOUS PARTS OF CANADA. WE GIVE PHOTOS OF A NUMBER OF THE PARTY.



Back row.—P. Baldwin, H. Meek, J. Grant, R. Grant, F. Cook.

Front row.—W. Ames, B. Skirten, S. Baldwin.

[Photo by Cheltenham Newspaper Co., Limited.]



Mr. J. Luker and his four sons, who form part of the party.

Standing: R. O., W. J., and C. E. Luker.

Seated: A. K. and J. Luker.

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CHELTENHAM COLLEGE ANNUAL ATHLETIC SPORTS.

HELD IN BEAUTIFUL WEATHER ON THE COLLEGE PLAYGROUND, MARCH 30, 1912.

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| 1.—Start for the Mile Race. G. G. Croker, the winner, is on extreme left. | M.A. (Ladies' College), who distributed the prizes, and Rev. R. Waterfield. | 7.—Taking the water in Steeplechase (under 16). | 10.—Finish of 300 Yards (under 17). Won by C. Leven. |
| 2.—Finish of the Mile. G. G. Croker, first, in 4min. 55sec. (less than a second outside record); G. T. H. Morse, second. | 4.—H. J. Selby easily wins the Hurdles (under 15). | 8.—The first flight of hurdles (under 17 race). Won by C. Leven. | 11.—The Hurdles Race (under 16). Won by J. M. Bostock. |
| 3.—The Principals of the two great Cheltenham Colleges—Miss L. M. Faithful, | 5.—Start for Relay Steeplechase. | 9.—The Relay Steeplechase—first time over the water. | 12.—Mr. P. Clauss, the starter, giving instructions to starters in Relay Steeplechase. |
| | 6.—Finish of 440 Yards (Open). Won by C. W. E. Cole-Hamilton, G. G. Croker second. | | [Photos by Cheltenham Newspaper Co., Ltd.] |



CHELTENHAM GRAMMAR SCHOOL SPORTS.

HELD ON THE GRAMMAR SCHOOL GROUND, BATTLEDOWN, CHELTENHAM, MARCH 30, 1912, IN BEAUTIFUL WEATHER.

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| 1.—The House Tug-of-War. H.E. Team, who beat F.D. | 4.—Peacey (as usual) wins the Sack Race on his own. | 7.—First time round in Half-Mile Open Handicap. |
| 2.—Gray finishes alone in Half-Mile Open Race, in 2min. 20 1-5sec. | 5.—K. O. Lefeaux; took second prize in High Jump. | 8.—Some of the spectators. |
| 3.—Finish of 100 Yards (under 12), Jardine winning. | 6.—Three-legged Race, won by Jardine and Peacey (in centre of picture). | 9.—Some of the committee. |
| | | [Photos by Cheltenham Newspaper Co., Ltd.] |

STRATTON (CIRENCESTER) FOLK DANCE CLUB.

IN THE OPEN COMPETITION FOR COUNTRY DANCES HELD AT BINGHAM-HALL, CIRENCESTER, ON MARCH 29, THE FIRST AND SECOND PRIZES WERE WON BY STRATTON FOLK DANCE CLUB.



First Prizewinners.—Standing: Miss Smith, Miss Cambray, Mrs. Williams, and Miss Minchin. Seated: Messrs. Taylor, Curtis, E. Stratford, and J. Hayward.



Second Prizewinners.—Standing: Messrs. J. Hayward, F. Basson, and Dobbs. Seated: Mrs. E. Stratford, Miss V. Jewell, and Miss George. [Photos by T. H. Hancock, Stratton.]



A COTSWOLD GOLDEN WEDDING.
MR. AND MRS. PARTRIDGE,
Of Winston, who celebrated their golden wedding, Jan. 6, 1912. They have had 12 children, of whom 11 are now living, and they have 15 grandchildren. Mr. Partridge is 72 and Mrs. Partridge 70. They have always lived on the Cotswolds.
[Photo by Cheltenham Newspaper Co., Ltd.]



PRIVATE ARTHUR GEORGE JENNINGS,
Late of the Royal Marines, who died at his brother's house, 2 Ashpurton-cottages, Swindon-road, Cheltenham, last week. He was an old Cheltenham boy, educated at St. Luke's School, and had seen 15 years' service. He was an expert big-gun shot. He had only been invalided out of the Service ten weeks. His last ship was the Euryalus.



MR. WYNDHAM BRYER,
Who died at Bournemouth, March 28, 1912, in his 80th year. Mr. Bryer was a celebrated veterinary surgeon who practised for over 50 years in Cheltenham, and had a reputation much farther afield. He was a fearless follower of hounds and a crack rider between the flags. He had resided in Stratford and Bournemouth since he sold his business to Mr. T. J. Brain.

A RICH HUNTING BARON.
The late Baron William Henry von Schroder, one of the oldest members of the Cheshire Hunt, left over £644,000 net. The duties amount to about £94,000.

A Socialist of Melbourne was fined £100, or in default sentenced to three months' hard labour, for preventing his son from serving under the Defence Act.

The Russian Parliament has voted £50,000 for the celebration of the centenary of Napoleon's 1812 retreat from Moscow.

Alleluia! Sing the Triumph.*

"I am He that liveth, and was dead; and, behold, I am alive for evermore."—REV. I. 18.

E. M. DAWSON.
Allegro.

HUGH BUCKLEY.

The musical score is written for voice and piano. It consists of five systems of music. The first system begins with a treble and bass clef, a key signature of one sharp (F#), and a 4/4 time signature. The tempo is marked 'Allegro' and the dynamics are 'ff'. The lyrics for the first system are: "i. Al - le - lu - ia! sing the tri - umph Of the Vic - ter". The second system continues the melody and accompaniment, with lyrics: "in the strife, Who thro' death, Him - self hath brought us". The third system has lyrics: "To the Re - sur - rec - tion Life. Lo, the bars of". The fourth system has lyrics: "death are ri - ven; Now for ev - er o - pen stand,". The fifth system has lyrics: "Nev - er more shall close the por - tals Of the Re - sur - rec - tion Land." The score includes various musical notations such as slurs, accents, and dynamic markings like 'mf' and 'f'.

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- 2.—Alleluia! lo, the darkness
Breaks in everlasting dawn;
Fled for ever in the radiance
Of the Resurrection Morn.
Now is past the night of weeping,
With the morning cometh joy;
By His glorious Resurrection
Death's fell power did He destroy.
- 3.—Lo, the keys of death are holden
By the Victor glorified;
Christ the gates of heaven hath opened
Unto all believers wide.
Day and night the great procession
Of the ransomed enters in;
Jesus lives! Because He liveth,
Life eternal man may win.
- 4.—Alleluia! Christ is risen!
He hath triumphed gloriously:
Now, through Christ, may man triumphant,
Joyful gain the victory.
Alleluia! Saviour, keep us
By Thy heavenly grace, we pray,
That we keep with Thee in heaven
Everlasting Easter Day.
- 5.—Alleluia! Lord, we hail Thee,
Join the chorus of the skies,
And with angels and archangels
Bid the hymn of praise arise.
Alleluia! praise and glory,
Laud, thanksgiving, honour, might,
Worship, blessing, adoration,
To the Victor Infinite!

THE PRINCE OF WALES AND THE ROYAL TRAIN STAFF.

Calling attention to the act of the Prince of Wales in sending money gifts to the driver, stoker, and two guards of the special train which conveyed Queen Alexandra and other royal travelers to Portsmouth on an extremely cold night, when the King and Queen returned from India, the Railway Magazine says:—"In this spirit of kindly consideration, Prince Edward is worthily following the good example set by his grandfather, the late King Edward, and his father King George. It is, indeed, the habitual practice of royal and imperial families in these days to evince the keenest appreciation of the smallest acts of kindness rendered to them when travelling. None of our courtly and distinguished visitors from abroad have exhibited more generosity than the German Emperor. The writer was present at Queenborough Pier some years ago when his Imperial Majesty personally, and without the slightest formality, handed to ex-Superintendent Melville, of Scotland Yard, one of the most beautiful jewelled gold chronometers ever presented to an English police officer. Mr. Quinn, his able successor, has in like manner been deservedly honoured for valuable but unobtrusive service, and there have been many other tokens of the kind, including the liberal gift made by the Emperor William to the royal train staffs of the South-Eastern and Chatham Railway on the occasion of the funeral of King Edward. Dr. Fraser, a former Bishop of Manchester, is well entitled to be mentioned in this connection. The writer travelled with him on very many occasions in Lancashire, and never once saw him leave the train without walking up to the engine to give half-a-crown to both driver and fireman."

DEATH OF MR. EDWARD TERRY.

Mr. Edward Terry, the celebrated actor, died at Barnes, London, on Tuesday, aged 68 years. Deceased will be best remembered through his long association with Mr. John Hollingshead at the Gaiety Theatre, where he appeared with Nellie Farren and other popular actresses in a series of burlesques. He played Dick Phenyl in "Sweet Lavender" 670 times.

Mr. Terry will be well remembered in Cheltenham, which he has visited three times during Mr. Redford's management of the Opera House. The last time he was here was in November, 1909, when he reached the height of local public favour by his delightful acting in the charming "Sweet Lavender," "The Magistrate," and "Flander's Widow." During his previous visit he made a great impression as one of the counsel in "Bardell v. Pickwick," a part after his own heart. Only a few days ago Mr. Redford provisionally fixed a date for another visit next autumn. Mr. Terry and Mr. Redford were old and close friends, and the manager of the Opera House can tell many stories illustrating the great actor's kindness of heart and personal charm. Mr. Redford, by the way, is a capable imitator of Mr. Terry's style, and one of his imitations Mr. Terry described as the best he had ever seen.

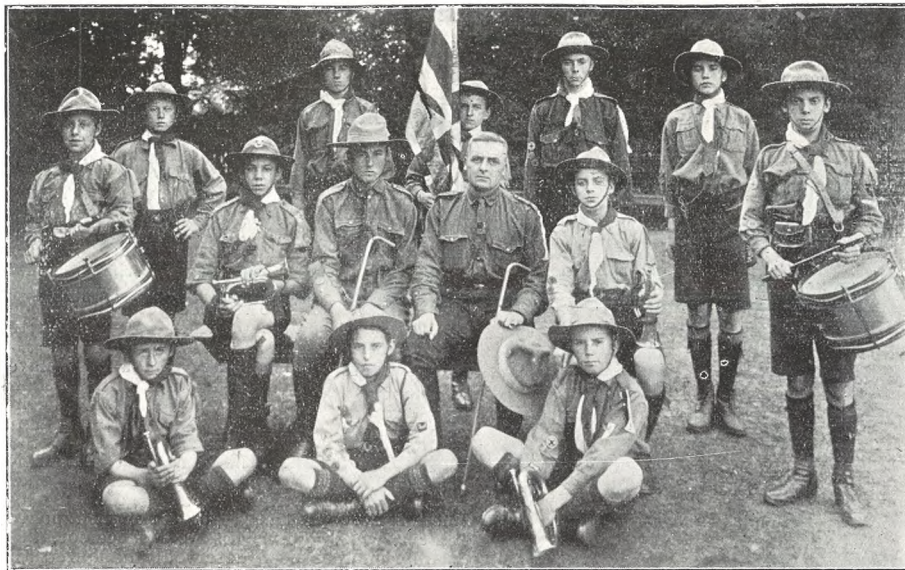
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1st TEWKESBURY (13th Cheltenham Troop) OF B.-P. SCOUTS.

Back row.—Scout Wagstaff, Leader J. Hone (King's Scout), Colour-bearer Norman, Second Martin, Scout G. Hone.

Second row.—Scout Mellor, Patrol-leader Jones, Assist. Scoutmaster Hone, Scoutmaster Rev. C. W. Dixon, Bugler Askwith, Second Moore.

Front row.—Scout Charles, Scout Parrott, Scout E. Hone.

There were four boys unable to be present when this photograph was taken.

[Photo by Mallett and Sons, Tewkesbury.]

With this in hand he made his way to the officer in command, and told him that the village was exempt from supplying food to the troops, this document being proof of his statement. The officer opened the envelope and found therein an order signed by one of Bonaparte's generals, stating that in return for services rendered to the French army the village was to be free from interference in future.

The Englishman smiled, and laid the document aside. "This was made out by the French over a hundred years ago," he said to the Omdeh. "It is no longer valid."

The Egyptian shrugged his shoulders. "French or English," he replied, "now or then: it is all the same to us. We are the same people."—From "Napoleon's 'Great Adventure,'" by Arthur E. P. B. Weigall, in "Blackwood's Magazine" for April, 1912.

In the Press.

"THE THREE KNAVES," by Mr. Eden Phillpotts.

"THE GIANT FISHER," by Mrs. Hubert Barclay.

"THE MAN WHOM THE TREES LOVED, AND OTHER STORIES," a new work by Mr. Algernon Blackwood, is in the press. It will be illustrated by Mr. Graham Robertson.

Mr. Blackwood has built up a big public for himself. Those whom the weird or the fantastic attracts will do well to look out for his newest production.

A new departure has been made in connection with "Macmillan's Sevenpenny Series," by including two stories which now appear for the first time. The first is "The Three Knaves," by Mr. Eden Phillpotts, an exciting detective story, the skilfully conceived plot of which carries the reader from one mystery to another with unabating interest; and the other, "The Giant Fisher," by Mrs. Hubert Barclay, a love story of an unusual kind, marked by freshness and charm of style, and a fine perception of the beauty and fidelity that underlie true love.

LITERARY REVIEW.

Books to Order at the Library.

- "THE HOUSE ON THE MALL," by Edgar Jepson.
- "THE RED MAN'S SECRET," by F. Frankfort Moore.
- "IN COTTON WOOL," by W. B. Maxwell.
- "THE ORDER OF RELEASE," by H. de Vere Staurope.
- "CABBAGES AND KINGS," by O. Henry (styled the American Kipling).
- "FIRE IN STUBBLE," by the Baroness Orczy.
- "THE PRINCIPAL GIRL," by J. C. Snaith.
- "LIFE AND LETTERS OF JOHN RICKMAN," by Orlo Williams.
- "THE FOREST ON THE HILL," by Eden Phillpotts.
- "A QUEEN OF CASTAWAYS," by John Barnett.

New Novel.

"THE TOUCHSTONE OF FORTUNE," by Charles Major.
Mr. Charles Major, author of "Dorothy Vernon" and other popular romances, is an American writer whose works are well-known in England. His new book, "The Touchstone of Fortune," is a story of the Court of King Charles II., and more nearly resembles "When Knighthood was in Flower," the first

great success of this writer, than anything he has since done. The chief interest of the tale is centred in a witty, sprightly, and determined young girl, who holds her own against the evil influences about her, and succeeds finally in outwitting the king in love and statecraft.

Poetry.

"THE ISCARIOT," by Eden Phillpotts (Murray.) 3s. 6d. net.

Mr. Eden Phillpotts has touched a fine idea in his poem. He makes Judas Iscariot plead the cause of Jesus before the Sanhedrin. Judas declares that he had not sold his master for thirty pieces of silver; the apparent betrayal was no betrayal in reality. Judas desired to hasten the final test of his master's Godhead. He believed that no sooner did a soldier lay hands on Jesus than a light would flame down out of heaven and the final proof be given. But no light came, and the man was taken; proved by the event to be no God, but only a beautiful dreamer who believed so strongly in himself and his purpose that he felt himself to be the Son of God:—

"And if he go
To the Roman beam, then it is I alone
That murder him and slay my only friend.
Oh! suffer no such everlasting curse
To fasten on my soul."

It is a tremendous subject, and Mr. Phillpotts has approached it in a thoroughly workmanlike and conscientious manner.—"The Observer."

"We are the Same People."

In the year 1907 a detachment of English troops was route-marching in the Delta, and, being somewhat short of provisions, halted near a small village in order to purchase a few chickens and pigeons. The Omdeh, or headman, hearing the news and thinking that the supplies were to be commandeered without payment, hurriedly sought amongst his papers until he had found a certain document preserved with care in a sealed envelope.

**TO OUR READERS
ABROAD.**

WE are always glad to receive letters or photographs from Gloucestershire people now resident abroad, in order that we may insert same in the "Chronicle and Graphic." Just as news from home is welcome to them, so will be news from them to their relatives in the old country. We therefore invite correspondence, and will make a special feature of same in the "Chronicle and Graphic," and insert any photographs of interest—either of individuals, groups, home life, &c.—in the popular Art Supplement. Letters from Colonists will be especially welcomed if they contain information concerning the conditions of life, and of trade, and also the prospects for future settlers.

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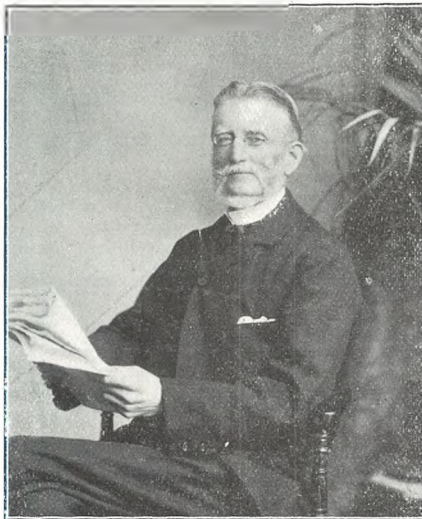
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MR. THOMAS ARTON SLATTER,

Of Winchcombe,

Died April 2nd, 1912, aged 75 years.

At the time of his death he was the only remaining High Bailiff of the County Court in Gloucestershire. No new High Bailiff has been appointed for years, the duties of this office being merged in that of Registrar as fast as the old bailiffs died or resigned.



THE REV. W. DARKE STANTON, M.A., J.P.,
Vicar of Toddington, with Stanley Pontlarge;
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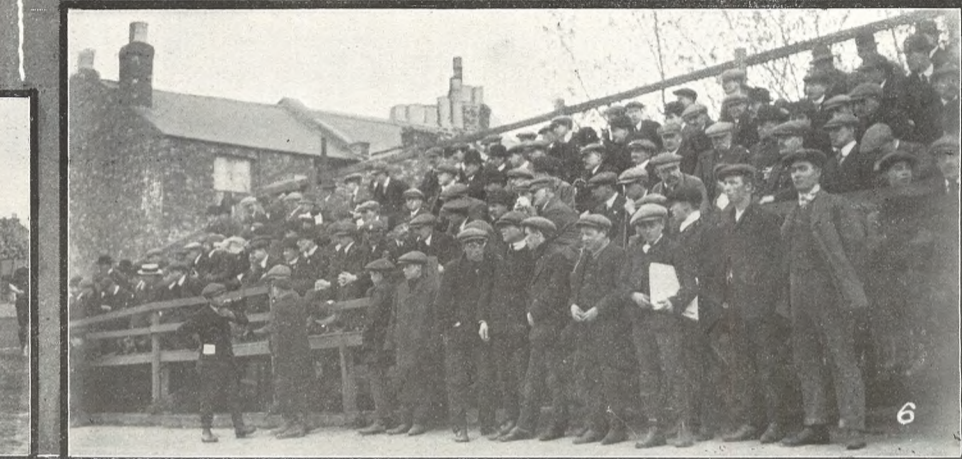
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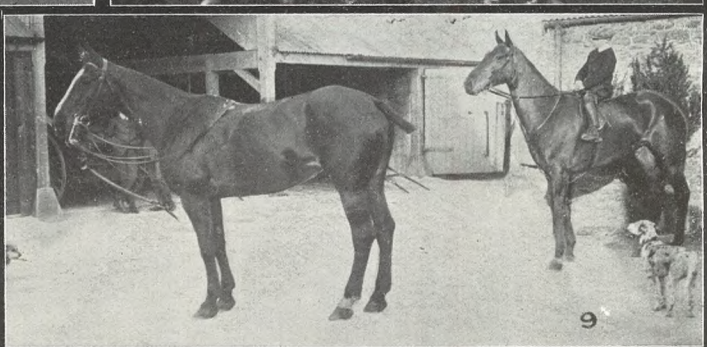
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EASTER HOLIDAY FOOTBALL—CHELTENHAM v. NORTHAMPTON.

ON CHELTENHAM ATHLETIC GROUND, APRIL 6, 1912. CHELTENHAM WON BY 6ETS. TO NIL.

- 1.—Some of the players at half-time. The lighter jerseys are Northampton colours.
- 2.—The Cheltenham halves get the ball away from a scrum.
- 3.—W. N. Unwin, Cheltenham captain, heads a dribbling rush with Hopkins and Wixey.
- 4.—Northampton get the ball out of the scrum. Waite the Cheltenham forward, just about to nounce on the Northampton half.
- 5.—A high tackle from behind. A Cheltenham three quarter tackles the Northampton wing three quarter.
- 6.—The stand on the sixpenny side. [Photos by Cheltenham Newspaper Co., Ltd.]



CRICKLADE RACES.

HELD AT CRICKLADE ON EASTER MONDAY, BEFORE A VERY SMALL ATTENDANCE, THE EVENTS INCLUDING HORSE-JUMPING COMPETITIONS, PONY RACES, AND TWO STEEPLECHASES.

- 1.—The winner of one of the jumping contests taking the double hurdle.
- 2.—A fight.
- 3.—A good jump over the wall.
- 4.—Start of a steeplechase. The piebald was the winner.
- 5.—The winner taking last fence in steeplechase.
- 6.—Shaking the box for pennies—a popular gambling device.
- 7.—The only "bookie" at the races, and some of his clients.
- 8.—The piebald jumping the wall.
- 9.—Mr. King, jun.'s, two horses which ran in open Steeplechase, being first and third respectively.

[Photos by Cheltenham Newspaper Co., Ltd.]



IMPRESSIVE FUNERAL AT TEWKESBURY.

THE BURIAL OF MR. F. W. GODFREY, J.P., HEAD OF THE FAMOUS FIRM OF BUILDERS (MESSRS. COLLINS AND GODFREY), WHO WAS BURIED AT TEWKESBURY CEMETERY, AFTER A SERVICE AT THE ABBEY, ON APRIL 10, 1912.

- 1.—The carriages passing down Tewkesbury High-street to the Abbey.
2.—The hearse, covered with floral emblems.
3.—The family mourners. With Mrs. Godfrey (the widow) is Mr. Harold Godfrey, the eldest son, while behind is Mr. and Mrs. Frank Godfrey.
4.—Mourners leaving Abbey.
5.—Part of the long procession passing down Church-street.
6.—The procession leaving the Abbey.

[Photos by Cheltenham Newspaper Co., Ltd.]



MR. F. W. GODFREY'S FUNERAL—1: Head of procession. 2: The choir. 3: Entering the Abbey. 4: Employees.



MR. GEORGE WILCOX,
Of Parton Court Farm, Churchdown, who died April 6th, 1912, aged 54 years.



MR. THOMAS LUSTY,
Of 233-234 High-street, Cheltenham, who died April 9th, 1912, aged 67 years.

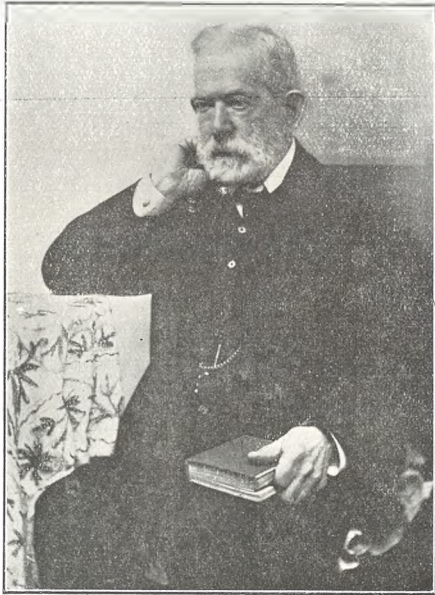


MR. F. W. GODFREY, J.P.,
Of Mythe Grange, Tewkesbury, who died April 5th, 1912, aged 61 years.
[Photo by Cheltenham Newspaper Co., Ltd.]



MR. C. J. TIMBRELL,

Of 8 Orchard-place, Cheltenham, who died at the age of 55. He was a well-known figure among the Conservatives of the North Ward.



MR. ALFRED WILLIAMS,

Of 3 Brighton-road, Cheltenham, who, after 41 years' service with the firm of Georges, Ltd., retired on Saturday last. He made for Georges the celebrated wafers of which Queen Alexandra, when Princess of Wales, requested the recipe, and which have since found a permanent place on the Royal table, an order coming from Buckingham Palace as recently as last week. Mr. Williams also has a claim to fame as a maker of violins, and his name is honourably mentioned in "British Violin Makers, Classical and Modern." He was born at Redditch on June 28, 1840.



GLOUCESTERSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL BUTTER MAKING CLASS,

HELD AT MR. GUILDING'S, BUSHLEY PARK, NEAR TEWKESBURY.

Back Row.—Misses M. G. Crocker, H. Attwood, and L. Mayall.
 Second Row.—Misses K. Martin, H. Martin, F. M. Priday, N.D.D., Chief Instructress in Dairying, L. V. Trewin, and D. Best.
 Front Row.—Mr. P. W. Robinson, Misses D. Trewin, E. Creese, E. Hughes, Mabel Reeves, E. Fowler, Mrs. Nicholls, and Mr. Ridisdale.

[Photo by Mr. Tudge, Newtown, Tewkesbury.]



COTSWOLD SUNDAY SCHOOL UNION,

GOOD FRIDAY MEETING AT MORETON-IN-MARSH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

Front Row (left to right).—Rev. P. Lewis, Mr. C. V. Wilkins (secretary), Rev. R. E. Jenkins (retiring president), Rev. H. F. Chipperfield (president), Rev. S. Gordon (London), Rev. G. A. Ambrose (Bourton-on-the-Water).

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Wedding of Mr. Bert Davy, the popular full-back of Cheltenham Rugby Football Club.

HE WAS MARRIED ON EASTER MONDAY, APRIL 8, 1912, AT ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, CHELTENHAM, TO MISS G. M. CLEEVELEY, OF HATHERLEY.

- 1.—The Bride arriving at church. 2.—Bride and Bridegroom leaving church.
3.—Guests and spectators outside church. [Photos by Cheltenham Newspaper Co., Ltd.]



MISS E. CASWELL,

Of Leamington, who takes up residence in Gloucester on April 18 as Superintendent of the local branch of the Railway Mission. She is one of three sisters engaged in the work, the others being the superintendents of the Small Heath (Birmingham) and Hastings missions.

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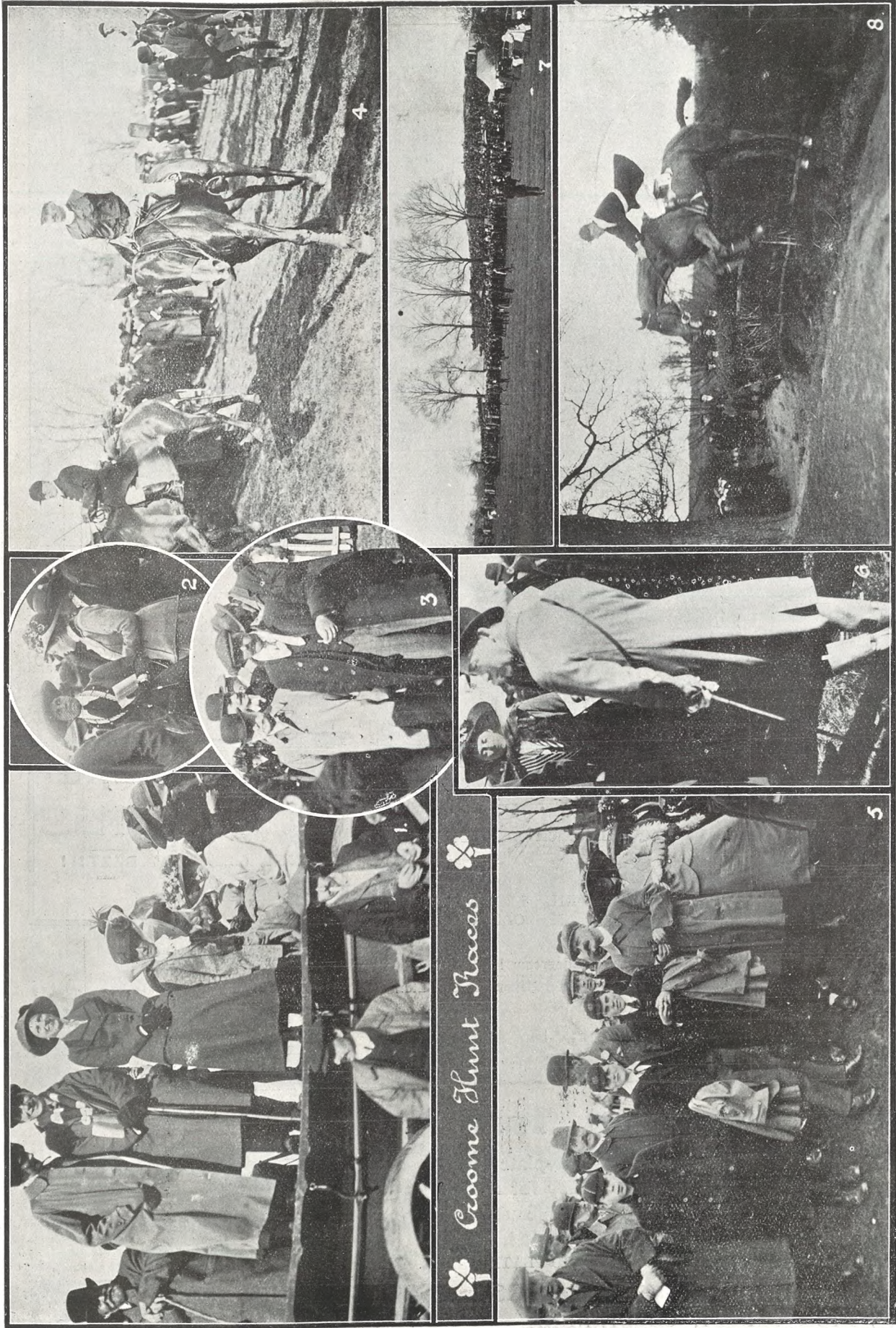
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THE CROOME HUNT POINT-TO-POINT STEEPLECHASES,

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1.—Using a wagon on top of hill for a grand stand.
 2.—Ladies in the paddock
 3.—Gentlemen watching the racing.

4.—Mr. H. G. Farrant's Acidity (second), the favourite for Ladies' Race, which was beaten by Mr. Gresswolde-Williams's Red Monk, which can be seen coming up behind.

5.—Watching the racing from the paddock.
 6.—Mr. Gresswolde-Williams, owner of Red Monk, the principal winner.

7.—A view of the Paddock on slope of hill.
 8.—Mr. W. Blandford winning Croome Farmers' Race on Lazybones. An extraordinary landing over last fence, the horse's hind legs touching the ground first.

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Sitting.—J. H. Pratley, —. Brain, H. Cherrington, R. Bathe, G. Thomas, A. Trigg,
G. Rylands.
On ground.—J. Webb, T. Wakefield.
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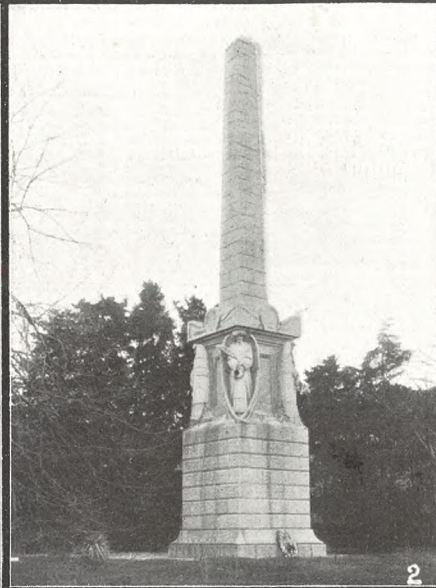
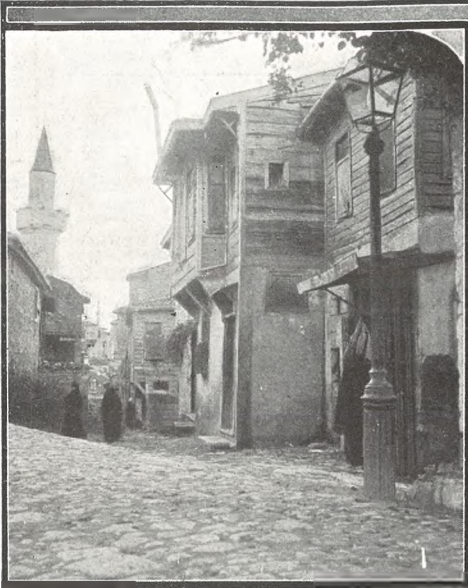
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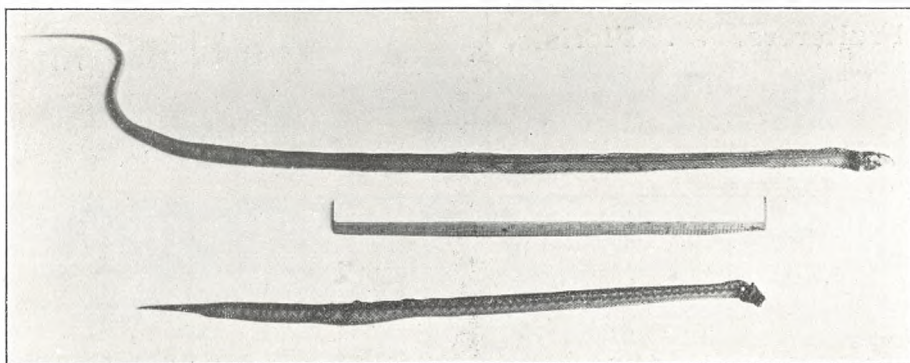
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VIEWS IN CONSTANTINOPLE.—By a Cheltonian now resident there.

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- 1.—Part of the wooden-built quarter of Stamboul, Constantinople.
- 2.—Crimean Memorial, Scutari Cemetery, erected to the memory of officers and men who fell in the Crimean War and died in Florence Nightingale Hospital, close by.
- 3.—Egyptian Obelisk, with Mosque St. Sophia in distance and the Kaiser's Fountain to the left. It was brought from "Or," Egypt, and re-erected by Proclus about A.D. 450. It is a solid piece of granite in a splendid state of preservation.
- 4.—Mosque Sultan Ahmed, Stamboul, Constantinople. One of the few mosques having six minarets
- 5.—Mosque St. Sophia, Stamboul. Built A.D. 415.



SNAKES ON CHARLTON HILL.

Two snakes caught by Mr. Bassett, of 11 Church-place, Charlton Kings, near the Seven Springs Rifle Range on Sunday morning, April 14th, 1912. One of these measured 32½ inches long. A 15-inch rule is photographed with the snakes to give an idea of their length. A number of other snakes were seen, the largest getting away. The warm morning had evidently induced them to take a sunning on the roadside. One of the snakes killed was green, the other (the smaller) a dull brown.

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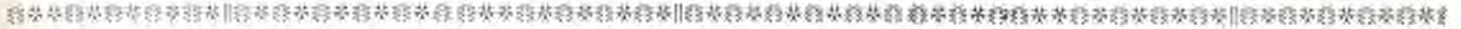
A memorial to Miss Florence Nightingale is to be erected in front of the Royal Infirmary, Derby.



Morris Dance, Folk Song and Country Dance Competition at the Bingham Hall, Cirencester, March 30, 1912.

The Edgeworth children are performing a country dance, being watched by numbers of other competitors.

[Photo by W. Dennis Moss, Cirencester.]



ODDINGTON SCHOOL CHILDREN

WHO PERFORMED THE PLAY, "THE PRINCE AND THE MISTLETOE," AT THE SCHOOLROOM ON APRIL 11TH, 1912.

They were trained by Mr. and Mrs. Dolton, the headmaster and mistress.

Photo by Percy Simms, Chipping Norton.



Original copies of any "Chronicle and Graphic" photos may be obtained, price 1 3 each unmounted, 1 6 mounted. Special prices for quantities.

Dr. Mervyn Archdall, the Bishop of Killaloe, Kilfenora, Clonfert, and Kilmacduagh, has resigned his see, which he has held since 1896.

Some friends have presented the Bishop of Lichfield with a new motor-car as a token of affection and respect, and in recognition of his labours in the service of the diocese during his episcopate of twenty years.



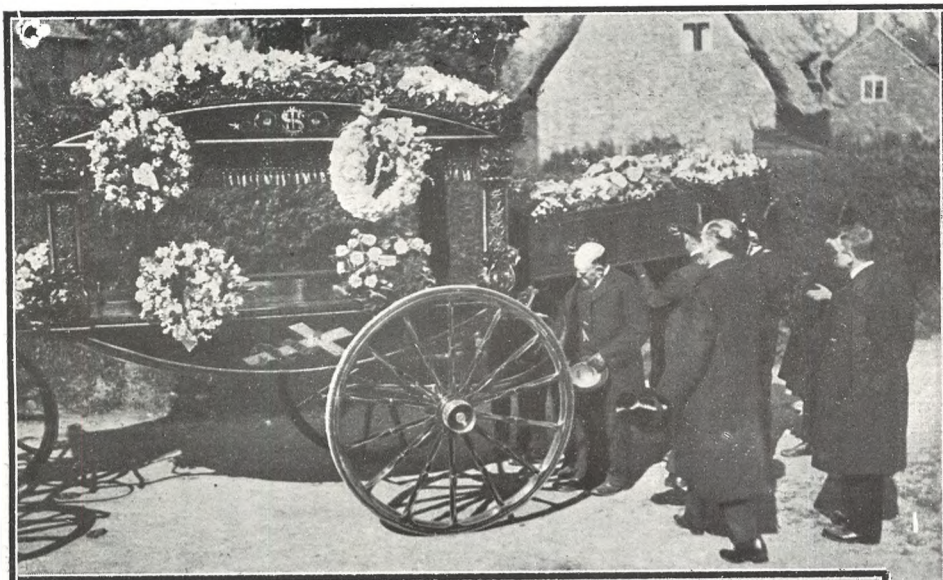
A CHELTHENHAM COLLECTING DOG.

Prince, a black and white collie, the property of Mr. L. Fossleitner, Crown Hotel, Cheltenham, who collects subscriptions for the General Hospital, Cheltenham. He can be seen in High-street every day, and is very successful in obtaining contributions.



Experiments in tobacco growing at the Wye (Kent) Agricultural College for the purpose of extracting a poison for destroying insects on trees prove that from an acre of ground 70lbs. of nicotine at a cost of 6s. 6d. per pound can be obtained, as against 15s. per pound for foreign produce.

Married as long ago as 1871, and the mother of six children, Mrs. Hannah Marie Sanders was granted by the President of the Divorce Court a dissolution of her marriage on the ground of the cruelty and misconduct of her husband, Mr. John Sanders, builder and owner of house property at Shepherd's Bush. The suit was undefended. Evidence was given of gross cruelty and misconduct.



FUNERAL OF MR. GEO. WILCOX, OF PARTON COURT, CHURCHDOWN.

HE WAS BURIED AT THE OLD CHURCH ON TOP OF CHOSEN HILL ON APRIL 11TH, 1912, THE COFFIN BEING CARRIED UP THE STEEPEST PART FROM THE GREEN BY EIGHT BEARERS. MR. WILCOX WAS GREATLY RESPECTED IN CHURCHDOWN, AND A LARGE NUMBER OF PARISHIONERS AND OTHERS ATTENDED THE FUNERAL.

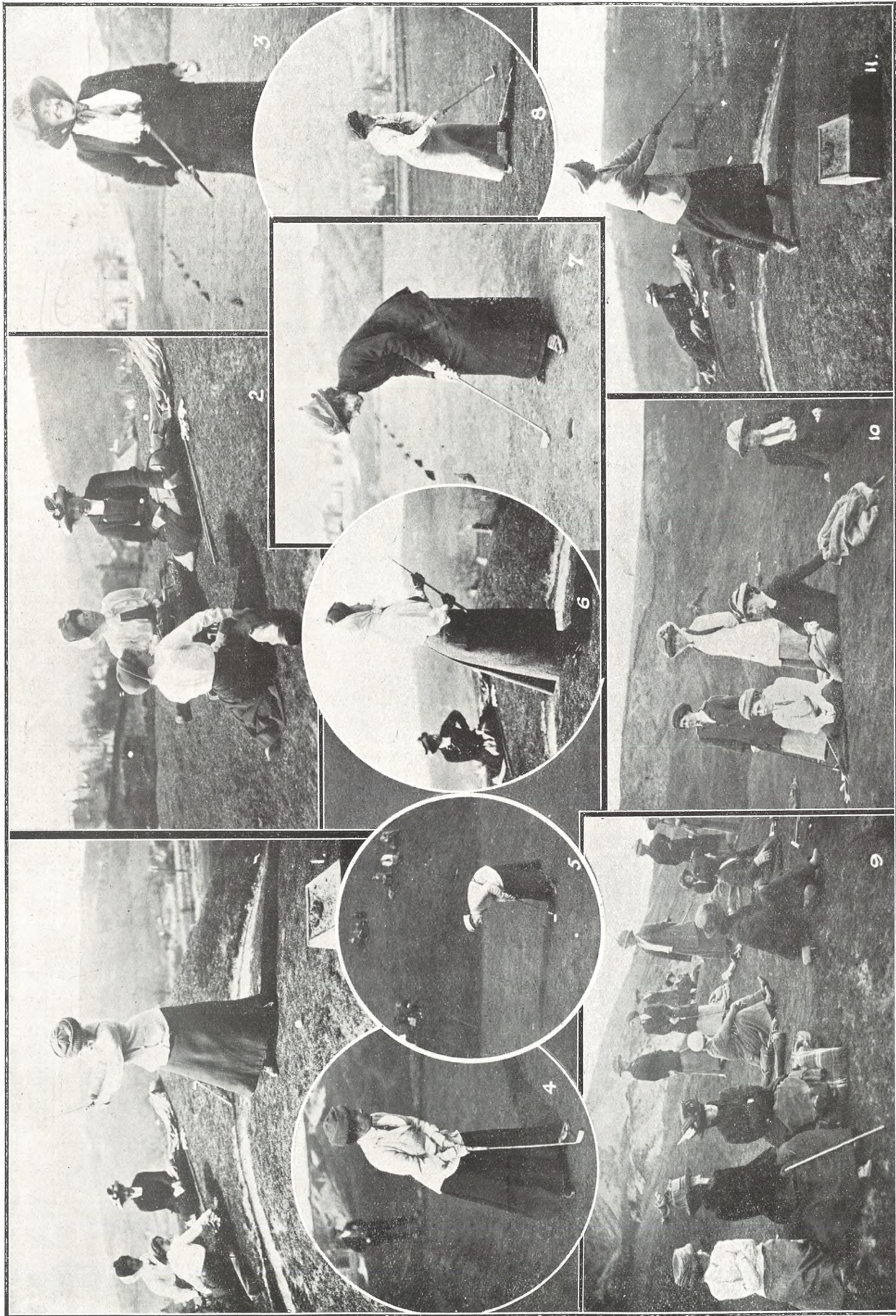
1.—Taking the coffin from hearse at the green. 2.—The funeral procession leaving the green. 3.—Climbing the steepest part of ascent, men pulling with webs at the coffin to assist the bearers. Note men at side also assisting bearers. 4.—Some of the mourners ascending the hill near churchyard. [Photos by Cheltenham Newspaper Co., Ltd.]



V.W.H. STEEPLECHASES,

HELD (UNDER NATIONAL HUNT RULES) AT OAKSEY PARK, NEAR KEMBLE, ON SATURDAY, APRIL 13, 1912.

1.—The corner of grand stand in paddock. 2.—Taking a fence in first race, Mr. J. C. Barton's Teddy VI. (winner) nearest camera. The fences, as can be seen in the photo, were pretty stiff. 3.—Another part of grand stand. 4.—On the course between racing. 5.—Mr. Gordon (the trainer) on left. 6.—Ladies in paddock, Mrs. T. Longworth on right. 7.—Hon. A. Hastings (in front) in the paddock. 8.—Coming in after first race. Mr. H. Adamthwaite on Chief Record (third) leading, Mr. Maurice Kingscote on Bullrush II. (second) next, and Mr. Barton on Teddy VI. (winner) on right. 9.—The subscribers' stand. 10.—Mr. J. Preston Jones on Marksman IV. The horse fell at open ditch in first race, and after walking into Cirencester it dropped dead. [Photos by Cheltenham Newspaper Co., Ltd.]



GOLF.—CHELTENHAM LADIES' SPRING MEETING.

FIRST DAY'S PLAY, APRIL 17, 1912.

- 1.—Miss Isaac approaching in Approaching and Putting Competition, in which she was beaten by Miss Barry, after tying twice.
- 2.—Ladies waiting their turn to play.
- 3.—Mrs. Robinson winner of second prize in Putting Competition, after tying with Miss Branwell.
- 4.—Miss Isaac putting.
- 5.—Miss Barry winning Approaching and Putting Competition.
- 6.—Watching her shot when approaching.
- 7.—Mrs. Bretherton winning first prize in Putting Competition.
- 8.—Mrs. Ford approaching.
- 9.—Ladies waiting their turn at the first tee.
- 10.—Well-known players watching other competitors.
- 11.—Miss Barry at the finish of an approach stroke.

A COTSWOLD WEDDING.

AT LONGBOROUGH CHURCH, NEAR STOW-ON-THE-WOLD, ON EASTER MONDAY, APRIL 8, 1912, THE WEDDING TOOK PLACE OF MR. H. SPENCER HOAD AND MISS KATE SHAW, DAUGHTER OF MR. T. SHAW.



The Bridal Party.



Waiting for carriages outside Church gates, with villagers watching the wedding.

[Photos by W. J. Farrall, Stow-on-the-Wold.]



MR. AND MRS. G. MUSGROVE AND FAMILY, Who are sailing from Liverpool on May 2 for Montreal, Canada. Mr. Musgrove has for many years been a member of the Charlton Kings Urban District Council, and also Superintendent of the Ryeworth Primitive Methodist Sunday School. Standing: Fred and Edith; seated: Winifred.

[Photo by J. A. Bailey, Charlton Kings.]



MR. JOHN HATHAWAY,

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"My sole wish being that my name may be utterly forgotten," said Mrs. Mary Ann Pemberton, Denton House, Denton, Norfolk, who left £19,349, in her will, directing that her tombstone should be inscribed "M.A.P.," with her age and date of death.

At Cannes, on Saturday, the memorial to King Edward was unveiled, in the presence of a large gathering. M. Poincare (Prime Minister) in the course of an eloquent eulogy on the character of the late monarch, said France would not forget that it was King Edward who first favoured, began, and continued the friendly collaboration between her and Great Britain. In working for the good of his people he laboured for general peace, for civilisation, and the progress of humanity.

LITERARY REVIEW.

Fiction.

"A SON OF THE IMMORTALS," by Louis Tracy.

This is a delightful novelty. For, though the story of a young Englishman (in this case an American) who fills the rôle of a petty princeling is no novelty, the treatment of the story by Louis Tracy is decidedly novel. This story, too, differs from the rest of its kind in that the hero actually believes himself to be the rightful prince until the climax of the tale is reached. A book well worth reading. Put it on your list at the library.

Guide Book.

"MOTORING IN SCOTLAND," by Charles G. Harper.

Burrow's Motoring Handbooks are splendid value for the democratic "saxpence." This volume is written by Charles G. Harper and issued under the auspices of the Touring Department of the Royal Automobile Club and the Scottish Automobile Club, and is of course published in Cheltenham. There are numerous artistic photographs, and the letterpress is divided up into "routes," of which there are 54. An interesting feature is the list of the principal golf links of "N. B."

Travel.

"CANADIAN TRAILS," by Eldred G. F. Walker.

To-day everything about Canada is of wide-spread interest. Eldred G. F. Walker has induced Messrs. Arrowsmith (Bristol) to publish at the price of one shilling a very readable little book telling of wanderings hither and thither in the great Dominion. Though not in diary form, it is practically a diary full of chatty gossip and with plenty of the personal note in it. The illustrations are especially interesting. It is a book for the agriculturist, especially the agriculturist with thoughts of emigration.

Gardening.

"THE GARDENER AND THE COOK," by Lucy H. Yates.

Of books about the flower garden there have been no end, but books about the vegetable garden are not so common. Lucy H. Yates writes most amusingly about her English gardener and her French cook, and the rest they combined in concocting. She tells how vegetables should be grown and how cooked; of choice, though not necessarily rare, vegetables which it is profitable to grow; of the treatment of beans; and likewise the making of the mushroom bed. She describes her struggles to convince her gardener that the old ways can be improved upon, until at last she believes she has almost inspired him with an enthusiasm for intensive cultivation. English cooking is often weakest on the vegetable side, and perhaps "The Gardener and the Cook" will induce English housekeepers to pay more attention to the treatment of the succulent food which comes from the kitchen garden. The illustrations are extremely good.—Constable, 3s. 6d.

Forthcoming Books.

"A LYTTEL BOOKE OF NONSENSE," by Randall Davies.

This book will be published by Messrs. Macmillan and Co. immediately. The book consists of a collection of seventy or eighty woodcuts, few of which are less than 400 years old, and Mr. Davies has written a "Limerick" by way of humorous comment on each picture. "To join the woodcuts," he says, "to new occasions need be no slur on their value and beauty, if the rhyme be taken as lightly as it is offered by a lover of old things as well as new."



ST. PAUL'S, CHELTENHAM (PRACTISING SCHOOL), RUGBY FOOTBALL TEAM WHO ON APRIL 15, 1912, DEFEATED ST. PETER'S (HOLDERS) IN THE FINAL OF CHELTENHAM SCHOOLS' CHALLENGE CUP BY 3PTS. TO NIL, WINNING THE BOSTOCK-SMITH CUP FOR THE FIRST TIME.

Back Row.—W. Bullock, S. Dale, H. Woodrow, G. Huxford, W. Smith, W. Sparrow.
Middle Row.—H. Jones, C. Jackson, J. Hooper, G. Howes (capt.), F. Dex, V. Cooke,
— Turbeyfield.
In Front.—D. Webley, S. Grenow. [Photo by Cheltenham Newspaper Co., Ltd.]



ST. PETER'S BOYS' SCHOOL RUGBY XV.

WHO WERE BEATEN BY ST. PAUL'S.

Back Row.—W. Goodhall, C. Vallender, A. Wildsmith, P. Homer, N. Cummings, F. Clappen.
Middle Row.—V. Ingles, B. Herbert, A. Blackwell, W. S. Mills (capt.), J. Smith, F. Attwood, C. Morse.
In Front.—W. Stone, A. Roberts. [Photo by Cheltenham Newspaper Co., Ltd.]

Books to Order at the Library.

- "THE HOUSE ON THE MALL," by Edgar Jepson.
- "IN COTTON WOOL," by W. B. Maxwell.
- "THE ORDER OF RELEASE," by H. de Vere Staupoole.
- "CABBAGES AND KINGS," by O. Henry (styled the American Kipling).
- "FIRE IN STUBBLE," by the Baroness Orczy.

- "THE FOREST ON THE HILL," by Eden Philpotts.
- "A QUEEN OF CASTAWAYS," by John Barnett.
- "A SON OF THE IMMORTALS," by Louis Tracy.
- "THE MATADOR OF THE FIVE TOWNS," by Arnold Bennett.
- "CARNIVAL," by Compton Mackenzie.
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PRETTY TETBURY WEDDING.


On Easter Monday afternoon the marriage took place at St. Saviour's Church, Tetbury, of Mr. Ernest Harold Pearson, of Southampton, and Miss Amy Louisa Harris, of Broadclyst, Devon, and sister of Mr. H. G. Harris, of Tetbury.

Back Row.—Miss Annis Harains, Miss D. Sawtell, Mr. G. Harris, Mrs. G. Harris, Miss N. Sawtell, Miss Sawtell.

Middle Row.—Mr. E. Pearson, Mr. S. Harris, Rev. Gabe Jones, the Bridegroom, the Bride, Mr. H. G. Harris, Rev. Dr. Thomson, Mr. Llewellyn.

Front Row.—Mrs. H. G. Harris, Mrs. E. Pearson, Mrs. Llewellyn, Mr. Sylvester Harris (father of bride), Mr. John Sawtell, Mrs. Sawtell.

On Ground.—Miss Phyllis Harding (bridesmaid), Master P. G. Harris (page).

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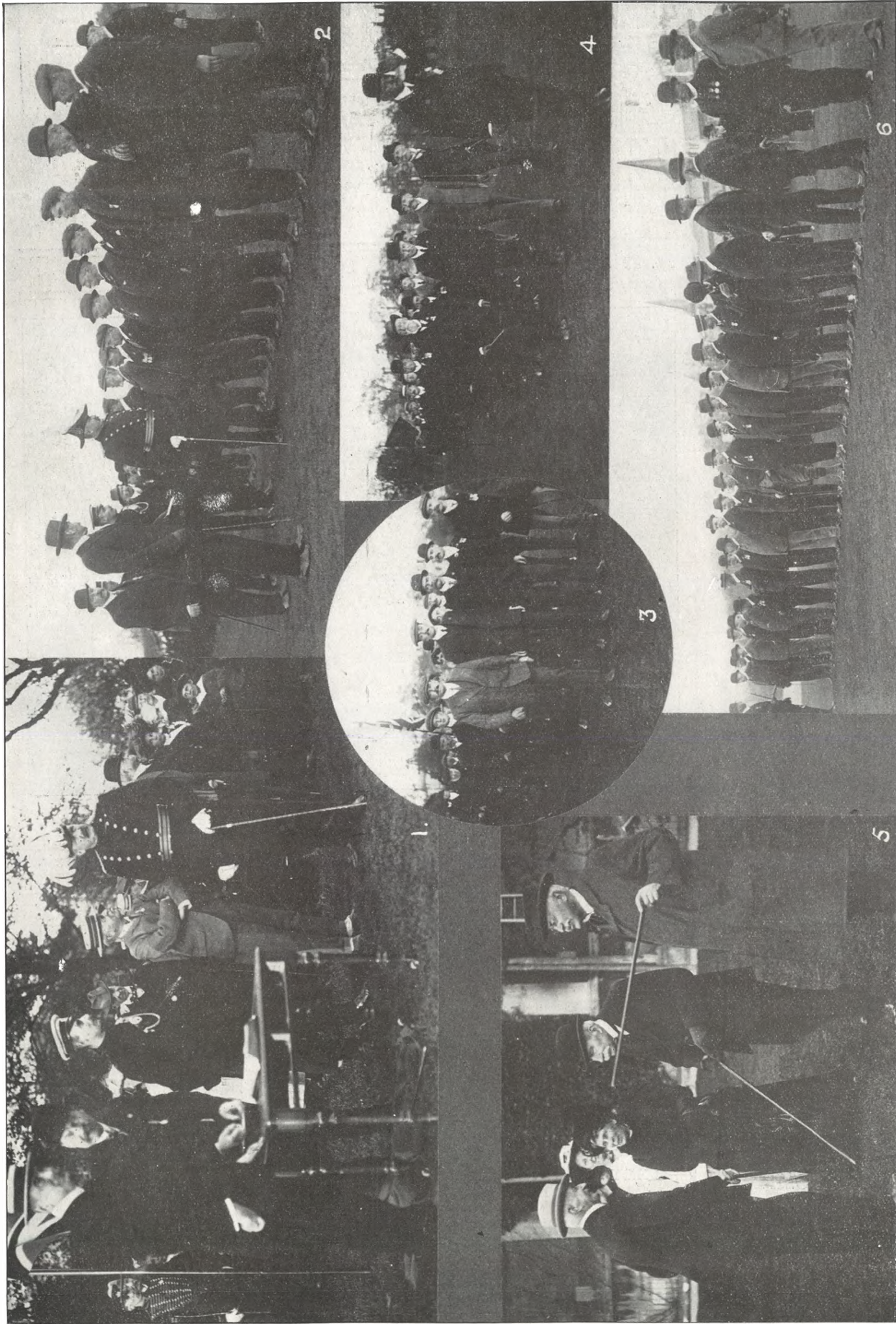
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INSPECTION BY MAJOR-GENERAL THORNEYCROFT.

The first inspection of the Cheltenham District Corps of the National Reserve was made by Major-General Thorneycroft on the Cheltenham College ground on Wednesday, April 24, 1912, and was a great success.

1.—The General chatting to Col. Churchill at the saluting point; Major Tarrant, in uniform, standing next.

2.—The General inspecting the men. With

him is Major Brooke Murray, Colonel Stunges, the Mayor of Cheltenham, and Major Tarrant.

3.—Men of the East Ward marching past.

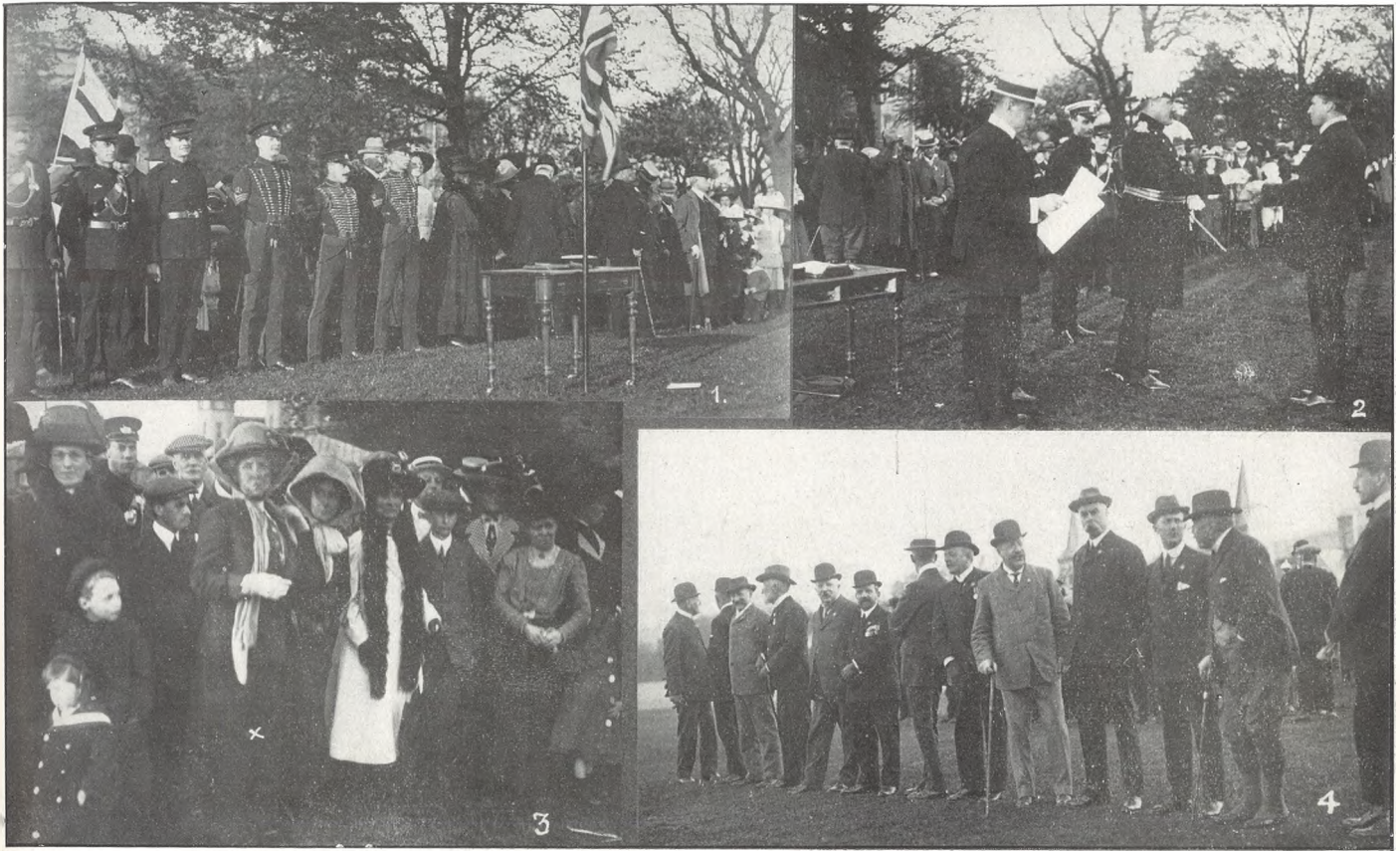
“Eyes right.”

4.—Officers, led by Col. Stevenson, marching past.

5.—Some Cheltenham spectators.

6.—A distinguished line of Cheltenham officers, all members of the Corps. Col. Stevenson was in command.

[Photos by Cheltenham Newspaper Co., Ltd.]



CHELTENHAM NATIONAL RESERVE.

- 1.—Guard of honour at saluting-point, consisting of three members of Territorials (5th Battalion Glos. Regt.) and three sergeants of Yeomanry.
- 2.—The General handing badges to officers, the Mayor giving certificates at same time.
- 3.—Spectators. Major-Gen. Thorneycroft's wife is marked ×.
- 4.—Officers forming up for inspection.

[Photos by Cheltenham Newspaper Co., Ltd.]



AMATEUR DRAMATIC PERFORMANCE IN CHELTENHAM.

"THE VICAR OF WAKEFIELD," ADAPTED BY MR. H. T. RAINGER, WAS PLAYED ON WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, AND FRIDAY, APRIL 24, 25, 26, 1912, AT THE WINTER GARDEN, CHELTENHAM, IN AID OF THE FUNDS OF THE NATIONAL RESERVE.

Next Week—Full-page Group of "Pinafore" Performers.

THE CAST.

Mr. H. O. Barnett (Mr. Burchall), Miss Eileen Growse (Sophia), Mr. Douglas Grundy (Moses), Miss C. Holmes (Mrs. Primrose), Mr. W. H. Banks (Dr. Primrose), Miss Brenda Harvey (Olivia), Mr. H. T. Rainger (Squire Thornhill), Mr. H. B. Harding (Bailiff), Miss M. Fenner (Mrs. Symonds), Mr. Bruce Norman (Jenkinson). [Photo by Cheltenham Newspaper Co., Ltd.]
 Seated in Front.—Mr. Phillot (Dick).



OPENING OF GLOUCESTER CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETY'S BAKERY IN CHELTENHAM, AFTER BEING THOROUGHLY RE-MODELLED.

PICTURES OF OPENING CEREMONY AT THEIR HIGH-STREET PREMISES, APRIL 20TH, 1912.

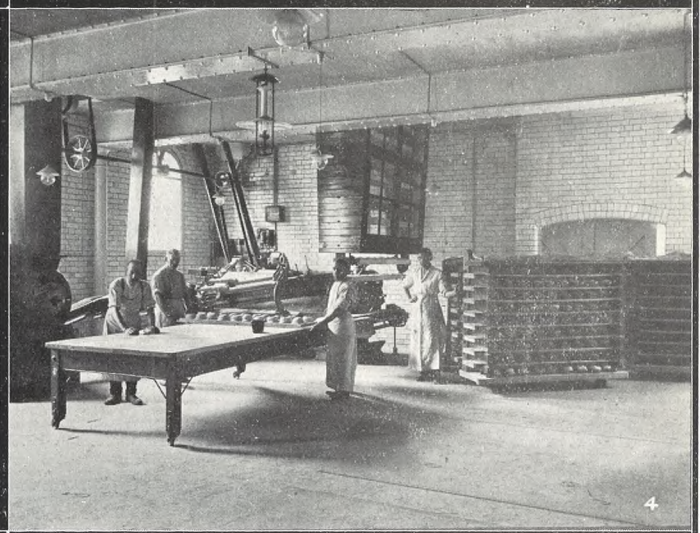
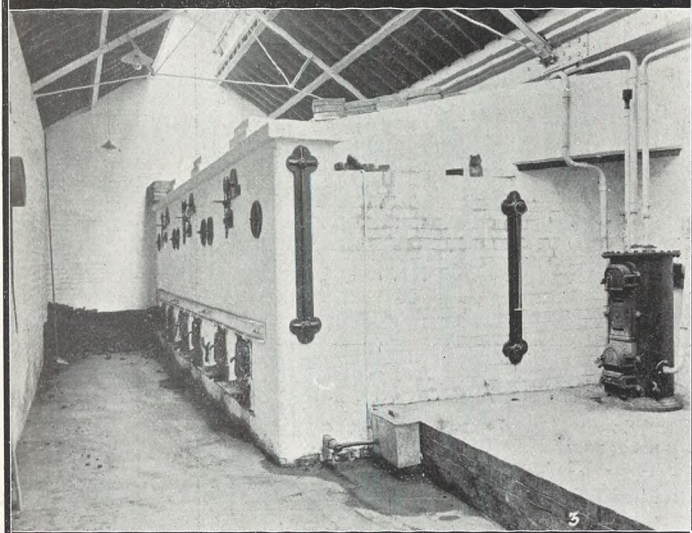
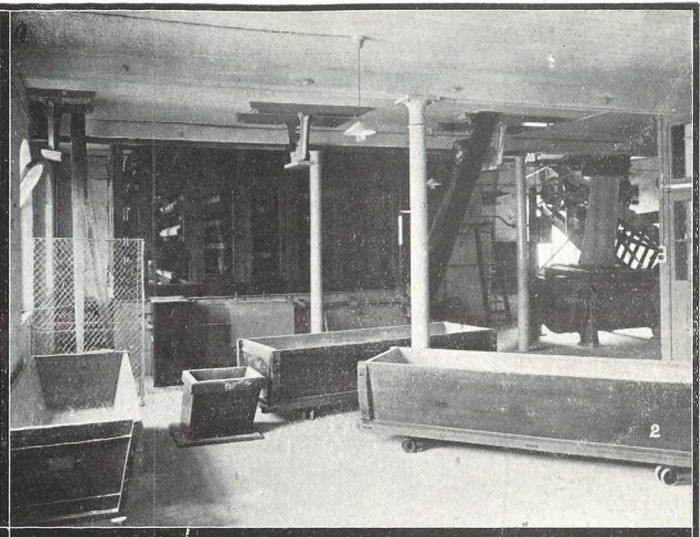
1.—A few of the members who witnessed the opening ceremony and afterwards inspected the premises. The photo is taken in front of the loading room.

2.—Delegates and visitors outside the bakery premises directly after opening ceremony.

3.—Mr. Burlton (president) and others awaiting the opening ceremony.

4.—Delegates and friends outside the Rodney-hall where they were hospitably entertained to tea by the committee. Standing in centre in front is Mr. Alfred Burlton, the president of the Gloucester society, who opened the bakery.

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A SPLENDIDLY-EQUIPPED MODERN BAKERY.

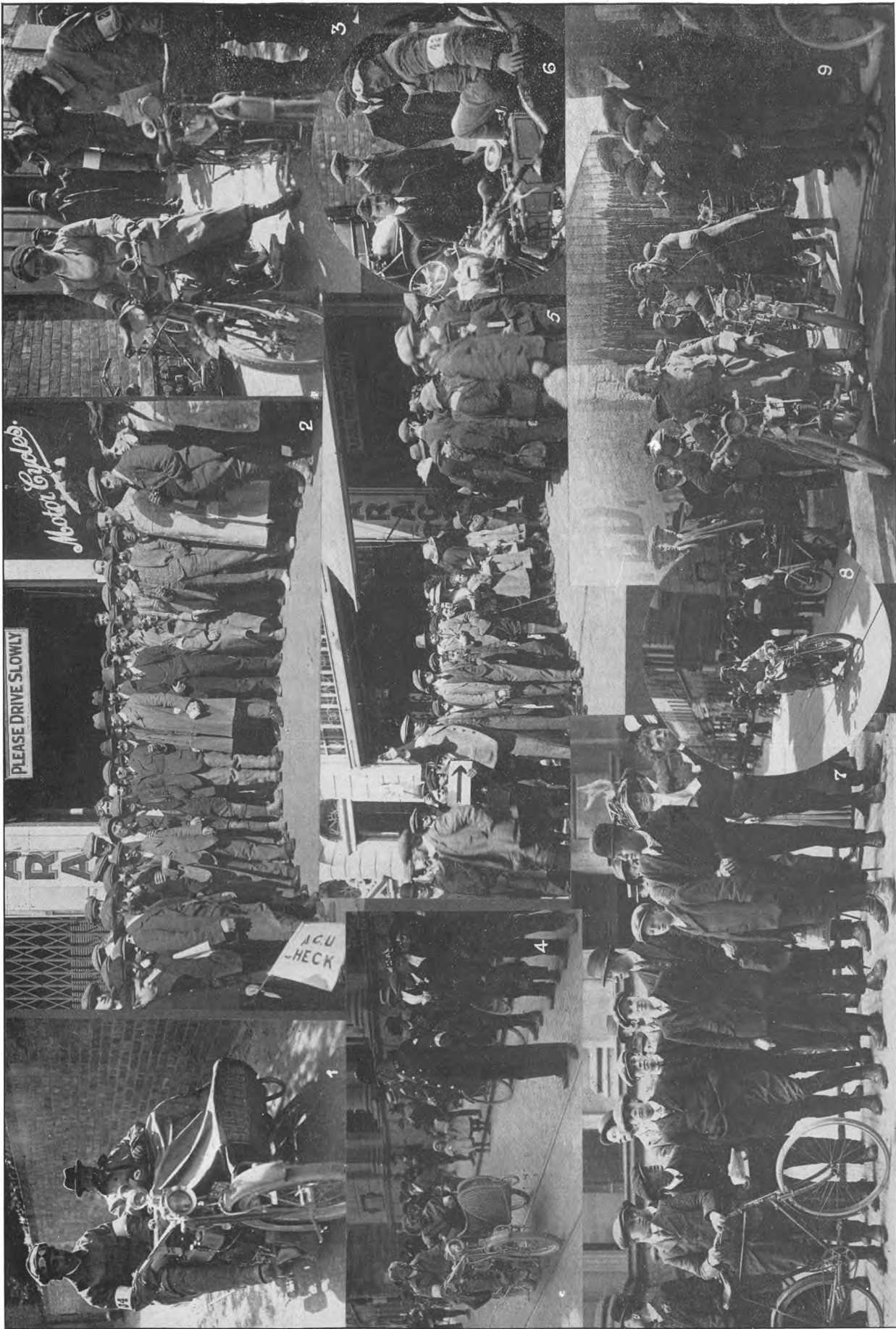
On Saturday, April 20, 1912, this magnificent up-to-date Bakery was opened at the High-street premises in Cheltenham of the Gloucester Co-operative Society, after being thoroughly re-modelled and equipped with the latest bread-making machinery. Mr. A. Burlton (president of the society) opened the building with a silver key.

- 1.—The flour store on top floor of building. The flour is hoisted here by means of an electric lift.
- 2.—The mixing and kneading room. In the far corner of the room on right can be seen the patent kneader, which disposes

- of two sacks of flour at a time. On the left, inside case, is the travelling prover.
- 3.—Back of the modern hot-water ovens, where firing is done in a most economical manner.
- 4.—The bakehouse, on the far side of which

- is the machine weigher, divider, and moulder.
- 5.—A batch of bread just coming out of oven. The floor of all three ovens run right out, facilitating filling and emptying of oven.
- 6.—The cooling room, from which bread is loaded into the vans.

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AUTO-CYCLE MOTOR UNION SPRING TRIAL.

This one-day trial was held on Wednesday, April 24, 1912, over a circular course, starting and finishing at Oxford. Cheltenham was the midway stopping-place for luncheon.

1.—C. R. Collier, probably the fastest motor-cyclist in the world, on an 8-h.p. Matchless, with sidecar.

2.—Officials and competitors outside Messrs. Steel's garage, where the cycles were garaged during luncheon.

3.—Mrs. M. Hardee, who rode a 3½-h.p. P. and M. (man's cycle). She is seen just out to start on second part of ride.

4.—H. A. Collier, on an 8-h.p. Matchless and sidecar, coming down High-street.

5.—Signalling to competitors their arrival at Control in High-street.

6.—Mr. T. R. Trotter, the only local competitor, coming down High-street on his 3½-h.p. B.S.A.

7.—Competitors waiting their turn to start from Control.

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A CHELTONIAN LOST IN THE TITANIC DISASTER.

MR. FRANK SOMERTON,
 Son of Mr. and Mrs. Somerton, Petersham, Gloucester-road, Cheltenham, who was returning to the States on the Titanic after a visit home, where he left his young wife. His name is among the missing. He was only 30 years of age. He was an old Christ Church boy, and was at the Old Boys' dinner held during the past winter.

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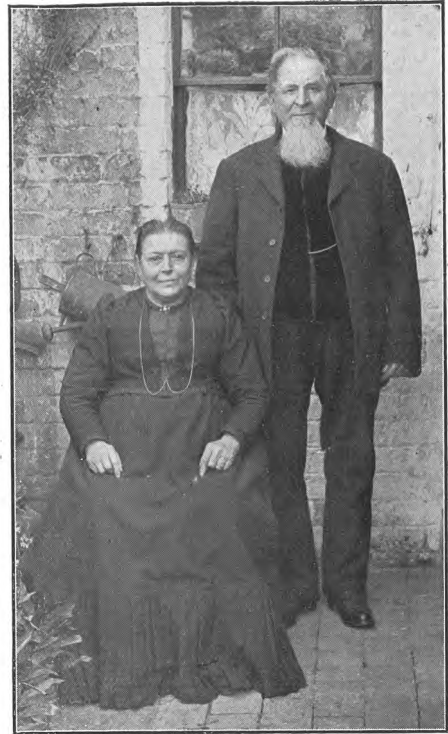


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GOLDEN WEDDING.

MR. AND MRS EDWIN MOTT,
 Of 9 Hungerford-street, Cheltenham, who celebrated their Golden Wedding on April 13, 1912. They were born in Cheltenham, and have lived here all their lives. They were married at the Parish Church, April 13, 1862. Mr. Mott is 75 and Mrs. Mott 72. They have nine children and sixteen grandchildren.

**TO OUR READERS
 ABROAD.**

WE are always glad to receive letters or photographs from Gloucestershire people now resident abroad, in order that we may insert same in the "Chronicle and Graphic." Just as news from home is welcome to them, so will be news from them to their relatives in the old country. We therefore invite correspondence, and will make a special feature of same in the "Chronicle and Graphic," and insert any photographs of interest—either of individuals, groups, home life, &c. - in the popular Art Supplement. Letters from Colonists will be especially welcomed if they contain information concerning the conditions of life, and of trade, and also the prospects for future settlers.

1,000 MILES ON RAW FOOD DIET.
 Mrs. David Beach, a pedestrienne of local repute, has started to walk from New York to Chicago while subsisting on a raw food diet. She expects to arrive in Chicago about May 20, covering the 1,000 miles in forty days. A typical meal during her journey is: Two apples, five prunes, two figs, handful of raw monkey nuts, ground raw wheat with cream, half-glass of buttermilk.

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MILITARY FUNERAL AT CIRENCESTER.

ON SATURDAY, APRIL 13, 1912, THE REMAINS OF A YOUNG TERRITORIAL, MR. JOSEPH R. FLETCHER, OF 3 STEPSTAIRS-LANE, CIRENCESTER, WERE BURIED WITH MILITARY HONOURS AT THE CEMETERY. HE WAS ONLY 21 YEARS OF AGE, AND DIED AFTER A FEW DAYS' ILLNESS.

- 1.—Spectators round graveside.
- 2.—Arrival of cortege at the Cemetery gates.
- 3.—The firing party resting on reversed arms.
- 4.—The firing party and bearers, under the command of Lieut. Cole.
- 5.—Deceased's father, mother, and brother.
- 6.—Head of procession slowly marching, with reversed arms.
- 7.—The funeral cortege passing along road from Watermoor to the Cemetery, the M. and S.W.J. Railway Band playing the Dead March.

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