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A CHELTENHAM NAVAL WEDDING.

On Thursday, March 14, 1918, the marriage took place at St. Mark's Church (the Rev. A. E. Clease, of St. Peter's officiating), of Chief P.O. John William Booth (E.R.A.), of H.M. Destroyer "Restless," son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Booth, of Arle, and Miss Alice Isabella Bettridge, only child of Mr. and Mrs. C. Bettridge, of Arle.



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D.V.R. A. POWELL, A.P.H.T., who has just undergone an operation in hospital at Salonika, where he has been stationed for 17 months. He is a son of Mr. Wm. Powell, Ham Green, Charlton Kings, and has three other brothers serving—Edgar in France, Bert in Egypt, and William in Canterbury.



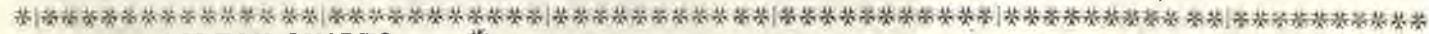
PTE. FRANK HUNT, Gloucester Regiment, killed in France in November, 1917. His wife has just received the Military Medal which he won a few days before his death for bravery in the field. Before the war he was employed by Mr. Forsyth, St. Michael's Lodge, Eldorado-road, Chelt.



L.-CRPL. HARRY DRIVER, Royal Warwick Regiment, reported missing since Oct. 12, 1917. Only son of Mr. and Mrs. John Driver, of Birdlip, Gloucester, who would be grateful for any information of him.



L.-CRPL. T. H. RIVERS, Military Police, has been awarded the D.C.M. in Mesopotamia for rescuing a badly wounded man under heavy shell and machine-gun fire at Kut in February, 1917. He was again recommended on March 8, 1917. Son of Mrs. M. A. Rivers, 45 St. James's-street, Cheltenham.



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R.M.A. (retired), who died at Coonor, Fairfield Park-road, Leckhampton, on Saturday, March 23rd, aged 62 years. He was a famous marksman, and at one time champion shot of the whole Army. He won a large number of prizes at the National Rifle Meetings at Wimbledon and Bisley.

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Mr. Frank Henry Gibbs,
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Mr. L. T. Camplon,
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RELIGIOUS PROCESSION IN CHELTENHAM.

GOOD FRIDAY OBSERVANCES IN CHELTENHAM WERE MARKED BY A RELIGIOUS PROCESSION OF WITNESS THROUGH THE STREETS OF THE TOWN, IN WHICH MOST OF THE ANGLICAN CHURCHES TOOK PART. IT WAS LED BY BISHOP FRODSHAM AND THE RECTOR OF CHELTENHAM, AND AFTER ASSEMBLING OUTSIDE THE QUEEN'S HOTEL AND SINGING A HYMN MOVED DOWN THE PROMENADE TO THE CLARENCE LAMP, WHERE A SHORT MEETING WAS HELD, ADDRESSED BY BISHOP FRODSHAM.

1.—Crowd round Clarence Lamp.
2.—Girl Guides keep the square.

3.—Bishop Frodsham preaching.
4.—Procession passing from Parish Church to Queen's Hotel.

5.—St. Matthew's choir boys.

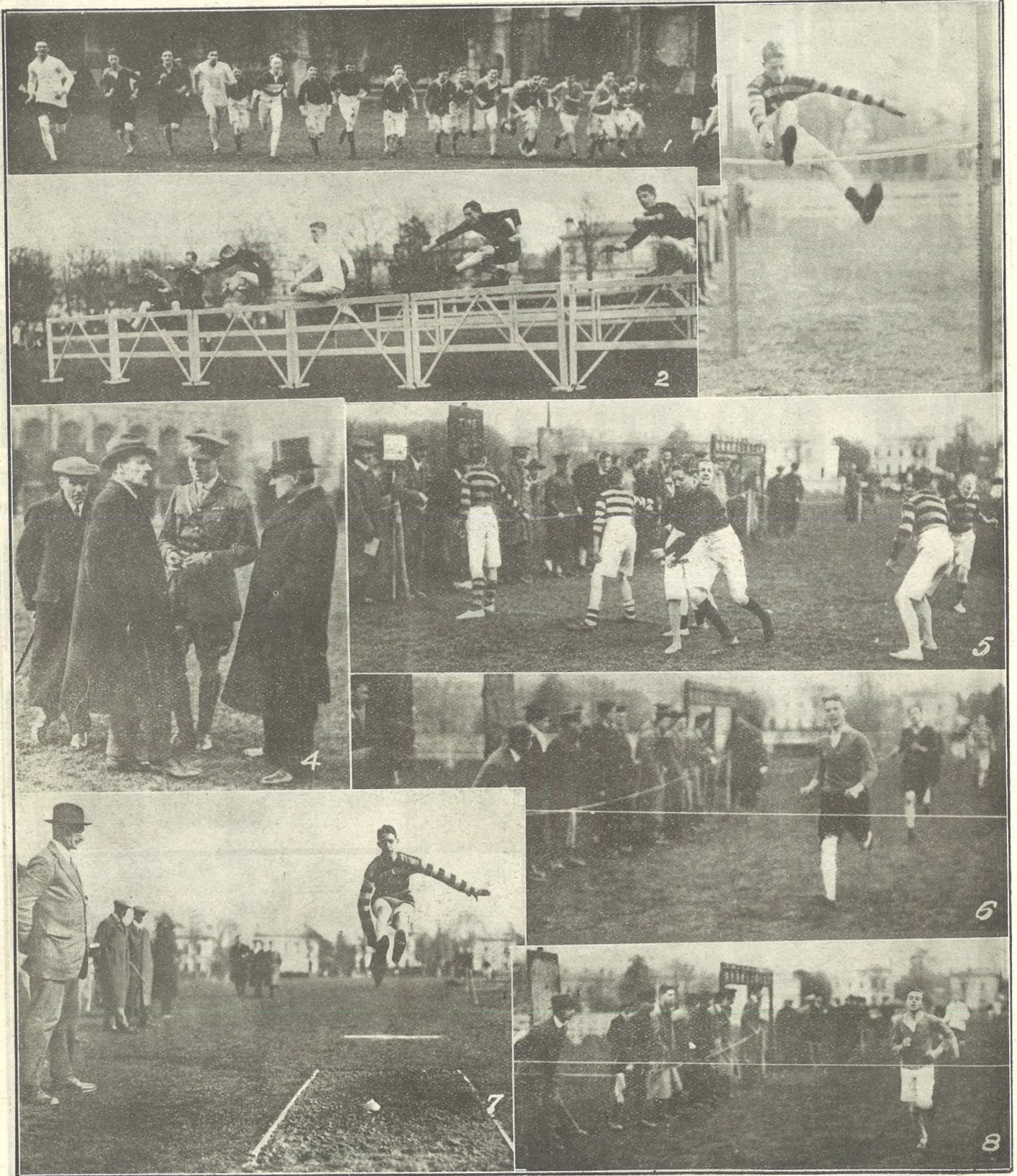
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RELIGIOUS PROCESSION IN CHELTENHAM.

FURTHER PICTURES OF THE PROCESSION OF WITNESS IN CHELTENHAM ON GOOD FRIDAY, MARCH 29. IT WAS ORGANISED BY REV. A. E. CLEAVE, VICAR OF ST. PETER'S, AND THE REV. R. L. HODSON, VICAR OF ST. STEPHEN'S, AND THE PROCESSIONS WERE MARSHALLED AT THREE DIFFERENT POINTS, AFTERWARDS CONVERGING OUTSIDE THE QUEEN'S HOTEL.

- 1.—Procession passing down Promenade, which it completely filled.
- 2.—The crowd at Queen's Hotel.
- 3.—Parish Church choir passing Queen's Hotel.
- 4.—The Bishop with his Chaplain, and the Rector of Cheltenham on right.
- 5.—Crowd at Clarence Lamp.
- 6.—St. John's parishioners.
- 7.—Choir forming up outside St. Luke's Church.

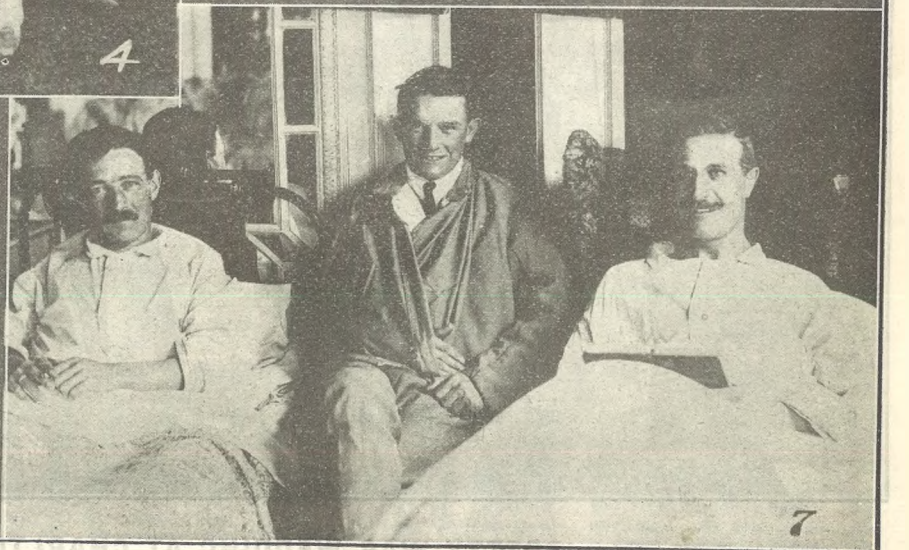
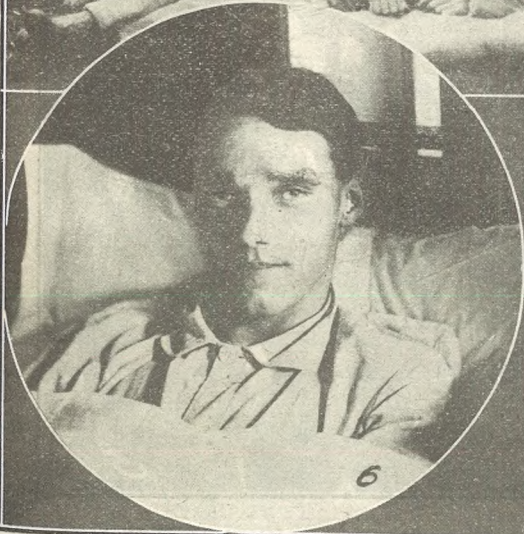
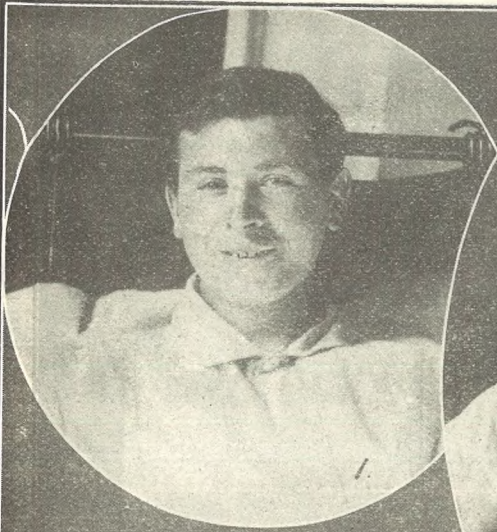


CHEL TENHAM COLLEGE SPORTS.

THE ANNUAL ATHLETIC SPORTS TOOK PLACE AT THE COLLEGE ON WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, APRIL 3, IN BEAUTIFUL WEATHER. NO GRANDSTAND WAS ERECTED, AND THE ONLY VISITORS INVITED WERE THE WOUNDED SOLDIERS OF THE LOCAL HOSPITALS, FOR WHOM A RACE WAS INCLUDED IN THE PROGRAMME. THE BOYS WERE JUST AS KEEN AS EVER. SOME GOOD RACING WAS SEEN.

- 1.—Start of the mile race won by Rea.
- 2.—Final of open hurdles won by Davidson.
- 3.—Sevmour-Smith winning high jump. Height 4ft. 11in.
- 4.—Mr. Scott, Mr. Scott Skirving, Capt. Wynter, M.C. (wounded four times in present war), and the Principal (Rev. R. Waterfield).
- 5.—House relay race.
- 6.—Haywood winning 440 yards open race.
- 7.—Sevmour-Smith winning long jump—17ft. 9in.
- 8.—Rea winning mile race.

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WOUNDED FROM THE GREAT BATTLE ARRIVE IN CHELTENHAM.

A LARGE NUMBER OF WOUNDED SOLDIERS FROM THE GREAT BATTLE THAT HAS BEEN RAGING SINCE MARCH 21st HAVE ARRIVED AT CHELTENHAM RED CROSS HOSPITALS, AND EVERY MAN IS AS CHEERY AS POSSIBLE. THE ABOVE PHOTOS WERE TAKEN ON TUESDAY AT NEW COURT HOSPITAL.

- 1.—Pte. W. T. Davies, Dragoon Guards, wounded in leg.
- 2.—Gunner J. P. French, R.G.A.
- 3.—Pte. F. Stacey, D.C.L.I., was in hospital

- 4.—A merry group of walking wounded, all with slight wounds.
- 5.—Another lot of walking cases.

- 6.—Pte. H. Cole, R.A.M.C.
- 7.—Cpl. J. Windmill, Royal Sussex Pioneers; Pte. S. Saunders, Royal North Lanes.; and Cpl. A. J. Sarr, Hants Pioneers.

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PRETTY WAR WEDDING AT CHARLTON KINGS.

MUCH INTEREST WAS TAKEN IN THE MARRIAGE AT ST. MARY'S, CHARLTON KINGS, ON TUESDAY AFTERNOON, APRIL 2, OF CAPT. JOHN SYDNEY TOWNSHEND, M.C., SOUTH STAFFORDSHIRE REGIMENT, SON OF THE LATE MR. C. W. TOWNSHEND, J.P., D.L., AND OF MRS. TOWNSHEND, OF TREVALLYN, CHARLTON KINGS, TO MISS M. TRAVERS WALKER, DAUGHTER OF COL. WALKER, I.M.S., AND MRS. WALKER, LATE OF ST. HELIERS, JERSEY.

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| 1.—The happy pair leaving the church. | 3.—Family bridal group. | 5.—Mrs. Townshend, Mr. H. P. Pratt (who gave bride away), and Mrs. Walker. |
| 2.—Friends leaving church. | 4.—Guests watching photos being taken | |

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CAPT. J. H. E. RICKERBY (M.C.), Gloucester Regiment, wounded in action on March 22nd, and missing since that date. Son of Major T. E. and Mrs. Rickerby, of Hafod, Shurdington-road, Cheltenham. He was awarded the M.C. in Sept., 1916, and has received the Italian Silver Medal for Military Valour. He is an Old Cheltonian.



SEC.-LIEUT. S. C. WOOD, Machine Gun Corps, reported missing. He was on the journalistic staff of the "Echo" and "Chronicle," but joined the local Territorials at outbreak of war, attaining rank of sergeant, afterwards being given a commission in the M.G.C. Only son of Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Wood, Hewlett-street, Cheltenham.



LIEUT. GEO. P. RATHBONE, Northants Regiment, killed in action March 21st, aged 30 years. Son of Mr. and Mrs. Rathbone, of Banbury, he was a cashier at the London City and Midland Bank, Cheltenham, but joined up in August, 1914, in a cavalry regiment. He took up a commission in August, 1915, and was wounded in action a year ago in France.



LIEUT. NOEL G. LAKE (O.C.), Gloucester Regiment, killed in action March 25th, aged 23 years. Second son of the late Admiral Atwell P. M. Lake and of Mrs. Lake, St. Arvans, Cheltenham. He joined the Public Schools Battalion at the outbreak of war, and was afterwards given a commission in the Gloucester Territorials.



SEC.-LT. ROBERT MATHER (O.C.), King's Liverpool Regt., killed in action on March 27th, aged 22 years. Youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mather, Avonhill, Christ Church-road, Cheltenham, who lost another officer son in Feb., 1915.



SEC.-LIEUT. T. G. HOLMES (O.C.), R.F.A., killed in action in France on March 29, aged 19 years. He had only been at the front seven weeks. Younger son of Dr. and Mrs. Holmes, Imperial-square, Cheltenham. He had only recently passed out of Woolwich, where he went from Cheltenham.

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SEC LIEUT CECIL F. ROWLAND,
Royal Garrison Artillery, killed in action during March, aged 35 years. He was the only son of Mr. Fred. Rowland, the well-known Gloucester bandmaster, and was himself for ten years organist of St. Mary's Church, Stafford. He only received his commission three months ago.



LIEUT. P. PAULET KING,
Gloucester Regiment, missing, believed killed on March 23, aged 21 years. His colonel writes that he was last seen fighting alone after withdrawing his men to safety. He is loud in his praise of his "cheerfulness, bravery, and resource." Eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Percy King, Montrose, Cheltenham.



SERGT. E. E. CARR,
Lancashire Fusiliers, wounded in the leg in the recent fighting on March 28, and now at Kingston-on-Thames Military Hospital. Son of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Carr, Railway Bank, Granley-road, St. Mark's, Cheltenham, and grandson of the late J. G. Carr. He joined the Army at the age of 16 in January, 1915.



L-CPL. F. Y. WORKMAN,
Gloucestershire Regiment, killed in action last week. He was in charge of the canteen, and while packing his stores to retire to safer quarters was badly wounded by a shell, dying shortly afterwards. Youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Workman, Foxton, Gloucester-road, Cheltenham.



SAPPER S. W. SCOTT,
Royal Engineers, wounded in action on 21st March, and now in hospital at Birmingham. Aged 20 years. Only son of Mr. and Mrs. Scott, of 1 Roseland-terrace, St. Mark's, Cheltenham. He formerly worked at Fielding and Platt's, Gloucester.



PTE. F. REYNOLDS,
Gloucester Regiment, reported wounded and missing in the Balkans since April 25, 1917. He had been at Salonika over two years' Husband of Mrs. F. Reynolds, 41 East-street, Kidderminster, who would be grateful for any news concerning him.



PTE. WM. HENRY HICKS,
Northumberland Fusil., severely wounded in action on March 29th, and now in hospital at Leeds. Son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hicks, of All Saints'-road, Cheltenham, formerly Lyefield-road, Charlton Kings, and husband of Mrs. Ethel Hicks, 22 All Saints'-road.



CPL. E. J. MURPHY, D.C.M., R.A.M.C., attached Duke of Wellington's Regt. Gassed in action and now in Bathampton Hospital. Son of the late Mr. and Mrs. G. Murphy, of Pillely-lane, Leckhampton. He has served since October, 1914, and besides earning the D.C.M., has received high praise from his officers.



PTE. E. A. HALL,
A.S.C. (att. Leicester Regiment), killed in action March 23rd, aged 30 years. Husband of Mrs. Hall, 22 Sherborne-street, Cheltenham, and son of Mr. and Mrs. Hall, of Bishop's Cleeve.



PTE. GEORGE H. LONG,
Loyal North Lancashire Regt., reported missing since April 11th, 1917. Only son of Mrs. E. Peach, of 18 Bath-terrace, Cheltenham, who would be grateful for any information of him.



PTE. P. F. NATION,
Gloucester Regiment, seriously wounded on the 28th March, and now in Queen Alexandra's Hospital, London. Third son of Mrs. Nation, 3 Cleeve View-terrace, Whaddon-lane.



GUNNER W. WADLEY,
R.F.A., wounded in action in back, and now in Roman Hospital. Youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. T. Wadley, of Maise-more. He joined up in Aug., 1914, and was invalided home once with frostbite.



Six Gloucestershire Lads in Salonica.

They are all in the A.S.C. (M.T.), and were taken for the "Graphic."
 Standing.—Stanley Morris (Watts' Garage (Lydney), T. Summers (Steel's Garage, Cheltenham), A. Crowder (Cheltenham), F. Payne (Steel's Garage, Stroud).
 Sitting.—R. Spicer (Stroud Brewery Co., Stroud), and L.-Corpl. R. Cooper (Bristol Tramway Co., Bristol).

ENGLAND'S ROLL OF HONOUR.



PTE. GEORGE F. EDWARDS, Gloucester Regiment, reported missing on 8th August, 1915, at Gallipoli. Now reported killed in action on that date. Aged 19 years. Dearly beloved son of Pioneer J. Edwards and Mrs. Edwards, 14 Cleaveland-street, Cheltenham, who have two other sons serving.



CORPL. T. CLAYTON, Gloucester Regiment, wounded in France on March 23, 1918, after being on active service 15 months. Now in Military Hospital, Stockport. Eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Clayton, High-street, Northleach, and husband of Mrs. Clayton, West End, Northleach.

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The King has been graciously pleased to approve of the award of the Victoria Cross to No. G.58769 Lce.-Cpl. C. G. Robertson, M.M., R. Fus. (Mersham), for most conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in repelling a strong attack by the enemy on our position. On realising that he was being cut off, Lance-Corpl. Robertson sent back two men to get reinforcements, and remained at his post (with only one other man), firing his Lewis gun and killing large numbers of the enemy, who were in range on his right. No reinforcements came up, and, realising that he was being completely cut off, he withdrew with the only other survivor of the garrison of the post, to a point about ten yards further back, where he successfully held his position. Here he again stayed for some considerable time, firing his Lewis gun and inflicting casualties on the enemy. The position was, however, made impossible for him by the heavy hostile bombing and machine-gun fire, so he was forced again to withdraw, and arrived at a defended post. At this post he got on top of the parapet with a comrade, mounted his gun in a shell-hole, and continued firing at the enemy, who were pouring across the top of and down an adjacent trench. He had not been firing long when his comrade was killed, and he himself severely wounded. He managed to crawl back, bringing his gun with him, but could no longer fire it, as he had exhausted all his ammunition. Lance-Corpl. Robertson was alone throughout these operations, except for the presence of one other man, who later was killed, and the most determined resistance and the fine fight which he put up undoubtedly prevented the enemy from making a more rapid advance. His initiative and resource, and the magnificent fighting spirit, are worthy of the highest praise.

Last week was "Business Men's Week" in Diss, a Norfolk town with a population of 3,755. The aim was to get £10,000 for the purchase of aeroplanes; the result was the raising of no less a sum than £54,523.

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GLOUCESTRIAN RECEIVES MEDAL OF ORDER OF BRITISH EMPIRE.

ON TUESDAY, APRIL 9, AN INTERESTING PRESENTATION WAS MADE BY EARL BEAUCHAMP BY COMMAND OF THE KING, TO MR. MATTHEW H. MOULTON, FOREMAN-CARPENTER AT THE GLOUCESTER NATIONAL FILLING FACTORY, OF THE MEDAL OF ORDER OF THE BRITISH EMPIRE. THE CEREMONY TOOK PLACE AT THE FACTORY BEFORE A LARGE COMPANY OF EMPLOYEES AND OTHERS. THE AWARD WAS MADE FOR "HIS VALUABLE WORK IN CONNECTION WITH LABOUR SAVING DEVICES."

- 1.—Earl Beauchamp is received by Mr. A. Glynn Watkins (general manager) and Brigadier-General Fortescue.
- 2.—Employees watching guests arrive.
- 3.—Earl Beauchamp congratulates Mr. M. H. Moulton.
- 4.—Messrs. J. J. McGregor, A. Glynn Watkins, J. H. Croxford, ———, Conway Jones, and General Fortescue.
- 5.—A party of lady overseers with the general manager.
- 6.—Four officers employed on the works.
- 7.—Messrs. Croxford, Gardner, Abel Evans, Conway Jones, and Roberts.
- 8.—The recipient, Mr. M. H. Moulton, with his wife and child (on left).

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SIX-A-SIDE FOOTBALL TOURNAMENT IN CHELTENHAM.

A COMPETITION INAUGURATED BY THE SUNNINGEND FOOTBALL TEAM ON THE ATHLETIC GROUND, CHELTENHAM, TOOK PLACE ON SATURDAY AFTERNOON, APRIL 6. 12 TEAMS FROM VARIOUS DISTRICTS COMPETED IN A SIX-A-SIDE CONTEST AT ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL ON KNOCK-OUT PRINCIPLES. CURIOUSLY ENOUGH, TWO TEAMS FROM SUNNINGEND CONTESTED THE FINAL MATCH.

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| 1.—J. Haslam's (Sunningend) team, winners. | 3.—Sunningend (Engineers' Department) team. | 5.—Moray Croft team. |
| 2.—J. Phillips' team (Sunningend), runners-up. | 4.—Tewkesbury Y.M.C.A. team. | 6.—Wagon Works, Gloucester, "B" team. |

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SIX-A-SIDE FOOTBALL TOURNAMENT IN CHELTENHAM.

7.—Wagon Works, Gloucester, "C" Team.
8.—Wagon Works, Gloucester, "A" Team.

9.—Mr. Anderton's (Sunningend) Team.
10.—M. and S.W.J.R. (Cirencester) 1st Team.

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- 1.—Ladies who balloted looking up their plot on the plan.
- 2.—The Sheriff addressing the company.
- 3.—Some of the allotment holders.
- 4.—One of the men who balloted.
- 5.—Reading out names and numbers of plots.
- 6.—City High Sheriff turns the first sod of plot No. 31.

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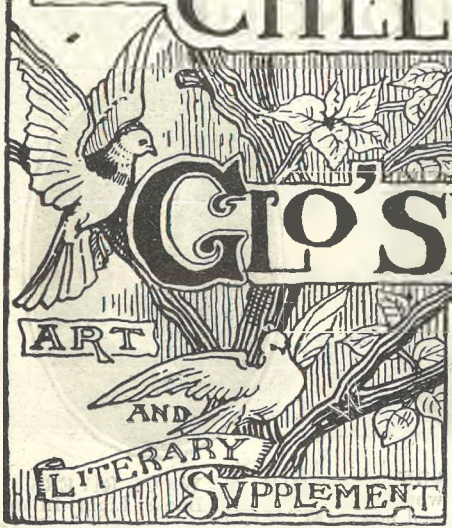
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SEC.-LIEUT. WALTER M. HOLMAN,
R.G.A., seriously wounded in action on March 21 in recent battle. He is the only son of Mr. Walter H. Holman (formerly of Cheltenham), who is now living at Flat 1, 101 Ladbrook-grove, Notting Hill, London, W.11, owing to his house in London being wrecked in an air raid.



CO.-Q.-M.-SGT. A. W. JAMES,
Cheshire Regiment, whose name has been submitted for valuable services rendered in connection with the war. Eldest son of Mr. C. James, of Pamington, near Tewkesbury. He was a ganger on G.W.R. at Winchcombe when he joined up in 1914.



PTE. WALTER CLARK,
Durham Light Infantry, wounded in action in Flanders, and now in hospital at Carlisle. Eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Clark, Little Hills, Shurdington. He was formerly employed on Lord Burton's estate, and is the husband of Mrs. W. Clark, Rangemoor Club, Burton-on-Trent.



PTE. E. W. G. RIVERS,
Oxford and Bucks Light Infantry, wounded in action in May, 1916, while a prisoner of war of the Turks, aged 25 years. He was wounded on Nov. 22, 1915, and taken a prisoner at Kut on April 24, 1916. Eldest son of Mrs. Rivers, 4 St. Paul's-street S., Cheltenham.



CPL. S. WILLIS,
R.G.A., killed in action on April 5, aged 29 years. Eldest son of the late Mr. John Willis and of Mrs. Willis, of Harrogate, Cromwell-road, Cheltenham, and dearly-loved husband of Mrs. S. Willis, of same address.



PRIVATE ALFRED REUBEN CHAS. BENNETT,
Norfolk Regt. Died of wounds in France, Dec. 4th, 1917, aged 19 years. Grandson of Mr. Thomas Holliday, Coberley, near Cheltenham.



LCE.-CPL. WM. J. BOWLES,
Royal Hussars. Killed in action March 25th, 1918. Beloved son of Pte. Joseph and Mrs. Bowles, 3 Rosehill-street, Cheltenham. He joined up in August, 1914. Aged 21.



DRIVER G. LONG,
Gloucester Regt. Wounded in action March 21st and now at a Military Hospital in Bristol. Only son of Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Long, 33 All Saints'-terrace, Cheltenham.



PTE. H. A. W. DANCE,
Gloucester Regiment, killed in action on March 22, aged 23 years. Only son of Mrs. Dance, of 20 Cleaveland-street, Cheltenham. He was formerly in the employ of Messrs. Webb Bros., coal merchants, before joining up nearly three years ago.



PTE. A. R. COOLE,
Gloucester Regt. Wounded in action March 28th. He was a sniper in the old Territorials, and is the second son of Mr. and Mrs. Coole, 11 Albert-place, Cheltenham. Aged 21 years.



PTE. E. C. HOPKINS,
Gloucester Regt. Wounded in action for the fourth time March 25th, 1918, and now lying (seriously wounded) in a Military Hospital, Norwich. Son of Mr. and Mrs. Hopkins, Petone, Cromwell-road, Cheltenham.

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PRETTY WEDDING IN CHELTENHAM.

The marriage took place on Feb. 26, at All Saints' Church, Cheltenham, of Ernest Walter Smith, of London, to Miss Florence Jessica Hill, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hill, of the Endeavour Inn, Cheltenham.

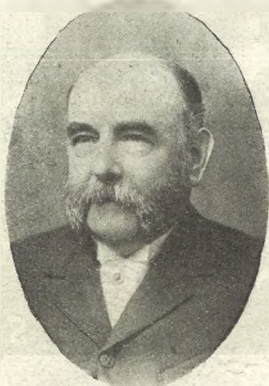


A Gloucestershire Military Wedding

The marriage took place on March 2, by special license, of Pte. G. H. Webb, Grenadier Guards, second son of Mr. and Mrs. Webb, Little Rissington, Glos., and Miss J. E. Green daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Green, Lower Boddington, Glos. The bridegroom has now returned to France.

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- 1.—A run by the R.N.D. team which resulted in a score. Buck, the wing-threequarter, being tackled by a Stroud player but goes over.
- 2.—Spectators.
- 3.—The R.N.D. Team. A. Hudson (of Gloucester) is captain, and D. Hollaids (of Gloucester) and G. Reynolds (of Stroud) are also members, although Reynolds assisted Stroud in this match.
- 4.—The Stroud Team.
- 5 and 6.—Spectators.
- 7.—A line-out. Eng. Lieut. Murphy, the Irish International, is seen stooping to jump for the ball.



PRESENTATION TO A CHELTENHAM RELIEVING OFFICER.

AT THE CHELTENHAM BOARD OF GUARDIANS' MEETING ON THURSDAY, APRIL 11, A PRESENTATION WAS MADE TO MR. THOMAS LLOYD, WHO HAS JUST RETIRED AFTER OVER 40 YEARS' CONTINUOUS SERVICE AS RELIEVING OFFICER TO NO. 2 DISTRICT. THE GUARDIANS' PRESENT WAS A CHEQUE AND AN ILLUMINATED ALBUM CONTAINING THE LIST OF NAMES. IN THE AFTERNOON A PRESENTATION WAS MADE TO HIM BY THE OLD FOLK OF HIS DISTRICT OF A FRAMED PICTURE AND A WALKING STICK.

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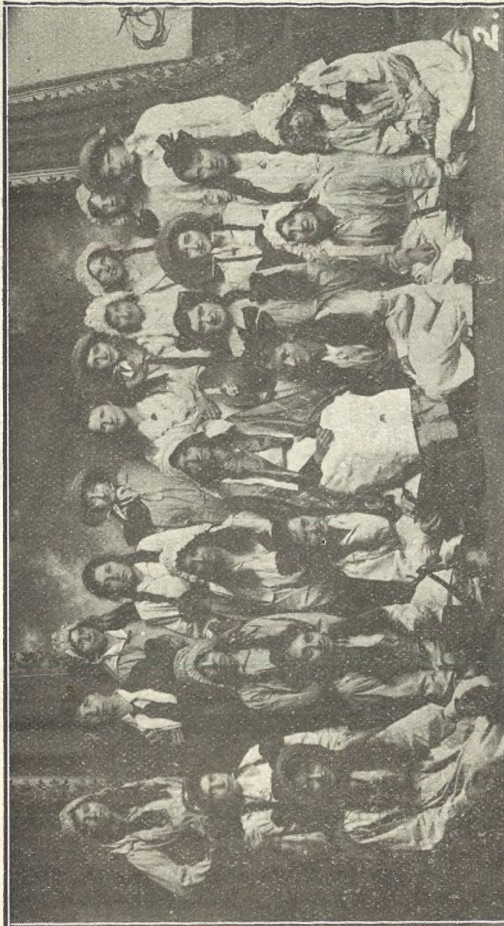
GLOUCESTER PALACE V.A.D. HOSPITAL.

THE BIG WARD IN THE BISHOP'S PALACE, GLOUCESTER. ALL OF THE MEN IN THIS PHOTO WERE WOUNDED IN THE BIG BATTLE NEAR ST. QUENTIN.



PRESENTATION TO MR. THOS. LLOYD AT THE CHELTENHAM UNION.

THE OFFICIALS AND STAFF AT THE CHELTENHAM UNION WORKHOUSE WITH MR. THOMAS LLOYD, WHO HAS RETIRED FROM THE POST OF RELIEVING OFFICER AFTER OVER 40 YEARS' SERVICE. MR. LLOYD IS SEATED IN CENTRE OF FRONT ROW WITH HIS WIFE AND DAUGHTER ON EITHER SIDE OF HIM. MR. R. TICEHURST AND MR. G. McILQUHAM ARE SEATED ON EXTREME LEFT.



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A GLOUCESTER SOLDIER'S WEDDING.

The wedding took place at St. Luke's Church, Gloucester, on Wednesday, April 24, of Corpl. Owen Ernest Blackwell, despatch-rider in R.E., only son of Mr. and Mrs. James Blackwell, 5 Theresa-place, Gloucester, and Mrs. Gertrude Fann, widow of the late Sergt. F. Fann, Lincoln Regiment, of Newmarket-street, Grimshy. The bridal party.



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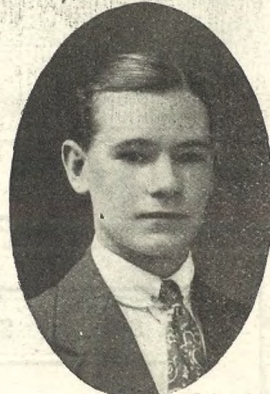
ENGLAND'S ROLL OF HONOUR.



SEC.-LIEUT. C. HACKMAN,
R.A.F., killed in a triple flying fatality at Tangmere, near Chichester, on Sunday, April 7, and buried with military honours at Winchcombe. Dearly-loved son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Hackman, of Swindon, Wilts.



PTE. H. BISHOP,
Loyal North Lancs, wounded in action on March 9 and now at Royal Herbert Hospital, Woolwich. He won the Royal Humane Society Medal on Aug. 17, 1917, while at the front. Youngest son of Mrs. O. Bishop, 12 Portland-terrace, Cheltenham.



L. CPL. W. T. PONTIN,
Gloucester Regiment, killed in action about March 28, aged 24 years. Son of Mr. and Mrs. F. Pontin, Dunalley Cottage, St. Paul's-road, Cheltenham. He formerly worked for Messrs. Norman Bros., printers, and was a member of St. Paul's Choir and Scouts.



PTE. W. S. MILLS,
Gloucester Regiment, killed in action about March 28, aged 20 years. Grandson of Mr. and Mrs. C. Mills, 32 Queen's-street, Cheltenham. He was captain of English Team in Schoolboys' International Match against Wales, and worked for Messrs. Norman Bros., printers.



CPL. J. J. WAKEFIELD,
Grenadier Guards, wounded in action on March 30. Husband of Mrs. J. Wakefield, Westholme, Dunalley-parade, and son of Mrs. Wakefield, Collingwood Villa, Ashford-road, Cheltenham.



PTE. SIDNEY C. SURMAN,
Gloucester Regiment, wounded in action on April 3, 1918, aged 19. Fourth son of Mr. and Mrs. James Surman, 2 Beaufort-buildings, Pittville, Cheltenham, who have three other sons serving.



PTE. HARRY GEORGE,
Worcester Regiment, officially reported killed on March 21st. This week his parents heard he was a prisoner in Germany. Eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. George, 5 Vauxhall-road, Gloucester.



L. CPL. W. PERKS,
Gloucester Regiment, seriously wounded in thigh on March 21, and now in hospital at Boulogne. Fourth son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Perks, Conderton, near Tewkesbury.



PTE. J. E. (JIM) HOWSE,
Gloucester Regiment, wounded in action on March 22, after one year and ten months at the front, and now in hospital in France. Second son of Mr. and Mrs. F. Howse, Rosebank, Hyde-road, Swindon. Formerly in the employ of his uncle, Mr. E. R. Higgs, St. Luke's Dairy, Cheltenham, for eight years.



GNR. THOS. C. RICHINGS,
R.F.A., killed in action on March 21. Eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. George Richings, market gardeners, of Leckhampton. He joined up in Nov. 1914, and formerly worked with his father.



PTE. JACK DENTON,
Hussars, died of wounds on April 13. He held the Moins Star and King and Queen's Medals for the South Africa War, and had 18 years' army service. Eldest son of Mrs. A. Denton, 16 Nettleton-road, Gloucester, who had previously lost another son, and husband of Mrs. L. Denton (nee Lizzie James).



PTE. F. ARCHER,
Gloucester Regiment, wounded in action on March 21, and now in hospital at Eastbourne. Son of Pte. and Mrs. T. Archer (late of Mardol House, Clarence-parade, Cheltenham). He formerly worked for Messrs. H. E. Steel, Ltd., Cheltenham.



A GLOUCESTER SOLDIER'S WEDDING.

The marriage took place on March 30, at Park-street, Mission Hall, Gloucester, of Cyclist W. James, Hants Regiment (formerly of Gloucester Regiment), adopted son of Mrs. Perkins, 6 Bedford-street, Gloucester, to Miss F. Lea, a Gloucester munition worker, of 60 Sherborne-street, Gloucester.



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- 1.—Mr. W. H. Taylor, postal official and the old Gloucester footballer, entering Cathedral.
- 2.—Bishop Frodsham and Canon Hayden meet the cortege at the West door.
- 3.—Dr. Brewer, the Cathedral organist, and his brother-in-law, Mr. J. McFee, of Cheltenham.
- 4.—Gloucester Masons leaving Cathedral.
- 5.—Gloucester postmen at funeral.
- 6.—Masons uncover at Cathedral doors as cortege passes.
- 7.—Mourners leaving Cathedral.
- 8.—Postwomen entering Cathedral.



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1.—General manager, assistant managers, safety service officers, and office staff. 2.—A batch of the girls (Cheltenham shift) during their dinner hour. A further interesting series of the personnel have been taken, and will appear in next week's "Chronicle and Graphic."



INSPECTION OF GIRL GUIDES IN CHELTENHAM.

A RALLY OF THE LOCAL COMPANIES, NOW NUMBERING SIX IN THE TOWN, TOOK PLACE ON TUESDAY EVENING, APRIL 23, ON THE GLYNGARTH SCHOOL GROUND. OVER 160 TURNED OUT, AND THEY WERE INSPECTED BY BRIG.-GENERAL HASTINGS READ, C.B., ACCOMPANIED BY CANON WATERFIELD.

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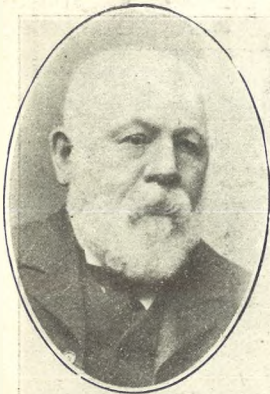
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Just as he was leaving to take up duties as vicar of a Liverpool parish on Monday morning, the Rev. George Edwards, who has been 21 years at St. Saviour's, St. Albans, received news that his only son had been killed in action.



Capt. Willoughby John Berthon, of Kingsholme, Hale's road, Cheltenham, who died on April 22, aged 78 years. He was a Mutiny veteran and a great philanthropic worker in Cheltenham, where he had resided for the past 26 years. He was a strong Churchman and Conservative.

Mr. William Fream, of The Gables, Wotton, who died on Saturday, April 20, at his residence; aged 82 years. He was a builder, but retired some years ago, and was for many years one of the rate collectors. He was a Freeman of the city.

Mr. Geo. Norris, of Pembury, Tewkesbury-road, Cheltenham, who died on April 20 in the Cheltenham Hospital after a short illness, aged 54 years. He had been for many years in the service of the M. and S.W.J. Railway as a guard, and was well-known and respected.



Two Cheltonians in India.

Gunner Bond, of Sherborne-street (sitting) and Bombardier Rawlings, of Jersey-street, Cheltenham, enlisted together in January, 1908, and went to India the same year. They went to France at outbreak of war but are now back in India in the R.H.A., and expecting to be sent fighting again soon.



Mr. Wm. Henry Wallis, of Southend House, Tewkesbury, who died on April 13, 1918, aged 50 years. He was a provender merchant, his business premises being at Evesham.

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