

THE CHELTENHAM CHRONICLE AND GLO'SHIRE GRAPHIC

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GRATIS SUPPLEMENT. Saturday, January 1, 1927.

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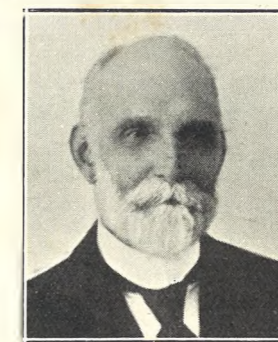
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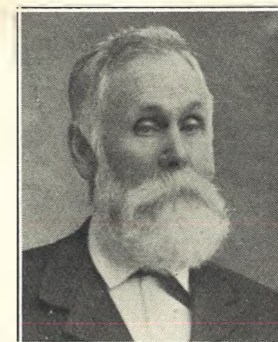
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MR. MARK WILLIAMS,

of 6 Victoria-terrace, St. John's, Cheltenham, who died suddenly on Christmas Day immediately after finishing his dinner, of which he remarked, "I have enjoyed that very much." He was 86 years of age, and was for many years a pianoforte tuner.



MR. THOMAS WINTLE,

who died at the home of his daughter—Leicester House, London-road, Cheltenham, on Tuesday, Dec. 28th, aged 91 years. He was a native of Longhope, and became a sculptor at Worcester for many years, but retired to Cheltenham about 25 years ago. He leaves a widow, and three children by his first marriage.

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9.—View of the main shopping street from Churchyard gate.

10.—The Bull Hotel, where many notabilities have stayed, including H.R.H. the Duke of Connaught in recent years. Mr. Busby, who has been the proprietor for many years, is standing at the door.

11.—The Old Mill and Mill Pond. This stream is the famous trout stream, the Colne. This corner is most picturesque.

12.—A fine old gabled house on the Cirencester Road.



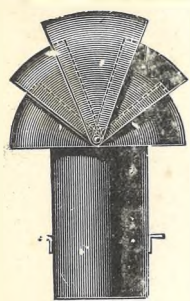
CHELTENHAM WINTER STEEPLECHASES.

- A capital one-day Meeting was held at Cheltenham on Wednesday last. The weather was mild and fine, the racing and going good, and the attendance satisfactory, so that it was all very enjoyable, as a Cheltenham Meeting can be under such conditions.
- 1.—A fence in Cheltenham Amateur Riders' Handicap.
 - 2.—Some well-known faces.
 - 3.—Capt. Graham Clark, Col. Heyworth Savage, and a lady friend.
 - 4.—Mr. P. Dennis, Capt. Smith-Ryland, and Mrs. Pease.
 - 5.—A member.
 - 6.—Mr. Stanley Howard, who has won two Grand Nationals, with two friends.
 - 7.—J. L. Ward on Cylgate coming in after winning Evesham Three-Year-Old Hurdle Race.
 - 8.—Capt. Powell, Mr. F. Brown, and M. Beary, the famous flat race jockey, who rode Lucky Toy in a hurdle race.
 - 9.—Mr. Frank Brown, the well-known trainer, in centre.
 - 10.—Members.
 - 11.—Mr. W. Payne, jun., winning the Cheltenham Amateur Riders' Steeplechase on Corazon, at last fence.



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- 1.—The City High Sheriff (Mr. G. Norman Bruton) giving bread.
- 2.—The Mayor, Sheriff, and workers.
- 3.—The Mayor (Dr. Finlay) (on right)
- 4.—Recipients leaving the Corn Exchange.



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MR. LAWRENCE BADEN POWELL HURD, of 5 Bath-street, Cheltenham, who died on Friday, Dec. 17, aged 26 years. He was the son of Commandant and Mrs. Charles Hurd, of 1 St. Margaret's-parade, Bennington-street, and was himself a member of the local Salvation Army Band for 10 years. He worked at the Glo'ster Aircraft Works.

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- 1.—The Master (Captain Colville).
- 2.—Colonel H. N. M. Thoyts.
- 3.—General scene as the pack moved off.
- 4.—Section of the crowd.
- 5.—Colonel B. R. K. Tarte.
- 6.—The crowd make friends with the hounds.
- 7.—A youthful huntsman.

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GOLDEN WEDDING CELEBRATION.

Col. G. E. B. Beale-Brown, J.P., and Mrs. Beale-Browne, of Withington Manor, who on Sunday last celebrated their Golden Wedding. They were married at Dowdeswell Church on Jan. 2, 1877. Mrs. Beale-Browne was Miss Coxwell Rogers, so that they represent two very old Cotswold families. In photo above is their son, Capt. G. A. Beale-Browne, R.A.S.C., with his son, Master G. R. Beale-Browne, the only grandson.
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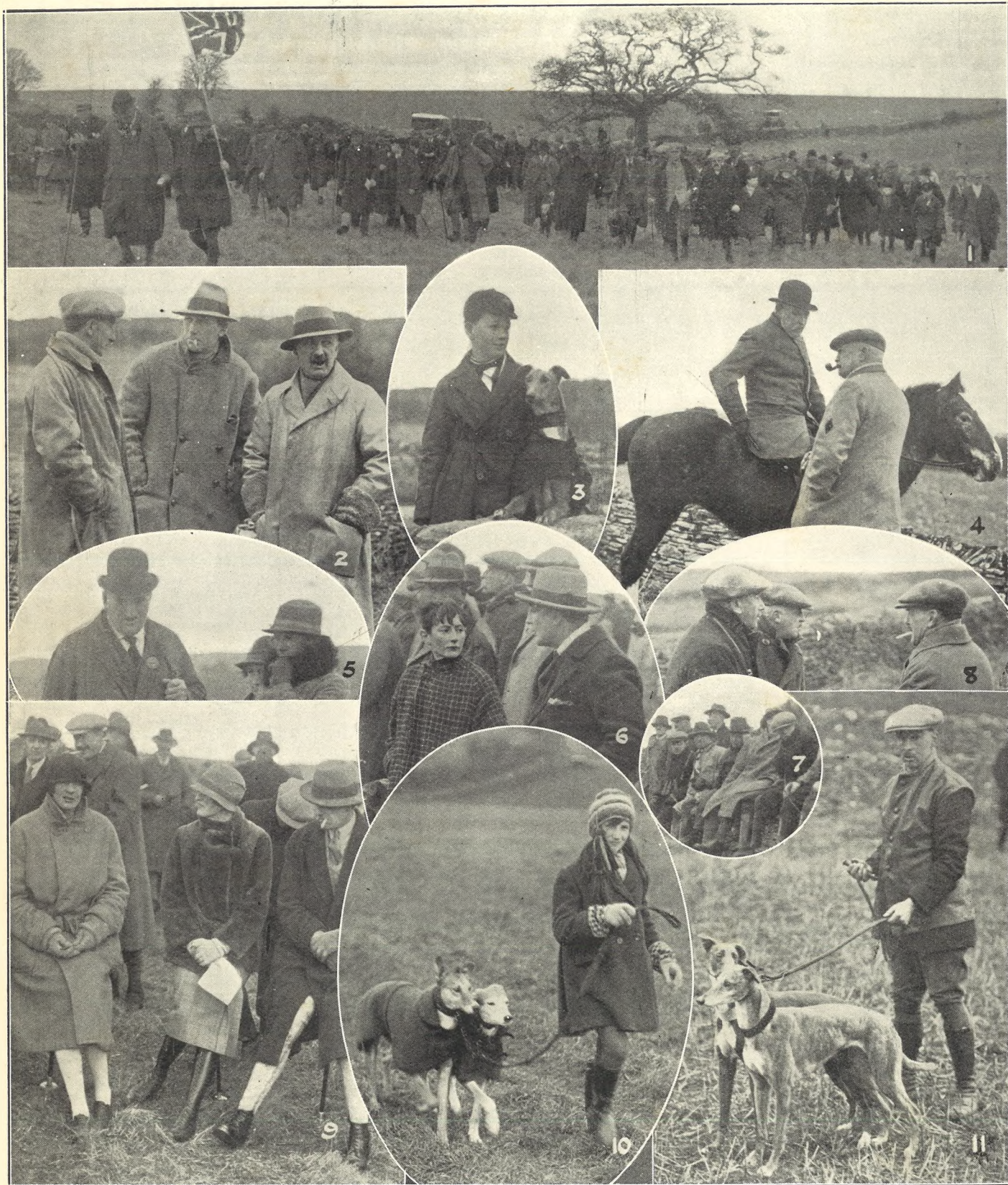
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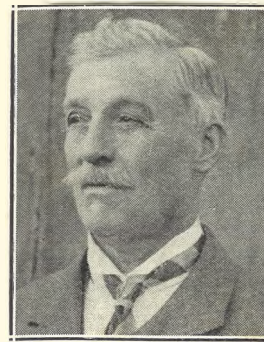


GOTSWOLD COURSING CLUB MEETING.

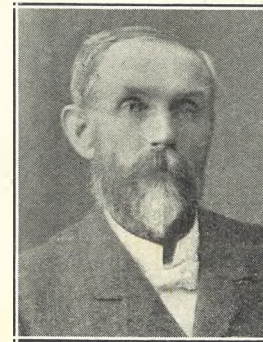
This postponed meeting was held at Turner's Gorse, near Shipton Oliffe, on land belonging to Mr. E. E. Turner, of Shipton Manor. The weather was ideal, and the sport very good.

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| 1.—Members moving off to another course. | 5.—Mr. W. C. Jeffries chatting to Mrs. Churchill. | 9.—Captain Maurice J. Kingscote with two ladies. |
| 2.—Mr. Hatwood, Major Branfill, and Mr. C. Chester-Master (Secretary). | 6.—Master Unwin and Mr. G. T. Unwin. | 10.—Miss Handy taking hounds to the slipper. |
| 3.—Master Todd with a fine greyhound. | 7.—Watching the sport. | 11.—Mr. M. J. Habgood (Hon. Slipper). |
| 4.—Messrs. Humphries and Staite. | 8.—Mr. F. C. Minoprio (left) and Major L. M. Dunbar (right). | |

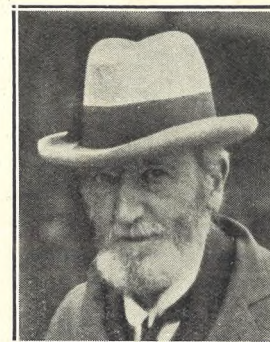
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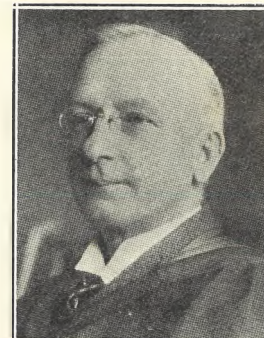
MR. HENRY ROBBINS, of Blakemoor, Ebley, near Stroud, who died on Thursday, Dec. 30, 1926, aged 75 years. He was the head of a cider merchant's business, which he founded, was on the Gainscross Council, a Free Churchman and a staunch Liberal. He leaves a widow and three children.



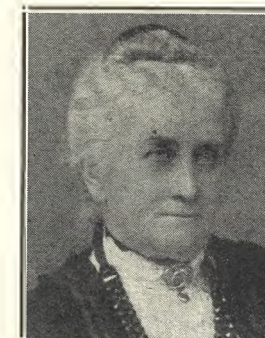
MR. THOMAS COX, of The Limes, Shortwood, Nailsworth, who died on Christmas Day, aged 82 years. He was a life-long resident of the district and a well-known builder, but retired some years ago. He was a member of Stroud Guardians and Rural District Council, and a Churchman.



MR. R. ARTHUR L. WHISH, who had lived for over 20 years at Tate's Hotel, Cheltenham, died Dec. 30th, aged 81 years. He was formerly manager of the Lincoln's Inn Branch of the National Provincial Bank, but had lived in Cheltenham for many years.



MR. JOHN BRAMLEY, M.A., J.P., for over 30 years associated with Wycliffe College and Stonehouse, who died at Flook House, Taunton, on Dec. 31st, aged 69 years. He married a sister of Mr. Sibly, and was housemaster of Haywardsfield and Springfield at different times. He retired in 1922. He was a Wesleyan local preacher, a Liberal, and was universally liked.



MRS. C. R. DRURY, of 7 Promenade Terrace, Cheltenham, who died on Monday, Jan. 3rd, aged 91 years. She lived for many years at the Old Vicarage, Broadway, her husband formerly owning The Lygon Arms, Broadway. She leaves six sons living. She attended the coming-of-age celebrations of the present Earl of Coventry.

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GLOUCESTERSHIRE COUNTY BALL IN CHELTENHAM.

On Thursday, Dec. 30th, one of the principal Balls of the season was held at the Cheltenham Town Hall, when the County Ball took place. Dancing started at 10 o'clock and lasted till 4 a.m.

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| <p>1.—Some members of Committee.—Standing: Capt. St. John Ackers, Mr. Herbert Bagnall, Mrs. J. Talbot, Miss C. Elwes, Capt. Colville, M.F.H., Mrs. de Winton. Seated: Mrs. St. John Ackers, Miss Maud Kelley (Hon. Secretary), Mrs. Colville (Chairman), Mrs. Herbert Bagnall (Vice-Chairman).</p> | <p>2.—Mrs. Talbot and friends.
3.—Miss Mayne and friends.
4.—Mrs. Pedder's party.
5.—Miss Burder and friends.
6.—Mrs. Herbert Bagnall's party. Standing: Mr. Balfour, Mr. Purves, Miss Keene, Mr. W. A. Rixon, Mr. Norton</p> | <p>Walker. Seated: Mr. Herbert Bagnall, Mrs. F. Unwin, Miss Harrison, Mrs. Balfour, Mrs. H. Bagnall, Lady Humphrey, Mrs. Cox. In front: Mr. Clinton McIlquham, Mr. Fred Unwin.</p> |
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[Photos by Mr. F. Urwin, Promenade, Cheltenham.]



CHILDREN'S FANCY DRESS DANCE TEA AT CHELTENHAM TOWN HALL.

A delightful Fancy Dress Dance Tea was held on Saturday last at the Town Hall, when over 700 were present. The costumes were very pretty, and the scene a joy to watch.

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| <p>1.—Miss Isabel Crew as Chess: second prize
2.—Mrs. Conder's party.
3.—Mrs. Willis's party.
4.—Miss Betty Brownson as a Herald: first prize girls' costume.
5.—Members of Mrs. Conder's party.</p> | <p>6.—Bindle Congreve as King Winter: first prize boys' costume.
7.—Mrs. Payne's party. The little girl in centre, dressed as a top, is Joan Guppy, winner of third prize girls' costume;</p> | <p>and the boy on right as a Chinaman is David Lindner, third prize boys' costume.
8.—Miss Stella Adams as Early Victorian.</p> |
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"BABES IN THE WOOD" AT CHELTENHAM OPERA HOUSE.

A picture of the last scene in the fine, spectacular Pantomime now being so successfully staged at the Cheltenham Theatre. It has run a fortnight to crowded houses, and will run all next week, every evening, with matinees Wednesday, Thursday, and Saturday. This picture was taken by the ordinary stage lighting alone.

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MRS. W. JOHNSON (Inset),

Of Oddington, widow of the late Captain Johnson, 6th Inniskillings, who died on Christmas Day, after a long illness, aged 74 years. She was married in 1872, and left a widow in 1899. She leaves five sons—three of them Army officers, one a Naval officer, and one a civilian. One son gained the V.C. in the War, and one was killed in action.—The photo of her grave is by Mr. W. Butt, Bourton-on-the-Water.

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PANTOMIME AND NATIVITY TABLEUX AT PRESTBURY WOMEN'S INSTITUTE.

A mixed Entertainment was given to a large crowd on Wednesday, Dec. 29th, at the above Institute.
1.—Chorus of Villagers in "Cinderella." 5.—Mrs. Mills (Ruth) and Mrs. J. Pockett (Angels), Mrs. Holmes (St. Joseph), and Miss Joan Prior (Madonna).
2 and 3.—Mrs. Pearce and Mrs. Major— (Naomi). 6.—Misses M. L. Prior, Witts, and Dickson 7.—Miss Ratcliff as Fairy Godmother and other fairies in "Cinderella."
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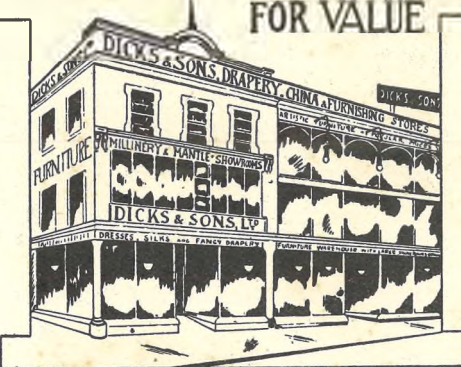
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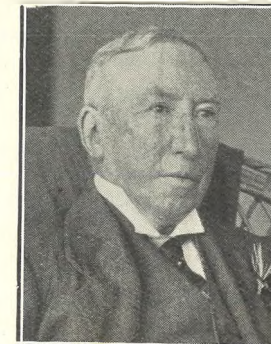
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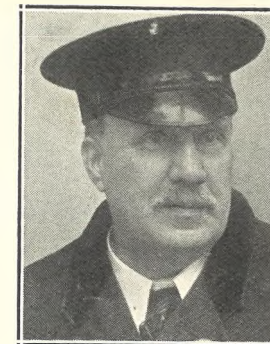
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MR. ALFRED HOLMAN, of Prestbury Cottage, Pittville, Cheltenham, who died on Jan. 8th, 1927, aged 80 years. He was a member of the well-known Cheltenham racing family, and was himself a fine rider and trainer.



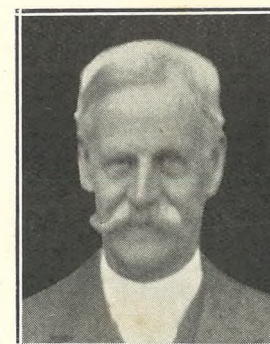
MR. B. O. DAVIES, of Hope Cottage, Gloucester Road, Cheltenham, who died suddenly in his sleep on Jan. 6th, aged 60 years. He was for 30 years Head Bailiff for the Cheltenham County Court.

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MR. GEOFFREY E. DENT-BROCKLEHURST, younger son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Dent-Brocklehurst, of Sudeley Castle, Winchcombe, who died on Jan. 9th, 1927, aged 41 years. He had been ill for some years. He had been Vice-Chairman of the Rural District Council, and was a founder and one of the chief supporters of the Unionist Working Men's Club.



MR. ARTHUR MATHER, of Avonhill, Christ Church Road, Cheltenham, who died on Jan. 10, 1927, aged 73 years. He had resided in Cheltenham and district for 49 years, and was the father of 13 children—seven sons and six daughters. Three sons were killed in the war and one died in Canada during the war. He was a great Church worker, and a strong Conservative.

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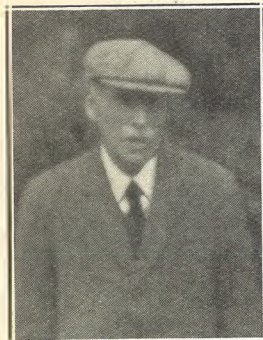


CROSS-COUNTRY INVITATION RACE IN CHELTENHAM.

On Saturday last Cheltenham and County Harriers held their big invitation Cross-Country Race, which, besides a team championship for the Unwin Cup, included individual honours.

1, 2 and 3.—Various teams lined up for the start. There were 74 starters. 4.—Messrs. S. Smith and Tom Smith, the two veterans who laid the trail. 5.—E. Townsend, A. Clark, and O. Clark, who finished as marked, all of Westbury Harriers, who also won the team race.

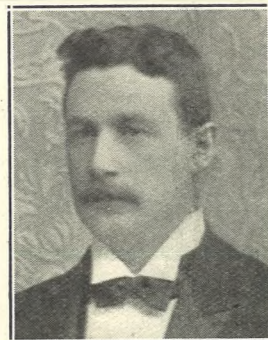
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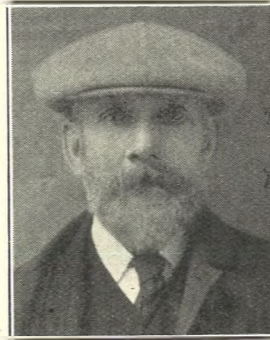
MR. H. J. FRANCILLON, of Woodmancote House, Dursley, who died during Christmas week, aged 84 years. He was head of the firm of Messrs. H. J. Francillon & Son, solicitors, for over 60 years, and was the Registrar of the County Court, and also Superintendent Registrar of Births, Marriages and Deaths.



EX-R.-S.-MAJOR WM. NELSON LOCKE, of 74 Hatherley-road, Gloucester, who died this week at the Royal Infirmary, aged 54 years. He served with the 5th Gloucesters through-out the Great War, afterwards returning to Gloucester. He leaves a widow and four children.



MR. DANIEL MINAHAN, landlord of The Goat Inn, Llanthony road, Gloucester, who died on Jan. 6th, aged 62 years. He was a member of a well-known Catholic family, and was a good footballer in his day.



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SENSATIONAL MURDER AT WOOLSTONE, NEAR CHELTENHAM.

On Thursday, Jan. 6th, Miss Annie Washbourne, aged 70, who lived as a help with Mrs. James, at Fairview House, Woolstone, near Cheltenham, went across the fields to feed the poultry. Not coming back to dinner, Mrs. James sent a neighbour to look for her; and a lad named Wilfred Joseph Goodhall Reeves (16), also in Mrs. James's employ, found her dead in a ditch with shocking wounds to her head. This lad, being suspected by the police, was arrested, and stated afterwards, "I done it." He had only worked there two months, and came from Cirencester Workhouse.

1.—The accused prisoner (on right) handcuffed to P.C. T. Smith, being taken to Gloucester Gaol after being charged with murder at Cheltenham Police Court.
2.—Miss Annie Washbourne, the murdered

woman. This photo was taken some years before.
3.—The barn in which the murder was committed. Blood was found on the floor, and blood-stained garden implements were left here.

4.—The body was carried on a barrow from the barn, about 80 yards beyond the gate on left of picture, right down the steep field, as shown by white line, and thrown in brook at spot marked "x," where man is pointing.

5.—Fairview House, Woolstone, where the prisoner and Miss Washbourne lived with Mrs. James.

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FUNERAL OF THE VICTIM OF THE WOOLSTONE MURDER.

The Funeral of the late Miss Annie Washbourne, murdered at Woolstone on Thursday, Jan. 6th, took place at Woolstone Churchyard on Tuesday last.

- 1.—Miss Clara Hobbs (on left), who was searching with prisoner for Miss Washbourne when he found the body, and who discovered the bloodstains in barn.
- 2.—Scene at graveside in Woolstone churchyard.
- 3.—The murdered woman's son, Mr. Chas. Wm. Washbourne (x) (on left), with his wife next him (x).
- 4.—The undertaker and local bearers.
- 5.—Friends waiting for the funeral.

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FUNERAL OF THE LATE MR. ALFRED HOLMAN, ALL SAINTS' CHURCH, JAN. 11th.

- 1.—Rev. Canon P. M. C. Johnstone, following the late Mr. Alfred Holman was held at All Saints' Church, Cheltenham.
- 2.—Mr. S. H. Healing.
- 3.—Family mourners.
- 4.—Mr. L. Vizard (on left) and Dr. A. A. Dighton (centre).
- 5.—Mr. H. E. Owen.
- 6.—Messrs. F. T. Palmer and J. H. Boulter.



MEET OF COTSWOLD HOUNDS AT LEYCORE MANOR, JANUARY 7th, 1927.

From left.—Hon. Pamela Dutton, Mrs. Gillett, Mr. R. Barton, Miss Moss, Miss Barton, Mr. T. Thoroton, Miss English, Mr. J. Coxwell-Rogers, Capt. Colville (Master), Mrs. Moss, Mr. A. E. Moss (Host), Col. Thoyts, Col. R. H. A. Gresson.
Photo by R. Butt, Bourton-on-the-Water.



PARISH CHURCH BOYS' SCHOOL, CHELTENHAM,

Old Boys' Dinner, at George's Restaurant, Friday, Jan. 7th, 1927.
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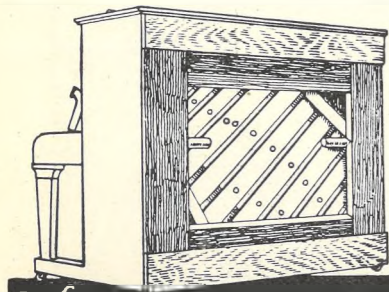
MAYOR AND MAYORESS OF GLOUCESTER GAVE A CHILDREN'S FANCY DRESS BALL ON TUESDAY LAST.
The scene at Gloucester Guildhall on Tuesday evening last was picturesque in the extreme, when the Mayor and Mayoress (Dr. and Mrs. D. E. Finlay) entertained over 400 children of the principal citizens of Gloucester.

1.—Geoffrey Frith as a Gondolier.	6.—Miss Heather Finlay as Bacchante.	11.—Brian Frith as a Skeleton.
2.—Mollie Buckett as a French Peasant.	7.—Hilary Smith as a South Sea Islander, and Brian Smith as Brigand.	12.—Geoffrey Shewell as a Pirate.
3.—Kameth Finlay.	8.—Douglas Harris as a Coster.	13.—Jean Laird as Carnival Folly.
4.—Tom Watson as a Pierrot.	9.—Barbara Overthrow as Airs and Graces.	14.—Barbara Shewell as a Ballet Dancer.
5.—Laurard Morgan as a Courtier.	10.—Pat Symonds as Early Victorian.	15.—Joan Reeve as Parma Violets.

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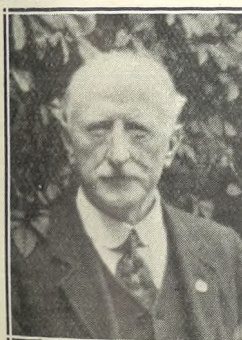
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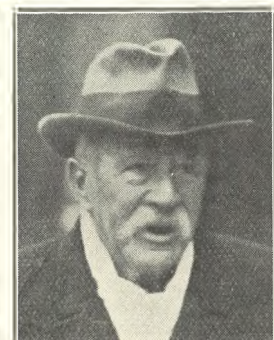
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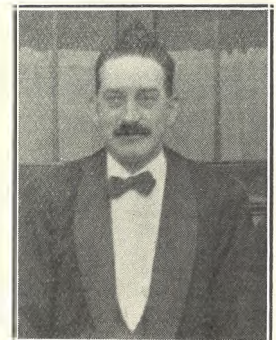
Cheltenham Territorials and Their Shooting Trophies.
At the dinner of "C" Company (Cheltenham) 5th Gloucester Regiment at the Drill Hall on Friday, January 14th, it was stated that their musketry had greatly improved. All the various trophies in above photo had been won by members during the year, and they held the Officers' Revolver Challenge Cup and Earl Bathurst's Battalion Recruits' Cup. Standing: Pte. H. M. Browning, Pte. F. W. Eaton. Seated: Corpl. A. P. Sallis, S./Instructor E. W. Trevelyan, Lieut. J. K. Armstrong, C.-S.-M. S. J. Wilcox, Corpl. T. H. Alder.



MR. THOMAS HOLTHAM, of Capel Cottage, Prestbury-road, Cheltenham, who died on Jan. 10th, aged 81 years. He was born in the cottage in which he died, and which his father built, and he lived there all his life. He leaves a widow (aged 83) and eight sons.



DR. T. CLAVE SHAW, M.D., F.R.C.P., M.R.C.S., of Claremont Lodge, Cheltenham, and 29 Queen Anne's-street, London, who died on January 14th, after a short illness, aged 85 years. He had a notable career as a doctor, and was a prolific writer on sport and medicine.



MR. CLARENCE B. SMITH, of 1 Coneygree, Berkeley-avenue, Cheltenham, who died suddenly on January 14th, in Derby, where he was playing at a cinema, aged 45 years. He was for some time first violinist to Cheltenham Municipal Orchestra.



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This most successful function took place on Thursday, January 13th, there being, with spectators, close on 700 present. Prizes were given for costumes worn by children over twelve years of age, the under twelve having been favoured at the first dance.

- 1.—Mrs. Long Price's party. The girl in centre (Miss Gill Sisson), dressed as Bacchante, with leopard skin, won third prize.
- 2.—Miss Anne Tapsfield as a French Clown, and Tom Willis as a Roman Officer.
- 3.—Mrs. Pilling's party. The little boy (Tommy Clarke) dressed as a Gnome, in front, won second prize as John Bull at the first dance tea.
- 4.—Mrs. Carruthers Little's party. R. Holder, the tall boy at back, won third prize as Johnny Walker.
- 5.—Mrs. Rutherford's party. Miss Eleanor Rutherford, in centre, as Queen of Hearts, won first girls' prize.
- 6.—Mrs. Williams's party.

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CHILDREN'S FANCY DRESS TEA DANCE AT CHELTENHAM TOWN HALL, JANUARY 13th.

- 1.—Mrs. Harvey's Party.
- 2.—Mrs. Williams's Party.
- 3.—Mrs. Carruthers-Little's Party.
- 4.—Miss Carruthers-Little as a Swedish Girl.
- 5.—Miss Teakle (Dutch) and Miss Betty Locke as a Spanish Lady. The latter took second prize for Ladies' Costumes.

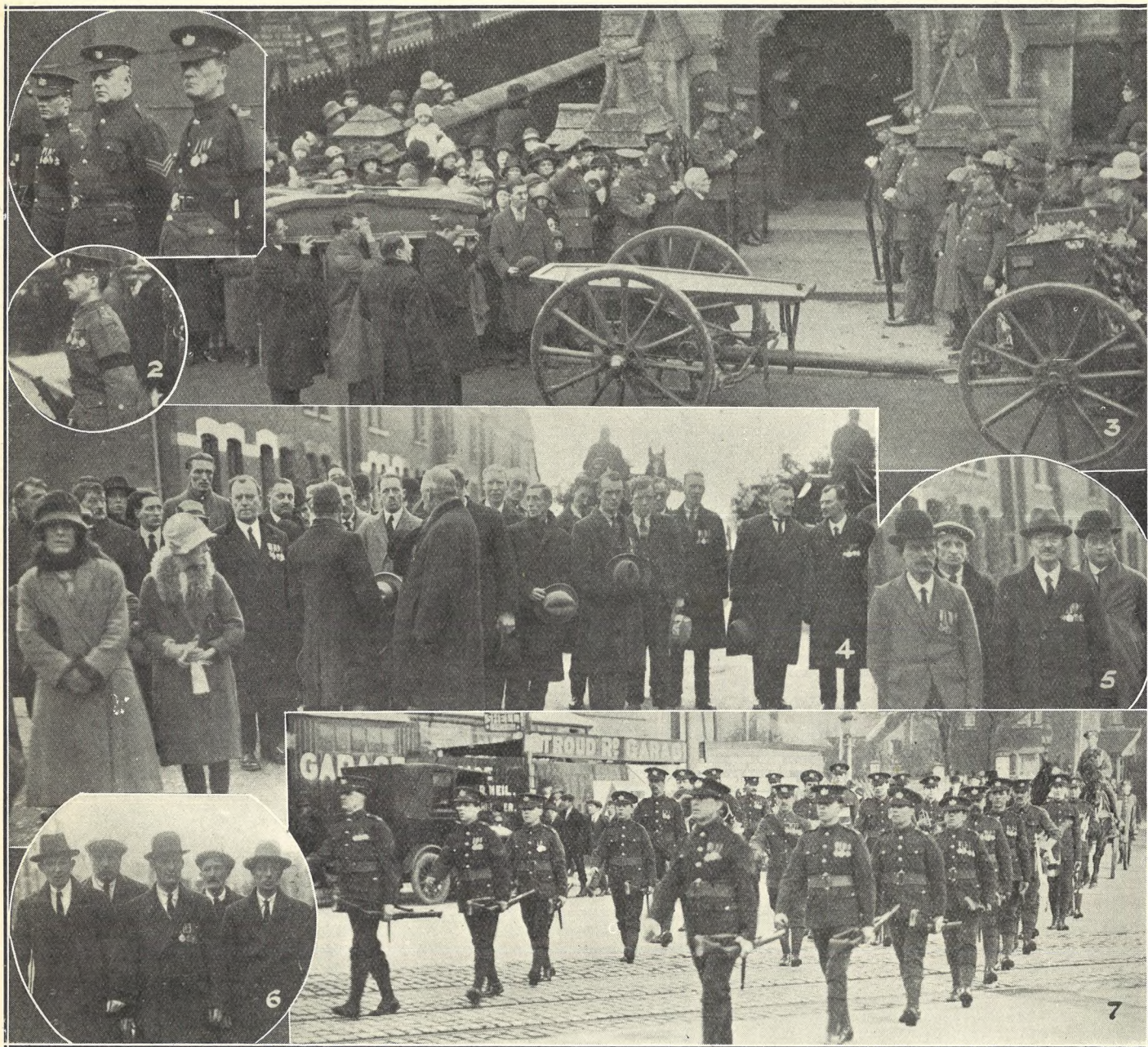
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- 1.—Teddy Moffatt as Cowboy.
- 2.—Kathleen Franeillon, Queen of Hearts.
- 3.—Stewart Witcombe, Dutch Boy.
- 4.—Harold Ellis, Italian Organ Grinder.
- 5.—Joan and Kenneth Dutton, as Clown and Indian.
- 6.—Marjorie Boone, Early Victorian.
- 7.—Harold Thomas as Sir Walter Raleigh.
- 8.—Ronald Jones, Indian Prince.
- 9.—Gwen and Jack Starr, as Gipsy and Rudolph.
- 10.—Geoffrey Morgan, Indian Chief.

Photos by Mr. Richard Hall, photographer, Clarence-street, Gloucester.



MILITARY FUNERAL AT GLOUCESTER.

On Thursday, January 13th, the Funeral took place, at Gloucester, with military honours, of the late ex-Regt.-Sgt.-Major W. M. Locke, of the 1/5th Gloucestershire Regiment.

- 1.—Three N.C.O.'s
- 2.—C.S.-M. A. Faville, D.C.M., in charge of the firing party.
- 3.—The coffin, borne by ex-members of the 5th Gloucesters, entering All Saints' Church.
- 4, 5, and 6.—Ex-Service men who followed in procession.
- 7.—The funeral procession on the way to All Saints' Church.

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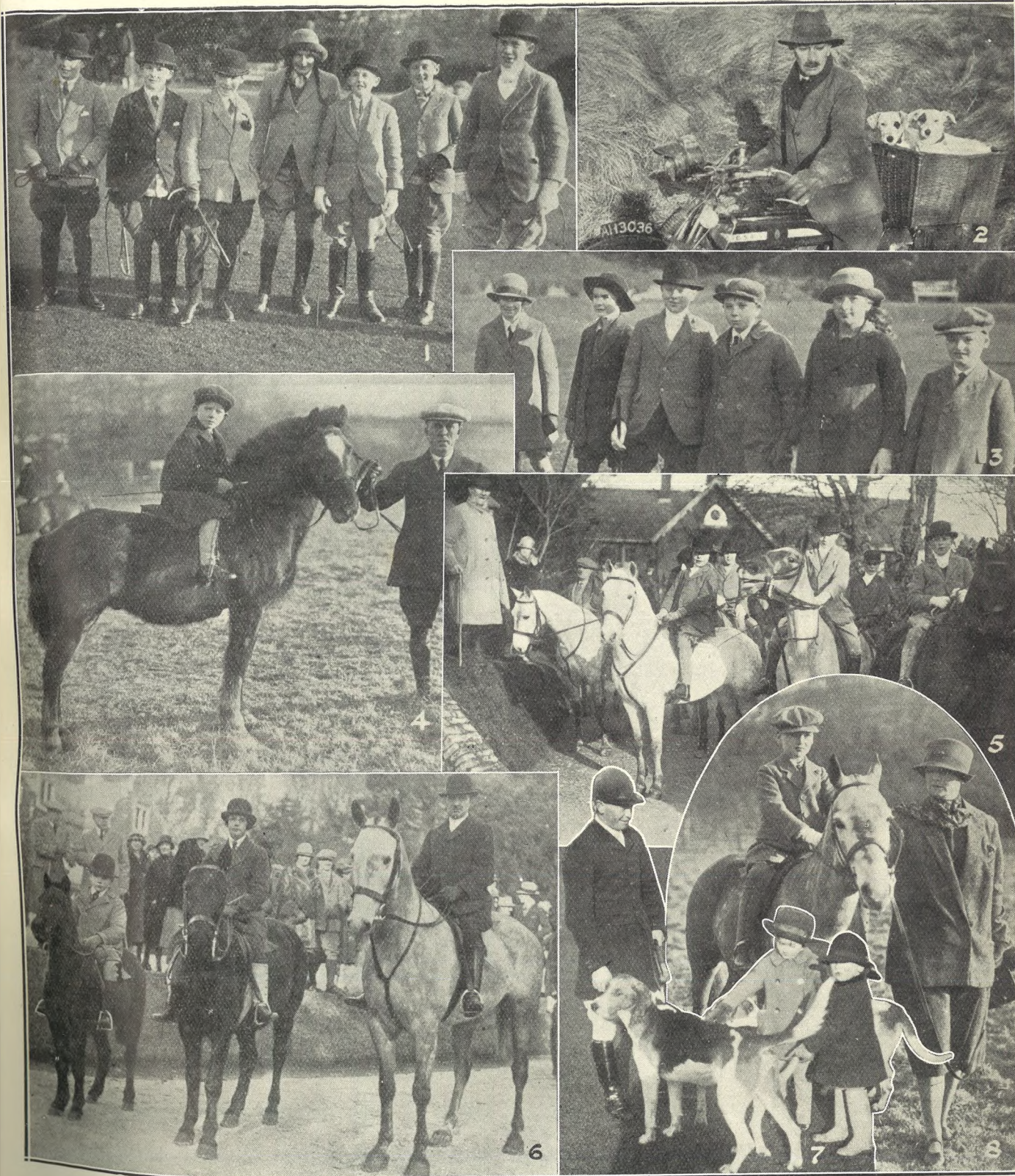
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CHILDREN'S MEET OF GOTSWOLD HOUNDS AT SEVEN SPRINGS.

A quite unusual meet of the Cotswold Hounds was held on Thursday, January 13th, at Seven Springs House, the residence of Captain and Mrs. Richardson, when only juveniles followed the Hounds, except attendants to look after the very youthful ones. Capital runs ensued, and two foxes were killed. There were close on 150 children mounted.

- 1.—Masters Guy, John, and Anthony Stanton, Miss D. Blow, Master Derrick Martin, Master Purcell Blow, and Master Nigel Martin.
- 2.—Pillion riders—Mr. A. Bruce with two of his terriers.
- 3.—Some of the youngsters hunting.
- 4.—Pat Allen.
- 5.—Coming from the stable yard.
- 6.—Michael Davies and Evelyn Herbert.
- 7.—Sturmey, the huntsman, with Masters Colville and Richardson, among the hounds.
- 8.—Master Hoseason, with Mrs. Stanton, wife of General Stanton.

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FUNERAL OF MR. GEOFFREY DENT-BROCKLEHURST.

The funeral of the late Mr. G. Dent-Brocklehurst, who died in London on January 9th, and whose body was cremated at Golders Green on Jan. 12th, took place at St. Mary's Church, Sudeley, on Saturday afternoon last, amidst every manifestation of regret from a large number of friends.

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| 1.—Mr. W. Hobbs, deceased's bailiff, carrying the casket to the family vault, followed by Mr. H. Dent-Brocklehurst and Major J. H. Dent-Brocklehurst (father and brother). | 3.—Capt. and Mrs. F. Mitchell. | 7.—Mrs. J. H. Dent-Brocklehurst. |
| 2.—Countess St. Aldwyn (left) and Lady S. Hicks Beach (centre). | 4.—Mr. W. Awde. | 8.—Major J. H. Dent-Brocklehurst and Rev. F. M. Wickham. |
| | 5.—Rev. Father Palmer. | 9.—Neighbours and friends of deceased at funeral. |
| | 6.—Lady Delia Hicks Beach and Mrs. H. Dent-Brocklehurst. | |

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MRS. MARY AUSTIN, Of Langmoor, Gloucester-road, Cheltenham, who died on January 16th, aged 78 years. She is here shown with her husband (who survives her) on their Golden Wedding Day, May 5th, 1924. She leaves five sons and six daughters. She lived in Cheltenham practically all her life.

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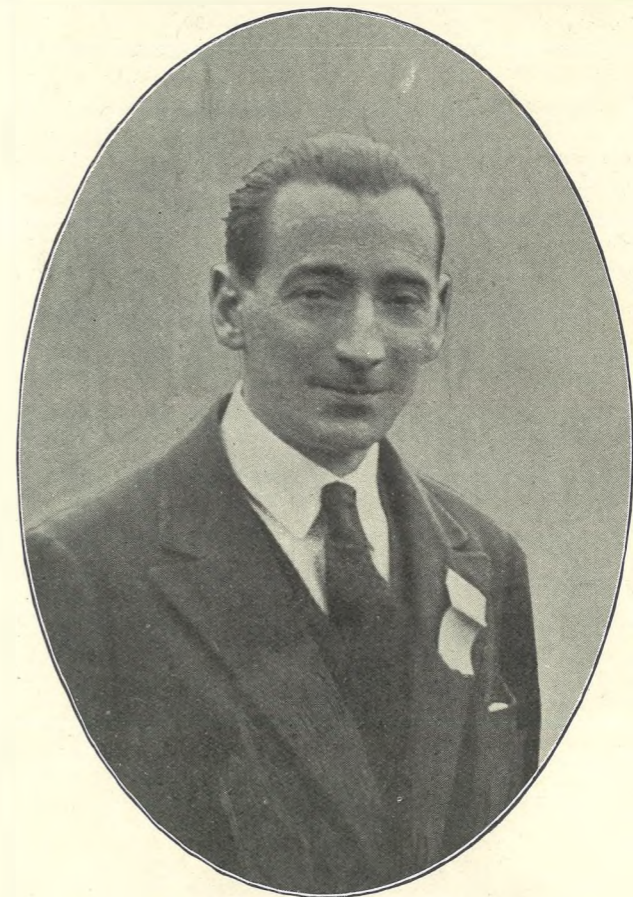
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THE LATE MR. LEO DAWES,

of 8 Oriel-place, Cheltenham, Musical Director for Cheltenham Corporation, who died on Jan. 24th, from pneumonia, aged 37 years, after a fortnight's illness. He was appointed Musical Director in the winter of 1921 in succession to Mr. Shackleton, having previously been the leader (first violinist); and he made a great success of the Municipal Orchestra. He was in the middle of a very busy and successful season when illness laid him low. He was a most popular townsman, a Rotarian, and a member of the United Services Club. He was a son of Mr. Frank Dawes, now Bandmaster of the Gloucestershire Yeomanry. He leaves a widow and two little daughters, aged eleven and four respectively.

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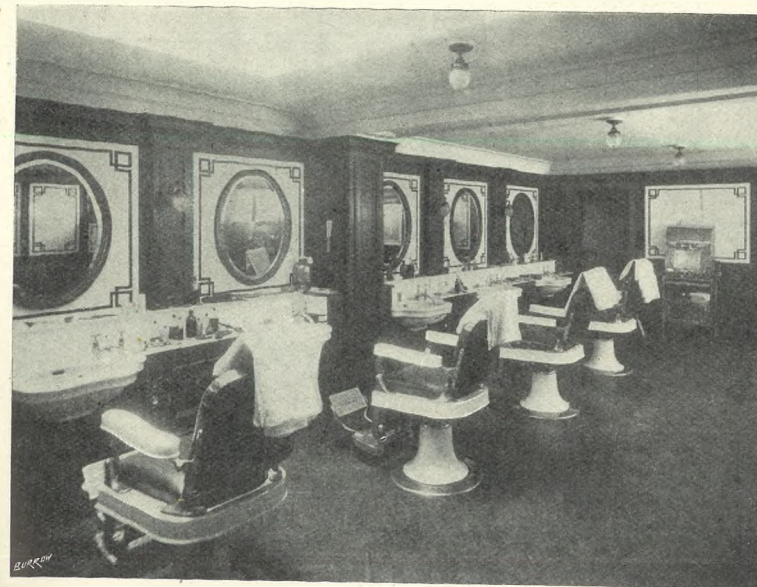
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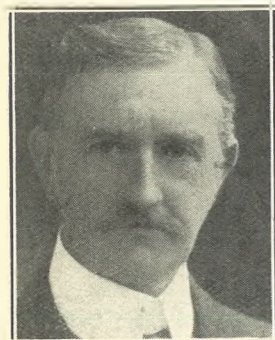


MOLE-DRAINING DEMONSTRATION AT OVER, NEAR GLOUCESTER.

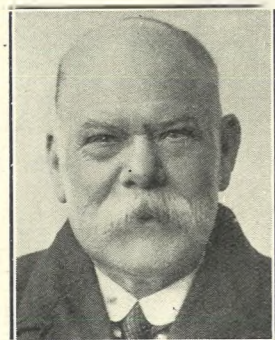
Under the auspices of the Ministry of Agriculture, and organised by the Gloucestershire Agricultural Education Sub-Committee, some demonstrations of Mole-Ploughing were given on Wednesday last in atrocious weather on the farm of Mr. R. Keen, Over Farm, Highnam, near Gloucester.

- 1.—Mr. G. H. Hollingworth, Agricultural Organizer (in centre), explaining matters to Mr. H. Dent-Brocklehurst and Mr. Pearce (Hartpur).
- 2.—One of the tractors pulling a mole plough.
- 3.—Mr. J. S. Gibbons and Mr. G. Mollquham.
- 4.—Spectators sheltering behind a steam tractor.
- 5.—Mrs. and Mr. Ling. Mrs. Ling was the only lady present.
- 6.—Inspecting the mole plough, which is laying on its side. The mole, or cartridge is on left.
- 7.—Mr. M. P. Price and Mr. H. J. Goscombe.
- 8.—Mr. S. T. Pester and Mr. Thompson Close (right), Machinery Officer of the Ministry of Agriculture.

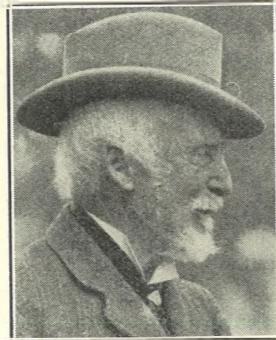
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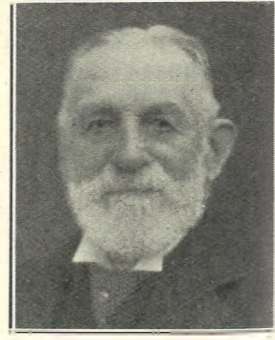
DR. F. G. STANLEY WILDE,
L.R.C.P., L.R.C.S., Edin.,
Of Ingleside, St. George's-road, Cheltenham, who died suddenly on January 24th. He had practised in Cheltenham as a homœopathic physician for some 42 years, coming here from Nottingham in 1885. He did his usual round of work on Sunday, but passed away during the night.



MR. J. T. MULHEARN,
Of 2 Harp Hill-villas, Cheltenham, who died on Monday, January 24th, aged 71 years. He carried on business at Fairview-road as a hot water engineer for about 40 years, and was much respected. He was a Conservative and Wesleyan.—[Photo by Holloway, Cheltenham.]



MR. CHAS. BISHOP,
Of 17 Lansdown Place, Cheltenham, and formerly of Cwmrhuddau, Llandovery, who died recently, aged 94 years. He was the oldest solicitor in Wales, was a man with a great reputation, and had been a fine cricketer and archer. He played first-class cricket with W. G. Grace.



MR. W. H. LANE,
Of Abbotsville, Sandford Mill-road, Cheltenham, who died January 13th, in his sleep, aged 88 years. He was a farmer for many years at Charlton Abbots, but retired twenty years ago. His son, Mr. W. G. Lane, keeps the farm, and his only daughter is the wife of Mr. J. W. Manning, of Cheltenham.

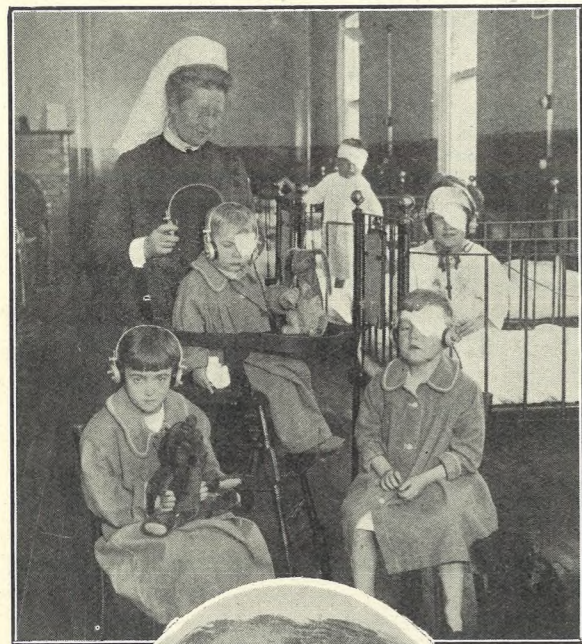


NEW GRAMMAR SCHOOL AT NORTHLEACH.

The official opening of Westwood's Grammar School, Northleach, took place on Friday, January 21st, when the Rev. W. H. Careless, formerly Vicar of Northleach, took the chair, and was supported by a number of influential County Educationists.

- 1.—The New School: Although it is a continuation of a very old foundation, entirely new buildings have been erected. Heavy snow had fallen on Friday, when the photographs were taken.
- 2.—A scholar and his mother (Mrs. Waring).
- 3, 5, 6, and 8.—Visitors at opening ceremony.
- 4.—Canon W. E. White, of Bourton, with Mr. H. W. Household.
- 7.—Standing: Mr. W. P. Bassett (Headmaster of New School) and Mr. R. S. Phillips (Architect of Schools). Seated: Mr. H. W. Household (Secretary of County Education Committee), Sir Thos. Davies, M.P., Rev. W. H. Careless (Chairman), Major F. W. B. Cripps, and Canon H. Sewell.
- 9.—Mr. W. A. Rixon.
- 10.—Mr. F. B. de Sausmarez (ex-H.M. Inspector of Schools).

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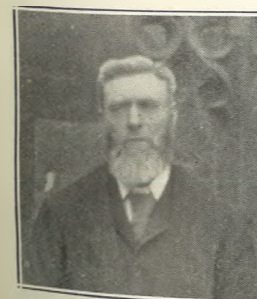
SNAPS TAKEN ON MONDAY LAST.

- 1.—Police-Supt. Goulder.
- 2.—Shopping.
- 3.—Capt. Barton.

- 4.—Messrs. L. Whiteley and Lye.
- 5.—Mr. Wilkins.
- 6.—Messrs. W. J. Williams and W. A. Chatton.

- 7.—Messrs. R. Townsend and E. J. Dash.
- 8.—Enjoying a joke.

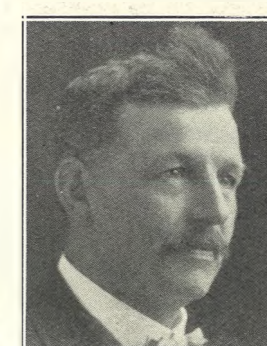
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MR. WM HAWKINS,
Of 28 St. Mary's-square,
Gloucester, who died some-
what suddenly on January
18th. He was 86 years of
age, and for about 48 years
had been Dean's Verger at
Gloucester Cathedral, being
a very familiar figure in the
City. He was for some time
on the Post Office Staff.

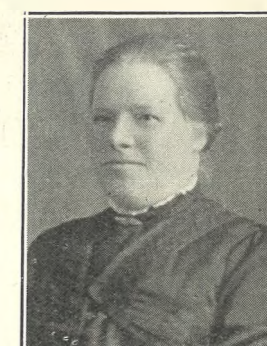


102 YEARS OLD.
Mrs. Lucy Wilkins, of 4
Arthur-street, Gloucester,
who died this week in her
103rd year. She was well
known in Wolverhampton,
where she was in business
over 40 years, and in Chel-
tenham. For the past fifteen
years she had resided
with her niece, Mrs. G. H.
Mills, of Arthur-street (for-
merly of Cheltenham). She
married three times.



MR. JIM DOUGHTY
COPPAGE, J.P.,

Who died at Moreton-in-
Marsh Cottage Hospital on
January 21st, aged 52. He
was a foreman porter on
the G.W.R., member of the
Parish Council, co-secretary
of the Working Men's Club,
C.E. school manager, etc.,
and was appointed J.P. in
1920.



MISS E. M. PALMER,
Of 37 Portland-square, Chel-
tenham, who died on Jan.
21st, very suddenly, aged 62
years. She had spent her
life since the age of 16 in
work for the Salvation
Army. She came to reside
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1.—First eight are Oxford, other nine St. Gregory's. P. G. Bryan-Daunt, J. H. S. Wild, H. C. Harley (capt.), E. H. P. Brown, R. F. Bretherton, L. A. B. Cooke, W. P. Bryant, L. G. Lister, L. Cummins, R. A. White, G. Skey, V. Mills, P. Folia, J. W. Pearman, F. Knight, F. Turner, and H. Weaving.
2.—Spectators at the start.
3.—Two Oxford men coming down Hunting Butts Lane.
4.—E. H. P. Brown (Oxford) taking a fence.
5.—Larry Cummins and Turner (both St. Gregory's) dead-heated for first place.

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