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No. 2,118.

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2.54 5.41 8.28

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Special Super Holiday Show!

RONALD COLMAN in

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3.20 6.5 8.45

LAUREL and HARDY in

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2.20 5.5 7.45

Last Programme 7.30



INVESTITURE CEREMONY IN CHELTENHAM
Viscount Bledisloe, as Knight of the Order of St. John of Jerusalem, investing Col. J. L. Sleeman with Bar to the Order of Mercy, a very rare distinction, at Cheltenham on Saturday. Lady Bledisloe is on right.

COLISEUM

Week 4th August: From 2.15

FRED ASTAIRE

and PAULETTE GODDARD in
The Gay Musical Picture

"SECOND CHORUS"

(3.15 6.0 8.45)

Also

"HOLD THAT WOMAN"

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(2.15 5.0 7.40)

TOPICAL NEWS (4.40 and 7.30)

Last Programme Starts 7.30

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THREE MEMBERS OF CENTRAL SCHOOL STAFF LEAVE

Some of those present at a large gathering of Old Girls, together with the Staff at the Girls' Central School, Cheltenham, to bid farewell to three departing members Miss Catley (now Mrs. Patrick Myles), Miss Olive Wyatt, and Mr. E. J. Winter.

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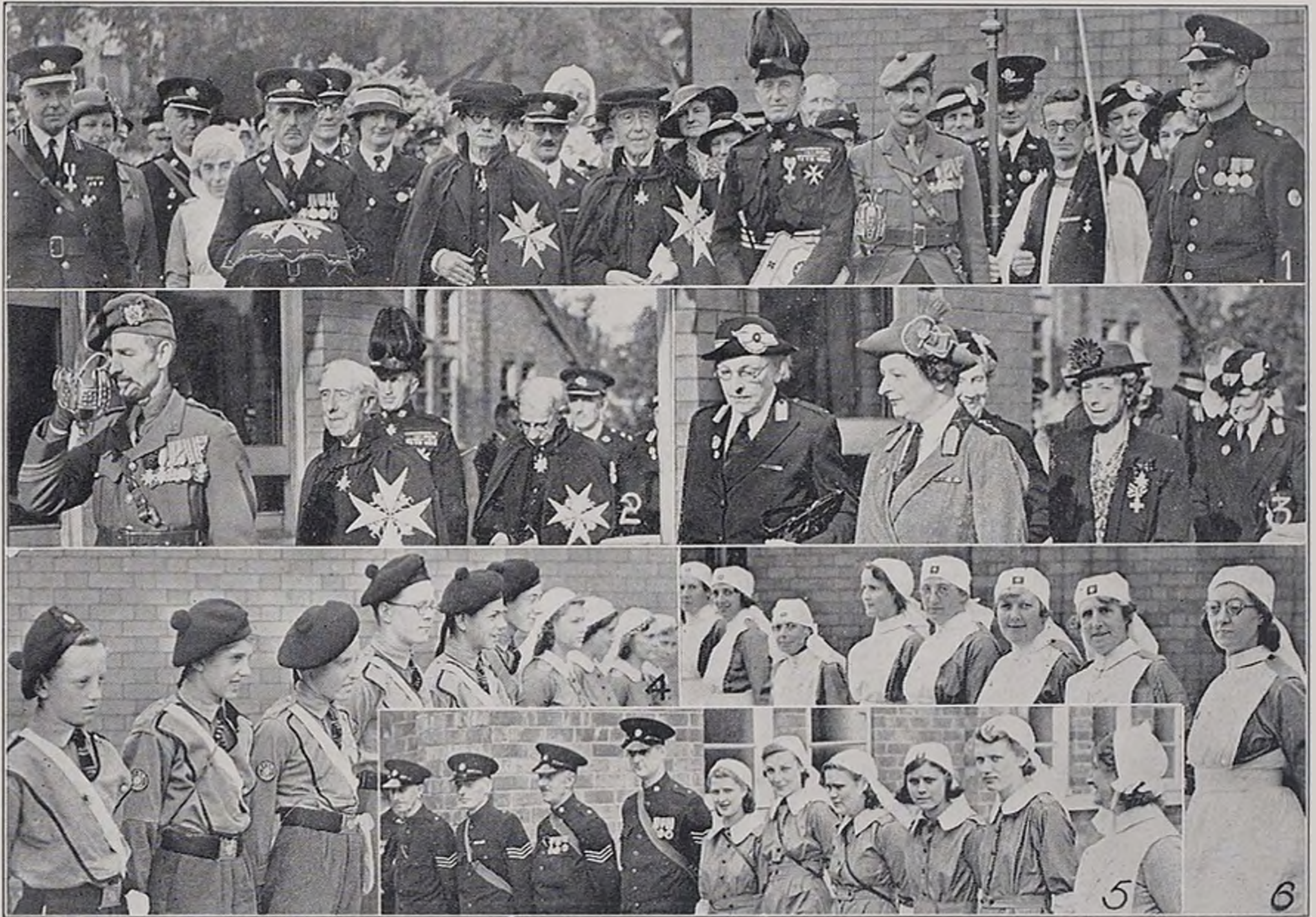
PRESENTATIONS TO MEMBERS OF CENTRAL SCHOOL STAFF

1.—Miss O. J. Wyatt (on left), who is leaving to get married, being presented with a grandmother clock by Miss Christine Broom, an old girl, on behalf of the Old Girls' Association. 2.—Miss Mary Sharp presenting Mrs. P. Myles (on right, formerly Miss Catley) with an eiderdown quilt and bedspread to match.

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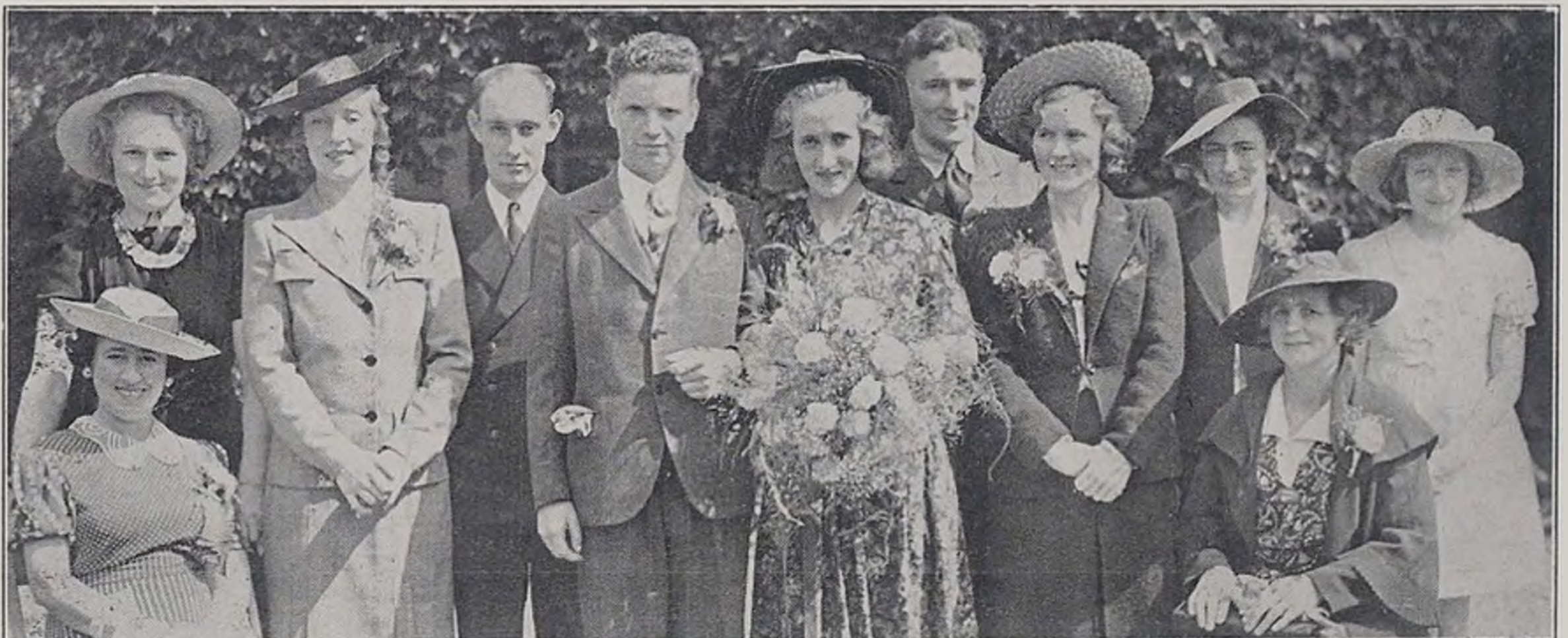
CENTRAL SCHOOL BOYS' SWIMMING TEAM
 Winners of Cheltenham Schools' Challenge Shield in record time (73 3-5 seconds) at Alstone Baths. Mr. E. J. Winter (in centre) retires in September.



HIGH HONOURS FOR FINE AMBULANCE SERVICES

Honours conferred on men and women of the Cheltenham Area for exceptional services to the Venerable Order of St. John were presented at a unique gathering at the Cheltenham Ambulance Headquarters on Saturday.

1. Officials and recipients of honours. In front row, left to right, are: Mr. H. J. Lewis (Order of Mercy), Corps Secretary T. H. Read (Insignia Bearer), Viscount Hereford and Viscount Bledisloe (Knights of the Order), Col. J. I. Sleeman (Chief Overseas Commissioner), Major Nelson Rooke, the Rev. I. E. Kear, Inspector D. M. Wagstaff.
 2. The procession arriving. 3. Lady officers of St. John. 4. Cadets of the Order. 5. Section of the Guard of Honour. 6.—Nurses of the Order.



TEWKESBURY ABBEY WEDDING

The bridal party at the reception at the Bell Hotel after the wedding at Tewkesbury Abbey on Monday, of Mr. A. M. Nind, youngest son of Mr. A. Nind, of 12, Gloucester-road, Tewkesbury, and the late Mrs. Nind, to Miss Doris Baldrey, fourth daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Baldrey, of 16, All Saints'-road, Gloucester.



GARDEN FETE TO AID R.S.P.C.A.

An interesting little fete was held on Saturday in the beautiful garden at Penstowe, Hatherley Court-road, the residence of Ald. and Mrs. E. L. Ward, in aid of the R.S.P.C.A. £20 was taken for the funds.

- 1.—Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Ward (Mrs. Ward is sixth from left), with workers for the sale.
- 2.—Mrs. Ward's daughter (Mrs. C. K. Williams), with a family pony giving rides to children around the garden.
- 3.—Interested in the score.
- 4.—Ices in great request.

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NURSING SISTER'S WEDDING

The bridal party at the reception at Cheltenham Town Hall on Sunday after the wedding at Holy Trinity Church of Mr. Fred G. Stephens, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Stephens, of the Sydney Arms Hotel, Cheltenham, to Sister Enid Richards, of Cheltenham General Hospital, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Richards, of Bodlonfa, Caerphilly, Cardiff. The bride was the gold medallist of the Hospital in 1939.

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SWINDON VILLAGE MAKES BIG SAVINGS EFFORT

The whole of Swindon Village took part on Saturday in a big effort to bring the total savings collected by school-children in the village up to £1,000. A garden fete was held on the Vicarage lawns.

- 1. Part of audience at opening ceremony.
- 2. The girl in centre is "Miss Swindon" (Eileen Bowden), who was crowned by Mrs. Lipson, and who afterwards presented the latter with a bouquet.
- 3. -Mrs. Harwood (of Cowley), with her first prize baby (up to 18 months old).
- 4. -Another section of the audience.
- 5. -Knocking nails in Hitler's coffin. Each nail meant buying a 6d. Savings Stamp.
- 6. -A "fishing" competition, run by Mrs. Carter.
- 7. -Competitors in fancy dress parade.
- 8. -Mr. D. L. Lipson opening the fete. On right is the Rev. W. H. Hanna, Vicar of Swindon, who presided.

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OVER 1,000 COMPETITORS IN SCHOOLS' SPORTS

- Well over 1,000 pupils took part in the Cheltenham Elementary Schools' Sports at the Athletic Ground on Saturday.
- 1. A crowd of girl competitors.
 - 2. Mr. G. Jenkins (starter) getting the girls on their marks.
 - 3. Start of junior boys' race. Mr. W. F. Smith, Headmaster of Parish Church Junior School, on left.
 - 4. Miss C. Dallimore (Headmistress) and Mr. P. Steel (a Master), of St. John's School, talking to their two winning teams in relay races. Boys and girls won the respective Junior Challenge Shields.



FARMER'S WEDDING AT DEERHURST CHURCH

The bridal party outside Deerhurst Church last week after the wedding of Mr. Ronald Wm. Church, only son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Church, of Wick Farm, Apperley, to Miss Phyllis Muriel Smith, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Smith, of Severn Side, Apperley.



SALE OF WORK AT UCKINGTON

A Sale of Work, to remove a debt of £60 on the new Free (Baptist) Church at Uckington, was held at the New House Farm, of Mr. A. Gilbert, last week.

- 1.—A rush for new potatoes at the vegetable stall.
- 2. Mr. C. H. Denley, who organised the Sale; Mrs. A. W. Martyn, who opened it; and the Rev. W. Nicholson, who spoke, having tea.
- 3.—A section of the audience at the opening.
- 4.—Busy at the provisions stall.

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TEWKESBURY GRAMMAR SCHOOL SPORTS

The annual Sports of Tewkesbury Grammar School were held on the Sports Ground last week.

- 1—Start of Old Boys' race.
- 2.—Mr. W. H. Struthers, Headmaster, with two officers and their sons, the latter competitors.
- 3.—Start of half-mile race.
- 4.—Competitors and spectators.

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NAUNTON PARK SCHOOLS' SWIMMING GALA

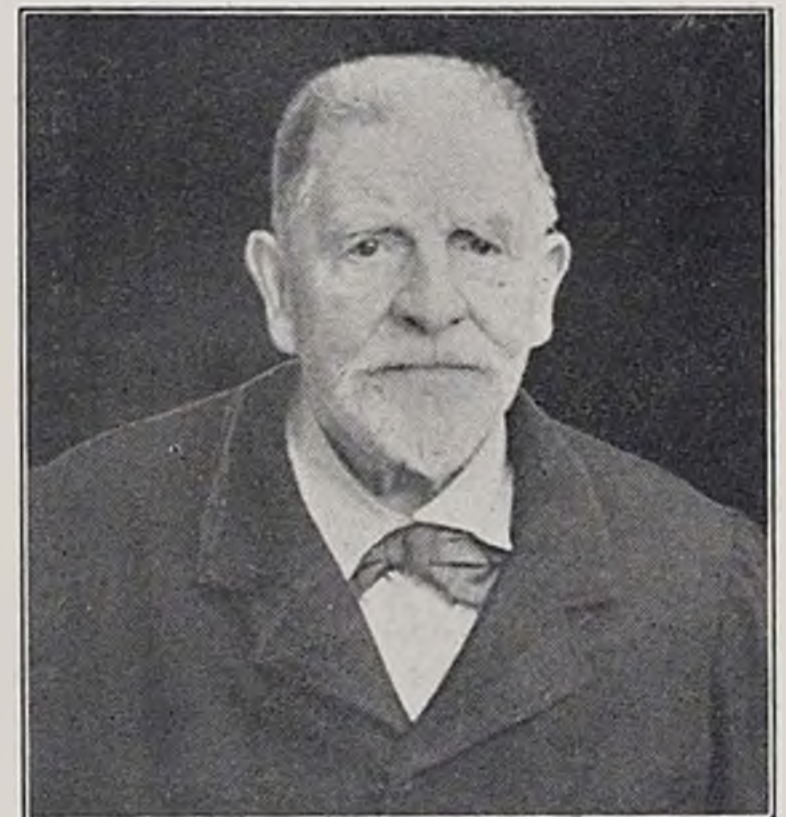
Pupils of above schools, who gave a capital display of swimming at Alstone Baths at their annual gala last week.

1.—Girl competitors. 2.—Boy competitors.
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**ENGINE-ROOM ARTIFICER
 JAMES ROPER, R.N.,**

of Wyndcliffe, Eldon-road, Cheltenham, who has been awarded the D.S.M. for courage, skill, and devotion to duty on patrol in the submarine service. He married Miss Lynda Richards, the dancing instructress, six years ago.



MR. CHARLES AUSTIN,

of Langmoor, Gloucester-road, Cheltenham, who celebrated his 90th birthday on Saturday. He has lived in Cheltenham over 70 years and was one of the leading market-gardeners of the town.

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PERSONAL APPEARANCE OF THE FAMOUS STAR —
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ROBERT YOUNG

2.54 5.50 8.56

"MELODY AND MOONLIGHT"

JOHNNY DOWNS, (U)
BARBARA ALLEN

1.30 4.26 7.32

Last Complete Programme 7.22

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MONDAY, AUGUST 11th

For One Week:

"THE REAL GLORY"

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CARY COOPER,
ANDREA LEEDS, DAVID NIVEN

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2.25 5.5 7.50

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MAYOR INSPECTS FIRST-PRIZE GARDEN

Mr. John Howell, Mayor of Cheltenham, looking at the tomatoes in the garden of Mr. J. Lowe, of 30, Crabtree-place, Cheltenham, who won the cup for the best garden on the Corporation housing estates for this season. It was presented to him at the Council meeting on Friday.

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(2.15 4.50 7.30)

TOPICAL NEWS (2.25 5.5. 7.45)

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CHELTENHAM BRIDE OF GLOUCESTER SOLDIER

The bridal party outside All Saints' Church, Cheltenham, after the wedding of Private William Mabbett, Gloucestershire Regiment, eldest son of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. Mabbett, of Gloucester, to Miss Hilda Tombs, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Tombs, of 7, Victoria-place, Fairview, Cheltenham.

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EMMANUEL CHURCH WEDDING

The wedding party at the reception at the Cadena Corner House on Saturday, after the marriage at Emmanuel Church, Cheltenham, of Mr. Leslie H. Wilton, only son of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Wilton, of Cobridge Villa, Langdon-road, Cheltenham to Miss Phyllis Gastrell, third daughter of Mr. F. Gastrell, of Hillside, Pilford-road, Leckhampton, and the late Mrs. Gastrell.

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CHARLTON KINGS BRIDE AT WESLEY CHURCH

The family and bridal party after the wedding at Wesley Church, Cheltenham, on Saturday, of Mr. Robert F. Wade, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. T. Wade, of 20, Fullbrook-grove, Birmingham, to Miss Beatrice H. Lawrence, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Lawrence, of Fir Tree Cottage, Rye worth-road, Charlton Kings.



AIRMAN'S WEDDING AT ALL SAINTS' CHURCH

At All Saints' Church, Cheltenham, on Saturday, after the wedding of Aircraftman W. J. Holder, third son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Holder, of 16, Mersey-road, Whaddon, to Miss Ivy Pittaway, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Pittaway, of 49, Humber-road, Whaddon.



PETTY OFFICER WEDS NURSE

The bridal party after the wedding at Cheltenham Register Office of Chief Petty Officer Writer W. J. G. Lewis, R.N., youngest son of Mrs. L. Lewis, of Slad-road, Stroud, and the late Mr. T. Lewis, to Miss Rosemary (Molly) Hook, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. Hook, Conway House, Brimscombe, Stroud. The bride has been nursing for some years in Cheltenham.

**PHOTOGRAPHS
WEDDING, Etc.,**

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(CHARLTON KINGS SCHOOLBOYS' WAR EFFORT

Charlton Kings schoolboys at work in the school gardens, in which splendid work is being done in the national cause.

1. Boys at work on the onion bed, in which is a crop of 1,000 onions. Mr. B. Shorthouse, the gardening instructor, is in charge. 2.—Three boys attending to tomato plants, which look very healthy. 3.—Another part of garden. On left is Mr. J. J. Thorne (headmaster) and, on right, Mr. C. Elmes (in charge of fruit-trees).

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R.A.F. CORPORAL'S CHELTENHAM BRIDE

The bridal party outside All Saints' Church, Cheltenham, on Monday, after the wedding of Corporal H. Gear, R.A.F., youngest son of Mr. Alfred Gear, of Ilfracombe, and the late Mrs. Gear, to Miss Beryl Prewitt, youngest daughter of Mrs. E. F. Prewitt, of 38, Fairview-street, and the late Mr. H. Prewitt.

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RALLY OF CHELTENHAM FEDERATION OF YOUTH ORGANISATIONS

A sports rally arranged by the Cheltenham Federation of Youth Organisations was held on Friday and Saturday evenings in Sandford Park, Cheltenham, before a big crowd of spectators on each evening. The opening ceremony was performed by Councillor T. W. Waite, who was introduced by the chairman of the Rally Committee (Mr. J. T. J. Gooding).

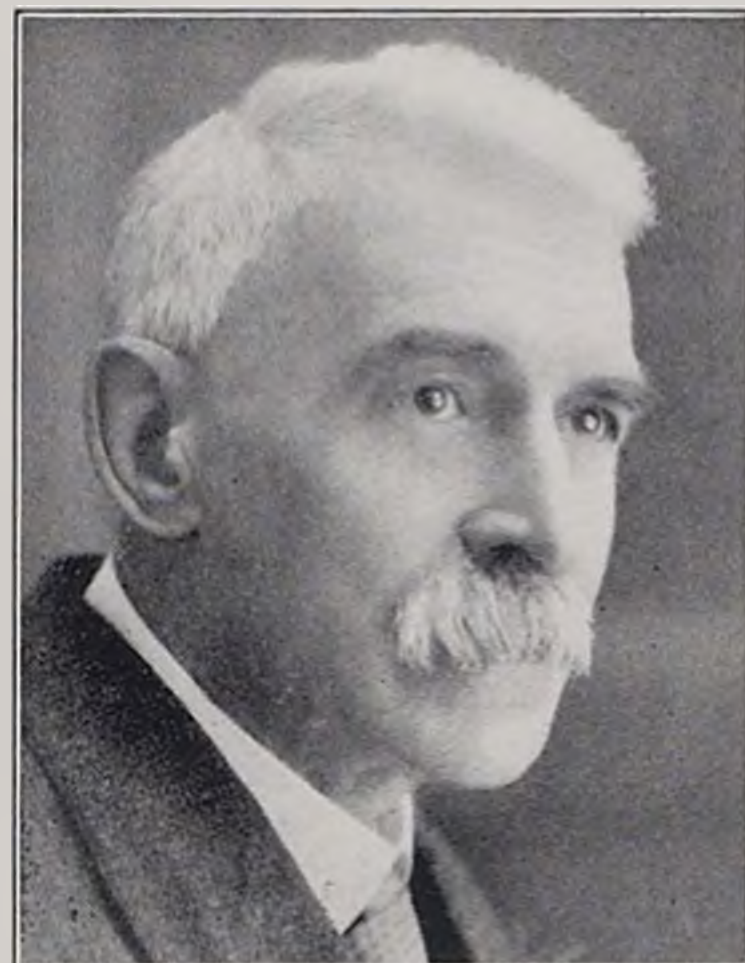
- 1.—Members of Baker-street Boys' Club in a gymnastic display. 2. A gymnastic set-piece by Baker-street Club
 3.—The platform party at opening ceremony. Left to right: Miss A. W. Gee, Mr. D. W. Trayner, Mr. E. Ivamy, Coun. T. W. Waite, the Rev. D. E. Leavey, Mr. J. T. J. Gooding, Lt. A. W. Cole, Mr. A. Adams, Mr. G. M. Snewin. 4.—Mr. J. T. J. Gooding speaking to the crowd. 5.—St. Paul's C.L.B. exercise on horizontal bar. 6.—A section of the crowd watching the sports.

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INNER WHEEL FETE

The president, treasurer, secretary, and committee of the Cheltenham Inner Wheel (the Rotary organisation for ladies), who held a fete at the Woodlands last week in aid of a fund to provide comforts for the Services. In front, left to right, are: Mrs. Burton Clark (treasurer), Mrs. H. J. Norris (president), Mrs. E. Ivamy (secretary), and Mrs. L. W. Barnard (national president). Behind are Mrs. A. Saunders, Mrs. W. Ansell, Mrs. Stock, and Mrs. G. G. Marsland.



MR. W. A. WALL,

of Dynevor Lodge, New Barn-lane, Cheltenham, who died on Friday, aged 80 years. He worked for nearly 50 years in the Midland Goods Office at Gloucester and held the position of Chief Clerk before his retirement in 1925. He had lived with Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Goode for the past 20 years, and had been prominently associated with the Highbury Congregational Church in Cheltenham. For over 25 years he was choirmaster of Brunswick-road Baptist Church, Gloucester.



SCHOOL CRICKET CHAMPIONS

Whaddon Senior Council School cricket team, winners of the Senior Cricket Championship Shield in the Cheltenham Elementary Schools League this season. As this is the school's first year, the achievement is very creditable. Mr. W. H. Knee, the headmaster, is standing on left, and Mr. J. Flay is on right.



MR. W. A. ZEBEDEE

eldest son of Mrs. Zebedee, of 78, Naunton-crescent, Cheltenham, and of the late Mr. Alfred Zebedee, who died suddenly on July 31, aged 62 years. He had spent the whole of his working life in the drapery trade, and for many years had been associated with Messrs. Dicks and Sons, Ltd., of High-street. He had served on the Council of the Cheltenham Liberal Club for many years, and was much interested in the Cheltenham Swimming Club.



WHADDON JUNIOR COUNCIL SCHOOL CRICKETERS

who, emulating their seniors, have won the Cheltenham Elementary Schools Junior Cricket Challenge Shield this season. Mr. G. Thomas, one of the masters, is standing at back.

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A CHELTENHAM HOME OF REST

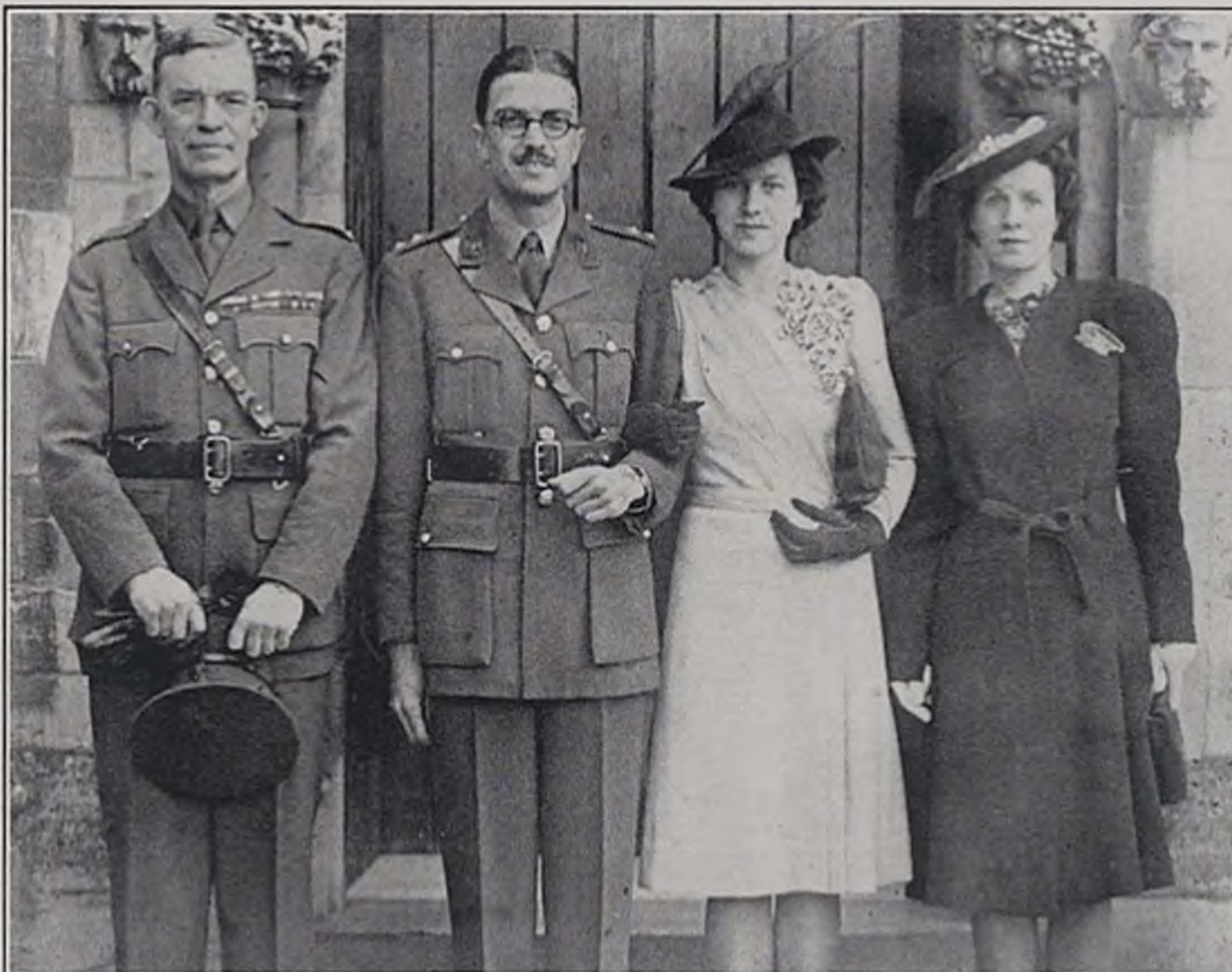
A number of elderly ladies from bombed areas have entered a nice home provided for them at 109, Old Bath-road, Cheltenham. They have now settled down under the care of a resident matron, Miss W. E. Hayter, S.R. Nurse.
 1.—Miss Hayter (third from left) points out the beauties of their new home.
 2.—Making themselves at home in the garden.



PRIVATE NORMAN BURROWS, R.A.O.C., son of Mrs. C. E. Burrows, of 10, Gratton-road, Cheltenham, who has been reported missing in the Middle East. He is 21 years of age, and attended Naunton Park Schools for five years before joining the firm of Messrs. F. H. Bastin and Son, the electricians, of Winchcombe-street.



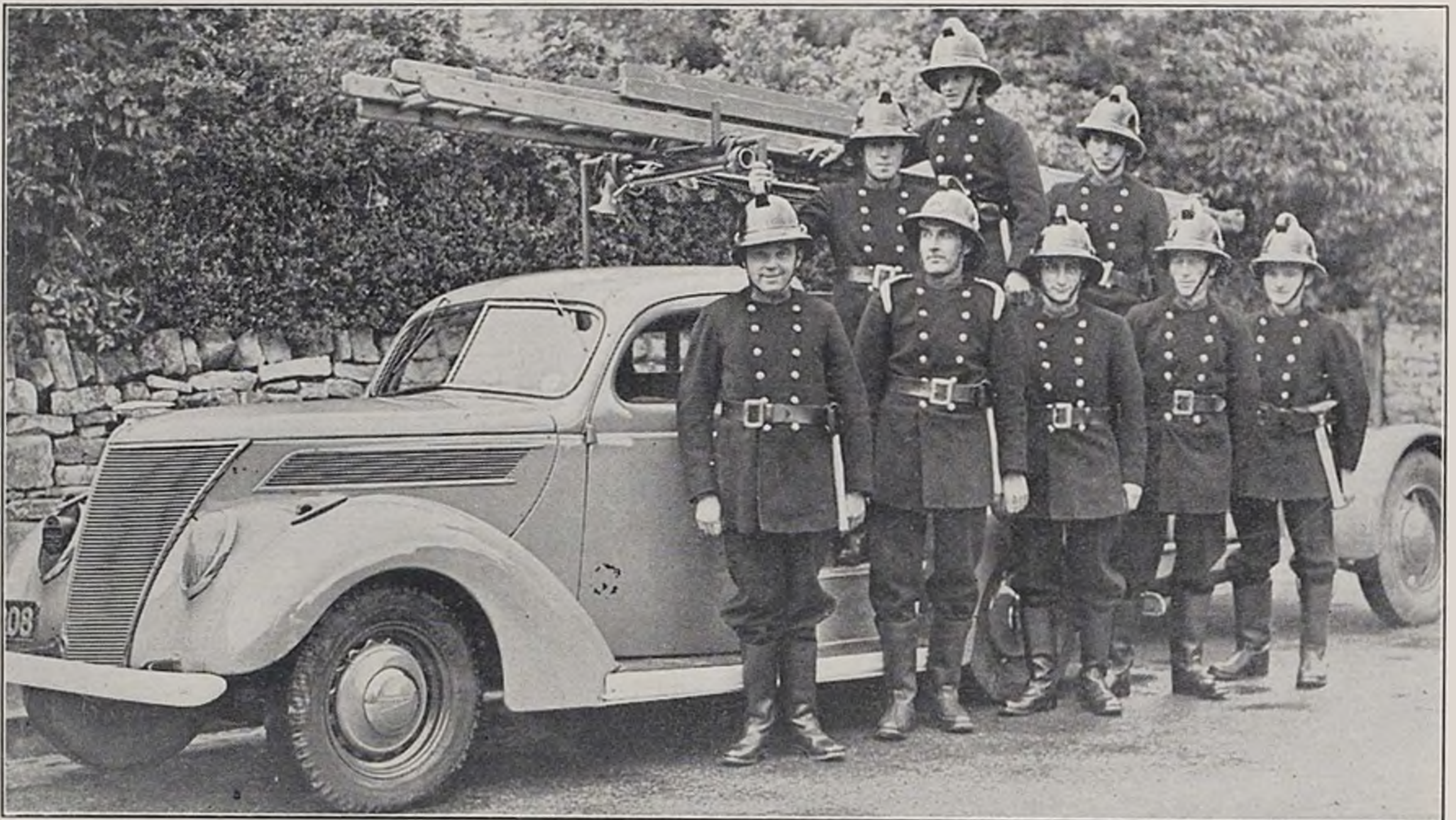
PRIVATE LESLIE SKELTON, Royal Marines, who was previously reported missing, and is now known to have been taken prisoner in Crete and is interned in Germany. He was well known in Cheltenham as an exhibition dancer



ARMY OFFICER MARRIED AT LECKHAMPTON

The bridal party at Leckhampton Parish Church on Saturday after the wedding of Lieut. Quartermaster M. E. S. Tweed, youngest son of Mr. M. Tweed, of Southampton, and the late Mrs. Tweed, to Miss E. F. Collis, of Mickleton Cottage, Pilford-road, Cheltenham, youngest daughter of Mrs. M. J. Collis, of East Acton, London, and the late Mr. W. J. Collis.

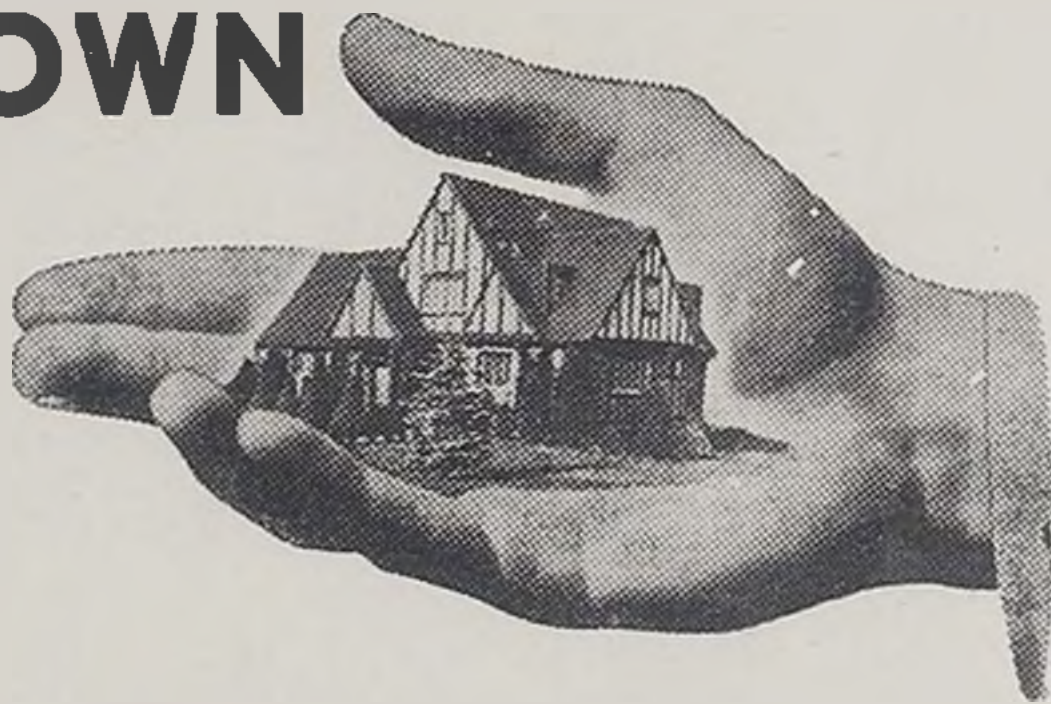
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"THE MUMMY'S HAND" (A)

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MISCHA AUER, NAN GREY

2.40 5.12 7.44

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MONDAY, AUG. 18th, WEEK:
The Undernoted Two Super
Films are in One Programme:

LESLIE HOWARD
and BETTE DAVIS in

"IT'S LOVE I'M AFTER"

JUST GRAND COMEDY

2.15 5.30 8.40

"CALL IT A DAY"

OLIVIA DE HAVILAND

and ROLAND YOUNG

in Dodie Smith's Greatest Play
3.45 7 p.m.



LORD WOOLTON STAMPS AN EGG

Lord Woolton, the Minister of Food, stamps an egg for the Mayor (Mr. John Howell) during his visit to the Cheltenham egg-grading and packing station, on Saturday. On extreme left is Mr. T. G. Underhill (manager).

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PRESIDENT OF BOARD OF EDUCATION AT WHADDON

The new Senior School at Whaddon was formally opened on Tuesday by Ald. C. H. Margrett, chairman of the Cheltenham Education Committee. The principal guest and speaker was Mr. R. A. Butler, President of the Board of Education. 1. At the opening ceremony. In centre, marked "X," is Mr. Butler. 2. Ald. C. H. Margrett (in centre) meets Mr. Butler. On left is Dr. G. R. Sutherland (H.M.I.) 3. Boys admire the fine gymnasium. 4 and 6. Whaddon school-children see the guests arrive. 5 In the domestic science room. Left to right, The Mayoress, Mr. Butler, Ald. Clara Winterbotham, and Mrs. E. L. Ward.

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WEDDING OF CHELTENHAM DANCE BAND LEADER

The bridal party leaving Prestbury Parish Church on Saturday, after the wedding of Staff Sergeant George Maisey, R.A.M.C., son of the late Mr. and Mrs. E. Maisey, of Charlton Kings, to Miss Cecily Cornell, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Cornell, of 1, Oakland-avenue, Prestbury-road, Cheltenham. Before joining the R.A.M.C., Mr. Maisey was a popular dance-band leader, and is well known in Cheltenham and district.



NORTH COTSWOLD PONY CLUB GYMKHANA AT BROADWAY.

The North Cotswold Pony Club's annual gymkhana took place at Springfield Farm, Broadway, last week, and was a great success. The events attracted a record entry of nearly 300.

1. A fine jump by Ann Archdale, in the jumping competition. 2.—General W. N. Herbert (judge) ties a rosette on Lynda Goldsmith's winning pony in the riding class competition. On left are Mrs. M. Milvain (secretary of the Cotswold Hunt Pony Club) and Captain E. A. Eason (judge). 3 and 6.—Spectators. 4. Diana Newman and John Goldsmith have plenty to look after with ponies, bridles, and saddles. 5. A competitor in the potato race. 7. Mrs. H. P. Rushton with her two daughters, Diana and Patricia. 8. Mrs. Ingham Staight ties an armlet on her little daughter, Gloria, while her son, Barry, holds the pony.

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MINISTER OF FOOD VISITS CHELTEMHAM

Lord Woolton, the Minister of Food, visiting Cheltenham on Saturday, discussed topical problems with the Mayor and the local Food Committee, and afterwards inspected the Cheltenham egg-grading and packing station.

1.—Lord Woolton chats with Mr. F. R. Jefford, the local Food Executive Officer, and other officials. On extreme left is Captain J. H. Trye; and on right are Mr. D. L. Lipson, M.P., and the Mayor (Mr. John Howell). 2.—Lord Woolton inspects some of the produce at the market. 3.—Mr. T. G. Underhill, who manages the egg-grading station, being introduced to Lord Woolton by the Mayor. 4.—Walking to the Food Office; Lord Woolton is accompanied by Mr. F. R. Jefford. On right is Mr. A. A. Sidney Villar. 5.—With local officials, Lord Woolton watches the working of the egg-grader.



" IN SUMMERTIME ON BREDON "

Members of the Overbury Women's Institute substituted a picnic on Bredon Hill for their usual summer outing this year, in order to save petrol, and their president (Mrs. Holland-Martin) invited them to hold it in the grounds of Overbury Court, which run up the slopes of the Hill. She also lent a huge dray with a pair of fine shire horses from the estate to transport the party to the chosen picnic site.

1.—Starting up the hill from Overbury Court. Overbury Church in background.
2.—The picnic party on the camping ground. The two fine shire horses, with their dray, are in the background.

3.—The merry party ready to be off.
4.—The view from Bredon, with the picnic party in the foreground.



GRACIE FIELDS VISITS WEST COUNTRY AIRCRAFT FACTORY

Gracie Fields, recently returned to this country after her visit to the United States, sang at two canteen concerts at a West Country aircraft factory last week. Thousands of workers attended the concerts.

- 1. "Gracie" singing one of her comedy numbers.
- 2. One of the audiences.

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OPERETTA BY CHURCHDOWN PLAYERS

A large audience thoroughly enjoyed an operetta, "Zurika, The Gipsy Maid," performed at the Methodist Church Hall, Churchdown, last week. The whole programme was presented by the Churchdown Players, Mrs. Spencer and the Rev. A. Fuest being responsible for the production.

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MARRIED AT ST. PAUL'S

The bridal party leaving St. Paul's Church, Cheltenham, on Saturday, after the wedding of Mr. Frank A. Welch, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Welch of Stanley House, Larput-place, Cheltenham, to Miss R. Bullock, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Bullock, of 15, Savernake-road, Gloucester.



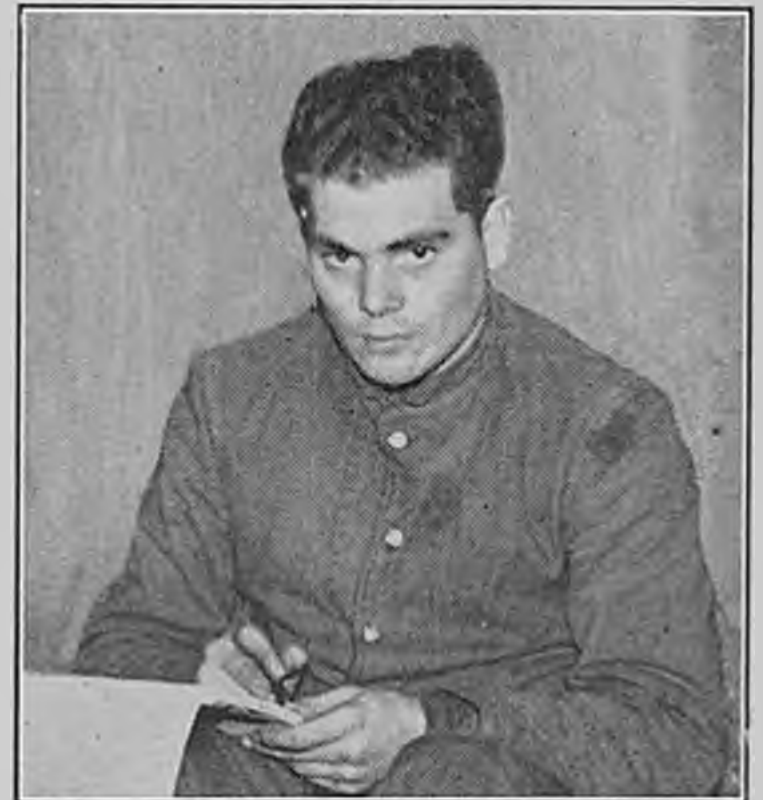
SIGNALLER KENNETH H. C. PARSONS, of the Royal Navy, who is reported to be a prisoner-of-war in German hands. He is the son of Mr. H. W. and the late Mrs. Parsons, of Osborne Cottage, Tewkesbury, and was for a number of years a popular member of the Tewkesbury Town Football Club. In September last he married Miss Florence Louisa Hill, of Bredon.



CHELTENHAM MAN MARRIED AT COLERNE, WILTSHIRE.

Leaving Colerne Church, Wiltshire, on Saturday, after the wedding of Mr. Walter J. Ames, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Ames, of 65, Upper Park-street, Cheltenham, to Miss Joan R. Cole, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Cole, of 3a, Parkfields, Chippenham, Wilts.

Photograph by "Bath Chronicle and Herald"



PRIVATE CAROL WINTERS, Gloucestershire Regiment, who had been missing since the retreat from Dunkirk, and has now been officially reported killed in action. He was 20 years of age, and the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Winters, of 10, Fairhaven Cottages, Fairhaven-street, Cheltenham.



WIFE OF MINISTER OF HEALTH AT CHELTENHAM

Mrs. Ernest Brown, wife of the Minister of Health, addressed the Gloucestershire Federation of Brotherhoods and Sisterhoods at Salem Chapel, Cheltenham, last week. Above are, left to right, Miss M. Thomson (Sisterhoods' president), Mrs. D. L. Lipson, Mrs. Ernest Brown, Mrs. M. Protheroe.

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1. A group of the mothers on the College steps.
2. Basking on the College lawns.
3. Two mothers enjoy a magazine joke.



GRAMMAR SCHOOL SWIMMING SPORTS

The Cheltenham Grammar School swimming sports attracted much interest at Alstone Baths last week.

1. P. Gray, J. Jones (2nd in championship), H. Holborow, (winner of championship race), P. Tredea, N. Gurry.
2. Some of the competitors.
3. Competitors in the Old Boys' race.
4. R. Alsop (1st in junior championship race), K. Goldsmith (2nd), B. F. Stock (3rd).

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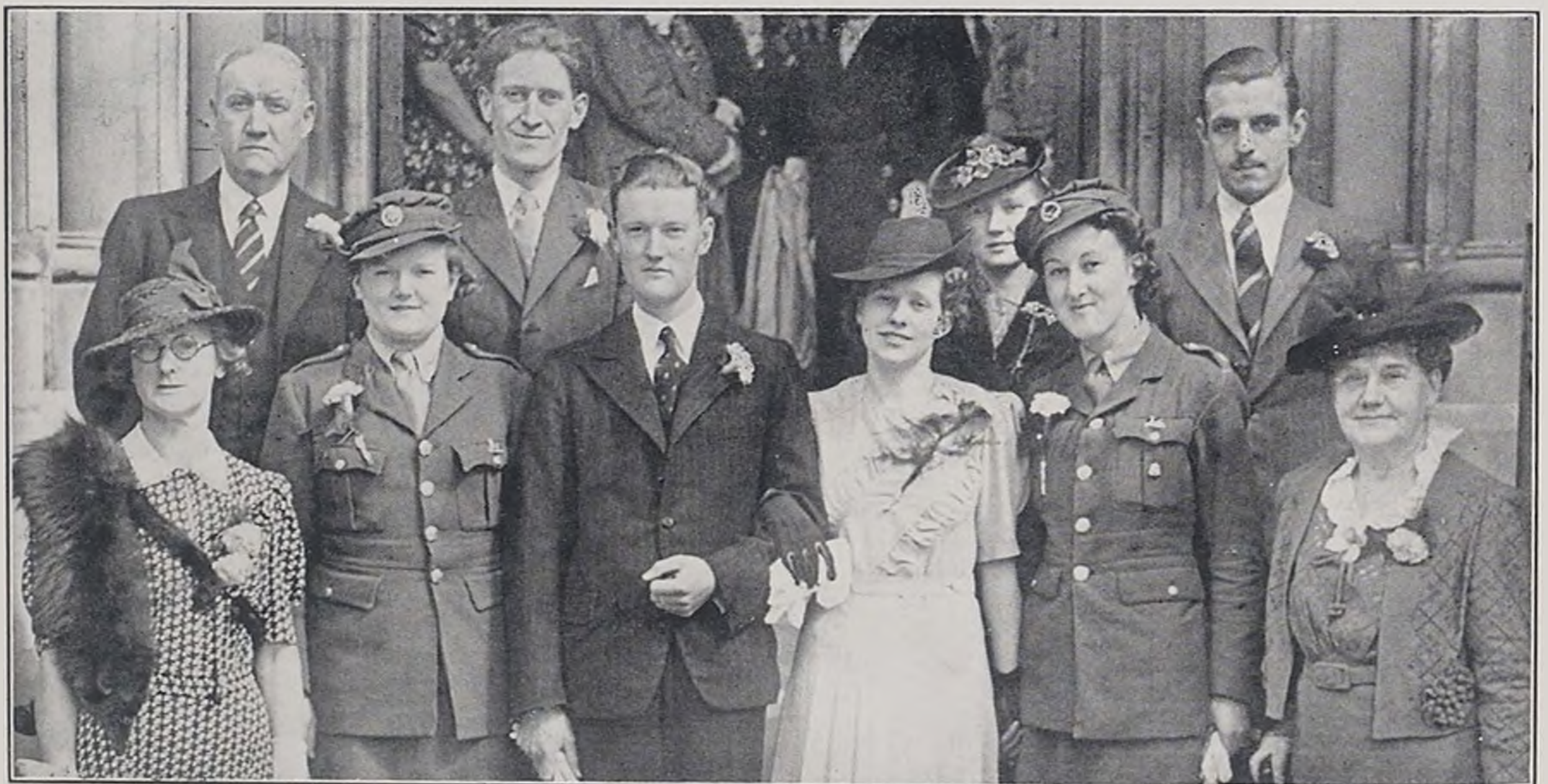
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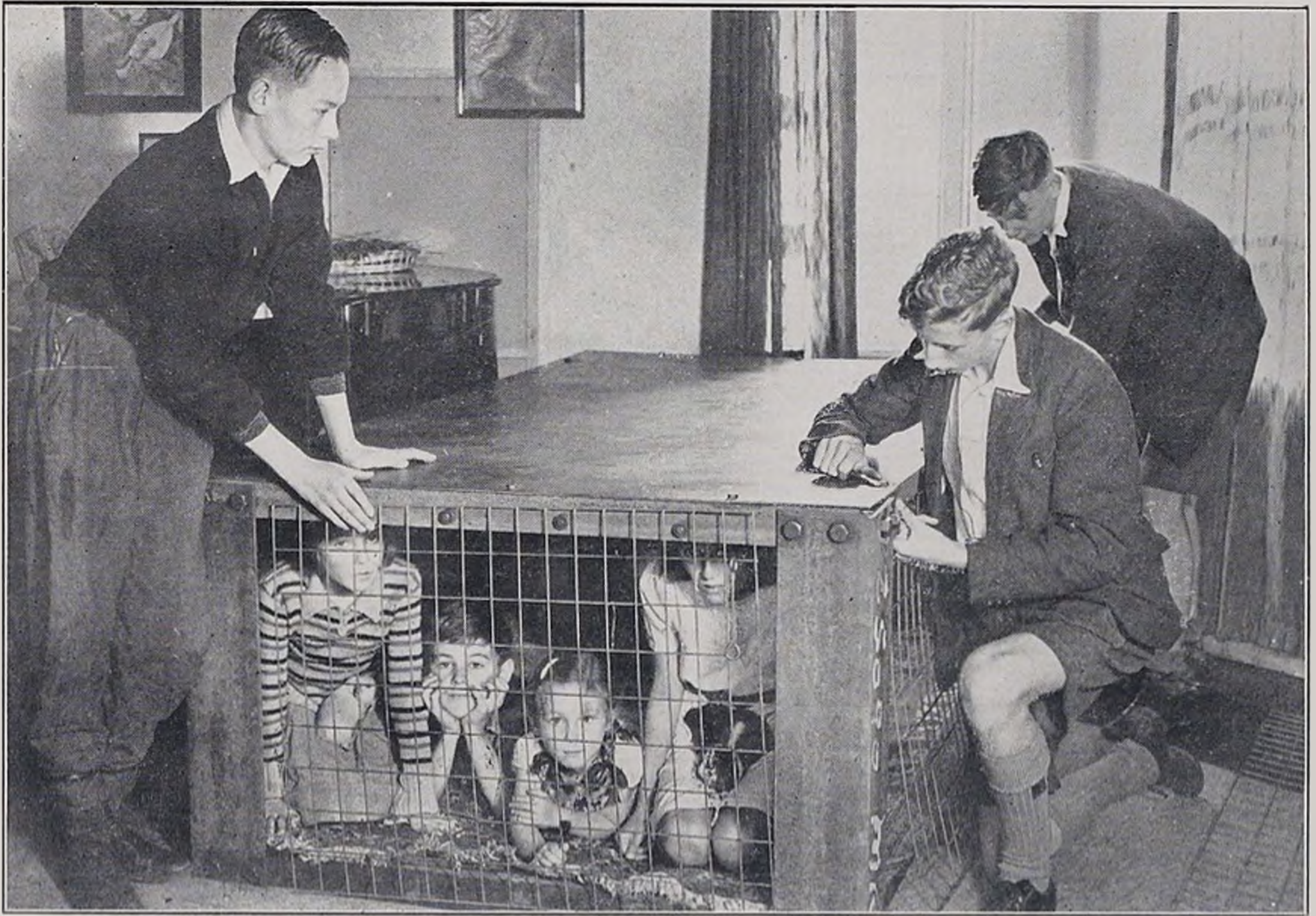
1.—Members of the Brockhampton section of the Home Guard, with Sergt. L. J. Thompson, of Westwood Farm, standing in centre. 2.—A.R.P. Mobile Squad and Home Guard members dealing with "casualties" after an exercise "fight." 3.—Taking up firing positions.



WEDDING AT SS. PHILIP AND JAMES'S CHURCH

The bridal party leaving SS. Philip and James's Church, Cheltenham, last week, after the wedding of Gunner Ronald R. Harding, only son of Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Harding, of 55, Gratton-road, to Miss Dorothy H. Clarke, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Clarke, of Rumburgh, near Halesworth, Suffolk.

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GRAMMAR SCHOOL BOYS PUT UP "MORRISON" SHELTERS IN CHELTENHAM

One of some hundreds of "Morrison" table-shelters which have now arrived and are being assembled in Cheltenham homes by the voluntary labour of Grammar School boys. It is being erected at the home of Councillor H. C. Grimwade at St. Mark's, and four of his children are inside enjoying the fun.

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V.P. AIRSCREWS CRICKET TEAM. Standing, left to right: E. Grimster, E. Dean, W. Simmons, J. Pritchard, E. Townsend, G. Pardoe, G. Hawker. In front: A. L. Challis, L. T. Aldridge (captain), W. Bishop (hon. secretary).



GUNNER ALBERT G. HUGHES,

of the Royal Artillery, whose parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Hughes, of Stanway, have received a postcard from their son stating that he has been taken prisoner.

WEDDING, Etc., PHOTOGRAPHS

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HARVEST-TIME IN GLOUCESTERSHIRE

Harvesting a splendid crop of oats, a contribution to the nation's war larder, on Mr. G. Smith's farm at Walton Hill, Tewkesbury.

- 1.—A team of three horses with a binder cutting the oats.
- 2.—Stooking the sheaves.

- 3.—Enjoying a snack after the cutting is done.
- 4.—A little girl carries a rabbit as she strokes one of the horses.

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OPENING CONVALESCENT HOME AT BROCKHAMPTON

Viscount Bledisloe, President of the Gloucestershire St. John Ambulance Brigade, on Friday opened the county's sixth convalescent home, at Brockhampton Park, the beautiful Cotswold home of Major and Mrs. Stephen Mitchell.

1. Officials and guests present at the opening. Left to right: Lady Cripps, Miss C. D. Allen, O.B.E., Col. J. L. Sleeman, Miss D. Faber, Mr. H. J. Lewis, Mrs. Stephen Mitchell (Commandant), Viscount Bledisloe, Hon. Mrs. Talbot-Rice, Lady Bledisloe, Miss E. Ansell (Matron), Mr. W. S. Morrison, M.P., Mrs. Morrison, Miss K. Jones, R.R.C. (Matron-in-Chief of War Office), Major Stephen Mitchell. 2. - The Commandant (Mrs. S. Mitchell) and the Matron, with the staff of nurses. 3. - The Secretary (Mrs. Hill-Rowe) showing Lady Bledisloe and Mrs. W. S. Morrison the beds. The Matron is on right.

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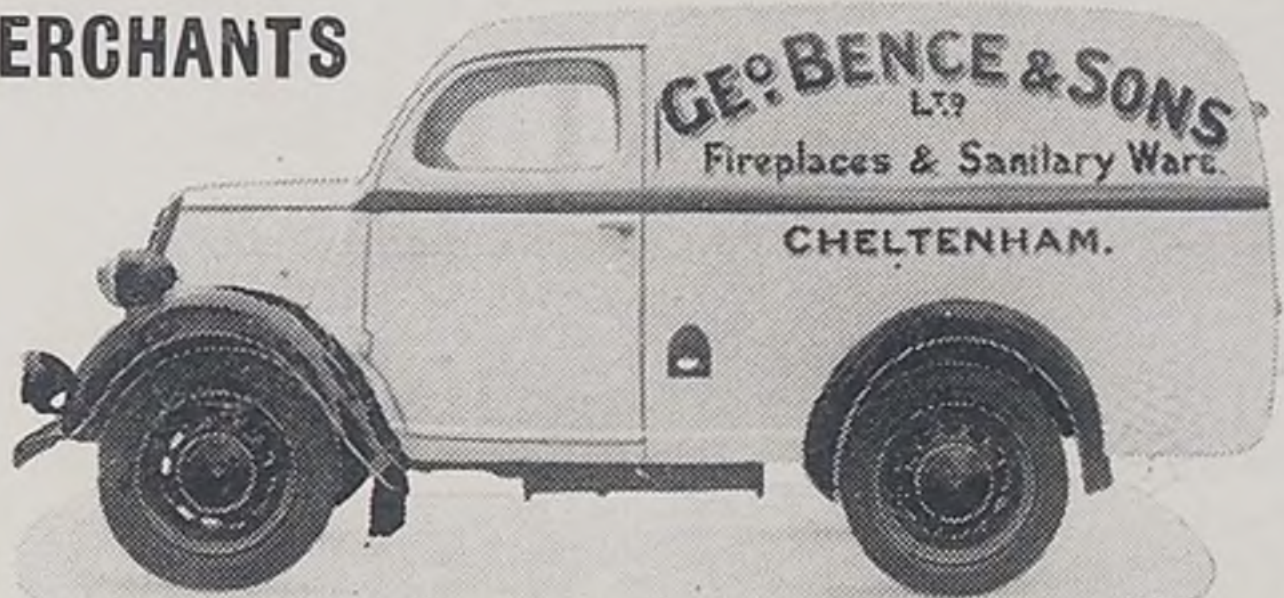
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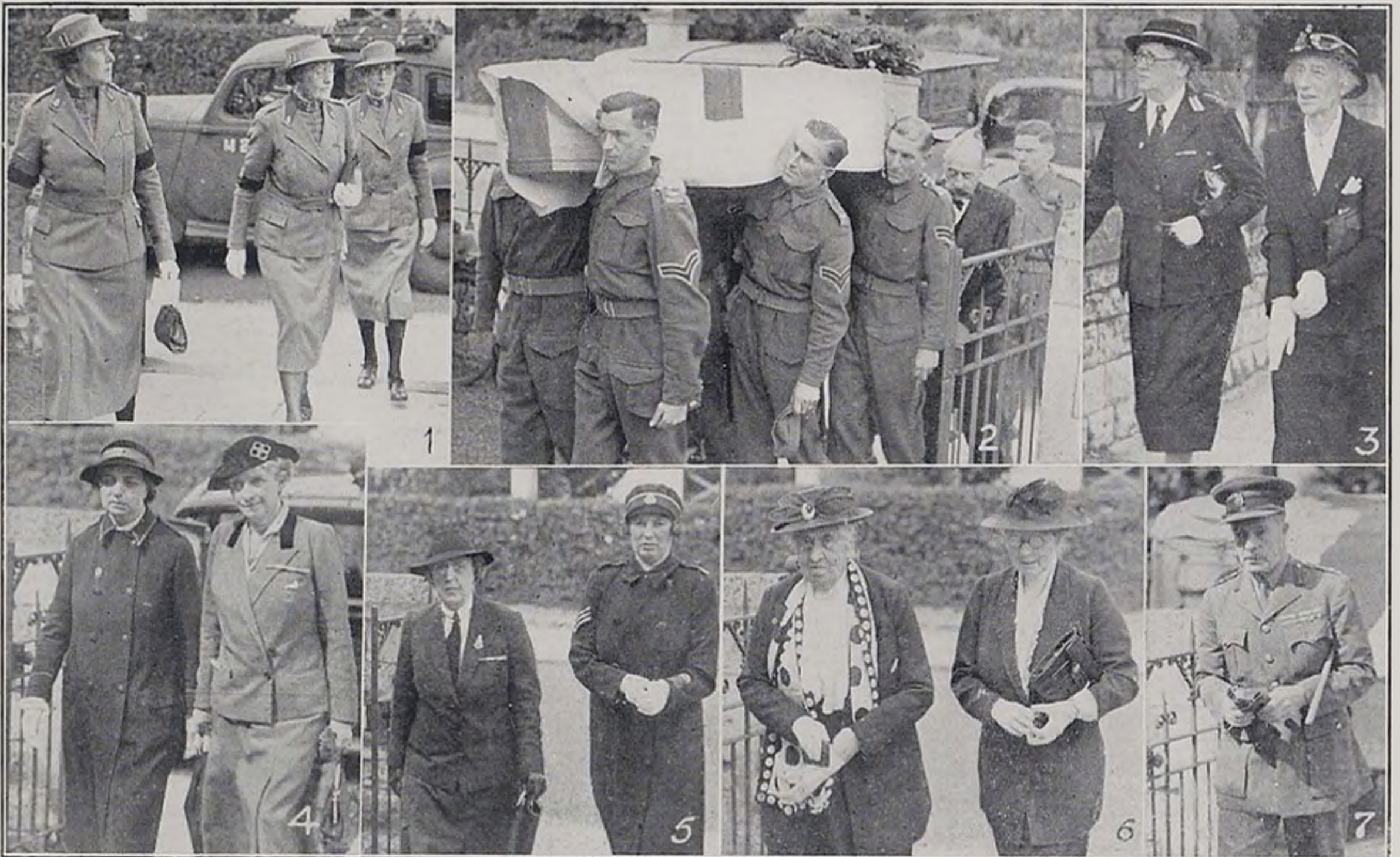
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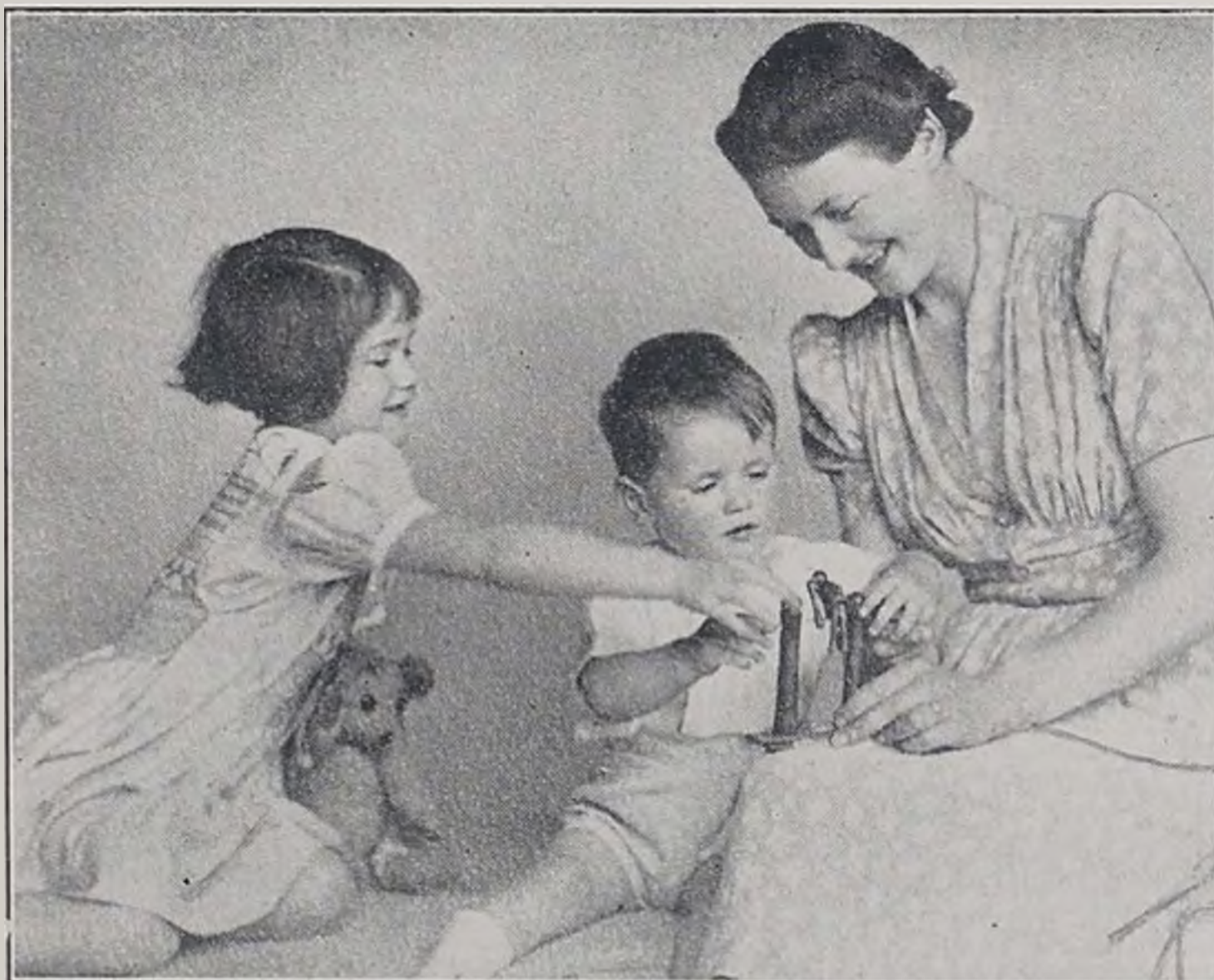


FUNERAL OF DAME SIDNEY BROWNE AT CHELTENHAM

Many distinguished personages in Army, medical, and nursing circles attended the funeral at St. Stephen's Church, Cheltenham, on Saturday, of Dame Sidney Browne, G.B.E., R.R.C. and Bar, who died in Cheltenham last week, aged 91.

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| 1. Miss K. H. Jones, R.R.C., Mrs. L. J. Wilkinson, R.R.C., and Miss G. C. Ball, R.R.C. | 5. Miss M. Wilson-Green and Miss Stevenson. |
| 2. Six Army corporals act as bearers. | 6. Miss Bagnall-Oakley and Miss Woodward. |
| 3. Miss Darbyshire and Mrs. G. Henry. | 7. Col. H. F. Humphreys, representing the Director-General of Army Medical Services. |
| 4. Nurse B. Rudge and Miss M. E. Briggs. | |

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THE MAYORESS OF CHELTENHAM WITH HER CHILDREN
The Mayoress of Cheltenham, Mrs. Stewart Billings, with her children, Bridget and Peter, who are shortly going to live with a friend, while their mother is serving with the A.T.S., which she is joining at the end of August.



MR. AND MRS. ERNEST HOLDEN,
of Colswold House, Cleeve Hill, Cheltenham, who celebrated their golden wedding on Sunday. They were married at the Baptist Tabernacle, Burton-on-Trent, on August 17, 1891. For the past three years Mr. Holden has been Pastor of Cleeve Hill Inter-denominational Church.



"ECHO" STAFF SHOWS ITS PRODUCE

Competitors and friends at the show of garden produce held by the members of the "Echo" staff on Sunday afternoon. The 82 exhibits were judged by Mr. D. Leuchars and Mr. H. Stanton, and the exhibits were afterwards presented to the General Hospital. Mr. E. R. Hill, fifth from left in No. 2, won the championship award.
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MARRIED AT LECKHAMPTON CHURCH

The bridal party at Leckhampton Parish Church after the wedding on Saturday of Pte. Edward Walker, South Lancashire Regiment, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Walker, of Cheadle, Cheshire, to Miss Sybil Lee, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. Lee, of 4, Brampton-terrace, Cheltenham.



L/CORPL. CLEM HAWKER, R.A.O.C., of 12, Milton-road, Cheltenham, whose mother, Mrs. E. Workman, has received a letter saying he is a prisoner of war. He is in the same camp with two more Cheltonians who came safely out of Dunkirk together.



STAFF SERGT. JOHN MAURICE BOWELL, R.A.O.C., son of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Bowell, of The Nurseries, Priors-road, Cheltenham, whose wife has received a letter stating he is a prisoner of war in German hands.



TWO CHELTONIAN PRISONERS
 Private Vincent Trapp (left), R.A.O.C., of 50, Eldon-road, Cheltenham, and Private E. H. Chamberlain, R.A.O.C., of 48, Naunton-lane, Cheltenham, prisoners of war in the same camp as L/Corpl. C. Hawker.

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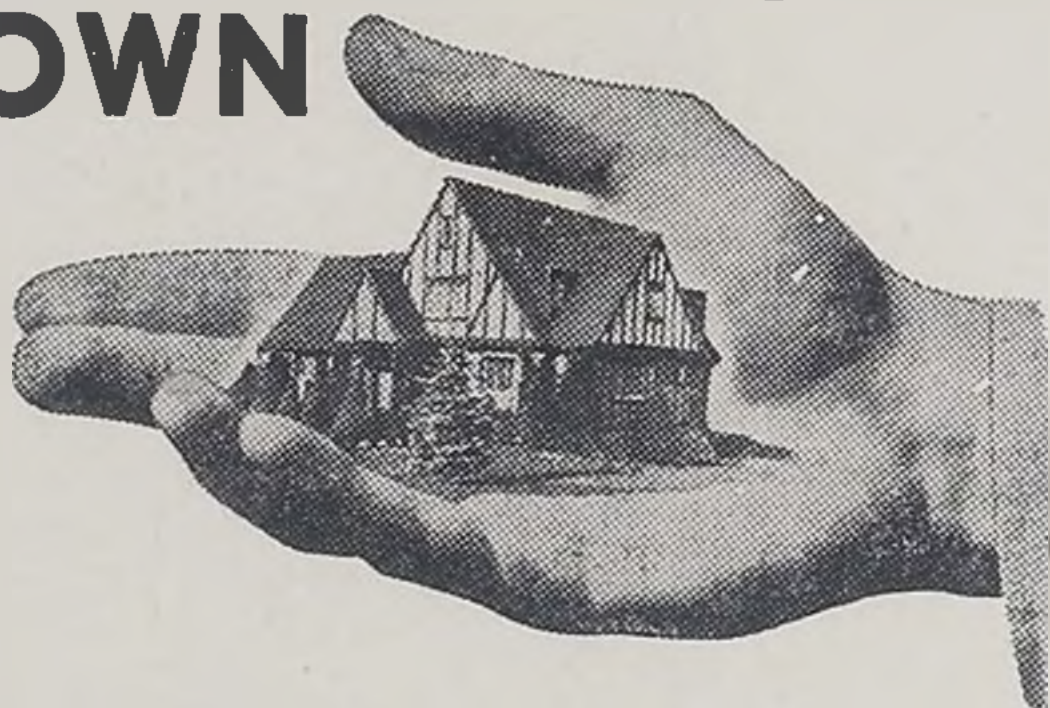


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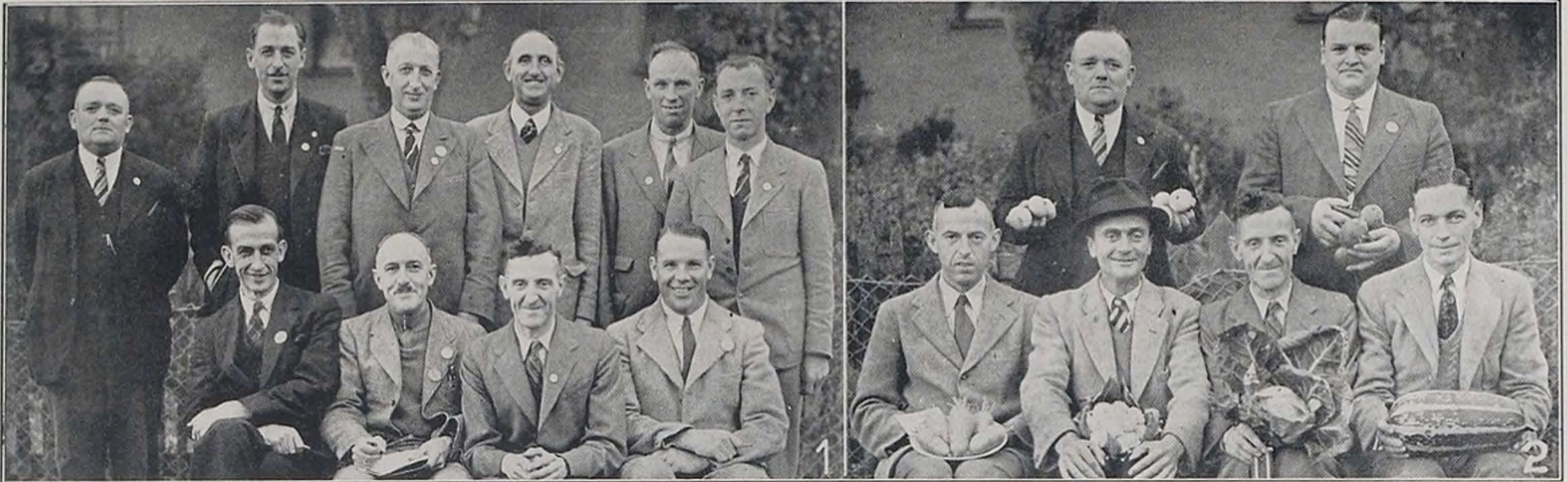
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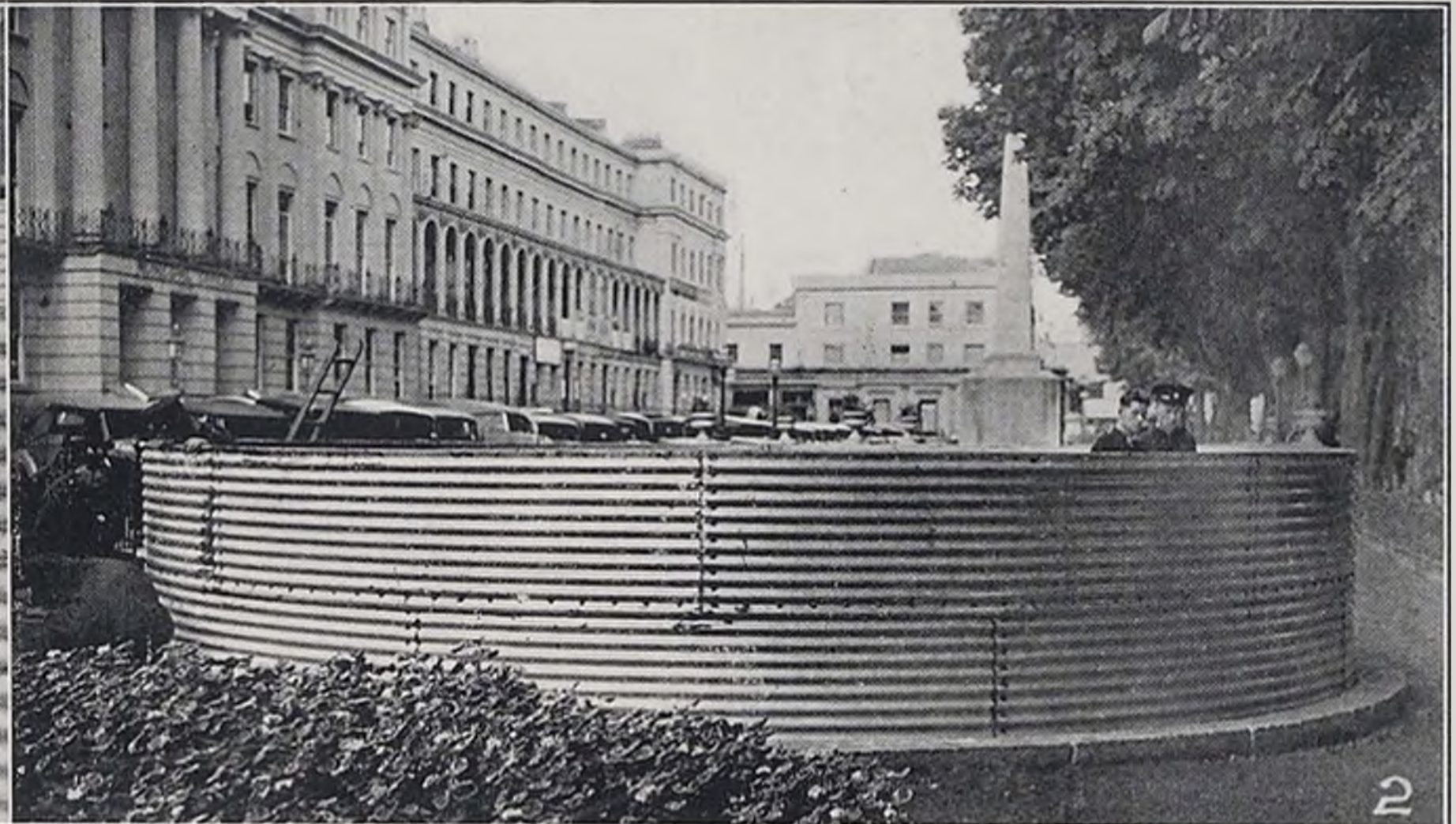
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POLICE SHOW GARDENING SKILL

Special Constables, War Reserves, and regular policemen of the Bath-road, Cheltenham, Station staged an attractive vegetable show of produce last week. The exhibits were judged by Mr. D. Leuchars (Parks Superintendent) and Special Constable W. J. Maylam.

1. The committee and judges. 2.—Prize-winners: Seated P.W.R. A. C. Barrett, P.C. L. G. Gwilliam (winner of "Gold" Medal), Sergt. H. R. Boucher (runner-up), P.C. H. C. Gribble. Standing: P.W.R. F. J. Wilkinson, S.C. P. R. Smith (all holding winning produce).



STATIC WATER IN PROMENADE GARDENS

One of the huge tanks, each containing 17,000 gallons of water, which have been erected in the centre of the Promenade Gardens, Cheltenham, for fire-fighting purposes. More tanks are being erected in other positions in the town. On the left firemen are seen plastering and caulking the tank.



MARRIED AT ST. PAUL'S CHURCH

The bridal party on the steps of St. Paul's Church, Cheltenham, after the wedding on Saturday of Mr. Edward J. Cull, only son of Mr. and Mrs. G. Cull, of 20, All Saints'-road, Cheltenham, to Miss Audrey J. Barnes, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Barnes, of Inglenook, 50, Whaddon-road, Cheltenham.

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CHELTENHAM ENTERTAINMENTS MANAGER'S SECRETARY MARRIED

The bridal party after the wedding on Saturday, at St. Paul's Church, Cheltenham, of A.C. James Cooke, R.A.F., son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Cooke, of Craven, Tewkesbury-road, Cheltenham, to Miss Ruby Pinning, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. Pinning, of 75, Marle Hill-road, Cheltenham. The bride is secretary to Mr. G. A. M. Wilkinson, the Cheltenham Entertainments Manager.

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NAVAL WEDDING AT ST. CATHARINE'S CHURCH, GLOUCESTER

The bridal party leaving St. Catharine's Church, Gloucester, on Saturday, after the wedding of Lieut. John Christopher Shuldham Shaw, R.N.V.R., son of the Rev. and Mrs. Gilbert Shaw, of Sinodun, Sotwell, Berks., to Miss Margaret Johnson Hayes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norman L. Hayes, of 63, Denmark-road, Gloucester, and granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. David Lewis, of Cheltenham.

1. The bridal party. 2. Left to right: Mrs. N. L. Hayes, Mrs. G. Shaw, Mr. N. L. Hayes.



R.A.F. WEDDING AT STAVERTON PARISH CHURCH

The bridal and family party at the reception at Hayden Farm after the wedding on Monday, at Staverton Parish Church, of A.C. Roy Hudson, R.A.F., son of Mrs. E. Hudson, of Stonehouse, and the late Mr. N. W. Hudson to Miss Florence Mary Tombs, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Tombs, of Hayden Farm, near Cheltenham

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BOURTON-ON-THE-WATER UNITED SERVICES CLUB'S NEW HUT OPENED

The official opening of the Bourton-on-the-Water United Services Club's new hut (under the auspices of the Y.M.C.A.) took place last week. It was formally opened by Mrs. Swainson, wife of the Y.M.C.A. Divisional Secretary, Mr. R. H. Swainson, O.B.E.

1. Mrs. M. B. Courtney (supervisor of the canteen) presenting a wallet, with cheque, to Sergt. W. E. Veness, for all the voluntary work he and L.A.C. Haynes had put in to get the canteen ready.
2. Squadron-Leader J. R. Jackson, R.A.F., Mrs. M. B. Courtney, and Dr. R. B. Stewart (chairman of the United Services Club).
3. Some of the spectators at opening ceremony.
4. The R.A.F. Band which played during the proceedings.
5. The committee and others in the platform party.
6. Flight-Lieut. Duffy winning 220 yards race at the sports meeting.
7. Start of the mile race, won easily by A.C. J. Neilson, the Scottish mile champion (2nd from left).



TEACHER-BRIDE AT SS. PHILIP AND JAMES'S CHURCH WEDDING

The bridal party leaving SS. Philip and James's Church, Cheltenham, on Saturday, after the wedding of Mr. John Brassington, only son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Brassington, of Hill Top, Breadsall, Derby, to Miss Marjorie P. G. Smith, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Smith, Ravenscot, Fairfield-parade, Leckhampton, Cheltenham. The bridegroom is on the staff of the L.M.S. at Derby, where the bride was a school-teacher.

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MARRIED AT CHRIST CHURCH

The bridal party after the wedding on Saturday at Christ Church, Cheltenham, of Mr. William R. Whitehead, eldest son of Mrs. A. Whitehead, of Cheam, Surrey, and the late Mr. R. Whitehead, to Miss Laura Sparrow, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. J. Sparrow, of Albion Gardens, Market-street, Cheltenham.

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MARRIED AT SS. PHILIP AND JAMES'S CHURCH

Leaving SS. Philip and James's Church, Cheltenham, on Saturday, after the wedding of Mr. George Harris, eldest son of Mr. W. Harris, of Kynaston, near Ross-on-Wye, and the late Mrs. Harris, to Miss Marjorie Tims, only child of Mr. and Mrs. W. Tims, of 43, Moorend-road, Cheltenham.

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DRIVER GEORGE HENRY DAVIES, R.A.S.C., son of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Davies, of 148, Brooklyn-road, Cheltenham, who was reported missing in Greece, and is now known to be a prisoner of war in Germany. He is 25, and was a conductor on the Bristol Tramways Company.

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CHELTENHAM PARISH CHURCH WEDDING

Outside Cheltenham Parish Church, on Saturday, after the wedding of Mr. Frederick G. Allen, only son of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Allen, of The Game Cock Inn, St. Margaret's-road, Cheltenham, to Miss Primilla B. Spencer, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Spencer, of The Old Pack Horse Inn, Burton-street, Cheltenham.

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CHELTENHAM R.A.F. CORPORAL MARRIED AT CIRENCESTER

The bridal party leaving Cirencester Congregational Church on Saturday after the wedding of Corpl. Norman F. O'Brien, R.A.F., only son of Mr. and Mrs. F. O'Brien, of 105, Brunswick-street, Cheltenham, to Miss Doris M. Jones, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jones, of Lewis-lane, Cirencester. The bridegroom is known in Cheltenham as a keen wireless experimenter.

Photograph by W. Dennis Moss Cirencester.



MRS. ANNIE ELIZABETH REYNOLDS, wife of Mr. J. W. Reynolds, 5, Orrisdale-terrace, Cheltenham, formerly of Winchcombe, who died on August 17. She was well known for much helpful work in the district. Her son, Squadron-Leader R. W. Reynolds, was recently awarded the D.F.C.



COMRADES IN ADVENTURE

Corpl. Charles Ernest King, R.A.S.C. (centre), of 7, Francis-street, Cheltenham, and Sergt. Albert Scrivens (left), of Courtney-street, Cheltenham, with a comrade. They joined the Army at the outbreak of war and have been together ever since. After being torpedoed by an enemy submarine at Crete they experienced many adventures, and finally reached the safety of Egypt.



DRIVER JACK CHEVALIER, R.A.S.C., son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Chevalier, of 30, Manser-street, Cheltenham, who have received news from him that he is a prisoner of war in Greece. He is 24, and was employed for several years by Messrs. C. Barnett and Sons, fishmongers, and afterwards worked for A. S. Bartholomew, Ltd., Cheltenham.



TROOPER WILLIAM L. NICHOLLS, of the Queen's Own Hussars, son of Mrs. Nicholls, of 16, Kew-place, Bath-road, Cheltenham, who was reported missing in the Middle East and is now stated to be a prisoner of war. Before joining the Hussars in 1938, he was an employee of Messrs. Dicks and Sons.

WEDDING, Etc., PHOTOGRAPHS

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