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Over 250 members sat down to a most enjoyable dinner at Boots Cafe, Cheltenham, last week, under the chairmanship of Ald. P. P. Taylor (president of the club). A fine spirit of good fellowship prevailed.

1.—The chairman (Ald. P. P. Taylor) seated in centre, with members of committee and others from top table. 2.—Some of the orchestra and artistes for the musical proceedings. 3 and 4.—Various members at dinner. 5.—A party from Colesborne at the dinner.

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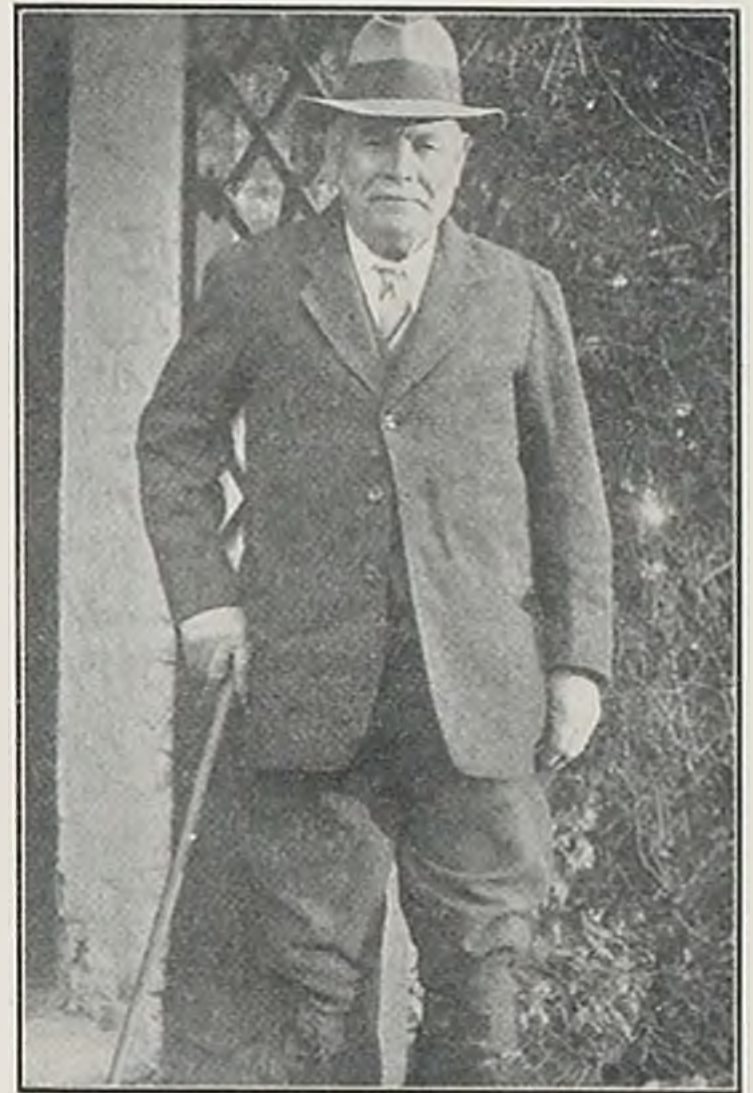
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**MR. CHARLES STAIT,**

late Colour-Sergeant of 1st Gloucester Regt., of Glanmire, Alstone-avenue, Cheltenham, who died on Saturday in his 89th year. He had a fine record of service, extending in all over 50 years. He enlisted in 1865 and served in Ireland, Gibraltar, Malta, Hong Kong, and Singapore, and completed more than 26 years with the Regt. He was then appointed Recruiting Officer in Cheltenham. He again joined up in 1914 at the age of 65.



**MR. GEO. J. BARTLETT.**

only son of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Bartlett, of 16 Clare-place, Cheltenham, who died in China last week. He was the first European victim of the smallpox outbreak there. He was 24 years of age, and was a mechanic employed by the Gloster Aircraft Co., Ltd., Brockworth. He was sent to China in October, working on the maintenance of aeroplanes supplied by the Company. He was married only six days before he went away and expected to come back to England in March.



**MISS JOAN CADDELL**

(19), of Cheltenham Ladies' College (St. Hilda's), and daughter of Mrs. Caddell, 25 Park-place, Cheltenham, who has been chosen for the second time to play for Ireland against England, Scotland and Wales at lacrosse.

**WEDDING, Etc., PHOTOGRAPHS**

If you require the attendance of the "Chronicle and Graphic" photographer at a wedding or any similar event, please give ample notice.





**IMPRESSIVE FUNERAL TRIBUTE TO THE LATE MR. S. B. RUSSELL AT CHIPPING CAMPDEN**

The respect and esteem held for the late Mr. Sydney Bolton Russell, of Tower Close, Snowhill, Broadway, were illustrated by the very large congregation at Chipping Campden Church on Saturday. All available room in the church was filled.

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|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1.—Mourners entering church.                                                                                                   | 5.—Mourners leaving the church.                        | 10.—In centre is Mrs. Milvain (Snowhill) and on right is Rev. T. W. Reynolds (Stanton). |
| 2.—The funeral procession from the church to churchyard. The bearers were all members of the staff from Broadway and Snowhill. | 6.—Mr. E. Carter (Broadway) and Mr. S. Byrd (Evesham). | 12.—Some members of the staff of the Lygon Arms and Russell workshops.                  |
| 3, 4, 9, 11.—Mourners entering church.                                                                                         | 7.—Family mourners.                                    |                                                                                         |
|                                                                                                                                | 8.—Lady Maud Bowes-Lyon (on right) with a friend.      |                                                                                         |





**ANDOVERSFORD SCHOLARS BROADCAST SINGING GAMES.**

On Thursday afternoon children from the council school at Andoversford gave a broadcast in the Children's Hour of Boys and Girls come out to play." It was the second of a series of singing games. The school was selected as a typical Cotswold school. The children come from Sipton Oliffe, Whittington, Andoversford and Dowdeswell, and Mr. T. E. B. Jones is headmaster.

- 1. "Old Roger," one of the songs given in the broadcast.
- 2.—"Here we come gathering nuts and may"—another of the games performed.
- 3.—Some of the younger children watching the seniors rehearse.





**A SCHOOL PLAY AT CIRENCESTER.**

The pupils of St. Michael's School, Cirencester, gave two performances on Thursday of a play based on Jane Austen's famous novel, "Pride and Prejudice." The company in play.

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**PRINCIPALS IN "PRIDE AND PREJUDICE"**

Six of the principals in the play produced by the pupils of St. Michael's School, Cirencester, from left: D. Dickson as Mr. Bingley; Mollie Cole as Miss Jane Bennett; L. Huth-Jackson as Mr. Darcy; G. Howell as Miss Elizabeth Bennett; B. Appleford as Miss Lydia Bennett; G. Elphick as Mr. Wickham.

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**MR. DICK NEWMAN,**

of Snowhill, Broadway, who died at his home on Tuesday. Had he lived he would have been 91 next Wednesday. A special meet of the North Cotswold Hunt was held at Snowhill to celebrate his 90th birthday.

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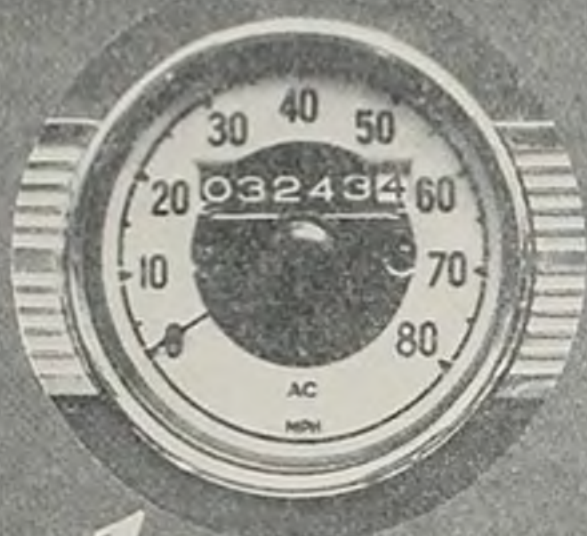
An entertainment, organised jointly by Miss Walton, Ashchurch schoolmistress, and Miss Napier Sharpe, in aid of Ashchurch Church funds, was given in the Village Hall on Tuesday, and provided considerable enjoyment. Three plays were given by the day and Sunday school children.

1.—"The Old Woman who lived in a Shoe," by the Tiny Tots.  
 2.—Royden Lane, the Emperor, in "The Princess and the Swineherd."

3.—Pamela Dudfield, the Princess, in "The Princess and the Swineherd."  
 4.—"Horseplay," an amusing play by the boys.

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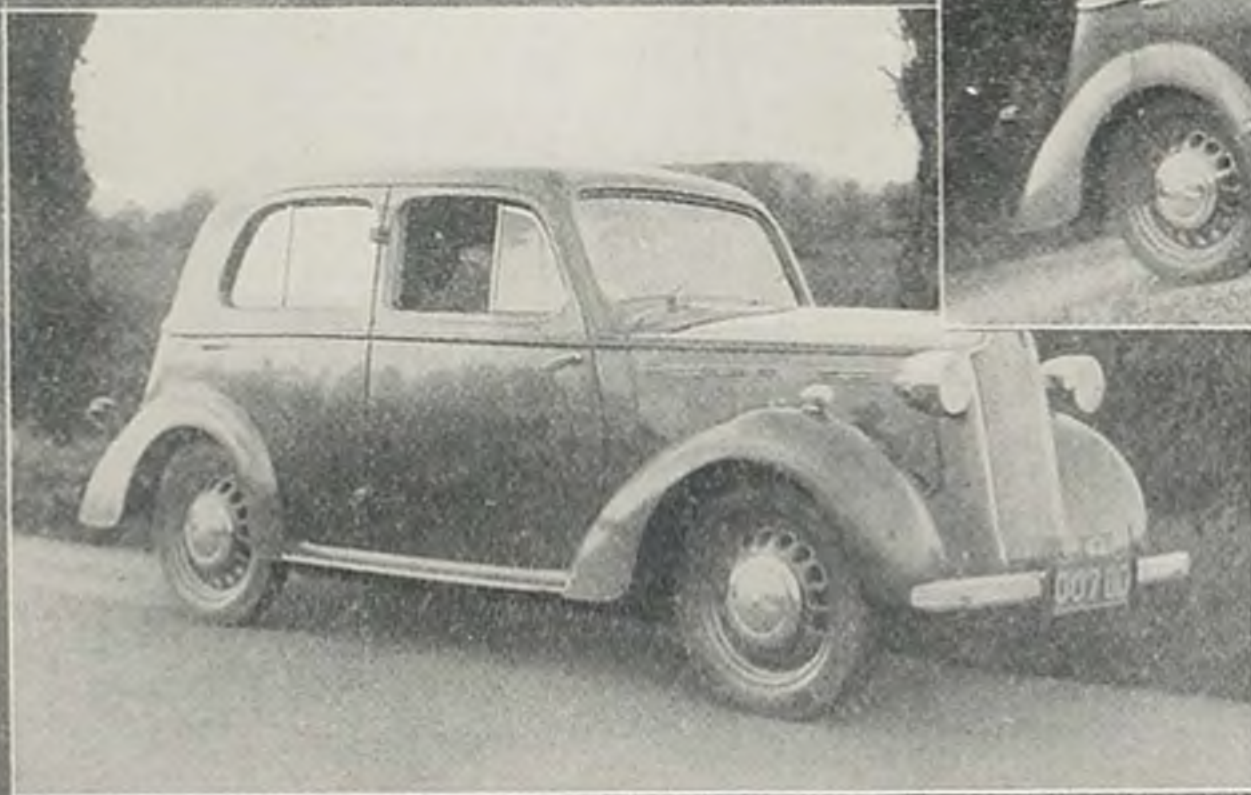
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**CHELTENHAM ASSOCIATION OF NATIONAL UNION OF TEACHERS**

The annual dinner and dance of the above association was held on Friday at the Cadena Corner House, Cheltenham, and was a most successful function. The president, Mr. H. R. Hart, was in the chair and was supported by the Mayor and Mayoress of Cheltenham (Ald. J. H. and Mrs. Trye), Mr. D. L. Lipson, M.P. and Mrs. Lipson, Ald. C. H. Margrett, chairman of the Education Committee, and many others. Some 90 guests were present.

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**F. J. FOICE'S ANNUAL STAFF PARTY AND DANCE**

The annual party in connection with Messrs. F. J. Foice and Co.'s staff was held at the Belle Vue Hotel on Tuesday evening. A section of the party.

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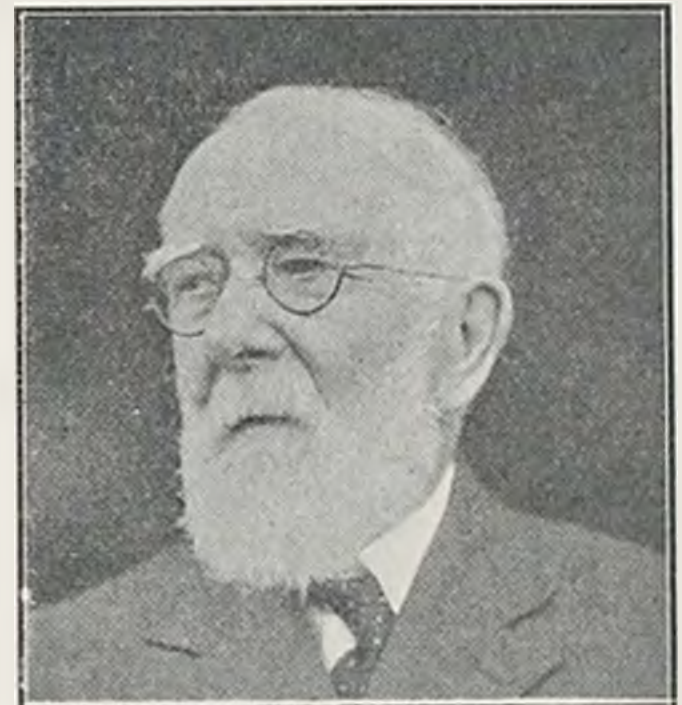
**NEW MEMORIAL WINDOW AT TURKDEAN CHURCH**

A beautiful large three light window about 8 feet high has recently been placed on the south side of Turkdean Church, near Northleach, by Mr. W. A. Rixon, of Turkdean Manor, in memory of his late wife, Lady J. M. Bolton. It was designed by Mr. A. Payne, R.W.S., of St. Lois, Amberley, and incorporates portraits of Mr. Rixon and his wife. It is hoped to dedicate it shortly.

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**REV. PETER THOMAS.**  
now of St. Paul's Church, Clacton-on-Sea, who has been appointed curate of St. Paul's, Cheltenham, in succession to Rev. S. W. Betts, who is sailing for Palestine. Mr. Thomas takes up his duties on March 1.



**MR. EDWARD SAUNDERS**  
of Providence Cottage, Andover-road, Cheltenham, who died on Feb. 1, aged 95 years. He was a well-known builder.



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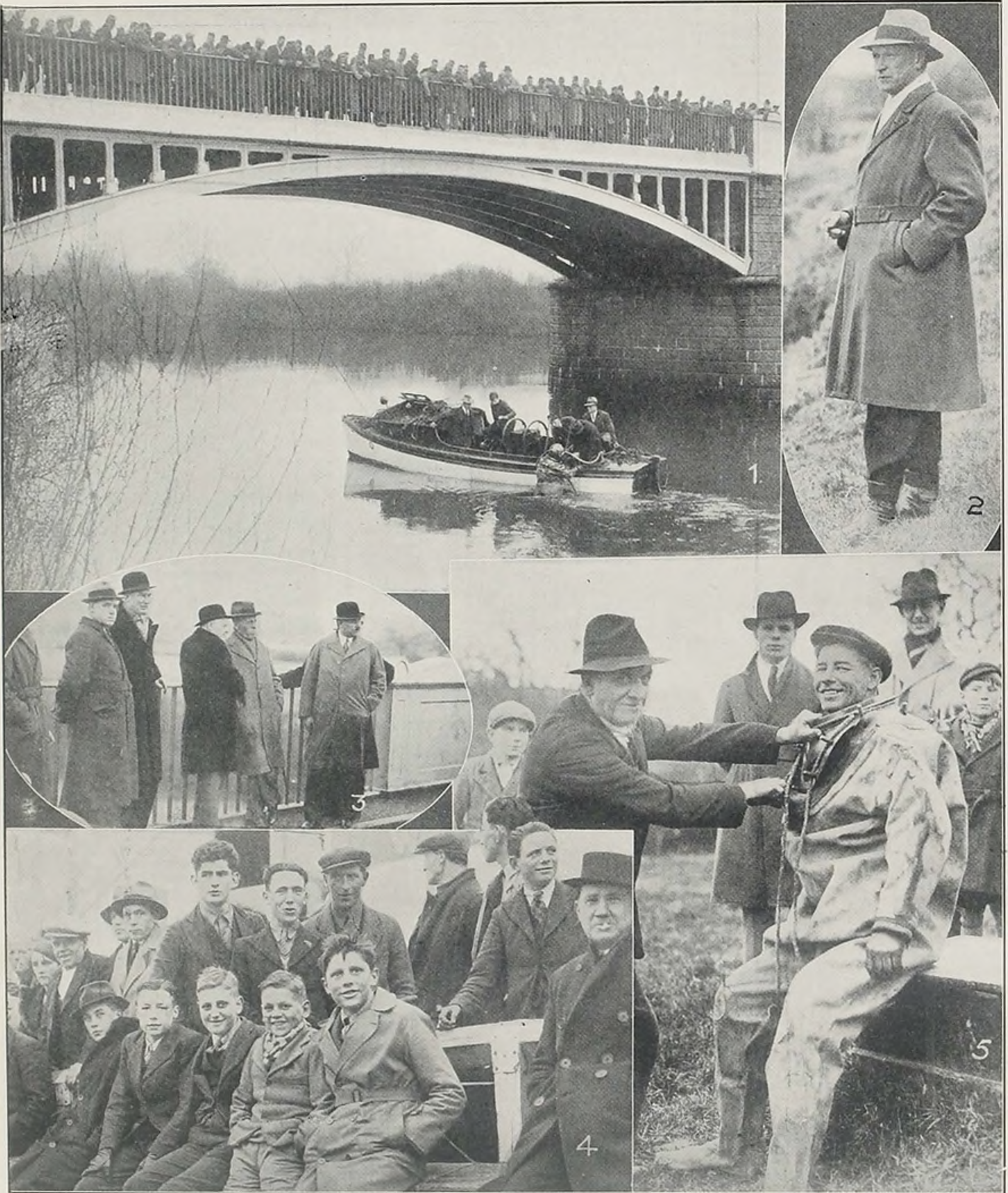
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**MR. FRANK E. STEEL**  
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**THE CHELTENHAM AND HAW BRIDGE MYSTERY**

Enormous interest has been aroused throughout the country in the investigations following the discovery of a man's body (without head, arms or legs) in the nets of salmon fishermen about a mile below Haw Bridge.

- 1.—A diver just descending into the river, immediately below the bridge, on Sunday morning. A large crowd lined the railings keenly intent on his work.
- 2.—P.C. T. Knight, of Corse, the local policeman, who was first called in when blood was found on the bridge railings and who is in charge of the diving and dragging operations.
- 3.—From left are R.C. Williams, Detective Inspector Hancock, Chief Detective Inspector Worth (Scotland Yard), D.C.C. Goulter and Det.-Sergt. P. B. G. Franklin.
- 4.—Some of the Sunday morning crowd at Haw Bridge.
- 5.—The diver, Mr. Joseph Lane, of Gloucester, having his suit adjusted before going aboard the launch.





**THE CHELTENHAM AND HAW BRIDGE MYSTERY**

Since finding the body Gloucestershire police, under the direction of Chief Detective Inspector Worth, of Scotland Yard, have by dragging recovered the two legs and one arm from the bottom of the Severn near Haw Bridge.

6. 7 and 11.—Sections of the large crowd at Haw Bridge on Sunday morning watching the diving and dragging operations.

8.—Det.-Sergt. Shewry, of Scotland Yard, D.C.C. Goulder (Cheltenham), Chief Detective Inspector Worth (Scotland Yard), and Det.-Sergt. P. G. B. Franklin (Gloucester) inspecting Haw Bridge.

9.—Messrs. Bevan, Church and Dudfield, the three salmon fishermen who found the body in their nets, and who were employed in dragging the river for the other portions of the body.

10.—The diver, on right, just emerging from the river; the two men in centre are working the air pump.





**CHELTENHAM RUGBY SUPPORTERS' CLUB ANNUAL DINNER**

The fifth annual dinner of the above club was held at Brunner's new cafe on Monday evening. About 125 attended, and the dinner was the most successful yet held by the club. The president of the club, Councillor Harold Avery, was in the chair and was supported by the Mayor and Mayoress of Cheltenham, the Member of Parliament and his wife (Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Lipson), and by a large number of prominent sportsmen of the town.

1. A general view of the dining room.

2 and 3. Sections of the merry party present.

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**CHELTENHAM MOTOR CLUB ANNUAL BALL**

The eleventh annual Motorists' Ball at Cheltenham Town Hall on Friday night was again a great social success. Over 500 were present and it is hoped the Cheltenham General Hospital will benefit by a good sum from the proceeds.

1.—The chairman of club (Mr. S. A. Such) with the hon. secretary and committee. 2.—Some of the guests. Two ladies took seats on motor-cycles which decorated the entrance hall.

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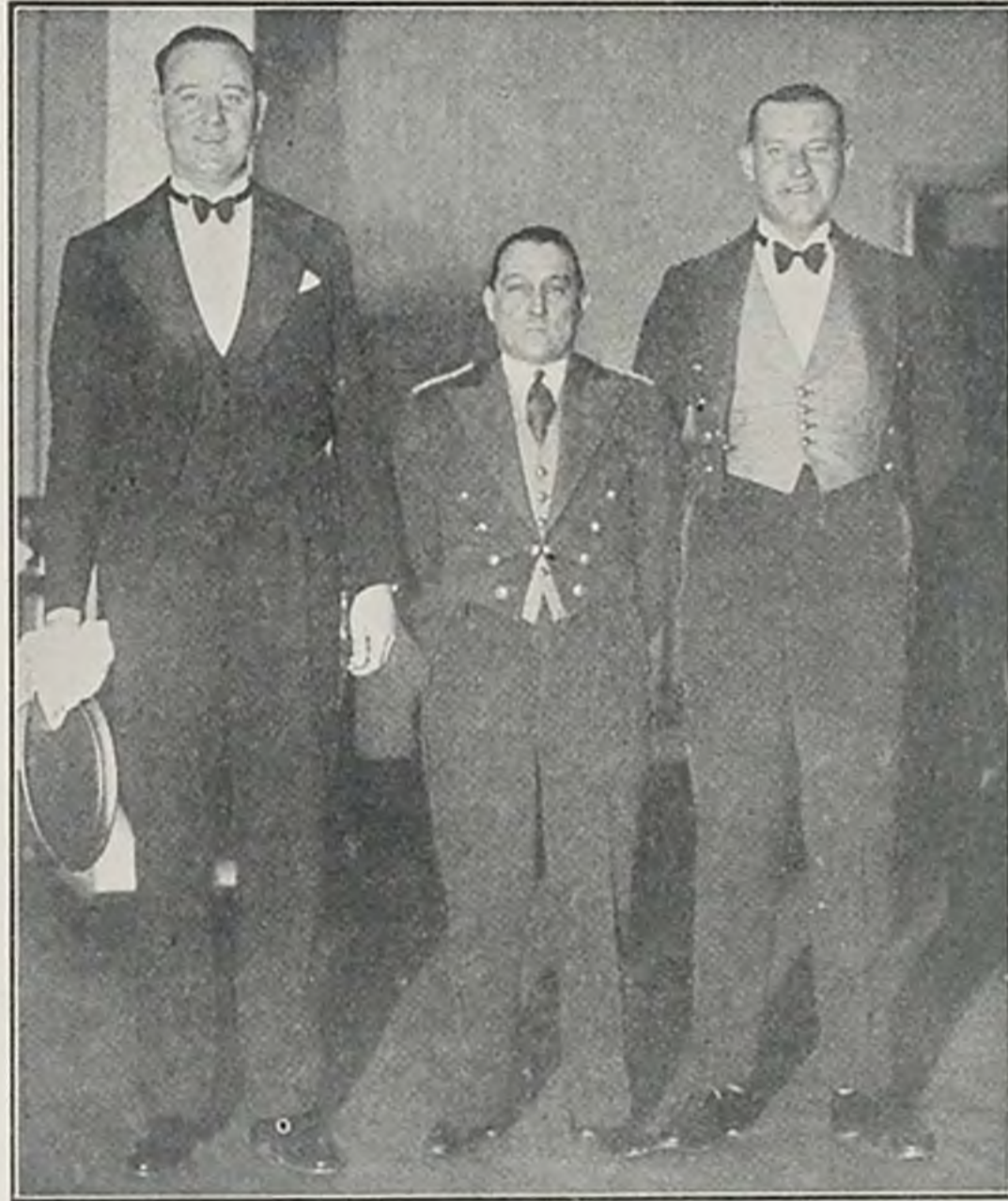
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**HOCKEY CLUB DANCE AT PLOUGH HOTEL, CHELTENHAM.**

The Wrightonians' Hockey Club, Cheltenham, held a very jolly carnival dance at the Plough Hotel, Cheltenham, on Friday, at which about 120 revellers from all parts of the county were present.

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**CHELTENHAM ROTARIANS' ANNUAL BANQUET AT CHELTENHAM TOWN HALL.**

The annual banquet and dance of the Cheltenham Rotarian Society was held at the Town Hall last week, and was again a most successful and enjoyable affair. 1, 2 and 3. -Snaps at various tables. 4. The President's table on the platform, at which the principal guests were entertained.





**AMATEUR STAFF NIGHT AT BELLE VUE HOTEL.**

A number of prominent local sportsmen assisted in a novel function at the Belle Vue Hotel, Cheltenham, last week, in aid of the Cheltenham Hospital special appeal. At a dinner, dance and cabaret, they acted as waiters, porters, barmen, etc., and the evening proved a great success financially and socially.

- 1.—The gallant band of waiters, led by Mr. G. M. Rainbird (head waiter). From left are Messrs. N. Goddard, D. M. Hughes, C. Jessop, W. Brown, P. Crinks, R. Millican, D. G. Howell, J. Watson, E. Waite, W. Bruford, J. Headlam, R. S. B. Tucker, W. Shorter, G. M. Rainbird.
- 2 and 3.—Dinner tables served by amateur waiters.

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**ANDOVERSFORD ANNUAL STOCK SHOW AND SALE**

There was a splendid attendance of buyers at this annual sale on Friday at Andoversford.

- 1.—Hon. S. Vestey won 1st, 2nd and 3rd prizes for best heifer in show. The three winners.
- 2.—Local ladies sold catalogues in aid of the show funds.
- 3.—Mr. John Scantlebury and Miss Pullen.
- 4.—Local schoolchildren were much interested in the calves.
- 5.—The certifying authority for grading, from left: Ted Buckingham (marker), Mr. W. Pritchard (recorder), Mr. Warner (inspector, Livestock Commission), Mr. C. Waltham (butchers' grader), Mr. J. H. Clifford (farmers' grader).
- 6.—Mr. W. B. Fletcher about to start sale of sheep with a large number of buyers present.
- 7.—Mr. W. B. Fletcher (auctioneer) extreme left, with farmers.
- 8.—Interested in the pigs.





**THE CHELTENHAM AND HAW BRIDGE MYSTERY.**

Great interest is still being taken throughout the country in the Cheltenham and Haw Bridge Torso Mystery. Large numbers of spectators visited Leckhampton Hill and Haw Bridge during the week-end.

1.—Insp. D. M. Wagstaff (Gloucester) and Inspector C. F. Large (Tewkesbury), the two officers who, with Chief Supt. Wayman, examined the bloodstains on Haw Bridge on Jan. 10th and took scrapings for analysis.

2.—Scene on Leckhampton Hill on Sunday afternoon, when hundreds of people passed to look at Tower Lodge, part of which is showing on right.

3.—Five boats were still dragging the Severn at Haw Bridge on Sunday afternoon in their search for the

missing head, belonging to torso found in the river.

4, 5, 6 and 7.—Sections of the curious public in the vicinity of Tower Lodge on Sunday. Police were in charge of the house and endeavoured to keep the road clear for traffic.





**OXFORD UNIVERSITY CROSS-COUNTRY RUNNERS BEATEN BY ST. GREGORY'S A.C.**

St. Gregory's, Cheltenham, gained an easy victory over Oxford University team in a cross-country run at Cheltenham on Saturday. They won by 22 points to 65.- St. Gregory's team with Mr. D. L. Lipson, M.P., who started the race, Miss Lipson and Mr. E. Ivamy.

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**FOX KILLED IN CHELTENHAM**

On Tuesday afternoon, a fox ran into Worcester-street, and entered the house of Mr. C. Locke, of No. 55 Worcester-street. It dashed round the front room, knocking over the wireless apparatus and a table, and scratching the paper from the wall, but was eventually caught.

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**CHELTENHAM'S THIRD ANNUAL DANCE FESTIVAL**

**THURSDAY and FRIDAY, FEB. 24 & 25 at the TOWN HALL**

"SOUTH of ENGLAND AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP (Thursday). Awards: 1st, The Waite" Championship Trophy (value £25, to be held for one year) and two Silver Replica Cups; 2nd and 3rd prizes, Silver Cup Awards. No Entrance Fee.

SOUTH of ENGLAND PROFESSIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP (Friday). CASH PRIZES: 1st £25, 2nd £15, 3rd £10. No Entrance Fee. PUBLIC DANCING BOTH EVENINGS 8 p.m. to 2 a.m. Tickets 5/-. Spectators 1/6 (Res.).

Judges:—MISS ADELA ROSCOE and MR. CYRIL FARMER (British Professional Champions 1937), MR. BOB GARGANICO, MAJOR CECIL TAYLOR and MR. P. J. S. RICHARDSON. Demonstrations on both evenings by Miss Adela Roscoe and Mr. Cyril Farmer.





**NORTH GLOUCESTERSHIRE CONFERENCE OF BROTHERHOODS AND SISTERHOODS IN CHELTENHAM.**  
The annual meeting of the North Gloucestershire Group of Brotherhoods and Sisterhoods was held at Bethesda Church, on Saturday. The National Brotherhood secretary, Brother J. W. Tuffley, and Mrs. Tuffley were present. A group of delegates.

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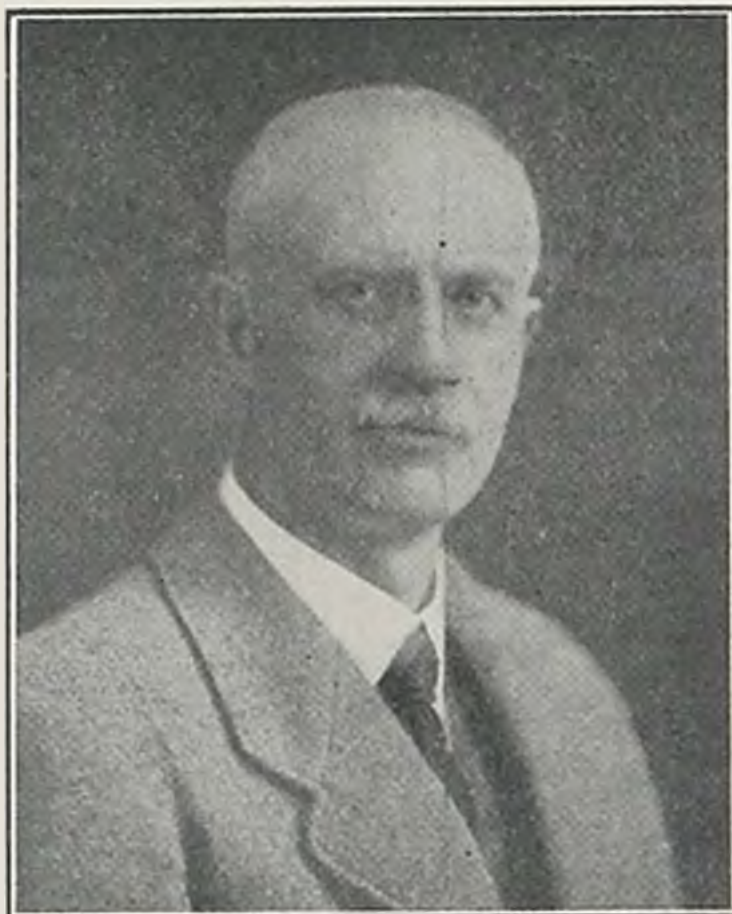
**WHEN NIGHT FALLS AT ROSSLEY MANOR COUNTRY CLUB**

Recent picture of the well-known Residential Club taken after one of the many private parties held there during this season. On and after March 1st members' annual subscription of £2 2s. will include free use of squash court and tennis courts. All sports free to residents. Private Suites available. Temporary membership is extended to those wishing to reside in the club on the introduction of a member. Full particulars and terms of membership, apply Secretary, Andoversford 33.





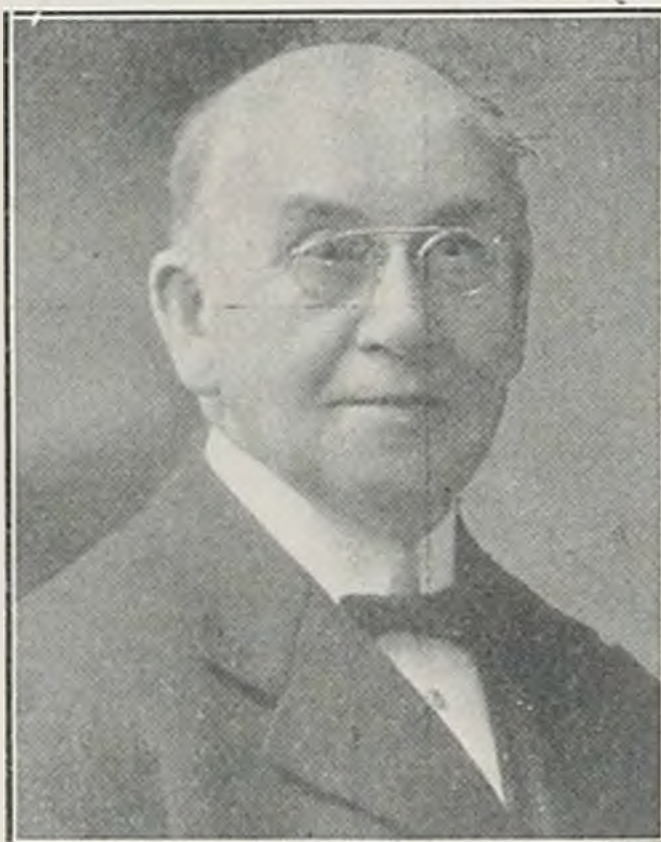
**MRS. HARRIET LACEY,**  
of 3 Norwood-parade, Cheltenham,  
who died on February 10 in her  
101st year.



**MR. R. W. RICE,**  
of Bedford, who died on Friday  
after a short illness, aged 69 years.  
He was a former Gloucestershire  
cricketer in the days of Dr. W. G.  
Grace and G. L. Jessop.



**MRS. JAMES HICKS**  
of Normanville, Milton-road, Cheltenham, who died at her home, aged 67 years. She was the widow of Mr. James Hicks, who died seven years ago. She leaves four sons and one daughter.



**MR. J. E. BRIGNELL,**  
of 86 Lodge Hill-road, Selly Oak, Birmingham, who died on February 7, aged 80 years. He was at the L.M.S. Bookstall at Lansdown Station for 33 years.



**OXFORD UNIVERSITY V. ST. GREGORY'S, CHELTENHAM**  
The start of the cross-country race on Saturday between the above teams. They started and finished from the Woodlands, Cheltenham,—the new Technical College headquarters in the Park.



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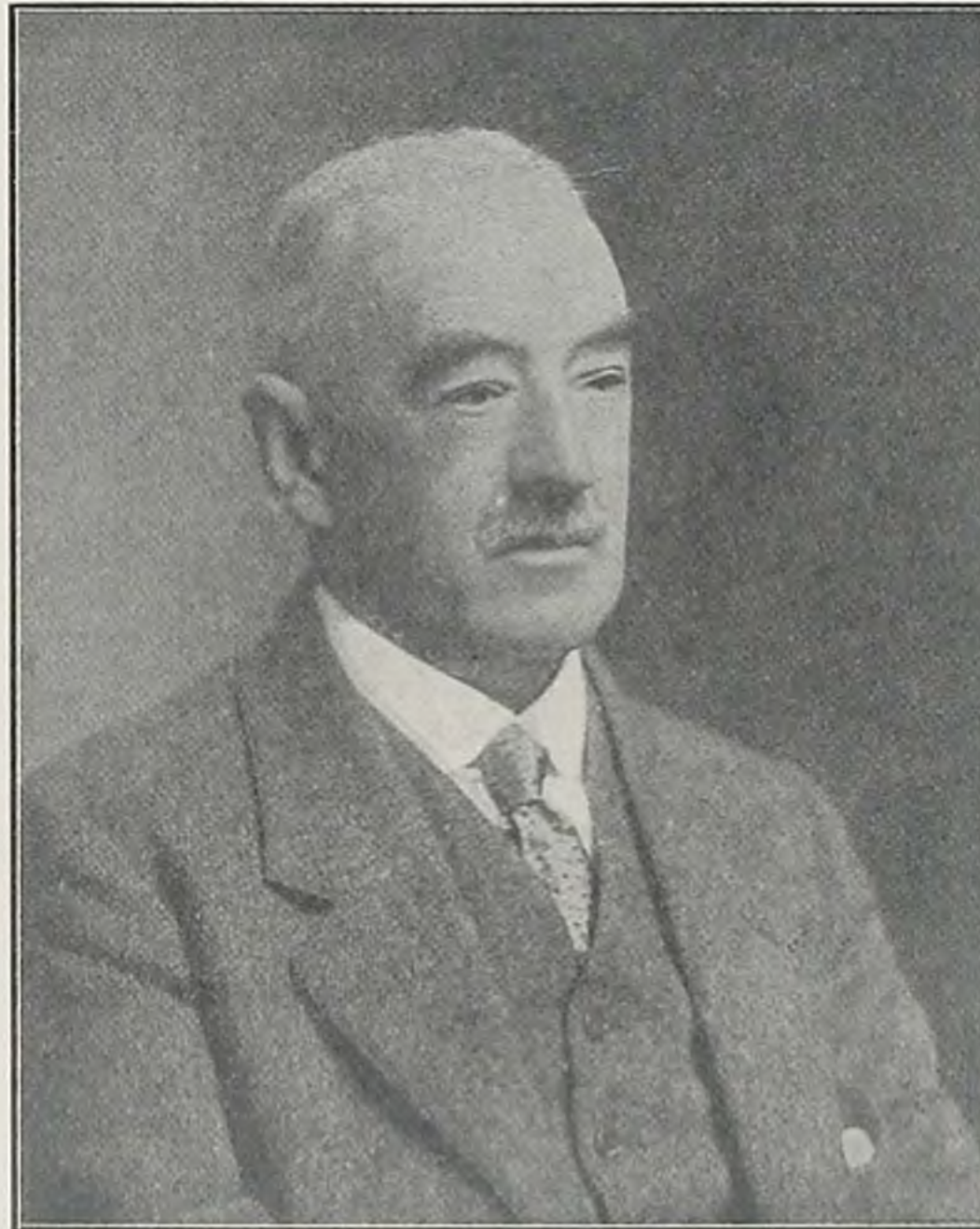
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### MR. ALGERNON HUGH WYATT

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**CHELTENHAM CENTRAL SCHOOL OLD GIRLS' ASSOCIATION REUNION**

The annual reunion of above association was held at Brunner's Cafe last week, about 120 members and guests spending a most enjoyable evening. Miss L. Croome (headmistress) and other members of the staff were among the guests. A section of the party.

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**CHELTENHAM COLLEGE PLAY OLD CHELTONIANS AT HOCKEY**

The Old Cheltonians beat Cheltenham College Hockey XI. by 5 goals to 2 at Reeve's Field, Cheltenham on Saturday in a capital game.

Top.—O.C.'s: F. C. Lodge, C. R. Bourne, G. Seddon, H. F. Stevens, H. N. D. Seymour, P. A. Powell, J. A. Carver, R. T. Carver, D. D. Seddon, T. D. Mitchell, R. L. Prain.

Below.—College: C. N. Barker, M. Thompson, J. V. Luce (captain), P. B. C. Moore, A. G. K. Barkas, C. J. H. Paget, T. G. H. Jackson, A. J. Briggs, R. D. C. Thompson, J. P. D. Weir, H. A. L. Vetch.





**CHURCH OF ENGLAND ZENANA MISSIONARY SOCIETY SALE OF WORK**

Some of the stall-holders (top) and the platform party at the above sale at Cheltenham Town Hall on Tuesday. Platform party are Rev. J. B. Goodliffe, Miss Neatby, Mrs. A. M. Hollis, Mrs. J. H. Trye (Mayoress), Brig-Gen. H. C. Potter.



**PRESENTATION AT CHARLTON KINGS**

In recognition of 25 years' service as hon. secretary to the branch, Mr. Charles Stayt was presented with an inscribed gold watch at the annual meeting of the Charlton branch of the Gloucester Conservative Benefit Society on Tuesday. Mr. Albert Mitchell making the presentation.



**EXCAVATING FOR NEW RESERVOIRS AT CHURCHDOWN**

Work is proceeding apace in the excavation of storage reservoirs on the top of Chosen Hill, Churchdown, for the new Gloucester water supply from Tewkesbury. This powerful tractor pulls the excavator, which removes ten tons of soil every few minutes and deposits it over the sides of the tanks.





**CHELTENHAM OLD PATESIANS' ANNUAL BALL AT CHELTENHAM TOWN HALL**

The annual ball was this year, by common consent, the ball of the season. With an attendance of over 600, many side attractions such as bowling for a pig, oyster bar, early Charlie Chaplin films in the drawing room, and a darts competition, it went with a splendid swing and proved a great success.

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|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|
| 1.—The committee with, Mr. S. R. Trotter (hon. sec.) and Mr. Ernest Webb (chairman) seated in centre. | 2.—A group of dancers.                     | 4.—A group of dancers with the competition pig. |
|                                                                                                       | 3.—Bringing the pig up for his photograph. |                                                 |

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**COTSWOLD HOUNDS MEET AT LILLEY BROOK HOTEL**

There was a capital attendance of both foot and mounted folk at the meet of the Cotswold Hunt at Lilley Brook Hotel on Monday. Admiral F. A. Marten, ex-M.F.H., was in charge in the absence of Mr. C. Heber Percy, the Master, who had undergone an operation that morning and will be out of the saddle the rest of the season.

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|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------|
| 1.—Some of the field moving off.                                                      | 4.—Two visitors.                                              | 8.—Mr. J. Brain, M.R.C.V.S., and Mr. E. J. Gibbins. |
| 2.—Miss Williams, Miss B. Greenwell, Mr. A. A. Sidney Villar, Mrs. Heber Percy, senr. | 5.—Admiral Marten, ex-M.F.H., with Mrs. Parsons, the hostess. | 9.—Mr. S. Shenton.                                  |
| 3.—Some of the children at the meet.                                                  | 6.—Mr. Cresswell and Mr. R. Tuffley                           | 10.—Some of the foot-folk.                          |
|                                                                                       | 7.—A lady visitor.                                            |                                                     |

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**PRESENTATION TO TEWKESBURY S.S. TEACHERS**

Four of the above Tewkesbury Methodist Sunday School teachers last week received Long Service Certificates. At back, Mr. E. H. Lawrence (40 years), Mr. W. Evans (40 years), Mr. A. Foley (27 years). In front, Miss F. Reeves (over 60 years), Miss J. Price (33 years).



**MISS ETHEL WINIFRED JONES, M.A. (Lond.)**

who has been appointed principal of St. Mary's College, Cheltenham, in succession to Miss A. E. Monk, M.A., who is retiring on August 31. Photo by Martyn Bros., Cheltenham



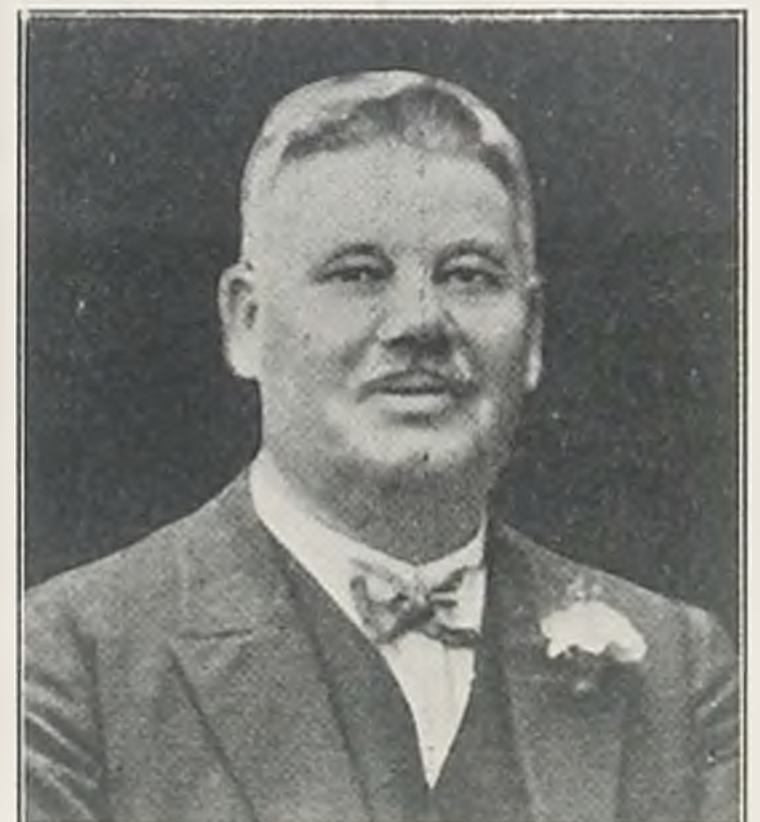
**MR. JOHN H. McNAB**

of Raynsford, Cheltenham, who died last week, aged 74 years. He was formerly a captain in the Connaught Rangers and had lived in Cheltenham for many years.



**FOUR GENERATIONS AT PRESTBURY**

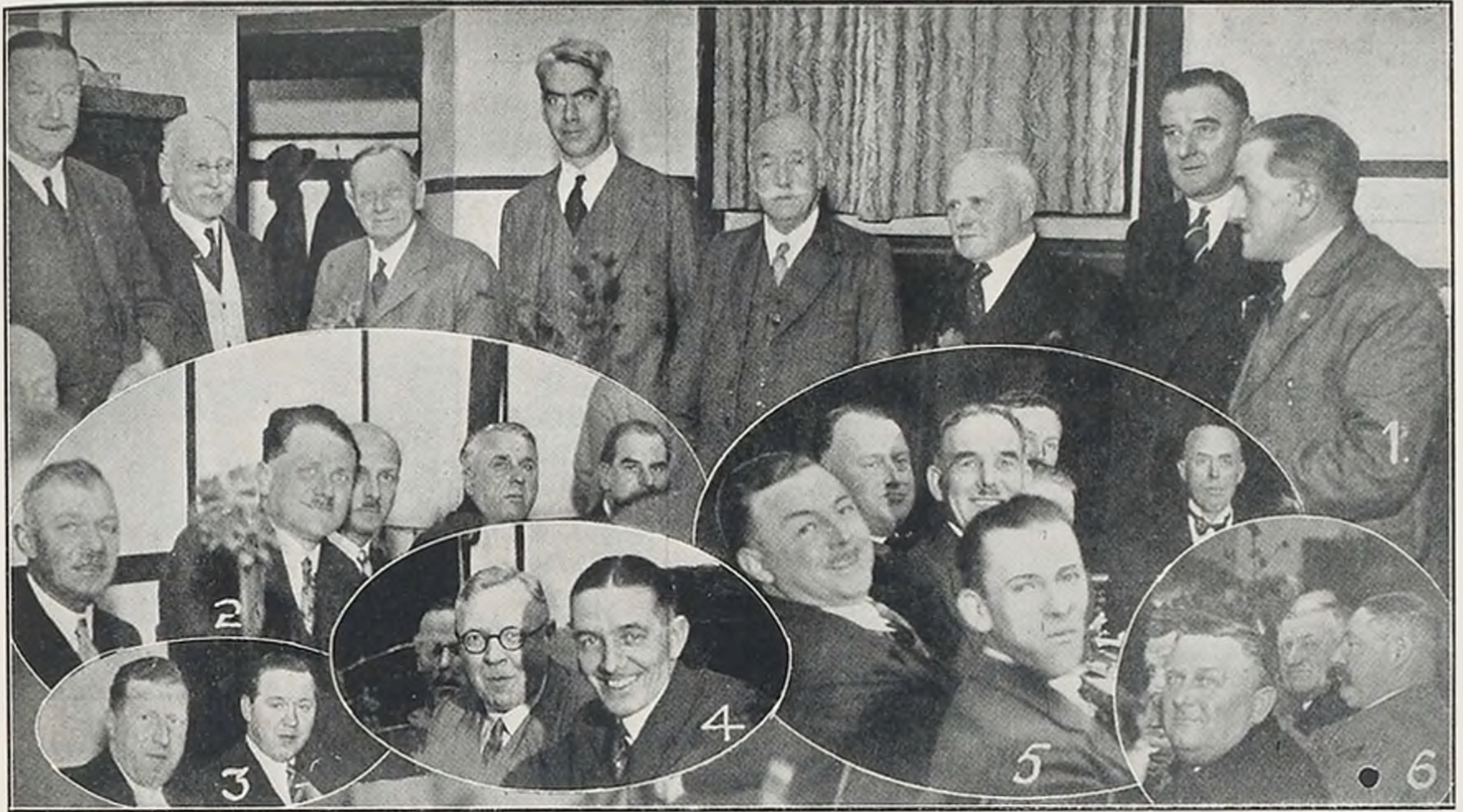
Four generations were present at the christening of an infant girl at Prestbury Church on Sunday. They were Mrs. H. Hill (great-grandmother), of All Saints'-road, Cheltenham, Mrs. F. Pitman (grandmother), of Prestbury, Mrs. H. Webb (mother), on left, of Rosehill-street, Cheltenham, and her infant daughter, Hazel. Also another of Mrs. Pitman's daughters, Mrs. J. Powell, of Queen's Park, London, and her daughter Gwenneth.



**MR. CHARLES RUTLAND**

of 13 Royal-parade, Bayshill-road, Cheltenham, who died last week, aged 61 years. He was managing director of A. Whitcombe and Co., Promenade.





**CONSERVATIVE DINNER AT PRESTBURY**

Mr. W. S. Morrison, M.P., the Minister of Agriculture, was present at the dinner of the Prestbury Men's branch of the Conservative and Unionist Association last Friday at the Church Hall, Prestbury.

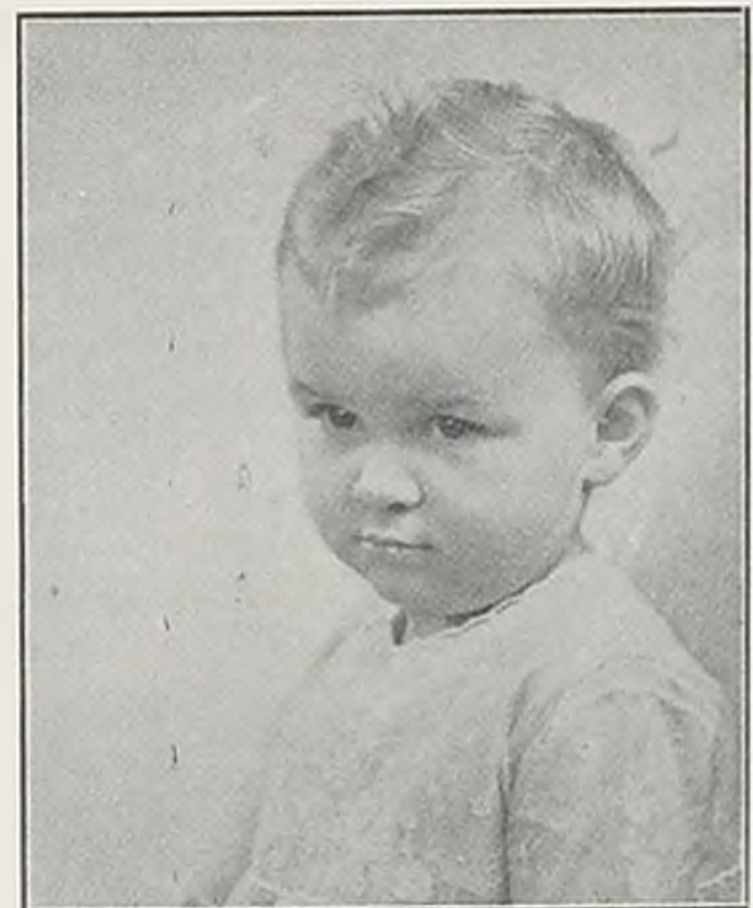
1. The top table. From left: Col. Stratford Burton, Mr. T. E. McIlquham, Mr. E. N. Aiers (agent), Mr. H. Walker Baines, Admiral C. F. Thorpe, C.B.E., Mr. W. S. Morrison, M.P., Mr. C. M. Martin (chairman), Sir Gilbert 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6. Various sections at the tables.

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**DEATH OF LOCAL MOTORING PIONEER**

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**CHELTENHAM AND HAW BRIDGE TORSO MYSTERY**

Police officers and recruits were digging in the garden at Tower Lodge, Leckhampton, again this week in a further search for clues.



**MR. F. H. BEDDARD**

of Watford, Hall-road, Leckhampton, who died on February 17, aged 59 years. He was a director of Messrs. Beddard and Hamlen, Ltd., of Bath-road, and a member of Cheltenham Rotary Club, Cheltenham Bowling Club, and Leckhampton Church Council. He leaves a widow and daughter.



**MR. WM. T. DOWDESWELL**

a Cotswold shepherd, of Upper Swell, who died from injuries received three days before in collision with a bicycle. He was 74 years of age. He was well known locally as Shepherd Eustace, and took part in the Stow Broadcast on December 31 as a typical Cotswold shepherd.

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