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EDITORIAL

We hope you will approve our effort to give a more festive touch to the cover of this Christmas Number. For the photograph of snow-covered Little Bookham Church we are indebted to Mr. Stephen Fortescue.

Looking forward to the Coronation next June of our much-loved Queen, it is natural to recall those troubled early years of the reign of the First Elizabeth when the Howards of Effingham were so much to the fore. The manor of Effingham, and that part of the manor of Little Bookham taken from the Abbot of Chertsey at the Dissolution of the Monasteries, were in 1550 granted by Edward VI to William Howard. Four years later he received the title of 1st Baron Howard of Effingham

from Queen Mary for his defence of London in Sir Thomas Wyatt's rebellion.

William Howard was related to two of Henry VIII's ill-fated Oueens-Anne Boleyn and Catherine Howard-and was with his wife convicted for "misprision of treason" in that they had concealed the scandalous conduct of Oueen Catherine with certain gentlemen of the Court. Yet. miraculously, both he and his wife were pardoned. After the accession of Oueen Mary he became Lord High Admiral of England and received the Garter, serving as Lord Chamberlain under Oueen Elizabeth I from 1558 to 1572.

It was William's son, Charles, 2nd Baron Howard of Effingham, who led the British Fleet against the Armada in 1588. Disturbed at the dangers which threatened England from within and without at that time, he wrote to the Oueen: "For the love of Jesus Christ, Madam, awake thoroughly and see the villainous treasons round about you, against your Majesty and your realm, and draw your forces round about you like a mighty prince to defend you. Truly, Madam, if you do so, there is no cause for fear." In spite of being greatly outnumbered in ships and men, and handi-

capped by the Queen's ill-advised economy in naval expenses, Howard of Effingham won the day. The victory was celebrated by a State procession to a great service of thanksgiving at St. Paul's.

For 250 years after the first Elizabethan age there was little change in the English way of life, either in the Bookhams or elsewhere. But the past century, with its great Industrial Revolution. has been a different story. Now, in this second Elizabethan age, the pace of industrial and social change is quickening. Even agriculture, the oldest and most conservative of our great industries, is being mechanized. Who knows what the new era on whose threshold we stand will have in store? Through the lessons of history we may learn to profit by the experience of our forebears and so adapt ourselves to altered conditions

Meanwhile, Christmas with its message of hope is almost upon us, a reminder that though times may change the spirit of peace and goodwill remains the only lasting cure for the ills of a troubled world. From the President, Officers and Council of the Bookham Community Association we send hearty good wishes for Christmas and the New Year.

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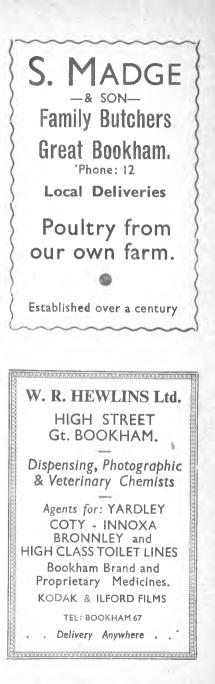
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LONDON CHILDHOOD

(We conclude the account, which began in our September issue, of recollections of her childhood in London from a member of the Bookham Community Association.)

In winter time we would walk to the "1d. Bazaar" in the Walworth Road, and my sisters and I would perhaps buy a Dutch doll with stiff wooden limbs and painted hair, or a Dolly Dimple complete with cardboard clothes and hats and handbags. The fun we had with our penny toys! Perhaps the happiness they gave to children may have been a slight compensation for the hours of sweated labour that went into the making of them.

If it was wet we went to the "pictures" in Villiers Street, or to Gatti's, perhaps to see Pearl White in "The Clutching Hand", or dear Mary Pickford. The audience, *not* the sound-reel, made the noise in *those* days! The excitement was intense, for we entered wholeheartedly into the action of the film.

My first experience of the theatre was in the 4d. gallery of the Old Vic; I saw many young actors and actresses there, who afterwards became famous in the West End. We were tightly packed on hard wooden benches, and during the interval the attendant would bawl, "Hot cawfee and sausage rolls." How we enioyed it all!

As we grew older we would walk with our friends after Sunday evening service to the City of London itself. It was very quiet and clean at such times. The long shadows of the warehouses lay on the hot pavements, and the little old alleys between the offices beckoned to us. We would seek out the places kno vn to history— Bread Street, Pudding Lane, All Hallows, The Tower and St. Paul's Cathedral. There is no place like London, especially in her quieter moods.

We all tend rather to look back longingly on "the good old days," but I realize, of course, that many things are better now than they were. We do not see the drunken men and women about the streets, driven to the public houses by the misery of overcrowded homes.

These are some of my happier recollections, but "the good old days" had their seamy side as well. One is thankful that we no longer see the women, with patient resigned faces, lining up at the pawnshop each Monday morning; or the scores of homeless people on the Embankment and underneath the arches of Waterloo Bridge.

Yes, they were good old days for me, but not for everyone; and although I enjoyed my London childhood, many others unfortunately did not. D.S.

GIRL GUIDES' CHRISTMAS FAIR

Bookham Girl Guides invite you to their Christmas Fair and the Nativity Play "A Time to be Born" (by P.D.Cummings) to be held at the Congregational Church Hall on the 6th December. Two performances. 3 p.m. and 7 p.m. During the afternoon refreshments will be obtainable. Admission by programme.

On the 2nd January, 1953, at 8 p.m. in the Church House, the newly formed Ranger Company present a Nativity Tableau.

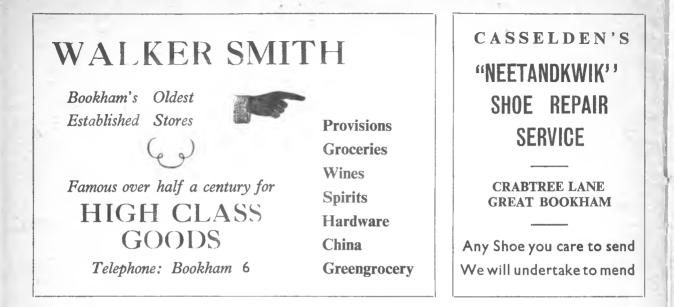


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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

The Editor, *Bookhams Bulletin*. 25th October, 1952.

Dear Sir,

Following the re-formation of the Home Guard, Great and Little Bookham constitute "C" Company of the 6th Surrey (Leatherhead) Battalion.

The object of the Home Guard is to train civilians in the use of all modern army weapons, which are immediately available, thereby enabling each one of us to contribute to the defence of our country in time of need; and to maintain a trained force which, in itself, may prove a deterrent to a potential enemy.

Having a Bookham Company with local headquarters should strongly appeal to many ex-Home Guards and others, and all wishing to join or obtain further information should get in touch with me at The Spinney, The Park, Great Bookham (Tel. Bookham 2703). I would mention that the Battalion is in great need of Officers and N.C.O's who are qualified instructors.

Visitors will be welcomed at the Drill Hall, Leatherhead, on Thursday evenings, or at the Little Bookham Village Hall on Monday evenings, when they may see for themselves the excellent training and recreational facilities without any obligation to join.

> Yours faithfully, H. G. CARTER, Lt., O.C. "C" Company, Leatherhead Battalion, Home Guard

The Editor, Bookhams Bulletin. Dear Sir,

What has happened to our singers? Surely, in a place the size of Bookham, there must be more than 30 or 40 people capable of singing for their own enjoyment if not for that of their neighbours? Perhaps among the newcomers there may be some who do not know of the Choral Society. Then let them come along on any Tuesday at 8 p.m. to the Congregational Hall, Eastwick Road, and see and hear for themselves.

Apart from the Leith Hill Music Festival, which takes place next April and for which we are now training, we have our own concert in March, and at Christmas we shall again be giving a Carol Service in the Parish Church, Great Bookham, in conjunction with the St. Nicolas Youth Club.

So to anyone who can sing, and read music in greater or smaller degree, there will be a welcome in our Society—come and prove for yourselves how much better it is to make your own music than to sit and let others do it for you.

Yours faithfully,

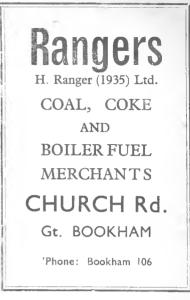
L. R. NEVILLE,

Hon. Secretary,

Bookham Choral Society. The Editor, *Bookhams Bulletin*. Dear Sir,

I have lately been made local Hon. Secretary for the R.S.P.C.A. in Bookham and I am wondering whether you could and would be kind enough to find room in the December number of the *Bulletin* for an announcement concerning the Society's work.

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An announcement of these particulars in your useful and widely circulated little magazine would be a useful service, as I find that there are quite a few who would be glad of the Inspector's advice.

Yours sincerely,

E. L. M. GRAHAM (Miss). Merrycourt, Great Bookham. OUR CORONATION CELEBRATIONS

The following report on behalf of the Coronation Celebrations Committee has been received from Mr. L. W. Denning, of 48 Middlemead Road, Great Bookham:—

"A public meeting called by the Leatherhead U.D.C. to consider the Bookham Ward's Coronation Celebrations was held at the Old Barn Hall on the 3rd October. The meeting was extremely well attended, and it was at once agreed that the Bookhams should hold their own celebrations, and not run in conjunction with any of the other Wards; the Council representatives withdrew at this stage, and a Coronation Celebrations Committee of about

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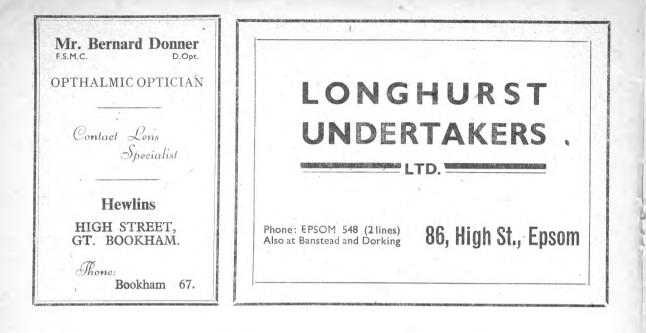
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20 was then formed, with Mr. Kille as Chairman and Mrs. Carter as Hon. Secretary. This Committee has since met, and from it an Organizing Committee was formed, which will consider. all the suggestions put forward concerning the form of the celebrations. The day appointed for the celebrations is Wednesday, 3rd June, 1953, and the focal point will be "Service". It is to this end that all organizations are asked to participate. The Council are to make a grant (drawn from a special rate) towards the expenses and a sum of £150 has been mentioned. A house-tohouse canvass will be made to determine the number of children to be catered for, and it is hoped that all will take the opportunity of making a donation towards the Committee's work. Everyone in Bookham will, it is hoped, render the utmost assistance in making this day one to be remembered."

It is understood that teas are to be provided for all children at the celebrations, and that the old people of Bookham are to be entertained to tea and a film of the Coronation (if this is available in time). Mr. Hewitt has been elected Vice-Chairman of the main Committee, and the following form the Organizing Committee: Mrs. Blair, Miss Hazlett, and Messrs. Denning, Drew, Hewitt, Oldershaw and Smith.

A meeting of the main Committee has been arranged for the 7th November, a report of which, together with the programme arranged for Coronation Day, will appear in the March, 1953, issue of the *Bulletin*.

B.C.A. CLUB NEWS

In spite of a general cessation of activities at the Barn Hall during August, a great deal of work was done by the "old brigade" for you all.

First and foremost, the new Hall floor (cost over £400) was finished just in time for the very excellent show put on by the Naturalists on Saturday, 30th August (one day to spare!) And what a floor it is—if you have not seen or tested it you should come along to one of the Saturday dances. Now, we have to pay for it. What will you do to try and raise some funds? Mrs. Everett has already started, with the very successful Jumble Sale which she ran on Saturday, 25th October.

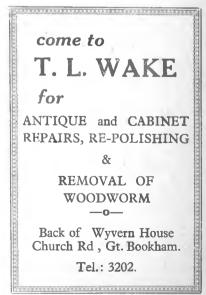
Then, of course, there was the 6th September, a most enjoyable Village Day. The Over 60's distinguished themselves by winning first prize for one of their tableaux, which was staged on a lorry. The procession was a fine one, which all of us enjoyed, and there were rousing choruses from the Scouts and others round the camp fire in the evening. Financially, Village Day was not such a success as we had hoped, but there was a small surplus to help pay for the Hall floor.

The Naturalists must be heartily congratulated on the Exhibition. Over 600 people saw it, and we are glad that it is to be an annual event. The Exhibition undoubtedly stimulated interest in this small but very energetic group.

The Over 20's have had their Annual Meeting, and a new Committee has been appointed. We look forward to signs of renewed E. E. LAW COACHES EXCURSIONS.

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activity in this group.

It is good to know that the Old Time Dance Club is returning to the Barn Hall (the new floor again!). The class nights are on alternate Wednesdays (5th and 19th December) at 7.30 p.m.

The Saturday evening dances at the Barn Hall were resumed on the 6th September, and alternate between Square, Old Time and Modern. As these dances are being run by the Association and not by individual groups, any profits will go to the Floor Fund.

The dates of the Christmas Parties have been fixed, as follows:—

Members' Party. Saturday, 3rd January, 1953.

Children's Party. Saturday, 10th January, 1953.

Gramophone Club

The Club resumed its fortnightly meetings on the 24th September, when a Beethoven programme was presented by Mrs. Helen Brown This was followed on the 9th October with "A Programme of Contrasts" arranged by Mrs. M. E. Boardman and S. G. Hall. On the 22nd October there was a celebration of the 80th birthday of Dr. Ralph Vaughan Williams, with a programme of his works presented by Miss Mabel Fuller, of the Leatherhead School of Music, who gave some delightful impressions from personal acquaintance with the great composer. Included in the programme were the "Wasps Overture", the "Fantasia on a Theme by Thomas Tallis". and "Greensleeves".

Over 20's Club

The Club have resumed their

weekly meetings at the Barn Hall on Tuesday evenings from 7.30 to 10.30 p.m. The opportunity to play table tennis, darts and cards is provided at the modest rate of 6d. per evening; and there are plenty of chairs for those who just like to sit and talk. New members are welcome to come along any Tuesday evening. Mr. F. Stimpson is now Hon. Secretary.

Badminton Club

At the A.G.M. held at the end of August the following Officers and Committee were elected:— Chairman, Mr. L. Smith; Hon. Treasurer, Mrs. G. Smith; Hon. Secretary, Miss J. Gurnham. Committee: Mr. R. Fuller, Mr. P. Samms, Mr. J. Guy, Miss J. Turk.

The Club commenced its 1952-53 season on the 9th September, with a membership of 18. The Club has now reached full membership of 20 and is progressing very satisfactorily.

J. GURNHAM.

BOOKHAM JOTTINGS

The Little Bookham Village Hall, of which editorial mention was made in our last issue, has it is understood done little more than pay its way for a number of years, and the village is therefore especially grateful to the Women's Club for accepting the responsibility of management. Mrs. Perry, of "Aldbourne", Sole Farm Road, reports that members of the Club have thoroughly cleaned the Hall, had modern heating installed, and provided new curtains. They are running many social functions to try to raise money to keep the Hall for the village.





A successful dance organized by a small Committee of ladies was held at the Old Barn Hall on the 19th September in aid of The Bookhams Lynmouth Relief Fund, and the proceeds enabled the Committee to send a cheque for £65 to the North Devon and West Somerset Relief Appeal Fund at Exeter. Gifts were received from many local shopkeepers and private supporters and their generosity was a very material help in achieving the above result.

The Camera Club's seventh exhibition at the Old Barn Hall on Saturday, 18th October, attracted great interest. The standard of the prints exhibited, although perhaps not so high as has been reached on one or two previous occasions, was uniformly good. Mr. John Bardsley was the judge. and the exhibition was on view for a second time on Saturday, 25th October, at the Red House, Leatherhead.

PRIZEWINNING ESSAY

Congratulations to Stanley G. Spratt (age 15), of 3 Dowlans Close, Great Bookham, to whom the Community Association have awarded the prize of one guinea for the following entry in their Essay Competition.

Death of a Trouble-Seeker

Between the corner of the garden shed and the adjoining fence a neat spider's web had been spun, and its industrious owner was resting in the corner of the web. 'Suddenly a faint humming in the air told of the approach of a wasp, seeking, as is the custom of many wasps, someone or something on which to vent its spite.

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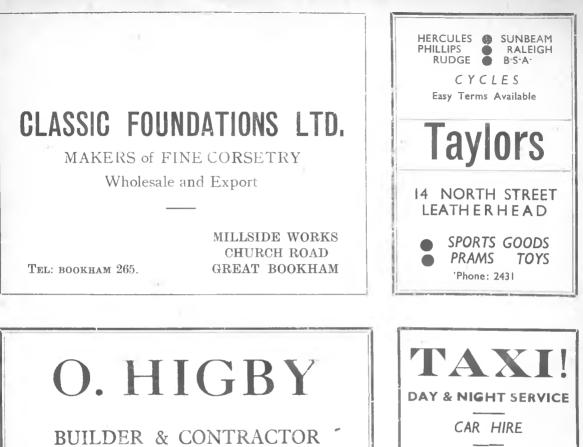
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hind a fragrant spray of roses. immediately catching sight of the web and its recumbent owner. The wasp's black and vellowstriped body glinted menacingly in the sunlight as it darted quickly backwards and forwards in front of the unmoved spider, whom the wasp thought an easy prev. The spider appeared to be completely unconcerned at the evil approach of the wasp, knowing full well that as soon as the wasp attacked him it would be trapped in the web and an easy prey for its intended victim.

The wasp had now stopped its lightning darts from side to side, and was poised motionless and with furiously beating wings in mid-air, ready to attack. Suddenly, and with incredible speed. it darted at the spider with murderous intent. Before it could use its sting to real effect it found that its wings could no longer beat up and down and gradually its whole body became entangled with the sticky strands of the spider's web. It struggled furiously for a few minutes in useless attempt to free itself from the web.

The spider had moved away from the wasp and was watching the struggles of its adversary, as they gradually became weaker and weaker, with an air of extreme contempt about it. So far it had not had to exert itself to fight, but now, angered by the almost complete ruin which had been inflicted on its neat and newly-made home, it closed in to kill the now motionless wasp.

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Mr. Alan Lambert, formerly of Halepit Road, Great Bookham, writes from Wellington, New Zealand, where he has recently taken up a Government post : "I am safe and sound in N.Z. after a lazy (but enjoyable) 5 weeks' vovage via Panama. I made several friends through the trip. . . I am living about 20 miles from Wellington and have to travel in each day, but hope soon to get accommodation nearer to my work. I hope you are in good health; with all this meat and butter I'm getting I couldn't be otherwise! Lovely scenery all around here. Wellington by night is a sight not to be missed."

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SPORTS NEWS Bookham Cricket Club

1953 was only a moderately successful season for the Cricket Club, purely from a playing point of view. Of 36 matches finished, only 12 were won, against 19 losses and 5 draws. The chief trouble was a falling-off in the bowling, combined with fielding that dropped below even the indifferent standard of 1951. The batting, however, was more solid, apart from three shocking collapses, than in either of the two preceding seasons.

The bowling record for the season was dismal, at least after the successes of 1948-51. Jack Fowler topped the averages by a huge margin, but his 22 wickets were taken in only 5 matches. Ted Ayres was again in form with 58 wickets and an average of 7.48, and it is doubtful if he has ever bowled better, but he had little support. This must have been Sid Rollinson's worst-ever season with the ball. The worth to the club of his steady accuracy and stamina is not always to be measured in figures, and his 18 overs for 60 runs on the B.B.C.'s Motspur Park "featherbed" against the West Indians Clarke and Eytle bordered on the heroic, but too often he lacked hostility. Len Saunders began the season promisingly, but Motspur Park seemed to have a damaging effect on his confidence, whilst his father had the opposite experience of increasing success towards the end of the season. Bert Davis made only occasional appearances, but showed when he did play that he can still tease the best batsmen.

Ken Paterson and Lester Hall had little success, though the latter suffered much from ill-luck, and the unexpected success of the season was undoubtedly Len Denning. In match after match he tossed up his slows, inviting the batsmen to hit them-and 33 of them fell through imagining that they could hit this stuff. Only Ted Avres and Sid Rollinson took more wickets; only Ted and Jack Fowler returned a better average; only Jack came anywhere near his balls-per-wicket average. "Denning's not a bowler," they say. Perhaps: but 33 batsmen retired wondering what kind of a bowler he really is!

The batting shows a much better picture. Rex Lovegrove, Ted Avres and Bob Stevenson were as successful as ever, and Les Bowdler, Bert Saunders and Ken Bleach were but little behind them. Colin Murrells and Len Saunders both showed a notable advance; unfortunately Len has now begun his National Service. The arrival of Ken Paterson, most powerful of drivers and Bookham's most consistent bat, and the return of Don Durban, were distinct gains. Of the juniors, Alan Smith improved markedly, Bert Holland had a highly successful first season. Paul Mitchell set himself to learn batting with an almost scholarly patience that was clearly producing results, and Brian Longhurst seems likely to add yet another successful name to the roll of Bookham cricketing Longhursts.

Dave Chandler and Les Bowdler saw to it that the wicketkeeping standard remained reasonably high, but the rest of the fielding earned few medals. Ken Paterson (before the injury that put him out of cricket in August), Don Durban and Ken Bleach were always reliable, Ted Ayres let little go by him, and Paul Mitchell improved steadily during the season until by its end he could be called one of the club's best-but the number of dropped catches is a miserable story, of which one may hope there will be no repetition in 1953. Your correspondent, when he played, was as bad an offender as any.

J.B.H.

(Owing to pressure on space, a report on the Football Club's activities is held over to the next issue.—Ed.)

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A HALLOWEEN CONCERT

Though the Englishman traditionally takes his pleasures sadly, it must be reported that this Concert* was a pleasure, in spite of such minor discomforts as hard-seated chairs and an unheated hall!

The unaccompanied items by the male voice chorus were a delight, especially the quieter passages in Sullivan's "The Long Day Closes". William Jarvis (tenor) sang "Charming Chloe", "Silent Worship" and "Linden Lea" with much delicacy of tone and feeling: while violinist Mary Cadogan, embarrassed at first by the disappearance of her music (it was found eventually inside the piano!), played Vitali's "Chaconne", a difficult piece, with charm and assurance beyond her vears. L. R. Neville (tenor) and George Perver (baritone) added

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spice to the programme with their comic duets. The Women's Institute Drama Group presented "Sailors, Beware", a one-act play about the private lives of the tough old sea dogs who sailed from Plymouth in 1588 against the Spanish Armada. Their wives find life a trifle dull until Oueen Elizabeth (Edith Probert), travelling incognito, intervenes and carries them off to live at the Court of St. James's "for the duration" at the husbands' expense. Gladys Dover, as Lady Grenville, was the outstanding artiste of an excellent caste which kept the audience quietly chuckling at quips that, if in the true character of the Elizabethan age. were perhaps rather strong meat for a parish church concert! Joan M. Ball is to be congratulated on her production of this amusing "Elizabethan Improbability".

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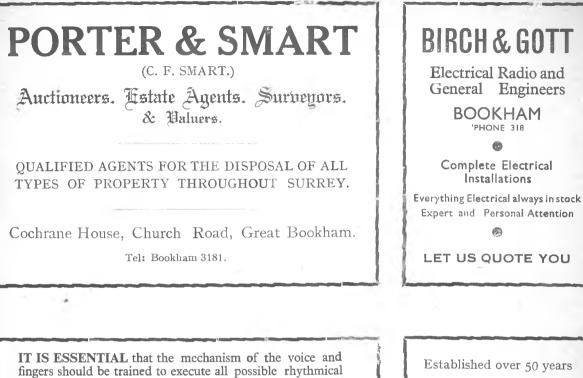
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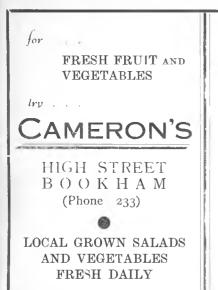
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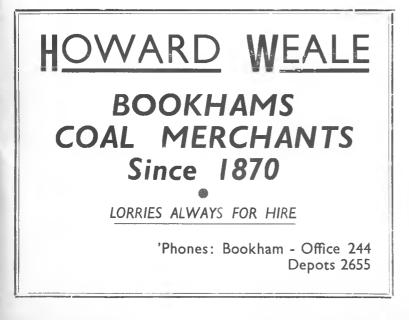
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