

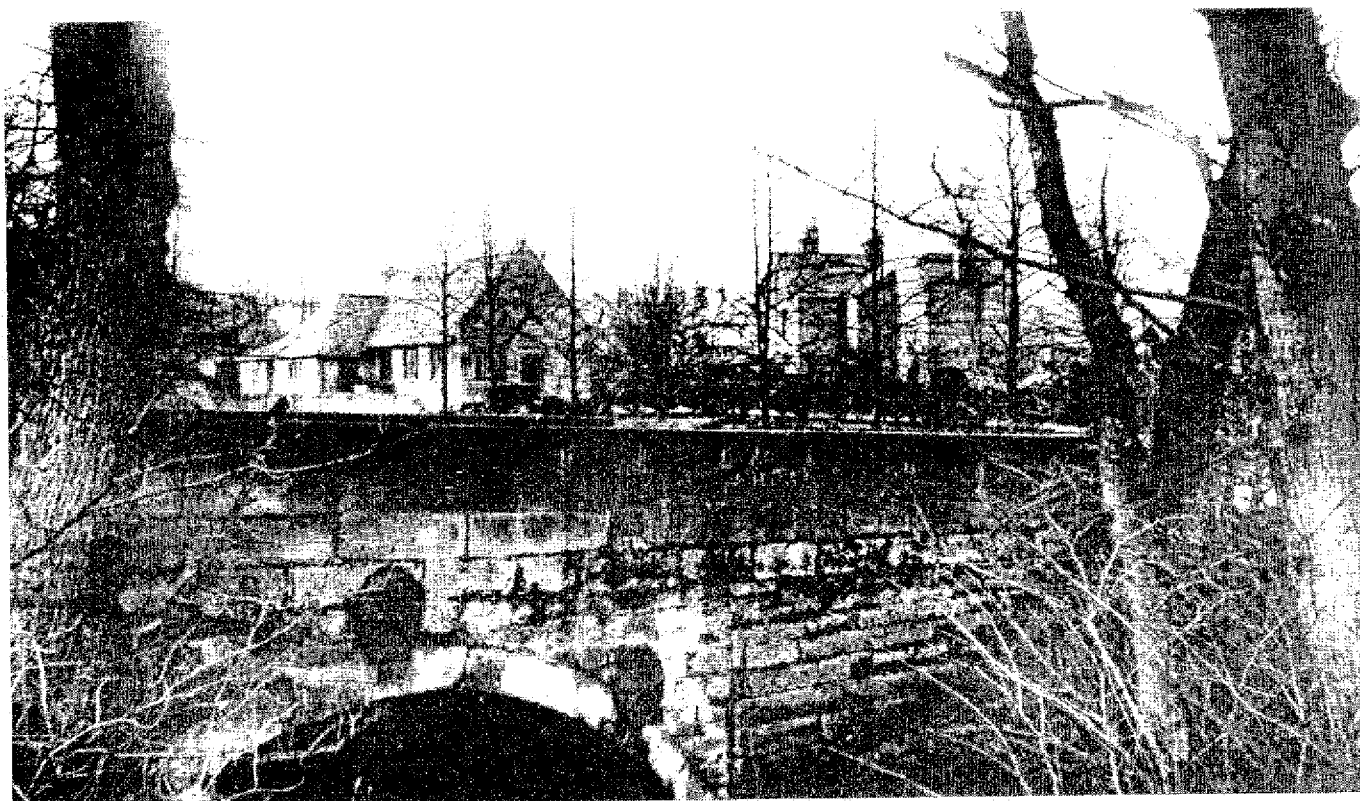
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TOTLEY SHOW

The Totley Show was really well attended this year with lots of entries into most classes. We have really tried to make it easy for the children to be involved but their entries are still not high in numbers in spite of having two primary schools in our locality. Those who did enter showed wonderful talent and imagination, and we would hope they might encourage their friends to enter next year. The show judges were very impressed with the high quality of all the entries.

We want to say a very big "THANK YOU" to the following people;

Our local shops for providing raffle prizes, tombola prizes, and refreshments for the judges

Tesco for lucky programme vouchers

The judges for their difficult task

The tea ladies for keeping us all going.

Rony and Jim for opening the show and running the auction

Brian Andrews, Andrew Bridgens, John Lawrie and the scouts, and the "heavy gang" for moving tables etc. Friday and Saturday

Everyone who manned stalls and games

The TRA committee, for hard work before, during, and after the Show

David Wilson Homes for prize money

Paul and Margaret North for their help

Anyone that I haven't mentioned and especially Tom and Christine Steel for all their hard work

Thank you for your support of the charity stalls, amounts taken notified to date are; F.O.B.S £102.20 - N.C.H £52.68 - British Epilepsy (mainly for publicity) £8.65 and Children in Need £23.00.

Start now thinking about YOUR entries for next year! We hope to have another excellent show in the Silver Jubilee year of the TRA.

Pauline Perkinton

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THE NEW TOTLEY SHOW RESULTS

OVERALL BEST EXHIBIT OF THE SHOW Judy Needham for her entry in Textile Art
HANDICRAFTS. Best of class D. Scotton

	First	Second	Third
1. Hand Knitted Garment	C. Billard	M.B. Marsh	V. Filleul
2. Decorative Cushion	Kay Aikin		
3. Soft Toy	D. Andrews		
4. Tapestry	R. Carter		
5. Cross Stitch	E. Ogle	C. Steel	S. Bridgens
6. Decoupage	John Gray	Jim Garnet	M. Chatterton
7. Paper Craft	Mrs. Gray	A. Critchley	M.B. Marsh
8. Textile Art	D. Scotton	J. Kerridge	J. Crossland

DOMESTIC SECTION Best of Class Marjorie Snowden

	First	Second	Third
9. Victoria Sandwich	A. Waite	L. Hayden	Marjorie Snowden
10. Dundee Cake	M. Snowden	S. Wright	V. Loft
11. Decorative Buns	R. Carter	L. Biggs	
12. 3 Scones	E. Ogle	R. Carter	
13. Apple Pie	M. Snowden	K. Aikin	
14. Jam	A. Capper	A. Cullen	L. Hayden
15. Lemon Curd	E. Ogle	C. Steel	
16. Marmalade	E.J. Lamb	C. Froggatt	
17. Loaf White Bread	L. Hayden		
18. Chutney	D. Burnett	K. Watson	J. Street

FLORAL SECTION Best of Class A. Atherton

	First	Second	Third
19. Table decorations Fresh Up to 6"	J. Needham	M.A. White	A. Powell
20. Table Decorations Fresh over 6"	K. Watson	M.A. White	A. Powell
23. 3 Cut Flowers	J.M. Smith	A. Atherton	Mr. Skelton
24. House Plant Container up to 12"	A. Atherton	T. Steel	Pauline Perkinson

FRESH PRODUCE Best of Class

A. Atherton

	First	Second	Third
26. 4 Eating Apples	T. Steel	A. Atherton	A. Atherton
27. 4 Cooking Apples	R. Johnson	N. Goldie	T. Steel
28. 12 Blackberries	A. Sockett	P. Burnett	T. Steel
29. 4 matching Potatoes	A. Atherton	M.R. Skelton	A. Atherton
30. 1 Cabbage	Mr. Skelton		
31. 3 Matching Leeks	A. Sockett	A. Sockett	A. Atherton
32. 3 Matching Onions	A. Atherton	A. Atherton	A. Sockett
34. 5 Matching Runner Beans	A. Atherton	A. Atherton	T. Steel
35. 5 Tomatoes	T. Steel	A. Atherton	T. Steel
36. Cucumber	A. Sockett	J. Elliot	T. Steel
37. Marrow	A. Sockett	A. Atherton	A. Atherton
38. 3 Matching Beetroot	A. Hart	A. Sockett	A. Atherton
39. Largest Onion	A. Atherton	A. Atherton	A. Atherton
40. Heaviest Marrow	A. Atherton	A. Sockett	T. Steel
41. Longest Runner Bean	A. Atherton	A. Sockett	R. Johnson

ART Best of Class

Catherine Sanderson

	First	Second	Third
42. Oil /Acrylic Painting	C. Sanderson	H. Donson	J.M. Smith
43. Water Colour	L. Capper	S. Lampson	P. Burnet
44. Pen & Ink Sketch	C. Sanderson	S. Lampson	R. Johnson
45. Pencil Sketch	R. Johnson		
46. Open Multi -Media	M. Spencer	S. Lampson	M. Chatterton

PHOTOGRAPHY Best of Class

P. Burnett

	First	Second	Third
47. Colour	P. Burnett	S. Lampson	T. Steel
48. Black & White	T. Steel	T. Steel	R. Gissing
49. Computer Print	S. Lampson	L. Biggs	L. Biggs

WOODWORK Best of Class J.D. Andrews

	First	Second	Third
51. Small Furniture	J.D. Andrews	H. Perfect	J.A. Rose
52. Sculpture	M. Loft		

CHILDRENS SECTION

Best of Class Up to 7 yrs. Hadish, 8 to 14 yrs. Jessica Lampson

First

Second

Third

53. Up to 7 Animal Vegetable	F.Nicholson	S.Bridgens	
54. 8 to 12 Miniature Garden	Hadish	Deborah Voice	Alex Buskwood
55. Up To 8yrs Computer Art	I.Biggs		
56. 9 to 14 yrs. Computer art	Jessica Lampson	Katie Liversidge	R.Biggs
57. Decorative bun	R.Biggs	R.Biggs	Katie Liversidge
58. Open Craft all up to 14	R.Biggs		Deborah Voice
57. Egg Head	Alex Buskwood		

TOTLEY OPEN GARDENS 2002

On Saturday July 21st. and Sunday July 22nd. 2002, about 20 gardens around Totley will be open to the public. It will be a good opportunity for gardeners to show the fruits of their hard work, and it will be interesting for visitors to see a variety of garden sizes and styles.

Would you like your garden to be one of those gardens?

We already have 11 people who want to participate, and we need some more. We need small gardens or large, tidy or wild flowers or vegetables, or both. We have a garden with radiators for a fence, a woodland garden, a tiny garden and a steep garden.

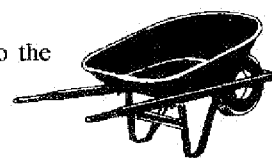
We have someone who has gardened their garden for 67 years, and another for only two years.

The plan is for the gardens to be open to the public from 2 p.m. to 6 p.m. on both these days, and for visitors to buy a programme which will give details of every participating gardener and their garden, and a map showing the location of each garden, and whether it is wheelchair accessible. Some gardeners may want to sell tea and food, or plants to help the funds. Funds raised will go to Totley Library for more books. Totley Residents Association are promoting the event.

Opening some of our Totley gardens like this, will give us pride in place, a chance for Totley to show off its attributes, to inspire the rest of us, and show what we can do, often in very adverse conditions

If you would like to participate by opening your garden, contact Jennie Street, Tel.236-2302.

If you're not sure whether or not you would like to participate, put the event in your 2002 diary now, come along on that weekend, and witness how much enjoyment everyone gets from opening their gardens and how much pleasure visitors get from the visit. Jennie Street



NEW FACES



This month as you go about your shopping, visiting your friends or the local library you are quite likely to see a new face - Matt Conant. Please give him a warm welcome for Matt has come to live here as a Youth Worker at the invitation of the churches in our area.

Whilst respecting each others traditions and expressions of faith, the churches in Dore and Totley have long enjoyed mutual friendship and often share worship and other activities together. The decision to seek the help of a professional youth worker in reaching out to the young people in our neighbourhood was taken after some twelve months careful thought and planning. By mutual agreement the purpose behind the project is "To come to understand and serve the needs of young people in our churches and in our neighbourhood by offering friendship and so sharing the love of God as shown by Jesus Christ, thereby extending his kingdom."

The churches recognise there are few facilities in the neighbourhood to interest young people. Matt will be visiting schools and churches, getting to know young people and trying to respond to issues that concern them.

Initially inspired by the vicars and members of Totley, All Saints and St John's, Abbeydale, the idea has been enthusiastically picked up and has the blessing of all our churches. The project will be funded by All Saints, The Bridge (a small "out of church" Christian group already running a youth activity centre), Dore & Totley United Reformed Church, St John's and grants from various trusts.

Matt and his wife Janine are currently living in Norton Lees and are hoping to move closer to Totley in the near future.

Richard Moffat

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Frank (Hob) Marshall

I don't usually write to papers, but could not let your article in the Totley Independent go without commenting on it.

I am sure there are a lot of people in old Totley that remembered Frank Marshall, I am sure John Perkinton remembers him as John and I were friends for many years and we still meet at Totley School re-union nights, John introduced me to my husband.

The reason I am writing is I don't want any one to not give the true picture of Frank (Hob) Marshall always known as "Old Hob" was my uncle.

Franks parents Joseph & Mariah Marshall lived in a cottage where the Fleur De Lys stands, they moved into the cottage in Hall Lane when the pub was built and a Marshall lived in it till 1960. It was only a 2 up and 2 down cottage with the toilet in the back yard. My grandparents had 11 children but only 6 survived, Frank was born in 1885, Samuel (Samp) 1889, Joe 1894, Clara 1896, Annie 1900 and George 1902, Frank was a very bad cripple. Mum used to say he fell down the steps at the side of the cottage when a child and was badly injured hence his disability.

He was a cobbler and used to give Mum (Annie) an old 6p (two and a halfpence) to take repairs to his customers. The Barbers at the top of Strawberry Lea, near Hathersage Road a cottage long gone, He also kept bantam hens in a little shed at the side of his cobbling shed, Betty and I used to spend hours watching him cobbling shoes.

He was a very generous man and a lovely uncle. He bought Betty and I our first bikes, second hand, the only trouble was Betty's was a boy's bike. We had to ride them up and down the lane to show him we could ride them before he would pay for them. He always kept his money in a twist tobacco tin in the table drawer and would often treat us to the pictures.

He was a fantastic storyteller but quite a lot of the time it was a bit further from the truth, but the kids in the village used to listen enthralled. He was a poacher, had a gun and also used to take Betty and me and other kids in the village (Snicking) which is catching rabbits in wire I would call that terribly cruel now but in those days no way.

He never in his lifetime crossed Baslow Road. If he wanted mum he would stand at Kirby's wall and wait for someone to tell her he wanted her. After his parents died he lived with his brother Joe both bachelors. Uncle Joe used to say that anybody who knew them wouldn't marry them and they weren't marrying a stranger.

Mum used to clean, wash and cook for them. Uncle Joe would go to mums for his dinner but Betty had the job everyday, when she came home from school for her dinner, to take Frank's plated meal across to him. I think it was something she was not happy about as she always listened to "Workers Playtime" on the wireless at dinner times.

If you were hungry he'd make you a sandwich, very thick slices, (no sliced bread in those days) with margarine and either marmalade or fish paste on them. My! didn't they taste good.

He never went to school, he was taught at home, but was still a decent scholar, he could certainly add up. The only time he ventured from Hall Lane was when he was taken to hospital he had cancer and died soon after being admitted on July 8th 1951.

Joe was also a character. He was Uncle Joe to everybody in old Totley. He had an allotment, top left hand side, it was

immaculate, he grew enough soft fruit and vegetables to feed old Totley. He certainly gave a lot away. He lived on his own after Frank's death till I got married June 1960. On the morning of my wedding he arrived at mum and dad's, with his feather mattress under his arm, saying it's not worth keeping two houses on and seeing our Pat's bedroom will be empty I might as well have it, which he duly did and came to live with Mum and Dad at Elder cottage, Hillfoot Road. He worked at the gannister mines at Stubby, Dronfield Woodhouse but mostly at Strawberry Lea. They used pit ponies in those days and Betty and I along with our niece Susan used to go and feed them.

When we were kids you couldn't afford fireworks so he used to make them for us only bangers. He used to bring some gunpowder home from the mine to make them. Only he was allowed to light them, in any case anybody with any sense wouldn't have wanted to. They were lethal. He also made Betty and I a sledge with cutter irons on, again from the mine. It was great, very fast, but the other kids didn't like it as it would cut up the track. We used to sledge from the top of Hillfoot Road down to the Crown or from the top of Chapel fields down to the river, we all used to get wet through ending up in the river but it was great fun.

When Joe's sister Clara married Billy Ramsell at Dore Church, Joe gave her away. On the way to the church he stopped the horse and trap at the Crown Inn for a bottle or two of 'dutch' courage, he certainly liked a drink. He drank Red Label Bass and always carried a bottle opener in his pocket, only he was allowed to take the tops off and then would put them in his waistcoat pocket so that he knew how many he had drunk. Neither Frank nor Joe ever saw the sea the furthest Joe ever went was York races once a year with a trip from Parker's pub at Holmesfield.

Every Bank Holiday Monday after Harold and I got married and lived at Dronfield Woodhouse, top of Mickley Lane, he would go drinking to Parker's, get there for opening time at lunch time came to our house for his dinner and a sleep. We would then take him back for the evening session and after he would walk back to Totley.

All but Frank went to Totley school, the Old School House in Hall Lane then the Church School where all our family have gone, 5 generations and there are still 3 of them there now, Toby and Bethany Cousins at school and George Clark at nursery.

Our sister Mary Benjamin (Wint) and her family still live at Totley, Betty lives at Dore and I live at Coal Aston, We are Betty Clarke and Pat Crapper (nee Hoyland) we lived next to Evans shop on Hillfoot Road. I was born at Elder Cottage 63 years ago just after it was extended from a 1 up and 1 down to 2 up and 2 down. They built the front on the cottage about 1936. I hope this is of interest to you and your readers

I didn't want anyone who thought they knew the family to try to tell you about Frank and Joe.

Pat Crapper (nee Hoyland)

Dear Sir,
Inspired by the photo of Hob Marshall, we the Salt family lived at Lane Head which it was before taking the name of Baslow Road. We lived at what is now 320 Baslow Road. The road was tarmac in the centre and graded limestone at the sides. The traffic being mainly horses and carts, the occasional charabanc and of course (Gassy's engine). Billie

Gascoigne drove the steam engine lorry which moved the gannister (silica rock) from the pit at Strawberry Lea which was at the entrance to Blacka Moor. My father Isiah Salt managed the pit for Pickford Holland, Totley brickyard. The loading stage at Strawberry Lea can still be seen enclosed in the photostat copy of my father at the pit entrance which was closed approx. 1936/37 when a pit at Dore was opened.

Your photo of Hob Marshall prompted this for his brother (Shidy). I don't know his proper name, worked with my father. Hob the cobbler was known and liked by all, young and old, but he had a habit of putting thick soles on shoes which didn't go well with younger people.

Probably a habit because he was club footed and wore great thick boots himself. My first great memory of Hob was when they lived in the old cottages which stood at the entrance to the Old Fleur De Lys before they were pulled down to build the now known pub.

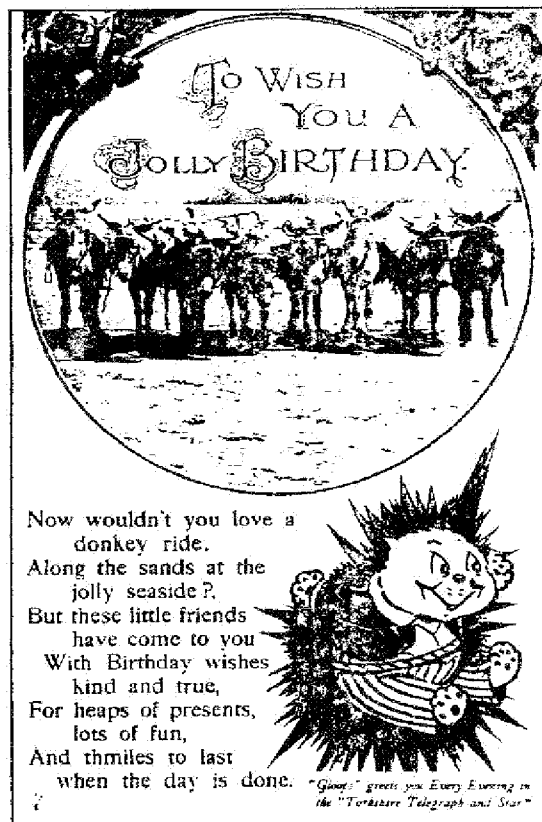
I was weekend errand boy (carrier bike) for Lawrence Tyn the butcher. His shop was at Green Oak Hall now the Heatherfield club. On arriving at Mrs Marshall's a lovely lady who always wore black with a long spotless apron was chasing Hob out of the cottage with a menacing big serving spoon. Apparently he had pinched some eggs and put them in her kettle to boil, you must appreciate food was precious in those days, he thought she wouldn't find them.



When the cottage was pulled down the Marshalls went to live in the cottage in Hall Lane where my uncle Walter and auntie Julia Ibbotson lived prior to moving in to newly built houses on Green Oak Road. Hob erected the wooden shed by the side of the house large window at the front so he could observe all that passed. His life was cobbling, gossiping and poaching although poaching is the wrong word shall we say he excelled at processing for the table everything nature had to offer with the blessing of the farmers around. I don't think he ever abused his needs. He knew where the mushrooms, rabbits, blackberries and game were and I think the farmers accepted him for his disability. His trade mark was two heavily knobbled sticks and with his club feet walking was slow. In fact all we village children knew and liked hob he was always jolly and of course we spent a lot of time in the fields and Gilleyfield wood so met up with him frequently.

I saw quite a lot of Hob for I delivered meat to his house and we had many talks. He taught me quite a lot about catching rabbits, birds and one in particular, partridge. They always feed on the ground and in rings, Hob used to put some corn down, wait patiently with knob stick raised and when they started eating brought the stick down rapidly. You were sure to catch one. How to set a rabbit snickle trap, where the mushrooms were, the proper way to collect blackberries, how to tickle the trout in Gilleyfield wood. Living off the land was exciting and 'Old Hob' as we called him could do that. We could do with more characters like him and the world would be a better place. Jeff Salt

Card dated March 14th 1930



I wondered if any reader remembers the "Gloops club" here is a Photostat copy of a card sent to me on my 10th birthday. The "Gloops club" was a comedy strip nightly in the Sheffield Telegraph and Star. Every member had a blue "Gloops club" badge and on meeting with another glooper saluted and greeted him with the word 'thmile' and as you see we got information and cards. This along with all the other clubs Ovaltinies etc. were our excitement in those days. Jeff Salt (Torquay)

Whisperer

Baslow Road. A new footpath and rails have been put in place leading from Baslow Road to Totley Grange Drive to enable mothers and toddlers going up and down to school to use the Totley Grange route instead of using the main road footpath which is rather dangerous with lorries. Please use this way if possible now we have gone to the trouble of getting the work done.

Totley Co-op. An article in the September issue by Brian Edwards as to where the co-op was in Totley before moving to the present address.

Mrs Attlescy of Aldam Road says that it was at 63, Baslow Road which is now where the Fordham opticians are, it was there until the early 1930s. It was then Jack Stacey's shoe repairers and also had a hairdresser's shop in a room at the back.

Mobile phones. Many people are still seen driving whilst using mobile phones and very few are caught and prosecuted. Seen recently in Totley a horse rider using a mobile, is this also an offence?

Why do many motorists drive with their headlights on at 8-30 p.m. on a bright summer's evening and then the following morning in heavy rain and mist they are not on?

P.S some cars now such as Volvos or Saabs etc have them on all the time.

Traveller's Tales

Recently my wife and I visited a long standing friend whom we have met on only very rare occasions over the last 50 years. On the way home we fell to discussing why we had not maintained better contact and one suggestion was the inconvenience of travelling when all of us married and had families and none of us had cars.

This set me off reminiscing about how travel had changed over the last 80 years. When I was a young child the common modes of travel for most people in this area were the tram or "shank's pony" for local journeys and the steam train for further afield. Before I started primary school we lived in Swinton and my father worked in Rotherham. I have only two memories of tram travel from that time. One is of sitting with my mother and younger brother on a long seat which extended the whole length of the lower deck. The other is being on the upper deck with my father when the vehicle became derailed and the tram wobbled on the cobbles, a frightening experience. Later the trams between Rotherham, Mexborough and Conisborough were replaced by single deck trolley buses and I made lots of journeys on them. Just before I started school we moved to Rotherham. When my mother took us back to Swinton or Mexborough to visit relatives we went on the trolley bus. The treat was a small bar of Motoring Chocolate shared with my brother. I have no recollection of train travel before 1934. My uncle had taken a post as chemist with the Scottish Tar Distillers near Falkirk in Scotland and he invited my brother and me to stay with them in the summer holidays. Our parents put us on the train at the LNER Swinton station, now gone. The porter had to admit us to a locked coach at the rear of the train. The locked coach was shunted at Doncaster and York to join the London to Edinburgh train so we did not have to change. Uncle met us at Edinburgh and took us on by the local train. This uncle had an amusing tram story. Before he moved to Scotland he lived at Swinton and worked as a chemist for the Yorkshire Tar Distillers at Stairfoot. At that time single deck trams ran between the Woodman Inn at Swinton and Barnsley, and he travelled on them to and from work as did the young lady he married. On his move to Scotland he said "Well at last I won't have to travel on those trams now". How wrong can you be? Falkirk bought these trams and I rode on them there before they were scrapped.

Of course, even in those days, all young boys wanted their own mode of transport and I was no exception. I cannot remember when I got my first "two wheeler" but I do know how I learned to ride before that. I had the usual type of tricycle of the time with a triangle of metal between the seat pillar and the back axle. I also had a scooter the front part of which could be detached. The front of the scooter was wedged into the triangle of the tricycle raising the rear wheels off the ground thus converting my mode of transport from three wheels to two. I suspect this conversion was unusual if not unique, but it served my purpose. Once I started I must have cycled thousands of miles before my move to Sheffield in 1957.

Some of my most memorable cycle trips were in the 1930's while I was still at school. My friend Ernest had a Welsh mother and his aunt kept house for two brothers in her Welsh family home. He suggested we should cycle there to spend a holiday. Remember this was in the days of heavy roadster machines and cycling in everyday clothes, no fancy clobber and umpteen gears. Naturally our parents were sceptical about the project but eventually agreed. Neither family had telephones (nor would have for another 30 years or so), so a strict condition laid down was that we should send telegrams

on the way, hopefully saying all was well. The day of departure dawned fine and sunny. I left my home in Mexborough at about 7.0 o'clock to meet Ernest at his home in Rotherham. Our route was via Sheffield, Buxton, Congleton, Crewe, Ruabon, Llangollen, Corwen, Llandrillo and on to Llandderfel about 4 miles from Bala lake. We just assumed we would make it in the day, as we did. Before the post offices closed at Saturday teatime we dispatched our telegrams from Ruabon which we had reached by late afternoon. Alas, we learned on our return home, they were not delivered until Monday morning, so our families had anxious weekends. Two other aspects of that epic 127 mile journey stick in my mind. One was the lovely cool free wheel run down into Congleton after the hard climb out of Buxton, and the smell of wood smoke in the evening as we cycled along the Dee valley. I always looked forward to this smell on future visits. Later in life I tried to persuade my girl friend into the joys of cycling, even trying tandems as well as solo machines. She tried hard but never became keen, much preferring long walks instead. After we were married we purchased two new solo machines. This allowed her to tell friends "before we were married we had tandems, but he made me pedal myself after we got married". This tandem tale is different from one told by the husband of one of her cousins. She was much heavier than he was but they rode a tandem. He said that one day after being out in Derbyshire they were coming home via Ladybower over Moscar, down to Rivelin post office and the climb up to Crosspool. As they reached the top he looked round to enquire if Lily was alright. And there she was, sitting on the back, happily knitting. We sold the tandem when we got back to Sheffield. I think he had his tongue in his cheek when he told me this tale, but they had become motorists by then.

Don Ashford

The Dramatic Society Dore & Totley United Reformed Church

Present

IT RUNS IN THE FAMILY



If the thoughts of the Winter nights to come sends shivers down your spine then here is an evening's entertainment that will have you so creased with laughter you may well end up shedding some clothing!

During the last week in October the Dramatic Society at the United Reformed Church on Totley Brook Road is presenting Ray Cooney's comedy "It Runs in the Family".

Ever willing to take on a challenge - if the society is not searching for macabre weapons it's obscure items of furniture - this time the plot includes a cast of thousands, all to be accommodated on a small stage. To help bring this to fruition the society has two more members and will be joined by friends from the Meersbrook Theatre Group. It all promises to be good fun - for cast and audience alike. Producer Robin Purchase is not too concerned about getting twelve people on stage, but Stage Managers Mavis Fletcher and Brian Hurst do have some concern about getting them on and off in the correct sequence. By the way does anybody happen to have a hospital trolley in a spare room somewhere?

The play will be in the Church Hall, Totley Brook Road

24th. to 27th. October at 7.30 p.m.

Tickets may be obtained from the Box Office (235 2178) Martin's Sweet Shop or Members of the Society.

Richard Moffat



FARNSHAW GATE FARM BUILDINGS BRIAN EDWARDS 2003

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GARDENING TIPS FOR SEPTEMBER

Phew! What a show day, up at 6 a.m. to get my entries ready, tomatoes, leeks, flowers etc. etc. The rooms at the school were made ready the night before by a very able body of volunteers and very bright and cheerful it looked. Some people came a bit early but we managed to fit them in, then the rush started. 84 people came with their exhibits within the 1.5 hours allotted for registration, many of them with lots of entries. Amanda and her team coped very well and the people were very patient.

I am always amazed at the wonderful talented people we have in the Totley area and this show was certainly abounding in this respect with enormous onions, tapestry, woodwork, cakes etc., if you were not there you missed a treat. Rony Robinson excelled as opener of the show and he and Jim Webb made excellent auctioneers. I was pleased to see the children were encouraged to enter and their efforts made a really difficult job for the judges to decide a winner. The tea ladies were kept very busy and all the cakes etc. went down very well as the "Gentlemen of Jazz" kept the feet tapping throughout the proceedings. The games, tombola and raffle were well received and we must thank local shops and offices. Tesco, Wilson homes for their excellent contributions.

On the whole a great show. I must say a big thank you to all the judges, Brian Andrews for transport, all the volunteers, too numerous to mention individuals, and the TRA committee for once again making Totley Show a success.

Flowers

Clear and tidy up all beds and prepare them for autumn planting. Top dress alpine plants with fine grit and plant any new specimens, start cutting down and lifting dahlias and chrysanthemums, lift and split up herbaceous perennials, plant out new ones such as border carnations, pinks, phlox, scabious etc. It's a good time to plant bog garden plants.

Tender plants should have been brought in by now, they need to be over wintered either under glass or placed in a very sheltered spot and wrapped up well, the ones which cannot be moved can be covered with open weave hessian or dry bulky bracken or straw.

Plant out spring flowers, hyacinth, daffodils, tulips, crocus etc. Lilies of the valley are a nice spring flower, choose a cool semi shaded spot in a good rich soil with plenty of humus, the crowns should be just covered.

Lift gladiolus corms carefully with a fork, cut the leaves off just above the corms and place the latter in shallow boxes in which they can be stored in any dry cool but frost free place, pull off any old shrivelled corms that adhere to the bottom of the new ones and throw them away.

Vegetables

Protect cauliflower hearts (curds) by bending a leaf over them, earth up leeks and celery, plant out spring cabbage, lift and store turnips. If you have an empty greenhouse (surely not) or a bit of space, try a few lettuce or radishes to give a bit more salad during the winter months. Lift a few young parsnips for immediate use leaving the others in the ground to pull as required. Sprouts and broccoli will need staking or earthing up to prevent them being rocked out of the ground by the wind.

Pot up sage, parsley, thyme and chives and bring indoors for use. Pick winter and perpetual spinach regularly to encourage new growth. It is about the last opportunity to gather herbs for drying if you haven't done it already, get cracking now.

Marrows can be stored, hang them in nets or old nylon stockings in a cool frost proof place. When the skin of main crop potatoes is set i.e. cannot be easily be rubbed off by pressure with the thumb, this is a sign that the tubers are mature and ready for lifting, it's wise to make this test before lifting.

Trees, shrubs and fruit.

Prepare ground for tree and shrub planting, plant new conifers and protect them from wind.

Hardwood cuttings can be taken now about 6" to 12" long either below a joint or putted off the parent plant with a thin strip of older wood, place in sandy soil after dipping in rooting powder, bear in mind hardwood cuttings take longer to root, can be two years in some cases. Gather fruit as it ripens only store really sound ones, put grease bands round apples, pears and cherry trees and spray them with fungicide, especially if you have had a touch of canker or scab. If you

have had disease of any kind pick up all leaves and debris and burn it. Cover autumn fruiting strawberries with cloches, new strawberry plants can be put out now. Tie up raspberry canes and cut out any weak ones, do not trim the top until March. Don't forget to inspect fruit in store regularly and use the ones with any blemishes showing.

Greenhouse and indoor plants.

Chrysanthemums should be brought in before the petals begin to open or if frost threatens, they should be brought in at once whether they are showing colour or not.

Ventilate the greenhouse freely to keep the air on the move and prevent too damp an atmosphere that could encourage disease. Rest begonias, gloxinias, achimenes etc. By allowing them to dry out. Shake the soil off begonias store in peat or coco fibre, gloxinias are best left in the soil they were growing in, store in a frost-free place. Cinerarias sown earlier are likely to need moving to larger containers, give them a 5" pot in the same compost. Freesia and lachemalias can be placed in the greenhouse or cool conservatory to bring them on for an early show. Keep indoor plants on the dry side and stop feeding any which are not in flower. Check bulbs being brought on in darkness and water if necessary. Cuttings of fuchsias, geranium and hydrangeas can be taken if you have a warm greenhouse or propagator, keep them just moist.

Prick out seedlings of schizanthus and clarkia, pinch out the growing tip to encourage bushing, do not allow them to become pot bound.

Lawns.

Turf and repair lawns, aerate by spiking, roller or fork, give a feed of autumn/winter fertiliser and top dress with old compost or peat. Rake and keep as clean as possible, pick off stones and lightly roll new seeded lawns. Top new grass with the mower set high.

General.

Watch the weather, protect any vulnerable plants, and apply only slow acting fertilizer at this time of year as a general rule.

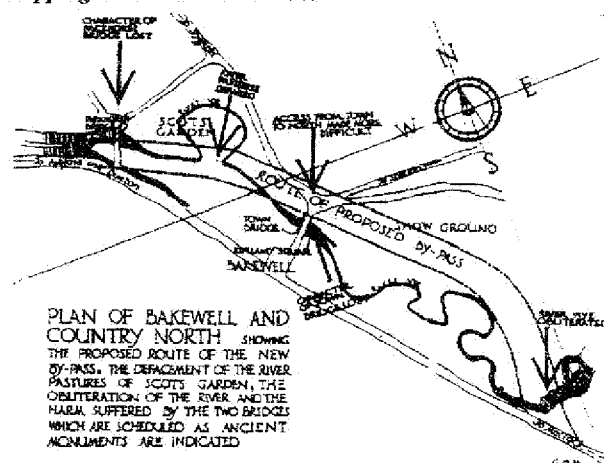
Cheerio for now Tom Busy Bee

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PROTECTING THE BEAUTIFUL FRAME

Mapping the Future 1936 - 1939



Map by Greid Haythornthwaite showing the impact of the proposed Bakewell by-pass

No organisation has done so much to protect our surrounding countryside than the local branch of the Council for the Protection of Rural England. Founded in 1924 as the Sheffield Association for the Protection of Local Scenery, the group became part of the CPRE some years later. It was the CPRE who highlighted the dreadful omission of Great and Little Longstone from the proposed Peak District National Park, which they had been mainly instrumental in creating. The same group successfully campaigned for the formation of a permanent Sheffield Green Belt and, over the years, has been responsible for opposing unsympathetic, and sometimes horrific, proposals destined to destroy the landscape.

A new book by local historian, author and environmental conservationist Melvyn Jones traces the history of the Branch and details the many campaigns it has supported and fought. Included is the story behind the 1936 proposal to drive a 160 feet-wide Bakewell bypass through the River Wye pastures.

Again and again the publication mentions schemes that we know about but have long since forgotten. "PROTECTING THE BEAUTIFUL FRAME" is essential reading for those of us who appreciate the countryside. Published by The Hallamshire Press it is available in local bookshops Ref: ISBN 1874718 61X or from the CPRE at The Stables, 22a Endcliffe Crescent, Sheffield S6 3EF, telephone 0114 266 5822, price £1 1.95 plus £1.05 p&p. I am sure the CPRE will be delighted to send you information on membership too!

Brian Edwards

T.O.A.D.S AUTUMN PLAY

In these times of criticism of the N.H.S., our November play is certainly topical! It is a very light hearted look at a doctor's surgery, a young, naive doctor who is perturbed to learn that his National Health Clinic has been hired out to a private consultant. Our young doctor gets dragged into the scheming world of the consultant in Peter Horsier's comedy "Cut and Run", but after many twists, painting large the dangers in private health care, all ends happily. Anne Bettridge is making her debut as Director for this play, and very fitting too, as she works at a doctors' surgery in the area!

"Cut and Run" will be at St. John's Church Hall, Abbeydale Road South, from Wednesday 21st November to Saturday 24th, at 7.30 p.m., so please come along and brighten up a dull November evening.

Tickets still £2.50 or £2 for concessions - phone me, Kate Reynolds, 2366891

CRIME TRENDS IN COMMUNITY

This report relates to crime trends in the areas of Totley and Bradway and the surrounding areas. The report relates to incidents from 27th June 2001 to 22nd August.

VIOLENT CRIME. None

BURGLARIES. There have been 14 burglary dwellings in this period. There was a particularly bad spate between 17th to 24th July.

A majority of these offences have been where an intruder has sneaked into a house through an unlocked or open, door or window. These have mainly occurred during the day, particularly on hot days.

In particular handbags and wallets and their contents were stolen, with the cash and credit cards being taken and the others items being discarded.

There has been a person arrested for these offences, and he is now in custody, so hopefully these should stop.

However, it is worth bearing in mind that these types of offences are prevalent in the hot weather due to people leaving doors and windows open.

Please remember to be security conscious.

AUTO CRIME. Vehicle crime has reduced however there is still a problem with thefts from motor vehicles.

In particular vehicles have been attacked overnight.

Also vehicles have been attacked at pub car parks between the hours of 8pm to 10pm, mainly of weekdays.

Please remember not to leave valuable items on view in your vehicle.

YOUTH NUISANCE. There have been 11 incidents of youth nuisance reported in this period. The main 'hotspot' is Dore and Totley Golf Club, mainly after 4pm to 8.30pm.

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PUZZLE CORNER

CARD TRICKS.

Here is a simple card trick you can show children when they become competent enough at spelling. You need five playing cards, ace, two, three, four and five. Arrange them in order 5, 3, 2, ace, 4. Stack them face down with the 5 on top. Spell out each card in turn, A. C. E. (or O.N.E.). As each letter is said transfer the top card to the bottom of the stack.

At the completion of each spelling turn the next card face up and remove from the stack. This card will be the one just spelled. Continue for the rest of the stack.

The PUZZLE is to find the sequence the 13 cards have to be arranged to do the same trick for a complete suit of cards.

My solution will spell the 11th card K. N. A. V. B.

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Solution to MAGIC SQUARES. Issue 246

2	13	4	15	A	B	L	E
5	12	7	10	B	O	O	T
16	1	14	3	L	O	I	N
11	8	9	6	E	T	N	A

Don Ashford

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Peter Casson

PEAK DISTRICT EVENTS

OCTOBER

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Information from the 'Peak District 2001' the official guide to the National Park. These events can be seen in the free guide, available throughout the Peak District or by visiting their Web Site www.peakdistrict.org. NB Please check if the event will be on or not due to current Foot and Mouth problem.

Beauchief Junction.

At long last I understand the council are to commence work to make this junction at the traffic lights by the Beauchief Hotel much safer to negotiate.

When I approach these lights from Totley and wish to turn right towards Woodseats and an oncoming car signals to turn up to Parkhead they will insist on crossing in front of me blocking my view. I trust that the new works will ensure that the correct procedure (see highway code) becomes normal practice.

P.S. In such situations I was taught to always pass behind the oncoming vehicle and so provide unhindered views to both parties.

J.G. (Name and address supplied)

(This work was supposed to be carried out Summer 2001.)

ABBEYDALE PARK BOWLING CLUB

Never heard of us? Founded in 1947, our green is in the top right hand corner of Abbeydale Sports Club.

We do not play in a league at present but are looking into the possibility of joining one. We play friendly matches against Chatsworth, Darley Dale, Fulwood, Hallam Grange and Worksop as well as holding internal competitions.

The winners of our knockout events this season were as follows:-

Open Singles.

Mike Cross

Singles Handicap.

Donald Hudson

Veterans Singles Handicap.

Alf Sceats

Doubles Handicap.

Graham Torry &

Alan Wright

Curvaceous Handicap

Mike Hastings

We are looking for new members for season 2002. Anyone interested can contact John Perkinson on 0114 236 1601.



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There will be a General Meeting for shareholders on Monday, 22nd October. This will be held in Totley Library at 5-6 p.m. Business will be followed by coffee and biscuits and a quiz organised, once again, by David Hewitt, one of our committee members and drivers.

It costs a £1 to become a shareholder. Two meetings, one of them the AGM are held every year. Sometimes extra get togethers are needed if something special needs to be decided upon.

I am sorry that we did not have a stall at the Totley Show. We had to make a decision quickly, as personnel would not be around. Of course, as soon as this happened offers of help came in. Logistically it was proving a bit difficult. But thanks for the offers we will certainly keep them in mind.

A donation has been received which would probably have been what we made on that day. God works in mysterious ways.

Our Chairman, Danny Barlow celebrates his Ruby Wedding Anniversary on 7th October. I send him my congratulations.

The last 40 years with him have been interesting to say the least. I look forward to many more together.

Best wishes, keep safe

Margaret Barlow

CRICKET AT ABBEYDALE PARK

The first weekend in September saw the closure of season for the nine teams of the newly formed Sheffield Collegiate and Old Edwardians Cricket Club.

In spite of a poor summer weather wise, the usual five spectators and the dog have enjoyed some very good cricket even if at times it has been heart stopping (particularly 1st X1 final game) and the wait for other results seasons record.

1st X1 have retained the Yorks league title for the 7th time in the last 10 years, League cup losing semi finalists (beaten by Cleethorpes who had the current NZ opening bat in their team. This shows the quality of player this league attracts.

2nd X1 Promoted as champions South-riding league.

3rd X1 Promoted Whitworth Trophy winners.

4th and 5th X1 Mid table YD. League Knock out cup winners.

Midweek X1 Cup winners.

Under 13s and 15s Qualified for divisional play offs.

The players and officials are to be congratulated on a successful season. I am still concerned at the lack of local interest, there are supporters who travel from Worksop and Chesterfield to support the first X1. Roll on April 2002.

J.Gray (Club patron, not the club pro.)



"HE'S GLAD HE'S BACK IN TOTLEY AS HE'S BEEN ON HOLIDAY IN SOMNIA & DIDN'T SLEEP A WINK THE WHOLE TIME."

BOXING DAY - EVERY DAY?

It can sometimes feel that the local church is a little detached from it's community. Therefore, we are so pleased to announce that from the beginning of October there will be a prayer box at Totley library. Prayer request cards can be found by the box. Anyone is invited to place a prayer, providing as much or as little information as needed. Totley Rise Methodist will collect these prayers towards the end of each week and include them in Sunday's worship. There's no follow-up or anything else to fill out. It can be used by ANYONE and has the library's wholehearted support. It's a very simple way of many people praying for you. It may be a thank you, it maybe a concern, it maybe just a word or name - they'll all be included.

Here's to new starts! Rev Chris Kirk (Totley Rise Methodist Church)

Totley All Saints' School Autumn Fair

Saturday 13th October,
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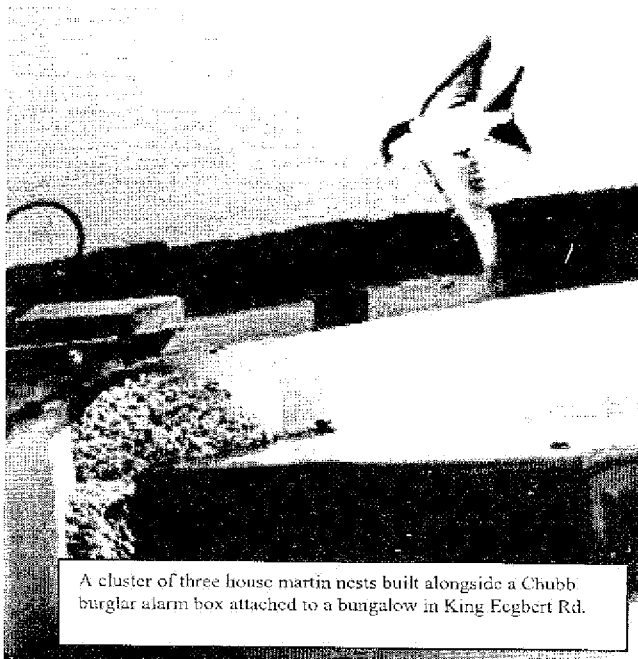


SWALLOWS and MARTINS

by Alan Faulkner Taylor

In the September issue of The Totley Independent there was an article about swallows. The author, John Baker, was somewhat confused about swallows' nests.

I quote: "The swallow's nest is basically a mud cup built of material collected in the beaks of the parents. It is usually fixed against a vertical surface, preferably supported by a



A cluster of three house martin nests built alongside a Chubb burglar alarm box attached to a bungalow in King Eegbert Rd.

rough surface or protrusion and lined with feathers. Wall-mounted burglar alarm boxes make an ideal foundation, a ringing endorsement of mans' helpful innovations."

This is a perfect

description of a nest built by house martins.

So how do the nests of swallows differ from those of house martins? A swallows' nest is always built on top of a beam in a barn, or a shelf in a porch, using dried grass stems cemented by mud. House martin nests are always built under an overhang - such as the eaves of a house. In The Peak District and on sea cliff faces, the birds select a cavity under a ledge to use as protection.

Why have the numbers of swallows, house martins and sand martins decreased so dramatically during the past ten years? It has been due mainly to droughts in central Africa, through which the birds fly when migrating to South Africa. Droughts cause a loss in the insect population, therefore our migratory birds starve to death.

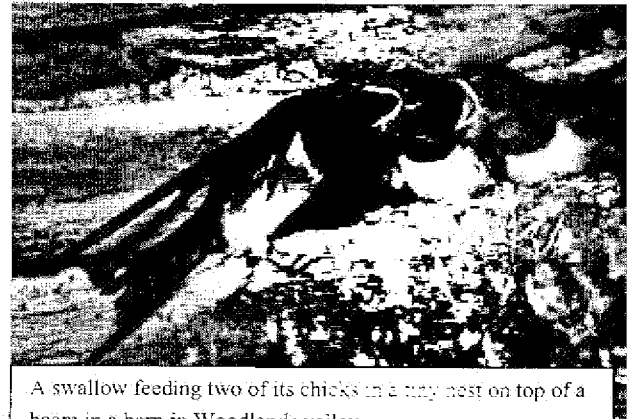
House martins used to nest regularly on cliff faces in places such as Miller's Dale and Chee Dale, but sadly few have returned during this last year or so. Yet nearby farms still contain cattle, so there has been no diminution in the supply of flies on which house martins and swallows live.

One of my friends, the late Dick Bagnall-Oakeley, who lived in Brinton Hall, near Holt in Norfolk told me a story about how on one winter's evening, his son, daughter and himself had been looking through an upstairs window at wrens flying into a house martins' nest. When they counted to thirteen the nest exploded and the wrens flew away in confusion!

The populations of sand martins has been affected in a similar way.

Another migratory bird to have suffered in a similar way is the common sandpiper, again for the same reason. I well

remember the day when my partner in bird photography and I were looking for nests in Woodlands Valley (better known as "The Snake"). when we found four common sandpiper nests in half an hour, starting at the bridge where the Alport brook joins the Ashop, and walking downstream towards Ladybower reservoir.



A swallow feeding two of its chicks in a mud nest on top of a beam in a barn in Woodlands valley.



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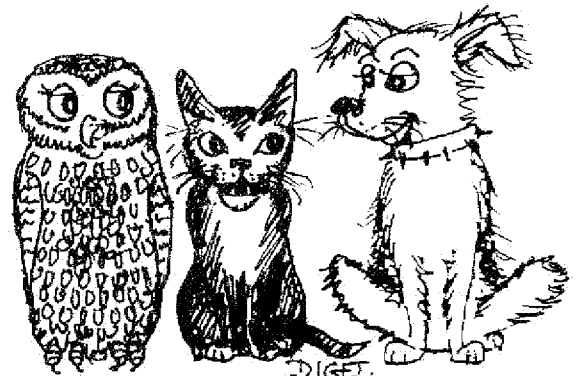
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Office Dinner Dance by Hugh Percival

The office dinner dance is the social highlight of the firm's year. Dress is formal. Previously it had been optional, although I always maintained that, in the interests of decorum, it should be compulsory.

Last year I attended the dinner dance with Audrey, my girl friend. At the reception before the meal drinks were served. I stood next to a young lady who, although familiar, I could not recognise. She was glamorously made up and her coiffure added to her attractions.

"Good evening, Hugh", she spoke in the local dialect. "Is that you?" I enquired.

"No, it's me", she replied with a laugh. "I thought you were Valerie. So sorry", I replied, to identify her.

"It is Valerie, silly", she said mockingly.

"Oh! You look so beautiful that I did not recognise you", I laughed loudly.

Valerie frowned. "That's not a compliment you know. I'm always beautiful," she said indignantly.

"Of course. I was only joking", I replied. "This is Audrey, my girlfriend".

The two girls shook hands and Valerie introduced Tom, her husband.

I noticed Paul Hawkins, a colleague, chatting away merrily nearby.

"Someone should tell Paul to slow down" I remarked to Valerie. "He gets up to Bents Green before I do. God knows what will happen when he gets a car" Valerie laughed. Paul, a well-known athlete and cross-country runner, runs to the office every morning and back home again in the evening.

The bell rang for dinner promptly at eight o'clock. Over one hundred guests were to dine at a dozen tables. The partner at our table, Peter Grimes, welcomed us cordially and a convivial atmosphere prevailed. I sat next to a young girl, an office junior.

"What is the age of consent these days?" I asked her facetiously. "I'm a little out of touch"

The girl blushed with embarrassment and Audrey, opposite, frowned. I had got off on the wrong foot.

"I've been to hospital today," remarked Alan Bennett, an articulated clerk, on my other side.

"Nothing serious, I hope?" I asked politely.

"No. Mine's a rare blood group and I had to give blood for a seriously ill patient in the same group."

"Does that mean you are now related?" I asked facetiously. Some of my neighbours laughed. This was better, I thought.

The meal was appetising. Prawn cocktail to start. I did not partake of this, being a vegetarian when choice permits.

I also forsook the fish course that followed. My main course was nut cutlets, the others having roast beef. There was a choice of sweet between sorbet and chocolate eclairs. Cheese and biscuits brought the meal to a satisfactory conclusion. Wine, served with the meal, helped to make matters convivial.

Afterwards a partner, Adam Pearson, made a brief speech. He welcomed the guests, trusted we had enjoyed the meal for which he thanked the chef and his staff, and hoped we would enjoy the dancing to come. He congratulated several clerks on passing examinations and made a brief appraisal of the firm's prospects and performance over the past year.

Ronald Maitland, a tall, handsome, young man at the next table replied on behalf of the employees. He had recently joined the staff, having previously worked for a national firm in Manchester.

"I am honoured to be selected to reply on behalf of the staff", he began. "I am gradually getting used to my change of

employment. People at my previous firm seemed different, somehow."

"Intelligent?" I suggested to my neighbours who broke into laughter.

Ronald Maitland ignored my interruption and continued his address. "I hope I am not being esoteric in saying this."

"Could you spell that please?" I called out facetiously. "If not perhaps Valerie could put a notice on the board on Monday."

Laughter followed, although Maitland appeared not to be amused. He continued. "It was a pleasure to turn out for the office cricket team in the summer. I recall Hugh Percival standing in the slips, legs apart, waiting for a tickle. Little chance at his age."

I acknowledged this repartee with a wan smile as general laughter broke out.

Maitland continued, "While talking of cricket I feel that John Wrigley's contribution to the noble game is much underestimated. We must not overlook the overconfidence imparted to the opposition by his very appearance on the field of play." (Laughter). "Of course he is a Wednesdayite - but then nobody is perfect." (Laughter from Unitedites and dour, morose, looks from those supporting Wednesday.)

Ronald resumed after taking a sip of wine from his glass. "I was amused to read the opinion of counsel in the Ken Dodd case i.e. Although it is apparent in this case that a comedian cannot be expected to be a chartered accountant there is ample evidence to support the view that a chartered accountant can be - and often is - a comedian." (laughter) "Numerous examples come to my mind - and no doubt to yours also. In the interests of social harmony I will not be more explicit tonight." (Hilarious laughter).

Maitland continued after the laughter had died down. "I was delighted to hear Mr. Pearson's tribute to the successful examinees. In particular that Reginald Trotter has at last been rewarded following his endeavours. This follows, I understand, a non-too-successful academic performance at school. In the school examinations he failed to pass in history, his favourite subject. You will not be surprised to hear that he also went down in physics, chemistry, english grammar and literature, french, german, geography and art. (Laughter).

Ronald continued, "Those of you with a literary taste will have heard of Mrs. Malaprop. As you may know Reginald is not an advocate of monotony - or so he told me. I suspect he meant to say monogamy." (laughter). "Perhaps not. A good example of a malapropism, don't you think?"

Maitland concluded "It but remains for me to thank the partners for tonight's sumptuous repast, together with the notable assistance of the chef, Mr. Goodwin, and his staff - and to hope that everyone will enjoy the dancing and festivities to come". Ronald Maitland sat down to enthusiastic applause and cheering.

The rest of the evening, spent in the bar and on the dance floor to the music of a versatile quintet and vocalist, passed swiftly and merrily on.

In the small hours I ordered a taxi. Audrey and I bade my colleagues and their partners a fond farewell and departed to our respective abodes. At home I retired at once to bed to dream of the evening's momentous events.

PUZZLE CORNER ANSWER (See page10)

Solution to CARD TRICKS.

ARRANGE THE CARDS 3, 8, 7, ace, K, 6,4,2, Q, knave, 10, 9, 5. Don Ashford

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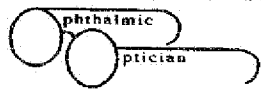
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SUN. 7TH. and 21ST. **MINIATURE TRAIN RIDES**, Abbeydale Road South.
1 p.m. to 5p.m.

TUES. 2ND. **WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP**, Harvest Festival Celebration in the Church, 2-30 pm. Totley Rise Methodist Church.

WED. 3RD. **WEDNESDAY FRIENDSHIP**, "A Clip Round the Earhole or Just a Hug". Mr A.Ward. Totley Rise Methodist Church Primary Room. 8-00 p.m.

SAT. 13TH. **AUTUMN FAIR**, Totley All Saints' School, 2-00 to 4-00 p.m.. Full details inside.

SAT. 13TH. **TREVOR ALLAN, MALE VOCALS**, Heatherfield Club, Baslow Rd. 8 pm. Non Members Welcome Entrance £1.50. 8-30 p.m.

MON.15TH. **"Virgin Vic Evening"**, King Egberts Wessex Site 7-30. Tickets £2-00. Tel. 2364430 or 2363424

TUES. 16TH. **TOTLEY TOWNSWOMEN'S GUILD**, "Donkey Sanctuary" Mr. John Sterling, Totley Rise Methodist Church Hall, 10am

TUES. 16TH. **WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP**, "The Happiest Place on Earth", Rev. C.Kirk, Totley Rise Methodist Church 2.30 pm

WED. 17TH. **WEDNESDAY FRIENDSHIP & UNITED NATIONS**

ASSOCIATION JOINT MEETING TO MARK ONE WORLD WEEK. Rev. Brian Cranwell will speak on his recent visit to Malawi and the work he was involved with there. Totley Rise Methodist Church Primary Room. 8-00 p.m.

SAT. 20TH. **GLORIOUS BRASS AND VOICES**, St. Marks Church, Broomhall, Sheffield 7-30 p.m. Sheffield Bach Society. Full details inside.

MON. 22ND. **TRANSPORT 17 GENERAL MEETING**, Totley Library 7-30 pm. Details inside.

WED. 24 to SAT 27TH. **"It Runs In The Family"** by The Dramatic Society, United Reformed Church 7-30. Full details inside.

SAT. 27TH. **ELLI JAMES, MALE VOCALS**, Heatherfield Club, Baslow Rd. 8 pm. Non Members Welcome Entrance £1.50. 8-30 p.m.

TUES. 30TH. **WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP**, "The story of Cole Brothers", by Dr.N.Greenwood, Totley Rise Methodist Church 2.30 pm

NOVEMBER

2ND. **QUIZ NIGHT**, King Egberts School, Wessex Hall 8-00p.m. Tickets at the door. Bring your own refreshments. Further details tel. 2364430 or 2363424

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