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THE RINGERS' 'ROLL OF HONOUR.'

No time has been lost by the Hon. Librarian of the Central Council in taking steps to make the Ringers' 'Roll of Honour' accurate and complete, so that it may eventually be engrossed and placed in the Council's Library. As will have been seen from our last issue, a circular has been issued to Association Secretaries asking for revised lists, and these are already being sent in. The object of the roll is to place on permanent record the names of those ringers who gave up their lives in the war, and much of its value will lie in its accuracy. For that reason the Librarian has asked for certain particulars of the men, but, as at present proposed, it is only intended to insert in the list the names of the fallen. In a matter of this kind, which involves a considerable amount of labour, and is certainly not devoid of difficulties, we hesitate to suggest anything beyond what those who are responsible for the work believe to be practicable, but we hope at any rate that the parish or tower, to which each of the fallen men belonged will be added after the respective names. This would make the roll a much more complete record, for it would enable future generations not only to read a list of names, which would convey little except by its length, but would serve to identify the men who went out from our belfries to return not again.

We are not unmindful of the difficulties which may be involved in carrying out this suggestion, but we think our readers will agree with us that the cause is more than worthy of the necessary effort. The Council's roll of honour will be the only list comprising the names of the fallen ringers of the whole country and, while the work is being undertaken, it is highly desirable that it should contain sufficient information to identify the men with the parishes in which they served as ringers. In any event, a list cannot be correctly compiled without reference to tower secretaries and we do not think Association officials, in a matter of this kind, will begrudge the extra work which may be necessary to transmit the additional information to the Librarian. The greatest trouble arises with those local secretaries who cannot be stirred up to send any information at all, and these will increase the difficulties of making the roll complete whether the name of a parish is added or not. Moreover, information is already asked for which will enable duplication of names to be avoided as far as possible, and the amplification of the details in the manner we suggest would be of great assistance in this direction. It would certainly add to the interest and value of the roll. We hope it is not too late for this suggestion to be considered and acted upon if found to be feasible. We believe that it is practicable and that the Association Secretaries would willingly give their aid.

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TWELVE BELL PEAL.

LONDON.

THE SOCIETY OF ROYAL CUMBERLAND YOUTHS.

On Saturday, Aug. 12, 1922, in Three Hours and Forty-Four Minutes,
AT THE CHURCH OF ST. LEONARD, SHOREDITCH,

A PEAL OF STEDMAN CINQUES, 5007 CHANGES;

Tenor 28½ cwt.

JOHN D. MATTHEWS Treble	RICHARD BEVAN 7
BENJAMIN FOSKETT 2	ALFRED KING 8
HAROLD P. BURTON 3	FRANK SMITH 9
ARTHUR N. HARDY 4	CECIL J. MATTHEWS 10
THOMAS NEWMAN 5	HARRY SEAR 11
GEORGE HOLLIS 6	JOHN MOULE Tenor

Composed by C. H. HATTERSLY. Conducted by J. D. MATTHEWS.

Specially arranged for Mr. George Hollis, of Chesterfield, an old member of the Society, who was on a visit to London after an absence of 20 years.

TEN BELL PEALS.

KETTERING, NORTHANTS.

THE CENTRAL NORTHAMPTONSHIRE ASSOCIATION.

On Saturday, Aug. 5, 1922, in Three Hours and Twenty-Nine Minutes,
AT THE PARISH CHURCH,

A PEAL OF KENT TREBLE BOB ROYAL, 5000 CHANGES;

Tenor 24 cwt.

TOM TEBBUTT Treble	FREDERICK W. SAWFORD ... 6
E. MAURICE ATKINS 2	WILLIAM RODGERS 7
*MATTHIAS HOBBS 3	CHARLES W. BIRD 8
BERTIE O. SODEN 4	FRED WILFORD 9
†JACK SADDINGTON 5	REV. CYRIL W. O. JENKYN Tenor

Composed and Conducted by E. M. ATKINS.

* First peal on ten bells. † First peal of Treble Ten. First peal of Royal on the bells. Rung to celebrate the marriage of Mr. Robert F. Turner, a local ringer, who has been Secretary of the Kettering District of the above Association for many years.

MINEHEAD, SOMERSET.

THE LLANDAFF AND MONMOUTH DIOCESAN ASSOCIATION.

On Monday, Aug. 7, 1922, in Three Hours and Eighteen Minutes,
AT THE CHURCH OF ST. MICHAEL,

A PEAL OF GRANDSIRE CATERS, 5003 CHANGES;

Tenor 21 cwt. in E.

FRED ATWELL Treble	*ERNEST STITCH 6
JOHN W. JONES 2	HENRY WEST 7
WILLIAM B. BISS 3	WILLIAM BOLTON 8
CHARLES GREEDY 4	FRED CHAMBERLAIN 9
WILLIAM HEATH 5	SEYMOUR R. BARKER ... Tenor

Composed by JAMES GEORGE. Conducted by FRED CHAMBERLAIN.

* First peal of Caters.

EPSOM, SURREY.

THE LONDON COUNTY ASSOCIATION.

(LATE THE ST. JAMES' SOCIETY)

On Monday, Aug. 7, 1922, in Two Hours and Fifty-Seven Minutes,
AT THE CHURCH OF ST. MARTIN,

A PEAL OF STEDMAN CATERS, 5001 CHANGES;

Tenor 16 cwt. 0 qr. 2 lb. in E.

ISAAC G. SHADE Treble	AMOS CLARK 6
THOMAS H. TAFENDER 2	†JOSEPH S. HAWKINS 7
FREDERICK W. ROGERS 3	JAMES BULLOCK 8
HERBERT E. AUDSLEY 4	JAMES GEORGE 9
*EDWIN J. HARDING, JUN. ... 5	FRANCIS E. DAWE Tenor

Composed by JOHN COX. Conducted by FRANCIS EDWARD DAWE.

* First peal of Caters. † First attempt for a peal on ten bells. This is the quickest peal on the bells. Mr. Dawe has now called a peal in this, his favourite method, from every bell in a ring of eight, ten and twelve. The Rev. Waldegrave Bainbridge Bell, Vicar, visited the belfry and cordially welcomed the visitors, heartily wishing them success. The head ringer, Mr. P. Cooper, kindly had everything in readiness.

IFFLEY, OXON.—On Saturday, July 22nd, 720 Kent Treble Bob Minor: Miss S. Davis 1, J. Honey 2, Mrs. A. E. Lock 3, T. Payne 4, A. E. Lock (conductor) 5, G. Caudwell 6.

GREAT YARMOUTH, NORFOLK.
THE NORWICH ST EDMUNDSBURY AND IPSWICH
DIOCESAN ASSOCIATION.

On Monday, Aug. 7, 1922, in Three Hours and Thirty-Four Minutes,
At the Church of St. Nicholas,

A PEAL OF KENT TREBLE BOB ROYAL, 5000 CHANGES;

Tenor 30 cwt.

ERNEST J. NEWELL Treble	FREDK. H. DEXTER 6
FREDK. J. HOWCHIN 2	HARRY WRIGHT 7
GEORGE CLAYTON 3	BEN S. THOMPSON 8
WILLIAM LEE 4	GEORGE H. CROSS 9
FRANCIS W. NAUNTON 5	NORMAN R. BAILEY Tenor

Composed by FREDK. H. DEXTER. Conducted by GEORGE H. CROSS.

First peal of Treble Ten by the ringers of treble, 3rd, 4th, 5th and 7th. Messrs. E. J. Newell and F. H. Dexter were proposed members of the Association prior to commencing the peal.

MAIDSTONE, KENT.
THE KENT COUNTY ASSOCIATION.

On Monday, Aug. 7, 1922, in Three Hours and Thirty-Two Minutes,
At the Church of All Saints,

A PEAL OF STEDMAN CATERS, 5043 CHANGES;

Tenor 32 cwt. in D.

THOMAS MANNERING Treble	CHARLES MILLWAY 6
WILLIAM SPICE, SEN. 2	ERNEST J. DOBBIE 7
CLR.-SGT. J. BENNETT, R.M.L.I. 3	CLARENCE H. DOBBIE 8
LEONARD MANNERING 4	STANLEY B. DOBBIE 9
GEORGE W. STEERE 5	ALFRED H. PULLING Tenor

Composed by FREDK. A. HOLDEN. Conducted by ALFRED H. PULLING.

STROUD, GLOUCESTERSHIRE.
THE GLOUCESTER AND BRISTOL DIOCESAN ASSOCIATION.

On Monday, Aug. 7, 1922, in Three Hours and Thirty-Five Minutes,
At the Church of St. Lawrence,

A PEAL OF BOB ROYAL, 5040 CHANGES;

GEORGE ORCHARD Treble	WILLIAM LANCASTER 6
THOMAS BALDWIN 2	SYDNEY HICKS 7
ALBERT WRIGHT 3	ALFRED HANNIS 8
WILLIAM HASTINGS 4	JOHN BALLINGER 9
CHARLES GARDINER 5	FRANK COLE Tenor

Composed by ERNEST MORRIS. Conducted by ALBERT WRIGHT.

NEWCASTLE-ON-TYNE.
THE DURHAM & NEWCASTLE DIOCESAN ASSOCIATION.

On Thursday, Aug. 10, 1922, in Three Hours and Thirty-Seven Minutes,
At the Cathedral Church of St. Nicholas,

A PEAL OF LITTLE BOB ROYAL, 5040 CHANGES;

Tenor 37½ cwt.

*GEORGE A. PICKERING ... Treble	*JOHN FOREMAN 6
*JOSEPH ROWELL 2	ALFRED F. HILLIER 7
*RICHARD THOMPSON 3	*BENJAMIN C. DIXON 8
ASA HOLMES 4	JOSEPH E. R. KEEN 9
WILLIAM H. BARBER 5	ERNEST E. FERRY Tenor

Composed and Conducted by WILLIAM H. BARBER.

* First peal of Royal. First peal in the method on the bells and by all the band except the conductor. Rung as a farewell peal to Mr. B. C. Dixon, who is leaving the district for Spain. Rung after meeting short for Maximus.

LONDON.
THE LONDON COUNTY ASSOCIATION.
(LATE THE ST. JAMES' SOCIETY.)

On Saturday, Aug. 12, 1922, in Three Hours and Twenty-Six Minutes,
At the Church of St. Clement Danes, Strand,

A PEAL OF STEDMAN CATERS, 5030 CHANGES;

Tenor 24 cwt. in E flat.

FRANCIS E. DAVE Treble	WILLIAM H. THEOBALD 6
THOMAS H. TAFFENDER 2	JOSEPH S. HAWKINS 7
ARTHUR J. NEALE 3	THOMAS WALKER 8
HORACE BELCHER 4	HARRY MANCE 9
WALTER G. MATTHEWS 5	GEORGE A. CARD Tenor

Composed by JOHN CARTER. Conducted by THOMAS H. TAFFENDER.

This peal was rung immediately after the wedding, at the above church, of Mr. Arthur D. Barker, General Secretary of the London County Association, to Miss Gladys E. Bateman, Assistant Secretary.

EIGHT BELL PEALS.

CHIPPENHAM.

THE GLOUCESTER AND BRISTOL DIOCESAN ASSOCIATION.

On Tuesday, Aug. 1, 1922, in Two Hours and Forty-Eight Minutes,
At the Church of St. Paul,

A PEAL OF GRANDSIRE TRIPLES, 5040 CHANGES;

HOLT'S TEN-PART.

Tenor 16 cwt.

*A. HULL Treble	*C. LOVEGROVE 5
T. DANIELS 2	S. WILTSHIRE 6
A. KNIGHT 3	E. PERRY 7
†E. TRUMAN 4	M. MERRETT Tenor

Conducted by S. WILTSHIRE.

* First peal. † First peal 'inside.'

ASHTED, SURREY.

THE SURREY ASSOCIATION.

On Thursday, Aug. 3, 1922, in Two Hours and Fifty Minutes,
At the Church of St. Giles,

A PEAL OF BOB MAJOR, 5050 CHANGES;

WILLIAM COOK Treble	WILLIAM H. CORBETT 5
JOHN WYATT 2	GEORGE MARRINER 6
JOHN BEAMS 3	ALBERT HARMAN 7
GEORGE COOK 4	ARTHUR DEAN Tenor

Composed by G. CROSS. Conducted by ALBERT HARMAN.

Rung as a birthday compliment to the ringer of the treble.

FULNEY, LINCOLNSHIRE.
THE LINCOLN DIOCESAN GUILD.

On Friday, Aug. 4, 1922, in Three Hours and Five Minutes,
At the Church of St. Paul,

A PEAL OF BOB MAJOR, 5040 CHANGES;

Tenor 15 cwt in F.

GEORGE LADD Treble	HORACE M. DAY 5
JOHN T. BROWN 2	ARTHUR RIGGALL 6
JOHN G. AMES 3	JOHN A. FREEMAN 7
ARTHUR J. FARR 4	JOHN W. WOOD Tenor

Composed by JOHN CARTER. Conducted by JOHN W. WOOD.

CAYTHORPE, LINCOLNSHIRE.
THE LINCOLN DIOCESAN GUILD.

On Saturday, Aug. 5, 1922, in Three Hours and Four Minutes,
At the Church of St. Vincent,

A PEAL OF GRANDSIRE TRIPLES, 5040 CHANGES;

PARKER'S SIX-PART.

Tenor 13 cwt.

SIDNEY PROCTOR Treble	WILLIAM KIRTON 5
*HARRY SQUIRES 2	EDMUND MOUNTER 6
*HARRY HAYNES 3	ARTHUR WARD 7
†HARRY PROCTOR 4	THOMAS HALL Tenor

Conducted by SIDNEY PROCTOR.

* First peal in the method. † First peal of Grandsire 'inside.'

HORSHAM, SUSSEX.

THE SUSSEX COUNTY ASSOCIATION.

On Saturday, Aug. 5, 1922, in Three Hours and Six Minutes,
At the Church of St. Mary,

A PEAL OF SUPERLATIVE SURPRISE MAJOR, 5088 CHANGES;

Tenor 21 cwt.

ALFRED J. BULL Treble	ALFRED H. WINCH 5
JOHN T. RICKMAN 2	GEORGE ELLIS 6
ALFRED W. GROVES 3	OLIVER SIPPETTS 7
EDWIN F. PIKE 4	KEITH HART Tenor

Composed by GABRIEL LINDOFF. Conducted by OLIVER SIPPETTS.

STOKE, COVENTRY.

THE WARWICKSHIRE GUILD.

On Saturday, Aug. 5, 1922, in Two Hours and Fifty-Nine Minutes,
At the Church of St. Michael,

A PEAL OF GRANDSIRE TRIPLES, 5040 CHANGES;

GROVES' VARIATION OF PARKER'S TWELVE-PART. Tenor 13½ cwt.

FRANK PERVIN Treble	*THOMAS HASTINGS 5
OSWALD J. HUNT 2	EDWARD H. JOHNSON 6
ADOLPHUS ROBERTS 3	JOSEPH H. W. WHITE 7
WILLIAM J. SMITH 4	WILLIAM CLEMENTS Tenor

Conducted by F. PERVIN.

* First peal with a bob bell.

BLACKBURN, LANCASHIRE.
THE LANCASHIRE ASSOCIATION.
 (BLACKBURN AND PRESTON BRANCHES.)

On Saturday, Aug. 5, 1922, in Three Hours and Two Minutes,
 AT THE CHURCH OF ST. MICHAEL AND ALL ANGELS,

A PEAL OF STEDMAN TRIPLES, 5040 CHANGES;

BROOKS' VARIATION.		Tenor 12½ cwt.	
TOM STANCLIFFE	Treble	JOHN WATSON	5
*FRED RIGBY	2	ARTHUR TOMLINSON	6
FRED CHAMBERS	3	FRED BRADLEY	7
ARTHUR CHAMBERLAIN	4	*JOHN GARTSIDE	Tenor

Conducted by F. BRADLEY.

* First peal in the method and first attempt. First peal and first attempt as conductor.

BARROW GURNEY, SOMERSET.
THE BATH AND WELLS DIOCESAN ASSOCIATION.

On Saturday, Aug. 5, 1922, in Two Hours and Fifty-Five Minutes,
 AT THE CHURCH OF SS. MARY AND EDMUND,

A PEAL OF GRANDSIRE TRIPLES, 5040 CHANGES;

GROVES' VARIATION OF PARKER'S TWELVE-PART.		Tenor 16 cwt.	
THOMAS GRIFFIN	Treble	ERNEST PALMER	5
*GERALD GRIFFIN	2	WALTER FARLEY	6
JOSEPH T. DYKE	3	JOHN JEFFRIES	7
SIDNEY ABRAHAM	4	†HENRY BABB	Tenor

Conducted by JOSEPH T. DYKE.

* First peal of Triples. † First peal.

WRAXHALL, SOMERSET.
THE GLOUCESTER AND BRISTOL DIOCESAN ASSOCIATION.

On Saturday, Aug. 5, 1922, in Two Hours and Fifty-Eight Minutes,
 AT THE CHURCH OF ALL SAINTS,

A PEAL OF DOUBLE NORWICH COURT BOB MAJOR, 5088 CHANGES;

Tenor 23½ cwt.	
HENRY PRING	Treble
*EDGAR GUISE	2
MISS PHYLLIS HARE... ..	3
RICHARD CLARK... ..	4
ALBERT E. STOWELL	5
ALFRED E. REEVES	6
JOHN A. BURFORD	7
WILLIAM A. CAVE	Tenor

Composed by JAMES HUNT. Conducted by WILLIAM A. CAVE.

* First peal in the method. First in the method on the bells.

ROMFORD, ESSEX.
THE ESSEX ASSOCIATION.

On Monday, Aug. 7, 1922, in Three Hours and Seven Minutes,
 AT THE CHURCH OF ST. EDWARD,

A PEAL OF LONDON SURPRISE MAJOR, 5056 CHANGES;

Tenor 15½ cwt.	
ARTHUR CHAPLIN	Treble
WILLIAM MILLER	2
ALFRED PYE	3
*CYRIL PEASE	4
GEORGE R. PYE	5
WILLIAM KEEBLE	6
HAROLD CLARKE	7
WILLIAM PYE	Tenor

Composed by GABRIEL LINDOFF. Conducted by WILLIAM KEEBLE.

* First peal in the method. Cyril Pease is 18 years of age, and this was only his second Surprise peal and first attempt for London. First peal on the bells since rejoining.

BARTON-ON-HUMBER, LINCOLNSHIRE.
THE LINCOLN DIOCESAN GUILD.

On Monday, Aug. 7, 1922, in Two Hours and Fifty-Eight Minutes,
 AT THE CHURCH OF ST. PETER,

A PEAL OF STEDMAN TRIPLES, 5040 CHANGES;

DEXTER'S VARIATION OF THURSTANS'. Tenor 10 cwt. 1 qr. 24 lb.	
JOHN W. SEAMER	Treble
WALTER AYRE	2
*JOHN B. BUDD	3
REDVERS ELKINGTON	4
THOMAS VALLANCE	5
HAROLD J. POOLE	6
*ARTHUR W. HOODLESS	7
*WALTER GODDARD	Tenor

Conducted by H. J. POOLE.

* First peal of Stedman. First peal in the method on the bells. Rung as a birthday compliment to Mrs. W. E. Varah, the wife of the Vicar, and for the 1,253rd anniversary of the dedication of the church. The ringers of the treble and 3rd hail from Grimsby, 4th, 5th and 6th from Leicester, 7th and tenor belong to the local company. The ringer of the 2nd was on a visit to his native place.

OSWALDTWISTLE, LANCASHIRE.
THE LANCASHIRE ASSOCIATION.

On Monday, Aug. 7, 1922, in Two Hours and Fifty-Seven Minutes,
 AT THE PARISH CHURCH,

A PEAL OF LANCASHIRE SURPRISE MAJOR, 5152 CHANGES;

Tenor 11½ cwt.	
WILLIAM BARNES	Treble
MISS M. HOULDSWORTH	2
MISS ELLEN SHAW	3
JAMES SHAW... ..	4
ALFRED T. HOULDSWORTH	5
JONATHAN WHEWELL... ..	6
JAMES HOULDSWORTH... ..	7
WILLIAM RILEY	Tenor

Composed by J. MARTIN.

Conducted by J. HOULDSWORTH.

This method, by A. Craven, is now rung for the first time. Rung by the local company.

MONMOUTH, MONMOUTHSHIRE.
THE HEREFORD DIOCESAN GUILD.

On Monday, Aug. 7, 1922, in Three Hours and Six Minutes,
 AT THE CHURCH OF ST. MARY,

A PEAL OF BOB MAJOR, 5056 CHANGES;

Tenor 20 cwt.	
*ALFRED T. POULTON... ..	Treble
ROBERT RICHARDSON	2
MISS PHYLLIS HARE... ..	3
MISS ANNIE PARKINS	4
SYDNEY T. RACKHAM	5
WILLIAM POSTON... ..	6
EX-SGT. J. WILLIAMS... ..	7
JOHN CLARK	Tenor

Composed by J. A. TROLLOPE.

Conducted by R. RICHARDSON.

* First peal of Major. This is believed to be the first peal of Major on the bells.

CALDICOT, MONMOUTHSHIRE.
THE LLANDAFF AND MONMOUTH DIOCESAN ASSOCIATION

On Monday, Aug. 7, 1922, in Two Hours and Fifty Minutes,
 AT THE CHURCH OF ST. MARY,

A PEAL OF GRANDSIRE TRIPLES, 6040 CHANGES;

Tenor 13 cwt. 0 qr. 6 lb.	
GEORGE WATTS	Treble
THOMAS A. FORD... ..	2
SAMUEL JONES	3
FREDERICK R. BELTON	4
GODFREY L. STAFFORD	5
PERCIVAL H. STAFFORD	6
WILLIAM PHILLIPS	7
ARTHUR LEWIS	Tenor

Composed by JOHN CARTER.

Conducted by SAMUEL JONES.

HITCHIN, HERTS.
THE HERTFORD COUNTY ASSOCIATION.

On Monday, Aug. 7, 1922, in Three Hours and Twenty-Three Minutes,
 AT THE CHURCH OF ST. MARY,

A PEAL OF DOUBLE NORWICH COURT BOB MAJOR, 5120 CHANGES;

Tenor 28 cwt.	
*HERBERT ELSE	Treble
*CHARLES V. HARE	2
HERBERT E. DAY	3
HENRY S. REEVES	4
*GEORGE WOLFE... ..	5
JOHN T. KENTISH	6
LEONARD FIDLER	7
†GEORGE T. CROFT	Tenor

Composed by GEORGE H. CROSS. Conducted by GEORGE T. CROFT.

* First peal in the method. † First peal of Double Norwich as conductor.

EARLS COLNE, ESSEX.
THE ST. EDMUNDSBURY AND IPSWICH DIOCESAN ASSOCIATION.

On Tuesday, Aug. 8, 1922, in Three Hours and Ten Minutes,
 AT THE CHURCH OF ST. ANDREW,

A PEAL OF CAMBRIDGE SURPRISE MAJOR, 5056 CHANGES;

Tenor 14½ cwt.	
WALTER SADLER... ..	Treble
JAMES FLEUTY	2
ANDREW SHUFFLEBOTHAM... ..	3
FRANK CLAYDON	4
GEORGE F. WILLIAMS	5
WILLIAM ELLIOTT	6
WILLIAM KEEBLE	7
ARTHUR SAUNDERS	Tenor

Composed by CHARLES MIDDLETON. Conducted by WILLIAM KEEBLE.

EASTBOURNE, SUSSEX.
THE SUSSEX COUNTY ASSOCIATION.

On Saturday, Aug. 12, 1922, in Three Hours and Ten Minutes,
 AT CHRIST CHURCH,

A PEAL OF STEDMAN TRIPLES, 6040 CHANGES;

THURSTANS' FOUR-PART.	
THOMAS J. SALTER	Treble
ARTHUR K. GOWER	2
ERNEST GOWER	3
ALFRED C. PANKHURST	4
GEORGE W. STOKES	5
EDWARD W. BRAY	6
KEITH HART... ..	7
EDWARD G. BABER	Tenor

Conducted by KEITH HART.

DAVENTRY, NORTHANTS.
THE CENTRAL NORTHAMPTONSHIRE ASSOCIATION.

On Tuesday, Aug. 8, 1922, in Three Hours and Sixteen Minutes,

AT THE CHURCH OF THE HOLY CROSS,

A PEAL OF SUPERLATIVE SURPRISE MAJOR, 5058 CHANCES;

Tenor 18 cwt.

HERBERT RAINBOW Treble	WILLIAM ROGERS 5
JOHN W. CHANDLER 2	JOHN T. HENSMAN 6
TOM TEBBUTT 3	HENRY BLUNDELL 7
WALTER MALINS 4	WILLIAM J. ALLEN Tenor

Composed by C. H. HATTERSLEY. Conducted by W. J. ALLEN.

First peal of Major on the bells. The ringers of 2nd and 4th hail from Rugby and were proposed members of the Association previous to the peal. The rest of the band are from Northampton, and the thanks of all are due to the Rector for so readily granting permission to ring, and also to Mr. A. Moore for having everything ready.

GREAT GRIMSBY.
THE LINCOLN DIOCESAN GUILD.

On Thursday, Aug. 10, 1922, in Three Hours and Five Minutes,

AT THE CHURCH OF ST. ANDREW,

A PEAL OF DOUBLE NORWICH COURT BOB MAJOR, 5184 CHANCES;

Tenor 15½ cwt.

HAROLD RUSHEY Treble	JOHN B. BUDD 5
HAROLD J. POOLE 2	FRED METCALFE 6
REDVERS ELKINGTON 3	JOHN W. SEAMER 7
ALONZA W. LONG 4	WALTER AYRE Tenor

Composed by J. R. PRITCHARD. Conducted by JOHN W. SEAMER.

First peal in the method by all except the ringers of the 2nd and tenor. First peal in the method on the bells and in Grimsby.

FRESSINGFIELD, SUFFOLK.
THE NORWICH, ST. EDMUNDSBURY AND IPSWICH ASSOCIATION.

On Saturday, Aug. 12, 1922, in Three Hours and Eleven Minutes,

AT THE CHURCH OF SS. PETER AND PAUL,

A PEAL OF OXFORD TREBLE BOB MAJOR, 5088 CHANCES;

Tenor 17½ cwt.

*WILLIAM RICHES Treble	CHARLES CUTTING 5
*ROBERT RICHES 2	ERNEST WHITING 6
JAMES BOUGHTON 3	FREDERICK BORRETT 7
*JOHN ETHERIDGE 4	ALBERT RICHES Tenor

Composed by J. J. BRIERLY. Conducted by F. BORRETT.

* First peal in the method.

HACKINGTON, CANTERBURY.
THE KENT COUNTY ASSOCIATION.

On Saturday, Aug. 12, 1922, in Three Hours and Five Minutes,

AT THE CHURCH OF ST. STEPHEN,

A PEAL OF KENT TREBLE BOB MAJOR, 5088 CHANCES;

Tenor 11 cwt.

*FRANK JENKINS Treble	EDWIN G. BOESDEN 5
FREDERICK G. BRETT 2	*GEORGE F. SIMPSON 6
REV. F. J. O. HELMORE 3	CHARLES W. BRETT 7
MAURICE SMITH 4	*GEORGE G. JENKINS Tenor

Composed by F. A. HOLDEN. Conducted by E. G. BOESDEN.

* First peal of Major. Mr. Smith hails from Banbury, and was elected a member before starting for the peal.

BRITH, KENT.
THE KENT COUNTY ASSOCIATION.

On Saturday, Aug. 12, 1922, in Three Hours and Two Minutes,

AT CHRIST CHURCH,

A PEAL OF CAMBRIDGE SURPRISE MAJOR, 5038 CHANCES;

Tenor 17½ cwt.

HERBERT A. HOLDEN Treble	JOHN H. CHEESMAN 5
THOMAS GROOMBRIDGE, JUN. 2	HERBERT E. AUDSLEY 6
ISAAC G. SHADE 3	GEORGE H. DAYNES 7
ISAAC EMERY 4	THOMAS GROOMBRIDGE, SEN. Tenor

Composed by C. MIDDLETON. Conducted by T. GROOMBRIDGE, JUN.

First peal of Cambridge on the bells, and by the treble and 7th. First peal of Surprise as conductor.

CHERITON, KENT.—At St. Martin's Church, 720 Bob Minor: W. Beal 1, F. Slingsby 2, E. R. Warner 3, A. Higgins 4, S. Baker 5, W. Stanford (conductor) 6.

BOLSOVER, DERBYSHIRE.
THE MIDLAND COUNTIES ASSOCIATION.

(SHEFFIELD DISTRICT SOCIETY.)

On Saturday, Aug. 12, 1922, in Three Hours and Five Minutes,

AT THE PARISH CHURCH,

A PEAL OF SUPERLATIVE SURPRISE MAJOR, 5120 CHANCES;

Tenor 14½ cwt.

*WILLIAM PALMER Treble	WALTER ALLWOOD 5
*JOHN THORPE 2	CHARLES MASON 6
WILLIAM LAMBERT 3	*SYDNEY F. PALMER 7
ARTHUR KNIGHTS 4	JOHN FLINT Tenor

Composed by ARTHUR CRAVEN. Conducted by JOHN FLINT.

* First peal in the method. The conductor's 100th peal on the bells.

DITCHHEAT, SOMERSET.
THE BATH AND WELLS DIOCESAN ASSOCIATION.

On Saturday, Aug. 12, 1922, in Three Hours and Sixteen Minutes,

AT THE CHURCH OF ST. MARY MAGDALENE,

A PEAL OF STEDMAN TRIPLES, 5040 CHANCES;

THURSTANS' FOUR-PART.

Tenor 24½ cwt.

JOHN THOMAS Treble	JOHN H. B. HESSE 5
JOSEPH T. DYKE 2	JAMES HUNT 6
JESSE B. TYLER 3	WALTER FARLEY 7
PERCY MERSON 4	ALFRED H. POLLING Tenor

Conducted by ALFRED H. POLLING.

First peal of Stedman on the bells. Mr. A. H. Pulling was proposed a member before starting.

BOTTESFORD, LEICESTERSHIRE.
THE FRAMLAND SOCIETY.

On Saturday, Aug. 12, 1922, in Three Hours and Three Minutes,

AT THE CHURCH OF ST. MARY,

A PEAL OF GRANDSIRE TRIPLES, 5040 CHANCES;

PARKER'S SIX-PART.

Tenor 27 cwt.

MARK BEND Treble	ARTHUR W. WARD 5
*JOHN R. JACKSON 2	*R. CECIL BLAKEY 6
JOHN W. KIRTON 3	SIDNEY PROCTOR 7
WILLIAM G. THORPE 4	THOMAS H. HALL Tenor

Conducted by SIDNEY PROCTOR.

* First peal of Triples. Rung in honour of Mr. R. C. Blakey's 21st birthday.

OLDSWINFORD, WORCESTERSHIRE.
THE WORCESTERSHIRE AND DISTRICTS ASSOCIATION.

(NORTHERN BRANCH.)

On Saturday, Aug. 12, 1922, in Three Hours,

AT THE CHURCH OF ST. MARY,

A PEAL OF LONDON SURPRISE MAJOR, 5024 CHANCES;

Tenor 12½ cwt.

HARRY PRICE Treble	JOHN SMITH 5
WILLIAM B. CARTWRIGHT 2	*JOSEPH DAVIES 6
JOHN BASS 3	WILLIAM SHORT 7
SAMUEL GROVE 4	ROBERT MATTHEWS Tenor

Composed by F. BENNETT.

Conducted by R. MATTHEWS.

* First peal of London Surprise. This was the conductor's 300th peal.

The following peals were rung during a visit to towers in and around London:—

LONDON.
THE MIDDLESEX COUNTY ASSOCIATION AND LONDON DIOCESAN GUILD.

On Saturday, July 29, 1922, in Three Hours and Twenty-One Minutes,

AT THE CHURCH OF ST. CLEMENT DANES, STRAND,

A PEAL OF STEDMAN CATERS, 5103 CHANCES;

Tenor 24 cwt.

FREDERICK G. SYMONDS Treble	WILLIAM J. NODDS 6
J. ARMIGER TROLLOPE 2	FRANK BENNETT 7
*CHARLES W. ROBERTS 3	JAMES E. DAVIS 8
MRS. F. I. HAIRS 4	CHARLES W. R. GRIMWOOD 9
CECIL V. EBBERSON 5	FRANK I. HAIRS Tenor

Composed by ARTHUR KNIGHTS. Conducted by FRANK BENNETT.

* First peal of Stedman Caters. Mr. Symonds was re-elected a member of the Association previous to starting. E E E

WILLESDEN, MIDDLESEX.
THE LONDON COUNTY ASSOCIATION.
On Tuesday, Aug. 1, 1922, in Two Hours and Forty-Three Minutes,
At the Church of St. Mary,

A PEAL OF STEDMAN TRIPLES, 5040 CHANGES;

THURSTANS' FOUR-PART.

Tenor 10 cwt.

J. ARMIGER TROLLOPE ... Treble	WILLIAM E. JUDD 5
GEORGE M. KILBY 2	THOMAS NEWMAN 6
WALTER G. MATTHEWS 3	CECIL V. EBBERSON 7
FRANK BENNETT 4	PERCIVAL W. NORTON ... Tenor

Conducted by FRANK BENNETT.

EALING, MIDDLESEX.
THE MIDDLESEX COUNTY ASSOCIATION AND LONDON
DIOCESAN GUILD.

On Wednesday, Aug. 2, 1922, in Three Hours and Five Minutes,
At Christ Church,

A PEAL OF CAMBRIDGE SURPRISE MAJOR, 5056 CHANGES;

Tenor 14 cwt.

GEORGE E. HARBOUR Treble	FRANK BENNETT 5
WILLIAM H. HEWETT 2	JAMES E. DAVIS 6
WILLIAM HENLEY 3	CECIL V. EBBERSON 7
HAROLD P. JAMES 4	J. ARMIGER TROLLOPE ... Tenor

Composed by C. MIDDLETON. Conducted by FRANK BENNETT.

First peal of Cambridge on the bells.

LEWISHAM, KENT.
THE KENT COUNTY ASSOCIATION.
On Thursday, Aug. 3, 1922, in Three Hours and Five Minutes,
At the Church of St. Mary,

A PEAL OF DOUBLE NORWICH COURT BOB MAJOR, 5072 CHANGES;

Tenor 23 cwt.

CHARLES H. WALKER ... Treble	HARRY WARNETT 5
JOHN J. LAMB 2	FRANK BENNETT 6
EDWIN BARNETT 3	GEORGE H. DAYNES 7
ISAAC EMERY 4	CHARLES W. R. GRIMWOOD Tenor

Composed and Conducted by FRANK BENNETT.

HESTON, MIDDLESEX.
THE MIDDLESEX COUNTY ASSOCIATION AND LONDON
DIOCESAN GUILD.

On Saturday, Aug. 5, 1922, in Two Hours and Fifty Minutes,
At the Church of St. Leonard,

A PEAL OF SUPERLATIVE SURPRISE MAJOR, 5088 CHANGES;

Tenor 13½ cwt.

J. ARMIGER TROLLOPE ... Treble	FRANK I. HAIRS 5
MRS. F. I. HAIRS 2	CHARLES W. R. GRIMWOOD 6
FRANK BENNETT 3	WILLIAM HENLEY 7
WILLIAM H. HEWETT 4	WILLIAM WELLING ... Tenor

Composed by N. J. PITSTOW. Conducted by WILLIAM WELLING.

First peal in the method as conductor.

BUSHEY, HERTS.
THE HERTFORDSHIRE ASSOCIATION.

On Monday, Aug. 7, 1922, in Two Hours and Forty-Nine Minutes,
At the Church of St. James,

A PEAL OF CAMBRIDGE SURPRISE MAJOR, 5056 CHANGES;

Tenor 13 cwt.

WILLIAM SEELEY Treble	FREDERICK W. BRINKLOW... 5
MRS. F. I. HAIRS 2	J. ARMIGER TROLLOPE ... 6
FRANK BENNETT 3	CHARLES W. R. GRIMWOOD 7
MAURICE F. R. HIBBERT... 4	WILLIAM G. WHITEHEAD ... Tenor

Composed by C. MIDDLETON. Conducted by M. F. R. HIBBERT.

*First peal of Cambridge 'inside.' First peal of Cambridge as conductor.

ALDENHAM, HERTS.
THE HERTFORDSHIRE ASSOCIATION.
On Monday, Aug. 7, 1922, in Two Hours and Forty-Six Minutes,
At the Church of St. John the Baptist,

A PEAL OF SUPERLATIVE SURPRISE MAJOR, 5024 CHANGES;

Tenor 15 cwt.

WILLIAM SEELEY Treble	FRANK I. HAIRS 5
HUBERT EDEN 2	J. ARMIGER TROLLOPE ... 6
ARTHUR W. DIX 3	CHARLES W. R. GRIMWOOD 7
FRANK BENNETT 4	MAURICE F. R. HIBBERT ... Tenor

Composed by H. W. WILDER. Conducted by FRANK BENNETT.

SIX BELL PEALS.

DENVER, NORFOLK.
THE NORWICH, ST. EDMUNDSBURY AND IPSWICH
ASSOCIATION.

On Saturday, Aug. 5, 1922, in Two Hours and Forty-Two Minutes,
At the Church of St. Mary,

A PEAL OF MINOR, 5040 CHANGES;

Being two 720's each of Kent and Oxford Treble Bob, and three of Plain Bob. Tenor 7 cwt. 2 qr. 3 lb. in A flat.

WALLACE COUSINS ... Treble	BERT GOGLE... .. 4
*ALFRED BACON 2	TONY PRICE 5
FRED WIGMORE... .. 3	CLAUDE COUSINS... .. Tenor

Conducted by TONY PRICE.

* First peal in three methods.

WENHASTON, SUFFOLK.
THE NORWICH, ST. EDMUNDSBURY AND IPSWICH
DIOCESAN ASSOCIATION.

On Saturday, Aug. 5, 1922, in Two Hours and Forty-Five Minutes,
At the Church of St. Peter,

A PEAL OF MINOR, 5040 CHANGES;

Being 720 of Double Oxford and Single Oxford Bob (spliced), and 720 each of Cambridge Surprise, Woodbine, Kent and Oxford Treble Bob, Double Court and Bob Minor. Tenor 14 cwt.

ALBERT J. L. NAUNTON ... Treble	WILFRED H. J. HOOTON ... 4
FREDERICK WADE 2	GEORGE LEE... .. 5
NORMAN R. BAILEY 3	FRANCIS W. NAUNTON ... Tenor

Conducted by FRANCIS W. NAUNTON.

First peal in eight methods on the bells and by all the band except the ringer of the 4th, for whom the peal was arranged. Quickest peal on the bells.

WOODHOUSE EAVES, LEICESTERSHIRE.
THE MIDLAND COUNTIES ASSOCIATION.

On Saturday, Aug. 5, 1922, in Two Hours and Fifty Minutes,
At the Church of St. Paul,

A PEAL OF BOB MINOR, 5040 CHANGES;

Being seven 720's each called differently. Tenor 10 cwt.

WILLIAM THORLEIGH ... Treble	*JOSEPH SQUIRE 4
*WILLIAM NEWMANS 2	HARRY WHITTLE 5
ALAN JACQUES 3	HARRY HAYNES Tenor

Conducted by HARRY WHITTLE.

* First peal. Ringers of 2nd, 3rd, 4th and tenor belong to the local band and were elected members previous to starting for the peal.

MORETON-ON-LUGG, HEREFORDSHIRE.
THE HEREFORD DIOCESAN GUILD.

On Saturday, Aug. 5, 1922, in Two Hours and Forty-Eight Minutes,
At the Church of St. Andrew,

A PEAL OF GRANDSIRE DOUBLES, 1040 CHANGES;

Being 42 six-scores in ten different callings.

Tenor 7 cwt. 1 qr. 17 lb. in B flat.

*IVOR J. RAWLINGS ... Treble	*ARCHIE D. PROBERT... .. 4
*WILLIAM C. JONES 2	IVOR E. PROBERT 5
WILLIAM WILLIAMS... .. 3	*WILLIAM DAVIES Tenor

Conducted by I. E. PROBERT.

* First peal. First peal on the bells. First peal for ringers of 3rd and 5th away from the tenor in Triples. Rung at the first attempt. All the ringers hail from Burghill.

MARKET DEEPIING, LINCOLNSHIRE.
THE LINCOLN DIOCESAN GUILD.

On Saturday, Aug. 5, 1922, in Two Hours and Fifty Minutes,
At the Church of St. Guthlac,

A PEAL OF MINOR, 5040 CHANGES;

Being 720 each of Bob Minor, Double Oxford, Double Court, and two each of Kent and Oxford Treble Bob. Tenor 16 cwt.

WILLIAM TILLEY... .. Treble	ARTHUR RIGGALL... .. 4
GEORGE LADD 2	JOHN A. FREEMAN 5
JOSEPH LONDON 3	HORACE M. DAY Tenor

Conducted by HORACE M. DAY.

Quickest peal on the bells. This peal was arranged for John A. Freeman, who was on a visit to his native town.

HARESFIELD, GLOUCESTERSHIRE.
THE GLOUCESTER AND BRISTOL DIOCESAN ASSOCIATION
On Sunday, Aug. 6, 1922, in Two Hours and Forty-One Minutes,
AT THE CHURCH OF ST. PETER,

A PEAL OF GRANDSIRE & ST. DUNSTAN DOUBLES, 5040 CHANGES;

FRANK COLE Treble	THOMAS PRICE 4
GEORGE ORCHARD 2	† EDWARD PREEDY 5
ALBERT WRIGHT 3	* WILLIAM JONES Tenor

Conducted by ALBERT WRIGHT.

* First peal. † First peal 'inside.'

CHURCHKIRK.
THE LANCASHIRE ASSOCIATION.

On Monday, Aug. 7, 1922, in Two Hours and Fifty-Eight Minutes,
AT THE PARISH CHURCH,

A PEAL OF BOB MINOR, 5040 CHANGES;

Being seven different 720's.

W. HINDLE Treble	* J. MARSH 4
L. ROSTRON 2	A. INGHAM 5
F. HOLLINS 3	L. J. WILLIAMS Tenor

Conducted by L. J. WILLIAMS.

* First peal and proposed a member of the Association before starting.

MITCHAM, SURREY.
THE SURREY ASSOCIATION.

On Monday, Aug. 7, 1922, in Two Hours and Forty-Two Minutes,
AT CHRIST CHURCH,

A PEAL OF BOB MINOR, 5040 CHANGES;

Being seven 720's each called differently. Tenor 7 cwt. in B flat.

* JAMES E. COOPER Treble	ALFRED H. VINCH 4
REGINALD BROUGH 2	* DANIEL COOPER 5
ALFRED MILLER 3	* CHAS. H. KIPPIN, JUN. Tenor

Conducted by CHARLES H. KIPPIN.

Rung as a birthday compliment to Mr. C. H. Reading, Assistant Secretary of the above Association. First peal as conductor. * First peal of Minor.

SIX HUNDRED PEALS.

MR. J. E. DAVIS'S LIST.

The following is the list of Mr. J. E. Davis's 600 peals, of which 125 have been rung at St. John's, Waterloo Road, London, and the remainder in 151 other towers:—

	Rung.	Conducted.
On five bells (3 methods)	1	—
Grandsire Triples	*24	6
Grandsire Major	1	—
Grandsire Caters	16	—
Stedman Triples	50	—
Stedman Caters	77	29
Stedman Cinques	27	—
Treble Bob Major	36	13
Treble Bob Royal	30	16
Treble Bob Maximus	4	—
Double Norwich Major	136	81
Double Norwich Royal	1	—
Real Double Norwich Major	2	—
Forward Major	1	1
Forward Royal	1	—
Duffield Major	1	1
Duffield Royal	1	—
Double Oxford Bob Major	1	—
Plain Bob Major	8	—
Plain Bob Maximus	1	—
Waterloo Reverse Bob Major	1	—
London Surprise Major	10	—
Bristol Surprise Major	24	2
New Cumberland Surprise Major	5	—
Brighton Surprise Major	1	—
Norfolk Surprise Major	9	3
Superlative Surprise Major	47	7
New Cambridge Surprise Major	5	2
Cambridge Surprise Major	49	13
Cambridge Surprise Royal	23	3
Cambridge Surprise Maximus	7	—
Total	600	177

* Including Holt's Original rung non-conducted.

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BELFRY GOSSIP.

The peal of six at Forton, Salop, are being rehung by Messrs. Mears and Stainbank, who are also rehanging the eight at Ruislip, Middlesex, and recasting the 4th, 5th and tenor.

The second peal of Stedman Caters on record was rung on August 23rd, 1788, at St. Leonard's, Shoreditch, by the Royal Cumberland Youths, in whose peal book it is recorded as 'a true peal of 5,184 Grandsire Caters on Stedman's principle, in 3 hrs. 47 mins., being the second peal ever performed in that method.'

Mr. F. E. Dawe set the seal to a unique performance on Bank Holiday, when, by calling a peal of Stedman Caters from the tenor at Epsom, he completed a peal of Stedman as conductor from every bell from treble to tenor in Triples, Caters and Cinques. There are few, if any, other ringers who have done this on lower bells. The peal was rung immediately after an attempt which came to grief half-way.

It is interesting to recall that the peal of Cinques which Mr. Dawe conducted from the tenor was the first peal of Stedman Cinques rung with the conductor as tenorman. This was the noteworthy bachelors' peal rung at St. Bride's, Fleet Street, in 1889.

Mr. Dawe's peal list also includes peals of 5,555, 6,666 and 7,777 Stedman Caters, together with the first peals of Stedman Caters at Canterbury and Hereford Cathedrals.

Royal Cumberland Youths are visiting Quex Park on September 2nd and 3rd, and any member of the society will be welcome. The train leaves Victoria at 3.20 p.m., week-end ticket 13s. 9d. return.

Lancashire Surprise Major, originally published by Mr. Arthur Craven in January, 1907, and reproduced in 'The Ringing World' on July 22nd, 1921, has now been rung in a peal for the first time.

It will be recalled that last year a band at Oswaldtwistle, Lancs, scored the first peal of a Surprise method published by Mr. T. Law, and called it 'Lancashire.' When it was pointed out that a method under this name was already in existence, the title was changed to Northampton Surprise, by which it is now recognised.

The Oswaldtwistle ringers, however, were not to be denied the privilege of scoring the first Surprise peal under the name of their own county, and they have now the pleasure of putting to their credit a peal in Mr. Craven's method, six of the band (including Miss Ellen Shaw) who took part in the Northampton ringing also in the Lancashire. Both peals were conducted by Mr. James Houldsworth.

H.M. cruiser 'Raleigh,' which was wrecked in a fog in the Straits of Belle Isle last week, included among her complement two ringers. One, Major C. F. Ferram, R.M.L.I., C.M.G., D.S.O., whose home is at Penweris, Cornwall, is well known in many towers in England, and the other, Mr. W. A. Cooke. Both these gentlemen interested themselves in any bells that were within their reach during their cruise in American waters, and took part in ringing the old year out at Vancouver, and also in a peal attempt the next day.

In our columns this week are a large number of peals rung prior to August 7th. Had the conductors thereof shown more enterprise all these could have appeared in our last issue. Verbo sap.

A BOLSOVER CENTURY.

Mr. John Flint has just rung his 100th peal on the bells of Bolsover Parish Church, and this century includes the following methods: Plain Minor, 7 Treble Bob Minor methods, Stedman Triples, Bob Major, Kent Treble Bob, Oxford Treble Bob, Forward Major, Double Norwich Major, Superlative Surprise, New Cambridge Surprise, Yorkshire Surprise, Norfolk Surprise, Peterborough Surprise, London Surprise and Bristol Surprise Major.

BELFRY REPAIR FUND.

SALISBURY GUILD ACTION.

To the Editor.

Dear Sir,—It may interest you and your readers to know that I have begun acting on your suggestion of bringing the decisions of the Central Council before branch meetings. At a recent branch meeting of the Salisbury Guild, held at Shaftesbury, I mentioned the principal points of the Lincoln session, and recommended collections at Guild services to form a nucleus of a Belfry Repair Fund. This expedient was put into practice on the spot, and £1 6s. was the result. When ringers engage in their corporate acts of worship, the occasion is eminently suitable for giving proof of that unselfish spirit and devotion to the common good, which you endeavour to inculcate in your very sound leading article on this subject. —

F. LI. EDWARDS.

Hon. Sec., Salisbury Diocesan Guild.

Kington Magna Rectory.

LONDON RINGERS' WEDDING.

MR. A. D. BARKER AND MISS G. E. BATEMAN MARRIED AT ST. CLEMENT DANES.

On Saturday last the following announcement appeared in some of the daily papers under the heading of 'Bells Wedding March':—A romance of 'bells' will reach its culmination to-day when two bell ringers, Miss Gladys Elsie Bateman and Mr. Arthur David Barker, will be married. Mr. Barker is the general secretary of the London County Association of Change Ringers, and Miss Bateman is assistant secretary to the Association. In honour of the wedding the bells of St. Clement Danes will ring out many chimes, including two "wedding marches." Both the bride and bridegroom have been ringing the bells at the church every Sunday for months past.

Accordingly, it was a great day in the history of the London County Association, as it concerned two of their best-known and most respected members. At 10.30 the following assembled and rang four courses of Stedman Caters: F. E. Dawe 1, T. H. Taffender (conductor) 2, T. W. Taffender, junr., 3, I. G. Shade 4, W. G. Matthews 5, W. H. Theobald 6, H. Belcher 7, T. Walker 8, H. Mance 9, A. J. Neale 10.

The wedding ceremony took place at 11 a.m., and was fully choral. The Rev. W. Pennington-Bickford, Rector, and Hon. Chaplain to the Association, officiated, having kindly returned to town from his holiday at the seaside to tie the 'nuptial knot.' The bride was given away by her father, Mr. W. Bateman, and was attended by her sister, Miss Norah Bateman, as bridesmaid, Mr. Cecil C. Mayne acted as best man.

The writer overlooked asking some of the ladies present to describe how the bride was dressed, but is nevertheless in a position to say that she looked very charming in cream-coloured attire, with orange blossoms, and carried a magnificent shower bouquet of white carnations and other beautiful flowers.

Many ringers, as well as relatives, were present to witness the ceremony, the Ladies' Guild of which Miss Bateman is a prominent member, being well represented by the President, Mrs. Frank Hairs, the hon. secretary, Miss E. K. Parker, together with a large number of lady ringers from South Bucks, including Miss Cooper and Miss Gudgeon, of Fulmer.

A special wedding hymn, composed by the Rector, was sung, and as the procession passed down the aisle of the grand old church, the magnificent organ was heard in Mendelssohn's well-known 'Wedding March.' Now followed what the general public always appreciate and look forward to with much interest on these occasions—some well-struck rounds, and the bells were accurately 'fired' three times for twelve blows each, the 'openings' being faultless.

Another touch of four courses of Stedman Caters and the bells fired once more, during which time the men in blue outside the church piloted the wedding party through the sightseers and across the busy Strand to Carr's famous restaurant immediately opposite. Here the wedding breakfast was served in princely style, the guests numbering about 40.

So much interest had been created by the event that the Press Association sent representatives to take photographs of the ringers at their ropes in the belfry, and also of the bridal party at table.

After the wedding cake had been 'attended to,' the Rector, in a few well-chosen remarks, proposed the health of the bride and bridegroom, at the same time mentioning that although his name was 'Barker' in real life, he (the speaker) had found him the very reverse to that! Also, as they were both skilled ringers they would consequently know how to control their 'clappers' during their journey through life (laughter).

At the request of the ringers and Rector, Mr. F. E. Dawe voiced their good wishes in a felicitous manner, saying when he first started peal ringing, well over 40 years ago, there were no lady ringers. They were not even thought of in one's wildest dreams, yet that day they had Mrs. Hairs and Miss Parker, and others present, whose ringing abilities had elicited the admiration of all throughout the length and breadth of the land. Miss Bateman had proved herself an expert, and by her unassuming manner and gentle disposition had won respect everywhere, and was endeared to all. As for 'Arthur,' he (the speaker) had known him many years as a true Churchman, a clever ringer, a true friend, and, above all, one of nature's gentlemen. He knew that all present and absent joined him in wishing the happy pair health and prosperity, and every blessing he could reasonably wish them.

Mr. T. H. Taffender (Master of the London County Association), Mr. W. G. Matthews (hon. treasurer), and Mr. T. Walker, also supported all that had been said, each in a very pleasing and most appropriate speech, and expressing thanks for the festivities provided.

Mrs. Frank Hairs, as President of the Ladies' Guild, in a very neat little speech, offered congratulations. She hoped to still see the bride's name on the peal list, and that her activities in ringing would be as great in the future as in the past.

The bride suitably thanked all present for their kind expressions of goodwill and the bridegroom also expressed his gratitude. He said that as he and his newly-wedded wife were both conductors

they would, during their career, be able to 'conduct one another'! A touch of Stedman Caters on the handbells by Mrs. Frank Hairs 1-2, T. H. Taffender 3-4, Miss E. K. Parker 5-6, F. E. Dawe 7-8, and T. W. Taffender, junr., 9-10, brought the proceedings to a close. It was here that an emblem of good luck appeared, in the shape of a black kitten—no doubt attracted by the bells—which insisted on a personal introduction!

Although little sun was seen during the day, all were thankful the rain kept out of the way, and with the best wishes of all assembled, the happy couple left for Exeter, where the first part of the honeymoon is being spent.

After their departure a well-struck peal of Stedman Caters, with the 6th in second's place, was rung at St. Clement Danes.

F. E. D.

DURHAM AND NEWCASTLE DIOCESAN ASSOCIATION.

DEPARTURE OF MR. B. C. DIXON.

The quarterly meeting was held at Hexham, on July 29th. The bells of Hexham and Corbridge were available, but the latter were not made good use of owing to the inconvenience of getting to Corbridge from Hexham. The Abbey bells, however, were kept going to the tune of Kent Treble Bob Minor and Major, Grandsire and Stedman Triples and Cambridge Surprise Major, some 30 taking part in the ringing. A party of 23 sat down at the Abbey Hotel to a right good knife and fork tea, the other members cycling on to Fourstones to spend the week-end.

A letter of apology was read from Mr. B. C. Dixon. He conveyed his sincere regret for absence, and also for his having to give up his duties as joint secretary on account of his having taken up an appointment in Spain. He hoped the Association would go on and prosper, and that good accounts would reach him of its progress at his new home in Cartagena.

Mr. Storey voiced the sentiments of all present, in saying how sorry they were to lose Mr. Dixon, pointing out the work he had done for the Association, and how he would be missed. He wished him, his wife and son every happiness and success in the new sphere of life, and promised him a right royal welcome back amongst them when his three years' sojourn in Spain is over.

NORWICH, ST. EDMUNDSBURY & IPSWICH ASSOCIATION

MEETING AT EAST DEREHAM.

A general meeting of the Norwich Diocesan Branch of the Norwich, St. Edmundsbury and Ipswich Diocesan Association was held at East Dereham on Bank Holiday, when, by kind permission of the Rev. William H. Macnaughton-Jones, Vicar of East Dereham, the ring of eight bells of the Parish Church were placed at the disposal of the members. The luncheon was served at the King's Head Hotel, the Rev. W. H. Macnaughton-Jones presiding, in the absence of the President of the Association (the Dean of Norwich), who was unable to attend the meeting—Mr. A. L. Coleman (General Secretary) explained that the Dean had written to him to say that an important meeting was taking place that day at which his presence was greatly wanted, and, therefore, he would be glad to be excused from attending the meeting.

The Chairman proposed the toast of 'The King,' which was heartily responded to, after which the general business of the meeting was transacted, the Chairman being supported by the general secretary (Mr. A. L. Coleman), and the following members of the committee, Messrs. W. L. Duffield, J. Souter, G. T. Peggall, and representatives from East Dereham, Gressenhall, Norwich, North Elmham, Wymondham, Reepham, Thurston, Shropham, Diss, etc.

On the motion of Mr. A. L. Coleman, the following were elected members of the Association: The Rev. W. H. Macnaughton-Jones, the Rev. Percy E. Hall and Mr. Edward R. Hill, hon. members; Messrs. W. J. H. Hooton (Cambridge) and Mr. J. W. Jones (Newport), non-resident life members; Roland Newson, performing member.

The General Secretary announced that the following had been elected previous to ringing peals, viz., Messrs. Bertie S. Newson, William H. Joiner, Joseph Brettell, George Brown, Fred Wigmore, Jack Pilgrim, David Elliott, William Riches, Bertie Gogle.

A vote of thanks was passed to the Vicar of East Dereham for presiding over the meeting and for the use of the bells of the Parish Church.—The General Secretary (Mr. A. L. Coleman) moved a vote of thanks to Messrs. O. F. Harrold and B. Whiteside for their kind help and assistance in the arrangements for holding the meeting. This concluded the business, and the members then adjourned to the belfry, joined by late comers. There was a total attendance of over 30 members.

AN INQUIRY.

To the Editor.

Dear Sir,—A short time ago the bell ropes at our tower were renewed, but, by some mistake, the sallies are white instead of coloured. Could you, or some of your readers, advise us on the possibility of colouring the sallies ourselves, without causing them to deteriorate?—Yours faithfully,

AMATEUR.

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CHESTER DIOCESAN GUILD. ANNUAL FESTIVAL AT LYMM.

The official weather prophecy for Bank Holiday promised: 'some rain.' That prophecy was amply fulfilled. No one surely ever looked out on a worse morning. Cheshire ringers may have slipped briskly from their beds, but judging from the attendance at the annual 'do,' must have returned to bed again. Those who ventured forth by cycle to Lymm no doubt wished they had gone by boat instead for the rain poured down pitilessly.

Service was held in the Parish Church, conducted by the Vicar (the Rev. H. E. Maddox), and a very forceful address was given by the Rev. W. R. Ingham (Vicar of Middlewich). The general meeting followed immediately after the service.

In the unavoidable absence of the Master, Mr. T. Ashworth, of Bowdon, was voted to the chair.

The annual report and balance sheet were submitted by the hon. secretary (the Rev. A. T. Beeston).

Mr. W. Gordon expressed a desire to give, in a form suitable for framing, 500 copies of the portrait of the late Mr. C. J. Bowen-Cooke (a past Master), which offer was gratefully accepted.

Mr. H. Fairclough, of Stretton, was elected to the Mastership.

On his re-election as hon. secretary, the Rev. A. T. Beeston expressed an earnest desire to be relieved of his duties at the end of the next twelve months, and requested that during the intervening time efforts should be made to secure a suitable successor.—With the exception of the filling of one or two vacancies, the other officers were also re-elected. After fixing Hyde as the place of the next meeting, the proceedings closed with the usual votes of thanks.

As the newly elected Master was not present at the meeting, at the time of his election, he took the opportunity at dinner to express his thanks for the honour conferred upon him.

During the afternoon the 'whole pull and stand' was rung as a mark of deepest respect for the late Vicar of Grappenhall (the Rev. H. V. Pigot), who passed away on the previous Thursday. He had granted permission to ring on his bells on the occasion of the meeting, but in view of the sad circumstances they remained silent.

NORTH NOTTS ASSOCIATION. A BANK HOLIDAY WASN'T OUT.

A meeting of the North Notts Association was held at Sutton-on-Trent on August Bank Holiday. Fifty ringers and friends from kindred associations had intimated their intention of being present for tea, but with a downpour of rain only 19 put in an appearance, including four ladies from Worksop. Village sports and a gala, with a cricket match and fishing competition, a ringers' tug-of-war, etc., were to have been held in the afternoon, the proceeds of which were to be devoted to the new bell fund, but the weather was wretched in the extreme, the fields and roads being quickly flooded, with the result everything had to be postponed, except the campanology. The music of the bells pealed out from early morn to close of day over a large and flooded area; all honour, therefore, to those 19 who attended from far and wide. The ringers came from Anston, Treeton, Worksop, Gainsborough, and the local company. Those who braved the elements were not disappointed, from a ringing point of view, as no fewer than six methods were rung during the day, including Oxford and Kent, Stedman, Cambridge Surprise and London Surprise, but Plain Bob Minor would not go for 'nuts,' and, like the weather outside, was a veritable 'wash-out.'

The following members rang a 720 of Cambridge Surprise, and also a 240 of London Surprise, the first on the bells: W. Platts 1, H. Haigh 2, H. Stenton (conductor) 3, J. H. Brothwell 4, S. Smith 5, C. F. Fowler 6. The quality of the ringing was good during the day, and the conducting was shared by Messrs. Stenton, Fowler and Haigh.

Tea was provided in the Village Institute, presided over by the Vicar, after which the general business meeting was held, when ten new members were elected from Sutton-on-Trent, including the Vicar (the Rev. G. H. C. Bartley) as vice-president. Harworth will be the next place of meeting, in September, particulars of which will appear in 'The Ringing World.'

The Secretary, in moving a vote of thanks to the Vicar for presiding, and for the use of bells, and Schoolroom, which, with a comfortable fire, had been placed at the disposal of the visitors, said how sorry all the ringers were the weather was so unpropitious, thus spoiling their chance of raising money towards the cost of the new peal of bells. He gave notice that he would raise the question at the next meeting at Harworth of making a grant from the association funds, in the same way that grants were made to Misson and East Markham in 1895 and 1896.—The Vicar briefly acknowledged the motion, and thanked the ringers for turning out of their homes in such unpleasant weather. They had made him a vice-president that day, and his band of ringers members of their association; he hoped to do his best for them as an official, and he would like to see them all again at Sutton as soon as they conveniently could arrange to come.

H. H.

RINGERS' OUTINGS.

KENT RINGERS' TRIP.

The annual outing of the Queenborough ringers took place on Saturday, July 28th, when, accompanied by the Vicar and Mrs. Castle, Mr. Churchwarden Richards, and other friends, they set out by charabanc via Sittingbourne to Tryumman, where they were joined by Mr. and Mrs. Nye, Mr. and Mrs. Tumber, and Mr. E. Tumber. After a pleasant run to Canterbury a halt was made for breakfast, and then the party proceeded to Littlebourne, where two short touches of Bob Minor were successfully brought round. The 'go' of the bells was found to be all that could be desired. Traveling via Sandwich, Deal was the next objective, and there the company sat down to a splendid lunch. Afterwards they were met by Mr. J. Spooner, of Deal, and, accompanied by the Vicar, were conducted to St. Leonard's Church, where they were met by the Rev. Bowser and the local ringers. Short touches of Oxford Bob and Plain Bob were rung. Afterwards a pleasant run via Sandwich and Richborough brought the excursionists to Ramsgate, where tea was partaken of. The homeward journey was made via Sarre and Canterbury, and Queenborough was reached at 11.15 p.m., after a most enjoyable day. The ringers take this opportunity of thanking the vicars of the respective churches for the use of the bells, also the secretaries of the local bands for the arrangements made.

A TRIP INTO STAFFORDSHIRE.

On July 29th, the King's Norton (Birmingham) company had their annual outing. They were accompanied by Alderman J. S. Pritchett, M.A., Churchwardens Moore and Botley, and Messrs. A. Mortiboys, H. Withers, and a few other friends. A start was made at 8 a.m., and the party proceeded by motor charabanc to Shenstone, where they found a light ring of eight. Touches of Stedman, Double Norwich and Cambridge Surprise Major were successfully brought round.

A short run of four miles, then brought the excursionists to Lichfield, where a halt was made to inspect and admire the splendid west front of the Cathedral. Permission to ring had not been obtained, as the time of arrival coincided with that of the morning service.

The next objective was Burton, an ideal place, from a ringer's point of view, in more senses than one. The Parish Church was visited, and touches of Stedman, Double Norwich and Cambridge brought round on this splendid going ring of eight.

St. Paul's was next on the list, and the party were met by Mr. J. Swinfield, who had everything in readiness. The bells were soon going to the tune of Stedman Caters, Cambridge and Double Norwich. All who rang on this peal were impressed with the splendid tone and 'go' of the bells. In the belfry they appear to be rather poor, but heard outside they are magnificent. Records of the past performances of the Burton men adorn the belfry walls—performances which placed them in a most prominent position in the Exercise. Now, alas! Grand sire Doubles is the order of the day. It seems a great pity that such a stronghold of the art should have fallen so low. Is it because our Burton friends have made the mistake of neglecting to bring on the 'young 'uns,' or simply through bad luck?

After an hour's ringing, the party adjourned to St. Paul's Institute, where lunch was waiting. Mr. Swinfield had been responsible for the arrangements here, and he had carried them out with his characteristic thoroughness.

Alderman J. S. Pritchett, in the course of a few remarks, expressed the pleasure it gave him to be with the party, and on their behalf thanked Mr. Percy O. Luffin, who had made all necessary arrangements, Mr. Swinfield for his kindness in looking after their comfort at Burton, and the clergy at both St. Modwen's and St. Paul's for so readily granting permission to ring.

Churchwarden Moore said he also was pleased to be with the ringers on their outing, and hoped they would continue to invite him as long as he remained in office. He was with them last year, and was so delighted with the splendid day he had then that he had brought the other churchwarden this year.—Mr. Swinfield replied briefly, saying he was always pleased to do his best for visiting ringers.

The party then boarded the charabanc, and another short run brought them to Overscale, where they were welcomed by the Rector (the Rev. H. E. Worthington). The bells at this church are a revelation as to what can be done with a light peal—the tenor being only 9 cwt. They are a beautiful little ring, being perfectly tuned and hung on the latest lines. Some of the party found the bells at the front end far too easy-going at first, but soon had them under control, and a course of London Surprise Major was attempted, but lost in the last lead. Cambridge and Stedman were more successful and the bells were lowered reluctantly.

Netherseale was the next place to be visited, and here a moderate peal of eight, which are hung the wrong way round were found. After ringing a few touches the party were invited by the Rev. H.

E. Worthington (who is also Rector of Netherseale) to take tea on the Rectory lawn. They are greatly indebted to this gentleman and his wife for their kindly welcome and hospitality.

Measham came next on the list, and a capital peal of bells was found there. London, Cambridge and Double Norwich were brought round in fine style, and a touch of Grandsire Triples was rung, with a few of the local ringers taking part.

The final place to be visited was Ashby-de-la-Zouch, and after a few touches the bus was headed for home, via Tamworth, King's Norton being reached at 10.15 p.m.

The company wish to thank all who assisted in making this outing such a complete success. J. F. S.

VISIT TO BROUGHTON-IN-FURNESS.

On Saturday, July 29th, six of the Dalton ringers, with two of the Barrow St. James', and Mr. F. Willey, spent a very pleasant afternoon at Broughton-in-Furness. The bells were raised in peal, and a good touch of 1,050 Grandsire was rung: Miss E. M. Stuart 1, F. Willey (conductor) 2, G. Jackson 3, J. Williams 4, A. Stedman 5, T. Metcalfe 6, W. S. Forshaw 7, J. Burrows 8. Also a well-struck touch of three courses of Bob Major, three of the Broughton ladies taking part: Miss Addison 1, T. Metcalfe 2, J. Williams 3, Miss B. M. Stuart 4, Miss D. Addison 5, Miss E. Butterfield 6, F. Willey (conductor) 7, J. Burrows 8. Several short touches of Bob Minor and Grandsire Triples followed, with W. Clarke and F. Willey as conductors. The ringers take this opportunity of thanking the Vicar for his kind permission for the use of the bells, and to Mr. Barker for having the bells in such good going order.

SOUTHGATE RINGERS' OUTING.

The first annual outing of Christ Church Society, Southgate, since the war took place on Saturday, July 22nd, when a trip was made into Essex and Hertfordshire. A start was made about 2.20 p.m. by charabanc, and a nice run brought the party to the Church of St. Mary Magdalen, Harlow Common, where the bells, a ring of eight, were raised, and short touches of Grandsire and Stedman Triples rung. Resuming the journey, the party arrived at Sawbridge-worth, and were met by one of the local ringers, Mr. W. Tarling, also Mr. H. J. Tucker, of Bishop's Stortford. After a splendid meal tea, a move was made to the tower of the church, which contains a fine peal of eight, tenor about 25 cwt., one of the best in Hertfordshire, and here touches in various methods, including Cambridge Surprise were brought round, Messrs. Tucker and Tarling taking part. On the return journey a halt was called at the Church of St. John, Epping, where the modern peal of eight, cast by Messrs. Mears and Stainbank, were raised, and touches in various methods, including Cambridge and London Surprise, were rung. This concluded the day's ringing, and ended a very enjoyable outing.

The band take this opportunity of thanking the local ringers who met and made the party welcome to their towers, also to the various incumbents of the three churches visited for kindly granting permission to ring on their bells.

OXFORD DIOCESAN GUILD.

EAST BERKS AND SOUTH BUCKS BRANCH.

On August Bank Holiday a very happy gathering of the East Berks and South Bucks Branch of the Oxford Diocesan Guild took place at the Parish Church, Boyne Hill, to celebrate the re-opening of the bells. These have recently been restored, and by kind invitation of the Vicar (the Rev. W. S. Mahony, M.A.) members of the branch met to ring on this beautiful peal of eight. Ringers were present not only from the county towers, but from many parts of England, and various touches were brought round in fine style. A service was held in the church, conducted by the Vicar, and a most inspiring address was given by the vice-president of the branch (the Rev. W. S. Riddlesdale, M.A., Vicar of Bray). After service, tea was provided in the School Room adjoining the church, when about 80 sat down.

At a business meeting which followed, the Secretary put forward the scheme of the Branch committee for the division of the Branch for the purpose of secretarial duties, and after discussion it was adopted unanimously.

A report was given of the proceedings of the annual festival held at Oxford, and the meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the Rev. W. S. Mahony for his kind invitation, to the Rev. W. S. Riddlesdale for presiding at the meeting, to the organist for kindly officiating at the service, to Mr. L. W. Copey for making all the necessary arrangements for the meeting, and to the ladies who so kindly assisted at the tea.

Afterwards ringing was again indulged in and some excellent handbell music was provided in the School Room. The proceedings terminated about 9 p.m., after a very successful day.

SUNDAY SERVICE TOUCHES.

NORWICH.—At St. Peter Mancroft, on Sunday, August 13th, 244 Stedman Cinques: G. E. Borrett 1, J. A. Trollope 2, J. E. Burton 3, R. Hardy 4, G. Claxton 5, F. R. Copeman 6, E. R. Goate 7, D. T. Potter 8, G. Mayers 9, G. P. Burton 10, G. H. Cross 11, F. W. Curtis 12. Also 414 Stedman Caters: F. H. Davey 1, Miss H. M. Durrant 2, F. J. Howchin 3, G. Claxton 4, E. R. Goate 5, D. T. Potter 6, G. Mayers 7, F. R. Copeman 8, G. H. Cross 9, F. W. Curtis 10. Conducted by G. H. Cross.

WOODSTOCK, OXON.—On Sunday, August 13th, before evening service, a quarter-peal of Grandsire Triples, in 43 mins.: F. Rose 1, R. Rose 2, E. Bedford 3, R. G. Rice (Harwell, Berks.) 4, D. Harris (Woburn, Beds.) 5, J. Franklin (Kidlington) 6, G. A. King (conductor) 7, T. Styles 8.

ILMINGTON, WARWICKSHIRE.—Four Shires Guild.—On Sunday, August 13th for evening service, 360 Grandsire Doubles: S. Russell 1, W. Large (conductor) 2, H. Terry 3, C. Arthurs 4, W. Adams 5, H. Sabin 6.

EALING, MIDDLESEX.—On Sunday, August 13th, at St. Mary's Church, a quarter-peal of Grandsire Triples (1,260 changes), in 42 mins.: A. H. Harding 1, A. H. Fulwell 2, L. H. Page 3, A. M. Stacey 4, J. H. Hunnisett 5, H. J. Hunnisett 6, T. W. Goodfellow (conductor) 7, F. S. Palmer, senr., 8.

MALDON, ESSEX.—At St. Mary's Church, on Sunday, August 13th, for morning service, 720 Woodbine Treble Bob: H. J. Mansfield 1, A. South 2, W. Mellin 3, W. Butler 4, H. Dorkes 5, E. Bright (conductor) 6. Also a short touch of Cambridge Surprise and Double Court, with A. Mansfield on the treble. Ringers of 3, 4, 5 and 6 hail from Witham.

STANTON, SHROPSHIRE.—On Sunday, August 6th, for evening service, a quarter-peal of Doubles (1,260 changes), comprising two six-scores of Canterbury Pleasure, three of Plain Bob and 54 of Grandsire, in 42 mins.: H. Clay 1, R. Turner (longest touch) 2, W. Clay 3, W. Lycett 4, E. V. Rodenhurst (conductor) 5, H. Edwards 6.

LONG STANTON, CAMBS.—On Sunday, August 6th, for evening service, 720 Cambridge Surprise Minor, in 23 mins., composed by H. W. Wilde, and taken from 'The Ringing World': Rev. H. B. Woolley 1, C. W. Woolley 2, F. J. Cook 3, J. B. Woolley 4, Geo. Crisp 5, C. W. Cook (conductor) 6.

THORNE, YORKS.—At the Parish Church, on Sunday, August 6th for morning service, 720 Bob Minor: O. Darley 1, C. Thorley, junr., 2, A. Woods 3, W. Sleight 4, A. Darley 5, C. H. Thorley (conductor) 6, W. Hobson 7 (covering).—Also for evening service, 720 Bob Minor: O. Darley 1, A. Darley 2, A. Woods 3, W. Sleight 4, C. H. Thorley 5, C. Thorley (first 720 as conductor) 6, W. Hobson 7 (covering).

BRENTWOOD.—On Sunday, August 6th, at the Church of St. Thomas-the-Martyr, for evensong, a quarter-peal of Grandsire Triples, in 45 mins.: *H. Tredgett 1, A. Rainbird 2, E. Furbank 3, E. D. Baker 4, Wesley Watson 5, W. Leggett 6, A. Tarbun, junr. (conductor) 7, S. Carroll 8. * First quarter-peal.

WORPLESDON, SURREY.—At St. Mary's, on August 6th, for morning service, 720 Kent Treble Bob: R. Tickner 1, G. Chandler 2, Miss K. Avenal 3, H. J. Smith (Wickham, Hants) 4, C. Heather 5, S. Petter (conductor) 6. Also 360 Plain Bob, the Rector's wife ringing the treble.

GAINSBOROUGH.—On August 6th, for evening service, at All Saints' Church, 720 Oxford Treble Bob Minor, in 28 mins.: H. Torr 1, H. Morgan 2, P. Noble 3, J. Dixon 4, J. T. Ladd (conductor) 5, W. T. Cooper 6, C. A. Hewitt (covering) 7. First 720 of Oxford by ringers of 2, 3, 4, 6 and 7.

STOW-ON-THE-WOLD.—Gloucester and Bristol Association.—On Sunday, August 6th, an attempt for a peal of Grandsire Triples came to grief after ringing 2,520 changes in 1 hour 35 mins., through a change course: G. Pugh 1, J. Collett 2, J. Keyte 3, E. Parden 4, F. E. Davis 5, T. Banning 6, W. Large (conductor) 7, C. W. Lock 8.

PORTSMOUTH.—On Sunday, August 6th, for Matins, at the Parish Church of St. Thomas-a-Becket, a quarter-peal of Grandsire Triples, in 49 mins.: F. W. Burnett (conductor) 1, E. C. Martin 2, W. Baker 3, P. Giles (first quarter-peal) 4, L. P. Cook 5, W. Ayloes 6, H. L. W. Aitken 7, W. S. Scaife 8. All the above are regular Sunday ringers at the church.

EAST HAGBOURNE, BERKS.—On Sunday, August 6th, before morning service, Thurstons' quarter-peal of Stedman Triples: F. J. Lewis (conductor) 1, J. Butler 2, R. G. Rice 3, T. East 4, T. F. East 5, J. Sawyer 6, J. S. Napper 7, W. A. Goodenough 8.

HILKINGTON, MIDDLESEX.—At St. John the Baptist's Church, on Sunday, July 16th, for evensong, in 44 mins., a quarter-peal of Grandsire Triples: Miss G. Baker 1, Miss D. Feltham 2, Miss N. Williams 3, J. J. Pratt (conductor) 4, E. Hancock 5, R. Carter 6, P. Jones 7, H. Chandler 8.—Also on August 13th, for evensong, a quarter-peal of Grandsire Caters, in 50 mins.: Miss Baker 1, Miss Feltham 2, Miss Williams 3, W. Henley 4, J. J. Pratt (conductor) 5, P. Jones 6, E. Hancock 7, R. Carter (first-quarter of Caters) 8, H. Chandler 9, W. Honor 10.

BOURTON-ON-THE-WATER.—Gloucester and Bristol Association.—On Sunday, July 30th, for evening service, a quarter-peal of Grandsire Triples, in 48 mins.: H. E. Gillett 1, J. Collett 2, H. Gillett 3, E. Farden 4, W. Large (conductor) 5, H. Packer 6, F. E. Davis 7, T. Banning 8.

BARLEY, HERTS.—On Sunday, July 30th, for morning service, 720 College Single by W. Sermons 1, H. Howard 2, W. Tack 3, W. Mansfield 4, A. Howard 5, R. Howard (conductor) 6.—On Sunday, July 23rd, for morning service, 720 Oxford Bob Minor by W. Mansfield 1, H. Howard 2, W. Tack 3, W. Sermons 4, A. Howard 5, R. Howard (conductor) 6.—Also for evening service, 720 Plain Bob Minor by W. Sermons 1, F. Hayes 2, W. Tack 3, W. Mansfield 4, A. Howard 5, R. Howard (conductor) 6.—On Sunday, July 2nd, for morning service, 720 Cambridge Surprise Minor: F. Hayes 1, W. Sermons 2, W. Tack 3, W. Mansfield 4, A. Howard (conductor) 5, R. Howard 6.—For evening service, 720 Kent Treble Bob Minor: W. Mansfield 1, Miss V. Shorter 2, W. Tack 3, W. Sermons 4, R. Lathbury 5, R. Howard (conductor) 6. Arranged for Miss Shorter and R. Lathbury, of Cambridge and Newmarket.

EDGBASTON, WARWICKSHIRE.—On Sunday, July 30th, for morning service, 720 Bob Minor, in 24 mins.: C. A. Morgan 1, J. Withers, junr., 2, H. Withers 3, G. Pigott 4, T. Russell 5, J. Withers, senr. (conductor) 6. First 720 and first attempt by Messrs. Morgan and Russell, who hail from Harborne.

ILKESTON, DERBYSHIRE.—On Sunday, July 30th, for evening service, 504 of Stedman Triples: H. Harrison 1, J. F. George 2, E. Fletcher 3, H. Straw 4, S. Burgoyne 5, C. Wilkinson 6, E. C. Gobey (conductor) 7, F. Tarlton 8.—On Sunday, August 6th, for evening service, 720 Treble Bob: J. H. Ilfe 1, E. Fletcher 2, H. Harrison 3, H. Fletcher 4, S. Burgoyne 5, C. J. Baker 6, E. C. Gobey (conductor) 7, J. F. George 8.

A FALSE PEAL.

To the Editor.

Dear Sir,—The peal of 5,120 Treble Bob, composed by me and appearing in the Midland Counties Report of 1920-21 (No. 2,599), I regret to say is false. Kindly allow me to apologise to all those that took part in ringing this peal twice. It was rung at Lenton on May 8th, 1920, also at Duffield on Sept. 11th, 1920. I am sorry I have not found the false place before. E. C. GOBEY.

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ROMNEY MARSH AND DISTRICT GUILD.

A TOUR IN SUSSEX.

The annual outing of the above society is usually well attended, and the tour into Sussex on Saturday, August 12th brought together two charabanc loads of ringers and friends. The Master (Mr. C. W. Everett), the hon. secretary (Mr. H. Balcomb) and Mr. C. Tribe had charge of the travelling arrangements, and Mr. G. Billenness undertook the duties of securing the various towers required for ringing. One charabanc started from Ashford, Kent, and travelled via Tenterden, Rolvenden, Hawkhurst, Robertsbridge, and on to the first stopping place, Battle. The second charabanc commenced picking up at Appledore, and proceeded to Battle by way of Tenterden, Northiam, Staplecross and Whittington. After ringing Grandsire and Stedman Triples and Bob Major at Battle, Pevensey was the next objective, and this light ring of six were soon set going to Kent Treble Bob and Plain Bob Minor and Grandsire Doubles. A walk across the fields took the party past the historic Pevensey Castle, and on to Westham Church. Here they found a very musical peal of six, and the company thoroughly enjoyed ringing Doubles and touches of Minor. The incumbents of these two six-bell towers favoured the ringers with their presence, and were heartily thanked for placing their bells at the disposal of the members.

Leaving Westham they speedily crossed the marshes to Eastbourne. Grandsire and Stedman Triples and Kent Treble Bob Major were rung on the light eight at Christ Church, Mr. A. C. Pankhurst kindly meeting the party, who also had the pleasure of making the acquaintance of Mr. S. Wade, of Southgate. On leaving the church, Mr. Keith Hart, of Brighton, and a party, were waiting to relieve the Kentish men of the bells, and they learned that a peal of Stedman Triples was to be attempted. A number of the party subsequently visited St. Mary's, being welcomed by two of the local ringers. Grandsire and Stedman Triples and Bob Major constituted the ringing, and later several of the members wended their way back to the vicinity of Christ Church, and listened to the excellent striking of the peal of Stedman. Tea was partaken of at the Leaf Hall Restaurant, and in the evening a call was made at Hailsham, where Mr. C. J. Matthews welcomed the company. Here Grandsire and Stedman Triples and Bob Major were rung, and a start was made on the homeward journey about eight o'clock. Thanks are due to Mr. G. W. Stokes (Eastbourne) and Mr. G. Penfold (Pevensey) for assisting in the ringing arrangements.

NOTICES.

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SOCIETY OF ROYAL CUMBERLAND YOUTHS.

—Meetings for practice at St. Leonard's, Shoreditch, third Monday, each month, at 7.30 p.m. Ringing for service at Shoreditch second and fourth Sundays each month at 5 p.m. Practice at St. Martin's-in-the-Fields temporarily suspended.—J. W. Cornford, Hon. Sec.

SALISBURY DIOCESAN GUILD.—Devizes Branch.

—The next monthly meeting will be held at Seend on Saturday, August 19th. Bells (6) available 3 o'clock. Tea at 5. Short business meeting, 5.30.—F. Green, Hon. Branch Sec., 53, Avon Road, Devizes.

SUSSEX COUNTY ASSOCIATION.—Eastern Division.

—A quarterly meeting will be held at Waldron on Saturday, August 19th. Bells available from 2 p.m. Service at 4.30. Tea at the Memorial Hall at 5 p.m. (1s. per head).—Geo. W. Stokes, Hon. Div. Sec., 22, Melbourne Road, Eastbourne.

YORKSHIRE ASSOCIATION.—Eastern District.

—The next Quarterly meeting will be held at Hatfield on Saturday, August 19th. Bells (8) available from noon. Service at 3.45 p.m. Tea at 4.30 at 1/6 per head in the Barn Room. All ringers heartily welcomed.—A. B. Cook, Hon. Dis. Sec., 58, Wyndham Street, Hull.

LINCOLN DIOCESAN GUILD.—Grimsby District.

—Meeting will be held at Barton-on-Humber on Saturday, August 19th. Please write to Mr. A. W. Hoodless, 11, Holydyke, Barton, for tea. All ringers welcome.

SALISBURY DIOCESAN GUILD.—Calne Branch.

—A meeting will be held at Calne on Saturday, August 19th, and not at Clyffe as previously arranged. Service 4.30. Tea and business meeting 5 p.m.—S. L. R. Sharp, Hon. Sec., Calne.

MIDDLESEX COUNTY ASSOCIATION AND LONDON DIOCESAN GUILD.—South and West District.

—A meeting will be held at St. Peter's, Staines, on Saturday, August 19th, by permission of the Rev. F. Marriott, Vicar. Members will be entertained to tea by the Vicar after service. Tower open at 3 p.m., also St. Mary's, by permission of the Rev. James, Vicar.—W. H. Hollier, Hon. Sec., 29, Duke Road, W.4.

LONDON COUNTY ASSOCIATION.—Northern District.

—Next meeting will be held on Saturday, August 19th, at Waltham Abbey (12). Ringing from 4 to 8 p.m. Business meeting after. Tea obtainable opposite. Master and Secretary will leave Liverpool Street by 2.48 from Platform 13, G.E.R., and will be glad to meet all who intend coming by same. Hearty welcome to all.—E. C. Russell, Hon. Secretary, 57, Market Street, W.2.

MIDLAND COUNTIES ASSOCIATION.—Hinckley District.

—A monthly meeting of this branch will be held at Peckleton on Saturday, Aug. 19th. Bells, Peckleton (6) and Kirkby Mallory (5) available 3.30. All ringers welcome.—F. Cotton, Local Hon. Sec., Hinckley.

DUDLEY AND DISTRICT GUILD.—The next quarterly meeting will be held at Wombourn on Saturday, August 19th. Bells (8) available 2.30. Guild service in church with an address by the Vicar, Rev. H. L. Langley, at 4.30. Tea at Mr. Walker's Tea Rooms at 5.15; business meeting following. Subscription for 1922, 6d. per member, now due. All bellringers heartily invited.—Fred Colclough, Hon. Sec., Earl Street, Bilston.

WARWICKSHIRE GUILD.—The next monthly meeting of the Guild will be held at Dunchurch on Saturday, August 19th. Bells available from 3 p.m. All ringers welcome.—A. Wilkerson, Hon. General Sec., 68, Norman Avenue, Nuneaton.

BATH AND WELLS DIOCESAN ASSOCIATION.—Ilchester Deanery Branch.—The next meeting of the above branch will be held at Huish Episcopi on Saturday, Aug. 19th. Service at 4.30. Tea at 5 o'clock for those giving early notice; meeting to follow. Langport and Muchelvey bells available.—F. Farrant, Hon. Local Sec., North Street, Martock.

BEDFORDSHIRE ASSOCIATION.—Biggleswade District.—A meeting will be held on Saturday, August 19th, at Roxton and Great Barford. Bells available, 2.30 at Roxton, 6 p.m. at Barford. Tea at 5. All ringers welcome.—C. J. Ball, District Sec., 2, Kemptford Road, Sandy, Beds.

CENTRAL NORTHANTS ASSOCIATION.—Guilsborough District.—A Quarterly meeting will be held at Guilsborough on Saturday, Aug. 19th. Usual arrangements. Will those requiring tea please notify me not later than August 17. 6 bells.—W. Bott, Dist. Hon. Sec.

DURHAM AND NEWCASTLE DIOCESAN ASSOCIATION.—A meeting of the Western Division will be held at Consett on Saturday, August 19th. Bells available after 3 p.m.—H. Tyson, Sec., 23, New Houses, Tanfield Lea.

LANCASHIRE ASSOCIATION.—Bolton Branch. —The next meeting will be held at Leigh Parish Church on Saturday, August 19th. Bells available 4 p.m. Meeting 7 p.m.—Peter Crook, Hon. Sec.

LONDON COUNTY ASSOCIATION.—Practices: Mondays at 7.30 p.m. Bishopsgate, August 28th. St. Clement Danes, August 21st. Sundays, St. Clement's, 1st and 3rd at 10 a.m.; Bishopsgate, 2nd and 4th at 5.15 p.m. Send your name in for the Summer outing on Saturday, Sept. 9th.—A. D. Barker, Hon. Gen. Sec. Stoke Green, near Slough.

ANCIENT SOCIETY OF COLLEGE YOUTHS (Estab. 1637).—Meetings for practice will be held at St. Magnus, Lower Thames St., on Aug. 31st; *St. Mary-le-Bow, Cheapside, on the 22nd; and St. Andrew's, Holborn, on the 24th, all at 7.30 p.m. *Business meeting afterwards.—William T. Cockerill, Hon. Sec., 32, Edgeley Road, Clapham, S.W.4.

WORCESTERSHIRE AND DISTRICTS ASSOCIATION.—Southern Branch.—The next meeting will be held at Stanton on Saturday, August 26th. Service at 5 p.m. prompt. Tea for those who send me their names by the Tuesday previous.—J. Hemming, Branch Sec., 29, Church Bank, Great Hampton, Evesham.

LEEDS AND DISTRICT AMALGAMATED SOCIETY.—The next Monthly meeting will be held on August 26th, at Calverley. Peal attempt 2.30 p.m. Meeting 7 p.m.—Chas. E. Lawson, Hon. Sec., 10, Leather Street, Leeds.

NORWICH, ST. EDMUNDSBURY & IPSWICH DIOCESAN ASSOCIATION.—A district meeting will be held of the Halesworth branch of the Association at Halesworth on Saturday, Aug. 26th, at 2 p.m. Tea will be served at the Swan Hotel at 1/6 per head. All those who wish to have tea please notify Secretary not later than Wednesday, August 23rd. The rings of 6 bells of the parishes of Wissett and Chedeston will also be available.—W. Kerrison, Dist. Sec., Wissett.

CENTRAL NORTHAMPTONSHIRE ASSOCIATION.—Kettering District.—A Special meeting will be held at Rothwell on Saturday, August 26th. Usual arrangements. Those requiring tea please notify me not later than August 22nd.—R. G. Black, Geddington, Kettering.

WINCHESTER DIOCESAN GUILD.—Winchester District.—A Quarterly meeting will be held at Dibden on Saturday, August 26th. Bells available: Dibden (8), Fawley (6). Tea at 5 o'clock. Will those intending to be present kindly advise me by August 23rd.—W. T. Tucker, 71, High Street, Eastleigh.

LANCASHIRE ASSOCIATION.—Blackburn Branch.—The annual branch meeting will be held at Oswaldtwistle on Saturday, August 26th. Bells ready at 3. Tea and Social, 1/6 each, 5.30; meeting following. All ringers and friends invited. Will those intending to be present kindly inform J. Houldsworth, 33, Margaret St., Oswaldtwistle, not later than August 23rd.—J. Watson, Branch Sec.

GLOUCESTER AND BRISTOL DIOCESAN ASSOCIATION.—Wotton-under-Edge Branch.—The next meeting will be held at Slimbridge on Saturday, August 26th. Bells from 3 p.m.—W. A. Lewis, Branch Hon. Sec., Ham, Berkeley, Glos.

DONCASTER AND DISTRICT SOCIETY.—A meeting at Fishlake on Saturday, August 26th. Tea provided for those who notify me before the 22nd. Copies of the group photo taken at Campsall are now ready. Post Cards 5/- per doz. Enlargements mounted 10 ins. x 14 ins., 5/- each.—Orders received by Harold Walker, Hon. Sec., 3, Beech Crescent, Old Hexthorpe, Doncaster.

MIDLAND COUNTIES ASSOCIATION.—Nottingham District.—A meeting of the above will be held at Clifton on Saturday, August 26th. Ringing from 3 to 8 p.m. Tea 5 o'clock. All ringers welcome.—Thos. H. Kirkby, Hon. Sec., 7, Selkirk Street, Carrington, Notts.

CHESTER DIOCESAN GUILD.—Stockport Branch.—The next meeting will be held at Northenden, Saturday, August 26th.—Rev. A. T. Beeston, Hon. Sec., New Mills.

HERTFORD COUNTY ASSOCIATION.—St. Alban's District.—A meeting will be held at Luton on Saturday, August 26th. Bells available at 3 p.m. Tea arrangements will be made on the day. All ringers welcome.—Wm. Nash, Dist. Sec., North Mymms, Hatfield.

BEDFORDSHIRE ASSOCIATION.—Bedford District.—The next meeting will be held at Elstow on Saturday, August 26th. Bells available from 2.30. It is hoped that tea will be provided. All ringing friends and visitors invited to ring on John Bunyan's Bell.—H. L. Harlow, Dist. Sec., 14, Newnham Lane, Bedford.

WINCHESTER DIOCESAN GUILD.—Guildford District.—A combined practice will be held at Godalming on Saturday, August 26th. Bells available from 6 to 9. All ringers welcome.—E. Raddon, Hillcrest, Baillie Road, Guildford.

LADIES' GUILD. — Preliminary Notice. — The Annual General Meeting will be held at Isbam, Nr. Kettering, on Saturday, Sept. 30th. Fuller particulars later. — E. K. Parker, Hon. Sec.

RINGERS are invited to Grand Bazaar and Garden Fête in Rectory Grounds, Kingston Magna, Dorset, on Thursday, August 31st. Music by Gillingham Town Band. Tower and handbells available 2 to 10 p.m.

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WEDDING BELLS.

On Saturday, at Stony Stanton, Leicestershire, a quarter-peal of Grandsire Triples was rung in 44 mins., by Miss Stella Disney 1, Fred Wilson 2, Harry Wright 3, Chas. Briggs 4, F. Cotton 5, Harry Briggs 6, Harry Webb (first quarter-peal as conductor) 7, Wm. Briggs 8. This was a wedding compliment to Miss L. Hunt, of Sapcote, and Mr. Tom Atkins of Stony Stanton, who were married at St. Michael's, Stony Stanton, earlier in the day. Mr. Atkins is a much-respected member of the M.C.A., and also of St. Michael's band of ringers. During the time this quarter-peal was in progress the bells at Sapcote were also going to the tune of Bob Minor. The ringers from both churches afterwards met at Sapcote, where a most excellent spread was provided by the bride's parents. Mr. and Mrs. Hunt, and an enjoyable evening spent with handbells etc. The ringers wish to take this opportunity of thanking Canon Disney, of Stony Stanton, and Canon Moose, of Sapcote, for the use of the bells.

MISCELLANEOUS PERFORMANCES.

BARLEY, HERTS. — On Monday, June 26th, 720 Cambridge Surprise Minor: F. Hayes 1, W. Symonds 2, W. Tack 3, W. Mansfield 4, A. Howard 5, R. Howard (conductor) 6. First 720 in the method on the bells, and first in the method by all the band.

PRESTON, SUFFOLK. — On Friday evening, June 30th, was rung on the church bells a 720 of Kent Treble Bob: W. R. J. Poulson 1, M. Symonds 2, K. Whittell 3, H. Lister 4, P. Poulson 5, C. W. R. Grimwood (conductor) 6, followed by 720 of New London: M. Symonds 1, W. R. J. Poulson 2, A. Symonds 3, S. H. Symonds 4, C. W. R. Grimwood 5, W. Hollock (conductor) 6. These were rung to oblige Mr. Grimwood, who was on a holiday at his native home, Hitcham.

PORTMADOC. — North Wales Association. — On July 6th, at St. John's Church, a quarter-peal of Grandsire Triples (1,260 changes), in 50 mins.: *Pierce Roberts 1, *J. V. Humphreys 2, Harry McMillan 3, John Owen (conductor) 4, *Herbert Roberts 5, *F. J. Williams 6, J. Eric Thomas 7, Edward Brown 8. *Longest touch.

SHEFFIELD. — On July 13th, at All Saints' Church, Sheffield, a quarter-peal of Stedman Triples (1,260 changes), in 50 mins., was rung with the bells half-muffled, as a token of sympathy with Mr. F. Willey, vice-president of the Yorkshire Association, in the sad loss of his wife. A. W. Gledstone 1, J. H. Bower 2, P. Gledstone 3, F. Shackleton 4, J. W. Smithson 5, W. Stubley 6, W. Chown (conductor) 7, T. Chown 8.

LIVERPOOL. — On Monday, July 24th, a peal of Grandsire Caters was lost, after three hours' ringing, owing to the breaking of a rope: J. Cooke 1, T. Hammond 2, E. Jones 3, C. Benwell 4, S. Barnes 5, G. R. Newton (conductor) 6, H. Ludkin 7, J. Martin 8, E. Counce 9, O. Packer 10. Longest length on ten bells by the first five ringers and the tenorman. The tenor is 39 cwt. 3 qrs. 10 lbs.

BURBAGE, BUXTON. — At Christ Church, on Tuesday evening, July 25th, for practice, a 720 of Oxford and Kent Treble Bob Minor: J. W. Hampson 1, C. D. Potter (Barusley) 2, R. Ashmore 3, W. Longden 4, S. Kirk (conductor) 5, J. R. Buckhouse 6.

WEST EALING, MIDDLESEX. — At St. Stephen's Church, on Tuesday, July 25th, a quarter-peal of Stedman Triples in 45 mins.: H. Folkard 1, E. J. Watson 2, F. Goodfellow 3, C. Edwards 4, P. E. Clark 5, H. R. Newton (conductor) 6, H. Belcher 7, E. Harris 8. Rung as birthday compliments to Mr. E. Harris and Mr. C. Clark, vergers of the church, on their 56th and 70th anniversaries respectively.

PLYMOUTH, DEVON. — On Saturday, July 29th, in 48 mins., at Charles' Church, a quarter-peal of Grandsire Triples (1,260 changes): W. H. Marsh 1, H. Ashton 2, W. Richards 3, W. Hamlyn 4, W. Rundle 5, W. S. Hornbrook (first as conductor) 6, R. A. H. Dobson 7, H. Burnor 8. Rung on the occasion of the wedding of the sister of the organist.

WINCHESTER DIOCESAN GUILD.

A very successful meeting of the Guildford District was held at Rammore on Bank Holiday, when ringers were present from Acton, Chelsea, Crawley, Dorking, Guildford, Godalming, Reigate, Shere, Windsor, Walton-on-Thames, Worplesdon, and Rammore.

Some capital touches in various methods were brought round, including Superlative Surprise, Double Norwich, Kent Treble Bob, Plain Bob, Stedman and Grandsire. The majority of the ringers and friends visited the beautiful grounds of Denbies, kindly thrown open to them by Lord Ashcombe. After tea a move was made for Dorking, where the bells were rung in various methods till 9 o'clock.

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