

**JACKSON'S OXFORD JOURNAL and BANBURY GUARDIAN**

**1850 to 1854**

**Digest of references to Deddington, Clifton and Hempton**

**10 January 1850, Banbury Guardian**

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions, Deddington. Reports on 4 cases, none involving Deddington parties.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18500110/042/0003>

**26 January 1850, Oxford Journal**

Deddington and Kidlington Turnpike Road. Notice of general annual meeting of Trustees at Fox and Crown Inn, North Aston, to pass accounts. Clerks to the Trustees, John Churchill and Samuel Field, Deddington.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0000073/18500126/001/0001>

**7 February 1850, Banbury Guardian**

Police Court: Deddington man committed to prison for 21 days for breaking window of Mr. J. Irons, relieving-officer.

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Reports on 5 cases, none involving Deddington parties.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0001523/18500207/035/0003>

**16 February 1850, Oxford Journal**

List of agents for the sale of *Jackson's Oxford Journal* includes Mr. Edw. Hatten and Mr. J.S. Hiron at Deddington.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18500216/024/0004>

**23 February 1850, Oxford Journal**

Lord Bishop of Oxford [Samuel Wilberforce 1845-1870] to visit Deddington after 2-day visit to Banbury. [Under Banbury.]

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0000073/18500223/005/0002?browse=true>

Successful tender by Mr. Wilson to be elected medical officer for the second division of the Deddington district of the Woodstock Poor Law Union. [Under Woodstock.]

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18500223/016/0003>

## **2 March 1850, Oxford Journal**

Notice by Woodstock Union of division of Union into Districts for the purpose of Medical Relief. Lists of parishes in Deddington Districts Nos. 1 and 2.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0000073/18500302/006/0002?browse=true>

Report on visit of Bishop of Oxford to Banbury and neighbourhood, including Deddington. [Under Banbury.]

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18500302/022/0003>

## **7 March 1850, Banbury Guardian**

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Reports on 7 cases, including assault by Clifton man, and 2 claims for unpaid wages, one against Robert Carter of Deddington, road contractor, the other against a Deddington farmer, John Poulton.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0001523/18500307/028/0003>

## **9 March 1850, Oxford Journal**

Two meetings seeking to restore the efficiency of the National and Sunday Free Schools. Resolved to appoint an efficient master of the boys' school, salary £40, and a mistress of the girls' school, salary £25. Main proponent, Rev. W. Wilson, curate.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0000073/18500309/009/0003>

## **16 March 1850, Oxford Journal**

Auction of livestock, implements, hay, corn, 110 acres of good grass land, &c. of late Mr. John Poulton of Deddington. Nearly 300 lots. Livestock includes c.140 ewes and theaves, 50 tegs, various cattle, 12 cart horses &c.

Auction of Crown and Tuns Inn, [New Street], Deddington. "The above excellent House, in which the sale will be held, has long been renowned for the goodness of its accommodation as a most comfortable and snug Commercial Inn; it possesses a great abundance of stabling, a very large dining room, eight excellent bed rooms, an extensive and superior under-ground cellar, and is replete with every other necessary room and office; together with two good Gardens and Orchard."

"Also Three Small Houses adjoining the same; and a very respectable Residence", with 2 parlours, 2 kitchens, 7 bed

rooms, malt-house, coach-house, stabling, walled garden, &c.  
Sale by executors of the late Mr. John Poulton.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18500316/009/0002>

**23 March 1850, Oxford Journal**

Regular advertisement by Phœnix Fire Assurance Company.  
Deddington agent, Mr. Thomas Calcutt, bookseller.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18500323/005/0001>

Poor Law Union medical appointments by Guardians. Mr. Turner appointed for Deddington District No. 1 and Mr. Wilson for Deddington District no. 2. [Under Woodstock.]

List of local fairs in coming week includes Deddington on Tuesday.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18500323/014/0003>

**28 March 1850, Banbury Guardian**

Auction of livestock at Clifton, on farm of Mrs. Harris, who leaving.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18500328/038/0003>

**6 April 1850, Oxford Journal**

Vestry meeting to nominate overseers (Mr. Thomas Gulliver, Mr. C. Davis and Mr. Thomas Hollier) and surveyors (Mr. W. Gibbard and Mr. Henry Dean).

Forthcoming adjourned Vestry to appoint Churchwardens.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0000073/18500406/012/0003>

**13 April 1850, Oxford Journal**

Notice of general annual meeting of Deddington Association for the Prosecution of Felons and other Offenders, at the Unicorn Inn, for settling accounts &c. Dinner at two o'clock. Samuel Field, Treasurer and Solicitor.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18500413/005/0001>

**18 April 1850, Banbury Guardian**

Election of Guardians for Woodstock Poor Law Union. Elected for the parish of Deddington, William Gibbard, William French\*, Henry Dean\* and William Malings. (\*Not Members of late Board.) [Under Woodstock.]

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0001523/18500418/040/0003?browse=true>

**20 April 1850, Oxford Journal**

Three Tuns Commercial Inn to let, rent £25. Large parlour, good commercial room, large club room (about 60 feet long), bar and tap room, cellars, dairy, extensive stabling, outbuildings.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18500420/014/0002>

**25 April 1850, Banbury Guardian**

Advertisement by Royal Farmers' Insurance Office (William Wing, local agent) listing policy holders in district who had received compensation for damage by hail, including Mr. William French of Deddington (£28 0s. 4d.) and Mr. William Malings of Clifton (£51 8s. 0d.).

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18500425/031/0003>

**27 April 1850, Oxford Journal**

Rev. Francis Garratt Wilson of the Vicarage, Deddington,  
appointed a surrogate for granting marriage licences.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0000073/18500427/014/0003>

**4 May 1850, Oxford Journal**

Advertisement by A. and H. Sammans [*sic*] to inform the Ladies of Deddington that they are opening a SHOW ROOM in Market Place with a choice assortment of Fancy and Fashionable Articles; comprising the latest designs in Mantles, Silks, and Shawls; the newest materials for dress in Brocaded, Lyndianas, California, Oriental, and Figured Alpacas, Delaines and Prints, Muslins, &c. A great variety of Ribbons, Collars, Flowers, Lace, Gloves, Hosiery, &c., &c. Funerals completely furnished.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18500504/011/0002>

**9 May 1850, Banbury Guardian**

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Reports on 5 cases, including assault at Deddington.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18500509/036/0003>

**11 May 1850, Oxford Journal**

High Court of Chancery, Greenwood v. Churchill. Judicial order for sale by auction of farm house at Clifton and 202 acres.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18500511/006/0001>

**1 June 1850, Oxford Journal**

Notice by Woodstock Union inviting tenders from bakers.  
Woodstock Districts Nos. 1 and 2, Deddington Districts 1 to 3.

Separate notice by Woodstock Union inviting tenders from  
drapers, shoe makers, coal merchants and coffin makers.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18500601/009/0002>

**6 June 1850, Banbury Guardian**

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Reports on 5 cases,  
including non-payment of Clifton affiliation order and an  
assault at Clifton.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18500606/043/0003>

**15 June 1850, Oxford Journal**

Executors' sale of household furniture of the late Mr. John  
Poulton at Crown and Tuns Inn, Deddington. Great number of  
lots.

Auction, at Crown and Tuns Inn, Deddington, of two 500-Gallon  
casks, eleven 130-Gallon Ditto, 5 Puncheons, about 700 Gallons  
of Fine Old Ale, 150-Gallon Copper and famous 20-Bushel  
Brewing Plant.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18500615/004/0001>

To be peremptorily sold by order of the High Court of  
Chancery, in the case of Greenwood v. Churchill, a farm house  
at Clifton and 202 acres.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18500615/004/0001>

**20 June 1850, Banbury Guardian**

Advertisement by Phœnix Fire Assurance Company. Oxfordshire  
agents include Mr. Thomas Calcutt, Deddington, bookseller.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18500620/058/0003>

**11 July 1850, Banbury Guardian**

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Reports on 5 cases. 2 men fined for trespassing on Rev. W.C. Risley's farm. Mary Coles, and her 6 children, who had lived with late James Gibbs *alias* Jimmy Jagger, mole-catcher, of Deddington, ordered to be removed to Finmere in Brackley Union.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18500711/036/0003>

**20 July 1850, Oxford Journal**

Wheat crop in neighbourhood affected by blight.

Several heavy thunder storms in locality.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18500720/008/0002>

Auction of growing crops of corn and potatoes on 2 farms at Deddington by executors of late Mr. Poulton.

Auction, at Crown and Tuns Inn, of leasehold farm (92 acres) at Deddington now in occupation of Mr. John Poulton. Acreages of fields (x6) specified. Leased from Christ Church for 21 years.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18500720/011/0002>

**8 August 1850, Banbury Guardian**

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Reports on 7 cases, none involving Deddington parties. Licence of Crown and Tuns transferred to George Wells.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18500808/032/0003>

Business of plumbers and glaziers, carried on for c.80 years, for sale due to ill health. Apply to Mr. William Bygrave, Deddington.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18500808/038/0003>

**10 August 1850, Oxford Journal**

Hazel Hedge Farm, Clifton (260 acres) to let. Apply to Mr. Jos. Gardner on the premises.

Auction at Unicorn Inn of freehold properties in Deddington, proprietor Mr. Henry Churchill (solicitor Mr. Samuel Field).

Lot 1 - 5 cottages at the bottom of Church-lane, with yard and well. Names of tenants.

Lot 2 - Dwelling-house in Market-street. List of rooms, including 3 parlours and 7 bedrooms. Large business in grocery, chandlery, and spirit trade carried on for many years. Also coach-house and stables in Church-lane. Now occupied as 2 distinct dwellings, by Mr. Robert West, spirit merchant, and Mr. John Dean, grocer.

Lot 3 - Dwelling house in Market-street, including large shop, occupied by Mr. John Samuel Hiron, bookseller and stationer.

Lot 4 - Dwelling house in Market-Street with 4 bedrooms, coach-house, &c. in possession of Mr. Henry Churchill, the proprietor.

Lot 5 - 1½ acres of pasture in the Back-lane, occupied by Mr. William Sturch.

Lot 6 - Garden, with summer house, in Church-lane, in possession of Mr. Churchill.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18500810/006/0001>

**15 August 1850, Banbury Guardian**

Time not far distant when inhabitants of Deddington shall have the advantage of gas. Correspondent believes will be a good investment. A practical man has offered to take forward.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0001523/18500815/010/0002?browse=true>

**17 August 1850, Oxford Journal**

Horticultural Society committee meeting.

Many tradesmen and inhabitants would support the installation of gas lighting of shops and streets.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0000073/18500817/014/0003>

**22 August 1850, Banbury Guardian**

Notice to creditors of late John Poulton of Deddington, farmer, of meeting convened by trustees to discuss statement of affairs and probable dividend.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18500822/050/0003>

**31 August 1850, Oxford Journal**

Notice of Deddington Horticultural Society annual show in the Castle Ground, by permission of S. Field, Esq. Henry Churchill, Hon. Sec.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0000073/18500831/005/0002?browse=true>

Forthcoming annual Horticultural Society show in the Castle Ground. Band will play.

Cricket match to be played in the Castle Ground on flower show day between Sandford 11 and Deddington 11.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0000073/18500831/014/0003>

### **5 September 1850, Banbury Guardian**

Report on 12th annual Horticultural Show on the Castle Ground, courtesy of S. Field, Esq. Show could have been better publicised. Deddington amateur band. Cricket match. Description of exhibits. C. Faulkner, Esq., F.G.S., exhibited 30 specimens of corn, grown by various nations which trade with Great Britain, from his museum in New-street. List of wheat, maize and corn specimens. List of prize-winners (corrected 12 September).

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18500905/039/0002>

Cricket match between Deddington and Sandford Clubs during flower show. Scores subjoined.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18500905/042/0002>

### **7 September 1850, Oxford Journal**

Auction of household furniture, glass, earthenware, casks, brewing utensils, 5 milk leads, gig, 2 carts, &c., on premises in New Street of Mr. W. Bygrave, plumber and glazier, who retiring and leaving town.

Deddington and Kidlington Turnpike Road. Notice of meeting of trustees at the Fox and Crown Inn, North Aston, for the purposes of determining the repairs needed and re-letting the Tolls at both Toll Gates.

Visit to King's Arms Inn of barrister appointed to revise the lists of voters (revising barrister).

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18500907/011/0002>

Detailed report on annual Horticultural Show in Castle Ground. Deddington was "all alive". Excellent band and catering, and cricket match. Description of outstanding exhibits of flowers &c. Mr. [Charles] Faulkner exhibited specimens of wheat, oats, and maize, from his museum.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18500907/021/0003>

### **12 September 1850, Banbury Guardian**

Corrected list of prize-winners at annual Horticultural Show.

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Reports on 5 cases, including Deddington case of non-payment of wages for pea gathering.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0001523/18500912/039/0002?browse=true>

**14 September 1850, Oxford Journal**

Two draper's assistants required by A. and H. Samman, Market Place, Deddington.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18500914/009/0002>

Lengthy list of prize-winners at annual Horticultural Show.

Scores at cricket match between Deddington and Sandford Clubs during Horticultural Show. Also scores at return match played at Barton.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18500914/019/0003>

**21 September 1850, Oxford Journal**

Forthcoming end of season cricket match between the married and single.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18500921/018/0003>

**28 September 1850, Oxford Journal**

Auction of the Crown Inn, Clifton, on the right side of the Toll Gate, by direction of the Mortgagee under a power of sale. Premises include 3 good front bed rooms, one large back-room, commodious parlour, tap room, and arched cellarage; adjoining brew-house, stable, gig-house, capital malt-house, large garden and skittle ground, with never failing well of water. Now in occupation of Mr. Jas. Holloway.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18500928/009/0002>

Expression of thanks by Steeple Barton Vestry to Rev. W.C. Risley [Deddington House] for his kind services per *Banbury Guardian*.

Final cricket match of season between married and single. Adjourned to King's Arms Inn. Did ample justice to excellent *spread* by Mr. & Mrs. Hatten. H. Churchill, Esq. presided, supported by Messrs. S. Field, H. Landen and E. Turner. Various toasts, including health of S. Field, Esq. for use of Castle Ground. Response by Mr. Field.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0000073/18500928/010/0003>

### **3 October 1850, Banbury Guardian**

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Reports on 4 cases, including threatening behaviour against Deddington Gate toll-keeper.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18501003/025/0003>

### **5 October 1850, Oxford Journal**

Detailed report on ceremony of laying the foundation stone of new church (St. John's) at Hempton, on land given by Rev. W. Wilson, sen., of Over Worton House. Procession of Deddington School children, with band, led by assistant curate, Rev. F.G. Wilson. Service conducted by vicar of Banbury, Rev. W. Wilson, jun. List of principal spectators. Glass bottle placed in centre of foundation stone containing coins of the realm and a parchment roll. School also being built alongside.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18501005/027/0003>

### **10 October 1850, Banbury Guardian**

Report on ceremony of laying the foundation stone of new church at Hempton. Similar to *Oxford Journal* report on 5 October. Correspondent hopes worship will be "untinged (as is now too often the case) with Puseyism."

Committee meeting of Horticultural and Floral Society at Unicorn Inn to pass accounts &c.

Committee meeting of Cricket Club at Red Lion Inn to pass accounts &c.

Forthcoming Vestry to discuss rating of small tenements.

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Busby, keeper of Deddington Gate, asked bench to rule whether justified in requiring payment of toll for dogs drawing carts, &c. Magistrates concurred.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18501010/039/0002>

### **12 October 1850, Oxford Journal**

Several robberies in neighbourhood. Apples and walnuts stolen from garden of T.E. Kinch, Esq., solicitor. 2 guineas reward offered. Duck stolen from Mr. Austin, farmer. 6 persons

apprehended through exertions of Messrs. Churchill and French, constables, and convicted. One absconded from lock-up.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0000073/18501012/012/0002?browse=true>

**17 October 1850, Banbury Guardian**

Report on Vestry meeting, Mr. C. Faulkner (churchwarden) presiding, concerning whether to rate owners, instead of tenants, of £6 tenements per new Act, which approved.

Observations on the price of potatoes.

5 Deddington men convicted of stealing apples and walnuts from garden of T.E. Kinch, Esq. 4 sentenced to hard labour if fines not paid.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18501017/033/0003>

**24 October 1850, Banbury Guardian**

Expansive, if light-hearted, report on annual supper of Sparrow Club at King's Arms Inn. Jury of Deddington farmers has found sparrows do more harm than good. Threatened with similar doom to "poor cock robin". Catering by Mrs. Hatten avoided sparrow-pie &c. Names of most attendees. Toasts and songs after the cloth was drawn. Readers referred to works on natural history, one quoted at length.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0001523/18501024/026/0003>

**26 October 1850, Oxford Journal**

Vestry meeting to discuss rating owners, instead of occupiers, of small tenements.

Usual annual gathering of Sparrow Club at King's Arms Inn, H. Churchill, Esq. presiding.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0000073/18501026/010/0003?browse=true>

List of Fairs includes Deddington on Tuesday.

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**7 November 1850, Banbury Guardian**

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions, Deddington. Reports on 6 cases, none involving Deddington parties.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18501107/033/0003>

**28 November 1850, Banbury Guardian**

Altercation between 2 travelling bazaar men who erecting bazaars in Market Place the day preceding the Winter Fair.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18501107/033/0003>

**30 November 1850, Oxford Journal**

Deddington and Kidlington Turnpike Road. Notice of meeting of trustees at the Fox and Crown Inn, North Aston, for the purpose of letting by auction the Tolls at both Toll Gates. Current income from tolls, Kidlington or Old Man's Gate £626, Deddington Gate £291.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18501130/004/0001>

Forthcoming public meeting in Girls' Schoolroom to discuss recent insolent aggression of the Pope, and to present address to the Queen. Rev. W. Wilson, curate, to take chair.

Winter Fair [Pudding-pie fair] took place on 22 November. Attendance of dealers not so numerous as formerly. Poor trade in horses.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18501130/007/0002>

### **5 December 1850, Banbury Guardian**

Densely crowded meeting concerning the "Papal aggression" in Girls' Schoolroom. Chairman, Rev. W. Wilson, curate, supported by Rev. F.G. Wilson and Rev. G. Venables, assistant curates. Opening statement by Rev. W. Wilson. All inhabitants asked to sign address to the Queen, drawn up by Rev. J. Brogden, vicar. Also asked to sign a separate Protest against Tractarianism [Oxford Movement]. On enquiry by Mr. [Charles] Faulkner, one of churchwardens, what was to be done with the Protest once signed, Rev. W. Wilson said it would be kept at the school.

Mr. Faulkner proposed following addendum to the Address: "*And your petitioners (or memorialists) look with alarm at the introduction of Puseyism, Tractarianism, and error into the teaching and worship of the Established Church. We, therefore, implore that your Majesty will be pleased to direct that such measures may be adopted as may remove and prevent such injurious practises.*" Addendum carried by acclamation. Further comments by Mr. Faulkner, and by several Non-conformists. The utmost unanimity prevailed the whole of the time.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18501205/028/0002>

### **7 December 1850, Oxford Chronicle**

Public meeting at which an address to the Queen on the papal aggression and a petition were numerously signed.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0000989/18501207/028/0003?browse=true>

### **12 December 1850, Banbury Guardian**

Letter to Editor from 'A Friend of the Poor' commenting on the exposé concerning the Deddington Charity Feoffees in the December *North Oxfordshire Monthly Times*. Suggests Henry Dean, who rents 16 acres from the Feoffees, really fronting for his father, William Dean, who one of trustees. Also appears tenants of Alms-houses expected to collect and to spend their weekly allowance at shop of another son of William Dean.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18501212/017/0002>

[There is a reprint of the letter from 'Q' dated 18 November 1850 published in the *North Oxfordshire Monthly Times* for December 1850 in the Coggins scrapbooks, Volume 3, folio 74b.]

[https://www.deddingtonhistory.uk/data/assets/pdf\\_file/0020/17471/2021cogginsScrapVol3.pdf](https://www.deddingtonhistory.uk/data/assets/pdf_file/0020/17471/2021cogginsScrapVol3.pdf)

Texts of (lengthy) Address to the Queen, and of 'Protest and Pledge', set out *in extenso*. Over 100 signatures collected at Boys' Schoolroom. Names of principal signatories.

Establishment of National Schools clothing fund by Mr. Ward, the Master.

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Reports on 8 cases, including 2 assaults at Deddington and a scrimmage at the Winter Fair. Deddington man fined for drunkenness and swearing at North Aston, in default to be put in the stocks for 6 hours.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0001523/18501212/065/0003?browse=true>

#### **14 December 1850, Oxford Chronicle**

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Reports on 8 cases, including 3 separate Deddington assault cases. Another Deddington man fined 5s. for drunkenness and 1s. for swearing profane oaths.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000989/18501214/038/0003>

#### **19 December 1850, Banbury Guardian**

Advertisement by Guardian Fire and Life Assurance Company. Deddington agent, Thomas Edoe Kinch. [Recurring advertisement.]

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18501219/056/0003>

#### **21 December 1850, Oxford Chronicle**

Clothing fund established in connection with the Deddington National Schools.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0000989/18501221/026/0003>

#### **26 December 1850, Banbury Guardian**

The Banbury Guardian Almanac & Directory, for 1851.

Below entries extracted from columns under 'Market Vans, &c.'

\* Denotes Post Towns.

'O' means Oxfordshire.

The figures following the name of the Town denote the distance from Banbury.

Carriers' names are in *Italics*.

Clifton, O. 7, see Deddington

\*Deddington, O. 6, *Heming*, Queen's Head, Mon. and Thurs.; Bicester, Tues.; Oxford, Wed. and Sat. *French*, Buck and Bell, Mon. Thurs and Sat.; Clifton and Aynho Wharf, daily; calls at the Jolly Weavers at 4 o'clock. See Caulcutt and Great Western Railroad

Oxford, 23, *Vickers*, Brackley; *Boddington*, Souldern; *Day*, Sandford; *Nutt*, Adderbury; *Johnson*, Plough, Thurs.; *Heming*, Deddington; see Railroads

\*Woodstock, O. 17, see Railroad, &c. *The Mail Cart* leaves the Plough and Post Office every evening at a quarter to 7 o'clock, through Adderbury and Deddington, to Woodstock - returns every morning at 3 o'clock, and arrives in Banbury at half-past 5; see Abingdon, Barton

List of Fairs

(The Market Days are distinguished by *Italics*.)

DEDDINGTON - Last Tues. in each month, Nov. 22; *Tues.*

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0001523/18501226/071/0004?browse=true>

### **28 December 1850, Oxford Journal**

Advertisement by County Fire Office. Deddington agent Mr. W. Margetts

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18501228/008/0001>

## **2 January 1851, Banbury Guardian**

Letter to Editor from 'Chapter' critical of letter to *North Oxfordshire Monthly Times* from 'Q' questioning the lax integrity of the Deddington Charity Feoffees and whereabouts of missing accumulated surplus ("nest of golden eggs"). Chapter defends the maligned William and Henry Dean.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18510102/016/0002>

On Sunday last, a notice was affixed to the church door, stating that the Living of this town was put under sequestration.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0001523/18510102/029/0003?browse=true>

## **4 January 1851, Oxford Journal**

Birth of son to Mrs. T.E. Kinch.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18510104/013/0003>

## **9 January 1851, Banbury Guardian**

Lengthy letter from Charles Faulkner, Deddington, one of churchwardens, concerning the Deddington Charity Feoffees. Income of charity to be expended for "*the best benefit of the Poor*". Supposed to be annual accounts audited by 3 local J.P.s and the parish overseers. Faulkner estimates annual rental income £161 2s. 1d. against payments of £78 15s. 0d., leaving a disposable balance of £82 7s. 1d. Query size of accumulated surplus since accounts last laid before Parliamentary Commissioners in 1824 ? How has this money been accounted for?

Feoffees, several of whom have moved from Deddington, partake of dinners at the expense of the charity, which they have no right to do. Also claimed Mr. Henry Dean renting land from feoffees at a lower rate than the rent charged to poorer tenants. Charity managed by "two or three", while majority of trustees unaware of proceedings.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18510109/038/0003>

Christmas distributions to the poor of Deddington and Clifton (money, lamb, beef, tea and flannel) by Rev. W.C. Risley and Mrs. Samuel Field on behalf of W. Appletree, Esq.

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Reports on 6 cases, including poaching at Clifton, assault at Deddington and damaging hedges and a fence at Hempton.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0001523/18510109/037/0003?browse=true>

Advertisement. "*Will be published in a few days, the First Number of THE EARNEST CHURCHMAN.* May be procured at the Depot of the Society for Promoting Christian Knowledge, Deddington." [Printed by J.S. Hiron.]

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18510109/054/0003>

### **11 January 1851, Oxford Journal**

Auction of growing timber standing on farm occupied by Mr. W. Malins the younger at Clifton, adjoining Deddington turnpike road.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18510111/005/0001>

### **23 January 1851, Banbury Guardian**

Review of papers in *The Earnest Churchman*; No. 1. Hiron, Deddington. Not custom to review theological works, but exception as this intended for local circulation. The number concludes with some parochial details relative to the parish of Deddington.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18510123/002/0001>

**1 February 1851, Oxford Journal**

Death of favourite mare of Mr. J. French, butcher, after hunting while lent to Mr. Landon, assistant to Mr. Turner, surgeon, Deddington.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18510201/014/0003>

**6 February 1851, Banbury Guardian**

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Reports on 2 cases, including Deddington assault.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18510206/034/0003>

**8 February 1851, Oxford Journal**

Bishop of Oxford to preach sermons on behalf of National and Sunday free schools.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0000073/18510208/009/0003>

**15 February 1851, Oxford Journal**

Aynhoe Division of the Burford, Chipping-Norton, Banbury, Stow, Deddington, and Aynhoe Turnpike Roads. Notice of general annual meeting of Trustees at Cartwright Arms Inn, Aynhoe. Signed Samuel Field, Clerk to the Trustees, Deddington.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18510215/003/0001>

Report citing texts for Bishop's morning and afternoon sermons. Liberal sum of £25 1s. collected for schools.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0000073/18510215/010/0003>

List of agents for the sale of *Oxford Journal* includes Mr. Edw. Hatten and Mr. J.S. Hiron at Deddington.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18510215/025/0004>

**15 February 1851, Oxford Chronicle**

Oxfordshire Quarter Sessions. Discussion on report on Wootton North Division proposing reforming parochial constabulary by appointing a superintendant constable.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0000989/18510215/021/0003?browse=true>

**20 February 1851, Banbury Guardian**

Ticketed meeting of c.200 in largest room in town at Unicorn Inn to hear lecture by Rev. John Jordan on "The state of the Law as regards the aggressive policy of the Papacy, and the Jurisdiction of the Canon Law in England." Many could not get tickets.

Following evening equally crowded room for lecture by Mr. Faulkner on "The Ancient Charities of Deddington", and "Feoffee Aggression". Correspondent hopes will be better charitable distributions in future to poor than during past 26 years, when visitation in 1824 by Charity Commissioners pursuant to Lord Brougham's bill, and the Deddington almshouses, or "Brougham's Cottages", were erected.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18510220/044/0003>

**22 February 1851, Oxford Journal**

Deddington and Kidlington Turnpike Road. Notice of general annual meeting of Trustees at Fox and Crown Inn, North Aston, to pass accounts. Clerks, John Churchill and Samuel Field, Deddington.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18510222/003/0001>

**22 February 1851, Oxford Chronicle**

Temperance meeting at Upper Heyford chaired by C. Faulkner, Esq. [Under Lower Heyford.]

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000989/18510222/024/0003>

**1 March 1851, Oxford Journal**

Birth of son to wife of Mr. Ward, schoolmaster.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0000073/18510301/009/0003>

**6 March 1851, Banbury Guardian**

Oxfordshire Lent Assizes. Clifton case of stealing potatoes. Sentence 2 months' hard labour.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18510306/005/0001>

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Reports on 3 cases, one for non-payment of Deddington poor rates, another for alleged assault of Thomas Gibbard, carrier, of Deddington.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18510306/035/0003>

**8 March 1851, Oxford Chronicle**

Petition to Parliament against introduction of the Canon Law of Rome in progress at Deddington.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000989/18510308/029/0003>

**22 March 1851, Oxford Journal**

List of Fairs includes Deddington on Tuesday next.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18510322/011/0003>

**27 March 1851, Banbury Guardian**

Auction of live stock on farm in occupation of Mr. W. Gibbard, Deddington.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18510327/045/0003>

**29 March 1851, Oxford Journal**

List of parishes where Church Missionary Society meetings have been held, and sermons preached, in past week includes Deddington. [Under Banbury.]

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18510329/016/0003>

**3 April 1851, Banbury Guardian**

Auction of willow poles, fagots, &c., at Deddington Mill on farm in occupation of Mr. W. Merry.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18510403/036/0003>

**5 April 1851, Oxford Journal**

Annual meeting of Church Missionary Society in Town Hall.

Vestry meeting in Town Hall to nominate overseers (Mr. F. Gulliver and Mr. William Cheater) and to elect surveyors (Mr. W. Dean and Mr. Robert West).

Course of lectures by Joseph William Wilson, Esq., C.E. in Girls' Schoolroom to young men of the town.

Notice of general annual meeting of Deddington Association for the Prosecution of Felons and other Offenders, at the Unicorn Inn, for settling accounts &c. Dinner at two o'clock. Samuel Field, Treasurer and Solicitor.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18510405/022/0003>

**10 April 1851, Banbury Guardian**

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Reports on 7 cases. William Sturch of Unicorn Inn convicted of suffering divers persons to game and play at an unlawful game called "Grand Distribution of Prizes". Description of game, gleaned from placard printed by Mr. J.S. Hiron.

5 young Deddington men reprimanded for wandering over farm of Thomas Austin with dogs and causing damage.

Daniel Harwood, recently appointed superintending constable for Wootton North division, took oath of office.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18510410/034/0003>

**12 April 1851, Oxford Journal**

Auction of live stock on farm in occupation of Mr. William Gibbard, Deddington.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18510412/004/0001>

Oxford County Sessions. Grand Jury included Mr. T. Wright of Deddington. Cases included theft of shoes by John Lewis (17)

from John Wilsdon of Deddington. Sentence 6 weeks' imprisonment with hard labour, and to be once whipped.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18510412/018/0003>

**24 April 1851, Banbury Guardian**

Every prospect of a gas company being formed.

General annual meeting of Horticultural Society. Nature of business discussed. Need to increase members and ensure receipts continue to exceed expenditure.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0001523/18510424/033/0002?browse=true>

### **3 May 1851, Oxford Journal**

Instances of stones being thrown at passing trains on the G.W.R. Banbury line. This has occurred chiefly near Deddington.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18510503/018/0003>

### **8 May 1851, Banbury Guardian**

Opening day's play of Cricket Club on Castle Ground.

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Reports on 4 cases, including a Deddington assault. An order on the application of the Overseer was made on William Merry of Deddington Mill to contribute 3s. per week towards the support of his father.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18510508/042/0003>

### **10 May 1851, Oxford Journal**

Notice of annual meeting of Banbury, Deddington and Chipping-Norton District Committee of SPCK in Banbury.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18510510/004/0001>

Opening day of cricket season at Castle Ground (use kindly granted by S. Field, Esq., President of Club).

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0000073/18510510/011/0002?browse=true>

### **15 May 1851, Banbury Guardian**

'List of New Works' includes Brogden's Catholic Safeguards, Vol. III., 14s.; new edition of 3 vols., 36s.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18510515/002/0001>

Vestry meeting to elect churchwardens, chaired by Rev. F.G. Wilson. Mr. Charles Faulkner re-appointed Minister's churchwarden, Mr. John Scroggs parish churchwarden.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18510515/035/0003>

### **24 May 1851, Oxford Journal**

Advertisement offering secured loans of £300-£1000 by addressing A.B., Post Office, Deddington.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18510524/013/0002>

### **7 June 1851, Oxford Journal**

Death in America of Mr. J.F. Lamb, Deddington solicitor.

Opening of Hempton chapel. Morning and evening services. The founder, Rev. Dr. Wilson of Over Worton House, and Rev. W. Wilson, Vicar of Banbury, officiated.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18510607/019/0003>

### **12 June 1851, Banbury Guardian**

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Reports on 12 cases, including:

- the removal of a castrator's family from Deddington;
- alleged theft of potatoes, value 3d., from farm of Frederick Austin;
- assault of Deddington woman by throwing a bucket of water over her;
- theft of knife by 2 Deddington lads.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18510612/035/0003>

### **14 June 1851, Oxford Journal**

Annual meeting at Town Hall of Deddington General Friendly Institution. Annual receipts £51 14s. 8½d., disbursements £23 14s. 2d., accumulated capital £142 12s. 2¾d.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18510614/013/0002>

### **21 June 1851, Oxford Journal**

Auction at Deddington of household furniture and effects of Mr. Robert Malings deceased, and of the freehold messuage recently in his occupation.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18510621/010/0002>

Death of Mr. Robert Malings, shoemaker. Member of Union Beneficial Society.

Forthcoming special meeting of subscribers of National s to discuss want of school room accommodation in consequence of increasing number of children.

Mr. J.S. Hiron appointed local agent for Railway Passengers Insurance Company.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18510621/014/0003>

Charlbury constable, after a struggle, apprehended suspicious character (George Savory) at 3 a.m. on road from Charlbury to Great Tew carrying stolen cloth, a knife and 2 firearms (also stolen). Taken to Deddington before Rev. W.C. Risley, who committed him for trial at next county Assizes, where he was sentenced to transportation for 15 years.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18510621/014/0003>

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18510719/004/0002>

**28 June 1851, Oxford Journal**

Advertisement by County Hail-Storm Insurance Company.  
Deddington agent Mr. H. Margetts, grocer.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18510628/006/0001>

### **3 July 1851, Banbury Guardian**

Woodstock County Court, 22 cases. Claim for non-payment by W. and H. Margetts, grocers of Deddington v. W. Matthews, rope-maker. J. French, butcher of Deddington, sued W. Sessions, sawyer, for non-payment. Mr. C.D. Faulkner appeared for claimants.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18510703/046/0003>

### **5 July 1851, Oxford Journal**

Special meeting of subscribers of National and Sunday Free Schools on subject of providing better accommodation for children. Dr. Wilson advocated building new schools, which supported by the meeting. Rev. Francis G. Wilson announced resignation as treasurer (incident upon his removal from Deddington through ill health). Vote of thanks to Dr. Wilson for gift of land in Church-lane as site for the schools. Address thanking Rev. F.G. Wilson signed by 31 teachers attending Church Sunday Schools.

Treat for c.400 children from Deddington National Schools, and branch schools at Clifton and Hempton. Procession to Castle Ground, preceded by band, to partake of tea, cake and amusements.

First grand meet of season of Cricket Club between teams selected by Mr. Henry Churchill and Mr. Henry Landon. Detailed account of game.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18510705/008/0002>

### **10 July 1851, Banbury Guardian**

General meeting at Town Hall of subscribers to Coal Fund, Rev. F.G. Wilson in the chair. Annual report. Election of officers and committee (9). Tenders to be sought to supply 4 boat loads of coal.

School treat for c.400 children of Deddington, Clifton, and Hempton National Schools, organised by Rev. F.G. Wilson. Procession to Castle Ground, preceded by Deddington Band. Prizes shirting for boys, dresses for girls.

Footings from annual balance sheets of local friendly societies, including Deddington Union Beneficial Society (120 members).

Rooms of National and Sunday Free Schools too small for increased numbers. Decision to build new schools with Government aid on ground in Church Lane given by Dr. Wilson.

Petty Sessions as Oxford Journal 12 July 1851.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18510710/050/0003>

### **12 July 1851, Oxford Journal**

Meeting of Coal Charity at Town Hall. Election of committee (9). 4 boat loads of coals to be purchased for ensuing winter.

Report on lecture in Girls' Schoolroom by Joseph Wilson, Esq., C.E., "On the Steam Engine."

Cricket fixture agreed between Deddington and Barton Clubs on the Castle Ground.

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions, Reports on 7 cases. Deddington man fined for trespass in search of game. Licence of Three Horse Shoes, Deddington, transferred from John Whetton to Henry Margetts.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18510712/016/0003>

### **19 July 1851, Oxford Journal**

Cricket match between Deddington and Barton Clubs. Large attendance of spectators, including many ladies. Detailed account of game.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18510719/009/0003>

### **24 July 1851, Banbury Guardian**

Lengthy description of cricket match between Deddington and Barton Clubs on Castle Ground. Scores subjoined.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18510724/027/0002>

Public meeting to be held at Town Hall to promote the establishment of a gas company.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0001523/18510724/032/0003>

**7 August 1851, Banbury Guardian**

Return cricket match between Deddington and Barton Clubs at Barton. Detailed commentary on game. Scores subjoined.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18510807/026/0002>

Petty Sessions as *Oxford Journal* 9 August 1851.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18510807/043/0003>

**9 August 1851, Oxford Journal**

Prospectus for new gas company expected in a few days.

Date fixed for annual Horticultural Show.

Return cricket match between Deddington and Barton Clubs at Barton. Detailed commentary on game. Scores subjoined.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18510809/019/0003>

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Reports on 6 cases, including assault at Hempton.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18510809/017/0003>

**23 August 1851, Oxford Journal**

Report on cricket match on Castle Ground between sides chosen by Samuel Field, Esq., and Henry Landon, Esq. Scores subjoined.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0000073/18510823/014/0003?browse=true>

**6 September 1851, Oxford Journal**

Notice of annual Horticultural Show on Castle Ground. John Iorns, Secretary.

Notice of auction of Deddington Mill (freehold water corn mill), dwelling house (6 bed rooms) and 7 acres.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18510906/009/0002>

Forthcoming annual Horticultural show. Also cricket match between 11 gentlemen and 11 tradesmen. Names of eligible players.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18510906/015/0003>

**11 September 1851, Banbury Guardian**

Petty Sessions as *Oxford Journal*, 13 September 1851

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18510911/028/0003>

**13 September 1851, Oxford Journal**

Death of Mr. John Rose of Red Lion Inn.

Ceremony of laying corner stone of new church at Clifton. c. 500 persons present. Officiants Rev. George Venables, Rev. Dr. Wilson and Rev. W.C. Risley. Church will accommodate nearly 200. Site and materials donated. Mr. & Mrs. Risley chief contributors.

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions, Reports on 6 cases, including an assault at Deddington.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18510913/010/0003>

**18 September 1851, Banbury Guardian**

Sale of freehold dwelling house, with large garden and malt-house, at Clifton, formerly the Crown Inn.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18510918/020/0003>

**20 September 1851, Oxford Journal**

Report on 14th annual Horticultural show on Castle Ground, lent by S. Field, Esq. Delightful weather, but attendance not so numerous because of the counter attraction of the Great

Exhibition. Descriptions of most attractive exhibits. Model of Crystal Palace. Lists of prize-winners.

Married and singles cricket match. Detailed account of game. Ladies especially appearing to take the liveliest interest.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0000073/18510920/008/0003>

**25 September 1851, Banbury Guardian**

Five-quarter malt-house, situate in High Street, Deddington, to let.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18510925/052/0003>

**27 September 1851, Oxford Journal**

Visit of Revising Barrister to update Voters lists at King's Arms Inn.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18510927/005/0001>

## **2 October 1851, Banbury Guardian**

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Thomas Austin, farmer, summoned by labourer for non-payment of wages. Edward Payne summoned for absenting himself from employer's place of work (Mr. Thomas Dean, farmer). Deddington man sent to prison for stealing potatoes. "On hearing the adjudication, the prisoner's sister, with oaths and imprecations, uttered a volley of abuse on Mr. Risley" [magistrate].

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18511002/030/0002>

## **4 October 1851, Oxford Journal**

Petty Sessions as *Banbury Guardian* 2 October 1851.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18511004/016/0003>

Advertisement by Legal and Commercial Life and Fire Assurance Societies. Deddington agents Messrs. A. and H. Samman.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18511004/023/0004>

## **9 October 1851, Banbury Guardian**

Report on meeting of Church Missionary Society in Town Hall, Dr. Wilson presiding. Rev. C. Rhenius, assistant curate, ex-missionary, made some comments about the heathen world. Rev. George Venables, assistant curate, then gave a talk on Jewish history. Suggested establishing Deddington branch of the Society for the Conversion of the Jews.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0001523/18511009/034/0003>

## **11 October 1851, Oxford Journal**

Meeting of Church Missionary Society in Town Hall. See *Banbury Guardian* 9 October 1851.

Interesting game of cricket in aid of building fund for new National Schools between first 9 and next 18 of the Deddington Club. Sumptuous dinner after for c.40 at Unicorn Inn. Toasts and songs. Fuller report in *Banbury Guardian* 16 October 1851.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18511011/017/0003>

## **16 October 1851, Banbury Guardian**

Lengthy report on proceedings at concluding cricket match of season in aid of building fund for new National Schools between first 9 and next 18 of the Deddington Club. Light hearted commentary on game. Amateur brass band. Sumptuous dinner after at Unicorn Inn. Principal guests, Samuel Field, Esq. (President) presiding. Vice-Chairman, H. Churchill, Esq. Band in adjoining room. Various toasts and speeches reported *verbatim*.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0001523/18511016/037/0003?browse=true>

**18 October 1851, Oxford Journal**

Genteel residence to let at Deddington. 4 bed rooms, three-stall stable, &c. Apply to Mr. R. Franklin, builder.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18511018/009/0002>

**30 October 1851, Banbury Guardian**

Advertisement by Warwick tallow chandlers. Candles sold by Margetts and Son at Deddington.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18511030/039/0003>

**6 November 1851, Banbury Guardian**

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Licence of Red Lion Inn transferred from late John Rose to Mary Rose, his widow.

Daniel Harwood, superintending constable, appointed Inspector of weights and measures and Inspector of lodging houses for district. No Deddington cases.

Chaise carrying Mr. Thomas Austin, farmer, Deddington, and his son, Mr. William Austin, dealer, in collision with another chaise on way to Banbury.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18511106/029/0003>

**8 November 1851, Oxford Journal**

Petty Sessions as *Banbury Guardian* 6 November 1851.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18511108/018/0003>

**13 November 1851, Banbury Guardian**

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Application by apprentice to Mr. J.S. Hiron, printer, to dissolve apprenticeship on grounds of ill-treatment. See also *Oxford Journal* 22 November 1851.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0001523/18511113/027/0002?browse=true>

**15 November 1851, Oxford Journal**

Deddington and Kidlington Turnpike Road. Notice of meeting of trustees for the purpose of putting up to be let by auction the Tolls at Deddington Gate (now let for £231) and Old Man's Gate (Kidlington).

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18511115/008/0001>

**20 November 1851, Banbury Guardian**

Regular meeting of Church Missionary Society. Rev. C. Rhenius, assistant curate, spoke about missionary work.

Testimonial by members of Cricket Club of silver vase to S. Field Esq. for permitting them the use of the Castle Ground.

"Precious Shindy." Instead of burning Guy Fawkes, lads with candles set fire to 2 effigies in Market Place amidst "loud plaudits". Brass band played requiem.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0001523/1851120/025/0003>

**22 November 1851, Oxford Journal**

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Unsuccessful claim by apprentice against Mr. Hiron, printer, &c., of Deddington, for ill-using, ill-treating, and not allowing him a sufficiency of food. Indentures of apprenticeship cancelled.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/1851122/019/0003>

Wanted securities for loans between £500 and £10,000. Apply to Mr. Field, solicitor, Deddington.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/1851122/027/0004>

**27 November 1851, Banbury Guardian**

Proceedings at dinner at Unicorn Inn to President (Samuel Field, Esq.) and Vice-President (T.W. Turner, Esq.) of Deddington Cricket Club. Presentation of engraved silver chalice to Mr. Field. Thanks for allowing free use of Castle Ground. Various toasts and speeches reported *verbatim*. Chalice filled with port.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/1851127/010/0001>

**29 November 1851, Oxford Journal**

Deddington and Kidlington Turnpike Road. Notice of meeting of trustees for the purpose of letting by auction the Tolls at the Deddington and Kidlington Gates.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/1851129/005/0002>

Cricket Club dinner at Unicorn Inn. Presentation of silver vase to Samuel Field, Esq., President.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0000073/1851129/006/0003>

**29 November 1851, Oxford Chronicle**

Lecture on Astronomy by Rev. George Venables in Boys' School Room in aid of schools clothing club.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0000989/1851129/050/0005?browse=true>

#### **4 December 1851, Banbury Guardian**

Lecture (nearly 2 hours) by Rev. George Venables on Astronomy in Boys' School Room for benefit of Schools Clothing Club. Collection nearly 30s. Names of principal attendees, including Mistresses Turner, Field, Kinch, Venables, Mitchell, &c. Names of principal donors.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0001523/18511204/037/0003>

#### **11 December 1851, Banbury Guardian**

Rev. G. Venables commenced series of 5 lectures on Jerusalem in the Girls' School Room.

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Reports on 11 cases, including:

- Thos. Matthews of The Plough Inn in New Street fined for opening premises before the hour allowed by law;
- Deddington labourer convicted of stealing apples from orchard of Robert East, draper;
- Travelling bazaar proprietor [hawker] charged with selling goods at Deddington without a licence on 19 November; defendant also charged with exposing for sale without a licence earthenware articles and toys in a bazaar or stall two days after the Winter Fair on 22 November, fined £10;
- Order to proprietor of Durran's lodging house at Deddington, described as being in a beastly state.

Licence of Crown and Tuns, Deddington, endorsed to Robt. West, and that of the Crown, at Clifton, to John Coy.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18511211/037/0003>

#### **13 December 1851, Oxford Journal**

Deddington and Kidlington Turnpike Road. Notice of meeting of trustees for the purpose of letting by auction the Tolls at the Deddington and Kidlington Gates.

Aynhoe Division of the Burford, Chipping-Norton, Banbury, Stow, Deddington, and Aynhoe Turnpike Roads. Notice of meeting of trustees at Cartwright Arms, Aynhoe, for the purpose of letting by auction Tolls at all the Gates. Samuel Field, Clerk to the Trustees.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18511213/002/0001>

Petty Sessions as *Banbury Guardian* 11 December 1851.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18511213/006/0002>

**18 December 1851, Banbury Guardian**

*Banbury Guardian* country agents include Mr. T. Calcutt [sic] at Deddington.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18511218/083/0004>

**20 December 1851, Oxford Journal**

Advertisement by Guardian Fire and Life Assurance Company. Deddington agent, Thomas Edoe Kinch.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18511220/003/0001>

**24 December 1851, Banbury Guardian**

Numerous and respectable auditory assembled in Independent Chapel in Banbury to hear address on the Wesleyan Reform movement. Mr. Callcutt [sic], of Deddington, ably presided.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18511224/024/0002>

Close of arable land in Hempton (8A. 2R. 26P.) for sale. Situate on north side of road from Hempton to Deddington. Proprietor Mr. Thomas Evins of Great Barford.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18511224/038/0003>

The Banbury Guardian Directory & Almanac, for 1852.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18511224/055/0004>

### **1 January 1852, Banbury Guardian**

Serious injuries to travellers who thrown out of chaise by unmanageable horse when leaving Middleton-Cheney for Deddington after dark without lamps. Injured Mr. James Smith, chemist and druggist, Deddington, and Mr. E. Margetts, son of Mr. W. Margetts.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18520101/028/0003>

### **3 January 1852, Oxford Journal**

Disastrous accident to 2 Deddington residents. See *Banbury Guardian* 1 January 1852.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0000073/18520103/008/0003>

### **8 January 1852, Banbury Guardian**

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Reports on 11 cases, including:

- Deddington thatcher summoned for non-payment of poor rate;
- Wood stealing on property of Fred. Gulliver, farmer;
- Young man employed at coach-spring factory at Deddington convicted of stealing 2s. from till of Charles Churchill, grocer.

Disagreement between Magistrates and Auditor to Overseers of the Poor whether poors' rate-book needed to be signed on each page instead of at the end as heretofore.

Licence of Crown and Tuns, Deddington, transferred from George Wells to Robert West, and that of the Crown, at Clifton, from James Holloway to John Coy.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18520108/044/0003>

### **10 January 1852, Oxford Journal**

Death of Daniel Petty, son of Mr. G. Petty, maltster and brewer, Deddington.

Concluding lecture by Rev. George Venables on Jerusalem. Series has raised £3 10s. for the London Society for promoting Christianity among the Jews.

Meeting of Church Missionary Society in Hempton school room. Speakers Rev. Dr. Wilson, Rev. G. Venables and C. Faulkner Esq.

Presentation of heartfelt address by inhabitants of parish to Rev. Dr. William Wilson of Over Worton House for his voluntary and able services, including large pecuniary outlay, during past year.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18520110/007/0002>

Petty Sessions as *Banbury Guardian*, 8 January 1852.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18520110/009/0002>

**15 January 1852, Banbury Guardian**

Auction of property at Hempton owned by Mr. Thomas Evins of Great Barford. Lot 1: Close of arable land (8½ acres). Lot 2: 3 cottages and 1 acre arable close. Names of 3 under-tenants.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18520115/038/0003>

**12 February 1852, Banbury Guardian**

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. See *Oxford Journal*, 14 February 1852.

Alleged disrespect of Relieving Officer, John Irons, to Magistrates.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/1852012/043/0003>

**14 February 1852, Oxford Journal**

Birth of 3rd son to Rev. George Venables, curate of Nether Worton.

Work on new schools to commence soon on site donated by W.C. Cartwright Esq.

Monthly Church Missionary meeting in Girls' school room. Talk by Rev. C. Rhenius, one of assistant curates, on missionary work in India.

Gas - "This matter is again in agitation."

Report on annual meeting of Cricket Club at Unicorn Inn.

Petty Sessions: Drunken row at Crown and Tuns; wilful damage at Hempton.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/1852014/019/0003>

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Reports on 7 cases, including:

- T. and J. Hiorns, father and son, of Hempton, charged by Edward Coggins, dealer, Hempton, with damaging a drain in a field; adjourned after hearing evidence;

- drunken row, stones thrown at policeman, by 4 young men outside the Crown and Tuns Inn.

Chas. Mason of Deddington, smith, appointed assistant to Inspector of Weights and Measures.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/1852014/022/0003>

**19 February 1852, Banbury Guardian**

Letter to Editor from John Irons, Deddington, Relieving Officer of the Deddington District (for 16 years), rebutting claim of disrespect in previous week's report on the Deddington Petty Sessions.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0001523/18520219/044/0003?browse=true>

**21 February 1852, Oxford Journal**

Auction of agricultural implements, dairy utensils, &c., at Hempton, on premises of Mr. John Stanley, who declining the farming pursuits.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18520221/008/0002>

Marriage in New Zealand of John Hyde Harris, Esq., formerly of Deddington.

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Forthcoming confirmation by Bishop of Oxford.

Text of circular by Rev. Dr. Wilson (Over Worton House), treasurer, notifying commencement of building of new schools on a site donated through liberality of W.C. Cartwright, Esq., of Aynhoe. Further subscriptions sought to provide necessary fittings &c. Master, Mr. Ward; Mistress, Mrs. Walker.

Text of address by inhabitants of Over and Nether Worton to Rev. Wm. Wilson, jun., Vicar of Banbury, offering £19 8s. 3d. collected towards new church in Banbury.

Text of petition to Parliament agreed at meeting at Town Hall, chairman, Rev. C. Rhenius, expressing strong repugnance against the National Endowment of the Roman Catholic College at Maynooth, near Dublin.

2 tramps committed to prison for breaking a pane of glass, and stealing cheese, from Mrs. Wells, grocer.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18520221/016/0003>

**28 February 1852, Oxford Journal**

Advertisement by A. and H. Samman, Linen and Woollen Drapers, Market Place. Induced to add a Tailoring Business. Experienced Cutter engaged. A. and H. S. can with confidence guarantee a superior fit, with elegance of style, combined with good workmanship. In consequence of having made considerable alterations, they are enabled to keep workmen on their premises. Also vacancy for Apprentice.

Deddington and Kidlington Turnpike Road. Notice of general annual meeting of Trustees at Fox and Crown Inn, North Aston,

to pass accounts. Clerks, John Churchill and Samuel Field, Deddington.

Aynhoe Division of the Burford, Chipping-Norton, Banbury, Stow, Deddington, and Aynhoe Turnpike Roads. Notice of general annual meeting of Trustees at Cartwright Arms Inn, Aynhoe. Signed Samuel Field, Clerk to the Trustees, Deddington.

Loans from £2,000 downwards may be had, on real security, by applying to Hitchcock and Kinch, solicitors, Deddington.

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Auction of poles and fagots in spinney belonging to C. D'Oyley, Esq., midway between Adderbury and Deddington.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18520228/011/0002>

Oxfordshire Assizes. 2 young men charged with stealing, at Deddington, 1lb. of cheese, value 8d.

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**6 March 1852, Oxford Journal**

Advertisement by Thomas Calcutt, printer, bookseller, stationer, and bookbinder, Post Office, New-street, that he now carries on the Printing Business.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18520306/015/0003>

**11 March 1852, Banbury Guardian**

Site for new schools on Banbury Road now marked out. Close occupied by Mr. Edward Hatten, who relinquishing.

Proposals for bringing gas progressing. Engineer has completed his plans.

Date of forthcoming confirmation service.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0001523/18520311/032/0003>

Marriage at South Newington of Mr. Charles Duffell Faulkner, solicitor, Deddington, to Elizabeth Tabitha Watts, eldest daughter of the late John Stanhawe Watts Daniel, Esq., of Dillington, Norfolk.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18520311/043/0003>

**13 March 1852, Oxford Journal**

Accident to Mr. & Mrs. Buckett in Market Place. In gig with kicking horse.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18520313/007/0002>

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. 3 principal cases. Adjourned hearing of claim against Thomas Hiorns of Hempton, labourer, who convicted, of damaging drain on land of Edward Coggins. Distress warrant against John West for non-payment of poor rate.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18520313/009/0002>

Auction of large and productive garden ground in Deddington, with famous Fruit Walls, well, &c., having a good frontage to the Street, and pleasantly situated near the Church. Well adapted for Building purposes.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18520313/010/0002>

Marriage at South Newington of Mr Chas. D. Faulkner, solicitor, Deddington, to Elizabeth, eldest daughter of the late J.S.W. Daniel, Esq., of Dillington, Norfolk.

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Notice by James Carter, coal merchant, Deddington, that he will not pay his wife's debts.

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### **18 March 1852, Banbury Guardian**

Confirmation services in neighbourhood of Banbury, including at Deddington.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18520318/020/0002>

### **25 March 1852, Banbury Guardian**

Annual meeting of Deddington branch of Church Missionary Society in Girls' school room, Rev. C. Rhenius in the chair. See also *Oxford Journal*, 27 March 1852.

Forthcoming sermons by Rev. Joshua Greaves, son of Rev. R. Greaves, former Vicar of Deddington, in aid of new National Schools.

Recurring advertisement by Phœnix Fire Assurance Company. Deddington agent, Mr. Thomas Calcutt, bookseller.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18520325/042/0003>

Advertisement by Globe Insurance. Deddington agent Mr. S. Field.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18520325/055/0003>

### **27 March 1852, Oxford Journal**

Annual meeting of Deddington branch of Church Missionary Society in Girls' school room, Rev. C. Rhenius in the chair. Main speaker former missionary in India. Other speakers included C. Faulkner, Esq.

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### **3 April 1852, Oxford Journal**

Notice of general annual meeting of Deddington Association for the Prosecution of Felons and other Offenders, at the Unicorn Inn, for settling accounts &c. Dinner at two o'clock. Samuel Field, Treasurer and Solicitor.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18520403/007/0002>

Numerous meeting of rate-payers at Vestry at Town Hall to nominate parish officers. Overseers Mr. James Hopcraft, builder, Mr. Robert Whetton, farmer, and Mr. William Lovell, farmer, Hempton. Assessors Mr. C. Davis, painter, and Mr. G. Chater, butcher. Surveyors Mr. F. Gulliver, farmer, and (unusually after a 3-way contest) Mr. Robert East, draper.

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### **8 April 1852, Banbury Guardian**

Re-opening of Wesleyan chapel in Deddington, after renovations and enlargement. 2 intensely-interesting discourses to crowded congregations by Rev. Joseph Beaumont of Bristol, characterised by elevated eloquence, intense pathos, gorgeous imagery, and lucid argument. c.200 persons sat down to tea.

General meeting of Cricket Club at Unicorn Inn. Samuel Field, Esq., has granted free use of Castle Ground. In centre a dead level of many square yards has been laid down. Conjointly with Banbury Club, Nottingham bowler engaged 2 days a week. Names of officers and committee.

Adjourned Vestry meeting, consequent upon Mr. Faulkner having enquired whether anyone present could give any account of £30 which appeared to have been paid for a stone pit about 8 years previously. A vestry in 1844 had ordered that an exhausted stone pit on Mr. Gulliver's father's farm should be offered to him for that sum. No records as to what happened. Reported to adjourned vestry that £30 paid but not accounted for, Mr. Field, solicitor, having forgotten to pay it before. Resolved to deposit the £30 in Banbury Savings Bank, the interest to be applied towards repairs to the roads.

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Reports on 5 cases, none concerning Deddington parties.

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### **10 April 1852, Oxford Journal**

General meeting of Deddington Cricket Club. See *Banbury Guardian* 8 April 1852.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18520410/007/0002>

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Reports on 9 cases, including 2 offences committed at Deddington by outsiders.

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#### **15 April 1852, Banbury Guardian**

Detailed report on fire consuming thatched buildings near New Street. 2 fire-engines. Water from large reservoir only recently cleaned out. Help from Messrs. Mason and men employed at their Patent Axle Manufactory.

Forthcoming annual sermons on behalf of the Sunday and Free Schools by Rev. Joshua Greaves, son of former vicar.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0001523/18520415/020/0003>

#### **17 April 1852, Oxford Journal**

A. and H. Samman re-opening Show Room in Market Place. Vacancy for Assistant.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18520417/009/0002>

Fire in hovel, adjoining cottage occupied by person named Ell, near New-street. Spread to adjoining bake-house, hovel and pigsties of Mr. Chator, and hovel and pigsties of Mrs. Dean, butcher. Put out by parish fire brigade.

Forthcoming annual sermons on behalf of Deddington National Schools by Rev. J. Greaves, Great Missenden.

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#### **22 April 1852, Banbury Guardian**

Lengthy report on Wesleyan Reform meeting in Banbury. Mr. Calcutt, expelled local preacher, of Deddington, was called to the chair. Speeches, including Mr. Calcutt's, reported *verbatim*.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18520422/022/0002>

Report on sermons in aid of new National and Sunday Free Schools by Rev. Joshua Greaves. Texts for morning and afternoon services. Preacher son of Richard Greaves, vicar 1822-1836, when, per Correspondent, Popery and Puseyism had not cast their baneful influence. No church in the neighbourhood has a sounder evangelical minister than our present assistant curate. Total collections £17 4s. 11½d. Plans for new erections submitted to School Committee.

Easter Vestry, Rev. C. Rhenius, assistant curate, presiding. Mr. Charles Faulkner appointed Vicar's churchwarden for 3rd year, Mr. John Scroggs re-elected parish churchwarden for 2nd year. Church rate 1½d. in the £. All carried unanimously. Another vestry convened to discuss best means of protecting the town from the spread of fire.

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#### **24 April 1852, Oxford Journal**

Meeting at Red Lion Inn, Steeple Aston, with view to establishing a Building Society, Mr. Wm. Wing chairman. Deddington representatives Mr. H. Churchill and Mr. C.D. Faulkner, solicitors. Proposed name 'The Steeple Aston, Bicester, and Deddington Building Society'. Appointment of committee (x9). [Under Lower Heyford.]

£17 5s. collected at church for new schools after sermons by Rev. Greaves.

Annual Vestry, Rev. C. Rhenius in chair. Passing of churchwardens' accounts. C. Faulkner, Esq., Vicar's churchwarden, Mr. Scroggs re-elected parish churchwarden. Church rate 1½d. in the £.

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#### **29 April 1852, Banbury Guardian**

Potentially serious accident at Clifton involving horse-drawn vehicle at Clifton when horse fell. Driver thrown out. Taken to house of Mr. Malings, farmer. Attended by T.W. Turner, Esq., surgeon, Deddington.

Several petty robberies. Broccoli heads stolen from gardens of S. Field, Esq. and Mr. Carter.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18520429/036/0003>

**1 May 1852, Oxford Journal**

Vestry meeting to discuss most efficient means of dealing with fires, Mr. C. Faulkner in the chair. Appointment of committee. "Strong" discussion whether to turn Town Pool into reservoir, ending in chairman vacating the chair. Eventually son Mr. C.D. Faulkner took chair, and motion negated by considerable majority.

Potentially serious accident at Clifton, and petty robberies. See *Banbury Guardian*, 29 April 1852.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18520501/019/0003>

**6 May 1852, Banbury Guardian**

Annual meeting of Horticultural Society at Unicorn Inn. Election of officers and committee (x12). Annual report reproduced *verbatim*. Members prizes reduced by 20% because of lower income. Need for strict economy.

Forthcoming prospectus for forming gas company by Provisional Committee.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0001523/18520506/036/0003>

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Reports on 6 cases. Alleged assault against William Busby, farmer, Deddington.

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**8 May 1852, Oxford Journal**

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. See also *Banbury Guardian*, 6 May 1852.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18520508/008/0002>

Annual meeting of Horticultural Society. See *Banbury Guardian* 6 May 1852.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0000073/18520508/010/0003>

**20 May 1852, Banbury Guardian**

Commencement of cricket season. c.30 patrons. Prosperous season is fully anticipated.

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**22 May 1852, Oxford Journal**

Very vivid flash of lightning and terrific thunder clap. Fire ball fell on roof of Independent Chapel at Hempton; wall will have to be re-built.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0000073/18520522/011/0003>

**27 May 1852, Banbury Guardian**

Thunder storm. See *Oxford Journal*, 22 May 1852.

A beast: case of indecent exposure.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0001523/18520527/030/0003>

**29 May 1852, Oxford Journal**

Forthcoming annual meetings of the 3 Deddington benefit societies.

Single wicket cricket match between 2 players from Deddington and Steeple Aston Clubs.

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### **3 June 1852, Banbury Guardian**

Cricket match on Castle Ground between 1st 11, and next 10 plus the professional bowler, of the Deddington Club.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18520603/019/0002>

Planned presentation to Rev. Charles Rhenius. See *Oxford Journal*, 5 June 1852.

Annual meeting of Deddington General Friendly Institution. See *Oxford Journal*, 5 June 1852.

Arrangements for establishing the 'Steeple Aston, Bicester, and Deddington Building Society' progressing.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18520603/029/0003>

### **5 June 1852, Oxford Journal**

District visitors (ladies) of parish to present silver inkstand to Rev. C. Rhenius.

Annual meeting of Deddington General Friendly Institution at Unicorn Inn previous Monday. c.30 members sat down to excellent dinner [lunch]. Prosperous condition. Assets £141 13s. 1¼d.

Previous Wednesday annual gatherings of other 2 friendly societies, Union Beneficial Society (103 members) at Three Tuns Inn, and the Plough Inn Friendly Society. Procession to church, preceded by 2 bands. Discourse by Rev. F.G. Wilson. Assets of Union Beneficial Society £2,224 3s. 4d.

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### **10 June 1852, Banbury Guardian**

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Reports on 10 cases, including stealing eggs at Hempton, and 2 assaults at Deddington. Superintending constable Daniel Harwood presented 15 cases of short weights and measures, including George Eustace Petty, maltster; John Woolgrove, Hempton, shopkeeper; Charles Churchill, grocer; John Rose, oil and colourman [or ironmonger].

Superintendent also charged the 4 Deddington constables, John French, Elias Bennett, George Chater, and Thomas Byles, with neglect of duty for not dealing with disturbance at the Three Tuns. "The constables of Deddington were not of the slightest assistance to him in preserving the peace."

Testimonial to Rev. C. Rhenius. See *Oxford Journal*, 12 June 1852.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18520610/041/0003>

**12 June 1852, Oxford Journal**

Resolution by promoters of the Steeple Aston, Bicester, and Deddington Building Society meeting at the Red Lion Inn, Steeple Aston, to subscribe 2s. 6d. monthly. Committee of management including Mr. C. Duffell Faulkner, Deddington) to meet monthly. [Under Lower Heyford.]

Testimonial to Rev. C. Rhenius, assistant curate. Presentation of Pocket Communion Service by Sunday School Teachers and District Visitors after usual weekly lecture. Text of address.

Forthcoming match at Deddington between Brasenose College Cricket Club and Deddington Cricket Club.

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Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. See *Banbury Guardian*, 10 June 1852.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18520612/008/0002>

Auction of 2 closes of Mowing Grass at Chapman's Leys, Deddington. Proprietor, Mr. D. Harwood.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18520612/010/0002>

**17 June 1852, Banbury Guardian**

Requisition by inhabitants presented to Rev. G. Venables, the re-appointed assistant curate, requesting him to perform divine service weekly on Wednesday evenings.

Alpaca coats stolen by 2 tramps from shop of Messrs. Samman, drapers, in Market-place. Apprehended by Superintendent Harwood at Clifton.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0001523/18520617/043/0003>

**19 June 1852, Oxford Journal**

Notice by Inclosure Commissioners that W.C. Cartwright of Aynhoe Park has applied for a Loan of £400 for the Drainage of Lands in the parishes of Deddington and Clattercott.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18520619/003/0001>

Deddington News as *Banbury Guardian*, 17 June 1852.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18520619/005/0002>

#### **24 June 1852, Banbury Guardian**

Cricket match between Brasenose College and Deddington Cricket Clubs. See *Oxford Journal*, 26 June 1852.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18520624/011/0002>

Meeting of Church Missionary Society. See *Oxford Journal*, 26 June 1852.

Potatoe disease in neighbourhood.

Accident at Clifton. Young woman thrown from cart by distressed horse.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18520624/016/0003>

#### **26 June 1852, Oxford Journal**

Numerously attended quarterly meeting of Deddington branch of Church Missionary Society at Clifton. Addresses by Revds. George Venables and C. Rhenius.

Cricket match on beautiful ground of the Deddington Club between Brasenose College and Deddington. Many ladies amongst spectators. Detailed account of game. Scores subjoined.

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### **3 July 1852, Oxford Journal**

Woodstock County Court. Suit by John Churchill and others (Feoffees of the Deddington Charity Estates) v. Sessions and Knibbs, allotment tenants, for non-payment of rent (although offered). Mr. Field for the Feoffees, Mr. C.D. Faulkner for the defendants. Evidence of Richard French, rent collector for 20 years (replaced by Mr. Henry Churchill in 1850). Faulkner applied for postponement as a pending suit in the Court of Chancery (evidently in respect of mismanagement), but Judge ruled present trustees entitled to receive rents.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18520703/008/0002>

### **8 July 1852, Banbury Guardian**

Reprint of extract concerning Deddington Charity Estates from Second Report of Charity Commissioners dated 29 May 1851, which investigated 13 charities, illustrating the defects and abuses for which a remedy is required. Lengthy report on Deddington Charity Estates reproduced *verbatim*.

Inquisition by a Commission of Charitable Uses in 1611 listed 6 charities for the payment of fifteenths [tax on moveables] and for the relief of the poor, including the Hermitage, and rents from shops and stalls under or adjoining the Town House built with money raised out of the Hermitage.

Decree of Commissioners in 1612, *inter alia*, nominating 12 feoffees, who to account annually to 2 JPs, and specifying terms on which leases should be granted.

1627 Decree by Commission of Charitable Uses, reciting 4 further charitable endowments and various digressions by feoffees from 1612 decree, specifying fresh conditions, including accounting yearly to 3 JPs and the overseers.

£300 paid to feoffees for exchange of land in 1810. Clear annual income of c. £140.

For great number of years before 1818, few sums given to poor people while remainder paid towards poor rate.

New feoffees appointed in 1818. In 1822 feoffees erected almshouses for 4 poor men and 4 poor women, at cost of £653, leaving indebtedness of £163 4. 2d.

Weekly allowance (costing £72 16s. per annum) paid to almspeople, but no clothing provided because of indebtedness. Report says would be surplus income once debt paid off.

Several communications to *Banbury Guardian* about improper distributions and mismanagement. No response from feoffees. 1823 indebtedness ought long since to have been paid off. Should have been considerable annual surplus.

Accounts not made public or submitted to magistrates and overseers as required by 1627 decree. No clothing provided for almspeople. Dissatisfaction at secrecy and mode of management. Case to be submitted to the Attorney-General.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18520708/018/0001>

New Clifton chapel to open in about 2 months. Cost c.£1,000, £700 contributed by Rev. W.C. Risley.

The *hurried* exit from the town of a bass singer, at the church, and the sexton's wife, has of late been the topic with the quidnuncs of Deddington.

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Report on 4 cases, 2 involving Hempton parties.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0001523/18520708/036/0002?browse=true>

#### **10 July 1852, Oxford Journal**

Match on Castle Ground between 2 elevens of the Deddington Cricket Club.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0000073/18520710/007/0003>

#### **15 July 1852, Banbury Guardian**

Meeting of British and Foreign Bible Society at Town Hall. Applications received for shares in new Building Society.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0001523/18520715/025/0002?browse=true>

#### **24 July 1852, Oxford Journal**

List of Fairs includes Deddington on Tuesday.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18520724/012/0003>

#### **29 July 1852, Banbury Guardian**

Mr. Calcutt at Wesleyan reform meeting at Banbury. Speaker at Banbury attended a reform meeting at Deddington.

Forthcoming cricket match between Brackley and Deddington  
Clubs at Evenley Park.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18520729/014/0002>

**5 August 1852, Banbury Guardian**

Work on building new National Schools has commenced.  
Excavations for the foundations are progressing rapidly.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0001523/18520805/028/0003>

**7 August 1852, Oxford Journal**

One of Mr. W. Dean's labourers, thinking he was shooting at a crow, killed one of his master's sheep.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0000073/18520807/009/0003>

**12 August 1852, Banbury Guardian**

Terrible storm passed over town and neighbourhood.

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Reports on 8 cases. Deddington cases involved labourer leaving service without permission, and single-woman leaving her 6 children chargeable to the parish.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18520812/035/0003>

**14 August 1852, Oxford Journal**

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Reports on 7 cases. See also *Banbury Guardian*, 12 August 1852.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18520814/010/0002>

Considerable damage from very heavy storm.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0000073/18520814/013/0003>

**19 August 1852, Banbury Guardian**

Cricket match between Aynhoe and Deddington Clubs at Aynhoe.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18520819/025/0002>

**21 August 1852, Oxford Journal**

Still-born daughter to wife of Mr. T.E. Kinch, solicitor.  
Still-born twins to wife of Mr. C.D. Faulkner, solicitor.

Cricket match on Castle Ground between eleven chosen by C.D. Marsham, Esq., and the Deddington Club. Scores subjoined. Also match between Aynhoe and Deddington Cricket Clubs at Aynhoe.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18520821/018/0003>

**28 August 1852, Oxford Journal**

Return match on Castle Ground between Deddington Cricket Club and eleven chosen by T. Cartwright, Esq., of Aynho Park.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18520828/014/0003>

## **2 September 1852, Banbury Guardian**

Report on cricket match between Deddington Cricket Club and Unity Club, Oxford, played on Cowley Marsh. Scores subjoined.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18520902/014/0002>

Forthcoming Horticultural Show. To be music and 150 prizes, an agricultural roots sweepstake and tea treat for schoolchildren.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0001523/18520902/016/0003>

Advertisement for annual Deddington Horticultural Show. Description of attractions.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18520902/045/0003>

## **4 September 1852, Oxford Journal**

Briefer advertisement for annual Deddington Horticultural Show.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0000073/18520904/007/0002?browse=true>

Forthcoming annual Horticultural Show on Castle Ground, courtesy of S. Field, Esq. 150 prizes; 2 bands engaged. Combined with annual treat for children of National and Sunday Free Schools.

Exciting game of cricket on Castle Ground between Mr. Charles Churchill's eleven and Mr. John Campin's. Scores subjoined.

Return match between Deddington Cricket Club and Unity Club, Oxford, played on Cowley Marsh.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18520904/015/0003>

## **9 September 1852, Banbury Guardian**

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Reports on 4 cases, including Deddington assault. John Parish, surveyor of Hempton, granted licence to dig materials in Great Barford for repair of highways in Hempton. All ale-house licences in Division renewed for ensuing year.

### **11 September 1852, Oxford Journal**

Forthcoming cricket match on Castle Ground between eleven chosen by B. Ramsay, Esq., of Croughton and a Deddington eleven.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18520911/017/0003>

15th annual Horticultural Show on Castle Ground. Descriptions of most attractive exhibits. Names of principal visitors. Lengthy list of prize winners.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18520911/018/0003>

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. As *Banbury Guardian*, 9 September 1852.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18520911/019/0003>

### **16 September 1852, Banbury Guardian**

Forthcoming cricket match between elevens chosen by T.C. Cartwright, Esq., of Aynho and T.W. Turner, Esq., of Deddington. Result of match between eleven chosen by R. [sic] Ramsay, Esq., and the Deddington Club.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18520916/021/0002>

Serious accident to carter returning from Clifton Mill (corn) to Coomb Hill Farm (Mr. James Austin).

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18520916/018/0003>

### **18 September 1852, Oxford Journal**

Advertisement for a Public Dinner, at 3 o'clock, in Banbury to Mr. Henley, Col. North, Capt. Vyse and Mr. Knightley. Committee members include Rev. W.C. Risley.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18520918/006/0002>

### **23 September 1852, Banbury Guardian**

Result of cricket match on Castle Ground between Deddington and Aynho. Scores subjoined.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18520923/019/0002>

**25 September 1852, Oxford Journal**

2 cricket matches played by Deddington Club last week on Castle Ground. First match against Mr. B. Ramsay's eleven, second against Aynho.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18520925/014/0003>

**30 September 1852, Banbury Guardian**

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Reports on 5 cases. The 4 constables of Deddington, John French, butcher, Elias Bennett, baker, Thomas Byles, blacksmith, and George Chater, baker, charged by Daniel Harwood, superintendant constable, with having assaulted and beaten him, aided and abetted by Wm. Sturch, butcher, Thos. French, tailor, and Richard Claydon Churchill, blacksmith. The 4 constables counterclaimed that Superintendent Harwood had been drunk and disorderly. Evidence by 4 witnesses and protagonists. 2 of the constables fined. Harwood was found to have greatly misconducted himself and reprimanded.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18520930/007/0001>

**2 October 1852, Oxford Journal**

Auction of 80 lots of Household Furniture at the Town Hall, Deddington by John Scroggs, auctioneer.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18521002/006/0002>

Collision at Aynhoe station between special train from Paddington to celebrate opening of the Oxford and Birmingham Railway between Banbury and Birmingham, and a local train. Number of passengers injured by impact, including cuts to face and head of Elizabeth East, servant at the King's Arms, Deddington.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18521002/012/0003>

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Reports on 5 cases, as in the *Banbury Guardian* on 30 September 1852.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18521002/014/0003>

**7 October 1852, Banbury Guardian**

Railway travellers advised to buy tickets in time.

Closing day of cricket season. Dinner after at Host Sturch's [Unicorn Inn].

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Little business. Record book to be amended to show that Superintendent Harwood was a complainant against the 4 constables as well as they against him.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18521007/038/0003>

**9 October 1852, Oxford Journal**

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. As *Banbury Guardian*, 7 October 1852.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18521009/023/0003>

Employee of Mr. John Dean, grocer, convicted of cruelty to a horse.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18521009/022/0003>

**21 October 1852, Banbury Guardian**

Oxfordshire Michaelmas Sessions. Report on Divisional lock-up houses. Reference to conversion of cottage into a lock-up at Deddington.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18521021/021/0002>

**23 October 1852, Oxford Journal**

Advertisement by A. & H. Samman, linen and woollen drapers, tailors, hatters, &c., Market Place, straddling tops of two columns. Vacancy for Junior Assistant.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18521023/003/0001>

Advertisement by G. Simmonds's Waterproof Clothing. Retailers include Messrs. A. and H. Samman, linen drapers, Deddington.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18521023/022/0004>

**28 October 1852, Banbury Guardian**

Memorial by inhabitants of Lower Heyford requesting establishment of separate Petty Sessions at Lower Heyford. Advantage of railway station cited as one of reasons. [Under Heyford.]

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18521028/025/0003>

**4 November 1852, Banbury Guardian**

List of country agents for *Banbury Guardian* includes Mr. T. Calcutt at Deddington.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18521104/061/0004>

**6 November 1852, Oxford Journal**

Auction of hay, wheat, barley, beans, peas, potatoes, fagots, fire wood etc. at Deddington on farm premises of Mr. Wm. Busby, who leaving.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18521106/007/0002>

**11 November 1852, Banbury Guardian**

The secretary, in fact cashier, of the Cricket Club has left the town without squaring the accounts.

The use of the pulpit of the old Wesleyan Chapel, Deddington, after having been occupied by the Wesleyan preachers for more than fifty years, being refused to them any longer, a room has been fitted up for their accommodation courtesy of Mr. C. Davis. Opening services and tea, Money from letting sittings to go towards 'sinking fund' to erect new Wesleyan Chapel.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18521111/028/0003>

**13 November 1852, Oxford Journal**

Auction of freehold stone-built and slated Messuage at the bottom of Philcock-street (Mr. John Baker, proprietor), including parlour, sitting room, cellar, 4 bed rooms, large hovel, pigsties &c.

Deddington and Kidlington Turnpike Road. Notice of meeting of trustees at Fox and Crown Inn, North Aston, for the purpose of letting Tolls at Kidlington (Old Man's Gate) and Deddington Gates. Currently let at yearly rents of £540 (Kidlington) and £221 (Deddington Gate).

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18521113/002/0001>

Meeting of Church Missionary Society in Girls' school room.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18521113/007/0003>

**18 November 1852, Banbury Guardian**

Letter to Editor from John Calcutt seeking to clarify previous week's report on Wesleyanism in Deddington. The old chapel was available to the Conference Wesleyans if they had been prepared to pay the cost of recent repairs.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18521118/031/0002>

Half-yearly meeting of feoffees of ancient charities at King's Arms Inn.

Young tradesman who emigrated to America 14 months ago returned after failing to better his circumstances in the new world.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0001523/18521118/035/0003>

### **20 November 1852, Oxford Journal**

Aynhoe Division of the Burford, Chipping-Norton, Banbury, Stow, Deddington, and Aynhoe Turnpike Roads. Notice of meeting of trustees at Cartwright Arms, Aynhoe, for the purpose of letting by auction Tolls at all the Gates, currently let at yearly rent of £271.

Advertisement by A. & H. Samman, tailors and drapers, Market Place, offering winter over-coats & paletots. 7 different styles, some made to measure, with prices.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18521120/001/0001>

New pews at Souldern church. Work done by Mr. H. Churchill, builder, Deddington.

Forthcoming winter fair for horses &c. The different butchers in the town have, during the past week, displayed some very fine beef.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18521120/012/0003>

### **25 November 1852, Banbury Guardian**

Market reports. Monday market at Lower Heyford smaller owing to Deddington Fair falling on same day.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18521125/020/0002>

### **27 November 1852, Oxford Journal**

On the day of the Duke's funeral [Duke of Wellington], the shops in this town were closed, and the bell was tolled minute-time for four hours.

Excellent sermons in parish church by Rev. G. Venables in aid of Church Building Society.

Unsuccessful suicide attempt with razor by man called Tims.

Winter Fair [22 November] affected by recent bad weather. Tolerably good supply of cart horses and colts, and a few nags. After Rugby fair preceding week, cart colts not so eagerly sought after.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18521127/016/0003>

#### **4 December 1852, Oxford Journal**

Deddington and Kidlington Turnpike Road. Notice of adjourned meeting of trustees at Fox and Crown Inn, North Aston, for the purpose of letting the Tolls at Old Man's Gate (Kidlington) or Deddington Gate, at such sum as the trustees may determine.

Aynhoe Division of the Burford, Chipping-Norton, Banbury, Stow, Deddington, and Aynhoe Turnpike Roads. Notice of adjourned meeting of trustees at Cartwright Arms, Aynhoe, for the purpose of letting by auction the Tolls at all the Gates, at such sum or sums as the trustees may determine.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18521204/005/0001>

#### **9 December 1852, Banbury Guardian**

Tolls at Deddington Gate retaken by Richard Busby, the present lessee. All gates on Bicester and Aynhoe roads retaken by John Cuming.

Establishment of choral society at Deddington contemplated.

Break-in at house of Mrs. Harris whilst family at chapel. Cupboards, drawers, &c. ransacked, but nothing taken.

Reports on 2 hearings before sole magistrates.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18521209/033/0003>

#### **11 December 1852, Oxford Journal**

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. 4 cases at 2 hearings when only one magistrate present.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0000073/18521211/007/0003>

While Mrs. Harris and family, of Castle End, at chapel, intruder entered house, but not finding any money, he speedily decamped.

Numerous and highly-respectable meeting respecting Aynho Station at the King's Arms Inn, Mr. F. Gulliver, High Bailiff, in the chair. Motion by S. Field, Esq. and Mr. R. East that Aynho Station should be re-named 'Deddington Station' or 'Deddington Road Station' as Deddington has largest trade with station. Motion by Mr. Margetts and Mr. Samman that should be made a Goods Station, with sidings, sheds, &c. to avoid inconvenience of collecting goods from Banbury. Motion by T.W. Turner, Esq. and T.E. Kinch, Esq. calling for a waiting room

for the up trains to be erected, since presently no protection from weather.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18521211/013/0003>

### **16 December 1852, Banbury Guardian**

Wesleyan Reform services at Banbury. Sunday afternoon service conducted by Mr. J. Calcutt of Deddington. Meeting on Monday evening, Mr. Petty of Deddington in the chair. Mr. Calcutt first speaker. Personal comments on his expulsion by the Conference Wesleyans.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18521216/023/0002>

Lecture on Astronomy by Rev. G. Venables in Boys' school room for benefit of National Schools Children's Clothing Fund. Illustrations by Magic Lantern.

Unusually numerous congregation to hear sermon by Rev. Dr. Wilson on death of his sister, (Mrs. Greaves, wife of a former vicar). [Richard Greaves, vicar 1822-1836.]

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0001523/18521216/031/0003>

### **23 December 1852, Banbury Guardian**

Meeting of Cricket Club at Unicorn Inn following sudden decamping by *hon.* secretary, Mr. Landon. Subscription of 5s. per head to discharge debts of the club. H. Churchill, Esq., appointed treasurer.

Meeting of Coal Charity committee at Town Hall.

[Christmas] Meat Show. Our butchers have this week slaughtered and exhibited some very fine animals, to tempt the lovers of good cheer at this festive season. Description of animals slaughtered by Mr. John French and Mr. Chas. Churchill, with names of those who bred and fed them. Other local butchers Mrs. Dean and Mrs. Chater.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0001523/18521223/013/0002?browse=true>

### **30 December 1852, Banbury Guardian**

The Banbury Guardian Almanac & Directory, for 1853.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18521230/065/0004>

### **1 January 1853, Oxford Journal**

Monthly Petty Sessions in future to be held on Fridays (rather than Saturdays).

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0000073/18530101/009/0002?browse=true>

### **6 January 1853, Banbury Guardian**

Change of date of Petty Sessions, as *Oxford Journal* 1 January 1853.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0001523/18530106/024/0003>

### **13 January 1853, Banbury Guardian**

Letter to Editor from 'A Road-side Thistle', Great Barford. Extracted news reports detailing charitable distributions elsewhere. No reports of distributions by Deddington Charity Feoffees, whose rental income c.£150 per annum. 3 questions posed.

1. What proportion of annual income distributed amongst poor ?
2. What is done with the surplus ? J.G. Rusher's Book\* of the Charities in 1822 said this not then determined.
3. Whether the Feoffees have annually feasted themselves in November, expending nearly £200 since 1822 ?

*\*Reports of the Commissioners for inquiring concerns charities, in the hundreds of Banbury & Bloxham, also some places in the Hundreds of Wootton, Ploughley, Chadlington & Bullingdon, Oxon; and a few places in Northamptonshire: from the twelfth and thirteenth reports. Rusher, John Golby, 1784-1877 printer, Banbury. [Oxfordshire History Centre.]*

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18530113/016/0002>

### **20 January 1853, Banbury Guardian**

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Reports on 5 cases, including Deddington miller convicted of poaching, and theft of clothing by Deddington labourer. George Chater, butcher, Elias Bennett, baker, and William Harris of Clifton, grocer, fined for short weights and measures.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18530120/032/0003>

### **22 January 1853, Oxford Journal**

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. As *Banbury Guardian*, 20 January 1853.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18530122/007/0002>

**27 January 1853, Banbury Guardian**

Church Missionary Society meeting at Hempton. Rev. F.G. Wilson in the chair. Addresses by Rev. George Venables and Mr C. Faulkner.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18530127/040/0003>

**29 January 1853, Oxford Journal**

Church Missionary Society meeting at Hempton. As *Banbury Guardian*, 27 January 1853.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18530129/007/0002>

### **3 February 1853, Banbury Guardian**

Hearing of debt claim by A. S. & H. Samman at Woodstock County Court. Mr. C.D. Faulkner appeared for the plaintiffs.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18530203/046/0003>

Text of address to Bishop of Oxford [Samuel Wilberforce]. See *Oxford Journal*, 5 February 1853.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18530203/047/0003>

### **5 February 1853, Oxford Journal**

Text of address by over 500 inhabitants to Bishop of Oxford [Samuel Wilberforce], lamenting resignation of their much respected and beloved Pastor, Rev. Dr. Wilson, and urging appointment as curate of Rev. George Venables, currently assistant curate.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0000073/18530205/003/0002>

### **10 February 1853, Banbury Guardian**

First anniversary services of Wesleyan Reform Society in Banbury. A "Deddington Circuit" has been formed, including Deddington, Banbury, Fritwell, Syresham, Barford, Bodicote and one or two other places.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18530210/044/0002>

Resolution by Schools' Committee thanking local farmers for use of their teams and wagons to transport sand from Dunstew to be used for the new school buildings. Farmers Messrs. W. Dean, W. Gibbards, Thos. Austin, F. Austin, F. Gulliver, W. Malings, W. French and W. Busby.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18530210/049/0003>

### **12 February 1853, Oxford Journal**

Building works for new National Schools to commence shortly. Resolution by Schools' Committee thanking local farmers, as *Banbury Guardian* 10 February 1853.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0000073/18530212/011/0002?browse=true>

### **17 February 1853, Banbury Guardian**

Queen's letter for a collection for the National Society for the Education of the Poor in the principles of the Established Church. 2 excellent discourses on education by Rev. G. Venables.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18530217/034/0003>

**19 February 1853, Oxford Journal**

Queen's letter, as *Banbury Guardian* 17 February 1853.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0000073/18530219/009/0002?browse=true>

**26 February 1853, Oxford Journal**

Recruiting by Oxfordshire Militia. Sergeant, drawn sword in hand, paraded streets, followed by drummer and fife. 14 Deddington volunteers.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18530226/010/0002>

### **3 March 1853, Banbury Guardian**

Woodstock County Court. Dispute between Thomas Hatten of Adderbury and his brother, Edmund [Edward?], innkeeper at Deddington. Alleged Edmund, as executor, had not distributed to Thomas his full entitlement under the will of an uncle, Edward Hatten of Dunstew. Testimony of parties and witnesses. Deceased's estate included proceeds from bankruptcy in 1827 of Samuel Churchill, solicitor. Judgment in favour of Edmund.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18530303/031/0003>

### **5 March 1853, Oxford Journal**

Woodstock County Court. 2 Deddington cases. Judge sat until 7 o'clock. Debt claim by A. and H. Samman, drapers. Dispute between Thomas and Edmund Hatten, as *Banbury Guardian* 3 March 1853.

<https://www.britisnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18530305/018/0003>

### **17 March 1853, Banbury Guardian**

Wootton South Division Petty Sessions, Woodstock. John Burgess, a shoe-maker or tramp, committed for stealing a silver watch belonging to Thomas Malins, carpenter, Deddington.

Petition against opening the Crystal Palace on the Sabbath.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18530317/038/0003>

### **26 March 1853, Oxford Journal**

Petition against opening the Crystal Palace on Sunday.

Auction of new built stone and slated Dwelling House, with Blacksmith's shop, shoeing hovel, good garden, stable, &c. in New-street, let to Mr. Thomas [Balles] at £19 p.a.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18530326/009/0002>

**7 April 1853, Banbury Guardian**

Oxfordshire Easter Sessions. Report of Committee on Divisional Lock-up Houses. Proposal to purchase newly-built stone and slated house at Deddington for £200, and to expend up to £100 in adapting as a lock-up house and constable's residence.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18530407/021/0002>

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. No Deddington cases.

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**9 April 1853, Oxford Journal**

Services in Hempton church marking its first anniversary, conducted by Rev. Dr. Wilson and Rev. George Venables. Fund for building a parsonage house.

Meeting of Banbury and North Oxfordshire Church Missionary Association in Deddington Town Hall.

Bequest of £10 to poor of Deddington by late Thomas Gulliver, Esq., of Bloxham.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0000073/18530409/008/0003>

**14 April 1853, Banbury Guardian**

Annual meeting of Church Missionary Society, which of the most gratifying character. Attendees included Mr. and Mrs. Kinch, Mrs. Venables, Mrs. and Miss Faulkner, Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Faulkner, Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell, Mr. H. and the Misses Churchill. Importance of diffusing information about the gospel. Need to care for the miseries and degradation of fellow-men.

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**16 April 1853, Oxford Journal**

Annual meeting of Church Missionary Society in Girls' school room, chairman Rev. G. Venables. Over 160 present. Report on finances. 2 hour address concerning overseas missions.

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**21 April 1853, Banbury Guardian**

Numerous meeting at Red Lion Inn, Steeple Aston, resolved to establish 'The Deddington, Heyford, and Aston Benefit Building Society'. Appointment of officers, trustees, bankers, rotating monthly meetings. Reports by Mr. C. Duffell Faulkner, of Deddington, and Mr. William Wing, on the advantages of building societies.

Half a sack of flour stolen from barn of Mr. W. French, farmer and mealman.

Appointment of Guardians of Woodstock Union. Outgoing Deddington Guardians Mr. William Gibbard, Mr. Henry Dean, Mr. Joseph Gardner and Mr. Frederick Gulliver. New Deddington Guardians William Gibbard, Frederick Gulliver, William Malings, jun., and Alban Samman. [Under Woodstock.]

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**23 April 1853, Oxford Journal**

Establishment of 'The Deddington, Heyford, and Aston Benefit Building Society'. See also *Banbury Guardian*, 21 April 1853.

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### **5 May 1853, Banbury Guardian**

Advertisement by W. Fairbrother, who deals in the general linen and woollen drapery business, silk mercery, hosiery, haberdashery, &c. Entering into partnership with Mr. Henry Samman of Deddington. Shop in Market Place, Banbury.

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### **7 May 1853, Oxford Journal**

Work on new school buildings progressing.

General annual meeting of Horticultural Society. Again necessary to reduce members' prizes because of increased costs and lower income. Loss of patrons. Special committee to solicit patronage of gentry and clergy. Appointment of officers and committee (x14).

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### **12 May 1853, Banbury Guardian**

General annual meeting of Horticultural Society. See *Oxford Journal*, 7 May 1853.

Buildings for new schools making rapid progress. Forthcoming annual sermons in aid of present schools on Whit Sunday.

Window of relieving officer, John Irons, broken by 3 tramps.

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Reports on 14 cases, including following involving Deddington parties:

- obstruction of turnpike (x2);
- trespass for rabbits;
- assault, drunkenness, wife beating.

Convictions for short weights and measures included:

- Henry Margetts, innkeeper
- George Eustace Petty, brewer
- Mary Rose, innkeeper
- Robert West, innkeeper
- James Coggins, innkeeper, Hempton
- Edward Hatton, innkeeper.

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**14 May 1853, Oxford Journal**

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. As *Banbury Guardian*, 12 May 1853.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0000073/18530514/009/0002?browse=true>

**19 May 1853, Banbury Guardian**

Sermons by Rev. John Hughes to densely-crowded congregations. See also *Oxford Journal*, 21 May 1853.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0001523/18530519/029/0003>

**21 May 1853, Oxford Journal**

Sermons by Rev. John Hughes (curate 26 years previously, now Prebendary of Brecon) in aid of new school buildings. £28 10s collected. Also preached at Whit Wednesday service for 2 of the local benefit societies.

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#### **4 June 1853, Oxford Journal**

Auction of Hazel Hands Farm, Clifton (307 acres), tenant Mr. James Hone. Freeholders Dean and Canons of Windsor.

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Forthcoming consecration of St James's chapel, Clifton.

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#### **9 June 1853, Banbury Guardian**

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Reports on 8 cases, including trespass for conies by 2 Deddington labourers at Hempton.

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#### **11 June 1853, Oxford Journal**

Consecration of Clifton church.

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#### **16 June 1853, Banbury Guardian**

Lengthy report on consecration of Clifton chapel. Description of new building and its fittings. Architect J.C. Buckler, Esq. Account of service. Deddington church choir, with Miss Faulkner at the seraphina [harmonium]. Sermon by Lord Bishop of Oxford *verbatim*. Refreshments after for ladies and gentlemen. Names of principal attendees, especially clergy. Dinner provided for the poor. Day's collections £50 7s. 2d. to go to repairing fund.

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Annual tea meeting of Wesleyan chapel in Deddington, now in the hands of the Wesleyan reformers. Attendance over 180, indicating Deddington people in favour of reform movement. Various speakers, including Messrs. Calcutt and Petty from Deddington. Most had suffered at the hands of the Wesleyan preachers for being reformers, some forbidden to preach.

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#### **18 June 1853, Oxford Journal**

Suicide of John Neale, barber.

Visit of Wombwell's Royal menagerie.

Report on consecration of Clifton church, largely financed by Rev. W. Cotton Risley, who led prayers. Sermon by Bishop. Over 30 clergy in attendance. Deddington church choir, with Miss Faulkner on the harmonium. Description of architecture and fittings. Seats all free. Nearly 400 bountifully entertained by Rev. and Mrs. Risley to beef and plumb pudding.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0000073/18530618/007/0002?browse=true>

**23 June 1853, Banbury Guardian**

Suicide of John Neale, barber.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18530623/043/0002>

Woodstock County Court. Claim by Cornelius Davis against John Calcutt to recover £25 5s. 4d. for work on Wesleyan chapel. 9 parties to contract for work, including plaintiff. Davis said Calcutt had now taken up with the reform party and was claiming ownership of the chapel. Judge decided action a non-suit.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18530623/044/0003>

**30 June 1853, Banbury Guardian**

Midsummer Quarter Sessions. Report of committee on divisional lock-up houses. Mr. Buckler [architect] had prepared plan for altering private house at Deddington at cost of £235. No decision by committee.

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Advertisement by County Hail-Storm Insurance Company. Deddington agent Mr. H. Margetts, spirit merchant.

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### **7 July 1853, Banbury Guardian**

Description of objects of Church Choral Society.

Sunday services at new chapel at Clifton, Rev. W.C. Risley officiates in morning, Rev. G. Venables in evening.

National and Sunday Free Schools. New buildings in course of erection. Detailed list of principal contributors. About £200 more needed to complete project.

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Reports on 6 cases, 2 involving labourers at Deddington leaving service of local farmers, Thomas Austin, and Thomas Austin, jun., before completing contracts at Michaelmas.

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### **9 July 1853, Oxford Journal**

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions, as *Banbury Guardian* 7 July 1853. Correspondent comments that cases before bench seem to have been inspired by general strike for higher wages which has affected almost every village.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0000073/18530709/008/0002?browse=true>

### **28 July 1853, Banbury Guardian**

Informal Church Choral Society event in Girls' school room, hosted by Rev. George Venables (President). Financial report by Mr H. Churchill, secretary. Playing and singing from Mrs. Venables, Miss Faulkner, Mr. Marshall and others. Address and prayers by Rev. Venables, followed by a most liberal supper.

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### **30 July 1853, Oxford Journal**

Death of Mr Thomas Ward, Master of National Schools

Informal Church Choral Society event, as *Banbury Guardian* 28 July 1853.

Altercation at Hempton between Samuel Simpson and father-in-law, Mr. Parish, farmer. After drinking at the Plough Inn, Hempton, Simpson went to father-in-law's farmhouse demanding a fight with his sons. Flash of fire-arms from bed room window. Simpson badly wounded. Investigations continuing.

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#### **4 August 1853, Banbury Guardian**

Funeral of late schoolmaster, Mr. Thomas Ward (38), at 8 o'clock in the evening. Address by Rev. G. Venables to schoolchildren.

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#### **6 August 1853, Oxford Journal**

Funeral of late schoolmaster, as *Banbury Guardian* 4 August 1853.

Plans for bazaar of fancy work &c. on the day of the flower show in aid of new school building funds.

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#### **11 August 1853, Banbury Guardian**

Tea and public meeting of Banbury Wesleyan Reform Society, with friends from Great Barford, Deddington, &c. Mr. T. Petty of Deddington voted to the chair.

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#### **13 August 1853, Oxford Journal**

School buildings approaching completion; sermons to solicit more funds by Rev. Richard Hughes (Portman Square), a native of Deddington (son of former curate, Rev. John Hughes). Builders Mr. James Hopcraft, mason, and Mr. Robert Franklin, builder.

Plans for bazaar in aid of new school funds progressing promisingly.

Date of Horticultural show and bazaar fixed for 20 September.

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#### **18 August 1853, Banbury Guardian**

Meeting in Banbury to establish 'The North-Oxfordshire Archæological Society'. 13 attendees, including 6 clerical gentlemen and Mr. Faulkner of Deddington.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18530818/035/0002>

**20 August 1853, Oxford Journal**

Collections after above sermons by Rev. Richard Hughes raised £11.

Bazaar progressing under very favourable and distinguished patronage.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0000073/18530820/009/0003>

### **1 September 1853, Banbury Guardian**

Auction of livestock, 42 acres grass keeping, hay, 21 acres of standing crops, on farm of late Mr. Thomas Dean at Clifton.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18530901/046/0003>

4 freehold cottages on "The Green", Deddington, for sale. Occupiers Samuel Wilkins, William Callow, Rispah Matthews, William Wheeler.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18530901/052/0003>

Notice to debtors and creditors of late Mr. Thomas Dean of Deddington, farmer, by Hitchcock and Kinch, solicitors.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18530901/056/0003>

### **3 September 1853, Oxford Journal**

Auction of 3 freehold cottages in New-street (occupied by William Turner and John West), and 3 freehold cottages in Philcock-street (occupied by John Fletcher, Ann Wilkins (widow) and Sarah Ell), at Exhibition Inn (formerly the Three Horse Shoes).

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18530903/005/0002>

Bazaar in aid of new school buildings to be held in new Girls' school room on 21/22 inst., and horticultural show on 21 inst. in new Boys' school room. Names of lady patronesses of bazaar.

Recent thunder storm.

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### **8 September 1853, Banbury Guardian**

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Reports on 3 cases, none with a Deddington connection.

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### **10 September 1853, Oxford Journal**

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. 4 cases reported, none involving Deddington parties. Also annual brewster sessions. All ale-house licences in district renewed.

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**15 September 1853, Banbury Guardian**

Issue of prospectus by the Deddington, Heyford, and Aston Benefit Building Society. [Under Heyford.]

Great interest in forthcoming Fancy Bazaar and Horticultural Show.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18530915/037/0002>

**17 September 1853, Oxford Journal**

Lengthy advertisement publicising Fancy Bazaar and 16th annual Horticultural Society show, to be held in the New School Buildings. Instructions for exhibitors and visitors.

Conveyances to meet trains at Aynhoe station. Bazaar to re-open following day, when annual Sunday School treat.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18530917/004/0002>

More about the forthcoming Fancy Bazaar and Horticultural Show. The latter "has for some years been the gala day for our little town". Mr. Sturch of the Unicorn Inn will provide his usual cold collation at 1/6 per head.

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**22 September 1853, Banbury Guardian**

Opening of new school rooms by a public lecture on Secret Correspondence, Ancient and Modern, and Telegraphic Communication. Numerously attended. Names of principal attendees. Detailed account of lecture and experiments. Next week lecture by Sir Henry Dryden on Church Music.

Report on Horticultural Show. Description of notable exhibits in new Boys' school room. Vase from Mr. C. Faulkner's museum with a variety of diminutive fish and shells. Banbury Sax-horn Band. List of c.150 prize-winners subjoined.

Description of new school buildings. Cost c.£1000. Hoped bazaar will raise outstanding £150. Site given by W.C. Cartwright, Esq., of Aynho. Rooms will accommodate 168 boys and 120 girls. Boys' very large, girls' uncomfortably small.

Bazaar well frequented. Stall keepers Miss Churchill, Mrs. Field, Mrs. Venables, Mrs. Turner, and Miss Lamb.

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**24 September 1853, Oxford Journal**

New Boys' school room used for first time for a lecture on "Telegraphic Communication and Secret Correspondence". Numerously attended by persons of all classes. Detailed account of lecture and experiments.

Report on Fancy Bazaar. 5 stalls in new Girls' school room.

Report on Horticultural Society show in new Boys' school room. Lengthy list of principal visitors. Banbury Saxe-horn Band. List of prize-winners subjoined.

Bazaar re-opened following day. Annual treat for c.300 Sunday School children. Tea, games, amusements.

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**29 September 1853, Banbury Guardian**

Woodstock County Court. Debt claim by Alban and Henry Samman, drapers, against Thomas French, tailor, and sexton of Deddington, for goods sold. Mr. C.D. Faulkner for the plaintiffs.

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**6 October 1853, Banbury Guardian**

Church Choral Society. Presentation of bound book to Rev. George Venables, curate, on his leaving the parish. Text of inscription.

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Reports on 4 cases, including assault at Deddington.

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**8 October 1853, Oxford Journal**

Presentation by Church Choral Society to Rev. George Venables, as *Banbury Guardian* 6 October 1853. Book supplied by J.S. Hiron, bookseller.

Lecture by Sir Henry Dryden on Church Music in new Boys' school room.

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Reports on 9 cases, including at Deddington:

- 2 female assault cases;
- Thomas Austin, farmer, summoned for unpaid wages;
- Alfred Cross, grocer, charged with assault by John Dean, grocer. Cross also fined for drunkenness.

Superintending constable Daniel Harwood, Inspector of Weights and Measures, presented over 20 cases of short weights and measures, including at Deddington:

Wm. Whetton, grocer  
William Harris, baker and shopkeeper (Hempton)  
Wm. French, mealman  
Charles Churchill, grocer (considered a bad case, heavy fine)  
John French, butcher  
John Robinson, grocer  
William Chater, baker  
George Chater, butcher  
Joseph Woolgrove, baker  
Richard Gardner, shopkeeper

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**13 October 1853, Banbury Guardian**

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Reports on 4 cases, including neglect of maintenance order at Hempton.

Licence for Crown and Tuns Inn, Deddington, transferred from Robert West to James Connibeer.

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Mr. Edward Williams, of Wolverley, married to Miss Martha French, at Deddington, by the Rev. J. Brogden.

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**27 October 1853, Banbury Guardian**

Living of Deddington again sequestered, for £153, on the petition of Mr. Hunt, a solicitor of Cambridge.

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Notice by James Henry Smith, chemist and druggist, Deddington, commending services of Mr. Thomas Hill, to whom he has disposed his business.

Notice by Thomas Hill, soliciting the continued patronage of the nobility, clergy, gentry, and inhabitants of Deddington.

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**10 November 1853, Banbury Guardian**

Committee meeting of Horticultural and Floral Society. Favourable financial state despite extraordinarily expensive season.

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Reports on 3 cases. Claim against John Hopcraft, mason, for assaulting an unruly lad dismissed; Thomas Byles, beer-house keeper, Deddington, fined for selling beer out of hours.

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**12 November 1853, Oxford Journal**

Deddington and Kidlington Turnpike Road. Notice of meeting of trustees at Fox and Crown Inn, North Aston, for the purpose of letting the Tolls at Deddington Gate and Old Man's Gate (Kidlington). Deddington Gate tolls presently let at £221 p.a.

Aynhoe Division of Burford, Chipping-Norton, Banbury, Stow, Deddington, and Aynhoe Turnpike Roads. Notice of meeting of trustees at Cartwright Arms, Aynhoe, for the purpose of letting by auction the Tolls at all the Gates, presently let for £246.

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Horticultural Society committee meeting. Favourable financial state despite extraordinarily expensive season.

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Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Reports on 4 cases. See also *Banbury Guardian*, 10 November 1853.

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**24 November 1853, Banbury Guardian**

Heartfelt presentations of beautifully bound books to Rev. Dr. Wm. Wilson of Over Worton, upon his resignation, for his spiritual charge of the parish for over 3 years, and to the Rev. George Venables, assistant curate to Dr. Wilson, who also departing. Texts of inscriptions.

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Sums from £3,000 to £200 available immediately on approved Mortgage Securities. Apply Hitchcock and Kinch, solicitors, Deddington.

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**26 November 1853, Oxford Journal**

Auction of pigs &c. under Distress for Rent on premises of Mr. Robert Carter at Deddington.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0000073/18531126/003/0002?browse=true>

Presentations to Rev. Dr. Wm. Wilson of Over Worton, and Rev. George Venables, assistant curate, as *Banbury Guardian* 24 November 1853.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0000073/18531126/004/0003>

### **8 December 1853, Banbury Guardian**

First general meeting of North Oxfordshire Archæological Society at Banbury. Good attendance of ladies and gentlemen. Mr. C. Faulkner exhibited a collection of Roman remains from his museum at Deddington, among which were - A bronze head, probably of Venus, the weight of a stater or steelyard, discovered, with a coin of Constantinus, in a field on the north-east side of Adderbury turnpike; bronze celt, found at Dean Hill, near North Aston; part of a gold chain, of Roman workmanship, found in a field near Barford St. Michael's; fragment of a fictile vessel, dug up during the excavation of the hypocaust, at Wigginton, A.D. 1824; fragments of tessellated pavements, painted plaster, flues, charred wheat and vetches, &c., from the Roman villa near Stonesfield; bronze lamp for suspending from the ceiling, fibulæ, stylus, dog, dove, mermaid, and a female head used as a weight for a small balance, from Kingsholm, near Gloucester. Comments by Mr. Faulkner about reforming law on treasure trove.

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### **10 December 1853, Oxford Journal**

Birth of son to wife of C.D. Faulkner Esq.

Inspection of National Schools by Diocesan Inspector, in presence of Rev. Brogden, the schoolmaster, Mr. Bromfield, and the schoolmistress, Mrs. Walker. 101 boys and 109 girls on the books. 8 boys commended.

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### **24 December 1853, Oxford Journal**

Tradesmen's establishments to close on 26 December as Christmas Day falls on a Sunday.

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### **29 December 1853, Banbury Guardian**

The Banbury Guardian Almanac & Directory, for 1854.

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### **7 January 1854, Oxford Journal**

Meeting of subscribers to new National and Sunday Schools, chaired by Rev. Brogden. Resolution thanking Rev. W.C. Risley for his charitable munificence in providing former school rooms for many years rent free. Text of resolution.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18540107/005/0002>

List of country agents for *Oxford Journal*. Deddington, Mr. Edw. Hatten and Mr. J.S. Hiron.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18540107/020/0004>

### **12 January 1854, Banbury Guardian**

Meeting convened by the Charity Commission to enquire into scheme for future management of the Charity Estates. Large meeting at Unicorn Inn, Mr. Kinch voted to the chair. List of principal attendees, together with many of the working classes.

Lengthy report with full transcript of proceedings. Commissioner invited suggestions for applying surplus income of charity. Principal contributors Mr. Charles Faulkner, Mr. C.D. Faulkner, Mr. S. Field, and Rev. J. Brogden. Shortcomings by charity also highlighted by contributors. Mr. C. Faulkner said he did not subscribe to any charity because of concerns over mismanagement. Evident tension in exchanges between Mr. C.D. Faulkner and Mr. S. Field, treasurer and solicitor to the Feoffees.

At conclusion, Commissioner outlined likely future scheme, including management and repairs of the alms-houses (first charge), published annual accounts, retention of alms-houses, division of surplus between education and the poor.

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### **14 January 1854, Oxford Journal**

Meeting convened by the Charity Commission to enquire into scheme for future management of the Charity Estates. At conclusion, Commissioner outlined likely future scheme. See *Banbury Guardian*, 12 January 1854.

Ceremony at opening of new National Schools. Procession from church by children to "Rule Britannia"; National Anthem. Inaugural address by Rev. James Brogden. Gratitude to Rev. W.C. Risley for use of old school rooms for many years free of

charge. Acknowledgement of major benefactors (listed). Gift of school site by W.C. Cartwright, Esq. Special mention of energy and liberality of Rev. Dr. Wilson. Personal gratitude of Brogden to Bishop of London quoted *verbatim*. Concluding remarks addressed to children. Following the address, the children "were regaled with cake and wine", after which prayers were said and the evening hymn sung.

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**19 January 1854, Banbury Guardian**

Public meeting in Wesleyan Chapel, Deddington, in advocacy of the reform movement.

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Reports of 5 cases, none involving Deddington parties.

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**21 January 1854, Oxford Journal**

Lengthy report of proceedings at meeting convened to devise means for poor of parish "abounding in pauperism" to purchase bread at a reasonable price when current price prohibitive. List of principal attendees. Major speakers Rev. J. Brogden (chairman), Rev. W.C. Risley, Mr. S. Field and Mr. Henry Churchill. Per Risley, "Out of a population of 2000, there were not less than 1500 paupers." Resolved to seek voluntary subscriptions to relieve distress of the poor. Formation of committee.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18540121/012/0003>

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. As *Banbury Guardian*, 19 January 1854.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18540121/014/0003>

**28 January 1854, Oxford Journal**

Advertisement for "The Cruet Stand" by Charles Gough (2 vols., price 15s.) published by J.S. Hiron, Deddington.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18540128/007/0001>

## **2 February 1854, Banbury Guardian**

Report of meeting to devise means for poor of parish to purchase bread at a reasonable price when current price prohibitive, chaired by Rev. James Brogden. List of 25 attendees. Resolved upon voluntary subscription. £58 13s. pledged at meeting. Committee appointed to solicit subscriptions from other inhabitants. Total raised £102 3s.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18540202/036/0003>

## **4 February 1854, Oxford Journal**

Advertisement for Ball at Unicorn Inn (Mr. Sturch's). List of 8 stewards and ticket prices. "Matthews' Quadrille Band is engaged - A FLY will be in attendance."

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18540204/014/0003>

## **9 February 1854, Banbury Guardian**

Encouraging support for forthcoming ball at Unicorn Inn. "After the lapse of so many years, a ball in the town will be quite an event."

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Reports on 4 cases, including summons of 2 Deddington labourers for not supporting mother. Also number of complaints instigated by Mr. J. Iorns, Inspector of Nuisances, in respect of insanitary premises under legislation to stem the spread of cholera. Mr. John Calcutt appeared to answer complaints concerning 10 premises, which nuisances he undertook to remove.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0001523/18540209/057/0003>

## **11 February 1854, Oxford Journal**

Hunting box wanted. Apply Mr J.S. Hiron, North Oxfordshire Monthly Times Office, Deddington.

Deddington and Kidlington Turnpike Road. Notice of general annual meeting of Trustees at Fox and Crown Inn, North Aston, to pass accounts. Clerks, John Churchill and Samuel Field, Deddington.

Aynhoe Division of the Burford, Chipping-Norton, Banbury, Stow, Deddington, and Aynhoe Turnpike Roads. Notice of general annual meeting of Trustees at Cartwright Arms Inn, Aynhoe. Signed Samuel Field, Clerk to the Trustees, Deddington.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18540211/012/0002>

Forthcoming ball at Unicorn Inn. 50 tickets already sold.

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. As *Banbury Guardian*, 9 February 1854.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18540211/019/0003>

### **18 February 1854, Oxford Journal**

Forthcoming public meeting to petition Parliament against Lord John Russell's Bill to repeal the oath of the Queen's supremacy.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0000073/18540218/011/0002?browse=true>

### **23 February 1854, Banbury Guardian**

Lengthy report on public meeting in Town Hall, chaired by Rev. Brodgen, concerning Lord John Russell's Bill to repeal the oath of the Queen's supremacy. Purpose of bill to throw open all offices of state to Roman Catholics. Threat posed by Bill explained lucidly by Vicar. Petition to Parliament to reject Bill proposed by Samuel Field, Esq., and seconded by T.E. Kinch, Esq. Lengthy text of petition (10 paragraphs) set out *in extenso*.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18540223/072/0003>

### **25 February 1854, Oxford Journal**

Notice by Clerk of the Peace confirming persons authorised to inspect Weights and Measures in Oxfordshire, including Daniel Harwood of Deddington, for the Wootton North Division.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18540225/002/0001>

Report on public meeting in Town Hall, chaired by Rev. Brodgen, concerning Lord John Russell's Bill to repeal the oath of the Queen's supremacy. Vicar explained purpose of bill to throw open all offices of state to Roman Catholics, although "the Rev. Gentleman is well known to be favourable to Jewish Emancipation." Petition to Parliament to reject Bill proposed by Samuel Field, Esq., and seconded by T.E. Kinch, Esq.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0000073/18540225/006/0002?browse=true>

**9 March 1854, Banbury Guardian**

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Reports on 3 cases, none involving Deddington parties.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0001523/18540309/031/0003>

**18 March 1854, Oxford Journal**

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Reports on 2 cases, including a Hempton affiliation order.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18540318/014/0003>

Unanimous support for to Parliament to adopt a decimal coinage by Oxford Town Council, as recommended by a Parliamentary Committee.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0000073/18540318/006/0003?browse=true>

**23 March 1854, Banbury Guardian**

Quarterly meeting of Deddington Wesleyan Reform Circuit at Banbury, under presidency of Mr. J. Calcutt.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18540323/047/0002>

Annual meeting of Church Missionary Society in new school room, Mr. Faulkner in the chair. Gap left by departures of Rev. Dr. Wilson and Rev. George Venables. Accounts presented by Rev. H.D. Harington (South Newington). Address by guest speaker on missionary work reported at length.

2 sermons preached at Wesleyan Reform Chapel on occasion of its anniversary.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18540323/073/0005>

**25 March 1854, Oxford Journal**

Very lengthy list of subscribers to the fund for the relief of the poor.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18540325/015/0003>

Advertisement by County Fire Office. Deddington agent, Mr. W. Margetts.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18540325/022/0004>

**1 April 1854, Oxford Journal**

Auction, by direction of the mortgagee, of Deddington Paper Mill. Easily convertible into a Water Corn Mill. An extensive and lucrative Paper-Making Trade was carried on here until the Proprietor was overtaken by a mental affliction.

Commercial Inn, with a good Wholesale Wine, Spirit, and Hop Business, to be disposed of. Apply Mr. Connibeer, or Mr. Scroggs, auctioneer, both of Deddington.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18540401/012/0002>

**6 April 1854, Banbury Guardian**

Quarterly meeting of North Oxfordshire Archaeological Society at Banbury. 4 papers were read. Members' exhibits included ancient keys of Boddicott and Tingewick churches by Rev. W.C. Risle; and a miniature of Charles I set for a bracelet, and fragment of a bomb shell fired at Banbury Castle during the Civil War, by Mr. Faulkner of Deddington.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18540406/023/0002>

Oxfordshire Easter Sessions. Magistrates have identified a house at Deddington which could be purchased for £200 for conversion into a lock-up house, with 4 cells and residence for the superintending constable, at a cost of £235.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18540406/028/0002>

**8 April 1854, Oxford Journal**

Auction of furniture &c. (c.100 lots) at Town Hall by Mr. John Scroggs.

Oxfordshire Easter Sessions. Magistrates have identified a house at Deddington which could be purchased for £200 for conversion into a lock-up house, with 4 cells and residence for the superintending constable, at a cost of £235.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18540408/006/0002>

**13 April 1854, Banbury Guardian**

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Reports on 4 cases, none involving Deddington parties. Appointment of parish officers and for passing surveyors' accounts.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0001523/18540413/029/0003?browse=true>

**15 April 1854, Oxford Journal**

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Reports on 7 cases, including committal of tramp for breaking window of Mr. Samman of Deddington.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18540415/038/0008>

**20 April 1854, Banbury Guardian**

Lists of newly appointed parish officers in Wootton North Division. See also *Oxford Journal*, 22 April 1854.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18540420/036/0003>

**22 April 1854, Oxford Journal**

Large advertisement across 2 columns by A. Samman, Tailoring Establishment, Market Place. Latest stock includes broad cloths, fancy trowserings, vestings, velvet nap and Paris hats.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18540422/001/0001>

General annual meeting of Horticultural Society. Text of annual report. Satisfactory financial position after annual show, in conjunction with Fancy Bazaar, despite extra expences.

Lists of newly appointed parish officers in Wootton North Division. Deddington Overseers - William Freeman, Edward Mullis, and James Coggins. Surveyors - Deddington, John Fortnam and Peter Bennett; Clifton, James Hone and Wm. Harris, sen.; Hempton, John Parish and Thomas Hollier.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18540422/042/0008>

**29 April 1854, Oxford Journal**

Advertisement for Spokes' rhubarb, ginger, and dandelion pills. Deddington agent, Mr. Hill.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18540429/002/0002>

#### **4 May 1854, Banbury Guardian**

Presentation to Miss E.B. Faulkner by Church Choral Society, "in remembrance of her kindness and constant attendance at the organ and at the lessons."

Day of Humiliation. Sermons at Clifton by Rev. W.C. Risley. Also service at Hempton, and services at Deddington.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18540504/045/0003>

Saddle and harness making business to be disposed of. Established 40 years. Apply A.B., Mr. Calcutt's, Post Office, Deddington.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18540504/061/0003>

#### **6 May 1854, Oxford Journal**

Day of Humiliation on Wednesday 26 April. 2 full services at parish church, sermons by Rev. Brogden. Collection for families of men serving in Crimean War. Also 2 services at Clifton.

Easter Vestry: Samuel Field Esq. re-appointed Vicar's churchwarden, Mr. F. Gulliver appointed parish churchwarden. Church rate set at three half-pence in the £. Parish church to be insured against fire for £2,000.

Presentation to Miss E.B. Faulkner by Church Choral Society, as *Banbury Guardian* 4 May 1854.

Rev. W.C. Risley and Mr. C. Faulkner present at joint meeting of Banbury Christian Knowledge Society and Society for the Propagation of the Gospel.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18540506/031/0008>

#### **11 May 1854, Banbury Guardian**

Window of John Iorns, Deddington, relieving officer, broken by 2 female tramps from the Emerald Isle.

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Reports on 6 cases, including:

- alleged Deddington assault;
- Deddington man convicted of rescuing 3 pigs which seized for the purpose of being impounded for straying on the highway. Similar Hempton case.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18540511/042/0003>

**13 May 1854, Oxford Journal**

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions, as *Banbury Guardian* 11 May 1854.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18540513/031/0008>

**18 May 1854, Banbury Guardian**

Wesleyan Reform Agent preached 2 sermons in the Reform chapel, Deddington, to crowded audiences.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0001523/18540518/036/0003>

**20 May 1854, Oxford Journal**

Advertisement for Hopgood's Chamomoile & Dandelion Stomachic Biliious and Liver Pills. Deddington agent, Mr. Hill.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18540520/002/0002>

**27 May 1854, Oxford Journal**

Hazel Hedge Farm, Clifton (307 acres) for sale. Yearly tenant Mr. James Hone. 21 year lease from Dean and Canons of Windsor.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18540527/008/0004>

**1 June 1854, Banbury Guardian**

London Missionary Society. While no Banbury branch, Independent [Congregational] Minister preached 3 sermons, in the morning in the Deddington chapel, afternoon at Adderbury, and evening at Banbury.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18540601/028/0002>

**8 June 1854, Banbury Guardian**

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Reports on 4 cases, including 2 Deddington and one Hempton assault cases.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18540608/027/0003>

**10 June 1854, Oxford Journal**

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions, as *Banbury Guardian* 8 June 1854.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18540610/014/0005>

Well appreciated entertainments for 3 nights in Boys' school room by Champness family.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18540610/030/0008>

**15 June 1854, Banbury Guardian**

Hazel Hedge Farm, Clifton (307 acres) for sale. Yearly tenant Mr. James Hone. 21 year lease from Dean and Canons of Windsor.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18540615/046/0003>

**17 June 1854, Oxford Journal**

Wholesale spirit and hop business to be disposed of at Deddington. Apply to Mr. Connibeer or Mr. Scroggs (auctioneer).

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18540617/008/0004>

**29 June 1854, Banbury Guardian**

Oxford Trinity Sessions. Report relative to the repair of Clifton Bridge. Cost of re-building and a temporary structure £310, which to be shared with Northamptonshire.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18540629/026/0002>

**13 July 1854, Banbury Guardian**

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Reports on 4 cases, none involving Deddington parties.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0001523/18540713/055/0003>

Notice to builders inviting tenders for re-building Clifton Bridge.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18540713/067/0003>

Hazel Hedge Farm, Clifton (307 acres) for sale. Yearly tenant Mr. James Hone. 21 year lease from Dean and Canons of Windsor.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18540713/077/0003>

**15 July 1854, Oxford Journal**

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Reports on 4 cases, none with a Deddington connection. Transfer of licence of Crown and Tuns from James Connibeer to Thomas Stevens.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18540715/032/0008>

### 3 August 1854, Banbury Guardian

Extended report on new attempt to fill in the insanitary pool in Market Place, proposed to be replaced by a well which could be retained as a reservoir in case of fire, promoted by Mr. John Calcutt. Initiative prompted by recent cleansing of the pool. Well-attended Vestry meeting, chaired by Rev. Brogden, voted on 3 propositions. Largest vote in favour of *status quo*. Mr. C.D. Faulkner demanded a poll of all ratepayers, in which maintaining the *status quo* prevailed because of the multiple votes (up to 6) cast by landowners (e.g. farmers). Alleged that some votes illegally cast by ratepayers who had not paid their poor's rate. During the poll several farmers "looking at the list of those who had voted, made use of very illiberal language, because these persons had voted against their (the farmers') views."

Mr. Calcutt demanded a scrutiny of the votes, but the Vicar refused, saying he should take counsel's opinion, and instructed Mr. Henry Churchill, solicitor, to obtain such opinion. Churchill queried who was to pay for the opinion, the majority feeling being that those who lost ought to pay for it. "A good deal of feeling has been manifested by those who oppose the improvement, and an attempt has been made - most injudiciously - to stigmatise it as a dissenters' movement." Calcutt accused of intimidating one of overseers to give up the Rate Receipt Book. In the absence of the scrutiny, statement circulated giving a majority for Mr. Calcutt's proposition of 63 to 57 after discounting illegal votes.

Below correspondence between Mr. Calcutt and Rev. Brogden reproduced *in extenso*:

- letter (26 July 1854) from Calcutt, seeking meeting to discuss appropriate mode of enquiring into legality of votes cast;
- letter (26 July 1854) from Vicar that nothing to add to his previous advice at Vestry that he should seek legal advice, that Calcutt declined to call at his house to inspect rate book, and declining a meeting;
- letter (28 July 1854) from Calcutt, posing a series of questions - Did Brogden not instruct Churchill to take counsel's opinion; did Churchill not decline to act unless instructed by the parish officers; did not Churchill refuse to allow illegal votes until Brogden insisted contrary to his advice; when will legal advice be sought; is Brogden trying to evade making a legal and correct declaration of the poll ?

- letter (26 [sic] July 1854) from Vicar, headed "Close of the Correspondence", seeking to ridicule Calcutt, "a Protestant Dissenter of the parish", calling him "Sham Officer of the Pope" and "Grand Inquisitor of Deddington".

The press report concludes with the text of a handbill by Mr. Calcutt to the ratepayers of Deddington who voted in support of his motion. Vicar refusing to give straight answers. Cites law that disenfranchises ratepayers who fail to pay the poor rate, which was stated by Mr. Churchill at the time.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18540803/061/0003>

*Copies of the correspondence and several handbills may be found in the Coggins Scrapbooks, Volume 2, folios 98b-98h. There are transcripts in:*

[http://www.deddingtonhistory.uk/data/assets/pdf\\_file/0015/17016/Scrapbook2nonnewspapertranscripts.pdf](http://www.deddingtonhistory.uk/data/assets/pdf_file/0015/17016/Scrapbook2nonnewspapertranscripts.pdf)

#### **5 August 1854, Oxford Journal**

Vestry Meeting, chaired by Rev. Brogden, about filling-in Town Pool. Details of 3 propositions voted on. Poll of parish ratepayers demanded by Mr. C.D. Faulkner. Party spirit ran very high, prompting circulation of satirical squib "Deddington Pool Sweepstakes".

Notice cried throughout Deddington about reduction in price of bread.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18540805/032/0008>

#### **10 August 1854, Banbury Guardian**

Voting rights for not paying poor rate not lost if rate due within 3 months before relevant Vestry meeting.

Annual Horticultural and Floral show fixed for 12 September.

Schools committee report. Receipts £1,288 1s., disbursements £1,244 14s. 7d., balance £43 7s. 5d.

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Reports on 11 cases, including:

- theft of peas from field in Hempton by 2 Deddington women;
- fighting between 2 young men of Deddington;
- altercation between Samuel Simson, of Deddington Mill, and William Parish of Hempton, and others.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0001523/18540810/035/0003>

**12 August 1854, Oxford Journal**

Auction of orchard, and 3 freehold cottages in the occupation of Gammon and Sweatman, at Clifton. Well adapted for the erection of a genteel residence.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18540812/012/0004>

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions, as *Banbury Guardian* 10 August 1854.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18540812/018/0005>

**31 August 1854, Banbury Guardian**

Woodstock County Court. Debt claim by John Dean, grocer, Deddington. Mr. C.D. Faulkner represented plaintiff.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18540831/050/0003>

Field (8 acres) for sale at Bloxham. Proprietor Mrs. Mary Ardway, Deddington.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18540831/054/0003>

Deddington Gas, Coke, & Coal Company. Notice inviting applications for shares. Capital £1200 in 1200 shares of £1. Trustees S. Field, Esq., and Jonathan Gillett, Esq. [banker]. Solicitor & secretary, Henry Churchill, Esq. Estimated 5% return on capital. Price of gas 8s. 4d. per 1000 cubic feet.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18540831/065/0003>

## **2 September 1854, Oxford Journal**

Deddington Gas, Coke, and Coal Company. Notice that in the course of formation. Applications for shares invited.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18540902/001/0001>

Forthcoming annual Horticultural show. Numerous assemblage expected.

Work commenced on Deddington gasworks. Same contractor as for Banbury gasworks.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0000073/18540902/033/0008>

## **7 September, Banbury Guardian**

Prospective builders invited to inspect plans (prepared by Mr. J.C. Buckler) for proposed lock-up house in Huff-street, Deddington, lately the property of Mrs. Jarvis.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18540907/073/0003>

Forthcoming annual Horticultural show.

Gas works progressing; shares well taken up

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## **9 September 1854, Oxford Journal**

Notice advertising 17th annual Horticultural Society show in the Castle Ground. Henry Churchill, Honorary Secretary.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18540909/001/0001>

Forthcoming Horticultural show. Excellent show expected. United Saxe Horn Band.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0000073/18540909/031/0008>

## **14 September 1854, Banbury Guardian**

Report on annual show of flowers, fruit, and vegetables in Castle Ground. United Sax-Horn Band. List of principal visitors (fashionables), including Rev. J. Brogden. Description of leading exhibits. Silver cup won by the Dahlias. List of prize-winners subjoined.

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Short reports on 6 cases. See *Oxford Journal*, 16 September 1854.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18540914/040/0003>

Advertisement by Deddington Gas, Coke, and Coal Company. Contract for Works entered into. Applications for shares invited.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18540914/050/0003>

### **16 September 1854, Oxford Journal**

Report on 17th annual Horticultural Society show on Castle Ground, lent by the proprietor, S. Field, Esq. 9 marquees and tents. Extensive description of outstanding exhibits of flowers &c. Music by United Saxe Horn Band. Long list of prize-winners subjoined.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18540916/036/0008>

### **16 September 1854, Oxford Chronicle**

Very lengthy report on 17th annual Horticultural and Floral Show. List of principal visitors, including Rev. Brogden and family. 5 marquees. "The show on the whole was rather small, but, all things considered, highly creditable to a rural district like Deddington, which is necessarily destitute of the accessories usually found in more populous localities." Correspondent regrets lack of contributions by the local gentry - beneficial influence of persons in the higher walks of life can assist greatly in improving the public taste. Detailed descriptions of more notable exhibits. Several hundred visitors. Cold collation by Mr. W. Sturch of Unicorn Inn. Poorer classes availed themselves of reduced price late entry tickets. Beautiful music, fine weather and location rendered the day one of the most delightful and agreeable character. Lengthy list of prize-winners subjoined.

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Reports on 7 cases, including:

- squabble between 2 Deddington women;
- 3 Deddington labourers fined for catching fish in grounds of Aynho House;
- Thomas Stevens, new landlord of the Crown and Tuns Inn, fined for sale of liquor after hours.

Also annual brewster sessions. All ale-house licences in district renewed.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000989/18540916/017/0002>

**21 September 1854, Banbury Guardian**

Gas works progressing very favourably. Proposed to light the town on 20 November.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0001523/18540921/040/0003>

**5 October 1854, Banbury Guardian**

Report on services at Clifton and Hempton on Sunday appointed for a general thanksgiving for the present abundant harvest. Many applications to the fund for the relief of families whose menfolk are fighting in the Crimea.

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Single magistrate. 3 cases, one a Deddington labourer trespassing for game.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/BL/0001523/18541005/052/0003>

Auction at King's Arms, (by order of the Mortgagee, under a Power of Sale,) in one lot, - A Freehold DWELLING HOUSE, situate in the New Street, Deddington, with garden, pump of excellent water, piggeries, and other conveniences; also, FOUR COTTAGES, stable, fasting pens, slaughter house, well of water, &c, fronting the Grove Walk, and adjoining the property in New Street, in the several occupations of James Smith; John French, Butcher; Thomas Owen, and others.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18541005/061/0003>

**7 October 1854, Oxford Journal**

Date of Triennial Visitation of Lord Bishop of Oxford to Deanery of Deddington.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18541007/025/0006>

**12 October 1854, Banbury Guardian**

Auction at Clifton Bridge of the property of the Contractor for the new bridge at Clifton.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18541012/063/0003>

**19 October 1854, Banbury Guardian**

Oxfordshire Michaelmas Quarter Sessions. New bridge at Clifton nearly completed per inspection by committee, but parapet walls have sunk slightly and contractor wishes to re-build.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18541019/024/0002>

Auction of ricks of hay &c. at Paper Mill Farm, near Deddington, the property of Mr. Joseph Gardner, who has left the farm.

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0001523/18541019/059/0003>

**21 October 1854, Oxford Journal**

Oxfordshire Michaelmas Quarter Sessions. Report on Divisional Lock-up houses. House now purchased at Deddington for conversion into a Lock-up house, including Superintending Constable's residence. Contract signed with builder (£245).

<https://www.britishnewspaperarchive.co.uk/viewer/bl/0000073/18541021/018/0006>

**28 October 1854, Oxford Journal**

Auction of furniture and effects at boarding school in Charlbury. Lots include in the Entrance Hall a capital 24 hour Clock and Case (by T. and J. Fardon, Deddington).

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## **2 November 1854, Banbury Guardian**

Well attended lecture on Slavery in America in the Wesleyan Reform Chapel, Deddington. Synopsis of 2 hour talk. Text of resolution condemning slavery unanimously passed at end of meeting. Proposer Mr. J. French of North Aston, seconded Mr. H. Margetts of Deddington.

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## **6 November 1854, The Times**

The Patriotic Fund [Crimean War]. Meetings up and down country in support. At a meeting in Banbury, Mr. Faulkner one of speakers.

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## **9 November 1854, Banbury Guardian**

Public meeting in Banbury in support of the Royal Patriotic Fund. Notable speech by Mr. C. Faulkner. He concluded by expressing a hope that some measures would be taken by the committee for collecting in the villages; and that the ladies would take a part in the good work (applause).

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## **11 November 1854, Oxford Journal**

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Reports on 3 cases, including Deddington affiliation order, and reprimand of William Gibbs, of Deddington, mole-catcher, for cutting some sticks in a spinney belonging to S. Field, Esq.

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## **25 November 1854, Oxford Journal**

Claims by Mr. John Dean, grocer, Deddington, and Mr. Alban Samman, linen and woollen draper, Deddington, against Mary Drew of Lower Heyford, grocer, draper, carpenter, ironmonger and timber merchant, before Court of Bankruptcy in London. Other creditors mentioned Richard Coggins and Joseph Gardner.

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Report on Winter Fair. Limited business in horses. Fair now noted more for its beef and ale. Various stalls, selling all kinds of toys, small wares, cakes, &c. "The well-known "Cheap Johns" [stingy persons] spouted most lustily". Magician in Town Hall. Presence of 2 recruiting parties.

Price of bread now 9d. for a four-pound loaf.

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**2 December 1854, Oxford Journal**

Auction of standing elm, ash and oak trees at Barford St. John and Combe Hill Farm.

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Deddington and Kidlington Turnpike Road. Notice of adjourned meeting of Trustees at Fox and Crown Inn, North Aston, for the purpose of letting the Tolls at both Gates.

Aynhoe Division of Burford, Chipping-Norton, Banbury, Stow, Deddington, and Aynhoe Turnpike Roads. Notice of adjourned meeting of trustees at Cartwright Arms, Aynhoe, for the purpose of letting the Tolls at all the Gates.

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**7 December 1854, Banbury Guardian**

Public lecture in Banbury on "Ale and Beer v. Bread". Attendees included Mr. C.D. Faulkner, Deddington.

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Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. See *Oxford Chronicle* 9 December 1854.

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**9 December 1854, Oxford Journal**

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions, as *Oxford Chronicle* 9 December 1854.

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**9 December 1854, Oxford Chronicle**

Wootton North Division Petty Sessions. Single case. Thomas Byles, keeper of a beer-house, charged with selling beer after closing time, but witness did not appear so case dismissed.

New Lock-up House, near the King's Arms [in Horse Fair], nearing completion. Includes residence for superintending constable, 4 cells, and room for magistrates' meetings.

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**14 December 1854, Banbury Guardian**

Patriotic Fund. See *Oxford Journal* 16 December 1854.

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**16 December 1854, Oxford Journal**

Public meeting, chaired by Rev. Brogden, in support of the Patriotic Fund [Crimean War]. Committee (x6) appointed to collect subscriptions.

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**23 December 1854, Oxford Journal**

Advertisement by A. Samman, linen and woollen draper, Market Place. Thanks to clergy, gentry, and inhabitants of Deddington for support over past 10 years. Large stock of Blankets, Flannels, &c., suitable for Charities, now on hand. Vacancy for a Junior Assistant.

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**28 December 1854, Banbury Guardian**

Generous donations to Patriotic Fund, including house-to-house collection. Forthcoming instrumental and vocal concert to raise funds. Names of most proactive supporters.

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**30 December 1854, Oxford Journal**

To Bakers and others - To be let, a good Dwelling House, with Bake-house, Stable, Garden, &c., situate in New-street, Deddington. A good business has been carried on for many years.

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Generous donations to Patriotic Fund, as *Banbury Guardian* 28 December 1854.

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