

A few notes from
1887 from small note
book.

1887 nov 23. Went to
hear the Marquis Salisbury
and other speakers at
Oxford
Rented cottage Earls lane
from March 1887 to
November 1888

March 1890 Working at
Major Norris Smalcliffe
Feb 14/1891

my weight 12 stone 5 lb
Feb 24 do 12 " 4 "
March 11 do 12 " 3 "
" 19 do 12 " 2 "
" 26 do 12 " 2 "
April 13 do 12 " 1 "
Working at Hewell Grange

1894

September 27

Mr Franklin married

1896

October 1894 on the
club with cut & erysipelas
in hand

1903 Jan^{ry} Vein removed
by Dr Jones 7 weeks at
home -

1904 June 26 John Spur's
tools sold bought 31 planes
& oak box

1907 Sep 23 Ringing for
Bishop consecrating
new ground

1910 Jan^{ry} Sent telegram
to Jack Harris

1 Feb Went with Mr T Bennett
Tuesday to Kings Sutton

met John Harris there
Father signed codicil
for Jack & myself to be his
executors.

Father was in bed up
stairs at Bert Harmon.

Jack and T Bennett was
a long time getting
Father to sign the Codicil
They both asked of me
to go up and try &
persuade Father to sign
but I would not agree
because Father had told
me several times before
what good straight
forward men the two
both Gill & Hodge were.
and it has proved later
the greatest mistake I

ever made, to allow
T Bennett & J Harris to
persuade father to change
the old executors

22 April Sent Watson 20.00
note books (25)

April 1. 1912 This was
about the time T Bennett
got the Power of Attorney
to sell father's property
at any time.

8 July, Jim here from Vancouver
he told me Lyle & May
were wide awake men and
executors.

(29) Feb 28. 1914 T Bennett
& T Smith called and
got father to sign giving
him the Power of Attorney
to sell up to \$1.000.

1914

Nov 13 Met Bennett, Toy
Jack Harn at Bennett's
Bennett said he met
father in the street, I
told Bennett he wanted
to give my wife something
Toy said (Mad) people
had lucid intervals.

1915

17 Aug Father's grave stone

23 Nov

900

T Bennett told me he
could sell all the land
without our consent or
signatures.

22 Nov 1916 Mr Frank Gray
came had will.

1914

31 Oct Moving furniture
to Grove Lodge

Jan 1914

14 Mr Frank Gray
called with Will, I
signed & Mr Gibbs paid
10 6

did not read contents of
will, I Gray said it was
like the other -

26 Feb bought cramps
from Bailey

1914 check
Oct 19 paid Berkley Archs
for mangos, 12 10 0
stove, racks &

partitions in stable
at Grove Lodge

Oct I agree to take Grove
Lodge for £20 from
H C Mason

Now took the Grove Lodge

1920

May 29 Fused War memorial
in church

Jan 1920 Letter to
the County Agent
County Hall Oxford
about buying the
Lyons Lodge and
allotments ground.

23 Sep 1919 Copy letter to
Diocesan Registry
Oxford
about Tablet in church

1920

15 Feb Told Mason I would
buy the property
Answered agent letter
12 Mason told me house
was sold

May 27 1920 Paid T Boniface
for Faculty 1 1 0
1912

10 April All about Bennett
obtaining a Tower Attorney
by Hand

1922 Jan 28

Feb R Day told me that
Mr Bennett was responsible
to the Bank for the money

Cheques
Grove Lodge

30 Dec 1922

Taxes for

Woolkins

3 1 0

Gosham

30 Dec 1922 Newt Saunders

rent

1 18 0

28 Dec 1914

H C Mason

3 6 0

Rent Grove Lodge

25 March 1922

Woolkins

5 0 0

20 Oct 1922 Newt Saunders

Gosham

18 18 6

1922

4 March from Spencer Hopcraft

for rent of pig 2 0 0

sties & 2 troughs

1924

March 24 Several hive roofs

taken off and several

others removed. I took

Sergeant Page & Hudson up

to see them. They were

standing in the little

garden across the road

I think it was Tustain

by the sailor that moved

them.

Paid S J Hopcraft

12 0 0

for the material of
the 2 cottages in the Grove
Occupied by W Harper
the site having been
sold to me 26 March 1920

Bought house & premises
from Hopcraft 210 0 0

1924

14 Nov Spencer Hopcrafts pig
knocked sheep bus over
some days back, I put
them on the brand again.

^{Paid}
30 Sep 1925 Spencer Hopcraft
Rent garden for bus 1 10 0
He told me to move the
bus away in a month, he

Sheep knocked 3 lots over
over in small yards
£6 loss at the lowest they
were in bar from here
X A mistake to move bees
a short distance until
until November

August 1932
Poisoning

Said they could have stayed
if I had moved them when
he asked me some months
back. X

1928

4 Aug went to France
and Belgium

1932

12 Feb Took deeds to
Midland Bank, arranged
with Mr Gillam about
having overdraft if wanted

1932

^{Sunday}
June 26 Killing sheep all day
sent off a load

27 M a bad smell in my
garden also in Clarke's

July 3 Sunday Killing pigs
at 7 a.m.

Nov 1933 Had cerebral
haemorrhage & later

2 July 1935

Left mill with
Mr. Fortisone

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~~1920~~

29 May Fixed War
Memorial in church

1921

Jan 27 Fixing Tablet at
church.