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No lad afraid of work need apply.—Thompson's Stables, Grenfell-road.

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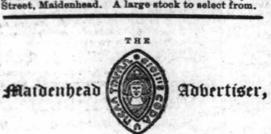
BROMLEY-MILLS.—On October 5th, at Willoughbyroad Wesleyau Church, Hornsey, by the Rev. J.
S. Hicks, Ernest Henry, younger son of the late
Mr. T. H. Bromley, to Amy Collis, youngest
daughter of Mr. William Mills, formerly of
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WORBOYS-On October 4th, at the Bel and Dragon, Cookham, Berks, Thomas Worboys, aged 81. MARKHAM.—On October 4th, at 30, Bridge-road, Maidenhead, Thomas Edward Markham, of con-sumption, borne with great patience; aged 35

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OCT. 11, 1905.

SIR BERRY CUSACK-SMITH, K.C.M.G., Will pre ide over a Liberal meeting at the Old Schoolroom, Bray, on Friday next .- (See advt.) "THE SCARLET MR. E's," from the Queen's Hall, London, are giving their grand entertainment on Monday next, in the Drill Hall.—(See

advt.) MAIDENHEAD PUBLIC LIBRARY. - Number of books issued to week ending October 7th, 618; daily average, 103; total number of borrowers to date, 996; total number of students' tickets issued,

Useful.—Mr. Geo. Isaac, of Queen-street, Hon. Sec. of the Maidenhead and District Ratepayers' Association, has prepared a first-rate map of the borough as divided into wards, which will be very

useful for election and other purposes. Copie can be had gratis on application at his office. Sale of Pictures. — Mesers. Aldridge and Lever will sell by auction, at their Mart, this afternoon, a valuable collection of high-class modern oil-paintings, water-colours, and artists' proof etchings and engravings. Several of the pictures are of local scenery exhibited at the Academy, and they are all by well-known artists.

THE MAYOR has accepted an invitation to meet Field Marshall Earl Roberts, V.C., at the Drill Hall of the London Rifle Brigade, on Tuesday afternoon, October 17th, and afterwards to inspect the new rifle range recently constructed over the Jaeger Company's warehouses in Milton-street and Moor-lane, London, E.C.

On Monday next, the new steam fire-engine will be formally handed over to the Mayor and Corporation. There will be something in the nature of a public display before the dinner to be held in the Town Hall in the evening. The tickets for the dinner are selling well, and a very successful function is anticipated.

THE PALESTINE EXHIBITION.—We need hardly remind our readers of the Palestine Exhibition to be opened in the Town Hall next Tuesday by the Dean of Windsor. Handbooks and tickets are on sale at the booksellers, Messrs. Burnbam, Goldsmith, and Marsh; and also at the establishments of Messrs. Hill, Steane, and Upson. Particulars are advertised.

MAIDENHEAD COTTAGE HOSPITAL.—Report for week ending October 9th, 1905:—Patients discharged, 1 female; patients received, 2 males; patients at present in the House, 6 males and 6 females; Medical Officer, Dr. Baylis. Gifts in kind acknowledged: Mrs. James Bishop, flowers; Mrs. Hobbis, magazines; Mrs. Argo Gold, fruit; Mrs. Field, flowers and old linen; Lady Browrigg, fruit; Miss Hilda T. Brown, a scrap-book; flowers from St. Mary's Harvest Festival; fruit from Cookbam Dean Harvest Festival; fruit, flowers, vegetables, and bread, from Taplow Harvest Festival.

DRAUGHTS.—On Wednesday last a draughts' match was played at the Working Boys' Club between the representatives of the Working Men's Club and the Boys' Club, five a-side. 'The match was a very close one, the Boys' Club ultimately proving the victors by 8 games to 7. Hesketh for the Men's Club played a very fine game, and Jackson and Humphreys played well for the Boys. The teams with scores, were as for the Boys. The teams, with scores, were as follows:—Working Men's Club—Heaketh, Luker, Morgan, Schultz, and Wyatt; Working Boys' Club Absolum, Hazeldine, Humphreys, L. Jackson, and Perry. Hesketh beat Perry by 3 to 0, Humphreys evening.

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We'are, as usual, killing a Very Choice Selection of FARM-BRED and DAIRY-FED PORK and PIGMEAT. all bought from the Local Farmers, and in most cases fatted specially for us. HOME - MADE PORK SAUSAGES freshly made every hour. PICKLED PORK a speciality.

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beat Wyatt by 3 to 0, Luker beat Hazeldine by 3 to 0, Jackson beat Schultz by 3 to 0, Absolum beat Morgan by 2 to 1.

MAIDENHEAD PHILHARMONIC SOCIETY .- The annual meeting was held in the Borough Police Court (by kind permission of the Mayor) on Tuesday, when, in spite of many other gatherings, some twenty members were able to attend. The Society has resolved to give three concerts during the winter season, to each of which subscribers of 10s. 6d. will be entitled to 4s. worth of tickets. Mr. Reginald Farrer was elected president; Mr. A. E. Baker, conductor; Mr. C. H. Ricks, treasurer; and Mr. C. A. Vardy, secretary. The latter was able to announce the names of twenty additional members, and the conductor. twenty additional members, and there is a pros-

pect of a successful season.—(See advt.) RE-OPENING OF THE PAVILION. - This popular place of amusement was re-opened on Monday evening, when Mr. Gude was able to welcome a large audience, the hall being practically filled.
A capital company of variety artistes had been engaged, some of whom were old favourites, including Mr. James Fay, the clever female impersonator, who was accorded a hearty reception, and The Sheppards, speciality duettists and dancers. Other contributors to a varied programme were Everard and Vaughan, in an amusing comedy duologue: Tom E. Carr, versa-tile comedian; Miss Blanche Cozens, burlesque actress and vocalist; Steve Cooke, humorist; and Charlie Tonks, comedian and dancer. The enter-tainment concluded with a capital display of animated pictures. There will be an entertainment at the Pavilion each evening at 8 o'clock.

BOROUGH POLICE COURT. -The Magistrate sitting at this Court on Monday were occupied for a considerable time in hearing summonses against the International Stores, Ltd., and Messrs, P. & S. Thompson, Ltd., for alleged offences under the Foodand Drugs Act. In the case of the former, it was alleged that a pound of loose cocoa, and in the latter case half-a-pound of loose mustard, was sold to P.C. Hay without a printed label attached indicating that the contents of each packet were an admixture. The case against the International Stores, Ltd., was not proved to the satisfaction of the Bench, and the summons was dismissed, while in the case against Messrs. Thompson the nch were of opinion that a technical offence only had been committed, and would not convict, but ordered the defendants to pay the costs. As the evidence given may be of service to other tradesmen it will be published in our next issue, with details of minor cases heard at the same

sitting. MAIDENHEAD CHESS CLUB.—The annual general neeting of the Maidenhead Chess Club was held at the Cliveden, on Wednesday last. The President (Mr. B. Hobbis) presided, and there was a good attendance of members. The Secretary presented the balance-sheet, showing a membership of 26, and a balance in hand of £2 9s., which it was agreed should be expended in purchasing "boards and men." It was also decided to extend the season till the end of April, the subscription for the whole season being fixed at 5s. The President was unanimously re-elected, as was also the Secretary and Treasurer. Mr. F. Willett was unanimously asked to undertake the duties of match-captain, and Mr. Neve the duties of auditor. Messrs. Cottrell, Dobson, J. Flint, Harwood, O. Price, and Wm. Plumbe, were elected the committee. The club meets every Wednesday, from 7 to 10.30 p.m., at the Cliveden. Anyone wishing to join should communicate with the Secretary, Mr. A. G. Filby, "Heathfield," St. Mark's-road.

WESLEYAN MUTUAL IMPROVEMENT SOCIETY .-The autumn and winter session of the above society was opened on Monday evening, when "a Social" was held in the large schoolroom, which had been transformed into a commodious drawing-room. Various parlour and other games were entered into with spirit, and a capital programme of vocal and instrumental music afforded pleasure to all present. Pianoforte solos were nicely rendered by Miss Aplin (a selection from Beethoven) and Miss F. Andrews ("Battle of Omdurman"); recitations were well given by Mr. J. A, Truscott ("First Bargain Sale"), Mr. J. A, Demice (from Dickers), and Miss G. A. A. Bromley (from Dickens), and Miss G. Croot ("The last hymn," with a piano accompaniment by her sister), and much-appreciated songs were sung by Mr. Ham ("Women of England"), Miss Crossman ("Asthore"), Mr. W. Elliott Barrett. Miss Ham ("Down the Vale"), Miss Allen ("The Gift"), and Miss L. Brown ("Love's Bargain"). The president (Rev. Wm. T. Gill) was "Master of the Ceremonies," and Mr. J. W. Walker, J.P., deputy-president, took part in the proceedings. Refreshments were handed round during an interval, and altogether a very happy evening was spent. The society will meet weekly. A singing class is in course of formation, with Mr. W. Elliott Barrett as instructor, and Dr. Cecil Montgomery has again kindly undertaken to give lectures to the St. John Ambulance class. A.O.F .- COURT " PRINCE ALBERT," No. 1906 .-At the monthly meeting of the above Court, held in the Cliveden Hall, Maidenhead, on Monday, October 2nd, Bro. John Absolum, Chief Ranger, presented to Bro. O. Hildreth, on behalf of the Court, a Forester's Gold Jewel for services rendered to the Court during his 28 years' member-He bore testimony to the good work Bro. O. Hildreth had done during that period, and said be had filled all the minor offices till reaching the chair, which he has occupied on four occasions, while he also held the responsible office of trustee to the Court, and was a member of the Investment Committee. On several occasions he represented the Court at the District (Berks, Bucks, and Middlesex) Meeting, and was sent as a delegate to the High Court. Bro. Absolum also referred to Bro. Hildreth's interest in the Juvenile Branch, of which he was one of the founders. Bro. O. Hildreth thanked the Chief Ranger for his kind remarks, and also all the members of the Court for the handsome jewel presented to him, and said it would always be looked upon by him with admiration and pride. What services he had rendered to the Court had always been a pleasure to him. Although he had had many offices and honours bestowed upon him, this was the greatest reward of all during his 28 years' membership. Bro. E. Matthews, on behalf of the secretaries. bore high testimony to Bro. Hildreth's work and worth, and expressed the hope that he might live long to wear the decoration presented to him that

BRUTAL ASSAULT ON A WIFE.

REARINS. &c.

MAXIMUM PUNISHMENT.

At the Maidenhead Borough Police-court, on Thursday, before the Mayor (Mr. Coancillor B. Hobbis), and C. W. Cox, J. Truscott, and H. J. Mount, Esqs., Arthur Smith, a pensioner, wearing South African war decorations, residing at 25, Tyrrell's Buildings, was brought up on a warrant, charged with having, on Oct. 2nd, assaulted and beaten his wife, Elizabeth Smith.

Asked if he was guilty or not guilty, prisoner (a strong-looking man), replied "Guilty, under great provocation."

strong-looking man), replied "Guilty, under great provocation."

The complainant, whose face was so bruised and disfigured as to render her almost unrecognisable, and who gave her evidence with manifest reluctance (doubtless inspired by fear), said that the prisoner was her husband, and resided with her at 25, Tyrrell's Buildings. On Monday night he came into the house. She did not know the time, but it was getting late. He did not say much to her, but up with his fist and struck her a severe blow on the face, and knocked her down. She became insensible, and she did not know what she was doing afterwards. She did not come round for some time. Mrs. Mitchell, a neighbour, came in to her. Before she was knocked down she had no bruises on her face and head, and there was nothing the matter with her. When she came round she found she was injured as she now appeared. "I did not give him into custody, mind you," added complainant, "someone else took that on."

The Magistrates' Clerk: When was the last time he assaulted you?—On the last of July he knocked me about, and I had to be in the hospital in consequence for three weeks.

Did he kick you then?—I don't know, but he provocation.

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Did he kick you then?—I don't know, but he knocked me about and I had to be in the hospital three weeks owing to his violence.

When was the first time he assaulted you after you left the hospital ?—I came here three weeks ago for a

summons and for a separation order.

Did he say on this occasion why he assaulted you?

No, sir, he said nothing.

Didn't he assault you again last night so that you were afraid to go into the house?—I was afraid to go

You went into a neighbour's house?—Yes. You went into a neighbour's house?—Yes.
He was looking after you?—Yes.
Mr. Cox: What excuse did he make for beating
you? Did you have any words?—He accuses me of
doing things which I do not do.

And that is his excuse for knocking you about?-Yes.

Dr. Edwin Cecil Montgomery said that he had the complainant under his care in July last. She was in the hospital for a broken rib and bruises. He had not the hospital for a broken rib and bruises. the hospital for a broken rib and bruises. He had not attended her on this occasion, but a neighbour of the complainant asked him, as he was passing, to go in and see her as she believed she was going out of her mind through fright, and said she had been knocked about by her husband. He went in to see her. She seemed alarmed, and bore traces of having received very bad treatment. Her wounds had had no form of treatment, and she was running the risk of blood-poisoning setting in. He noticed a sealn wound of about 12 inches covered

noticed a scalp wound of about 1½ inches covered over with dried blood. over with dried blood.

The Mayor: Were there any other injuries to the head?—Yes, I found her face and head bruised and injured, and there was a bad abrasion on one side of the face. I have not really examined her to any

the face. I have not really examined her to any extent.

Elizabeth Mitchell, of 32, Tyrrell's Buildings, a few doors from Mrs. Smith's house, said that she heard no row on Monday night, but she heard that prisoner had been beating his wife, and saw a number of neighbours standing outside the house. She asked the prisoner about his wife, and he told her (witness) that when she are next in the world. that when she got upstairs she would see "a pretty sight." She went upstairs and found Mrs. Smith in sight." She went upstairs and found Mrs. Smith in a critical state, lying on the floor and covered with blood, and unable to help herself. The prisoner was downstairs, but he was not sober. He brought a lamp up to her, and she said to him "Oh, Mr. Smith, look here! Here's a sight!" She helped Mrs. Smith on to the bed, and then prisoner told her to be off down-stairs, and not say auything about what she had seen. She went to the police-station. She could not discern Mrs. Smith's face as her hair was over it, and matted with blood. She saw Mrs. Smith in July; her face was then in a bruised and bad condition through prisoner's violence. Prisoner knocked dition through prisoner's violence. Prisoner knocked her (witness) down in July when she was taking Mrs.

her (witness) down in July when she was taking airs. Smith's part. She had never seen prisoner hit his wife, but she had heard him. Prisoner worked for Mr. Lamb, stonemason.

By the Mayor: It was between 8 and 9 o'clock on Monday night when she saw Mrs. Smith.

Asked if he had anything to say, prisoner accussed his wife of taking money from his prockets and spend. his wife of taking money from his pockets and spend-

ing it in drink.
This Mrs. Smith denied. This Mrs. Smith denied.

The magistrates consulted in private, and on their return the Mayor said this was the worst case of wifebeating that the Bench had ever had before them and they felt that they must inflict a severe punishment. Only in July last, after taking his pension, prisoner beat his wife and broke one of her ribs, and she had to be in the hospital for three weeks, and a few weeks ago she asked for a separation order, but on the understanding that her husband promised to treat her better the summons was permitted to be withdrawn. Now prisoner was charged with an aggravated assault, and he might think himself lucky that he was not there on a charge of murder, as blood-poisoning might have set in owing to his wife not having received proper treatment of her injuries. The magistrates had decided to inflict the maximum punishment—6 months' hard labour.

Inspector Benning said that prisoner had but 5d. of his pension on him when arrested.

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The Mayor gave Mrs. Smith a letter to take to the Cottage Hospital for her admission, so that her injuries might be attended to.

1st Vol. Batt. Royal Berks Regiment

(G Company).

Orders for week ending Saturday, 21st Oct., 1905. Rifles and Bayonets.—It is requested that all rifles and bayonets in possession of members of G and I Companies shall be returned to the Armoury at once. Recruits.—It is proposed to commence the new Recruits Class on Thurstay, the 2nd November next. Candidates desirous of joining should apply to Colour-Sergt. Inst. Guthrie at the Deill Hall, Marow-road, as soon as possible. Members are invited to introduce intending recruits in sufficient time to oin this class. By order,

D. J. MASON, Captain Commanding.

IF you want a treat for afternoon tea, try one of TUBE'S VIENNA LOAVES; made fresh daily, 2d. each.—Note the address, 106, High-street, and

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