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**DAGENHAM CAGE BIRD SOCIETY.**

A meeting of the Dagenham Cage  
Bird Society, was held at Pettit  
Farm, on Thursday of last week.  
Mr. W. George was in the chair.  
Officers were elected for 1935: Sec. A,  
Davies; Asst. Secretary, R. Tanner;  
Committee, J. Chapman, J. Lane,  
Harrison, E. Fagg, W. Fuller and E.  
Ellison. Subscriptions were fixed  
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will be held on the first and third  
Wednesdays in each month at Pettit  
Farm.

A vote of thanks was passed to  
Mr. Tanner for the bequest of a cup  
to be competed for at the Annual  
Show. Next meeting is on February  
6th, at 8 p.m., and members are  
asked to attend and bring along  
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May I take the privilege of asking  
all fanciers who keep or breed  
birds to aid the development of this  
society, for I am positive there are  
many more fanciers who are not  
yet members of clubs. To those  
who are in doubt about the prospects  
of bird keeping I would say that it  
is a very profitable and interesting  
undertaking and many good birds  
may be obtained cheaply. Therefore,  
pluck up courage, join the society,  
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## FREE CHURCH'S RECORD GATHERING.

There was a record gathering at the the Dagenham Free Church on Monday, when a concert was prepared by scholars of the Sunday

every seat was occupied, and so successful was the venture, from both a social and financial point of view, that it has been decided to hold a similar function in the near future. The programme was capably carried out by Mrs. Fuller, and the items were thoroughly appreciated. At an interval Rev. J. W. Piper, the minister, took the opportunity of expressing the best thanks of the audience to her and the performers for their excellent display.

Mrs. Fuller is leader of the Sunday School, and under her charge the concert was entertained as follows:—Solo, Item, Leader and Scholars; recitation, Miss C. Millward; hoop drill, Mrs. Pithouse; monologue, Miss Harding; Jessie's Dream, dialogue; Rag Doll, Scholars; Peter and Polly, Donald Archer and Dorothy Pithouse; The Japanese Fan, Scholars; Beauty Parlour, sketch, Mr. Pithouse, Mrs. Berry, Mrs. Clarke, Master N. Fuller and Rev. J. W. Piper; "When We Grow Up," Scholars; recitation, Miss M. Pithouse; "Muffins and Crumpets," recitation, Miss B. Fuller.

## QUEST TO BUS DRIVER.

### NOT LOOKED AFTER RADIO.

Several bequests appear in the will of Thomas Henry Yetton, for long in business as a bookmaker at 100, E.C.

## DAGENHAM AND DISTRICT CAGE

### BIRDS SOCIETY.

A meeting of the above Society was held at Pettit Farm on Wednesday, February 6th. Mr. W. George was in the chair. The attendance was good and the business was dealt with in a satisfactory manner. The rules of the Society were read and passed. The following rule is an outstanding one:—"All birds competing for the Society's Cup and Specials shall be rung with a closed ring issued by a society in the current year."

This Society is not now affiliated to the Dagenham Poultry Circle but it is essential that these two societies should keep in close touch with each other to enable them to benefit by numbers should the necessity arise. Meetings in future will be held on the first Tuesday in each month at Pettit Farm.

A preliminary discussion of the Young Stock Show was held, and it was suggested to hold this show on July 13th, subject to alteration.

A goodly number of members volunteered to contribute towards the expense of show staging and also many offered assistance in the making of it.

"Once more," writes Mr. A. H. Davis, the hon. secretary. "I appeal to cage-bird fanciers to join this society and assist us in our objects of improving the various breeds of cage-birds. In the near future, we hope to obtain a lecturer to offer us valuable hints on the breeding and rearing of canaries, etc."

Persons who have only one or perhaps two pairs of birds, should join a society where much information and assistance is given and there are the advantages of being able to compete for cups and cash prizes at the shows throughout the season.

Next Committee meeting, Tuesday, February, 26th., at 64, Dagenham Avenue. Next Ordinary meeting, Tuesday, March 5th., Pettit Farm. The Hon. Secretary's address is 12, Rothwell Gardens, Dagenham.

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Yours faithfully,

C. W. FULLER,

Hon. Secretary, Barking and  
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**DAGENHAM AND DISTRICT  
CAGE BIRDS SOCIETY.**

A meeting of the Dagenham and District Cage Birds Society was held at Pettit Farm, Dagenham, on Tuesday, March 1st, when Mr. W. George occupied the chair. Still more members were elected. It is interesting to note that some of the members who have recently joined this society have done so through our notes in these columns.

The chairman gave an interesting talk on "Preparation for Breeding," and many valuable hints were gained by members present.

Will all members requiring rings kindly notify the secretary at the very earliest opportunity, as to the numbers and varieties wanted?

Committee members please note that in future any business to be dealt with by them will be taken half an hour before the ordinary meeting begins. The next meeting will take place on Tuesday, April 2nd, at 8 p.m., at Pettit Farm.

The Society invite any fanciers in this district to become members. Many advantages may be gained by so doing. Write or call on the Secretary, Mr. A. D. Davies, 12, Rothwell Gardens, Dagenham, who will gladly give particulars. Subscriptions and entrance fees for the quarter ending March 31st, should be paid to the secretary as soon as is convenient.

**ILFORD v. WYCOMBE WANDERERS.**

The following team is chosen to represent Ilford F.C. v. Wycombe Wanderers, at Wycombe, on Saturday:—  
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**DAGENHAM AND DISTRICT CAGE BIRDS SOCIETY.**

A meeting of the Dagenham and District Cage Birds Society was held at Pettit Farm on Tuesday (April 2nd). Mr. W. George occupied the chair.

The young stock show schedule was drawn up by the committee.

Mr. Poston of the "Cross Keys" has been asked to accept the position of President of this society.

More new members were elected. The secretary has received the rings and if members who require them will communicate with him or call on him he will be glad to supply them.

Next meeting: Tuesday 7th May, at 8 p.m., at Pettit Farm.

**A Tale Of Two Skulls.**

Barking Archaeological Society wants the return of two Roman skulls from the Royal College of Surgeons. Three months ago workmen discovered a coffin containing the skulls while laying down a new road on a building estate. The skulls were sent to the college for examination. Now the society is indignant because the skulls have not been sent back. They are needed to add to the exhibits in a museum that has just been opened. The society have sent a protest to the council, asking them "to do all they can" to secure the skulls.

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The Essex County Association is doing its playing fields and recreation where needed.

Yours faithfully

President, Essex Fields Association  
9th April, 1935.

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**UNIQUE FEATURE OF CENTRAL HALL**

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**THE DAGENHAM AND DISTRICT  
 CAGE BIRDS SOCIETY.**

The Dagenham and District Cage Birds Society is holding its first Cage Bird Show on Saturday at Pettit Farm. This particular show is for young stock and we hope that as many people will attend, as can possibly get there.

The entrance fee to the show is sixpence, but if tickets are brought before the day the charge will be threepence.

Tickets are available from any member or the Assistant Secretary who lives at 64, Dagenham Avenue.

Mr. Wass is judging and we hope that all members will do their utmost to send as many birds to the show as possible.

We cordially invite the public to attend this, our first show, which opens at 4 p.m. next Saturday at Pettit Farm.

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M.P., and also drew for the 1 graphed by the Essex, Yorksh Gloucestershire teams. The 1 winner of this was Mrs. Wh Faircross-avenue, Barking, w gramme number 7704.

**Supper Speeches.**

Supper was subsequently in the pavilion.

Mr. W. H. Venner, Chairman P.L.A. Sports Association, and had the support of Mackins, vice-chairman; Sir Hamilton, M.P.; the Mayor (A. P. Griggs; the Mayoress; A. F. H. Dane; Councillor A. W. and Mrs. Green; Mr. J. S. Par G. Glenney; Mr. Laurie Eastma F. J. Walkinshaw; Mr. G. Aus worth (Secretary and Superir of the Hospital); Mr. L. Davie eral Secretary of the P.L.A. Association), and Mr. R. J. (House and Ground Secretary

The Mayor proposed the toas Essex County Cricket Clu thanked the team for visiting and doing so much on behalf Hospital.

**Mayor And The County Club.**

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## FIRST BIRD SHOW.

Pettits Farm, Dagenham, was the scene of the first bird show to be held locally. There was an encouraging entry of caged birds, the judge being Mr. J. T. Wass. The opener was Mr. W. George and the exhibition was organised by a committee of the society.

### Results.

Novices, Norwich, clear or ticked: Ibbett. Novices, Norwich, marked or variegated: 1, Ibbett; 2, Burrells. Champion, Yorkshire, clear or ticked: 1, Lane; 2, Lane. Champion, Yorkshire, marked or variegated: Seymore. Champion, Yorkshire, green or cinnamon: Seymore. Novices, Yorkshire, clear or ticked: 1, Ibbett; 2, Stone. Novices, Yorkshire, marked or variegated: 1, Ibbett; 2, Vale; 3, Ibbett. Novices, Yorkshire, green or cinnamon: Baker. Champion, Border, clear or tinted: George. Champion, Border, marked or variegated: 1, George; 2, George. Novices, Border, clear or ticked: 1, Landy; 2, Landy. Novices, Border, marked or variegated: 1, Ainsworth; 2, Landy; 3, Ainsworth. Novices, Border, white: Vale. Mule or hybrid: Lane. Goldfinch: Lane. Budgerigars, blue: 1, Burrells; 2, Burrells. Clear or variegated canary: Marley. Best in show: Ibbett. Best Norwich: Ibbett. Best Yorkshire: Ibbett. Best Border: Ainsworth. Best British: Lane. Second best Border: Landy. Second best Yorkshire: Stone.

### The Knife Slipped.

A butcher, John Smith, aged 37, of Forest View, Leytonstone, was cutting meat in his shop at

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## ILLUMINATIONS AT SOUTHERN

The L.N.E.R. announce that in connection with the Southend Pier Centenary Celebrations, an additional train will leave Southend for Liverpool Street and certain intermediate stations at 11.15 p.m. every night weekdays and Sundays, from July 24th to August 31st, to enable visitors to inspect the special illuminations.

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Solicitor at Thames Police Court

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AFTER THE ARGUMENT SHOPBREAKING FOLLOWS POLITICS.

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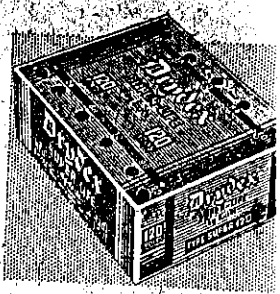
At the Stratford Police Court on Saturday, (Mr. W. J. O. Sheat in the chair)...

CAGE BIRD SHOW POPULAR. CROWDED, DESPITE THE FOG.

All the Awards. The Dagenham and District Birds Society held its first annual members' show on Saturday, 7, at Pettit Farm, Heathway, Dagenham.

BICYCLE BOUGHT AT DAGENHAM. KINDLY CHRISTMAS COURT APPEAL.

At the Stratford Police Court, on Tuesday, Charles Stanley Champion, 47, a plant attendant, of 1, Olive-road, Rainham...



Bigger cells for better value. Dryden SUPER-LIFE BATTERY. 'Still keeps going when the rest have stopped'.

OLD CONTEMPTIBLES' ASSOCIATION. Dagenham Branch. The new officers are:—President, E. Clift...

PETTIT FARM WOMEN'S LEAGUE.

The Pettit Farm Women's League held its fortnightly meeting on Monday last. In the absence of the Vice-Chairman, Miss Aplin (secretary) occupied the chair...

GOLDEN WEDDING AT BEACON TREE HEATH.

A joint celebration took place on Saturday at the Methodist Church at Beacontree Heath on the occasion of the golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Albon...

EARLY FESTIVITIES.

'You've started your Christmas festivities a bit early!' remarked Councilor G. H. Manser (the chairman) to Bernard Connolly...

THE DAGENHAM BROTHERHOOD