

Military Manoeuvres Act comes into force 1/8/27 = Eker (KG+CP 23/7/1927 p5)
Compensation Officer member of the M.M. commission

"Canterbury Cricket Week - The County Balls", KG+CP, 11911, 3 (6 Aug 1927)
Eva on Balls Ctee. County Hotel. 120 on Monday including Milo + Eva.
Over 200 on Wed.

The tender of Mr JH Taylor of Street End for construction of a wooden foot bridge at Patonsbourne for £36 was accepted by Bridge Bd. KG+CP, 11913, 10 (20 Aug 1927)

Mil. Manoeuvres. 5/9/27 - 24/9/27 not before war, KG+CP 3/9/27 p.9.
Ended up being cancelled prematurely due to heavy rain rendering the ops.

"The Right Hon. Ronald McNeill, M.P. - promotion to Cabinet Rank - Women's Ass'n's
Congratulations" KG+CP, 11922, 5 (22 Oct 1927)

Eva at Women's meetg on 20/10/27 moved that the Ass'n should pass a vote of congratulations to him as it was an honor well reflected on them as they had such a very wise and responsible Parliamentary rep.

"Canterbury Women's Conservative Association - Membership nearing the thousand mark", KG+CP, 11923, 4 (29 Oct 1927). Met on 20/10/27 = Forester's Hall, Eva (the President) in the chair 929 members. Eva paid for the tea. Eva re-elected.

McNeill becomes Baron Cushead of Cushead = the Count of Andriau

"Bridge - Poppy Day", KG+CP, 11926, 3 (19 Mar 1927)
Eva Assisted. Miss N. Penn organised the collectors and the distribution of the poppies.
Risk-Moore at 7 St George's Place

"Interim By-election - Eve of Poll Meetings", KG+CP, 11927, 7 (26 Nov 1927)
Eva spoke at the Canterbury Meeting in Messrs. Barrett's Auction Mart.
large attendance.

"Bridge - Women's Institute", KG+CP, 11935, 5 (21 Jan 1928)

Annual Social Gathering Weds 11/1/28 Plantation soup evening by Mrs N. Penn and party.

"Bridge - Children's Treat", KG+CP, 11936, 9 (28 January 1928)

Bridge, Pet + Bush children's winter treat 20/1/28 under the auspices of the British Legion. Mito visited the children, the tea & subscribed to the event.

"Young Conservatives", KG+CP, 11937, 8 (4 Feb 1928)

Social on 3/11/27 was specially arranged to accommodate McNeill but he was detained in London on Cabinet business so Eva took his place and briefly addressed the members. ^{Reports to} Annual Meeting of Sturry Young Conservatives at Bush Hall on 31/1/28.

"Sir William Wayland - Address at Bridge", KG+CP, 11940, 2 (25 Feb 1928)

Address - public meeting in the Reading Room, organised by Bridge Cons Assn. GK Anderson presided, Eva + AS Lee (Agent) also on platform. 21/2/1928

Then he went to dinner at The Plough at Harrow - the Annual Dinner of the Bridge Fire Brigade - he was principal speaker. see same issue

"Women Conservatives' Conference at Folkestone", KG+CP, 11941, 4 (3 Mar 1928)

Eva represents Caterham less Cliff Hall.

"National Citizens' Union - More Local Problems Discussed", KG+CP, 11946, 2 (7 Apr 1928)

Eva + Mito sent their regrets for non-attendance

"Bridge - Proposed Recreation Ground", KG+CP, 11947, 5 (14 Apr 1928)

General Meeting held at Boys' Club on 4/4/28. Considered finding ways means of obtaining a rec for the village. It was resolved to approach the agent for the Brysons Estate to ask if it was possible to obtain about six acres - the SE corner of Brysons Park. Should this application be favourably considered ~~it was possible to obtain about six acres in the S~~ in the village to get their feeling on the matter and the desirability of a rec decided to call a general meeting of the different social bodies

"Bridge - Women's Institute", KG+CP, 11948, 10 (21 Apr 1928)

Garden at Brysons ~~was~~ ^{were} open to members of the Institute on April 13 & 14 (Fri, Sat)

A large number of members took advantage of this kind invitation, who had the pleasure of seeing the beautiful garden which now have "lovely rows of daffodils"

"Annual Meeting - Canterbury Division Women's Conservative Club", KG+CP, 11950, 10 (1928)
Eva acted Hon. Treasurer.

"Bridge - Nursing Association", KG+CP, 11952, 10 (1928)

The Bridge, Pat, Bek at Bish District Nursing Assⁿ held its 24th Annual Meeting at the Hut, Bakersburne, on 14/3/28. Eva (Hon Treasurer) was asked to be present

"Bridge - Empire Day Celebration", KG+CP, 11954, 8 (1928)

Milo spoke to the school children on the children of the Empire and the builders of it. Eva presented the prizes. A large no of parents were present as well as Mrs F. Penn, Miss Hickling etc.

Matthew Bell's daughter was Fanny Alice Bell, named Col. Charles Stewart Hardy of Chelsea. Died 14/6/28 aged 32. Rented at Chelsea Castle 1867-1914 when Hardy died. Moved to Brompton Court, London.

"Canterbury Hospital Fete. Large Crowds enjoy 'the Fun of the Fair' in glorious weather - A splendid feast of entertainment. Wednesday's opening by the Hon Mrs M.G. Talbot", KG+CP, 11958, 2 (30 June 1928). £1578

Wed 27/6/28 = Hockey Field, New Dover Rd. Eva opened it vice Viscountess Broomer + 13/4/28. Maydeken, Devon. Only son of the 2nd Earl Kitchener and nephew of the famous Field Marshal. Eva gave statistics on admissions and out-patient, number of beds, purchase of Winchester Home - a Nurses' home. Hoped for a better attendance the next day (28/6/28. weather had been bad - 26th).

"Canterbury Cricket Week - Cricket Week Brenties", KG+CP, 11964, 2 (11 Aug 1928)

Milo noted the I Zingari tent.

"Canterbury Cricket Week - The County Balls", KG+CP, 11964, 3 (11 Aug 1928)

Milo + Eva at Monday ball (130 attended) 6/8/28

"Kew at Canterbury Hospital Annual Charity Balls. (In aid of the funds for the hospital)", KG+CP, 11963, 2 (4 Aug 1928). Eva on committee, Milo + Eva are patrons.

"Bridge - Women's Institute", KGRCP, 12012, 11 (13 Aug 1929)

Monthly gathering - before goods 9/7/1929 permission of Eva. Eva presents. She gave prizes for the games and various competitions. The certificate of the handicraft exhibition + provided the tea.

"Canterbury Cricket Week - The County Balls", KGRCP, 12015, 8 (3 Aug 1929)

2 instead of 3 this year hoped to accommodate more people in or County Hall.

Mrs Ramsey - deap - Eva in committee. Miss Eva patron

"Canterbury Cricket Week - The Hospital Balls", KGRCP, 12016, 2 (10 Aug 1929)

Over 200 attended the first in County 5/8/29. New venue has more facilities + convenience for such a function than the County Hall, esp. so - view of the recent improvement and alterations. Both buildings are under the management of the General Mr. [Frank] [?].

Eva in committee. Miss Eva bought ticket. On Wednesday, Miss Eva was present.

"Canterbury Cricket Week - The I.Z. Tent", KGRCP, 12016, 3 (bond in (insurance) after p. 5-6) (10 Aug 1929).

Miss present at the I.Z. Tent.

County Hall 1, 2, 3 St George's St above Farm's (Canterbury) 1st dropers then 3a.

Radium medals = 70 yrs ago. 14/8/1929. The

28/9/29 p. 7 Viscount Hawarden - just celebrated his 52nd birthday. 1st peer. Succeeded his cousin - 1914. 1920 married Marion Wray, daughter of Albert L. Wray of Butterfly Hall, Derby

"Women Conservatives - Canterbury's Gowning Association", KGRCP, 12027, 2 (26 Oct 1929)

Now 1000 members AGM at County Hall 17/10/29. Eva unable to be present.

Eva re-elected. As officer she is a delegate to the Women's Central Advisory Committee

"Bridge Cons. Assn" - Mr. G.K. Anderson elected for chairmanship, KGRCP, 12029, 3 (9 Nov 1929)

Anderson retired, replaced by Major Gordon here. Miss elected vice-chairman together with Sir John Prestige (if he agreed)

"Canterbury Division Conservative Association - A Grading Report: Appeal for New Subscribers - Tributes to Mr A.J. Lee", KGRCP, 12030, 4 (16 Nov 1929)

Eva seconded the adoption of the account. Mentions a special committee of women raised about £30 last year. Eva elected a vice-chairman, a delegate to executive. Her daughter, a rep to Central Council. Michael Una of Cons + Unanim Assns. Honor for Mrs Talbot - Miss's Vice-President of the Kent Provincial Division in place of lady Violet Assn.

"Bridge-Women's Institute", KGRCP, 11960, 5 (14 July 1928)

Monthly meetings held at Bridge Place through the kindness of Mrs Frank Penn. Heartly vote of thanks to Mrs Penn and Miss N Penn for their kindness & hospitality.

"The most important conference held for many years by the Conservative Party ...", KGRCP, 11970, 6 (22 Sep 1928)

Gt. Yarmouth 24-28/9/28. Eva going.

Mayor Gordon Hunt

"Efficient Hospital Nurses - Excellent Examination Results", KGRCP, 11973, 9 (13 Oct 1928)

Prizes presented by Eva Nurses, ^{hospital} Exams in May 1928. Eva added her congratulations to Matron & Staff - especially to Sister Tutor & Doctor. She was given a charming bouquet of carnations. Interest of Miss Eva appreciated.

"Canterbury Conservative Association - Election of Officers", KGRCP, 11978, 2 (17 Nov 1928)

Eva re-elected vice-chairman. also rep to serve on the Council of the Cons. Assn; also rep on the executive of the KGRCP division also rep to the central Council of the National Union of Conservative & Unionist Association

"Bridge - Poppy Day Results", KGRCP, 11978, 11 (17 Nov 1928)

Miss N Penn was a collector and Miss Penn assisted her. Eva was one of collectors (of £5 8s 3d) for Extrabourne

"Bridge - Cricket Club", KGRCP, 11980, 10 (1 Dec 1928)

Miss elected President.

15/12/28 Mrs Frank Penn and Miss Grace Penn received - final Christmas wreaths for Mrs Frank Penn, Miss Mary Penn; "Grace & Nell" - Eva & Miss

"Bridge-Women's Institute", KGRCP, 11953, 3 (22 Dec 1928)

Eva elected vice-President.

"Christmas Eve - At Bridge Institute", KGRCP, 11984, 4 (29 Dec 1928)

Eva had paid a visit on 21/12/28 - given a gift to each inmate. She was also in the list of people giving gifts & donations.

"Women Conservatives", KGTCF, 11987, 7 (19 Jan 1929)
Quarterly meets The Women's Central Ctee or Thanks Lee Eva presidet.
Eva gave a moving ^{free} speech. Eva said how much they all appreciate Mrs AAFynn's devoted service as Secretary since she was now resigning.
Higham remained Higham Court 26/1/29 p.4

"Bridge - British Legion", KGTCF, 11996, 9 (23 Mar 1929)
Mito elected presidet at AGM - where horse on 15/3/29.

AJ Lee = Arthur J. Lee

"The National Citizens' Union", KGTCF, 12002, 10 (4 May 1929)
Mety, held at the ^{the} Early Hill on 29/4/29. Eva on the platform.
Eva cordially thanked the chairman (H.F.P. Tulloh) for his 4th Presidency.
President of Canterbury branch was Admiral Kingsford who was aided by Eva whose influence was a real help.

"Bridge - New Hospital Building Scheme", KGTCF, 12003, 5 (11 May 1929)
Eva presided. Public meeting at Reading hour on 6/5/29 to raise funds for new K+Ch Hospital.
Mito had given a cheque for £100. Eva was asked to read them. Mrs F. Penn on the Ctee formed. Eva thanked the speakers for so clearly explaining the scheme.
She was thanked for presiding by Mrs H. Kniper.

Edith, Lady Walthamstow widening influence.
Celebrations", KGTCF, 12006, 9 (1 June 1929)

"Bridge - Empire Day", KGTCF, 12010, 7 (29 June 1929)
Eva awarded prizes. Mito - the adjudicator read out prizes were given by Eva & Mito. Mrs F. Penn present.

"Bridge - Diamond Wedding", KGTCF, 12010, 7 (29 June 1929)
Mr & Mrs H. Wye - married at Shepton Mallett by Rev. Canon Batt on 13/6/1869.
Heads of boys & girls schools at Bridge resp, for 1871 to 1890 when they retired. He was organist at St Paul church for 40 years, was Asst Overseer and Rate Collector for 3 parishes, Collector of Taxes for 12 parishes, collector of tithes etc. Connected for over 45 yrs with Margress Campsea Estate Office, which he still attended, and was for 25 yrs her bus reader, churchwarden and school manager at Bridge.
Miss F. Wye (his sister) was headmistress of Bridge infant school for 1871 to 1914.

"Bridge - British Legion's Treat for Children", KGTCF, 12012, 4 (13 July 1929)
250 kids taken to Margit - 8 coaches. Fund raised for Mito, Mrs F. Penn etc.

~~Lord Charles Gwyngam, 1911, 1929~~

'Lord Charles Gwyngam - Death of Marquis Gwyngam's Uncle', KGTCP, 12000, 6 (20 April 1929)

Funeral at Eton Square am. 19/3/29. Was 58, died suddenly on 8/3/29 in Yugoslavia while on tour with his wife. Brought up at Bifins. Older inhabitants have vivid memories of

the celebrations for the coronation of King George V & Queen Mary (later the Marquis = HFC), who was Charles' eldest brother. He was up a boy when the family moved. Went to Eton and

Sandhurst, formerly held a commission in the Rifle Brigade. 2x married; first wife 1901 + 1902. Had resided at Newquay. Incidental note that Archbishop Horder

had lived at Bifins for a time.

"Baker - fighting dog" register, 12030 11 (16 Nov 1919)
for red cards he has the grandmaster keys - - - day after

see above.
Baker & woman's (Cynthia) register p. 11, 23/11/1919. Lot - 0215

Baker - back through register, 12047 (14 Dec 1919)
and 5/12/19 aged 35. Baker's on the team

Baker Baker ST Camp 51222
Queen's Lane 17222
Baker's name 17222
34' x 17' with 50 paper

~~Campy - Baker - 0215 Baker's~~

The Times 45691, 27 (9 December 1930)

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THURSDAY, DEC. 11th.

On View.—**OLD and MODERN PICTURES and DRAWINGS**, the property of COL. the **HONBLE. M. G. TALBOT**, Biron, Canterbury, and from other sources, comprising examples by or attributed to :—

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Also a **VALUABLE and EXTENSIVE COLLECTION** of Engravings in mezzotint and stipple, coloured sporting prints, topographical and other prints, the properties of a **LADY of TITLE**, of **WILLIAM MORGAN**, Esq., Greenscombe, Somerset. By direction of the Legatee of the late Mrs. **ASHLEY DODD**, and removed from **SWINFORD OLD MANOR**, Ashford, Kent, and from other sources.

FRIDAY, DEC. 12th.

A **COLLECTION of OLD PORCELAIN**, including specimens of the Worcester, Chelsea, Spode, early Staffordshire, Coalbrookdale, Sevres, Dresden, Anspach, Höchst, old Chinese, Japanese, and other factories, carvings in hardstones, ivories, lacquer work, enamels, glass scent bottles by the late George Woodall, and miscellaneous objets d'art. By direction of the Legatee of the late Mrs. **ASHLEY DODD**, and removed from Swinford Old Manor, Ashford, Kent. Also the property of a **LADY of TITLE**. On view three days prior.

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OLD ENGLISH and FRENCH FURNITURE of the 17th and 18th Centuries, **PERSIAN CARPETS and RUGS**, English, Continental and Chinese porcelain, early soapstone carvings, &c. The property of a **LADY of TITLE**, and from other sources. On view two days prior.

THURSDAY, DEC. 18th.

OLD and MODERN PICTURES and DRAWINGS, from various sources, comprising examples by or attributed to :—

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C. Henderson	J. MacWhirter	W. L. Wyllie
J. F. Herring	T. R. Miles	T. Wyck

Also **ENGRAVINGS and PRINTS**. On view three days prior.

Christmastide at Canterbury - Bridge Poor Law Institution, K.C. + C.P. 12089, 2 (3 Jan 1931)
Eva visited it a Christmas Eve.

"Death of Colonel Talbot - Distinguished Army Career", K.C. + C.P. 12124, 5 (5 Sep 1931)

Died at Bifons - Thurs 3.9.1931. Age 76. Had been - indifferent health for some time.
 Had seen much war service but was better known for his extensive surveys on the NW
 frontier of India and - the Anglo-Egyptian Sudan. He mapped many thousands of
 square miles of previously unexplored country.

Mrs Talbot and he came to live at Bifons soon after the war, and during
 their residence have taken a great interest in the social life of the district. He was
 a generous benefactor to many organisations and on occasions the Bridge Flower Show
 has been held in his grounds. He was prominently ~~connected~~ ^{identified} with the Conservative
 cause and with the local association at Bridge. He was also associated since
 early days with the Canterbury Branch of the National Citizens' Union. The
 Colonel was a member of the Ad Canterbury and District Education Board.

Used biography as found elsewhere. Awarded the C.B. = 1916.

No flowers to be sent to Malahide.

"A tribute to the memory of the late Colonel the Hon R. G. Talbot..." K.C. + C.P.
 12125, 4 (12 Sep 1931)

was paid - The Times on Monday [7 Sep] by Major-General Sir George
 Aston (one of his fellow-officers at the Staff College. "One of the most selfless of
 men, he had no personal ambition. Captain of the cricket eleven, with the highest
 batting average, a whip of the drag hounds, and winner of the lightweight pound-to-pound
 over-difficult coming." Left Army to be free to assist Lord Roberts - his
 endeavours to awake the nation to the approaching peril.

Kelly's Kent - Canterbury section
 Education Committee formed - 1945

Canterbury + District Education Board mentioned 26/11/1921 p. 7. No Talbot

~~"Bekesbourne: Postcard to Mrs Talbot" K.C. + C.P. 11~~
 Women's Institute Fete at Bridge - K.C. + C.P. 11643, 5 (24 June 1922)

Among special visitors were Mabel + Eva. Held in a meadow - Unmarked but by Group Stone
 on 21/6/22.

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Colonel Milo Talbot Pioneer Survey Work

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Obituary

COLONEL MILO TALBOT

PIONEER SURVEY WORK

Colonel the Hon. Milo George Talbot, C.B., who died yesterday at **Biltons**, Canterbury, in his seventy-seventh year, had seen much war service, but was better known for his extensive surveys on the North-West Frontier of India and in the Anglo-Egyptian Sudan. He mapped many thousands of square miles of previously unexplored country.

Milo George Talbot was the fourth son of the fourth Lord Talbot de Malahide, and since the death in May, 1930, of his brother, the Hon. Reginald Talbot, had been heir presumptive to his nephew, the present peer. Educated at Wellington College, he joined the Royal Engineers in 1873. He served in the Jowaki Afridi Expedition in 1877-78, and in the Afghan War of 1879-80, being mentioned in dispatches and awarded four clasps to the medal and the bronze decoration. His next service was with the Mahsud Waziri Expedition of 1881. In the Nile Expedition in 1897-98 he was D.A.A.G. at headquarters, and received the British and Egyptian medals with three clasps. From 1900 to 1905, when he retired, he was director of Sudan Surveys. For the Great War he returned to duty and served as G.S.O.I., being mentioned in dispatches and made C.B. in 1916.

In 1909 the two Royal medals of the Royal Geographical Society were awarded to Dr. (now Sir) Aurel Stein and Colonel Talbot. As a member of the Afghan Boundary Commission in 1884-86 Colonel Talbot carried out extensive surveys. He carried triangulations single-handed from Mashad to the Hindu Kush, and became the authority on all that lies between Herat and Kabul. When on Sir Robert Sandeman's staff he also carried, with Colonel Wahab, the first series that was ever attempted through Baluchistan, and the first series in Southern Egypt up the Nile. Under his direction extensive surveys were made in the Sudan, and much of our accurate knowledge of that vast region was due to him.

Colonel Talbot married, in 1911, Eva, daughter of the late Colonel John Joicey, M.P., of Newton Hall, Northumberland, and leaves a son, Milo John Reginald, born in 1912, who now becomes heir presumptive, and a daughter.