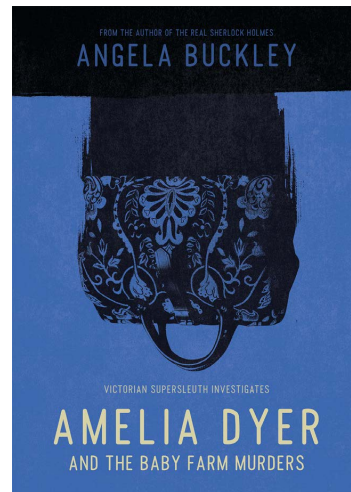
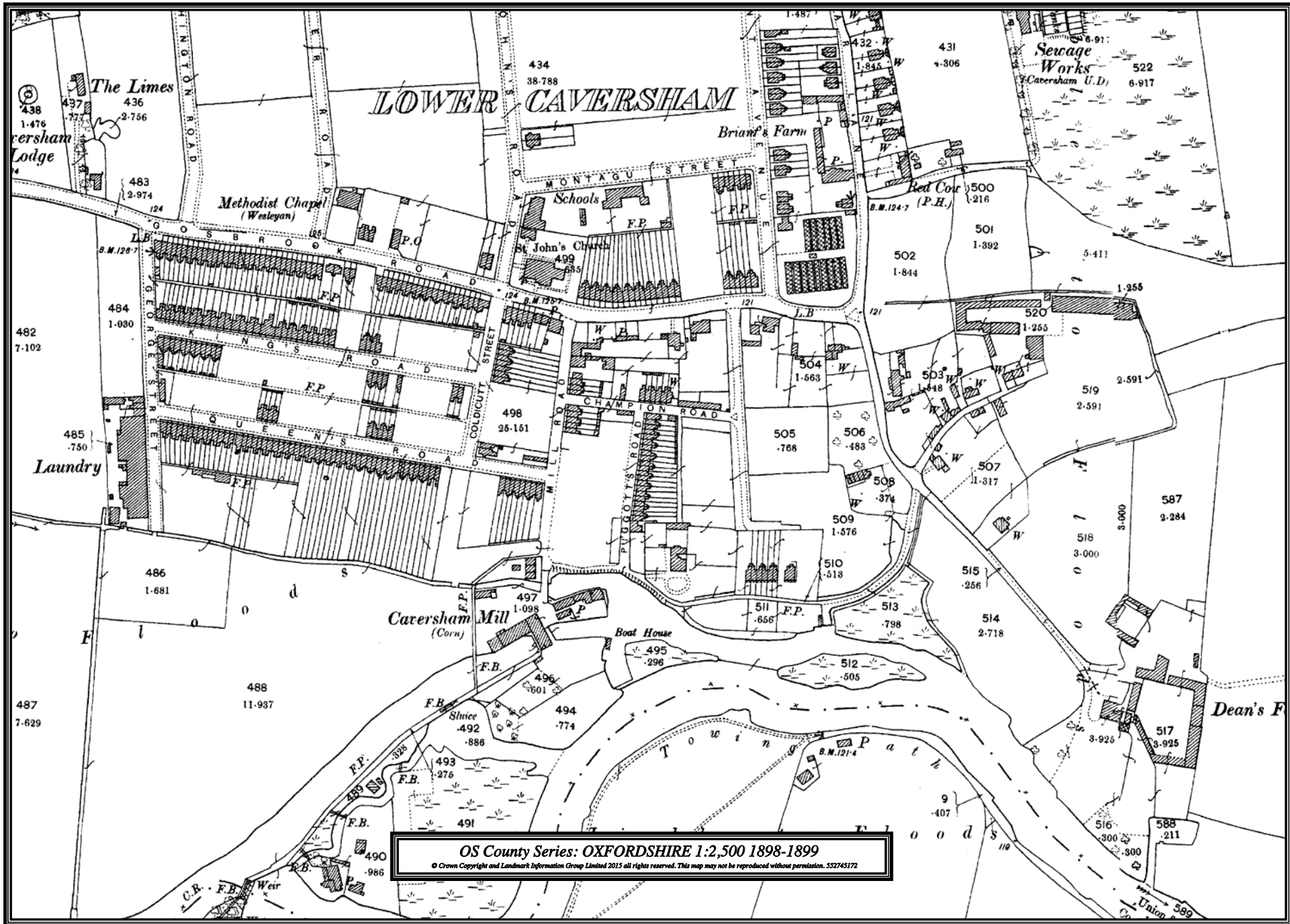


AMELIA DYER

AND THE BABY FARM MURDERS

Angela Buckley





Victorian Caversham



Caversham — From the Bridge. M.P.C.

'A Child Strangled and Drowned'



Clappers Bridge

Reading Borough Police



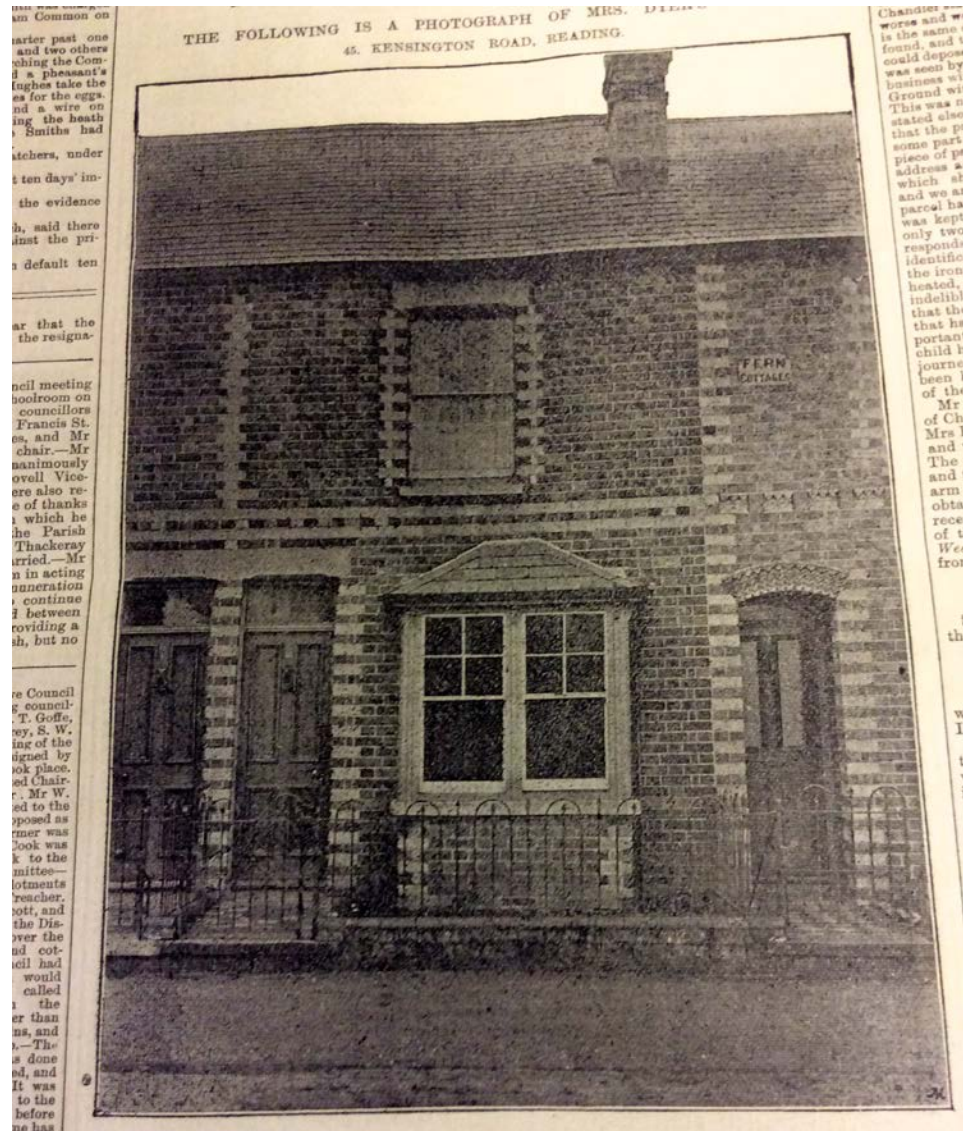




‘There can be little doubt that the police have unearthed a case which will prove the most remarkable in the annals of crime for many years past.’

Berkshire Chronicle, 18 April 1896

'Shocking Discoveries'

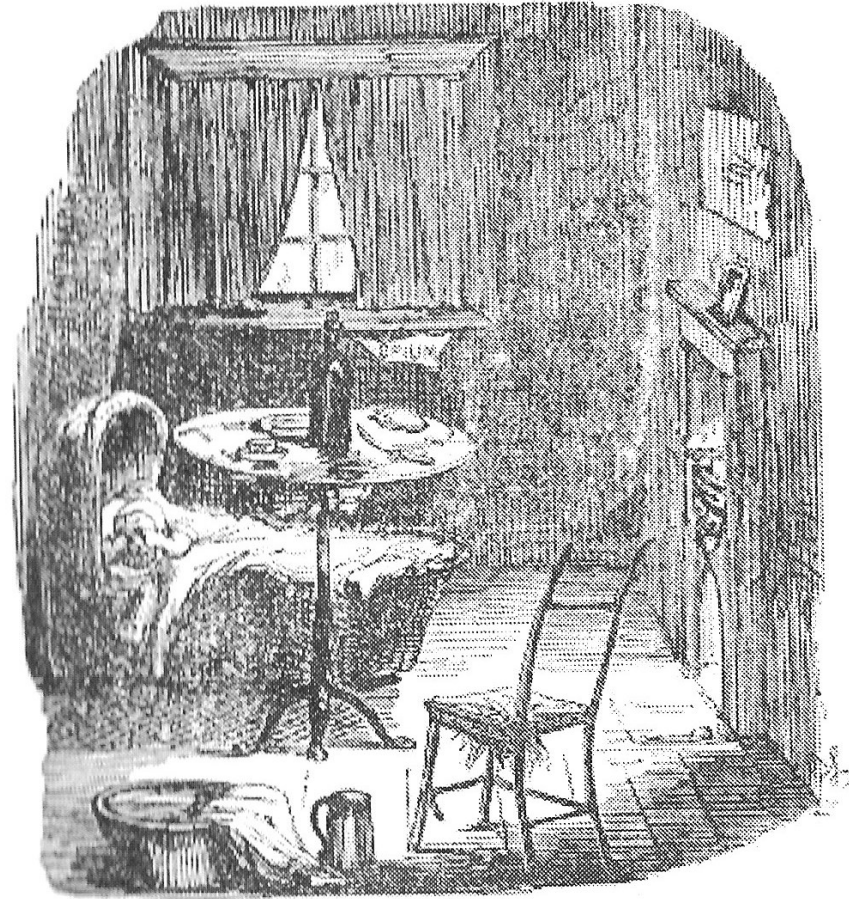


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‘I do not know anything
about it;
it’s all a mystery to me.’

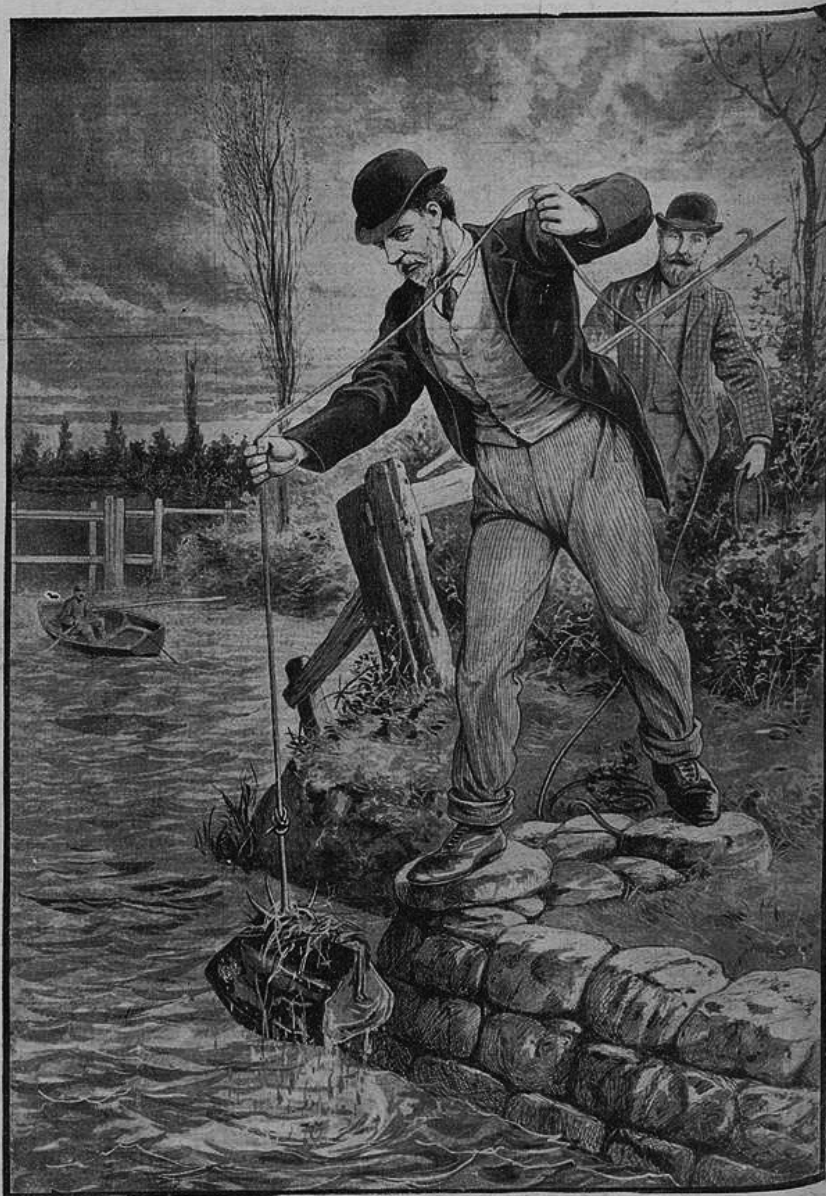
Baby Farming



‘women of dissolute habits and without shame’

Arthur Ernest Palmer





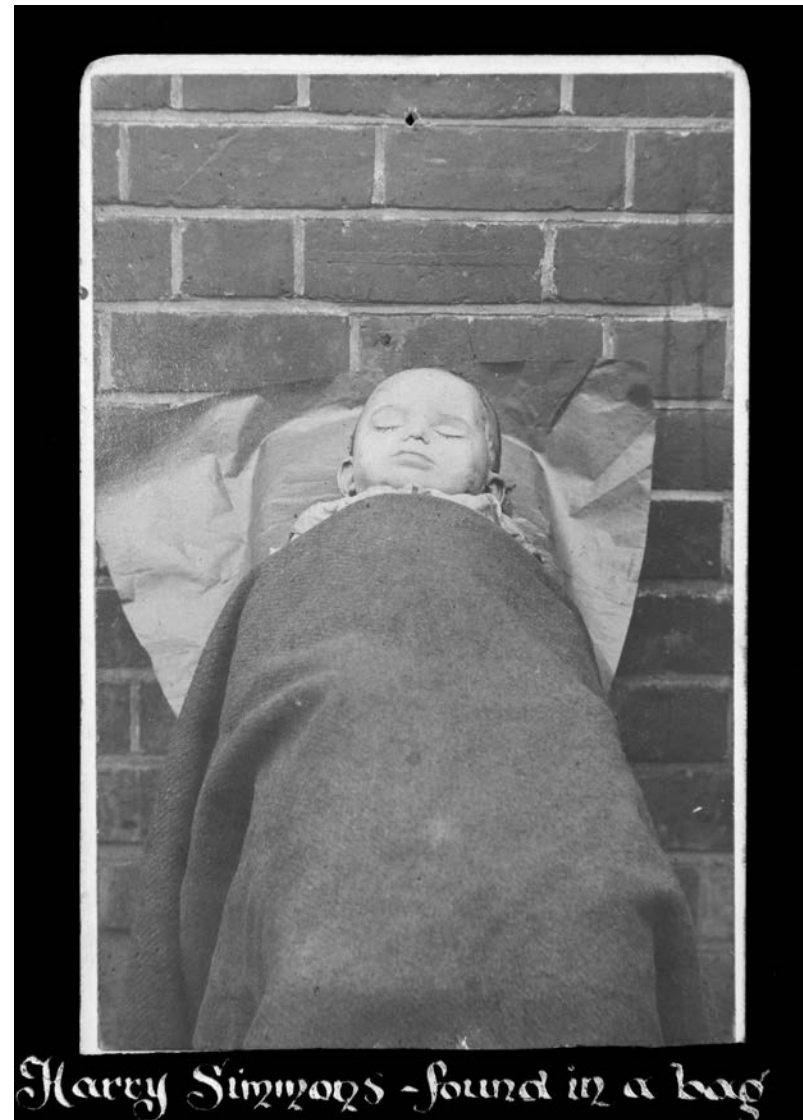
READING DETECTIVES HAVE A GRUESOME JOB.
NOW THE POLICE DRAGGED THE RIVER AND DISCOVERED THE BODIES OF THE MURDERED BABIES.

‘The more the case is unravelled, the more revolting do the details appear.’

Berkshire Chronicle, 18 April 1896



Doris Marmor - found in carpet bag



Harry Simmons - found in a bag

Evelina Edith Marmon



‘That’s the dreadful woman to whom I handed my Doris.’

Amelia Hannah Sargeant



‘That’s the vile creature
who had the “little
fellow”



OLD MARKET ST. BRISTOL.

'An Infant's Hell'

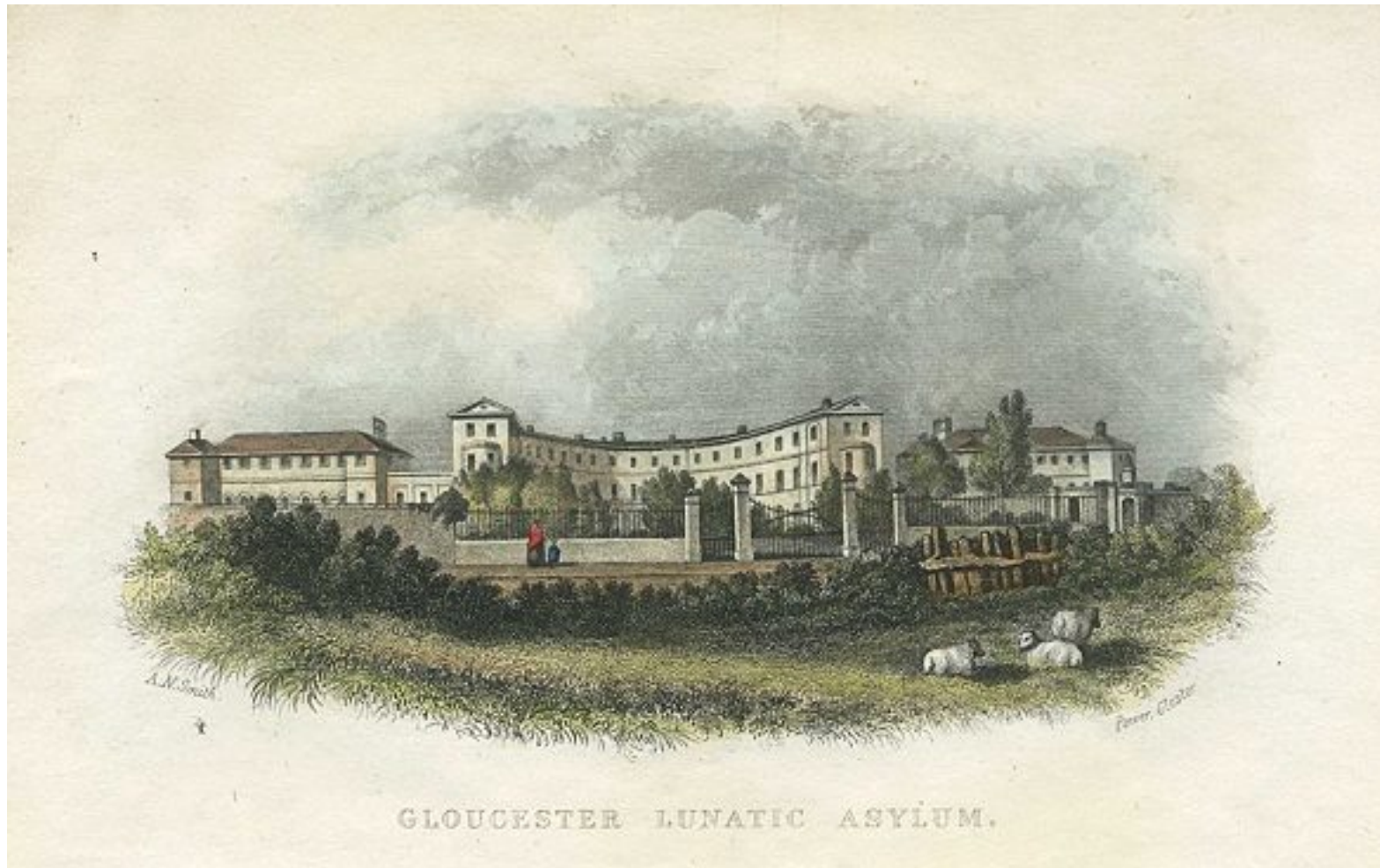
COUUPLE with no Child want Care of or would Adopt one; terms £10.—Harding, c/o Ship's Letter Exchange, Stoke's-croft, Bristol. 625m18

MARRIED couple having no child would Adopt one; good home; small premium.—Mrs. Thornley, care of Ship's Letter Exchange, Stokescroft, Bristol. 12826

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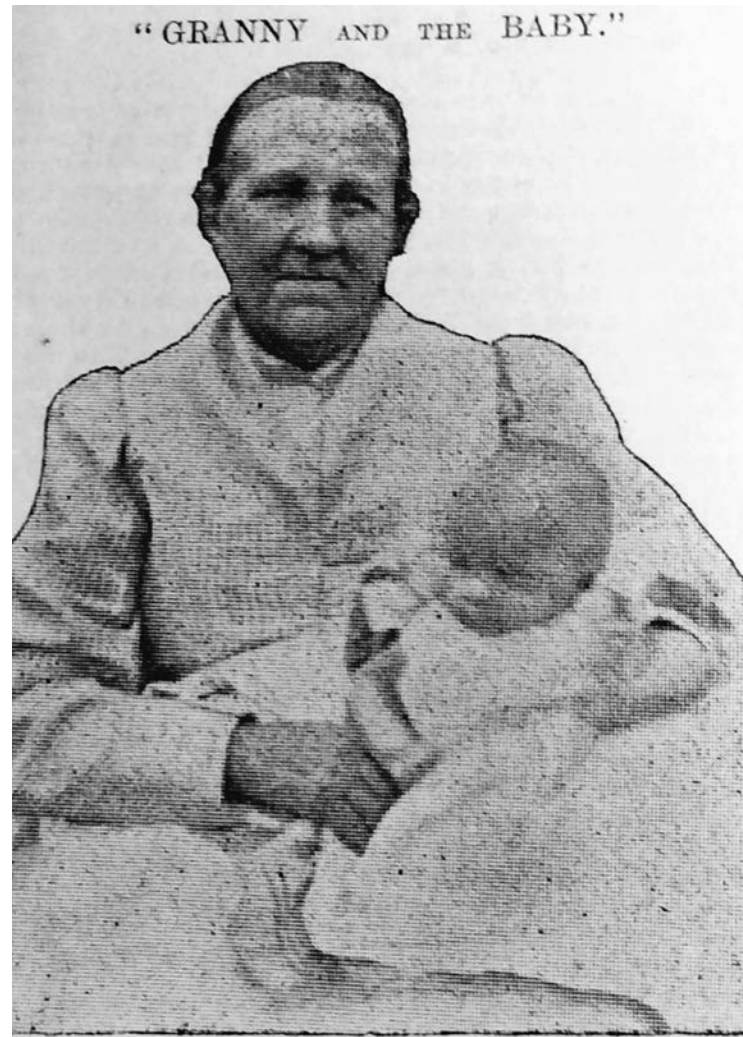
HIGHLY - Respectable Married Couple wish to ADOPT CHILD; good country home; premium required, very small.—Home, Times and Mirror Office. 9421m27

ACCOUCHEMENT.—APARTMENTS to LET, in home of certificated monthly purse; healthy country home. Highest references. Strictly private. Terms moderate.—Nurse, care of Adams, 19, Ashley Down road, Horfield, Bristol. 3195



‘Her trade in children seems to have been pretty extensive...when the woman could give no satisfactory account of their whereabouts she would sham madness.’

Jane Smith



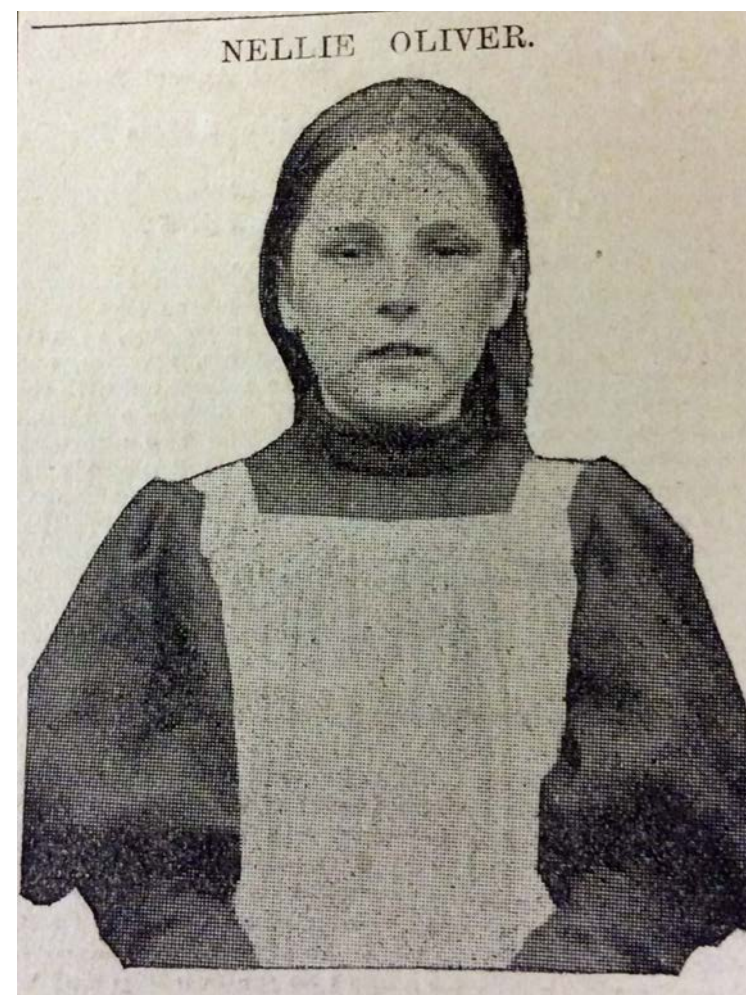
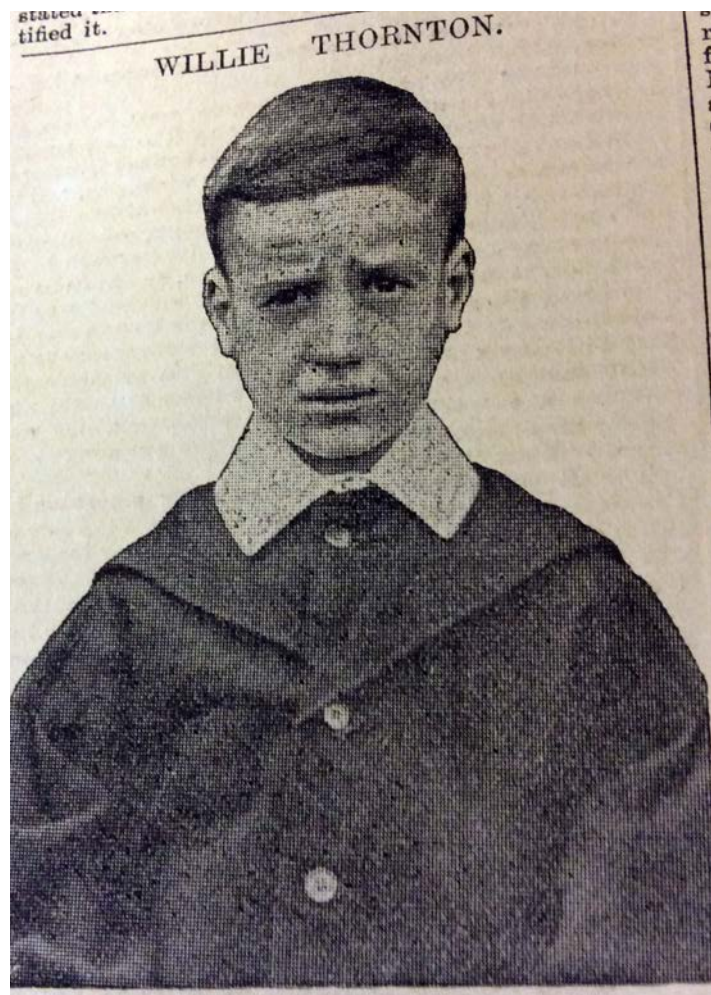
‘There is that blessed baby; I feel quite lonely without it’

Caversham Bridge, Reading



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'A Strange Household'

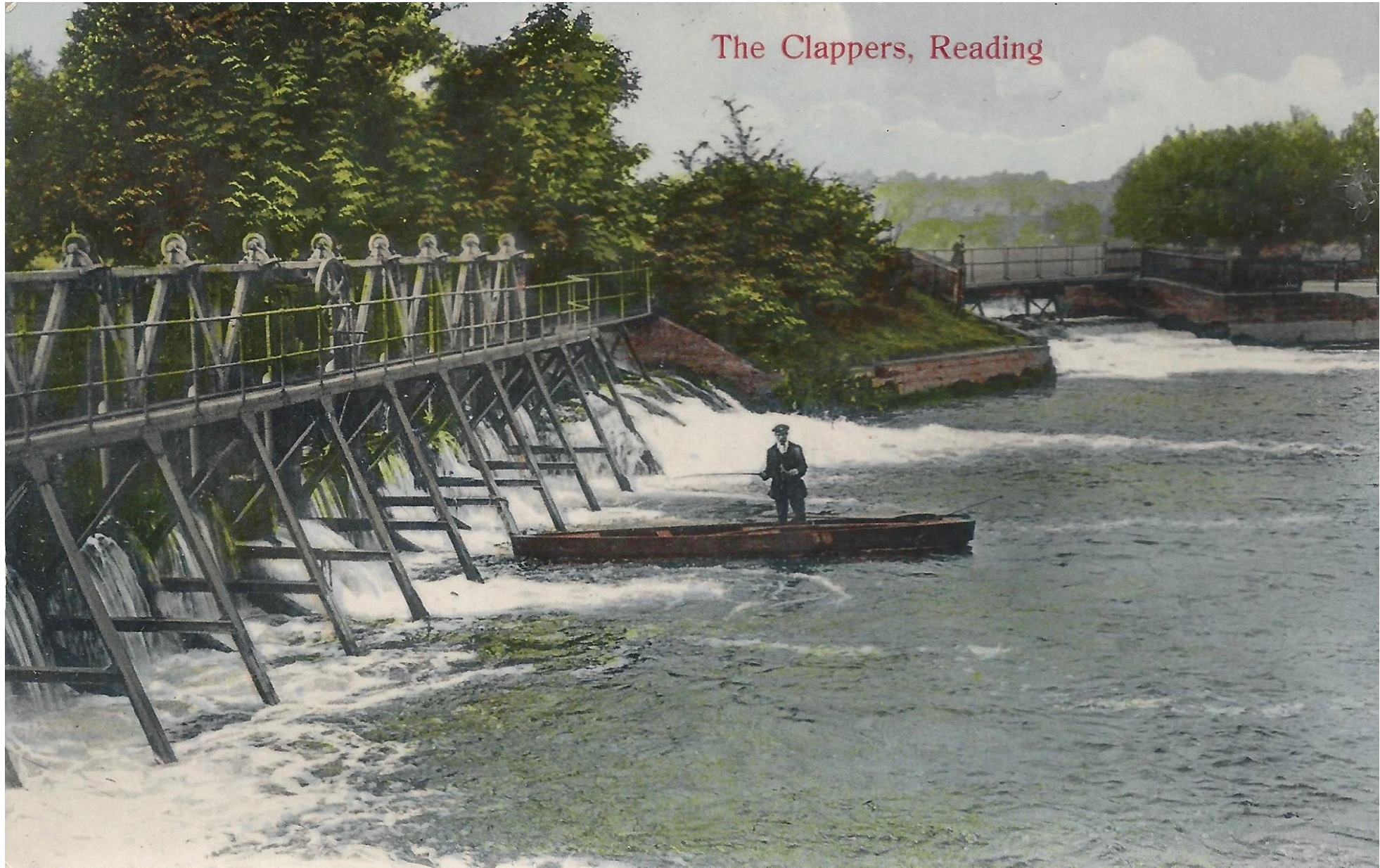


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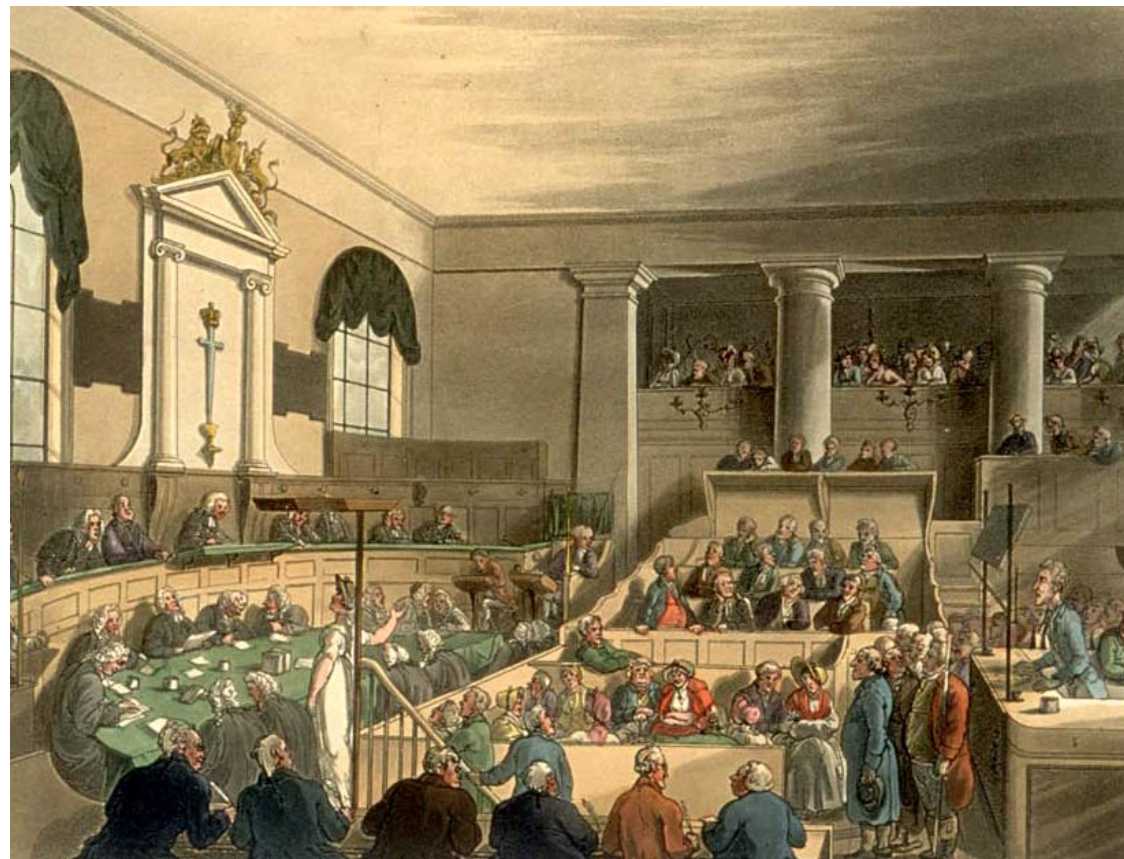


'A tall, young woman of prepossessing appearance'

The Clappers, Reading



Trial of Mrs Dyer



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