



Newspaper snippets

Bishopstone 1884

Newman's marionette exhibition visited this village on Saturday last, and brought together a large concourse of spectators, so much so that the first entertainment was crowded to excess, the second being well filled.

Another step has been taken to beautify this picturesque little village. The site of the old cottages at the top of the High Street has been purchased by a Mr. Brown, of London, who has commenced the destruction of the three old cottages and the erection of a new house which is in rapid progress. The building of the same is entrusted to Messrs. Knapp, of Shrivenham.

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