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- number of faces in the paper (WTPS)	29 Mar 03
- spelling mistake of Public Notice (Pubic Notice) with pix	19 Apr 03
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- busy letters pages (WTPS)	10 Jan 04
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- letter re housing and should letters be anonymous? (WTPS)	29 May 04
- no obituaries published (WTPS)	19 Jun 04
- not always first with the news (WTPS)	3 Jul 04
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- quote re man's real character (TFTW)	31 May 08
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- appeal for more subscribers	15 Oct 05
- mailing list revised and improved	7 Jan 06
- now contains 600 names/progress report	23 Dec 06
Maize crop grown at Dyke in 1829	9 Aug 14
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- should have a memorial plaque	20 Jan 07
- councillors agree on memorial plaque (WTPS)	10 Feb 07
- councillors finally agree memorial plaque for £400	7 Jul 07
- Her Privates We republished	8 Sep 07
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- his novel continues to inspire writers/brief biography	18 Feb 12
Manning, Robert – new translation published	2 Feb 08
Manor Lane – move to install double yellow lines	17 Jan 04
Maple Gardens – the site where the estate it was built	11 Sep 04
Mapperson, Charles – added to Bourne Focus	28 Apr 01
- N Mapperson praises web site (Message from Abroad)	7 Dec 02
- N Mapperson tells of fen blow in Mallee, Australia	27 Mar 04
Marijuana available in Bourne (TFTW)	21 Jul 01
Market Deeping – Teresa Mulligan appeal for info about father	9 Sep 00
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<u>Market and market place</u> – commemorative plaque	2 Jan 99
- water bore found and sealed in 1990	6 Oct 01
- 1900 photo by Redshaw used with Ostler memorial item	25 May 02
- legal document from John Pool/Marquess of Exeter	24 May 03
- weekly market may be dying out	31 Jul 04
- its size in past times, large or small?	7 Aug 04
- viability survey by SKDC (WTPS)	21 Aug 04
- SKDC to boost market with seating and banners (WTPS)	27 Nov 04
- town council considers moving it to West Street	6 May 06
- councillors test public reaction to market move (WTPS)	13 May 06
- memories of many stalls mistaken	20 May 06
- more memories of smaller market from David Tabor	27 May 06
- a trial may be held to test public reaction (WTPS)	10 Jun 06
- move to West Street not viable/previous attempt to move	1 Jul 06
- drawing from 1977 by Geoff Atkins shows 16 stalls	19 Aug 06
- moving stalls back to the streets finally shelved	30 Sep 06
- successful market this week with 26 stalls	14 Oct 06
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- poor attendance in 1814 (quote by Marrat)	24 Nov 07
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- threat of closure through lack of support	11 Apr 09
- town council discusses return to the streets again	30 May 09
- poor attendance of traders and customers – will it survive?	6 Feb 10
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- why the market should be kept off the streets/history	5 Sep 15
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Marquess of Granby pub closed and for sale/pubs history	6 Aug 11
- sold for conversion to a beauty salon	26 Nov 11
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- writing the history of Bourne/biographical details	10 May 08
- historical account may be unreliable	1 Dec 12
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- new mayor appointed, Mrs Pet Moisey	8 May 04
- secret meeting to select new mayor criticised	4 Feb 06
- statement re secret meeting from Mayor (WTPS)	11 Feb 06
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- short history of mayoralty/43rd mayor installed	24 May 14
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- car production started in secret in 1934 17 Aug 02
- chooses *Desert Island Discs* 14 Dec 02
- memories of him walking around Bourne (Message) 21 Dec 02
- BRM roll of workers added to web site 25 Oct 03
- car v plane on Skegness sands in 1923 23 Dec 06
- memorial plaque vandalised 13 Jan 07
- memorial plaque repainted 17 Mar 07
- connection with Malcolm Campbell 28 Jan 08
- ERA car sold at auction for £359,000 19 Jul 08
- alleged relative seeks Mays' belongings (WTPS) 1 Nov 08
- testing cars down Toft hill 29 Nov 08
- was once a special constable/speeding fines 4 Jun 09
- 10<sup>th</sup> anniversary of R M Memorial Room opening 19 Sep 09
- dodging currency regulations in Germany 21 Nov 09
- new book about Sir John Black and the BRM/R Mays 10 Sep 11
- choice of *Desert Island Discs* 28 Jan 12
- eulogy by ex-bishop about RM at funeral service (TFTW) 13 Jul 13
- book *At Speed* discovered – pulped at publication 3 May 14

Mays, Raymond – memorial

- plaque to be erected in his memory 10 Nov 01
- memorial controversy 4 May 02
- memorial controversy goes to the vote 11 May 02
- memorial vote result and continuing controversy 18 May 02
- memorial article by Guy Cudmore 25 May 02
- article by Michael McGregor added to web site 8 Mar 03
- opening imminent 25 Oct 03
- memorial unveiled 22 Nov 03
- motor racing memorial needs cleaning/short history 1 Sep 12

Mays, Raymond garage closes down (WTPS) 15 Oct 05

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- Mays, Thomas William – added to Bourne Focus 10 Feb 01
- quote about him dicing with death all his life 1 Sep 01
- memories of the company's glue factory 13 May 06
- McCullough, Kathy – web site praise from New Jersey, USA 29 May 04
- McDonald, Sir Trevor – quote re monkey reading news (TFTW) 25 Sep 04
- McDonald's for Bourne – Oh no! (TFTW) 11 Dec 04
- McDonald's outlet for South Road site 28 Sep 13
- planning permission approved 25 Jan 14
- South Road restaurant opens/opposition/history 16 Aug 14

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- town council turns down one way traffic idea	10 Dec 05
- town council bid for one way system	24 Mar 12
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Meat eating should be appraised after foot and mouth outbreak	17 Mar 01
- meat for sale has been sanitised in the shops	8 Dec 07 & 1 Mar 14
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- medical centre may open early	News item
- medical centre on target	News item
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- two ladies need medical help at clinic on a Saturday	4 Sep 04
- re-think likely on telephone help out of hours (WTPS)	25 Sep 04
- online help for patients on the way (WTPS)	9 Oct 04
- decision reversed on out of hours cover (WTPS)	23 Oct 04
- Saturday emergency clinics axed	20 Nov 04
- five-day delay for prescriptions	21 May 05
- official line may not always be reliable (re appointments)	23 Aug 08
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- new centre/retirement homes to open in South Road (WTPS)	5 Aug 06
- flats being built but not the medical centre (WTPS)	19 Apr 08
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- quote re all government being evil (TFTW)	17 Nov 07
- quote re government is just a gang of men (TFTW)	26 Jul 08
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- snow in Israel by Ester Ronen	1 Mar 03
Metal thefts in Bourne influenced by world shortage	27 Oct 07
- metal thefts continue/scrapyards cash deals blamed	1 Oct 11
Meter man explains distances walked	24 Sep 05
Methodist Church springs a leak/short history of restoration	1 Nov 06
- major alterations planned at a cost of £500,000	12 Dec 09
- 200 years of Methodism in Bourne	22 May 10
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Mexican motor racing fans visit Heritage Centre	16 Jul 11
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Midnight mass under threat by drunks	22 Dec 07
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- A151 milestone defaced in restoration	18 May 13
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- quote re leaders (TFTW)	3 Oct 09
Milligan, Spike – quote re policemen (TFTW)	20 Jan 07
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- quote re they also serve (TFTW)	21 May 11
- quote re Gunpowder Plot (TFTW)	1 Nov 14

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MMR vaccine – jail for US parents who do not comply (TFTW)	23 Feb 02
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- mobile dial up triggered by cash card machine	5 Nov 05
- ubiquitous mobiles/kid of seven on bike using one	10 Jun 06
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- appointed 33 <sup>rd</sup> Mayor of Bourne	8 May 04
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- councillors should read The Wind in the Willows	1 Nov 08
- traps laid in cemetery	28 Mar 09
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- corporate greed and pursuit of profit	17 Nov 07
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- mural painted in village hall	18 Mar 00
- village history by Brian Lawrance	17 Feb 01
- £20,000 farm fire started by kids	28 Sep 02
- King's Head gutted by mystery fire/short history (WTPS)	23 Jun 07

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- village web site is a model of design	5 May 12
- schoolchildren get jubilee mugs	2 Jun 12
- King's head to be demolished/short history	13 Jul 13
- Morton crime wave in 1819	24 Aug 13
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- multi-storey car park quote (TFTW)	19 Feb 05
- may be held up by water table (WTPS)	12 Nov 05
- public opinion is against it (WTPS)	15 Apr 06
- right to light may be infringed (WTPS)	22 Apr 06
- no parking spaces included/perhaps the wrong scheme	29 Apr 06
- planning chief wants multi-storey (WTPS)	20 May 06
- multi-storey scheme cancelled as developers sacked	12 Aug 06
Munro, H H (Saki) quote re old people remembering (TFTW)	13 May 06
- quote re aspirations and reminiscences (TFTW)	10 May 08
- quote re cat being domestic (TFTW)	29 Aug 09
Muntjac in councillor's garden in Bourne	30 Aug 03
Munton, George Octavius – Bourne doctor in the 19 <sup>th</sup> century	18 Oct 03
Murdoch, Iris – quote re planet without flowers (TFTW)	31 Dec 11
Mystery matron photo	23 Nov 13
Names – diminutives popular in politics	20 Oct 07 & 15 Feb 14
- Kevin becomes PM of Australia – derivation	1 Dec 07
Nanny Rutt legend and ballad	16 Mar 02

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Napoleon – quote re history a fable (TFTW)	7 Feb 09, 1 Dec 12, 31 Aug 13 & 4 Jan 14
Nash, Heather from Canada talks about Bourne relatives	15 Dec 01
- Heather Nash remembers nostalgic holiday in Bourne	25 May 02
- the view from home in British Columbia	14 Dec 02
- St George's Day looms	29 Mar 03
Nash, Ogen – quote re telephone calls in middle age (TFTW)	20 Sep 08
Nation has spoken – quote re general election results (TFTW)	8 May 10
National Health Service – web site poll & general criticism	8 Dec 01
- doctors and consultants should work weekends	9 Nov 02
- reaction from doctors to weekend working	16 Nov 02
- why it is failing us	21 Aug 04
- rundown of services – doctors/prescriptions/eye care etc	12 Nov 05
- woman of 108 to wait 18 months for hearing aid (quote)	4 Aug 07
- TV repeat brings echoes of Dr Finlay's Casebook	20 Oct 07
- medical care before the NHS	12 Jul 08
National Lottery and the outdoor swimming pool application	30 Jun 01
Nature reserves – vandalism	8 Feb 03
Neal, Councillor Linda – newspaper criticism of expenses	5 Mar 11
Needle, Alan – obituary	12 Feb 00
Needle, Rex & Elke – traffic accident	16 Mar 02
- police reaction to crash culprit	31 Aug 02
- story about clearing the attic and pensions scandal	19 May 07
Neighbours – living in harmony in the same street	20 Aug 05
- the benefits of Neighbourhood Watch	31 Jan 09
- Neighbourhood Watch arrives	14 Mar 09
Newcomers to Bourne – quotes from various sources (TFTW)	18 May 02
Newsletter launched in conjunction with Bourne web site	8 Oct 05
Newspaper and bottle banks need moving	8 Nov 01
News is always bad news	8 Dec 07
Newspaper rounds – reflection on past times	21 Mar 09
<u>Newspapers</u> – local survey	19 Jun 99
- newspapers ignore story re Orm the Preacher	20 Jul 02

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- quote by Charles Lamb (TFTW)	31 Aug 02
- should they use anonymous letters? (WTPS)	26 Jul 03
- full of letters from readers (WTPS)	6 Mar 04
- insufficient town council coverage (WTPS)	26 May 07
- memories of a newspaper delivery boy	30 Aug 14
Newton, John and Paula – Christmas decorations	6 Oct 01
New Year resolutions	1 Jan 00
- resolutions not kept last year	30 Dec 00
- suggestions for New Year resolutions	22 Dec 01
- New Year resolutions welcomed on the Bourne Forum	5 Jan 02
- New Year resolutions welcomed	4 Jan 03
- New Year resolutions welcomed	3 Jan 03
- to improve the town of Bourne	6 Jan 07
<u>New Zealand</u> – David Rimmo visits web site	15 Dec 01
- Peter Pascall from Christchurch sends greetings	22 Mar 03
Nimby – meaning and application to The Croft issue	9 Oct 04
Nine days wonders – newspaper stories have short lives	16 Aug 03
No-Hitting Day on April 30	29 Apr 06
Nonconformist chapels in Bourne area	13 May 00
North's Garden Centre site – why not flats?	27 Feb 99
North's Shoes in North Street – a family history (WTPS)	26 Mar 05
North Road vandalism every weekend (WTPS)	31 Jan 04
<u>North Street terrace</u> - houses in danger	19 May 01
- new housing scheme criticised	5 Jan 02
- Councillor Guy Cudmore adds his voice	12 Jan 02
- Bourne Town Council to apply for listing status	19 Jan 01
- terrace saved from demolition by the builders	6 Apr 02
- developers promise refurbishment (WTPS)	2 Nov 02
- developers buy adjoining bungalow/office	14 Dec 02
- name to be changed to Marquess Court	20 Mar 04
- new name plates of Marquess Court go up	16 Oct 04
North Street – traffic hazard with Meadowgate junction	12 Oct 02
- see also Burghley Street rumpus	19 Oct 02
- crash at danger roundabout (WTPS)	23 Nov 02
- illegal parking complaint from Richard Simpson (WTPS)	25 Oct 03
- bar plan for Rowlands Sewing Centre withdrawn (WTPS)	21 Aug 04
- No 32 to be demolished/history	5 Mar 05
- No 32 to be redeveloped as shops/flats/bar (WTPS)	27 Aug 05

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- No 30, formerly Stocks Ltd, to be wine bar (short history)	4 Mar 06
- No 32 graffiti paintings by pupils in 1996	4 Oct 08
North street then and now	27 Sep 03
Nostalgia helps self-worth – quote from the D Mail (TFTW)	15 Nov 13
Notice Boards – council uses one for property sales	2 Aug 14
November the Fifth – see Bonfire Night	
Nowak, Winnie – a moose loose in her garden in Alaska	19 Aug 00
- letter re visit to Bourne and changes she saw	31 Jul 04
- snow falls deep in Alaska (email)	13 Nov 04
- remembering the bluebells (email)	3 May 08
- congratulations on Bourne in Bloom award (email)	20 Sep 08
- lovely to see the bluebells (email)	2 May 09
- Christmas greetings – email message	18 Dec 10
Nowell, John – new book of aerial photos over Lincolnshire	30 Aug 08
Nowell, William – short biography of past councillor	18 Mar 06
Nuclear waste site might have been in Bourne Wood (WTPS)	25 Jun 05
Nuisances, Inspector of – do we need one now?	7 Dec 02
Nursery Supplies move premises	28 Nov 98
- possible traffic danger at new site	2 Jan 99
- former distribution depot up for sale (WTPS)	2 Nov 02
Nyger seed grown for birds in Baston Fen	21 Aug 04
Oak trees of the world web site	27 Jul 02
Oborne, Peter – quote re dull general election campaign (TFTW)	30 Apr 05
Obituaries are essential to a newspaper (also Mrs Currell)	17 Apr 04
- no obituaries in <i>The Local</i>	19 Jun 04
- no local obituaries in the <i>Stamford Mercury</i> (WTPS)	26 Nov 05
- newspaper obituaries in decline	28 Aug 10
<u>October Fair</u> causes traffic problems again	8 Nov 03
- fair should be moved out of town	30 Oct 04
- shoppers want it moved out of town	4 Oct 08
- cancelled for 2013 because of space shortage in car park	19 Oct 13
- cancelled over Wherry's Lane development/short history	26 Oct 13
- cancelled again for 2014/may be the end of the fair	1 Nov 14
Oil seed rape	17 Apr 99



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- history of its growth in the fens	9 Jun 01
- fields turn yellow/history of oil seed	22 May 04
- oil seed again in blossom/short history	8 May 10
- health problems associated with oil seed rape	24 May 14
Old age – reflections on my 79 <sup>th</sup> birthday	12 Sep 09
- when does old age start?/can French names be difficult	4 Sep 10
Old English customs – why does not Bourne have one	11 Mar 06
Oldest building in Bourne	7 Sep 02
Old buildings may be doomed in the future	9 Feb 08
Oldest man in the world dies in Menorca (TFTW)	13 Mar 04
Old Grammar School condemned as unsafe	26 Apr 03
- girl, 12, deplores state of school	3 May 03
- still nothing done	1 May 04
- building offered for sale	12 Feb 05
- deteriorates even further but still nothing done	29 Apr 06
- may be doomed for demolition (quote by A Jennings TFTW)	24 Mar 07
- repairs to roof but work will not save the building (WTPS)	9 Jun 07
- Quentin Davies M P offers help with English Heritage	7 Jul 07
- still no buyer and building continues to deteriorate	1 Aug 09
- archive item re magic lantern show in 1888	9 Feb 13
- building to become education centre	11 Oct 14
- Charles Worth and other old boys	18 Oct 14
<u>Old people</u>	
- victimised by annual council tax increases (WTPS)	3 Feb 07
- severely criticised for driving at 40 mph	30 May 09
- fear of being taken ill evenings and weekends	6 Feb 10
Old photographs used by the newspapers to fill space	20 Nov 10
<u>Old post office</u> letting signs rumpus	16 Oct 99
- letting sign dismantled	4 Dec 99
Olympic torch in Bourne/advertising/numbers attending	7 Jul 12
Opico farm machinery firm to sell South Road site (WTPS)	13 Aug 05
- site to be developed by Anglia Co-op for superstore (WTPS)	24 Jun 06
Opium taking and addiction in the 19 <sup>th</sup> century	21 Jun 03
Oranges for pupils at the old Star Lane Council School	28 Sep 13
Orchard News Bureau covers Lincolnshire County Council	5 Mar 05
Oregon State University asks to use photo	18 Jan 03

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Organisations in Bourne – around 140 (in drinking article)	10 Dec 05
- clubs etc need open day to advertise (WTPS)	22 Apr 06
Orm the Preacher – Abbey residence established	6 Jul 02
- Orm entry in the Oxford Dict of National Biography	22 Oct 05
Orwell, George – quote re serious sport (TFTW)	16 Oct 10
- quote re lies will pass into history (TFTW)	22 Oct 11
<u>Osprey</u> - shot near Bourne in 1883	21 Feb 04
- osprey shot in Lincolnshire plus short history of the bird	29 May 04
- discussion over their presence in the Bourne area	2 Aug 08
Ostler, John Lely – added to the web site this week	7 Oct 00
- history of the Ostler memorial fountain	25 May 02
- fountain vandalised in 1888	15 Feb 03 & 31 Jul 10
- Ostler memorial refurbishment plan by Civic Society	5 Jul 03
- town council rejects river scheme (WTPS)	6 Dec 03
- memorial fountain becomes Grade II listed	28 Jul 07
- town council disagrees with listing decision (WTPS)	4 Aug 07
- Len Pick Trust might pay for restoration	4 Aug 07
- town council retracts opposition to listing (WTPS)	1 Sep 07
- memorial to be restored when the money is available	11 Oct 08
- council scheme for protective railings criticised	15 Nov 08
- railings should be excluded from restoration project (WTPS)	31 Jan 09
<u>Outdoor swimming pool</u>	22 May 99
- application for a lottery grant	30 Jun 01
- memories of learning to swim by Barry Sheppard	20 Apr 02
- improvements of 1933 newspaper reports	22 Jun 02
- opens for 2003 season/Learning to Swim article	24 May 03
- more swimmers needed to survive (WTPS)	24 May 03
- business booms in heat wave	9 Aug 03
- pool could have been sited elsewhere in 1891	9 Aug 03
- shortage of lifeguards threatens opening (WTPS)	24 Apr 04
- vandals “moon” at police (WTPS)	14 Jun 04
- voted one of the top 50 pools in Britain (WTPS)	17 Jul 04
- weather keeps attendance down/ listing might be appropriate	1 Aug 09
- opening for 2010/pool might have been sited elsewhere	29 May 10
- listed as excellent by BT Yahoo Travel Internet site/history	13 Nov 11
- opens for the season after £35,000 repairs	1 Jun 13
- opens for the 93rd season - history	23 May 15
Owen, Wilfred - quote re the old lie (TFTW)	15 Jan 11 & 18 Feb 12
Owens, Jesse – quote re running (TFTW)	8 Jan 11
Owl tower under construction in the fen	2 Mar 13

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Packaging – Daily Mail quote re consumer pays twice (TFTW)	18 Nov 06
Page, Robin – quote re free speech (TFTW)	23 Apr 05
- explanation of the Standards Board of England	30 Apr 05
Paine, Thomas – quote re revenue (TFTW)	30 Jun 12
Paint – tins dry out over time	10 May 08
Panther loose at Dyke (WTPS)	22 Feb 03
Parents should accept responsibility for children (TFTW)	23 Oct 04
Paris, Matthew (13th century monk) - quotes re extreme weather	4 Aug 07
- heavy rain for months in 1236 (TFTW)	11 Jan 14
Parish magazines – new look for Bourne Parish News	11 Mar 06
Parish registers – first names of the period	3 Dec 11
- David Tabor copies them to go digital	14 Apr 12
Parker, The Rev Thomas – sunburst over grave	24 Nov 07
Parkinson, Cyril Northcote – quote re Parkinson’s Law (TFTW)	30 Aug 14
- ditto (TFTW)	18 Oct 14
Parliament recalled – quote from Private Eye (TFTW)	21 Sep 02
Parris, Matthew – quote re disused churches (TFTW)	4 Mar 06
Parrot in pet shop says “Hello”	5 Nov 05
Pask, James – talks about job loss and Christmas goodwill	15 Dec 01
Pattison, Colin – co-opted by town council	30 Oct 10
Patton, George – quote re never tell people . . .	2 May 09
Pawnbroker’s shop opens in West Street	9 Dec 00
- pawnbroker’s shop to open in West Street	31 Mar 12
Payphones – see Telephone kiosks	
Pea harvest	4 Aug 01
Pearl, Cora – Parisian courtesan	16 Sep 00
- to feature in American musical	3 Dec 11
Pedestrian crossing row – one in Burghley Street	19 Oct 02

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Pedestrian precinct badly needed for town centre/North Street	18 Oct 12
Peeps into the Past – new web site feature	30 Jun 07
Penny piece thrown away by boy (TFTW)	23 Dec 00
Pensioners' lunches in pubs more costly/poorer quality	1 Nov 08
People power win campaigns for Bourne	6 Nov 04
Pericles – Peloponnesian War oration quote (TFTW)	13 Nov 10
Pepper, Jerry (Canada) – search for relatives	4 Mar 00
- Jerry arrives for a visit	29 Jul 00
Pepys, Samuel – quote re marriage (TFTW)	10 Sep 11
Pet deaths – owners need days off to grieve (TFTW)	1 May 04
Peterborough Town Hall – proposal to sell or demolish	1 Oct 11
Petitions – history	19 Apr 14
Pettitt, Alison – to cook Christmas dinner for 60	7 Oct 06
- second Christmas dinner for the lonely (WTPS)	22 Dec 07
- Phillip Pettitt resigns as verger at Abbey Church	10 Oct 09
- fifth Christmas Day lunch for the lonely	4 Dec 10
Petrol crisis effects in Bourne	23 Sep 00
- another petrol crisis (WTPS)	5 Jun 04
Pews and benches in our churches	9 Apr 05
<u>Pharmacies:</u>	
- run down of services – doctors/prescriptions/eye care etc	12 Nov 05
- Sunday services for prescriptions axed (WTPS)	21 Jan 06
Pheasant on bird table	8 Jan 00
- pheasant in town centre shop 1879	2 Mar 02
Pheasant shooting over the fen outside study window	10 Nov 01
- more pheasant shooting outside study window	30 Oct 04
Phillips, Wendell – quote re government (TFTW)	2 Jul 05
Photographs will include bad places from now on	11 Nov 00
- assisted by a step ladder in car	18 Aug 01
- old photographs needed to copy	15 Feb 03

Pick, the Len Pick Trust

- he leaves £4 million to Bourne	31 Jul 04
- beneficiaries of will (WTPS)	7 Aug 04
- details of will and bequests	14 Aug 04
- Pick Trust millions should be used to help Butterfield	8 Jan 05
- registered as a charity/statement from trustees	15 Jan 05
- trust should preserve cemetery chapel (email)	22 Jan 05
- Internet web site opens/setting pace for BUC	27 Aug 05
- first progress report published with details of grants so far	28 Jan 06
- how Len Pick became a coal merchant	8 Jul 06
- progress after first year/spending and future plans (WTPS)	9 Sep 06
- Len Pick Memorial lecture inaugurated	9 Dec 06
- £10,000 to the Abbey Church Restoration Appeal (WTPS)	16 Dec 06
- trust ought to help pay for Ostler memorial restoration	4 Aug 07
- trust activities and publicity are a model for others	15 Sep 07
- £4,000 grant to Butterfield for heating repair bill	14 Jul 12
Pickles, Eric – quote re council tax freeze (TFTW)	10 Mar 12
Pickworth – name search from Australia for Pickworth people	13 Jul 02
- effects of man hiding in attic in 1869	25 Oct 03
- blind boy's appeal for charity assistance	7 Jan 06
<u>Pickworth</u> church locked	6 Feb 99
- article on Pickworth Church	13 Nov 99
- diary of Dorothy Houghton	6 May 00
- roof repaired/general history	28 Jan 06
- village history published	18 Apr 09
- Pickworth Diary plagiarised	8 Mar 14
- Pickworth Diary for WWI centenary observances	8 Mar 14
Picnics – memories from Bourne wood in 1888	30 Mar 13
Picture Gallery launched	6 Jul 02
- first contribution appears - swans on Bourne Eau	13 Jul 02
- second contribution – Morton church floodlit	20 Jul 02
- photo by Mandy Lee chosen by artist	24 Oct 09
Pig slaughterer – Jack Lunn	14 Nov 09
Pigeon knocks on window – racing pigeons escape	28 Apr 07
Pike Anglers Club – formed in Bourne in 1977	13 Oct 07
Pillboxes in the Lincolnshire countryside	16 Dec 00
Pinero, Arthur – quote re pawnbrokers (TFTW)	31 Mar 12
Pinfold in Bourne – a short history	23 Nov 13

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Pinfold Road – rubbish upsets business leaders (WTPS)	20 Oct 07
Pinter, Harold – quote re threat from USA (TFTW)	30 Oct 04
- quote re cricket (TFTW)	15 Jul 06
Pinxton, Derbyshire, row over toppled tombstones	12 Mar 05
- quote re Pinxton toppled tombstones (TFTW)	12 Mar 05
Planning gain (S106) for residential development – Elsea Park	5 Nov 05
- delays over various planning gains at Elsea Park	27 Jul 13
Planning matters – the people are dissatisfied	28 Jul 01
- promises made by developers but not kept	11 May 13
Plants - buying too early when frost is still possible	12 May 01
Plastic shopping bags – councils move to ban them	24 Nov 07
- Chamber of Trade plans to introduce useable bags (WTPS)	24 Nov 07
- unfair demonisation due to faulty science	15 Mar 08
- campaign claims 1 million bags will go in a year (WTPS)	22 Mar 08
- Sainsburys plastic bag initiative fails to inspire	26 Apr 08
- 5p charge on the way/demonisation of the plastic bag	26 Sep 15
Plastic flowers in town centre	7 Oct 06
<u>Plato</u> - quote on myths (TFTW)	19 Jul 03
- quote on public affairs (TFTW)	18 Jun 05
- quote re necessity (TFTW)	23 Jan 10
- quote re music (TFTW)	13 Nov 12
Play centre opens in South Road (WTPS)	15 Mar 03
Playing fields in Bourne	14 Oct 00
- play areas neglected/self help needed to maintain them	4 Apr 09
- play area at Wellhead Field in need of repair	19 Apr 14
Plumbers are scarce in Bourne	10 Jan 03
- shortage of plumbers nationally and locally	6 Jun 15
Plutarch – quote re using life to the full	22 Aug 09
Poaching in Bourne/deer/19th century punishments	20 Oct 12
Pochin, George – secret wine hoard discovered by workmen	30 Sep 06
- date stone found/secret wine discovery	23 Jan 10
Poetry – readings being arranged/forum contributions	27 Jan 07
<u>Pointon</u> village hall crisis	2 Jan 99
- crisis over village hall solved	31 Jan 99

Poland – email congratulates Bourne web site 20 Nov 04

Police

- station to get extra staff but not on streets News item
- no increase in staff after all 12 Dec 98
- officers on beat fewer than on TV (Thought for the Week) 14 Apr 01
- officers spotted on the beat in West Street (TFTW) 30 Jun 01
- police ignore abandoned car in car park 17 Mar 01
- police slam reports of street violence 23 Sep 00
- police station downgraded to office 16 Dec 00
- policemen on the beat (WTPS) 10 Aug 01
- Lincolnshire Police added to web site 10 Nov 01
- police presence on the streets of Manly, Australia 12 Jan 02
- police ask if car crash culprits should be prosecuted (TFTW) 20 Jul 02
- campaign over cash grants by *Stamford Mercury* (WTPS) 21 Sep 02
- manning levels in 1913 (TFTW) 14 Dec 02, 26 Jun 10, 3 Mar 12 & 23 Feb 13
- police should be out catching criminals (TFTW) 5 Apr 03
- plan to deal with unruly behaviour in 2003-04 (WTPS) 3 May 03
- extra police to deal with young hooligans (WTPS) 31 May 03
- a special is back on the beat (WTPS) 9 Aug 03
- explanation for late arrival at man with knife alert (WTPS) 29 Nov 03
- policing in 1878 when zero tolerance was adopted 17 Jan 04
- vandalism and police presence feeble (WTPS) 21 Feb 04
- police role criticised in letter by Ralph Bradley to *The Local* 15 May 04
- cal for more policemen on the beat (WTPS) 10 Jul 04
- letter writer attacks police inactivity (WTPS) 11 Dec 04
- community support officer for Bourne/police costs 18 Dec 04
- annual spending rockets over 18 years 21 May 05
- Lincs Police merger into East Midlands force? (WTPS) 29 Oct 05
- merger with other counties attacked by MP (WTPS) 25 Mar 06
- more community officers for Bourne (WTPS) 21 Oct 06
- Lincolnshire fourth worst force in the country (TFTW) 28 Oct 06
- £4.7 million budget reduction/cuts on the way (WTPS) 16 Oct 06
- public needs greater police presence (in NY resolutions) 6 Jan 07
- budget & staffing levels in 2007 (in R Mays plaque story) 13 Jan 07
- a laughing stock at Local Forum 27 Jan 07
- 100 uniformed officers to be replaced by civilians (WTPS) 31 Mar 07
- history of police force arouses complaint (WTPS) 19 May 07
- police seek more money (WTPS) 6 Oct 07
- one of the worst performing forces in England (TFTW) 13 Oct 07
- town council demands more policemen on the beat (WYPS) 1 Dec 07
- high profile activities with media in tow criticised 15 Dec 07
- town council blocks support for more police cash (WTPS) 15 Dec 07
- pensioner attacked yet police will not prosecute (WTPS) 12 Apr 08
- can the new police chief catch criminals? (TFTW) 5 Jul 08
- Billingborough parish vote of no confidence (WTPS) 7 Mar 09
- street patrols needed to prevent vandalism 6 Mar 10
- police station could close/history of police in Bourne 15 Oct 11
- chief constable suggests using a supermarket instead 15 Oct 11

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- police services to be privatised/G4 to take over	3 Mar 12
- insufficient police on the streets	3 Mar 12
- TV quote re police officers on the beat (TFTW)	3 Mar 12
- frontline police may be cut	27 Jul 13
- first constable appointed in 1843/history of the force	18 Jan 13
<u>Police – council tax demands</u>	
- police seek 7.5% increase from council tax (WTPS)	21 Feb 04
- spending will give a 38% increase in council tax (WTPS)	24 Sep 05
- council tax increases by £100 because of police precept	15 Mar 08
- police budget may be capped by the government (WTPS)	29 Mar 08
- no decision yet on additional funding	14 Jun 08
- government caps council tax/demands to be reissued	28 Jun 08
- police settle for an extra 5% (WTPS)	28 Feb 09
- claim for 3.96% increase despite tax freeze	10 Mar 12
- more police on streets promised after “small” increase	23 Feb 13
- police withdraw support for Langtoft annual run	30 Mar 13
- parish councils asked to pay for village constables	30 Mar 13
- frontline police may be cut after all	27 Jul 13
Police – low interest in election for commissioner	13 Nov 12
Police – Superintendent Willerton Brown’s career	13 Sep 03
Politics – quote by R L Stevenson (TFTW)	8 Nov 03
Political correctness in Bourne Forum	9 Mar 02
- PC not a modern trend/swimming pool examples	12 Jun 10
Polling feature on web site – introduction	12 May 01
- Labour government re-election?	12 May 01
- the monarchy	12 May 01
- validity of questions in polling feature discussed	22 May 01
- poll feature discontinued	13 Jul 02
Polly’s Tea Shop – added to Bourne Focus	17 Feb 01
Pool, John Henry – bill poster and handyman	14 Jan 06
Pool, Trevor – new Friend of Bourne	8 Mar 03
- follow up to his wife Winifred the milk girl	15 Mar 03
- local history should be taught in schools	29 Mar 03
- donates market document to Heritage Centre	24 May 03
- Bourne Institute memories of old times	30 Aug 03
- memories of orchard behind Bourne Institute	17 Sep 05
- cleaning of St Peter’s Pool in 1950	5 Aug 06
- memories of doctor doing surgery (TFTW)	18 Aug 07
Pope, Alexander – quote re birds on every bough (TFTW)	12 Feb 11



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Pope beatifies Karl I of Austro-Hungary empire (TFTW)	9 Oct 04
Poppies – April Fools’ Day hoax	1 Apr 00
- poppies growing in oil seed crop	24 Jun 00
- why they grew in Flanders	19 Nov 05
Poppy Day – see Remembrance Day	
Population of Bourne – added to web site	1 Sep 01
- population in 2012 is estimated at 15,000 but rising fast	7 Jul 12
<u>Postbag</u> selection – Pearce clock/Mills bottle/family research Charles Sharpe/Heather Nash etc	24 Feb 07
Postal voting experiment in European elections (WTPS)	5 Jun 04
<u>Post Office</u> break in	1 May 99
<u>Post Office closure rumpus:</u>	
- liable to close and business moved to nearby shop (WTPS)	4 Jan 03
- campaign to save Post Office (WTPS)	11 Jan 03
- petition launched by The Local (WTPS)	18 Jan 03
- petition and protest progress (WTPS)	25 Jan 03
- final stages of the campaign (WTPS)	1 Feb 03
- campaign against closure ends and result awaited (WTPS)	8 Feb 03
- Post Office say closure protest “strange”	15 Feb 03
- decision on closure soon (WTPS)	15 Mar 03
- closure may mean cut in services	22 Mar 03
- closure decision expected soon (WTPS)	12 Apr 03
- still no decision from the Post Office management (WTPS)	19 Apr 03
- final decision awaits sale of franchise (WTPS)	26 Apr 03
- store plans show 5 post office counter spaces (WTPS)	21 Jun 03
- closure decision finally announced (WTPS)	16 Aug 03
- photos of queues in The Local – chaos looming (WTPS)	3 Sep 03
- to stay open after all (WTPS)	22 Nov 03
- boy customer cycles in for service (WTPS)	23 Oct 04
- use second class at Xmas – it’s faster (TFTW)	4 Dec 04
- junk mail can be stopped	9 Sep 06
- Sunday and Bank Holiday collections cut	22 Sep 07
- poor and declining service	22 Sep 07
- village post offices earmarked for closure (WTPS)	6 Oct 07
- Rippingale post office closure protest (WTPS)	20 Oct 07
- first class post now 1-3 working days/history of past service	11 Jul 09
- postal charges go up yet again/stamp machine closes	10 Apr 10
- sorting office staff seek support against closure	20 Nov 10
- delays in counter service/self-service machines likely	20 Nov 10
- history of proposed P O closures in Bourne	15 Oct 11
- letter collections now five days a week	13 Apr 13
- revised services announced/poor service round up	31 Aug 13
- post boxes may be under threat/history	6 Dec 14

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Post offices in rural areas under threat (WTPS)	16 Dec 06
Postal services in 1860 (newspaper quote TFTW)	1 Jun 02 & 31 Aug 13
Postal services from 1860 & 1905	22 Sep 07, 20 Nov 10 & 13 Apr 13
Postal services from 1905	6 Dec 14
Post service in 1860 (Archive item)	6 Dec 14
Postcard fair – prices exorbitant/memories of a collector	30 Jul 05
Potholes in the roads	21 Apr 01
- poor road surface at Toft	9 Jun 01
- the potholes are back – and an old problem since 1988	29 Sep 01
- potholes repaired in Pinfold Road but others left unattended	31 May 03
- potholes worse in Pinfold Road lane	7 Jul 07
- potholes repaired temporarily	14 Jul 07
- more potholes in Bourne roads	16 May 09
- pothole tax to pay for winter repairs in North Yorks	13 Mar 10
- potholes still evident in Pinfold Road	15 May 10
- potholes persist/danger outside the public library	3 Sep 11
- potholes outside public library repaired	12 Nov 11
- £6 million grant to the county council for repairs	23 Mar 13
- compensation claims for damage to count council	15 Nov 13
Poultry infected in Which testing (TFTW)	5 May 01
Powell, Councillor Helen – views on cemetery chapel (WTPS)	12 Jan 08
- leisure park plan to stop housing near woods (WTPS)	2 Feb 08
- to stand for county council by-election	13 Sep 08
- narrow defeat in LCC elections	6 Jun 09
- suggests celebrations for 50th BRM anniversary	3 Jul 10
- move to establish a bandstand in the Wellhead Gardens	3 Mar 12
- elected Mayor of Bourne	26 May 12
- contests county council elections for Bourne Castle ward	27 Apr 13
- wins Bourne Castle ward with 948 votes	4 May 13
- 20 mph speed limit campaign	7 Dec 13
Power and the pursuit of it by local councillors	15 May 04
Power failures (WTPS)	2 Nov 02
- 12-hour power cut	26 Aug 06
- 2,600 homes around North Road cut off (WTPS)	23 Dec 06
Priestley, J B – quote re speed after 1935 bus journey (TFTW)	22 Jan 05
Prime Minister’s visits to India etc – is it working? (TFTW)	12 Jan 02
Prince Charles – quote re talking to vegetables (TFTW)	3 Jul 04
- quote re talking to vegetables (TFTW)	10 Jun 06
Princess Di’s death and public reaction (TFTW)	23 Mar 02

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Private schools in Bourne	14 Apr 01
Prominent people added to web site	25 Jan 03
Proust, Marcel – quote re favourite book	1 Sep 12 & 30 Mar 13
Proverb – Where there's a will (TFTW)	19 May 12
- A bird in the hand (TFTW)	13 Sep 14
Public consultations – usually a sham	20 Feb 10
- re spending cuts at government and local level	19 Jun 10
- few are satisfactory/proposed Bourne incinerator	18 Sep 10
- complaint against SKDC on three counts	7 Jan 12
Public dissatisfaction with councils/police etc (WTPS)	24 Feb 07
Public houses – new one planned for North Street	20 Oct 01
- drunken troublemakers to be banned from pubs (WTPS)	30 Apr 05
- their changing role/closures imminent	26 Jun 10
- history of pubs and beer houses	26 Jun 10, 6 Aug 11, 13 Jun 13
- now down to 11/closure of the Marquess of Granby	26 Nov 11
- new one being built in South Road/The Sugar Mill	18 Aug 12
- Sugar Mill opens/history of local pubs	8 Dec 12
- White Hart re-opens at Baston	20 Jul 13
- changing tastes in Bourne pubs/general picture	17 Jan 15
Public library	
- Carnegie connection	5 Apr 03 & 23 Mar 13
- hours to be cut from 37 to 30 a week (WTPS)	19 Jan 08
- may be moved to the Town Hall	19 Jul 08
- efficient operation must not change if moved to Town Hall	18 Oct 08
- fears that it is too large to fit into the Town Hall	14 Feb 09
- move to Town Hall seems inevitable/new technology	14 Aug 10
- Corn Exchange now a proposed location for move	6 Nov 10
- councils appear to have no idea how to proceed	6 Nov 10
- influence of public library in my boyhood	6 Nov 10 & 29 Sep 12
- history of Bourne public library	6 Nov 10 & 29 Sep 12
- new computer system working well	27 Nov 10
- library protest in Stock Rochford might be copied here	29 Jan 11
- service to be moved to Corn Exchange	29 Oct 11
- building could be demolished to make way for housing	29 Oct 11
- likely to be sold by LCC	21 Jan 12
- telephone calls charged at national rate	1 Sep 12
- children no longer read books/public libraries at risk	29 Sep 12
- future of Lincs libraries uncertain/Long Sutton protest	13 Oct 12
- Bourne escapes library closures	22 Jun 13
- vacated building to be charity furniture warehouse	10 Aug 13
- county council leader praises new facility	4 Jan 14
- old building becomes furniture saleroom	22 Nov 14

Public service – low morale (TFTW)	7 Apr 01
Public services – just make the drains work (TFTW)	24 Nov 01
- run by careerist spivs/quote by Anthony Daniels	5 Nov 05
- more closures on the way/general review of policy	20 Aug 11
- closures policy flawed/dates of Bourne closures	9 Feb 13
Public spending cuts – services being eroded/wrong policy	17 Nov 12
Public toilets in Bourne rumpus	27 Jan 01
- also Thought for the Week	27 Jan 01
- what happens to South Street site? (Thought for the Week)	17 Feb 01
- consultants look into toilets (newspaper headline)	24 Feb 01
- South Street loos closed down because of vandals (WTPS)	5 Oct 02
- are the South Street loos to be sold?	12 Oct 02
- closure may affect trade/Ccller Peter Martin-Mayhew	19 Oct 02
- SKDC cannot afford to maintain the loos (WTPS)	26 Oct 02
- use the supermarket loos/Ccller P Martin-Mayhew (WTPS)	9 Nov 02
- lights not switched off although the loos are closed (WTPS)	9 Nov 02
- the dispute rumbles on (WTPS)	16 Nov 02
- explanation of the lights out by Guy Cudmore (TFTW)	16 Nov 02
- Market Deeping wants to take over their loos (WTPS)	23 Nov 02
- the public loos in Spalding are perfect	30 Nov 02
- state of the Bourne loos in 1970 (From the archives)	30 Nov 02
- new lavatories on the way (WTPS)	8 Feb 03
- Market Deeping reopen theirs but not Bourne (WTPS)	22 Feb 03
- public lavatories attack by Ccller Trevor Holmes (WTPS)	8 Mar 03
- SKDC will not be rushed (WTPS)	7 Jun 03
- they are working but still closed (WTPS)	19 Jul 03
- mayor's attempt to re-open them fails (WTPS)	4 Oct 03
- public defend mayor's intervention (WTPS)	11 Oct 03
- town council may fund them after all (WTPS)	18 Oct 03
- letters disagreement between councillors (WTPS)	8 Nov 03
- to be renovated – 1982 quote by Ccller Don Fisher	8 Nov 03
- to be re-opened after all (WTPS)	29 Nov 03
- implications of re-opening the loos	6 Dec 03
- re-opening scheme is a mess (WTPS)	10 Jan 04
- national closures recorded by the British Toilet Association	7 Feb 04
- South Street lavatories reopen (WTPS)	17 Apr 04
- cost of refurbishment compared with Stamford	24 Apr 04
- Councillor Martin-Mayhew tries to justify closure (WTPS)	1 May 04
- South Street loos nominated for an award	10 Jul 04
- old English custom of Sealing the Toilets	11 Mar 06 & 4 Jun 11
- bus station lavatories demolished	5 May 07
- town council told to build their own/history of toilets	4 Jun 11
- who owns the South Street toilets?	4 Jun 11
- new public loos at Community Access point/history	13 Dec 14
Public toilets in Seabrook, Kent, closed	18 Oct 03

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Puzzle picture No 1 - Central Buildings plaque	2 Feb 02
- result of No 1 competition	9 Feb 02
Puzzle picture No 2 - Wm Wherry plaque	16 Feb 02
- result of No 2 competition	23 Feb 02
Puzzle picture No 3 – Darby & Joan club plaque	13 Apr 02
- result of No 3 competition	20 Apr 02
Quakers – added to web site	12 Jan 02
Queen Elizabeth II - Golden Jubilee celebrations	24 Nov 01
- Diamond Jubilee celebrations criticised as inadequate	26 May 12
- review of celebrations/not great support	16 Jun 12
Queen Mother’s death – there are other Queen Mums (TFTW)	13 Apr 02
Queens Bridge to be replaced/short history	8 Jun 13
Queen Victoria - Golden Jubilee celebrations	24 Nov 01
- Diamond Jubilee celebrations in 1897 remembered	26 May 12
- quote re great events (TFTW)	26 May 12
Queuing – during World War II and now	16 Jun 07
- queuing becomes a way of life in shops etc	3 Nov 07
- queuing at the supermarkets because of a shortage of staff	5 Oct 13
Quiz – new feature for web site starts today	3 Sep 03
- dropped through lack of support	20 Sep 03
Radio station proposed for Bourne (WTPS)	28 Jan 06
Radio Times error over WWI	12 Apr 14
Rag and bone men from the 1930s	28 Apr 12
<u>Railways - re-opening plans</u>	9 Jan 99
- crime of the Beeching axe on local lines	10 Feb 01
- railway closure memories from October 1959	15 Sep 01
- call for their reinstatement in the Bourne area	1 Jun 02
- old railway station buildings in South Road demolished	2 Apr 05
- rail link re-opening would relieve roads (WTPS)	11 Feb 06
- short history of the railways in Bourne	28 Feb 09
- photo exhibition on last train opens at Heritage Centre	28 Feb 09
- used by the water cress industry in past times	20 Jun 09
- disused overbridge near Elsea Park/short history	15 Jan 11
- disused overbridge should be preserved	22 Jan 11
- call for listed status	5 Feb 11
Railway stations – Thurlby clean and smart in 1935	18 Feb 06
Rain causes flooding	23 Jun 07

Ram raiders in Bourne	10 Mar 01
Ran-tanning – old custom of mob punishment	28 Mar 09
Rate, John, tanner, and family emigrate to America	20 Jul 13
- son killed in the Civil War	20 Jul 13
Reagan, Ronald – quote re crime (TFTW)	27 Oct 07 & 1 Oct 11
- quote re government being the problem (TFTW)	24 Jan 09
Recreation ground to get skateboard park/history	6 Oct 07
- £50,000 improvements/disabled area added/history	28 Sep 13
Recruiting Office in West Street, Bourne	9 Sep 00
Red Cross – appeal for new emergency vehicle/short history	19 Sep 09
Red Hall – saved from demolition twice	6 Apr 02
- fulsome praise about the building from the Yukon	3 Apr 04
- Red Hall condemned by 1955 county council meeting	1 May 04
- saved from demolition twice	15 Jan 05
- myth of Gunpowder Plot demolished	17 Jun 06, 26 Jun 13 & 1 Nov 14
- fails to open during Heritage Weekend	15 Sep 07
- saved twice from demolition	2 Feb 08
- Tudor exhibition in July 1976	6 Jun 09
- why is the building not opened to the public?	12 Sep 09
- giftware dish given to Heritage Centre	2 Jan 10
- Sir John Thimbleby never owned it	3 Apr 10
- proposed demolition comparison with cemetery chapel	14 Aug 10
- threat to the view from nearby housing	14 May 11
- lead flashings stolen from windows	14 Jan 12
- shut over Heritage Weekend/history of purchase in 1962	8 Sep 12
- advertised for weddings and events	1 Dec 12
- private schools based there in the 19th century	13 Jul 13
- opening to the public on Heritage Open Days this year	7 Sep 13
- open day a success and may become a regular event	21 Sep 13
- surroundings should be improved, says conservationist	13 Dec 14
- Red Hall as it was in Lady Digby's time	13 Dec 14
Red telephone boxes	3 Jun 00
Reform think tank – quote re poor police forces (TFTW)	28 Feb 09
<u>Register office</u> - future in doubt/closure a possibility	20 Aug 11
- town council votes against closure	3 Sep 11
- support needed from county councillors	3 Sep 11
- Hugh Hobson, eminent 19 <sup>th</sup> century registrar	3 Sep 11
- may be moved to the Corn Exchange	5 Nov 11
- move to Corn Exchange confirmed	11 Aug 12
- move means loss of ceremony room for weddings	22 Sep 12

Remembrance Day

- parades in Bourne may unite 8 Nov 03
- Remembrance Sunday and its meaning 13 Nov 04
- successful event as parades combine (WTPS) 20 Nov 04
- best attended service and parade this year 19 Nov 05
- letters from the trenches 12 Nov 05
- remembering our war dead 10 Nov 07/8 Nov 08/13 Nov 10/ 13 Nov 12

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- Respect for authority declines as the years progress 27 Jan 07
- Restaurant front in North Street damaged by car (WTPS) 28 Oct 06
- Retirement – quote by William Smith 1769-1839 (TFTW) 18 Aug 01
- Retirement homes
- new project in South Road by One Medical (WTPS) 5 Aug 05
- Ridley, Nicholas – quote re nimbyism (TFTW) 11 May 13
- Rilke, Rainer Maria, Austrian poet, quote re spring (TFTW) 20 Mar 04
- Rimmo, David from New Zealand visits web site 15 Dec 01
- Rippingale
- church – body brush on display 21 Jul 01
  - storm over Rippingale in 1913 27 Jul 02
  - weeping ash in churchyard felled 3 Aug 02
  - village school closes/short history 28 Jul 07
  - post office closure protest (WTPS) 20 Oct 07
  - school building may be demolished 13 Sep 08
  - village surgery to close after 180 years 12 Jan 13
  - history of doctors in the village/Dr Galletly connection 12 Jan 13
  - village surgery closes/taxis to solve transport problems 30 Mar 13
  - claim over origins of The Archers disputed 31 Aug 13
  - village celebrates The Archers connection 23 Nov 13
- Rippingale, Linda Lee of Montana, USA – message of support 7 Aug 04
- Road deaths – 350,00 since the war (TFTW) 15 Jun 02
- prayers for God to reduce road deaths in Lincolnshire 17 Jan 04
  - flowers at the roadside controversy 7 Feb 04
  - 15-year-old-boy killed by lorry (WTPS) also (TFTW) 17 Sep 05
- Road gritting – sweeper sweeps up newly laid salt 7 Feb 04
- blessing for gritting lorries to keeps roads safe (TFTW) 25 Nov 06
  - blessing for gritting lorries ineffective 13 Dec 08
  - blessing for road gritting 26 Nov 11 & 8 Dec 12
- Road repairs to provide jobs in the 1920s 14 Jun 03

Roads

- pot holes to recycling centre access road (WTPS) 5 Oct 02
- A151 improvements on the way (WTPS) 30 Nov 02
- two dangerous roads in Bourne area (WTPS) 1 Feb 03
- roads in Bourne are dangerous 28 Feb 04
- road building depends on housing development (WTPS) 15 Aug 06
- recycling centre access road again dangerous with pot holes 28 Oct 06
- various road problems in letters to *The Local* 3 Jul 10

Roads – A 15 bypass for Bourne

- progress report 3 Feb 01
- 1991 announcement from Lincolnshire County Council 25 Aug 01
- Mayor of Bourne calls for a bypass but it is unlikely 3 Jul 04
- shopkeepers against a bypass (WTPS) 17 Jul 04
- it will not happen – article by Ccler John Kirkman added 24 Jul 04
- it will not go through Bourne Wood (WTPS) 14 Aug 04
- new commercial development may be basis (WTPS) 8 Oct 05
- unlikely to proceed for 15 years, says county councillor 15 Apr 06
- town councillor’s new route and finance proposals 6 Oct 07
- need for urgency/history of past demands 14 May 11
- need for by pass/history 7 Dec 13
- urgent need for bypass/town centre often gridlocked 6 Dec 14

Roads – east-west bypass for Bourne

- possibility mentioned in future development plan (WTPS) 1 Jul 06

Roads - south-west relief road

- relief road for A15/Elsea Park delayed (WTPS) 26 Oct 02
- relief road for A15/Elsea park to begin (WTPS) 18 Jan 03
- A15 relief road developers get £700,000 loan sanction 8 Feb 03
- another delay for completion (WTPS) 26 Jun 04
- *The Local* carries out a survey of traffic flows (WTPS) 10 Jul 04
- agreement reached with Allison Homes and details of planning gain/S106/£700,000 loan from SKDC (WTPS) 17 Jul 04
- a drive along the closed road 24 Jul 04
- the developers will pay for the road (WTPS) 24 Jul 04
- work finally resumes (WTPS) 7 Aug 04
- delay over roundabout on A151 8 Jan 05
- due to open in April (WTPS) 26 Mar 05
- another delay (WTPS) 30 Apr 05
- road finished but not opened because of legal row (WTPS) 18 Jun 05
- road remains closed\details of planning gain schedule (S106) 25 Jun 05
- Allison Homes appear to be to blame (WTPS) 25 Jun 05
- still not open/press ridicule (WTPS) 2 Jul 05
- fifth week and still not open/councillor’s criticism (WTPS) 9 Jul 05
- sixth week still closed/councillors may be to blame (WTPS) 16 Jul 05
- seventh week – local newspapers speak out (WTPS) 23 Jul 05
- eighth week – call for public protest action (WTPS) 30 Jul 05
- ninth week – M P calls for compulsory purchase (WTPS) 6 Aug 05



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- tenth week and Allison Homes issues statement (WTPS)	13 Aug 05
- eleventh week – Allison Homes criticised (WTPS)	20 Aug 05
- thirteenth week/vandals cause damage	3 Sep 05
- M P will seek nationalisation/compulsory purchase (WTPS)	3 Sep 05
- fourteenth week/complaint from schoolgirl (WTPS)	10 Sep 05
- fifteenth week/celebrations planned for opening (WTPS)	17 Sep 05
- sixteenth week/dispute settled/opening date	24 Sep 05
- no official opening wanted (WTPS)	24 Sep 05
- seventeenth week/official ceremony called off (WTPS)	1 Oct 05
- eighteenth week and opening on Saturday (WTPS)	8 Oct 05
- call for inquiry/explanation of delay	15 Oct 05
- lessons to be learned from planning gain	5 Nov 05
- reply to criticism of under-use/it is working well	21 Jan 06
- survey reveals 3,000 vehicles a day diverted (WTPS)	22 Jul 06
- late opening resume	27 Jul 13
Road signs – new tourist signs on approach roads to Bourne	19 Feb 05
<u>Robert Manning</u> – new Focus article/no statue	29 Jan 00
<u>Robert Manning College</u>	
- web site launched	19 May 01
- £5,000 IT award with the Willoughby School	30 Jun 01
- resignation of head teacher Michael Kee in 2001 recalled	24 Jul 04
- new name from September – RMCSTVE (WTPS)	26 May 07
- pupils gave boat to clean St Peter’s Pool in 2002	18 Oct 08
- seeking academy status/history of school	28 May 11
- academy status granted from September 1	25 Jun 11
Robinson, Ernie – St John Ambulance Brigade certificate	10 Dec 05
Rochefoucauld – quote re what people think (TFTW)	25 Jul 09
Rodriguez, Pedro – quote re food and deerstalker hat (TFTW)	16 Jul 11
<u>Roman remains</u>	
- search at Willoughby School site (WTPS)	15 May 04
- more on Roman remains at Willoughby School (WTPS)	26 Jun 04
Roman roads web site by Biff Vernon	24 Aug 02
<u>Ronen, Ester</u> – flowers from Israel	8 Apr 00
- comments on unruly children	21 Apr 01
- breaks ankle and buys electric vehicle	1 Sep 01
- comments on “brave fight for town”	22 Jan 05
- regular reader now knows Bourne well	5 Jul 14
Rooney, Mickey – playing pantomime at Milton Keynes	9 Jan 10
Roosevelt, Eleanor – quote re damned if you don’t (TFTW)	23 Aug 08

Roosevelt, Franklin – quote re fear (TFTW)	3 May 08
- quote re elections and parties (TFTW)	17 Apr 10
- quote re end of your rope (TFTW)	23 Sep 11
- quote re schools not being economised (TFTW)	18 May 13
Roosevelt, Theodore – quote re man doing evil (TFTW)	29 May 04
- quote re old age (TFTW)	12 Sep 09
- quote re names (TFTW)	14 Dec 13
Root crop shows in past times	25 Aug 12
Rose hips – good for health and collected in wartime	23 Jun 07
Rose in winter/global warming	29 Jan 00
<u>Rotary Club of Bourne</u> - award to Baldock's Mill	30 Jun 01
- work in planting new trees in North Road	10 May 03
- more new trees planted (WTPS)	31 Jan 04
- short history and details of rose bowl award	23 Jul 05
- rose bowl winner for the Baldock's Mill wheel restoration	30 Jul 05
- tree planting in North Road/tribute to John Bentley	28 Jan 06
- award to Wellhead ground staff	12 Jul 14
Rotten buildings to be photographed	11 Nov 00
Royal Mail – see Post Office	
Royal Oak – plans to turn site into four town houses	26 Jun 10
- pub to be turned into flats	23 Oct 10
Royal visits of past times/Prince Edward coming	7 Aug 10
- royal visits of past times/Prince Philip coming	16 Mar 13
Royal wedding souvenirs/first mugs in 1902	12 Feb 11 & 2 Jun 12
<u>Rubbish</u> and re-cycling centres	5 Dec 98
- Don Fisher objects to my criticism	9 Jan 99
- more bottle and paper banks overflow	16 Jan 99
- more problems in Burghley Street car park	31 Jan 99
- move to restrict collections rejected	25 Mar 00
- dumped in countryside at wood near Thurlby	8 Apr 00
- freighters withdrawn at Deeping St James	8 Apr 00
- rubbish laws inoperative	8 Apr 00
- kitchen fittings dumped at Essendine	15 Apr 00
- why are our councillors so inactive of this proposal?	25 Nov 00
- problems at Rainbow amenity tip	10 Apr 99
- slow progress on opening new waste centre	3 Mar 01
- Co-op to end facility at rainbow car park	31 Mar 01
- Bourne might become a dirty place (TFTW)	28 Apr 01
- reprieve for freighter collections	2 Jun 01

- refuse collections may be reduced (WTPS) 26 Oct 02
- new collection system begins (WTPS) 28 Jun 03
- history of rubbish collecting in Bourne 5 Jul 03
- takeaway owners should clear up rubbish (WTPS) 24 Jul 04
- rubbish upsets Pinfold Road businessmen (WTPS) 20 Oct 07
- collection rounds to be reviewed (WTPS) 21 Feb 09
- collections not disrupted by atrocious Christmas weather 8 Jan 11
- government scraps plans for weekly collections 18 Jun 11
- more bins will be too many bins/history of refuse collecting 18 Jun 11
- rubbish disposal in past times/short history 25 Oct 14

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Rudd, Tony – BRM engineer dies at 80 (WTPS) 30 Aug 03

- Russell, Bertrand, quote re hating and happiness (TFTW) 9 Aug 03
- quote re indecision (TFTW) 6 Jan 07
  - quote re man being rational (TFTW) 7 Apr 07
  - quote re leisure time (TFTW) 21 Apr 07
  - quote re superstition (TFTW) 15 Sep 07
  - quote re nonsense becomes government creed (TFTW) 8 Mar 08
  - quote re pleasure from useless knowledge (TFTW) 14 Feb 09
  - quote re unimportance of time (TFTW) 30 Oct 10, 27 Oct 12 & 2 Nov 13

Ryle, Gilbert – quote re myths (TFTW) 17 Jun 06

- Sainsburys new supermarket – traffic problems 15 May 99
- opening on Friday the Thirteenth 7 Aug 99
  - official opening and traffic congestion 21 Aug 99
  - store expansion plans (WTPS) 21 Sep 02
  - Sainsburys improvements on the way (WTPS) 5 Apr 03
  - store expansion gets underway 7 Jun 03
  - Sainsbury's re-open with extensions 18 Oct 03
  - Coinstar Centre machine installed for spare change 1 Nov 03
  - small trolleys reduced in number (SW) 17 Jan 04
  - Saturday customers appear to be few 24 Apr 04
  - shelves often empty of some goods (Shop Watch) 23 Oct 04
  - crisps one of the most popular snack foods 12 Mar 05
  - snake in celery (WTPS) 7 May 05
  - new image for stores despite shortcomings (Shop Watch) 24 Sep 05
  - traffic problems in car park (Shop Watch) 5 Nov 05
  - double scan overcharge for goods (Shop Watch) 21 Jan 06
  - long queues (Shop Watch) 9 Sep 06
  - lemon tart overcharged (Shop Watch) 18 Nov 06
  - Canada Dry 80p more than Morrisons (Shop Watch) 6 Oct 07
  - price comparisons with Tesco's (Shop Watch) 6 Oct 07
  - wine prices increased at Christmas (Shop Watch) 22 Dec 07
  - price of Christmas goodies slashed (Shop Watch) 5 Jan 08
  - loading trolleys block aisles (Shop Watch) 28 Jun 08
  - protests over lorry delivery hours (WTPS) 5 Jul 08

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- fleecing customers, says shopper (Shop Watch)	6 Sep 08
- misshapen fruit to go on sale	20 Sep 08
- plastic bags withdrawn from checkouts (Shop Watch)	11 Oct 08
- now established as our leading supermarket	3 Jan 09
- snow causes panic buying and car park chaos (Shop Watch)	14 Feb 09
- 10 <sup>th</sup> anniversary of store opening	8 Aug 09
- store to expand/Tesco's new store may have prompted this	17 Apr 10
- official objection to new Tesco store	29 May 10
- encounter with oldie in the aisles	4 Jun 11
- too much queuing at the checkout (Shop Watch)	29 Sep 12
- long queues at tills again (Shop Watch)	2 Aug 14
 <u>Sainsburys town centre initiative:</u>	
- town centre improvements on the way (WTPS)	5 Apr 03
Salesmen and selling – public irritation	31 Jul 10
 Sales – when is a sale not a sale	 12 Mar 05
 Salmon, Dick – launches book about BRM	 16 Dec 06
 Salvation Army – memories of army days	 10 Feb 01
- added to Bourne Town section of the web site	10 Feb 01
- open invitation for Christmas Day festivities	22 Dec 01
- article on God by David Kinsey added to web site	29 Mar 03
- carols in Sainsbury's/short history of movement in Bourne	8 Dec 12
- old library building to be charity furniture warehouse	10 Aug 13
- old library building opens as furniture saleroom	22 Nov 14
 Samplers – including one from Dowsby 1881	 27 Mar 04
 Sargent, Sir Malcolm – visit to Thurlby church in 1913	 29 Sep 07
 Sayer, Leo – did the pop star once work in Bourne?	 19 May 01
- Leo emails to deny Bourne connection	2 Jun 01
- denial of Bourne connection	24 May 08
 Scarecrows	 26 Feb 00
- still to be found in the countryside/short history	15 May 10
 Schmid, Pat – dies in Spain aged 83	 26 Apr 14
- tribute to Auntie Pat (archive item)	26 Apr 14
 <u>Schools - general:</u>	
- private schools in Bourne	14 Apr 01
- school holidays	24 Apr 99
- The Deepings School – sculpture	20 Nov 99
- added to web site	3 Mar 01
- final school added to web site	7 Apr 01
- shortage of school places in Bourne (WTPS)	14 Aug 02
- turn away pupils for next school year (WTPS)	6 Mar 04

- new four-term year starts (WTPS)	23 Oct 04
- all mainstream schools in Bourne seek academy status	25 Jun 11
- all Bourne schools to be academies by 2012	22 Oct 11
- all mainstream schools in Bourne now academies	14 Jan 12
- shortage of primary school places in Bourne	12 May 12
- academies may not be such a good thing after all	22 Jun 13
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School holidays – are they too long?	28 Jul 01
School meals cost less than those in jail (TFTW)	11 Oct 03
<p><u>Schools – overseas:</u></p>	
Edgerton Elementary in Wisconsin, U S A	7 Jul 01
Lithia Springs Elementary in Georgia U S A	14 Jul 01
School pals reunion web site	9 Jun 01
School timetable fiasco – no time for maths etc (TFTW)	13 Jul 02
Schweitzer, Albert – quote re doing things for others (TFTW)	23 Jun 07
- quote re moon and flowers (TFTW)	28 Mar 09
- quote re man’s inability to foresee and forestall	11 Sep 10
Scott, Sir Walter – quote re tall tales (TFTW)	23 Oct 10
Scrap metal collectors	28 Apr 12
Sculptures – Bourne Grammar and The Deepings Schools	20 Nov 99
- sculpture stolen from West Road roundabout	9 Aug 14
- more sculptures should be put on public display	9 Aug 14
“Scum of Bourne” slur over bandstand project analysed	28 Jun 14
Sea shanty “Drunken Sailor” – the real meaning	4 Feb 06
Seasons and the weather	12 Aug 00
Security throughout the town – fortress Bourne mentality	20 Jun 09
- more precautions at Elsea Park	26 Jun 10
Selden, John – quote re drinking too much	10 Dec 05
Self-help needed for many community tasks	4 Apr 09
Sellars, Dick – cottage garden at Dyke	3 Jul 99
- obituary	28 Aug 10
<u>Sempringham</u> – Welsh memorial vandalised	7 Oct 00
- wind farm proposed for Sempringham Fen	11 Feb 06

- Welsh mountain named after Princess Gwenllian	3 Oct 09
Seneca – quote re preventing crime (TFTW)	14 Mar 09
Senior, Nicola – Forum posting re the beauty of the fens	11 Feb 06
Serendipity – added to web site	1 Sep 01
Service industries – plumbers and carpenters hard to find	12 Apr 08
Service, Robert – quote re Later than you think (TFTW)	3 Jun 06
Sewerage system in Bourne – a short history	3 Feb 07
- sewage smell outside Boots to be remedied	14 Jan 12
Sex education film screened in 1969	26 May 07 & 12 Apr 14
Shabecoff, Philip – quote re bulldozer and atom bomb (TFTW)	19 Jan 08
Shakespeare, William – quote re honesty (TFTW)	21 Nov 09
- quote re all the world's a stage (TFTW)	1 May 10
- quote re isle is full of noises (TFTW)	28 Jan 12
- quote re touch of nature (TFTW)	12 May 12
- quote re what's in a name (TFTW)	15 Feb 14
- quote re darling buds of may (TFTW)	3 May 14
Shame unfashionable – Matthew Parris quote (TFTW)	26 Jul 03
Sharpe, Charles V C	23 Oct 99
- medal to go on loan to Lincolnshire Regiment museum	25 Mar 00
- Charles Sharpe injured by bomb	7 Dec 02
- resume of his career on 100th anniversary of enlistment	3 Dec 05
- military chest found with relative	1 Aug 09
- memorial paving stone/location controversy	10 Aug 13
- citation from London Gazette in 1915	10 Aug 13
- memorial paving slab to mark WWI centenary	9 Nov 13
- date for laying memorial stone announced/history	10 Jan 15
Sharpe, Dorothy – seeking relatives	11 Aug 07
Sharpe, Peter – fishing article added to Bourne Focus	27 Jan 01
- SKDC damaging Bourne town centre/quote	3 Dec 05
- potted history of Bourne - best Forum posting of 2005	24 Dec 05
Shaw, George Bernard – quote re English language (TFTW)	6 Sep 08
- quote re food (TFTW)	27 Sep 08
- quote re family skeletons (TFTW)	17 Oct 09
- quote re holidays (TFTW)	24 Aug 13
Sheds, in praise of PLUS a history of them	18 Jul 15

Sheep killing – from the 19 <sup>th</sup> century and present day	28 Jul 01
Sheppard, Barry – Learning to Swim article added	24 May 03
Shilcock, John and family/Ida as a WWI nurse and her wedding	19 Apr 14
Shillaker, Harry & Annie and Shillaker Court	14 Jun 14
Shippon barn – arrow slits in wall a fallacy	29 Jan 11
Shooting should be banned	30 Oct 04
- pheasant shooters accosted by local residents	20 Nov 04
- shooting pigeons over the fen	25 Apr 09
<u>Shop fronts</u> are a mess and need to be protected	6 Dec 03
- many are badly modernised	11 Sep 10
- owners offered grants for improvements by SKDC	7 Apr 12
- scheme now underway in Bourne	20 Jul 13
- shop front policy not being enforced	23 Aug 14
Shop windows smashed in crime wave (WTPS)	10 Jan 04
<u>Shopping</u> - not a pleasant experience in some stores	29 Apr 06
- trends may change following economic downturn	17 Jan 09
- shop opening times considered inconvenient	24 Jan 09
- opposition to out of town shopping by traders in 1993	2 Jan 10
Shopping drive in Bourne	29 Jul 00
- reply to criticisms by the Chamber of Trade & Commerce	26 Aug 00
- shopping quote (TFTW)	7 Jun 03
- late night shopping/change of arrangements	11 Dec 04
- Buy it in Bourne campaign launched	21 Feb 09
- Bourne is a ghost town through too few shoppers	3 Oct 09
- Christmas appeal for more customers	4 Dec 10
Shopping trolley in Bourne Eau	12 May 01
Shops – boarded up like a ghost town (WTPS)	31 Jul 04
- cloned chain store shops should be shunned	23 Oct 04
- may become ghost town, says Local Govt Assn	7 Mar 09
- small shops survive only through popularity	6 Feb 10
- changing trades reflected by demand	10 Jul 10
- shops of past times including straw boaters	10 Jul 10
- empty shops yet SKDC to build more	23 Jul 11
- High Street shops at risk from Internet sales	10 Dec 11
- Sainsbury's chief warns of high street decline	18 Feb 12
- more shops close/high street decline	18 Aug 12
- still many empty/Two Jays moving (Shop Watch)	29 Sep 12
- opening hours past and present/a short history	9 Mar 13

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- changing businesses in town centre over the years	18 Jan 14
- council Shops Map misses off three locations	12 Jul 14
Short-changing in the shops	8 Dec 07
Silent majority – why they stay silent	6 Mar 04
- silent majority over chapel cemetery dispute	15 Mar 08
Silver Jubilee Queen memories	13 Apr 02
Singing at school when a lad – memories	4 Feb 06
Sinn Fein MPs at Westminster (TFTW)	9 Feb 02
Skateboarding	
- nuisance in Budgen’s car park	21 Jul 01
- skateboarders need a skate park	23 Feb 02
- quote by Celler Warner in 1978 (TFTW) 4 Jan 03, 26 Nov 11 & 6 Oct 12	
- skateboard park planned for old water cress beds (WTPS)	22 May 04
- water cress beds an unsuitable site	5 Jun 04
- water cress bed site withdrawn as unsuitable (WTPS)	6 Feb 05
- skateboard park necessary, say police (WTPS)	21 Apr 07
- skateboard park to be on the recreation ground	6 Oct 07
- skateboarders demand more cash from town council	24 Nov 07
- skateboard project likely to close through lack of site	30 Jan 10
- skateboard project scrapped through lack of site	5 Jun 10
- fresh attempt to open skateboard park	26 Nov 11
- rumours that it could be sited at the Abbey Lawn unlikely	10 Dec 11
- more rumour about Abbey Lawn as a site	25 Feb 12
- skateboard park to be sited at the Abbey Lawn	14 Apr 12
- youngsters defend project/ nimbyism/funding	21 Apr 12
- design published and it may be unsightly and noisy	5 May 12
- animosity between Bourne Utd Charities and ALSA	12 May 12
- town council refuses to run skatepark but supports project	2 Jun 12
- town council endorses “no backing” decision	11 Aug 12
- Notley family could challenge chosen site	11 Aug 12
- town council to consider running project/pitfalls involved	6 Oct 12
- Stamford project gets planning permission	27 Oct 12
- design and builder chosen/£150,000 now needed	20 Apr 13
Skin care products a waste of money (TFTW)	30 Mar 02
Slater, Jack – letter of support for Bourne United Charities	19 Nov 11
Sloan, Alfred P – quote re bedside manner (TFTW)	31 Jan 09
Slipe – memories of the glue factory	13 May 06
- memories of the Slipe	8 Nov 08 & 27 Mar 10
Small print – intended to deceive especially on radio/TV	20 Mar 10



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Smells over Bourne	13 May 06
- more smells in West Street and from food factories	8 Nov 08
Smiles, Samuel – quote re kindness (TFTW)	16 Dec 06
Smith, Adam – quote re state and happiness (TFTW)	3 Jan 04
Smith, Derek – D-Day veteran	14 Jun 14
Smith, Jonathan – compiles railway steam age exhibition	28 Feb 09
Smith, Councillor Judy – gives up holiday for duty	22 Apr 06
Smith the Grocer closes North Street shop	19 Dec 98
- Smith, Councillor John joins Bourne Forum discussions	26 Jan 02
- town council reputation defended by John Smith (WTPS)	8 Mar 06
Smith, Geoffrey – quote re looking at a flower (TFTW)	7 Mar 09
Smith, Goldwin – quote re beauty of churches (TFTW)	12 Jan 13
<u>Smoking</u>	
- among teenage girls in Wellhead Gardens	27 Nov 04
- smoking ban comes into effect in Ontario	3 Jun 06
Smollett, Tobias – quote re wise and otherwise (TFTW)	3 Mar 07
Smythe, Frank – quote re nature (TFTW)	18 Dec 04
Snake in celery at Sainsburys (WTPS)	7 May 05
Sneath, H A (Henry) and his account of Methodism in Bourne	16 Jul 05
Snobbery in Bourne	27 Apr 02
Snooping by local councils – Times leader (TFTW)	7 Jun 08
Snow in Bourne area	14 Mar 99
- snow arrives in Bourne	6 Jan 01
- snow over Bourne but just a sprinkling	26 Feb 05
- snow/memories of 1910 & 1916	7 Feb 09, 11 Dec 10 & 26 Jan 13
- snow reveals fragility of society today/heavier falls abroad	14 Feb 09
- urban myth stops snow clearing from pavements	11 Dec 10 & 3 Jan 15
- memories of 1916 snowstorm	3 Jan 15
Social Education Centre in Bourne closes	3 Feb 01
- money wasted on improvements (TFTW)	24 Feb 01
- overgrown and deteriorating despite words by M P in 1988	27 Oct 01

Society for the Protection of Ancient Buildings - poetry competition	13 Apr 02
Socrates – quote re children (TFTW)	29 Apr 05
Solar farms – they could become ancient monuments in time	5 Jan 13
Soldiers, old ones never die quote (TFTW)	19 Nov 11
Solzhenitsyn, Alexander – quote on lies (TFTW)	6 Dec 03
Sophocles – quote re evening (TFTW)	4 Sep 04
Soup kitchen for Bourne residents in 1867 (TFTW)	22 Feb 03
- soup kitchen in 1864	13 Dec 03
- soup kitchen in 1861	15 Oct 05
<u>South Kesteven District Council</u>	
- poor performer	8 May 99
- bus passes controversy	31 Mar 01
- council tax too high	27 Mar 99
- councillors condemned for ending democracy	28 Apr 01
- official newspaper is to close	15 May 99
- move to restrict rubbish collections rejected	25 Mar 00
- pay rise voted by councillors	2 Jun 01
- pay rise condemned	16 Jun 01
- street light burns day and night	25 Mar 00
- tourism web site opens	18 Nov 00
- grass cutting in Queen’s Road leaves mess	11 Nov 00
- Internet access for councillors	13 Jan 01
- Christmas lunch on the rates	1 Dec 01
- questions on public issues on community web sites (WTPS)	12 Oct 02
- unofficial SKDC web site causes criticism (WTPS)	12 Oct 02
- cabinet system under attack by Don Fisher (WTPS)	30 Nov 02
- tries to ban Internet web site	1 Mar 03
- is it doing its job? (WTPS)	8 Mar 03
- annual budget and number of jobs	15 Mar 03
- Cabinet/Leader system undemocratic (Don Fisher article)	22 Mar 03
- councillors give themselves a pay rise (WTPS)	24 May 03
- criticism in Letters pages of Stamford Mercury (WTPS)	31 May 03
- suggestion to hold meetings in the evenings (WTPS)	30 Aug 03
- councillors get laptops but cannot use them	15 Nov 03
- councillors may get a pension	29 Nov 03
- no note yet on pensions but they may still come	6 Dec 03
- quote by new chief executive Duncan Kerr re public consultations in the future (TFTW)	29 Nov 03
- pension scheme voted out (WTPS)	24 Jan 04
- public consultation meeting in Bourne (WTPS)	17 Jan 04
- varying attendance figures at above meeting	24 Jan 04
- still recruiting staff despite 6.9% increase in council tax	13 Mar 04

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- three quotes re council performance (WTPS)	13 Mar 04
- prestige advertising over council tax/value for money	3 Apr 04
- local assemblies proposed (WTPS)	17 Apr 04
- councillors cannot use issued laptops (TFTW)	20 Nov 04
- councillors get 3% pay increase (refused 23%) (WTPS)	19 Feb 05
- official limousine and an explanation	25 Jun 05
- housing job description unintelligible	6 Aug 05
- online web site forums get no councillor participation	12 Nov 05
- citizens' jury to check on performance (WTPS)	19 Nov 05
- public's low esteem of SKDC members (WTPS)	3 Dec 05
- time-wasting survey on voter apathy	18 Feb 06
- rules change over planning objections from cllers	15 Apr 06
- Citizens' Jury on the Internet	6 May 05
- Local Development Framework to 2021 (WTPS)	1 Jul 06
- motor bike rangers tackle dog fouling (WTPS)	17 Mar 07
- fail to recycle paper from council offices (WTPS)	7 Apr 07
- litter and graffiti problems in Bourne	21 Apr 07
- monthly magazine exaggerates wheelie bin survey	11 Aug 07
- pay-as-you-throw on the way, suggests survey	25 Aug 07
- SKDC says it will not charge to empty wheelie bins (WTPS)	3 Nov 07
- more staff, higher pay, means council tax increases (WTPS)	26 Jan 08
- councillor claims SKDC is a business	28 Jun 08
- motor bike rangers should be scrapped	26 Jul 08
- motor bike rangers have been phased out	2 Aug 08
- official line may not always be reliable (re wheelie bins)	23 Aug 08
- refuse collection rounds to be reviewed (WTPS)	21 Feb 09
- free newspaper <i>sktoday</i> should be scrapped (WYPS)	28 Feb 09
- planning applications "like confetti" (quote from 1999)	21 Mar 09
- chief executive Duncan Kerr leaves without explanation	11 Apr 09
- <i>SKToday</i> carries article on where recycled materials go	21 Aug 10
- high salaries of top executives/analysis of income	27 Nov 10
- all spending over £500 to be published online	15 Jan 11
- high expenses for councillors	5 Mar 11
- review of council elections for May 2011	16 Apr 11
- district council election results for 2011	7 May 11
- complaint in newspaper letter re public consultations	7 Jan 12
- public consultation policy quote (TFTW)	7 Jan 12
- rubbish collection policy attacked by <i>Grantham Journal</i>	24 Mar 12
- lose planning appeal over South Road homes	23 Jun 12
- housing waiting list – 4,000 names/440 in Bourne	6 Apr 13
- council tax increase in defiance of government freeze	4 Jan 14
- council tax increase scrapped	15 Mar 14
- government initiative to ban freesheets	11 Oct 14
- local government elections – campaigning by candidates	25 Apr 15
<u>SKDC – bus passes</u>	
- controversy over issue	31 Mar 01
- new bus passes issued efficiently	7 Jun 08
- extended travel refused – only council in Lincs to do so	14 Jun 08

SKDC – sale of council housing stock:

- plans to sell off council properties to a housing association 16 Apr 05
- futility of selling council houses to a housing association 14 May 05
- voting procedures condemned after suspect in straw poll 11 Jun 05
- Sedgefield, Co Durham, votes against a similar scheme 30 Jul 05
- ballot will cost £1 million (WTPS) 24 Sep 05
- protest group steps up action against sale (WTPS) 22 Apr 06
- council roadshow comes to Bourne to encourage vote 29 Jul 06
- tenants vote 76% against sell-off (WTPS) 18 Nov 06

Social Education Centre in Pinfold Road – history 19 Jul 14

- Solar farm project for Bourne 21 May 11
- they could become industrial monuments in time 8 Oct 11
  - solar farm at Limes farm completed 13 Apr 13
  - application for Manthorpe farm project 13 Apr 13
  - solar farm project for South Fen Road 15 Nov 13

Solar panels on Corn Exchange/leisure centre misguided 24 Mar 12

Somme, Battle of – 90th anniversary/quote from Bourne man 1 Jul 06

Soup kitchens in Bourne/short history 15 Dec 12

South Road commercial developments:

- Southfields Business Park - new £10 million expansion 16 Oct 99
- project abandoned 12 May 01
  - houses now proposed for part of site (WTPS) 3 May 03
  - new project with houses gets conditional approval (WTPS) 20 Sep 03
  - new 3-acre commercial development gets go ahead (WTPS) 8 Oct 05
  - SKDC drops Henry Davidson Developments (WTPS) 14 Oct 06
  - Burger King to have an outlet 16 Dec 06
  - water voles hold up progress (WTPS) 3 Mar 07
  - Henry Davidson dropped as developer (WTPS) 16 Jun 07
  - land likely to be sold for housing (WTPS) 25 Aug 07
  - Marston's, the brewers and pub chain, plan filling station and restaurant on 4.2 acre site (WTPS) 9 Aug 08
  - Marston's plc pulls out of pub and filling station deal 17 Oct 09
  - new buyer found for petrol station site 27 Nov 10
  - petrol station/pub restaurant scheme may now go ahead 31 Dec 11
  - planners reject all night opening for petrol station 19 May 12
  - 40 new jobs for pub/garage needs all night opening 4 Aug 12
  - new application for all night garage opening 3 Nov 12
  - SKDC agrees to all night opening 5 Jan 13
  - Texaco get franchise/building to take 16 weeks 2 Mar 13
  - work well ahead on new garage/monopoly to be broken 6 Jul 13

- South Street – accident black spot at double bend 15 Jun 02
- double bend danger at Gilpin's Corner/history 9 Sep 06 & 16 Feb 13
  - garage on double bend for sale for £200,00 16 Feb 13

Spalding forced flower show	12 Feb 00
Spanswick, Darren – smiling Bourne faces quote	12 Feb 05
Sparrowhawk killed on roadway	18 Nov 00
- perching in next door garden	22 Dec 01
Spectator cartoon re writing diaries (TFTW)	19 Oct 02
Speed bumps - 57 to be installed in three streets (WTPS)	7 Mar 09
- speed humps introduced amid controversy (WTPS)	25 Apr 09
- LCC says installation is effective but not all agree	12 Jun 10
- introduced in Bourne/history of speed bumps	11 Jul 15
Speechley, Jim – Lincolnshire County Council leader jailed	15 May 04
Speeding - motorists: appeal for clampdown (WTPS)	17 May 03
- campaign for 20 mph speed limit through Bourne	7 Dec 13
Spelling – bad spelling gives a wrong impression	30 Aug 08
Spencer, Herbert – quote re billiards and misspent youth (TFTW)	28 Jul 12
Spielberg – makeover for ET for political correctness (TFTW)	6 Apr 02
Sponsored events for charity should be more profitable	26 Aug 06
Spontaneous combustion in Victorian times	15 Mar 14
Spring comes – cherry blossom etc	6 Mar 99
- good to be alive/Japan/Alaska/flowers	11 Mar 00
- the arrival of spring (repeat of article on 6 Mar 99)	20 Mar 04
- survey into early arrival of spring	22 Jan 05
- quote from song re first day of spring (TFTW)	21 Mar 09 & 29 Mar 14
- dispute over the start of spring	13 Mar 10
- late spring and cold weather	6 Apr 13
- spring arrives for another year	29 Mar 14
Sports organisations in Bourne	14 Oct 00
Spring arrives a little later this year	7 Apr 01
Squirrels and wildlife	4 Sep 99
Staff, Dennis, an evacuee from Hull – added to Bourne Focus	17 Feb 01
- memories of boyhood days in Bourne Wood	30 Mar 02
- article on Fishing and Wishing added to web site	23 Aug 03
- message from Ottawa hospital re reading Diary	20 Sep 03
- delivery boys in Bourne during Second World War	4 Oct 03

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- open letter thanking the people of Bourne	11 Sep 04
- quote re responsibilities of charities	12 Sep 05
Stagecoach at Grimsthorpe	14 Sep 02
- stagecoach kills pedlar in 1829	12 Jul 14
Stained glass – may be health giving	22 Nov 08
<u>Stamford Mercury</u> - billboard misspells the word “grammar”	3 Nov 01
- follow up because they did not review my CD-ROM	15 Dec 01
- poor coverage by the Stamford Mercury	16 Feb 02
- letter re housing and should letters be anonymous? (WTPS)	29 May 04
- late publication a drawback (WTPS)	12 Jun 04
- April 1 <sup>st</sup> joke re missile launch from Wellhead (WTPS)	2 Apr 05
- photo-feature about black panther sightings (WTPS)	2 Apr 05
- Warners development badly reported (WTPS)	8 Oct 05
- no local obituaries in the newspaper (WTPS)	26 Nov 05
- Councillor Ray Cliffe obituary not used	8 Mar 06
- insufficient council coverage (WTPS)	26 May 07
- price goes up to £1/reduced local news coverage	15 Jun 13
- pioneer of provincial journalism	2 Nov 13
Stamford – web site by Des Scholes	19 May 01
Standards Board for England – an explanation	30 Apr 05
- officials visit the Bourne web site but why?	25 Jun 05
Stanley, Louis – book reveals secret life of BRM chief	17 Mar 12
Stanton, Horace – his home at No 20 North Road	11 Sep 04
- memorial garden overgrown and neglected	3 Mar 07
- Horace Stanton Memorial Garden replaced	29 Aug 09
State pension among lowest of the richest nations (TFTW)	7 May 05
Stealing – general appraisal/lead thefts	14 Jan 12
Steamer trips between Boston and Bourne in 1850	5 Jul 14
Stein, Gertrude – quote re space in USA (TFTW)	29 Jul 06
- quote re information (TFTW)	2 Aug 14
Steinbeck, John – quote re waste packaging (TFTW)	28 Apr 12
- quote re a book is like a man (TFTW)	23 Mar 13
- quote re amount of stuff thrown away (TFTW)	25 Oct 14
Stephenson Way – accosted by belligerent man	30 Dec 00
Sterne, Laurence – quote re knowledge of own country (TFTW)	21 Feb 04

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Stevenson, Joyce – complaint re council public consultations	7 Jan 12
Stevenson, Robert Louis - quote re old and young (TFTW)	27 Mar 04
- quote re saints and sinners (TFTW)	16 Jan 10
St George's Day in Bourne	28 Apr 01
- ban on flying the flag over the Town Hall	2 May 09
- council rescinds ban after national media intervention	23 May 09
St John Ambulance Brigade – Ernie Robinson biography	10 Dec 05
- short of members and facing closure (WTPS)	17 Dec 05
St Paul's Gardens to be widened for car parking (WTPS)	17 Jun 06
St Peter's Hospital demolished – plus some history	3 Nov 01
- revised entry for web site regarding demolition	9 Mar 02
- memories of the hospital laundry	13 Aug 11
<u>St Peter's Pool</u>	
- abundant supply of water in 1914 (TFTW)	3 Aug 02
- becoming dirty and neglected with rubbish/algae	21 Jun 03
- more complaints about weeds/rubbish	28 Jun 03
- once a dump for dead dogs and cats in 1891	16 Aug 03 & 6 Mar 10
- part of body's baby found in water in 1870	16 Aug 03
- St Peter's Pool cleaned by schoolchildren	11 Oct 03
- schoolkids continue cleaning campaign (WTPS)	1 Nov 03
- pool deteriorates even further	1 Oct 05
- deplorable state featured in newspapers (WTPS)	15 Oct 05
- volunteers pledge to clean up pool	22 Oct 05
- appalling state, say public (WTPS)	29 Jul 06
- BUC trustee says cleaning is impossible (WTPS)	29 Jul 06
- pool was cleaned in 1950, says Trevor Pool	5 Aug 06
- weeping willow on eastern bank dies	26 Aug 06
- appearance deteriorates further	27 Sep 08
- whereabouts of school boat to clean pool?	18 Oct 08
- still dirty for public events/should be cleaned by volunteers	4 Jul 09
- to be cleaned up and nature reserve established	5 Dec 09
- improvement work by the Bourne Green Gym	6 Mar 10
- Anglian Water denies responsibility for pool drying up	1 Oct 11
- water extraction may be responsible	11 Feb 12
- water levels almost back to normal	12 May 12
- duel at the Wellhead in 1830	25 Oct 14
<u>St Peter's Pool – black swans</u>	
- swans take up residence	24 Jul 99
- should they be pinioned?	13 Aug 05
- one killed by fox/the other dies/four cygnets left	7 Apr 07
- only one left/four new ones donated	12 May 12
- black swans breeding again/history	8 Feb 14
- another swan killed/why wings are pinioned	5 Apr 14

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- petition to ban further black swans	19 Apr 14
- petition has only 40 signatures	14 Jun 14
- goodbye to our black swans/history	16 Aug 15
Stocks used to punish miscreants destroyed in 1850	9 Jun 07
Stonehenge – mystic legends a myth	28 Jun 08
Stott, Philip – quote re myth of global warming (TFTW)	19 Apr 08
Stowe, Harriet Beecher – quote re tears over graves (TFTW)	16 Feb 08
Straw boaters were once popular	10 Jul 10
Strawberry season is here – rotten fruit in the shops	30 Jun 01
- bad flowers at the market	7 Jul 01
- lay-by sales near Stamford/best buys around town	30 Jun 07
Street advertising signs to be controlled (WTPS)	30 Oct 04
Street cleaner Patricia Coles civic award in 1988	29 Sep 01
Street clutter – government says it must go	4 Sep 10
Streets dirty (WTPS)	26 Jul 03
- dirty streets campaign by <i>Stamford Mercury</i> (WTPS)	23 Aug 03
Street light burns day and night	25 Mar 00
Street lighting in Bourne criticised (WTPS)	10 May 03
- street lighting to be improved/a short history	25 Nov 06
Street names controversy (WTPS)	22 Mar 03
- streets to be named after war heroes	31 May 03
- hospital site streets to get medical names (WTPS)	2 Aug 03
- streets on old hospital site to get medical names (WTPS)	30 Aug 03
- street names chosen for old hospital site	13 Sep 03
- police Superintendent Willerton Brown should be honoured	13 Sep 03
- reflect the loss of our green countryside	24 Jan 04
- flowers for Elsea Park (WTPS)	28 Aug 04
- councillors reject HMS Beryl (WTPS)	13 Oct 07
- street names history upgraded – some origins still unknown	10 Jan 09
- race courses chosen as new street names	22 Jan 11
- street names history	14 Dec 13
Street parties – are their days over?	2 Feb 02
- street parties celebrate VE-Day in 1945	7 May 05
- street parties may be back soon	15 Nov 08
Street patrols proposed by private security firm	13 Feb 10



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Street scene – upper storeys reflect old Bourne	25 Aug 01
- too much clutter/signs and obstructions	30 Apr 05
- SKDC begins moves to clear unwanted signs	15 Oct 05
Street signs vandalised	10 Mar 01
- new metal street signs wrecked	30 Oct 04
Stubble fields would make excellent winter “bird tables”	9 Apr 05
Study window – harvesting corn	12 Aug 00
- thoughts on the seasons	12 Aug 00
Sugar beet – history in the Bourne area	25 Aug 12
Sugar Mill public house – name derivation	25 Aug 12
- new pub opens/high standard for food and service	8 Dec 12
- new and longer opening hours despite objections	15 Mar 14
<u>Summer</u> – lazy days	24 Jul 99
- village events	15 Jul 00, 16 Aug 08, 17 Jul 10 & 29 Jun 13
- summer solstice yet weather is cold	23 Jun 01
- summer events/enough attractions at home	1 Aug 15
Summer Festival on the way for Bourne	19 Apr 03
Summer solstice and Stonehenge	28 Jun 08
Sunday School treats from times past	8 Mar 03
Sunflowers appear in the fens	26 Aug 00
- more on sunflowers and farmer Nicholas Watts	18 Aug 01
Sunner, Jo, osteopath, plans to start a brass band	10 Aug 13
Supermarkets – queuing at the check-outs in Bourne	18 Oct 03
- threat to small shops/Suffolk survey	1 Jul 06
- consumerism the new religion but we need supermarkets	12 Dec 09
- necessary for consumer survival	6 Feb 10
- disruption to society if supermarkets closed	5 Feb 11
- Lidl to open store/history of supermarkets in Bourne	7 Mar 15
Surveillance society has arrived/four million CCTC cameras	7 Feb 09
Swallow numbers declining	8 Sep 01
- late swallows in 1873	4 Dec 04
<u>Swayfield</u> gets new village hall	30 Jan 99
- village church smartened up	3 May 03
Sweden – journalist asks about Gladiator film	24 Jun 00

Swift, Private John – WW1 victim may be identified at last - to be buried in a new military cemetery	29 Aug 09 20 Feb 10
Tabor, David – memories of the market - copying parish registers to go digital	27 May 06 14 Apr 12
Tajikistan – visitor logs on/country profile	18 Feb 06
Takeaways – too many in Bourne, says mayor (TFTW)	5 Apr 08
Tallyrand – quote re speech disguising thoughts	12 Aug 06
Tar barrel rolling in past times	1 Nov 03
Tattoo parlour opens – comment re dislike of tattoos	15 Sep 07
Taverne, Dick (now Lord) – quote re plastic bags (TFTW)	26 Apr 08
Taxes – we need something in return - quote by Dr Theodore Dalrymple (TFTW) - concern about tax demands in 1848	10 Jan 04 4 Jun 14
Tax Freedom Day gets later each year (TFTW)	9 Apr 05
Taxi rank may be in the wrong place (in railings item)	16 Sep 06
Teachers badly treated by pupils (TFTW)	4 Aug 01
Telephone – mobile dial up triggered by cash card machine	5 Nov 05
Telephone boxes – a short history - telephone kiosk wrecked by sale sign (with picture) - kiosk in North Road vandalised again - kiosk in North Road vandalised again (in litter story) - the last payphone booth in Bourne is to be removed (WTPS) - payphones being phased out	3 Jun 00 31 Aug 02 20 Sep 03 29 May 04 13 Nov 04 24 May 08
Television – criticism of ITV programme Shafted - the programme quality worsens - The Knowledge a model of good drama - hours may be reduced/general assessment of poor quality - cooks need to be curtailed - the appeal of television soaps	10 Nov 01 1 Dec 07 25 Oct 08 24 Jan 09 21 Feb 09 27 Feb 10
Temperance movement in Bourne in the 19 <sup>th</sup> century	18 Jul 09
Temple, William – quote re church (TFTW) - quote re cricket (TFTW)	14 Jun 04 15 Jul 06

Tennyson, Charles – M P for Bourne in 1831/duel 18 May 13

Tesco

- Express store applies for off-licence 5 Oct 02
- service slow at Tesco Express 19 Oct 02
- no express at the check-out 28 Feb 04
- Tesco sales success (TFTW) 8 May 04
- still queues in shop and on forecourt (Shop Watch) 23 Oct 04
- the town's last petrol outlet is too small (Shop Watch) 22 Oct 05
- garage runs out of petrol for two days 17 Dec 05
- still long queues (Shop Watch) 9 Sep 06
- appraisal of opening/new filling station planned 9 Aug 08
- snow shuts forecourt (Shop Watch) 14 Feb 09
- to build new store in South Road 12 Dec 09
- history of Tesco in Bourne 2 Jan 10
- criticism of store/inevitable progress 23 Jan 10
- some opposition to new store in newspaper letters 6 Feb 10
- could Tesco house our police and public services? 15 Oct 11
- refuse to stock Bourne books in local history section 15 Jun 13

Thailand – mystery visitor to web site 20 May 00

Thatcher, Sir Denis quote (TFTW) 28 Jun 03

Thatcher, Margaret – quote re winning (TFTW) 14 May 11  
- quote re hindsight (TFTW) 19 Jan 13

Thimbleby, Sir John – dispelling Red Hall myth 3 Apr 10

Threekingham – litter louts 3 Apr 99

Then and Now – new series for web site 3 Sep 03

Thoreau, Henry David – quote re unjust imprisonment (TFTW) 1 Oct 05

Thunderflies arrive with corn harvest 20 Jul 02

Thurlby

- churchyard tree felled News item
- ancient tree felled 23 Jan 99
- history of old village school 20 May 00
- Youth Hostel to be sold 23 Mar 02
- Youth Hostel save by local councils (WTPS) 8 Nov 03
- airship disaster in November 1916 13 Apr 02
- praise for railway station from 1935 6 Jul 02 & 18 Feb 06
- Sir Malcolm Sargent played the church organ in 1913 27 Jul 02
- fen reclamation scheme (WTPS) 28 Jan 06
- removal of church pews attracts interest from N Yorks 11 Feb 06
- alleged hauntings at the old vicarage 31 Mar 07
- old couple marry at chapel in 1876 11 May 13
- A15 crossing too costly, says LCC 21 Jun 14

Thunderstorm over Bourne	27 Jul 02
Time capsules/Town Hall/Ostler memorial etc	15 Feb 14
<i>The Times</i> circulates £1 million gambling scam	9 Jun 07
- letter to <i>The Times</i> re young people's behaviour (TFTW)	9 Jul 11
Tipler, Florence – biography and visit to Bourne of relatives	6 Nov 04
<u>Toft</u> – derelict cottages	25 Sep 99
- potholes in the roads	21 Apr 01
- poor road surface	9 Jun 01
- council mends road surface at last	24 Nov 01
- perils of negotiating Toft hill	29 Nov 08
Toft tunnel – a short history	4 Oct 03
- coal found during excavations	8 May 04
- tunnel closed to the public (WTPS)	25 Nov 06
- mistaken connection with <i>The Railway Children</i> film	1 Jan 11
Toilet block in South Street to be replaced	28 Nov 09
Toksvig, Sandy – quote re celebrity being brief (TFTW)	10 Jul 04
Tolstoy, Leo – quote about meat eating (TFTW)	1 Mar 14
Tongue End – added to web site	25 Aug 01
- Vera Fawcett, aged 88, long time resident	25 Aug 01
- Methodist Chapel ended rowdiness in 1864	25 Aug 07
Tourism proposals for Bourne	2 Feb 02
<u>Town Centre</u> - general	
- dangerous streets after dark	30 Dec 00
- follow up to above item	13 Jan 01
- litter, booze etc “at breaking point” (WTPS)	14 Aug 04
- bar plan for Rowlands Sewing Centre withdrawn (WTPS)	21 Aug 04
- drunkenness in the streets is ruining the town (WTPS)	24 Aug 04
<u>Town Centre Management Partnership</u>	
- new organisation formed	19 Feb 00
- progress in nine months, particularly the flower tubs	21 Oct 00
- article by Town Centre Co-ordinator Ivan Fuller added	14 Jun 03
- mayor Trevor Holmes protests over closed meetings	1 Nov 03
- new town signs to be erected	27 May 06
<u>Town centre improvement scheme</u>	
- improvement scheme for town centre	29 Sep 01
- new design planned (WTPS)	6 Dec 03

- town council condemns town centre plan (WTPS)	13 Dec 03
- Ccller Holmes attacked for his criticisms (WTPS)	20 Dec 03
- town council endorses town centre scheme/poor attendance	3 Jan 04
- more simple explanation is needed (WTPS)	14 Feb 04
- public consultation meeting ends in chaos (WTPS)	3 Apr 04
- trade that is being lost by too few shops (WTPS)	11 Sep 04
- cloned shops should be shunned	23 Oct 04
- three proposed designs go on public display (WTPS)	11 Dec 04
- town council chooses/public reaction (WTPS)	18 Dec 04
- local trader criticises loss of traditional shops (WTPS)	18 Dec 04
- preferred developer announced (WTPS)	8 Jan 05
- traders worried about future of properties (WTPS)	15 Jan 05
- cost, time scale and types of shops (WTPS)	29 Jan 05
- criticism of consultation by a reader (WTPS)	29 Jan 05
- effect on listed buildings on the fringe	5 Feb 05
- developers meet shop and house tenants (WTPS)	5 Mar 05
- inactivity causes business blight, say traders (WTPS)	29 Oct 05
- accusations of slow progress on scheme (WTPS)	14 Jan 06
- some news shops named/Wilkinsons, Peacocks etc (WTPS)	25 Feb 06
- SKDC licensing committee rejects taxi rank move	1 Apr 06
- contract about to be signed for work to proceed	15 Apr 06
- archive item re promises in 2001	13 May 06
- developers fail to attend Local Forum meeting (WTPS)	22 Jul 06
- SKDC sacks the developers, Henry Davidson (also WTPS)	12 Aug 06
- residents/traders doubtful if it will happen (WTPS)	19 Aug 06
- a more modest scheme might be appropriate/plus retail park	26 Aug 06
- extra £1.5 million needed from public funds (WTPS)	31 Mar 07
- public opposition through letters to <i>The Local</i> (WTPS)	14 Apr 07
- demand for public inquiry into new cash injection (WTPS)	21 Apr 07
- survey into added £1.5 million cost (WTPS)	17 Nov 07
- inordinate delay in completing project	18 Oct 08
- time to reconsider in favour of bypasses	25 Oct 08
- SKDC should buy the Woolworths site	3 Jan 09
- SKDC says scheme will go ahead (WTPS)	24 Jan 09
- history of development since Aug 2001	24 Jan 09
- £3 million set aside/11 more properties required (WTPS)	14 Mar 09
- more properties purchased/workshops and two houses	11 Apr 09
- new policy of buying up land/second developer dropped	16 May 09
- everything still being done, says SKDC	22 Aug 09
- letter to the newspaper condemns scheme/also Bourne Forum	19 Sep 09
- unlikely to happen, says letter to the newspaper	3 Oct 09
- bypasses would be a better option	3 Oct 09
- scheme in doubt/SKDC orders a re-evaluation study	16 Jan 10
- SKDC to hold a public consultation	20 Feb 10
- no replies to public consultation	27 Feb 10
- East Enders takes precedence over consultation	27 Feb 10
- vox pops in Bourne streets to test public opinion	10 Apr 10
- £27 million scheme scrapped in favour of £5 million project	5 Jun 10
- description of scheme from Aug 2001 (archive item)	18 Feb 12
- description of scheme from Dec 2004 (archive item)	18 Feb 12

- first announcement of expansion in 2003 (TFTW) 9 Jun 12 & 29 Sep 12
- Wherry's Lane project a reminder of lost development 28 Jun 14

### **Future entries under Wherry's Lane development**

Town centre - covered market idea from local lady (WTPS) 6 Jan 07

#### Multi-storey car park under own heading

Town centre - shops eyesore angers residents News item  
- shops eyesore 12 Dec 98  
- empty shops criticism 13 Feb 99  
- more criticism of eyesore shops 5 Jun 99  
- criticism from abroad about eyesore shops 7 Aug 99  
- more shops close "Boarded up Bourne" 18 Sep 99  
- two big transporters cause problems (WTPS) 28 Sep 02  
- 30-32 North Street eyesores sold at last (WTPS) 22 Feb 03  
- traffic improvements needed badly (WTPS) 3 Sep 03  
- traffic problems over the years 20 Mar 04  
- the empty shops are to be demolished (WTPS) 13 Nov 04  
- new railings installed in North Street 16 Sep 06  
- memories of 1998/photo of eyesore shops 29 Sep 12

Town Guide published 13 Nov 99  
- new issue to be vetted by town councillors (WTPS) 5 Jul 03

#### Town Hall

- courts to end in April 2008 18 Aug 07  
- new uses to be considered including one-stop centre 19 Jul 08  
- to be a Community Access Point/complicated negotiations 22 Nov 08  
- short history of ownership 22 Nov 08  
- new use as CAP put on hold 16 May 09  
- future use/some town halls being sold off 20 Aug 11  
- more speculation after Peterborough proposal to demolish 1 Oct 11  
- services to be moved to Corn Exchange/future discussed 29 Oct 11  
- likely to be sold by LCC 21 Jan 12  
- to be phased out/financial implications 4 Feb 12  
- too costly to maintain 31 Mar 12  
- Louth town hall handed over to community/future assessed 18 Aug 12  
- short history of Town Hall role in Bourne 18 Aug 12  
- who owns the town hall?/assessment of sale legality 2 Feb 13  
- used for dances in the 19th century 16 Feb 13  
- will be sold quote from LCC (TFTW) 16 Feb 13  
- challenge over ownership and proposed sale 4 May 13  
- subscription document in foundation stone in 1821 31 Aug 13  
- raising the money to build it in 1820 7 Sep 13  
- foundation stone hidden by alterations over the years 12 Oct 13  
- newspaper quote re foundation stone laying in 1821 12 Oct 13  
- town council will bid to buy it/history 26 Apr 14  
- mayor says Bourne should have it back 3 May 14

- likely to be a cinema/talks ongoing	13 Sep 14
- cinema project scrapped because building too small	27 Sep 14
- dilemma over future now it cannot be sold	18 Oct 14
- saved for the community/history of ownership	28 Feb 15
- only the begging bowl will save it/cash implications	31 Oct 15
<u>Town Hall - access</u>	
- under threat from disability regulations (WTPS)	9 Nov 02
- access problems may force town council out (WTPS)	5 Jun 04
- access problems again discussed (WTPS)	18 Sep 04
- council move because of access problems is misguided	9 Oct 04
- more complaints about access/stair lift suggestion (WTPS)	28 May 05
- town council goes to Wake House for two meetings (WTPS)	1 Oct 05
- a lift is the only solution	21 Oct 06
- SKDC chief executive called in to advise	4 Nov 06
Town signs – four new ones to be erected	27 May 06
Trade magazines – their usefulness or otherwise	4 Jun 09
<u>Traffic - by-pass progress</u>	
- congestion at junctions on A15	3 Feb 01
- fair causes parking problems	4 Aug 01
- car parking problems in car parks	News item
- lawless drivers break the rules	5 Jun 99
- mini roundabout rumpus	11 Jun 99
- mini roundabout protests	20 Jun 99
- mini roundabouts open for business without consultation	10 Jul 99
- mini roundabouts working well	14 Aug 99
- illegally parked vehicles cause jam	16 Aug 99
- traffic accident of 1908	14 Oct 00
- wardens badly needed (WTPS)	26 Jan 02
- a fleet of small buses will solve traffic problems (WTPS)	25 Jan 03
- double bend danger in South Street	24 Jul 04
- lorry accident in 1993/need for an end to through traffic	9 Sep 06
- Harrington Street bottleneck/parking restrictions imminent	25 Feb 12
- traffic in town centre worsens/congestion daily	20 Oct 12
- campaign for 20 mph speed limit/bypass history	25 May 13
- congestion in North Street caused by unloading	7 Dec 13
	15 Feb 14
Traffic lights in town centre lights/roundabout	19 Dec 98
- traffic lights fail yet again/roundabout needed	30 Jun 01
- traffic flows on roads grow daily	24 Nov 01
- lights fail again/history of traffic lights	16 Nov 02
- the system is to be re-designed	20 Mar 04
- new system to be installed during the summer	19 Jun 04
- new traffic lights almost ready (WTPS)	25 Sep 04
- new traffic lights dangerous, says blind man (WTPS)	23 Oct 04

Traffic wardens:

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- police say warden not needed for Bourne (WTPS)	28 Jun 03
- due to start work next year/current situation	20 Oct 12
- little evidence of their activities in Bourne	20 Apr 13
Tramp story of Christmas when a boy	23 Dec 00
<u>Transportation to the colonies</u>	
- John Close sent to New South Wales in 1838	28 Feb 04
- James Johnson sent to New South Wales in 1838	8 May 04
Travel stress – quote from the Times (TFTW)	8 Sep 01
Travis Perkins – high price of red chippings (Shop Watch)	4 Jun 05
<u>Trees</u> – too many being cut down in urban areas	11 Nov 00
- uprooted ash at Obthorpe	15 Jan 00
- felled during road improvements at Essendine	22 Apr 00
Trollope, William – family connection with Australia	30 Jan 10
Troops - Christmas parcels for Iraq (WTPS)	22 Dec 07
- Christmas parcels for Afghanistan	7 Nov 09
Truant from school – memories of Ted Middleton	15 Mar 03
Tsunami in Asian appeal a success in Bourne (WTPS)	15 Jan 05
Tucson, Arizona, USA – parent thanks web site	25 Jun 05
Tunnel Bank – an account of its origins	10 Jan 09
Tunnel between church and the Red Hall mystery	6 Mar 04
Twain, Mark – quote re looking up family tree (TFTW)	27 Feb 10
- quote re golf (TFTW)	28 Aug 10
- quote re school boards (TFTW)	22 Jun 13
- quote re bats (TFTW)	17 Aug 13
<u>Twenty</u> – how the village got its name (Daily Mail report)	10 May 03
<u>Twinning</u> – visit to Doudeville plus picture of rose bowl	8 May 99
- request from Kerala, India	21 Sep 02
- Doudeville visit by Bourne party (WTPS)	15 Oct 03
- Twinning Assn seeks Doudeville Court as a street name	4 Sep 10
Twitter – Bourne web site joins	28 Sep 13
- Twitter statistics (TFTW)	28 Sep 13
U F O s and flying saucers	11 Jun 00



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Ugandan Asian refugees – memories of 1972 reception	13 Oct 12
Unemployment a scourge - Blair quote from 1994 (TFTW)	24 May 03
<u>Unexploded bombs:</u>	
Hand grenade found at auction rooms (WTPS)	2 Jul 05
Chemical bombs at Baston in 1965	22 Jul 06 & 21 Aug 10
Mortar bombs found in Willoughby Road	21 Aug 10
United States “best, fairest and most decent nation” (TFTW)	15 Feb 03
- U S president is always right (TFTW)	2 Aug 03
- USA a threat to the world – Harold Pinter quote (TFTW)	30 Oct 04
University of the Third Age (U3A) – error over workhouse	29 Mar 14
Untidy appearance of town – message from Bourne Forum	19 Jan 02
Unwanted callers – the pest of modern society	20 Sep 08
US hatred of Europe – letter to the Spectator (TFTW)	23 Feb 02
Vaccination – Bourne protest of 1897	2 Aug 03
Vandalism – a condemnation also at Sempringham	7 Oct 00
- at North Walsham church (TFTW)	2 Dec 06
- once punishable by the stocks and whipping post	9 Jun 07
- graffiti in South Road/police patrols would avert trouble	6 Mar 10
- Meadowgate safety barriers at road works wrecked	23 Jun 12
- cemetery seats damaged/resume of vandalism in Bourne	23 Feb 13
- graffiti at Baldock’s Mill	9 Mar 13
<u>Vandalism - Abbey Lawn: the Singapore solution</u>	6 Oct 01
- follow up with evidence from a victim called Karen	13 Oct 01
- vandalism poll and Living with Vandalism	29 Jun 02
- vandalism and riotous behaviour in Bourne in 1877	29 Jun 02
- telephone kiosk wrecked by sale sign	31 Aug 02
- rubbish bin & street bench	5 Oct 02
- Manning Road trail of damage with tractor at Rainbow store and Johnsons and Salvation Army (WTPS)	4 Oct 03
- quote by head teacher Tim Bright re whereabouts of kids	11 Sep 04
- flower displays in South Street vandalised (WTPS)	25 Aug 07
<u>Vandalism – North Road trees</u>	
- newly planted saplings vandalised in North Road	10 May 03
- North Road vandalism every weekend (WTPS)	31 Jan 04
- replanting after vandalism	28 Jan 06
- ten more trees damaged	5 Aug 06
VE-Day celebrations – boyhood memories	7 May 05
- boyhood memories/anniversary less celebrated now	15 May 10

Vegetable gardens are popular/well kept plot in Stephenson Way	10 Jun 06
Verger at Abbey Church (Phillip Pettitt) resigns	10 Oct 09
Victoria Cross quote by Prince of Wales (TFTW)	23 Aug 14
Vidal, Gore – quote re success (TFTW)	9 Jul 05
- quote re elections (TFTW)	23 Jul 11
Village signs stolen (WTPS)	14 Jun 03
Villages – Gypping in the March, a fictional village	16 Jun 07
Visitor countries – Tajikistan	18 Feb 06
Violence in the streets of Bourne	13 Jan 01
Virus in email – KakWorm	16 Sep 00
- another virus on P C	8 Sep 01
Visitor countries added to web site	29 Mar 03
- visitor from Sequim, Washington State, USA	21 Jun 03
Voltaire – quote re God and his existence (TFTW)	17 Jan 04
- quote re history being fiction (TFTW)	3 Apr 04
- quote re dangerous to be right (TFTW)	23 Feb 08
- quote re ancient history being fiction (TFTW)	18 Apr 09
Voluntary work – more people needed, especially the young	16 Mar 02
- rewarding opportunities for volunteers	7 Oct 06 & 9 Jul 11
- Mayor of Bourne praises voluntary work (WTPS)	22 Dec 07
- volunteers quote (TFTW)	18 Sep 10, 8 Jun 13 & 11 Oct 14
- volunteers better than pressed men (TFTW)	16 Oct 04 & 5 Oct 09
- Bishop of Lincoln praises county volunteers	15 Jan 11
- volunteers not being supported by councils	12 Jul 14
- more volunteers needed/general appraisal	11 Oct 14
Volunteers on exercise in 1886/Dad’s Army of the Day	16 Feb 13
Waitrose might be taking over Budgens (WTPS)	15 Mar 08
- company backs out of Budgens take over	5 Apr 08
- effect on the town of empty premises (WTPS)	5 Apr 08
<u>Wake House</u> – to become a community centre	13 Feb 99
- keys handed over to Bourne Arts and Community Trust	24 Jul 99
- the name should be changed to Charles Worth House	28 Aug 99
- computer suite opens	15 Apr 00
- facelift completed and property looks better	15 Jul 00
- may be demolished (also WTPS)	16 Oct 04

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- community trust must pay full rent, says SKDC (WTPS)	19 Mar 05
- campaign launched to buy the property (WTPS)	2 Apr 05
- campaign continues – “Give it us to”, says trust (WTPS)	9 Apr 05
- SKDC rejects idea of higher rent (WTPS)	16 Apr 05
- SKDC may hand over Wake House to the people (WTPS)	30 Apr 05
- SKDC refuses to sell to Arts and Community Trust (WTPS)	20 Jan 07
- skill courses to be axed (WTPS)	20 Jan 07
- centre to remain open despite IT suite closure	17 Feb 07
- poor state of building/trust applies for long lease	29 May 10
- architectural assessment by A Jennings	11 Sep 10
- SKDC put the building up for sale but tenants remain	23 Oct 10
- summary of sale by SKDC and implications	19 Nov 11
- still waiting for a decision over lease	4 Feb 12
- taken off the market/negotiations resume/history	24 Nov 12
- newspaper article incorrect/short history/Worth connection	5 Apr 14
Wake knot – how it should be tied	24 Sep 11
Walker, Murray – quote re Grand Prix racing (TFTW)	2 Jun 12
Walkers Books in North Street to close	23 Jun 12
Wallabies loose near Aslackby	12 Mar 05
Wallhead, Jack – oldest web site visitor at 91	3 Mar 07
- Jack Wallhead is still with us at 92	22 Mar 08
Walpole, Sir Robert – quote re history is false (TFTW)	14 Jun 08
Walsall - the ugliest place on the Internet	13 Jan 01
- Bourne mentioned on this web site	16 Jun 01
Walton, Isaak – quote re health a blessing (TFTW)	20 Oct 07
- quote re birdsong (TFTW)	12 Jun 10 & 10 May 14
Walton, Tony - litter in the streets/the Singapore solution	26 Jan 01
- vandalism and the Singapore solution	6 Oct 01
- health service in Singapore	16 Nov 02
Wand, Jack – dies aged 88	26 Oct 13
<u>War memorial &amp; gardens</u>	
- appeal for information by military historian Tony Stubbs	16 Jan 99
- gardens locked at weekend nights	18 May 02
- weeds around the War Memorial – photo feature added	20 Nov 04
- no reply to weeds criticism from Bourne United Charities	4 Dec 04
- VE day service/hopes that weeds will be cleared	9 Jul 05
- wreath-laying controversy over precedence (WTPS)	22 Oct 05
- fairly new and well maintained	19 Nov 05
- grass is disappearing	31 Mar 07

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- short history for Remembrance Day	8 Nov 08
- willow trees to be pruned/objection from town council	21 Feb 09
- short reference with letters from the trenches	7 Nov 09
- stone bridge repaired after frost damage	2 Oct 10
- search for Private Arthur Smith/missing names	15 Jan 11
- gardens to be improved at a cost of £40,000	12 Nov 11
- War Memorial history	13 Nov 12
- missing names from WW1 identified	18 Jan 14
- regimental plaques to be added	17 May 14
- more improvements planned	19 Jul 14
- 37 more names to be added to War Memorial	19 Sep 15
- war heroes honoured after 100 years	7 Nov 15
Warner, Lorenzo – biography	23 Feb 08
- skateboard park quote (TFTW)	4 Jan 03, 26 Nov 11 & 6 Oct 12
Warners Midlands plc expansion controversy (WTPS)	14 Sep 02
- expansion plans may ruin the Wellhead Gardens	29 Mar 03
- demand double yellow lines in Manor Lane	17 Jul 04
- seeking a printing quote but no response	26 Feb 05
- building of new £6 million printing plant gets underway	1 Oct 05
- new press hall development (WTPS)	8 Oct 05
- faulty chimney makes residents sick (WTPS)	4 Feb 06
- company celebrates 80 <sup>th</sup> anniversary	23 Feb 08
Washington, George – quote re friendship (TFTW)	29 Nov 08
Wasp nests increase in heat wave (WTPS)	9 Aug 03
Waste recycling banks need re-siting	8 Dec 01
- containers at Rainbow now overflowing	22 Dec 01
- the Rainbow facility to end on Oct 20	13 Oct 01
- new location for skip at Leisure Centre	27 Oct 01
- slow start at new location	3 Nov 01
- quote from Guy Cudmore re litter (TFTW)	2 May 02
- public containers not being emptied regularly by SKDC	5 Aug 06
- waste banks close because of fly-tipping (WTPS)	15 Dec 07
- SKDC announced review over their use	6 Jun 09
- SKDC announces their closure	25 Jul 09
- SKDC starts to remove them	3 Oct 09
<u>Waste recycling</u>	
- green boxes issued (WTPS)	18 Jan 03
- big green box system begins	25 Jan 03
- big green bins past first test	8 Feb 03
- but some complain about big green bins (WTPS)	8 Feb 03
- how it is in Forth Worth, Texas by John Hughes	8 Mar 03
- what happens to the recycled waste (WTPS)	8 Mar 03
- waste recycling Texas style	19 Jul 03
- it seems to be a success (WTPS)	26 Jul 03

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- extra collection vehicle needed (WTPS)	1 Nov 03
- big blue bins for glass issued	29 Nov 03
- a successful year for the scheme	10 Jan 04
- glass bottles in wrong box left behind	7 Feb 04
- collectors refuse to pick up bins after complaint	13 Mar 04
- importance of recycling (article by Linda Neal)	5 Jul 03
- it looks like being successful – survey by SKDC	24 Jul 04
- glass recycling abandoned (WTPS)	10 Sep 05
- wheelie bins on the way	21 Jan 06
- wheelie bins to be tagged to check on amount (WTPS)	20 May 06
- bin contents will go to Caythorpe plant/production figures	14 Oct 06
- wheelie bins push up recycling ratio (TFTW)	13 Jan 07
- history of recycling over the past 100 years	7 Apr 07
- Abbey School must pay to have waste collected (WTPS)	29 Sep 07
- new street bins installed by SKDC	20 Feb 10
- council collections do not discriminate with new bins	27 Feb 10
- remembering the green and blue boxes	27 Mar 10
- <i>SKToday</i> carries article on where recycled materials go	21 Aug 10
 <u>Waste recycling centre off Pinfold Lane - see also Rubbish</u>	
- Bourne is to get a new waste recycling centre	13 Jan 01
- new waste disposal centre needed urgently & why	
- still waiting for waste re-cycling centre since 1986	29 Sep 01
- rubbish centre finally opens	20 Apr 02
- rubbish centre fails to open	27 Apr 02
- rubbish centre finally opens	4 May 02
- rubbish centre opens 7 days a week	28 Sep 02
- pot holes to access road (WTPS)	5 Oct 02
- the variety of waste dumped there	2 Apr 05
- busiest place in Bourne	18 Nov 06
- public consultation over future use/fears that it may close	10 Sep 11
- opening days and hours to be cut to save money	17 Mar 12
- new centre to open at Baston	17 Mar 12
- shorter hours mean longer queues	21 Apr 12
- new regulations over unloading “laughable”	21 Apr 12
- Baston site given planning permission	21 Apr 12
 <u>Water – borehole sealed in market place in 1990</u>	
- shortages/customers blamed/leaks should be repaired	6 Oct 01
- new water main laid across the fen	9 Jul 05
- historic water pump sold to collector by Anglian Water	14 Jul 07
- historic water pump restored for museum	17 Oct 09
- burst main disrupts Bourne supplies (in supermarkets item)	23 Oct 10
- water extraction in past times/deep boreholes	5 Feb 11
- Bourne’s American connection	11 Feb 12
- quote re Bourne water the purest in England (TFTW)	25 May 13
	25 May 13
 <u>Watercress Days by John Stennett added to web site</u>	
- watercress industry at St Mary Bourne and Bourne	27 Jul 02
- watercress borehole bursts	3 Aug 02
	1 Mar 03

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- watercress industry crisis over river water	20 Sep 03
- watercress festival in Hampshire/short history of Bourne's	30 Apr 05
- Alresford industry booming/Bourne history	20 Jun 09
- revival of sales/benefits of watercress/thriving industry	19 Jan 13
Waterside Garden Centre	12 May 01
Water voles hold up South Road development (WTPS)	3 Mar 07
Watkins-Pitchford, Denys (BB) – quote re butterflies etc (TFTW)	8 Oct 05
Watson/Gibbons county court judgment of 1854	6 Dec 03
Watts, Nicholas – conservation farmer	18 Aug 01
- growing nyger seed in Baston Fen	21 Aug 04
Weather and the seasons	12 Aug 00
- bad storm in Bourne in October 1960	9 Feb 02
- heavy rain in recent days/the global warming myth	7 Jul 07
- very cold April is a talking point in town	19 Apr 08
Web site for Bourne – Bourne On Line launched	16 Feb 02
Welldon, William – father of the bill posters	14 Jan 06
Welles, Orson – quote re Donald Duck in the Senate (TFTW)	15 Nov 08
<u>Wellhead Field</u> – play area scattered with broken glass	11 Nov 06
- petition over damaged play area in Wellhead Field	19 Apr 14
- campaign to restore play area/background	4 Oct 14
<u>Wellhead Gardens</u> – trees toppled by gales	27 Jan 01
- excavations to improve Bourne Eau	13 Oct 01
- grass near war memorial flooded by burst main (WTPS)	31 Aug 02
- public seats removed	3 May 03
- two public seats reinstated	6 Sep 03
- the gardens need attention by BUC	11 Oct 03
- criticism of fallen trees and leaves etc	3 Jan 04
- poorly maintained areas need attention	3 Jul 04
- Victorian lamp-posts should be installed along main path	18 Dec 04
- dry spell reveals post holes – of the castle?	30 Jul 05
- Green Flag award scheme – why not the Wellhead Gardens?	6 Aug 05
- apples and scrumping in the Wellhead Gardens	17 Sep 05
- new printing plant overshadows north-western edge	1 Oct 05
- peaceful place/Russian visitors/St Peter's Pool deterioration	1 Oct 05
- Channel 4 TV Time Team to investigate for castle remains	8 Oct 05
- grass is disappearing	31 Mar 07
- Bourne Eau blocked by rubbish near old cress beds	2 Jun 07
- new seats and rubbish bins installed	31 Jan 09
- letter attacks poor state of the gardens	18 Apr 09

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- archive item re vandalism in 1977	30 May 09
- environmental award/wildlife survey	16 Jul 11
- lamp standards and bandstand suggested improvements	16 Jul 11
- wildlife habitat with wooden bridges and walkway added	27 Aug 11
- move to establish a bandstand by Celler Helen Powell	3 Mar 12
- 11,000 daffodil bulbs planted	7 Feb 14
- cherry blossom photo goes worldwide through Twitter	27 Sep 14
Wellingtonia in Manor Lane threatened (WTPS)	14 Sep 02
Wesley, John – visit to Bourne in 1782	16 Jul 05 & 23 Oct 10
- quote re enthusiasm (TFTW)	22 May 10
West, Mae – quote re keeping a diary (TFTW)	6 May 06
<u>Westfield Primary School</u>	
- Westfield C P School wall illustration	17 Jul 99
- bid to persuade pupils to cycle or walk to school (WTPS)	10 May 03
- quote by head teacher Tim Bright re parents and kids	11 Sep 04
- proposed move to Elsea Park (WTPS)	11 Nov 06
- move cancelled, school to stay on same site (WTPS)	10 Nov 07
- seeks academy status/history	25 Jun 11
- academy status from November 1	22 Oct 11
West Street then and now	6 Sep 03
- sewage smell outside Boots to be remedied	14 Jan 12
Wetherspoon's plan to open in North Street	17 Oct 15
<u>Wheelie bins</u> - on the way	21 Jan 06
- wheelie bins already have a bad name	27 May 06
- wheelie bins may be refused (TFTW)	27 May 06
- wheelie bins go walkabout	3 Jun 06
- they will not encourage more recycling (WTPS)	3 Jun 06
- binmen refuse to empty wheelie because it is "too heavy"	10 Jun 06
- they should fit into each other to save space	17 Jun 06
- Macclesfield objectors to get black bags back	24 Jun 06
- ten questions about the bins from Aslackby newsletter	8 Jul 06
- London streets full of wheelie bins	15 Jul 06
- home owners face prosecution for using the wrong bin	15 Jul 06
- electronic chips cause alarm/German system of recycling	2 Sep 06
- painted with psychedelic colours	16 Sep 06
- they could cause fly-tipping, says farmers (WTPS)	16 Sep 06
- wheelie bins arrive and they are too big	23 Sep 06
- SKDC says spy bugs are only a serial number (WTPS)	23 Sep 06
- first spy bugs returned to council	23 Sep 06
- Brynley Heaven removes micro-chips and faces heavy fine	30 Sep 06
- SKDC poor public relations exercise (WTPS)	30 Sep 06
- SKDC say no prosecution for B Heaven (WTPS)	7 Oct 06
- widespread media coverage of micro-chip issue (WTPS)	7 Oct 06

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- bin contents will go to Caythorpe plant/production figures 14 Oct 06
- twin bins dumped in Hereward Street front gardens 14 Oct 06
- environmental adviser says microchips should be removed 21 Oct 06
- microchips are spies, says newspaper reader (WTPS) 21 Oct 06
- SKDC challenged for data breach with microchips (WTPS) 21 Oct 06
- man fined £200 for contaminating recycling bag (TFTW) 21 Oct 06
- cut back on Xmas food and packaging, says SKDC (WTPS) 28 Oct 06
- microchips are monitoring not spying, says SKDC (WTPS) 28 Oct 06
- social habits of the neighbours revealed 11 Nov 06
- SKDC newspaper gives truth about microchips 18 Nov 06
- inconvenient access homes ignored/old plastic boxes problem 9 Dec 06
- wheelie bins push up recycling ratio (TFTW) 13 Jan 07
- they are here to stay/a good thing 3 Mar 07
- black bins smell in hot weather/weekly collection needed 28 Apr 07
- council survey says bins don't smell (WTPS) 19 May 07
- resident banned from using own green wheelie bin (WTPS) 23 Jun 07
- SKDC magazine exaggerates wheelie bin survey 11 Aug 07
- pay-as-you-throw on the way, suggests survey 25 Aug 07
- council will not collect extra rubbish with black wheelies 8 Sep 07
- 5,000 waiting for green wheelie bins (WTPS) 15 Sep 07
- pay as you throw scheme shelved by government 27 Oct 07
- cost of micro-chip scheme estimated at £500,000 27 Oct 07
- pay as you throw gets go ahead for England 3 Nov 07
- SKDC says it will not charge to empty bins (WTPS) 3 Nov 07
- inadequate collections over Christmas holiday 5 Jan 08
- Notts council restores weekly collections 5 Jan 08
- SKDC to charge extra for green waste wheelies (WTPS) 19 Jan 08
- do they are do they not smell? 12 Jul 08
- new sound on the estate 9 Aug 08
- official line may not always be reliable (re wheelie bins) 23 Aug 08
- Brynley Heaven ends wheelie bin protest 10 Jan 09
- collections hit by surplus of recycled materials 31 Jan 09
- pay-as-you-throw scheme that cost £500,000 shelved 31 Jan 09
- unsightly wheelies/campaign to provide choice of bin 27 Jun 09
- micro-chip debate begins again as 2.5 million are fitted 13 Mar 10
- extra silver bin will cost £26 27 Mar 10
- silver recycling bin collections need reappraisal 24 Jul 10
- look back after seven years 6 Jul 13
- the bins withstand stormy weather 22 Feb 14
- silver collection cancelled over Christmas 3 Jan 15
- effects of silver bin cancellation 10 Jan 15

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- Wheatcroft, Geoffrey – quote re illegal wars (TFTW) 2 Oct 04
  
- Wherry, Alderman William – his public record 4 Jan 03 & 1 Mar 14
  - Mrs Emily Wherry killed at Hunstanton in cycle accident 14 Jun 03
  - oranges for pupils at the Star Lane School 28 Sep 13 & 1 Mar 14



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Wherry's Lane added to web site	6 Jan 01
- graffiti still there	10 Feb 01
- still an eyesore that needs cleaning	29 Nov 08
- added to name and shame web site by local man	6 Dec 08
- property purchase enables clean up of lane	11 Apr 09
- rubbish cleared away after 10 years of neglect	13 Jun 09
- origins of name Wherry's Lane	11 Aug 12 & 21 Sep 13
Wherry's Lane development	
- new £4-5 million development project announced	5 Jun 10
- public presentation of scheme	17 Jul 10
- Masonic hall bought for £375,000/history of purchases	16 Oct 10
- flats/shops scheme revealed by SKDC	12 Feb 11
- more shops when others are standing empty	23 Jul 11
- contractor named/work due to start soon/lane history	27 Aug 11
- car parking spaces will be lost	3 Sep 11
- start now expected in 2012	10 Dec 11
- town council opposes scheme/short history	31 Dec 11
- scheme to go ahead/town council objections ignored	18 Feb 12
- SKDC and newspapers still call it the town centre scheme	18 Feb 12
- work begins/council euphoria about scheme	9 Jun 12
- work on target/artist's impression very striking	4 Aug 12
- flats will be sold for investment/summary of project	6 Apr 13
- six months behind schedule/Jan 2014 new completion date	19 Oct 13
- car parking spaces reinstated/work still behind schedule	14 Dec 13
- work halted on site/reasons for delay discussed	22 Mar 14
- reminder of lost town centre redevelopment	28 Jun 14
- car parking chaos blights development	12 Jul 14
- development may have been futile/general round up	1 Nov 14
Wherry's warehouse in South Street sold for housing	4 Nov 06
- Wherry's offer 60 new allotments in housing application	11 Jun 11
Which Online – poor customer/technical service	9 Jun 12
White, Beryl – from Clunes, Victoria, Australia	4 Aug 01
<u>White Bread Meadow</u> custom enacted a Bourne	22 Apr 00
- ancient custom alive and well	26 Apr 08 & 24 Apr 10
- 270th letting auction/history of event	5 May 12
- news report of event from 1924	5 May 12
- event held again/short history	27 Apr 13
White, Elwyn B (US journalist) – quote re Christmas	20 Dec 03 & 24 Nov 12
Whitehorn, K – quote re Xmas (TFTW)	28 Nov 09, 10 Oct 10 & 13 Dec 14
Whiting, the Rev William – quote from his naval hymn	17 Nov 12
Wife selling in past times – 1820 & 1852	12 Oct 13

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Wiggins, Ada – nurse at Bourne Military Hospital	19 Apr 14
Wightman, Ralph – quote re autumn (TFTW)	3 Nov 12
Wilde, Oscar – quote re salesman charging too much (TFTW)	23 May 09
- quote re old age (TFTW)	2 Oct 10
- quote re illusion (TFTW)	9 Feb 13
Wild flowers	
- at risk from thieves	18 Mar 00
- stolen from woods (WTPS)	19 Feb 05
- wild flowers have disappeared	21 May 05
- bluebells stolen from Math and Elsea woods (WTPS)	25 Feb 06
<u>Wild flowers - descriptions:</u>	
- buttercups	5 Jun 99
- celandines	11 Mar 00
- cowslips by roadside	24 Apr 99
- cowslips and their history	6 May 00
- cow parsley	3 Jun 06
- disappear from the countryside	7 Apr 01
- elder flower	26 Jun 99
- greater stitchwort in Dole Wood	20 May 06
- May blossom	22 May 99
- orchids, particularly early purple orchids	27 May 00
- ox-eye daisies	7 Aug 99
- poppies	10 Jul 99
- primroses in Irnham churchyard	24 Apr 99
- ramsons in Dole Wood	15 May 99
- tree mallow	17 Jul 99
- wild roses	12 Jun 99
- wild roses – a history	26 Jun 04
- willowherb – a history	6 Aug 05
- wood anemones	15 Apr 00
- decline of bluebells and primroses (TFTW)	8 Mar 06
- primroses in Irnham churchyard plus history	22 Apr 06
- dog daisies	10 Jun 06
- yellow loosestrife	15 Aug 09
Wilde, Oscar – quote re being talked about (TFTW)	22 Sep 12
- quote re keeping a diary (TFTW)	8 Nov 14
<u>Wildlife</u> destroyed by chemical sprays	29 Jul 06
- children know more about the Daleks than birds (TFTW)	12 Jul 08
Willoughby, Major Claud – election as M P in 1910	22 Sep 12
Willoughby School – OFSTED report (WTPS)	28 Sep 02
- search for Roman remains at site of new extensions (WTPS)	15 May 04

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- school gets top school award (WTPS)	17 Jul 04
Winchell, Walter – quote re gossip (TFTW)	22 Mar 14
<u>Wind farms</u>	
- proposal for the fens near Bourne	9 Dec 00
- wind farm proposed for Sempringham Fen	11 Feb 06
- turbines scare moles from Tongue End garden (WTPS)	14 Oct 06
- Scottish Power application on hold/general history	26 Sep 09
- government inspector gives go ahead for the fens	17 Apr 10
- general appraisal of wind farms	17 Apr 10
- they could become industrial monuments in time	8 Oct 11 & 5 Jan 13
Wind in the Willows – picnic scene recalled	30 Mar 13
Windmills – history of their use around Bourne	17 Apr 10 & 8 Oct 11
- they could become industrial monuments in time	8 Oct 11 & 5 Jan 13
Window cleaner’s job description	7 Jan 06
Window tax – government desperation in past times	13 Mar 10
Winds topple trees in Wellhead Gardens	27 Jan 01
- high winds cause havoc	13 Jan 07
<u>Wind turbines</u>	
- Dyke installation opposed	11 May 13
- Dyke project dropped	15 Jun 13
- quote re folly of wind farms by C Barnes, US journalist	15 Jun 13
Wine tanker from Germany passes through Bourne (with pix)	17 May 03
Witham-on-the-Hill village history published	16 Dec 00
Wittgenstein, Ludwig – quote re silence (TFTW)	6 Mar 04
Woman who made grimaces court case (1920)	9 Mar 02
Women’s Land Army – history and article	26 Jul 03
Wonders of the world in modern times	14 Jul 07
Woodland for the millennium	23 Jan 99
- millennium wood scheme condemned	6 Feb 99
- millennium wood scrapped	???
Wood Walton church restoration	2 Aug 08
Woolley, Cceller Norma (current Mayor) seriously ill (WTPS)	31 Aug 02

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Woolworths – long queues (Shop Watch)	9 Sep 06
- sweet counter revamped (Shop Watch)	18 Nov 06
- company in administration and closure is likely/history	6 Dec 08
- closes down with sale of stock and fittings	3 Jan 09
Wordsworth, William – quote re service (TFTW)	29 Jan 05
- quote re cuckoo (TFTW)	18 Jun 11
<u>Workhouse</u> – history and item on Workhouse Children	2 Mar 02
- Christmas in the workhouse (TFTW)	21 Dec 02
- vagrants bathed before admission in 1868 (TFTW)	29 Mar 03
- dread of being admitted/Boston man cuts throat	1 Nov 03
- Christmas in workhouse/history of Bourne workhouse	25 Dec 04
- Christmas Day in the workhouse	22 Dec 12
- tragic tale of Ann Roslin who died after childbirth	5 Jan 13
- the case of the tattooed lady in 1858	8 Jun 13
- identifying location after newspaper error/short history	29 Mar 14
- inmate dies after outside bath in 1849	10 May 14
World Cup fever hits Bourne – web site poll results	1 Jun 02
- World Cup and Japanese supporters (TFTW)	29 Jun 02
Worsdall, John – elected councillor, aged 80 in 1922	23 Apr 05
- election address caused a stir in 1922	30 Apr 11
Worst towns in England – web site and extracts	15 Mar 03
Worth, Mrs Ann – death date and place established	20 Sep 14
<u>Worth, Charles</u>	
- complaint on Bourne railway station	11 Aug 01 & 20 Sep 14
- scrapbooks of his death coming to Heritage Centre	24 Aug 02
- blue plaque erected at Wake House	21 Dec 02
- not a nice man to the ladies in the salon	29 Jan 05
- seamstress needed to copy dresses/short biography	2 Jul 05
- he kept his links with Bourne	2 Jul 05
- gallery opens at Heritage Centre in his name	22 Apr 06
- Nancy Astor's silk cushion in display	17 Jun 06
- Worth Gallery gets new dress	28 Apr 07
- to feature in American musical	3 Dec 11
- dress made of paper/book given to Worth Gallery	2 Aug 14
- Worth dress joins gallery display	20 Sep 14
- remembering his time at the Old Grammar School	18 Oct 14
Worth Court – to be demolished and replaced (WTPS)	23 Dec 06
Wragmarsh Hall mystery	12 Jan 08
- hall mystery solved: it was near Spalding	19 Jan 08
Wreath-laying controversy over precedence (WTPS)	22 Oct 05

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Wright, Frank Lloyd – quote re truth and the facts	2 Feb 08
Wright, John Henry – obituary	28 Aug 10
WWI – Letters from the Trenches added to CD-ROM	18 Sep 04
- extract from Letters by Oliver Davies	13 Nov 04
- letter home re Christmas from Pte Percy Lunn (TFTW)	25 Dec 04
- Letters from the Trenches published on web site	12 Nov 05
- memorial plaque for Harold Baldock found	14 May 09
- mass grave in France may contain Bourne man	29 Aug 09
- letters from the trenches	7 Nov 09
Wyer, Mrs Shirley, is an organist for 55 years (WTPS)	26 Apr 03
Wynne, David – evacuee memories added to Bourne Focus	24 Feb 01
Yellowbellies – origins of the term	24 Mar 01
Yellow Pages a waste of paper	21 July 07
Yellowhammer in garden	5 May 07
Youth – frustrated by unemployment (quote from Canada)	13 Dec 03
- youth may get too much too soon for responsible jobs	31 Jan 09
<u>Youth centre</u> – new premises on the way for Bourne	8 Feb 03
- cost of new youth centre is £400,000	15 Feb 03
- it may reduce anti-social behaviour, say police (TFTW)	18 Sep 04
- new leader outlines facilities/opening hours (WTPS)	28 Apr 07
- youth centre underused – open only four times a week	14 Feb 09
- charges youngsters £1 per session	4 Dec 10
- future uncertain/review in progress/history	2 Jul 11