



# Our Heritage Matters

## Cogenhoe and Whiston Heritage Society

When you cease to enquire, stupidity has you in its grasp.

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### Highlights of this Month's Magazine

Pub of the Month

Northampton Cattle Market

The Wharfingers Arms



The Gammons family war tragedy 1917

Thomas Crapper

Rupert Bear is 100 Years Old

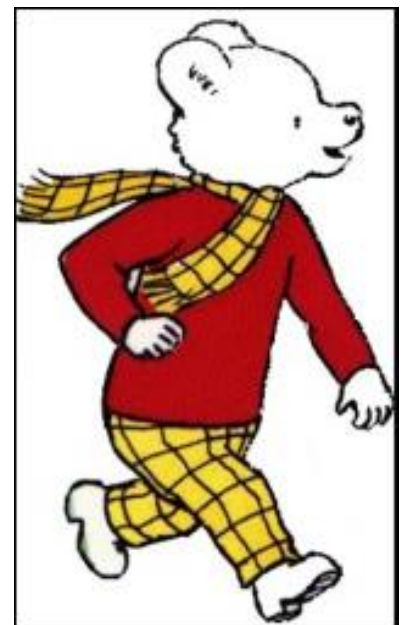
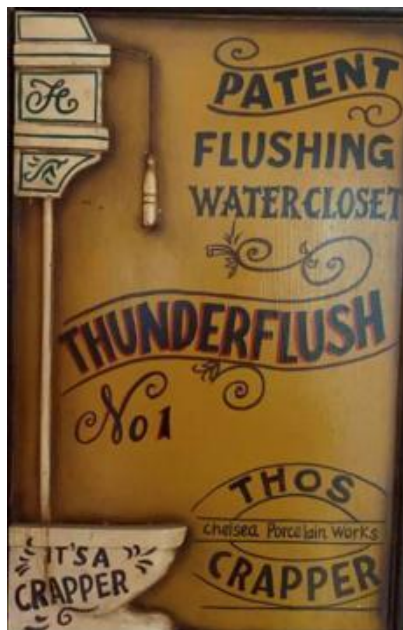
NORTHAMPTON DAILY

**AIR RAID LAST NIGHT.**

**MOTHER AND DAUGHTER KILLED; ONE OTHER INJURED.**

**Total Casualties: 27 Killed; 53 Injured.**

There was an air raid on the Eastern and North-Eastern Counties last evening; and some of the raiders penetrated some way inland. In all they numbered six or seven, and were over the Eastern districts for several hours. Comparatively little damage was done, and, for the most part, the enemy's airmen did not seem to know where they were. In one town ten or twelve bombs were dropped, only one of which caused loss of life or damaged property. An incendiary bomb was dropped on a small house on the outskirts of the town and crashed into a bedroom, killing the mother and seriously injuring two children, one of whom died during the night. The total casualties reported in the raided areas up to noon were 27 killed and 53 injured.



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## Notes from the Editor

If anyone has anything, they think would be of interest to our members either that they can create or would be interested in, then do let the chairman know as below. We would also really like a few extra helpers – you don't have to be on the Committee – to especially help with research to help produce this newsletter! Contact Peter Alexander (the Society Chairman) at [chairman@cogenhoeheritage.org.uk](mailto:chairman@cogenhoeheritage.org.uk) or [enquiries@cogenhoeheritage.org.uk](mailto:enquiries@cogenhoeheritage.org.uk)

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### Society Meetings

Open to all: non-members just £4 including refreshments and members £3. The full programme can be found on our website [www.cogenhoeheritage.org.uk](http://www.cogenhoeheritage.org.uk) Planned meetings are listed on page 19. **The talks are cancelled until further notice. We hope to see you all again as soon as circumstances permit.**

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