



# CORONERS INQUEST



## REPORTS

### **Inquest on R. A. C. Eddrup**

An inquest was held at Abingdon on Saturday on the body of Mr R A C Eddrup, student at Roysse's School, and a younger son of the Rev E P Eddrup, vicar of Bremhill, Calne, Wilts, who was accidentally drowned while boating on the Thames, near Nuneham, on the previous evening. Deceased and two companions went up the river in one of the school rowing boats, and, contrary to the rules of the school, obtained and hoisted a sail. A sudden gust of wind caused the frail craft to be capsized, and occupants, all of whom were good swimmers, endeavoured to reach the bank. Deceased got among the weeds, threw up his arms, and sank, his body not being recovered for some time.

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