

OWN - WERNER  
SHIPMENT RICKARD  
BYRNES

SUBJECT

PATHE NEWS H7/9

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NEG. :

B & W :

LAV :

LENGTH:

421 ft.

MAIN INDEX

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TRACK :

MUTE :

Medicine ✓

DETAILS

THIS SYSTEM MUST GO

Investigations into the conditions  
of institutions for old people.

① Homes at EPSOM, FARNHAM  
and CAMBRIDGE are visited

CROSS INDEX

PENSIONERS, OLD AGE  
(1.2.5.6.7.8.9.10.11.12.)

EPSOM (1.14) ✓

FARNHAM (1.5.7) ✓

CAMBRIDGE (1.20) ✓

INSTITUTIONS FOR THE AGED  
(1.5.7.14.16.18.20.)

NURSES. (5.6) ✓

HOSPITALS (20.21.23) ✓

OLD PEOPLE

(1.2.7.8.9.10.11.15.16.17.18.19.)

22.23.24.25.26)

Chesham Hospital ✓

FEET. ✓

M.S.  
24

Old people walking down  
a narrow, badly-lit, stone  
staircase

②

L.S.

Good elevated angle shot  
of above.

③

M.S.

Old men walking down a  
gloomy stairway with worn  
banisters and an ill-lit  
corridor.

④

L.S.

Exterior view of a modern  
institution at FARNHAM SURREY.  
(good, up-to-date institution)

⑤

C.V.

A nurse and two old ladies  
walking in the grounds.

⑥

M.S.

White coated waiters carry food  
on trays to old people sitting  
at small tables in a pleasant  
dining room which has flowers  
on the tables.

⑦

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- 8 C.V. a bearded man eats his soup.
- 9 C.V. Another man drinks a glass of beer with relish.
- 10 M.S. In an airy, cosy sitting room, a woman sits in an easy chair beside the fire, while a man plays patience on a polished-top table. Others sit about the room.
- 11 C.V. A man writing seen from outside a window.
- 12 C.V. an old couple chatting.
- 13 M.S. Various shots of cheery bed sitting rooms, where occupants are reading etc.
- 14 L.S. Exterior view of the institution at EPSOM, an ancient building with tiny windows.
- 15 M.S. } Old women walking miserably in the  
C.V. } back yard.
- 16 L.S. The comfortless common room where the old folk sit on wooden chairs.
- 17 C.V. } Various head shots of old women.  
N.C.V. }
- 18 M.S. Men at a long meal table drinking out of ~~the~~ enamel mugs.
- 19 N.C.V. Head study of an elderly, palsy-stricken man.
- 20 M.S. } Various exterior shots of the outmoded  
C.V. } building of CH ESTERTON HOSPITAL, CAMBRIDGE. Again, small windows are in evidence.
- 21 L.S. A ward full of old people lying motionless in bed.
- 22 C.V. One man patient lights a pipe for another.
- 23 C.V. The haggard corpse-like face of one of the patients in bed.
- 24 C.V. Pan of a row of women sitting in chairs, in a barrack like room. Most of them are just staring with a pathetic hopelessness into space.

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(25) C.I.U. An infirm woman hobbling  
across the room.

C.I.U. Her feet.

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