

BECKENHAM A BOROUGH.

CHARTER DAY CELEBRATIONS.

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Beckenham, flourishing town of Kent, makes history. Sir Josiah Stamp, the Mayor, receives London's Lord Mayor, Sir Stephen Killik at the boundary, and then escorts him, per car, to the Town Hall. It is the fashion in honours for just districts to become boroughs, and Beckenham is fashionable. London's Lord Mayor arrives at the Town Hall, alights from car, and inspects the guard-of-honour. Sir Josiah Stamp, Beckenham's Mayor, is a world-famous economist, and the Kentish town is greatly favoured by securing such an outstanding figure as its civic head. Now we are at the Recreation Ground in the midst of crowds watching the Lord Mayor handing the Charter of Incorporation to Sir Josiah Stamp, accompanied by cheers from the proud citizens of Kent's second largest town. Something attempted, something done, the Lord Mayor goes on his way rejoicing, and leaves Beckenham doing the same.