

ROBERT PARKER GOOCH

Robert Parker Gooch, Farmer and Veterinary Surgeon and later publican.

Robert Parker Gooch married Jane Heslop, they lived in a public house in the Randalls Yard area – Ollands Road.

1871 Census pub called The Horseshoes

1881 Census known as The Shoes.

Robert and Jane had three daughters.

The eldest married Mark Eglington, their second son Sidney (Togo) Eglington was brought up by the Gooch's after his mother died. The eldest son was brought up by his paternal grandparents.

The youngest daughter Catherine Richardson Gooch married Arnold George Beaver. Robert Parker Gooch bought the property at 5 Hackford Road (now Norwich Road) and gave it to Arnold and Catherine Beaver.

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