# CIVIL PARISH OF CHESTERTON (Cont'd.)

### LITTLE CHESTERTON

20/3

III

Grange Farmhouse

Uninhabited for past 6 years. Probable origin c.1700
Derelict. 2s. Crsd.rbl. St. sl. rf. Casement ws. Bold projecting st.stack on W.gbl. with renewed top. Staircase projection on S. Rf. in bad state.

## CIVIL PARISH OF COTTISFORD

### COTTISFORD

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Church of St. Mary

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Ι

Manor House

Parish Church.
Origin C.13 but very much restored. In churchyard base and part of pillar of ancient cross.

Origin C.13 with adds. in C.16 and alterations in C.19. 2s. drsd. rbl., approx 2'6" thick in old parts, with attic. Mod.fenestration except those described below. Welsh sl. rf. Existing plan rect. l.a. N-S with 2 unequal-sized projections on W. with a lean-to between them. The C.13 bldg. was a first-floor hall type and this was remodelled with add. in C.16. The C.13 solar was on first floor N. side and retains 2 lancet w. in N. wall; from the solar opens a garderobe with early st. basin and drain; On the N. side above this solar is an attic with an early C.13 2-light w. in N.gbl. with probably C.16 rf. timbers. At N.W. angle is an early chimney-like shaft (Parker says C.14 but possibly C.16) which is octagonal on a sq. mld. base and has a battlemented cresting, the fireplace to which has gone (or it may have been a vent to the garderobe). Int:- much modernised but fittings include a C.16 st. fireplace in gd. fl. room and some mld. ceiling beams. Mod. staircase in centre at back. For plan and drawings of detail see Hudson Turner's (Ed. Parker) "Domestic Architecture in England" (1877), 'C.13 Domestic Architecture in England' Architectural Journal Vol.CV Supp:1950.by

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E. Hargaret Wood; also J. C. Blomfield, "History of Cottisford" (1887), 12; "Oxford-shire Architectural Society Report" 84 (1938), 52-3; N.B.R. photograph.

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II

Cottisford House

Early C.18 with early C.19 alterations and adds. Well restored recently. 2s. with 3 attic dorms. in hipped rf. on S. front. Crsd. rbl. with ashl. qu. Three sash w. Tiled rf. Sq. in plan with lower add. on W. S. front has mld. doorway with broken ped. and a bold mld. and modillioned cornice. In garden to N.E. of house is an ancient brick dovecote, sq. and now roofless. ("Country Life", 83 (1938), p.xxi; N.B.R. photographs; J. C. Blomfield, "History of Cottisford" (1887), 22-23).

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# CIVIL PARISH OF FENCOUT AND MURCOTT

#### FINCOTT

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III

Farmhouse immediately S. of Black Bull Inn

Dated on s. gbl. end "W: T.E. 1737". 2s. Crsd. rbl. Gbld. attic dorm. Brown tile rf. Brick stacks. Sash w. in mod. wood frames. Wood trellis porch with Welsh sl. rf. L-shaped plan.

### MURCOTT

30/10

III

Nut Tree Public House

2s. Crsd. rbl. Thatch rf. Two brick stacks, one on st. base. Casement w. One small 3-sided tiled rf. bay w. to front. Rect. plan.

### CIVIL PARISH OF FINMERE

# FINERE

Most of the cottages in village are rbl. and thatch.