



Bletsoe Castle yard from the east, c1905

The rear yard of Bletsoe Castle showing the outbuildings and gas tank. The central group of single-story buildings, and the pump and troughs have since been demolished. The large cylindrical tank at left indicates that, like many larger country houses of the period, Bletsoe Castle had its own gas-making plant for lighting.

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Bletsoe Castle yard c1912

Margaret Lois Campion riding side-saddle. Lois (b1898) was the daughter of Edward who farmed at Knotting Strawberry Hill and Bourne End, and granddaughter of Henry who farmed at Bletsoe Castle. She never married, but in later life she became bursar of Cheltenham Ladies College. Edward's other daughters were Doris Eleanor and Winifred Ethel.

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