# 100 YEARS AGO

IT is reported from East Kent that the outlook for fruit this season is not encouraging. The hard winter and late frosts have been very injurious to the trees and bushes.

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Coleford Police Court: Meshach Selby, Abednego Selby and John Taylor, youths, of Ellwood, were fined, the first named 2s 6d and costs, he being an old offender, and the others 1s each and 1s 6d costs, for gambling on Sunday.

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Littledean Police Court: George Brain, James Brain, and William Church, youths, were summoned for playing pitch and toss on Sunday evening last at Bilston Green. Pc white proved the case. The defendants were let off on paying costs and ordered to come up for judgement when called.