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Parkes Drug Store, 313 Lavender Hill, Battersea in about 1908. (Patrick Loobey Collection)

There's another clutch of splendid features in the latest issue of the *Wandsworth Historian*, including the tragic story of William Borradaile, the Vicar of Wandsworth 1822-38; the provision of housing for single professional women in Putney between the wars; and an insight into Edwardian drug stores in south-west London and how their proprietors set out to attract more customers. Other items reveal the name of the magazine that every Battersea anti-suffrage supporter wanted to read in 1910, and explore the marketing of locally-produced top-quality tennis rackets in the 1930s.

All this and more in the Autumn 2020 issue of the *Wandsworth Historian* (ISSN 1751-9225), the journal that brings you the latest research into Wandsworth's past.

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