

Oakwood Stores (58 Oakwood Rd) c.1920



This photo was taken in the 1920s. Originally, it was thought this photo may have been of the shop on the opposite corner of Oakwood Rd - which later became Webb's cycle shop - but the houses in the background strongly suggest this was 58 Oakwood Rd. The house in the distance - which you can no longer see from this location - is in Ripon Rd. The shop was still a grocer's shop in the 1970s (Briscoe's)



On the left - No.58 today, now a family home

Below - the house in Ripon Rd, which can be seen in the original photo, but is blocked by a newer house in the photo on the left.

Thanks to Anna Ward for the photo. Anna's grandfather had worked in the shop at one time.

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