

# Bygone Buses

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## JEWERS. Bertram Cornelius George Hotel Garage George Street KETTERING

Bertram Cornelius Jewers was a Motor Proprietor trading from the George Hotel Garage in George Street, Kettering during and after the First World War.

Cornelius Jewers gained his first Omnibus and Drivers' licences from the Streets, Buildings and Sanitary Committee of Kettering Urban District Council on 30th January 1918 but the Author has discovered no information to suggest the points between which Jewers ran his buses. A year later, on 29th January 1919, Jewers was again granted licences for an omnibus and for himself to drive. Operating in conjunction with a hotel, Jewers may well have provided a bespoke service for guests staying at the George, taking them to and from the Railway Station and on other short journeys.

Certainly Cornelius Jewers also operated taxis and as he was granted no further licences for omnibuses it is assumed he abandoned this part of his business by late 1919. Taxis that Jewers is known to have owned are listed below but no details of buses have been forthcoming.

It is understood that Jewers continued as a general motor engineer and retailer of petrol from his George Street premises until the late 1950s/early 1960s.

### Rolling Stock:

Regn. No.	Chassis	Type	Chassis No.	Body	Seats	Body No.	Dates			Former Owner	Disposal	Nts
							New	S/H	W/D			
NH 1827	Daimler	25hp			6		3/16	1/20	2/27			
BD 3614	Sea-brook Joliet?				4		1/21	by 3/22	by 12/26			
BD 8650			32033		8		1/24	—	12/34			

Bygone Buses of Northamptonshire is compiled by R M Warwick, "Torestyn" 101 Broadway East, Northampton NN3 2PP, who would be pleased to be advised of any additional information relating to the above operator. The records of the PSV Circle and the Omnibus Society have been consulted extensively for this series and acknowledgement and thanks are due to these organisations.

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BUSINESS NOTICES.

### PETROL.

'PHONE 186, KETTERING.  
TRADE SUPPLIED.

It will be of Interest to all Motorists to  
know an

#### ALL-NIGHT SERVICE

IS CATERED FOR AT THE  
**GEORGE STREET GARAGE**  
KETTERING.

PETROL SLOT METERS  
HAVE BEEN INSTALLED.

:- CARS FOR HIRE. -:

ANY MAKE OF CAR SUPPLIED.  
EXCHANGES ARRANGED.

Proprietor:

**B. C. JEWERS, F.I.M.T.**

*A facsimile of Jewer's advertisement appearing  
in the Kettering Evening Telegraph for Saturday  
9th April 1927.*



*Bertram Jewer's Kettering George Street garage.*