



■ Superintendent registrar Winifrede Bartosch presides as Janice Read and Kenneth Stock take the plunge.

## Wedding marks end of era

IT was the end of an era on Saturday when a couple from Chalford became the last newly-weds to step out from Stroud's old register office.

Within hours of Janice Read (45), from France Lynch, and Kenneth Stock (47), from Chalford Hill, tying the knot, workmen started moving thousands of documents to the new register office at the former Parliament Street School.

The move will be a boost to future brides and bridegrooms as the current office in London Road is cramped, has no disabled access and opens on to a

busy new road.

Superintendent Registrar Winifrede Bartosch said she hoped to increase the number of couples using the new office as it is in a quieter setting with improved parking and a larger room. 27.3.95

The school has moved to new premises off Bisley Road.

The first wedding at the new facility is expected to be on Friday.

Bosses have announced an open day on April 8 from 2-5pm for couples who would like to look around the new building.