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THE VICARAGE,

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MY DEAR FRIENDS,

It is only possible to print a portion of the Easter Accounts this month, the rest will appear in June. It will be noticed that the Day School Building Fund shows a large balance in hand, but the Managers have been required to carry out so many alterations that most of this balance will be needed to meet the cost. A new cloak room has been built for the Girls' School, and a large number of repairs and alterations are being effected at a cost of £180. In future the Managers will receive no grants, and they will depend entirely upon voluntary subscriptions for the maintenance of the School Buildings.

At the Vestry Meeting, held on Thursday in Easter week, our well tried churchwardens, Mr. Vine Griffiths and Mr. A. E. Storey were re-appointed, and the following were elected sidesmen: Messrs. E. A. Joseph, K. W. Edwards, A. E. Jones, H. Cremer, C. R. Foster, F. J. Carless, A. W. Daines, T. Larcombe, W. T. Lowdell, W. Newton, G. F. Stutchbury, A. F. Lloyd, Herbert S. Job, C. Carter, I. Golden, A. C. Tidey, A. J. Kestin, E. Etlinger and C. Bearcroft. Hearty votes of thanks were given to all the church officers for their past services. A resolution was unanimously passed requesting the Churchwardens to ascertain the cost of establishing the electric light in the Church, with a view to its adoption if practicable. The Churchwardens' account shows a balance in hand, but there are several bills unpaid, and there is really a deficiency, chiefly owing to various improvements that have been effected.

The offertories on May 8th will be for the Bishop of London's Fund, and the Bishop earnestly appeals for generous support, so that at least one new Church may be built for the growing needs of London.

The S.P.G. Missionary Working Party closed last month, and the work done was despatched to

the Society. The Secretary writes in acknowledgment to Mrs. Job,—“Thank you very much for the most acceptable box of clothing, games, &c. It will be divided between the parishes of All Saints, S. Marks, and S. Cuthbert's, Chinabasa.” Boxes of work and subscriptions have also been sent to the Colonial and Continental Church Society, and the Secretary writes to Mrs. Job:—“Very many thanks for so kindly sending me the £2 5s. od. and the boxes of work, which we are always so glad to receive. Your contributions are always a valuable addition to our stores, and we look forward to their arrival. Please thank the members heartily for their help.”

I have great pleasure in acknowledging with grateful thanks a handsome gift to the Church of two large and beautiful Prayer Books, from the Rev. C. C. Collins, in memory of his wife who died a year ago and was buried here.

There will be a Meeting of the Subscribers to the Day Schools, in the Vestry, on Wednesday evening, the 11th inst., at 8 p.m., for the purpose of electing three Managers. Mr. Foster, Mr. Griffiths and Mr. Joseph are the retiring Managers, and they offer themselves for re-election. All Subscribers of half-a-crown and upwards have a vote. The Act of Parliament provides that voting may be in writing as well as in person. Subscribers unable to be present are requested to write to me before the meeting, stating for whom they wish to vote. Each Subscriber can vote for three Candidates.

On Whit Sunday there will be celebrations of the Holy Communion at 7 a.m., 8 a.m. and mid-day, and I would remind you that this is one of the days upon which we are all specially directed to take this Sacrament.

I am, my dear Friends,

Yours very sincerely,

CHARLES R. JOB.

OFFERTORIES.

	11 a.m.	7 p.m.	TOTAL.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Mar. 27—Church Expenses ...	2 18 0	1 9 6	4 7 6
April 3—Easter Offerings, 6.45 a.m., £1 8s. 1d.; 8 a.m., £12 13s. 0d....	27 17 3	3 4 2	45 2 6
„ 10—Curate's Fund ...	3 5 2	1 12 0	4 17 2
„ 17—Church Expenses ...	3 8 4	1 11 3	4 19 7
„ 1—Good Friday (Rescue Society) ...	3 3 0	0 13 1	3 16 1
Early Celebrations (Poor Fund) Mar. 27, 8/-; Apr. 10, 8/3; Apr. 17, 7/7 ...	...	...	1 3 10
Children's Services (Missions), Mar. 27, 1/9; Apr. 3, 8/-; Apr. 10, 5/11; Apr. 17, 2/3 ...	...	...	0 17 11
Special Celebrations, Mar. 24, Thursdays, 5/-; Mar. 31, 10/-; Mar. 25, The Annunciation, 6/6; Apr. 4, 7/4; Apr. 5, 2/6 ...	...	...	1 11 4
Special Services, G.F.S. (Home of Rest) ...	...	...	0 3 4
Apr. 22, Rescue & Preventive Society	...	...	0 19 4
			<u>£67 18 7</u>

BAPTISMS.

"Grant, O Lord, that they may have power and strength to have victory and to triumph, against the Devil, the World and the Flesh. Amen."

Mar. 23—Charles Alfred Holmes.
Apr. 3—Laura Kate Jennings.
„ 3—Florence Elizabeth Ward.
„ 3—Ada Florence Boulonnois.
„ 4—Dorothy Hilda Ransom.
„ 7—William Charles Paice.
„ 7—Stanley John Paice.
„ 7—Edith May Coventry.
„ 10—Hugo Ferguson Halls.
„ 17—William Henry Coup.

BURIALS.

"I am the resurrection and the life saith the Lord, he that believeth in Me, though he were dead, yet shall he live, and whosoever liveth and believeth in Me shall never die."—

St. John, xi, 25, 26.

Mar. 25—William Backhurst, aged 83 years.
„ 26—Flora Clevely, aged 2 years 10 months.
„ 28—Henry Hayler, aged 53 years.
Apr. 21—Sarah Young, aged 84 years.

HYMNS FOR THE MONTH.

DATE.	MORNING.	AFTERNOON.	EVENING.
May 1	411 322	338 199 432	222 199 439
„ 4	...	...	290 178 (1)
„ 8	143 527 505	332 342 341	142 196 179 468
Ascension Day.	...	...	142 196 179 468
May 15	147 304	299 301 565	Anthem, 149 506
„ 18	...	...	145 146
Whit Sunday.	156 157 524	336 155 331	154 Anthem, 207 152 153
May 25	...	...	354 211
Trinity Sunday.	161 158 164	163 343 564	161 Anthem, 509 160 163

CHURCH ACCOUNTS

(For the Year ending Easter, 1904).

CHURCH EXPENSES.

	RECEIPTS.	£ s. d.
Offertories	162 18 10
Parish Lands	25 0 0
		<u>£187 18 10</u>
	PAYMENTS.	£ s. d.
Deficit	12 16 7
Organist and Choir Expenses	44 19 9
Choir Excursion	6 10 0
Church Cleaning and Bell ringing (week-days)	22 2 0
Special Cleaning	1 10 0
Mission Room for Choir Practice	1 6 0
Washing Surplices	6 10 6
Gas	17 13 11
Printing and Stationery	5 16 6
Visitation Fees	0 18 0
Insurance	7 10 0
Verger	13 2 6
Repairs and Materials	5 14 9
Cheque Book	0 2 0
New Notice Board and Writing	4 17 6
New Trees for Churchyard	1 5 6
Deficit on New Bells a/c	3 1 10
Deficit Church Roof a/c	5 0 2
Coal and Coke	7 16 4
Tar Paving Path	6 7 0
New Lamp in Churchyard...	2 0 0
		<u>177 0 10</u>
Balance in hand	10 18 0
		<u>£187 18 10</u>

SPECIAL FUND

(For Repairs to Church Roof and for Asphalted Path in Churchyard.)

	£ s. d.
Offertories ...	15 12 4
Subscriptions:—	
Mr. Downes Norton ...	5 5 0
„ A. W. Tribe ...	4 4 0
„ A. Bilbrough, J.P. ...	2 2 0
„ C. W. Vickers ...	2 0 0
„ Woolterton Reed ...	2 2 0
„ W. L. Milne ...	2 2 0
„ Busick Pemberton ...	1 1 0
„ J. Roberts ...	1 1 0
„ Stutchbury ...	1 0 0
B. ...	1 0 0
Miss Hayes ...	1 0 0
Mr. Storey ...	1 0 0
Mr. A. E. Jones ...	1 0 0
The Vicar ...	1 0 0
Mr. Kynaston ...	1 0 0
Mr. Newton ...	1 1 0
Mr. H. Jason Saunders ...	0 10 0
Mr. T. Gale ...	0 10 0
Mrs. Hetherington ...	0 10 6
Mr. Fletcher ...	0 10 0
Anon ...	0 10 0
Miss Griffiths ...	0 10 6
Mrs. Wallace ...	0 10 0
Mr. W. Wood ...	0 5 0
Miss L. A. Newton ...	0 5 0
Anon ...	0 5 0
Miss Hunt ...	0 2 6
Sundry small sums ...	1 7 0
	<u>49 5 10</u>
Deficit ...	5 0 2
	<u>£54 6 0</u>