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MY DEAR PEOPLE,

The war has claimed its first victim from our Parish by the death of R. Doughty, of Wolsey Road, who was formerly reported as "missing," but has now been reported "dead." To his widow and children we tender our deepest sympathy. We are all also sorry to hear that Mr. and Mrs. Morris, of Rothés, have lost a grandson, in action. Lieut. Hastings Medhurst, a young officer of very great promise.

The Annual Meeting of our branch of the C.E.T.S. was held on Tuesday, October 13th, when our excellent Secretary—Mr. Jordan—presented his report, extracts from which, together with the balance sheet, will be found elsewhere. Mr. Chapple, of Hampton Wick, gave an interesting address.

The Syllabus for the Winter's Session of the C.E.M.S will be found in this month's Magazine. I hope that members will make an effort to attend these meetings, and specially to be present at the Corporate Communion.

I am very delighted at the quick and generous response which has been made to the appeal on behalf of the Belgian Refugees. I suppose we shall never know how much this nation and France owe to the brave action of Belgium at the beginning of the war, and I am glad that we are doing our best for these homeless people. We have promises amounting to £250; a house has been placed at the disposal of the Committee by Mr. Street, and a large number of gifts have been forthcoming of furniture, &c. I hope to be able to report next month that we have given a home and a warm welcome to about 12 Belgians.

I am told that the members of the C.L.B. have collected about one ton of waste paper, which has been sold for the Prince of Wales' Fund, and that altogether more than £1000 has been realised throughout the country by this means.

The Teachers in the day schools are contributing the sum of £1 8s. 3d. monthly to the "Local Aid Fund" during the continuance of the war. I hope that the Concert kindly organized by Dr. and Mrs. Doll, and which takes place in the Town Hall,

Twickenham, on November 10th, will be well supported: the proceeds are for the "Local Aid Fund."

It is with great regret that I announce the removal from the Parish of Mr. and Mrs. Douty, of St. James' Avenue. Mr. Douty was the Treasurer of the Assistant Clergy Fund, and did good work on its behalf. They carry with them our best wishes.

I am glad to report that Mrs. Gascoyne and Miss Jakeman have joined our band of District Visitors.

While we are all anxious to do our best for those suffering from the effects of the war, we must not allow other calls to be neglected. The Ladies' Missionary Working Party will be resumed at the Vicarage, on Friday, November 6th, at 2.30, when Mrs. Coad Pryor will welcome all those who are, or desire to become, members.

The next Communicants' Guild Service will take place on Monday, November 2nd, at 8 p.m.

Yours truly,

R. COAD PRYOR.

Parish News.

Organ Recital after Evening Service, Sunday, November 8th.

Symphony No. 2 in C minor - *F. W. Holloway*.
Introduction and Allegro, Scherzo, Finale.

The School Managers will meet at the Vicarage on Wednesday, November 11th, at 9 p.m., and the District Visitors' in the Vestry, on Friday, November 27th, at 11.15.

MOTHERS' UNION.—Mrs. Coad Pryor will always be glad to see any members of the Mothers' Union on any morning in the week. Anyone requiring the maternity box can always apply to Mrs. Schön, Nurse Higgins, or the Vicarage.

Parish Notices.

MISSION TO SEAMEN.—The Annual Sermons on behalf of the Mission to Seamen will be preached on Sunday, November 8th. The preacher will be the Rev. F. CLARE LEES.

WAIFS AND STRAYS.—A Bazaar and Sale of Work in aid of the War Emergency Fund of the Waifs' and Strays' Society will be held at the Portman Rooms, Baker Street, on November 11th and 12th. Tickets and further particulars may be obtained on application to Rev. R. L. Morris, who will be glad to receive before the end of this month all Penny a week Boxes, as well as much needed subscriptions and donations, in view of making up returns for the year.

Sermon Notice.—Sunday, the 22nd, at 11 a.m. Preacher: Rev. C. W. H. WHALLEY, Organising Secretary.

WESTERN CANADA.—The Council of the Archbishops' Western Canada Fund have arranged to hold a MEETING in the Church House, Westminster, on the evening of Tuesday, November 3rd, 1914, at 8 o'clock. The chair will be taken by the BISHOP of LONDON, and the Speakers will be His GRACE THE ARCHBISHOP OF YORK, THE BISHOP OF SOUTH-WARK, and the Rev. OSWIN CREIGHTON, late Rector of Alix, Alberta. *Admission Free.* Tickets may be obtained from the Clergy, or from the Archbishops' Western Canada Fund Office, Church House, Westminster, S.W. A limited number of Seats will be Reserved at 2/6 and 1/- each.

MEETINGS FOR CITY MEN IN THE GUILDHALL.—On Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, December 8th, 9th and 10th, from 1.15 till 1.45 p.m. It is hoped that all men employed in the City will make a special point of attending these Meetings, and will, where possible, endeavour to take a friend. The BISHOP OF LONDON will be the Speaker each day. *Subject:* "The Gospel and the War."

C.E.M.S.—Session 1914—1915.

Tues., Oct. 20—**Lantern Lecture on "Belgium and its People,"** by the Vicar, in Church Room, at 8.30 p.m.

Sun., Oct. 25—Men's Service, 3.45 p.m.

Tues., Nov. 24—"A Chat on Astronomy" (with slides) by the Vicar, in Church Room, at 8.30 p.m.

Sun., Nov. 29—**Corporate Communion at 8 a.m.**
Men's Service, 3.45 p.m.

Sun., Dec. 27—Men's Service, 3.45 p.m.

Tues., Jan. 26—**Lantern Lecture on "Church Work for Children,"** by Rev. E. R. Whalley, in Church Room, at 8.30 p.m.

Sun., Jan. 31—Men's Service, 3.45 p.m.

Tues., Feb. 23—**Paper on "English Church Music" (from Elizabethan times to the Present Day),** by Mr. H. T. Gilberthorpe, in Church Room, at 8.30 p.m.

Sun., Feb. 28—Men's Service, 3.45 p.m.

Tues., Mar. 23—**Some Lantern Slides and a Chat about them,** by Dr. & Mrs. Dashwood Howard, in Church Room, at 8.30 p.m.

Sun., Mar. 28—Men's Service, 3.45 p.m.

Tues., Apr. 20—"Science and a Future Life," by Rev. A. J. Waldron, in Church Room, at 8.30 p.m.

Sun., Apr. 25—Men's Service, 3.45 p.m.

Sun., May 23—**Corporate Communion at 8 a.m.**

Tues., May 25—**Annual Meeting in Church Room, at 8.30 p.m.**

Sun., May 30—Men's Service, 3.45 p.m.

Tues. June 22—**Paper on "Christian Evidences,"** by Rev. St. Clair Goldie, in Church Room, at 8.30 p.m.

Sun., June 27—Men's Service, 3.45 p.m.

OFFERTORIES.

	11 a.m.	7 p.m.	TOTAL
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Oct. 4—Assist, Clergy Fund ...	2 15 5	1 6 9	4 2 2
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„ 18—Church Expenses ...	2 13 4	1 6 6	3 19 10
„ 20—Church Expenses ...	2 10 10	0 19 3	3 10 1
Early Celebrations (Poor Fund) Oct. 4, 16/-; Oct. 11, 15/9; Oct. 18 (St. Luke's Hostel), 13/6; Oct. 25, 10/-	2 15 3
Week-day Celebrations:—Sept. 29, 1/9; Oct. 1, 2/6; Oct. 8, 1 3; Oct. 22, 2/1; Oct. 28, 2/9	0 10 4
Children's Services (Missions)—Oct. 4, 2/1; Oct. 11, 6/7; Oct. 18, 3/3; Oct. 25, 1/7	0 13 6
Oct. 8—Mothers' Union	0 16 6

Total - £23 18 2

BAPTISMS.

"Made a Member of Christ."

Oct. 11—Marjorie Florence Lee.
„ 11—Melville Edward Dixon.
„ 11—Doris Minnie Whitta.
„ 13—Albert Edwin Davies.

BURIALS.

"I am the Resurrection and the Life."

Oct. 2—Henry Mulford, aged 64 years.
„ 14—James Richard Mote, aged 76 years.
„ 15—Blanche Tapplin, aged 49 years.
„ 17—Rosetta Mary Young, aged 59 years.
„ 21—Mary Anne Godfrey, aged 72 years.