

HAMPTON HILL PARISH MAGAZINE.

THE VICARAGE,
HAMPTON HILL,
September 1st, 1925.

MY DEAR PEOPLE,

As I was glancing down the Sports news of a famous daily paper a few days ago, my eye fell upon a list of practise games of the leading football clubs, and I realized how very near we were to the beginning of our winter's work. With the entrance of football, summer seems to have really gone, and with it all the parochial events which need such weather as summer should, but does not always, produce. The last of the events—The Mothers' Union quarterly meeting—was somewhat marred by bad weather. We were forced to have tea in the Church Room, although it was fine enough for some outside competitions in which most of the members took part, and for which some kind friends had provided prizes.

In last month's Magazine I omitted to mention one name in connection with the Fête, that of Miss Howe, the excellent head of the catering department. To her we owe a great debt of gratitude for the way in which she and her Committee always provide teas, suppers, refreshments, etc., which cannot be beaten for excellence of quality and moderate charges. We hope to have the balance sheet ready for the meeting which is to be held in the Church Room, on the second Tuesday in this month, and I think we shall all be surprised at the result of our effort. There are one or two articles which have gone astray. A clothes basket and a saw are missing from the Vicarage, while at the Vicarage may be claimed one or two plates.

We have to welcome amongst us Mr. Alford, the new Headmaster of our Boys' School. I am sure he will be a worthy successor to our old

friend Mr. Basey, and that under him the school will continue its successful career in the realms of education and sport.

Our Lads' Club opens for the Winter on the second of this month. It is likely that there will be a great influx of new members, and we shall welcome more willing helpers. For some who are at work in Town all day, an hour or two with the lads once a week would be a most exhilarating recreation.

Mr. Meyers who was the Captain of our Company of the C.L.B. last year has been obliged to resign owing to pressure of work. Through his energies the Company was gaining strength, and we are most grateful to him for his excellent work. I am anxious to secure as soon as possible a successor to Mr. Meayers. It would be a pity for this important organisation to suffer any check just now. We are also losing another valuable officer in the person of Lieut. J. Gamgee. While we shall miss him very much, not only in this, but in many other parochial activities, we congratulate him on his promotion, and wish him a very happy and successful time in his fresh sphere of work.

Yet a third resignation is that of Mr. Reid, who has been obliged to give up his valuable help as Treasurer of the Provident Club and the Day Schools' Fund on account of his anticipated visit to Australia. Mr. Clement has kindly undertaken the duties of Treasurer to the Provident Club.

Several of our young Communicants have asked for a Celebration of the Holy Communion at seven o'clock on one Sunday in the Month. I have arranged, therefore, to have this extra Celebration on the fourth Sunday in the Month. This is Church Parade Sunday for the Girl Guides and the C.L.B., and so with this additional opportunity

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more of the members should make their Communion regularly in the future. The Monthly Preparation Service for Communion will be held on Monday, September 21st, at 8 p.m. in Church, when I hope to see a large number of our young people.

I hope to commence the register for children who do not at present attend Sunday School, but who are present at the afternoon service, on September 27th. Parents please note this date!

The Band of Hope will re-open on September 28th, at 6 o'clock. Last season we were unable to produce the cantata we had been practising. We hope, however, to give a performance of "Idle Ben" before Christmas.

An event of importance in the Autumn is the Annual Missionary Sale of Work. It will be held as usual towards the end of October. I give this timely notice in order that any who are interested in the work of the Church Overseas, and do not belong to the Working Party may have an opportunity of getting together a nice parcel of goods for the various stalls. The stalls we have had up to now are for (1) needlework; (2) cakes, preserves, etc.; (3) miscellaneous.

May I again ask your prayers for Mr. E. R. Milton who is to be ordained on October the 4th, and will take up his work in this Parish forthwith.

I remain, your faithful friend and Vicar,

FREDK. P. P. HARVEY.

INTERCESSIONS.

At 7.30 a.m.—Holy Communion.

Mondays: Sunday Schools, Day Schools.

Tuesdays: District Visiting, Mothers' Union, Voluntary Workers in the Church, Cleaners, &c.

Wednesdays: Choir and Services, Parochial Church Council.

Thursdays: Temperance Work, Band of Hope, Crusaders and Adult Branch, C.E.T.S.

Fridays: Church Missions, Home & Over-seas

Saturdays: Church Lads' Brigade, Girl Guides, Girls' Friendly Society.

IMPORTANT.—Will all those who are responsible for Church Work please send in a full report by the 20th of each month, by so doing it will not only be of great use to our readers, but greatly forward the work of the Church. Applications for Advertisements in the Magazine, should be made to the Hon. Treasurer, Mr. H. A. SIMMONS, 7, Oxford Road, Teddington.

We are grateful to our Advertisers for their support of our Magazine, and confidently hope our readers will support them.

Parish Wants.

1. A Parish Hall.
2. A Bier for use in Church at Funerals, approximate cost about £30.
3. A Piano for the Infants' School.
4. A Bath Chair.

CHURCHYARD.—Contributions towards keeping the Churchyard and the graves tidy will be welcomed, and may be sent to Mr. C. H. Evans (Churchwarden), Roseneath, Edward road, Hampton Hill.

The Vicar may be seen at the Vicarage daily (Mondays excepted), between the hours of 8.45 and 10 a.m., and 6 and 7 p.m.

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Parish News.

BIBLE CLASSES.—The Lads' Bible Class meets in the Church Room on all Sundays, except the fourth in each month, at 10 a.m.

The Girls' Bible Class meets in the Church Room, on all Sundays, at 3 p.m.

The Men's Bible Class is held in the Church Room, on Tuesdays, at 8 p.m.

CHURCH LADS' BRIGADE.—The Company Parades are held on Tuesdays in the Boys' School, for the Juniors at 7.15 p.m., and for the Seniors at 8 p.m. The Monthly Church Parade is on the fourth Sunday in the Month at 11 a.m.

LADS' CLUB.—The Lads' Club will re-open on Wednesday, September 2nd, at 7 p.m. There will be a General Meeting on that day at 8 p.m.

MOTHERS' UNION.—The Monthly Meeting will be held in the Church Room, on Wednesday, September 2nd, at 2.30 p.m.

COMMUNICANTS' PREPARATION SERVICE.—The Monthly Service will be held on Monday, Sept. 21st, in Church, at 8 p.m.

FEASTS.—Please note the festivals of St. Matthew on September 21st, and of St. Michael and All Angels on September 29th. There will be Celebrations of the Holy Communion on these days at 7.30 a.m and 12.

ADDITIONAL SERVICE.—There will be a Celebration of the Holy Communion on Sunday, September 27th, at 7 a.m., in addition to the other services.

BAND OF HOPE.—The Band of Hope will meet on Monday, September 28th, at 6 p.m. in the Boys' School. Members pay a half-penny a week. The Annual Service and Distribution of Medals will be held on Monday, October 5th, in the Church, at 6 p.m.

LIST OF CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE WAIFS' AND STRAYS' SOCIETY, 1924-5.

	£	s.	d.
St. James' Church Children's Services	2	4	0
" " Vestry	0	9	4½
Mrs. Astill	0	11	3
Barclay's Bank, Hampton	0	1	8½
" " Hampton Hill	0	4	10
Mrs. Baker	0	3	8½
Miss Barnes	0	15	0½
Mr. A. E. Basey (National Schools)	0	17	10½
Mrs. Batson	0	6	7
Mr. H. S. Bivar	0	3	5½
Miss Brewer	1	6	0
Mrs. Brown	0	3	3
Mrs. Buckley	0	0	8
Miss A. C. Butler	0	10	1
Mrs. Cameron	0	14	3
Miss Cameron	1	19	9
Mrs. Christie	0	1	6
Mrs. Clark	0	15	5
Mr. H. C. Clement	0	9	10½
Miss Madaline Coe	0	4	2
Mrs. Digby	0	7	4
Mrs. Edridge	0	4	1½
Mrs. Faraker	0	8	3½
Mrs. Gamgee (two collections)	1	1	8
Mrs. Gascoyne	0	4	0½
Gloucester House Nursing Home	0	3	9½
Mrs. Goose	0	0	10
Mrs. Grange	0	5	4½
Miss Halsall	0	11	6½
Mrs. Heath	0	10	4
Mrs. Highmore	0	4	3½
Home & Colonial Stores, Ltd.	0	5	11½
Miss Jakeman	0	6	2
Mr. W. J. James	0	0	5
Mrs. Livett	0	10	4
Mrs. J. Lush	0	5	7½
Mrs. Macartney	0	2	6

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	£	s.	d.
Master Dudley Ernest Makepeace ...	0	3	4½
Miss Makepeace (Post Office) ...	0	9	2½
Master Alfred Wm. Hy. Mann ...	0	4	3
Miss Grace Moore ...	0	10	9
Miss Newman ...	0	8	3½
Miss Dorothy Newman ...	0	6	7
Mr. F. J. Norris ...	0	2	6
Miss L. Pedder ...	0	3	8
Mr. W. S. Pitman ...	0	5	11
Mrs. Player ...	0	6	4½
Mrs. Potter ...	0	3	8½
Mr. & Mrs. Preece (Lemons Ltd.) ...	0	4	6½
St. Mary's College (Miss Newman)	0	14	8
" " Fete ...	52	13	9
Mrs. Seward ...	0	4	10
Mrs. Sherwood ...	0	3	11
Mr. H. A. Simmons ...	0	5	0
Mr. H. W. Simmons ...	1	7	7
Wilfrid A. Simmons (in memory) ...	2	6	
Misses Simmons and Grant ...	0	1	10½
Arthur Smith ...	0	4	5
Miss Daisy Smith ...	0	0	11½
Master George Wallers ...	0	5	11
Mrs. Smith Wilson ...	0	1	8
Mr. and Mrs. Storey and family ...	3	14	9½
G. F. Stutchbury, Esq. ...	1	1	0
Miss Stutchbury ...	0	11	10
The Misses Styles ...	1	0	6½

	£	s.	d.
Mrs. Tattershall ...	0	4	7
Mrs. Tozer ...	0	4	9
Mrs. Watkins ...	0	2	5½
Mrs. Watson ...	0	5	8
Mrs. White ...	0	8	8½
Williamson's Ltd. ...	0	8	5½
Mrs. H. E. Woodard ...	0	3	7
Mr. B. A. Wolfenden ...	0	1	2½

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Mr. H. A. Simmons, Hon. Local Sec.,
7, Oxford Road, Upper Teddington.

BAPTISMS.

"Made a Member of Christ."

Aug. 1—Robert Ian Findlay.

 " 9—Gwendoline Ellen Gunther.

MARRIAGES.

"Those whom God hath joined together."

Aug. 1—Frederick John Delve and Nellie Winifred Gunter.

 " 22—William Claude Dobson and Winifred Maud Neale

BURIALS.

"I am the Resurrection and the Life."

July 31—Alice Maud Bird, aged 42 years.

Aug. 17—Thomas Salisbury Rudland, aged 75 years.

 " 25—William Henry Heap, aged 69 years.