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PAROCHIAL NOTES.	Mothers' Meeting.				
Sunday School. 10 a.m. and 2.30 p.m. Boys in Parish Hall, Superintendent-Mr. L.	Thursdays in Church Room, 2.30 p.m. Superintendent-Miss Butler.				
Singleton. Girls in Club Room, Superintendent-Miss M. Harvey.	Girl Guides.				
Infants in Church Room at 10.30 a.m. and 2.30 p.m. Superin- tendent-Miss Watts.	Fridays in the Club Room, 7.30 p.m. Captain-Miss Looker.				
Bible Class.	Brownies.				
For Girls on Sundays in Church Room at 3 p.m. Band of Hope.	Thursdays in Club Room, 5.45 p.m. Acting Brown Owl-Miss S. Harvey.				
In the Club Room on Mondays at 6.30 p.m. Hon. Sec.—Mrs. Grange.	Sea Scouts.				
Lads' Club. In Club Rooms, School Road, Mondays and Fridays, 7 p.m. to 9.30 p.m. Hon. Sec.—Mr. Creane.	Wednesdays in Church Room, 7.30 p.m. Group Scout Master-Mr. Ealden.				
Girls' Club.	Cub Pack.				
In Parish Hall, Mondays, 7.45 to 10 p.m. Hon. Sec.—Mrs. Franks.	Wednesdays in Church Room, 5.45 p.m. Cub Master-Miss Newman				
Communicants' Guild. For Adults. Guild Service and Meeting on Wednesdays before the fourth Sunday at 8 p.m. Hon. Sec.—Miss Lush. For Juniors. Guild Service and Meeting, second Monday in the month in Church, at 8 p.m. Hon. Sec.—Miss M. Harvey.	The Vicar may be seen at the Vicarage on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, between 8.45 and 9.45 a.m.; and generally on any day except Tuesday, between 6 and 7 p.m. Sickness.				
Missionary Association.	The Vicar will be grateful if cases of sickness are reported to him				
Meetings as announced. Hon. Sec.—Miss Jakeman.	at once.				
Mothers' Union,	Churchyard.				
Monthly Meetings, First Wednesday in each month in the Church Room, 2.30 p.m., and Quarterly Meetings. Enrolling Member- Mrs. Kestin.	Contributions towards the up-keep of the Churchyard will be gratefully received by Mr. C. H. Evans, Roseneath, Edward Road, Hampton Hill.				

Vicar's Letter.

My Dear People,

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Our Country is passing through a very serious time in her history, and it will need the wholehearted backing of all to pull her successfully through her troubles. All, every jealousy and hatred, in fact everything which is the outcome of selfishness must be put away from us. It is not any particular class or any individual that matters now, but only our beloved Country. The dogged determination of the Englishman will go a long way towards arriving at better times, but we shall also need the strength and courage which are born of, and depend upon, faith in the overruling providence of God, in whose hands, after all, are the destinies of countries. The whole atmosphere seems saturated with the chilly feeling of economy, and it is up to all of us to regulate our expenditure so that we may, indirectly at all events, help to circulate a warm glow of security which is the harbinger of happiness. We must do something, and for the time being I propose foregoing all thought of raising the money for an Assistant Priest until we have paid off our debt You will see from the on the Parish Hall.

Churchwardens' Notes that for the first eight months of this year the Parish Hall has just paid its way, and further we know to within a little what the Parish Hall costs in upkeep. We can look forward also to a fair balance on a year's working. But there is still a little over three hundred pounds due to the bank, and a further sum of two hundred pounds to be paid back to one who loaned us that amount free of interest. Our efforts must therefore be concentrated upon balancing our account and that without subtracting anything from the ordinary Church Funds. This I am sure we can do by Concerts, Whist Drives and Dances, and I look forward to quite a lot of help in this direction from the newly appointed Social Committee of the Parochial Church Council.

The first effort of this Committee will be a Social, the object of which is not to raise money but to bring the people together. I hope we shall have a packed Hall on October 28th, and that many who have come into the Parish lately will have the lonely feeling dispersed.

The Missionary Exhibition which has occupied our thoughts, prayers and interest for some months past is really upon us. I believe quite

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a number will find their way to York House, Twickenham, during the week October 14th-21st, and I am certain that one visit will not be satisfying, but that day after day I shall see numbers who will say to me, "It is all to extraordinarily interesting, instructive and entertaining that we could not keep away." Well now, be sure you secure your season ticket early, it will cost you only half-a-crown and will admit you any time for seven days. Of course if you are a steward, the season ticket will only be one shilling and threepence. The Thanksgiving Services for Harvest will be held on the second Sunday in the month. Although the harvest in our own land has been somewhat hindered by the weather conditions, we still have cause to thank God for all the necessaries of life. The special preachers will be advertised on the bills which will be displayed in a few days time.

The health of our esteemed Churchwarden, Mr. Jakeman, is causing us much anxiety. For some weeks now he has been confined to the house, and before this magazine is out he will probably have undergone a somewhat severe operation. I know that you, with me, sympathize with him. Our prayer will be, that in God's mercy he will come through the operation and be soon restored to health.

I remain,

Your faithful friend and Vicar, FREDK. P. P. HARVEY.

Days for Special Remembrance.

October 11th, Thanksgiving for Harvest. October 14th—21st, Missionary Exhibition, at York House, Twickenham, daily 2.30—9 p.m. October 18th, St. Luke, usual Sunday Services. October 28th, St. Simon and St. Jude, Holy Communion, 7.30 a.m., Evensong, 8 p.m.

Hampton Deanery Missionary Exhibition.

YORK HOUSE, TWICKENHAM.

The Exhibition will be open from 2.30 to 9.30 p.m. from Wednesday, October 14th to Wednesday, October 21st, Sunday excepted.

The Opening Ceremony will take place each day at 3 p.m., the openers being as follows:--

- Oct. 14th—The Rt. Rev. the Bishop of Kensington, D.D.
- Oct. 15th—His Worship, the Mayor of Twickenham, J.P.
- Oct. 16th—Shoran Singha, Esq., Warden, Indian Students' Hostel.
- Oct. 17th—The Rt. Rev. the Bishop of Willesden, M.A.
- Oct. 19th—The Rt. Hon. the Rt. Rev. the Lord Bishop of London.

Oct. 20th—Mrs. James Gow, Vice-President Diocesan Council of the Mothers' Union.

Oct. 21st-John Everidge, Esq., F.R.C.S.

There will be ten Courts illustrating the work in many lands and daily talks will be given by Missionaries and others.

Various Plays and Tableaux will be presented each day at 4.20, 5.20, 7.0 and 8.10 p.m. The charge for each performance is 6d., children under 14 half-price.

Prices of Admission are as follows :---

Season Ticket, 2/6; Single Day Ticket, 1/-; Single Evening (from 5 p.m.), 6d. Children half-price.

Party Ticket (10 persons and over), each person 6d.

Steward's Season Ticket with Badge, 1/3.

All Tickets except those for the stewards may be obtained from the Vicarage.

Full details will be found in the Handbook, price 3d. Secure your copy as soon as possible

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or you may be disappointed—from all sides the report comes, "Selling like hot cakes !" There will . be no reprint.

N.B.—Parochial Church Councillors are invited to attend a Conference on Wednesday, October 14th, at 8.10 p.m.

Sunday School Teachers are invited for Saturday, October 17th, at 6 p.m.

Day School and other Professional Teachers for Monday, October 19th, at 6 p.m.

Finance.

Readers will be interested to know that the cost of running the Parish Hall for 8 months, January 1st to August 31st, 1931, is $\pounds 9$ 11s. 3d. per month as shown below.

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. During the worst period of the year our receipts have therefore kept pace with our expenses, and during the remaining four months the receipts may be anticipated to reach about $\pounds 20$ per month instead of the average given above.

THE CHURCHWARDENS.

Parish Social.

The Social advertised for last month was postponed until October 28th. It will be held on that date in the Parish Hall, and will commence at eight o'clock. Admittance will be by invitation and refreshments will be served at moderate prices. The Vicar will be glad if any member of the congregation who has not received an invitation by Wednesday, October 21st, will ask him for one. The evening's entertainment will consist of music, games and dancing.

Mothers' Union.

The Monthly Meeting will be held in the Church Room, at 2.30 p.m., on Wednesday, October 7th. The Quarterly Day is Wednesday, October 28th. There will be a Corporate Communion at 10 o'clock and a Service at a quarter past three. After Service, the members will adjourn to the Church Room to hear a speaker and have tea.

Harvest Thanksgiving.

The Harvest Thanksgiving Services will be held on Sunday, October 11th. The preacher at Evensong will be the Rev. A. E. Saul, Vicar of Holy Trinity, Twickenham. The morning preacher will be announced later. In the afternoon there will be the usual offering of flowers, fruit, vegetables, eggs, jam, etc., all of which will be divided between St. Mary's Hospital and the Girls' Orphan Home. The collections will be divided between the local hospitals and the Surgical Aid Society. The Vicar will be grateful for flowers, fruit and vegetables for decorating the Church. They should be sent to the Church on Saturday, October 10th, between 9.30 and 10.30 a.m.

The Communicants' Guild.

The monthly Service and Meeting of the Guild will be held on Friday, October 23rd in Church at 8 p.m. The Guild is open to all Communicants and especially those who have been confirmed of late years. There is no subscription but members make what offerings they like at the monthly meeting. The Vicar thanks the members for the handsome baptismal shell which they have just presented to the Church.

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The Hon. Treasurer and Secretary thanks the following members for their subscriptions:---

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Mrs. L. A. Douty, Hon. Treas. and Sec.

The Vicarage Working Party.

The Working Party meets at the Vicarage on Fridays from 2.30—5 p.m. Mrs. Harvey will welcome new members.

Waifs' and Strays' Society.

Mr. A. E. Lovell, of 42, Argyle Road, Teddington has been appointed the Society's Representative for Hampton Hill and District in the place of the late Mr. Simmons. Mr. Lovell proposes as a general rule to open all Waifs' and Strays' boxes during the month of November in each year. Should any of the box-holders wish to have the contents of their boxes taken at any other time, will they please ask Mr. Lovell to call or leave their boxes with him or at St. James's Vicarage.

Churchyard.

It has been brought to the notice of the Vicar that several people have been placing kerbings and other things of a monumental nature around or upon their graves. The Vicar wishes it to be understood that no kerbing, monument or inscription of any kind may be introduced into the Churchyard without his written approval.

BAPTISMS.

"Made a Member of Christ."

- Sept. 6th-Hazel Dorothy White.
 - ,, 7th-John Michael Lorhyear
 - ,, 13th-John William Horace Thompson.
 - 21st-Reginald Donald Roy Mitchell.

MARRIAGE.

"Those whom God hath joined together."

Aug. 29th—Richard William Osmon and Elizabeth Sarah Lambourn.

- ,, 29th-Robert Leonard Cooper and Elsie May Davies,
- . 29th—Geoffrey Pochin Smith and Irene Fredrica Treherne Gardiner.
- ,, 30th-Walter Horace Martin and Louise Elsie

Makepeace.

Sept. 12th—Leslie Edgar Rivers and Hilda Victoria Louise Flack.

BURIALS.

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Sept. 7th-Thomas Gibbons, aged 68 years.

,, 12th—Maxamin Horace William Laborde, aged 78 years.

, 24th-Elizabeth Cook, aged 90 years.

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