## HAMPTON HILL PARISH MAGAZINE.

THE VICARAGE,

Iune 1st, 1900.

My DEAR FRIENDS,

There are so many accounts to print this month that it is only possible for me to write very few words. On the whole, I think the accounts may be considered very satisfactory, nearly every fund shows a slight increase on the previous year. It will be noticed, however, that the receipts for the Curate's Fund fall a little below the expenditure. Additional subscriptions for this fund will be thankfully received by the Treasurer.

The Annual Sunday School, Bible Class, and Choir Excursion is fixed for Friday the 15th inst., to Southsea. A special train has been arranged for. I expect the time of departure from Fulwell will be about 6.30, so there will be time for a long day by the sea. The departure and arrival of ships are specially interesting just now because of the war, and there is sure to be plenty of diversion. The tickets will be 4/- for adults, and 2/- for children, for the journey. I expect that tea tickets will be 1/- for adults, and 9d. for children including admission to the pier. The children's tea will be at 4 o'clock, and the adult and teacher's tea at 4.30. Tickets may be had from the Day and Sunday School Teachers, from Mr. Makepeace, Mr. Dawkins, and the Rev. E. S. Phillips. The great success of the excursion last year encourages us to hope that a large number of the congregation will join us. Full particulars will be given by means of handbills.

I am glad to say that several contributions for the summer treats have already been received through Miss Barnard. Any further help will be thankfully received. About £30 is required altogether.

It will be noticed that the offertories for the Bishop of London's Fund and the Missions to Seamen were both good, being equal to our usual contribution.

On the 17th inst. the offertories will be for the Richmond Hospital, which is a great boon to many of our people.

The School Managers have adopted plans for effecting great improvements in the sanitary arrangements of the Girls' and Infants' Schools.

These will involve an expenditure of considerably over £100. The estimates have not yet been received, and so it is not possible to say what the outlay will be. No plan for raising the money has yet been decided upon. So many appeals for money have been made lately, owing to the war, that perhaps we could not expect to raise what is required by donations. A suggestion has been made that a stall of work on S. James' Day, at the Vicarage, might be a satisfactory means of obtaining help. If this plan should be adopted, a general appeal will be made to everybody to help by contributing at least one article for sale. I feel sure that in such a case the result would be most satisfactory.

Relief of Mafeking.—The collection for Lady Georgina Curzon's Fund, at the Village rejoicing amounted to £12, this was afterwards increased to £16 10s. od., which has been forwarded to Lady Curzon.

I am, my dear friends,

Yours very sincerely,

CHARLES R. JOB.

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## OFFERTORIES.

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## 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."

May 13—Cecil Ernest Coe.

Special Celebrations-May 1, SS. Phillip and James ...

Special Service-Communicants' Meeting

- " 14-Noel Alexis Newson.
- " 15-Hans Frits Zobel.
- " 20-William Charles Jennings.