

HAMPTON HILL PARISH MAGAZINE.

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MY DEAR PEOPLE,

Wednesday, May 26th, will long live in the memories of those who took part in the impressive service of unveiling the War Memorial; the Bishop's address, the singing, the quiet sad thankfulness of the occasion all contributed to make it a real "Red Letter" day in the Parish. The arrangements were carried out with a respectful reverence which we must all have felt. A word of thanks is due to Mr. Makepeace for the careful preparation of the "Form of Service," containing the names of those "whose death of honour" we were commemorating, and to Messrs. Keates & Co., for the excellent manner in which the whole work has been carried out. All the accounts in connection with the Memorial have been paid, but it has been thought necessary to erect a low fence round it, which will consist of 16 short posts of Clipsham Stone and an ornamental chain; this, it is hoped, will protect the grass, etc. The additional cost of the posts will be £24, and the Committee will be glad to receive gifts to defray this cost. Arrangements are being made by which someone will be always responsible for the removal of dead flowers and keeping the whole enclosure in a tidy state.

A large expenditure has been rendered necessary on the external fabric of the Church, specially the re-pointing of portions of the tower. A special appeal will shortly be made by the Churchwardens to defray this, and I hope it will meet with a generous response.

The annual open-air C.E.T.S. gathering will be held on Wednesday, July 21st, at 7.30, in the Vicarage field. A very attractive programme is being arranged, and light refreshments will also be provided. Tickets 6d. each.

Yours very truly,

R. COAD PRYOR.

Parish News.

FIFTH LIST OF SUBSCRIBERS TO THE CURATE FUND TO JUNE 18th, 1920.

Hon. Treas. : Mr. Elliott, Thirlestane, Uxbridge Road.

	£	s.	d.
The Misses Chegwiddden	0	10	6
Mrs. Bater (monthly)	0	1	0
Mrs. Brown	0	0	6
Miss Chamberlain	0	5	0
Mr. Daines	0	10	0
Mrs. Deathridge	0	10	0
Mrs. and Miss Dobson	0	5	0
Mr. T. Fraser	0	5	0
Mrs. Gernat (monthly)	0	5	0
Mrs. Hayler	0	2	0
Mrs. Johnson	0	0	6
Mrs. Metcalf	0	2	0
Mrs. Milne	1	0	0
Mrs. Newman	0	0	6
Mrs. Robins (monthly)	0	0	6
Mr. Sears	0	2	6
Mrs. Shail... ..	0	5	0
Mr. Shelbourn	1	0	0
Mrs. Trotter (monthly)	0	2	6
Mrs. Vachell	0	2	6
Mr. Wilson	1	1	0
Mrs. Woodard	0	1	0
Freewill Offerings to June 18th, 1920 ...	0	13	11

CHURCH PAROCHIAL COUNCIL.—The first meeting was held on Tuesday, June 22nd, for the consideration of the subjects referred by the meeting of Electors. A very thoughtful paper was contributed by Mr. A. Lovell on the present "unrest," which was followed by an interesting and helpful discussion. A Sub-Committee, consisting of Messrs. Chipperfield, Jordan, Lowdell and Tandy, was chosen to make enquiries respecting the possibility of erecting a parish room, the want of which is much felt. It was decided to meet quarterly, and Messrs. Jakeman, Russe and Shelbourne were co-opted as members of the Council. The Vicar was asked to make enquiries about a "Bier" for use at funerals.

Intercessions.

JUNE—SEPTEMBER.

THAT IT MAY PLEASE THEE :

I.

To grant to all who are waiting for the harvest such favourable weather as may enable them to gather it safely in ;

To grant that the ingathering may be sufficient for all our needs ;

To deliver our country from the poverty and from the wealth whereby men are tempted to forget Thee ;

To give us day by day our daily bread.

II.

To grant to all who are keeping holiday, the guidance and protection of the holy angels ;

To grant that by our holidays we may be fitted to serve Thee better.

III.

To grant to the whole world a righteous and enduring peace ;

To grant that the fruits of righteousness may be sown in peace by them that make peace ;

To grant to all to whom is given the authority of government grace to govern according to Thy will ;

To over-rule the world's unrest to the advancement of Thy righteous kingdom.

IV.

FOR THE LAMBETH CONFERENCE, JULY & AUGUST

To give grace and wisdom to the Archbishops and Bishops gathered together in conference, rightly to govern and to guide Thy Church ;

To grant that the Faith and Discipline of CHRIST may be preserved to us whole and undefiled throughout all generations.

Waifs' and Strays' Local Collection, 1919-1920

H. A. SIMMONS, Hon. Local Sec.

	£	s.	d.
St. James' Church	2	2	0
Baker, Mrs.	0	6	1½
Bivar, Mr. and Miss	0	5	0
Bowden, Mrs.	0	2	0

	£	s.	d.
Brewer, Miss	1	4	0
Butler, Miss	0	6	6
Cameron, Mrs.	0	7	10½
Cameron, Miss	0	7	6
Chipperfield, Mr.	0	10	0
Clement, Mr.	0	14	2
Coe, Mrs.	0	4	2½
Cooke, Miss E. J.	1	1	5
Coryton, Mr. and Mrs. Roy	0	15	9½
Faraker, Mrs.	0	7	9
Gamgee, Mrs.	0	2	2
Gibb, Mrs.	0	4	4
Goose, Mrs.	0	1	1
Grant, Mr. and Mrs., and Miss Simmons	0	5	3½
Halsall, Miss	0	18	9½
Handcock, Mrs.	0	8	7½
Heath, Mrs.	0	10	0
Home and Colonial Stores	0	2	9
Jakeman, Mr. and Miss	0	19	10
Lambert, Misses	0	8	0
Lush, Mrs.	0	4	3
Makepeace, Mr.	0	7	7½
Morley, Mr.	0	4	5
Morris, Rev. R. L.	0	10	0
Player, Mrs.	0	5	4
Poley, Mr.	0	5	0
Simmons, Mr.	0	5	0
Simmons and Castle, Messrs., and Friends	3	15	1½
Storey, Mr. and Mrs.	1	18	8½
Stutchbury, Mr.	1	1	0
Stutchbury, Mrs.	0	4	10
Styles, Misses	0	13	8
Weedon, Mr. and Mrs.	0	1	6

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CHURCH MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

	£	s.	d.
Children's Services	2	2	0
Girls' Sunday School	1	6	10
Infant School	0	10	0
Sale of Work, St. James' Sale of Work £5 18s. 8d.	16	6	10
Miss Hews (monthly)	0	16	0
ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTIONS—			
Miss Hayes	1	0	0
Miss E. Hayes	1	0	0
Boxes—Mrs. Tandy	0	12	4½
Miss Scovell	0	14	1
Mrs. Gascoyne	0	3	7¾

£24 11 9¼

Mrs. ANTHONY, Hon. Sec.

List of Names of those who have so kindly given chairs, forms, or money to buy them for the Church Room:—Mrs. Anthony, Miss Brewer, Mrs. Basey, Mrs. Carpenter, Mrs. Cameron, Mrs. Chipperfield, Mrs. Daines, Mrs. Davies, Mr. C. H. Evans, Mrs. C. H. Evans, Mrs. Gascoyne, Mrs. Gamgee, Mr. Hillyer, Miss Hayes, Miss Howe, Miss Jackson, Mr. Jakeman, Mr. Jordan, Rev. H. J. Kitchin, Mrs. Knight, Mrs. Kestin, Mrs. H. T. Mason, Miss Marshall, Miss Musgrave, Mrs. Mote, Mrs. E. Makepeace, Mrs. W. Owen, Mrs. Player, Mrs. Poley, Mrs. Rylett, Miss Rylett, Mrs. Shelbourn, Mrs. E. Singleton, Mrs. Tozer, Mrs. Ward, Mrs. Weymouth.

CHURCH LADS' BRIGADE.—I was very pleased to see such a good muster of our Company for the Annual Inspection in Hyde Park, on May 12th. It was such a pity the storm came on just as the Brigade moved off from the Horse Guards' Parade. Everyone, including the General who inspected, could not help remarking on the steadiness and cheerfulness of all on parade, notwithstanding the soaked uniforms. There were close on 3,000 who took part in the March Past. At the Annual Distribution of Awards in the Drill Hall, there were present:—Two Officers, 30 Senior lads and 35 Juniors, showing that the Hampton Hill Company is still going strong. It was very pleasing to see such a goodly number of friends and parents present. It was a great disappointment for the Vicar to be unable to be present, and all wished him a speedy restoration to health. The short service which preceded the distribution was very nicely carried out by the Rev. Duncan, who also handed the Certificates of Membership to those who had not already received them. We are all indebted to Mr. Russe for accompanying the hymns on the harmonium. Everyone, including the Major and Adjutant, remarked on the smart turn out and also the steadiness of the lads. This being the Annual Inspection, the Major had to look out for faults as well as good points. Let it be the

ambition of every lad to work hard to remedy any fault found, so as to make the Hampton Hill Company the smartest in the Battalion. Miss Brewer, who takes such a keen interest in the Brigade, deserved the hearty vote of thanks accorded to her for the pleasing way she handed the awards to the winners.

The following are the awards:—

Challenge Cup (presented by Miss Butler), for the Smartest Squad: Squad 1, Sergt. Taylor. Challenge Cup (presented by Miss Butler), for the smartest Junior Squad: Squad 1, Jun. Sergt. Lee. Challenge Cup (presented by Miss Musgrave) for Shooting: Sergt. Taylor, 93 points out of 100.

BIBLE CLASS AWARDS:—Silver Medal, 100%, Corp. Smith, L./Corp. Singleton. Silver Bar (2nd year), 100%, Corp. Wheeler, L./Corp. Sykes, Corp. Sexton, Corp. Gamgee. Bronze Medals for 85%, Sgt. Sawyer, L./Sgt. Brown, L./Corp. Beauchamp and L./Corp. Davis. Bronze Bar, 85% for 2nd year, Sgt. Hibbs.

DRILL:—Four years' Service Bar to Sgts. Hibbs, Sawyer and Taylor. Three years' Service Medal: L./Sgts. Brown and Vennard, Corpls. Smith, Gamgee, Rivers and L./Corpl. Davis. Second year Good Conduct Stripes: L./Corpl. Singleton, Pts. Mayling, A. Burr and G. Lee. First year Good Conduct Stripes: L./Corp. Chandler, Pts. Webb, Chown, E. Brown, Byford, Day, Betteridge, Grange, Granger and Gubbins.

JUNIORS:—Gold Star (three years' service), Clarke, Webster, Jun. Sgts. Cooper. Bliss and Muckle, Corp. Groves. Silver Stars (two years' service), Jun. Sgts. Gubbins, E. Lee, Dale, Davis, Allum, Bonfield, A. Gamgee, Thompson, A. Davis. Red Star (one year's service), Whipps, R. Brown, W. Mayling and Foster.

Children's Column.

DEAR CHILDREN,

I am very sorry and a little bit disappointed that no essay has been sent in this month that I feel worthy of being printed. You see, the others have been so good, that we must keep up a high standard, and I hope next month we shall have so many *good* ones that it will be difficult to choose the best. The subject, an easy one this time, is "The Best Holiday I have ever had"; about 200 words, and I am able to offer *two* prizes.

I hope to welcome the children of the Band of Hope in the Vicarage field some day during July, and the Sunday School Children will soon be hearing about their Summer Treat.

I was so glad to hear of the high position which the Hampton Hill Company of Girl Guides attained at the "Rally" on June 19th. To be placed Third out of a large number of Companies is very good indeed, and I hear the "Brownies" were placed Second among *their* lot. Well done!

Don't forget your prayers!

Your affectionate friend,

THE VICAR.

"A Rolling Stone gathers no Moss."

"Why, where have you found all that honey?" said a young bee to an old one, as he watched him returning to the hive laden with golden nectar. "In that bed of wild thyme close by," said the old bee. "This is the third load I've brought in this morning, and there's plenty left yet." "Well, I'm sure I've been flying about all over the garden to look for some," said the young bee, "but I couldn't find any worth speaking of." I met a butterfly, and he advised me to go to the rose garden, but there were so many from our hive there before me that I thought it

was no use to stop. Then I tried the pansies, but the gardener had just been watering them. So I went to the mignonette box on the window-sill, but I was very nearly being caught there, for someone shut the window down, and I had only just time to escape. Since then I have been roaming about, trying one flower and another as I thought they looked promising, but I've got hardly any honey. "Ah" said the old bee, "Well, I am not surprised, for, by your own account, you have spent the morning in flying about, instead of *working*. If you had kept to one bed, as I did, you would have brought home a load like mine; but I can't stop to talk any longer now, for I want to take it to the hive."

OFFERTORIES.

	8 a.m.	11 a.m.	7 p.m.	TOTAL
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
May 23—All Day, Church Expenses ..				6 14 10
" 30—Church Expenses 13/6	2 19 9	2 0 4		5 13 7
June 6—Poor Fund ..	7/9	3 9 7	1 16 9	5 14 1
	Assist. Clergy Fund			
" 13—Church Expenses 6/8	3 1 0	1 6 3		4 13 11
" 20 ..	15/2	2 3 2	1 15 9	4 14 1
Children's Services (Missions) May 23, 4/5; May 30, 5/9; June 6, 5/-; June 13, 4/4 ..				0 19 6
Week-day Offerings—May 20, 1/6; May 24, 1/6; May 25, 1/3; May 26, 5/6; June 10, 2/8 ..				0 12 5
Free-will Offerings to June 18th ..				£29 2 5
				0 13 1
				<u>£29 16 4</u>

BAPTISMS.

"Made a Member of Christ."

- June 13—William George Henry Brady.
 " 13—Leslie Arthur Williams.
 " 13—Daphne Joan Adela Ward.
 " 13—Dorothy Violet Smith.
 " 13—Gladys Lilian Winchester.

MARRIAGE.

"Those whom God hath joined together."

- May 22—George Edwin Mulford and Kate Prout.

BURIALS.

"I am the Resurrection and the Life."

- May 21—Charles Hazel Hews, aged 36 years.
 " 28—Sarah Goff, aged 72 years.
 June 4—Thomas Woodfield, aged 71 years.
 " 5—Roland Alessandro Bowling, aged 38 years.
 " 14—John Thomas Finney, aged 74 years.
 " 18—Sophie Wilkinson, aged 80 years.