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November 1st, 1920.

My DEAR PEOPLE,

Time goes so quickly that it seems scarcely possible for two years to have passed since the Armistice was signed; such, however, is the case, and November 11th will see its second Anniversary. There will be, on that day, Services of Remembrance and Thanksgiving. Holy Communion at 8 a.m., and a Special Form of Service, at 8 p.m., when the names of all those connected with the Church and Parish who fell in the War will be read. Mr. Goldie, who was for some time Chaplain to the Forces, has kindly consented to give the address at that service.

I was glad to see so many young people present in the Church Room, on October 11th, when the Crusaders were re-started. It was decided to meet twice a month: Mrs. Carpenter was chosen as President, and Miss Dorothy Mardon as Secretary. The Meetings are held on alternate Mondays in the Church Room.

The Harvest Festival Services this year were most successful; the offerings of fruit, flowers, &c., were very generous, and our thanks are due to those who sent them, and to the decorators who used them with such good effect. The musical portions of the Services reflected great credit on Mr. Russe and the Choir. The Collections constituted a "record" for S. James', and have been divided as follows: Teddington Cottage Hospital, £9 19s. 6d.; Richmond Hospital, £5 5s. od., and the Surgical Aid Society, £4 os. od.

There was a good attendance at the C.E.T.S. meeting in the Church Room, on October 19th, when Mr. Brown, Police Court Missionary at Acton, gave an interesting account of his work. I call your special attention to the visit which the Diocesan Secretary, the Rev. H. Pearson, will pay us on Tuesday, November 23rd, when he will give his popular, illustrated Lecture on "A Padre in the East." A collection will be taken for the Police Court Mission.

Some friends of Mr. Basey are arranging for an evening Concert, &c., in the Boys' School, on Friday, 19th November, the proceeds will be on behalf of the Church Repair Fund.

May I call your attention to the fact that the Collections in Church on November 14th, will be for the Day Schools? The Managers have incurred very considerable outlay on the roof of the Boys' School, and I hope that generous help will be given on that day.

On November 28th the Work of the Church in other lands will be brought before us, the Rev. W. E. Jackson, formerly working in South Africa, will plead for the S.P.G.

Please note the arrangements announced elsewhere in connection with S. Andrews' Day, November 30th.

Yours very truly,

R. COAD PRYOR.

IMPORTANT.—Will all those who are responsible for Church Work please send a full report to the Vicar by the 20th of each month, by so doing it will not only be of great interest to our readers, but greatly forward the work of the Church.

J. CHIPPERFIELD, Manager.

Parish Wants.

- 1. A Parish Hall.
- 2. A Bier for use in Church at Funerals, approximate cost about £30.
- 3. Additional Subscriptions to the Day Schools.

Parish News.

CHURCH REPAIR FUND.—The Vicar and Churchwardens acknowledge the receipt of the following sums received during the month towards the £100 spent on external repairs, &c., to the fabric:

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Church Lads' Brigade.—The winter session was opened with a Social for the Senior Lads in the Boys' School when a very pleasant evening was spent. Through the kindness of a number of ladies, light refreshments were handed round. All who assisted to provide such an enjoyable time were heartily thanked for their kindness. Under the tuition of my son, a very successful shooting season was brought to a conclusion with a match against "G" Company, when Hampton Hill won by 114 points, appended is the report:—

A very satisfactory shooting match took place between six of our lads and a similar number of "G" Company, at Teddington, when a pleasant evening was spent resulting in a win for us. "G" Company obtaining 165 points, and "A" Company 279. The top score of the match going to Pte. Webb, with 63 to his credit, followed by Sergt. Taylor, with 55. The other scores were as follows: L.-Sergt. Brown, 45; L.-Cpl. Davis, 41; L.-Cpl. Singleton, 38; Cpl. Gamgee, 37. It must be pointed out that Sergt. Taylor, being the first to fire, paved the way for the remainder as regards correct sighting and range.

I am very pleased to state that Mr. G. Mitcham

will, with the sanction of Headquarters, be posted as 2nd Lieutenant to our Company. He is already taking great interest in the Club room which is to be opened at least once a week, ably assisted by my son. We are anxious to obtain Games, such as draughts, dominoes, &c., also Magazines. If any kind friend will send any contribution to the Vicar or myself we shall all be grateful.

A. E. Basey, Captain.

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Balance Sheet, Jan. 1st to Dec. 31st, 1920. RECEIPTS

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Proceeds of Whist Drive			18	2	4
Hon. Subscriptions					6
Part Proceeds of Jumble Sale					()
Mrs. Byford-Part cost of Junior	r Uniform		0	IO	()
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Pipe & McGill for Uniforms					
Farquharson's for Equipment			10	12	11
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Mrs. Dobson—Repairs					
Jones & Peers ,,					
J. Bowden-Football		,	0	13	G
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M. Bates—Laundry			0	3	6
Railway Fares to Parades					
Balance in hand			1	1	1

A. E. Basey, Hon. Freas

Audited and found correct, CHAS. H. EVANS

DAY SCHOOLS FUND.—Mrs. Elhou and her family very kindly arranged two more performances of the Canata: "Princess Tiny Tot," which were so successful some time ago. These took place on October 22nd and 23rd, and once more drew crowded houses and the very handsome sum of £25 to the School Funds, which

greatly need assistance. On this occasion Mrs. Elliott had the kind assistance of Miss Barber, Miss Cockburn, Mrs. Creane, Mrs. and Miss Joseph, Mr., Mrs. and Miss Russe, Miss Seward, Mrs. Shelbourne and her little troupe, and a quartette.

COLONIAL AND CONTINENTAL CHURCH SOCIETY.

Year ending March, 1920.

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Mrs. Poley—sent from Jumble S	Sale	2	2	0
J. P. Jack, Esq., donation		I	0	0
Sale of Work		5	3	6
Collection at a Meeting at 'Rocd	lene'	1	10	I
A. F. E. Poley, Esq., donation		2	О	0
Ash Wednesday Collection		3	6	5
Subscriptions		2	13	6
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M. L. Joseph, Hon. Sec.

JUMBLE SALE.—The Annual Jumble Sale for various parochial funds will be held in the Church Room, on Wednesday, November 3rd, at 2.30. Tickets of admission, 2d. each, may be had beforehand from the District Visitors. It is worth while getting tickets, as the early comers get the best bargains. Mrs. Poley, who, with Mrs. Carpenter's help, has so successfully managed the Jumble Sales for several years, is unable to undertake it again. Best thanks are due to her for all the help she has given in the past. This time Mrs. Carpenter, Miss Brewer and Mrs. Knight, are "running" the Sale. Members of the Congregation are asked to look out articles for the Sale (anything is acceptable), and let Mrs. Carpenter or Miss Brewer know. The things will be collected on the Saturday before the Sale.

MISSIONARY WORKING PARTY.—The Meetings will be held in November, as follows: Friday, November 12th, at Mrs. Mason's, Eton Lodge, Uxbridge Road; Friday, November 26th, at Mrs.

Hews', 28, Bushy Park Gardens. The Sale of Work will take place early in December. Will members of the congregation remember the 'White Elephant Stall,' and look up suitable things for it? Many of us may have articles which are no longer of use to ourselves, but which other people may find quite useful. We hope many such things will be sent in to furnish the 'White Elephant Stall.' Any member of the Working Party will be glad to receive them, or they may be sent to the Hon. Sec., Miss Brewer.

DAY OF MISSIONARY INTERCESSIONS.—Tuesday, November 30th, S. Andrew's Day, will be observed as a day of Intercessions for Foreign Missions. There will be Celebrations of Holy Communion at 8 a.m. and at noon, and Evensong with final Intercessions at 5 p.m. The day will be divided into half-hour periods, and members of the congregation are asked to be responsible for these periods. A paper will be tound in the porch during the week previous to S. Andrew's Day for names to be entered upon it.

OFFERTORIES.

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5/10; Oct. 17, 6/4 Week-day Offerings—Sept. 21, 1/3; Sept. 23, 2/7; Sept. 29, 2/7; Sept. 30, 1/6; Oct. 7, 2/9; Oct. 14, 3/8	· ·	18	
Free-will Offerings to Oct. 17th		19	5
Total -	£39	11	5

BAPTISMS.

"Made a Member of Christ."

Oct. 3 -Katherine Hawkins McLacklan.
,, 10-Albert George Martin.

MARRIAGE.

"Those whom God hath joined together."

Oct. 9-Ernest Edward Winter and Ada Susannah Glazier.

BURIALS.

"I am the Resurrection and the Life."

Sept. 27—Thomas Lush, aged 74 years.
Oct. 1—Fanny Annie Henders in, aged 55 years,
4—Elizabeth Rivers, aged 32 years,
11—George Goff, aged 72 years.

Children's Column.

DEAR CHILDREN.

You will be very sorry to hear that Miss Lush has been obliged to give up her work in connection with the Band of Hope, because of other pressing duties. I hope to find someone else, but it will be very difficult to replace Miss Lush, who has done such excellent work. We shall begin our meetings on Monday, November 8th, at 6 p.m., when I hope to meet all the old members.

I know how fond you all are of stories; well, some of the most wonderful ever told were those called "Parables," which Our Lord has given us. I want you to read your favourite one over once or twice, and then write it out in your own words and add what you think the lessons are which Our Lord wants us to learn from it. That will be the "Essay" for this month.

I was glad to see that the Girls' Department won the Attendance Shield for September with an average of 92.4 per cent.

The prize for the Essay last month was won by Connie Trimbee.

Your affectionate friend,

THE VICAR.

ESSAY.

Connie Trimbee, Age 10.

"A Telescope is a very useful thing to have. They are black and long, and have a piece of glass in them. If you want to learn how to use a telescope you would have to go to a man who could teach you. A telescope is compared with the Bible, because a telescope tells you things which are far far away, and the Bible tells us things which happened a long time ago before our Lord was born. Before we use a telescope we have to take a little screw out and clean it then we put it back, and then we must use it properly. The Bible is like that because when

we read our Bibles we ask God to help us to read them properly by saying a prayer. When you look through a telescope at the moon you will see high mountains. A telescope takes a very long time to make, and the more we read our Bibles we see greater things."

Thanksgivings and Intercessions.

NOVEMBER.

LET US THANK GOD.

For all gifts for the furtherance of the Kingdom of God;

For all faithful service in the Church.

For sufficiency of daily food.

Thanks be to God.

LET US PRAY:

I.

For the settlement and peace of the world; For the guidance of all in authority;

For their faithfulness to the Divine leading;

For the ordering of all things in dispute according to the righteous will of God;

For the putting away of all selfishness, and worldliness, and forgetfulness of the rights of others

II.

That God would call many men to the life and work of the Ministry;

That He would call many women to give their lives to His service in the work of His Church;

That many more, both men and women, may be led to offer themselves for work in the Mission Field.

III.

That God would give us all things needful for soul and body;

That He would preserve us from scarcity and famine and pestilence;

That He would deliver us from all those evil things which follow in the wake of war;

That He would grant us in patience to possess our souls.

We beseech Thee to hear us, good Lord.