

## HAMPTON HILL PARISH MAGAZINE.

THE VICARAGE,  
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MY DEAR PEOPLE,

I shall be away on holiday until August 26th. During my absence, Mr. Milton will attend to anything that needs special attention and will be at the Vestry each morning and evening, except on Saturday. On August 1st and 15th, I have secured special preachers and the offer-tories at the eleven o'clock service will be given to the S.P.G. and National Society respectively. The Choral Celebration will be transferred from the fourth to the fifth Sunday for this month at 10 o'clock.

I am taking this opportunity of thanking from the bottom of my heart the numerous helpers at the Fête. But for their kind and generous assistance, we could not make the repeated success we do at these functions. No words of mine could adequately express my gratitude to you all for your valuable assistance.

Also I want to thank all who sent donations towards the Sunday School Treats. The joy of the children who spend the one and only day at the sea in the year by your generous act of self-denial, amply re-pays your self sacrifice.

I am sure you would join with me in congratulating Mr. Alford, his staff and his boys for the success the boys attained in the Inter-School Sports and for being the winners of the "Carton Cup" at the Hampton Athletic Sports. We have but a small number of boys to pick from compared with other schools and yet we were within two of winning the Challenge Shield, we produced one of the two champion boys and our champion boy broke three records. It was a capital performance, and we are proud of our boys.

I am afraid I have taken up all available space, so must leave arrangements for the winter months until the September issue of the magazine.

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 Litany Desk.
2. A Parish Hall.

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3. A Bier for use in Church at Funerals, approximate cost about £30.
4. A Piano for the Infants' School.
5. 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 on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, between the hours of 8.45 and 10 a.m. And on any day, except Mondays, between the hours of 6 and 7 p.m.

**Parish News.**

**BIBLE CLASSES.**—The Bible Class for Lads will be closed during the holiday months. It will re-open on Sunday, October 10th, at 2.30 p.m., in the Church Room.

The Bible Class for Girls will not meet during the first four Sundays in August, but will start again on August 29th, in the Girls' School, at 10 a.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.

**C.L.B. GARDEN FETE.**—On Saturday, 10th July, the 15th Battalion of the C.L.B. held a Garden Fête at Clifden House, Twickenham, by kind permission of Dr. and Mrs. Leeson. Proceedings were opened at 2.30 p.m. by Colonel G. Reed, H.Q.S., who inspected the Guard of Honour under the command of Lieut. A. E. Nightingale. Besides the many side-shows, visitors enjoyed numerous amusements, and two Grand Concerts

were given under the direction of Mr. H. Bedborough. In the evening each Company contributed to a Battalion display which was much appreciated by all present. The Junior Corps Drum and Fife Band of "G" Company rendered a very creditable performance during the afternoon and evening. Proceedings were terminated about 10.30 p.m. with a Tattoo by the massed bands, followed by the National Anthem.

**LADS' CLUB.**—A meeting of the Committee of the Club will be held in the Church Room on Thursday, August 26th, at 8.30 p.m. The Club will re-open on Wednesday, September 1st, with a General Meeting in the Boys' School, at 8 p.m.

**MOTHERS' UNION.**—The Monthly Meeting will be held on Wednesday, August 4th, at 2.30 p.m. in the Church Room.

**FEAST OF ST. BARTHOLOMEW.**—Holy Communion, 7.30 a.m. and 12.

**ST. JAMES' FETE.**—Favoured with a beautiful summer's day, this Annual Function attracted a great crowd. A little after three o'clock, Mrs. Eyre Bruce declared the Fête open. Mrs. Terry's little daughter, Patricia, presented Mrs. Bruce with a bouquet of flowers. The vicarage lawn was prettily arranged with various stalls, and tables for tea. Nearest the house stood the stage, which has seen good service at many such functions. Then came a stall presided over by Mrs. Terry, Mrs. Fletcher and Mrs. Longhurst, and gaily bedecked with balloons and pretty things to attract young and old alike. The ice cream tent, a very necessary part of the proceedings on such a hot day, was under the care of Mrs. Wharton-Tomson and Mrs. Holt. The Pound Stall, ably supervised by Mrs. Rosten and Mrs. Randrup, provided many with their mid-week grocery, while from the Flower Stall, which was in the hands of Mrs.

**CARS FOR HIRE, R. D. STOCKWELL, Garage, Windmill Road.**  
Weddings, Dances, etc.

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Clement, Mrs. Singleton and Mrs. Morrison, the larder could be replenished with vegetables and fruit. The Sweet Stall, over which Mrs. Smith-Wilson and Mrs. Cox presided, drew a stream of customers with the proverbial "sweet tooth." Mrs. Wheatley and her able band of workers had laid themselves out to satisfy the inner man with teas and suppers, the quality of which are surpassed at no other like function in the neighbourhood. Thirsty mortals were catered for at a stall of minerals waters of which Miss A. Daines had charge. Passing on from the garden to the field, Miss Harvey's Fish Pond attracted numerous young anglers who drew from the waterless pond, such fish as never lived in the sea. A few steps away, Miss Watts and Miss Harverson presided over a dainty Lavender Stall, themselves arrayed in pretty dresses to match the wares they were dispensing. The Civil Service was in attendance in the form of a letter box in charge of Mrs. Abbott and some possible future members of the Senior Forces. In the field were the side-shows. The members of our smart C.L.B. Company were in charge of the Dandy, while Mr. Basey and Mr. Looker, each with a billiard table were rewarding the skill of their customers. Mrs. Hawkins with the Houp-la table spread with many valuable presents drew a large number of clients. The Treasure Island on a table in a small tent, on which were to be discovered numerous treasures from gold to sardines was carefully guarded by its owner, Mr. Wharton-Tomson. Next door, Mr. Neville was offering silver at a moderate price to any who could get it. And then there came the Wheel-of-Fate, whose board was resplendent with attractive presents of a solid and a liquidous nature under the management of Mr. Nightingale (Sen.) No Fête would be complete without its Coker-nut Shy and Mr. Creane and Mr. Smith presided over

this old-time favourite. Mr. Arthur Gamgee and Mr. Jack Gray were trying to persuade people to wreck their vengeance on all nasty physic by breaking bottles which once contained the terrible concoctions. Heads of Government Officials were under the care of Mr. Stanley Gray, who in a real basso profundo was urging customers to smash the pipes placed in the mouths of these honourables. Mr. Leslie Rivers with his squares was luring coppers from the pockets of passers by and Mr. Petty with an ingeniously got up dart board was persuading the public to spoil some beautiful court cards in the hope of winning a worthy prize. To satisfy the gnawings of hunger of those enjoying the fun-of-the-fare, a refreshment stall was for the first time established in the field which thoroughly justified its existence. The whole of the proceedings were much enhanced by the music of the band of the "T" Division of the Metropolitan Police. The Ladies' Orchestra which played during tea, added to the enjoyment of the afternoon, while a display by the C.L.B. was watched by a keenly interested crowd of spectators. The "Spelthorne Follies" gave a highly amusing entertainment, and the dancing, though all too short, was much enjoyed. In fact the whole function was a huge success, thanks to the weather and to the very large band of willing helpers who did not spare themselves in making the Fête a most happy time for all who came to it. The balance sheet will appear next month.

TREATS.—The members of the Mothers' Union had a pleasant excursion by char-a-banc to Bognor. Everyone thoroughly enjoyed the ride and the few hours by the sea.

The Sunday School went this year to Littlehampton. The weather might have been better, but in spite of a gale of wind the children spent a very happy eight-and-a-half hours by the sea.

**MISS DOROTHY HEAP, L.R.A.M., L.T.C.L., Experienced Teacher desires Pupils—Piano, Singing, Theory and Harmony. Preparation for all Examinations. Apply: 75, Hampton Rd., Upper Teddington.**

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The Infants were entertained on the Vicarage lawn. Miss Watts and her kind friends had provided variety and ample to delight her small scholars. Amongst other things, a Punch and Judy kept them roariouly happy for an hour.

**HOLIDAYS.**—The Vicar will be away from July 29th to August 26th. During this time Mr. Milton will attend to matters of urgency and may be seen any morning except Saturday from 9 a.m. to 10 a.m. and any evening except Saturday from 6 p.m to 7 p.m. There will be no daily or Thursday celebrations of the Holy Communion during these four weeks.

**DAY SCHOOL SPORTS.**—In the District Inter-School Sports the Children from Hampton Hill Day School took a prominent part. The boys unfortunately lost the Challenge Shield to Teddington Council School by only two points. They won the Handicap Shield for the sixth time in succession beating Hampton Council by 91 points. Edward Brown had the honour of tying with G. Crossman of Teddington Council for the Champion Boys' Cup with eleven points each. Amongst the records broken Edward Brown was responsible for no less than three. He won the 100 yards for his year in 12 secs. as against the previous record of 12½ secs. He was first in the 400 yards team race beating the previous record by one second. And he won the Combined Team Race in the record time of 1 min. 51 secs. as against 1 min. 52½ secs. Charles Foster won the Throwing the Cricket Ball. This is the first victory in this event for the school.

At the Hampton Athletic Sports the "Carton Cup" a trophy presented for competition among the Schools within eight miles radius of Hampton was easily won by the following team from Hampton Hill:—E. Brown, Victor Skinner, Cyril Freeman and Albert Harding.

**PRIZE-GIVING.**—The following is a list of prize-winners at the Annual Prize-giving of the Infants' School.

**LIST OF PRIZE WINNERS.**

**1st Class.**—Eric Benjamin, 1st Prize for Arithmetic; Albert Tagg, 2nd Prize for Arithmetic; Phyllis Young, 1st Prize for Reading; Lily West, 1st Prize for Reading; Winnie Byford and Marcus Waring, 2nd Prize for Reading; Leonard Johnson, 1st Prize for Writing; Ada Belby, 2nd Prize for Writing; Reginald Reynolds, 1st Prize for Handwork; Leslie Shepherd 2nd Prize for Handwork; Leonard Johnson, 1st Prize for Conduct; Eric Benjamin, Top boy, Prize for General Improvement.

**2nd Class.**—Wilfred Kerridge, 1st Prize for Arithmetic; John Brows, 1st Prize for Arithmetic; Fred Carter and Joan Ives, 2nd Prize for Arithmetic; Ronald Jarvis, 1st Prize for Reading; Gordon Murray, 2nd Prize for Reading; Robert Harrison, 3rd Prize for Reading; Bertie Gunter, 1st Prize for Writing; Gladys Winchester, 2nd Prize for Writing; Donald Robertson, 1st Prize for Handwork; Dorothy Brown, 2nd Prize for Handwork; Wilfred Kerridge and Joan Ives, Top of Class, Prize for General Work.

**3rd Class.**—Irene Simmonds, 1st Prize for Reading; Elsie Howard, 2nd Prize for Reading; Doris Adams, 1st Prize for Writing; John Taylor, 2nd Prize for Writing; Vera Green, 1st Prize for Number; Margaret Ives, 2nd Prize for Number; George Singleton, 1st Prize for Handwork; Cedric Muckle, 2nd Prize for Handwork; Betty Blackall, 1st Prize for Conduct.

**BAPTISMS.**

"Made a Member of Christ."

- July 11—Donald John Proctor.
- " 11—Claude Reginald Proctor.
- " 11—Pearl Barbara Dalley.
- " 11—Peter Ronald Young.
- " 11—Edward Charles Patrick West.
- " 11—Douglas William Frederick Hughes.
- " 11—Ruby Kathleen Chitson.
- " 11—William George Collins.
- " 11—Gladys Mary Jordan.

**MARRIAGES.**

"Those whom God hath joined together."

- July 7—Herbert Peeling and Ivy Louisa Blakesley.
- July 11—Cecil Ernest Rivers and Edith May Bacon.
- July 17—Frederick George Prosser and Mabel Morley.
- July 24—Willoughby Stacey Palmer and Constance Frobisher.
- July 25—Percival Arthur Thomas Patterson and Mary Ward.

**BURIAL.**

"I am the Resurrection and the Life."

- July 8—Thomas Cadman Silva, aged 77 years.