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MY DEAR FRIENDS,

Our Sunday School Excursion to Windsor on the 7th ult. was very successful and very pleasing. We were highly favoured with the weather and everything went well from first to last. Our numbers were 263, and I believe everybody enjoyed the day. The children were quite good and gave no trouble.

Miss E. Barton's Missionary Sale on the 20th was well patronized, and produced more than sufficient to maintain a bed for a year in the hospital at Ningpo, in China, where Dr. Cole, who used to be one of our Sunday School Teachers, is in charge.

I regret to say that the Girls' Friendly Society has lost a most valuable friend by the sudden and unexpected death of Miss Hedges, of Sunbury. Miss Hedges succeeded Mrs. FitzWygram as Secretary for the Rural Deanery thirty years ago, and for all those years she gave herself earnestly and energetically to the work of the Society. It will be most difficult to supply her place. I understand that this year the Annual Festival will be abandoned.

This month will be full of festivities of various kinds. On Tuesday, the 3rd inst., the members of the Communicants' Guild will have their Annual Meeting and Tea in the Vicarage garden. Miss Geraldine Cooke is very kindly preparing a musical programme for the evening. I hope all our members will be present. The C.E. Temperance Society is have its usual outdoor meeting on Thursday, the 5th inst., when we shall have the Rev. B. L. Currie to speak to us, and also a musical programme arranged by Mr. Phillips. With fine weather we are sure to have a pleasant evening. Mr. and Mrs. Norton are very kindly giving a treat at Laurel Dene, on Friday, the 6th, to 170 Day School children who won prizes last year. The children will go straight from the schools, at 4 o'clock. The Annual Choir Excursion will be on the river on the 2nd or 3rd Monday in the month.

Our local Flower Show is to be at the Manor House, Hampton, on Wednesday, the 11th inst.

Especial pains have been taken to make the Show a great success, and it will only need the attendance of the people in large numbers to make it so. The grounds are full of trees and will be shady and pleasant. Lady Hartland has most kindly promised to come and open the Show at 3 p.m. This is a new feature, and the Committee hope that many ladies and gentlemen will be present to welcome Lady Hartland. The Westminster Pierrots are to give entertainments at intervals, and those who saw them at the Victoria Hall will know how bright and amusing and really good they are. The prizes will be distributed by Mrs. Hughes, of the Manor House. Mr. and Mrs. Hughes have been most kind in affording the Committee every facility for making the Show a success. The Committee hope that there will be no lack of exhibitors, and they would especially appeal to the ladies to enter the classes devoted to them. This is a pretty part of the Show which adds so much to its general attractiveness. Full particulars can be obtained from the Secretary, Mr. Charles Hallt, Windmill Road.

The Working Men's Institute Sports are to take place on Saturday, the 14th inst., in a field near to the Female Orphanage.

St. James's Day (Wednesday, the 25th) is always well remembered in the parish. There will be Celebrations of the Holy Communion at 7.30 a.m. and at 11 a.m., when there will be an address and a full choral service in the evening at 8 p.m. The offertories will be for the Treats' Fund. The next day, Thursday, the 26th, we shall have the Garden Fête. The Day School children will meet at the Schools at 2 and march through the village to the Church, where there will be a short service at 2.45 p.m. The children's tea will be at 4 p.m. We shall be very glad to see the parents of the children and any parishioners in the Vicarage grounds. There will be a stall for a Sale of Work for Missions, which I hope will be well patronized. The work has been prepared by the Working Party during the winter. Any further gifts of articles for sale will be very thankfully received by Mrs. Griffiths, Mrs. Handcock, Miss Barnard,

Mrs. Barton, Miss Hemery, or Mrs. Job. The proceeds will be devoted to the S.P.G. and the C.M.S. Then a lady missionary, Miss Bazett, from Syria, will be present and will exhibit about a dozen people in native costume and give an account of the British Syrian Schools in Palestine. The School children and the Lads' Brigade will give exhibitions of drilling, and we shall have other attractions.

On the following Sunday, the 29th, the Festival Services will be continued. The evening preacher will be the Rev. H. Ramsdale Gidney, the Rector of Shepperton. The offertories on the Sunday will be for the Church Expenses Fund. It will be remembered that this fund showed a deficiency of £50 at the Easter Vestry, and it was then decided that a special appeal should be made on some Sunday for the diminishing of this debt. It is a large sum and it will mean a really generous effort if it is to be materially reduced. I should like to ask for at least £20. I do not think this is too much. We owe the money and are bound to make some little sacrifice to pay it. The offertories are certainly better than they were last year, and the Churchwardens are able to meet all current expenses, but the £50 must be cleared off.

I am, my dear Friends,

Yours very sincerely,

CHARLES R. JOB.

OFFERTORIES.

	11 a.m.	7 p.m.	TOTAL.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
May 20—Bishop of London's Fnd.	9 1 4	2 3 3	11 4 7
„ 24—Seamen's Missions ...	1 14 7	1 7 1	3 1 8
„ 27—Church Expenses ...	2 15 7	1 2 7	3 18 2
June 3—Curate's Fund ...	3 19 5	1 13 4	5 12 9
„ 10—Church Expenses ...	3 9 7	1 18 8	5 8 3
„ 17—Richmond Hospital ...	5 10 8	3 0 2	8 10 10
Early Celebrations (Poor Fund) May 27, 7/6; June 3, 7 a.m. 11/6; 8 a.m. £1 18s od.; June 10, 13/- ...			3 10 0
Children's Services (Missions), May 27, 3/4; June 3, 4/6; June 10, 5/- ...			0 12 10
Special Celebrations, June 4, Whit Monday, 3/7; Tues. 4/9; June 11, S. Barnabas, 5/- ...			0 13 4

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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 27—Richard Hans Fristed Smith.

June 10—John Frederick Foster.

„ 10—Violet Rose Powney.

„ 10—Mabel Ellen Hillier.

„ 10—Evelyn Dorothy Ewen.

„ 10—Harold Frank Jarvis.

„ 10—Christina Davies.

MARRIAGES.

“O Lord, send them help from Thy Holy Place, and evermore mightily defend them.”

June 3—William Rivers, to Annie Margaret Sawyer.

„ 14—Frederick George Hill, to Nelly Elizabeth Roberts.

BURIALS.

I am the resurrection and the life saith the Lord, he that believeth in Me, though he were dead, yet shall he live, and whosoever liveth and believeth in Me shall never die.”—*St. John, xi, 25, 26.*

May 24—Daniel Welch, aged 14 months.

„ 26—Hannah Amy Warwick, aged 44 years.

June 5—Emily Smith, aged 44 years.

„ 8—Mary Ann Golladed, aged 63 years.

HYMNS FOR THE MONTH.

DATE.	MORNING.	AFTERNOON.	EVENING.
July 1	417 269	281 299	231 416 512
„ 4	...	291	233
„ 8	4 229 290	571 335	281 21
„ 11	...	331	221 230 18
„ 15	537 321	...	235
„ 18	...	568	177 22
„ 22	178 213	569 260	272 214 280
St. James' Day.	...	564	31
July 29	396 (ii) Anthem	418 445	217 261
	239 439 448	341	191 240 32
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			391 Anthem
			222 436 378