

The Hampton Hill Parish Magazine.

OCTOBER, 1887.

OFFERTORIES.

		£	s.	d.
Sunday,	August 28.—Teddington Cottage Hospital.....	4	10	3 $\frac{3}{4}$
"	September 4.—General Fund.....	2	9	4
"	" 11.—General Fund.....	2	18	2 $\frac{1}{2}$
"	" 18.—General Fund.....	2	15	0

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EXTRACTS FROM PARISH REGISTERS.

BAPTISMS.

Sept. 4.—Edward George William Singleton.
 „ 11.—John Richard Cooley.

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Sept. 11.—Mabel Gertrude Hannah Langston.
 „ 20.—Margaret Eleanor Hill.

MARRIAGES.

Aug. 27.—Benjamin Ingram and Frances Singleton.
 Sept. 14.—William Singleton and Susannah Plowright.

BURIAL.

Sept. 10.—Martha King, 59 years.

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HYMNS FOR OCTOBER.

Sa. 261. October 2, 17th after Trinity, 382, 387 | 388, 381 | 383, 295, 166, 385, 379. M. 178. Tu. 207. W. 182. Th. 279. F. 265.
 Sa. 23. October 9, 18th after Trinity, 265, 298, 228 | 264, 328 | 221, 257, 232. M. 268. Tu. 260. W. 17. Th. 269. F. 254. Sa. 242.
 October 16, 19th after Trinity, 256 | 274, 224 | 156, 163, 23. M. 270.
 Tu. *S. Luke*, 425. W. 238. Th. 199. F. 112. Sa. 163. October 23, 20th after Trinity, 192, 211, 259 | 217, 176 | 266, 220, 27. M. 24.
 Tu. 291. W. 268. Th. 261. F. *S. Simon and S. Jude*, 435. Sa. 225, October 30, 21st after Trinity, 2, 255, 174 | 193, 473, 223 | 254, 176, 28. M. 29.

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The Tower and Spire.—At last we are able to speak definitely and to say that the entire plan is to be carried out. The Committee met on Thursday, September 15th, and decided to go on by a unanimous vote. In the first place they were guided by the fact that the amount of subscriptions received or promised was considerably increased, the sum total being £1620. The very fact that so large a sum had been raised in so short a time, seemed to give a reasonable probability that with a little perseverance the whole amount required would be raised without any great delay. The difficulty of meeting the payments to the contractors as they fall due had been surmounted by the promise of loans amounting to £600, contributed by some of those who are deeply interested in the success of the work. The continuance of the work having thus been rendered possible, the Committee felt that it was most desirable to secure the opportunity thus afforded of completing the Spire, now that the scaffold and all the builders' plant are prepared for its execution, and not to run the risk of its remaining incomplete for an indefinite time, or, at best, of its being finished at

a very greatly increased cost. We are convinced that they have acted wisely, and we trust that their decision will meet with the approval of a very large majority of the inhabitants of the parish. It remains for us now to do what we can gradually to raise the money. One plan which has been suggested is that we should all make ourselves responsible for a monthly payment of a sum which we should not feel much at the time, but which, added to others, would steadily and surely mount up. Two or three offers of 10s. monthly have already been made on condition that not less than 20 join to that amount. Promises are invited. First payment to be due January 1st, 1888. There are other means of raising money—various entertainments, a bazaar, &c. Of this we feel sure that the task is to be accomplished, and we feel equally sure that the good people of Hampton Hill will not rest till it is accomplished. The result of the appeal to 150 of the parishioners to raise a sum by cards, or to guarantee £5 before the end of 1888, has been only partially ascertained, not more than 50 having given any answer. Below is given the amounts returned so far:—

DONATIONS.			£	s.	d.				£	s.	d.
Mr. W. Blanchard...	...	...	5	0	0	Mr. Scears ...	...	...	2	0	0
Mr. W. H. Collingwood	...	...	1	1	0	Mrs. Melville ...	...	...	5	0	0
Mr. G. H. Plowright	...	...	1	1	0	Mr. V. Griffiths	...	...	6	0	0
Mr. J. R. Scriven ...	...	...	10	0	0	COLLECTED ON CARDS.					
Mr. H. Bowling ...	...	...	5	0	0	Mr. Dowsett ...	...	...	8	11	0
Mr. Dainton ...	...	...	0	5	0	Miss Butler ...	...	...	5	0	0
Mr. A. C. Bull ...	...	...	3	3	0	Mrs. Carr ...	...	...	11	19	0
Mr. T. Bowling ...	...	...	5	0	0	Mrs. Roe ...	...	...	1	5	0
Mrs. Hay ...	...	...	3	0	0	Mrs. Salmon ...	...	...	2	4	0
Miss Singleton ...	...	...	0	5	0	Mr. Garrett ...	...	...	5	5	0
Mr. Gernat ...	...	...	1	1	0	Mrs. Daines ...	...	...	1	5	0
GUARANTEED.						Mr. Turnbull ...	...	...	0	5	0
Mrs. Hall ...	...	...	5	0	0	Mr. Coope ...	...	...	5	0	0
Mr. Storey ...	...	...	10	0	0	Mr. Ableson ...	...	...	5	0	0
Mr. Dawkins ...	...	...	5	5	0	£123 15 0					
Mr. A. Bowling ...	...	...	5	0	0						
Mr. Makepeace ...	...	...	5	0	0						

Some of the guarantees will probably be transferred to the projected monthly subscription. Those who have not yet replied as to their cards will greatly oblige by doing so.

Diocesan School Inspection.—The annual examination of our Schools in Religious Knowledge took place on Tuesday, July 12th, and the following is the report of the Inspectors, the Rev. B. Reynolds, and the Rev. J. B. Rust:—

Boys' SCHOOL.—“The Religious Instruction in Division III is excellent, the teacher has succeeded in imparting a sound knowledge of the subjects to almost every boy. The explanation of the Creed is very thorough and valuable. Division II is good; but the instruction should be deeper and more thorough, the written work in the Catechism is very inaccurate. Division I is not equal to the rest of the School, the repetition of the Catechism is very good, but the explanation should be fuller. The New Testament and Prayer Book Subjects have not been well understood by the boys.”

GIRLS' SCHOOL.—“In Division I some of the girls answered with a thoroughly good knowledge of all their work, too many however did not show much spirit or understanding of their subjects. Division II did not do so well as last year, the girls especially need to be taught the simpler doctrines of the Creed. In

Division III the teaching has much improved. I hope still further advance will be found next year, especially in the understanding of the words of the Catechism."

INFANTS' SCHOOL.—"Miss Davenall has left the School in thoroughly good order and it is very well taught. The New Mistress should aim at making the children more quick and ready in answering."

Jubilee Entertainment.—We now give a statement as to the way in which the Funds collected by the Entertainment Committee, amounting to £76 0s. 6d., have been expended.

	£	s.	d.
Tea and Sugar	4	4	5½
Bread and Cake	14	13	9
Butter	3	6	4
Milk	2	9	8
Tables, Crockery and Attendance	7	0	4
Fireworks and Illuminations	13	10	2½
Bonfire	4	0	0
Medals and Ribbons	3	11	0
Band, Police, &c.	3	17	0
Punch and Judy	1	15	0
Printing	0	17	0
Prizes for Children	2	10	0
Balance £14 5s. 9d., distributed as follows:—			
Schools	5	5	9
Orphanage	3	0	0
Total Abstinence Society	3	0	0
Day Nursery	3	0	0
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	£76	0	6

S. James' Day.—The Balance Sheet for the School Children's Treat does not present so favourable an appearance:—

RECEIPTS.	£	s.	d.	EXPENDITURE.	£	s.	d.
Mrs. Uzzell	0	3	0	Bread and Cake	6	0	2
Mr. H. Bowling	1	1	0	Butter	0	19	10
Miss Hunt	0	2	0	Tea and Sugar	1	0	0
Mrs. Morley	0	2	6	Milk	1	4	0
Mr. G. H. Barlow	0	5	0	Prizes, &c.	2	0	0
Mrs. James	0	3	0	Punch and Judy	1	15	0
Mrs. Powell	0	5	0	Band, &c.	4	4	0
Fownhope	0	15	6	Moving Forms	0	5	0
Mr. J. R. Scriven	0	10	6				
Mrs. Carr	1	1	0				
Mrs. Bowling	0	10	0				
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	£17	8	0		£17	8	0

Dramatic Entertainment.—An Entertainment will be given on Wednesday, October 12th, in aid of the funds of the Recreation Ground and also of the Lawn Tennis Club.

Parish Magazine.—The present number is the last of our subscription year. Once again we remind our subscribers that the price of each copy is 2d., or, paid in advance, 1s. 6d. per annum. Subscriptions for the next twelve months are now due.

CHURCH CALENDAR

FOR

OCTOBER, 1887.

1	S	
2	S	17th after Trinity. Celebrations 8 a.m. and 11 a.m. Harvest Festival Services.
3	M	
4	Th	
5	W	
6	Th	
7	F	
8	S	
9	S	18th after Trinity. Celebration, 8 a.m. Baptisms, 3. 30 p m.
10	M	
11	Th	
12	W	
13	Th	
14	F	
15	S	
16	S	19th after Trinity. Celebrations, 8 a.m. and 11 a.m.
17	M	
18	Th	<i>S. Luke.</i> Celebration, 11 a.m.
19	W	
20	Th	
21	F	
22	S	
23	S	20th after Trinity. Celebration, 8 a.m.
24	M	Communicants' Class for Men, Vicarage, 8 p.m.
25	Th	Communicants' Class A, Vicarage, 2.30 p.m. " " B, Vicarage, 8 p.m.
26	W	Communicants' Class for Women, Vicarage, 2.30 p.m. " " for Women, Vicarage 8 p.m. " " for Young Men, Mission Room, 8 p.m.
27	Th	Communicants' Class for Young Women, Vicarage, 8 p.m. " " for Young Men, Mission Room, 8 p.m.
28	F	<i>S. Simon & S. Jude.</i> Celebration, 11 a.m. Provident Club, 12.15 p.m. Communicants' Class C, Vicarage, 2.30 p.m.
29	S	
30	S	21st after Trinity. Celebration, 8 a.m.; Children's Service and Catechising, 3.30 p.m.
31	M	