

The Hampton Hill Parish Magazine.

APRIL, 1889.

OFFERTORIES.

	£	s.	d.
Sunday, February 24th.—Bishop of London's Fund.....	3	14	1½
„ March 3rd.—General Fund	2	18	1
„ „ 10th.—General Fund	2	6	8½
„ „ 17th.—General Fund	2	13	0

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EXTRACTS FROM PARISH REGISTERS.

BAPTISMS.

- Mar. 7.—Blanche Walley.
„ 7.—William Charles Boulden.
„ 10.—Henry Wilfred Smith.
„ 10.—Irene Violet Walker.
„ 10.—William James Alexander.

BURIALS.

- Mar. 4.—Eliza Ann Musselwhite, 69 years.
„ 9.—Alice Ann Boulden, 37 years.
„ 9.—William Charles Boulden, 2 days.
„ 14.—Sarah Jane Holloway, 39 years.

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HYMNS FOR APRIL.

M. 255. Tu. 89. W. 183. Th. 106, 466. F. 107. Sa. 249.
April 7, 5th in Lent, 96 | 108, 96 | 96, 200, 97 pt. i, 467. M. 96.
Tu. 267. W. 91. Th. 93, 467. F. 111. Sa. 112. April 14, 6th
in Lent, 99, 100, 98 | 98, 332 | 99, 102, 98, Story of the Cross.
M. 108 | 106 | 467, 107, Story of the Cross. Tu. 101 | 96 | 467,
109, Story of the Cross. W. 105 | 108 | 467, 105, Story of the Cross.
Maundy Thursday, 315 | 110 | 472, 311, Story of the Cross. *Good
Friday*, 114, 111, 101 | 99, 109, 103, 101 | 120, 121, 122, Story of
the Cross. Sa. 124 | 125, 132, 141, 274. April 21, Easter Day, 131,
321, 324 | 134, 135, | 131, 136 | 134, 137, 126 pt. i, 133. 136. M.
131. Tu. 125. W. 140. Th. *St. Mark*, 410. F. 136. Sa. 125.
April 28, 1st after Easter, 131, 138, 132, 129, 125 | 134, 473, 131 |
131, 135, 139, 130, 140. M. 140. Tu. 135.

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Tower and Spire.—Some progress has been made towards the reduction of the debt. As soon as £30 more is got in we shall be enabled to clear off all outside liabilities, and pay in full our Architects' account. There still remains the loan of £600, but this has been reduced to £578 15s. Od., by the lenders, who have joined in the general effort to wipe out the debt by means of a monthly shilling subscription. We are sorry that the invitation to give a helping hand by taking a share or a few shares has not been more generally responded to. One shilling a month would not be felt much by many, and yet if we can get enough our debt will be soon wiped out.

The following is a list of those who subscribed since our last list was published, and this includes the amount promised in shilling subscriptions or otherwise, up to the end of the present year, December 31st, 1889.

	£	s.	d.
The Vicar.....	*36	0	0
Mrs. FitzWygram.....	*25	0	0
Mrs. Carr.....	*24	0	0
The Dean of York.....	*10	0	0
Mr. A. deWette.....	10	0	0
Mr. W. C. B. Hall.....	* 9	3	0
Mr. A. Bowling.....	* 7	8	0
Mr. W. Blanchard.....	* 6	0	0
Mr. W. P. Bowling.....	* 6	0	0
Mr. A. E. Storey.....	* 6	0	0
Lady I. Bligh.....	* 6	0	0
Mr. J. W. Dixon.....	5	0	0
Mr. J. Rowley Scriven.....	* 5	0	0
Mr. O. Lambert, sale of photos of Church.....	* 3	1	6
Mr. & Mrs. Griffiths.....	* 2	8	0
Anon. per Miss. A. Butler ..	* 2	2	6

	£	s.	d.
Mr. G. Evans.....	* 2	2	0
Mr. A. F. Cobb.....	2	2	0
Mr. J. Aldous.....	2	0	0
Mr. F. C. Hodgson.....	* 2	0	0
Mr. R. Ruthven Pynn.....	2	0	0
Mr.s M. Collins.....	1	8	0
Mr. & Mrs. Dowsett.....	* 1	4	0
Mr. & Mrs. Nobes.....	* 1	1	0
Mr. & Mrs. G. Sanders.....	* 1	1	0
Mrs. Cremer.....	* 1	0	0
Mrs. Lacey.....	1	0	0
C.....	0	10	0
A Fee.....	0	7	6
Miss. L. Ball.....	0	5	0

Total received or promised
up till December 31, 1889,
deducting £16 '12s. (bad
debts). } £1967 7 9

* In addition to Subscriptions received before.

Our Schools.—All is going on smoothly, and in all respects prosperity reigns, all excepting the question of finance. We have not yet found the remedy, how we are to prevent our expenditure being in excess of our income. We cannot expect to lower the former. Can we not increase the latter? It is only a matter of about £40 a year. Can we not raise it? Surely it would be better to do this than to have to pay £200 or £300 in the shape of a rate. It must be remembered that if we are compelled to have a School Board, Hampton will be dragged in with us, whether they wish it or no, and that then a very heavy expenditure will probably be required for their new schools, towards which we shall have to pay our full share. The various sicknesses, to which alas several of our children have succumbed, and which have kept many children away from school, are now, we hope we may say, fast disappearing from amongst us, and all the schools are getting very full. Our two assistant masters, Mr. Basey and Mr. Lutwyche, have received information from the Education Department that they have been successful in the Examination for which they sat in December, and they are now, both of them, certificated and qualified to take charge of a school.

Female Orphans' Home.—We are most of us interested in the welfare of this Institution, situated as it is, very near to us, but just outside the boundary line of the parish. The announcement that the Bazaar, which was held there on the 13th, 14th and 15th of March, was a success, will be welcomed by all. No less than £200 was cleared during the three days, and this should provide for several additional orphans, the cost of whose maintenance amounts to £10 each per annum. Many have worked hard to produce this good result. It would be invidious to mention names.

Married Women's Club.—*Lady Superintendent and Treasurer, Mrs. FitzWygram.* None of our institutions perhaps commend themselves more strongly to those who wish to give where help is needed and where it is an encouragement to those who are helped to make every possible exertion to help themselves. The object of the club is to secure to married women the guinea required for the doctor's fee at a time of unusual expense and difficulty. This is mostly done by the weekly contributions of the member herself, to which a bonus of about 3d. in the shilling is added out of the funds of the club.

Balance Sheet for the year ending December 31st, 1888.

RECEIPTS			£	s.	d.
Balance from 1887.....	4	1	0		
Mrs. FitzWygram.....	1	1	0		
Hon. Mrs. Bligh.....	0	10	6		
Mrs. Carr.....	0	10	0		
Mrs. Barlow.....	0	5	0		
Mrs. Garrett.....	0	5	0		
Mrs. Hayes.....	0	5	0		
Miss Hayes.....	0	5	0		
Miss Gwatkin.....	0	5	0		
Mrs. Garnons.....	0	5	0		
Mrs. Butler.....	0	3	0		

£	s.	d.	
Miss Barnard.....	0	3	0
Mrs. Bowling.....	0	2	6
Mrs. Powell.....	0	2	6
	£8	3	6

EXPENDITURE.			£	s.	d.
Paid on Members' Cards....	4	16	8		
Balance in hand.....	3	6	10		
	£8	3	6		

The Unemployed.—The work which was commenced in the Church road was finished successfully, and the drain at the depth of 8 feet was working well when the ground was filled in. An examination of the drain which runs down through the churchyard was also made, and it was found to have a free outfall close to the bank of the railway, at about 12 feet below the level of the surface of the churchyard. The drain itself was found to be nearly completely stopped in the middle of the new part of the churchyard, by a mass of roots which filled the 6in. pipe for a distance of about 4 feet. Great difficulty was met with in clearing and relaying the pipes, owing to the quicksand which so soon choked the pipes. It was on this account thought advisable to sink and brick up a small shaft, by means of which the drain can be easily cleared should it again get stopped. This, however, although it gave work to the unemployed, has caused a considerable deficit in the balance sheet, towards which subscriptions may be still sent in.

Statement of Accounts.

RECEIPTS.			£	s.	d.
Subscriptions already announced.....	15	2	6		
Mr. A. de Wette.....	1	1	0		
Mr. H. Bowling (2nd don.)	1	1	0		
The Vicar and Mrs. Bligh (2nd don.).....	1	1	0		
Mr. V. Griffiths.....	0	5	0		
Mr. J. Booth.....	0	5	0		
J. C. R.....	0	5	0		
Mr. E. W. Poley.....	0	2	6		
Fownhope.....	0	2	6		

£	s.	d.	
Mr. H. Cubison.....	0	2	0
Deficit.....	3	8	8
	£22	16	2

Expenditure.			£	s.	d.
Paid for Labour.....	19	8	2		
Sundry Expenses.....	2	14	0		
	£22	2	2		

Total Abstinence.—The sixth season of the Hampton Total Abstinence Association has come to a close without any signs of falling off in attendance or interest in the weekly meetings, which have been held during the last six months. Various eminent speakers have come long distances to give addresses, and several very interesting evenings have depended entirely upon speakers from amongst ourselves, and have given much satisfaction. An entertainment of conjuring and mystical illusion was given on February 27th, by Professor Lyndhurst of the Police Orphanage, by which the funds of the Society were greatly augmented, and great amusement afforded by the cleverness of the tricks, which were almost worthy of Maskelyne and Cook. Let us hope that the work of Temperance amongst our people is progressing in proportion to the efforts which are being made by the many Temperance Associations.

CHURCH CALENDAR

FOR

APRIL, 1889.

1	M	
2	Tu	Mission Service, Eastbank Road, 8 p.m.
3	W	
4	Th	Celebrations, 7.30 a.m. and 10 a.m.; Special Service, 8 p.m.
5	F	Meeting of Sunday School Teachers, Vicarage, 6.5 p.m.
6	S	
7	S	5th in Lent. Celebrations, 8 a.m. and 11 a.m.
8	M	
9	Tu	Mission Service, Eastbank Road, 8 p.m.
10	W	
11	Th	Celebrations, 7.30 a.m. and 10 a.m.; Special Service, 8 p.m.
12	F	Confirmation, Hampton Church, 7 p.m.
13	S	
14	S	6th in Lent. Celebration, 8 a.m. Baptisms, 3.30 p.m.
15	M	Matins, 10 a.m., Evensong, 5.30 p.m., Service, 8 p.m.
16	Tu	Celebration, 7.30 a.m., Matins, 10 a.m., Evensong, 5.30 p.m., Service, 8 p.m.
17	W	Matins and Litany, 10 a.m., Evensong, 5.30 p.m. Service, 8 p.m.
18	Th	<i>Maundy Thursday.</i> Celebration, 7.30 a.m., Matins and Celebration, 10 a.m., Evensong, 5.30 p.m., Service, 8 p.m.
19	F	<i>Good Friday.</i> Matins and Sermon, 11 a.m., "Words from the Cross," 2 p.m., Evensong and Sermon, 7 p.m.
20	S	Matins, 8 a.m., Choral Evensong, 8 p.m.
21	S	Easter Day. Celebrations, 7 a.m., 8 a.m., and 11 a.m. Baptisms, 3.30 p.m.
22	M	<i>Monday in Easter Week.</i> Celebration, 10 a.m.
23	Tu	<i>Tuesday in Easter Week.</i> Celebration, 7.30 a.m.
24	W	Vestry Meeting, 8 p.m.
25	Th	<i>S. Mark.</i> Celebration, 10 a.m.
26	F	Provident Club, Vicarage, 10.30 a.m.
27	S	
28	S	1st after Easter. Celebration, 8 a.m.
29	M	Communicants' Class C., Vicarage, 8 p.m.
30	Tu	Communicants' Class A., Vicarage, 2.30 p.m.
		„ „ B., Vicarage, 8 p.m.

WEEK-DAY SERVICES.

(AFTER EASTER DAY).

MONDAY, WEDNESDAY AND FRIDAY	...	...	...	...	10 a.m.
TUESDAY, THURSDAY AND SATURDAY	...	...	...	...	6 p.m.