

# HAMPTON HILL PARISH MAGAZINE.

THE VICARAGE,  
*June 1st, 1895.*

MY DEAR FRIENDS,

I think I am right in saying that the approaching "Fancy Fair" for the Schools is now filling all our minds, and it seems as if everybody has "a mind to work" in connection with it. Everybody I hear of appears to be getting something ready, and if the present spirit is maintained, and if we are fortunate enough to have two fine days, a measure of success is sure to be attained.

The time is passing quickly, and I would ask contributors to send their gifts to the various stall-holders as early as possible. Major Balguy is anxious that his "Rummage" Stall should be well furnished and well patronized. "Rummage" may be sent to the Gardener's Cottage at the Vicarage. Those who would like their contributions for this stall to be sent for, are requested to communicate at once with Major Balguy.

I think the stall-holders are known to everybody. There is, however, an alteration with regard to the Dairy Stall. This will now be taken along with the Fruit and Flower Stall by Misses Kidner, Miss Toulmin, Miss Betts and Misses Etlinger, who will be glad to receive eggs and butter, milk and cream, flowers, plants and fruit.

It is now definitely arranged that Lady F. Dixon-Hartland will open the Fair on the Tuesday, and Mrs. de Wette on the Wednesday, at 2.30.

The prices for admission will be One Shilling on Tuesday, from 2.30 to 10 p.m.; Sixpence on Wednesday, from 2.30 to 8, and Threepence afterwards. Season tickets will be issued at One Shilling and Threepence.

A series of short entertainments, of a varied character, will take place each day, as well as a number of other amusements, such as "Cocoanut Shies," "Aunt Sally," &c., &c.; and the grounds will be illuminated with five hundred lamps by Mr. A. E. Jones, who is most kindly doing this free of charge.

Our next anxiety is to secure the presence of all our friends, who will help to relieve the stall-

holders of the good things with which they are provided, and which, I understand, are to be marked at very fair prices. May I express the hope that as many as can will come each day to the opening to welcome the two ladies who are so kindly coming to assist us by their presence?

All work sent to the Vicarage, and not marked for any particular stall, will be equally divided amongst the Work Stalls.

We must to a great extent rely upon everybody's co-operation to assist in making the "Fair" known as widely as possible.

The Annual Offertories on behalf of the Richmond Hospital will take place on the 16th inst. Many of our parishioners benefit by means of this excellent institution, which deserves and needs our support. The 15th inst. is "Hospital Saturday" for the same institution, and I am asked to call special attention to this fact.

Our Summer "Treats" are coming again, and I shall be thankful for any contributions to the "Treats' Fund." We propose to take the older Sunday School children to the Crystal Palace on Friday, the 28th inst. The arrangements will be carried out on exactly the same lines as in former years. The tickets for those not connected with the schools will be: for adults, 3/4; and for children under 14, 2/- for the railway fare, admission to the Palace and Tea. Tickets may be obtained from Miss Eastland, at the Schools, on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, the 25th, 26th and 27th, from 12 to 1 o'clock. No tickets will be sold on the day of the Treat. All who intend to join our party must be at Fulwell Station at 10 a.m. The train for home leaves at 7.48 p.m.

On Whit-Sunday there will be Celebrations of the Holy Communion at 7, 8, and after the 11 o'clock service. Christmas, Easter and Whitsuntide are the three great Festivals of the year. They are seasons when all Christians come to the Holy Communion. May I earnestly urge you not to neglect this most important and sacred service on this occasion.

I must not close my letter without a brief reference to the loss we have all sustained by the

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sudden death of Mrs. Coope. For many years her quiet, cheerful, consistent life has been lived in the parish. All who have known her entertain for her the highest respect and regard. She had reached a good old age, and it could scarcely be expected that she could have remained much longer, but her departure is a distinct loss, and her kind, bright face and gentle manner will long be missed. "Her end was peace."

I am, my dear Friends,

Yours very sincerely,

CHARLES R. JOB.

## VESPER HYMN.

*(Sung after the Blessing on Sunday Evenings).*

"Lord keep us safe this night,  
Secure from all our fears;  
May angels guard us while we sleep,  
'Till morning light appears."

## SUMMARY OF DAY SCHOOL ACCOUNTS

*For Year ending 31st October, 1894.*

	£	s.	d.
<b>Income.</b>			
To Annual Grant from Education Department	401	5	4
„ Fee Grant „ „ „	221	7	6
„ Voluntary Contributions	111	4	9
„ Entertainments	9	1	2
„ Rents	33	18	0
„ School Pence	20	10	3
„ Grant from Science and Art Department	12	19	6
„ Sale of Needlework	9	5	3
„ Balance due to Treasurer	52	15	0 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>
	£872	6	9 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>
<b>Expenditure.</b>			
By Balance on 1st November, 1893	47	11	5 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>
„ Salaries of Teachers	598	2	11
„ Books, Apparatus and Stationery	48	14	5
„ Fuel, Light and Cleaning	48	13	1
„ Replacement of Furniture and Repairs to Buildings	84	11	2
„ Rent	32	0	0
„ Rates and Insurance	7	13	5
„ Other Expenses	8	0	4
	£872	6	9 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>

GEORGE SANDERS, *Hon. Treasurer.*

## LADIES WORKING PARTY (S.P.G.)

	£	s.	d.
<b>Received.</b>			
Subscriptions and Donations	8	4	0
	£	s.	d.
<b>Paid.</b>			
For Materials	3	7	11
„ Printing	0	11	0
Cash sent to ladies' Association of the S.P.G.	4	2	10
Balance in hand	0	2	3
	£8	4	0
Value of Work sent to the Society	£10	6	0

*Treasurer*—Mrs. HANDCOCK.     *Secretary*—Mrs. HUBBARD.

## OFFERTORIES.

	11 a.m.	7 p.m.	TOTALS.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
April 28.—General Fund	2 3 2	1 2 10	3 6 0
May 5.—Curate's Fund	3 10 2	1 7 6	4 17 8
„ 12.—General Fund	3 8 1	1 1 0	4 9 1
„ 19.—General Fund	2 14 3	1 2 3	3 16 6
Ascension Day—Mission to Seamen	3 1 9	1 18 5	5 0 2
Poor Fund, at Early Communion—April 28, 5/10;			
May 5, 7/4; May 12, 8/11; May 19, 5/6			1 57 7
Children's Services, Missions—April 28, 4/3; May 5, 2/7; May 12, 3/6; May 19, 2/10			0 13 2
Special Celebrations—April 25, 9d.; May 1, 2/3			0 3 0
			£23 13 2

The Vicar's Easter Offerings amounted to £13 11s. od., for which he expresses his sincere thanks.

## 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 12.—Violet Winifred Cownden.  
„ 16.—Grace Lilian Poley.

## MARRIAGE.

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

May 21.—Frederick Gilbert to Susan Mary Mould.

## 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 9.—John Mason Knowles, aged 82 years.  
„ 16.—Thomas Bailey, aged 60 years.