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THE VICARAGE,
HAMPTON HILL,
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MY DEAR FRIENDS,

The Sunday School Excursion to Portsmouth on the 3rd ult. was most satisfactory in every way except that it was a very cold day, but there is no accounting for the weather this year, and we might have had it worse than it was. The children gave us no trouble, and we were well supplied with teachers, who devoted themselves entirely to the enjoyment of the children.

The Missionary Sale of Work, on the 24th, took place in torrents of rain. Fortunately the Church Room came in splendidly, and a number of people were brave enough to face the floods. The net result was £29, which is £9 better than last year. Mrs. Wallace, Mrs. and Miss Harrison, and Miss Watts had a stall of plants; Miss Irene Watts drove a good trade in sweets; Mrs. Whittet, Mrs. Craggs, Mrs. Lowdell, Mrs. Wisdom, Mrs. Carpenter, Miss Ethel Griffiths, Miss Hetherington, Miss Wootton, Nurse Edmunds, and others dispensed refreshments; while the general work was presided over by Mrs. Griffiths, Mrs. Job, Miss White, Miss Barnard, Mrs. Shelborne and Miss B. Hunter.

The Church Pageant at Fulham seems to have astonished everybody who saw it. It was extremely well done, and must have simplified some points in Church history to a great many people. I am sorry that I was not able to get tickets for many of those who wished to have them. It may be some consolation to them to know that tens of thousands of others were in the same position.

The Church Missionary Exhibition, at the Agricultural Hall, has been visited by immense crowds. Nine members of our Congregation have been assisting as Stewards, and have been most constant in their attendance.

I am most anxious to hear of someone who would take charge of a class of youths. Will some gentleman volunteer? It is very important work. It means giving up one hour on the Sunday afternoon. It would be an immense help.

The Girls' Friendly Society Annual Festival, for the Deanery of Hampton, will take place on Wednesday, the 7th inst. There will be a

distribution of prizes and certificates in the Vicarage grounds, followed by tea, after which there will be a Service in the Church at 6 p.m.

The Annual Meeting of the Communicants' Guild will be Thursday, the 8th inst., at 5.30 p.m., in the Vicarage Garden if fine, or in the Church Room if wet.

I am asked to mention that the Hampton and Hampton Hill Flower Show will take place in the Manor House grounds, on Wednesday, the 14th inst. The Committee are making a great effort to secure success, and if the weather is favourable there is no doubt that they will attain it. Entries should be made through Mr. Hallt, the Secretary, as soon as possible. The Committee are very anxious to have the cordial support of the ladies.

The Annual Meeting of the Mothers' Union is fixed for Thursday, the 15th inst. There will be a short Service at 3 p.m., after which there will be an adjournment to the Vicarage Garden, or Church Room if the weather is bad, when an address will be given by a lady, and then there will be tea. I hope all the members will try to be present.

The St. James' Festival has always been a great occasion with us. This year St. James' Day is on a Sunday, and on that day there will be Celebrations of the Holy Communion at 7, 8 and 11 a.m. The preacher in the Evening will be the new Rural Dean, the Rev. Prebendary Prosser. The offertories, after deducting the usual amount for Church expenses, will be for the Treats' Fund. The Children's Festivities will take place on the following Friday, the 30th inst. The Procession will start from the Schools, with the Fortescue House Band, at 2 p.m., and march through the village to Church for a short Service, after which the children will adjourn to the Vicarage field and we shall have as much frolic and fun as we can. The parents of the children will be heartily welcome immediately after the children's tea. We shall be thankful for any further contributions to the Treats' Fund, or for any gifts in kind. Full details will be given nearer the time.

I am, my dear Friends,

Yours very sincerely,

CHARLES R. JOB.

PEMBROKE HOUSE,
HAMPTON,

June 21st, 1909.

MY DEAR MR. JOB,

May I, through the medium of the Magazine, tender my grateful thanks to yourself, the Churchwardens and Parishioners for the very generous gift presented to me at Whitsuntide.

I do most thoroughly appreciate this latest expression of goodwill, and I take this opportunity to thank, one and all, for the very kind way in which they have always received whatever poor services I have been privileged to render to the Parish during my eleven years ministry in it.

Yours very sincerely,

E. STANLEY PHILLIPS.

OFFERTORIES.

	11 a.m.		7 p.m.		TOTAL.	
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
May 23—Bishop of London's fund	5	16 8	2	16 1	8	12 9
„ 30—Whit-Sunday Offerings						
6.45 a.m., £2/16/7; 8	15	12 6	6	4 1	27	8 6
a.m., £2/15/4...						
June 6—Curate's Fund ...	4	0 7	1	10 8	5	11 3
„ 13—Church Expenses ...	3	6 2	1	8 2	4	14 4
Early Celebrations (Poor Fund), June 6, 7/7; June 13,						
15/3					1	2 10
Children's Services (Missions), May 30, 4/7; June 6,						
2/4; June 13, 4/10					0	11 9
Special Celebrations, Whit-Monday, 6/7; Tuesday,						
3/3; St. Barnabas' Day, 7/3					0	17 1
Thursdays: May 27, 2/-; June 17, 4/- ...					0	6 0
Wednesday: May 26, Special Offertory for						
Rescue Work					0	11 4
Special Services (Communicants' Guild)					0	14 10
					£50	10 8

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 22—Geoffrey Tay Clarke.
- „ 29—Arthur Collinson.
- „ 30—Edward John Malby Marrian.
- June 6—Gerald Edwin Evershed.
- „ 13—Ellen Elizabeth Alice Kedg.
- „ 13—Leonard Edward Westrup.
- „ 13—John Blanchard Price.
- „ 13—Edith Caroline Green.
- „ 13—William Thomas Green.
- „ 13—Ernest Green.
- „ 18—Jean Margaret McCulloch.

MARRIAGE.

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

June 5—Harold Wood to Gertrude Mary Tattershall.

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 21—Arthur John Johnson, aged 8 years.

June 1—Thomas George Beville Sanders, aged 82 years.

HYMNS FOR THE MONTH.

DATE.	MORNING.	AFTERNOON.	EVENING.
July 4	4 229	332 571 336	224 196 517 477
7	...	...	194 175
„ 11	214 280 537	334 567 217	512 273 532 31
„ 14	...	...	539 534
„ 18	191 319	338 335 333	545 520 513 232
„ 21	...	...	263 260
„ 25	395 Anthem 418 437 242	432 448 305	391 Anthem 239 438 215
„ 28	...	...	285 418