

The printers of this magazine announce that owing to the withdrawal of typesetting facilities from them caused by the present dispute in the printing industry they have been obliged to duplicate the text pages.

RECTOR'S LETTER.

My dear Friends,

The financial result of the Church Fete was most encouraging, and we wish to convey to all who assisted us in this effort our very sincere thanks. It is not possible, here, to mention by name the many who worked hard in preparation for the Fete, but I would like to record our deep appreciation of all that was done by our hon.organiser (Mr.Martin Palmer) and his colleague (Mr.Peter Roderick). We were very happy to have Mrs.Wieler as our Opener and were grateful to her for taking the place of Lady Rose Baring at such short notice. The details of the amount received at the various stalls etc., are given elsewhere in this magazine.

As a result of the half-yearly box opening on Sunday July 12th, we have been able to send a total of £33 to the various societies - the details will be included in this publication. We thank all who sent in their boxes, and the Societies' local secretaries.

The dispute in the printing industry, unfortunately, continues, and for this reason the local matter must be kept as short as possible. We are grateful to our printers for their services during this difficult period.

Yours sincerely,

C.EDWARD ELTON.

HALF-YEARLY BOX OPENING - JULY 12th, 1959.

Ruanda Mission (C.M.S.)	£14. 5. 2½.
Church Pastoral-Aid Society	£9. 4.11½
C.of E.Children's Society	£9. 9.10½

Alexandra Rose Day - Village Collection

June 23rd 1959.

The proceeds of this collection was, as is our custom, sent to the Church of England Children's Society. The result was £8.13.0, and a letter of appreciation for the work done by the collectors has been received by Mrs.Denys Head from the Secretary of the Society.

Notes for August.

Sunday, August 2nd. Preacher at 6.30 p.m. the Rev. W.H. Andrew, Curate of St. Mary of Bethany, Woking.
Sundays, August 23rd and 30th. The services will be conducted by the Rev. A.C. Bellerby, M.A.
Sundays, August 2nd and September 6th, Children's Church at 10.0 a.m.
The Sunday School will close during August.

Thanks.

We are grateful to Mr. A. Francis for the gift of a new watering can for use in the Churchyard.

We are proud that the remarks in the "Best kept village competition" report concerning our own Churchyard are so commendatory, and we would again express to our Verger and Sexton, Mr. A. Goad, our thanks for all he does to keep the Churchyard so beautiful. We also thank Mrs. Dowson and her gardener for the fact that the approach to our Church is made so attractive.

While referring to the upkeep of gardens we would like to express our appreciation of all the work Miss E.F. Denny has done in the Rectory Garden in preparation for the Garden Fete.

Welcome. We are happy to welcome to this deanery the Rev. A.W. Mills who was instituted to the parish of Thursley on July 9th. Mr. Mills is the son of a member of our church, Major-General Sir Arthur M. Mills of Enton Green, and he is already well known to many of our congregation. We wish him and his family every blessing in their new parish.

CHURCH FETE - JULY 11th 1959.

Financial Results.

Donations	£15. 12. 0.
Programmes (Competition & Admission)	4. 11. 6.
Gate	2. 13. 8½
Sewing Meeting	62. 4. 4
Flower Competition	1. 12. 0
Games & Sideshows	15. 7. 5
Cakes (inc. Weight Competition)	16. 5. 9
Produce	23. 9. 2
Teas	10. 8. 4
Household Goods	11. 3. 1½
Choir	3. 0. 0
Carried forward	£166. 7. 4

Brought forward	£166. 7. 4.
White Elephant	19. 1. 6.
Donkey Rides	2. 3. 0
Ice Cream	3. 12. 4
Soft Drinks	1. 0. 3
Ham Weight Competition	3. 7. 0
Auction	7. 5. 0
Further Donations and Receipts	6. 4. 2
	<u>209. 0. 7</u>
Less Organising Expenses, (Amplifier, Printing etc).	4. 18. 3
TOTAL:	<u>£204. 2. 4</u>

Surrey Best Kept Village Competition 1959.

Judges' Comments on Hambledon.

Advertisements.	No marks lost.
Litter.	Mostly good.
Hedges, Fences & Walls.	Good with a few exceptions.
Churchyard.	In very good condition.
Village Hall and Surrounds	Very well cared for but sur- rounds need more attention.
Village Centre)	
Playing Field)	Very neat and tidy.
Footpaths	Fair
Ponds and Streams	Good.
Gardens & Allotments.	Fairly good.
Outhouses & Sheds.	- ditto - some untidiness noted.
Inns & Public Houses.	In a very tidy condition.
Shops and Workshops.	Neat and Tidy.

General Remarks.

The judges reported on the great effort made with the pond near the green.

Verges needed attention, but this is not solely a village responsibility.

HAMBLEDON FOOTBALL CLUB.

The following were elected for Season 1959-60.

PRESIDENT	Mr. L. E. Wood
CAPTAIN 1st XI.	Mr. D. W. House
VICE " " "	Mr. A. G. Blackman.
CAPTAIN 2nd XI.	(To be elected)
VICE " " "	Mr. D. Milton.

HON.SEC & TREAS. Mr.G.D.Luxford.

COMMITTEE: Officers plus Mr.A.Puttock and Mr.H.Howard.

The Club will be competing in Divisions I and II of the Guildford and District League.

Practice games will be held during the latter part of August. First League games September 12th.

Would anyone wishing to play or to help the club in any way please contact the Hon.Sec. G.D.Luxford, Potters Hill.

A Statement of accounts will be sent to Honorary Members in due course.

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