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Badsey with Aldington & Wickhamford Parochial Magaziye.

SUNDAY SCHOOL TREAT.

Considering the general character of the weather last month, we should indeed have been fortunate had the day selected for our annual tea and sports been fine. In spite of a threatening sky, however, a light wind encouraged us to hope that we were going to escape the unhappy fate of the majority of June holiday-makers. But our hopes were speedily shattered, for the rain arrived punctually with the tea; and, although the boys made a gallant attempt at a cricket-match while the girls were having tea in the parish-room, play very soon had to be abandoned-not, however, before one or two of our youthful cricketers had shown considerable improvement on last year's "form". We should have been at a loss to know what to do with the girls while the boys were having tea, had not Mr. W. Keen very kindly allowed them the use of his barn for games. Happily the rain did not appear to damp the children's spirits in the least degree, and, when the boys had retired from the unequal contest with cake and jam, everyone went home with a radiant face, a packet of sweets and the prospect of returning to the Vicarage for the sports, the first fine evening. Only those children who had made twothirds of the highest possible number of attend. ances were invited, and about 100 qualified. The sports were eventually held on the following Friday when there was a good muster, although some who attended the tea were unable to come. The various events were decided as follows :----

- Race for Senior Girls.-1, K. Nightingale; 2, L. Crisp.
- Race for Girls under 11.-1, E. Stanford; 2, M. Moisey.
- Race for Infant Girls.—1. D. Agg; 2, M. Heritage; 3, M. Perkins.
- Race for Boys under 11.-1, P. Hartwell; 2, J. Perkins.
- Race for Infant Boys.--1, E. Wilkins: 2, W. Wheatiey; 3, W. Cleveley.
- Kicking the Football.—1, W. Barnard (140 feet); 2, Arthur Keen (137 feet);

SALE OF WORK.

The annual Sale of Work in connection with the Vicarage Sewing Class took place on Tuesday, June 4th. Unfortunately the weather did not permit of its being held on the Vicarage Lawn, but otherwise the sale proved an unqualified success. There were two sales in the village the same afternoon, but these were rather a help than a hindrance, as they brought us one or two purchasers from a distance. The following balancesheet shows at a glance the results of the sale and the present position of the Sewing Class.

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NOTE.—The bill for the altar hangings, etc., has not been received; when this has been paid, a balance of about £10 will remain. The cakes for tea at the Sale of Work were kindly provided by Mrs. Warner.

NOTES AND NEWS.

The Vicar has received, and acknowledges with thanks, 5s. each from Mrs. Wingfield and Mr. J. T. Wingfield to start a fund for a new organ for Badsey.

Subscriptions towards the annual (Badsey) choir excursion may now be paid to the Vicar, Mr Sladden, or Mr. H. Keen. The choristers have also a book for collecting, and there is a balance in hand of 9s. 4d. from last year's account.

The Vicar expects to be away from home from July 22nd until about the end of August.

THE REGISTERS.

BADSEY.—BAPTISM. June 16th.—Thomas Ernest Nightingale.

BADSEY. - MARRIAGE.

June 27th .- Henry Kelland and Elizabeth Mary Sharp.

OFFERINGS FOR THE MONTH.

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