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HARVEST FESTIVALS.

The Harvest Festival was kept at Wickhamford on October 4th and at Badsey on October 11th. The preacher at Wickhamford was the Rev. F. G. E. Ashworth, M.A., Vicar of The Littletons, and at Badsey the pulpit was occupied by the Rev. F. W. Walbrand-Evans, M.A., Precentor of Christ Church, Oxford, and an old colleague of the Vicar's. The offerings in kind were disposed of as in previous years and the collections were given to the Evesham Cottage Hospital. As the names of all helpers have been given in the local papers we do not propose reproducing them here.

FOREIGN MISSIONS.

Advent Sunday (November 29th) will again be observed as 'Mission Sunday.' We hope to have special preachers, and the collections throughout the day will be divided between the Society for the Propagation of the Gospel in Foreign Parts and the Bishop of Lebombo's Fund.

All Missionary Boxes should be returned to the Vicarage not later than Saturday, November 21st.

NOTES AND NEWS.

The preacher on Sunday evening, November 1st, will be the Rev. Frank Jones, Secretary of the Guild of S. Luke, and Chaplain and Dean of S. Luke's College.

The Wickhamford Club re-opened on September 28th and is 'going strong' with about 35 members.

The Parish Library will re-open on Monday, November 2nd, at 5.30 p.m., with a supply of new and interesting volumes.

Members of the Sewing Class are invited to meet at the Vicarage on Monday, November 2nd, at 3.30 p.m., to decide upon the allocation of the balance in hand. Mrs. H. Keen has still a quantity of last year's work for sale and, unless this can be disposed of, it scarcely seems worth while continuing the class.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Emms very kindly entertained all the Badsey choristers to tea on October 7th and also handed the Vicar 5/- towards next year's choir excursion.

The painfully sudden death of Mr. Richard Roberts and the shocking accident to Mrs. Cull invest the past month with a pathetic interest. That Mrs. Cull should have escaped with her life and subsequently made such excellent progress towards recovery is something very like a miracle.

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THE REGISTERS.

BADSEY—BAPTISMS.

October 18.—William Alfred Jelfs.
 „ „ —Ellen Sears.
 „ „ —Grace Lilian Grove,

BADSEY—MARRIAGE.

October 7.—George William Emms and Eliza Knight.

BADSEY—BURIALS.

October 8.—Harriet Wasley, aged 48 years.
 „ 19.—Richard Roberts, aged 77 years.

WICKHAMFORD—BAPTISMS.

October 9.—Doris Jones.
 „ 25.—Frank Smith.

WICKHAMFORD—BURIAL.

October 14.—Doris Jones, aged 8 days.

OFFERINGS FOR THE MONTH.

		BADSEY.			WICKHAMFORD.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Oct.	1.—Sick and Needy ...	0	0	6	...		
	„ 4.—Sick and Needy ...	0	2	0	...		
	„ „—Church Expenses ...	0	7	5	...		
	„ „—Cottage Hospital	2	3 11
	„ 11.—Sick and Needy ...	0	10	0*	...		
	„ „—Church Expenses	0	1 10½
	„ „—Cottage Hospital ...	5	4	1			
	„ 18—Sick and Needy ...	0	1	9	...	0	2 0
	„ „—Church Expenses ...	0	12	0	...	0	3 7
	„ 25—Sick and Needy ...	0	3	6½			
	„ „—Church Expenses ...	0	15	5	...	0	2 11
	„ 28—Sick and Needy ...	0	0	9			
		£7 17 5½			£2 14 3½		

* The Vicar gratefully acknowledges this half-sovereign which was left at the Vicarage by an anonymous benefactor on Sunday evening, October 4th, "for Sick and Needy Fund for Badsey Village."

