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HARVEST FESTIVALS.

The Harvest Festival was observed at Badsey and Wickhamford on Sundays October 10th and 17th respectively. At Badsey there were nearly 70 Communicants, Mattins was well-attended, and at Evensong, when the preacher was the Rev. G. C. Binyon, M.A., every available seat was occupied. The collections at Badsey were less than last year, whilst those at Wickhamford showed an increase; and although, as Dogberry observed to neighbour Verges, "comparisons are odorous," it may serve as a stimulant to both parishes to know that the evening collection at Wickhamford was 10s. in excess of the Badsey one.

The decorators were Mrs Allsebrook, Mrs. Hands, Mrs. H. Keen, Miss Holmes, Misses E. and J. Sladden, Mrs. E. Collett, Gladys Ballard, Mr. Sparrow, Mr. G. Moisey, and T. Keen at Badsey; and Mrs. Lees-Milne, Miss Bailey, Miss Impey, Mrs. Taylor, Miss Pethard, Mrs. G. Agg, Miss Openshaw, and Mrs. Hartwell at Wickhamford.

Offerings in kind were received from Mr. J. E. Knight, Mrs. Russell, Mr. Sparrow, Mr. W. Sparrow, Mr. G. E. Jones, Mrs. Warner, Mrs. Stanford, Mrs. C. Keyte, Mrs. J. Keen, Mrs. E. Knight, Mrs. H. Keen, Mrs. Ashwin, Mr. H. Kelland, Mrs. T. Marshall, Mrs. Reeves, Mrs. H. Cave, Mr. Geoffrey Jones, Mr. J. Perkins, Mrs. C. Sparrow, Mr. J. Marshall, Mr. Davies, Mrs. Jas. Hall, Mr. A. E. Jones, Mr. E. Ballard, Mr. E. Collett, Mrs. Griffin, Mrs. Sladden, Mrs. Johns, Messrs. Johns and Sons, Mrs. Russell, Mr. T. H. Knight, Mr. W. Knight, Mr. D. Agg, Mrs. Jos. Hall, Mr. Ellison, Mrs. Heritage, Mrs. Carter, Mrs. Days, Mrs. Cox, Mrs. G. Pethard, Mrs.

Hartwell, Mrs. Hemming, Mrs. Westwood, Mrs. Colley, Mrs. J. Smith, Mrs. W. Smith, Mrs. W. Jones, Mrs. Herbert, Mrs. Walters, and Mr. Cull who sent bread to both Badsey and Wickhamford.

The fruit and vegetables were for the most part sent to the Christ Church Mission, Poplar, Mr. Mustoe and Mr. T. H. Knight adding consignments of apples, and Mr. Lees-Milne and Mr. A. Sears kindly providing free conveyance to the station. One hamper of produce was sent to the Evesham Sanatorium, Mr. W. Knight making a special journey for the purpose of delivering it.

NOTES AND NEWS.

The Parish Library will re-open on November 1st, and will be open every Monday, until further notice, from 5.30 to 6 o'clock. Numerous additions have been made, including seven boys' books by some of the most popular authors, the gift of Mr. Richards, and two children's books, given by Miss M. Openshaw.

The winter session of the Sewing Class will commence on Wednesday, November 10th. It is hoped that all the old members will attend, and a cordial welcome will be extended to any new members.

A small Sale of Work and Rummage will be held in the Parish Room on Tuesday, November 2nd, from 3 to 6 p.m.

The Wickhamford Club will re-open on November 1st.

The preacher at Badsey on Sunday evening,
 November 7th, will be the Rev. C. W. Coles, A.K.C.,
 Warden of Hartlebury College.

THE REGISTERS.

BADSEY—BAPTISMS.

October 5.—John Davies.

BADSEY—BURIAL.

October 7.—William Harris, aged 34 years.

OFFERINGS FOR THE MONTH.

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