

OCTOBER, A.D. 1912.

VERWOOD
AND
WEST MOORS
Parish Magazine.

The Clergy :

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THE REV. C. A. FRANKLAND, A.K.C.

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The Parish Church.

HOURS OF SERVICES.

SUNDAYS.

Holy Eucharist	7 a.m.
"	11 a.m. (sung)	Sermon.	
Matins and Litany	...	...	10 a.m.
Catechizing	...	...	3.30 p.m.
Evensong and Sermon	...	...	6.30 p.m.

HOLY DAYS.

Holy Eucharist	...	...	7 a.m.
"	...	(sung)	8.45 a.m.
Matins	...	...	7.45 a.m.
Evensong (on the Eve)	...	...	7.30 p.m.

WEEK DAYS.

Holy Eucharist	...	...	7 a.m.
"	Tuesdays	...	8 a.m.
Matins	...	...	7.45 a.m.
"	Tuesdays	...	7.30 a.m.
Evensong	...	...	6.30 p.m.

The Litany is said directly after Matins on Wednesdays and Fridays.

Intercessions after Evensong on Fridays.

On the 2nd Sunday in the month there is an *extra* Celebration of the Holy Eucharist at 8 a.m.

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH, THREE CROSS.

SUNDAYS.

Holy Communion	...	...	8.15 a.m.
Matins, Litany and Sermon	...	...	11.0 a.m.
Evensong and Sermon	...	...	6.30 p.m.

For other services see notices in the Church Porch.

ST. MARY THE VIRGIN, WEST MOORS.

SUNDAYS.

Holy Eucharist	...	...	8 a.m.
"	2nd Sunday in month	...	7 a.m.
Matins Litany & Short Instruction	...	...	10.30 a.m.
Sung Eucharist and Sermon	...	...	11.30 a.m.
Children's Service	...	...	3.30 p.m.
Evensong and Sermon	...	...	6.30 p.m.

HOLY DAYS.

Holy Eucharist (sung)	...	...	8.0 a.m.
Evensong and Address	...	...	7.30 p.m.

WEEK DAYS.

Holy Eucharist daily	8.0 a.m.	Matins	7.30 a.m.
Evensong	6.45		

Intercessions after Friday Evensong.

The Communicants Guild meets at Verwood on the 1st Sunday in the month at 7.45 p.m.; Three Cross on the last Sunday in the month at 7.45 p.m.; West Moors on the 2nd Sunday in the month at 7.45 p.m.

The Boy Scouts.

The Scout Enrolment Service was held in Church on Wednesday, Sept. 2nd, at 7.30 p.m. There was a large number of people present in addition to the boys' parents. It was a great encouragement to the boys and their officers to see so large a congregation, especially as it was at once apparent that they were no mere "sight-seers," but persons who were genuinely interested in the boys' welfare. So too it was most inspiring for the grown up people to see the earnest zeal and true reverence clearly marked on each one of those boy's faces as they made that solemn promise: "To be loyal to God and the King; to help other people at all times, and to obey the Scout Law." Perhaps some of you who read this magazine will just offer up a short prayer to Almighty God sometimes for the boys and their officers, asking Him to give them the help they need to keep the promise they have made—will you?

The "Mothers" Outing.

(By one of themselves).

Once more we have to record a fine day, as days go this summer, for our outing. We all arrived at the station in good time, even those who came from a great distance, who must have found the walk both difficult and tiring. When our train came in we found that by the kind help of our stationmaster a through carriage to Weymouth had been secured for us. At West Moors our numbers were increased by those mothers who live in the other parts of the parish, but unfortunately owing to the heavy falls of rain, which had made some of the roads impassable, our numbers were not complete. For the first time in the history of the "Mothers" our train reached Weymouth so late that we were prevented from taking our usual steamer trip to Portland which was most disappointing, especially as we discovered on reading the steamer programme that the trip was to include a cruise round the Fleet, lying at anchor in the bay. Fortunately, we "mothers" are of a cheerful disposition, and instead of wasting time in idle complaints we made haste to find other interesting and pleasant occupations. Deciding to return (those of us who liked to take a trip on the water) to the Pier at 2 o'clock with a view to taking the afternoon boat to Portland we dispersed in different directions, some to the 6½ Bazaar, and others to various shops which still invited us to make the most of our means by the large red letters in the windows "Sale now on," "Great Bargains," etc.!! Our second visit to the Pier was again doomed to disappointment, as others who were taking the same boat seemed unable to make up their minds as to whether they would venture beyond Portland,

though one of the Pier officials was doing his best to convince them that their safe return would be very problematic. As we were waiting, rather undecided whether to go or stay, a heavy storm came on which gave us material assistance in making our decision. Fortunately the rain was not able to damp our ardour, and four cabs being procured (there being no motors on the stand) those of us who wished for a drive jumped into them with great agility, and the cabmen having been previously commissioned where to take us, set off to Upwey "Wishing" Well where we all drank the water and "wished" in the approved fashion, returning to tea at 4 o'clock as usual. By then the sun was once more smiling on us, and being all together again we sat down with keen appetites to the well-spread tables before us. Again, we are assembled at the station for our return journey, our purses lighter, but our arms heavily laden with parcels of various shapes and sizes. Our return journey is not accomplished with such ease as that of the morning owing to a change of carriages having to be effected at Poole. At West Moors we had to say "good-bye" to some of our friends, and wish those who had still a long drive or walk before them a safe and dry journey. At last we are home, and with grateful thanks to Mrs. Brown who has once more given us such a happy day we say "good-night" and set off to our respective homes.

The Men's Outing.

Why did we go to Cowes again this year? Well, firstly, we like to get a blow of sea-air, and we can't avoid sea-air if we go to Cowes, and secondly we know, that Southampton can supply us with good evening entertainments. With this knowledge, therefore, we came to the conclusion that we could not do better than repeat the dose of last year. The day was fine, and although it cannot be compared to the gorgeous weather which we experienced last year, yet we have no just cause for complaint.

The outward journey was comparatively devoid of incidents. Mention might be made of two, however, without causing offence or unduly endangering the writer's life! On hearing that one of the party, who was suffering from a 'game leg,' had arrived at the station without his stick, Mr. Parker, in the kindness of his noble heart, promptly produced a weapon of unparalleled splendour—so stupendously magnificent was it, that the bearer was kept in perpetual anxiety throughout the day lest by any chance that priceless tusk should stray. Nor did his companions fail to take advantage of his state of nervous prostration! The second incident occurred at Brockenhurst, at which station we were compelled to change trains. Here certain unprincipled persons, who shall be nameless, taking

unbridled advantage of the crowded state of the train, calmly ensconced themselves in a first-class carriage, while others, less presumptuous, were content to travel second! All this took place under the very nose, or at all events before the very eyes of our schoolmaster; what might these rascals not have dared had he not been there?

Cowes was reached about mid-day after a peaceful trip across the billowy depths of the azure main (that sounds all right!) There the more energetic members of the party indulged in long walks, the less energetic in expensive cups of coffee—3d. per cup! The bathing enthusiasts reluctantly decided that they must postpone their annual wash—it really was *too* cold. The time seemed to fly away remarkably quickly, it always does on these occasions, and the hour for feeding was soon upon us. The meal was partaken of in earnest, and, since we had no gentleman to entertain us with yarns about King Alphonso's brushes, etc., this year, in comparative silence. Occasional bursts of merriment greeted one's ears every now and again, but it was only the thought of that coffee! After tea we had a short space for digestion, and then once more seated ourselves on the "Solent Queen," for the return. The voyage back to Southampton was uneventful, the sea looked choppy and we began to wonder . . . but it was all right—looks are fortunately very often deceitful! The writer feels bound to record the fact, melancholy though it is, that certain gentlemen preferred a game of cards, and the muggy atmosphere of the smoking saloon to the fresh sea breeze.—shame upon you! Once again in Southampton we dispersed in two's and three's to shop, etc. At this point we were compelled to bid farewell to the Vicar, Fr. Clissold and Mr. Stickland, as they were leaving by the earlier train; 7 p.m. found most of us at the Hippodrome, whither by a superhuman effort even he of 'briar pipe' fame was enticed this year! The songs were good, and choruses catching, so that we had a very jolly two hours. Our worthy Sacristan was entirely lost and put in no appearance at this thrilling entertainment. "Never mind," said someone, "we shall find him sitting on a seat at the station presently," and sure enough there he was! The train journey from Southampton to Ringwood was made the excuse by some for more card-playing and a most exciting game of "31" was barely ended as we glided into Ringwood station. Here the Verwood contingent alighted, and after taking long farewells of their West Moors and Three Cross friends, sought their final conveyance. This last stage of the journey is always the most noisy! Indeed so perplexed was our friend of the 'elephant tusk' by the boisterous behaviour of some of the party that he positively left the road at one point and proceeded to make trial of the m o!

Songs with stirring choruses and wondrous harmonies were strikingly rendered, which reached their climax on passing through the village, and thus once more this happy day was brought to a close.

Mr. Stickland, as usual, made all the arrangements for us in the most faultless fashion, and the Vicar did the rest! Thank you, Mr. Stickland, and thank you, Vicar, for your boundless generosity.

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The Church Schools.

We are very glad to chronicle the highly creditable fact that once more two of the scholars of the West Moors Church Schools have gained County Scholarships—Norah Pepperell and Edith Ridout—All honour both to them and their teachers!

Verwood Cricket Club.

1912.

Matches played 14. Won 10. Lost 3. Drawn 1.

Summary of Collections.

AUGUST.

A. THE PARISH CHURCH.

	£	s.	d.
Altar Fund	1	19	2½
Church Expenses	4	5	11½
Children's Window	0	4	2½
Children's Hospital	0	2	2
Poor	0	8	5
	£6	19	11½

B. S. MARY THE VIRGIN, WEST MOORS.

Church Expenses	4	3	11½
Foreign Missions	0	6	9
Altar Fund	0	1	8
	£4	12	3½

C. ALL SAINTS' CHURCH, THREE CROSS.

Church Expenses	1	6	1
Missions	0	1	10
	£1	7	11

Parish Register.

BAPTISM.

"Suffer little children to come unto Me, and forbid them not for of such is the Kingdom of Heaven."

Apr. 21. Bertie Roy Wilcox.
 May 26. Ethel Jane Williams.
 June 16. Alice Hilda Jessie Wilcox.
 July 4. Laura Joan Howlett.
 Aug. 18. Annie Beatrice Bright.

MARRIAGE.

"What therefore God hath joined together let not man put asunder."

April 15. William Pocock & Lily James.
 July 10. Arthur Wm. Legg & Elsie Jane Rawls.
 July 15. Henry Keet & Matilda Cooper.
 Aug. 8. Arthur Cockroft & Lucy Spencer.
 Aug. 14. William Geo. Woolford &
 Gladys Geraldine Victoria Vine.
 Aug. 24. Wm. Fred'k Coombes & Mary Ann Keet.

Calendar for the Month.

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1	Tu	S. Remiguis, Bishop and Confessor.
2	W	Holy Guardian Angels.
3	Th	
4	F	<i>Abstinence.</i>
5	S	
6	S	18th after Trinity. Octave of the Patronal Feast. <i>Of Obligation.</i>
7	M	
8	Tu	
9	W	S. Denys, Bishop and Martyr.
10	Th	
11	F	<i>Abstinence.</i>
12	S	
13	S	19th after Trinity. Translation of S. Edward, King and Confessor. <i>[Of Obligation.]</i>
14	M	
15	Tu	
16	W	
17	Th	S. Etheldreda, Queen, Virgin and Abbess.
18	F	S. Luke, Evangelist. <i>Abstinence.</i>
19	S	
20	S	20th after Trinity. <i>Of Obligation.</i>
21	M	
22	Tu	
23	W	
24	T	S. Raphael, Archangel.
25	F	SS. Crispin and Crispinian, Martyrs. <i>Abstinence.</i>
26	S	<i>Vigil of SS. Simon and Jude. Fast.</i>
27	S	21st after Trinity. <i>Of Obligation.</i>
28	M	SS. Simon and Jude, Apostles and Martyrs. <i>Of Devotion.</i>
29	W	
30	Th	
31	Th	<i>Vigil of All Saints. Fast.</i>

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