

S. Bartholomew's, Quorn.

JULY, 1906.

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" 15th.	" v. 5	"
" 22nd.	Hymn 336 v. 1	"
" 29th.	" v. 2	"
Aug. 5th.	" v. 3	"

Baptisms.

(There is no fee whatever for Baptisms, and the names are not put in the Magazine if it is not wished.)

June 10th.—Gladys Mary Benskin.

13th.—Walter James.

24th.—Reginald Williamson.

Lawrence Percy Williamson.

Lawrence Richard Heggis.

Marriages

June 4th.—William John Richea and Harriet Wright.
 7th.—Harold William Atkins and Katie Disney.

COLLECTIONS IN CHURCH.

	Sick and Poor.	Church Expenses	Special
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
May 27th.—	0 5 11	—	4 10 6a
June 3rd.—	—	—	8 12 3b
" 10th.—	0 4 9	—	4 0 0c
" 17th.—	0 4 3	3 8 3	—
Alms Box—	1 11 0	—	0 2 6d
Totals	£2 5 11	£3 8 3	£17 5 3

a—Fabric Fund. b & d—Foreign Missions (S.P.G.)
 c—Church Music Fund.

SPECIAL COLLECTIONS IN JULY.

July 22nd.—Home Missions.

PARISH NOTES.

During the hottest part of the summer months the mid-day service on Sundays will be shortened as much as possible. As has been usual, the Litany will generally be omitted. If I could have what I think best myself, I would have the morning service earlier so that all would be over long before mid-day, and that people might be out of doors more as well as attend public worship. Then I should like to see people come together again for worship shortly before sun-setting. To come together for "morning prayer" one hour before mid-day, especially in summer time, does not seem a right arrangement. But it has been so long an established custom in England that I expect it would require a great deal of breaking down.

The Sale of Work on June 20th, in the Vicarage Garden, was a great success, owing no doubt in part to the beautiful weather, but also to the willing co-operation of many parishioners and others. The

amount of money received was £55 7s 11d., and there were no expenses to be paid out of it. Every penny received on the ground went to the funds without any deduction. Besides the things on the stalls, all the refreshments were given, the stalls were put up free of charge, and carts were lent for necessary conveyance.

The money was raised in the following proportions:—Gate, £3 12s. 0d.; Working Party Stall, £19 1s. 4d.; Refreshments, £10 2s. 6d.; Sweets, Flowers, Bran-Tub, &c., £6 8s. 8d. Total for Parochial Fund, £39 4s. 7d. Probably this will all be paid to the Churchyard Extension Fund. It will, of course, a great deal more than pay the interest on the remaining purchase money. An exact account shall be given next month. The Mission Stall produced £16 3s. 4d., which has been sent to the Society for the Propagation of the Gospel.

I am sorry to hear that an incomplete and inaccurate account of the Sale of Work appeared in a Loughborough newspaper. I knew that a reporter was present, and I hoped that he would take the trouble to get correct information. I was too much occupied myself to give the matter attention.

A much more serious affair is advertised to take place at Barrow on July 4th and 5th. There is to be a Bazaar in aid of the Fund for a new Organ and Organ Chamber in the Church. The estimated expense is £1250, of which it appears that about £400 has been collected. It is well known that I am not one of those who object to money "going out of the parish," and I hope that Quorn people will help either by attending the Bazaar, or better still, by sending subscriptions. Barrow is the Old Mother Church of Quorn, and we should be willing to help them when the Church is in need. At Quorn both Organ and Organ Chamber was given by private donors without any public appeal being necessary.

Extra copies of the "Short Account of the Quorn Hunt," with three pictures, may be obtained for 1d. each at the Vicarage.

Georgie Martin (aged 13) was knocked over by a motor-car to-day (June 23rd). The first news of his condition is serious. Let us hope he will be better by the time this is being read.

I am very glad to be able to publish the following notes by Mr. Frisby, who has done so much to interest the boys of the parish in natural history. We are

fortunate too in having a Master at the National Schools who takes pains in this department of education. Mr. Adams and Mr. Frisby may sometimes, after an afternoon, be seen conducting a party of scholars through the fields on excursions of discovery. Would that we who are older had had such advantages!

It is known that Mrs. Kelcey takes great interest in botany, and has made a study of wild flowers. She gives her great pleasure at any time to examining and naming any specimens brought to the Vicarage.

NOTES ON THE NATURAL HISTORY OF QUORN AND NEIGHBOURHOOD.

Every season of the year brings with it opportunities of watching nature's ways, but in the month of June nature is most prolific, and whether we are anxious to study flowers, birds or insects, supply is practically inexhaustible.

Quorn is favourable to the Ornithologist (i.e. student of bird-life), for we have not only those frequent the gardens, the cultivated lands, and the aerial birds, but within easy distance those frequent the river, the lake, the woodland and the uncultivated lands.

The Rookery in the centre of the village is always in a very excited state about the end of February when the rooks commence building, and there is quarrelling, pilfering, &c., going on until nesting operations are concluded. It is incorrect to suppose, as many do, that unless the young Rooks are shot, old birds will forsake the Rookery; the real cause of desertion is the Carrion Crows' depredations, which allowed will quickly clear out the eggs and young.

In the spring the Kingfisher, our most brilliant handsome British bird, is a frequent visitor to the brook by the Cross. The bird would come as soon as the children had passed on their way to school, perch on a bough (nearly always the same spot), with the wood in the background, and commence operations. All at once I would miss my beautiful friend, for it would dive into the brook to secure its victim, and like a flash of coloured lightning vanish over the wall into the wood. It would return, and the process would be repeated a dozen or twenty times during the morning.

A nest of young Jackdaws have just flown from a hole under the rooks habitation, and at their flight a cat was watching, and walked along the wall but was quickly menaced by the parent birds, and beat a hasty retreat. Another pair have built in a chimney in Meeting Street for some years.

The Night-Jar or Goat-Sucker, the Wood Owl, the Ring-Dove, the Turtle-Dove, may all be heard from my own door, and not far distant the Barrow and the Long and Short-Eared Owls.

By the way, last summer I spent part of one night round Swithland and Quorn Wood, and listened to the Wood Owl. Years ago we used to consider that a boy scaring birds with clappers and his own voice could make a fair amount of noise, but I venture to say if he could hear the Wood Owl in the middle of the night, he would blush at his own incompetence!

The Sparrow Hawk and the Kestrel are often seen on the outskirts of Quorn Wood, and the Hawk which inhabits it, and you may hear the Jay's loud caw at any time excepting the breeding season. The Gold-Crest, the smallest, but one of our most attractive birds, is plentiful in Wood Lane.

Two pairs of Nightingales have inhabited the plantation adjoining the footpath to Woodhouse, and the birds have been singing since the end of April. Many persons imagine the Nightingale sings only at night, but this is a mistake, I have heard it morning, noon and night, but with such a miscellaneous concert proceeding in the day-time, one only hears the Nightingale's louder notes then.

In this plantation may be heard the Grasshopper-warbler almost any summer evening, the song or trill being very little louder than the Grasshopper's, hence its name.

In Meeting Street we have as regular annual visitors a colony of Swifts, most of them building under the eaves of the thatched cottages next Mr. Horspool's. This is one of our latest immigrants to Quorn, and one of the earliest to depart. It is stated on good authority, that in its fastest flight, it can exceed 100 miles an hour. I have seen it on the wing before 4 a.m., and up to 9.30 p.m.

Everybody's favourite, the beautiful, graceful and useful Swallow is to be seen at the reservoir as early as anywhere. I saw from 200 to 300 of these birds there on April 18th.

At this reservoir may be seen many rare birds.

The Black Tern on its spring and autumn migration. The Common and the Arctic Tern dropping into the water for the fish near the surface.

The Canada Goose is plentiful, and sometimes rears its young.

Coots and Water Hens are abundant.

One day I watched a Heron feeding. After catching a fish, it brought it to the side of the water, and squeezing it dropped it again and again. Being anxious to ascertain if the bird had speared it with its long bill, I was just hastening to see, but the Heron forestalled me, one gulp and I saw the fish no more.

I have put out about 300 Pied Wagtails roosting in the Bulrushes previous to their autumn migration southwards.

A lady friend of mine last year reared a family of Pied Wagtails. The parent birds, together with one of the young, had fallen victims to rats, and the lady pitying their helplessness, attempted the difficult

task of rearing them, which, of course, meant careful and frequent feeding and attention, but the undertaking was successfully accomplished, and the four young birds became so tame that they would practice fly-catching in the room, and frequently sit, two on each side, on their protector's shoulders.

The following should be added to the birds to be seen at the Reservoir:—The Gold-Eye, Pochard, Teal, Wigeon, Pintail, and Tufted Ducks the Great Crested Grebe (8 pairs seen recently), the Little Grebe or Dabchick, common Sandpiper, and the common Snipe, the common Wild Duck and the Lapwing or Pee-Wit (the two last in very large companies).

Through the kindness of Mrs. Perry Herrick, to whom I am much indebted, I have spent some happy hours in Beaumanor Park watching wild life.

A Heron is seen here by the brook occasionally, and I have seen five Kingfishers at one time.

The three varieties of Woodpeckers, the Green, the Greater-spotted and the Lesser-spotted, Nuthatches (common), the Redstart and the Wryneck (rather rare), are all to be seen at Beaumanor.

The Grass-snake, Blindworm, Weasel, and Stoat may occasionally be seen, and secured if desired as pets!

One day last summer I was watching birds, when a family of Weasels passed under the fence on which I was sitting. First I heard a squeaking, louder than from mice, and immediately after, the dam, closely followed, in duck fashion, by her three half-grown young ones, on a foraging expedition, came in view. She appeared to be talking (squeaking) to them the whole of the time, and they, as regularly, answering her until they gained the other side of the fence, when, taking to a ditch, they disappeared. It was a beautiful sight to watch their graceful bounding movements.

Some birds choose strange nesting places—

At the entrance to the stables at Beaumanor a Swallow has built its nest upon a hair-broom, but the nest is so constructed that the brush can be lifted up and down without injury, and when I saw it, it contained four eggs.

A Blue Tit built its nest on the signal post at the G.C. Station. The nest was in the iron-work at the top, and the bird entered at the ball. How she managed to rear her young family safely in the hottest weather, and in such a limited space, was a mystery to me!

I close with the words of the poet Wordsworth, which has been so fulfilled in my own case that I long to do all I can to promote the study of God's Works in Nature amongst others.

"Nature never did betray
The heart that loved her! 'Tis her privilege,
Through all the years of this our life, to lead
From joy to joy!"

G. F.

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Fifty-Fifth Page of Volume 1.

An. Dom. 1637.

Christenings

Judith Daughter of Edward Russell, labourer, and Joane his wife was baptised April 2.
 Frances, the sonne of Thomas Purse, Butcher, and Joan his wife baptised May 14.
 John the sonne of Adrian Farnham, Gentleman, and Elizabeth his wife baptised August 1.
 Elizabeth the Daughter of Adrian Collington Taylor and Alice his wife baptised Septemb 9.
 Matthew the sonne of Raffe Allen Butcher and Patience his wife was baptised Septemb 26.
 William the sonne of William Stevenson Baker and of Elizabeth his wife baptised October 21.
 Anthony the sonne of Thomas Finnes Taylor & Ann his wife baptised January 6.
 Thomas the sonne of Richard Ward Laborour and Patrinell his wife baptised January 26.
 Mary the Daughter of Henry Preston Fuller and Jane his wife baptise Feb. 28.
 Robert the sonne of Robert Lockey Basketmaker & Alice his wife baptised March 7.

Marriages.

George Parker of Osgathorpe Bachelour and Elizabeth Glossopp of Quarndon Mayde were marryed by banes thrice asked in the church April 30.
 Thomas Robinson of Woodhouse, Bachelour and Sarah Boare of Thurcaston Mayde, were marryed by banes June 18.
 William Hilton of Woodhouse, Batchelour, & Elizabeth Warren of Woodhouse Mayde, were marryed by banes July 30.

Burials.

Judith Russell a child was Buryed April 8.
 Thomas Hinman Labourour, buryed July 1.
 Elizabeth Tomson of Mountsorrell a child buryed July 3.
 Mary Purse of Mountsorrell a child buryed August 17.
 Joan Price, a poore mayde buryed December 7.

ANTHONY BEVERIDGE, Presbyter.
 GEORGE CHAVENY,
 ADRIAN STAPLES,
 Churchwardens.

(Here follow some insertions of a later date and in another writing:—
 Thomas Chapman sonne of Thomas and Elizabeth his wife was borne the third of February in the yere of our lord 1657.
 John Chapman sonne of Thomas and Elizabeth his wife was borne the 18 of janury in the yere of our lord 166—
 Joseph Chapman sonne of Thomas and Elissabeth his wife was borne the 24 of March in the yere of our lord 1663.
 Benjamin Chapman sonne of Thomas and Elissabeth his wife was borne the 16 of june in the yere of our lord 1666.
 Then follow some figures scrawled down).

Fifty-Sixth Page of Volume 1

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Baptismes.

— sonn of Will Bosse and of Alice his wife baptised April 7
 — sonn of Thomas Lockey Basketmaker & of his wife baptised May 1
 — the Daughter of Francis Johnson Carpenter of Mary his wife was baptised June 13
 John the sonn of John Taylor Tanner and Ann wife was baptised June 24.
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 Marguerite Daughter of Edward Simson, Sheapherd and of Jane his wife was baptised Septemb 1.
 Catherine the Daughter of Richard Skillington Bandman and of Ellen his wife was baptised November 6.
 Joane the Daughter of William Stableford Laborour and of Joane his wife was baptised November 11.
 Ann the Daughter of Humphrey Stables Husbandman and of Ann his wife was baptised January 3.
 Constance the Daughter of Ralphe Harrys Carpenter and of Ellen his wife was baptised January 14.
 Henry the sonn of Henry Cooke Naylor, and Elizabeth his wife was baptised January 21.
 Francis the sonn of John Hawkins Tanner, and Grace his wife was baptised January 30.
 Elizabeth Daughter of Henry Fewkes Taylor, and Dorothy his wife was baptised February 6.
 Matilda the Daughter of Anthony Beveredge Presbyter and of Judith his wife was baptised March 11.

Weddings.

John Wright of Quarndon Batchelour, and Ann of the same towne mayde were marryed by banes August 30.
 James Wallys, Batchelour, & Alice Harbyn mayde both of Quorndon were marryed by banes October 1.
 John Ripply of Woodhouse, Widdower, and Elizabeth Bilson of Syleby mayde were marryed by banes Novemb. 27.
 George King Widdower & Jane Bradshawe mayde both of Quarndon were marryed by banes February 3.
 Henry Needham of Darby Batchelour & Beber Walmesly of Knighthorpe were marryed by license February 12.

Burials.

Humphrey Hey a poore man buryed April 3.
 Dorothy Stanly Widdowe buryed April 6.
 John Wheatcraft a poore man buryed April 24.
 Thomas Jelly a poore man buryed May 1.
 Ann Ward a child buryed July 9.

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5th.	" v. 3	"

Baptisms.

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June 29th—Mary Barbara Unitt.
 July 8th—Arthur Reeves.
 15th—Lizzie Adcock.
 Doris Preston.

Burials.

June 29th—Reginald Williamson, aged 19 day.
 July 7th—Thomas Holmes, aged 54.
 20th—Jane Coles aged 85.

COLLECTIONS IN CHURCH.

	Sick and Poor.	Church Expenses	Special
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
June 24th.	0 3 1½	3 10 9	—
July 1st.	0 8 11½	—	3 6 3a
" 8th.	0 6 5	3 14 9	—
" 15th.	0 9 8	4 6 6	—
" 22nd.	—	—	5 15 9b
Alms Box.	0 0 9½	—	0 3 0c
Total.	£1 8 11½	£11 12 0	£9 5 0

a—Church Music Fund. b—Home Missions.
 c—Foreign Missions

SPECIAL COLLECTIONS IN AUGUST.

Aug. 5th—Church Music Fund.
 26th—Fabric Fund.

PARISH NOTES.

The month of August brings with it a Parish Festival. The 24th is S. Bartholomew's Day, in connection with which we keep the Dedication Festival of our Church. Beyond the number (not a great one out of our large population) who make regular use of it, there should be many who understand what a blessing the Church represents. Prayer and praise have been kept up there regularly for 600 or 700 years, and the Church bell has during all that time been a voice to call men to remember God and eternal things, to warn them if they live as though this life was to last for ever, I feel certain that many who through custom or training attend other places of worship set some value on the religious influence of the Parish Church. I am glad to remind all that whenever they like to come, even if very seldom, their right to a place will be recognised.

Arrangements for the keeping of the Festival will be published later. [H.C. 7, and 8 (choral).]

The Sunday SCHOOL TREAT will probably be held in connection with the Festival on Saturday, August 25th. It is hoped that this year the elder part of the Schools will be taken out of the village for the Treat, but this can only be settled after careful consideration. The accounts published below show what a large sum is spent in the Treat even when it is held at home, though some subscribers give considerable sums. Perhaps the parents would not object to pay part of the expenses of journey if we go away. I hope that some parishioners will subscribe more, but all I can say now is that a treat out of the village shall be contrived if possible. Mr. Hayward, upon whom the financial work falls, rightly objects to increased expense unless more money comes in.

The difficulty of expenses is partly explained by our numbers. We have 290 scholars besides 50 in the Senior Bible Classes, and there are 30 teachers.

The Young Men's Class is now being held on the Vicarage Lawn, and thus there is plenty of room for increased numbers. Mr. Seal will be glad if any men, older than the present members, would come and join the gatherings on Sunday afternoons at 2.30

SHOULD OLD ACQUAINTANCE BE FORGOT?

I have lots of news this month of our recent emigrants.

Mrs. Burrows and family landed at Boston, U.S.A., on July 5th. They were to proceed right across the Continent to Cantonina, but unfortunately they have been delayed through the little girl taking chicken pox on the voyage. It is to be hoped by this time they may have gone on and reached their destination. None of the party escaped sea sickness.

Miss Horspool, who left last year with her father to settle in Canada, is married to Mr. Bobt. Chitty and is living at Moss Lea, Alberta.

Mr. Harry Flint has obtained good gardening employment at Saskatchewan, near Winnipeg; he is only 70 miles from Mr. S. Cross.

Mr. Barby and his son fell in with Mr. John Brown's son Willie, and lodged with him for a time.

Mr. Herbert Squires is doing well in Ontario.

Under this heading mention should be made of the son of Mr. and Mrs. Sharpe, who have lately built a house in the Woodhouse Lane. He was in San Francisco during the earthquake. The front of the house that he was in fell right out, but he was uninjured, but shared in the terrible experiences that befell the city during the next few days. No news of him reached his parents for some weeks, but he has been

restored to them, and having paid a visit to the home in Quorn has returned again to the home. This young man should have a special interest for me as I knew him when a little boy at Leicester.

I am certain that the letter which is printed below will be read with interest. It will be remembered that little Phyllis Cotton left Quorn with her family on April 21st. The letter was written from Carr's Cove, near Quebec, and was received by Mrs. Adams on June 26th.

"I am trying to write my first letter to tell you all about our voyage to Canada.

We sailed from London to Havre, in France. We all went a walk into Havre, in France, and we passed the Channel Islands. On Wednesday we saw a few fishing smacks, after that we did not see either land or ships for a whole week. I was not out of the cabin two days, and could not eat anything. The next Wednesday we passed Newfoundland, and went through a field of ice, it was a beautiful sight to see, I wish my school mates could have seen it. We had to go very slowly, but we did not see any icebergs, but we saw nothing but ice for miles and miles all around us. and when the sun set at night it seemed to turn to all colours. We first saw Canada when we got up on Saturday morning. We reached Quebec on the Sunday afternoon.

Here we live on a farm. We have a mile to go to school, but I do not like it as much as the English school. There is only one teacher. The children do not go to school until they are 7 years old, and then are not compelled to go.

Mamma and Dada say that we shall not be allowed much there as we are allowed to do as we like, either talk or play. We have our own books, and she has pencils, pens and ink to find, but I have mine given to me by the lady we live with. The sums puzzle me a bit with the cents and dollars, but I am getting used to it now

Give my love to all my school mates.

Your loving scholar,

PHYLLIS COTTON

I am glad to publish the list of children in the National School who obtained prizes for religious knowledge after the examination by the Diocesan Inspector on May 15th.

- Class 1. Horace Burton and Elsie Daws.
- " 2. Geo. Pollard, Ruth Hack and Fred Clark.
- " 3. Elsie Roughton, Wm. Boyer and Henry Facer.
- " 4. Alec Branson, Annie Ward, Jack Brien and W. Holmes.
- " 5. Henry Mee and Wilfred Harris.

The Comic Cricket Match organized by the schools on July 21st served a double purpose. I am glad to hear that a very substantial sum (about £20) has been realized for the benefit of the young people who was the object of their kindness, and also to be said that the affair provided a great deal of amusement for us all. It was very interesting and amusing to try and make out well-known faces and names under their disguises. In some cases it was a great success to try to make the discovery. The procession of people paid at the gate, besides hundreds of people being sold beforehand. It can scarcely be an exaggeration to say that 1000 people took some part in the event.

The Cricket Match was very comic indeed. The object of all parties was to make fun rather than runs, and this was done by both sides and all parties very successfully.

The players are to be heartily congratulated that they carried out their fun without anything in the slightest degree vulgar or objectionable.

I am glad to be allowed to express on behalf of Mr. and Mrs. Daws and their son their sense of gratitude to those who organized, and those who supported this effort of kindness to them in the time of their great affliction.

Mrs. Holmes desires to express her gratitude for much kindness shown to herself and family in the time of their great trouble.

E.F.S.

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(Burials 1638.)

Elizabeth Hawkins wife of John Hawkins senior buried Septem 11.
Ann Darker a poore woman buried October 23.
Edward Johnson a child buried October 26.
Joane Wawmesley of Mountsorrell a poore woman buried Octob. 31
William Beardelsly a poore man buried Decemb. 1
Joane Hawkins a child buried Decemb. 7
Marguerite Simson a child buried December 24
Thomas Purse Butcher buried Febr 20
Thomas Bradshawe Yeoman buried March 6
Marguerite Simson a child buried March 24
(This is probably an error—see 3 lines above).

ANTONIUS BEVERIDGE,
Sacellanus ibidem
HUMFREY GRIESLY Ecclesia
JOHN WELLS Gardiani

Fifty-Seventh Page of Volume 1.

A true Copie of Christenings Weddings and Burialls out of the Register of Quorndon for the yeare 1639

Christeninges

John Cooke sonne of William Cooke, Husbandman, and of Elizabeth his wife was baptized March the 30th day
Elizabeth Herris, daughter of Frances Herris Carpenter and Katherine his wife was baptized Aprill the 10th day
Edmond Theobles the sonne of Robert Theobles Tayler and of Phillippa his wife was baptized July the 9th day
Edward Wallis the sonne of James Wallis, Carpenter, and of Alice his wife was baptized August the 22th day
Elizabeth Bravin daughter of Silvester Bravin vintner, and of Anne his wife was baptized August the 30th day
Thomas Preston the sonne of Henry Preston sherman and of Jane his wife was baptized September the 6th day
Elizabeth Stevenson the daughter of William Stevenson Baker and of Elizabeth his wife was baptized September the 8th day
Richard Sympon the sonne of Edward Sympon sheapheard and of Jane his wife was baptized September the 18th day
Francis Farneham the sonne of Adrian Farneham Gentleman and of Elizabeth his wife was baptized October the 15th day
William Croson the sonne of William Croson vagrant and of Mary his wife was baptized December the 8th day
John Finns the sonne of Thomas Finns Taylor and of Anne his wife was Baptized December the 22th day

Mary Locky the daughter of Thomas Locky maker and of Elizabeth his wife was baptized February the 2th day
William Tasy the sonne of John Tasy Husbandman and of Anne his wife was baptized February 7th day
Elizabeth Johnson the daughter of Aaron Johnson Carpenter and Elizabeth his wife was baptized February the 12th day
James Ward the sonne of Thomas Ward Blacksmith and of Mary his wife was Baptized March 15th day

Burialls.

Thomas Knight the sonne of Humfrey Knight Blacksmith and Margaret his wife was buried May 22th day
Francis Banton the daughter of John Banton Blacklayer, and Francis his wife was Buried May the 2th day
Mary Burbage the wife of William Burbage labourer was Buried June 11
Elizabeth Herris, daughter of Francis Herris Carpenter, and of Katherine his wife was Buried June the 28th day
Joane Grasly daughter of Will Grasly fellmonger and Sarah his wife was buried July the 4th day
John Hawkins the sonne of John Hawkins labourer and of Grace his wife was buried July the 11th day
Bridgett Hayes wife of Thomas Hayes, shoemaker was buried July the 17th
Ellen Hoden widow in Mountsorrel was buried the 18th day
Sarah Sheapheard the daughter of Robert Sheapheard labourer and of Joan his wife was buried August the 9th day
Patience Allin wife of Raph Allen Butcher and Elizabeth his daughter were buried August the 10th day
Thomas Theobald a poore man was buried September the 1th day
Richard Sympon sonne of Edward Sympon sheapheard and of — his wife was buried September the 27th day
William Hamens poore man was buried October 21th day
Thomas Adcocke, the sonne of Thomas Adcocke fellmonger and of — his wife was buried November the 10th day
John Finns the sonne of Thomas Finns Taylor and of Anne his wife was buried December the 31th day
Constance Farneham Widdow was buried February the 15th
George Garret, Cobler, was buried March the 8th day

Exted 15 * April 16 —
THOS. WINFORD deputat Regtry.

JOHN ADCOCKE } Churchwarden
JOHN TASY }

QUORN CHURCH SUNDAY SCHOOLS.
BALANCE SHEET FOR THE YEAR ENDING AT EASTER, 1906.

RECEIPTS.

	£	s.	d.
Balance in Church, Jan. 8th, 1905	5	6	6
Donations, as per list below (153 Subscribers)	25	13	7
Gift of Hymn and Prayer Books to Scholars	1	7	8
Balance in Church, Feb. 11th, 1906	4	3	0
Balance out of pocket at Easter, 1906	2	17	3
Total	37	17	4

EXPENDITURE.

	£	s.	d.
Balance out of pocket on last year's Account	6	6	1
Interest and Bank Charges	0	18	6
Penny Bank—Interest on Deposits by Children	4	9	4
Midland Educational Co., for Hymn and Prayer Books	2	0	0
W. M. S. S. U., for Star Cards	0	8	6
Insertion of Sunday School Matter in Parish Magazine	0	10	0
Leicester County Council Education Committee, for Fuel and Cleaning for the Year ending March 31, 1906	2	5	0
New Cheque Book	0	2	0
Total	14	18	2

Cost of Sunday School Treat on July 22, 1905—

	£	s.	d.
Mr. Adams and Miss Corlett, for Prizes for Sports	3	1	0
Mr. J. Boyer, for Sweets	0	10	0
Gate Keepers and Helpers	0	6	8
Mr. A. Brough, Ventriloquist	1	1	0
Messrs. Wills & Hepworth, for Tickets	0	3	3
Woodhouse Eaves Brass Band	2	0	0
Mr. J. Sanders, Fixing Tables	0	13	0
Mrs. G. E. Dexter, Bills for the Tea, &c.	7	3	3
Total	14	18	2

Cost of Prizes given in Church, Feb. 11, 1906—

	£	s.	d.
Midland Education Co., for Books and Cards	6	13	3
Advance Wholesale Framing Works for Frames	0	17	2
Total	7	10	5

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LIST OF SUBSCRIBERS for 1905 (the year ending Easter, 1906).

£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.	
Mr. E. H. Warner	5 0 0	Mr. G. Carr	0 2 0	Mr. J. Cart	0 1 0
Mr. and Mrs. Parker	4 0 0	Mr. H. Corah	0 2 0	Mrs. Clarke	0 1 0
Mr. Perry Herriok	2 0 0	Mr. G. E. Dexter	0 2 0	Miss M. Clarke	0 1 0
Mr. G. F. Farnham	2 0 0	Mr. Ben. Fowkes	0 2 0	Mrs. J. Cuffling	0 1 0
Mr. J. D. Cradock	1 0 0	Mr. W. H. Fewkes	0 2 0	Mr. S. Disney	0 1 0
Mr. O. S. Brown	0 10 0	A Friend	0 2 0	Mrs. Facer	0 1 0
Mr. E. Foord-Kelcey	0 10 0	A Friend	0 2 0	Mr. F. Facer	0 1 0
Mr. and Mrs. Hayward	0 10 0	Mr. G. Frisby	0 2 0	Mr. J. Facer	0 1 0
Mr. J. L. Lewis	0 10 0	Mr. Thomas Herbert	0 2 0	A Friend	0 1 0
Mr. George White	0 7 0	Mr. Thomas Holmes	0 2 0	A Friend	0 1 0
Mr. H. Bamber	0 5 0	Miss Lynes	0 2 0	Miss A. Gamble	0 1 0
Mr. F. G. Seal	0 5 0	Mr. J. Martin	0 2 0	Mr. Thomas Gamble	0 1 0
Mr. W. S. W. Toller	0 5 0	Mrs. N. Neal	0 2 0	Miss Hack	0 1 0
Mr. J. A. Unitt	0 5 0	Mrs. J. C. Needham	0 2 0	Mr. W. Horspool	0 1 0
Mr. E. Smith	0 4 0	Mrs. Pares	0 2 0	Mrs. E. Hoult	0 1 0
Mr. Wm. Webster	0 4 0	Mr. T. Pepper	0 2 0	Mr. J. Langrishe	0 1 0
Mr. S. Harris	0 3 0	Mr. J. Sanders	0 2 0	Mr. J. Marsden	0 1 0
Mr. Watson	0 3 0	Miss Thornton	0 2 0	Mr. H. Master	0 1 0
Mr. Armstrong	0 2 6	Mrs. C. Clarke	0 1 6	Mr. J. H. Miller	0 1 0
Mr. W. H. Backhouse	0 2 6	Mr. G. Hollingsworth	0 1 6	Mr. W. Moore	0 1 0
Mr. Rev. R. Baker	0 2 6	Mrs. Kinch	0 1 6	Mrs. Ottey	0 1 0
Mr. T. Bishopp	0 2 6	Mrs. Sarson	0 1 6	Mrs. Palmer	0 1 0
Mr. F. H. Brunton	0 2 6	Mr. Smithard	0 1 6	Mrs. C. M. B. Pickard	0 1 0
Mr. J. Caum	0 2 6	Mrs. T. Webster	0 1 6	Mr. J. R. Robinson	0 1 0
Miss Corlett	0 2 6	Mrs. Armstrong	0 1 0	Mr. J. Rumsby	0 1 0
Mr. Cuffling, senr.	0 2 6	Mr. J. Atter	0 1 0	Mr. J. Roughton	0 1 0
Mr. Feruley	0 2 6	Mr. G. Barby	0 1 0	Mr. W. E. Shuttlewood	0 1 0
Mr. J. A. Hartopp	0 2 6	Mr. J. Birkin	0 1 0	Mrs. A. Squires	0 1 0
Mr. Hickling	0 2 6	Miss Bolesworth	0 1 0	Mr. F. Thornton	0 1 0
Mr. Inglesant	0 2 6	Mr. J. Boyer	0 1 0	Mrs. Tunnicliffe	0 1 0
Mr. M. E. Swain	0 2 6	Mr. A. Briers	0 1 0	Mrs. Turlington	0 1 0
Mr. Thornton	0 2 6	Mr. J. Burrows	0 1 0	Mr. Waddington	0 1 0
Mr. E. Ward	0 2 6	Mrs. Callis	0 1 0	Mrs. Ward	0 1 0
Mr. C. E. Wells	0 2 6	Mrs. W. Camm	0 1 0	Mrs. F. Wesley	0 1 0
Mr. Burton	0 2 6	Mr. E. Carr	0 1 0	Mrs. Weston	0 1 0

LIST OF SUBSCRIBERS for 1905.—Continued.

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Mrs. G. Bale	0	0	6	Mrs. G. Kidger	0	0	6
Mr. E. Benskin	0	0	6	Mrs. Lever	0	0	6
Mr. Bown	0	0	6	Mrs. Machin	0	0	6
Mr. B. Burton	0	0	6	Mr. O. Orton	0	0	6
Mr. S. Daws	0	0	6	Mr. R. Penfold	0	0	6
Mr. Herbert Gamble	0	0	6	Mr. C. Platts	0	0	6
Mrs. G. Gartshore	0	0	6	Miss Revell	0	0	6
Mrs. Grant	0	0	6	Mrs. P. Rossell	0	0	6
Mrs. C. Grocock	0	0	6	Mrs. Smith	0	0	6
Mrs. D. Gunley	0	0	6	Mrs. Stocks	0	0	6
Mrs. J. Hoop	0	0	6	Mrs. Stonehouse	0	0	6
Mrs. Hoop	0	0	6	Mrs. Tompkins	0	0	6
Mr. G. Holmes	0	0	6	Mr. T. Lister Ward	0	0	6
Mrs. Humphreys	0	0	6	Mrs. Webster	0	0	6
Mrs. Hutchinson	0	0	6	Mrs. Williams	0	0	6
Mrs. H. Jones	0	0	6	Anonymous	0	0	3
Mr. C. Joiner	0	0	6	Mr. W. Barnes	0	0	3

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SEPTEMBER, 1906.

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2nd.	Hymn 549 v. 1	Gospel.
5th.	" v. 2	"
16th.	" v. 3	"
23rd.	" v. 4	"
30th.	No Morning School.	
6th. 7th.	Hymn 549 v. 5	"

Baptisms.

(There is no fee whatever for Baptisms, and the names are not put in the Magazine if it is not wished.)

Aug. 5th.—Doris Nellie Facer.
 Margery Facer.
 19th.—Nellie Payne.
 Catharine Taylor.

Burials.

Aug. 18.—Ellen Sutton, aged 18.

Marriages.

Aug. 6th.—Robert Henry Archer and Eliza Ann Briers.
 Frank Smith and Mary Ann White.

COLLECTIONS IN CHURCH.

	Sick and Poor	Church Expenses	Special
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
July 29th.—	0 3 0½	4 4 0	—
Aug. 5th.—	0 8 5½	—	2 19 0a
„ 12th.—	0 6 0½	3 6 3	—
„ 19th.—	0 5 10	3 0 9	—
Alms Box—	0 0 1	0 0 11½	0 2 11½b
Totals	£1 3 5½	£10 11 11½	£3 1 11½

a—Church Music Fund. b—Foreign Missions.

PARISH NOTES.

The Harvest Thanksgiving at the Parish Church will be held as usual in connection with the Festival of S.S. Michael and All Angels (Sept. 29th), so that the principal services will be on Sunday, the 30th.

The following account in connection with the Comic Cricket Match, on July 21st, for the benefit of Mr. W. Daws, has been furnished for publication.

RECEIPTS.

	£	s.	d.
Tickets Sold	12	13	9
Gate Money	4	8	5
Subscriptions	3	10	0
Totals	£20	12	2

EXPENSES.		£	s.	d.
Tea for Band and Players ...	...	1	10	3
Band, Expenses and Refreshments ...	...	1	3	6
Prizes ...	...	0	15	0
Bills and Tickets ...	...	0	8	6
Oil Paints ...	...	0	3	0
		£4	0	3
		£	s.	d.
Total Receipts ...	...	20	12	2
" Expenses ...	...	4	0	3
Balance to hand over ...	...	£16	11	11

This sum of money will enable the invalid young man to stay at the Hospital at Ventnor, in the Isle of Wight, as long as is permitted without anxiety. News received clearly indicates that he is improving under treatment.

SHOULD OLD ACQUAINTANCE BE FORGOT?

In giving from time to time some account of Quorn people who have gone abroad, one of the most distinguished has been omitted. I allude to Mr W. P. Chapman, son of the late Mr. G. Chapman. He began his successful career at the Loughborough Grammar School, where he obtained many prizes. In 1895 he won a Scholarship at Jesus College, Cambridge. After three years at the University he obtained honours in the Examination for his degree in Natural Science.

Mr. Chapman decided to try for Government employment in the Colonies, which would entail a year's more study and a very difficult examination. In this also he was successful, and went out in September, 1899, to the far East, being first sent to Canton and Hong Kong to learn Chinese. In this very difficult task two and a half years was passed, when he was highly commended after examination. After several subordinate appointments in the Malay States he was appointed, at first temporarily, to act as "Resident" in one of the districts, which office includes the work of a Magistrate in the local courts. In seven months 2000 cases came before him for decision. This work led to his appointment as Acting District Officer in Christmas Island. This is a lonely place, the District Officer being the only European Official there. The life must be a very busy and anxious one, for the Officer represents the British Government, and combines the work of Police Magistrate, Commissioner of the Courts of Requests, Harbour Master, Health Officer, Police Officer, Coroner, Treasurer and Protector of Chinese.

The life at Christmas Island is so isolated that as a rule the officer is relieved after six months, but Mr. Chapman served for a year.

As is common amongst Europeans in these climates, Mr. Chapman has suffered considerably through bad health.

His case is a good example of how British employs her most capable sons to superintend justice done in the far away corners of her Empire and many a man in the Civil Service of her Kingdom courageous duty just as much as a soldier, though his name is less likely to become famous.

It is pleasant to remind one's neighbours of a distinguished career in the country's service of a fellow-parishioner. Mr. Chapman is now entitled to twelve months' leave, and is expected to visit his family within a few weeks.

The hope expressed last month that the Summer Treat would be held this year away from the village was very happily fulfilled. Notwithstanding a stormy night and morning preceding, Saturday noon (Aug. 25th), was everything that could be desired.

I felt sure how much the drive round the Reservoir would be enjoyed, and I know now about the Hanging Stone Rocks was very beautiful and proved an excellent place for the treat, and Tea at the fountain Coffee House was as good as had supplied it ourselves at home (which is intended for very high praise). I feel sure that the Treat year will long be remembered as a most successful one.

There are two draw-backs to a Treat away from the village: one is that the parents cannot join and the other that the smallest of the children cannot go. The latter fact gave Mrs. Kecey and myself pleasure of giving a separate treat at the Vicarage the Monday following to the 38 little ones who were to be left behind.

I am sure none of the others who worked together to manage the Treats will grudge special gratification of Mr. Hayward and Mr. Adams, for the labour of love in connection with them.

Mr. Hayward is not able to give an account of the expenses of the treat yet or the amount collected but it may be said that our special appeal for subscriptions brought in a considerable increase, and the unusual expenses this year will be satisfied.

[By mistake last month I gave the number of Scholars, besides members of the Senior Bible Class as 290. It should have been 190.]

Mr. Skipworth, the Medical Officer of Health for our District, told me the other day that last year's death-rate at Quorn was the lowest of any village in Leicestershire! That should indicate a very healthy condition of things for which we should be thankful.

E.F.K.

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occupied by several entries roughly made out of place.

Thomas Farnham borne the 27 of December 1661
 Matthew Farnham was borne February the 27 1662
 Thomas Farnham was borne the 2 of March 1664
 An Farnham was borne the 4 of August 1666
 Homsfrey Farnham was borne the 25 of may 1667
 John Farnham was borne the 15 of December 1668
 An Farnham died in the yeare of our lord, 1666

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Anno Doi 1640.
 Christenings

Edward Chavenny sonne of George Chavenny gentleman baptized April ye 10th
 Francis Brandon sonne of William Brandon & Catherine his wife baptized May ye 3d
 Thomas Weston sonne of John Weston blacksmyth & Judith his wife baptized July ye 7th
 George Harris sonne of Francis Harris carpenter & Catherine his wife baptized July ye 16th
 Benjamin Farnham sonne of Edward Farnham esqr. & Isabell his wife baptized December ye 15th
 Edm Loker daughter of Robert Loker basketmaker, and Ales his wife baptized December ye 26th.
 John Ward sonne of Richard Ward, labourer, and Patronell his wife was baptized January ye 18th
 Isabell Chapman daughter of William Chapman, weaver, and Elizabeth his wife baptized July ye 30th
 Anna Bale daughter of James Bale, labourer, and Priscilla his wife baptized March ye 10th.
 Richard Cooke sonne of Henery Cooke, naylor, and Elizabeth his wife baptized March ye 28th.
 Thomas Bradshaw the sonne of Thomas Bradshaw, husbandman, and Izabell his wife baptized April ye 4th.

Weddings.

John Weston, Blacksmith, and Judith Sarson married by banes June ye 23d
 James Bale, labourer, and Priscilla Dexter married by banes asked June ye 26th.
 William Chesterfeild of Harby and Constance Sculthorpe November ye 24th.

Burials.

Ellis Squire wife of Laurence Squire buried March ye 30th.
 Jane Whatton widdow buried May ye 14th.
 William Reynes a poor man buried May ye —
 Elizabeth Bradshaw mayde buried May ye 15th.
 Elizabeth Harris, mayde buried June ye —
 An Glossop a poore woman buried —
 William Brewin Batchlor buried June ye 25th.
 Ales Benfeild poore woman buried July ye 12th.
 Elizabeth Swan mayde buried August ye 3rd
 William Hawkin poore man buried September ye 22nd.

Benjamin Farnham sonne of Edward Farnham and Izabell his wife was buried December ye 16th.
 George Simpkin an infant was buried Jan. —
 Ellen Soare wife of Humphrey Soare buried January —

RICHARDUS RAVEN,
 Sacellanus ibidem
 JOHN ADCOCK } Ecclesia
 JOHN ——— } Gardiani

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Anno Dom. 1641.

Christenninges this yeare.

Richard Cooke son of Henry baptized March the 30th
 Thomas Bradshaw son of Thomas baptized April 4
 Philippa Freston daughter of Henry was baptized July the 25
 John Hawkin son of John was baptized September the 8
 Richard Harris son of Ralph was baptized October the 18
 George Williams son of George was baptized November the 21
 ——— Johnson daughter of Francis was baptized December the 4
 John Tacy son of John baptized December the 6
 Margerit Lockey daughter of Thomas was baptized December the 6
 Anna Middleton daughter of Willam was baptized January the 15
 Suanna Farnham daughter of Edward was baptized February the 8
 Humphrey Pursse son of Humphrey baptized February the 13
 Samuell Harris son of Francis baptized February the 18

Weddings.

John Slater Dority groves maryed by banes thrice asked May the 23
 William Middleton Anna pipes was maryed September the 4
 Richard Hinckely An Squier was maryed December the 1

Buryalls.

William Tacy buryed May the 8
 Robart groves of ——— buryed May 13
 Ales Squier made buried June the 29
 Ales Sore buried September the 12
 Margret English buryed December the 14
 Thomas Haryman buryed January the 12
 A poore woman buryed February the 9
 An more buryed February the 16
 Mary Whetely buryed February the 20
 Jone Whetely buryed February the 23
 Mary Garrat buryed February the 24

(Added late) 1643.

Edward ye sonne of Edward Farnham & Isabell his wife was baptized

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OCTOBER, 1906.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSONS.

	To be brought learnt.	Lesson in Scripture
Oct. 7th.	Hymn 549 v. 5	Gospel
" 14th.	Hymn 436 v. 1	"
" 21st.	" v. 2	"
" 28th.	" v. 3	"
Nov. 4th.	" v. 4	"

Baptisms.

(There is no fee whatever for Baptisms, and the names are put in the Magazine if it is not wished.)

Sept. 2nd.—Lily Amelia Olphin.
 16th.—Florence Emerton.

Marriage

Sept. 1st.—Samuel Bailey and Elizabeth Teagle.

Burials.

Sept. 12th.—Joseph Dexter, aged 71.
 18th.—Arthur Reeves, aged 4 months.
 Florence Emerton, aged 7 days.
 19th.—Richard Markham, aged 22.
 22nd.—Edith Annie Chamberlain,

COLLECTIONS IN CHURCH.

	Sick and Poor. £ s. d.	Church Expenses £ s. d.	Special £ s. d.
Aug. 26th—	—	—	4 19 3a
Sep. 2nd.—	0 8 7	—	2 5 6b
" 9th.—	0 7 4	2 2 3	—
" 16th.—	0 4 0	3 0 9	—
" 23rd.—	0 8 8½	2 9 0	—
Alms Box—	0 1 9	1 1 4	0 3 5c
Totals	£1 10 4½	£8 13 4	£7 8 2

a—Fabric Fund. b—Church Music Fund.
 c—Foreign Missions.

SPECIAL COLLECTIONS IN OCTOBER.

Oct. 7th & 28th.—Church Music Fund.
 14th.—Board of Religious Education.

PARISH NOTES.

I omitted last month to remind members of the Clothing and Coal Club that their cards should be brought in and left (whether paid up or not), on Monday, October 1st. The cards will be made up and returned at the Schools on the following Monday (8th). New cards will be issued on Monday, October 29th, at 12.

Last month a remark was made on the extraordinary low death rate in the parish last year. During the last few weeks there have been so many cases of serious illness that it seemed likely that an unusual number of deaths might occur this year.

I count up 21 severe cases of sickness which have come to my knowledge in the past month. I certainly never knew of so much serious illness in the parish before. Among other things there were two persons operated upon for appendicitis. Both are now doing well. In my calculations I have only counted two cases of illness among infants, of which of course at this season there have been many. Happily there was not a single case that could be referred to unhealthy surroundings. Perhaps the long spell of hot weather may have had something to do with it. There have been six deaths in September; three of quite old people, and three of infants. I wish I could say that that was the end of our troubles. There still remain several homes made very sad with present troubles and dread of what may come.

[Another serious case still, Sept. 26th.]

Mrs. Kelcey will begin her Mothers' Meetings at the Vicarage, on Monday, Oct. 22nd, at 2.30.

Mr. Frisby has allowed me to make an extract from some notes he has made on the flight of the Swallow. He was so fortunate as to discover a great assembling place where they gathered from all round this district before their departure for Foreign lands for the winter. He says:—At the beginning of August, the Swallows congregate and roost together before they depart for the winter. In this neighbourhood a place of assembly was this year in the Osier Beds, by Betty Henser's Lane, to the left just as you enter Mountsorrel Village (but in the Parish of Quorn).

On August 15th, after a heavy shower, I observed many thousands making the most beautiful evolutions high in the air above this spot until, as it seemed, all stragglers had arrived. Then suddenly, as if at a word of command, they formed into a half circle, swept down with incredible swiftness, and in less time than I take to write it had disappeared into the Osiers.

The last night they were there (Sept. 12th) the number had so increased that I am convinced that there were a million. The next day they had all gone, and by this time are thousands of miles away in a more genial climate.

SHOULD OLD ACQUAINTANCE BE FORGOT?

On Sept. 5th, I received a long and interesting letter from Mrs. Burrows, who is now with her husband and family at Ocean Park, California, right the other side of America, 6000 miles away (3000 across the sea, and 3000 across land). The following extract from her letter I am sure will be of interest:—

"I am very pleased to say we are going on right, and all in the best of health. This is a lovely place. I suppose it is the coolest place in California there is not that intense heat there is in some places and the nights are always cool. One can hardly believe there is no winter. One can walk minutes from the Ocean. We are not so thankful we had a safe journey here, but it was very tiring. One place we passed at night had had a very bad earthquake in the morning. It shook the train off the track, and we saw several trains turned over on the way, broken to pieces. I am glad to say we are all doing well, and I think we shall get on better here, and there seems more chance for the boys. There is a lot of fruit eaten here at every meal. We are not in the fruit-growing district, but there are a few orange, lemon, fig and banana trees grown in the gardens round us, also a lot of peep trees, as well as other fruits and vegetables which I had never heard of before. We get peaches as large as a good sized cup, tomatoes of 1lb. each, and beautiful grapes very cheap, all of course grown on the other side of doors. The houses are all made of wood and they look very pretty with lovely creepers and palms in front, also the flower gardens, and I suppose they flower all the year round. Of course you have to water everything, but there is no stint of water and you can let it run all day if you like. I suppose we shall not have any rain for a good many months.

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Anno Domini 1647.

Christeninniges this (yeare).

Charles Farnham the (son of) Edward Farnham Esq baptized July —

Anno Domini 1645.

Mary ye daughter of Edward Farnham Esq & Isabell his wife May ye 7
Tho: Whatton

Byrths.

Samuell Skellington the sonne of Richard Skellington was Borne ye Eight day of July in ye yeare of our lord 1645

Christenings

William Sables and Ann his Wiffe baptized January the —
Mary the daughter of — wiffe bapt January —
Will Page ye sonne of Lawrance Page of Quarndon was Born ye 21th of Feby 1652
Mary Page ye Daughter of Lawrence Page of Quarndon was Borne the 15th Dec. 1650

Burialls.

William the son of Tho Locker buryed January the 21th

Jerimia Phips the soone of Jerimia & Ann his wife borne September the 28 Anno Domni 1653
Ebenezer Sculthorpe the soone of James was borne the 26th day of the first month called March Anno Domii 1661

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(also contains only rough entries).

1652.

James Sculthorpe was married to Herbett (?) the daur of William Lane the 9th September in the yeare above written

1653.

John Hawkin son of William Hawkin and of Mary his wife was borne the eight day of december

Burialls.

Georg Chavney was buried the — day of September 1661
Georg Simson son of Georg Simson husbandman and Katterine his wife was buried December 19
William Skelton Sheperd was buried December 8
— warrin the mother of domity griffin was buried January 10

Henery fukes taylor was buried February 2
Elizabeth till widow was buried February 18
Isabela Preston Daughter of William & Francis Preston was borne the 24 day of June 1668
Humpfry Middleton soon of Humpfry borne 16th of May 1650

END OF VOLUME I.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSONS.

	To be brought <i>learnt.</i>	Lesson in Scripture
Nov. 4th.	Hymn 436 v. 4	Gospel.
" 11th.	" v. 5	"
" 18th.	" v. 6	"
" 25th.	Hymn 360 v. 1	"
Dec. 2nd.	" v. 2	"

Baptisms.

(There is no fee whatever for Baptisms, and the names are put in the Magazine if it is not wished.)

Sept. 28—Lily Sealey King.
 Oct. 1—Gordon Adair.
 3—Emmie Agnes May Jones.
 Samuel Willars.
 14—Leonard George Tomlin.
 18—Herma Drucilla Ward.
 21—Herbert Brown.
 George Thomas Stockwell.

Marriages.

Sept. 29th.—Arthur Ball and Lily Taylor.
 Oct. 6th.—Frederick William Gartshore and Elizabeth Howlett.

Burials.

Oct. 1st.—Sarah Ann Gaze, aged 56.
 Lily Sealey King, aged 10 months.
 5th.—Elizabeth Mary Lakin, aged 37.
 12th.—Mary Ann Turner, aged 59.
 16th.—Richard Kidger, aged 16.
 18th.—William Brown, aged 45.
 (Corrected notice). Sept. 19th.—Richard Markham, aged 82.

COLLECTIONS IN CHURCH.

	Sick and Poor. £ s. d.	Church Expenses £ s. d.	Special £ s. d.
Sep. 27th—	—	—	9 4 0a
Oct. 7th.—	0 5 3	—	2 15 6b
" 14th.—	0 4 10½	—	4 0 0c
" 21st.—	0 4 11	4 4 6	—
Alms Box—	0 7 3	1 1 1	0 3 6½d
Totals	£1 2 3½	£5 5 7	£16 3 0½

a—Hospitals. b—Church Music Fund.
 c—Religious Education. d—Foreign Missions.

SPECIAL COLLECTIONS IN NOVEMBER.

Nov. 4th—Churchyard Fund.
 25th.—Church Music Fund.

PARISH NOTES.

On Sunday, Nov. 4th (being in the Octave of All Saints), according to custom, there will be collections for keeping the Churchyard in order. This should be an object of interest to most of us. How few there must be who have not some friend or relation laid to rest in the Churchyard. It costs about £20 a year to keep it up to its present state.

CLOTHING AND COAL CLUB.—The full accounts for the year which ended last month, cannot yet be published, but the following figures will be of interest.

Amount paid in on Cards:	£	s.	d.
Clothing	207	1	0
Coal	41	5	7
	248	6	7
Amount of bonuses earned ...	36	12	3
Total	£284	18	10

These figures show an advance on last year, when the total paid in was £237 10s. 0d., and bonuses £35 12s. 9d. Looking back I see that in 1896-7 £200 was paid in and £24 5s. 1d. earned in bonuses.

Any heads of families living in the parish may have free Clothing Cards upon which 1d. is paid by way of bonus on every 1/- paid in regularly up to 30/-. Fresh applicants should attend and ask for cards on Mondays at the Schools at 12.

Amongst our many well-to-do new parishioners are there any who would like to subscribe to this old parish institution? One subscriber of £1 has left, and her cards might be taken up by another subscriber or subscribers. The least amount for subscription is 4/- a year. I should be very glad to explain the working of the club to any one who thinks of subscribing. The principle of the club is to help those who help themselves.

How seldom we think of those who work for our convenience unless we happen to see them at their work. A recent visit to the Gas House reminded me that there are always one or two at work there night and day. I often meet a neighbour going off to work at the Reservoir all night. Sometimes too in the dead of night one hears the scavengers at their disagreeable employment while we are comfortably resting. Then there are the men who light and turn off the public gas lamps. As most people know there are two of them, and they go round twice every evening in the autumn and winter. I have taken the trouble to measure out the distances each one goes, and I find that the one our end walks three miles each round, that is six miles each night, and the other about five miles. Thus our lamp-lighters between them walk 77 miles a week.

On the evening of October 15th I was delighted by a visit of two dear little girls who came to say 'Good-bye' before starting for America. They are daughters of Mr. A. Briers, who left with their mother the next morning. Mrs. Searle went with her two little ones at the same time. Mrs. Barby went earlier in the month. And so the tide of emigration flows. One knows of lots more people who are talking of going.

Reckoning from memory, I make up a total of 36 who have left for America in recent years, and I am sure there must be several more.

Friday, Nov. 30th, being S. Andrew's Day, will be observed as the Day of Intercession for Foreign Missions. Arrangements will be published in the next issue. On the Sunday following, Decr. 2nd, there will be collections for the Church Missionary Society.

Last month we finished publishing the copy of Vol. I. of the Parish Registers. The sheets have been mounted and bound, and will be kept in the Vestry, so that future reference to the old entries will be convenient and easy. This month we begin the second volume, in which much of the writing is very correct and indistinct. The work of deciphering and collating has been carried out by Mr. Farnham and Mr. Kelcey, who both go over the whole ground, so that the printed copy may be relied upon as accurate.

Mr. Hensman, Head Master of the Raynham School, is preparing a lecture on the Great Civil War as it affected the County of Leicester. It is to be delivered before the Literary and Philosophical Society at Leicester, on Dec. 3rd.

Tickets can only be obtained through members of the Society. I will do my best to get tickets for Quorn people who would like to be present.

Perhaps later on Mr. Hensman may be persuaded to give his lecture in the village.

A dear old friend has lately come home after a stay of three weeks at the Convalescent Home at the Outwoods. He is full of praise of the institution, and the way the health and comfort of visitors are studied. It is very nice to hear such warm words of grateful appreciation of this good work. I know many who would bear similar testimony.

An account has been handed to me of the Quorn Cottagers Garden Society's Show, which was held on Sept. 29th. The list of winners of First Prizes only can be given.

Kidney Potatoes	...	A. Brown.
White ...	...	T. Martin.
Coloured	...	
Round Potatoes	...	H. Disney.
White ...	...	S. Hallam.
Red ...	...	J. Facer.
Onions ...	...	J. H. Smith.
Eschallots	...	Herbert Gamble.
Leeks ...	...	S. Hallam.
Carrots ...	...	S. Hallam.
Parsnips	...	A. Brown.
Beet ...	...

Turnips	...	T. Martin.
Celery ...	...	Herbert Gamble.
Marrows	...	S. Hallam.
Cabbages	...	W. Jones.
Roses ...	...	W. Jones.

Bunch of Chrysanthemums, S. Hallam.

Ailsa Craig Onions, C. Clarke.

Prizes for best Cultivated Allotments—
First, S. Hallam; Second, T. Lucas.

E. F. K.

Mr. James Woodforth, with his family, desires to express thanks for the kind contributions to help him in his trouble. £5 16s. 9d. was collected.

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Richard Johnson and rouse his wife baptised Mosses his soon November 14 1668
 Elizabeth Leike daughter of Robart and Margaret his wife was borne the seven and twentyth day of march in the year Anno. Dom. 1669
 Elizabeth Stevenson Daughter of William Stevenson & Mary his wife was borne June the 30 day in the year 1668.
 Mary Stevenson Daughter of William Stevenson & Mary his wife was borne may the 3 day 1671
 Isabel Sherrin Daughter of William Sherrin & Elizabeth his wife was born Dec 11. 1672
 Henry hind and Elizabeth his wife Baptised Thomas his son February the 3. 1672.
 Benjamin Middleton was born January the 9. 1663

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Farnham Fukes and Elizabeth Barsby maryed The 30 day of October 1661
 Georg Fukes son of Farnham Fukes Borne the first day of november 1662
 Rebecke Fukes dauter of Farnham Fukes Borne the ninth day of September 1665
 Henry Fukes son of Farnham Fukes Borne the thirtieth day of January 1668.
 Elizabeth Hawkin dauter of William Haawkin and of Mary his wife was borne one and twenty day of agust 1664
 John Stevenson son of Thomas Stevenson and ann his wife Babtized the 16 day of may 1671
 John Kirke son of Francis Kirke and Jane his wife Babtized the 16 day of may 1671
 Robard Slingsby son of Robard Slingsby and ann his wife Babtized the 14 day of July 1671
 Ann Darker dauter of Thomas Darker and mary his wife Babtized the 16 day of December 1671
 Hugh Simpson son of George Simpson and Catherzne his wife Babtized the 22 day of December 1671
 William Tacy and Hugh Tacy both sons of Edward Tacy and mary his wife babtized the 12 day of march 1671

The maryings that was in the year 1671.

Matthew Fisher and Ester Shellton maryed the 26 day of July 1671
 Thomas Baker and ann Bosse maryed the 5 day of—
 William Skullthorp and mary white maryed the 8 day of november
 William Parnam and mary Chapman maryed the 21 day of november
 John Bellemy and mary Greasly maryed the 21 day of november
 Henry Hinde and Elizabeth Fukes maryed the 26 day of January
 Elizabeth Brandon Buryed the 14 day of may 1671
 Thomas Lane husband of Mary Lane Buryed the 18 day of may
 Larance Stables husband of Jane Stables Buryed the 24 day of may

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Widow Locker Buryed the 27 day of may 1671
 Mary Stevenson wife of William Stevenson Buryed the 28 day of June 1671
 Elizabeth maslin dauter of John maslin Buryed the day of July 1671
 Mary Johnson widow Buryed the 22 day July 1671
 Anne Cotes wife of Hugh Cotes Buryed the 10 day of January 1671
 Thomas Sculthorpe son of William Bapbtized Dec 16th 1672
 Robard Barsby Buryed the 11 day of april 1672
 Elizabeth Cooke daughter of Thomas Buryed Decemb 16 1672

Christnings

Bengeman Hawkin son of william Hawkin and his wife borne the seventeenth day of July
 Sarah Farnham was baptised daughter of Mr Farnham and matt his wife January 30th 1673
 Hennery Spettelhouse sonne of Henery and dauter his was baptised 19th of march
 Robart Slinsbes and Ann his wife theire sonne Thomas was baptised Febuary 15th
 Edward Hincly sonne of Ann Hincly buried 13th 1673

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Weddens 1674.

Mr. John Hawke was marred and Mary Peate
 John Teate and Mary Taylor was marred —

Burrielles 1674.

Timothy Fuke buried may the 29.
 Alice — buried July 25
 Humfrey Bestue buried march 24
 Bridget Sly buried march 19

Christennings 1674.

Edward Simson the son of gorge Simson and Ester his wife baptised June 2
 Mary the daughter of William Stappellton & baptised August 31 1674
 Baptized William Stevenson the son of William Stevenson and Margaret his wife the 11 day of tember
 Elizabeth Theobels Daughter of — Theobels Isabel his wife was baptised August 12
 Thomas Chamberling and Ellissabeth his wife tised John his son October 30
 Edward tassy and an his wife baptised an his daughter Nov 13
 John burton and mary his wife baptised George son february the 26

5. Bartholomew's, Quorn.

DECEMBER, 1906.

Services in the Parish Church.

SUNDAYS—8 a.m. Holy Communion, and on the first Sunday in the month, also after Mattins.
 11 a.m. Mattins and Sermon.
 2.45 p.m. Children's Service.
 3.30 p.m. Baptisms
 6.30 p.m. Evensong and Sermon.

COLLECTIONS at 8 a.m. for the Sick and Poor Fund; at 11 a.m. and 6.30 p.m. every Sunday for Church Expenses unless some special object is announced.

SACRAMENTS DAYS and HOLY DAYS—

8 a.m. Holy Communion. } Or according to
 10 a.m. Mattins. } notice.
 7.30 p.m. Evensong.

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1st. 2nd.	Hymn 360 v. 2	Gospel
9th.	" v. 3	"
16th.	" v. 4	"
23rd.	Hymn 58 v. 1	"
30th.	" v. 2	"

Baptisms.

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Oct. 28th.—Herbert Reginald Chapman.
 Errol Jack Farren Seal

Marriages.

Oct. 27th.—Walter Lovett and Mary Ann Bramley.

Burials.

Nov. 5th.—George Hillyard, aged 70.
 13th.—John Webster, aged 61.

COLLECTIONS IN CHURCH.

	Sick and Poor.	Church Expenses	Special
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Oct. 28th.—	0 4 4½	—	4 11 0a
Nov. 4th.—	0 5 4½	—	4 19 3b
„ 11th.—	0 4 2	3 5 9	—
„ 18th.—	0 4 6½	2 18 3	—
Alms Box—	0 0 3	0 1 9	0 2 8c
Totals	£0 18 8½	£6 5 9	£9 12 11

a—Church Music Fund. b—Churehyard Fund.
 c—Foreign Missions.

SPECIAL COLLECTIONS IN DECEMBER.

PARISH NOTES.

The first Sunday in December (2nd) brings us to Advent again, when we begin the round of Sundays and Holy Days, and Seasons that mark the course of the Christian year. The system of the Church by its very marks of time should be a reminder of holy things and a help to holy living. We all know how easy it is to get engrossed in our occupations and pleasures, and pay little attention to the higher and eternal things, which we alone of all creation are capable of minding. In a Christian country, unless we are very careless, the very passage of the year marked by its Sundays and seasons of religious observance should force us to give some thought to those things. And Advent Sunday is an occasion for a *new start*. I, for the fifteenth time here, set myself to tell the **OLD STORY** as the year brings it round in orderly course. I thank God, that it grows more and more interesting to me. Are there any who read this to whom it is

less interesting than once it was? If so, let them do what they can to make up for lost time by more careful attendance where the Gospel is set forth in all its fulness, and the regular course of prayer and praise should lift the heart and life away from the world, and nearer God. Advent Sunday is a call to you and me to a NEW START. Shall we not make one?

On Advent Sunday, very suitably, all collections will be for Foreign Missions. It is announced that one result of the Missionary Exhibition at Leicester was that ten persons offered themselves for missionary work!

At the Evensong on the second Sunday in Advent (Dec. 9th) some beautiful music, specially suited to the season, will be introduced, being part of a Sacred Cantata by J. H. Maunder; the words taken from S. Matt. xxv. 31-34; Rev. vii. 14, xxi. 4, &c. Hymn 438.

The Bazaar to be held at the Village Hall, on December 5th and 6th, though not exactly for a charitable cause, should engage the interest of the parishioners.

Though the Hall was built by a Company of Shareholders, no interest or return of any kind has ever been received on any shares. The fees charged for its use have not paid the expenses of its maintenance, so that all of us who have made use of the Hall at different times have done so partly at the expense of the shareholders.

The Bazaar will give us all an opportunity of doing something towards making up our share of the maintenance of what has been a considerable public benefit.

Last month I inserted a list of the local Garden Show in which Mr. S. Hallam figured as the chief prize winner. During November he obtained further distinction in a wider field. Thus at Loughborough, on November 3rd, for Chrysanthemums, in the Cottagers' Class, he obtained four first prizes, three second and one third. At Leicester Town and County Show on the 9th and 10th, in the class open to all amateurs, he won three first, one second and two third prizes, and a silver medal.

I always thought that Quorn was a good place for gardening, but it was scarcely to be expected that one parishioner, who is not a professional, would obtain so many honours in one year!

During Advent, on the three Wednesday evenings at 7.30, there will be addresses on subjects suited to the season. The prayers for the past week be said as usual. Cannot some more people join in this weekly gathering for sacred meditation and prayer? Quite a large number take meditation in Church work; we might expect our work to be more if we gathered together and joined in work once a week for ourselves and those among whom we work, and for the general good of all people in affairs in the parish.

- Subjects on Wednesday evenings in Advent—
 (1) The Hope of the Messiah.
 (2) Preparation.
 (3) Realization.

Before the year ends I hope to have delivered every house in the parish an Almanac as a personal New Year's Gift. This year the Almanac will be a smaller size than formerly. This alteration has been made solely that it may be more conveniently given a place on the wall. I notice in going through that there are more of these things issued than used to be, and so there is less space available formerly.

I am glad just to have time to insert a word or two about the public effort organized for the benefit of Mr. John Webster, junr. Though an exact amount has not yet been made, I am assured that £500 will be realized. For the Prize Drawing 52 prizes were given. The first was won by a Barrow man, second by Mr. Albert Dexter, and the third by George Carr's little boy.

The recipient and his family desire to express their gratitude for this and other tokens of sympathy shown during his long affliction.

It is time to be thinking of our Christmas munion.

QUORN CLOTHING CLUB.

BALANCE SHEET FOR YEAR ENDING OCTOBER 1905.

RECEIPTS.	
Balance from 1904-5	24
Payments on Cards—	
Clothing	107
Coals	41
Subscriptions	25
Discount on Bills	8
Bank Interest	3
	£310

PAYMENTS.

	£	s.	d.
Tradesmen's Bills	233	1	7
Clothing	48	9	1
Coal	0	5	0
Postage, Stationery, etc.	0	5	0
Wills and Hepworth, Printing	0	10	0
Accounts, &c, in Magazine	1	1	0
Help in making up Accounts	0	2	0
Club Book	3	8	2
Ball in Cash on Cards	23	10	6
Balance in Bank	£310	12	4

SUBSCRIBERS, 1905-6

	£	s.	d.
Mrs. Farnham	5	0	0
Mrs. Parker	3	0	0
Mr. Warner	2	0	0
Mrs. Herrick	2	0	0
Mr. Cradock	2	0	0
Mrs. Cuffling	1	10	0
Mrs. Farnham, Senr.	1	0	0
Mrs. Hayward	1	0	0

SUBSCRIBERS, 1905-6—continued.

	£	s.	d.
Mrs. J. Wright	1	0	0
Mr. G. F. Farnham	1	0	0
Mrs. Toller	1	0	0
Mrs. Unitt	1	0	0
Mrs. Brown	0	18	0
Mrs. Geo. White	0	16	0
Mrs. Lewis	0	14	0
Mrs. Furr	0	8	0
Miss Corlett	0	8	0
Mrs. North	0	4	0
Miss Hack	0	4	0
Mrs. Backhouse	0	4	0
	£25	6	0

We have examined the above Accounts and Balance Sheet and have found same correct, all Vouchers having been produced.

SYDNEY J. WRIGHT.
 W. SHIRLEY N. TOLLER.

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Crissanings 1675.

Edward Theoballs and Elissabeth his wife baptised
Robert his son April 23
Larrance page and mary his wife baptised Nathanuell
his son June the 26
Richard Fisher and margarat his wife Baptised John
his son June 29
John Monke fileus Johanes monke July 9th.
An Stables filea Thomas September 19
John Chapman fileus John october 20
Francis Preson filius William november 9.
Sara Stubb filea Robert november 23
Mary Scullthorp fillea William December 14
Joseph the son of William Sherrin & Elizabeth his
wife was Baptised Jan ye 20th 1675
*An Stables bapt Sept ye 19 1675 buried July ye
20 1744.

**Inserted later in a different hand.*

Crissanings 1676

Ester Tassy filea Thomas April 6.
Ann bradshaw, filea Thomas May 17.
Jacob midleton fileus Jacob June 10.
Elissabeth Weson filea Thomas July 9.
Ann Stevenson filea William July 14.
Mary Maslin fillea John August 13.
Edward Scullthorp fileus James Agust 28.
Catherine Simpson September 27

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Buryalls 1675.

— Jane the wiffe of Francis Kirke was buried July
the 16th.
Edward King July 28.
Thomas bradshaw Agust 1.
Widow Simsson of mountsorrel Septtember 1.
Widow Smith november 14
Elissabeth daughter of widow allian January 9
Farnham Fukes February 13
mary daughter of larrance page Feby. 28.

Wedings 1675.

John Chapman and Pleasant Shaw novber 9
Thomas Woodford of Coats and Sara — of bolton
was married January 31.
William michal of lecester and Elissabeth hinckley
of this towne was married February 2.

Wedings 1676

Thomas tooke of melton moberey and Elissabeth
fisher of this towne was married february 3
—
John Ohapman and pleasant his wife baptised An his
daughter november 24 in the yeer of our lord 1676

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Burialls 1676

Widow Fukes April 6
Prisselay wife of James bates April 6
— son of Georg Simsson April 23
John son of Thomas Chamberling April 24
James bates April 30
Abraham Shipley of mountsorrill September 2
widow greasley of mountsorrill december 8
Widow Shipley of mountsorrill december 16
John Chapman december 29
Jane wife of Edward Simsson January 3
Elissabeth ralfin of mountsorrill february 4
Simon son of Jacob millton march 6
william wheate Craft march 10
Thomas Jarrot of mountsorrill march 16.
Jane Simpson the wiffe off Edward January 3

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1676 Christaning.

Catherine top fillea william december 6
mathew borton filleus John Janary 31
darity fukes fillea mathew march 20

1677 Christnings.

mary brattfort fillea Thomas April 17.
master Edward farnham and mary his wife bapt
phillis his daughter June 27
master henry farnham and matha his wife Bapt
mary his daughter July 6.
Edward Tassy and an his wife baptised Edward
son agust 3
Thomas Chamberling and Elissabeth his wife baptise
mary his daughter Agust 19
walter brandon and dorrity his wife Baptised dem
his daughter September 11
henry hind and Elissabeth his wife baptised hen
his soon September 23
Thomas bradshaw and an his wife baptised Elissab
his daughter october 11.
Thomas tassy and phillip his wife baptised will
his son november 9.
henry Spittlehouse and darity his wife baptise
thomas his son november 24
william hawken and mary his wife baptised will
his son march 9.