

## NOVEMBER

- 1st. Beckenham—box peas. Canada (per W.V.S.)—20-lbs. chocolate powder.
- 2nd. Beckenham, £1. Palmers Green, 10/-. Welcome Mission, Hanworth, Women's Meeting, 5/-.
- 4th. Haverhill, 10/-.
- 5th. New Park Hall, Barking, "As a practical expression of our thanks for the ministry of our good friend — at our Anniversary Services, we are enclosing cheque for £2 2 0 towards the Work of the orphan homes."
- 6th. Lowestoft, 10/-. Maswell Park Hall, £1 10 0.
- 7th. Goldings Hill F.C. S.S., £1 16 1. Regent Hall, Swindon, "The enclosed cheque for £10 is part of the Harvest Thanksgiving offering taken recently. It is with joy that we have a share in your great work for the Lord. May He continue to bless you and yours."
- 8th. Woodford Green, £2. Tiptree—1 large load wood. Romford—wireless set. St. Albans—2 boxes apples. Benfleet, £5. Eastern Optical Co., Ltd., Stratford, 10/-.
- 12th. Edmonton Gospel Hall, £2. West Mersea, 5/- and 10/-. West Mersea Women's Meeting, 7/6d.
- 13th. Sidcup, £5, "We trust you and your large family are keeping well, and we wish you all the Lord's choicest blessings over the Christmas season."
- 15th. Surbiton Baptist S.S., 10/-. Highams Park, 10/-. Maldon, £1.
- 16th. Hampton, £1.
- 18th. Anon.—2 parcels secondhand clothes.
- 19th. Maldon—4 nightdresses; 3 vests; 1 pullover and 1 pr. knickers. Harrow, "I have been thinking of you and all your Work for our Lord among the children whom He has entrusted to your care. I do pray that you are seeing our Lord's hand in this Work for Him and that He will bless you abundantly. As it is nearing the Christmas season I thought that I would send my small gift, £3, to you now which will help to provide some extras for the children." Latimer Hall Primary, £1. Colchester, £1 12 0.
- 20th. Inworth—3 boxes apples. St. Albans—10 bushels apples and 1 piece material.
- 22nd. Perth, Australia. From an old boy and girl—box of soap. Lexden, 10/-. Hounslow, 5/-. Romford—5 overalls for staff.
- 24th. Stisted—large basket apples. Tiptree—2 prs. socks. Blofield Mission, £3. Woodford Green, £2. Seven Kings, £1. Blofield, 10/-.
- 25th. Broxbourne—3 prs. socks. High Barnet, 10/-. Roe Green S.S., Kingsbury, £2, "With our prayers that the Lord may continue to prosper your work among the children, so that they may early learn to love Him."
- 28th. Leytonstone Methodist C. Women's Meeting—7 nightdresses and 2 prs. socks. Woodford Green, 5/-. An old girl, 7/6d.
- 29th. Ingatestone—4 lbs. jam. Greenford—parcel secondhand toys, etc.
- 30th. Gidea Park, £1.

## DECEMBER

- 3rd. S. Woodford, 10/-. Enfield, 5/-. Peterborough, 7/6d. and parcel crayons, handkerchiefs, etc., for Christmas.
- 4th. Esher, £5. Ley St. Gospel Hall S.S., £2.
- 5th. Bristol (Anon.), 10/-. Walthamstow, 10/-. Sudbury, 10/-. Upper Holloway, 10/-. Cranford, £1, "We cease not to pray for you and especially in your efforts to win the boys and girls to our Saviour and Lord."
- 6th. Australia—1 case peanuts and 1 case barley sugar. Watford Baptist Tabernacle—toys, etc.
- 7th. Westcliff—25 prs. knitted socks. Highams Park—books. St. Albans—6d. for each child. Westcliff, £1. Thorpe Bay, £2, "Praying that our Father's blessing may continue with you and your band of helpers." Theodore Road Baptist C. Women's Meeting, 10/-. Westcliff, £10. Clacton, £1. J.L.P. Memorial, £1.
- 9th. Ipswich, £8.
- 10th. Woodford Green, "I am enclosing £1 for the children for Xmas. Would you please do the same as in previous years and change it into threepenny pieces so that each child has one." Ilford, £5. Upton Manor, £1. Lancing Tabernacle S.S., £5. Aldeburgh, 2/6d. Battersea Park, "Thank you for the 'Links.' We, with you, praise our Heavenly Father for all His abundant goodness to us. Our prayers and thoughts go often to your Work, and in sending the gift enclosed of £2 2 0 we send it with our very best wishes for the coming Xmas and the New Year, should the Lord tarry so long." Hanwell, £2 2 0. Woodford Green, £1. Southend, £5 5 0. Lewes, 10/-. Robertsbridge, 10/-. Waltham Abbey, 10/- in lieu of sugar. Bridgnorth, £1. Colchester, 1/3d.; Cheltenham, £3.
- 11th. East Rudham—18 pheasants. Witham, £2 2 0. Woodford Green, "Will you please accept the enclosed £1 towards your Work for the Lord in memory of Mr. Causley. We thought he would like this rather than flowers."
- 12th. Hounslow, £6 (covenant). Maldon, 10/-. Woodford Green, £5. Tunbridge Wells, £1 1 0. Leyton, £1 10 0. Fullbridge Hall, Maldon—2 vests and 2 prs. knickers. Ipswich—1 suit of clothes; 2/- for each child.
- 13th. Letchington— $\frac{1}{2}$  ton potatoes and £1. Woodford—3d. for each child. Leigh—2 boxes toys, Christmas decorations, etc. Maldon, £1. Leytonstone, 10/-. Old Independent Church, Haverhill, Women's Meeting, £1 1 0. Southbourne, 10/-. An old girl, £5 5 0.
- 14th. Avondale S.S.—2 parcels toys. Southbourne, £1. Totteridge, £2. S.W.7, £1 1 0. (covenant). Barking, £3 2 6. Colchester, 5/-.
- 16th. Fraddon, £1. Forest Gate, 10/-. Frant £25 (covenant). Sandy, "I enclose cheque for £1 1 0 towards your Xmas expenses and send you all and the children our very best wishes." Hornchurch, 10/-. Leyton, 10/-. "We enclose our little Xmas gift on behalf of the children. May they all have a very happy Xmas and may the Lord's blessing rest upon you in this great Work." Hornchurch, £1. Manor Park, 10/-. Girls' Life Brigade, 1st S. Essex Div., £1 3 6, "We have pleasure in once again sending part of our collection taken at a united Communion Service. We always devote this to outside objects, especially work among children and young people." "Sam," 5/-. Enfield, £1. Sidmouth, "Will you kindly accept the enclosed cheque for £1 towards the funds of the Children's Home with every good wish and prayer for God's continued blessing on the work." Ramsey, £2 2 0. Barking, 10/-. "Praying God's richest blessing on yourself and the work among the children which, as you know, has my richest fellowship." Llanelly, £3, "It is grand to know of the Lord's con-

tinued faithfulness in His Work at Woodford." Mill Hill, £5, "Just to wish you all a happy Xmas. The Lord bless and keep you all in 'His' care." S. Woodford, 10/-. Bude, 10/-. "I am glad to see that the Lord is still blessing the work to which He called you and that you are going forward into greater things." Walsall, £2. Royston, £10, "We shall continue to pray for the work and all workers and children at the Home." Walsall, £2. Enfield Wash, 10/-. Barking, £1, "God bless you in your great work and may many of the dear children come to know, early in life the Lord Jesus Christ." Buckhurst Hill, 5/-. Wickford, £1 10. Woodford Green, "Many thanks for 'Links' and it's very interesting reading. Wishing you and your Workers and children a happy and joyful Xmas and a happier New Year." Woodford Green, £3 3 0 and £1. Goodmayes, £1, "Once again the festive season comes, which reminds-us of the children, so I enclose my small gift towards the noble work you are doing on their behalf." Southampton, £3, "Enclosed find gift for your Work, part is instead of paying Fire Insurance. Thank you for the 'Links'—I do enjoy reading them and learning of God's faithfulness. We need to be reminded at times." Colchester, £1. Forest Road Hall, £1. "Once again Xmas is approaching and we remember those less fortunate than ourselves. The Members and friends wish you God speed in all you undertake for Him and we all wish you, your staff and big family a very happy Xmas and joyful New Year." Wickham Bishops, £1.

17th. Barling Gospel Mission, £3 10 0, "We are glad to note His blessing has been upon you and your family another year and we remember He is the same yesterday, today, and for ever." St. Andrew's Hall, Chingford, £3 3 0. Leytonstone, 14/-. Walthamstow, 10/-. Hainault Road Baptist Women's Meeting, 10/-. "We continue in prayer for you that God will indeed prosper the work and make all future plans an accomplished fact in the days to come." Cranleigh, £2. Woodford Green, £2 2 0, "I am 72 and have loved my Master from childhood. You will know how I understand all His great love and mercy. God bless and keep you all always." Thanet, 10/-. Southborough, £10. Seven Kings, £1. Plaistow, 10/-. Doncaster, 5/6. Tiptree, £2. Whitstable, 5/-. Bruce Grove, £1 10 0. Ilford, £3 3 0.

18th. Leigh, £2. Manchester, £1. Witham, £1 10 0. Barking, £1 10 0. New Barnet, 10/-. "May you have grace and strength enough granted you for all the extra calls for Christmastide." Faversham Gospel Mission S.S., 10/-. Doncaster, £4. Watford Baptist Tabernacle Girl Guide Co., £8. Newick, 10/-. "The Lord has been so good and opened up the way so wonderfully that I feel I would like to shew forth His goodness." Cheltenham, £1 10 0. Romford, "Would you please use the enclosed £8 for your own personal need this Christmas. Wishing you every blessing in all the change through which you are passing." Tebworth Hall Sewing Meeting—21 prs. socks and 7 woollen hats. An old lady of 86—3 scrap books and bed quilt. Leigh—1 petticoat; 2 vests; 1 pr. gloves; 1 woollen hat; 1 woollen scarf; 1 hat and 2 books. Grove Road Mission—From a little girl—1 table jelly and 2 pkts custard powder. Cumberland Rd. G. Hall, 10/-.

19th. Anstey U.C., £5 19 0. Wendover, £10 (covenant). Woodford, 10/-. "I often think about you all, and did so enjoy the Annual Gatherings." 1st Tiptree Boys' Brigade, £2. Sudbury—2 prs. socks, 1 pr. gloves. Bishops Stortford—2 prs. socks. Adelaide, Australia—3 cases sweets. Haverhill Sisterhood, Old Independent Church—4 books, 7 nightgowns, 11 petticoats, 13 vests, 2 vests, 1 dressing-gown, 1 cot cover, 3 frocks, 8 prs. woollen socks, 2 prs. white socks, 3 pixie hoods, 3 scarves, 13 handkerchiefs and 5 prs. mittens

20th. Chelmsford Brotherhood, "Please find enclosed £1 (donation 10/- from Brotherhood and 10/- from Sisterhood) with all their best wishes and prayers for God's blessing upon your work amongst the dear children." West Mersea, £1. Manor Park, £10. Ilford, 10/-. "Find enclosed gift to your great work. He loves us all. Little children He loves much. May God richly bless you all this Christmas time." Ilford, £1. South Woodford, £1. Waltham Abbey, £3. Plaistow, 10/-. Northfleet, 10/-. Woodford Green, "I am enclosing cheque for £3 3 0 for your funds. I have read the 'Links' with much interest and rejoice at your success. Truly the Lord has been faithful to you and yours—your faith has been rewarded." Burnham on Crouch, 10/-. Cranleigh Baptist S.S., "We have today held our Christmas offering and I am glad to be able to send you the enclosed money, £2 12 0 from the children and teachers of our school with the hope that it may help to make Christmas happy for some of your little ones." South Woodford, 10/-. Tollington Park Baptist S.S., £2 2 0. Abbots Langley, 10/-. Brentford Congregational S.S., £2 2 0. Palmers Green, 10/-. Melbourne, Nr. Royston, £1. Rochford, "Thank you for the 'Links.' I was pleased to read the account of your anniversary. I should have liked to have been able to come. Perhaps another year I may be able to and bring a blind friend who is interested in your Work and who has given me 10/- to send to you which I include in the £2 enclosed. With every good wish and prayers for the future of your Work." Otford, Sevenoaks, £2. Woodford Green, "Please accept the enclosed 15/- to help towards the expenses of Christmas. We have had a family so know a little about Christmas expenses. Accept best wishes for Christmas, yourself and all your large family and a very happy New Year." Nelson, 10/-. Woodford Green, £2. Westward Ho Girl Crusaders, £1 10 0. Norwich 2/6d. Y. 5/-.

21st. Battlesbridge, "I think if my mother were here, she would have said send a small gift to the Children's Home at Tiptree." She has now passed on to be with Him. Will you please accept this small gift of 5/- to help with your great Work." Wescliff, 5/10d., "Please accept the small offering enclosed, the first I have had the joy of sending to your valuable work among the children. I trust it will not be the last." Blofield, £1. Colchester, 10/-. Loughton, £3 3 0. Highams Park, 10/- and 10/-. Maldon, £2. Highams Park Methodist Junior Guild—Toys etc. Billericay—Toys.

22nd. Mother of two of our old boys, 10/-. Southampton, £1. Enfield Town, £1 1 0. Tiptree Heath, £1. Stanway, 10/-. Maldon Baptist S.S., £3. Tiptree—£1 large turkey and 2 boxes apples. Whitstable—parcel toys etc. F.G.B., £3 10 6.

23rd. Abridge—1 large turkey. Fulbridge Hall, Maldon—I vest and 1 pullover. Kelvedon—Christmas cake. Wangye Chapel, Chadwell Heath—Doll's garments, etc. Maldon C.C. S.S.—Toys. Tiptree—Christmas tree.

24th. Bognor, £1. Halstead, £1 1 0, "I pray that God will bless your efforts in all that you undertake in His Name." Finchley, £1. Sudbury Assembly S.S., £2. "The Lord's money for the Lord's Work." £1. Upminster Baptist S.S., "I am enclosing a cheque for £3 the amount collected at our Toy Service. It is a real joy to be able to send to you once again, not only the money, but also some books and toys. I trust that these gifts will bring as much joy to the recipients as the givers have had in sending them." Colchester, 10/-. Kenton Free Church S.S., £2 15 0, "We all send our very best wishes for Christmas and pray that our Father's richest blessing may rest upon your labours." Latimer Hall S.S., £1. Salway Hall Young Men's Bible Class, £3. Sidcup, "Enclosed I send you cheque £2 towards your great work of caring for the little ones with the desire that

God would continue to help bless this service. I was thinking to-day how the Lord took the children in His arms and blessed them. How condescending in His great love to the little ones, yet great enough to be a Saviour for all men." Woodford Green, £1. "Praying that God will bless all your labours for Him." Leytonstone, £1. Hawkwell Baptist S.S., "Please accept £1 1 0 from the scholars and teachers of the school. We are pleased to take part in the great Work that you are engaged in, and pray the Lord's blessing on the children and Workers this Christmastide and throughout the year." Frinton, £1 1 0, "I am pleased to read of the wonderful progress in your Annual Report. May God bless you all this Christmastide." Highbury, £1 5 0, "The Lord still supplies your need and I am sure He will continue to do so." Bethlehem Chapel, Richmond, £2 2 0, "May the Lord richly bless and prosper you in the work." Leyton, £1. Brentford, £1. Blackpool, 5/-. Anon., 3/-. doll and book. An old boy, £2. Pitsea, 5/-. Chigwell, £1. Tiptree, £2. Westward Ho. Girls Crusaders—Parcel of books, clothes, etc. Waltham Abbey—Christmas pudding. Avondale S.S.—Toys. Wickford—3 Dolls. Brentwood—Parcel of clothes, etc. Abridge and Waltham Abbey—Toys, etc. Romford—Scripture Union Notes and Magazines for each child for the 12 months 1947. Woodford—Loan of lights for Christmas Tree.

25th. Manor Park, 10/-. Buckhurst Hill, Christmas Cakes.

26th. Knebworth, £1. Forest Road Hall, £5, "The result of our gift service last week. Hoping you all have a most happy Christmas and every need supplied."

27th. Hayes, 10/-. Tolleshunt Knights S.S., 10/-. Tolleshunt Knights, £2.

28th. Haywards Heath, £5. Rayleigh, £1.

30th. An Old Boy, £2 10 0. Waltham Abbey, £1 10 0 in lieu of sugar. Leytonstone—Large rocking-horse.

31st. Narborough, £5 5 0. Chingford, £2 10 0. Olton, £1. P.W., £1. Teddington, £10. Highgate, 10/-. "Best wishes for God's richest blessing on helpers and children in 1947." Paignton, £5. Woodford Wells, 2/6d. An old girl and her husband, 5/-. Romford, £2 2 0 and £2 2 0. Cranleigh Baptist S.S., 4/-. East Sheen, 10/-. Ramsey, £1. Deal, £2.



"Mr. & Mrs. White and some of the Staff."

## JANUARY

1st. W.1, £5 10 0. Chadwell Heath Baptist Church, 12/-. "With our prayers and good wishes for your Work." Hainault Road Baptist Church Carol offering, £2 2 0.

2nd. Epsom Baptist Church—Books, toys and games. Hands-worth, £1. Southgate, £1, "Would you please accept the enclosure for your personal use as we are boxholders for the other aspects of your great Work. Thinking of you this morning I realised that whilst we hear or think of the bright side of all your wonderful activities in the Work to which you have been called there must of necessity be its frustrations or disappointments so often from those for whom we held the highest hopes and there came to my mind a thought once passed on to me by an aged "sister" when I engaged in Sunday School work some years ago. She knew that the school was difficult and pushing a slip of paper into my hand said 'My daughter composed those verses, think them over.' I didn't attach much to them, but how very often the last line has come to me as a word of good cheer and encouragement down the years. Here it is:—

### FRUITION

The Flower was dead  
And though we made no moan  
We sadly turned our head  
From starry petals blown.

We turned our gaze away  
And would not heed,  
Till sudden, round and sweet  
Fell at our feet  
Fruit after many days,  
And in the fruit, a seed.

Yes we have His promises concerning the due season if we faint not." Cranford Baptist Girl's Bible Class, £3. Gt. Totham C.C., £1 1 0.

3rd. Winchmore Hill Baptist Church—Books, toys, games, etc. Broomfield, £5.

4th. Walton on Naze, "With a grateful heart to God our Heavenly Father for all His love and mercy to me I enclose £5 for your children and pray for the blessing of the Lord on all your labours."

6th. Woodford Green, £5. Epsom Baptist Church S.S., 10/-. "Two of our friends each gave 5/- for the purchase of toys and I have pleasure in enclosing same." Southern Cross Mission, £2. Elim Sisterhood, Leigh, £1. Bower Chalke Baptist C., £4, "We pray that God's blessing will rest upon you all and during the coming year much glory may be brought to His Holy Name through your witness." Buntingford, £1, "He is faithful." Woodford Green, £1. Harpenden, £1. Manor Park Baptist Tabernacle, £2. Grove Road Hall, Woodford, £7 5 0, "It gives me great pleasure to send to you once again a rather belated Christmas gift from the children. You have probably heard that we exceeded our target by nearly 50 per cent." Stratford Railway Mission, £4 15 6, "We wish you and yours God's richest blessing for the New Year." Whitton, £1 10 0, "Thank you so much for sending 'Links.' I have read it from cover to cover and enjoyed every word of it. What a wonderful record of God's providing mercies." Woodford Green, £1 1 0. Kelvedon C.C., £2 2 0. Stanway P.P. Women, £3 10 0.

7th. Chigwell—Parcel secondhand clothes. Tiptree—Parcel secondhand clothes. Romford—5 prs. pyjama trousers.

8th. Bournemouth. "You will no doubt be surprised to hear from me after such a long break, but that does not mean I had entirely forgotten about you all. As a matter of fact I often talk with my wife of the great time we had whilst I was stationed at Kelvedon. I trust you and the children all had a good time at Xmas and that they all received some little extra joy during the festive season. Please find enclosed £5 which is the proceeds of carol singing by our Young People's C.E." Falkland Hall S.S., £1.

9th. Stratford, 10/-. Amyand Park S.S., £3 2 0. West Southbourne, 3/-. Leigh Road Baptist C. Xmas Offering, £6 8 6. Honiton, £1 1 0. Camberley, £1, "May you receive many tokens of blessing during 1947 and may great power rest on the messages given to the young people so that many may be led to know Jesus Christ as their own Saviour and Friend." Finsbury Park, £1 10 0. Hastings, 10/-. Watford, £1 1 0. Tiptree, £10. Woodbridge, 10/-.  
10th. Holland, £5.

11th. Leytonstone, 10/6.

14th. Blofield S.S., 10/-. "May the Lord give you all much real joy in your service for Him and may there be many of those dear children in your 'Crown of rejoicing' in 'that day.'" Walthamstow "It is now 2 years since Miss Harvey passed over, so I enclose 10/- note In Memoriam." Pier Avenue Baptist Church, Clacton, £6 10 0. "This money was raised by the members of the Young People's Fellowship who sang carols in the town and hotels and has been divided between three organisations." Wimborne, "I am enclosing £1 of the Lord's money for the Children's Home and pray that He, who has so signally blessed the Work for well nigh half a century, may continue his manifold mercies and make clear His will regarding the taking over of the Home for Girls referred to in your report." Leighton Buzzard, 10/-. Eastney Gospel Mission £2 5 0 (£1 from the S.S.). Kings Lynn, £1, "Accept the sincere thanks of my wife and self for 'Links.' We so much enjoyed reading all the addresses and reports and felt they gave us a spiritual uplift. We thank God for the way He has led and used you and your helpers—He never fails." Tunbridge Wells, £1. Hoddesdon Gospel Hall Girls' Bible Class, £1. Shoeburyness, £2. Romford, 5/-. F., £1.

17th. Leigh, 10/-. Tiptree—1 Coat.

18th. Westcliffe, £10. Colchester, 2/6d.

21st. Maldon, £1. Pinner, 10/-. Bedford Hall S.S. £1 5 0.

22nd. Chingford—2 prs. socks. York, £1.

23rd. Middleton, £4 10 0. Harold Park, £2.

24th. S.W.1, £1 1 0.

25th. Walthamstow—Parcels of secondhand clothes. Woolwich, "Enclosed is my little gift of 5/- with much prayer and thanksgiving for the way God has been pleased to bless and help you and your splendid workers." Southend, 8/-. "As I am now back in this country I am able to continue my half-yearly remittance to the C.H. and M. May our gracious Lord be ever more greatly manifested to you in richest blessing in the days to come."

27th. Stanway, 10/-. Seven Kings, 10/- and £1 10 0.

28th. Leytonstone, £5 7 6.

31st. Broxbourne, £1.

## FEBRUARY

1st. Broxbourne—1 pr. socks.

4th. Ilford, 5/-. Camden Town, "I have much pleasure in enclosing my firm's cheque value £5 and at the same time assure you of the continued interest in your work. As you are already aware, a percentage of the profits are allocated to work of an evangelical nature

and it is with much pleasure that we have this share with you and others in different parts of the world." Chelmsford, 1 gallon Cod Liver Oil.

5th. Anon.—Parcel of 11 scarves made by someone nearly blind. Kenton Evangelical Church, £1 10 0. Tonbridge, £1.

6th. East Rudham—14 Pheasants.

7th. Carshalton, 10/-. "May your needs be met and many of those in your care brought to know the Lord Jesus Christ." Stratford Railway Mission, 15/-. Stock Exchange Christian Association, £2 2 0.

8th. Sydney, Australia—1 Case Golden Syrup.

13th. Maldon Elim Assembly, £5. Lewes, £1. Cecil Hall Y.P.F., 10/-. Anon., £1. Highgate Road Chapel, £12 10 0.

14th. Sudbury—2 prs. socks, 1 pr. gloves.

15th. Waltham Abbey, £3.

17th. Harrow—2 boxes secondhand clothes, 2 boxes hats.

18th. Seven Kings, £12. Manor Park, 10/-. "May He fill your cup with joy running over." Bethany Hall, Highgate S.S., £1 10 0.

19th. Tiptree—1 pr. socks. Rotherham, £1. Lighthouse Mission, £4 10 0.

21st. Harrow, £1.

22nd. Buckhurst Hill, £1 1 0.

24th. Hollingbury Hall S.S., £4.

25th. Sutton, 10/6, "I am thinking much of you all in this severe weather and trust the Lord has supplied your need of coal as wonderfully as He has mine." Colchester, £2, "I am glad to see from the Magazine you kindly sent me that your good work is prospering. May it be blessed more and more."

26th. "Well Wisher," £200. Richmond, Queensland, £5 5 0. Chelmsford, £1.

28th. Harold Park Baptist Church, 5/-. W.F.S., £2.

## MARCH

3rd. Woodford Green, £1.

4th. Anon., £5. Maldon, £1. Teddington, £2 2 0, "I am late in life and have, as I am sure you have, too, much work to carry on. I thank and praise God for His countless mercies and blessings—As thy days, so shall thy strength be."

5th. Witham, £1 0 0.

7th. Croyland Road Women's Meeting, 10/-. Woodford Green, "A thought has just come to me to send you the enclosed £2. Surely the thought came from the 'Giver of all good things.'" S.J.C., £1. Tyldesley, £1. St. Albans, £5.

10th. E.C.2, £20. Chelmsford, £1. South Woodford, £20, "As I have realised one of my Investments I thought I would like to give a portion of it in memory of my father to the good work you are doing for the rising generation." Rivenhall End, 7/6. Chelmsford—Parcel of Secondhand Clothes. Chingford—1 pr. socks.

13th. Beechcroft S.S., Surbiton, £3.

14th. Bishop's Stortford, £250 towards forward move at Tiptree. Maidstone, £2, "I often tell people how very fortunate are your children for they are taught just what to do in times of difficulty and experience in their own lives some of the workings of a mighty Omnipotent God. May He continue to spare you and your helpers and give you His enabling power day by day as you seek to carry out all His will." Maldon, £2 10 0. Royston, £2. New Barking, 5/-. "As I have just received the first instalment of my Health Insurance Pension, I felt I would like to devote it to the Lord's work, so I am sending half of it for your wonderful work amongst the children. May God bless you in your work. With best wishes and constant prayer for you." B.L.H.W., £2. Maldon—4 overalls and 2 pullovers.

17th. Canada, "Enclosed please find cheque for £24 being the amount my father left for the Children's Home." Eastwood, £1, "Praying that God will continue to bless you in your wonderful work for Him." New Barnet, £1 10 0. Minehead, 3/-. Tottenham, Tebworth Rd. Working Party—12 prs. socks. Tollesbury—2 prs. socks.

18th. Broadstairs, £1 1 0, "May the Lord very abundantly bless all your work for Him in your care for the little ones." Woodford Union Church, £2 4 1. Hounslow Baptist Church, £1 16 6. Enfield, £1 1 0. Tollesbury, £1.

19th. Boreham—1 pr. secondhand shoes.  
21st. Letchworth, £10. Lowestoft, 10/-. Shoebury Pound Day, £16 10 0. Shoebury Boot Fund, £4. Sudbury—1 pr. socks.

22nd. Shoebury Pound Day—74 lb. groceries, 4 cwt. vegetables, 31 books and games, 14 prs. shoes and slippers, clothes.

24th. Tiptree—2 prs. socks.  
25th. Whitstable—parcel of books. Mariners Chapel, Rowhedge, £1.

26th. Chelmsford Brotherhood and Sisterhood, £1. Wickham Bishops Hall, £2. Rochford, £1. Southampton, £2. Palmers Green, £2, "My sister and I send you this little joint gift for the children with continued prayer for your great work that God will own it always as His and bring great glory to Himself in the lives of children who will give themselves to Him in your Homes." East Rudham—16 hares.

28th. Bishops Stortford—3 prs. socks.

31st. Tonbridge, £2. Cambridge, £2 2 0. Tolleshunt Knights Women's Institute, £1 1 0. Tiptree, £5, "Having been interested in the welfare of children all my life and then seeing your children walking to Chapel on Sunday mornings, I feel I would like to give a small donation toward the Institution, and I would like to make a few enquiries." Woodford Green, £2.



"Some of our older children attending the Secondary Modern School in Woodford."

## APRIL

1st. St. Albans—parcel of secondhand clothes.

2nd. Muswell Hill United Mission Mothers' Meeting, £3.

3rd. Whipps Cross, £2. Bedford Hall, S.S., £2. Paxton Hall S.S., £2 5 0. Great Waltham, "I have been very burdened for some months past for your splendid work for the dear children. Now I feel the Lord has been speaking very plainly so I enclose £5 trusting it will help in some small corner of your noble work."

5th. Letchworth, £5. Ilford, 5/-. Muswell Hill, £2 12 6.

6th (Easter Sunday). Tiptree Congregational S.S.—6 doz. eggs.

7th. Meesden, £5. Walkern Mission, £4. Frinton, 2/6d.

11th. Doncaster, 2/6d. Maldon, £2 11 3. Gidea Park, £1. Diss Faith Mission, £1. Diss—3 broomheads, box envelopes, games and £5 for personal use.

12th. Beeston, £2 2 0. Sawbridgeworth Gospel Hall, £1. Copy of the "Children's Newspaper" sent each week by a friend.

13th. N.11—length of dress material.

14th. Australia—2 cases of jam.

15th. Maidstone Baptist Church S.S., £5 14 0. Weymouth, £1. Witham Brotherhood, £1. Norwich, 10/-. Barn Chapel, 10/-. Hamilton Road Mission, £1. Tiptree C.C. S.S., £2 4 0. Colchester, £1. Colchester Railway Mission, £1. Westcliff, £10. New Barnet—parcel secondhand clothes.

17th.—Santiago—6 sacks rice, 5 bundles dry peaches, 5 packages raisins and 4 barrels honey.

18th. Kentish Town Mission S.S., £3, "We pray that God's richest blessing may rest upon your work of love, that many boys and girls may seek and find Jesus Christ as their Saviour, Lord and Friend." U.S.A., £25, "Although I have not written you for some time, you and the work you are doing for the Lord have not been forgotten. God bless you and those associated with you in this important work of winning the young for Christ. May you have the joy of seeing all who enter your Homes truly saved."

19th. Bournemouth, £200 (Legacy).

21st. Harrow, £2. Bower Chalke, 10/-. Ringwood, £1 and £5.

22nd. Waltham Abbey, 10/-. Tiptree Mothers' Union, 15/-. Maldon—2 overalls, 3 petticoats, 1 pullover and 1 cardigan.

24th. Dagenham Baptist Church, 10/-

25th. Shoebury S.S., £5. Shoebury, £5.

26th. Woodford Green, £2.

28th. United Mission, Muswell Hill, £5 10 0. Latimer Hall, Primary Dept., 10/-

30th. Waltham Abbey Baptist Church, £1.

**THE CHILDREN'S HOME AND MISSION (SOUTH WOODFORD)**  
**RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS ACCOUNT FOR YEAR ENDED 30th APRIL, 1947.**

RECEIPTS		PAYMENTS	
£	s. d.	£	s. d.
April 30th, 1947.		April 30th, 1947.	
To Donations	1,786 15 9	By Rates, Taxes and Insurance	89 17 0
Subscriptions	291 9 6	Water, Lighting and Heating	296 3 1
Boxholders	163.15 6	Provisions	1,176 0 6
Boot Fund	18 9 7	Telephone, Postage, Printing & Stationery	158 10 3
Legacies	252 9 0	Furniture, Linen, Clothes, Boots, etc.	708 13 5
Government Grant	126 8 9	Incidental Expenses	26 16 4
Payments received on account of Children	1,031 3 6	Workers' Allowances and National Insurance	515 11 2
Deposit Interest		Repairs to Property	1,216 10 0
Amount received for "Forward Move"	350 0 0	Hospital Donations, Fees and Gifts	43 2 5
Tiptree		Travelling and Excursion Expenses	239 14 9
Amount received re "War Damage"	452 5 11	Connalescent & Holiday Home, "The Grove" Tiptree	386 5 7
Amount received for Farm Produce	291 1 4	Expenses of Maintaining the Home	608 0 4
Balances, being Excess of Payments over Receipts during the year	348 10 1	Expenses re Woodford Grounds	51 0 0
	<u>£5,122 8 10</u>		<u>£5,122 8 10</u>

**BALANCE SHEET 30th APRIL, 1947.**

LIABILITIES		ASSETS	
£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Invested Funds—		Freehold Property, South Woodford, Tiptree—	
The Florence Barclay Memorial Hall	2,250 0 0	The Florence Barclay Memorial Hall, Crescent Road	2,250 0 0
The Dr. F. E. Marsh Gift	1,700 0 0	The Dr. F. E. Marsh Gift, 18-24, Crescent Road	1,700 0 0
The Mr. and Mrs. William Stark Gift	1,150 0 0	Stark Gift, 8-10, Crescent Road	1,150 0 0
The Connalescent & Holiday Home, "The Grove," Tiptree	2,544 0 0	"The Grove," Tiptree	1,250 0 0
Anonymous Gift for the purchase of a Bungalow	500 0 0	New Bathroom and Laundry, "The Grove," Tiptree	481 3 3
Accumulated Fund—		The Extra Ground at "The Grove," Tiptree	1,494 0 0
Balance at 1st May, 1946	5,832 9 10	The Bungalow	500 0 0
Deduct Excess of Payments over Receipts for year ended 30th April, 1947	348 10 1	Home Account—	8,825 3 3
	<u>5,483 19 9</u>	Household Furniture and Effects	
		Balance as per last Balance Sheet	500 0 0
		Farm Account—	
		Implements	179 2 2
		Fruit Trees	73 9 4
		Cash at Bank	252 11 6
		Cash in Hand	1 6 7
	<u>£13,627 19 9</u>		<u>£13,627 19 9</u>

We have examined the above Accounts with the books and vouchers relating thereto, and certify the same to be correct.

Dated this 30th day of May, 1947.  
 Barclays Bank Buildings,  
 73, Cheapside, E.C.2.

FRANCIS NICHOLLS WHITE & CO.,  
 Chartered Accountants, Auditors.

## Children's Home and Mission Boxes.

1st May, 1946 to 30th April, 1947.

### Box Secretary's Account.

#### May Opening—

	£	s.	d.	
May 11th, Receipt No. 433 ...	30	0	0	
June 17th, Receipt No. 534 ...	30	0	0	
July 9th, Receipt No. 625 ...	9	13	6	
	£69	13	6	

#### November Opening—

	£	s.	d.	
November 8th, Receipt No. 966 ...	10	0	0	
November 18th, Receipt No. 991 ...	50	0	0	
December 5th, Receipt No. 1031 ...	25	0	0	
December 16th, Receipt No. 1108 ...		5	0	
December 16th, Receipt No. 1118 ...	1	19	6	
January 10th, Receipt No. 1305 ...	14	12	3	
	92	6	9	
	£162	0	3	



"At Tiptree—ready for a game of croquet."

## "Inasmuch,"

(To Mr. White and his helpers.)

How can they live, who know no life  
 Save one of poverty and strife,  
 Who have no parents' care or love,  
 No knowledge of the things above?

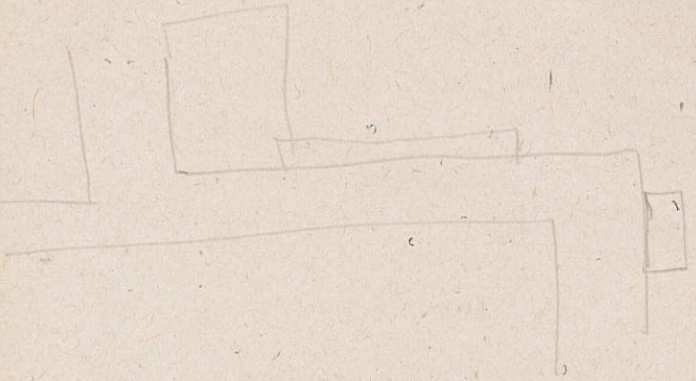
What do they do who bring the joy,  
 The peace, that nothing can destroy,  
 Who help these, others would deride,  
 Children the world has pushed 'aside?

They do it to the One who came  
 On earth, and sought not earthly fame,  
 Who taught that those who would be great  
 Must seek to gain the child-like state.

He loved the children everywhere  
 So we must give them love and care;  
 The man, who is the children's friend  
 He follows Jesus to the end.

We all must give, and work, and pray,  
 And love, and serve, our Saviour's way,  
 For Life needs Love, and Love gives Life,  
 And Love will conquer sin and strife.

(Written by a young girl who visited the Homes.)



Headquarters—Woodford.