

# The Chronicle

## Of All Saints

### Petersham

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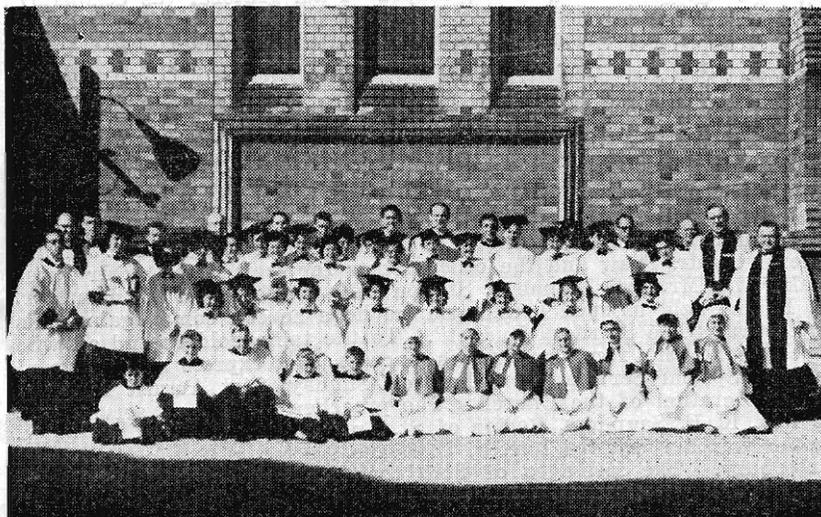
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SEPTEMBER, 1960

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ALL SAINTS' CENTENARY CHOIR

### PARISH INFORMATION

8 a.m.—Holy Communion (every Sunday), 2nd and 4th Sundays at 11 a.m.  
3rd Sunday after Evening Prayer.

Saints' Days as announced.

11 a.m.—Morning Prayer. 7.15 p.m.—Evening Prayer.  
9.45 a.m.—Sunday School. 9.45 a.m.—Kindergarten.

Churchwardens: Messrs L. C. CALVER (Rector's), W. SOPWITH, E. QUELCH.

Parish Council: THE CHURCHWARDENS and Messrs H. G. BRODIE, J. HUMPHREYS, D. B. HUNTER, V. BARRETT, B. PULLEN, H. J. SHAW, K. GRANT, A. COOK, R. WRIGHT, W. R. WILLIAMS, W. H. HALL, K. G. LOCKE.

Hon. Secretary: Mr. L. C. CALVER Hon. Treasurer: Mr. W. SOPWITH

Sidesmen: Messrs R. ATKINSON, B. LIVINGSTONE, J. DITCHBURN, R. MINITER, H. F. JONES, J. M. BOYLE.

Envelope Secretary: Mr. T. BOSWARD—LM 2778.

Organist: Miss KATHLEEN O'NEILL.

### THE RECTOR'S LETTER

My dear Friends,

This has been a very busy and happy month in the Parish. On Wednesday evening, 3rd August, the Archbishop of Sydney kindly came and paid his first visit to St. Margaret's Hostel in Cambridge Street, which is a Church of England Hostel for Girls who are students at the University or Teachers' College. His Grace gave a very interesting talk at Evensong in the chapel. I am grateful (as Chaplain) to the Rev. R. Butters for taking the prayers on that occasion.

An enlarged photo of the late Bishop Hilliard has now been placed in All Saints' Vestry. I am grateful to Mr. Williams for framing the photo.

The Consecration Festival Tea Meeting was held on Tuesday, 16th August. We had a record number of 235 at the Tea. All who came expressed praise for the way the meal was arranged and the excellence of the food. After the Tea, Miss K. O'Neill gave an organ recital and Mr. W. Black played on the carillon. To both these kind friends we say a sincere thank you. The Public Meeting began at 8 p.m. when Mr. John Shaw kindly arranged a short musical programme. I am grateful to Mr. Shaw and the other artists for their items. Our guest speaker was Mr. Eric Baume of Station 2GB—well known commentator. Mr. Baume held us spell bound and we hope he can come again. His subject was "The Spiritual Budget". To the table holders and all who helped make the function such a success, we express our grateful thanks. Special Services were held on Sunday, 21st August to mark the Consecration of the Church. The preacher at 11 a.m. service was the Rev. K. F. Saunders, Rector of St. Luke's, Concord. In the evening the preacher was the Rev. R. E. Evans, Rector of St. James, South Canterbury. The messages of both these men were very much appreciated.

On Sunday, 14th August, our evening service was broadcast over Station 2CH. Many phone messages and letters of appreciation have come in. A tape recording taken in New Zealand by a friend of mine was played to us by Mr. Alan Jones on Sunday, 27th, at the

social hour in the Parish Hall. It was a kind thought of Mr. D. Tibble, of Nelson, to send us the tape.

The concrete and brick work near the Parish Hall continues to progress slowly and soon we hope it will be completed. To those who still turn up and lend a hand we say a sincere thank you.

It is nice to see some of our parishioners who, having been on the sick list, are about again. Jill Pullen is back in the Choir after a bout in hospital. Miss Payne is back in Church. May all who are laid aside soon be restored to health and strength.

We are sorry to record the passing of Mr. Clark, of Croydon Street; Mr. Williamson, of William Street; Mrs. Wilson, of Brighton Street; Mrs. A. Smith, of Middleton Street; and Mr. Mulveney, of William Street. We extend our deepest sympathy to those who mourn their loss.

Yours sincerely,

ERIC CHAMPION

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LADIES' GUILD

Our August Street Stall was again well patronised and we wish to thank sincerely all who give each month and also those who come and buy. Guild members acted as hostesses at four tables at the Parish Festival Tea which was again a very happy and successful function. The address by the guest speaker, Mr. Eric Baume, was thoroughly appreciated by all.

We have arranged for a party to visit the Daffodil Centre at McDowell's on Wednesday, 7th September, at 1.30 p.m. and any ladies who care to join us will be very welcome. A donation of two shillings and sixpence is requested for guild funds. Also, on 29th September we are arranging a party to visit the Western Biscuit factory when the same arrangement will apply.

E. M. BOSWARD, Hon. Secretary

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YOUNG MARRIEDS AND FRIENDS' CLUB

The next meeting of the above club will be held in the Y.C.I. Clubroom of the Parish Hall on Tuesday, 13th September, at 8 p.m. and we should very much like to welcome new members and visitors on this occasion. The Club's next function is the Annual Luncheon to be held in the Parish Hall on Wednesday, 21st September, commencing at 12.30 p.m. The guest speaker is to be Mr. Donald McLean, of the Child Welfare Department, and we should like parishioners to join us on this occasion and make the function a social and financial success.

Once again, we wish to thank all those who are saving clean newspapers for our Club.

I. BARRETT, Hon. Secretary

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PHYSICAL CULTURE CLUB

A Social Afternoon held on 13th August was thoroughly enjoyed by those who attended and helped to augment the Club's funds for the Competitions and Christmas Party. We thank sincerely all those friends who helped and patronised our afternoon.

Our girls are working hard for the Annual Competitions to be held in September and we wish them and Mrs. Way (instructress) every success in their efforts.

F. DITCHBURN, Hon. Secretary

### INDOOR BOWLS CLUB

The Club had its first win in the competition this month when we defeated St. Paul's R.C. Church, Dulwich Hill, 18-17 in an exciting match with the result in doubt until the last bowl. This win was a birthday gift to us as the club celebrated its first year during the same week.

Two more new members joined this month and, though the club continues to grow, we still have room for you. New members are assured of a friendly welcome and we will be happy to teach you the game.

H. J. SHAW, Hon. Secretary

### SUNDAY SCHOOL CONCERT

Scholars are busy preparing for their Concert which takes place on Friday, October 7th, at 7.45 p.m. in the Parish Hall. An interesting and entertaining programme will be given and we hope that parents and parishioners will support the scholars' efforts. The proceeds are in aid of the Annual Picnic.

### SENIOR PARISHIONERS' CLUB

Visit us any Thursday afternoon at 2 p.m. in the Parish Hall—everyone is welcome!

How very gratifying it was to have 38 of our members present at the Parish Tea—a really splendid attendance from one organisation. I should like to thank the ladies for their donations of scones, etc., and for their general co-operation which exceeded all other occasions. Thanks are also due to our Assistant Secretary, Mrs. I. Clark for her invaluable assistance during the past year.

The progress and financial support of this club rests solely on the members themselves and we would welcome new members to make us greater and stronger in numbers and a bigger asset to our Church.

D. SHAW, Hon. Secretary

### FELLOWSHIP

On 12th July, 5 members of the Fellowship spent an evening at the Five Dock Ice Skating Rink and had a very wet, though enjoyable time. At our meeting on 26th July, films from the Netherlands and Japanese Consulates were screened. These included "Introducing the Netherlands," "The Return of Hans Brinkers" and "Aalsmeer" from the Netherlands consulate and "Winter in Japan" from the Japanese Consulate. At other meetings, Mr. Menzies, Secretary of the Home of Peace Hospital in Petersham, addressed the Fellowship on the work being done by the hospital, on 9th August a Spit and Polish Night was

held to clean the Parish Hall and on 30th August we had a Games' Night.

The Fellowship Dance held on Saturday, 13th August, was very enjoyable and also a financial success. A Barbecue Dance was organised for 23rd August.

Any teenager of Confirmation age and over is welcome at our meetings or Fellowship Teas. Meetings are held on 2nd, 4th and 5th Tuesdays of the month and Fellowship Tea on the 4th Sunday of each month in the Parish Hall.

JOY FERGUSON, Hon. Secretary

### BASKETBALL CLUB

On Friday, 23rd September, at 8 p.m. in the Parish Hall we are joining the Junior Baseball Club to hold our Annual Presentation. A programme of films has been arranged and during the course of the evening supper will be served. Donation is two shillings and we hope to see as many people as possible on the night.

M. McPHERSON, Hon. Secretary

### FLOWER ROSTER

- Sept. 4th—Donated by the family of the late Mrs. E. Jones. Arranged by Mrs. Malone.  
 „ 11th—Donated by Mrs. Angas in memory of Mrs. C. J. Sharp. Arranged by Mrs. Colbert and Mrs. Bellamy.  
 „ 18th—Donated by Mrs. Bryce in memory of her mother. Arranged by Mrs. Inglesby-Brown.  
 „ 25th—Donated and arranged by Mrs. Quelch in memory of her parents.  
 Oct. 2nd—Donated and arranged by Mrs. Pullen.

From time to time, people who supply their own flowers forget that we have a standing order with the Daphne Florist for £1 each week and, unless the florist is notified, the order comes each Saturday, and the Guild is left to pay. Would you please let Mrs. Bosward, the Rectory or the florist know when you are not going to need their flowers, otherwise you may be asked to pay the £1.

We should like to thank the following people for gifts of flowers or money for flowers for the Consecration Festival Service on 21st August: Mrs. Cook, Misses Street, Mr. and Mrs. Meatyard, Miss Fry, Mrs. Fogwell, Mrs. Inglesby-Brown, Mrs. and Misses Nisbit. On 14th August the flowers were given by Mr. and Mrs. Meatyard in memory of Mr. Meatyard's parents and brother.

### C.M.S. ANNUAL MEETING AND DAY OF THANKSGIVING

will be held on

**MONDAY, 25th SEPTEMBER, 1960**

6-7 p.m.—C.M.S. House: A hot meal or light tea, at nominal charge.

7.45 p.m.—Chapter House: Annual Meeting—to be chaired by His Grace, The Archbishop of Sydney

Chief Speaker—Rev. G. M. FLETCHER

Special Thanksgiving Day Offering from Parishes will be Dedicated.

## Y.C.I.

We had an Open Debate at the Meeting held on 5th August. There was a good attendance of members and we derived much interest, as well as amusement, from the speeches. The system of Open Debates which the Y.C.I. employs provides for a Premier and a Leader of the Opposition. With the exception of the Speaker of the House, all other members are entitled to participate in the Debate. In this Particular Debate, Mr. Alan Jones was the Premier and Mr. Fred Evans the Leader of the Opposition. Vice-President, W. H. Hall was elected Speaker. The Premier affirmed "that modern household aids and comforts are making people lazy and less resourceful." At the close of the Debate a Division was taken and the Premier was successful. At our other August meeting, on Friday, 19th, we had our Annual President's Night when our President, the Rector, discussed the life and work of Toyohiko Kagawa who did so much for the spiritual and social welfare of the people of Japan. It was a most interesting address and was greatly appreciated by the large number of members and visitors who were present.

Our next meeting will be held on Friday, 2nd September and will be "Tall Story Night"—an unusual type of meeting to which we are looking forward. Some novel ideas are being tried out at the "Ladies' Night" which we are having on Friday, 16th September. This night is one of the highlights of the Institute's year when the men of the Church invite all ladies of the Parish to join them for a social evening together. We have had some particularly enjoyable nights in the past years and we cordially invite all ladies, whether members of Parish organisations or not, to come to the Clubroom on Friday, 16th inst. at 8 p.m.

The Y.C.I. extends its heartfelt sympathy to Mr. Geoff. Horton on the death of his mother and to Mr. Ben. Pullen on the death of his brother.

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 WHITE ELEPHANT STALL
 

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The Y.C.I. will, as usual, conduct the White Elephant Stall at the forthcoming Parish Fete and we would be grateful to receive any goods that are of no further use to you for this stall.

Goods such as crockery, china, glass ware, tools, kitchenware, etc., are desired also clocks and watches which our good friend, Mr. Arthur Cook, will put in running order.

We will gladly arrange to pick up goods for the stall if you would inform the Rector or any member of the Y.C.I.

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 "BRAESIDE" FETE
 

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The Annual Fete of the "Braeside" Hospital, Cambridge Street, Stanmore, will be held on Saturday, 24th September at 2 p.m. It will be officially opened at 3 p.m. by Mrs. H. R. Gough, wife of the Archbishop of Sydney. Please remember the date and give this Fete your support.

### Y.C.I. "JUBILEE SHOW"

This year's Y.C.I. Concert, "The Jubilee Show" will be held in the Parish Hall on Friday, October 21st at 8 p.m. This title springs from the fact that the Institute celebrates its 50th Jubilee in November of this year. A first class programme will be presented so a good night's entertainment is assured.

Tickets are 3/- Adults and Children 1/6. Any Y.C.I. member will gladly supply the tickets.

### LEADING THE WAY

Recently it was announced that the first Papuan born bishop has been appointed in the Anglican Church. He is the Réverend George Ambo who will become Assistant to the Bishop of New Guinea. This is one of the first important positions to be occupied by a native in New Guinea but the 37 years old, mission educated George Ambo is an outstanding Christian and has served as a mission teacher and priest and also did magnificent work during the disastrous Mt. Lamington eruptions.

### THE CENTENARY CLUB

This Club meets every 1st, 3rd and 5th Monday of the month at 7.45 p.m. in the Y.C.I. Room, Parish Hall. Any person over 18 years of age, wishing to join is warmly welcome.

A very enjoyable evening was spent at Joy Oloffson's on Saturday, 20th August, thank you Joy.

The Parish Tea was thoroughly enjoyed by all members. The guest speaker, Mr. Eric Baume, received great admiration from all. Mr. Baume's autograph was sought for quite a few of our members.

YoYu are once again reminded about our Tennis Night every Thursday at Jackson's Courts, Stanmore Road, Petersham. We commence at 7.45. New players welcome.

BARBARA HODGSON, Hon. Secretary

### BASEBALL

A.S.P. Juniors have concluded a very successful season, being undefeated in all fourteen games. They won the Premiership, and narrowly missed in the handicap competition, in which they had to concede big starts to all other teams.

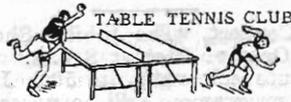
Most pleasing features of the season were the conduct of the team on the field, its good attendance record and the splendid team spirit.

I am happy to announce that the shield for the most sporting team was also won by our boys. This is quite remarkable for a team that wins all its matches. All Saints' should be proud of them.

Presentation Night will be held in conjunction with the Basketball Club on Friday, 23rd September. It will be a picture night, and parents and friends are invited to attend.

Many thanks to those who helped us in so many ways throughout the season.

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### TABLE TENNIS

Congratulations to all members who took part in the recent Winter Competition, conducted by the N.S.W.T.T.A.; all gave of their best and some very good games were witnessed.

"D" Grade. No. 1 Team, B. Livingston, E. Redmond, C. Wellington and T. Thompson. This team reached the semi-final with a score of 14 points and secured fourth place. However in the play-off they were defeated by Gordon and Gotch.

No. 2 Team: P. Whalan, N. Moore, J. Yard, and G. Ongly secured second place with 20 points having defeated Arncliffe and W.M.C.A., thus qualifying for the semi-final. In the final play-off they were defeated by Gordon and Gotch.

Bruce Livingston came up from Port Kembla to play with his team in the semi-final. We appreciated his action very much.

In summing up our "D" Grade Teams made the grade in reaching the semi-finals with the result No. 1 Team was eliminated and our No. 2 Team came second. A very good effort for their first competition in "D" Grade. Let me say again, thanks to all and best wishes for the Summer Competition.

"E" Grade. No. 1 Team: A. Humphreys, E. Faram, H. Ellis had a bad run and they hope to do better in the future.

No. 2 Team: D. Waterfield, K. Lipscombe, P. Keen and G. Davies had their share of luck and tied for fourth place in their division but in the play-off against Arncliffe Y.M.C.A. lost 6-5.

On Thursday, 22nd September, we are having a Competition Night against the Public Service Club, admission 1/- for non-players. Proceeds will be divided between the two clubs.

Please come along and help us and have an enjoyable night. Hand in entries on night of competition. Admission 2/6 Adults, 1/- school boys. Don't forget 6 p.m. September 22nd.

We offer our sincere thanks to Mrs. Williamson for donating to the club a very handsome billiard table for the use of members. We urge all members to be regular and make the most of the time allotted to us every Thursday night.

R. MOORE

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