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SUMMER HOLIDAYS.

I wish I were a civil servant now that summer's here. I then could talk in weeks, not days, when holidays are near. I've several friends who take a month and yet have days to come, I sometimes think to count work days would be an easier sum. One good old friend is just back after three weeks by the sea. To carry on till August when he takes the other three. I trust a nervous breakdown or a chill won't intervene, If such a thing did come about a few days sick 'twould mean. The country then would get behind in some affair of state. In fact our income papers would be issued somewhat late. Which would be most annoying to a man who can't afford To take a holiday at all; but there that's by the board. I hope to have a few days with my family by the sea, But am not quite decided as to which place it shall be. I have written for particulars and guide books by the score. And studied railway handbooks until my eyes feel sore. Each place is best and cheapest, which seems to me absurd. The East coast and the West coast are each to be preferred. Each boarding-house is perfect, in fact it's home from home. And all are built close to the sea with views across the foam. It's really quite bewildering to read of nothing wrong With cooking, terms, and comfort; the air is also strong. But my experience teaches that some reports mislead, And from the moment you leave home from trouble you're ne'er free'd. The cabman has forgotten the order that you placed, With trunks and spades and buckets, and a two-mile walk you're faced. You reach the railway station, the train has just steamed out. Then Emily pinches Willie and he begins to shout. You get into the next train but find it does not stop At the place you wish to go to, so out you have to hop. You reach your destination, dead tired, at eight o'clock, And ask for "Princess Terrace" and get an awful shock. You find they're tiny houses, behind a fried fish shop, And hesitate to enter as on the step you stop. A quaint old lady greets you, says "Make yourself at home," You turn and ask the missus if she has brought a comb. You ask how far the sea is, the lady swells with pride, And says by tramcar 60 it's half-an-hour's ride, You stick it for a fortnight amidst the smell and grime, And kid yourself and neighbours you've had a lovely time. ATOMS.

ROSE SHOW.

This Show, held in the Institute, on Saturday, June 23rd, transformed the hall into a mass of colour. The roses were exceptionally good. One of the judges remarked that the exhibits would have taken prizes in the largest shows, but flowers and sweet peas were above the usual standard, and the ladies' table decorations were the best in the history of the B.H.S.

Much interest was taken in the exhibits of the woodwork class, various articles being critically examined. The display of tools, etc., by Mr. Arthur Scott, of Haven Green, and the exhibit of the Society's Rose Growers, Messrs. J. Reed & Sons, of Loughton, attracted much attention.

Something new and of great interest was the salad making by Mrs. England, an Ealing resident. An appreciative audience surrounded her throughout the whole time. The Guessing Competition (the number of petals in four roses) proved an unexpected success. 109 entrants gave guesses of from 70 to 750. Four gave the exact number and equal prizes were awarded.

Not far short of 1,000 persons passed through the hall.

LIST OF PRIZE WINNERS.

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Class 1.	Roses—Nine Blooms	1st, G. Cooper; 2nd, J. F. Hawtin; 3rd, P. J. McCarthy. Highly Commended—J. W. Small.
Class 2.	Roses—Six Blooms	1st, R.A.Back; 2nd, P.J.McCarthy 3rd, G. Cooper. Highly Commended—J.F.Hawtin
Class 3.	ROSES—THREE BLOOMS	1st, R. A. Back; 2nd, J. Coburn; 3rd, L. E. Cowley. Highly Commended—P.J. McCarth
	BEST ROSE IN SHOW	R. A. Back.
Class 4.	RAMBLERS—THREE SPRAYS	1st, L. E. Cowley; 2nd, J. Watts; 3rd, C. F. Huard.
Class 5.	SWEET PEAS	1st, J. W. Walsom; 2nd, J. Coburn; 3rd, J. W. Small.
Class 6.	CUT FLOWERS	1st, P. J. McCarthy; 2nd, T. F. Nicholson; 3rd, R. A. Back.
Class 7.	VIOLAS	1st, P.J.McCarthy; 2nd, J. Phillips; 3rd, G. Cooper.
Class 8.	TABLE DECORATIONS (Ladies)	1st, Mrs. J. W. Walsom; 2nd, Mrs. J.W.Small; 3rd, Mrs. J. Coburn Highly Commended—Mrs. Oliver.
Class 9.	Rhubarb	1st, J. Hearn; 2nd, B. Curle; 3rd, J. F. Hawtin.
Class 10.	FRUIT	1st, W. R. Sutton; 2nd, R. G. Barber; 3rd, F. W. Green.
	GUESSING COMPETITION	K. Wright (Saucepan); P. Bray (Flower Vase); D. Armfield (Kettle); E. Suckling (Flower Vase).

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OUT AND ABOUT.

EXT YEAR the Brentham Garden Suburb, or, should we not say Ealing Tenants' Estate, celebrates its coming of age. Now what should we like for a twenty-first birthday present? Any suggestions, which will be treated as confidential, may be sent to The Brenthamite. Really, Brentham should treat itself to something—if nobody elsewhere will do the treating!

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The Handbook (Summer Season, 1922), Brentham Club and Institute, Ltd., has reached us at last, and congratulations and thanks are due to all who have been concerned in its compilation. Undoubtedly members will find it useful, as the "Foreword" hopes. As the book is of convenient size its usefulness will be best attained by members keeping it close to hand in sports jacket pocket for reference. Unfortunately, the distribution of the Handbook does not allow of every member receiving a copy. The delivery of a copy to each house should have been supplemented by the presentation of extra copies at houses in which members of the household other than the nominal heads are members of the Institute or Sections.

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The Extracts from the Byelaws are necessarily restricted, and deal solely with Visitors. Bye-law 7 (sections b, c, d and e) defines exactly the conditions under which visitors are accepted, except that the position of weekly and monthly visitors regarding Sunday use of the grounds is somewhat uncertain. The bye-law should prevent any misapprehension that may arise from a loose interpretation of the Dance Section's announcement (page 27): "Non-residents . . . can gain admission by the purchase of a visitor's ticket in addition to the fixed charge."

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The Grounds Improvement Scheme as submitted to an open meeting of residents found not a single critic; the whole of the discussion was of the more or less helpful "one-eyed" variety.

Probably the Committee and others on the platform had passed through the "one-eyed" stage and regarded that it was a thing of the past. The semi-official sectional recommendations made at the meeting were evidence of a link missing in the chain of development. The Sections' Committees should be in sufficiently close touch with the Central Committee to make their suggestions otherwise than at general meeting. If they are not, the Social Committee is meeting too infrequently.

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The extension of the bar inside the walls has proved impossible, and so the Ice Cream Department has been forced outside. As a result Brentham has developed a taste in ice cream. The new policy of providing what is wanted has advantages over the old "Take-it-or-leave-it" ideal, but it has its perils also. Who knows that Brentham has not other dormant seasonal tastes, and that baked potatoes, cockles, and fried chips might not be found to all a long-felt and hitherto unappeased appetite!

CHILDREN'S SPORTS DAY, JULY 8th, 1922.

GRAND ALFRESCO CONCERT, including Two One Act Plays by The Brentham Players, will be given on above date in aid of King Edward's Memorial Hospital, Raling.

The Concert will be held on Brentham Cricket Ground (weather permitting), at 8-30 p.m. If wet it will be held in the Large Hall in the Institute.

A Collection will be made for the Hospital Fund. Come and and secure the best seats.

T. V. WHIELDON,

Hon. Secretary (Concerts).

BRENTHAM CLUB AND INSTITUTE.

HE CENTRAL COMMITTEE is satisfied from the tone of the recent Meeting that members generally approve the scheme of improvements; and there has been a satisfactory response financially up to the time of writing. There is a tendency to invest amounts of £5 upwards, and though these sums are very welcome we would remind members that loans may be quite small, and would be evidence of more general interest. Further contributions from those who have already subscribed, or instalments would be gladly recieved. It should be emphasised that the scheme is intended to cover every real need of every Section, and should accordingly make a wide appeal. Those who attended the meeting can have no doubt about the anxiety of the Committee to satisfy everybody as far as possible, without favouring any particular Section or interest; neither can there be any question with regard to the generous action of Ealing Tenants, Ltd.

It is however well to remind members that Mr. Hutchings stated at the meeting that if the scheme does not realise what we reasonably expect, and the members do not adequately respond, we

shall have to be content with the grounds as they are.

The letters addressed by the Committee to non-members of the Institute have produced some interesting replies, and we have been pleased to welcome some new members. We should like to be favoured with replies from all who received letters.

The summer series of Saturday evening dances are sufficiently popular to justify their continuance for the present, but the Dance Committee are not quite satisfied with the attendance, and it is up to members to back up the Dance Committee.

There is a remarkably good attendance at the Whist and Bridge Drives for the time of the year, and we shall no doubt see a revival

of the big Whist Drive next winter season.

The Committee's thanks to Mr. T. F. Nicholson, Hon. Secretary of the Social Committee, and to Mr. R. G. Barber and Mr. F. J. Milner, for the time and attention they have devoted to the Handbook now in the hand of the residents.

Mr. J. C. Roberts, Hon. Secretary of the Children's Committee, is working hard to ensure a successful Children's Sports Day on the Contributions to the prize fund will be thankfully recieved by him or by the writer from anyone so disposed.

We bring the Cup back from Hampstead on the 15th, and if you wish to accompany our boys, please place your name on the list The fare by char-a-banc represents the lowest in the Institute.

tender we have been able to obtain.

J. G. TAYLOR, Secretary.

BRENTHAM CLUB AND INSTITUTE.

SOCIAL COMMITTEE.

PARTICULAR attraction is drawn to the scheme for improving the Grounds etc., which has the full approval and support of the Social Committee.

In the prospectus sent to each resident, the scheme for the rebuilding of the Children's Corner was omitted, but the Central Committee has pledged itself to include this amongst the first five items which are deemed to be of most importance. Quite apart from the manner in which the money is to be spent, the scheme should attract many as a safe investment.

The Social Committee meets in the Senior Library on Monday, 10th July, at 8 p.m.

The Children's Sports, with which will be incorporated a few events for seniors, are to take place on July 8th, at 2 o'clock, and at 8-30 on the same evening an Outdoor Concert, arranged by the Dramatic and Concerts Sections in aid of the Hospital's Appeal Fund, will take place.

T. F. NICHOLSON,

Hon. Sec., Social Committee.

DEFINITIONS OF SECTIONS,

AND UNWRITTEN LAWS THEREOF.

IV. TENNIS.

This, as the name implies, is the section wherein the game of tennis is played; this is a game that can be indulged in by ladies or gentlemen, or both, but is not as easy as it looks. It is not absolutely necessary to wear flannel trousers or knitted jumpers to become an efficient player, but rubber soled shoes are essential. Endearing terms are often used when calling the score, but that does not always mean the opponents are the best of friends. If a married man cannot get in a gent.'s double it is usual for him to ask his wife if she would care to make one in a mixed double ("Or, do you feel too tired, darling"). Should it be discovered that your name is booked on more than one court at the same time do not apologise and say it is a mistake, rather admit that you are "rumbled." Should you be playing in a set, and a ball is lost, do not trouble to look for it, unless it is one of your own, but remark that no doubt it will turn up. Should you knock a ball into somebody's back garden, it is wise to ascertain whose garden it is before proceeding to recover it. It is stated that the life of a tennis ball is three weeks and not three years. (Where do they go in the winter time?) Members are requested not to remove any initial or private mark from a ball without the Committee's permission. anyone see you find a ball you are requested to report the finding of the same. Any lady who says a lady is not a lady will be immediately expelled. If you are not selected to play in matches, say you do not wish to be. If your dog must be on the courts make sure that he does not go on yours.

ON DIT:

That the new swing-ropes allow a bit for stretching.

That our "Additional Hall" will be THE Hall when we get it.

That the Committee will have no difficulty in finding the proper "figure" for the front door on Cinema nights.

That "Pyramus and Thisbe" is no new thing in Brentham.

That the chink in the wall is a well-known Brentham "prop."

That the boys can play Cricket after all.

That the "pictures" in the Handbook do indeed flatter us.

That some "hard-court" Hockey and Football may be witnessed next September.

That it is "Pinchers" Field again.

That several children did not miss much at the salad-making demonstration.

That the numbering of the courts is somewhat perplexing.

ANON.

SECTION NOTES.

Golf Club.

The ladies prize in our monthly stroke competition for May was won by Mrs. Boxall, and the gent's prize by Mr. Roach. Although a good number of cards was put in during the month, the Committee would like to see at least one card from each member each month. The cards can be obtained from any member of the Committee at a nominal charge of two pence each.

The Competition, which was held on Whit-Monday, was a decided success, and some very close scoring ruled; fifty-two cards were returned during the day, and the final count revealed the fact that Mrs. Boxall had been successful in returning the best card of the ladies, and Messrs. Bray and Turner had tied for first place of the gents. This necessitated a replay between these two members on a subsequent evening, which resulted in the honours going to Mr. Turner.

It has been decided to hold a married couples competition, which should bring husband and wife together at least once during the season -[Stop it !-ED.].-We hope that all eligible members will take advantage of this event and make it a success; the more the competitors the better will be the prize. The date for this event will be posted on the notice board.

We are glad to record that our membership is still increasing, but our Emit has not yet been reached.

A. J. T.

Sports Section.

It is hoped that all friends who intend to accompany the Thornton Cup team to Hampstead, on the 15th, will give in their names to Mr. E. J. Ephgrave at the earliest possible moment, as it is important that the Committee should know approximately the number.

Arrangements have been made with the L.G.O.C. for the supply of

Motor Buses, and the return inclusive fare will be 3/6.

The Buses will leave the Institute at 2-30 p.m. sharp and it is hoped hat a large number will avail themselves of this opportunity to join the boys" who are endeavouring to bring the Trophies back to Brentham.

A list has been placed in the lobby of the Institute for the names of bose intending to go and the fare should be handed either to the Secretary of the Institute or Mr. J. C. Roberts, Hon. Sports Secretary, in advance.

The attendance of the members for training is improving but we are sill in need of another walker. Two only are in training and the absence a third starter will seriously diminish our chances of gaining the necessary points.

Hearty congratulations to Mr. Cyril Royce on his fine running in the Eachley Championships on the 22nd ulto. which he followed up on Saturday by winning a silver cup in the Open Relay Race at the Ravensbourne Sports at Lee, with 22 teams competing.

Bowling Club.

To the date of writing these notes we have played 4 Shield matches, of which we have had one win. It is not a big achievement but we live in hopes, etc. On the 17th, we visited Hampstead Garden Suburb

and, after a good game, won by 59 to 57.

The matches for July are as follows: July 1st, Aeolian, at home; 3rd. Ealing (shield), away; 8th, Hampstead Garden Suburb, home; 10th, Ealing Dean (shield), home; 13th, Pitshanger Park (shield), away; 22nd, Ealing Esservative (shield), home; 24th, Ealing (shield), home; 29th, Brentford works, away.

Will the members please endeavour to play off the first round of the

exempetitions during the first week in July.

Children's Section.

It is very gratifying to be able to report that a splendid response has been made by the members of this section to the invitation to compete at

the forthcoming sports.

The Committee have been fortunate to secure the co-operation of many of our friends in the endeavour to carry out a somewhat varied programme, and given a fine day it is hoped that the 8th inst. will be a record day with the Brentham Juniors.

JUNIOR CRICKET RESULTS (Hon. Sec., Mr. N. Hender):

Brentham 69. A.A. C.C. ... 69 June 3. " 114. Valetta C.C. ,, 17. 80. St. Thomas' Choir 54 1, 24.

,, 21. Evening match. Pitshanger Won by 20 runs.

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The Committee hope that Members will take an early opportunity of applying for this money as any balance undistributed has to be returned to the U.S.F.

Tennis Club.

Knockout Competition for mixed doubles, to be held for the benefit of the London Hospitals' United Fund, on July 8th, at 3 p.m.

All rounds except final to be decided by short sets. Final to be decided by the best of 3 sets (2 short and 1 long if necessary). Entries will be accepted up to Friday, July 7th, and names should be entered on the sheet in the Institute.

Entrance Fee will be 1/- and two prizes will be awarded to the winners of the final. Ladies' and gentlemen's names will be put in separate bags and after mixing up one slip will be drawn from each bag. The members so drawn will be partners for the Competition.

The first four names drawn will play on Court 1, and so on.

RESULTS OF MATCHES.

June 3rd.	Opponents. W.E.S.A.C	1st Team. Won, 10 events to 9,	2nd Team. Won, 11 events to 7
", 10th.	Boro' Road College	Won, 6 events to 3.	Won, 6 events to 3.
,, 17th.	United Services (Pits	Lost, 10 events to 2. shanger Lane)	Won, to events to 2
21th.	Boro' Road College	Abandoned through	ain

"EVENING NEWS" COMPETITION.

Mr. F. Hender lost in the 4th round, 1-6, 9-11.

Tennis Members are urged to support the new scheme promoted by the C.C. for improvement of the Grounds, Full particulars have been circularized to all residents.

Congratulations to Miss Betty MacMorran on her excellent pianoforte playing at St. George's Hall, on Tuesday, 27th June. The applause she received after each item spoke volumes of appreciation.

Cricket Club.

June has brought a welcome series of victories for the 1st Team.

At Southall, on the 3rd, against Brentford Gas Works, a grand game gave us a win by the narrow margin of 3 runs. Fred Green with 64 runs, P. Roe with some good bowling, and all the team fielding like demons brought this first victory.

At Palmers Green on Whit Monday, in spite of Harry Clegg's grand effort of 115, we lost a very good game. This was H. Clegg's first century for Brentham. Pile up some more Harry? Other century makers for Brentham have been G. Royce (twice) and McCormick. We have yet to see a century scored at home on a Saturday afternoon. To whom the honour?

Paddington Conservative did not dismiss us at home for 20. We piled up instead nearly 200 and then got them out on the stroke of time for 115. A sweet revenge! Captain Clegg made 45, P. Roe 30.

Western Athletic came short on the 17th and proved no match for our men. They were the weakest team we've seen on the Rec. for many a day, and Green, Roe, Royce, Beardon and Cane (54) all trounced the weary bowling.

On the 24th, at Barnes, a real battle took place. We piled up 151, (Harry Clegg 38). Then Barnes made a great struggle for the runs, but judicious bowling changes by Green, our captain, and keen fielding, and a grand catch by F. Watts at the critical moment left us victors by 10 runs.

For the 2nd Team June has brought the first defeat.

We easily beat Australia House on the 3rd, Hill bowling 6 for 20 runs. Score 94 to 34. Westminster Ramblers gave us the first licking on Whit Monday, scoring 132 and 81, to our 53 and 88.

G.W.R. turned out strong including several of their 1st team players. We made a splendid start with 90 for 4 wickets, then a collapse set in and 115 was our total. But G.W.R. had to fight hard for them till the 8th wicket.

Young, Carr, C. Roe, Castledine and Goodridge all did well.

Barnes 2nd are a good side and it was a good performance on the 24th to get rid of them on an easy wicket for 149. We made 71 for 3, a good reply, E. Huggett did the hat trick and took 5 for 46. Stracey kept wicket well.

RESULTS — 1st Team: Won 4, Lost 3, Drawn 1.
2nd Team: Won 4, Lost 2, Drawn 2.

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HANDBOOK.

We are asked to draw attention to an error in the advertisement of The Brentham Cycle Works, on page 42. The address should read "Rear of 78, Pitshanger Lane," not 47 as announced. Intending customers please note.