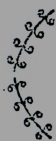
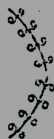


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Dear Friends,

Please excuse our Notes coming to you in this very meagre form, but nearly all our money for printing will have to go in the literature such as that which goes with this. I am sure that you will be interested to read of our new venture. It is the biggest thing we have yet undertaken, but we feel sure that we are right in taking this step, and, with you good people behind us, we are very hopeful as to its success. We do not want any of you to feel that you are in any way bound to help us financially, but we do ask for your sympathy and interest. We ask, too, that you should talk to your friends about the scheme, and pass on the literature to others. In making our plans, we have been much helped by an advisory committee of professional and business men who have undertaken to help us launch the scheme.

You will be glad to know that all continues to go well with our work. We are very grateful for the way in which so many of our friends rallied round us for our two big events in November—

the opening of the House of S. Francis (No. 2), and the opening of the S. Mary's Fair. Both were very successful, and did much to help us consolidate our position. We are very proud of the new House of S. Francis. We should be glad to show you over the house at any time. What used to be the filthiest back yard imaginable is now a garden bright with flowers. I like to think that the bright garden is symbolic of the brighter lives of the men who tend it. The men recently showed their appreciation of what is being done for them by presenting Bro. Lawrence with some handkerchiefs and a tobacco pouch. This from men whose money for clothes, smokes and the like is 1/- a week!

In our last Notes we told of our problem in regard to accommodation for the members of the Brotherhood. This has been temporarily solved by our doing up of a derelict cottage adjoining the Mission. I have taken up my abode in these now comfortable quarters. We are able to put up seven at the Mission, eleven at Keble House, and four at the House of S. Francis. We expect to be quite full when Keble House re-opens next month after the Christmas vacation.

We had definite plans for the securing of a property nearby which would have housed us all, but we have given up the idea for the present in favour of the settlement scheme. We feel that if we continue to do all we can for our unemployed men, our own needs will be supplied in due course.

There is much more that I should like to tell you, but space does not allow. We are all well and happy, and finding life a most interesting experience.

With all good wishes to you all from us all,

I am, yours very sincerely,

G. KENNEDY TUCKER,

Superior, B.S.L.

INTERCESSIONS.

1. For the Brotherhood Settlement scheme, that it may be the means of making many now unemployed self-supporting.
2. For the Brother in charge at Keble House, that the students may support him in his plans for the welfare of the House. (The Superior is no longer living at Keble House).
3. For Fr. Ford and those associated with him in forming a Brotherhood at Rockhampton. (Fr. Ford has left the B.S.L. after two years' faithful service).
4. For the B.S.L. Auxiliaries (men, women, social workers and young people).
5. That the conscience of all in employment may be roused in regard to the unhappy lot of the unemployed.

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FOR SOCIAL WORK.

Mrs. A. J. Day, clothes; Mrs. Head, cakes, etc.; Mrs. Tucker, clothes; Mr. C. Evans, table, etc.; Mrs. Holton, clothes; Miss Richardson, stores; Miss Gow, socks and underwear; per Mrs. Cuthbert, clothes; Mrs. McIvor, books, etc.; Miss de Little, clothes; Mrs. Wettenhall, bed, tools; Mrs. Phillips, clothes; Mrs. Stafford, beds; Mrs. Morrison, stretchers, etc.; Mrs. Talbot, eggs; Mrs. Sebire, lemons; Mr. H. Jarman, goods for Fair; Mrs. Nickson, books; Mrs. Harrison, pillows; Mrs. Knapp, clothes; per Mrs. Cuthbert, clothes; Miss Fulford, clothes; Miss Pinniger, beds; Miss Richardson, stores, etc.; Miss Meredith, clothes; Miss Richardson, stores; Mrs. Geoffrey, furniture, etc.; Mrs. Dean, clothes; Miss Richardson, rugs, etc.; Mrs. Green, chair; Mrs. Kerdel, cups and saucers; Mrs. Mackintosh, £1/1/-, smokes, etc.; Mrs. Snodgrass, £17; Miss Sprigg, £2; per Miss Brocklebank, £1/15/-, and pudding; Trustees Executors & Agency Co. Dramatic Society, £15; per Mrs. Cuthbert, £1/15/-; per Mrs. Morby, 15/-; Miss Collison; Mrs. McNaughton, Mrs. Wettenhall, Mrs. Dean, 5/- each; Miss Lewen, £1; Mrs. F. W. Morton, £3/3/-; Misses Blake, Christmas gifts; Miss Le Gould, clothes; Toc H. toys; Mrs. Goodison, papers; Mr. W. Clothier, 10/-; Mr. Yonge, fruit; Miss Pearce, mattresses; Miss Davis, blankets, etc.; Mrs. R. P. Francis, £1/1/-; per Miss Calvert, £1/4/-; Mr. R. M. Newton, £2/2/-; per Mr. Wilkinson, £2/10/-; Miss

Lamb £25; "Mayfield," £25; Mr. and Mrs. Wiedenmann and son, £1; Miss M. Harris, 5/-; Mr. H. M. Neville, £10; per Mrs. Sewton, £16/10/-; Mr. E. C. Rigby, £1/1/-; "Friend," 7/6; per Mrs. E. R. Cullen, £1/5/-; Mr. G. E. Yonge, £10; Miss P. E. Bates, £3/3/-; Mr. L. C. Mook, £2/2/-; Mr. W. J. Wearne, £5/5/-; Captain and Mrs. Marcelot, £5; Alba Petroleum Co., £5; Mrs. Penny, £1; Mrs. Hartack, 15/-; Miss Alfrey, 10/-; Mr. H. A. Gregory, £2; Mrs. Chapple, £1; Miss Z. de Little, £2; NYZ, 10/-; Mrs. Gebaud, 10/-; Miss White, £2; Anonymous, £10; Mrs. A. K. Smith, £50; Mr. L. Cohen, £5; Mrs. Wardill, 10/-; per Mrs. Downie, £2/2/-; Mrs. Molyneux, £1; "Kew," 10/-; Miss Kiddie, £10; Mr. Oakley, £1; per Mrs. A. L. Wettenhall, £1/10/-; the Misses Dixon, £1; "Miss Jones," £10; Dame J. Weigall, £5; Canon Crotty, 10/-; per Dr. McWilliams, £2/8/-; Messrs. G. J. Coles & Co., £1/1/-; Mrs. H. P. Tucker, £1/10/-; Mr. H. A. Gregory, £10/10/-; Mrs. Shackell, £1/1/-; Felton Bequests, £10; Miss G. Turner, £1; per Miss R. Wettenhall, 16/6; Mrs. Robinson, £1/1/-; Mrs. Hooker, 10/-; Mr. J. Mills, £1; Miss J. Robertson, £2/2/-.

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Miss F. M. Miles, £1; Mrs. Baxter Bruce, 10/-; Mrs. E. E. Wright, £1; Dr. H. S. Stacey, 10/-; Mrs. Hudson, £2; Miss C. H. Stephen, £5/5/-; Miss Valentine, 10/-.

FOR S. MARY'S FAIR.

Miss Leary, £2/2/-; Mrs. Austin Gatehouse, 10/6; Miss Osborne, 5/-; Mrs. Dickson, £2/2/-; Mrs. Chadwick, Mrs. Johnson, Miss Holles, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Pyman, Miss M. Lillis.

Produce.—Mrs. Baillie, the Misses Lloyd, Mrs. Clarke, Mrs. Kirk, Mrs. Val. Sadler, Miss A. Pyman.

FOR THE BROTHERHOOD.

Mrs. Wilson, case of pineapples; Mr. Armstrong, cakes; Mrs. Kerdel, cups and saucers; Mrs. A. K. Smith, £7; Miss A. Pyman, 5/-; Miss Milner Stephen, 5/-; Mrs. Crawley, cake; Mrs. Gebaud, cake; "Two Friends of the Brotherhood," 10/-; S. Ives Hospital, cake; Mrs. Cox, stores; Mrs. C. B. Davis, cake; Mr. Thoroughgood, poultry; Mrs. Downie, shoes; Mrs. Tucker, fruit and jam; Mrs. Henderson, 5/-; Mrs. Leithbridge and Bob, 3/-; Miss E. C. Traill; Miss M. Hutton, 10/-; Sister Constance Lloyd, 3/-; Mrs. R. K. Collison, 1/-; Mrs. Begg, 5/-; Miss T. Rigg, 3/-; Miss Ruth Kitchen, 3/-; Mrs. Webster-Brown, 6/-; Miss K. Hughes, 3/-; Miss Kennedy, 3/-; Miss M. Avoline, 10/-; Mrs. Hooker, 5/-; Mrs. Cuthbert, 3/-; B. Kugelmann, 3/-; Mrs. A. E. Rockett, 3/-; W. L. Taylor, 6/-; Mrs. Molyneux, 3/-; Mr. C. Martin, 3/-; Mrs. Hawkins, 1/-; Mrs. George Green, 5/-; Fr. Martin, 10/-; Mrs. Dean, 5/-; Miss C. Richardson, 3/-; Mrs. Snodgrass, 4/-; per Mrs. Anderson, per Newcastle Friends, £1.