



ABOUT OUR WORK



WORKING LADS' INSTITUTE AND HOME



BRUNSWICK HALL

"I am impressed with the value of the work of this Mission, and the businesslike administration."

REV. C. ENSOR WALTERS,
President of Conference.

WHITECHAPEL METHODIST MISSION



BRUNSWICK HALL INTERIOR

"Here the hungry find bread; the shivering, fuel for a fire; the homeless, shelter; the erring, direction and, above all, the poor have the Gospel preached unto them."

REV. W. POTTER.



REV. R. C. TURNER



FRANK HALL



OWEN A. RATTENBURY,
J.P.



REV. J. E., THORP



ANNIE THORP

“Expecting Him, my
door was open wide,
Then I looked round
If any lack of service
might be found,
And saw Him at my
side.”



SISTER IVY

—
“I was hungry and ye
gave me meat, thirsty and
ye gave me drink; sick
and ye visited me; in
prison and ye came unto
Me.”



ALICE PRUCE



EDITH BOOTH



WILLIAM BOOTH



THE LADS' DINING ROOM



GROUP OF LADS ADMITTED DURING ONE YEAR

LADS'
KITCHEN



*"The Angel which redeemed me from
all evil, bless the lads."*

HOLY WRIT.

The Friendless Orphan and Delinquent Lad is our special care. One hundred each year come to us. They come from the street, through welfare and other societies, and some from the Police Courts. We try to give them a new start in life under Christian influence. The response to our efforts is seen in thousands of lads, many with anti-social and some with criminal tendencies, who have made good.

HE
ONLY
NEEDS
A
FRIEND



AS HE WAS

CORNER OF DORMITORY



AS HE BECAME

THE OUTSIDER

*"I will rise and wash and they will dress me,
As Thou would'st have me dressed,
And I shall stand confessed Thy Son."*

T. E. BROWN.

The homeless man has called Brunswick Hall "The Haven in the East End." For over twenty years we have sheltered and fed an average of 300 per week.

The L.C.C. has extended its service for these destitute brothers of ours, but they can never do what Christian benevolence can do.

Hope without humiliation, the chance of Redemption which covers both body and soul, is what we offer and what is gratefully received.



HOMELESS MEN RECEIVING THEIR RATIONS



WAITING TO
ENTER THE
SHELTER



AT REST



PREPARING
TO FACE
THE WORLD



UNEMPLOYED
MEN'S
CHRISTMAS
DINNER

*"It was my mother's love that taught
me to know the Love of God."*

PHILLIP BROOKS.

The mothers are the real heroes of the slums. They must go on, day after day, struggling, enduring, suffering.

Our meetings are the bright spots which relieve the gloom; holidays and treats their escape from confined conditions; thrift clubs and the Benevolent Room lighten their burden and are oft-times a present help in time of need.



BENEVOLENT ROOM

NOT THE STATELY
HOMES OF ENGLAND—



—BUT WHITECHAPEL
STREETS

GROUP OF WHITECHAPEL
WOMEN AT OUR HOLIDAY
HOME



WOMEN'S MONDAY
MEETING

"Suffer the Children to come unto Me."

THE WORDS OF OUR LORD.

The young people must needs be our particular care. Home life as you and I know it is unknown to them. They live in shocking tenements with conveniences and privacy at a minimum. Their playground is the street and the gutter.



THE CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PARTY

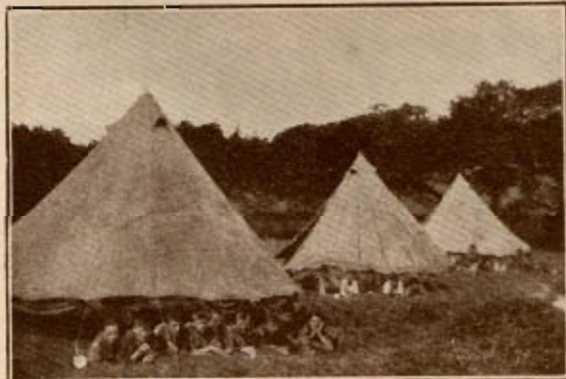


BEDFORD FRIENDS INVITE OUR CHILDREN TO THEIR HOMES

We do our best to counteract these conditions with Sunday School, Junior Classes, Cinema Entertainments, C.L.B., Scouts, Cubs, Gymnasium, Holidays and Treats.

Their material needs also must be met. We supplement their scanty wardrobe. We are their Father Christmas.

We love them, we serve them in the name of Him Who placed the Child in the midst.



AT SUMMER CAMP



GROUP OF OUR
CHILDREN, GUESTS OF
BUSHILL, PARK
SUNDAY SCHOOL

THESE
LITTLE
ONES
ARE OUR
PARTICULAR
CARE



WATCHING
THE CONJURER
AT THE
CHILDREN'S
'TREAT



HOLIDAY
HOME
No. 2

THE SUNSHINE END

*"In a world where sorrow ever will be known,
Let us scatter sunshine everywhere we go."*

These Homes provide holidays for Christian people in a Christian atmosphere at moderate charges. We have no dividends to provide and they are not used for profit. Between the busy weeks we give Free holidays and holidays at a very small charge to needy people.

Think what it means for the poor to have such holidays by the sea and in a Home furnished for comfort and good-fellowship.

One thousand visitors per year is our average and of these more than one-third are our guests through the generosity of the friends of the poor.



HOLIDAY HOME No. 1 (HOME OF REST)



THE HOLIDAY HOMES STAFF



THE
OFFICE
STAFF



REV. J. E.
THORP
AT THE
OFFICE
DESK.

*"A sick man helped by thee
Shall make thee strong ;
Thou shalt be served thyself by every sense
Of service which thou renderest."*
E. B. B.

The maintenance of Whitechapel's great work involves thought and labour.

Services and Meetings—Collection and distribution of clothing and other necessities—
Visitation of the sick and poor in hospitals and institutions—Arranging outings and
holidays—The upkeep of our extensive property—Propaganda—Financial responsibility—it
is all in the day's work.

We can truthfully say we work 12 hours a day seven days a week. The Institute is an
ever-open door ; we live on the spot and are always at call. There is no escape. We
serve the poor.

We do our own book-keeping ; correspondence is considerable. We have to do business
with Welfare Societies and Institutions of all sorts and the Police Courts.

We depend entirely upon the prayers, interest and gifts of those who consider the poor
and those ready to perish.

Help is always needed and gratefully acknowledged.

*"So let the love of Jesus come
And set thy soul ablaze.
To give and give, and give again,
What God hath given thee."*
STUDDERT KENNEDY.

FOOD, CLOTHING, and MONEY always NEEDED
and will be gratefully acknowledged by
Rev. J. E. THORP, 279, Whitechapel Road, E.1.

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