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CANADA

#### LONDON NOTES

The Chrissie Charles Sewing Guild held the annual benefit Xmas Tree at the B.M.E. Church on Thursday evening, Dec. 22nd. A large number of children were given presents and treated by the Society. The Guild is one of London's leading organizations among the women of our Group.

The Annual Anniversary Service of the Women's Guild was held on Sunday, Dec. 12th. A very interesting service including solos, duets and chorusses were enjoyed by a large audience including a number of out of town visitors.

Miss Evelyn and Mr. Jimmie Jenkins entertained a number of friends at their home in honor of Mr. Phil. Patterson of Hamilton, who was a visitor in the city for a few days. The evening was spent in games and music.

The B.M.E. Choir met at the home of Mrs. Drake, 208 Simcoe St., on Friday, Dec. 22nd at which time the Director, Mr. Paul Lewis, was presented with a very practical and useful Xmas present. Mr. Lewis has directed the Choir for 10 years.

The Baseball team gave a benefit Concert on Wed. Dec. 20 in aid of their disabled players. It was a grand success under the direction of Clarence Crosby.

Miss Thelma Moxley is home again from Toronto.

The Sunday School Xmas Tree will be held on Thurs. Dec. 28th.

Miss Freda Wiffen and baby were the guests of her sister, Mrs. Carrie Hunt in Toronto over the week end.

Word has been received of the death of Mr. Sam Lynn of Toronto.

#### BABY IS BORN AS FIRE BURNS HOME AND SAVINGS

SCOTLAND NECK, N.C. — To Kirke Johnston there is a silver lining in every cloud. Last week, his house was destroyed by fire. The fire consumed also a thousand dollars in cash which Johnson was afraid to put in any bank, several barrels of flour and a large quantity of grocery staples which he had stored for his winter supply, and several large hogs which he had just killed to provide his winter meat supply.

But Johnson was thankful because the life of his wife was saved, also the lives of two children and four good mules, and on the same fateful night, his wife presented him with a new baby.

#### EZEKIEL SMITH, FORMER LIBERIA MINISTER DIES

FAYETTEVILLE, N.C. — Dr. E. E. Smith, principal of Fayetteville Normal School and former minister to Liberia died here Thursday morning at the age of 81. Born a slave, Dr. Smith worked for an education, and fifty-five years ago was active in both the church and politics in this state. His fame as a preacher has become a part of Negro history.

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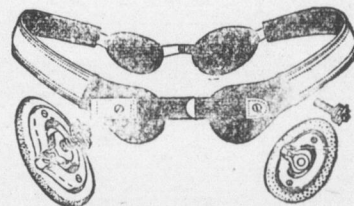
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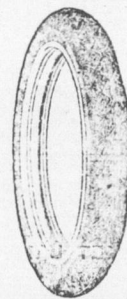
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