

better than ever before. The children all loved her. The last public service she attended was on Tuesday of the week before her death. The Indians, who are employed on the roads, are accustomed to meet opposite our house to receive their wages every second Tuesday. They come early in the day and have to wait some hours for the coming of the pay clerk. Several times lately they have come over to hear "some God talk." They came over on that Tuesday, and Mr. Wright persuaded them to go into the church. They numbered nearly about 100. Minnie played the organ, and she and Mr. Wright sang some Coolie hymns. After a short service in Hindustani, the people asked to hear some English hymns, so they sang "We're going home to heaven above, will you go too"—and afterwards "Wondrous Love." Minnie was greatly interested in the whole service. On previous occasions when these people came she was in school, and so could not take part. Little did she think that she was so near home, so near realizing that "wondrous love." We miss her. The whole community miss her. Her term of service was short, but we know that she did not labour in vain. God has taken her to Himself. Her death was very peaceful. Her face was pleasant even in death.

She is buried in Sanfernando, in a pretty spot.

Need we say how much we sympathize with her sorrowing relatives. We pray that God Himself will comfort them.

Miss Semple spent a week with us, and by her cheering, loving presence, helped me very much to bear my sorrowing loneliness.

EXTRACT OF LETTER FROM MISS ROSE.

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Many thanks for your kind messages by letter and leaflets, and Reports, etc., but especially for the Gospel in Cree. I read them to my poor people continually, and many, many of them come in and ask me to "speak the Book the same as Indian." The miracles of Our Lord seem to have for them the greatest charm, more particularly the miracle of the "loaves and fishes," also "the raising of the dead." Many parents would allow their little girls to come and stay all the time, but they think the house is too cold, being unplastered. I mean to take as many as possible in next month in any case, but shall require to disband when the severe weather closes in.