

ess of Negro Education

Negro has proved his ability in the education, according to Ovington, Chair of Directors of the recently addressed Church and Race Russell Sage Foun-

attributed the high literacy among Negroes to unequal apportionment of funds. Until the South, declared his full educational not be granted him. sion Robert W. Bag- irector of Branches, e prejudice as the e world and nothing ous social acquisi- s expresses itself in

C.P. speaker at the White, Assistant Sec ut that Christianity ligious under which d upon color had the civilized world. said Mr. White, had African slave trade colored peoples in the Far East, the in the United

E SPEAKS ON MATRIC MATERIAL.

ressing an audience speaker in one of a intimate Talks on the Hotel Warwick, last. Walter White, As- of the N.A.A.C.P. ect "The Negro as ul."

lined the increasing and Negro themes and stressed the fact type or convention, as it actually is, is sought for dramatic

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OWEN SOUND NOTES.

We are very thankful indeed that our church is out of debt. The mortgage, which was \$600.50, was paid by the Ministerial Association of the United Church of Canada. We are very grateful to them and to our late pastor, Rev. H. F. Logan.

We had recently a pleasant visitor to our city in the person of Mrs. Kay Hopkins, sister of Mr. Thomas and James Green and D. Green of Toronto. It was 30 years since she had visited her birth place and she had a happy meeting with her old friends and loved ones. She has her home in New York City and is a member of St. Mark's Church choir. While here there were several receptions in her honor when a very good time was spent in music and dancing.

Mr. Garefield Green of Detroit, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. Green of this city, was a recent visitor in his home town. He was much surprised at the way things have changed since he left his home some 10 years ago.

Mrs. Rev. E. A. Richardson of London was in our city as a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Herb Harrison over the yule tide and reports a fine time renewing old acquaintances.

Mr. H. Woodbeck was in Toronto last week on account of his health, which has been poorly.

The B.M.E. Church Sunday School held a successful Christmas tree and concert. Mrs. Wm. Harrison, was the convener of the programme. Mrs. C. Johnston and Miss Ida Patterson had charge of the presents. Every one went away happy after Mr. C. Johnson had acted as Santa Clause to the satisfaction of all who were concerned.

On December 31st the Sailors' Supper was held in the B.M.E. Church. Mr. H. Woodbeck, Mr. J. Smith, Mr. C. Johnson, Mr. Jas. Green, Mr. A. Patterson were the men conveners, while Mrs. C. Johnson, Mrs. A. Harrison and Miss Ida Patterson had charge of the supper. Mrs. Wm. Harrison was responsible for the program Mayor Christie acted as chairman.

Every body enjoyed the affair. The proceeds amounted to \$75.00, which was used to pay on the B.M.E. parsonage, on which there is still a debt of \$700.50.

We are very sorry to report the death of Mr. Wm. Miller, which occurred in New Liskeard, Northern Ontario, from the flu. She was formerly Miss Mary Ellen Harrison, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Harrison of Owen Sound. Survivors are 4 brothers and 3 sisters—James, William, Fred and Samuel; and Miss Eliza, Marthur, and Mrs. Norman Green, all of Owen Sound.

STRATFORD

Frank Wesley spent a couple of weeks in Detroit visiting his brother.

Mr. John D. Hall who has been sick the past two months is making an awful fight to recover his health.

LONDON NOTES.

Miss Lena Fairfax, was called home to Nova Scotia recently on account of the illness of her mother.

Mrs. Ella Washington of Detroit spent several weeks in the city with her aunt, Mrs. Walter Cromwell.

Mr. Sam Harris of Glenwood Ave. is confined to his bed with an attack of influenza.

Mrs. Marguerite Ward of Detroit was a visitor in the city during the holidays.

Mrs. Hannah Harris of Ottaway Ave. recently had the misfortune to fall from a step ladder and injure her hip. She is slowly improving.

Mr. Geo. Brown of Detroit paid a flying visit recently to visit his aunt Mrs. Eliza Groat.

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Miss Hazel Wesley who has been visiting her parents for the last six weeks is expecting to return to Detroit at the end of the week.

John Thompson and family of Kitchener, spent Sunday visiting his friends in the city.