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CARD OF THANKS.

Mr. and Mrs. Jenkins wish to thank the Hill St. Baptist church ladies for their shower given for their twin boys, Ross and Laverne. They also wish to thank the other societies for their flowers and cards expressing good wishes.

LONDON

Mr. Warren Ballen of Portland, Ore., spent a few hours with his cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Kelly, en route to his old home in Guelph where he goes to spend his holidays.

The ladies of the Hill St. Baptist church gave a shower for the twin boys of Mr. and Mrs. Jenkins, bringing them a host of beautiful presents and a wealth of good wishes.

Mrs. Eddie Fountain of East street is able to be up and around again.

Mrs. Bill Bookie is confined to her home with neuritis.

Mr. Harold Miller is home again after a long absence.

The services in the B. M. E. church were well attended on Sunday. The pastor, Rev. Woodcock, delivered two very telling sermons. The Sunday School Christmas tree entertainment was held on December 16 and was a great success. The small children deserve great credit for the dramatic part they took. We are glad to see Miss Alice Drake able to fill her old place conducting the little ones.

Don't forget the Baptist Christmas tree will be held on December 23rd.

Mrs. Taylor, of Chicago, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Arthur Moxley, for the holidays.

Miss Beaver of Niagara Falls is the guest of Mrs. Groat for a few days.

We are very sorry to hear of Mr. Brown's illness and wish him a speedy recovery.

The concert and lecture given by the Canadian League for the Advancement of Colored People was a great success. Rev. E. McEwin Williams delivered a very powerful address. The Get Acquainted Club rendered special music. There were also solos quartettes and recitations of a very high order.

Miss Doris Watts of the London Conservatory gave a social evening for the girls in which Miss Vivian Knox was the guest, a few days ago. The evening was spent in piano solos and duets. The guest retired at a late hour after enjoying a dainty lunch.

OWEN SOUND

Abraham Boeey, one of the oldest of the colored population in Owen Sound, died on Tuesday afternoon after a lengthy illness, aged 83 years. He lived in Owen Sound and vicinity for a great many years, and also resided at times at Chatsworth and Williamsford, also at

Jones' Falls, just outside of the city limits. The old gentleman was well and favorably known in the city, where he had many friends who will regret to learn of his passing. He is survived by his widow, who resides on 11th street west, two daughters, Mrs. Smith and Miss Boeey, and two sons, Moses and Henry, residing in the United States. The funeral took place on Thursday afternoon from Fulton's funeral parlors to the cemetery at Chatsworth.

Mrs. R. Maston of Detroit and Mrs. A. Nacklely of Toronto were home on account of the death of their cousin, Mr. Eli Boeie, which occurred in Nelson, B. C. The remains were brought to Owen Sound by his mother, Mrs. Wm. Boeie, and buried at Holland Centre. Much sympathy is expressed for the bereaved mother.

Mr. A. Patterson has returned home after a season sailing on the Great Lakes.

Mrs. J. Smith is confined to her bed with inflammatory rheumatism. She has been ill for the past two weeks but is somewhat improved at this writing.

Mrs. F. Molok is still bed-fast from a stroke she received over a year ago. Pray for her speedy recovery.

We are pleased to report that our children are on the public school honor roll. Their names are Norma Miller, Vieva Miller, Chonita Earl, Mary Green, Rosa Talbert and Herbie Green.

NORTH BUXTON

Last Sunday morning the Rev. Mr. Perry preached a most interesting and soul-stirring sermon on "The Old-time Religion." The speaker said that some years back one would consider it as preposterous to speak of anything but The Old-time Religion, but there is today a new religion, a religion that is theoretical and not practical. Very interestingly Rev. Perry showed his hearers the main differences between The Old-time Religion and that of the new. "Some people have very queer and foolish ideas about religion," said the speaker, "and whenever a preacher finds it necessary to emphasize the importance of maintaining the church, giving the pastor an adequate support, it is considered out of place to preach these things. But the preacher, proved from the scripture that giving is a substantial evidence of the sincerity of those who possess the Old-time Religion, and not only is it an evidence by a test, said Rev. Perry.

Quarterly services will be held next Sunday and it is expected that Rev. Nelson of the A. M. E. church of Chatham will speak in the afternoon at the communion service.

Commencing next Sunday afternoon, the evening services will be dispensed with, and afternoon services will be held regularly until revival meetings are started some time in the New Year. The children are preparing for Christmas entertainment to be held on Christmas Eve.

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