

The deceased leaves a widow, two sons the eldest, Walter H. Smyth, B.A., M.D., who completed his medical course in the early part of the present year; the second W. Oswald Smyth, B.A., a student of the final year law, at McGill University; also a daughter, Miss Laura Smyth.

Leper Mission.

The meeting of the Toronto Auxiliary was well attended; Mrs. Barnett occupied the chair; after devotional exercises the minutes of last meeting were read and approved, followed by the Treasurer's report. Mrs. Lillie read a very interesting letter of a native clergyman, Rev. J. D. Barva, pleading the cause of the untainted children of Leprous parents. Mrs. Armstrong, the wife of the Rev. W. F. Armstrong of the American Baptist Mission in Rangoon, Burma, gave an address; in Rangoon there is no asylum provided for the Lepers, although efforts have been made in that direction. Lepers are met everywhere. Mrs. Armstrong told of a poor leper coming to her with his three children begging her to give them a home, his wife ran away from him when he became a leper; after deliberation and with much fear Mrs. Armstrong took them into her own home and cared for them and was amply repaid as two out of the three became Christians, grew up without the taint of leprosy and are now happily married. Another instance—Lucy, was a scholar in the mission school, when of age she married but alas in a few years became a leper, her husband supported her for awhile, then deserted her, and since Mrs. Armstrong left her home poor Lucy died in one of the hospitals; a happy release for her—she died confessing her faith in the loving Saviour. Lepers receive the Gospel readily, having everything to gain and nothing to lose.

Mrs. Wilkie read an extract from "The Visit in India and Burma, 1895," showing that any one going among the lepers must sympathize with them and not allow them to see that you shrink from them. "Christ loves them and because He does, we do" is the special message. Prayer was offered at intervals "for all work among Lepers" and "for the Auxiliary in the United States and Canada."

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A Life of Martyrdom

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From the Tribune, Mattawa, Ont.

Among the residents in the vicinity of Mattawa there is none better known or more highly esteemed than Mr. and Mrs. R. Ranson, who have been residents of this section for the past fifteen years. Mrs. Ranson has been a great sufferer for years, her affliction taking the form of dizziness and violent headaches, and the attacks would come upon her so suddenly that she could scarcely reach her bed unaided, and would be forced to remain for three or four days, unable to take any nourishment and suffering more than tongue can express. She was but seventeen years of age when these attacks first came upon her, and the doctor who then attended her, said that in his opinion her life would not extend over a few years at most. But more than a score of years have since passed during the greater part of which, it is true, Mrs. Ranson was a great sufferer. But this is happily now past, and she is enjoying better health than ever she did. To a reporter of the Tribune Mrs. Ranson told her story, adding earnestly that she hoped her experience might prove of benefit to some other sufferer. She said: "The spells of dizziness and intense headaches would attack me every three or four weeks, and would last from two to four days at each attack, and with each attack my suffering appeared to grow more intense. I had good medical advice, and tried many remedies, but with no beneficial results. In the spring of 1895 my appetite began to fail, my hands and feet would swell, and my heart palpitate violently. I was utterly discouraged and felt that I would not live much longer. One day my daughter urged me to give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a trial, but I had taken so much medicine with no benefit that I refused. However, she went to town and got four boxes, and to please her more than for any hope of benefit I agreed to take them. I did not find the first box do me any good, but by the time I had taken the second my appetite began to improve and I could sleep better. I then began to have faith in them and as I continued their use found myself constantly getting better. When I had finished the fourth box both myself and friends were surprised to find that I had not had a headache for more than six weeks, the action of my heart had become regular, and I could sleep soundly all night. I was still weak, however, and decided to continue the use of the pills, which I did until three more boxes were used. Since then I have been stronger than at any time for years before and have not had an ache or pain. I can do my work, have a new interest in life and feel ten years younger. I feel that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills will do for others what they have done for me, and believing this I am glad to make my story public in the hope that it will be of value to some sufferer."

Mrs. Ranson's husband and mother were both present and say that they look upon her recovery as miraculous. They further said that many and many a night they had sat up keeping hot cloths on her head, that being the only treatment that had helped her, before she began the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

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