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OWUYE.

O JEJE KU S' ILE ELEBO

Obirin aboris̄ kan ku ni oko ni ejio ketsala oṣu yi, ek-ji re ti nzebe abule nā ba wọn sin oku rę. Nwọn si tun wa ile lati se oku obirin na pēlu awon Babalosa, Iyalosa yi ti orukó rę niye Moṭara tun tèle awon are oko yi wale lati da osu oris̄a le omo ḥenit̄ o ku lori. Bi o ti gba gbogbo inkān oro oris̄a ti o fę gba tan, o mu omo ti nwęn fę da osu le lori l̄, si baltwé, o wę e; bi o ti mu omo nā ti ieluwe de ti o bęre lati gbe osun lati fi kun o bení Iyalosa ko le gbe osun nā soke mo, a fi gbi-i ti o subu lule ti o si ku patapata si lle Idigba ni Oke Alafara, Iya yi ba wọn jeun oku l'oko tan, o tun jeun orisa n'ile, o gba Ewuré, Igbin, Aka, Irére, Obi, Orogbo suggb̄n ko le duro je q mo. Iwón ḥoran dun mo.

Gbogbo awon Babaloris̄ funka, "Igbé l'a fę we" "Okokan l'owó i yó" qran di ala-ma-da gbere.

ILEŞA.

Toside 23/7/25 Ni irolo oni ni ogiri-eri eṣe nda lode, ti a si bere pe ki lo to bayi? Ni wọn so pe Komolafe Haastrup Eregun lo fi aiyé yi silé. Iku Ogbeni ná da gbogbo ilu niji pupo. A ba awon enia Ologbe yi kẹlun pupo.

Ni 9ṣe ti o kojo tōbun ni Rev. M. O. Dada ati Iyawo rę l̄ sile fun isimi bi 9ṣe merin.

1. 9ṣe ti o tèle ni Rev. S. A. Oluyem, tun l̄ si Ado-Likit̄ fun isimi bi 9ṣe metta. A nreti awon Ojisan Ojisan wṣayi ninu oṣu ti mbyo.

NEWS AND NOTES.

Mrs J. Okuséjinde and her Neice Mrs. T. Moore left for Ondo last Tuesday. To the Senior Pastor we say "E ku ilede."

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Akinkunmi are

christening their New Building at Ekotedo at 5 p.m today

Mr. J. Bamfield, A. D. O., Ibadan Division, is leaving here to-morrow to join the next boat for England on furlough.
We bid him bon voyage "O Dabo o!"

Mr. J. D. E. Abiola of Omofo and Eri-kiran Streets Ilesha, Trader, Factor and Proprietor of Motor Transport Service, was in town on the 17th inst on business.

We wish him "Good Luck."

IJBÜ-ODE

The two teachers who came for Agricultural Course this year from Ijebu were Messrs J. A. Ojuri-Mafe and G. C. Odumuren. Both of them came from St. Saviour's School and have obtained Second Class Certificates.

We are informed that no teacher who has not passed his second class Government Teachers' Examination can be allowed to take part in this course.

We wish all these teachers a success in the course and we pray that this knowledge may be of much benefit to Nigeria.

OWO

After a week and few days absence from his station, the Pastor, Revd. T. Aderinla returned from Ogbomoso. The sudden news of the death of his mother was responsible for this absence. It is gratifying to note how the Church members rallied round their pastor during the sad event: and they deplored some of their number—men and women—to accompany the Pastor home.

We tender our heartfelt sympathy to the Pastor, his elder and younger brothers and the family.

The deceased had lived to see many of her grand-children and died at a good old age. R.I.P.

IROHIN AJODUN KINNI
TI IJO OMOKIBILÉ U.N.A. NI IJAIYE.
JULY 19 1925.

Şıwaju, isin Olorun ti de ilu Ijaiye o to adorin odun. Nigbati egun tu ilu na ti olukuluku enia tu kakiri si gbogbo ilo, sugbun nigbati o to akoko loju Olorun, awon omoy Ijaiye ti Olorun dasi, ti o si fi won si ipona, won gbarajo won si pero-po lati wa tan ilu won te. Nipa iranloyo Olorun niyo ti won te e, Qoy Olorun ni nwọn fi tun te ilu na nwọn odun 1895: lati igbană ni nwọn ti nwasu Jesu ni ilu Ijaiye.

Ni esin, Ijo "Jehovah Nissi" ti o je Iya Ijo na mura lati se iranloyo, ki ile Olorun ti won ti mo oguri re silé ni aiye Balé Irefin—ti agbara ko si lati bo oguri na—le je kikô, nwôn si solu işe na, o si pari ni osu Jumu a si si lle Olorun titun na ni ijo kejila osu Julsi 1924 nipa Eni-owó M. B. Newton t'o je Alabujuto Itum Eko.

Sonde ti oj, kejila osu yi ni a yan fun Ajodun kini ti sisí lle isin titun na; awon Memta ti ijo "Jehovah Nissi" Ibadan si gba Moto fun wiwo lofè fun eniken'i ti o ba fe lati lo si Ijaiye fun ajoyo na; ni ḥoro Sonde na ni olukulukh ti mura, nwôn si wa si Ijaiye pèlu Eni-owó S. A. Allen, Alufa Ijo Kristi Eko-tèdo, nwôn de si Ijaiye ni dede agogo mewa abo ti ouworo; afara ko si, Alufa ti mura fun isin, a si bêre isin na leşekese. Isé kekere ko ni Eni-owó S. A. Allen se ni oj ná, oon lo se iwasu; o si mu ḥoro iwasu re jade ninu 1 Peter 5: 8. Irohin ko to afojuba ni iwasu na je, o wasu na kárakára, gbogbo ḥoro re kùn fun ęko nlaala, fun alejo ati onile; adura wa ni pe ki Olorun ma sai fun wa ni eti igbo ati aiya igbusé Amin.

Lehin iwasu, o se isin Qpe, Isami fun enia meji, Ipinfunni Ounje-ale Oluwa; nse ni babe nyán ḥogan niyo na; a ki Eni-owó, o ku işe Oluwa, Baba Mimò yio gbé yin; ejinde ará a je o. Amin A-

won ti nwòn wa si ibi isin niyona je 201, okanlugba enia, a si pari isin na ni agogo kan aby.

Ni aşale ni agogo mèta, a bêre Ipade Ajodun; Thos. O. Eniasoro pe orin ti a fi si ipade; Eni-owó S. A. Allen, gbadura, Samuel Adetoro ka Irohin Isé ti Ijo ti nse bo lati esin.

Balé David Fajimi ni a ti yan ni alaga fun ɔjì na, sugbù fun se ni pe aileru ko je ki ole wa, nitorina, a yan Ogbeni N. S. Oke fun alaga, awon asòmogbe re ni wonyi:—F. B. Williams, David Ade-muyiwa, M. A. Oke, ati Emmanuel Ajaiyi l' o ḥoré këbin. Olukuluku won so ḥoré ti o ka enia lara, a pari ipade na ni agogo marun. Owo ti nwòn da ni ijo ná lörö ati l' ojò ale je £1. 5 6 ; ki Olorun ma sai mu qeş Ijo ná duro Amin.

Bi a ti njade ni ile Olorun ni awonalejo to ti Ibadan wa nmura; Iduro ko tun si fun wɔn ms, nwɔn mura lati pada si Ibadan ni jò kanna, Moto si duro de wɔn ni Alabata. Awon Ijo Ijaiye si sin won de Idi Alore, ki nwòn to pada. Ni ijo kejì ti işe Mende, Ipade gbogbo gbó wa wa fun ati onigbagbo, Imale ati aborisà, fun ajéy?; orisirişti ilu lo pesé: eyi to wu olukuluku lo pjo; ounje, ajeti nl. ti inkan mimu ko se so, ati onigbagbo ati awon. Yoba ni nwòn fi iyin fun Baba ni ijo, ki Olorun ma sai so ilu Ijaiye di ilu Igbagbo Amin. A ki Ijo "Jeho-vah Nissi" fun irin ajo wɔn ti ijo ná Ki Olorun ma sai ran won lowo. Amin

OYE WÓ ILE OYEWOLE

BALÉ TITUN.

Bi Balé Oyewole ti nlo, bē ni nfon obi si won l' otun l' osi. Nigbati won de ile, ti oloye sokale lori esin, o joko ni ęnu ọna ode re de awon ilu; ko pè lehin eyi ni awon ilu de; nwòn pagbo io si apakan, nwòn nwa kí i ni okókan ni teletèle gegé bi ipo won. O nq owo fun won lopolopo.

Lehin ti awon ilu tuka ni nwòn mu Balé lo si ile k-ji ni ęba ile re, ibiti o ni

lati gbe fun ibo metu gegebi nsa orile-edé wa. (Oba miele ni nwón ti ipébe ri ni atijo, sughen-nitorí myáláru niye isisiji ni nwón fi dín i ku-sí ibo migie).

Ni ejú osé ("onde") ni ejú kéta pe; gbogbo awóú oloye, gbaámu ati ipére t'ókunrin t'obirin t'ónjéde t'agba pese si ile Bálé lati yó oye fun-un. O fun awón ilu ni Ogorun Oké, Malu Meji, Opo. Óti ati Emízatí onjé. Bé l'ó si fun awón gbajamo ati ipére pélu.

Léchin ti Bálé fun won ni inkán tan ni Janta tun wa jíṣé fun awón. Ijóye pe "Ki, wón o mó pe Oyewole qmō. Eko di Baba fun won lóni: Baba l' Afín mó pe opolopó ninu enyím Ijóye ni inu nyín ko dan si ohun ti awón se fun Oyewole yi, sughon bi oluwa re ko ba ti oñi wale koto koto ko ri ohun ti o wa ninu ré ni babarú mg, ti o ba so yé Jade, ti won la gb, owa oluwa re yé Jai. Léchin eyi ni won tuka.

ORIKI OYEWOLE NIWONYI:—

Okenrin wó-nkukú-wó-nkókó,
Egun wó 'nu-ahero joko;
Ogáran-gharan n' tse,
Oyewole, Eganlówo;
Ma bu n, ma sa a,
Má soro ó re léchin,
Olóro de! É panu mó!
É wa 'mirin so!
Okó Oritoki.
Alagogo le gun-le'gun,
Býnni býnni býn-fún-býn-din,
A kh' l'ojin orun býn-ün-býn-din;
Eg mgun Vjansku,
O kún Ko-iko fén: hamubamu!
Soyéma r' i fíjú-hé le;
Asoro i gba l'chin osé mi,
Okunjuwa oniṣ-gun, ti i fi
Omoredó ti ogan s' ona-qfun;
Ódi o! Agba ifé,
Ení a ní l'ó ku ko ku.

O se-se, o d' Oba!
Akilapa kira kira;
A fi gbogbo oró gba 'mó la;
A tè kolombo soro ija,
Akarakwáta okuta,
Igila k' chin s' odan;
Gbengbehéku, da n'ibí o wá u.
A wo ni yán-yán;
A wo ni fá-fá;
A wo ni pakó;
Qmō Ifokó;
Aje 'kunrin, a b'osá l'aiya.
A tu won ka n'ibi nwón nla'na iyé.
A gan sta l'odo,
A lo atá l'olo,
Iwa atá ko pada.
Fó 'yan mu, k' eru o b' eky,
Pa 'ghin je, k' eru o ba b' osá;
A se 'yiti o je kù sinu.
O d' orits-méta yá si métefa,
O f' eje bo hata
Pi ho 'lase,
O t' idí ry' mi s' ológa n' ikun,
Okunrin káli káli
Bi oju Alakó!
A b' irun siya ka-ka-ka
Bi a náloje ijak edí;
A hoti ikon'lé fíla ku o,
O f' ewo ina kh
O be s' ite A woro n-soso;
A k' chin s' ejú ti ko lowo niu,
O go 'mi barn
F' ewe bíri bo o;
O t' Badan b' elebi r' Oyo,
Okó Oritoki,
Eru lowo, Alabé,
Iyawo lowo, Rossi;
I upuru!
O y' omó, l'owé lálá soun,
A tun 'Myle té n' Ifé,
O fi kumé ba 'mi na 'Myle!
O f' okó fo Lashani l' oja;
O y' Onigbagbo fi
Bi ení yí 'dó.
Móna-móna niu
A l' o sun l' o;

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I b a d a n .

26th June, 1925.

The attached petition which has been placed in the hand of His Excellency the Acting Governor by the Society of which I am Secretary is forwarded herewith for publication in your valuable journal.

I have the honour to be,

Sir

Your Obedient and faithful Servant,

Akinpelu Obisesan,

Hon. Secretary,

Egbe Agba-O-Tan of Yorubaland.

Ibadan.

15th June, 1925.

To

His Excellency

F. M. Baddeley Esqr., C.M.G.

Governor and Commander-in-Chief of
Nigeria.

Your Excellency!

We the undersigned Officers and Members of "Egbe-Agba-O-Tan." Ibadan have the honour most humbly and respectfully to forward the following for Your Excellency's consideration.

1. That your humble Petitioners are convinced that the present state of affairs at Ibadan as far as the Chiefs are concerned is most undesirable.

2. That whatever accusation might be preferred by the head Chiefs Balogun and Oton Bale against the Bale of Ibadan might be taken at their worth with

| ASAN SILE NI OWO GBIGBA RE | | |
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| B si owo pēlu Letter rans si Editor | | |

caution as both are Aspirants to the Bale-ship for sometimes past.

3. That in June, 1919. Chief Balogun Oyewole and Akanmu the Ekarun started an insurrection to overthrow the present Bale which was suppressed by the Senior Resident, a copy of the Petition addressed to the Senior Resident on that occasion is herewith attached, and perhaps may be found in the Government File.

4. That the matter is now pending the decision of your Excellency, we pray that your Excellency may institute a board of enquiry on the matter so as to arrive at a just decision.

5. Your Excellency's humble Petitioners are compelled to take this course especially as we feel that your Excellency might not have been fully acquainted with the circumstances of the past.

Your Petitioners as in duty bound will ever pray to be,

Your most Obedient Servants.

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| Sgd/ | E. H. Oke—M. L. C. |
| , | J. Okusinde—Clerk in Holy Order |
| , | D. A. Williams do. |
| , | A. B. Akinyelc—Principal Ibadan Grammar School. |
| , | E. M. Alalade—Clerk in Holy Order |
| , | E. N. Phillips |
| , | D. A. Obasa—Editor Yoruba News |
| , | S. A. Layode—Prodncs Buyer |
| , | I. B. Akinyelc Farmer and Planter |
| , | T. D. Alalade Mercantile Clerk |
| , | Akinpelu Obisesan Secretary of the Society. |

Ibadan

7th June, 1919.

To

Captain W. A. Ross.

The Resident

Oyo Province.

Dear Respected Sir!

We the undersigned very humbly and

respectfully do approach you as children would approach their parents.

Our Petition, Sir, is called forth by the sad occurrence of last Thursday night the 29th ultimo.

What could have been the motives of the unreasonably aggrieved party, your humble Petitioners do not know, and therefore do not presume to tell; but from the tumultuous noise of the night, any one near by could make out the following points of grievance:—

1. That the Bale of Ibadan took a sum of £3,000 from the Europeans for the erection of certain new buildings at or near the Soldier's Barracks, to put up which buildings, the Bale made use of their services without pay.
2. That the Bale instituted the Taxation System: and that half of the proceeds goes to his pocket.
3. That he keeps too long in office and therefore ought to die.

Now, our Elders told us, as we also grow up to find, that Supreme Chiefs of this Town had of a very long time been victims of Plot conspiracies and rebellions; they told us:

1. Of Maye—The first Chief of this Town from Ife who died in a skirmish attempt subsequent to a plot;
2. Of Lakanle—Who committed horrible suicide, because of risings against him.
3. Of Chief Elepo—Who also perished under a plot.
4. Of Balogun Ajiboye—Plotted against between June, and 5th August, 1871, and had to die an exile death;
5. Of Seriki Iyapo—Ibikunle's son, who like his predecessors died;
6. Of Balogun Ajayi—Oshungbekun who died suddenly in 1893;
7. Of Bale Dada—Who suffered

under the same inhuman treatment, May 24th to December, 24th 1907;

8. Also Bale Irefin and (9) Balogun Ola.

Very humbly and respectfully we appeal Sir, should crimes perpetrated in those days of darkness and ignorance be permitted to continue in this age of light and knowledge? We humbly petition thee therefore, to adopt means and measures which will root out the wicked custom and the evils concomitant to do.

The Christian and intelligent community of Ibadan were not a little gratified at the immediate action taken by the Resident and the District Officer to restore quietness in the Town, for this we feel very very grateful; But careful consideration of the three points of grievance as expressed by tumult, and satisfactory explanation of point (1) by the Resident have actuated us to lay before your Residentship the following suggestions:—

1. That the question of erecting Government buildings and payments of labourers be better seen to and be more systematically arranged to prevent such misunderstanding as is expressed under point (1).
2. That in a way you think best the Council be instructed as to taxation income and expenditure to prevent the members and the people from thinking that half of taxation proceeds goes to any Chief's pocket.
3. That laws of protectorate (we presume there are) against sedition be cited and circulated in notices or by Town Criers, together with the punishment legally attached to violation of such Laws, to safeguard peace and quietness in future.

On behalf of the innocents and the weaklings, the children and the hard working, in fact on behalf of the con-

munity of Ibadan in general, we the undersigned humbly and respectfully petition thee to help us to remove a deep rooted and accursed customs, and by doing so, safeguard our lives and properties.

With best wishes for the welfare of the Empire, and with due regards to your respected self.

YIYA DURU SI MIMO NI IJO C.M.S.
QFA. NI TOSIDE JULY 23, 1925.

Lati inkan bi 9duan kan gbako ni a ti ngl-ɔfinrinfinrin pe awon ijij yi se ra dura titun kin, nitori eyiti nwon ti ni tele ke-re fun won. Nigbati o di irole ijij Wedsle 22/7/25 ni iwe njade lemgleng lati odo awon Working "Committee" si awon tia a pe si ibi isin yi, onikaluku gba tire o si so agbeje, mi ywo. Isin iyassimimo yi bęre ni dëde ago-go merin ɔlo gan, ni ojo Toside 23/7/25 lehin iwase kukuru lati inn Kolosi 3:23 ti o kun fun ɔgbon, adura ati iselati enu Eni-2w9 D. A. Omiquiyi ti pari, ni iyassimimo dura na bęre. Eto re niwonyi :—

Opening of the Covering Cloth by Mesdames W. Verrals, A. O. Adebinpe, A. A. Odusunmi & G. Ola, Johnson.

Placing the key in the key hole by Mrs. P. A. Adebiyi.

Opening of the key by Mrs. C. J. Omo-nisi.

Shifting of the lid, by Mr. J. B. Odusula.

Taking off the inside flannel cloth by Mr. J. B. Ogedengbe.

Opening of :—

do. The Bellows by Mr. D. A. Vaughan,
do Bass Coupler Rev. M. O. Oforinde
do Sub Bass Coupler by Mr. J. A. Ade-

bijyi
do Principal by Mr. I. S. Ada, Shadips
do Diapson by Mr. I. D. Williams,

do Du cet Bass By Mr. J. A. Adebinpe

(Sir)
do Principal Forte by Mr. J. A. Makinde

Vox Humana by Mr. J. F. Adeleye

do Diapson Forte by B.E.M. Society
do Piccolo by Mr. S. J. Fegevinbo,
do Viola by Mr. J. A. Abimbola,
do Dulcet Treble by the Ekiti Society
do Accoline by Mr. A. J. Ajiretun,
do Treble Coupler by Mr. N. O. King

Gegbè awon enis wonyi t. n se wọn beni nwon nya sədə Iyafin Alabiyi, ti ojoko l-ha Duru titun na ti awon sindi 9w9 koduru sian a vo. Alufa ijij si nfi adura ti fun w9u lehin eyi ni awon glajumiyi E.O. Gbajivi, D.A. Vaughan J. K. Maj-9, J. O. L. Adeleyemi, E. A. Verrals, J. F. Adeleye, ati E. O. Sangnuga k9 orin alara kau fun wa ti o dun bi oyin, Igbatu nwon uk9 orin yi, ngbo, iw9 ba-a mi, o kò bęre si jo bi o ?

Lehin orin slaro yi gbogbo ijij k9 "Awu nyin 9 Olorun" lehin eyi a k9 orin ijade 56, a si se Ore-Ofe Oppitoppe 9pe lo ye awon Ogbeni J. S. Ade; Sodipe, S. O. Awoyinna ati E. O. Gbajibi fun ife ati ita-w9n lori dura yi, k si ohun ti a tun le fisan Ogbeni D. A. Vaughan ju opo lo fun itara re fun yiya dura yi si minne titun kohun ti , ha ti fi le e l9a9 fun sise werewere ni yio-se e tua ko si kin leun ti ip; l9w9 re—gbogbo relo ba larajjo.

OJOMU TI QFA, BARIKA!

Lati inkan bi osn kan ti o k'ja ni iku-kerodo ti wa ni igoro-Qfa, mitoru awon enia onijimba gbe apo kan l9 ninni Owo Odun ti gbe pam9 s9de oloye yi. A ti mu w9n l9 si lloriso fun iwadi, lehin 9se miyi ab9 a mn w9n pada pe ki nwon si l9 wadli owo yi, ki w9n si mu wa si lloriso. Lehin isare s'okeati s'odo fun 9p9 ajo ni w9n ri owo ni thinkule oloye yi, owo ti w9n ba je £17-19-6. Nje! arika eyi; ni awon tun bęre njo pe boyo won a je gbe iyoku wa. O tun ro 9se kin si i ni nwon tun gbe £10-0-6 x9 si thinkule; owo yoku je £12- -0 ar pe ojuwa re ti na. Ojo-nu(fa,b) iku re ! b'oku ki olorun y9 o ni '2w9 zuogni seni, afim9 ni seni, asenii bani daoy. Jesu gba wa o.

MINNA NEWS.

His Excellency the Acting Governor and His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor arrived here on the 18th instant, the former from Lagos and the latter from Kaduna.

They passed on to Bida and on the 19th instant accompanied by Major Fremantle they returned, arriving here at 4.30 p.m.

After being present to European and African Officials, five non-European Officials and Mr. C. T. Wilhelm, Local Agent for Messrs John Holt & Co. [L'pool] Ltd., went to Residency, after dinner in His Excellency's Saloon to which the leading European Officials were invited.

His Excellency and His Honour left at 11 p.m. for Kaduna.

Mr. H. C. C. A. Bridger, Assit. Auditor and his clerk, Mr. C. A. Clerk arrived here on the 18th instant on tour of inspection.

Mr. S. N. Crowther, Post & Telegraphs, and Mrs Crowther arrived here on Tuesday the 23rd, instant. We wish them berka kun da zuwa.

The supervising Agents of Messrs John Holt & Co "I'pool" Ltd. at Zaria and Baro arrived here on the 30th ultimo. The later took over from the former the Minna branch.

The Supervising Agent of Messrs the Niger Co. Ltd., with his Clerk Mr. Abraham arrived here on the 27th from Baro on tour of inspection. He with his clerk left here on 30th ultimo for Lagos.

Mr. T. N. S. Howard, Superintendnet, Post & Telegraph, left here on the 30th for ultimo to Kaduna on transfer.

Mr. D. A. da Silva, Postmaster, P&T, left here on a transfer to Birnin-Kebbi on the 30th ultimo.

Mr. A. J. Akinsan, P.&T. of the same department as above also left here on the 29th ultimo to Abuja on duty.

Mr. J. F. Badger's former boss Mr. R. Lessells has been temporarily relieved by Mr. T. R. Beckett, Telegraph Engineer.

Mr. Lessells left here on the 3rd instant proceeding to Maiduguri on duty.

The Assistant Auditor Mr. Bridger and his clerk Mr. C. A. Clerk left here on the 6th instant to Lokoja on inspection.

The Faith Tabernacle School which was closed on the 2nd ultimo, School vacation for the children, was reopened on the 1st instant. We hope the other schools in town, The C. M. S. and the Roman Catholic Schools will follow suit. This is the right time to give the children vacation for the season.

It appears that the Spring season holidays is not given to School children here, the Faith Tabernacle making a precedence.

Due to the insufficiency of funds the services of the second teacher attached to the Faith Tabernacle School has been dispensed with. This teacher was sent for from the Gold Coast by one of the leaders of the Faith Tabernacle, and we do not see the reason at all why if they cannot afford to pay for the services of a second teacher, sufficient time at least a month's notice was not given to him. The second teacher arrived here on the 14th April, 1925 and started teaching the next week. During that time there were not quite half a dozen pupils in the school. The painstaking interest coupled with this young man's sociability soon saw his pupils increased to 20 within two months of his teaching and before the school was closed for vacation, the Faith Tabernacle School children numbered 30.

We hope the Faith Tabernacle will reconsider the matter.

The great Mohammedan Salla ceremonies started on the 2nd instant.

The Sarikin Hausawa, formerly Sarikin Kasuwa, with other dignitaries after the usual salutation soon after the Idi was presented with the usual Kola presentation by the Acting Station Magistrate at 11 a.m. and dispersed.

The Fulani from Kuta and the neighbouring villages danced here on the 3rd and 4th, and the flogging contest which was to take place on the 5th was performed at Paike.

To be continued.

ABEOKUTA.

Anu se ni lati gbo pe awon Egbe O. F. S. oṣe okan nà ninu awon oṣe Egbe wọn, a sì ki awon Egbe na ati awon Ibi E ko nṣeñhido Ki Olawa o da awon 2moy oku si.

IJOBA EGRA! E KU APEROI!

O nta si wa leti feniṣen pe, Ijوبا fę fi gbogbo Its Okokun ati lle Age se ibudo lle Alisan (Hospital) nla fun ilò gbo-gbo ilu ati igberiko.

Eyi dara bę pupo, sagbon nibo l' e fi ti awon mèkunnu inu rę si, Ijوبا. O d' qwo nyin e!!! Ki e ro ṡe re!!!

E ku afosoṣona Oniseji!

A gbo pe Ojimipépe oibó kan mbó lati illu oibó lati wa se Isin-isójì yika gbo-gbo ilę wa ninu osu July yi. E ku afosoṣona, ṣyin Ijo wa, C.M.S. Wesleyan ati Baptist. Ki Olorun mu okó rę gun-le li alafia, ki o si je ki Isin-isójì wonyi ti a mă se nigbakigba, ki o tan gbogbo wa ji, ki a le di aye ninu Kristi. Amin.

IROHIN MINNA.

Ina t'o Jole Omo Ilęsa Ewa lo busi

Ina gbogbo omo Ilęsa Minna dun pupo nigbati won ri arakunrin won Ṣebéni L. S. Oginni Johnson, afinju omo Ilęsa, ti o pari ile rę ti o kó ni panu; eyiti o ti fì koriko bo ri ti insi si ti jo patapata ati ohun gbogbo ti o wa ninu ile na. Ṣugbon iranlyowá si wa fun arakunrin wa yi lati odo Olorun wa, o si tan ile na kó Ewa rę si po ju ti isilu lọ.

Njé ina t'o jo ile omo Ilęsa Ewa lo ba si, ki Qwa ko pe.

EGBE EKITIPARAPÓ

A gbo pe awon omo Ilęsa fę da egbe yi sile ni Minna gegebi won ti da okan silé ni Zaria. Nyi ti a gbo pe Thomas aṣe Oke Ijoka (Okunrin Kokoboto) o je ibada Egbe na; yio dara pupo bi awon Ilęsa Minna ba le da Egbe na sile: aṣo a kún ol!

Ni ojò Sende ijo karun osu July 5/7 /25 awon Ijo Omo Ibilé se nkansé Iwa-su ti Oloyinbo ni agogo mérin ṣasán Ṣebéni C Kanawa Paul; Baba Ijú na-nji so didun l'oyinbo, okunrin Kokoboto; oon l' o so Igilango Gési ni ojò na; o yan ory iwasu rę lati Iwe Miño. Luku ori karun ṣes ke ḥogb-n. Awa ri Enimo loni, qro rę wo enia lokon sinsiṣi; eyi to dun moy awa ti ko gbo Oyinbo ni Kón-kibiliti, Iréṣipon-sibiliṭi.

Bé na si ni Ṣebéni Marcus Thomas, ELETI-QFÉ ninu Gési; oon ni o se ti Itumó rę fun wa, o si wó ni leti sinsiṣi. Awon enia ti o wu si ibi Isin na pö dię; ki Olorun ki o ran Ijo omo Ibilé Iwé ki o le mi dagba ninu Ifé Kristi Jesu.

A dupe fun Ojo ti Baba Orun fun wa ni 9yuan yi, ojo na nr̄ daramada.

A si ngbadun rę, ki Baba r̄ ojo Ibu-kun rę fun wa o.

Ojojamó ni a nkiyesi oriṣiriṣi jambati Ikoriko nṣe ni oru nigbati gbogbo enia ba ti sun tan; o pa aja ṣe wa kan, o si gbe le bumbum, benni toloto lo ko niye ti o nwéle gbe lò, pelu ija wuké rę; njé mo bere tani jebi? bikose awa papá ti a wa ati jeon wa si ilu Ikoriko? Ki Olorun fi ofo ra emí ki o si so gbogbo wa lowo Ikoriko ki a le pada de ile wa ni alafia.

Ni ibisinku awon Imale ati Keferi, a ri opoh-poh oku ti Ikoriko hu jade ti o si je ajeku rę sibe; eyi je ki a kin awon Ezebén wa ti nsorù sinu iwe Eko Akete lehin pe ki wón sun oku (To consign the Dead to Flame) o se ansani ju ki Ikoriko hu oka enia wa je lò, o daju pe Ikoriko ko le je éru benni idin ko le je éru pe bē ni ilę ko le je éru.

Eru wa titi fun eri titi laihai ti a ba fi pamó sinu Igo. Ero ɔgbé ijinlé ni eyi, yio si je ohun ti yio nira fun Yoruba lati se nitoru Igbagbo wón ni pe enia nti inn uye wó Ina.

Ki Olorun majé ki a wó ina ni orun. Amin.

Professor Bnbuyeh.

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