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E wa wo Ile oja wa; A ni nkan wonyi fun tita:—

Ikoko Taba Onigi, Jigi, Aşo Aran, Eşo Agbado, Işe, Qti Elewuro (Beer) ati Eleso Ajära (Wine), Awon Onjo Ipanu, Aşo Iş'osşo, Eşo Ere Omode, Ohun Qşo, Abela (Candles) ati egbagbeje oja miran.

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LABI-LABI KORI Ẹ 'O KAIYE L'ODE!

Pelu iyanu nla ni a gbọ pe ninu Ipade Egbe Bombata (*Nigerian National Democratic Party*) ti a se ni Satide to koja Ogbeni kan ti o je enisegun (*Medical Practitioner*) ti o ti nta kangban s'egbe yi loje jojo, ani lati igbati a ti fi idi. Egbe na kale, wa si ipada na, ati pe o si joko sibi ojut' aiye loḍo awon omo Egbe Argba-gba. Ohun ribiribi l'eyi, o si je ohun ti o wu ni lori, pelupelu nigbati a wa ranti owe yi pe "Ina ile ni omo eranko ma ya gbihin."

Bi a ba ma so nipati awon omo Egbe na ti o ku ti nwon si nkandi m'ehin a o wipe "osan ti o gbe alumo lo s'oke" ni nwon, "yo si tun gbe bo wa'le bakanna." ise

suru ni yoku, "Ago lo ma d'adiẹ gbihin" iyen ko pada titi o fi de Kaduna!

PARATI! PARATI!! TI NTI WON MO'LE
JANIN JANIN!!!

Orin yi ti a ro pe ilu Band awon Qlopa nko ni aiye igbanl nigbati a wa ni kekere ni a ranti nigbati a koja leti Kotu titun awon "Omo Parati" igba atijẹ ti nwon si je awon "Omo Kesita" aiye isinsinyi, eyiti o dabi enipe awon osise nyara lati pari kiakia; kosi eniti o ma koja l'egbe "Kotu Ka-ntanyan" gege bi awon ara wa ti ko gbọ we ti npe St. Anna, ti ko ni ki aje ku joko tun ise meremere ti a se, si Kotu titun na.

Adura wa ni pe niwon igba vio wu ki a si i, ki oko Oba mase sa enikenen fese lo de ibe!

IJA KO LO YE OMO ENIA,
ARA, E GBO YEN!

Ninu irin-ajo wa lo si Ibadan ni Monday ose yi ni a gbọ ninu oko pe awon Lebira

meji kan ti nwon nwa Oyinbo Oga won ni kekere ojuri ti a npe ni Oloṣokoya ni Ife dimu: eyi ekini gbe ekeji papapa o di wongangan ni le: nse ni eniti a gbe won le na se hariha; o to dide ko dide nse beni ejora mu eyi ekeji; o si ndamira lai se aboyun to ile se ati bim; nigbati nwon si wa wo ibiti Lebira keji na sibu si; o ti gan pahpali. Warawere a ti ra Lebira ekini mu lo si Abe olumo. O daran Qba nu!

E KU APERO ENYIN BABA ILE OLUYOLE!

Dide ti a de Igboro Ibadan lose yi ni a gbo pe awon ara Ilu na opete lati ko gbangan (*Hall*) kan ti yio je fun Iranti wiwa Arẹmọ-oba King eyiti gbogbo awa Omo-oba King na nse iranti re niloṣoyi; a gbo pe ti awon ara wa na ba le f'ohun sokan lati se ise nla yi, nwon yio so oruko gbangan (*Hall*) na ni *Prince of Wales' Hall*. Gbangan Arẹmọ-oba.

Qwo a ran a o!

IRE DE IRE NBO

Si Oniwe Irohin "EKO AKETE"

Mo juba o

Ki a to bere oro wa a ki t'okunrin t'obinrin t'agba t'omode e ku iyedun. Gege bi o ti je asa wa lati ma so pe enu aye f'elo, ni oro aison odun Keresimesi, a se akiiyesi ohun kan larin awon omo wa ni igboro ile yi, papa larin awon odo ati sasawere, ni agogo mejo ale lo si mesan ni a ri ogunlogo awon odomounrin ti nwon ko ara won sinu moto, ti gbogbo won si nyo muke ti deraba moto na si nfun fere bi eyi ti ale wipe "Olowo ni Gomina" sugbon ohun ti o ya wa lenu ni pe awon ogunlogo odomode wonyi ndahun pe "Ire de Ire nbo" lojukana ni oro yi mu wa ranti pe nitoto ni awon agbalagba nso pe enu aye f'elo boya awon miran miin oka'we le se akiiyesi pe ati so ponpon nipa agbara ti oro ati orin ni larin awa odu. ni akoko kan awon omo wa bere si da asa kan pe "Gbemi si Bebe" eyi ti o je pe aseyinwa aseyinbo sipe ni gbogbo won nure lo si Bebe isa oku; lehinna ewe nwon tun je nwon yo a si tun ngbo lenu won pe "Tite ni Tite ni" omo iya kilo tun gbehin re bikose tite ghalaja si ona Ikoyi, ka tun ri ni ti

ebe won si ologbe Bankole Bailey pe to ba d'orin ko wa fi Moto ko won lo eyi ko pe titi ni ologbe yi wa bere si fi Moto janre re ranse si won ni kon pe yi ewe nwon ni Fante kan ndaleru ti oro enu wa ti lagbara to gbogbo wa lo sa ri ohun ti Ekute fi wa se ni igboro ile yi, nitorina ni a se ni igbagbo pe odun 1925 yi yio je ire fun gbogbo wa se awon ti nwon nke *Habblaya* niwaju Jesu ni igbani se awon kanna lo si tun wipe e kan mo agbelebu, nje gege bi awon omo wa ti fi "Ire de Ire nbo" bere odun yi adura wa wire ki Olorun Alanu je gba oro na ki o si se ire na kale si arin ilu wa yi ati gbogbo aghaiye ki agan ti ko ri omo bi fi owo so sun ki awon ti ko ri ise se, ri ti anfani; ki rogodiyan ojo Kotu re'le ni igboro ilu wa, nje "Ire de Ire nbo" ni ka ma gbo lenu gbogbo wa o. Amin.

AWON OMO ONILE NSUN ESE BI EWURE AWON AJEJI NSUN PETESI.

Ni igboro ilu wa loni bi a ba da si ona meria a o ri to ona meta ti nwon je ajeji, ni akoko kan a ri pe ise ko se tiratira bayi fun awon osepe larin wa, loni bi enikeni ba se akiiyesi yio ri pe awon ajeji wonyi ni ise wa lowo won ni gbogbo ibi ti Ijoba da ise sile, oro kan ti a ngbo pe awon Oyinbo nso si awon omo Eko lara je ohun titun lati ma gbo ti enu won pe awon ajeji mo ise ju awon omo ibile lo ro patapata ni eyi je nitoripe ni igbati agbado bo ti de aye nkankan ni adie sa nje tani ko mo pe aramoje ni iwonyi je mo rope ki se awon ajeji lo wa ko M-salasi Shitta ati ti Jimo ati awon ile nla miran ni igboro ile yi. Ni koi pe yi ti awon Egi e Tunl se ni o ile ise won titun, a se akiiyesi pe ogedegede awon ajeji ni awon lun be so so so beni ajeji wonyi ko lo nkun apo awon Ege Tunl se (*Town Council*) omo ibile lo nso owo omi omo ibile lo nso owo Simenti (ese) ko ha te ki awon omo ibile w ayi tete ma ri ise se ki o to bo si owo awon ogunlogo ajeji wonyi, yio je didun lnu wa bi aw n Asoju wa ni *Town Council* je gbo oro na yewa a fe ki eyi je imoran titun fun odun titun nitoripe ni enia ko ba ri ise se idanwo ko jina si ati opol; po ojo Kotu be.

KINI KETEKEŦE LARA KETEKEŦE.

A nki a nsa awon arakan ti nwon nyo ninu oriki nla yi Oduleje tun nlo pe sure kakari lori ohun ti awon papa mo pe Agba o owo la fi nso aya kini ketekeŦe lara ketekeŦe eyi to je olori ko ri owo yo 'gbe mo lori nkan ri iri ti gbogbo enia nro fun igbeleke oruko *Nigeria* labe asia Gesi se iyen ni awon adaba ma danu tun nwa ona lati baje sugbon Olorun Qba ti tele ohun gbogbo ibi ti nwon ni ki g'esebe ma gbe on lo ma gbe ibi ti nwon ni ki tete ma te on lo ma te awon to nleri pe ko ni se oju won ghin won ni yio se. Adalu d'owo ile.

AWON ARA WONVI TUN DE

Nje o ba le je otito ni pe awon idile Oba wa l'Eko tun ngbero ati da ruguda miran silẹ lori ohun ti awon papa mo pe werewere lo ngbehin ere oṣupa, ni oḍun diẹ selin ni awon omo Oba diẹ dide lati ran awon Obileje lowo lati le si Oba wa Eleko ni ipo pada, sugbon geye bi o ti jepe omo Oba ti won ti yo bi Toṣo akode awon ti so agbeje mo won ni idi, gbogbo re ko tile dun enia bi awon alai ronu yi ti awon tun npete ati je Oba, se iru awon wonyi lo mu ki itan niamla ma jade lakoko kan ti a fi mo pe ki je gbogbo awon ti awon npe ara won ni omo Oba fo ba Oba tan lona keji omo Oba ti won tile nti kiri yi ki ronu ara re wo pe bi a ba ti se oni be la o se oia, nitorina epe ki gbogbo wa fi orin Inlasi s'emu :-

Eleko t'oba la ma se
Eleko t'oba la ma se
Awon ti o ba dun mo o
Okun ni awon ma lo

Ko je ibile tabi ajeji tabi awon ibaga ti ko ba le ko orin yi pelu igboya dajudaju awon ni olofe na ti awon yo olagboro lowo lati fo ile baba won sugbon lona gbogbo awon oni gangan nlu bayi pe "ete le o firi, gbogbo yin to use kondu kondu kondu ete le o firi."

JOHN MOMODU BEYIOKU "ENIA SORO"

Fun eko rere fun iran miran a o gbidanwo lati so ni iba soki ni oṣe to nbo nipa igbesi aiye ore wa yi adogba jalẹ okunrin bi enia lasan kan ni tabi enia rere, oro wa na yio jade ni ede Gesi ati ede awa papa, nimu Eko Akete. A fatitọ nu Teru ika palẹ gbogbo wa ni igbero Eko lo sa mo pe Eko Akete di Araba ti apa omode ko ka gege bi o ti je didun ina re lati je "alaga bi awon odi ati mekunu" gbogbo, jowo gba oro wa yi :-

Eni p'ori re nibi
Olorun a mu,
Ofo Pomi efo se
L'oja akurun

ORO NA IBA JE RI BE?

A gbo pe awon Iga Onikoyi ti fi enu sọkan lati fi Ogunlana si Orupo Baba won, ni akoko kan ati fi enu kan Ogbeni yi ri nitorina ni a se so pe ti wa se ndi ti "Oba Ajaye" to so pe :-Orako re "Wolemu" lo wi fun ns.in ki Wolemu ki wo Lekalu awon agbalagba ni riri oro Oba Ajaye nitori ki so oro ko ma se. O to o ye ka bere lowo Aramide, Ontana, Orilegbale Eletu Ijebu ewo le wo nitoripe, ni akoko yi ti a nri epolopo oye rikisi oloye kan kole gbe won se loju Bale oko Ilu—Major Birrel Gray Ata papa lekan si mo tun ki gbogbo

nyin e ku oḍun e ku iyedun, ki Oluwa se ni abo fun wa, papa ki oro Oba wa Eleko yanri si rere lodo Gomina wa agba.

Emi ni tinin nitoto,
AKIRIMANU.

IN MEMORIAM.

In affectionate remembrance of our
beloved father

Andrew Wilkinson Thomas

who departed this life on a Monday
1st. January 1923.

Death, be not proud though some have called thee
Mighty and dreadful, for thou art not so;
For those whom thou think'st thou dost overthrow
Tis not, poor Death; nor yet thou kill'st—
From rest and sleep, which but thy picture be,
Much pleasure; then from thee much more must flow
And soonest our best men with thee to go
As Andrew Wilkinson Thomas has gone;
Rest of his bones and soul's delivery
Death; thou art but slave and Messenger
To Fate, Chance, Kings, wicked men and unscrupulous
Attorney
And dost with poison, stratagem and sickness dwell
And poppy or charms can make us sleep as well
And better than thy paralysic stroke. Why swell'st thou
then?

One short sleep past, we wake eternally
And death shall be no more; Death thou shalt die

(with apology to John Donne)

OMQSALEWA.

IN MEMORIAM.

In loving memory of our dearly
beloved Father

OWEN E. VIDAL

Who entered into rest on 31st of Dec. 1914.

Though your Body Shall be dead, There is
a part which can't decay

Requiescat in pace.

E. FOLARIN VIDAL
and Family.

"E KU QDUN E KU IYEDUN"

[LAJI QWO ATOLUGBOKUN.]

A tun bere oḍan titun (1925) pelu irohin titun, iwa titun ati se titun sugo ni mo fe lati so gbolohun oḍo kan tabi mej- a pa rohin ti mo nfun yin ka losope, sugbon opolopo enia ti rohin ipe won jade lati 9wo wa ni won ni ake kori ti won si fe fe faya perepere wipe ta lo ni ko fi rohin na si ni iwe re. Beni obun ti mo fe fi han yin nipe mo rohin tun yin na so si e fe fi mo bi nkan ti ni si, ki se lati rohin ati to agiri eniken, ko si oḍo agiri ninu oḍo koto ahi ni wa ni ko mo Oluwa re de ile ejo ni eniken o ni re won mu. A be nyin enyin ti e nka ise wa, se jowo se mu irufe ero buruku bayi kuro l'as, a o y) eniken, bi won mu enia te aba wa ni koto ahi si ni iwe bi won ba da ejo fun yala are lati gos ahi rohin re fun yin lati ka. A bere oḍan titun so (Odumare ko ma je ki ari oran ile ejo yala kekere tabi nla ejo, Oluwa ko yo ni.

"FIRI NIDI OKE ALO KO NIUN KIGBE"

Ni ijo Monday ijo karun oḍo yi ni awon elopa mu igara kan wa ti oruko re nje James Adetunji fun esun ole. Nkan ti igara yi ni niwonyi— soloto mep, ewa jomba, aso ibora, (enyin na mo pe oye wa lode) s-ti, bentigo, bata kan, ati owo sile mefatabo, wara wera or igara yi da, Adajo ni ewon oḍo kan pelu ise se an.

"AGBAKO ORI EDE"

Gege bi ebi gba wipe elopi ra Ogbeni E. Theophilus Ashurie ma fun esun wipe ogba owo lowo enikan lena Calabar owo ni to posu merialelogota (£64) l'awa ero, Ogbeni yi je akowe agba tun loya Thomwon, ni ijo Monday oḍo yi ni. Ijba mu ejo yi wa, sugbon ni a ye ejo na fun ijo kejilelogun oḍo yi, fun awon oniko to nti ona Potakoti bo bi oḍo ti re ma gbo.

"BI OJO BA KAN RI—OYE AYE"

Eyi lo fe dai oḍo ti awon odaran mej- pe nigbati Ijba mu won wa fun esun ole, esun nje Salami Ajase eniti o nise a nra aḍo fi lo eege bi ero Ajase ti ma nṣowo, Esaj ni K'ran ti oruko re nje Tom Nimley ti won fi won sun fun esun ole, nipa jiji aḍo opolopo ero ko to eri, aḍ pe Ijba ko-ri eniti oni aḍo nitori na Adajo ni bi oḍo n ga lo. Bi e ba ri aja ewu lo ke ki.

"BI ENIA KO TO IYA KO—A JE KUN"

Ni ijo Monday ijo karun oḍo yi ni won pe ejo obinrin kan to wa ni ita la eni ti oruko re nje Susannah Savage to pe Og-ori Sigis Sawyer ni ejo wipe o lu on, ejo nla ni Susannah ba Sigis S. Karu to pe o lo on lori, Su-u-u (bi asa Ologbe

Alufa M. L. Stowe) gba loya Akigemoyin o si pe Dokita Orişadipe Ohasa ni eleri, ko wa so bi on ti se ese to. Sigis gba Loya Harrison Tambata Susannah ko mo wipe ile ejo ki se ile ere, o se bi won ma nmu eniken wa si Koto wipe o ba on ja, of iya je on, sugbon Loya Harrison fi han ijba wipe Sawyer je Susannah lowo, sugbon ipe to ti nse ri, ise na duro, o si ese ri omiran ni Susannah la di mo ipe lo ni ahi ori ahi orun, bi on ko gba owo, on ko lo, irufe iwa bayi ka di ibi ti ija gbe de ni yi, ti Susannah mu chin re ko to si nja Sigis je bi eras, ti Sigis papa fi han Susannah pe abara on si wa, nibo ni ago mbo Adajo ni bi Susannah wa fe gba owo Dokita ole pe Sigis lejo sugbon ti pe ki on je ni ya—ila to se ni Oba nge. Awon Oḍo to sin Susannah wa si ile ejo ko ni ye bayi ni ejo yi pari si.

Ni iwaju Olola Sir Fredrick Alan Vander Meulen ni Koto nla, ni ijo karun oḍo yi ijo Monday ni a gbo ti won pe ejo kan.

Daniel Towry Coker — Plaintiff

Versus

Victor Latunde Coker and
Comfort Omoḍara Williams }—Defendants

Suit No. 440 of 1922

Possession of the house and landed property at Taiwo Street, Lagos, lately in the occupation of the late Phoebe Williams and now in the possession of the defendants.

The defendants are sued as the Executor and Executrix of the late Phoebe Williams respectively.

Ejo yi Ad-ijo fi si ese meta lori, sugbon ile ti won pe ejo fun ni ti namba 26 ita Taiwo. E tun ma gbo be ba ti pari si.

Mo ki yin e ku oḍan e ku iyedun,

Emi ni tiyin nitote,

ATOLUGBOKUN.

MR AKIN ADESIGBIN—A MAN OF
PUSH AND ENERGY.

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IROHIN IYASIMIMO IJO ELETO TI OMO IBILE AJIDO

(St. John's United African Methodist Church
Ajido Via Badagry.)

Si Oni'we Irohin "Eko Akete"

Mo juba o,

Nitoto "Irohin ko to afojuba" ni Isin Iyasimimo na ti a se ni ojo kokanlelogun oṣu December 1924. je, gege bi gbogbo wa ti ri "Iwe Ikede" na kakiri ode Eko, Agbadarigi ati ni Ajido pelu gbogbo Ilu ti o wa ni agbegbe re.

Ninu awon alejo ti o ko gunle si ebute Zungo pelu orin ati ijo ni oṣun Thursday 18/12/24 ni Eni owo I. O. Oyekanle ati Ogbeni Akiyemi Amusu pelu awon okunrin ati obirin, lati igbana ni mo ti ni firifi obun ula ti o nṣoṣa ṣeṣe ni ilu Ajido, mo wa ranti owe Oyinbo ti o wipe "Coming events cast their shadows before."

Lati igbati awon ara wa yi ti gunle si Ajido titi di ojo ti a si ile Olorun titun yi ni nwon ti nboke gbodo pelu Ogbeni Thomas Kisi, Isaac Kunnufi awon Akowe Igbimo ti nko ile pelu awon Mamba won tokunrin tobin-in lati se ipalẹm silẹ de awon alejo ti yio ti oriṣiṣi ilu wa sibi Iyasimimo Ijo Eleto yi.

Ni ale Satide 20/12/24 ni agogo mejo ale ni a gburo ilu, orin ati ijo awon omo Ibile ti o wa ni Agbadarigi (labẹ Eni Owo G. M. Fisher) awon ti o si je Asiwaju nwon ni Ogbeni Adodo Iroko (Baba Egbe) ati Ogbeni J. A. Seton (Ajikodidun ninu orin iyin si Olorun) pelu opolopo enia tokunrin tobinrin, awon si gunle si ebute Zungo, Igbin eyi, awon si sira lo sibi ile Isin Titan, a si wa fi won wo si ile Ogbeni Godonu Zangbade ni Kogbome.

A ṣope gidigidi lowo awon Ijo omo Ibile ti Agbadarigi fun ayaw, wahala ati ariya ti nwon wa se fun wa, ani nwon tile ba wa ṣona titi awon ara wa fi de lati Eko.

Ni ojo ose niwon agogo merin owuro ni a ngbo ilu awon ara wa lokere pelu orin ati ijo, beni awa pelu awon ara Agbadarigi si lo pade won ni ebute Zungo nibiti nwon gbe gunle si.

Nigbati akoko isin si to, gbogbo awon Akorin (Choir) ati awon ara Eko, Agbadarigi ati awon mamba Ijo Eleto Ajido lo pejo si ile Balẹ Kunnufi, lati ibe ni nwon ti to ni mejimeji, awon Akorin siwaju, awon Eni Owo I. O. Oyekanle ati G. M. Fisher si tele won, Igbina ni awon Egbe odomokunrin Youngmen's Christian Guild lati Eko ati oriṣiṣi egbe obirin si tele nwon titi awon fi de Ebute-Gbonu ni ile Olorun Titun, Balẹ Kunnufi, Ogbeni John Amusu ati Kiki Badiaran pelu awon Igbimo Ilu si joko niwaju Ijo.

A pari Isin Iyasimimo pelu Idupẹ. Eni owo I. O. Oyekanle lo se iwasi ni owuro, gbogbo awon ara wa ti o wa sibi Isin lo wa siwaju Pepe pelu ope, a si tun se Ipinfunni onje Ale Oluwa fun gbogbo awon ti okan nwon fa si i.

Ninu isin oṣan, a se Isin Ibomisori fun enia merinladota (54 Candidates) Eni owo G. M. Fisher lo se iwasa.

Bayi ni a mu Isin Iyasimimo yi wa si ipari ni agogo marun ale, awon ara wa lati Eko, Algbado, Agbadarigi pelu Topo ati Thale si lo si ilu nwon pelu ayo ati ope fun Olodumare.

A ko le pari irohin yi lai dupẹ lowo Olorun Oga Ogo fun ise ritiribi ti o da silẹ ni ilu Ajido lati owo Ogbeni John Amusu (ti apele re nje Baptist) ti awon odomokunrin si dide nistisiyi lati tan isin Olorun ni kale jakejado gbogbo ilu ti o wa ni agbegbe Ajido, nitoripe ojo isami ti a ya Ijo St. John's Eleto omo ibile Ajido si mimọ je ojo pataki ti gbogbo omo Ibile Ajido ko le gbagbe lailai, eyi ti Oyinbo npe ni Red Letter Day in the annals of Ajido.

A si tun ni lati dupẹ lopolopo lowo gbogbo awon ara ti o wa lati Eko, Algbado, Agbadarigi, Topo ati Thale, ti nwon fi ile ati ona nwon silẹ ti nwon si wa ba wa se eye na, ki Olorun ki o bukun fun gbogbo nwon patapata. Aṣẹ.

A be awon ara wa ti a fi iwe pe (Initiation) ti nwon ko le wa, ki nwon jowo fi iranlowo ti nwon ranse si Eni-owo I. O. Oyekanle l'Eko tabi si ogbeni E. Akiyemi Amusu 27, Ondo Street Ijoro Ebute Meṣa tabi si Eni owo G. M. Fisher Alabojutọ Ijo omo Ibile Agbadarigi fun ilosiwaju ise Olorun larin awon Egun.

Ni ipari adura mi ni pe ki Olorun ki o homirin iwasa mejeji ti awon Eni owo Oyekanle ati Fisher se ni ilu Ajido, ki o si fi eṣe tomede, tagba, tokunrin, tobinrin mule ninu Ijo yi, ki ise na le ma lo siwaju ati siwaju, Aṣẹ.

Nitoto "Eso eso ni Igbin gba ngun igi."

Eko Akete owo re a roke o, jowo ba mu funrere Ilu ni Ajido si eti igbo gbogbo enia fun afani awa omo Egun nile l'oko, l'odo pelu.

Eni ni tiyin nitoto,

"ALOMA-VI"

Ajido.

ENIKEJI.

Aṣọ oke to yanju mbo lodo Iya Afin Saamota Ike Olorun fun tita, opoku oyoku ni owo won, lo bere ni 3, St. John Street, l'Eko, leti ile Johnson Agbejoro.

EKO AKETE.

EKO, SATURDAY, JAN. 10, 1925.

AGBAGBA—E GEARADI, E
TUBQ JẸ K'O GUN

* * * Irufe onin ti o ye awon Saraki wa bi Ogbeni Olola J. Egerton Shyngle omo Owa ni Lesa, Ogbeni Olola Ejie Olowu Moore ara Ijemo-alape omo Lisati ati Ogbeni Burrel Carter Vaughan, omo Ikunrunmi Are agbake lowe, ni a ko niba soki soke nibi fun ipe ribiribi ti awon dawole ni siye lati oju ese to kaja, fun alafia igboro ile yi nipa didide si pipiri ede gan-nu-ngande to ti wa lojo lafin diẹ ninu awon Bokinni wa bi Dokita J. hn Randle, Kitoyi Ajasa Oloja, Dokita Oriṣadipe Obaṣa ati Samuel Herbert Prase Oloja, Feju Ogbeni wa Herbert Macaulay, Kinsan Onbudo.

Gege bi a ti gbo labari na si, a so pe t'owo l'ese ni awon Ogbeni Dokita Randle ati Ogbeni Ajasa Oloja ti gba awon onihin-ree alafia yi, papa ni akoko isinsinyi ninu eyiti enikeni nse afọṣona wiwa Arẹmọ Oba s'arin wa nibi ninu oṣu April odunni; ti a ba fi ipari to lo, ti o si ye si ede aiyede yi ti ko ba se pe luu yio tun ru nigbamiran, nje irufe ise yi yio je okan ninu awon ohun iyanu wonni ti odun 1925 yi ti pade de olukuluku wa, fun alafia ati ifokanbale lu.

Yio si je ohun ti o wa wa gidigidi bi awon "onise nla" wonyi— a pe awon Bokinni onilaja na Foruṣo bayi nitoripe ipe kekere ko lo wa ninu ti a mu Kinsan, Ekan, Hoko, Ijapa ati Agutan di ore ara won gege bi awon atagbagba wa wonyi ti napa isinsinyi larin awon alagba wa miran—ba le se ki ota-otun to mbe larin Ogbeni Herbert Macaulay ati Ogbeni Henry Carr di fifo iṣa. eyi muwa tiran odun bi ekesan tabi ekesa sehin ni igba aipe Ogbeni James Bright Davies Editor Times of Nigeria, A fojiji-se kalamu-iwe, ti irepo je wa larin awon "baba-nla-nla"

mejeji yi, tobe ti Ogbeni Carr ki ye saba fi ile bere kiko iwe si Ogbeni Macaulay nigbakugba ti o ba se kowe si, ti o si ni ore aladun bayi bere je pe *Dear Architect* eyini ni "Iwo Kolekole ore ati ogba mi" (*Architect*) awa ri okan ninu irufe iwe be lo mu wa so ohun ti a so yi. Ti gboṣo rogbodyan wonyi ba le pari s'atari anfani, nje ori ilu Eko tun sunan lekan si niyan; gege be na si ni a tanma pe awon Musulami ara wa ki yio je ki ore ajagbala ti aja ki o pa le won lori nipa siye kokari pipa na ija to mbe larin awon papa pelu.

Ti aiyi ilu ba bale bayi, ko le se ki ore miran ti o je pataki fun wa ma lori; didaru ilu dabi igbati oṣa nja bi oṣa Langbasa, ko si oko ti o ma wa ni agbami Langbasa lakoko yi ti ko ni wa nipo tode sibi, titi sehin, sugbon ti oṣa ba pa lolo, Agbedo o, ki olukuluku olo wete ma rin ma yan lori re nu.

Enyin onise nla, e tubo mura si ise ifi aiyi ilu ba le, ti e mu dani isinsinyi. Baba yio si gb'owo nyin o.

Alabukun fun ni enyin Onilaja

Nitoriti omo Olorun I'a o taa pe nyin.

NI IRANTI.

SABITIYU ADUKE Ologbe iya wa, Eniti o fi ile bora ni ile oko re Ogbeni Ishola B. T. Byron ti Ita Nomba, 3, Adagan ni Eko Ologbe iya wa fi ave silẹ ni Ijo kafa oṣu January 1923. Nigbati oni fi awa mejji silẹ "Nigbati awa nion iye" "Awa nion iku" Ninu oṣe yi lodi odun keji to fi ile bora Iku to mu Sabitiyu Aduke iya lo, iku dero. Ki Ohwa ko gbe si afẹfẹ rete

Amim

AWAWU ISHOLA BYRON
BINTU ISHOLA BYRON

3, Ita Adagan

A-SQ-TELE L'O NJE QRO ANA!

[Lati pup ATARI-AJANAEU.]

Si Oni 'we-irohin "EKO AKETE."

Mo bere f'oji.

Gege bi olukuluku ti jeje ewure, ti olukuluku jeje agutan, ti Oluronbi jeje omo re A-pou-bi-epo, beni a jeje ni ose keji obun lati so oro die nipase lwe-ipin'gun keji (*Codical*), eyiti Ogbeni James George so wipe on se fun Ologbe, Ogbeni Andrew Williamson Thomas, Oni-gbanjo; ani, lwe ti Kotsu ka si oku, ti o kan Posi fun, ti o si di Posi na ru Ogbeni James George ati Alufa T. A. J. Ogunbiyi.

Anu se wa pupo ti a ni lati so ohunkobun rara sinu oro yi, nitoripe *o-oro* ti a ko ba ka si eyiti o kan ebogbo ilu, (*matters of public interest*), tabi eyiti gbigbe re ko le se aniani, tabi bi o je kilu fun enikeni; obun ilodi patapata si ife wa ni lati ma kede irufe oro be sinu lwe-irohin ti gbogbo aye nka, gege bi "EKO AKETE" yi.

Ti ede-ko-y'ede tra wa li afin ebi kan, tabi wipe awon nba ara won ja nitori Ogun, eyin ko kan ihu rara, ayasebi eniti o fi Ogun na silu fun won ki nwon ba a se Wili (*Will*) lwe-ipin'gun.

Ti oluware ba se Wili, ti o ba fe, o tun le se *Codical* pelu, ki o si pin Ogun re bi o ti fe, eyin ko kan wa, tabi lwe-irohin wa; Ogun-dareke ni, on l'o ni ireke re ti o da!

Sugbon, ti Enia Dada kan ba ku ni ile yi lai se Wili, ti ko si gbe Arede, ti awon omo re ba nja nitori Ogun re, oro ti o kan ihu lati da si ni; nitori a ni lati pin Ogun na, lo a fun Okunrin ni ipin tire, obirin ni ipin tire, ge re bi ofin ati asa Ipin'gun ile Yoruba, eyid o yalo patapata si ti Oyinbo ni opolopo enia ntele ninu Wili, eyiti o ndi eti l'ehin iku won.

Gege bi a ti so siwaja wipe enikeni le fi Wili pin Ogun re bi o ti wu o, li Wili ko ba te e lerun, o le se *Codical* pelu, ati wipe o ti o ba si se be, ko kan ihu tabi lwe-irohin. Ki'o se nigbana ti a te lati so ohunkobun nipase Ogun ti Andura (Andrew Thomas) fi silu fun awon ebi re, nigbati o je wipe o se Wili, awon si so wipe o se *Codical* pelu?

Beni. Ibere na dara pupo; sugbon, esi re ni wipe, iba se wipe ara Andura le daradara, iba se wipe gbogbo lakaye ori re ni o pe li akoko ti nwon so wipe o se *Codical* ni, howa! iba fe, ki o fere fi gbogbo Ohun-ini re li aye ta ara ode kanposo l'ore, ki a ma sege wipe enikeni ninu awon omo re, Ogun-dareke ni a ba pe e, a ba si so wipe on li o ni ireke re ti o da.

Sugbon, ipo ti Andrew Thomas wa, ni agbede-meji aye on oran, ni akoko ti nwon l'aya-l'aya wipe o be won ni *Codical* tabi atunse lori lwe-ipin'gun elini se: eyi ni o je ki a fa Gege wa yo, lati se kilu-kilu fun Ogbeni James George, eniti o se lwe-aramu na, ati fun Alufa T. A. J. Ogunbiyi,

eniti o je oyè Baba-isaku ninu re, ati pelu fun elomiran ni ojo miran, wipe, eniti a be l'ori ko le mu elo mo, ati wipe, a-le-mu ko ye agba, nitorina ki agba mase se ise a-le-mu!

Ki a to ma je l'aji oro niso, a ro wipe o ye ki a je ki opolopo enia mo die nipase nikan ti a npe ni Wili (*Will*) ati *Codical*.

L'ehin ti enia ba ti se Wili tan, ti o tun fe yi nkan die pada ninu re, lwe keji ti o ba tun se yen, on ni o nje *Codical*.

Wili, gege bi ofin Gesi, o je lwe-ilana, nina eyiti-enia, ni igba aye re, ti o se eto bi a o ti pin Ogun re l'ehin iku re. Enia le se Wili, tabi ki o se ilana ipin'gun re bi o ti wu o, faibokita fun iyawo ati omo re, o le ko gbogbo Ohun-ini re fun enikanposo ninu gbogbo awon omo re, o le fun awon iyaku ni gile-kokan, o si le sai fun won ni kobo aladojo. O to saba be sinu ofin Gesi, sugbon, eniti o se nikan ti enikan ko se ri ni, oju re yo ri nikan ti enikan ko ri ti. Ki enia to le fi ile tabi ile tore ninu Wili re, o ni lati se Wili na gege bi ofin Ijoba ihu ti ile tabi ile na wa.

Ki a so wipe Oyinbo Jamani kan ko ile si ihu Gesi, ko le fi ile na tore fun enikeni ninu Wili re, ayasebi o ba se e gege bi ofin kan ti a npe ni *Wills Act* ti nwon se ni ihu Gesi ni odun kejidi-ladoran ohun, (1837.)

Sugbon, nipase Ohun-ini miran ti enia le gbe tabi mu lati ibi kan lo si ioi keji, bi ago, owo, obun ago ile ati nkan miran, ofin ti a npe ni *Lord Kings-down Act* ti ihu Oyinbo fi owo si ni'odun kerinle-ogota, 1861, yoda re fun enikeni labe Ijoba Gesi lati se Wili re, yala gege bi asa ihu Gesi, tabi asa ihu ibiti oluware fi se ile.

Ofin lati se Wili ti ihu kan yalo si ekeji.

Eniti ko to omo odun mokanle-logun ko le se Wili, bikose eniti o d'agba to be, tabi ju be lo, ti lakaye re si pe: ki o ni si to le gba Wili re, o ni lati ko o sinu ire, ki o si ko oruko ara re si i loju awon eleri ti yio fi owo si i pelu. Awon ti o ni yoda Wili a-la-fi-gun-se lasun fun loju eleri ti o ba di "Karangida" tan, ni awon Soja (*Soldiers*) ati Selo (*Sailors*) ti o wa ni oju ogun, yala Soja tabi Selo na ti eni odun mokanle-logun tabi ko to be. Wili a-la-fi-gun-se be ni a npe ni *Non-purchase Will*, eyiti a so di oku fun enikeni, bikose awon Soja ati Selo ogun ni odun kejidi-ladoran, (1837); sugbon, gege bi ofin meji kan ti a se ni'ogota odun ati odun kejidi-logbon sehin, (1865 & 1897.) ti a npe ni *Navy and Marine Wills Act*, awon Selo ogun kanta yi: ni lati se Wili won sinu ire, ba ile wu ba mu elo bi a o ti pin owo-ise won (*Disposal of Wages*), Owo-ebun (*Prize Money*), ati Chun-iki won miran ti o wa lodu Oga won (*Admiralty*) dani.

Gege bi a ti so siwaja wipe, eniti lakaye re pe nikan ni o le se Wili, ayen le je ki enu ya opolopo elomiran lati gbe wipe, gege bi ofin Gesi, Akidansi-

dani, tabi Aṣiwere enia, ṣugbo gboṣo aye ti mo ni wère, le ṣe Wili ti o to suna fun ara re, tabi ki o toje enia ṣe ti akoko ti oju re ba wa'le. (*thuring a lucid interval*;) ti wère ori re ba si tun gun a ṣehinna, eyini ko ba Wili ti o ti ṣe je. Aṣiwere ti ori re nwalé ni gbéda-gbédá to lati toju iṣe re le ṣe Wili gege bi ofin; ṣugbo, Wili ti Onitisi ṣe ni akoko ti oti upa a, Wili ti a si ipa un enia ṣe, Wili ti a tan enia rere, ti a tan a rere lati se. Wili ti a rí enia tió lati se, tabi eyiti o je ki o ni owo si ni akoko ti amodi dá iláṣe ati opolò ori re ró, ko lo suna rara ninu ofin; nigbakigba ti ariyanjyan ba si gbe irufe Wili be de Kòtó, Posi (Coffin) ni Ouidajo yio kin fun u, ti yio si di Posi a ra eniti o ba ṣe.

Enikeni ti o ba ṣe ayeṣeru (*Fraud*) to wipe on ṣe Wili fun enikan, ti Ijoba ba mo, ijokojó ni Ijoba le to ewon mo oluwáré n'di.

Wili ti enia ba ṣe ki o to gb'arede Oyinbo di oku niyè arede, ayagbèbi o ba ṣe oniran lèhin igbe-yawo re.

Ki enia to ṣe Wili, o ye ki o ba eniti o ṣe ki o ṣe Baba Isinku re ṣe tele, lèhinna ki o ṣe iwe isiro gboṣo ohun ini re, ki o lo to be Leya tabi Solisito (*Solicitor*) ni Wili ṣe. Ko lo si ofin rara fun enikeni lati ṣe Wili fun ara re lai to Leya lo, ṣugbo enu to wa niṣe ko here.

Enikeni ti o ba si ṣe Baba Isinku (*Executor* imbi *Trustee*) lai gbo ti enu re tele, le ko jalé jalé lèhin iku eniti o ṣe Wili na, ṣugbo ti oluwáré ba le. ti o gbo'jege, o ni lati ṣe iṣe na daradara pelu otito, lai gba kóko kan fun wahala re, gege bi Baba Isinku, ayagbèbi Ologbe ba ti yoda iye owo kan fun u ninu Wili re tele.

Baba Isinku to ba ṣe aforwà jebi ewon.

Bi enia ṣe Wili tan, ti ko fè ohun ti o wa ninu re mo lèhinna, ti o tórina ko ikokukò s'aju Wili na tabi ti o fi oṣe (*Knife*) pa apakan orukó ara re to wa niṣe re, ti o si ju Wili na sinu aperé ilé (*wasle paper basket*) to wa niṣe re; ṣugbo ti ko ṣe Wili miran tabi *Codical* lèhinna, eyi to lo ikokukó si loju yen, to ba apakan orukó re re koro niṣe to si ju sinu aperé ilé, on kanna ni ofin yio gbo gege bi Wili re nielati o ba ku. Nitorina, enikeni ti o ba ti ṣe Wili kan silé ri, ti ko fè e mo, ki o kuku sun di era, tabi ki o se omiran patpata.

Ki Oyinbo to de, awa Enia Dadu ko mo nkan to oje Wili, ko si eniti o nṣe e titi di oni, ni ilu óke.

Nigbati Baba wa l'ayo ni yio ti fun onio re ni oje tabi ohun pataki ti o fè fun u, eyi ti o ba si fi silé lèhin iku re di pipin larin gboṣo ebi gege bi aṣa Ilu (*Native Customs*.) Ko si ara óke kan ti Iloju ti a npe ni Iloju Oyinbo: ko bajé ti yio jenn yio tan, ti yio beresi iwe se pe ti on ba ku, Lagbaja si ki o mu sokoto, ki Yamado mo agbada eto, ki Lakajegbe ko isu to wa Faba. O ti fi okan tan awon ebi to fi silé, o si ti mo daju pe nwon a ṣe ghin on daradara.

Ebi mielo lo le ṣe ghin enikan daradara l'Ele? A ko ba won wi. Nigbati Olorun yoda owo fun enikansojo larin gboṣo ebi re, ti ko fi owo na toju Iya tabi Baba re, ti ko fi toju egbon tabi aburo re, ti o nlo o fun iṣekufe ara re nikan laibikita fun olomiran rara, ti o wa ṣe iṣekufe Wili lèhinna fun awon omo re nikan, ati awon ebinrin ti o ko jo; nigbati irufe enia be ba ka Obobiyi ebi wo ni yio ṣe ehin re daradara? A kuntu-kun olowo be e bi Adigbonronku!

Yoruba fafau ni Andrew Wilkinson Thomas nṣe; Oyo-ay'ompo silé ba ti e lo. Eyi ko age akoko lati so igbesi niye re, bi o ti ṣe de ja yi lati kekere; Sunkuru to lo; iṣe to nṣe; Soṣi to ti nlo ri ko to di ero *Bethel* nibiliti o joye Baba Egbé; iye aya ati omó to fi silé; odun ti o gbe'yawo akogbe ati omó eniti o gbe ni iyawo; odun ti igba keji omó eniti o gbe, ati bi awon meiji se rin ko'ra won siwaju iyawo; ile ti o koko ra; bi o ti ṣe di okan ninu eniti a ka si olowo; bi o ti fetan ehin gigin to; bi o ti le ṣe sara onje to ati iran-ṣowo fun awon ti o sun mo o; bi o ti sefan awon omó ati ano re si; bi o ti se ba awon oléte lo si ile Oba pe ki Ijoba wa Eleko, Oloye Oluwa, Herbert, Macaulay ati awon jukanjukan miran kuro n'llu; ati bi o ti ni ireti pe a o yan on si igbimo Aṣelu (*Legislative Council*) bi Asoju Oyo titi o fi t'eri gb'ayo.

Ojojo dié dié ti nṣe Ogbèni Ànduru lati ibere odun 1923, o arun mo'ra, boyi enikeni ninu awon ara ile re ko mo; ṣugbo nigbati o di oṣu *April* mo *May*, amodi na beresi gb'owo. Ki o ranṣe fun Dokita, nigbati o si di oṣu *July*, o ṣe Wili re ikehin eyiti o fi Wili ti iwaju di oku.

Ninu Wili ti o ṣe yi, o pin ogun re larin awon omó re ni on a ti o ro pe o dara loju on, o si fun dié ninu awon ibatan re ni ebu ti ko joju tobe. Eyi tofun alarede re ko segba, ko se ko, ṣugbo Ogundareke lo ni ireko re ti o da.

Ninu Wili ti a moṣo re yi, o fi Ogbèni James George, *Solicitor*, to ngbe ita *Campes* Tokokan ile Ogbèni Josiah Doherty oninure, ati Afa Ewan Williams E.A. ti Soṣi Olowogbowo se Baba Isinku o si fi omó re papa Mrs. Christian Ayo Coker se Iya Isinku.

O fi ile re nín to wa ni Anikantomó pelu gboṣo ohun oṣo (*furniture*) inu re se ile ebi, "*Famly House*"; o si ka orukó awon ti o pe ni ebi silé.

O pin ile dié larin awon omó re, ṣugbo gboṣo iyoku, ati dukia ati ohun ni re miran (*Residuary Estate*) ti ko pin fun enikeni, o fi fun mefa ninu awon omó re obinrin. O si pese owo to nizan dié fun awon Baba Isinku (*Executors*) ati Iya Isinku (*Executrix*) ninu Wili re.

Lati oṣu *May* 1923, odun keji ohun ti Dr. Aitkens Oyinbo ti itoju Ogbèni Andrew Thomas, amodi ko dinku. Dr. Obaṣa of Ilaja na ntoju re pelu

Bi alican na ti nlo awaju, be ni o nlo sghin titi omiko lkn fi de.

Nigbati o di ojp ketala odu *September 1923*, odun kan pelu oju merin o din oju meta lomi, "Oro" lu Ogbeni Andrew Thomas lojini ni ile re, o si ba apokan ara re je lali ori titi de ese, owo re, ese ro, lakaye ori re daru.

"Oro" ldn yi ni Oyinbo ape ni *Paralytic* tabi *Paralytic Stroke*.

Nigbati Dr. Aitkens Oyinbo to ntoju re de ibe lehinna, o ba a ni aebede meji aye o a orun, ko le soro darachara, nitiori "Oro" ti o lu u lakaye re pelu; ahi loju Dr. Aitkens Oyinbo, gese bi ise ti o ko daradara, to si gba oye re, bi "Oro" ba lu enifeni bi o ti la Andrew Thomas, olaware na ko le mo nkan ti o nse tun odidi oju medogun lehinna lobi jubg bi, lona oju kerin pere lehin na, eyi ni oju ketadilogun odu *September, 1923* ni Ogbeni James George wape Anduru be on ni *Codial* tabi iwe Ipinigun, keji to di oju yi se.

Lati lebatu "Oro" ti la Ogbeni Andrew Thomas ni oju betala odu *September*, ni ko ti mo nkan ti o nge tobe mo, paya fun odidi oju medogun tabi jubg lo lehinna.

Ni oju ketadilogun odu *September* kanna yi, ni Alfa T. A. J. Ogunbiyi to ti ni, si le Ogbeni Anduru tpe rido ki; Ogbeni James George si ba a ni be sugbon awon meji bi dae mun awon omp Anduru loju re, l'ogunrin t'ourin, oju babu won ko si dile rira.

Lekin ti awon oko, ti awon pa su-su ar, ti James George wape Anduru be on ni *Codial* se, awon gbera. Nigbati o di oju keji, awon tun de, awon tun ba opoboyo enia ni iyara gese bi ti oju kinl. Ala Ogunbiyi roju, o roju ti; o wa tope gafara loyo awon ti o ba n'iyara, pe ki won jade fun on pelu James George. Okan ninu won eyini Ogbeni Omoyalewa Thomas koklo ko ladi jade, sugbon o jade lehinna nigbati Ala Ogunbiyi ni ori po o loyo.

Ko ju isaju meji pere lehin ti o jade tan ni Ogbeni James George tun keci i pe ki o ba won wa enia meji, ara ode, ladi wa ese eleri *Codial*.

Logan, Omoyalewa kesi Summel Adeyemi Clay to nise; aebede nitiori ibe, nigbati ko si si ara ode keji ti awon, le pe ni lunkansi, James George papa keci Ogbeni A. O. Thomas, ojan ninu awon ti awon le jade kuro n'iyara ladi se eleri keji.

Awon eleri meji fi owo si iwe *Codial* na; ni gboogbo akoko yi, amodi nida Ogbeni Anduru lannu pupu, orun lo si nasun fani oju.

Nwon ji a, awon fi gese ha a loyo, Ogunbiyi fun u ni igbi oju (*Spectacle*) nwon si ti owo re bo'we; sugbon o daju gangba, pe Anduru ko mo igbati o ko oruko ara re si isale iwe na, nitiori "Oro" (*Paralytic*) to sese lu u l'akoko na ti mu lakaye re llo.

Lekin t Ogbeni James George ati Alfa Ogunbiyi ti pari se won bayi tan, awon meji gbon ti s'bu u, nwon si lo.

Oju g'ori oju, oju g'ori, oju lehinna ki Andrew Thomas to di Ologbe, larin toju pupu, ile ahi igbe awon omp re.

Nigbati o ku tun awon omp oloko bereci se bi arire. Nwon nse, nwon nso, nwon nje nwon nni, lai mo rana pe ata ti Ogbeni James George ati Alfa T. A. J. Ogunbiyi lo ni oju ketadilogun odu *September, 1923*, sinu *Codial* fun Babu won, oju awon omp re ni nwon se fi re.

(*Kol pari.*)

Eni ni tuyin nitoto.

ATARI AJANAKU.

FROM THE EDITOR'S OBSERVATORY.

"Old Bottle for New."

Train travellers to and from Ibadan in these days cannot but observe with the new *Goder* bridge lately erected at Odelefini in lieu of the old one, the former of which reflects great credit on the engineering genius of the maker who 700 years ago, is a useful link in the great chain of the Nigerian Railway.

The Hon. The General Manager Mr. Blund with his staff is to be congratulated on this piece of mechanism a triumph in engineering skill: the new bridge was recently declared open, and it is certainly a pleasure to have a call-road thereon, as was our happy experience on Monday last on our way to the Land of many battles—Ibadan.

Tete-a-Tete with The Hon. The Member for Oyo Division

In our short trip to Ibadan, crowded as it was with many friendly saloons, we paid a flying visit to The Hon. E. H. Oke, M.C., in his house at Idi-Ikan without we met but garbeting—as was his wont, the first occasion of our "poke-seeing" to him eight years ago. The Hon. gentleman who looked the very picture of health, could hardly be conceived as the man who is quietly, if he is not slumbering his eighty winters but one, our discourse led to the glam arrangements now in hand in all our (then British colonies, with our particular reference to our beloved Nigeria, for giving the Heir-Apparent, H. R. H. The Prince of Wales a fitting welcome in April next.

At The Altar at Last.

The marriage of Miss Adake fondly called Ajlera, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Quirino Santos, of Peyton House, Ibadan, with Mr. Solomon Cole, a son of late C. B. Cole of G. P. O. Innis, is announced to take place at the Roman Catholic Church, Ibadan, on Thursday the 24th instant.

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LATEST ARRIVALS

Lord Leverhulme on the *African* on the 8th inst. Mr. Baddley, the new Chief Secretary to the Government on the *Abrasi*, on the 8th inst.

His Honour Lieut-Col Moorhouse, Lieut Governor Southern Provinces proceeds on furlough on the 16th instant.

Eko Akete Wireless.

THE CHRISTIANITY OF PRESENT-DAY EUROPEAN MISSIONARIES.

By Episcopos.

The Christianity of modern European Missionaries in Africa is indeed a puzzle. One does not need much thinking from every day experiences in Nigeria that their Christianity has little of the spirit and love of Christ. Love of the brotherhood—"for God hath made of one blood all the nations of the earth"—is conspicuous by its absence; there is much of colour prejudice and pride; too much of colour distinction; there is too much of the domineering spirit; it is very much evident, the aim of instilling in the African a belief that the Channel through which the African can approach God or be saved through Christ is different from the Channel allotted to the white man. There is much that looks pharisaical as to make us believe that they are the "righteous" Christ has nothing to do with; to us they appear to think that, as righteous men, their work is as vicegerent, (if not higher), of Christ to make the Africans fit for heaven in their own way and as they wish—Christ and His power and love not counting. But "St. Peter at the gate" according to the dream or vision of John Wesley, will disillusion them and give them truth.

What was reported in the local papers recently with regard to the action of a Missionary Prelate re Diamond Jubilee Birthday of a member of one of his Churches is so unchristian that it takes the breath from one. If even the Posters placarded by those worthy sons of Nigeria in appreciation of the way God has been pleased to use our great hero Herbert Macaulay for the benefit of all including this Missionary Prelate and his Church Denomination causes any misapprehension, this Prelate a *Reverend Father in God* (?), should not have betrayed an absence of paternal love and feeling and should not have been so wanting in the spirit of love had peace that is of Christ. If there was no realisation, a private explanation from the Vicar, could have soothed everything without the regrettable swallowing of the camel. Our hero Herbert Macaulay has been a member of his Church from childhood up to sixty years and to the present; he has not undertaken to arrange any special programme of Service, defying the authority of this Prelate. Those responsible for the programme of our hero's Diamond Jubilee Birthday celebration and for the posters from all I could gather, never approached the Vicar or the Prelate asking for a Special Service; if there was really any misapprehension, the Vicar need not worry himself so long as he had not arranged for any special Service in his Church re the Birthday Celebration; if the public generally should also have had such misapprehension, they would have had such misapprehension cleared when the day arrived. Or anyone could have seen the Secretary signing the Posters or the Vicar.

Could be a sign of true stewardship if a servant of Jesus Christ should discourage a member of his Church giving thanks to God for special mercies and for preservation of life up to sixty years? why does the Prelate retain in his Book of Common Prayer, "particularly to those who desire now to offer up their praises and thanksgivings for thy late mercies vouchsafed unto them" in "General Thanksgiving"? Who are the *owtcasts* to this? Is our Hero one who must never give praise and offer thanksgiving to God in the Congregation of fellow sinners (including the Prelate) like himself? Was Prelate Jones wrong and did he do a sinful act when Thanksgiving Service was held for him in St. Paul's Breadfruit Church for "thirty years" service as a Missionary in Nigeria sometime ago? Was Assistant Prelate Oluwole wrong and did he do a sinful thing when Thanksgiving Services for attaining age of seventy years were held for him? Was Rev. Labanni of the Prelate's

Church who had Thanksgiving Service held for him for fifty or sixty years' service in his Church at Abeokuta? And many others? What is the difference between these and Herbert Macaulay? Perhaps they are righteous, sinless, the only sons of God, whilst Herbert Macaulay is the outcast Beelzebub? Does not think Christ love Herbert Macaulay and died for his sins? Is Christ bound to despise anyone this Prelate despises and that even without a cause? What is really the disqualification of Herbert Macaulay to cause so much agitation? Why did this Prelate not inform the public especially as he undertook to publish his venom in the local papers? Shall we be charged with prejudice if we say the Prelate's letter, which was uncalled for, going to the extent of saying that if even he is begged he would not have allowed any Service of Thanksgiving shows that there must be something tickling in his breast and that malice is evident?

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"History of Ondo."

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6.30 p.m. do.	do
9 a.m. St. John's (Aroloya)	Rev. H. V. E. Johnson
6.30 p.m. do.	do
9 a.m. & 6.30 p.m. St. Peter's (Alapako)	Rev. S. V. Latunde
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9 a.m. St. David's (Jordan)	Rev. J. H. Ogunro
6.30 p.m. do.	do.

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10.30 a.m. Tinubu	Rev. L. R. Potts Johnson
7 p.m. do.	Rev. D. A. Bababunimi
10.30 a.m. Ereko	Rev. A. N. Cole
7 p.m. do.	Bro. S. O. Stowe
10.30 a.m. Olowogbowo	Rev. E. E. Williams
7 p.m. do.	do
10.30 a.m. Obun Eko	Rev. S. A. Pearce
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AFRICAN (COMMUNION)

9 a.m. Jehovah Shalom	Bro. A. M. Williams
7 p.m. do.	Rev. J. F. Ogunko
9 a.m. Christ Church (Ebute Meja)	do.
6.30 p.m.	
9 a.m. Bethel	Rev. Supi. J. A. Lakpru
6.30 p.m.	Bro. J. B. Coker
9 a.m. Zion	Rev. N. J. D. Somuji
6.30 p.m.	do.
9 a.m. Salem Church (Ebute Meja)	
6.30 p.m. do.	
9 a.m. Bethlehem Church (Ebute Meja)	
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