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# CHILDREN'S HOME

# LINKS



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Working Parties inaugurated by friends to make garments for our children:—
Seven Kings' Sewing Meeting:
Secretary—Mrs. HUTCHINGS, 100, Felbrigge Road, Seven Kings.

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Muswell Hill Sewing Meeting:
Secretary—Mrs. HALES, Haslemere, Wetherill Road, New Southgate.

Boot Club:
Secretary—Mrs. SUCKLING, 2, Albert Villas, Peel Road, Woodford.

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#### EDITORIAL NOTES.

WHEN first the idea came to us of putting in print our gracioue Lord's dealings with this portion of His work we of course wondered whether a paper of this description would be the means of blessing to the Lord's people, and after much prayer and consideration we felt that a step of this kind would certainly strengthen and help those who put their trust in Him. We are more than encouraged by the letters we get from time to time from our praying friends telling of blessings received through the reading of the Links. One writes saying, "We are so glad to have received the little pamplet. It is so interesting. Quite one of the best things you have done." Another, "Thank you for sending the paper. It is most interesting. You have reason to thank God and take courage. The workers and children in your Home have a firmly established place in my prayers." Another, "Thank you very much for the Links which I have read with interest and for all your kindness to the children I introduced. I am glad the father came to see them; some time ago he got a relapse of drinking again and got discharged from the Home where I had placed him and turned up eventually to see me, starving and destitute. I did my best to lead him back to God and after some time got him taken back at the Home. I only regret I cannot send you a donation, but my present position does not allow me honestly to do so. But when God blesses me with that power I will not forget. With my prayers, Yours, etc."

We should like to take this opportunity of thanking our many friends who helped by their gifts to make the Christmas time a bright and happy one for our children. Could you have popped in and seen how the children were enjoying themselves you would in some measure have realised how your kind thoughts were appreciated by all. Quite a number of our old children came home for the Christmas and to the glory of God we say there was no lack.

We are sorry to report that our dear friend Mr. Hunt who greatly helped us during the past year in decorating some of our rooms and in carpentering, without payment, has been called to his Eernal Rest. We shall miss a friend and a supporter and would ask the prayers of our readers for his wife and relatives who are left.

Our income for May, June and July (first quarter of our 13th year) was £269 3s.  $5\frac{3}{4}$ d; for August, September, October, £95 6s. 1d., and for November, December and January (the third quarter, £162 14s.  $10\frac{1}{4}$ d. Rom. 15. 30.

Friends desirous of seeing over the Home can do so any afternoon between 3 and 5 except Sundays and Mondays, and children can be seen by their relatives and friends every Saturday between 6 and 8 p.m.

Will our friends please pray that God may open the way for us to make a forward move as we are constantly receiving applications for which we have no room.

Please book Thursdiy, May 22nd, for our Thirteenth Annual Meetings and pray for blessing. Speakers, see special notice.

Will our friends, the box-holders, kindly send the contents of their boxes on or before the 30th April as that date closes our thirteenth year and we are anxious to include the same in our Annual Statement.

Prayer is asked for this boy. "Just a few lines to let you know that I am getting on very well indeed. I shall be coming home on the 19th, Thursday week. If you don't mind I shall be pleased to spend Xmas and Boxing Days with you. On Friday I am passing another examination in signals, and if I pass I shall come home with my P.O. boy's rating and signal rating. In answer to your last letter, I have a Bible with me and our chaplain gives me a Bible reading card every month and I read my Bible twice a day. Of course there was a bit of joking going round when I first started reading because they thought I was joking, but when they tound out that I seriously meant to read it they put joking along-side and left me alone. After Xmas I will have an increase of work to do and then there are two more exams to pass and then I shall go to sea. With love."

Prayer is asked for this girl. "I am sorry to trouble you, but I am thinking of leaving my place as they are selling up and going to live far away, and I am not caring to do this. I feel it is my duty to be nearer you and it is only proper that I should come and see you all when it is my evening off, so could you please let me know what you think about the matter and I will leave it with you to make all arrangements. I hope you are all well and your daily needs and wants are being supplied. My prayers are for you all. I don't think a night passes without I remember you all to God in my prayers for the children's health. which is splendid according to the lot of illness there is about; also for more of them to be brought to Jesus, and for sisters who are under your care. I hope as they grow older they may love Jesus more. I always feel I want to serve Him better and do more work for Him."

#### EVANGELISTIC WORK.

About three or four years ago I got in touch with a Mr. Fred Sackett in rather a remarkable way and since that time we have had the pleasure at intervals of going out together to preach the Gospel with a Gospel car and tent which the Lord sent to our brother in answer to special prayer. Southwood, Ramsgate, was, I think, our first pitch together and we had some good times. We went during the day to Margate sands where we had some blessed times, and into Ramsgate, Broadstairs and Birchington and the surrounding villages, where we held meetings, returning to Southwood for the children's and adults' services, and God owned and blessed

His Word. One morning, while preaching on Margate sands to a good crowd of people, it commenced to rain and the people started going away. We told them not to go as we would ask the Lord to stop the rain. This remark caused the crowd to laugh, but having prayed loudly to this effect, the rain instantly stopped until the close of our meeting. Thus our gracious Lord answered our prayers much to the amazement of the people.

We also had a very blessed time at Miller's Field, Canterbury, where souls were saved and backsliders restored. After one meeting we spoke to two maids who said that they had been saved a month before, but who had lost

the joy of salvation through falling into sin. The eldest one who was in service told us that the cat had got into the pantry and made for a leg of mutton, bringing the meat and a big dish to the floor, breaking the dish, when she discovered this she got into a passion and swore at the cat. On telling her experience to the leader of the meeting where she attended, she had been told that she was now lost. We pointed out to her from the Word of God the awfulness of sin and gladly showed her I John ii, 1. which she readily obeyed and restoration followed.

We had too a most blessed time in the hop fields at Selling in Kent, the two of us living in the car which was placed in a big field surrounded by a few thousand hop pickers from our London slums. We went among them during the day, sometimes helping them pick their hops and inviting them to meetings in the tent when the day's work was over. We got at the children first through services held especially for them and had some play with them too, and through

the children to the parents, who crowded the tent, especially on the last night, and I shall never torget the sight when my dear brother app-aled for decisions-no less than twenty adults came out on the Lord's side.

Mr. Sackett is now an evangelist for The Open Air Mission, whose Head Office is 19, John Street, Bedford Row, which society is worthy of your interest and prayers as they send evangelists all over the country preaching the glorious old Gospel of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. I, too, have found great pleasure in having fellowship with this society and preaching for them when free. It has also been my privilege to address other meetings in Stoke Newington, Muswell Woodford, Stratford, Chingford, Abridge, Walthamstow, Lambourne, etc., when souls have been won for the Master. Both Mr and Mrs. Sackett are keenly interested in the work of the Home and do all they can in their spare moments to assist this corner of His vineyard.

### DIARY.

#### NOVEMBER.

1st. Basket of pears.

4th, Piece of mutton, 1 costume, from Leyton 12s, from Woolaston 2s with "I am enclosing another little mite for your work. There is a tremendous amount of sickn ss amongst the children in the villages around here, scarlet fever, measles etc. I trust that you have had no cases in the Home and that you yourself and co-workers are all quite well. I have had some happy times in the 'Great Fight' since we met. It is a fight, plenty of clouds, but, praise God, the sun does burst through them at times."

5th. 1 cape, 2 pair stockings, 2 petticoats, 1 nightdress, 1 blouse, 2 woollen bodices, 1 doll, 5 pinafores, 2 chemises, From Lambeth 5s, Camden Town 10s.

8th. 46 lbs home-made jam.

9th. From Clapton 6s 8d, Alresford 10s, Woodford 3s and 6s 8d, London, £1 9s 9d, 14s 8d, Plaistow 12s, Highams Park £1.

11th. Piece of mutton, From Ilford 14s, Woodford 5s.

12th. Parcel of magazines, From Isle of

Wight 19s 6d, Limehouse 10s.

13th. Parcel of second hand clothes, parcel of children's story books, Isle of Wight

16th. Parcel of second hand clothes, 1 jar of pickle cabbage, From Walton 6s, Woodford 4s 8d, 3s, Bow 2s 6d, Wandsworth £1.

18th. Hampstead 12s. 20th. Camden Town 10s.

21st. 2 black dresses, 5 bodices.

22nd. From London £4, Sevenoaks £3, Brentwood 5s, Chelsea 8s, East Ham 15s, Woodford 3s.

25th. Piece of mutton, Walton 12s, Woodford 6s 8d.

28th. 21 white nainsook pinafores, 11 holland pinafores, 10 holland overalls from our Seven Kings Sewing Meeting, these came as a refreshing token and as another proof that God answers prayer. A friend called in to-day and brought with him two five pound cheques from his two sisters, this came at a time of need and greatly rejoiced our hearts.

29th. 3 petticoats, 2 pair knickers. 30th. Limehouse 5s, Woodford 3s, 6s 8d. Leyton 12s.

DECEMBER.

2nd. Woodford 5s, Leytonstone 4s 4d. 3rd. Ireland 10s, Camden Town 10s.

4th. 4 hats, From Muswell Hill 7 shirts

and f.1.

5th. Parcel of second hand clothes, 16 pairs of new boots from our Seven Kings Sewing Meeting this came as a great boon as we were particularly wanting boots at this time. We also received one pair of new boots from the Boot Club, From Bush Hill Park 5s, Alresford 10s.

6th. 1 second hand coat.

7th. 2 boxes of toys, 3 pairs of second hand boots, Plaistow 12s, Woodford 3s 6d, 2s 6d, 6s 8d, Brentwood £1 16s.

9th 2lbs neck of mutton, 17 new blankets, I parcel of second hand clothes, From Lime-

house 5s, Ilford 14s.

10th. 18 dolls, 5 waistcoats, 18 pairs of unbleached stockings, 18 hats, 1 petticoat with stays, 2 toys. This was sent by a friend living in Colchester and who had heard of our work whilst staying in Folkestone last summer. Whilst sitting on the sands she got into conversation with one of our Barkway friends (also staying there for a holiday) who told her of our work with the result that this friend is now praying and working for us. This is most encouraging and we pray that God will bless both the giver and the receiver of the message. Walthamstow 3s, Isle of Wight £2 14s and £2 18s specially sent towards the outfit for one of our big girls.

11th. From New Southgate 10s.

12th. Woodford 10s, Wandsworth £1, 1 bottle of cod liver oil and malt, 2 lemon soles, parcel of second hand clothes, some pieces of lining.

13th. Seven Kings 12s. 14th. A friend called to-day with her two daughters from Finsbury Park bringing with them a most useful parcel containing 6 coats, 8 pair of boys' knickers, 6 caps, 13 pairs of socks, 10 pairs of stockings, 6 vests, 3 pairs of cuffs, 13 ties. They told us they had collected amongst their friends money to buy the material and had made these things up themselves. They stayed for some time and had a jolly evening with the children and their speaking and recitations greatly interested those present. From Woodford 15 scones, 2 cakes 2 petticoats, From Clapton 11 new laid eggs, 1 pint of beef tea, Walthamstow 2 chemises, 1 box second hand things, 5 pinatores, Woodford 3s, 6s 8d, 5s 91/d, Barking 15s, Clapton 4s 6d

16th. For some years past now a friend in Leytonstone has arranged amongst her friends a special "Pound Day" on behalf of this work and to-day we received the first instalment as follows: -4 tins coffee, 3 tins cocoa, 1 tin spice, 2 lbs almonds, 5 lbs peel, 2 table jellies, 193 lbs bacon, 12 lbs cornflour, 21 lbs split peas, 511 lbs rice, 10 lbs lentils, 51 lbs cocoa, 8 lbs semolina, 4 lbs biscuits, 11 lbs loaf sugar, 331 lbs moist, 10 lbs tapioca, 203 lbs haricot beans, 6 lbs tea, 3 quarterns flour, 17 lbs currants, 71 lbs sultanas, 10 lbs plums, 2 lbs oatmeal, 1 lb

shredded wheat, 1 lb flaked rice, 2 packets flaked rice, 1 packet rolled oats, 2 lbs apple jam, 1 packet coffee mixture, 1 box toffee, 7 lbs golden syrup, 1 lb apples, 3 bars soap, 6 hats, 10 scarfs, 5 petticoats, 1 jersey. You can guess how delighted we were to receive such a token as this, and how we thank God for telling His child to help us in this way. From Brentwood £1, Limehouse 5s, Hampstead 15s, Forest Gate 16s, Woodford Anon. £1, Walton 6s, Tooting

17th. 3 newlaid eggs, Bush Hill Park 5s, Wanstead 6s. A friend called and left 2 guineas for the work, this she has kindly done for several years past for which we

praise Him.

19th. Walthamstow 3 boxes figs, 1 large cake, 1 tin sweets, 1 box biscuits, 7 lbs plum jam, 3 jars marmalade. 1 lb dripping, quantity apples and oranges with some games and toys, Woodford 4 pinafores, 3 scarfs, some toys, 5s. From Camden Town 10s, Anstey 10s. Woodford friend called and left her half yearly subscription, £1 4s.

20th. Clacton 4 pairs knickers, 4 dresses-2 petticoats with "I have pleasure in send, ing you a few garments for some of your family though I am wondering if you have children very small. I do so heartily wish you may all have a very Happy Xmas and a Glad New Year. I shall be glad to get your report, it is always very interesting to me. God will guide you still-You will see light in His Light. How bountifully He deals with us. With all kind thoughts," Woodford, toys, 2 petricoats, 1 chemise, Walthamstow 2 dolls, coat and skirt, 1 tin sweets, From Ware 2 pinafores, 4 shirts, 2 pair stockings, 1 jacket, 6 yards of cloth, Walthamstow £2 12s. Contents of box 8s 6d. From an Open Air Mission Preacher 5s. Muswell Hill 5s, Goodhu st £1, with "I am sending a postal order which kind friends have helped to contribute towards your little motherless children's wants, also a cake and some sweets which I hope they will enjoy and that you and they may spend a very joyous Ceristmas and be much helped bodily and spiritually in the coming year.'

21st. Barkway 4 pairs knickers, 1 dress parcel of second hand clothes, London 6 dolls, paper chains and toys, Anon. two turkeys, for these we specially thank God as the dear friend who usually sent us turkeys at Christmas time died early in December, 1911, and no turkeys came that Christmas, but this year the Lord has touched the

heart of a friend to supply this our need and the children were certainly delighted with then:, 100 oranges, 1 Christmas pudging 2 lots of toys, 1 baby's rattle from Ireland, From Woodford 6s 8d, £1, 3s, Highams Park £1 15s 6d, From one of our old girls 2s 8d, Ilford 1s, Limehouse 5s, Hertford £10 with "Please accept my truest sympathy and sincerest hopes that the measles may not spread further and that all may soon recover. I feel very much for you at this season. Please accept enclosed as a Christmas offering with very best wishes for all in

22nd, Our Leytonstone Friend writes, the Home. "We are sending you for the Homes I box containing 28 lbs broken biscuits and 28 lbs soda and further from the Civil Service Stores a box containing 28 lbs haricot beans 7 lbs cornflour, 4 packets table jellies, 7 lbs pearl barley and this I think will complete the gifts of the friends at Leytonstone and elsewhere collected by my dear wife. pray for your rich blessing and help at all times and hope you may be spared any more sickness, God willing, but nevertheless increased grace to endure. Would like if it were possible to look in and see you all enjoying yourselves next week." (This we certainly did), 20 pairs of stockings, 1 counterpane, 7 pinafores from our Seven Kings Sewing Meeting, Woodford £3 13s 61d collected by the employees of a Woodford draper who went round the neighbourhood carol singing. They and we were delighted with the splendid result, Forest Gate 1 guinea, From one of Woodford Sunday Schools 1 suit, two shirts, 2 pairs of stockings, 1 pair of boots, 1 pair of braces, 1 cap, 1 overcoat to fit a boy. This gift was quite unique, the scholars in this Sunday School are encouraged to bring Christmas gifts for the poor, which they do on the Sunday before Christmas, when each class enjoys the privilege of being able to vote their gifts to wherever they choose. the classes conceived the idea that instead of buying toys, etc, and send them to us it would be more beneficial to buy a complete outfit for one of our boys, this was done and on the appointed Sunday in answer to the call for the gifts of this particular class, the boy dressed in the outfit appeared upon the platform, much to the astonishment of all. May God bless the teacher and the class.

Woodford 1 bushel apples, 1 large York ham, 3 petticoats, 2 pairs of knickers, 5 books, box of figs, toys, Liverpool £5, Muswell Hill £1, Chelsea

8s, Chingford Hatch 10s with "Herewth please find postal order from our little chapel for the funds of your home. It is not much I know, but you must look at the spirit of the amount rather than the amount itself.' May God bless you all in the work. With all good wishes." Seven Kings 5s. A Woodford friend called to day and left £1.

24th Anon. 10 lbs pork sausages (Thank you), Leytonstone 1 book, Wanstead 1 lb tea, Uncle Reg 4 books, 5s and 6 flannel vests, 1 shirt from Muswell Hill with "Herewith something for the stockings. Hope you and all the family will have a very happy time and the best of new years. you are too good to your boys if you provide them with flannel vests and also flannelette shirts. If I were a boy I'd say 'Can I come and be one too.'" From Westcliff 1 pair of second hand boots, large box of toys, 2 woollen vests, 5 petticoats, 1 scarf, 1 hat, parcel of second hand clothes with "On behalf of the children I have much pleasure in sending these few clothes and toys which have been made and given by the girls belonging to the 'League of the Helping Hand.'" Woodford 1 large box of fireworks, Large parcel of travellers' samples in cloth, Parcel of second hand books from Westcliff, Kilburn 1 large case of oranges, Woodford 28 lbs beef, 100 oranges, quantitity of nuts, dates, 2 enamel meat dishes, quantity of apples, oranges, grapes and nuts sent in by our old boys. Snaresbrook 1 ham, From a neighbouring Sunday School a large basket of toys, games and books, A friend called with his wife and sister and brought 3 boxes of sweets and £1, Leyton £1, Westcliff 10s 6d Tunbridge Wells £2 10s and 5s, Walthamstow 2, 6d, Wanstead 2s 6d, Forest Gate 3s, Limehouse 5s, Catford 10s, Reader of CHRISTIAN 2s, Woodfold 10s. HERALD 2s and Woodford 28 mince pies, 6 cakes, 54 cheese cakes, 2 jam sandwiches, 31 rounds scones, 28 dough nuts, 2 lb box sweets and from neighbouring baker a large quantity of cakes and pastries.

Kilburn £1, From one of our old 25th.

A friend called who is leader of a girls 3s 6d. Women's Meeting and brought £2 10.6d. being contents of a box they hold on our behalf, Brentwood 5s, Woodford 6s 21 1.

27th. Walton 12s, Clapton 4s 71d, London £5, with "1 enclose a fiver for yourself as I have no doubt your expenses must be severe especially at the present time. I hope to hear that the sickness is abating." From one of the neighbouring churches 1 ton of coals being a contribution from their Poor Fund. This was very remarkable. We had for the past two years received a ton of coal at Christmas time from a friend in Leytonstone, but on account of ill-health it could not be repeated this year, so the Lord touched the hearts of others to supply our needs, much

to our joy.
28th. Woodford £2, being a quarterly subscription which our friend has sent with-

out break for now 13 years.

30th. 32 quarterns bread from one of the neighbouring bakers. Readers of Christian HERALD 3 petticoats, 2 dresses, 3 pairs combinations, box of toys, Leyton 12s, Woodford 8s 7d and 2 pairs of reins.

31st. Quantity of cakes from a neighbouring baker, parcel of second hand clothes,

Camden Town 10s.

#### JANUARY.

1st. 11 lbs dripping from one of our old

girls now in service.

3rd. Alrestord 10s, Woodford 14s 13d, Leyton £11 3s 7½d being an offering taken at a Bible Class and came as great a blessing. We had been praying the previous midnight especially for God to give us a token to-day as we were in great need of money and bad twelve cases of measles in the Home, thus this came as a special answer to prayer and as a real token from God.

4th, Woodford quantity of parsnips, 16s, 6s 8d, 3s, Readers of Christian Herald £1 5s, Barking 15s, Limehouse 5s, West

Ham 12s.

6th. Wingham 2s, One of our old girls

1s 43d, another girl 2s.

7th. 1 hot plum pudding (which came just in time for dinner and was greatly enjoyed by the boys).

9th. Isle of Wight £2 and £2 14s.

10th. Southampton 15s, Maidstone 5s, Ilford 19s, Woodford 10s and 10s from a Woodford draper with "Mrs ......was the successful winner of the competition of guessing how many handkerchiefs in a model of the Woodford Memorial Hall we exhibited in our window and has selected your home to receive the prize and which we have great

pleasure in sending you in her name."

Woodford 6s 8d, 3s,

13th Egypt £10 with "Thanks for your letter, also for the LINKS received from time to time, I was very sorry to hear of the outbreak of measles and hope by this time you are over the worst of it. It must be a great responsibility having the care of so many children, but I think you have bean very fortunate in keeping them in such good health, I hope the work will go on and prosper, I am sending you £10 which please accept with my best wishes" Limehruse 5s, Deal 5s with "Just a little thankoffering from your box for your family, May the Lord abunhantly bless you all and make you a blessing. HE NEVER FAILS THOSE Who Put Their Trust in Him, affectionately yours in the Risen Lord."

15th Quantity of parsnips, Wandsworth

16th. Anon. 6 rabbits, (Buntingford), 1 parcel of second hand clothes and boots from Westcliff, 1 parcel containing 9 flannelette petticoats, 1 cotton petticoat, 1 bonnet, 4 pairs knickers, 3 woollen vests from a Church Mission in Walthamstow.

17th. From Chingford Hatch 1 pinafore, 1 pair of pants, 1 petticoat, 6 scrap books,

some texts etc.

18th. Isle of Wight 19s 6d, Highams Park, £1, Camden Town 10s, Hampstead 12s, Limehouse 5s.

20th. 2 lb fish.

23rd. Anstey 10s. 24th. Woodford 5s 1d with "I enclose postal order being a contribution from the scholars of our Mission Sunday School towards your funds and in their name have to wish you every success during the ensuing year." Chelsea 8s, Ireland 10s.

25th. Barking 15s. 27th. Goodmayes second hand sewing machine with 2s 6d to cover expense of putting same in order and 4 yards black serge, Limehouse 5s, Brentwood 5s, Wood ford 13s 4d, 12s 6d

28th. Woodford 5s.

30th. Funbridge Wells 2s 6d, Woodford 10s, Sevenoaks £3.

31st. Alresford 10s.

The Monthly Prayer and Praise Meeting is held in the Home at 3 p.m. every first Thursday in the month. You are welcome.

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## Home for Destitute & Motherless Children

CRESCENT ROAD, SOUTH WOODFORD.

### OBJECTS OF THE WORK.

- 1. To receive destitute and motherless children.
- 2. To be the means in God's hands of bringing these children to know the Lord Jesus Christ as their personal Saviour.
- 3. Of proving that God is able to answer prayer by appealing to Him alone for funds.

# THE 13TH ANNUAL MEETINGS

will (D.V) be held

## In a Large Tent in the Home Grounds

On

## THURSDAY, 22ND MAY.

The following friends have already promised to be present:

### MRS. FLORENCE L. BARCLAY

(of Hertford Heath, who will speak at both meetings),

Madame ANNIE RYALL, Mr. GEORGE GOODMAN, Mr. J. A. AYLETT, Mr. V. G. LEVETT, Rev. W. PERCY HICKS, Rev. ROBERT and Mrs. SPURGEON, Pastor JOSIAH WILSON.

The Children will Sing and a Report of the Work will be given.

Asternoon Meeting at 3.30 and Evening Meeting at 7 p.m.

TEA WILL BE PROVIDED FOR THOSE COMING A DISTANCE.

### NUMBER AND AMOUNT OF EVERY RECEIPT GIVEN FOR NOVEMBER, DECEMBER AND JANUARY.

FOR NOVEMBER, DECEMBER MAD VALVANTA													
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"Blessed is the man that heareth me, watching daily at my gates, waiting at the posts of my doors; for whose findeth me findeth life, and shall obtain favour of the Lord.—

Proverbs viii, 34, 35.

Praise God for-

The safe and complete recovery of the twelve children who contracted measles and for the splendid health of children and workers now prevailing.

For the increase of funds during the past quarter and for the quantity of gifts in

kind.

For blankets and boots for which we specially prayed.

Souls won and blessing received through our evangelistic work.

Pray for-

God to glorify Himself through the workers here.

Definite results of conversion amongst our children.

That our children who have left us may be "Kept from falling."

Our Annual Meetings on Thursday, May 22nd.

God to bless our evangelistic work.

That the closing quarter of our 13th year may be filled with blessing.



The Gospel Car and Tent in the "Hopfields," Selling, Kent. See pp. 3 and 4.