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(From Our Own Correspondent.)

KUALA LUMPUR, 9 March.—The special collections on Sunday last in aid of the British and Foreign Bible Society realised a total of nearly \$220. I am informed the amount was made up as follows:—C. of England, \$80; American Mission, \$60; Baptist Church and Chinese Mission, \$80; Total, \$220.

There will be an At Home at "Carcosa" on Saturday next in connection with the centenary of the above Society. The Bishop of Singapore and Sarawak, Revs. Horley and Swindell and Mr. Ashdown, will give short addresses.

The farewell to Miss Anderson at the Rev. Horley's yesterday was largely attended. Rev. Horley, in wishing Miss Anderson farewell, dwelt on the good work she had done at the Girls' School and the keen interest she had shown in training up the children for the Xmas entertainments each year. Miss Anderson briefly replied and thanked all present for the good wishes expressed and for the many kindnesses shown to her during her stay in Kuala Lumpur.

Kuala Lumpur, 10th Mar.—Messrs. Pilter and Phillips, from England, have joined the staff of the Victoria Institution.

The Tamil company of the Selangor Volunteer Corps promises to be a decided success. Yesterday 30 recruits were put through their facings by Sergt. Major Fish, I hear a good number have handed in their names in addition to the 30 mentioned above.

Mr. Davidson, a planter from Ceylon, has just concluded a round of inspection of the principal Selangor rubber estates. He left for Negri Sembilan this morning and intends visiting some of the properties in that State, in which he is largely interested.

Travellers up from Pt. Swettenham remark





on the enormous amount of clearing that is being done on the Pataling Estate. For miles along the railway Javanese coolies are at work felling and burning and as soon as the undergrowth and lighter timber is burnt off the young rubber trees are planted and do splendidly in the rich soil. The heavier timber is cut up into short lengths and brought to Kuala Lumpur for disposal.

Some excitement was caused yesterday afternoon by a Deli pony, belonging to Mr. Loke Chow Kit, which was attached to a gharry, suddenly bolting past Chow Kit and Co's godown. The pony quickly made a trip round the block past Loke Yew's buildings and the syce, finding he had no control over the animal, jumped from his seat, hurting his foot badly. Meanwhile the only other occupant of the gharry, a small Chinese boy, with great presence of mind climbed through the small window at the back of the vehicle and hopped off unhurt. Passing Chow Kit's a second time, Mr. Donald, a European assistant of the firm, pluckily grabbed the pony's bridle and succeeded in securing the pony, but was dragged some yards, man and pony going down together. Mr. Donald escaped with a bruised shoulder. The pony was unhurt but in falling smashed the shafts of the gharry.

Mr. Moullin, Assistant Engineer, P. W. D., has returned to Kajang from K. Kubu and Mr. R. Charter has resumed duties as Clerk of works K. Lumpur.

Mrs Yzelman, who met with an accident in Club Road about 6 weeks ago, when both the bones of one of her ankles were fractured, is now about again, looking none the worse for her long and painful illness.

