

## Suggested Programme for January Meeting.

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### I. Opening exercises :

"Not by might, nor by power, but by my spirit, saith the Lord of hosts." Zech. iv. 6.

### II. Regular Business.

### III. The Watch-Tower.\*

### IV. Subjects for Prayer for the month :

That missionaries, officers, members and converts may surrender themselves to God's will and direction in their work. Acts ii. 18.

### V. Hymn: "Draw Me Nearer."

### VI. Consecration Service.

(a) *The President will read the following exhortation :*

Who then is willing to consecrate his service this day unto the Lord?

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\* We suggest that the Watch Tower be made a feature of the programme for this year. It is an idea we borrow from a widely known writer, Miss Belle Brain, and if well managed cannot fail to add greatly to the interest of the Auxiliary Meetings. It should be taken charge of by three ladies: No. 1 to represent our work among the Chinese of both continents; No. 2, Japan; No. 3, the Indian work and that among the French. These ladies must aim to know their ground thoroughly (the number and location of stations, missionaries, Bible women, schools, hospitals, etc.), and at the monthly meetings will each read a carefully-prepared and condensed report from her field of labor. For items, see our Society and Church papers. If thought desirable, the number of ladies may be added to, and reports given of what sister societies are doing, the China Inland Mission, Bishop Taylor's work in Africa, etc.