

present as does the office of president upon someone else. In becoming a member she has voluntarily assumed a responsibility which she ought to seek conscientiously to discharge.

In junior, and in senior Bands too, have as many offices as possible, for the fact remains, in spite of all that ought to be, that an office bearer feels herself pledged in a way the ordinary member does not as yet. The president, secretary and treasurer should be elected for one year, but the other offices may be filled for three or six months at a time, and so in turn include all the members.

There could be a Programme Committee to aid the president in preparing the programme. They may not be much help in planning it, but can save her many steps in putting it into effect. A Map or Geography Committee, to arrange for maps and if necessary prepare them, as well as get all the information they can as to the geography of the country being studied. A History Committee to take charge of that division, an Illustration Committee who will be on the lookout for curiosities, pictures or any little thing that will serve to illustrate and make more real the lesson. In addition to these there can be a Musical Committee or choir, an Arrangement Committee to see that the room is ready, bright and comfortable for the meeting, a Recruiting Committee to bring in new members, and a Visiting Committee to call on absentees. The Executive Committee may be separate from these, or composed of one from each as may be deemed best.

Now all these committees, or even a few of them, mean work for the president in one way, while they save her in another. It is necessary that she guide and control the working of each, but at the same time it is very necessary that the members feel that the entire responsibility of that part of the Band's work rests on them, and on them alone for the time being.