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## "WHAT SHALL I GIVE UNTO THE LORD?"

"Every man shall give as he is able, according to the blessing of the Lord thy God which He hath given thee."—Deut. xvi. 17.

Hark! "Every man shall give," 'tis God's command. Not one has nought, for in each living hand Is grasped some "good and perfect gift" of God, To be re-spent for Him, the living Lord.

"As he is able;" 'tis the limit sole. We may not give to Him some scanty dole. To Him who gives us all, we ought to give Our gold, time, talents, and the life we live.

Such is the mandate of His Holy Word!  
"According to, the blessing of the Lord;"  
As He hath blessed, as He hath given to me,  
Such shall my offering to my Saviour be.

—*The Church Missionary Juvenile Instructor.*

We are told that the missionary business is hopeless. We are told that the darkness of the earth is increasing in ratio that is greater than the ratio of increasing light. Well, my answer to that criticism always is this. Remember when you say these things you are not criticising the missionary method—you are criticising the missionary principle, and in criticising the missionary principle you are criticising Christ. Say He is mistaken and have done with it; say He was wrong and say no more; or else in the face of every appearance of defeat, hope right on—and that, my brethren, is what we are bound to do.—Rev. G. Campbell Morgan, in *Mission Studies*.

The British and Foreign Bible Society has recently received \$193.60 for its Century Fund from Malay Christians in the island of Sangir. The gift calls attention to the wide pervasiveness of modern missionary effort. The island of Sangir most of us will have to hunt up on the atlas. It lies about midway between the northern point of Celebes, in the Dutch East Indies, and the southern point of Mindanao, in the Philippines. Missionaries from the Netherlands have been working there for years.

THE executive of the W. B. M. U. has long felt the need of concentration in its literary work, the difficulty being to find some person to gather up the different ends and combine them in one.

While we appreciate the value of THE MISSIONARY LINK, and hope it may continue to circulate freely among our sisters, we feel the time has come for a paper of our own which will permit more space for matters of special interest in our Aids.

At the Convention in Fredericton the following resolution was passed, almost the whole delegation standing to signify assent.

Resolved,— "That the W. B. M. U. unite its publications (with the exception of column in the *Messenger and Visitor*, and the printing of Mission Band leaflets for six months) and print one paper in the interests of our Aid Societies and Mission Bands. Price to be ten cents a copy a year in clubs of ten or more, twenty cents a year, single copy."

Moved and seconded that Mrs. Chubbuck be appointed editor and Mrs. Emma Estey have charge of Mission Band department.

INQUIRIES are constantly being made as to Miss Reed's welfare. We are most happy to be able to state that she is keeping wonderfully well, that her furlough has been so far very beneficial, and that she is looking forward to many years of happy service, if it be God's will for her. She has had, through the kindness of many friends, a most pleasant holiday, and, by-and-by, we trust she will be back in her old home in Chandag, where she will have the counsel and advice of our valued fellow-labourer, the Rev. C. W. Ross de Souza, who is Superintendent of the two Asylums there.—*Without The Camp.*

## CONVENTION AT WATERFORD.

If any Circles have not sent the names of their delegates to Waterford please send at once to Mrs. L. L. Sanderson.