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Editorial.

BOARD MERTING.—The first quarterly meeting of the W. B. F. M. Board will be held in the Mission room, No. 9 Richmond St. West, Wednesday, September 7th, at 2 p.m. Cards will be sent members of the Board.—A. MOYLE, Rec. Sec.

SAILING OF MISSIONARIES.—It is arranged that Misses Simpson and Morrow will start for India some time in November.

POSTAGE STAMPS.—We have just received from Ottawa the following regulations, which will explain themselves: Please do not send us stamps for subscriptions to THE Lank, when it is possible to send in any other way:

- (3) Discontinuance of Postage Stamps.—Dating from the lat October next, it is intended to discontinue wholly the redemption of Postage Stamps by the Department. It will, therefore, be in-the interest of persons who have been in the habit of receiving stamps in change, not to accept them in tuture in larger quantity than they may require for their own correspondence.
- (4) Postal Notes—It is the intention of the Department to begin very shortly, not later than the last proximo, the issue of Postal Notes, which may be described as a simpler and cheaper form of Money Order designed for the transmission of sums not exceeding five dollars. The introduction of Postal Notes will materially diminish any necessity which may heretofore have existed for the use of Postage Stamps as currency.

CONVENTION NOTICES.

The Convention of the Woman's Baptist Home and Foreign Missionary Societies of Eastern Ontario and Quebec will be held in the Olivet Baptist Church (cor. Mountain and Osborne Sts.), Montreal, October the 4th and 5th.

The twenty-second annual meeting of the Foreign Society will be held on Tuesday, the 4th.

DELEGATES.

Each Circle is entitled to two delegates for a membership of twenty or less; for each additional twenty, one delegate. These delegates must be full members of the Society, that is, either life-members, or contributors of at lesst one dollar a year to the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.

BILLETING.

Delegates desiring entertainment will kindly apply to Miss Tester, 1140 Dorchester St., Montreal.

On account of the numerous trains arriving in Montreal, it will be impossible for a committee to meet the delegates at the stations. Billets will be sent to delegates, before they leave their homes, with the addresses of the homes where they are to be entertained, and as far as possible, directions how to get there.

Delegates arriving on Tuesday, or coming directly to the church, will be met by a committee, who will furnish them with any information desired.

ETHEL CLAXTON AYER, Cor. Sec.

Let all the Oircles of Kastern Ontario and Queber note the fact, that very little time now remains until the Treasurer's book must close for the year. Some of the Circles have not done all that they might do, nor all that they intended, perhaps, for the cause of Foreign Missions. It is in every way best to begin at the first of the year and work systematically to the close, in this matter of gathering funds. But certainly this is a case in which "better late than never" applies, and if every Circle and individual will do what they can toward re plenishing the treasury in the very few weeks that remain, the Board will be saved the necessity of presenting, and we shall all be saved the infliction of list ening to disheartening reports. And, best of all, God will be honored in the free-will offerings of His people.

It is hoped that all the Circles will send delegates to the Convention, and, if unable to do so, a greeting in response to the Roll Call.

The programme has been carefully prepared, so that all who come may be strengthened and encouraged.

PROGRAMME.

POREION MISSIONS.

Morning Session, 9.30 o'clock.

9.30 to 10.—Devotional meeting, led by Mrs. Claxton. Montreal.

10.—Opening exercises.