

in 1873. They landed in Rangoon early in 1874.

By faith they, when they were called to go into a place which they should afterwards receive for an inheritance, obeyed; and went out not knowing whether they went.

By faith they sojourned in Burma and Siam, as in a strange country, for they looked for a place to establish their mission.

By faith they crossed over, in the summer of 1875, to Cocanada, "to share in the evangelization of the Telugu field."

By faith they went north and opened up Bimlipatam, Bobbili and Chicacole.

By faith Mr. and Mrs. Timpany moved to Cocanada in 1878.

By faith these pioneers all became sojourners among the Telugus; by faith they had trials of loneliness, famine, cholera and financial stringency; by faith they overcame, from weakness were made strong, subdued kingdoms, wrought righteousness, and turned to Christ great numbers of Telugus.

Two of these—Mrs. McLaurin and Mrs. Churchill—are with us yet in the home land, and one—Dr. Sanford—is still in India, others have died in the faith, not having received the promises but having seen them and greeted them from afar.

Since then a noble army of godly men and holy women have followed, and to-day nearly one hundred of them carry on the work so nobly begun. Wherefore God is not ashamed of them to be called their God.

Therefore let us also seeing we are compassed about with so great a cloud of witnesses, lay aside every weight and the sin which doth so easily beset us, and let us run with patience the race that is set before us, looking unto Jesus the author and perfecter of our faith, who for the joy that was set before him endured the cross, despising the shame, and hath sat down at the right hand of the throne of God.

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WHITBY MISSIONARY CONFERENCE

June 27th to July 4th

Among the many summer gatherings the Whitby Missionary Conference holds an unique position. It has become a centre of remarkable interest and influence. Held under the direction of the Missionary Education Movement—the agency through which the Mission Boards of the various Churches co-operate—it brings together missionaries, missionary leaders and workers of all denominations making possible an exceptional world vision, most delightful and helpful fellowships, and a study of methods for promoting the missionary life of the various organizations of the congregations gathered from the widest experience.

The program this year is particularly strong. The Bible Study, which is one of the features of the Conference, will be conducted by Rev. Dr. G. C. Pidgeon, pastor of Bloor Street Presbyterian Church, Toronto, whose work in this department at the Conference for the past two seasons has been so much appreciated.

In mission study there will be wide choice of the very best. Our own General Secretary, Rev. H. E. Stillwell, who has just returned from visiting our work in Bolivia, will conduct a course on South America. "Building with India", the new Foreign Mission text book, will furnish material for a most informing course on the present situation in India, under the able direction of Dr. Frank Russell of Central India. "China and Modern Medicine" will be the subject of a fascinating course on medical work, to be led by Dr. A. E. Best of West China. The Home Mission course will be on the