

- 11.45.—Bible Reading, Mrs. H. H. Lloyd, Toronto.
 11.55.—Prayer, "For Dr. Gertrude Hulet and Miss Selman."
 12.00.—Adjournment.

Afternoon Session, 2 p.m.

- 2.00.—Hymn.
 —Prayer, "For all our ladies on the field and their work."
 —Minutes of Morning Session.
 —Election of Officers.
 2.40.—Report of Cor. Sec., Miss Buchan, Toronto.
 —Solo, Miss Vansickle, Brantford.
 3.10.—Address, Mrs. J. A. K. Walker, Pedapuram, India.
 —Solo.
 3.50.—Address, "Woman's Work in China," Miss Margaret King, Montreal.
 4.20.—Collection.
 —Question Drawer, Mrs. G. W. Barber, St. George.
 4.45.—Adjournment.
 —Conference of Directors led by Mrs. L. C. Grey, Norwich.

Evening Session, 8 O'Clock.

- 8.00.—Hymn.
 —Reading of Scripture and Prayer, Rev. D. Hutchinson, Brantford.
 —Minutes of Morning Session.
 —Music.
 —Address, Miss Baskerville, Cocanada, India.
 —Collection.
 —Solo, Mrs. Leeming, Brantford.
 —Address
 —Benediction.

THURSDAY, NOV. 15TH—HOME MISSIONS.

Morning Session, 9.30 O'Clock.

- 9.30.—Prayer Service, led by Mrs. D. Dack, Simcoe.
 10.00.—Hymn.
 —Scripture Reading, Mrs. Laird, Toronto.
 —Prayer, Mrs. W. T. Graham, Brantford.
 10.15.—Reports of the Recording Secretary, Treasurer, Visitor, and Bands.
 10.35.—Statement of Indian Work, read by —
 10.40.—"At Jesus' Feet", Mrs. Cowart, Belleville.
 10.55.—Election of Officers and Members of Board.
 11.30.—Greetings from Sister Societies.
 12.00.—Adjournment.

Afternoon Session, 2 O'Clock.

- 2.00.—Bible Reading, Mrs. Dr. Barber, St. George.
 2.20.—Hymn.
 —Prayer, Miss F. Park, Wyoming.
 —Minutes of Morning Session.
 2.40.—President's Address.
 2.55.—Corresponding Secretary's Report, Mrs. Jesse Gibson, Toronto.
 3.20.—Hymn.
 3.30.—"Our New Fields," Miss Copp, Hamilton.
 3.45.—Our Work Among French Canadians, Mrs. Firstbrook, Toronto.

- 3.55.—Offering.
 4.00.—Greetings from the West, Mrs. A. J. Vining, Winnipeg.
 4.15.—Band Conference, led by Miss Cullen, Toronto.
 4.45.—Prayer and Praise.
 4.55.—Circle Leaders Conference, led by Miss Park.
 —Adjournment.

Evening Session, 8 O'Clock.

- 8.00.—Hymn.
 —Scripture Reading and Prayer, Rev. Dr. Spencer, Brantford.
 —Minutes of Afternoon Session.
 —"Moulton College" Miss Dicklow.
 —Music.
 —Address, Rev. W. W. Weeks, Toronto.
 —Offering.
 —Hymn.
 —Benediction.

SOME STRONG STATEMENTS.

By Geo. W. Truett.

In his reading, the writer has recently noted three strong utterances concerning the great spirit and work of missions. They are here given with the prayer that they may impress others, as they have impressed this writer. The first is an utterance by Prof. W. O. Carver, of our Seminary at Louisville, and is as follows: "We sometimes talk as if a church can be doing the work of Jesus Christ, and yet ignore missions. The fact is, missions is the work of Jesus, and the object in organizing and enlarging our churches is just to enlarge our efforts in mission work." The second statement is by Rev. James Edward Adams, who has written considerably concerning the student volunteer movement for foreign missions, and is as follows: "Three things are sure. The pastor who does not make it a specific end of his ministry to develop and apply the resources of his charge, in the work of pushing the gospel throughout the world, has failed to read his commission aright. The church which does not labor to this end must die a spiritual death, for she has no promise of Christ's presence with her. The individual Christian to whom this is not one of the grave concerns of life, has failed to grasp the purpose for which his Lord has left him in the world. Such is the vital place in the life of the Church which Christ has given to her missionary work." The third statement is an inquiry by Dr. Josiah Strong and is as follows: "What are churches for but to make missionaries? What is education for but to train them? What is commerce for but to carry them? What is money for but to send them? What is life itself for but to fulfil the purpose of missions enthroning Jesus Christ in the hearts of men?"

These are very strong statements, but are they too strong? The answer cannot be in the negative, if