

Once more they ask: "How shall we interest those uninterested women?" and those who know, say in what is at least forceful language: "Keep on pounding, pounding."

The address of Rev. T. T. Shields on the evening of Home Mission Day, went down to the foundation principles of our work. Why do we enter the home fields? To bring men and women into the Kingdom. But why go where others are evangelizing? Because the Master's message was not only to "make disciples," but "to teach them to observe all things." And that is our message and our mission as Baptists. The more fully and the more intensely we realize that, the more successful and the more fruitful will be our work.

Twenty-five years ago this fall, a young missionary sailed from Boston for India. Twenty-five years ago this fall, the Women's Convention met in James St. Church, Hamilton. That convention sent a telegram of greeting to the missionary in London, England. This fall that missionary, now the senior missionary of the Women's Board, Miss Hatch, stood before the Convention gathered once more in James St., Hamilton, and told of all the way the Lord had led her—a wonderful way, full of blessing and helpfulness, and marked all along by churches, schools, the ministry of healing and Christian homes.

OUR NEW MISSIONARIES.

Rev. H. D. Smith was born in Staffordshire, England, of godly parents, and gave his heart to Christ when about fourteen years of age. He began life as an apprentice to a firm of builders, but when about twenty, sailed for Canada, and located in Toronto. For some time he was in the employ of the Canada Foundry Company, but six years ago left their employ to enter upon a course of study at McMaster, with a view to the Gospel ministry. In this step he was greatly influenced by the prayers of his mother and the evangelical teaching of his pastor, Rev. John McIntosh. He gave himself with great diligence to his studies, with the result that in five years he covered with credit the

whole of the B.A. and B.Th. courses. All this time he preached almost every Sunday, and had the honor of being the chief instrument in the establishment of two missions, Earls court and Mount Dennis, which have both developed into churches. For years Bro. Smith has had foreign missions on his heart, and regards it as a peculiar privilege to be permitted to serve God among the Telugus.



Miss S. A. HINMAN

Mrs. Smith, nee Ada Gregory, hails from Mount Forest, where, we understand, she first identified herself with the church. For some years she has given herself to public school teaching, in which profession she has won distinction. Most of her work has been done in Toronto, though for a time she taught at Maple Creek, Alta.

Mrs. Smith has been exceedingly active in church work for years. She has served as choir leader, secretary of the B. Y. P. U., and teacher in the Sunday School. She is greatly loved, honored and trusted by all who know her, and her influence for good has been unusual. Her membership is with the Ossington Ave. Church, Toronto, though owing to her home being near the Olivet Church, most of her service has been in that organization. Like her husband, for