

men. Mrs. Boyd and Miss Garnett are getting on well with the language, and "Robbie," the only foreign child in the district, can speak Chinese splendidly.

Last February, through the liberality of some of the friends of the C.C.M.A., we were enabled to send into the same part of China, Rev. W. C. White, who, within twenty-five days after leaving Canada was standing on martyr-ground at Ku-Cheng. Originally intended to assist Rev. Mr. Phillips at Kien Yang, owing to the sad loss by drowning of Mr. Collins, he will probably fill the vacancy in Kien-Ning.

Thus the Canadian Church is honoured in having Canadian clergymen in charge of two immense districts, lying side by side in the province of Fuh Kien. Mr. White hopes that a third Canadian will soon be sent to labour in the next region beyond, viz.: Kien Yang.

In September Mr. White left for Shanghai, where he was to meet and marry Miss Annie Ray, a trained deaconess from Toronto, who accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Phillips to China last month.

SOUTH AMERICA.

Passing downward to South America we are thankful to report that "the neglected continent" has had a share of the attention of the C.C.M.A. during the past year. In response to the Rev. C. A. Sadleir's earnest appeal for a trained lady worker, a deaconess, Miss Louy Thomas, was equipped and sent on her way to China *via* England last July. She is the first South American missionary supported entirely by the Canadian Church. The C.C.M.A. has, by this step, proved itself to be an auxiliary of the South American Missionary Society in something more than name.

Mr. Sadleir, in moving from Cholchol to his new home at Wapi in the Queppe district, met with a sad loss in the death of his two youngest children (one an only son) by diphtheria. We feel sure that the heart of every friend of the work goes forth in loving sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Sadleir in their great loss.

As to the work still to be done it is estimated that there are over 60,000 Indians speaking the Araucanian language, few of whom have ever heard the pure and simple Gospel.

PALESTINE.

The last field to be mentioned is Palestine.

This land of sacred memories, once trodden by the feet of Jesus, is to be brought much closer to us by a "living link." Rev. S. H. Gould, B.A., M.D., after many years of patient study, now stands ready to go forth in the Master's name to both "heal the sick" and "preach the word" among those languishing under the dark shadow of Islam. Re-conquest is harder than conquest. Dr. Gould is going to no easy field. The first medical missionary of our Church to a foreign land needs the most earnest prayers of this Association.