

The Young Women

LETTER FROM A YOUNG WOMEN'S CIRCLE

This is from the Y. W. M. C. of Murray St. Baptist Church at Peterboro, to tell you about the box sent out by us to India.

It was a much better box than the one we sent last year, at least we had more to send. We had about twenty-eight knitted woollen scarfs, all different colors and bright; one hundred little gingham bags; forty pieces of gingham, ranging from half a yard to three yards; forty gingham hankies, hemmed; about one dozen woollen vests made from stocking tops and finished with a silk featherbone stitch; a number of towels, face cloths, soap, pencils, pins and needles, a few dolls, calendars, picture puzzles, pictures from magazines mounted on cardboard, pin and needle cases made from Christmas folders—the interior of the card taken out and a piece of colored flannel set in with pins and needles. As far as I can remember this is everything.

We also sent a Picnic Kit to Miss Priest at Whitby. This kit consisted of sets for four people—granite plates, cups, knives, forks and spoons, two sandwich boxes and two thermos bottles. This kit was in the form of a black leather-covered box with steel bound corners and leather handles, somewhat similar to a suitcase.

Now, I would like to tell you how we raised almost enough money to cover the expense of sending this box to India. We put everything on display in the Ladies' Parlors, arranging it so as to have every piece showing. It looked very much like a bazaar. The room adjoining we used as a tea-room, placing small tables here and there and served cake and coffee. This was only for one evening from seven o'clock until ten. At the entrance door we placed a table for silver collection. We, of course, had it announced from the pulpit the previous Sunday. Don't you think it a splendid idea?

The Mission Circle asked me to write and tell you all about our box, knowing that you would be interested in our work of the past season in order to get this box ready to reach India by Christmas. We had our last meeting of the Mission Circle for the summer in

the form of a tea on the lawn of the church and it was held last month. We are hoping to resume our meetings in September again.

We wish you every success.

The Young Women's Mission Circle of Murray St. Baptist Church, per

Trucie Pearson,
Corresponding Secretary.

CENTURY, TORONTO

On the evening of May 6th the Women's Mission Circle at their regular monthly meeting entertained the Young Women's Circle at a supper. A very pleasant social hour was spent around the tables. Mrs. E. Senior gave a toast to the "daughters" which was replied to by Miss Wellington, the Young Women's Circle President. Miss Robertson then, on behalf of the Women's Circle, presented the Junior Circle with a beautiful set of dishes.

The meeting followed immediately after the supper hour. The president, Mrs. Mosey, presided. The program was provided by the Young Women's Circle.

Miss Wellington opened the meeting with prayer. Miss Naylor told the story of Ruth, after which we enjoyed a season of prayer in which a number took part.

Miss M. Richards then gave a very interesting paper on the Dilley Farm Mission and Miss Brown on the "Call of Our Own Land" at the close of which a number of the younger girls read short accounts of the founding and growth of some of our oldest Ontario Baptist Churches. The meeting closed with the singing of a hymn and prayer.

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