

THE CANADIAN MISSIONARY LINK

Please read this letter at the January meeting, and use enclosed leaflet as Bible reading for the service. Extra copies are for distribution among absent members.

On behalf of the Board,

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The foregoing letter contains the New Year's message from the Officers and Board to our women in Eastern Ontario and Quebec.

It has been carefully prepared and needs no explanation, only a word or two, perhaps, by way of emphasis.

May I stress the fact that if we are to make a real Forward Movement, it must start from within; we must be willing to first give ourselves and then our love will express itself in beautiful service.

We still have our little cards tucked away in some corner, to remind us that in war days the women of Canada were registered for national service. Let us with equal devotion register for the service of the King as set forth in the following, which accompanies our letter:—

W. B. F. M. S. ENLISTMENT CARD

For Some Form of More Active Service with the "Army of the Cross."
Mark with an **X** the form of service in which you would like to co-operate.

1. To join one of the following organizations and subscribe to the cause of Christ's Kingdom through its channels:

Women's Mission Circle

Young Women's Mission Circle

2. To become:

A Life Director

A Life Member.

A Subscriber to the "Link"

An Annual Member

A Home Helper Member

3. To render one or more of the following forms of service:

To Prepare a Talk

To Write a Paper

To Help with Devotional Service

To Lead in Prayer

To Join a Prayer Group

To Join a Mission Study Class

To Lead a Mission Study Class

To be willing to Address Meetings

To Help in a Mission Band

To Lead a Mission Band

To Bring in Others

Name

Address

What special form of service will you choose as we begin this New Year? Let each of us prayerfully take stock of her talents and give of her personality as never before. Let us attempt some new phase of work, and by so doing we may help some one else who has never taken any active part in our meetings.

I would like to draw attention to the fact that at the Annual Meeting of the Canadian Foreign Mission Board special emphasis was laid upon the necessity of each Society safeguarding its regular budget, and that it should be clearly understood that monies raised for the Forward Movement are over and above our regular giving, on which the work in India is dependent. Otherwise we would defeat our own ends, and our missionaries would suffer.

The Forward Movement Committee are asking the women to surround the movement with prayer. No higher trust could be ours than co-operation in this way, not only in our Circles, but by forming prayer groups and attendance at the church prayer meeting.

Shall we not then respond to "this call for prayer, more prayer, much prayer," and give to this the foremost place in the use of our time and strength, and thus make 1920 a year of Victory.

Yours in His Service,

ETHEL C. AYER, President.