

The Board has arranged with the great English societies to place on their lists Canadian missionaries representing the Canadian Church in the foreign mission field. This method will prove a marked step in advance of our present position; but it will also prove to be a rash and ill-advised step unless the Board is supported by generous and liberal offerings of the united Church of the Province. We do most earnestly urge on you, brethren, the prayerful consideration of the blessing which this step forward in supplying both the men and the money for foreign mission work will bring upon us as a Church, and the impetus which it will give to the growing faith and missionary zeal of our children, who, we earnestly hope, will take up the Church's work in the world with more love and zeal and unsparring devotion than our generation has manifested.

We feel strongly that the arrangement now made with the English societies to place our missionaries on their lists is only a step towards the point at which we should aim—namely, the sending forth from the Canadian Church a Canadian bishop with his staff of missionaries fully equipped and generously maintained to represent it in the field which God calls all branches of His Church to work in. This certainly should be our ultimate aim, bearing in mind that neither the poverty nor the paucity of members will excuse us if we fall short of what we recognize to be our duty—if we drop out of the place we should occupy as the Church of England in Canada, in the wide mission field of God.

We pray you brethren of the clergy and laity to realize the responsibility that rests upon our Church as an agent of God in the conversion of the world, and to rise thankfully and joyfully to a share in this glorious work. We realize to the full our own Diocesan and Provincial needs. We know indeed, full well, the power of the anxious voices within our own fold that plead with us for a wider extension of Church privileges. We know how little we are doing in comparison with

what we might effect, if only God's Treasury were more bountifully filled. We know all this and feel it, and yet we urge you to look beyond yourselves, to help others—to follow in the blessed steps of Him, who as the Shepherd of the folded sheep—is ever ready to follow into the wilderness the lost, the dying and the weak. We know our own needs, but we also know that in the last great day that branch of God's Church which has gone most out of itself to the help of others, will surely see of the travail of its own soul, and be satisfied, as it hears the words of divine and blessed commendation, "Inasmuch as ye have done it unto the least of these ye have done it unto Me."

We therefore commend the cause of Foreign Missions to your most serious consideration, and we pray God that the united gifts of the Church in this Province at the season of the Epiphany may awaken us to the fact that the latent power of the Church in Canada, when once aroused, can do and by Divine help will do, great things for God and the glory of His holy name.

NOTE.—It is recommended that the offerings for this purpose be sent at as early a date as possible to the Secretary-Treasurer of each Diocese, to be by him transmitted to Mr. J. J. Mason, General Treasurer of the Society.

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#### TRIENNIAL REPORT.

REV. AND DEAR SIR,—

With this Appeal I send you three copies of the Triennial Report (1889) of the Domestic and Foreign Missionary Society of the Church of England in Canada with the request that you will be so good as to hand two of them to your church wardens or other influential men of your parish as you may think proper.

Yours truly,

*Charles H. Mockridge*

Secretary.