

programme will be prepared, meeting the wishes of brethren as far as it is possible to do so. The secretaries will also give all the time possible to the missionary campaign, but must be allowed a little latitude in regard to dates.

NOW is the time to renew for the OUTLOOK, and to push for a large increase in the circulation. The volume begins with January, but new subscribers whose names are sent in at once will get the numbers for November and December free. Now for a good response all along the line.

THE Annual Report of the French Methodist Institute, Montreal, is to hand. It gives a list of eighty-four pupils who have been in attendance during the past year. There was expended, on current expense account, \$6,285.24; and on furnishing account, \$606.71. Special donations were received in cash amounting to \$96.00, besides a number of useful articles in books, furnishings, etc.

WE have frequent letters from various quarters asking what it would cost to support a native worker in Japan or China. As yet we have no native workers in China, but in Japan there are quite a number, whose stipends vary somewhat. For example:

There are 5 who receive	72 yen per year, or	\$50 40 gold.
" 5 "	84 " "	58 80 "
There is 1 who receives	96 " "	67 20 "
" 1 "	168 " "	117 60 "
There are 4 who receive	180 " "	126 00 "

A Sunday School, Epworth League, or the like, undertaking to pay annually any one of the above sums, will be furnished with the name of the worker selected, and any other information available.

Editorial and Contributed.

Anniversary Services, 1893.

THE Anniversary Services of the Missionary Society of the Methodist Church will be held this year in the city of Hamilton. On Sunday, Oct. 8th, Sermons and Addresses as follows:—

Centenary Church,	11 a.m., Sermon,	T. G. Williams, D.D.
" "	7 p.m., "	A. Sutherland, D.D.
Wesley Church,	11 a.m., "	W. H. Hartz, D.D.
" "	7 p.m., "	Geo. Douglas, LL.D.
First Church,	11 a.m., "	J. W. Saunby, B.A.
" "	7 p.m., Addresses,	A. Carman, D.D. J. Woodsworth.
Gore St. Church,	11 a.m., "	A. Carman, D.D.
" "	7 p.m., Addresses,	F. A. Cassidy, B.A. D. Jennings.
Zion Tabernacle,	11 a.m., Sermon,	Edwin Evans.
" "	7 p.m., Addresses,	John McDougall. Rev. Geo. P. Storey.
Simcoe St. Church,	11 a.m., Sermon,	John Shaw, D.D.
" "	7 p.m., Addresses,	J. W. Saunby, BA. T. Nixon.

Emerald St. Church, 11 a.m., Sermon, D. Jennings.

" " 7 p.m., " W. H. Hartz, D.D.

Collections at all services in aid of the Mission Fund.

MONDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 9th.

Reception, in Parlors of Centenary Church. Tea at six o'clock. Short Addresses by Missionaries and others, beginning at eight o'clock. Music by the Choir.

TUESDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 10th.

Anniversary of the Missionary Society, in Centenary Church, at 7.30. The HON. W. E. SANFORD in the chair. An abstract of the Annual Report will be presented by the General Secretary, and Addresses will be delivered by REV. GEO. P. STOREY, *President of Newfoundland Conference*; REV. JOHN MCDUGALL, *President of the Manitoba Conference*; J. J. MACLAREN, Q.C., LL.D., and REV. F. A. CASSIDY, B.A., returned Missionary from Japan.

The GENERAL BOARD will meet for despatch of business in the Centenary Church on TUESDAY morning, Oct. 10th, at 9.30.

A. CARMAN, *President*.

A. SUTHERLAND, *Gen'l Sec'y*.

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The General Board.

BY common consent the General Board of Missions is regarded as our most important connexional committee. Its duties are onerous. The field to be reviewed is very wide; the interests committed to its care are varied and sometimes even conflicting; while the amount of money annually received and disbursed exceeds many-fold any other fund of the Church. As at present constituted the Board consists of the officers of the society, the superintendent of missions in the North-West, and thirty-nine other persons; nineteen of whom are ministers, and twenty laymen. Of these, eight ministers and nine laymen (besides the officers of the Society, and the Superintendent of Missions in the North-West) are elected by the General Conference; eleven members by the Annual Conference, and eleven laymen by the lay members of the Annual Conference Missionary Committees. The full list for the present year is as follows:

OFFICERS OF THE SOCIETY.—Rev. A. Carman, D.D., *President*; Rev. A. Sutherland, D.D., *General Secretary*; Rev. John Shaw, D.D., *Assistant Secretary*; Hon. J. C. Aikins, LL.D., *Treasurer*.

SUPERINTENDENT OF MISSIONS IN NORTH-WEST—Rev. J. Woodsworth.

GENERAL CONFERENCE REPRESENTATIVES—*Ministers*: Revs. Geo. Douglas, LL.D., T. G. Williams, D.D., S. F. Huestis, John Potts, D.D., W. S. Griffin, D.D., Geo. Webber, J. S. Williamson, James Hannon, D.D. *Laymen*: J. J. MacLaren, Q.C., W. M. Gray, W. F. Hall, W. H. Lambly, A. J. Donly, Geo. A. Cox, R. J. C. Dawson, J. E. Irvine, Samuel Finley.

ANNUAL CONFERENCE REPRESENTATIVES—*Ministers*: Rev. W. R. Parker, D.D., I. B. Aylesworth, LL.D., J. S. Ross, M.A., A. Cunningham, J. S. Clarke, James Kines, W. H. Hartz, D.D., E. Evans, G. P. Storey, John McDougall, E. Robson. *Laymen*: F. W. Lennox, C. Sanders, W. McGibbon, W. G. Smith, J. A. Holgate, J. R. Lavell, R. J. Sweet, J. R. Inch, LL.D., Hon. J. J. Rogerson, Thos. Nixon.

The chief duty of the Board is to review the missionary work of the Church at home and abroad,