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The MARITIME goes forth on its last mission for the year. Its failures in duty, like those of all others, cannot be recalled. May anything that was right be blessed. The only thing with it, as with all, is to seek to make the pages of next year's record better than that which is now closing.

To those who have so kindly aided by circulating the MARITIME during the year heartiest thanks are tendered. Whatever of success it may have attained is due to them. While thanking them in the name of the work to which the paper is devoted for what they have done in the past, we would respectfully ask them to be co-workers with us again for the coming year.

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Are there not many of our readers who can get up a club of four or upwards among those who are not yet subscribers.

The news in the recent letters from the New Hebrides regarding the settlement of Mr. and Mrs. Annand, will be read with deep interest by their many friends. There are several points that will be noticed with special satisfaction. 1. They have been received with open arms by the natives. 2. They have fellow-labourers, another mission family, only eight miles distant. There are scarcely any other mission families in the New Hebrides, apart from the four new stations, that have others so near them. The Mackenzies have another missionary with them on Efate, but he is between twenty and thirty miles distant, on the opposite side of the Island, while the Robertsons are alone on Erromanga. It is pleasing to think that when the Annand's so generously gave up their old station at Aneityum to open a new field, that they are so happily and comfortably situated.

In order to prevent confusion in reading of the New Hebrides Mission, please remember that there are two islands, Tongoa and Tangoa (pr. *Tong-oa* and *Tang-oa*, g soft.) Tonga is the name of an island near the centre of the group with which the friends of the mission have long been familiar. It is occupied by Rev. O. Michelson of the Presbyterian church of Otago, New Zealand, who was appointed there nine years ago. Tangoa, Mr. Annand's new station, is a small island in the North of the group lying very near to Santo on its South side. It, too, will soon become familiar as we follow the work of our faithful missionaries.