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## OUR HERO MISSIONARIES.

They have journeyed far on a stormy tide  
To the friendless shore and the strange hill-  
side,

Where the wild winds sigh and the darkness  
creeps ;

For their hearts are sad with a world that  
weeps,

And theirs is a love that never sleeps.

Where the stress is great and the battle long  
They strengthen their faith with psalm and  
song ;

And if for guerdon they have defeat,  
The hymns of their angels are ever sweet,  
And they take their rest at the Master's feet.

God is the source of their secret strength.  
They trust in Him, and they see at length  
That morn is breaking after the night,  
And the harvest fields are gold and white,  
While shines around them God's fadeless light.

But who shall follow where they have led ?  
Who live and labor and love instead ?

Oh, hearts of youth, earth waits for you ;  
Be strong and brave, be firm and true,  
Faithfully promise, and nobly do !

—Marianne Farningham.

The First International Convention of the Young People's Missionary Movement will be held in Pittsburg, Pa., March 10th and 12th inclusive.

Its purpose is (1) to bring together the leaders in missionary effort of the Home and Foreign Mission Boards of the United States and Canada, and those to whom the Boards look for leadership in the promotion of missionary education in their denominations, for helpful association and conference. (2) To consider the pressing need for an immediate advance movement in the mission fields at home and abroad. (3) To realize the success of the present campaign of missionary education and the necessity for a more thorough and far-reaching education movement by the mission boards or societies in young men's and wo-

men's church clubs, young people's organizations, and the Sunday-schools of the churches of North America. (4) To pray, and earnestly to resolve to enter with greater consecration upon the campaign of missionary education among the 17,000,000 young men, young women, and Sunday-school members of Canada and the United States.

Some of the ablest speakers on missionary and educational themes in Great Britain, Canada, the United States, and from the home and foreign mission fields, will be present.

A registration fee of \$2.00 will be charged each delegate to help defray expenses. For Baptist delegates this should be sent to our Foreign Board Secretary, Dr. J. G. Brown, 177 Albany Ave., or to Dr. Norton, 50 Howland Ave., Secretary of our Home Board. They will return credentials which will admit to all the meetings of the Convention.

Board can be procured at \$1.00 and up at boarding houses and hotels.

## NOTICE TO MISSION BANDS.

As the last stock of picture post-cards has been exhausted, and other Bands wished to use them, the Foreign Mission Board is securing 2,000 more of the same kinds, "Hindu Women at the Well," and "The Canadian Mission Boats at Akidu." They sell two for five cents. The money is for Foreign Missions and should be forwarded to our treasurer, Miss Sarah J. Webster, 324 Gerrard St. East, Toronto. Cards may be order from Mrs. G. W. Barber, Band Secretary, 35 Charlotte St., Brantford, at the rate of 8c per 100, to defray postage expenses.

Encouraging reports of the success of Crusade week have been received from two Circles, and we hope to have many more to report in our next issue.

We desire to correct a mistake in the report of the Thank-offering of the Mission Circle of Walmer Road Church. In place of \$90.00, it was credited with \$900.