



Vol. I., No. 8.

TORONTO, DECEMBER, 1896.

PRICE, from now until January, 1898 10c.

### Students' Missionary Campaign

Is the subject for this issue, which contains the following articles, giving as full information regarding the work as it has been possible to obtain:

Suggested Programme, explaining Students' Missionary Campaign.

S. M. C.: What It Is.

Partial Report of Campaign of Summer of 1896.

Report of Corresponding Member of the S. M. C.

How to Plan Your Work, How to Work Your Plan.

Victoria College Reviews the Campaign of '96.

Trinity Tells Her Tale.

District Representation in the Foreign Field.

Campaigners on the CAMPAIGNER.

Missionary Books.

Catalogue of Missionary Literature.

Cycle of Prayer.

Advertisement of Missionary Literature, Methodist Book Room.

### Begin with January.

TEN CENTS FOR ONE YEAR.

Subject for January number: The power of the Holy Spirit on our Membership, Missionaries and Teachers.

North American Indians, Mexico, Central America.

West Indies, educational work in missionary lands.

(See "Cycle of Prayer": Subject for January, also first, second and third days.)

\* \* \*

We are greatly pleased with the prospect for the coming year. We feel confident that the MISSIONARY CAMPAIGNER will be very helpful to both the Woman's Missionary Society and the Epworth League in preparing programmes for their monthly missionary meetings. Remember each month will contain a programme based on the subject suggested by the Cycle of Prayer for the current month. Also remember that during the year we hope to furnish information from every land in the world. The MISSIONARY CAMPAIGNER will be a commentary on the Cycle of Prayer, and if you subscribe immediately you may have it for one year for 10 cents.

\* \* \*



Exact Size.

THE CAMPAIGNER'S BUTTON is useful to a Young People's Society in that it shows in a quiet way who are in favor of the "Forward Movement for Missions," and thus enables them to throw their influence in the right direction. It serves as an introduction to a conversation about mission work. The price is 5 cents each, or 30 cents a dozen. We also have a very neat little ribbon badge which is helpful to committee men, at same price.

### Suggested Programme on Young People's Foreign Movement for Missions.

- I. *Opening Exercises.*—Hymn (Can. Hymnal, 167); Prayer; Scripture lesson (Lk. xiv. 15, Num. xiii. 30, Matt. xxviii. 18-20), with *brief pointed* comment; Hymn (Can. Hymnal, 431).
- II. *Young People's Forward Movement for Missions.* Its inception, progress and promise; Its relation to the Students' Missionary Campaign.
- III. *Objects.*
  1. *Careful study* of literature of missions.
  2. *Daily prayer* for missions.
  3. *Weekly giving* to missions.

Show the importance and relation of these three aims.
- IV. *Helps.*
  1. *Missionary library* in possession of each League, regularly added to and systematically circulated.
  2. *The "Missionary Campaigner"*—one in each home represented in the League.
  3. *Cycle of Prayer* and Facts on Foreign Missions.
  4. *Pledge and collector's books.*
  5. *Envelopes*, in which the contributions are to be returned each month.
- V. *Musical selection.*—"Two cents a week"—November CAMPAIGNER.
- VI. *Ultimate aim.*—Every Home District to be represented by its own missionary (with consent of and under direction of General Board).
 

*Advantages and results.*

  1. *Fostering of connexional spirit and effort.* All young people of the Church will be united for one grand object in line with denominational work.
  2. *Increased and increasing interest* because of definite work.
  3. *Direct communication with the missionary* by quarterly interchange of letters, thus keeping in constant and direct touch with the Church's work in that field.
  4. *Vast increase of missionaries* under our own Church.
  5. *Reflex action* on the Society and thus on the Church.
- VII. *Feasibility of the aim.*
  1. Statistics regarding Epworth Leagues of Canada.
  2. Statistics regarding Epworth Leagues of the District in which the Society is located.
  3. What local Leagues and Districts have already done.
- VIII. Prayer by several members.
- IX. Hymn (Can. Hymnal, 193).

A HAPPY CHRISTMAS TO ALL.