

Our Secretarial Staff

In our January number we reported the action of the General Board at its meeting in December last, whereby in compliance with the order of General Conference, the number of our Field secretaries was reduced. We outlined the expected future of the field staff as directed by the Board and did not anticipate any further present change. Owing, however, to the appointment of Mr. Farewell to the Principalship of the Ontario Ladies' College, Whitby, to succeed Dr. Hare, a vacancy has arisen and we go to press too early to report the action of the Executive thereon.

For the past six years Mr. Farewell has been on the field staff and has done the most of his work in the Ontario Conferences. He has demonstrated his ability as an educationist and goes to his new position with the confidence, esteem, and goodwill of thousands with whom he has come into personal touch in his work throughout our churches. Many of our readers will regret his removal from the service of the Sunday

School and Young People's Department, and will look for his continued and increasing success in his new field of educational activity.

We have already spoken of the faithful services rendered the Board in their respective fields by the secretaries Westman and Curtis, and we but voice the best wishes of many when we express the hope that in the more congenial and happy work of the pastorate they may find much delight and increasing blessing. All these brethren have merited the thanks of the whole Church for their splendid services during the years in which they have been diligently at work for the advancement of the interests for which the Board stands.

The Executive Committee, called for May 25th, could not meet earlier owing to previous District Meeting appointments, and its findings will have been made known in the public press before we shall have opportunity of reporting them. In our next number we shall, however, give full account of the proceedings.

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT

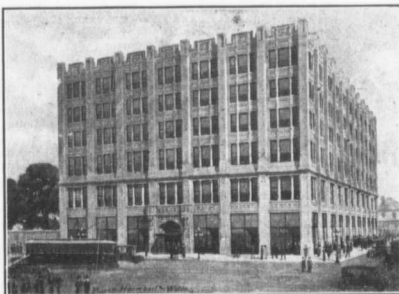
This announcement is but preliminary to a more extended one to appear in our next issue. We desire to intimate that a plan, whereby the scope of this paper is to be enlarged and its constituency extended, has been fully adopted by the General Board of the Sunday Schools and Young People's Societies, the General Board of Social Service and Evangelism, and the Central Section of the Book Committee. Commencing with early fall this paper will be known as "YOUTH AND SERVICE" and its contents will be provided with a view to the advancement of the general interests of both the Boards named above. This arrangement will enable the present Editor to utilize the splendid abilities of Rev. Dr. Moore and his able staff, and to present a paper that will even more than ever contribute to the efficiency of our youth and inspire both juniors and adults to practical service. Keep your eyes open for "YOUTH AND SERVICE."

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