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MISS HATCH reached Woodstock from India on Tuesday, the 16th of May. She finds herself much refreshed by the sea voyage; and will, we trust, soon be in the enjoyment of her usual health and strength. She has labored faithfully and well, and is heartily welcomed as she returns to us for a period of rest.

MR. GARSIDE WRITES:—"The Lord is blessing the work in Tuni. Nine have been baptized lately, others are believing and will come in soon."

OUR READERS will rejoice to know that Miss Kate McLaurin, daughter of the honored missionary has been appointed by the Ontario and Quebec Board, to our Telugu field. Miss McLaurin is a graduate of Moulton College, and during the past year has been pursuing a selected course in McMaster University. She has shown herself to be possessed of much force of character, in her Moulton College career; and has exerted in the College a strong Christian influence. It is pleasant to note that the Walmer Road Church, Toronto, has undertaken to provide Miss McLaurin's outfit and to support her on the field.

THE SUBSCRIPTION list of the LINK is not increasing as rapidly as it should in view of the growth of our work, and the old subscribers are not all paying up as promptly as we could wish. Will not all who have to do with the work of extending the circulation of the paper, and the collecting and forwarding of subscriptions, see that the work is done promptly and effectively? Many are doing nobly, and many who have neglected the matter, no doubt, have had good reasons for doing so; but we are sure that all wish to see this department of our work move forward, and this can be accomplished only by persistent effort. We should like much to see 1000 new names added to our list, within the next few months. We will send extra copies to any who will promise to use them in getting new subscribers.

THE FOLLOWING beautiful little note with ten dollars enclosed was dropped into Miss Priest's door the other day by an unknown hand.

"To Ellen Priest greeting: The peace of the Lord Christ abide with thee whithersoever thou goest. It is a pleasant custom among the children of men to strew flowers in the pathway of those they delight to honor. And so we come to-day bringing instead of God's flowers, born of His dew and sunshine, this gift, "in His name," whose are the silver and the gold. We trust that it may smoothe some little roughness in the way,

thy feet are treading now, making thy last days among us the pleasanter by the absence of some tiny care."
FROM FOUR.

W. B. M. U.

MOTTO FOR THE YEAR.—"As My Father hath sent Me into the world, even so send I you."

PRAYER TOPIC FOR JUNE.—For our Associational gatherings, that the presence and power of the Holy Spirit may be felt in a marked degree, and thus that liberal things may be devised for the extension of the Saviour's kingdom.

THE TREASURER'S REPORT for the quarter ending April 30th is given the precedence this month. It is absolutely necessary that every Aid Society read this statement at the next meeting. And if the monthly meeting should have been held before this number of the LINK reaches you, then call a special meeting to consider this report, and to find out if every thing possible has been done by your Society, in the matter of raising funds. You will notice that our receipts for the quarter are \$1,399.37, our expenditure \$1,720.29 showing a deficit of \$320.92. See to it, Sisters of the Union, that this next quarter find us ready with our offerings. Remember, we are pledged this year, to Foreign Missions \$7,000, and for Home Missions \$2,000.

The receipts for the first quarter were, \$832.73; for the second \$1,379.69; for the third, \$1,399.37. Comment is surely unnecessary.

THE REPORT of the Secretary for Kings Co., N.S., appears elsewhere. We regret that no account of the meetings of the Conventions held in Canard has reached us. But the season was well spent and the different societies in good working order.

It is a matter of great concern that our Secretary for Kings is obliged to resign her post on account of ill health. We pray that she may be spared to us for many a year. She is a workman that needeth not to be ashamed.

WOMAN'S OPPORTUNITIES IN AND OBLIGATIONS TO THE FOREIGN FIELD.

BY MISS BLANCHE BISHOP.

(Read before the I. M. A. Convention, at Woodstock in Nov. 1892.)

I have a confession to make. Ever since I can remember I have been in the habit of attending missionary meetings. At every such meeting I have felt my heart stirred to its very depths by a desire to give myself