

9. Have you a knowledge of music, either vocal or instrumental
10. What is the condition of your health ?
11. Are you engaged to be married ?
12. Have you ever been married ? If so, is your husband living ?
13. Will you answer by testimonials to each of these questions ?

REQUIREMENTS OF MISSIONARY CANDIDATES.

1. A missionary candidate must believe herself divinely called to the work of a foreign missionary, and assert her belief that she is actuated only by a desire to work in accordance with God's will.

2. She must here indicate her ability to work in a foreign field by Christian usefulness at home.

3. She must declare her intention to make foreign missionary work the service of her effective years, and agree to give at least five of these years of continuous service, as a single woman, to the work of the Woman's Missionary Society, unless prevented by ill-health ; she must also assert her willingness to labor in any field, though her preference is always to be taken into account.

4. She must furnish satisfactory testimonials in regard to scholarship ; some experience in teaching and a knowledge of medicine and nursing are desirable qualifications.

5. She must present a certificate of health from a competent physician, and give satisfactory answers to medical questions.

6. The age of a candidate must not be less than twenty-five years nor more than thirty. A thorough intellectual training, with a facility in acquiring languages, and a remarkable ability for Christian work, may be considered as a sufficient reason for deviation from this rule.

7. Financial and executive ability, and power of adaptation to circumstances are essential qualifications.

8. Missionary candidates shall be recommended by the Branch in which they reside, before their testimonials are considered by the General Executive. There shall be a personal interview with at least two members of the General Executive before final acceptance.

9. After the adoption of a missionary candidate, she shall be regarded as under the direction of the General Executive Committee.