

From the Field.

Brockville District.—The Epworth Leagues of Brockville District have within the past three weeks been visited by Dr. C. W. Service, B.A., who has been chosen by the Missionary Board to represent Brockville and Matilda Districts on the mission field. He will be supported by the Leagues of those two Districts. Dr. Service was accompanied during his tour of Brockville District by Rev. H. E. Warren of Hintonburg, Ont., who assisted in the meetings each evening, and on Sunday morning, July 30th, preached in Wall Street Church. In the evening a platform meeting was held in George Street Church, which was addressed by Dr. Service and Mr. Warren. At 10 a.m. a Junior rally of George Street, Park Street and Wall Street Junior Societies was held in Wall Street Sunday School Hall.



DR. C. W. SERVICE.

Dr. Service addressed the Juniors on the need of medical missionaries in the home and foreign fields. In the afternoon at four o'clock a union meeting of George Street and Wall Street senior Leagues was held in George Street Church. Dr. Service's address was listened to with interest, and his farewell words will no doubt be remembered, we hope, in a very practical way. Rev. Mr. Warren's address, which followed, was along the important line of giving, showing our privilege and responsibility in this matter. We believe every League on the District has been stimulated and encouraged by Dr. Service's visit to take a deeper interest in Missions, to pray more earnestly for, study more diligently about, and give more liberally and systematically to Missions.

The young people of the Toronto Leagues held an enjoyable picnic at Island Park, on Saturday, August 26th.

HAMILTON Road Epworth League, London, is working well. A meeting for the election of officers was held on Monday, August 7th, and the leaders elected to the different departments are looking forward and expecting a very prosperous year. A number take the EPWORTH ERA and are delighted with it.

Just a Line or Two.

MR. C. C. JAMES, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, recently delivered an able address on "The Making of the Province," under the auspices of the Epworth League, at Bowmanville.

The Epworth League of Christian Endeavor, of Woodhouse, reports prosperity. During the past year the membership has increased, the meetings have been better attended, and more interest taken in all departments of the work.

British Columbia News.

AN Intermediate League has been formed in the Metropolitan church, Victoria.

THE Senior League of the Metropolitan Church continued its meetings all summer.

THE new church at West Westminster will have fine accommodation for the Sunday School and Epworth League.

A SUNDAY SCHOOL delegate from Richmond returned from the New Westminster convention so enthusiastic about the League that a chapter was organized within a few days.

ON account of so many leaving town for summer employment, the Epworth League at Vernon combined with the church prayer meeting, the League having charge of each alternate meeting.

THE young people of the Spring Ridge neighborhood have organized a League in connection with their Sunday School. They are busily about calling themselves an Epworth League, but are formed on the same lines.

THE Epworth League of the Centennial Church, Victoria, has taken a new lease of life, with Mr. Ernest Hall as President. The Missionary Department has been organized, with fifteen pledged to pray for and give to missions.

TONG CHUE THOM is doing splendid work in the Chinese Mission. Each evening in the week he teaches the Chinamen who are willing to learn, and now has twenty-three in attendance, who are rapidly learning to read the Bible and commit portions of it to memory.

Christian Endeavor News.

THE Tenth Legion enrolment has reached number 14,910.

THE Queen has sent a gracious acknowledgment of the message forwarded by the Endeavorers at Detroit.

THE *Christian Endeavor World* says: We rejoice with the Epworth League and the Baptist Young People's Union in the superb conventions they have just held.

AN Endeavorer writes from Pittsburgh: "I am trying to report the Detroit Convention by 'going home and doing it,' as Robert Speer bade us. I have again taken my Sunday School class, which I gave up before I went."

"The wood is no bigger than it was last year," says Rev. William Carey, in the report on Christian Endeavor, of the Bengal Conference, "but it covers the ground with a much thicker, healthier growth. There has been a gain of six societies and 372 members."

IN THE *Irish Endeavorer* "cycling missions" are advocated as a means of reaching neglected villages. Endeavorers who spend their evenings on the cycle are asked to make this a means of doing evangelistic and extension work, by going in companies to hold open-air meetings, and, where possible, organizing new societies.

Epworth League Summer Institute at Killarney, Manitoba.

A very pleasant and profitable week has just closed, July 30th, and the happy hours spent together will long be remembered by the Epworth Leaguers at Killarney. A large number of young workers from various points of Southern Manitoba, assembled together to spend the week on the beautiful banks of Lake Killarney. No effort was spared to enable the campers to spend a pleasant and profitable week, and all expressed themselves as highly pleased with their outing by the lake.

The opening service was held Tuesday evening in the large tent. After opening with praise and prayer an excellent sermon was delivered by Rev. F. A. August, Souris, Man., the subject being the parable of the seed. At the close of the sermon a consecration service was held, led by Rev. J. C. Walker of Winnipeg.

At 6.30 a.m., Wednesday, a league meeting was held, being led by Mr. Reuben Cross of Killarney, special prayer being made for the meetings of the week.

The second service of the day began 9.30 a.m., the first speaker being Rev. G. F. McCullagh, Crystal City, who took for his subject the sermon on the mount.

Rev. F. A. August, Souris, then gave a very earnest and enthusiastic temperance address, dealing especially with "Leaguers' Responsibility to the Prohibition Movement." He pointed out the great importance of influencing the young of to-day, so as to make them the defenders of Prohibition in our land for the days to come.

Mrs. (Rev.) Harrison, Boissevain led the discussion on departmental work. Much stress was laid upon the value of thorough organization in the church, and also of strongest efforts to keep the boys and girls of fifteen and sixteen years in touch with the church and not let them drift away from Junior Leagues into the world.

On Wednesday evening Rev. H. Lewis, Stockton preached a very able sermon, taking for his text "How can we escape if we neglect so great salvation."

The second early League Meeting was led by Rev. H. Lewis, Stockton, the lesson being Mark 14: 12-16.

On Thursday morning Rev. J. H. Morgan, B.A., Holland, spoke on Forward Movement.

The next subject, "Personal Work," was taken by Rev. G. F. McCullagh, Crystal City.

The evening sermon was preached by Rev. Mr. Riddell.

The Friday morning early service was led by Rev. Mr. Riddell.

At 9.30 a.m. Rev. C. H. Cross, of Cartright, spoke on the "League's Responsibility to Missions."

This was followed by an admirable paper by Mr. Claude Kilbourne, Deloraine, on "Best Method of Developing Juvenile Missions."

The Bible Study was then taken by Rev. H. Lewis of Stockton.

On Friday evening after opening with praise and prayer, Rev. B. W. Allison, Pilot Mound, read the lesson from Isa. 55. He took for his text Gal. 7:8, referring to the eternal law of equity. "God is not mocked. Whatsoever a man sows that shall he also reap."

The Saturday early morning League Meeting was led by Rev. Ferrier, Snowflake.

At 10.15 Miss Irvine, Pilot Mound, gave a highly interesting paper on "Leaguers' Responsibility as Citizens." Mr. Montgomery, Deloraine, then read a paper on "Recreation."

The evening sermon was given by Rev. R. E. McCullagh, B.A., Ninga, who spoke from the words "I am crucified with Christ, nevertheless I live; and yet not I, but Christ liveth in me."