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Organize! Organize!

Dr. Chatmers, describing Methodism in a phrase said, "They were all at it, and always at it." That is the reason of its success. It is because the people, and all the people had a mind to work that the walls of Zion have gone up. The Sunday-schools and Epworth Leagues have a very important part to play in bringing to completion this Twentieth Century Thanksgiving Fund. It would be a disaster if this were left to the generous givers of large sums. It is important that every school, however humble, every scholar, however poor, should have some part in this great work.

This has been the secret of the success of the movement in Great Britain, and also of the grand missionary work of Methodism for the last hundred years. It is more by the pence of the poor than the pounds of the rich, that these missionary triumphs have been won, that hundreds of missionaries have been sent to the foreign field, that thousands of

prayers have gone up to God for their success. So will it be in connection with our own great mission work, and especially with the Twentieth Century Fund Movement.

Dr. Potts has already received pledges for about \$600,000 of this fund. The remaining \$400,000 will be by far the hardest to obtain. It can only be secured by the hearty effort of every school and League throughout the entire of Canada: Methodism. We have pleasure in presenting and endorsing to the utmost of our power the following urgent appeal from the General Secretary of the Twentieth Century Thanksgiving Fund: To the Sunday-school Superintendent:

My Dear Brother,—In the good providence of God you are placed in a position of extraordinary responsibility and influence for good. The place and power of the Sunday-school in the kingdom of Christ and in the Christian work of the Twentieth Century can hardly be over-estimated.

The Twentieth Century Thanksgiving Fund should appeal strongly to the Sunday-schools of the Connexion. Many have organized with the determination to place the name of every scholar on the Historic Roll. With intelligent organization and aggressive work, this should not be very difficult.

Has your school been organized?

If not, please organize at once, so that you may complete the work within the year, and, if possible, by October.

Kindly inform me of your action re the T. C. T. F. Ever yours,

JOHN POTTS, Gen. Sec.

Victoria College, Toronto.

Loyal Methodists.

We heartily endorse the remarks of the following article from the Michigan Christian Advocate:

"One of the greatest embarrassments to loyal Methodists in their Sunday-school work is the disposition of some superintendents to thrust upon their schools supplies which are not Methodist. Ignorance of the qualities of literary excellence, recklessness as to the danger of unsound teachings, or mere stinginess as to legitimate expenditures, or all these things combined, have resulted in the introduction in some schools of "helps" that savour of Swedenborgianism, Christian Science-ism and other

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