

Saviour, pause to think a while on our countless blessings—and to renew our form of consecration.

First ourselves, then our prayers, then our gifts of substance. This should be the order of our giving and of our thanksgiving. Let us meet for reverend spiritual fellowship with Christ—not forgetting when we praise Him for our personal and family things—to thank Him for the countless opportunities for service which press upon us in our work. Let us thank Him for our noble missionaries, for the seed sown and springing up, for the pressure upon us of the world's needs, for the opportunity of sacrifice. From every heart let there rise the incense of our prayer—"My Father, I thank Thee."

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As the call is from both boards, it is expected that the offering will be divided between Home and Foreign Missions.

CLAXTON MEMORIAL.

The committee in charge of the Claxton Memorial Fund desire to thank all Circles, Bands and friends, who have so generously responded to the appeal, and beg to notify those whose subscriptions run over the allotted time (three years), that the second payment will be due November 1st.

The privilege of having a share in the building of the "Jane Claxton" Memorial Chapel School House, at Vuyyuru, is one that no Circle or Band should miss.

The committee would therefore call the special attention of all Circles and Bands, that have not yet contributed, to the fact, that this is an opportune time to do so, there being still a year in which to complete the work.

Will the treasurers kindly send promised "cheques" and remittances to

the Treasurer of the fund (Miss Cramp, 62 McTavish St., Montreal), as soon after November 1st as possible.

The Treasurer will also be pleased to receive individual subscriptions from friends who may desire to have a share in this memorial.

WESTERN CONVENTION.

A programme of much interest is being prepared for Foreign Mission Day, the last of the two days, November 12th and 13th, set apart for our Convention in Ingersoll.

Miss McLeod, not long home from India, and Rev. H. E. Stillwell will give addresses. We hope to hear also from Miss McLaurin and Miss Ryerse. A talk by Mrs. W. H. Cline, of Hamilton, on "Mission Study Books and How to Use Them," and an exercise (outlined by Miss Hatch) to be given by the Ingersoll Band, are items on a programme that should attract a large number of our women.

A. E. F., Sec. Com.

EASTERN CONVENTION.

Brockville, October 7th and 8th.

We are looking forward to an unusually good convention this year, and trust that every Circle will make a special effort to send one or more delegates. Will those who have not already done so, write at once to Miss Belle Simpson, Home St., Brockville, Ont., Convener of Billeting Committee.

Let it not be forgotten that this is an opportunity we may not have again, of having Miss K. S. McLaurin, Vuyyuru, India, one of our ablest and most inspiring speakers. She will address the public meeting on Tuesday evening, October 7th.

Delegates may be appointed as follows: For each Circle of twenty or less, two delegates; for each additional twenty, one more. These delegates must be full members of the Society; that is, either life members or contributors of one dollar per year to its funds. Each Band shall have the right to send one delegate.

All are invited to attend the meetings, but only delegates, life members, and officers who are members of regular Baptist churches, shall be entitled to vote.