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"Go... speak... to the people ALL the words of this life."

## Omnibus.

Do not forget the District meeting to be held in St. Thomas, Oct. 3 and 4.

Any one desiring to purchase a good new organ will do well to write to the editor of this paper.

The sisters have the floor to such an extent this issue, that the poor editor has to reserve his profound contributions for a later date.

Will not our agents put forth a little extra effort to collect arrears right now? We still have a number of subscribers away back. Come to the front, friends.

The Grand Valley *Star* of Aug. 15th published a very interesting sermon preached by Bro. A. H. Finch, from the text, "What think ye of Christ?"

Bro. W. G. Charlton is now well and ready for work, we are glad to hear. He is ready to hold evangelistic meetings in Ontario. His address is Mapleton, Ont.

The Walkerton *Telescope* published an extra edition, August 1st, devoted to that town and its business men and enterprises. Bro. T. Whitehead's likeness adorns the first page.

In a private note, Bro. A. S. Johnson says: "We have two young men from Canada—one from Ontario and one from Nova Scotia—and we can find places for four more." We know the young man from Ontario. He writes us that he is highly pleased with "The School of the Evangelists."

## Co-operation Notes

### Contributions.

#### Home Missions.

Church, G encainr.....\$15 00

Children's Day for Home Missions, the first Lord's day in September.

If your school, for some cause, should not lift the collection on the appointed day, any other Sunday in the month will do.

Let us make this year the best in our history. It can be done. Just let every church and every school, every society and every Disciple do some thing for the work, and our cause will receive such an uplift as it has never before received.

There are other cities in the province where there are Disciples, but no organization. We are asked for help. We long for the time when the contributions will justify an enlargement.

Send all contributions to

T. L. FOWLER, Cor. Sec.

West Lorne, Ont.

## The Alboro Meeting.

This yearly gathering came off on the 25th inst. It was a refreshing season. Disciples were there from Rodney, Wardsville, Lobo, Appin, Glencoe, Alviston, St. Thomas, Mosa and some other points. Forming new and reviving old friendships was a special feature of the gathering.

Hospitality! Well, those who have attended such meetings in this region know what that means. The aged Bro. and Sister Purcell, son and daughter-in-law, seemed delighted when trying to make their many visitors comfortable and happy. This was the practice of all who "entertained the strangers."

The house was not full in the morning, but in the afternoon seats had to be brought in. In attendance were Sister Ash and daughter, who had so recently lost their best earthly friend, Bro. Ash, who had been a faithful preacher for more than half a century, and had been laid in the silent tomb a few weeks previous. Weather fine; attendance good; meeting enjoyable; speaking might have been improved—might have been better; but Bro. Fowler sent word that he could not be present. Many regretted the omission of the Monday morning meeting, which used to be such a source of profit and pleasure. Shall we all meet again?  
C. J. L.

## Obituaries.

KRIPPS.—Died, in Erin, on July 28 1895; Richard Lawrence Kripps, son of the late Wm. Kripps, in his 10th year.

In the absence of Bro. J. D. Stephens the writer conducted the funeral services.

P. BAKER.

## Children's Work.

Abstract statement of Receipts and Payments for June and July, 1895:

### Receipts—

Balance from last year as per annual statement.....	\$93 65
Contributions from all sources.....	2 50

Total..... \$96 15

### Payments—

Support of Chinese boy, Nankin China.....	\$20 00
O. C. W. B. M., for support of Miss Mary M. Rioch, Japan Missionary.....	75 95
Bank commission.....	20

Total..... \$96 15

JENNIE FLEMING, Treas.

Kilsyth, Aug. 9th, 1895.

## Woman's Work.

Our readers will find "Woman's Work" distributed over several pages of this paper. Be careful not to miss any, for all is good. An article on "Method," from the pen of our talented Sister Campbell, of Detroit, will be found on page 2. Give it a careful reading, sisters.

The Constitution has been sent to the Auxiliaries, and, as the DISCIPLE is crowded with other matter, we will not give it now.

The names of the new Programme Committee were inadvertently omitted. They are Miss May Stephens, Mrs. T. B. Miller and Mrs. A. Trout, all of Owen Sound. After this, we may confidently look for the programme in the 15th issue of each month. A. M.

## Secretary's Notes.

The auxiliaries are now in possession of the constitution which was adopted at our last convention. It is hoped that each society will give it their best consideration and report whatever decision is arrived at.

Our last annual report showed that in some places women's work was not progressing. All should have a part in the extension of the Master's Kingdom, both at home and abroad.

Our responsibility this year is greater than ever. The home-mission work must receive our attention and to this we have promised three hundred dollars, besides which, we resolved if possible, to raise one hundred dollars or more for the Bible school. We trust that every sister, whether a member of an auxiliary or not, will feel enough interest in the work to contribute something towards its support.

A short time ago I received a photograph from Japan. It is of our missionary there and sixteen women and girls. Sister Mary is looking well; indeed she says she has never been in better health at this time of year since going to Japan.

The women and girls are in the Training School and home, and are for the most part intelligent looking. One or two of the smaller girls look particularly interesting. Altogether it is an excellent photograph.

Should any auxiliary or band care to have one, I think they could be supplied for twenty five cents. The card is larger than cabinet size. Should it happen that the above sum proves too much, the difference can be turned into our Treasury, so that it will not be wasted.

The paper read by Miss M. A. E. Sinclair at our annual meeting entitled, "The work of the O. C. W. B. M. and its possibilities," has been printed and will be forwarded to auxiliaries for distribution.

The Board of Managers expects to meet in Toronto in September, to discuss the best way of carrying out the resolutions of convention. Will every auxiliary kindly report concerning constitution as early as possible?

Mrs. Flaglor, secretary of C. W. B. M. Maritime provinces, writes that their convention just closed was one of the best ever held by them. The missionary meetings were most successful. The children's work has grown so as to surprise them. They have decided to adopt another child (in India this time), also to take a share in Miss Graybeil's Home.

Will the treasurers of auxiliaries please take notice, that all contributions are to be sent to the corresponding secretary, instead of the treasurer, as has heretofore been done.

L. V. RIOCH,

Cor. Sec'y.

## C. E. Prayer-Meeting Notes.

GEO. FOWLER.

Sept. 8. *Teachings of Caleb's life.* Num. xiii. 30-33; xiv. 20-24, 30; Josh. xiv. 14.

It is a pleasure to study the life of a truly great man. We receive an inspiration from reading the biographies of men who have attained to eminence by pursuing a course sanctioned by God and man.

The Bible is a book of many biographies. We find portrayed the lives of men, good and bad, noble and ignoble, heroes and cowards, warriors,