

YOUNG WOMEN'S AUXILIARIES.

MISS ELLIS' MESSAGE.

Dear Girls: Here we are back again at the dear Christmas season and the New Year—so nice, isn't it, to have new things—and the New Year means for us a new series of Mission Study Programs. I've been casting about in my mind for a suitable book or theme for our consideration, and every time I think of it, one book persists in getting right in my mind's way, so perhaps it is intended for our use this year. It is "The King's Highway," by Helen Barrett Montgomery.

If any of you have used this book before, perhaps you might like a chance to review and spend more time on certain attractive parts you hurried over last year.

We shall be treated to a series of Missionary Travelogues, that should be most fascinating. Let every girl own a copy of this book, only 35c (possibly 30c in clubs of ten), and agree to read it. The title suggests a lovely road, and surely it is, winding in and out of fascinating Japan, quaint Korea, baffling China, winsome Ceylon, dreamy China and old Egypt.

Begin now and keep your eyes open for the latest news from any of these countries. The papers have many important items, and the magazines have fine articles, illustrated splendidly, and pictures are always a help, you know. Keep your eyes open, too, for suggestions for posters to use to advertise your meetings—these can be hung in church vestibules, the Sunday before your meeting, and should contain a fact about the country which can preach to everyone reading the poster. An excellent thing would be to have your Circle subscribe to the "Missionary Review of the World," 156 5th Avenue, New York,

price \$2.50. Also "Missions" (our Baptist magazine), Ford Building, Boston, Mass., price 70c.

If you belong to a small Circle and you do not feel that each member could own a copy, buy one or two copies and take them apart, placing each chapter in a pretty colored paper cover, and circulate the chapters among the girls, having each mark on the inside cover the date when received and the date passed on to the next, and so keeping track of the parts. Let us begin to think about our trip, for you know how much fun and pleasure we get out of planning a journey.

Our invitation for the first meeting might take the shape of a suit case with hat box. By the way, here is a chance for the girl who is handy with scissors and has color brush or crayons to make no end of lovely things. Program Committees, get busy now. Use that head of yours (this is not art, where "you don't need no head," as the boy said), but Missions, where you need all the head you can command. Begin to plan now. Our first country will be Egypt.

Hoping to meet you at the doc.,

Bon voyage,

HARRIETT S. ELLIS.

THE NEW AIM.

Something new does appeal to us, doesn't it? For two years now we have been working away to "do our bit" in the Caste Girls' School at Cocanada, for Dr. Hulet's medical supplies, to support our Zenana ladies, Miss Gibson and Miss Beggs, and to have a share in Bolivia. And we have succeeded so well that the reward of our work is more work—and I believe just what we would all have chosen. Not that we are to give up what has been ours—we would not con-