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THE celebration of our Silver Anniversary brings us to an interesting period in our W.F.M.S. In reviewing the years that have gone, we have much to humble us in view of the little we have done for our Saviour and His cause. But yet we thank our heavenly Father that we have been honored in having this work to do, and for the "open doors" to our missionaries who represent us on the foreign field; and also for the blessing vouchsafed to them, in turning many from the worship of idols to that of the true and living God. No woman has heartily entered into the work, but has experienced a rich blessing in her own soul, as she has sought, by her prayers and offerings, to give to our sisters in India a knowledge of Jesus Christ which would bring light and joy into their darkened lives.

What an uplift and enlargement of sympathy the work has brought to us, and what blessed fellowship we have enjoyed with the noblest and most consecrated women of our time, as well as inspiration from the lives of those who have gone to their reward!

Surely the past, with its blessings at home and abroad, should stimulate and encourage us to enter upon the work before us with renewed zeal and consecration; and to the many sisters in our churches, who have not yet become members of our circles, we would say, come with us and be a blessing and be blessed.

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NOMINATIONS.

The Foreign and Home Secretaries and Treasurer are appointed by the Board. The other officers and the first five members, namely, Mrs. Wm. Craig, Mrs. P. A. McEwen, Mrs. W. J. Robertson, Mrs. J. Firstbrook and Mrs. Sinclair, retire this year, but are eligible for re-election.

All nominations and resignations must be sent in writing to Miss Buchan, 165 Bloor Street East, Toronto, before Tuesday, the 12th of November, or else handed to her on the morning of the 14th. It is important that all who make nominations should give their reasons for doing so.

BOARD MEETING.

A meeting of the Foreign Mission Board will be held in Jarvis St. Baptist Church, on Tuesday, November 12th, at 8 p. m.

A. MOYLE, *Rec. Sec.*

BILLETING. — All delegates requiring billets are requested to send in their names before November 7th, to Mrs. John R. Wellington, 14 Pine Hill Road, Rosedale, Toronto. Billets will not be sent out, but places will be assigned upon arrival of the delegates at the Jarvis St. Baptist Church, corner of Jarvis and Gerrard Streets, where the billeting committee will be in attendance on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, Nov. 12-14. Delegates will take a Church St. car at the Station, go up to Gerrard St., then walk two blocks east.

P. M. WELLINGTON,
Convener of Billeting Committee.