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were received through reading a tract or Gospel paper, we should find the number far greater than we now think. In view of these facts we urge our readers to lay hold of, and utilize this agency, so easily enlisted, and so easily worked.

### Toronto Mission Union.



THE annual business meeting of the Union was held on Saturday April 4th. The reports (which will be printed as a supplement to a future issue of this paper) were pleasing in every particular, showing as they did, that the good hand of our God had rested upon every department of the work. The interest has deepened and the attendance at the meetings largely increased. It has been specially gratifying to observe the leadings of God in this work, especially in providing helpers. The need of a Bible woman was much felt. That special fund only amounted to \$100, a small sum, but the Lord laid it on the heart of a young Christian to offer her services and to accept for the same this small amount. Again at one of our meetings, it was urged by a brother that to make the work truly successful there should be a missionary in charge. This was conceded but how was such a man to be supported. The discussion had just closed, when a young man, a member of the committee entered. He was told what had been suggested. After a moment's pause he said "Brethren I have been thinking over this work. As you know I have been employed (in addition to my college studies) in mission work in the city. My connection with that work ceases next month, and I came here to offer my services to the Union without any condition as to salary. If you will accept of these services I am ready to accept whatever the Lord may send me in the way of remuneration." Thus the Lord provided us a fellow helper in the person of Mr. Goforth, and those who labor with him can testify as to the blessings which have attended his faithful work.

At the annual meeting it was decided to estab-

lish a Savings Bank, or Provident fund. Arrangements have since been made whereby persons connected with the Union may join this fund. Mr. R. Moffatt has accepted the position as Secretary and Treasurer, and Mr. Dixon will attend each Saturday night to receive deposits. The Committee hopes to make satisfactory arrangements for the purchase of coal and blankets for next winter supply, and feel certain that good will result from this plan.

### Conference.



ARRANGEMENTS have been made for holding a four days conference on "the Second coming." The Conference will be held at Niagara, Ont. There will be two sessions each day, at 9 a.m. and 2 p.m. The following topics have been suggested:—

- 1st. Day, 9 a.m. History of the Doctrine.  
2 p.m.—Absolute Scripture evidence that Christ will come a second time to the earth, and that this coming will be personal and pre-millennial.
- 2nd. Day, 9 a.m.—The Scripture evidence that the second coming of the Lord has been the ever present hope of the church throughout this dispensation.  
2 p.m.—The practical power of this truth as a means to the salvation of sinners.
- 3rd. Day, 9 a.m.—What events, if any, are revealed in Scripture as preceding His coming?  
2 p.m.—The events which are revealed as introducing the next age.
- 4th. Day, 9 a.m.—Israel's relation to the second coming of the Lord.  
3 p.m.—The power of this truth to encourage and stimulate the church to the work of evangelization.

Circulars with full details as to time, speakers, accommodation, railway fares, etc., will be issued in a few days, and may be secured by enclosing stamped envelope to the Secretary of Committee, Willard Tract Depository, Toronto, Ontario.

We are glad to announce that the Believer's Meeting for Bible Study will be held at the same place, commencing July 23rd, and continuing until the 30th.

No more pleasant or comfortable point could be chosen, as the proprietors of the Queen's Hotel have agreed to erect a permanent tabernacle to seat several hundred, (with rooms for committees &c., attached.) Full particulars will be given by circular, to be issued at an early date.