

TEACHING STAFF.

The principal teachers in the theological department ; Miss Hatch, in the Bible, and Jaganaikalu, his wife and two Hindus in the other departments. Miss Hatch and Mrs. Stillwell teach English classes ; Mrs. Stillwell has charge also of the women.

It has been the idea of the seminary from the beginning to combine the practical with the theoretical Christian work. Hence, preaching in adjacent villages, and in Samulcotta has been carried on. The usual Sunday services have been held. Miss Hatch has started a Sunday school in the town with an attendance of fifty to one hundred. Samulcotta is a town of 12,000 people, and these busy and self-sacrificing missionaries together with the Church have built two buildings and support two preachers in this town.

OTHER WORKERS.

Rev. H. F. Laflamme. This devoted brother though not in charge of any definite work, has nevertheless been abundant in labors. Besides learning the language and ministering to the English Church, he made two tours of twenty-six days, and visited forty-five villages on the Cocanada field. He had full charge of Cocanada field for over two months, and during the heated term, along with the native preachers organized a systematic preaching crusade in the streets of the town. The memorable meeting in Bimlipitam, the appeal and the spirit of hope and aggressive zeal on our field owe much to our brother.

I cannot forbear the following quotation from his report : "My firm conviction is that India must be evangelized by her home-born, home-supported evangelists, and that these evangelists for the present must be largely raised up and directed by the foreign-born missionaries ; and if to reach this present generation with the gospel, we would have a large and well-disciplined force of native workers we must greatly increase our disciplinary and recruiting staff of officers."

The Young Ladies. These have worked with rare zeal during the past year. The acquisition of the language was their first care, and yet each found time to fill her heart and hand with work for the master. Misses Baskerville and Stovel have passed the first examination with credit.

Mr. Williams our only Eurasian male worker passed away to his reward. He came to us in our sore need, just after Brother Timpany's death. He worked up to his physical ability and preached the gospel according to his knowledge, and he will doubtless have souls for his crown of rejoicing at the last. Thus we close the review of the years work.

Five fully equipped missionaries, four men and one woman, along with three missionary wives forms our effective European force for the evangelization of about 1,600,000 heathen. Others are buckling on the armor and meanwhile are doing good work but are not upon our effective staff. That means over 300,000 for each worker.

These missionaries have travelled thousands of miles by boat and