

Presbyterian Survey

12-3

Vol. 12

nos. 2-5, 7-11 see

BX  
8960  
.P7

THE



# MISSIONARY SURVEY



BX  
8960  
.P7

HOME MISSIONS

FOREIGN MISSIONS

MARCH, 1922

CHRISTIAN  
EDUCATION  
AND  
MINISTERIAL  
RELIEF

PUBLICATION  
AND  
SABBATH  
SCHOOL  
WORK

**T**he Gospel of Christ is the world's only social hope and the sole promise of world-peace. It is a crusade to which I urge you, a crusade not having for its object the redemption of a single city, however holy, but the freeing of the whole world from the devastating scourge of war.

—Marshall Haig.

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN THE U.S.  
AT HOME AND ABROAD



PUBLISHED BY  
PRESBYTERIAN COMMITTEE OF PUBLICATION  
RICHMOND, VIRGINIA

# THE MISSIONARY SURVEY

R. A. LAPSLEY, D. D., Editor-in-Chief.

SARAH LEE VINSON, Managing Editor.

Published monthly by the Presbyterian Committee of Publication, 6-8 North Sixth Street, Richmond, Virginia. Single subscriptions, \$1.00 a year; in clubs of five or more, 75 cents. Entered as second-class matter at Richmond, Virginia, under the Act of March 3, 1877. Acceptance of mailing at special rate of postage provided for in Section 1103, Act of October 3, 1917, authorized on July 5, 1918.

VOL. XII.

MARCH, 1922.

No. 3

WORLD NOTES .....	164
EDITORIAL .....	166
<b>PUBLICATION AND SABBATH SCHOOL EXTENSION:</b>	
Sunday School Extension. R. E. Magill .....	172
The Best Days Are Not All Behind Us. R. E. Magill .....	174
"Where Can We Help?" .....	174
Sunday School Extension in East Mississippi Presbytery. Miss Hattie Bell Davis .....	175
Superintendents' One-Minute Talks on Missions .....	176
<b>FOREIGN MISSIONS:</b>	
Monthly Topic—Mexico .....	177
Economic Conditions in Mexico .....	178
Some Sowers Went Forth to Sow the Seed. Rev. W. A. Ross .....	179
Personalia .....	181
Missionary Arrivals and Salings .....	183
A New Church Dedicated. Rev. R. D. Daffin .....	183
Romanism and Politics in Brazil. Rev. F. F. Baker .....	185
Book Review .....	185
John Williams. Edith McClung Houston .....	186
A Few Impressions of a Freshman. Mrs. A. Hoyt Hiller .....	187
Sochow For Christ. Mrs. M. P. Young .....	188
"Uncle Jimmie" .....	189
Methods in Sutsien, Kiangsu. Mrs. B. C. Patterson .....	190
Letter to Dr. P. F. Price from a Student Converted in A Government School .....	191
Encouragements by the Way. Miss M. J. Atkinson .....	192
The House That "Kue" Built. Georgia F. Hewson .....	193
The Blessed Work of Nursing. Miss Lillie O. Lathrop .....	194
The Moslem World .....	195
On The Way. Egbert W. Smith .....	195
Note of Thanks. Anna McQueen .....	196
A Correction—No Change in Postal Rates to Japan. Rate to Brazil Reduced .....	197
Hidden Treasure .....	197
Senior Foreign Mission Program For March, 1922. Miss Margaret McNeilly .....	197
Comparative Statement. Foreign Mission Receipts .....	198
<b>THE JUNIORS:</b>	
V. V. V.'s Again .....	199
The Gleaners .....	201
Junior Foreign Mission Program For March, 1922. Miss Margaret McNeilly .....	201
Wanted! New Eyes! Margaret T. Applegarth .....	202
In March. H. M. Miller .....	203
Some Good Missionary Stories .....	204
Junior Home Mission Program For March, 1922. Eleanora Andrews Berry .....	204
<b>HOME MISSIONS:</b>	
Our Mexican Work in Texas. Rev. J. W. Skinner .....	205
What Should Be—In Mexican Evangelism. Rev. R. D. Campbell .....	207
With the Mexican Young People. Rev. Guillermo Walls .....	208
The Messenger of Christ .....	210
The Advance Field .....	210
Some Tex-Mex. "Steals" .....	211
The Need of Our Mexican Girls. Mrs. Adelfa Gonzales Guerrero .....	213
A Worth-While Investment. Mrs. L. C. Majors .....	214
December Twelfth in Mexico and El Paso. Mrs. R. Randolph Jones .....	215
"Tried As By Fire" .....	217
When The Brook Dried .....	219
Two Other Worth-While Books .....	219
The Home Mission Council .....	221
Our Spice Box .....	222
Senior Home Mission Program For March, 1922. Eleanora Andrews Berry .....	222
<b>CHRISTIAN EDUCATION AND MINISTERIAL RELIEF:</b>	
March Winds and Angel Calls .....	223
Room, For Him, Room .....	223
That He May Be Free .....	224
Life and Death .....	225
5,544 Years of Service .....	225
<b>WOMAN'S AUXILIARY:</b>	
"Stir Into Flame" .....	226
The Greatest Need .....	227
Organizing the Auxiliary in China. Hugh W. White .....	227
A Call To Prayer .....	227
Just Among Ourselves .....	228
Week of Prayer, March 5-12, 1922 .....	230
Report! Report! Report on Time .....	231
AMMUNITION .....	232
<b>GENERAL ASSEMBLY'S STEWARDSHIP COMMITTEE:</b>	
Releasing Prayer Power. William E. Doughty .....	233
What Can the Women of the Church do to Advance the Great Progressive Campaign of the Church? Mrs. W. C. Winsborough, Supt. ....	236

## JOHN WILLIAMS

Edith McClung Houston

about a year ago a tall young  
man appeared at our chapel at  
four of the evening service. He  
part in the Hymns but we could  
did not understand much of the  
English, which was, of course in  
Spanish. After service he told us he  
was a member of the Presbyterian  
Church in Jamaica and had been in  
Cuba several months. At that time a  
number of Jamaicans were immi-  
grating to Cuba as then they could get  
high wages here.

His attending this service resulted in  
arranging to hold preaching in  
Spanish for the Jamaicans when we  
could secure an English-speaking min-  
ister and I directed a Bible School for  
regularly every Sunday with an  
attendance of from two to thirty.

John Williams, the one who just  
arrived, soon showed himself to be  
a earnest Christian. He never failed  
to attend and was always trying to  
assist his people. He took an intelli-  
gent part in the services and made  
a most prayer. He played well on the  
piano and loved music. He was a  
husband and made a good living. He  
was also always exceedingly neat and  
well dressed. It seemed to me he  
would be an apt evangelist among his  
people in Cuba who are drifting away  
from the little religion they know. I  
asked him if he did not feel called to

this work by the  
great need about  
him for trained  
ministers. He said  
he did not and I  
found that the  
reason was, he was  
engaged to a  
young woman in  
Jamaica and sav-  
ing up his money  
for his marriage.

But God was  
leading him by an

unknown way. In the spring he was  
very ill with pneumonia. It was pitiful  
to hear him say, "So sick and so far  
from home." However, he returned  
from death's door and now seems to  
have excellent health. Later he played  
for us during a series of revival ser-  
vices (in Spanish) but seemed much  
impressed by the manifest presence of  
the Spirit among us.

In April he came to see me one day  
in great distress. He had had a dream  
and saw the Saviour on the cross. In  
rapture he advanced towards the cross  
but when he drew near he thought the  
figure descended and tried to transfix  
him with a sword. He said he wept  
so he awakened the neighbors. I tried  
to explain that it was only a dream but  
he was not satisfied. A little later he  
told me that if there was any way  
open for him to study for the ministry  
he could do so for he believed God  
called him and he would no longer  
resist. Though he had planned to be  
married in August he said he would  
put off his wedding till he had finished  
studying.

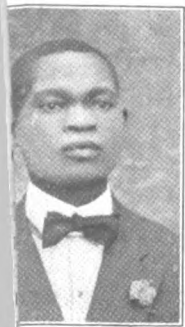
Arrangements were made for him to  
go to Tuscaloosa and on September 1st  
he left for the States bearing his own  
traveling expenses and expecting to  
work his way while studying.

He went off full of joy and peace  
saying he had had another vision and  
Christ "had been very loving to him."  
And that he "had never been so good  
to him since he had made his decision  
to study for the ministry."

His letters since his arrival are full  
of gratitude and he seems to be very  
happy.

I write this that friends may pray  
for him asking that he may be given a  
life of Blessed service in the King-  
dom of the Lord.

Camajuani, Cuba.



Williams, a Jamaican,  
studying for the  
ministry in Tuscaloosa.