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The Convention



KNOW YOUR MISSIONARIES

Under this title we shall attempt each month to present a brief biographical sketch of one of our missionaries who has gone out from New York State to the ends of the earth. We hope in this way to acquaint New York State Baptists with those of their own number who are serving the Lord on our mission fields.

CHARITY C. CARMAN serving in Burma since 1924 was born in Sault Sainte Marie, Michigan, the daughter of a Baptist minister. Her brother, Dr. John S. Carman, is serving as medical missionary in South India. Both Charity and Dr. Carman are members of the Lake Avenue Baptist Church in Rochester. Ever since her arrival in Burma Miss Carman has been a missionary to the Karen people. She began as teacher in the Paku Karen High School in Youngoo, where she also directed the extra curricular activities for high school students. Later she was transferred to Moulmein, where she did similar work in a large Sgaw Karen high school. An earnest evangelist, Miss Carman has won many to Christ by her quiet Christian influence. Through her work at the Sgaw Karen Woman's Bible School, Rangoon, she is helping to send out now young women leaders as evangelists to their own people throughout the whole of Burma. Students come from Loikaw in the north to Tavoy and Mergui in the south, including all the Karen fields in between. Equipped with thorough training in practical rural evangelism, graduates are gaining unusual results in the work.

Through our missionary giving to the Unified Budget, we have a share in supporting Miss Carman.