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Editorial Note

The Revd. A. C. M. Hargreaves, our most able and energetic literary editor, we very much regret to record, has relinquished his office on being appointed as Asia Secretary of the Church Missionary Society, London. He took over as literary editor from Canon Peter May who was largely responsible for giving a new lease of life for the journal. Now after three years of hard work Mr. Hargreaves has further strengthened the journal and given it greater stability. We are most grateful to him for this his great contribution to the Indian Church. We wish him a long period of useful work for the Church in Asia and we are sure that his new sphere of labour will keep him in closer touch with the journal and that from time to time we will have the benefit of his insight and reflections on theology as it develops in the Asian countries.

We extend a hearty welcome to the Revd. Father V. C. Samuel who has taken over the responsibility of literary editor of the journal. Father Samuel brings to his task wide experience and a great awareness of living theology in other religions in

India today.

Missionary zeal does not grow out of intellectual beliefs, nor out of theological arguments, but out of love. If I do not love a person I am not moved to help him by proofs that he is in need; if I do love him I wait for no proof of special need to urge me to help him. Knowledge of Christ is so rich a treasure that the spirit of love must necessarily desire to impart it. The mere assurance that others have it not is sufficient proof of their need. This spirit of love throws aside intellectual arguments that they can do very well without it.

ROLAND ALLEN.