

In His Name

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from New Zealand

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Miss E.C. Fountain – 1906 (Edition 1)

Miss Emma C. Fountain went out to India from the Auckland assemblies in 1906. She engaged in a very worthwhile ministry at the Missionary Rest Home at Coonoor. Called "Brooklands", the Home was 5,500 feet up in the Nilgiri hills and provided for 60-70 missionaries in 1907. She was in charge at Montauban Home at Ootacamund in 1908, returning later in the year to Coonoor. Again 1909-10 she was helping at Montauban being relieved for furlough by the Thomsons in 1910. Commenting on the usefulness of the Homes for missionaries to have a change she wrote in 1912 of the enthusiasm with which they returned to their work though for many it meant facing cholera and other diseases. That year one young couple had separated so that the husband could open up the new home for them. When the wife went to join him she was confronted with a new grave – his.

Miss Fountain returned to New Zealand in 1914.