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Coventry Education Committee
Stoke Park Secondary School for Girls
Bray's Lane
Coventry

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Miss B Gadd has been an Assistant Mistress on the Staff of Stoke Park Secondary School for the past two years. She has taught girls of all ages from 10 to 15 and has had experience in teaching a variety of subjects. Her classes have therefore included English, French, Latin, Scripture and Craft.

Miss Gadd has given valuable help in the Lower and Middle School. She is an admirable Form Mistress, really interested in the girls entrusted to her charge. Last year she had the difficult task of dealing with returned evacuees who had lost touch with the school and forgotten how to work. This year she has handled a set of fifteen year olds of indifferent mentality with considerable assurance and success.

Miss Gadd is conscientious about her work; she teaches well and she is willing to help in out of school activities, such as the Ministering Children's League and the School Guide Company. She has a sense of humour and her sallies are most apposite. She sees through an argument very quickly and her rejoinders are pithy to a degree. She came to us for 2 years' experience in Secondary School work before going out to India under the auspices of the Baptist Missionary Society, and she is now leaving us as she may be required to sail at short notice.

(signed) S W Michell, BA Hons Lond.
Headmistress