

either was well done; but since the necessity arose, I shall always be glad that I had the opportunity of learning something of the work of another. It enlarged my vision and sympathies, and I trust that I never may become so self-centred again in my ideas of work.

My Biblewomen and I easily find all that we can do in the afternoons. In addition to our evangelistic work and as an auxiliary thereto, we are teaching some of the women to read. Among them is a young woman of the Barber caste, whose progress, considering that she has only one lesson a week, is phenomenal. Always when we are teaching her a crowd of women and children and two or three men gather around, and as we use every such opportunity to sing or speak for the Master, we are looking for fruit in this part of the town. Already we have strong hopes that our pupil is believing. Pray for her. Since Mr. Walker's visit to us in November we have far more joy in our weekly visit to the Christian women in their homes. While visiting one home a number of Mala women came in to hear the singing, so we have had an opportunity of teaching them. One elderly woman showed so much interest in and intelligence concerning what we were teaching that we inquired into the cause, and learned that our Christians had been holding prayer meetings from house to house in the evenings, and as a result she and her four sons were believing. Pray for them that their faith fail not.

Over three months were spent in this busy way, when Miss Robinson came to take over the school work. She started teaching on Dec. 10th, and on the 11th I started out on tour. Between that date and March 30th seventy days were spent on tour and 87 villages visited. In many of these villages my visit was to the Christians, but many others were reached. One day I went alone to a

village near my tent, and was led to a house on the verandah of which a woman was lying so sick that she was unable to rise and go about. After some conversation with her and the women who gathered around to hear about the Great Physician, I was impelled to pray for her. A few days later I came to the village again, and found her quite well, and dating her recovery to the day I had prayed for her. Truly the Master is willing to do for us more than we can ask or think.

SAMULCOTTA BOYS' SCHOOL.

Miss Janet L. Robinson.—With joy did I return to the Telugu field and take up school work again here, where workers are so few and so much needed; with gratitude do I raise my heart to God for restored health, journeying mercies and evident leading; and with faith will I depend on Him for strength and wisdom to direct and control this important school in Camulcotta. From December, when I took charge, until the end of April, when the term ended my time and attention were closely and uninterruptedly required both day and night in getting the boys into what I felt was good discipline. This is no place for detail. Suffice it to say that with the last term being so broken, when full oversight was not possible, the boarding boys fell into various irregularities. However, they respond to direction, and before the term ended, things were moving on satisfactorily and happily.

During the term there was considerable sickness, especially chickenpox. However, we have had the dormitories whitewashed, and hope for less trouble next term. The roofs of all the dormitories are sadly in need of repair, and as it has been quite impossible to right this because of lack of funds, we look forward to the rainy season with dread.