

his face told that he spoke from his heart. "Who sent you? Who knew that my eyes were sore and was sorry?" and he looked wonderingly up at the doctor.

"The good God who loves you," answered the doctor. "I came because God wanted me to help you and other children. I am one of his messengers."

"But I prayed to my god, and he did not make my eyes better; they grew worse," said little Dyanu with a puzzled look. "I do not know your God."

"No, you do not know the true God who sent me, but he knows you, Dyanu. He knows you and cares for you, and put it into my heart to come to you and to help you. He loves you. If you knew him, you would love him, too."

"Won't you tell me about him?" said Dyanu.

The doctor did tell Dyanu, and asked him to come to the mission school where he could hear a story every day. Now the boy knows and loves God, and has given him his heart.

### FROM THE PLATFORM

## MISSIONS: THE MIGHT METHODS

Announce to the scholars that you are going to have a little talk with them about Missions (Print). Be sure that they have a clear idea of what the work of missions is,—to make Jesus known as Saviour throughout the whole world. Call for the Golden Text, and emphasize the duty of every follower of Jesus to be a witness for him, that is, to help in making him known. Point out that, in the first lesson passage, Acts 1 : 8, Jesus makes a great promise to those who are to be his witnesses. Ask what the promise is. Tell the scholars that you are going to print on the blackboard another word meaning the same thing as "power" (Print THE MIGHT). Make clear that all witnesses for Jesus may have this might, and that they all need it. Remind the scholars that the second lesson passage tells how Paul and Barnabas carried on mission work, that is, it describes their plans, or METHODS (Print). Use the incident of healing the cripple as an illustration of medical missions, and the remainder of the passage, of missionary preaching and teaching. Close with a little discussion of how each scholar can help in the great work of missions.

#### Lesson VIII.

#### SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

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Luke 10 : 25-37.

**GOLDEN TEXT**—As we have opportunity, let us work that which is good toward all men.—Galatians 6 : 10 (Rev. Ver.).

25 And, behold, a certain lawyer stood up, and tempted him, saying, Master, what shall I do to inherit eternal life?

26 He said unto him, What is written in the law? how readest thou?

27 And he answering said, Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy strength, and with all thy mind; and thy neighbour as thyself.

28 And he said unto him, Thou hast answered right:

this do, and thou shalt live.

29 But he, willing to justify himself, said unto Je'sus, And who is my neighbour?

30 And Je'sus answering said, A certain man went down from Jeru'salem to Jer'icho, and fell among thieves, which stripped him of his raiment, and wounded him, and departed, leaving him half dead.

31 And by chance there came down a certain priest that way: and when he saw him, he passed by on the other side.

32 And likewise a Le'vite, when he was at the place,