

too. Jesus is the Light of the world, you know, and when He once comes into the hearts of the boys and girls they must give light. Lots of the girls who have been at the Mission Schools have now got Christian homes of their own, and are teaching their own boys and girls to love Jesus, and they are teaching them to be clean and straight in their thinking too.

Now don't you want to help get this light further into India? How can we? Perhaps some day we can tell as we have sung, but now, the best way is to prepare, to pray, and to give. Prepare—our bodies and minds so we can go. Give, as we have been learning, cheerfully, gladly to help others in this work, and best of all, pray, intelligently and earnestly. Don't you think it would be a good idea to each select a school, and remember to pray for it and its principal every day, and the boys and girls? Find out all you can about that school, and then you will want to pray.

A CHINESE SCHOOL

The little boys in Chinese schools
Have very odd and curious rules.
To us it hardly would seem right
To turn our backs when we recite.
And fancy what a din and noise
A schoolroom full of little boys
All studying out loud would make!
O, how the teacher's head must ache!
Then too, how queer their books must be,
Written from back to front you see,
All up and down the page, instead
Of straight across, as ours are read!
How strange to use a paint brush too,
And not a pen as we all do!
They'd think us dunces there I fear,
Our lessons are so different here.—Sel.

WALKERVILLE MISSION BAND

On Sunday, March 15th, the Band took charge of the morning service, and all features of the programme were planned to present the plea of the mission field. The meeting was a success from all standpoints.

The meeting opened with two songs, "We are Members" and "Around the throne of

God". A scripture passage, John 10, 1-13, was read by Wallace Slimon, and Harold Powell, the Chairman, made a few remarks about the Band, speaking a few words of appreciation of its splendid leaders, Mrs. Tanton and Mrs. Falls, and thanking Mr. Slimon, the Pastor, for his co-operation through this and past seasons. After a word of prayer from Mr. Slimon, the Band sang a Missionary hymn, "Go Ye Among All Nations."

Miss Eileen Cook gave a reading on the mission work in Grande Ligne, and twenty-six members of the Band recited alphabetical Bible verses. Song, "We've a story to tell to the nations", and a reading "Deny your God" by Herbert Kemp. Address on Bolivia, before the advent of Baptist Missions and of the work at present being done, were given by Arthur West and Miss Madeline Hyland. This delightful meeting was brought to a close by singing "When He Cometh" and the benediction by the Pastor. The number of Band members present was sixty-five.

Yours for great service,

H. Kemp, Secretary.

At the June meeting of the Oxford-Brant Association a shower of hospital supplies was held for India, to which seven Bands contributed. The gifts were valued at \$87.50. Acknowledgment of these gifts have been received from Dr. Hulet and Dr. Allyn.

See Dr. Hulet's letter, page 282.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF BOX

In a letter from Dr. Allyn acknowledging the receipt of a box from the Bands of the Oxford-Brant Association, she says:

We will find use for everything you sent. Safety pins, bandages, (roller and triangular), cheese cloth, butter cloth (both of which we use for making sponges and surgical dressings) are things which we can receive in any quantity and find useful. You can send large pasteboard boxes by post up to 11 lbs. each and find it cheaper than sending by sea. Again very many thanks. Very gratefully,

Jessie Allyn.