

Home. What some of them think it will be it is hard to make out, but they are all glad. I expect you have seen the plans. I trust you will be pleased with them, and that we shall be able to have it built this year.

If you could only see the difference between our girls and the six new ones—brighter, more intelligent, and happier altogether, clean and well cared for. At prayers to-night the difference was so very marked. We have twenty-two now, but then fifty. How many more poor children will be better, body and soul, for our beautiful new Home, and our influence must reach much farther.

March 4th.—It is so very true, workers wanted, and cannot be found; places crying for help, and none to send to them. "No money," the cry. It seems as if the Christians of to-day cared more for the world than their Master's work. What we want is prayer, much prayer, not only for a revival, but for consecrated purses and lives. Of course, we, in our busy Home work, do not see so much of the need as if we were evangelistic workers, but what we do see makes our hearts sad and heavy. Still we are praying for help, and it will surely come.

I had to take Amy, one of our new girls, to her home yesterday to get a new pair of boots. In a small room, a stove in the centre, was a woman sitting on the floor with a baby rolled up like a mummy in her arms and two other little ones by her. There was a young man in a chair who looked very far gone in consumption, and leaning against the wall was a young girl sitting on a mat upon the floor, who looked worse than the man. I spoke to the doctor about them; he is doing all that can be done, but it was so sad to see them in such dirt, and wanting everything that could help to brighten their closing days. I spoke a few words to them, and made the girl smile, but that was all I could do.

CHINESE WORK.

From Miss Leake.

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In reference to finances, you will see by my report that we have not quite come to the end of last quarter's receipts, and,