

among the children had been praying and working for the unsaved among their schoolmates. That day, when an opportunity was given, many of the latter indicated a desire to follow Jesus. The next Thursday evening, after prayer meeting, more came, and later still others follow; so that now there are, in all, thirty-five coming to my inquirer's class twice weekly. Here I try to give them a grounding in the "all things" before they apply definitely for baptism. For some we had long prayed. Can you not believe there is a song of praise in our hearts? The temptations are many, and these children need your prayers that they may be kept near to their newly-found Saviour. Does school work in India pay?

As she reads this little sketch is there not some teacher at home who feels she wants to be devoting her life more fully to His service? There is opportunity here, and the rewards are ample.

A Need.—All the little Sunday School picture cards that can be collected and sent. They help in our Evangelistic classes, of which we now have twelve.

THE MISSION CIRCLES.

Talbot St., London.—The regular Thank-offering meeting of the Mission Circles of the Talbot St. Baptist Church, London, was held on the evening of November 29th, with a splendid attendance. The President, Mrs. H. H. Bingham, was in the chair. This year we had the great pleasure of having one of our own returned missionaries, Rev. J. B. McLaurin, with us, and seldom have we listened to such an address. We were thrilled as he described to us the vast extent of India, its teeming millions, its castes and customs, its great loyalty to England in this grave crisis, due to a great extent to the work of the missionaries, so that as we support our missionaries we are helping in a patriotic, as well as a missionary, cause. We shall long remember this stirring address, and feel it will bear fruit in the years to come. We were deeply grateful for the offering laid upon the plate, which amounted to \$105.35—the largest we have, so far, had.

Our Mission Band, under their splendid leader, Mrs. Mills, was there with bright faces and enthusiasm, and sang their stirring missionary hymn, "Go Ye Among All Nations." No Thank-offering meeting would be complete without them.

M. A. BINGHAM.

New Sarum.—The Mission Circle and Band held a Thank-offering meeting in November, the President, Mrs. Waker, presiding. After the opening exercises a programme, consisting of solos, duets and missionary exercises, was given. Mrs. A. S. Rogers, of Aylmer, gave a very helpful illustrated address on the customs of the Japanese people. The Thank-offering amounted to \$7.90.

MRS. H. GILBERT, Secretary.

Watch for the announcement of the Annual Lecture of the Women's Foreign Board. A committee is at work trying to make arrangements for it.