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We know that many of our young friends take a lively interest in this Institution. Some of them have their little orphans there, to whom they have given a Christian name, and to whose support they are contributing. We wonder if, while the children of our favoured country are giving their money, they are also sending up their prayers to the Throne of Grace that the names of these orphans may be written in the Lamb's Book of Life.

We trust that at the New Year the support of other orphans may be engaged in by Schools, which have not yet taken up the effort. The Synod of our Church has deliberately approved of this humble work, as will be seen from the following extract from the minutes of that body.

"The Synod had read a letter from Mr. Paton anent the efforts now making for the support and education of Hindoo Orphans, under the Edinburgh Ladies' Association for Female Education in India. The same having been considered, it was moved by Mr. Morris, seconded by Mr. McDonnell and agreed to. "That the Synod, having heard read the letter of Mr. Paton approve of the same, commend the effort to the sympathics of our congregations, and appoint Mr. Paton Treasurer for the Fund on behalf of the Synod."