

Let every child desire to possess it, and not only desire it, but *act* like Ellen under the lilac tree.—*Child's Paper*.

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In a village in Yorkshire, England, where much interest is taken in the missionary cause, there is a little dog, belonging to a poor woman. This dog is in the habit of gathering up all the bones he can find in the street, and then running

off home with them to his mistress's cottage.

The bones thus procured are carefully preserved by the poor woman, and last year between two and three shillings were obtained for the Society by their sale!

We want our readers to think of the little dog, and to try whether they cannot, by their ingenuity, contrive some fresh means of helping this good cause.—*Church Mis. Juv. Instructor*.



THE GODDESS KWAN-YIN.

THE VISHNOU OF INDIA.

The above drawing is a representation of the goddess Kwan-yin, who by the Chinese is spoken of as the most merciful goddess, and, consequently, much revered by the followers of Budha. She sits on the

water-lily, which is considered a sacred plant, with her feet placed under her, the attitude assumed by all the Priests when meditating on their sacred books, and on observing their private devotions, which they