

In the non-Christian nations the students are flocking into this Kingdom of Christ. The most remarkable revival I have known took place in Japan four years ago, when in three weeks over three thousand Japanese students became investigators into the Christian religion. I wish we could get some of the students in our country to investigate it with the same earnestness. When I hear men lightly push aside the whole question in this country, and see the prices the Japanese are paying, I am ashamed of our students.

When I first visited China I asked if I could meet the Literati, to get in touch with the students of China. I was told it was impossible. When I was there four years ago the largest theatres would not hold the Chinese Literati who came together to meetings which lasted for three hours and a half. I have never found students who gave such intense attention—excepting in Russia and Egypt; it became so great one would wish to break it.

In Russia there are more students who commit suicide than in any other nation. More than six thousand students have been sent into exile because they set themselves against the government for what they thought was right. It is one of the strongest races in the world. There the largest halls we could get were packed night after night with students seeking for light, relief and peace, for power over their temptations. They followed me to the hotel and went on the street cars with me, though I could not speak Russian, and with the help of interpreters I got into their lives and they grasped after this great Christ.

Then in Cairo some one said "why don't you give an opportunity to the Mohammedan students?" We decided to try, and we hired the largest theatre in Egypt, but the only hour we could get was toward night, when the students were through with their day's work and tired—yet every afternoon the great theatre was crowded with students. It was necessary, after the first day, for the government to send the police to keep back the great crowds that could not gain admittance. There with the same openness, we presented the mission of Christ to the students, and I have never had more respectful and intelligent attention from the students of any religion than from those Moslem students. They do not become Christians readily, but they do become Christians increasingly.

In Cairo the other day we were told this incident. Someone