

from him, has quite changed their bearing towards me. They are now anxious to do just as I tell them, and are, moreover, rather active in finding more patients. I have a woman engaged to act as interpreter; she is also studying materia medica, and I hope that she will be a help to me by being able to dispense medicines when I get my dispensary established. A native gentleman has asked me to give regular instruction in physiology, hygiene and domestic medicine, to a class of women; and another has offered me a room in his house in which to teach them. At least nine women are ready to attend the class as soon as it is opened. I should have been quite lost without the assistance of the ladies here. They have given me a great deal of time and assistance, especially Miss McGregor, who is almost a partner in my work in the city. My own stock of medicines is small, and I shall require a large assortment soon; but with Mr. Wilkie's dispensary, his large stock of experience and ready assistance, to fall back upon, I feel quite safe.

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**EXTRACT FROM REPORT OF REV. J BUILDER, MHOW,  
CENTRAL INDIA.**

The Girls' Schools and the work among the women have been under the care of the Misses Stockbridge, who have rendered excellent service. Miss Minnie resumed her duties in January after being away for a year at Woodstock school, thus relieving her sister Miss Katie, who is now attending the same school. Miss Stockbridge still continues in the work. In the school they have had difficulties to contend with, and some have been of a trying character. On one occasion a girl was seized with a kind of epileptic fit, and her friends said that she had been possessed with a devil for attending a Christian school. This was so firmly believed that the parents offered a fowl to their idol for her recovery, and others withdrew their children from the school. Notwithstanding, the average daily attendance for the year has been twenty-three, with forty-nine names on the roll. They have also conducted a Sabbath school in a village near Mhow, and great interest has been manifested in the truth taught. It is from this place that we received the request from