

children to care for, nurses and physicians, whose time is not their own, sailors and soldiers, railway employees, cooks and waiters in hotels and restaurants, and all those whose duties prevent their attendance.

(2) The sick, whether in the home or in the hospital, and all who are shut in by reason of physical infirmities.

(3) Those who live in new, remote, or sparsely-settled regions of the country. Here the Home Department finds some of its greatest opportunities. Through its corresponding secretary it may bring help and inspiration to many a fireside situated beyond the reach of the regular privileges of the church.

(4) Any persons who, though not unable, may be unwilling, to go to Sunday School. Some of these might be willing to become members of the School through its Home Department.

Its Organization

The Home Department should be recognized as a regular Department of the School, and should have its own superintendent, whose duty it is to study the whole field of opportunity, direct his staff of visitors in their work, provide them with materials, receive their reports, and compile therefrom his own reports, to be presented at the proper time to the School. It should have its corps of visitors, whose duty it is to seek new members, to lead "classes" in Bible study, to see that every member of the class is provided with his Quarterly, or other Lesson Help, to receive reports of the work of the members, to receive and transmit their contributions, and to give such spiritual help as may be possible.

A Home Department "Class" consists of those persons who are under the care of a single visitor