

MISS JAMIESON has an interesting work in Ujjain amongst Blind Children and during this famine the number will be greatly augmented. These little helpless ones are more exposed to sin and danger and suffering than any others, and naturally appeal to the sympathetic heart. They soon become teachable and affectionate and learn industrial work such as making baskets, weaving, etc., so as to provide for themselves.

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THE BURDEN OF OUR MISSIONARIES, especially those at Neemuch, has reached a sadder phase—*famine*, then *plague* and now *cholera*. Your hearts will be touched with pity if they have not been before when you read Dr. McKellar's letter and then follow it up with Miss Bayley's. May God in His mercy give strength of mind and body to Dr. McKellar, Miss Campbell and their fellow workers to bear up under the terrible strain.

The Board at once took action and sent a recommendation to the F. M. C. for the appointment of a trained nurse, to be sent as soon as possible to relieve the hospital staff.

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MISS CAMPBELL is urging the necessity of providing a home in Neemuch for orphan girls and child widows who need protection. There are very many of them at the present time.

Miss Sinclair's Boarding School at Indore has now 100 scholars, having received large additions of promising children through the famine distress.

Miss Turnbull is much improved in health and her physician assures her that she will in time be fully restored, but he does not consider it safe for her to return to India this year.

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THE W. M. S. OF THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA (lately the Montreal W. M. S.) has supported Miss Dow, M.D., in Honan and now wish to extend their foreign work by supporting a medical missionary in India. There is a probability that Miss McCalla, M.D., will be assigned to them and be recognized as their special missionary. *Unity is strength.* We will gladly welcome the Montreal Society to help us in this needy field.

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Miss Carry A. Gunn of St. Andrew's Church, London, a graduate of the Training Home, has been appointed teacher and assistant missionary to the Chinese in British Columbia. This is a distinctly new branch of work our Society is entering but one we have been looking forward to for a few years back. The Rev. A. B. Winchester appeared before our Board in June, and gave all particulars as to the needs. In 1894 Mr. Winchester made his first appeal for a lady worker, but the appeal was not responded to and the work received a set back which it will take years to make good. An opportunity to