

expects to continue in the work among the children gathered in here on Sunday afternoons. She shows signs of an earnest Christian faith, and we trust her going out from among us will be to establish one more home for Christ. The former one hopes to return and go on with her English course, and, as she said, "become a stronger Christian."

The interest among the "King's Daughters" is increasing. They are reaching outside of their own little circle and considering the needs of others. The older girls, with the two assistants, manage three Sunday Schools in various districts, the average attendance of the three for the past term being 110. Several times an evening meeting has been held in the home of one of the pupils attending the Sunday School here. The mother of the lad sent a message one day to come in the evening and "have a good, long talk." She called in her neighbors, and a goodly number gathered in that tiny, dismal room, and listened with interesting faces to the story of the Christ Child.

We have published a detailed statement of the work done in the school, our aims in training the girls and our position regarding the public. We trust it will remove the existing prejudice from the minds of the people and increase our numbers.

Evangelistic—The usual fortnightly meetings for women and children have been held at six villages and towns outside of Shidzuoka. At Fujiyeda, Kakegawa and Hamamatsu some new names have been enrolled, and at the two latter places the average attendance has slightly increased. At the other places the attendance has been as usual. These towns and some districts in their neighborhood have been visited by the Bible woman several times during the quarter. She has gone to the homes of all the Christians, and has visited