

tells of "Three Weeks with Joseph Rabinowitz," that prince of Jewish converts to Christianity. Dr. Clark, the father of the Christian Endeavor movement, writes of the "Responsibility of Young People for Missions." The *Review* has become indispensable to all those who keep pace with the times. The prospects for 1894 betoken an increase in its value for the coming year.

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THE Rev. P. A. Jourdan sends words of cheer from Mattawa: "We have had a most successful missionary anniversary on this mission. Rev. Jas. Kines was with us, and gave such an account of the Society as moved the hearts of the people of this section. Result: To date we have about doubled givings of last year. Hope to do still better when the collectors have been round. One of our prominent men said, after meeting was over, 'I never heard the mission cause so clearly and forcibly explained.' What we need is missionary deputations who understand and can forcibly present the aims and claims of missions. Hope the 'shortage' will be more than made up this year."

Editorial and Contributed.

The Reward Books for 1893-4.

ON the first page will be found a picture of the good things provided for our Juvenile Missionary Collectors for the current year. They are all such books as boys and girls will take a delight in reading, —soul-stirring and full of information.

No. 1. A pretty little book of bright stories with illuminated cover for the little ones who gather the mites under one dollar.

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No. 5. "THE STORY OF JOHN G. PATON," one of the most thrilling stories of missionary heroism that has ever been written. It is just grand, and our boys will find it as fascinating as any tale of adventure they have ever read. To secure this prize requires collections amounting to \$8 or upwards, but it's worth the effort.

No. 6. Last, but by no means least, is "PICTORIAL AFRICA: Its Heroes, Missionaries and Martyrs"; a

sumptuous volume for those collecting \$12 and upwards.

Now, let the boys and girls take hold with a will, and give us a grand advance over last year.

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Don't send orders for the "Book Room," for "Room 20," and for the Mission Rooms all mixed up in one letter. If you want to send orders to all three places, be good enough to write them on separate pieces of paper, and thus save confusion, delay, and perhaps disappointment.

Latest from China.

LETTERS have just reached the Mission Rooms from Rev. V. C. Hart, D.D., and the Rev. James Endicott, B.A., the latter of whom is on the way to his distant field. At the date of his first letter, October 11th, Dr. Hart had just returned from a twenty days' evangelistic tour up and down the Fuh River. Everywhere the people were friendly. A second letter from Dr. Hart, dated October 27th, conveys the unwelcome intelligence that he is suffering from malarial attacks. The other members of the mission are in good health. Some of the letters will appear in next month's OUTLOOK.

In the Right Direction.

THE following letter from the wife of an esteemed minister in the Nova Scotia Conference is timely and suggestive. We doubt not that many more are animated by a similar feeling, and will be encouraged by knowing that they are not alone in the desire to enlist the Sunday Schools in a missionary crusade:

—, N.S., Dec. 4th, 1893.

DEAR DR. SUTHERLAND.—We are trying to work up some missionary enthusiasm in the Sunday Schools of this Circuit, and will be glad to have any practical suggestions in regard to this work. Would it be advisable to publish the enclosed item in OUTLOOK, *Guardian* and each of the Sunday School papers? If not this particular item, might not a similar appeal be issued for the Sunday Schools?

I have distributed a number of the missionary pamphlets, "Information for the People," among our scholars, asking them to study them closely, and be prepared to tell us two weeks hence how many departments of work there are, how many missionaries in each, and where the several missions are established? After this we will take one *department* each month, and gain all the information we can in regard to it. Readings from "Canoe and Dog-Train,"