

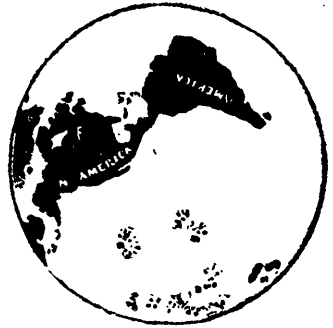
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In the last number you had an account of one half of the world, and the heathen living in it. In the picture above you have a view of the other half, and to it I must now direct your thoughts.

You will notice that the land lies quite differently from what it does upon the other side. There, it lies across, but here it runs down from the top almost to the bottom, while a large ocean stretches itself out upon the left, containing many islands. The long tract of land is called America—the upper part is North America, and the lower South America. In North America, look to the right side, and

you will see two letters, U.S. They stand for "UNITED STATES." All along there the people profess to be Christians, and the Gospel is preached as freely and extensively as it is in Britain. There are Bible Societies, and Tract Societies, and Missionary Societies, the same as here; but to the left of this, great numbers of heathen live. These are the countries where the *Indians* dwell, about whom you have no doubt read. There is a very interesting mission to these *Indians*, and one to the tribes living in Canada, to the north of these, about which you shall hear again.

Look higher up the map, a little to the right, and you will see a track of land marked G. That is *Greenland*. It is a cold country, and the people once were very savage. Now they have the gospel, and good men live amongst them to teach them to read, and also to practise many useful arts. There the people live in houses made of *snow* all through the winter, and dress in furs, and ride in sledges drawn by dogs. When the Missionaries first went to them they had ideas about God, and had no form of idolatry among them. They were in the great-