

the benefits to be derived from our missionary literature. Miss Black at Amherst has a fine assortment of leaflets, mission studies, etc., containing just the information you all need for your monthly meetings and Mission Bands. Will you not send for a catalogue and order samples so that the literature may be circulated. One sister writes, that since the discussion on this subject at our annual meeting her Society has authorized her to send for a large number of leaflets to form a "Bureau" of their own so that the different sections of the church shall be provided, and they can exchange after reading. This is a grand idea. Every County Secretary should be supplied with a number and send them where she feels they are most needed. My sisters, enclose them in your letters, keep them somewhere near your work so that the few leisure moments may be employed in reading while you are resting. If one proves a blessing to you pass it along. Mite boxes are sent free to all who request them. Our circulating library although not large has some valuable volumes which would bring great pleasure and profit to reading circles during the long winter evenings. The books may be kept two months. Only the postage is required. We have decided to enlarge "Tidings." This "Tiny Mite" has proved a blessing in its infancy, now that it assumes double proportions may it prove a greater blessing. Besides the usual missionary letter there will be a programme for each monthly meeting which should be very helpful, and notes from our Provincial Secretaries in turn. This gives an opportunity for our Secretary to come directly in touch with Societies, they cannot visit, and each one is asked to send

any item of interest or ask any questions about the work to your Provincial Secretary so that she can report these in "Tidings" for the benefit of all who read. The expense for printing will be increased and we confidently hope each Society will promptly send 25 cents to our Treasurer in return for the monthly visits of this little messenger.

Our Hour of Prayer.

While we ask each sister to remember the Prayer Topic every day. Our hour of prayer is nine o'clock on Saturday night. Just about this time our missionaries and their helpers are commencing their Sabbath day's work. A precious sacred hour with many of us who for years have observed it. My sisters, if you have failed hitherto in this respect, begin at once and receive the blessing it will surely bring. Let us then in a special manner plead the promises ONE BY ONE which are found in GOD'S blessed word. Let us remember unitedly our brothers and sisters whom we have sent to Foreign lands, at that consecrated hour, that grace may be given them, patience sweet and Christ-like to bear the heavy burdens of toil and sickness that is laid upon them. Are we telling this world with wrestling, agonizing, prevailing prayer, so that the Angels shall descend at this, the hour of our evening sacrifice and returning heavenward shall pour out "Vials full of odors" at our Redeemers feet?

Let us go softly to our closets every Saturday evening and there freshly consecrating ourselves pour out our hearts before Him, our prayer hearing Saviour, and then shall we indeed sing rejoicingly :-