All the countries in Africa are either Mahomedan or heathen,—except one, that calls itself Christian. But there are a few bright spots where the missionaries have lifted up the lamp of day, and where God has made the light to shine.

THE COUNTRIES OF AFRICA.

EGYPT.

THE PASHA AND HIS ARMY.

This country is spoken of a great deal in the Bible, but nothing is said in its praise. On the contrary, it is called "the house of bondage," because, for two hundred years the Israelites were slaves in the land. The kings of Egypt bore the name of "Pharaoh," and were very proud and unbelieving. Yet one of them was kind to Joseph, and he was rewarded for his kindness by having bread for his people during the famine.

The greatest honor that Egypt ever received, was being visited by the Lord Jesus, when he was a little child. All across the great desert he came riding with his mother upon an ass,

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