

side the water. The greatest of them all, and dwarfing all others in breadth, is the opening up of Africa by the Congo Conference. This enterprise renders 100,000,000 people accessible to the Gospel.

Another marked event of the year has been the revival of missionary life and zeal in the universities of Great Britain. As a consequence, men have been offering themselves, not in a pitiful handful, but by scores, for the foreign service. They are spiritual men; they are trained scholars; some of them distinguished athletes; some of them clergymen of experience, of the Church of England. The China Inland Mission, under the direction of Hudson Taylor, has been specially replenished from this source.

all. One of the important objections to this plan is that made by Mr. Meredith, viz: that if all missions were conducted after Bishop Taylor's fashion, that large part of the Church which must stay at home, which cannot in person "go" abroad, could have no share in fulfilling the Saviour's last command.

The depletion of the heroic English force in the basin of the Congo; the expulsion of missionaries of the American Board from Bihé, West Africa, and their recall; the addition of the hitherto vagrant Umbundu tongue to the list of written languages; and the steady progress of the Japanese churches in the matter of self-support, are types of a series of events too long to be recited.

—*Woman's Work.*



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There has been a movement within the lines of several missionary bodies, the Presbyterian Board among them, towards the new and interesting field of Korea.

Bishop Taylor's expedition to Africa, at the head of forty persons, to establish a mission on the basis of self-support, has been much commented upon. While the method is disapproved by many, a hearty respect for the motives and leadership of the enterprise is conceded by

On Giving to Missions.

I was collecting for a mission when a lady said, Oh I give the tenth of my income. Did Christ only give us the tenth of his love, life, and death? A poor girl is supporting a sick mother—does she say when her mother asks for something—oh, I have given you the tenth? "If any man love father or mother more than me, he is