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Medical mission and dispensary work, that through the healing of the body the soul may be touched. Our work in China, and the work of Dr. Bolton on the Pacific coast. Heb. x. 36.

JAPAN.

From Miss Preston.

KOFU, *October 9th, 1894.*

I have been a full month now in my Kofu home. The familiar life at home is fast receding into the past, and it would almost seem as if I had hardly left Japan, were it not that the experiences of the year at home form a part of my inner world and leave their ineffaceable mark there. One is better able, too, to compare things Japanese with things foreign after a fresh glimpse of the home-life.

Some people who return to Japan after a visit at home are disappointed in it, everything seems so small. But