



MORE NEWS FROM THE REEF SANDERS

This afternoon I was reading the Zulu of Abraham's travels when it suddenly came to me that I was due at Wattville at 3 o'clock. With a dash after my purse, the car key and locking the house, I was off in the little prefect. The poor little car spat and sputtered as if it didn't care to take that five mile drive. Too, it swayed a bit making necessary a stop at the garage to get tires pumped up. However, we did reach Elias Nkosi's all in one piece.

Thanks to Elias and his wife, Marna, the light of the Gospel has been kept burning in Wattville. Sometimes it seems to flicker and almost go out, but then it gets trimmed and blazes again. "Trim your feeble lamp, my brother." Just now, the flame is rather low as some of our faithful adherents have moved away.

These classes started as Bible Classes for the women and they were held at Elias and Maria's. But "if the mountain won't come to Mohammed, Mohammed must go to the mountain." So now we go from house to house having prayer preceded by a talk on God's Word.

On this day Maria was "up to her eyebrows" in work and wishing she'd sent word for me not to come. However, she doesn't shirk where the Lord's work is concerned. "We'll go next door," she said. "But I replied, they are Catholic. Will she want us to have prayers?" Maria explained that the woman next door had lost her father and we should go to "kalela," her cry for her.

The Lord gave me the Scripture to read (I wasn't prepared for this peculiar circumstance) and He seemed to put words in my mouth. That nice looking young woman was really under conviction. God grant that she may so hunger and thirst after the truth that she will be filled. She used to be a Protestant, but went to a Roman Catholic school to take her nurse's training. You know the rest of the story.

When we have the Revival in January, which we must have because we are praying for it especially, we trust that many will get definite experiences, rooted and grounded in the faith. Do pray, dear Highway friends, that this may be a GREAT Revival!

Rejoice with us! We have received £5 from the Amherst Church towards our new church in Wattville! God richly bless all the givers! Who, among our Highway readers, don't want to be deprived of the privilege of helping in this great project?

Yesterday at Sunday School, something rather unusual took place. As we were finishing one of our open air schools, a mother came with a fat, roly poly baby of seven months, announcing that she was bringing her children to join our Sunday School. Paul had her round up her three children so he could take a picture of them and record their names. One rather comical but also sad feature was her calling Paul, Father, and me, Mother. 'Twas not hard to see where she had received what religious education she had.

One Sunday recently we had an interesting "altar" service in the open air S. S. Yesterday I asked a very bright appearing girl, who had been out to pray, how it was with her, did she know her sins were forgiven? Her bright smile as well as her answer in the affirmative was quite assuring. About five others who were out at the same time, seemed to know what they were doing. Do

pray for them! They are up against much!

At the new church we put the teenagers in a class by themselves with me as their leader. When I expected about six, what was my surprise to see more than two dozen file out! In the group are about six baptized members. Do pray that the Lord may greatly use me in this class, the dozens of teenagers now roaming the streets and getting into trouble, may be attracted to salvation.

Pray, too, that in spite of the now seemingly unsurmountable obstacles, we may obtain a church site in the very big new Location at Kalfantein. God is abundantly able. Let us trust Him. And so the battle for souls continues. Keep praying. We are on the winning side.

Yours for souls,

Mary

WHAT A MISSIONARY NEEDS

The missionary of the Gospel needs something more than a just-being-saved experience before ever he reaches the field, and this something more is all there is for him in the fullness of Christ. He needs sanctification as well as salvation. By the appropriation of faith and by the inner witness of the Spirit, he needs to know—what Cornelius and the early Church knew—that the Holy Ghost has been given to him purifying his heart by faith; that he has crucified the flesh with its affections and lusts; that he himself has been crucified with Christ, and that now Christ lives in him; and that he has been baptized with the Holy Ghost and fire, and thus "endued with power from on high," for his high calling. He needs to know this by heart experience, and then to show evidences of it in his training days by ready obedience to God and man, by meekness and humility, by zeal and faith and love in studies, in practical service, and in soul-saving witness.—Norman P. Grubb.

EXCUSED FROM GIVING TO MISSIONS

Dr. Horace Bushnell is credited with making a list of all who might be excused from giving to missions. Perhaps the list may hold some interest for us. Here it is:

"Those who believe that the world is not lost and does not need a Saviour.

"Those who believe that Jesus Christ made a mistake when He said, 'Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature.'

"Those who believe the gospel is not the power of God, and can not save the heathen.

"Those who wish that missionaries never had come to our ancestors, and that we ourselves were still heathen.

"Those who believe that it is 'every man for himself,' in this world, and who, with Cain ask, 'Am I my brother's keeper?'"

"Those who want no share in the final victory.

"Those who believe they are not accountable to God for the money entrusted to them.

"Those who are prepared to accept the final sentence: 'Inasmuch as ye did it not to one of the least of these, ye did it not to me.'

"Do you belong to the Mission or to the Omission Band?"