

THE MISSIONARY SURVEY



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Must we not present
the business of our King
in such a manner as to prove
beyond question that no
man's business is larger
than our Lord's business?

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elder, Mr. Hubbard, and his equally faithful and noble Presbyterian wife. This, however, it will be impossible until the Church

gives us more money for carrying on the work we already have on hand.
Cardenas, Cuba.

UNIQUE MISSION STUDY.

I AM sending you a very unique way for entertaining the ladies of a church, and interesting them in missions and Mission Study.

"Invitations were sent to all the women in the congregation to an informal reception at a home centrally located. Every lady was met at the door with a tag bearing the name and station of some missionary, and asked to represent that missionary during the evening. By putting this on the invitation each person could be asked to tell of the missionary she was representing and the station. Missionary games were played, such as mixing the letters of the names of well known missionaries and having guests rearrange them.

"Then the list of questions I'm sending was distributed, with the instruction that some missionary's name represented in the room would answer the question. It was fun to see the ladies hunting to see "Who was who."

"While every one was interested then the need and importance of Mission Study was presented in an attractive way. In this instance the missionary clock method suggested by Miss Eva Cavers was used.

"The ladies had been divided into six groups and a leader for each group appointed, so while interest was at its height, the names and group leaders were read and those groups asked to meet separately for a few minutes to organize and order books. Then followed refreshments.

"As a result, while we have had about a dozen women studying missions heretofore, we hope to have fifty or sixty in these groups.

"If you think this might help others pass it along. If you should use it don't use my name.

"The following names answer the questions: Crane, Wilds, See, Monroe, Taylor, Stirling, Lee, Reed, Shields, Boyle, Graham,

Woods, Rice, Martin, Lacy, Butler, Baker, Hall, Painter, Fulton, Bell, Fair, Hudson, Knight, Farmer, Nickles, Maria Fearing, Arnold, French."

1. What Africa missionary, while on the field, is in his native haunts?
2. What missionary has the longest bill?
3. A large body of water?
4. What language is spoken in Hangchow?
5. What side of the ship would you seek to get out of the wind?
6. What must you learn first, when you go to Brazil?
7. What renders Nanking, China, safe?
8. What bird is peculiar to our African, Brazilian and Korean work?
9. What kind of dresses do the ladies wear at Tsing-Kiang-Pu?
10. A great inventor?
11. An improvement for pale cheeks?
12. A well known river
13. A society leader?
14. One that is always just?
15. One that stays indoors after dark?
16. Which one betrayed his country?
17. Which one is like small coins?
18. Which one holds forth when the sun goes down?
19. The one on whom the whole world is calling to do its bit?
20. The two whom Pharoah treated very unjustly?
21. Important for a home?
22. A very nourishing food?
23. What makes it difficult to find our station at Hwalanfu?
24. How do we know it is fearfully hot at Braganca, Brazil?
25. What particular brand of bread do they have always at Hangchow?
26. Which one shows her true worth?
27. Which one is very popular with the men?
28. A president of the United States?

CUBA FOR CHRIST.

EDITH McCLUNG HOUSTON.

A pearl sends forth its gleams 'mid sapphire seas.

'Tis Cuba radiant with perpetual spring;
Yet might she gain beauties more real than these,

For Cuba still doth lack the fairest thing.

I ask thee, then, oh friend, this prayer to wing—

That, shining with a light not hers before,

Set in the diadem of Christ the King,
Cuba may shed her luster evermore.