

Chengchow, Honan, China .

May 3, 1940.

My dear Mrs. Wilburn and Miss Thompson,

As I am planning to get off for an out-station trip in the morning you will pardon a joint letter that^I may save time. A copy will send to you each.

Mrs. Wilburn's letter enclosing \$10.00 from you Miss Thompson was greatly appreciated. It exchanged for \$165.00 Mex.

As there are so many needy cases have been praying that it might be used to best advantage. As Mrs. Kao, a Christian woman, with tears in her eyes told me her story yesterday felt that my prayer was being answered.

Mrs. Kao's land and home were all destroyed by flood waters, and she is the only one who can work. Her brother was killed while acting as gatemen in one of our chapels in occupied territory. Her family consists of her father and mother-in-law who are old and almost blind, a little girl of eleven, and a husband who is sick with what they think is Kalazar, which humanly speaking can be cured only by expensive shots which she has no way to pay for. These four members are now in the camp, but with tears she told me the camp closes in a few days. (The camps close during summer and open in fall). She wanted me to take the little girl so that she would have one mouth less to beg for.

My heart left her burdened and as I told co-workers about the case we felt that a wise use of your gift would be to help her husband get treatments in the hospital. You should have see the

the beam on her face as ⁺ gave her the letter for her husband to go to the hospital this morning. If it is Kalazar the shots are usually very successful and when he is well trust that he may work to support his family. The little girl we hope to put in the refugee school camp.

In several such cases as Mr. Kao's your gift will bring joy.. The shots for Kalazar cost \$25 Chinese currency so you see your \$10 will help a number. You will pray that those who receive help will also find Jesus as Saviour of their souls?

The Lord has been working in the meetings and classes this spring. Many have been saved and many filled with the Holy Spirit. Tomorrow the Bible woman and I are to go to an out-station for ten days working in Bible classes.

After several months without raids Chengchow is again being visited almost daily by planes. We have had to run to the dug-outs just once this morning. Only one plane came and did no damage. Praise to Him for peace in the midst of unpeaceful conditions! Praise to Him for the Hope of His return and the setting up of His Kingdom when there will be no more wars! In the meantime pray that we be faithful stewards wise servants ever watching and waiting.

With gratitude for your love, prayers and gift which has been the means of forming a committee to investigate needy medical cases,
I am,

Yours in His service.

Katie Murray.

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May 31, 1940.
Miss Thompson's gift
helps Mrs. Kas.

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