

Island in 1895 that a suitable piece of ground could be procured and Building commenced, the present hospital being opened in 1899. Of Those carlier years volumes might be written ; here I shall only notice How signal was the success of the hospital work in Tainan, whether Considered from the spiritual or material point of view. The name of The first doctor was still familiar through a great part of the island thirty Years later when his son reached Formosa, and his operations had grown to so miraculous a nature that the operator himself could not have recognized them. Our sub-centre in the Chianghoa region, or rather at the village of Toa-sia where it was first established. Owed its origin to patients converted in the Tainan Hospital-as also the church, now a flourishing native pastorate, at Paw-sia. Not a few new stations were opened as a result of Dr. Anderson's labours in Tainan. And the same process still keeps on, the difficulty being to man the stations that might be thus begun.

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From November, 1901, till the close of last year, the Tainan Hospital Has been under the charge of the writer of this report. And has continued, We believe, to bring the double blessing of healing to the bodies and Souls of many who have passed through its wards.

The opening of the present building coincided with the beginning of