

Operation to relieve her present distress and suffering, but no permanent cure. She gladly snatched at the least chance, was successfully operated on, and for a time her life was prolonged. During her stay in hospital, she drank in the Good News of Salvation, and when a few months later her call came, it was but a peaceful and much longed for passing into the presence of her Saviour.

From the male paying wards we have a youth who soent several Months in hospital suffering from hip disease; he had to meet the many Temptations of belonging to a wealthy house, and only very gradually Ventured a profession of faith in Christ. His mother, to whom we were Very much attached, died a year or two ago of cancer of the bowels, Trusting herself to her Saviour.

From the large male ward we might take an example in a man who Came in for an operation. His constitution was broken down by the Excesses of his earlier life, and the operation was not all we could have Wished in its results. He heard the Gospel, however, and believed and Boldly confessed Christ when he left the hospital. His relatives, for he Had come from a large and wealthy family, were enraged at his con- Fession of faith in Christ, and cast him out of his home on to the streets, Where he has to earn his living as a pedlar.

From the Back Ward we might take the example of one old man.

He, too, was known for his evil life, but the good seed sank into his Heart and bore fruit to such an extent that, in place of being knowm for His evil conduct, he became better known for his love of God's worship. On Sundays he would scour the streets round, and bring ten or a dozen With him to the services.

Here is a case from the Eye Ward. A man who not only believed himseif but became a centre of light in his village, bringing in first those of his own house. First his mother, a fine old lady, but bitterly opposed to the Gospel and extremely devout in her worship of the idols, seeing the effect of the Gospel on her son's life, was won over to Christ; the father and brother both came in, and then the light began to spread in the village, till now there is quite a little band of worshippers from thay place.

But the space at our disposal forbids our going on with these stories. We have said enough to show that the hospital at Tainan continues to Bring the double blessing of spiritual healing and bodily strength to many

Who pass through its wards.

OUR PRESENT URGENT NEEDS.

The first and most urgent of all our needs is for further medical Assistance, in other words, we badly need a colleague. The growth of