hatches his young and they eat the bitter and unpalatable herbs that grow in the few moist spots of the wilderness; but, at certain times, under the influence of unknown causes which science cannot fathom, these locusts take upon them to fly over the cultivated fields and the fair provinces of the empire. At such a time there is nothing for the farmer to do but to go out and find the places where they have laid their eggs in the soil. They dig a hole a few inches in depth and they deposit a bag containing over a hundred eggs. Every egg is a locust and every locust can produce one hundred eggs, and these locusts sweep like a devouring prairiefire all over the country, leaving nothing but dead vegetation and wailing men behind them. We must go down to the locust's home; we must go into Arabia; we must go into the Sudan; we must go into central Asia; and we must Christianize these people or they will march over their deserts, and they will sweep like a fire that shall devour our Christianity and destroy it."

QUESTIONS ON CHAPTER VII

AIM: TO REALIZE THE PRESENT CALL OF THE FIELD UNREACHED

1. Why do you think God permits a task of such