

Mad. Duches.

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Ma chère Madame

Your second donation of "Portions"
of the New Testaments and
prayers and texts, has been duly
received. I have given to the
Bible Women a part of them
and they have promised me
to have a special record of those
"portions" sold or given and to
report how it is received and
liked by the people.

I explained to the B. W.

that they must always offer
the new Testament first, and
it is better for them ^{to} have
the whole new T than only
a "portion", but if they are refused
for want of money or other rea-
sons - they will offer for one
or 2 cents the Gospels of John
or Luc or the Acts. I am sure
that it will help our B. W
in their work and we thank
you, dear Madam, for sending
these for them.

God, in answer to our prayers,
will sustain you through the
deep waters, and you will be
shared to us a long time -

Our two pencil girls whom we like to
send you their best sympathies -

Yours truly,
Dear Madam,

Yours truly

Josephine Buckles.

166 Mass^{ts}

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