

Rev. F. Swainson, Blood Reserve ; ST. MATTHEW'S, Shoal River, Mr. E. Bassing, May, PETERBOROUGH, Rev. H. Brashier, Innisfall, November.

Branches have sent to the following places.—ST. PAUL'S, to Rev R. Inkster, Sask., bale, ST. MARK'S, Rev. E. Cook, Cumberland, bale ; GIRLS' GUILD, Peterborough, Rev. J. Hinchliffe, Piegan Reserve bale ; BRAMPTON, Rev. J. W. Tims, Blackfoot Reserve, bale.

The bale for Rev. G. Holmes, of Lesser Slave Lake, with boys' clothing, which he says is absolutely necessary, is being sent from the Central Rooms. Several Branches have contributed and we hope a bale of good useful articles will reach him before the winter sets in. The Brampton Branch have sent on their bale to Blackfoot Reserve, a baby's outfit, complete with robe for christening included. An extract from a letter of Rev. E. Cook, Cumberland, to Second Seniors, Church of Redeemer :—" We cannot indeed express in words the feeling we have towards you all and indeed the advancement you bring about in our work and the Gospel cause, but the persons that have seen and had experience in this work feel and know exactly how we feel. Two weeks ago another widow was left to us with six children and a mother-in-law. The Indians just get their treaty or rather amncsty, which was all taken in advance, of which they get an order of 25 per cent. ; this some of them brought over to me to purchase some of the clothing they wish to have extra, so I take these orders and will keep them ; when hard times come I shall hand them over to the H. B. Co., for such things as shall then be required. Now if this is agreeable to you and to your co-workers you will kindly let me know, or you can kindly enter in the LEAFLET if you think proper. It is in this way : sometimes one of my people come for something he admires but at the time he is badly off ; but on our part we do not like to refuse him in case of offence, and in this way I shall be glad to get a word from the W.A. The children's clothing I don't part with until the cold weather comes ; it will be very useful indeed especially for the little girls that go to school. With every thanks for your kind work, hoping that you will, in God's blessing, find the liberal hearts and hands to join you in the work and will in the future have you reward from Him for whose cause we are now working ever resting and putting all our trust in Jesus.

FANNIE H. BANKS, *Dorcas Sec.*

### JUNIOR DEPARTMENT.

Urgent appeals for gifts for Christmas trees have been received from Algoma, and requests having been issued to town and country Branches, a most generous response has been given from the Juniors, whereat the Dorcas Secretary's heart has been set rejoicing.

A charming letter has been received from Miss May Hoskin, giving a bright and graphic account of her life and duties at Yale, B.C. We