

bad—one part good sleighing, while the other part was good wheeling—most kindly loaded his sleigh heavily with lumber, loading his waggon above the lumber, started, and at the end of 12 miles reloaded upon the waggon, and thus proceeded to the site of building. Heroes not all dead yet!

Also N. F. Davin, Esq., gave a lecture in aid of the mission, which resulted in a gain of \$47.50.

I shall not be able to occupy the building until the furnishings come. There are 50 children within school age on the reserve, and I hope soon to reach them all. I realize that I have the prayers of God's dear people; and I am fully convinced that God will yet be the joy and salvation, the refuge and strong tower, of these poor heathens. They shall yet be His heritage.

From Miss Christie B. McKay.

ARMADALE MISSION,

MISTAWASIS' RESERVE, June 13th, 1886.

We are very much pleased to hear of your success. Mother gets the *Canada Presbyterian*; we read the account of your meeting, and thought a great deal about it. I do not get the *Presbyterian Review*; I would be very much pleased to have it; you are so good to send it, for we always like to see and read about your successful meetings. I also receive Sunday School papers once a month from some Christian lady. Any little paper or book that is sent is always taken to the school to the children that can read and understand; they think a great deal of papers and books they can read, and they seem to get on much better than reading the same school book over.

I suppose you have seen in newspapers about the present Mistawasis and his Indians are getting from the Government for being loyal while his life was threatened by the disloyal ones. Mistawasis got \$50, one gun, one yoke of oxen, one cow and twenty sheep; his Indians, five cows and twenty sheep. They got the cattle last week, but did not get the sheep yet; expect them soon. It will be a great help for them.