

Again, to see many of them comfortably and neatly clothed would cheer the hearts of many, very many who have no doubt sometimes been weary while preparing the comfortable clothing which has been sent. The preparing of the clothing is a grand work, and will not be without its reward.

I have just been out three miles into the country, and the sight of the exceedingly large fields of grain just commencing to be quite green is very pleasing, although I am told it is simply a grand sight when they are no longer green fields but fields of waving golden grain.

The spring is very pleasant though a little changeable, and sometimes high winds prevail, and play with the dust, you know.

Strange to say, forwardness characterizes many of the children. I was much amused a few days ago with one of the boys about twelve years of age, he came in asking me to go out to play, on my refusing he coaxed earnestly ; I then asked how he wished me to play, he said he would swing me round, and if I did not go he would use his fist, but all his boldness is characterized by something very amusing. He is not by any means a disobedient boy. One poor Indian has just told me that one of his little children died, and never did I see a father grieve more over the death of a child. They indeed love their children. I told him again the story of the love of Jesus, and how he might again see his little boy.

PRAYER CARDS.

It is intended to issue new cards, containing the subjects for prayer, as the supply printed in 1886 is exhausted.

The Committee will be glad of suggestions regarding this matter which may occur to the mind of any member of the Society.

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