

vices kept regularly till March of this year, when Mr. Clink, who had given us the use of his house, moved away, causing the appointment to be suspended. But as this place is rapidly filling up the work must be resumed at the earliest possible date. The Sabbath-school has grown rapidly and is now in a flourishing condition. Owing to the fact that many people stay in the city only a short while we cannot report that advance in membership we otherwise would. Members, 25.

J. W. BELL.

### PRAIRIE GROVE.

The work on this new field is full of encouragement. The seven appointments are regularly supplied and new places are demanding attention. Our spiritual life has been quickened, and the indications of a stalwart self-supporting circuit developing east of the Red River are very pronounced. A large increase in contributions and membership, enlargement of boundaries and consolidation of the work are the items in our programme for next year. The membership now numbers 20. The total amount raised by the people for Connexional and Mission purposes is \$209.44 and more is expected. The characteristics of the work in this field are harmony, willingness, and hopefulness.

WILBUR W. ANDREWS.

### SELKIRK.

I am thankful to be able to report some measure of financial and spiritual success. During the past year an Official and Trustee Board have been formed; the debt on the church has been reduced \$450, leaving our present indebtedness \$575, which amount we hope still further to lessen. Through the liberality of four of the trustees, supplemented by a concert, an organ costing \$200 has been presented to the church, free of debt. Our congregation has slightly increased. The Sabbath-school under the efficient superintendency of the Hon. J. W. Sifton, continues to increase in interest, and exerts an undoubted influence for good. There are 7 classes with 93 scholars on the roll, and the prosperity which has attended our work in this department must be attributed largely to the Christian faithfulness of its officers and teachers. A temperance society has been established in connection with the school which numbers 72 members. Work having commenced at the Junction, on the east side of the river, I have taken up an appointment in a large room, kindly lent for the purpose, where I have arranged to preach, if practicable, every Sabbath afternoon. The prospect is encouraging, and soon we hope to secure a site for a future church. When the C. P. Railway is extended westwards, Selkirk east and west cannot fail rapidly to increase in population and will repay the cost and labour of present Missionary operations. Our people are neither numerous nor wealthy, but they are, I believe, endeavouring to serve the Master, loyal to the church, and liberal according to their means in sustaining it. Members, 18.

WESLEY CASSON.