

# Letter Leaflet of the Woman's Auxiliary

*"The love of Christ constraineth us."*—ii Cor. v. 14.

## PROVINCIAL WOMAN'S AUXILIARY.

Subjects for Reading and Prayer. April—Caledonia, India.

A letter of congratulation having been sent in the name of our W.A. to the W.A. of the United States, upon their having taken possession of their new rooms in the Church Missions House, 4th Ave. 22nd street, the following reply was received from Miss Emery, — "Thank you so much for your very kind letter. We did move into our own Mission House with the new year, but at that time our rooms in it were very unfinished, scaffolding being up in them, etc., etc. Now we are occupying them, however, although there is still much in the way of finishing to be done. The Auxiliary have been interested to give over \$3,500 towards furnishing the Chapel and Auxiliary Room and it takes time to decide how to expend it to the best advantage. . . . You must be happy in the growing desire for Christianity among the people of your North-west. With all good wishes for your work, etc."

So many appeals are on hand this month that only a condensed summary of each can be given. One from Rev. J. W. Tims asks for \$1,500 to pay half the cost of a school for fifty children now building at the South Camp of the Blackfoot Reserve. It was undertaken at the earnest request of the Indians themselves, who induced the Minister of the Interior to grant them \$1,500 on condition that Mr. Tims raised the other \$1,500 necessary. It is proposed to open the school in June or July and to furnish it will cost about \$500. When started salaries alone will amount to \$1,000 a year. Mr. Tims asks that every Senior Branch of the W.A. should send \$10 for the Home. Four pupils in the present Home have been baptized during the past year at their own request.

Rev. H. G. Stocken, Sarcee Reserve, writes that his Boys' Home is threatened with having to close unless help to the amount of \$1,000 is sent very quickly. The children now in the Home are getting on wonderfully, and many more are waiting to be taken in when the funds will permit. Mr. Stocken has appointed Miss Foley matron of the Girls Home and Mrs. Canning matron of the Boys' Home. — Quebec and Niagara W. A. s. furnishing their stipends. We wish them every success in the work. The Lord Bishop of Saskatchewan and Calgary has sent his sanction to both the above appeals and to the appointments made by Mr. Stocken. The General Secretary has photos of Mr. Stocken's mission which she will gladly send to Branches working for him on receipt of two cents for postage.