

northern campaign. Would like so much to have seen you while here.

God converted many souls in that north country. Mr. Huntington purchased a large tent from Ottawa. The last month we were there we travelled about 250 miles. Raised the tent and preached in three different places, Sudbury, Cartier and Chapleau. On this missionary tour we met some very hard people. We had the privilege of being the first Methodist missionaries to proclaim the glad news of a risen Saviour in Chapleau.

The presence of the Master was felt in each place. The people are very hardened in that country, having followed the construction of the C. P. R. for a length of time, they have become very regardless about their soul's welfare. There are plenty of *professors*, unconverted church members, but not many *born-again* people. There has been so much smooth preaching that they look upon professors of the religion of Jesus Christ, as nothing more than a society of people (not even moral) organized for a dress parade on the Lord's day. They seem to think all that is necessary is to join the church. Oh for men and women to stand up and tell the naked truth regardless of man's opinions. May God enable me and all Band workers to realize that this is the age of Satan's cunning imitations of Christianity and of the awful truth contained in II Cor. xi. 14. I receive letters from the converts; they are doing well. Mr. Huntington is now relieved from North Bay and has taken up the ground we traversed with the tent. Just received word that the work at the different points has developed into a grand success. *God will bless the truth.* Mr. Huntington was just like a father to Charley and me. He has contended with a great many hardships in that region. God bless him. I have been greatly blessed since coming home. The local Bands on this mission are doing a grand work. Sinners are coming to Jesus right along. Praise God. Bro. Cowyins and I have just returned home from Warminster, where we had a glorious meeting. Penitent form full of people seeking to know more of the Master.

Have just written Rev. Mr. Short, of Renfrew, who wants us to go. I feel the spirit burning within me as I write. At times I feel the burden of souls resting on me heavily. May the Lord lead. Oh for the Holy Ghost power to come upon us! Glad to hear of your success in the East. We are praying for you. The Hawkstone Band are all on fire. Hallelujah! I feel my weakness more and more every day. I want to be

ever sitting at Jesus' feet and learning of Him. Just reached home in time for the heat of the harvest; and so with working on the farm and attending meetings far and near I do not get much rest. May you realize God's upholding power in the battle, and when the fight is over we shall unite in swelling the angelic chorus. Amen. Your brother in Christ Jesus, our coming Lord,
GEO. REID.

MASONVILLE, Sept. 25, 1886.—Dear Bro. Savage,—Your post-card received. Am glad to hear of your continued blessing. We close here on Monday. Bro. Jones has been at Bethesda, Thorndale Circuit, for a week. We go on Tuesday to join him for a week. I don't think there has been one service since we came to this circuit but we have had souls seeking God. We praise God and take courage. We wrote Miss Bostwick, of Guelph, to join Bro. Jones. I had a card from her last night, saying she would be with him to-day. God has greatly blessed our labors on this circuit. There have been a great many very clear conversions. We find the people large-hearted. The homes of all have been thrown wide open to us. Collections have been large. Horses and carriages have been at our disposal ever since our coming here. And yet, dear brother, I am not satisfied altogether with the work. While so many have been converted and doing grandly, and while quite a number have been seeking, and a few have surely entered the land of corn and wine, yet the Church on the whole has not been blessed as I would have hoped. I cannot just understand it. Oh may God take care of His own, and I know He will. Do you ever feel in leaving a circuit such intense anxiety for the future of the people or am I alone in this? After spending a week with Bro. Jones we go to Bryanston. Three of the city ministers were over one night this week. They all want us to help them; may the dear Lord lead us. We are feeling much better in health, praise God. Love to all.

J. N. CHAPMAN.

MILTON, Oct. 2, 1886.—Dear Bro. Savage,—I have been praying daily and almost hourly for you and the success of the work in the East, and I am glad to know that God has answered prayer in the salvation of many souls.

During the summer a few of us have been conducting meetings every Sabbath afternoon in a neglected district two miles from