

by the Junior Branch of St. John the Evangelist, a total to date of \$40.75. In addition to this, Ingersoll, Lucan, St. Thomas, Delaware; and St. George's, London West, are forwarding gifts of quilts, clothing, etc. Further help is urgently needed. Mrs. Sillitoe, writes from New Westminster of an unexpected difficulty in regard to the site of the hospital which is now partly completed, the Government's stipulation as to its position reaching them too late to alter it, even were not the ground selected by the department unsuitable in every way. The Bishop pleads with the W.A. to assist him in his emergency in case the Government should withdraw its promised grant. "I am glad," adds Mrs. Sillitoe, "to be able to tell you that Ten Young, the Chinese Catechist, has been at work for two months. The D. and F. Board gave us \$250 towards his stipend, but for the further \$250 we are looking to the W.A." In acknowledging \$7.47, Stewardship money, earned by the Ministering Children of the Memorial Church, London, Mrs. Fry, of Seguin Falls, writes.—"The money could not come at any time more needing it than now, and I cannot express my gratitude to the dear Ministering Children who have done so much for our little church. Will you tell them how their money will be spent? viz, \$6 for the debt, \$1.47 to stain the benches, (my son will do the work). Yesterday at Sunday-school I told the children of this gift, and asked them if they too would try and earn a little money for some book shelves in the vestry. They put up their hands and said they would try. . . . I see my name mentioned in connection with this Sunday-school as 'superintendent.' Now I am really the only teacher. There are thirty-two actual pupils of various ages, and it is not easy for me to attend to all these without the help of Leaflets or Catechisms and Bibles to use in Sunday-school. The parents have told me that if I get Leaflets they will see that the children learn their lessons. This would be a great help to me, I think I would prefer those used in the Diocese of Huron. Perhaps if this want were known some friends would help us in the matter. There are a great many strangers here now working on a railway, and if I can make Sunday-school pleasing to the children I am sure of having the parents."

The friends who from time to time send tokens of their interest in the subject of the education of the children of our missionaries will be glad to hear that our Huron child is again almost at the top of her class and has "first class honours," marked upon her school reports. She, with Ethel, the child of the Quebec W.A., will leave for their holidays early in July. The Rev. G. Gander writes: "It is a great comfort and lifts a burden from our minds to know that our child is doing so well, has so many kind friends, and such a happy home with the Misses Penny, to whom we are deeply indebted for their motherly care." In the same letter Mr. Gander alludes to the \$2, from "Mabel's mite box," the second offering to her father's mission which she has been privileged to send. Ethel All-