

We have, I think, one hundred and twenty-two children in the school just now. Prof. Baird brought five with him on his way back, one girl and four boys. They are all very nice children and all can talk a little English.

Quite a number of the girls can give all the "Precious Things" in the order you gave them. Some got the Bible first, and I know they often think about you and Mrs. Jeffrey. One evening, just before prayers, two or three girls wanted to knit a pair of stockings for Mrs. Harvie and Mrs. Jeffrey.

They are great knitters in the winter time. They knit in their spare time, and they get paid for knitting when it is done in their own time. One little girl about thirteen knit a pair of stockings and a pair of mittens within a week. She was anxious to have a collection for Sunday School. A number of the girls give cheerfully of their little. Sadie had a dollar given to her, and I think she gave nearly half of it to help support our missionary in China.

Miss Cumming and Miss Nichol send their love. Your visit has left many pleasant memories to both children and teachers.

The children have had some of the dresses given to them that came in the goods and they look so nice in them. Some of the children got a peep at some of the Christmas toys, and they soon spread the news. I heard Herbie tell a little girl that was not here last Christmas, how the dolls and other toys were put on a tree, and then they were taken off and given to the children. The children are all looking forward to Christmas. Our missionary society was reorganized about two weeks ago.

You remember Jane Fiddler, one of our old pupils that was so ill when you were at Crowstand. She died about a week ago.

Dear Mrs. Harvie, you did not tell us how you were when you wrote. We followed you in spirit all the way home. I hope the journey did not prove too much for your strength.