

boy of thirteen, had covered the neighbourhood with gloom. Searching parties were out on the lake looking for the bodies. On Sunday morning we made several calls, among them, one to the bereaved parents of the drowned boy. We also inspected the site of the proposed church. The site is an eligible one, donated by Mr. Murray, who also handed to the Bishop the deed conveying the land to him in trust for the congregation of the Church of England in Lakehead.

At 11 a.m. divine service, with confirmation and Holy Communion, was held in the schoolhouse; there was a good congregation. After dinner Messrs. Fred. and Herbert Taylor rowed us in two boats over the bay to Dawson's Point. Here, also, we had service, with confirmation, at 4 p.m. in a schoolhouse. A most devout and appreciative congregation entered heartily and enjoyably into the sacred exercises.

While we were at tea, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dawson, two boats manned by Messrs. Cobbold and Westron arrived to take us to Haileybury for 7.30 p.m. services. This, also, was a schoolhouse, for this most extensive mission has not yet a church building in any of her stations, although one is being built at Haileybury. Here the congregation filled the building, and several Indians were gathered about the door and windows outside. We were helped in the singing by an organ brought in for the occasion. Evening prayer was said by the Archdeacon and Mr. Hickland. Three persons received the "Laying on of Hands," the Bishop preaching the sermon. For the night we were made the welcome guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cobbold.

On Monday we breakfasted with Mr. and Mrs. Farr, after which we inspected the church building in course of erection, and visited the missionary in his parsonage of one room. At 11 a.m. we had a celebration of the Holy Communion in the schoolhouse, at which the confirmees of the previous evening received their first communion. Following was a business meeting re the new church, then dinner at Mr. Cobbold's, after which we again entered a "pointer" and were rowed out to the *Meteor*, which had, by the courtesy of Captain Redmond, been awaiting us in the offing. We steamed down Lake Temiscamingue to Baie des Peres, which place we reached at 5 p.m. Tea and visits to parishioners brought us to 7.30, the hour for our service, the first held in a new hall built by the villagers. Mr. Hickland read prayers, the Archdeacon and the Bishop giving addresses.

From the service we returned to the *Meteor* for bed, and took leave of our indefatigable missionary, the Rev. J. Hickland, who has laboured most acceptably in this northern field.

At 11 a.m. on Tuesday we returned to Gordon Creek, and after dinner took train to Mattawa, had tea with the Andersons, and at 2 a.m. on Wednesday left Mattawa—the Bishop for Sault Ste.

Marie and the Archdeacon for Huntsville. T. L.

The following letter speaks for itself:

DEAR MR. EDITOR,—I would esteem it a favour if you would publish *in extenso* (1) a list of subscribers to "Parsonage Fund," and (2) merely the amount which I collected towards the erection of the new mission hall, Ville Marie, known as "The Victoria Hall." I did not purpose publishing either of these, but both the Bishop and Archdeacon, when here on the 25th inst., said that I ought to do so. I fear your space would not permit of the catalogue of names for Victoria Hall, and I shall feel satisfied by your saying that on the 10th May, 1898, I paid into the hands of the treasurer, Mr. Robert Miller, of the Hudson Bay Co., the sum of \$58.51 towards this hall, for which the Bishop holds the receipt. I am, dear sir,

Yours very sincerely,

JAMES HICKLAND,
Priest-in-charge.

Haileybury, "via Mattawa,"

July 30th, 1898.

I collected the annexed monies up to this date (August 1st, 1898) for the erection of parsonage at Haileybury.

Farr & Cobbold, \$5; Thos. Carr, \$1; Jas. Moor, \$1; Frederick Wilcox, \$1; Mr. Robb, \$1; Jacob White, \$1; S. E. Persson, \$1; John Taylor, \$1; Geo. Adair, \$1; Walter Kristim, \$1; Wm. Craig, \$1; C. Pierce, \$1; A. J. Fernholm, 75c; Chas. A. Ambler, \$1; Geo. Broughton, \$1; Jas. A. Rowand, \$1; Andrew McKnight, \$1; T. J. Oland, \$1; Jas. Turner, \$1; A. C. Stephenson, \$1; C. A. Phillip, 25c; J. D. Parmlie, \$1; John and Thos. Fleming, \$1 each, \$2; Edward C. Wright, \$1; F. P. Bronson, \$10. Total, \$38.

Shingwauk Notes.

Capital progress was made in the classes during the past quarter, as shown in the result of the examinations.

The schools closed on the 8th of July for the summer holidays, and will re open on the 18th of August.

A few boys who have not seen their relations for two years or more, and who are entitled under the regulations to leave of absence, have been allowed to go home for one month during vacation.

Honourable discharges have been granted pupils "Argus" and "Dan," aged respectively twenty and twenty one years. The former has left for Ottawa, where he expects to obtain work; the latter has accepted an offer of employment with a hardware merchant in Detroit, and leaves for that city on the 25th inst. Both lads have done well in the Home, and have shown by their diligence and general good conduct a desire to make progress and to get on in life, and both carry with them the best wishes of all at Shingwauk for their future success and prosperity.

Acting upon medical advice Andrew Logan, the little Delaware boy, who has been suffering from pelvic scrofula since March last, and who was confined in our hospital for two months, has been sent

home to his relatives on the reserve in the hope that a change may prove beneficial. We hope Thorold and Port Robinson Sunday-schools will kindly accede to our request to transfer their support temporarily to "Kicknosway" during their *pro-lege's* absence.

We are delighted to hear that the W. A. of Holland Landing are again working for the Home and heartily thank the members in anticipation of this very acceptable gift.

Special efforts are now being made to pay off a balance of \$27.56 still due on the organ purchased three years ago for Bishop Fanquin's Memorial Chapel. The smallest contribution in aid of the debt will be thankfully received and should be sent addressed to Mrs. King, Shingwauk Home and marked distinctly "for organ fund."

Friends and supporters who have not received a copy of our last Annual Report are kindly requested to drop a card to the Principal.

Missionaries and agents in charge of Indian Missions desirous of having boys entered as pupils in the Shingwauk Home should apply direct to the Principal, who will forward proper application forms to be filled up. All applications for admission are filed, and dealt with in order received whenever a vacancy occurs, and under no circumstance should a boy be sent to the Home until he has been duly accepted.

Why are the boys so round-faced and happy? Because they fully appreciate the benefit derived from the Home and are anxious to improve themselves in every way. G.L.K.

Korah Mission.

REV. J. P. SMITHENAN, INCUMBENT.

On July 21st the second anniversary of the Ladies' Guild of Christ Church, Korah, was held at Mrs. Richard Moore's, and it was decided at that meeting that it would be well to give some account of our two years' work in THE ALGOMA MISSIONARY NEWS. When the Guild was started, two years ago, it was with the idea that the women could help with the Parsonage Fund, and right nobly they have done so. The men give all credit where it is due, as was shown by the hearty vote of thanks given at the last Easter Vestry meeting. The ladies started a silk quilt at one of the first meetings, and on that quilt some \$87 were realized and it is still unsold, as no one feels able to pay the sum asked for the valuable article. Other quilts were made and sold, and two summer sales have been held, harvest dinners, jubilee dinners, socials, etc., besides Christmas entertainments and picnics. Over \$200 has been raised by the efforts of the Guild alone, which speaks volumes of itself. The members number sixteen, but there are several auxiliary members, and it is not at all unusual to have thirteen members present. Since Easter the members of the Guild have