

attend school. When such is the case a boarding school would do well, where for a small amount expended on food and clothing, and a good-sized log house or two, quite a number could be well provided for and looked after, and for food and clothing quite a lot would come willingly, and so be all the sooner taught and civilized.

Lots of second-hand clothing, such as many kind-hearted people have sent me during this last winter, go a long way to make the Indians comfortable.

The Rev. Hugh McKay, of Crooked Lake, has been very successful. He kept 25 boys all winter at his own expense, had a kind of boarding school, and was constantly among them. They were clothed by contributions of clothes from all parts of Canada, but the food department he did himself. He also had to put up a few houses for them, but then, the steady improvement visible amply repaid him for his trouble and expense. When boarded thus they can be educated and civilized much quicker than by merely attending a day school from which they go home every evening to dirt, carelessness and ignorance.

Hoping you will be kind enough to place this in your paper,

GEO. FLETT.

Okanase, April 15th.

Extracts from a Letter from Miss Rose.

REGINA, May 20th, 1886.

A number of men in the city of Regina having strong draught teams, I plucked up courage to ask them to assist in this work, many of whom agreed readily.

It is a long, dreary, difficult journey, yet these brave good men made no complaint. The following are the names of those who were kind enough to go: Messrs. K. Kerr, McClure, McKell, Gordon, Montgomery, Russel, Dunkin, Cutforth, Watts, McLean. Each load is quite equal to a contribution of \$10. Mr. Russel hearing that Mr. Somers, the contractor, was waiting for material, and the roads being