

death. It is very sad for the family. I go to church and Sunday school, and to the Mission Band every month. I am sending you my photograph. I know you will like to have it.

One of your girls,

CAROLINE POWE

Mabel Green, who is one of the August, 1896, girls, would like to hear from some of her old friends, and takes this medium of communicating with them:

DEAR GIRLS,—I have read so many letters from girls who came out with me, in the UPS AND DOWNS, so I thought I would write one too. I am in a very nice place. There are three children. One of them is a sweet little girl; she can just walk alone, and says so many things. I have been here a year and a half. I went away with my mistress last summer. We boarded at an hotel in Brockville, and went on the water every day. We went down by boat and saw the Thousand Islands, which are very beautiful. I hope every girl had as enjoyable a Christmas as I had, and as many presents. Then on the 26th we girls in Toronto had a very kind invitation to go to a party given by our kind friends, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Owen. The party was from four to ten, and we all made the best of our time. We had a very nice tea, all kinds of good things, and after it was over some girls sang songs and some said pieces, and Miss Godfrey sang, and Miss Kathleen Owen swam clubs, so you see we had quite a nice time. I saw a letter in the last Ups and Downs from Alice Bedford. I wonder if she remembers me and Nora Singer, who lives near me, so we often see each other. I often get letters from my boarding-out home in Abingbourne, and the names of all the girls who used to be there too are mentioned. It is good to think they do not forget us. I must bid you all good-bye.

Your loving friend,

MABEL GREEN.

Daisy Seeley has been more than three years in her first home, and is now so useful that her mistress would not like to part with her. She has grown so tall that I fear some of her companions who came out with her in July, 1898, would hardly recognize her now. She has had one or two visits from her sister, Mae, which have greatly cheered her.

There is a new girl, named Daisy, who is a very nice girl, and we are all very much interested in her. She is a very good girl, and we are all very much interested in her. She is a very good girl, and we are all very much interested in her. She is a very good girl, and we are all very much interested in her.

were made to fasten with buttons and hooks, so that they could be taken off.

This was a special gift for her for knitting done for a W.A. society. Daisy has been four years in her home, and the children all love her. The wee boy got a rocking horse for Christmas, and "he gets on it and sings 'Daisy, Daisy, give me your answer, do.'" She also says, "When I first came here I did not know how to do anything. Now I can wash, mop, churn, wash dishes, milk, peel potatoes and mind the baby, the last of which I think the most of." Daisy closes with love to all the girls and wishes them a Happy New Year.

We have good news of many of our little ones who are boarded-out. The guardians of Grace Oakden say:

When she came to our home last October we were well pleased with her manners and appearance. She is in splendid health, and has never been sick. She has gone to school regularly, with exception of a few days when we were afraid to send her on account of measles. She goes to church and Sunday school, and is quick to learn and good in every way. We have become much attached to her, and sincerely hope our little one will grow up to be a credit to her home and to her friends.

Scripture Questions

Nellie Oliver and Grace Bay have answered the questions in January number. Perhaps some other are still searching. We shall be glad to hear from these later. For this month find the names under which Christ is spoken of in the Old Testament, and give the book, chapter and verse.

Girls' Donation Fund.

We hope the girls are laying Mr. Haultain's suggestions to heart, and this year will see a great advance to the gifts to the Girls' Donation Fund.

Contribution received this month:

Mr. Haultain	\$10.00	Mr. Haultain	\$10.00
Beatrice Thomas	\$5.00	Beatrice Thomas	\$5.00
Alfred	\$5.00	Alfred	\$5.00
plough	\$5.00	plough	\$5.00
Griffith	\$5.00	Griffith	\$5.00
Haultain	\$5.00	Haultain	\$5.00
Albert	\$5.00	Albert	\$5.00
\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00
Staples	\$5.00	Staples	\$5.00
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