

My Sisters, Our Foreign Missions CANNOT LIVE without our Home Missions. The one is, must be the feeder of the other.

Now here is the sum we have voted to raise before next August.

For North West Missions	\$800.00
Indian Work in Manitoba	100.00
Grande Ligne	100.00
Maritime Missions	500.00
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Total	1500.00

The question is not—"can we raise this amount—but" is it needed"?

Remember Chrst is saying Go YE into ALL the world" and then read the following from the

NORTH WEST.

THE EXTENT OF THE FIELD.

The field keeps continually enlarging. Our actual operations extend now from a point 10 miles east of Emerson to the Sturgeon River, 15 miles north of Edmonton, a distance of 1123 miles. Besides this we work on nearly 1000 miles of branch lines. There are other lines open that we have not yet touched, besides large country districts where they are calling loudly for the Gospel.

INCREASE OF POPULATION.

The Population is increasing at a rapid rate. The country is filling up with people of various nationalities and types of religion. There are Germans and Jews, Scandinavians and French, Icelanders & Poles, Chinese and many other smaller bodies speaking a foreign language. The United States also are taking advantage of the opportunities offered in this country, and large numbers from there are coming here. But the great bulk of the population is from parts of the British possessions, especially from Ontario and Quebec, the Maritime Provinces and the British Isles. About 40,000 of the native Indians still remain. Of religions we have represented Judaism and heathenism, Protestantism and Roman Catholicism and scepticism, and we are threatened with "higher criticism." The Gospel of Christ is the power of God unto salvation to every one that believeth, and upon its faithful proclamation the destiny of our country hangs.