

they are always sure to want either mitts or socks. They are more ready to take these smaller pieces than even a jacket that has any peculiar cut or pattern about it. The chief of a Reserve asked me if I had any toys or playthings for children. These are certainly useless articles but they always go to show that one has a regard for the happiness of the young as well as the comfort of the old. . . It is still uphill work here, and as the people are often apt to be offended at being told the Gospel message, it is pleasing to be able to show them that we have regard to their bodily wants."

BRANCH NOTES.

KEMPTVILLE.—This Branch reports one bale sent to Grenville, Kutawa, to the Rev Alfred Cook, from whom the preceding letter was received. There are five subscribers to the LEAFLET.

MERRICKVILLE.—One box has already been sent by this Branch and as the meetings have been steadily kept up since the beginning of May, the officers hope to have a box to send to Miss Brown in the autumn. There are twenty members and ten subscribers to the LEAFLET.

PRESCOTT.—During the last six months fourteen meetings have been held with an average attendance of fourteen—four of these being regular monthly business meetings and ten sewing meetings held weekly at the houses of different members. Missionary readings generally added to the interest of the meetings which ended with afternoon tea and collection, amounting in all to \$13.30. Two bales were sent, April 29th, to Rev. C. I. Pritchard, Grand Rapids, Sask. Receipts for the year \$82.69. Expenditure, \$75.98. Of this \$16.40 was spent on material for bales. Balance on hand, \$7.71.

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TREASURER'S STATEMENT.

RECEIPTS.		Mrs. Tilton's Provincial Life Membership	
Domestic Missions.		New Dublin W.A.....	2 00
Frankford W. A. for North-West Missions.....	1 50	Newboro W.A.....	3 00
Foreign Missions		Deseronto W.A.....	1 00
Mrs. Leur's Bible Class, St. James's, Kingston, for Congo Missions, Africa.....	5 40	EXPENDITURE	
Diocesan Missions		To printers for W.A. Cards.....	3 00
Frankford W.A. for Diocesan Missions	1 25	To Provincial Treasurer's amount of Provincial Life Membership presented to Mrs. Tilton by Ontario W. A. before its division	50 00
Frankford W. A. Dio. Member's Fee	25	Cor. Secretary for postage.....	1 00
		Total.....	54 00