

Letter Leaflet of the Woman's Auxiliary

"The love of Christ constraineth us."—2 Cor. v. 14.

REMEMBER AT NOON TO PRAY FOR MISSIONS.

Subjects for Prayer and Reading. September—Qu'Appelle, Chinese in America. October—Selkirk, All Islands.

PROVINCIAL.

The Provincial Dorcas Secretary begs to call attention to her change of address, which in future will be 890 Bathurst Street, Toronto.

THE INDIANS IN THE DIOCESE OF QU'APPELLE.

In the Province of Assiniboia and Diocese of Qu'Appelle, there are four different tribes of Indians, viz., the *Sioux* and *Assiniboines*, who are akin to one another; the *Cree* and *Saltaux*, whose languages are alike, and between whom there is a good deal of intermarriage.

The work of our branch of the Church is among the Crees and Saltaux. There are three districts where Mission work is done, viz. : (1) Fort Pelly, under the Rev. O. Owens, at the North East corner of the Diocese; (2) Touchwood Hills, subdivided into (a), Gordon's (b), Poor Man's and Day Star Reserves; (3) The Saltaux Reserves at Fishing and Nut Lakes.

(1) FORT PELLY—This is an old post of the Hudson Bay Co. The work in the earliest days was done by the C.M.S. Agents; for the last fifteen years by clergy appointed by the Bishop, and partially supported by S.P.G. It is now mostly Pastoral and Educational, and the great need is a small but effective Boarding School, which might well be of a semi-industrial character. The workers here have been Rev. S. Agassiz, Mr. H. Dee, and now Rev. O. Owens, late of Gordon's School.

(2) TOUCHWOOD HILLS—Here again the earliest work was done by C.M.S. Agents. The memory of the good and earnest work done by the Rev. ———, and Reader and Catechist, Pratt, still survives.