

Board of our deep gratitude for all that has been done for us by the general officers, the branches and individual members. The difficulties we have met have been many, but your kind help has done so much to lighten and remove them that it has played a most important part in all that we have done. Now, in regard to the future. First, before my connection with the school ceases we have to provide for the debt under which we have been struggling, amounting now to nearly \$4,000. This must be removed and I should be extremely thankful if friends who have promised to help us, or may wish to do so now, would *as soon as possible* send me any contributions they may wish to give. This will greatly help me in my work of closing the affairs of the school, for we feel in honor bound to pay every cent we owe. Secondly, I would express the hope that when this has been done, the friends who have by helping us been helping the general Indian mission work of Rupert's Land, will continue to take an interest in that Indian work. As you are aware, we are each year becoming responsible for about \$600 more of the cost of our Indian work owing to the withdrawal of the C. M. S. It has occurred to me that many of the friends who have been helping the school might be glad to unite in the support of some one of our interesting Indian missions. Lastly, I would say that I hope our friends will not be discouraged at the turn events have taken. Our four years of toil and expenditure have not been lost or wasted. Not only have good, solid foundations been laid, but we have seen enough of God's blessing upon our work and of His work in the hearts of our children to feel that, were nothing more to result from it, we have had our reward. Therefore, though disappointed, let us not be discouraged. No work for God is lost!"

Miss Mellish, lady missionary at the above school, on the termination of her engagement with the W.A., has married Mr. Lawlor, formerly of the same school, and hopes to work with him in the mission field later on. The faithful, loving work Miss Mellish has considered it her privilege to do for her Master's little ones has endeared her greatly to her W. A. friends, who wish her every blessing and happiness in her new sphere of life. Her address for the present is 220 Edmonton street, Winnipeg.

The General Dorcas Secretary lays the following appeals before the Diocesan Dorcas Secretaries and will be grateful if they will notify her as soon as possible in what particular they will be able to help to supply these needs. She will also be glad to furnish any further details:

The Bishop of New Westminster has, with the aid of the Government, erected a hospital at Lytton. The furnishings are required and we are asked to supply two (2) wood stoves for heating purposes, oil cloth for the ward, rug for floor of convalescent room, complete furnishings for six single beds and one three-quarter, heavy curtains for five windows (3 yds. long), piece of carpet for the sides of beds, a washing machine and wringer. In this hospital there is only one