

feel their gifts were made good use of.

Our children are making good progress considering the difficulties they have to overcome.

Our Indian services are also well attended: there has been an average of thirty-five adult Indians since the 1st of January last, not including the children resident in the Home.

Christmas will now soon be upon us, and I would make this appeal on behalf of our children, for any assistance to make it as happy a time as possible for them—the smallest gift will be thankfully received.

W. R. HAYNES.

Calgary Bishopric Endowment Fund.

At the meeting of the Provincial Synod of Rupert's Land held in Winnipeg on 10th, 11th and 12th instant the following resolution was unanimously adopted, viz:

"Whereas the Synod of Saskatchewan has most unselfishly agreed to transfer £3240 from the Saskatchewan Bishopric Endowment Fund to the Endowment of the Bishopric of Calgary, the transfer to be made so soon as the Calgary Bishopric Endowment Fund has secured the sum of £8700 from other sources, making a total of £12,000 for that fund, and leaving £12,000 for the Saskatchewan Bishopric Endowment Fund; and whereas the sum of £2750 is still needed for the completion of the Calgary Bishopric Endowment Fund:

Therefore resolved that the Provincial Synod earnestly presses on all who feel

an interest in the establishment and progress of the Church in the Northwest of Canada the urgency of the accomplishment of this object; and this Synod is of opinion that that an earnest effort should immediately be made to complete the Endowment for the Bishopric of Calgary, and would express the hope that the Bishop of Saskatchewan and Calgary may see his way to visit England this autumn for that purpose."

Rev. E. Matheson, Principal of the Battleford Indian Industrial School has promised \$100 if \$900 are raised in the Province; and his brother Rev. J. R. Matheson, C. M. S. Missionary at Onion Lake has promised the first \$50.

The Bishop feels that the raising of a sum like this in the country would have an excellent effect, and he will be very grateful for any donations towards it. They may be sent to

REV. E. MATHESON,
Indian Industrial School,
Battleford,
Saskatchewan.

or to

REV. SPENCER H. CUBITT,
Calgary.

Thanksgiving Day Offertory.

SYNOD OFFICE,
Calgary, Sept. 29, '99.

The Executive Committee of the Synod of the Diocese of Calgary wish to remind Church people throughout the Diocese that, according to the Canon, the offerings at the Harvest Thanksgiving services are for the Home Mission Fund of the Diocese. Last year the Executive Commit-