

We have also had the pleasure of hearing interesting accounts of personal experience in mission work among the Indians from the Bishop of Saskatchewan; Archdeacon Phair of Winnipeg, and the Rev. Mr. Tims of the Blackfoot Reserve, Gleichen, N.-W.T.; also from Mr. Lewis of Petewawa, in the Upper Ottawa District, an account of mission work amongst the settlers and lumbermen.

The correspondence has also added to the interest in the work of the Dorcas department. Letters have been received from the Rev. W. T. Bourne and Mrs. Bourne; the Rev. Henry Rollings of Manitowaning, Manitoulin Island; the Rev. James Boydell of Bracebridge, Ont.; the Rev. George Scott of Windsor, Ont.; the Rev. Chas. Piercy, Sudbury, Algoma; the Rev. E. Soward and Mrs. Soward, Kinmount, Ont.; all acknowledging with much gratitude the assistance given them by the Dorcas department of this Society.

This Society continues to pay annually:—

\$400 towards the stipend of the Rev. W. T. Bourne of the Piegan Mission, near Fort Macleod.

\$30 towards the salary of Miss Perkes, lady missionary on the Blackfoot Reserve, and Miss Brown's successor.

\$10 towards the support of the Blackfoot Home for girls, in charge of Miss Perkes.

\$25 towards the salary of \$200 for a lay reader in the township of Temiscamisque.

\$100 to the Nipigon Mission, Algoma, in charge of the Rev. R. Renison.

\$12 towards the rent of the Central rooms on Yonge street for the use of the Dorcas Department of the Woman's Auxiliary.

At the Quarterly Meeting of the Mission Board it was thought advisable to appoint a travelling missionary in each Rural Deanery, and an appeal was made to the Woman's Auxiliary to raise \$500 annually towards the support of a travelling missionary in the Rural Deanery of Haliburton.

In response to the appeal made by the President of the Woman's Auxiliary for assistance from the Branches St. James' Cathedral Branch undertook to raise \$100 towards the amount.

A letter was received by the Treasurer from Canon O'Meara, St. John's College, Winnipeg, "enclosing a full statement of all subscriptions which were promised from members of the St. James' Cathedral Congregation and a cash voucher for money received," hoping that this Society would undertake to collect the second and third instalments of the yearly subscriptions and forward the same in bulk to him.

There has been an increase in the membership by card; 93 being the present number, and 76 subscribers to the Monthly Letter Leaflet.

Mrs. Strachan and Mrs. Wyld were re-elected delegates to the Annual Meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary which was held in St. James' School-house last May.

We have a total membership of 184, not including the young ladies of Miss Veal's school, and the Upper Canada College Boys who have assisted us so generously.

In concluding we thank all those who have so kindly assisted us by