

New Publications.

Mrs. Telfer has on hand a few copies of "Mr. Greatheart," a bright and graphic sketch of the life and work of Mr. Geddie, the first foreign missionary of the Canadian Church. Leaders of Mission Bands will find this little pamphlet helpful and inspiring. It is written specially for the young and will not fail to interest them. It is published by the Woman's Board of New York, and if sufficient orders are sent in, Mrs. Telfer will obtain a larger supply at once. Price, 20 cents each.

"The Measuring Rod" is the title of still another Leaflet just published. This also will be found most suitable for circulation in Mission Bands. Price 8 cents per dozen.

Report of the Deputation to the North-West.

Being appointed by the Board, with the approval of the Society expressed at its last annual meeting, and solemnly set apart by prayer and words of loving counsel to the work of visiting the Indian Missions and schools connected with our Church in Manitoba and the Territories, we left Toronto with this object in view on the first day of August. The good hand of our God was upon us, and His watchful care surrounded us in all our journeyings, so that we reached home, after seven weeks of almost continuous travel, on the 18th of September. During this period we had travelled 4,300 miles by railway and steamboat and over 600 by trail. The weather was excessively hot in August, but in September it was pleasantly cool. Through the kindness of Rev. Prof. A. B. Baird (Joint Convener with Rev. Prof. Hart, of the North-West Foreign Mission Committee), who had prepared for us, at the expense of much time and trouble, an itinerary, we were relieved of *all* thought regarding details, dates of visits, entertainment, etc.