

Hill Crest, January: There has been a fair average attendance, and members have been doing work at home. Have a large bale almost ready to send. \$5 sent to the Bishop of Algoma, and hope soon to send another sum.

(Signed) E. KERR, *Sec.*

THE SARCEE MISSION,

Calgary, Jan. 4th.

DEAR MRS. DOAKE—Your bale, kindly sent on November 9th, only reached us on New Year's eve. We send our best thanks to the Coaticooke W.A., for again supplying Peter's outfit. The clothes fit very nicely, and although not new are very good. I am so glad to see everything plainly marked. The boots are such good ones—indeed he was very pleased with his box, and the first use he makes of his stationery shall be to write to you. He reminded me on Saturday to put out a handkerchief with the rest of his Sunday clothes. I am very sorry that your Christmas gifts should have arrived too late, especially as they were sent off so early. The boys enjoy the games, and candy is always acceptable, Archdeacon Tims will be glad to take some in his pockets when he visits the little ones in Camp. The year has opened brightly with us. The mother of one of our little girls (Bessie), was baptized on Sunday, and Bessie with her. She is the first adult Indian woman who has come from camp and desired baptism; she hopes her husband will come too, also her other little ones. Peter is not yet baptized, he listens attentively to Bible teaching, etc., but, with other boys, clings to camp dances and superstitions, and shrinks from giving them up. They believe in our religion I feel sure. Thanks for the books. Miss Crawford reads a great deal to the girls, and the boys are always asking for books to look at on Sundays. Thanks also for the oatmeal; we are very glad of groceries, as they save in our household expenses. Please accept our thanks and also best wishes for the New Year.

Sincerely yours,

(Signed) MARY SYMONDS.

LITTLE CURRENT, Nov. 24th, 1897.

MISS CHAPMAN,

DEAR MADAM—Your address only reached me to-day from the Bishop, and I wish on behalf of the congregation of Holy Trinity, Little Current, to acknowledge with our sincere thanks, our indebtedness to you for the Communion vessels, which I received a few days ago. With many thanks for your interest in my Mission,

I remain yours sincerely,

W. J. ECCLESTON.

The Cup and Chalice was given entirely by Miss Chapman.