

FROM MISS FRASER.

*Mission School, Portage la Prairie, Oct. 25, 1894.*

Your letter of the 17th inst. was duly received, with enclosed shipping bill. The bale of clothing arrived a few days prior to the letter. You will please convey our thanks to the ladies of the Toronto Presbyterial for their thoughtfulness in sending us such a generous supply. The many pieces of new material and ready made clothing for boys, besides the other useful articles, will help us out of all difficulties.

We are busy house-cleaning and preparing for winter. The weather is all that one could desire. Miss Laidlaw joins me in sending kindest regards.

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FROM MR. A. SKENE.

*File Hills, Assa., Oct. 4, 1894*

We have just finished putting away the clothing sent to us by the Paris Presbyterial Society. Everything is of good quality and of sufficient quantity to meet present requirements. The many comfortable quilts, the neatly made sheets, pillow-cases and shirts, the nicely trimmed dresses and aprons, along with coats, pants, boots and underclothing, tell us of kind hearts and willing hands.

We would also like to tell the children that those beautiful pictures, so nicely mounted, improve the appearance of our school room very much, and we trust will increase the knowledge of our children. The dolls are very tenderly cared for by our girls, while the scrap-books, work-bags, and other nick-nacks are the trimmings, which, you all know, we would not like to be without. The reading matter is very acceptable. Our children are beginning to be interested in reading, and we are glad to be able to supply the material; and here I wish to thank those