

support. And now, since Christmas, we have the kind promise of another \$200 per annum from the remote Diocese of Frederickton. The Rev. T. E. Dowling, of Carleton, St. John, volunteers to undertake the duties of Corresponding Secretary; and a Sunday school there undertakes the support of a child in the Shingwauk Home. This is good news. We thank God, and take courage.

Some may say that our success so far has been merely the result of effort and organization; that so many collecting books have been given out, so many names of subscribers obtained, such and such an amount expended in printing and postage stamps, and that such and such a result has been attained.

We, of Algoma, are too simple minded to regard the matter in this calculating business manner. We are content to join with the birds of the air in looking to a Heavenly Father's hand for our daily supply of bread, and we believe that our prosperity so far has been in answer to our prayers. Algoma, like the sparrow which falls to the ground, is known to God, and is far more cared for. Synods may pass us over; men of worldly wisdom may depreciate the importance of the work that has to be done on our rocky shores, or sneer at the folly of trying to convert and civilize an inferior race of people doomed, as they believe by fate, to speedy extinction; but while God has work for us to do, while there remain souls to be saved, recruits to be sought out, whether it be from a log hut or a wigwam, and marshalled in the army of Jesus; while yet the command falls upon our ear, "Go into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature," and the promise is continued, "Lo I am with you always," even so long will we endeavour, God