

Church work, and as all the rest pleases very much. Although the figs came too late for Christmas Day, still we enjoyed them on our return from Rosseau after our union. It was very kind and thoughtful of you to think of me in such a manner, affording us such a treat. Kindly convey my thanks to all the ladies of your W. A. Trusting that the New Year may bring to all bright and happy prospects. Yours sincerely,

ARTHUR COBB.

From Miss Ridley, corresponding-secretary, C. C. Cathedral W.A., we have the following letter from Rev. E. W. Inkster:

Red Pheasant, Battleford P. O., Dec. 1892.

"I have postponed writing until now in hopes that some of the freighting teams might bring the barrel and bale from Saskatoon, when your letter reached me, all transport teams had left for the last trip of the season. Alas! for some of the poor fellows, winter has fairly set in, and the snow lies almost two feet deep on the level. I think it quite certain the goods so kindly sent will have to remain for the winter at Saskatoon, as it is out of the question to get them by stage at 10 cents a lb. I need hardly say how I regret this, knowing our week-day and Sabbath scholars will be badly off for clothing."

THE DORCAS SECRETARY'S REPORT.

St. Thomas Branch, Hamilton, sent three bales to Rev. J. Hines, Devon County. *St. John's* W. A., Elora. one bale to Rev. F. Frost, Algoma. *St. Thomas*, St. Catherines, one box, one bale, Rev. A. J. Young, Algoma. *St. Barnabas*, St. Catherines, three barrels to Rev. H. C. Lowe, Aspdin. *Ascension Church*, Hamilton, sent to Rev. A. Bonny, Nanticoke, Ont., a silver plated Communion set, a Baptismal font, and a box of 78 S. S. books, as a nucleus for a library, two large kaleidoscopes for prizes for his S. S. They also sent Rev. Archdeacon Phair for distribution six pieces of Communion linen, one silver Communion set, also a plated chalice, and articles of clothing. The children's branch contributed to a Christmas-tree and sent a bale to the mission of Jacob Head, Lake Winnipeg, also three boxes of toys and books to the Rev. J. G. Anderson, St. Peter's Church, Dymoor, Man., and \$5 to the Rupert's Land Indian School, for Mr. Deardon, who requires \$50 for college fees, to complete his studies for the ministry.

Miss Milledge, Winnipeg, sent a card of thanks in acknow-