

## A SUMMARY OF RESULTS

and some of our workers on one of our trips to Alaska in *The Glad Tidings*. He writes the following letter recording his impressions of the trip and the country and of the methods which were used in the work of evangelization among these tribes:

" 1710 Grant St., Vancouver, B.C.,

" July 18, 1910.

" *Dear Dr. Crosby*,—Knowing that you are preparing a book for publication on your work in British Columbia, especially among the Indians, I hasten to compliment you on a purpose so suitable to your lifelong labors, and I congratulate myself and the Methodist Church on the prospect of seeing so timely a book in print.

" You will remember that I spent three months on the Coast of British Columbia and Alaska during the autumn of 1895 and had the opportunity and great privilege of visiting, in company with yourself in *The Glad Tidings*, all the Indians of the Coast from Vancouver to Sitka, Chilcat and Juneau. While on that trip I had the closest insight into the Missionary work carried on among the Indians on that Coast.

" At no time in my life did I witness Christian methods adopted among the heathen of any land which so powerfully appealed to me as did the methods and spirit of your engagements during the time I was with you. Never in all my Christian experience was I personally affected in my religious life as in the midst of your work and the labors of those with you. You will remember that our company was made up of ten workers on that most interesting missionary and old-time revival trip.

" Seldom is any man so favored as I was during that delightful voyage for, on the journey, I met and conversed at length with two of the strongest and most successful missionary workers in the history of Western Canada. These were Dr. Crosby and Mr. Duncan. Your respective headquarters were Port Simpson and New Metlakatla. The history of either of these two would fill a large book and make most interesting reading.

" Among my extensive notes I find many references to