

Of His servants gone before!  
Grace that shone for Christ below,  
Changed to glory we shall know;  
And before His unveiled face  
Sing the glory of His grace!"

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## Leaves From Our Journal.

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JANUARY, 1904.—Twelve o'clock, midnight! A pale moon was touching with silver, mountain, forest and river, and the silent beauty of earth seemed filled with an unutterable peace, as if some faint echo of the Song of the Angels of the Incarnation still lingered on the air.

A few of us quietly gathered in the Chapel, our Sanctuary of Rest, to say Lauds, to hallow the first moments of the new-born year with prayer and chant, and Psalms of praise to the All-Father in whose sight time is as nothing, and to whom a thousand years are but as yesterday, and yet a Father, loving and tender, whose hand holds with infinite care the tiny lives of all His earthly creatures.

During the Christmas holidays the Canadian School was represented by six little girls only. They had had a small party on the previous afternoon to which some of our friends from the village were invited. The study was prettily decorated with evergreens and holly and our guests, small and great, were received there, and entertained with conversation, tea and cake. Then they were taken to the dining hall, where two games of "ping-pong" were set up and entered into with due enthusiasm; lastly, the beautiful little Christmas Tree, hiding snugly in an alcove, was brought forward and lighted by a hundred pretty wax tapers, and Christmas souvenirs from All Hallows were discovered among its branches for every one in the room.

On New Year's Day the annual communicants dinner for the Indian School gave place, by unanimous consent, to a general party for the Indian children. "Ping-pong" and musical chairs amused them during the early part of the afternoon, then refreshments were handed round, and when the evening shadows began to deepen a "Surprise" Tree, which, as before, had been hidden away in the bow-window, shone forth with brilliancy, and a blind-folded troop of children were led expectantly up to it to be suddenly dazzled by its gleaming beauty.

The Christmas Tree party proper, had taken place on the 26th of December and no one, of course, had dreamt of having another Christmas Tree. This extra one, however, was provided by Miss