these friends was strongly advised by the Mission Council in India, on account of the serious illness of Mr. Jamieson. This blow falls very heavily upon Mrs. Jamieson, who but a few months ago arrived in India, but sustained by the God of all grace and strength, she is bearing up with wonderful cheerfulness and courage. Miss Jamieson is also returning home by the same steamer. This step was deemed advisable in the circumstances, by her physicians, who feared that her health would break down completely if she remained any longer in India. The time for Miss Jamieson's regular furlough is not far distant.

The strain of work has also to some extent impaired the strength of Rev. J. Wilkie, and he and Mrs. Wilkie are expected in Canada for a few months' rest at an early date.

The members of our societies are requested to remember very earnestly in prayer, not only the laborers who are returning, but those who still remain in the field, that the needs of each one may be supplied by God, "according to his riches in glory by Christ Jesus."

Acknowledgment from Rev. Dr. Reid-

Toronto, April 23rd, 1894.

Mrs. Maclennan, 10 Murray St., Toronto.

DEAR MRS. MACLENNAN,—I have great pleasure in acknow-edging receipt of yours of the 21st, with copy of resolutions, and, what is more valuable, with cheque for the amount of \$39,946.18.

This is really a very great lift to us, and I thank you for it, and more especially for the handsome way in which you advance to us the \$10,000.00 on account of salaries and expenses of the W. F. M. Society for the coming year.