

of God to rest upon your Majesty in the future even more abundantly than in the past; and we pray that your Majesty may long live to reign over a free, prosperous, enlightened and happy people, and that when your Majesty is called upon to lay aside an earthly crown, it may be to receive a crown of glory that fadeth not away.

THE REPLY.

OTTAWA, 18th July, 1887.

MADAM,—I am commanded by His Excellency the Governor-General to convey to you, on behalf of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church in Canada (Western Division), the expression of pleasure with which her Majesty has received the expressions of loyalty and attachment to her throne and person contained in their address.

I have the honour to be, Madam,
Your obedient servant,

CHARLES J. JONES,
For the Governor-General's Secretary.

The President Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church in Canada (Western Division).

FOREIGN LETTERS.

MRS. JAMIESON.

TAMSUI, June 3rd, 1887.

Your last letter reached us some time ago, and I suppose you are looking for more word from this. Not having gone into the country lately, I have little in the way of news to tell.

Girls have been at the school for considerable time, and are daily being taught. They are in charge of a native lady, who seems an intelligent and sensible woman. Living in the school, she is with them night and day; her husband takes care of the building and grounds. The more I learn of how carefully guarded are young girls in respectable Chinese families, and of how the simple Pi-po-hoan people cling to each other and to their wild