

that we have since received orders from some of the ladies who failed to secure any of it at the sale.

Another improvement which I would like to speak of, is being able to trust the girls. When I first came amongst them I could not turn my back or leave the room, without missing needles, thimbles or anything that we might happen to have on our sewing table. But now I can leave the room, if necessary, for ten or fifteen minutes, and feel satisfied that all will be right on my return. I feel so thankful and encouraged that this text seems appropriate in my case, "Let us not be weary in well-doing, for in due season we shall reap if we faint not."

During the past quarter measles has been quite prevalent in our midst; several have died. Our heavenly Father in His wisdom saw fit that they should pass by us; although we did not take precautions, which we might have taken, fully expecting to have them in the Home. The boys nearly all had them in their Home, which is quite near to ours. However, we think, we are quite clear of them now.

We are sorry to have to report the death of one of our girls, Fannie Wellington, who came into the Home a year ago last November, aged about eighteen years, and who had been ailing for some time, the doctor doing all he could for her. About two weeks before she left the Home, she complained of her heart. Her parents wished to take her home for a time. Wednesday they came for her; she walked down. Thursday, the doctor was in to see her, and discovered the pain she had complained of had developed into pleurisy. Saturday morning she died. The girls all felt very sad, it seemed to come so suddenly. We were reminded of the text, "Be ye also ready, for in such an hour as ye think not, the Son of man cometh."

Under the management of Mrs. Redner, the work in general has been going on quite smoothly. The girls were never looking better, or seeming in better spirits, than at present. Some of the girls are about leaving the Home and going into homes of their own. May they carry an influence for good, which will tell amongst those with whom they will come in contact, is the prayer of, yours sincerely,

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