

launch called by the same name. An orphanage was built at St. Anthony to accommodate fifteen children. A building was also added for teaching loom work and general carpentering and lathe work.

1905—A doctor was appointed at the request of the people on the Canadian Labrador, with headquarters at Harrington, near Cape Whittle, on the north side of the Gulf of St. Lawrence. The first schooners were built at the lumber mill, which is now flourishing and helping to maintain one hundred odd families. Two consulting surgeons from Boston Universities visited us during the summer to help in the work. Through the generosity of Mr. Andrew Carnegie, between thirty and forty small portable libraries were distributed along the coast, containing from 50 to 100 books in each.

1906—Through the help of friends in Montreal and Toronto a new hospital and doctor's house were built at Harrington, and a second kerosene launch, called the *Northern Messenger*, was given for the work there. New dog sledges and teams were also given by the Montreal Weekly *Witness*. Some new buildings were erected at St. Anthony, including some small farm outbuildings, and some land was taken up from the Newfoundland Government with a view to trying to introduce cattle.

1906-07—In connection with the coöperative store at Flowers Cove, an industry of making seal skin boots has sprung up, and 1,500 pairs of boots were exported this summer. Around these small industries it is possible to aggregate women and children in the winter for the purpose of better education. A new wharf, stores for clothing and coal, and a large mission room are being added to Battle Harbor. Seven volunteers have joined the staff:—the lady in charge of the orphanage, an electrical engineer in charge of the general mechanical work, a teacher for night school and library work. The fourth hospital was kept open all last summer by a volunteer doctor from Harvard University and volunteer nurses from England. A teacher in arts and crafts will be in charge of the industrial work at St. Anthony this year. The steam launch *Daryl* was given by the Dutch Reform Union of New York City.