

tank. The present winter has been very wet, and the frosty periods not protracted, so the supply of water has been abundant. Last summer being exceptionally dry, it had to be carried from a distance over rough ground for fully half the time.

I am very well satisfied with the conduct of the girls and progress made, still we can all see where many improvements are to be desired. I believe without a single exception the girls truly love the Home, and are zealous for its reputation and honor.

It occurs to me that I have not told you that Nellie Atanasse, the heroine of the lawsuit, was married in November. Martha Scott, another of our girls, was married shortly before Christmas. Martha is a nice girl, though far too young for marriage according to our ideas, which do not coincide with those of the Indians by any means.

Lizzie Green's and Lizzie Bradley's first babies were baptized the same Sunday, and looked very pretty in nice robes made of their respective mothers' wedding gowns, one of cream cashmere and the other of dotted white muslin.

The New Year has brought to me genuine happiness in my work, I think more than has at any time fallen to my lot. I pray that God may give to the Home such a year of true prosperity as it has never known, and that the girls may be led into close fellowship with Christ, living day by day His life, and doing the will of their Father in heaven

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