

For awhile this spring I had not very many pupils, as many of them were off with their parents hunting. They all returned last week, just as wild as little deer, and want to be continually on the move hunting bird's nests and shooting their arrows, but they are not as wild as they were last spring, and notwithstanding all difficulties, are doing pretty well."

I thought best to send you at once this abstract, as the settling of the Indians on Round Plain will so change the work, or rather the manner of carrying it on. We will hope that those living in the east end will soon join the others. We feel very thankful for the progress that has been made.

You see the Committee formed before I left, of which I told you, are working; Mr. and Mrs. Young are members of it. Mr. and Mrs. Rochester are also taking active interest in the work. I am feeling better and am now visiting some friends in Dundee.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT.

Annual Treats and Distribution of Prizes at Neemuch.

FROM MISS DUNCAN.

Mussoorie, April 18, 1894.

I wish to tell you now about the annual treats and distribution of prizes which were held so recently in the schools and manas of Neemuch. These had not been held at Christmas time, as usual, for several reasons, the chief being that Miss Jamieson's special box, contributed by friends in Quebec, had not yet arrived. We had also decided to put this off so that we might secure the full attendance of the scholars as long as possible before the summer holidays, for some Indian children, you know, are apt to attend only as long as they have an expectation of good things to come.