

At this time there is no bazaar to report on. Owing to the fact that for some reasons the spring bazaar has not been very successful, it was agreed by our Committee to reverse the order of bazaar and sale time. The annual bazaar will, therefore, be held in December, and the Committee trusts that the fancy work then presented, in addition to the usual stocks of underclothing, will meet with more ready sale at this, the holiday season. On account of this change, the churches which so generously help us from year to year will be asked for their collections in the autumn instead of spring.

Our sewing women as usual received Christmas dinners, distributed from "the Rooms." Many poor families were thus provided with a good meal, for which the Committee here desire to thank their kind friends who generously contributed to the same.

The "Home" for aged and infirm at Longue Pointe has been visited during the winter months by members of the Committee and reported on. Early in March a special visit was made by the Committee, and the inmates given a supply of fruit and sweets. All seemed happy and comfortable, much appreciating the good things. The ladies were exceedingly gratified with the

excellent order and good management of everything in connection with this establishment; they feel they cannot be too grateful that such a comfortable home is provided for those whose age and infirmities prevent from supporting themselves. The Committee would strongly advise all who have not visited this beautiful country home to do so, and see for themselves how well these poor and aged ones are cared for under Mr. and Mrs. McMillan's able superintendence.

We regret much to record the loss by death of two of our valued members of Committee, Mrs. Bisset and Mrs. J. C. Baker, both of whom have been for many years connected with the Industrial Rooms.

Most sincere thanks are here extended to the editors of the *Gazette*, the *Herald*, the *Star* and the *Witness* for many kind favors during the past season; to the manager of the Imperial Fire Insurance Co.; also to Messrs. Morton, Phillips & Bulmer for printing, and to each and all who have in any way helped us in our work.

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