

	Over.....	INMATES.
From the Gaol.....		42
Came of their own accord.....		18
		12
		— 72

In all seventy-two persons. These have been disposed of in the following manner:—

	INMATES.
Sent to service.....	24
Sent to other Institutions.....	18
Sent to their friends.....	8
Dismissed.....	4
Died.....	1
Left of their own accord.....	10
Remaining in the Home.....	7
	— 72

In all seventy-two persons.

A few notes from the Journal of the First Directress may not be uninteresting, and will perhaps enable the friends of the Institution to understand the character of our work more fully.

July.—Mrs. F — writes me that A. S. is in the "Home." It seems that, in answer to Mrs. F —'s enquiries, she related the conversation I had with her before leaving town for the summer, giving as a reason for coming to the "Home" that Mrs. B —'s parting words had left her no peace, night or day.

(C. was a bright interesting young girl, in gaol for the first time, and, sad to say, she had never before been personally urged to seek the salvation of her soul. On leaving her I remarked, "you will never again be able to say 'no one has cared for my soul;' I offer you the shelter of the Home and Christian friends to enable you to lead a better life.")

Oct. 16th.—Mr. D — called to obtain permission to place M. S. in the Home. He states that she had been surrounded all her life by the worst influences, her parents having been idle dissolute persons, and their associates of the same class. She is not a fallen girl, but most deplorably ignorant of anything useful, and can neither read nor write. It seems the only occupation of this poor girl has been to take care of an imbecile sister.

Oct. 25th.—Mr. D. — is teaching Mary to read and write. She is improving in every way, but it will require time and much patient teaching to enable her to earn a living for herself.