

Several parties came out during the year, of which the largest were those brought out by Miss Turnbull and Mrs. Sanford. Miss Turnbull made one of her many trips in August, when she arrived with a party of eighteen girls, most of whom were accommodated for the time being, at the Home. These girls were particularly strong and healthy-looking. Mrs. Sanford arrived about the same time, with a party of thirty-eight girls, and as these, too, were housed at the Home, the capacity of the building was taxed to its utmost.

During the coming year, Mrs. Sanford is going over again to the Old Country, and if she can get sufficient fares guaranteed, will bring out a party of girls as soon as emigration opens. On her return she will reside at the Girls' Home of Welcome, and will take full charge.

The Board tender thanks to the Arctic Ice Co., for donating ice for the season ; to the Royal Crown Soap Co., for gifts of soap ; to the Bell Telephone Co., for a donation of \$10 ; to Messrs. Bromley & Co., for a flag for the Home ; and to Dr. Popham, for attendance in necessitous cases.

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NOTE.—We have said nothing in the report about better-class emigration, because up to the present we have found it exceedingly hard to place our "lady-emigrants." We have a hope now, however, that shortly the Government may be induced to start an Agricultural School for women in this Province. If this is so, the English lady will be an eligible student, and after a short period of tuition will start life in this country under much more favorable circumstances than she does at present.—O. L. FOWLER.