

midst in the prime of life, and who was one of their earliest and most earnest labourers. They are touched deeply with the thought that one is missed from their Board who was ever foremost in carrying out its every project—one to whose untiring energy the present prosperity of the Home is in no small measure indebted. We refer to Mrs. McMaster; but He who 'doeth all things well' called her from her labours here to her eternal rest above. And while this, the first call that death has made on this little band of workers, has left behind it sorrowing hearts, may a voice from the grave say to each, in tones most earnest, 'Work while it is yet day, for the night cometh.'

"The year is ended. One more picture, with its lights and shades, is added to the group. Acknowledging the Master's good hand through it all, we place it before our friends. But above all we pray it may not be unworthy the gaze of Him who has so graciously led and blessed the work completed.

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