

after much trouble and disappointment, found means to return to England; 2 were sent to Toronto, and the other has gone to Montreal.

District Visiting has been re-organized and is now carried on faithfully. In the course of their labors, the ladies often meet with cases of poverty and distress, which they report to Miss Latimer, in whose judicious hands a sum of money has been placed for the relief of the most needy and deserving.

Visits are paid by the Committee to Jeffery Hale's Hospital, and are always gladly received by the patients.

The ladies who were engaged in the work of the Magdalen Asylum have never ceased their ministrations on behalf of erring ones, who perhaps longing to escape from a life of sin and degradation, yet find all doors closed against them; and they have been permitted to witness some fruit of their labors in the peaceful end of one who had long been the object of their earnest solicitude.

Cottage meetings were held in the suburbs last summer, and one is held in St. Rochs on Monday afternoon, conducted in part by members of the Association.

The Flower Mission was carried on during the summer, and the Committee are much indebted to the kind friends who supplied them with bouquets for the purpose.

We have had to mourn the loss by death of James Crawford, Esq. He had been a member of the Advisory Committee since its organization, and took a deep interest in all the affairs of the Association.

The annual entertainment to the poor took place last month in the Jeffery Hale School-room, and was attended by over 300, the adults first and the children the next day, the fragments of the feast being afterwards distributed to those who from illness or other causes were unable to be present. Music was rendered by a voluntary choir, and addresses were given by ministers of the different denominations. The cost of these entertainments has always before been entirely defrayed by the members and friends, but this year the receipts were not nearly sufficient to cover the expenses, and the balance had to be taken from the general fund. The event is always eagerly looked forward to by the poor, and their hearty enjoyment and grateful

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