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Hervey Institute. Invaluable service was rendered both on the day itself and for weeks before by the Hervey Institute, the Ladies' Hebrew Benevolent Society, the Victorian Order of Nurses, the Montreal Women's Club, and the ladies of St. Ann's League. Splendid work in the field and before was also done by the Fairmount W. C. T. U., St. Giles and First Presbyterian Churches, the East End Methodist Church, MacVicar Memorial Church, the King's Daughters, the Verdun and Point aux Trembles Presbyterian Churches, St. John's French Presbyterian Church, the Alumnae Society of McGill, the Canadian Handicrafts Guild, the Ladies' Benevolent Society and the Day Nursery. Excellent preparatory work was done by the ladies of St. Paul's Church, the Parks and Playgrounds Association, the Alumnae of the Royal Victoria General Hospital, and by a great many individual helpers. On the day itself several patrols of the Boy Scouts gallantly threw themselves upon unattacked points. It is impossible to mention all the workers, but to each and all the Council offers sincere thanks. The result of "Victoria Charity Day" was that the Council had the pleasure of distributing six thousand one hundred dollars (\$6,100.00) at once among sixteen charitable organizations, as follows:—

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Parks and Playgrounds.....	\$ 1,000.00
Victorian Order of Nurses	600.00
Hervey Institute	600.00
Ladies' Hebrew Benevolent Society.....	600.00
Child Welfare Exhibition	500.00
University Settlement	500.00
Royal Edward Institute.....	500.00
Grace Dart Home	500.00
Day Nursery	300.00
The King's Daughters' Crèche	300.00
Murray Bay Convalescent Home.....	300.00
Ladies' Benevolent Institution	100.00
Canadian Handicrafts Guild	100.00
Protestant Infants' Home.....	100.00
Goodwill Holiday House	100.00

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In addition, one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) was retained for the summer's Pure Milk campaign. You will presently hear in how excellent a manner this, together with a municipal grant of fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500.00) was expended. This grant was asked and obtained from the city by a deputation of Council officers and a representative from the Medico-chirurgical Society.

A public meeting of the Council was held in May, just before Victoria Charity Day.