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REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES.

It is with sincere satisfaction that the Trustees and Managers of the Toronto House of Industry can again present to the public their Annual Report of the operations of that Institution. In all its branches of usefulness, the affairs of this excellent charity continue, with the blessing of Divine Providence, to be carried on and to prosper. The various contributors to its funds need only refer to the Report of the Superintendent, detailing the character of the relief afforded, and the number of poor assisted by the House, together with the Reports of the Medical Officer and the Treasurer, in order to be assured that the disbursements have been made in a most satisfactory manner. The design of the Institution is to afford relief to all who may require it, irrespective of creed or nationality ; and it is gratifying to know that the efforts of the Board have been eminently successful in this respect.

The Trustees and Managers are happy in being able to report that they have received this year an increase of the Government grant, in consideration of the increased demand on their funds, from the large number of Immigrants who naturally come to Toronto as being the capital of Ontario, and who, from a variety of causes, are unable to obtain immediate employment in their respective trades or occupations. Thanks are due to the Government, to the City Council, and the

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