## Halifax Industrial School.

## ANNUAL REPORT.

The President and Directors of The Halifax Protestant Industrial School submit herewith, for the information of subscribers and the general public, their Annual Report for 1898, together with the Financial Statement of the Treasurer, and a list of Cash Subscriptions and other Contributions received during the year.

The number of boys in the Institution at the beginning of the year was thirty-one; received during the year, fifteen, of which four were committed for truancy for terms of four and six months; ten of the former inmates left during the year, owing to expiration of time, leaving thirty-two in the School at the end of the year.

The conduct of the boys during the year was good, with one or two exceptions, and most of them manifested an exemplary interest in their School work, including the instruction imparted to them in the Sunday School. The Day School was conducted by Mr. Gardner, whose excellent qualifications for the work have been referred to in former reports. In connection with the Sunday School the Superintendent was assisted by Mr. Frank D. Morton, Mr. Frank Theakston, and Mr. Wm. A. Hart whose services were much appreciated by the boys. The School Board of the city supplied the School with new desks which are a great improvement on those formerly in use.