The contracts for the building are as follows:	£588 0 0 470 0 0 £1,103 0 0 re has been id	
Bricklayer£588	0	0
Carpenter	0	0
Painting, &c	0	0
£1,103	0	0
Of which there has been		
Already paid	. 0	0
Leaving a balance of£793	0	0
To meet which the Managers have available as follow	78:	
40 Shares Bank of Upper Canada Stock £500	0	0
Premium on same, say, 50	0	0
1 Share Cobourg Harbor 50		0
Temporary investment 100		0
Interest due to July		0
£721	0	0

Thus leaving a deficiency of £72 to meet contracts already made, in addition to which there will be required the further sum of at least £200 for the erection of fences, out-offices, &c. &c. These sums, amounting to £272, the Managers feel there will be no difficulty in collecting, as they are sure that when the Institution and its benefits are fully known among the citizens of Toronto, it will meet with universal sympathy and support. In fact, one difficulty, against which the Managers had to contend, was that the inhabitants of Toronto were not aware even of the existence of such an Institution; for, on reviewing the subscription list returned by the Collector, they see a full proof of this, from the absence of the names of many who always are foremost in every good work and labor of love. In order to meet this difficulty, the Managers determined to hold a Public Evening Meeting in the St. Lawrence Hall. Accordingly they announced a Soirée for the 9th of last month; and though the collection of funds was, on that occasion, but a secondary consideration, yet the large sum realized has helped them very materially in meeting their engagements with the Con-

The very numerous assemblage met on that occasion, the kindly expressions of warm sympathy for the cause of the orphan, and the several handsome donations since received, inspire the Managers with a

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