



REPORT.

IT is with feelings of devout gratitude to Almighty God that we report the seventh year's history of the **TORONTO HOME FOR INCURABLES.**

The most prominent event of the year was the removal of the Institution from the rented house on Bathurst Street to the new and commodious building at Parkdale.

The "Home" at Parkdale was opened on the 13th of December, 1880, by his Honour the Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario, who was accompanied by Mrs. Robinson, a devoted friend of the Charity.

The ceremony was of a very interesting character, and the attendance was so large as to crowd the building in every part, indicating how deeply rooted the "Home" is in the affectionate regard of the people of Toronto.

At the date of the opening we had nineteen inmates, being as many as we could accommodate in the house on Bathurst Street. Since then we have admitted twenty, making the present number thirty-nine—males, sixteen, and females, twenty-three.

Of these, thirty-one are from the City, two from different municipalities in the Province, and six others who, not being residents of Toronto, are paid for by friends living in the towns to which they belong.

The amount charged is only sufficient to cover the bare expense of keeping such patients, if indeed it is enough for that purpose. The present sum is only being tried as an experiment, and we await the result before adopting a permanent scale.