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funds in order to carry on successfully the work which had been so well begun. There was an urgent necessity for an institution of this kind in Toronto as in all great cities. Doctors and clergymen, who knew most about this matter, agreed in saying that such a necessity existed, and though there was a certain amount of clamour against an institution of the kind this was not at all unusual, for clamour and opposition would always assail those who made it their business to come in contact with sin and misery. Some very good people seemed to think that they should have nothing to do with any but Christians and respectable persons, but for his part he should be very sorry if the philanthropic efforts of the Home should cease when they came in contact with those whose antecedents were not quite respectable.

The resolution was adopted.

Rev. R. E. Greene moved, seconded by Mr. Whitt, "That thanks be rendered to the Almighty that the means have been placed in the hands of the managers to carry on a work begun in faith a year ago." Carried.

Professor Wilson, in moving a vote of thanks to his Worship for his kindness in presiding, spoke of the past success of the Home and of its prospects for still greater achievements in the alleviation of misery in the city. Scarcely any position in life could be more trying than that of a respectable woman with helpless infants, widows and others, who were willing and anxious to work, but who found it impossible to get employment. An institution of the kind, that kept unfortunate women from falling, and their children from dying on the streets, enabling them to get into honest employment, was one that should receive support, not only on philanthropic grounds, but because it effected a real saving to the city. They could not allow innocent children to perish on the streets in a Christian land, no matter whether the conduct of their mothers had been proper or improper.

The motion was carried.

The Mayor, in acknowledging the vote, expressed his pleasure at presiding, and his sense of the noble work to which the managers devoted themselves.

The meeting closed with prayer.