

THE SEVENTY-FIRST ANNUAL REPORT OF THE
MONTREAL GENERAL HOSPITAL.

The Seventy-first Annual Meeting of the Corporation of the Montreal General Hospital was held in the Governor's Hall of the Institution, on Tuesday, the 16th of May, 1893—Mr. John Stirling, President, in the chair. The Secretary read the following Report, which was adopted and ordered to be printed for circulation amongst the subscribers :—

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN OF THE CORPORATION OF THE
MONTREAL GENERAL HOSPITAL :

I have the honor to present a brief report of the Receipts and Expenditure of the Hospital and of the proceedings of the Governors during the year which terminated on the 30th of April, 1893.

The ordinary income of the year was	\$53,729 13
The ordinary expenditure was	63,742 36
Showing an excess of expenditure of	<u>\$10,013 23</u>
Comparing the ordinary expenditure of 1892-93	\$63,742 36
With that of 1891-92	55,012 68
The former exceeds the latter by.	<u>\$8,729 68</u>

An analysis of the year's outlay shows that the chief items in which there has been an increased disbursement have been the following: Provisions and groceries, \$927.68; drugs and medicines, \$1,636.77; surgical instruments, \$735.13 (provided for by a special fund); dry goods and bedding, \$947.52; printing, stationery, etc., \$390.80; fuel, \$2,431.52; lighting, \$276.98; salaries and wages, \$2,428.27. There has been diminished expenditure in the following items: wines and liquors, \$195.31; insurance, \$157.60; repairs, \$432.33; furniture, \$327.30; law charges, \$145.90.

Comparing the ordinary income of 1892-93....	\$53,729 13
With that of 1891-92	50,469 84
The former exceeds the latter by	<u>\$3,259 29</u>