

Second. It appeared in evidence during the investigation of the committee, that certain of the commissioners had for several years been acquainted with some of the acts now charged against Mr. Clark, and the committee cannot but regret that these acts were not at the time brought before the Commissioners of the Hospital for action.

[*Third.* This section has not been adopted, having been ordered to lie on the table.]

Fourth. In view of the large number of non-paying patients treated in the Hospital who come from all parts of the Province outside of this city and county, the committee are strongly of opinion that the annual grant from the Government should be increased, and they recommend that the Council should join with the Commissioners in a renewed application to the Government to increase the same.

Fifth. The committee submit herewith a record of their proceedings, and of the evidence taken before them, as published in the columns of *The Sun*.

Sixth. In conclusion the committee beg to say that, during this investigation, and the visits of the committee to the Hospital in connection therewith, they have had the hearty co-operation of the President and all the Commissioners; have been readily and frankly afforded full information upon all matters of inquiry, and given every opportunity to examine for themselves the Hospital buildings, the officials employed, and the patients under treatment.

The committee recommend that a copy of this report be forwarded to the Commissioners.

Respectfully submitted,

Signed by	THOMAS W. PETERS,	J. MCLEOD,
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	JOHN A. CHESLEY,	JOHN B. M. BAXTER,
	R. O'BRIEN.	H. W. FRITH, Secretary.

St. John, January 16, 1894.

On the 16th of January, 1894, G. R. Vincent, Esq., offered the following resolution regarding Dr. Bayard's resignation :

Whereas, Wm. Bayard, Esq., M. D., was in July, 1860, appointed a Commissioner of the General Public Hospital, and was