FIFTY-SIXTH ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

QUEBEC FEMALE COMPASSIONATE SOCIETY

FOR THE YEAR NOW ENDING

1878

In conformity with the rules of the Society, the Ladies of the committee of management have the honor to submit to the subscribers their report for the year just ended.

The Ladies of the committee are happy to state that, thanks to the generous aid of the subscribers, they have been able to give assistance to 74 applicants.

As in past years, this assistance has been rendered in the shape of medical aid, food, linen, garments, fuel, &c., &c.

Women relieved	74
Bread tickets	82
Meat tickets	87
Loads of wood	75
Tickets for grocery.	02
Medical attendance tickets	72

The extreme misery which exists in our midst from the almost total want of work among the laboring classes, has increased the number of applicants for assistance.

In presence of this poverty and privation, the Ladies of the committee of management invite all charitable persons to assist them, not only by their annual subscription, but moreover by inducing their friends who do not belong to the Sociey, to join in this good work, and contribute by their zealous endeavours to keep up a Society, which has now been in existence for more than half a century.

The whole respectfully submitted.

By order,

M J. C. CANNON, Secretary Q. F. C. S.