

residence for the Superintendent, officers, etc, is much needed in order the more efficiently to carry on the work. We trust that the liberality that has characterized this work since it had its beginning may still be shown and that the board may be placed in a position to at once begin this work.

In anticipation of benefactions likely to be received from men and women, who recognize that wealth is a trust, the board have incurred a debt of about \$40,000. This debt they confidently hope and trust will be liquidated by the generosity of donors and testators of the City of Toronto and the Province of Ontario.

The recommendations of the Provincial Board of Health regarding the sanitary condition of the Victoria Industrial School, have been adopted by your board and will be carried into effect as soon as practicable.

We cannot close this report without recognizing the faithfulness of the superintendents, officers and teachers of the schools, Especially would we mention the valued attention of Drs. Cotton and Godfrey whose duties owing to the outbreak of Diphtheria were especially heavy and trying during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

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