

The Halifax Visiting Dispensary.

REPORTS FOR THE YEAR 1894.

The annual meeting of the above corporation was held at their building, South Brunswick St., on Monday, January 14th, 1895, at 4 p. m. The President, W. C. Silver, Esq., in the chair. The following reports were severally read and adopted:

DIRECTORS' REPORT.

With the entrance upon another year of the Dispensary's existence the Directors have to fulfill their annual duty of stating its past operations and present position. In doing this they desire, while grateful to Divine Providence for the success achieved in 1894, also to thank the supporters of the institution, whose material aid has enabled them to effect all its benevolent purposes.

A YEARLY REPORT NECESSARY.

As, however, this Charity is partially assisted in that respect by money grants from the Government and the City, it is proper that the board should afford such information as will testify to the public that the different objects for which the Dispensary was reorganized several years ago are being regularly fulfilled, and in such a manner as to commend it to the good will and financial aid of all who feel an interest in the sick poor of the city and vicinity. This is a very numerous class, whose numbers increase with the growth of our population. But the Active Medical Staff are daily (it might be said hourly) attending to the relief and comfort of these people at their own homes, as well as at the building on South Brunswick Street. Any one who has leisure and inclination can easily verify this fact.

FULFILLING ITS SPECIALTIES.

The Directors therefore have pleasure in repeating the assurances of former years, that all applicants entitled to the benefits of the institution, as well as the transients in distress, have been carefully and faithfully treated by the members of the Active Medical Staff, whose practical statistics are hereto appended. A glance at their summary of work in its several departments will afford sufficient evidence of the continued usefulness and beneficence of this charity, and dictate the necessity of sustaining it liberally.