

GENERAL INTELLIGENCE.

HOUSE OF INDUSTRY,

Elm-street.

This praiseworthy and well conducted institution was established for the relief of the unfortunate but deserving indigent poor, and is supported partly by an annual parliamentary grant, and partly by voluntary contributions; it is managed by a superintendent, under the direction of a committee of gentlemen, who are annually chosen at a public meeting of the inhabitants. The building, which has recently been erected at an expense of nearly eighteen hundred pounds, has a frontage of 44 feet, by one hundred in depth, and is capable of affording accommodation to from 60 to 80 persons; the usual number, however, within it is about 20 or 40.

A school has been formed in the house, under the charge of a respectable aged female, one of the inmates, by which means the children are kept in good order and taught their duty, and are prevented from growing up in ignorance and idleness.

Dr. Hodder gives his medical attendance free, and it is visited by the clergymen of the city.

The honorary officers of the institution are, William Westmacott, Esq., *Secretary*.
Edward H. Rutherford, Esq., *Treasurer*.

Edward Perry, *Resident Superintendent*.

FEMALE EMIGRATION SOCIETY.

This is a Society recently formed in England, of which the Right Hon. Sidney Herbert is the President—having for its object the sending to Upper Canada a certain number of domestic female servants of good character.

In order to co-operate with the Society in England the following Committees have been formed in Toronto, who have already entered into arrangements by which a proper place of reception may be had, provided a moderate sum be raised to meet the cost of furniture and other necessary expenses.

Committee of Gentlemen—The Hon'bles Chancellor Blake, Mr. Justice McLean, Mr. Justice Draper, R. Baldwin, P. B. DeBlaquiere and S. B. Harrison; His Worship the Mayor; Rev. James Beaven, D.D., Rev. H. J. Grasett, M. A., Rev. S. Lett, L. L.D.; John Arnold, James S. Howard, E. M. Hodder, M. C., J. H. Hagarty, Lewis Moffatt, G. W. Allan, and Thomas Champion, Esqrs.; Capt. Crease, R. N., Dr. Hayes.

Committee of Ladies—Mistresses Arnold, Beaven, Blake, DeBlaquiere, H. Boulton, W. Boulton, Crease, Dixon, Draper, Grasett, Gurnett, T. D. Harris, E. G. O'Brien, J. B. Robinson, J. L. Robinson, James Strachan, Widder, Willis.

Honorary Secretary and Treasurer—J. W. Brent, Esq.
Donations will be received by any of the members of the Committee, or by the Secretary and Treasurer.

THE CATHOLIC ORPHAN ASYLUM.

Richmond-street.

This institution was established in 1849, for the purpose of affording shelter, maintenance and protection to destitute orphans, half-orphans, and children whose parents, from sickness or infirmity, are unable to support them.

This establishment is entirely dependent on the contributions of the charitable, it being for the most part supported out of the offertory collection at St. Michael's Cathedral; assisted by an occasional collection of private donations.

It is under the management of a Committee of Ladies.

Daily Visitors—The Rev. Mr. Harkin, the Hon. J. Elmsley and Dr. Hayes.

TEMPERANCE REFORMATION SOCIETY OF THE CITY OF TORONTO.

President—Rev. John Roaf.

Vice-Presidents—Revs. J. Richardson, A. Lillie, and R. Burns, D.D.; Peter Freeland, J. S. Howard, A. T. McCord, A. Christie, Esqs.

Secretaries—Dr. J. H. Richardson, Corresponding Secretary;
J. McNab, Esq., Recording Secretary.

Treasurer—Robert H. Brett, Esq.

Committee.—Messrs. B. Wightman, J. Rowell, J. Withrow, J. White, F. W. Anderson, A. McGlashan, J. Wightman, E. F. Whittemore, Joseph Lesslie, T. Ewart, J. M. Ross, J. McBean, M. Willoughby, J. Henning

NOTE.—All Clergymen residing in the city, who are members of the Society, are members of the Committee *ex officio*.