REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON VISITATION AND OUT-DOOR RELIEF.

The number of families relieved between November, 1889, and April, 1890, has been 1459, as compared with 1280 for the corresponding period in 1888-9. This increase may be partly attributed to the growth of the city, but it is accounted for to a considerable extent by the extraordinary prevalence of the epidemic which, in many cases, laid aside the bread-winner for weeks.

The work of distributing bread to applicants for relief residing to the east of Sherbourne street, has been attended to by Mr. J. Simpson, and, to those residing to the west of Spadina avenue, by Mr. G. Wiley, in both cases to the entire satisfaction of the Committee.

A conference of Visitors was held on the 14th of April, at which notes were compared as to the work of the past season. Some of the larger districts have been divided during the past year, so that there are now forty-four districts assigned to Visitors. The list of Visitors is hereto appended.

Respectfully submitted,

D. J. MACDONNELL,

Chairman.

Toronto, 15th April, 1890.

THE MEDICAL OFFICERS REPORT, 1890.

Since my last report in April, 1888, a period of two years, there have been twenty-two deaths in the House; sixteen men and six women, but there was nothing in any case that requires special mention, as all were of the characters invariably met with in Institutions of this kind.

Two were between the ages of 30 and 50 years.

Eight	- 66		"	60	"	70	44
Eight	"	"	"	70	"	80	"
Two	"	"	"	80	"	90	"
Two	"	66	"	90	"	100	"

Respectfully,

UZZIEL OGDEN,

Surgeon.