

of a man's two fingers, they cannot bat feel a pang of sorrow for him. Harry is a solemn boy. It is a condescension on his part to favor the visitor with a smile, but with his large, bright eyes he slowly follows every movement that is made in the room.

Feb. 14th.—From St. Andrew's Sunday School, \$18; also a letter containing \$12 from a "Sympathiser," Brockville. Often in our extreme need has our God sent us relief from this unknown friend.

Feb. 15th.—Willie L. returned after an absence of seven months, much worse.

Feb. 16th.—A letter received from Alexander S., asking for information regarding the appropriation of moneys sent by children.

We might here state that there is a particular arrangement for the placing of children's money. There is a "Cot" known as "the Children's Cot," to which the moneys of all children are placed, save those requested to be put to the "Endowment Cot," for which a fund is to be banked till \$1,700 is accumulated, when the interest from this capital will keep the "Cot" always paid for. Mr. Justice Paterson is the trustee for this fund. There was at the close of 1881, \$100.65 in hand for this purpose.

Feb. 17th.—To-day \$100 was handed in for the *Building Fund*.

Feb. 18th.—Receipts this week, \$107.

Feb. 19th.—From Alexander S., \$10, part for "the Children's Cot," part to be used towards the purchase of a water-bed for Janie; also an invalid carriage from Miss Jessie P., (herself for many years an invalid), "wishing it may prove a comfort to the little ones."

Feb. 28th.—Alice B., 13 years old, came in very weak, but only requiring food and care. \$25 for "Violet Cot"; also a *water-bed for Janie*, from Miss R., of Government House, and friends. "Thou art the God that doeth wonders; Thou hast declared thy strength among the people."—Psalm lxxvii., 14.

Receipts for this month, \$370.55. Patients, 28.

MARCH.

March 9th.—For the "Rolleston Cot," \$45. Sarah L. came in to-day with deformed legs.

The following letter received :—

OFFICE OF THE INSPECTOR OF PRISONS AND PUBLIC
CHARITIES, ONT.,

Parliament Buildings, Toronto, 8th March, 1881.

MADAM,—Knowing that the Managers of the Hospital for Sick Children have adopted the principle of not soliciting contributions towards the funds of that Institution, I, in lieu of waiting for any