THE TWENTY-THIRD ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE MANAGERS OF

The Protestant Orphans' Home and FEMALE AID SOCIETY.

IN presenting their Twenty-third Annual Report, the Lady Managers of the Protestant Orphans' Home beg to return thanks to Almighty God for the many gracious benefits the Institution has received at His hands during the past year.

Since the last Annual Meeting the number of inmates in the "Home" has reached 106, of whom six have been apprenticed, 24 taken by their friends, and 40 have been admitted. The number of inmates in the "Home" at present is 93.

During the past year the benevolent objects, for which the "Home" was founded, have been most abundantly furthered, and the ladies have great pleasure in reporting its continued prosperity and the uninterrupted advancement of its interests. Many of the boys and girls who have left the Institution are succeeding well in life, and evidences are regularly being received that much of this success is attributable to the habits of industry formed during their residence at the "Home," and the useful and religious knowledge there imparted to them. The children have been blessed with unusually good health during the year, and it is a matter for deep thankfulness that the "Home" has been visited by no serious illness.

The Managers acknowledge, with grateful thanks, the receipt of a cheque for \$600, being a bequest to the "Home" from the

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