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ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

INFANTS' HOME,

678 YONGE ST.

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Infants' Home.

Patrons.

Their Excellencies The Earl and Countess of DUFFERIN.
His Honor the Lieutenant Governor of Ontario.

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" J. W. YOUNG.
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INFANTS' HOME.

First Annual Meeting.

The first annual meeting of the Infants' Home was held in Shaftesbury Hall on Saturday afternoon, November 4th, 1876, his Worship the Mayor presiding by request. Among those present were Prof. Wilson, Rev. Rural Dean Givens, Dr. Fenton Cameron, Mr. Kivas Tully, Mr. H. Moody, Rev. R. E. Greene, Mr. Whitt, and a large number of ladies who are directors of the institution, or interested in its management.

The meeting was opened with prayer, after which Prof. Wilson, on behalf of the Secretary, Mrs. J. D. Edgar, read the First Annual Report.

The reports of the Treasurer, Mrs. Marlatte, and of Mrs. Howland, Treasurer of Building Fund, were read by Mr. Moody.

Rev. Rural Dean Givens moved the adoption of the several reports, seconded by Prof. Wilson. The mover expressed his thorough sympathy with the objects of the institution. In his experience as a parish minister in Toronto, for twenty years, he had been often asked to baptize, when they were on the point of death, just the unfortunate class of children that the Infants' Home was now taking in its charge. He had often been pained at the suffering which was apparent among these innocents, and which might have been greatly relieved with anything like proper care. He would not enter into the question of the parentage of some of these children. Some of them might perhaps be the offspring of sin and shame, but true philanthropists could turn aside from the sufferings of even that class of children. He was very familiar with the working of the "Home," and could

vouch for the admirable manner in which it was managed. He hoped it would be a still greater success than ever. There had been, at first, a great deal of prejudice against the institution; in many the result of ignorance regarding its objects. Many people said that it would tend to encourage vice, but he was happy to say that the large majority of children in the Home were born of respectable but unfortunate parents.

The motion was adopted.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

On motion of Rev. Mr. Givens, seconded by Prof. Wilson, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:--Patrons, Their Excellencies, the Earl and Countess of Dufferin, His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario, Hon. W. P. Howland, Mrs. Howland, Hon. D. L. Macpherson, Mrs. Macpherson; President, Mrs. John Ridout; Vice-President, Mrs. Fenton Cameron; Secretary, Mrs. J. D. Edgar; Treasurer, Mrs. Marlatte; Treasurer of the Building Fund, Mrs. Howland; Managers, Mesdames Homer Dixon, Grantham, T. Hodgins, Harrisn, Moody, C. Morrison, Muttleberry, Wilkes, Kingsmill, Nordheimer, C. Parsons, Perram, Roaf, Tully, Whitt, Young; Advisory Board, Hon. W. P. Howland, and H. Moody, Esq.; Medical Officer, Dr. Fenton Cameron; Matron, Mrs. Robinson.

Mr. Tully moved, "That whereas there has been hitherto no place where destitute infant children could be properly nursed and cared for, the Infants' Home should receive the cordial support of the public, and the managers should be encouraged in their humane work for the preservation of infant lives." He expressed a hope that the managers of the institution, which was doing so good a work, would soon be in possession of a building which would enable them to still further widen their efforts. The fact that the rate of mortality had been reduced about one-fourth since the removal into the present building, showed how important it was to have a proper edifice. He had no doubt that when the proper time came some of the city architects, considering the charitable nature of the Home, would furnish gratis the plans for such a building as would be required.

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He hoped first, a great of ignorance to encourage children in the funds in order to carry on successfully the work which had been so well begun. There was an urgent necessity for an institution of this kind in Toronto as in all great cities. Doctors and clergymen, who knew most about this matter, agreed in saying that such a necessity existed, and though there was a certain amount of clamour against an institution of the kind this was not at all unusual, for clamour and opposition would always assail those who made it their business to come in contact with sin and misery. Some very good people seemed to think that they should have nothing to do with any but Christians and respectable persons, but for his part he should be very sorry if the philanthropic efforts of the Home should cease when they came in contact with those whose antecedents were not quite respectable.

The resolution was adopted.

Rev. R. E. Greene moved, seconded by Mr. Whitt, "That thanks be rendered to the Almighty that the means have been placed in the hands of the managers to carry on a work begun in faith a year ago." Carried.

Professor Wilson, in moving a vote of thanks to his Worship for his kindness in presiding, spoke of the past success of the Home and of its prospects for still greater achievements in the alleviation of misery in the city. Scarcely any position in life could be more trying than that of a respectable woman with helpless infants, widows and others, who were willing and anxious to work, but who found it impossible to get employment. An institution of the kind, that kept unfortunate women from falling, and their children from dying on the streets, enabling them to get into honest employment, was one that should receive support, not only on philanthropic grounds, but because it effected a real saving to the city. They could not allow innocent children to perish on the streets in a Christian land, no matter whether the conduct of their mothers had been proper or improper.

The motion was carried.

The Mayor, in acknowledging the vote, expressed his pleasure at presiding, and his sense of the noble work to which the managers devoted themselves.

The meeting closed with prayer.

THIRD ANNUAL REPORT.

READ BY PROFESSOR WILSON.

The Committee at the Infants' Home, 678 Yonge Street, in presenting to the public their FIRST ANNUAL REPORT, feel that it would be of general interest to give a brief history of the origin and object of the Institution.

It was organised by a few ladies, who perceived its necessity, in the summer of 1875, and opened, in a rented house, No. 11 Car Howell Street, on 1st of September of that year.

The original object of the Institution was—

1st.—The care of the children of wet nurses.
2nd.—The care of orphans or motherless children under two years of age.

3rd.—To prevent the system of baby farming.

It was no light task the ladies who originated this Institution had undertaken. The difficult problem of saving infant life was before them. They knew the doors of every charitable institution in the city were closed to children of so tender an age.

They knew there were many infants born in circumstances of great destitution; and that there was an amount of suffering among this helpless class, little thought of by the general public.

There was no place where a wet nurse, or woman obliged to earn her daily bread, could place her infant child with any chance of its living. Rarely, if ever, was the wet nurse's child saved; it was a sacrifice to the nursing; and the lack of effort to save these lives was a reproach to a Christian community.

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The work was begun under great disadvantages and discouragements, and the Committee, then a very small one, scarcely knew the task they were undertaking.

Wan, pinched children were brought to the Home in numbers, some half dead from the baby farms of the city, others suffering from the want and privation of their mothers.

The house taken proved very unsuitable, owing to want of room, of proper ventilation, and of separate laundry.

The medical men visiting the establishment, Drs: Fenton Cameron and Oliphant, recommended a move as soon as possible, and in April the move was made to the present more airy quarters, 678 Yonge Street.

The larger number of rooms enabled the Committee to admit more mothers as nurses, and the success of the last few months has proved to the Committee, the true way of saving the life of the child, is to open the doors of the Home to the mother, and allow her to nurse her babe in the first helpless months of its infancy.

The rule of the Institution is, that each mother admitted shall remain four months, and in return for the board and lodging of herself and child, shall nurse one other besides her own, and shall take care of as many others as the matron shall direct.

At the end of four months, when her child is of an age to be left with safety, a situation is found for her. In many cases situations have been found for the mothers with their children. Widows with their infants have been received and cared for—in some cases orphans and also motherless children, whose fathers, working men in poor circumstances, pay the small sum required for their board.

The managers believe that this Institution has been the means of saving many lives, and that the Infants' Home is better prepared than any other known institution to administer, through its managers, aid and comfort to the helpless infant and the destitute mother.

The Register shows—

Admissions of infants for year ending 1st October 1876..	160
Deaths during that time	71
Making the percentage of deaths a fraction over 44 per cent.	

The mortality during the first few months was high, owing to causes mentioned above. The great improvement that has taken place during the last four months is shown by the following figures:—

In Home 1st June.....	27
Admitted from 1st June to 1st October	43
	70
Total.....	70
Deaths during this time ..	11

The percentage of deaths has decreased to a fraction over 15 per cent.

The public must bear in mind that in the best of circumstances, the mortality of infants under one year is very high, and the class admitted have not as good average health as those born in better circumstances.

Still much may be done by good care and nursing. In New York the "Nursery" that has been open there for twenty years, reports that they have reduced infant mortality from 86 per cent. to 12—This rate includes children up to four years of age. There they have the benefit of long experience, and unlimited funds.

In Halifax, an Infants' Home has been in operation for two years, and gives a cheering report of good accomplished. The mortality there was 33 per cent. last year. They admitted mothers, as nurses, from the first.

During the past hot summer in Toronto, the number of deaths has been but few, considering the large number of young children in the Institution. In the course of the year, measles, chicken-pox and whooping-cough have visited the establishment, but the nursery of little ones over a year old, safely passed through the epidemics, and are now, with one exception, as healthy and happy as babies could wish to be.

Many are now beginning to walk, and some of the little toddlers will soon be of an age to be removed to other Homes, to make room for younger ones. *Many* children have been adopted this summer, and there are several others for whom, it is to be hoped, happy homes will be found during the winter.

The following letters will show in some degree the work that is being carried on.

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The first is from a widower, whose boy is still in the Home, a boarder,
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I am a widower and without relations in this country, my late wife was also similarly circumstanced, at her death I was left with three young children, the eldest not quite three years old, the youngest eight months. Well, I did not like parting with my little ones, so at my wife's death, I engaged rooms, the woman of the house undertaking the care of my children. For some time, things went well, but after about four months, I found that the children were being neglected, and baby, who had never been strong, wore away to a perfect skeleton. Under these circumstances, I was recommended to procure admission for my children to the Girl's Home, finally I came to the conclusion to try and procure their admission into the Institution, which I was successful in doing, but the medical attendant would not recommend the baby's admittance. I then applied to the Lady President of the Infants' Home, and baby was kindly admitted.

It had then only been open a few days, well from his admission, though for some time at the point of death, I visited him daily, expecting his death at each visit. By kindness, careful nursing, and good nourishment, coupled with perfect cleanliness, my poor baby is now in perfect health and strength, and as hearty looking as you could wish to see.

To the care of those ladies who are in charge of the Institution, this is due, and I take this opportunity of expressing my obligations and hoping for its continuance and success, I subscribe myself,

Very humbly grateful,

G. F.

This from one who has adopted one of the little ones—Minnie—who was one of the first babies admitted to the Home.

Dear A.—

You ought to see Minnie, she is getting real fat, we think she will soon walk, she can go all round the house by chairs. I wish I could fetch her up some morning, and let Mrs. B— see how nice she is looking. I am in a hurry to see M.—, to see which is the nicest, *our* baby or her baby.

There are other letters that might be quoted, showing what happy homes these little rescued ones have found.

The Committee of Management express their hearty thanks to those who have so generously aided the good work, the past year, by donations both in money and goods.

They trust that in the year just beginning, means may be placed in their hands, which will enable them to carry out many needed improvements.

The Managers, while thanking the Ontario Government for its appropriation of \$150 last session, and the Municipal Council for its vote of \$250, trust that this year, on account of the extended nature of the work, that a much larger sum may be granted.

Attention is drawn to the fact that the Institution is non-sectarian, and that though the larger proportion of its inmates are from Toronto and its suburbs, that its benefits are extended to destitute children from all parts of the Province.

Fifty-nine mothers with their infants have been sheltered during the year, making a total of 219 who have been cared for since the Home was opened a year ago.* This Institution is not calculated to encourage pauperism, as the mothers received, are kept only for a limited time, while inmates, have to work without wages in kitchen, laundry or nursery, and then required to earn their own living, and pay in part for the support of their children.

Thanks are especially due to Dr. Fenton Cameron, who, for a year, has daily visited the Home every alternate week, assisted at first by Dr. Oliphant, and then by Dr. Jenny Trout; they have done all in their power to promote the health of the children, and to alleviate the sufferings of the hopeless cases.

The Managers are very grateful to Miss White and Miss Greig, who have each Monday worked at the Home for the little ones. Miss White has kindly brought her sewing machine, and many little garments have been made by her kind hands. It is to be hoped, that during the winter, others may follow their good example, and join the Committee of Work.

* The receipts have been \$2558.15; the expenditure \$2551.44. See Treasurer's report

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Attention is drawn to the report of the Building Fund, which is being collected, in preparation for the building or purchase of a suitable permanent establishment for this most needed charity.

Any willing to contribute to this, are requested to send in their names to Mrs. Howland, Shrewsbury Lodge, Simcoe Street, Treasurer Building Fund.

Imperfect as the work has been the past year, the Managers feel that much good has been done, and that much more may be yet accomplished by the earnest efforts of the ladies interested, and the hearty co-operation of the public.

Care and attention will be expended to render the system as perfect as possible, deeming it a Christian duty to care for these "children, whose feebleness and misfortune makes them worthy of compassion, and whose preservation is an advantage, because they may be useful in their country's service."

M. EDGAR,
Secretary.

MEDICAL REPORT OF THE INFANT'S HOME.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,—

During the year ending on the 1st of October, 1876, that this institution has been in existence, 160 infants have been admitted, of whom 71 died, making the number of deaths a fraction over 44 per cent. Sixty of these deaths occurred during the first eight months. Since the 1st of June at which date there were 27 infants in the Home, with 43 admissions from that date up to the 1st of October, making a total of 70, there were only 11 deaths, showing a great reduction in the rate of mortality.

During the first 8 months of the existence of the Infant's Home, it was carried on in No. 11 Caer Howell Street. This house was not well suited for the rearing of delicate infants, although it was the best that could be obtained at the time. It had no washing house, and having a basement story, the effluvia from the washing of the infant's clothing permeated all the upper stories, and notwithstanding the constant use of disinfectants was very distinctly injurious.

Then it was cold and draughty, and as from deficiency of funds, but very poor stoves could be purchased, it could not, during the winter months, be properly warmed. This also told upon the health of the children, and increased the mortality. Since, however, the removal to the present home in Yonge Street, the death rate has largely diminished, and will, I trust, continue to do so.

One of the principal causes of death has been wasting, pure and simple washing, the subjects of it getting weaker day by day, notwithstanding all care and watchfulness, and dying without any antecedent convulsion, or any other form of disease.

In some cases the state of matters was brought about by congenita delicacy of constitution, generally the result of scrofula, but in others we have reason to believe it was produced by the administration of hurtful drugs previous to admission.

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There were at first also many cases of death from persistent vomiting and diarrhoea. So persistent were these, that Dr. Oliphant, who at that time divided the medical superintendence of the Home with me, as well as myself, suspected arsenical poisoning. Careful analysis, however, proved that such was not the case, and examination of one of the bodies showed that scrofulous degeneration of the glands of the intestines was the cause of the fatal results. Since the removal of the home, however, to Yonge Street, where the wash-house is separated from the main building, this type of disease has wholly ceased in the endemic form, and though isolated cases have now and then occurred, they have been easily controlled. Another cause of the reduced mortality, is that more mothers have been admitted as nurses, and the young infants have had the nourishment intended for them by nature.

I may mention, that during the summer, the then epidemic Whooping-cough invaded the Home, and affected almost all the children. All recovered, however, in a wonderfully short time, and by refusing all fresh admissions for a few weeks, the disease was got rid of.

The children are now in a satisfactory condition and it is to be hoped that with great care and attention, more satisfactory results in the saving of life may yet be arrived at.

G. FENTON CAMERON, M.D., Edin.

Balance Sheet for the Year ending 30th September, 1876.

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To Subscriptions	\$1066 78
" Children's Fees	661 35
" Grant from Ontario Government	150 00
" Sale of Fancy Articles at 'Home'	23 65
" Bazaar at Mrs. Hodgins. ....\$179 45	
" Conversazione	133 09
" Concert at St George's School House	55 20
" Entertainment given by Mrs. Harrison, Foxley Grove.	20 00
" Mrs. Morrison's Matinee.	36 10
" Concert by Knights of Pythias	32 85
" Tableaux in Yorkville Hall.	36 98
" Lakefield Penny Readings.	12 00
" Interest	505 65
" Borrowed	10 72
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By Rent and Water Rate	\$ 153 66
" Wages and Matron's Salary	211 11
" Clothing for Inmates	70 22
" Furnishing	339 65
" Repairs	79 17
" House expenses	1176 50
" Fuel	267 65
" Cow	44 00
" Undertaker	132 00
" Postage, Stationery and Advertising	77 48
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By balance cash in hand	\$2551 44
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Hon. W. P. Howland		\$100 00
Messrs. Hay & Co.,		200 100 00
John Macdonald		100 00
Hon. D. L. Macpherson		50 00
W. H. Howland		50 00
Jas. Michie	\$ 50 00	
S. Nordheimer		50 00
John Gillespie	50 00	
Gooderham & Worts	50 00	
Robert A. Harrison	25 00	
Joseph Robinson		25 00
John H. Hagarty	25 00	
J. F. Lash		25 00
John Kay		25 00
W. Gooderham, Jun.	25 00	
His Honour, Lieutenant-Governor Macdonald.	25 00	
W. A. Murray & Co.	25 00	
W. Arthurs & Co.		25 00
Jas. Shields & Co.	25 00	
Homer Dixon		25 00
Jas. E. Ellis & Co.		20 00
Mrs. D. Blain	20 00	
G. W. Yarker		20 00
Smith & Keighly		20 00
W. Ramsay & Co.		20 00
P. Hughes	20 00	
E. H. Rutherford		20 00
Jas. & Philip Browne	20 00	
A. T. Fulton	20 00	
J. G. Macdonald	20 00	
Fred. W. Jarvis	20 00	

P. Howland.....		20 00
Wm. B. Hamiltan.....	10 00	
E. Hooper & Co.....	10 00	
Ridout & Co.....	20 00	
H. Graham & Co.....	10 00	
J. C. Fitch.....		10 00
Jas. Brayley & Co.....	10 00	
Alex. Boyd, "Hodgson & Boyd.".....	10 00	
S. Risley.....		10 00
T. H. Butt.....		10 00
F. Taylor.....	5 00	
Isaac A. Gilmore.....	5 00	
Joseph Hilliard.....	5 00	
Ewing & Co.....	5 00	
Walker McKenzie.....	4 00	
A. McLean Howard.....	5 00	
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Total.....		\$1,334 00

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Treasurer Building Fund.

THE TREASURER IN ACCOUNT WITH THE BUILDING FUND OF
THE INFANTS' HOME.

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To Cash received to date from subscribers\$509 00

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By Bank of Toronto, deposited.....\$357 00

" Balance on hand\$152 00

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Mr. W. Art
Mr. James
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Mr. Keunet
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Miss Wilkin
Mrs. Thomp
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Mrs. Homer Dixon.....	20 00
Mrs. Howard.....	20 00
Mrs. Nordheimer.....	20 00
Mrs. Howland.....	20 00
Mr. S. Platt.....	25 00
Mrs. Thompson.....	50 00
Mrs. Alcorn.....	11 00
Mrs. D. Blain.....	10 00
Mrs. Howland.....	10 00
Mr. B. Wilkes.....	10 00
Mr. W. Arthurs.....	10 00
Mr. James Michie.....	10 00
Mr. Myles.....	10 00
Mr. Kenneth McKenzie.....	10 00
A Friend.....	10 00
Dr. Fenton Cameron.....	10 00
Professor Wright.....	10 00
Miss Wilkins.....	5 00
Mrs. Thompson.....	5 00
Mrs. T. H. Lee.....	5 00
Mrs. S. G. Wood.....	5 00
Mrs. Scobie.....	5 50
Mrs. S. Heward.....	5 00
Mrs. Moodie.....	5 00
Mrs. Homer Dixon.....	5 00
Mrs. Perram.....	5 00
Mrs. J. Leslie.....	5 00
Mrs. Van Kirk's Bible-class.....	5 00
Mr. Brodin.....	5 00
Mr. J. F. Vickers.....	5 00
Mr. Moore.....	5 00
Mr. Alex. Cameron.....	5 00
D. H. W.....	5 00
Mr. Rignold.....	5 00
Dr. Veton.....	5 00
Mrs. Smith.....	2 00
Mrs. Strachan.....	1 50
A friend.....	1 50
Mrs. Jeffrey.....	1 00
Hodgson and Boyd.....	1 00
Miss Betty.....	1 00
Miss Bell.....	2 00
Mrs. Williamson.....	1 00

Mrs. McCaul.....	1 00
Thos. Woodhouse.....	2 00
S. Cram.....	1 05
J. Cohen.....	0 25
A friend.....	0 25
Miss Boyd.....	0 25
F. E. Plumpsoll.....	0 20
A friend.....	0 10
Mrs. Boyd.....	0 10
Luke Sharp.....	0 25
W. B.....	0 20
J. Mulday.....	0 55
A friend.....	0 20
Mr. Rose.....	2 00
Miller & Co.....	1 00
Mr. Wilcock.....	1 00
Mr. Arnot.....	1 00
Mr. Fulton.....	2 00
Mr. Wey.....	1 00
Mrs. Strathem.....	0 50
S. G. Taplin & Co.....	2 05
Mr. Brinstin.....	0 20
Mr. Warwick.....	1 00
Mr. Donaldson.....	1 00
Cash.....	1 00
Mr. Green, money found.....	2 00
Mrs. Oaler (York Mills).....	1 00
Miss Davidson.....	2 50
Mrs. Tully.....	2 00
Mrs. Maclean.....	1 00
Mrs. Fitzsimmons.....	1 55
Mr. Frenderghast.....	0 20
Mrs. Coleman.....	2 80
Mrs. Taylor.....	0 50
Mrs. C. Lindsay.....	2 00
Mrs. S. Howard.....	2 00
Mrs. Edgar.....	50
Mrs. J. Leslie.....	1 00
Mrs. McCabe.....	2 00
A friend.....	50
Lady's School.....	1 00
Anonymous.....	1 80
Mrs. A. A. Strachan.....	2 00
Mr. & Mrs. Ridout.....	2 00
A friend.....	30 00
A friend.....	1 00

Mr. Brough	.....	\$ 4 00
Mr. Copp	.....	4 00
A friend	.....	50
Mr. Strickland	.....	2 00
Mrs. Chief Justice Draper	.....	4 00
Mrs. Doyle	.....	1 50
Lady (Lake Joseph)	.....	1 00
Mrs. Baines	.....	1 00
A friend	.....	1 00
Mrs. Drinkwater	.....	1 00
Mrs. Battle	.....	1 00
Mde, Lambert	.....	1 00

\$520 50

Collected by Mrs. Cameron & Miss Marlatte.

A friend	.....	50
A friend	.....	50
H. W. Sutherland	.....	1 00
Mr. Staunton	.....	1 00
Mr. Thorn	.....	1 00
A friend	.....	1 00
A friend	.....	1 00
Mr. Johnson	.....	1 00
Mr. Brandon	.....	1 00
Mr. Fisher	.....	1 00
Mr. Halworth	.....	1 00
Walker, Evans & Co.	.....	3 00
W. & D.	.....	1 00
K. C.	.....	1 00
T. Laidley	.....	1 00
McPhail & Co.	.....	1 00
Elliott & Co.	.....	2 00
McNab & Marsh	.....	5 00
Smith & Keighley	.....	1 00
W. Ramsay & Co.	.....	2 00
Perkins, John & Co.	.....	4 00
A friend	.....	1 00
M. O'Connor	.....	1 00
R. G. Close	.....	2 00
Hutchinson	.....	25
A friend	.....	50

\$35 85

Collected by Mrs. Edgar & Mrs. Marlatte.

Mrs. S. Richards	.....	\$ 5 00
Mrs. Cumberland	.....	10 00
F. Botwick	.....	5 00
Mrs. Edgar	.....	5 00
Mrs. Marlatte	.....	5 00
Mrs. Hugh Leach	.....	2 00
Mrs. Cassels	.....	4 00
Mrs. Moss	.....	3 00
Mrs. L. Buchan	.....	1 00
Mrs. Hagarty	.....	\$ 1 00

Mrs. G. W. Dunn	.....	1 00
Mrs. S. J. Brett	.....	1 00
Mrs. Morphy	.....	1 00
Mrs. Downey	.....	1 00
Mrs. Bothune	.....	2 00
Mrs. Walker	.....	1 00
Mrs. Mathews	.....	1 00
Mrs. Brodie	.....	1 00
Mrs. Barber	.....	1 00
Mrs. G. Pears	.....	1 00
A friend	.....	50
Mrs. W. Ince	.....	1 00
R. H.	.....	5 00
Mrs. C. Page	.....	1 00
Mrs. Webber	.....	1 00
Mrs. A. Fraser	.....	1 00
Blank	.....	1 00
Mrs. Lownsborough	.....	1 00
Mrs. Stupart	.....	1 00
Mrs. Rannie	.....	1 30
Mrs. Z. Lash	.....	1 00
Thos. McCullen	.....	1 00
English Bun Shop	.....	25
Mrs. Switzer	.....	30
Miss Harris	.....	25
Mrs. J. D. Laidlaw	.....	75
Mrs. Gosling	.....	35
Mrs. F. Phillips	.....	50
Mrs. Aston	.....	25
Mrs. Baird	.....	50
Miss Elliott	.....	25
Lydia Smith	.....	50
Mrs. Eby	.....	30
Mrs. Ritchie	.....	50
Mr. Johnson	.....	30
Mr. O'Brien	.....	50
Chief Justice Hagarty	.....	5 00
Mrs. McMullen	.....	0 25
Mrs. Thompson	.....	0 25
Mrs. Livingston	.....	0 25
Mrs. Shae	.....	0 25
Miss Plummet	.....	0 25
Mrs. Staunton	.....	0 25
Mrs. Gale	.....	0 25
Mrs. McKinley	.....	0 10
C. Kingsley	.....	0 25
Mrs. Spooner	.....	1 00
Mrs. Richardson	.....	1 00
Mrs. Rose	.....	0 50
Mr. Wickson	.....	0 50
Mrs. Elmsley	.....	2 00
Mrs. Cashman	.....	2 00
Mrs. Ridout	.....	0 50
Mrs. Thomas	.....	50
W. F. Munro	.....	5 00

\$93 10

Collect	.....
Mrs. Stace	.....	1 50
Mrs. Strachan	.....	1 50
A friend	.....	2 00
Miss Dickson	.....	1 00
A friend	.....	1 00
"	.....	1 00
"	.....	1 00
Mrs. Snell	.....	1 00
Friend	.....	1 00
Mrs. Allan	.....	5 00
Mrs. Gillmount	.....	1 00
Mrs. Kent	.....	1 00
Mrs. Wild	.....	1 00
Mrs. Warner	.....	1 00

In small sums

Collecte	.....
Mr. T. Hodgkin	.....	25
Mrs. C. Biggar	.....	30
Mrs. Dewar	.....	25
Mrs. W. McCh	.....	25
Florence and	.....	25
A friend	.....	25
"	.....	25
"	.....	25
"	.....	25
Wilnot	.....	30
Robertson	.....	30
A friend	.....	50
Crown	.....	0 25
A friend	.....	0 25
Dobson	.....	0 25
Mrs. Mosely	.....	0 25
Mrs. Clewes	.....	0 25
George Brown	.....	0 25
A friend	.....	0 25
Beid	.....	0 10
Coles	.....	0 25
Mrs. Alkins	.....	1 00
Mrs. T. J. Bo	.....	1 00
Mrs. Beid	.....	0 50
A friend	.....	0 50
Prof. Young	.....	2 00
Mrs. J. A. B	.....	2 00
Mrs. W. J. Sh	.....	0 50
Miss Buchan	.....	50
M. Y.	.....	5 00
Nota friend	.....
Mrs Hanney	.....

1 00	Collected by Mrs. Whitt.	
1 00		
50	Mrs. Stace.....	\$ 0 25
1 00	Mrs. Strachan.....	3 00
2 00	A Friend.....	0 50
1 00	Miss Dickson.....	0 50
1 00	A Friend.....	0 25
1 00	".....	0 25
1 00	".....	0 25
1 00	".....	1 00
50	Mrs. Snell.....	0 25
1 00	Friend.....	1 00
5 00	Mrs. Allan.....	0 25
1 00	Mrs. Gilmour.....	0 25
1 00	Mrs. Kent.....	1 00
1 00	Mrs. Wild.....	0 50
1 00	Mrs. Warner.....	0 25
1 00		
1 00		\$9 50
1 00	In small sums.....	6 00
1 00		\$15 50
25	Collected by Mrs. T. Hodgins.	
30		
25	Mr. T. Hodgins.....	\$5 00
75	Mrs. C. Biggar.....	2 00
35	Mrs. Dewar.....	1 00
50	Mrs. W. McMurrich.....	1 00
25	Florence and Gussey.....	0 50
25	A Friend.....	0 28
25	".....	0 25
25	".....	0 10
30	".....	0 10
50	".....	0 10
30	".....	0 10
50	Wilmot.....	0 50
50	Robertson.....	0 25
5 00	A Friend.....	0 10
0 25	Crown.....	0 10
0 25	A Friend.....	0 05
0 25	Dobson.....	0 25
0 25	Mrs. Mosely.....	0 25
0 25	Mrs. Clewes.....	0 10
0 25	George Brown.....	0 25
0 25	A Friend.....	0 25
0 10	Reid.....	0 10
0 25	Coles.....	0 25
0 25	Mrs. T. J. Boyd.....	1 00
1 00	Mrs. Atkins.....	0 25
0 50	A Friend.....	0 25
0 50	Prof. Young.....	2 00
2 00	Mrs. J. A. Boyd.....	2 00
2 00	Mrs. W. J. Shaw.....	2 00
0 50	Miss Buchan.....	2 00
5 00	M. Y.....	0 50
	Nota friend.....	0 25
	Mrs Hanny.....	1 00

\$98 10

Laker.....	0 20
Dunlop.....	0 10
Coles.....	0 25
Edwards.....	0 20
M. D. C.....	0 25
M. B. H.....	0 14
	\$26 15
Collected by Mrs. Parsons.	
Mr. Hallem.....	\$1 00
Mr. Hutchison.....	1 00
A Friend.....	0 50
".....	0 50
".....	0 75
Mrs. Parsons.....	1 00
	\$4 75
Collected by Mrs. Tully.	
Miss Macdonald.....	2 25
Mrs. A. H. Boswell.....	1 00
Mrs. Holliwel.....	0 50
Mrs. Craig.....	1 00
Mrs. W. Wilson.....	1 00
Mr. O'Bran.....	0 50
Mrs. S. G. Winnet.....	0 50
A Friend.....	0 50
Mrs. Mulock.....	1 00
Mrs. Brooke.....	0 50
A Friend.....	0 50
Mrs. Wilkie.....	2 00
Miss Lawless.....	1 00
A Friend.....	0 50
Mr. Mason.....	0 25
Miss Noverre.....	0 50
Mrs. Burton.....	1 00
Mrs. H. Cawthra.....	1 00
T. B. Harper.....	2 00
Mrs. Damer.....	0 10
	\$17 00
Collected by Mrs. Howland.	
Hon. W. P. Howland.....	\$5 00
O. A. Howland.....	1 00
Miss Howland.....	1 00
Mrs. Taylor.....	1 00
A Friend.....	1 00
".....	0 50
".....	1 00
Mrs. J. B. Robinson.....	1 00
R. R. Dobell.....	2 00
Mrs. W. H. Howland.....	3 00
A Friend.....	1 00
".....	1 00
Colonel Gzowski.....	10 00
	\$28 05

Collected by Mrs. Harrison and Miss Muttieberry.

A. and S	\$4 00
Sylvester, Bro. and Hickman	1 00
Cramp, T. and C.	5 00
P. G. Close & Co.	4 00
J. McQuig	1 00
G. Muttieberry	1 00
John Haldane	1 00
J. B. Willmott	1 00
Sandford, Vail, & Bickford	1 00
Samson, Kennedy, & Gemmel	5 00
S. Rees	1 00
W. Warwick	2 00
Robert Ellis	1 00
George Boyd	1 00

\$29 00

Collected by Mrs. Young.

Mrs. Staker	0 10
Mrs. Wilson	0 50
Mrs. Clark	0 50
Mrs. H. O'Brien	1 00
Mrs. Harris	0 50
Mrs. Boyd	0 50
Mrs. O. Reilly	0 50
Mrs. Ross	0 50
Mrs. Masson	0 50
Friend	0 25
Mrs. A. Chapman	0 50
Mrs. Hirschfelder	0 50

\$5 85

Collected by Mrs. Nordheimer.

Mrs. McPherson	\$10 00
Mrs. G. McDonald	5 00
Mrs. Larratt Smith	2 00
Mrs. Arthurs	2 00
Mrs. W. A. Baldwin	2 00

\$21 00

Collected by Mrs. Ridout.

\$21 in small sums.

Collected by Mrs. Moody.

Mrs. Parker	\$5 00
Mrs. Keary	2 00
Mrs. Thompson	1 00

\$8 00

Collected by Mrs. Cameron and Mrs. Tully.

Prof. Ramsay Wright	\$5 00
Dr. Fenton Cameron	5 00
Mrs. Baines	0 50
Mrs. W. Baines	0 50
Mrs. W. Hope	2 00
Bishop of Toronto	2 00
Mrs. Crickmore	1 00
Mrs. Young	0 50
M. Bickard	0 25
Mrs. W. B. Pollock	0 25
Miss Spratt	1 00
Mrs. Jacques	2 00
Mrs. Crombie	1 00
Mrs. Cowan	0 25
Mrs. Hellwell	0 25
M. Sutherland	1 00
Mrs. Glazebrook	0 50
Mrs. Cummings	2 00
Miss Dupont	2 00
Mrs. Cayley	1 00
Mrs. F. Cayley	1 00
A Friend	0 50
Mrs. Medcalf	1 00
Mrs. Fahey	1 00

\$31 00

Collected by Mrs. Cameron

\$72 75

Collected by Miss Muttieberry

52 50

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