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Protestant Infants' Home

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TWENTY-NINTH ANNUAL REPORT

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PROTESTANT INFANTS' HOME,

OF MONTREAL,

No. 508 GUY STREET.

PATRONESS : H.R.H. PRINCESS LOUISE.

OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES FOR 1899-1900, WITH LIST OF SUBSCRIBERS, 1898-99.

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PROTESTANT INFANTS' HOME.

OFFICERS FOR THE YEAR APRIL 1ST, 1899.

Honorary Directress :

President : 1st Vice-President: 2nd 66

MRS. JAMES' LINTON. MRS. JAMES A. HARTE, Summerhill Avenue. " A. RAMSAY, 495 Argyle Ave., Westmount. " F. S. BRUSH, 1241 Dorche der Street.

Treasurer :

MRS. CHARLES AULT, 917 Dorchester Street.

Secretary :

MRS. W. J. BENALLACK, 39 Hillside Avenue, Westmount.

Lady Managers :

MRS.	ARCHIBALD, J. S.		MRS.	McLEAN, J.
	ALFORD, W. H.		66	NELSON, F. E.
	BROWNE, GEO.		66	RAWLINGS, E.
	CHAPMAN, J. H.		66	ROBERTSON, A. S.
	DAVIS, B. T.			Ross, G. D.
	FLEMING, D. A.			SAXE, JAMES.
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	LEWIS, JOHN.			THOMAS, W. T.
	MCLAREN, H.		66	WRIGHT, JAMES A.

Honorary Members:

MRS. CARMICHAEL (VERY REV.) JAMES. MRS. BARNES (REV.) W. S. "CAMPBELL (REV. DR.) "LEACH (REV. DR.) CAMPBELL (REV. DR.)

" CORSE, N. B.

" CARPENTER, P. P.

" EADIF, GEO.

" FLECK (REV.) JAMES.

" GODFREY (DR.)

LEACH (REV. DAIL)
LINDSAY (REV.) ROBERT.
MOLSON, J. H. R,
MACKAY (REV. DR.) " MCWILLIAMS (REV.) T. S. " PELTON, T.

MRS. STEWART (DR.) W. GRANT.

MEDICAL BOARD.

Attending Physicians :

F. E. THOMPSON, M.D. W. GRANT STEWART, M.D. A. W. HALDIMAND, M.D. DAVID J. EVANS, M.D.

Bacteriologist :

DUACAN P. ANDERSON, M.D.

Dentist :

DR. WM. J. GILES.

Oculist and Aurist : A. PROUDFOOT, M.D.

Consulting Physicians :

D. F. GURD, M.D. KENNETH CAMERON, M.D.

G. T. Ross, M.D. F. G. FINLEY, M.D.

Board of Advisors : HON. F. E. GILMAN.

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**	SAMUEL BELL.	66	WILLIAM REID.
**	RICHARD WHITE.	66	J. H. REDFERN.

Legal Counsel : ROBERTSON, FLEET & FALCONER.

> Notary : J. H. ISAACSON, ESQ.

> > Matron : MISS MCINTYRE.

Managers' Business Meeting : Wednesdays, at 10.20 a.m., in the Home, 508 Guy Street.

STANDING COMMITTEES, 1899-1900.

Investigating :

MRS. ALFORD. " BROWNE.

MRS. DAVIS. " RAMSAY. MRS. CHAPMAN.

Clothing and House Linen :

Mrs. Chapman, J. H. "Ross, G. D. "Thomas. MRS. HARTE. " FLEMING. " SHEARER, JOHN S. MRS. ROBERTSON, A. S.

Provisions and Furniture :

MRS. SAXE. " ESPLIN. MRS. DAVIS. " BRUSH. MRS. BROWNE.

> Publishing : MRS. BENALLACK.

Fuel:

MRS. AULT.

MINUTES OF ANNUAL MEETING.

The Twenty-Ninth Annual Meeting of the Protestant Infants' Home was held in the Y.W.C.A. Rooms, 897 Dorchester Street, on Wednesday, April 12th, 1899, at 3.30 p.m.

Among those present were the Rev. Dr. Campbell, the Rev. T. J. Mansell, the Rev. F. M. Dewey, the Rev. T. S. McWilliams, the Rev. J. R. Dobson, the Rev. E. McManus, Dr. W. Grant Stewart, Dr. Evans and Dr. Thompson. Letters of regret were received from His Lordship Bishop Bond, the Rev. Dean Carmichael, the Rev. E. Bushell, the Rev. E. M. Hill and the Rev. Prof. George.

The Rev. T. J. Mansell presided, and conducted the devotional exercises.

The Rev. T. S. McWilliams read the Secretary's report, the Rev. E. McManus presented the Treasurer's reports, and Dr. Grant Stewart presented the Medical report.

The Rev. F. M. Dewey moved the adoption of the report, and that they be printed and circulated, which was seconded by the Rev. J. R. Dobson, and carried unanimously.

It was moved by the Rev. T. S. McWilliams, seconded by the Rev. Dr. Campbell, and carried, that the officers for the ensuing year be accepted. (List of names will be found on another page.)

The gentlemen present spoke very highly of the work as carried on by the Committee of Management, giving them every encouragement possible.

The meeting closed with the pronouncing of the Benediction by the Rev. T. J. Mansell.

ANNIE BENALLACK, Secretary.

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SECRETARY'S REPORT.

"Do thy duty that is best, Leave unto the Lord the rest."

In reviewing the year just closed, we find it has bee . one of greater activity for us than many of the preceding years.

We have attempted many things, and with the help of kind friends, have accomplished much, but we are still striving after greater achievements than at the present moment seem possible.

Each year finds our work increasing, and the demands upon our resources greater, and though in the evening we often feel disheartened, fresh courage comes with the brightness of the morning, and we again take up our burden, ever hoping to place our institution on a better footing than it hitherto enjoyed, and longing for the day to dawn when we will find our position, from a financial point of view, much more secure.

At the beginning of the year just closed there were 61 children in the Home, 70 have since been admitted making a total of 131.

Of this number 51 have been removed by purents or friends, 4 transferred to the Orphan Asylum (they having attained the age of five years), 5 have been adopted, 22 have died and 49 remain in the Home.

Of the total number of children received into the Home during the year, 7 were the children of widowers, 9 of widows, 7 with mothers sick in the hospital, 3 with mothers in the Insane Asylum, 18 children of deserted wives, 6 of parents unable to provide for them, 1 foundling and 19 were illegitimate.

Owing to the prevalence of measles, chicken pox and scarlet fever in the Home at different times during the year, and our inability at such times to receive little ones, the number of children is not nearly as large as it otherwise might have been.

Last year we were quite convinced that all we required was an Isolation Ward; but as the tenders came in, and the cost of a new wing fully estimated, the majority of the Committee felt it would be folly to add such a building to our present old one, and all were unanimous in desiring to sell our present Home, and erecting a new one at the western extremity of the city. Accordingly, the property was placed in the hands of Estate Agents, who we hope will be successful in disposing of the same.

We feel that the general health of the establishment would be much improved if we could place our Home in one of the open spaces at the west end. A new building, with the improved plans of ventilation, and all the modern ideas of convenience, isolation ward included, would greatly add to the comfort and health of the inmates. We trust the sale of our present building will provide us with the wherewithal to erect such an ideal place.

We have received more than the usual amount of kindness and consideration from our friends this year, for in all our undertakings they have valiantly come to our assistance, thereby making our unusual ventures a series of unqualified successes.

In April Prof. Norman kindly offered an entertainment in our behalf, "The Carnival of Nations," which added some \$200 to our funds, causing us all to feel very grateful for his kindness and the trouble taken by him to make it a success.

On the 20th and 21st of October, with the assistance of many of the churches, viz., Erskine Presbyterian, American Presbyterian, Church of the Messiah, and Douglas and Dominion Square Methodist Churches, we held a Bazaar, or "Festival of Holidays," as it was called, in the Windsor Hall, which netted the handsome sum of \$1,300 towards our New Wing. We now take the opportunity of again thanking the many friends who assisted us in that undertaking.

Some of the churches preferred giving a sum of money towards our project rather than taking an active part in a Bazaar; these churches were St. Andrew's, St. Paul's, Knox and Crescent Presbyterian Churches, and we are very grateful indeed for the substantial assistance from them. We also received many subscriptions towards the New Wing.

The Ladies of the Church of St. Mathias, Westmount, sent us a very generous offering of fancy and useful articles, which went a long way towards helping us make the display we did, resulting in such a substantial return.

We have also received two bequests during the year, one from the estate of the late Mrs. Watson SL ith of \$500, and another, also of \$500, free of legacy duty, from the estate of the late Mrs. Hutton, both of these are left towards the permanent fund; and a gift of \$200 from Walter Drake, Esq., the interest of same to apply as his late wife's yearly subscription to the Home. Such gifts gladden our hearts, and seem to draw the day nearer when we will be upon an independent footing, and our ardor not dampened by the decrease in the subscriptions as at present.

We again have to report a shortage in our collections, the increase in some localities not being sufficient to offset the deficiency in others. No doubt the demands upon the funds of our friends increase each year. As the city grows in population other charities are started, and all are equally worthy of assistance. We have adopted a new plan of raising money, which we hope will prove successful. Each member of the Committee, and as many friends as will assist, are given a little book called the "Tithe Gleaner," which holds, when filled, exactly five dollars, and as the subscriptions are all in tencent pieces, we feel that we will meet with few refusals.

It is with feelings of deep regret that we record the death of our Honorary President, Mrs. James Hutton. Though the state of her health has prevented her from taking an active part in the working of the Home for some time past, yet her interest has never flagged, and we always felt assured that her sympathies were ever with us.

During the past summer our little ones had their usual outings, spending all fine days in one of the fields off Cote des Neiges, kindly placed at our disposal by Mr. McCord. We feel we must take this opportunity of thanking both Mr. and Mrs. McCord for the consideration they have shown us, and the little ones have been so generously entertained when overtaben by a sudden shower, that I am sure many of them have rather longed for rain. They also enjoyed a street car drive, making a very bright red letter day in their existence. They were taken to Maisonneuve, through Westmount and then around the Amherst line, a long and delightful ride, forming the groundwork for many a day's prattle in the nurseries.

We often wish it were possible to give the children more pleasure indoors than they have. The nurses do all in their power for them, but it is something from the outside world that is needed to brighten their little lives. A few years ago two ladies visited them every week, teaching them little songs and amusing them in various ways. The advent of the "Singing ladies," as they were called, was most eagerly looked forward to, and was a real source of pleasure to the children. We hope some kind friend will come forward to do the same work for the little ones now with us.

It is with pleasure we report five adoptions during the year, making 134 in all since the Home was established. The babies in the city have all been visited in their new homes, and appear very comfortable and happy, showing every sign of the affection and care lavished upon them, while the parents by adoption profess to be perfectly delighted with the children.

Many changes have occurred in the internal management of the

Home since the last report was presented. During the summer Mrs. Van Allan, who had served us faithfully for some time, found that her increasing years rendered her unable to perform the duties required of her, and accordingly left us on the first day of September. We were most fortunate in securing the services of Miss McIntyre, who, with her thorough knowledge of nursing and love for children, has proved herself a most efficient help. We also have two trained nurses in the upper nurseries, Miss Derry and Miss Cavanagh, and it is largely due to the precautions taken by them that the sickness resulted in only sixteen cases of fever. But the strain proved a little too much, and after all was over Miss McIntyre collapsed, and was obliged to go into the hospital for some weeks. Miss Chapman kindly came to our assistance in this predicament, and under her supervision everything appeared to be running along smoothly, when sickness again appeared in our midst, this time in the form of whooping cough, which we hope soon to overcome. Mrs. Campbell is still caring for the children in the lower nursery, with a nature broad enough to give to each and all a mother's love, affectionate care and consideration.

- During the year Dr. Anderson was added to our medical staff as Bacteriologist, and has proved of very great assistance to the doctors in their work.

It is with feelings of gratitude that we refer to the kindness of the Infant and Foundling Hospital in receiving many of our urgent applications and caring for them until the sickness was banished, and we were again able to open our doors to the public.

We are indebted to several clergymen of different denominations for their attendance at the Home to hold services on Thursday evenings throughout the year, which have proved a source of pleasure to the inmates.

Our thanks are also tendered Mr. Peter Wood for Bible readings on Tuesday and Saturday evenings, and to Mrs. Fairman, Mrs. Gatehouse and others for readings on Sunday evenings.

During the year Mrs. W. I. Shaw and Mrs. George Esplin were added to our Committee.

The Managers' annual meeting was held on April 5th, 1899. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year :--

Honorary President—Mrs. James Linton, by acclamation. President—Mrs. Harte.

1st Vice-President-Mrs. Alex. Ramsay.

2nd Vice-President-Mrs. F. S. Brush.

Treasurer-Mrs. Chas. Ault.

Secretary-Mrs. W. J. Benallack.

The Lady Managers are :- Mrs. J. S. Archibald, Mrs. W. H. Alford,

Mrs. Geo. Browne, Mrs. J. H. Chapman, Mrs. B. T. Davies, Mrs. Geo. Esplin, Mrs. D. A. Fleming, Mrs. F. A. Hogle, Mrs. John Lewis, Mrs. H. McLean, Mrs. H. McLaren, Mrs. F. E. Nelson, Mrs. E. Rawlings, Mrs. G. D. Ross, Mrs. A. S. Robertson, Mrs. W. I. Shaw, Mrs. Jas. Saxe, Mrs. J. S., Shearer, Mrs. W. T. Thomas, Mrs. Jas. Wright.

The special thanks of the Managers are due and hereby tendered the "Good Samaritan" Society of the Church of the Messiah, the "Willing Workers" of Stanley Street Presbyterian Church, the "Ladies' Aid" of St. Paul's Church, and the "Dorcas Society" of the American Presbyterian Church, for valuable donations of clothing, etc., received during the year for the use of the inmates.

To the Medical Staff for their valuable services and advice, so cheerfully given, to promote the comfort and health of the inmates; to several of the clergy who have attended at the Home to administer the right of baptism and conduct the burial service; to J. H. Isaacson, Esq., for preparing the necessary papers in adoption cases and other legal papers; to Messrs. Robertson, Fleet & Falconer for legal advice; to the Quebec Government for its annual grant; to the President and Directors of the City and District Savings Bank for their annual donation; to Messrs. R. A. Becket & Co., for reduction of the season's ice bill; to the proprietors of the "Daily Witness" and "Gazette" for gratuitous advertising, and to J. R. Dougall, Esq., for one copy of "Daily Witness" throughout the year; to all who have sent donations throughout the year or in any way contributed to the welfare or comfort of the inmates.

We cordially invite all interested to visit the Home; it is open for inspection at all times.

All of which is respectfully submitted by the Managers.

ANNIE BENALLACK, Secretary.

REPORT MEDICAL BOARD.

Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen,—The Medical Board take pleasure in presenting the annual report for the year 1898-99.

Although on the whole the general health of the Home has been good, unfortunately during the year there have been several epidemics of contagious diseases, notably scarlet fever and whooping cough. These visitations impress us more and more with the necessity of an isolation ward, where suspicious cases might be kept under observation until a positive diagnosis could be made. Children also who are admitted should be isolated until the incubation stage of the most common contagious diseases has passed. You are all aware a child may be admitted in an apparently healthy condition, and yet have lurking in the system some little microbes which are steadily at work, and whose presence may not become manifest for some time after admission.

Notwithstanding all our precautions, disease will break out in our midst from time to time, and there is no doubt in the minds of the Board that in most instances the contagion has been brought into the Home through the carlessness and ignorance of friends of the children. But in the face of these facts, are we justified in permanently closing the Home from visitors? We think not. Love in the case of the poor to their offspring is just as strong as in the case of the rich, and it would seem cruel to prevent parents seeing their children.

We have said it before, and we repeat it, we can only do our best to prevent disease from entering our portals, and use every means to eradicate it when it does enter. The fight is oftimes long and arduous, but in the end we generally succeed.

On looking over the causes of death, it will be noticed that the greater number occurred during the heated term of summer. This is one of the most trying periods of the year, especially on bottlefed children.

We need a new and larger Home, with modern improvements. With better tools we can do better work. "All things come to him who waits." The new building and the modern improvements and the isolation wards will come. We have a Ladies' Committee, not a committee merely in name, but a working committee, one far-reaching in its influence. With the combined force of such a committee almost anything is possible.

The Board would take this opportunity of expressing the high esteem in which they hold Miss McIntyre, our matron, and how much they appreciate her untiring efforts to promote the interests of the Home. It was with succere regret we saw her laid aside through illness. We extend to her a cordial welcome upon her return to her post of duty, and trust the year which has now begun may be to her one of prosperity and happiness.

The new departure also in having nurses specially trained in the management of children has been of untold value. The Nurses Derry, Cavanagh and Chapman have all been faithful, and merit the thanks of the Board. Mrs. Campbell still exercises the same motherly care over the little ones who have passed from infancy to the higher rank of childhood.

The Board has been considering the advisability of establishing a training school for young women who would like to study the care and management of children. The treatment and nursing of children is very different from that of adults, and there are many trained nurses in Montreal who know nothing whatever in regard to the proper care of infants and young children. The matter has only been discussed, nothing so far being decided upon.

A report of this kind would not be complete without a few statistics. At the beginning of the year just closed there were 61 children in the Home; 70 have since been admitted, making a total of 131. Of this number, 22 have died in the institution, being a death rate of 16.8 per cent.

The causes of death were as follows :---

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Convulsions	 1
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The Board desires to congratulate the ladies upon the work they have done. We need scarcely say it is a good work—a necessary work. It has been before the public for many years. It helps to raise the fallen—it helps the widow and the orphan—it does good to those who help it.

> "The quality of mercy is not strained— It droppeth as the gentle rain from heaven Upon the place beneath. 'Tis twice blessed : It blesseth him that gives and him that takes."

To help assist others in less fortunate circumstances than ourselves is to know some thing of the "luxury of doing good."

Respectfully submitted,

W. GRANT STEWART, B.A., M.D., Sec. Medical Board.

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THE GENERAL FUND OF THE PROTESTANT INFANTS' HOME, IN ACCOUNT WITH THE TREASURER,

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" Cash Proceeds of the "Carnival of Nations," given by Prof. Norman. \$ 226 50	226 50		00 00
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PROTESTANT INFANTS' HOME.

ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTIONS AND DONATIONS.

SUBSCRIPTIONS RECEIVED BY CITY COLLECTIONS. TREASURER.

Jones, R. A. A., London, Eng\$ Yuile, Mr. and Mrs. David	
Burgess, Mrs., Brockville	
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Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Wolfer-	
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Ross, Mrs. Geo. D	5 00
Bagg, Mrs. R. S	5 00
Carmichael, Mrs. (Dean)	5 00
Davis, Mrs. B. T	5 00
Ramsay, Mrs. A	5 00
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Home	5 00
Bennallack, Mrs	5 00
Browne, Mrs. Geo	5 00
Coughtry, Mr. Thos. F.f	5 00
Linton, Mrs. Jas	5 00
McLean, Mrs. J	4 00
Harte, Mrs. J. A	3 00
Brush, Mrs. F. S	3 00
Chapman, Mrs	3 00
Ault, Mrs	3 00
Thomas, Mrs. W. T	3 00
Nelson, Mrs. F. E	3 00
Shearer, Mrs. John S	3 00
Gilmun, Mrs. F E	3 00
Binmore, Mrs., per Mrs. Harte	2 00
Smithers, Mrs. G. H	$2 \ 60$
Marfarlane, Mrs. L. B	2 00
Sanders, Mrs. H	2 00
Fleming, Mrs. D. A	2 00
Lewis, Mrs. John	2 00
Pelton, Mrs	2 00
McIntyre, Mrs. Duncan	2 00

Strathcona, Lord
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Gault Bros 20 00
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Morton, Phillips & Co 10 00
James Johnston & Co 10 00
Allan, H. & A 10 00
Ogilvie, W. W 10 00
Hudon. Hebert & Co 10 00
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Dow, Wm., & Co 10 00
Esplin, G. & J 10 00 Caverhill, Learmont & Co 10 00
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Tiffin, H. J 10 20
Hosmer, C. R 10 00
St. Lawrence Sugar Rfg. Co 10 00
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	Rielle, Mrs	 1 00	
	Fairie, Mrs. J	 1 00	
	Castle & Son	 1 00	
	Peel, T. W	 1 00	
	Casey, Mrs	 1 00	
	Fairbanks, Mrs	 1 00	
	Lafleur, Mrs. E	 1 00	
	Fraser, Mrs. D	 1 00	
	Fraser, Mrs. D Dougall, Mrs	 50	
	McKeand, Miss	 50	
	Brown, Mrs. R. G	 50	
	W. M	 25	
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Gault, A. F 10 00	Wallace, Mr	3 00
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Small, E. A.

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CONSTITUTION.

STATUTES OF QUEBEC: 34 VICTORIA, CAP. 56, 1870. An Act to Incorporate the Protestant Infants' Home of Montreal. [Assented to 24th of December, 1870.]

WHEREAS the persons hereinafter mentioned have by petition, represented that they and others, for some years past, have maintained by voluntary contributions, a certain institution in the city of Montreal, known as "The Protestant Infants' Home," for the purpose of furnishing a home for children who may be deprived of their natural protectors, either by death, abandonment, or otherwise, and for the purpose of protecting such children from the effects of want and exposure to crime, and have prayed that for the better attainment of the objects of the said institution, the same may be vested with corporate powers : Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislature of Quebec, enacts as follows :---

1. Mesdames Anna E. Workman, Maria Louisa Henshaw, Elizabeth Scott, Louisa B. Ferrier, Mary A. Godfrey, Annie Muir, A. L. Shaw, and L. M. Baylis and such other persons as may hereafter be associated with them in conformity with this act, and their successors, are hereby constituted and created a body corporate and politic, with all the rights incident to corporations, by the name of "The Protestant Infants' Home of Montreal."

2. The said Corporation shall have perpetual succession, and may have a common seal, with the power to change, alter, break or renew the same, when and as often as they may think proper, and may, under the said name, contract and be contracted with, sue and be sued, implead and be impleaded, prosecute and be prosecuted, in all courts and places whatsoever in this province, and by the same name they and their successors, from time to time, and at all times hereafter, shall be capable to have, take, receive, purchase, and acquire, hold, possess, enjoy and maintain to and for the use of the said Corporation, all lands, and property moveable and immoveable, which may hereafter be sold, ceded, exchanged, given, bequeathed or granted to the said Corporation, or to sell, hypothecate, alienste, convey, let or lease the same, if need be; provided always that such eal estate shall not exceed the annual value of five thousand dollars beyond that actually required for the use of the said Corporation, provided also, that if the said Corporation shall become possessed of real estate exceeding the annual value of five thousand dollars, apart from that actually used by the said Corporation, it shall be bound to sell such surplus proverty within five years from the acquisition of the same and invest the proceeds thereof in public securities of the Dominion stocks of chartered

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banks, mortgages and other approved securities, for the use of the said Corporation.

3. The officers of the said Corporation shall consist of a President, Secretary, Treasurer, and a Committee of Management of not less than ten members, and such other officers as shall, from time to time, seem necessary to the Corporation. The foregoing officers shall be therein from among the members of the Institution, and the President, Secretary, and Treasurer shall be ex-officio members of the said Committee.

4. The said Corporation shall have power to form a code of by-laws, not inconsistent with the laws of this Province or of the Dominion, for fixing the terms of admission of its members, for the government of the same, for the election, changing and altering the officers above named, and for the general regulation and management of its officers, which code when formed and adopted at a regular meeting shall, until modified or rescinded, be equally binding as this act upon the Institution, its officers and its members.

5. The by-laws of the said Institution, not being contrary to law, shall be the by-laws of the Corporation hereby constituted, until they shall be repealed or altered as aforesaid.

6. Until others shall be elected according to the by-laws of the Corporation the present officers of the Institution are those of the Corporation.

7. The said Corporation may send out to service or bind or apprentice thereto, or to any healthy trade or business, until the age of sixteen, all children, and may send out to be nursed, supported, educated or adopted, all children having the protection of the said Corporation to, by, or with such person or persons and upon such terms as to the officers may seem fit and proper, and for such purposes and on behalf of and for such children and themselves, may enter into and make with any person or persons with whom such children may be placed, articles of apprenticeship or agreement, and such articles may be enforced by action of law.

8. The said Corporation shall be bound to make annual reports to the Legislature, containing a general statement of the affairs of the Corporation, which said reports shall be presented within the first twenty days of every session of the Legislature.

BY-LAWS OF THE CORPORATION.

Preamble :-- The aim and object of the "Protestant Infants' Home of Montreal" are to receive the children of Protestant parentage who, in consequence of sickness, poverty or intemperance, are unable to provide suitable nourishment and care for their offspring in their own homes, homeless, motherless, fatherless, destitute infants, and foundlings under four

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Also to receive Protestant mothers with their new-born infants, and by providing a refuge and place of safety, the mothers may, by nursing and caring for their innocent babes (disowned and abandoned by their inhuman fathers), give their offspring a "good chance for life."

ARTICLE I.

The Board of Management shall consist of not less than twenty ladies, who shall annually contribute three or more dollars to the funds of this Institution. The officers shall be a President, 1st Vice-President, 2nd Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer, who shall discharge the duties usually pertaining to their respective offices and shall be annually elected.

ARTICLE II

The Managers' Business Meeting shall be held on Wednesday of each week.

The Managers' Annual Meeting shall be held on the first Wednesday in April.

The Annual General Meeting shall be held on the second Wednesday in April.

Special meetings may be called at the request of two officers or any five Managers.

ARTICLE III.

All meetings shall be opened with prayer.

ARTICLE IV

The financial year shall close on the 31st March.

ARTICLE V.

Seven members, including one officer, shall constitute a quorum.

ARTICLE VI.

The Managers shall appoint a Medical Board, which shall consist of two consulting and four attending physicians, and one oculist and aurist. The Medical Staff shall make rules for themselves and department not inconsistent with the rules of the Board of Management.

ARTICLE VII.

Legal Counsel and a Notary shall also be elected at the Annual Meeting.

ARTICLE VIII.

These By-laws may be altered or amended by a vote of two thirds of the members present at a meeting, provided two weeks' notice be given of any contemplated amendment.

The By-laws were amended and altered and the foregoing adopted at a meeting held on March 7th, 1894.

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By-law Article I. was altered at a meeting held March 13th, 1895.

RULES RELATING TO THE ADMISSION OF CHILDREN TO THE PROTESTANT INFANTS' HOME.

ist. No child admitted under ten days old or over four years old.

2nd. No child admitted with contagious, incurable or other diseases.

3rd. Each child must bring a medical certificate from one of the attending physicians, and in the case of a new-born infant, the mother must also bring one.

4th. Clothing will be provided by the Institution.

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5th. The charge for children's board shall be in proportion to the parents' wages; when entirely dependent on charity, and not visited by parents or friends, shall be held for adoption.

6th. Persons wishing to place children in the Home must bring written testimonials, from a clergyman or some responsible person, that the parents are Protestants.

7th. Infants will not be admitted without their mothers, except in special cases, to be decided by the committee, and the nursing mother must remain as long as the committee deem necessary.

Sth. No woman will be admitted, when it is known, who is a mother for the second time of an illegitimate child.