THE

ORPHANS' HOME

AND

FEMALE AID SOCIETY,

TORONTO.

Thirty-sixth Annual Report

FOR THE YEAR ENDING MAY 31st, 1887.



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Benevolent individuals at a distance, who may be desirous of adding to the Funds of the Society, and will kindly undertake to raise subscriptions or donations amongst their friends, will please to forward or pay the amount to the Treasurer of the Society at Toronto.

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36TH ANNUAL REPORT.

In presenting to their friends and the public the 36th Annual Report of the "Orphans' Home and Female Aid Society," the Managers feel deeply sensible of the many gracious benefits vouchsafed to the "Home" by a kind and overruling Providence throughout the year. During that period it has been entirely free from illness, either of a serious or trifling nature, the expenditure for medicine for this year not exceeding \$3. This is owing, no doubt, to the salubrious position of the "Home," as well as the healthy regular diet and complete sanitary condition of the Institution.

Since June, of 1886, 81 children have been admitted—46 boys and 35 girls, while 62 have left the Institution. Of these 2 have been adopted, 6 apprenticed, and 56 have been removed-by relatives who were again in a position to provide for them. The average number for the year has been 175, though during several months they ranged from 180 to 185.

In consequence of the additional expenditure for the Nursery, where there are between 25 and 30 little ones, the Managers determined to petition the Corporation for an increase in the annual city grant. We hope this appeal has not been made in vain, but that the members of the Council will unanimously vote an additional sum annually to the charity. In October last the Managers felt the necessity of raising money for the interest due upon the debt which is still on the building, and also if possible relieving themselves in a measure of this heavy burden. They finally decided upon holding an "All World's Fair" in the second week in December, from which they realized the handsome sum of \$3,704.47. \$700 paid the interest which fell due in January, and when the expenses were deducted \$3,000 were added to the Building Fund, reducing the debt to \$18,810. The Board of Management avail themselves of this opportunity to thank their friends and the public generally for their liberal patronage upon this occasion, as well as the generous response to the appeals made for the Refreshment Table.

An event of interest occurred on the 20th of May, when Her Excellency the Marchioness of Lansdowne, accompanied by Lady Florence Streatfield and the Hon. Mr. Anson, was pleased to honour the "Home" with a visit. Her Excellency on her arrival was received by Mr. J. Saurin McMurray and the officers of the Institution. 'The Vice-regal party was greeted with the National Anthem, and a song of welcome by the children, after which Her Excellency was presented with a basket of flowers by one of the little girls. The visitors were conducted over the "Home," and were shown the dormitories, nursery, and other rooms. Coffee was then served in the board-room, and Lady Lansdowne left amid ringing cheers, after having expressed much satisfaction with all she had seen.

It is with the deepest regret the Managers have to record the death of Mrs. Davidson Murray, in November, of 1886. Mrs. Murray had been identified with the "Home" from its infancy and during her long connection with it, covering a period of over twenty-four years, she had filled the positions of Manager, Secretary, and First Directress, and when failing health compelled her to withdraw from an active interest, she still gladly assisted with advice and sympathy those actively engaged in the work. The Managers feel in her death the Institution has lost a warm friend and benefactress.

As in former years, the little ones have had many opportunities of enjoyment afforded them, and thanks are due the proprietors of the different ferry boats for their generosity and thoughtful kindness to the children, as well as to their kind friend Mr. Wm. Gooderham, for erecting toboggan slides for both boys and girls. Nor have the usual kindly contributions to their comfort been omitted. Donations have been gratefully received from the butchers, here, grocers, and confectioners of the city who have assisted in supplying the necessities of the Orphans. This, with continued liberality from many friends of the "Home," is most gratefully acknowledged, and to all who have been associated with them in this labour of love the Committee tender their sincere thanks.

The Managers avail themselves of their annual privilege to thank Mr. Huson Murray, their solicitor, for the services rendered by him to the "Home;" to Drs. McConnell, Macdonald, and Spragge, for their consideration for those who have required their care; and to the kind friends who have each Sunday given their services in the religious instruction of the children. The Matron, Miss Wheelwright, continues to fulfil her duties to the entire satisfaction of the Managing Committee, and the domestic arrangements devolving specially upon her, merit their highest commendation. The children under Miss Armstrong and Miss Lily's careful training are making rapid progress.

The only contribution to the Building Fund during the year This is not as it should has been \$200 from Mr. Samuel Taylor.

be in so large and prosperous a city as Toronto.

Since the removal (four years ago) to the new "Home," the Managers have struggled to reduce the debt of \$36,000 to the present sum of \$18,810. This reduction has been principally through an annual entertainment of one kind or another. The press and many clergymen, as well as a large portion of the laity have written strongly and repeatedly against the prevailing fashion of raising money for churches, charities, &c., by the somewhat questionable means of bazaars under a variety of names. But if our wealthy citizens will not give of their abundance without some return in the shape of amusement, the only means left open to those who are actively engaged in this work are entertainments of this nature, which involve much labour and anxiety to those under whose direct supervision they are given.

Before closing the report, the Managers desire to bring this matter before the Committee of Council, to whom they strongly appeal for help in removing this heavy burden which has been borne entirely in the past by the ladies, who not only have had this to think of, but the daily support of the "Home" and the entire internal management.

Annexed will be found the Treasurer's report, with a full and satisfactory statement of the financial affairs of the "Home."

E. H. VANKOUGHNET,

MARIA MULLEN,

First Directress.

Secretary.

PHYSICIAN'S REPORT.

The 36th Annual Meeting of the Lady Managers of the Orphans' Home and Female Aid Society having arrived, I am requested by them to submit my report as coming from the Attending and Consulting Physicians of that Institution.

During the year just passed there have been few occasions

upon which my professional attendance was required.

The first was upon July 6th, when I found one of the boys suffering from an ulcer in his mouth. A careful examination proved that it was caused by decayed teeth, and greatly aggravated by an impoverished condition of his blood, with general debility. I removed the teeth, and under a proper course of tonic treatment he soon recovered, the ulcer having healed, and since then the little fellow has been robust and well.

October 11th: Was called again to-day to see one of the boys who was suffering from an abscess, deeply seated in the muscles of the thigh, near the hip joint. Upon examination I found that the joint was not involved, and therefore opened the abscess, gave directions which were carefully carried out, and the little fellow was soon able to run around as well as ever.

December 24th: Was not at the "Home" again until to-day, and then only to say Merry Christmas to the many happy faces I saw around me.

January 24th, 1887: Was called to-day to see one of the children, slightly injured, having fallen whilst at play. Upon examination I found the domestic medicines used by the Matron was all that was necessary, and she soon recovered.

May 20th: Did not come again until to-day, when I was invited to meet Lady Lansdowne and suite. And now I say that this Institution, in its management, has reached a degree of refinement second to none, either in this city or elsewhere. There are about 200 persons, including Orphans and Attendants, in the "Home," all of whom are healthy, contented, and happy. The Matron and her staff continue to perform their respective duties faithfully and with success.

I return to the Lady Managers, "especially the principal Directress, with whom I have come more frequently in contact," my sincere and grateful thanks for their kindness and assistance

during the year just passed.

JOHN McConnell, Attending Physician.

ORPHANS' HOME, DOVERCOURT ROAD, Toronto, June 1st, 1887.

THE TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH THE ORPHANS' HOME AND FEMALE AID SOCIETY.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING S1st MAY, 1887.

RECEIPTS.

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| " Lady Managers Collections " Relatives Contributions | 1300 | 00 | | | |
| " Relatives Contributions. " Rentals | 1250 | 00 | | | |
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L. E. COWAN, Treasurer.

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R. B. STREET.

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| Miss McGrath | | 00 |
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L. E. COWAN, Treasurer.

ORPHANS' DEPOSIT IN SAVINGS BANK, MAY 31st, 1887.

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MISCELLANEOUS RECEIPTS.

| Balance Insurance, per Mr. Murray | \$0 | | |
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| Mrs. Douglas, for Refrigerator Proceeds of Bazaar by "Busy Quartette," per Mr. Lewis C. Peake | 32 | | |
| J. Martland, Esq | 10 | | |
| Mrs. VanKoughnet, towards Interest | - | 00 | |
| Mrs. Cochrane | | 00 | |
| Deposit withdrawn from Imperial Bank | 41 | 30 | |
| Sale of Panels by Mrs. VanKoughnet | 10 | 00 | |
| "A Friend" | 5 | 00 | |
| Mr. William Gooderham | 25 | 00 | |
| Mrs. Pollard | \$10 | 00 | |
| Mr. John Kay, per Mrs. John Cawthra | 20 | 00 | |
| Mrs. Laughton, per Mrs. VanKoughnet | | 00 | |
| Mrs. W. Morse, per Mrs. VanKoughnet | 10 | 00 | |
| Mrs. G. Jackson, "Downsview" | | 00 | |
| Mrs. G. Jackson, Downsview | - | 00 | |
| Mr. Hughes, per Mrs. Leigh | | 00 | |
| Mr. Robert Jones, Eglington Net proceeds "All World's Fair" | 3705 | | |
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| Mrs. J. H. McCaul, per Mrs. Robarts | | 00 | |
| W. Barnes, Green River | 10 | | |
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SUBSCRIPTIONS TO THE ORPHANS' HOME, 1887.

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| Brown Brothers 2 00 | J. H. Fyfe | 50 |
| E. H. Dewart 1 00 | J. C. Fawcett | 25 |
| Joseph Rogers 1 00 | Mrs. Fielding | 25 |
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| Mrs. Wakefield (Davenport) 2 00 | S. W. Johnston | 25 |
| Mrs. M. S. Baker 4 00 | Mr. Ketterson | 1 00 |
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RULES AND REGULATIONS

OF THE

Orphan's Home and Hemale Aid Society,

TORONTO.

I. That this Corporation shall consist of all persons Objects of the now on the List of Life Members, as published in the Fifth Annual Report, who are hereby entitled to Life-Membership without being liable to further subscription, and of all other persons whose names appear on the subscription list as published in the Sixth Annual Report, as contributors to the amount of one pound currency, and that these are to have and enjoy all the rights and privileges of membership, so long as they continue subscribers of the same amount paid previous to the first Tuesday of February in each year, and no longer.

II. That should any subscriber of one pound cur- Election of rency desire to become a Member of the Corporation, his or her name must be recommended by two Members to the Secretary, at least one month before each Meeting of the Corporation duly held for the election of members, and that at such meeting his or her electionbe decided upon by ballot.

III. The Meetings of the Society shall be opened Prayer at with prayer.

Objects of Society.

IV. The Society shall, for the present, limit its exertions to affording relief and support to friendless Orphans of all denominations of the Protestant religion, admitted under the regulations hereinafter provided.

Direction to be in twenty Managers.

V. The government of the Society shall be under the direction of twenty Managers, who shall be chosen annually at the General Meeting on the first Tuesday in June in each year, and who shall assume their duties as soon as possible after their election.

Duties of the Managers.

VI. The Managers shall meet monthly, on the last Tuesday of each month, to direct all things necessary for the benefit of the Society. At all meetings of the Managers, five shall form a quorum, for the transaction of business of the Society. One of the Directresses shall preside at all meetings, and if they are absent, a Presiding Directress shall be chosen for the occasion. The Presiding Directress shall propose all questions, declare the decision, and have the casting vote. On the requisition of any three of the Managers, the Secretary may call a meeting of the Managers at any time, giving at least twenty-four hours' notice. Some of the Managers, in such order as they may determine, shall visit the house at least three times a week, to order all things necessary, and shall keep a minute book, in which they shall record their observations on the concerns of the house generally, to be laid before the monthly meeting. They shall investigate the management of the Matron, and the conduct of the inmates, inspect their work, and direct the domestic proceedings of the house. manager is by any means precluded from fulfilling the duties of her office, she shall notify the Secretary thereof before the next monthly meeting in order that a sabstitute may be named for the ensuing month. Managers shall decide upon the claims of applicants for admission to the house, after a perfect investigation relative to the circumstances and situation of the claimant, and shall enquire respecting those persons who may apply to take any of the children as apprentices; and being satisfied of the respectability and competency of such persons to fulfil the terms of the indenture of apprenticeship, shall make the necessary order for apprenticing.

VII. The Treasurer shall keep a register of the Sub- Duties of the scribers and Donors, and shall receive all moneys, and Treasurer. keep an account of the same and of the disbursements; an abstract statement of which shall be presented to the Managers at each of their monthly meetings, and a full statement, with the vouchers of all receipts and disbursements for the year, shall be given to the Managers, to be audited by them, not less than eight days previous to each annual meeting of the Society. The Treasurer shall also inspect and certify the account of the Matron previous to each monthly meeting, and pay no bill without an order of the Managers at such meeting.

VIII. The Secretary shall keep a list of the Mana-Duties of gers, and give them notice of the monthly meetings. Secretary. She shall commence the business of each meeting of the Managers by reading the minutes of the preceding meeting, and the statement of the Treasurer. In case of the sickness or absence of the Secretary, a Secretary pro tem. shall be chosen by the Managers, from among themselves at such meeting. The Secretary shall keep a record of the children's names and ages, the place of their birth, the religious profession of their parents, and the time and circumstances under which each child enters and leaves the house; and shall, at least once in twelve months, enquire, by writing or otherwise, into the state of the children apprenticed by the Society, and, should the person who becomes responsible for the superintending care of them, neglect to fulfil the promise made, she shall inform the Managers thereof. The Secretary shall keep such other books and records as

the Managers may require, and conduct the correspondence of the Society. She shall place in the room in which the Managers meet the names of the Managers, with their places of abode, that any person may know to whom to apply respecting the admission or taking away of any of the children. And lastly, she shall prepare an annual report of the proceedings of the Society, to be approved of by the Managers, containing a statement of accounts and management, to be read at the general meeting of the members of the Society, to be held on the first Tuesday in June in each year; of which annual meeting she shall cause advertisements to be inserted in the newspapers of Toronto, at least three weeks previous to the said first Tuesday in June.

Duties of the Matron.

IX. The Matron shall be elected by the Managers at a monthly meeting, who shall decide on the amount of her salary (unexceptionable certificates having been previously furnished), and she may be removed without notice, if occasion requires. The management of the domestic affairs shall be vested in the Matron, under the supervision of the Managers, who shall provide such other aid as the wants of the house may from time to time require. No relative or friend shall interfere in the management of the children, nor visit them except in the presence of the Matron, nor at any time when such visits are disapproved of by the Managers. A School shall always form part of the establishment, and religious instruction of the Church of England shall be included in the daily education of the School. hours from 9 to 12 a.m., and from 2 to 5 p.m. There shall be such diet as may be approved of by the Mana-The hours of rising and gers or Medical Advisers. retiring shall be at 6 and 9 in summer, and 7 and 8 o'clock in the winter. The Matron shall pass through the dormitories after the hour of retiring, and see that the lights are extinguished and removed. The discipline shall be strictly parental in its character, and the order and decorum of a well-regulated family shall be carefully observed. The Matron is to be particular in her attention to the clergy and strangers who visit the House, and she shall not be absent or sleep out of the House without permission from one of the Managers. Upon the representation of the Matron of the failure in duty of any of the persons hired, she shall be at liberty (with the consent of the Managers) to dismiss them from service. All cases of disobedience to the orders of the Matron by the inmates to be represented to the Managers.

X. The objects of the charity shall consist of three Regulations for the admis-classes—1st. Orphans; 2nd. Children without a Father; sion of Children. 3rd. Children without a Mother. Preference shall be made of applicants in the above order. All applications for the admission of children shall be made in writing to the Managers (under cover to the Secretary), and must be approved of by them; and the admission of the different classes shall be according to the priority of the applications. The election of the candidates for admission shall be determined by the Managers at their monthly meetings, and to such an extent as the funds of the Society will admit. Any of the Managers may nevertheless in their discretion admit children into the Home in the interim, subject to such approval. Children admitted into the Home shall remain under the care of the Matron for at least one year previous to their being apprenticed, unless circumstances may require this rule to be deviated from.

XI. Children are to be retained in the Home until Regulations they are twelve years of age, unless a particular good ticing Children. situation should offer for a child of an earlier age, when the case may be discretionary with the Managers. The friends of the children are allowed the privilege of procuring situations for them if they can do so on as favourable terms as the Managers. Subscribers to the

Society shall always have the preference in the choice of apprentices. Children on attaining the age of twelve years may be apprenticed to such worthy Protestant families as give satisfactory evidence to the Managers, by the certificates of clergymen that they are proper persons to have charge of orphan children. They may also be apprenticed to any trade, provided the same satisfactory evidence be adduced regarding the charac-on leaving shall be furnished with a copy of the Bible and Prayer Book, and be provided with a decent suit No child shall be of clothes adapted to the season. bound to a tavern keeper or person keeping a boarding house, and no female child shall be apprenticed to an unmarried man; and lastly, it shall be particularly covenanted and agreed that a written statement shall be transmitted once a year to the Secretary, of the welfare and condition of the child. Three months after the time of the several annual payments becoming due, if they are not then paid, notice shall be sent to the clergyman who recommended the person as a master, previous to enforcing the discharge of the debt. Form of Indenture of Apprenticeship is appended hereto.

Tuesday in February.

XII. The yearly subscription shall become due and scription to be paid first payable on the first Tuesday in February in every year; and no person who shall not on or before that day have paid their subscription for the year commencing and computed from the first Tuesday in June previous, shall be considered a member of the corporation, or be entitled to vote at any general meeting thereof.

Endowment Fund.

XIII. An Endowment Fund of this Society shall be established, and subscribers thereto of fifty pounds in one sum, or donation of land equivalent to that amount, shall be entitled to nominate one orphan to the charity, who shall be immediately admitted if duly qualified according to the Rules and Regulations. And the said donor, on the death, apprenticeship, or removal of the said orphan, may nominate another in place thereof, so that such donor shall always be entitled to have one orphan in the house during the donor's lifetime.

FORM OF INDENTURE FOR ORPHANS.

This Indenture, made the — day of — in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and —— between the ORPHAN'S HOME AND FEMALE AID SOCIETY, of Toronto, incorporated by Act of the Provincial Parliament of Canada, 14 and 15 Victoria, chapter 34, of the one part; and ----of the other part: WITNESSETH, that the said Corporation (by and with the consent of the minor hereinafter named) hath placed and bound --- a minor child, aged - years and - months, as a - to and with the said party of the second part, from the day of the date hereof, until the --- day of --- which will be in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ---- during all which time the said child shall faithfully serve the said party of the second part, and in all things demean himself as a good and faithful - ought to do. And the said party of the second part in consideration of the labor and services to be received from the said child, doth hereby promise and undertake to feed and clothe the said child in a fit and proper manner, according to the respective station of the parties : to bring up the child in the principles of the Protestant Religion, to instruct the said child in reading and writing; to teach and instruct, or otherwise cause to be taught and instructed, the said child in the art or trade of ----after the best manner that he can - to pay to the said corporation, each year until the expiration of the present Indenture, from the date hereof, the following sums, viz:—at the expiration of the first year, \$6.00; of the second year \$8.00; of the third year, \$10.00; of the fourth year, \$12.00; of fifth year, \$14.00; to be by the said party of the first part placed at interest, for the benefit of the said child and his use when this And also, said party of the second part, with said money, shall transmit a statement in writing to the Secretary of the Corporation, of the condition and welfare of the said child. And lastly, at the expiration of the period of apprenticeship or service, shall provide the said child with a good and new suit of clothes, suitable to the condition of the said child. Provided always, and it is hereby expressly understood, that in the event of the death of the said party of the second part, under whose care the said child is hereby placed, or of treatment inconsistent with the obligations of this Indenture, the party of the first part reserve to themselves the right of resuming their control over the said minor, or taking such other measures for securing his rights as they may be advised.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the said parties to these presents have respectively set their hands and seals, and the seal of the said Corporation, in duplicate, the day and year first above written.

Signed, sealed, and delivered in presence of ——