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OF THE

HOSPITAL FOR SICK CHILDREN

90 JARVIS STREET, TORONTO.

FOR 1887.

A WORK OF FAITH.

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MEMORANDUM

FOR THE INFORMATION OF PERSON'S WHO MAY DESIRE TO
LEAVE MONEY OR PROPERTY, BY WILL, TO THE
HOSPITAL FOR SICK CHILDREN.

THE HOSPITAL can legally receive any amount of money which may be given or bequeathed.

The Hospital can also take by gift, devise, or bequest any lands or tenements, or any interest therein, the annual value of which does not exceed \$1,000, provided the gift, devise, or bequest is made at least six months before the death of the person making the same.

The clause in the Will may be in the following form :—

“ I give, devise bequeath to the Hospital for Sick Children, at Toronto, the sum of dollars ; and also [describing lands or real property intended to be devised.”]

In cases where death is apprehended within six months, and when, therefore, the devise of lands would probably fail, it will be advisable to put the bequest in this form :—

“ I give and bequeath to the Hospital for Sick Children, at Toronto, the sum of dollars, to be raised and paid out of my money and personal effects.” If the bounty is intended for the branch of the Hospital called the Lakeside Home, or for any especial purpose, as for endowing a Cot, the purpose should be specified. In such cases the form may be to the following effect :—

“ I give and bequeath to the Hospital for Sick Children at Toronto ; for the use of the Lakeside Home, [or for the maintenance of a Cot to be called The Cot,] the sum of, etc.”

The Capital sum required for the endowment of a Cot is about \$2,000.

HOSPITAL FOR SICK CHILDREN.

90 JARVIS STREET, TORONTO.

For the relief of Children as OUT-PATIENTS, from birth to the age of fourteen years ; and for the reception of Children as IN-PATIENTS from the age of two years up to fourteen years.

No children suffering from *SMALL-POX*, or other infectious or any incurable disease, can be admitted into the Hospital.

The Parents or Guardians of Patients coming from the country are earnestly requested to communicate with the Matron a few days (if possible) before the presentation of the patient, to ascertain whether the case is suitable for admission, or whether there is a vacancy in the Hospital. Such communication must be accompanied by a certificate from the Medical Attendant stating the nature of the disease.

Parents or friends of patients are not allowed to give to the children *anything* but fruit and that only with the consent of the nurse in charge.

The Hospital is open daily for inspection (Sundays excepted), from 2 to 4 p.m., and the Committee invite all persons interested to visit it.

The Committee beg to intimate that donations of worn-out table, bed or other linen, articles of children's clothing, children's books and toys, will be most acceptable to the Charity.

Friends are requested to send their contributions to MRS. SAMUEL Mc-MASTER, who will be happy to give every information, and to whom all drafts and Post Office Orders should be made payable.

The Hospital is supported by contributions, VOLUNTARY, in the fullest sense of the word. And as there is no canvassing for funds, friends will kindly send such subscriptions as their generous hearts, guided by God's Spirit, may prompt, and state whether their gifts are for General Expenses, Building Fund, or Lakeside Home.

TRUSTEES.

HON. C. S. PATTERSON. HENRY O'BRIEN, ESQ.	 ——— WILLIAM GOODERHAM, ESQ.	E. B. OSLER, ESQ. HON. J. A. BOYD.
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COMMITTEE.

MISS MARIA BUCHAN	125 Bloor Street East.
MRS. W. G. P. CASSELS	84 Grosvenor Street.
“ R. DONALD, jun.	128 Robert Street.
“ JOHN HARVIE	24 Wilcocks Street.
“ W. H. HOWLAND	Queen's Park.
“ H. HOWLAND, jun.	217 McCaul Street.
“ HOUGH	29 St. Mary Street.
“ W. S. LEE	304 Jarvis Street.
“ S. F. McMASTER	28 Oxford Street.
“ MANDEVILLE MERRITT	88 St. Alban's Street.
“ HENRY O'BRIEN	333 Sherbourne Street.

<i>President,</i>	<i>Secretary,</i>	<i>Treasurer.</i>
MRS. McMASTER.	MRS. R. DONALD, jun.	MISS MARIA BUCHAN.

MEDICAL STAFF.

CONSULTING MEDICAL OFFICERS.

DR. R. U. OGDEN	Residence	18 Carlton Street.
DR. W. T. ATKINS	“	282 Jarvis Street.
DR. H. H. WRIGHT	“	275 Sherbourne Street.
DR. J. G. GRAHAM	“	66 Gerrard Street.
DR. J. THORBURN	“	106 Wellington Street.
DR. GEORGE WRIGHT	“	243 Simcoe Street.

ATTENDING MEDICAL OFFICERS.

MONDAY	DR. NEVITT, 168 Jarvis Street.
TUESDAY	DR. F. W. ROSS, 252 Wellesley Street.
WEDNESDAY	DR. MACHELL, 320 Spadina Avenue.
THURSDAY	DR. CAMERON, 278 Sherbourne Street.
FRIDAY	DR. FRANK KRAUSS, 35 Elm Street.
SATURDAY	DR. McPHAEDRAN, 84 College Avenue.

Each member of the Staff retaining such patients as he may admit.

OPHTHALMIC SURGEONS.

DR. REEVE	26 Shuter Street.
DR. RYERSON	60 College Avenue.

REGULATIONS FOR ATTENDANCE AND ADMISSION.

The Classes of Children admitted to the Hospital are the following :—

Sick children, destitute and friendless.

Sick children whose parents, owing to poverty, are unable to care for them.

Sick children who, from various circumstances, cannot receive the necessary care and attention at home, but whose friends are willing to contribute somewhat towards the expense actually incurred in their maintenance.

The Committee of the Hospital, unwilling to foster pauperism, have strictly enforced the rule of remuneration to *some* extent, whenever the relatives of applicants have been in a position to afford it.

Medical advice and prescriptions are given every day at two o'clock p.m. ; out-patients are also visited and treated at their homes.

Parents and others from whom children are received into the Hospital shall be required to sign an application for admission, in a form approved by the Committee, which shall state the terms on which the patient is received, and contain an agreement on the part of the applicant to be bound thereby.

In-patients are seen at two p.m., daily.

Out-patients are seen at two p.m., daily Sundays excepted.

No child can be admitted unless brought by some grown person.

No child should be brought unless needing medical or surgical relief.

Persons desirous of obtaining medical advice for their children as out-patients must apply at the Hospital at two in the afternoon.

The visiting days for parents and friends shall be Monday and Wednesday, and no more than two shall be admitted to see any patient at a time,

The attendants are bound strictly to enforce these Regulations, which are intended to promote the general comfort. It is hoped that the friends of patients will feel it to be their duty to conform to these rules, and to behave with propriety to the attendants.

Patients once dismissed for breach of Regulations cannot be re-admitted to the benefits of the Hospital.

The Managing Committee will give immediate attendance to all complaints. These must be made in writing, and signed by the party making the complaint.

MEDICAL REPORT FOR 1887.

Cases treated from October 1st, 1886, to September 30th, 1887	127
“ still in Hospital	33
“ died	6
“ discharged	88

ANALYSIS OF DISEASES, WITH RESULTS.

DISEASES.	NO. OF CASES.	CURED.	IMPROVED.	UN- IMPROVED.	DIED.
Synovitis—knee	2	1			1
“ —ankle	2		2		
Psoas Abscess	1		1		
Hip-joint Disease	24	4	9	11	
Pott's Disease	8	3	3	2	
Epilepsy	3		2	1	
Necrosis	7	2	2	3	
Caries	4		2	2	
Paralysis Infantile	12		7	5	
“ Traumatic	1		1		
Hernia	3		2	1	
Ulcers	1	1			
Ankylosis of knee	2		2		
Arthritis—chronic	1		1		
Burn	3		3		
Strumous Abscess	4		2	2	
Pneumonia	5	4			1
Pleurisy	2	2			
Bronchitis	1		1		
Tonsillitis	2	2			
Syphilis—hereditary	9		6	3	
Idiocy	5		2	3	
General Debility	4	1	3		
Rheumatism	2		2		
Otorrhœa	5	1	4		
Chorea	2		2		
Tubercular Meningitis	2				2
Laryngeal Stenosis	2		2		
Lupus	1	1			
Abscess of Brain	1			1	
Onychia	1			1	
Tinea Tonsorans	2		2		
Tuberculosis	1				1
Cleft Palate	1			1	
Heart Disease	1				1
Totals	127	22	63	36	6

THE LAKESIDE HOME.

MEDICAL REPORT FOR 1887.

ANALYSIS OF DISEASES, WITH RESULTS.

DISEASE.	NO. OF CASES.	CURED.	IMPROVED.	UN- IMPROVED.	DIED.
Ankylosis (of knee)	1		1		
Arthritis (of knee)	2		1	1	
“ (of ankle)	1		1		
Anæmia	4	2	2		
Conjunctivitis	1	1			
Cicatrical Contraction	1		1		
Convalescent	3	3			
Chorea	1	1			
Debility	15	10	4	1	
Epilepsy	2			2	
Heart Disease	1			1	
Hip Joint Disease	11	3	7	1	
Hernia	1		1		
Idiocy	2		1	1	
Keratitis, Syphilitic	2	2			
Malnutrition	5	4	1		
Necrosis	3	1		2	
Otitis, external and medium	2		2		
Onychia	1			1	
Pott's Disease of Spine	4	3	1		
Paralysis	3		2	1	
Phthisis	2		1	1	
Syphilis, Congenital	1		1		
Stenosis of Larynx	1	1			
Scrofula	2		2		
Talipes Varus	2	1	1		
Totals	74	32	30	12	

During their residence at the Lakeside Home, a large proportion of the children gained in weight, and a considerable proportion of those classified above as “Unimproved” as regards the special disease for which they were under treatment, shewed an improvement in this respect. Moreover, nearly all the children who were resident in the Home for any considerable time, acquired a general improvement in health, and a ruggedness of constitution which can neither be classified nor expressed in terms of weight.

The following suggestions are respectfully submitted:—

(a). That a small dispensary be established at the Home and equipped with such drugs as might be required in an emergency.

(b). That provision be made for the prompt isolation of infectious cases, or those suspected to be such. In the absence of the requisite space in the present building, a properly equipped tent would answer the purpose admirably.

(c). That a department be established for the admission of infants under the age of two years. The rapid improvement made by the few such patients who were in the Home this year, appears to indicate that such a department would be eminently beneficial.

GEO. A. PETERS.

RULES

FINALLY PASSED BY THE COMMITTEE, 11TH DECEMBER, 1878.

1. The Committee mentioned in the Declaration of Incorporation, as the first Committee, consisted of the following, viz. : [*Naming twenty-two ladies*].

2. The Committee shall continue to consist of such of the above named ladies and of no others, as shall remain Members of it, as provided in the Declaration of Incorporation ; so long as the number shall not be reduced below ten.

3. The Regular Meeting of the Committee shall be held at the Hospital on the first Friday in each month at 12 o'clock.

4. Four Members of the Committee present at any regular meetings or meeting called by notice to all the members, shall be a Quorum.

5. Any member who fails to attend the regular meetings for three consecutive months, shall cease to be a member of the Committee. But failure to attend, by illness or absence from the city, shall not create a vacancy until the end of six months.

6. Every vacancy occasioned by non-attendance, resignation or death, shall be noted in the minutes of the next regular meeting ; or if then by inadvertence omitted, shall be noted in the minutes of some other regular meeting.

7. Vacancies which reduce the Committee to a smaller number than ten may be filled at any Regular or Special Meeting of the Committee, provided that notice of the intention so to do shall have been sent to each member of the Committee a week before the meeting is held.

8. One of the Committee shall be appointed as Visitor for each week ; and shall visit the Hospital daily, or procure another member of the Committee to do so in her place.

9. The Committee will avail themselves of the assistance of ladies who may be disposed to aid in the work of the Hospital by reading and singing with the patients, or in other ways contributing to their instruction or amusement.

10. The Medical Staff shall consist of the Consulting Physicians and Attending Physicians, appointed from time to time by the Committee.

11. Children shall be received as In-patients from two to fourteen years of age ; and Out-patients from birth to fourteen years of age may be brought for medical advice.

12. No child suffering from small-pox or other infectious disease can be admitted.

13. Presents of toys or other things to any patient shall belong to the child only while in the Hospital, and for its use and amusement there ; and shall not (unless when given by its parents or guardians) be given away or taken from the Hospital without the consent of the Committee ; when such consent is not given they shall be left as the property of the Hospital.

14. The visiting days for parents or friends shall be Monday and Wednesday, and not more than two shall be permitted to see any patient at a time.

15. *Parents and others from whom children are received into the Hospital shall be required to sign an application for admission, on a form approved by the Committee, which shall state the terms on which the patient is received, and contain an agreement on the part of the applicant to be bound thereby.*

16. Notices required by these Rules to be given by members of the Committee shall be sufficient if given by prepaid letter or postal card, mailed to the address of the Member.

17. No admendment to these Rules, whether by addition or alteration, shall be made except in one of the following cases, viz. :

1. When all the members of the Committee agree to the admendment ;
2. When the admendment has been proposed at the Regular Meeting next before that at which it is to be passed ;
3. When a copy of the proposed admendment has been given to each member of the Committee, at least a week before the Regular Meeting at which it is proposed to pass it, with notice that it will be proposed at such meeting.

HOSPITAL FOR SICK CHILDREN.

A WORK OF FAITH.

TWELFTH ANNUAL REPORT.

"Ask and it shall be given you."—Luke, 11, 9.

"Wait on the Lord; be of good courage, and He shall strengthen thine heart; wait, I say, on the Lord."—Ps. 27, 14.

"Thy God hath commanded thy strength: strengthen, O God, that which Thou hast wrought for us."—Ps. 68, 28.

More than fourteen years ago, two Christian women belonging to Toronto, became deeply impressed with the very great necessity which existed, for the establishment of an Hospital for Sick Children. In visiting the poor and sick they found many little ones, languishing and dying, for the want of pure air, good nursing, and proper nourishment. After many months of waiting on God in prayer, at length, led as they believed by the Holy Spirit, they resolved to publish in the city newspapers, a plain statement of the needs of these sick children, and await results. The response was hearty and sympathetic, and the ladies were encouraged by promises of support, not only from friends in the city, but elsewhere, in case they decided to establish the hospital. The receipt of \$90.00, sent anonymously from the town of F—, left them no alternative but to "go forward," and other contributions following rapidly, clearly indicated that the movement was of the Lord.

From the first it was understood, that all gifts should be voluntary, as the following extract from the first circular, issued in the interests of the projected Hospital, will show: "In securing means to establish the institution, we do not intend to solicit help from any one, further than to give information relative to plans, purposes and wants; believing that if the work is of the Lord, He holdeth the hearts of all men in His hand, and will dispose them to assist in such manner as may be needed. There will therefore be no canvassing the city for funds, contributions will be voluntary in the fullest sense of the word. Those interested will not go into debt, but will begin in a small and economical way, believing that the seed, if of the Lord's planting, will grow."

A preliminary meeting was held in the month of February, 1875, when it was reported that \$277.79 were in the treasury, besides materials of various kinds, and several articles of furniture. Soon after a building on Avenue St. was rented, and on the 23rd March, following the preliminary meeting, the Hospital for Sick Children was opened with a service of prayer and praise. A little band of praying women gathered around the originators of the enterprise, and these met every Friday morning for prayer. They followed literally the injunction of the apostle, and in *everything* by prayer and supplication, with thanksgiving, made their requests known unto God. No matter how simple the need, it was brought to the Hearer and Answerer of prayer, and though there were many discouragements, and though answers to importunate prayers were often delayed, their hearts and minds were kept, through Christ Jesus, in perfect peace.

The house on Avenue St., though it contained eleven rooms, which was ample at the beginning, was soon found to be insufficient to accommodate the applicants, and in less than two years the Hospital was removed to a large detached house on Seaton St. This building, though roomy and airy, was unsuitable in many respects, and destitute of Hospital conveniences and appliances. Earnest prayer was for some time offered, not only for direction in the choice of a house, but for the provision of a suitable one. In answer to this petition, the committee were providentially led to a comfortable house, on the corner of Elizabeth and College Sts., which property was eventually purchased, with some adjoining lots, the intention being, to erect, at some future time, a new Hospital, suitable to the necessities of a growing city like Toronto. The applications for admission increased rapidly, and the want of sufficient accommodation was felt to be a serious injury to the work. The new building, however, was delayed, as the funds for its erection were not in hand. In the meantime the house on Elizabeth St. fell into decay, and in the month of October, 1886, the children were removed to 90 Jarvis St., the building now in use.

While God, doubtless for His own wise purposes, thus delayed the commencement of the new Hospital, He was blessing the efforts of His children, in another and most important direction. The hearts of kind and generous friends were drawn out in sympathy for the weakly children, who with pale faces, and tottering steps, try to play in the narrow streets, lanes and cramped back yards of our city, through the scorching summer days, and as a result, the Lakeside, or Convalescent Home for delicate Children, was opened on the Island, in connection with the Hospital for Sick Children, in 1884. Fully one hundred children can be accommodated at the Lakeside Home, and the plan followed, which was suggested by Mr. J. R. R., the friend who contributed largely to its erection, is, to receive first, the convalescent children from the Hospital, then open the Home to feeble children in the city or elsewhere, who need change of air.

During the present year the members of the committee, for the first time since the founding of the Hospital, have felt themselves in a position to build, as in addition to the use of \$20,000, which is available, as a bequest, on condition of the payment for a limited period, of an annuity, the city contributed the noble sum of \$20,000, to be applied to the erection of Children's Hospital, to be called the Victoria Hospital, in commemoration of the jubilee year, of the reign of the Queen's most excellent majesty.

This generous gift was suggested by some members of the city council, and approved by several, as a suitable recognition of the Queen's Jubilee; other suggestions were made, and upon consideration it was decided to submit all these schemes to the vote of the people. The result was, that the by-law giving \$20,000 for the erection of an Hospital for children, was carried by a majority. Other sums had been promised, which made the amount available for the new building in the neighborhood of \$45,000.

A Building Committee, representing the ladies who manage the affairs of the Hospital, the trustees, the physicians, the citizens and the city council, was appointed in the month of June, as follows: Mrs. McMaster, Miss Buchan, Chancellor Boyd, Chief Justice Patterson, Dr. Machell, Dr. Ross, Mr. J. J. Withrow, Mr. J. R. Robertson, the Mayor, and Chairman of Executive Committee, city council. Some of the best Children's Hospitals in Britain and the United States were visited by members of the Building Committee and others interested, and Mr. J. R. Robertson was so pleased with the new Hospital for Sick Children at Garnethill, Glasgow, which he visited, that he requested the architect to prepare copies of the plans used, agreeing if they were not accepted, to bear the expense of the drawings himself. It is needless to say that the plans were accepted, when they were placed in the hands of Messrs. Darling & Currie, our architects, who have modified them somewhat, to suit our circumstances and location. We may

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say here, that for some months the Committee had been undecided in the choice of a site, at length, however, the old site, corner of Elizabeth and College Sts., was definitely settled upon, and the probability is, that building operations will shortly be commenced.

The receipts for the Hospital have been larger this year than ever before, and amount to the sum of \$6,852.20; for the Lakeside Home, \$1,984.59. Expenditure as follows: the Hospital, \$6,855.28; Lakeside Home, \$2,073.11. Total received, \$8,836.79; total expended, \$8,928.39. Balance against the Hospital, \$91.60

The City Council has again this year, kindly given us the sum of \$600 for current expenses. This gift was very gratefully received as our outlay for the year had been great, owing to the amounts required for repairs to building on Jarvis St., and the expense of altering and otherwise improving defective plumbing work, which had been performed under the supervision of a firm in the city. After diphtheria had twice broken out, and other effects of bad drainage and deficient plumbing were very evident, it was decided to request the Inspector of Sanitation, Mr. A. McDougall, to investigate and to report as speedily as possible, as to the sanitary condition of the house, drainage, etc.

A perusal of the following correspondence will show, that the re-doing of the plumbing, which, with the bills for work done first time, amounted to the large sum of \$1,400, was not the result of whim or caprice, but was an imperative necessity in the circumstances:—

TORONTO, Jan. 14, 1887.

To the Managers of the Sick Children's Hospital;

As requested by Miss B. we have examined the plumbing work of your building, corner of Jarvis and Lombard Sts., and find it in a dangerously bad sanitary condition, it being so constructed that the traps on the various fixtures are of no use, and the gases from the drain can and do escape into the building without interruption. If the fixtures were removed we would likely see more to complain of, but without their removal we see enough to condemn the work. We believe the drain under the building is bad, but cannot ascertain its true condition without taking up the floor in basement.

Yours very respectfully,

B. & W.

TORONTO, January 22, 1887.

Re Sick Children's Hospital:

DEAR MRS. McM.,—I had hoped to see you yesterday, knowing it was your Board day, to let you know what state the drains were in. I am sorry to say, I found an open 6-inch drain under the kitchen floor, in direct connection with the sewer; also one cracked pipe, and some bad joints in the pipe laid under the floor by plumbers; a very bad drain under the floor of the small room off the kitchen, with some broken pipes and open joint from which a very foul smell came. The plumber's work has not been well done, there were plenty of holes for the sewer air to enter the bath rooms. The plumbers who are now working have strict orders to keep all the pipes tightly closed to prevent sewer air entering the bath rooms. I am very pleased to learn to-day that Miss C. and Nurse T. are both progressing very favorably.

Sincerely yours,

A. McDOUGALL.

May 11, 1887.

The Secretary, Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto:

DEAR MADAM,—I forward Messrs. B. & W.'s account for altering the plumbing work, amounting to \$444.42. It is a large account; the work was

done under great difficulties, and no money spent except what was absolutely necessary. I will be glad to give you any explanations you may require.

Faithfully yours,
A. McDOUGALL.

One hundred and twenty-seven patients have been admitted to the Hospital during the year; of this number 22 have been discharged cured, 63 improved, 36 unimproved, and 6 have died. Others, who greatly needed hospital treatment, could have been admitted but for the fact that, in Ontario, we seem to have no institution where weak-minded children, not quite imbeciles, can be sheltered. We have in the Hospital now, three or four such children who, months ago, were pronounced ready for discharge. We have applied for their admission to several Homes and Institutions, but in every instance the reply has been, that the case does not come within the rules of admission of such Home or Institution. An "Open Door" for these poor little weak lambs of the Saviour's fold, these sufferers who, in many instances, are bearing in their deformed bodies, and stunted intellects, the sins of others, these "odds and ends" of childish humanity, is a necessity which appeals most strongly, to all that is tender and Christ-like in the hearts of the Lord's children.

B. H., a most winning little girl, whose limbs are weak, and to whom the power of speech has been denied, is a case of this kind. The superintendent of the Institution for the Deaf and Dumb at Belleville, agreed to take B. for three months, as an experiment. At the end of that time, however, she was returned as being unable to receive instruction, through the methods used in teaching the deaf and dumb. B. is a pretty, affectionate, interesting child, and we are now asking the Lord to influence the heart of some kind Christian woman to take her for His sake, and in His name.

Another case is that of L. C., who, two years ago, was removed from the Haven to the Hospital, by Mrs. T. G. B., who continues to pay for her. The child is perfectly well, but she is worse than friendless and destitute (a relative, it will be remembered, burned her hands and most cruelly used the poor helpless imbecile, attempting to make money by her weaknesses), and we cannot send her into the street, or into the hands of those who would thus abuse her.

At date we have in the Hospital 15 cots, supported by individuals, Sunday Schools and Societies. This number does not include the "Children's Cot," nor the "Canadian Children's Cot." Three cots, supported last year, have been given up, viz., the "Ethel Cot," kept by Mrs. E. B.; the "Hope Cot," supported by Bond St. Church Bible Class; and the "Alpha Cot," maintained by the All Saints Church Sunday School. (NOTE.—All Saints Sunday School is establishing a new cot, which is to be called "All Saints Alpha Cot.") But God has graciously inclined the hearts of other kind friends to establish new ones, and thus the number stands, as it did in last report.

The "Rolleston Cot," kept by Mrs. Neville's school for many years now. Patient, H. G., a little lad of 7 years of age, afflicted with hip disease. Has been in the Hospital more than a year.

The "Violet Cot," maintained by Judge A. of B—. Occupant, A. L., child 3 years old; disease, ulcers on the face and neck.

The "Our Cot," supported by Queen St. Methodist Sunday School. Patient, M. J. C., a dear wee child of 5 years old, troubled with hip disease.

The "Oddfellow's Cot," maintained by this organization. Occupant, H. P., 7 years of age, a very interesting boy, who always has a text ready to repeat. He too suffers from hip disease.

The "Amy Macdonald Cot," kept by Hon. J. Macd—. Patient, E. C., another case of hip disease, age 7 years.

"Freddy's Cot," supported by Mr. P. of B—. Occupant, F. H., afflicted with sore ear and head, age 5 years.

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Enquiries

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FACES AT THE LAKESIDE HOME.

The "St. James' Cathedral Sunday School Cot." Patient, M. W., 4 years old ; disease, scrofula.

"St. Paul's Church Sunday School Cot." Occupant, M. H., a little girl of seven years of age ; complaint, an affection of the hip.

The "Ernest Cot," kept by Mr. E. Patient, C. C., a boy of 10, whose leg has been amputated.

The "Mary Helen Cot," supported by Mrs. J. I. D. Occupant, B. McG., 6 years old, suffering from hip disease.

The "Isabella Cot," maintained by Mrs. W. C. Patient, M. T., a little girl of 8 years, afflicted with hip disease.

The "Ministering Children's League Cot," kept by the Ministering Children's League. Occupant, M. C., 4 years old ; disease, white swelling.

The "Orillia Cot," supported by the citizens of Orillia. Patient, J. P., boy of 12 years, suffering from an affection of the knee joint. The friends supporting this cot manifest much interest in the welfare of their protege, they collected quite a large sum of money, and purchased a splint for the last occupant of their cot, and the infant class of St. James' Sunday School, Orillia, always send toys at Christmas.

The "Consolidated Cot," supported by members of Committee. Occupant, J. R., 4 years old ; disease, an affection of the spine.

Two half cots, "Faith Cot," and the "Preston Cot." Occupant J. K., a bright little girl of 10, who suffers with spinal disease, and has been in the Hospital several years now. The "Faith Cot" is maintained by St. Peter's Church Sunday School, and the "Preston Cot," by friends in Preston.

The "Children's Cot" is maintained by monies contributed by children, and the fund for the support of the "Canadian Children's Cot," is managed by ladies not belonging to the Hospital Committee. These friends have met with most satisfactory success in their laudable project. A report of contributions received by them, for the accumulation of this fund, to be placed at interest, such interest to be used for the maintenance of the "Canadian Children's Cot," will be found on another page.

Though the building is old and dingy, our wards are very bright and cheerful. Pretty pictures, mottoes, and Bible texts, cover the walls, potted plants stand in the windows, and cut flowers beside the beds. Fresh flowers are not rare in the wards of the Hospital for Sick Children, which is owing, not only to the loving thoughtfulness of individuals, but to the kindness of the ladies of the Young Women's Christian Temperance Union, who visited both the Hospital and the Lakeside Home weekly through the summer, bringing with them sweet bouquets of flowers, a little card attached to each on which a Bible text was printed, or painted by hand. Since the winter days have come, the "Y.'s" continue their visits, but instead of flowers, bring jellies and other delicacies. While there are many quiet ones in our wards, who never gambol or play about, but who, nevertheless, when free from pain, amuse themselves quietly in bed, with toys or books, sounds of joyous laughter and merry voices in gleeful sports, are not infrequent. A great source of amusement last summer was an aquarium, filled with shining gold fish, the gift of a little girl, who was so sorry the sick children "could not have birds in a cage," on account of the noise, she thought she must send them some "fishes in a cage."

We have one large ward for the girls, and two on the upper flat for the boys. There is also the "Silent Chamber," where our very sick children can be kept quiet. Dear W. M. was taken home to Jesus from this *silent* room in the summer. Mr. E. very kindly spent much time and thought in furnishing this ward. In the new Hospital we shall have two wards for destitute children, one for girls, called "God's Lilies," a second for boys, named "God's Sparrows." The intention is, that as long as there is a vacancy in these wards, no destitute ailing child in the city, if known, shall suffer for the want of medical treatment and good nursing.

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Our daily provision comes in answer to united prayer. The weekly meeting is held regularly throughout the entire year, and the faith of those who meet there from week to week grows stronger as they note the wonderful way in which God leads them, and from day to day feeds the children under their care. God has many ways of supplying our wants. At one time He sends money, at another it is food, clothing, or medicine, and again a parcel of "M——'s Mottled Wrappers." It will be remembered that early in the year the firm of M. & Co., soap manufacturers, announced that it would divide the sum of \$1,000 among several of the charities of the city, the largest amount to be given to the charity having the largest number of "M——'s Mottled Wrappers," at a certain date. These "Wrappers" came pouring in to the Hospital, many of the parcels being anonymous. At the specified date the number sent by the Hospital was in advance of any other institution, and we received the sum of \$232.00. We mention this as an illustration of the many channels through which our daily provision is sent.

The year has been one of care and anxiety in the household, owing partly to the unsettled state of the house during the repairs, and the serious illness of Miss C——, our beloved matron, and two or three of our faithful nurses. But God's preserving care was over our family, and our matron, nurses and helpers are now in fairly good health. For some months the nurses held a Gospel Meeting in the M. Lodging House, a Bible class in the city paying the rent of room, the students of Knox College assisting, but just as good results began to be evident, the proprietor ordered the meetings to be discontinued.

The services held by the students in the Hospital have been specially delightful this year, and are much prized by the children. The hour of service on Sunday afternoon is now free from interruptions, as parents and relatives are not allowed to visit patients on Sunday, but on Mondays and Wednesdays. The Hospital is open every afternoon to visitors, except on Sunday. A few faithful friends continue their self-imposed task of coming weekly to make and mend. These workers have no special name, but they might well be called the "on duty" band. They need no thanks from us, for the Lord will say to them "I was naked and ye clothed me."

Sincere thanks are presented to Messrs. C. B—— for 12 barrels of biscuits ; to the G's Ice Co., for ice during the season ; to little Miss McC., for aquarium ; to kind friend from Queen St. Methodist Church, for \$1.00 monthly, and many amusing sketches for the children ; to Mr. M., for set of bottles for dispensary ; to B. & W., new plumbers, for cheque for \$50.00 ; to Mr. J. R. R., for sleigh drives for the children all winter, twice a week ; to some of the ladies of Committee, for jars of canned fruit ; to Mr. E. R. O., for rent of building for the entire year ; to Mr. H. S. A., painting and varnishing to the amount of \$25.00 ; to Mr. E. R., for 1 ton of coal ; to Mr. D. W. K., for plumbing, amount \$1.58 ; to Mr. J. R. R., for furniture, amount \$100 ; to Mrs. P., for knitted underwear, valued at \$50.00 ; to Mr. E. R. O., for loan of \$1,110 since Dec., 1885, without interest (amount borrowed to purchase land adjoining the old site), and to the many, many other kind friends whose gifts will be found recorded on another page.

Our Christmas was a happy, merry time, though an epidemic of measles prevented the carrying out of some of the arrangements, and detained the Misses M., who had for weeks been busy making gifts for the Christmas tree, from being present to see the joy of the children. Miss O. B., however, kindly completed the work so well begun, and the delight of the children was simply indescribable. Donations of almost every conceivable thing flowed in, until there was more than enough, and our good matron carried baskets of toys and eatables to the poor starved children in the neighborhood, who had never in their whole lives seen so many good things. The Misses B., as usual, now for a number of years, supplied a sumptuous Christmas dinner, and on the Wednesday following Santa Claus dispensed the gifts, which hung in profusion on the "fairy tree."

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The annual public thanksgiving service was held at the Hospital on the afternoon of April 7th, Rev. Dr. C., Rev. P. McF. Macleod, Rev. H. M. P., Rev. H. J., and others. addressed the meeting, after which refreshments were served by the Committee. The meeting was profitable to all present.

We close the record of this year of Hospital work with sincere gratitude to God in our hearts. We have received larger sums of money than ever before, and an increased number of donations of every kind, and we look out upon the responsibilities of building and furnishing our new Hospital, and caring for double the number of children as at present, without fear or misgiving, feeling sure that "the Lord will provide."

THE LAKESIDE HOME.

For four summers now, the Lakeside Home for little children at the Island has been open; and in that period, the warm sunshine, careful nursing, and the pure fresh air, with which every breeze seems laden, have transformed many puny, ailing sufferers, into healthy, hearty children. The house is large and comfortable and with its roomy verandahs, stands alone at the south-west point of the Island, where without hindrance, the balmy breezes of Ontario blow, and fluttering in at the open windows, softly kiss the wan cheeks of the children, tinging them with the rosy glow of health.

Convalescents from the Hospital for Sick Children spend the summer at the Island Home (even W. M., our dying lad, was taken over and much enjoyed his visit), and delicate children, who require change of air, from the various institutions are welcomed, and lastly weakly children of the city, who never go to the country, never see the green grass, or hear the birds sing, and who live in tenement houses, or in back rooms, or lodgings in crowded allies and lanes, are invited to sojourn in this happy, pleasant Home, the only condition of admission being freedom from infectious diseases.

Seventy-seven children were admitted during the season, some remaining several weeks, and others for a fortnight only. Those who could run about spent the summer days, digging in the sand, gathering stones and shells, or paddling in the water, while others rested in their cots on the wide verandahs, for hours, seemingly never weary, watching the yachts as they floated gracefully with white wings spread, on the blue waves, or straining their eager eyes, to catch the first glimpse of an incoming or outgoing steamer.

Miss S. with her band of cheery, tender nurses, managed her large family admirably, the following account of the organization of a society in the household presents to the readers an idea of the methods whereby the family life was preserved peaceful, pure, and good. The matron, children, nurses, and helpers, united in forming a "Peace Society," badges with the word peace inscribed were worn, and any individual who exhibited a cross, quarrelsome or naughty disposition, was obliged to turn his or her badge wrong side out, and wear it in this fashion until bed time—Susan Coolidge's touching little poem, "In Sickness," expresses perfectly the kind of gospel teaching our children, both in the Hospital for Sick Children and Lakeside Home secure.

IN SICKNESS.

When the world is dark and sad,
And I do not care to play,
And the happy times I had
Seem to melt and fade away,
And the merry sounds without,
Where the other children are,
Every laugh and call and shout,
Falls as with a heavy jar
On my hot head and hot cheek,
And I frightened am, and weak.

Then the only thing that is
Comforting and cool and bright,
Is to lie and think of this,
As my mother said I might,—

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That when children keep their beds,
Sick and sorrowful and drear,
When sick hearts and aching heads,
Then it is that God draws near;
Then it is He comes and stays
All the weary nights and days.

Friends and nurses may forget,
(So she says) or fall asleep,
But the great Lord never yet
Failed his loving watch to keep.
Close he holds my little hands,
Though I do not see him there;
Close beside my bed he stands
Listening to my every prayer.
All the night-time dark and long
God is there, so kind and strong.

All my pains and aches he knows,
Every time I fret or cry,—
For the Lord's eyes never close;
Now he helps me silently,
Whispers thoughts to make me brave.
Soothes my terrors with a touch,
Tells me he is strong to save,
And he loves me—oh, so much!
And I think, since this is true,
I should patient be; don't you?

They know that God loves them, that Jesus saves them, that He cares and pities them if they suffer, that He watches beside them in the day-time and better still, in the dark and silent night; that he hears their prayers, and often sends them rest and sleep, quieting their pain, when they ask Him, and in general our little ones are very patient and quiet. A weekly meeting for the study of God's word and prayer, open to all the members of the household, was held throughout the summer by the President on Wednesday evening. Several attending this service professed conversion, and since one of these was called to enter into rest. The children often held little prayer meetings of their own, and frequently when the house was full of noise and bustle the necessary accompaniment of a family of 70, some of the children, or two or three of the nurses and helpers would have a "quiet half hour" with God in the pretty tent presented by Miss S. and a number of Island campers. It must not be supposed that our children are never naughty or wilful. Far from it, they are real children, and though some are prematurely old, through pain, they are merry, sorrowful, or mischievous as ordinary children. It is no unusual thing indeed to see in passing through the wards some merry sprite with his curly head in a pillow case, or a thin sheet covering the face, or to observe a little convalescent girl with a subdued expression of countenance, quietly undressing and going to bed. But all these punishments are given in a loving, tender spirit, and the mind of the culprit is impressed with the truth, that the worst feature of the naughty action is that it is against God, that it grieves Him, which is the cause of punishment. Our sick little ones are not selfish, but on the contrary very generous as the following pretty incident will show: M., a helper in the household, was one of God's poor ones, and possessed only one pair of stockings, and those not very good. M. L., a dear little girl, received from friends three pairs nice warm stockings, and at once she ran with one pair to M., telling her to put them on "right off so her feet wouldn't be cold."

Six cots were supported at the Lakeside Home this season by individuals or organizations : Cost of maintenance, \$25, "Little Ida's Cot," kept by Mrs. H. D.; "Bethesda Cot," supported by young men's Bible class, Queen street Methodist Church; "Jubilee Cot," maintained by ten little girls, who held a bazaar to obtain the necessary sum; "Wylie Cot," kept by the Oddfellows' Society; "Adelaide Cot," supported by "a sympathizer" Brockville, Bond Street Cot," by Mr. Y's Bible Class Bond Street Church. It may be explained that where a child, occupying a cot at the Hospital, is sent to the Lakeside Home, the Treasurer acknowledges one-fourth of the amount given to the Hospital for the maintenance of such cot as sent to the Lakeside Home.

The Government now allows the sum of fifteen cents per day, for each child in the Lakeside Home as in the Hospital. Formerly the rate was seven cents and the committee was thus at considerable loss in transferring children from the Hospital to the Home. The committees of the various children's institutions in the city were invited to send their invalid children to the Lakeside Home, each to remain a fortnight or more, but the Haven and Boys Home, only accepted as the inmates of other Homes were all in good health.

The laundry was moved during the summer to a more suitable place, and a new water tank built, the entire water service being improved in every respect.

Sincere thanks are due to the medical students, who so kindly and tenderly moved our patients from the city to the Island Home, also to Messrs. D. & Brothers for free passes on the ferry the entire season for children, matron, nurses and servants. Dr. G. A. P. was most attentive to the children in the Home, visiting them very frequently, often at very great inconvenience to himself.

It is impossible to mention or to express thanks to all who have practically remembered the sick children. We might speak of flowers, fruit, toys, books, quilts, clothing, comforts and delicacies of many kinds and yet not have noticed the one half that has been sent. But the King has observed all and noted all, even the cup of cold water given in His name, and those who perform the humblest service for Him, and because they love Him, shall in no wise lose their reward.

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A COT AT THE HOSPITAL.

"CANADIAN CHILDREN'S COT."

STATEMENT OF MONEY RECEIVED.

Amount received according to last report	\$975 56
Miss Crooks	1 00
Miss M. Morden, Greensville	1 00
Miss Ewart, England.....	24 27
Miss Thompson, Lynden	5 00
Miss Weir, Flamboro'.....	1 00
Mrs. Crooks, College St.....	1 00
Mrs. Winn, Church St.....	20 00
Miss Vera Bethune, College Avenue	1 00
Miss Elsie Bethune, Grosvener St.....	1 00
Mrs. Ingram, Church St.....	2 30
Cards, 521 Church St.....	2 53
Little girls, Eglington, per Miss Burton.....	5 00
Mrs. Wallace, Yonge St.....	3 15
Miss Wilson's Class, Knox Church, Dundas.....	3 00
Mrs. Sanderson, Milton.....	50
Mrs. Harrison, Milton.....	25
Miss Mary Hollinrake, } Miss Hazel Wallace, } Milton.....	2 75
Miss Gertie Robertson, }	
Mr. I. Sanderson, Mutual St.....	25
Miss Lizzie Green, Sumach St.....	1 00
Misses E. and H. Davis, Eglington.....	1 05
Miss Jewell.....	70
Mrs. and Miss R—, Dundas.....	2 00
Dr. Hodgins, Pembroke St.....	4 00
Miss Lizzie Keen, Church St.....	25
Miss J. M. Crooks	1 00
Per Miss Rich	1 00
Per Mrs. Brookman, from { Amherstburg	1 00
{ Grimsby.....	5 00
{ Windsor.....	3 00
Miss Macdonald, Perth ..	1 00
Per Miss Ferguson, Czar St.....	1 00
“ Mrs Hamilton, Merritt	3 00
“ Mrs. McMurrich	2 00
Dorset Mission Sunday School, per Mr. James Strachan	7 00
Per Miss M. Cooke.....	2 00
“ Godfrey Spragge	1 50
“ Misses Morphy, Jarvis St.....	2 05
“ Miss Violet Elliott, Pembroke St.....	5 00
“ Valance Berryman, Charles St.....	1 00
Collected by a lady through a member of Mrs. Harvie's Bible Class..	1 75

Collected by Miss Nellie Lindsay, Limehouse P.O., through a member of Mrs. Harvie's Bible Class	12 00
Per Miss Copp	1 00
Mrs. Miller	1 00
Interest	42 59
Deposited in Savings' Co	<u>\$1,154 45</u>

The Treasurers still require \$845.55, which they hope to receive from their little friends, and from as many of the older ones as are anxious to see the endowment completed.

FANNIE CROOKS, } 521 Church St.
 J. M. CROOKS, }
 F. L. MILLER, 50 St. Alban St.,
Treasurers.

DONATIONS FOR 1886-87.

OCTOBER—1886.

Flowers and fruit, Holy Trinity Church ; 12 pairs stockings, 6 pairs socks, scraps for crazy work, needles, thread, and thimbles, Miss W.; 18 wash-cloths, Mrs. D.; 2 baskets apples, Holy Trinity Church ; 12 yards creton, Mrs. L.; 6 night dresses, Mrs. J.; boquet of flowers for Ward 5, Mr. E.; old linen and pair of mitts, Mrs. B.; 2 knitted shirts, Mrs. B.; 2 barrels apples, Mrs. R.; buns, Mrs. C.; can honey, Mrs. W.; 7 baskets of fruit, toys and books, Anon.; child's coat, Miss H.; boquet flowers, Anon.; currant loaf and cake, Mrs. C.

NOVEMBER.

1 quilt, 1 towel, old linen and drawings, Juvenile Class, Methodist Church, Thornbury ; 5 bed jackets and 4 aprons, made by Mrs. J.; 1 barrel apples, Mrs. A.; boquet flowers, Anon.; 1 basket grapes and 1 basket apples, Anon.; articles of clothing, Anon.; 8 baskets apples, 1 dozen oranges, 1 basket pears, &c., quantity of dates, figs, grapes, and nuts, 5th Div. Wellesley School ; bottle apple jelly, Mrs. J.; can of plums, Mrs. P.; 4 children's aprons, Anon.; large cake, Capt. B.; child's dress, Mrs. McM.; 5 bed jackets, made by Mrs. J.; boquet flowers, Mr. E.; 1 quilt, Mrs. P.; packet S. S. papers, Mr. R.; 3 scrap books and 2 cards, Mrs. P.; packet of Harper's Weekly and Leslie's Newspaper, Anon.; turkey and goose, Mrs. E.; 4 currant loaves, Mrs. C.; 20 yards muslin for bandages, D. C.; box of buns, Mrs. C.; 24 scrap books and 2 dolls, Girls of Jesse Ketchum School ; 22 sponge cloths, Mrs. D.; boquet of flowers, Mr. E.; doll and toy, Maud H.; doll, Mabel M.; 19 numbers St. Nicholas, Mr. Y.; 2 picture books, parcel of Christian Weekly, Anon.; old clothes, Mrs. O'B.; packet S. S. papers, Anon.; old cotton, Mrs. McM.; 6 scrap books and several dolls, Girls of Jesse Ketchum School ; fruit cake, Mrs. C.

DECEMBER.

2 dresses, 2 flannel shirts, and other clothes, Anon.; quantity of pictures and cards, Mrs. J.; boquet flowers, Mr. E.; knitted shirt, Mrs. B.; cake, Mrs. C.; 1 can plums and 1 can raspberries, 1 lb. tea, 2 jersey coats, 1 pair stockings, 3 caps and 1 pair rubbers, Mrs. McG., Queen's Hotel ; 7½ doz. Christmas cards, Mrs. B.; 2 scrap books and 2 dolls, Mrs. B.; loaf of home-made bread, and buns, Mrs. H.; 5 balls, patches, and pillow with case, Mrs. J.; toys, books, &c., Master Harry B.; collection of damaged toys, Mr. J.; 3 scrap books, Owen ; 2 dolls, Gertie A.; buns, Mrs. L.; doll's bonnets, Miss S.; 3 cans honey, Mr. S.; flowers, Mr. E.; 5 cot quilts, Mrs. H.; parcel toys, Miss R.; parcel of toys, &c., Busy Bee Band ; 1 piece Canton flannel, box of pairs of knitted shirts, Mrs. P.; 2 suits of clothes, 1 pair pants, 4 pairs stockings, 1 coat, Mrs. McM.; 7 pillow cases, 2 chemises, 1 pair drawers, pieces of cotton, 1 book, parcel of papers, Mrs. N.; rubber bed, box candies, collection of ornaments, Mrs. C.; Christmas cards, Anon.; books, Mrs. D.; 10 night dresses and 2 pillow cases, Anon.; 2 lbs. coffee, 2 lbs. cocoa, 4 lbs. starch, and a basket apples, Mrs. Tl.; 11 night dresses, 13 chemises, 1 apron, 5½ dozen bandages, 8 scrap books, G s of 6th and 8th Divs. of the Phoebe St. School ; box of toys, Miss G.; cards, Anon.; 1 cot and mattresses, 2 blankets and 2 spreads, Mr. S.; scrap book, Anon.; turkey, Mrs. B.; toys, Mrs. P.; box candy, R. & T. W.; dolls, scrap book, and oranges, Misses W.; books and scrap book, Mrs. McD.; 2 dolls, old

clothes, and candies, Mrs. O'H.; collection of Illustrated News, toys, apples and oranges, 16 dressed dolls, George St. School; knitted woolen shirt, pieces for dressing dolls, Mrs. B.; toys, dolls, books, quilt, and scrap book, Pupils of Miss R.'s school, Barrie; quilt for "Wylie Cot"; 1 pair chickens, 1 turkey, Mrs. W.; Christmas cards, J.; iced cake, Miss T., Berlin; 21 dressed dolls, 6 scrap books, balls, books, and candies, Party of Young Ladies; parcel candy, 1 kitchen set, 4 boxes for Good Girl, 2 Noah's arks, 3 drawing slates, 3 tops, 3 balls, 3 watches, 3 tin toys, 3 dolls, 2 stoves, Mrs. R.; roast of beef, Mrs. D.; 2 dolls, 2 pairs shoes, 3 books, 6 cards, 1 paint box, 1 pair pants, 1 bottle perfume, Mr. B.; oranges, candies, and books, Miss G's S. S. Class; roast of beef, 3 dressed dolls, and patches, Mrs. B.; 1 doll, Miss S.; drawing slates and pencils, scribbling books, picture books, Miss M.; box candy, Anon.; scrap book, picture lesson books, Miss B.; scrap book, Miss M.; 5 picture and 3 scrap books, Mrs. D.; turkey, Mrs. D.; 6 turkeys, 6 boxes figs, 5 dozen oranges, 5 lbs. raisins, 5 lbs. currants, 5 lbs. sugar, 7 lbs. flour, 1 lb. candied peel, Misses B.; 2 geese, Mr. D.; 17 dolls, Mrs. McK.; bag of candy and card for each child, Mr. Y.'s S. S. Class; 2 dolls, St. Andrew's Mission Band, Perth; 6 yards cotton, 1 shawl, 2 knitted shirts, 2 handkerchiefs, 2 towels, 1 pair shoes, 3 toilet soaps, 5 pairs cuffs, 7 pairs stockings, tape, buttons, and thread, Anon.; water bed, Mrs. S. through L. Bros.; Christmas cards, Mrs. R.; dolls, toys, cards, books, and candies, Miss B.; cards and tracts, Mrs. F.; raspberry jam, Mrs. M.; candies and toys, F. & J. H.; 3 scrap books, Anon.; barrel apples, Mr. D.; turkey, Mrs. B.; card for each child, Mrs. R.; toys and cards for each child, Miss S.'s class, Berkeley St. School; 2 dolls, Mrs. R.; clothes and 2 quilts, from eight little children; doll, from Preston, for "Preston Cot"; 2 sets dishes, 1 puzzle, 1 set furniture, and 3 dolls, Dr. R.; candy, 12 dolls, papers and Christmas cards, Miss L. D.; 3 dolls, E. C.; 6 pinafores, 3 pieces for pinafores, dolls, books, papers, and paint box, Anon.; toys and books, from four little boys; toys and oranges, Mrs. and Miss M.; 3 framed texts, drawing slate, toys, and candies, Anon.; 1 pair shoes, 3 dolls, 1 woollen cap, from six little girls; scrap book, C. D.; scrap book, Anon.; 1 box figs, Mr. K.; 2 dolls, 6 hats, E. H. H.; work-box, 1 doll and bed, 1 book, 1 doll, Noah's ark, for M. H., from St. Paul's S. S.; 6 dolls, 2nd Div. Model School; bureau, for Ward 5, Mr. E.; Christmas numbers, plates of Graphic, Illustrated News, and Holly Leaves, Mr. E. B. O.; doll, Misses M.; books and papers, Anon.; toys and old clothes, Anon.; cards, Mrs. B.; 4 dozen oranges, Mrs. E.'s children; box candy, Mr. P.; box candy, Mrs. R.; cake, Misses B.; flowers, with candy, Jack Frost; books and oranges, Anon.; fruit, candy, and books, R. & H. B.; 4 scrap books, Miss L.; cards and mucilage, Mr. S.; doll and top, M. M.; 3 scrap books, E. & K. N.; can of arrow-root sap, Mr. D.; 5 books, 3 boxes of bon-bons, 2 papers of candy, apples and oranges, members of Jarvis St. Baptist Church; candy, books, and toys, St. Stephen's Ministering League, by Mrs. C.; dishes, candy, and top, Anon.; 1 doll, Miss C.; 2 dolls, Anon.; scrap book, Mrs. I.; books and toys, Mrs. McI.; oranges and candy, Mrs. C.; parcel papers, Miss E. C.; scrap book, Miss P.; cards, Miss W.; jelly, Mary and Susie; Christmas number of Graphic and Illustrated News, 1 scrap book, from "The Thomson Children"; 1 scrap book, Birdie; scrap book, made by nine little girls.

JANUARY—1887.

Children's clothes, Anon.; old clothes, A Friend; currant and iced loaves, Mrs. C.; sewing machine, Singer Sewing Machine Co.; toys, 3 little children; box containing following:—1 dozen cans fruit, 4 cups and saucers, 8 mugs, 3 small pitchers, 6 dolls, toys, candies, oranges and dates, books and papers, 2 dresses and bibs, 3 chemises, 4 night dresses, 4 pair stockings, tuque, shirt and drawers, muffler, 6 pair mitts and gloves, knitted shoes and cuff, 1 collar, 15 handkerchiefs, 1 set tools, 2 moulds blanc mange, Mrs. R. D.; 4 pies, Mrs. B.; samples, McM. & D.; dressing gown, Mrs. G.; 1 knitted shirt, Mrs. B.; 10 barrels soda biscuits, C. & B.; currant and iced loaves, Mrs. C.

FEBRUARY.

1 barrel mixed biscuits, C. & B.; sponge cloths, Mrs. D.; 6 pinafores, St. Stephen's Branch of Church Women's Mission Aid; 5 night dresses, 7 pillow cases, 15 fresh laid eggs, Anon.; jelly and flowers, Mrs. M.; carpet, Mr. J. R. R.; bag flour, Mrs. C.; work for children, Mrs. G.; 1 dozen bottles Fellow's Hypophosphites, Mrs. B.; old bottles, Mrs. B.; old cotton, Anon.; pictures and books, parcel of S. S. papers, Anon.; currant and iced loaves, Mrs. C.

MARCH.

Scrap book and doll, Anon.; S. S. papers and illustrated papers, Anon.; 2 dozen oranges, apples, nuts, Mrs. B.; 1 dozen cakes, Amy P.; British Workman and Workwoman, Anon.; 2 books, Anon.; 3 flannel shirts, 4 chemises, 1 pair drawers, 4 waists, 1 lb. candy, Anon.; S. S. papers, St. Bartholomew's S. S.; scrap book, Misses B. & C.; 3 dozen numbers Pansy, Anon.; shank of beef, Mrs. M.; 2 cans fruit, Mrs. D.; piece of sheeting, C. B. & Co.; 2 dozen lemons, 7 dozen oranges, apples, books, Violet W.; knitted shirt, Mrs. B.; 6 pillow cases, Mrs. B.; scrap book, two children; 6 pillow cases, Mrs. B.; 1 case oranges, Mr. R.; 14 knitted shirts, Mrs. P.; 1 pair chickens, Mrs. M.; currant and iced loaves each week, Mrs. C.

APRIL.

6 dozen eggs and collection of toys, from a little boy on his 5th birthday; 2 dressing gowns and 2 knitted shirts, Anon.; 1 dress, 3 skirts, 1 shirt, members of W. A. A., St. Paul's Church; Easter cards, "The Willing Givers"; doll, Anon.; sponge cloths and cord, Mrs. D.; 9 pair cotton stockings, 6 pair woollen stockings, undershirts, scraps for children, crochet needles, thimbles, &c., 12 books, large ball, slate and pencils, Miss W.; illustrated papers, Mrs. W.; 4 cans fruit, Mrs. M.; toys and dressing gown, Mrs. C.; box of cut roses, Miss S.; buns, Mr. N.; 12 cakes toilet soap, 1 dozen bunches tape, 10 combs, 9 spools thread, 1 dozen thimbles, 2 bunches braid, 2 card baskets, 6 pairs stockings, 5 handkerchiefs, 2 yards cotton, 4½ yards canton flannel, Miss M.; spiced currants, Mrs. B.; table cover, Nurse K.; doll, Molly B.; scrap book, Mrs. C.; toy engine, Mrs. L.; 6 pillow cases, Mrs. B.; 4 aprons, Anon.; 4 pillow cases, Anon.; knitted shirt, Mrs. B.; flowers, Miss S.; buns, Mrs. C.; box of roses, Miss S.; old clothes, Anon.; currant loaf each week, Mrs. C.

MAY.

Roses, Miss S.; old clothes, Mrs. McM.; roses, Miss S.; 2 pails preserved fruit, B. & G.; sheets, pillow cases, bandages, pocket handkerchiefs, night gown and night shirt, Mrs. O.; 5 muslin aprons, Mrs. B.; scrap book and cards, Mrs. L.; flowers and fruit, 4 girls; old linen, Miss C.; 15 handkerchiefs, 12 pairs bedroom shoes, 9 pairs stockings, sponge cloths, Miss W.; biscuits, Mrs. D.; 2 bed jackets, 1 night dress, 1 pillow case, 2 scrap books, toys, St. Stephen's Branch of Mission Aid; 3 dozen lemons and 2 dozen oranges, boys of the 6th Div., Wellesley St. School; 2 cakes, Miss H.'s school; 1 barrel mixed biscuits, C. & B.; 3 boxes strawberries for boys, Miss C.; old linen, odd buttons, Mrs. O'B.; doll's house, 2 dolls, book, and checkerboard, St. Stephen's Branch of Ministering Children's League; scrap book, London Branch of Ministering Children's League; toy, Mrs. L.; 4 pairs chickens, sponge cakes, 1 quart cream, A Friend; aquarium, with shells and gold fish, also all fixings, Mr. McC.; 3 dolls, Morvyn House Band; 5 pairs knitted shirts, Mrs. P.; illustrated papers, class of little girls in the Queen St. Methodist S. S.; high chair, Anon.; currant and iced loaves each week, Mrs. C.

DONATIONS, &c., IN CASH.

OCTOBER 1st, 1886, to SEPTEMBER 30th, 1887.

OCTOBER.

Mrs. L. G. \$	10 00	Cots—	“ Ethel Cot ”	25 00
Miss R. (toward repairs)	5 00	“	“ Consolidated Cot ” ..	15 00
A. E. H.	6 00	“	“ St. James’ S.S. Cot ”	70 00
Miss M. (England)	5 00	Pay Patients		110 00
D. B. & S. H.’s Savings		<i>Building Fund—</i>		
Bank	1 50	Miss E. C.		5 00
Magazine Club	2 00			\$665 25
Mrs. W. S. L.	1 00	<i>For Lakeside Home—</i>		
E. L.	0 15	“ A Grand Juror ”	\$ 5 00	
Mrs. T. S.	2 00	Pay Patients	71 50	
Miss H. A. A. (Brighton) ..	1 00	L. H. Box	1 69	
Mrs. H. E. C.	6 00	Hope Cot	8 00	
Bazaar by four children	15 00	St. James’ S. S. Cot	30 00	
Box at Gzowski & Buchan’s ..	10 00			\$116 19
H. S. C. Box	0 60			
Sale of Buildings	375 00			

NOVEMBER.

Mrs. W. G. \$	25 00	Cots—	“ Violet Cot ”	25 00
Mrs. H.	4 00	“	“ Hope Cot ”	8 00
“ Through Smith, Smith &		“	“ Faith Cot ”	25 00
Rae ”	375 00	“	“ Ernest Cot ”	50 00
Mr. J. W. G. W., per Miss J.	20 00	Pay Patients		27 25
Boys of 6th Division Wel-		<i>Building Fund—</i>		
lesley Street School	0 65	W. C. L. & S. Co.		8 14
From the “ Sam Jones Fund ”	100 00			\$838 15
Fines at Muskoka	2 60	<i>For Lakeside Home—</i>		
Sale of Verandah	5 00	Pay Patients	\$ 24 00	
Mrs. H.	5 00	Young Ladies of St. John’s		
Mr. J. M. G. (Brockville) ..	20 00	Church (Port Hope)	70 00	
Mrs. M. per Mrs. O’B.	5 00	“	“ Through Smith, Smith &	
Mrs. J. A. B.	2 00	Rae ”	125 00	
Mrs. S.	1 00	“	“ From Avenue ”	5 00
“ Found money ” toward re-		Mrs. G. J. C.		10 00
pairs	3 00	Doty Bros’. Scales	49 15	
Mrs. G. per Mrs. McC.	5 00	Girls’ Class, St. Bartholo-		
Miss L. M. prize won by doll	5 00	mew’s S. S.	7 05	
Box at Andrew Jeffrey’s ..	2 82	Zetland Lodge	200 00	
H. S. C. Box	4 69	St. Paul’s S. S. Cot	25 00	
German Lutheran S. S.	20 00	Millicent Cot	25 00	
Cots—				\$540 20
“ St. Paul’s S. S. Cot ” ..	75 00			
“ Consolidated Cot ”	4 00			
“ Preston Cot ”	10 00			

DECEMBER.

Mr. W. E. W.....	\$ 5 00	"A friend of H. S. C."....	10 00
Mr. W. M., per A. M.....	20 00	Hon. W. P.....	10 00
Toronto Furniture Associat'n	6 50	"In aid of H. S. C.".....	10 00
of C.....	2 00	Mrs. A.....	5 00
"Nebuchadnezzar".....	0 05	Mrs. G. (Barrie).....	8 00
Anonymous, per Mr. P....	5 00	The Misses W. (Cobourg)..	5 30
Mrs. W. M. M.....	2 00	Anonymous, per Mr. P....	1 00
J. G. (Port Sandfield).....	2 00	" " ".....	1 00
A. J. C. & Co.....	25 00	Morvyn House Band.....	20 00
Western Assurance Co., re-		Miss R's. School.....	6 40
bate.....	4 40	Boxes on Armenia and Cuba	
"From a friend of children"	5 00	steamboats.....	5 00
Mr. A. S.....	5 00	H. S. C. Box.....	4 77
Mr. and Mrs. G. R.....	5 00	Bloor Street Baptist S. S....	20 00
Mrs. H. S. (St. Mary's)....	5 00	Duchess Street Mission S. S.	14 00
Miss S.....	0 50	Boys of St. Bartholomew's	
Mr. J. H. G. H.....	25 00	S. S.....	2 60
Arthur D.....	0 05	A teacher of St. Bartholomew's	
Mrs. C. G.....	30 00	S. S.....	1 00
Concert in Temperance Hall		Young Ladies' Bible Class,	
(North Toronto).....	20 00	Bond St. Cong. S. S....	3 50
"Rob".....	5 00	Cayuga S. S.....	3 25
A. E. H.....	20 00	Cots—	
Mrs. T. T.....	5 00	"Consolidated Cot"....	11 75
Mr. G. W. L.....	20 00	"Preston Cot".....	9 00
Mrs. K.....	4 00	"Orillia Cot".....	25 00
Mr. J. H.....	5 00	"Rolleston Cot".....	95 00
Mr. H.....	1 00	"Oddfellows' Cot".....	100 00
Mr. R. W. G.....	5 00	"Freddie's Cot".....	100 00
G. & J. D.....	2 00	Pay Patients.....	47 50
"A Friend," per Mrs. H....	5 00	<i>Building Fund—</i>	
Mrs. A. H.....	2 00	Mrs. J. per Mrs. H.....	15 00
Bazaar, 252 Spadina avenue..	21 75	Mrs. O. (York Mills)....	2 00
Mr. D.....	5 00	Interest Federal Bank....	1 42
Anonymous, per Mr. P....	1 00		\$869 24
Miss C.....	5 00	<i>For Lakeside Home—</i>	
Mr. J. O'N. I.....	10 00	"Little Ida's Cot".....	\$ 25 00
The Misses M.....	2 50	Brougham Union Lodge,	
Mr. G. C. per Miss G.....	10 00	Claremont.....	5 00
Mrs. H.....	5 00	Mrs. C., Christmas Dona-	
Client, of Crombie, Crombie		tion.....	200 00
& Worrell.....	10 00		\$230 00
The National Club.....	20 00		

JANUARY.

Anonymous, per Mr. P.....	\$ 5 00	Two Juvenile Entertainments	
Mrs. B.....	1 00	on Bloor Street, per Messrs.	
Anonymous.....	1 00	C. B. & Co.....	25 00
Donation.....	0 50	Mr. T. M. T.....	25 00
Hon. C. S. P.....	10 00	Mr. T. S. S. (Brantford)....	50 00
D. B. and S. H.'s savings .	1 00	"From Two Friends".....	3 00
Anonymous.....	10 00	W. & R.....	10 00
Miss M. C.....	5 00	Mr. A. B. L.....	50 00
Mr. J. G. H.; per C. E. H..	5 00	Mrs. I. G. (Allan Park)....	5 00

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Nurse K.....	5 00	Anonymous, per Mr. P....	1 00
Captain W., per Mrs. McG..	10 00	Mr. T. S. (Napanee)	2 00
Mrs. H. (Woodstock).....	5 00	"Three friends"	20 00
B. & A. S. (Brantford).....	2 00	H. S. C. Box	1 05
"From two ladies".....	0 50	Cots—	
Voluntary contribution I. O.		"Consolidated Cot"	8 25
O. F.....	122 00	"Stanley & Gladys Cot" ..	8 00
Government grant.....	1,353 49	"Violet Cot"	25 00
J. W., per Mrs. W. S. L..	5 00	"Ethel Cot".....	50 00
S. E. D.....	5 00	Pay Patients	29 40
Orillia (for splints).....	25 00	<i>Building Fund—</i>	
B. L. C. & H.....	25 00	Mr. W. S. L.....	100 00
Messrs. B. & W.....	50 00	Mr. W. D. B.....	100 00
Mrs. J. A. B.....	1 00		<hr/>
Anonymous, per Mr. P....	1 00		\$1979 69
Mr. A. (Winnipeg).....	5 00	<i>For Lakeside Home—</i>	
Mr. A. V. DeL.....	5 00	Government grant	\$ 560 08
Mrs. W. O'B. (Barrie).....	15 00		

JUNE.

Mr. T. H. McC.....	10 00	Pay Patients	27 50
Anonymous, per Mr. P.....	1 00	<i>Building Fund—</i>	
"Three years' old," Mr. P..	0 05	From Orillia	15 00
Miss E. B. (Scarboro').....	2 00	Interest—Federal Bank ..	3 54
S. O. E. B. S. (Orillia) ..	12 30		<hr/>
Miss W.....	5 00		\$160 29
Miss P.....	5 00	<i>For Lakeside Home—</i>	
Elmvale Lodge, A. O. U. W.	5 00	Interest—Savings Bank ..	4 24
Towards Alice's Expenses..	15 00	"Contribution"	5 00
Richard Institute	3 25	Refund G. K. & Co.....	1 35
Miss C's. board.....	5 50	"Bethesda Cot"	25 00
H. S. C. Box.....	1 00	"Jubilee Cot"	26 22
Albert St. Mission S. S....	13 15	"Wyllie Cot" (W. E. C.)	50 00
Cots—		Pay Patients	12 00
"Consolidated Cot"	3 00		<hr/>
"Orillia Cot"	25 00		\$123 81
"Stanley & Gladys Cot" ..	8 00		

JULY.

Anonymous, per Mr. P....	1 00	Cots—	
Mr. T. E.....	5 00	"Wyllie Cot" (St. John's	
Anonymous, per Mr. P. . .	1 00	Lodge)	25 00
E. J. H.....	13 25	"Our Cot".....	50 00
"Frilling".....	0 25	"Consolidated Cot"	2 25
Miss M. C.....	5 00	"Rolleston Cot"	12 56
Mrs. L., jun	1 00	"Ernest Cot"	25 00
Refund	7 00	Pay Patients	16 25
Anonymous, per Mr. P....	1 00	<i>Building Fund—</i>	
' In as much as'.....	1 00	Miss D's. School.....	2 30
St. George's, Bermuda.....	10 00		<hr/>
Ancient Order of Foresters ..	32 00		\$224 23
Bazaar, by some little girls..	3 37	<i>For Lakeside Home—</i>	
Towards E. H's. splints....	5 00	Little girls' concert.....	6 00
M. G., per Mrs. H.....	5 00	American silver.....	1 00

JULY.—Continued.

<i>For Lakeside Home—</i>		Mrs. and Miss A.....	5 00
Mr. C. (California).....	5 00	Mrs. T. C.....	20 00
“Children’s gleanings”..	2 00	L. H. Box	1 19
Contribution, 14th July..	1 00	Pay Patients	48 50
“ “ “ “ “ “ “ “ “ “	3 00	“Wyllie Cot” (St. John’s	
Cash	0 05	Lodge)	25 00
Friend in Niagara, per		“Adelaide Cot”	20 00
Mrs. H.....	2 00	“Bond St. Congl. Cot”..	25 00
Contribution, 18th July...	0 25		
“For Nellie and Tommie”	1 00		
			<hr/> \$165 99

AUGUST.

Morse’s Mottled Soap Co....\$	232 33	Pay Patients	19 00
Mrs. M. (Scarboro’).....	1 00	<i>Building Fund—</i>	
Anonymous, per Mr. P....	1 00	Anonymous	5 00
“From one who enjoys the		Mrs. G. R. F., per Mrs. M.	1 00
blessing of good health,”			
per Mr. P.....	1 00		<hr/> \$310 73
Mrs. J. P. D.	25 00	<i>For Lakeside Home—</i>	
Mrs. J. G. (Port Elgin)....	2 00	Refunded	\$ 1 00
“For broken pane of glass”.	0 25	“For use of carriage”....	2 00
Towards E. H’s. splints ...	5 00	Mr. C. S. G.....	10 00
Mrs. G. R. F., per Mrs. M..	2 00	Mrs. A.....	1 00
H. S. C. Box	0 40	“For dress made”	2 11
Mr. E. Y’s. Bible Class		L. H. Box	7 82
(Grimsby Park).....	4 00	Pay Patients	60 50
Thornbury Juvenile Class...	1 00	“Stanley & Gladys’ Cot”.	16 00
Cots—		“Violet Cot”	25 00
“Consolidated Cot”	5 75		
“Preston Cot”	5 00		<hr/> \$125 43

SEPTEMBER.

Bazaar at Moss Park Rink..	50 77	Mr. P. P., Superintendent ..	8 00
Mr. A.....	2 00	H. S. C. Box	1 05
“In as much as, etc.,” per		Cots—	
Mr. P.....	1 00	“Consolidated Cot”	14 00
For goods for Lakeside Home	6 95	Pay Patients	41 75
Mrs. B. (Forest)	1 00	<i>Building Fund—</i>	
Towards splints”	5 00	Miss F. L. C.....	5 00
Anonymous, per Mr. P....	1 00		<hr/> \$181 40
Mr. T. S. (Napanee).....	3 00	<i>For Lakeside Home—</i>	
Miss L.....	10 00	Campers’ Concert.....	10 00
Savings of Mrs. R’s. little boy		Offertories—St. Andrew’s,	
who died.....	2 38	on Island.....	25 91
Mr. R. S. G.....	10 00	L. H. Box	1 15
Anonymous, per Mr. P....	1 00	Pay Patients	18 00
Mrs. P. C. (Port Hope)....	5 00	“Wyllie Cot” (L. McM.)	5 00
A. E. H.....	10 00		
Mrs. W. S. L.....	2 00		<hr/> \$60 06
“One tenth” from Herbert H.	0 50		

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STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENDITURE.

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OCTOBER 1st, 1886, to SEPTEMBER 30th, 1887.

RECEIPTS.		\$	c.	\$	c.	EXPENDITURE.		\$	c.	\$	c.
Donations—General		2,505	24			Balance as at Sept. 30th, 1886				93	27
Sunday Schools and Churches		199	56								
Pay Patients		544	65								
Cot Account		1,424	56								
Government Grant		1,353	49								
				6,027	50						
<i>Special Donations.</i>											
Building Fund				374	30						
Lakeside Home—											
Donations—General		752	59								
Sunday Schools and Churches		102	96								
Pay Patients		234	50								
Cot Account		330	22								
Government Grant		560	08							6,500	84
				1,980	35						
Insurance—Rebate on Cancelled Policies.				7	30						
<i>Special Account.</i>											
Hospital for Sick Children Trust—Sale of of College Street Buildings				380	00						
<i>Balance.</i>											
Over draft in Federal Bank		274	56								
“ Bank of Commerce		298	55								
		573	11								
Less Cash in Federal Bank Savings Bank.		462	02								
				111	09						
				8,880	54					8,880	54

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GENERAL STATEMENT,

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SEPT. 30th, 1887.

	\$	c.	\$	c.		\$	c.	\$	c.
<i>Hospital for Sick Children Trust.</i>									
College Street Lot—					Donations from commencement to date			48,182	33
Cost, less sale of Buildings	11,364	00			Less Working Expenses	38,503	40		
Furniture, less depreciation	2,529	76			“ Depreciation on Furniture	1,010	13		
			13,893	76				39,513	53
<i>Lakeside Home Trust.</i>					<i>Special.</i>			8,668	80
Cost of Building, Windmill, etc.	4,225	49			Land and Building Fund			3,851	11
Furniture, less depreciation	1,119	88			Lakeside Home “			4,208	13
			5,345	37					
Cash in Federal Bank Savings Bank				462	02	<i>Liabilities.</i>			
					Matheson Mortgage	1,300	00		
					Osler “	1,100	00		
					Overdraft Canadian Bank of Commerce..	298	55		
					“ Federal Bank	274	56		
								2,973	11
								19,701	15
			19,701	15					

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