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Committees and Officers.

Gentlemen's Committee :

RECTOR OF ST. PAUL'S, CHAIRMAN.

R. UNIACKE, ROBT. TAYLOR, JUDGE RITCHIE,
JOHN H. SYMONS, HON. A. G. JONES,
CHARLES C. BLACKADAR.

Ladies' Committee :

MRS. A. STEVENS,	MRS. ROBT. TAYLOR,
MRS. H. HESSLEIN,	MRS. KELLOGG,
MRS. A. G. JONES,	MRS. J. N. RITCHIE,
MRS. C. C. BLACKADAR,	MISS JANE TREMAINE,
MRS. E. K. BROWN,	MRS. EDMD. MAHON,
MRS. HOLE,	MRS. ROBIE UNIACKE.

Surgeon :

DR. BLACK.

Hon. Sec'y.-Treasurer :

JOHN H. SYMONS.

Matron :

MISS C. LAWSON.

Teacher :

MISS BRYMER.

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Such an institution as the St. Paul's Alms House of Industry, is doing a work for the community which it may be humbly believed, will prove its value the longer it pursues its way. It is one that is necessarily unobtrusive, and that probably is most effectually progressing when its records are least eventful. There can be no doubt that if its aim be accomplished, it will have an appreciable influence upon the class it aims to benefit. That aim is the reception within its walls of girls who are either orphans or whose circumstances are such that they would grow up untrained and exposed to the worst influences of a city life. To take such to train them in industrial habits, and to seek to instil into them the knowledge and principles of the Christian Faith, must be accounted a beneficent work, worthy the support and encouragement of the Christian public. Your committee are happy to feel that this work, under the blessing of God, is being done. Miss Brymer continues to prove herself earnest and efficient in her work as the Governess of the children, having their best interest at heart, and bringing to her work a true missionary spirit. In Miss Lawson, their new matron, they have one animated by the same spirit, so that you may have confidence in feeling that the children are being watched over and trained for their future career, in the "nurture and admonition of the Lord."

RITCHIE,
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AYLOR,

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AHON,
LACKE.

During the past year, nine have left the Institution, having been placed out in satisfactory positions, and four have been admitted. There are at present 15 in the Home, a number that will be doubtless speedily increased. Your committee would gladly treble the number, if the public would provide the means. Such an institution, with such an object in view, with so careful a supervision on the part of the Ladies' Committee, who give so much of their time and devote so true interest to the supervision of the work, is worthy of every confidence and support. Your Committee trust the latter may be so increased as to enable them to fill the building with inmates.

The usual careful supervision on the part of the Ladies' Committee, and visitation by the Chaplain, have been observed, and your Committee are happy to be able to say that the sanitary state of the house, as well as the health of the children, is all that could be desired. The Committee invite the public to visit the Institution, where they will be always heartily welcomed.

The sincere thanks of the Committee are offered to B. H. Collins, Esq., for his kind and generous donation of \$240, and to those kind friends, who, from time to time, have sent contributions in kind to the Institution.

Commending it to the prayers of their Christian friends, and to the support of all in the city interested in the moral and Christian training of those who would otherwise grow up uncared for and neglected, the Committee respectfully render their report.

Appended are the list of subscribers, and the account duly audited.

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Donations to St. Paul's Alms House.

- ANON.**—1 large Turkey and Ham—cooked.
- BLACKADAR, MR. AND MRS. C. C.**—1 Barrel Apples, 1 Fruit Cake, 1 Basket Apples, 1 Cake, $\frac{1}{2}$ Doz. Oranges, Nuts and Candies, Currants, Raisins, $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. Cinnamon, $\frac{1}{4}$ lb Cloves, Suet, $\frac{1}{2}$ doz. Eggs, Goose, 1 doz. Marbles, Waste Paper, 2 doz. Apples, $\frac{1}{2}$ doz. Eggs, 1 Bot. Jam, Pieces for Quilts.
- BROWN, MRS. E. K.**—17 Thimbles, Pieces for Quilts, Piece of Edging, Prints for Aprons, Apples, Nuts, Molasses, Loaf Cake and other Cakes, 1 Ham, 6 doz. C. Pins, 8 Aprons, 33 Pocket Handkerchiefs, Rope and Seat for Swing, Tin Tea Pot and Tin Dipper, 1 blue Wrapper.
- COMMITTEE.**—Xmas. Present to Children, Matron and Teacher also, 1 Table Cloth, 2 Napkin Rings, 3 Dinner Knives, Teapot and Staud.
- COOKE, MR.**—1 Barrel Sour Kraut.
- DIXON, MR. AND MRS. T.**—2 Barrels Apples, 2 Bxs. Candies, Qr. Beef, Mutton, 1 Turkey, 1 pair Chickens, 1 Box Biscuits.
- FADER BROS.**—1 Turkey, 1 pair Ducks.
- HOLE, DR.**—Xmas Cards and Books.
- HALLS, MRS.**—Games.
- HESSLEIN, MRS.**—2 Pieces Pork and Lettuce, 3 Fruit Cakes, 2 Chairs, 1 Whisk, 3 Doz. Oranges, Lettuce.
- HODGES, MISSES.**—6 Doz. and 5 Pictures.
- JONES, MRS. A. G.**—1 White Quilt, 1 Fruit Cake, 1 Turkey, Candies and 8 Pairs Children's Mitts.
- KINNEAR, MISS B.**—1 Doll House and Furniture.
- KELLOGG, MRS.**—2 Linen Collars, 2 Jackets, Pieces for Quilts, Grapes and Candies, 1 Jar Soap-Grease, Xmas. Cards and Letters for Matron, Children and Teacher
- LAWLOR, A. C.**—1 Barrel Apples.
- LORDLY, MR.**—1 Box Raisins.
- MAHON, E. T.**—1 Pkg. Nuts, 1 Turkey, Waste Paper, $\frac{1}{4}$ of Frosted Cake, 1 Soap Dish, 1 Bot. Jam, $\frac{1}{2}$ Doz. Eggs.
- RITCHIE, MRS. J. N.**—8 Aprons, \$1 to Children for Car Fare, Milk at various times.
- SLAYTER, MASTER C.**—Xmas Cards for Children.
- SMITH, J. G.**—Xmas Cards for do.
- SCOTT, MRS. ALEX.**—Clothes, 1 Pair Boots.
- TAYLOR, MRS. R.**—Cakes, 2 Sponge Cakes, part of lb. Cake, 1 Fruit Cake, $\frac{1}{4}$ Lamb, 3 Doz. Doughnuts, Pieces for Quilts, Sponge Cake and Tea Biscuit, 1 Bot. Jam, 2 pairs C. Drawers, 1 Apron, Tongue Grass, 2 Chemises.
- TREMAINE, MISS J.**—1 Doll for Children, and Xmas Cards, 1 Turkey.
- UNIACKE, MRS. ROBIE.**—1 Piece Tweed for Children, Dresses, 1 White Quilt, Pieces for Quilt, 1 dress, 1 Barrel Apples, 1 Pair Scissors, Milk daily during summer, 6 Fresh Cod Fish, Tapioca for Pudding, 4 yds. Tweed, 1 Doz. Buttons, 1 Hair Broom, 1 Dust Pan, 1 Alphabet Card, \$1.20 for harwoman, 5 Doz. and 2 Cakes, 2 Pairs Grey Stockings, Cake and Candy, 1 Crook Jam, Rhubarb, Cake.
- TRACT SOCIETY.**—Children's Papers and Magazines.

St. Paul's Alms House of Industry for Girls.

In account with the Treasurer from June 1, 1887, to
May 31, 1888.

DR.

To Groceries, Provisions, &c.....	\$ 632 32	
Salaries, &c.....	288 91	
Clothing, Shoes, &c.....	111 15	
Interest on Mortgage.....	210 00	
Water Rates and Fire Insurance.....	59 50	
Fuel.....	92 40	
Gas.....	28 40	
Repairs, &c.....	56 53	
Sundries.....	55 09	
Union Bank, 2-Deposit Receipts, \$500.00 ea. (Cogswell Fund.).....	1000 00	
Balance.....	407 72	
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By Balance from June 1st, 1887.....	\$ 312 63	
Subscriptions, Donations, &c., per list.....	709 12	
Interest—Cogswell Fund.....	\$ 60 00	
Collins Fund.....	90 27	
Harvey Fund.....		
Musher Fund.....	300 00	
		450 27
Charlottetown debenture paid off. (Cogswell Fund).....	1000 00	
Estate late Mrs. E. Binney, Legacy.....	500 00	
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C. C. BLACKADAR,
Auditor.

Abbott, M
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Brown, M
Brookfield
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Brine, M
Collins,
Cook, M
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Creighton
Clayton,
Cummin,
Crosskill
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Cutler, T
Dimock,
Duffus, M
Dixon, T
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Gossip, M
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Subscriptions, Donations, &c.

Abbott, Mrs. T.....	\$ 55	Harvey, J. H.....	\$ 2 00
Adams, Mr.....	2 00	Holloway Bros.....	1 00
Albro, Mrs. F. J.....	5 00	Humphrey, Mrs.....	50
Allison, Mrs. Geo.....	25	do. Mrs. W.....	50
Almon, Mrs. T.....	2 00	Hartshorne, Mrs H.....	75
do. Miss.....	1 00	Jones, Hon. A. G.....	10 00
do. Miss.....	1 00	Johnson, Mrs. J.....	5 00
do. Miss L.....	1 00	Irving, G. W. T.....	2 00
Archbold, Mr.....	1 00	Jacobs, Miss.....	1 00
Archibald, Miss M.....	1 00	Kellogg, Mrs.....	2 00
Balcom, J. H.....	1 00	King, Mrs.....	45
Barnaby, Mrs.....	75	Lawson, Miss Bessie, on ac't.	6 67
Braine, Mrs.....	1 00	Lawlor, A. E.....	3 00
Blackadar, C. C.....	5 00	Lawson, Isabel.....	1 00
Boak, Mrs.....	1 00	Lordly, E. J.....	4 00
Boggs, Miss E.....	2 00	Lynch, P.....	5 00
Fowes & Sons, Jas.....	2 00	Lyle, J.....	2 00
Beamish, Mrs.....	75	Moren, Mrs.....	3 00
Bland, Mrs. L. J.....	50	Merfle, Mrs. (Maintenance).	1 00
Black, Mrs. Marshall.....	1 00	M. S. R.....	5 00
Brown, Mrs. E. K.....	3 00	Mathers, Mrs. I. H.....	5 00
Brookfield, S. M.....	2 00	Mahon, J. C.....	2 50
Borden, R. L.....	2 00	Menger, John.....	2 00
Brine, Mr.....	1 00	Morrison, Miss.....	1 00
Collins, B. H.....	240 00	Marvin, J. W.....	1 00
Cook, Mr. and Mrs. H.....	1 00	Mahon, E. T., Mr. and Mrs...	5 00
C. M. L.....	50	Murray, Miss.....	50
Creighton, H.....	50	Major, Miss.....	25
Clayton, Mrs.....	1 00	do. Miss Kate.....	2 00
Cumming, Miss.....	1 00	MacKinlay, A.....	3 00
Crosskill, M. S. H.....	1 00	do. Mrs.....	1 00
Clarke, Nepean.....	3 00	McGarvey, Mrs.....	1 00
Cutler, T. M.....	2 00	Pallister, W.....	5 00
Dimock, Jas. E.....	1 00	Payzant, J. Y.....	3 00
Dufus, Mrs. J. B.....	3 00	Pierce, Mr.....	1 00
Dixon, Thomas.....	5 00	Quirk, Mrs.....	50
Davidson, E.....	1 00	Renner, Mrs.....	50
DesBarres, the Misses.....	4 00	Redden, A. W.....	2 00
DesBarres, Mrs. L. W.....	25	Ritchie, T. A.....	20 00
Dunbar, Mrs.....	2 00	Ritchie, Hon. Judge, Belmo't	4 00
Eagar, Mr. and Mrs. M. F...	2 25	Ritchie, T.....	5 00
Elliot, F. C.....	2 00	Ritchie, Hon. Judge J. N....	5 00
Fraser, Mrs. A.....	25	do. Mrs.....	5 00
Franclyn, G. E.....	5 00	do. Miss.....	5 00
Fraser, R. W.....	1 00	do. Miss Edith.....	5 00
Fordham, A.....	2 00	Rhind, T.....	1 00
Fishwick, Mrs.....	1 00	Roue, Mrs.....	1 00
Friend.....	50	Roberts, Mrs.....	1 00
do.	50	Russell, Mrs.....	25
do.	25	Scott, A.....	1 00
Gossip, Mrs. Wm.....	1 00	Scotland, Mr.....	25
Graham, Mrs.....	25	Sheraton, Mrs.....	1 00
Grant, Mrs. J. N.....	2 00	Sunday School Assembly...	11 00
Hodges, the Misses.....	2 00	St. Paul's Sunday School...	120 00
Hill, Mrs. W.....	5 00	Stewart, W. J.....	1 00
Halls, Mrs.....	1 00	Stewart, Mrs. <i>M. Stevens</i> ...	5 00
Hesslein, Mrs. L. G.....	1 00	Sievert, Mrs.....	1 00
Hesslein, Mrs H.....	2 00	Saunders, Mrs.....	25
Hesslein, A. G.....	5 00	Schaefer, Mrs.....	25

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Schaefer, Mrs.....	\$ 25	Thompson, Miss.....	\$ 50
Smith, J. Godfrey.....	1 00	Unacke, Mr. and Mrs.....	10 00
Shortt, Mrs.....	1 00	Unacke, Mrs. J. B.....	1 00
Scarfe, Mrs.....	25	Venables, Mrs.....	50
Symons.....	2 00	VanBaskirk, Mrs.....	25
Tremaine, A. DeB.....	1 00	West, F. S.....	2 00
Thomas, Mrs. (Maintenance)	21 00	Walker, Mrs.....	1 00
Trott, Capt.....	10 00	Watt, Miss.....	1 00
Townsend, Miss.....	1 00	Wilson, R. J.....	5 00
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Taylor, Mrs. Norton.....	1 00		
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