SIXTIETH ANNUAL

REPORT

OF THE

HOUSE OF INDUSTRY,

CITY OF TORONTO,

FOR THE YEAR 1896-97.

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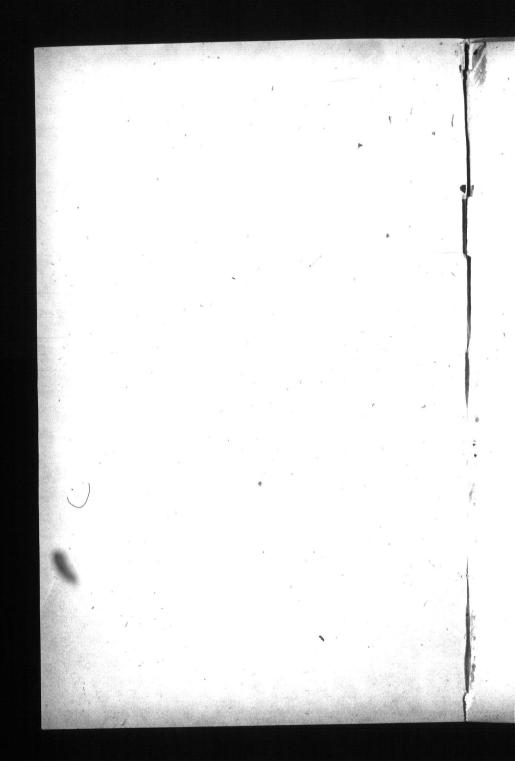
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HOUSE OF INDUSTRY.

SIXTIETH ANNUAL REPORT.

1896-97.

REPORT OF BOARD OF MANAGEMENT.

In presenting their Sixtieth Annual Report the Trustees and Managers of the House of Industry feel it would be of interest to the subscribers and the public to recall a few events in the history of the Charity.

The first report of the work done by the Institution is dated 11th July, 1837; the same year in which Her Most Gracious Majesty, the Queen, began her happy reign; previous to that time the poor of Toronto must have been entirely relieved by private charity.

On the 15th November, in that year, a public meeting was held in the City Hall, at which the Mayor presided, "for the purpose of taking into consideration the most efficient means of relieving the poor and destitute of the city, and the promotion of the interests of the House of Refuge and Industry established therein."

The names of a number of prominent citizens are given in the report of the meeting as foremost in the establishing of the Charity, but are now numbered amongst the dead.

On motion of Hon. W. H. Draper, seconded by Rev. Ephraim Evans, the first report was adopted, and on motion of Rev. W. M. Harvard, seconded by Hon. Wm. Allan, the following resolution was adopted:—

"That it is the duty and the privilege of Christians to provide for the wants of the poor, and that as a means of so doing as far as this city is concerned, it is important every exertion should be made to render the House of Industry a permanent institute."

In the first report we find the House was then maintaining 46 inmates, embracing 8 widows, 5 deserted women, 7 infirm men, 26 children.

Outdoor relief was granted to 857 persons, embracing 87 widows, 37 deserted women, 95 men enfeebled by sickness or want of work, 638 children.

Receipts from all sources amounted to £619, 3s. 9d., and disbursements to £576, 10s. 2½d.

The population of the city then numbered 10,000.

The records show a steady increase on the demands upon the Charity, varying according to the pressure of the times; and in the year 1851, having rendered fourteen years of good service to the citizens, it was incorporated by Act of Parliament as a permanent Institute. The number of inmates then maintained in the House was 81, and the number of out door poor relieved was 2,760.

In the year 1848 permanent buildings were erected on the present site, at a cost of £1,776, 7s. 5d, the building being then 44x100, under the direction of a building committee of which the late Dean Grasett was chairman.

The first regular grant from the city corporation appears to be in the year 1856 of £250, and in 1858 it was increased to £1,000 or \$4,000. In that year 6,993 persons were releived, including casuals, but exclusive of inmates.

In the year 1866, the population then being about 60,000, the number of families relieved was 625, consisting of 2,577 persons, at a cost of \$4,000 or \$1.55 per capita.

In glancing at the comparative statement, the management may fairly be congratulated of the proof furnished by these records that the plans adopted from time to time of distributing relief have been at once the most economical and the means of escaping the pauperizing effect of the plans adopted in many other cities, which have the invariable effect of intensifying pauperism with the increase of population. It will be observed that while in the very first year of the existence of the Charity about eight and a-half per cent. of the population received relief, during the past year only about five per cent. received assistance, although the population meantime increased twenty fold; and while thirty years ago the cost per capita was \$1.55, the past year the cost was only \$1.30 for outdoor relief, and this is increased the past year owing to the high price of coal.

INMATES.

The number of aged and infirm men and women now in the House is ninety-seven, of whom three are blind and fifteen cripples. Inmates' maintenance, cost per capita, nineteen and a-half cents. An error in the general reports is published by adding to the cost of inmates the large sum expended in distributing to the outdoor poor.

The need of more accommodation for the increasing number applying for a home such as the House affords, and for a proper classification of the inmates has long been felt. Plans are now ready, however, and it is hoped by the assistance of charitably disposed citizens and the means on hand, this desirable improvement may soon be an accomplished fact.

At the request of the city corporation the management delayed going on with the work last season in order to give time to consider a proposition made to the Council to transfer the Home to an Industrial Farm to be provided outside the city, but the Board of Control having looked closely into the matter decided that the plans adopted by the House were best and recommended the Board to prosecute the work as fast as possible.

CASUALS.

The number of casuals sheltered during the winter is 12,066, an average of 100 each night. The labor test both for casuals and the outdoor poor unemployed is applied as rigidly as possible, the particulars of which will be found in the report of the proper committee.

OUTDOOR POOR.

Building and other trades still suffer from the general depression, and consequently the number of applicants for relief during the past season has increased, as will be seen by the following table:

FAMILIES R	ELIEVED.	PERSONS.	EXPENSE.	PER CAPITA,
1895-6	1,962	8,552	\$ 9,704 72	\$1 14
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The increased cost per capita is accounted for in the advance in the price of coal from \$4.00 in the previous season to \$5.50 the past season, the increase in cost of fuel alone being \$2,631.75.

The subscribers and friends of the Charity are referred to the accompanying reports of the Chairmen of the various standing committees and the Superintendent for fuller particulars and all the details of work in each department.

During the year the Board suffered severe loss in the removal by death of two of the most active members, viz., the late Mr. T. H. Ince and the late Rev. John Mutch, the former having rendered the Institution nine years of active service as Manager and Trustee, and the latter three years as Manager and Visitor.

The Gas Company with its accustomed liberality supplied, free of charge, one thousand bushels of coke for distribution.

The Trustees and Managers desire to acknowledge their obligation to the clergymen and others through whose efforts regular services are held in the House and the spiritual wants of the inmates attended to.

The Board also willingly expresses satisfaction with the manner in which the Superintendent, Mr. Laughlen, discharged his duties ably assisted by his wife.

Mrs. North, the Matron, ably assisted by her daughter, continues to perform the duties of her department to the satisfaction of the management.

In view of sixty years of service to the citizens, the management can confidently appeal for not only a continuance but increased support in carrying on the noble work of pure charity, and in doing so call attention to the careful manner in which the funds intrusted to them are expended. Every care is taken to avoid imposition by a rigid enquiry at the homes and elsewhere of all applicants before relief is granted, but in dispensing help the management is in no way influenced by creed or nationality, and on this account should confidently look for encouragement and support.

Prominent men from each denomination, Protestant and Catholic, alike, form the Board of Management, and on the roll of past Trustees and Managers will be found the names of many of Toronto's best citizens.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

John Gillespie,

Samuel Alcorn, Chairman.

Secretary.
Toronto, April 27th, 1897.

REPORT OF CASUAL POOR COMMITTEE.

To the Board of the House of Industry:

The number of those who came from outside the city was 1,094, as against 948 the year before. The number of those who were sheltered not more than three nights was 827. The increase in this class of men, your Committee believes, was largely due to the fact that stone was not supplied at the beginning of the season in sufficient quantity to apply properly the labor test. Aldermen Hubbard and Jolliffe gave notice at the City Hallin October of the quantity which would be required for the House, but by some oversight the matter was not attended to. The quantity of stone broken by the men at the Lodge during the past year was 97½ toise; the largest quantity of stone broken in any one year since the Lodge was opened. The details of expenditure are given below.

Number of persons, 1,094; number of nights, 4,433; cost, \$390.94.

The total number of men, therefore, in the Wayfarer's Lodge last year was 1,535. These were in addition to the above 68 women.

Continuing the plan adopted last year of dividing those who were sheltered in the Wayfarer's Lodge for the past year into two classes, viz. (1) the homeless poor of Toronto, and (2) those who came from places outside the city limits, there were of the first class 441, as against 450 the preceding year, sheltered in the Lodge during the year, 1st April, 1896, to 1st April, 1897. Of these 441 persons 154 were sheltered not more than three nights. The highest number of nights that any one of this class was in the Lodge was 173. The total amount of expense for maintenance is given in detail below.

Number of nights, 10,929, cost, \$1,560.30.

HOUSE OF INDUSTRY.

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Respectfully submitted,

J. D. CAYLEY,

Secretary.

A. MACMURCHY,

Chairman.

REPORT OF VISITATION OF THE OUTDOOR POOR FOR 1896-97.

To the Board of the Trustees and Managers of the House of Industry.

Gentlemen,—Your Committee beg to submit the following statement of work amongst the needy ones in all parts of our city. It is with more than usual satisfaction that the Committee can speak of the service rendered by the fifty-two efficient and faithful visitors of this House. Some difficulty was experienced in the beginning of the season to find suitable men to fill the places of quite a large number who had retired from the work. Some good men had removed from the city, and could not continue in the work. Some by demands of business were constrained to give up after years of service, and some were removed by the hand of death. With the kind assistance of members of the Board and of ministers of the various churches a sufficient number of men were found willing to take hold, and all vacancies were filled.

Without a single exception very satisfactory work has been done. Can too much importance be placed upon this department in the management of the House of Industry? To have over fifty men—well qualified in heart and by experience, visiting the homes of want and often in deep sorrow—should, it is humbly thought, be a cause of sincere gratitude to every right minded citizen and a guarantee that the funds placed at the disposal of this Institution will be administered in a benevolent spirit and with due care to economy. It is also gratifying to report that the service rendered by those who distributed bread and soup in the different parts of the city has been all that could be desired.

Whilst the amount expended on the outdoor poor is larger this season than last year, reasons can be given for this. In the first place there was no stone of any account in the yard for those receiving aid to break, hence, as the test could not be applied, a very much larger number received assistance than otherwise would have done if the breaking of stone had been a condition. The stone was only supplied towards the end of January. The City Council places the stone in the yard. A

year ago the labour test was in force throughout the season, and the number who refused to work was very much larger than that of this year. Thus to have work to offer to all able bodied men means a large reduction in the expenditure. In the second place, there has been a large increase in the number of families assisted, and perhaps there was more widespread want last winter than in any former year.

2,102 families relieved, comprising 8,465 persons; an increase of 230 families.

Orders issued for breaking stone		852
Worked	326	
Doctor certified not able to work	18	
7511 4	508	
Did not work		852

Sixty-two toise of stone were broken by outdoor poor, at a value of \$6 per toise, or \$372.

Not sufficient stone supplied for labour test, until about end of January.

Bread, 59,492 loaves	6	4405	
Groceries		794	
Coal, hard		5555	
Coal, Soft		71	-
Wood.		1100	
Cartage of Coal and Coke,		20	
Soun Kitchen Expenses		855	
Interest, Printing and Advertising.		235	31
		13039	31

All of which is respectfully submitted,

James Turnbull, Secretary. A. GILRAY, Chairman.

Toronto, April 27th, 1897.

MEDICAL OFFICER'S REPORT, 1897.

It gives me great pleasure to report a very low mortality among the inmates for the past year as only five males and one female, of the respective ages of 52, 57, 66, 75, 77 and 92 years, have died within that period.

Respectfully, Uzziel Ogden, M.D.

Dr. HOUSE OF INDUSTRY IN ACCOUNT WITH From 31st March, 1896 RECEIPTS. To Grant from Ontario Government 2,653 63 " Grant from City Corporation 20,200 00 " Interest on Investments 1,377 44 " Rents of Property 438 00 " Payments by Inmates 278 00 " Subscriptions and Donations 3,627 22 " Discount 0 11 " Rebates 9 59 Balance on Hand 613 63

\$27,970 36

TO THE ONLY	a
WARRING KENNEDY, Esq., TREASURER, TORONTO,	Cr:
то 31st Макси, 1897.	
EXPENDITURE.	14 769 5c
By Balance overdrawn from Bank, March 31st, 1896	1,068 93
77 384	.,000
	5,316 21
// Til mool	362 22
35'11	410 92
**	354 88
	113 20
	441 93
	537 83
"Clothing, including boots and snoes	15 82
	156 59
" Stoves and hardware.	1,453 15
d ' magnigions	50 75
	506 59
	1,200 00
	7,003 31
	161 00
	331 89
Commission on collections	136 10
	188 68
	192 61
"Gas, coal oil, etc Consistendant's books	360 00
"Contingent account as per Superintendent's books	214 68
	497 80
Other expenditure not above detailed	1,900 00
11 Interest Account deposited in Bank of Toronto.	
// Tutoweak	
(. D. III.a.	04 14
" Distributing bread	175 82
	\$27,970 36
Examined and found correct.	
ISAAC U. GILMUR,	Auditors.
Toronto, April 27th, 1897. HENRY HUTCHISON.	
	TITLES OF
LIST OF CERTIFICATES OF INVESTMENTS (SECUR	IIIES) OF
THE HOUSE OF INDUSTREE.	
' the Freehold Loan & Say	ings Co.
to the full maid up atook to the Western Can. L.	C D. Co.
as " t-l-sent stook in the Western Call. Lt.	v. D. Co.
" 4 " neid up stock in the Huron and Erie L. &	S. Co.
" and " mail are stock in the Consumers Gas Co.	
	l in trust.
Deposit Receipt for \$1,600 in Bank of Toronto. Iuvestm	ent account
dated 14th October, 1896. Deposit Receipt for \$300, dated 15th March, 1897. A	lso Bank of
Toronto. We have examined the list and compared the certificates the	nerewith and
C I them connect	
found them correct. ISAAC C. GILMOR, HKNRY HUTCHISON,	Auditors
HENRY HUTCHISON.	Li wallord.

Toronto, April 23rd, 1897.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF THE ASSISTANCE AFFORDED TO THE POOR BY THE HOUSE OF INDUSTRY, TORONTO, FROM 1874 TO 1896, INCLUSIVE.

	AVER	AVERAGE NUMBER IN THE HOUSE.	BER E.	OUTDOOR	Total		Δ	V 00	WOOD AND COAL ACCOUNT	COAL AC	COU	YT.	
YEAR.	MEN AND WOMEN.	CHILDREN.	Total.	Poor.	RELIEVED.	-		$T_{\rm c}$	То тне Роок.)R.		Cons	CONSUMED IN HOUSE.
1874	81	9	87	2300	2874	Coal,	250	Tons				02	Tons.
1875	88	5	93	3047	3410	99	250	,,			:	20	,,
1876	80	9	98	4232	4318	"	300	"			:	90	,,
1877	87	4	91	4469	4560	"	500	,,			:	80	9.9
1878	92	33	95	5189	5284	"	501	,,			:	75	9.3
1879	90	:	06	5271	5361	"	504	,,	:		:	95	,,
1880	86	:	98	4026	4112	"	400	"			:	95	"
1881	88	:	88	3507	5595	"	350	,,			:	95	3.3
1882	85	;	85	2409	2491	,,	349	,,				100	"
1883	08	:	80	2543	2623	33	450	"	:		:	100	9.9
1884	74	:	64	4146	4220	"	550	"		:	:	110	,,
1885	84	m 10.	74	4140	4214	,,	525	*,		:	:	111	"
1886	92		26	4792	4868	",	475	3 3	and 158	Cords Wood	ood	116	"
1887	79	.:	79	5953	6032	"	475	"	143	33	:	137	7,7
1888	75	:	75	5556	5631	"	465	"	181	3,3		139	"
1889	90	:	06	5811	5901	"	504	99	2313	*,	:	206	"
1890	. 92	:	92	9453	9545	"	8223	"	385	,,		197	,,
1891	95	:	95	9298	8771	"	8273	"	3133	33	:	187	3 3
1892	105		105	8457	8562	,,	7714	,,	₹267	3.5		213	33
1893	86	:	86	10695	10793	,,	1041	,,	3455	3.3		185	33
1894	86	:	86	11498	11596	"	10941	,,	285	3.3	:	194	33
1895	102	:	102	8552	8586	"	7967	"	1764	;	:	197 3	3, 2,0
1896	94		94	10068	10162	33	10261	"	218	9 9		2021	300

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

Relief afforded and Number of Poor assisted from April 1st, 18 April 1st, 1897.	96, to
Average number in the House (daily) 109 In on 1st April, 1896 43 Admitted since 43	94 152
Discharged, 48; died, 7 (5 men and 2 women)	152
Of whom are blind men 3 Cripples 15 Others 79	97
Average number in building for casual poor during the winter months, per night	100
Outdoor Poor.	
2,192 families—1,562 men, 2,121 women, and 4,782 children, averaging four in each family. 8,465 Temporarily relieved (exclusive of inmates) 1,603 Total relieved (exclusive of inmates) 59,492 Number of loaves distributed to outdoor pensioners 6,898	10,068 66,390
Disbursements to sick families: oatmeal, 4,620 lbs.; rice, 4,6 sugar, 2,844 lbs.; tea, 757 lbs.	50 lbs.;
a goal Account for 1897.	

Statement of Coal Account for 1897.

Consumed in the House	2021488 tons.
Consumed in the House	1.0261
Consumed in the House Delivered to the poor Also delivered	1 000 bush, of coke.
Also delivered	210 (0145)
130 gallons da	aily.

Soup given out during winter months, 130 gallons daily

42,899 meals were supplied to casuals during the year, at a cost of \$1,026.10 or 2 2.5 cents per meal.

Outdoor Poor Labor Test.

•		852
Number of orders issued for breaking stone	326	001
TTT 1 3		
Worked Doctor certified not able Did not work	508	- * 0
Did not work	-	852

.62 toise of stone were broken by Outdoor Poor at a value of \$6.00 per toise, or 372.

A. LAUGHLEN, Superintendent.

All respectfully submitted,

TORONTO HOUSE OF INDUSTRY.

.26			\$5,200 15			6,748 64		(*)				*	855 16	8 10	227 21	039 26
Expenses for Outdoor Poor from 1st April, 1896, to 1st April, 1897.	Bread, 4lb. loaves, 59,492 \$4,405 99 Distribution of bread \$155 65 Carmeal distributed, 4 620 lbs	do. 4,650 lbs 174 do. 2,884 lbs 106	do. 757 lbs. 242.24	Coal 1011 13.6 tons at \$3.98 and \$5.50 per ton	Wood 218 cords at \$4.75, \$5.15 and \$5.25 per cord		\$88 75	259	bles 118	Pepper and salt 32 00	Coal and wood		Troparis, ord.	Interest	advertising, etc.	Total \$13,039 26

RESOLUTIONS.

Moved by Rev. Professor Clark, seconded by Rev. Louis Jordan:

That the Reports now read be adopted, and that 700 copies be printed for general distribution.

Moved by Rev. W. F. Wilson, seconded by Alderman Crane:

That the following gentlemen be elected Managers for the ensuing year:—Very Rev. J. J. McCann, Messrs Henry O'Hara, T. R. Whiteside, James Turnbull, W. J. Mitchell, Joseph J. Murphy, Rev. Wm. Frizzell, Rev. J. Scott Howard, Alderman Crane, H. J. Browne, Wm. Carlyle, John Bain, John Price, Rev. A. Hart, H. R. Frankland, James Jolliffe, Alderman Hubbard, Remy Emslie, James, Massic, Rev. W. F. Wilson, Alderman Scott, Alderman Burns, Rev. Samuel Carruthers, Samuel Trees, Robert Little.

Moved by Rev. A. H. Baldwin, seconded by Mr. Warring Kennedy:

That Mr. J. H. Paterson be elected a Trustee in place of Mr. T. H. Ince, deceased.

Moved by Rev. Mr. Hart, seconded by Mr. Edward Taylor:

That the thanks of the subscribers and citizens are due to the VISITORS of the House for their valuable services during the year.

Moved by Rev. J. Gillespie, seconded by Mr. Warring Kennedy:

That the thanks of this meeting are due the subscribers for their donations, and to His Worship, the Mayor, and the members of the City Council for their liberal grants to the Charity.

On motion of Rev. A. H. Baldwin, seconded by Rev. J. Gillespie:

That the thanks of this meeting be given to the spearkers, Rev. Messrs. Professor Clark, Louis Jordan, and W. F. Wilson.

On motion of Rev. J. Gillespie, seconded by Rev. W. F. Wilson:

That the thanks of the meeting be given to the chairman.

NAMES, ADDRESSES AND DISTRICTS OF VISITORS,

AS ARRANGED JANUARY, 1897.

	000	
		Canal Control

VISITORS.	Rev. T. C. C. Heathcote, 571 Sherbourne Street. Rev. J. S. Howard, 498 Pape Avenue. Rev. J. S. Howard, 192 Carlton Street. Mr. Thomes R. Whiteside, 102 Sherbourne Street. Mr. T. Rynn, Board of Trade Buildings. Rev. John L. Hand, St. Paul's Preshytery, 83 Power Street.	Mr. Rev. Rev. Mr. Mr. Mr. Mr. Mr. Mr. Mr. Mr. Mr. Mr
DISTRICTS.	1. East of Pape Avenue to City Limits. 2. Don River to Pape Avenue, south of Queen Street. 3. Don River to Pape Ave., between Queen and Gerrard Streets. 4. Don River to Parliament Street, south of King Street. 5. Parliament to Yange Street, south of King Street. 6. Don River to Ontario Street, between King and Queen Streets.	7. Don River to Parliament St., between Queen St. and Wilton Ave. 8. Parliament to Ontario St., between Queen St. and Wilton Ave. 9. Don River to Ontario Street, between Wilton Ave. and Carlton St. 11. Ontario to Shreet, between Wilton Ave. 12. Sherbourne Street, between Wilton Street and Wilton Ave. 13. Ontario to Shreet, between Wilton Street and Wilton Ave. 14. Jarvis to Vonge Street, between Wilton Street and Wilton Ave. 15. Sherbourne to Jarvis Street, between Wilton Avenue and Bloor Street 16. Jarvis to Yonge Street, between Queen and Queen Streets 17. Yonge to Yonge Street, between Queen and Elm Streets 18. Treatlay to Chestur Street, between Queen and Elm Streets 19. Chesturi Street to College Ave., between Queen and Elm Streets 20. Yonge Street to College Ave., between Hayten and Elm Streets 21. Yonge Street to College Ave., between Hayten and Breadalbane Sts. 22. Yonge Street to College Ave., between Elm and Hayter Streets 22. Yonge Street to College Ave., between Breadalbane Sts. 23. Yonge Street to College Ave., between Elm and Elm Streets

Where two Districts are separated by a Street, the dividing line is the centre of the Street.

1897.

TRUSTEES AND MANAGERS

OF

THE HOUSE OF INDUSTRY,

WITH DATES AND ORDER OF THEIR ELECTION.

TRUSTEES.

		MANAGER.	TRUSTEE.
i.	THE MAYOR		1837
2.	Hon, G. W. Allan	. 1853	1853
3.	Rev. A. J. Broughall	. 1863	1868
4.	Mr. Samuel Alcorn	. 1875	1880
5.	REV. A. WILLIAMS	. 1866	1882
6.	REV. JOHN GILLESPIE	. 1874	1886
7.	REV. A. H. BALDWIN	. 1874	1887
8.	REV. J. D. CAYLEY	. 1879	1888
9.	Mr. A. MacMurchy	. 1877	1891
10.	MR. WARRING KENNEDY	. 1881	1893
11.	Mr. Thomas Flynn	. 1881	1894
12.	Mr. Beverley Jones		1896
13.	Rev. A. Gilray		1896
14.	REV. DR. POTTS		1896
15.	Mr. J. H. Paterson.		1897

MANAGERS.

1.	VFRY REV. J. J. McCann	1891
2.	Mr. Henry O'Hara	1892
3.	Mr. T. R. Whiteside	1892
4.	Mr. James Turnbull	1893
5.	Mr. W. J. MITCHELL	1893
6.	Mr. Joseph J. Murphy	1893
7.	Rev. Wm. Frizzell	1894
8.	Rev. J. Scott Howard	1894
9.	ALDERMAN CRANE	1894
10.	Mr. H. J. Browne	1894
11.	Mr. Wm. Carlyle	1895
12.	Mr. John Bain.	1895
13.	Mr. John Price	1895
14.	Rev. A. Hart	1895
15.	Mr. H. R. Frankland	1895
16.	Mr. James Jolliffe	1895
17.	ALDERMAN HUBBARD	1895
18.	Mr. Remy Elmslie	1896
19.	Mr. James Massie	1896
20.	REV. W. F. WILSON	1896
21.	REV. SAMUEL CARRUTHERS	1897
22.	Mr. Samuel Trees	1897
23.	Mr. Robert Little	1897
24.	Alderman Scott	1897
25.	" Burns	1897

SUBSCRIPTIONS AND DONATIONS. , TORONTO HOUSE OF INDUSTRY

FOR THE SEASON OF 1896-97.

Geikie, Dr. W. B\$	1	00	Kilgour Bros\$10 00
Gillespie, Rev. John	5		Kingsmill, Saunders &
Gilray, Rev. Alexander	2	50	Towns as
			Torrance
		00	Kirkpatrick, Hon. G. A.,
	25		Lieut, Governor 5 00
Gordon & Sampson	3	00	Knowles, James 2 00
	10	00	
Gowan, John	5	00	Laidlaw, Kappele & Bicknell 5 00
Gregg, Rev. Wm	2	00	
Grindlay, Wm	2		Lailey, Watson & Co 2 00
Gutta Percha & Rubber Co	5	00	Laing, J. W. & Co 5 00
Guita I cicia de Itabbel Co	U	00	Leadley, E 1 00
			Lee, Walter S 3 00
Hagarty, Hon. Chief Justice	10	00	Lewis, Rice & Co 20 00
Hallam, John	2	00	Long, Thos 5 00
Hamilton, W. B., Sons & Co.	5	00	Love, Neil C., & Co 3 00
Harris, Rev. Elmore		00	Lyman Bros. & Co 10 00
Hart, Rev. A	$\bar{2}$		
Hardy, Hon. A. S			W. H. L 11 10
Hannis John		00	
Harvie, John	1	00	MacMahon, Hon. Hugh 5 00
Heintzman & Co	2	00	McCall, D. & Co 3 00
Heintzman Gerhard	2	00	McCann, Rev. J. J 5 00
Henderson, Mrs. Margaret	2	00	McGaw & Winnett 3 00
Heward, Mrs. Stephen	5	00	
Hillock, Frank	2	00	McIntosh, Wm. D. & Thos. 3 00
Hooper & Co	1	00	McKay, Donald 5 00
Howard, A. McLean		00	McKinnon, S. F. & Co 5 00
Howard, Rev. J. Scott		00	McMurrich, Coatesworth & Co 2 50
			McTavish, Rev. Dr 1 00
Howard, R. H. & Co		00	Macdonald, John & Co 5 00
Howland Sons & Co	5	00	Macdonald, John K 5 00
Hoyles, N. W	5	00	Macdonnell, Alex 5 00
Hunter, Rev. W. A	1	00	
Hyslop Bros	3	00	
			Maclean, Wm 1 00
In also Wes	0	6.0	MacMurchy, Archibald 4 00
Ingles, Wm		00	Mail Printing Co 5 00
Ireland, James O. N 1	0	00	Martin, C 1 00
			Massey Harris Co 25 00
Jacobi, Philip	1	00	Mason, Alfred J 5 00
		00	Mason, Herbert J 5 00
		00	Mason, LtCol. Jas 2 00
Johnston, W. R. & Co 2		00	Matthews Bros 2 00
		00	Massie, John 4 50
		00	Matthews, W. D. & Co 10 00
	5	00	Milligan, Rev. Dr. G. M 2 00
Jones, Robert 2	5	00	Montizambert, Dr 5 00
	5	00	Moss, Barwick & Franks 5 00
			Mowat, Fred 5 00
Kay John & Co	Λ	00	Mulock, Miller & Co 5 00
		00	Murray, W. A. & Co 2 00
		00	Murray, Mrs. Cawthra 10 00
Kennedy, Warring		00	
	1	00	Mutch, Rev. John 2 50
Kenny, J. J.	5	00	
Kent, Jas. G		00	Navin, Alexander 3 00
		00	Nasmith, John D 5 00
		00	Neil, Rev. John 1 00
Kore Bull & Poppio			
	2		Nelson, Abner 2 00
Kerr, Macdonald, Davidson &	_		Newcombe, O. & Co 2 00
Patterson	0	00	Northrop, Lyman & Co 25 00

O'Hara, Henry	8	5 00	Smith, Dr. Larratt \$ 4 00
O'Keefe Brewing Co	9	5 00	01 1 01 1 0
Oldright, Dr. Wm		2 00	Stark, Charles T 1 00
Ontario Lead & Barb Wire Co	. ;	5 00	Stark, Henry L 2 00
Osler, B. B	. ;	5 00	Stark, John 5 00
Osler, E. B.			Stayner, T. Sutherland 5 00
Oslar Han F		5 00	Steele Bros. & Co 5 00
Osler, Hon. F		5 00	Stewart, Fred. J 1 00
Dauless Dalass			Strathy, A. G 1 00
Parker, Robert		00	Strathy, H. S 1 00
Parsons, Charles & Sons	.]		Sutherland, Rev. Alexander 2 00
Parsons, Rev. H. M	. 2	00	Sutherland, D 1 00
Paterson, J. Harry	3	00	Sutherland, Wm 1 00
Paton, John	- 5	00	Symons, John 2 00
Pearson, Wm. H	4	00	
Pellatt, H. M		00	Taylor Bros 5 00
Perkins, Ince & Co	15	00	Taylor, J. & J 5 00
Perkins, E. J	10	00	Thom, J. H 4 00
Potts, Rev. John	5	00	Thomson, Henderson & Bell 5 00
Price, J	3	00	Toronto, Bishop of 3 00
Pugsley, John		00	Toronto Biscuit & Confect'y
			Co 5 00
Rennie, Wm	2	00	
Robertson Bros		00	Toronto Coffee & Spice Co 2 00 Toronto Savings' Bank Char-
A Friend	2		itable Trust
Robinson, Christopher	5		
Rogers, Charles & Sons Co .	2		Toronto Silver Plate Co 1 00
Rogers, Elias & Co	5		Trust & Loan Corporation 25 00
Rogers, James H	1	00	Walland
Rogers, Samuel & Co	2	00	Walker House 3 00
Rolph, Smith & Co	1	00	Walker, Robert & Son 10 00
Rowsell & Hutchison			Walker, Mrs. B. F 5 00
Rowsell, Mrs	5	00	Walker, Miss H. F 5 00
Prop. Hugh		00	Walker, Capt. Henry S 10 00
Ryan, Hugh	10	00	Wallace, Rev. Wm. G 1 00
94 Minka P. D. L.	00		Walsh, Archbishop 20 00
St. Michael's Palace		00	Walz, John 1 00
Samuel, Benjamin & Co	5		Wanless, John 2 00
Sanson, Canon	5	00	Warwick Bros. & Rutter 5 00
Score, R. J	1	00	Watson, R. & T 10 00
Scott, Mrs. James		00	Webb, Harry 10 00
Scott, John G		00	Whiteside, T. R 2 50
Sears, George Edward	5	00	Wilkie, D. R 5 00
Shedden Co., The	5	00	Williams, Rev. A
Simpson, Joseph	5	00	Wilson, Wm 3 00
Simpson, Robert	5	00	Wood, Hon. S. C 10 00
Smith, Sir Frank	25	00	Woodhouse, Joseph J 2 00
Smith, George B		00	Wyld, Grassett & Darling 5 00
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